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Methane Management in Extractive Industries (Upstream Oil and Gas / Downstream Gas)

-Joint UNECE/GMI Project

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Project Overview

- To assess methane emissions in Upstream Oil and Gas, and in Downstream Gas industries in the UNECE member States.
 - To increase capacity of the UNECE Member States for MRV and reduce methane emissions in Upstream Oil and Gas, and in Downstream Gas industries.
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Expected Project Deliverables

Preparation of two documents: (1) upstream oil and gas, and (2) downstream gas, that each contain -

1. A high-level assessment of methane emissions in UNECE member states;
 2. Identification of best practices for MRV of methane emissions;
 3. Identification of best practices for reducing methane emissions.
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Expected Project Deliverables Continued...

4. Development of standard training modules on best practices for (1) MRV and (2) reduction of methane emissions;
 5. Two capacity-building seminars to test and validate training modules;
 6. Two capacity-building workshops on best practices for (1) MRV and (2) reduction of methane emissions
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Estimated Timeline

Data gathered, analyzed, compiled, and organized in the form of two reports focusing on (1) MRV and (2) Mitigation - by **17 December 2018**

Final Documents:

1. **Best Practice Guidance for Effective Methane Management: Upstream Oil and Gas Sectors**
2. **Best Practice Guidance for Effective Methane Management: Downstream Gas Sector**

By: **18 March 2019**

Project Stakeholders

- **Principal implementing body:** UNECE Group of Experts on Gas, in cooperation with Global Methane Initiative (GMI) Oil and Gas Subcommittee
- Sponsored by the US EPA

Stakeholder Involvement:

Executive Steering Committee: UNECE and GMI representatives

Technical Experts Drafting Group: Torleif Haugland (consultant)

Stakeholder Advisory Board: UNECE Group of Experts on Gas Bureau members + others (tbc)

Peer Review Group: UNECE Group of Experts on Gas members, GMI Oil and Gas Subcommittee members, CH₄ Industry Meeting Group, ...

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Thank you