



Arkansas CNG:



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Why Natural Gas Vehicles?



Economic Benefits

Natural gas powered vehicles offer an economic return to fleets and individual users. Full cycle cost is lowered through reduced fuel price, fewer maintenance problems, and extended vehicle lives.

Clean Air

Natural gas offers a clean alternative to traditional petroleum fuel powered vehicles. Natural gas vehicles ("NGVs") offer an immediate reduction of 25% in GHG and smog causing emissions.

Local Resources

Southwestern utilizes Fayetteville Shale gas at our Damascus, AR CNG station, to fuel CNG powered trucks – many of which were converted by suppliers based in Arkansas.

Energy Security

Natural gas is an abundant domestic fuel source, which reduces our nation's dependence upon import oil.

How CNG Works Station Design Concept



- ➤ Dispenser w/ credit card reader
- ➤ Provision for POS interface

- ➤ Storage tank
- ➤ Priority panel

- ➤ Compressor; Motor/starter
- ➤ Noise abatement (enclosure)
- ➤ Dryer; Cooler
- ➤ Unit control
- ➤ Filter; Valves; Regulators

➤ Remote control panel



How CNG Works

Basic Vehicle Design



How Natural Gas Vehicles Work:

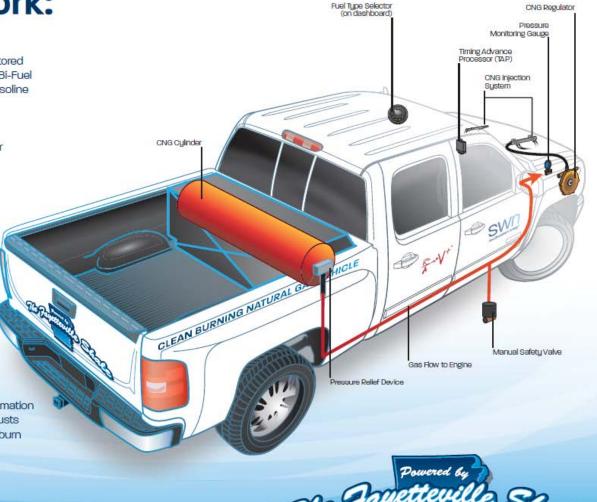
 Compressed natural gas is stored in specially engineered cylinders. Bi-Fuel vehicles retain factory installed gasoline tanks for fuel choice flexibility and extended range.

 CNG flows from the fuel cylinder through high pressure tubing to a regulator in the engine compartment.

 The regulator reduces the CNG pressure before it is introduced into a multiport fuel-injection system.

 The fuel-injection system introduces compressed gas into the engine's cylinders.

 Sensors relay fuel mixture information to an internal computer which adjusts the fuel-air mix to most efficiently burn when the spark plugs ignite.





How CNG Works CNG Safety



CNG cylinders testing

 Testing procedures include: hydraulic cycle pressure, low temperature cycling, drop/impact, bonfire, environmental exposure, damage tolerance/gunfire, vibration, hydraulic crush, & road drag

Limited flammability range

Both gasoline and diesel have lower flammability mixture ratios and ignition temperatures

Fuel density

No pooling / venting properties

CNG station requirements

NFPA, ASME, local, & state codes



SWN CNG Program









SWN CNG Program



Transition SWN's fleet to CNG

- 160 conversions completed to date
- Minimum of 185 conversions to be completed by end of 2012

Support the development of public fueling infrastructure

- Damascus CNG Station
- City of North Little Rock & City of Little Rock

Incentivize employee adaptation of CNG

- The Big Give
- SWN Employee CNG program

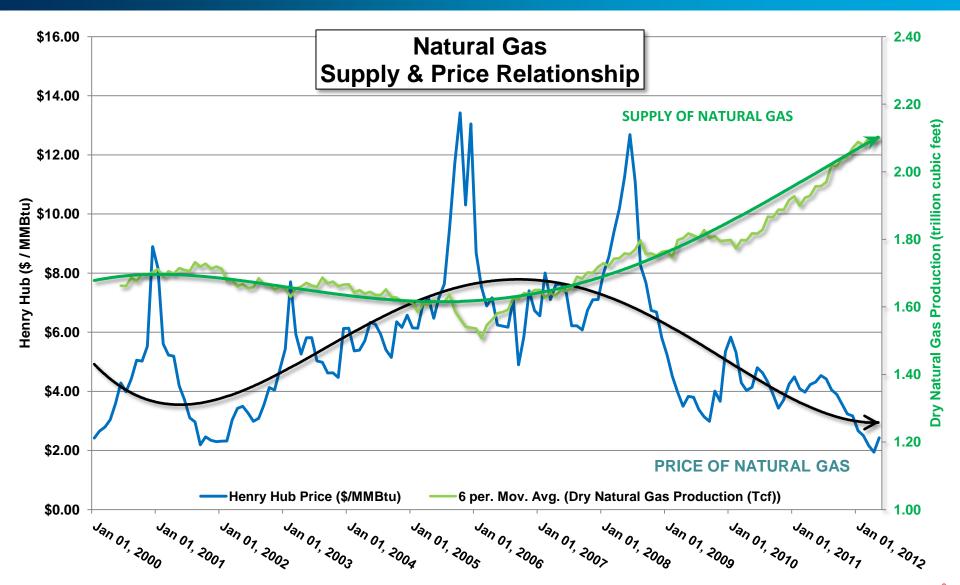
CNG advocacy & training

- Drive Natural Gas Initiative, Houston NGV Alliance, ANGA
- Certification & training for fleet maintenance group



CNG Market Overview Shale Gas Impact





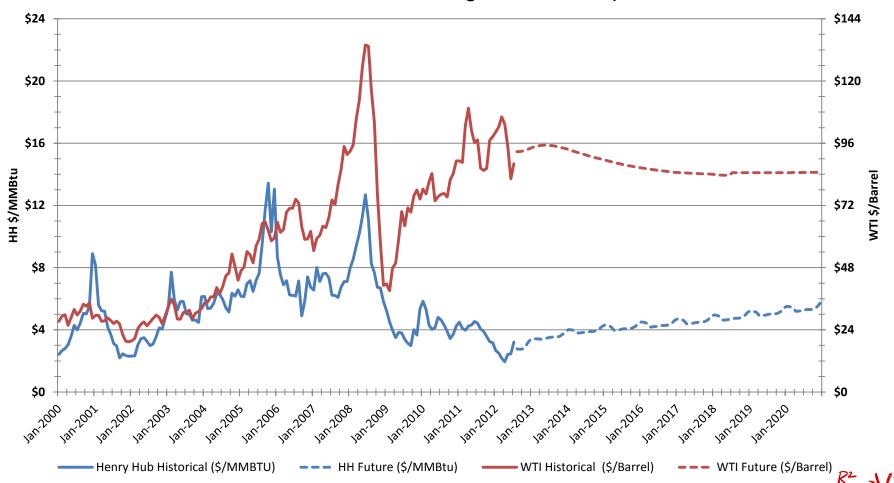


CNG Market Overview

Shale Gas Impact

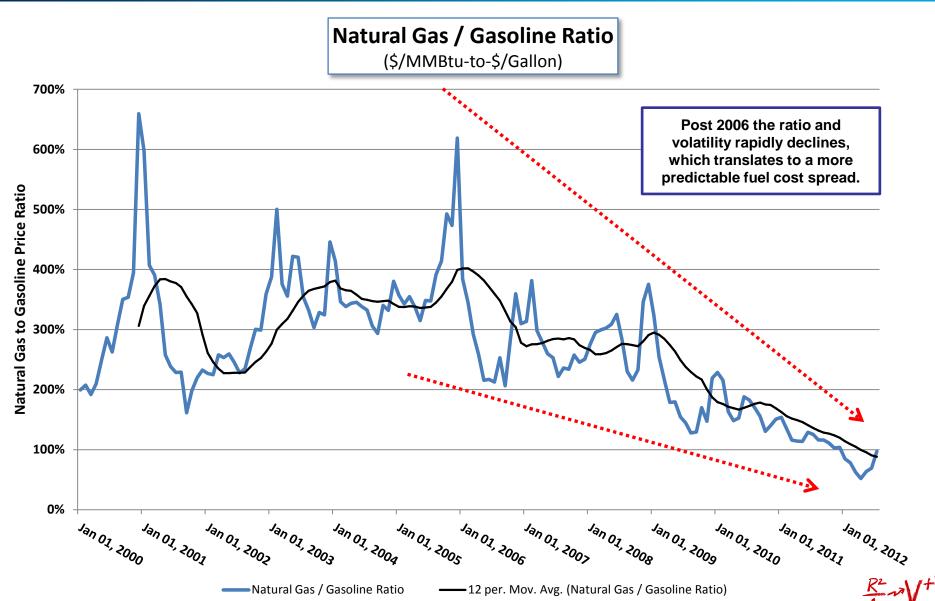


Due to U.S gas supply growth outpacing global oil supply growth, continued oil demand growth, and a lack of near-term growth impacts from US gas demand initiatives, the current wide oil to gas ratio is expected to continue.



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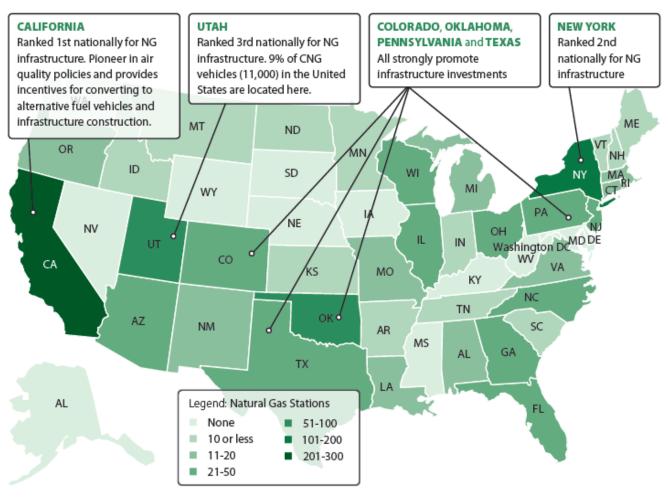




CNG Market Overview

U.S. Fueling Infrastructure





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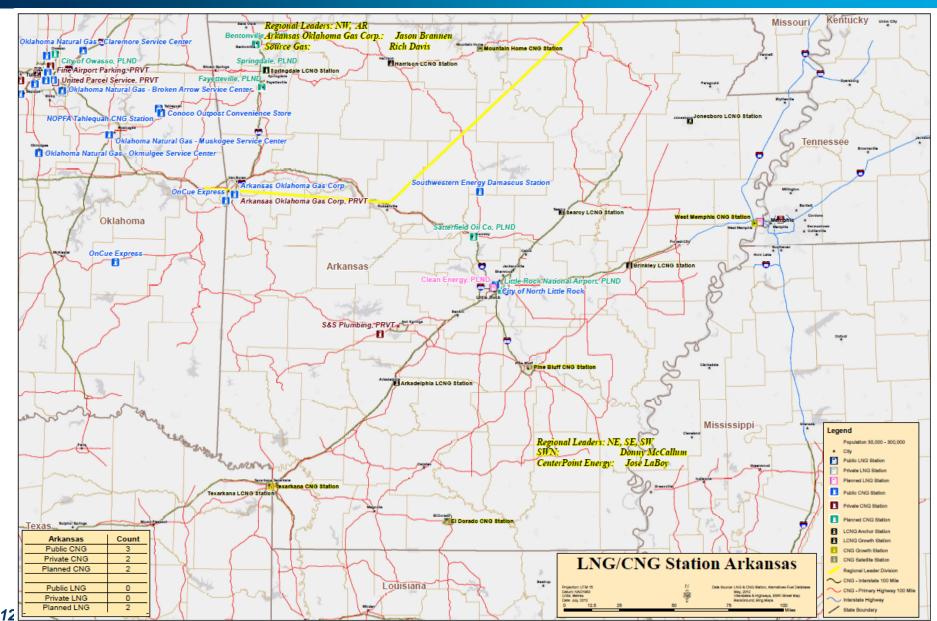
Existing Public		Existing Private	Planned		
CNG Stations	501	565	96		
LNG Stations	23	31	98		



CNG Market Overview

Arkansas Fueling Infrastructure





Natural Gas Vehicle Economics



Light Duty Example

Incremental Equipment Cost Average Miles / Year MPG Gallons / Year Useful Life (Years)

\$ 8,900
30,000
14
2,143
5

	Proje	cted Savings	per	Gasoline Gallon	Equ	ivalent ("GGE")
	\$	1.50	\$	1.75	\$	2.00
Payback Period (Months)		33		28		25
Total Fuel Savings Less Investment	\$	7,171	\$	9,850	\$	12,529
Net Present Value of Investment	\$	3,780	\$	5,881	\$	7,983

Current Arkansas State Average: \$3.76/Gallon

SWN CNG Price: \$1.46/GGE

Implied CNG Price Advantage: \$2.30/GGE



Light Duty Vehicles Options

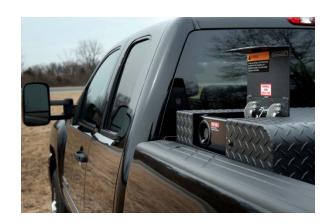




Ford F250 - F450



Dodge Ram 2500 - 3500





Chevy / GMC 2500 HD



Natural Gas Vehicle Economics



Heavy Duty Example (Dillon Trucking)

Incremental Equipment Cost Average Miles / Year MPG Gallons / Year Useful Life (Years)

\$ 50,000
200,000
5
40,000
5

Payback Period (Months)
Total Fuel Savings Less Investment
Net Present Value of Investment

Projected Savings per Diesel Gallon Equivalent ("DGE")					
\$	1.00	\$	1.25	\$	1.50
	15		12		10
\$	150,000	\$	200,000	\$	250,000
\$	107,298	\$	146.519	\$	185,740

Heavy Duty Fleets

- Frito Lay
- UPS
- Waste Management



Heavy Duty Vehicles Options









Kenworth T800 (LNG)

Peterbilt 384, 365, 320 LNG or CNG



Volvo – 2014 LNG Option



Summary



- SWN supports CNG
- Shale gas opportunity
- Infrastructure development
- Vehicle economics
- Abundant, Clean, & Domestic



Questions











Current Issues



- FL NGV Coalition: released economic study which projected a shift to NGVs would generate 10,000 jobs, \$300 million in wages, and \$1 billion in economic output over 20 years.
- National Association of State Procurement Officials Natural Gas Vehicles RFP
 - 14 Governors signed MOU to support
 - 22 states have indicated interest in RFP
- Nat Gas Act: Representative John Sullivan (Bill Sponsor) defeated in primary.

