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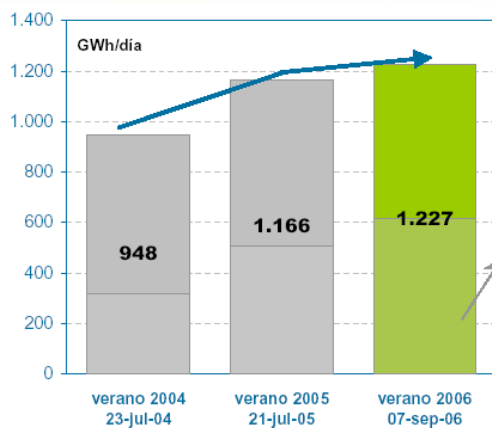
## Demand for natural gas in Spain reached another summer record of 1,227 Gigawatt hours (GWh) yesterday, September 7<sup>th</sup>

- The record for gas demand for electricity generation purposes was also surpassed, with 616 GWh.

Summer demand for natural gas reached a new record high of 1,227 GWh yesterday for the second consecutive day, due to the high temperatures currently being experienced in the country.

Of this quantity, 616 GWh were destined to the electricity market, thus surpassing the previous record of 610 GWh registered on September 6<sup>th</sup>.

Natural gas demand yesterday was up 5% on the record for last summer, 1,166 GWh registered on July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2005.



GWh/día	verano 2004	verano 2005	verano 2006	
	23-jul-04	21-jul-05	en curso 07-sep-06	% s/ var. anterior
<b>Convencional</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>-7%</b>
Gas emisión	595	624	577	-8%
Cisternas GNL	37	36	35	-5%
<b>Sector Eléctrico</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>22%</b>
Centrales Térmicas	99	112	66	-41%
ctcc	218	395	550	39%
nº ctcc	15	25	37	
<b>Total mercado</b>	<b>948</b>	<b>1.166</b>	<b>1.227</b>	<b>5%</b>

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