Future Perspective of LNG Markets & Changes in Value Chain Management

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LNG Supply & Demand Outlook in Asia-Pacific Market



Source: IEEJ, Tokyo Gas Estimates

Influential Events for Supply and Demand Balance

Supply side		Demand side
NWS-exp, Malaysia-III	2004	India (Dahej)
	2005	Korea (Kwangyang), India (Hazira)
Darwin Ben	2006	China (Guandong), India (Dabhol) Japan (Mizushima)
Sakhalin-II	2007	China (Fujian)
Tangguh, Yemen	2008	Taiwan (Taichu), Indonesia China (many proposed terminals)
nsion	2009	NWS (7.5mtpa re-contract)
Gorgon	2010	Indonesia (12mtpa re-contract)
Iran (4 projects)	2014	
Browse, Greater Sunrise, Donggi	2011~	Singapore $\mathbf{TOKYO} \mathbf{GAS}$

Changes in Natural Gas Trade Flow



The Gas Price Transition



Source: World Gas Intelligence, Trade Statistics, etc.

Changes in Natural Gas Business



Risks & Opportunities for Sustainable LNG Market

Conventional LNG Value Chain Model



Changes in LNG Value chain model









Buyer's Strategy Example ~ Upstream ~



Buyer's Strategy Example ~ Transportation ~

Purpose of FOB/Owing Ship

1. Increase of Trading Opportunities

- for spot trading by Master Agreement
- for cargo diversification based on SPA
- 2. Transportation for other Buyers
 - North West Shelf Expansion: transportation by Tokyo Gas for co-Buyers



- 1. Two LNG Tankers owned by Tokyo LNG Tanker
 - 145,000 m³ Moss type
 - Shipyard: Kawasaki Shipbuilding
 - Operator: Mitsui O.S.K. Lines (MOL)
 - Service In: Energy Frontier Sep.2003 / Energy Advance Mar. 2005
- 2. Third (2006) and Fourth Ship (2008)
 - * Line: Malaysia-I, M-III (Short-term), North West Shelf Expansion, Darwin, Sakhalin-II, Spot, and new projects (?)



Feature & Structure in LNG Industry

Huge Investment

E&P, liquefaction, transportation, storage

Role & requirement

- Environmental friendliness, security of supply
- Stability for supply, procurement, price

Delivery structure

Lack of flexibility

→ small gap \rightarrow huge impact (esp. spot trade)

Commodity in the future?

Two markets; spot trading & long-term market (NE Asia)

Confusion on LNG S/D outlook

Difference between short-term and long-term view



Requirement & Business Innovation for LNG Development

Supply and demand gap minimization

- Requirement for precise demand prediction
- Well-timed launching new & expansion project
- Information sharing among sellers & buyers, B & B

Requirement for LNG growth

- Competitiveness & stability
 - Indispensable for natural gas growth in NE Asia
- Volatility mitigation
 - Significance of long-term contract with price formula
- Contractual arrangement
 - Flexibility in long-term contract (DQT / UQT / Destination)
 - Innovative price formula



Significance of Buyers' Cooperation

S/D balance optimization

- Risk share & market development
 - Brown field expansion & green field launching
 - Cooperation between sellers and buyers

Shipping & delivery arrangement through cooperation

- Seasonal swap, ACQ transfer (only within co-buyers)
- Need for contractual flexibility in order for shipping & delivery cooperation
- Significance of cooperation in the future
 - Buyers' cooperation in all aspects
 - Significance of value chain participation for buyers

cooperation

Sharing of market strategy

Buyers

Reinforcement of bargaining power

for LNG market growth in NE Asia