

# **Perspectives from Small LNG Producer country**

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# Trinidad & Tobago at a Glance

Overview of Trinidad & Tobago



Located in Southeastern Caribbean  
Population: 1.3 million  
Landmass: 1,980 mi<sup>2</sup> (5,128 km<sup>2</sup>)  
Per Capita GDP (2005E)<sup>(1)</sup>: US\$10,436  
Trinidad & Tobago is rated Baa2 by Moody's and A- by S&P

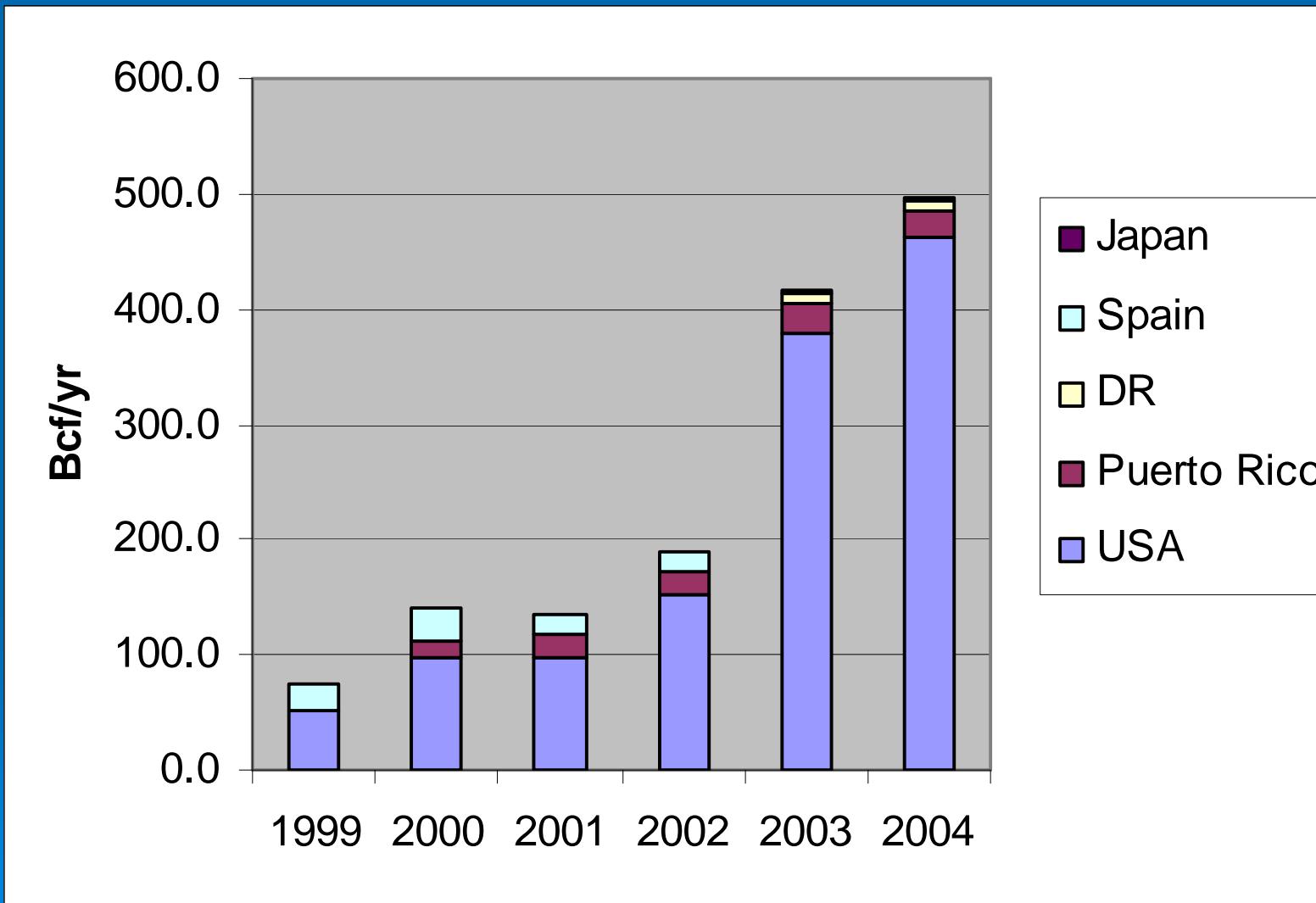
# Trinidad & Tobago –Strategic location in Atlantic Basin



# LNG Perspectives

- Trinidad and Tobago as exporter of LNG in the Atlantic Basin in 1999
- Niche markets in NE USA and Spain
- Gas Market economics were sufficient to justify investment in LNG
- Rapid growth of LNG export during period 1999-2006 with 4 LNG trains with capacity of 18 million tonnes per year or 2.5 Bcf/d

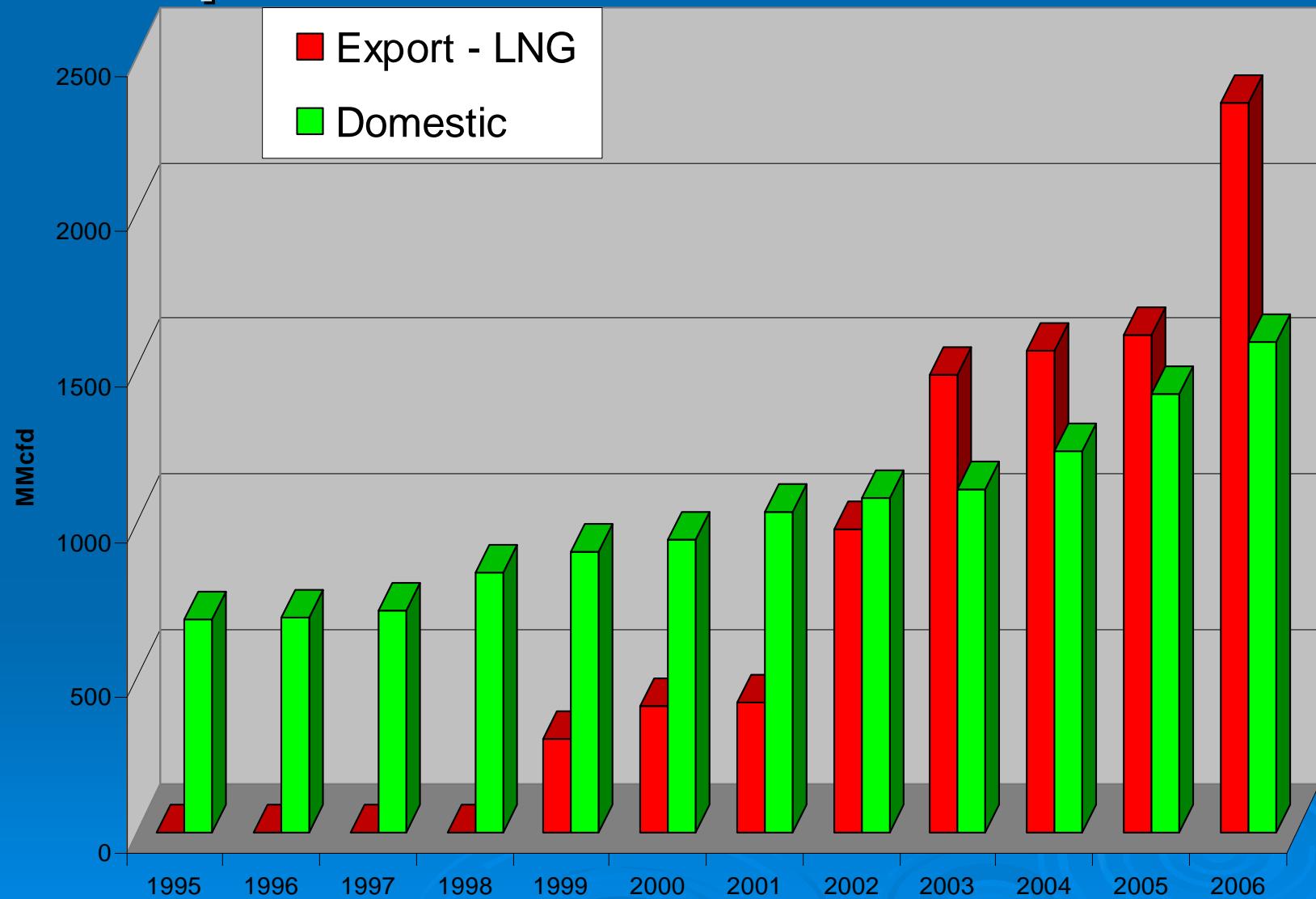
# LNG Exports from Trinidad & Tobago



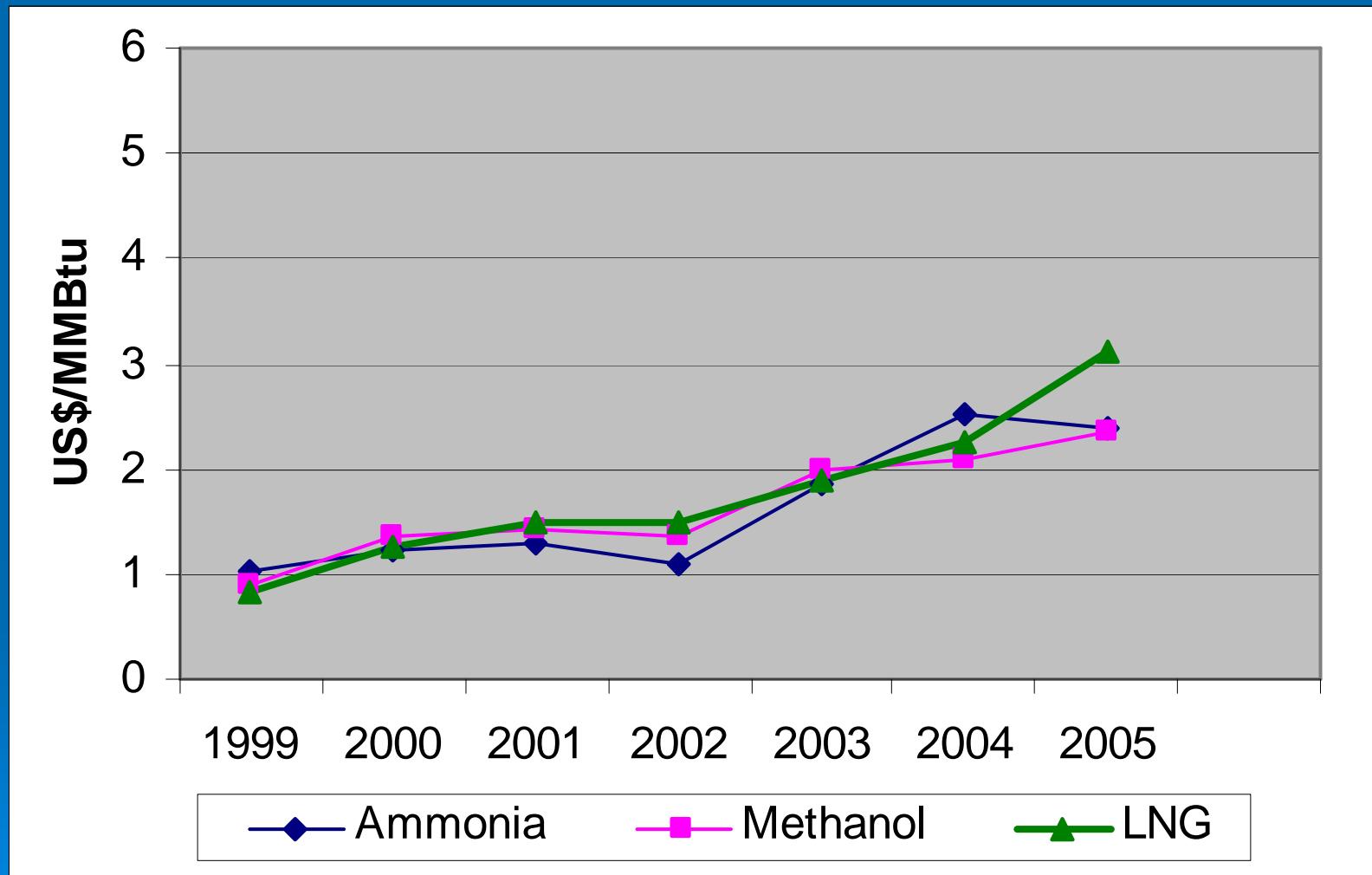
# Domestic Gas Perspectives

- At end of 2006
  - 4 LNG plants
  - 30 world scale size gas consuming plants
- Rate of gas demand growth
  - Pre - LNG            9%
  - Post – LNG        27%
- In 2006, LNG comprise 60% of total gas portfolio
- Wellhead netback – comparable up to 2004

# Export vs Domestic Gas In T & T



# Comparison of Wellhead Netback



# Future Options

- Trinidad and Tobago is faced with strategic options based on the following realities
  - Modest gas resources
  - Strategic geographical location in the Atlantic Basin
  - Need for balanced gas development with mix of domestic gas Industries and export LNG
  - Gas supplier country with over 30 years history of growth, stability and reliability

# Thank You

