

UNECE Gas Centre

UNECE GAS CENTRE MORE THAN 16 YEARS PLATFORM GAS INDUSTRIES

- Exchange of :
 - Information on company, national and international level
 - Opinions on recent developments
 - Expectations on company and market level
- Database (technical, company and market level)
- Assistance (workshop and bilateral)

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- More than 20 leading companies
- Trust Fund
- Professional Staff
- Experienced Administrative Support
- Some 10-12 meetings per year:
 - Executive Board + Bureau
 - High Level
 - Task Forces
 - Technical Committee
 - Ad hoc activities and presentations
 - New initiative : Gas Centre Industry Forum

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- **2009 Working Programme:**
 - **Task Force on Transportation and Tariffs changed into:
Task Force on Supply, Infrastructure and Markets**
 - **Task Force on the Implementation of the EU Gas Directives**
 - **Further development of the database, updating data and
interactive gas map**
 - **Special focus on LNG during the High-Level Conference and Visit
(Fos-sur-Mer, France)**
 - **Cost cutting:**
 - **Decrease of memberships**
 - **Less participation in meetings**

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- 2010 Working Programme (1)

- Specific focus by the Task Forces

- Supply, Infrastructure and Markets:

- . Development of new infrastructure/cross-border connections/security of supply
 - . Transit tariffs

- Implementation of the EU Gas Directives:

- . 3rd Package (EU), particularly from the gas industry perspective
 - . Regulation on Security of Supply

- Database/Website:

- . Update market/company data
 - . Improving access by member companies
 - . Increasing/updating links

- Ad hoc activities (workshop, presentations, etc.)

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- **2010 Working Programme (2)**
 - **High Level Conference – Croatia/Plinacro (8-9 June 2010) on the Gas Industry in South-Eastern Europe (Supply/infrastructure and market development)**
 - **Gas Centre Industry Forum (24 March 2010)**
 - . **Take-or-Pay article in LTC**
 - . **In-depth presentations/discussions/solutions**
 - . **Member and non-member companies**
 - **Reporting**
 - **Cooperation with Working Party on Gas**
 - **New member companies**