

# Project: Flare Gas Estimation and Environmental Impact Assessment in Petroleum Production

## **Week 1: Data Cleaning and Preprocessing**

### **• Tasks:**

**Data Preprocessing:** Clean and preprocess the data using Power BI.

**Tools:** Power BI.

### **• Deliverables:**

Cleaned dataset ready for analysis.

Data preprocessing notebook.

## **Week 2: Analysis Questions Phase**

### **• Tasks:**

**Determine Data Analysis Questions:**

#### **1. Trends & Patterns**

- What are the global and regional trends in gas flaring over time?

#### **2. Energy Opportunity**

- How much flared gas could potentially be recovered and utilized as an energy source?

#### **3. Environmental Impact**

- How does gas flaring correlate with greenhouse gas emissions and air pollution indicators?

#### **4. Health Exposure**

- Which regions and populations are most exposed to the health risks associated with gas flaring?

#### **5. Comparative Insights**

- How do countries or regions differ in gas flaring intensity relative to energy production levels?

#### **6. Scenario Analysis**

- What improvements in emissions, air quality, and public health could occur under different flare reduction scenarios?

## 7. Policy & Action

- Which policy or investment areas could yield the greatest reduction in flaring and associated impacts?

**Tools:** Power BI.

• **Deliverables:**

Analysis of flare gas trends (2012–2024) and their relation to oil production.

- Estimation of potential energy recovery from flare gas.
- Assessment of air pollutants (PM, NO<sub>2</sub>) linked to flaring and possible reductions under recovery scenarios.
- Evaluation of greenhouse gas emissions (CO<sub>2</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>eq) and potential mitigation through flare utilization.
- Analysis of health impacts (mortality, DALYs) associated with flare emissions and expected improvements under sustainable scenarios.
- Comparative ranking of countries by flare intensity, emissions, and health impacts.

## Week 3: Dashboard Phase

• **Tasks:**

**Build Dashboard:** Build a Power BI dashboard that visualize the answers to the asked questions.

**Tools:** Power BI.

**Deliverables:** Power BI dashboard.

## Week 4: Final Presentation

• **Tasks:**

**Final Presentation:** Prepare a report and presentation summarizing the project work, including data analysis, model development, and deployment.

**Deliverables:** Final report and presentation.