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Workshop on the economic impact of rising oil prices

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28 June 2006 European Parliament Brussels Room ASP 5G3 9.30h – 18.00h

9.30 - 12.30 Session 1

Macroeconomic consequences of rising oil prices

- Comparing previous oil price shocks to the current situation: Why does the economy react differently this time round (low inflation, so far no second-round effects)?
- What macroeconomic consequences can be expected from the current oil price situation?
 - inflation
 - demand
 - employment
 - growth
- Which macroeconomic policies would be appropriate?

Guest speakers:

- Dietrich Domanski, Head of Macroeconomic Monitoring Unit, BIS
- Marcelo Sanchez, Senior Economist, ECB
- Drs Han. de Jong, Chief Economist, ABN Amro

10.45 - 11.00 Coffee break

Consequences of rising oil prices for financial stability

- Is there speculation going on in the financial markets in a noticable volume? Are new instruments being created to speculate on oil price changes? Can speculation or the use of speculative instruments seriously endanger financial stability?
- How can the lack of transparency be tackled (Joint Oil Data Initiative)?
- Recycling of petrodollars
- Peak oil discussion

Guest speakers:

- Mr. Jeffrey Currie, Goldman Sachs, Managing Director and Head of Commodities Research
- Christie Sanders, Managing Director Sanders Research
- Pekka Lösönen, Eurostat Joint Oil Data Initiative Representative
- Dr C. Campbell, Chairman & Founder of the Association for the study of Peak Oil (ASPO)

14.30 - 18.00 Session 2

Microeconomic consequences of rising oil prices, competitiveness and taxation

- Sectoral impacts due to substitution effects based on the assumption of high standing oil prices. Who will be the winners/losers? Which are the impacts on economic sectors, notably on transport, petrochemicals, automotive, farming, tourism etc. Which types of substitution effects might occur?
- Potential impacts on trade due to rising transportation costs. Which are the impacts on division of work within firms and among firms, their current organisation being based on cheap transportation costs?
- How to take advantage of the move towards a new era of high oil prices in terms of competitiveness and new economic activities for the EU? Can public policies speed up the adaptation of the EU economy to an era of high oil/fossil energy prices? Which are the best policy tools: industrial policy, R&D policy, taxation? Is there room for economic policy to decrease the level of uncertainty about future energy situation? Which are the links with environmental considerations, notably environmental taxation?
- How to take into account all costs related with energy production, consumption and use, notably negative side effects (negative externalities) so that economic decisions are based on all parameters? How to better 'internalise' negative externalities due to oil consumption? Opportunity for an EU tax?

Guest speakers:

- David Baldock, Institute for European Environmental Policy
- Stephan Herbst, Toyota Motor Europe, Manager Environmental Analysis and Strategy
- Dr Manfred Meier, Director Technology Science, Volkswagen,
- Olivier Schaeffer, Policy Director, EREC

Panellist:

- Robert Klotz, European Commission, DG Comp, Unit Energy and Water

Geopolitics and Security of Supply

- Visionary and strategic assessment of the situation
- Are there competition issues on a global level? (oligopoly structure)
- Which would be the best structure of the EU energy market taking into account the need for security of supply?
- Oil versus gas repercussion on the gas market and gas price changes
- New industrial revolution, futuristic visionary thinking, moving towards an exit from oil dependency
- To which extent can renewable energy contribute to security of supply? Which renewable energy should be preferred? Which are the drawbacks of renewable energies? Are all renewable energies neutral for the environment?

Guest speakers:

- Dr Hasan Qabazard, Director Research Division, OPEC
- Mr Pierre Sigonney, Strategy Department of Total

- Raphael Sauter, SPRU Energy Group University of Sussex (author of Exploiting the oil GDP effect to support renewables redeployed)

- Alexandre Clauwaert, Strategy department Suez (gas, electricity and renewables)

Panellist:

- Ioannis Samoulidis, European Commission, DG Tren, Energy Policy and Security of Supply

Session I

Part 1: Macroeconomic consequences of rising oil prices



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Why is the current oil price shock different? A macroeconomic assessment

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Dietrich Domanski Head of Macroeconomic Monitoring Bank for International Settlements

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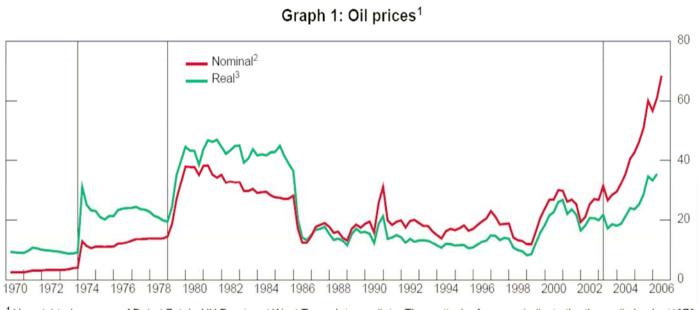


Overview

- How large is the current oil price shock compared to those in the 1970s?
- Why have oil importing economies been much more resilient than in the past?
- Will the effects of high energy prices remain benign?



Oil prices have reached new record highs in nominal terms and have risen sharply in real terms...

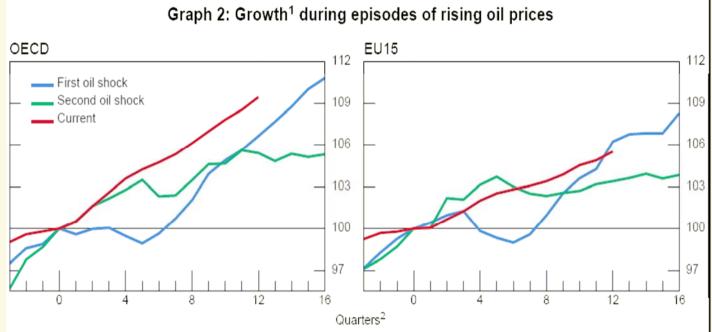


¹ Unweighted average of Dubai Fateh, UK Brent and West Texas Intermediate. The vertical references indicate the three oil shocks (1973 Q4, 1978 Q4 and 2003 Q1). ² In US dollars per barrel. ³ Deflated by consumer prices in the euro area; base year 1990; in euros per barrel.

Sources: Bloomberg; national data.



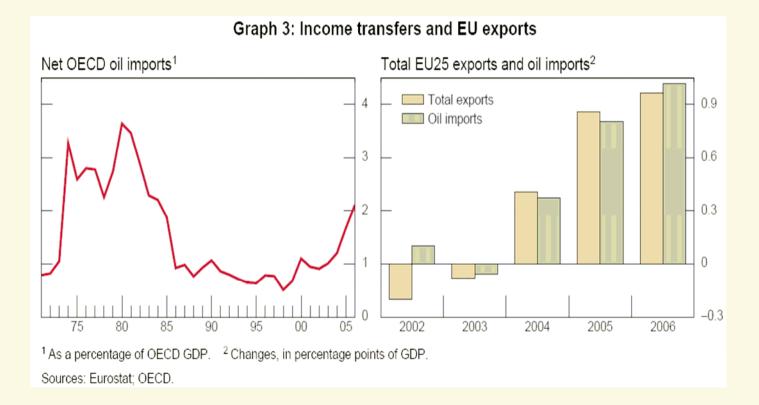
...while the economic upswing has remained intact in oil importing countries



¹ Measured by real GDP. ² Zero quarters correspond to 1973 Q4 (first oil shock), 1978 Q4 (second oil shock) and 2003 Q1 (current). Sources: OECD; Datastream; national data.

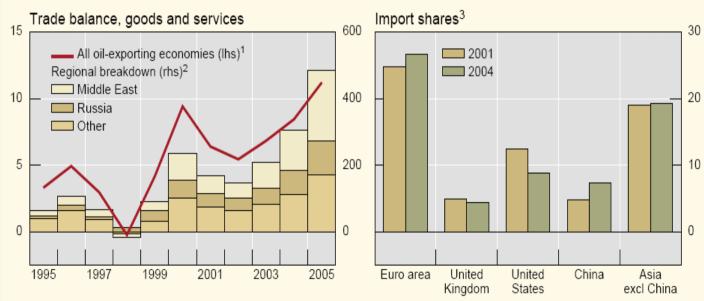


The income effect of rising oil prices has been much smaller than in the past...





...and the re-spending of petrodollars has helped European exporters

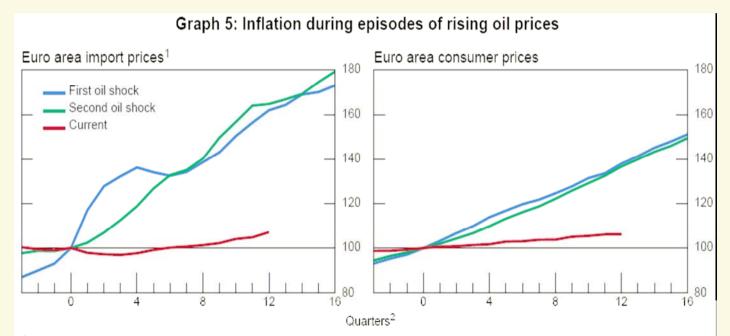


Graph 4: Indicators of oil revenue spending

¹ As a percentage of GDP. ² In billions of US dollars. ³ Market share of selected economies in OPEC imports. Sources: ECB; IMF.



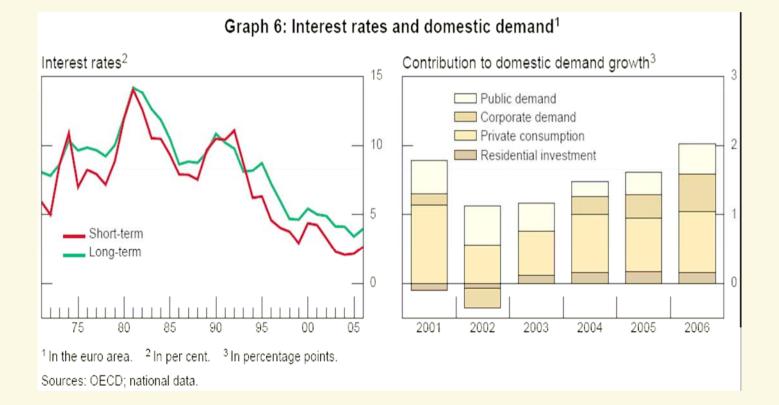
Inflation has remained subdued...



¹ Goods and services; prior to 1991, weighted average of France, Germany, Italy and Spain, based on 2000 GDP and PPP exchange rates. ² Zero quarters correspond to 1973 Q4 (first oil shock), 1978 Q4 (second oil shock) and 2003 Q1 (current). Source: National data.

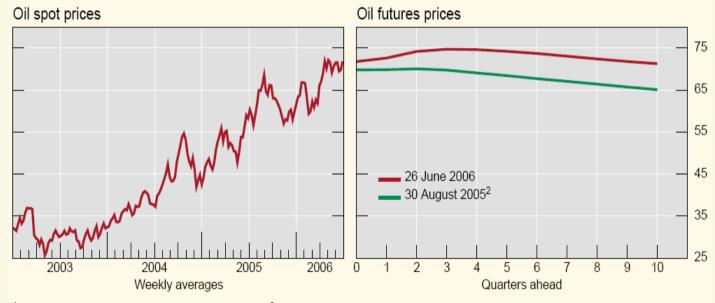


...supporting domestic demand growth through easy financing conditions





Oil prices are expected to remain high...

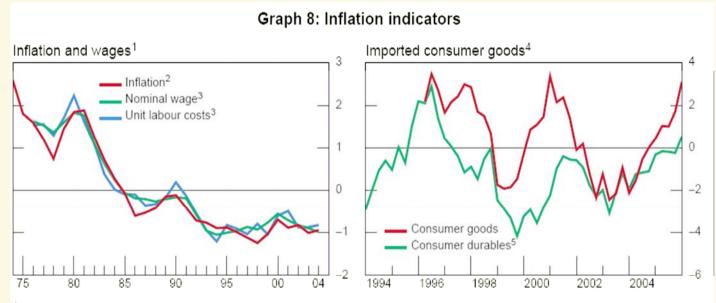


Graph 7: Oil spot and futures prices¹

¹ West Texas Intermediate; in US dollars/barrel. ² Date of peak in WTI spot price prior to 2006. Source: Bloomberg.



...while inflation risks might at some point rise

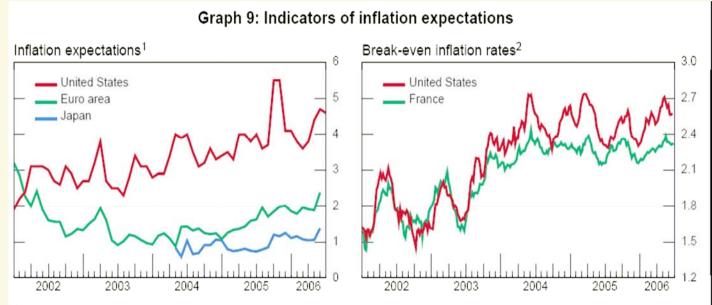


¹ Common factors among OECD countries. Normalised data, measured as the difference between the indicator and its sample average, expressed in points of standard deviation. ² Changes in consumer prices. ³ Business sector. ⁴ Weighted averages of the United States, the euro area and Japan, based on 2000 GDP and PPP exchange rates; changes over four quarters, in per cent. ⁵ United States and Japan.

Sources: National data; BIS calculations.



Credible monetary policy has helped to avoid second round effects



¹ Expected change, in per cent, in consumer prices over the next 12 months, based on consumer surveys; for the euro area, figures are normalised by mean and variance of actual HICP inflation rate; for Japan, figures are calculated from shares of ranges in the questionnaire. ² Difference between nominal and index-linked yields on 10-year government bonds; index-linked yields are based on TIPS for the United States and OATi for France.

Sources: Cabinet Office, Government of Japan; European Commission; University of Michigan; Bloomberg; national data; BIS calculations.



Conclusion

- Oil prices have risen primarily because of strong global demand growth and not disruptions of oil supply.
- Low and stable inflation has mitigated the impact of rising energy prices on oil importing countries.
- But concerns about oil supply have grown and inflation risks seem to have increased recently.



Oil price shocks and macroeconomic developments

Marcelo Sánchez European Central Bank

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Outline

- Transmission channels
- The evidence
- Additional remarks

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Transmission channels

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Transmission channels

Oil price shocks are expected to have

- supply-side effects: higher inflation and lower real output
- terms-of-trade effects: support aggregate demand in oil exporting countries and lower it in oil importing countries

Outline

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The evidence

Empirical analysis favours non-linear models

- non-linear models predict larger macroeconomic impact that the linear one
- "scaled" model rescales oil prices taking into account their changing variability over time

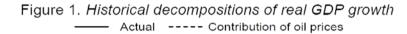
The evidence: A 100% oil price shock

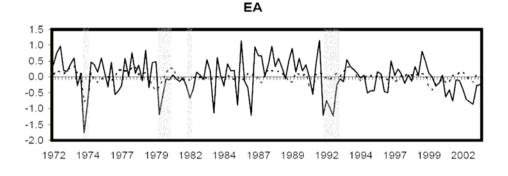
A) Linear mod	real GDP growth		inflation			
Economies	after 1 year	after 2 years	after 1 year after 2 years			
Euro area	-0.5	-1.3	1.7	1.6		
France	-0.7	-2.0	2.5	3.1		
Germany	-0.2	-0.5	1.1	1.2		
Italy	-0.5	-1.8	3.9	4.4		
US	-1.2	-2.7	3.2	4.4		
B) Scaled model						
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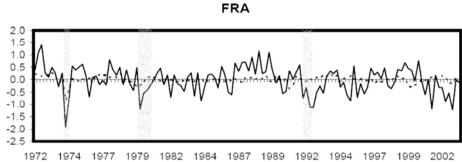
The evidence: How much the shock explains

Non-linear model						
	real GDP growth		inflation			
Economies	after 1 year	after 2 years	after 1 year	after 2 years		
Euro area	6.0	9.1	10.1	6.7		
France	6.0	8.7	16.1	12.3		
Germany	1.0	1.9	3.1	2.6		
Italy	6.2	7.7	14.2	10.1		
US	3.8	5.0	8.4	5.9		

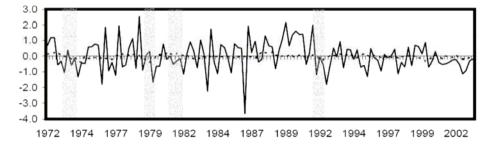
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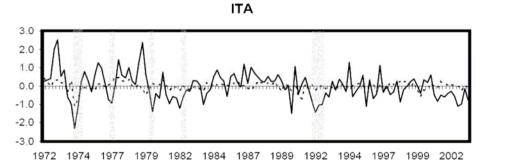


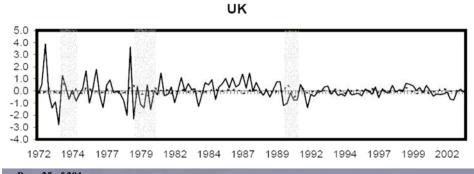




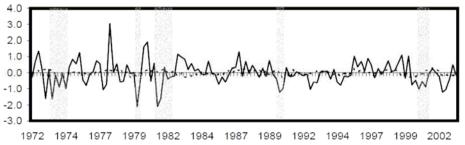










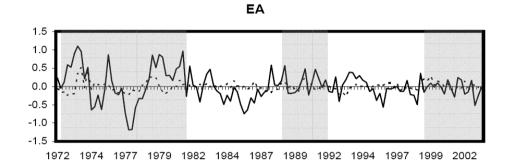


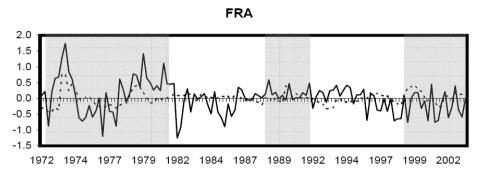
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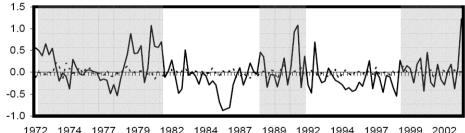
Figure 4. Historical decompositions of inflation Actual ---- Contribution of oil prices

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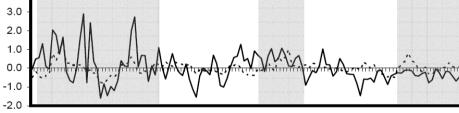




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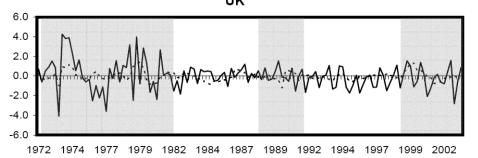
1997 1999

2002



ITA





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Outline

Transmission channels

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Additional remarks

Labour market

- oil shocks found to lower real wages and raise unemployment

Long-run growth

- oil shocks seen as discouraging investment, with an adverse effect on capacity expansion

First versus second round effects

- hard to disentangle; both likely to play a role

[The end]



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Key areas of focus

- Differences between various oil price shocks and the implications
- Desirable policy response



Different impact 70s/80s versus now

- Smaller impact on inflation
- Smaller negative impact on economic activity



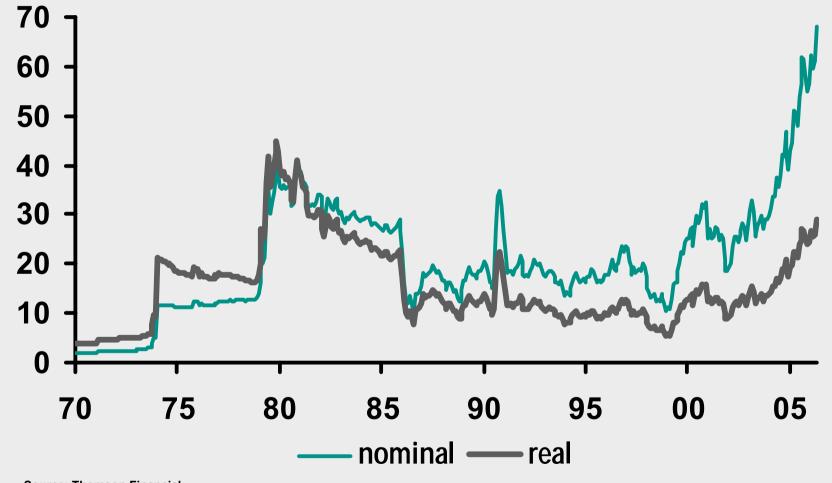
Differences with 1970s and 1980s

- Magnitude of oil price rise
- Importance of the oil price
- Cause of the oil price rise
- Economic setting
 - Transmission process
 - Policy setting



Oil price (USD/barrel)

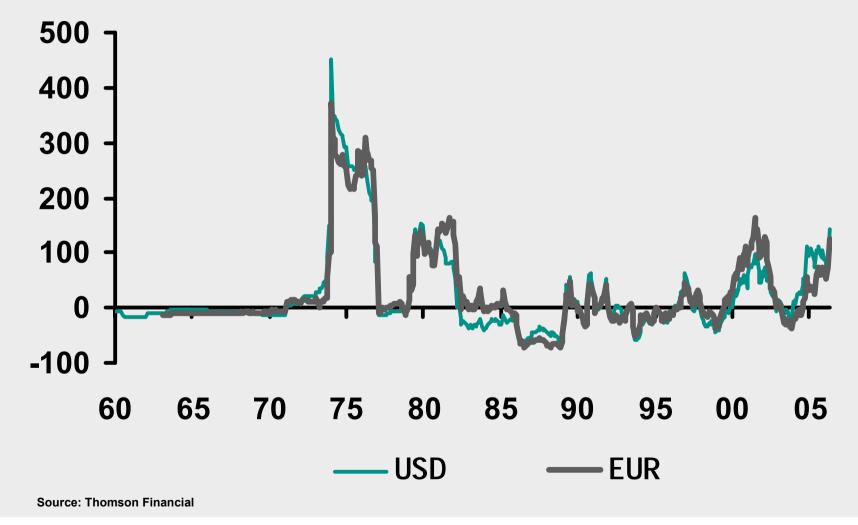
1980: real = nominal



Source: Thomson Financial

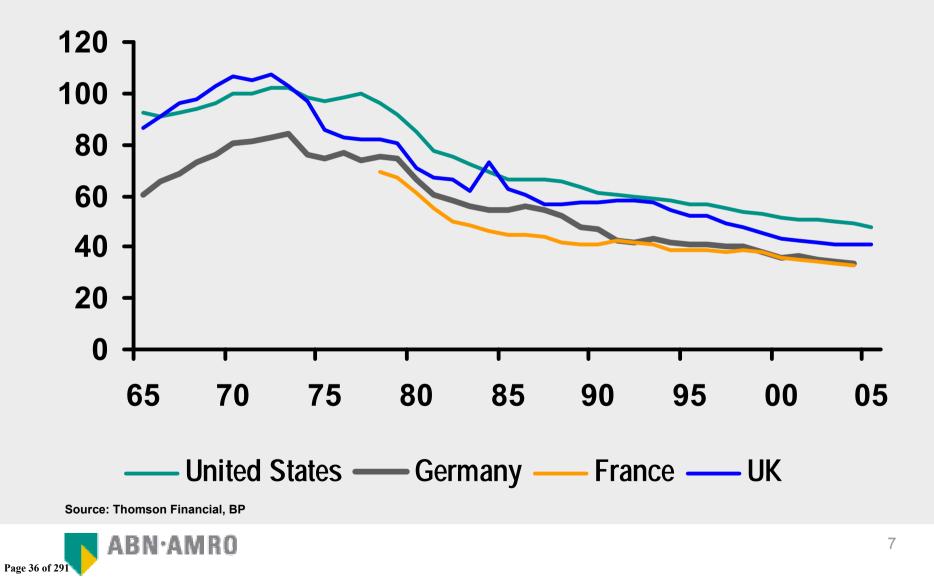


36 months cumulative change of real oil price



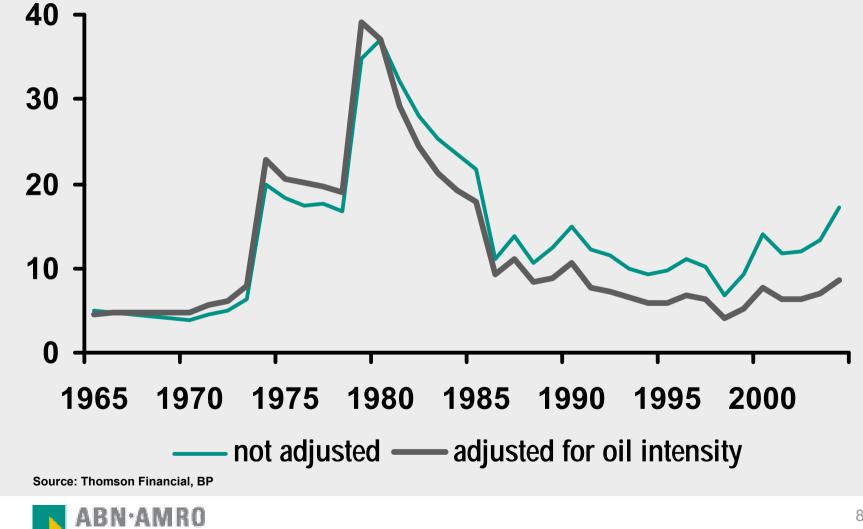


Oil use per unit of real GDP US 1970=100



Real oil price USD/barrel

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Cause of oil price increase

- 70s and 80s: exogenous shocks
- Now: demand driven disturbance of supply-demand balance



Economic setting

- Transmission process globalisation has put a lid on inflation (temporary or permanent?)
- Policy setting: monetary policy



Conclusions economic impact

- Inflation remains a risk
- Modest growth impact
- Redistribution of wealth to oil exporters



Desirable policy response

- Monetary policy?
- General government
 - Lower fuel taxes?
 - Budgetary stimulus?
 - Tax oil industry's profits?
 - Market transparancy?
 - Stimulate alternatives?



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Part 2: Consequences of rising oil prices for financial stability

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Reassessing long-term commodity prices

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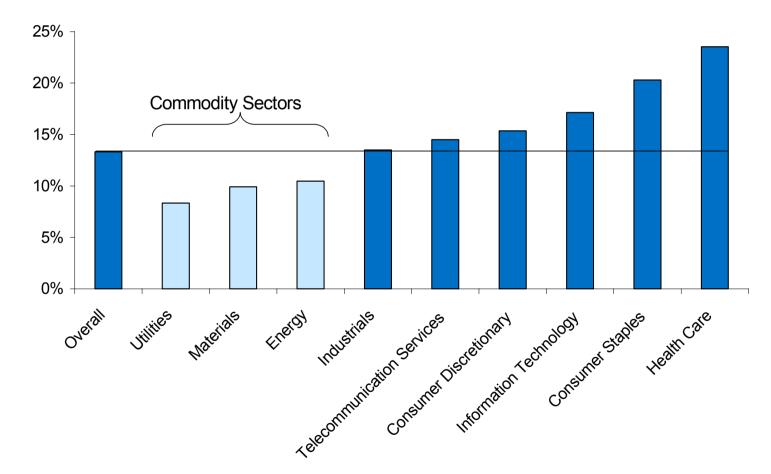


The revenge of the old economy



Poor returns in commodity sectors led investment to flow elsewhere

Cash Return on Cash Invested S&P 500 excluding Financial sector, 1991- 2000 Average Return

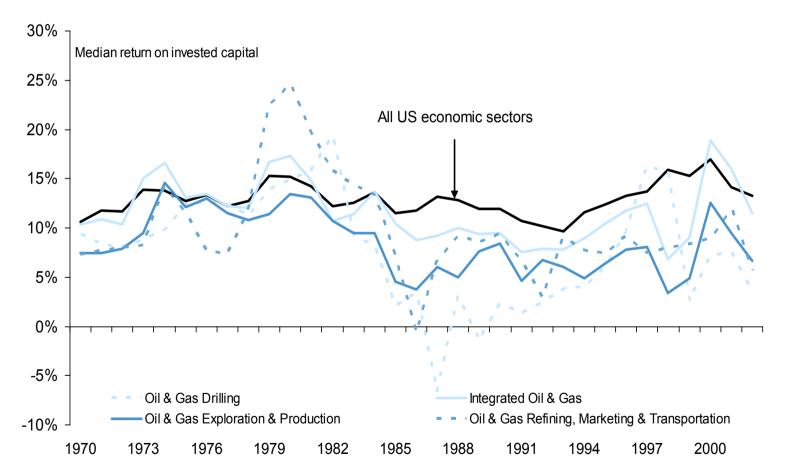


Source: Compustat and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.



Return on capital employed in energy sectors has remained below that in the rest of the economy, leading to underinvestment in energy market infrastructure

percent return



Source: Compustat and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.



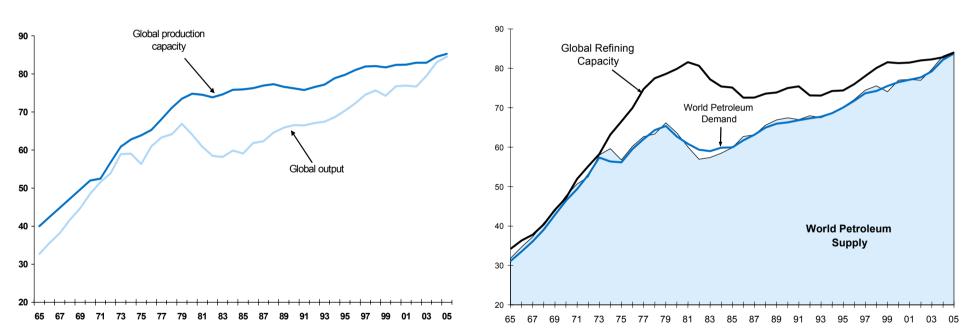
The transition between an exploitation phase and an investment phase: The revenge of the old economy, Part II

The industry has exhausted spare capacity, ending an exploitation phase and beginning a new investment phase

Global oil production and capacity

Global refining capacity

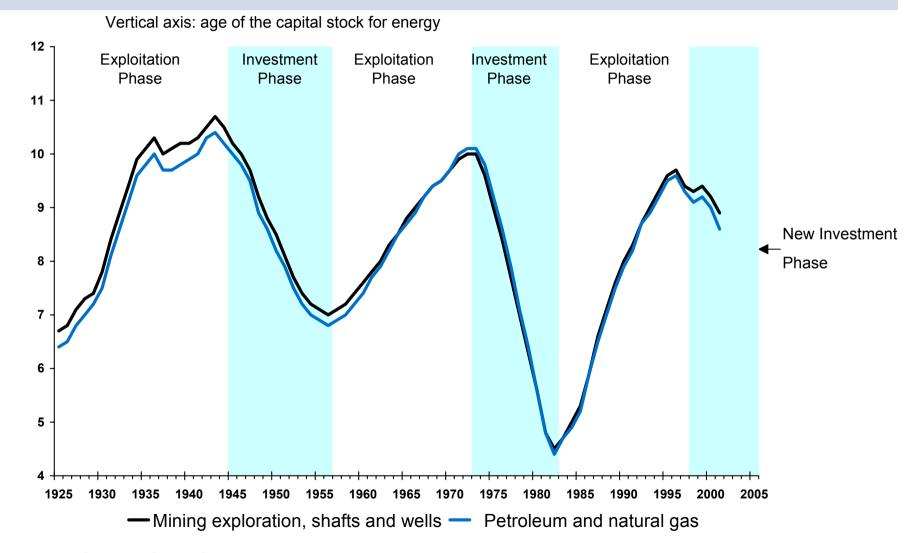
million b/d



million b/d

Source: International Energy Agency (IEA) and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research and DOE.

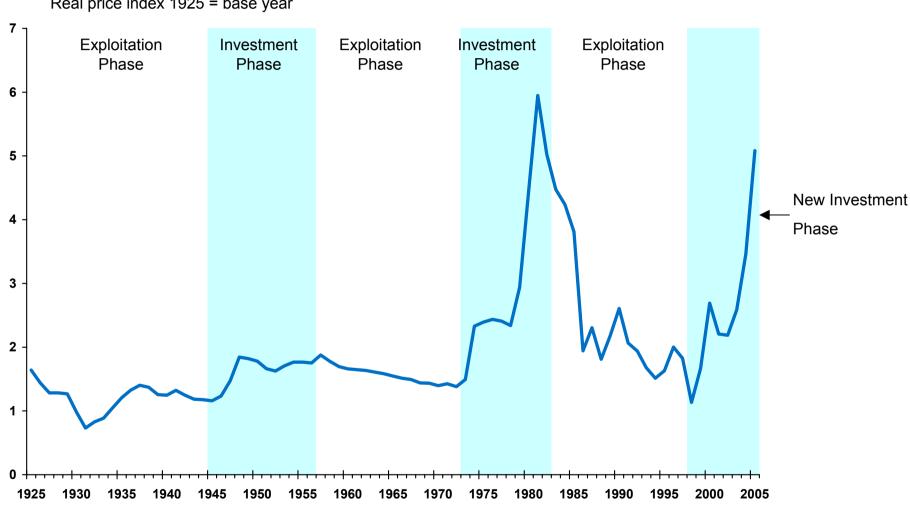
The market has experienced similar investment phases in the past that lasted c. 10-15 years



Source: BEA and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

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Investment phases are typically characterised by rising prices, while prices decline during exploitation phases



Real price index 1925 = base year

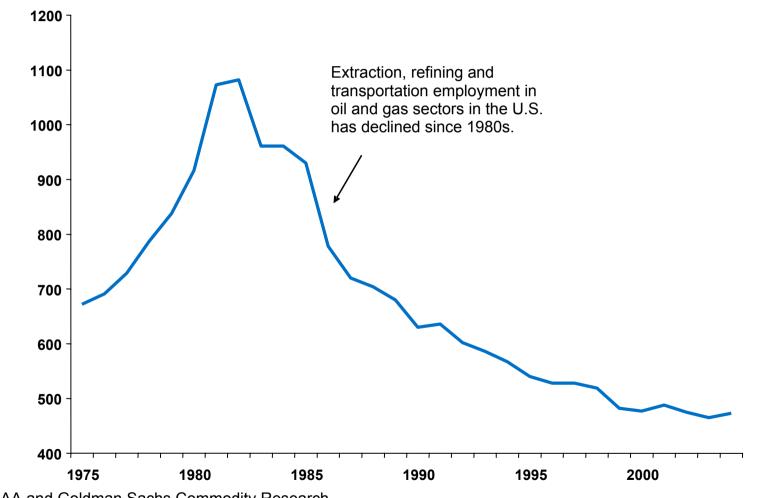
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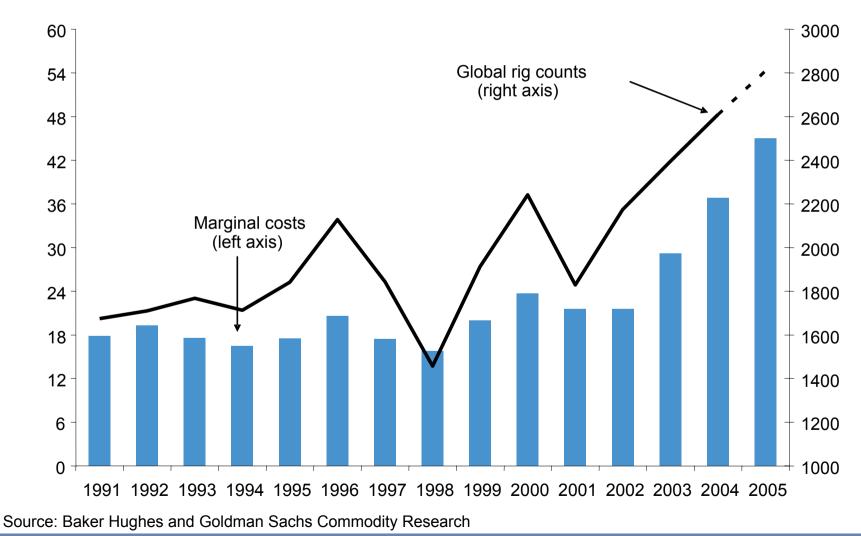
Project complexity requires a well-trained labour force, which is currently very limited





As investment rises, costs rise as demand for greenfield projects increases against limited resources: reserve access, technology and labour

Left axis: \$/bbl, right axis: rig count



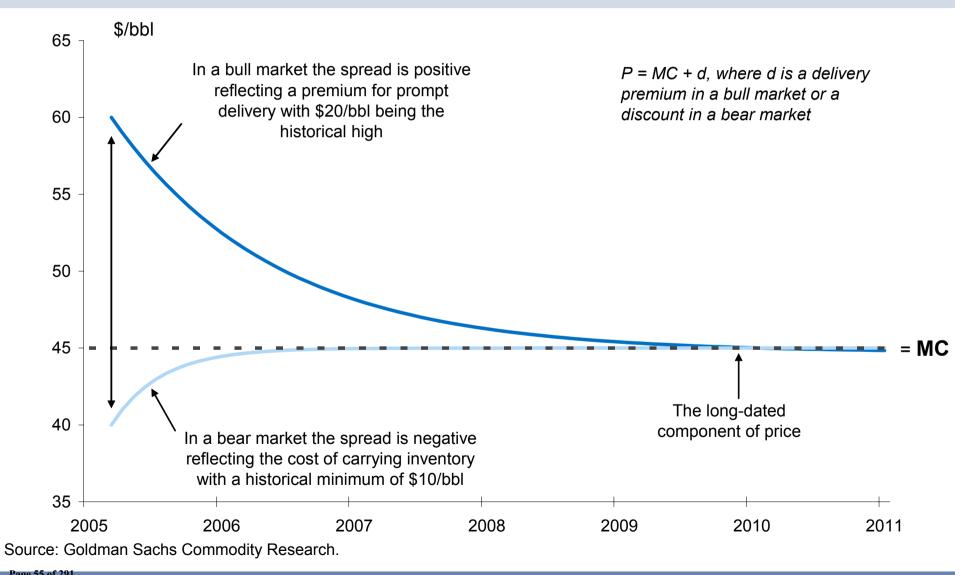
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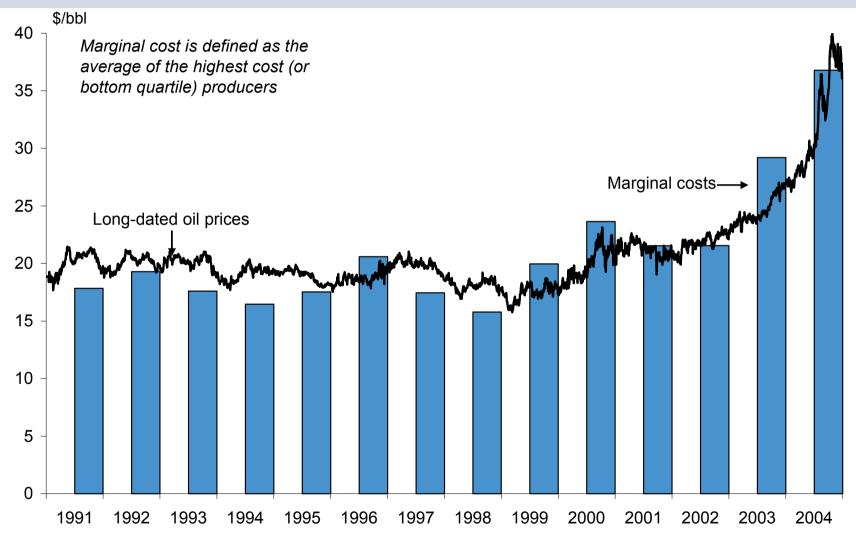


Cost structure drives long-term price while fundamentals drive curve shape

The key is to decompose the long-term oil price into (1) the long-dated oil price, and (2) the spread between the spot and long-dated oil price



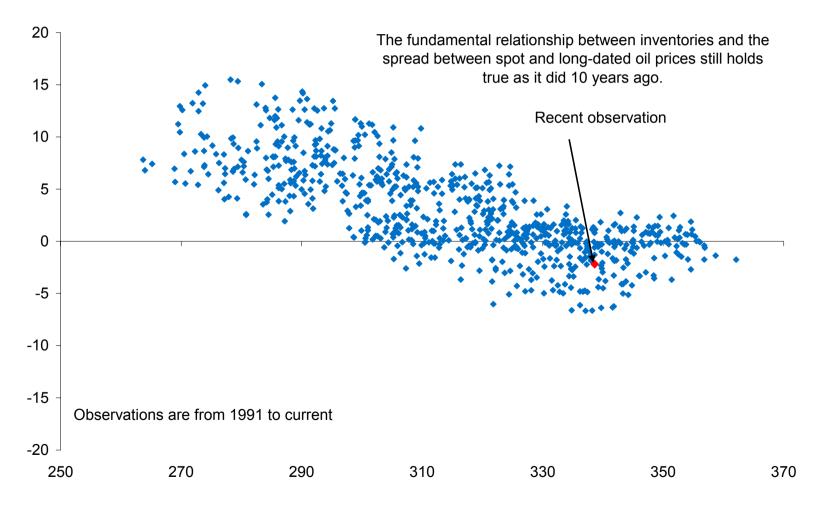
The rise in marginal costs has pushed up longdated oil prices



Source: Department of Energy and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

The fundamentals are priced into the spread between spot and long-dated prices

Spot – 5-yr forward price in \$/bbl (vertical axis); US crude stocks in millions of barrels (horizontal axis)

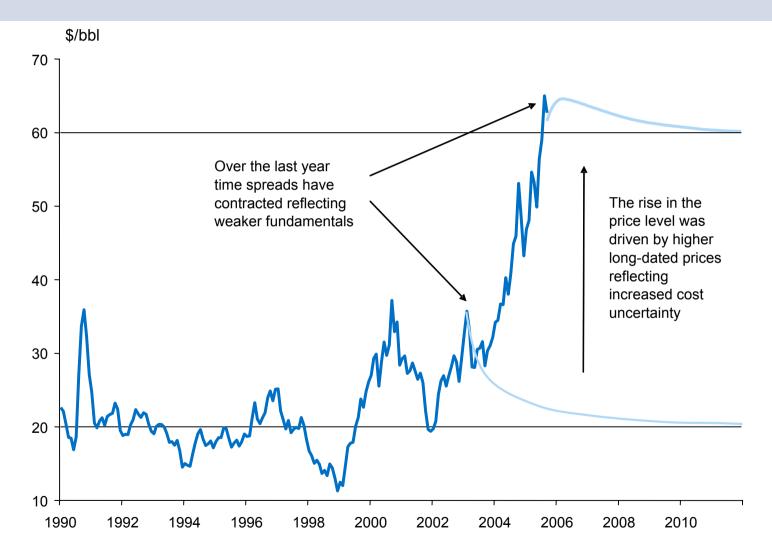


Source: Department of Energy and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.



A cyclical bear market at \$70/bbl

The rise in long-dated prices has dragged up spot prices despite weakening time spreads



Source: Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

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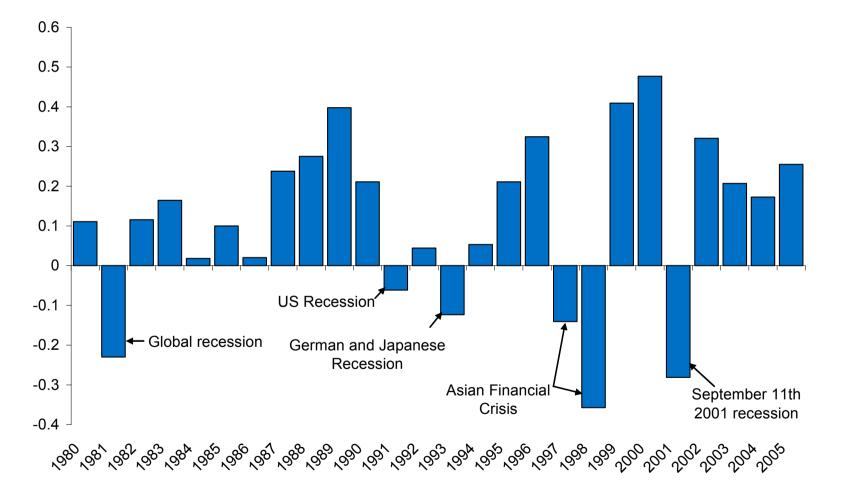


Rebalancing the oil market



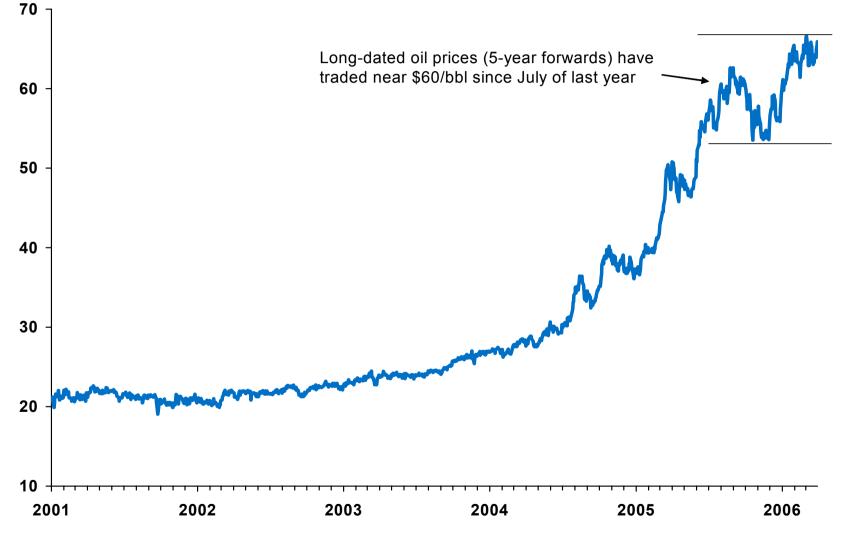
Rule of thumb: Commodity returns are pro-cyclical as negative returns are mostly associated with economic downturns





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Is the secular repricing of oil complete? If so, we expect a cyclically strong market for energy in 2006

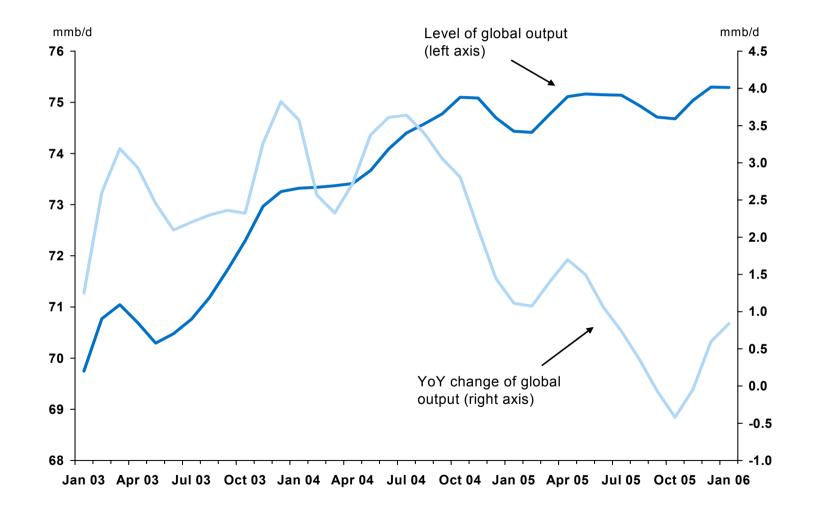


Source: Goldman Sachs Commodities Research.

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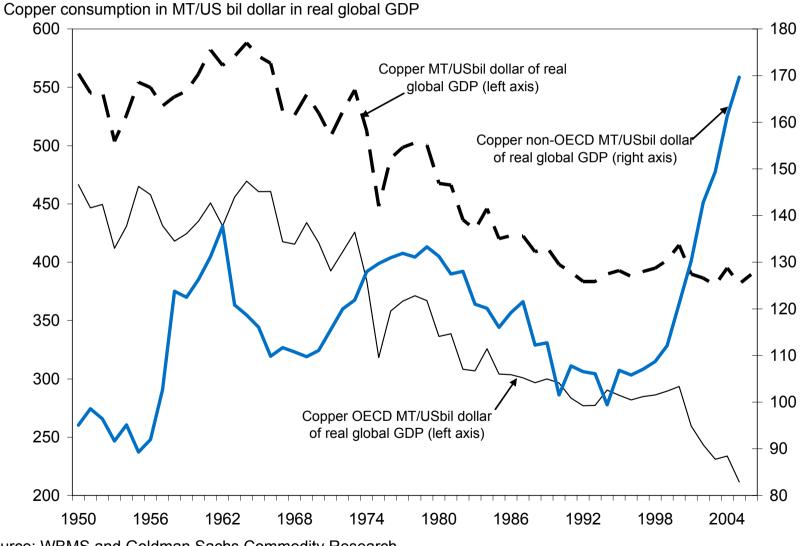
As global oil output has not grown since November 2004, only modest demand growth will shift the balance





Are metals going to follow energy in 2006?

Metals consumption has been driven by a massive infrastructure boom in the Non-OECD



Source: WBMS and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research

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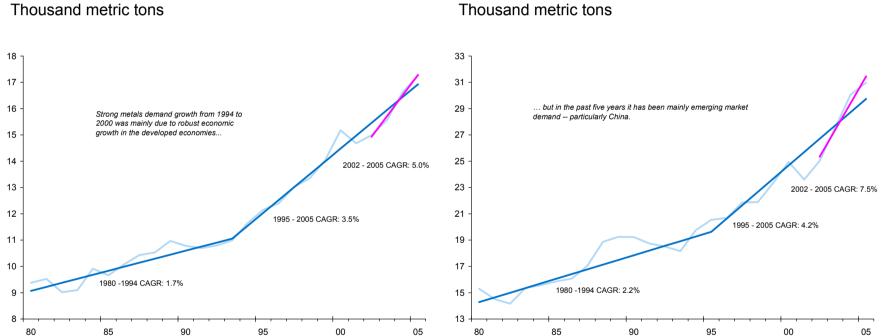
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This has created an acceleration in global metals demand since the mid-1990s

Global aluminum consumption

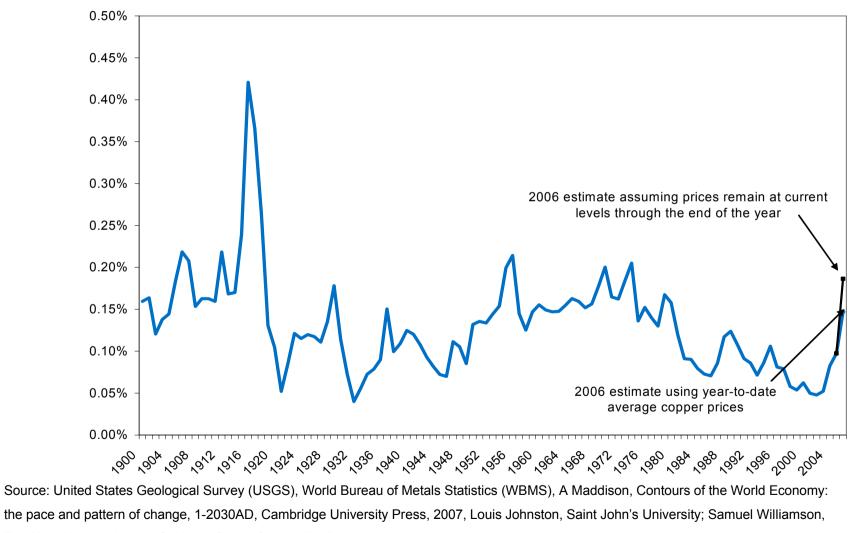
Global copper consumption



Thousand metric tons

Source: CRU, WBMS, Goldman Sachs Commodities Research.

Globally, the value of copper consumption as a share of GDP is still below the levels of the 1960/70s when Japan built infrastructure



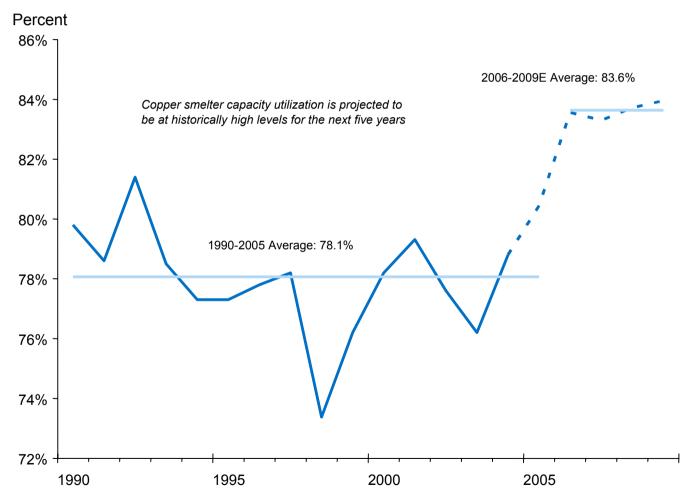
The Miami University and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research

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Strong demand growth and a modest pace of investment suggest production bottlenecks will become more frequent

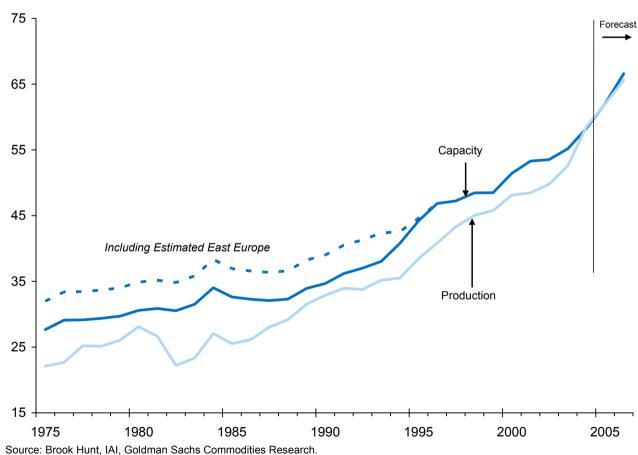
Copper smelting capacity utilization



Source: CRU, Goldman Sachs Commodities Research.

Alumina capacity is now exhausted

Global alumina capacity and production

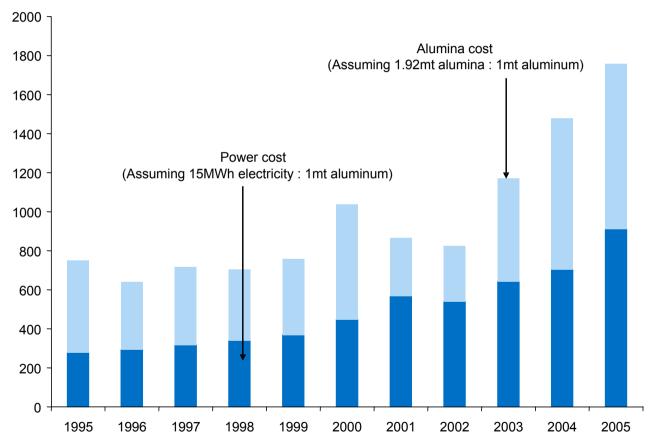


Million metric tons

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Production costs for metals are up sharply

Input costs for aluminum production US\$/mt



Source: Platts, Metals Bulletin and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

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Metals producers are facing an increasingly difficult operating environment

Producer country governments are raising taxes

Examples: Chile has just adopted a new tax law which will require mining companies to pay up to 5% of operating income, while the new Peruvian tax requiring payment of up to 3% of mineral sales has just become effective

Labour unions are demanding higher pay

Examples: Just in copper in recent months, we have the strike at Asarco, as well as labour actions at KCM and Chambishi in Zambia, and Zaldivar and Escondida Norte in Chile

Opposition from local communities is increasing

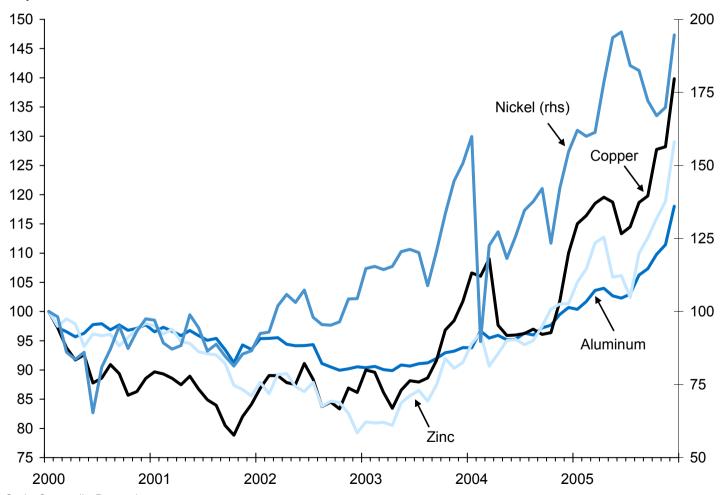
Example: BHP pays 3% of the Tintaya mine's profits to Peruvian community groups, but unrest continues

Infrastructure to support mining operations is inadequate

Example: Heavy Chinese investment is needed in Brazilian rail and port infrastructure to allow the further development of the Brazilian resource extraction industry

As a result, long-dated prices are beginning to rise in metals as well

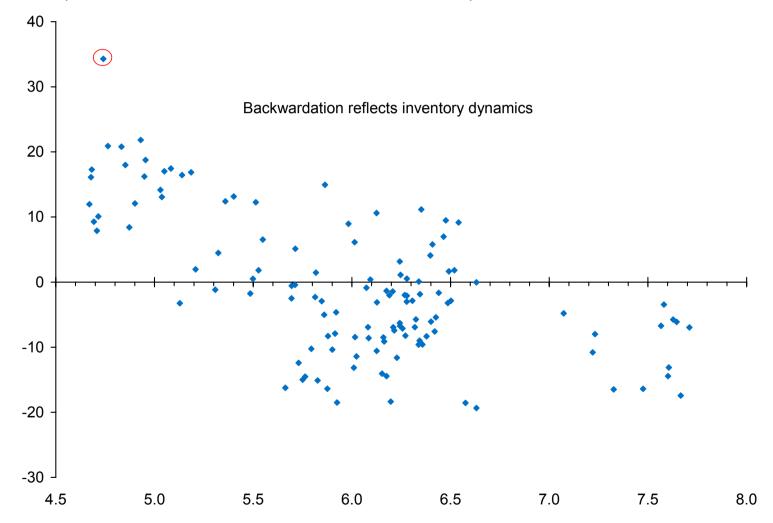
Five-year forward prices Index, January 2000 = 100t



Source: Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

Aluminum 3mo to 5yr backwardation vs. visible inventories

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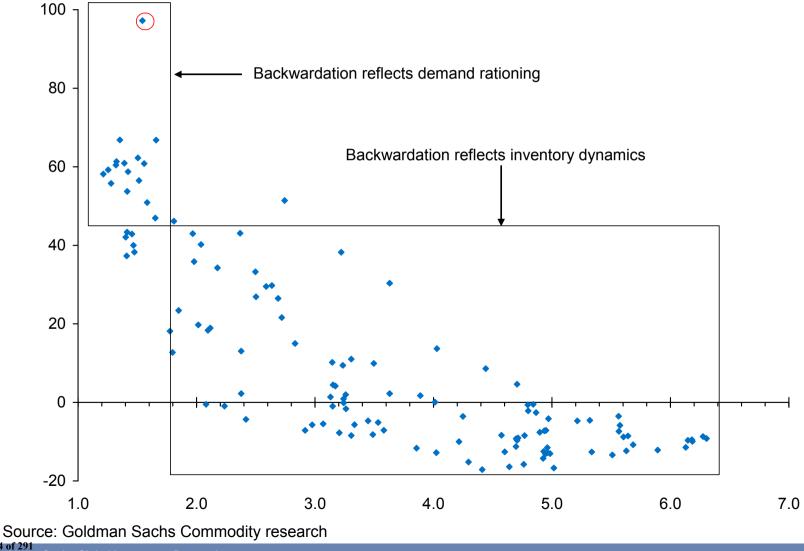


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Copper 3mo to 5yr backwardation vs. visible inventories

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Prices across most of the commodities remains well below historical real peaks with the exception of zinc

Real prices in 2006 dollars

	Crude oil NYMEX \$/bbl	Gold COMEX \$/oz	Silver COMEX \$/oz	Copper LME \$/MT	Zinc LME \$/MT	Nickel LME \$/MT	Aluminum LME \$/MT
Monthly prices							
Max	84.04	1748	90.98	11930	3057	29254	4785
Max Date	Mar-81	Sep-80	Jan-80	Apr-74	Feb-89	Feb-89	Jun-88
April 2006	70.16	612	12.65	6320	3041	18047	2647
April 2006 % Max	83%	35%	14%	53%	99%	62%	55%
Daily prices							
Max	NA	2091	104.06	13103	3470	30173	5396
Max Date	NA	1/21/80	1/21/80	5/6/74	5/9/06	1/3/89	6/1/88
Recent peak	NA	702	14.52	7815	3470	20000	3012
Recent peak % Max	NA	34%	14%	60%	100%	66%	56%

Source: BP, NYMES, R Shiller, Irrational exuberance, Princeton 2005 and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research



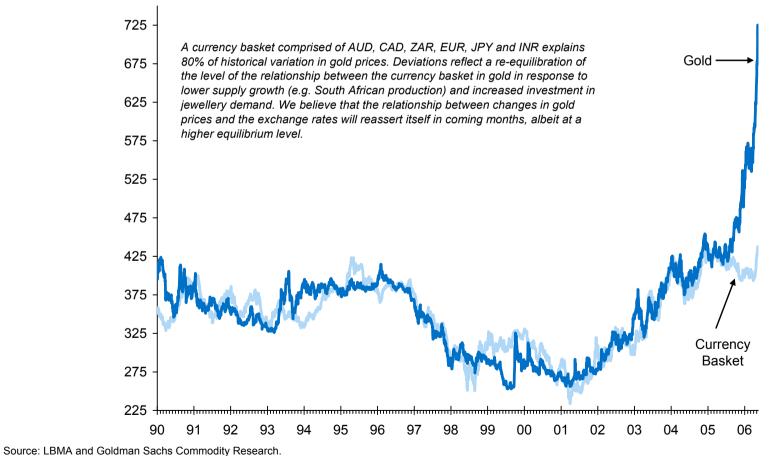
Gold has diverged from fundamentals

We believe gold is well supported over the long run

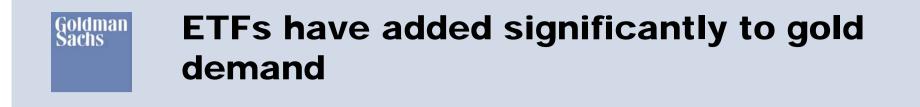
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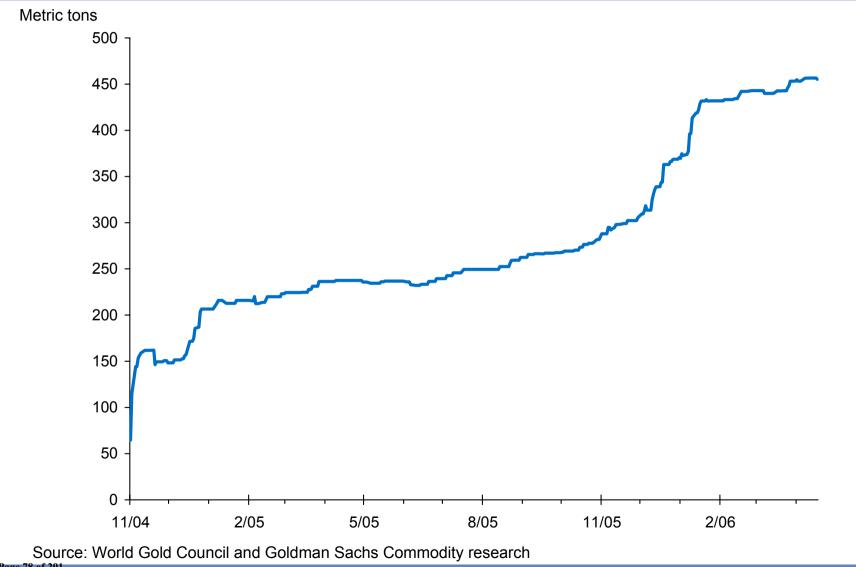
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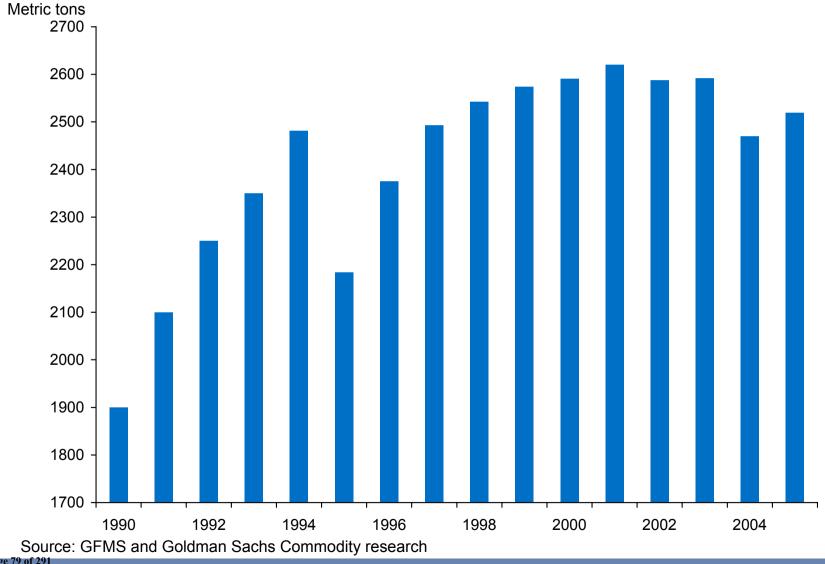
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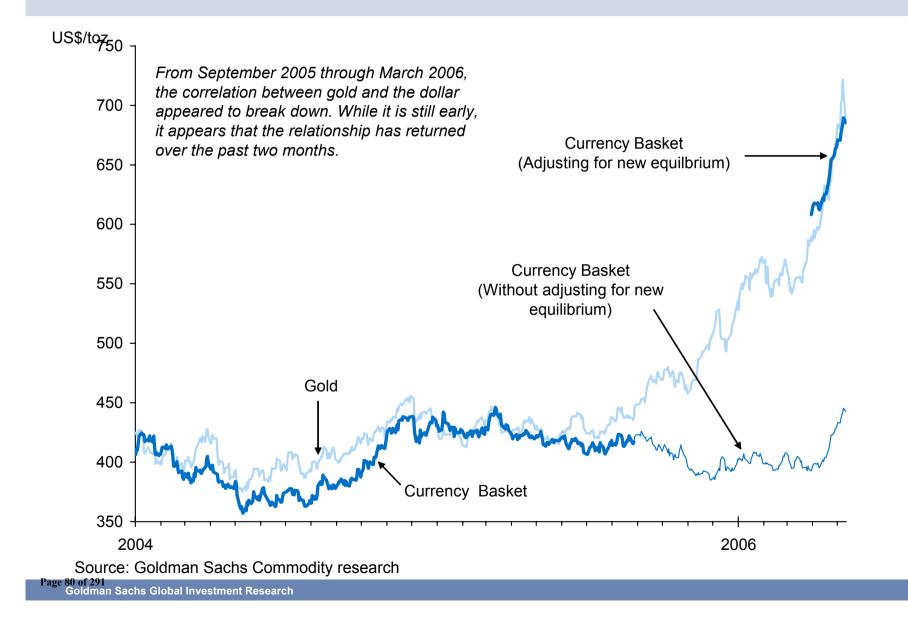
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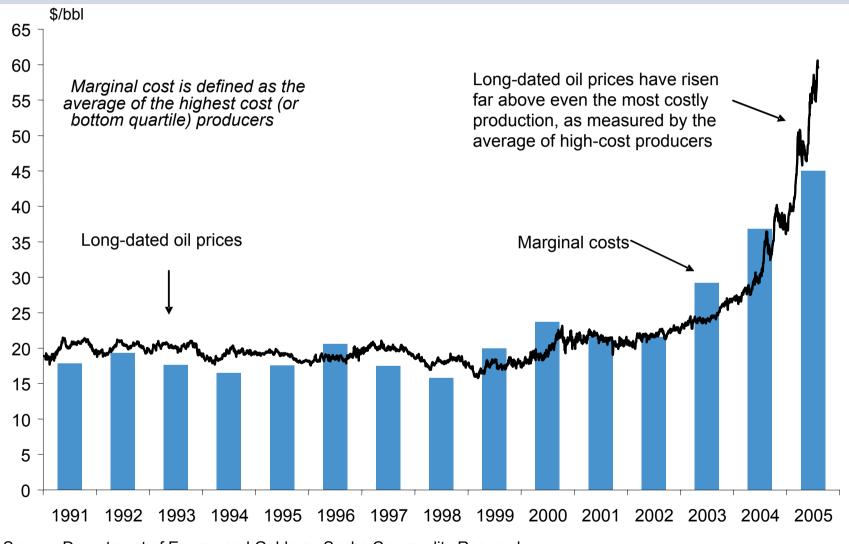
Goldman Sachs The relationship appears to have resumed after a period of re-equilibration





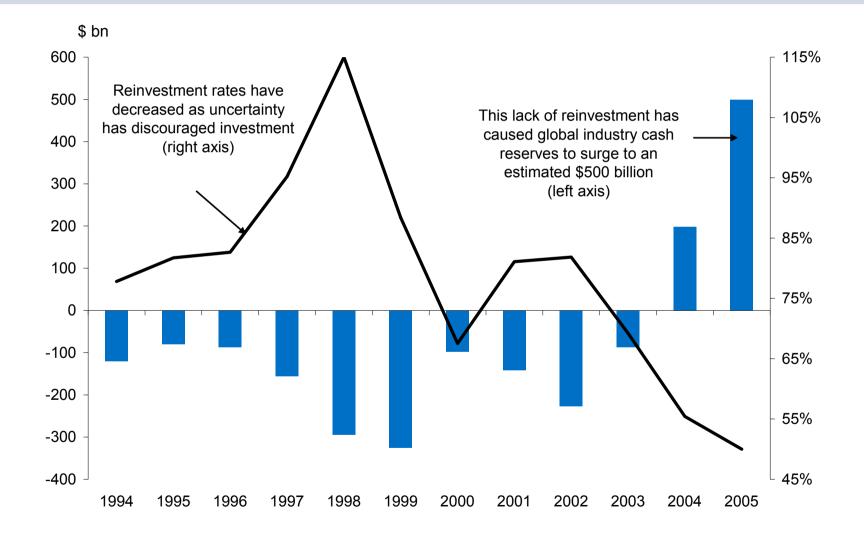
Investment uncertainty makes finding a new equilibrium difficult and generates significant upside risk

In the current environment, long-dated prices now exceed the highest cost projects ...





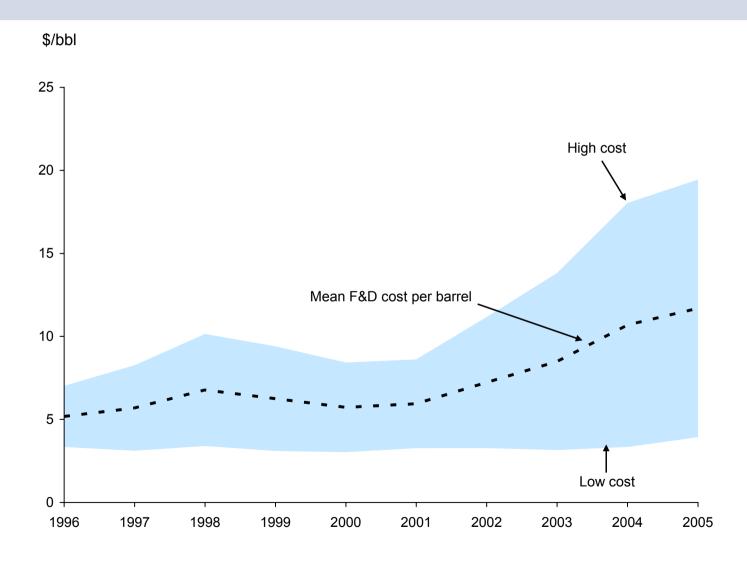
... while reinvestment rates have fallen and cash reserves have surged



Source: Goldman Sachs Commodity research.



This overshoot reflects increased uncertainty in the industry's cost structure



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A simple example of investment under uncertainty

A simple example explained

Investment under uncertainty

Project has a \$40/bbl breakeven cost today with a 50% chance of dropping to \$20/bbl next year

Prices are \$50/bbl and are expected to remain at these levels

If we invest today, Project has an NPV of \$1.1 billion

However, if we delay investment, then there is a 50% chance that costs decline and the NPV of the delayed project is \$3.0 billion 50% chance that costs are unchanged and the NPV of the delayed project is \$1.0 billion

The expected NPV of the delayed project is \$2.0 billion Expected NPV = 50% low-cost NPV + 50% high-cost NPV (\$2,000 = 0.50*\$3,000 + 0.50*\$1,000)

If prices remain at \$50/bbl we will delay investment until next year, as Expected NPV of a delayed project > NPV of investing today in the project (i.e., \$2,000 > \$1,100)

This implies that the value of the option to wait is \$900 million The difference between the NPV of delaying investment and the NPV of investing today (\$900 = \$2,000 - \$1,100)

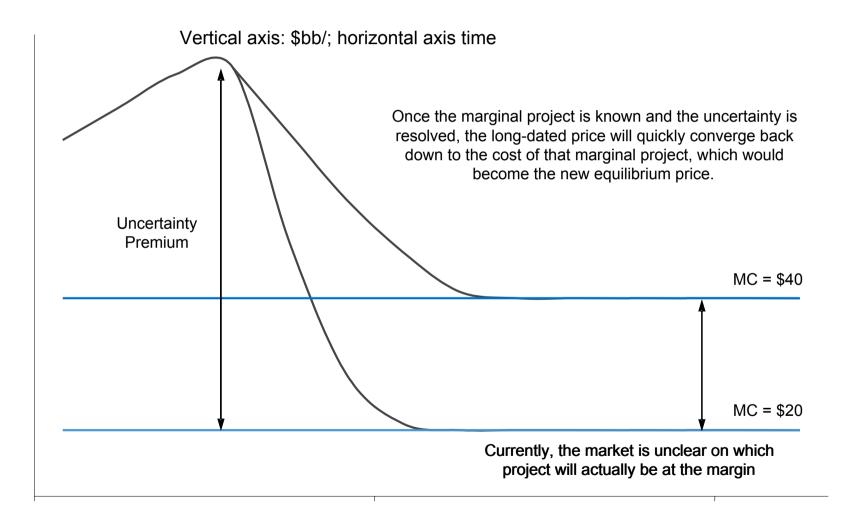
To incentivize investment today the price would need to rise such that the NPV of investing today is equal to the NPV of delaying investment at a price of \$50/bbl

Prices would need to rise to \$58.50/bbl to increase the NPV of investing today to \$2.0 billion

As a result, the uncertainty has pushed prices up nearly \$9/bbl to incentivize investment today

Source: Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

Once uncertainty is resolved, the premium will disappear as long-term oil prices find a new equilibrium



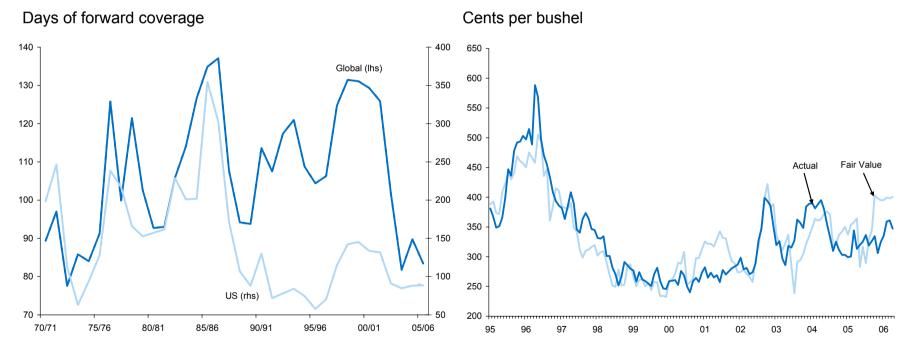


Agriculture prices are likely to be supported by low inventories, Chinese draught, and bio-fuel demand

Low inventory levels suggest further upside for wheat

Wheat, actual and fair value

Wheat inventories



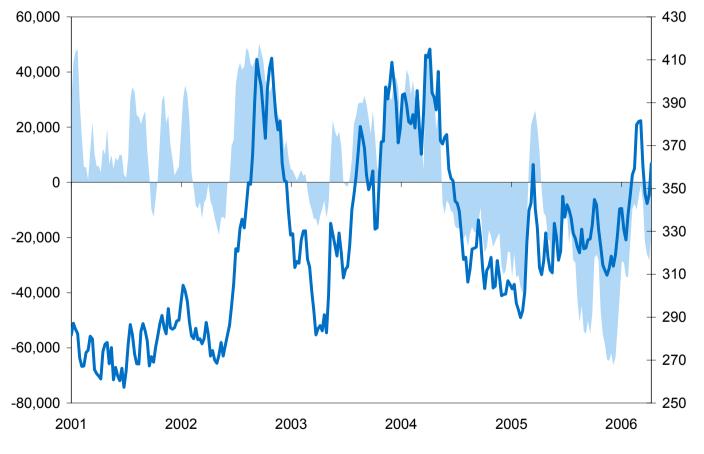
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Increasing speculative interest is also a support for wheat prices

Left axis: number of contracts; right axis: cents per bushel



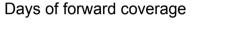
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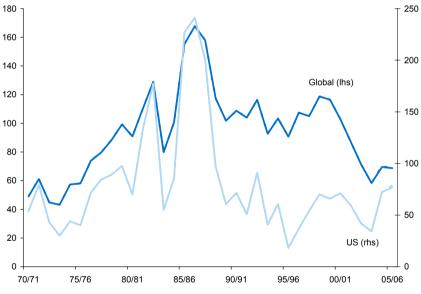
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Corn prices have converged to our fair value estimates

Corn inventories



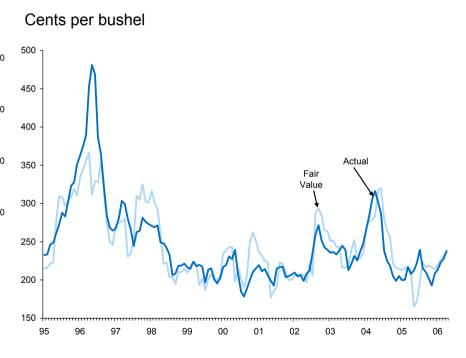


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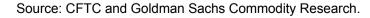




Net speculative length for corn has increased recently

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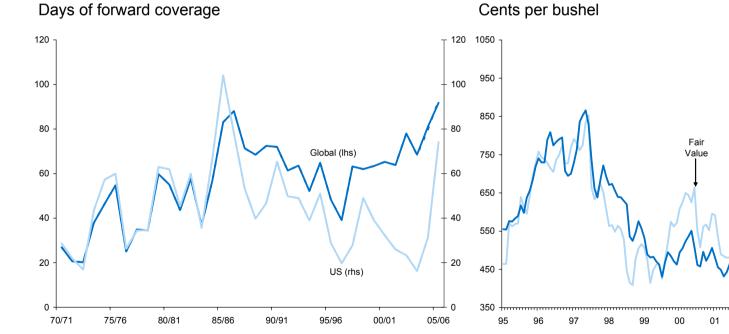
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Soybean inventories are expected to be higher next year

Soybean inventories



Soybean, actual and fair value

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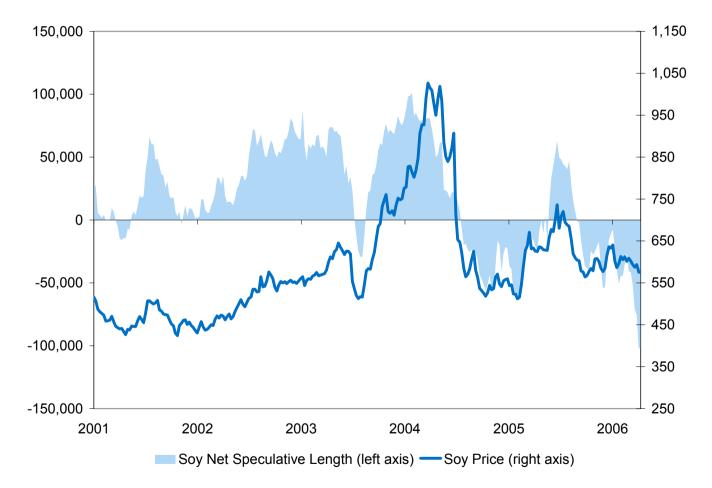
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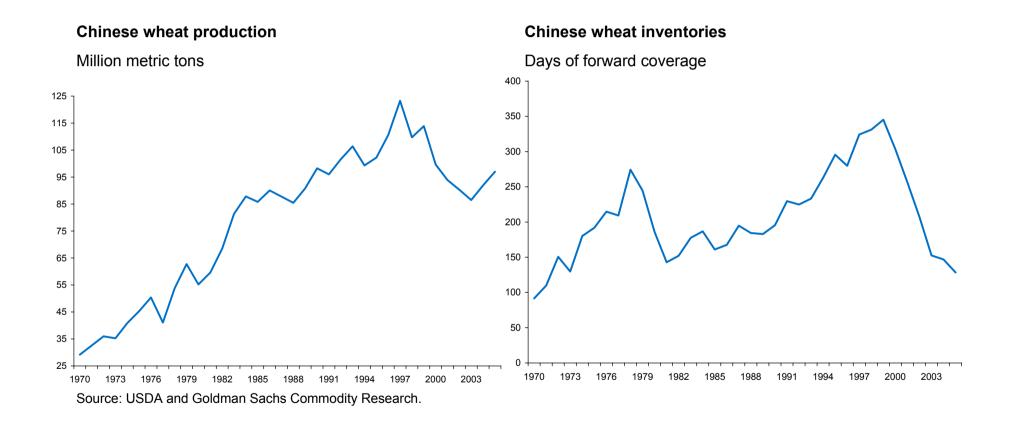
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China may take the opportunity to rebuild historically low grain inventories





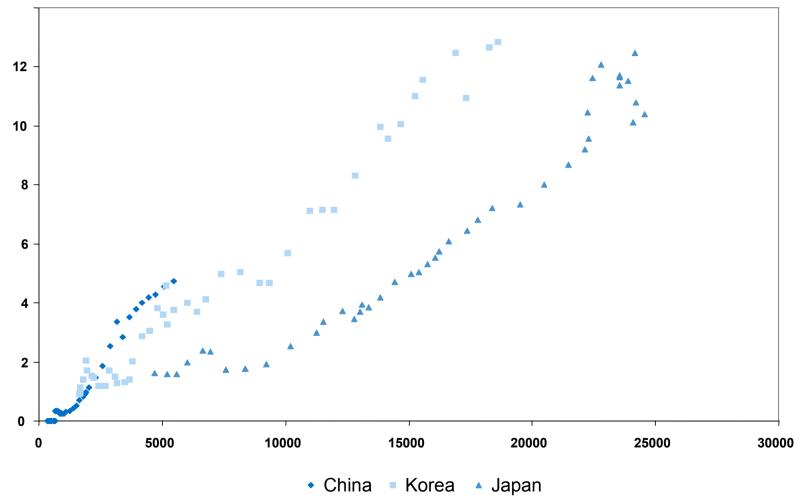
Supply constraints have resulted from lacklustre acreage growth and stable yields

Wheat yields in China have stabilized, further Area harvested for wheat in China curtailing the ability of production to meet demand Million hectares Mt/hectare 1973 1976

Source: USDA and Goldman Sachs Commodity Research.

Agriculture demand is tied to economic expansion Chinese demand for beef is likely to continue to grow as the country becomes wealthier

kg of beef per capita (vertical axis); Real GDP PPP per capita (horizontal axis)



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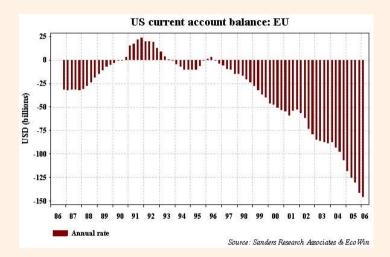
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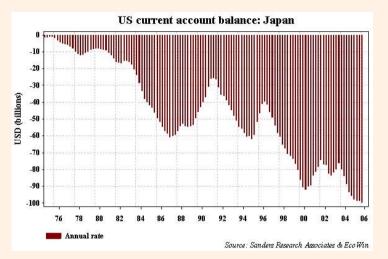
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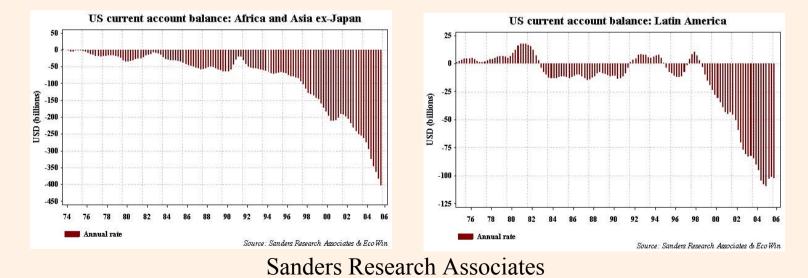
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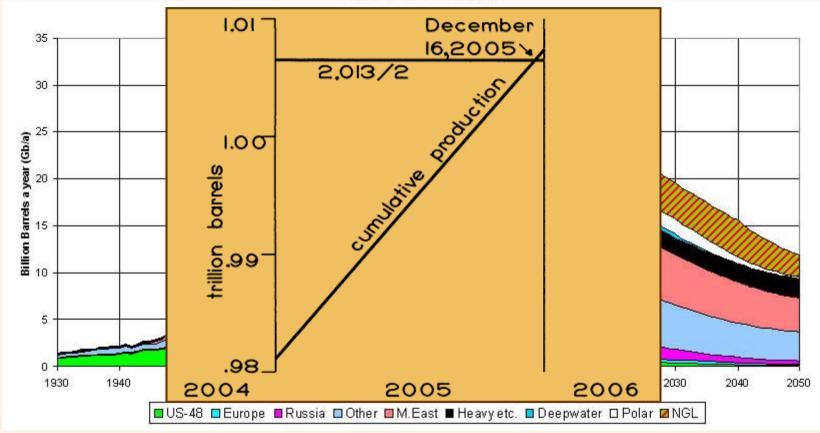
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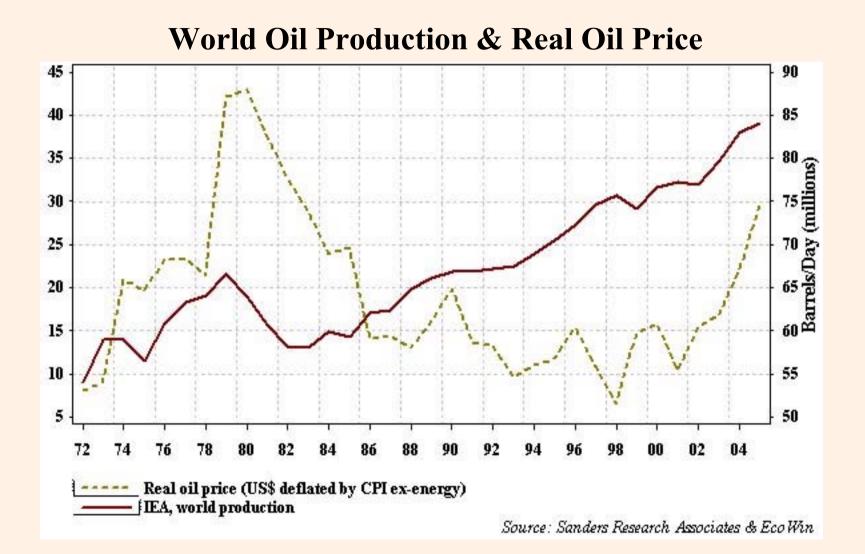


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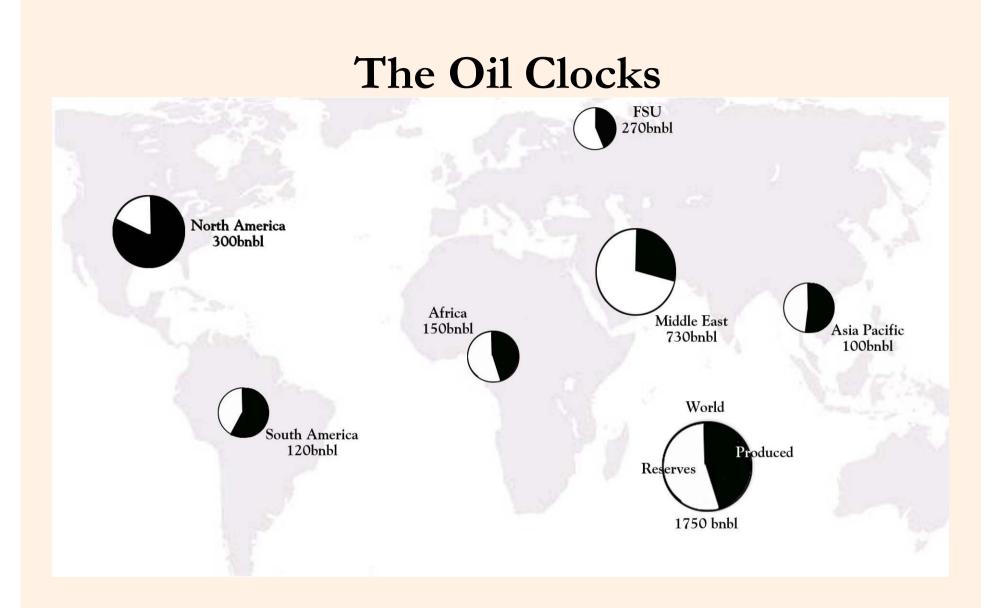
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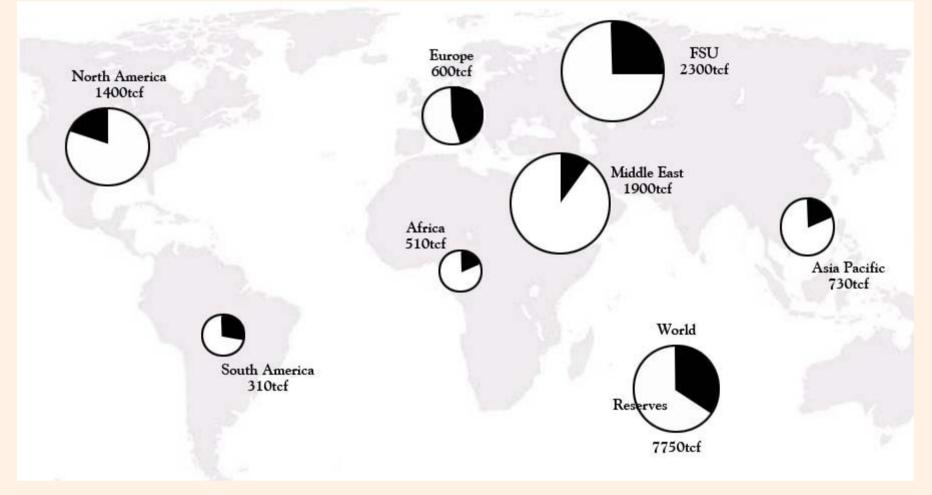
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- Iran is an observer, and wants permanent membership
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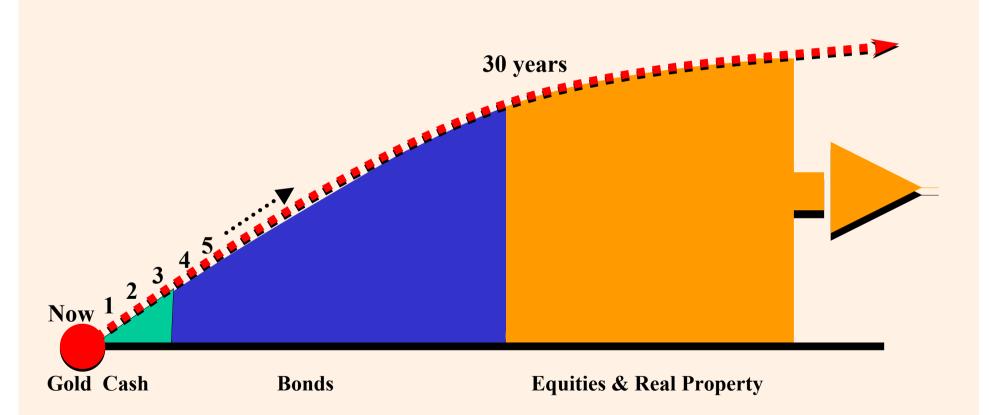
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- These can no longer be taken for granted

Ultimately the problem is the value of the collateral underlying the debt

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- US to introduce national universal conscription, i.e. corvée
- US is building labour camps
- North America is consolidating into a regional bloc with UK and Japanese wings
- Europe and US are moving to enlarge and centralise when better solutions are to get smaller and decentralise





The Joint Oil Data Initiative

A concrete action to improve transparency in oil markets

Workshop on the economic impact of rising oil prices European Parliament, 28 June 2006

P. Lösönen, Eurostat

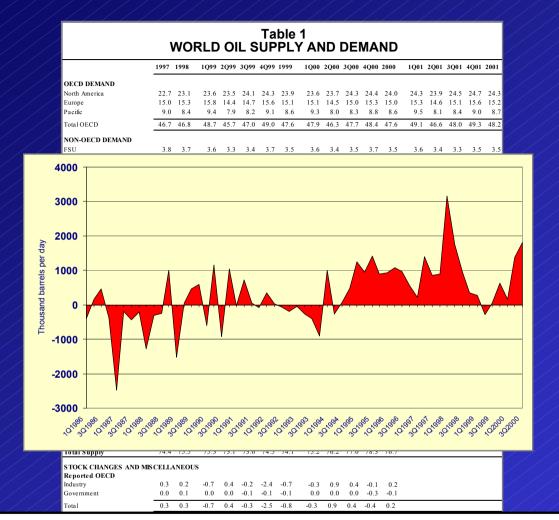


Background

- At the end of the 90's
 - there was an unusually high volatility of oil prices
 - At the same time quality of global oil statistics was not satisfactory:
 - Supply did not match with demand
 - Real production, stocks and demand were not known
 - The poor quality of oil statistics was identified as an aggravating factor for the volatility

The need for reliable oil data became evident to have more transparency in the oil market





Miscellaneous to balance 0.9 1.6 0.2 -0.3 0.0 0.5 0.1 0.1 1.4 0.7 1.9 1.0

Memo items:																	
Call on OPEC crude + Stock ch.5	25.9	26.0	28.3	26.1	26.7	28.2	27.3	26.7	25.4	27.3	27.0	26.6	27.8	25.6	27.2	28.0	27.2
Total Demand ex. FSU	69.3	69.8	72.1	69.6	70.6	72.9	71.3	71.9	70.5	72.4	72.7	71.9	73.7	71.6	73.3	74.7	73.3
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- net of volumetric gains and losses in the refining process? (excludes net gainloss in former USSR, China and non-OECD Europe) and marine to comprises crude oil, condensates, NGLs, oil form non-conventional sources and other sources of supply includes: changes in non-reported stocks in OECD and non-OECD area; equals total demand minus total non-OFC area; provide the sources of supply includes changes of the source of th

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7th International Energy Forum (IEF) meeting in Riyadh, 2000

 In 2001 six international organisations (APEC, Eurostat, IEA, OLADE, OPEC and UNSD) launched the Joint Oil Data Exercise (JODE)

A small questionnaire including main flows of crude oil and petroleum products

- Deadline one month after the reference month (M-1 reporting)
- Organisations collect the data from their member countries

From JODE to JOD

- 8th IEF meeting in Osaka, 2002
 - Full political support to continue the efforts to increase transparency of oil data
- The six organisations made the exercise permanent and renamed it Joint Oil Data Initiative (JODI)
 - Rotating coordination
 - Inter-secretariat meetings
 - Conferences

Milestones of JODI after the IEF meeting in OSAKA 2002

Creation of JODI database in 2004

- Data quality (timeliness, completeness and accuracy) had improved significantly
- IEF secretariat (IEFS) situated in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia started its work in December 2003
 - IEFS took over the coordination role of JODI in 2005 (the 7th international organisation in JODI)

Comprehensive quality evaluation of the JODI data in 2005 (world top-30 oil producers, consumers and stock holders)

 Opening of the World Jodi Database to public, 19 November 2005

King Abdullah of Saudi Arabia launching the JODI World Database



King Abdullah launches the database of world oil producers and consumers in Riyadh on Saturday. Riyadh Governor Prince Salman and Oil Minister Ali Al-Naimi, left, are also seen. (SPA)

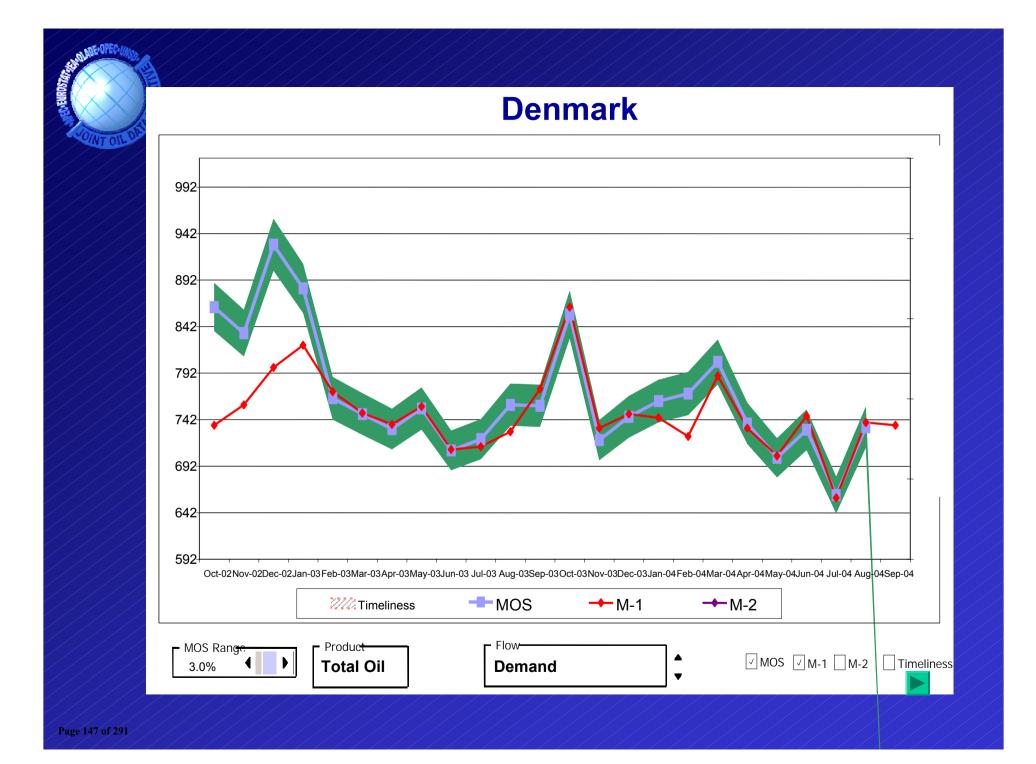
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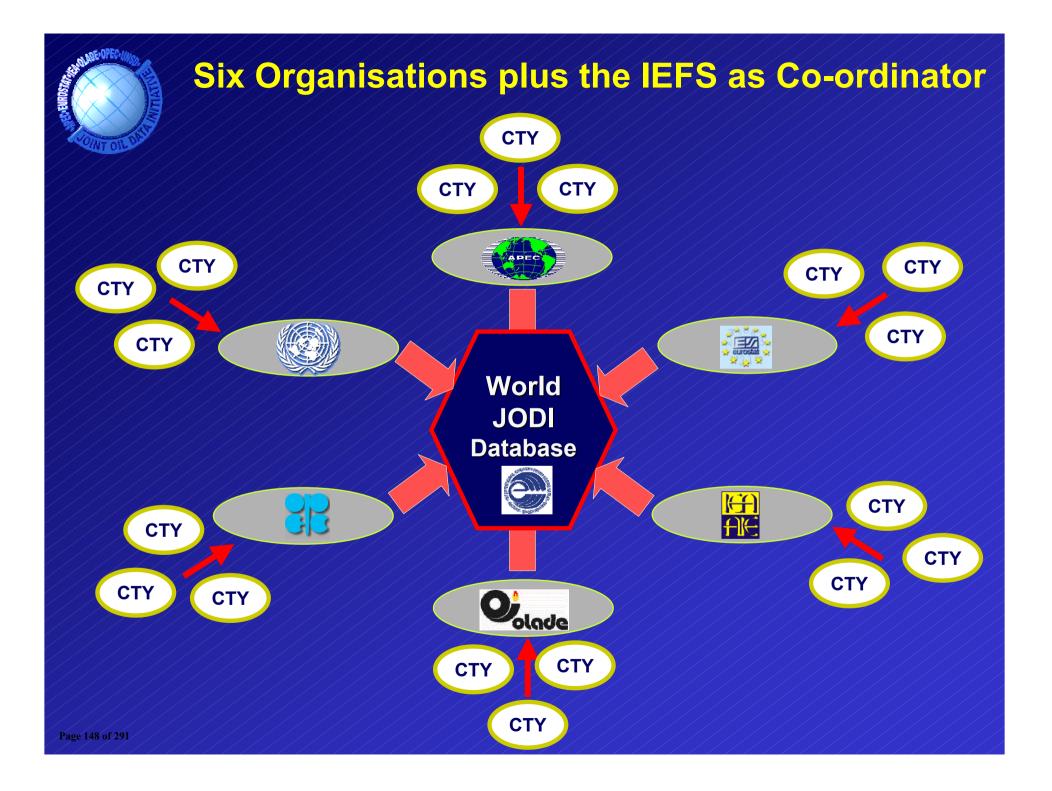
World JODI database

- Accessible to public
 - <u>www.jodidata.org</u>
 - Currently production, stocks, stock change and demand of crude oil and petroleum products are in public domain
- Data covers more than 90% of the world crude oil production and consumption
- Includes data from 92 countries
- Indication of the quality of the data by the color of the cell, a unique feature

A View of the Live Database

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Ongoing activities

- Creation of JODI user and methodology manual
 - First edition scheduled by the end of June 2006
 - Data providers and data users
- Training of statisticians
 - Venezuela in August 2006 for Latin American countries
 - South Africa at the end of 2006 for African countries
- Enlargement of public part of JODI database
 - Currently crude oil production, stocks, stock change and demand of petroleum products are in public domain
 - Quality evaluation of refinery input and output data in view to opening this data into public in 2006
 - Preparation of the 6th JODI conference at the end of November in Riyadh

Main achievements of JODI beyond data collection

- Political awareness of the difficulties encountered in improving data quality has risen
- 2. Statistical systems in many countries are improving / have improved
- 3. Attitudes towards confidentiality and reliability are evolving
- 4. A world-wide network of oil statisticians have been created multiplying contacts between oil companies, countries and organisations paving the way for the global harmonisation of energy statistics

 JODI has demonstrated that oil producer – consumer dialogue is has lead and is further leading to concrete actions

And then, what's next? Expanding the JODI Questionnaire Horizontally: more products (NGLs, ...) Vertically: more flows (stocks, trade,...) Duplicating the approach to gas? Using a similar approach to reserves?

Can transparency in oil statistics improve financial stability

High volatility of oil prices can create instability in economy

There are several possible reasons for fluctuating oil prices

- Uncertainty in supply / demand
 - Natural disasters, for example hurricane Katrina in the US in 2005
 - Wars, for example I raqi war
 - Political instability, case Venezuela

Unknown oil stock level, production and demand = POOR STATISTICS

Can transparency in oil statistics improve financial stability

JODI has certainly improved the transparency in oil markets

Policy makers and other stake holders can be more sure about the stocks levels and have a better view the probability of real shortage in supply

Natural disasters etc. cannot be predicted

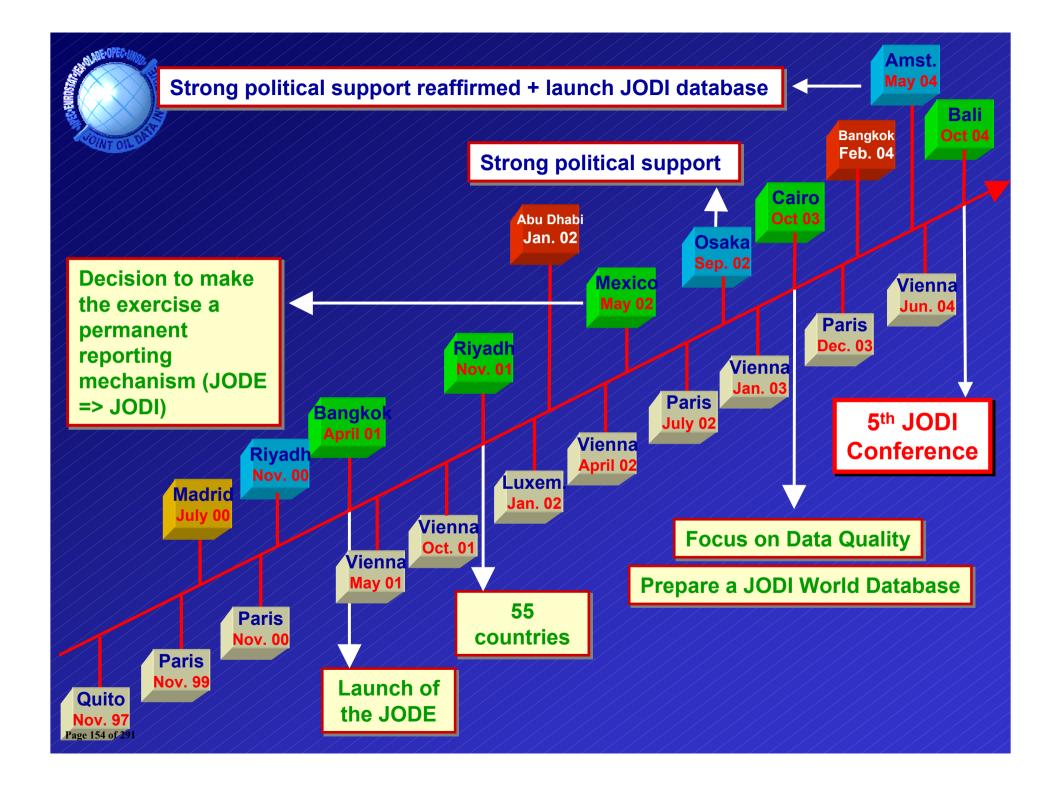
Speculation of oil futures cannot be stopped just by improving the statistics

Feedback from the data users is essential

- If the data does not fulfill expectations,
 - Proposals for improvements are welcome

More resources have to be engaged

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Lessons from the Initiative

- A lot can be achieved by working together
- A close interaction between organisations, countries and the industry is key to move a process
 - Improving data transparency will not happen over night
- Transparency will not happen if not all the parties do not full participate



www.jodidata.org





Peak Oil & The Impact of Oil Depletion

By C.J.Campbell

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Find it first

It costs money to find oil

- \$10 20 million a wildcat
- But it takes much more than money
- It takes the right geology
 - We have new sophisticated methods to search
 - But the same rocks and essentials

The Essentials

Oil & Gas formed in the geological past
A finite resources subject to depletion
Each gallon used means one less left
Production mirrors discovery
Many different categories
Some: easy, cheap and fast to produce
Others: difficult, expensive & slow

It is so obvious

Depletion is easy to grasp

- We are born, we die and pass middle age
- The glass starts full and ends empty

A Pint of Murphy's Stout



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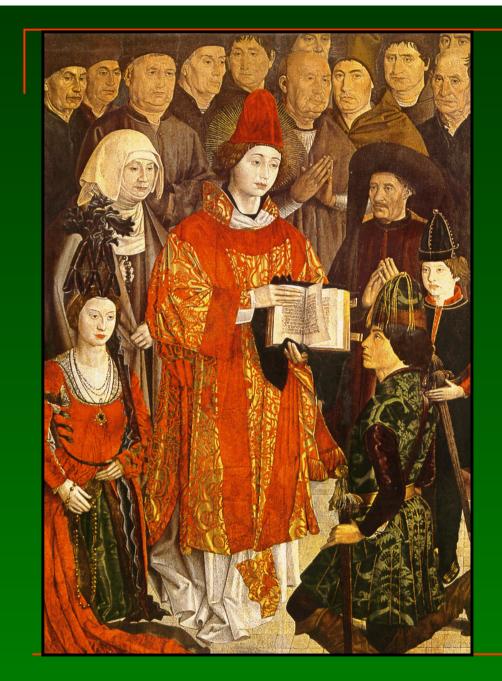
The same applies to Oil

How has such an obvious and important truth been obscured and confused ?

- Ambiguous definitions
- Misunderstood reporting practices
- Different mindsets

Mindsets : who to listen to?

The Geologist measures Nature
He can't change the Cretaceous
The Economist measures Money
He can manipulate behaviour
The Engineer does things
Give him a screwdriver & he goes to the Moon
The Manager makes money & image



The Eternal Conflict between

Fact of Faith

People once thought the Earth was flat

and greeted science with suspicion and resentment.

Some still do.

The Economist's Faith in Market Forces

What the High Priest says

Minerals are inexhaustible and will never be depleted. A stream of investment creates additions to proved reserves from a very large in-ground inventory. The reserves are constantly being renewed as they are extracted.....

Professor Adelman (M.I.T)

Petroleum Geology in three minutes

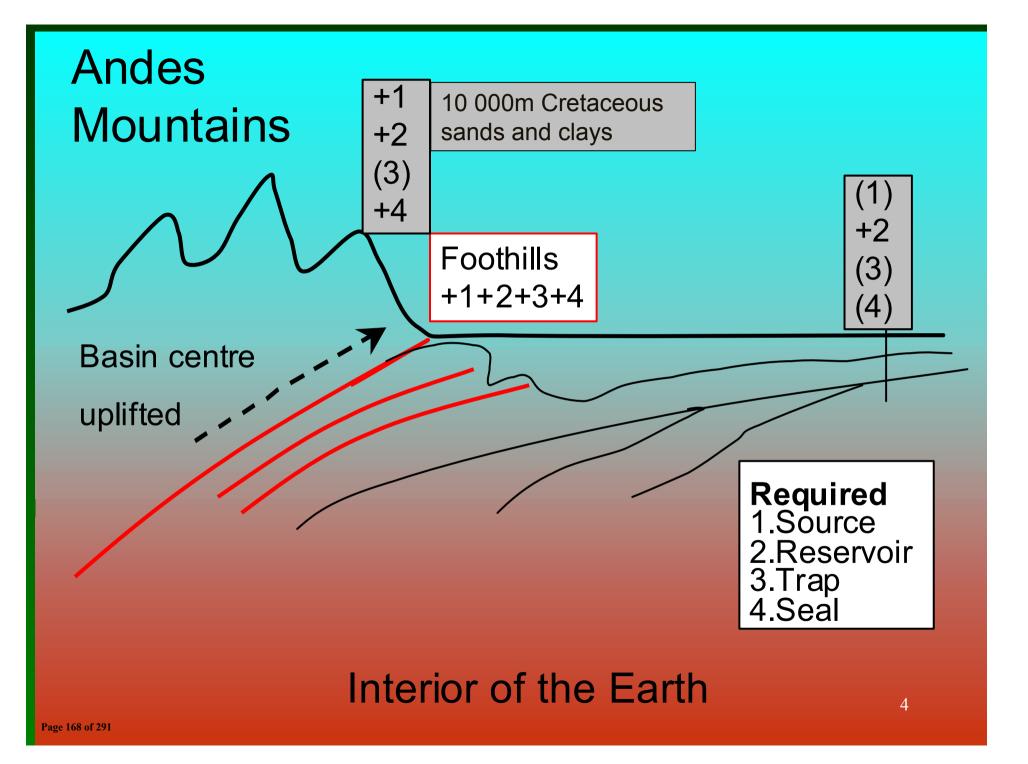
One Viewpoint

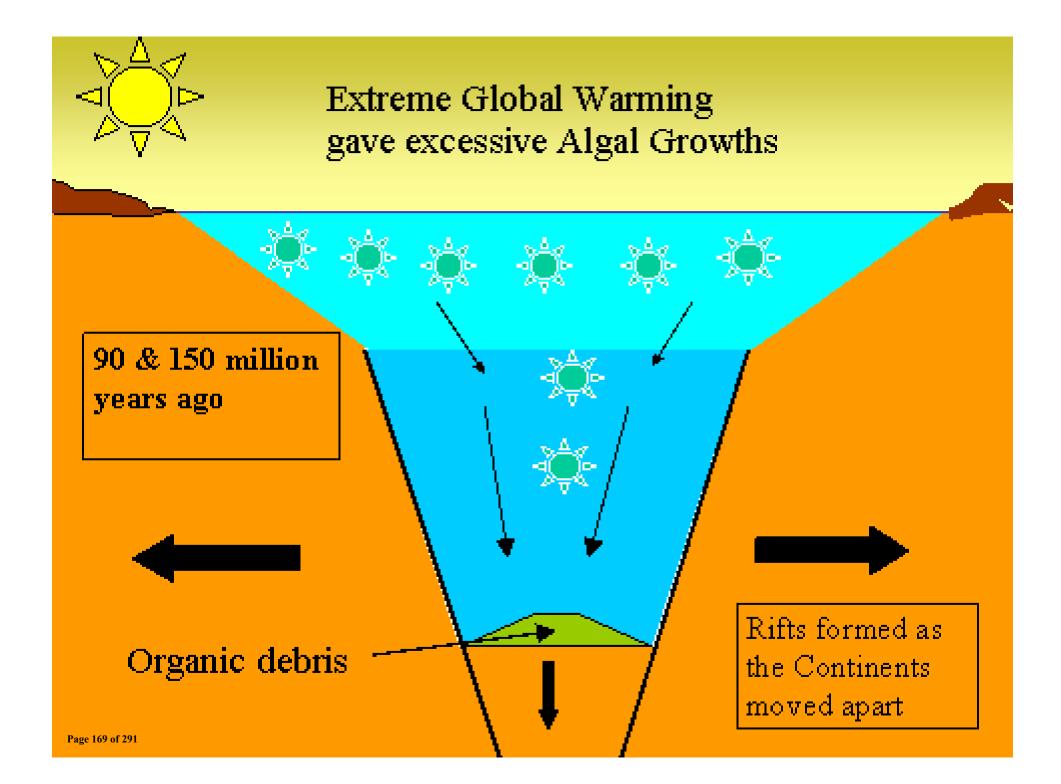
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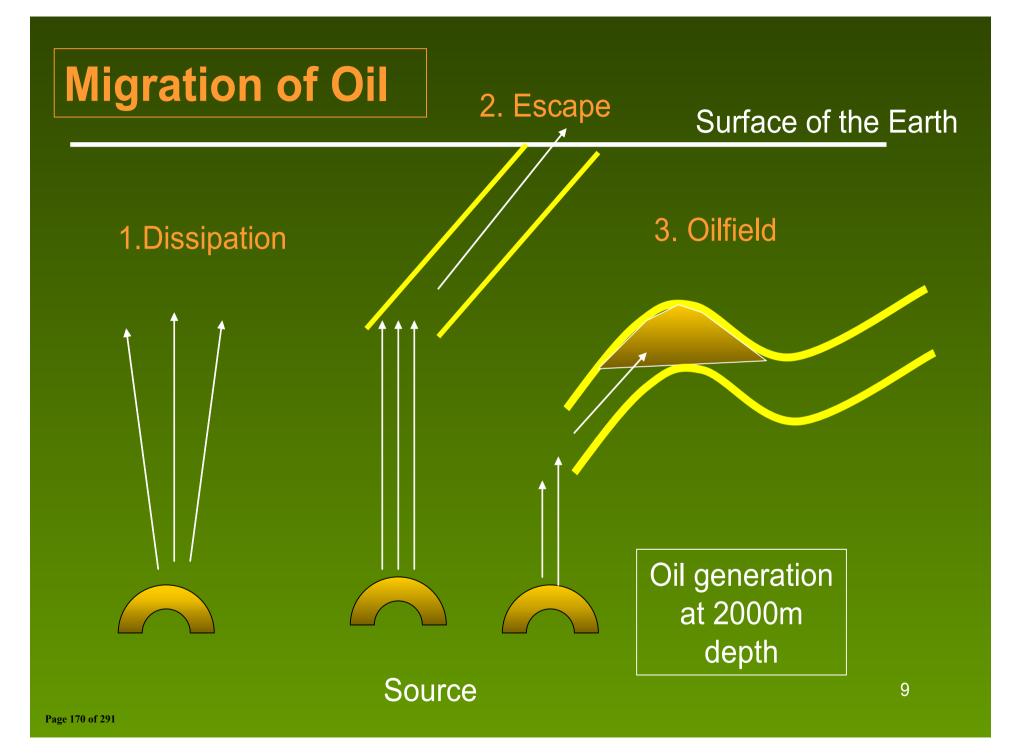
On a mule in Colombia in 1960

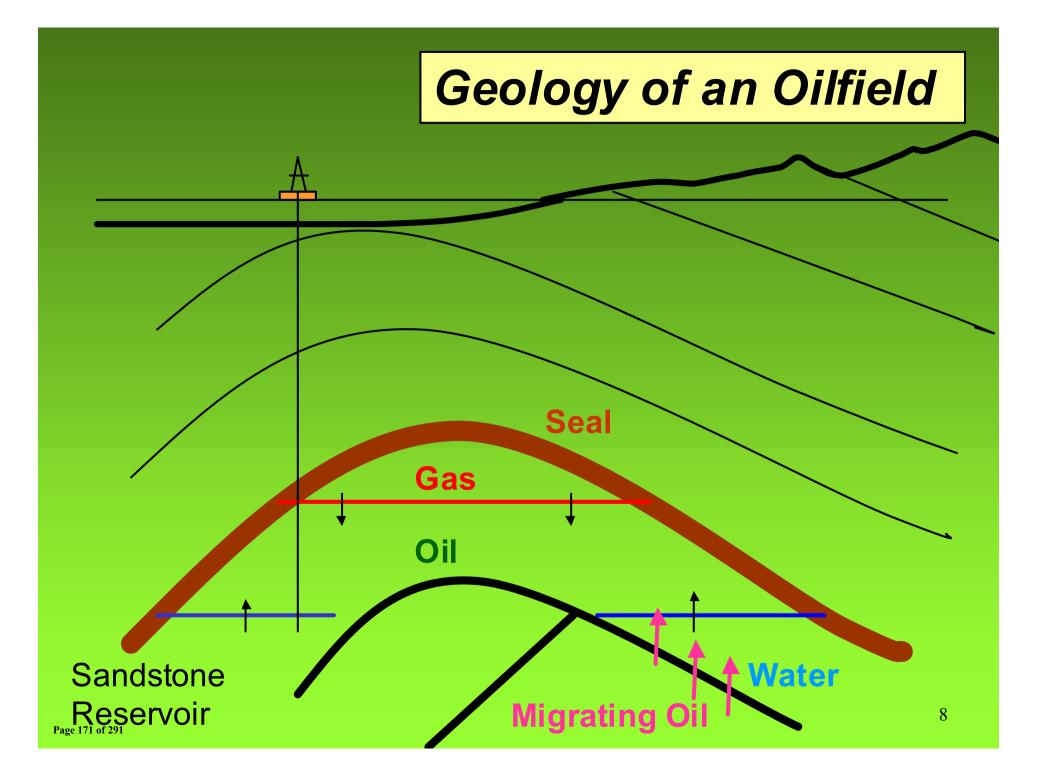


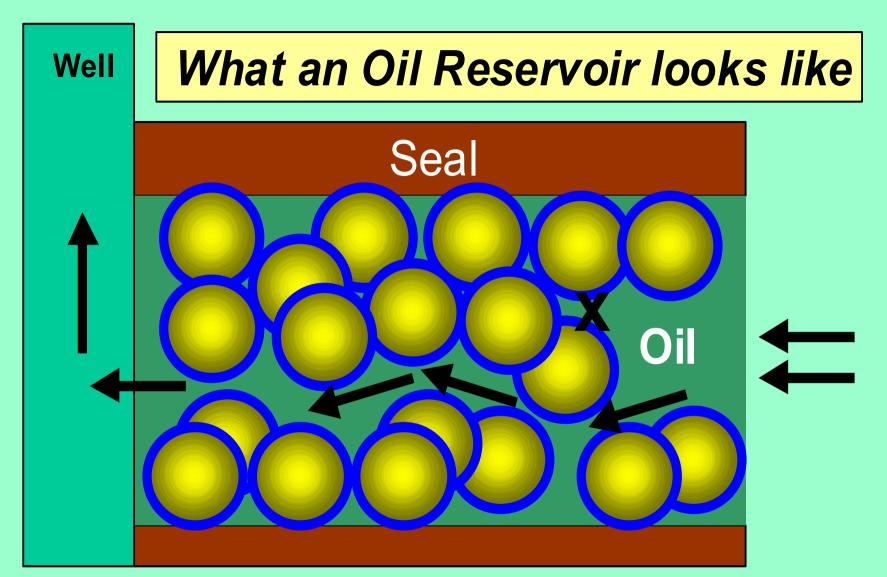
Technology - no more advanced than the hammer, hand lens and mule - found much of the world's oil



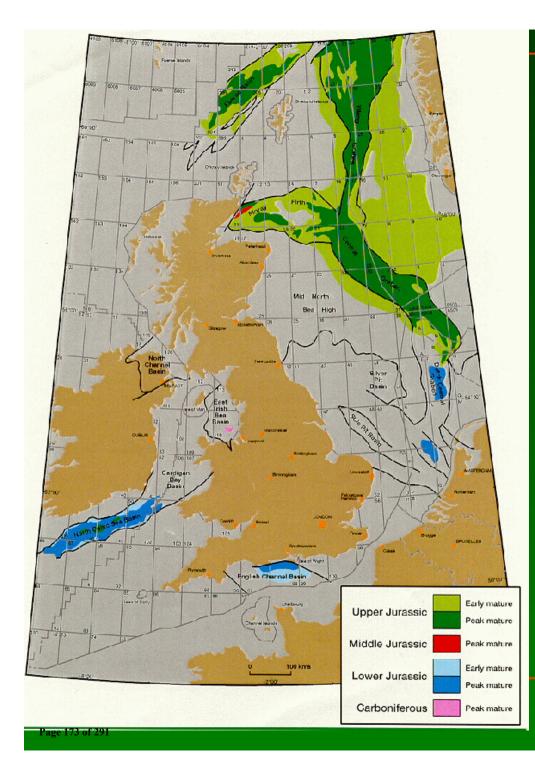








Oil fills the pore-space between the grains of sand, which are coated in a film of water. The oil has to flow Page 17th rough these constrictions.



N.W Europe Oil Generating Zones

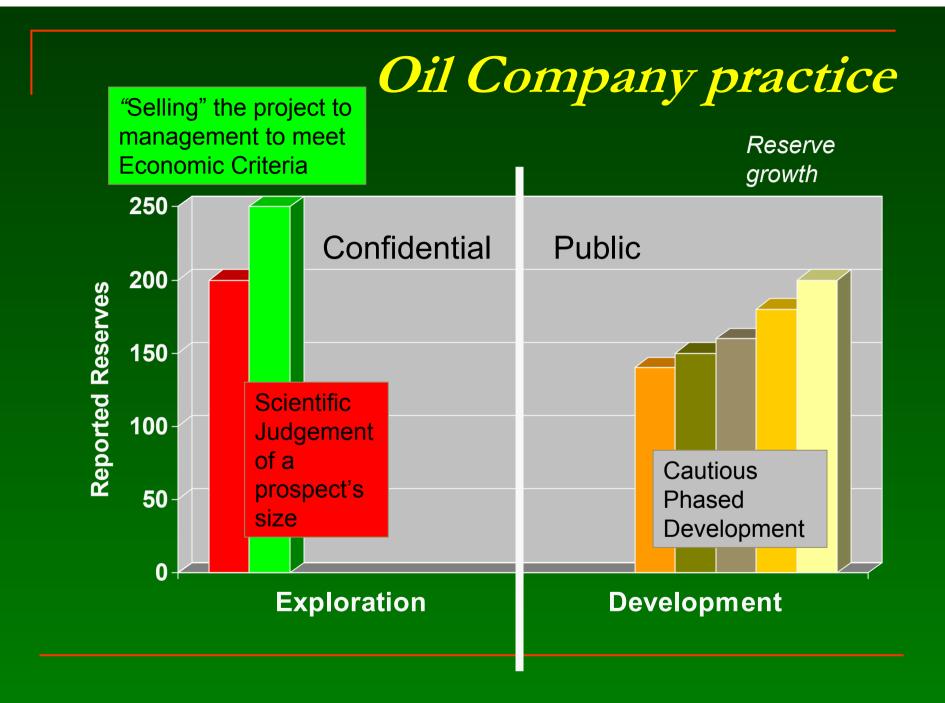
Where oil is and where it is not

Reporting Reserves

Three kinds of report

- Scientific Estimates of Volume
- Financial Statements
- Political Postures

All valid within their spheres but deeply confused.



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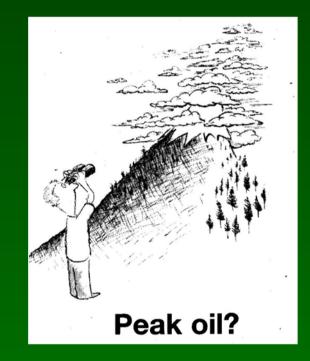
What Oil Companies say now

From denial to acceptance

- Chevron deserves a medal
- Exxon hidden messages
- Shell "easy oil has peaked"
- BP the most obtuse

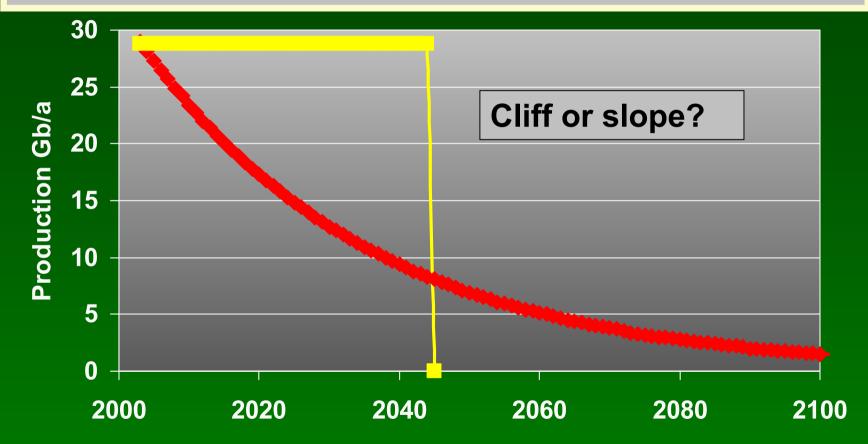
New messages in different

- words and deeds
- Reason for mergers
 - 14 major oil companies reduced to 5.



How Lord Browne Misleads

"Reserves support current production for 41 years"



But BP now stands from Beyond Petroleum

		A.Dhabi	Iran	Iraq	Kuwait	N.Zone	S.Arabia	Venezuela
	1980	28	58	31	65	6.1	163	18
	1984	30	51	43	64	5.6	166	25
	1985	31	49	45	90	5.4	169	26
	1986	30	48	44	90	5.4	169	26
	1987	31	49	47	92	5.3	167	25
	1988	92	93	100	92	5.2	167	56
	1989	92	93	100	92	5.2	170	58
	1990	92	93	100	92	5.0	258	59
	1991	92	93	100	95	5.0	259	59
	1992	92	93	100	94	5.0	259	63
	1993	92	89	100	94	5.0	259	65
	1995	92	88	100	94	5.0	259	65
	1996	92	93	112	94	5.0	259	65
	1997	92	93	113	94	5.0	259	72
	1998	92	90	113	94	5.0	259	73
	1999	92	90	113	94	5.0	261	73
	2000	92	90	113	94	5.0	261	77
	2001	92	90	113	94	5.0	261	78
	2002	92	90	113	94	5.0	259	78
	2003	92	126	115	97	5.0	259	78
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Reserve Reporting Competing for Quota

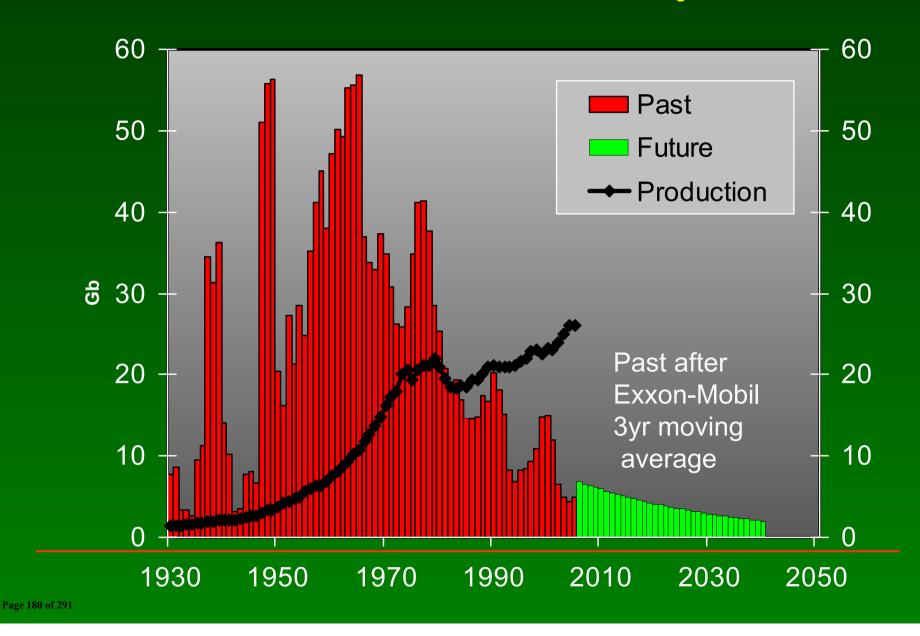
OPEC

Kuwait 1984 Produced = 22 Gb Remaining = 64 *Found* = 86 (~ 90) or Increasing Recovery from 30% to 40%

But Nature does not lie

- A field contains what it contains
- The term Reserves is confused for financial, commercial and political reasons
 - Valid in their contexts but misleading
- The discovery trend is critical
 - Need to backdate revised estimates and overcome the illusion of "*Reserve Growth*"

Real Discovery Trend



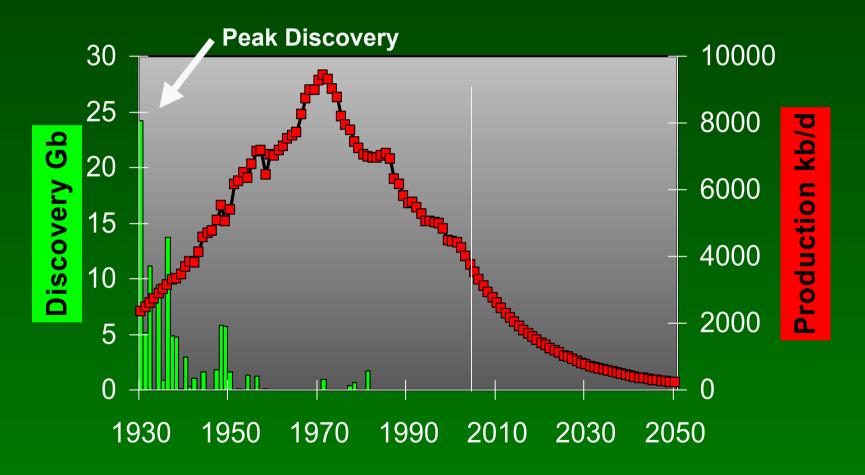


Production mirrors discovery

- After 20-45 years.
- Discovery peaked in most countries long ago.
- The larger fields were found first
 - Too big to miss

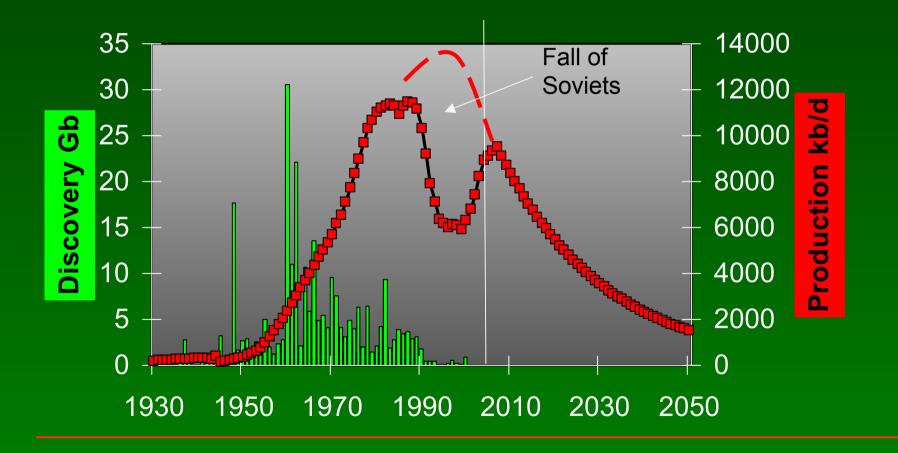


Peak to Peak 40 years



Russia

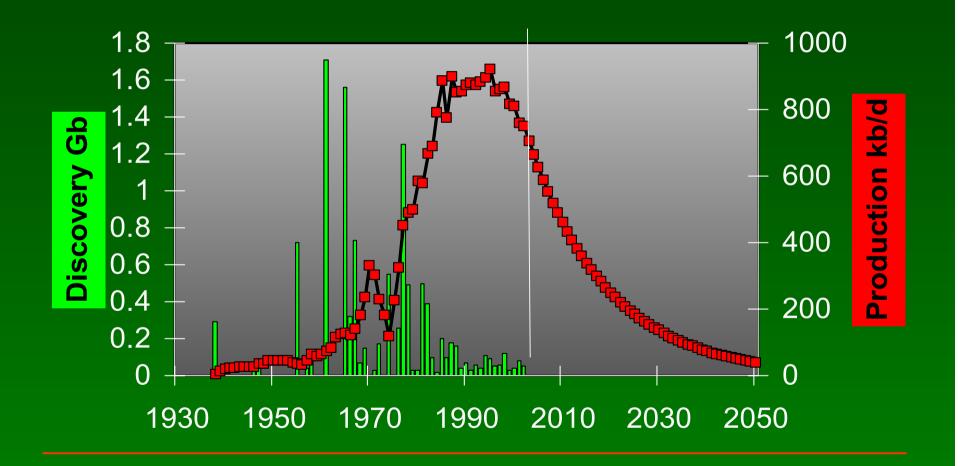
Peak to Peak 27 years

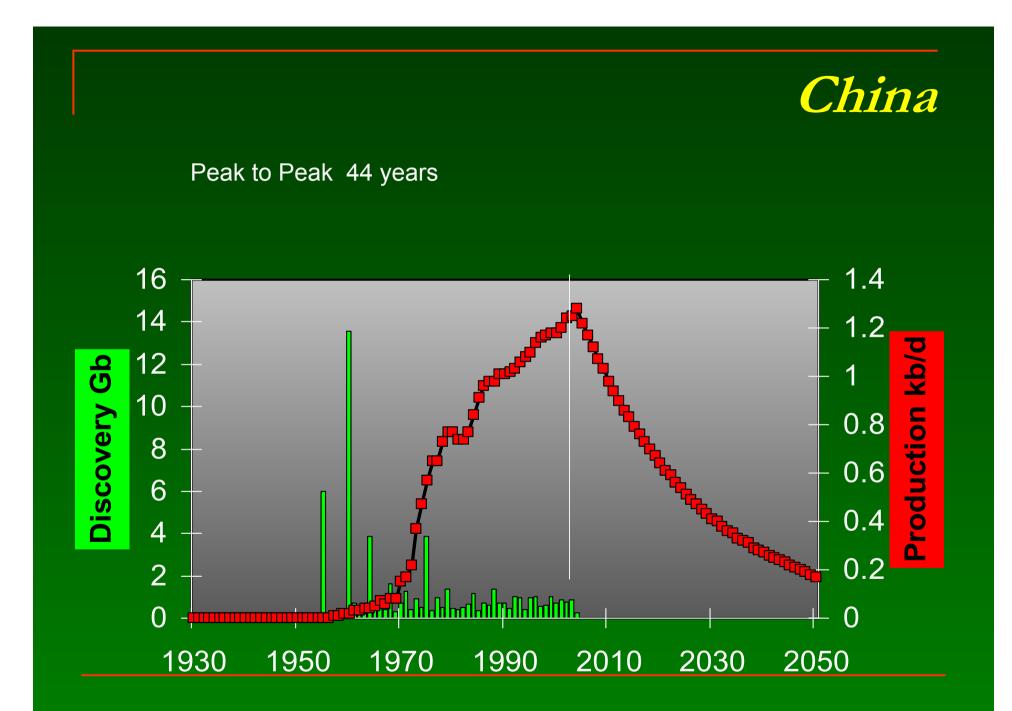


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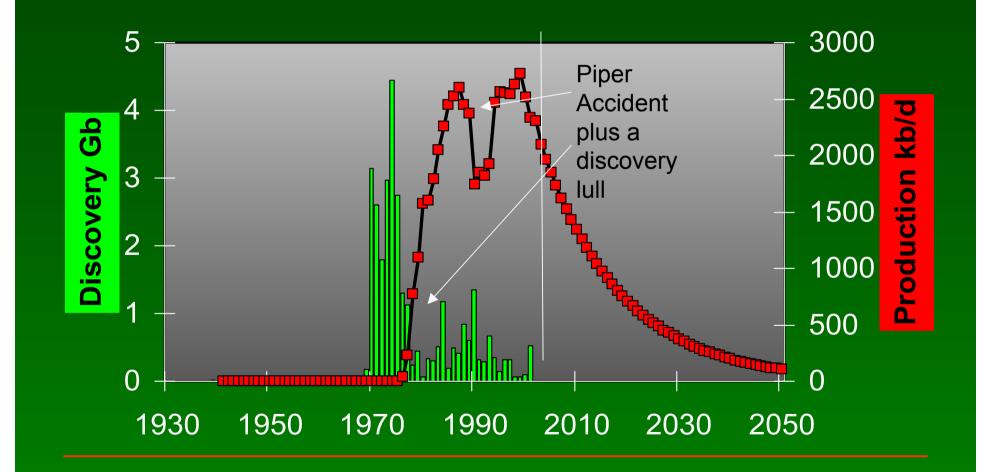
Peak to Peak 30 years





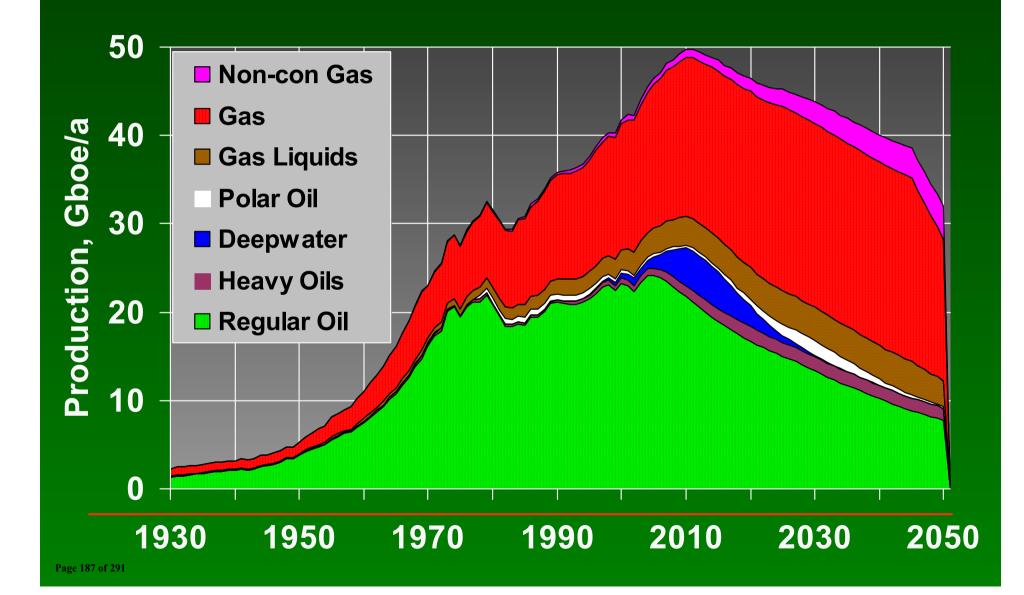


Peak to Peak 25 years



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All Oil & Gas



First Half of the Age of Oil

The End of the First Half of the Oil Age

- It lasted 150 years
 - A short span of history.

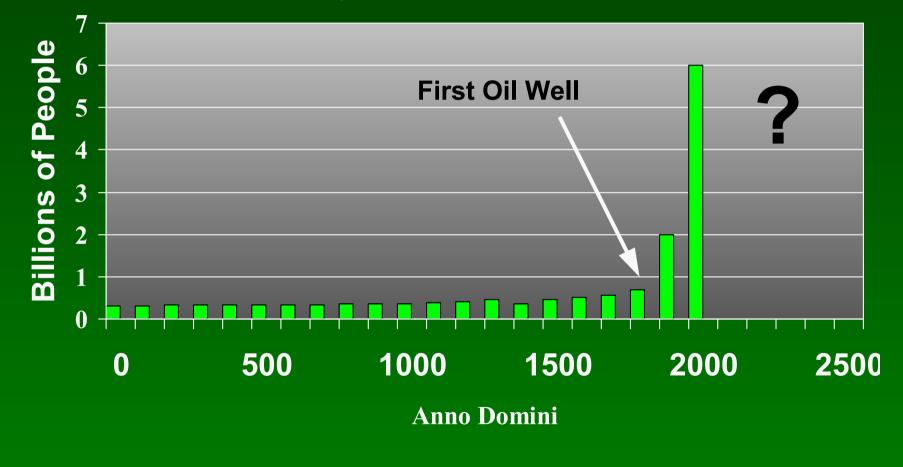
It stimulated rapid expansion of:

- Industry
- Transport & trade
- Agriculture
- Population
- Financial Capital



All animals use energy from their muscles

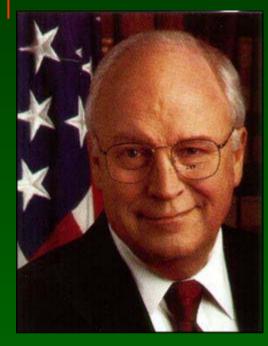
But Home Sapiens was the first to use external sources



Evolution of Money

Homo Sapiens: the first animal to use external energy & trade

- Simple barter
- Gold and silver coins
 - Owning the mine = unearned wealth
 - Conquest for gold & silver
 - The Spanish Empire in Latin America
- Paper money
 - At first backed by gold : but later faith alone
 - Effectively a licence to use energy
 - Much previously minted by the Federal Reserve
 - Now, Middle East governments through petrodollars



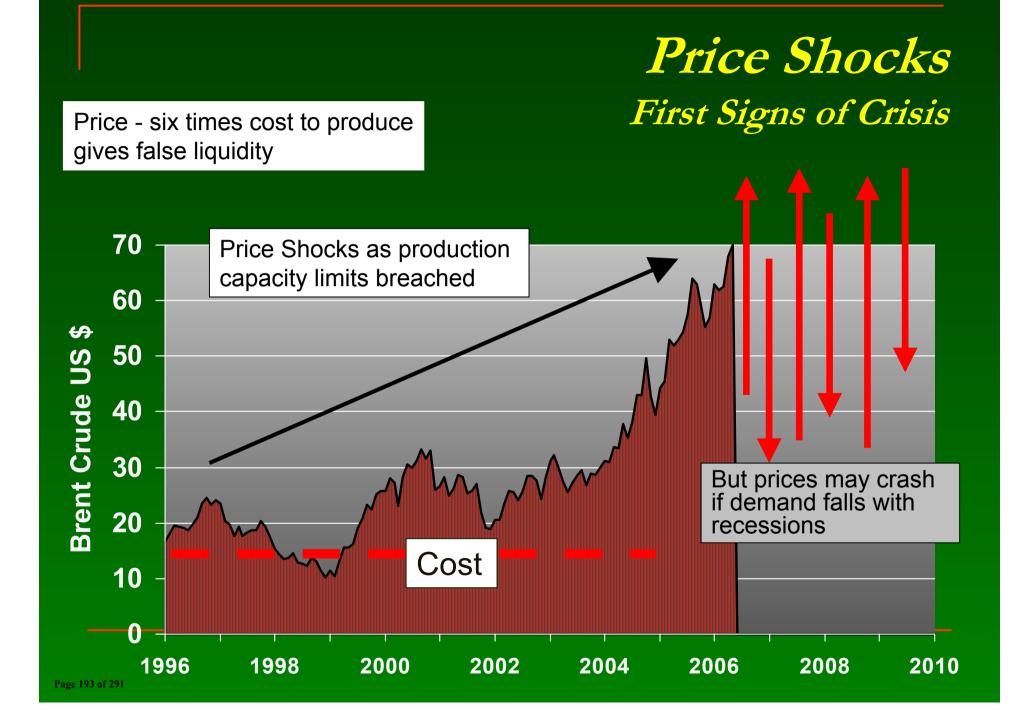
Wall Street needs energy supply: prompting more resource wars to take what is left.

Wall Street & War



The Second Half Dawns

Marked by the decline of oil and all that depends on it Including Financial Capital Physical decline of oil is gradual but the turning point is unprecedented. Debt is losing its collateral. Was based on oil-driven expansion All quoted companies are over-valued Tacitly assume business-as-usual energy supply Does it herald - Stock Market Crash ? **The Second Great Depression ?**



Plan of Action

Collect proper data.

- Use Foreign Service to secure.
- Resign from International Energy Agency.

Inform the public.

Cut waste

- Especially in transport sector.
- New building standards; town planning.
- Live differently: end consumeristic ethic.

Turn to new energy sources from

from tide, sun, wind, bio-mass, ? nuclear.

Regionalise and Ruralise

Rediscover the regions

- New Community Spirit
- Living within their resources
- Change Mindset from "poverty" to success in sustainable living
- Urban living becomes more difficult
- Migration ceases to be viable

Depletion Protocol

Importers to cut imports to match current Depletion Rate (2.5% a year)
Consequences:

Stops destabilising false liquidity
From profiteering from shortage
Forces consumers to face reality
Allows poor countries to afford needs

Thank You and Good Luck

Session II

Part 1: Microeconomic consequences of rising oil prices, competitiveness and taxation

Oil Prices and Transport Sector Responses

David Baldock

Director

The Institute for European Environmental Policy

Workshop on Economic Impacts Of Rising Oil Prices

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Outline

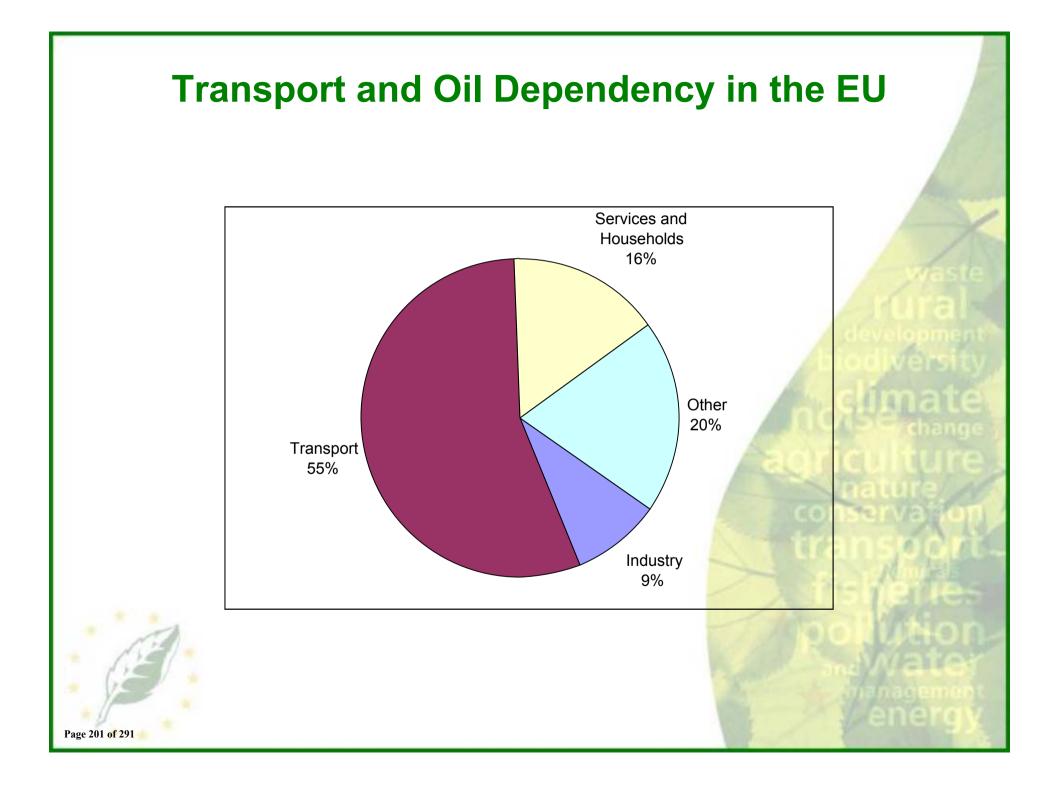
• Context

- Transport and oil dependency
- Elasticities of demand
- Decoupling

Substitution

- Alternative fuels
- Efficient vehicles
- Policies and Choices





Easy Wins are Possible

In Road Transport

- Correct tyre pressure could save 125,000 bbl/day
- Enforced 90kph speed limit could save over 0.5 mbbl/day

In Maritime Transport

- Slower ship speeds could save 23% of fuel used
- A wide range of technical and operational responses available



Alternative Fuels

Alternative Fossil Fuels

- A range of sources eg oil shales, tar sands
- Likely high energy costs to extract

Biofuels

- '1st generation' offer some CO₂ benefits
- '2nd generation' likely to be much better
- A wider range of feedstocks will be usable

- High oil prices make the alternatives more attractive
- There is a choice between high and low carbon routes

Vehicle Efficiency

• A 'win-win' option

- Reduced cost
- Reduced fuel dependency
- Reduced greenhouse gases

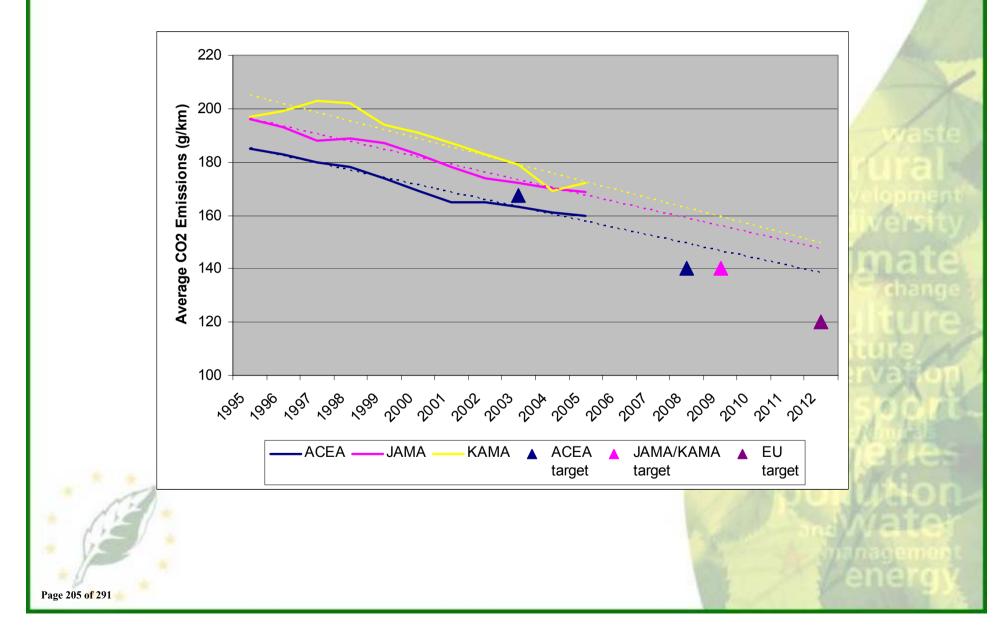
Enormous technical potential

- Dieselisation
- Improved engines and drivetrains
- Lighter and more streamlined vehicles
- Hybrids
- Fuel cells

, but progress is not fast enough

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Voluntary Agreements with Carmakers



Future Choices

- Stronger policies are likely to be needed
 - A mandatory requirement on carmakers
 - Continuing development of advanced biofuels
 - Better use of vehicle and fuel taxes

Significant change is possible in transport

- Some operational changes could be cheap and easy
- Bigger technical changes may be cost-justified by high oil price

Potential benefits are large

- Reduced oil dependency
- Reduced greenhouse gases
- Reduced running costs

... and so are the risks of inaction!



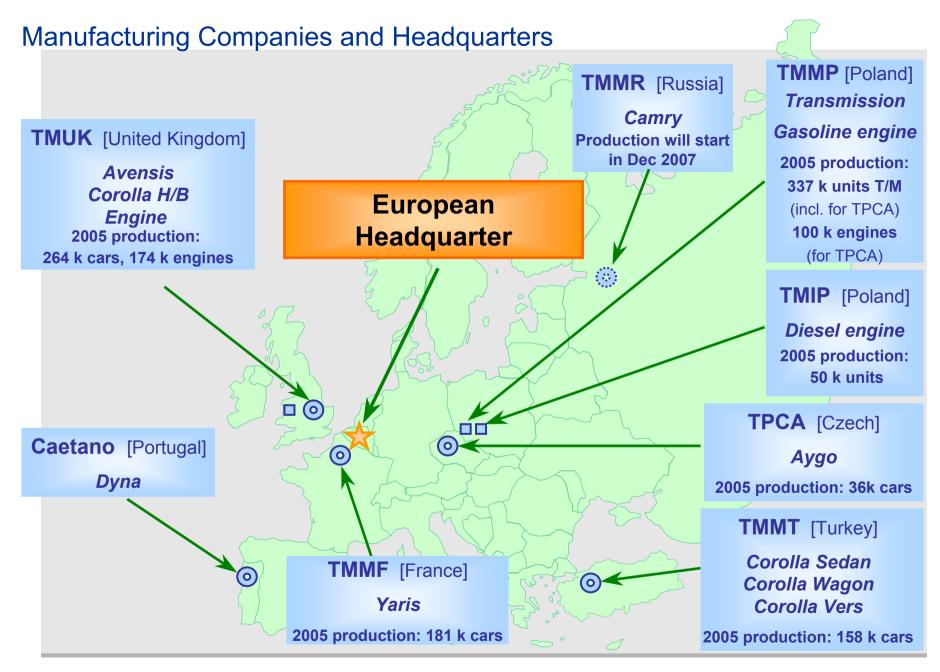
Impact of oil price and climate change on the car industry

Dr. Stephan Herbst Manager Analysis & Strategy – Environmental Affairs Toyota Motor Europe

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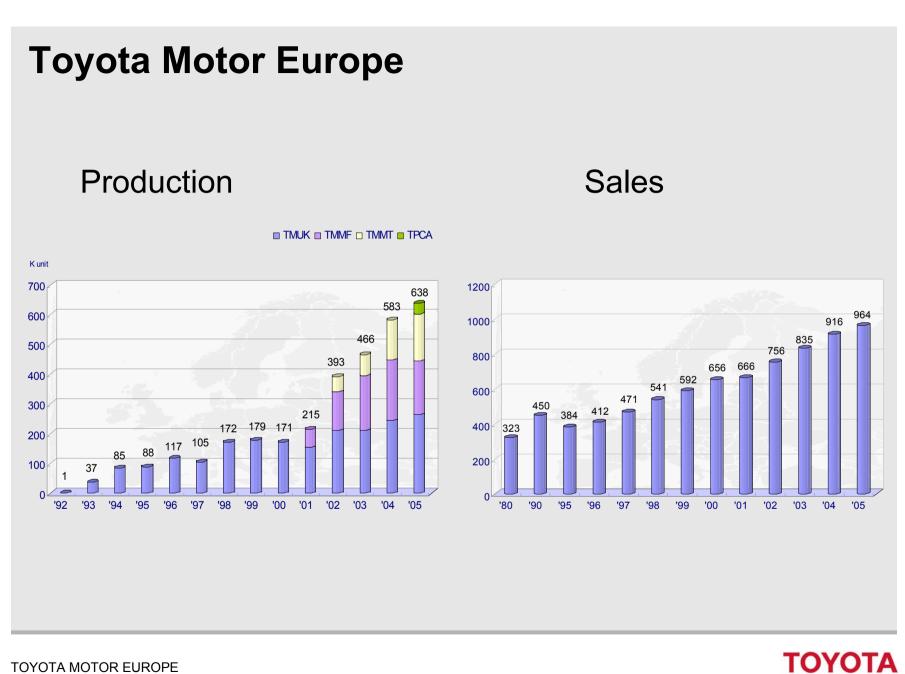


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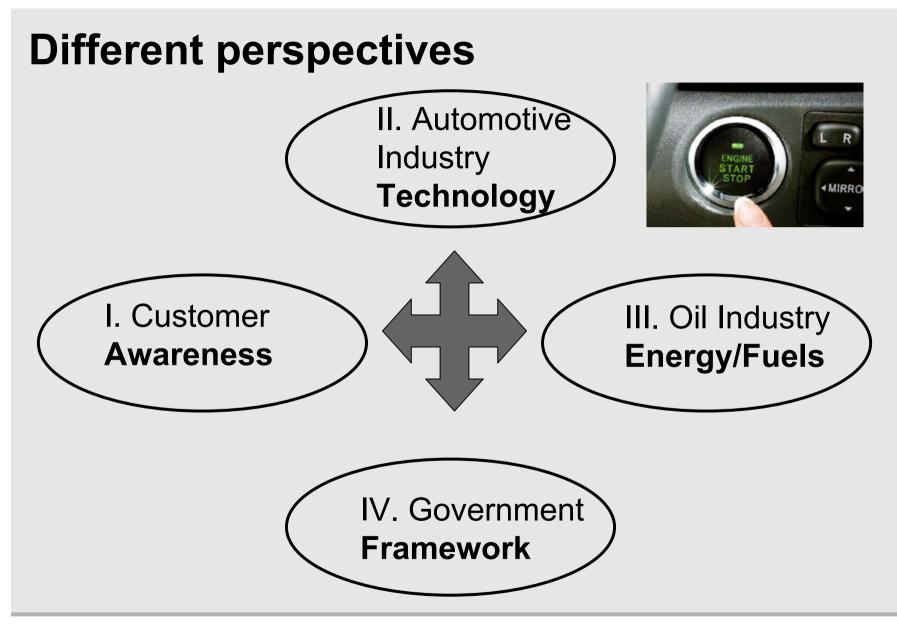


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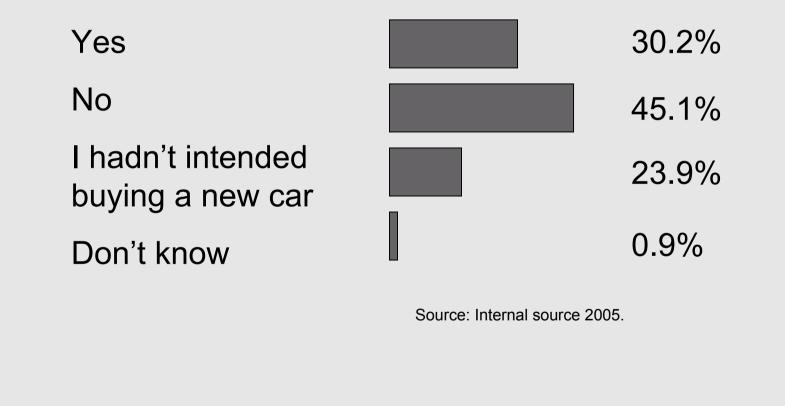
To what extend are you personally affected by various increases in the cost of driving a car?

Fuel prices	50.3%
Car insurance	33.4%
Maintenance	31.1%
Parking fees	24.7%
Prices of spare parts	22.6%
New-car prices	21.9%
Road charges	20.7%
Prices of accessories	17.9%
Prices for optional	17.8%
equipment	Source: Internal source 2005.



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Have the rising costs of driving stopped you from buying a new car?

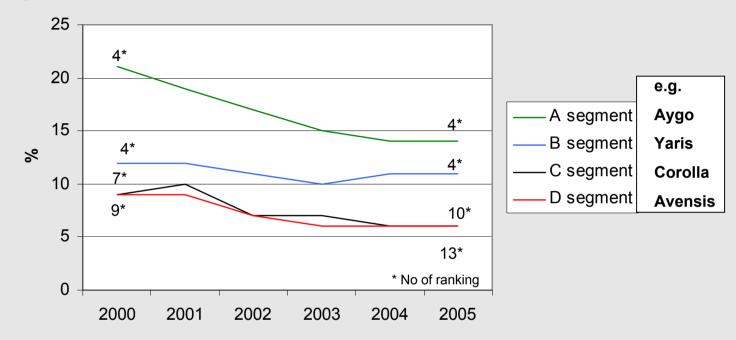


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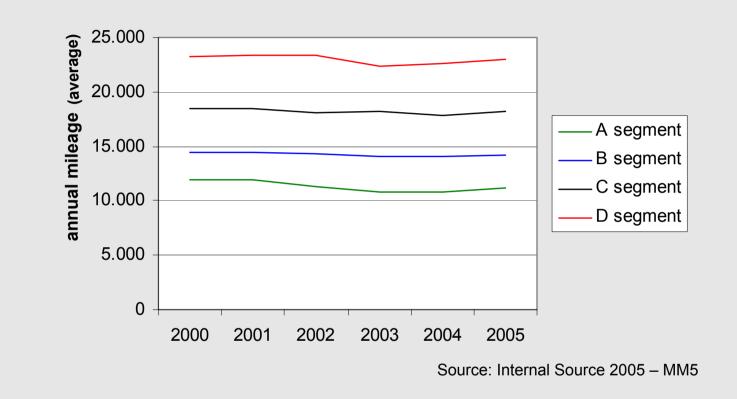
Importance of Low Fuel Consumption when buying a new car



Source: Internal source – MM5

- The importance of low fuel consumption as a purchase reason decreased in all segments. However, it has started to increase slightly.
- Low fuel consumption is most important in the A segment

Expected annual mileage



• Expected annual mileage (average) decreased slightly

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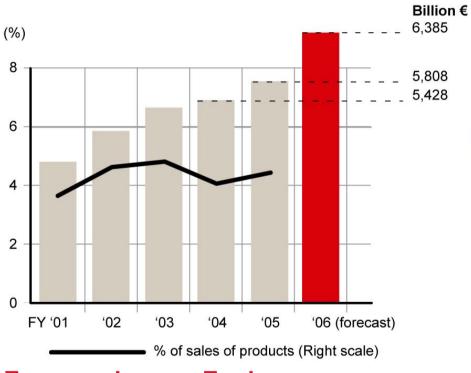
President Watanabe's Key Messages

- 1. We recognize that **Mobility entails negative aspects** caused by environmental issues, congestion, and traffic accident
- 2. Responding to issues of **Energy and Climate Change** is one of the biggest challenges
- 3. It is essential to realize a 'Sustainable Mobility Society'
- Toyota will give top priority on the development of technologies and products that contribute to tackling environmental and safety issues



II. Technology

Investments in R&D (global)



Encouraging our Engineers to push the boundaries



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II. Technology

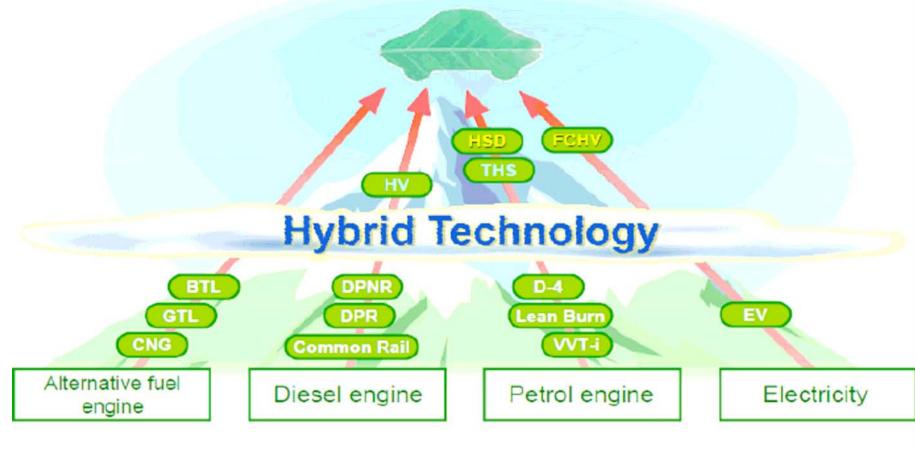
Evolution of Toyota Diesel Market Share





Towards the Sustainable Mobility

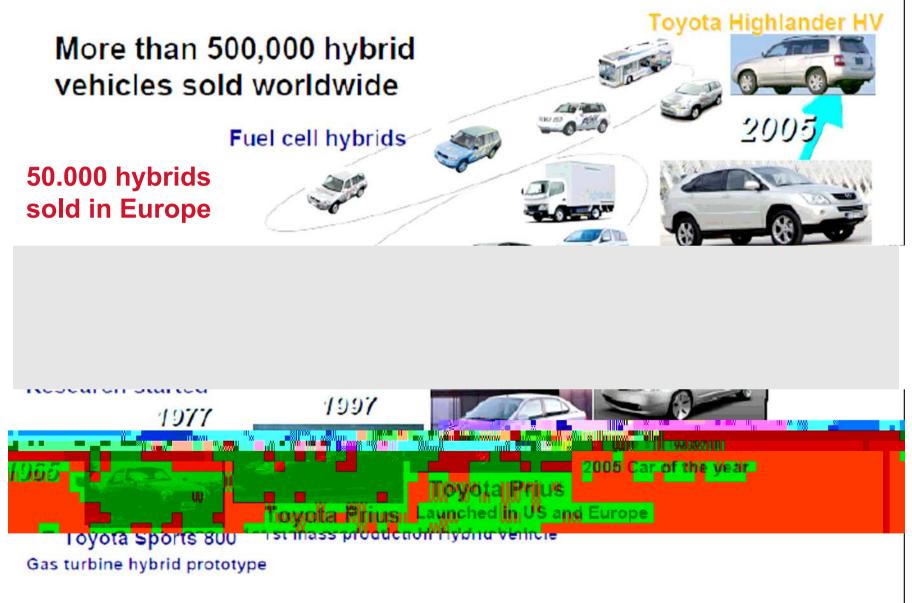
The Ultimate ECO-Car



"Today for Tomorrow"



40 years history of Toyota hybrid development



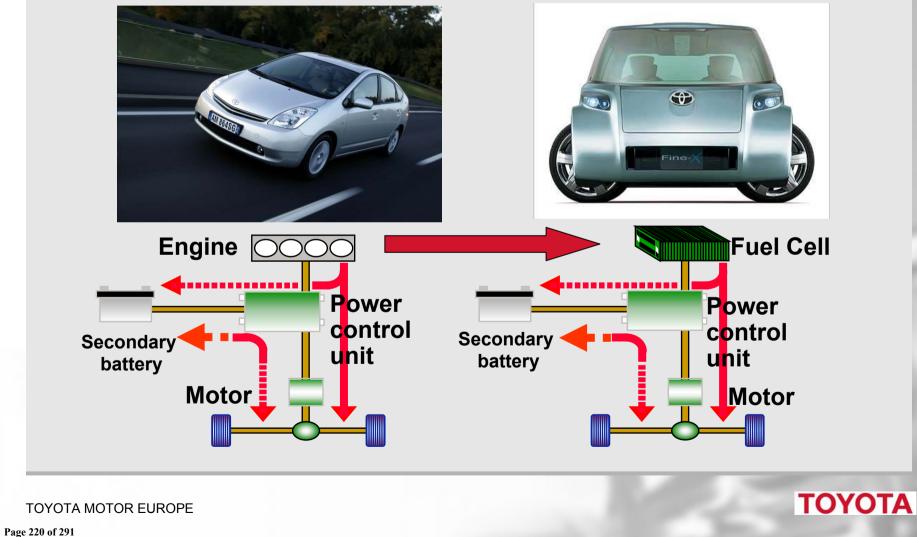
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Toyota's Fuel Cell Technology

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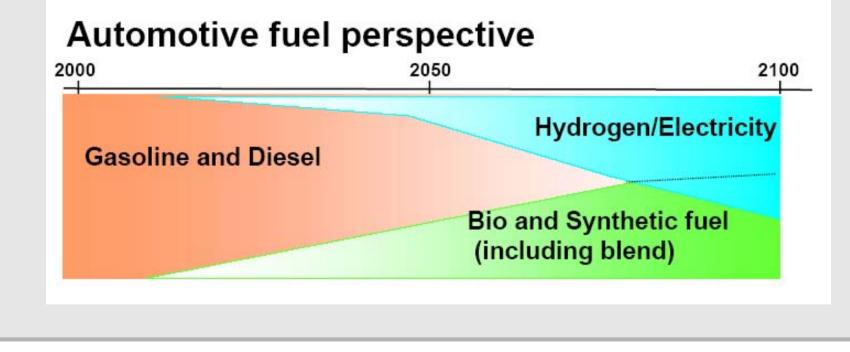


Requirement for Automotive fuels



(1) High energy density and easy to handle

- (2) Reasonable cost for society
- (3) Enough and a sustainable supply capacity



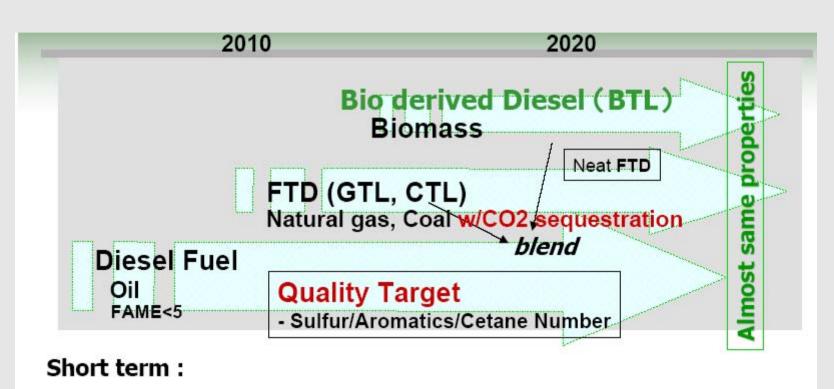
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III. Energy/Fuels

Toyota's diesel fuel scenario



- Cleaner properties (S, Aromatics, CN) for emission reduction.

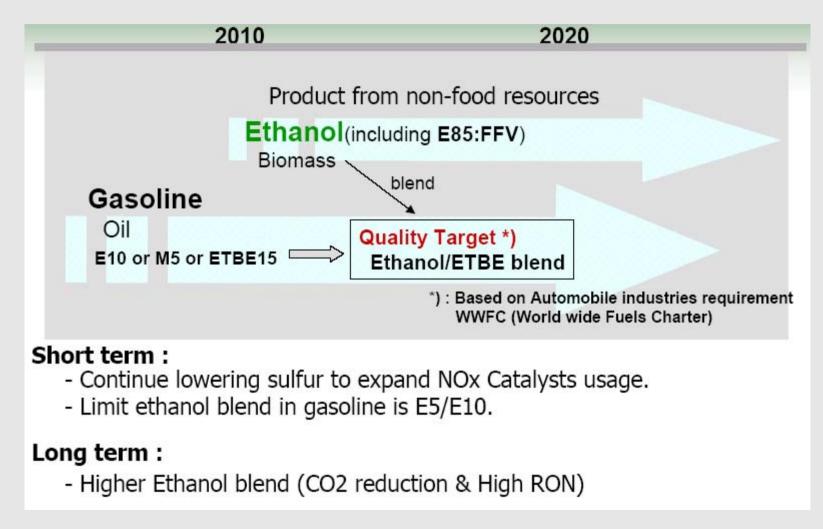
Long term :

- Introduce FTD to reduce automotive fuel diversity.
- Expand usage of BTL to reduce CO2 and improve vehicle performance

III. Energy/Fuels

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Toyota's gasoline scenario



Government

- Consistent and long-term policy approach based on sustainable mobility criteria (e.g. emissions, safety, access to mobility, affordability, competitiveness)
- Harmonised car taxation in Europe (CO₂ based)
 (vehicle excise duty, company car tax)



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Conclusion – impact of oil price & CO₂

- 1. Consumer awareness & behaviour is unclear (no major changes)
- 2. Further Technology & fuels development is important for Toyota
 - Revamping of the entire engine and transmission line-up
 - Making hybrid vehicles more widespread and developing new technologies
 - Doubling number of hybrid models
 - Plug-in hybrid
 - Initiatives towards the diversification of energy sources
 - Bio-enthanol / Flex Fuel Vehicles (FFV)
 - Fuel cell development

3. Government support needed





Thank you for your kind attention !

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Economic impact of rising oil prices

Microeconomic consequences

of rising oil prices, competitiveness and taxation

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Key data January – December 2005

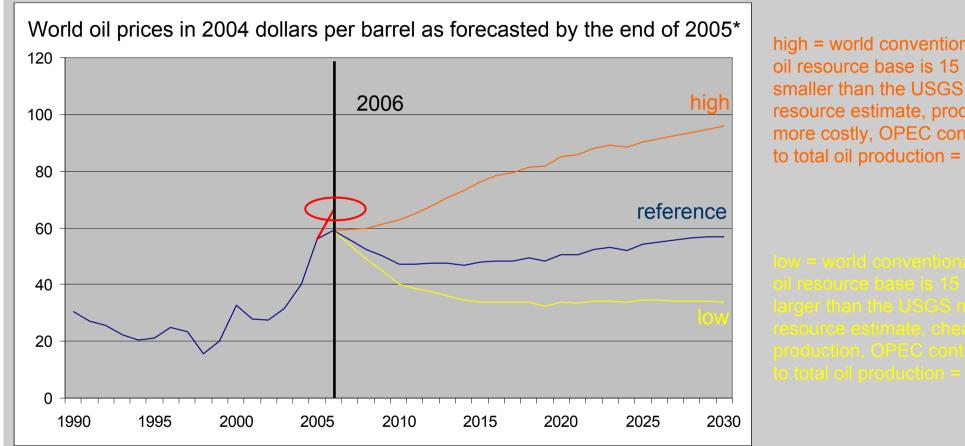
Volkswagen Group		2005	Change %
Deliveries to customers	th. vehicles	5,192	+ 1.0
Production	th. vehicles	5,219	+ 2.5
Workforce	thousand	344.9	+ 0.7
Production sites - thereof in Europe		44 31	
Sales revenue	million €	95,268	+ 7.1
Profit after tax	million €	1,120	+ 60.7

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Development of oil prices



high = world conventional crude oil resource base is 15 percent smaller than the USGS mean oil resource estimate, production more costly, OPEC contribution to total oil production = 31%

* weighted average price of all crude oil containing less than 0.5% sulphur by weight that is imported by US oil refiners USGS = U.S. Geological Survey

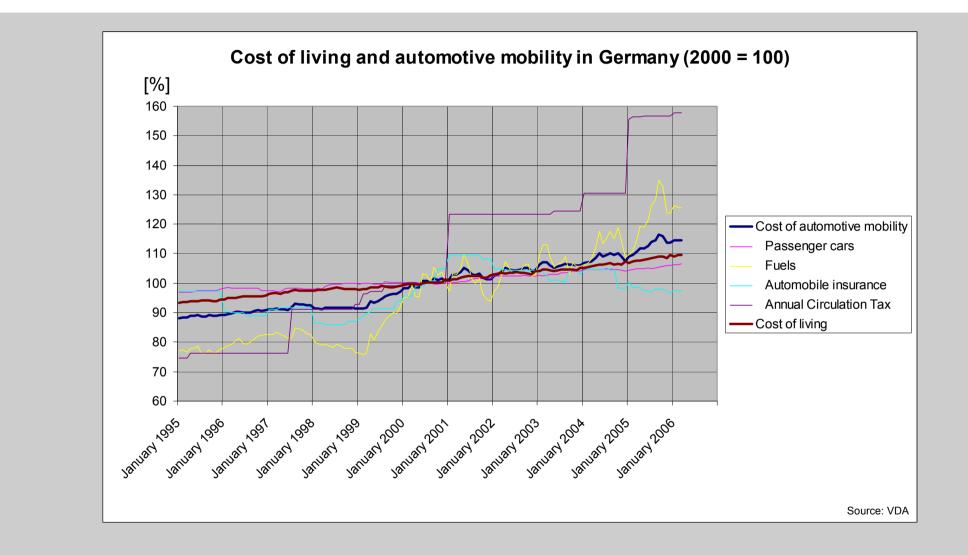
Source: Energy Information Administration – Official Energy Statistics from the U.S. government

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Cost of automotive mobility – Germany

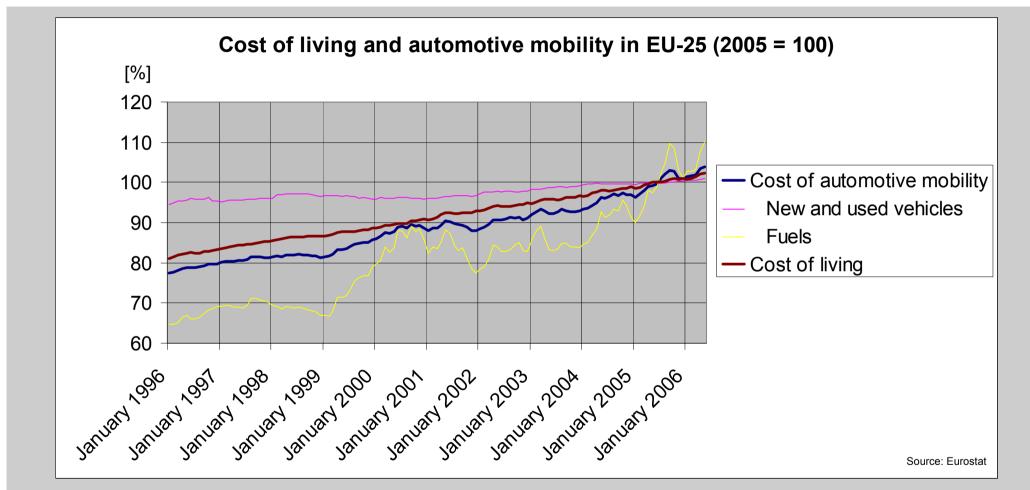


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Cost of automotive mobility – Europe



Operating costs of mobility within EU-25 have increased above average, by 34%, in the last decade while the costs of living have only risen by 26% in the same period.

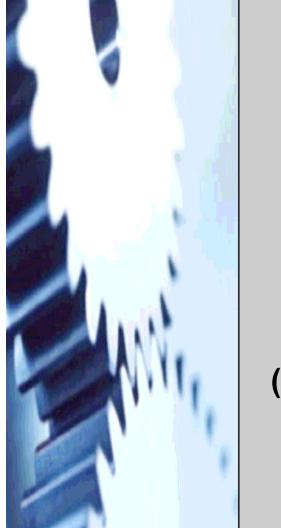
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Cost of automotive mobility

The cost of automotive mobility is influenced by several developments:

- Fuel prices
- Fuel taxation system
- Car taxation system
 - The taxation system should be harmonised throughout the EU.
 - At present, there are luxury tax, registration tax and additional taxes in several countries.
 - The car taxation system is currently based on different aspects within the EU (cylinder capacity, CO₂ performance, kilowatt, exhaust emissions, fuel consumption, weight).
- Road pricing
- Vehicle prices which are heavily influenced by requirements on vehicle characteristics set out by EU regulation, e.g. in the areas of CO₂, safety and recycling.



Integrated Approach

achieving goals in the most cost-efficient way

(macroeconomic minimisation of costs impacting

on the microeconomic situation, e.g. in the area

of CO2 reduction)

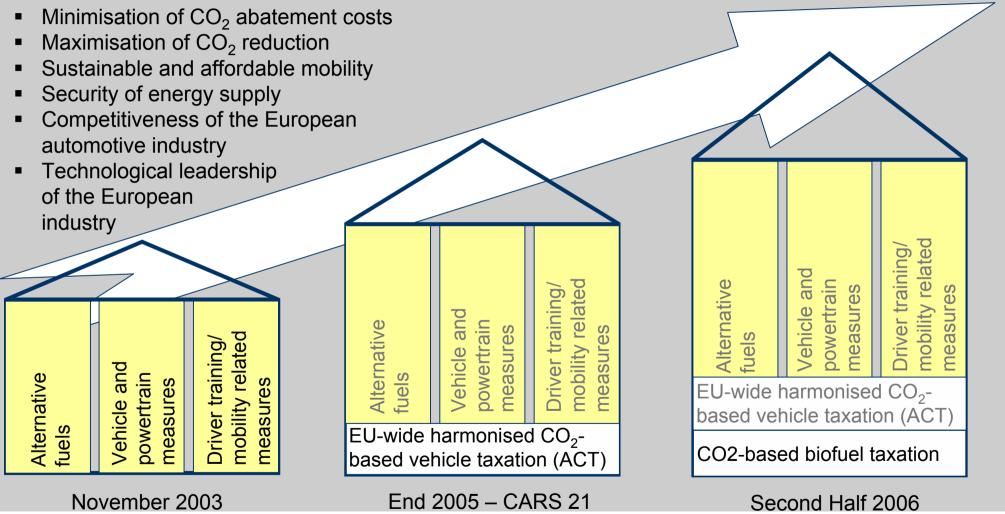
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CO₂ – Climate Protection 2008 – 2012 Evolution of the ACEA Integrated Approach (as in June 2006)

Objectives of the Integrated Approach as a multi-stakeholder-approach:

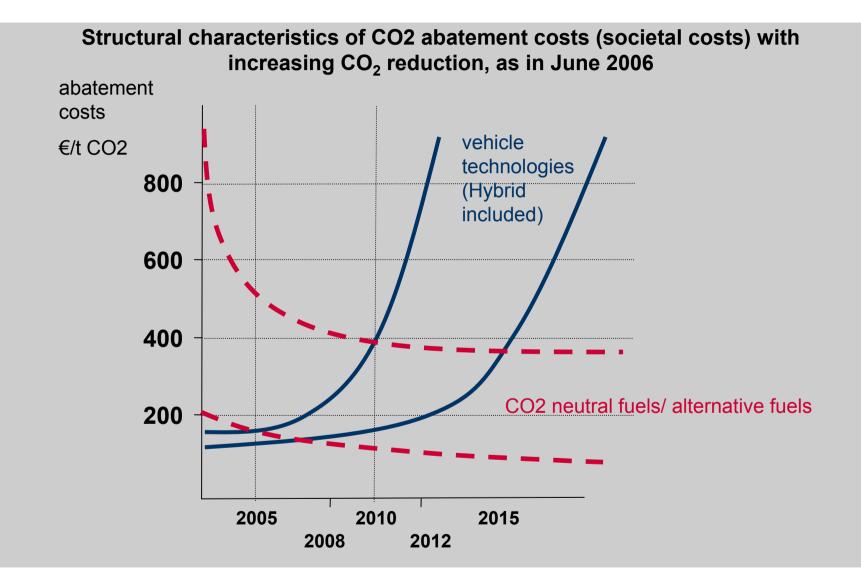


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ACEA CO₂ agreement

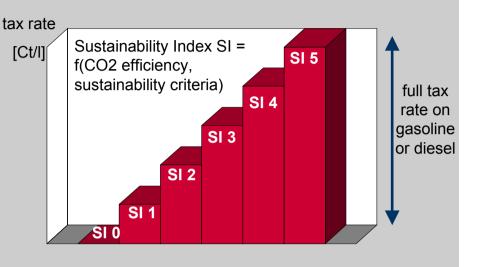


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Biofuel taxation – Proposal VW

- Comprehensive and market-driven incentive system, level-playing field for 1st and 2nd generation biofuels.
- Avoidance of excessive incentives and of a long-term misallocation of economic resources.
- Long-term framework conditions, only gradual alteration through re-evaluation of sustainability in order to ensure the investments made.
- Basis for the harmonisation of fuel taxation within the EU/ at present: amendment of the directive on biofuels.



Sustainability Rating for biofuels according to their:

- CO2 efficiency (WtT)
- sustainability criteria (biodiversity, avoidance of rainforest deforestation, reduction of the use of fertilisers and pesticides, complexity of supply etc.)
- Classification into sustainability classes (e.g. six SI classes*) as a basis for taxation (full tax rate ↔ highest tax allowance).
- Obligation to produce certification on SI classes is with the biofuel producer.

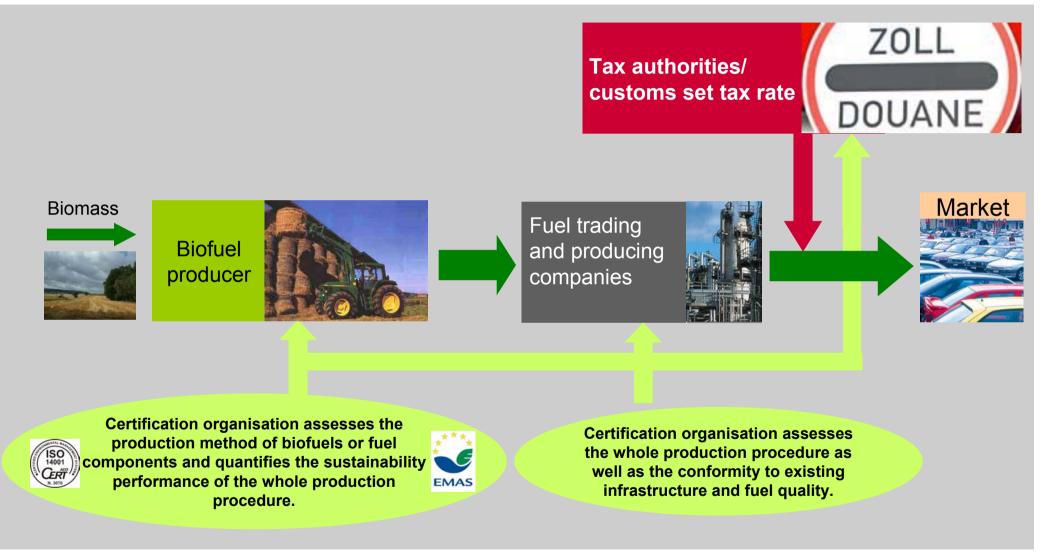
* SI Sustainability Index

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Biofuel taxation Certification and taxation practices



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Conclusion

If the current development continues, the economic challenge for the consumer will be to earmark an increasing part of the budget for mobility.

Against the background of a constant purchasing power, the rise of automotive mobility costs leads to an increasing risk for the competitiveness of the European automotive industry and European growth and employment.

Request: No further increase of mobility costs.

- **Lean and Better Regulation Enforcement of CARS 21.**
- Integrated approach in order to achieve objectives in the most cost-efficient way.
- **EU-wide harmonisation of passenger car taxation.**
- Market introduction of and level-playing field for biofuels as an accompanying measure in order to contain the crude oil market's speculative elements.

Session II

Part 2: Geopolitics and Security of Supply

Workshop on the economic impact of rising oil prices

Geopolitics and security of supply

Presented by Dr. Hasan M. Qabazard Director, Research Division, OPEC

European Parliament, Brussels June 28, 2006

Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries



This is so fundamental to life in the 21st century that every effort should be made to:

- Clarify its meaning
- Gain a consensus on it
- Embody its true principles in decisionmaking across the energy sector

Qualities of energy security



This should ...

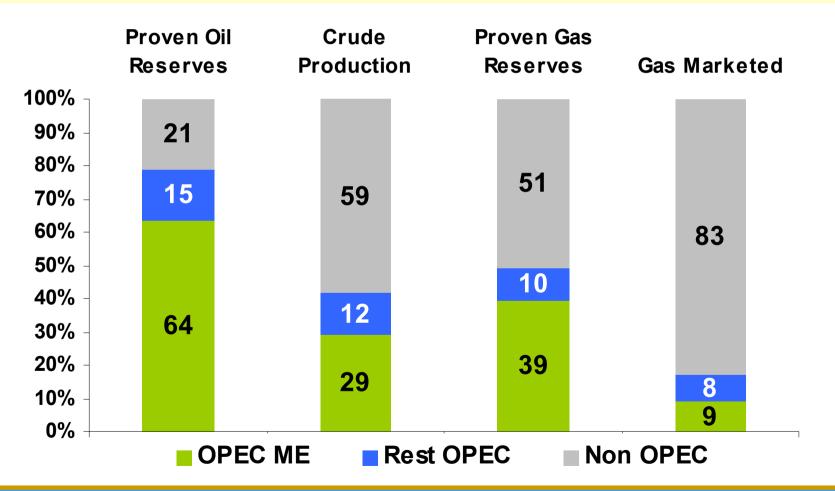
- Be reciprocal security of demand is as important as security of supply
- Apply to all energy sources free from prejudice
- Extend across the entire supply chain
- Cover all foreseeable time-horizons
- Focus on the most modern products, with the highest environmental standards and latest technology
- Apply to rich and poor nations alike
- Be openly receptive to dialogue and cooperation

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OPEC oil and gas reserves versus production



- Proven oil reserves 897 billion barrels > 78% of world share
- Crude oil production 30 million barrels a day about 42% of world share
- Crude oil exports > 21 million barrels a day > 50% of world share



There is considerable uncertainty over how much oil OPEC will need to produce (mb/d)



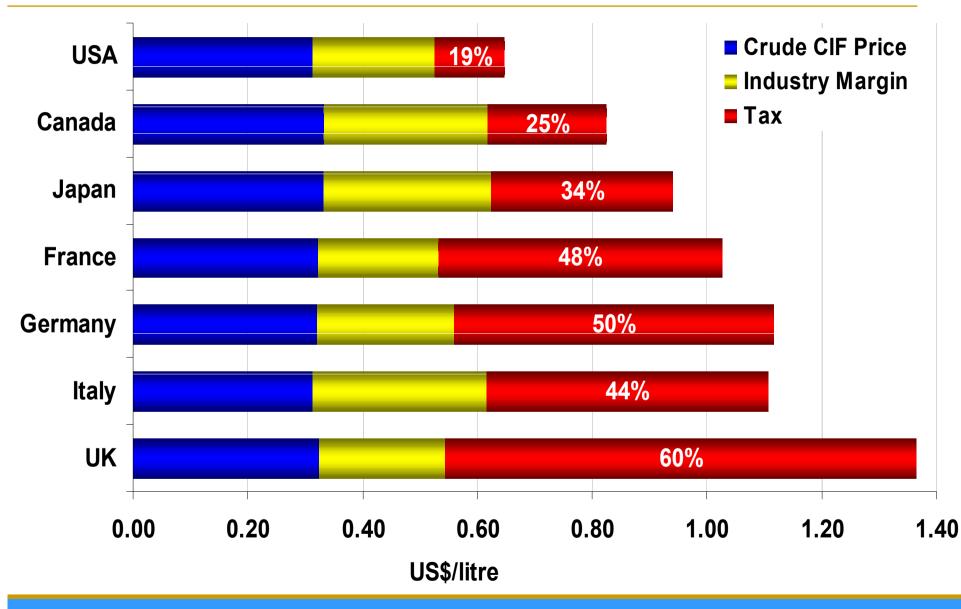
- Significant uncertainties with substantial downside risks.
- Considerable implications on the scale and timing of investments!
- "Road-map" for oil demand is called for!

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Taxation of oil products

Diesel prices and taxes, December 2005

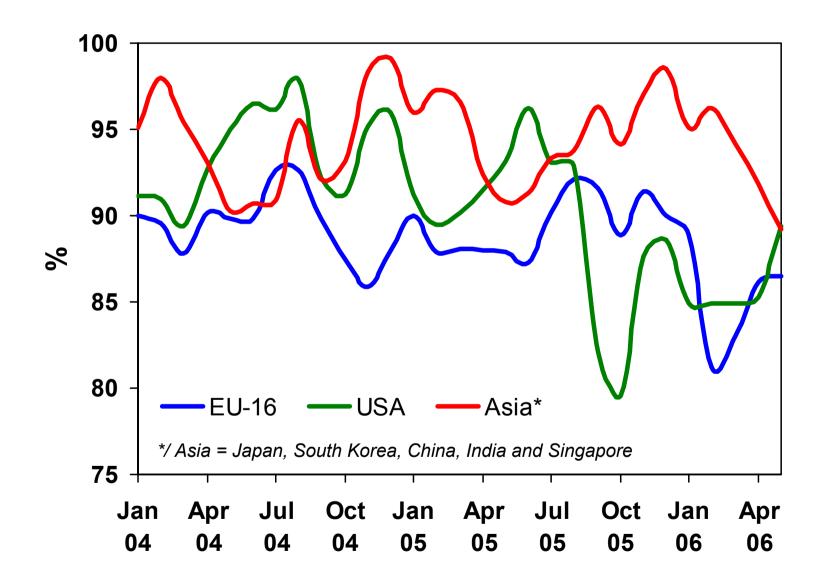




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Supply chain tightness: downstream bottlenecks High capacity utilization rates

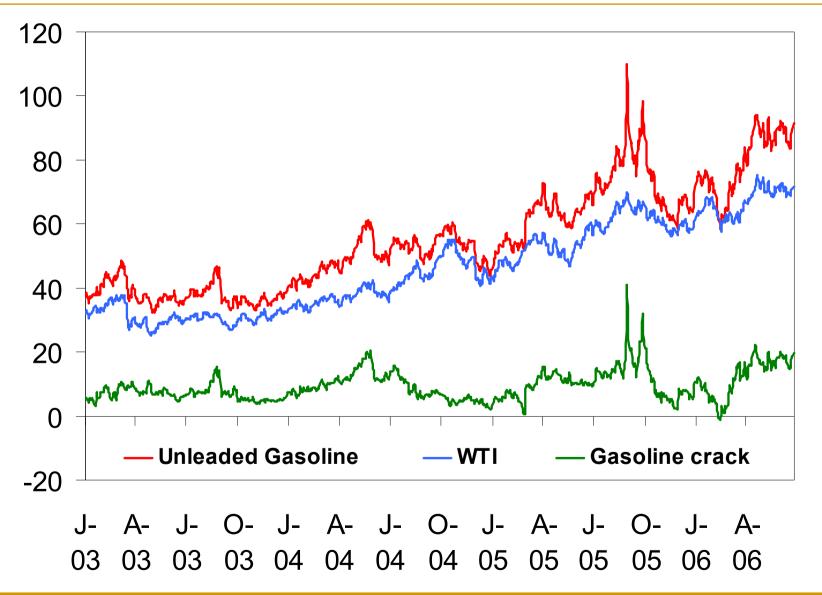




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Crude oil prices: much affected by products markets, too! US \$/b



Dialogue and cooperation



- The way forward for all players
- OPEC continues to make big effort
- Widened and deepened in open and constructive manner

Examples

- New OPEC energy dialogues with European Union, China and Russia
- International Energy Forum, with Joint Oil Data Initiative
- Non-OPEC at OPEC Conferences; OPEC and non-OPEC experts' meetings ...
- Joint annual workshops organised by OPEC and International Energy Agency



Follow the path of order and stability in the international oil market.

Adhere to a broader vision, embracing such issues as sustainable development and environmental harmony.

In this way, it would be possible to imbue the industry with an enriched experience of energy security.

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Stability in the oil market

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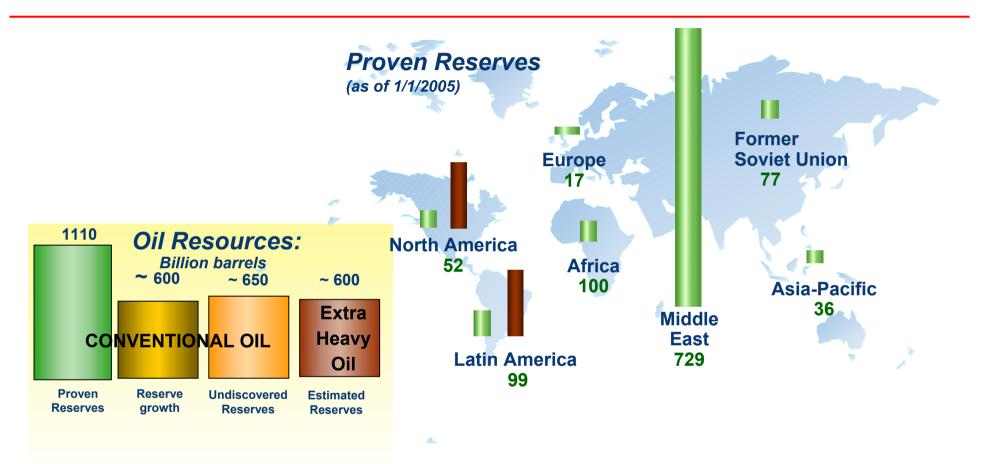
Workshop on the impact of oil prices

Session on Geopolitics and Security of Supply European Parliament Bruxelles 28 June 2006

Pierre Sigonney

DSER/DSP June 28, 2006

Proven oil reserves cover today more than 40 years of demand...



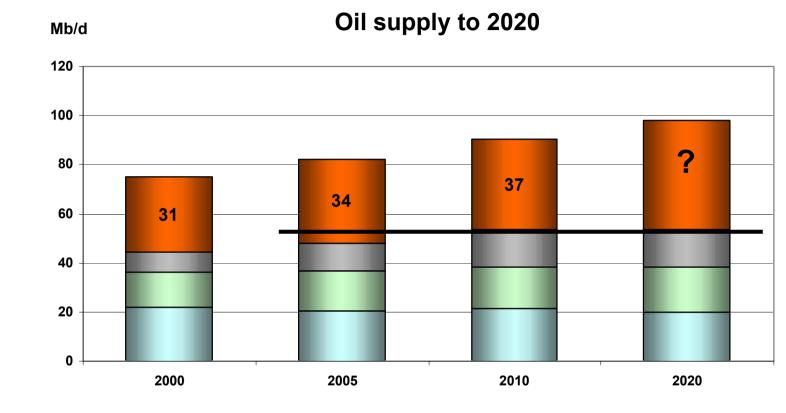
... but are very concentrated in the Middle East



Source: O&G Journal, USGS 2000, IEA



After 2010, a growing dependence on OPEC production

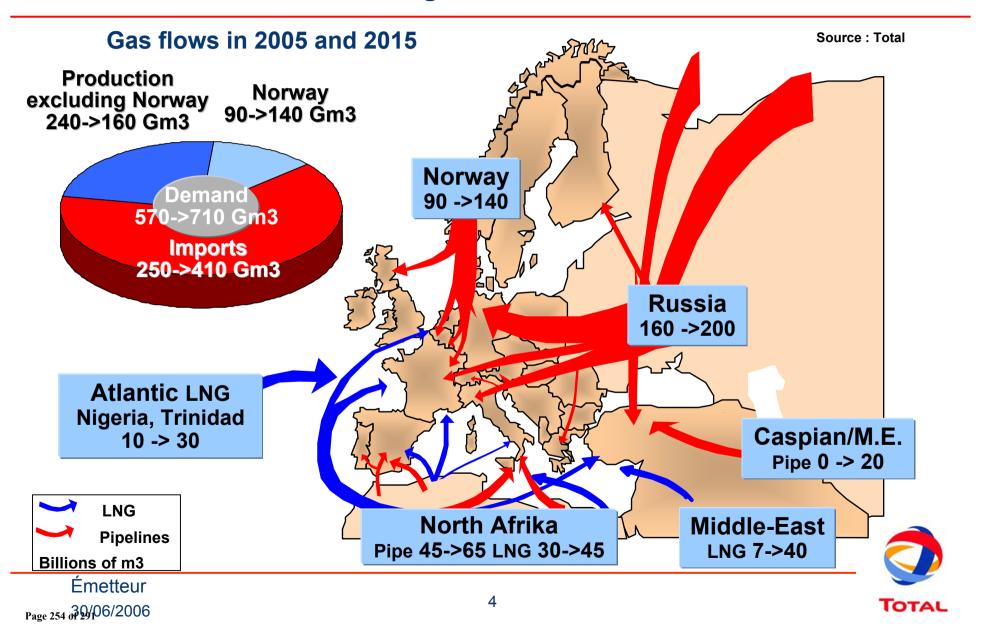


OECD Africa Asia Latin America FSU OPEC

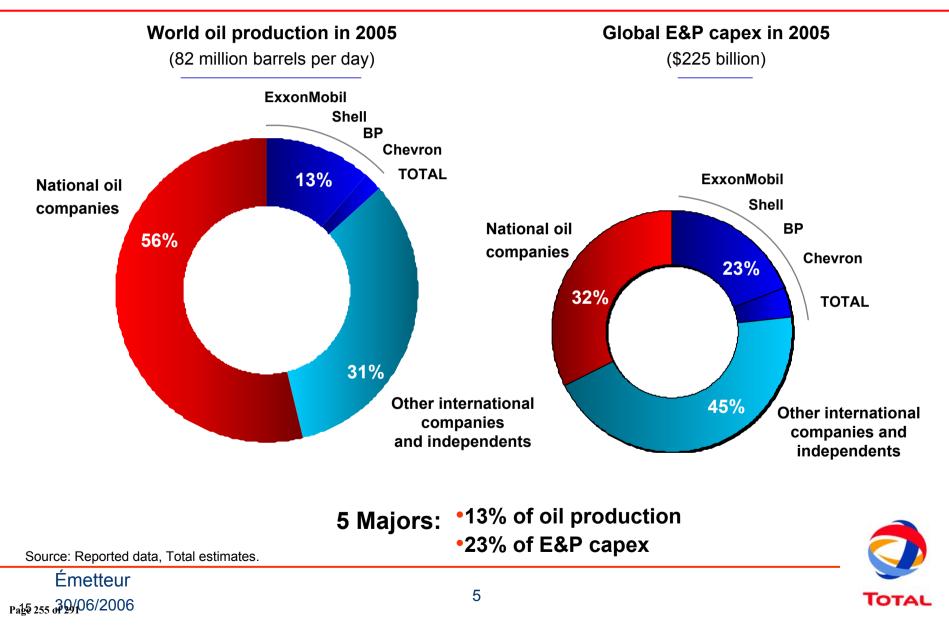
- A significant decrease in OECD oil supply after 2010
- Global production from non OPEC should be at best stable after 2010
- OPEC decisions will define oil supply (growth in Irak, extra-heavy oil in Venezuela...)



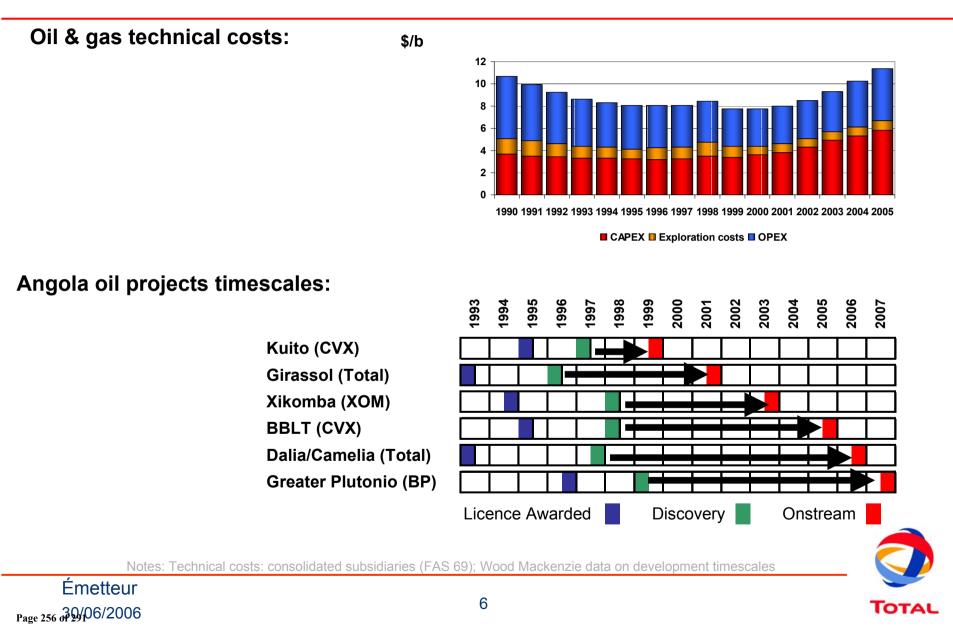
Gas supply in Europe relies on diversification and high investment



Oil & gas majors : small players in terms of production, big players in terms of investment

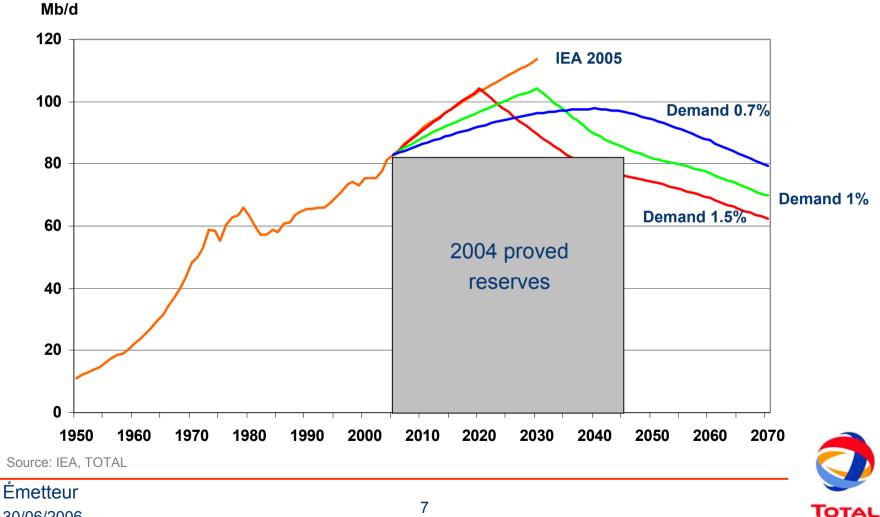


International companies : increasing field complexity is driving up technical costs and project timescales



Slowing demand growth would help manage the tensions on oil markets

Reducing oil demand growth to less than 1% per annum would be the best solution. But is it realistic?



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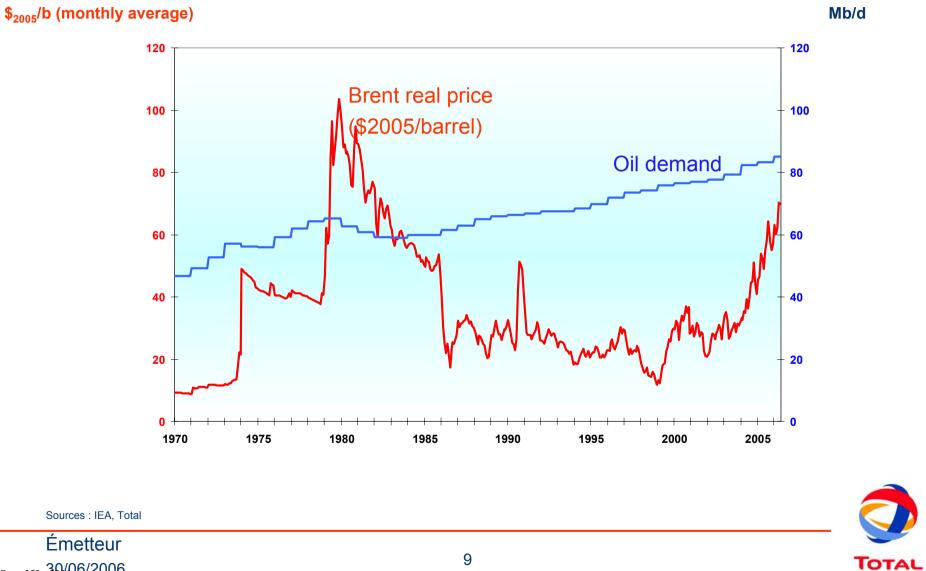


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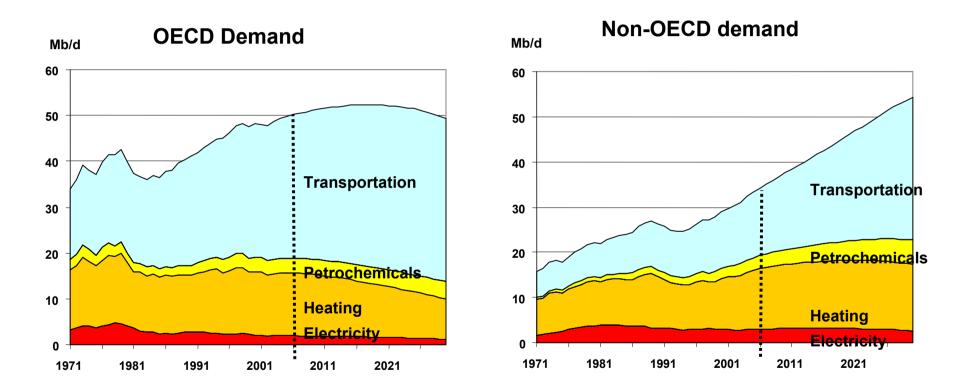
Oil prices are volatile: today's price is no guide to the future !



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To avoid a crisis, oil demand should stabilise in the OECD to allow demand to grow in the non-OECD

Oll demand growth of 1% over 2005-2020

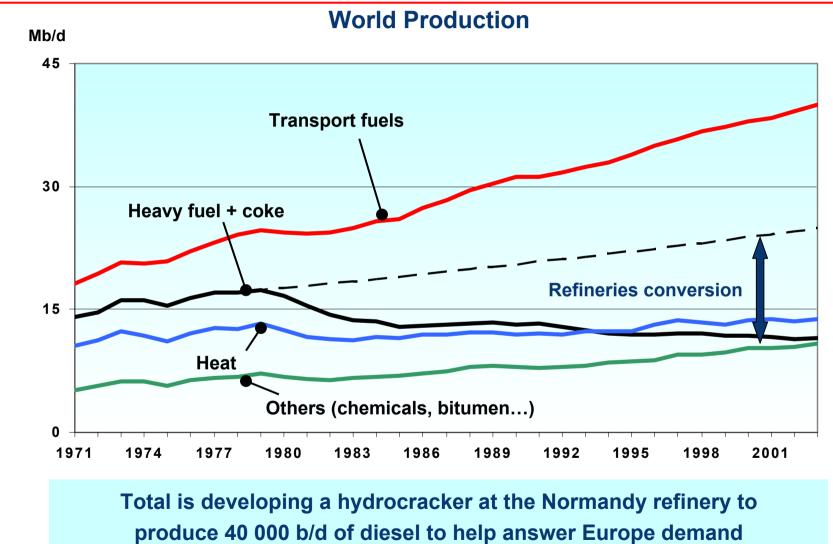




Source: IEA; TOTAL

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A lighter product mix will necessitate new refining conversion capacities

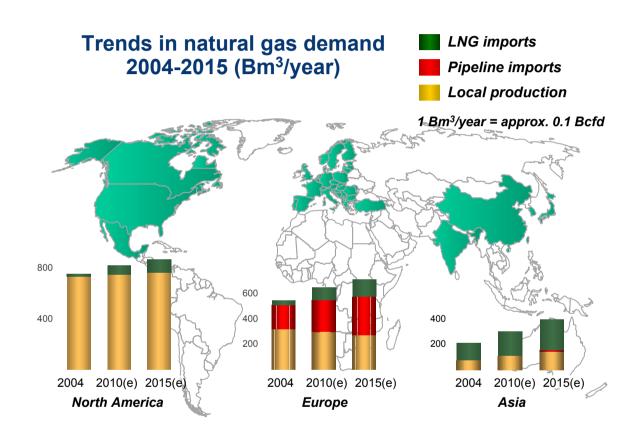


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Source: IEA Émetteur

The growing role of gas in power production means a global market with a key role for LNG

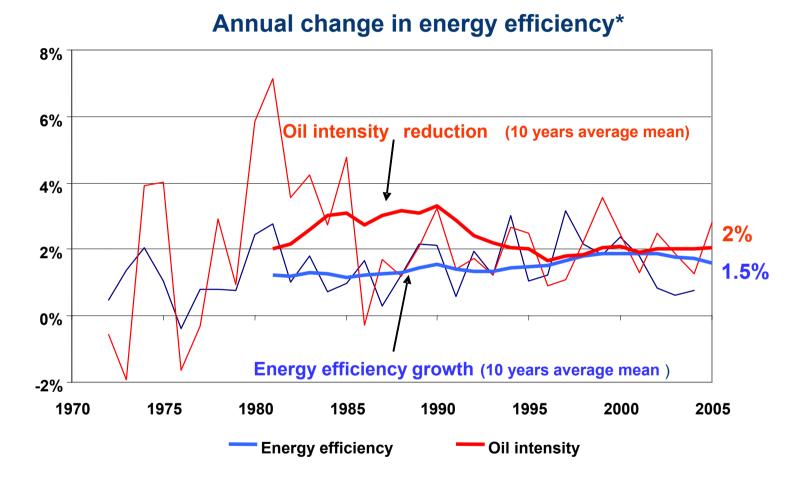
- Natural gas reserves are relatively abundant proven reserves equal ~65 years of today's production
- 'Peak gas' should not occur before 2040
- Gas markets are highly reliant on transport logistics - a worldwide gas market requires the development of a strong LNG network



Total is a key player in the LNG market with participations in 6 export projects (Qatar, Indonesia, Yemen, Iran, Nigeria, Norway)



Accelerating energy efficiency improvments is necessary for oil and all the other sources of energy

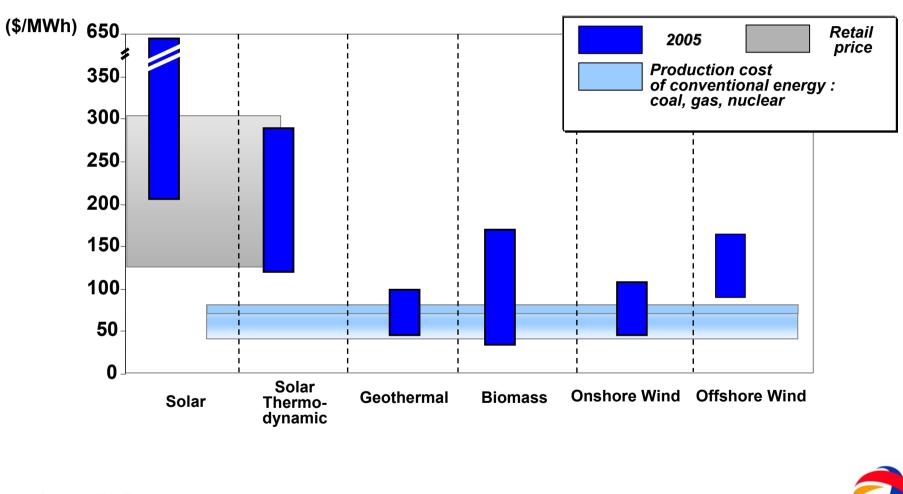


We've been achieving 1.5/2.0% p.a. Can we get to 2.5/3.0% p.a. ?

* Energy efficiency is calculated as the ratio of world GDP, at constant prices, over world energy demand, in tonnes oil equivalent.

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Improvements in renewable power generation cost are made to match conventional electricity costs, especially if distribution costs are high



Generation Costs

Sources: IEA, Total

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TOTAL



The Oil-GDP effect and its implications for the deployment of renewable energies and security of supply

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- The Oil-GDP effect
- Investment in renewable energy as a way to mitigate the fossil fuel price risk
- Avoided GDP losses
- Implications for security of supply
- Conclusions

The Oil-GDP effect



- Oil price increases and volatility dampen economic growth by raising inflation and unemployment
- Since the mid 1980s not only oil price levels but also volatility is an important factor
- Asymmetric relationship between oil price increases / decreases and GDP
- Despite changes in the oil-GDP effect, there is no doubt about the negative impact of oil price fluctuation on GDP
- Doubling in oil prices reduces GDP by around 5% however very different for individual countries:

Oil-GDP effect: % GDP change for oil US University of Sussex

lm porters		Exporters	
	GDP		GDP
Country	Elasticity	Country	Elasticity
Taiwan	-8.4%	Indonesia	-4.3%
Hong Kong	-6.5%	Malaysia	-5.6%
Japan	-5.8%	Norway	5.1%
South Korea	-8.7%		
Philippines	-3.6%		
Singapore	-4.2%		
Thailand	-8.4%		
France	-9.8%		
Germany	-8.1%		
Greece	-2.4%		
U .K .	-3.8%		
Average	_6.3%	Average	-1.6%

Source: Paul Leiby, IEA ASEAN Workshop, April 2004

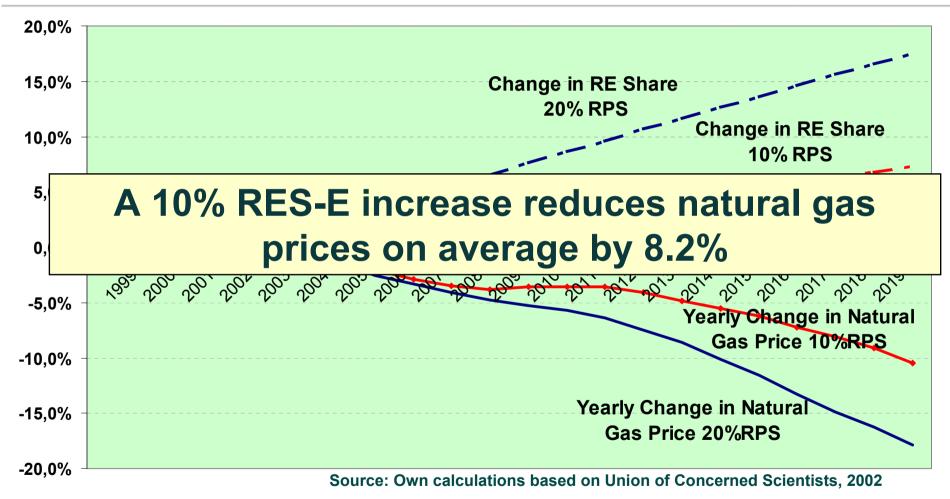
Investments in renewable energy sources to mitigate oil-GDP effect



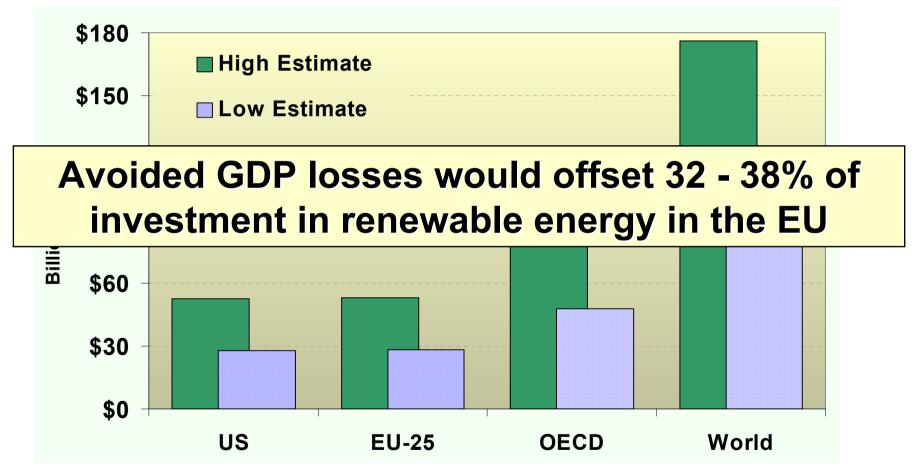
Investments in renewable energy sources create benefits in terms of avoided GDP loses:

- A higher share of renewables in the electricity supply reduces demand for natural gas which reduces natural gas prices
- Through the gas-oil substitution effect oil prices will come under pressure
- Avoided oil price increases and volatility produce avoided GDP losses

% changes U.S. Gas Wellhead Price US and additional RES-E share University of Sussex



Avoided GDP losses for 10% RES-E US addition



Source: Awerbuch and Sauter (2005), *Energy Policy*, in press SPRU - Science and Technology Policy Research

Implications for security of supply



Investments in renewable energy sources enhance energy security:

- by helping reduce exposure to oil-GDP losses
- by contributing to an optimized generation portfolio and therefore mitigating *risk* due to minimised exposure to fossil fuel price volatility
- by providing a form of 'national insurance' (Lind/Arrow) in that prices move against the value of other financial assets





- Investment costs in renewables can partially be offset by avoided GDP losses
- Currently fuel price risks in the electricity supply system are passed through to consumers and reduce their disposable income
- European oil and gas market structures will have to change to fully allow for the potential of avoided GDP losses
- An increased share of renewable energy sources in the supply portfolio constitutes a *no regrets policy*
- Similar conclusions apply to investments in energy efficiency measures

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Thank you for your attention!

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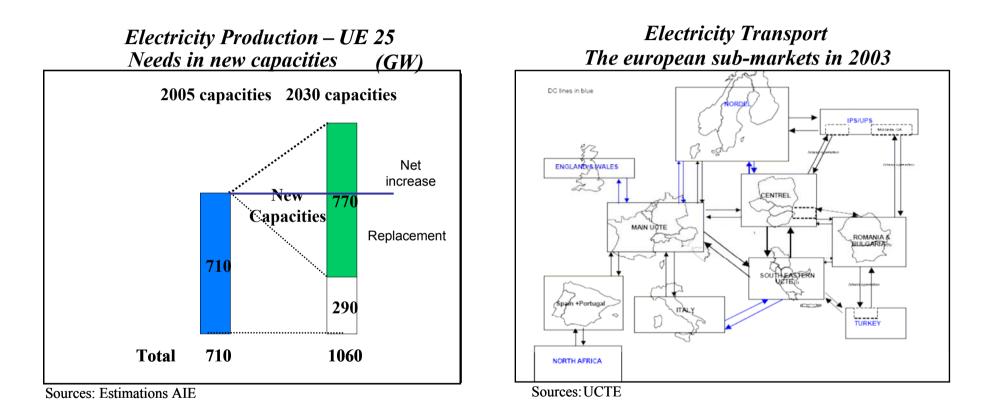




Geopolitics and supply security

Alexandre Clauwaert June 2006

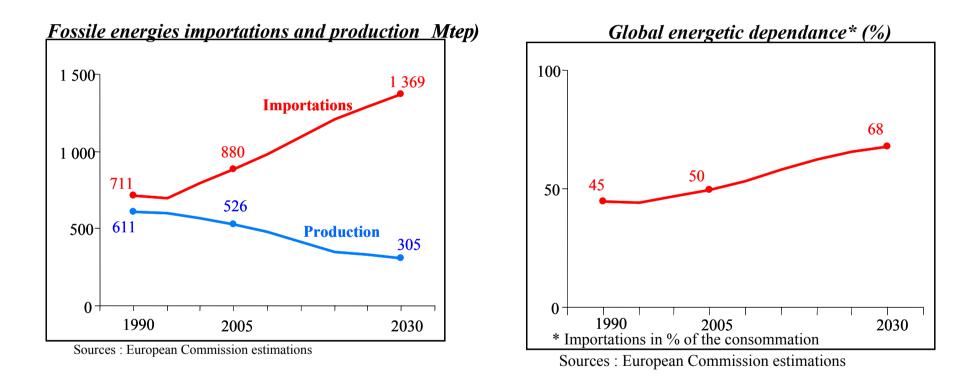
Current situation : Growth of the electric and _svez energy needs



Investments needs for electricity infrastructures are estimated at **750 B €** by AIE for the period 2005-2030 for EU-25

Increased pressure on energetic independance

Growth of direct and indirect demand of natural gas, coal and oil products (transport)

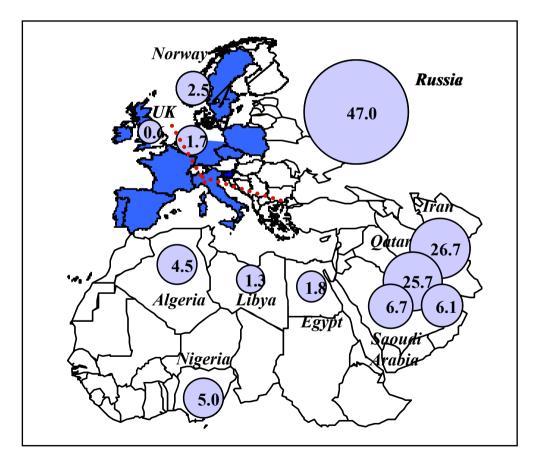


- An energetic dependance that has increased since 10 years....
- ...and that may reach 70% in 2030...

Preserving an energetic independance Natural gas

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Main gas reserves available for Europe (in Tm³)



Main risks :

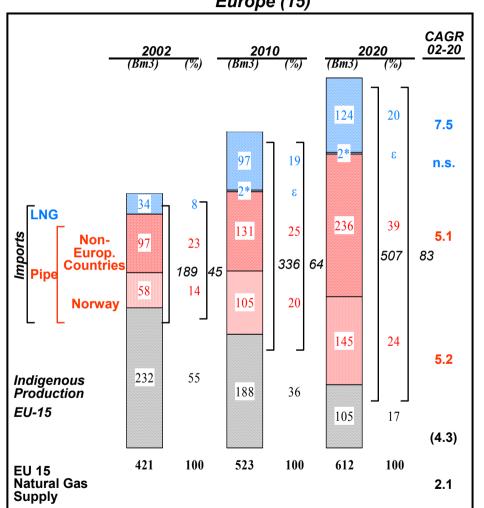
- Geopolitics risk
- Technical risk
- Arbitration risk unfavourable to Europe



Tension on gas supplies ?

Source : BP Statistical Review

Sources of natural gas



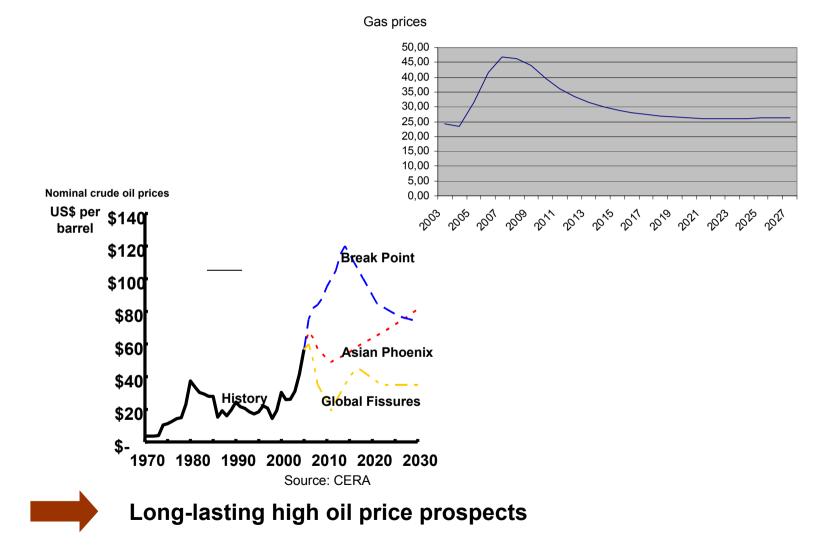
Europe (15)

A key-role to play for the LNG in the diversification of the gas supply sources which explains the expected growth in this sector.

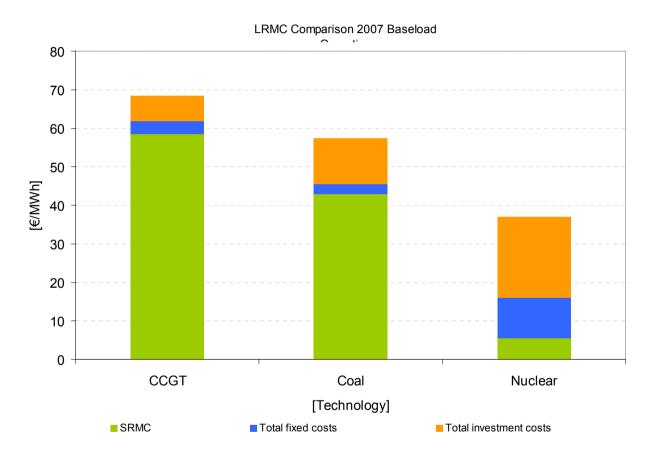
* Imports from Norway

Page Sources: AIE, Brokers' reports

Economical competitivity



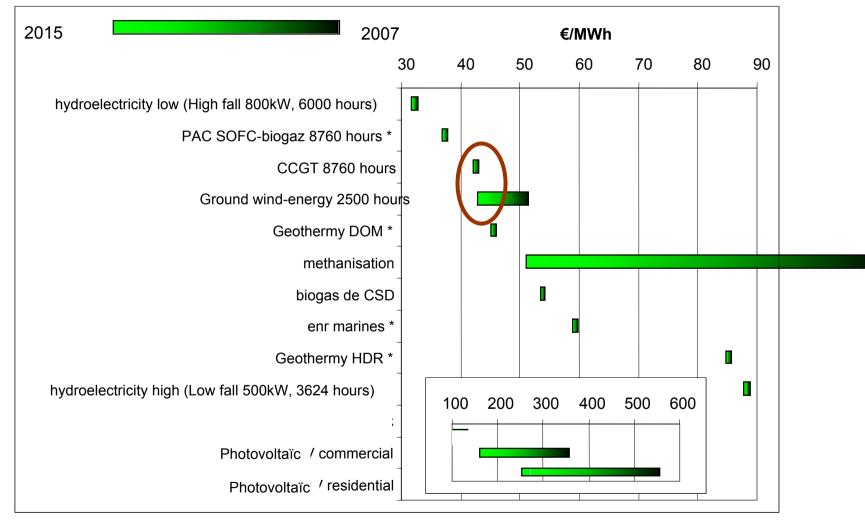
Economical competitivity of electrical production costs



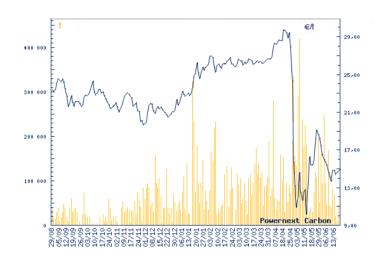
Source : Suez Electrabel june 2006 forwards

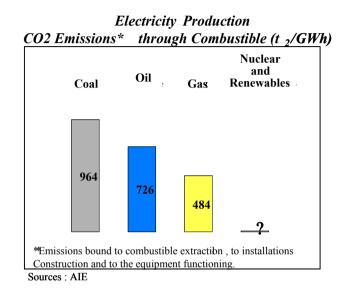
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Economical competitivity of renewable production costs



The environmental stakes

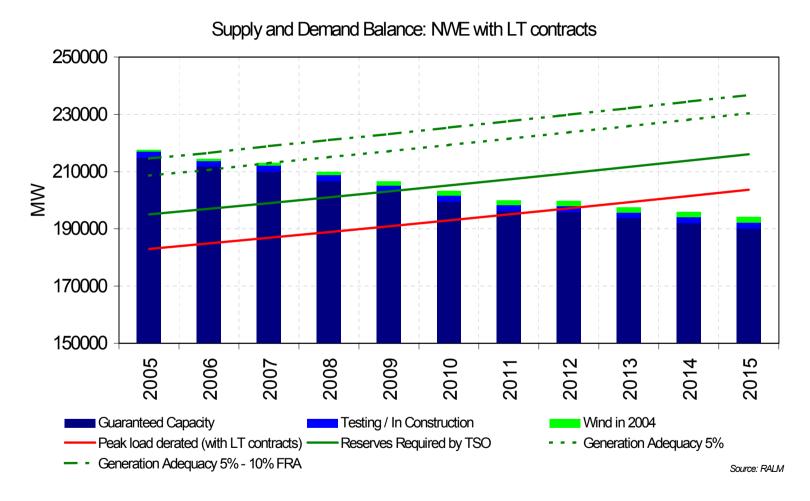




- Kyoto Protocol
 - 5% reduction of GES emissions in 2012 in regard to 1990...
 - ...until now the electrical sector is responsible for 39% of the emissions
 - European system EU-ETS
- Combustion directive (SO₂, NOx) 'Large combustion plants'

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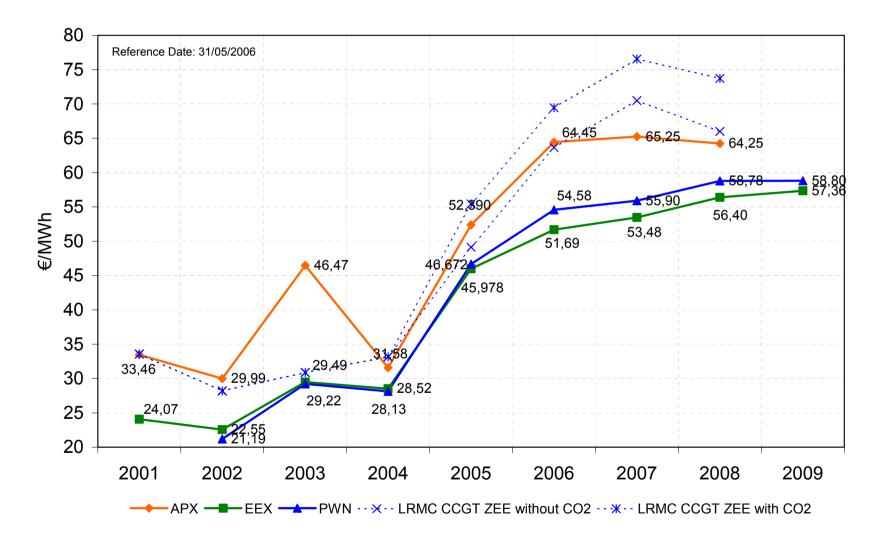
A strain on the reserve margins on the scale of the continental block (NWE)...



Estimated needs between 16 et 22 GW (2010)

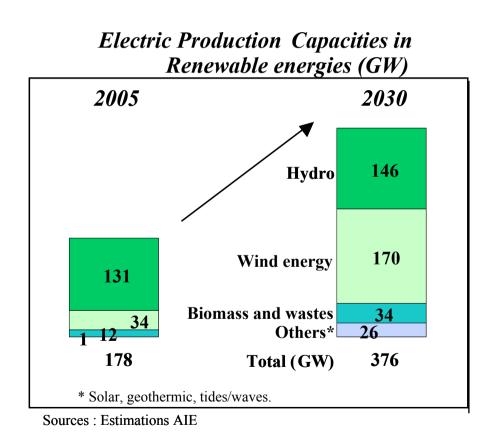
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...until now the prices have not yet reached _svez the long-term marginal cost (LRMC)



The energy mix problem

The renewable energies stakes

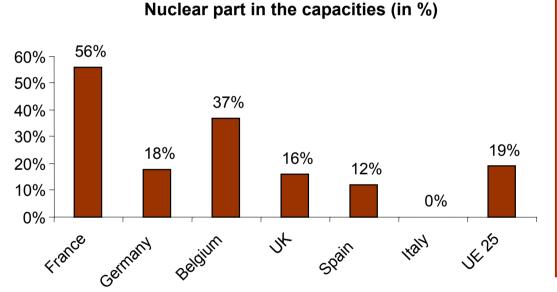


- Part of the answer to the environmental stakes...
- ... but a potential partially limited by:
 - Potential largely exploited in hydraulic
 - A photovoltaic solar development not very credible in the short-term
- Developing prospects are thus centered on wind energy and biomass (co)firing

The energy mix problem

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The nuclear stakes



 The historical nuclear development depends on local european countries policy.

 Strongly divided positions in relation to nuclear relaunch

 An element of answer to the Kyoto constraints, but environmental elements still to be clarified (spent fuel)

The energy mix problem

The fossil energy stakes

- A contribution that remains important for the countries who choose to abandon the nuclear...
- Major stakes in terms of R&D needed to assure the competitivity of this technology → Zero Emission Technology problem
 - Integration of the technologies in the working of the existing power plants (i.e Tests-projects)
 - Increase of the efficiency of the coal power plants
 - Reduction of the costs of the captation/sequestration technologies

A european market being developed... requiring a greater technical and regulatory coordination svez

- The community directives describe a general framework ?
- But :
 - A very uneven implementation
 - Eligibility rythm

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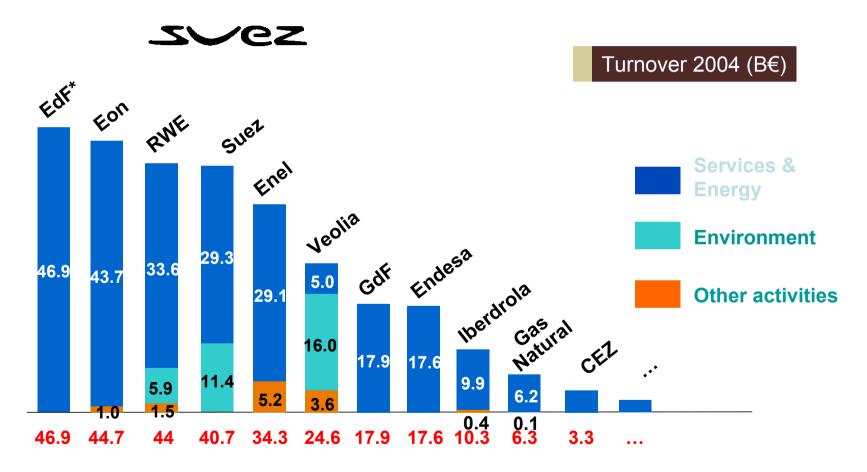
- Unbundling of activities
- Access to the networks
- A very incomplete taking into account of the long-term stakes of the sector

A primat to the development of the short-term competion

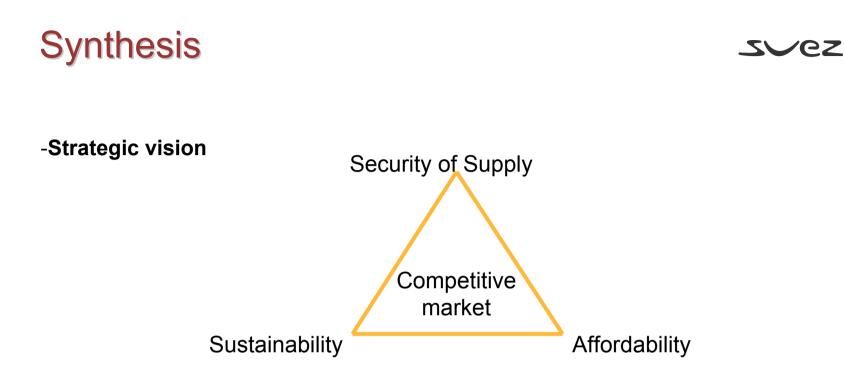
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A market structured around large actors ____ez and undergoing consolidation movements ...



European groups



-What we need:

- Certainty on governments' behaviour in uncertain matters,like CO2,market design, acceptable energy mix, external relations with major supplying countries...

-European market design and structure, investor friendly environment

-Demand reduction methods

-Diversification, role of LNG, rebirth of nuclear generation

-Renewable energies