Protected areas

Managing local impacts to the environment

2019

Major operating sites in and around an international protected area in 2019*

Type of protected area	Inside the boundary	Adjacent (within 1km)	Near (1km – 5km)	Close (5km – 20km)
World Heritage Site	0	1	2	2
Ramsar site	0	2	1	3
IUCN Category I-II	0	2	4	6
Natura 2000 sites	3	2	4	6

^{*} A major operation may exist within or near more than one type of protected area

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Major operating sites which have activities inside or adjacent to international protected areas

Country	Protected area	Name		
Azerbaijan	World Heritage site	The Baku-Tbilisi Pipeline-Ceyhan (BTC) and South Caucasus (SCP) pipeline run through the buffer zone of the Gobustan State Reserve of History and Art and the Western Route Export Pipeline (WREP) pipeline is within 5km of the site.		
Australia	IUCN la & II	The Kewdale product pipeline, which runs north of the Kwinara refinery is within 1km of the Henderson Park Conservation Park (IUCN II) and Kenwick Wetlands Nature Reserve (IUCN Ia).		
Georgia**	IUCN Ia, IUCN II, Ramsar site & World Heritage site	The WREP pipeline is within 1km of the Kolkheti National Park, (IUCN II & Ramsar site), Tbilisi National Park (IUCN II) and Garayazi State Nature Reserve (IUCN Ia). The WREP pipeline is also within 3km of the Historical Monuments of Mtskheta World Heritage Site. The BTC and SCP pipelines are also within 5km of Algeti National Park (IUCN II), Borjomi Nature Reserve (IUCN Ia), Borjomi-Kharagauli National Park (IUCN II) and Garayazi State Nature Reserve (IUCN Ia).		
Germany	World Heritage site & Natura 2000 sites	Our Gelsenkirchen facilities are within 5km of the Zollverein Coal Mine World Heritage cultural site and the product pipelines run under a number of national and regional protected areas.		
Germany	Natura 2000 site	Our Lingen facilities have a water discharge pipeline which runs under the River Ems Natura 2000 protected area.		
Spain	Natura 2000 site	The Castellon facilities are within 1km of the Espacio marino del Delta de l'Ebre-Illes Columbretes Natura 2000 protected area.		

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United Kingdom	Natura 2000 sites		Offshore the Ninian to Grutwick pipeline overlaps with the Pobie Bank Reef SAC and the WoS Gas Line inside the Sullom Voe SAC.	
United Kingdom	m Ramsar site & Natura 2000 site		Hull Petrochemicals operations are adjacent to the Humber Estuary Ramsar site, SPA & SAC.	

International Protected Areas are defined by bp as protected areas which are designated Ramsar wetland sites, World Heritage sites (both natural and cultural), Natura 2000 sites (SPA and SAC protected areas), Specially Protected Areas and Wildlife (SPAW), marine protected areas under HELCOM (Baltic Marine Environment Protection Commission), Specially Protected Areas of Mediterranean Importance (SPAMI), national protected areas that have IUCN management category Ia, Ib and II, and IUCN V & VI protected areas that are ICCA designated.

^{**} Previously the WREP pipeline was reported as running through the Ajametic Managed Reserve. In 2019 the designation of this Managed Reserves was updated from an IUCN Ia to IUCN IV.