Tom Kloza's Twitter (X) Follows for the Oil Industry

As promised, here's a look at some of the folks and companies that are worthy of a "follow" on Twitter. Many times, one can get ahead of news or sentiment by simply reading through the comments posted from time to time. This shouldn't be a replacement for actual conversations or subscriptions to news services, but one can get a quick appreciation of what is moving markets via twitter, whether it's a reasonable response or a panic.

I have not listed the associations or companies that occasionally post. I've also ignored the general news sites like NBC, CNBC, etc. Many of the people or companies listed represent insiders or insider-wannabees but one can often be tipped off to breaking news by their posts.

Be aware that many of the posts are there to drive business to a particular site, or influence prices and enhance various "books" of business.

These are not in order of importance. Where there are no observations, that doesn't mean that folks are not worth a follow. I've attached asterisks to some of the "must follow" handles.

@tomkloza - - goes without saying and the ancient picture he lists shows a good-looking guy.

@gasbuddyguy - - - My instinct is to not recommend this follow but he subscribes to nearly everything and catches items you might miss. Much of what is gleaned in North America comes from OPIS data and stories, but he is still a worthwhile person to follow.

@Vortexa

@OilXs - data science analyst in oil. Affiliated with Energy Aspects.

@Kpler - - occasionally posts items of interest – worldwide

@vtchakarova - - geopolitical oil strategist - Brilliant. ***

@IliaBouchouev - - ex Koch Industries trader - interesting posts. ***Expert on paper versus physical versus derivatives

@JanetMcGurty - - oil reporter - occasional insight into refinery ops

@InfinitusCap - - quant that trades WTI - - mathematical insight.

@bnikdude - -- West Coast oil trader - - good for PADD 5 buzz.

@biofuelslaw - - -Cory Lavinsky - - very expert attorney in renewable sector – now with Calumet - - very smart on renewables. ***

@darren_dohme - - commodity trader - - .

@martijn_rats - Top energy analyst at Morgan Stanley - - regular observations

@OilCfd - Oil bandit - - regularly posts on tanker freights and analytics ***

@oilin60 - - - 60 Seconds to Know - -- smart trader with 35 years of experience - - lots of good posts on market - - knows when it's short covering and when it's new buying. ***

@DrBraziel - - - David Braziel -- - - with RBN -- **

@PippaStevens13 - - covers energy for CNBC ---

@barrow_kurt - - former colleague now at S&P Global - - smart but doesn't post much

@Devikakrishnak - - - Reuters reporter with occasional tidbits.

@bencahillenergy - -smart guy who follows oil internationally - - very shrewd on macro energy issues. ***

@Ole_S_Hansen - - really smart international commodity analyst - - worth monitoring ***

@SpotMonthEnergy - - - trader who sometimes posts interesting comments on market

@EnergyCynic - - -general comments from time to time.

@shah_neil -- expert who follows renewables.

@BrettDworski – Convenience store reporter -- worth a follow if you follow stores.

@ScottIrwinUI - - - academic who posts about RINs, 45-Z and other renewable issues

@ZmansEnrgyBrain - - - lots of posts about energy E&P. **

@Big_Orrin - - really smart international trader - - a must follow ***

@phemsworth - NY based oil trader - - hasn't posted in a while but very knowledgeable

@T_Mason_H Mason Hamilton - - stats guy with API -- good posts***

@KevinBirn - - - top Canadian analyst - former colleague – now with S&P

@JarrettRenshaw - - Reuters DC guy -- - often with scoops on renewables

@RinnyTheGopher -- - classic RINs expert – must follow in renewables ***

@staunovo - - Giovanni Staunovo - -UBS Commodity analyst - - reposts lots of stuff from all of the publications. Follow for the retweets alone. ***

@anasalhajji - - - International oil analyst - - very savvy on Middle East politics. **** An absolute must-follow for Middle Eastern analysis.

@Amena__Bakr - - - top OPEC reporter for Kpler - - a bit of a cheerleader for OPEC.

@StillwaterMeg - - Megan Boutwell - - good source for renewables' info

@JKempEnergy - - ex Reuters oil analyst - - good insight but can be a bit pompous

@mariannaparraga - - - good Reuters reporter – insight on PDVSA and CITGO

@summer_said - - - senior Middle East correspondent for WSJ

@Oil_Trader - - anonymous poster who often puts some nuggets of info online.

@Rory_Johnston -- Canadian based oil market researcher. Really solid analysis. ***

@OilandEnergy - - OilPrice.com - - online web stories – occasional item to review. **

@BakerInstitute - - - think tank for all things energy

@lviscidi - - international energy analyst – worth a follow.

@laffngeconomist Michael Lynch - - energy gadfly – writes for Forbes

@JoeMcMonigle - - high level energy analyst - - policy expert

@JavierBlas - - - columnist at Bloomberg - - widely read. Follow for the retweets as well as his analysis. ***

@WMALHittle - - analyst at Wood Mackenzie

@EnergyAspects -- oil think tank – tends to always be bullish

@RBNEnergy --- energy consultants - - very worthwhile to follow

@EENewsUpdates - - energy and environmental stories - - occasional item.

@Fuelfixblog --- daily stories for news and analysis in energy

@ArgusMedia – - always worthwhile to track and follow.

@BreakingEnergy - - - posts daily news and analysis

@fuelinggood -- handle for Robert White - promoter of ethanol

@CStoreNews -- occasionally something we are interested in

@bjlefebvre - - energy reporter at Politico

@kevinbookdc - - - Clearview Energy items - - - very plugged in DC guy.

@blendor - - Ron Lamberty at American Ethanol Association

@APIenergy - - - oil and gas association

@Ben_Geman - - - energy reporter at Axxios

@jendlouhyhc - - energy reporter at Bloomberg

@AFPMonline - - - American Fuel & Petrochemical Manufacturers s

@EIAgov - - Energy Information Administration posts

@SchrodingersAlt - - - Schrodinger's Oil Trades - - - gasoline trader - - occasionally has strong observations

@HFI_Research - - - contrarian investment research in oil and gas. Lots of interesting posts ***

@JuliOnTwtr - - - writer for oilprice.com

@RazorOil -- - energy investor/trader

@AdiSurreyEnergy -- London oil trader - - good to follow just for dated Brent and Platts' Window deals. Very opinionated. ***

@enmanagers -- - energy analyst in commercial supply.

@TomWeinandy --- - Energy economist for Upside - good analysis of c-store fuel sales.

@Bill_Lehane - Bloomberg oil reporter

@ArjunNMurti - ex MD from Goldman - - top oil analyst.

@Mubadala UAE trading entity - - quite the global portfolio.

@donnell_rehagen - - - CEO of Clean Fuels Alliance - - -expert on renewable fuels.

@CRUDEOIL231 Voice of a Global Physical Commodity trading house

@MiaGindis - - - oil futures reporter with Bloomberg

@shariqrtrs - - oil reporter at Reuters - - talk occasionally

@SheDrills - - -Christine Guerrero - - - mostly on the E&P side.

@spencekimball -- -CNBC energy reporter.

@JuliOnTwtr - - Julianne Geiger - - - writes for oilprice.com often has first glimpse at API stats on Tuesday evenings.

@VandanaHari_SG -- Vandana Hari - - - oil analyst for international observations.

@RazorOil - - -good insight into Canadian oil and gas.

@CRUDEOIL231 - JH - - - hedge fund trader for commodities - - - good items occasionally ***

@oilmutt - - -- knowledgeable on US oil and gas -- Permian Basin.

@OilandGibbs - - -Bloomberg writer Brett Gibbs - - good insight on renewables ***

@bnikdude - Ben Nicolas - - West Coast trader - - some good insight.

@beck_bio - - -writer on biofuels - - - occasional good insights.

@ericnuttall - - - North American energy insight - - tends to always be bullish but a worthwhile follow

@OilCfd -- Oil Bandit - - - lots of retweets and other analysis ***

@TwainsMustache - -- - lots of good commentary on energy. ***

@crudegusher - - -Paul Sankey - - good insight into E&P and refining ***

@pickeringenergy - - Dan Pickering -- CIO of the analysis ***

@SpotMonthEnergy - - - Randy Brown - - - lots of tweets -- humorous. ***

@EnergyCynic - - - good comments on energy **

@JohnHKingston - - ex Platts - - writes for Freight Waves - - diesel source

@ZmansEnrgyBrain - -- good analysis from wellhead to pump ***

@chigirl - - - Tracy Shuchart - - - lots of commodity analysis ***

MktwSaefong - - - Myra Saefong with Marketwatch. Very prolific energy reporter.

@Ben_Geman - - Energy Reporter with Axios