



Oil & Gas Exploration Projects – Syria

The Opportunity

Syria's proven oil and gas reserves remain underdeveloped due to years of conflict and sanctions. This project proposes exploration and development in key basins in the northeast and offshore Mediterranean, targeting partnerships under production sharing agreements (PSAs) to revive national energy output.

Market Demand

- Domestic energy shortages across electricity and transport sectors
- Estimated 2.5B barrels of proven oil and 8.5 Tcf of gas reserves
- Strong regional demand from Iraq, Lebanon, and the EU
- Global energy security shifting focus to alternative supply hubs

Investment Snapshot

- Capital Requirement: \$50–100 million per basin
- Models: Joint ventures or PSAs with government entities
- Assets: Onshore blocks, Mediterranean offshore zones
- ROI: High margin depending on barrel/day production scale

Competitive Advantage

- Access to underutilized infrastructure (pipelines, refineries)
- Local expertise and service contractor network
- Geostrategic location between Europe, MENA, and Asia
- High-risk/high-reward entry point for frontier investors

Strategic Impact

- Revitalizes Syria's largest pre-war export sector
- Strengthens energy independence and fiscal capacity
- Supports downstream investment (refining, transport, LPG)