

Oil and Gas industry Brings Huge Benefits to Western Australia (2019-2020)



1,288

the number of people employed in onshore and coastal petroleum operations.



\$596 million

total petroleum exploration expenditure in 2019-20. Exploration activity has been led by work on the Dorado field, the Bratwurst discovery for future tieback to Prelude, and in the Perth Basin.



8%

increase in the quantity of LNG produced in WA, to a total of 47Mt.



423 PJ

the quantity of natural gas sold into the domestic market increased to a new record in 2019-20.



\$63.4 million

proposed investment in WA petroleum industry, including planned and possible crude oil and condensate, gas and LNG projects.



1. Carnarvon Basin
2. Browse Basin
3. Bonaparte Basin

4. Canning Basin
5. Officer Basin

6. Eucla Basin
7. Perth Basin



\$37 billion

the sales value of WA's petroleum sector, which comprises crude oil, condensate, LNG, natural gas and LPG.



\$1.8 billion

the value of natural gas sales in WA, up by 10 percent from 2018-19.



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LNG is WA's most valuable petroleum product produced at \$27 billion or 72% of petroleum sales.



\$4.18/GJ

the average price of domestic gas sold into the Dampier to Bunbury Natural Gas Pipeline, Parmelia pipeline and Goldfields pipeline representing an increase of three per cent from \$4.07/GJ the previous year.



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commonwealth grants received by the state for the North West Shelf project.