

**XXXVIII. THE PERCENTAGE OF SQUARE MILE  
PRODUCTION IN OKLAHOMA**

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From the Oklahoma Geological Survey.

The paper constitutes a statistical guide to the quantity of oil recovered from the areas making up the oil producing territory of the state, and shows the relation of the number of square miles in the possible producing territory to the number of square miles actually having production.

At present there are 4038 sections which are productive of oil or gas or both; 2227 sections are dry, abandoned or shut down.

at insufficient depths for lack of funds or other reasons; 1131 sections are being drilled as "wildcat;" and 724 sections are active since January, 1920. This is a total of 6987 sections of land in the State under development.

The total number of square miles in the productive areas is 15,660. The total number of square miles actually having production is 3857. Therefore, the percentage of square mile production for the producing areas of the State is 24 per cent.