

Summary¹

1.6

1.4

8.0

1.52

1.02

0.92

0.82

Imports

245

220

195

170

145

120

70

300

270

240

210

180

000 bpd

Oct

- 2013

2012

2011

2010

Wholesale Demand

WEEKLY PROPANE SUPPLY-DEMAND-PRICE TRENDS

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Wholesale demand fell -146,000 bpd last week, a level still above the 5-yr range. Production increased +25,000 bpd on the week while imports increased +12,000 bpd.

-2013

2012

2011

2010

2009 2008

Jan

Production

Dec

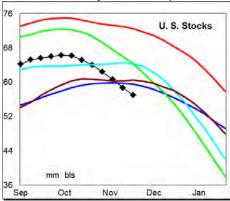
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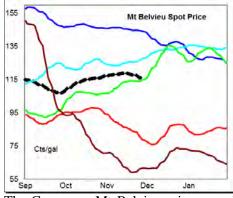
Combined production and imports during the latest 4-wk period were +176,000 bpd above a year ago. Production was +171,000 bpd above last year (+13%), while imports were +5,000 bpd higher.

The latest 4-wk average demand was +273,000 bpd above last year. Exports increased +175,000 bpd for the most recent week compared to last year.



Stocks fell -1.4 million barrels on the week, with the latest 4-wk draw of -7.1 million barrels a record for this time of year. U.S. stocks ended the week below the 5-yr range.

Price and Spreads Mt Belvieu spot price declined -3.5 cpg for the week ending 27Nov13 while Conway spot price was -4 cpg lower for the period.

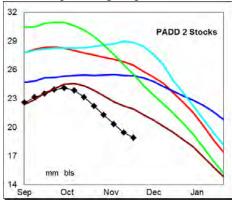


The Conway – Mt Belvieu price spread ended the week with Conway at a +1 cpg premium, well above the last 3-yrs.

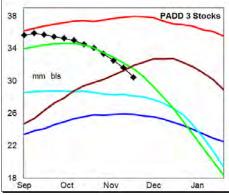
PADD 1 stocks increased +0.1 million

barrels on the week. Stocks ended the week at a level below the last 3-yrs.

PADD 2 stocks declined -0.6 million barrels on the week, to a level -29% below last year. Supply increased +13,000 bpd on higher production.



PAD 3 stocks declined -0.8 million barrels last week, to a level -21% below a year ago. Supplies increased +30,000 bpd on the week, and were +92,000 bpd above a year ago for the most recent 4-wk period.



PADDs 4 & 5 stocks were unchanged last week, with the level equal to 5-yr highs for the period.

Emerging Trends Wholesale demand averaged +20% above a year ago for the most recent 4-wk period. The increase exceeds the year-on-year growth in supply, driving stock levels to 5-yr lows for this time of year. Heating degree days are forecast to extremely high for the next 10-days.

In four of the last 5-yrs wholesale prices increased during December. Record low stock levels in the Midwest risk a supply squeeze during the winter quarter and potential price spike.

Nov

Propane/Propylene Exports

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¹⁵⁰ 120 90 60 Jan Mar May lui Sep Nov

Source is latest EIA Weekly Statistic

December 2, 2013

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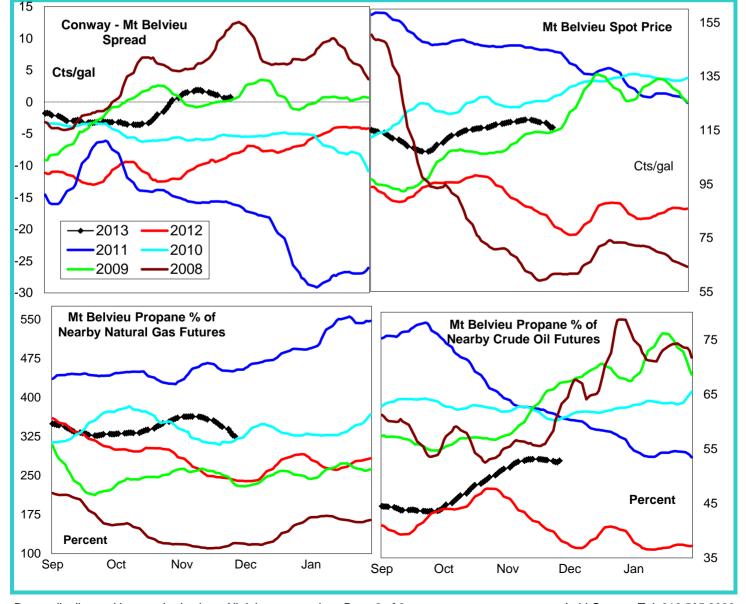
PROPANE: Graph Link and Weekly Summary

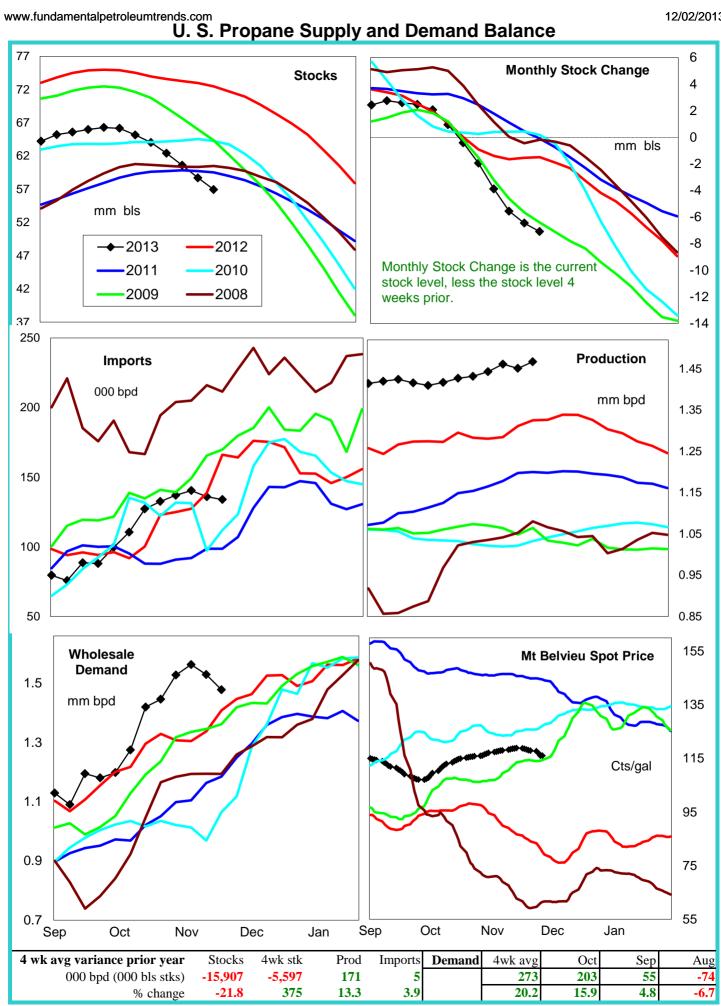
Fundamental Trends for the Week Ending: Friday, November 22, 2013 Weekly Supply-Demand Change from prior week: 000 bpd PADD U.S. U.S. **PADD** Stocks 000 bls Total 2 3 4&5 **Total** 1 2 3 4&5 56.940 30,417 71 4.614 18,886 3,023 -1,432 -637 Stocks -19 **Propylene Stocks** 2,886 -131 914 **Production** 1,467 103 295 155 25 -1 12 30 -16 2 **Imports** 134 55 0 13 12 9 0 66

-146

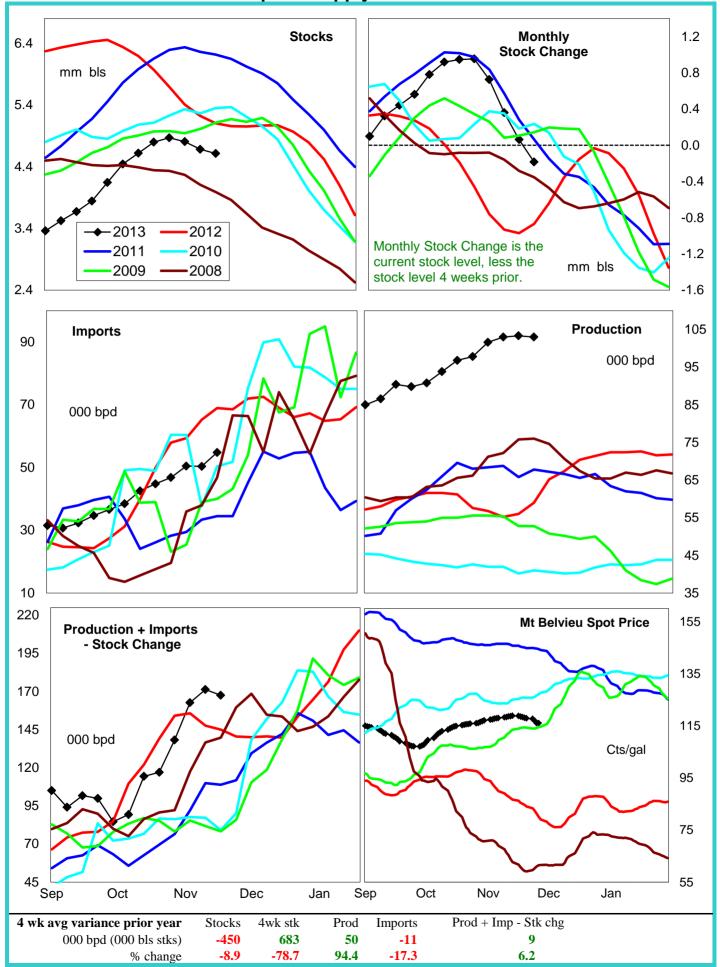
Price Trends for the Week Ending: Thursday, November 28, 2013 Average for week ending: Change from: % change from: Cents/gal 11/28/13 11/21/13 10/31/13 12/3/12 11/21/13 10/31/13 12/3/12 11/21/13 10/31/13 12/3/12 Mont Belvieu Spot 116.9 119.0 116.7 83.5 -2.06 2.30 33.17 -1.7 2.0 39.7 73.2 -3.05 4.74 42.56 -2.5 Conway Spot 117.5 120.5 115.8 4.1 58.1

Key Price Spreads and Differentials

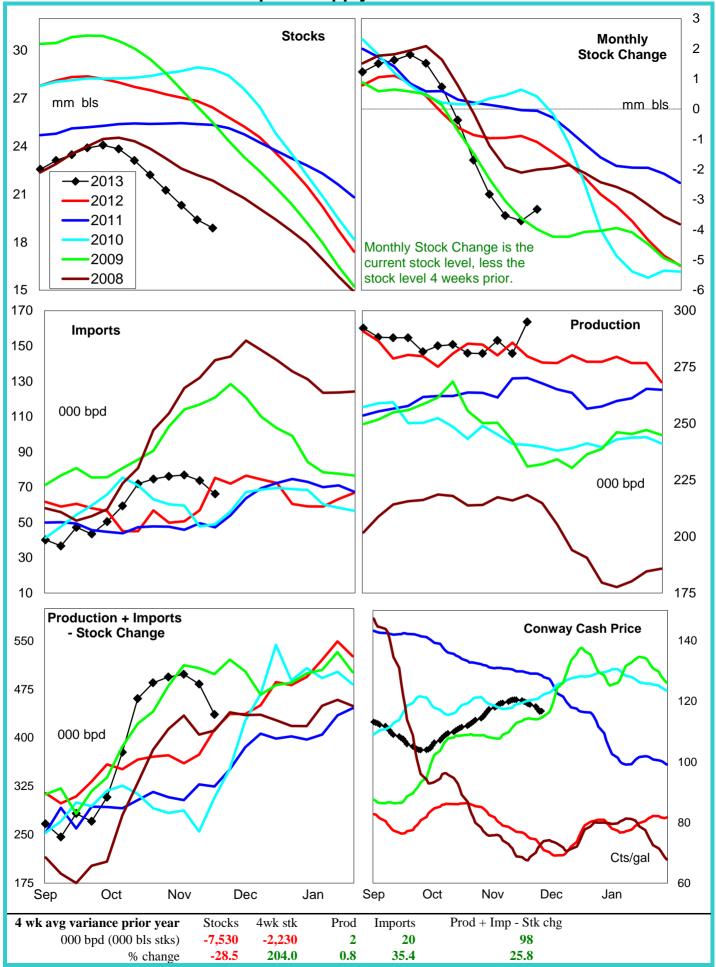




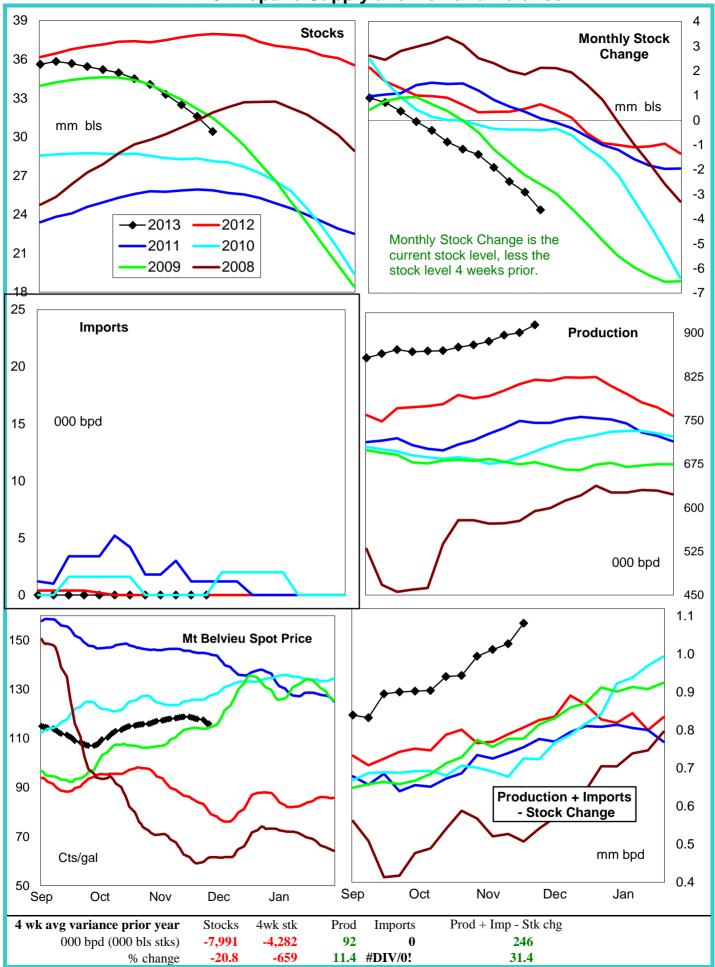
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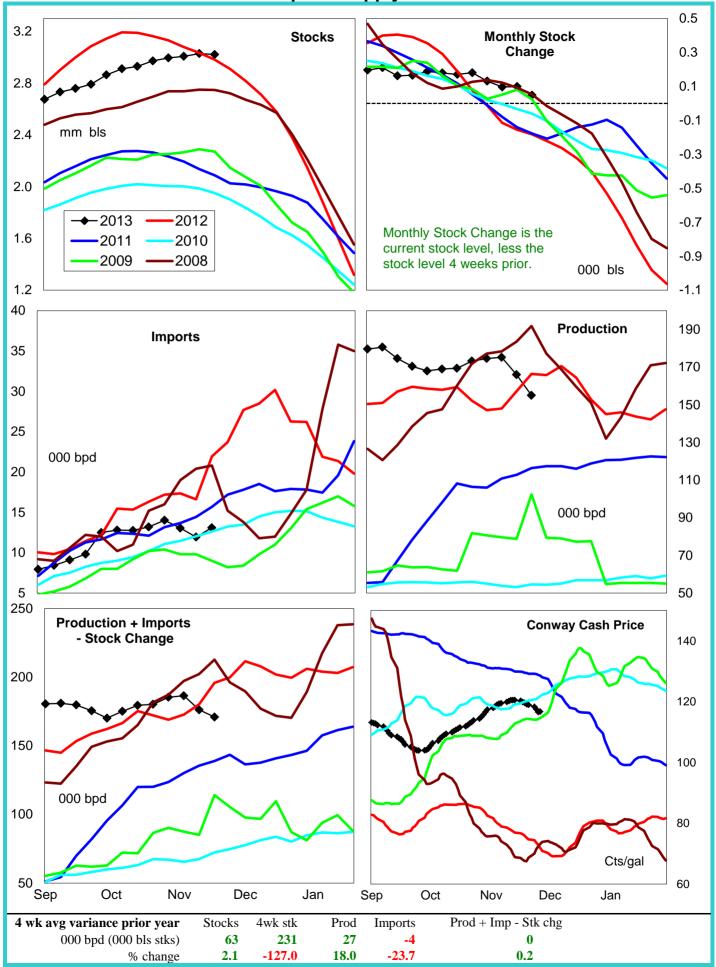
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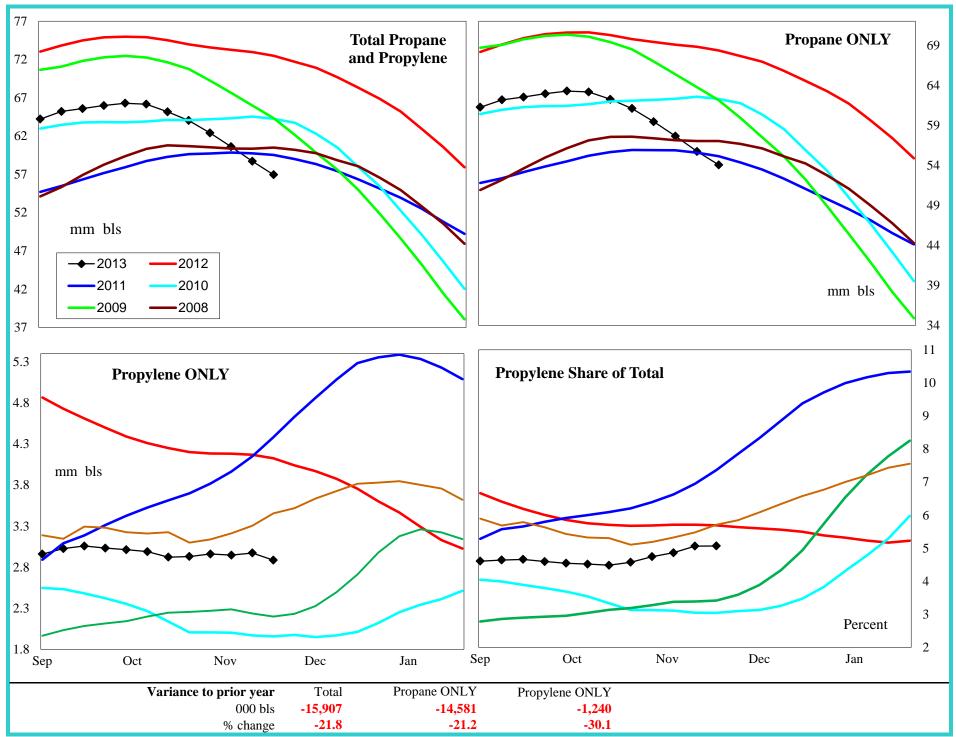
PADD 3 Propane Supply and Demand Balance



PADDs 4 and 5 Propane Supply and Demand Balance



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