

Energy Networks Australia Announcement - Appointment of CEO

Andrew Dillon has been appointed as the CEO of Energy Networks Australia.

Andrew has been the Interim CEO of Energy Networks Australia since September and before that was GM Corporate Affairs at AusNet Services. Andrew is well known to many involved in energy related issues, through his interim role at Energy Networks Australia and previous roles including at the Energy Supply Association of Australia.

Andrew will work closely with our senior team - Garth Crawford, Brendon Crown, Stuart Johnston, Dennis Van Puyvelde, Emma Watts and Joan Morrell – to progress our engagement with our stakeholders. Nino Ficca Chair Energy Networks Australia.

Over 11 million residential gas appliances used in cooking, hot water and heating.

National statistics by region

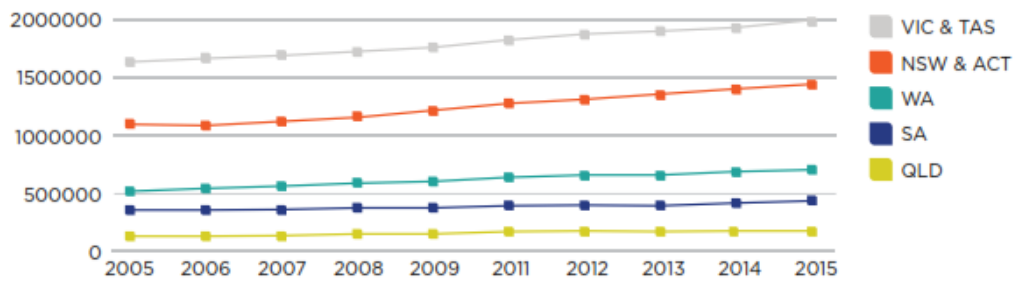
	Australia	ACT	NSW	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA
Homes connected to gas (000)	5,000 (est)	139	1,332	182	427	12	1,958	710
% homes connected to gas	49	85	42	10	57	5	80	75
Average household energy consumption (GJ pa)	33	35	20	8	17	34	49	15
% household energy from gas	44	54	35	3	35	6	69	35
Gas mains distribution (km)	90,459	4,620	26,290	5,760	7,950	710	31,090	14,000
Residential gas appliances (000)	>11,000	245	2822	561	945	31	4874	1526

Source: Deloitte Access Economics (2016) - Analysis for Gas Vision 2050.

Gas demand is growing

The total demand for gas in households has also increased as a result of additional connections. The 2015 demand of 162 PJ pa represents a growth over the 10-year period from 2005 of 22%.

Connections by regions



Gas provides cheap energy to the home

The average cost of gas supplied to homes is around half the cost of electricity supplied. In Victoria, the average cost of gas supply is 39% of the cost of electricity supply.

Electricity or gas cost delivered to the home



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