

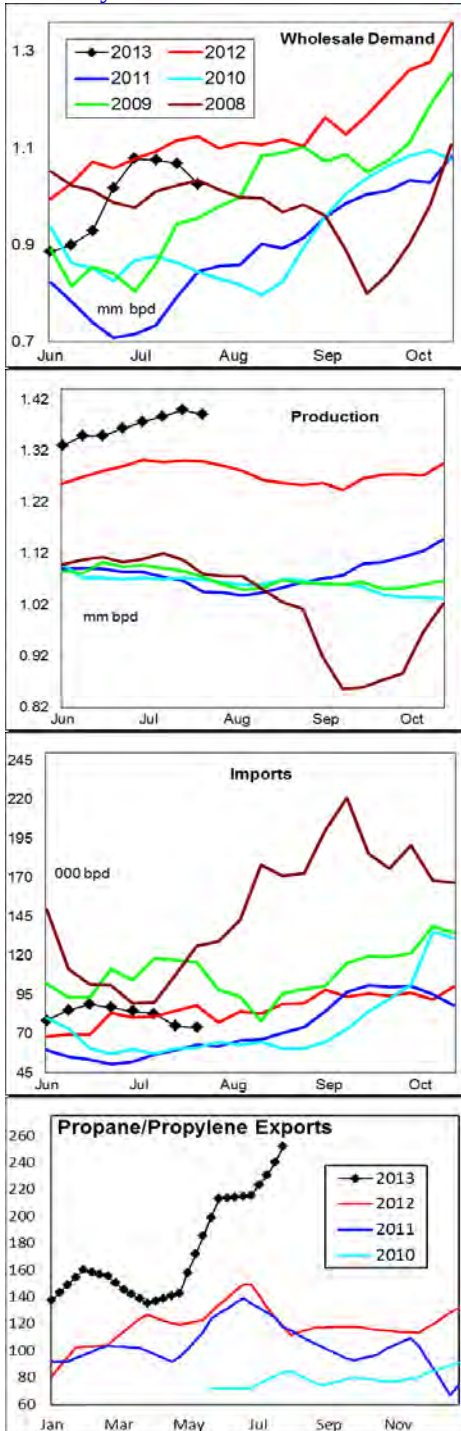


WEEKLY PROPANE SUPPLY-DEMAND-PRICE TRENDS

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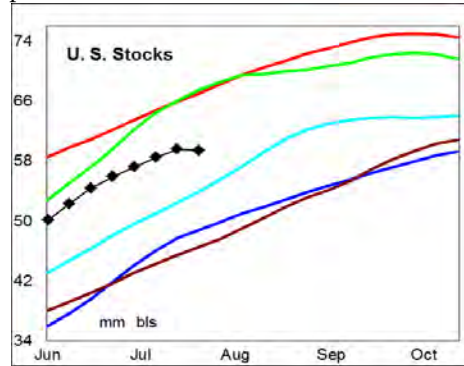
Summary¹: ?



Wholesale demand decreased -44,000 bpd on the week, to a level below last years' record high. Production declined -2,000 bpd on the week while imports

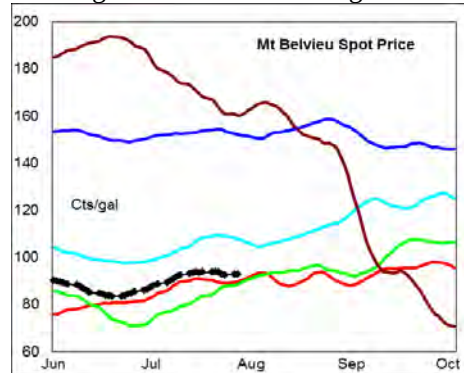
were +19,000 bpd higher.

Combined production and imports during the latest 4-wk period were +75,000 bpd above a year ago. Production was +83,000 bpd above last year (+7%), while imports were -8,000 bpd lower. The latest 4-wk average demand was -21,000 bpd below last year. Exports increased +106,000 bpd over a year ago for the most recent 4-wk period.



Stocks increased +1.9 million barrels on the week, ending at a level -9% below last year. The 4-wk stock change was a build of +3.5 million barrels, a record low build for this time of year.

Price and Spreads Mt Belvieu and Conway spot prices were nearly unchanged for the week ending 30Jul13.



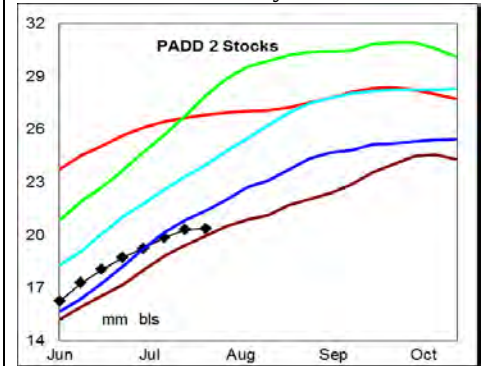
The Conway – Mt Belvieu price spread ended the week at -4 cpg, a differential less than the 5-year range for the week.

The propane to natural gas price spread trended higher last week, ending at a level well below the last 2-years.

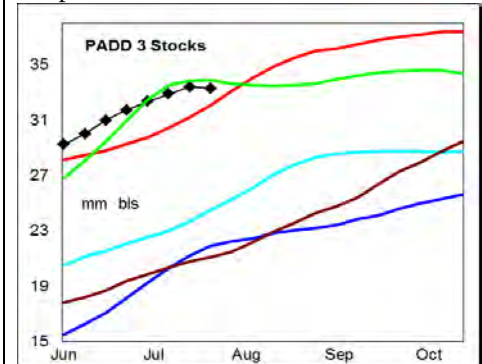
The propane / crude oil price spread traded slightly higher on the week, ending at a level below the 5-year range. PADD 1 stocks increased +0.1 million barrels on the week, with the level -2.4

million barrels below last year, and a record low. Supply increased +24,000 bpd last week. Supply for the latest 4-wk period increased +4,000 bpd compared to a year ago.

PADD 2 stocks increased +0.8 million barrels on the week. Supply increased +6,000 bpd on higher production. The latest 4-wk supply was +32,000 bpd above a year ago. Stock levels ended the week -21% below last year.



PADD 3 stocks increased +0.8 million barrels last week, to a level +7% above a year ago. Supplies were +29,000 bpd above a year ago for the most recent 4-wk period.



PADDs 4 & 5 stocks increased +0.2 million barrels last week. The stock level ended the week at a level that matched historic highs for the period.

Emerging Trends Propane supplies are extremely ample in the Gulf region with both stocks and production above the 5-year range. However stock levels on the East Coast and in the Midwest are at or near record lows – a marked contrast in the supply balance between regional markets. Risk continues for a late summer pull back in wholesale prices.

¹ Source is latest EIA Weekly Statistics

PROPANE: Graph Link and Weekly Summary



July 31, 2013

Fundamental Trends for the Week Ending:

Friday, July 26, 2013

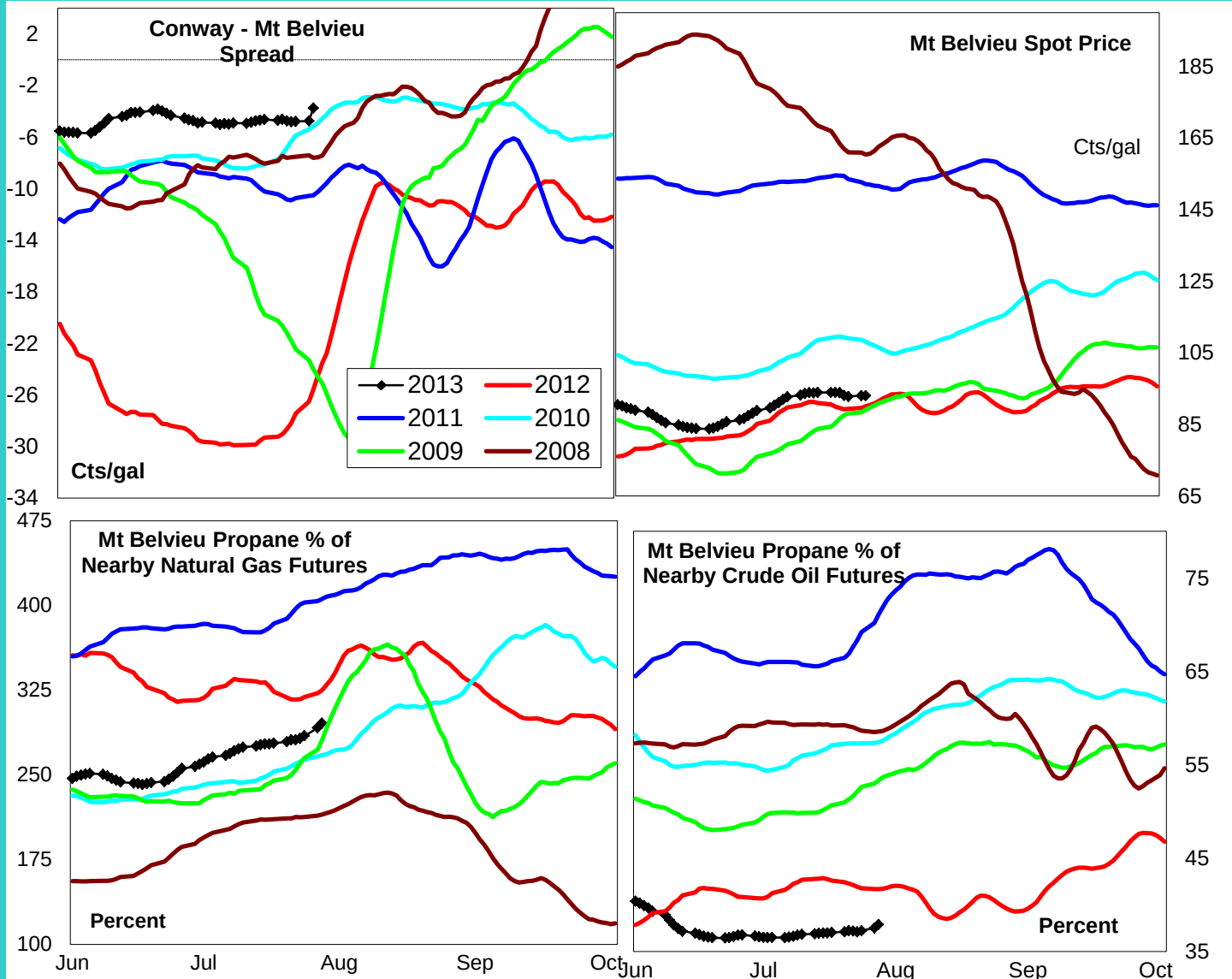
000 bpd Stocks 000 bls	Weekly Supply-Demand					Change from prior week:				
	U.S. Total	PADD				U.S. Total	PADD			
		1	2	3	4&5		1	2	3	4&5
Stocks	61,296	3,568	21,134	34,134	2,460	1,878	77	783	849	169
Propylene Stocks	2,923					-263				
Production	1,388	81	295	838	174	-2	1	9	6	-18
Imports	92	12	68	0	12	19	-3	15	0	7
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Price Trends for the Week Ending:

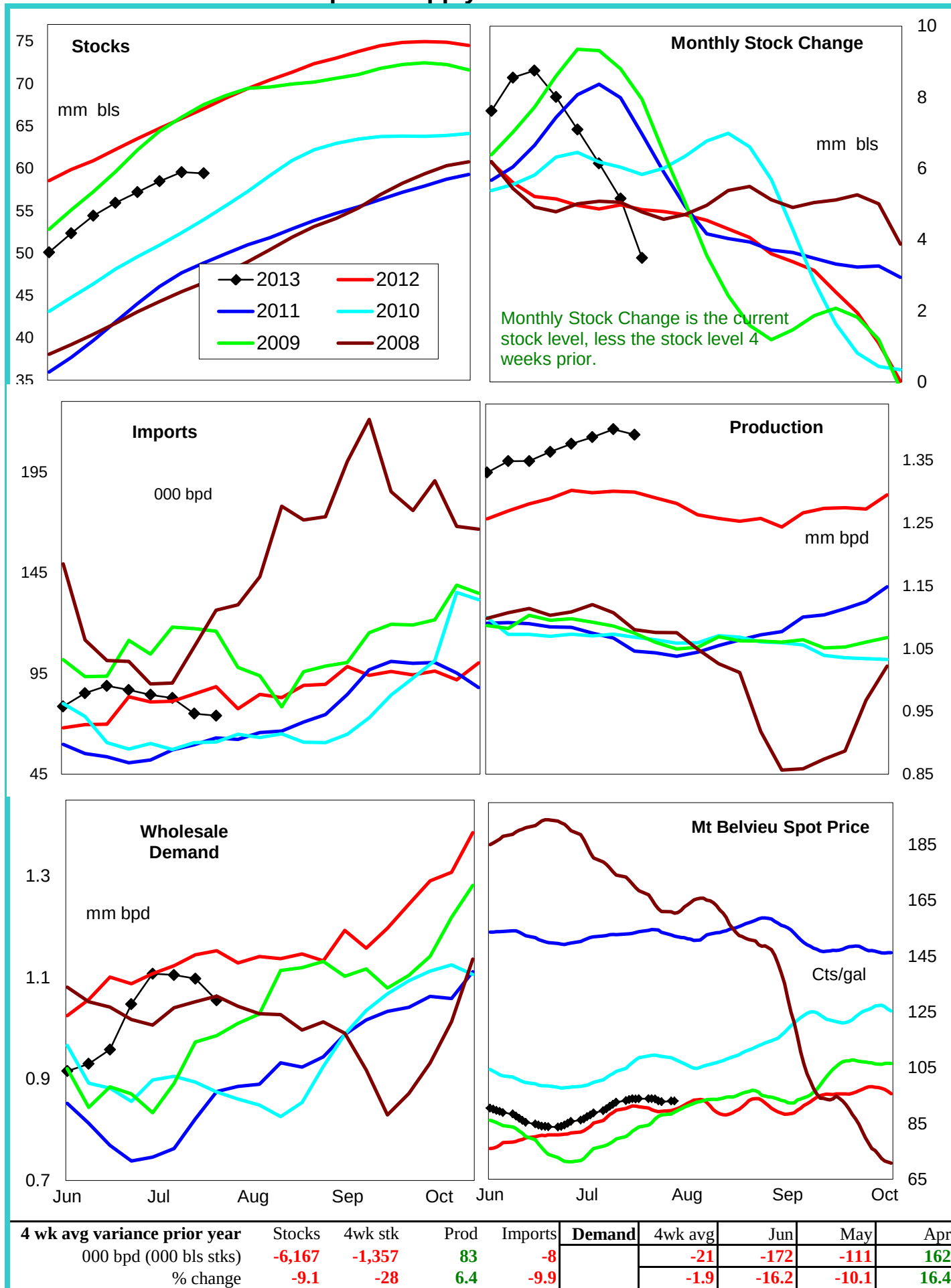
Tuesday, July 30, 2013

Cents/gal	Average for week ending:				Change from:			% change from:		
	7/30/13	7/23/13	7/2/13	7/26/12	7/23/13	7/2/13	7/26/12	7/23/13	7/2/13	7/26/12
Mont Belvieu Spot	92.8	95.1	85.1	87.8	-2.35	10.03	-2.68	-2.5	11.8	-3.1
Conway Spot	88.0	90.7	81.0	60.3	-2.68	9.69	20.62	-3.0	12.0	34.2

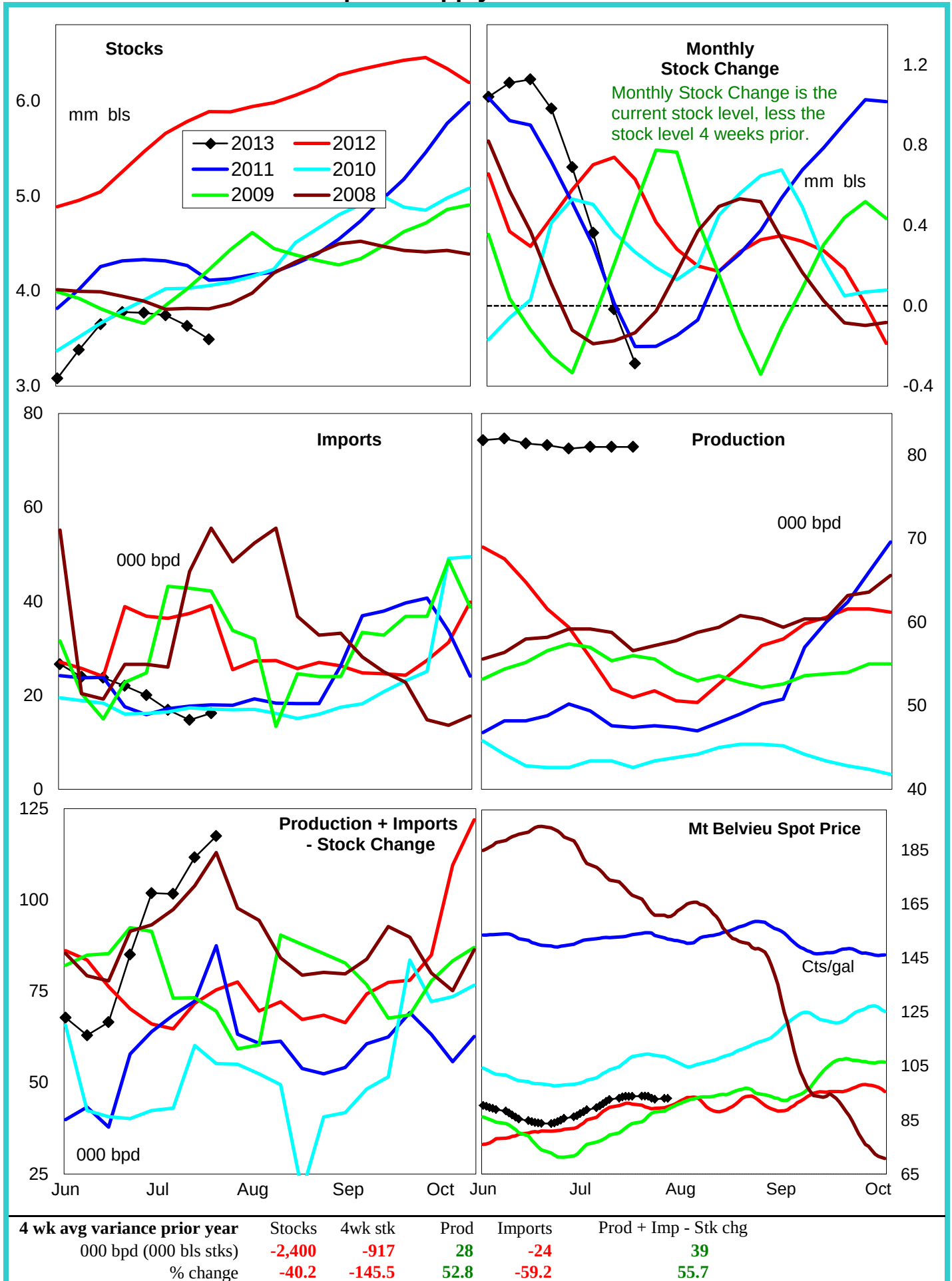
Key Price Spreads and Differentials



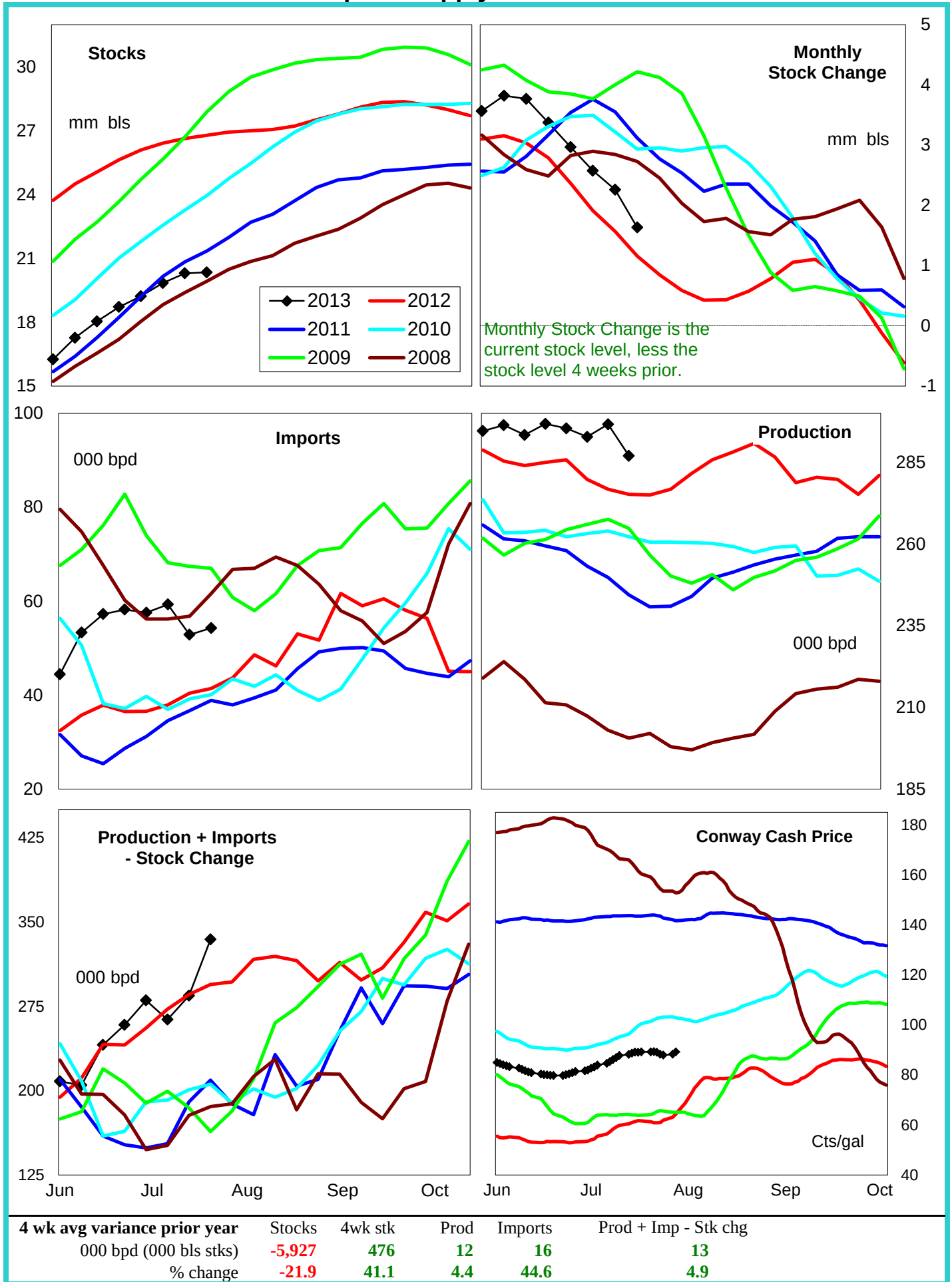
U. S. Propane Supply and Demand Balance



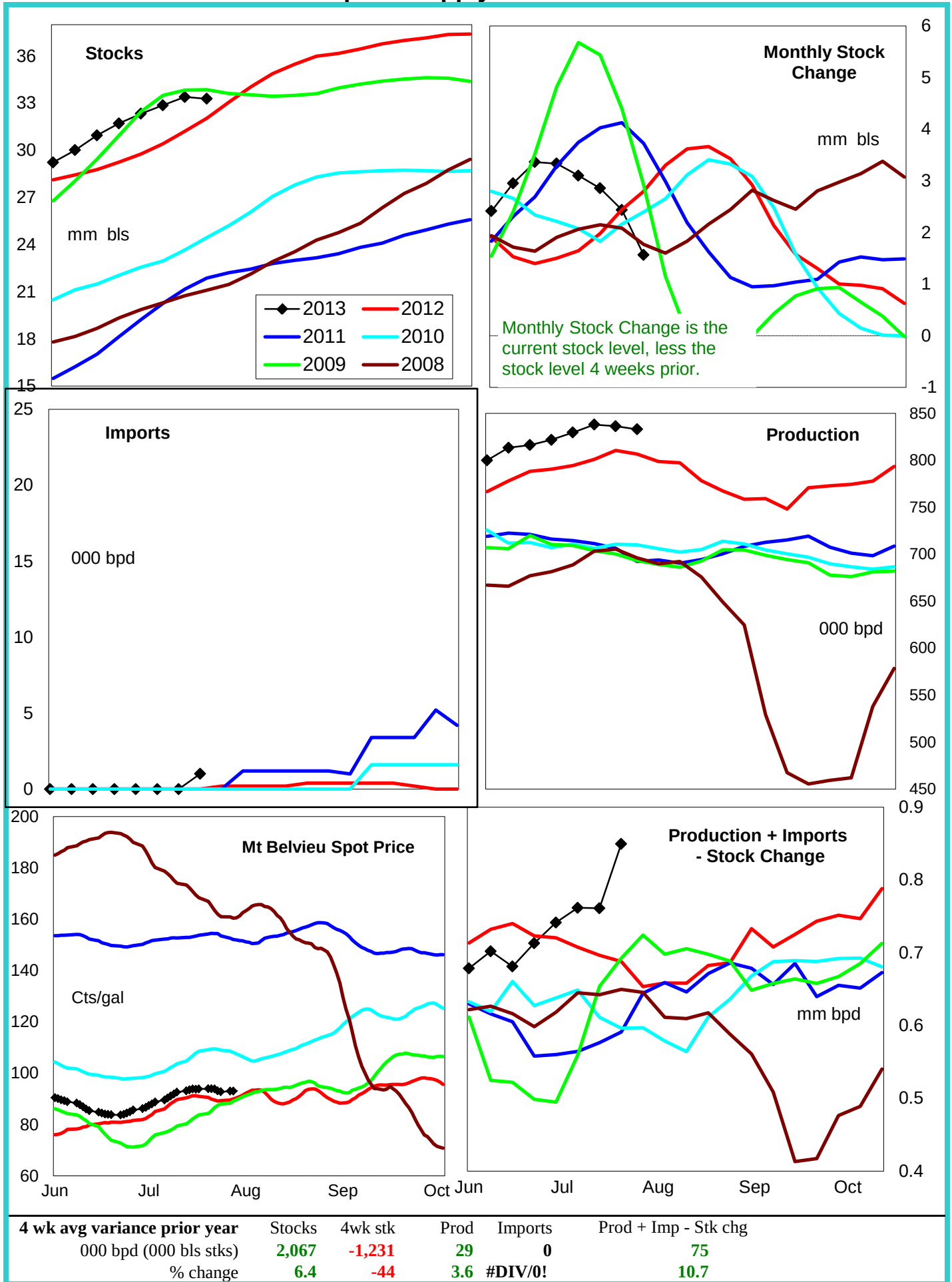
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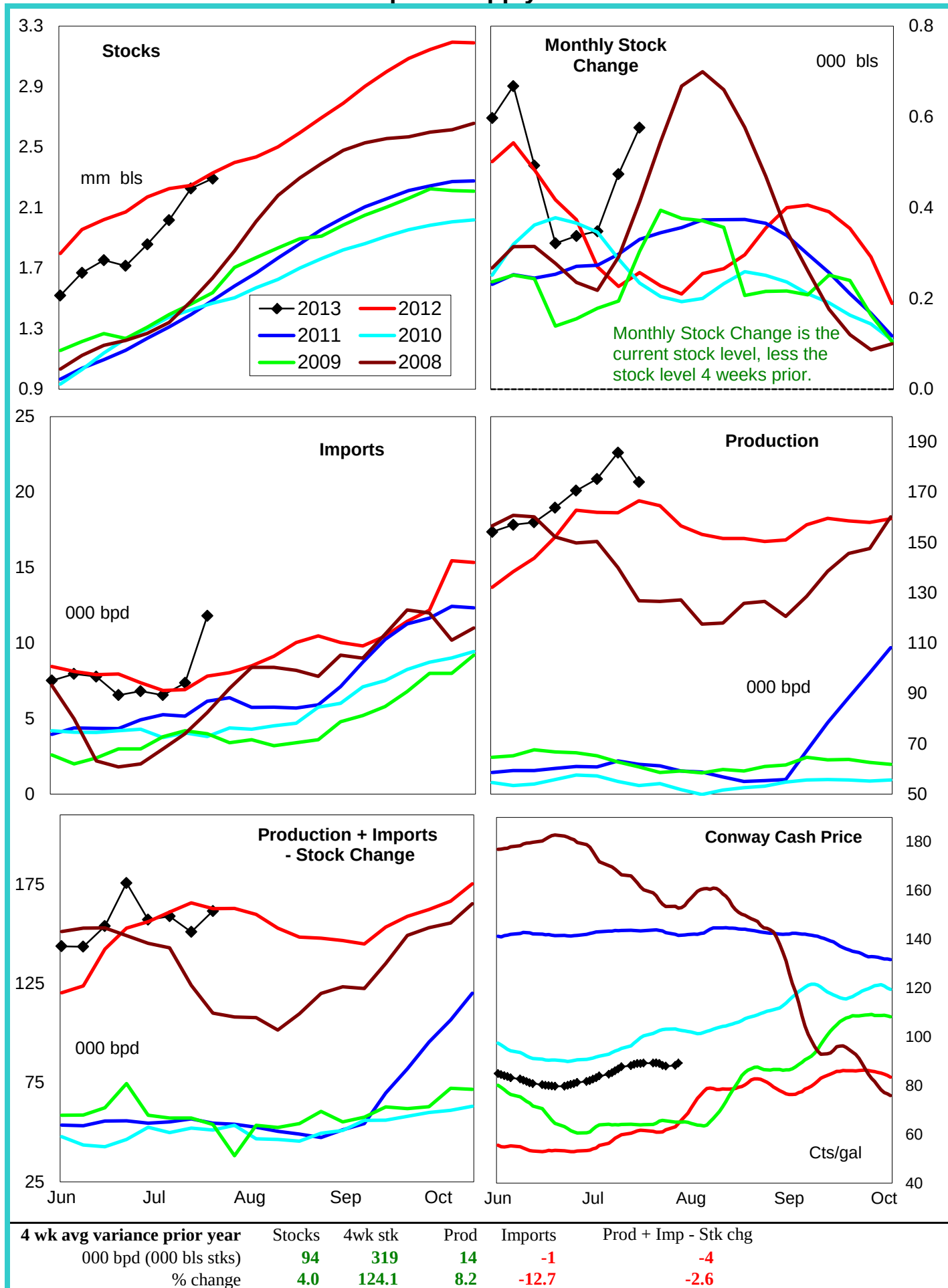
PADD 2 Propane Supply and Demand Balance



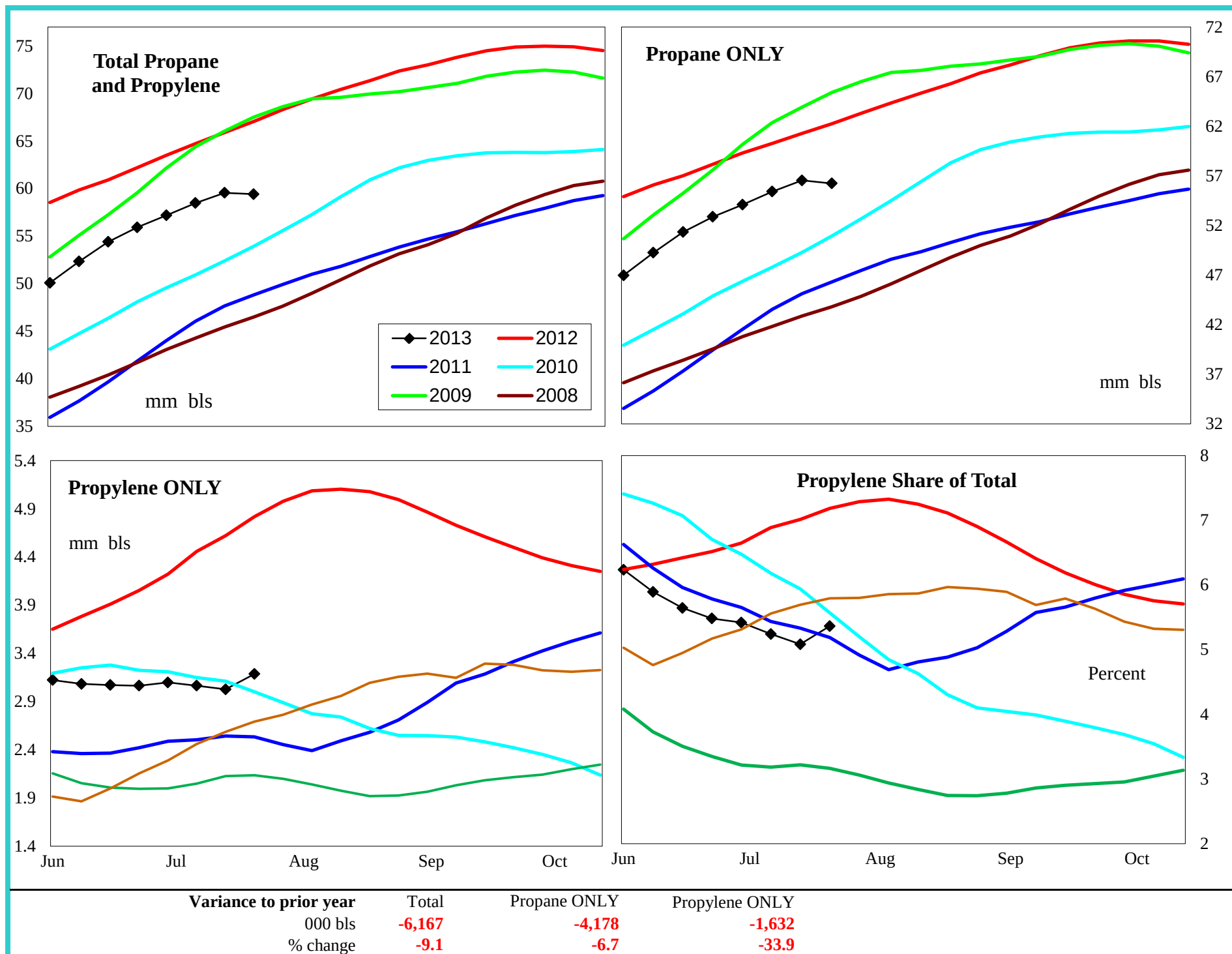
PADD 3 Propane Supply and Demand Balance



PADDs 4 and 5 Propane Supply and Demand Balance



U. S. Propane and Propylene Stocks



U. S. Petroleum Administrative for Defense Districts (PADDs)

