

Preliminary Consumption Information

August 2018

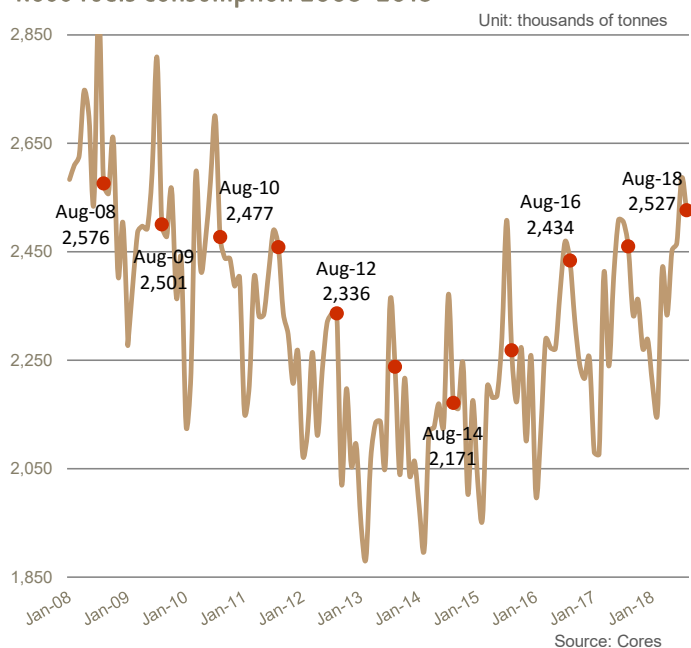
Road fuel consumption in August 2018 (2,527 kt) surpassed August 2009 levels (2,501 kt)

August registered the best data in a month of August in road fuel consumption since 2008, having risen by 2.7% regarding the same month in 2017. Both gasolines as well as gasoil grew, which presented the third greatest consumptions in a month of August, only surpassed in the years 2006 and 2007. In the year to date, consumptions of both fuels also rose: 4.1% for the gasolines and, to a lesser extent, gasoil (+2.1%).

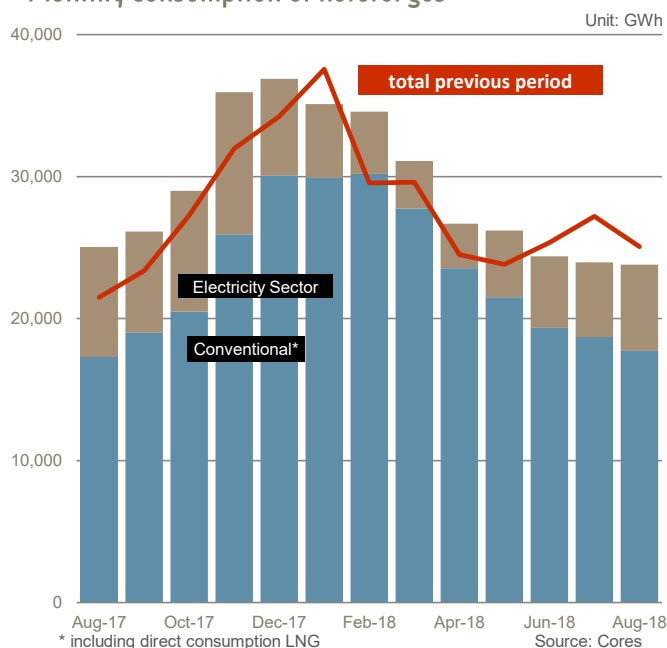
This month consumption of every petroleum product group increased, except for fuel oil (-3.3%): LPG (+9.6%), gasolines (+7.3%), kerosene (+3.7%) and gasoil (+2.3%). In the year to date all petroleum product group presented interannual growth: LPG (+3.0%), gasolines (+4.1%), kerosene (+4.8%), gasoil (+2.7%) and fuel oil (+3.7%).

Again, in August natural gas consumption diminished (-5.1% respect to August 2017), having placed itself at 23,795 GWh. Same as in June and July, the consumption intended to electricity generation decreased (-21.5%), whilst conventional consumption and direct consumption LNG rose by 2.0% and 6.8% respectively. In the year to date, natural gas consumption increased by 1.4%; conventional consumption (+5.2%) and direct consumption LNG (+1.3%) ascended, whilst natural gas intended to electricity generation (-13.6+%) diminished.

Road fuels consumption 2008-2018



Monthly consumption of natural gas



Petroleum Products	Consumption			Year-on-Year Variation Rates (%)		
	August 2018	Year-to-Date	Rolling Year	August 2018	Year-to-Date	Rolling Year
Road gasolines	501	3,383	4,987	7.3%	4.1%	3.6%
Road diesel	2,026	15,754	23,404	1.7%	2.1%	2.2%
Road fuels	2,527	19,137	28,391	2.7%	2.4%	2.4%
LPG	193	1,714	2,308	9.6%	3.0%	-9.6%
Gasolines*	501	3,386	4,991	7.3%	4.1%	3.6%
Kerosene	677	4,473	6,618	3.7%	4.8%	6.0%
Gasoil*	2,561	20,931	31,381	2.3%	2.7%	2.6%
Fuel oil	703	5,667	8,556	-3.3%	3.7%	3.2%

* Road products included in the corresponding product group

Source: Cores

Natural gas	Consumption			Year-on-Year Variation Rates (%)		
	August 2018	Year-to-Date	Rolling Year	August 2018	Year-to-Date	Rolling Year
Conventional consumption	16,858	181,857	274,081	2.0%	5.2%	5.6%
Electricity generation	6,073	37,124	69,595	-21.5%	-13.6%	-0.3%
Direct consumption LNG	863	6,823	10,082	6.8%	1.3%	-1.2%
Total Natural gas	23,795	225,803	353,758	-5.1%	1.4%	4.2%

Source: Cores