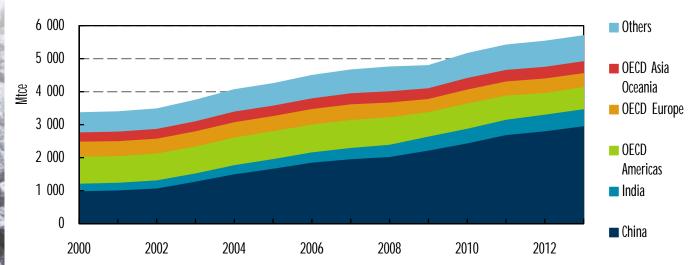




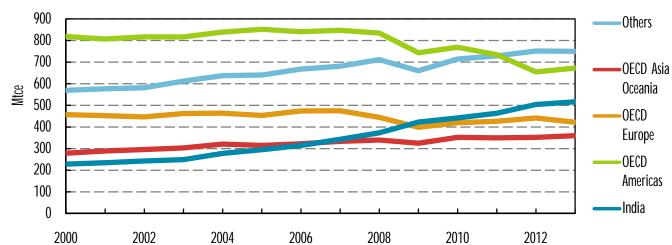


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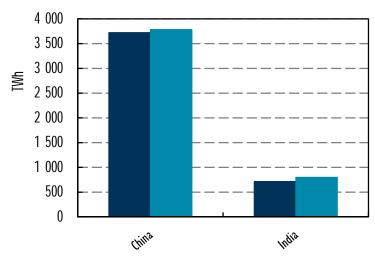


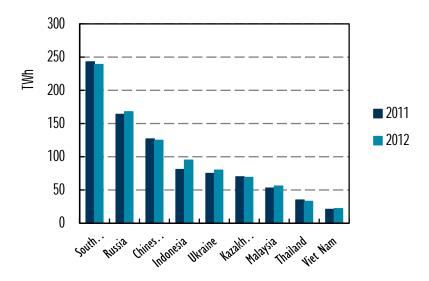


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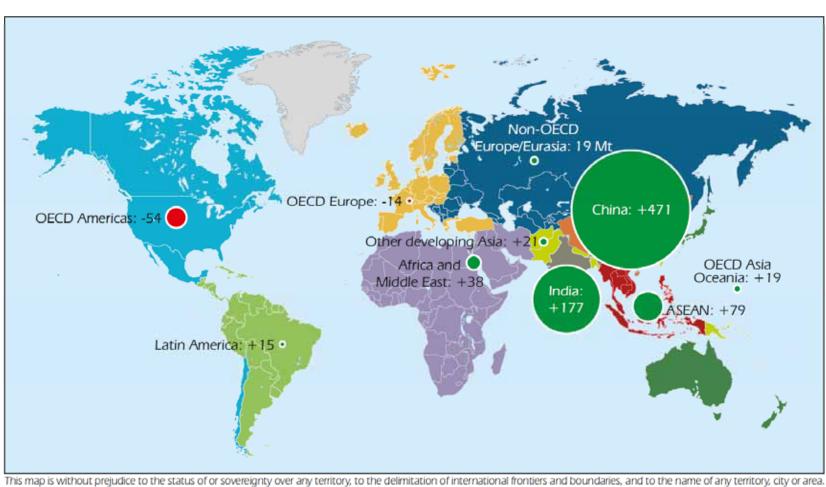






# Is coal a declining industry?

### Incremental coal demand during the outlook period

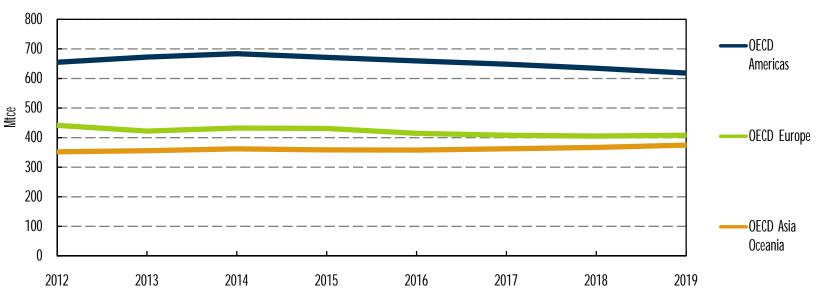




# Are developed countries getting rid of coal?



### **Coal demand projections**

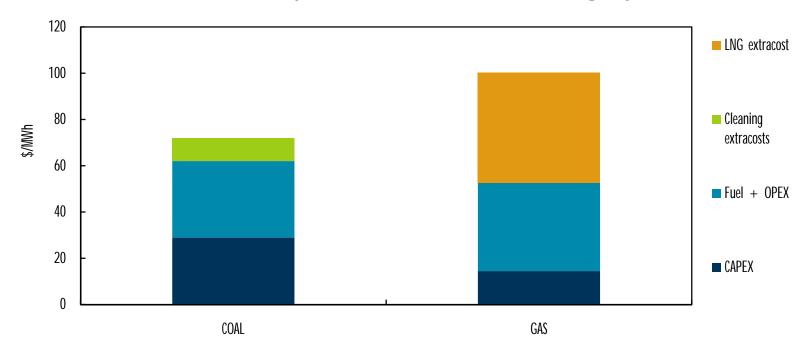




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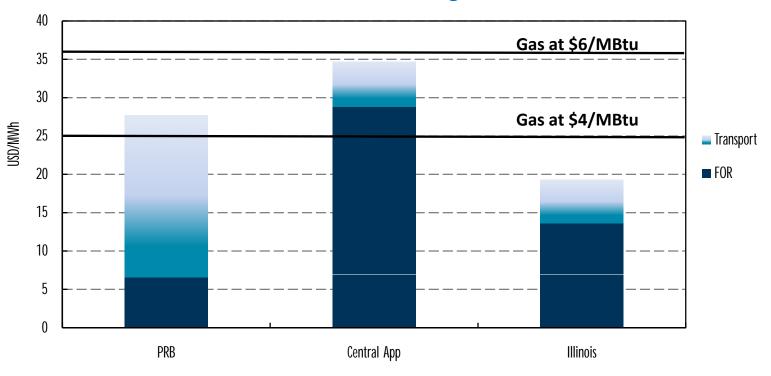
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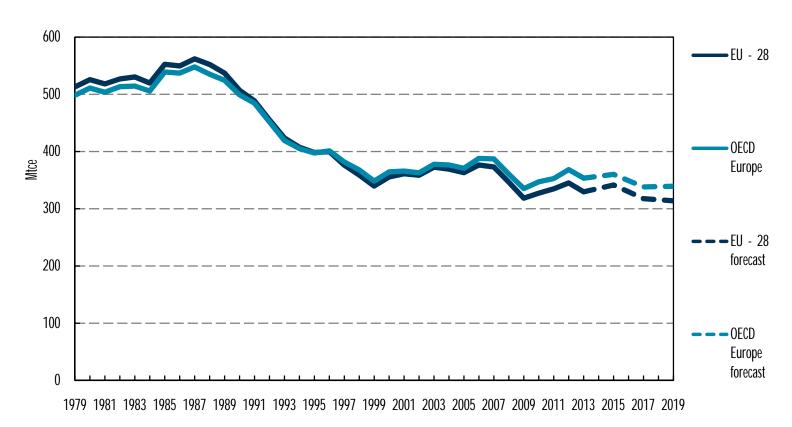
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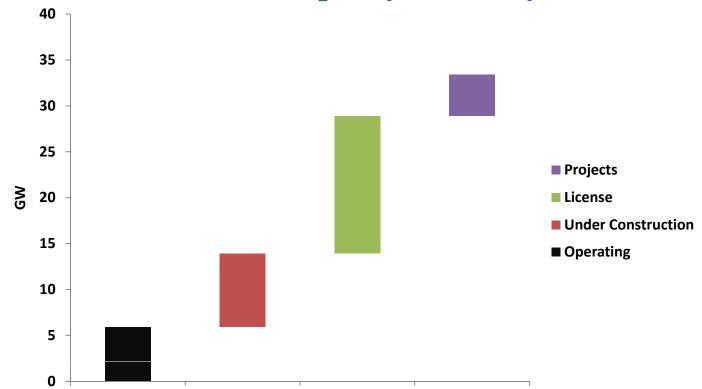




# Turkey is unique within OECD-Europe



### Hard coal capacity in Turkey

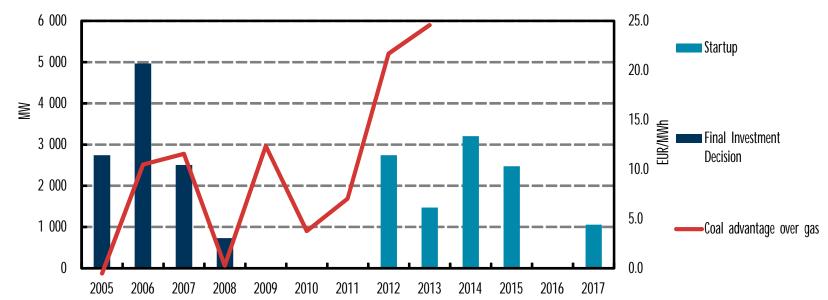




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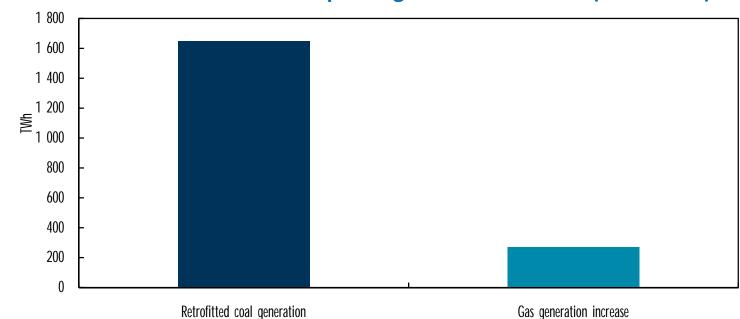
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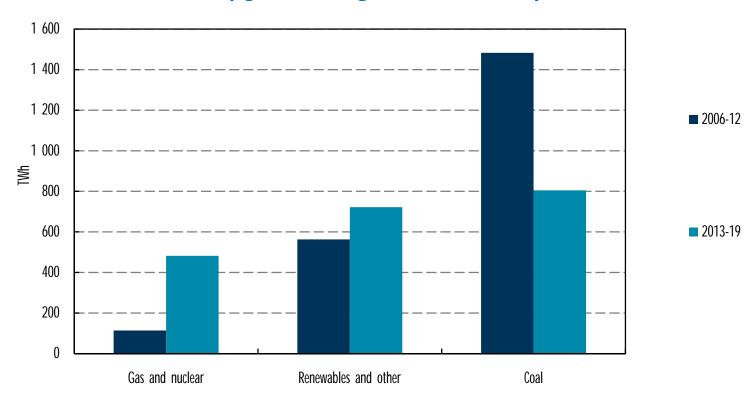
### Gas and retrofitted coal plants generation in China (2014-2019)





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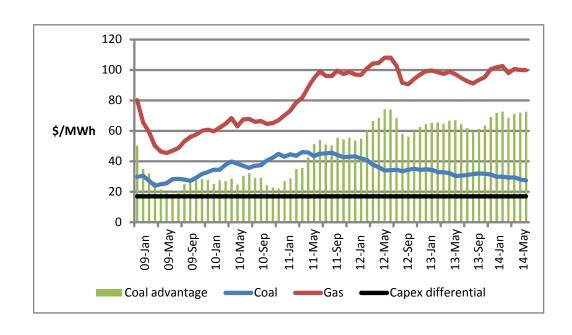




## At current fuel prices in Asia, coal is winner



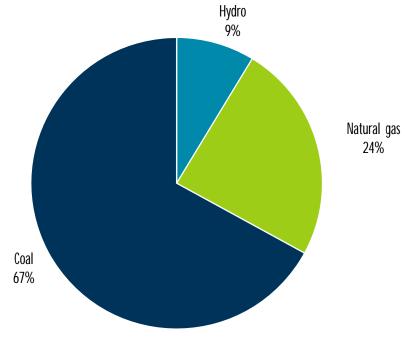
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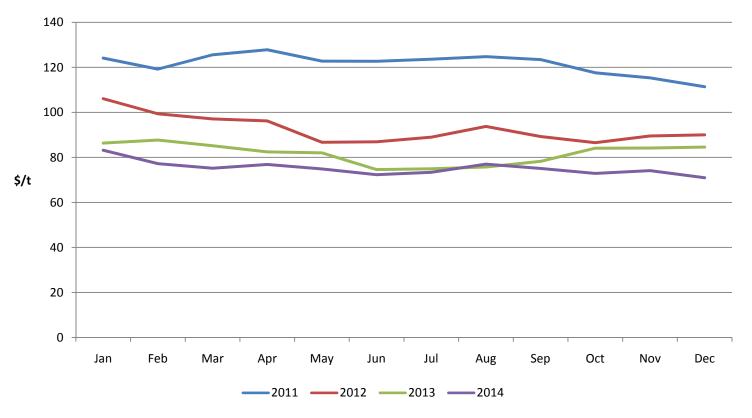


Total: 7 473 MW



# Prices going down and down

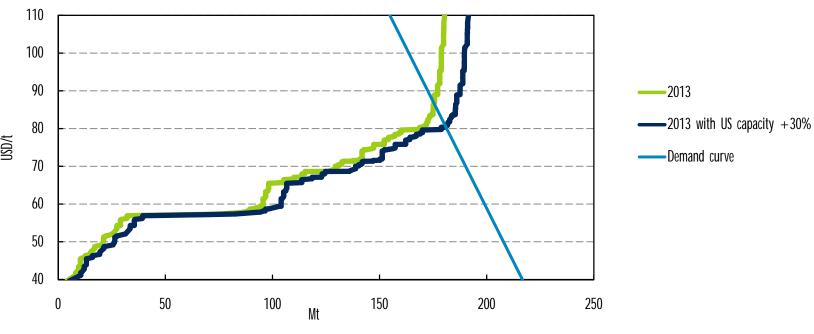
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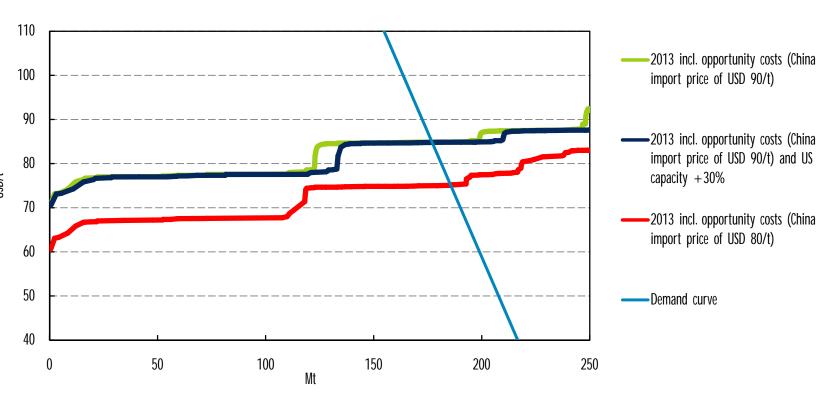






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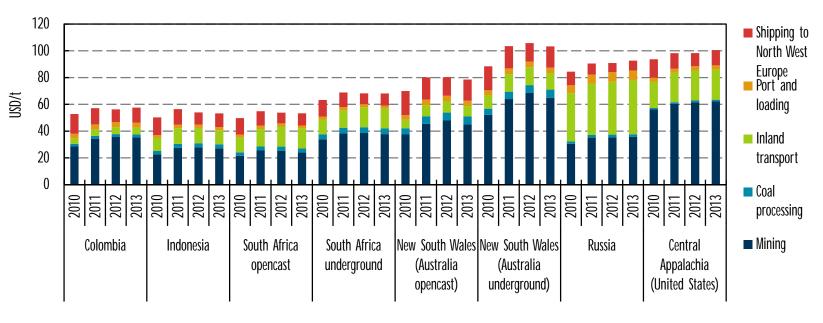




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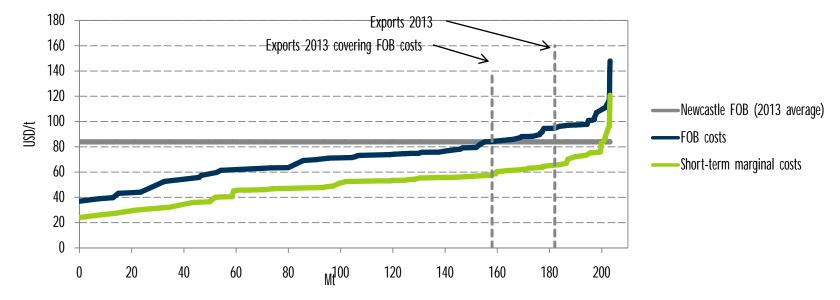
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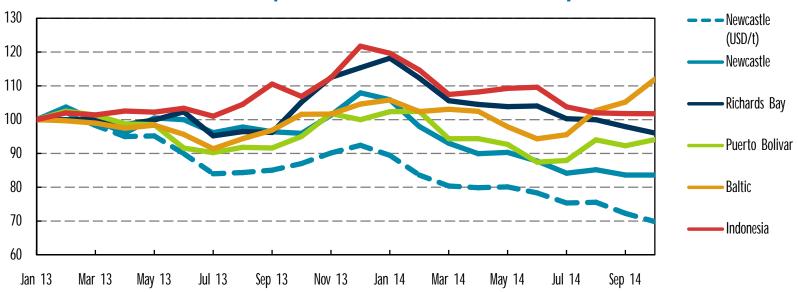


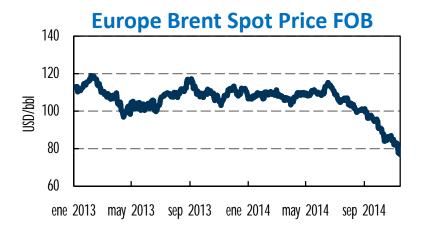




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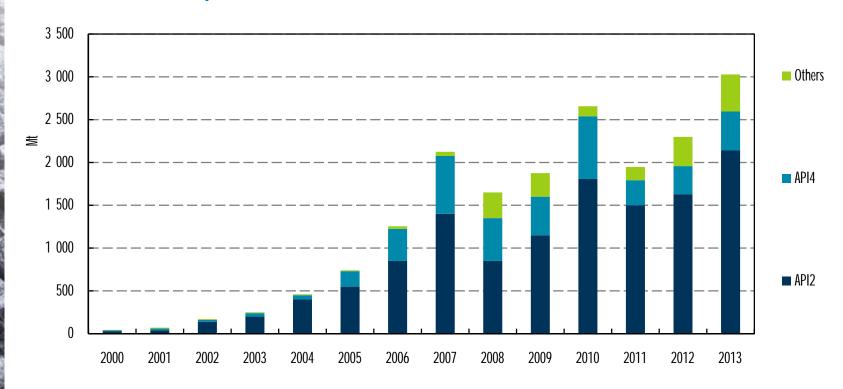






# Significant growth in derivatives

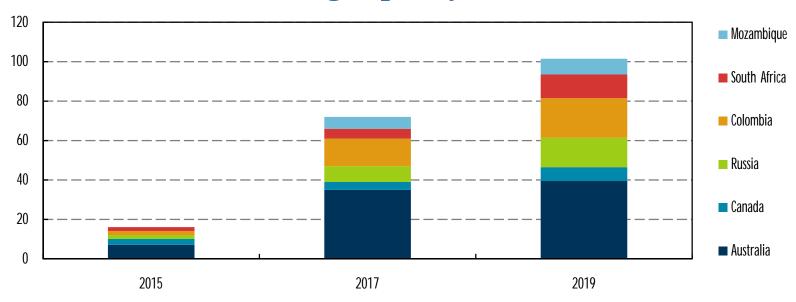
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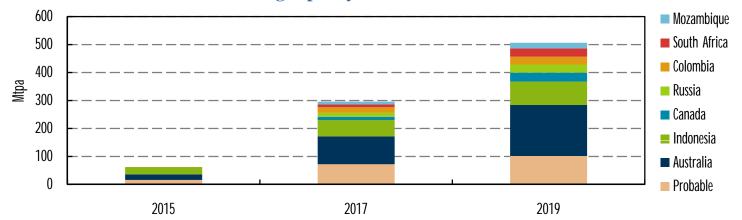


# Seaborne coal trade remains concentrated in few exporting countries

### **Probable mining capacity additions**



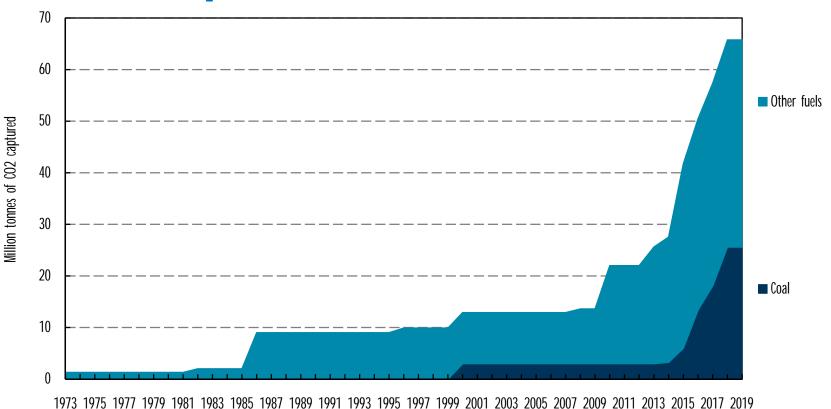
### Potential mining capacity additions





## Is CCS dead?

### **Cumulative CO<sub>2</sub> captured from production and use of different fuels**







# **Concluding Remarks**

- Coal demand will grow at 2.1% per year on average, surpassing the 9-billion-tonne threshold
- All the net growth will occur in Asia, as declines in US and Europe are offset by higher demand in other regions
- China has entered a moderate pace of growth, but it will remain the elephant in the room for a while
- Low prices remain due to various reasons all pushing prices down
- The coal renaissance in Europe is over and no strong growth of US exports to Europe is foreseen.





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