

Permit 55769 - Onshore, Taranaki

A permit for onshore exploration has been awarded to TAG Oil (NZ) Limited.

TAG Oil have committed to undertake AVO-inversion attribute mapping on the existing Kaimata 3D survey within 12 months from next April. If results are positive this may lead to exploration drilling.

About the permit area

This permit covers 11.8 km² north-east of Mt Taranaki between the towns of Inglewood and Stratford. The area the permit is in was included in the tender for Block 13TAR4.

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Consultation undertaken

Prior to the launch of Block Offer 2013 NZP&M consulted iwi, hapū and councils in the relevant areas. Two submissions were received from local authorities, outlining processes around iwi engagement and protection of wāhi tapu sites towards active protection.

- [For more information see the Block Offer 2013 Consultation Report \[2.7 MB PDF\]](#)

Company Profile

TAG is an oil and gas exploration, mining and production company incorporated in British Columbia, Canada with operations focused exclusively in New Zealand. TAG holds interest in two production fields in New Zealand, the Cheal and Sidewinder fields. Both are located in the onshore Taranaki Basin. TAG Oil also has an extensive portfolio of exploration assets in New Zealand located in the onshore and offshore Taranaki Basin, onshore East Coast Basin and onshore/offshore Canterbury Basin.

