

2012

2010

2008

Dec

Dec

2011

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2007

Jan

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Oct

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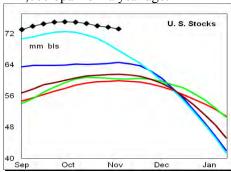
#### WEEKLY PROPANE SUPPLY-DEMAND-PRICE TRENDS

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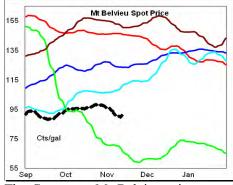
decreases in all regions. Imports increased +65,000 bpd on the week, concentrated in the Midwest.

Combined production and imports during the latest 4-wk period were +153,000 bpd above a year ago. Production was +118,000 bpd above last year (+10%), while imports were +35,000 bpd higher. The latest 4-wk average demand was +217,000 bpd above last year, +19%. Exports for the most recent 4-wk were 115,000 bpd, up +12,000 bpd from a year ago.



Stocks decreased -0.4 million barrels last week, ending the week +13.6 million barrels above a year ago. The 4-wk stock change was a draw of -1.7 million barrels, a larger draw than four of the last 5-years.

Price and Spreads Mt Belvieu spot prices decreased -2 cpg for the week ending 14Nov12, while Conway declined -3.5 cpg during the same week. Mt Belvieu prices ended the week at a level well below four of the last 5-years..



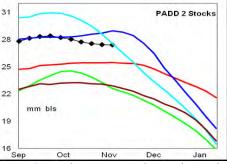
The Conway – Mt Belvieu price spread trended lower last week, ending the week at -11 cpg.

The propane to natural gas price spread extended the recent downtrend last week, ending at a level equal to the 5-year average.

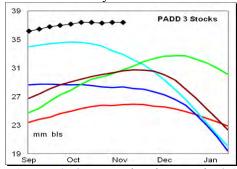
The propane / crude oil price spread trended lower last week ending at level near highs of the last 4-months.

PADD 1 stocks declined -0.3 million barrels as retailers & end users increased use in the wake of Hurricane Sandy. Supply decreased -6,000 bpd on the week. Supply for the latest 4-wk period was +19,000 bpd above last year.

PADD 2 stocks were unchanged on the week. Supply increased +33,000 bpd on the week, due to higher imports. The latest 4-wk supply was +24,000 bpd above a year ago. Stock levels ended the week +9% above a year ago.



PAD 3 stocks were unchanged on the week, with the 4-wk stock change a build of +0.1 million barrels. The build was above the average of the last 3-years. Stock levels ended the week +44% above last year.



PADDs 4 & 5 stocks decreased -0.1 million barrels last week. The stock level was +4% above a year ago.

**Emerging Trends** Well above normal temperatures are forecast for nearly the entire country during the next 10-days. Stock levels remain high, particularly in the Gulf. There is risk of continued price weakness ahead of the start of winter heating.

Propane/Propylene Exports

2010

May

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Wholesale demand was unchanged last week, with the level continuing above the 5-year range. Production fell -81,000 bpd last week, with

Source is latest EIA Weekly Statistics



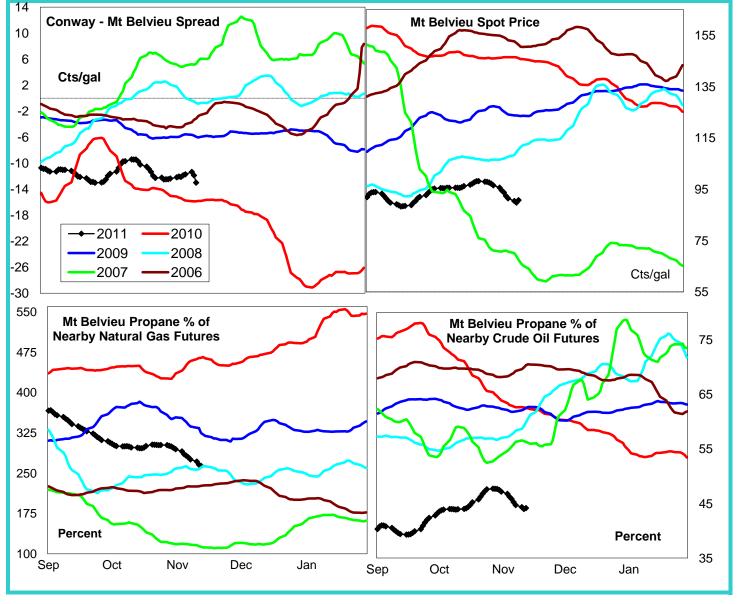
# **PROPANE: Graph Link and Weekly Summary**

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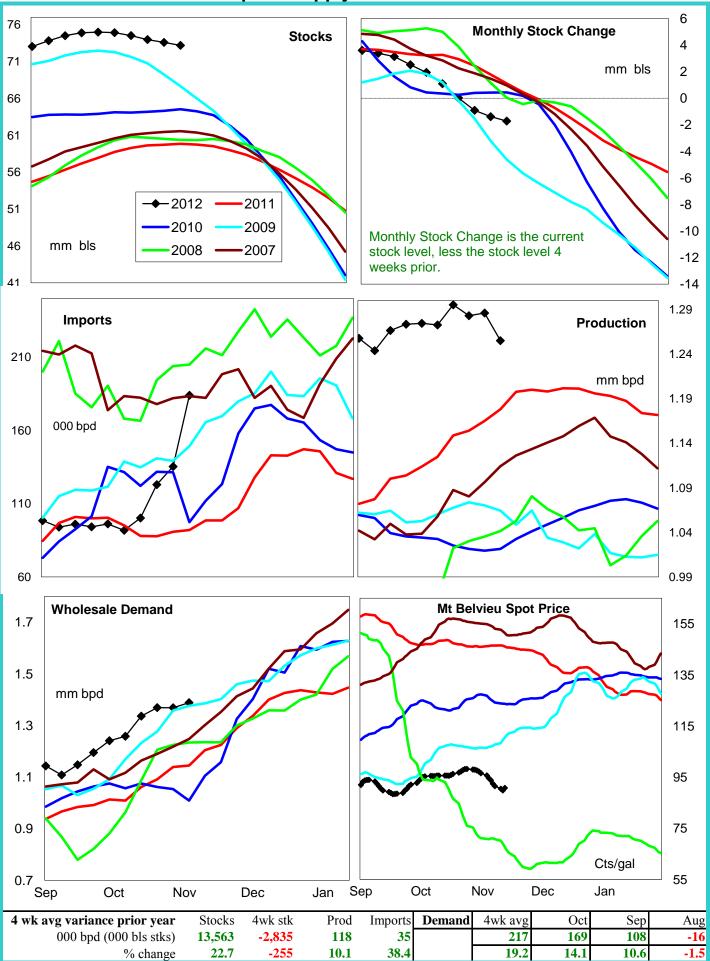
Fundamental Trends for the Week Ending: Friday, November 09, 2012										9, 2012
000 bpd Stocks 000 bls	Weekly Supply-Demand					Change from prior week:				
	U.S.	PADD				U.S.	PADD			
	Total	1	2	3	4&5	Total	1	2	3	4&5
Stocks	73,183	5,302	27,406	37,412	3,063	-437	-325	-47	6	-71
Propylene Stocks	4,153					-58				
Production	1,255	41	282	795	137	-81	-13	-19	-30	-19
Imports	184	71	96	0	17	65	7	52	0	6
Whsle Demand	1.388					1				

#### **Price Trends for the Week Ending:** Wednesday, November 14, 2012 Average for week ending: **Change from:** % change from: Cents/gal 11/7/12 10/17/12 11/11/11 11/7/12 10/17/12 11/11/11 11/7/12 10/17/12 11/11/11 Mont Belvieu Spot 90.4 95.9 146.5 1.15 1.2 94.8 -5.47 -51.76 -5.7 -35.3 -4.2 **Conway Spot** 79.1 -33.8 83.1 86.7 131.0 -4.02 -3.60-44.34 -4.8

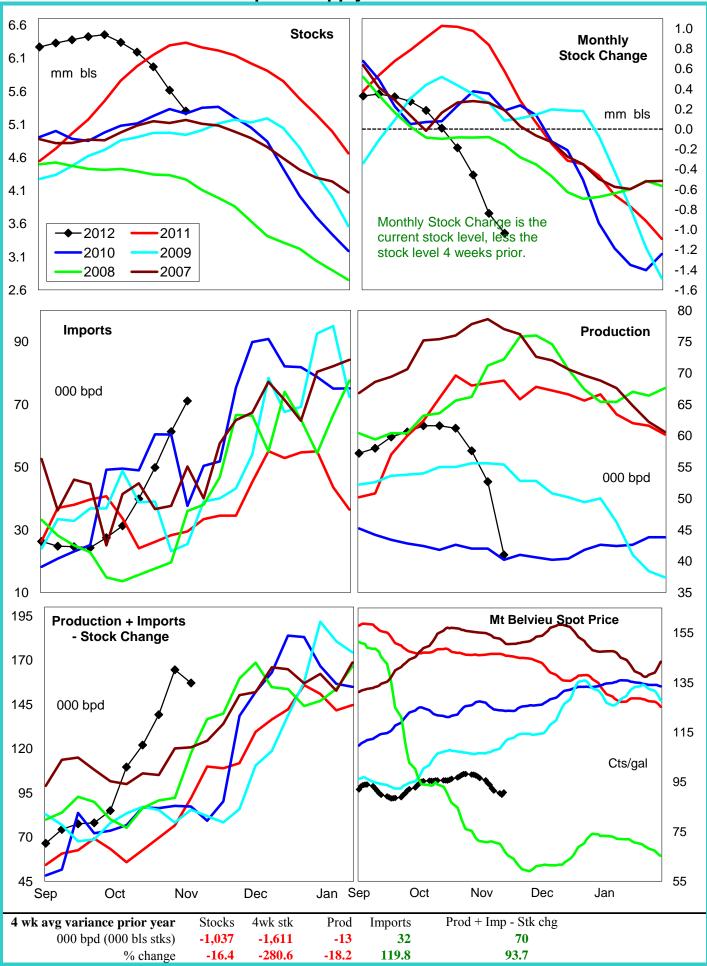
## **Key Price Spreads and Differentials**



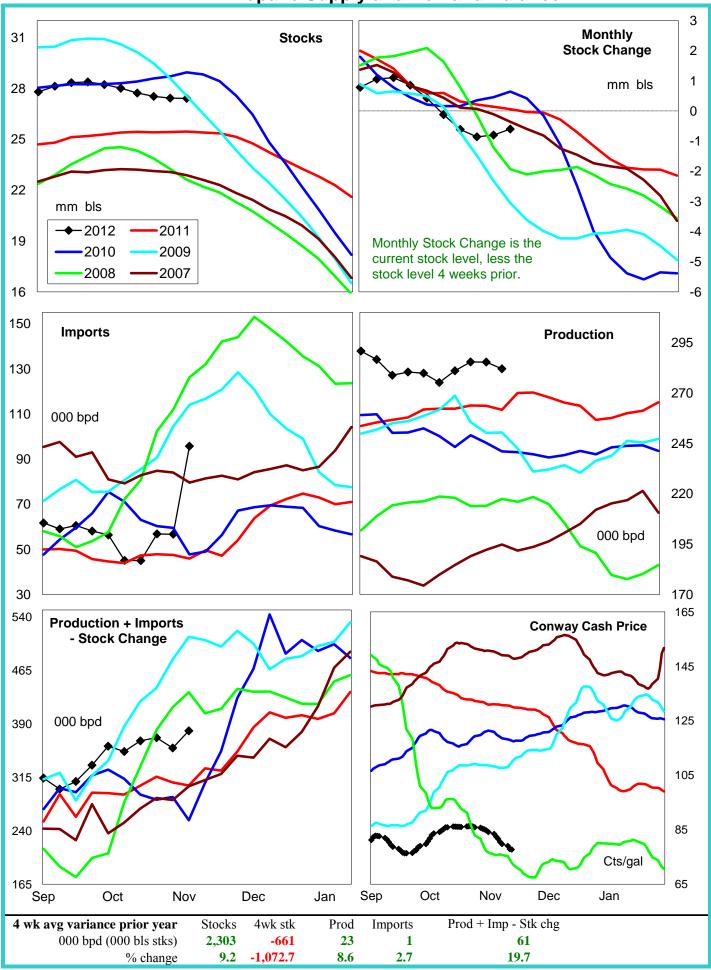
## U. S. Propane Supply and Demand Balance



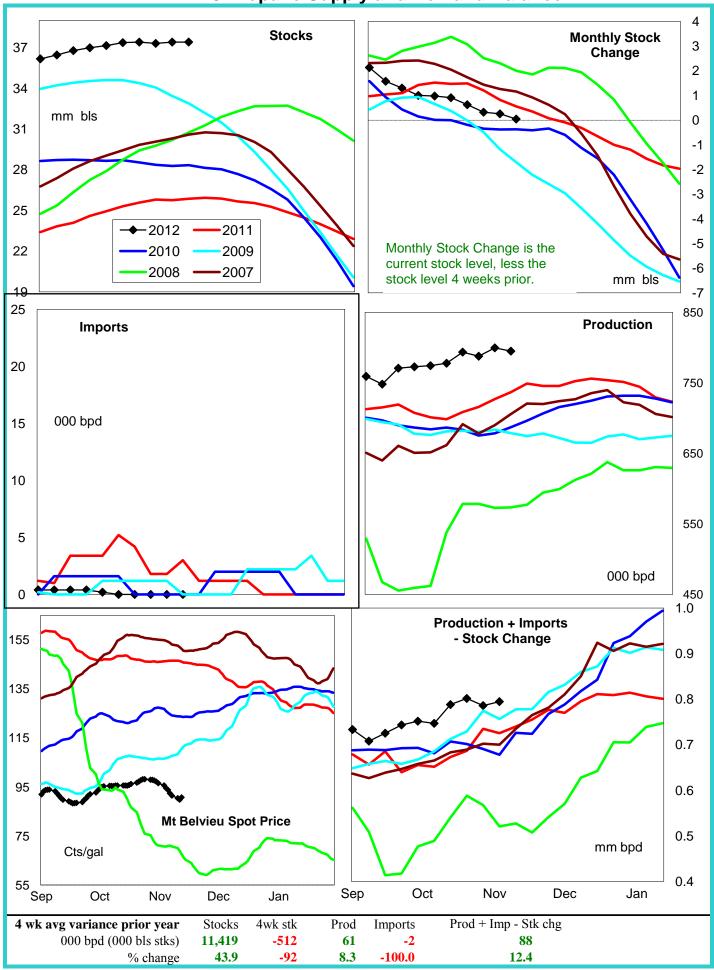
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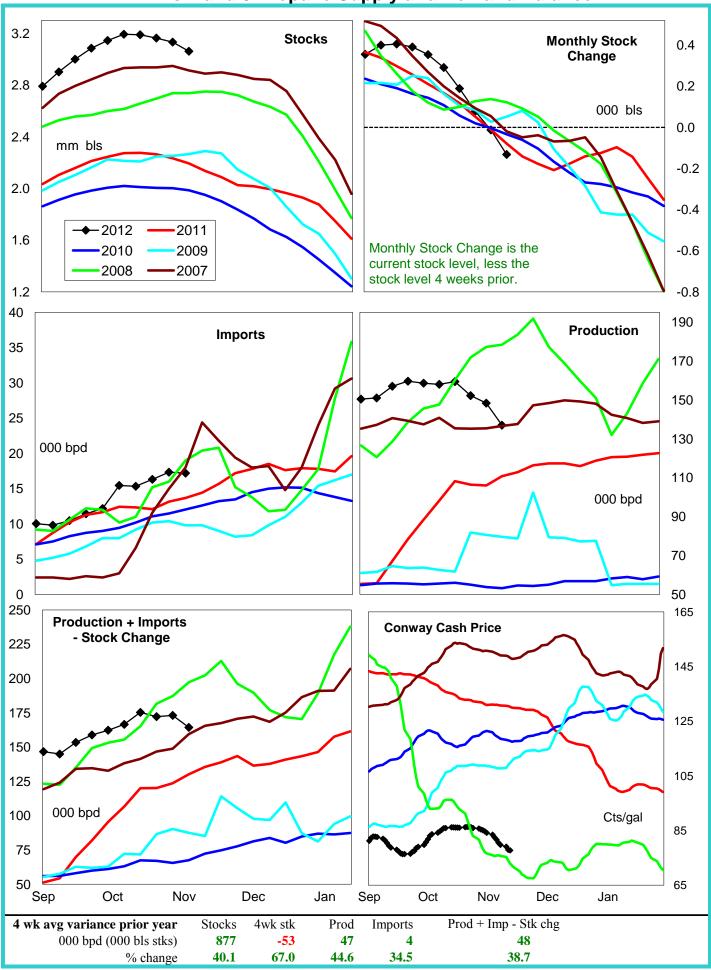
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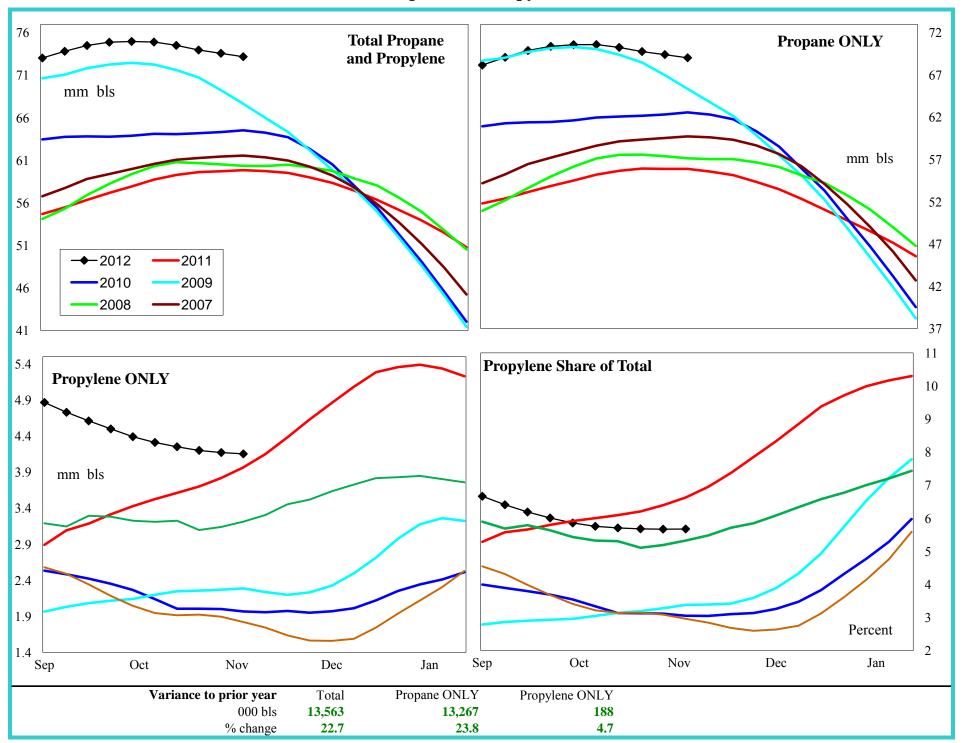
## **PADD 3 Propane Supply and Demand Balance**



#### **PADDs 4 and 5 Propane Supply and Demand Balance**



#### U. S. Propane and Propylene Stocks



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