

Site Decommissioning Course

Knowledge Assessment

1. Consideration for decommissioning should happen after oil and gas assets are no longer needed.
 - a. True
 - b. False

2. Which of the following impacts are NOT potentially associated with decommissioning oil and gas infrastructure:
 - a. Discharges (especially at sea)
 - b. Disruption to rivers and surface water flows
 - c. Physical disturbance to seabed
 - d. Odour, noise and disturbance to local communities

3. The bulk of decommissioned material from offshore oil and gas infrastructure is made up of which type of product?
 - a. Wood
 - b. Metal
 - c. Marine growth
 - d. Hazardous waste

4. What parts of the oil and gas value chain have infrastructure that will eventually need decommissioning?
 - a. Exploration and production
 - b. Storage and transport, and distribution
 - c. Refining and processing
 - d. Sales and marketing
 - e. All of the above

5. Which of the following stakeholder group is NOT usually relevant to the onshore decommissioning process?
 - a. National environmental regulator
 - b. Fisheries sector
 - c. Oil and gas companies and operators
 - d. Local communities
 - e. Local NGOs

6. Which industry tools and procedures are NOT applicable in the decommissioning process?
 - a. Comparative assessment
 - b. Personal development plans (PDPs)
 - c. Best Available Techniques (BAT)
 - d. Multi Criteria Decision Analysis (MCDA)

7. Decommissioning is only relevant in countries or regions where oil and gas reserves have been exhausted.
 - a. True
 - b. False**

8. In most countries, who is responsible for paying the costs of decommissioning?
 - a. Government
 - b. Local NGOs
 - c. Local residents
 - d. The oil company or operator**

9. Abandoned wells only exist in countries or regions where oil and gas reserves have been exhausted.
 - a. True
 - b. False**

10. In the case of abandoned wells, tanks and pipelines, which procedures should be followed for decommissioning?
 - a. Only the removal and site rehabilitation
 - b. ESIA, involving best practice, implementation of approved Decommissioning Plan with final inspection and closure reporting**
 - c. Ignore and fence off the site to avoid access
 - d. Burial of all the material and convert to industrial zone

11. Commonly applied permitting and regulatory compliance documentation for decommissioning follow which sequence?
 - a. Decommissioning Plan and Close-out Report
 - b. Decommissioning ESIA, Decommissioning Plan, Site Clearance and Close-out Report**
 - c. Site Clearance and Certificate of Compliance
 - d. Close-out Report, Decommissioning Plan and Decommissioning ESIA

12. Site remediation, marking remains, and safety zones are steps that take place before a site has been decommissioned.
 - a. True
 - b. False**