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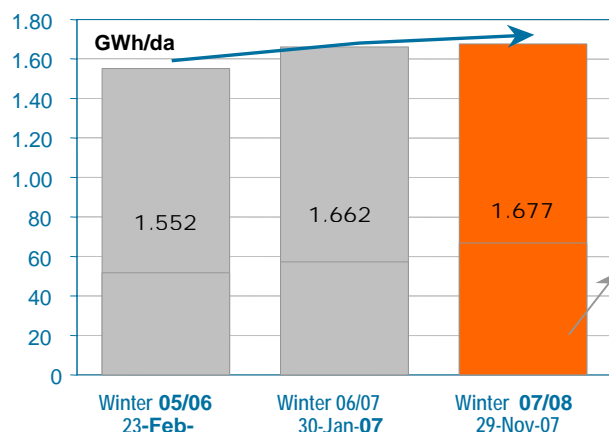
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Demand for natural gas in Spain set a new all-time record yesterday, 12 December, of 1,716 GWh. This was 3% higher than last winter's consumption record of 1,662 GWh set on 30 January, 2007.

Meanwhile yesterday's record marks an increase of 2.3% on the most recent record set last 29 November when demand for natural gas peaked at 1,677 GWh.

Of total demand for natural gas, 675 GWh went to the electricity market, also marking an all-time record in terms of demand for electricity generation purposes.

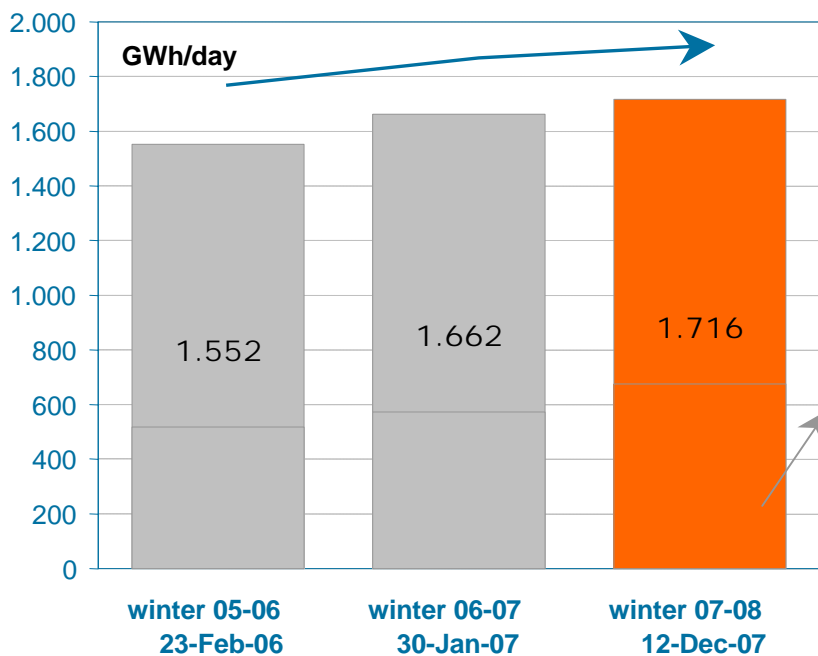
Yesterday's peak reflected low temperatures in combination with significant demand for gas to generate electricity.



GWh/da	Winter 05/06	Winter 06/07	Winter 07/08	
	23-Feb-06	30-Jan-07	In progress 12-Dec-07	Yoy change(%)
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Electricity sector	518	573	675	+18%
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CCGT	493	549	661	+20%
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Note: a file is attached highlighting the demand for natural gas recorded on 12 December in the fastest growing regions of Spain.

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- This winter's record broken for the second time
- The high gas deliveries to the power industry are due mainly to the shutdown of the Vandellós II nuclear plant and scant wind generation (less than 20%).

# RECORD winter demand: 12-Dec-07

## Fastest growing regions

CCGTs in operation



EXTREMADURA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 2,2 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 3,7 GWh/day (+70 %)  
% s/(Total) 0,2 %



VALENCIA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 159,2 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 209,5 GWh/day (+32 %)  
% s/(Total) 12 %



MURCIA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 105,5 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 136,1 GWh/day (+29 %)  
% s/(Total) 8 %



NAVARRA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 54,5 GWh/día

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 68,4 GWh/día (+25 %)  
% s/(Total) 4,0 %



ARAGON

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 88,2 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 96,1 GWh/day (+9 %)  
% s/(Total) 6 %



GALICIA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 26,5 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 27,5 GWh/day (+4 %)  
% s/(Total) 1,6 %

# RECORD winter demand: 12-Dec-07

## Other regions

CCGTs in operation



winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 48,7 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 33,7 GWh/day (-31 %)  
% s/(Total) 2,0 %



winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 266,3 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 274,5 GWh/day (+3 %)  
% s/(Total) 16 %



winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 89,9 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 93,0 GWh/day (+3 %)  
% s/(Total) 5 %



winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 147,1 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 142,6 GWh/day (-3 %)  
% s/(Total) 8 %



winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 189,3 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 172,9 GWh/day (-9 %)  
% s/(Total) 10 %



winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 22,2 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 21,2 GWh/day (-5 %)  
% s/(Total) 1,2 %

CCGTs in operation



CANTABRIA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 26,5 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 20,9 GWh/day (-21 %)  
% s/(Total) 1,2 %



CASTILLA-MANCHA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 76,6 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 78,5 GWh/day (+2 %)  
% s/(Total) 5 %



CATALONIA

winter 06-07

30-Jan-07 358,8 GWh/day

winter 07-08

12-Dec-07 337,8 GWh/day (-6 %)  
% s/(Total) 20 %

