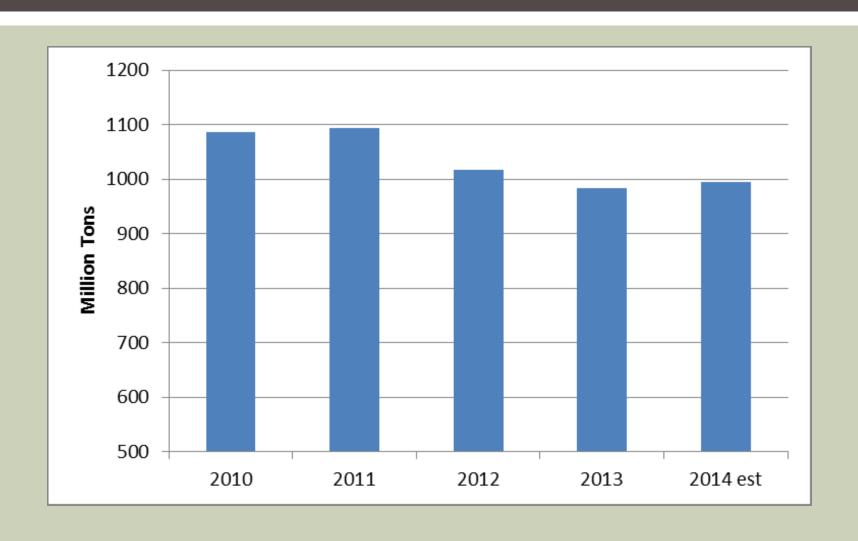
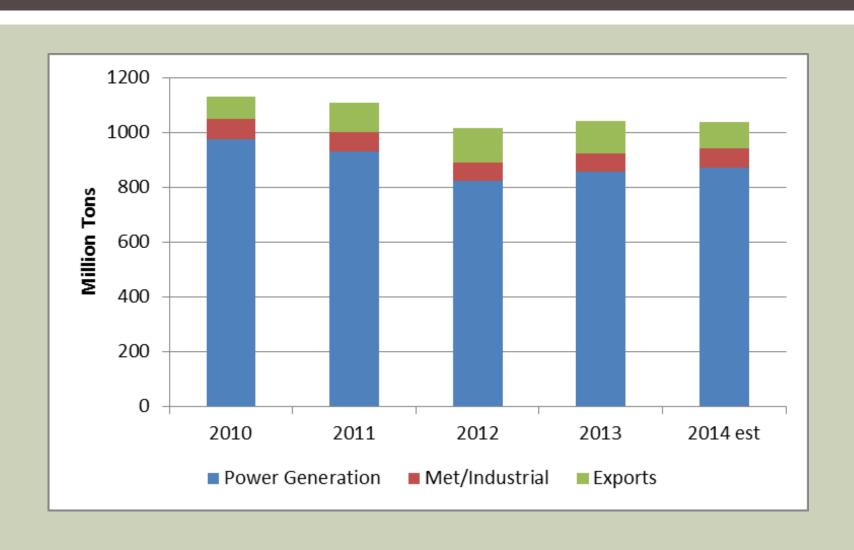
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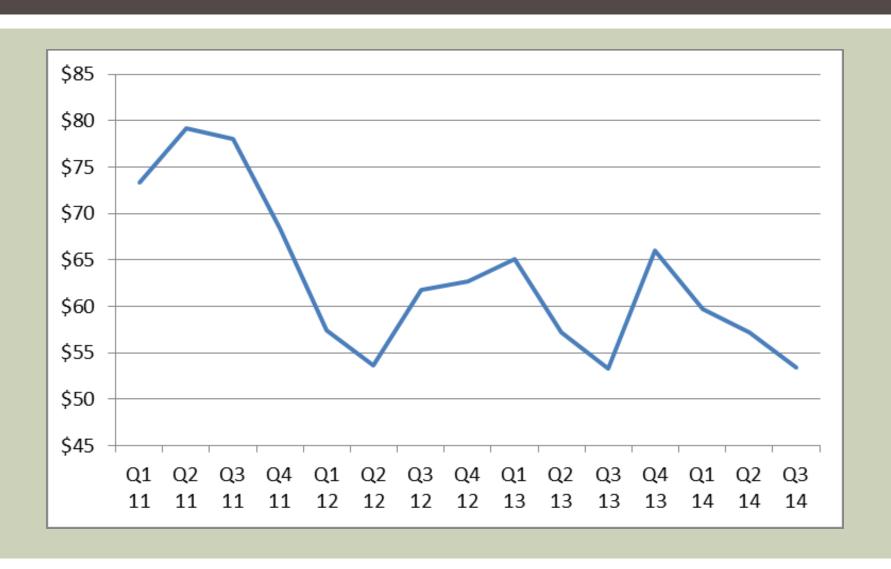
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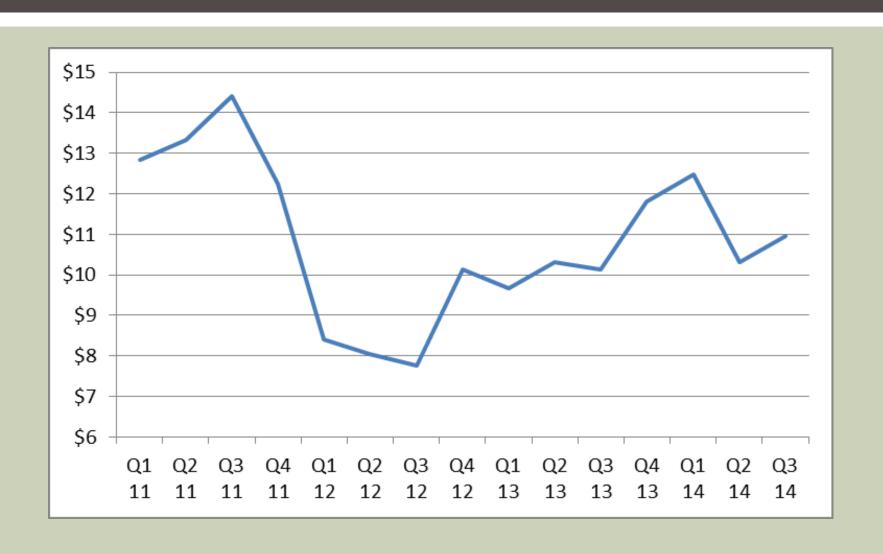
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## **DOMESTIC PRICES - PRB 8800 BTU**



### IMPACT OF RAIL PERFORMANCE ISSUES

- Most PRB producers have cited poor rail performance as a contributing factor to lower than anticipated revenue
  - ACI estimates 4-5 million tons lost in 1H
  - BTU estimates 1-2 million tons lost in Q2
  - ANR reduced 2014 PRB shipment guidance by 3 million tons.
  - Since Q1, CLD has reduced 2014 top-end guidance from 92 million to 86 million tons
  - BTU estimates collectively 15M tons lost in first half due to poor shipments and coal conservation
- Several customers cite inability to get coal delivered as a reason they haven't purchased additional volumes this year.
- Recent drop in 2014 prices reflects this