



## Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector

*Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study*

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### ABSTRACT

This article examines Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study with a focused emphasis on South Sudan within the field of Business. It is structured as a conference paper that organises the problem, the strongest verified scholarship, and the main analytical implications in a concise publication-ready format.

The paper foregrounds the most relevant institutional, policy, or theoretical dynamics for the African context and closes with a practical conclusion linked to the core argument.

**Keywords:** *Kenya's Oil, Gas Sector Political, Sector Political Economy, South Sudan Case, Sudan Case Study, Kenya's*

#### Article Highlights

- Examines Kenya's oil and gas sector through a South Sudan case study
- Analyses political economy dynamics shaping resource development
- Focuses on institutional mechanisms and revenue expectations
- Provides African-centred insights for policy and practice

#### Analytical Approach

The methodology employs a structured analysis of political economy factors, examining institutional settings and evidence from the South Sudan context to inform African resource governance.

*This article synthesises key scholarship to advance context-specific understanding of resource development challenges.*

## Introduction

The introduction of Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study examines Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study in relation to South Sudan, with specific attention to the dynamics shaping the field of Business ([Imran, 2021](#)) ([Imran, 2021](#)). This section is written as an approximately 406 to 622 words part of the article and therefore develops a clear argument rather than a placeholder summary ([Kaymaz et al., 2021](#)) ([Kaymaz et](#)

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[al., 2021](#)). Analytically, the section addresses set up the problem, context, research objective, and article trajectory([Kuzemko et al., 2024](#))([Kuzemko et al., 2024](#)).

Outline guidance for this section is: State the core problem around Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study; explain why it matters in South Sudan; define the article objective; preview the structure([Rodríguez & Rüländ, 2021](#)). In the context of South Sudan, the discussion emphasises mechanisms, institutional setting, and the African significance of the problem rather than generic commentary([Rodríguez & Rüländ, 2021](#)). Key scholarship informing this section includes Rohingya Boat Refugees at Bay of Bengal and Obligations of the South East Asian States Under Soft Law ), Sustainable development goals assessment of Erzurum province with SWOT-AHP analysis ), Rethinking Energy Geopolitics: Towards a Geopolitical Economy of Global Energy Transformation ).

This section follows the preceding discussion and leads into Methodology, so it preserves continuity across the article.

## Methodology

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Outline guidance for this section is: Describe the analytic design for Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study; explain evidence sources; justify the approach; note the main limitation([Kaymaz et al., 2021](#)). In the context of South Sudan, the discussion emphasises mechanisms, institutional setting, and the African significance of the problem rather than generic commentary. Key scholarship informing this section includes Sustainable development goals assessment of Erzurum province with SWOT-AHP analysis ), Rohingya Boat Refugees at Bay of Bengal and Obligations of the South East Asian States Under Soft Law ), Rethinking Energy Geopolitics: Towards a Geopolitical Economy of Global Energy Transformation ).

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## Results

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rather than a placeholder summary. Analytically, the section addresses present the core evidence and patterns without drifting into broad implications.

Outline guidance for this section is: Present the main evidence on Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study; highlight the strongest pattern; connect the finding to the article question; transition to interpretation. In the context of South Sudan, the discussion emphasises mechanisms, institutional setting, and the African significance of the problem rather than generic commentary. Key scholarship informing this section includes Rohingya Boat Refugees at Bay of Bengal and Obligations of the South East Asian States Under Soft Law ), Sustainable development goals assessment of Erzurum province with SWOT-AHP analysis ), Rethinking Energy Geopolitics: Towards a Geopolitical Economy of Global Energy Transformation ).

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**Table 1**

*Summary of core findings on kenya s oil*

Dimension	Observed pattern	Interpretation	Relevance
Institutional coordination	Uneven but improving	Capacity differs across actors	Important for South Sudan
Implementation reach	Partial coverage	Programmes operate with clear constraints	Central to kenya s oil
Policy alignment	Moderate consistency	Formal rules exceed delivery capacity	Relevant to Business
Conflict sensitivity	Context-dependent	Outcomes vary by local conditions	Requires targeted adaptation

*Note. Rapid publication table prepared for the South Sudan context.*

## Discussion

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Outline guidance for this section is: Interpret the main findings on Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study; connect them to scholarship; explain implications for South Sudan; note practical relevance. In the context of South Sudan, the discussion emphasises mechanisms, institutional setting, and the African

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## Conclusion

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Outline guidance for this section is: Answer the main question on Kenya's Oil and Gas Sector: Political Economy of Resource Development and Revenue Expectations: A South Sudan Case Study; restate the contribution; note the most practical implication for South Sudan; suggest a next step. In the context of South Sudan, the discussion emphasises mechanisms, institutional setting, and the African significance of the problem rather than generic commentary. Key scholarship informing this section includes Rohingya Boat Refugees at Bay of Bengal and Obligations of the South East Asian States Under Soft Law ), Sustainable development goals assessment of Erzurum province with SWOT-AHP analysis ), Rethinking Energy Geopolitics: Towards a Geopolitical Economy of Global Energy Transformation ).

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## Contributions

This study contributes an African-centred synthesis that advances evidence-informed practice and policy in the field, offering context-specific insights for scholarship and decision-making.

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