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Forward Looking Statements

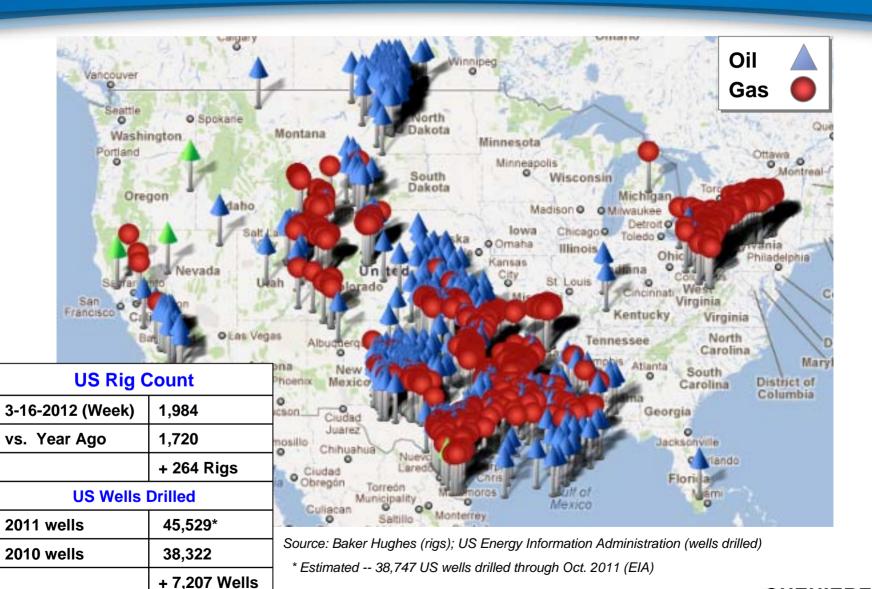
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U.S. Rig Activity



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Perspective

Capital Invested

45,000 wells drilled in 2011

~\$250B

Midstream: INGAA

\$200B (over ~20 years)

~\$10B

Dow, Shell, etc.

Industrial Investment up to \$30B (over 5-10 years)

\$5B

Future: Coal substitution

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Transportation

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Saudi Oil Revenues

\$225B

Energy Capital Expenditures

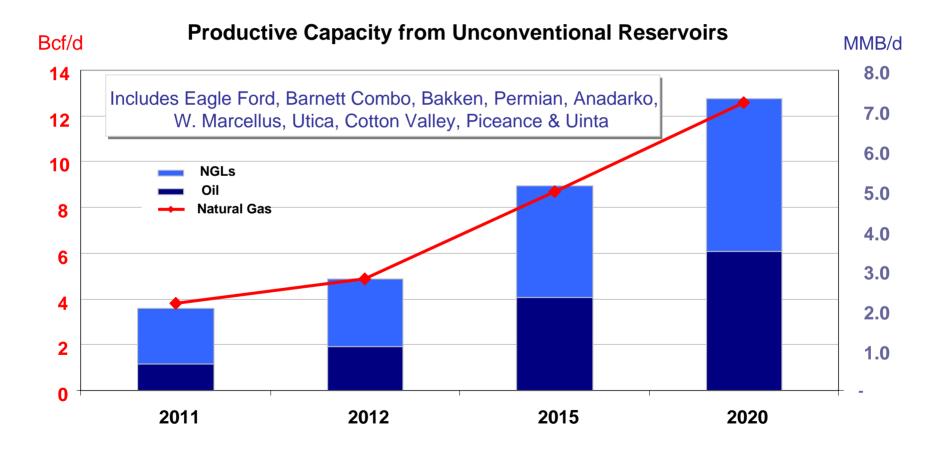
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Source: EIA, Bloomberg, The INGAA Foundation, "Jobs & Economic Benefits of Midstream Infrastructure Development", February 2012, Cheniere Research



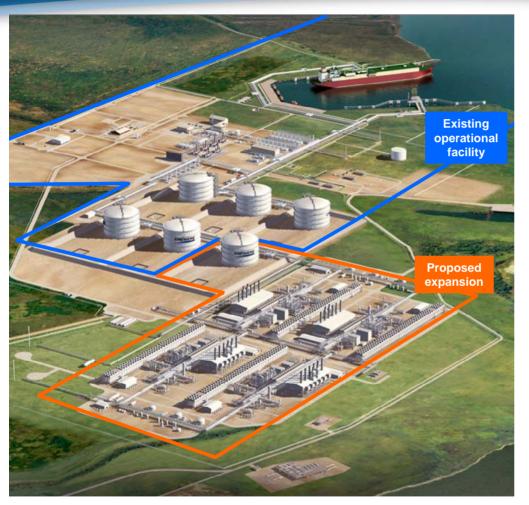
Oil Production Drives Investment Decisions for Gas

- Liquids production from shale plays > 3 million b/d by 2020
- Associated natural gas > 12 Bcf/d of "costless" supply





Proposed SPL Project: Brownfield Development Utilizing Existing Assets



Current Facility

- ~ 1,000 acres in Cameron Parish, LA
- 40 ft ship channel 3.7 miles from coast
- 2 berths; 4 dedicated tugs
- 5 LNG storage tanks (17 Bcf of storage)
- 4.3 Bcf/d peak regasification capacity
- 5.3 Bcf/d of pipeline interconnection to the US pipeline network

Liquefaction Expansion

- Construction contract w/Bechtel for Trains 1 and 2
- Up to four liquefaction trains designed with ConocoPhillips' Optimized Cascade® Process technology
- Six GE LM2500+ G4 gas turbine driven refrigerant compressors per train
- Gas treating and environmental compliance
- Modifications to the Creole Trail Pipeline for bi-directional service
- Sixth tank if needed for fourth train

Significant infrastructure in place including storage, marine and pipeline interconnection facilities; pipeline quality natural gas to be sourced from U.S. pipeline network



U.S. LNG Arbitrage Opportunity Henry Hub vs. Brent

Current Prices

Henry Hub: \$2.50 / MMBtu

Brent Crude: \$105 / Barrel

(\$/MMBtu)	<u>Americas</u>		<u>Europe</u>				<u>Asia</u>	
Henry Hub	\$ 2	2.50	\$	3	2.50		\$	2.50
Liquefaction	3	3.00			3.00			3.00
Shipping	(0.75			1.25			3.00
Fuel/Basis		0.35		_	0.35		_	0.35
DES	\$ 6	6.60	\$	5	7.10		\$	8.85

vs Brent

@ 15% **_15.75**_

Margin

\$ 9.15

@ 12% <u>12.60</u> \$ 5.50



Contracted Capacity at SPL Sale and Purchase Agreements (SPAs)

Long-term, "take-or-pay" style commercial contracts equating to ~2.2 Bcf/d

	BG GROUP BG Gulf Coast LNG (1)	gasNatural fenosa Gas Natural Fenosa (1)	GAIL (India) Limited (1)	Korea Gas Corporation (1)
Annual Contract Quantity (MMBtu)	286,500,000	182,500,000	182,500,000	182,500,000
Markets Served	Global	Spain, Italy, Americas	India	South Korea
Description	Global LNG marketer	Spain's largest gas utility	India's major vertical gas utility	World's largest buyer of LNG
Annual Revenue	~\$723 MM	~\$454 MM	~\$548 MM	~\$548 MM
Revenue \$/MMBtu (2)	\$2.52	\$2.49	\$3.00	\$3.00
Term	20 years	20 years	20 years	20 years
Contract Start Date	Train 1 + additional Volumes for trains 2,3,4	Train 2	Train 4	Train 3

⁽¹⁾ Conditions precedent must be satisfied by December 31, 2012 for Gas Natural Fenosa and by June 30, 2013 for BG Group, KOGAS and GAIL (India) Ltd. or either party can terminate. CPs include financing, regulatory approvals, positive final investment decision, issuance of notice to proceed and entering into common facilities agreements (other than GAIL (India) Limited).

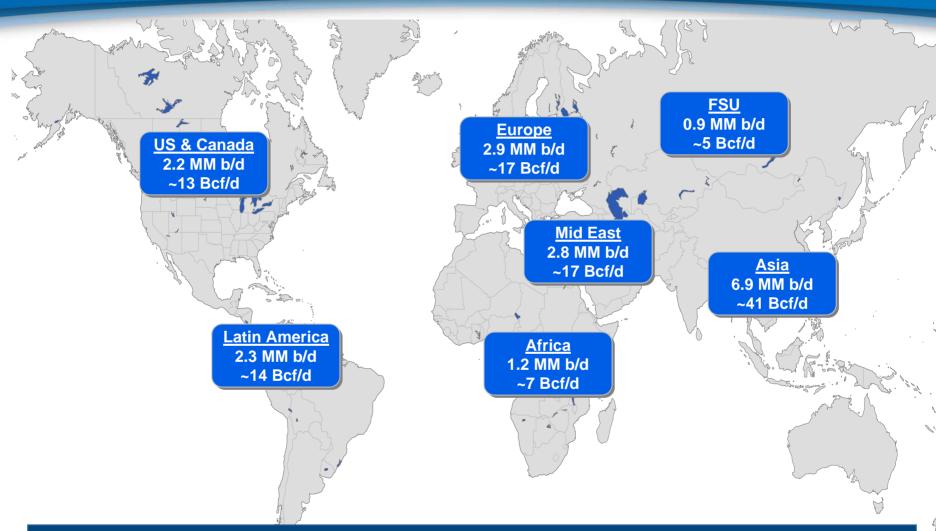


⁽²⁾ A portion of the fee is subject to inflation, approximately 15% for BG Group, 13.6% for Gas Natural Fenosa and 15% for Korea Gas Co. and GAIL (India) Ltd.

⁽³⁾ Ratings may be changed, suspended or withdrawn at anytime and are not a recommendation to buy, hold or sell any security.

⁽⁴⁾ SPAs have a 20 year term with the right to extend up to an additional 10 years. Gas Natural Fenosa has an extension right up to an additional 12 years in certain circumstances.

Global Petroleum Demand – Stationary Sources



Global oil use totals 19 million b/d (~22%) in stationary sources, such as industrial, power and heating, that could be switched to natural gas: equivalent to 100+ Bcf/d natural gas demand



Regulatory Process DOE vs FERC

Dual regulatory tracks with DOE and FERC

- FERC coordinates federal and state review of LNG project impacts
- DOE authorizes license to import and export natural gas

DOE Authority

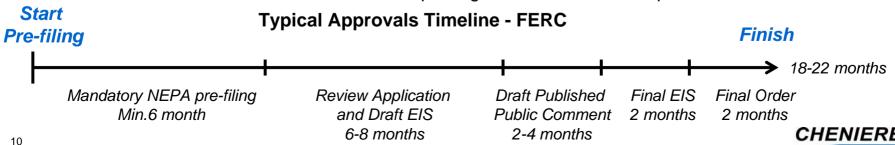
- Section 3 of 1938 Natural Gas Act Requires that DOE authorize exports to a foreign country unless there is a finding that such exports "will not be consistent with the public interest"
- Creates a statutory presumption in favor of approval by DOE of export applications, which opponents of such applications bear the burden of overcoming
- Sabine Pass is only project to have received non-FTA license from DOE to export gas as LNG

FERC Authority

- National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) empowers FERC as the lead Federal agency to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement in cooperation with other state and federal agencies
- EPACT 2005 confirms FERC's role as lead agency in review and authorization of LNG terminals
- DOE is a cooperating agency with FERC and is to use FERC's NEPA process to address a project's potential environmental impacts as part of its "public interest" evaluation

World Trade Organization Commitments

The WTO framework limits the U.S. from placing constraints on the export of natural resources

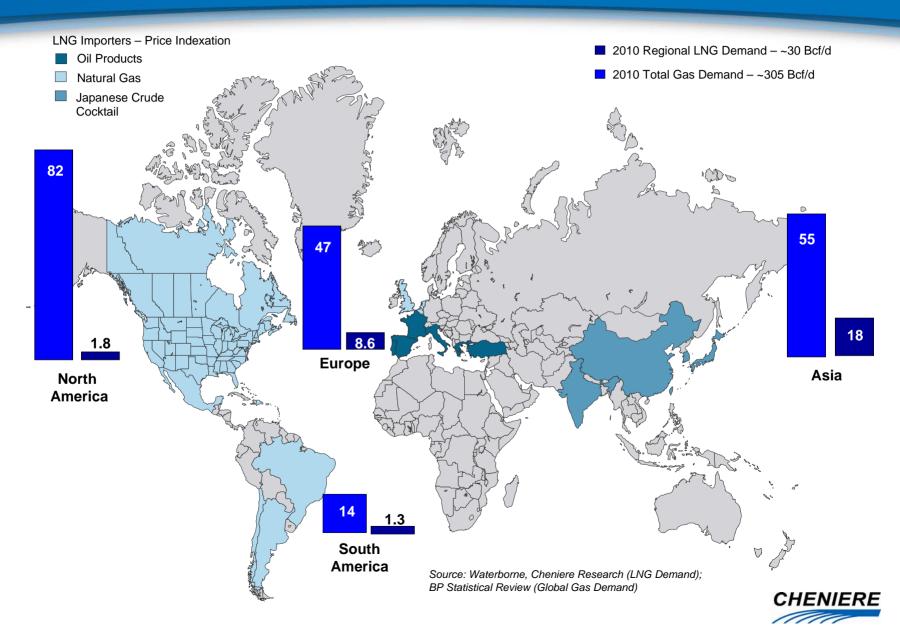


LNG Exports – U.S. Gas Price Impact

- Impact of LNG exports on U.S. gas prices has been evaluated by numerous industry forecasters (Deloitte, Navigant, Brookings, EIA)
- These experts are in agreement that the U.S. could export substantial volumes of natural gas as LNG with minimal impacts to U.S. gas prices
- Estimated proved, nonproducing reserves: 98 Tcf per EIA
- Production capacity vs. actual production
 - 2011 natural gas imports 5 Bcf/d in U.S., lowest in 19 years per EIA
- Volume response to price signals



Global LNG Markets Oil Indexation vs Gas Competition



Conclusions

- Resource base is enormous
 - Minimal impact on U.S. gas prices
- 12 Bcf/d of natural gas exports would reduce oil demand by almost 1.5 mm bpd
- Oil production increase in U.S. could be 3.4 mm bpd by 2020
- All very bearish indicators for oil prices

But...

- Emerging country demand, particularly China / India
- Political fragility of many producers, especially if prices dip under \$100 per barrel

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