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Key Iraq Events - Gas



Progress on Halfaya Gas Processing Facility

The US\$ 1.07 B planned gas processing plant at Halfaya field has reached 51% completion and is expected to come online mid-2023. In July 2019, CPECC won the engineering, procurement, construction, commission, operations and maintenance (EPCCOM) contract for the facilities to process natural gas

extracted alongside crude at the Halfaya oilfield. CPECC expects to process 300 Mscf/d of natural gas at the facility, which was originally scheduled for completion in 30 months.

The delay was caused by the reduction of the number of staff from 240 in February 2020 to just 70 workers around November due to Covid issues. Petrochina, the operator of the Halfaya field, signed with the state-owned Maysan Oil Company to produce 450 kb/d, but output hasn't reached the contractual plateau yet, with production standing at 170 kb/d by July 2020. By November 2021, it was reported that the field recovered 15.41% of its recoverable reserves, with peak production likely to reach 392 kb/d by 2023.

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