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New found riches around the Cypriot coastline, plus new import and storage activities



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# The Cyprus hydrocarbons sector is expanding

# Storage & handling: VTT Vasiliko is the largest Cyprus investment at €300mn

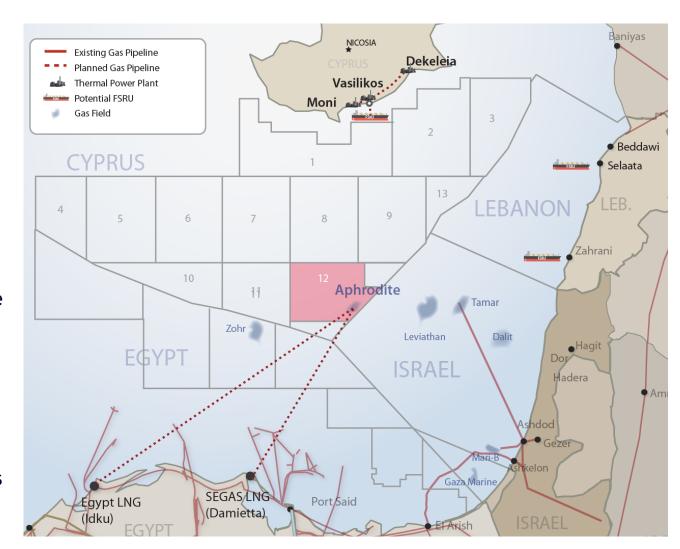
 Product scope is being expanded

#### Imports: LNG

 Via a floating storage and regasification unit (FSRU)

#### Discoveries: Gas

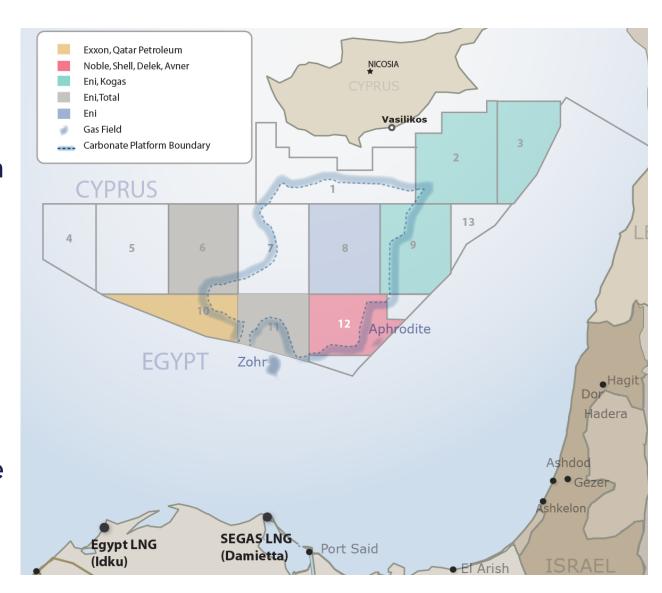
 Reserves could rise as exploration efforts continue



# Exploration is ongoing after initial discoveries

- Glafcos, Block 10 -ExxonMobil, Qatar Petroleum discovered 5-8 Tcf (in place)
- Calypso, Block 6 -Eni discovery in Feb 2018 confirms Zohrlike play
- Aphrodite, Block 12

   discovered by Noble
   Energy in 2011, 4.5
   Tcf recoverable
  - Other partners are Shell, Delek

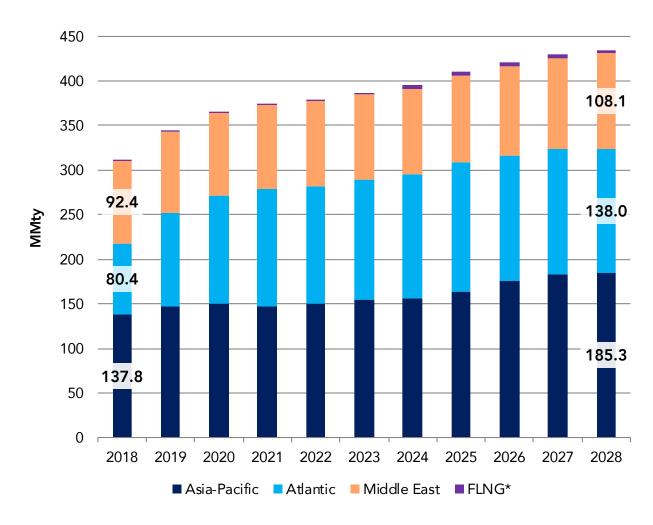


# LNG is a key part of Cyprus gas development

- Gas discoveries to date do not require Cyprus liquefaction investment
  - Aphrodite gas will be sent to existing liquefaction plants in Egypt
  - Production sharing talks are ongoing
  - Plans call for building a pipeline to transport gas to Egyptian LNG plants
- If ongoing exploration bumps up gas reserves, Cyprusbased liquefaction will be considered
  - Most of the operators are planning more drilling
  - If there is a 'Zohr' scale find, building an LNG export plant would take time
  - So under initial plans, gas from Aphrodite would still go to Egypt
- Either way, Cyprus is poised to play a role in the LNG growth story

## Global supply will continue to grow

- Rapid growth through 2020 and then resumption of growth from 2024
  - New FIDs to add substantial new supply after 2023-24
- US projects under construction and expansions account for Atlantic additions
- MEG is flat except for Qatar
  - 33 MMt/y after 2023-2024
- Mozambique, Canada, PNG account for Pacific growth
- Upside risk on supply side

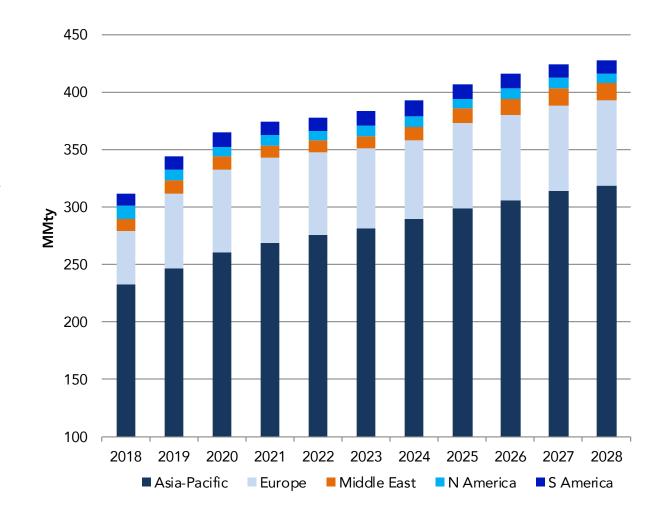


\*Excludes FLNG Unit 1 and 2 from Malaysia, Prelude FLNG and Coral FLNG

Source: Poten & Partners' Global LNG Outlook

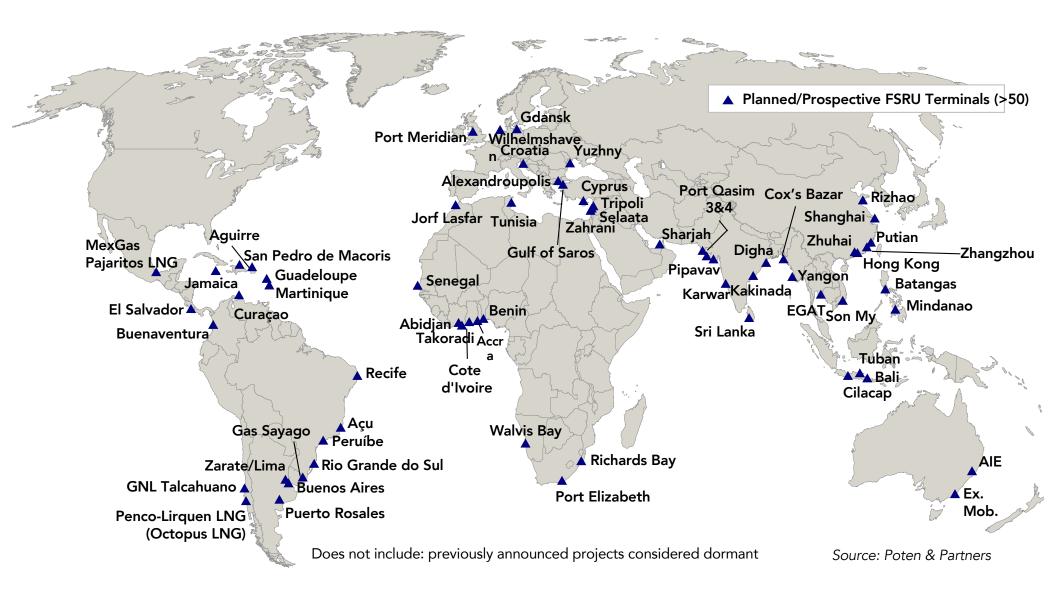
## Global LNG demand is growing

- Asia-Pacific divided between high-growth new consumers and stagnant traditional importers
  - Demand will grow but how much is unknown
  - Chinese growth driven by power gen shifting away from coal
- Europe can absorb significant volumes over next few years
  - Price-sensitive demand
  - A lot depends on Russia
- FSRU/FSUs underpin niche market development
  - 29 existing
  - 6 under construction
  - 50 being planned



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# Success rate of future FSRUs key to LNG growth



## Hydrocarbon growth will boost the shipping sector

- Cyprus has already become a hub for oil products with VTT Vasiliko
  - We will hear how this has had an impact on shipping, with further growth envisaged
- Offshore exploration, LNG operations need ships
  - Exploration drill ships, semi-submersibles, jack-up rigs, seismic vessels
  - FSRU cost ~\$200mn+, most are leased
  - LNG carriers Cost ~\$180mn. Average 2019 rate for TFDE ~\$55,000/day
- LNG ships are pricey, but sector expansion is a nucleus for growth:
  - Service sector possibilities: Crewing, ship management, service ships (tugs)
  - Cyprus is already the largest EU ship management centre
  - Partnerships may allow smaller and new players to gain entry
  - Gas-driven GDP growth will hike island trade flows, a positive for shipping

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