Changes in Global Oil Market and Corporate Strategy



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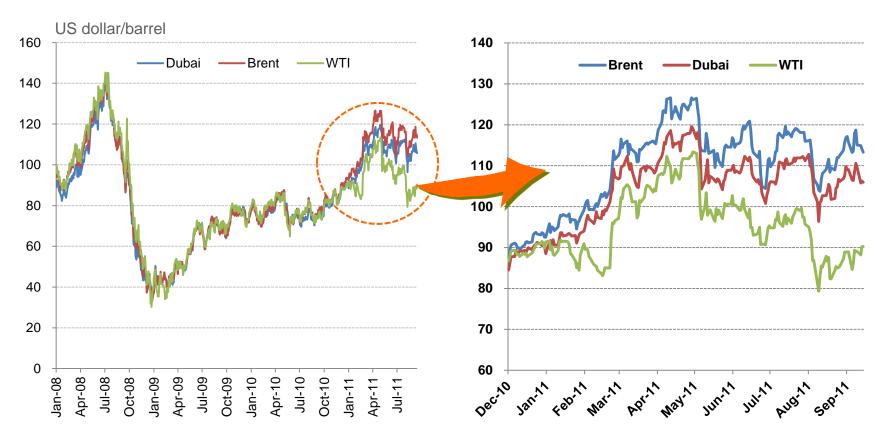
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Trends in Oil Price

Due to the instability in the world economy and the financial market since the beginning of 2011, the global oil prices shifted downward and remain fluctuating.

Trends in Global Oil Price

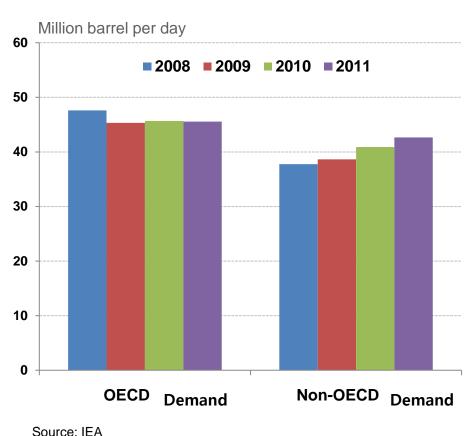


Source: Datastream

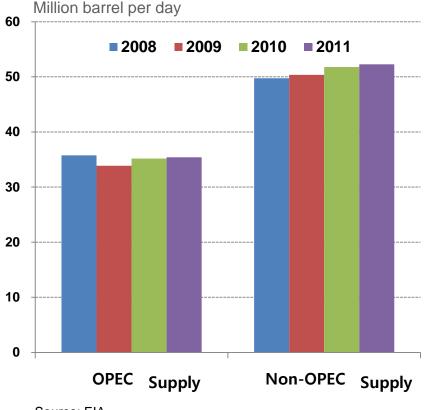
Global Supply & Demand for Oil

The increase in demand for oil is mainly driven by the developing countries and the increase in supply for oil is led by non-OPEC member countries.





Trend of OPEC vs. Non-OPEC Supply for Oil

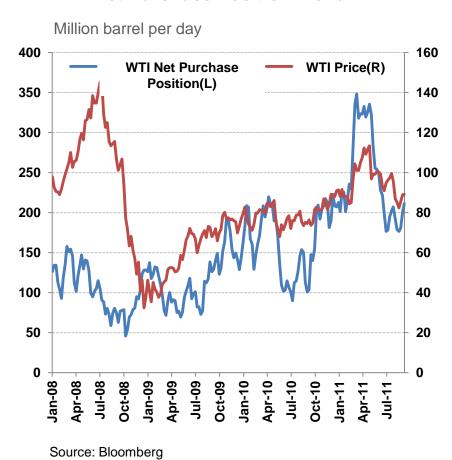


Source: EIA

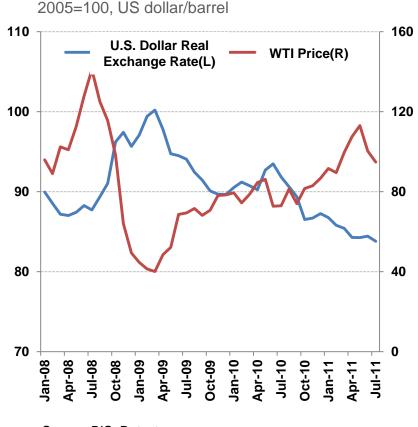
Financial Factors

Since the oil prices plummeted, the exit of speculative money is quite noticeable, and the value of U.S. dollar coupled with oil prices have dropped sharply.

WTI Net Purchase Position Trend



Trend of U.S. Dollar Real Exchange Rate Changes



Source: BIS, Datastream

Global Economy and Oil Market

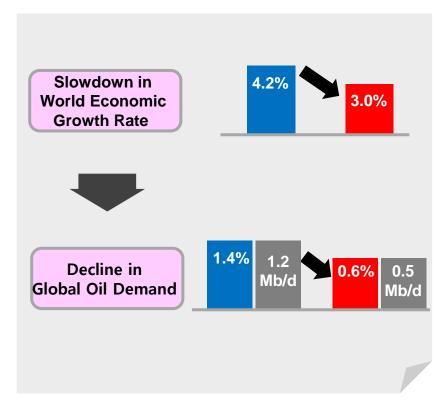
If the growth of world economy is slowing down further, the increase in the global demand for oil is highly likely to be less than projected.

Global Oil Demand and GDP Growth Rate Trend

5.0% Global Oil Demand World GDP Growth Rate **Growth rate** 4.0% 3.0% 2.0% 1.0% 0.0% 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 **2009** 2010 -1.0% -2.0% -3.0% Source: Oil Market Intelligence, Datastream

Scenarios: Decline in Global Oil Demand

Year 2011

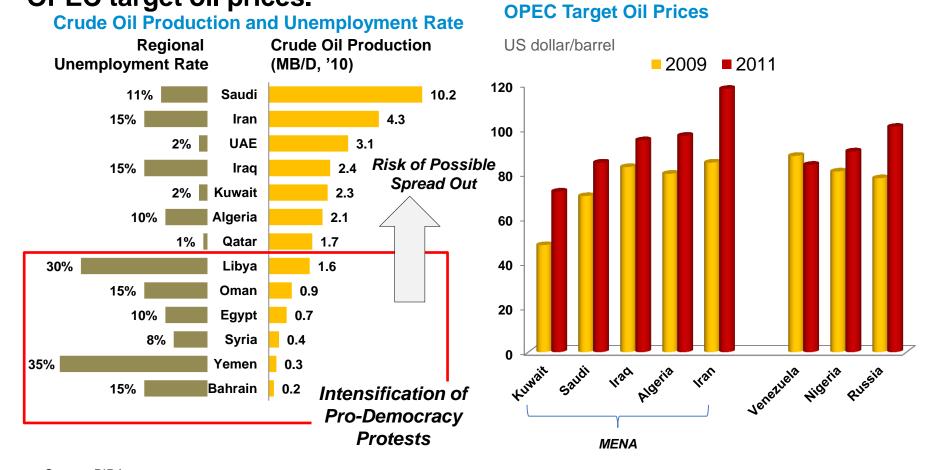


Source : SKRI, Citi group, IEA

Geopolitical Instability in MENA

 The risk of volatile supply and the fluctuations in oil prices become more uncontrollable due to geopolitical instability in MENA.

Too much generous government spending in MENA has driven up the OPEC target oil prices.



Source: PIRA

Conflicts between Natural Resources Haves and Havenots

Concerns are raised against the intensification of the conflicts between natural resources haves and havenots as the developing countries are pouring their efforts into securing energy sources for the economic growth when the resource nationalism being reinforced.

Rapid economic growth of the emerging markets is driving up the demand for energy sources

Alternative energy
sources to oil become
more widely available
and non-OPEC member
countries increase their
production of oil

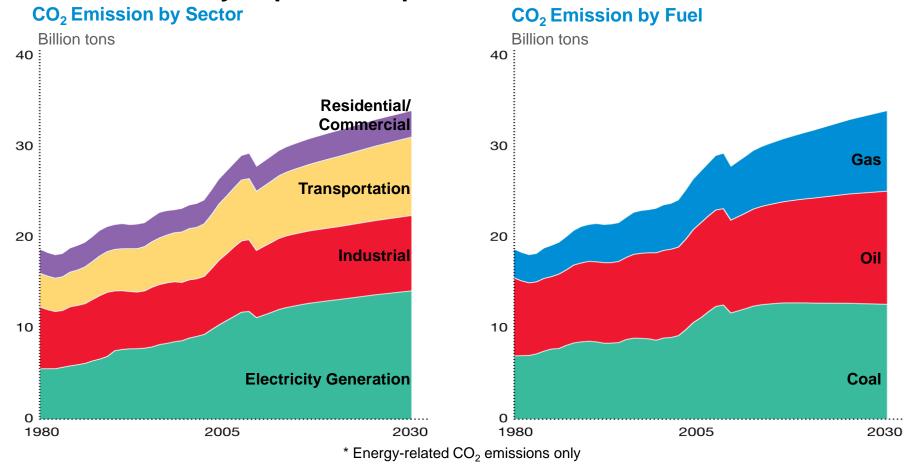


Resource nationalism is reinforced in Middle East,
South America and Russia

Tangible assets are increasingly converted into financial assets as the uncertainty over the monetary policy increases

Combating Climate Changes

- CO₂ emission in 2030 is estimated to increase by 25% compared to 2005.
- More than 40% of CO₂ emission is caused by the electricity generation which is heavily dependent upon coal.



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Growth of New Renewable Energy Sector

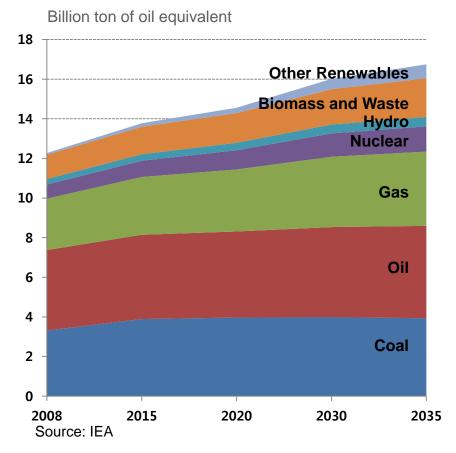
- The economic feasibility and the expansion of infrastructure is key to the growth in new renewable energy sector.
- Notwithstanding, the role of fossil fuels as the primary energy source remains little changed.

Global Demand for Wind Power and Solar Power

GW 70 Global New Wind Demand ■ Global New Solar Demand 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015

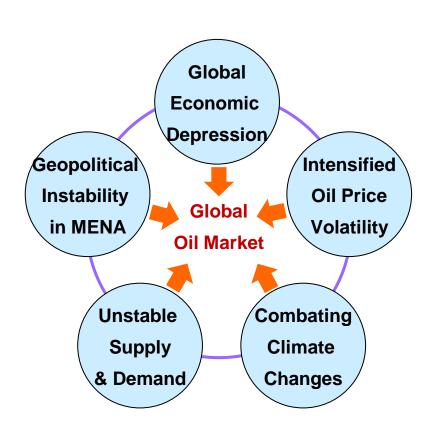
Source: Barclays Capital

Outlook for Global Demand by Energy Sources



Strategic Responses

With the changes in the environment of the global oil market, diverse strategies need to be explored in response.



Enhancement of Energy Efficiency

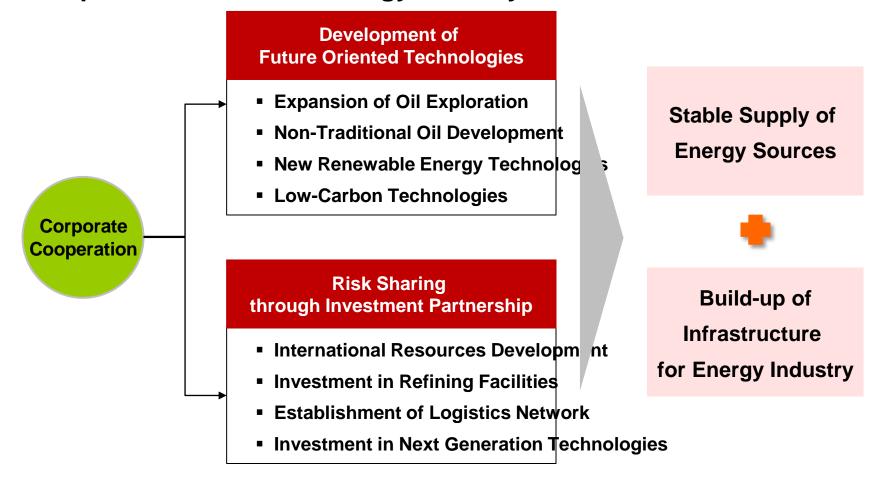
Preparation for Low-Carbon Economy

Diversification of
Crude Oil Suppliers and
Petroleum Products Purchasers

Improvement of Portfolio Centered Around Oil

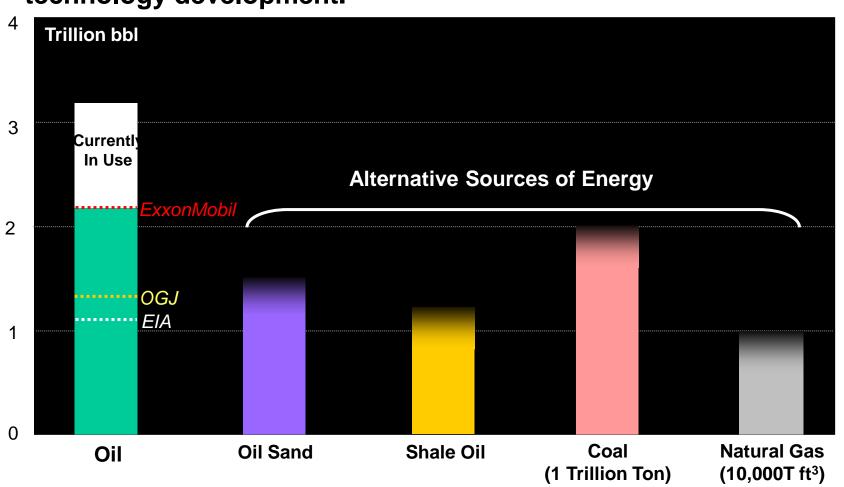
Reinforcement of Cooperation

Close corporate cooperation in the fields of technology and investment will make it possible to secure stable supply of energy sources and build up infrastructure for energy industry.



[CC] Alternative Sources of Energy

- Economic feasibility at the minimum can be achieved with oil price above \$60~80/bbl.
- Further improvement in the economics requires innovative technology development.



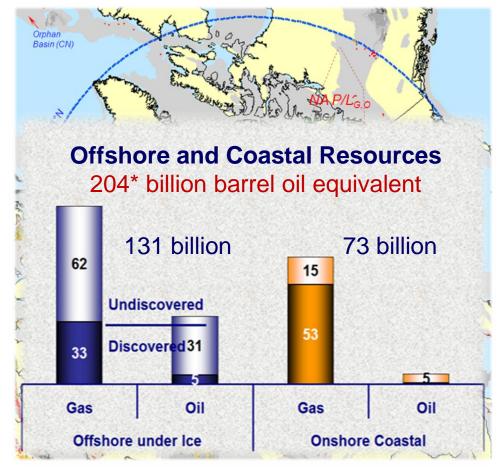
[CC] Deep Water/ Arctic Oil Field "The End of Cheap Oil"

- As so called "Easy Oil" is drying up, exploration of deep water and/or arctic oil fields become more attractive.
- Deep water oil field costs over USD 100 million per borehole

Deep Water Oil Field



Arctic Oil Field



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