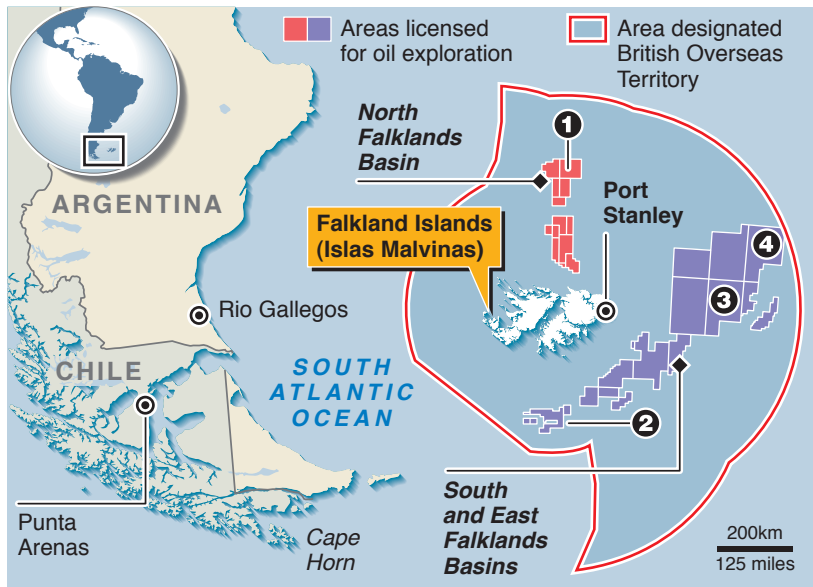
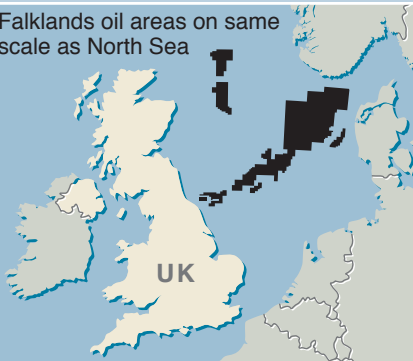


Falklands oil could be worth \$180bn to UK

Britain could receive \$180 billion in revenues from oil prospects off the Falkland Islands, according to new research, although an investment of \$2 billion would be needed to exploit the potential resources



Falklands oil areas on same scale as North Sea



1 Sea Lion: Oil struck in May 2010. Field estimated to contain 1.3 billion barrels of oil

2 Darwin / Stebbing prospects: Giant *Leiv Eiriksson* rig began drilling in January 2012. Estimated 2 billion barrels of recoverable oil

3 Loligo prospect: Drilling due to begin in May. Could contain 4.7 billion barrels – world's largest drill target this year

4 Scotia prospect: Assessed to have 1.06 billion barrels