

1. Hydrocarbon LICENCES, Netherlands Territory in 2026 as at 1 September 2026

Changes in the licences for hydrocarbon exploration and production onshore, which took place during 2026 in the onshore Territory, are listed in the tables below. Also all current licence applications.

Total area	Under licence
42 203 km ²	

EXPLORATION LICENCES, Netherlands Territory

Applied for

Licence	OJ-EU	Date	Closing date	Gov.Gazette	Applicant(s)
Waskemeer *	C 84	22-03-2014	23-06-2014	10 937	NAM
Slootdorp-Oost *	C 55	14-02-2015	18-05-2015	10 234	Vermilion
Brielle *	C 170	23-05-2015	24-08-2015	15 891	ONE-Dyas cs; Vermilion

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report

Prolonged

Licence holder	Licence	In force	Up to
Vermilion Energy Netherlands B.V.	Engelen	31-07-2026 *	
Vermilion Energy Netherlands B.V.	Oosterwolde	31-07-2026 *	

* Interim measure pursuant to the ruling of the preliminary relief judge following the decision to refuse extension of 17 December 2025: extended until 6 weeks after the decision on the appeal

Relinquished/Expired

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Vermilion Energy Netherlands B.V.	Utrecht	22-07-2026 *	1 144
Total			1 144

* According to the court session Council of State: licence was valid until 24-11-2018

PRODUCTION LICENCES, Netherlands Territory

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Total			

Reduced

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²

Prolonged

Licence holder	Licence	In force	Up to
ONE-Dyas B.V.	Botlek Breeddiep	13-05-2026	31-12-2029

Relinquished/Expired

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
ONE-Dyas B.V. cs	Botlek-Maas	20-07-2026	3
ONE-Dyas B.V.	Botlek-Maasmond	20-07-2026	3
Total			6

2. Hydrocarbon LICENCES, Netherlands continental shelf in 2026 as at 1 September 2026

Changes in the licences for hydrocarbon exploration and production, which took place during 2026 on the continental shelf, are listed in the tables below. Also all current licence applications.

Total area	Under licence
56 396 km ²	

EXPLORATION LICENCES, continental shelf

Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Eni Energy Netherlands B.V.	F5 *	30-07-2026	398
		Total	398

* Draft decision

Prolonged

Licence holder	Licence	In force	Up to

Altered

Licence	Change	In force
B16b, B17, E03a, E06a, F01 & F02b	Work program	04-02-2026

Reduced

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²

Relinquished/Expired

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Tenaz Energy Netherlands B.V. cs	F4a	03-09-2026	178
		Total	178

PRODUCTION LICENCES, continental shelf

Applied for

Licence	Publication	Date	Closing date	Applicant(s)
Q10b & Q11a *	-	20-12-2019	-	Kistos
J9 *	-	27-10-2022	-	Tenaz cs

* Current application, formerly published in Annual Report

Awarded

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
		Totaal	41

Reduced

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km ²
Dana Petroleum Netherlands B.V. cs	F3c	04-03-2026	176
Eni Energy Netherlands B.V. cs	K9a & K9b	06-08-2026	66

Prolonged

Licence holder	Licence	In force	Up to
Dana Petroleum Netherlands B.V. cs	F3c	04-03-2026	08-03-2030
Tenaz Energy Netherlands B.V. cs	K18a	30-04-2026	08-05-2029
Eni Energy Netherlands B.V. cs	K9a & K9b	06-08-2026	31-12-2027

Altered

Licence	Change	In force

Withdrawn/Expired

Licence holder	Licence	In force	km²
Wintershall Noordzee B.V. cs	L5c	20-08-2026	8
		Total	8

3. Hydrocarbon LICENCES, company changes, name changes and legal mergers in 2026 as at 1 September 2026

The tables below list changes in chronological order which took place during 2026, as a result of mutations in consortiums of companies that participate in licences as well as name changes of participating companies or name changes as a result of legal mergers.

Company changes in exploration licences

Licence	In Out	Company	Permission	Gov. Gazette	In force
	In Out				

Company changes in production licences

Licence	In Out	Company	Permission	Gov. Gazette	In force
L10a, L10b & L11a	In Out	- ONE-Dyas B.V.	23-06-2026	22 821	30-06-2026
M7a	In Out	- TAQA Offshore B.V.	16-07-2026	26 289	

Name changes

Previous company name	New company name

Legal mergers

Merging companies	New company name