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# Technip Energies wins Coral Norte FLNG contract, Mozambique

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Technip Energies has secured a major contract for the Coral Norte floating LNG project in Mozambique, marking a significant step forward for one of Africa's most closely watched deepwater gas developments. The award positions Technip Energies as a key engineering and technology provider on the project, which is designed to monetise substantial offshore gas reserves in the Rovuma Basin.

Coral Norte is the follow-on development to the Coral Sul FLNG facility, which achieved first LNG cargo in 2022 and demonstrated that floating liquefaction technology can be successfully deployed in Mozambican waters. The Norte project is expected to replicate and potentially expand on that model, adding further production capacity to a basin that holds some of the largest gas discoveries made globally in the past two decades. The contract awarded to Technip Energies reflects the project's progression through the development pipeline, though the specific scope, contract value, and execution timeline were not disclosed in the available announcement.

Mozambique's LNG sector has faced a complex backdrop in recent years. Onshore LNG developments led by TotalEnergies at Area 1 remain suspended following a force majeure declaration in 2021 due to security conditions in Cabo Delgado province. The offshore floating LNG route, anchored by the Coral Sul and now Coral Norte projects, has therefore become the primary active pathway for Mozambican gas commercialisation. The award to Technip Energies signals that project sponsors and contractors retain confidence in the offshore FLNG model as a viable and lower-risk route to market.

For the broader Mozambique LNG ecosystem, contract momentum on Coral Norte is a meaningful signal. Engineering and procurement activity on a project of this scale draws in a wide supply chain, from subsea infrastructure and mooring systems to topside processing modules, marine logistics, and specialist installation vessels. The floating LNG format requires tight integration between hull, mooring, riser, and topsides disciplines, creating multiple entry points for specialised service providers across the project lifecycle.

Norwegian oil and gas service companies with relevant LNG, subsea, and FPSO competencies should monitor the Coral Norte supply chain closely as the project scope is defined and procurement packages are released. At this stage, the instrument is a contract award to the main engineering contractor, meaning tier-two and tier-three supplier opportunities are likely to emerge in the coming months as Technip Energies advances detailed engineering and moves toward equipment and services procurement.

### Why this matters to partners and clients of Saga

The Technip Energies contract award on Coral Norte signals that procurement activity for sub-contracted scopes — subsea systems, mooring, marine installation, and specialist LNG equipment — is likely to follow as engineering progresses. Norwegian companies with FLNG, subsea, or FPSO credentials should initiate contact with Technip Energies' project teams now to position for upcoming supplier qualification rounds. Monitoring tender portals and building relationships with the Technip Energies Coral Norte programme office is the recommended near-term action.

### PARTNER ANGLES

- **LNG:** Norwegian LNG technology and heat-exchanger specialists should engage Technip Energies early as potential licensors or equipment suppliers for the Coral Norte topsides processing train.
- **Subsea/FPSO:** Companies supplying mooring systems, flexible risers, or subsea umbilicals for FLNG applications should monitor Coral Norte sub-contract packages as Technip Energies advances FEED and procurement.

- **Drilling:** Upstream well workover and development drilling scopes tied to Coral Norte reservoir supply will require rig and well services procurement — worth tracking as FID approaches.
- **Pipeline:** Subsea flowline and riser installation contractors should position for potential tie-back and export line scopes as the Coral Norte field layout is confirmed in detailed engineering.
- **Service:** Marine logistics, offshore construction vessel operators, and specialist inspection and installation firms should begin qualification outreach to Technip Energies' Coral Norte supply chain organisation.

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