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Issuer Free Writing Prospectus, dated March 9, 2010 Filed Pursuant to Rule 433 under the Securities Act of 1933 Registration No. 333-161370

Anadarko Petroleum Corporation Pricing Term Sheet

Issuer:	Anadarko Petroleum	Corporation
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Distribution: SEC Registered

Security Description: 6.200% Senior Notes due March 15, 2040

Aggregate Principal Amount: \$750,000,000

Gross Proceeds: \$744,547,500

Net Proceeds (Before Expenses): \$737,985,000

Coupon: 6.200%

Maturity: March 15, 2040

Offering Price: 99.273% of principal amount

Yield to Maturity: 6.254%

Spread to Benchmark Treasury: + 155 bps

Benchmark Treasury: UST 4.375% due November 15, 2039

Benchmark Yield: 4.704%

Ratings (Moody s/S&P/Fitch): Baa3/BBB-/BBB- (Stable/Stable)

Semi-annually on each March 15 and September 15, commencing

Interest Payment Dates: September 15, 2010

Optional Redemption: Make whole call @ T+25 bp at any time

Trade Date: March 9, 2010

Settlement Date: March 16, 2010 (T+5)

CUSIP: 032510 AC3

ISIN: US032510AC36

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Goldman, Sachs & Co.

Citigroup Global Markets Inc.

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