

Ukraine's gas transmission system: interconnecting fragmented Europe



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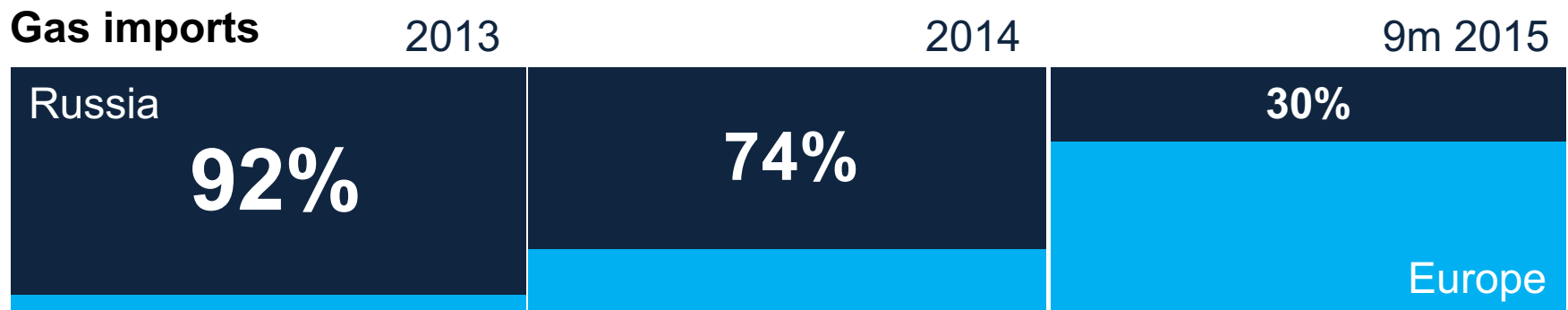
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Gas market reform: Gazprom is no longer dominant

Gas market law compliant with EU energy legislation

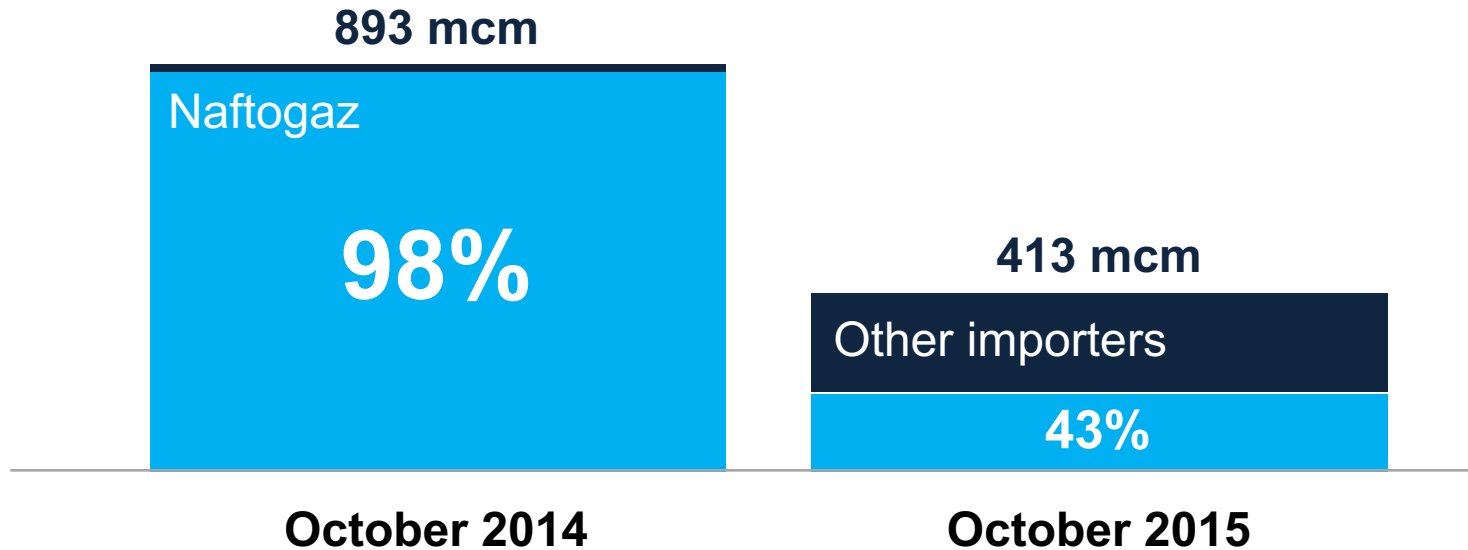
- Nearly US\$ 7 billion market unlocked: unregulated prices for industrial and public sector consumers, price liberalization for households by April 2017
- Non-discriminatory 3rd party access to gas infrastructure
- Transparency of TSO, DSO and SSO operations
- Independent regulator and strictly defined role of the state

EU-Ukraine gas network integration for security of supply



Gas market reform: diversification of suppliers

More than half of gas imports from EU – not by Naftogaz



16 times more gas imported by private companies

7 private importers and direct buyers, incl. ENGIE (GDF)/ERU, ArcelorMittal

5+ other companies contemplate entry or direct imports

Ukraine's GTS connects fragmented EU markets

If Russia cuts off gas supply

**CEE and SE countries
are affected**

Bosnia
Bulgaria
Greece
Hungary
Macedonia
Poland
Romania
Serbia
Ukraine



Avoid gas deficit

by expanding UA-EU capacity

**Current EU
Imports**

Slovakia (key route)
Hungary, Poland
(potentially Romania)

**Virtual
Reverse
(Backhaul)**

EU law enforcement
required;
no investment
Time to implement:
immediately

**New PL-UA
Inter-
connector**

Investment:
EUR0.3bn
Time to implement:
2-3 years

UA system could transmit gas from West to CEE/SE



Backhaul to enable additional West-to-East capacity

- Improves energy security of CEE and SE
- Leads to fair market pricing for buyers in the region
- Opens access to Ukraine's vast underground storages
- Interconnection agreement (already signed between UA and HU TSOs): an important step forward

Country	Available for backhaul in July 2014	Available for backhaul in July 2015*	Expected in July 2017*
Poland	0	0	4
Hungary	0	6	6
Slovakia	0	0	39
Romania	0	0	16
Total, bcm/y	0	6	65

No IAs

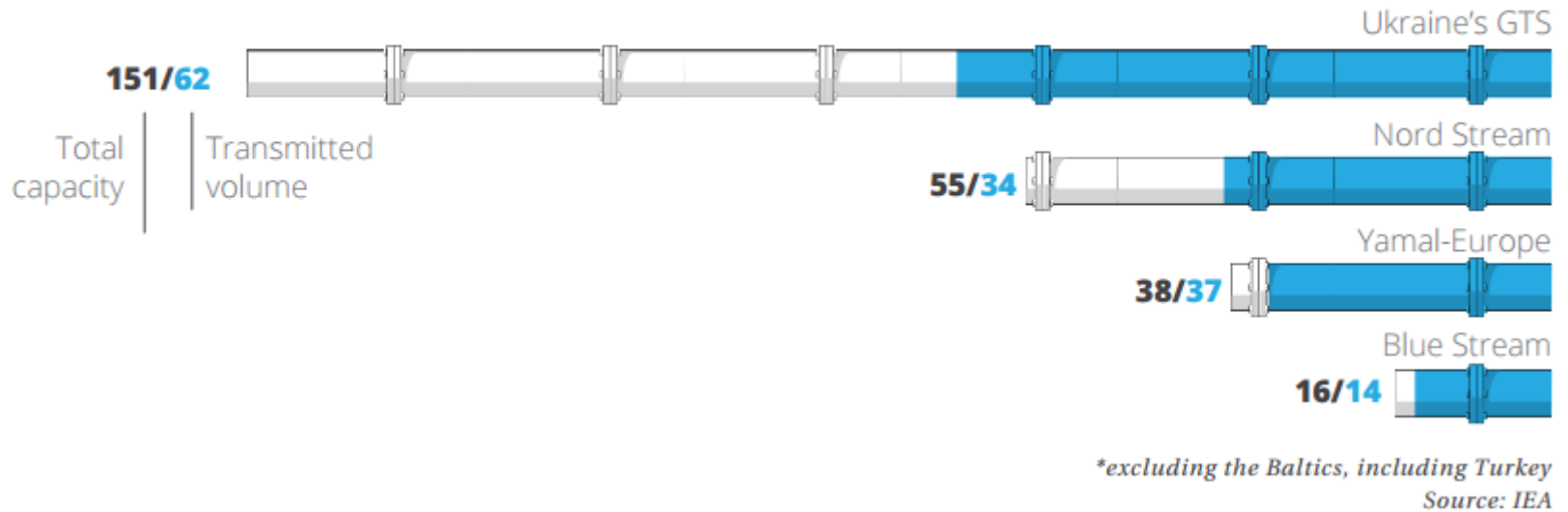
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between UA
and HU

All IAs
signed

Notes: estimates based on expected physical gas flows from Ukraine to Poland, Hungary, Slovakia and Romania in 2015

Nord Stream vs. Direct Stream

SUPPLY ROUTES OF RUSSIAN GAS TO EUROPE* 2014, bcm



Nord Stream

- Requires huge investment to get returns
- Can be blocked by regulators for competition reasons
- Increases EU dependence on Russia

Direct Stream (Ukraine)

- Asset-light model, profit sharing without significant investment
- Not controlled by Gazprom, no potential competition issues
- Competitive and tested route

What we propose

- Coordinate joint PR and strategic communication efforts
- Initiate new stress tests by EC, taking into account backhaul opportunities
- Ensure implementation of relevant EU energy legislation
- Promote Energy Union by making real steps with tangible results
- Demand application of same standards of fairness and good will
- Safeguard solidarity principle
- Achieve maximum returns on existing and new infrastructure of all countries involved
- Improve energy security of the most vulnerable markets of the EU