

# Downstream Oil



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The learner will gain a high-level view of the infrastructure, processes and risks involved in the transportation of oil from the point of production to end-user markets; the refining of crude oil; and the marketing and uses of petroleum products. The learner will also gain an understanding of the economic and business drivers of the downstream business.

## Who is this course for?

Graduates with engineering or science degrees joining the industry who require competence in subjects outside their area of expertise; professionals in back-office functions, such as procurement, HR, finance, operations and logistics.



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## By taking this course, you will learn to:

- Identify key oil-price drivers
- Recognise the fundamentals of oil refining
- Identify the main biofuels and associated issues
- Identify the principal refined products and their uses
- Recognise the function of crude-oil storage and identify its impact on pricing
- Recognise how unconventional oil contributes to supply
- Identify benchmark grades and how they are used in oil pricing
- Identify the basics of refinery economics
- Identify the links in the downstream oil value chain
- Recognise the principal refining processes
- Identify the principal methods for transporting crude oil
- Identify factors influencing the retail price of petroleum products

## • Course requirements

There are no pre-requisites for this course.

## • Advance preparation

None.

## • Delivery method

QAS-SS

## • Field of study

Specialized Knowledge and Applications

## • Program level

Overview

## • Course code

OIL

## • Course length

1 hour 10 minutes

## • CPE Credits

1.0 self-study CPE credit is awarded for this course

## • Course registration

To register, contact [london@energy-future.com](mailto:london@energy-future.com)  
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## • Refund policy

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