

Overview of conventional onshore UK Oil and Gas – May 2021

This is a summary overview of developments in the conventional onshore UK Oil and Gas industry. It includes planning, operations and business activities as well as objections and protests.

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East Midlands

Union Jack Oil plc [announced](#) that they had hired Gaffney, Cline & Associates to prepare the PEDL183 West Newton Competent Persons Report. Union Jack Oil [published](#) their Final Results for the year ended 31 December 2020.

The Environmental Agency has approved [new rules](#) for work at the West Newton-B site. Drill or Drop? [report](#) that Rathlin Energy (UK) Ltd are seeking to extend road closures around the West Newton-B site. Rathlin Energy [announced](#) that equipment had been mobilised to complete and test the West Newton B-1z well.

Egdon Resources [announced](#) that they had received all necessary consents for the commencement of the proppant squeeze operation at Wressle. Egdon Resources also [announced](#) that they had received consent from North Lincolnshire Council for the storage of crude oil at Wressle.

Angus Energy PLC [announced](#) that they had signed a loan with Mercuria Energy Trading Ltd for work on the Saltfleetby gas field.

South East

Alba Minerals [reported](#) that they had revised down the value of their investment in Horse Hill Developments Ltd.

UK Oil & Gas PLC [announced](#) the final instalment due under the sale and purchase agreement for Horse Hill surface production equipment.

Other news

Drill or Drop? [report](#) on UK onshore oil production as of January 2021.

The UN published a [report](#) on how methane emissions could be reduced by 45%.

The International Energy Agency published a [report](#) on how to achieve net zero by 2050, calling for no further investments in oil, gas and coal if targets are to be met.