



In Italy, for example, oil company Eni has similarly deployed lawsuits against protesters and fossil fuel dissenters to delay climate action: In July 2023, Eni filed a SLAPP against Greenpeace



Big oil companies are spending millions to portray themselves as taking action on climate change, but their investments and lobbying activities don't live up to their planet-friendly claims



The Danish company Ørsted (former DONG) is the only O&G company that made a transformation from an O&G company to a renewable energy company in 2017 through divesting its O&G assets and is often presented as a best practice example and success story [22, 34, 43, 53]. Ørsted is now a global leader in offshore wind energy [34].

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and 2020, none of the four companies generated renewable energy on a scale that would "indicate a shift away from fossil fuels", despite all showing a significant increase in



Washington, D.C. (Oct. 28, 2021)???Today, Rep. Carolyn B. Maloney, the Chairwoman of the Committee on Oversight and Reform, released a new staff memo analyzing lobbying data from ExxonMobil, Chevron, Shell, BP, and the American Petroleum Institute (API). The memo indicates that the oil industry's public support for climate reforms has not been matched by meaningful ???

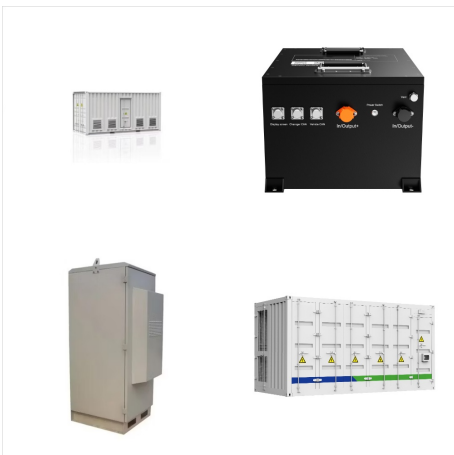


The energy products of oil and gas majors have contributed significantly to global greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) and planetary warming over the past century. Decarbonizing the global economy by mid-century to avoid dangerous climate change thus cannot occur without a profound transformation of their fossil fuel-based business models. Recently, several majors ???

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The renewables industry's ability to fight back has until recently been limited. It was for years too small to lobby effectively and its diverse technologies made it slow to get organised.



Renewable energy capacity 2023 by country. Topics. Topic overview. Lobbying spending of oil & gas companies in the United States during election cycles from 1990 to 2024, by receiving

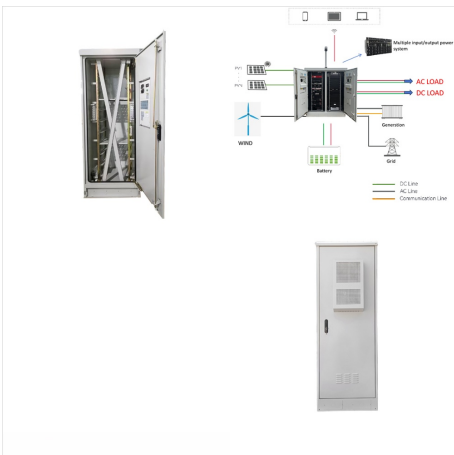


An offshore gas rig at dusk on near Fort Morgan, Ala. (Photo by J. David Ake/Getty Images) Oil and gas industry groups have been using the same playbook to impede the global shift towards renewable energy and electric vehicles since at least 1967, according to a new report from InfluenceMap, a think tank that monitors fossil fuel industry lobbying.. The report, ???

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House Oversight Chair Carolyn Maloney, D-N.Y., called the CEOs of four oil companies to appear and answer questions about climate change. She said the companies have spread misinformation for decades.



Exxon is taking a wait-and-see approach toward renewable energy and electric vehicles, raising the risk that it will be left behind by the clean energy revolution. CNN values your feedback 1.



Oil and gas interests spent four times as much as environmental advocacy groups and almost six times as much as clean energy firms on lobbying efforts in California between 2018 and 2021, according to a Capital & Main analysis ??? reflecting the intensity of the industry's efforts to influence policy in a state whose leaders have vowed to build an energy future free of fossil ???

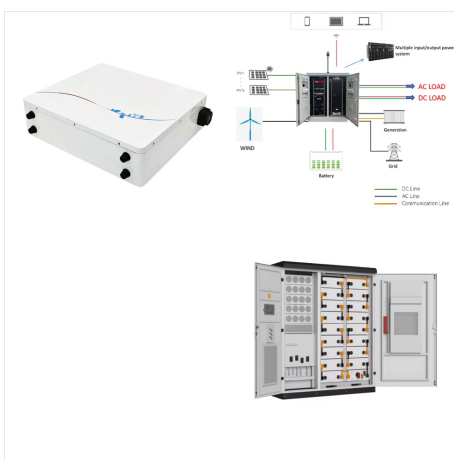
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For example, after lobbying by environmental groups, renewable energy companies, and labor unions, the California state government approved a ballot addition that will allow voters to decide this November whether the state should borrow a \$10 billion bond to enact the Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparedness, and Clean Air



Every year, the world's five largest publicly owned oil and gas companies spend approximately \$200 million on lobbying designed to control, delay or block binding climate-motivated policy.



A senior Exxon lobbyist in Washington was caught on tape in June describing the company's campaign to cloud the science. "Did we aggressively fight against some of the science? Yes," said Keith



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HOUSTON, March 18 (Reuters) - Top oil executives took to the stage of a major energy conference on Monday to vocally oppose calls for a quick move away from fossil fuels, saying society would pay



The hedge funds' bets have been driving a wave of momentum against renewable energy, with the S&P Global Clean Energy Index having lost almost 60% of its value since its 2021 peak, while the S&P



Oil refinery owned by Exxon Mobil in Baton Rouge, Louisiana (Photo by Barry Lewis/InPictures via Getty Images)The top oil and gas companies spent more than \$12.4 million on lobbying in the first quarter of 2022 ??? about \$1 million more than they spent by this time last year ??? as Russia's invasion of Ukraine upends the global energy market.. The war in eastern ???

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Many oil companies talk about their support for "low carbon energy" and "lower carbon energy." "We believe the future of energy is lower carbon," Chevron, an NPR sponsor, frequently emphasizes in