



Activities of UNECE Ad Hoc Group of Experts on the Supply and Use of Gas

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Issues for Discussion:

- Scope of work
- Working plan for 2007-2008
- Study on effective gas use
- Preliminary analysis of key gas use figures
- Organization of the international forum “Week of Efficient Distribution and Utilization of Gas” (September 2007, Moscow)



Ad Hoc Group of Experts: Activity Scope

- Accumulation and analysis of proposals on the Ad Hoc group future activities;
- Consulting;
- Development of research Programme of gas use efficiency improvement
- Contribution to organization of the the international forum “Week of Efficient Distribution and Utilization of Gas”, Moscow, September 2007



Study of Effective Gas Use

Purpose: Gas saving potential assessment, including influence over gas demand and energy safety

Major objectives:

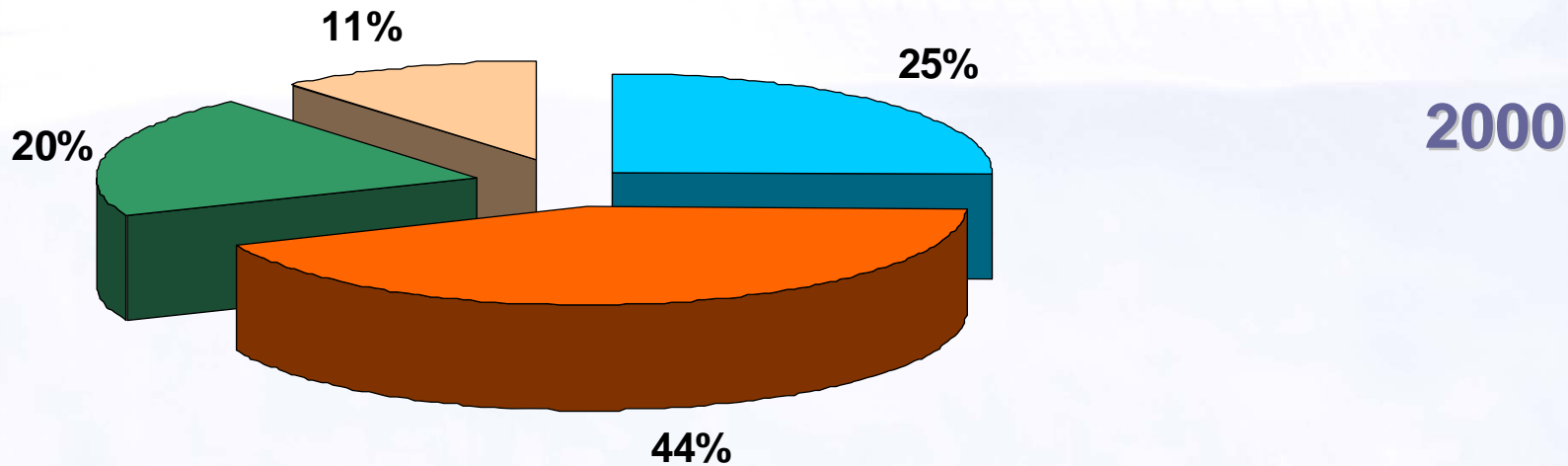
- Analysis of efficient gas use practices and economic and organizational base to support gas use efficiency
- Development of gas use efficiency improvement recommendations
- Assessment of gas demand elasticity, gas supply risks and energy safety of the European states

Programme of Research

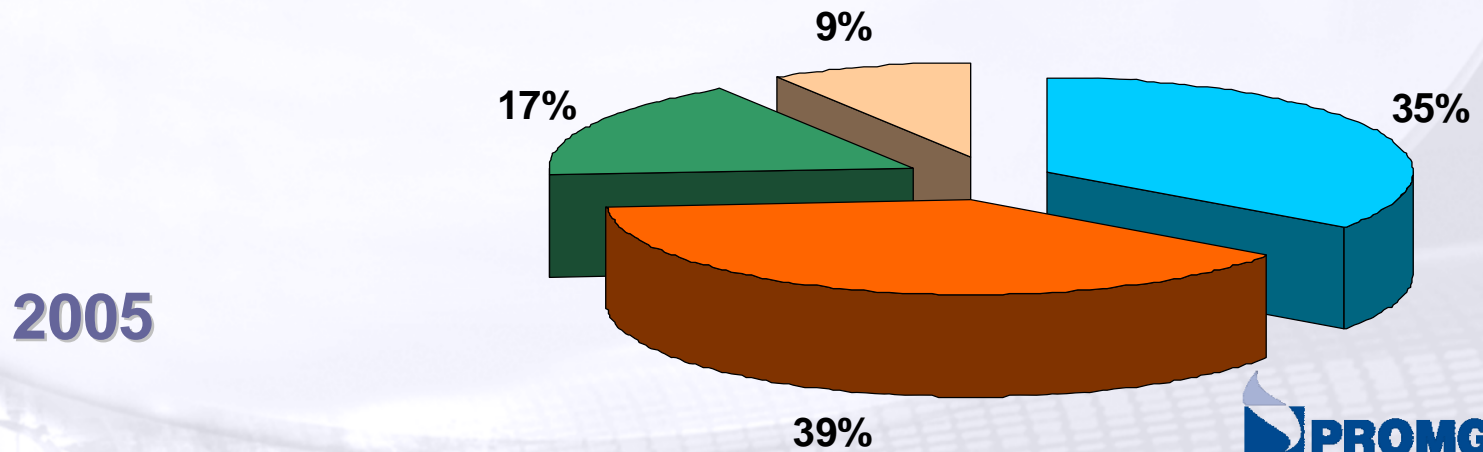
- Analysis of gas sector structure and functioning;
- Analysis of gas market regulation and legislative basis;
- Energy efficiency and current situation with energy saving;
- Review of gas saving technologies and equipment;
- Development of measures inducing energy saving;
- Assessment of gas saving opportunities and of energy saving measures economic efficiency.



Pattern of Fuel and Energy Consumption in the EU countries in 2000-2005

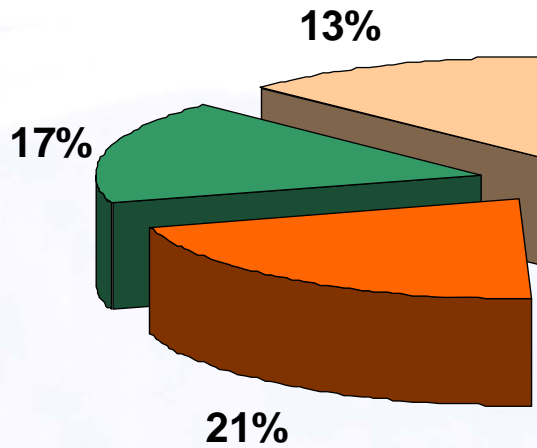


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- Coal
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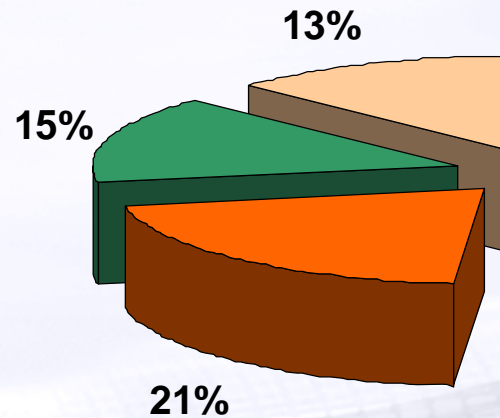


Pattern of Fuel and Energy Consumption in the Russian Federation in 2000-2005



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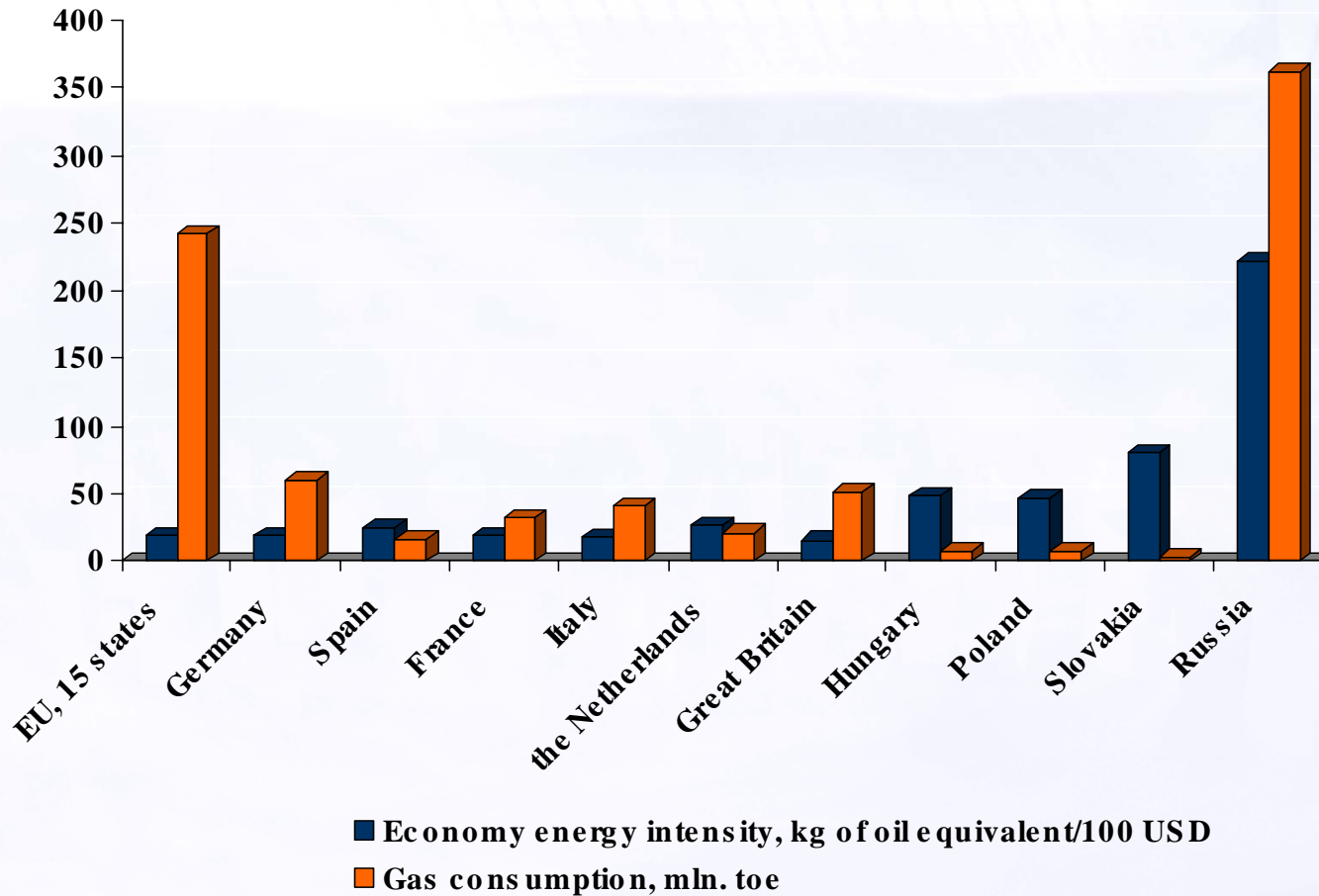
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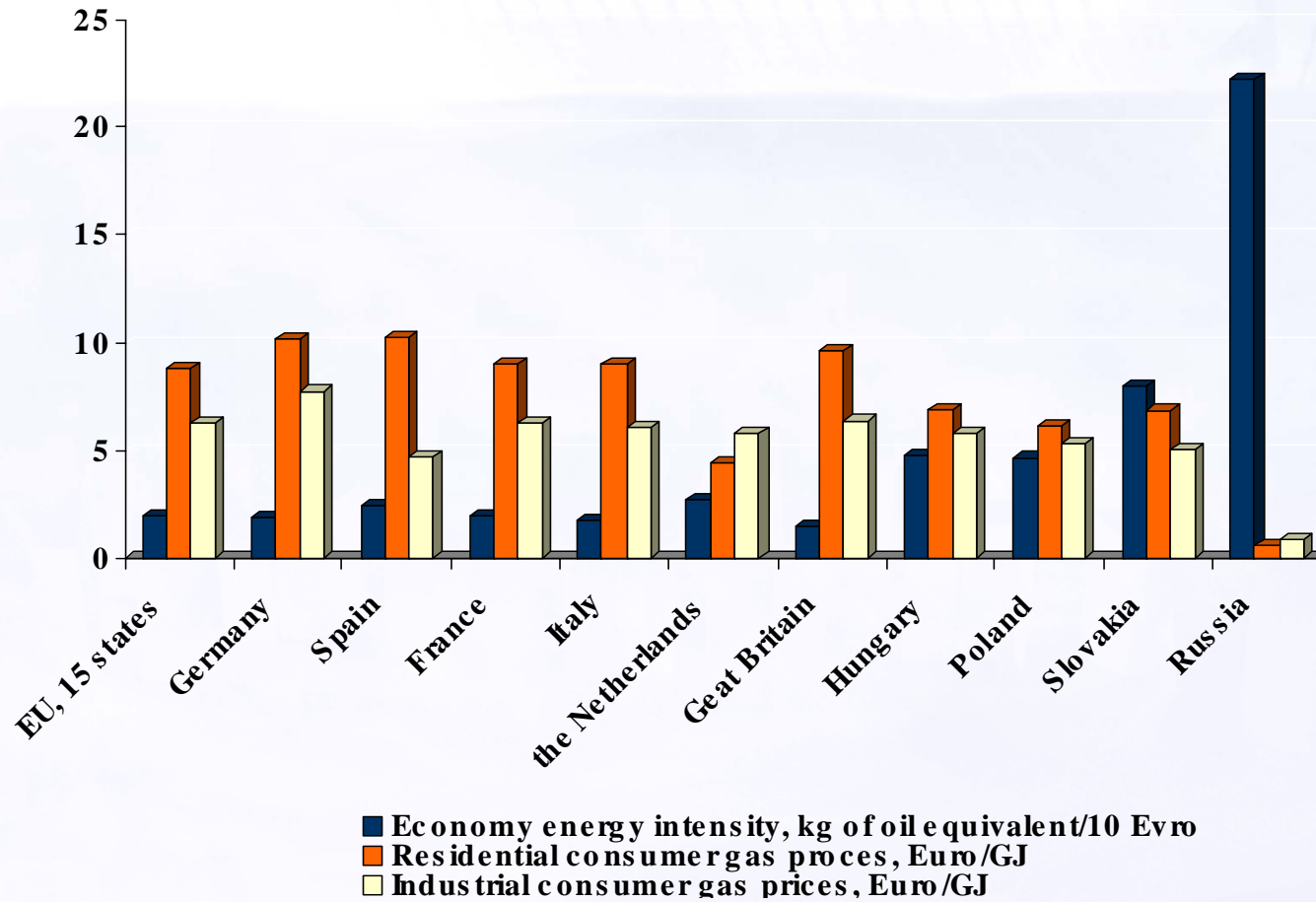


Gas Consumption and Energy Efficiency in European Economies (2005)





Gas Prices and Economy Energy Efficiency in European Countries (2005)





Week of Efficient Distribution and Utilization of Gas

Moscow, 25-28 September 2007





Major Objectives

- **Contribution to development of state mechanism inducing efficient use of gas in the Russian Federation**
- **Stimulation of state-of-the-art gas saving technologies market**
- **Promotion of modern gas distribution and gas-using equipment**
- **Establishment of a permanent meeting platform for discussion of important gas distribution and gas use issues among Russian power structures, Russian and foreign companies, international gas industry organizations**



Programme Overview (preliminary)

	September 25, 2007 Tuesday	September 26, 2007 Wednesday	September 27, 2007 Thursday	September 28, 2007 Friday							
9:00	GasSUF-2007 exhibition programme	International Conference: Efficient Distribution and Utilization of Gas	Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki							
10:00					Business Programme of GasSUF-2007	Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki				
11:00					NGVRUS and NACP International Conferences			Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki		
					Gaseous Fuels for transportation					Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki
					Cryogenic Technologies for Industry, House and Transportation						
	Current Challenges in the Corrosion Protection	Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki								
16:00	Cocktail for conferences' participants			Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki						
17:00						Meeting of IGU WOC 4 "Distribution" Venue: Promgaz	Meeting of IGU WOC 5 "Utilization" Venue: Sokolniki				
18:00	Gala Dinner for the Exhibitors							Reception and dinner for Conference participants	Reception and dinner for IGU WOC4 and WOC5 delegates	Cultural program	
19:00											

Abbreviations:
 NGVRUS – National Gas Vehicle Association, Russia
 NACP RUS – National Association for Corrosion Protection, Russia
 IGU – International Gas Union
 WOC – Working Committee





Forum Organization

Organizers:

- **Gazprom**
- **Promgaz**
- **National Gas Vehicle Association, Russia**

Under the auspices of:

- **International Gas Union**
- **UNECE**
- **Russian Gas Society**
- **Other interested organizations**





UNECE Contribution

- **Participation of UNECE experts in the events of the Week of Efficient Distribution and Utilization of Gas**
- **Forum information support**
- **Engagement of experts from UNECE partner organizations to participate in the forum**