



Underground Gas Storage and Gas Strategies in North America

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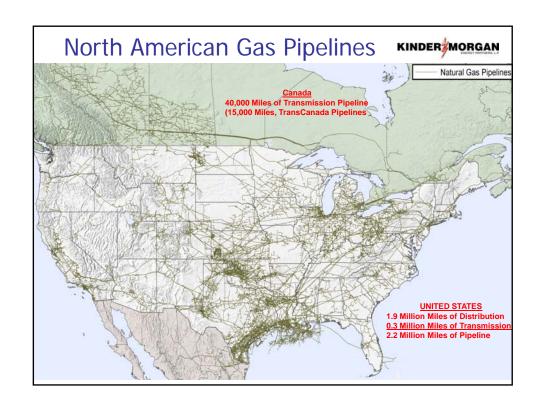
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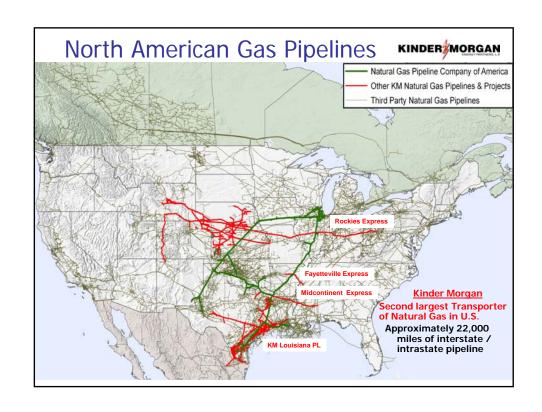
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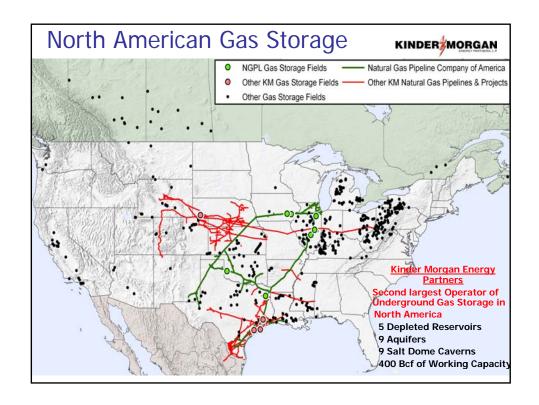


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- Introduction
- Natural Gas Transportation
- **Underground Gas Storage**
- Natural Gas Exploration & Production Activity
- Dramatic Changes in the Dynamics of the Gas Industry
 - When will LNG Imports Increase as Predicted?When will the Arctic Natural Gas flow South?





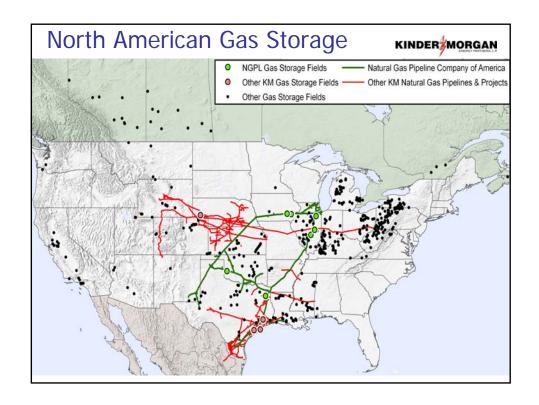


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United States Storage Industry



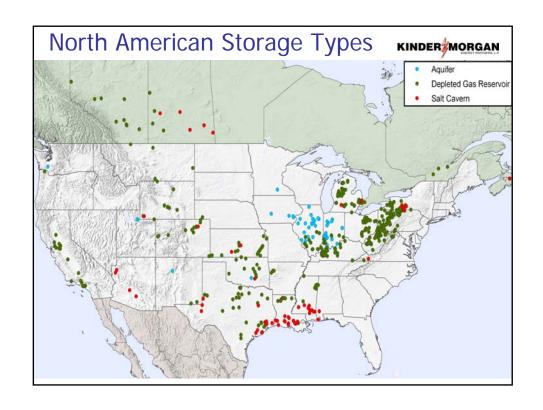
- 75 Storage Operators
- 400 Storage Facilities 30 States
 - 326 facilities in depleted oil and gas reservoirs
 - 43 facilities in aquifer reservoirs
 - 31 facilities in salt caverns
- 4,300 BCF of Working Gas Capacity (122 BCM)
- 85-90 BCF per day of peak deliverability (2.5 BCM/D)
- Operate over 17,500 Storage Facility Wells

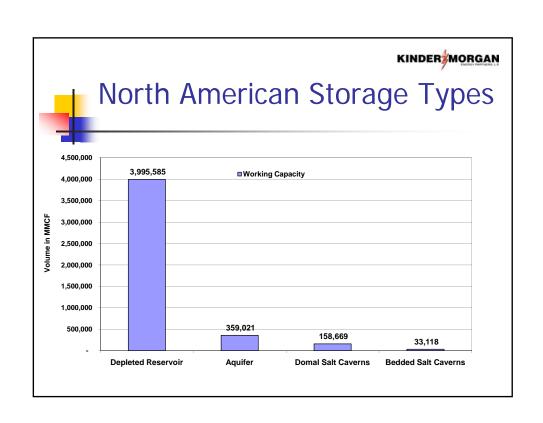


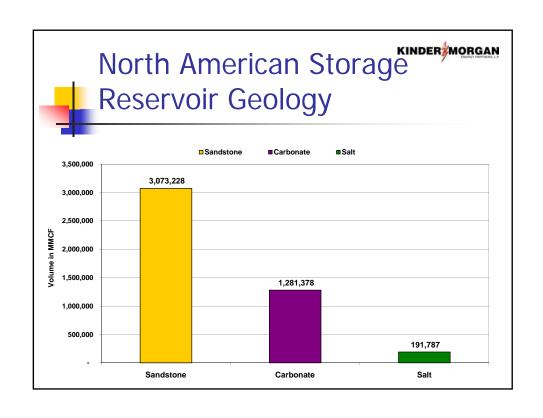
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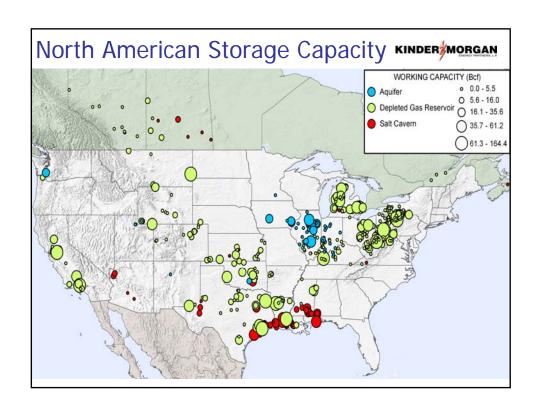
Canadian Storage Industry

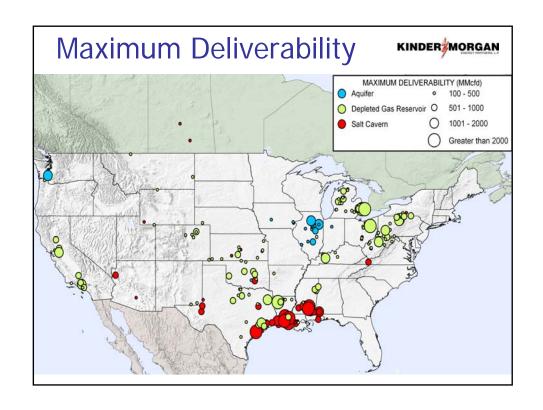
- 9 Storage Operators
- 50 Storage Facilities 5 Provinces
 - 42 facilities in depleted oil and gas reservoirs
 - 0 facilities in aquifer reservoirs
 - 8 facilities in salt caverns
- 650 BCF of Working Gas Capacity (18 BCM)
- 5-10 BCF per day of peak deliverability (150-300 MMCM/D)
- Operate over 650 Storage Facility Wells

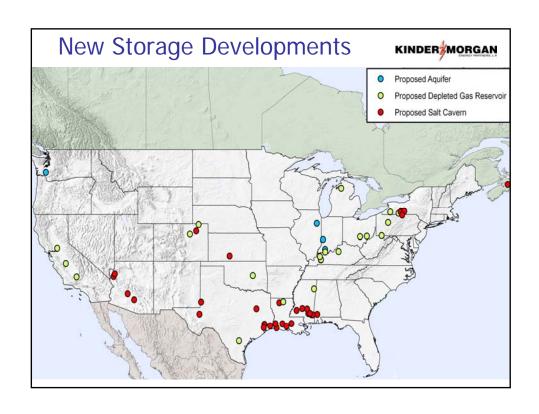


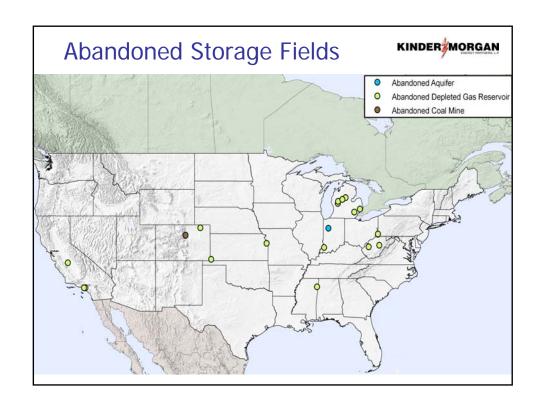


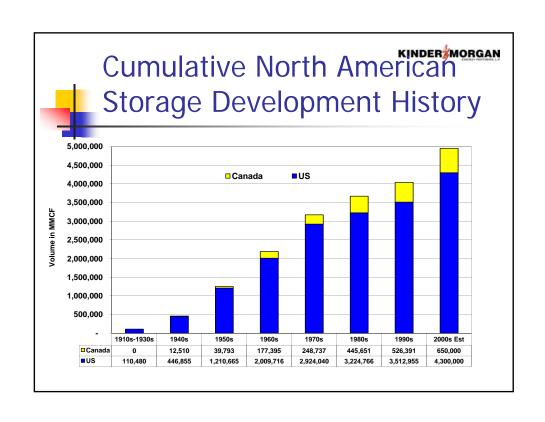




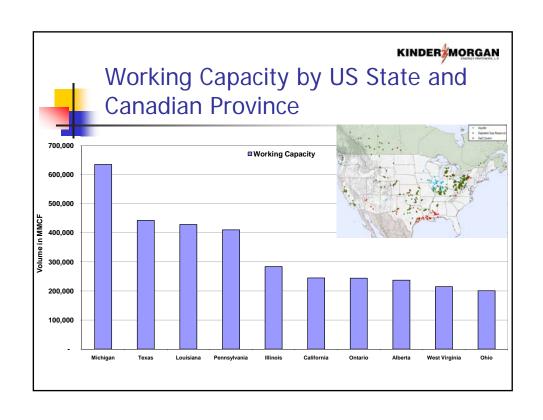


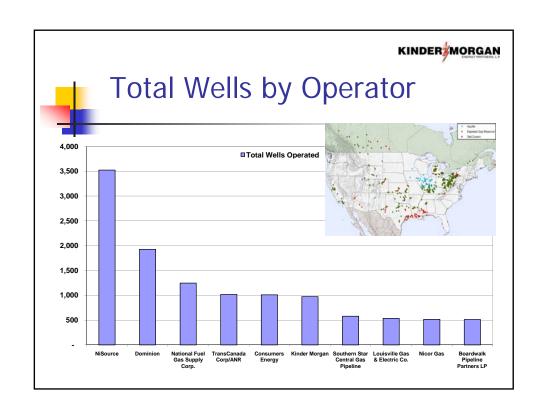


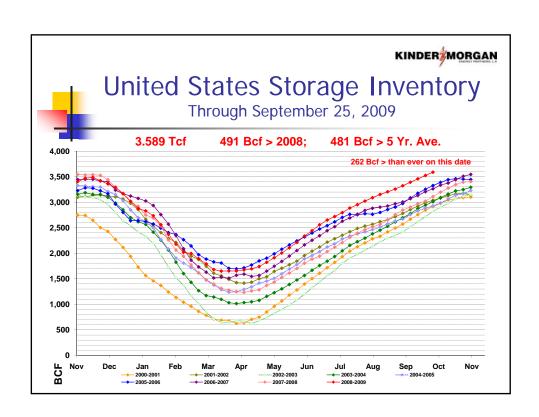


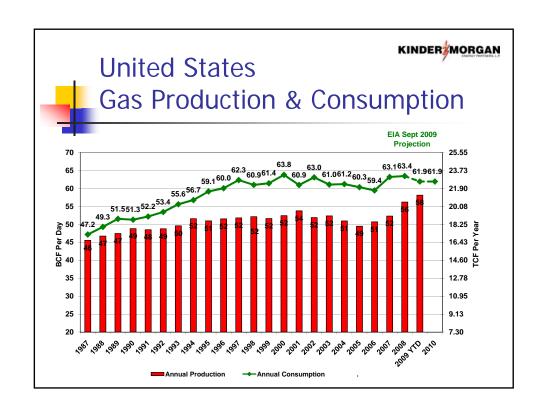


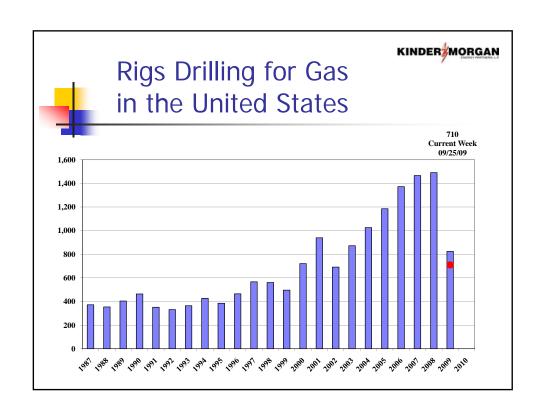


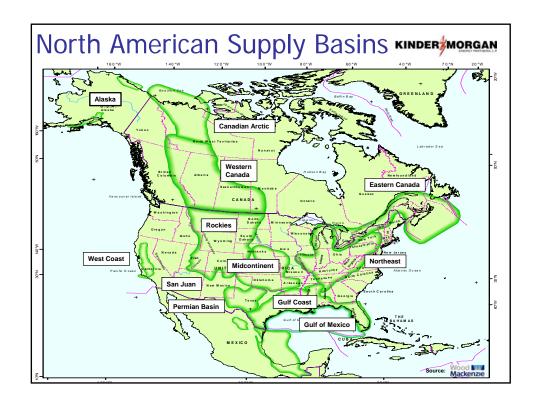


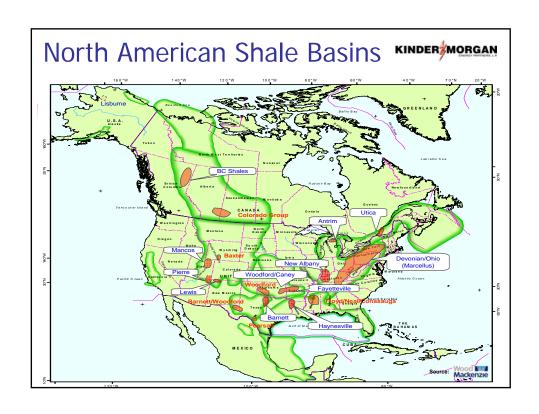


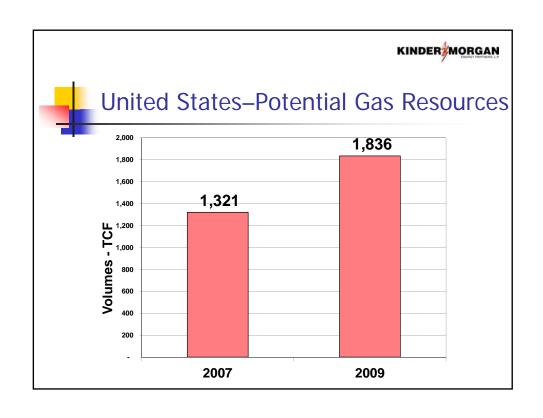


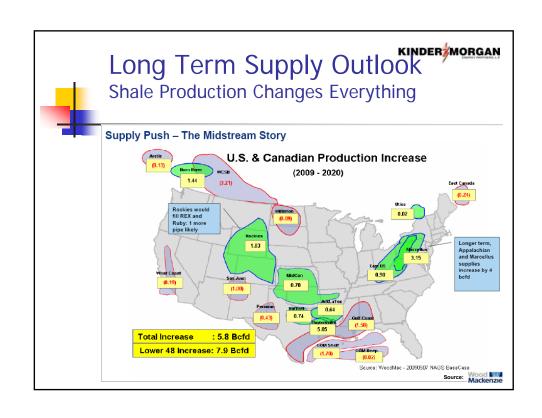


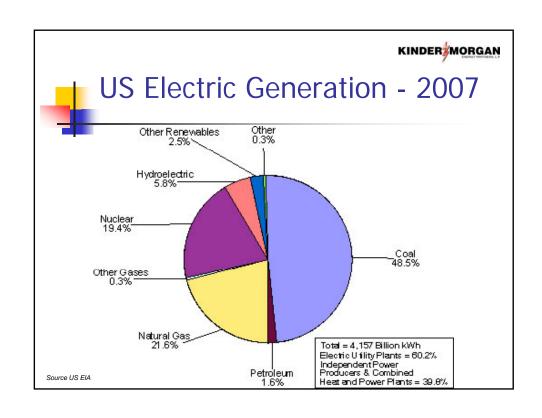


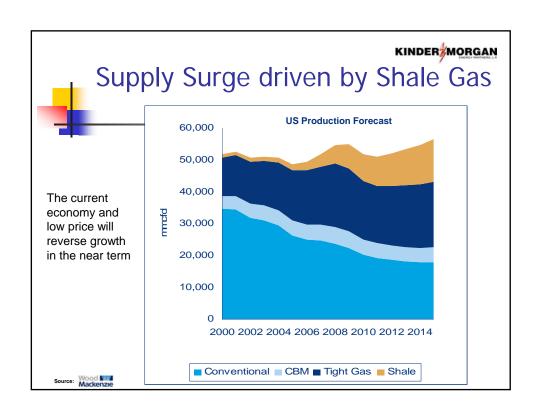


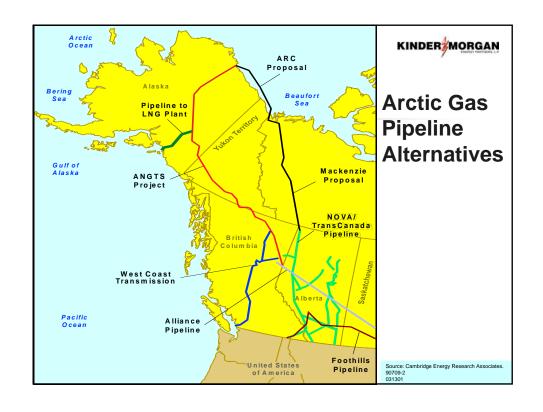


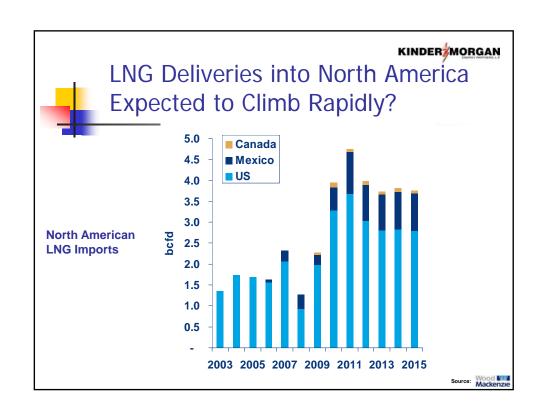










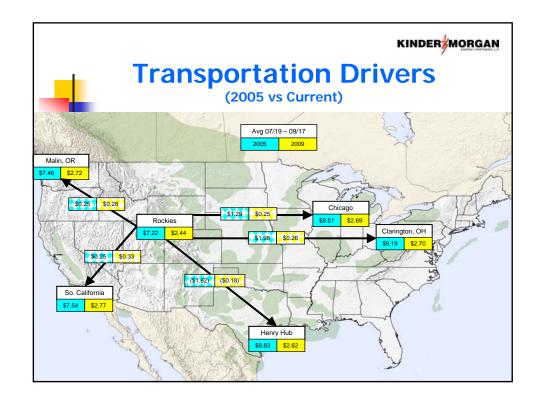


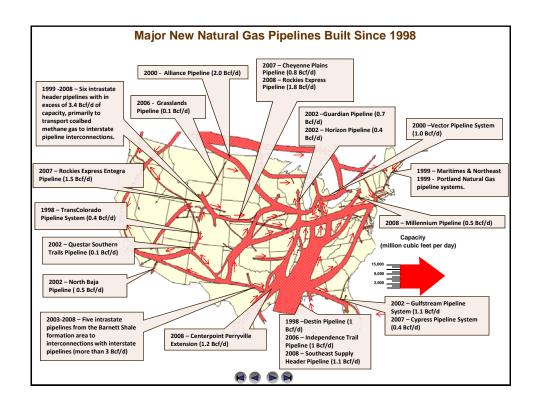
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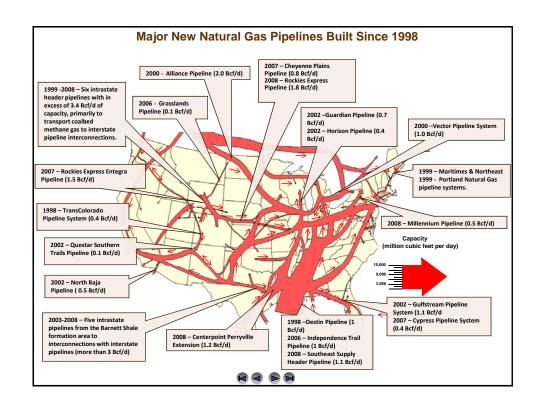


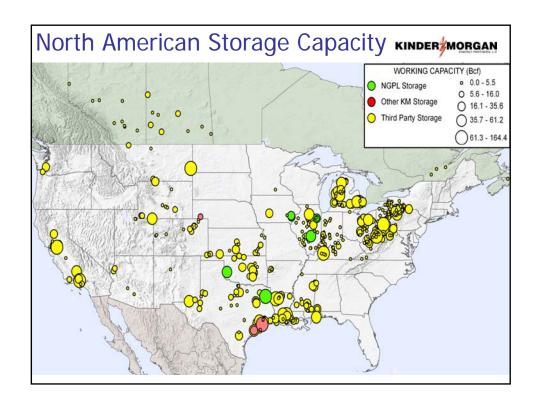
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- Conclusions
- Natural Gas Transportation Shifts from south to north to west to east
- Underground Gas Storage Growth 80-100 Bcf/year working gas
- Natural Gas Exploration & Production Activity
 Significant growth in shale gas production underway.
- Dramatic Changes in the Dynamics of the Gas Industry
 will continue
- 100's of years remain in the North American natural gas era!









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Gas Storage by Region

- The Consuming East (including Eastern Canada) region relies extensively on storage gas to meet peak demand during the winter months. Its share of US and E. Canada totals:
- 54% of total working gas capacity
- 54% of the storage deliverability (44 Bcf/d out of 80)
- Approximately 65% of gas consumption
- Due to storage and transport limitations into the U.S. Northeast, it is difficult to secure adequate storage services and hence price spikes occur almost every winter
- Much of the storage in the Producing Region are linked to market centers and play a vital role in the efficient export and transmission of natural gas to other areas

