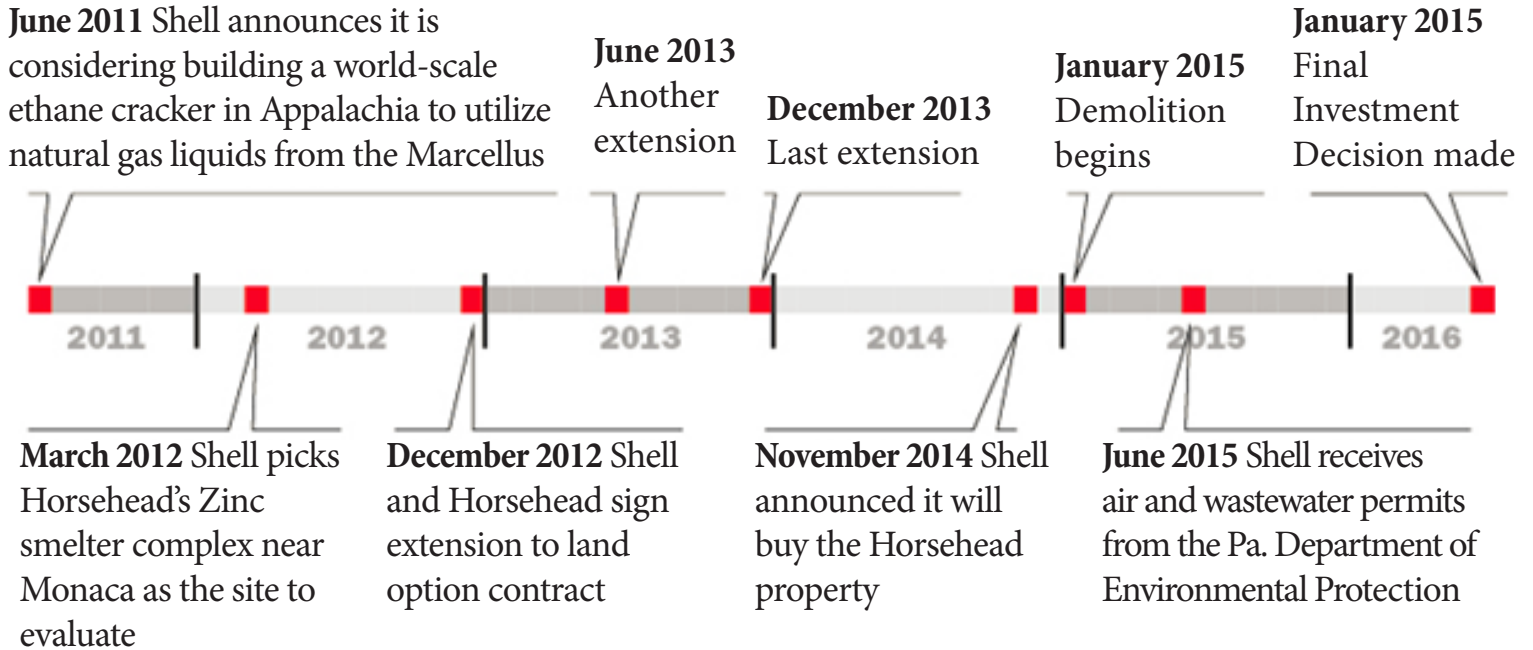


Ethane Cracker, Monaca PA

In June 2016, Shell Chemical Appalachia announced it plans to build a massive multi-billion dollar petrochemical plant (known as an ethane cracker) near Monaca in Beaver County. The location was selected to create a more reliable supply chain.

Ethane Cracker Timeline

Shell Chemical Appalachia has been mulling a decision to build a multi-billion dollar ethane cracker in the region for the past five years and has spent millions of dollars in getting to this point.



An artist's rendering of the cracker plant courtesy of Shell.