

Pluto LNG

Pluto LNG was subject to both protected (renegotiation of short-term Greenfields Agreements) and unprotected industrial action (pickets over accommodation dispute) that at one point was costing Woodside \$3.5 million in damages each day.

	Expected	Actual
Capital spend	\$12 billion	\$14.9 billion
Completion time	3 years	5 years
First cargo	Late 2010	May 2012

Example of greenfields agreements pay rates from 2007 on Pluto LNG:

- i. \$80,581.28 per annum for crane operators
- ii. \$84,059.04 per annum for welders
- iii. \$87,556.56 per annum for electricians
- iv. \$91,034.32 per annum for tower crane operators





Gorgon LNG

With work 87% completed, employees on Chevron's Gorgon LNG Project gave notice of their intent to take protected industrial action unless their roster demands were met.

	Expected	Actual
Capital spend	\$37 billion USD	\$54 billion USD
Completion time	5 years	7 years
First cargo	Early 2014	March 2016

Example of greenfields agreements pay rates on Gorgon LNG:

- i. \$114,252 per annum for labourers
- ii. \$121,900 per annum for tradespersons
- iii. \$122,408 per annum for machine and crane operators
- iv. \$137,015 per annum for tower crane operator





Curtis Island LNG Projects

The construction of Queensland's three landmark CSG / LNG projects near Gladstone saw significant mid-project bargaining and protected industrial action, pushing construction schedule and cost well outside that planned.

	Expected	Actual
Capital spend (combined)	\$54 billion USD	\$63.6 billion USD
First cargo (QC LNG)	2014	2015
First cargo (GLNG	July 2015	October 2015
First cargo (AP LNG)	December 2014	January 2016

Example of greenfields agreements pay rates on the Curtis Island projects:

- i. \$147,100 per annum for riggers/scaffolders
- ii. \$152,490 per annum for welders
- iii. \$157,206 per annum for tradespersons
- iv. \$159,358 per annum for electrical tradespersons





Ichthys LNG

With less than 12 months remaining, INPEX's Ichthys LNG Project was threatened with industrial action by unions campaigning to reduce the construction roster.

	Expected	Actual
Capital spend	\$35 billion USD	\$45 billion USD
Completion time	4 years	6 years
First cargo	Late 2016	October 2018

Example of greenfields agreements rates of pay on the Ichthys project:

- i. \$114,097 per annum for labourers
- ii. \$116,251 per annum for forklift operator
- iii. \$118,445 per annum for rigger/scaffolders
- iv. \$120,644 per annum for tradespersons

