

Shale's not setting the world alight

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I saw [this in the FT this morning](#):

BHP Billiton expects to book a \$2bn impairment charge following a review of its US shale assets.

My friend and fellow Green New Deal group member Jeremy Leggett has long suggested such write downs were coming. Shale is not, to put it bluntly, delivering on the promise.

We need that Green New Deal.

And the [Green Infrastructure Quantitative Easing](#) to fund it.