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Global Chlor-alkali Markets: Have you heard the news about...

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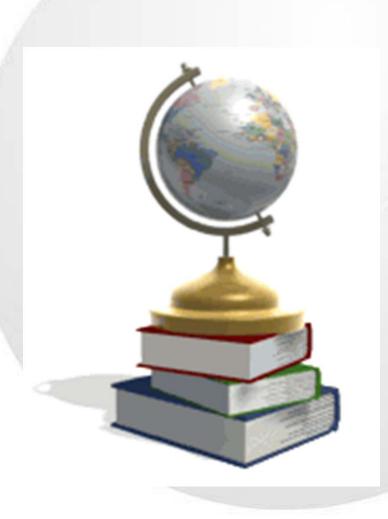


Figure 1 CAUSTIC SODA – SOUTH AMERICA NET TRADE

Thousand Metric Tons

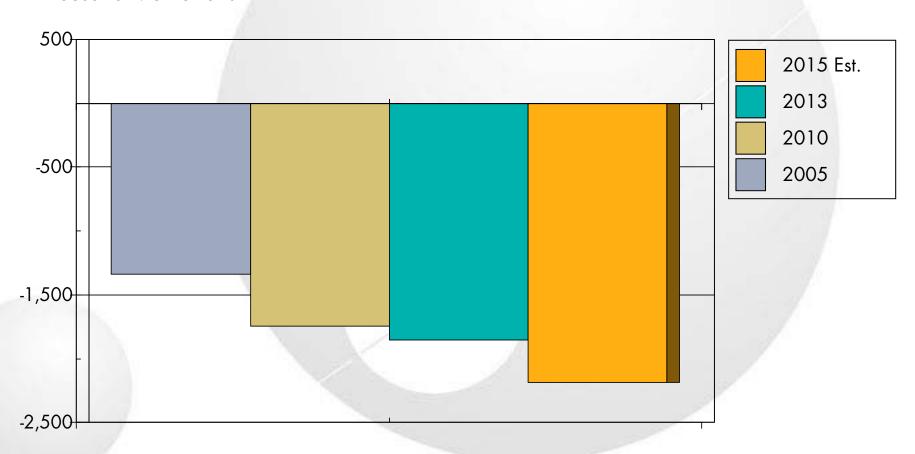


Figure 2 SHARES OF CHLOR-ALKALI CAPACITY IN SOUTH AMERICA

Producer	Location	% 2013	% 2014*	Comments
Solvay Indupa	Argentina Brazil	13	0	Being sold to Braskem
Braskem	Brazil	20	33	Will now have assets in Argentina
Dow	Brazil	17	17	
Carbocloro	Brazil	15	15	100% owned by Unipar
Quimpac	Peru Colombia Ecuador	9	11	Now has assets in Brazil after buying Pan Americana

Source: Tecnon OrbiChem

* Assuming all deals happen

Figure 3 CHLOR-ALKALI PROJECTS IN THE US

Company	Ktons	Comments		
Molycorp	108	Captive Use		
Kuehne Chems	27	Salt to Bleach		
FSTI/DPC	6	Salt to Bleach		
HF Chlor-alkali	83	Cargill corn mill in Eddyville		
K2	50	Vernon, CA		
Olin (Augusta &Charleston)	-132	Conversions (net reduction)		
OxyChem	165	Dupont		
Dow/Mitsui JV	800			
Dow	-800	Phased closure of older cells as JV on line		
Westlake	350			
Shintech	180			
Skyonics	90			

Figure 4
CHLORINE CAPACITY IN MIDDLE EAST & AFRICA

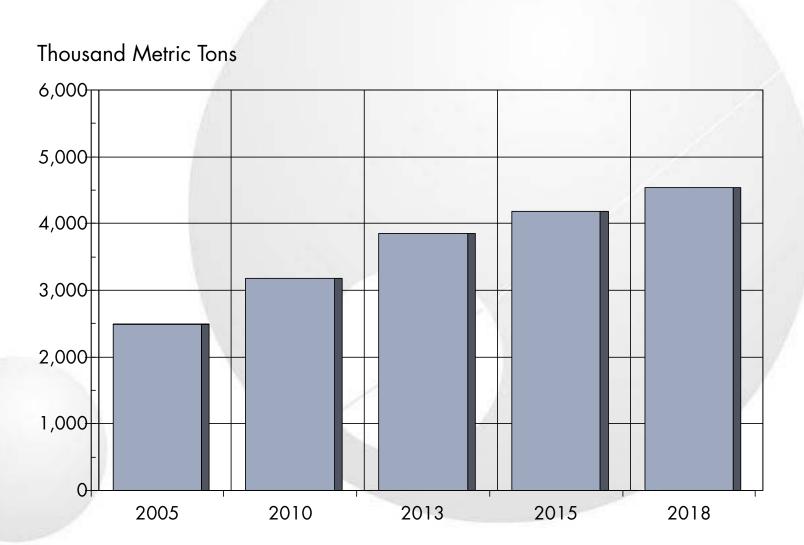


Figure 5 CHLORINE CAPACITY IN SOUTH & SOUTHEAST ASIA

Thousand Metric Tons

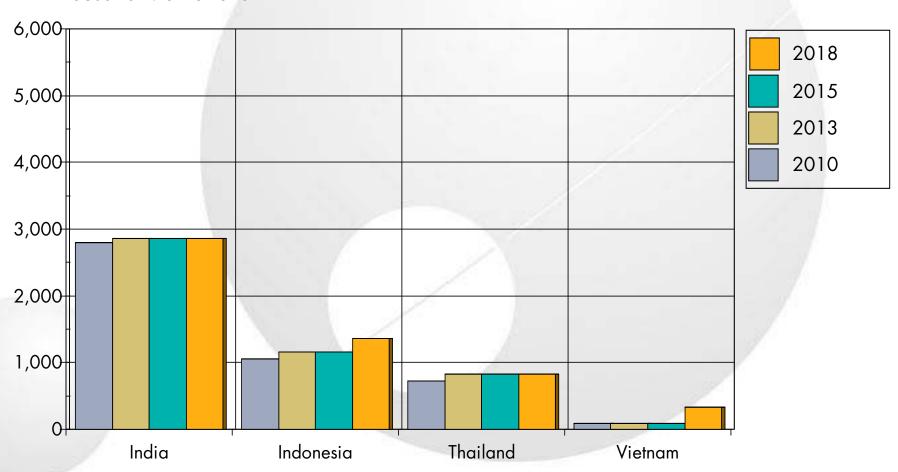


Figure 6
SOUTH & SOUTHEAST ASIA - NET TRADE

Thousand Metric Tons

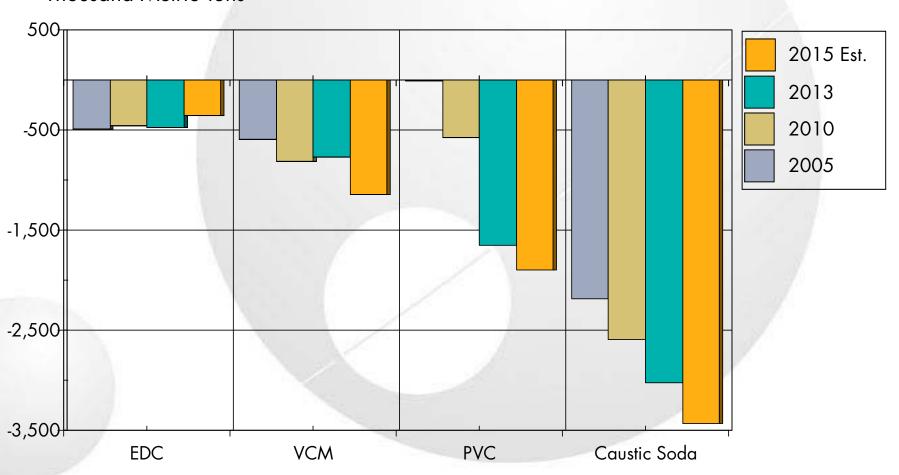


Figure 7 CHLORINE CAPACITY IN NORTHEAST ASIA

Thousand Metric Tons

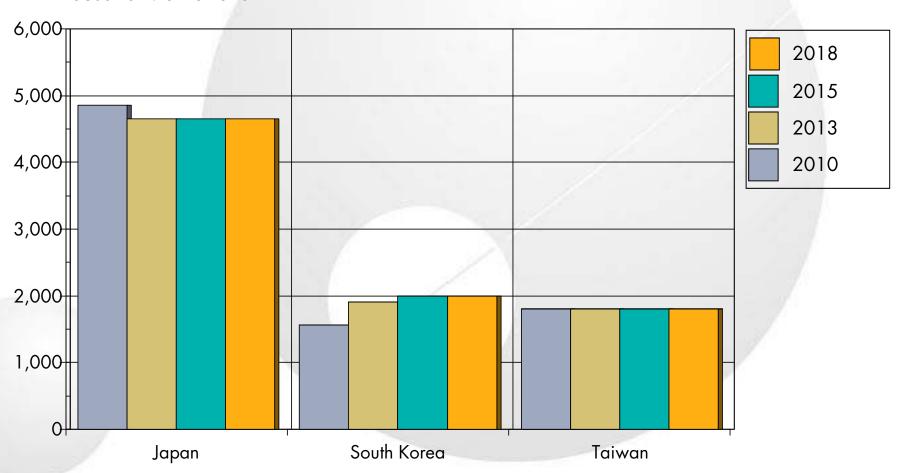


Figure 8 CHINA - CHLORINE CAPACITY FACTS

- 325 Producers in 2013 across ~500 sites
- Only 4% have >500 ktpa installed capacity
- 17% have between 200 ktpa and 500 ktpa
- 17% with capacity of 100-200 ktpa

Figure 9
CHINESE MAJOR CHLORINE PRODUCERS 2014 (Ktons)

1,455
818
801
764
746
669
563
563
563
546
535
518
510

Figure 10 CHINESE CAUSTIC SODA EXPORTING PROFILE

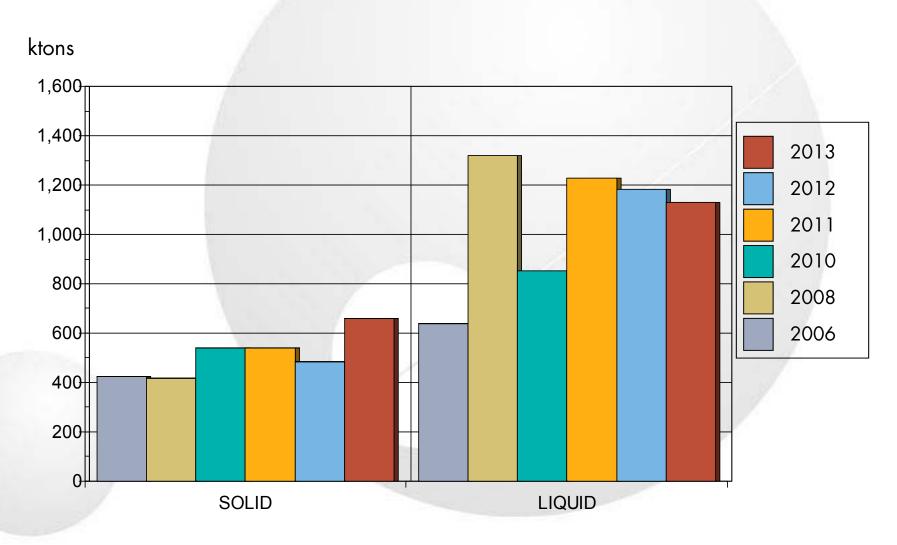


Figure 11 EUROPE – SOME CURRENT ISSUES...

- Mergers & Acquisitions
- New rules on mercury phase-out... now 2017!
- Does this leave the door open for imports?

Figure 12a WEST EUROPE - MERCURY CAPACITY (1)

Country	Company	Ktons	Date	Comments
Belgium	Ineos	* 130		
Czech Rep	Spolana	135	2017	
Czech Rep	Spolchemie	61	2015	
Finland	Akzo Nobel	40		
France	PPC (ICIG)	* 72	2015	
France	Harbonnieres	23		
France	PC de Loos	18	2015	
France	Kem One	166	2017	
Germany	Akzo Nobel	125		Ibbenburen – JV for KOH
Germany	BASF	170		
Germany	Evonik	* 137		JV for KOH at Ibbenburen

^{*} Some KOH

Source: Tecnon OrbiChem

NB – Dow Stade = Asbestos Diaphragms

Figure 12b WEST EUROPE – MERCURY CAPACITY (2)

Country	Company	Ktons	Date	Comments
Hungary	BorsodChem	131	2017	
Italy	Hydrochem-Italia (ICIG)	42		
Poland	PCC Rokita	78	2015	1/2
Romania	Oltchim	186		Insolvency Proceedings
Slovakia	Novacke (Fortischem)	76	2017	
Spain	CUF (Elnosa)	34	6	
Spain	Ercros	270		
Spain	Hispavic (Solvay)	218	A	-34
Spain	Solvay	63		
Sweden	Ineos	120		?2015/2017
Switzerland	CABB	27		
UK	Ineos	277		

Figure 13 'MERCURY' CAPACITY IN WEST EUROPE 2014

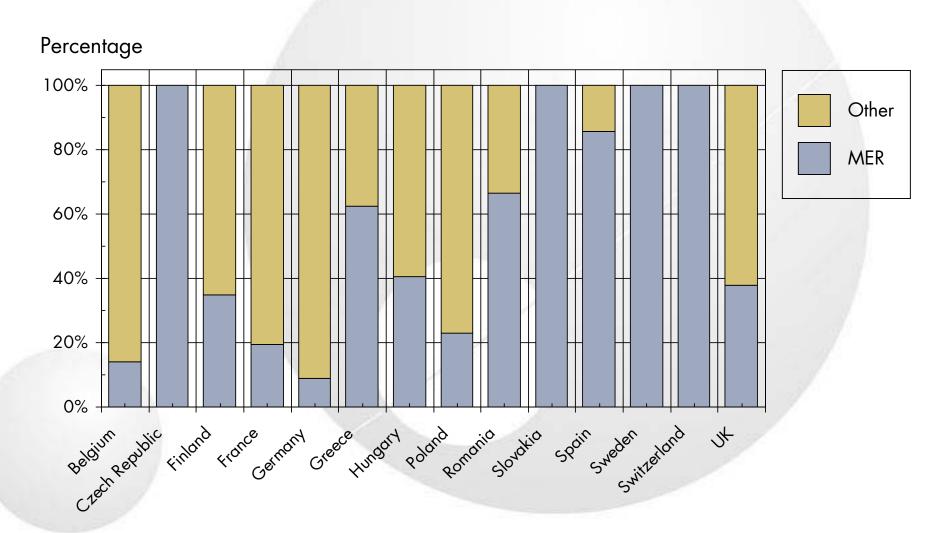
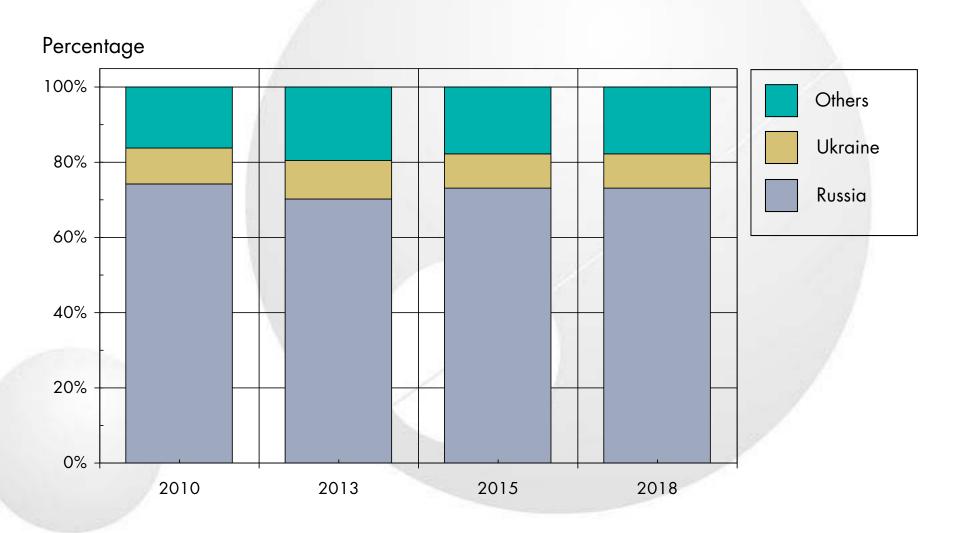
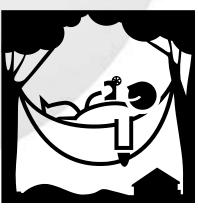


Figure 14 EAST EUROPEAN REGIONAL CAPACITY SPLIT 2014



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