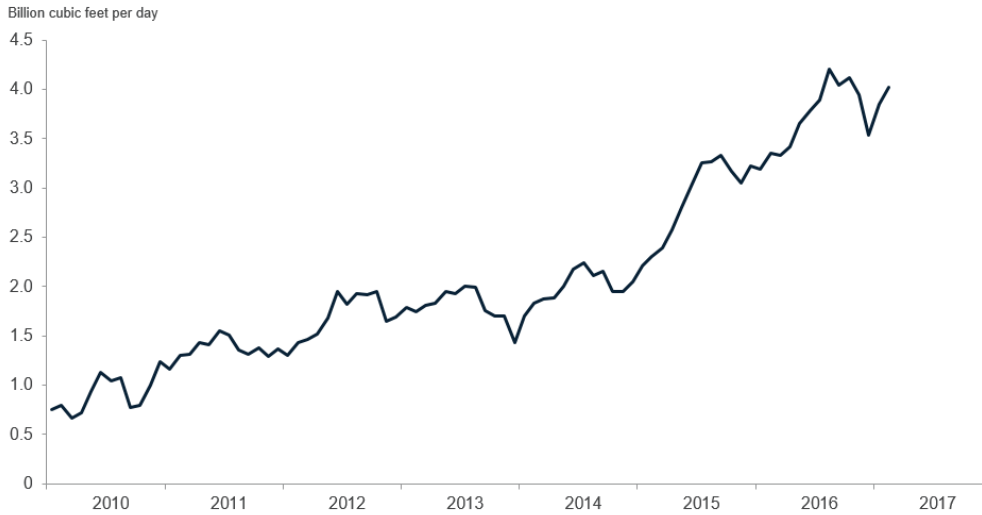


U.S. Natural Gas Exports to Mexico

U.S. total natural gas exports to Mexico increased to 4.0 bcf/d in February from 3.9 bcf/d in January (*Chart 6*). Mexico has been increasing gas imports from the U.S. in order to fuel its growing gas-fired power generation fleet and due to relatively cheap natural gas prices in the U.S. Almost 2 bcf/d of exports flow through Rio Grande City, Texas, accounting for 49 percent of total natural gas exports to Mexico for February 2017, according to the EIA.

Chart 6
Natural Gas Exports to Mexico



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