The Outlook for Oil Demand in North America

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Outline

- North American Oil Demand to 2030 the view before EISA 2007
- Renewable Fuel Market Segments
- The Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007: provisions with major effects on oil markets
- Latest Projections with EISA 2007
 - U.S. liquids balance and import dependence
 - Implications for U.S. petroleum gasoline and distillate demand



North American Oil Use in the IEO2007 Reference Case, 1990-2030

■ Canada ■ Mexico ■ United States



North American Oil Use in the IEO2007 High Price Case, 1990-2030

Canada Mexico United States



Source: EIA International Energy Outlook 200

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Transportation and Oil

- Transportation is the primary driver of oil demand
 - In the US, transportation already accounts for nearly 70% of oil use.
 - Historically, alternative fuels have not made significant inroads into transportation even in countries where tax policies have made oil-based motor fuels very expensive.
- Looking ahead, transportation is likely to account for an even larger share of oil use.
 - However, several alternatives to oil could potentially play a growing role in transportation, so that transportation growth does not imply corresponding growth in oil use.

Alternatives to Oil in Transportation

- Biofuels Ethanol, biodiesel, and biobutanol
- Vehicle efficiency
 - For constant VMT, each 50 percent increase in onthe-road fuel economy reduces fuel used by 33 percent.
- Electricity (from a variety of fossil and non-fossil sources) powering plug-in hybrids for a significant share of overall vehicle miles of travel (VMT).
- Coal to Liquids (CTL) and Gas-to-Liquids (GTL)
- Hydrogen (from a variety of fossil and non-fossil sources) powering combustion engines or fuel cells



Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007: Key Provisions Affecting Transport Fuel Markets

- A significant increase in corporate average fuel economy standards for light duty vehicles, with a standard of 35 miles per gallon (MPG), or 14.9 km per litre, for cars and light trucks (combined) by 2020.
 - The current (model year 2008) standard is 27.5 MPG for cars and 22.5 MPG for light trucks.
- A renewable fuel standard (RFS) requiring 36 billion gallons of biofuels by 2022
 - In 2007, the U.S. consumed about 7.3 billion gallons of biofuels



New Light-Duty Fuel Efficiency is 36 MPG in 2022 Versus 28.4 in Early Release Case

Light-Duty Vehicle Fuel Efficiency Projections



Shifting Vehicle Mix Needed to Meet Both Increased Efficiency & Ethanol Use

Light-Duty Vehicle Sales



Note: ICE – Internal Combustion Engine Source: AEO 2008 Reference Case 2008 CERI Oil Conference 🧲



Non-Gasoline Vehicle Sales Penetration Increases from 11% in 2007 to 41% in 2022

Non-Gasoline Light-Duty Vehicle Sales



Source: AEO 2008 Reference Case

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3 Distinct Market Segments for Ethanol

- Clean, high-octane gasoline blending component market
 - Lowest price sensitivity: "must have" item. Example: demand for ethanol in the aftermath of the phaseout of MTBE in spring 2006
- Volume enhancement market
 - Price competition with conventional fuels on a volume (per gallon) basis
 - Key drivers include oil prices, biofuel tax benefits, and biofuel feedstock prices
- Energy value (btu content) market
 - Price competition with conventional fuels on an energy content (per Btu) basis
 - Sensitive to availability of fuel and vehicle infrastructure

BOTTOM LINE: Absent a mandate, ethanol is NOT competitive with petroleum–based fuels in the 3rd (energy value) market segment at current oil prices. However, EISA 2007 provides a mandate to push ethanol beyond the 10% blending market.



Renewable Fuels Requirement Mainly Met with Ethanol



A variety of fuel sources are expected to support the renewable fuel standard in EISA2007.



Source: AEO 2008 Reference Case

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U.S. Gasoline Demand Increases, But Petroleum Gasoline Declines Due to Increased Biofuels, Switch to Diesel, & Efficiency



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Source: AEO 2008 Reference Case

Petroleum-Based* Gasoline and Distillate Fuel Needs Shift

Million Barrels Per Day	2007	2022	Growth to 2022
Petroleum Gasoline	8.85	8.24	-0.61
Petroleum Distillate	4.22	4.71	+0.49

* Petroleum-Based excludes ethanol, biodiesel, and distillate from coal-to-liquids and biomass-to-liquids. Source: AEO 2008 Reference Case

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Issues: Shifting U.S. Demand Mix and Import Availability

- The shifting demand mix of products towards more distillate and less gasoline may be a challenge for refiners
- Supply Uncertainties:
 - U.S. Refiners Distillate Response relative roles of throughput increases and yield improvements?
 - U.S. Refiners Gasoline Availability driven by nature of distillate supply response
 - World Availability of Export Gasoline Europe, Asia and Middle East increasing
 - Needs of other countries for "imported" gasoline



U.S. Liquid Fuels Consumption and Domestic Supply AEO2008 Reference Case (w/ EISA2007)



Source: AEO 2008 Reference Case

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