Perth Basin Exploration and Drilling





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Planned well testing

Beach Energy expects to complete its current multi-well drilling campaign in early April in the Perth Basin.

From mid-February 2024, Beach will undertake well testing operations to assess the production capability of the wells located in the Arrowsmith region as shown on map overpage. It is anticipated that well testing activities will occur at the following well sites:

Well Name	Well Test Dates	Duration
Beharra Springs Deep 2	End February 2024	3-4 days
Redback Deep 1	April 2024	3-4 days
Trigg North West 1	May 2024	4-5 days

Please note, the planned dates for the well tests may change due to weather and other external factors.

About Beach Energy

Beach Energy is an ASX-listed oil and gas exploration and production company headquartered in South Australia, with an office and operations in Western Australia.

Beach's purpose is to 'sustainability deliver energy for communities' which means it operates while maintaining the highest health, safety, and environmental standards.

For over 60 years Beach has been working to discover and develop gas in the Perth Basin and provides a secure and clean source of affordable energy for Australia and globally.

Perth Basin Map





Well safety testing

Beach undertakes numerous verification checks and pressure tests of the wellbore and related equipment at each stage of the well lifecycle process. Regular safety checks help ensure that the well integrity is always maintained. Every well planned is specifically designed to suit the local geological environment of that well bore position.

What is 'gas flaring'?

Flaring is often part of a well testing process. Flaring involves the release and burning of gas under strictly controlled conditions and is primarily used to dispose of the small volume of gas used in the test, in the most environmentally friendly way.

Beach is proposing to use a vertical stack or gas flare process in the Perth Basin to stabilise pressure and flow from the wells being tested. A vertical flare stack or gas flare is a tall vertical pipe used for burning off the flammable gas.

Want to find out more

If you think your functions, interests or activities may be affected we would like to consult with you to understand your concerns, and where possible, explore measures to reduce any impacts or risks.

Relevant Persons may request that the information they provide not be published in the Environment Plan.

If there is someone you believe may be affected by the proposed activities, please ask them to contact us.

For more information on Beach's operations in the Perth Basin visit www.beachenergy.com.au/perth-basin/

Stakeholder Engagement

Beach has worked closely with relevant regulators and stakeholders as part of our well test planning. We will continue to communicate with relevant stakeholders in the Perth Basin as our testing program proceeds.

What Should I expect to See

Our wells in the Perth Basin are located far from regional centres, so it's unlikely the well test will cause any inconvenience. When the well test includes flaring activities, there will be some localised noise from the activities and a flame and 'glow' from the flare stack may be observed. We will personally advise any local residents located in close proximity of the well testing prior to the test commencing.

Contact Us

If you have any questions, concerns or would like more information, please contact the Community Relations team.

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