# Energy Security Challenges in Iran

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#### Role of Energy

- Energy is central to improved social and economic wellbeing
- Indispensable to most industrial and commercial wealth generations
- It is the main factor for:
- Relieving poverty
- Improving human welfare
- Raising living standards
- Energy has a fundamental role in moving toward:
- Sustainable development
- Social actualization in modern age

#### History of Iran's Energy

- Unprecedented concession granted by Nāṣer-al-Din Shah in 1872 to Baron Julius de Reuter
- The concession covered the entire territory of Persia
- Gave Reuter the exclusive rights and monopoly, to exploit all mineral resources, for 70 years
- D'Arcy Concession, a petroleum oil concession
- Signed in 1901 between William Knox D'Arcy and Mozzafar al-Din Shah
- The oil concession gave D'Arcy the exclusive rights to prospect for oil in Persia
- They were about to give up but eventually struck large commercial quantities of oil in 1908.

#### APOC to BP

- After the large commercial quantities of oil were found, the Anglo-Persian Oil Company took over the concession in 1909
- The Anglo-Persian Oil Company (APOC) was a British company founded in 1908 following the discovery of a large oil field in Masjed Soleiman, Iran
- The first company to extract petroleum from Iran
- In 1935 APOC was renamed the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company (AIOC)
- in 1954 it became the British Petroleum Company (BP)
- Now, Beyond Petroleum

#### Main Events in Iran's Energy Sector

- 1909, Establishment of APOC, Concession, 14% net profit for Iran
- 1933, Revising of Contract, 16% net profit for Iran
- 1951, Nationalization of Iranian Oil Industry
- 1953, Contract with Consortium, Concession, 50% net profit
- 1979, Islamic Revolution, rejecting Concession in Iran's Constitution
- 1979-2015, Age of Contract Services, Buy Back Agreements
- 2016: New Iran Petroleum Contract (IPC)
- Caspian: Production Sharing Agreement (PSA)

#### Background of Energy Security

- War as Usual
- Cold War Era (No War and No Security)
- Distributed Security vs./or/and Global Sustainable Security:
- Tangible dangers:
  - Increase in energy prices

- increased world competition for energy resources faced with the rapid emergence of some huge economies: BRICS

- Lack of equitable distribution between major powers, sometimes at the expense of less developed countries

- Security paradigm: the equilibrium paradigm.
- Equilibrium is a condition of security; it is a pattern goes across
- Mechanics, Thermodynamics, Chemistry, Biology, economics, sociology, Linguistics, & Art
- Mathematics of the idea of equilibrium gives the foundations: From Lagrange's analytical mechanics to the Nash equilibrium in the theory of strategic games.

### **Different Definitions**

#### 5 Ss:

- Supply: Having resources, such as fossil fuels, alternative energy and renewable energy
- Sufficiency: Aadequate quantity of fuel and services from these sources
- Surety: Having access to them
- Survivability: Resilient and durable sources of energy in the face of disruption or damage
- Sustainability: Reducing waste and limiting damage to the environment

## **Different Definitions II**

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- Availability
- Accessibility
- Affordability
- Acceptability

## Energy security - definiton

Usually 3 components are included:

- Reliability
- Affordability
- Environmental friendliness

Different perspectives of the consumer, supplier and transit country

English: GDP per capita 2015 over \$64,000 \$32,000-64,000 \$16,000-32,000 \$8,000-16,000 \$4,000-8,000 \$2,000-4,000 \$1,000-2,000 \$500-1,000 below \$500 10 unavailable 17 March 2016

#### Aggregate Oil and Gas Proven Reserves

	Oil Proven Reserves (bb)	Gas Proven Reserves (tcm)	Gas Proven Reserves (bbe)	Total Oil and Gas (bbe)	% of World Proven oil & gas Reserves
Russia	109.5	32.3	199	308.5	10.8
Iran	158.4	33.5	206.4	364.8	12.8
Saudi Arabia	266.5	8.4	51.7	318.2	11.1
Qatar	25.2	24.3	149.7	174.9	6.1
Venezuela	300.9	5.7	35.1	336.0	11.8
United States	48.0	8.7	53.6	101.6	3.6
World	1706.7	186.6	1149.5	2856.2	100 11

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# Iran's Energy Security

- Energy Supply Security: as a consumer
- Energy Demand Security: as an exporter
- Middle East traditional producer
- An Asian player

#### Middle East Sub Region



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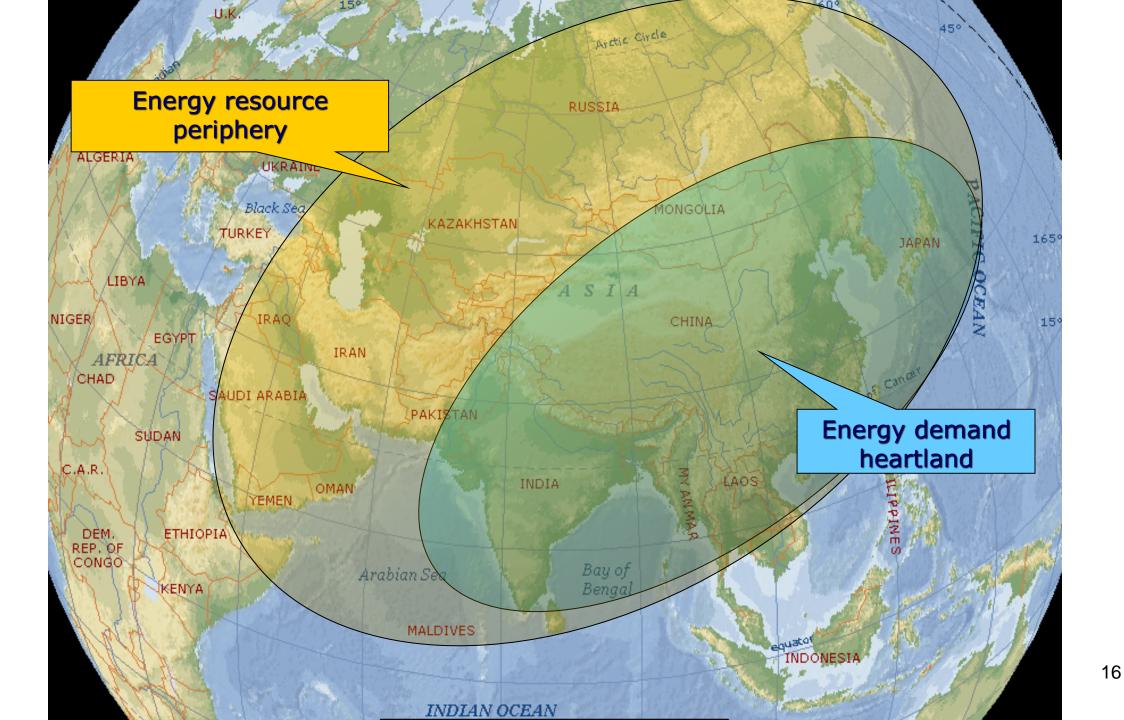
#### Asian Identity



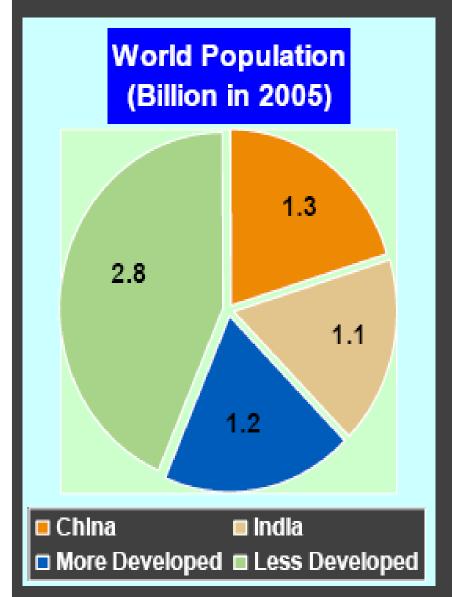
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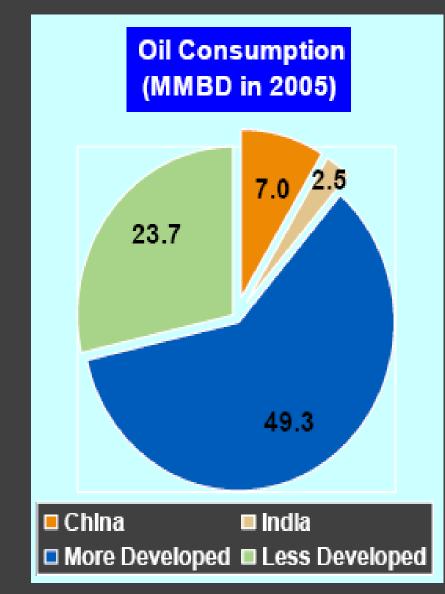
## Iran & Asia

- Asia is producing, trading and consuming a growing proportion of the world's energy.
- In terms of consumption, the economic growth of East and South Asian economies will translate into a massive increase in demand for energy.
- China's consumption of oil will increase by 156 per cent by 2025
- India's oil consumption will rise by 152 per cent over the same period.



#### China and India rise to materiality changes everything; conventional supply cannot match trend demand





#### West-East Asia

- The proportion of oil and gas in the total energy mix of Asia's developing economies is projected to rise, and most major economies in North, Southeast and South Asia will rely on imports of oil and gas.
- West and Central Asia provide an increasing proportion of global oil and gas production, as estimates of reserves predict that other sources will run out sooner and will be unable to provide surplus capacity

## Trade Regionalization

- Because of globalization and transparency of global energy trade:
- Transport costs and logistical considerations had been major shapers of energy commerce
- Major energy importers in East and South Asia are increasingly relying on West Asian exporters for their oil and gas
- North America moves towards Atlantic basin supplies
- Europe towards Central Asian, African, and Atlantic Basin supplies

## Energy & Investment in Asia

- West Asia has emerged as the 'natural supplier' of Pacific Asia
- Asia– Pacific takes 60% of West Asia's oil and gas production, 66% of its exports
- Imports 80% of its oil from West Asia.
- interdependent investment patterns, with East Asian economies beginning to invest in upstream energy-producing operations in West Asia
- West Asian investors buying into downstream refining and distribution in East Asia

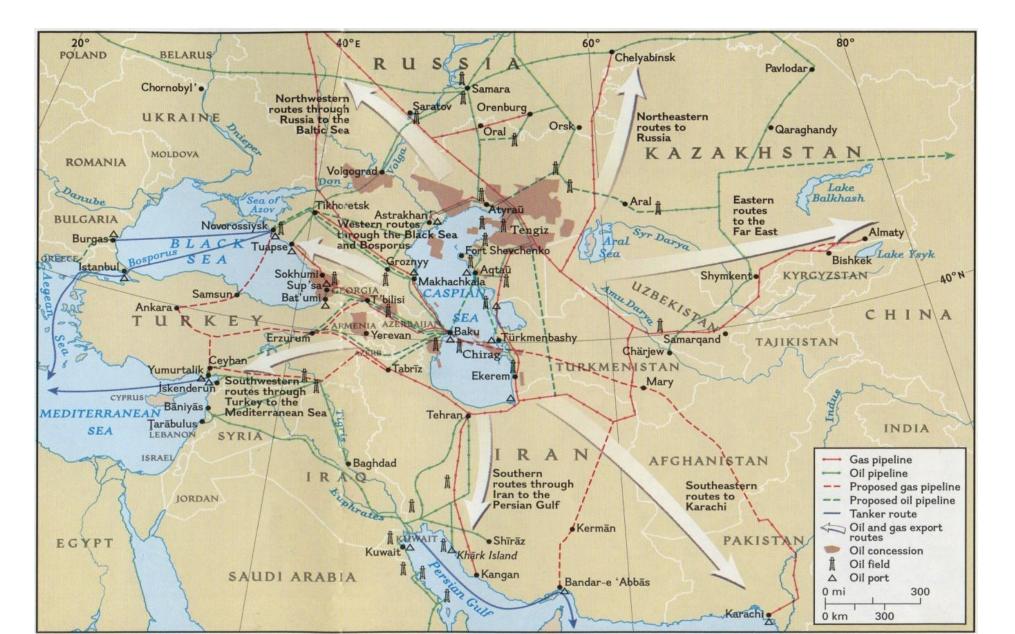
## **Central Asia**

- Energy importers in South and East Asia are also showing increasing interest in Central Asian sources of oil and gas production.
- Although lagging behind the level of trade and investment with West Asia, the East and South Asian presence in Central Asian energy markets is growing
- The energy trade demonstrates, more clearly than any other commodity, the growing integration among Asia's sub-regions

## Energy in CA&C

- Energy is one of the resources that could support the development
- But the geopolitics of pipelines is the key factor for the phenomenon of new dependency to other countries
- Russia is trying to dominate all of energy infrastructure in Eurasia

#### **Energy Routes at a Glance**



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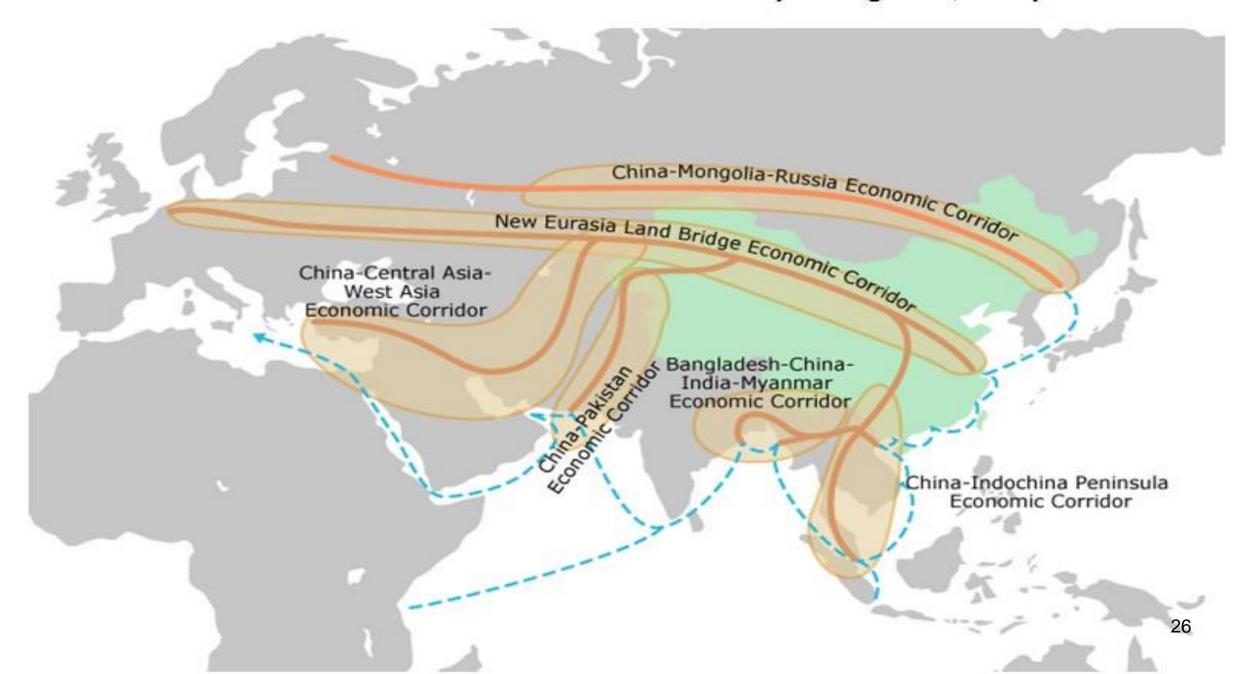


Several routes are proposed for the 'new Silk Road.'



McKinsey&Company

The Belt and Road Initiative: Six Economic Corridors Spanning Asia, Europe and Africa

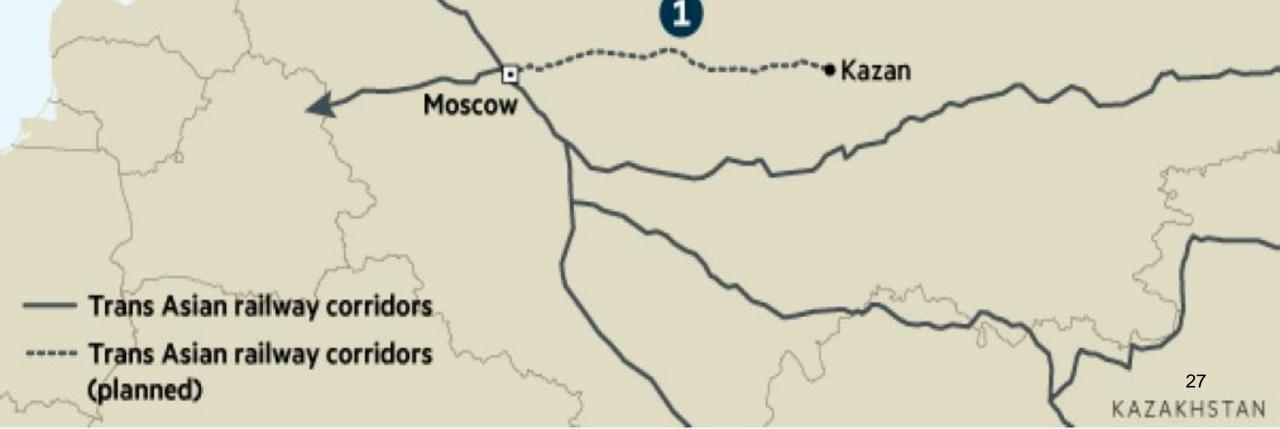


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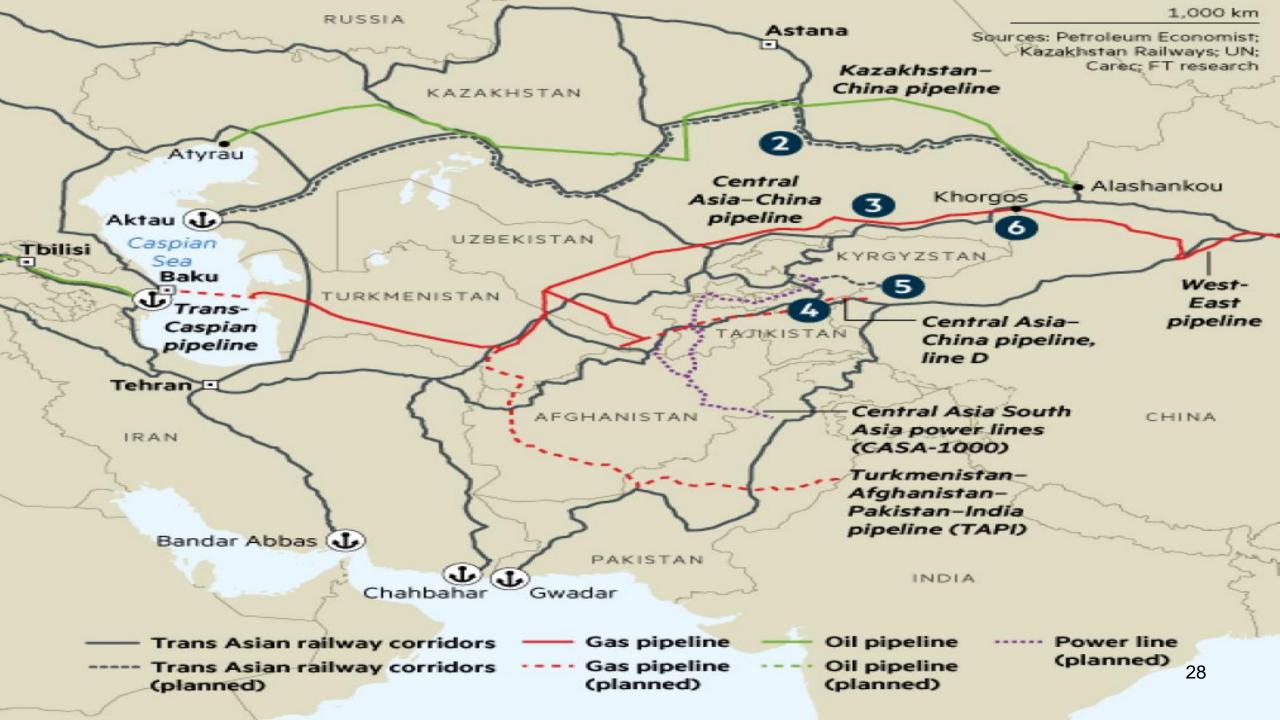
Sources: Petroleum Economist; Kazakhstan Railways; UN; Carec; FT research

# **Moscow-Kazan Fast Train**

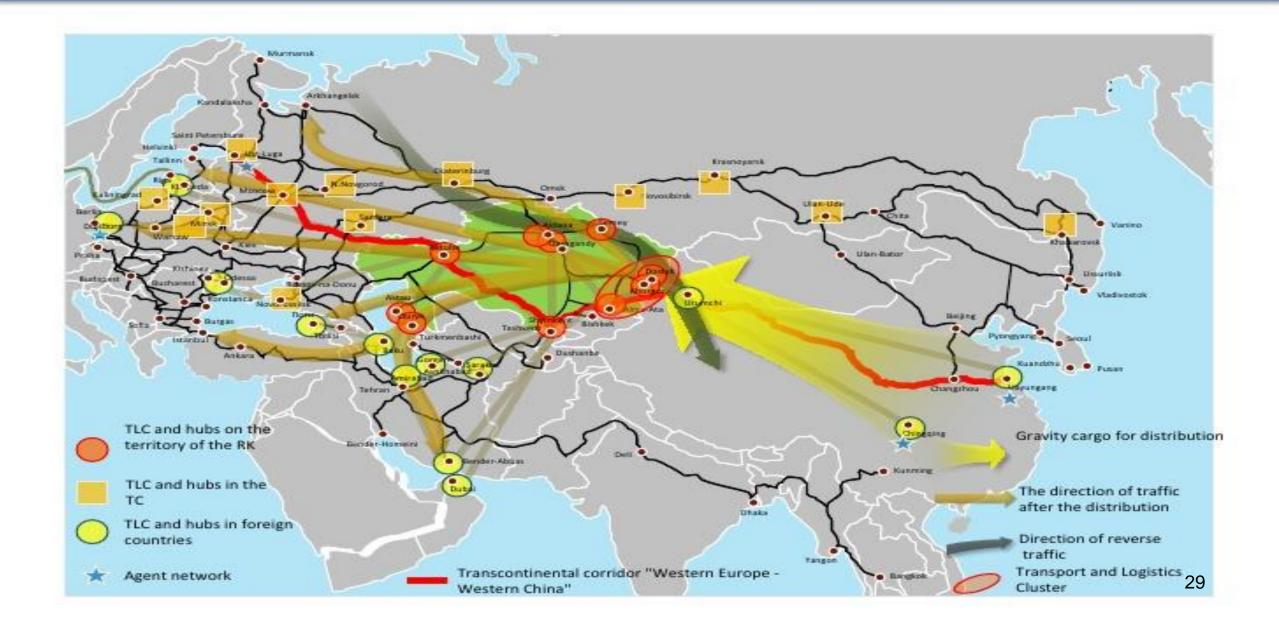
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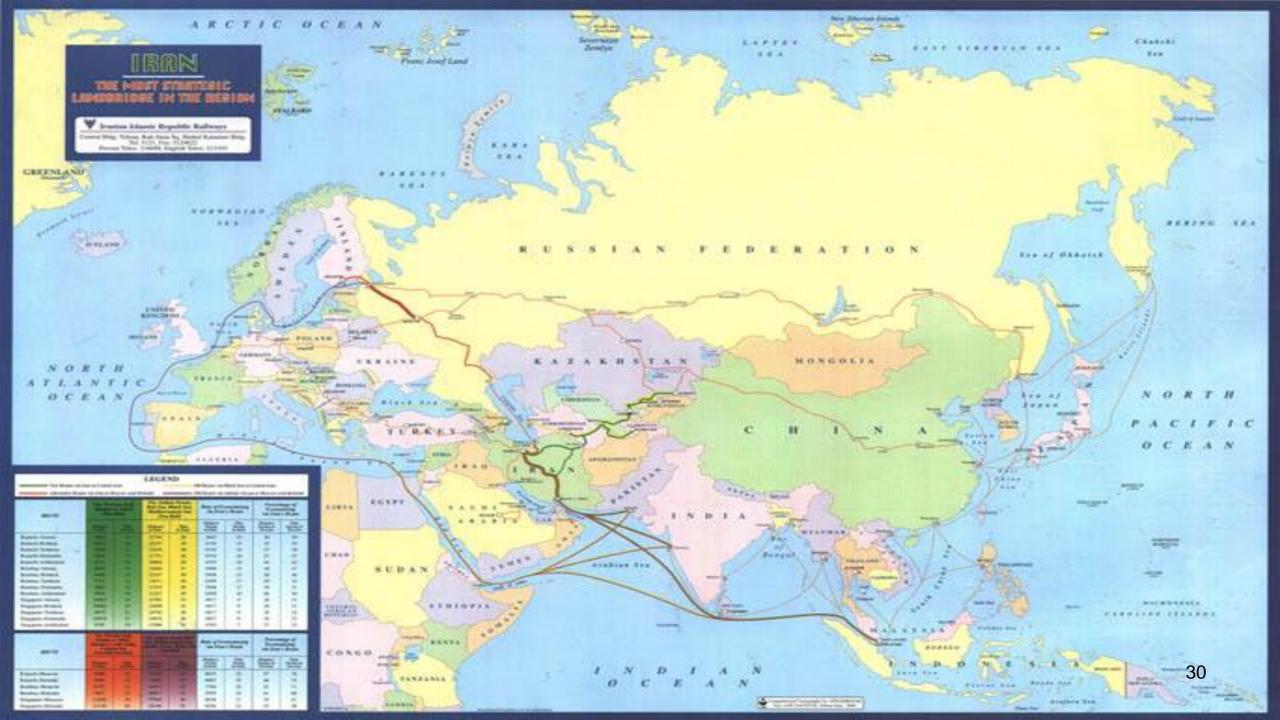


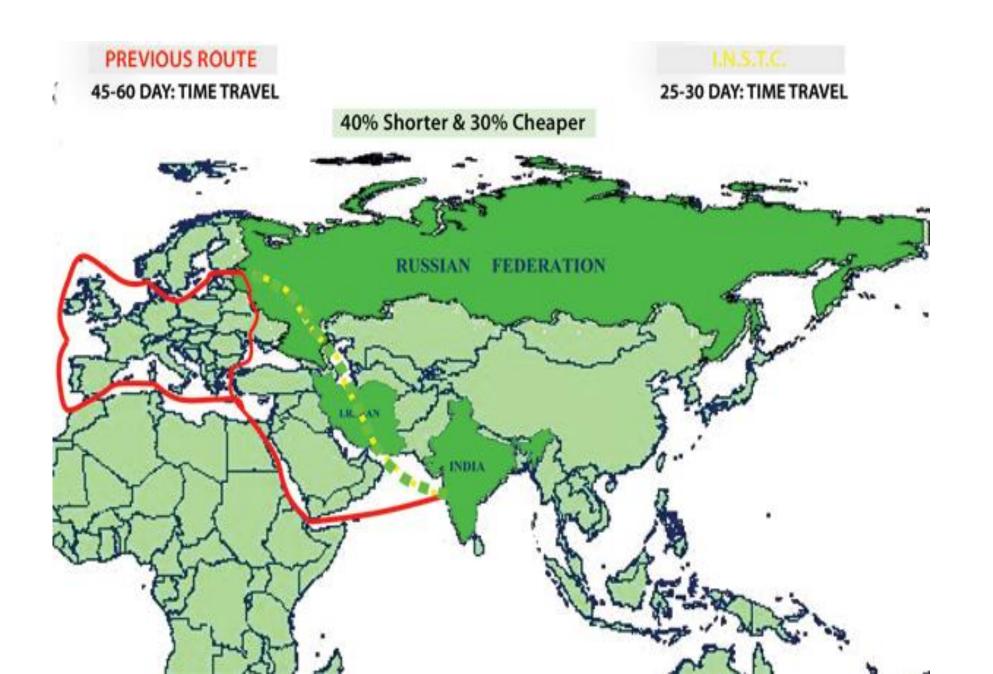
RUSSIA



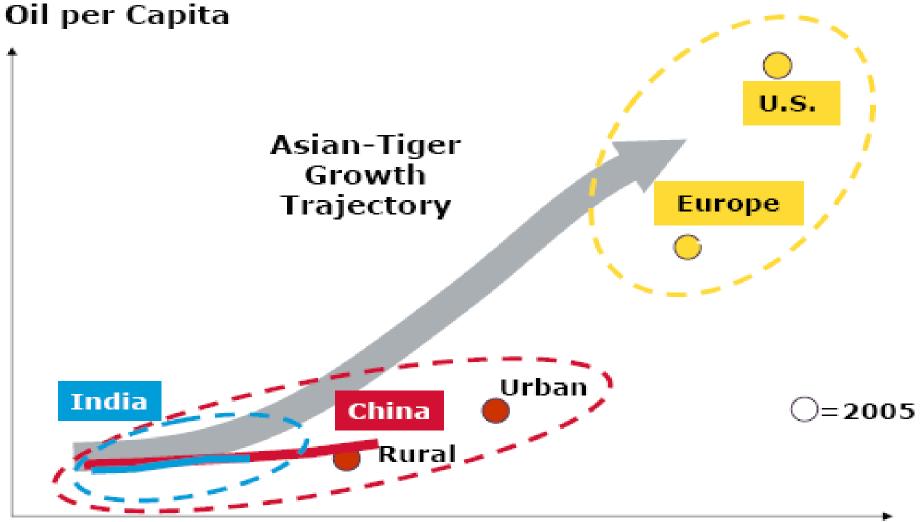
#### **Transportation and logistics hub "Khorgos – East Gate"**







#### Income Expansion Underpins Growth in Energy Demand



GDP per Capita

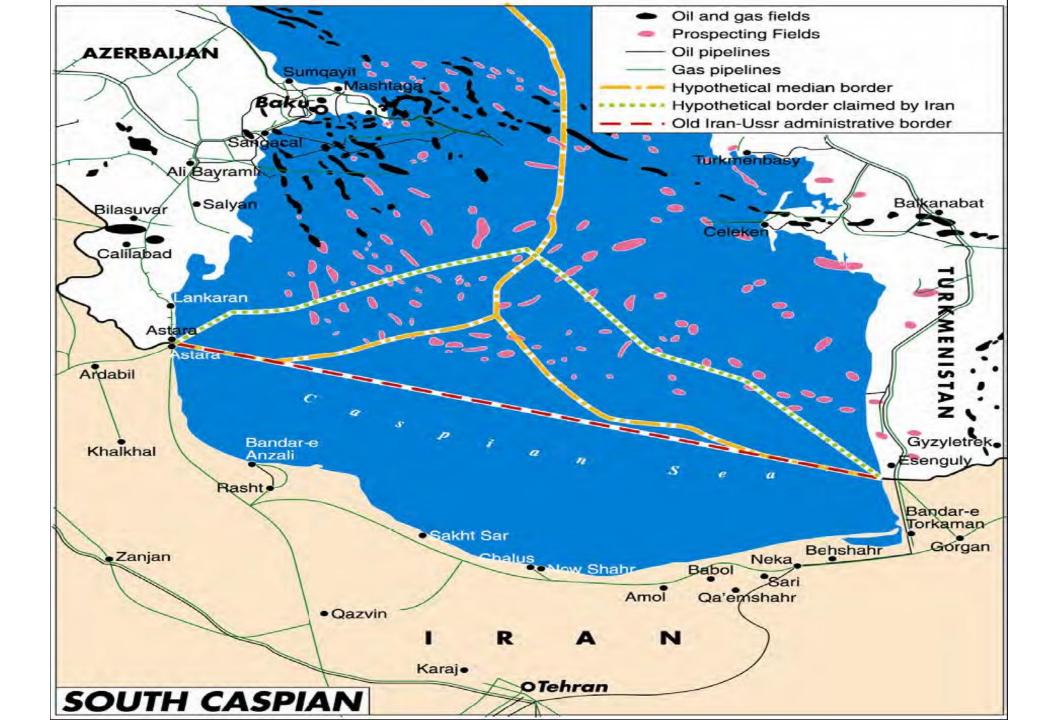


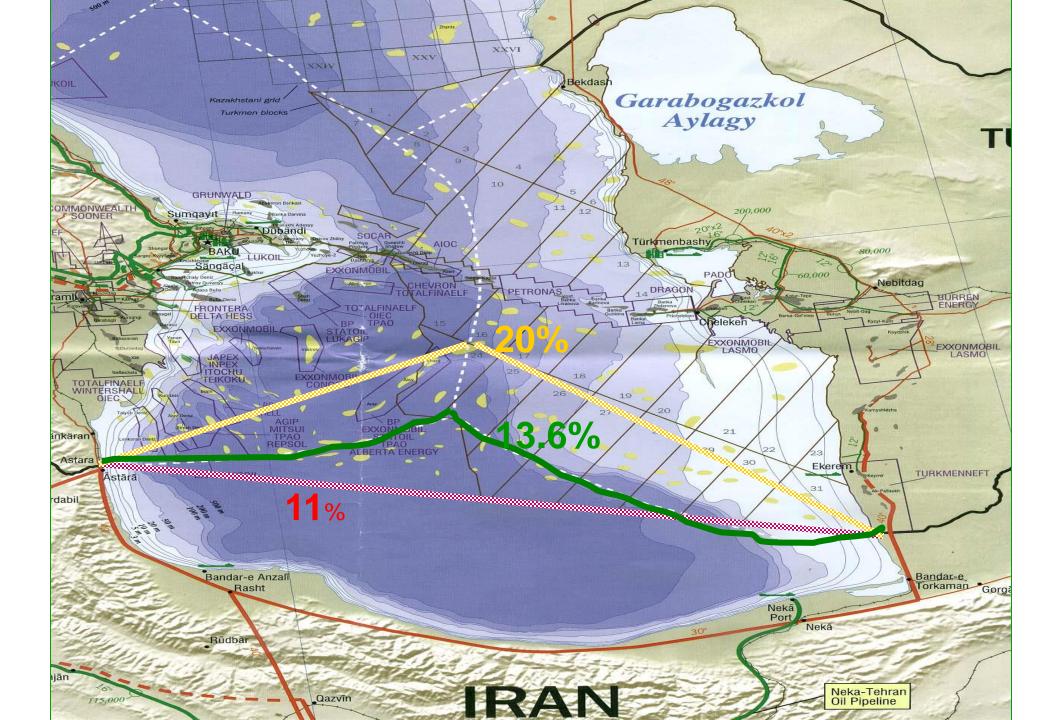
# Energy security – vulnerability of transport routes

- Vulnerable energy transport chokepoints
   Strait of Hormuz
- Strait of Malacca
- **Bosporus Strait**
- Terrorism and vulnerability of energy
  infrastructure

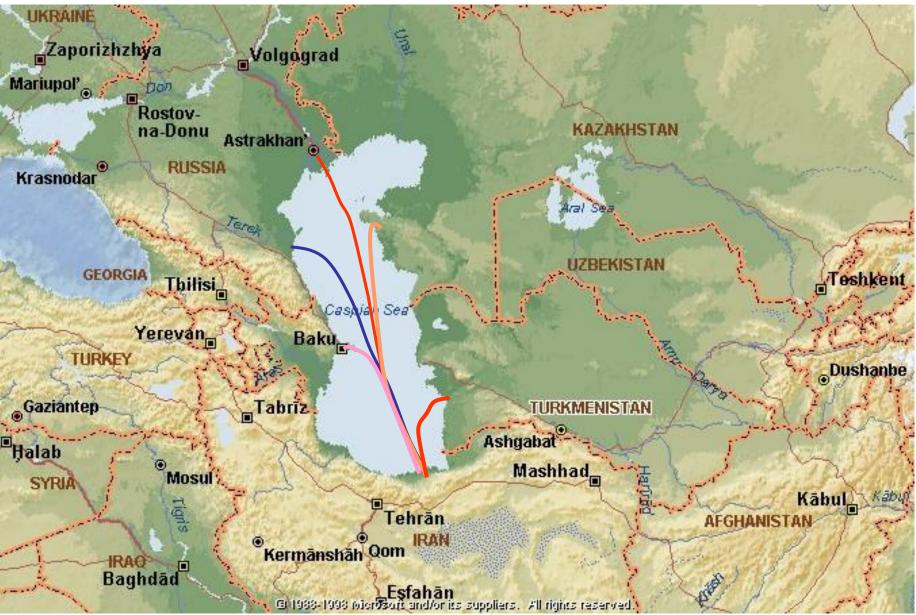




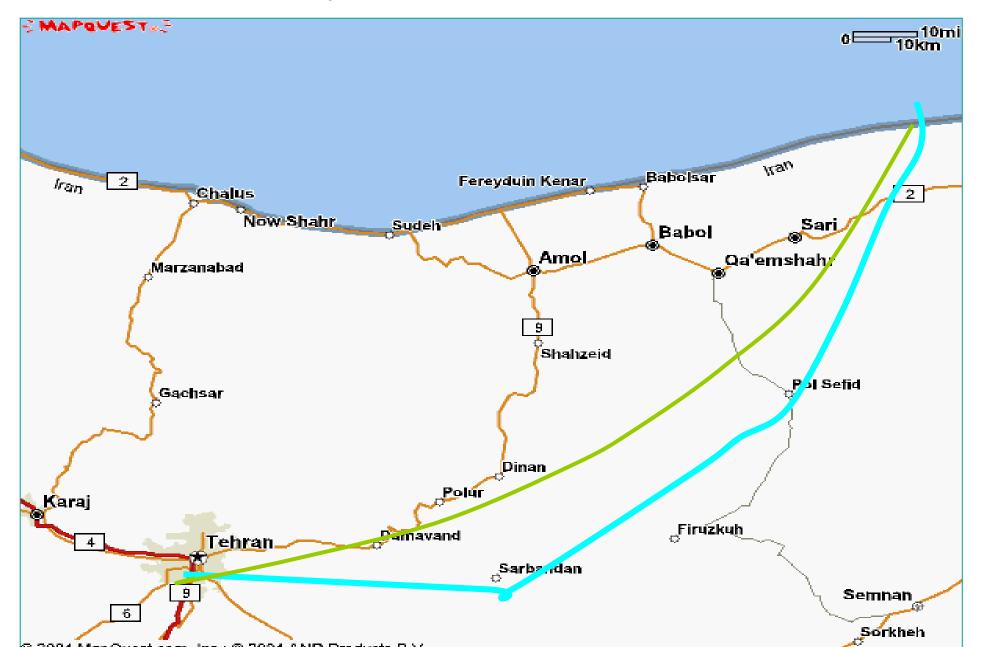




### Caspian Oil Terminals and Neka



### Neka-Ray Old and New Pipeline



## Europe

- Role of energy in the process of European integration
- Energy resources
- 1% of world's proven oil reserves
- 2% of world's proven natural gas reserves
- 4% of the world's proven coal reserves
- By 2020 2/3 of European energy consumption is expected to be imported
- EU is the 2nd largest consumer of energy in the world

# EU

• TPEC

42% oil

- 24% natural gas
- 14% nuclear energy
- 13% coal

6% renewables

Portion of natural gas in TPEC rose rapidly over last 3 decades • Electricity mix 31% nuclear 30% coal 20% natural gas 4% oil Member states split on the issue of nuclear energy

## To ensure energy security, the European Union proposes:

- to diversify energy supply sources (expanding the range of foreign suppliers, using renewable energy sources);
- to promote energy-saving development;
- to develop cooperation with traditional energy suppliers, primarily with Russia.

For the European Union, the energy dialogue provides opportunities for:

- access Russian energy resources, primarily oil and gas;
- creation conditions for diversifying energy imports;
- enhancing the sustainability of energy supply to the EU.

## Iran and Europe

- Iran and Europe have had contacts with each other from old centuries.
- The history of Iranian peoples in Europe stretches back as far as 750 BC, when a Proto-Scythian culture thrived in Eastern Europe
- As for the Iranians, Europe has in the past 150 years been associated simultaneously with its potential threats to Iran's national security
- As a shield to its sovereignty and national interests from foreign adversaries.

## Iran: OPEC Member

- Iran is obliged to OPEC share and therefore is avoiding flooding the market with its oil.
- Player between OPEC and None-OPEC
- Russian oil companies wanted to recover market shares lost since the demise of the Soviet Union.
- OPEC and Non-OPEC cut 600,000 b/d each in the second quarter of 2016.

# NIOC International Performance

MOU	<ul> <li>22 MOUs have been signed</li> <li>6 IOCs are negotiating for signing MOU</li> </ul>
HOA	• Contract
Tender	• Contract

- Total Investment: \$200 b
- Upstream: \$130 b
- Petrochemic al \$70 b

# Priorities of NIOC- MOU

### Developing Common Fields

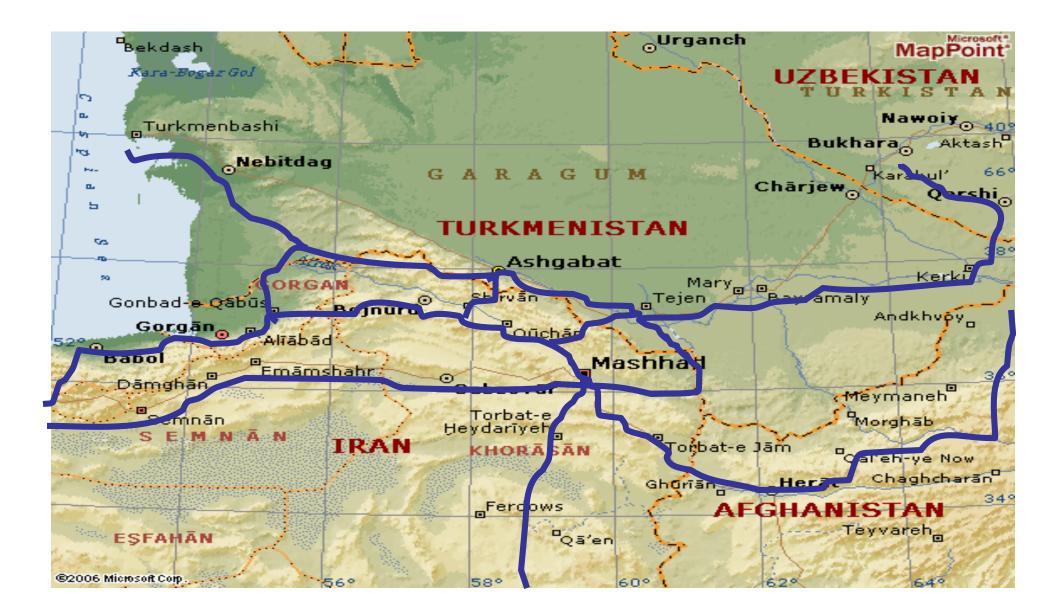
- South Azadegan
- South Pars Oil Layer
- Darkhowein- 3<sup>rd</sup> Phase
- Sohrab,
- Bande-Karkheh
- Arvand

• Ab-Teymour

**IOR/EOR** 

- Ahwaz-Bangestan
- Mansouri-Bangestan
- Salman
- Aban
- Paydar
- Danan
- West Paydar
- Cheshmeh-Khosh
- Dalpari
- Naft Shar
- Sumar
- Dehloran
- Balal

## **Great Khorasan Routes**





#### Natural Gas Iran

### **Pipelines**



Azerbaijan & Turkmenistan

#### <u>Export</u>

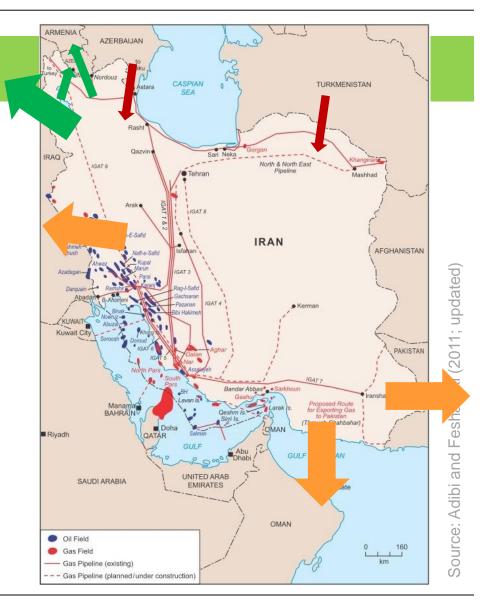


Armenia, Azerbaijan & Turkey

#### Possible Export



- Pakistan, Iraq & Oman



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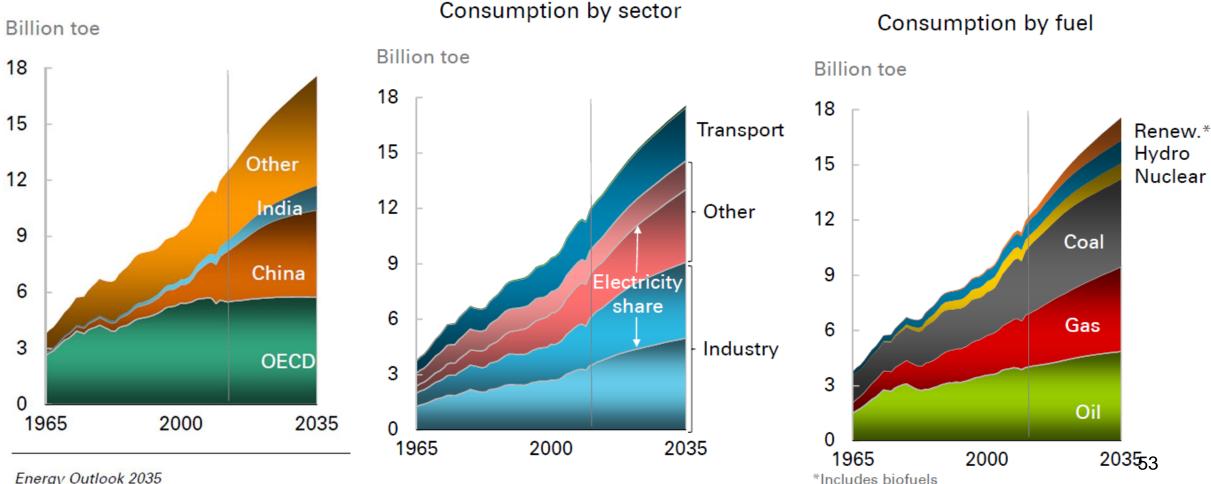
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#### Potential pipeline routes from Iran to Germany



### World Energy Markets is going to be changed Europe is not the main energy consumer in Future



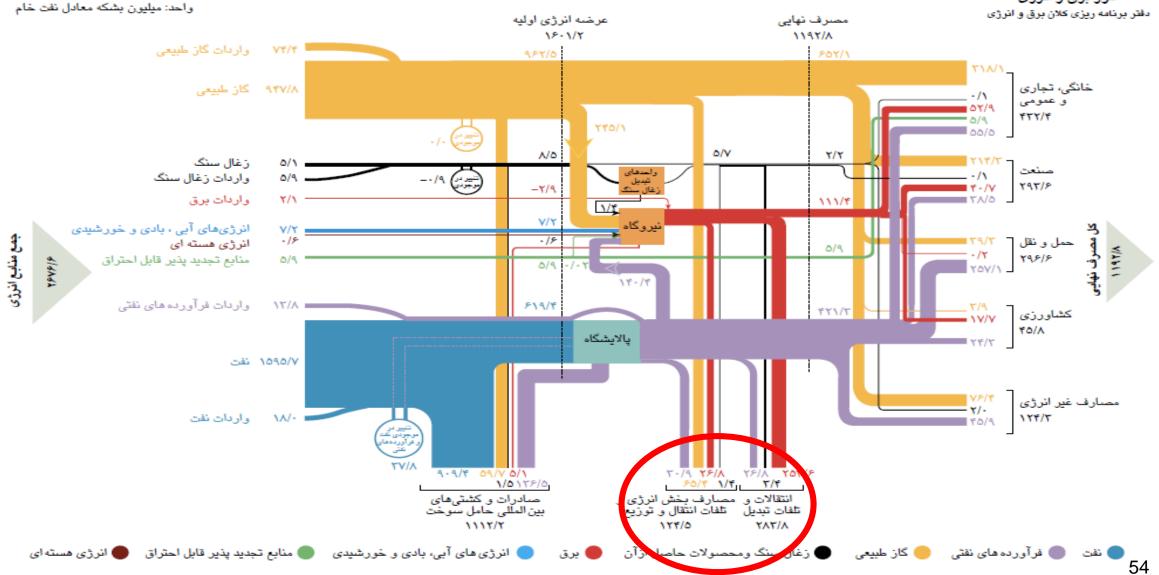


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# Recommendations Iran's Energy Policy

- Iran can cooperate with Europe on crude oil export business as usual from 1900
- Iran is better to find new ways of reducing energy losses in its energy system, increase efficiency, upgrade productivity, and promote its industrial effectiveness.
- Iran should consider to join Energy Charter again
- There is no gas for exporting to Europe in short and medium term horizon
- It is recommended for Iran to look at Asia as the most reliable market for energy cooperation
- Especially cooperation along Silk Road is durable and more profitable

## Recommendations (2)

- It is better for Iran to change its attention to gas markets in Asia and Persian Gulf. By two ways, pipeline to China and India, LNG for Japan, and other Asian markets.
- Despite rivalry between Russia and Iran in some fields, I urge Iran's government to deal with Russia on oil selling and swaps ceiling to 100,000 b/d
- Europe can show its good will by resuming TCA talks again
- Electricity