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Examining the US Natural Gas Market 2018

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The American Gas Association, founded in 1918, represents more than 200 local energy companies that deliver clean natural gas throughout the United States. There are more than 74 million residential, commercial and industrial natural gas customers in the U.S., of which 94 percent more than 70 million customers receive their gas from AGA members. Today, natural gas meets more than one-fourth of the United States' energy needs.

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every day



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Water Heaters

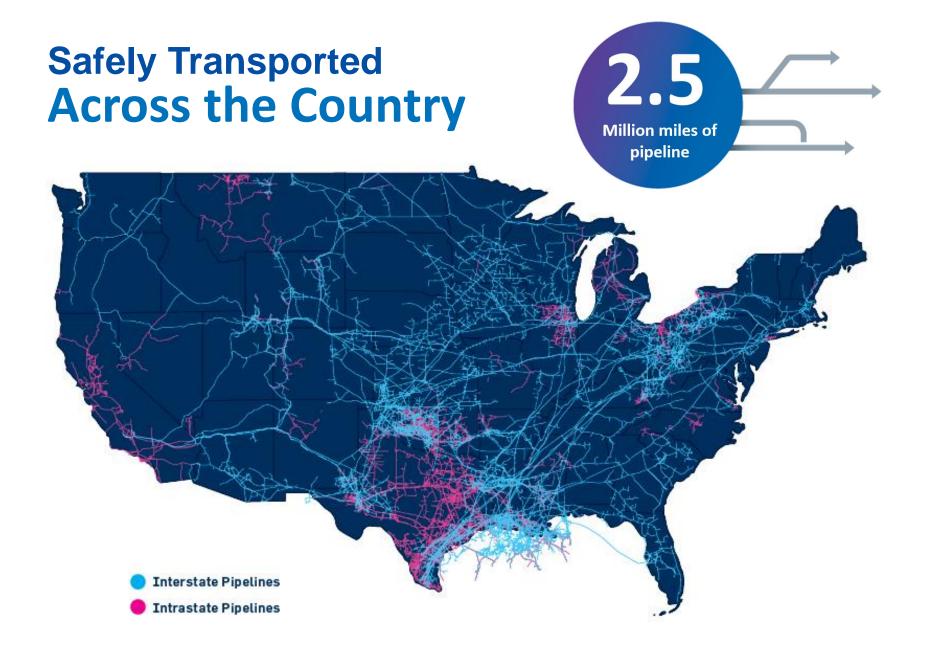
Gas Ranges, Ovens, & Cooktops

Furnaces

Standby Generators

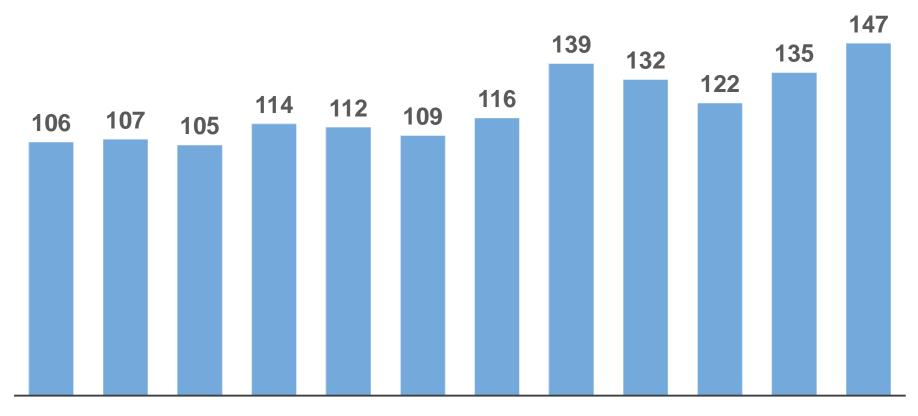
Outdoor — Living Spaces





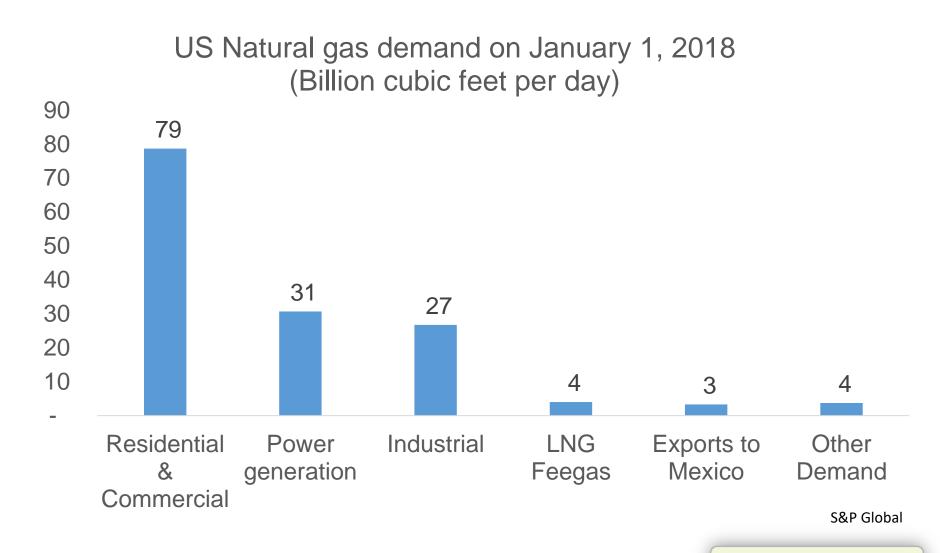
The US just experienced the single-largest gas consuming day in history

Peak Day Natural Gas Consumption (Bcf per day)

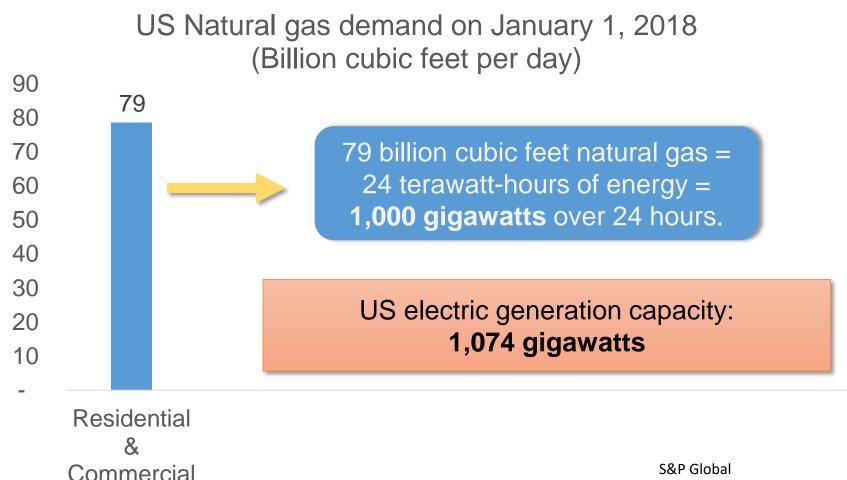


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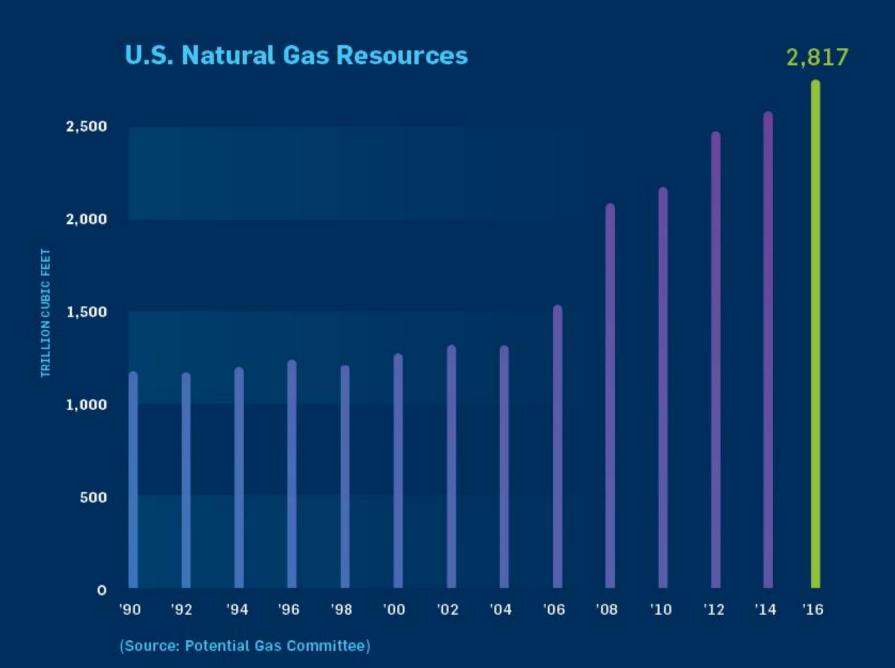
Residential & commercial demand spiked due to record cold temperatures.



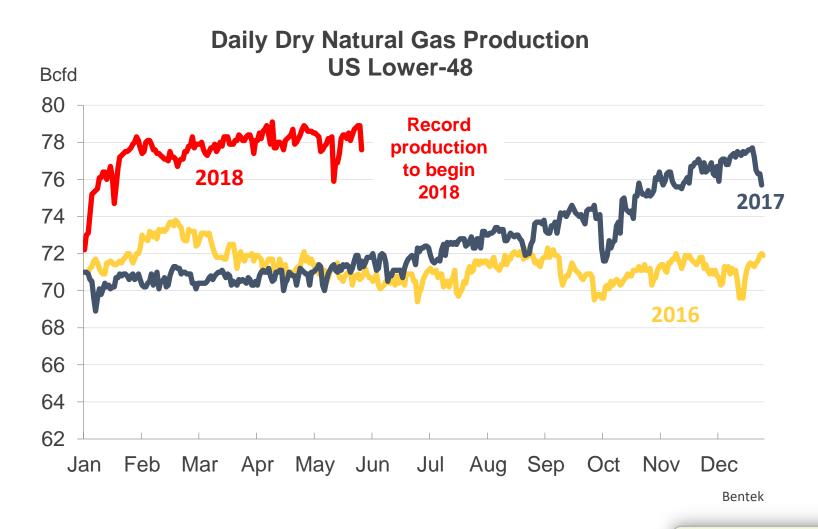
Residential & commercial demand: How much does 79 Bcf of natural gas represent?



S&P Global Net summer capacity, 2016, EIA

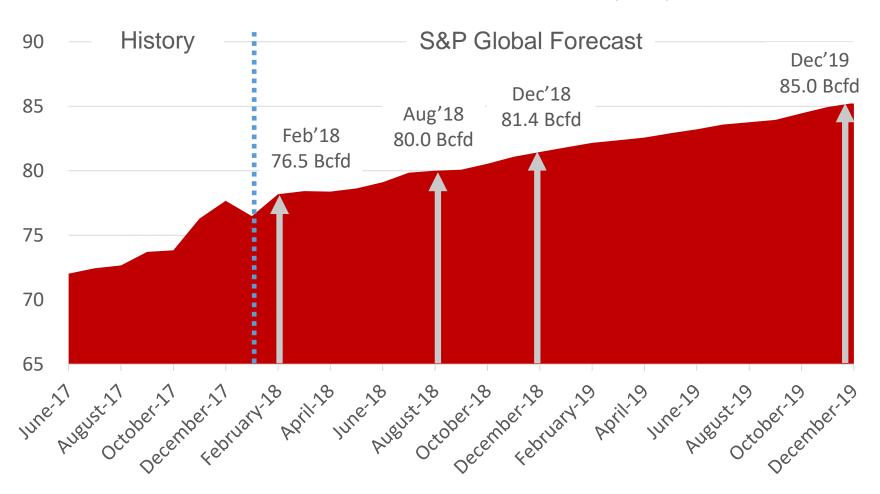


More drilling activity had an effect. Dry gas production rose steadily in 2017 and into 2018.



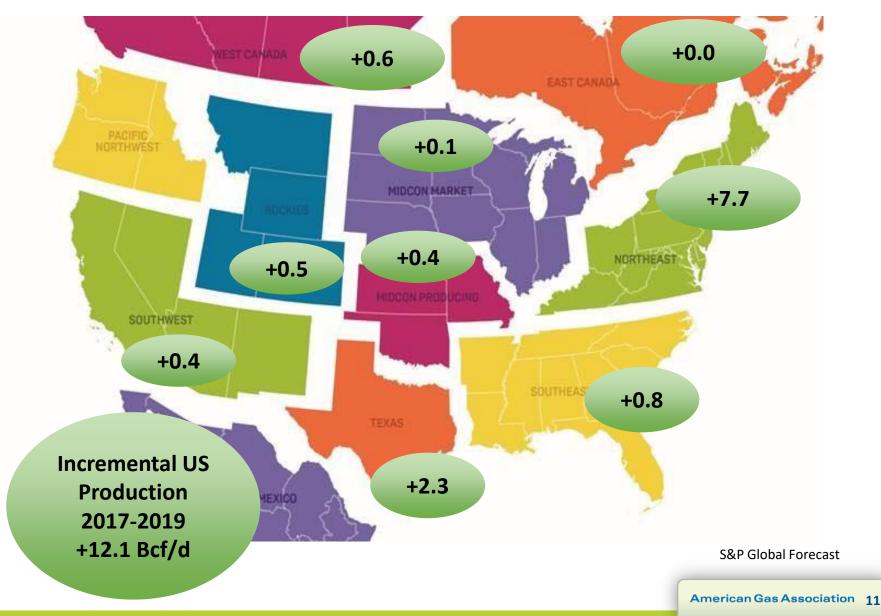
Where is domestic gas production headed?

Natural Gas Production, US Lower-48 (Bcfd)

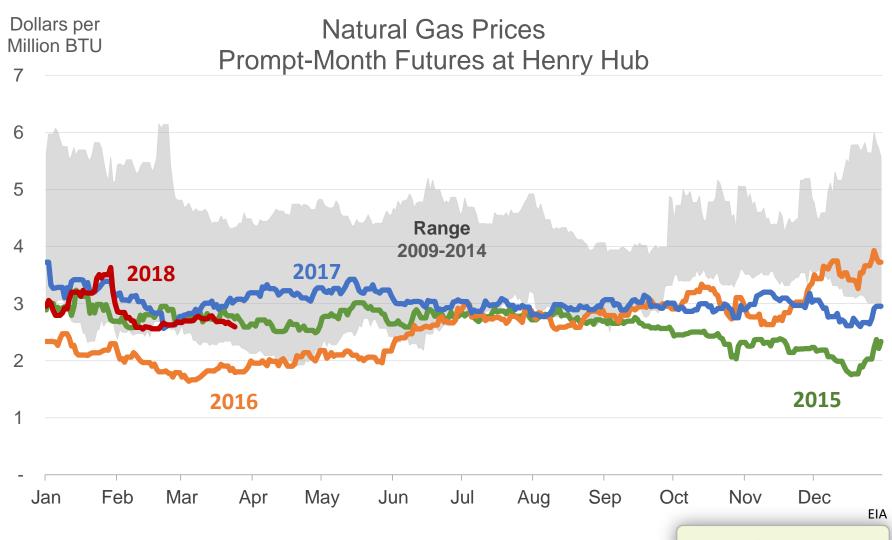


S&P Global Forecast

New natural gas production expected from all major basins, driven by Northeast and South

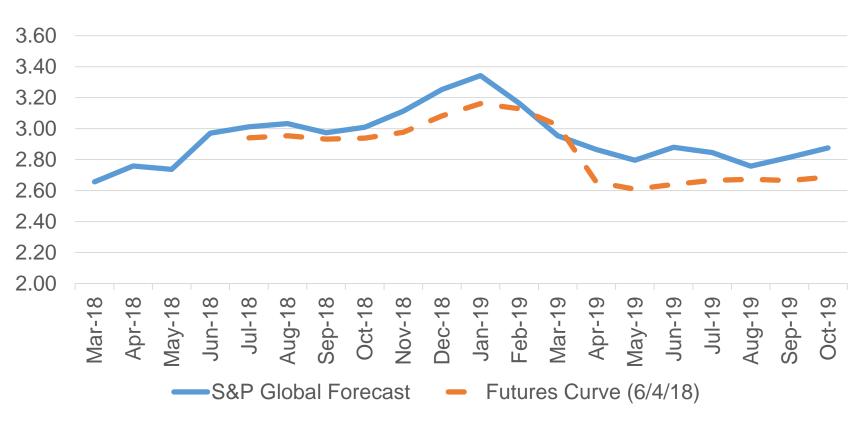


Natural gas prices have remained low compared to recent history for the past three years.

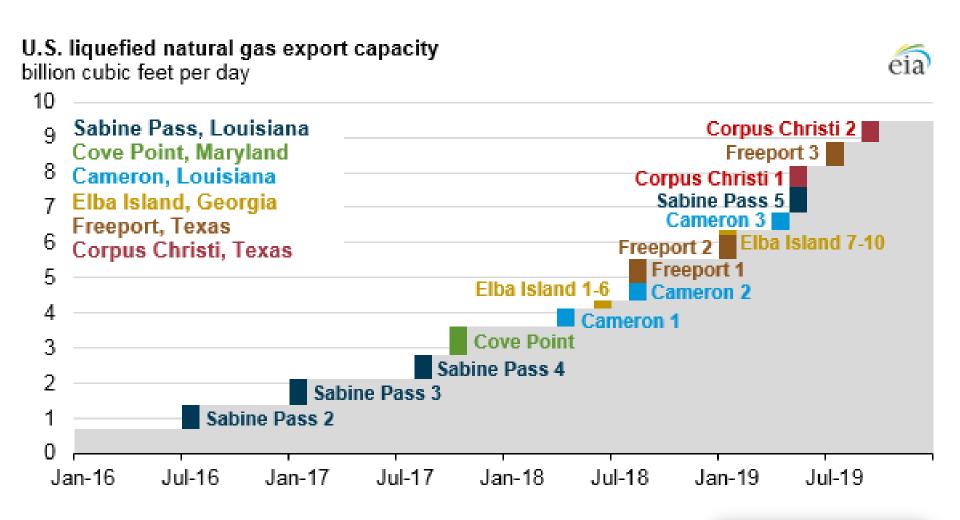


Analysts see growing production can be met at prices between \$2.50 - \$3.50 per MMBtu.



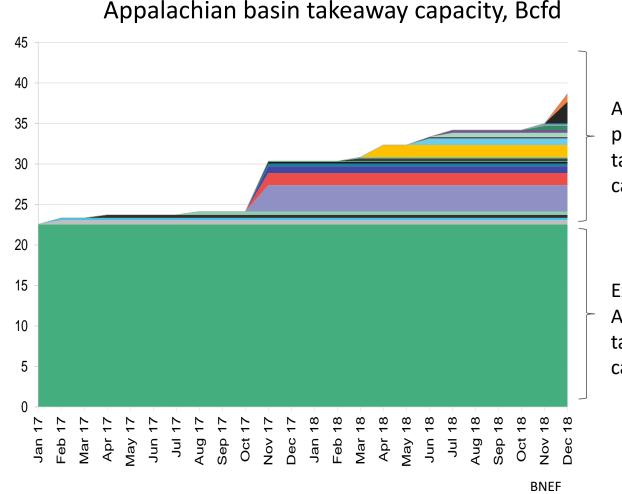


EIA expects US liquefaction capacity to reach 9.5 Bcfd by year-end 2019.



Significant new pipeline takeaway capacity





Additional planned takeaway capacity

Existing App Basin takeaway capacity

Expected to boost production over time, outflows straight away

First round of major greenfield projects for the region—round 2 (2018+ projects) will be less impactful on price



Impacts

Of Policy-Driven Residential

Electrification

There has been a shift in the types of policies proposed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

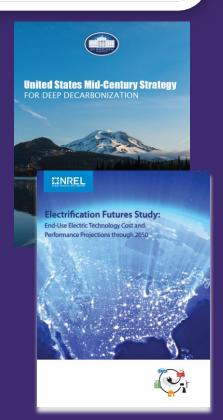
The key to tackling climate change: electrify everything

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Many studies
assume
electrification of
home heat as a
means to
decarbonization







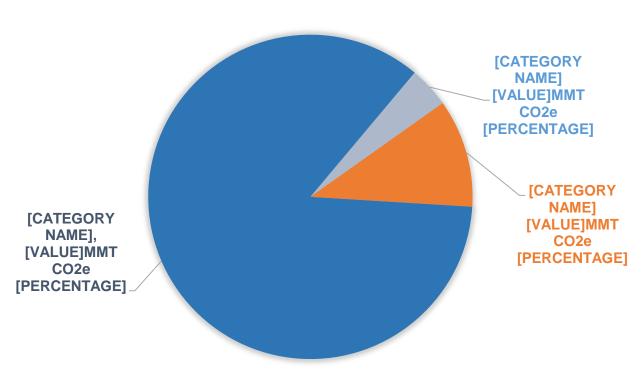
As the grid decarbonizes, the calls to "electrify everything" grow.

What happens when you electrify residential space and water heat?

Residential gas use is a small part of US GHG Emissions

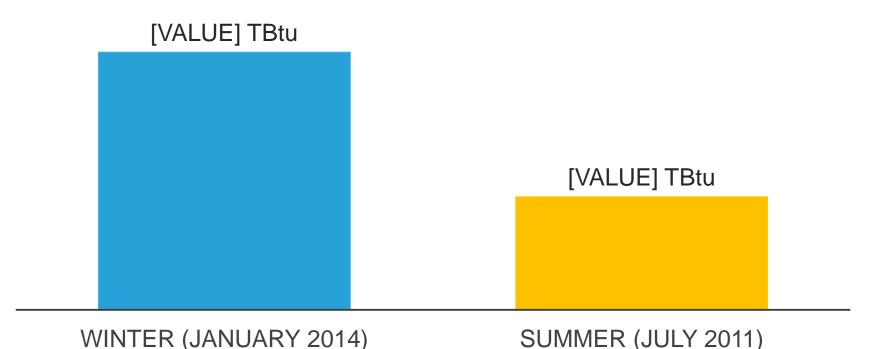
- Residential gas use is 4% of total GHG emissions.
- Residential electricity is 11%.
- Commercial gas use is 3%.

RESIDENTIAL NATURAL GAS ACCOUNTS FOR 4% OF TOTAL US GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS



Winter requires more energy than summer. Impacts of electrification must evaluate peak requirements

US Residential Monthly Winter & Summer Energy Consumption, Top Months 2010-2016



Source: EIA Monthly Energy Review

Policy-driven electrification of residential space and water heating will have significant impacts

- Consumer costs
- Infrastructure requirements
- Emissions
- Natural gas demand
- Regional differences



The abundance of North American natural gas is lowering energy costs to consumers and reducing emissions.

The market is turning a corner. Supply and demand are poised to grow to historic levels.

World Gas Conference 2018

In June 2018, energy industry leaders, policymakers and experts from around the world will come together in Washington, DC for the 27th World Gas Conference, the leading global natural gas industry event.



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