

Overview of conventional onshore UK Oil and Gas – November 2020

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

Angus Energy PLC made an [announcement](#) about the progress on reconnecting the Saltfleetby Gas Field to the national gas network and on the final conversion of their loan from Riverfort Global Opportunities PCC Ltd and YA II PN Ltd into Angus shares. Angus Energy [announced](#) that together with Saltfleetby Energy Ltd they had entered a Memorandum of Understanding with Aleph Energy Ltd and Aleph Commodities Ltd to provide £12 million to develop the Saltfleetby gas field.

Egdon Resources plc [announced](#) that they would be submitting an application for planning permission to drill a sidetrack from the Biscathorpe-2 well.

Union Jack Oil plc gave an [update](#) on the West Newton B-1 appraisal well. Union Jack [announced](#) that they had agreed to provide a £1,000,000 loan facility to Egdon Resources to assist in the development of the Wressle oil field. Union Jack also made an [announcement](#) on Director's share dealings.

South East

Drill or Drop? [report](#) on production from UK Oil & Gas's (UKOG) Horse Hill field. UKOG released an [update](#) about a long term pressure test on the Horse Hill-1 well. A local protestor has brought a [judicial review](#) hearing on Surrey County Council's (SCC) decision to grant planning consent at the Horse Hill oil field. SCC [refused](#) planning permission for the second time for UKOG's planned site at Dunsfold. Drill or Drop? [report](#) on charges being dropped against four protestors at the Horse Hill site.

Other news

[Summary](#) of onshore UK activity and expected operations from Drill or Drop?, also a [summary](#) of UK onshore planning.

The UK Government [publish](#) a ten point plan for a green industrial revolution. Carbon Brief [summarised](#) the media reaction to the plan.

The Oil and Gas Authority [published](#) an update on retention area agreements for onshore exploration.