



Protected areas

BP Sustainability Report

Managing local impacts to the environment

2018



Major operating sites in and around a protected area in 2018*

Type of protected area	Inside the boundary	Adjacent (within 1km)	Near (1km – 5km)	Close (5km – 20km)
World Heritage Site	1	0	2	2
Ramsar site	0	2	1	3
IUCN Category I-II	1	2	4	6
Natura 2000 sites	3	2	4	6
Total major operations	4	4	8	11

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



Major operational sites which have activities inside or adjacent to international protected areas, include sites near to World Heritage sites:

Country	Protected area	Location	Name	Major operations
Azerbaijan	World Heritage site	Inside and near	The Baku-Tbilisi Pipeline-Ceyhan (BTC) and South Caucasus (SCP) pipeline run through the edge of the Gobustan State Reserve of History and Art and the Western Route Export Pipeline (WREP) pipeline within 5km of the site. The WREP pipeline is also within 3km of the Historical Monuments of Mtskheta World Heritage Site.	Azerbaijan
Australia	IUCN Ia & II	Adjacent	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).	Kwinana
Georgia	IUCN II & Ramsar sites	Inside, adjacent and near	WREP pipeline passes through the Ajameti Nature Reserve and is also 1km from the Kolkheti National Park, Tbilisi National Park and Garayazi State Nature Reserve. The BTC and SCP pipelines are also within 5km of Algeti National Park, Borjomi Nature Reserve and Borjomi-Kharagauli National Park and Garayazi State Nature Reserve.	Azerbaijan
Germany	World Heritage site	Near	Our facilities are within 5km of the Zollverein Coal Mine World Heritage cultural site.	Gelsenkirchen
Germany	Natura 2000 sites	Inside	Product pipelines which are part of the Gelsenkirchen refinery run under number of national and regional protected areas.	Gelsenkirchen

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Country	Protected area	Location	Name	Major operations
Germany	Natura 2000 site	Inside	Our facilities have a water discharge pipeline which runs under the River Ems protected area.	Lingen
Spain	Natura 2000 site	Adjacent	The facilities are within 1km of the Espacio marino del Delta de l'Ebre-Illes Columbretes protected area.	Castellon
United Kingdom	Natura 2000 sites	Inside	Offshore the Ninian to Grutwick pipeline overlaps with the Pobie Bank Reef SAC and the WoS Gas Line inside the Sullom Voe SAC.	North Sea
United Kingdom	Ramsar site & Natura 2000 site	Adjacent	Hull Petrochemicals operations are adjacent to Humber Estuary Ramsar site, SPA & SAC.	Hull

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 protected areas that are ICCA designated.