

Water Risk Analysis

Cheniere Energy, Inc. ("Cheniere") evaluated the water related risk to the operations including the liquid natural gas ("LNG") and pipelines operated by Cheniere. This assessment utilized the Aqueduct Water Risk Atlas and other resources, and concluded that:

Cheniere does not operate in any area of high water stress and, with strong spill and release management programs, has limited potential to impact water resources through releases.

Category	Corpus Christi LNG Terminal	Corpus Christi Pipeline	Sabine Pass LNG Terminal	Sabine Pass Pipeline
Overall Water Stress Score	Low	Low	Low Medium	Low and Low Medium
Overall Physical Water Risks	Low	Low	Low Medium	Low and Low Medium
Physical Risk Subset 1: Water Stress (total water withdrawn to renewable surface and subsurface supplies)	Low	Low	Low	Low
Physical Risk Subset 2: Water Depletion (ratio of total water consumed to available water supply)	Low	Low	Low	Low
Physical Risk Subset 3: Groundwater Table Decline (measures the average decline based on water withdrawals and recharge rates)	No Trend	No Trend	Low Medium	Low Medium
Physical Risk Subset 4: Drought Risk (where droughts are more likely to occur and populations may be exposed)	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium

Table 1: Water Stress and Physical Risks Using Aqueduct Water Risk Atlas¹

¹ Aqueduct Water Risk Atlas, World Resources Institute, <u>https://www.wri.org/applications/aqueduct/water-risk-atlas/</u>.