

## Overview of conventional onshore UK Oil and Gas – July 2025

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

Union Jack Oil plc [announced](#) that production had resumed at the Keddington oilfield in Lincolnshire, the site is operated by Egdon Resources.

Drill or Drop? [reported](#) that Egdon Resources UK Ltd has given formal notice that it will apply for planning permission to drill and test a gas well at Foxholes, near Driffield, North Yorkshire. Drill or Drop? [reported](#) on further delays to production at Egdon Resources Biscathorpe site.

Drill or Drop? [reported](#) that Friends of the Earth had obtained legal advice that proposals by Europa Oil & Gas plc to perform a proppant squeeze at Burniston would qualify as fracking.

Angus Energy plc [announced](#) that they had restructured their deferred consideration payments with Forum Energy Services Ltd. Angus Energy [published](#) a Q2 2025 Production, Operations and Finance update. Angus Energy [announced](#) that the planned annual maintenance shutdown at Saltfleetby had been completed ahead of schedule.

Companies House [published](#) a change of Registered Office Address for Rathlin Energy (UK) Ltd and that Rathlin Energy had terminated their appointment with Vistra Company Secretaries Ltd. Rathlin Energy [published](#) an update on their application to conduct a reservoir stimulation in their West Newton A-2 well.

Drill or Drop? [reported](#) that Cuadrilla's Elswick gas production site near Blackpool had been granted a five-year extension.

### South East

UK Oil & Gas plc (UKOG) [announced](#) that they had agreed the sale of their 100% owned subsidiary UKOG (GB) Ltd to Servatec Holdings Ltd. Drill or Drop? reported that UKOG had relinquished their exploration licence for Dunsfold. UKOG gave an [update](#) on the publication of their annual report and accounts.

### Other news

Drill or Drop? [reviewed](#) the April 2025 UK onshore production data.

The UK Government [announced](#) that Nigel Topping was appointed Chair of the Climate Change Committee.

The Daily Telegraph [reported](#) (paywall) that BP has replaced its pro-Net Zero chairman as it faces pressure from shareholders. Watts Up With That? has a [summary](#) of the article.

The Daily Signal [published](#) an article on Poland's pragmatic approach to energy security.