A Weekly Analysis
June 9, 2006

## **9% Annual Distributions**

#### **Summary and Recommendation**

Buy-recommended **Penn West Energy Trust (PWTFF)** to be listed on the New York Stock Exchange on June 22, symbol PWE, pays more than 9% a year at the current monthly distribution rate of C\$0.34 a unit. A third of equity Ebitda is reinvested in projects that include oil sands and carbon dioxide enhanced recovery to give long-term staying power to the attractive payout. Buy-recommended **Canadian Oil Sands Trust (COSWF)** pays C\$0.30 a unit quarterly, three times a year ago, yet half the rate we project for early next year. Both PWTFF and COSWF have positive momentum defined as stock price above the 200-day average. Buy-recommended **San Juan Basin Royalty Trust (SJT)** would pay more than 9% for the next twelve months at the natural gas price implied by latest one-year futures. Currently out of favor, the natural gas oriented trusts trade at stock prices less than the 200-day average. We are highly confident that natural gas will again trade at a higher price relative to oil. We cannot say when, but we could be surprised at any time.

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# Natural Gas and Oil Royalty Trusts Rank by McDep Ratio: Market Cap and Debt to Present Value

			Price			Net		
			(\$/sh)		Market	Present	Debt/	
	Symbol/		8-Jun	Shares	Cap	Value	Present	McDep
	Rating		2006	(mm)	(\$mm)	(\$/un)	Value	Ratio
U.S. Royalty Trusts								
Permian Basin RT	PBT		15.53	46.6	720	16.50	-	0.94
Sabine Royalty Trust	SBR		42.20	14.6	620	45.00	-	0.94
Dorchester Minerals, L.P.	DMLP		24.90	28.2	700	27.00	-	0.92
Cross Timbers Royalty Trust	CRT		41.80	6.0	250	46.00	-	0.91
San Juan Basin Royalty Trust	SJT	В	36.22	46.6	1,690	40.00	-	0.91
Mesa RoyaltyTrust	MTR		64.00	1.9	120	75.00	-	0.85
Hugoton RoyaltyTrust	HGT		27.86	40.0	1,110	34.00	-	0.82
Total or Median					5,200			0.91
Canadian Income Trusts (US\$)								
Enerplus Resources Fund	ERF		53.89	123.1	6,630	47.00	0.11	1.13
Pengrowth Energy Trust	PGH		22.56	161.0	3,630	20.00	0.15	1.11
Penn West Energy Trust	<b>PWTFF</b>	В	38.76	243.6	9,440	39.00	0.12	0.99
Canadian Oil Sands Trust	COSWF	В	28.69	464.1	13,320	35.00	0.10	0.84
Total or Median					33,000		0.11	1.05

B = Buy

McDep Ratio = Market cap and Debt to present value of oil and gas and other businesses

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### Natural Gas and Oil Royalty Trusts Rank by EV/Ebitda: Enterprise Value to Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Deprec.

			Price	Adjstd				Divd or
			(\$/sh)	Resrvs/	PV/	EV/		Distrib
	Symbol/	Symbol/		Prod	Ebitda	Ebitda	P/E	NTM
	Rating		2006	NTM	NTM	NTM	NTM	(%)
U.S. Royalty Trusts								
Cross Timbers Royalty Trust	CRT		41.80	13.0	11.6	10.5	10.9	9.2
Dorchester Minerals, L.P.	DMLP		24.90	8.2	10.9	10.1	16.0	9.3
Mesa RoyaltyTrust	MTR		64.00	20.1	11.8	10.0	11.1	9.0
San Juan Basin Royalty Trust	SJT	В	36.22	13.5	10.7	9.7	11.0	9.1
Sabine Royalty Trust	SBR		42.20	9.3	10.1	9.4	9.4	10.6
Permian Basin RT	PBT		15.53	7.8	9.8	9.2	10.1	9.9
Hugoton RoyaltyTrust	HGT		27.86	13.8	10.0	8.2	11.6	8.6
Median			13.0	10.7	9.7	11.0	9.2	
Canadian Income Trusts (US\$)								
Canadian Oil Sands Trust	COSWF	В	28.69	25.1	11.2	9.4	12.1	6.6
Enerplus Resources Fund	ERF		53.89	9.4	7.3	8.2	16.1	8.5
Pengrowth Energy Trust	PGH		22.56	7.5	6.7	7.5	12.9	12.0
Penn West Energy Trust	<b>PWTFF</b>	В	38.76	7.9	7.0	7.0	9.7	9.5
Median				8.6	7.1	7.9	12.5	9.0

 $EV = Enterprise\ Value = Market\ Cap\ and\ Debt;\ Ebitda = Earnings\ before\ interest,\ tax,\ depreciation\ and\ amortization;\ NTM = Next\ Twelve\ Months\ Ended\ June\ 30,\ 2007;\ P/E = Stock\ Price\ to\ Earnings;\ PV = Present\ Value\ of\ oil\ and\ gas\ and\ other\ businesses$ 

### Natural Gas and Oil Royalty Trusts Rank by NTM Distribution Yield

			Natural					
		Revenue	Gas/		Dist/			Dist.
	Symbol	Royalty	Ebitda	Dist/	Equity	NTM Distribution		Yield
	•	(%)	(%)	Ebitda	Ebitda	(\$mm)	(\$/un)	(%)
U.S. Royalty Trusts								
Hugoton RoyaltyTrust	HGT	-	90	0.70	0.70	96	2.40	8.6
Mesa RoyaltyTrust	MTR	-	72	0.91	0.91	11	5.78	9.0
San Juan Basin Royalty Trust	SJT	-	98	0.88	0.88	153	3.29	9.1
Cross Timbers Royalty Trust	CRT	81	68	0.97	0.97	23	3.84	9.2
Dorchester Minerals, L.P.	DMLP	56	73	0.94	0.94	65	2.31	9.3
Permian Basin RT	PBT	29	34	0.91	0.91	72	1.54	9.9
Sabine Royalty Trust	SBR	100	51	1.00	1.00	65	4.47	10.6
Total or Median	!		72	0.91	0.91	500		9.2
Canadian Income Trusts (US\$)								
Canadian Oil Sands Trust	COSWF	-	(7)	0.55	0.61	881	1.90	6.6
Enerplus Resources Fund	ERF	-	45	0.63	0.71	561	4.56	8.5
Penn West Energy Trust	<b>PWTFF</b>	_	39	0.58	0.66	898	3.69	9.5
Pengrowth Energy Trust	PGH	-	37	0.78	0.91	437	2.71	12.0
Total or Median	!		38	0.61	0.68	2,800		9.0
Kinder Morgan Energy Partners	KMP			0.80	1.79			7.0

NTM = Next Twelve Months Ended June 30, 2007

Ebitda = Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization

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