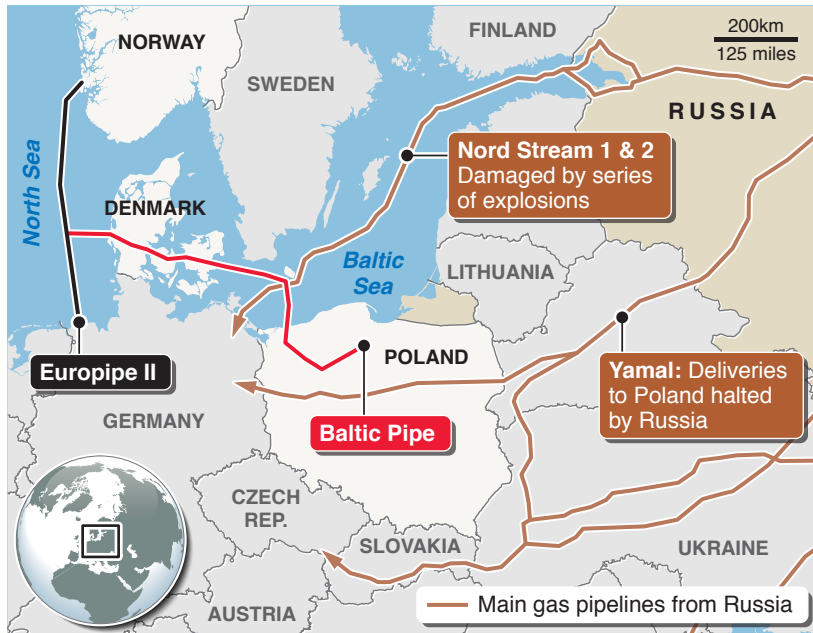


Baltic Pipe to cut reliance on Russian gas

The Baltic Pipe project from Norway via Denmark and the Baltic Sea is a key component of plans by Poland and other European countries to diversify natural gas supplies away from Russia



BALTIC PIPE PROJECT FACTFILE

■ **Development:** Joint enterprise between Poland's **Gaz-System** and Danish counterpart **Energinet**

■ **Capacity:** 10 billion cubic metres (bcm) of gas per year to Poland – equal to half of its gas consumption in 2021 – and 3 bcm per year from Poland to Denmark

■ **Length:** 900km

■ **Commissioning:** Partial capacity from Oct 1, 2022. Full capacity expected from Jan 1, 2023

■ **Interconnectors:** Links already constructed between Poland and neighbouring countries such as Slovakia and Lithuania, allowing gas to be transferred in both directions