

Natural gas imports by country

November 2013

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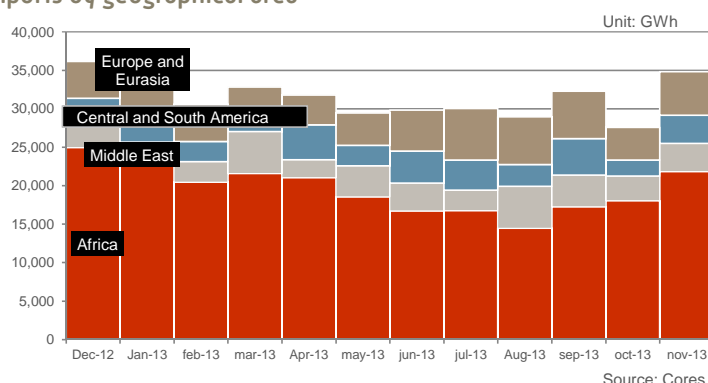
Natural gas imports in Spain in November 2013 came to 34,835 GWh, with a year-on-year increase of 9.7%. The annual sum total was 342,764 GWh, a 4.4% decrease.

In November, imports from all countries were up, except for Norway (-4.1%) and Peru (-74.8%). For a second time in a year, since 2005, LNG was imported from France.

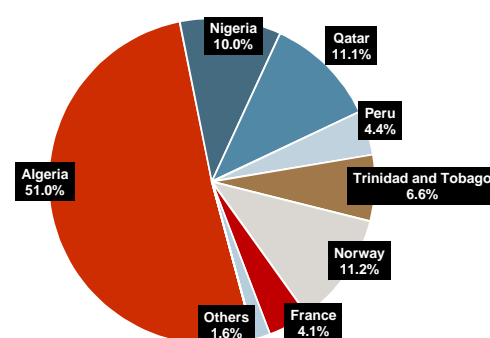
By geographical area, Africa continued to be the primary supply region for natural gas in November (62.7%), with Algeria as the foremost supplier (49.2% of the total). Algeria accounted for 51.0% of the annual total.

53.3% of the imports were brought in by gas pipeline, a reduction of 7.1 percentage points compared to October, the month in which the highest percentage ever (60.4%) was reached in all the time that data have been available (January 2003).

Imports by geographical area



Import distribution January-November 2013



	November 2013			Year total to date			Rolling year		
	Imports	VR (%) (*)	Weight (%)	Imports	VR (%) (*)	Imports	VR (%) (*)	Weight (%)	
Algeria	17,143	20.5	49.2	174,891	20.7	194,609	23.2	51.4	
NG	14,480	24.5	41.6	141,596	30.2	154,616	29.7	40.8	
LNG	2,663	2.6	7.6	33,295	-7.8	39,993	3.1	10.6	
Nigeria	4,700	5.0	13.5	34,392	-38.5	39,628	-35.8	10.5	
Egypt	-	-	-	464	-93.5	464	-95.3	0.1	
Africa total	21,843	16.8	62.7	209,747	0.9	234,701	2.2	61.9	
Norway	3,814	-4.1	11.0	38,474	-8.6	42,649	-5.7	11.3	
NG	2,878	32.6	8.3	27,047	12.5	29,404	11.8	7.8	
LNG	936	-48.2	2.7	11,427	-36.7	13,245	-30.1	3.5	
Belgium	-	-	-	2,174	-69.1	2,174	-69.1	0.6	
France	1,874	347.5	5.4	13,914	71.2	14,526	65.9	3.8	
NG	1,207	188.2	3.5	12,564	54.6	13,176	50.5	3.5	
LNG	667	-	1.9	1,350	-	1,350	-	0.4	
Portugal	-	-	-	1,065	-	1,065	170,282.8	0.3	
Europe and Eurasia total	5,688	9.4	16.3	55,627	-13.7	60,414	-12.3	15.9	
Trinidad and Tobago	2,578	190.2	7.4	22,456	-6.5	25,076	-5.7	6.6	
Peru	1,079	-74.8	3.1	15,065	-42.5	16,188	-43.0	4.3	
Central and South America total	3,657	-29.3	10.5	37,521	-25.3	41,264	-20.2	10.9	
Qatar	3,646	36.0	10.5	37,951	-11.9	40,639	-14.5	10.7	
Oman	-	-	-	1,917	-	1,917	-	0.5	
Middle East total	3,646	36.0	10.5	39,868	-7.4	42,556	-17.3	11.2	
TOTAL	34,835	9.7	100.0	342,764	-4.4	378,935	-3.6	100.0	
NG	18,565	30.6	53.3	182,272	29.3	198,262	28.5	52.3	
LNG	16,270	-7.2	46.7	160,491	-26.2	180,673	-24.3	47.7	
OECD	5,688	9.4	16.3	55,627	-2.9	60,414	-1.0	15.9	
Non-OECD	29,146	9.8	83.7	287,137	-4.7	318,521	-4.1	84.1	

(*) Rate of variation compared to the same period of the previous year.

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