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(A) ENERGY SYSTEMS

- (1) Global Energy Assessment: Toward a Sustainable Future (International Institute of Applied Systems Analysis, 2012)
- (2) Fundamentals of Materials for Energy and Environmental Sustainability (Materials Research Society, 2012)
- (3) Handbook of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (Kreith et al, 2007)
- (4) Handbook of Energy (2 vols) (Cleveland et al, 2013)
- (5) Energy Transitions: History, Requirements, Prospects (Smil, 2010)
- (6) Survey of World Energy Resources (World Energy Council, annual)
- (7) Energy Poverty: Global Challenges and Local Solutions (Halff et al, 2014)
- (8) [Sustainable Energy Without the Hot Air](#) (McKay, 2008)
- (9) [Energy Flow Charts for the United States](#) (Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, annual)
- (10) [Energy Primer: A Handbook of Energy Market Basics](#) (FERC, annual)

(B) GENERAL OIL HISTORY

- (11) A Century in Oil: The “Shell” Transport and Trading Company 1897-1997 (Howarth, 1997)
- (12) The History of Royal Dutch Shell (4 vols) (Howarth et al, 2007)
- (13) The History of the British Petroleum Company (3 vols) (Ferrier, 1982) (Bamberg, 2000 and 2009)
- (14) The History of the Standard Oil Company (2 vols) (Tarbell, 1904)
- (15) [Standard Oil Co of New Jersey v United States](#) (U.S. Supreme Court, 1911)
- (16) The International Petroleum Cartel: Staff Report to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC, 1952 and U.S. Senate, 1976)
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- (19) Adventure in Oil: The Story of British Petroleum (Longhurst, 1959)
- (20) [Bitumen – A History](#) (Bilkaldi/Aramco World, 1984)
- (21) [Where the World Gets its Oil](#) (Smith/National Geographic, 1920)

(C) OPEC HISTORY

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- (23) Genie Out of the Bottle: World Oil Since 1970 (Adelman, 1995)
- (24) Discounts in Disguise: Price Shaving by Members of OPEC (Bureau of Intelligence and Research, 1977)
- (25) Access to Oil: The United States’ Relationships with Saudi Arabia and Iran (U.S. Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, 1977)
- (26) [Shah Defends Increasing Oil Prices](#) (Shah Mohamed Reza Pahlavi, 1980)

- (27) [How the Oil Glut is Changing Business](#) (Hershey/NYT, 1981)
- (28) [An Oil Surplus – For Now](#) (Yergin/NYT, 1985)
- (29) [Bush Sees Oil Glut Undermining U.S.](#) (McNulty/Chicago Tribune, 1986)
- (30) [The Cartel in Retreat](#) (Adelman, 1993)
- (31) [The Oil Price Crisis of 1998](#) (Mabro, 1998)
- (32) A Financial Analysis of Middle East Oil Concessions 1901-65 (Mikdash, 1966)

(D) MIDDLE EAST POLITICS

- (33) Desert Kingdom: How Oil and Water Forged Modern Saudi Arabia (Jones, 2010)
- (34) Khomeini: Life of the Ayatollah (Moin, 1999)
- (35) The Oasis of Al-Hasa (Vidal/Aramco, 1955)
- (36) Sa'udi Arabia (Philby, 1955)
- (37) Arabia of the Wahhabis (Philby, 1977)
- (38) King Faisal of Saudi Arabia: Personality, Faith and Times (Vassiliev, 2012)
- (39) The Caravan Goes On: How Aramco and Saudi Arabia Grew Up Together (Jungers, 2013)
- (40) Blood and Oil: A Prince's Memoir of Iran from the Shah to the Ayatollah (Farmanfarmaian, 1997)
- (41) Yamani: the Inside Story (Robinson, 1988)
- (42) Saudi Arabia and the United States: Birth of a Security Partnership (Hart, 1998)
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- (61) [National Energy Plan: Address Delivered Before a Joint Session of the Congress](#) (Carter, 1977)
- (62) [National Energy Plan: Address to the Nation](#) (Carter, 1977)
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- (71) [Sources of Energy for the Future](#) (Harris Survey, 1976)
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- (74) [Foreign Oil Considered Main Reason for U.S. Energy Problem](#) (Harris Survey, 1979)
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- (84) World Atlas of Oil and Gas Basins (Guoyu, 2011)
- (85) Hydrocarbon Exploration and Production (Jahn, 2008)
- (86) [Glossary of Terms Used in Petroleum Reserves/Resources Definitions](#) (Society of Petroleum Engineers, 2005)
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- (89) Unconventional Petroleum Geology (Zou, 2013)
- (90) [Sedimentary Rocks and Sedimentary Basins](#) (Toro, undated slides)
- (91) Sedimentary Environments: Processes, Facies and Stratigraphy (Reading, 1996)
- (92) [Evaluation of Drilling Rig Performance Characteristics](#) (Foulston, 2009)
- (93) [Famous Gushers of the World](#) (San Joaquin Valley Geology, undated)
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- (95) [Profiles of Reservoir Properties of Oil-Bearing Plays for Selected Petroleum Provinces in the United States](#) (USGS, 2015)

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- (97) [Shooters: A “Fracking” History](#) (American Oil and Gas Historical Society, undated)
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- (109) Fundamentals of Shale Gas Reservoirs (Rezaee, 2015)

- (110) [Unlocking the Potential of Unconventional Reservoirs](#) (Schlumberger, 2015)
- (111) [Defining Permeability: Flow Through Pores](#) (Schlumberger, 2014)
- (112) [Myth and realities of the shale oil and gas developments](#) (Mott MacDonald, 2013)
- (113) [What Size of Earthquakes Can Be Caused by Fracking?](#) (Durham Energy Institute, 2013)
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- (115) [Incorporating Induced Seismicity in the 2014 United States National Seismic Hazard Model](#) (USGS, 2015)
- (116) [Cumulative Earthquakes in the United States 1973-2014](#) (USGS, 2015)
- (117) [Map of Areas of Increased Rates of Induced Seismicity in the United States](#) (USGS, 2015)
- (118) [Hydraulic Fracturing and Water Resources](#) (Muehlenbachs and Olmstead, 2014)
- (119) [Shale Development and Agriculture](#) (Hitaj et al, 2014)

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- (140) [Power for the Future](#) (Modern Oil Exploration in Iran) (Schlumberger, 2001)
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- (150) Oil and Governance: State-Owned Enterprises and the World Energy Supply (Victor, 2012)
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- (159) [Water Requirements of the Carbon-Black Industry](#) (USGS, 1956)
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- (188) The Last Boom: The Exciting Saga of the Discovery of the Greatest Oil Field in America (Clark and Halbouty, 1972)
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