

A map of the Middle East region with Iraq highlighted in yellow. The surrounding countries are shown in a light tan color, and the Persian Gulf is shown in light blue. The title text is overlaid on the map.

Iraq Weekly Status Report

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Highlights

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1. Defeat the Terrorists and Neutralize the Insurgents

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2. Transition Iraq to Security Self-Reliance

For the week ending April 21, the Iraqi Police Service graduated 41 police from specialized and advanced training courses including the following: “First Line Supervision,” “Advanced Interview and Interrogation,” and “Intelligence Analyst Training.”

3. Help Iraqis to Forge a National Compact for Democratic Government

The largest bloc of Sunni Arabs in the Iraqi parliament threatened to withdraw its ministers from the Shia-dominated Cabinet in frustration over the Iraqi government’s failure to deal with Sunni concerns. President Bush called one of Iraq’s two vice presidents, Tariq al-Hashimi, a Sunni Arab, and invited him to Washington in an attempt to forestall the withdrawal. The bloc, known as the Iraqi Accord Front (Tawafuq) and made up of three Sunni Arab parties, claimed in a statement that they have “lost hope in rectifying the situation despite all of its sincere and serious efforts to do so.”

4. Help Iraq Build Government Capacity and Provide Essential Services

The U.S. Army-funded construction of the supply al-Sura water compact unit in Ramadi, al-Anbar province has been completed, providing treated, clean, and potable water to it’s 24,000 local residents.



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5. Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy

Speaking in Najaf, Ali Larijani, Secretary of Iran’s Supreme National Council, announced that his country has earmarked \$1 billion in credits for Iraqi projects and pledged support for Iraqi reconstruction.

6. Help Iraq Strengthen the Rule of Law

The Central Criminal Court of Iraq convicted 41 individuals April 1-14 for violations of the Iraqi Terrorist Law, Penal Code, and Coalition Provisional Authority Orders enforced by the Iraqi judiciary.

7. International Support for Iraq

UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon will co-launch with Iraqi Prime Minister Nuri al-Maliki the International Compact with Iraq in Sharm al-Shaik, Egypt May 3. The International Compact with Iraq is a five-year national plan that includes benchmarks and mutual commitments from both Iraq and the international community, all with the aim of helping Iraq on the path towards peace, sound governance and economic reconstruction.

8. Strengthen Public Understanding of Coalition Efforts and Public Isolation of the Insurgents

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[1.] Defeat the Terrorists and Neutralize the Insurgency

AQI Security Emir Killed:

- In an operation conducted April 20, Coalition forces killed Muhammad Abdullah Abbas al-Issawi, also known as Abu Abd al-Sattar and Abu Akram, an al-Qaida terrorist leader who operated in the Karmah and Amariya areas and was the al-Qaida in Iraq (AQI) Security Emir of the eastern Anbar province.
 - Abu Abd al-Sattar had links to Abu Musab al-Zarqawi and was reported to have been in contact with him from late 2004 until Zarqawi's death in 2006. He was also a weapons supplier to insurgent forces and had links to the recent surge in chlorine Vehicle-Borne Improvised Explosive Device (VBIED) attacks across Iraq. Additional reports also indicate that his VBIED cell used 12- to 13-year-old children in suicide VBIED attacks.

Iraq Civilian Deaths Down in April:

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- This increased operational tempo, greater numbers of U.S. troops on the streets, and the move from large, more secure Forward Operating Bases to smaller combat outposts and patrol bases in Iraqi neighborhoods also contributed to April being the deadliest month in Iraq for the U.S. military in Iraq so far in 2007, with over 100 U.S. troops killed.



[2.] Transition to Security Self-Reliance – Iraqi Security Forces

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Iraqi Police Graduations:

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[2.] Transition Iraq to Security Self-Reliance – **Iraqi Security Forces**

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Ministry of Interior Forces

COMPONENT	TRAINED & EQUIPPED
POLICE	~135,000
NATIONAL POLICE	~ 25,400
OTHER MOI FORCES	~32,900
TOTAL	~193,300**

Ministry of Defense Forces

COMPONENT	OPERATIONAL
ARMY	~137,800***
AIR FORCE	~900
NAVY	~1,100
TOTAL	~139,800**

Total Trained & Equipped ISF:

~333,100****

- * Ministry of Interior Forces: Unauthorized absence personnel are included in these numbers
- ** Ministry of Defense Forces: Unauthorized absence personnel are not included in these numbers
- *** Army numbers include Special Operations Forces and Support Forces
- **** Does not include the approximately 144,000 Facilities Protection Service personnel working in 27 ministries

Data as of May 2, 2007 (updated bi-weekly by DOD)



[3.] Help Iraqis to Forge a National Compact for Democratic Government – **Developments**

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Sunni Bloc Threatens to Pull Ministers:

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Iraqi Deputy Prime Minister Seeks to Work Out Differences on Oil Law:

- Iraqi Deputy Prime Minister Barham Salih said May 1 that he was confident a draft oil law will be approved in parliament after officials from the central government and Kurdistan meet to iron out differences.
- Kurdish lawmakers had planned to oppose U.S.-backed legislation to regulate Iraq’s oil industry and some Sunni legislators have also raised objections, saying the oil law would give foreigners too great a role in the country’s oil industry.



[3.] Help Iraqis to Forge a National Compact for Democratic Government - Iraqi National Unity Government

Deputy President Tariq al-Hashimi	President Jalal Talabani	Deputy President 'Adil 'Abd al-Mahdi
Deputy Prime Minister Barham Salih	Prime Minister Nuri al-Maliki	Deputy Prime Minister Salam al-Zawba'i

* Possible resignation announced but not confirmed

(F) = Female

Minister of Agriculture Ya'rub Nathim*	Minister of Communications Muhammad Tawfiq Allawi	Minister of Culture As'ad Kamal Muhammad Abdallah al-Hashimi	Minister of Defense Abdul Qadir Muhammed Jasim	Minister of Displacement & Migration Abd al-Samad Rahman Sultan	Minister of Electricity Karim Wahid
Minister of Education Khudayyir al-Khuza'i	Minister of Environment Narmin 'Uthman (F)	Minister of Finance Bayan Jabr	Minister of Foreign Affairs Hoshiyar Zebari	Minister of Health Ali al-Shammari*	Minister of Higher Education Abd Dhiyab al-Ajili
Minister of Human Rights Wijdan Mikha'il (F)	Minister of Industry & Minerals Fawzi al-Hariri	Minister of Interior Jawad al-Bulani	Minister of Justice Safa al Safi (acting)	Minister of Housing & Construction Bayan Daza'l (F)	Minister of Labor & Social Affairs Mahmud Muhammad Jawad al-Radi
Minister of Oil Husayn al-Shahristani	Minister of Planning Ali Baban	Minister of Trade Abd al-Falah al-Sudani	Minister of Science & Technology Ra'id Fahmi Jahid	Minister of Municipalities & Public Works Riyad Ghurayyib	Minister of Transportation Karim Mahdi Salih*
Minister of Water Resources 'Abd al-Latif Rashid	Minister of Youth & Sports Jasim Muhammad Ja'far	Minister of State for Civil Society Adil al-Asadi*	Minister of State for National Dialogue Affairs Akram al-Hakim	Minister of State for National Security Affairs Shirwan al-Waili	
Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Rafi Hiyad al-Isawi	Minister of State for Governorates Affairs Sa'd Tahir Abd Khalaf al-Hashimi*	Minister of State for Tourism and Antiquities Liwa Sumaysim8	Minister of State for Women's Affairs Fatin Abd al-Rahman Mahmud (F)	Minister of State for CoR Affairs Safa al-Safi	



[4.] Help Iraq Build Government Capacity and Provide Essential Services – Financials from Iraq Relief and Reconstruction Fund (IRRF) 1 and IRRF 2

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Sector	Apportioned	Committed			Obligated			Disbursed		
	Apportion	Last Week	Current	Change	Last Week	Current	Change	Last Week	Current	Change
Security and Law Enforcement	\$5,002.59	\$4,978.54	\$4,979.56	\$1.02	\$4,976.66	\$4,977.68	\$1.02	\$4,746.75	\$4,785.89	\$39.14
Electricity Sector	\$4,216.87	\$4,173.03	\$4,172.79	(\$0.24)	\$4,034.86	\$3,991.21	(\$43.66)	\$3,185.34	\$3,248.05	\$62.71
Oil Infrastructure	\$1,724.70	\$1,664.42	\$1,654.18	(\$10.25)	\$1,580.47	\$1,578.87	(\$1.60)	\$1,400.39	\$1,424.35	\$23.97
Justice, Public Safety and Civil Society	\$1,304.15	\$1,303.17	\$1,302.76	(\$0.41)	\$1,297.57	\$1,296.96	(\$0.61)	\$1,035.65	\$1,053.75	\$18.10
Democracy	\$999.26	\$998.31	\$997.98	(\$0.34)	\$998.23	\$997.91	(\$0.33)	\$920.67	\$934.62	\$13.95
Education, Refugees, Human Rights, Governance	\$410.06	\$401.26	\$400.13	(\$1.13)	\$401.26	\$400.12	(\$1.13)	\$358.18	\$360.87	\$2.69
Roads, Bridges and Construction	\$333.60	\$330.66	\$329.26	(\$1.40)	\$323.30	\$322.19	(\$1.11)	\$217.13	\$220.94	\$3.82
Health Care	\$815.78	\$814.30	\$773.59	(\$40.71)	\$800.27	\$760.12	(\$40.14)	\$650.34	\$661.79	\$11.45
Transportation and Communications	\$456.72	\$456.67	\$453.02	(\$3.65)	\$450.91	\$447.26	(\$3.64)	\$350.15	\$352.69	\$2.54
Water Resources and Sanitation	\$2,115.79	\$2,015.67	\$2,015.22	(\$0.45)	\$1,966.23	\$1,971.66	\$5.44	\$1,538.52	\$1,574.98	\$36.46
Private Sector Development	\$813.95	\$809.25	\$809.25	\$0.00	\$809.25	\$809.25	\$0.00	\$780.77	\$791.66	\$10.90
Admin Expense (USAID, STATE)	\$213.00	\$210.48	\$210.48	\$0.00	\$210.48	\$210.48	\$0.00	\$188.06	\$210.48	\$22.42
Total	\$18,406.48	\$18,155.77	\$18,098.22	(\$57.56)	\$17,849.48	\$17,763.72	(\$85.77)	\$15,371.94	\$15,620.06	\$248.12
IRRF II Construction	-	\$10,399.23	\$10,358.01	(\$41.22)	\$10,114.60	\$10,045.08	(\$69.52)	\$8,369.24	\$8,499.92	\$130.68
IRRF II Non-Construction	-	\$6,758.23	\$6,742.23	(\$16.00)	\$6,736.65	\$6,720.73	(\$15.91)	\$6,082.03	\$6,185.53	\$103.49
IRRF II Democracy	-	\$998.31	\$997.98	(\$0.34)	\$998.23	\$997.91	(\$0.33)	\$920.67	\$934.62	\$13.95
IRRF I Total	\$2,473.30	\$2,473.30	\$2,473.30	\$0.00	\$2,232.3	\$2,232.3	\$0.00	\$2,139.00	\$2,139.0	\$0.00
Grand Total IRRF I & II	\$20,879.78	\$20,629.07	\$20,571.52	(\$57.56)	\$20,081.78	\$19,996.02	(\$85.77)	\$17,510.94	\$17,759.06	\$248.12

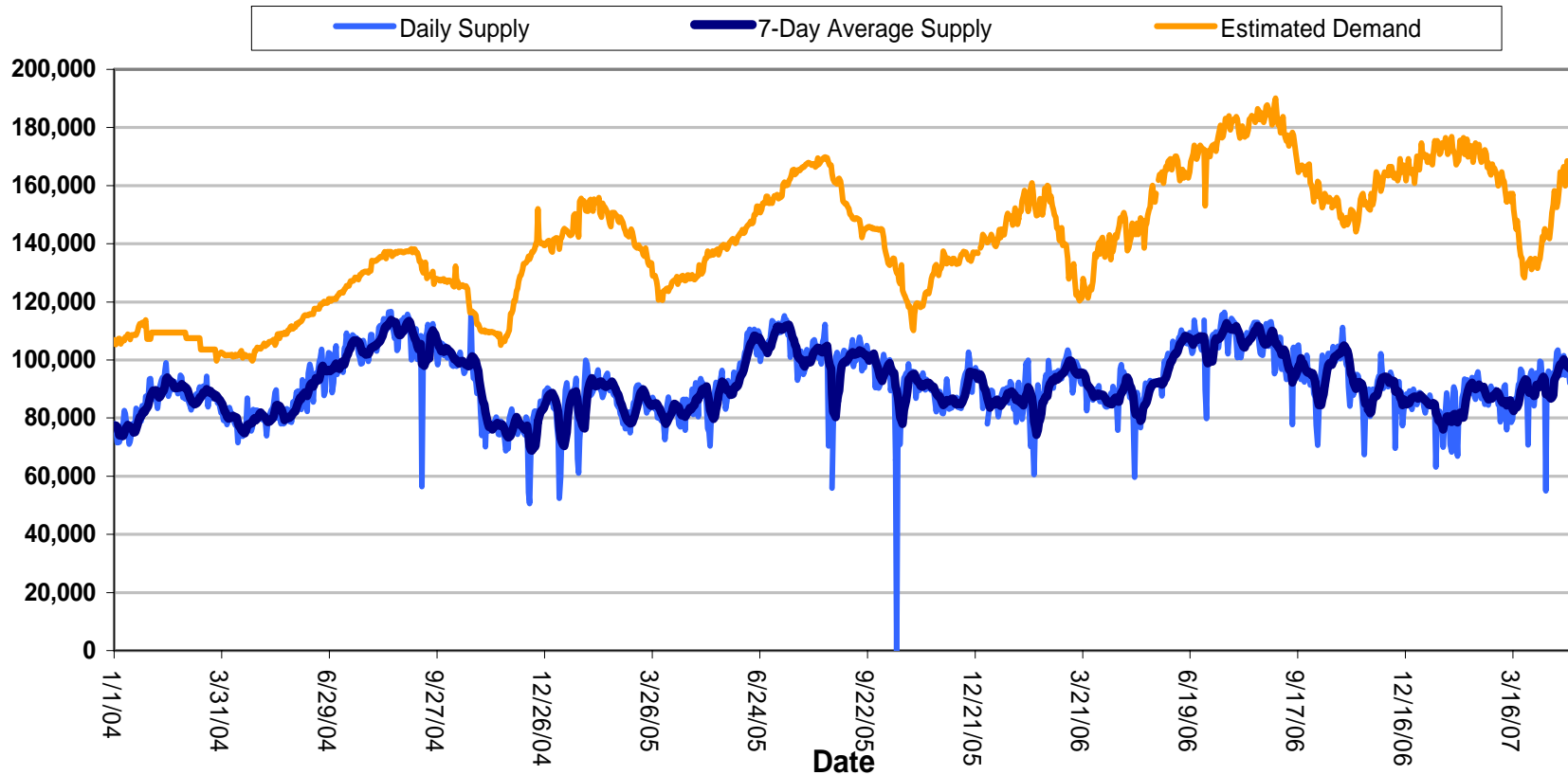
As of May 1, 2007



[4.] Help Iraq Build Government Capacity and Provide Essential Services – Electricity Overview

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Daily Electricity Supplied and Estimated Demand in Iraq Since January 2004



- During the week of April 26-May 2 electricity availability averaged 5.6 hours per day in Baghdad and 10.9 hours nationwide. Electricity output for the week was 11% above the same period in 2006.



[4.] Help Iraq Build Government Capacity and Provide Essential Services – **Electricity and Water**

Electricity:

- The U.S. Army-funded construction of two 11kV electrical lines and installation of a 400kV transformer in Fathwat Arab, Diyala province has been completed, providing direct and more reliable power for 5,000 domestic, commercial and industrial consumers.

Water:

- The U.S. Army-funded construction of the al-Halabsa water compact unit in Ramadi, al-Anbar province has been completed, supplying fresh and potable water to its 2,850 local residents.
- The U.S. Army-funded construction of the supply al-Sura water compact unit in Ramadi, al-Anbar province has been completed, providing treated, clean and potable water to it's 24,000 local residents.



[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – Oil Update and Job Creation

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Oil Update:

- Crude oil price averages in world markets for the week ending April 20 closed with the following prices:
 - Basrah Light at \$61.95/ barrel
 - Dated Brent at \$67.55/barrel
 - WTI Cushing at \$64.97/ barrel
 - Oman/Dubai at \$63.89/barrel

Employment Update:

Iraqi Employment Per Organization	Iraqis Last Week	Iraqis This Week	% change
Program			
Gulf Region District (GRD) (Includes MILCON/OMA)	21,284	21,284	0.00%
US Agency for International Development (USAID)	37,690	42,370	12.42%
Commander's Emergency Response Program (CERP) ²	4,448	4,448	0.00%
Multi-National Security Transition Command-Iraq (MNSTC-I)	9,753	10,559	8.26%
Iraq Reconstruction Relief Fund (IRRF) Non-Construction	6,484	6,484	0.00%
GRAND TOTAL	79,659	85,145	6.89%

CERP employment numbers are representative of Baghdad only.

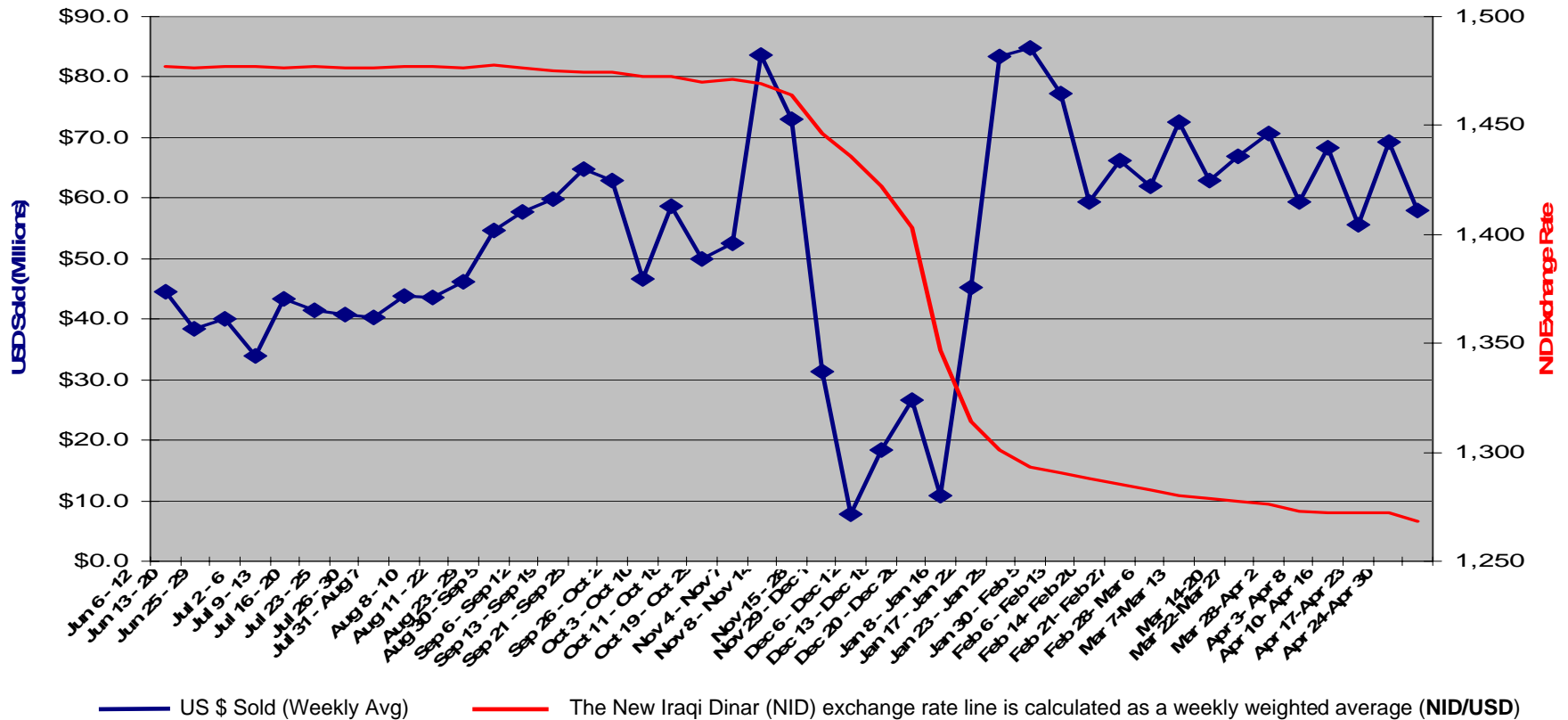


[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy - Banking Sector

Central Bank's US Dollar (USD) Currency Auction:

- The following table shows volume sold of and exchange rates for USD in the Iraqi currency auction since April. Since September, the Central Bank has slowly appreciated the dinar, as suggested by the IMF, in an effort to rein in galloping inflation. There are early signs that this effort may have begun to bear fruit, with prices falling 6.8% between January and February.

**Central Bank of Iraq
USD Currency Auction: June 6, 2006 – April 30, 2007**



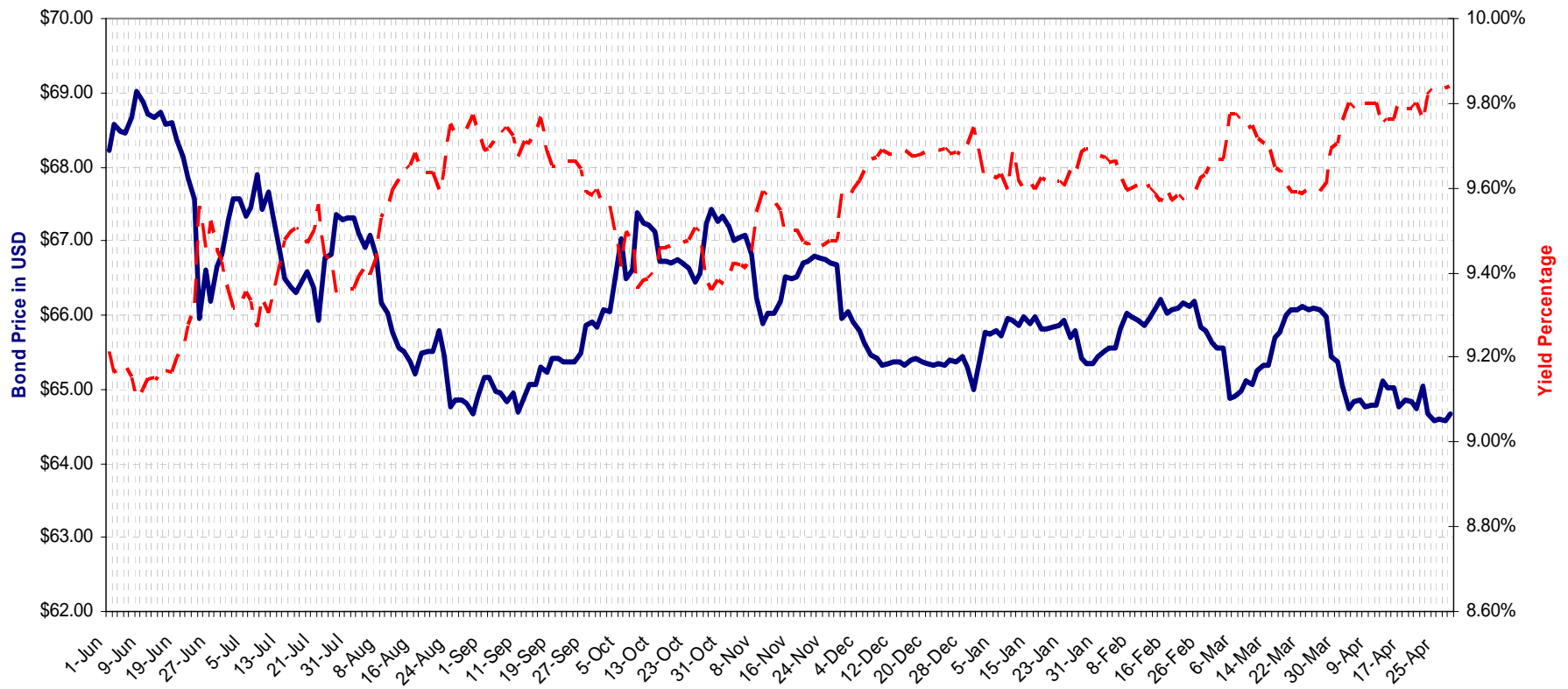


[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – Securities Markets

Trading of Iraqi Bonds on the International Secondary Bond Market:

- The following table shows the daily bond resale price and yield on Iraqi bonds issued January 20. The bonds were originally issued to approximately two-thirds of Iraq's commercial creditors as part of a debt exchange arrangement as per Paris Club terms. Iraq's commercial debt was approximately \$22 billion before the debt-swap arrangement. The bonds, which are not yet rated, will mature in 2028. The bonds' current yield of 9.6 percent remains one of the highest in the world for sovereign debt instruments.

Iraqi Commercial Bond Sales
June 1, 2006 - April 27, 2007



Trading High = \$73.98 (January 24)

Trading Low = \$64.66 (August 30)



[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – Economic Events

Iran Says Earmarks \$1 Billion Credits for Iraqi Projects:

- Speaking in Najaf, Ali Larijani, Secretary of Iran's Supreme National Council, announced that his country has earmarked \$1 billion in credits for Iraqi projects and pledged support for Iraqi reconstruction.

Ministry of Industry & Minerals Participation in Training and Certification for ISO 9000:

- The Ministry of Industry & Minerals has announced that it is planning to have important State-Owned Enterprises (SOEs) certified and made compliant to ISO 9000 quality standards. The certification process would allow for contracting opportunities in international trade where ISO 9000 is a prerequisite. This move could also enhance the SOEs' prospective investment potential to international strategic partners if they become available for privatization.
- The Ministry of Oil and Minerals manages 59 SOEs, including over 200 factories in six industrial sectors: Petrochemicals, Cement and Construction Materials, Engineering and Heavy Industry, Textiles, Food & Drug, and Industrial Services.

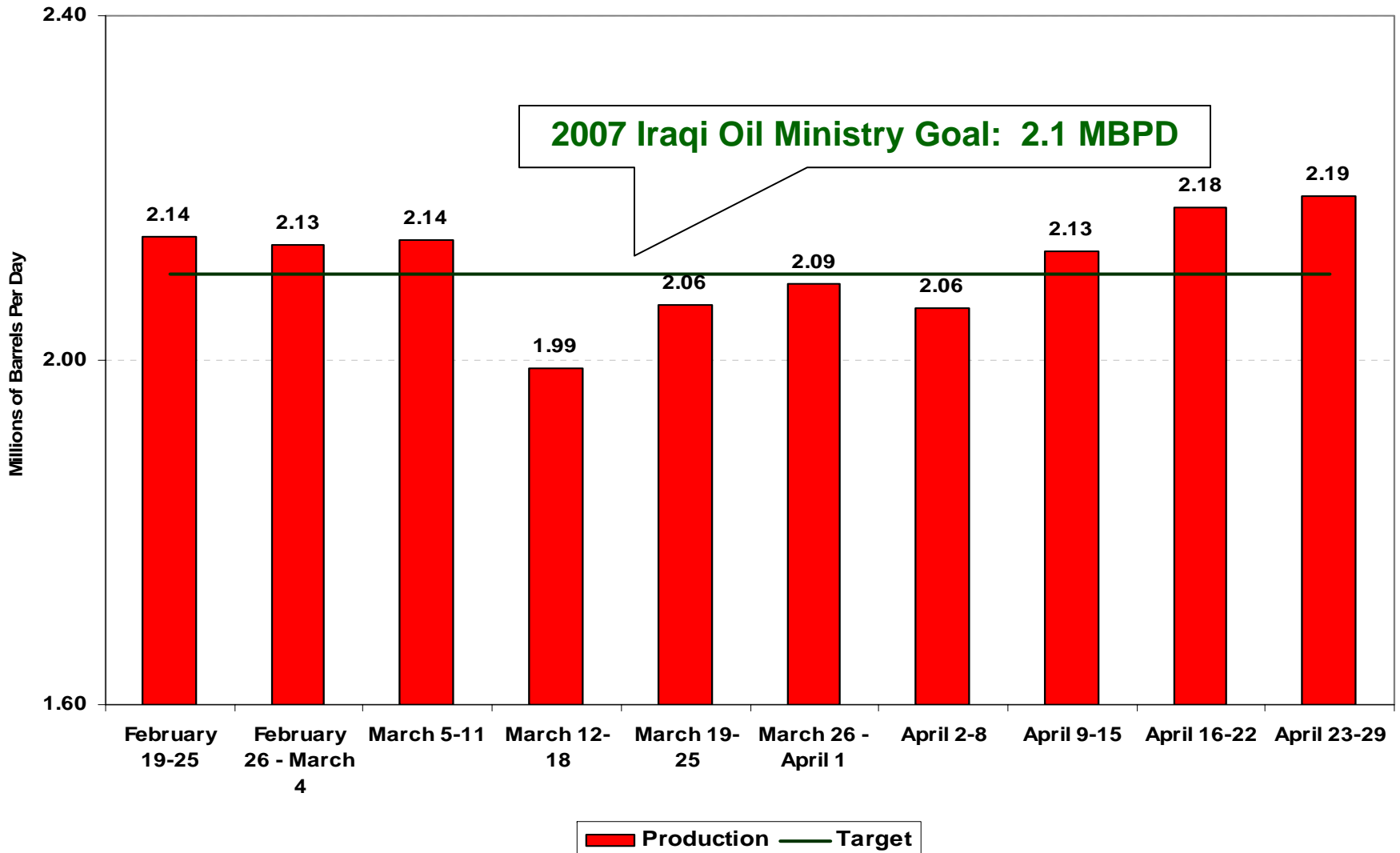
Hill Conference on FY07 Supplemental Has Concluded:

- The House-Senate Conference on the FY07 supplemental bill has concluded. The supplemental bill appropriates over \$2 billion for economic reconstruction and other related programs in Iraq.



[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – Crude Oil Production

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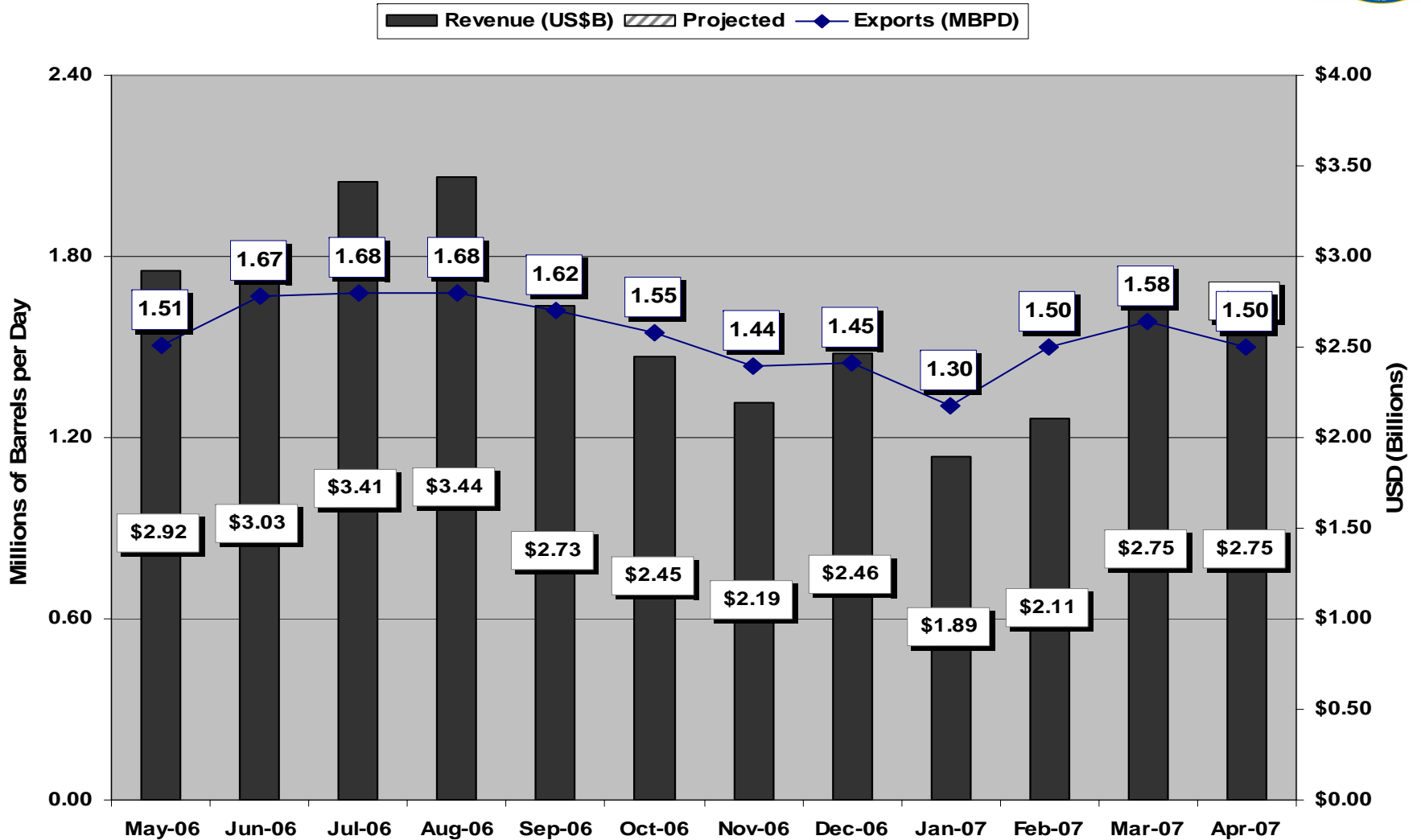


- Weekly Average (April 23 – April 29) of 2.19 Million Barrels Per Day (MBPD)



[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – Crude Oil Export

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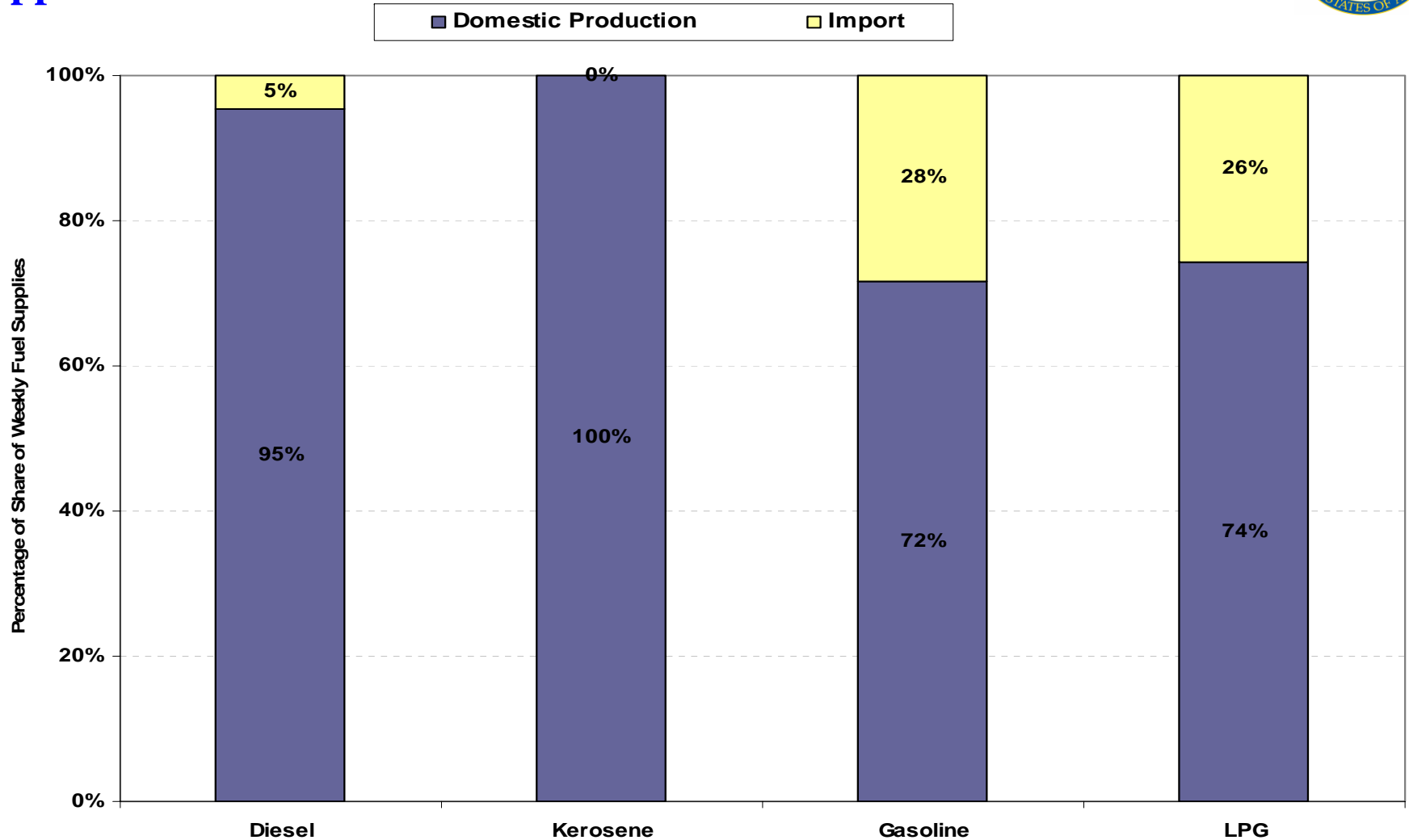


- 2006 Revenue Estimate: \$31.3 Billion
- 2007 Revenue Estimate: \$9.5 Billion (Year to Date)



[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – Total Critical Refined Product Supplies

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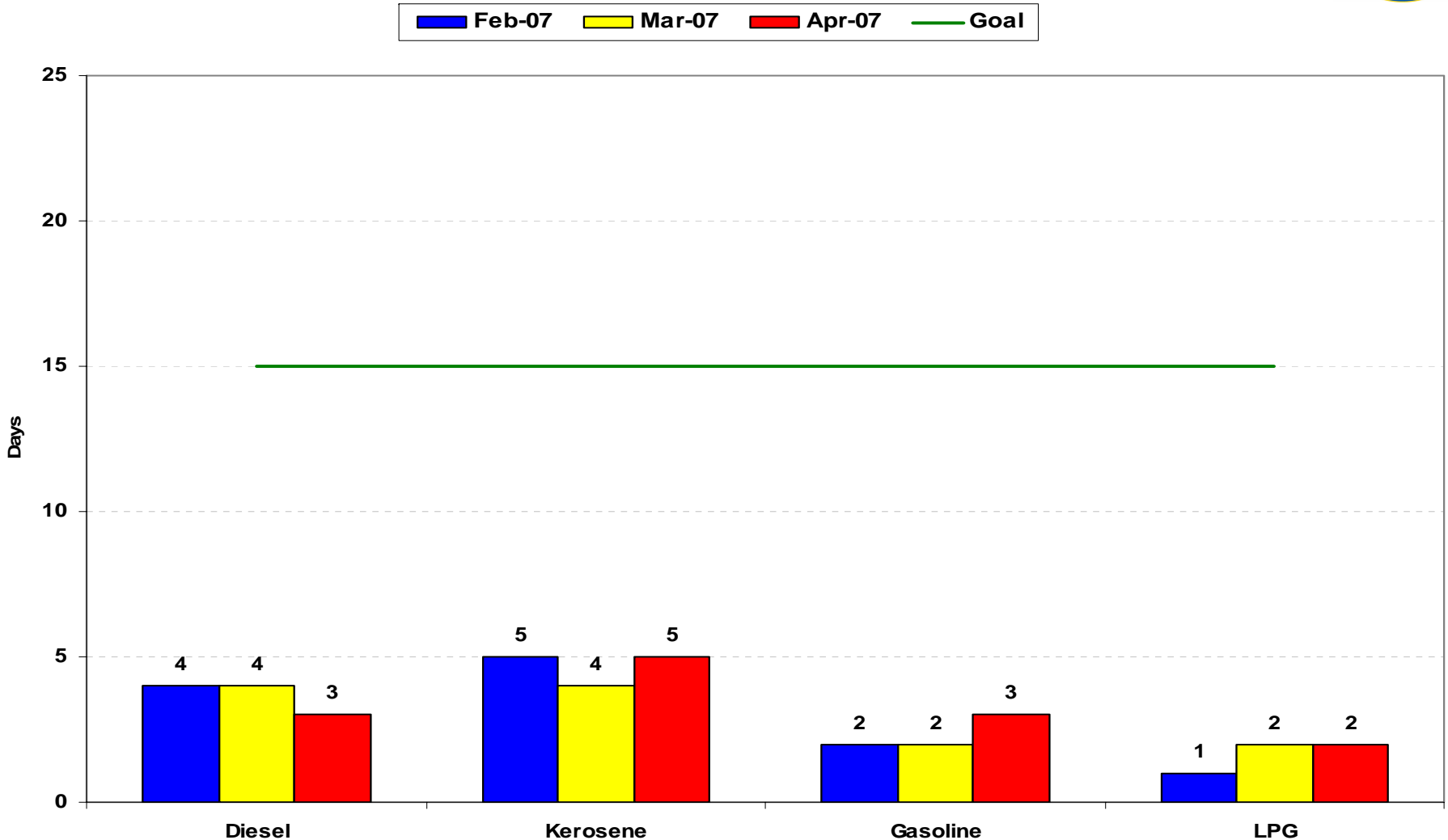
Note: This is a daily average for the week of April 23 – April 29

- Diesel: 11.7 ML supply of 22.6 ML target
- Kerosene: 5.4 supply of 10.1 ML target
- Gasoline: 13.2 ML supply of 22.0 ML target
- LPG: 3,328 tons supply of 5,000 tons target



[5.] Help Iraq Strengthen Its Economy – National Stock Levels

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- The goal is to have on hand 15 days supply of all refined products, calculated on the basis of maximum consumption over the year and not adjusted for seasonal variation. The numbers given above are monthly averages.



[6.] Help Iraq Strengthen the Rule of Law and Promote Civil Rights – Iraqi Judicial System

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CCCI Convicts 41:

- The Central Criminal Court of Iraq (CCCI) convicted 41 individuals April 1-14 for violations of the Iraqi Terrorist Law, Penal Code, and Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) Orders enforced by the Iraqi judiciary.
- CCCI sentenced four individuals to death after being found guilty of violations of Iraq’s Terrorist Law. The convicted individuals were charged with participating and planning terrorist operations.
- The trial court sentenced three individuals to life imprisonment after being found guilty of violating Iraq’s Terrorist Law and 14 individuals were sentenced to 30 years imprisonment for violating CPA Order 3/2003, possession of illegal weapons. One individual was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment for violating Article 194 of the Iraqi Penal Code, organizing, heading, leading or joining an armed group.
- Since its establishment under an amendment to CPA Order 13, in April 2004, the Central Criminal Court has held 2,084 trials for suspected criminals apprehended by Coalition forces. The Iraqi Court proceedings have resulted in the conviction of 1,788 individuals with sentences ranging from imprisonment to death.



[7.] Increase International Support for Iraq – **Developments**

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UN Secretary-General in Egypt to Launch International Compact with Iraq:

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- The International Compact with Iraq is a five-year national plan that includes benchmarks and mutual commitments from both Iraq and the international community, all with the aim of helping Iraq on the path towards peace, sound governance and economic reconstruction.

New Zealand Pledges Support to Assist Iraqi Refugees:

- New Zealand Foreign Minister Winston Peters announced his country’s plan to donate \$1 million to the UN High Commissioner for Refugees to feed, house and protect Iraqi refugees.

Japan Reaffirms Support for Reconstruction and Airlift Operations:

- Japanese Defense Minister Fumio Kyuma visited the U.S. Central Command in Tampa, Florida April 29 and assured the U.S. military that Japan will continue to support reconstruction efforts in Iraq through extending the deployment of Japanese air troops for airlift operations.



[7.] Increase International Support for Iraq – Contributors to Iraqi Stability Operations

Data as of April 27, 2007

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25 Countries with forces in Iraq (in addition to US)

Albania	Denmark	Lithuania	Slovakia
Armenia	El Salvador	Macedonia	South Korea
Australia	Estonia	Moldova	Ukraine
Azerbaijan	Georgia	Mongolia	UK
Bosnia-Herzegovina	Japan	Poland	
Bulgaria	Kazakhstan	Romania	
Czech Republic	Latvia	Singapore	

TOTAL ~ 12,220 Forces

*Note: Fiji participating as a part of the UN mission in Iraq.

34 Countries and NATO*
 (including US)
Support Iraqi Stability Operations

*34 includes the 25 countries listed above, the US, Fiji, and seven NATO, non-MNF-I countries: Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia, Turkey



[8.] Strengthen Public Understanding of Coalition Efforts and Public Isolation of the Insurgents – **Developments**

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Radio Veteran Survives Assassination Attempt:

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- The chart shows average daily power production in megawatt hours (MWh). 120,000 MWh goal equates to 20 hours at 6000 MW average supplied load or 24 hours at 5000 MW average supply load. To date, national electricity supply for 2007 is only one percent below 2006. Because demand is increasing, however, the relative decline in national hours of power is much larger: an average of 8.9 hours for January 1-March 14, 2007, compared with an average of 10.5 hours for the same period in 2006.



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Electricity

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Water

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- Oil Prices are sourced from Bloomberg

Employment Update:

- Information regarding the Employment Update was sourced from the IRMO Weekly Report – May 1, 2007.
- CERP has not reported figures for some time. Until they report accurate data, the number will remain at 0.
- PCO will be reporting on a bi-weekly basis.

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