

Ukraine Still Mulling Union

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Ukrainian Prime Minister Mykola Azarov said Friday that Kiev is still considering joining the **⊠**customs union between Russia, Kazakhstan and **⊠**Belarus, Interfax reported.

"We are tracking how it's working very closely, and we have practically all the information about what has a positive effect and what has a negative one. And we are not ruling out the possibility of joining the customs union," Azarov said.

Azarov also said a\substaction will be found this year regarding gas prices, over which Russia and \substaction Ukraine have been deadlocked. "In 2011 we made do, but in \substaction 2012 we have set ourselves the \substaction goal of \substaction solving this problem," he said, Interfax reported.

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