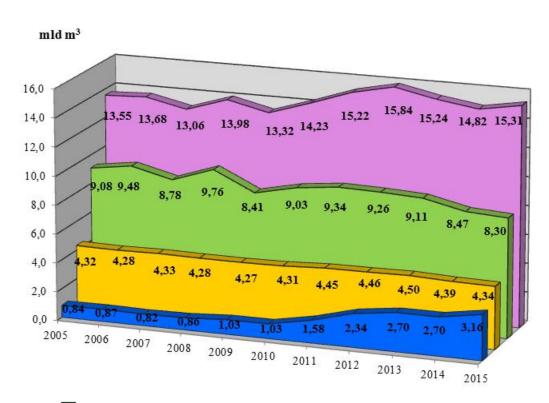


POLISH NATURAL GAS MARKET CHALLENGES AND PERSPECTIVES

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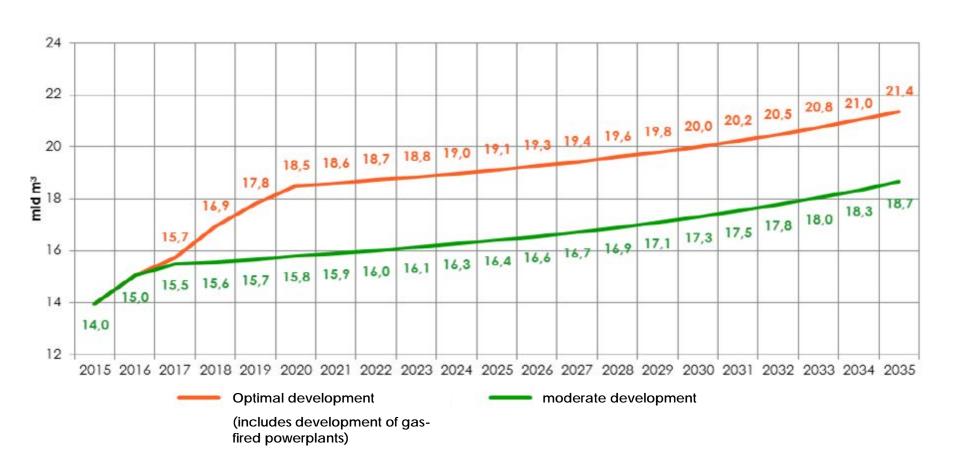
Domestic gas supply - overview and development



- import from eastern direction
- import from other directions (Germany, Czech Republic, Norway)
- domestic production
- total usage of gas

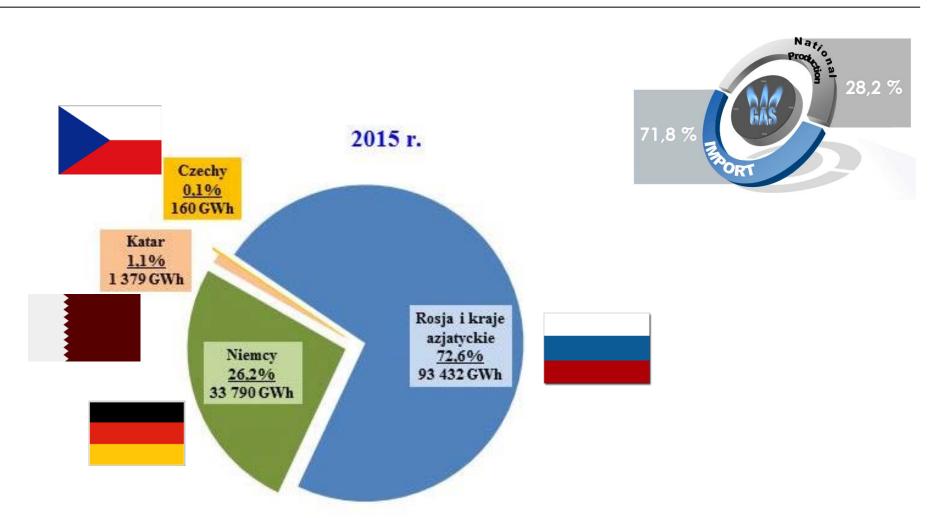


Domestic gas demand - overview and development



Import dependency

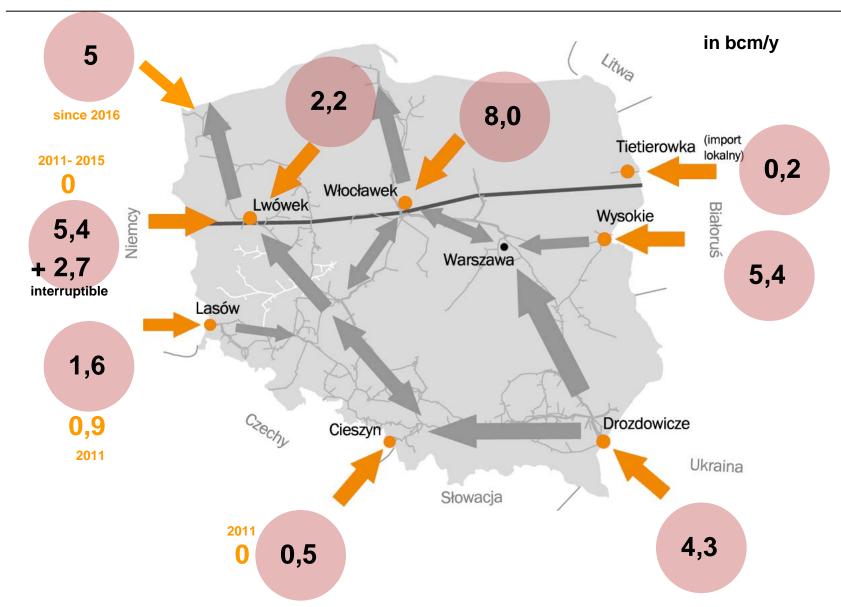




Import from eastern direction – 8,3 bcm (73% of import) (52% of consumption) Import from other directions – 3,2 bcm (27% of import) (20% of consumption)

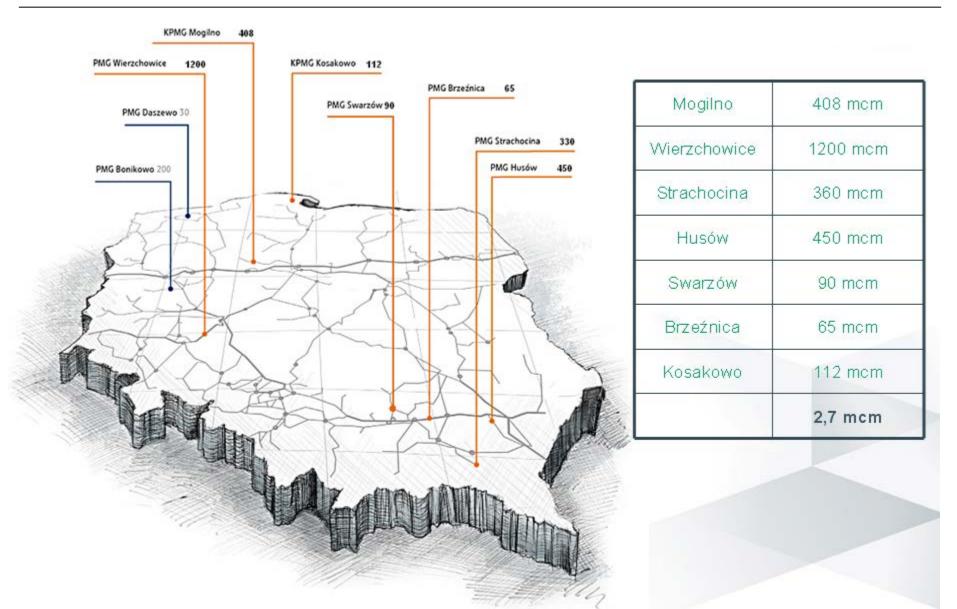
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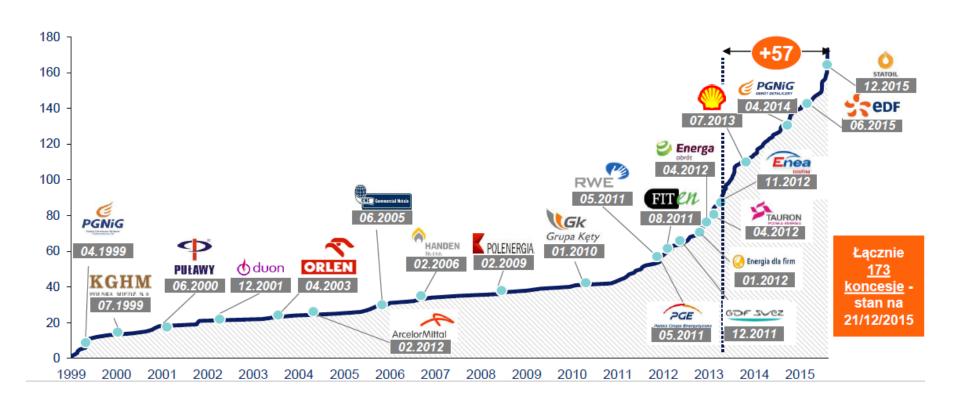


Gas market structure - storage



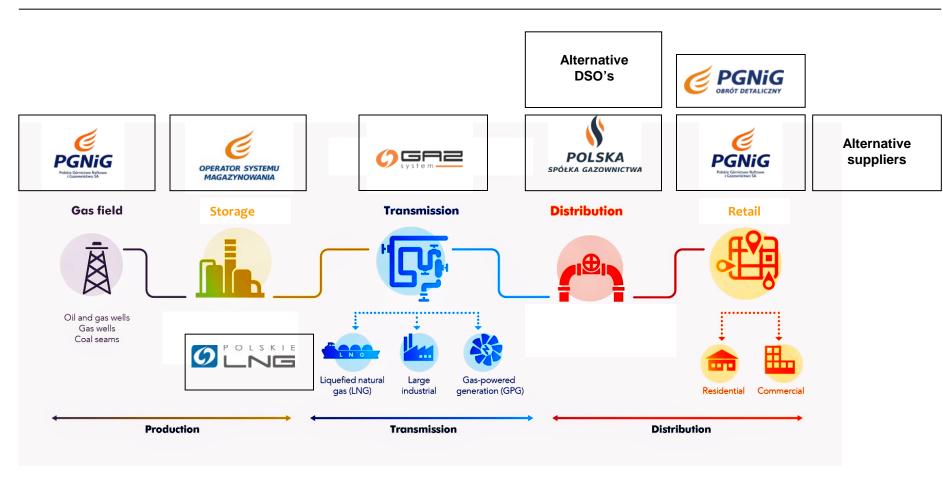


Gas market structure - licenses



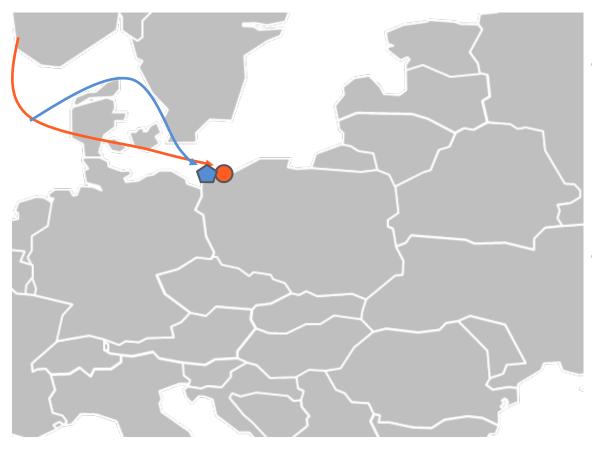


Gas market structure









source: GAZ-SYSTEM

- Northen Gate idea is composed by Baltic Pipe and LNG Terminal, providing access to new sources of supply and new suppliers.
- It contributes to energy security
 through real diversification
 and enables the creation of a
 competitive gas market in
 Central and Eastern Europe.

Baltic Pipe



- For Poland, realization of the Northern Gate project is one of the top priorities.
- Open Season procedure should star in March.
- We expect further full support from the EC for the Baltic Pipe, as Project of Common Interest, and Northern Gate, as new source of gas for Central Europe.



Source: Gaz-System





- LNG Terminal is located in the Port of Świnoujście
- Project developed by SPV Polskie LNG (PLNG) owned by GAZ-SYSTEM S.A.
- One jetty for LNG tankers
- LNG Terminal's regas capacity:
 - Phase I/II: 5.0 bcm / 3,7 Mt LNG/y
 - Phase III: 7.5-10 bcm / 5,6-7,5 Mt LNG/y
- LNG storage capacity:
 - 2 tanks 160 000 m³ LNG each
- LNG loading infrastructure for trucks.
- Open season procedure :
 - app. 3,5 bcm allocated
 - 1,5 bcm availible to book

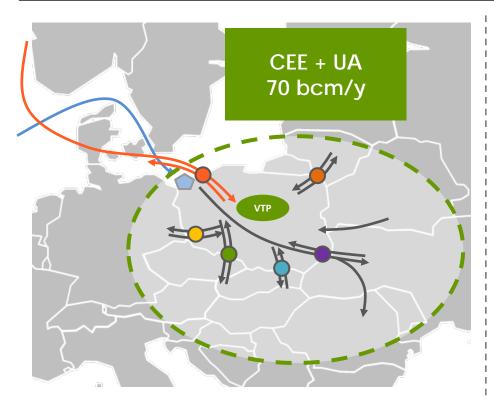






Gas market - future





POLAND - UKRAINE INTERCONECTION:

- Capacity: 5-8 bcm/y towards Ukraine, 5-7 bcm/y towards Poland
- Project role: connection of Poland's and Ukraine's systems to diversify gas supplies for Ukraine and further integrate transmission networks and markets in Eastern Europe

POLAND - CZECH REPUBLIC INTERCONECTION:

- Capacity: 5 bcm/y towards Czech Republic, 6.5 bcm/y towards Poland
- Project role: integration of the gas markets by creating a large transportation corridor between both countries

POLAND - SLOVAKIA INTERCONECTION:

- ► Capacity: 4.3 bcm/y towards Slovakia, 5.7 bcm/y towards Poland
- Project role: integration of the gas markets by creating a large transportation corridor between both countries

POLAND - LITHUANIA INTERCONECTION:

- Capacity: 2,4 bcm/y towards Lithuania, 1,7 bcm/y towards Poland
- ▶ Integration with the gas markets of Baltic States

CONCLUSIONS:

- ▶Investments facilitate new possibilities to create an integrated regional market of approx. 70 bcm/y
- ► The influence of the projects on:
 - creating attractive supply-mix for the region
 - enhancing economic competitiveness of the region's economies
 - providing leverage for lower commodity prices for end-users



Thank you for your attention

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