The Game is Changing

Infrastructure and the North American Petroleum Renaissance





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Main Discussion Points

- 1) Trends in production
- 2) Likely markets for U.S. light and Canadian heavy crude oil
- 3) U.S. crude imports
- Keystone XL and its relationship to other Canadian and U.S. Midcontinent projects
- 5) Pricing and Logistical Constraints
- 6) Prospect for movement of new crude supplies to U.S. East and West coasts







Other U.S. Growth Stories



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Canadian Oil Production- 3.3 mbd



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Nearly 3 mbd growth in North America in 4 years



Source: EIA (mbd million barrels per day)



Renaissance in the Making



EPRINC's Forecast for Major U.S. Shale Plays



Source: HPDI data with EPRINC forecast estimates



Canadian Production Forecast



Canadian Consumption to Remain Flat...



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U.S. Total Imports, U.S. Production, U.S. Canadian Imports



Source: EIA

U.S. Reducing Imports...Global Impacts



Fuel efficiency, plateauing demand, and rising production offer the potential to drastically reduce oil imports over the coming years.

"Net Oil Imports in Selected Countries and Regions in the New Policies Scenario"

Source: World Energy Outlook, © OECD/IEA, 2012

Remember to be humble...Projected Imports of LNG vs. Actual



Source : EIA data and forecasts

U.S. Rig Count and Play Breakdown with Rig Totals



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U.S. and North Dakota and Texas Rig Count

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Source: Baker Hughes Jan 2013. All but 51 rigs nationwide are onshore.



North Dakota Oil Production



A lot of potential...

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South Texas' Eagle Ford Production



Source: HPDI, liquid volumes includes condensate, estimated condensate volumes are up to 40% of liquids production



Permian Basin Production





Understanding the Infrastructure



Markets for Bakken and Canadian Crude

- The current markets for Canadian crude are the Rockies (PADD 4) and the Midwest (PADD 2) where heavy and SCO (synthetic/syncrude) refining capacity exists
- The potential exists in Asia and the Gulf Coast (substantially knocking out heavy Mexican and Venezuelan imports in the US Gulf Coast) as well as the West Coast
 - But due to regulatory and environmental hurdles, PADD III access has been postponed and thereby tightness has been created – and too much light sweet in the market from the U.S. exacerbating this tightness
- The U.S. imports a significant amount of SCO as well as heavy crude oil from Canada. SCO could play an important role in blending and meeting desired production of distillate for refineries.
- Canadian crude DID fight for capacity with Bakken crude along the Enbridge line (Bakken crude ends up in Clearbrook and all of the PADDs)---as Bakken crude has moved to rail, Canadian price discounts have eased slightly, but this correction maybe overdone (and a result of oil sand start up delays and upgrader issues etc...)

Choke Points



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U.S. Imports of Canadian Crude



Source: EIA

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Canadian Imports and Potential Markets



Source: CAPP Crude Oil Forecast June 2012

Canadian Pipeline Export Options



Source: Canadian Energy Pipeline Association

Kinder Morgan's
 Transmountain line off BC coast- currently 300,000 b/d capacity-recent announcements to expand up to 800,000 b/d (early 2017)

- (Now Spectra) Platte line to Wood River 280,000 b/d-full
- Enbridge mainline system
 currently transporting over 1.5
 mbd with potential capacity
 around 2.5 mbd—Northern
 Gateway off BC coast planned
 525,000 b/d
- TransCanada's Keystone
 581,000 b/d-full—XL would add 700,000 b/d



Where light sweet Bakken and heavy (blended bitumen) needs to go...



East Coast taking little Canadian Crude



Source: EIA

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PADD II imports are almost all Canadian



Source: EIA

EPRINC Est. 1944

PADD III...has the cokers and is getting none of the crude



Source: EIA



ALL Imports into the Rockies are from CANADA



Source: EIA



PADD V also has the cokers...taking some Canadian



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PADD II will be importing more HEAVY crude...

....absorbing more Canadian crude and pushing out light sweet Bakken crude



Refinery	Year	Crude Dem MB	and Impact
		Light	Heavy
COP/Cenovus Wood River	2012	-95	+130
Marathon/Detroit	2013	-65	+80
BP/Whiting	2013	-220	+260
BP/Husky Toledo	2015	-45	+60
Total		-425	+530

Source: John Auers Turner Mason Argus Americas Crude Summit Jan 2012;; map using Enbridge data from NDPA



U.S. Imports by API Gravity



Source: EIA



Knocking Out Waterborne Imports

- Growth in domestic crude oil production will largely be light sweet crude oil from tight/shale oil formations such as the Bakken and Eagle Ford.
- If the current rates of growth are maintained, light sweet crude imports into the U.S. will be displaced in the next couple of years.
- By year end, light sweet imports into the Gulf should stop. Bakken should be looking for another coastal home too!
- More imports into the U.S. will be pushed out over the coming years as refiners blend this light sweet crude to meet their specifications (helping to displace medium API gravity imports). The majority of what the U.S. is importing is heavy, medium, and medium and light sour crudes. The demand for heavy crudes in the U.S. should be met by the Canadian oil sands.



Blending Prospects

Blending is not new to the industry, but blending will be a significant component of the refineries' ability to absorb increasing volumes of light sweet and heavy crudes in the next few years.

	West Texas Sour	50% Cold Lake/ 50% North Dakota Light	Value, \$/Bbl¹
API Gravity	29.0	31.6	
Sulfur, wt %	1.9	2.0	
Yields, vol %			
- naphtha (IBP-450°F)	35.8	39.2	\$103
- distillate (450°F- 650°F)	20.7	16.4	\$121
- gas oil (650°F- 1000°F)	25.8	23.7	\$110
-residuum (1000°F+)	17.7	20.6	\$92



Bakken Premium Light Sweet Crude vs. Other Benchmarks Improved Refinery Yield

1 Based on mid-December prices

Source: Dennis Sutton Marathon, Argus Americas Crude Summit Jan 2012; Continental Resources 2013 Investor Presentation emitte lucem et veritatem

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And with all this production what's happening to prices?



Regional Pricing Disparities



Price Discounts



Source: Flint Hills, EIA, and estimates

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Price of Canadian Crude Imports



Source: EIA

Refinery Acquisition Cost of Crude Oil



East Coast (PADD 1)
 Midwest (PADD 2)
 Rocky Mountain (PADD 4)
 West Coast (PADD 5)
 Gulf Coast (PADD 3)

Rockies and Midwest refineries have enjoyed healthy cracking margins with considerably discounted crude prices.

PADD 1 has the highest RAC in the U.S. – and the least heavy crude processing capability

Source: EIA



RAC Domestic vs. Imported





Railroads Come to Play SHORT LINE R.R. Rent If 2R.R are owned \$ 25. 50 100 200 Mortgage Value \$ 100.



From Wellhead to Railbed

- Over 600,000 b/d of crude are moving by rail out of the Williston Basin
- 300,000 b/d of spare pipeline capacity out of ND (estimated)
- Bakken crude making it to all US coasts (and all PADDs)
- East Coast refiner PBF Energy beginning to take heavy oil sands crude via rail
- Over 2 mbd (million barrels a day) of crude oil and petroleum products are moving by rail in the US and Canada
- Statoil leasing 1,000 railcars; Exxon leasing 2,000 railcars (rumored 10,000 car purchase); Valero leasing 2,000 railcars
- Major refiner Phillips 66 signing 5 year contract with Global Partners
- Many refineries gearing up to take crude by rail—initially by manifest and then via unit trains
 - Multiple refineries waiting on permits for rail terminals in California
- Around 150,000 b/d of Canadian crude are moving by rail
 - Small oil sand operators are putting entire production on rail



Rail is a Contender

News Release



Source: Images directly from BNSF, CP, and CN websites

Refineries aggressively seeking advantaged crude

They are going to do a lot of this via rail.



Source: Phillips 66 Investor Presentation

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Average Weekly U.S. Rail Carloads of Petroleum and Petroleum Products



1.3 mbd of crude oil and product are moving by rail in the U.S. alone.

- Around 725,000 b/d crude moving by rail in the U.S.

Source: Association of American Railroads. Weekly Railroad Traffic

crude petroleum and all products of petroleum refining (liquefied gases, asphalt, fuel oil, lubricating oil, jet fuel, etc.), exclude U.S. operations of CN and CP **Note:** Data are weekly average originations for each month, are not seasonally adjusted; crude petroleum and all products of petroleum refining (liquefied gases, asphalt, fuel oil, lubricating oil, jet fuel, etc.); one carload holds 30,000 gallons (or 714.3 barrels).



Average Weekly Canadian Rail Carloads of Petroleum and Petroleum Products



Source: Association of American Railroads. Weekly Railroad Traffic

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Crude Pipeline Infrastructure



Source: EPRINC Choke Point Map using Hart ArcGIS Mapping software



Why it works



Source: Watco Companies LLC, Presentation Bakken Product Markets and Take-Away Denver Jan 31-Feb 1 2012 emitte lucem et veritatem

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Can Get to the Markets Pipelines Can't and WON'T





But how much?



Source: Bloomberg



Spare Capacity in North Dakota



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Rail Volumes Out of North Dakota



High and Low Estimate - February 2013



Issues and Regulations

With more and more crude moving via rail, the chances for spills have increased and are gaining more attention.

Permits also seem to be a concern in some places.



As energy companies increasingly ship crude oil by rail, incidents involving oil spills are on the rise. Most of the recent leaks have been relatively small, according to federal data through 2012.



By TOM FOWLER WSJ MARCH 28, 2013 "OIL SPILLS MOUNT ON TRACKS"

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Scott Marquardt/The Parkers Prairie Independent via WSJ March 28th, 2013 "A 94-car Canadian Pacific Railway train partially derailed in Parkers Prairie, Minn., on Wednesday, spilling as much as 714 barrels of crude, according to Minnesota officials. Oil is visible on the ground in the lower left."



Potential Issues, Hurdles, and Regulatory Concerns

- Oil prices
- Water Usage!
- Oil spills (rail and pipeline)
- Environmental Concerns
- Regs on Federal Land-Fracking
- Infrastructure Delays-PERMITTING
- Lack of prudent policy: failing to connect what is happening on the ground to what is understood in Washington



Conclusions



- This is a petroleum renaissance. Since 2008 the U.S. and Canada have added nearly 3 mbd of crude to global production, helping offset issues and Libya and the Middle East. The U.S. is the largest producer of natural gas in the world and quickly becoming one of the lowest cost energy producers in the world.
- Pipelines are being built, but right now their still exists tightness in the system and an increasing need for Gateway, XL, and Costal options for US and Canadian crude.
- Rail is a serious option for US producers distanced from refining centers.
- Rail could be an alternative shipping method for oil sands producers as they look to diversify their options and secure stable prices—markets exist where pipeline doesn't (especially with XL delay and Gateway uncertainty)
- Blended bitumen needs to get to the Gulf and potentially PADD V
- Bakken light sweet needs to get to East Coast PADD I (as well as PADD V)....only so much light sweet can be sent to Cushing and down into Gulf.
- Rail in the long-term...it is going to be there, but the question is "how much"?...pipelines?
- Refineries are going to play a vital role in this renaissance as they adapt to high volumes of light sweet crude.