MARINE POLLUTION SURVEILLANCE REPORT





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REPORT DATE: AUGUST 05, 2012

REPORT TIME: 0215Z (8/04/2012 2115 CDT)

ANALYST: TURK

DATA SOURCE: SPOT-5 MODE: MULTI-SPECTRAL RESOLUTION: 10 METERS

IMAGE DATE/TIME: 8/04/2012 1622Z (1122 CDT)

Legend



Possible Oil

False-Positives (not oil)



Destroyed Taylor Platform: [28°56'9" N / 88°58'12" W]

REMARKS:

A possible oil slick from the destroyed Taylor platform extended for 12.5 miles to the north and east. The slick was quite narrow--up to 0.1 mile wide. Sky conditions were mostly clear near the platform, but were partly to mostly cloudy farther north, preventing a definitive assessment of the northern extent. In addition, there were breaks in the slick at the northern end along with biogenic material. Winds were light at about 5 knots and blowing from the south at the time of the image.

