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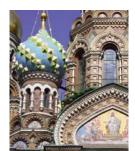
# How does the Russian coal industry thrive in these troubled times?



A key supplier to both the European and - increasingly - the Asian steam coal markets, its future would seem more than ever to depend on strong prices and the opportunity to heave into costs.

For the world markets a healthy Russian coal producing sector is a must but, maintaining financial health is as steep a challenge for the Russian producers as any other worldwide.

But the markets do offer clear glimmers of, if not wild optimism, at least of opportunity for the Russians.



- The promise of Ukraine emerging as a significant exporter of both met and steam coal would seem to place the Ukraine in pole position as a supplier in Europe.
- With a collapsing steel demand at home, Russian coking coal exporters have approached the world
  markets with much lower price expectations than the Australian market leaders and could, as a result, find
  rich pickings.
- SUEK's Muchka Bay terminal on the Pacific offers a timely window on one of the big surprises of the 2009 market place a rampant importing Chinese power sector.
- Static South African export levels, plus weak South American and US exports, reduces Russia's competition in its European backyard.

The questions facing the Russian producers range from the familiar (Will the railways show sufficient flexibility to enable the exporters to compete?) to the unfamiliar (Will the weakening rouble costs be brought down to a level where Russia's competitiveness is enhanced?)

Despite the gloom, companies both Russian (Mechel) and Ukrainian (Metinvest) have shown themselves keen to look to the future and invest in a significant amount of US coking coal production. But the obverse of the coin is falling production at home where some companies (SUEK, Kuzbassrazrezugol, Raspadskaya, Mittal) are cutting back production sharply and others digging in at current mining levels (SBU).

Come to the Russian Coal Markets Conference in St Petersburg in September and join Russia's leading producers and the world's leading coal market analysts to plot a way through the thickets of recovery for the balance of 2009 and into the markets of 2010 and the years ahead.



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### Agenda

### Tuesday 22 September

18:00 - 20:00 Early registration and Welcome Reception

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### Day One: Wednesday 23 September

07:45 Registration opens

#### Session One: Keynote Opening Session

Chair: Gerard McCloskey, Founder of The McCloskey Group

09:00 Opening address

Andrey Malakhov, Deputy Governor of Kemerovo Region, Coal Industry and Energy

09:20 Changing dynamics of the Russian coal industry

Sergey Shatirov, First Deputy of the

Committee for Industrial Affairs, Russian Federation

09:40 China the world power house - Growing demand for

the world's coal and the growing use of Russian imports Madam Liu Caiying, Vice President ,

China National Coal Association

10:00 Global economic outlook for power and steel -

Has the world economy reached the bottom of the cycle?

Senior Representative, Nomura

10:30 Refreshment Break - This event is available to sponsor

### **Session Two:** Russian thermal coal production - Perfectly placed for future demand

Chair: Gerard McCloskey, Founder of The McCloskey Group

11:00 Overview of Russian power industry

Alexander Kovaltchouk,

**General Director, Coal Market Research Institute** 

11:20 How is Russia's largest thermal

coal producer positioning itself for the future?

Anna Belova, Vice CEO.

Strategy & Corporate Development, SUEK

#### 11:40 Panel Discussion

- Lev Rybak, Director, MIR Trade
- Oleg Rozenberg, Member, Board of Directors, Mechel
- Igor Shelukhin, Managing Director, Non-Commercial Partnership For Support Of Mining Industries Development

12:30 Delegate Lunch - This event is available to sponsor

# Session Three: Transportation and Ports - Can Russia compete when the wind blows cold?

Chair: Gerard McCloskey, Founder of The McCloskey Group

13:40 Future outlook for Russian railfreight Viktor Kvitko, Head of Department Federal Tariff Service of Russia

14:00 Black Sea port developments

Dmitry Galimov, Deputy Director, Tis-Ruda (Invited)

#### 14:20 Panel Discussion

• Normunds Mekshs, LaCon Port (Invited)

15:00 Refreshment Break - This event is available to sponsor

### **Session Four:** How is the Ukrainian coal industry positioned for the future?

Chair: David Price, Editor, Steam Coal Forecaster, McCloskey

15:30 Ukrainian privatisation, long term impact to the industry Mihail Voloshin, Director General Coal of Ukraine (Invited)

15:50 Developing exports markets for the Ukrainian coal industry

Vladimir Husák, Metinvest (Invited)

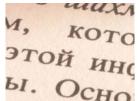
#### 16:10 Anthracite Panel Discussion

• Dmitry Zaharov, Head of Exports, Russian Coal

17:00 End of Day One

18:00 - 20:00 Cocktail Reception - This event is available to sponsor





### Day Two: Thursday 24 September

# **Session Five:** Outlook for the recovery of the power markets: How do utilities view future demand?

Chair: Mark Walters,

Head of Coal Sales & Origination, Deutsche Bank

09:00 Italy's changing energy mix and the future of coal Giorgio Ruscito, Managing Director, Fuelmed

09:20 Have the last twelve months changed the outlook forever on counterparties and contracts?

Eurof Lloyd-Lewis, Partner, Barlow Lyde & Gilbert

09:40 Future development of Russian power utilities

Dominique Fache,

General Director for Russia and CIS, ENEL

#### 10:00 Buyers Panel Discussion

- Graham Parker, Fuel Trading Manager, E.ON UK
- Yavuz Tasdelen, General Co-ordinator, Enisa-Nuryak Group
- Xavier Devos, Coal Procurement Manager, Electrabel

10:40 Refreshment Break - This event is available to sponsor

# **Session Six:** Coking Coal and Steel: Will Russia maintain its ranking in the european market?

Chair: Gerard McCloskey, Founder of The McCloskey Group

11:00 Supporting the coking coal sector for the return to exports Gerard McCloskey, Founder of The McCloskey Group

11:30 Impact of the global downturn on Russian steel demand and supply Suzanne Freegard,

European Editor, Steel Business Briefing

11.50 Challenges to financing within the commodities industry Arkadiy Ostrovskiy, Head of Corporate Finance, Asian Pacific Energy Projects (APEP)

12.10 Outlook on the current state and prospects for Ukrainian coke Anatoly Starovoit, Director-General of Ukrainian National Scientific, Industrial Association, Ukrkoks

### 12.30 Panel Discussion Future for domestic and o

Future for domestic and overseas coking coal supply

- Oleg Rozenberg, Member, Board of Directors, Mechel
- Graham Mascall, CEO, Lubel Coal
- David Rossiter, Coal Team, Corus (Invited)

13:30 Close of Conference

#### **Previous Delegates**

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