



The Outlook for Oil & Gas Companies in 2026

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Oil & gas companies are adapting swiftly to the administration's energy dominance agenda, replacing net zero commitments with strategic opportunities across three emerging revenue streams. The AI-driven data center boom is fueling unprecedented demand for reliable onsite power, with traditional energy companies leveraging their natural gas resources and infrastructure expertise to build dedicated generation facilities and enter construction joint ventures. Major oil producers are simultaneously exploiting their subsurface exploration capabilities to expand into critical mineral supply chains essential for battery technologies, electronics and aerospace applications.

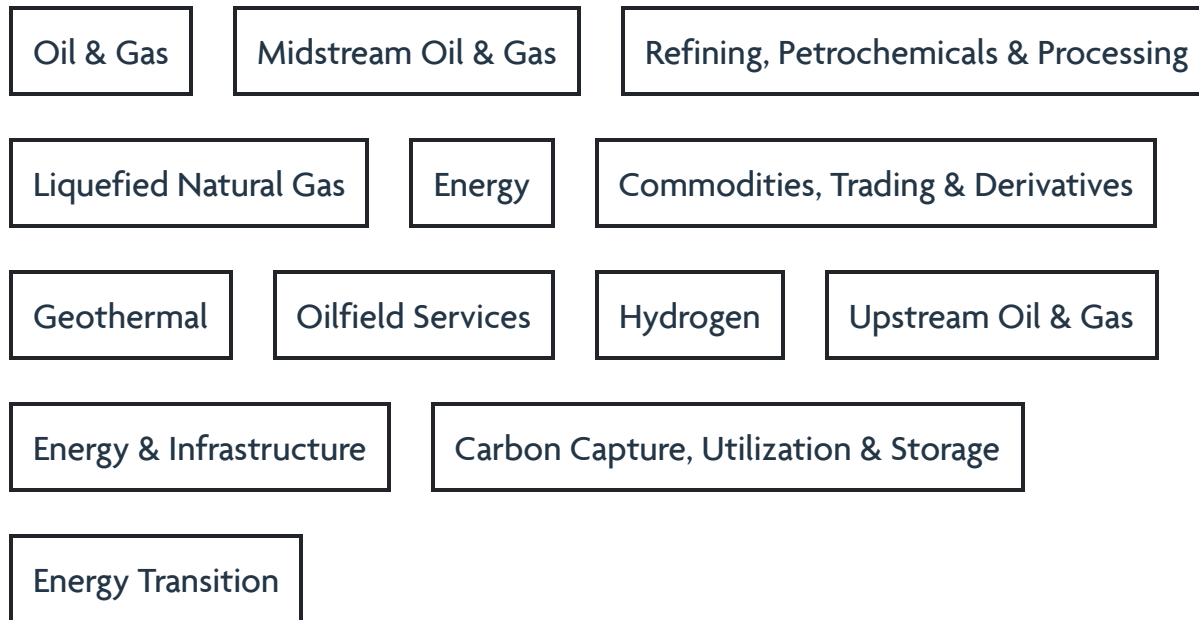
While decarbonization priorities have shifted from wind and solar toward technologies like carbon capture, hydrogen and sustainable aviation fuel, the energy transition continues evolving globally. Gulf states maintain strong renewable energy commitments, and emerging technologies including renewable natural gas and geothermal present compelling investment opportunities as companies navigate this transformed policy landscape with capital discipline and strategic focus.

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