# EU ETS Carbon market outlook

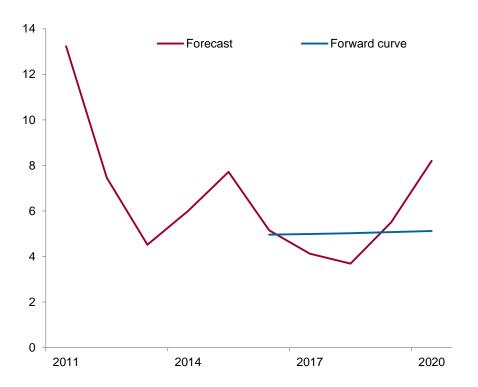
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EUA outlook: What challenges?

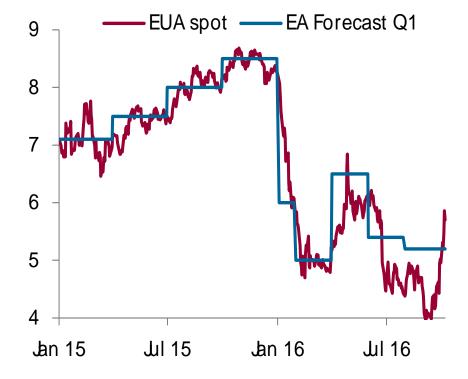
## EUA prices: A rocky road

Forecast prices €/t



Brexit makes all price expectations lower...though forecasts assume BAU

Forecast against out-turn €/t

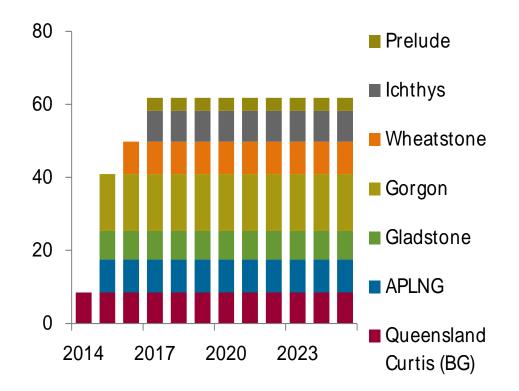


Forecasts and out-turn: lots of volatility



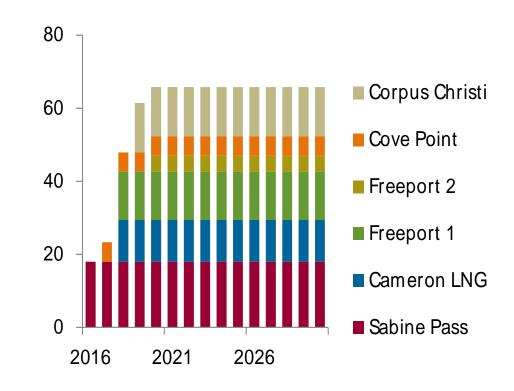
#### The supply side has two waves of LNG in the coming five years

Wave 1: Australia – 2014 to 2018 Μt



100+ Mtpa of Australian projects; 66 Mtpa new or under construction

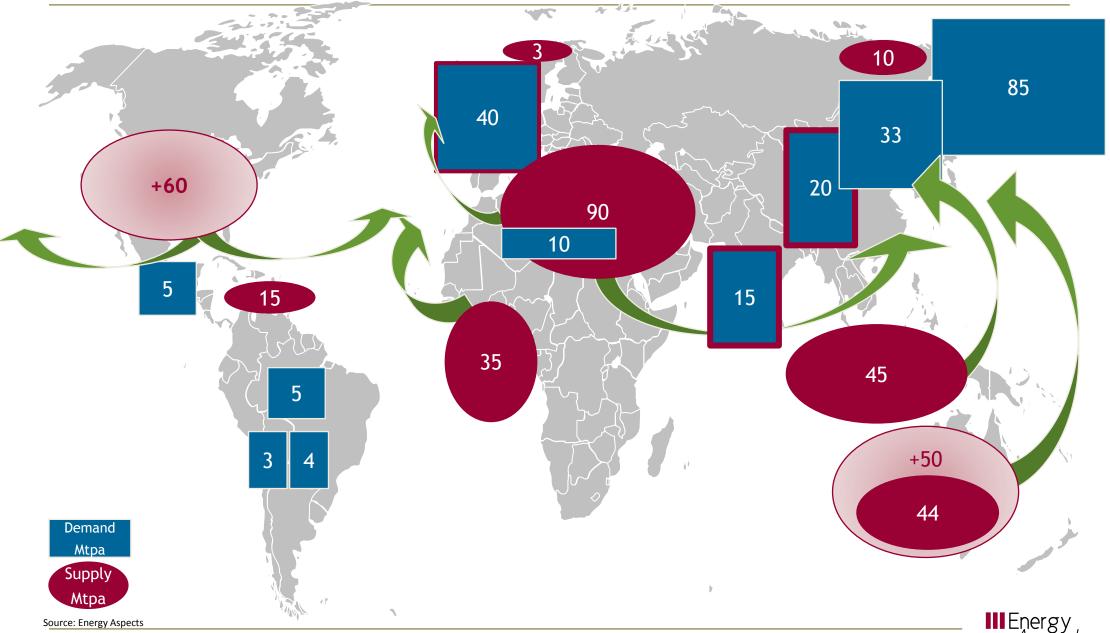
Wave 2: US – 2016 to 2020 Μt

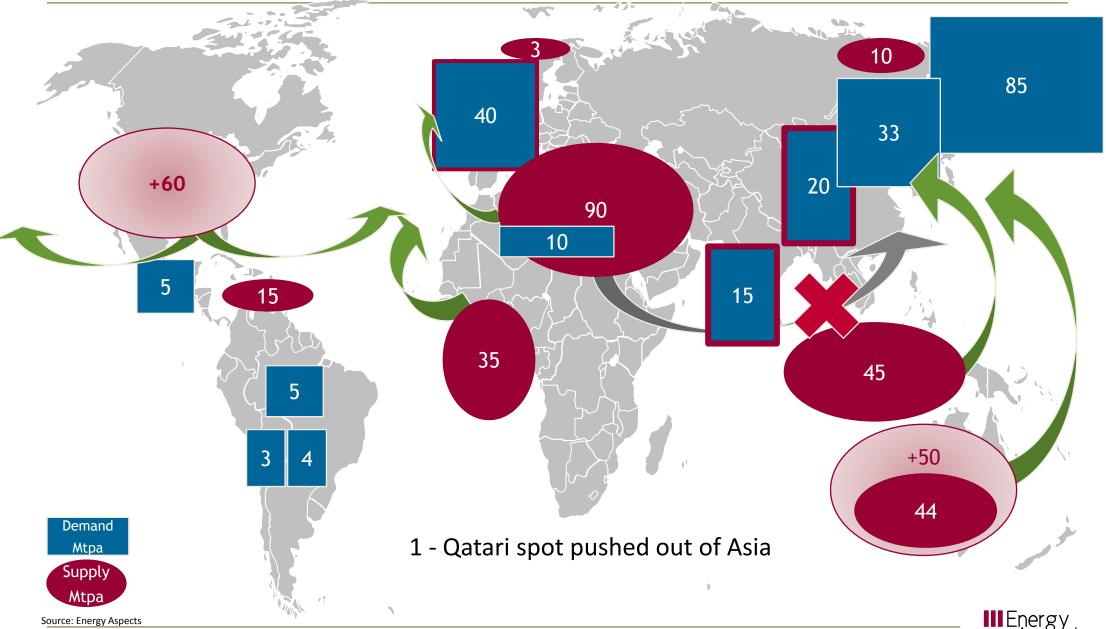


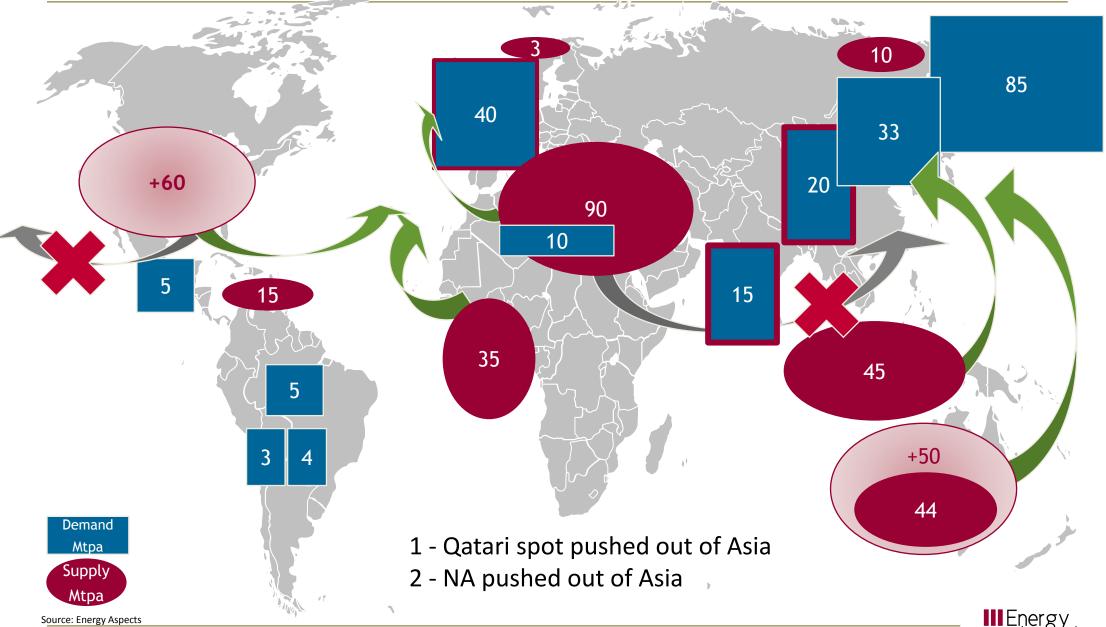
360+ Mtpa of US projects; 61 Mtpa new or under construction

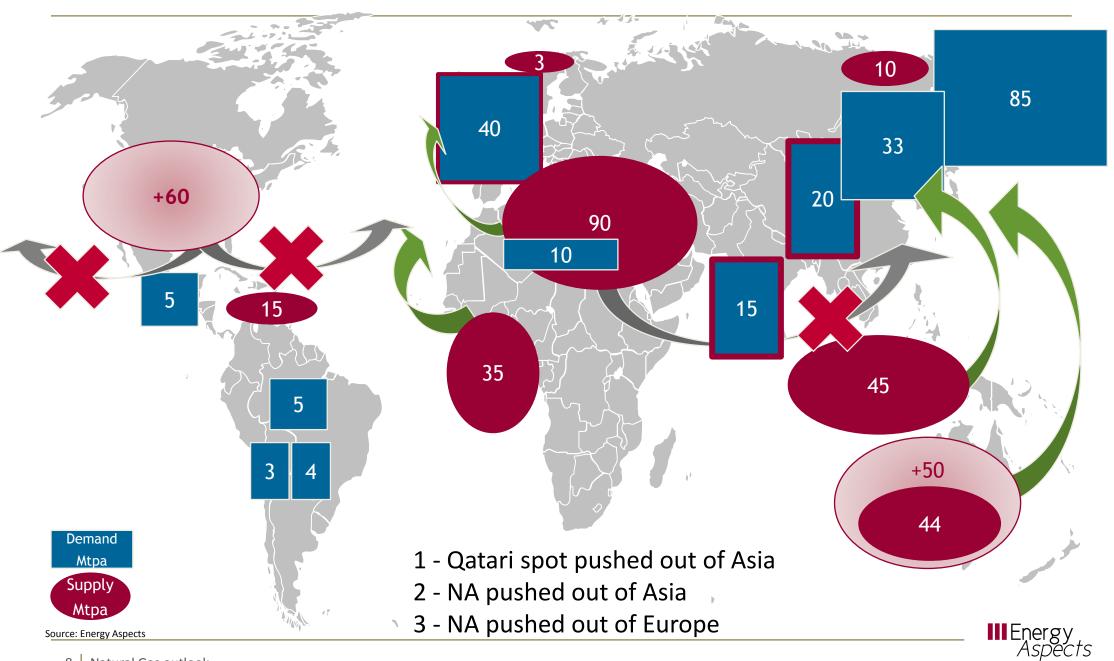
Source: Company websites, US DOE, Energy Aspects







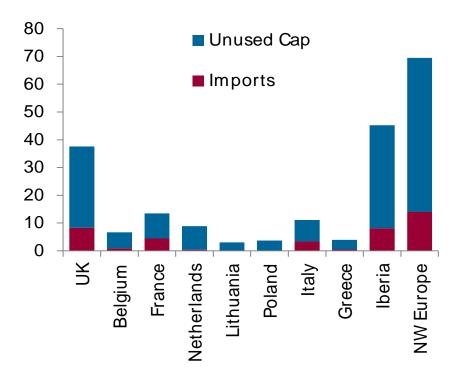




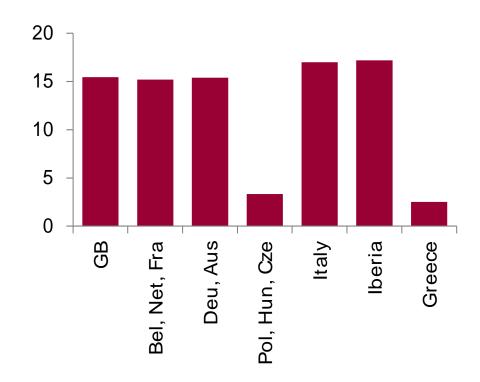
#### Europe - the residual LNG taker

EU: gas imports versus terminal capacity

Mt



EU: fuel switching capacity bcm



Plenty of capacity, with around 160 bcm/y of unused regas—maybe 120 bcm is realistic factoring in maintenance

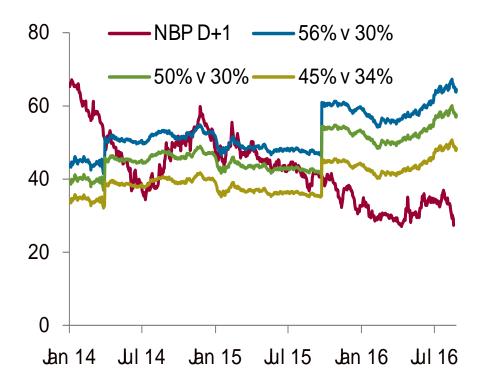
Plenty of latent power sector demand to stimulate...about 90 bcm in total. Actual realisable around 50-70 bcm

Source: Bloomberg, Energy Aspects



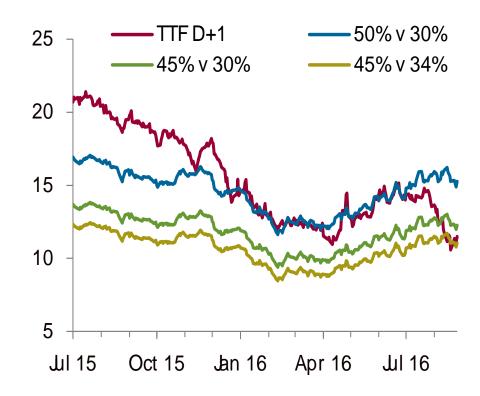
### Any evidence coal to gas is happening now?

## Gas prices- NBP is already fully in the money p/therm



Impact of carbon "price floor" tax

Gas prices- TTF supported at first switching level €/MWh



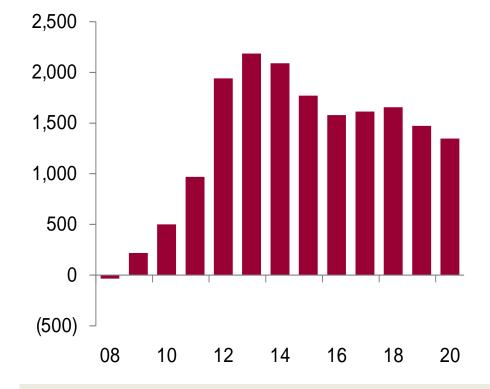
While this episode might not last into Q4, it is a warning of what is to come.

Source: Fearnelys, Energy Aspects



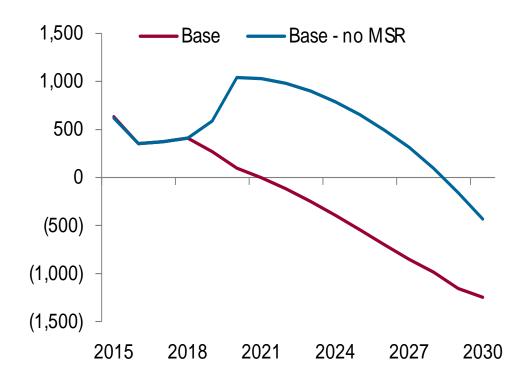
#### Watch the inventory...

#### EUA Inventory per year Mt



Aggregate length starts to fall....

EUA Inventory – Desired Carbon Inventory Mt



Market starts to dip against desired carbon inventory...



#### So what questions does this raise?

- Do even lower EUA prices matter?
- Does it matter if emissions reductions are delivered from somewhere else?
- Will the market be better if there is rapid upwards price volatility?

 The goal of the carbon market is a zero price





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