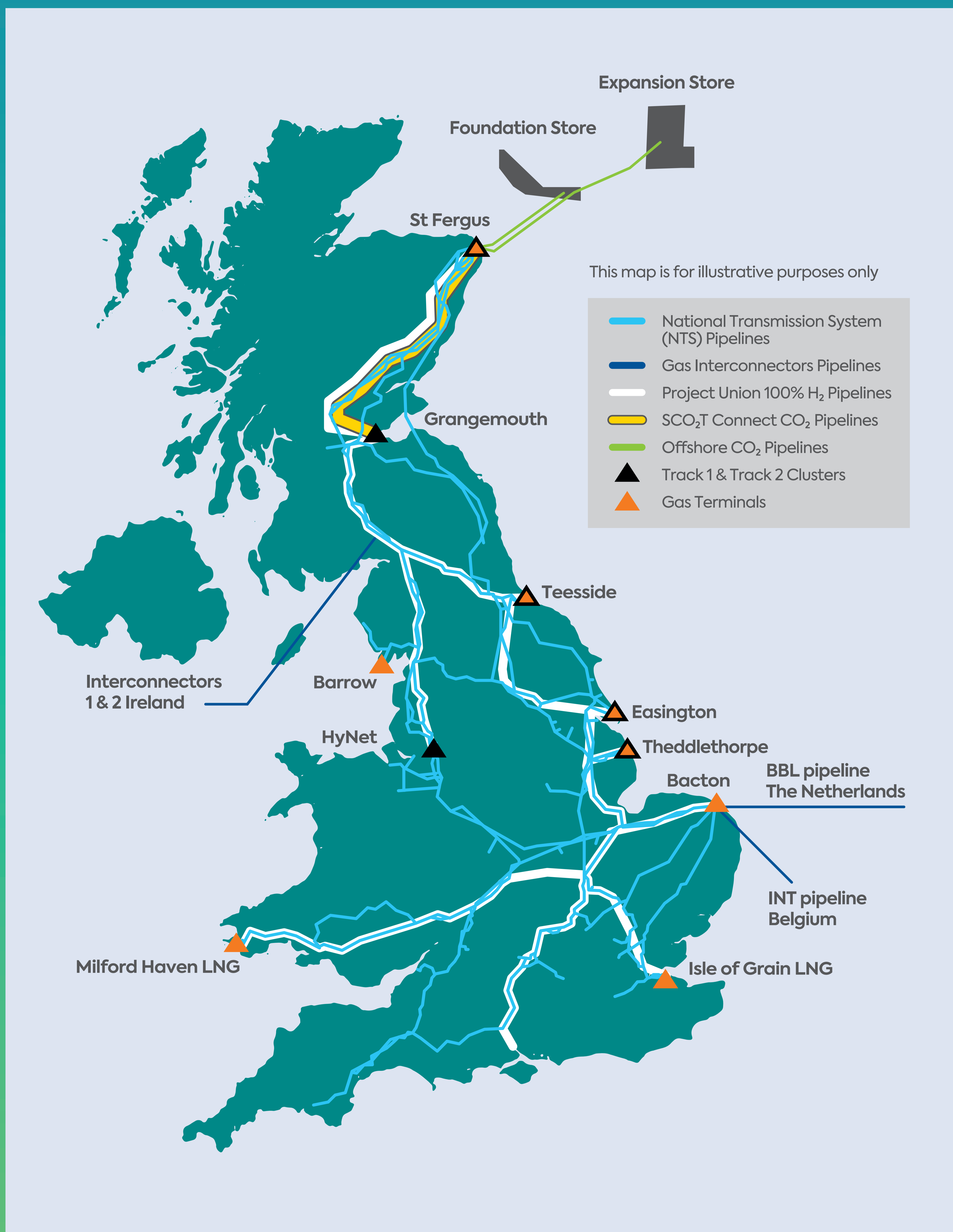


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## What we do

National Gas is the backbone of Britain's energy system today. We are proud of our role in transporting gas to power stations, major industries, storage facilities, more than half a million businesses and around 24 million homes.

National Gas owns and operates Britain's National Transmission System (NTS) for gas. This complex matrix of pipelines transports gas from its points of entry to power stations, industrial plants, storage facilities and to the local Gas Distribution Networks that take gas into homes and businesses, as well as overseas via interconnectors.





# Bacton Gas Terminal

**Bacton Gas Terminal is a complex of six gas terminals, located on the North Sea coast of Norfolk. National Gas' Bacton terminal plays a vital role in keeping energy flowing by receiving and blending gas from neighbouring terminals, supplying the National Transmission System, and supporting the movement of gas to and from continental Europe.**

Bacton Gas Terminal was built and made operational in 1968. With changing gas supply patterns, the existing configuration of the site will not reflect the future needs of the network and industry. The current Gas Terminal is in need of an upgrade. This upgrade work does not require planning permission as this falls under National Gas Transmissions permitted development rights; however, planning permission is required for the extension to the existing temporary compound.

**We expect to submit our planning application to North Norfolk District Council in Spring 2026.**



Existing aerial of proposed construction compound

# Our plans

**The proposed Temporary Construction Compound is an extension of the existing compound area into the neighbouring land to support forthcoming redevelopment works at Bacton Gas Terminal.**

The expanded compound will accommodate essential welfare facilities for employees including office and meeting spaces, kitchen areas, toilets, changing and drying rooms and associated car parking. The extended contractor compound is required for approximately nine years after which the land would be reinstated and revert to its former use.

Throughout the planning process we've been in pre-application discussions with North Norfolk District Council to discuss feedback on the proposals.

# Design and appearance



View from existing access road



Proposed aerial view of the Bacton Temporary Construction Compound



View from Hall Farm Road



Proposed view from Hall Farm Road



# Impacts of the project

During the planning phase of the project, our technical teams have assessed the potential impact of the Bacton Temporary Construction Compound on the local community.



## Traffic

A traffic management plan will be submitted to North Norfolk District Council. Vehicle movements will primarily occur between 7-8am and 5-6pm to minimise disruption to nearby residents.



## Construction

We are proposing a 'No Right Turn' policy when exiting the proposed compound to prevent construction traffic from using Church Road.



## Ecology and environment

The environmental impact of the proposed development has been assessed as part of the planning phase and no adverse effects on local ecology, heritage assets, landscape and visual amenity are expected.



## Health and Safety

Health and safety has been assessed as part of the project planning process. The proposed Temporary Construction Compound will improve contractor wellbeing and health and safety provisions through improved welfare facilities.

In addition, the proposals would provide a **10% biodiversity net gain**.



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# Community Grant Fund

In 2023, National Gas launched a Community Grant Fund to support communities located near to our construction and operational sites. The Fund offers grants of up to £20,000 to support projects that deliver environmental, social or economic benefits to the local community.

Grant applications must demonstrate that the community will be impacted by National Gas operations.



## Loneliness campaign

Earlier this year, the Bacton Terminal team came together to support their community with a bingo and brew event tackling loneliness. The success of the event highlights how valued these opportunities are, particularly for local residents who may experience isolation or loneliness.





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## Next steps

National Gas is developing plans and will review all feedback received during the consultation before submitting our planning application. If you would like to provide feedback, please fill in the form on the back of the leaflet available today or submit your comments via the online form on our website.

You can also fill in our form digitally on our website. Our community consultation on our plans for Bacton Temporary Construction Compound runs until **23:59pm on Friday 24 April 2026.**

### Find out more

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