Global Markets Developments

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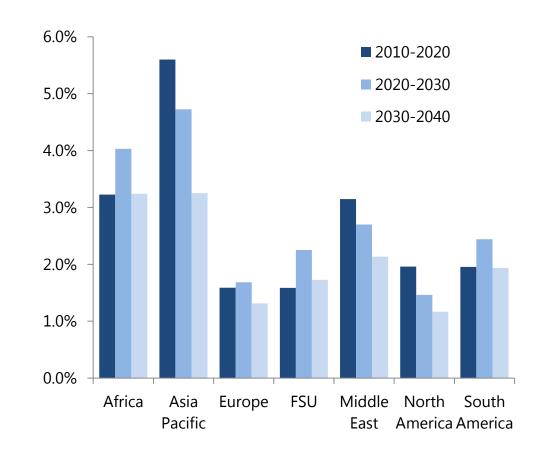
Global market developments

GDP
Crude
Natural Gas
Electric Vehicles
Petroleum Products
Petrochemicals
Petroleum Coke
LPG
Vision

Global growth underpinned by Asia-Pacific

- Synchronized global activity boosting near term prospects for most countries
- Chinese GDP growth trending lower as drivers of growth transition
- India to underpin longer term growth

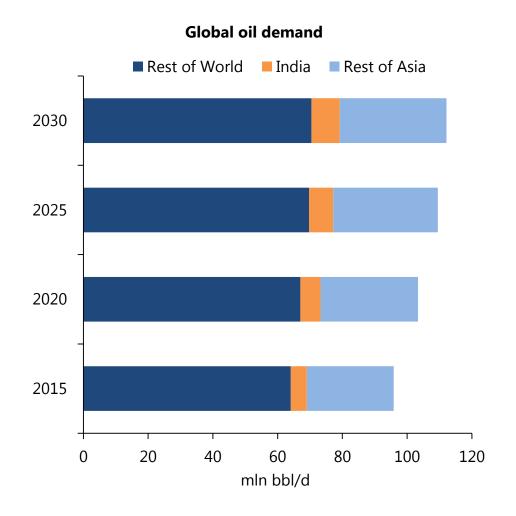
Global GDP growth projections – 10 year CAGR





Global Crude demand

- Crude demand growth to remain strong until the latter stages of 2020's
- Consistent growth in Indian oil demand to become the main driver of growth

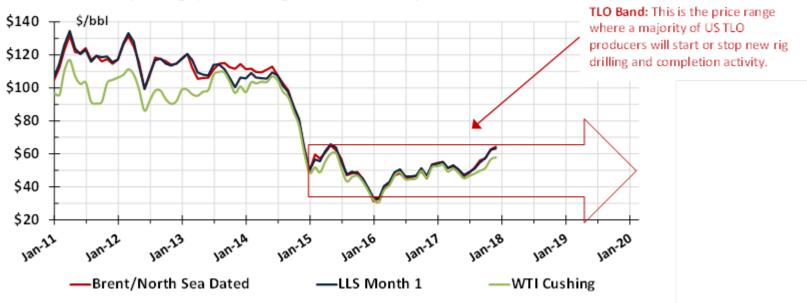




Crude prices

Light Crude Oil Price History

(\$2017 basis, monthly average prices, through December, 2017)



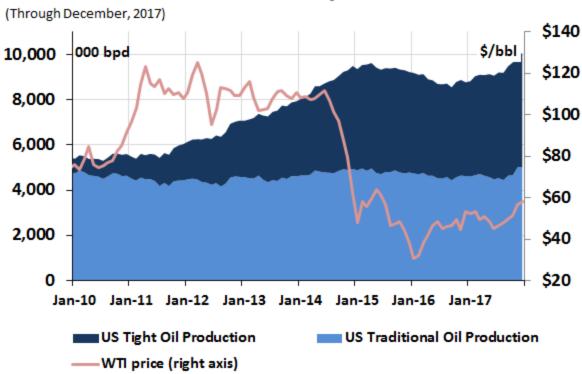
 Strong US supply response should help keep prices within the Tight-light oil (TLO) band in the medium term



Main sources of US oil production

- US tight light oil (TLO) has become the major US oil product.
- Production has surpassed 5,100 thousand bpd in December, 2017.
- Over the past 6 months, US TLO production has been growing at a rate of 2% per month.
- Most UD TLO today is being produced in the Permian basin.

US Oil Production History



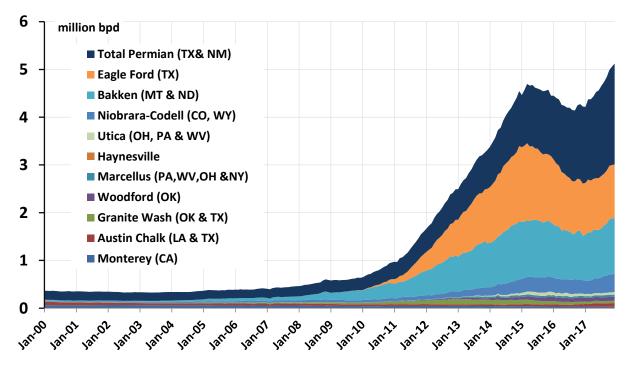


The Permian basin is the largest producer

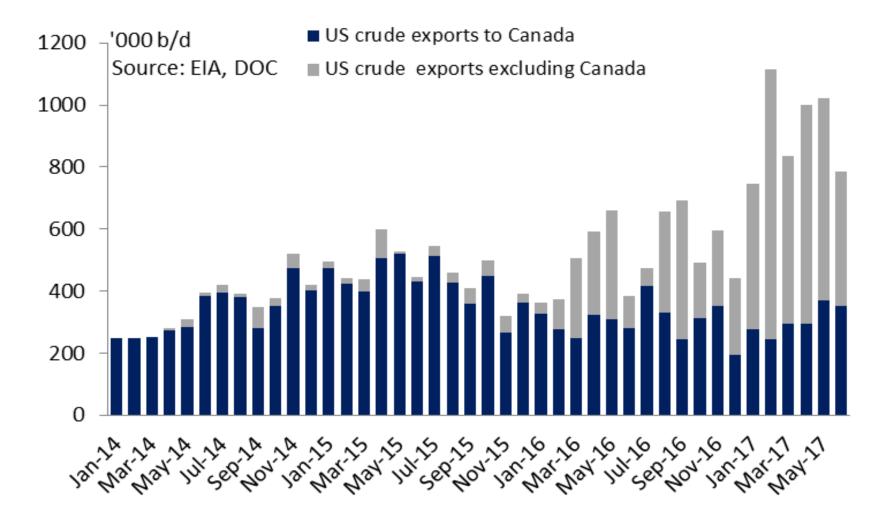
- Bakken and Niobrara production has also been growing.
- We expect continued growth in US TLO production as long as monthly average oil prices remain above ~ \$55/bbl.

US Tight Oil Production History

(through December, 2017)

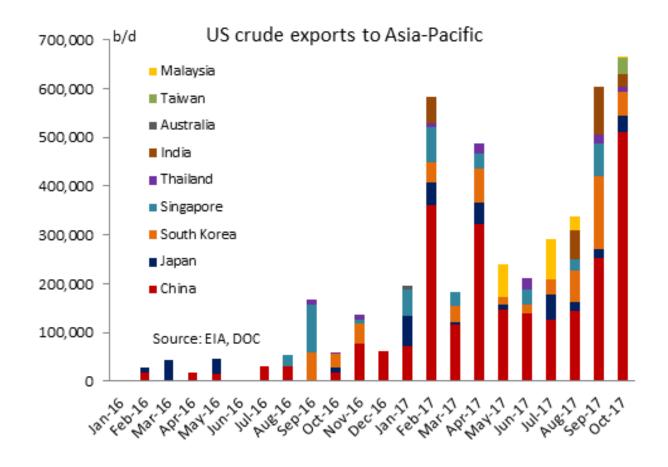


US crude exports beyond Canada soar after ban lifted



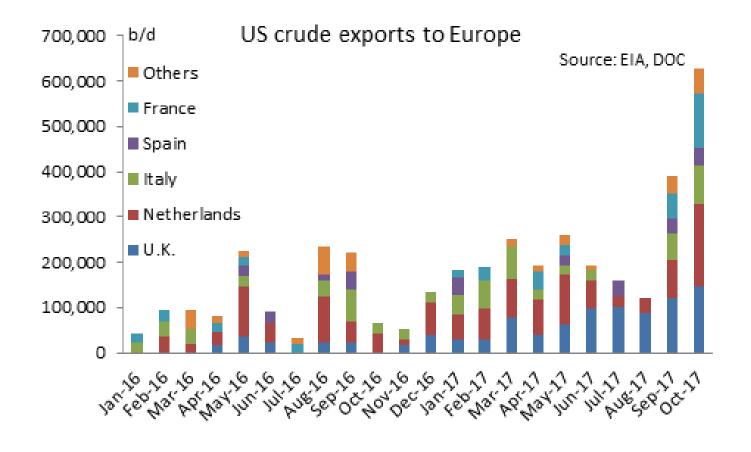


China buying about two-thirds of US exports to Asia





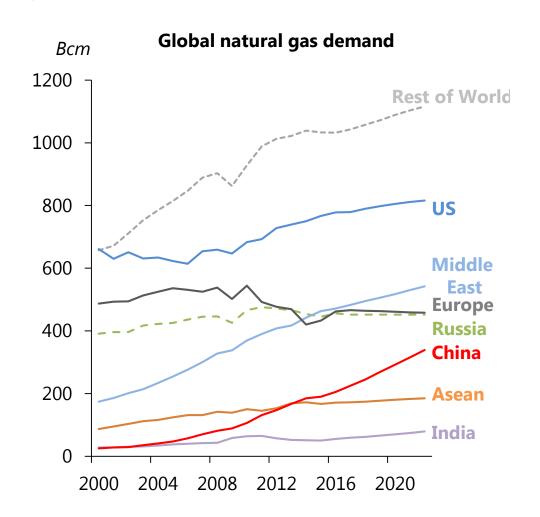
US shipments to Europe also rising substantially



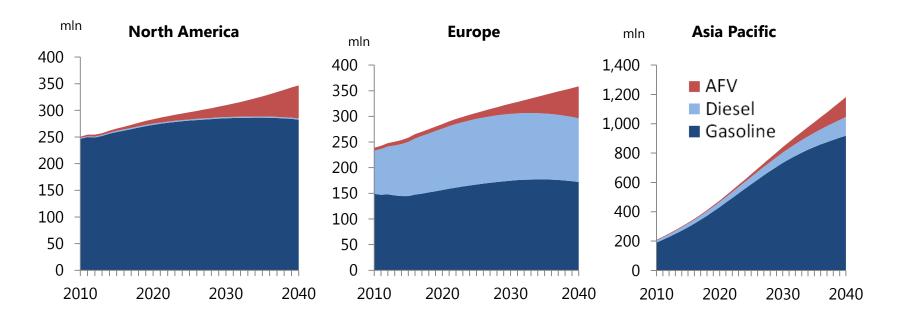


Natural Gas Demand growth

- Lower prices have spurred greater demand in the US and elsewhere
- Rapid growth in China is absorbing fresh LNG supply



Electric Vehicles

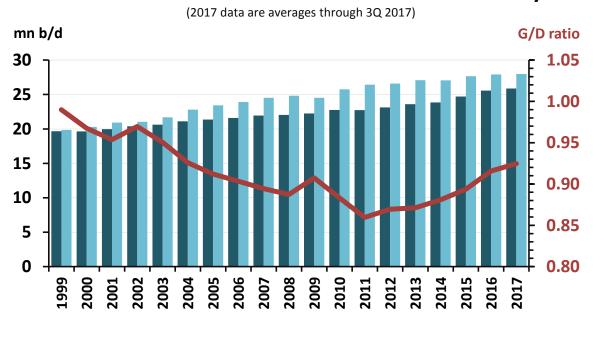


- EV's set to account for all of long term increase in fleet in North America and Europe
- Growing share of EV's in Asia, but strong growth in total fleet
- India looking to phase out sales of gas and diesel vehicles by 2030, but strong growth projected in the interim



Worldwide, both distillate and gasoline growth are robust

Worldwide Gasoline & Distillate Demand History



CAGRs	2000 to 2008	2009 to 2017
Gasoline	2.61%	1.80%
Distillate	0.29%	1.34%

CAGR – compound annual growth rate

- Data from IEA, EIA and Argus

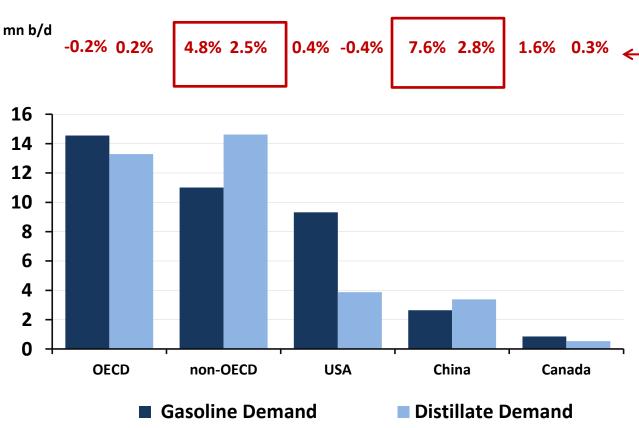
Distillate —G/D Demand Ratio



Gasoline

Major growth has been in non-OECD countries

Comparison of Year 2016 Demand Levels



The non-OECD, and especially Chinese growth rates, will gradually drive significant changes in product and crude oil flows.

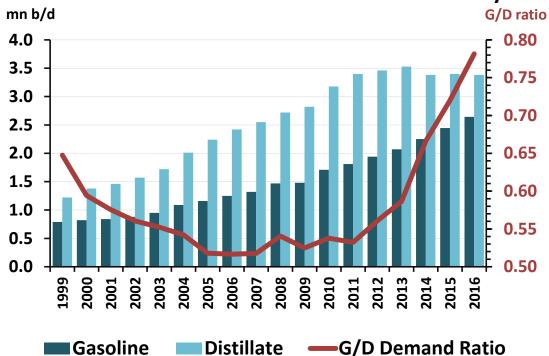
2009 – 2017 CAGRs

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Chinese gasoline demand is growing at high rates

China Gasoline and Distillate Demand History

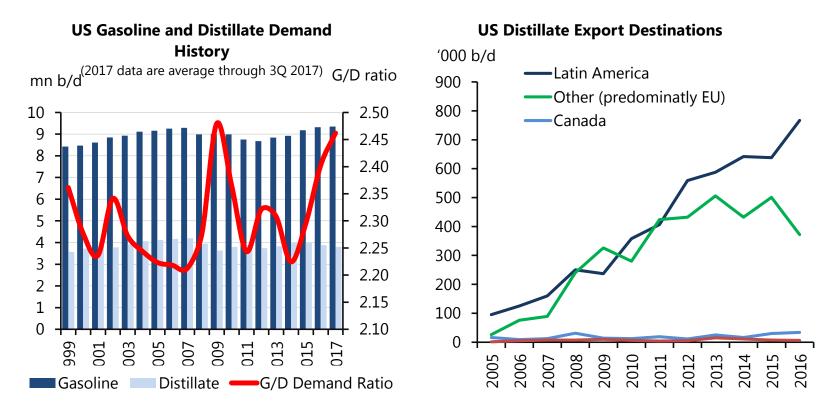


CAGRs	2000 to 2008	2009 to 2016
Gasoline	8.07%	7.61%
Distillate	10.54%	2.76%

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US products demand has plateaued, exports are surging

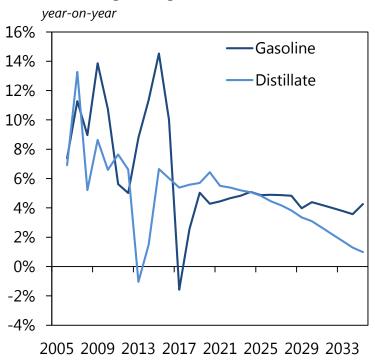


 US refiners will need to serve export markets to sustain output levels

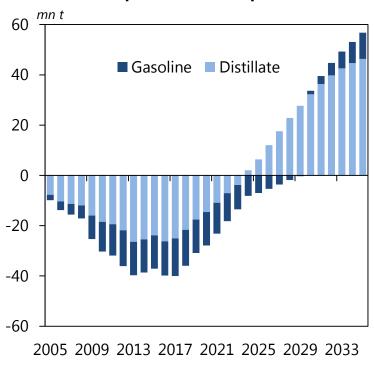


Transportation fuel - India

Long term growth in demand



Net Import balance for products

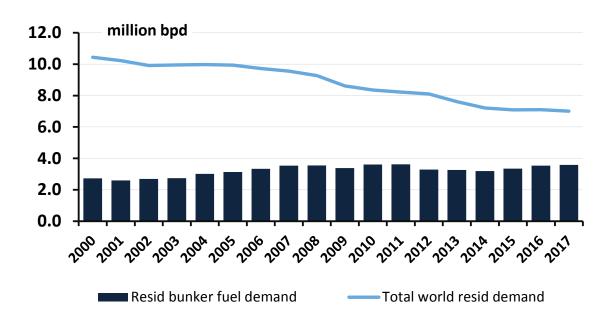


 Sustained growth in products demand will see India become a large net importer



MARPOL VI set to destroy high S bunker demand

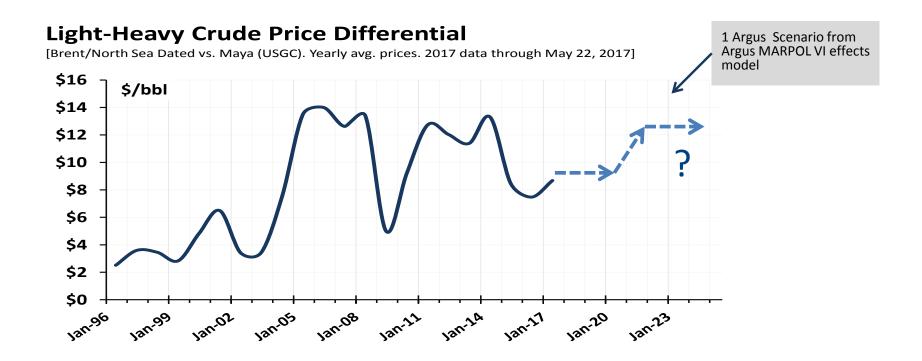
World Bunker Fuel & Resid Demand



- Marine fuel standard of 0.5pc sulphur in 2020
- High proportion of 3mn bpd of resid will need to find a new home or be converted to low-sulphur material



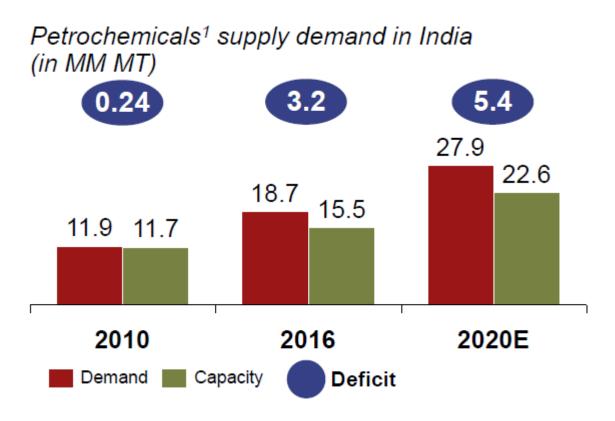
Wider light-heavy crude spreads



 Wider crude spreads should benefit refineries with plans for heavy crude processing, although little new capacity announced on the back of MARPOL VI



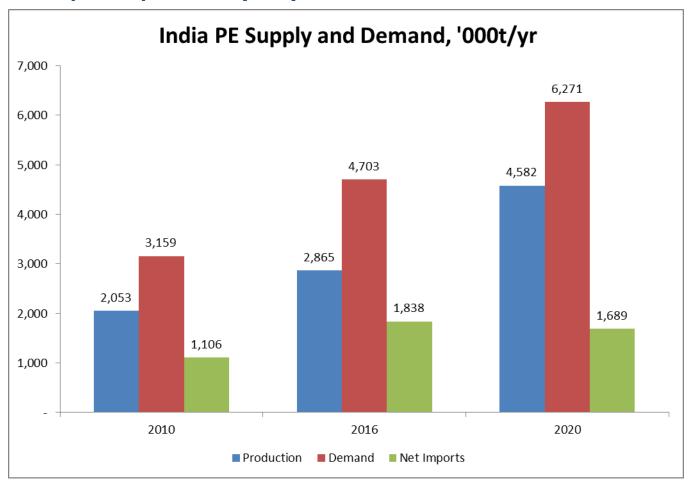
India's deficit of petrochemicals is growing



Footnote: 1 Petrochemicals includes olefins, aromatics, and polymers



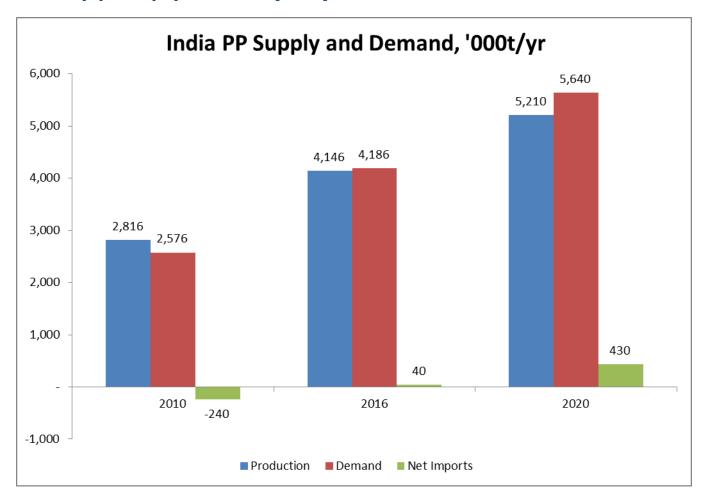
India Polyethylene (PE) Outlook



India is adding capacity for PE production, but will still import more than 25 pc of domestic demand; Growth in demand near 10 pc per year



India Polypropylene (PP) Outlook

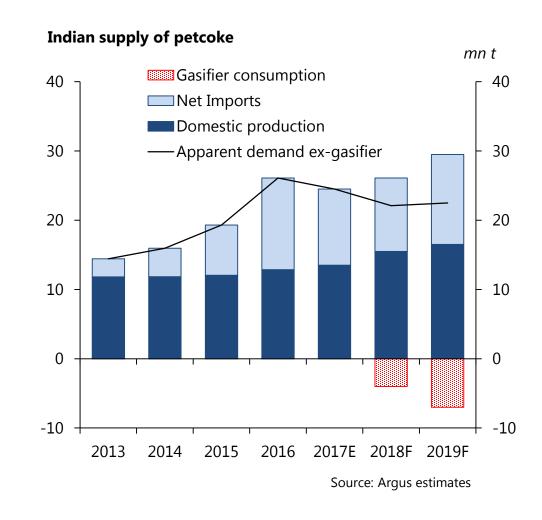


After becoming balanced in 2016, India is forecast to be importing 400+kt/yr to supply domestic demand in 2020; Demand is growing more than 10 pc/yr



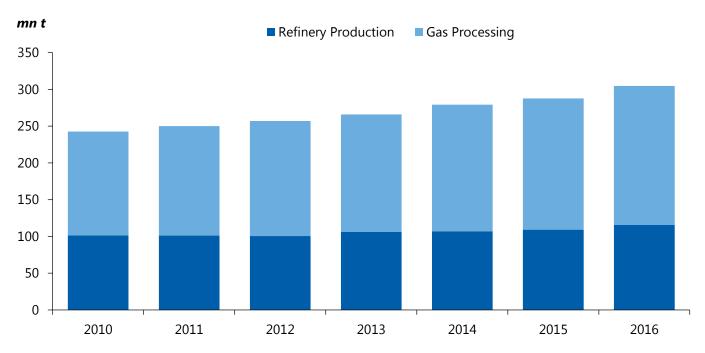
India petroleum coke market balance

- RIL gasifier coming on stream over next 12 months
- Regional curbs on usage in some industries likely to impact imports
- Domestic output continues to expand, more refiners considering gasification technology





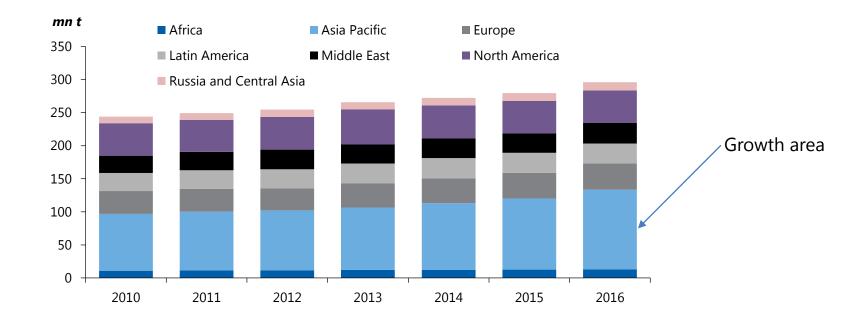
Global LPG production by source



— Argus Consulting Notes: 2016 data is provisional

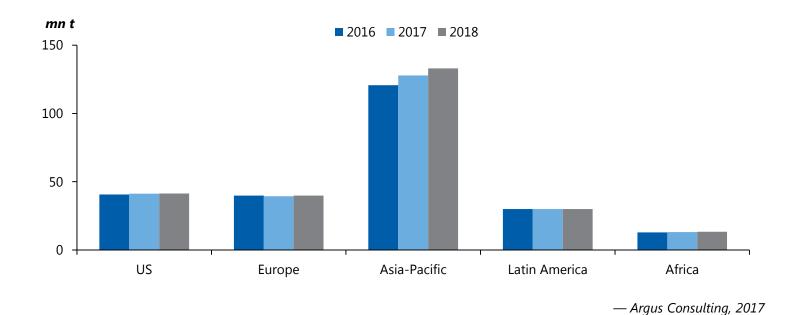


Global LPG consumption

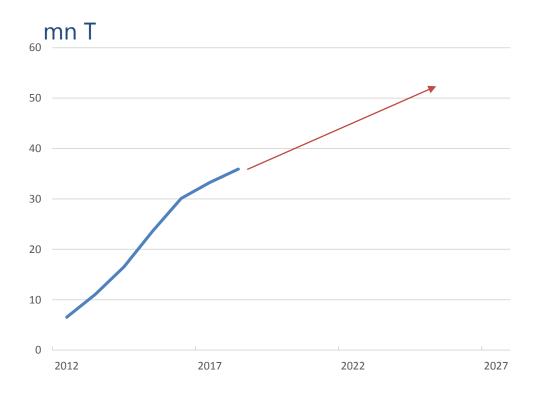




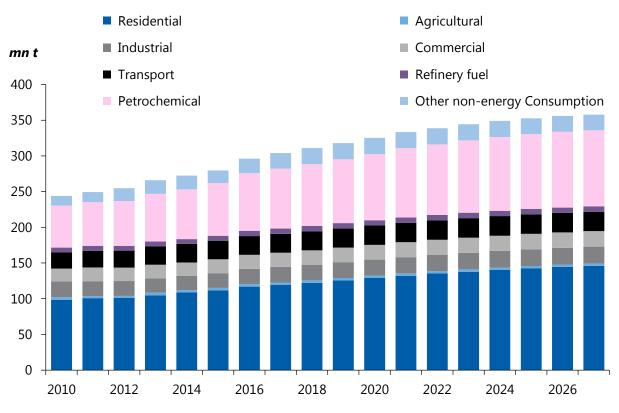
Asia is the key center of incremental demand



US LPG export market



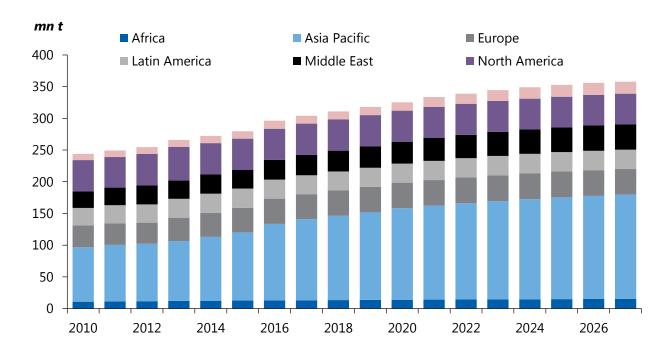
Global outlook for LPG consumption by sector



- Argus Consulting, 2017



Global regional LPG consumption outlook

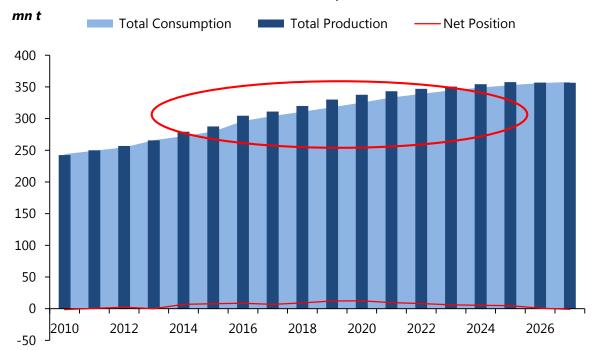


— Argus Consulting, 2017



The next decade will be long LPG

Global LPG structural balance, 2010-2027



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Some Random Thoughts

Near Term Priorities

Successful Completion of:

- 1. West Coast Refinery Project
- 2. Rajasthan Refinery Project
- 3. Kakinada Petrochemical Complex
- 4. HMEL Bathinda Petrochemical Project
- 5. BS VI Projects

Upstream

- Continue aggressive pursuit of Hydrocarbon Exploration
 & Licensing Policy (HELP) in line with OALP
- Identify & participate in promising exploration blocks outside India
- Encourage participation in blocks outside India that offer NGLs (feedstock for petrochemicals)

Focus: Reduce Crude Oil Imports!

Midstream

- Rationalize pipeline network
- Consider establishing a National Pipeline Company on a Common Carrier basis to maximize asset utilization
- Encourage Undivided Joint Interest (UJI) concept for new pipeline projects
- Streamline & expedite permitting of LNG/LPG/Naphtha Import Terminals
- Encourage Shared Terminal Facilities

Downstream

- Successfully implement BS VI
- MARPOL, consider Condo Desulfurizers/Take advantage of light/heavy differential
- Maximize use of opportunity crudes
- Benchmark, gap analysis with focus on net cash margin
- Establish "Safe Operating Envelop" for each process unit& maximize asset utilization
- Implement Energy Conservation (Stochiometric firing of furnaces, steam leaks/usage, flare, etc.)
- Higher Octane explore Ionic Alkylation, a Chevron Technology
- Identify projects to integrate petrochemicals/fertilizers
- Crack diesel, kerosene and move as feed to petchem
- Explore Waste to Biofuels

Operational Excellence

- Reliability Centered Maintenance
- Technology to Predict Failures/Condition Monitoring
- Advance Process Controls/AI

Safety & the Environment

- > Treat everyone with dignity & respect
- Implement Incident & Injury Free initiatives (Behavior Based Safety, Reinforcement Based Leadership, etc.)
- Any human being who enters our premises MUST enjoy the fundamental GOD given right to go back to their families injury free at the end of each shift, every day.
- Protect Water Aquifer
 - All Hydrocarbon tanks (including Petrol pumps) to be inspected periodically for leaks
 - All new hydrocarbon tanks must have double bottom with leak detection
- Consider a National Drug & Alcohol Policy
 - Pre-employment screening for all at Hydrocarbon facilities, including tank truck drivers
 - Random tests using "Single Barrel" data process

Technology

- Centre for High Technology should leverage talent at IITs & other institutions
- Champion Waste to Fuels, Cellulose to Fuels and other renewable energy sources
- Technologies to reduce Carbon Footprint

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