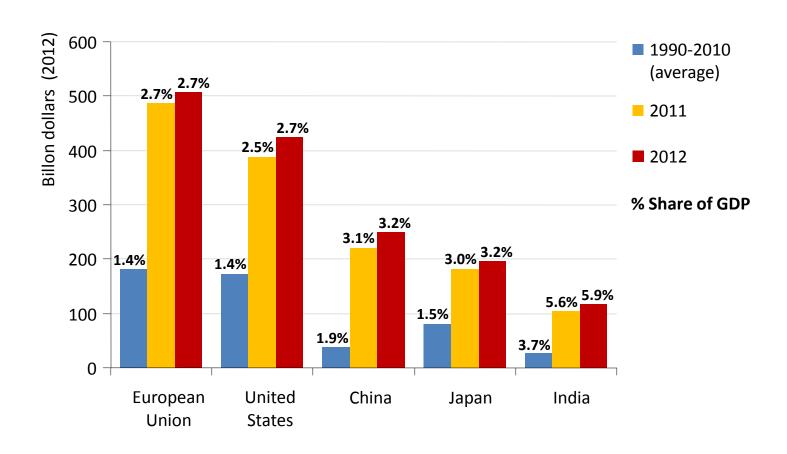


Impact of high oil prices on the economy



Annual expenditure on net imports of oil

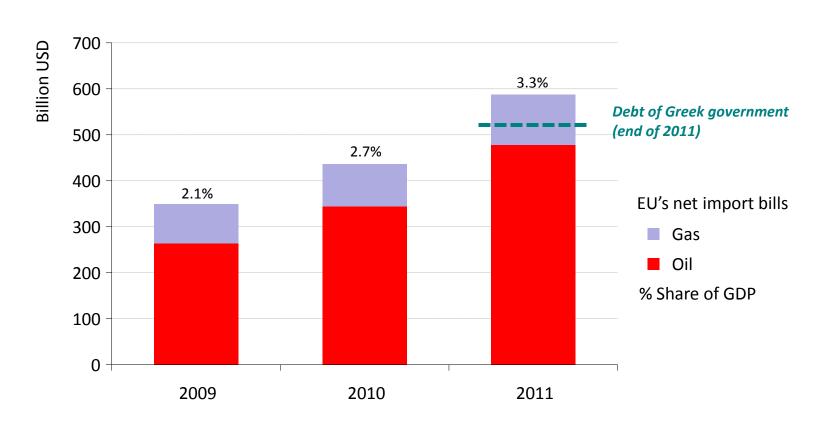
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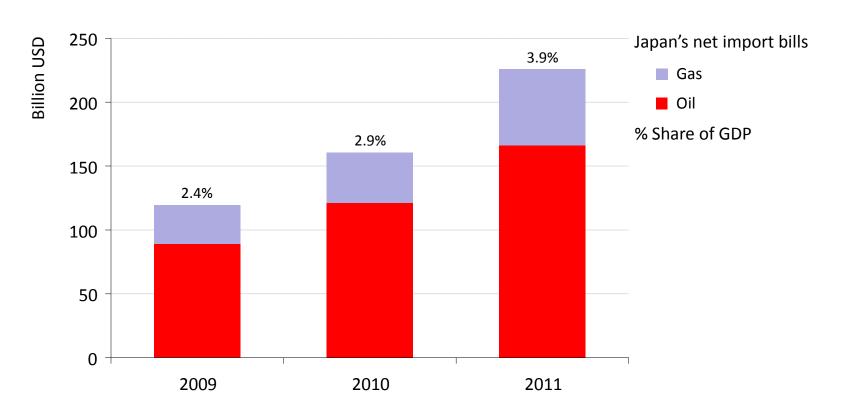
Cost of net imports of oil and gas in the European Union



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Fukushima adds to the economic impact of higher oil prices in Japan

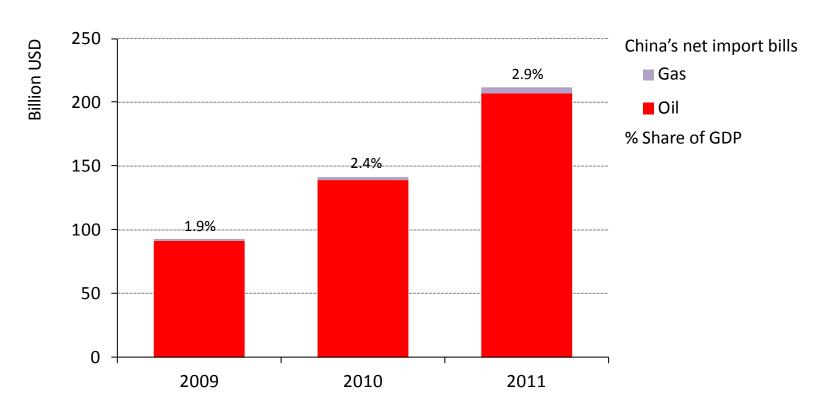
Cost of net imports of oil and gas in Japan



The shutdown of most nuclear plants has created electricity shortages & pushed up spending on oil & gas imports, which in turn has led to Japan's 1st trade deficit in decades

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Cost of net imports of oil and gas in China



China's spending on oil & gas imports more than doubled between 2009 and 2011 as a result of higher energy prices & increased import volumes