

UK freezes Gadaffi's assets - but why now?

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The UK's frozen Gadaffi's assets tonight.

But first, apparently we know he has them.

Second, why now?

How come no one has suspected they might have been money laundered before?

Yes, I've asked this already of Mubarak.

But can we have answers about how UK bankers and presumably lawyers and maybe accountants have handled his funds without suspicion of money laundering until now?

Why?

And shouldn't we now freeze the assets of the leaders of a great many more states?

And if not, why not?