Stranded fields in the Netherlands
Undeveloped resources

Stranded fields are currently defined as: “discovered gas accumulation for which no production plans are known to the government of the Netherlands”.
Presently some 103 field are in this category; they are listed in the publication Oil and Gas in the Netherlands, Exploration and Production 2005 and prognosis 2006-2015. Total GIIP may add up to 130 bcm. Stranded fields include fields: with tight reservoir, poor gas quality, low GIIP and/or reserves and fields in restricted areas. A cautious estimate of the reserves of this stranded fields class is some 30 bcm.

Information on stranded fields can be found on the www.NLOG.nl website:
1) A list of stranded fields with basic attributes.
2) Fact sheets of a selection of stranded fields.

For information on Exploration and Production issues and E&P data see the Netherlands Oil and Gas Portal www.nlog.nl