

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES INC

Form 8-K

October 07, 2011

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): October 7, 2011

**CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Oklahoma

(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

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**1-32886**  
(Commission

File Number)

**73-0767549**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**302 N. Independence**

**Suite 1500**

**Enid, Oklahoma**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**(580) 233-8955**

**73701**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On October 7, 2011, Continental Resources, Inc. issued a press release reporting, among other things, production growth in the quarter ended September 30, 2011. A copy of the press release is being furnished as an exhibit to this report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

**Exhibit**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press release dated October 7, 2011

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: October 7, 2011

CONTINENTAL RESOURCES, INC.  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ John D. Hart  
John D. Hart  
Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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