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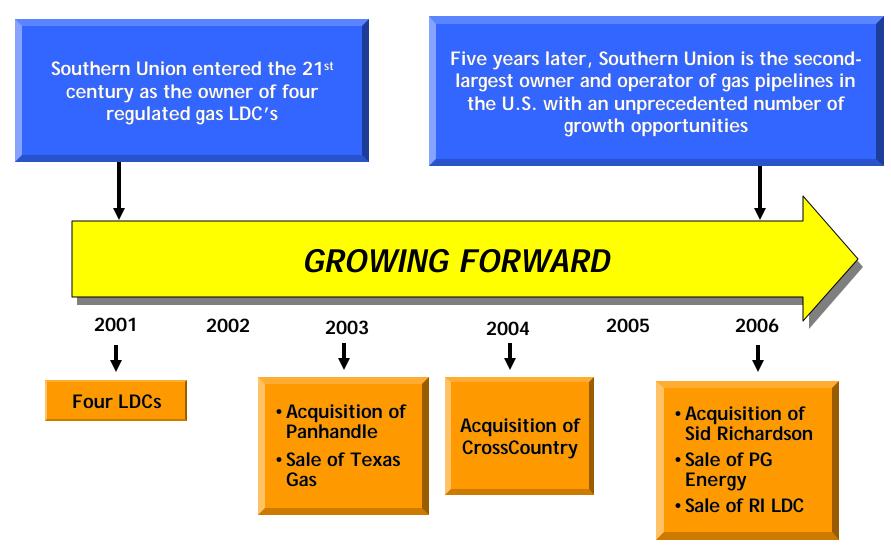


### **SUG Highlights**

- NYSE listed Common Stock (ticker: SUG)
- Equity market capitalization approximately \$2.8 billion
- Total assets over \$5.8 billion
- Annual cash dividend of \$.40 per share
  - Yield approximately 1.6%
- Investment grade credit ratings
  - BBB Standard & Poor's
  - Baa3 Moody's Investor Services
  - BBB Fitch Ratings



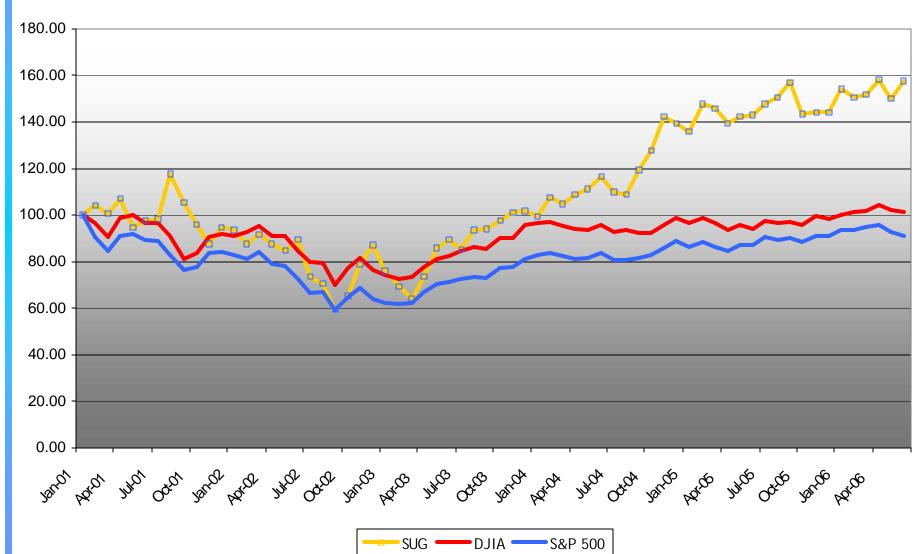
### The Transforming Years



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#### **Results Reflect Transformation**





### Value Creation Strategy

- Move to higher returning businesses
  - 2003: Panhandle/Texas Gas
  - 2004: Investment in Cross Country
  - 2006: Sid Richardson/PG Energy & Rhode Island
- Efficiently manage existing assets
  - Integration of Panhandle and Cross Country
  - MGE rate structure
  - Shared services
- Use free cash flow to fund growth and optimize capitalization
  - Reinvest in growth projects
  - Optimize debt level maintain ratings/maximize return
- Broaden shareholder appeal
  - Change in FY from June to December
  - Cash dividend
  - Improved transparency of disclosures



## **Expansive Footprint**





### **Pipeline Assets**

#### Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line (PEPL)

- 6,500 mile 4-line system
- 2.8 Bcf/d capacity
- Avg. contract life of 4 yrs

#### Trunkline Gas (TGC)

- 3,500 mile 2-line system
- 1.5 Bcf/d capacity
- Avg. contract life of 10 yrs

#### Sea Robin

- 450 mile offshore system
- 1.0 Bcf/d capacity
- Avg. contract life of 1 yr

#### Transwestern (TW) 50%

- 2,400 mile bi-directional flow system
- 2.1 Bcf/d capacity (1.2 Bcf/d west; 800 MMcf/d east)
- 1.2 Bcf/d San Juan to mainline capacity
- Avg. contract life of 4 yrs

#### Florida Gas (FGT) 25%

- 5,000 mile system
- 2.1 Bcf/d capacity
- Avg. contract life of 10 yrs



#### Trunkline LNG Company



- One of North America's largest operating facilities
- Fully contracted with high credit quality counterparty— BG Group—until 2028
- 1.2 Bcf/d baseload sendout
- 9.0 Bcf storage
- Send out capacity to be expanded to 1.8 Bcf/d by mid 2006
- Ambient air vaporization and NGL extraction to be in service by 2008

Trunkline LNG is a Leading Player in LNG Sector



#### **Distribution Assets**

#### Missouri Gas Energy



- Headquartered in Kansas City, MO
- Serves approximately 500,000 customers
- Serves 34 counties throughout MO
- Regulated by the Missouri PSC
- Filed for \$41.7 million rate increase

#### **PG Energy**



- Headquartered in Wilkes-Barre, PA
- Serves approximately 160,000 customers
- Serves 13 counties in northeastern and central PA
- Regulated by the Pennsylvania PUC
- Announced sale of PA assets to UGI for \$580 million

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#### **New England Gas Co.**



- Headquartered in Providence, RI
- Serves approximately 300,000 customers
- Serves the state of Rhode Island and SE Massachusetts
- Regulated by the RI PUC and the Massachusetts DT&F
- Announced sale of RI assets to National Grid for \$575 million including assumed debt of \$77 million

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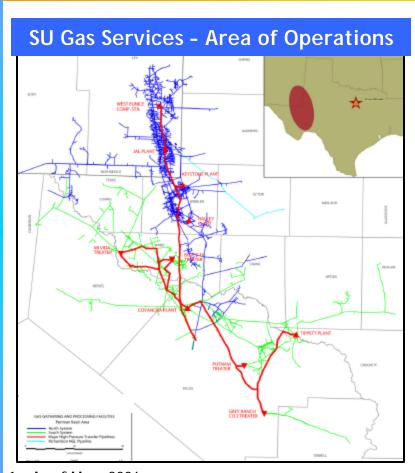


#### **SU Gas Services Overview**

- Major provider of gas gathering and processing services in the Permian Basin
- Fully integrated pipeline system
- Reliable operations
- Attractive contract structure
- Strong producer relationships



## System Map & Asset Detail



#### **Pipelines**

Total Miles 4,750
Producer Delivery Points 1,754
Current Throughput<sup>(1)</sup> 604 Bbtu/d
NGL Production<sup>(1)</sup> 34,800 Bbls/d

Field Compression HP 104,840

#### **Gas Processing Plants**

Active Plants <sup>(2)</sup> 4
Processing Capacity <sup>(3)</sup> 470 MMcfd
Processing Throughput <sup>(1)</sup>388 MMcf/d
Field Compression HP 127,520

#### **Treating Plants**

Active Plants 6
Treating Capacity 765 MMcfd
Treating Throughput<sup>(1)</sup> 426 MMcf/d

Compression HP <sup>(4)</sup> 7,200

- 1. As of May 2006.
- 2. Each of the 4 active processing plants also contain treating plants.
- 3. Active plants are expandable to 485 MMcf/d.
- 4. Represents compression HP at the Grey Ranch and Mi Vida treating plants.

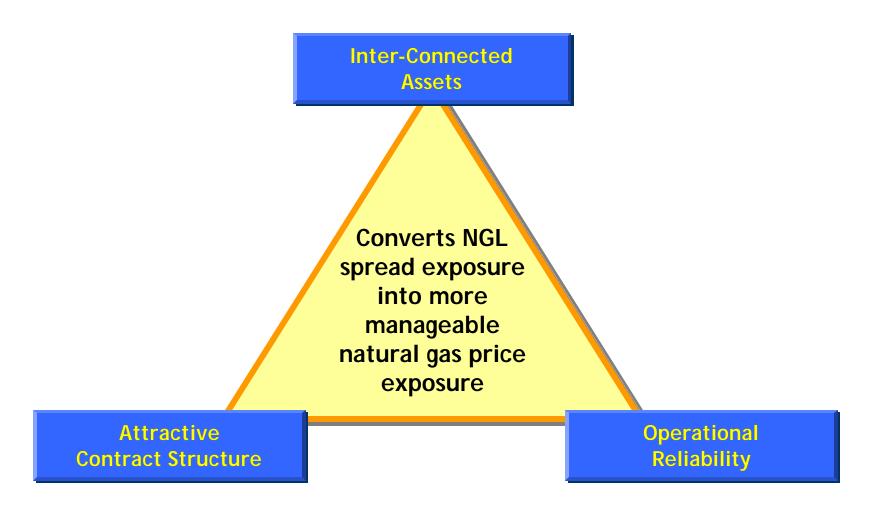


### Differentiating Factors

- Inter-connected assets
  - High pressure "backbone" connects local systems
  - Treatment and blending
  - Can accept a variety of gas qualities
- Attractive contract structure
  - Fixed recoveries
  - Ease of administration
  - Fixed F F & U
- Operational reliability
  - Market responsiveness
  - Reject/blend modes
  - Low F F & U



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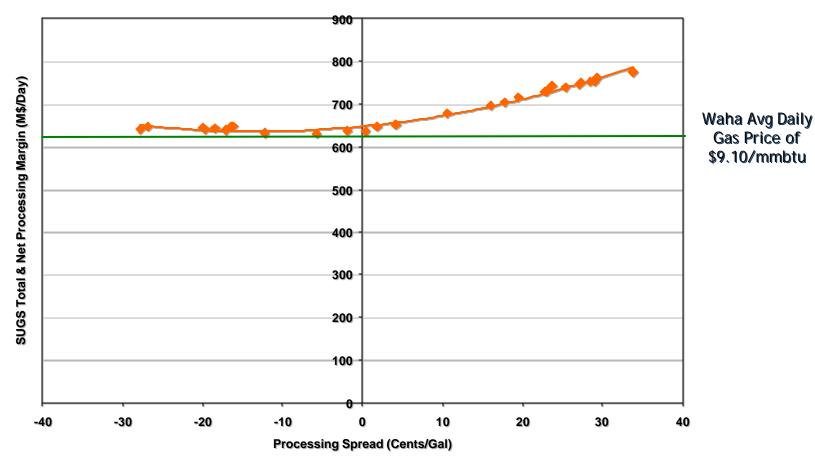


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## **Processing Risk Profile**



Data from Nov/Dec 2005 Daily Processing Model

Gas price averaged for the period

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## **Hedging Strategy**

- SUG purchased put options initially to limit downside
  - \$11 floor for 2006 on 45,000 MMBtu/d
  - \$10 floor for 2007 on 25,000 MMBtu/d
- We can hedge effectively on Waha natural gas due to fixed recovery contract structure; eliminates exposure to NGL's and to basis risk



### Mitigated Contract Risk

#### Percent of Proceeds Contracts

- 45% by volume
- 80 85% by margin
- Spreads price risk to both producer and pipeline
- Fixed recovery and fuel % in contract
- Allows pipeline and producer to hedge its interests
- Allows pipeline to benefit from operational flexibility
- Creates pipeline option to optimize revenue when processing is economic
- Contract contains recovery of treating, compression and gathering services

#### Fee Based / Conditioning Fee Contracts

- 55% by volume
- 15 20% by margin
- Contracts contain fixed fees for service
- Depending on gas quality contracts may contain upside for processing and no downside risk below base fee

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- Creates exposure to diverse producer base with no downside commodity risk



#### **Diversified Producer Base**

- Top 12 high-quality producers account for approximately 60% of volumes
- Stable, active and diversified producer base with no one customer accounting for as much as 10% of total volume
- Unsurpassed producer relationships
- Permian Basin still continuing to be developed as companies pursue new growth opportunities



# **Growth Projects**



## **Projects in Process**

Project Name	Capacity	Est. Cost (\$MM)	Est. EBIT* (\$MM)	In Service	SUG %	Comments
Trunkline LNG Phase I	570 MMcf/d 2.7 Bcf storage	\$140	\$28	April 5, 2006	100%	Complete
Trunkline LNG Phase II	600 MMcf/d	\$79	\$15 - \$20	Mid 2006	100%	Under construction
Florida Gas Phase VII	100 - 160 MMcf/d	\$60 - \$105	\$8 - \$14	Mid 2007	25%	Received FERC Certificate
Trunkline LNG IEP	Vaporization & NGL extraction	\$240 - \$250	\$30 - \$35	Mid 2008	100%	Filed with FERC
Trunkline North Texas	510 MMcf/d	\$150 - \$160	\$18 - \$25	Late 2007	100%	3Q FERC Filing

<sup>\*</sup> Note: EBIT is equivalent to operating income under GAAP.

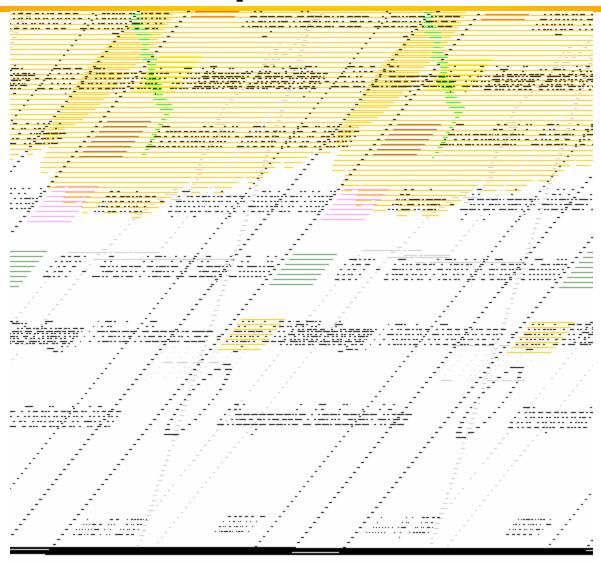


### **SUGS Growth Projects**

- Deep Atoka Gas Development Loving, Winkler and Ward Counties, Texas
  - ~200MMcf/d currently producing
  - Expect to double that by 2008 with 16 to 18 rigs
  - 5 to 30MM/d per well
- C-Line Expansion Eddy County, New Mexico
  - 20 miles system expansion
  - 7 MMcf/d initially
- Eunice Area Expansion Projects Lea County, New Mexico
  - 70 MMcf/d expansion
  - Expect to connect additional volumes from major active producers in 2006 and 2007
  - High margin, rich, sour, low pressure gas
- Spraberry Trend Expansion Reagan County, Texas
  - 20 mile extension of system into Spraberry trend
  - Over 15 MMcf/d of 6.6 GPM gas
  - Infill drilling continues at a steady pace
- Exxon Block 16 and Waha Area Project Ward, Pecos and Reeves County, Texas
  - 23 MMcf/d of existing production off competitors system
  - Facilities to by completed by August 1
- Grey Ranch Plant High CO2 Expansion Terrell and Pecos Counties, Texas
  - Partner in plant is largest landowner and producer in region
  - Partner has requested plant expansion from 110MM/d to 180MM/d to accommodate growth
- West Texas Barnett Shale Culberson, Reeves, Pecos & Jeff Davis Counties, TX
  - Over 2 MM acres have been leased in past 2 years in area with little infrastructure for gas or NGL's
  - Approximately 40 evaluation wells have been drilled, are drilling or are permitted
  - Chesapeake recently acquired 135,000 acres and active exploratory program with established commercial production in the area from Hallwood and Four Sevens (Alpine)
  - Additional players include, EOG, Encana, Petro-Hunt, Burlington, Quicksilver and Southwestern Energy



# **SUGS Index Map**





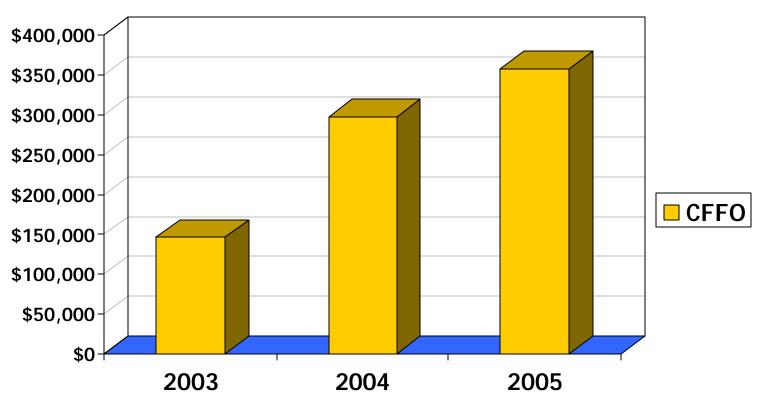
## **Financial Information**



## **Strong Cash Generator**

#### **Cash Flow From Operations**

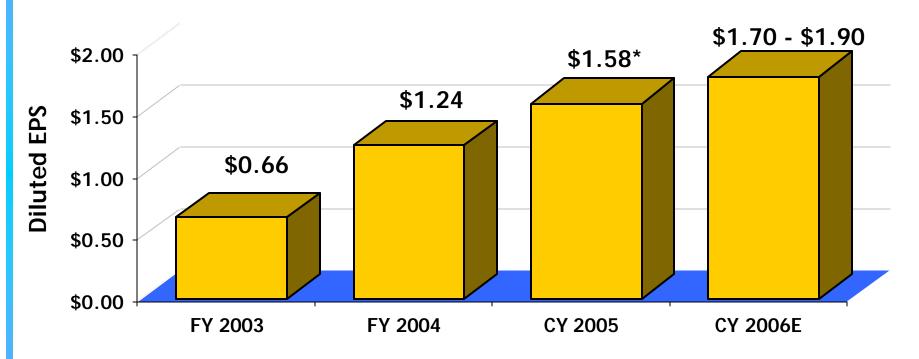
(Before Changes in Working Capital)



Note: Data shown represents fiscal year ended June 30, 2003 and calendar years ended December 31, 2004 and 2005.



#### **EPS Growth Profile**

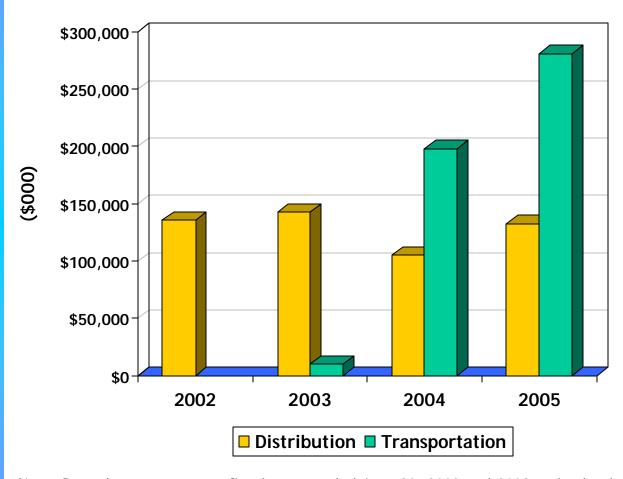


\* - 2005 Diluted EPS excludes a non-cash charge of \$175 million related to the impairment of goodwill for the distribution properties expected to be sold in 2006. Reported EPS was \$.03 per share.

Note: Prior period EPS amounts have been adjusted to reflect the 5% stock dividend paid to shareholders on September 1, 2005. Previously issued 2006 GAAP guidance included contributions from SU Gas Services for ten months, closing of the LDC sales prior to the end of the third quarter, and excludes projected one-time charges related to the announced LDC sales.



## Segment Operating Income

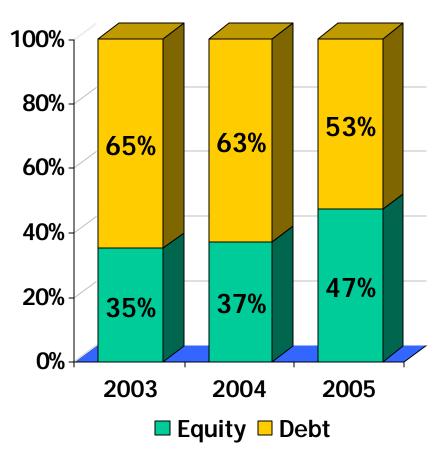


As we have changed our asset focus, we have demonstrated measured growth...

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#### Respect for the Balance Sheet



...and improved our balance sheet.

We have accomplished this with a combination of prudent financing and strong internal equity formation.

Note: Debt/Cap ratio as of December 31 for periods shown; provides 100% equity credit for preferred stock and convertible equity units.



### 1Q 2006 Highlights (\$000s)

Segment	EBIT	D&A	Adj.	Adj. EBITDA
Transportation	\$86,801	\$17,474	\$25,818 <sup>1</sup>	\$130,093
Midstream	\$7,113	\$5,552	\$5,400 <sup>2</sup>	\$18,065
Distribution	\$29,989	\$7,583		\$37,572
Corporate & other	\$27,603	\$256		\$27,859
Total EBIT	\$151,506	\$30,865	\$31,218	\$213,589

- 1. Includes SUG's 50% of Transwestern's interest and depreciation of \$23 million plus SUG's 25% of Citrus' interest, taxes, and depreciation of \$57 million.
- 2. Includes \$6.6 million of cash settlement from March options less \$1.2 million non-cash income related to the time value portion of the hedge.



## 1Q EBIT Reconciliation (\$000s)

Total EBIT	\$151,506
Interest	\$42,221
Taxes	\$35,867
Net earnings from continuing operations	\$73,418
Net earnings from discontinued operations	\$24,529
Preferred dividends	\$4,341
Net earnings available to common shareholders	\$93,606



### Questions

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