

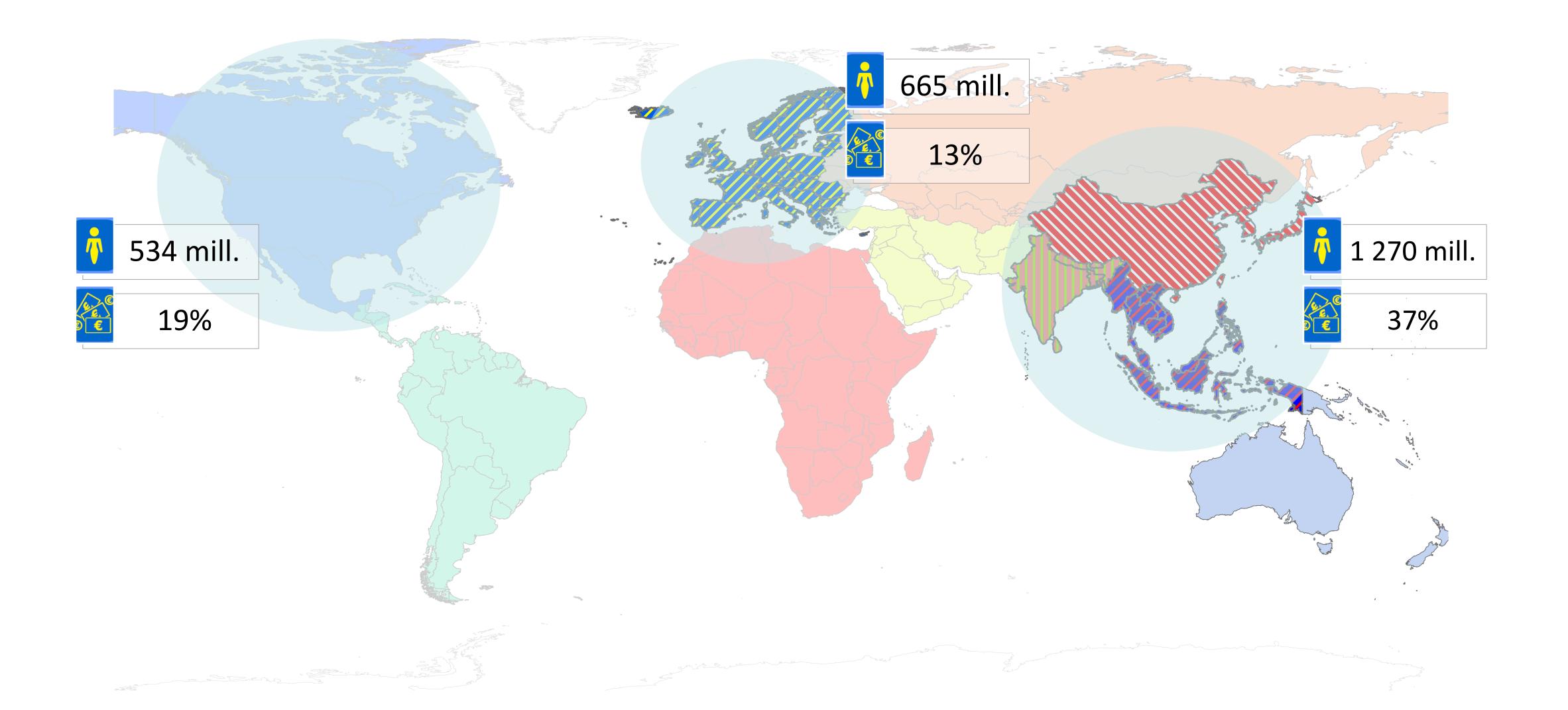
AIR TRANSPORT CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN ASIA AND EUROPE

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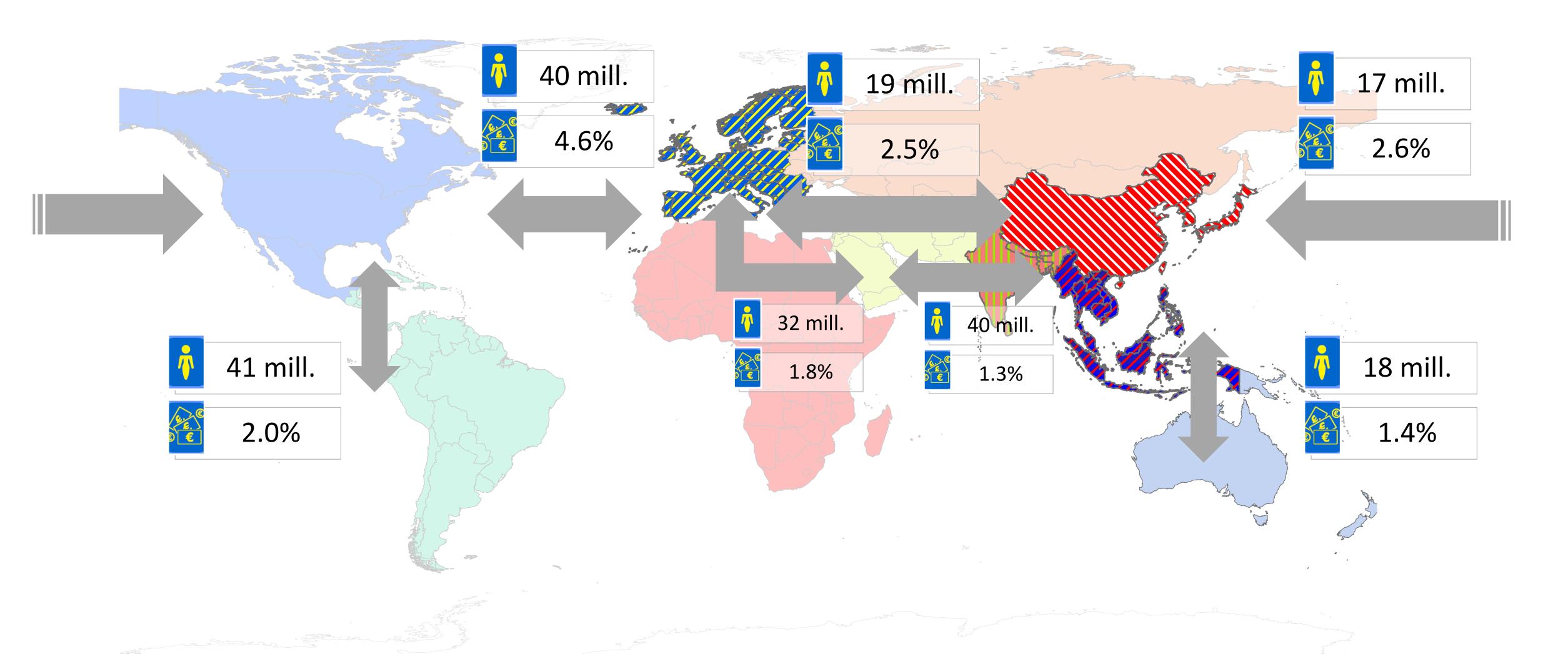
MAIN REGIONAL AVIATION MARKETS 2018





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MAIN INTER-REGIONAL MARKETS, 2018

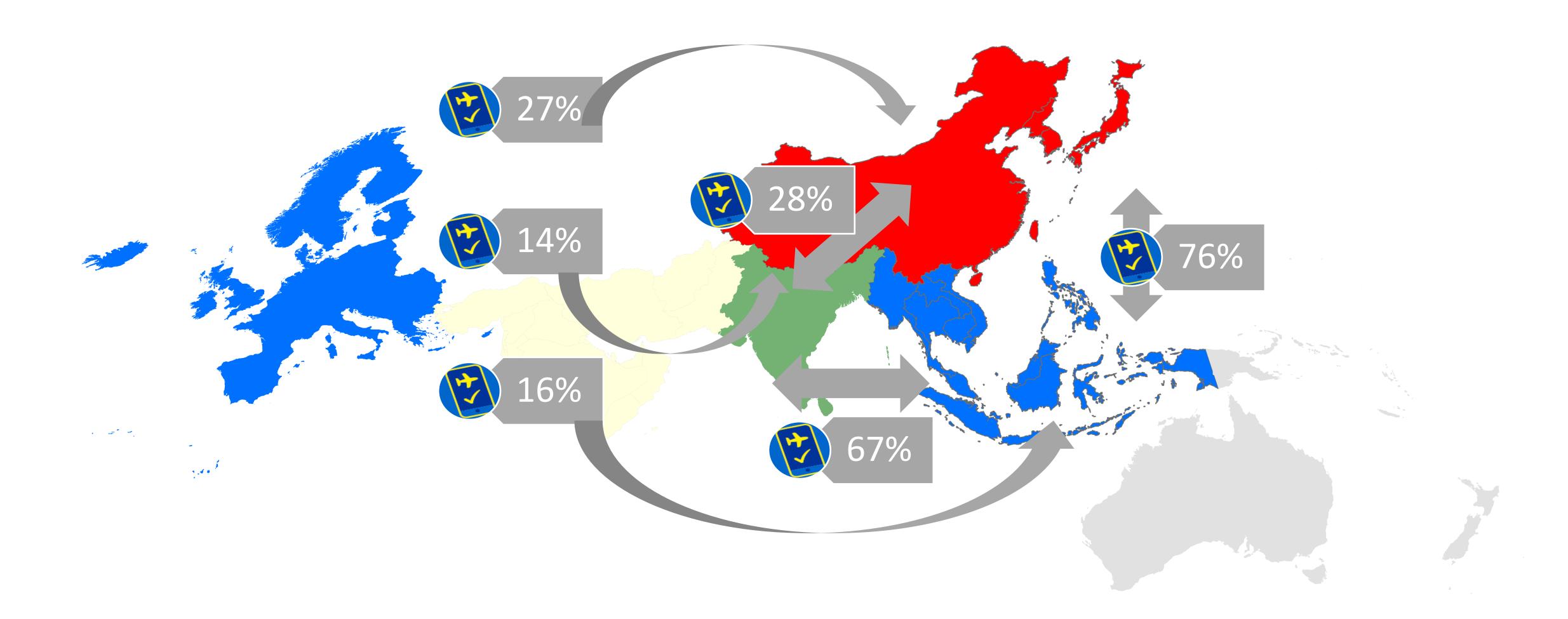








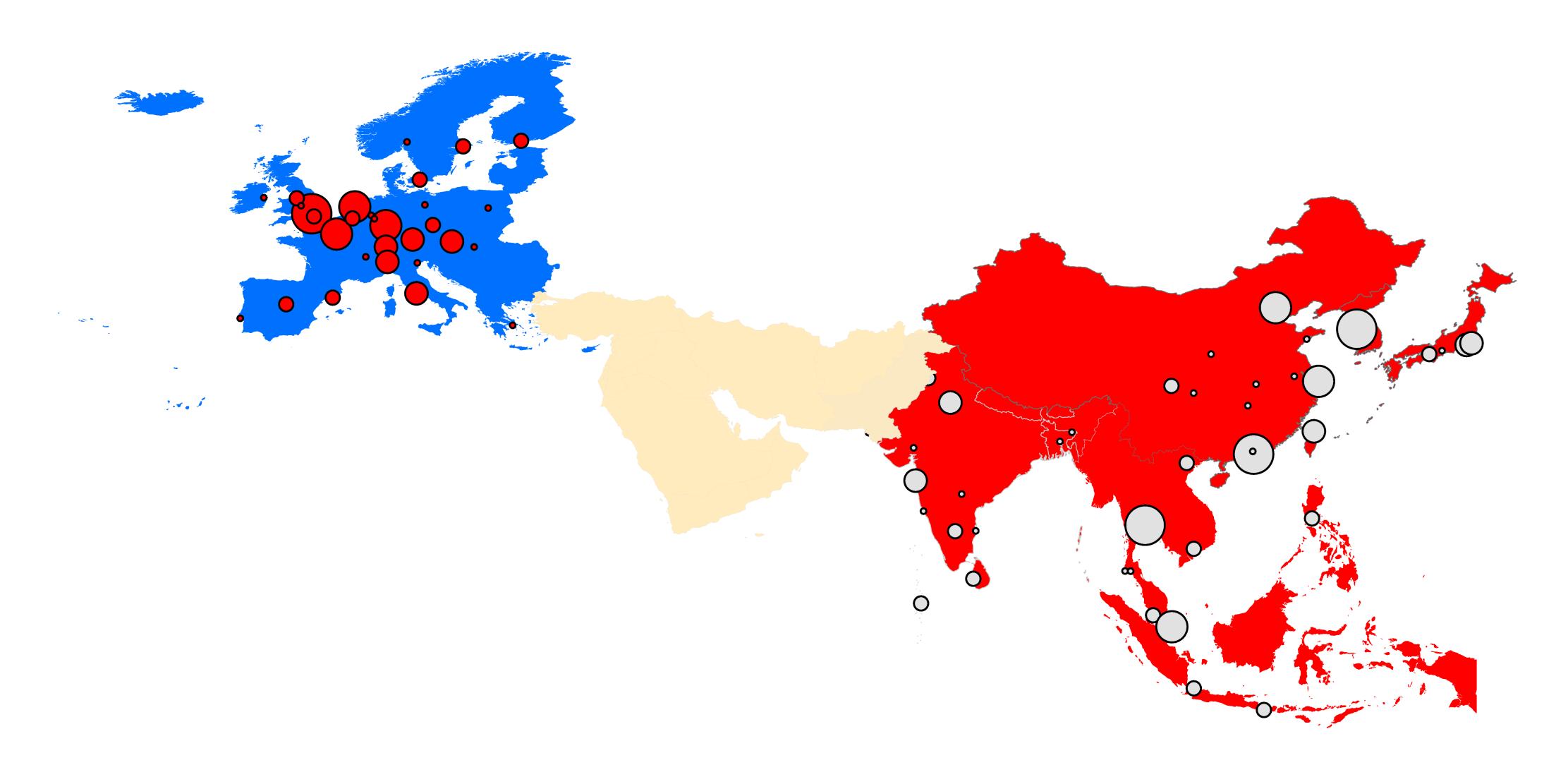
DIRECT FLIGHTS IN EUROPE-ASIA MARKETS, 2018







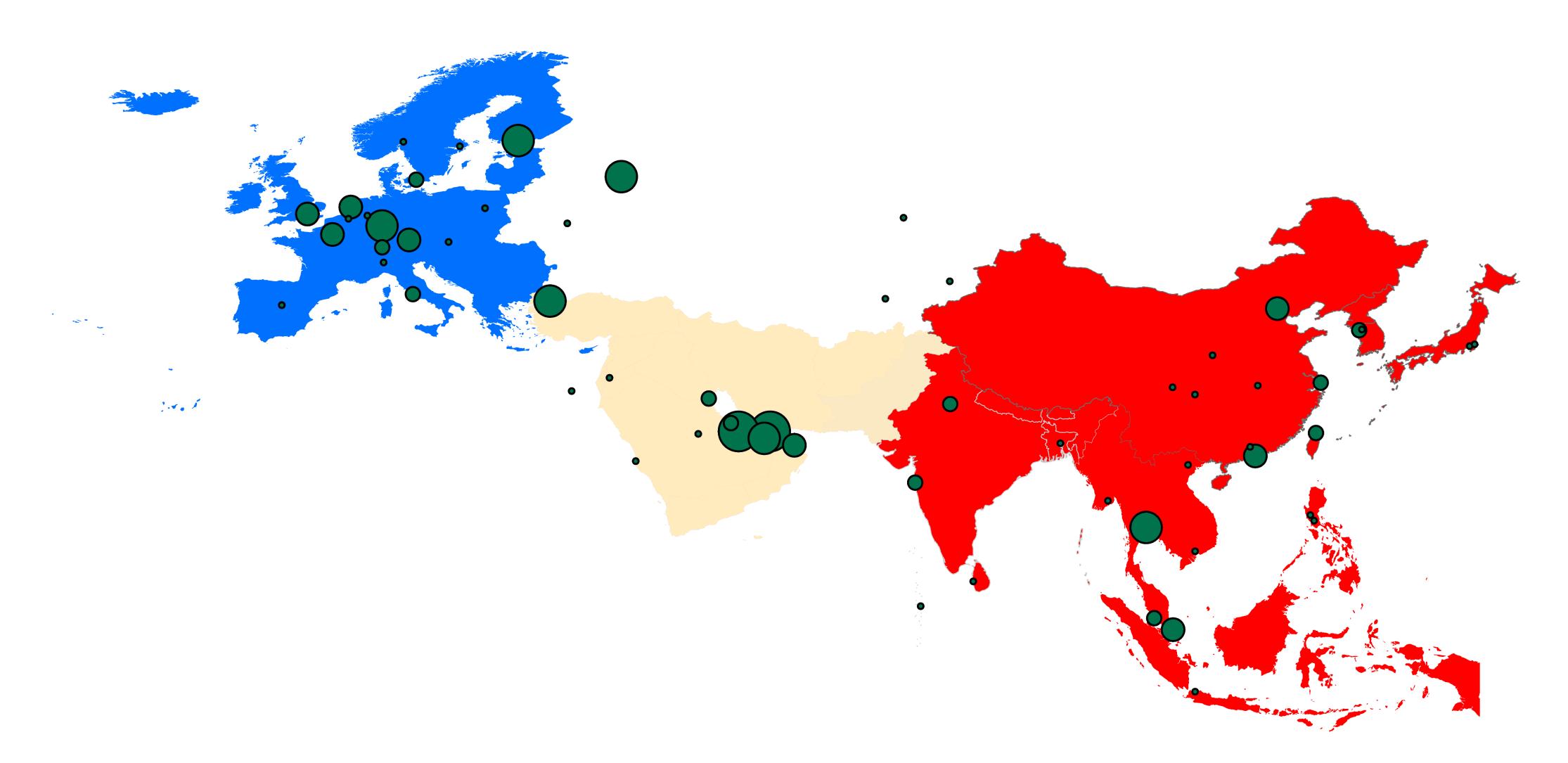
EU – ASIA DIRECT FLIGHTS





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EU – ASIA TRANSIT FLIGHTS

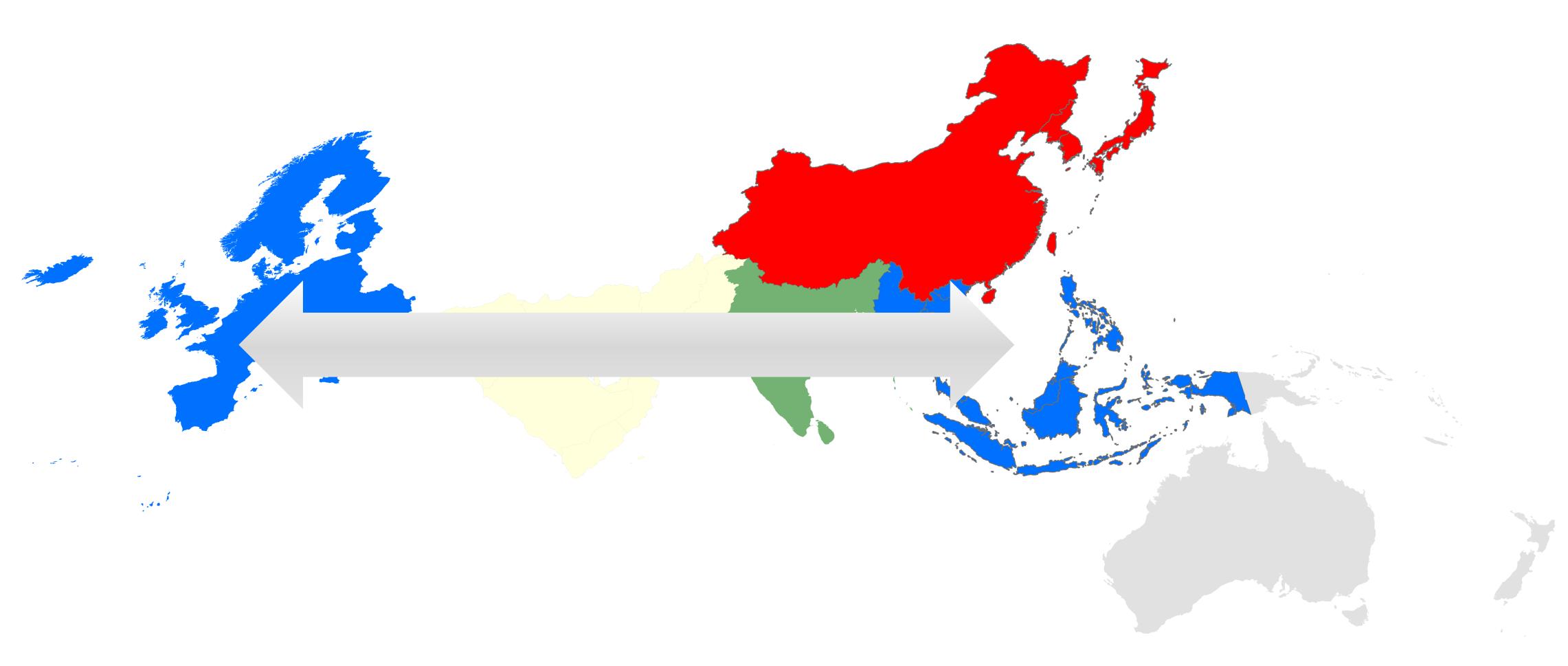






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THE STRAIGHT LINE PRINCIPLE









EU-ASEAN COMPREHENSIVE AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT (CATA)

- The 1st block-to-block agreement at inter-continental level
- To cover a wide range of areas of gradual regulatory convergence
- On-going series of negotiations started on June 7, 2016
- Tan (2015): three possible areas of agreement:
 Onlimited market access provision between the two regions
 - Relaxation of the 5th freedom flight operations
 - Lifting-up restrictions on code-sharing that exist in the current air
 - services agreements between the respective carriers: EU and ASEAN



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MAIN MESSAGES

- Unlimited market access in the form of direct, non-stop flights between the two regions (full 3rd and 4th freedom rights) = increasing competition at hub-to-hub operations (decreasing HHI index)
- With CATA:
 - Unlimited 5th freedom operations: EU and ASEAN carriers can have intermediate stops and beyond EU/ASEAN regions with traffic rights in a third region shall increase the 'point-to-point', 'behind', and 'beyond' shares in ASEAN and EU regions.
 - More ASEAN and EU airlines shall enter to the existing hub-to-hub operation Ο
 - Competition at the hub-to-hub operation: more hub-to-hub route cooperation and engagement in joint marketing and revenue-sharing.
 - Average travel cost reduction.
 - \circ More ASEAN and EU players' shares = a reduction in the share of players from Gulf, Middle East and Turkish regions.











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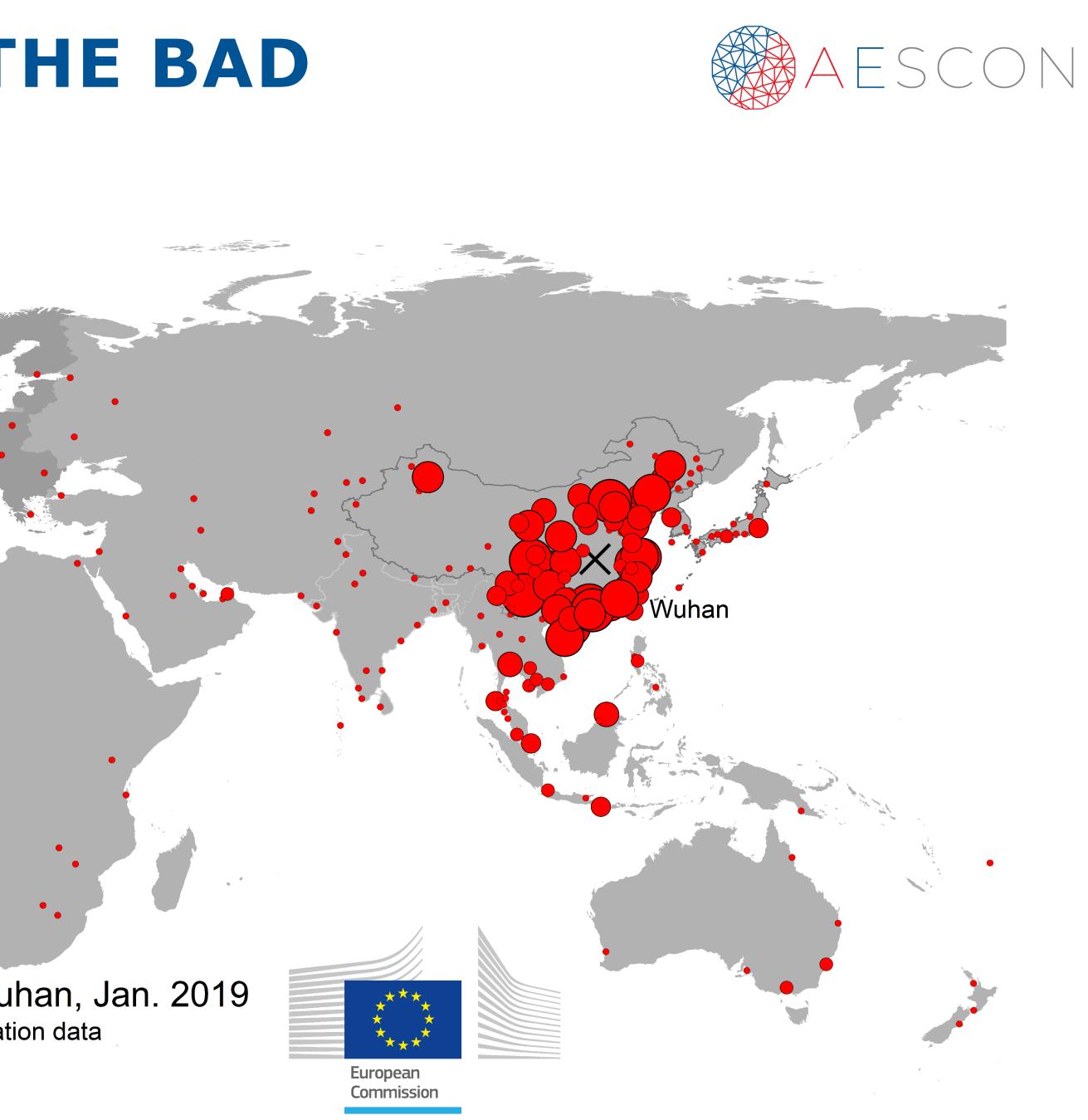


LET'S START WITH THE BAD NEWS...

Air travel destinations from Wuhan, Jan. 2019 based on SABRE origin-destination data







TOP 10 PASSENGER TRAFFIC 2018

by airpor	t	b
Beijing Capital	48	London
Atlanta	46	New York
Dubai	40	Tokyo
Los Angeles	39	Shanghai
Tokyo Haneida	38	Beijing
Jakarta	36	Paris
London Heathrow	35	Bangkok
Shanghai Pudong	34	Los Ange
Chicago O'Hare	34	Atlanta
Hong Kong	34	Chicago

In million passengers







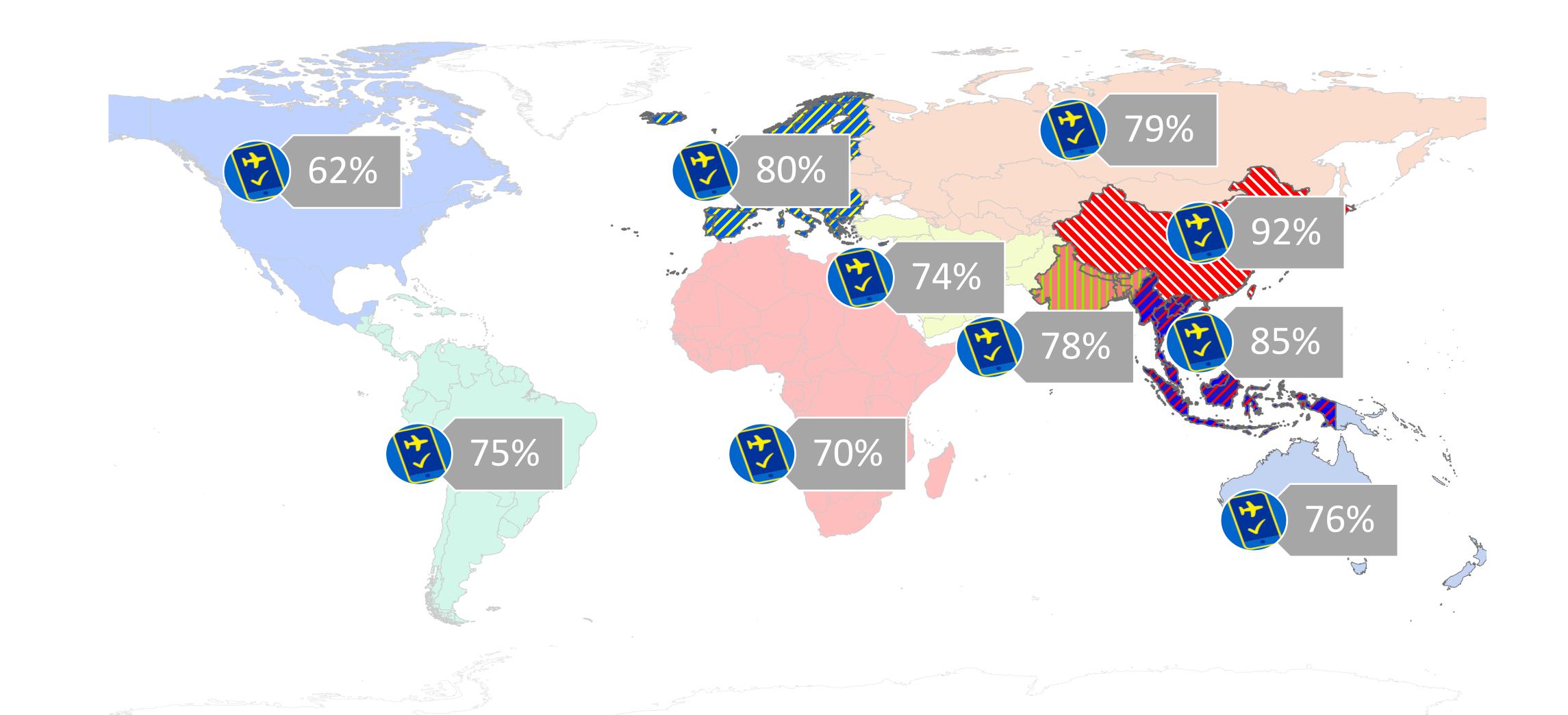
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by country

USA	800
China	604
India	167
Japan	143
Indonesia	137
United Kingdom	134
Spain	121
Germany	112
Brazil	100
Turkey	87

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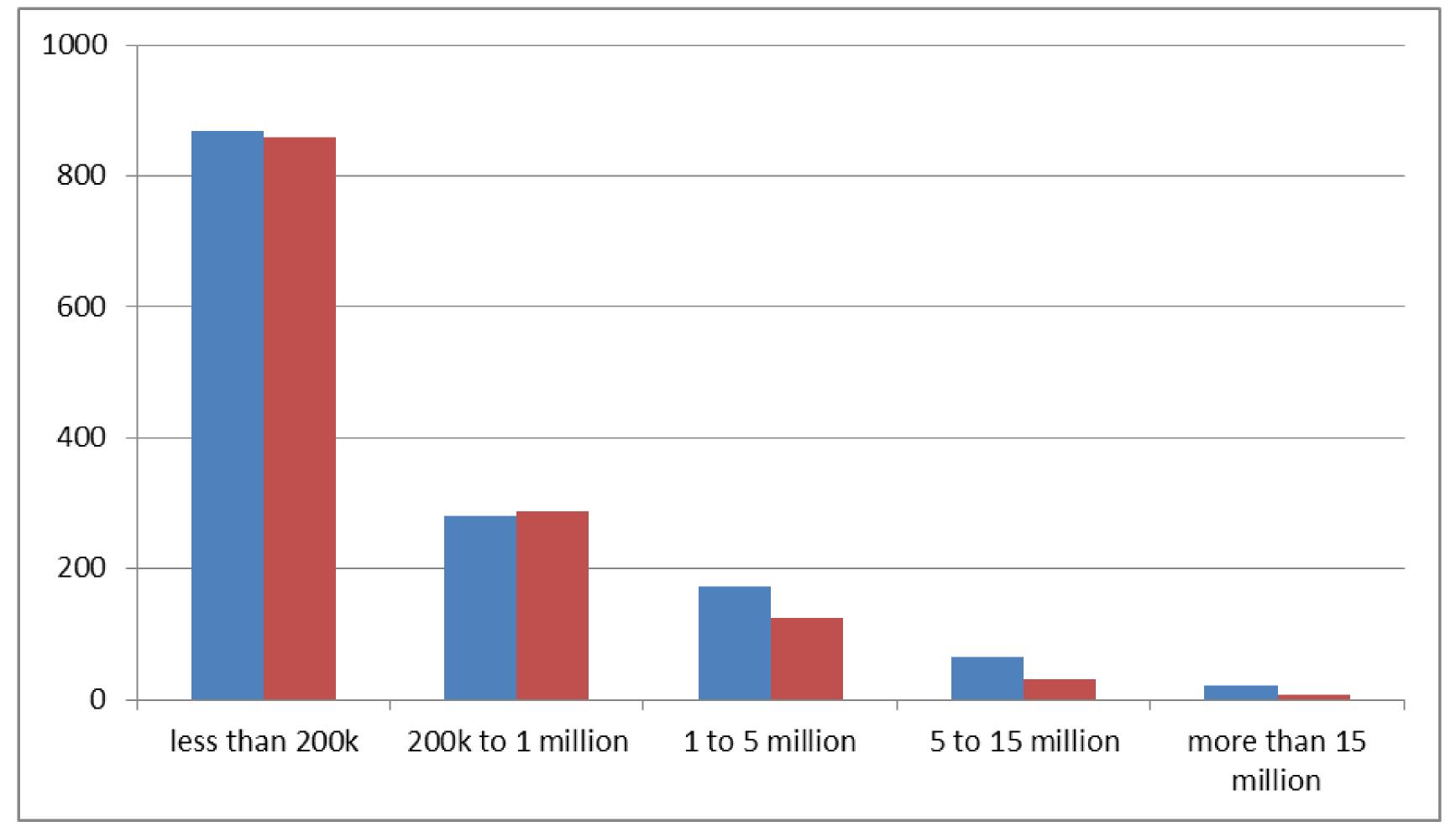
DEMAND SERVED WITH DIRECT FLIGHTS, 2018



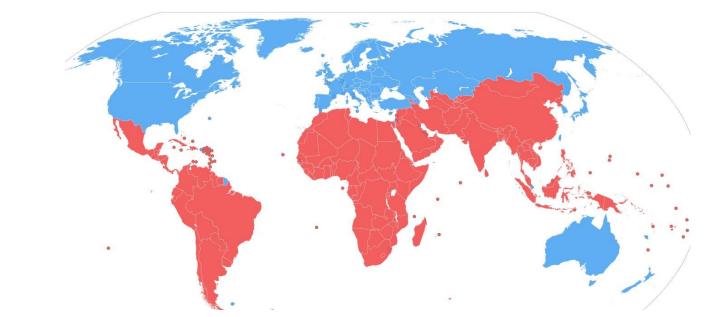


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NUMBER OF AIRPORTS BY SIZE, 2010



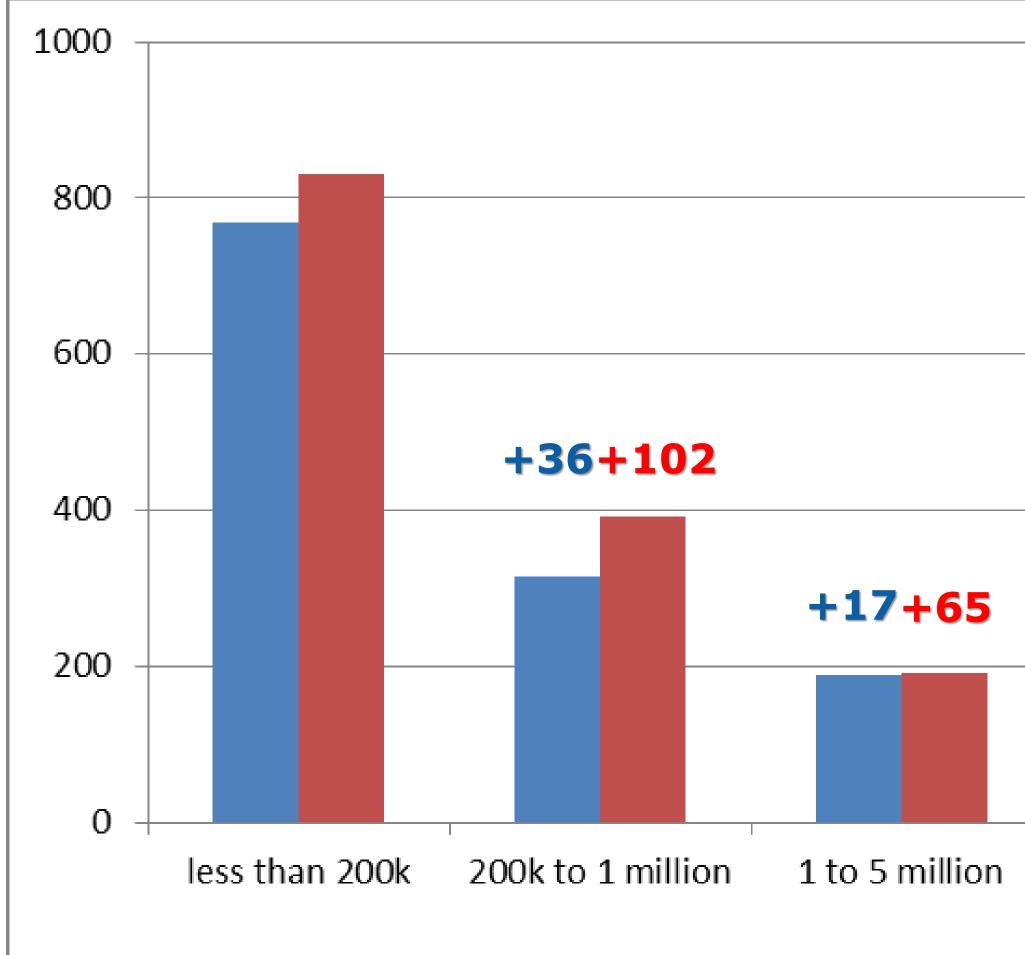
In million passengers



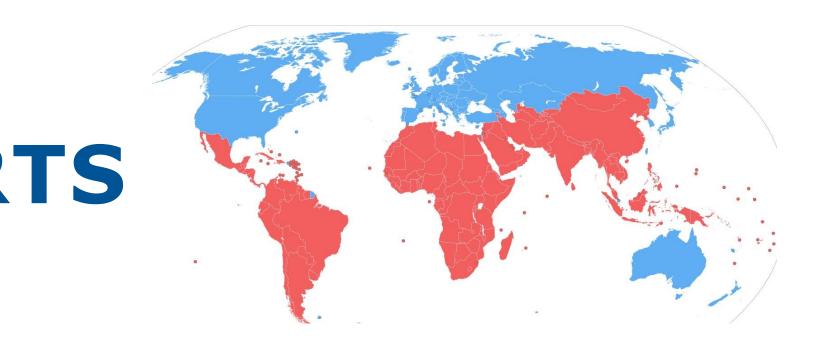


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NUMBER OF AIRPORTS BY SIZE, 2018



In million passengers

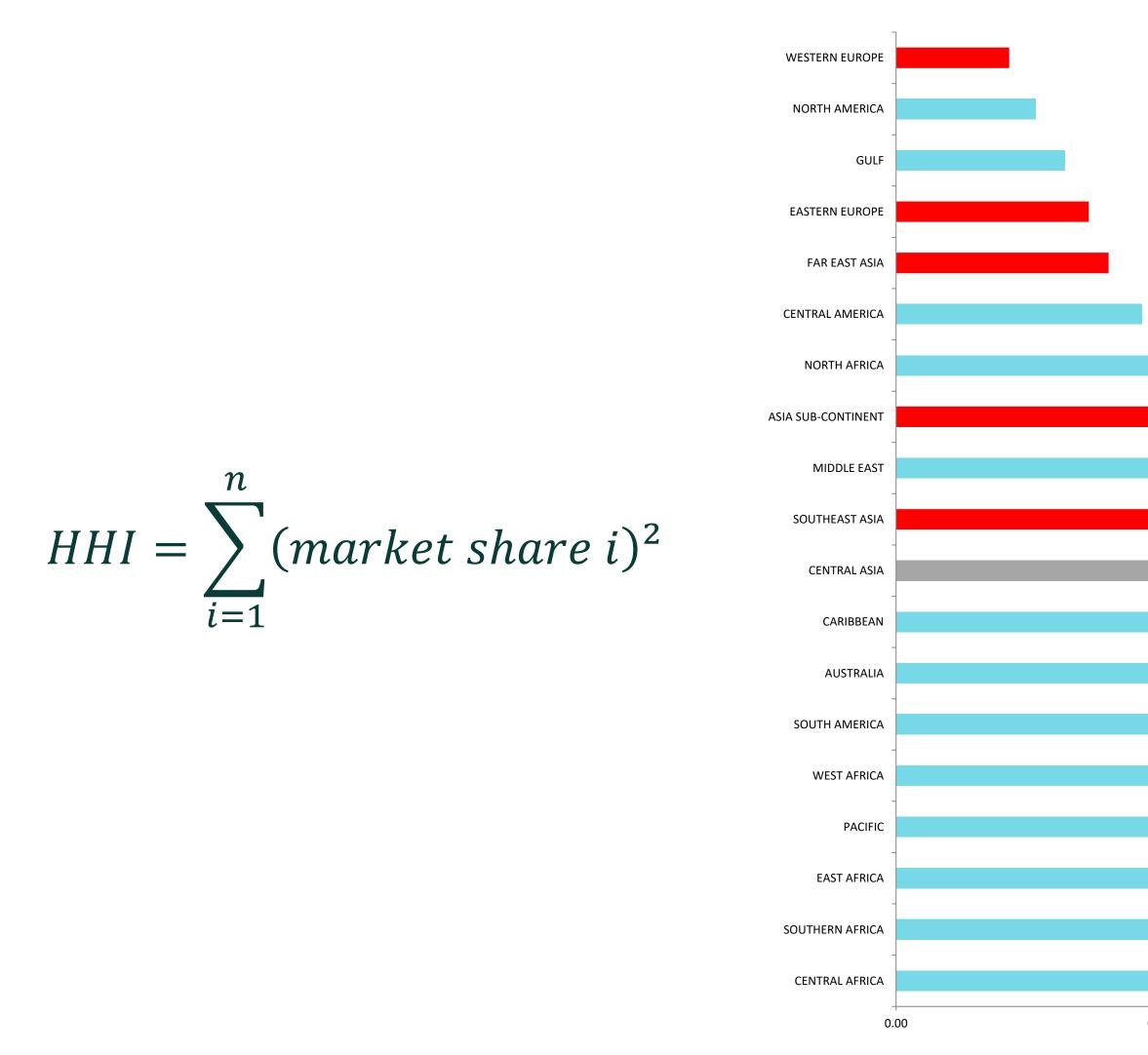




+17+65 +18 + 15+18 +29 5 to 15 million more than 15 million

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MARKET CONCENTRATION, HHI INDEX

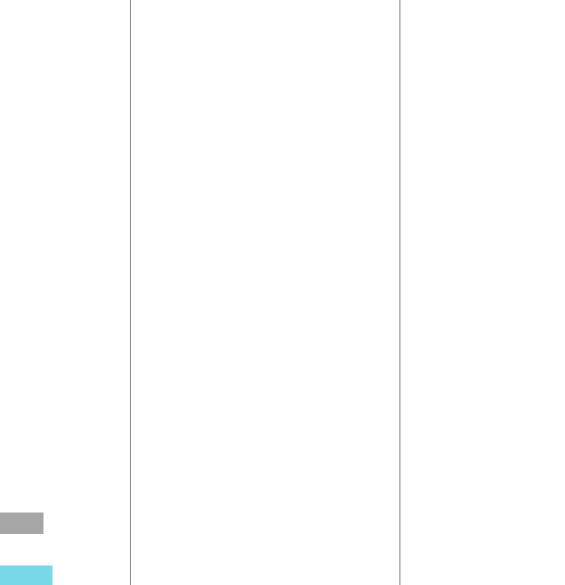


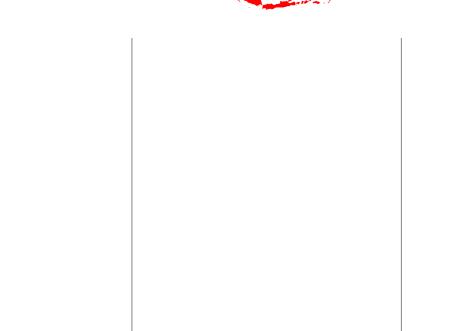










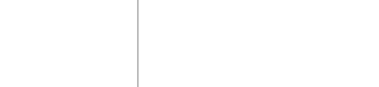














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