Chart of the Week #2023-07 EU Crude Oil Trade: Shifts due to Russia's War



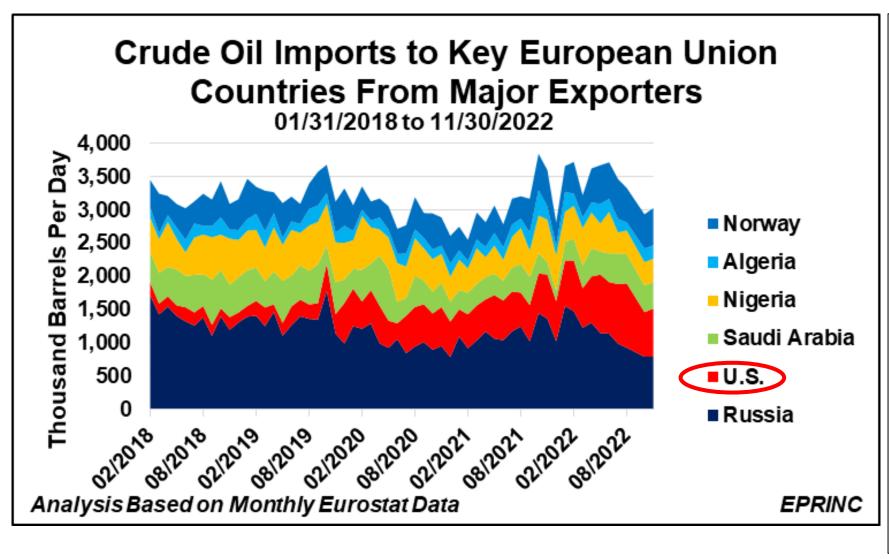
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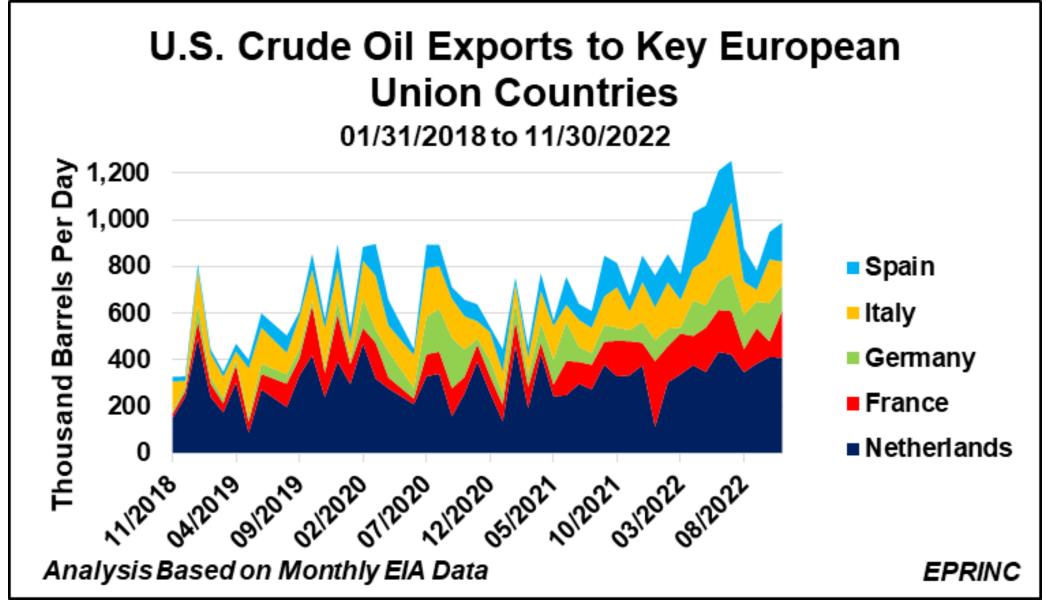


European Union crude oil imports have stayed relatively constant for the last five years.

But with Russia's war, EU importers have decreased Russian imports, even before the official December 2022 policy, while increasing imports from the U.S.

Key EU importers included here are France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, and Spain.





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