



# China Midstream Gas Infrastructure

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### Opportunity to Meet with Energy Decision-Makers from China

On a visit to the United States, decision-makers from China will meet with leading U.S. midstream operators and natural gas liquids (NGL) suppliers. The itinerary will focus on U.S. equipment and services for development of the midstream gas sector, including processing, storage, marketing and transportation of gas, with a focus on NGL and liquefied natural gas (LNG) related midstream infrastructure. The visit, hosted by the U.S. Trade and Development Agency, will allow U.S. companies to meet with and showcase their solutions to the delegation, as well as learn about upcoming project opportunities.

### Business Briefing Wednesday, April 17, 2019 - 8:30 AM - 3:45 PM Houston, Texas

#### Join the Roundtable Discussion to:

- Gain market intelligence and learn about upcoming procurement opportunities
- Form new business partnerships and meet with key decision-makers
- Learn about China's energy infrastructure development strategy in the areas of increasing the scale of gas storage, building facilities for LNG in coastal harbors, and improving pipeline networks for natural gas transmission

#### Topic of Discussion Will Include:

- An overview of China's energy sector featuring priority topics related to NGL and LNG infrastructure development
- Insights into China's investment strategy, including project opportunities for U.S. firms

#### Delegates Represent:

- The National Energy Administration (NEA)
- Beijing Gas Group Co., Ltd.
- China Energy Investment Corporation Ltd.
- Major Chinese energy companies

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### Background

By 2030, China is expected to become the world's largest LNG market. China's 13th Five Year Plan specifically targets increasing the country's primary energy consumption of natural gas from 5.9% in 2015 to 10% in 2020. In addition to LNG, China's demand for NGLs is also on the rise as they are increasingly used across all sectors of China's economy, including as feedstocks for the country's petrochemical industry. Meanwhile, the United States is anticipated to become the world's largest LNG exporter by 2025. U.S. NGL production has steadily increased, with ethane and propane comprising the most significant proportion of U.S. production. According to the U.S. Energy Information Administration, China is currently the third largest importer of U.S. NGLs behind Japan and Mexico. To meet increasing demand for LNG and NGLs, China will need to invest in related infrastructure development. With an active midstream and strong NGL and LNG industry, U.S. companies are strategically positioned to support China in its ambitious plans to increase the scale of gas storage, build facilities for LNG in coastal harbors, and improve the country's pipeline networks for natural gas transmission.

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