LNG role on SoS in the SEE

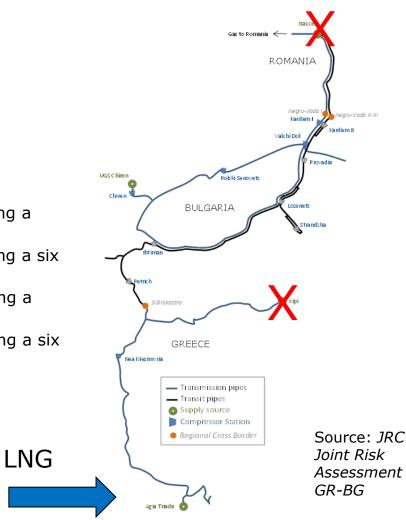
CEER Workshop on the role of LNG to improve regional SoS in Europe

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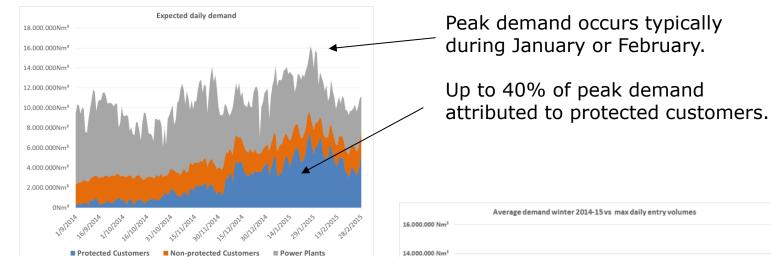
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ST scenarios

- Disruption of the Ukrainian route to the EU during a period of 1 month (1.2.2015 - 28.2.2015)
- Disruption of the Ukrainian route to the EU during a six month period (1.9.2014 - 28.2.2015)
- Disruption of all Russian supplies to the EU during a period of 1 month (1.2.2015 - 28.2.2015)
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Daily demand



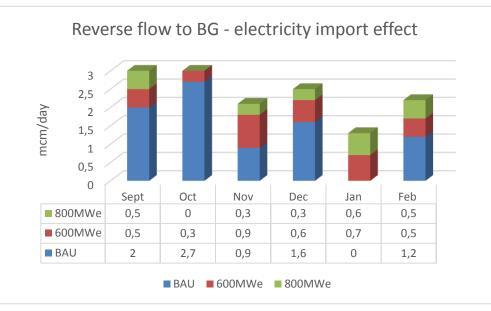
14.000.000 Nm 12.000.000 Nm 10.000.000 Nm 8.000.000 Nm¹ 6.000.000 Nm 4.000.000 Nm³ 2.000.000 Nm³ 0 Nm¹ Sent Oct Dec Feb New lan Protected Customers Non-protected Customers Power Plants -Max daily entry volumes

Average daily demand comfortably served in 5 out of 6 months by the LNG terminal capacity.

Reverse flow potential to BG

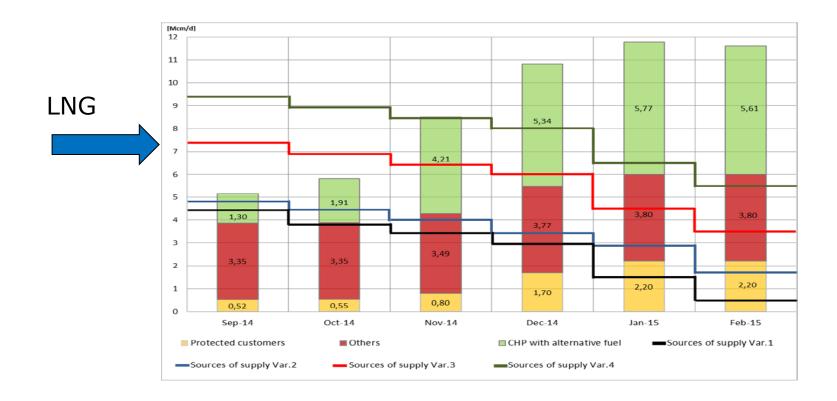
Assuming maximization of electricity exports from BG to GR...

	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb
BAU imports (Mwe)	463	312	288	291	335	392
Max NTC (Mwe)	600					
Max NTC including FYROM and TR interconnections	800					



Reverse flow of gas to BG can increase significantly

Effect on BG



LNG cargoes required for 6 month Interruption



🔶 73000 m3 LNG



125000 m3 LNG

... but...



"On the basis of analysis [...] provided by the International Energy Agency to the Commission as well as discussions with market experts there appears to be sufficient flexibility in the market to procure such cargoes. It is clear however that if such purchases are not linked to an option or a [long] term contract, the price can be expected to be very high, possibly even double the market price of gas today"

Report on the findings of the South-East-European Focus Group, SWD(2014) 326 final

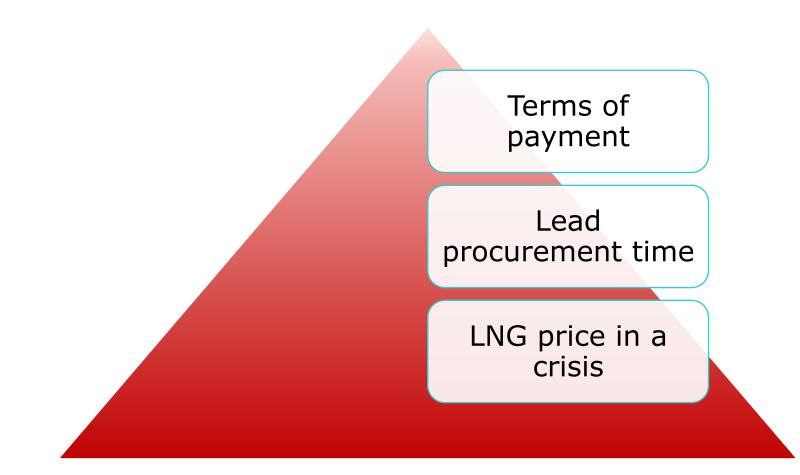
Solution?

New Infrastructure connecting the region with EU Gas Hubs

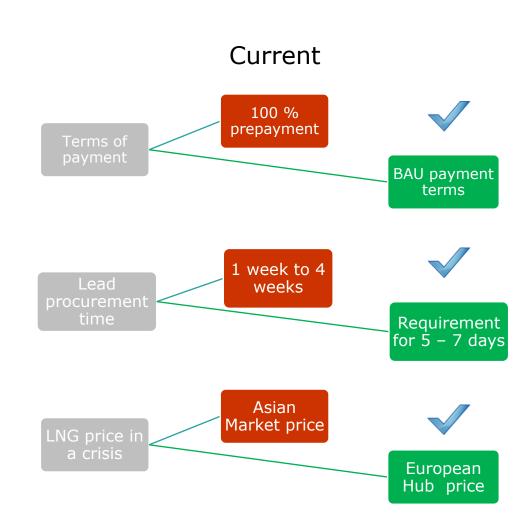


http://ec.europa.eu/energy/infrastructure/transparency_platform/map-viewer/

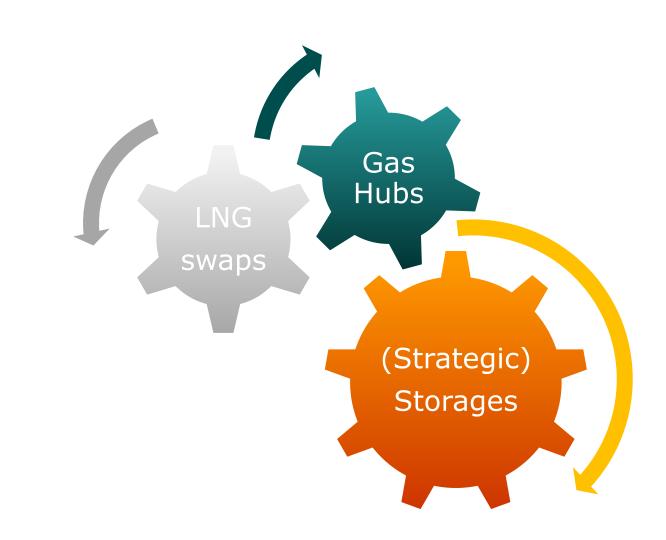
Issues limiting the crisis mitigation role of the LNG spot market



Requirements



Can LNG become the (interim) physical link of isolated regions with major EU Hubs?



Thank you for your attention

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