



Natural Gas Transportation Solutions

Domestically produced and abundant

- The United States is the No. 1 natural gas producer in the world.
- Shale reservoirs continue to reveal increasing natural gas deposits, helping to ensure more than a 100-year supply, which paves the way for significant economic growth and opportunity.
- This abundant supply of natural gas continues to grow as new and innovative technology allows natural gas production from large reserves that were once too difficult to access.

Cost-effective

- America's abundance of natural gas resources and extensive infrastructure base is able to satisfy current and future domestic energy demands while keeping prices affordable and stable for decades into the future.
- This domestic abundance has driven down the price of natural gas, ensuring that the price will remain below that of oil or other alternative energy sources.
- Compressed natural gas (CNG) can save up to 50% over conventional fuels, and CNG vehicles are available for all types of applications, including business fleets and vehicles for personal use.

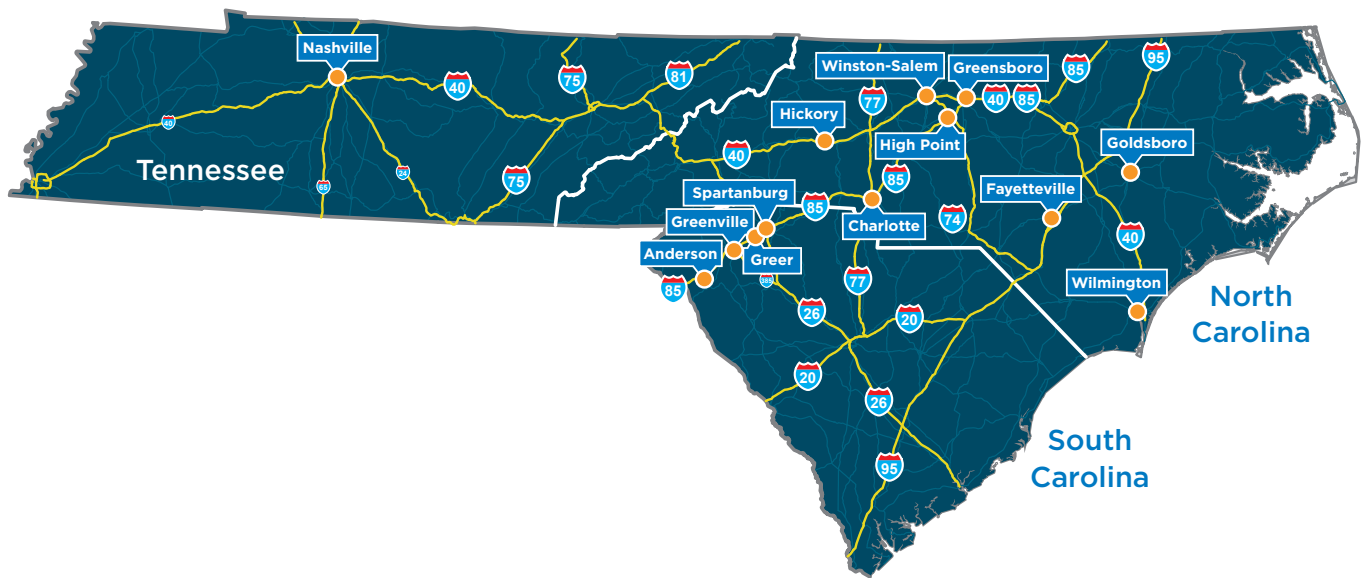
CNG transportation market

- CNG is a safe, reliable and affordable fuel choice for fleets.
- Medium- and heavy-duty CNG models are commercially available and scalable now by leading truck manufacturers.
- CNG trucks have similar power, torque and range capabilities as diesel, regardless of terrain or weather, and don't require costly exhaust after-treatment devices and diesel exhaust fluid.
- Advanced, innovative CNG engine technology from Cummins is capable of meeting stringent EPA regulations with better fuel economy and, when paired with renewable natural gas (RNG), can be a carbon-negative solution.
- An increasing number of companies are choosing CNG as an alternative fuel solution for their fleets in order to reduce fuel costs and drive further sustainability initiatives within their companies.
- Fleets can significantly decarbonize their fleets using RNG and, in some cases, achieve net-zero or sub-zero emissions for their fleet emissions.
- RNG use as a transportation fuel has increased 218% over the past five years.*
- In 2022, 69% of all on-road fuel in natural gas vehicles was RNG, resulting in an offset of a total of 5.63 million tons of CO₂e.*

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*Source: rngcoalition.com



Piedmont Natural Gas provides

- A truck-friendly network of CNG stations conveniently located along major trucking routes and open 24 hours a day, seven days a week
- More than 25 years of CNG experience
- A volume rebate program for fleet owners
- Customizable, turnkey solutions, including CNG design and maintenance services
- RNG offered through most of Piedmont's CNG stations, with plans to extend RNG to all the stations, further increasing the environmental benefits of CNG

Public fueling stations

- Piedmont owns and operates 13 public refueling stations throughout North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee
- User-friendly, state-of-the-art credit/debit card readers that accept multiple types of fuel cards
- Easy access for large tractor trailers
- Fast-fill stations with multiple hoses
- Customer service assistance, including after hours
- Experienced CNG technicians who help ensure Piedmont's stations provide safe, reliable natural gas service



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