

EGCFE updates

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EGCFE 2026 meeting

EGCFE 2026 meeting was held on **11 June 2026** in Tomakomai, Hokkaido, Japan, jointly with 9th **APEC OGSN Forum** & site visit to **Tomakomai CCS Demonstration Facilities** operated by **Japan CCS Co., Ltd. (JCCS)**

- ◆ From **15 economies, total 56 participants** joined the meeting, including online
- ◆ Recent **APERC Fossil Fuel Reports** was reported
- ◆ Update on **APEC Oil & Gas Security Initiative (OGSI)** was reported by APERC
- ◆ Workplan of **APEC Oil & Gas Security Study (OGSS) No.23** was **endorsed**
- ◆ **New projects**, under auspices of EGCFE, organized by APERC were reported
 - **APEC Workshop on Cleaner & More Efficient Operation of the Fossil Energy Industry**, will be held in 2026 (TBD, Cf. 1st workshop was held in Tokyo, Japan in December 2025)
 - **APEC Clean & Low Carbon Hydrogen (CLCH) Policy Convention** was held in May 2026 in Hong Kong, China
- ◆ Presentations & discussion on **CCS Policy in APEC economies**
 - Issues such as legal frameworks, cost, & public acceptance etc. were discussed
- ◆ **Workshop on CCUS/CCS Enabling Clean & Efficient Fossil Energy Development & Utilization** will be held on 20 August 2026 in Dalian, China

9th APEC Oil & Gas Security Network (OGSN) Forum

9th APEC OGSN Forum, one of the major pillars of **APEC Oil & Gas Security Initiative (OGSI)**, was held on **9 June 2026** in Tomakomai, Hokkaido, Japan

- ◆ **9th Oil and Gas Security Exercise (OGSE)** held in **Malaysia** in May 2026 was reported & discussed
- ◆ Update on **Oil & Gas Security Studies (OGSS)** was presented by APERC
 - “The Energy Security Implication of Upstream Oil Investment” (OGSS No.22)
 - Workplan for OGSS No.23 on “Impact of Middle East tensions on APEC gas markets” (endorsed by EGCFE held on 11 June)
- ◆ Update on **Oil & Gas Security Newsletter** was reported by APERC
- ◆ Update on **Oil & Gas Security in APEC Economies** were presented and discussed
 - All attending 15 economies presented their current situation and policy priorities amid the Strait of Hormuz crisis
 - Issues such as oil stockpiling, diversification of LNG import sources, and inter-economy cooperation (including Japan’s **POWER Asia** initiative) were presented



APEC EGCFE 2026 meeting in Tomakomai, Japan
June 2026



Tomakomai CCS Demonstration Facilities
Source: JCCS



APEC CLCH Convention in Hongkong, China
May 2026



APEC Oil and Gas Security Exercise in Malaysia
May 2026



APEC W/S on Cleaner & More Efficient Operation of
Fossil Energy Industry in Tokyo, Japan
December 2025