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Transportation & Delivery of Anhydrous Ammonia

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Characteristics Of Anhydrous Ammonia

- Appearance: Colorless liquid or gas
- Odor: Strong, penetrating & pungent
- Physical State: Gas at ambient conditions (65° F and 14.7 psi)
- Ph: 10.6 – 11.6, Strongly alkaline when dissolved in water
- Explosive Limits: 16% to 25%
- Inhalation Hazard: OSHA PEL 60 ppm
- Dense Gas

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Safety Classifications

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- DOT – Hazardous Material
- OSHA – Hazardous Material
- EPA – Extremely Hazardous Substance

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Transportation Information

Regulated by Department Of Transportation (D.O.T.)

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- D.O.T. Shipping Name Ammonia, Anhydrous
- D.O.T. Hazard Class Poisonous, non-flammable compressed gas
- D.O.T. Placard Poison gas, non-flammable gas
- D.O.T. Label Code Inhalation hazard
- D.O.T. Reportable Quantity 100 lbs or 20 gallons

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U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Capacity

(The Fertilizer Institute & U.S. Department of Commerce)

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<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Capacity (MM tons)</u>
U.S. Operating Plants (2006)	23	13.2

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U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Supply

(The Fertilizer Institute & U.S. Department of Commerce)

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<u>Supply</u>	<u>MM tons</u>
U.S. Plant Production (est. 2005)	12.0
U.S. Imports (2005)	8.5
U.S. Exports	0.3
Total U.S. Supply	20.2

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U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Consumption

(The Fertilizer Institute & U.S. Department of Commerce)

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<u>U.S. Consumption (2005)</u>	<u>MM tons</u>
Fertilizer	
Anhydrous & Aqua Ammonia	3.94
Feedstock (for other fertilizers)	10.35
Industrial (Feedstock for chemicals)	5.85
Total Consumption	20.14

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Anhydrous Ammonia Modes of Transportation

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- Pipeline
- Pressure Tank Car
- Pressure Tank Truck
- Pressure Nurse Tank
- Refrigerated Barge

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Anhydrous Ammonia Transportation Container Regulations

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<u>Type</u>	<u>Regulation & Capacity</u>	<u>Min Design Pressure</u>
Tank Truck	MC 331 – 11,500 gal	300 psi
Rail Car	D.O.T. 112J340 – 33,500 gal	340 psi*
Stationary Tank	2000 – 120,000 gal – ASME Code Sec VIII, Div 1	250 psi
Barge	US Coast Guard & American Bureau of Ships	> 20 psi

*Current proposal under study by AAR Tank Car Committee to change design standard to 500 psi. If adopted, current ammonia cars would have to be phased out of service over a 10 years period.

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Anhydrous Ammonia Pipeline Infrastructure

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Pipelines

- Magellan Ammonia Pipeline

- Kanab Pipeline

Regional Coverage & Storage Terminals

- 1,100 miles
20 Terminals
528,000 tons Storage
Texas to Minnesota
Delivery Capacity: 900,000 tons/yr
- 2,000 miles
24 Terminals
1 million tons Storage
Louisiana to Nebraska & Indiana
Delivery Capacity: 2 million tons/yr

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Existing Ammonia Rail Car Fleet

- Type: D.O.T. 112J340
- Number of Cars in Service: ~ 6000
- Average Age of Fleet (est): 25 years
- Maximum Allowable Service Life: 40 years

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Existing Ammonia Barge Fleet

Type: 2,500 ton Capacity – Refrigerated

Typical Years of Service: 40 years (~ age of current fleet)

Barges in Service:

Mississippi River System	24
Inter-Coastal Waterway	4
Pacific Northwest	2
Total U.S. Barge Fleet	31

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Types Of Anhydrous Ammonia Storage

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<u>Location</u>	<u>Type Of Storage & Regulation</u>
■ Locations with > 10,000 lbs	■ Risk Management Program (RMP) Rule 40 CFR 68 Process Safety Management (PSM) Rule 29 CFR 1910.119
■ Producing Plant & Large Distribution Terminals	■ Refrigerated Storage ~ 30,000 tons @ < -28 °F, 15 psi
■ Local Distribution, “Dealers”	■ Pressure Tank ~ 30,000 gal 265 psi minimum design & Local Municipal codes
■ Farm	■ Nurse Tank ~ 1,000 gal 265 psi minimum design

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Anhydrous Ammonia Production & Distribution Infrastructure

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Pipelines

- Pipeline Terminals
- River Storage Terminals
- U.S. Production Points
- Storage Terminals (>1,000 tons)
- Total Storage

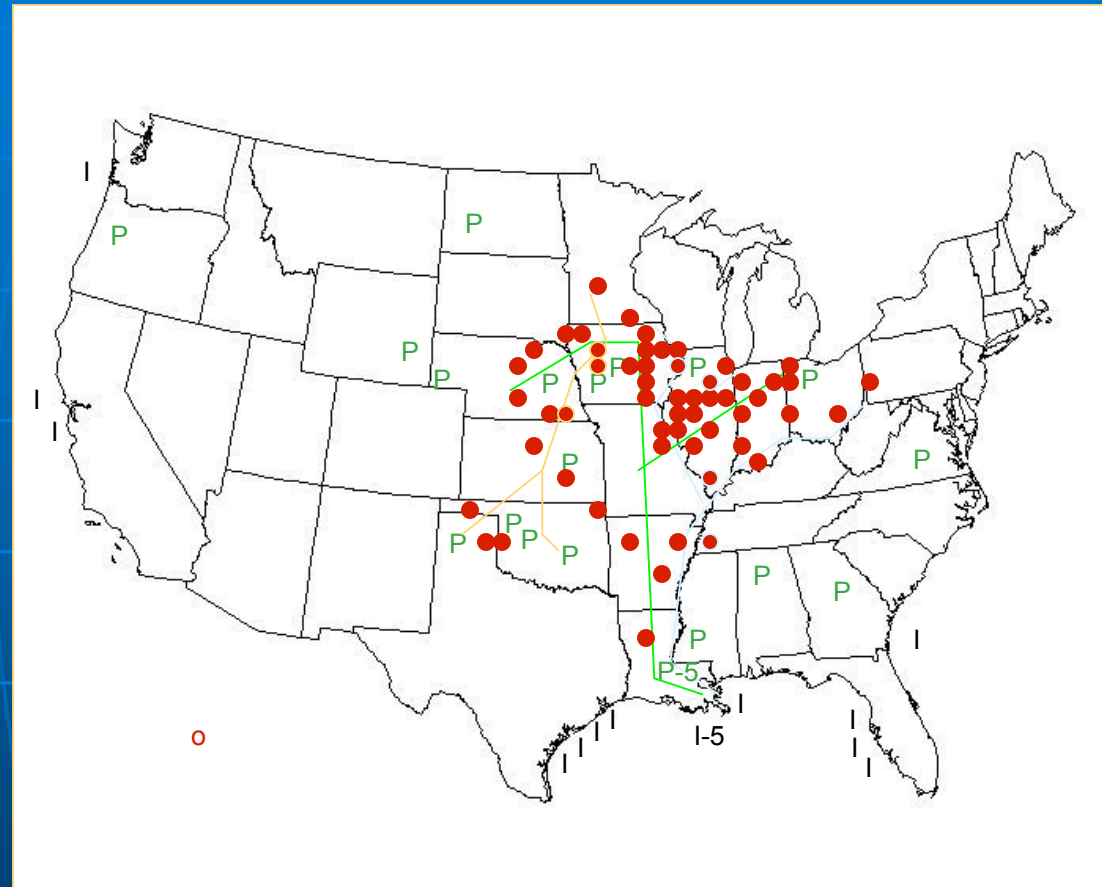
Coverage & Storage Terminals

- 44 Terminals - 2.9 million tons
- 30 Terminals - 780,000 tons
Mississippi, Illinois & Ohio Rivers
- 23 Plants
767,000 tons Storage
- ~ 1,500,000 tons
- ~ 4,575,000 tons

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U.S. Ammonia Infrastructure

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- P Ammonia Plants – 23
- Storage Tanks (Pipeline & River) – 70
- I Import Tanks – 17
- Kanab Pipeline
- Magellan Pipeline
- - - Mississippi - Ohio River System

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Fueling Station Stationary Tank Requirements

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- Tank Design ASME Boiler & Pressure Vessel Code Sec VII, Div 1, 250 psi minimum
- Tank Sizes 2,000 – 120,000 gallons
- Location, Design, Construction & Operation Depart of Labor Requirement: Conform to 29 CF1910.111 American National Safety Institute ANSI K61.1
- Location Local Code: Most municipalities now prevent the placement of ammonia storage tanks within city limits.

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Ammonia Infrastructure Capital Costs

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<u>Capital Item</u>	<u>Cost \$</u>
Conventional Grass Roots Plant 1,500 tons/day with storage	~\$330 MM
Pipeline 12" Diameter – 1,000 miles	~\$240 MM
Large Refrigerated Storage Terminal 30,000 ton capacity	\$20 MM
Pressure Storage Tanks – 30,000 gallons (~ \$5/gallon installed)	\$150,000
Ammonia Rail Tank Car	
Current design: 340 psi	\$118,000
Proposed design: 500 psi	~\$135,000 - \$150,000

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U.S. Motor Transportation Fuels Supply 2005

Refinery Production Capacity

Operating Refineries	147
Gasoline Production (1,000 Bbls)	3,013,930
Distillate Fuels (1,000 Bbls)	1,441,365
Imports of Motor Fuels (1000 Bbls)	1,141,065

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U.S. Motor Transportation Fuels Consumption 2005

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	<u>1,000 Bbls</u>	<u>MM tons</u>
Gasoline Sales	3,330,805	419.68
Diesel Sales	1,500,252	220.54

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Energy Content Comparison

	<u>Density</u> Lbs/gal	<u>Heat of Combustion</u> Btu/lb
Motor Gasoline	6.10	20,504
Diesel	7.10	19,534
Ammonia	5.15	8,001

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Anhydrous Ammonia New Production Capacity for Fuel Use

Assumption:

Anhydrous Ammonia Replaces 20% of Motor Gasoline and Diesel Demand (on a Ton for Ton basis)

Requirement:

U.S. Total Motor Fuel Consumption (2005): 640.22 MM tons

Anhydrous Ammonia to Replace 20%: 128.04 MM tons

U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Production (2005): 12.00 MM tons

U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Production would have to increase by a factor of 10.67

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Anhydrous Ammonia New Production Capacity for Fuel Use

Assumption:

Anhydrous Ammonia Replaces 20% of 2005 Motor Fuel Demand (on a BTU for BTU basis)

Requirement:	MM Tons	Trillion BTU
U.S. Motor Fuel Consumption (2005):	640.22	25,825
Anhydrous Ammonia to Replace 20%:	322.75	5,165
U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Production:	12.00	192

U.S. Anhydrous Ammonia Production would have to increase by a factor of 26.9

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Petroleum Administration for Defense Districts

- The East Coast (PADD 1)
 - Has no crude oil production
 - Limited Refining
 - Highest regional demand for refined products
 - Refineries process foreign oil
 - Receives 60% of refined products shipped from other PADDs
 - Receives almost all of the refined products imported into the U.S.

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Petroleum Administration for Defense Districts

- The Midwest (PADD 2)
 - Significant crude oil production
 - Receives Canadian & other foreign crude by pipeline
 - 88% of crude refined comes from outside the region
 - Regional refined products supplemented by Texas Gulf Coast

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Petroleum Administration for Defense Districts

- The Gulf Coast (PADD 3)
 - Largest producer of U.S. crude (55%)
 - Refineries account for 47% of U.S. of refined products
 - Refineries account for 80% of product shipments among PADDs
 - Most refined product shipments go to PADD 1 and to PADD 2

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- The Rocky Mountain Region (PADD 4)
 - Lowest refined product consumption
 - Imports crude from Canada to supplement regions production
 - Inter-regional trade of finished products keeps supply in balance

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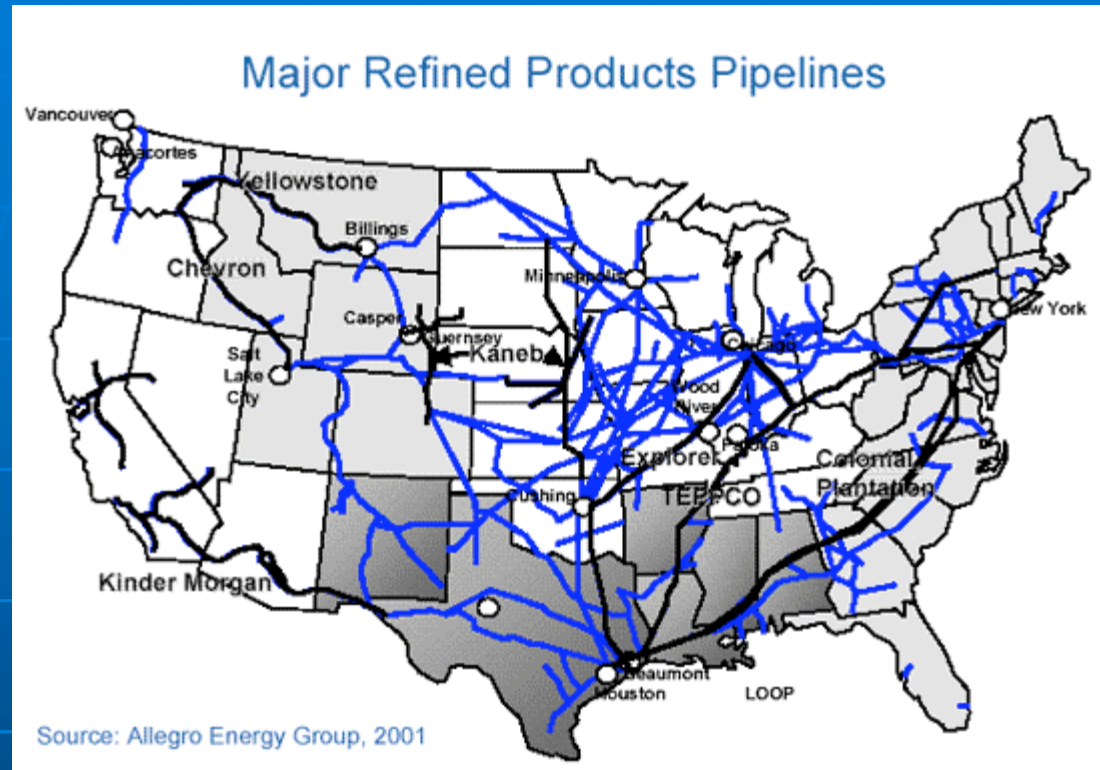
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Petroleum Administration for Defense Districts

- The West Coast (PADD 5)
 - Logistically is separate from the rest of the U.S.
 - Crude supply dominated by Alaskan crude (55%)
 - Remainder of crude (45%) comes from California fields
 - Unique product requirements (CARB)
 - All of California's product requirements are met by the state's refineries

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95,000 miles of refined products pipelines
5.3 billion barrels per year of refined products
845 Distribution Terminals
167,350 Service Stations

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Capital Investment Required for AA to Replace 20% of Motor Fuels

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<u>Item</u>	<u>Capital Required</u> Billions \$
Plants – 615 (1500 tons/day)	\$202.95
Pipeline System (19,000 miles)	\$4.56
Storage Terminals – 169	\$3.38
Service Stations – 33,470 (Storage & pumps added to existing stations)	\$6.69
Rail Car Fleet – 161,400	\$21.79
Tank Truck Fleet – 47,340	<u>\$8.28</u>
Total Investment	\$247.65

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Infrastructure Hurdles to Overcome for AA to Replace 20% of Motor Fuels

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- Public & Regulatory Acceptance of the Hazardous Nature of AA
- Permitting of Retail Sites
- Capital Required for Plants and Logistics Infrastructure
- Feedstock – Natural Gas or Coal Gasification?