

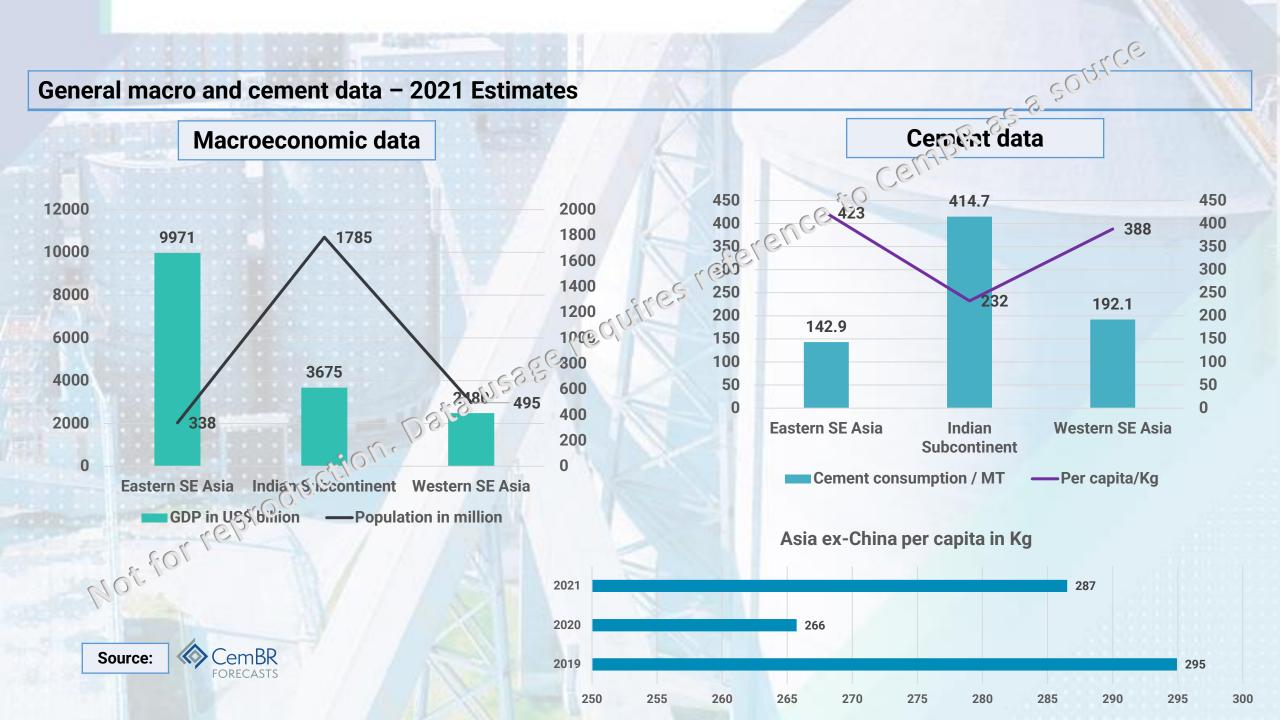
Markets included in the presentation

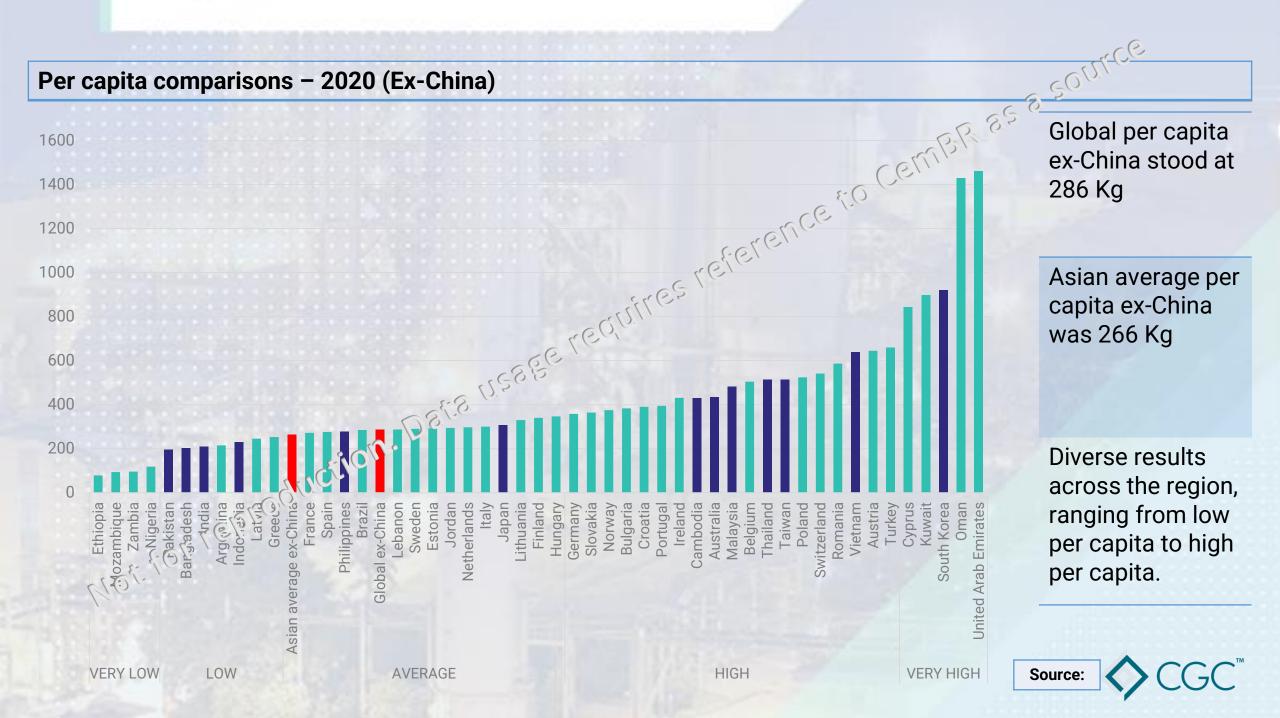
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Australia	Bangladesh	Cambodia
Japan	India	Indonesia
Philippines	Pakistan	Malaysia
South Korea		Thailand
Taiwan		Vietnam



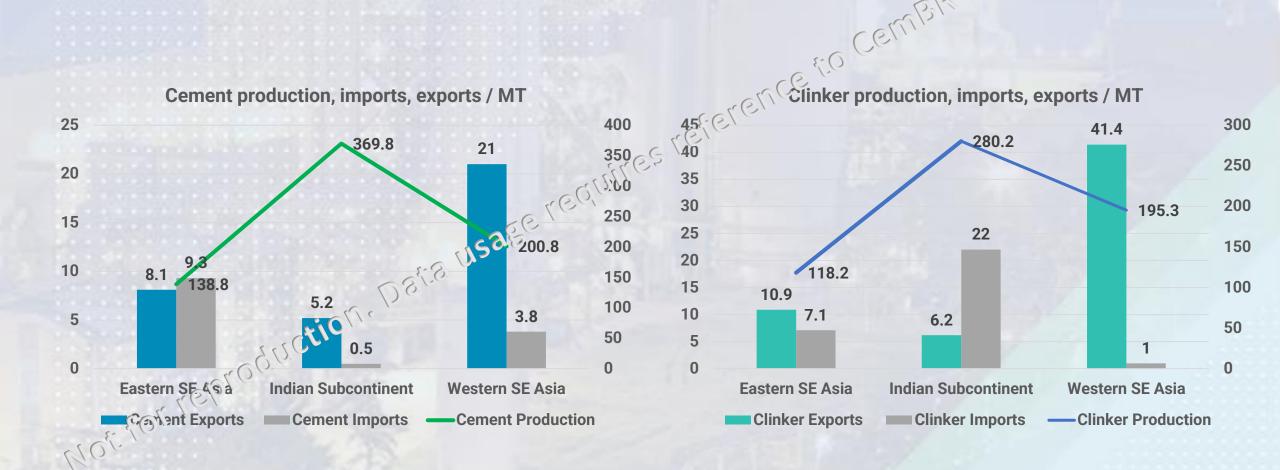






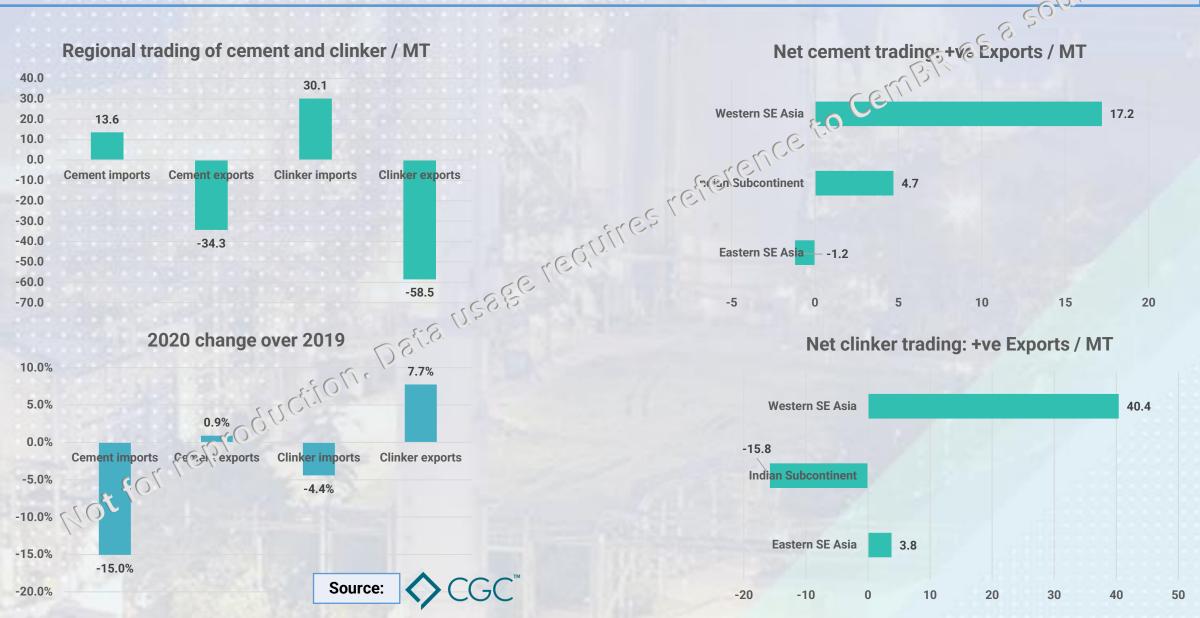


Cement and clinker production data & imports and exports - 2020

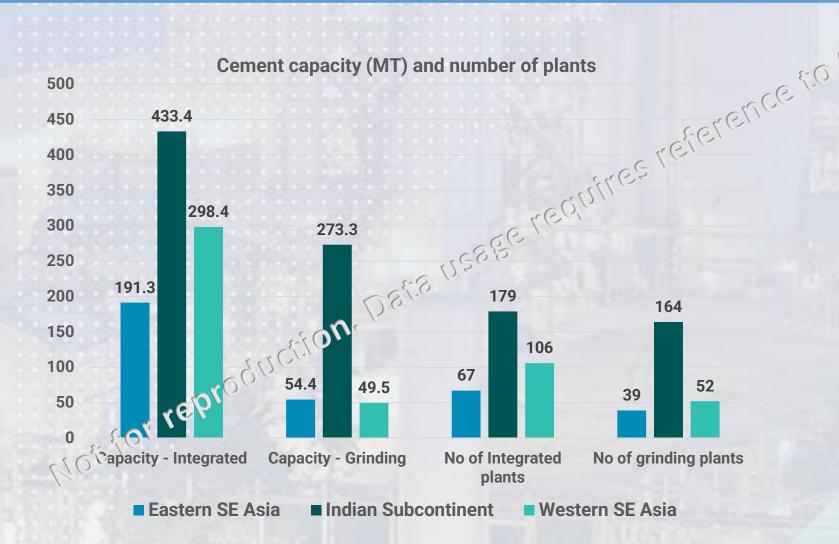




Net trading - 2020



Supply characteristics – current situation



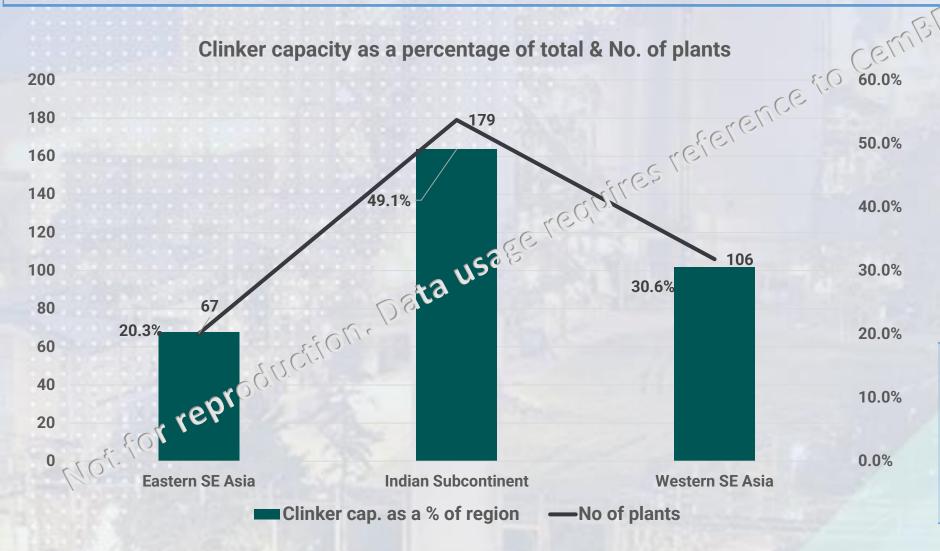
The Indian Subcontinent has the highest cement capacity, but also the highest grinding capacity.

The Indian Subcontinent also leads in both the number of integrated and grinding plants.

Eastern SE Asia has by far the lowest integrated capacity but comes second in grinding capacity.

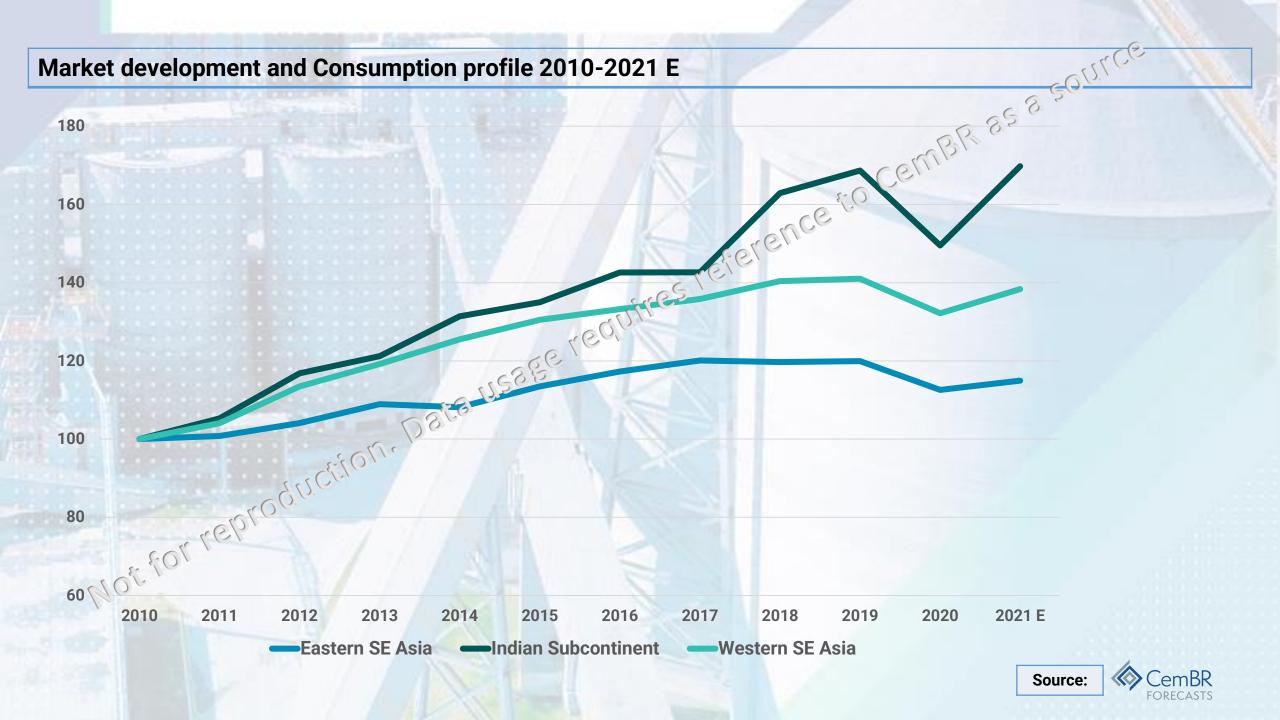
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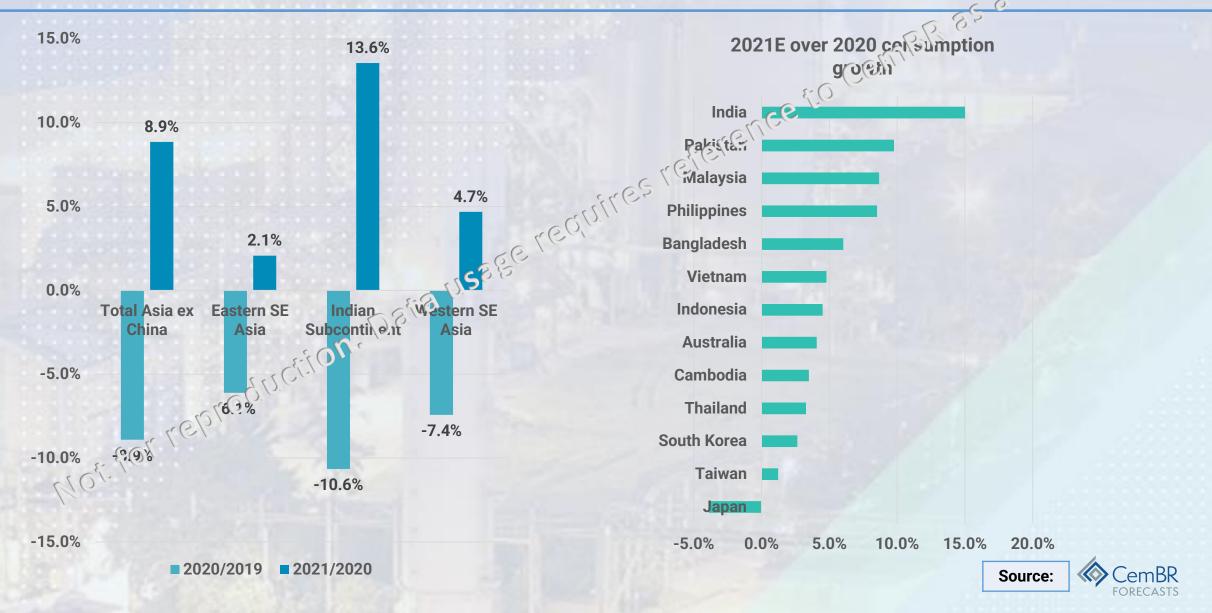


The Indian
Subcontinent has
the largest clinker
capacity in the
region. The subregion also has five
"clinker only"
facilities.

The number of plants in the three regions vary considerably.

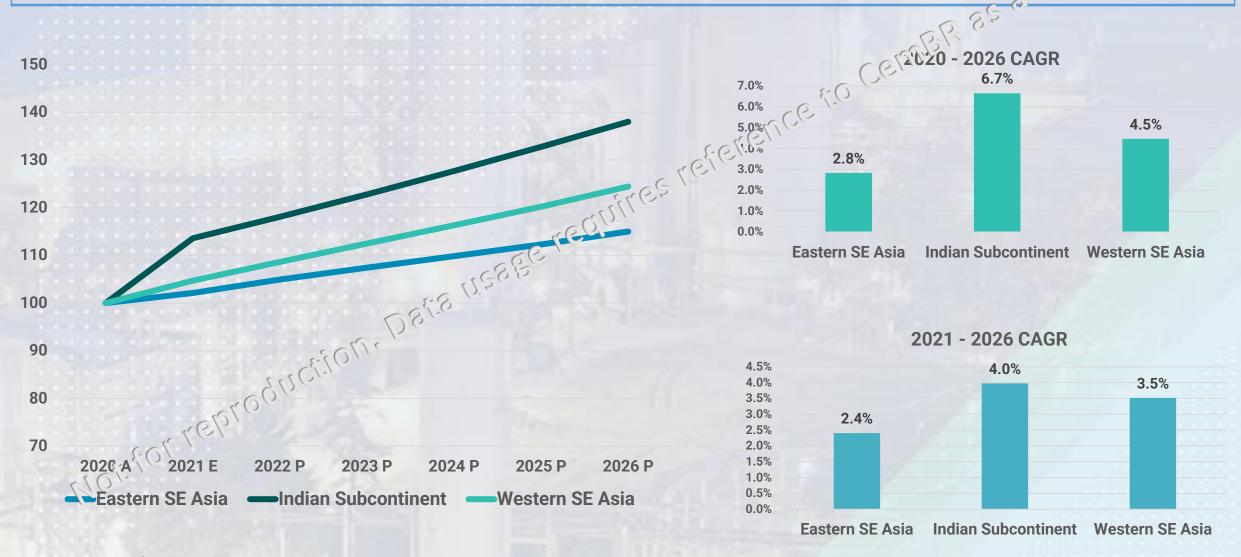


Recent demand behaviour - 2020 over 2019 and 2021 E over 2020

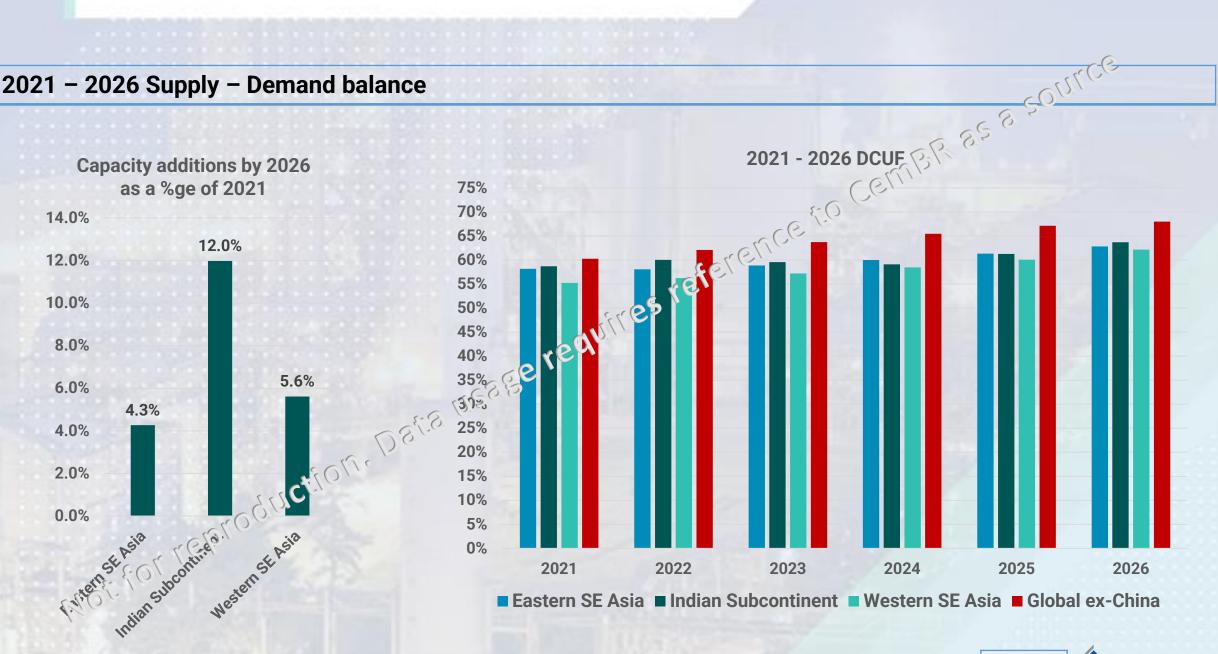




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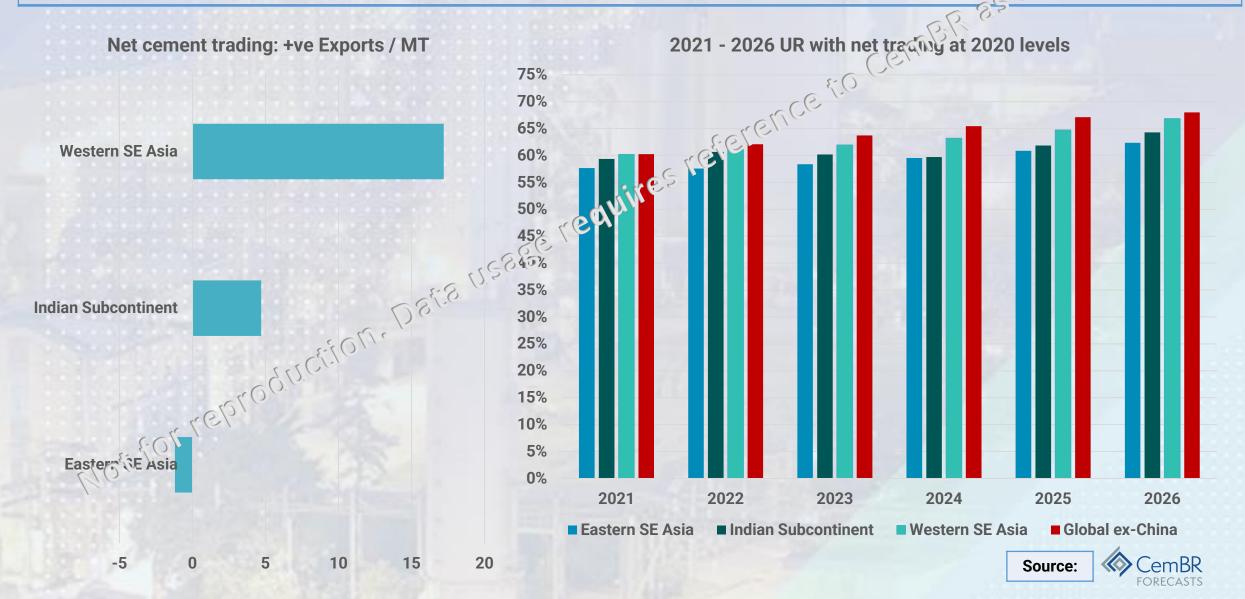


2021 - 2026 Supply - Demand balance



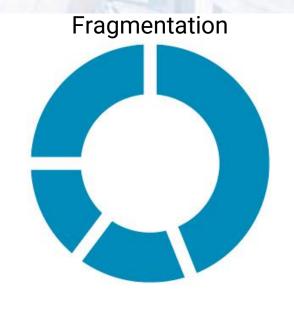
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Global cement – issues next five to ten years









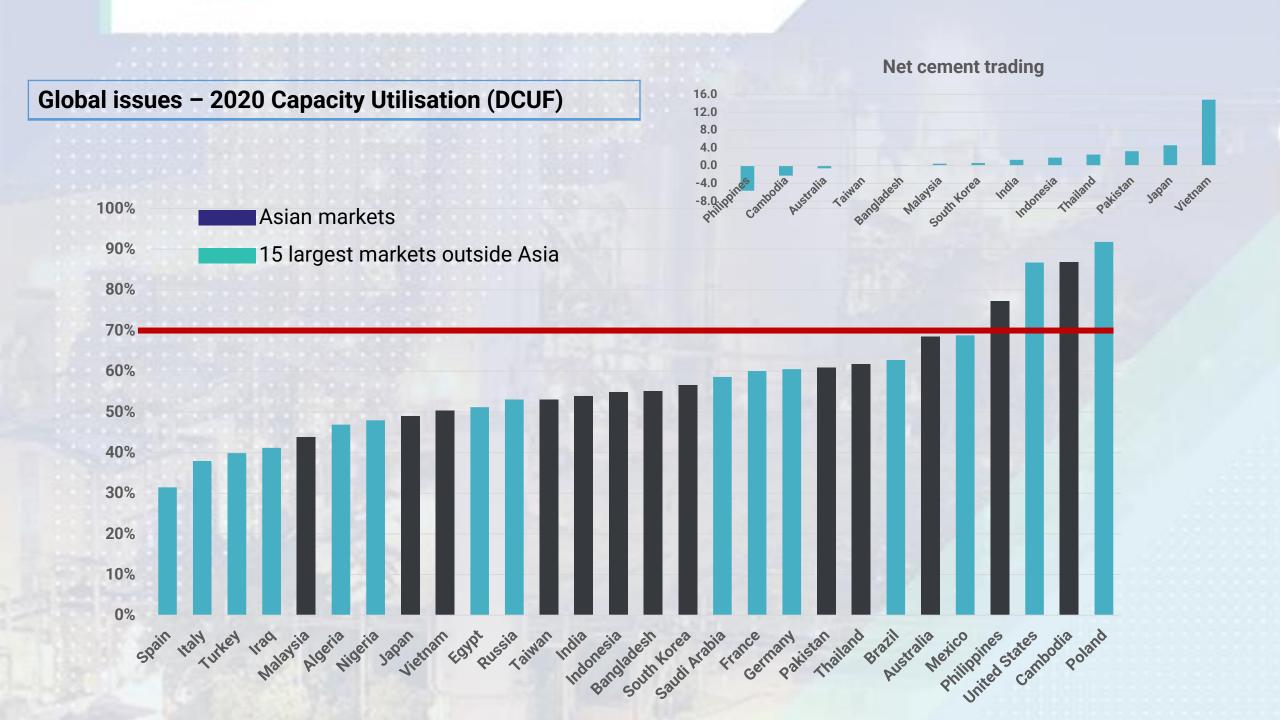


Low or no influence on fossil fuels cost

High CAPEX costs and investments

Global issues – Fragmentation





Conclusions:

5 – year prospects

Good growth in consumption in the next five years in most parts of Asia – regionally top with Sub Saharan Africa

Significant capacity additions in 2021 and more expected to 2026

Some improvement in URs – below global average; China can play a major role in regional trading and URs

2020 - pandemic impact

Only a few markets have bucked the trend in 2020 and grew, most markets declined markedly

The region as a whole was the worst performer in terms of demand decline in 2020 – almost 9% drop from 2019

2021 recovery

The region being the worst performer in 2020 is expected to be the best performer in 2021

Short term trends and pandemic impact

Unexpected supply squeezes coupled with increasing energy costs have led to increased cement pricing

Questions for Asia cement:

Short term: Are price increases enough?

Short to medium term: Will fragmentation and overcapacity become more apparent when normalcy returns?

Longer term: Is carbon coming?

