

## Overview of conventional onshore UK Oil and Gas – May 2023

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.

This review is based on a variety of sources and no guarantee can be given as to the accuracy of this information, links to references and further information which are included.

### East Midlands

Angus Energy plc [announced](#) the commissioning of their recently drilled B7T sidetrack well at Saltfleetby. Angus Energy [published](#) an update on the production ramp up at Saltfleetby. Angus Energy [published](#) an update of Saltfleetby production and future drilling plans.

Union Jack Oil plc [published](#) their 2002 annual report and financial statements.

Egdon Resources plc [announced](#) that it had agreed to a takeover by Petrichor Partners LP. Drill or Drop? [reported](#) on a report to the planning inspector for the North Kelsey well. Drill or Drop? [reported](#) that Egdon Resources had applied to keep their Waddock Cross site in Dorset open until June 2033.

IGas Energy plc [announced](#) that its geothermal business GT Energy has been selected as preferred bidder to deliver a geothermal heat solution for the Wythenshawe Hospital in Manchester.

### South East

Drill or Drop? [reported](#) on the downgrading of the UK Oil & Gas plc (UKOG) Horse Hill-1 well in Surrey. UKOG [published](#) the results of their Annual General Meeting. Waverly Borough Council's Executive [confirmed](#) that it will challenge the decision of the Secretary of State for Levelling UP, Housing and Communities to allow oil and gas exploration at Loxley, near Dunsfold.

Drill or Drop? [reported](#) that the residents of Balcombe have been given permission to bring a legal challenge against plans to test the Angus Energy oil well.

### Other news

Drill or Drop? [reviewed](#) the February 2023 UK onshore production data.

Energy Voice [reported](#) that TotalEnergies had launched a legal action against Greenpeace following a report from November 2022 on the company's carbon footprint.

The Guardian [reported](#) that the CEO of the world's leading carbon credit certifier is resigning after claims that the offsets are worthless.

The Guardian [reported](#) that the Labour party will block all new domestic oil and gas developments if it wins power.