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In 2017, the U.S. became a net exporter of natural gas for the first time in 60 years

- The first shipment of U.S. LNG from the lower 48 states left in February 2016, and the U.S. has already supplied LNG to Europe, Asia and South America. (source: [Liquefied Natural Gas Exports](#))
- In 2016 a global LNG imports from the U.S. increased by about 7.5% to 36 Bcf/d (38.4 million tons). (source: [EIA](#))
- Net natural gas exports from the U.S. are expected to double over the next year, from 2.5 Bcf/d in 2016 to 4.8 Bcf/d in 2019. (source: [EIA](#))

and the U.S. market is responding

- Henry Hub spot prices averaged about \$3 per million Btu (MMBtu) in 2017, up 47 cents from 17 years low in 2014. (source: [EIA](#))

U.S. LNG creates jobs

- For every 1 Bcf/d of shale gas production, about 30,000 total jobs are supported throughout the U.S. economy. (source: [EIA](#))
- From 2014-2040, U.S. net natural gas exports could increase output by \$110 billion, and raise \$118 billion in federal revenues. (source: [American Action Forum](#))

and the future is bright...

- North America is leading the world in liquefaction, and the U.S. expects to have more than 10 billion cubic feet per day of LNG capacity. (source: [Institute for Energy Research](#))
- LNG exports from U.S. are expected to rise 13 times a cubic feet per day by 2025. (source: [Liquefied Natural Gas Exports](#))
- World LNG trade is expected to more than double by 2040.



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