

# House Appropriations

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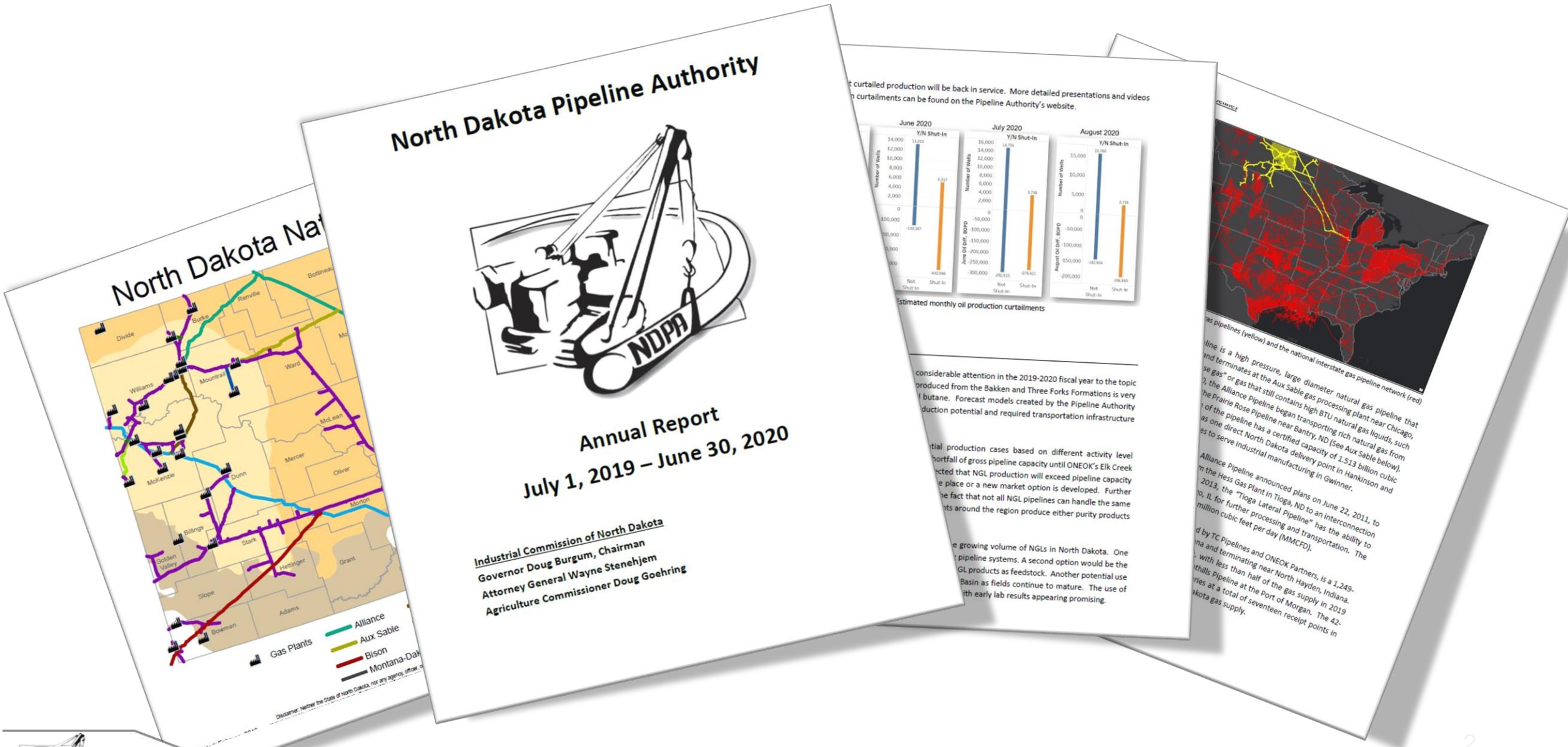
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# 2019-2020 NDPA Annual Report

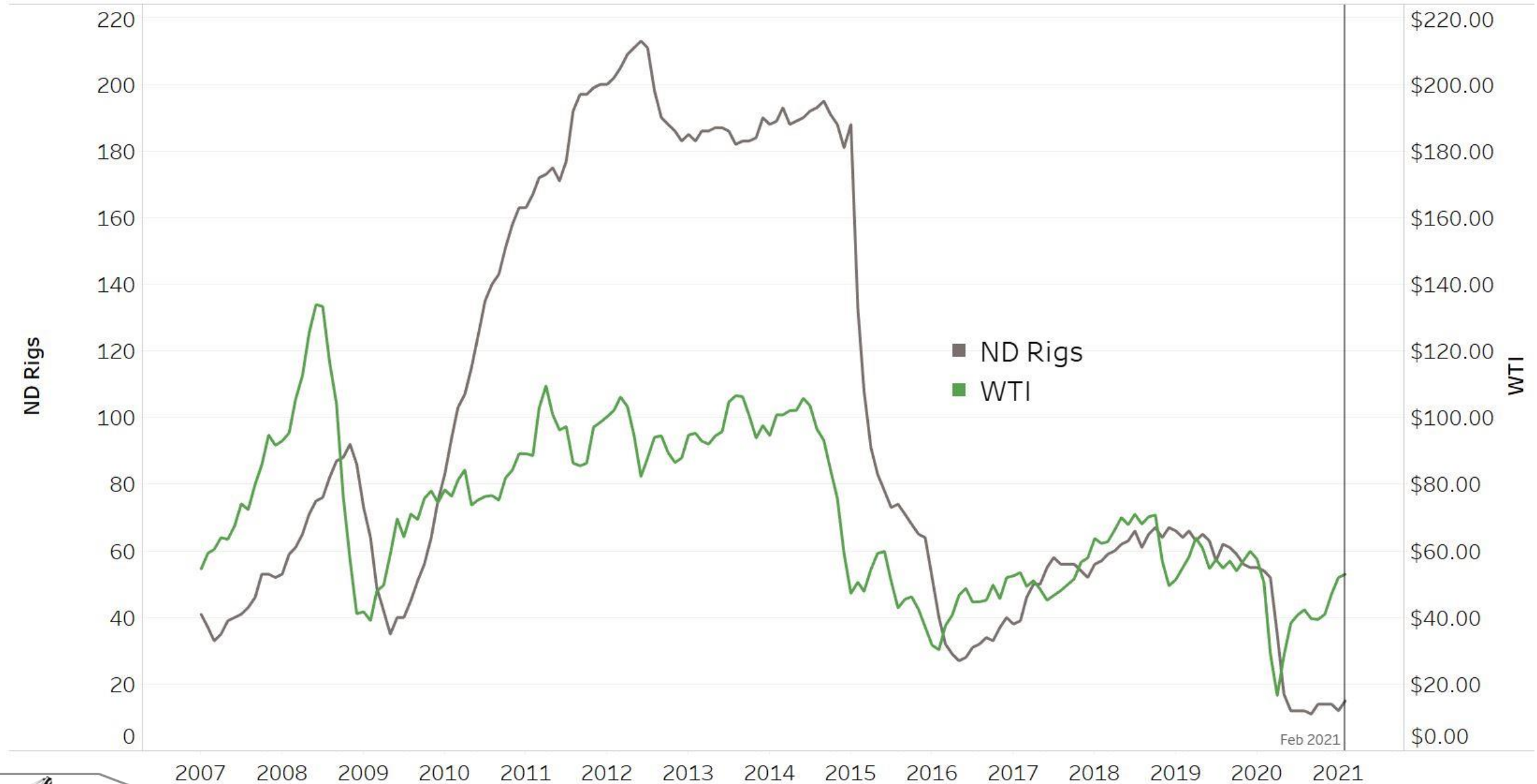


# Most Significant Events of the Past Year

- Demand/Price Collapse of 2020
- Dakota Access Pipeline Court Rulings
- Northern Border Pipeline BTU Tariff Filing
- Hydrogen Blending Opportunities in Existing Gas Pipelines
- Natural Gas Liquids Study
- Gas Capture at 94%

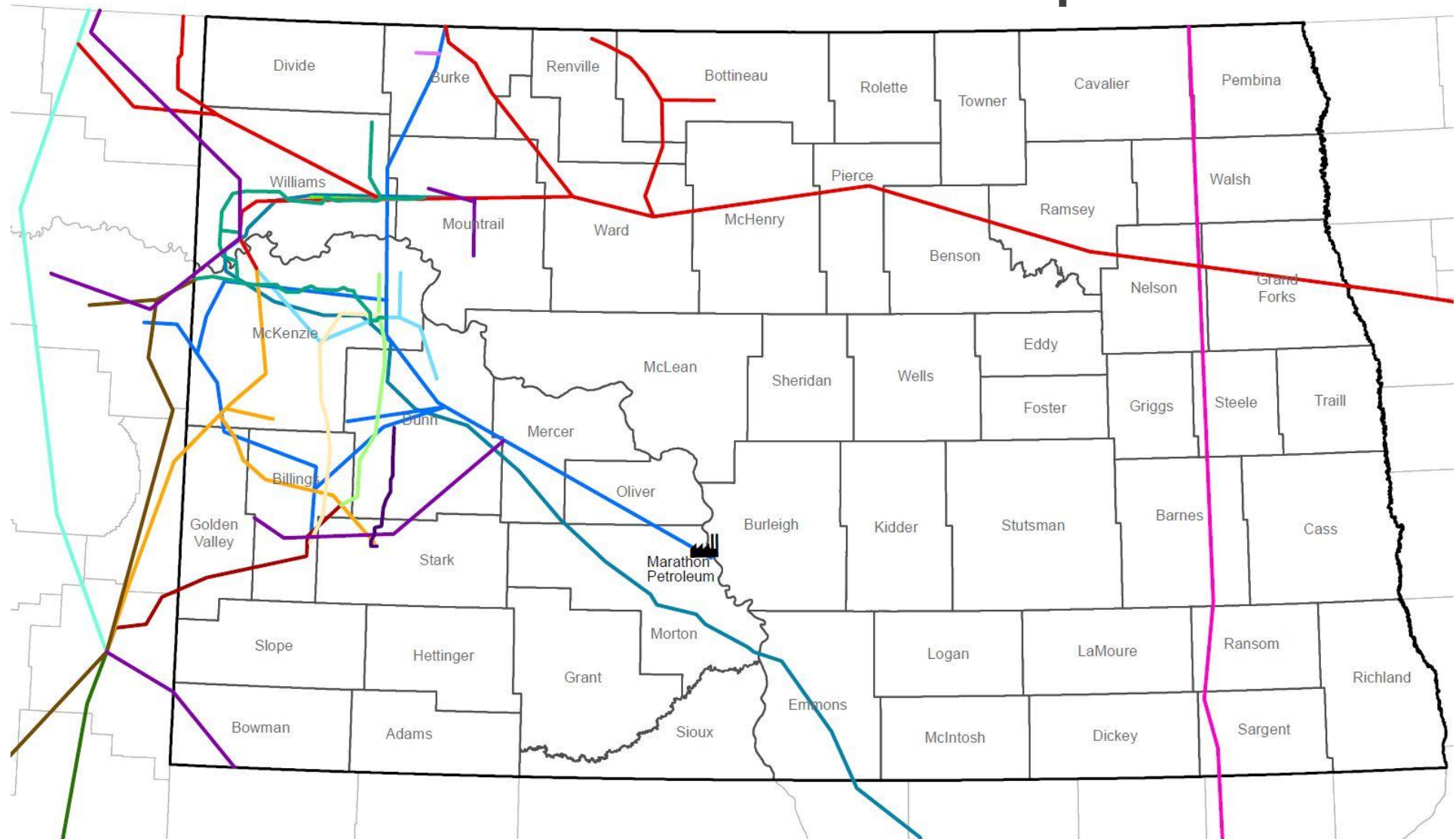


# North Dakota Drilling Activity History





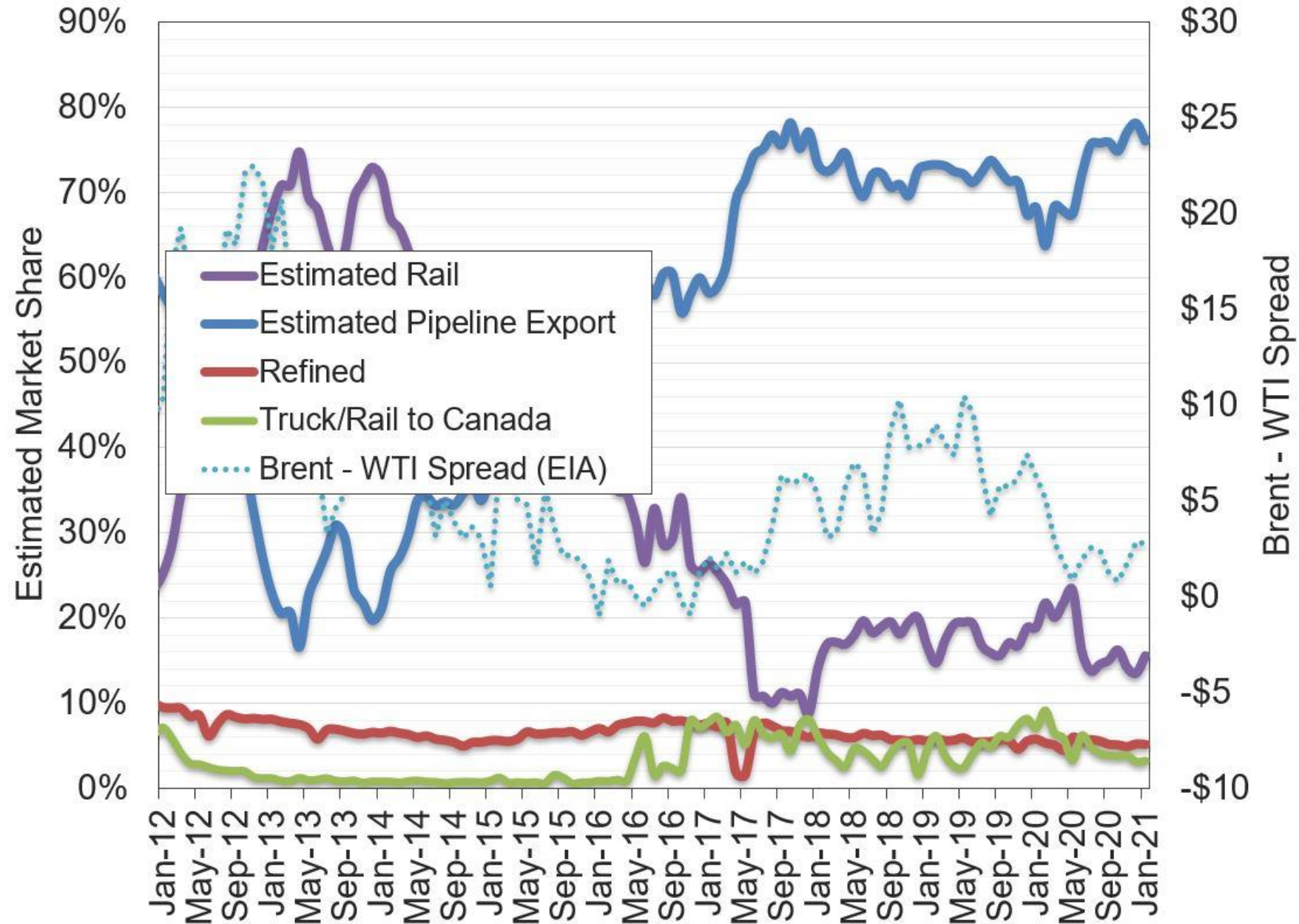
# North Dakota Oil Transmission Pipelines



- |                    |                 |               |            |                   |          |
|--------------------|-----------------|---------------|------------|-------------------|----------|
| Refinery           | Basin Transload | Butte         | Double H   | Hiland            | Bridger  |
| Bakken Oil Express | Belle Fourche   | Crestwood     | Enbridge   | Keystone Pipeline | Targa    |
| BakkenLink         | Bridger         | Dakota Access | Four Bears | Little Missouri   | Marathon |



# Estimated Williston Basin Oil Transportation

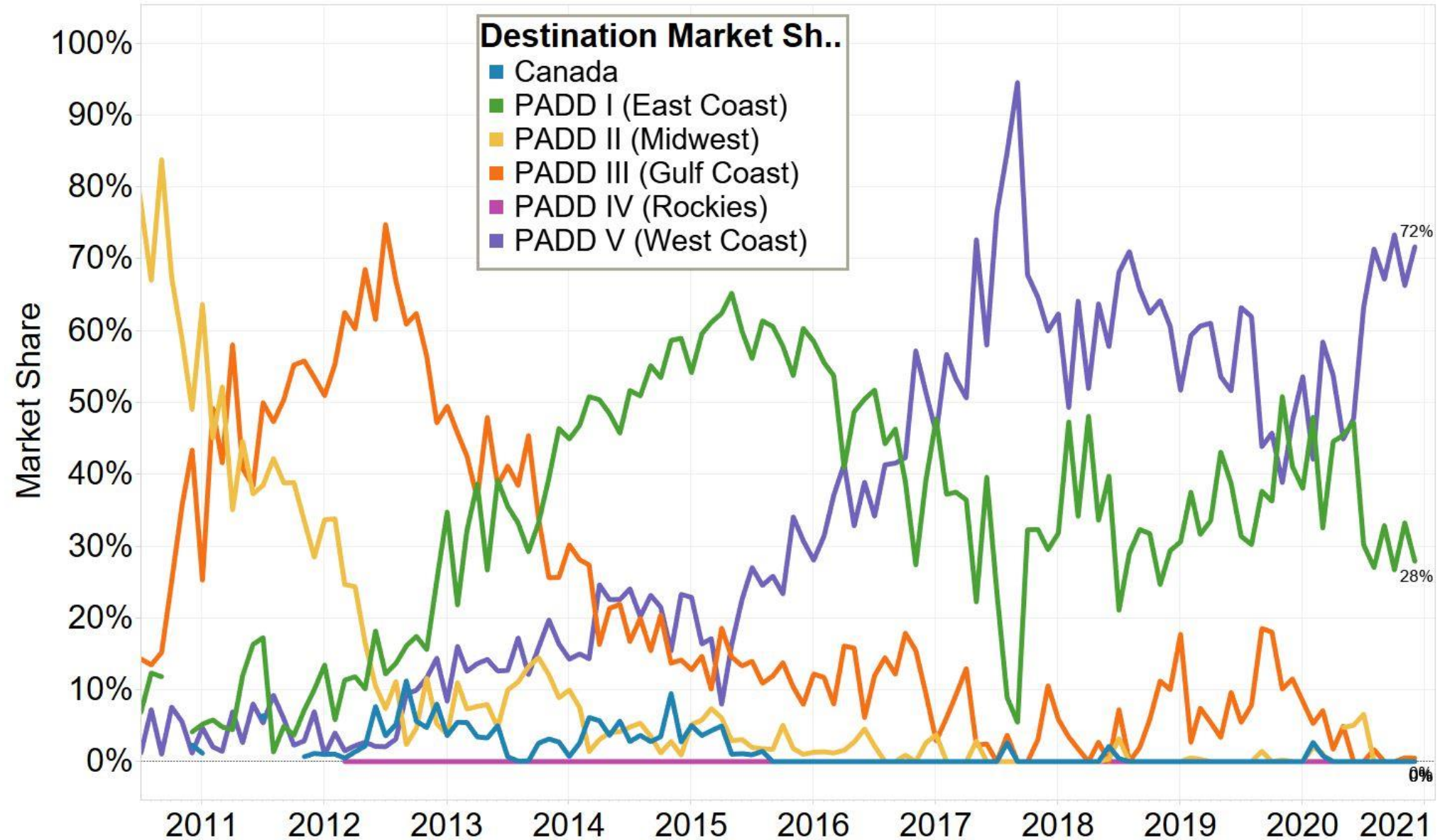


# Estimated ND Rail Export Volumes





# Rail Destinations Market Share (Dec 2020)

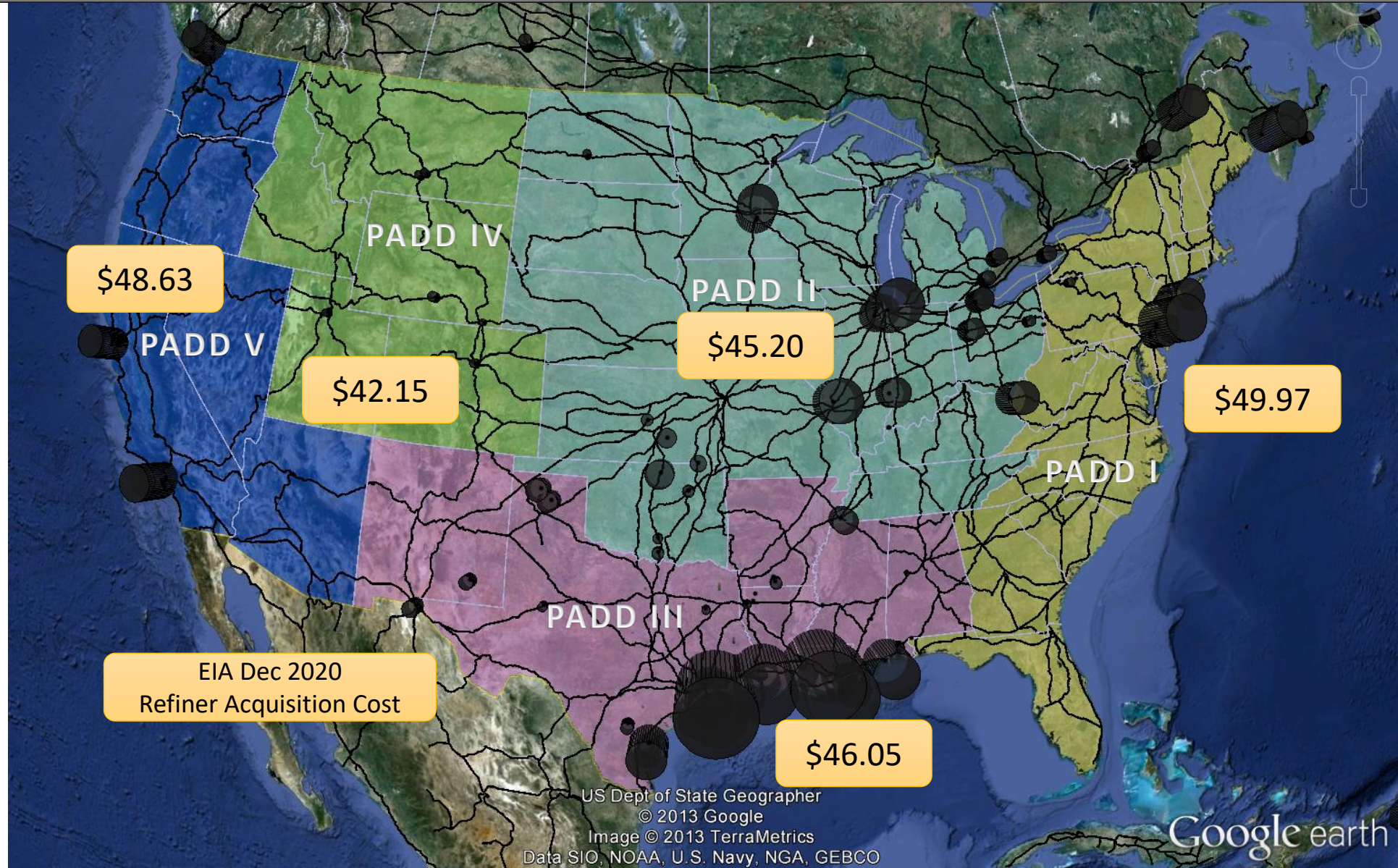


Data for Rail Destination Market Share Provided by the US Energy Information Administration



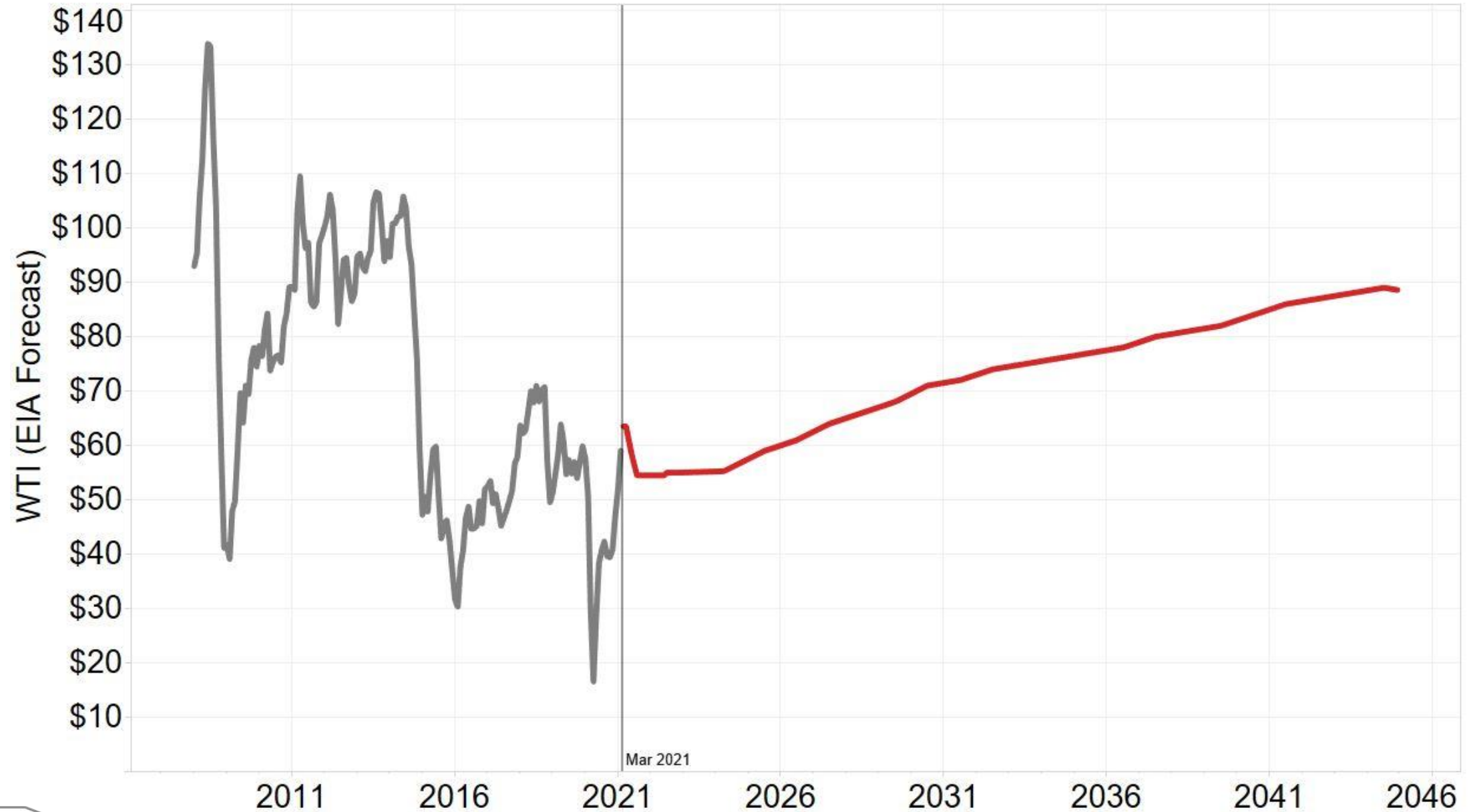


# Major Rail Lines and Refineries

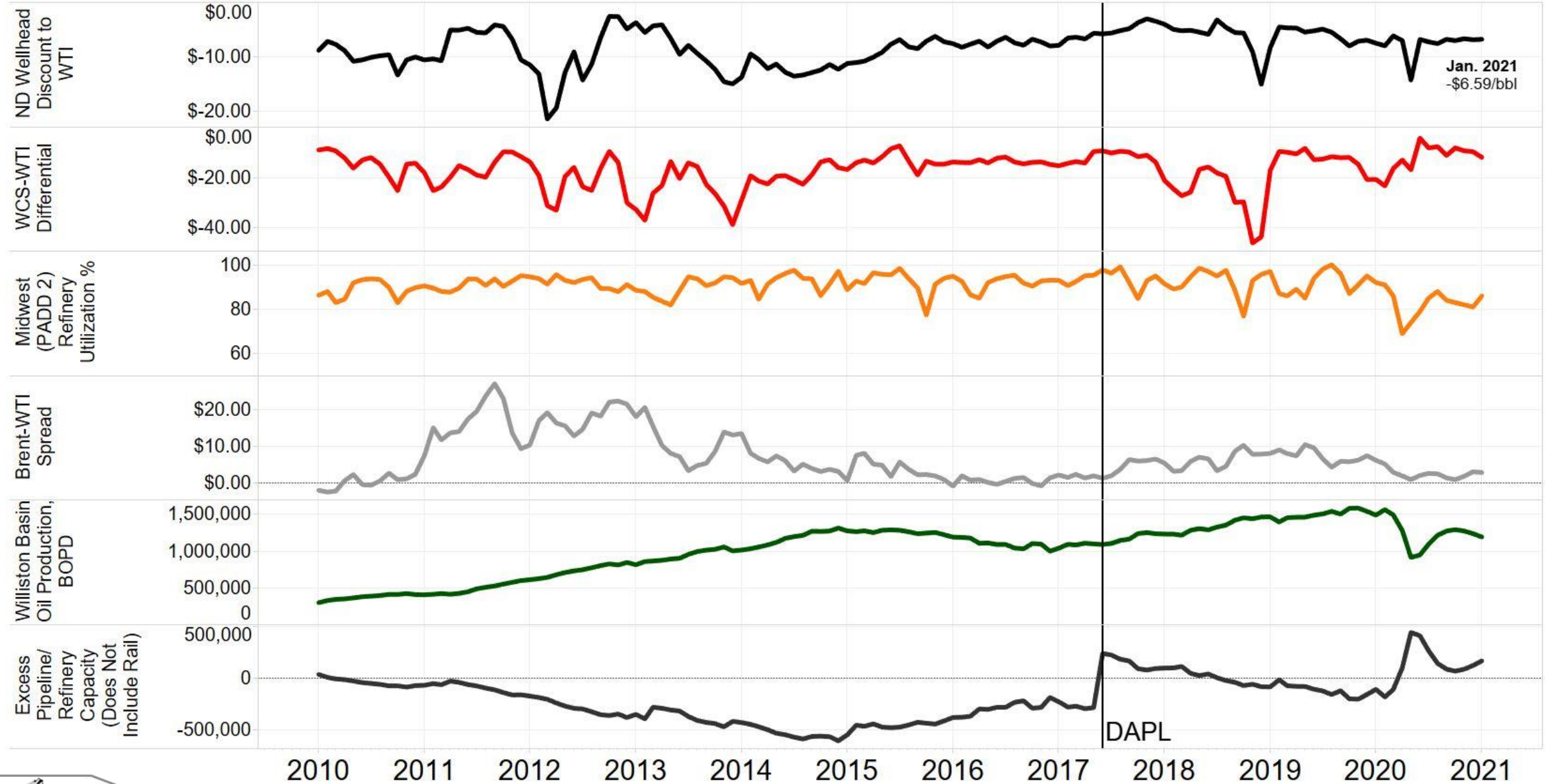




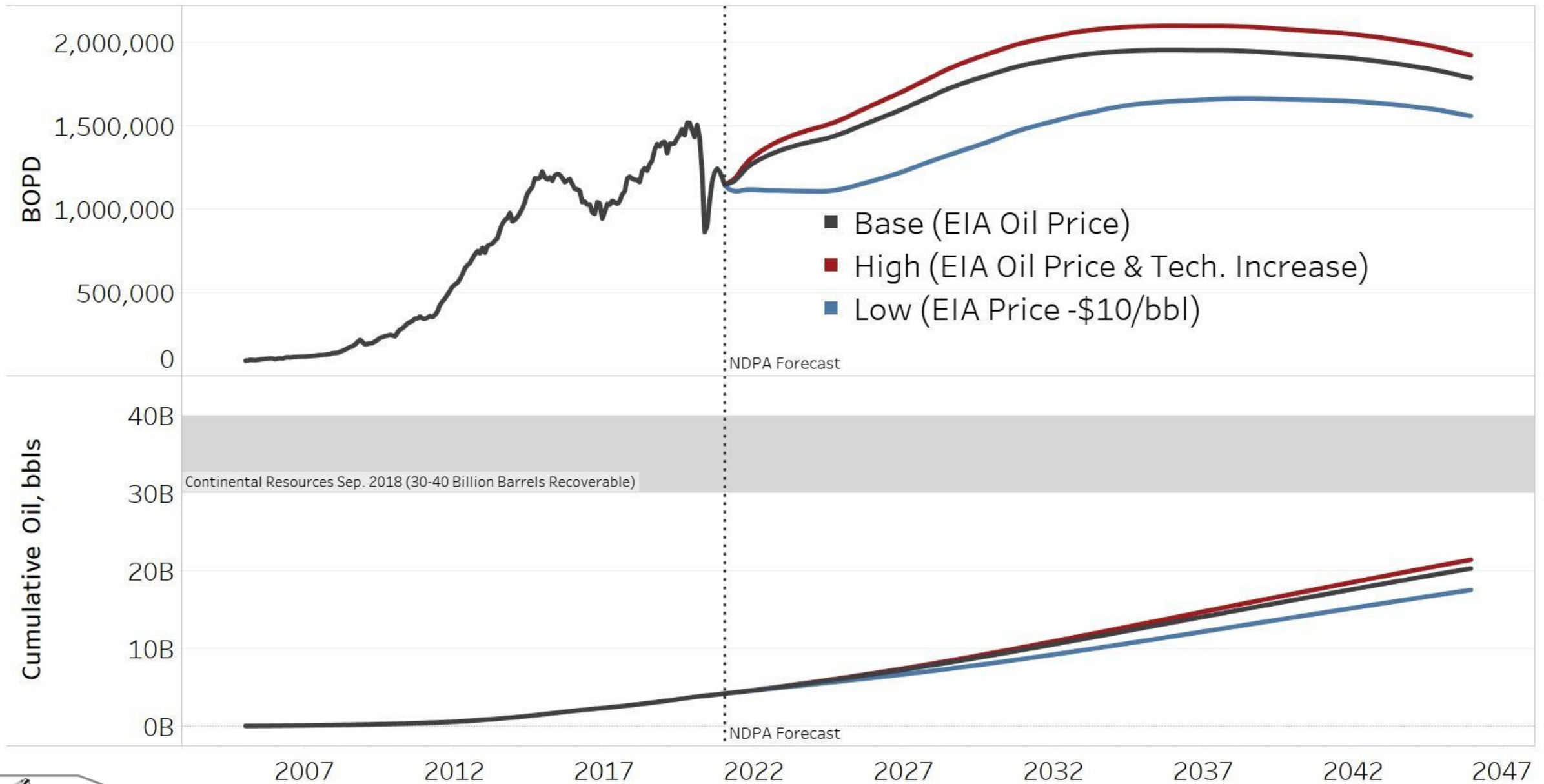
# EIA Oil Price Outlook



# North Dakota Oil Pricing



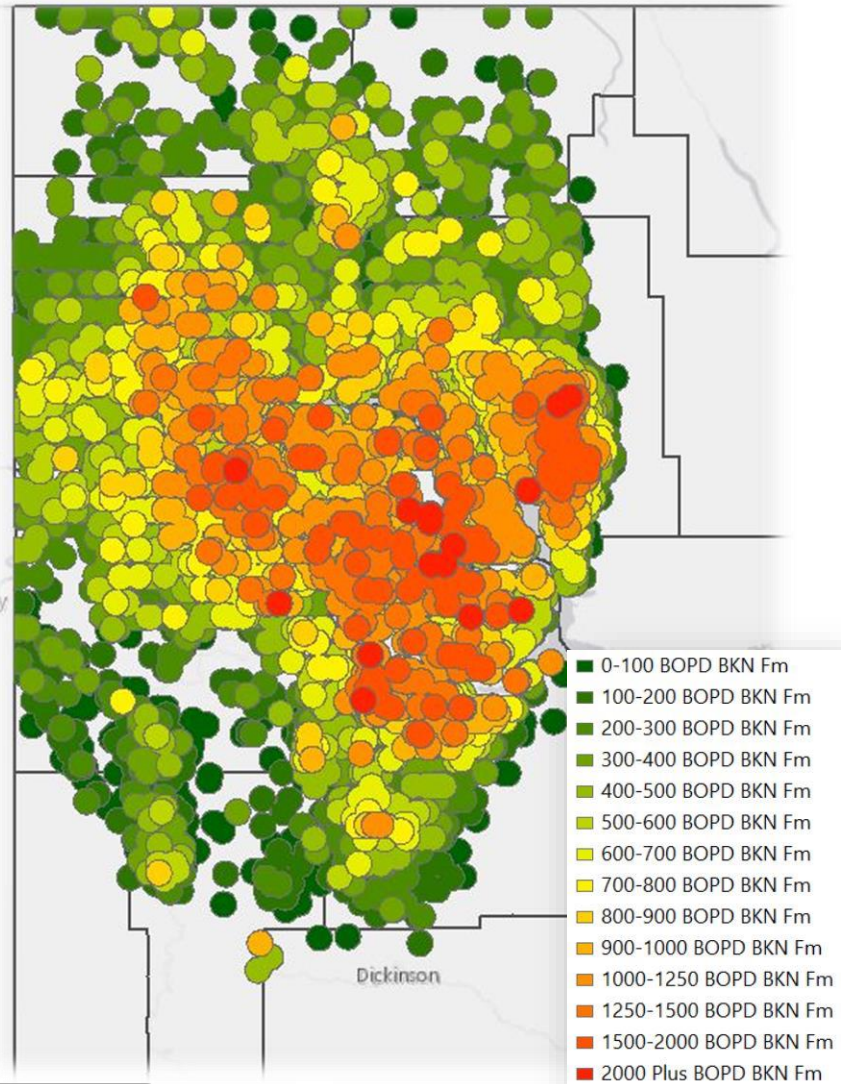
# ND Oil Production: EIA Price Deck



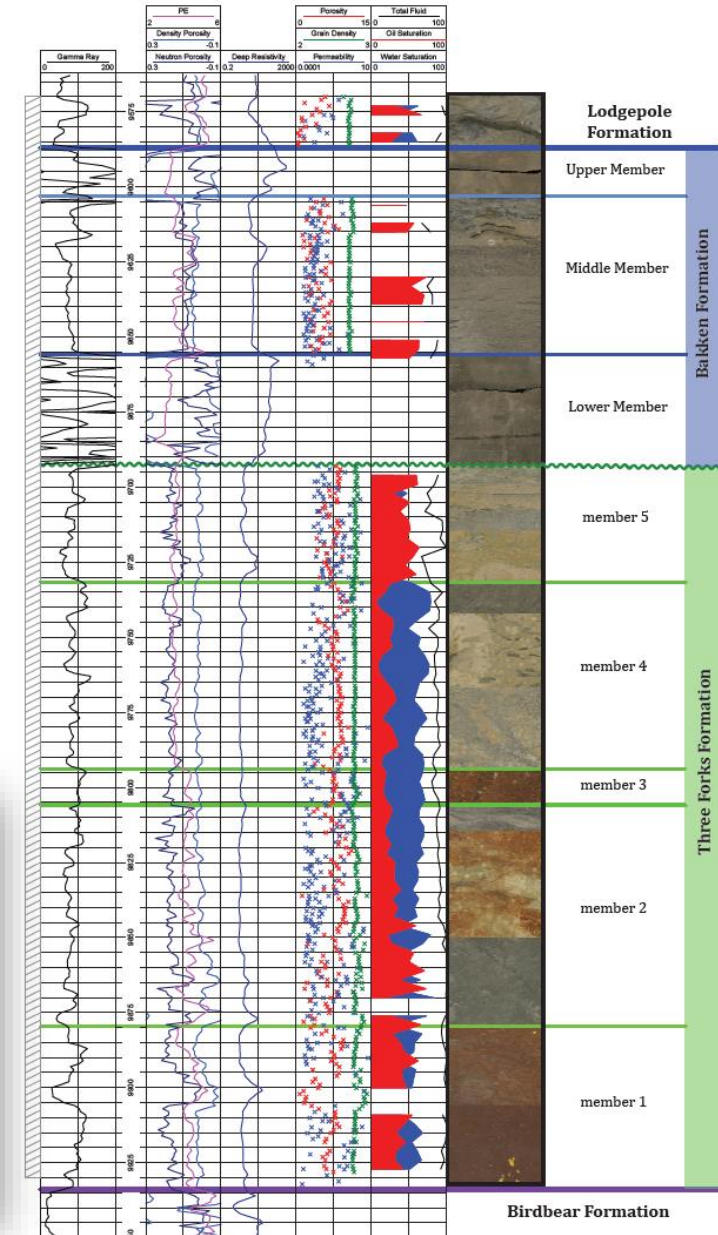
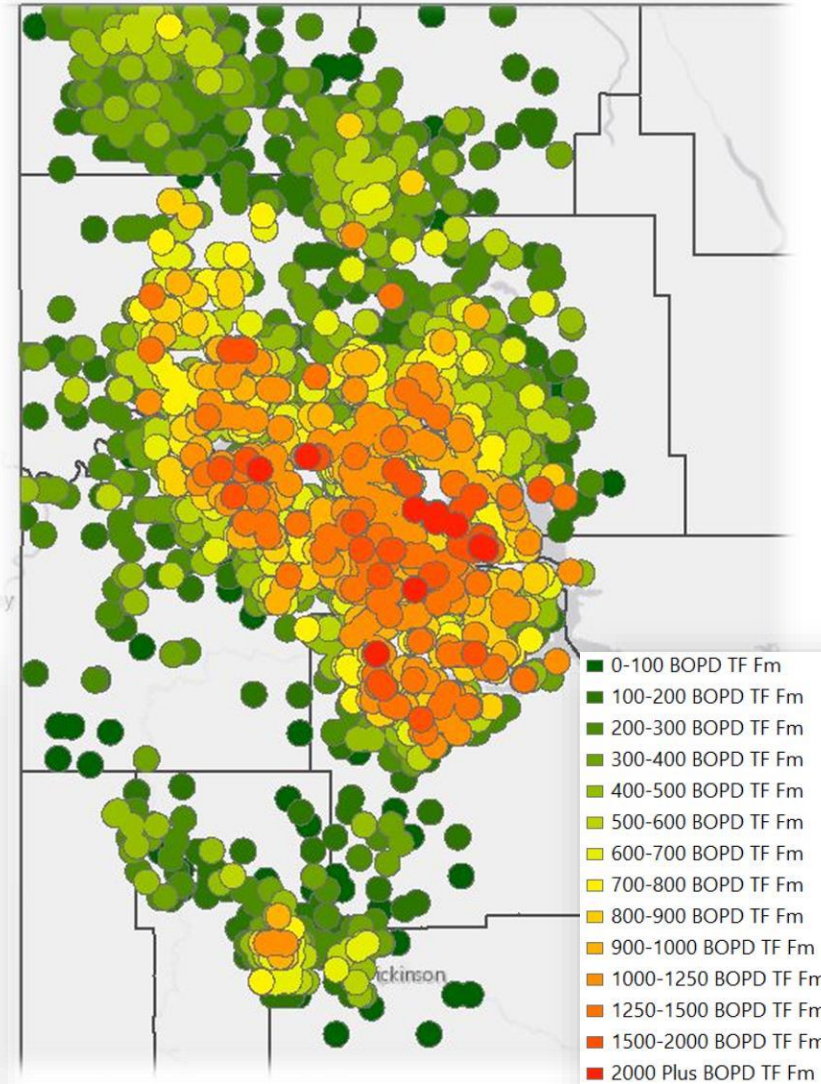


# Bakken & Three Forks Formations

Bakken Formation

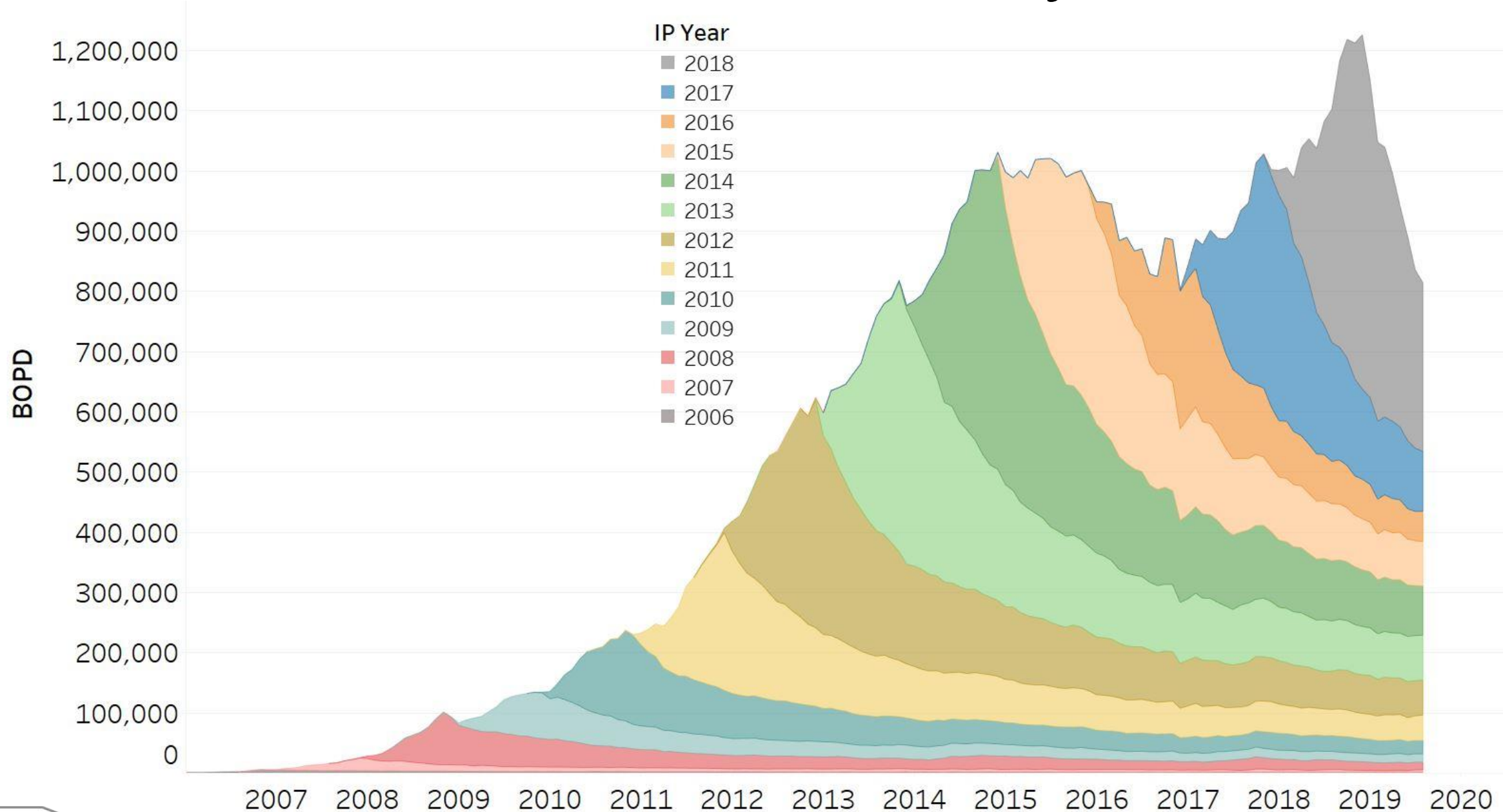


Three Forks Formation



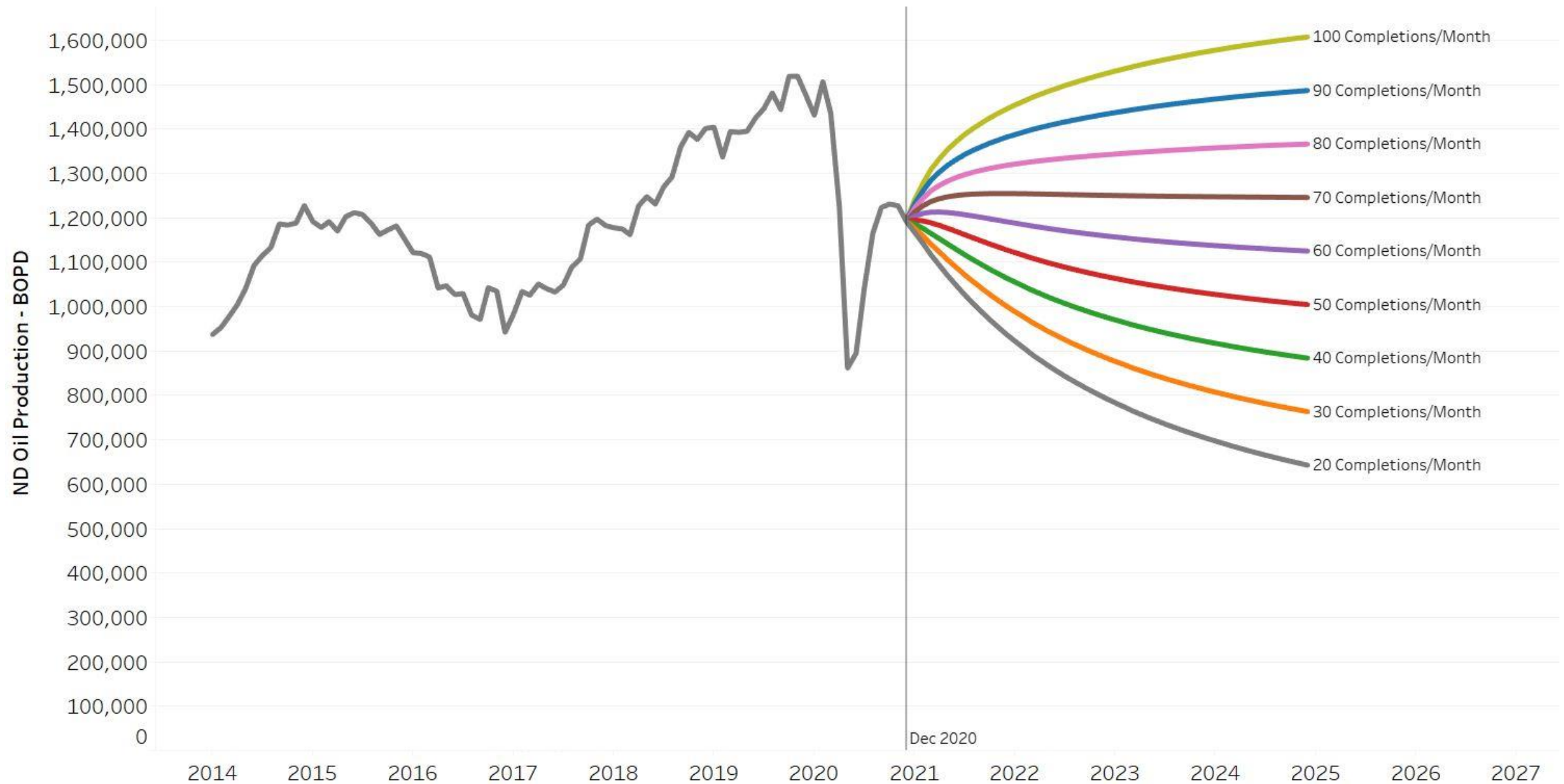


# Bakken Oil Production by IP Year

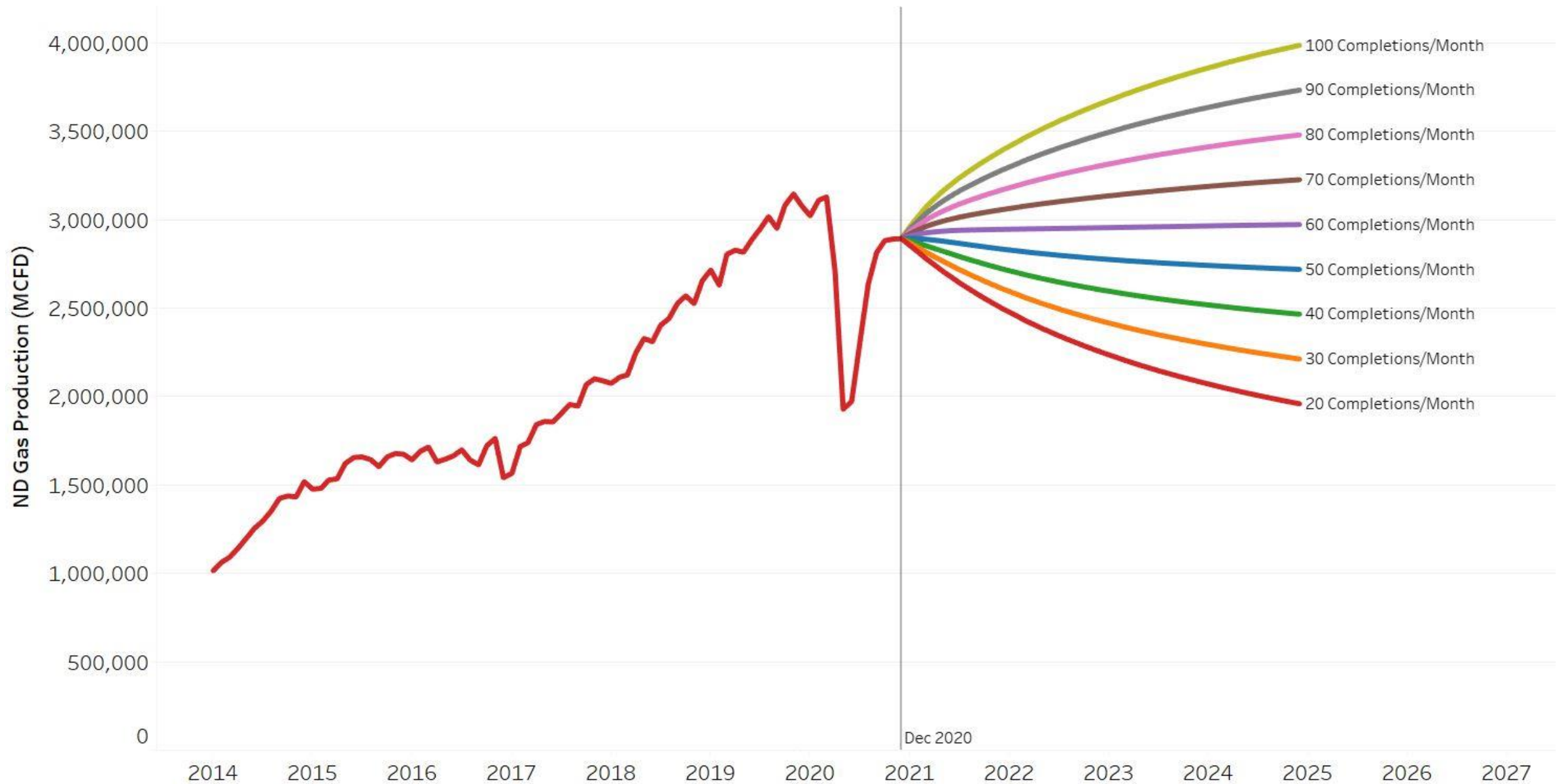




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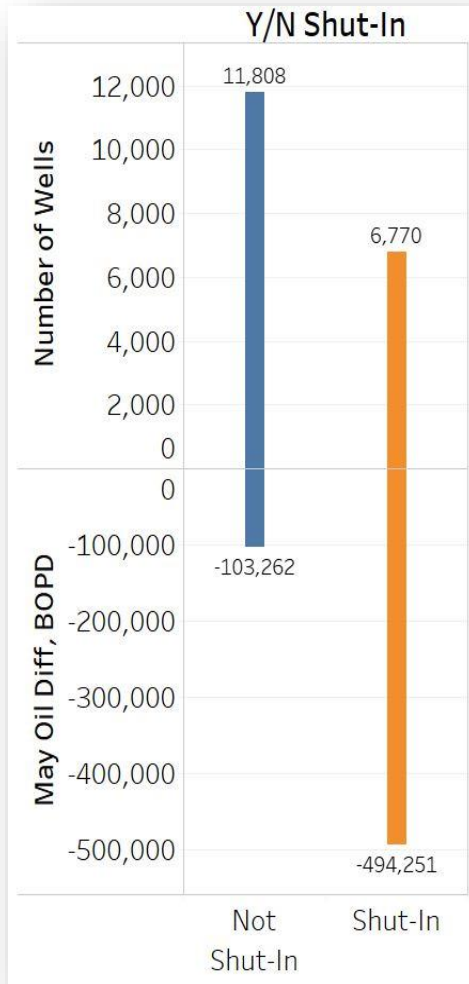


# Monthly Completion Scenarios - Gas

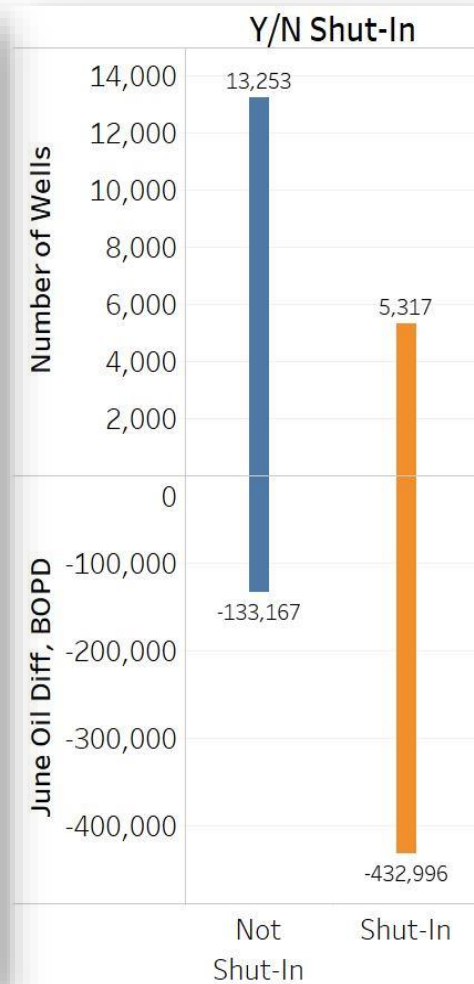


# May to September Shut-In Comparison

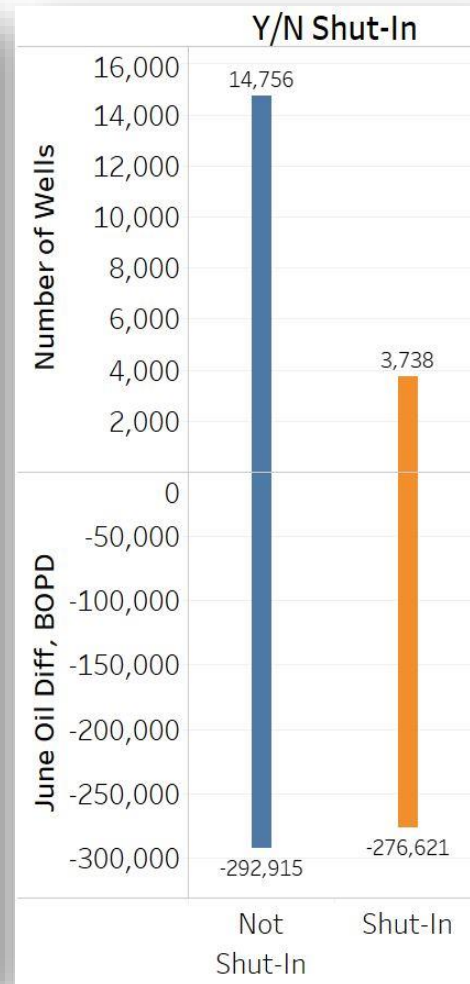
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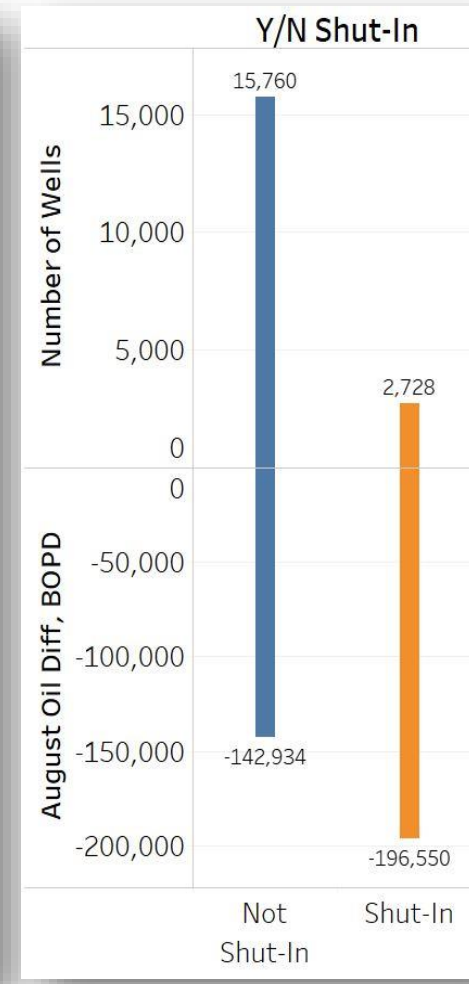
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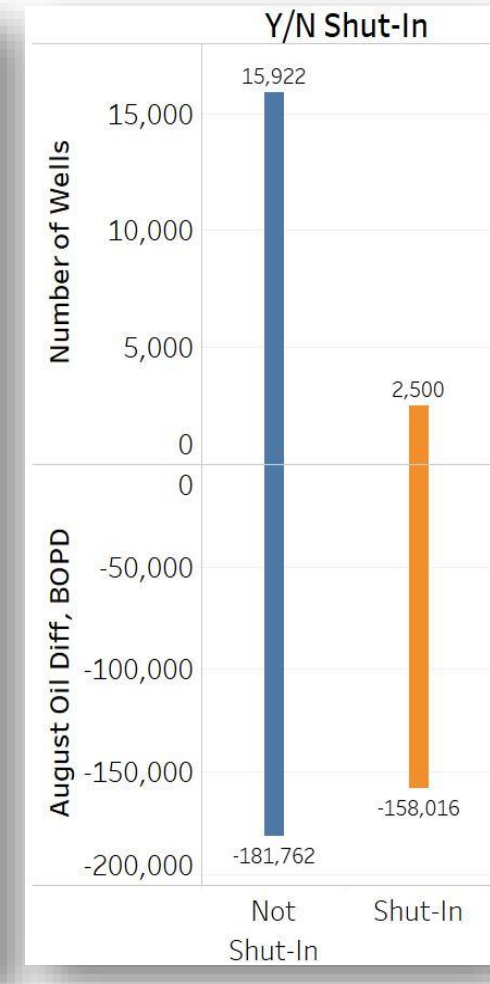
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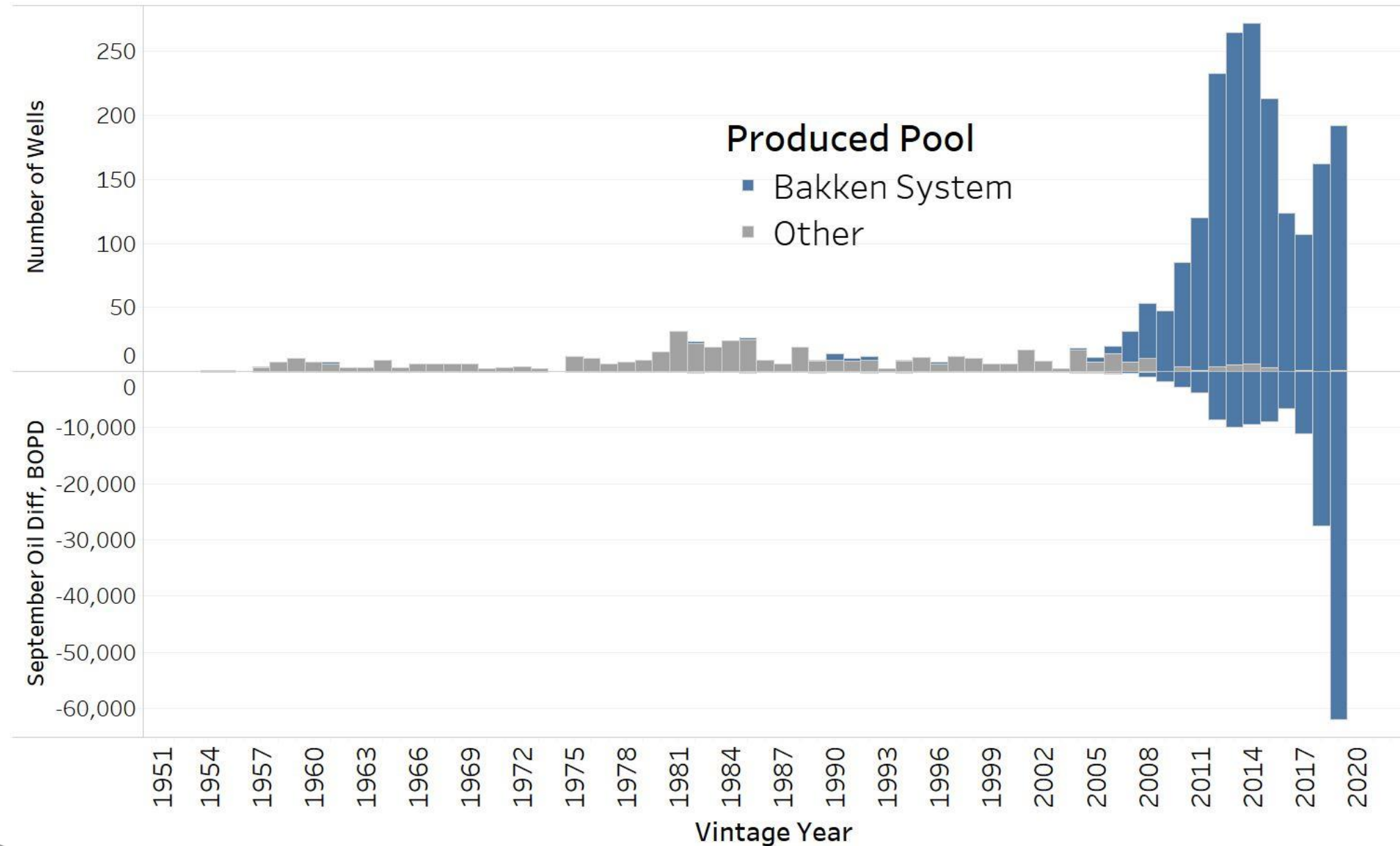
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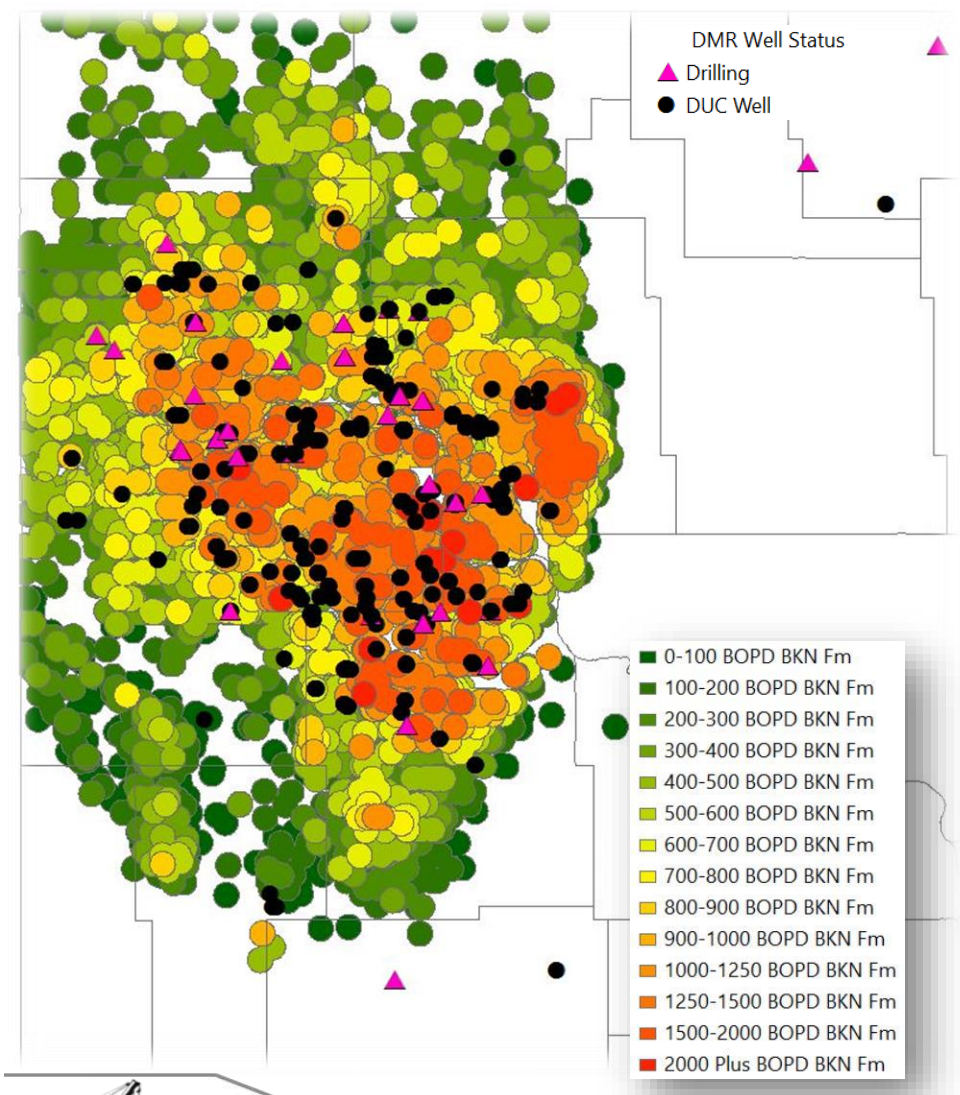
# Vintage Year of Shut-In Wells – September 2020



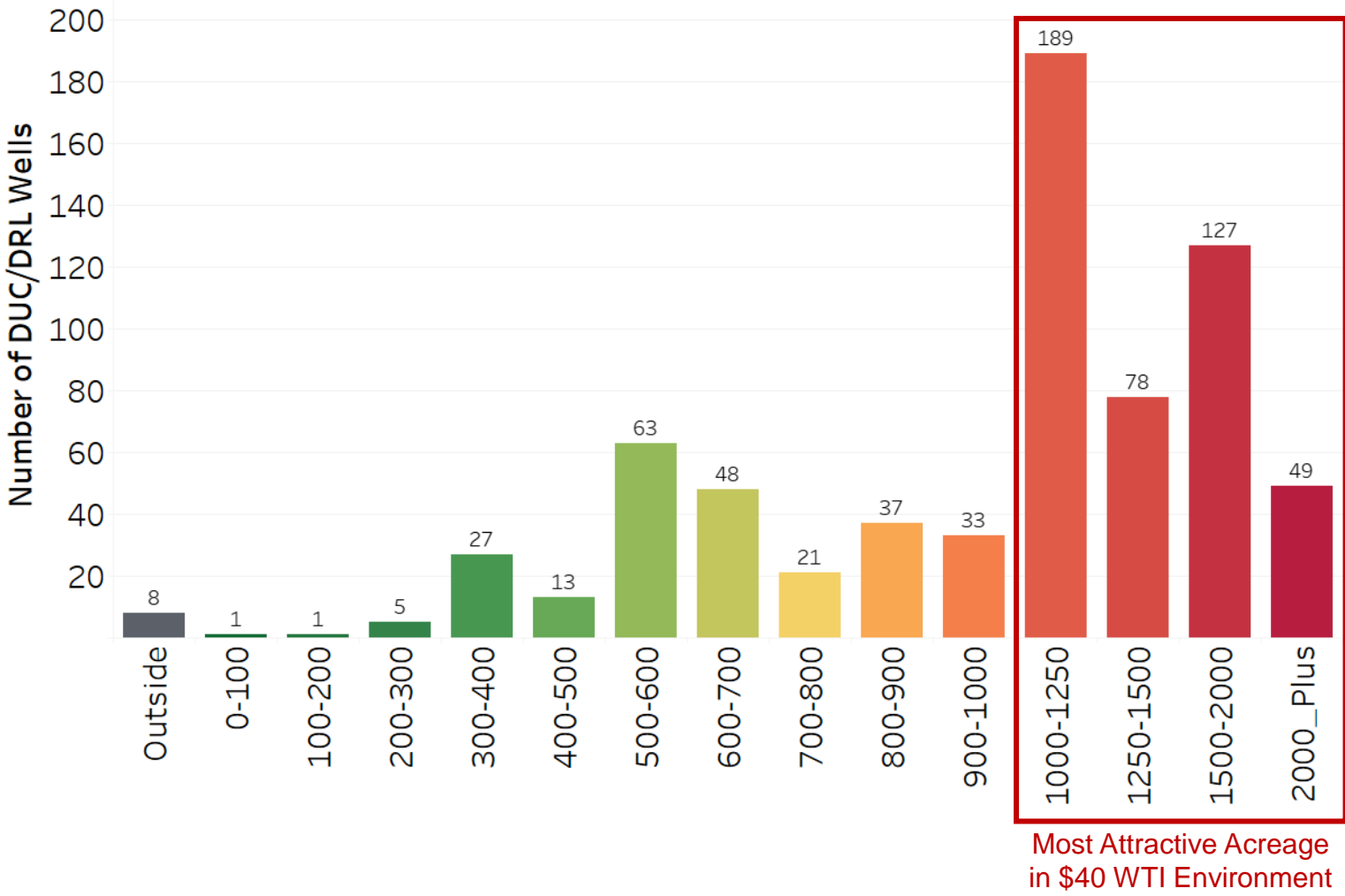


# North Dakota Wells Waiting on Completion – October 2020

Bakken Formation

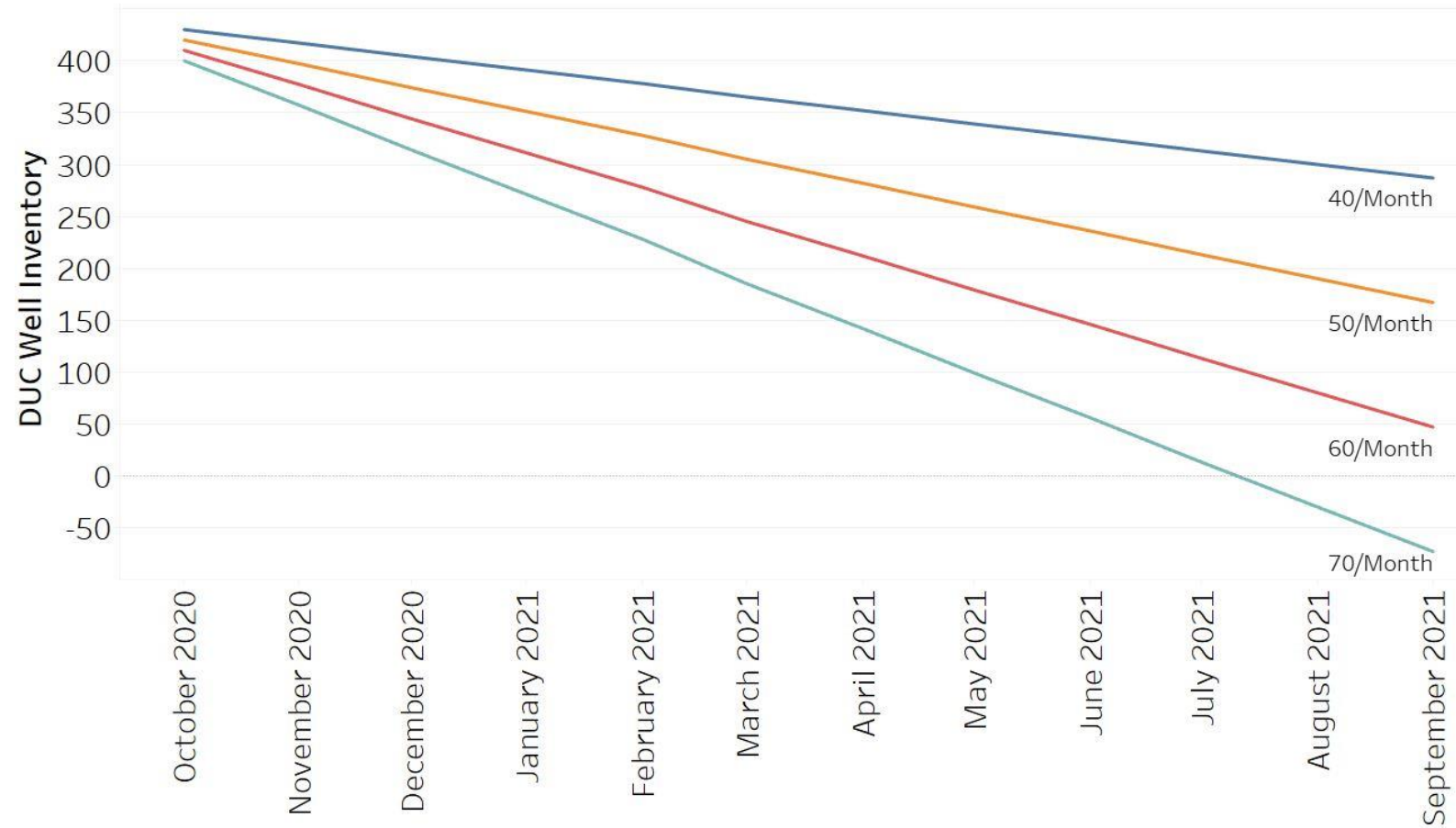


Bakken Geographic Production Zone (First Month BOPD)

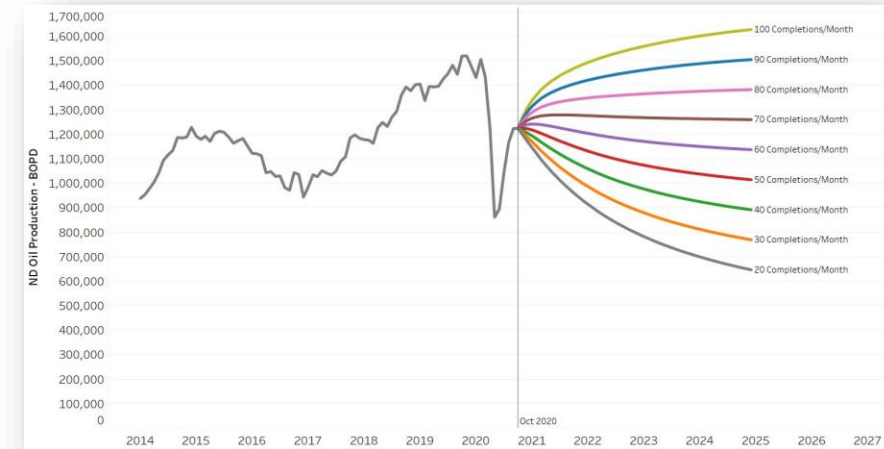
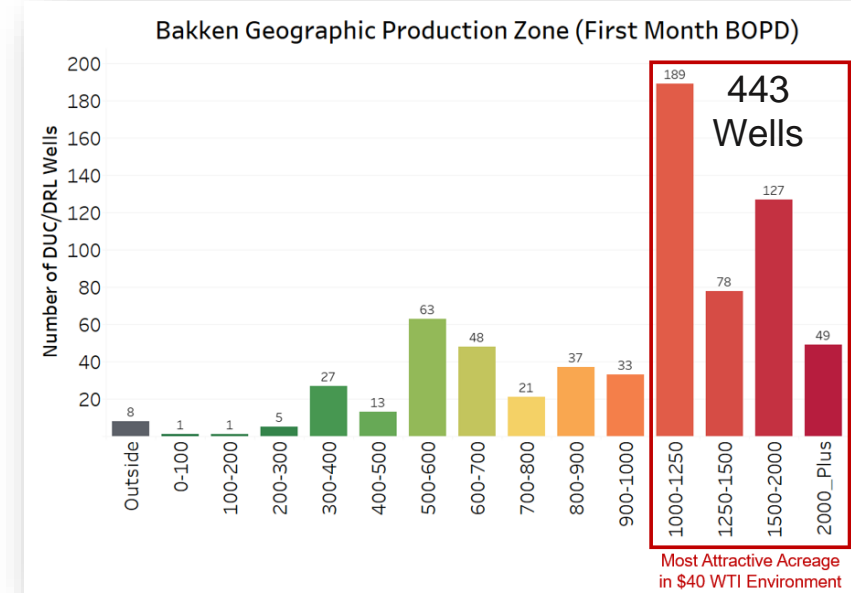




# Completion Scenarios & DUC Inventory\*

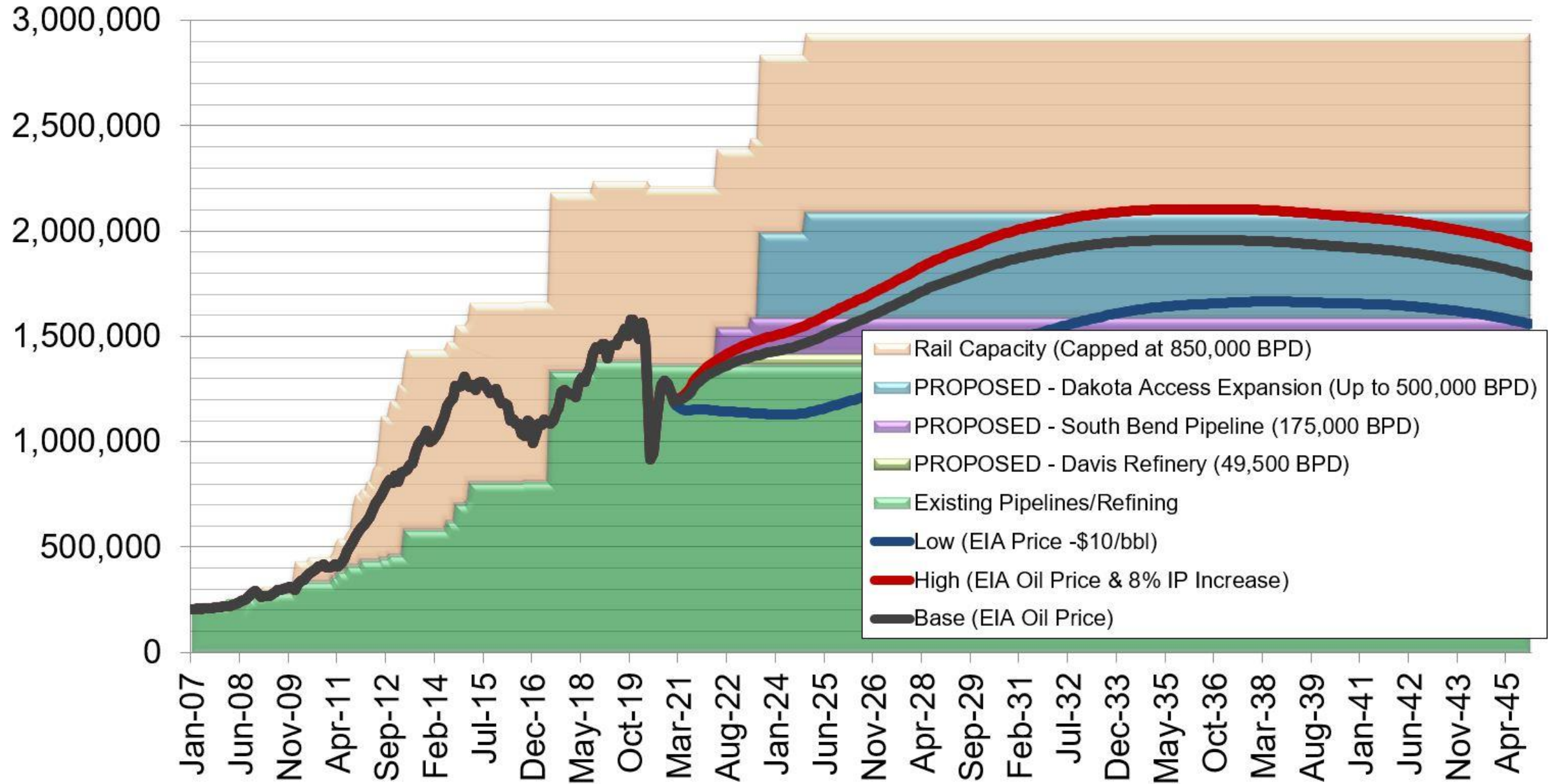


\*Assumes 15 Rigs @ 1.8 New Wells Per Month

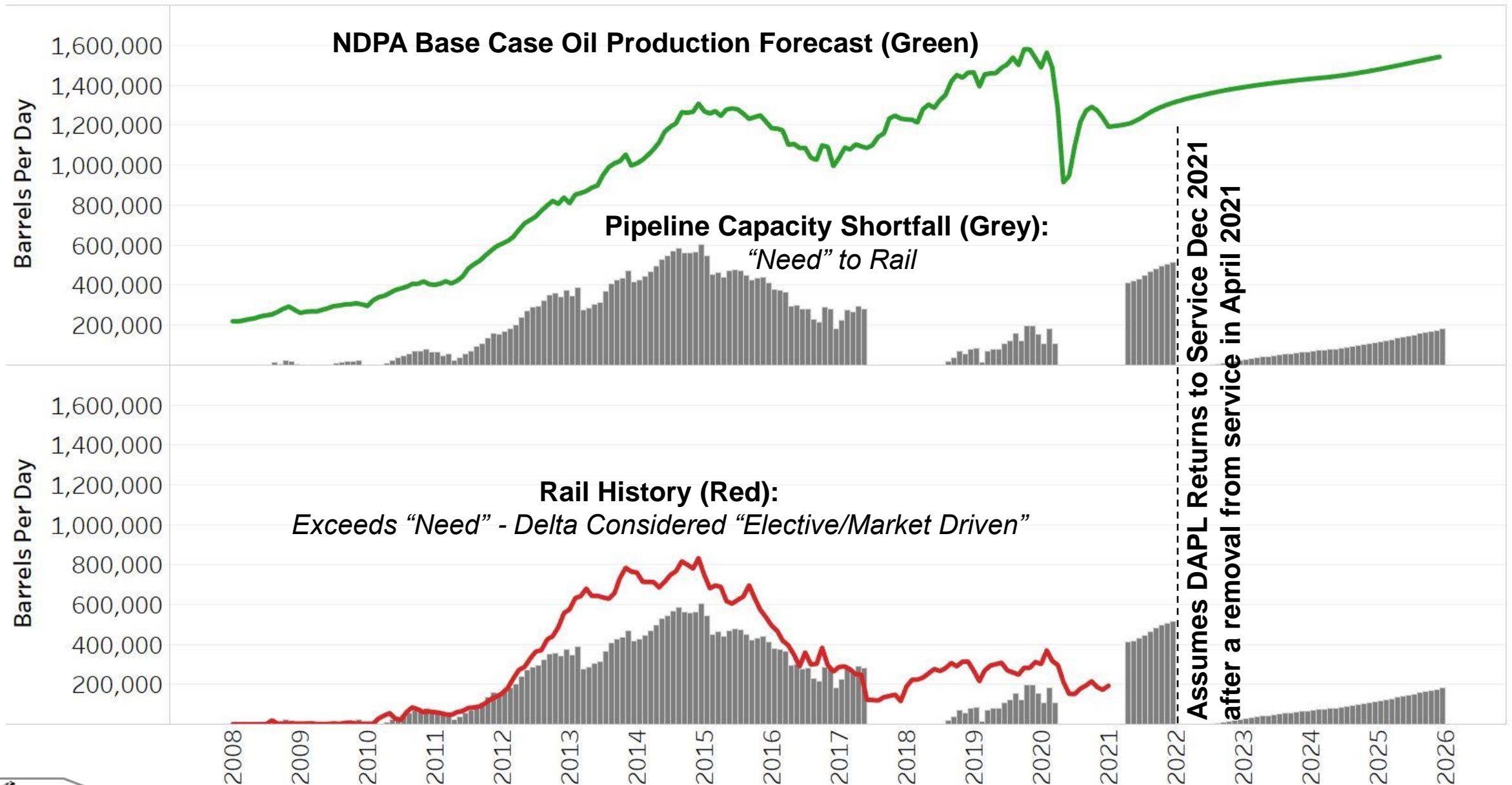


# Williston Basin Oil Production & Export Capacity, BOPD

Barrels Per Day



# Rail Transport Outlook if DAPL is Shutdown



# Snapshot from DAPL Tariff

**DAKOTA ACCESS, LLC**  
**JOINT PIPELINE TARIFF**  
 In Connection With  
**Energy Transfer Crude Oil Company, LLC**

Applying On  
**CRUDE PETROLEUM**  
**FROM POINTS IN NORTH DAKOTA**  
**TO POINTS IN TEXAS AND TENNESSEE**

**TABLE OF RATES**  
 ALL Rates in dollars per barrel of 42 US gallons

| UNCOMMITTED RATES FOR BAKKEN CRUDE PETROLEUM                   |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| From   | To<br>Nederland, Jefferson County, Texas<br>(SXL Nederland Terminal or P66<br>Nederland Terminal) | To<br>Collierville, Tennessee<br>(Valero Terminal) |
| An Origin Point that<br>is an Eligible Bakken<br>Origin Point* | \$8.3492  | \$8.3492   |

**Committed Rates for Bakken Crude Petroleum from a Committed Shipper’s Selected  
 Origin Point(s) that is an Eligible Bakken Origin Point\* to Destination Point of  
 NEDERLAND, Texas – SXL Nederland Terminal**

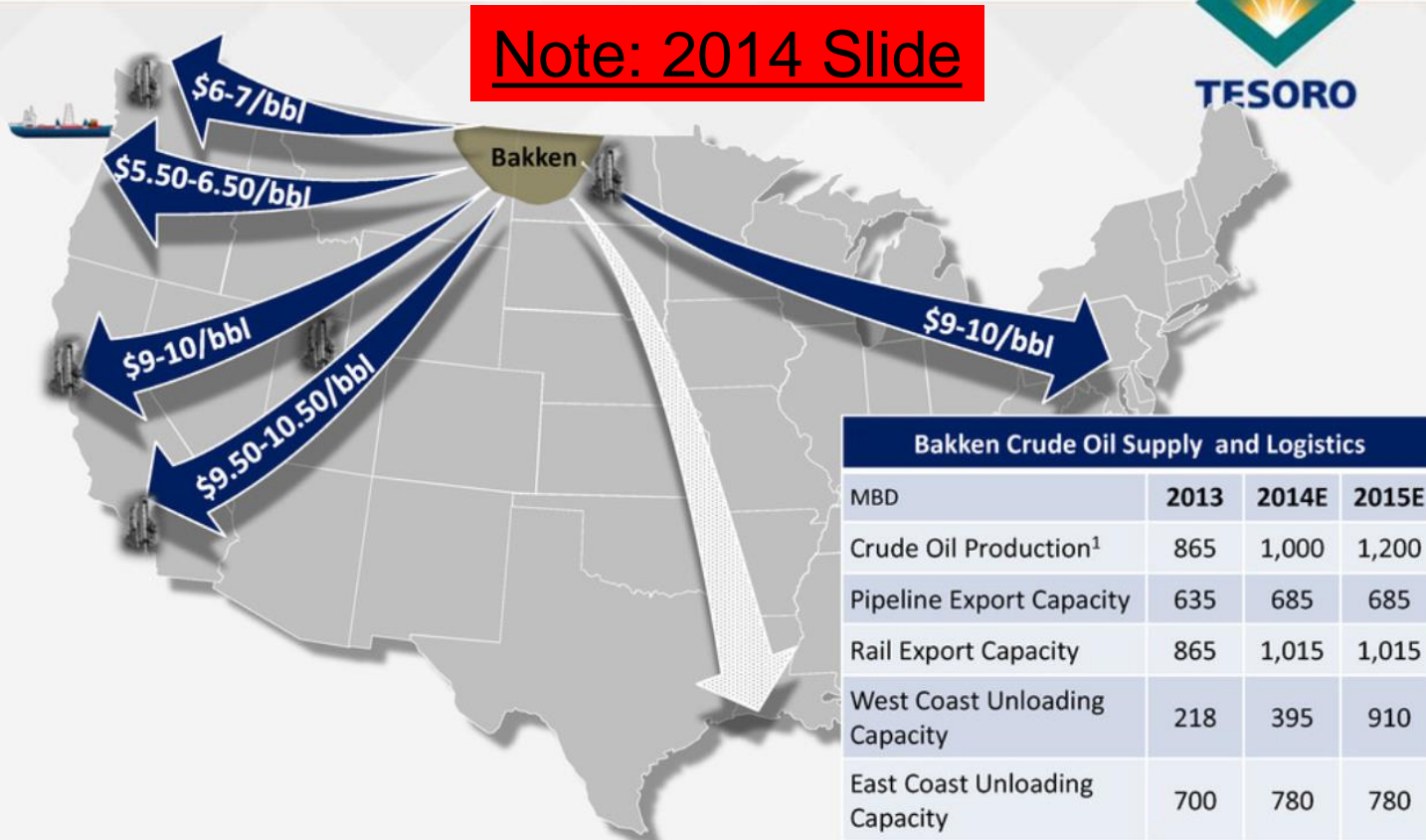
| Volume<br>Commitment<br>(bpd)^ | Term       |            |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|
|                                | 7 Years    | 10 Years   |
| 3,500 –<br>29,999              | \$7.0358** | \$6.7652** |
| 30,000 –<br>49,999             | \$6.7652** | \$6.4946** |
| 50,000 –<br>69,999             | \$6.4946** | \$6.2240** |
| 70,000 –<br>89,999             | \$6.4946** | \$6.0616** |
| 90,000+                        | \$6.0616** | \$5.9534** |



# Look at Key Rail Rates

## Rail Costs to Clear Bakken

**Note: 2014 Slide**



| Bakken Crude Oil Supply and Logistics |      |       |       |
|---------------------------------------|------|-------|-------|
| MBD                                   | 2013 | 2014E | 2015E |
| Crude Oil Production <sup>1</sup>     | 865  | 1,000 | 1,200 |
| Pipeline Export Capacity              | 635  | 685   | 685   |
| Rail Export Capacity                  | 865  | 1,015 | 1,015 |
| West Coast Unloading Capacity         | 218  | 395   | 910   |
| East Coast Unloading Capacity         | 700  | 780   | 780   |

West and East Coasts clearing destinations for Bakken crude oil

Note: Rail cost estimates include only the railroad tariff.

1) Average annual crude oil production, export capacity and price discount estimates based on industry consultant and Tesoro market outlook.

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## Additional Rail Related Expense Considerations:

- Loading
- Unloading
- Car Leasing
- Unit vs Manifest
- Volume Commitments

Slide Source: SEC.GOV - 2014



# Natural Gas Update



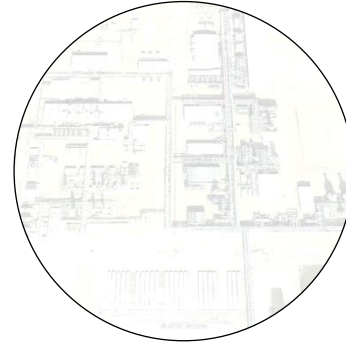
## Production

- Technology
- Markets



## Gathering

- Capacity
- Connections



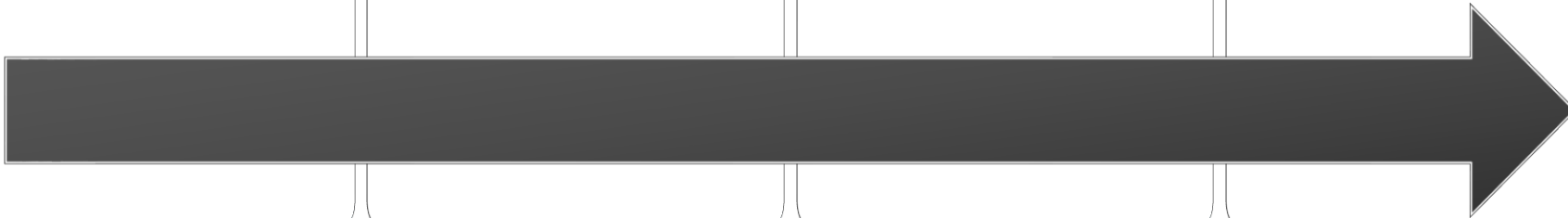
## Processing

- Capacity
- Location

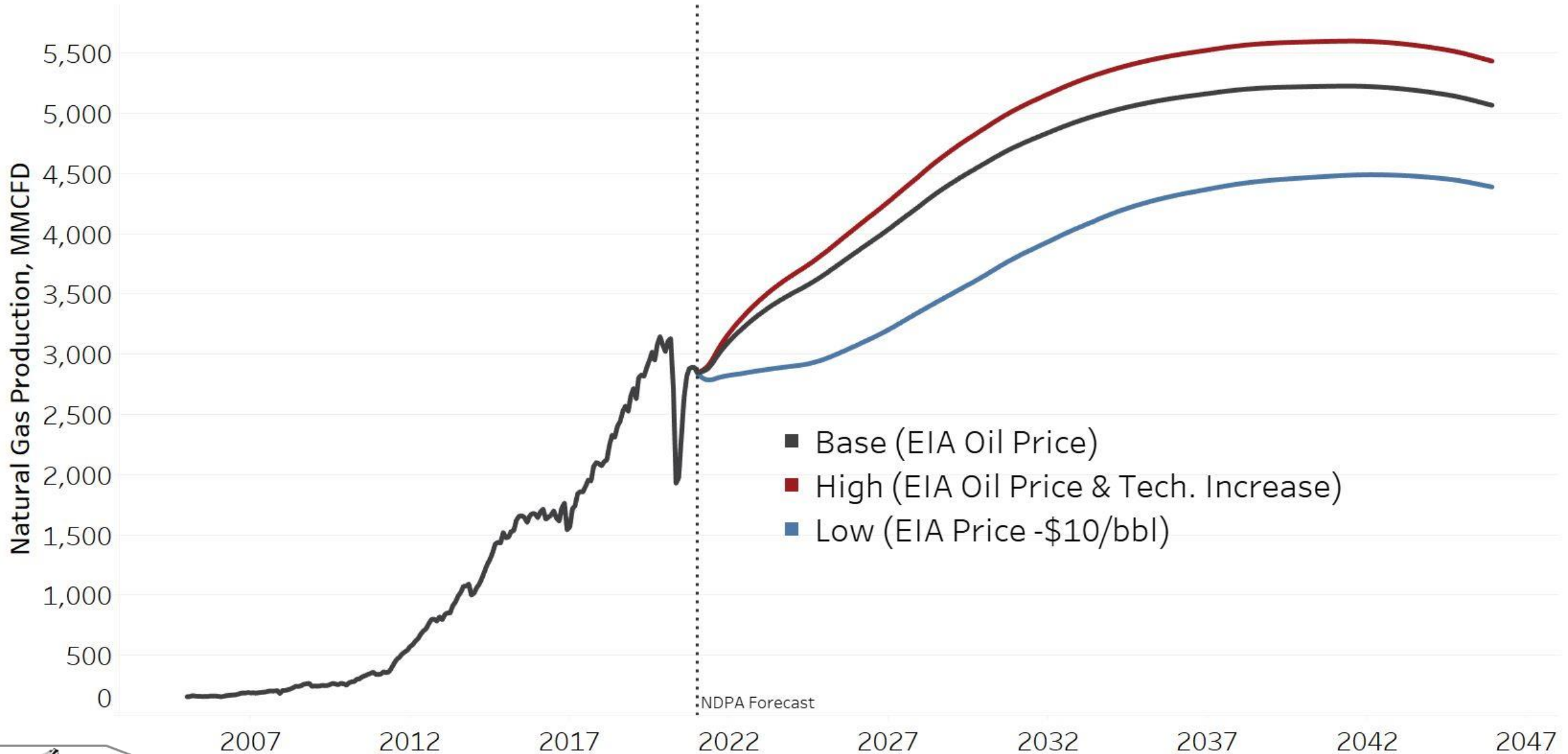


## Transmission

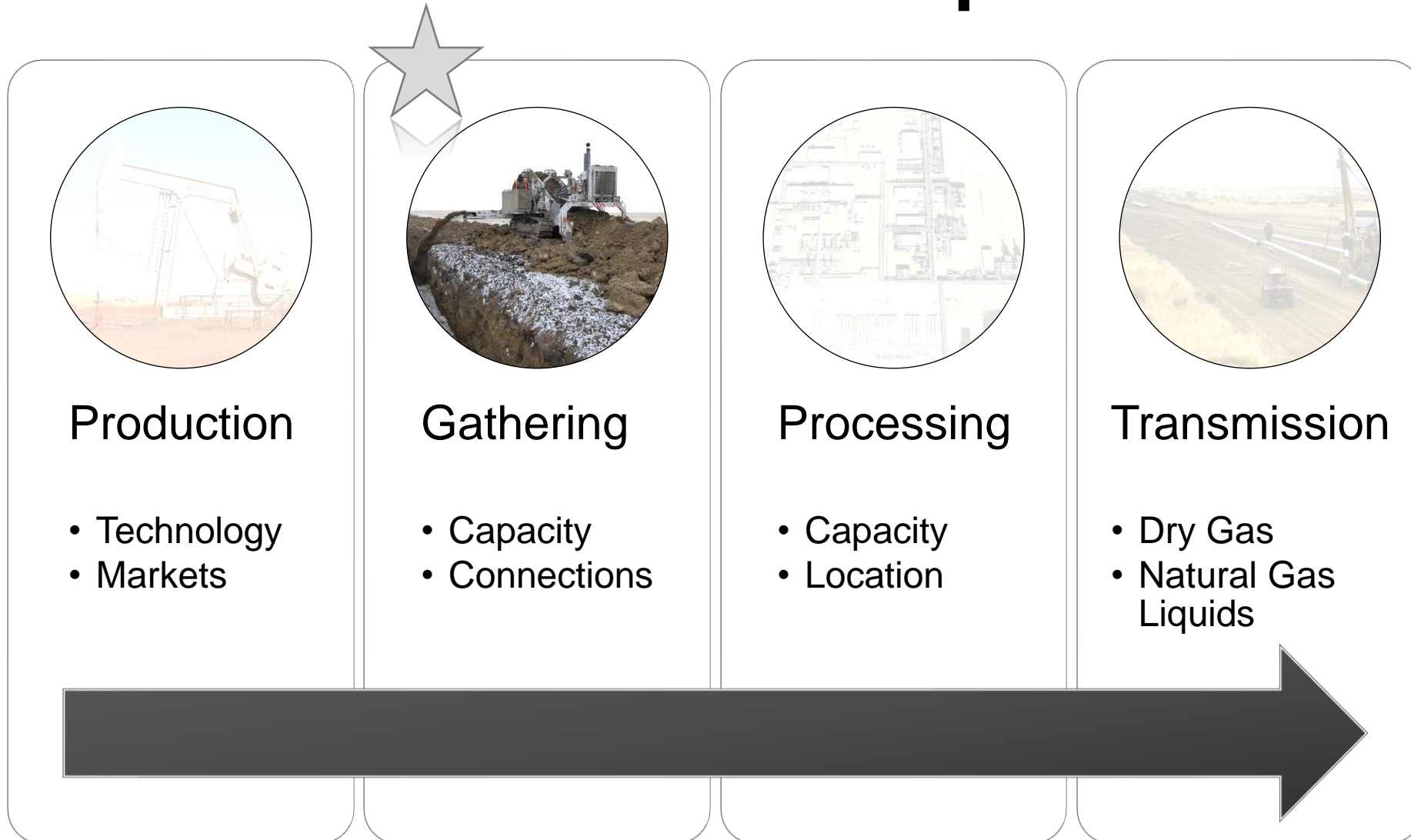
- Dry Gas
- Natural Gas Liquids



# ND Gas Production: EIA Price Deck

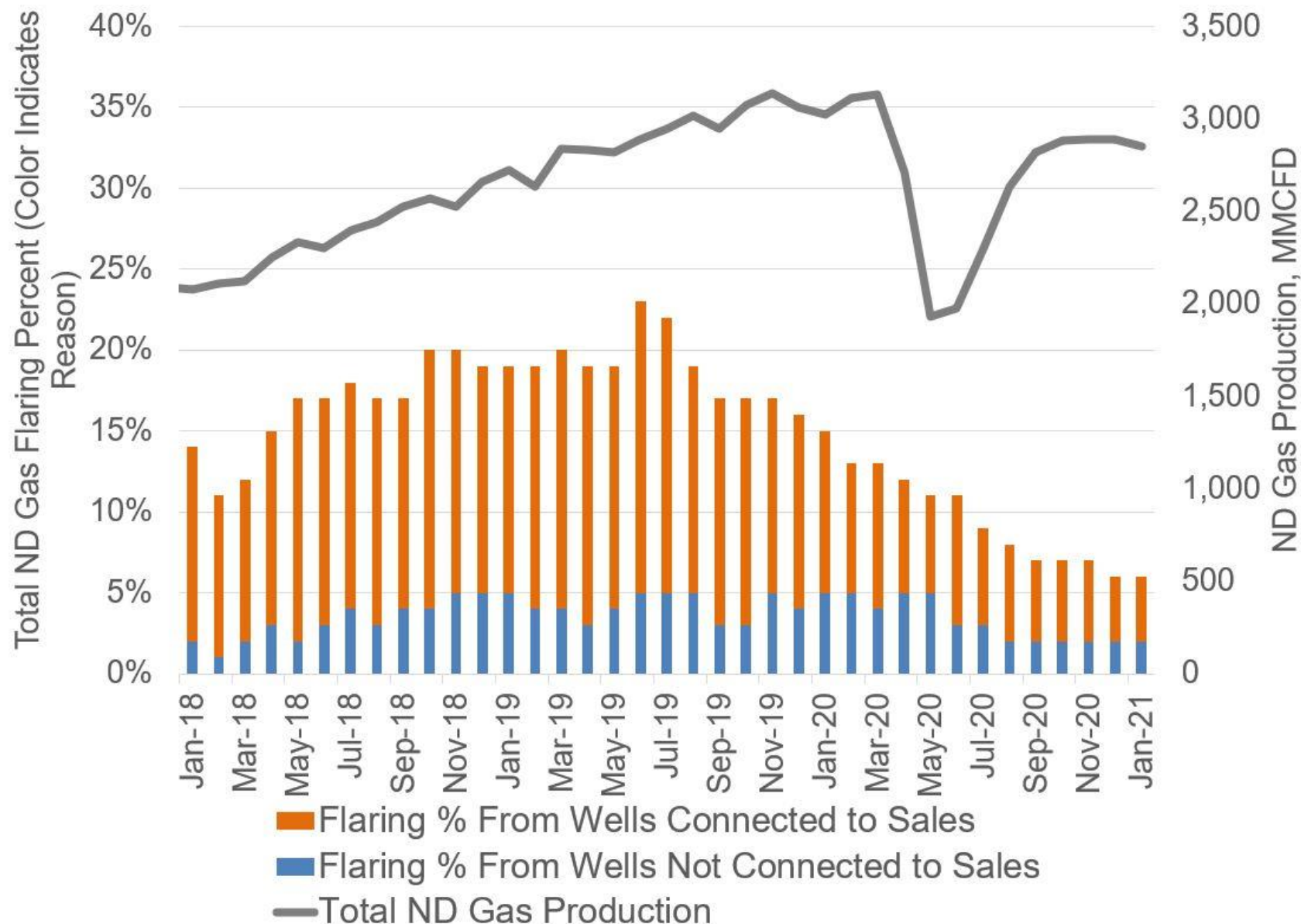


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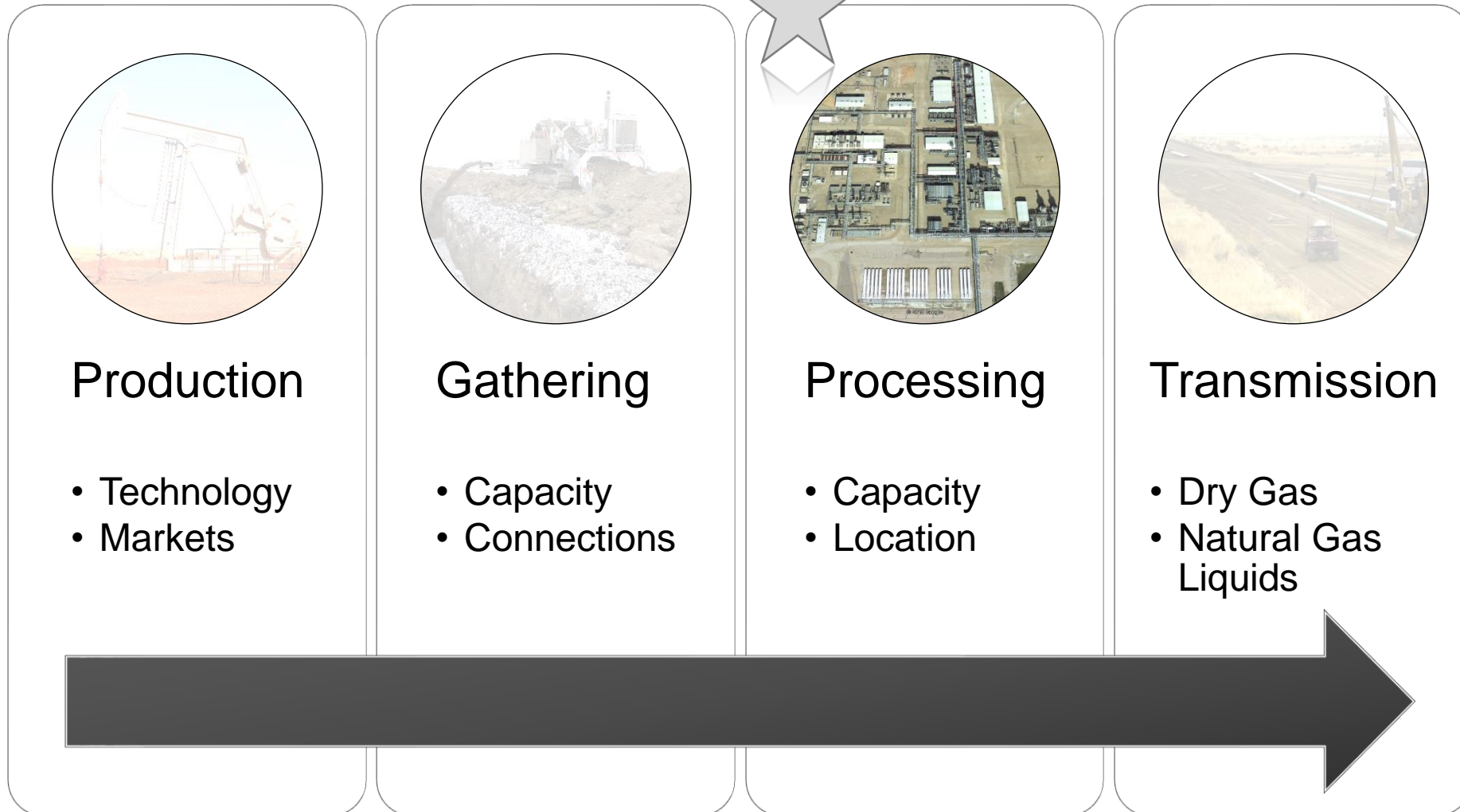




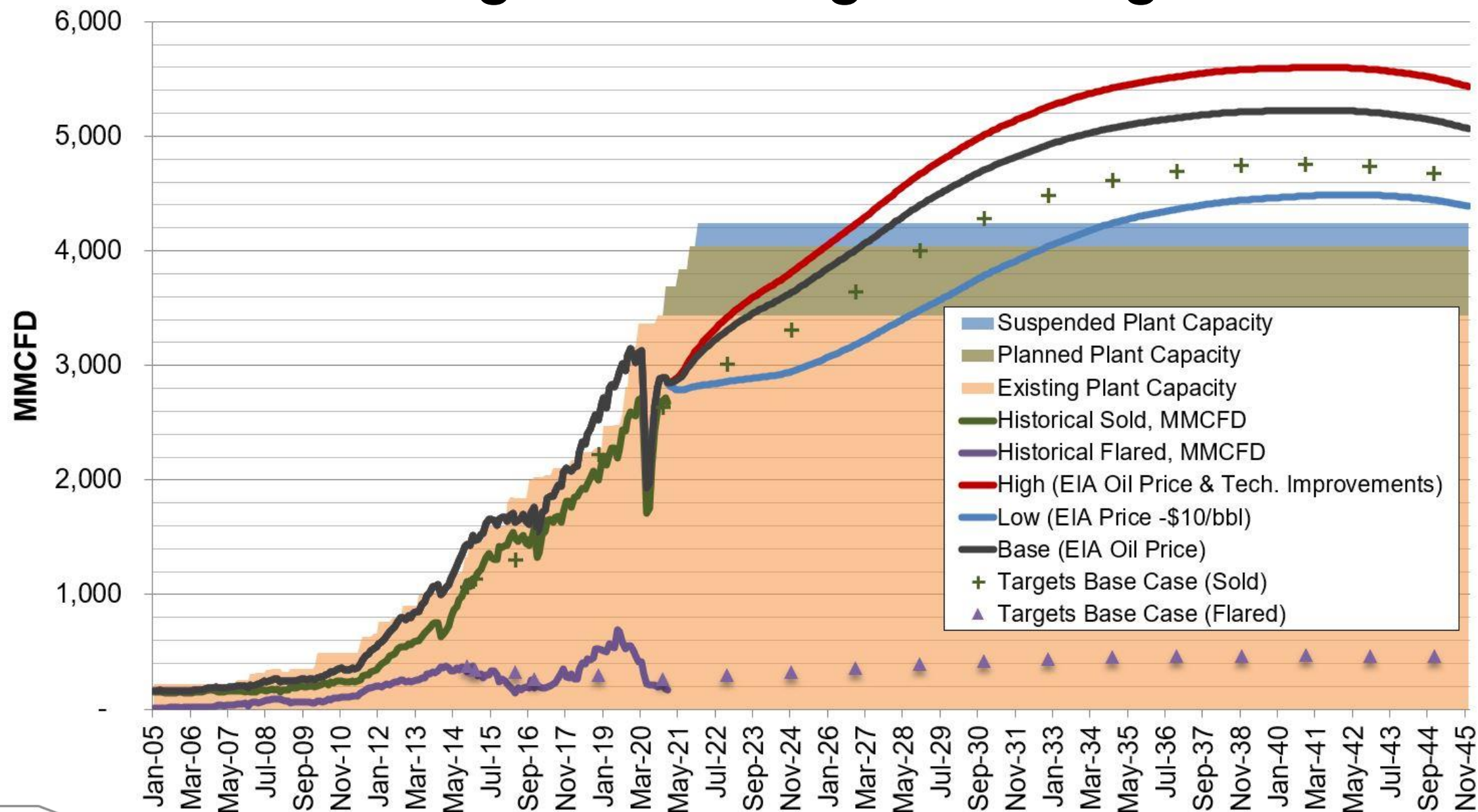
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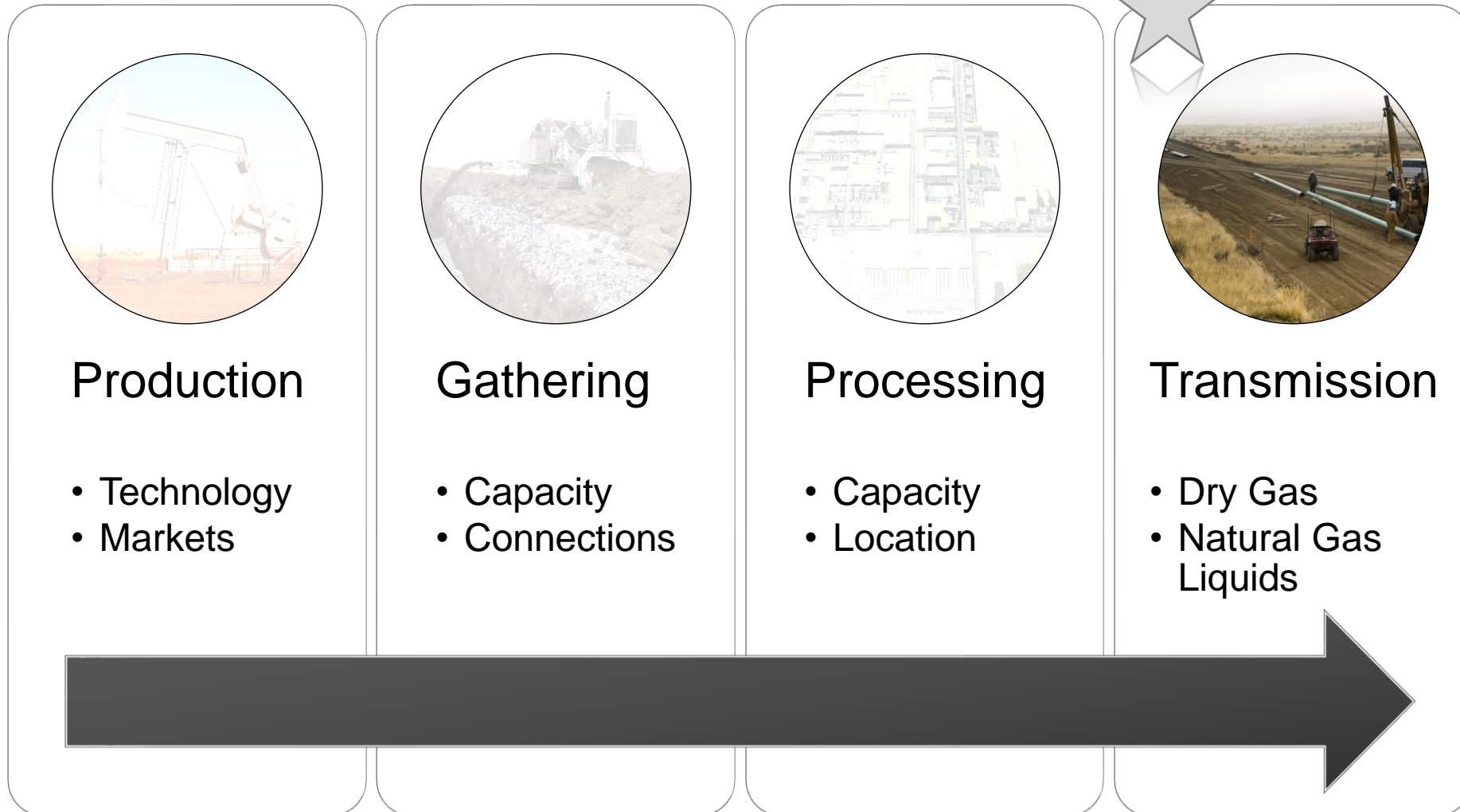


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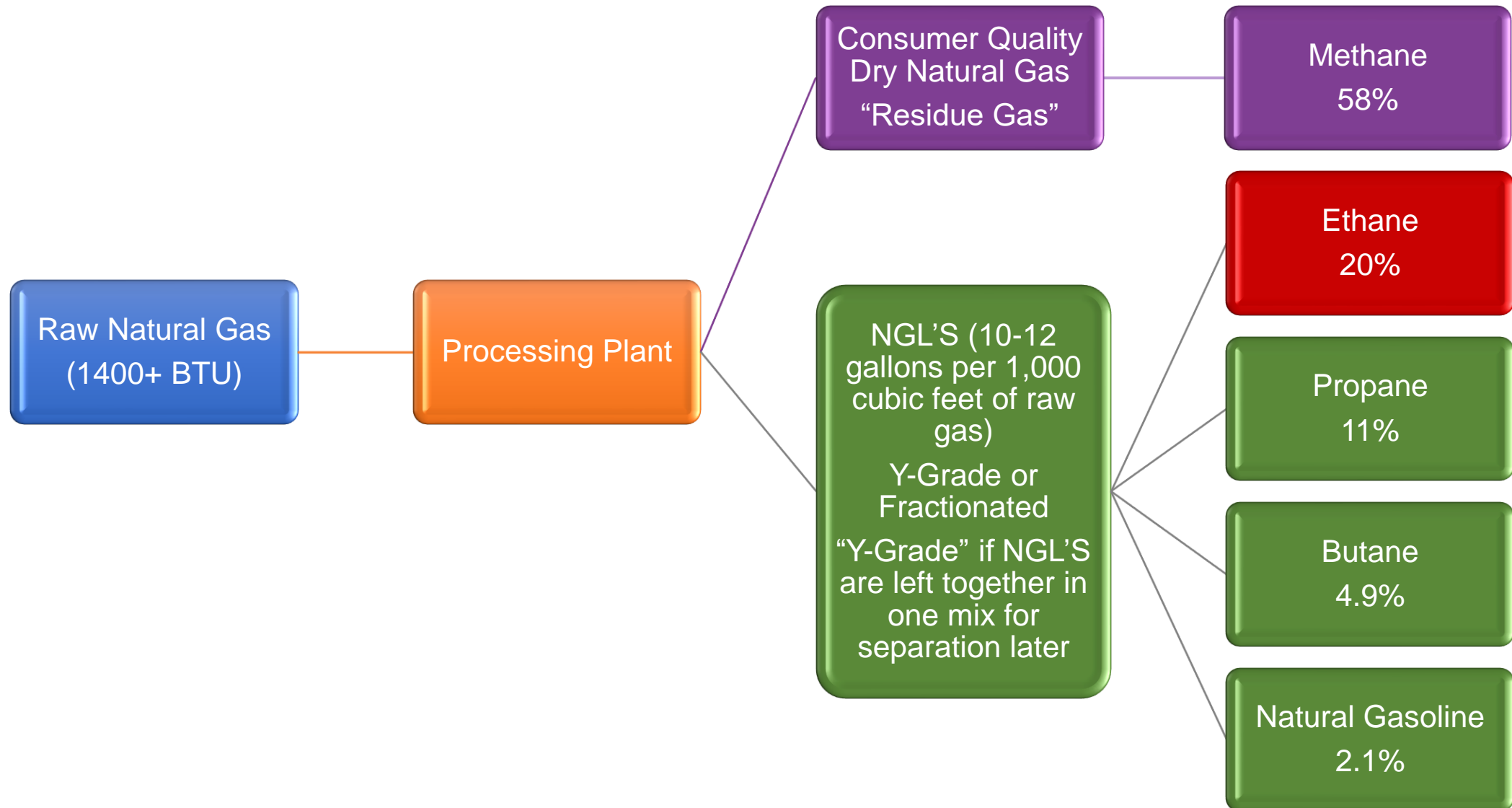




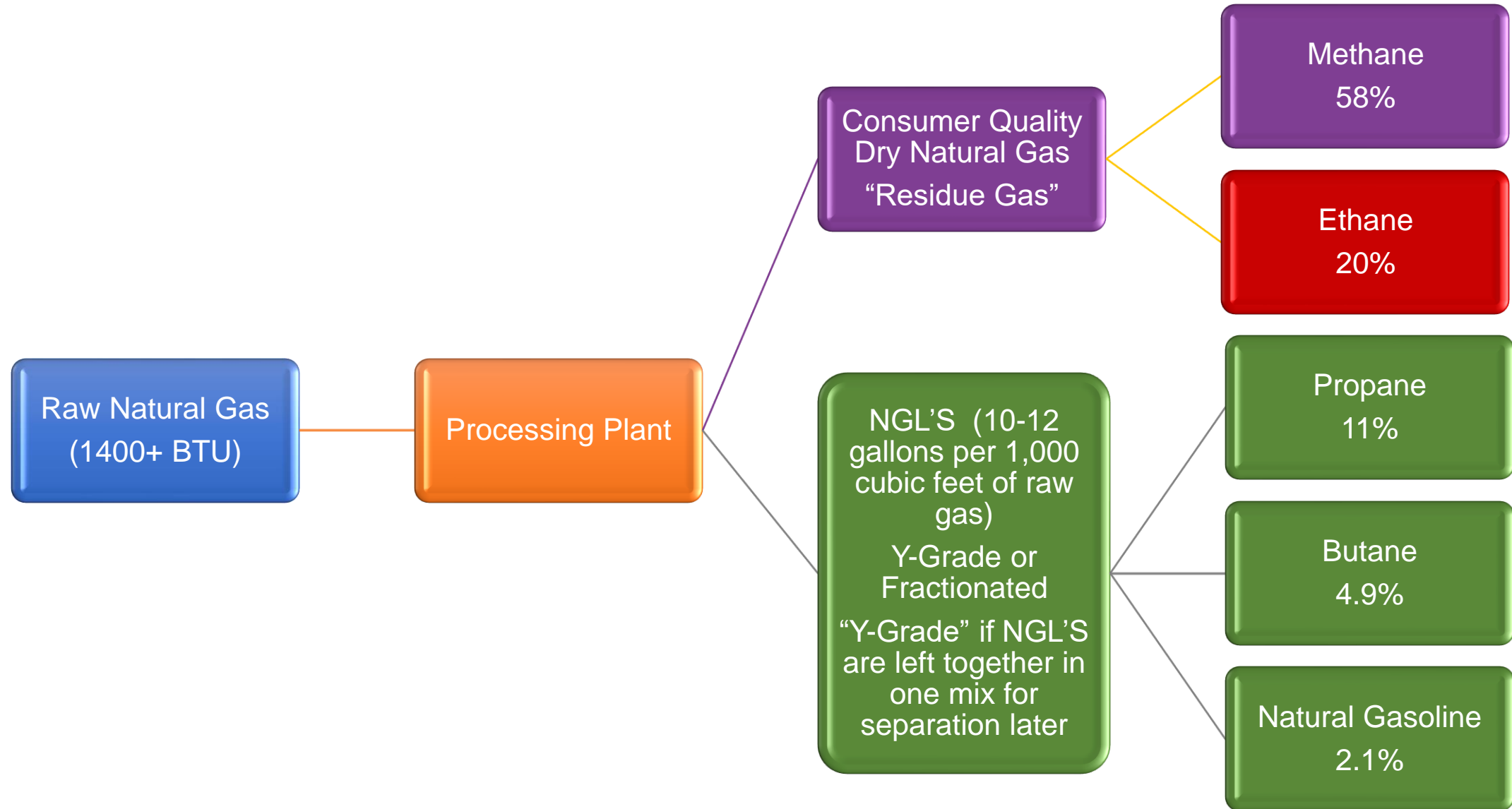
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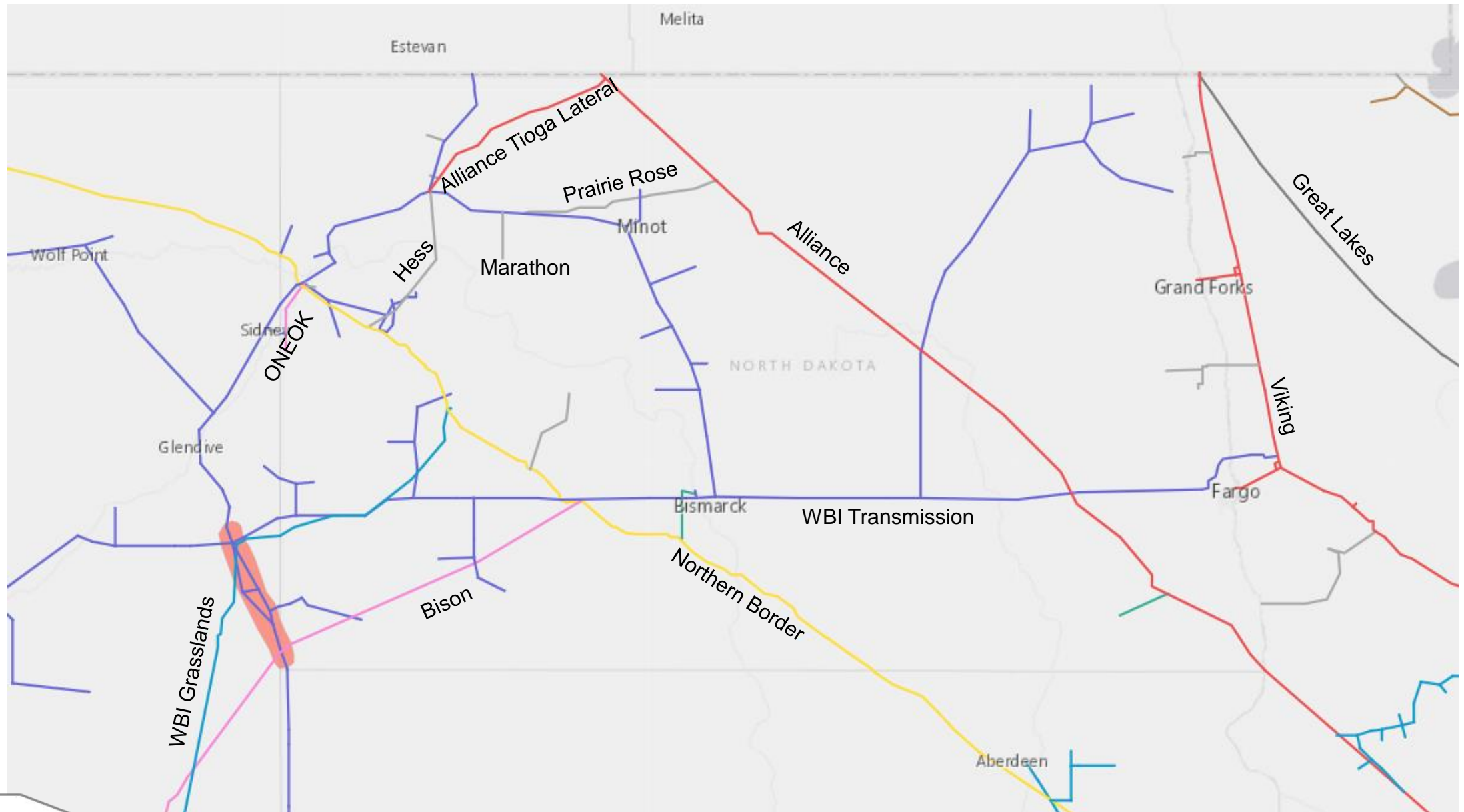


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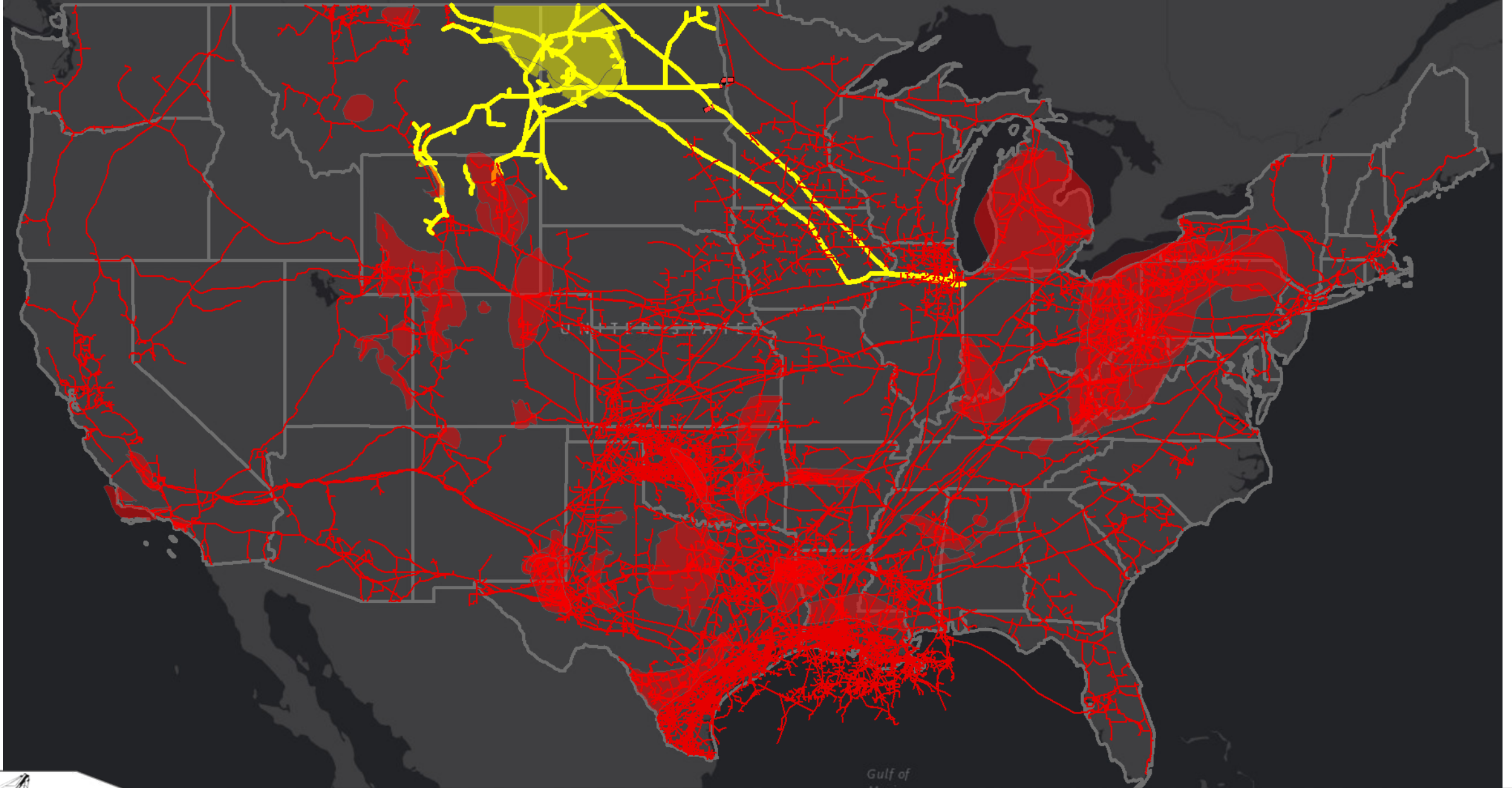




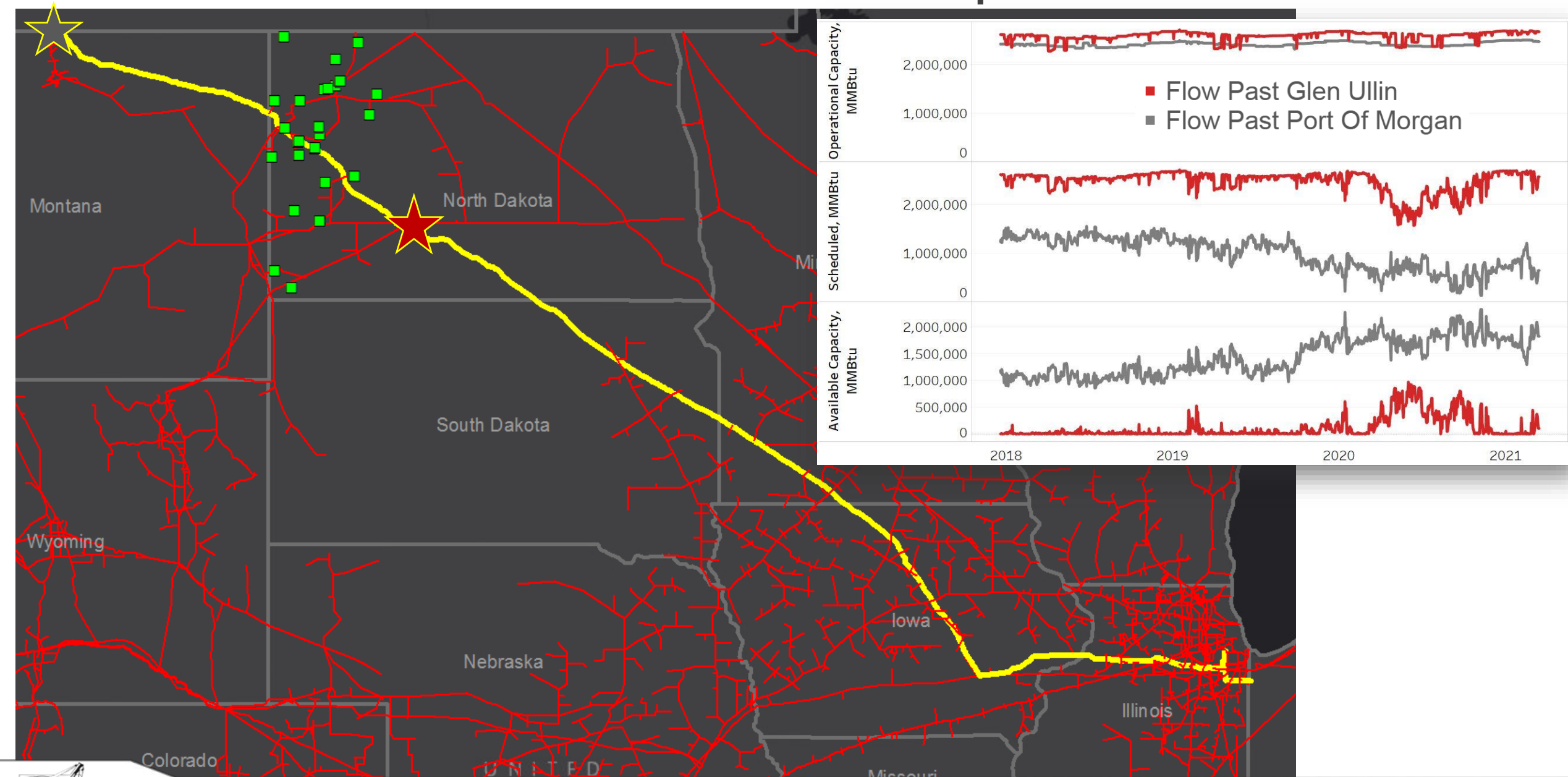
# Major Gas Pipeline Infrastructure



# Bakken Natural Gas Infrastructure

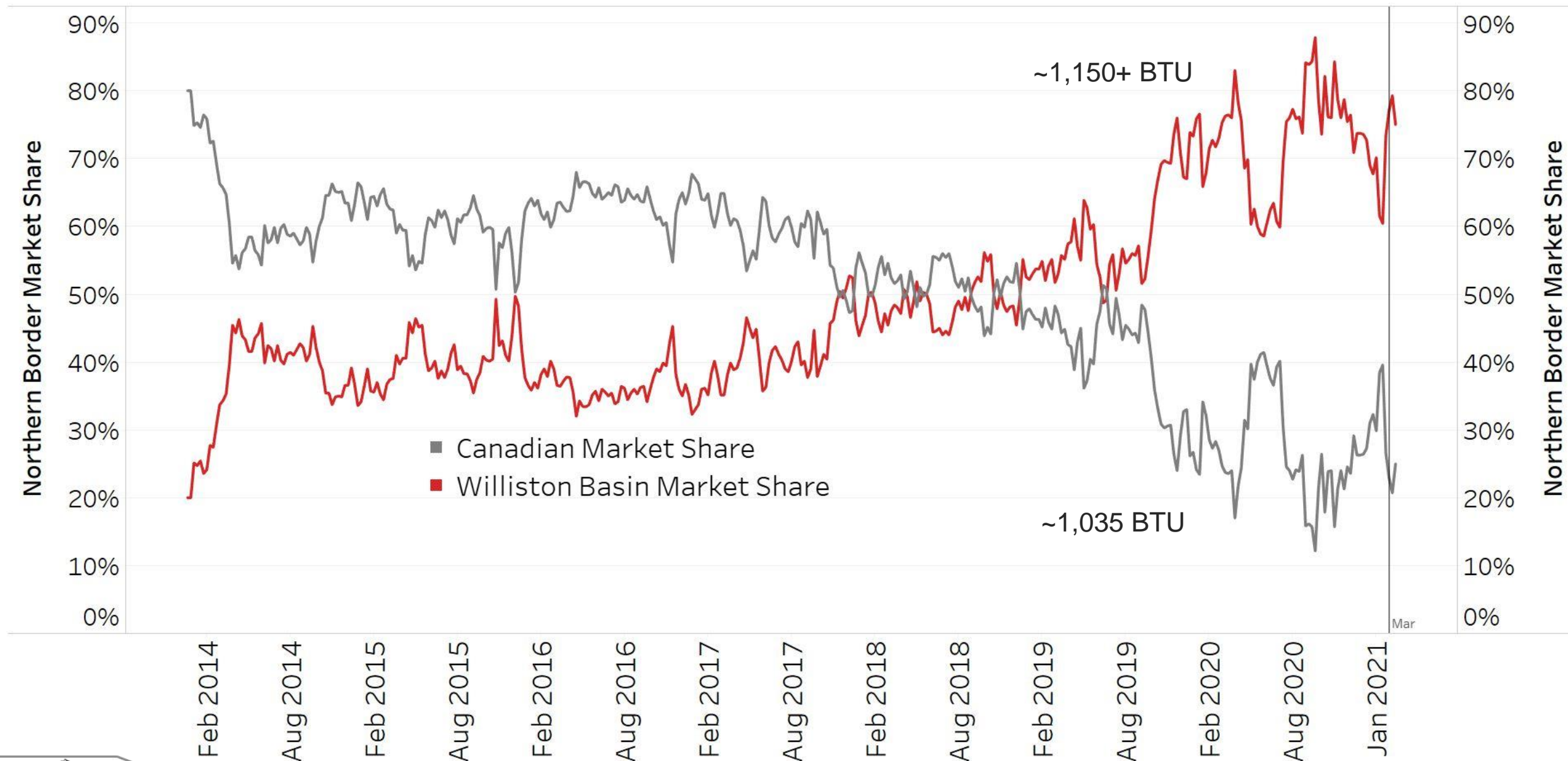


# Northern Border Pipeline

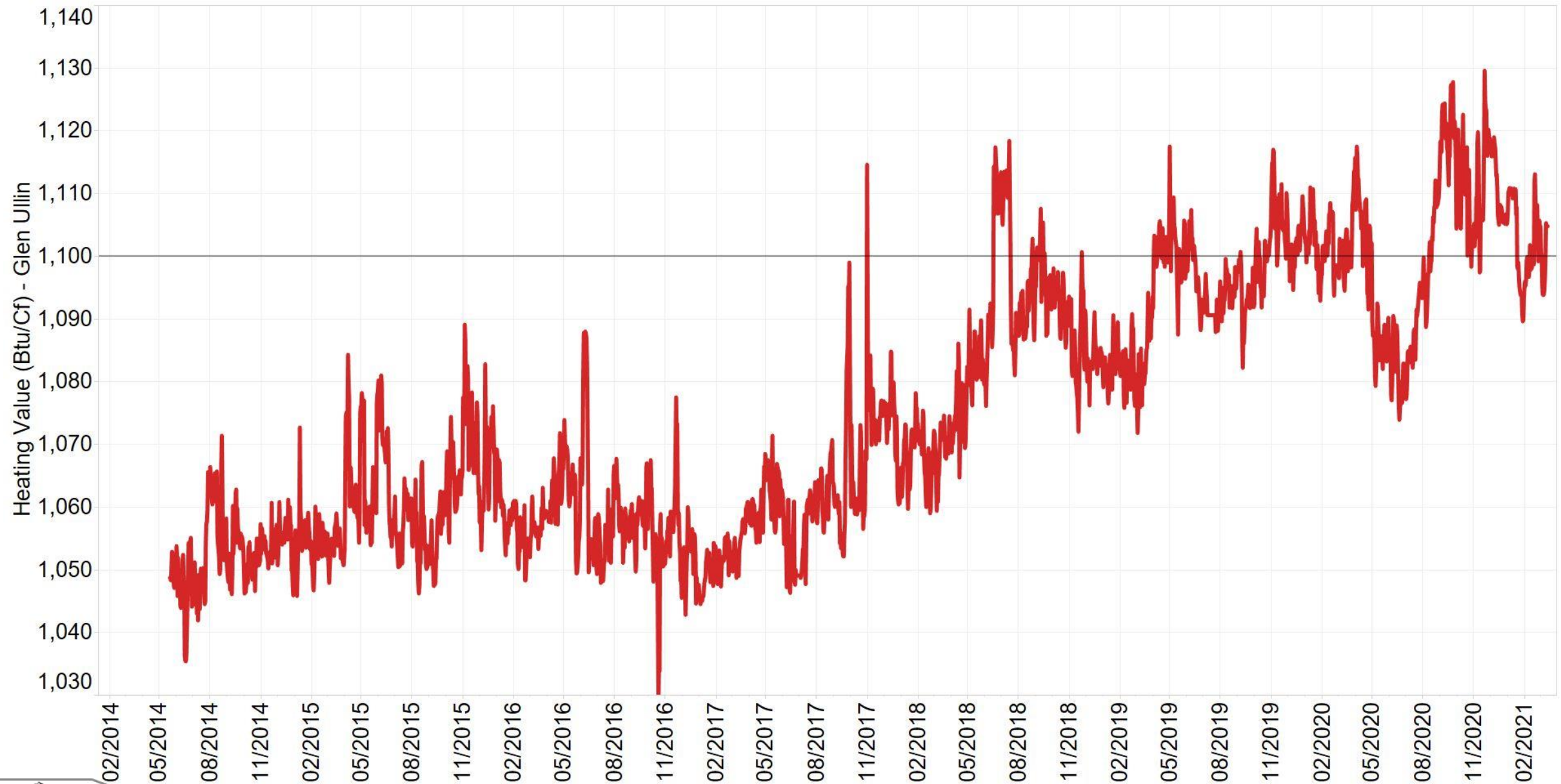




# Northern Border Pipeline Market Share

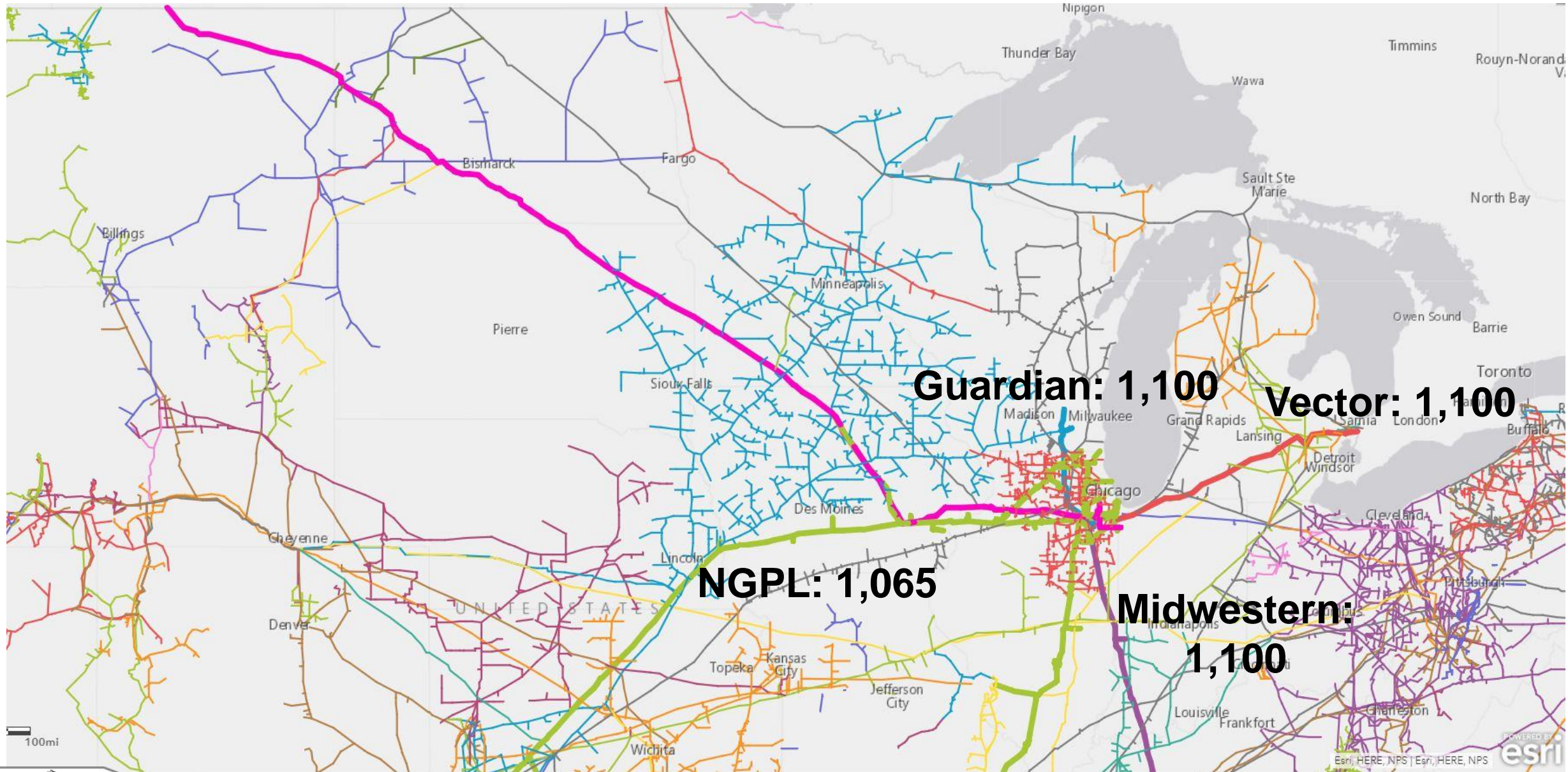


# Northern Border BTU at Glen Ullin, ND



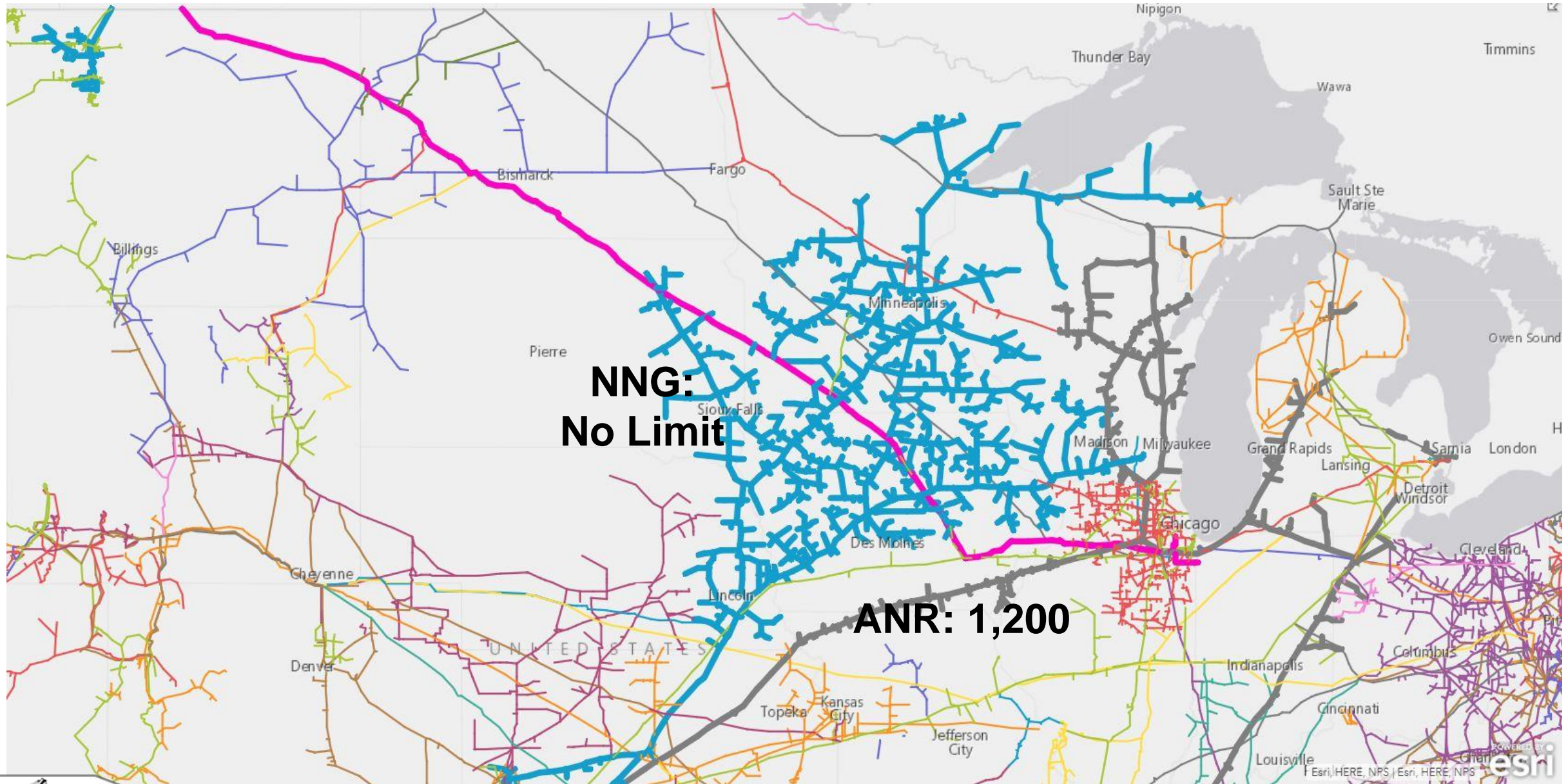


# NB Pipeline Interconnects With Known BTU Limits



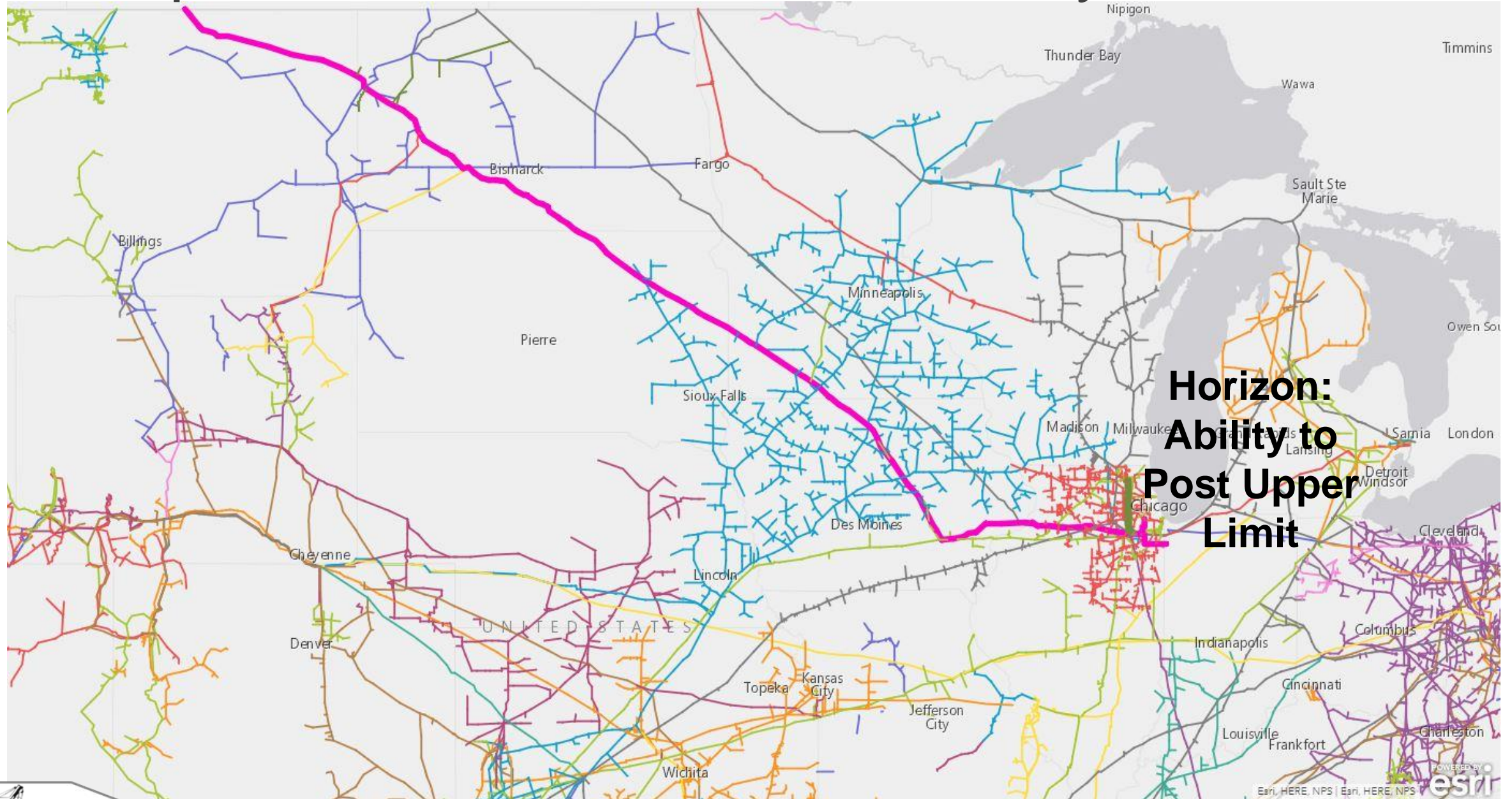


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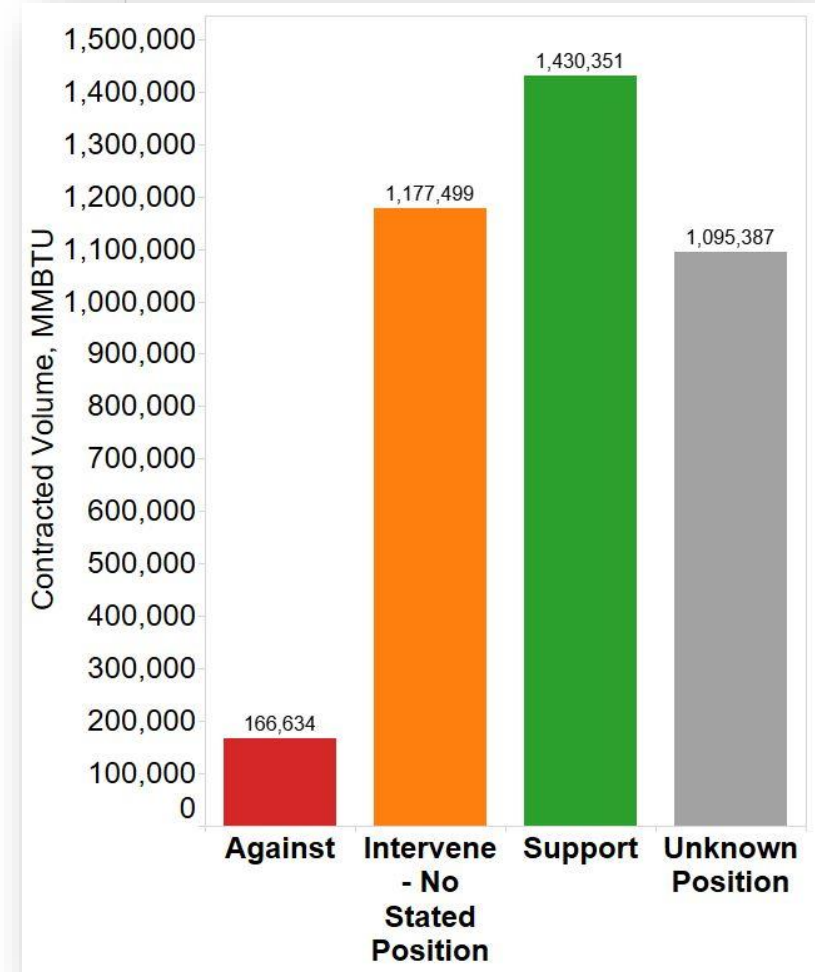
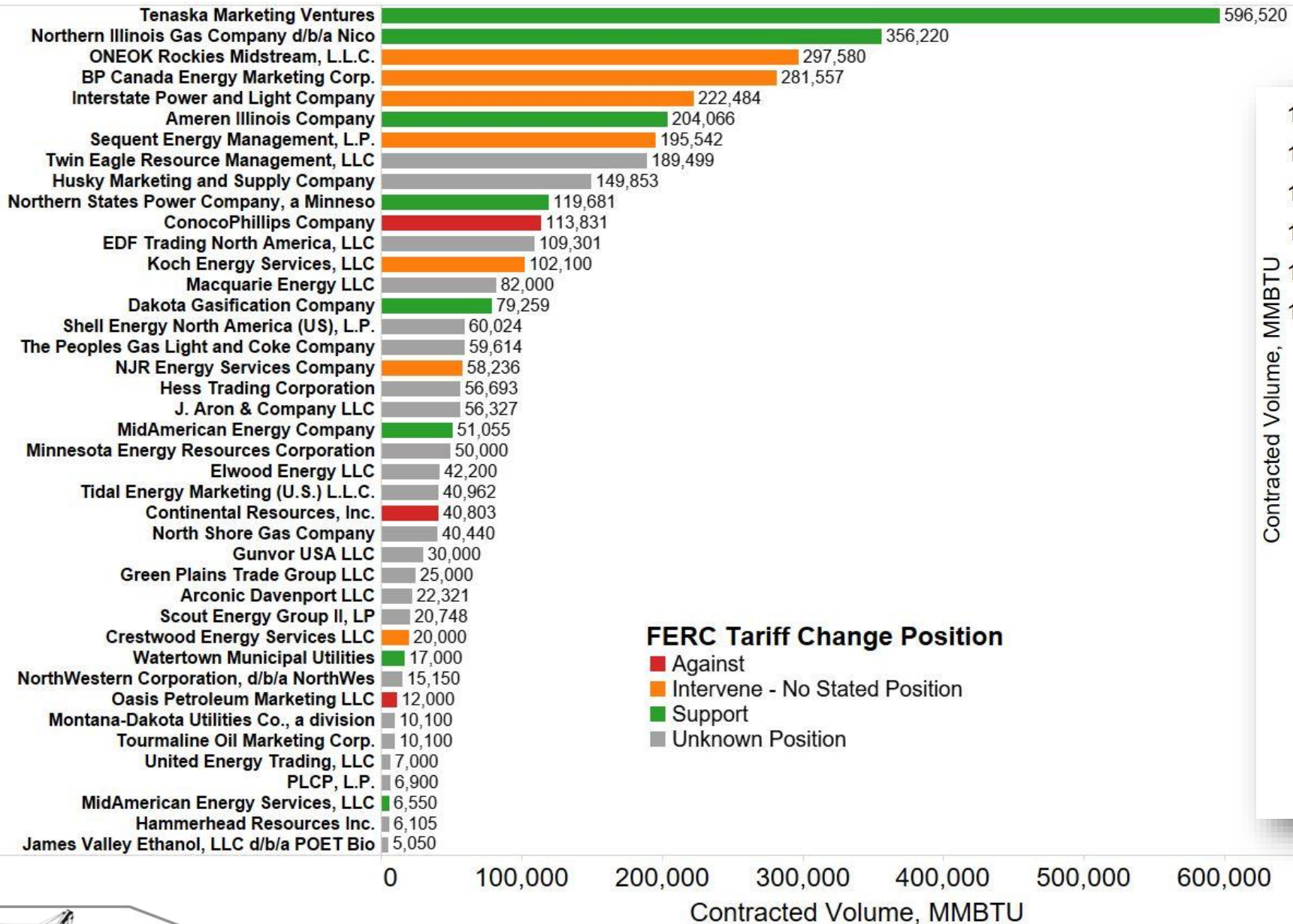


# NB Pipeline Interconnects With Ability to Add Limits





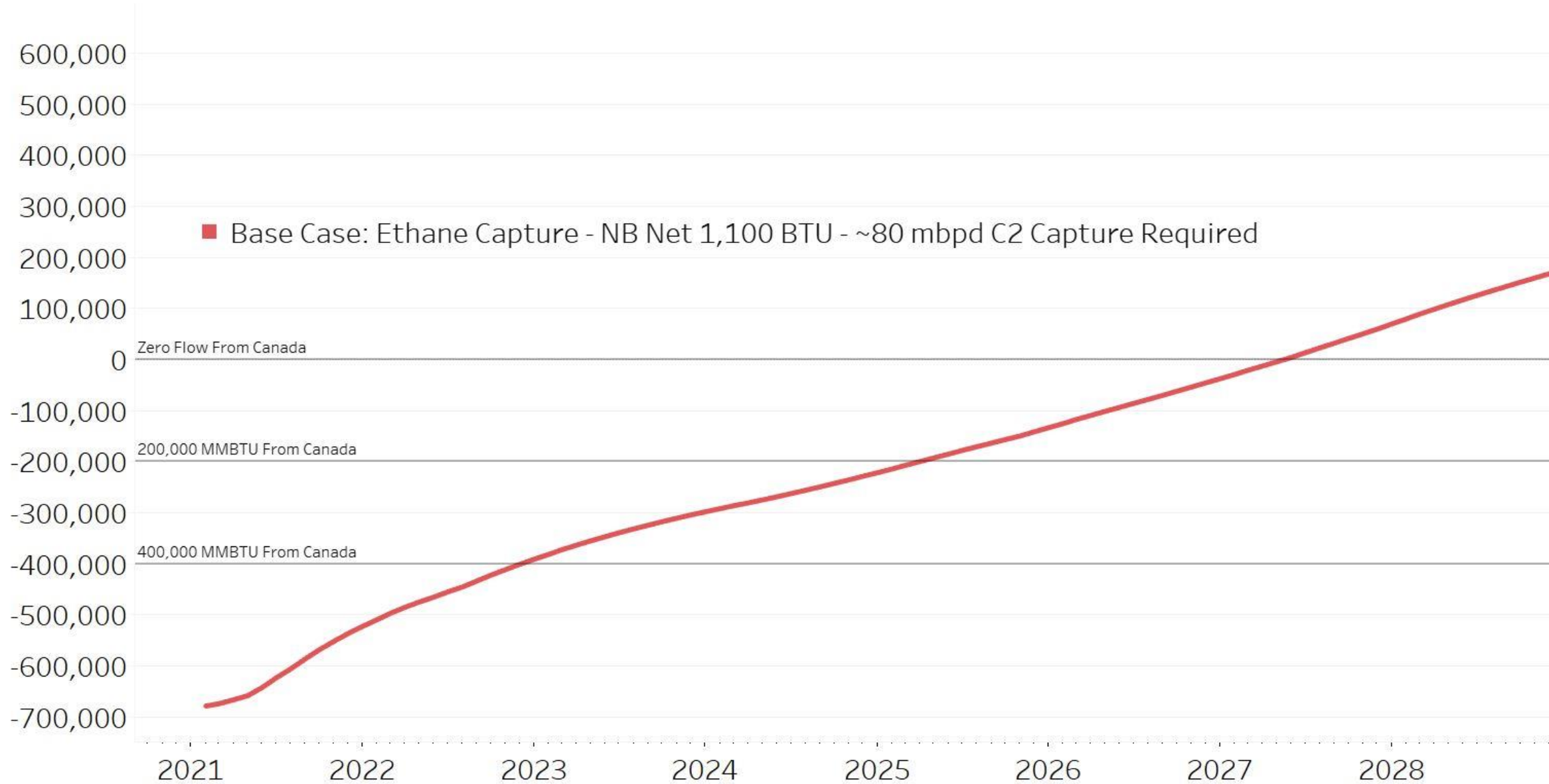
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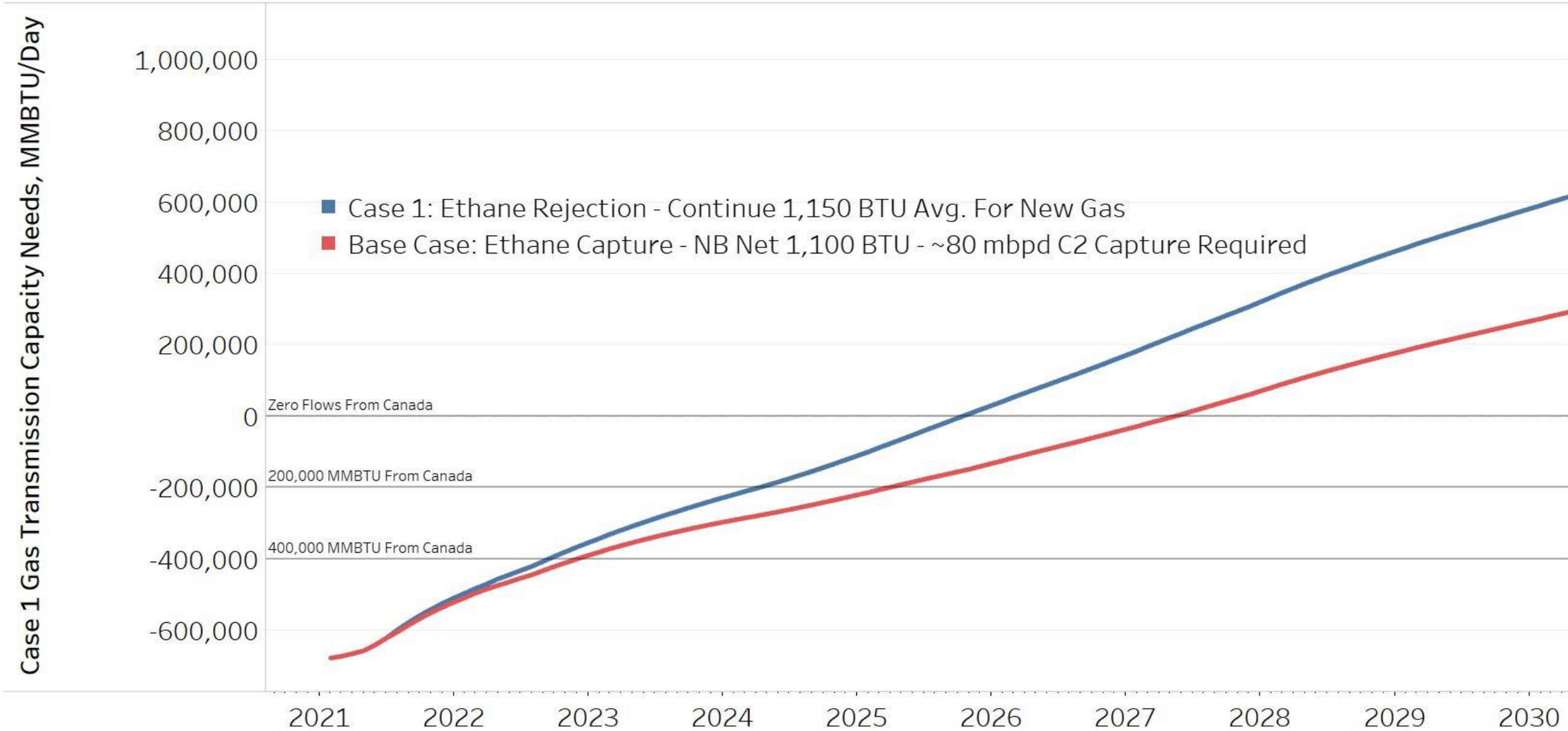


# Northern Border – BTU Calculations\*

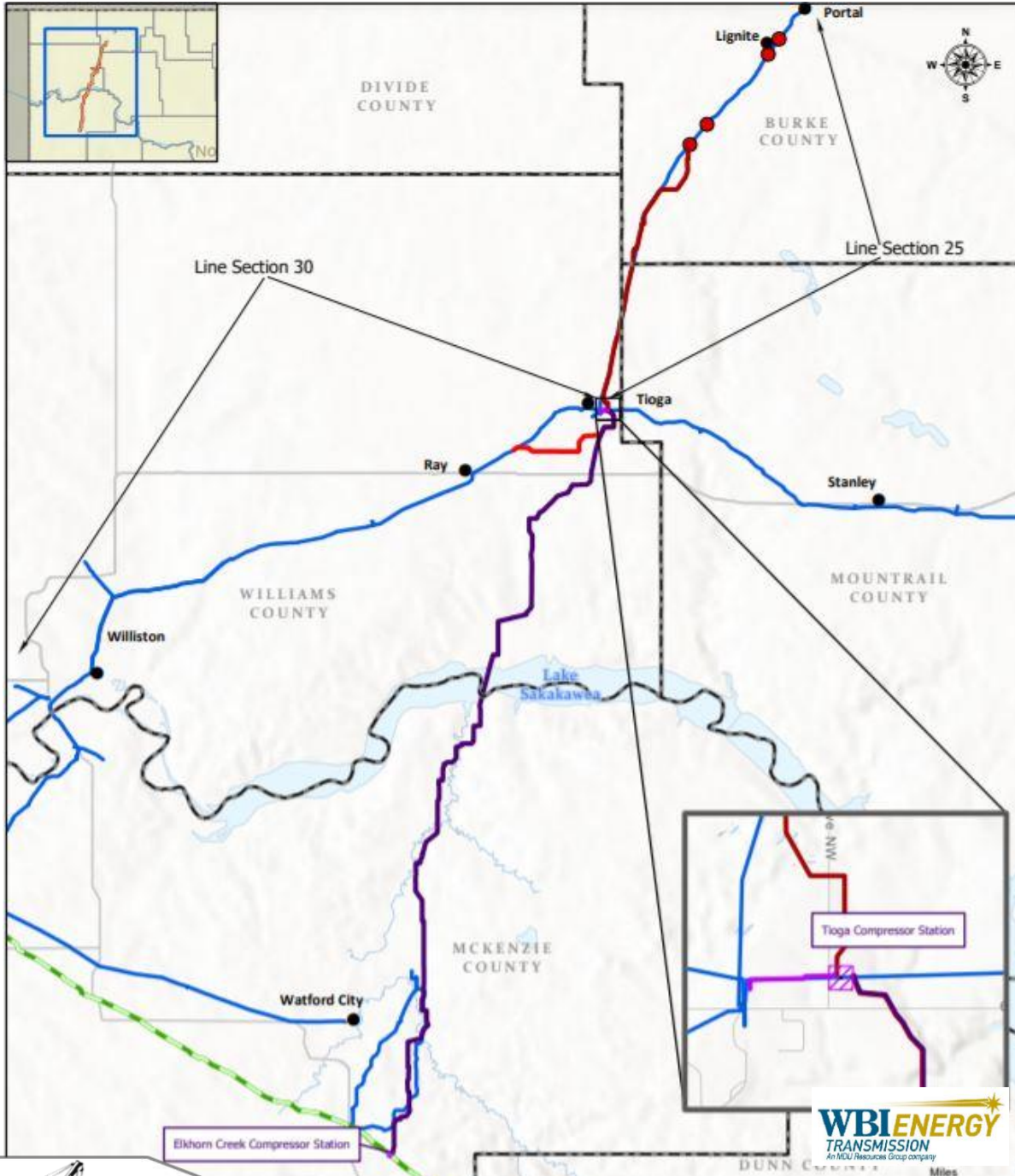
Case 1 Gas Transmission Capacity Needs, MMBTU/Day



# Northern Border – BTU Calculations\*



# WBI Energy – North Bakken Expansion Project



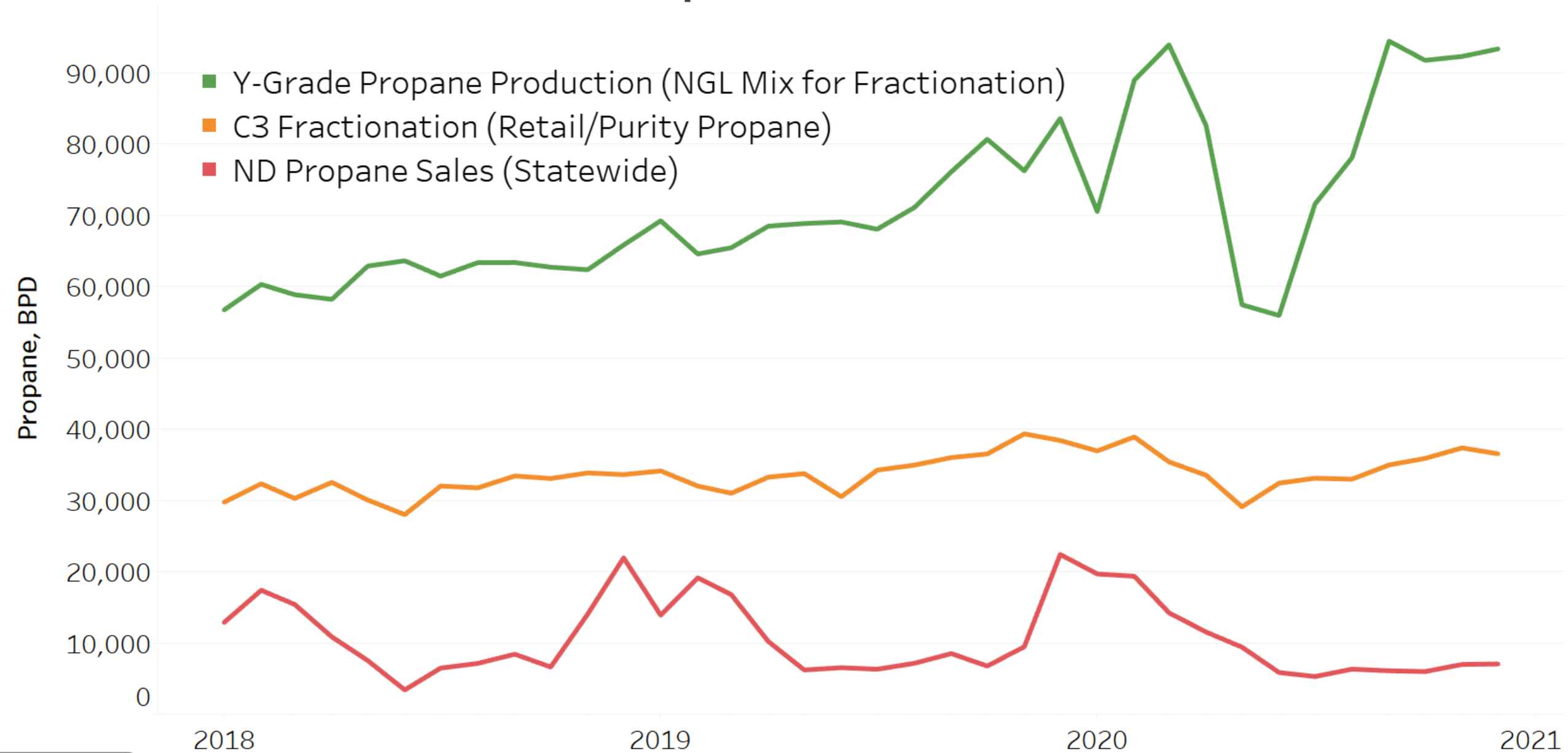
## Project Highlights

- ~60 Miles - 24" Pipeline
- ~30 Miles - 12" Pipeline
- \$220+ Million
- Preliminary Capacity 250,000 MCFD
- Expandable to 375,000 MCFD
- Q4 2021 Proposed Completion
- Residue Gas Service From North of Lake Sakakawea to Northern Border Pipeline in McKenzie County





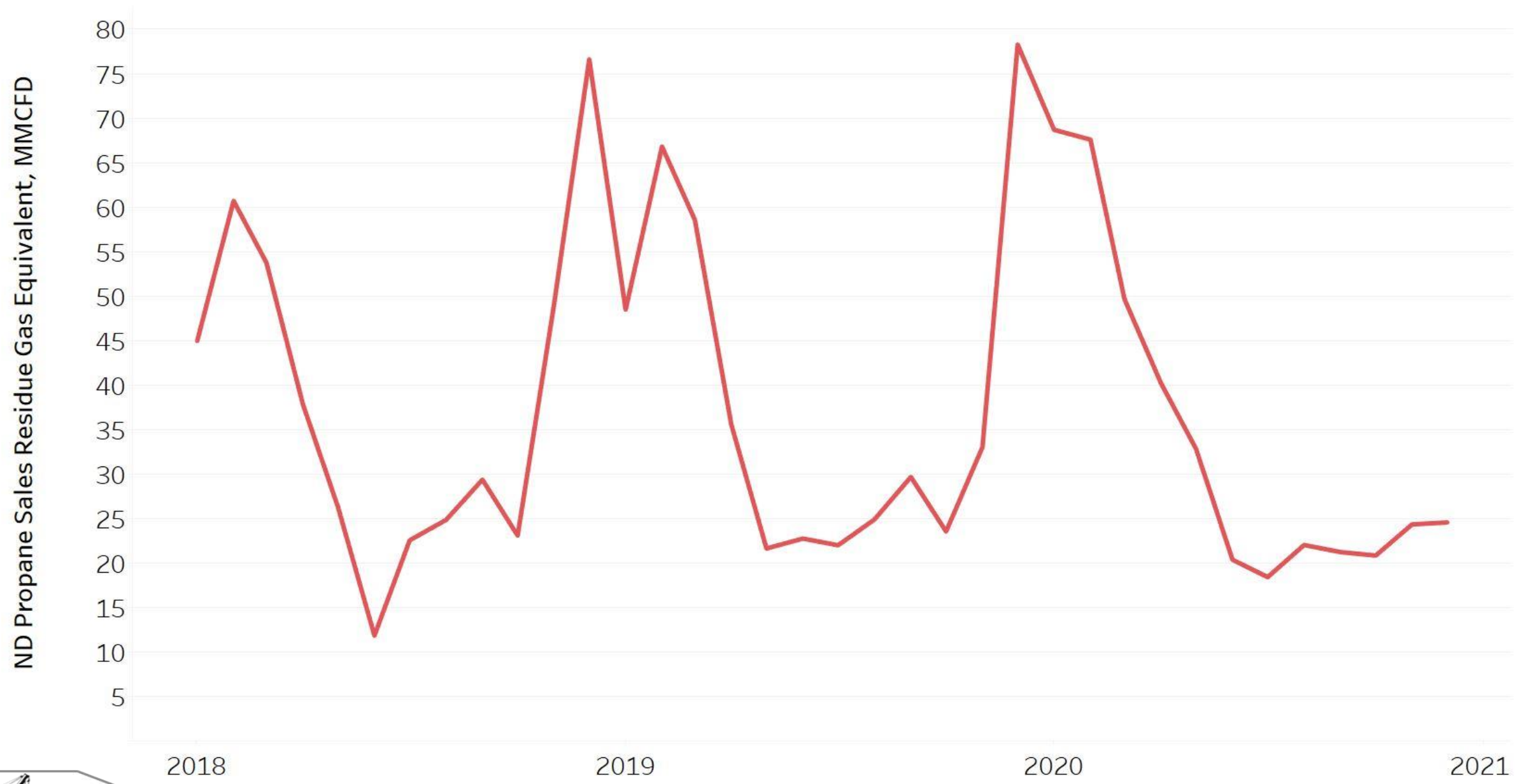
# North Dakota Propane Production & Sales



# North Dakota Gas Plants Propane Output

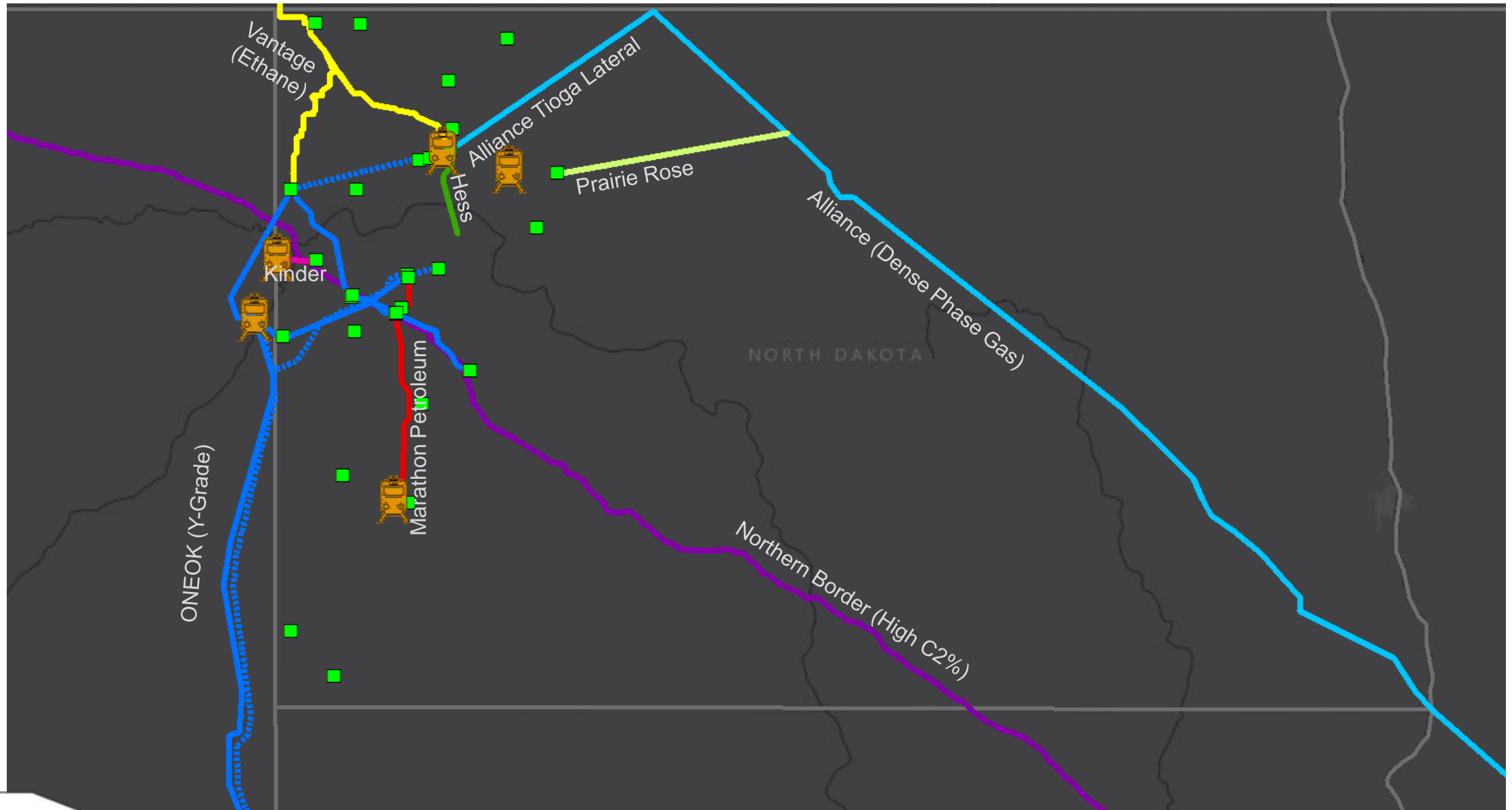


# North Dakota Propane Sales Residue Gas Equivalent\*





# Regional NGL Infrastructure



# **Bakken & Three Forks**

## **Natural Gas Liquids Chemistry**

# NGL Chemistry Study - 2020



## ASSESSMENT OF BAKKEN PETROLEUM SYSTEM PRODUCED GAS COMPOSITIONS

Final Report

(Project Period: October 15, 2019 – June 19, 2020)

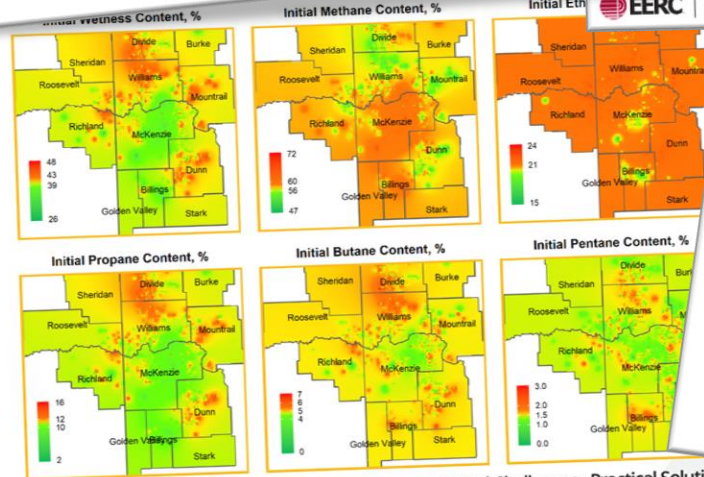
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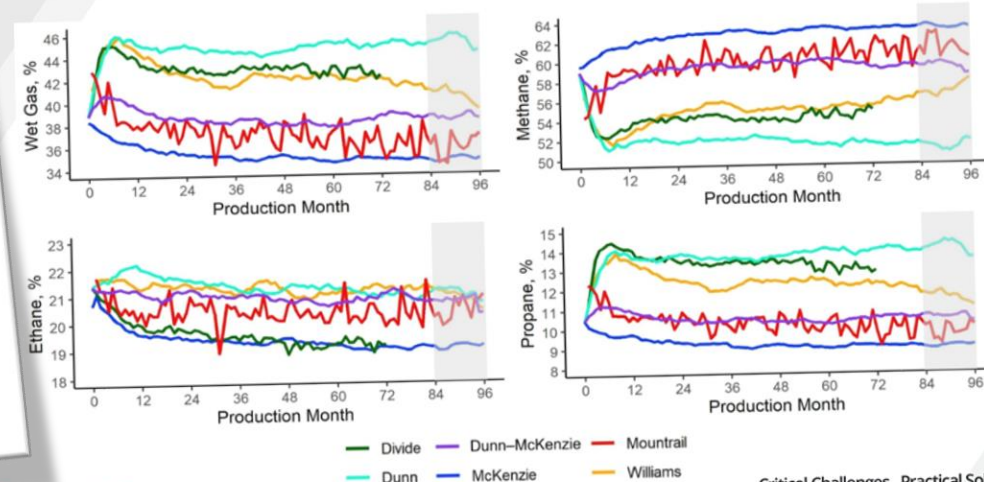
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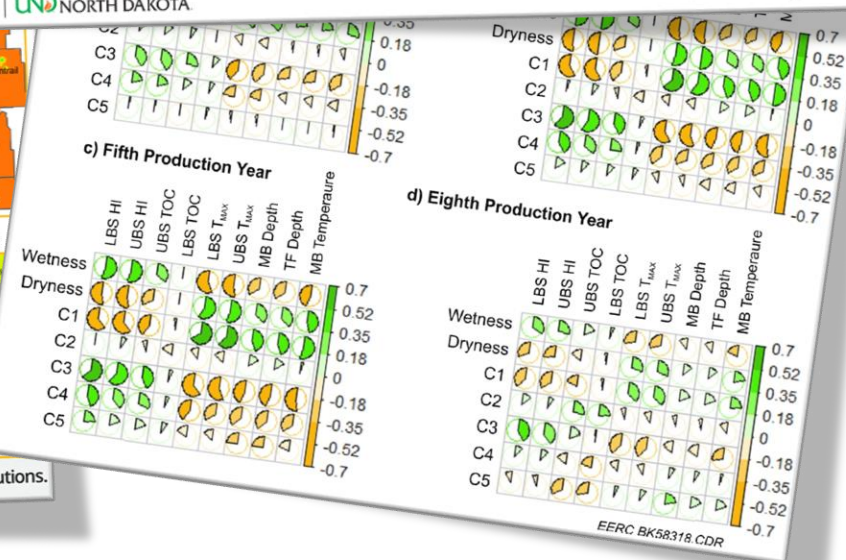


Critical Challenges. Practical Solutions.

### Temporal Patterns in Measured Gas Composition



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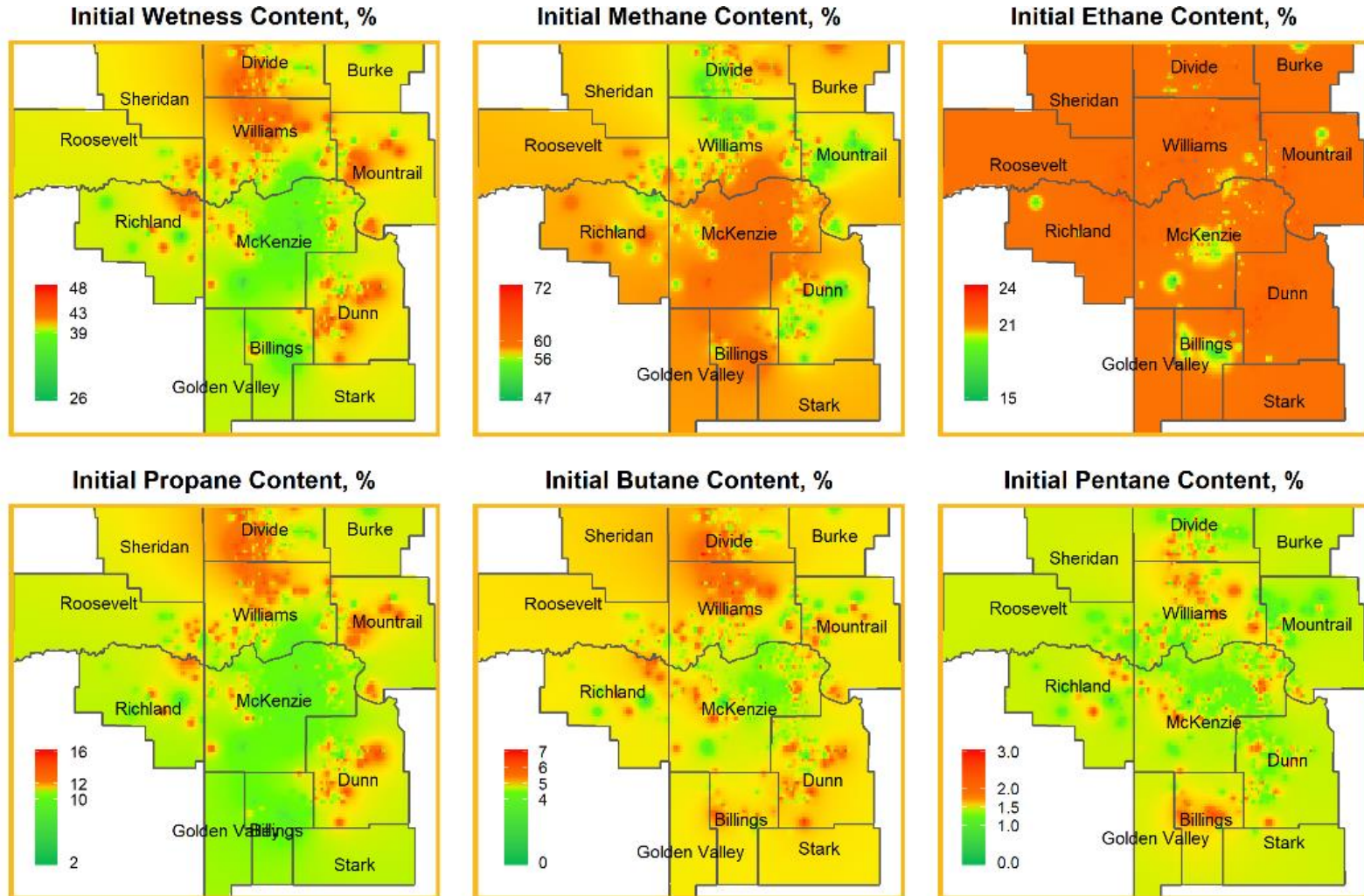


# Gas Compositions During Initial Well Production

Spatial distribution of methane, ethane, propane and wetness levels (mol %) during the initial stages of well production

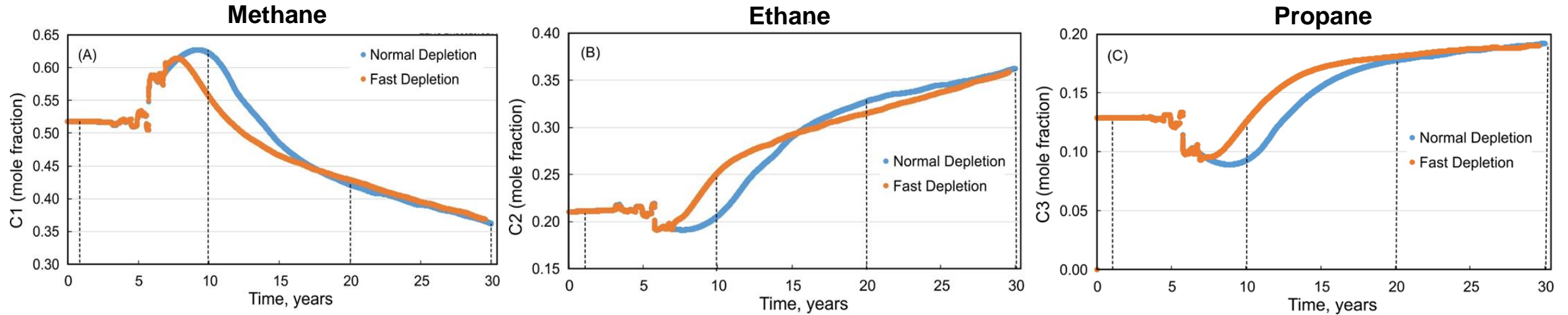
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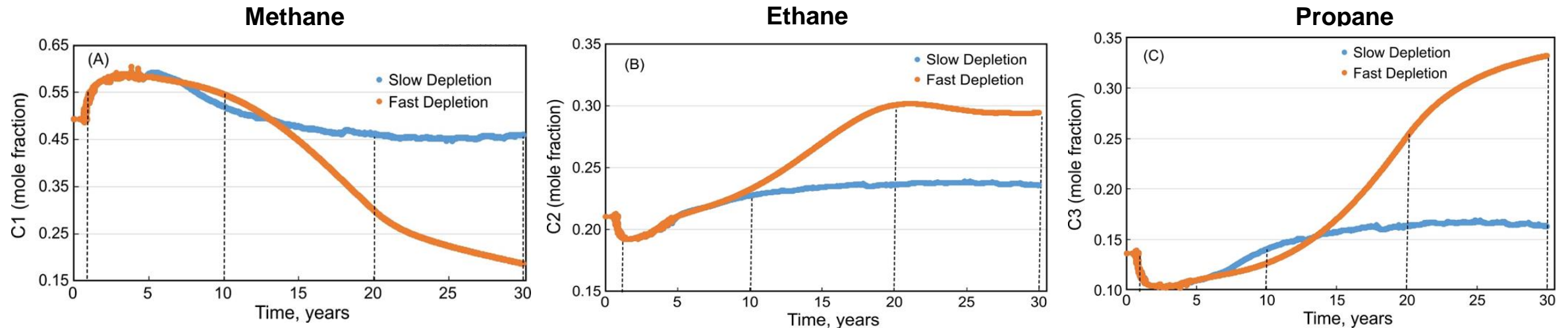


# Predicted Gas Composition Change: Primary Production

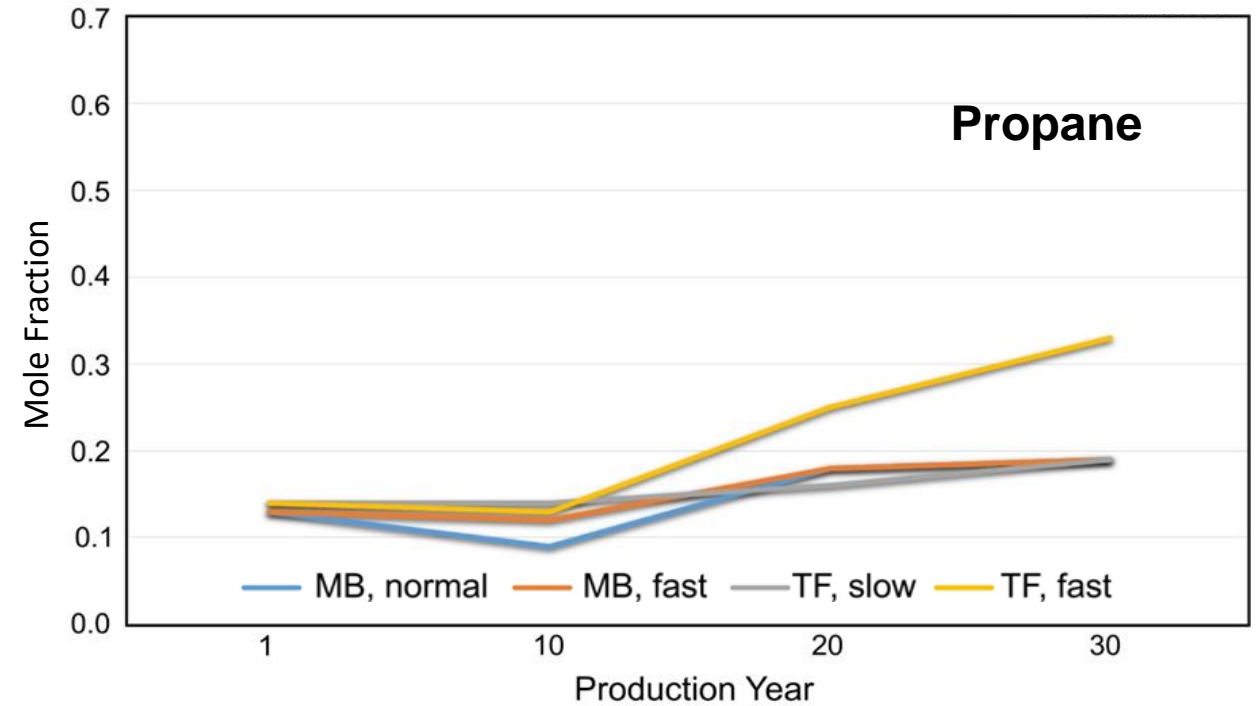
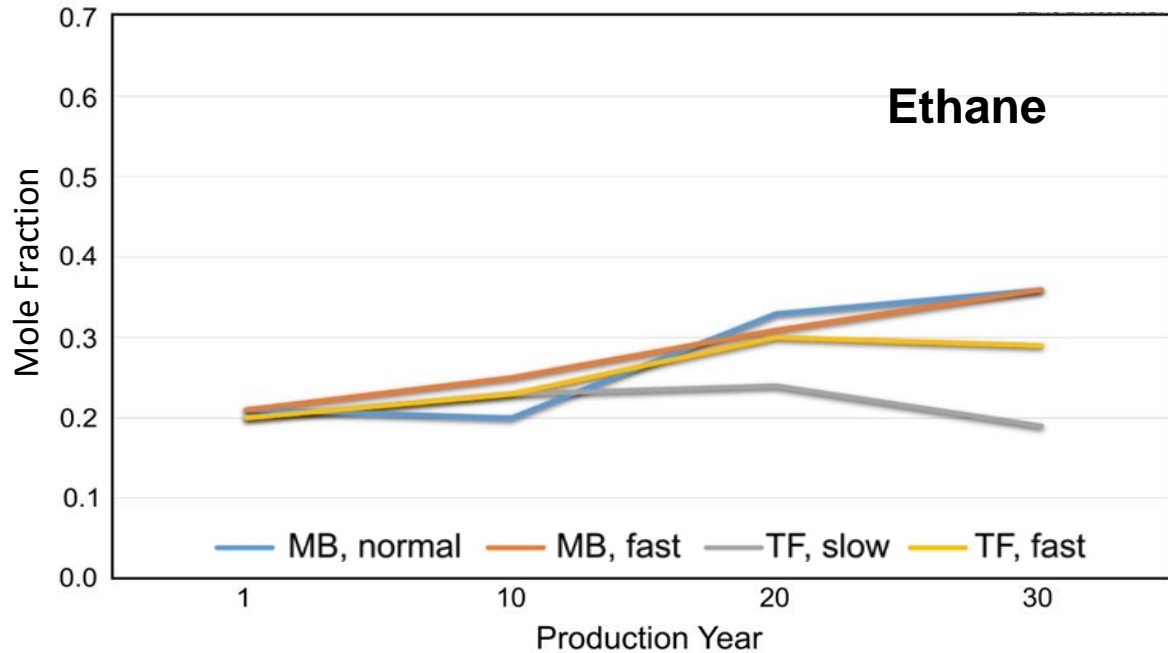
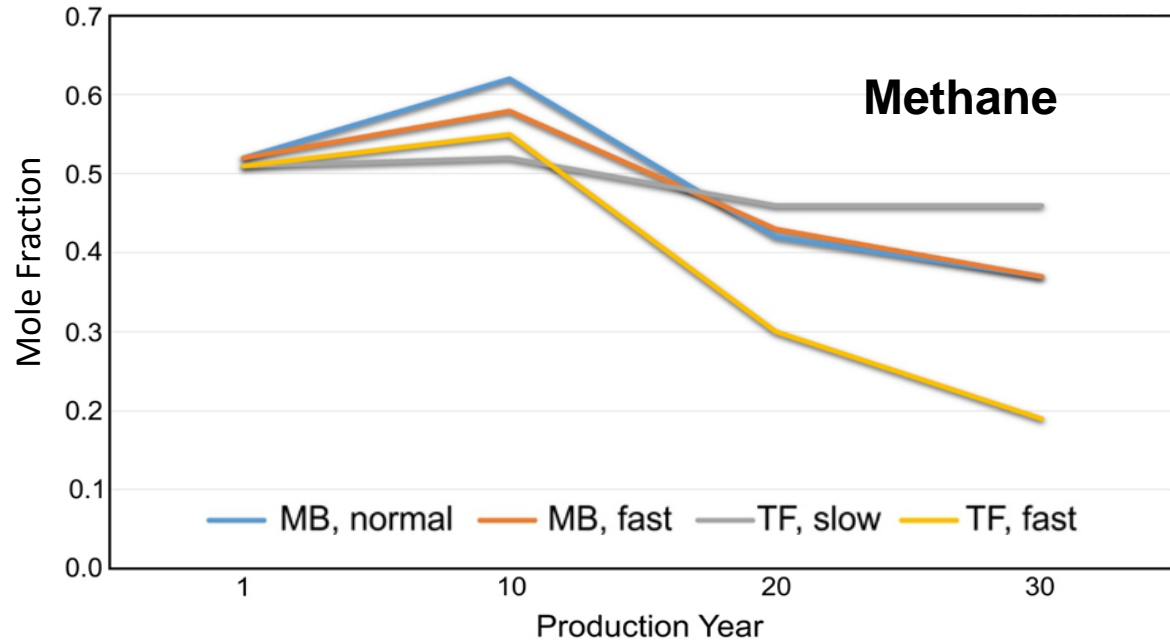
Gas composition change in the MB well over 30 years of normal and fast pressure depletion



Gas composition change in the TF well over 30 years of slow and fast pressure depletion



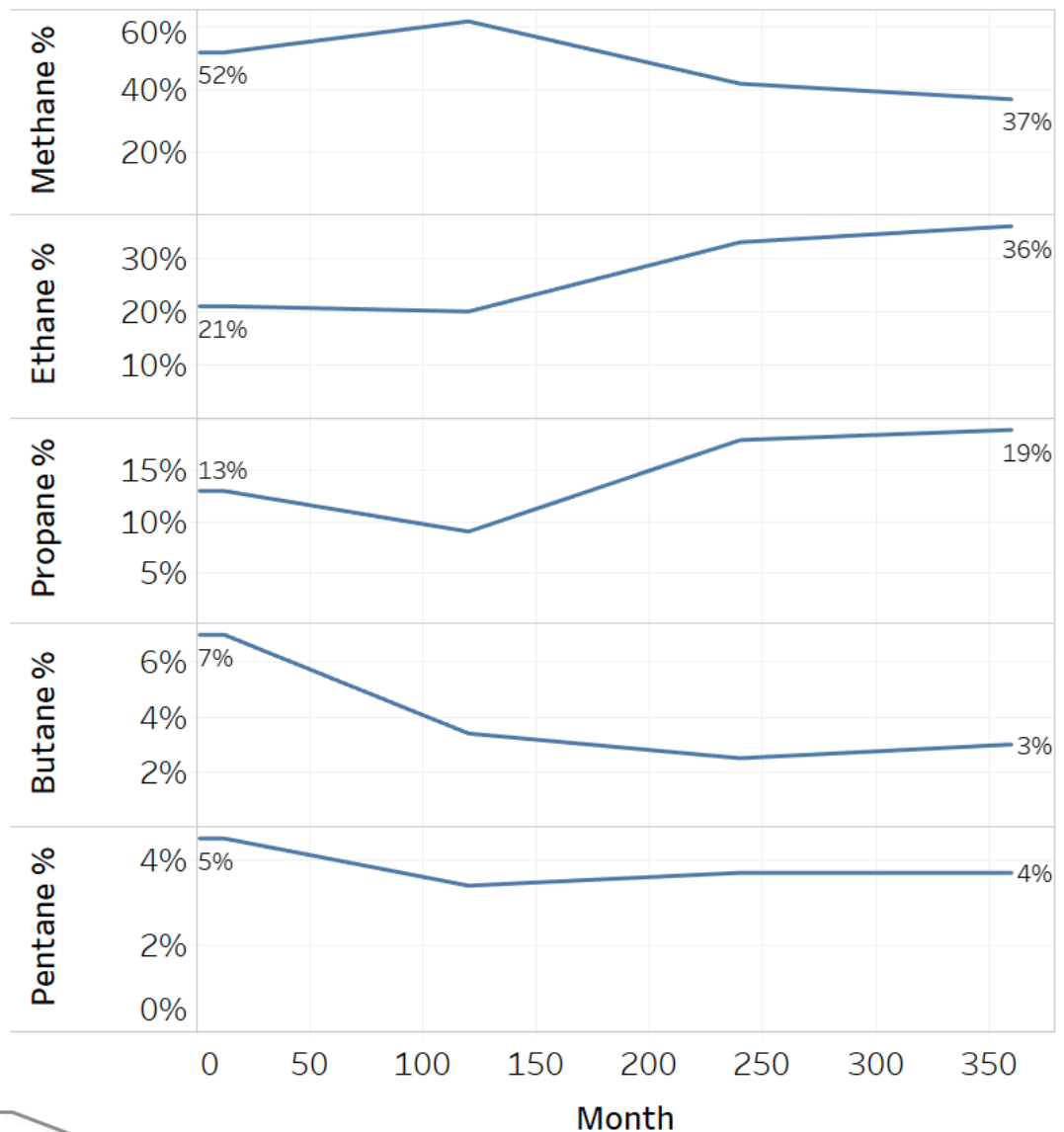
# Forecast of Future Gas Compositions



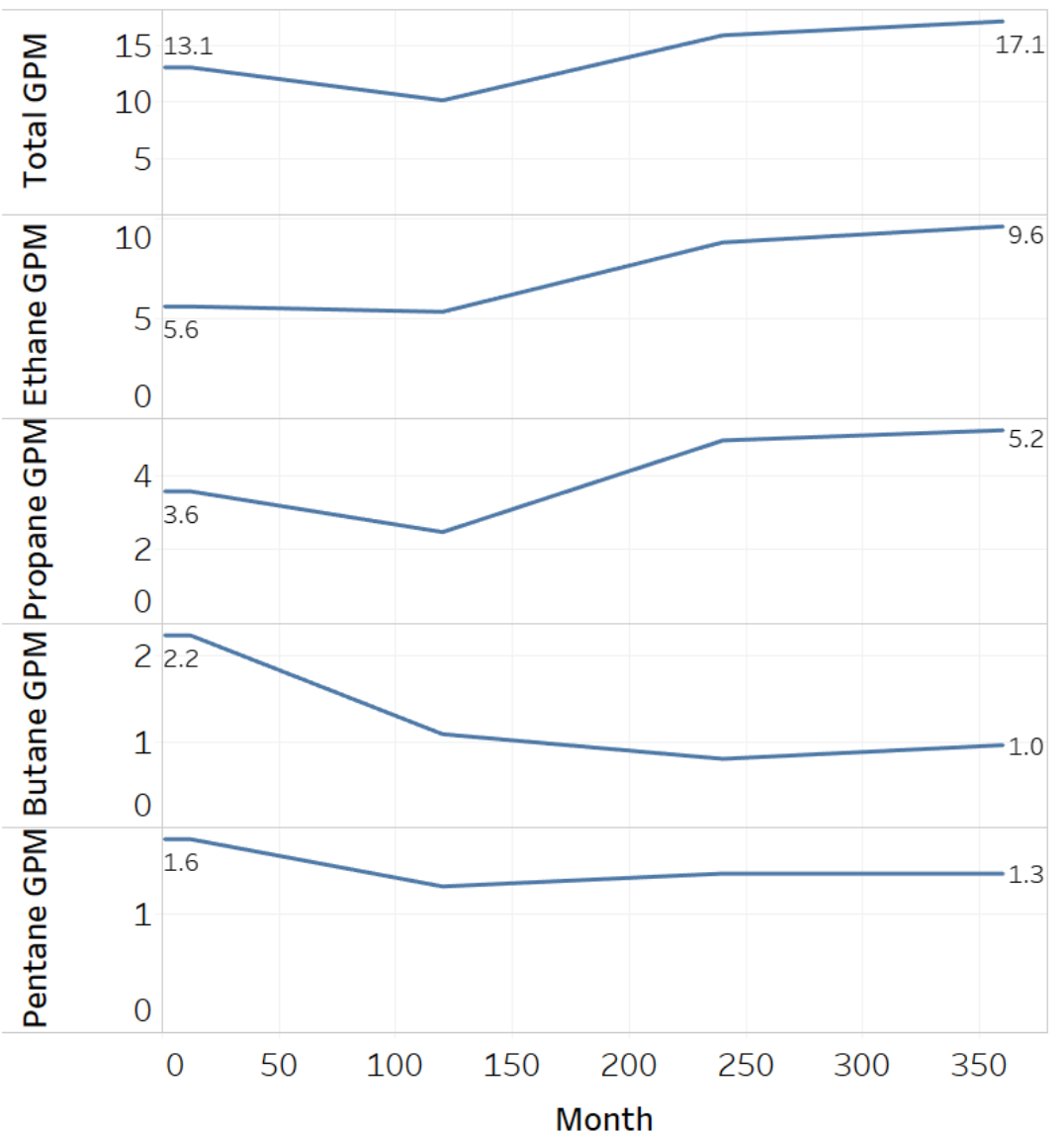


# Overview of NGL Chemistry Study – Middle Bakken

Gas Composition - Middle Bakken - Mole %

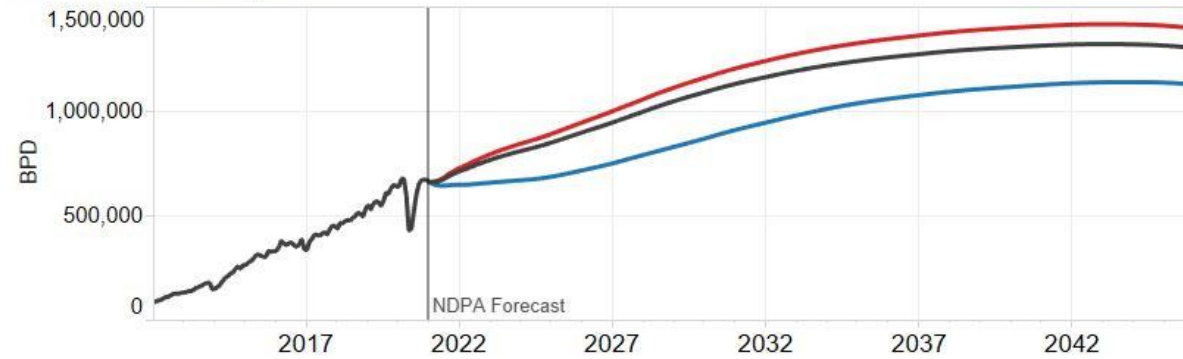


Liquids Content - Gallons per MCF (GPM)

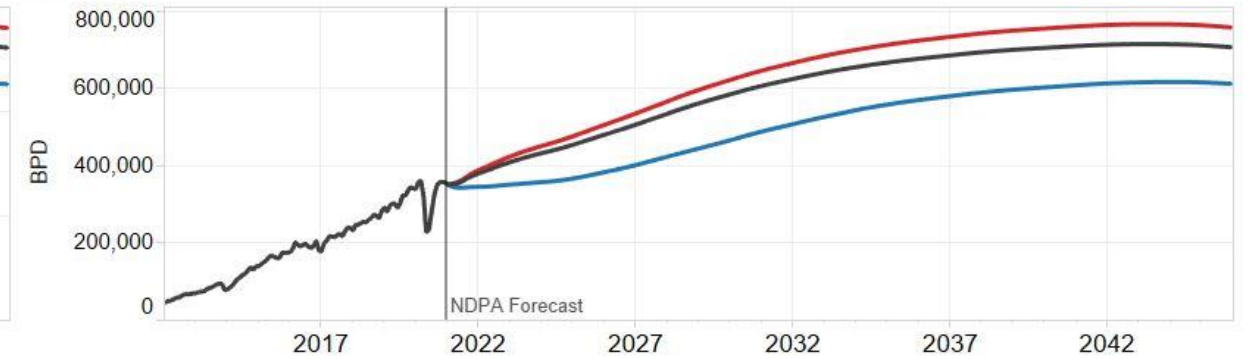


# North Dakota Captured\* NGL's

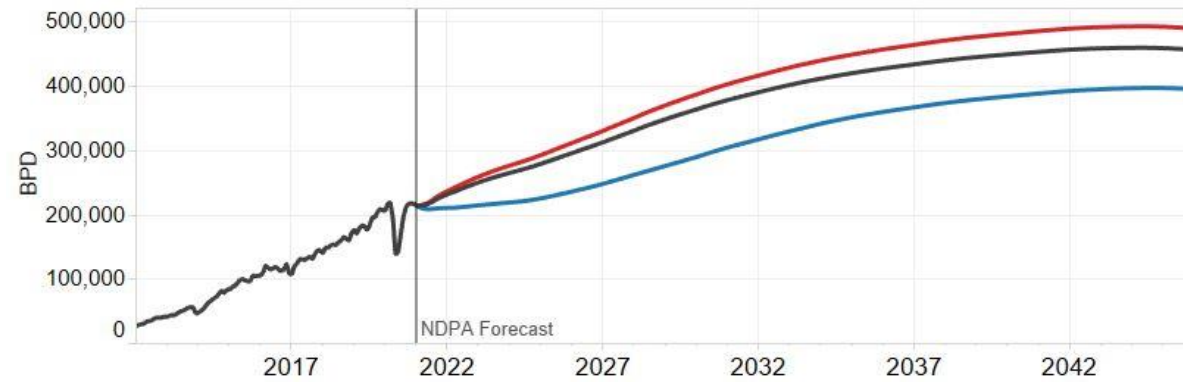
All Natural Gas Liquids



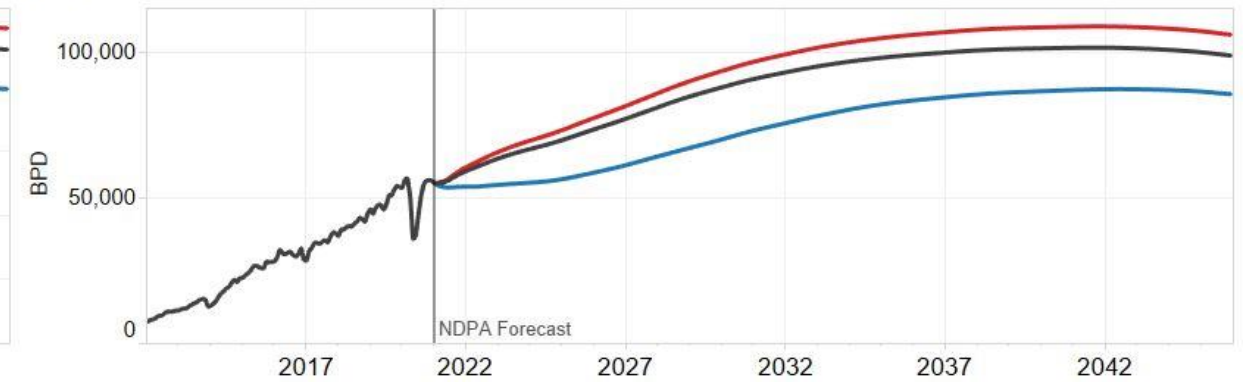
Ethane



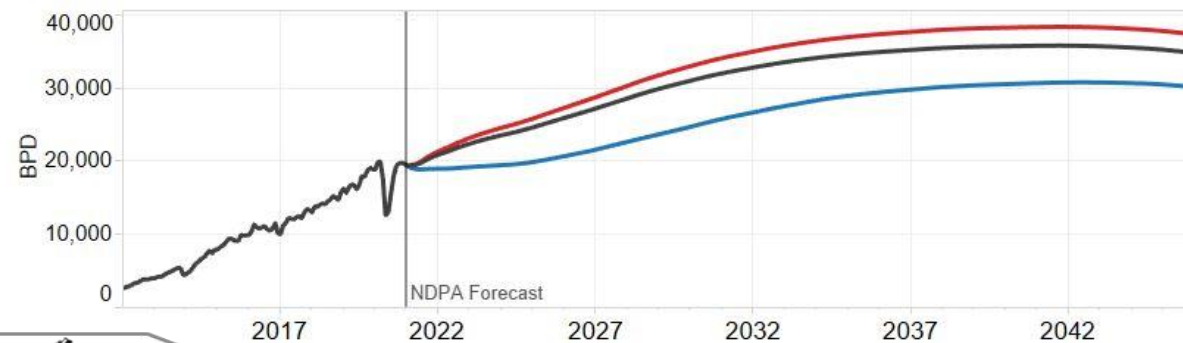
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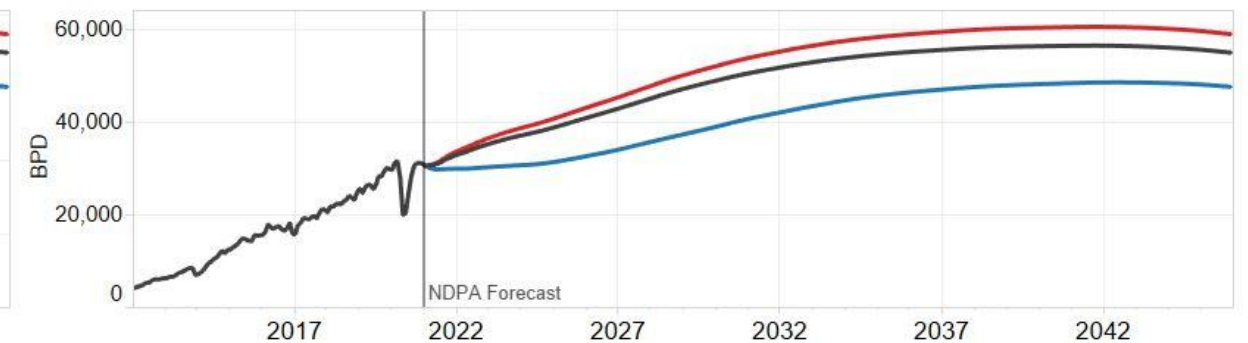
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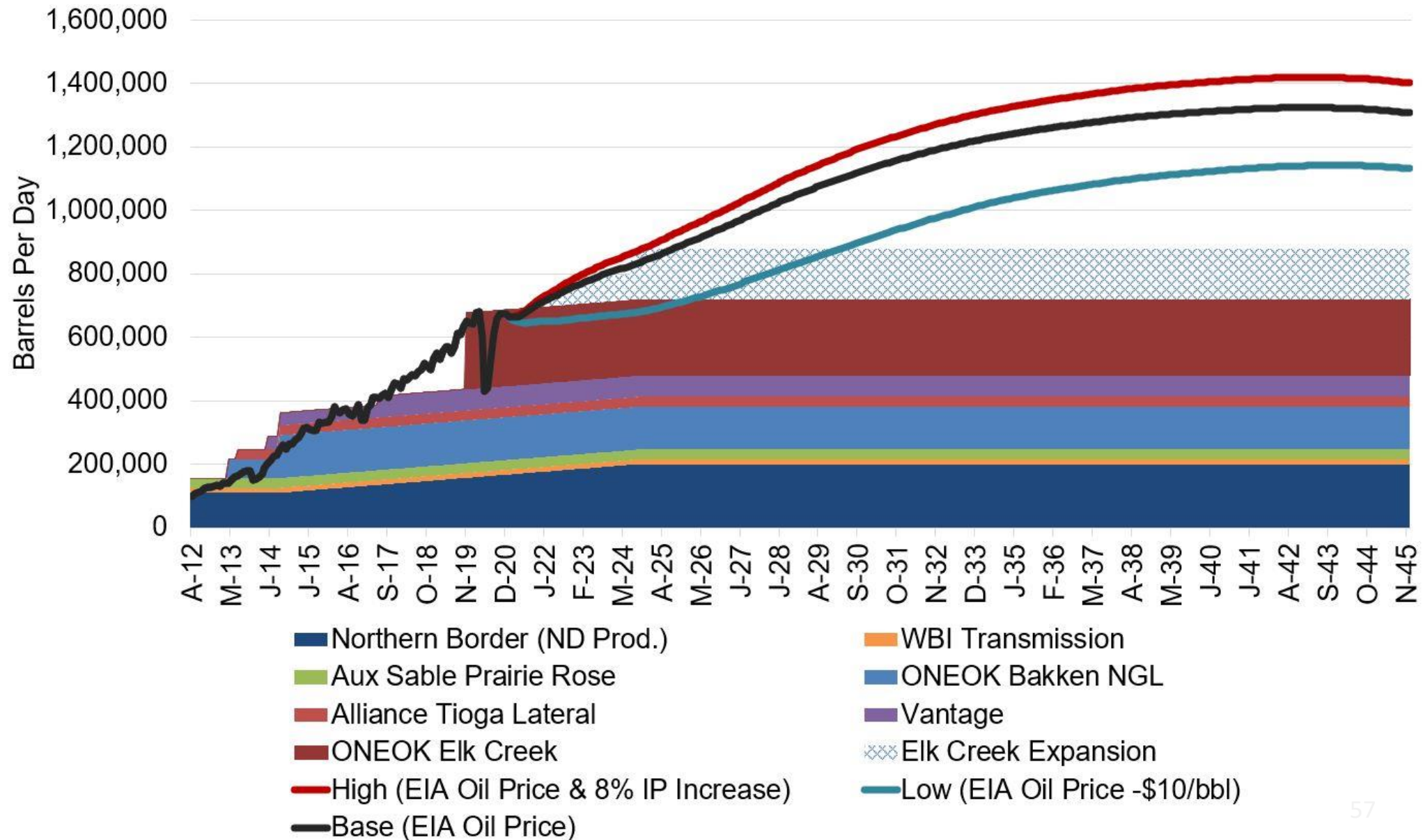
Isobutane



Natural Gasoline

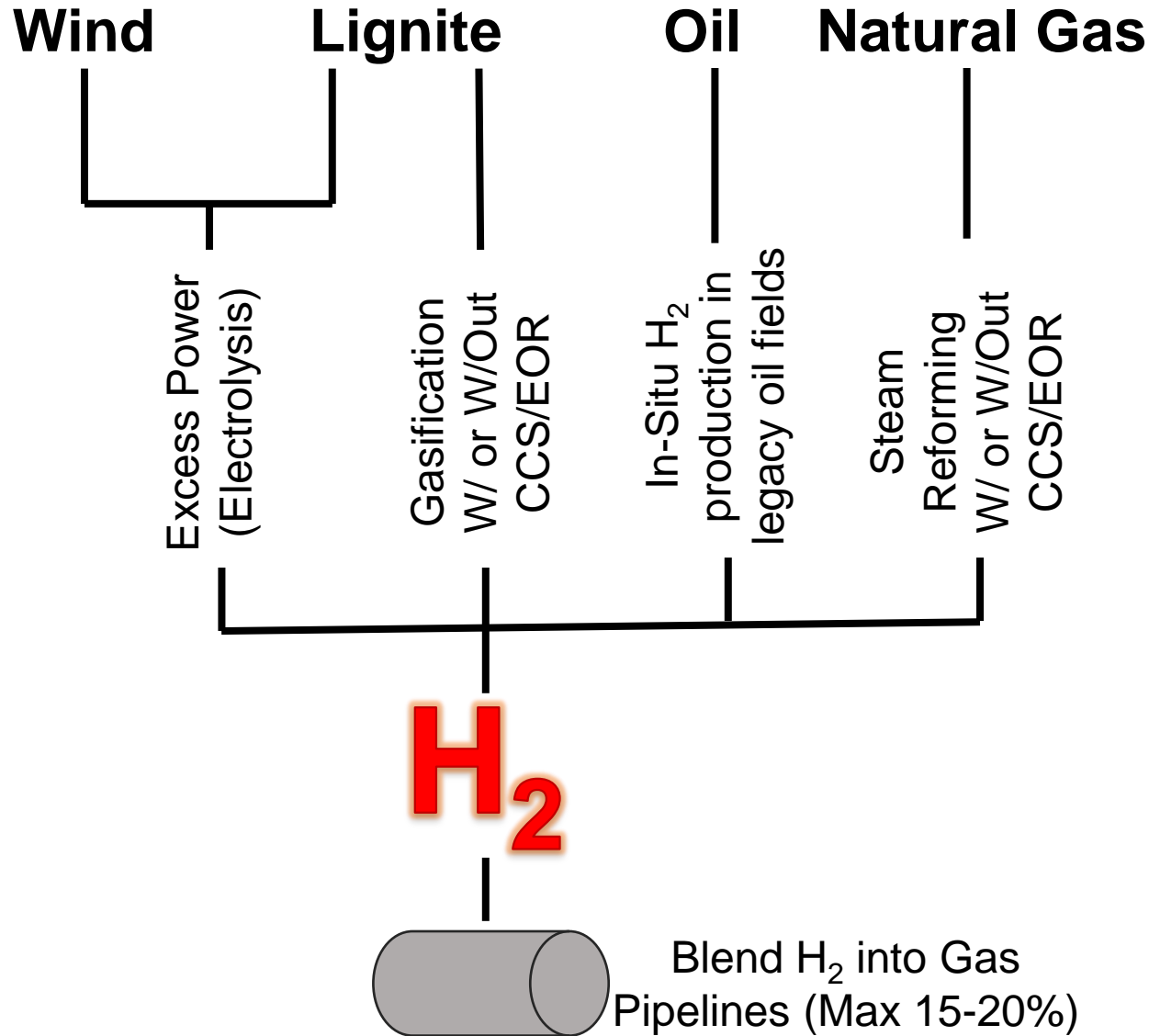


# NGL Pipeline Takeaway Options





# Exploring Hydrogen Solutions



## Electric Generation

- Large and Immediate Market for Excess Power in Regional Pipelines
- Excess Electrons Sold for H<sub>2</sub> BTU Value in Gas Markets
- Gas Pipelines Could Support Intermittent Deliveries
- Gasification Options for Lignite



## Gas Pipelines & Petroleum

- Lowers Pipeline BTU
- Possible Support for Expansion Efforts
- Gas Marketing Advantages with Renewable or Carbon-Free Sources of H<sub>2</sub>
- In-situ H<sub>2</sub> production in legacy fields
- Natural Gas Steam Reforming W/CCS or EOR Options



## North Dakota

- Grows the "Energy Pie"
- Supports Current and Future Jobs
- First Step in Hydrogen Bridge for New Industries (Petchem, Fertilizer, Renewable Natural Gas, vehicles, etc.)
- ESG Benefits?



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