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The Russia-Ukraine War and Implications for Energy Markets

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Key implications

- Russian invasion of Ukraine represents a paradigm shift for global/European energy markets and energy relations
- Widespread belief that no return to previous order and energy markets are searching for a new normal but transition to ‘new normal’ can be long and bumpy
- Four profound implications
 - Energy policy and the trilemma
 - The role of the state versus the market in energy
 - Transformation in oil and gas trade flows
 - Global cooperation on the climate agenda



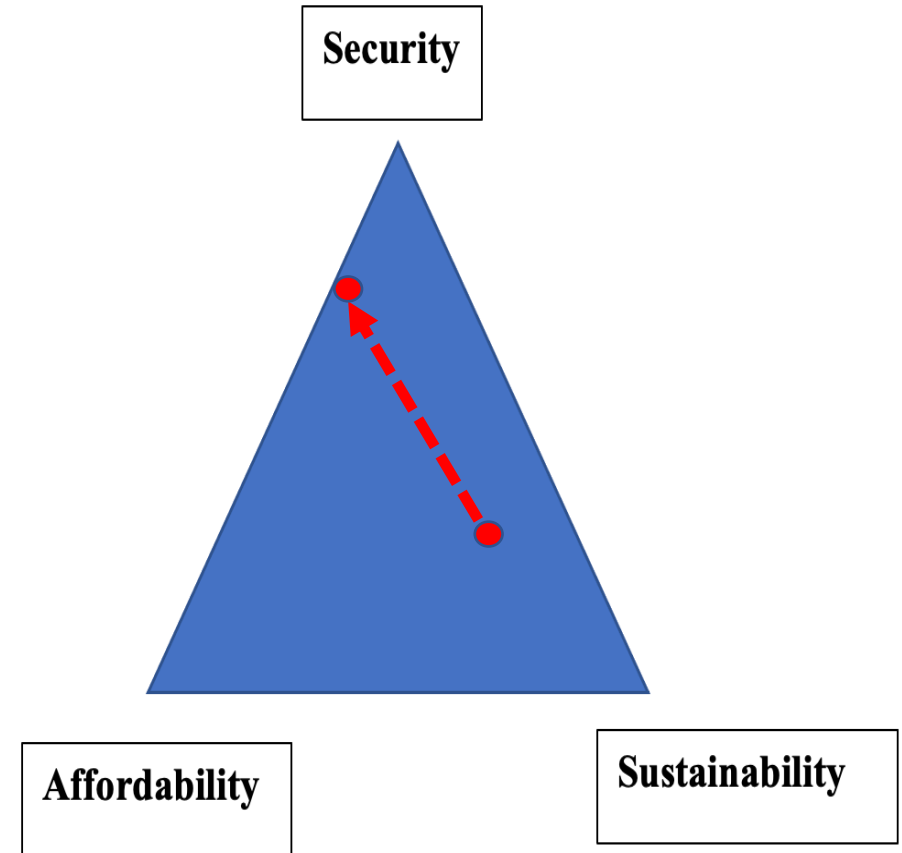
Energy policy and the Energy Trilemma



Energy trilemma in focus

- Energy policy multifaceted (sustainability, security, affordability, development, economic competitiveness)
- Benign environment lowered importance of energy security and affordability but Russia-Ukraine war changed this
- Security & affordability key factors currently shaping policy
- Creating trade-offs and unintended consequences in short-term
 - Inter-fuel substitutions increasing emissions
 - Support measures diluting impact of the price signals
- Interconnectedness of energy markets has global implications
 - Making energy more expensive in many developing countries affecting affordability and transition paths
- Transition will not proceed linearly; subject to setbacks but could also trigger an accelerated transition in Europe

The Energy Trilemma - Balance of policy priority has shifted, at least in the short term





The Role of the State versus the Market



Government interventions

- Governments taking measures to offset impact of shocks on consumers/ industry
 - Support packages to protect consumers dampening the impact of price signals
 - Windfall taxes/levies to finance support packages
 - Imposing price caps to shield consumers from energy price shocks
 - Calls for redesigning electricity and carbon markets
- Some measures increase policy risk and uncertainty facing investors and could impact investment decisions and pace of transition

Measures Adopted/Considered to Offer Protection

Measures Adopted or Being Considered:	Liquid Fuels	Electricity and Natural Gas
Energy prices: wholesale/retail price ceilings or caps, price freezes, limits on pass-through	Belize , El Salvador , Hungary , Slovenia , Thailand	Bulgaria , Croatia , Portugal , Pakistan , Spain
Energy bills: bill discounts, bill deferrals, installments, moratorium on utility disconnections for non-payment		Italy , Romania , Sweden
Taxes: VAT, fuel, excise, or carbon tax reductions for electricity or fuels, full tax holidays or exemptions, corporate tax deferrals	Australia , Croatia , Cyprus , Germany , Guyana , Poland , Serbia , South Africa , United Kingdom , Vietnam	Belgium , Croatia , North Macedonia
Social protection: cash transfers to households, expanded benefit schemes	Philippines	Denmark , Germany , Italy , Jamaica
Support to sector companies: fiscal transfers to oil and gas companies, utilities (electricity and gas suppliers), interest-free loans, guarantees, relaxed state-aid rules for firms	Bangladesh , Japan , Paraguay	Panama , EU
Support for energy consuming enterprises: fiscal transfers to firms, such as transport operators, farmers, textiles, fertilizer, cement; debt relief, restructuring	Belize , Greece , Jamaica , Morocco , Philippines , South Korea , Spain	France , Romania



State versus market: Crises shifting the balance

- Market forces are a central part of the energy system
- But government ultimately responsible for guaranteeing that everyone has access to energy; for securing public goods of decarbonisation and security of supply; and demonstrating that markets work for all citizens
- How to balance the role of government versus market in future market designs?
- Current crisis causing swing away from markets towards states. How long will this continue?
- Will a necessary admission that net zero targets are being missed force further government intervention?



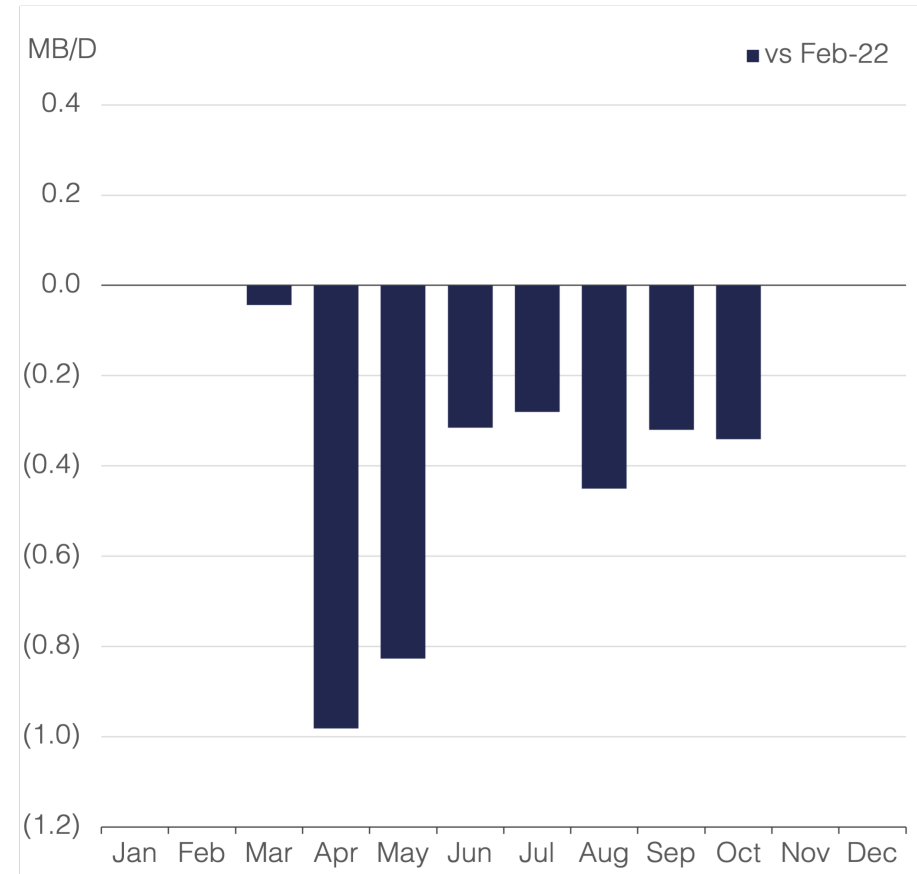
Transformations in Oil and Gas Trade Flows



Redirection of oil trade flows

- Russian oil supply disruption limited so far
- Well below initial expectations at start of Russia-Ukraine war (around 400,000 b/d)
- Success in redirecting crude exports away from Europe to other parts of the world (particularly to Asia)
- Through offering discounts and easier payment conditions
- Services and logistics (shipping, insurance) not acting as constraint so far, but this will change as EU embargo comes into force in December

Russian crude supply disruptions

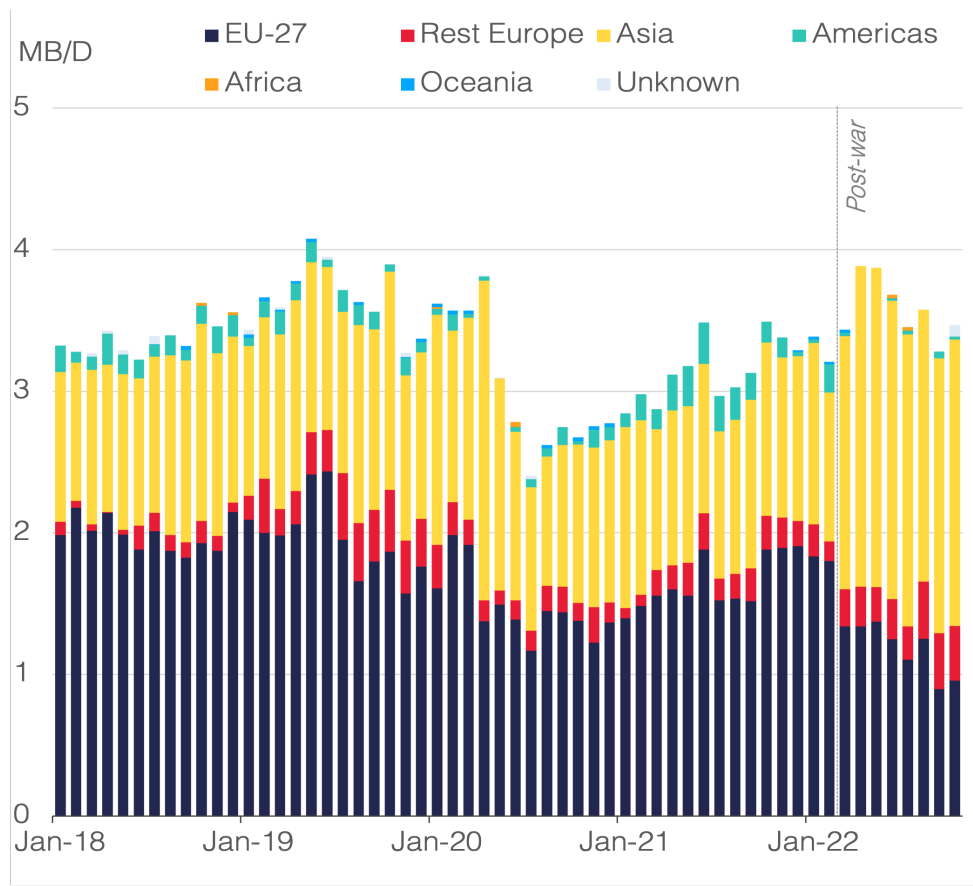


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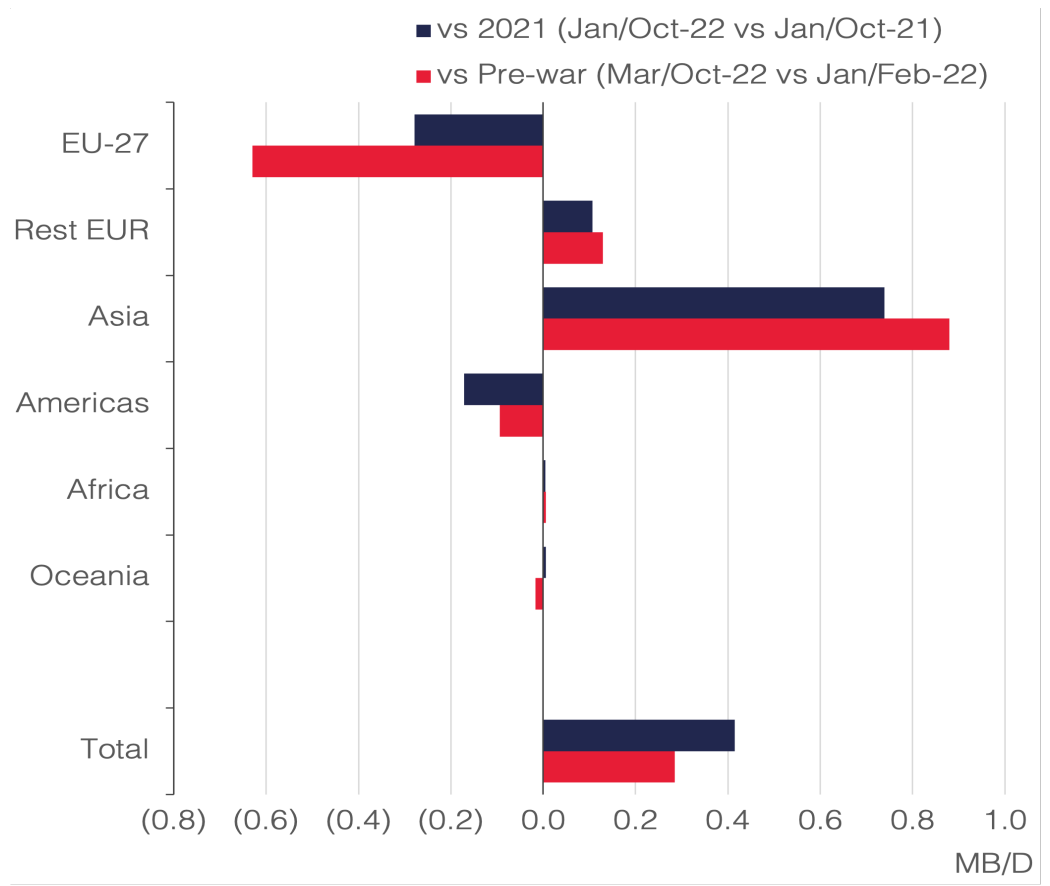
Crude exports are above pre-war levels

Russia crude exports by destination



Source: Kpler, OIES

Russia crude oil export shifts

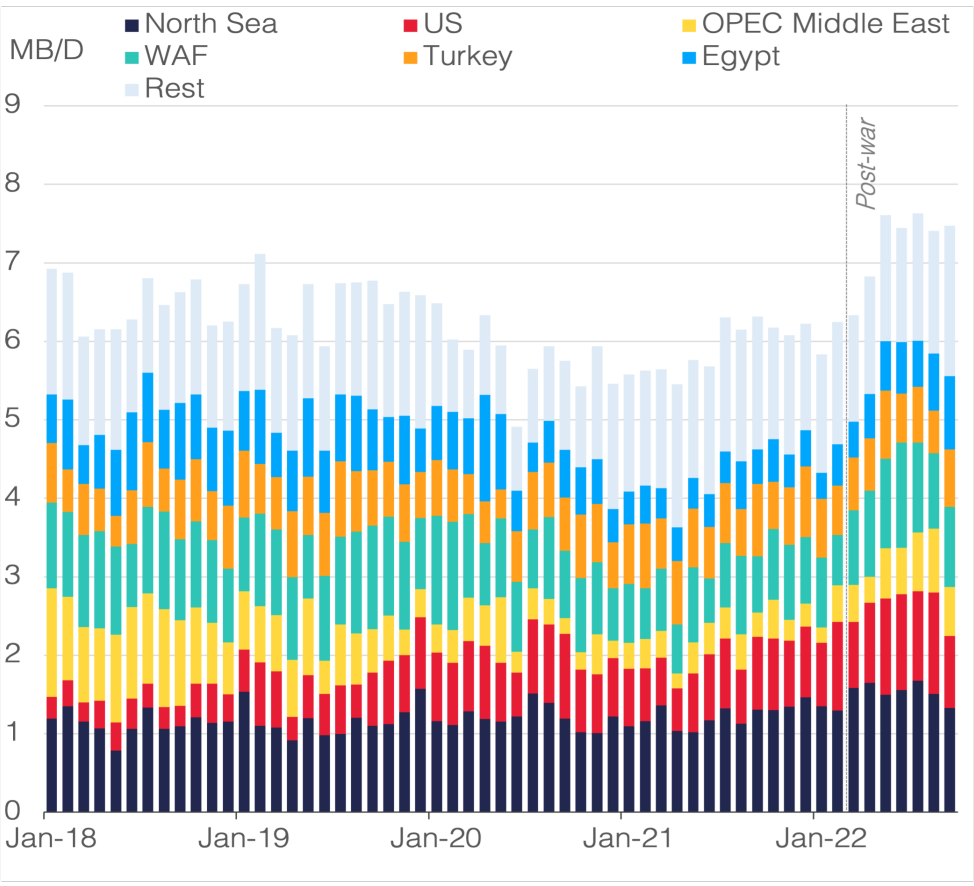


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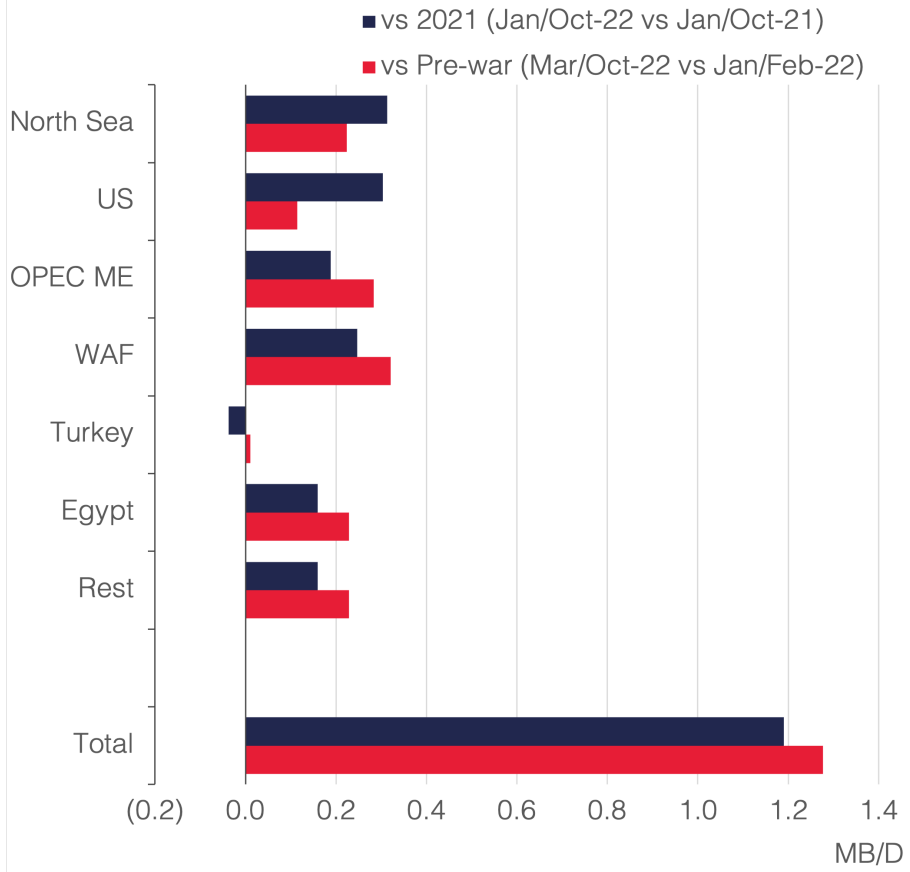
Alternative sources to cover loss of Russian supplies

EU-27 crude oil imports excl. Russia



Source: Kpler, OIES

EU-27 crude oil import shifts excl. Russia

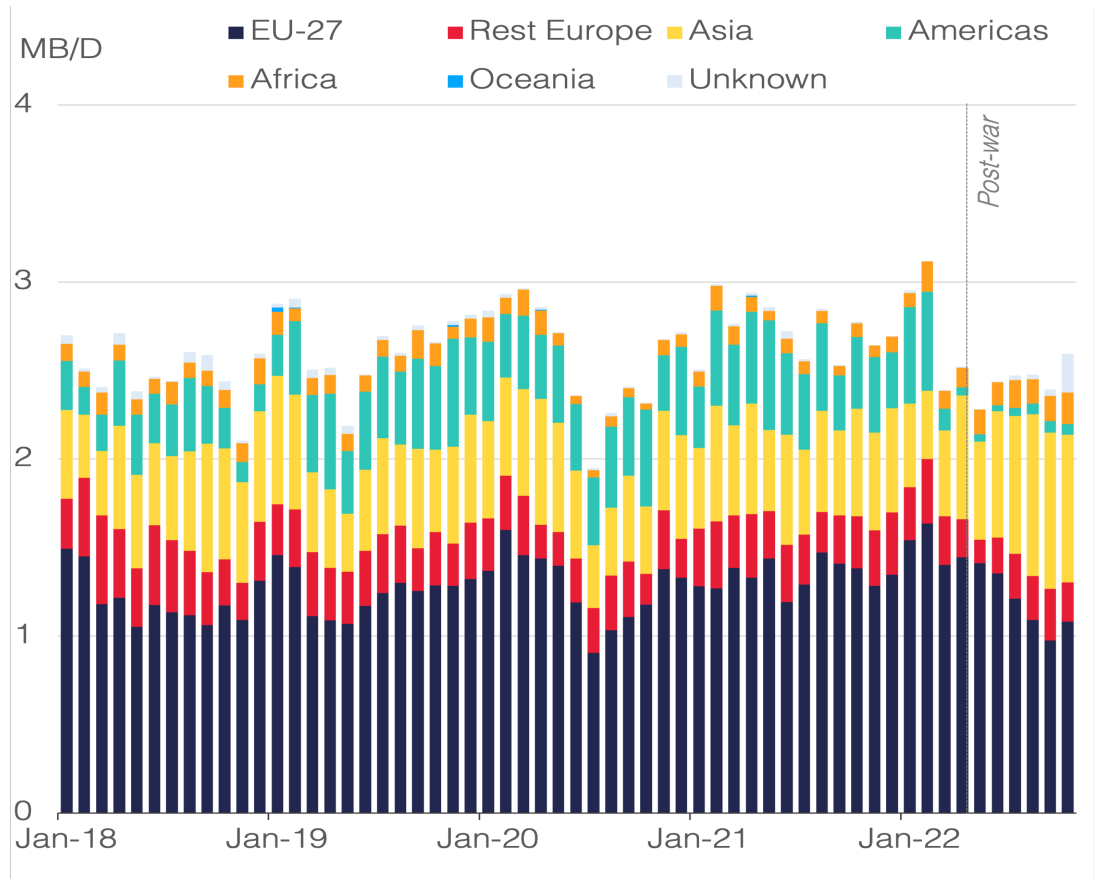


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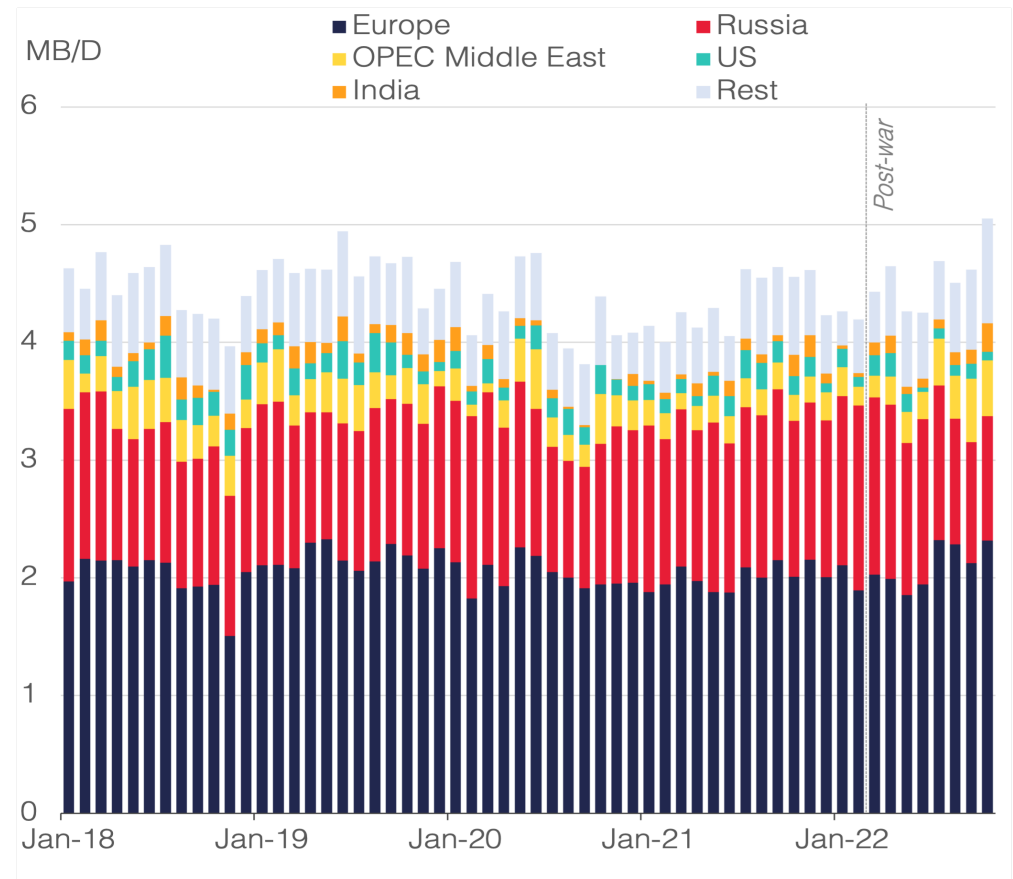
Russian products exports have declined

Russia product exports by destination



Source: Kpler, OIES

EU-27 product imports from origin



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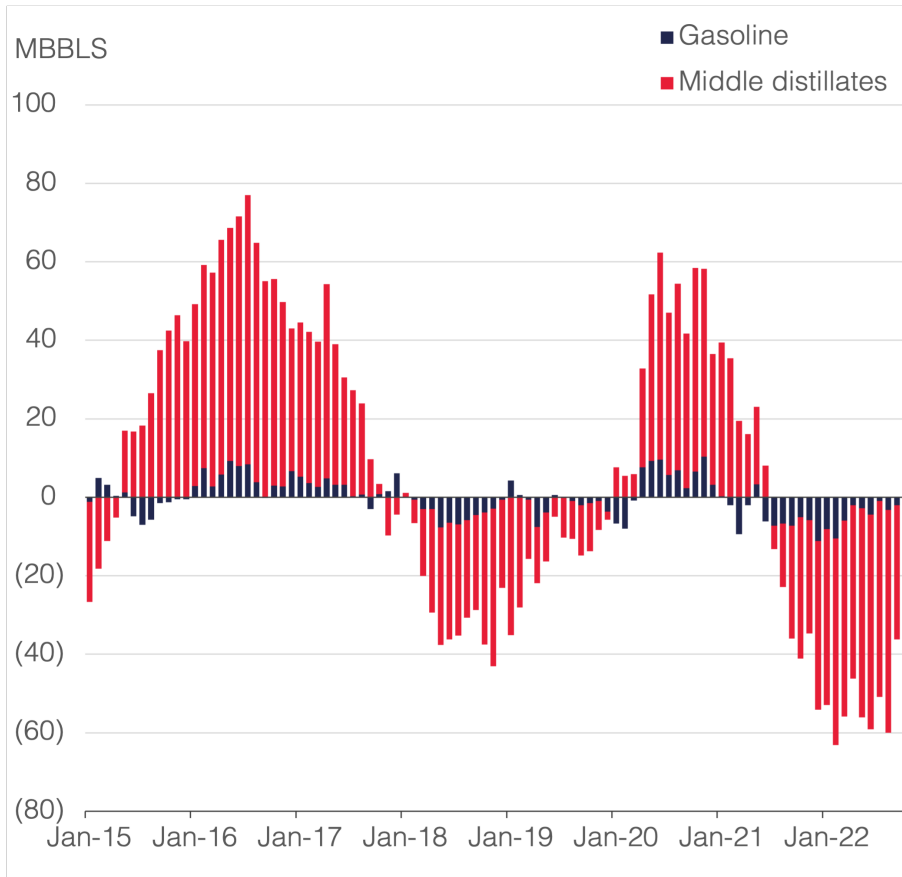
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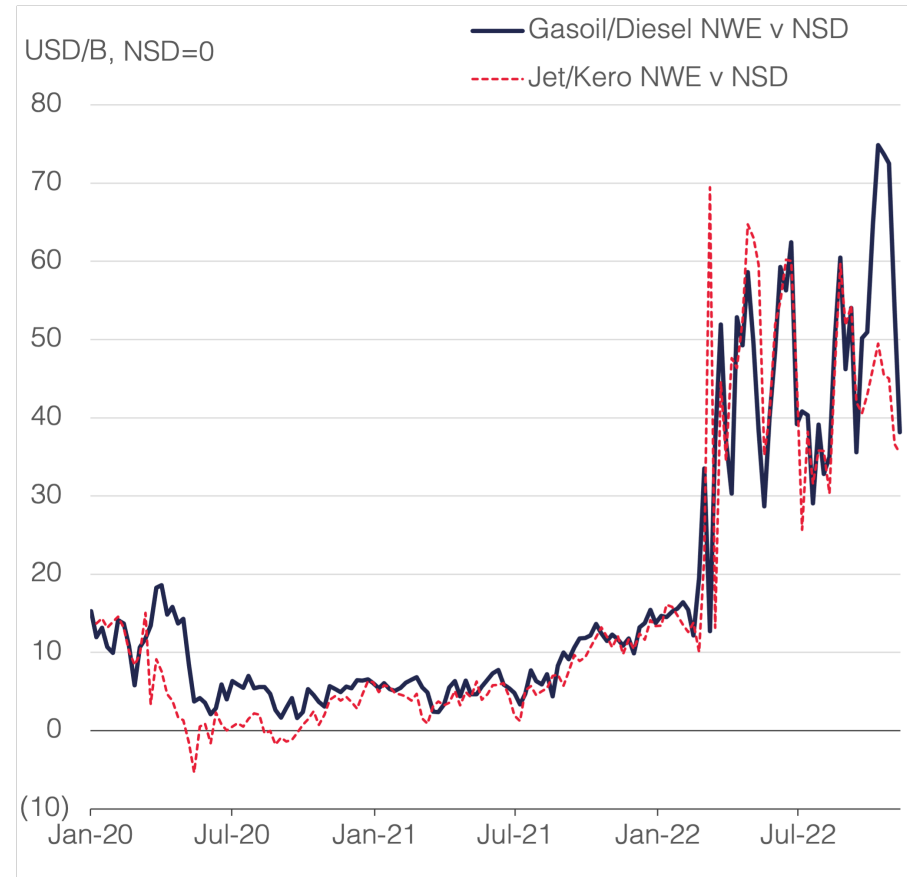
EU products market remain tight

OECD Europe product stocks v 5-year average



Source: IEA, OIES

Gasoil/Diesel and jet margins NWE



Source: Argus

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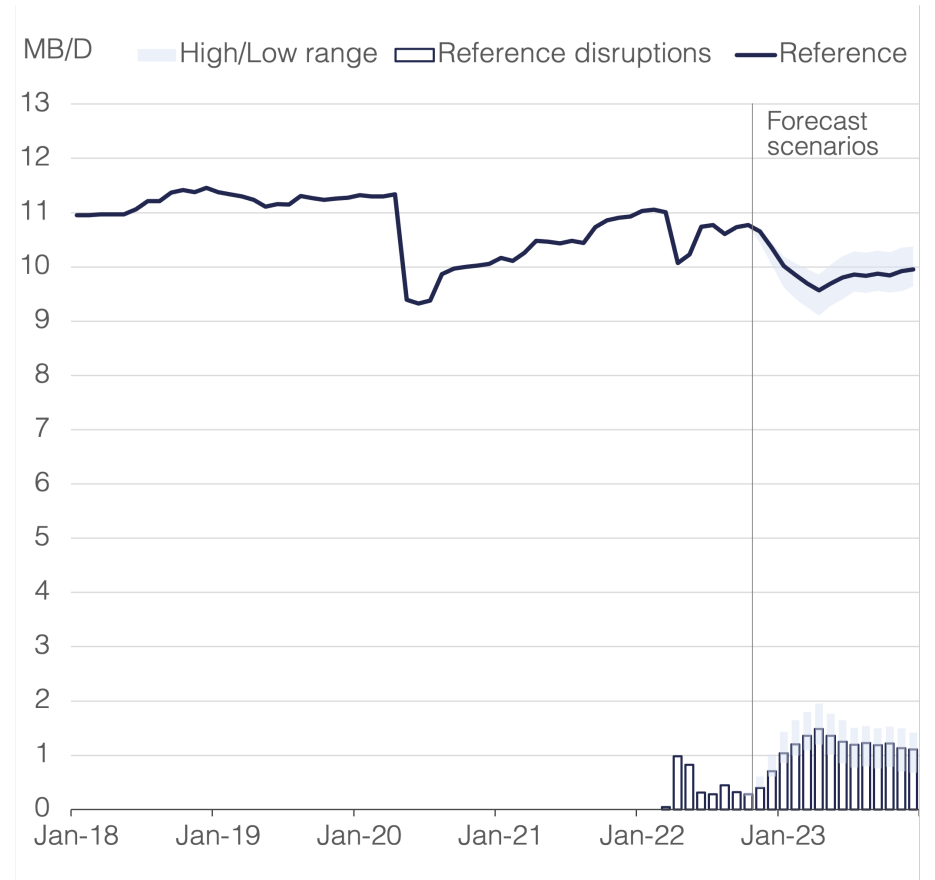
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EU Embargos and Russian supply disruption

- As EU embargo comes into effect will we witness a more severe supply disruption from Russia?
- Re-routing additional Russian crude from West to East can put strain on logistics (shipping; access to Aframax tankers)
- Finding insurance coverage outside EU/ G7 challenging
- Russian exports to Asia concentrated into two countries (China and India; how much additional crude willing to take?)
- Will Russia respond by cutting production?
- Russian oil production declines towards year-end to 900,000 b/d below pre-war levels before disruption peak in February 2023 when EU sanctions are in full effect to average 1.25 mb/d in 2023

Russia oil production scenarios



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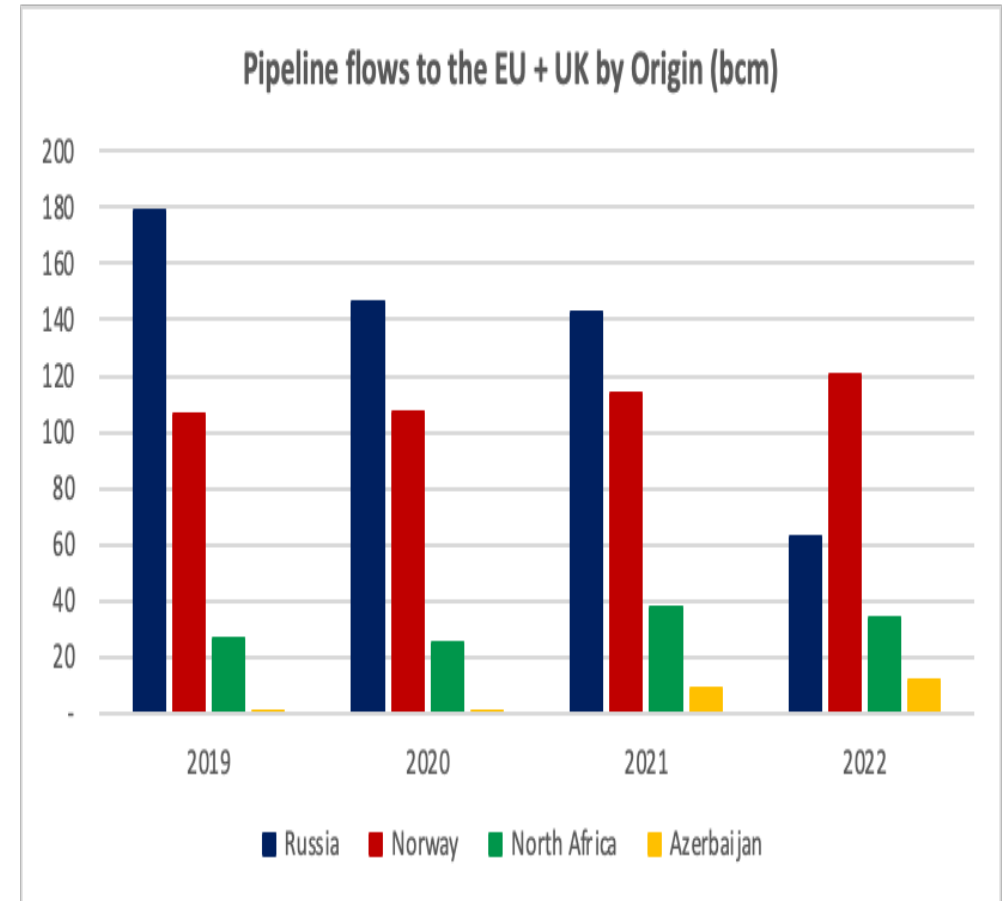
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Big impacts on European gas supplies

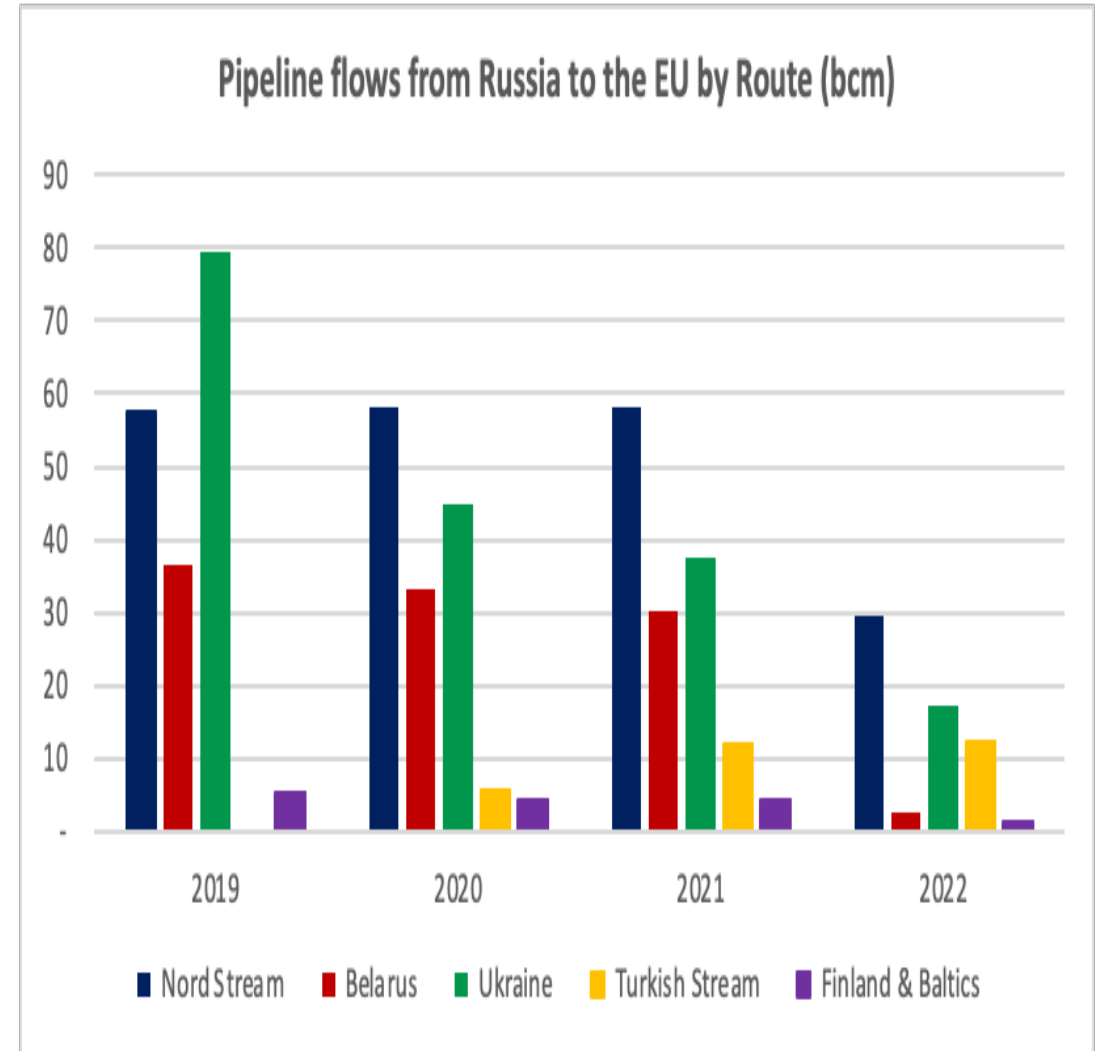
- Sharp decline in Russian pipeline flows to Europe in 2022
- Pipeline flows from Norway to EU have been at full capacity (outside a period of offshore maintenance in September)
- New Baltic Pipe to Poland via Denmark will divert some Norwegian flows away from Germany
- But Poland was importing pipeline gas from Germany so there is no net loss in Norwegian supply
- Algeria's domestic gas balance left smaller volumes available for export in 2022 compared to 2021 and smaller pipeline exports and LNG exports from Algeria to EU
- Pipeline flows from Azerbaijan via the Trans-Adriatic Pipeline (TAP) remain at full capacity





Russian gas supplies to Europe

- Russian flows are unlikely increase and downside risk regarding transit via Ukraine
- Gazprom holds a transit contract with Naftogaz which is pursuing commercial arbitration against Gazprom
- Gazprom threatened Naftogaz with Russian sanctions
- Could cause transit for Russian gas via Ukraine to halt
- Overall little scope for additional pipeline supply beyond current levels in 2023



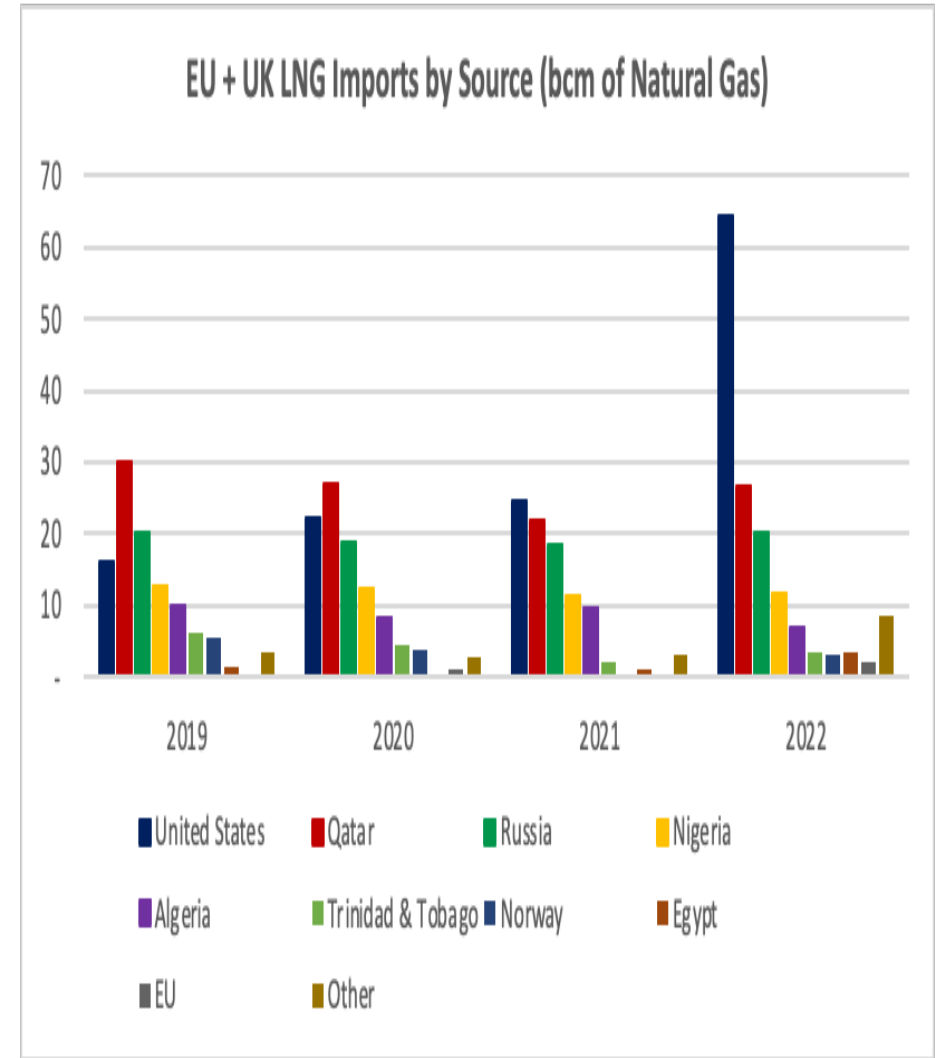
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Sharp rise of LNG imports in Europe

- LNG exports from US grown substantially from 1.5 bcm in 2016 to 93 bcm in 2021
- Year-to-date (January-October) LNG exports from US grown from 77 bcm to 87 bcm from 2021 to 2022
- High European prices attracted more US LNG to Europe
- Europe benefits from growth in US LNG exports and that plenty of US LNG is oftaken by portfolio players with spot sales optionality
- European imports from Qatar in 2022 likely to be higher than in 2021 but lower than in pre-COVID 2019 (if Nov & Dec volumes are the same as Oct)



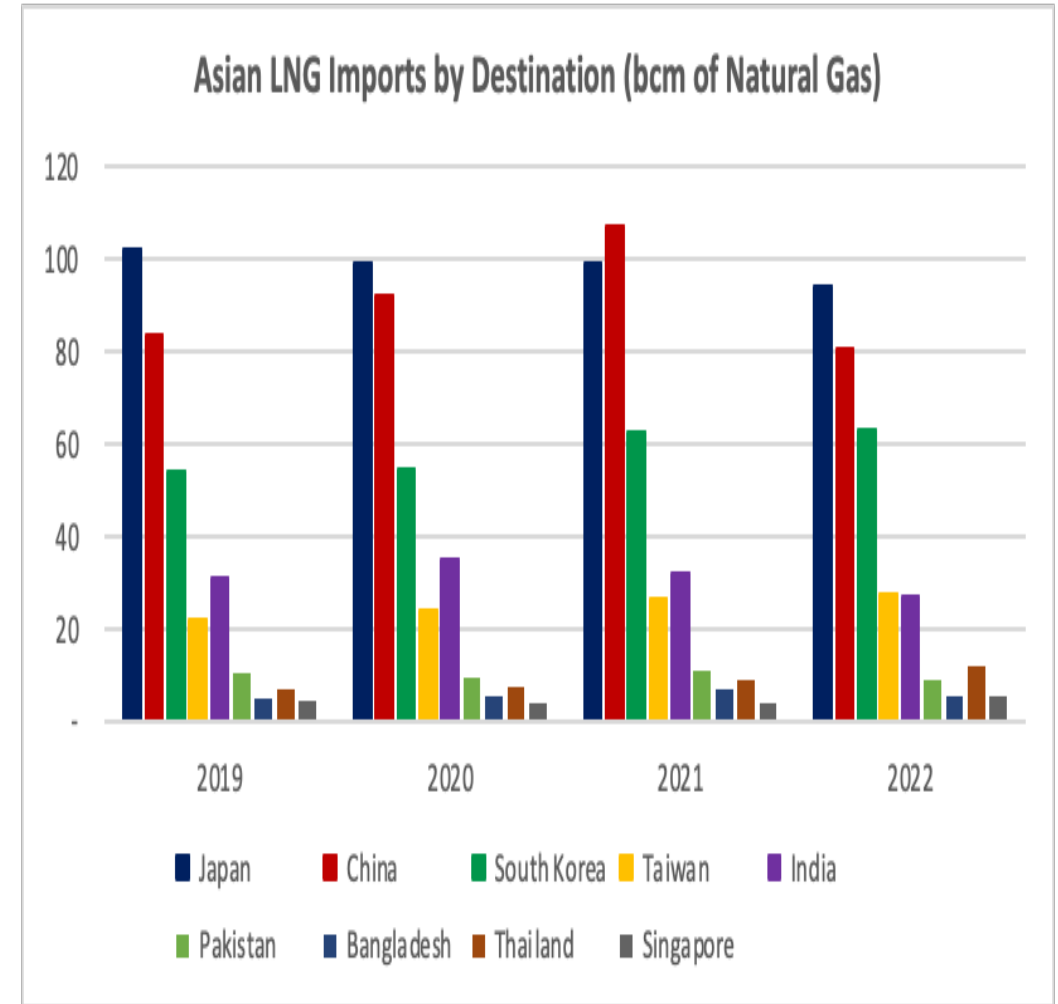
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Decline in Asian LNG imports

- Dramatic year-on-year decline in Chinese LNG imports
- Driven largely by Chinese economic slowdown and 'Zero-COVID' policy
- LNG is China's marginal gas supply behind domestic production and pipeline imports from Central Asia & Russia
- Combined LNG imports into India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh suppressed by high prices



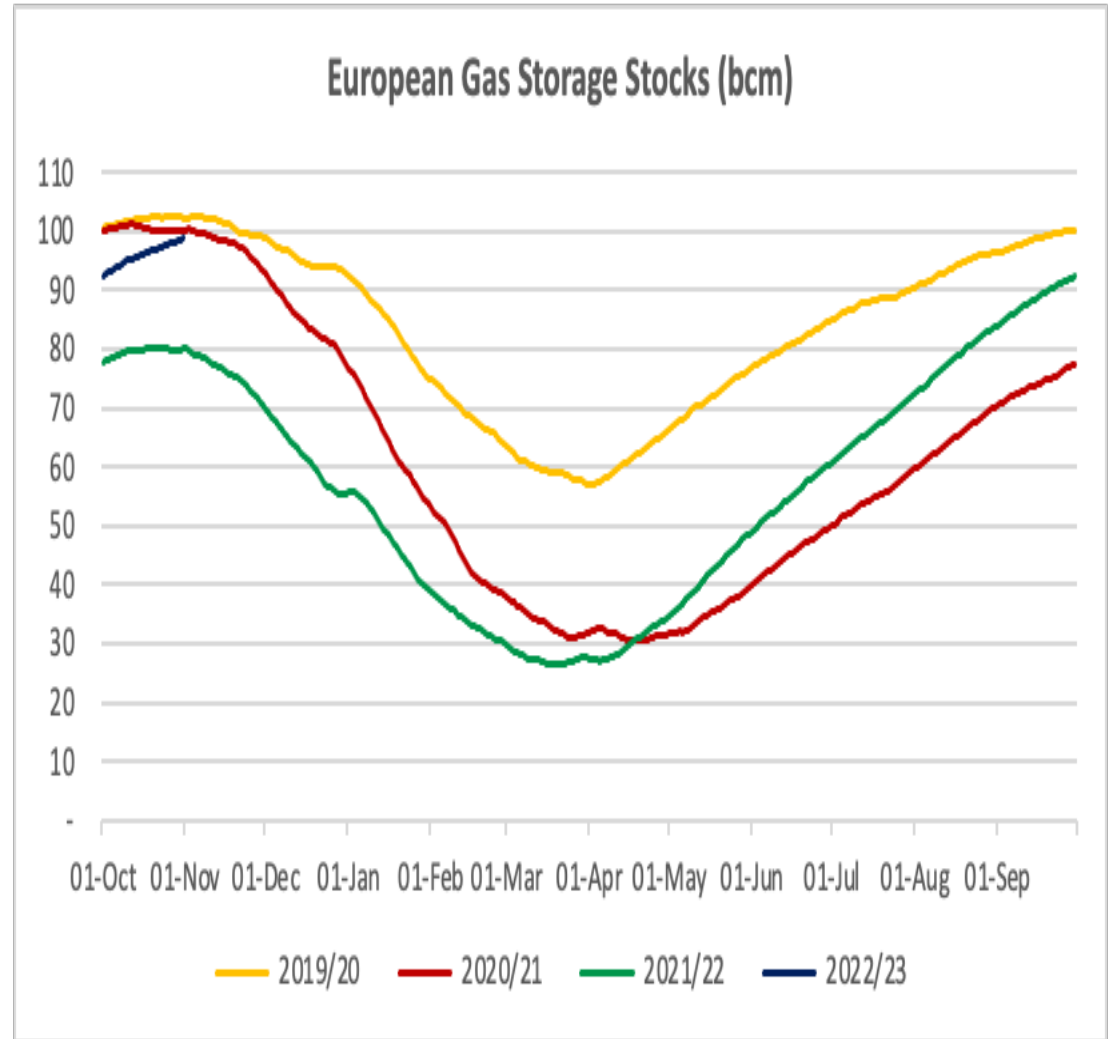
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Multi-year crisis

- European storage stocks on 1 November (99bcm) back at level of 1 November 2020; slightly below record of 1 November 2021 (102 bcm)
- Strong political push to get gas into storage in summer 2022 & fears for winter 2022/23
- Looking ahead volume of gas left in European storage at end of winter (1 April) a key issue
- Determines how much Europe needs to inject in summer 2023 and how high stock levels will be on 1 November 2023
- Less Russian pipeline supply in Q2-2023 than in Q2-2022
- LNG supply in summer 2022 depends on demand for LNG outside Europe especially in China





Global Cooperation on Climate Change



Climate change diplomacy

- More polarized world which could impacting collaboration on climate policy
- Energy security and affordability taking centre stage
- Drive to limit dependency on foreign energy sources of energy and minerals
- Relocation and localization of supply chains (impacting the cost of the transition)
- Fiscal constraints and debt burdens
- Developed-developing countries tensions on climate finance (mitigation, adaptation, and loss and damage)