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Announced new gas price model

- New gas price to be effective from Jan 26
- A fairer gas price model
- Estimate 4% 2026F profit increase
- Maintain BUY on PTT

Mr. Attapol Rerkpiboon, Minister of Energy, chaired the National Energy Policy Committee (NEPC) meeting on behalf of the Prime Minister. He announced that the NEPC has approved a new natural gas pricing structure to ensure prices truly reflect actual costs and promote fairness for all gas users. The new structure will take effect from 1 January 2026 onward.

- Current price structure:** PTT's gas separation plants (GSPs) have been absorbing a subsidy of around Bt13bn per year under the Single Pool system introduced in 2024. Under this system, GSPs must pay the pooled average price of gas — including expensive imported LNG — despite using only domestic, wet gas from the Gulf of Thailand, which is the cheapest supply and the only suitable feedstock for petrochemical production. LNG is dry gas and mainly used for power generation. This mechanism helped lower fuel costs for power producers and mitigate electricity tariffs, but placed a heavy burden on GSP profitability.
- New gas price structure:** We see three key changes:
 - GSP gas costs will now be based on domestic gas prices (instead of the pool gas average).
 - Domestic gas used in the pool gas pricing will be discounted by 10%, with this cost borne by PTT's GSPs.
 - A portion of natural gas supplied to the petrochemical producer will be excluded from the gas pool price calculation.
- Impact to PTT:** The new model will reduce the subsidy burden and improve GSP profitability due to a lower cost base, though gas sold to NGV and industrial customers (about 14% of 3Q25 volume) will face higher costs as the pooled gas price is expected to rise by roughly 3%. Net-net, we expect the change to be positive for PTT, with 2026F earnings estimated to increase by around 4% under the revised pricing structure. Overall, the new policy is more reasonable and fairer, as it better separates gas used as petrochemical feedstock from LNG used in power generation, improving transparency and cost fairness across sectors.

Key Valuations

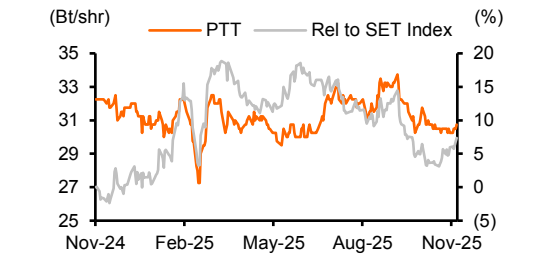
Y/E Dec (Bt m)	2024A	2025F	2026F	2027F
Revenue	3,090,453	3,036,200	2,972,663	2,966,304
Net profit	90,072	92,450	90,056	93,169
Norm net profit	91,682	84,450	90,056	93,169
Norm EPS (Bt)	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.3
Norm EPS gr (%)	(8.0)	(7.9)	6.6	3.5
Norm PE (x)	9.6	10.4	9.8	9.4
EV/EBITDA (x)	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.1
P/BV (x)	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7
Div. yield (%)	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8
ROE (%)	8.1	7.3	7.7	7.7
Net D/E (%)	33.3	36.3	29.9	21.3

Source: Thanachart estimates

Stock Data

Closing price (Bt)	30.75
Target price (Bt)	40.00
Market cap (US\$ m)	27,278
Avg daily turnover (US\$ m)	51.3
12M H/L price (Bt)	33.75/27.25

Price Performance



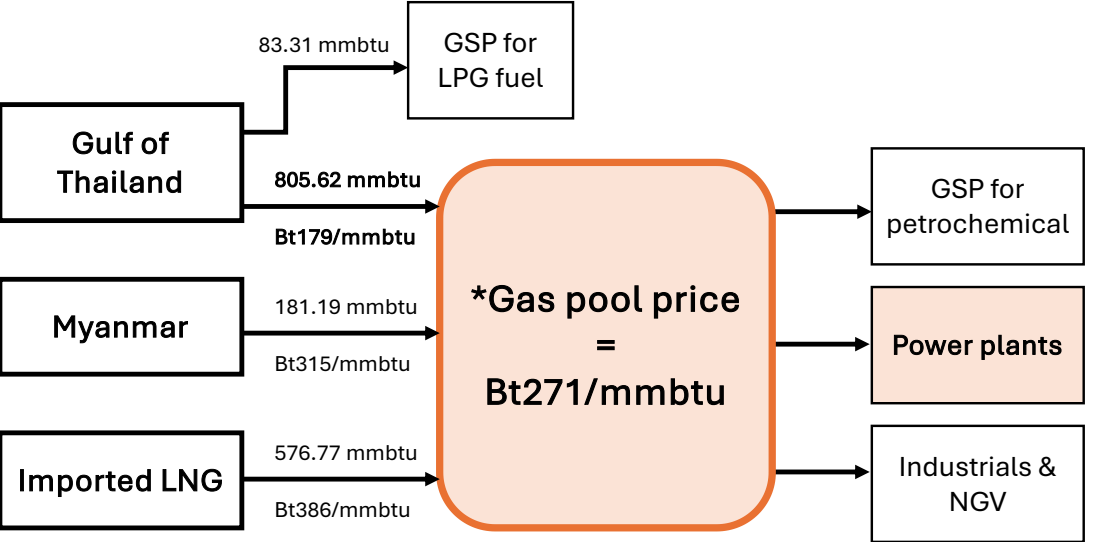
Source: Bloomberg

Ex 1: Estimate Pool Gas Price Old Vs. News

	Thailand gas supply (mmscfd)	Price (Bt/mmbtu)	Gas volume calculate in gas pool (mmscfd)	Note
Old				
Gulf of Thailand	889	179	806	Include GSP volume sale to chemical producers
Myanmar	181	315	181	
LNG	568	386	568	
Total	1,638		1,555	
Pool gas			271	
New				
Gulf of Thailand	889	161	584	Exclude GSP volume sale to chemical producers
Myanmar	181	315	181	
LNG	568	386	568	
Total	1,638		1,333	
Pool gas			279	
% change			3%	

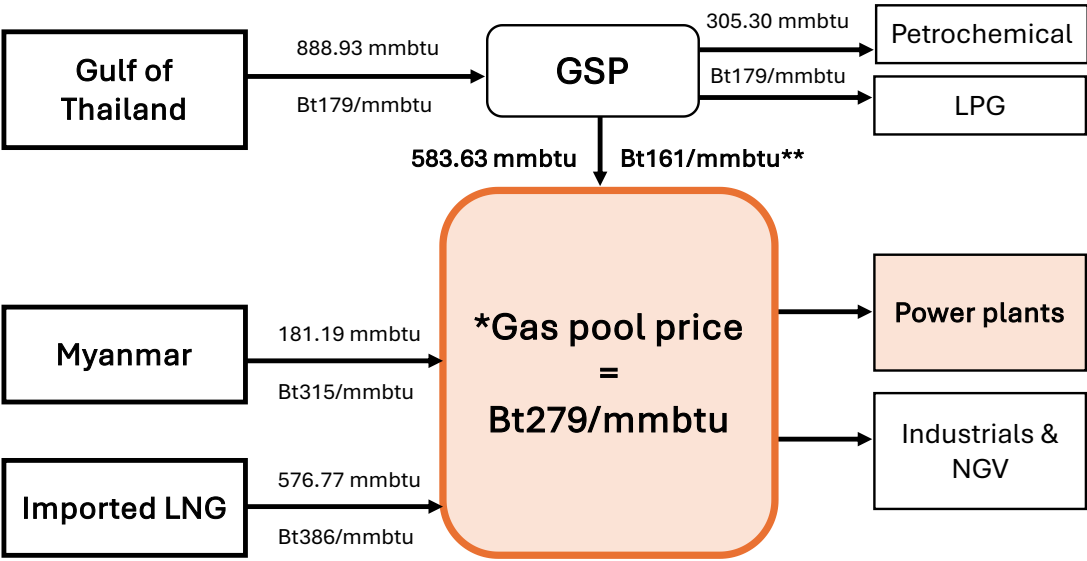
Source: Thanachart estimates

Ex 2: Current Natural Gas Price Structure Based on Single Pool Model



Sources: Energy and Policy Planning Office (EPPO), Thanachart estimates
Note: *Calculated based on gas volume mix specified in public hearing documents (March 2025) and latest gas prices from October 2025.

Ex 3: New Natural Gas Price Model To Be Implemented From Jan 2026



Sources: Energy and Policy Planning Office (EPPO), Thanachart estimates

Note: *Calculated based on gas volume mix specified in public hearing documents (March 2025) and latest gas prices from October 2025.

** NECP specifies that gas cost paid by GSP will be 10% higher than price of natural gas from Gulf of Thailand blended into the gas pool.

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