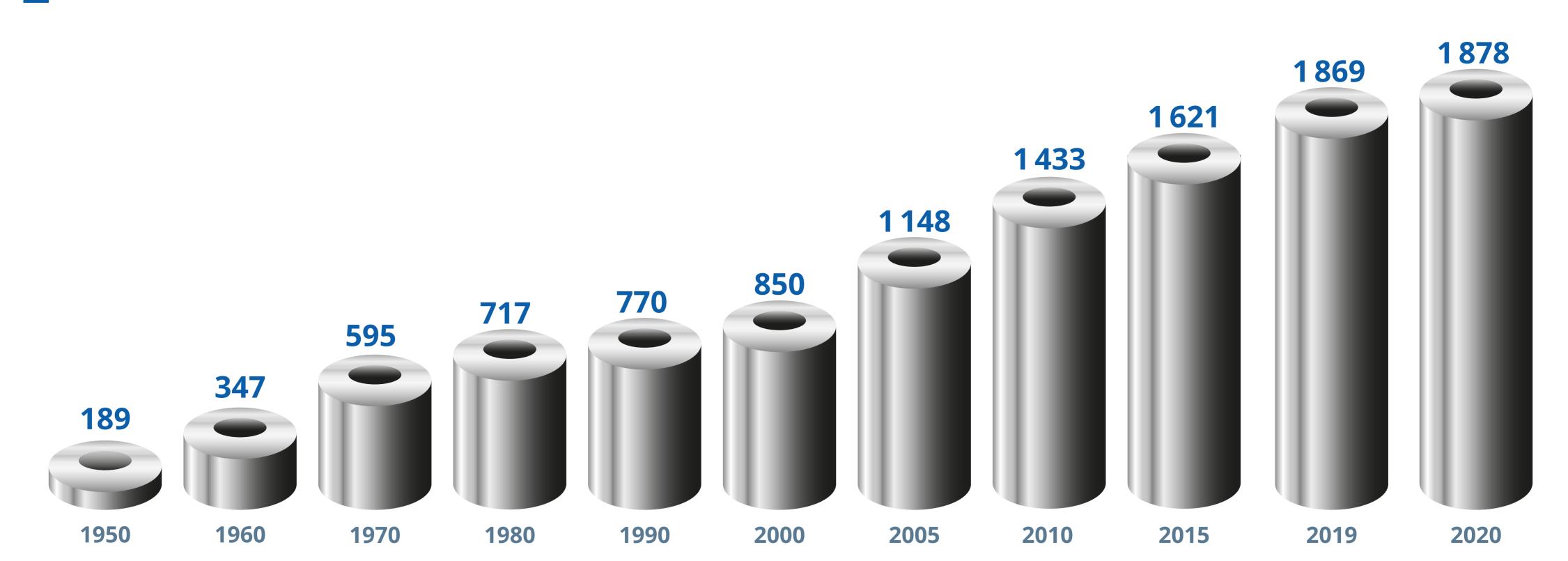
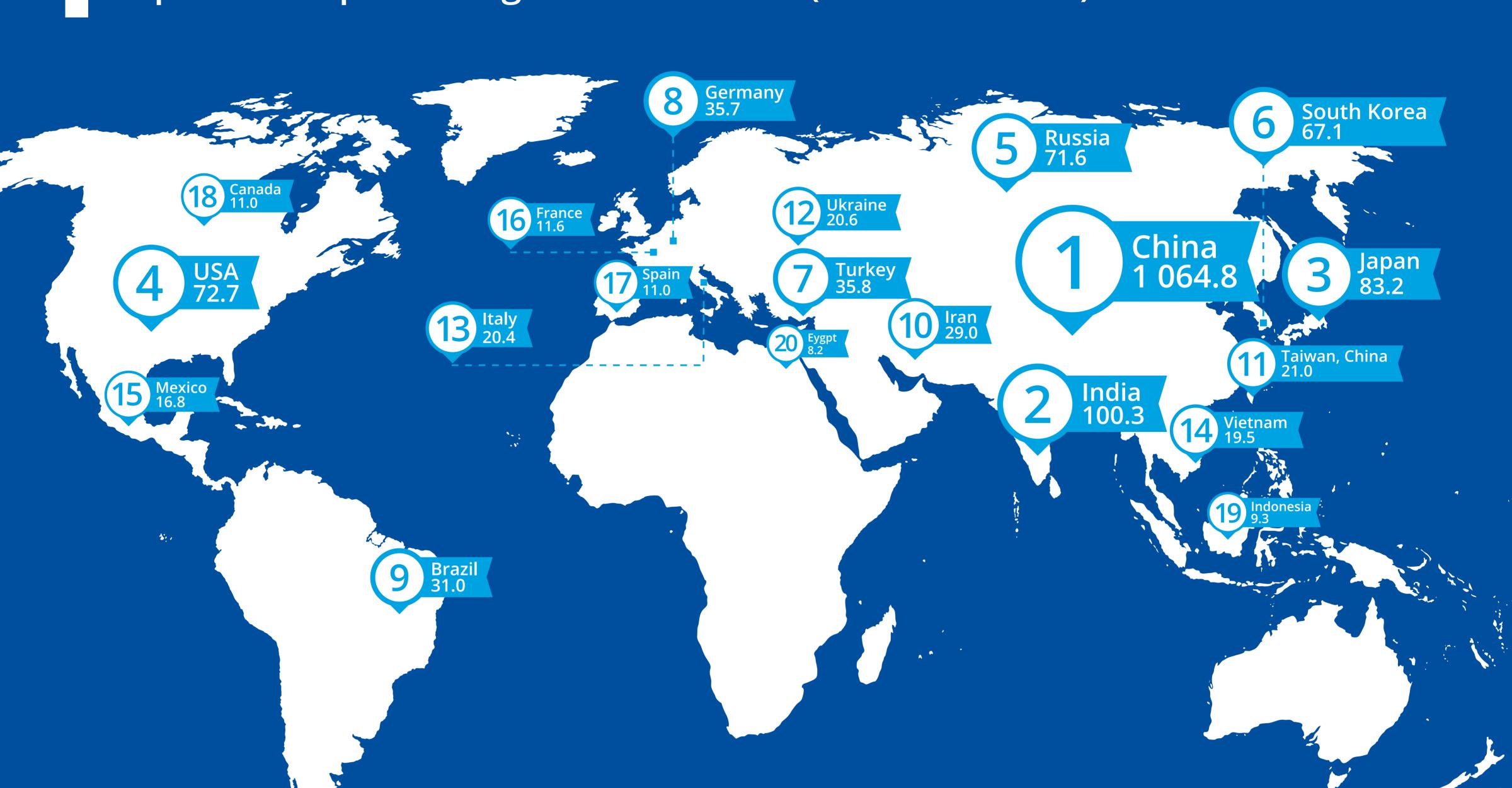
World Steel in Figures 2021

A healthy economy needs a healthy steel industry.

World crude steel production 1950 to 2020 (million tonnes)



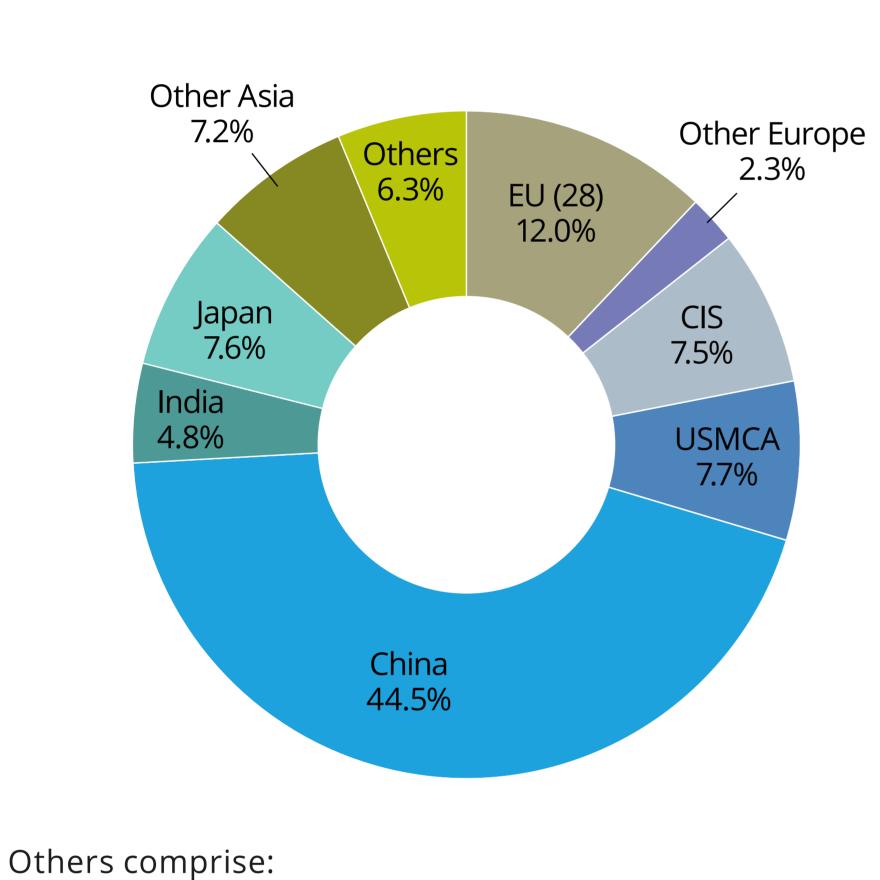
Top 20 steel-producing countries 2020 (million tonnes)



Steel production and use: geographical distribution in 2010 & 2020

CRUDE STEEL PRODUCTION

WORLD TOTAL: 1435 MILLION TONNES

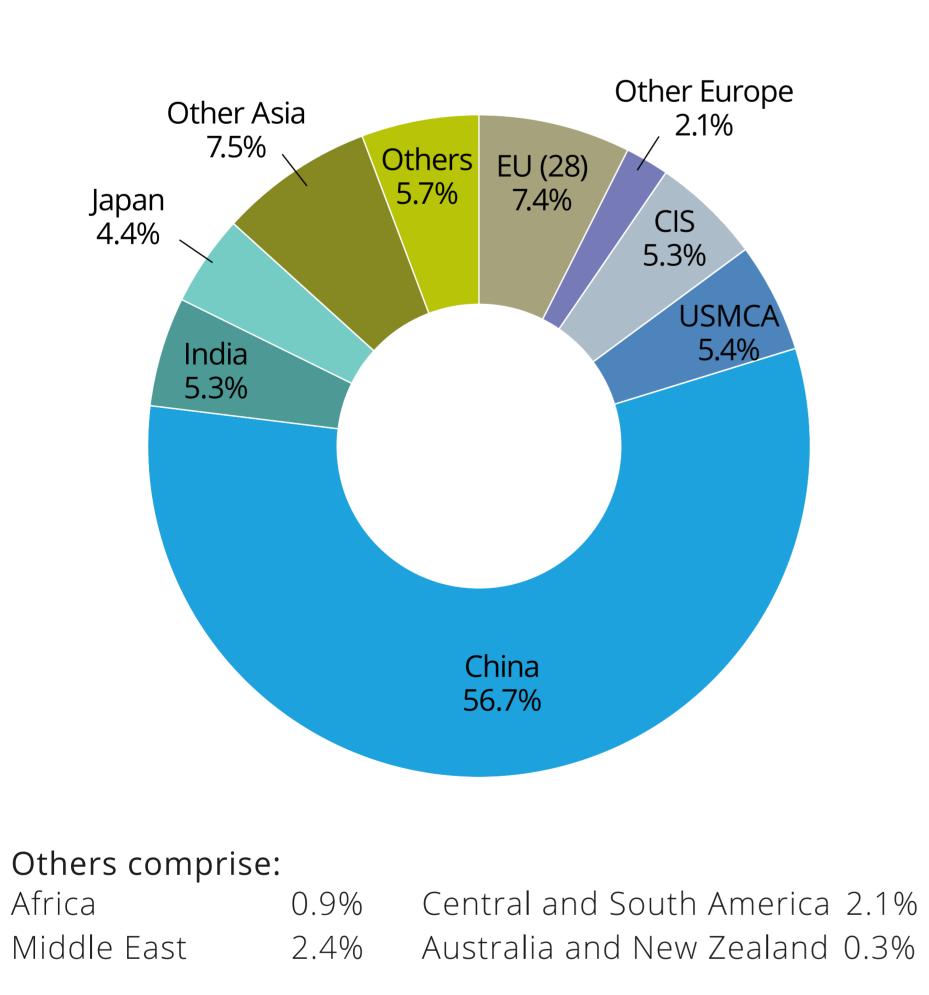


Middle East 1.4% Australia and New Zealand 0.6%

WORLD TOTAL: 1 878 MILLION TONNES

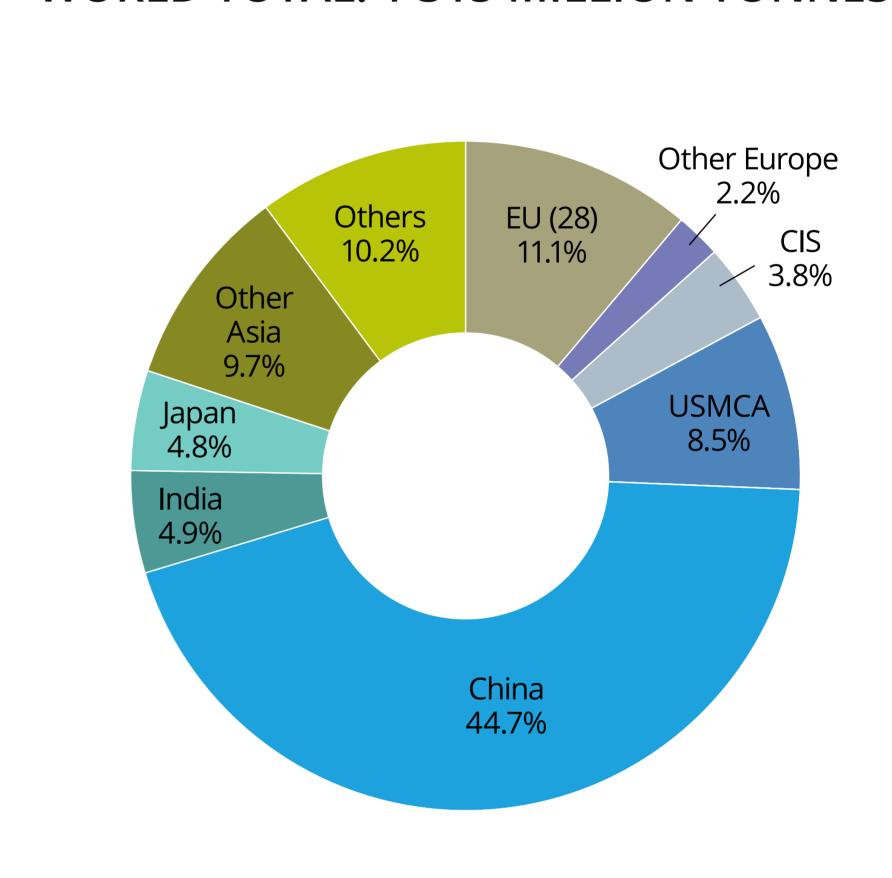
1.2% Central and South America 3.1%

Africa



APPARENT STEEL USE (FINISHED STEEL PRODUCTS)

WORLD TOTAL: 1 315 MILLION TONNES

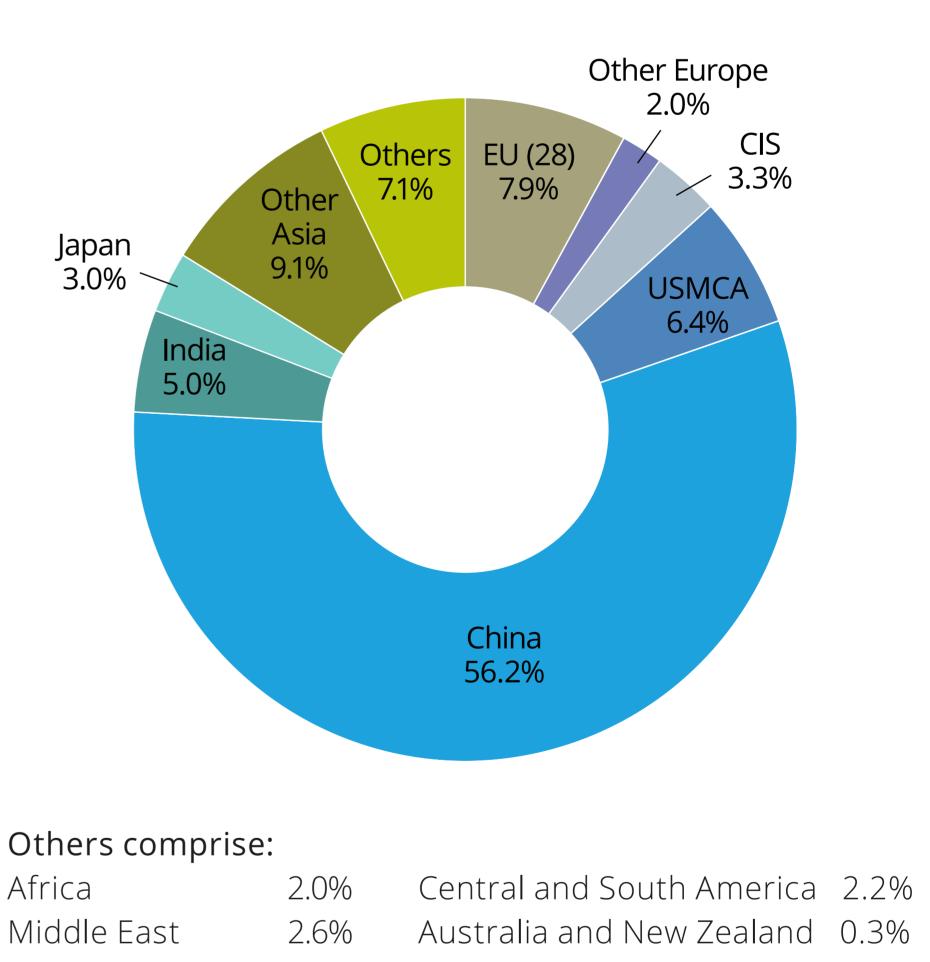


Others comprise:
Africa

Middle East 3.7% Australia and New Zealand 0.6%

Central and South America 3.5%

WORLD TOTAL: 1772 MILLION TONNES



Notherlands Germany

Apparent steel use (consumption) per capita 2020 (kilograms)





Steel is a permanent material.