

We're already burning our way to oblivion. How does fra...

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As the [FT notes this morning](#):

The wedge of land squeezed between the M56 and M62 in north-west England could be Britain's new oil and gas Eldorado.

So says [IGas](#), one of the UK's leading shale explorers, which has vastly increased its estimate of the amount of gas it could be sitting on in the area.

Now I'm not an expert on fracking, and will never claim to be.

But I do know that we're already burning our way to oblivion. And this seems, to me, to simply assist that process.

Can anyone tell me how that's good news for future generations?