

# The Geography of Transport Systems

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# Transportation Modes (Part I)

## CHAPTER 5

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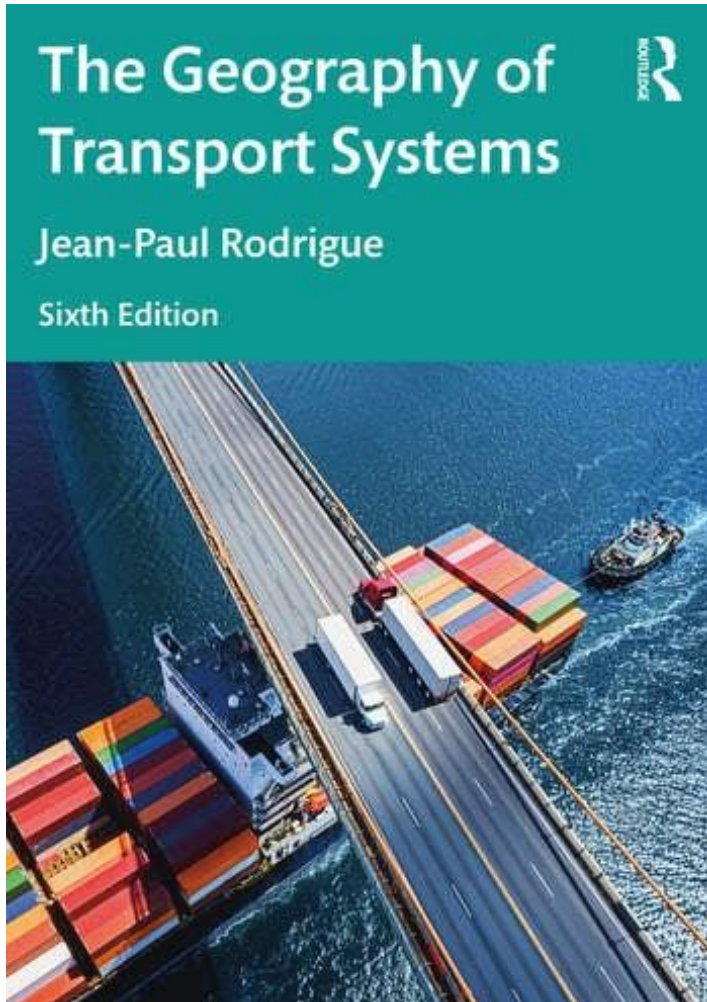
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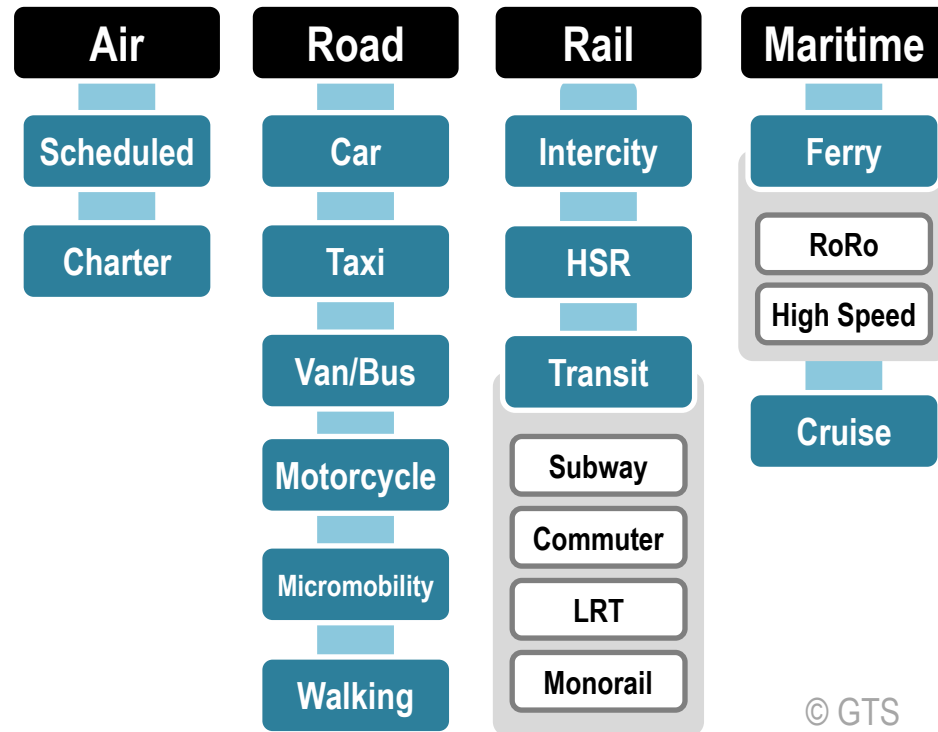
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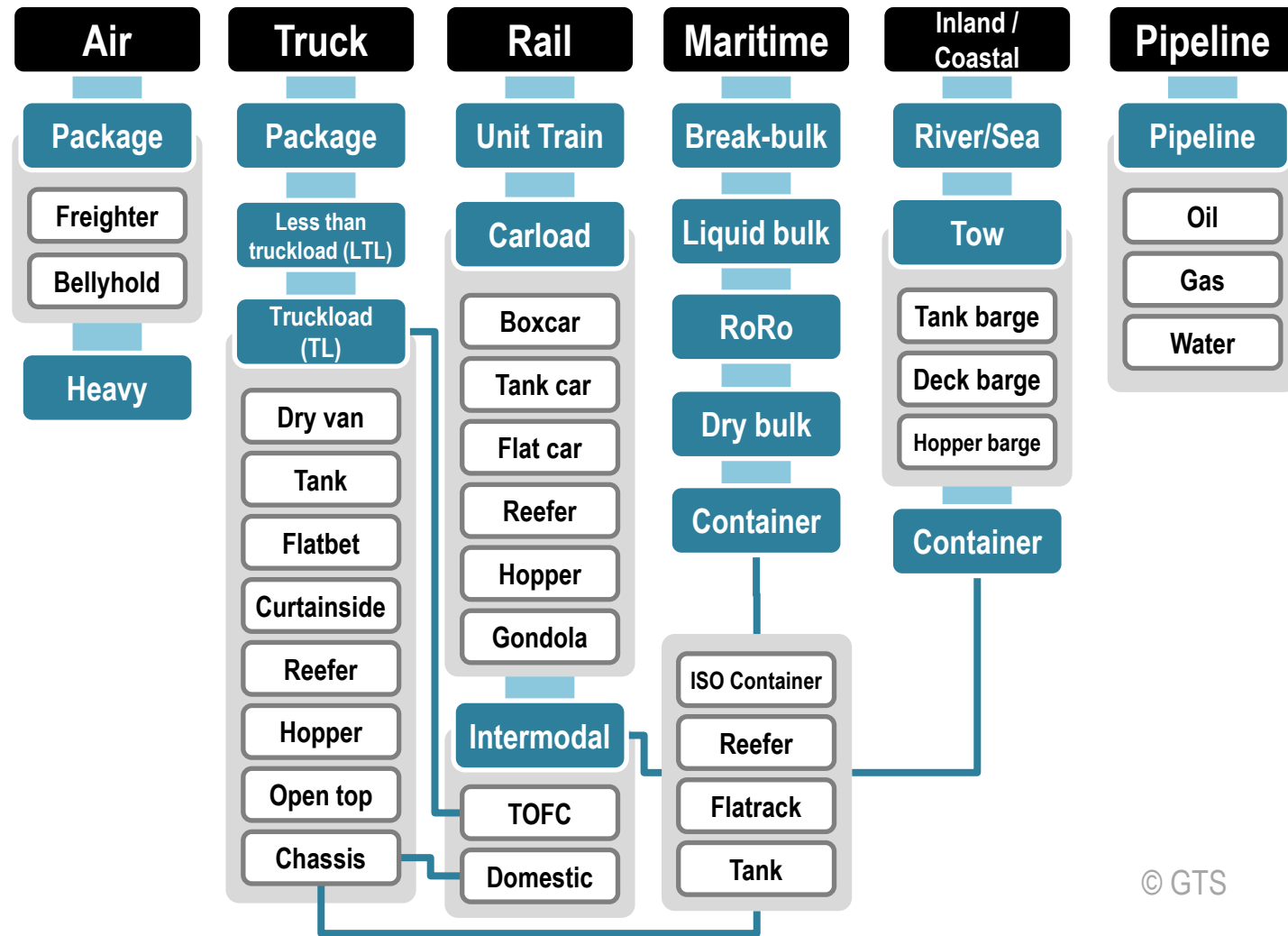


# Transportation Modes, Modal Competition and Modal Shift

# Main Passenger Modal Options



# Main Freight Modal Options

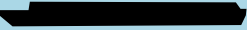
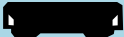
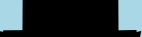







# Load of the Global Transport System by Mode

	Tons	Tons-km	Revenue (2004)
Road	?	6,000 to 8,500 billion tons-km	\$796 billion
Rail	8,930 million tons	7,773 billion tons-km	\$330 billion
Maritime	6,758 million tons (loaded) 6,787 million tons (unloaded)	44,474 billion tons-km	\$484 billion



# Performance Comparison for Selected Freight Modes

VEHICLE	INFRASTRUCTURE	CAPACITY	TRUCK EQUIVALENCY
 Barge	(20-25 km/hr) Navigation channels, canals, terminals	1500 Tons / 50-100 TEU 52,500 Bushels 453,600 Gallons	57.7 (865 for 15 barges in tow) 18 to 40 (intermodal)
 Hopper car	(40 km/hr) Tracks, yards and terminals	100 Tons / 4 to 5.3 TEU 3,500 Bushels 30,240 Gallons	2.0 (intermodal) to 3.8
 Doublestack rail car			
 100 car train unit 100 car intermodal train			
 Semi-trailer truck	(65-100 km/hr) Roads, parking lots and docking bays	10,000 Tons / 400 to 530 TEU 350,000 Bushels 3,024,000 Gallons	385
 Panamax containership	(20-25 km/hr) Navigation channels, canals, port terminals	26 Tons / 2.65 TEU 910 Bushels 7,865 Gallons 9,000 for a tanker truck	1
 VLCC		5,000 TEU	2,116
 747-400F	(500-900 km/hr) Air corridors, airfields	300,000 tons 2 million barrels of oil	9,330
		100-125 tons (Depending on freight density and range)	5

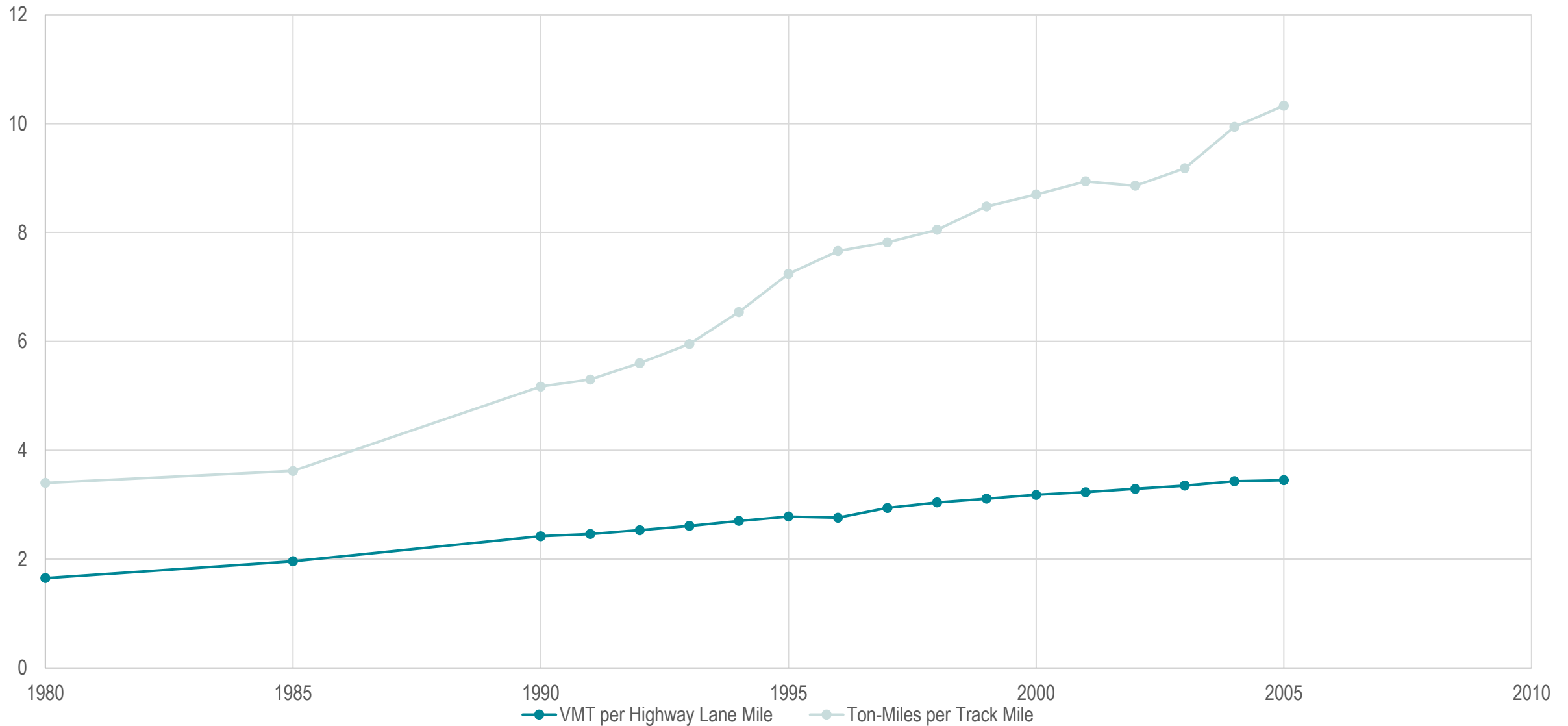
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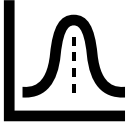
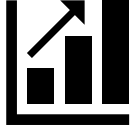

**Table 1. Comparing Six Modes of Transport**

Transport Mode	US\$ Cost per ton-mile	Average Speed	Infrastructure Needs		Efficient scale	Project cargo	Carbon footprint	Market share
			En route	Origin, destination				
Airplanes	>\$1	100s of mph	None	Landing strips	<100 tons	Limited	Very large	<10%
Trucks	15-25¢	40-60 mph	Roads	Loading docks	20 - 40 tons	Limited	Large	>50% overland
Rail	3-5¢	>26 mph	Tracks	Stations	>10,000 tons	Yes	Moderate	~20-40% overland
Ships and Barges	<1¢	~12-15 mph	None	Ports and terminals	25,000 - 100,000+ tons	Yes	Small	<5% overland 90%+ over water
Pipelines (fluids only)	~1¢	3-6 mph	Pipe- line	Staging areas, storage tanks	1,000s of tons per day	No	Slight	Dominant for petroleum
Giant Airships	<25¢, possibly as low as 10¢	~90 mph	None	Mooring and transloading sites	30-200+ tons	Yes	Small to none	???

# Evolution of American Road and Rail Traffic Density, 1980-2005 (in millions)



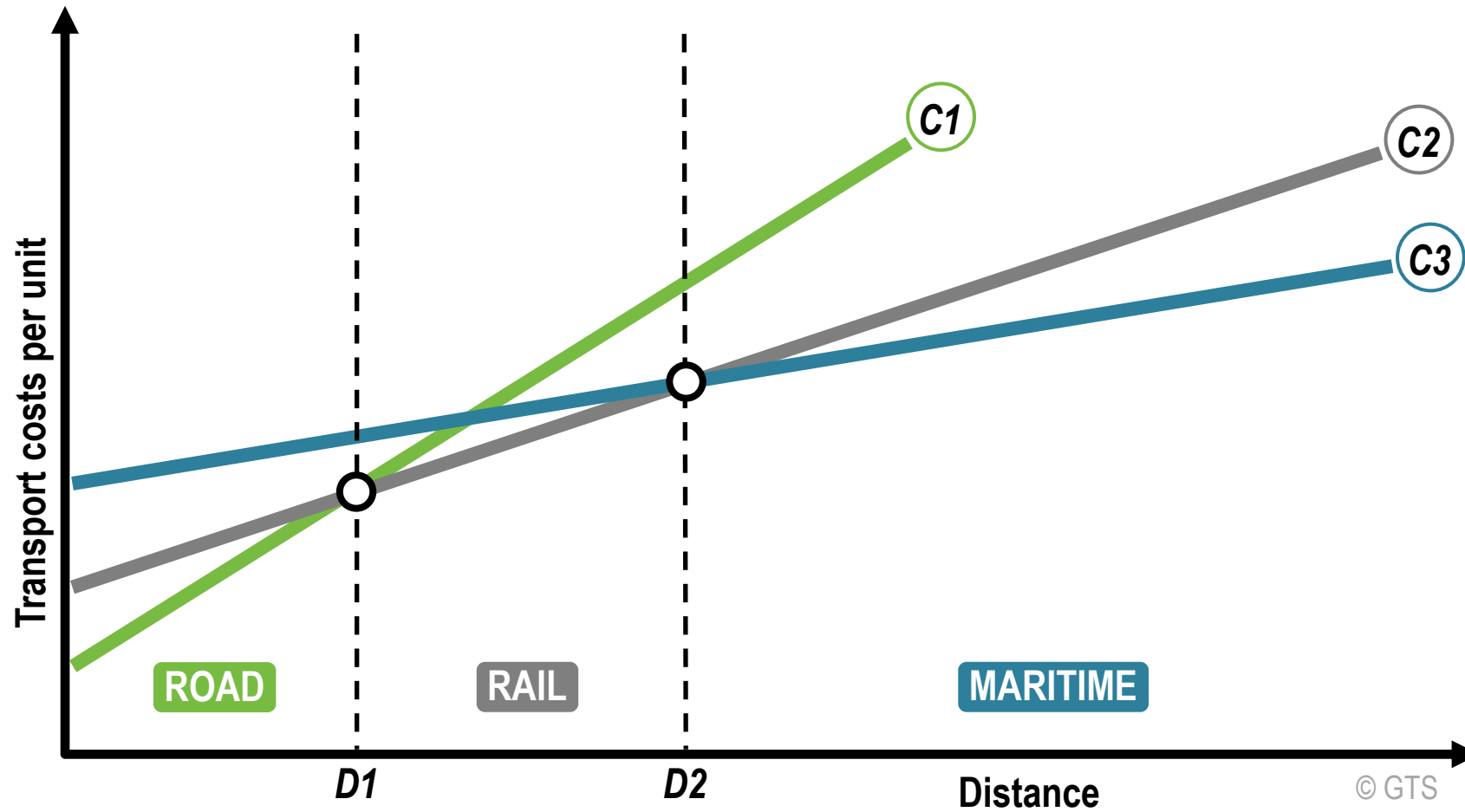
# Comparison of the Relative Efficiencies of Rail and Trucking in the United States

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MODE	ENERGY	CAPACITY	REVENUE	SAFETY
RAILROAD	455 ton-miles per gallon	216 million tons per mainline per year	4.4 cents per ton-mile	0.6 fatalities per 100 million vehicle-miles
TRUCKING	105 ton-miles per gallon	37.8 million tons per lane per year	17.5 cents per ton-mile	77 fatalities per 100 million train-miles

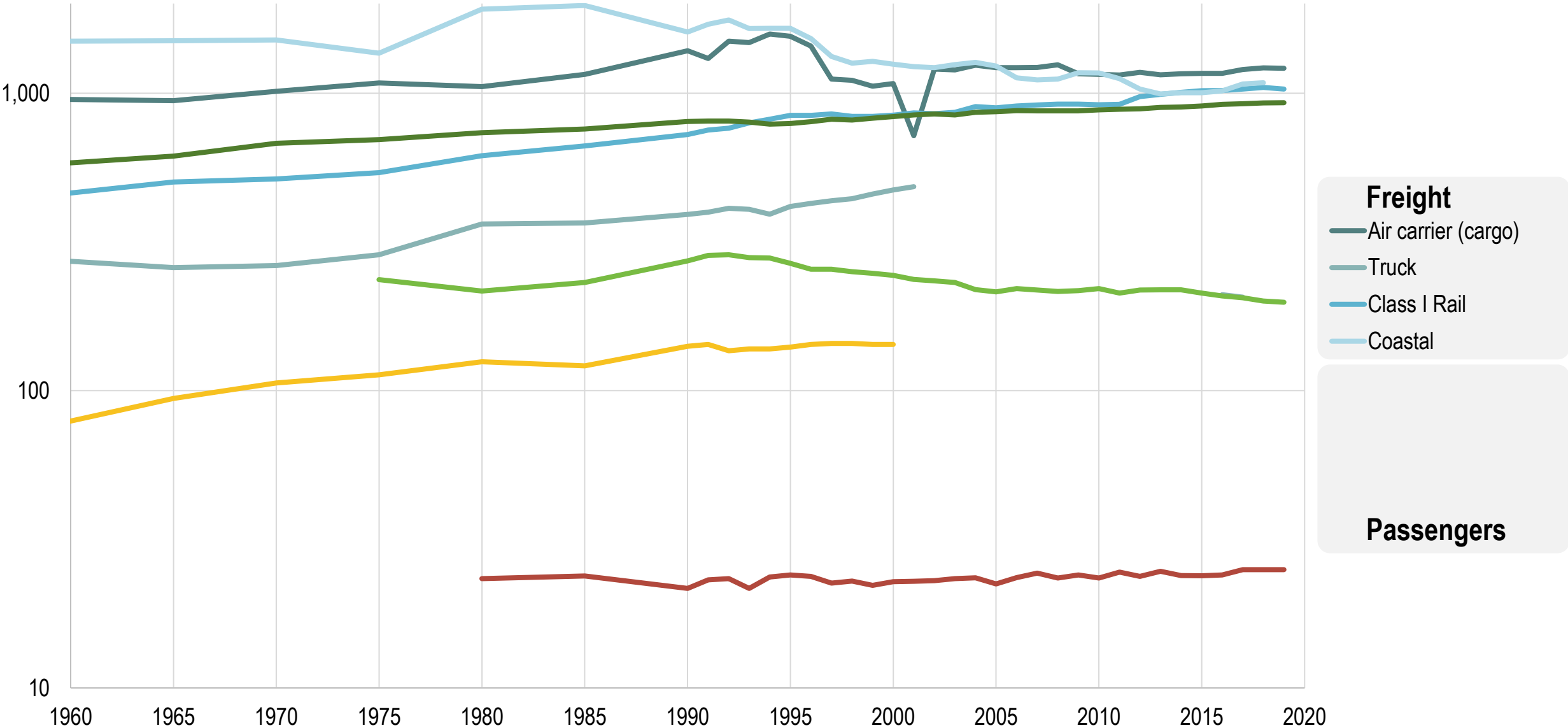
# Modal Profile of Freight Transportation, United States

Mode	Value	Volume	Service	Distance
Truck	Moderate to high	Loads of less than 50,000 lbs.	On-time performance above 90%.	Driver can go 500 miles per day. 2/3 of tonnage carried over less than 100 miles.
Rail	Moderate to low	Multiple car loads. No weight restrictions.	4 to 7 days delivery time. 60 to 85% on-time performance.	Average haul length between 600 and 800 miles.
Intermodal	Moderate to high	No weight restrictions.	3 days for cross country. On-time performance between truck and rail.	Average haul between 700 and 1,500 miles.
Air	High	Small. Most loads less than 100 lbs.	Normally overnight or second day.	More than 1,300 miles.
Inland Water	Moderate to low	Bulk shipments.	Varies according to segment. Competitive with rail.	Between 250 and 1,600 miles.
Coastal Water	Moderate to low	Containers, general freight and bulk shipments.	Function of distance. Between 2 to 5 days.	Between 500 and 2,000 miles.
International Water	High to low	Mainly containers and bulk shipments.	7 to 10 days trans-Atlantic and trans-Pacific routes.	More than 2,600 miles.
Pipeline	Low	Bulk shipment of liquids and gazes.	According to demand. 0 to 20 mph.	825 miles average distance for crude oil.

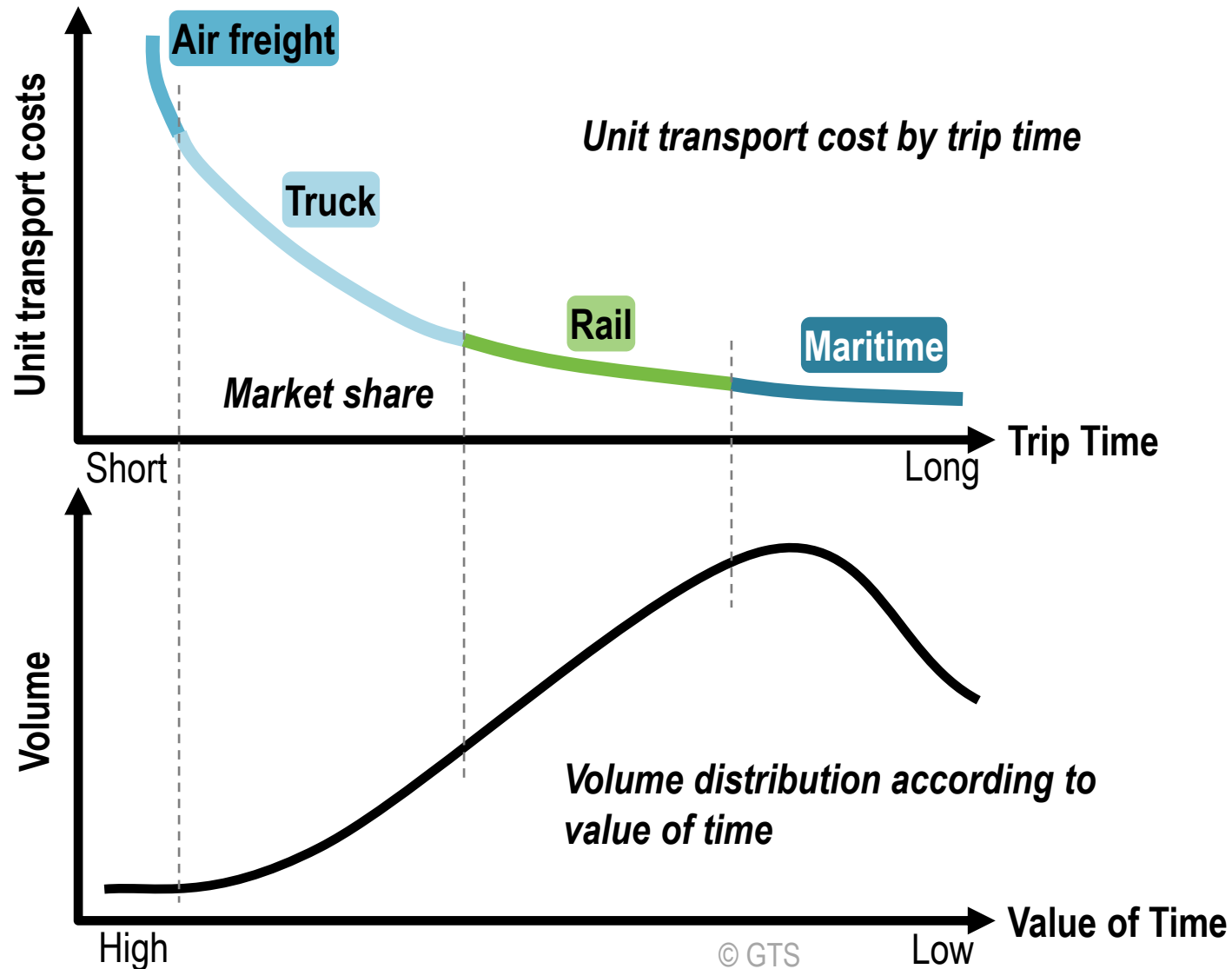
# Distance, Modal Choice and Transport Costs



# Average Length of Haul, Domestic Passenger and Freight Transport, United States, 1960-2019 (in miles)

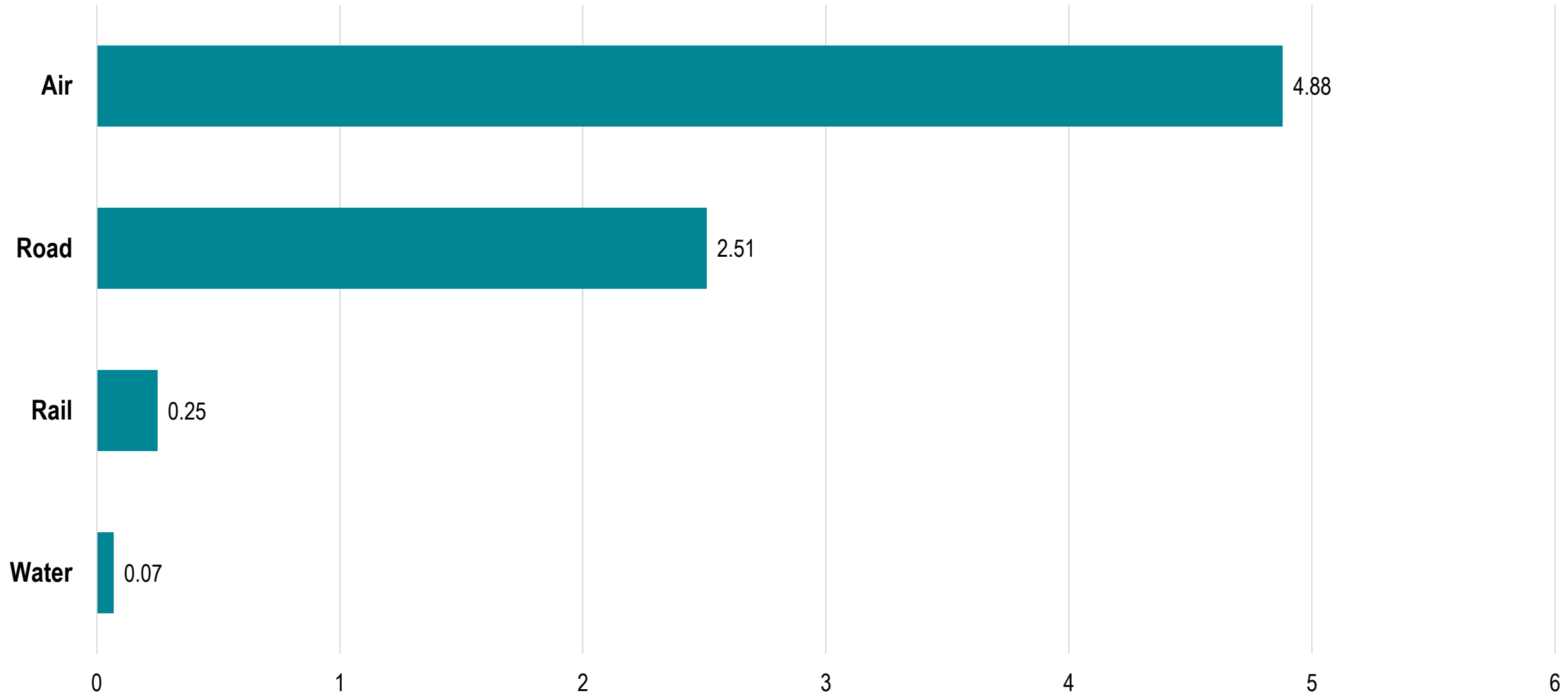


# Distribution of Freight Demand by Mode

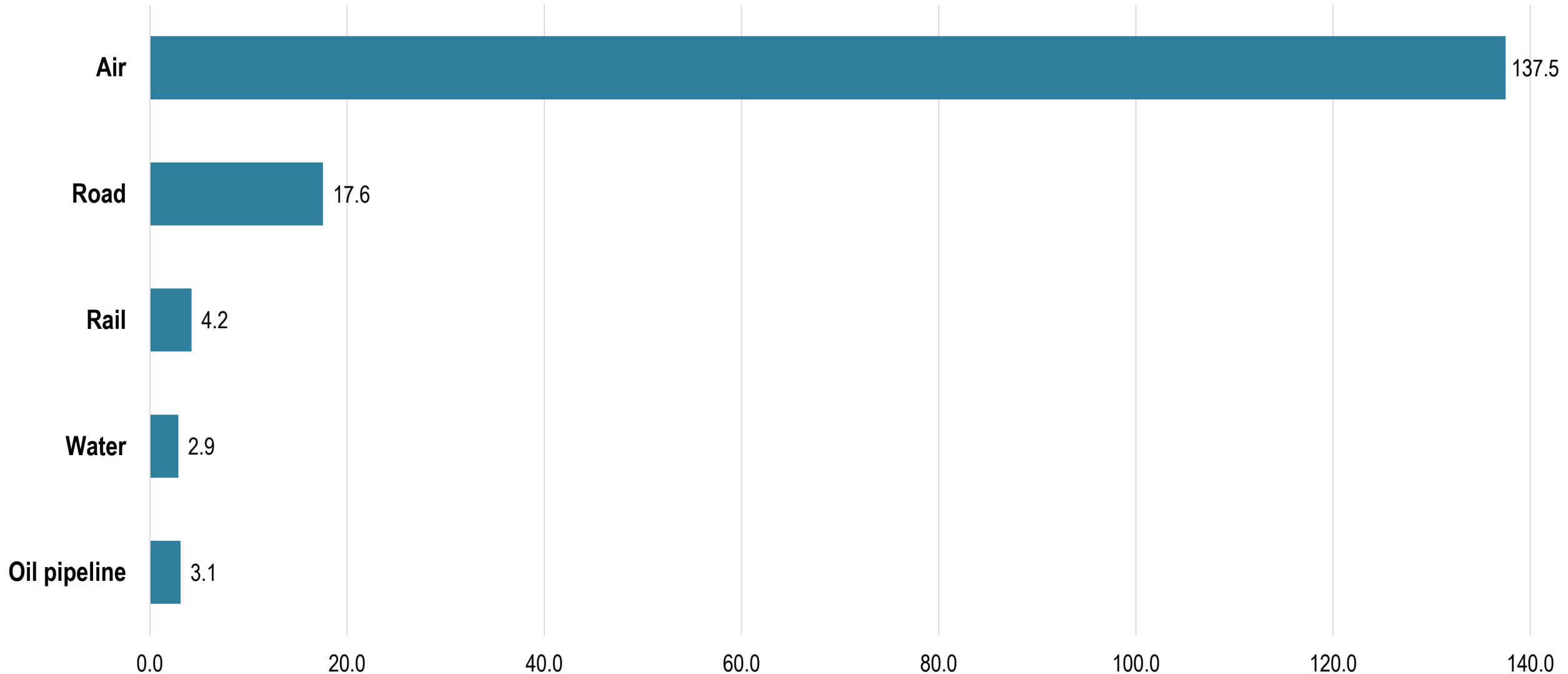




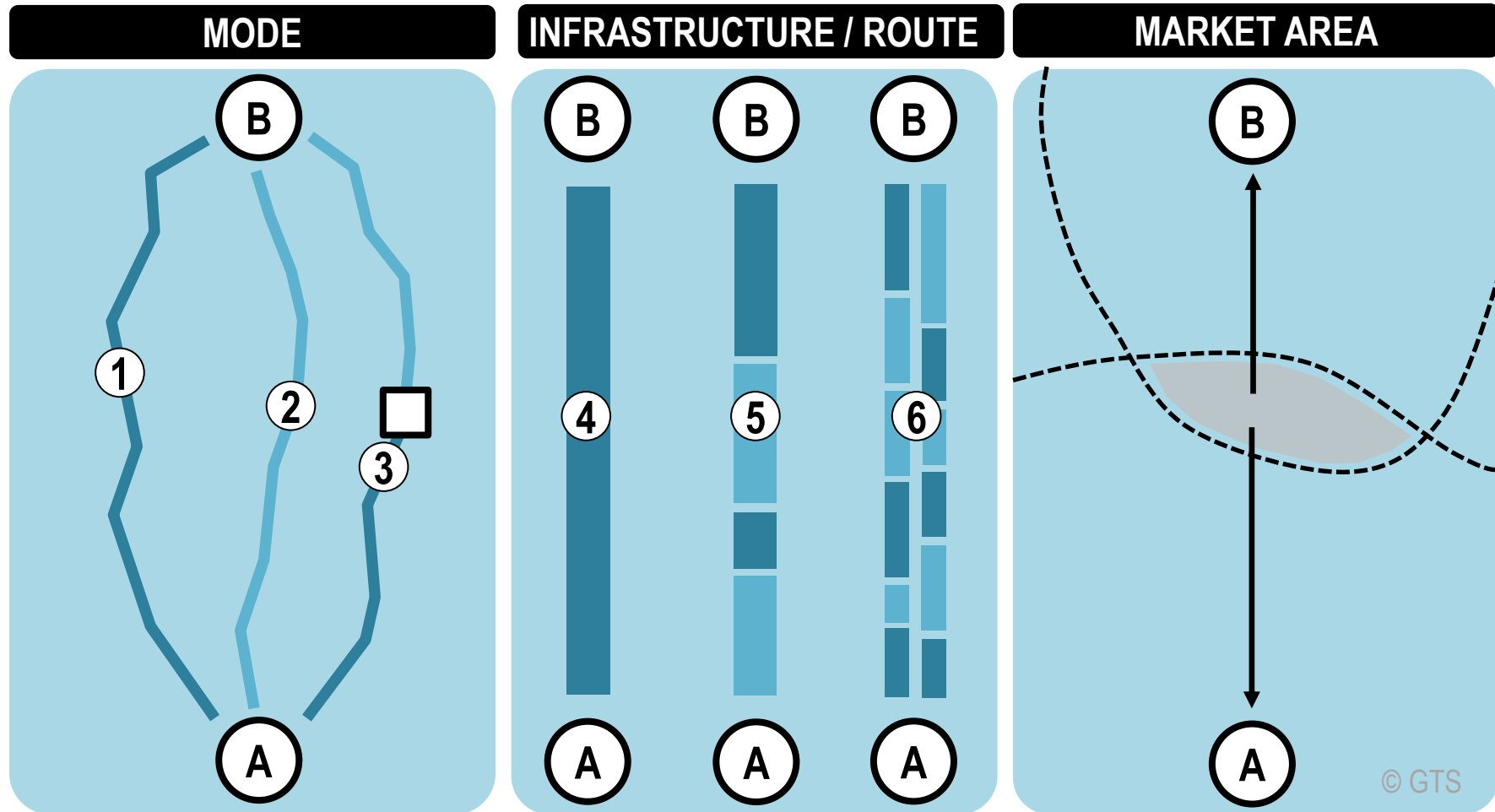
# Freight Transport Costs in Cents per Ton-Mile



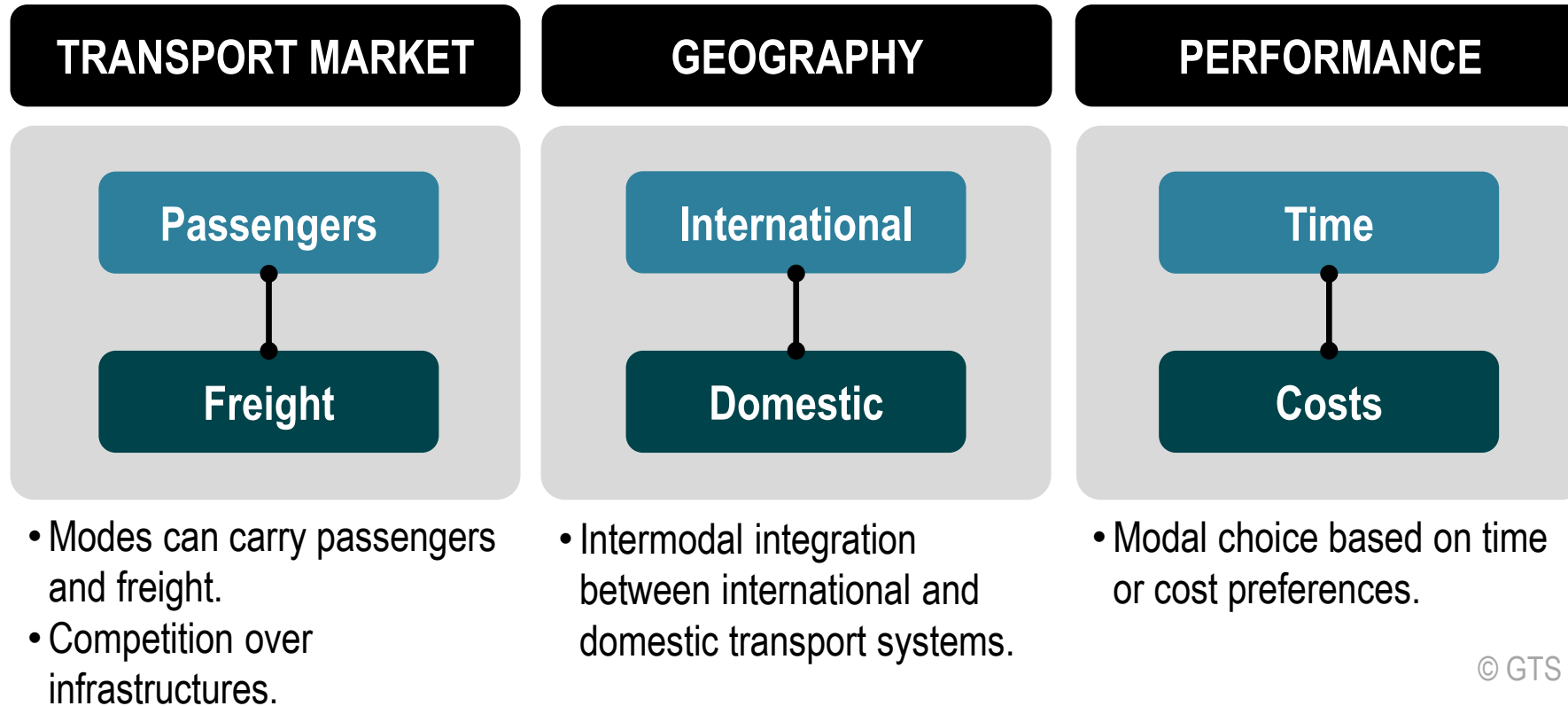
# Freight Revenue in Cents per Ton-Mile



# Forms of Modal Competition



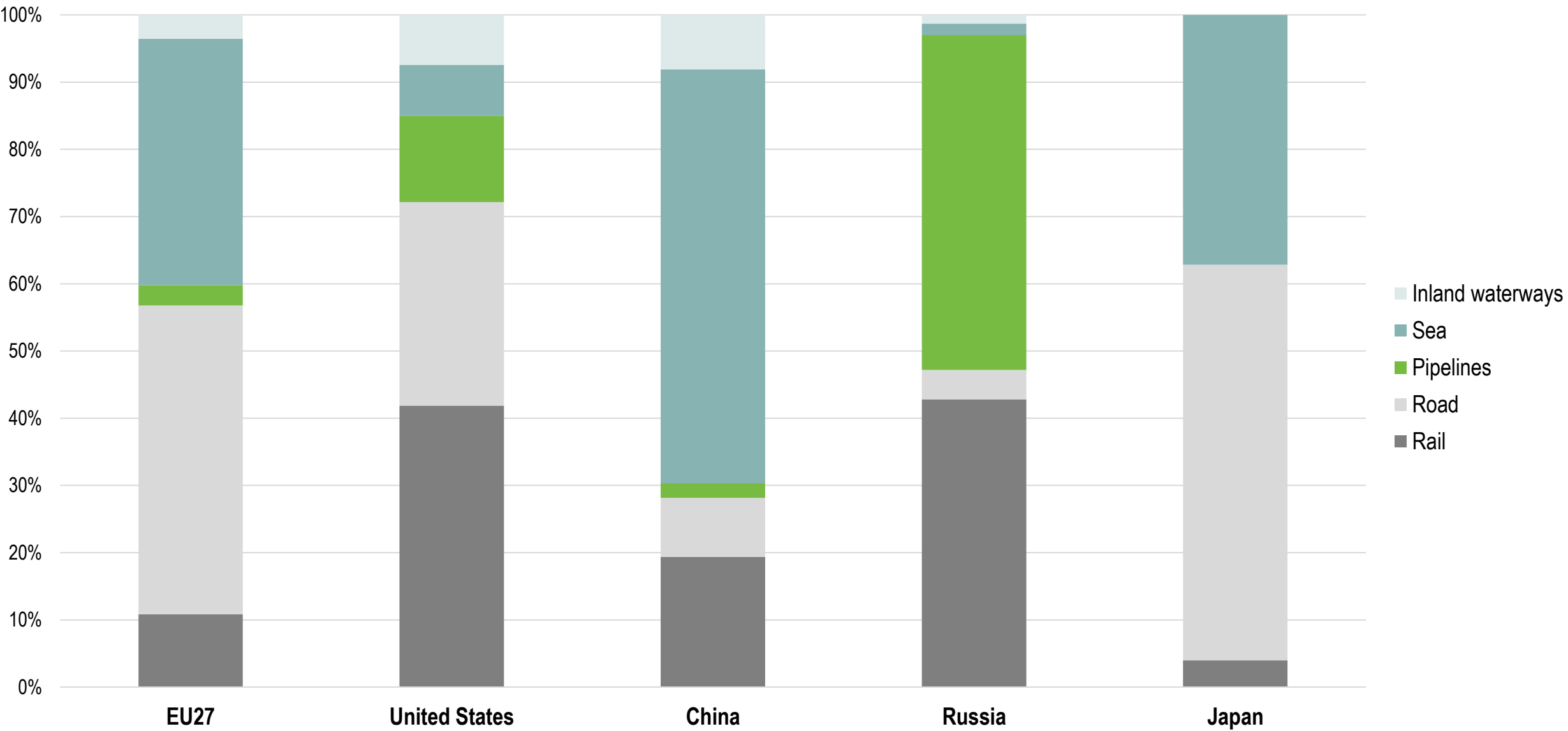
# Modal Competition and Complementarity



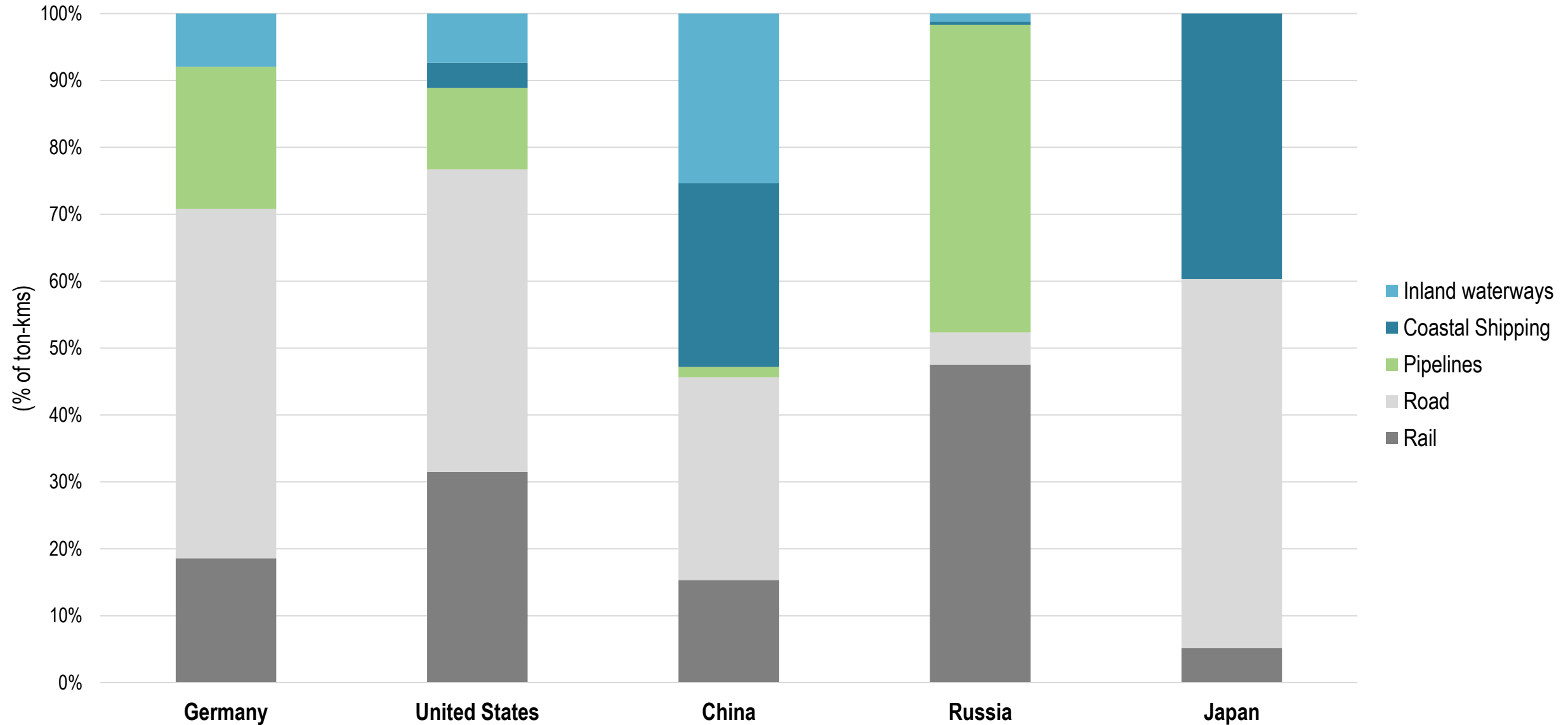
# Four Travel Options between New York and Boston, 2004

Mode	Price (one way)	Time
LimoLiner (luxury bus)	\$69	4 hours
Acela (Amtrak train)	\$99	3 hours
Greyhound bus	\$30	4 hours
Air Shuttle	\$128	1 hour (plus check in)

# Modal Share of Freight Transportation, Selected Countries, 2008 (in % of ton-kms)

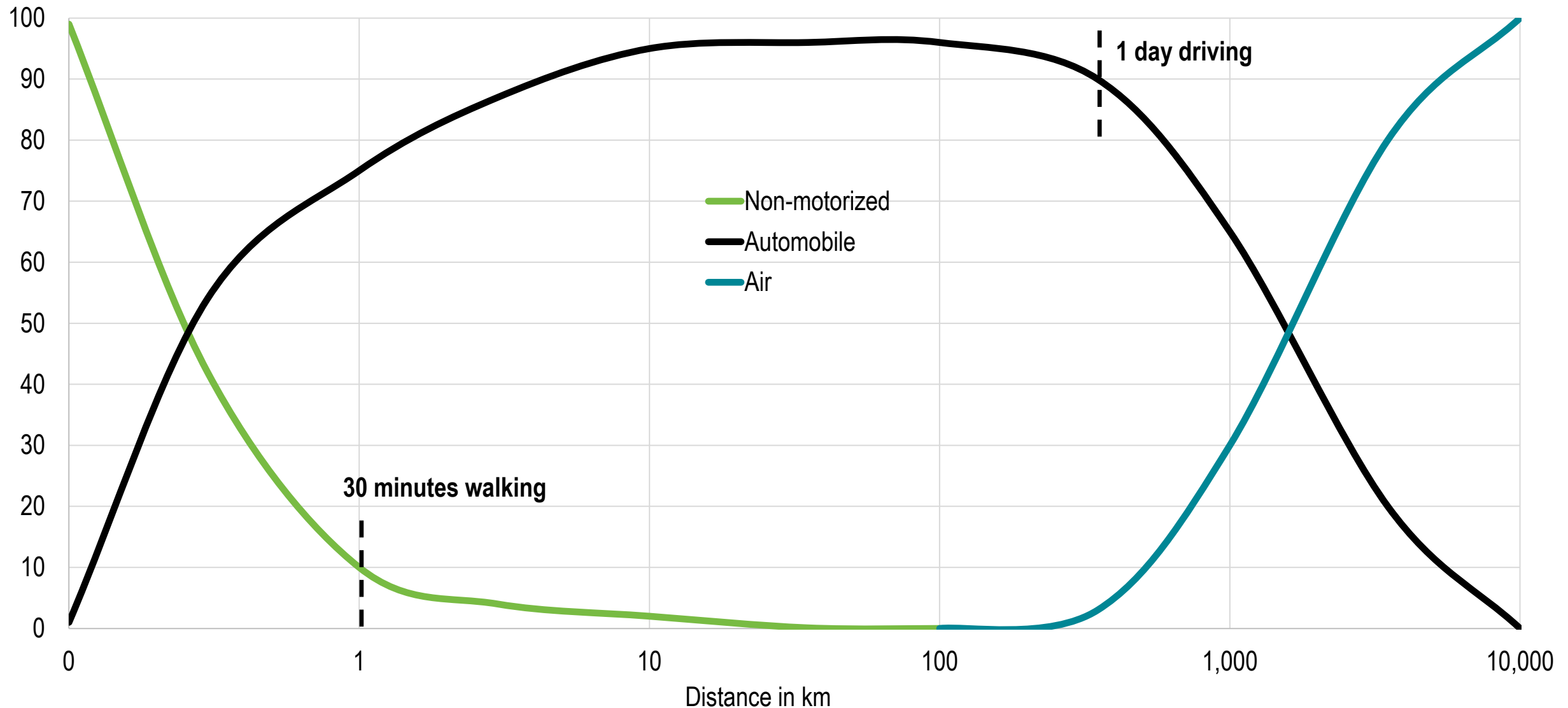


# Modal Share of Freight Transportation, Selected Countries, 2020 (in % of ton-kms)

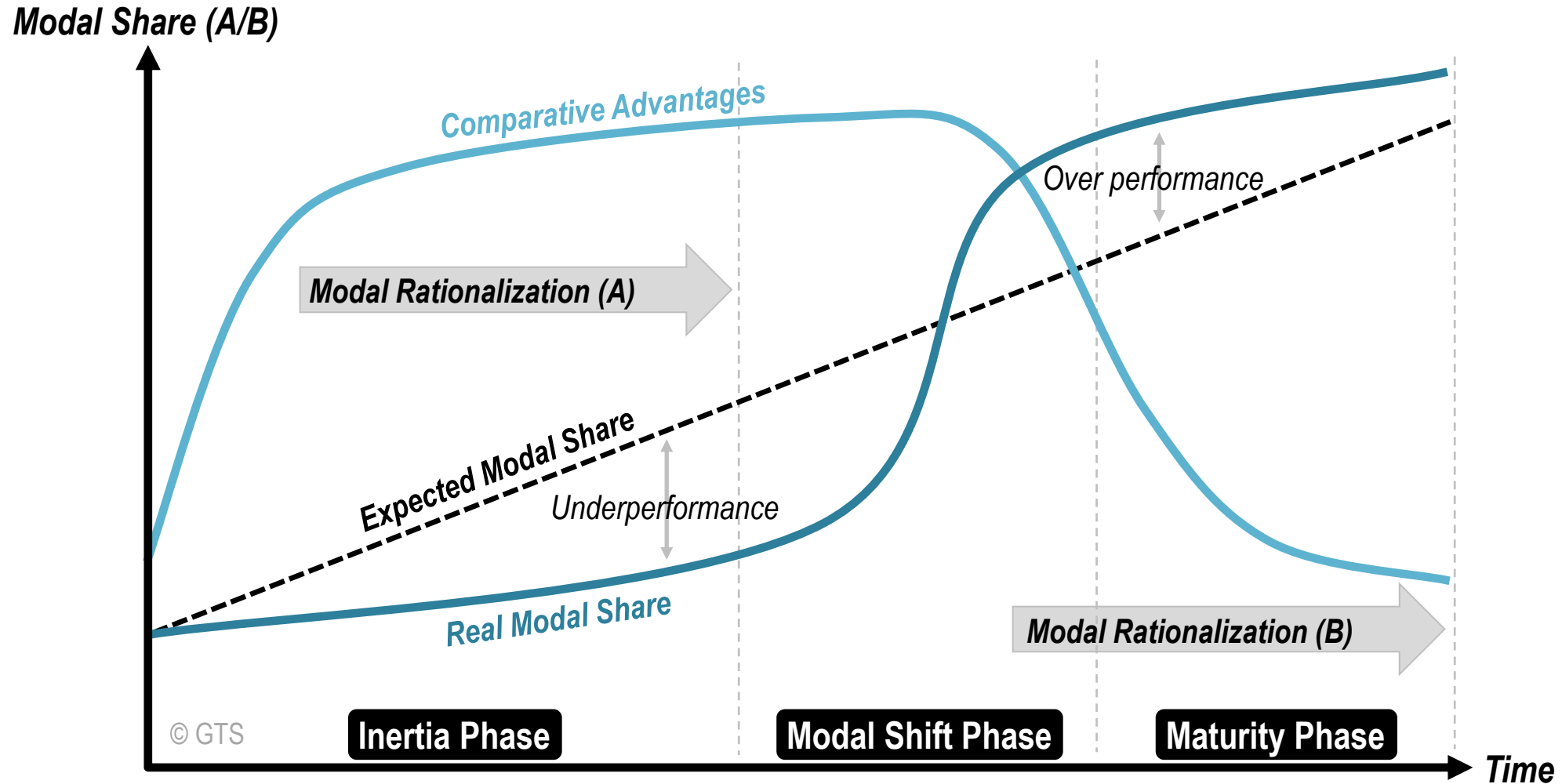




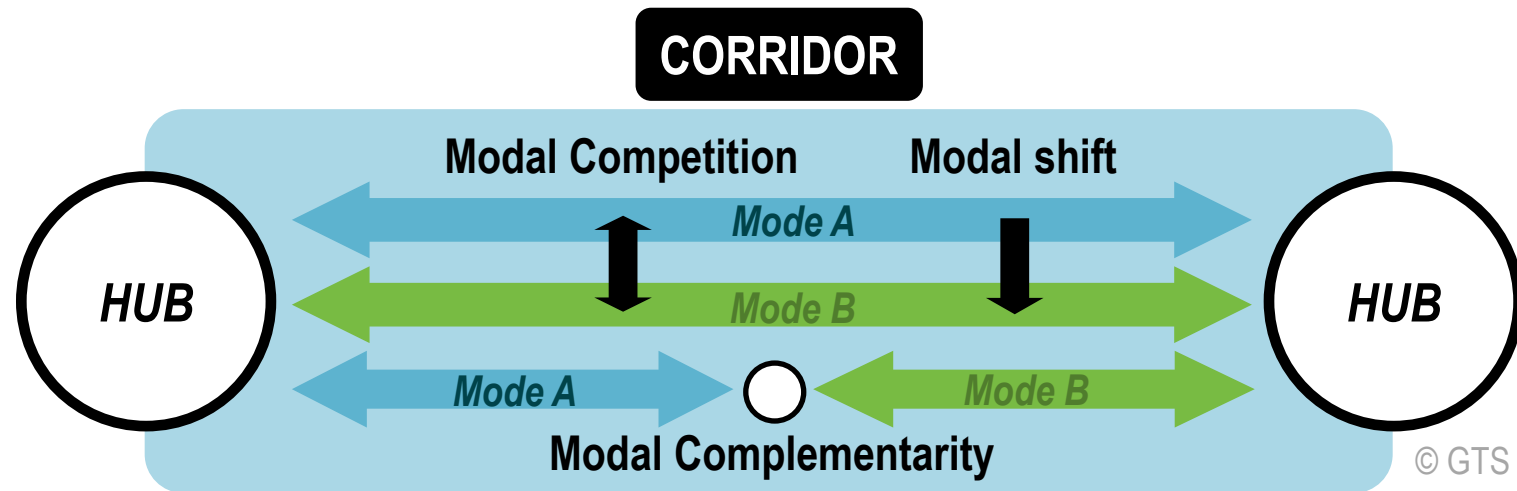
# Passenger Modal Split by Travel Distance, United States, 1995



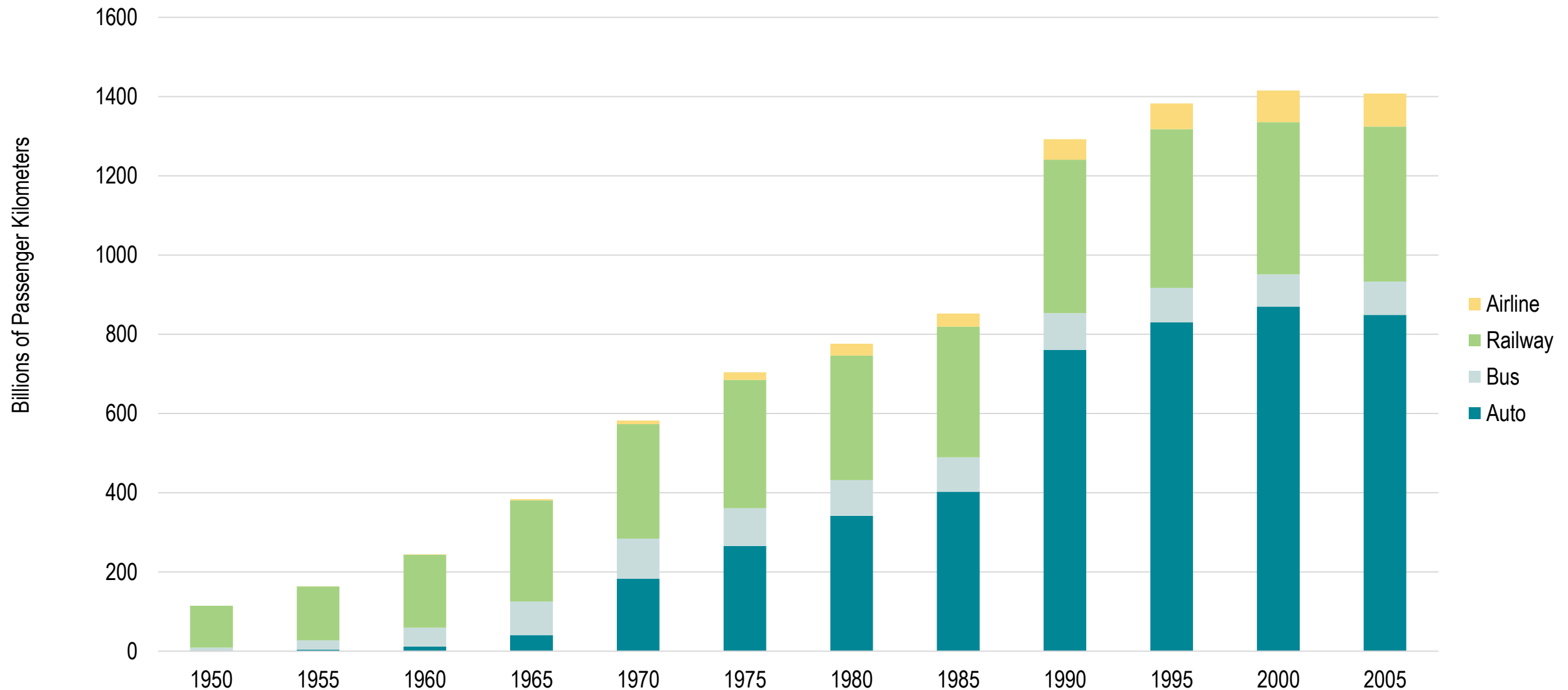
# Principles of Modal Shift



# Modal Competition, Complementarity and Shift along a Corridor

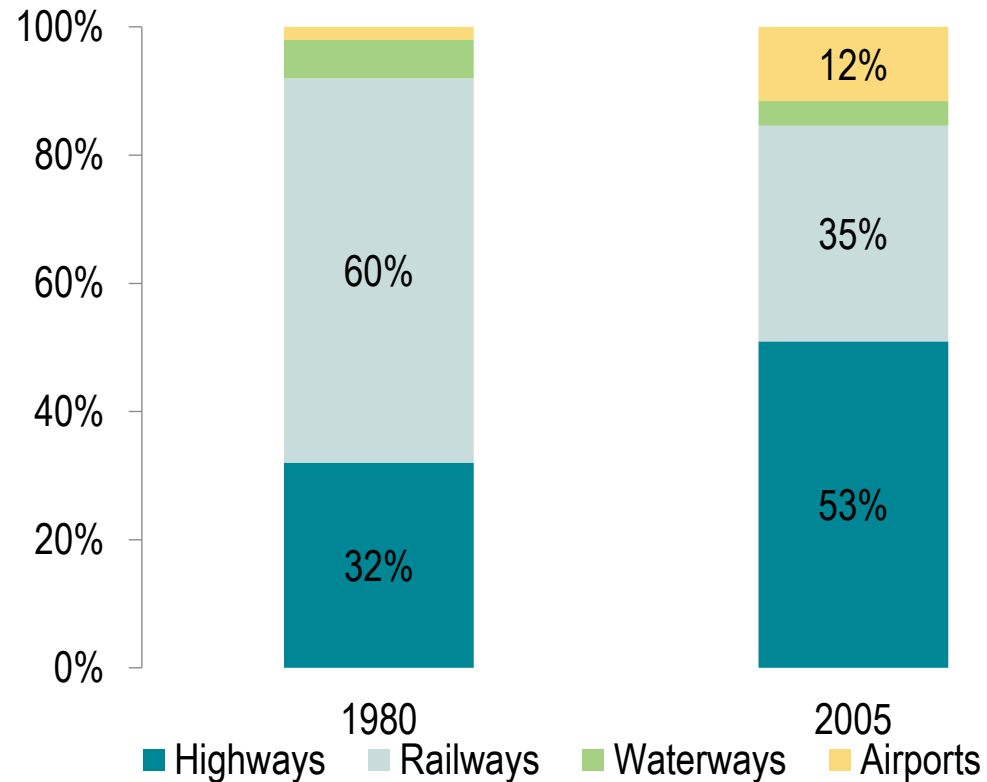


# Passenger Transport by Mode, Japan, 1950-2005

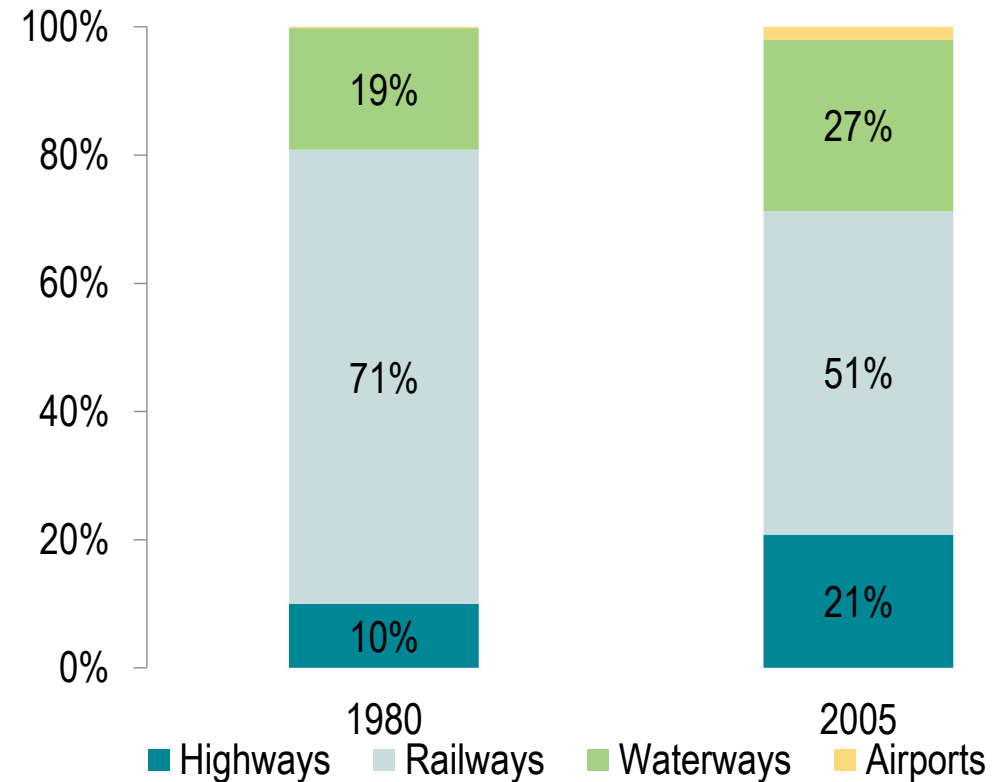


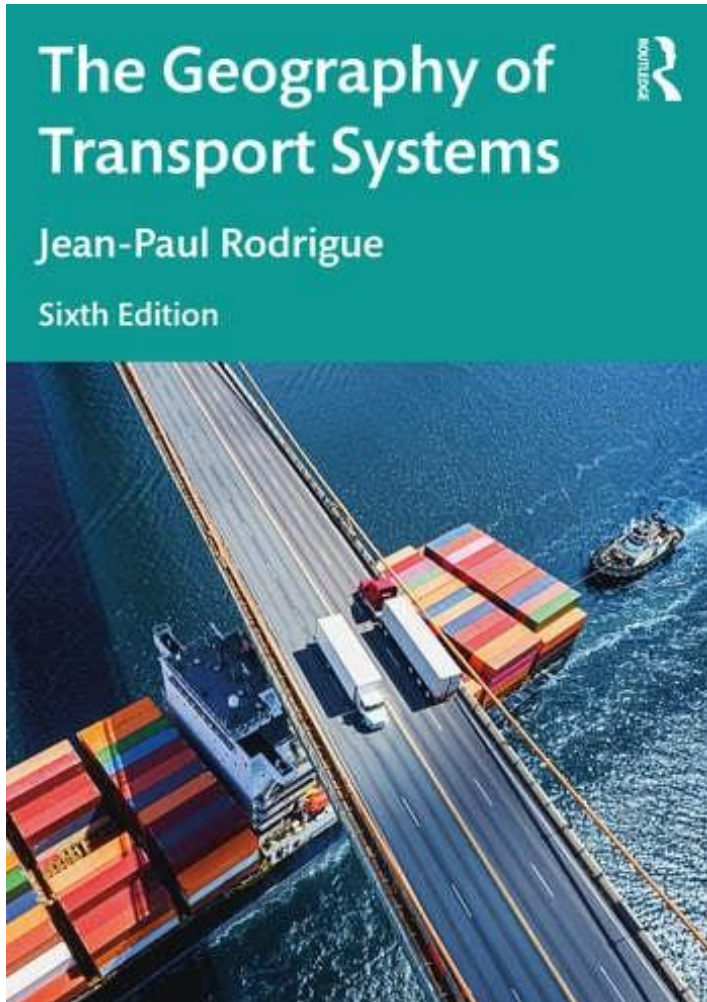
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## Share of Passengers-km by Mode



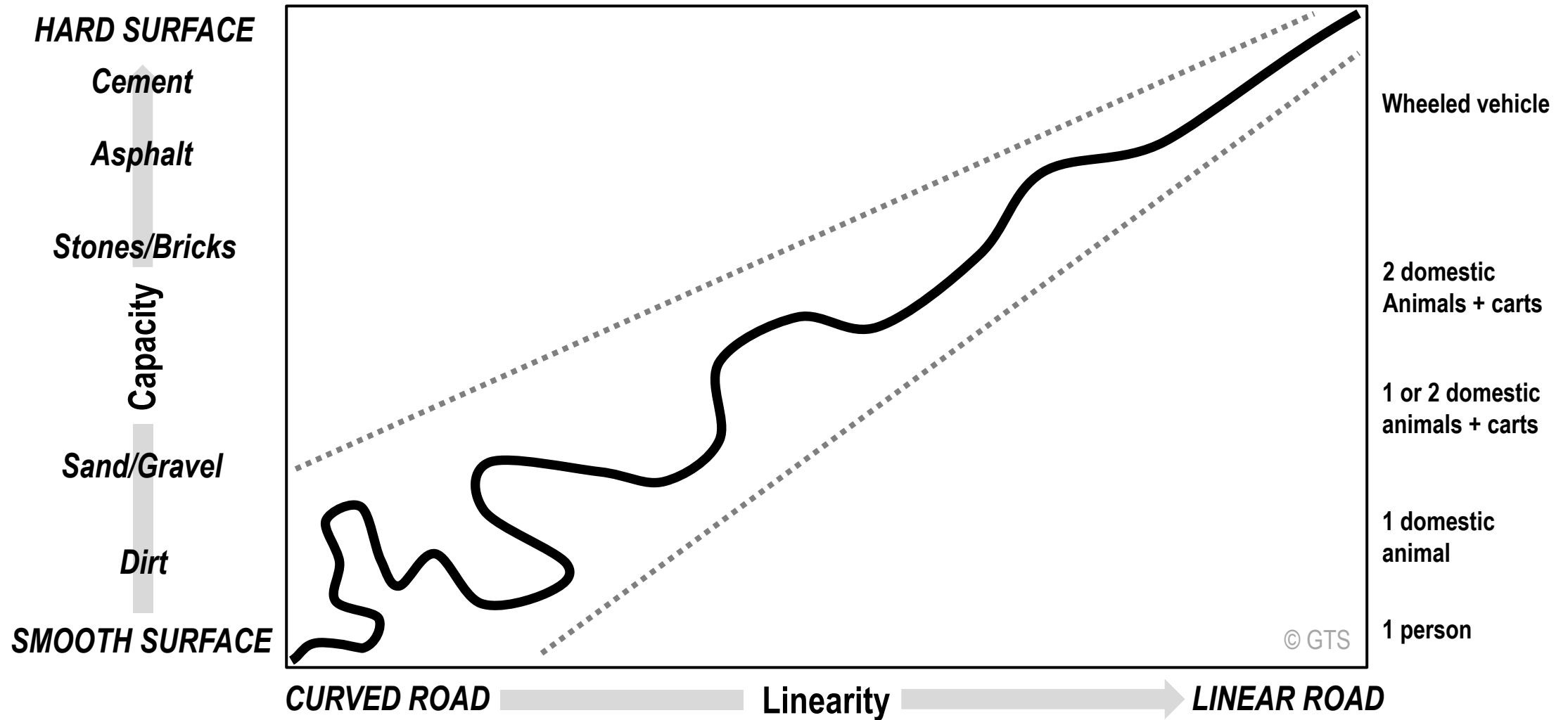
## Share of Ton-km by Mode





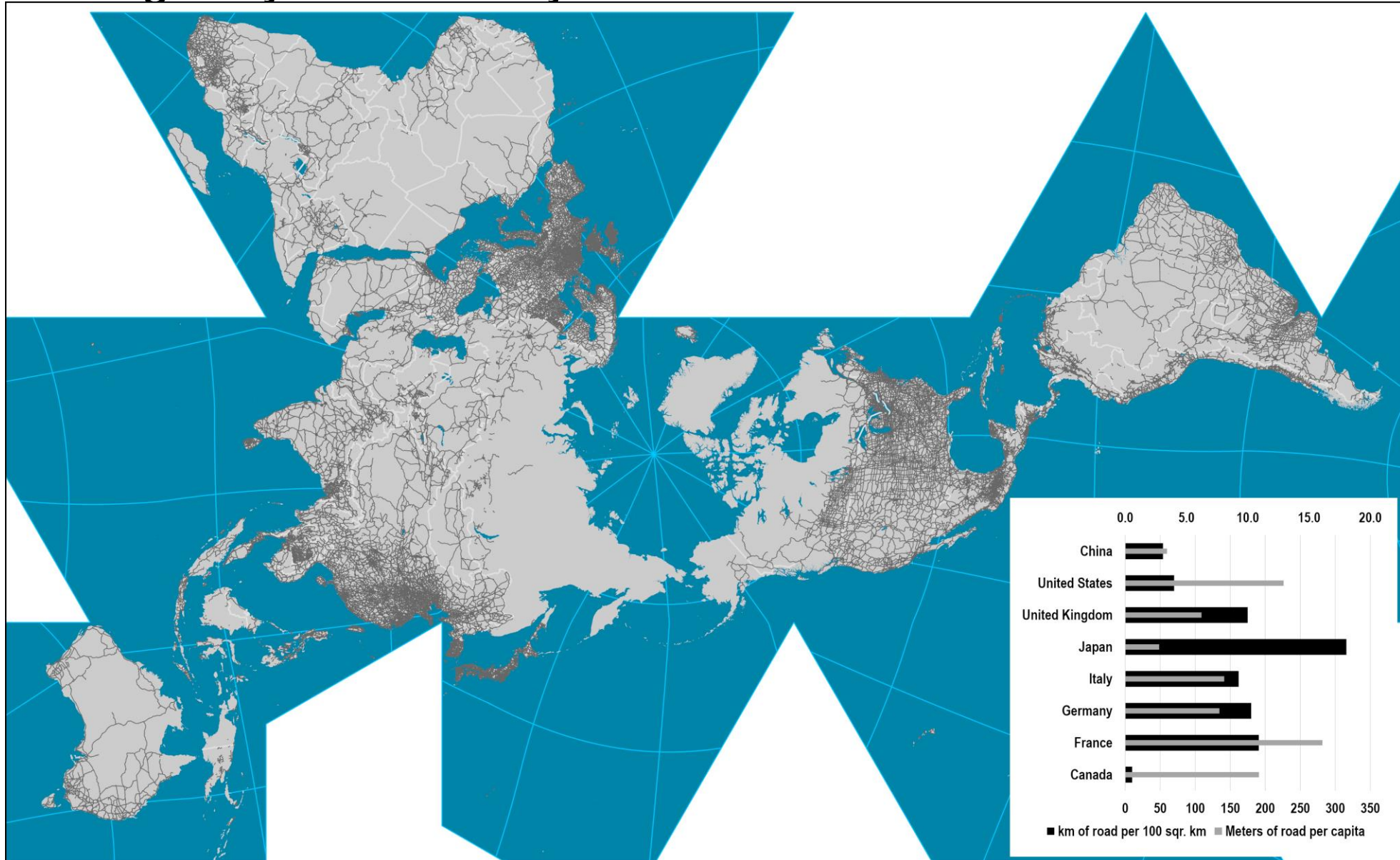
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# Linearity, Capacity and Surface of Roads

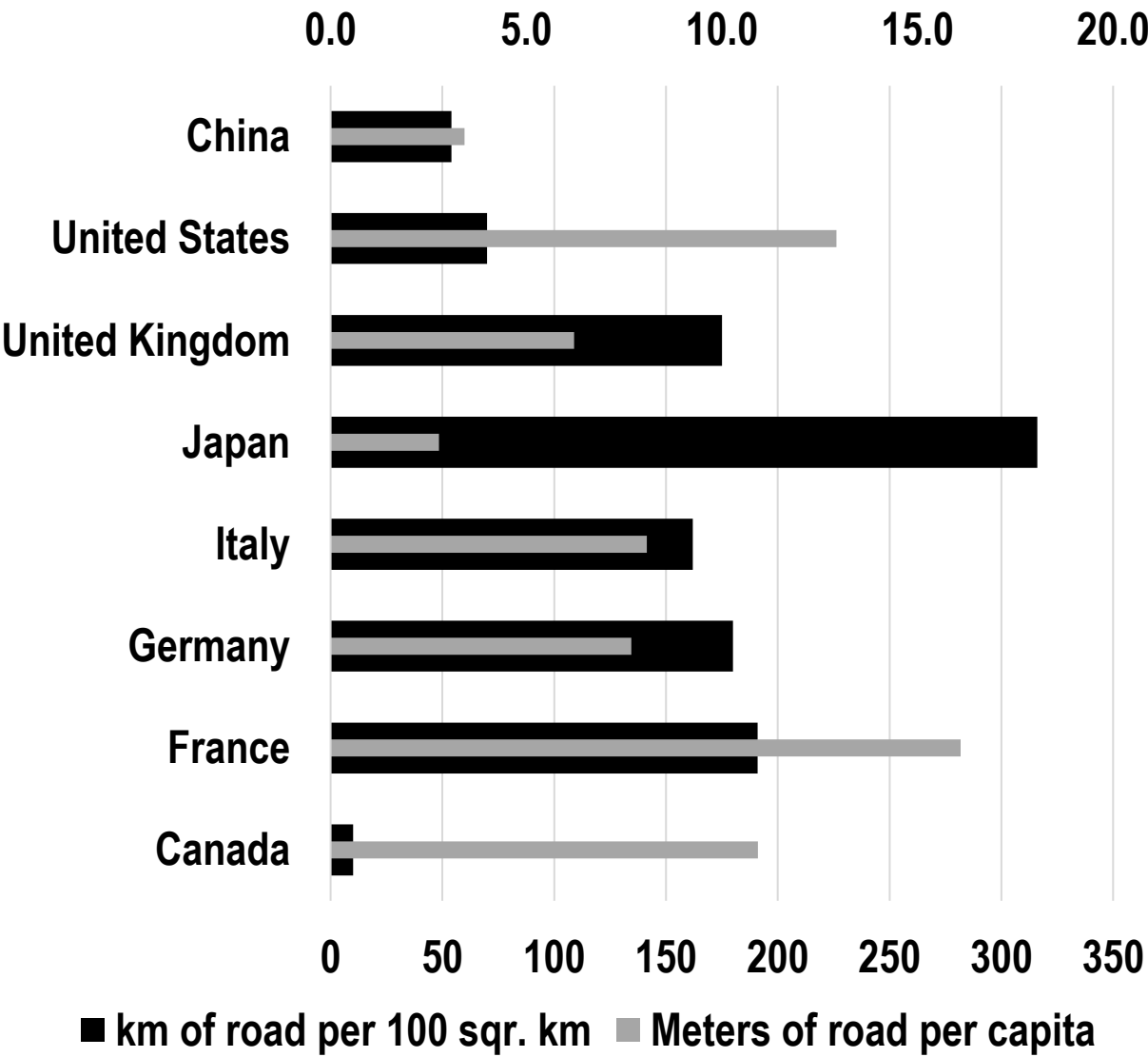




# World Main Highway and Primary Road Network



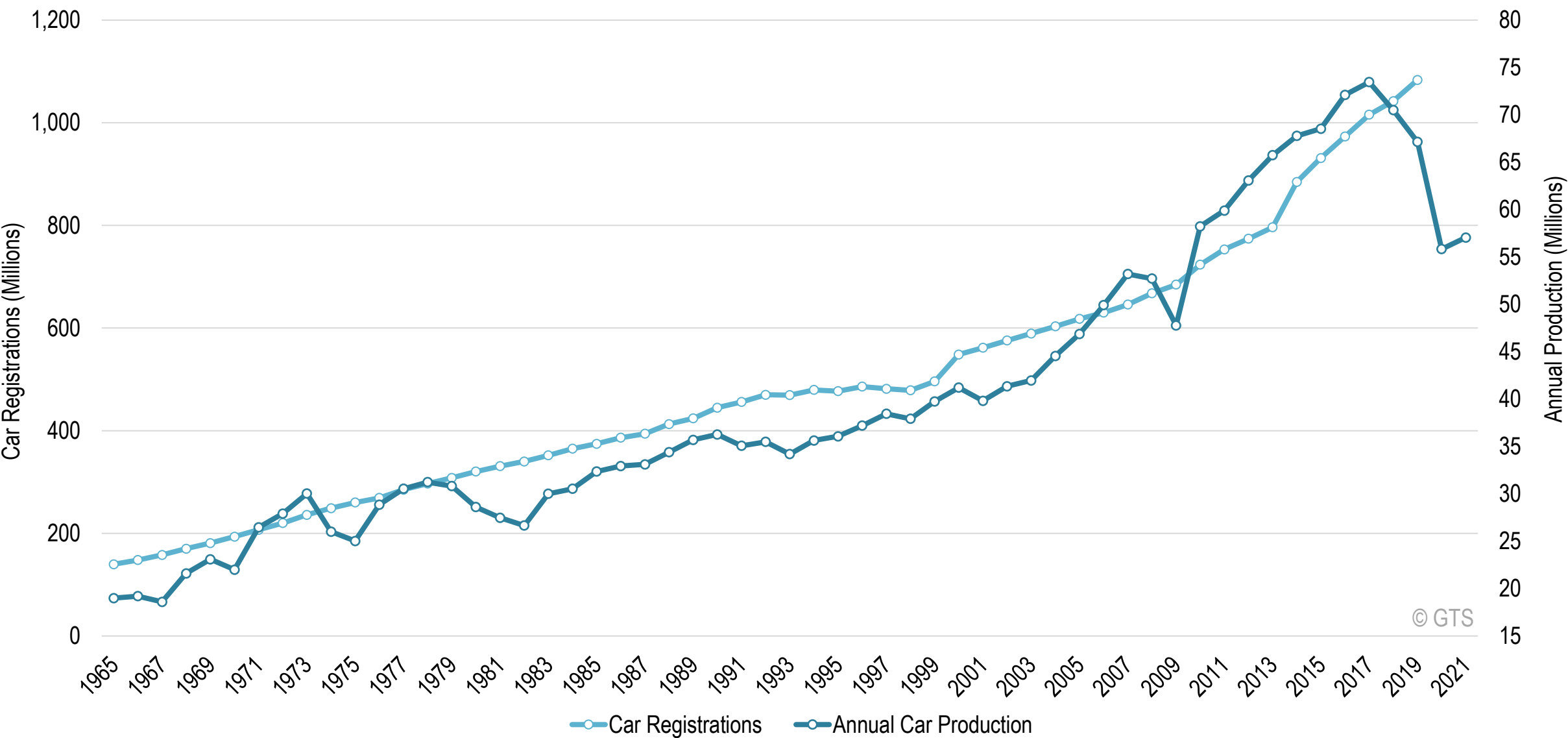
# Road Transport Density Measures, 2000s



# European and North American Crossborder Road Networks

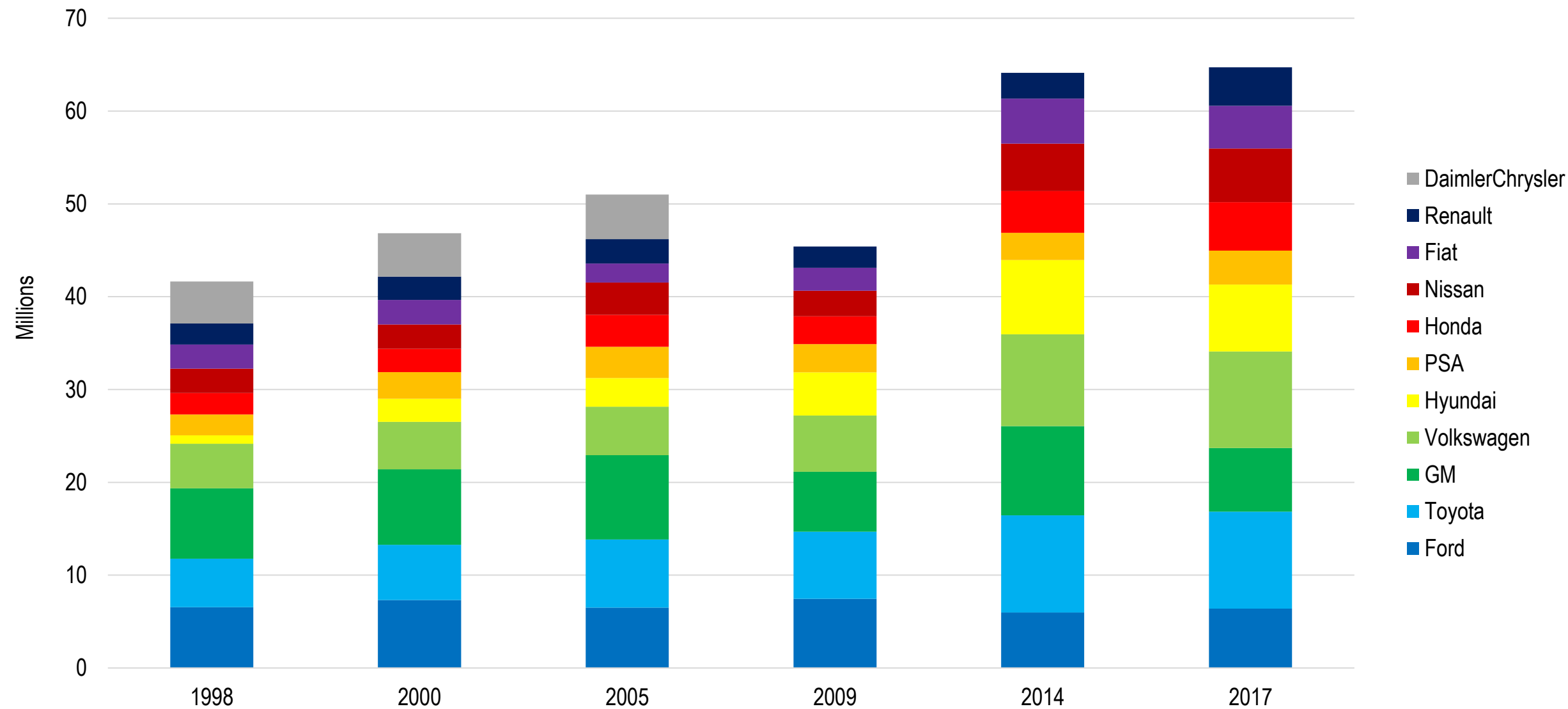
	Trans-European Networks (TEN)	North American Corridors
Governance	Assigned by treaty to national governments.	Assumed by promoters; national governments not directly involved
Management	Second level Nomenclature of territorial units for statistics (NUTS-2)	State Departments of Transportation (DOT)
Financing	European Commission. National governments.	Federal governments
Purpose	Pan-European connectivity. Improving flows.	Competitiveness. Trade.
Border	Attention/improvements not always crossborder; could be internal to a country	Borders (international or interstate) are important elements
External links	Reaching Central and Eastern Europe	Canada-U.S.-Mexico only

# World Automobile Production and Fleet, 1965-2021

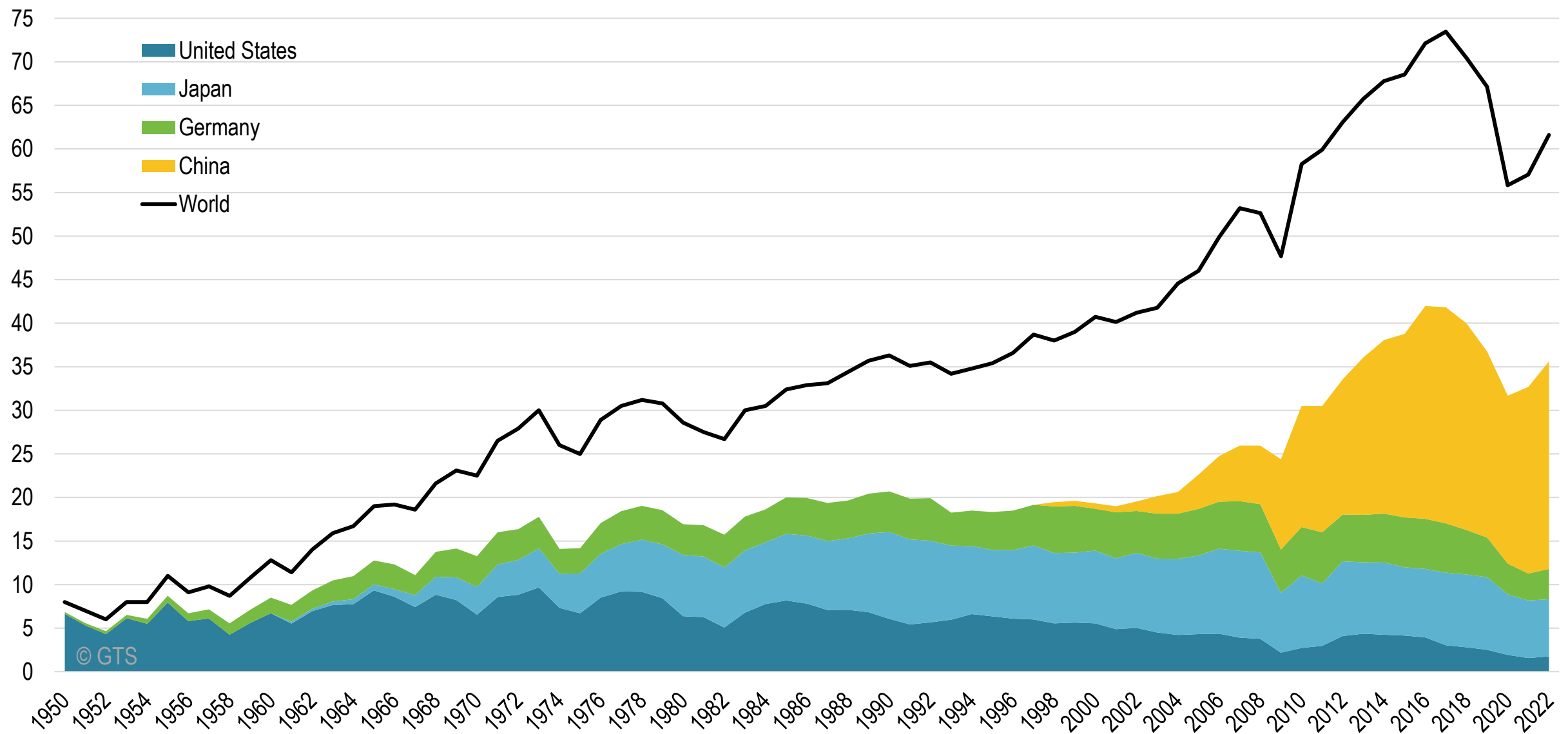


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# Global Motor Vehicle Production per Manufacturer, 1998-2017



# Automobile Production, Selected Countries, 1950-2022 (in millions)

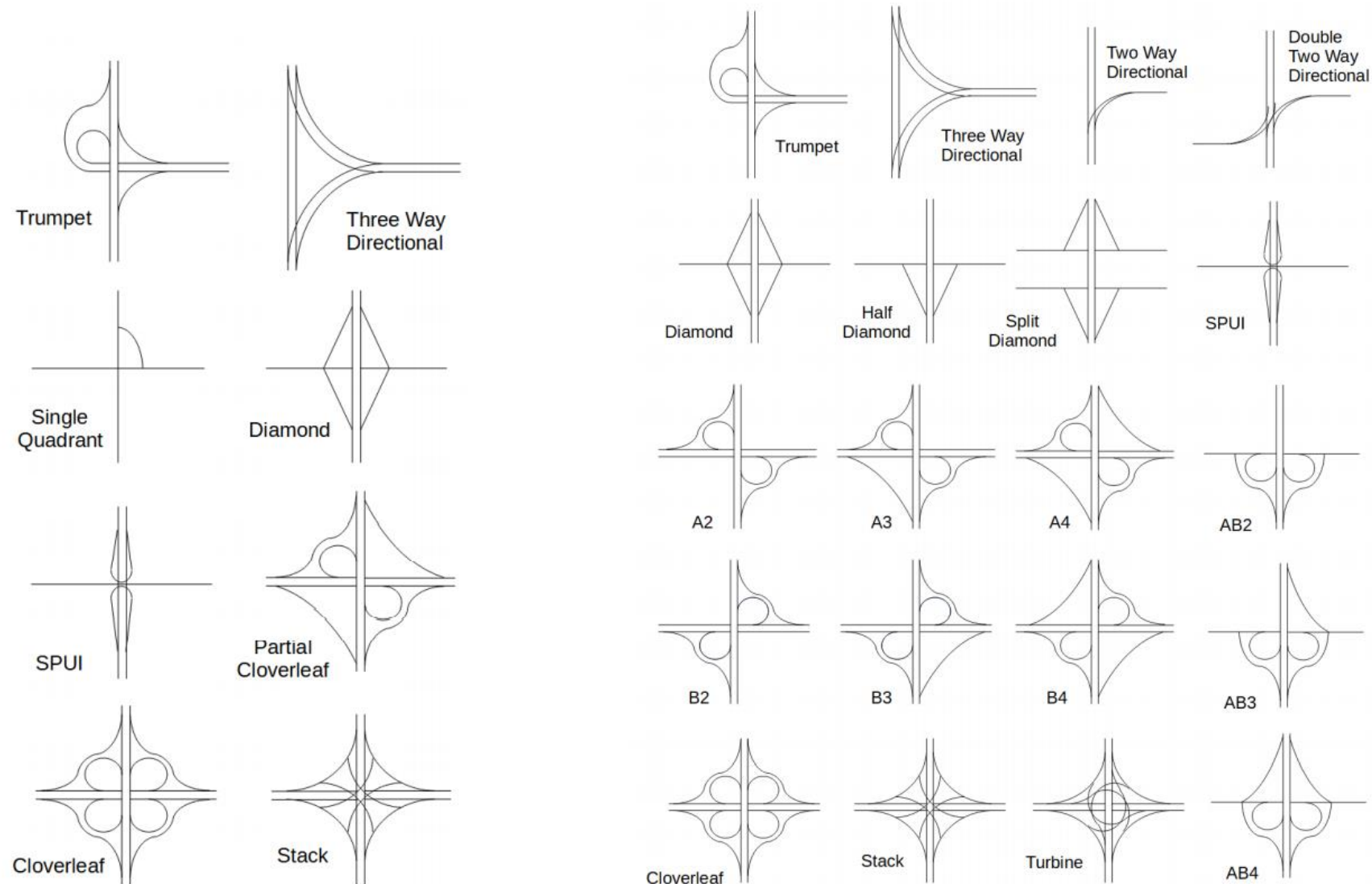


# The Interstate Highway System

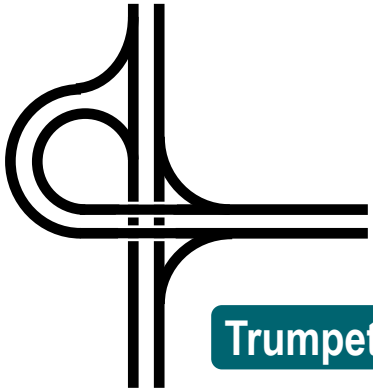




# Main Design of Highway Interchanges



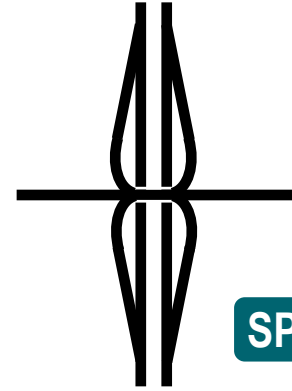
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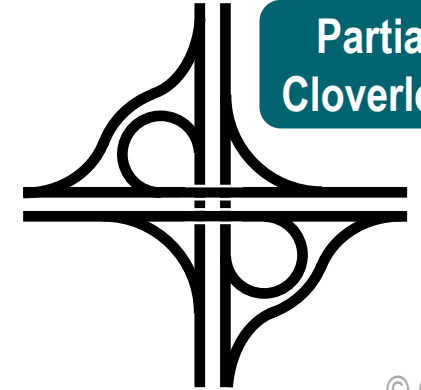
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Directional



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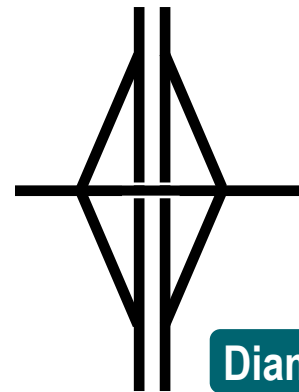


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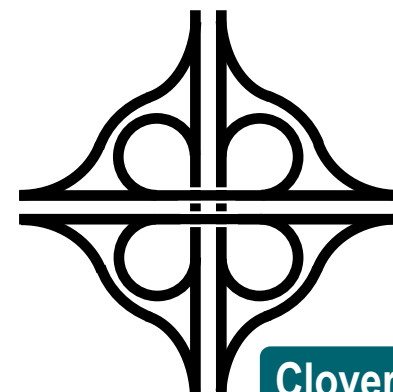
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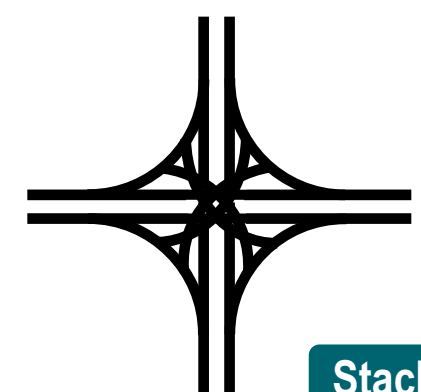
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Quadrant



Diamond

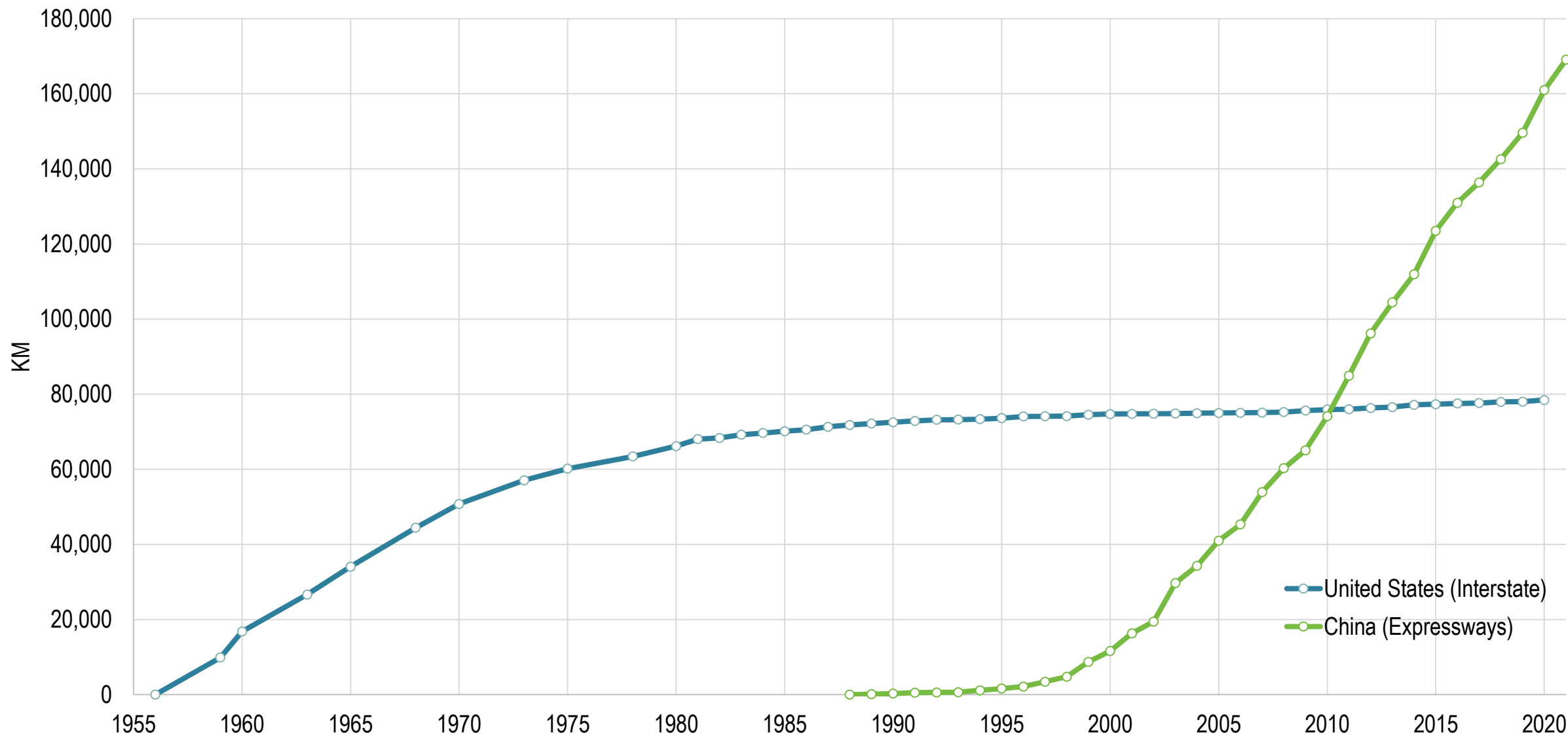


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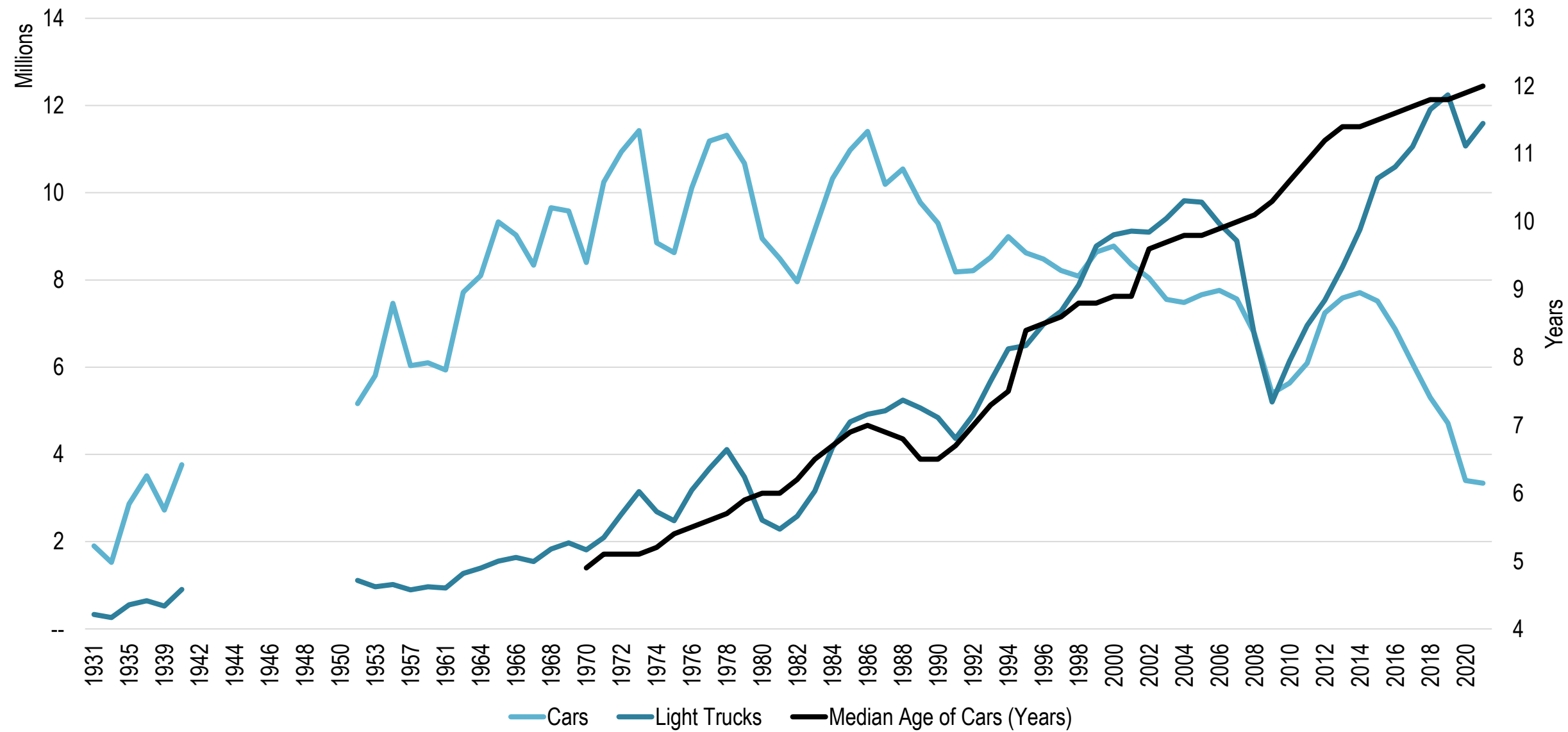


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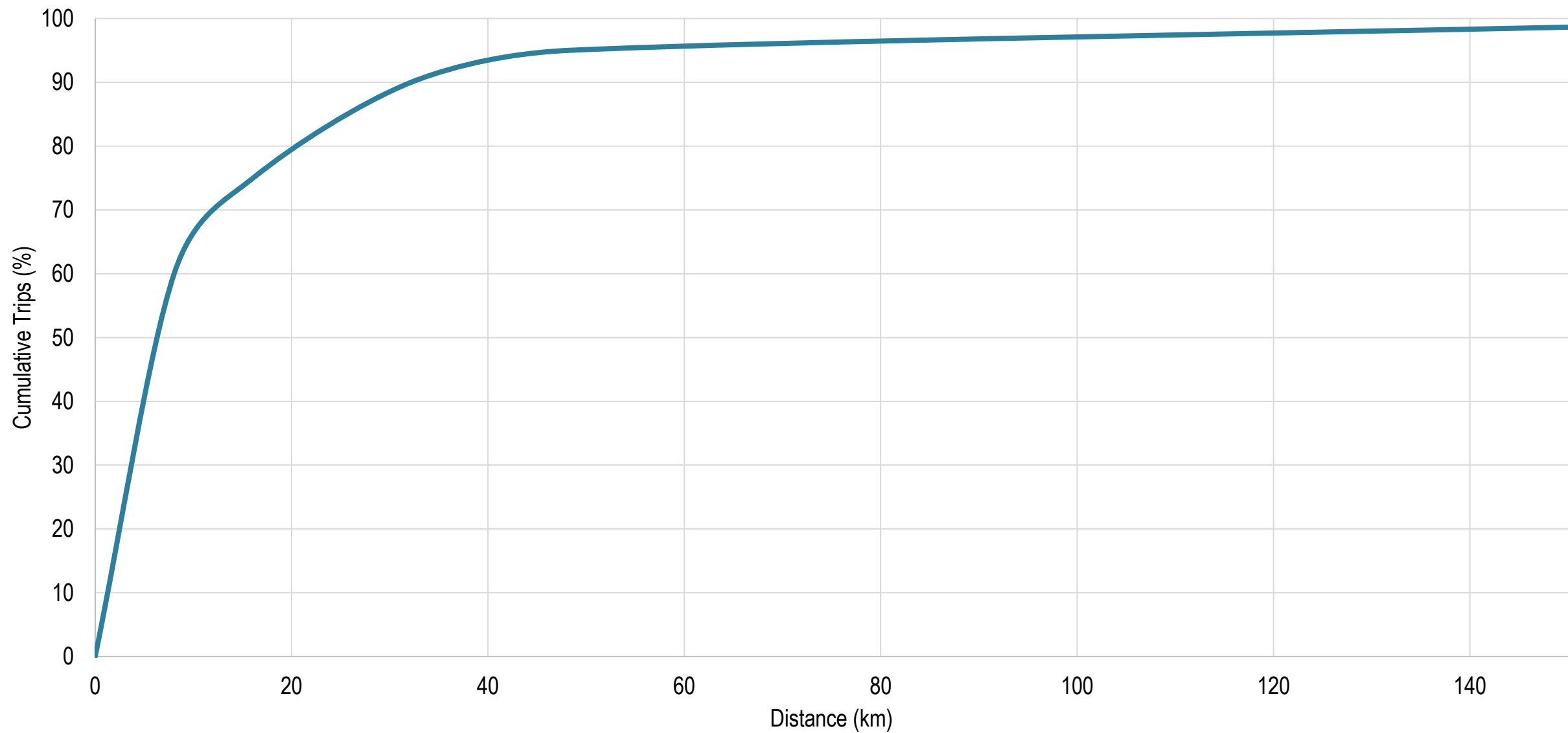
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# Vehicle Sales, United States, 1931-2021



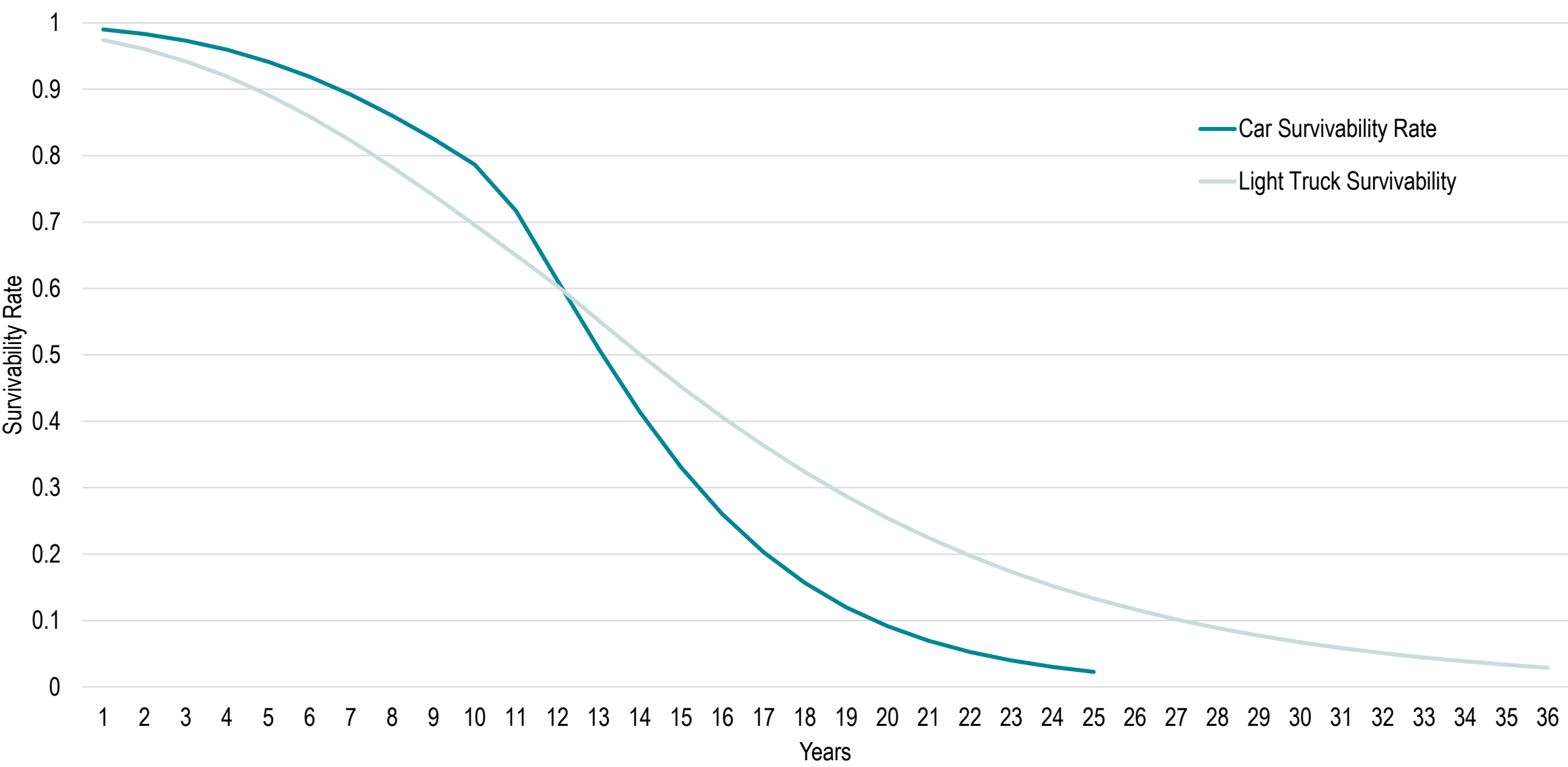
# Distribution of Car Trips by Travelled Distance, United States



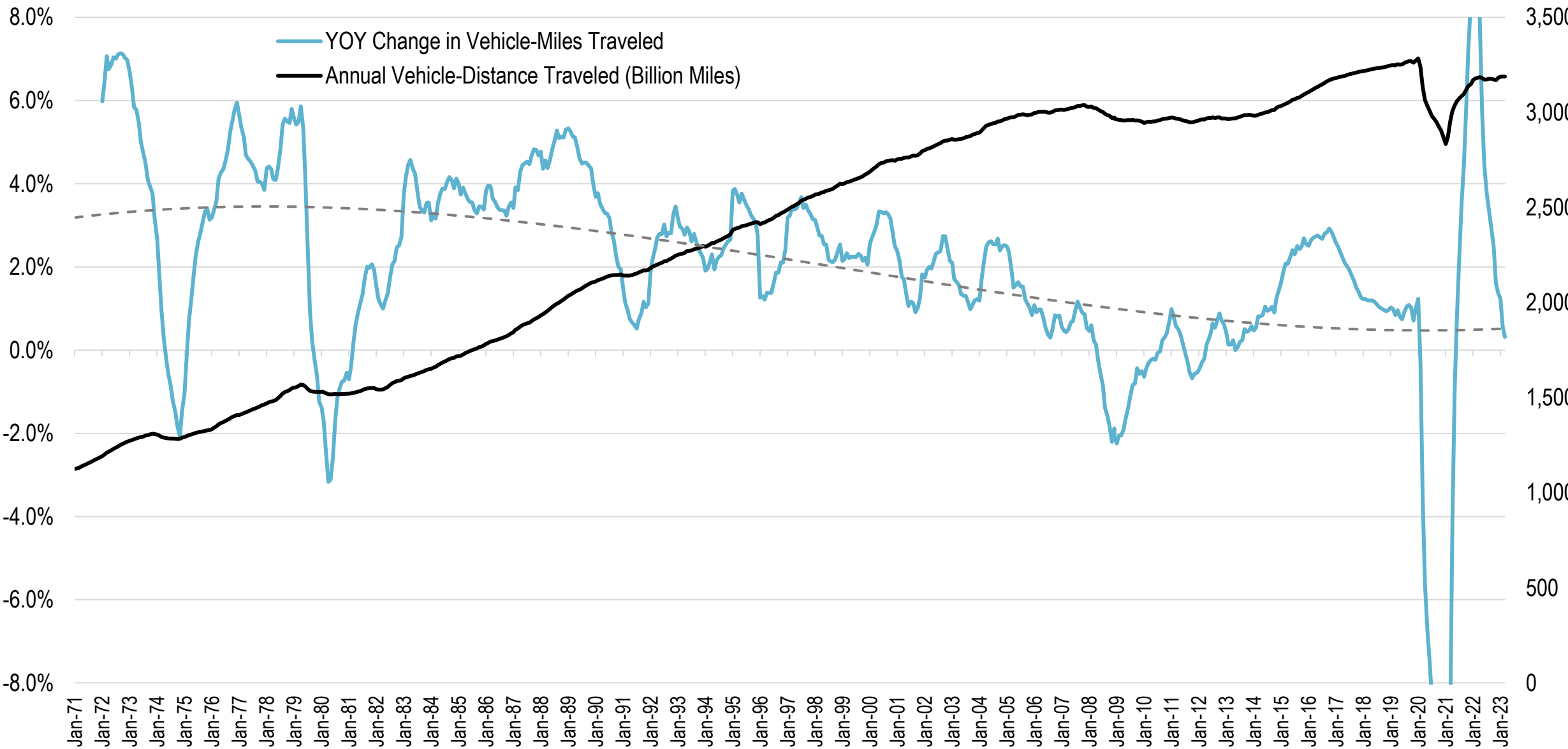
Year	Avg. EV Range	Maximum EV Range
2010	79 miles (127 km)	N/A
2011	86 miles (138 km)	94 miles (151 km)
2012	99 miles (159 km)	265 miles (426 km)
2013	117 miles (188 km)	265 miles (426 km)
2014	130 miles (209 km)	265 miles (426 km)
2015	131 miles (211 km)	270 miles (435 km)
2016	145 miles (233 km)	315 miles (507 km)
2017	151 miles (243 km)	335 miles (539 km)
2018	189 miles (304 km)	335 miles (539 km)
2019	209 miles (336 km)	370 miles (595 km)
2020	210 miles (338 km)	402 miles (647 km)
2021	217 miles (349 km)	520 miles* (837 km)

•**Weather:** At temperatures below 20°F (-6.7°C), EVs can lose around 12% of their range, rising to **41%** if heating is turned on inside the vehicle.

# Car and Light Truck Survivability Rates

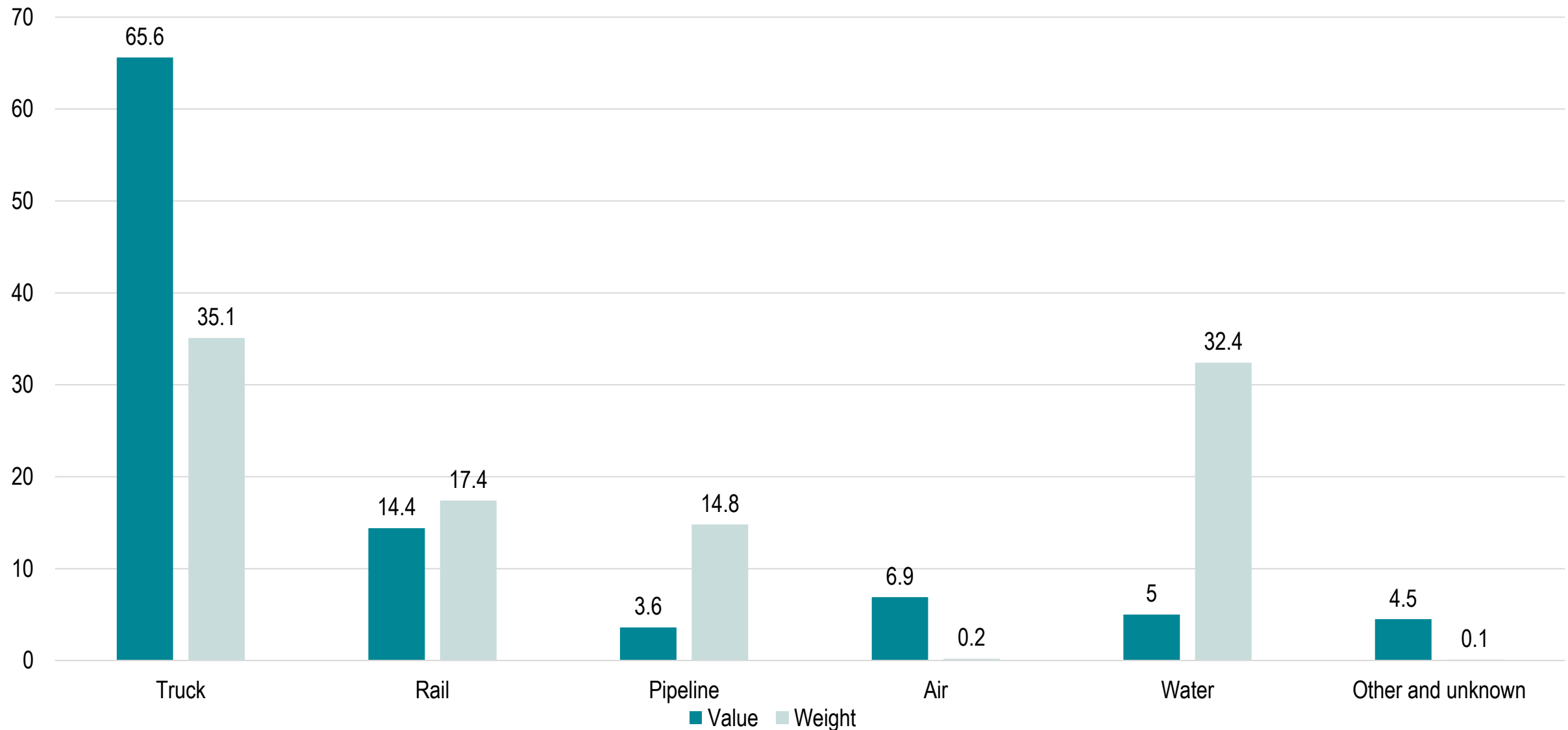


# Annual Vehicle-Miles Traveled in the United States and Year-over-Year Changes, 1971-2023

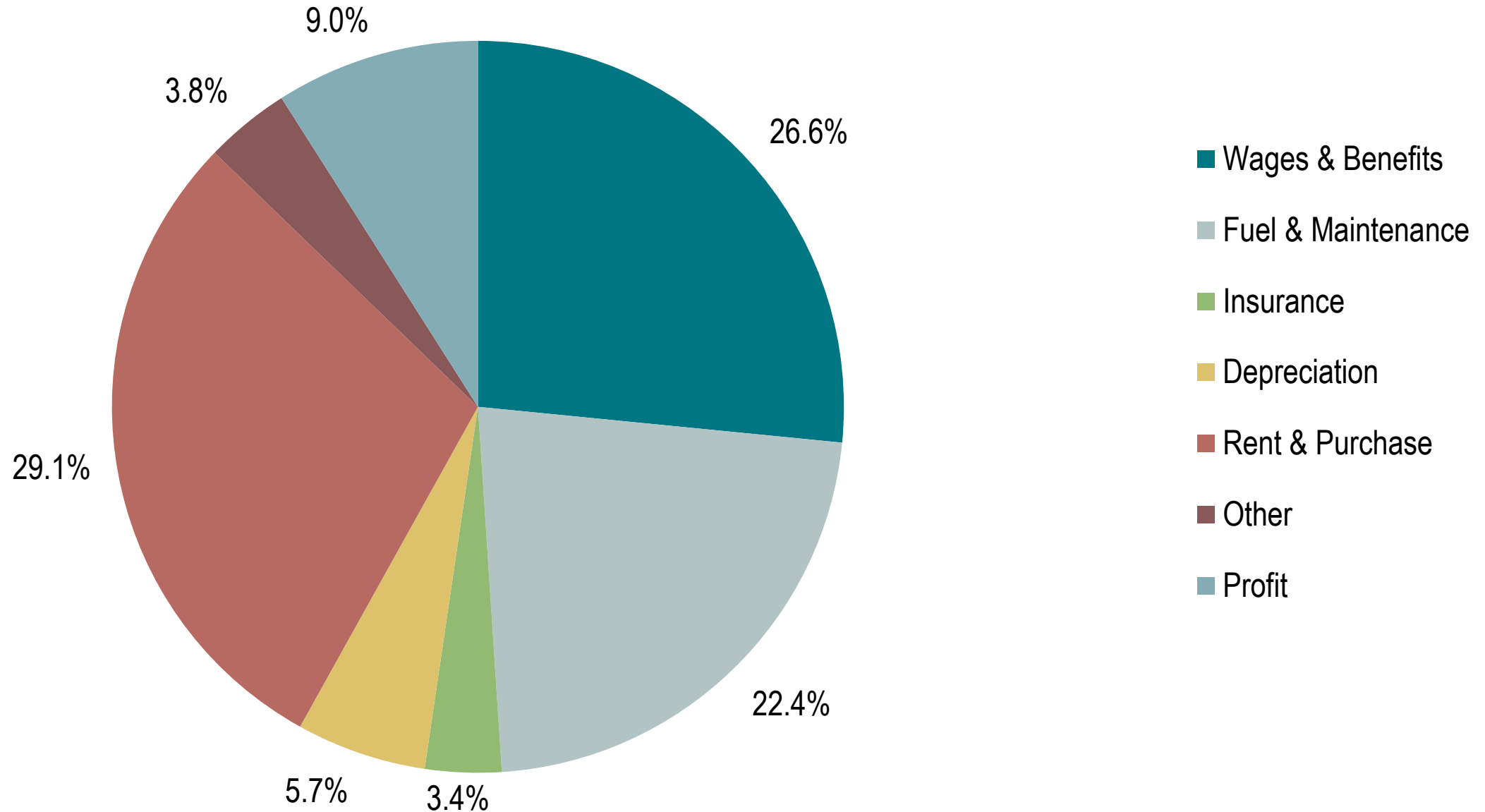




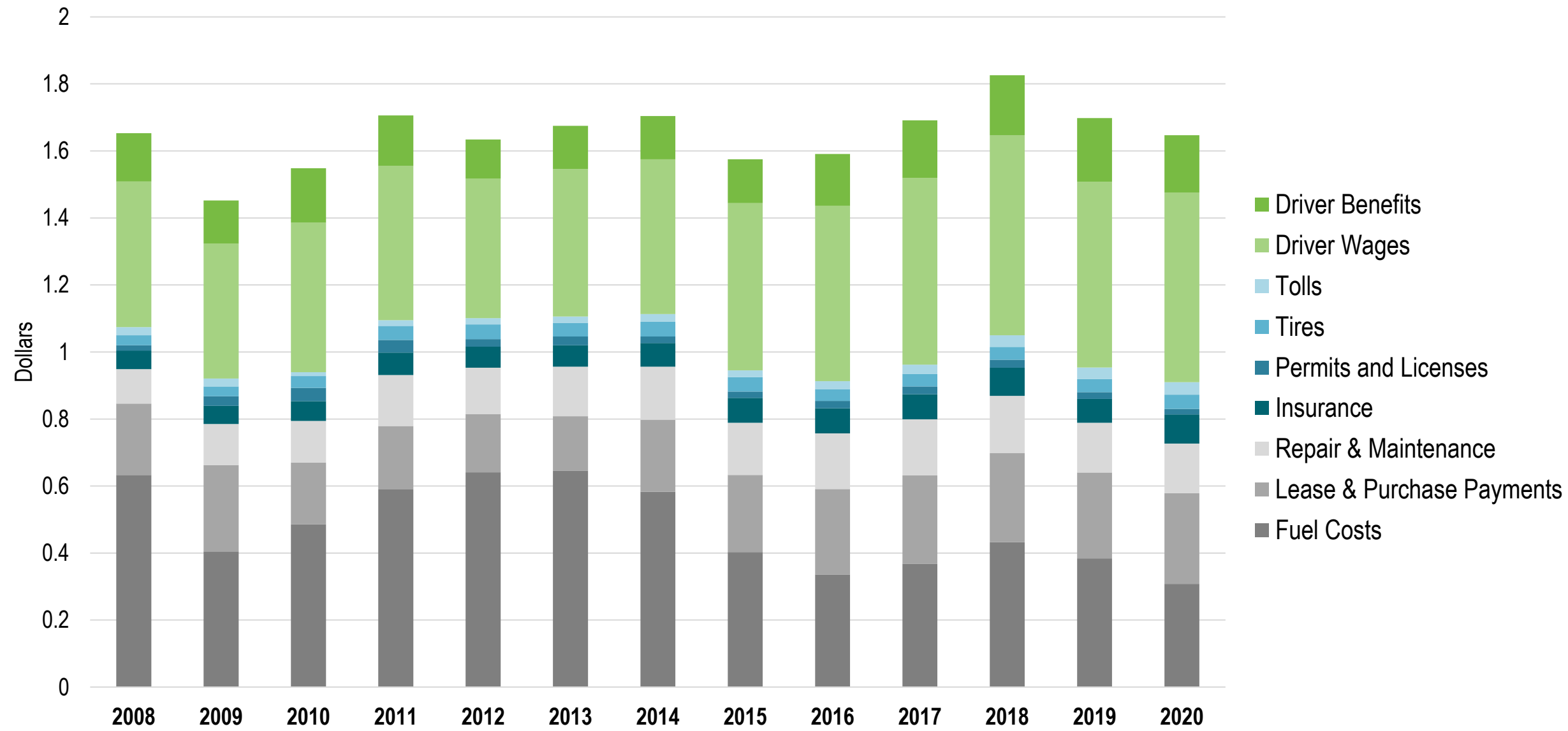
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# Cost Structure of Trucking, United States, 2006



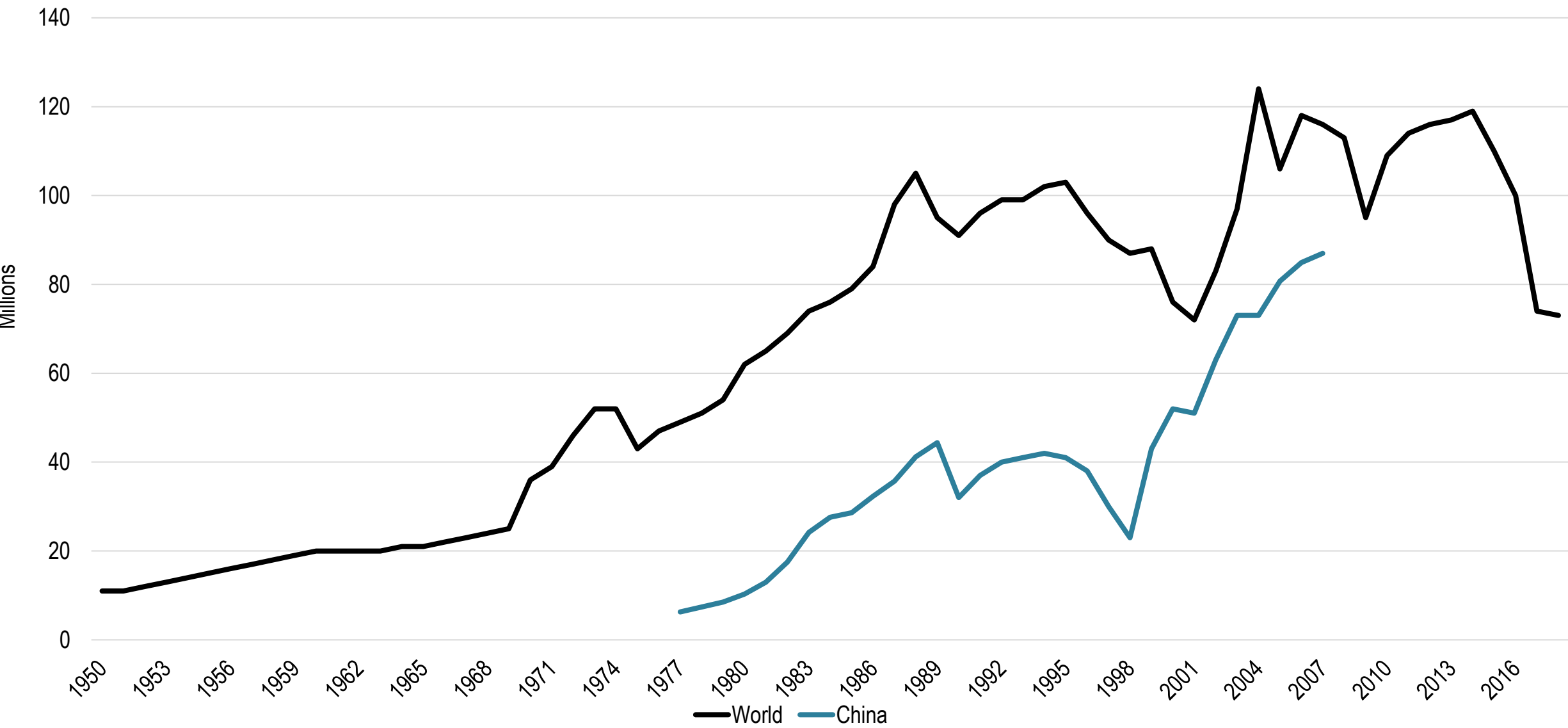
# Average Marginal Trucking Costs per Mile, United States, 2008-2020



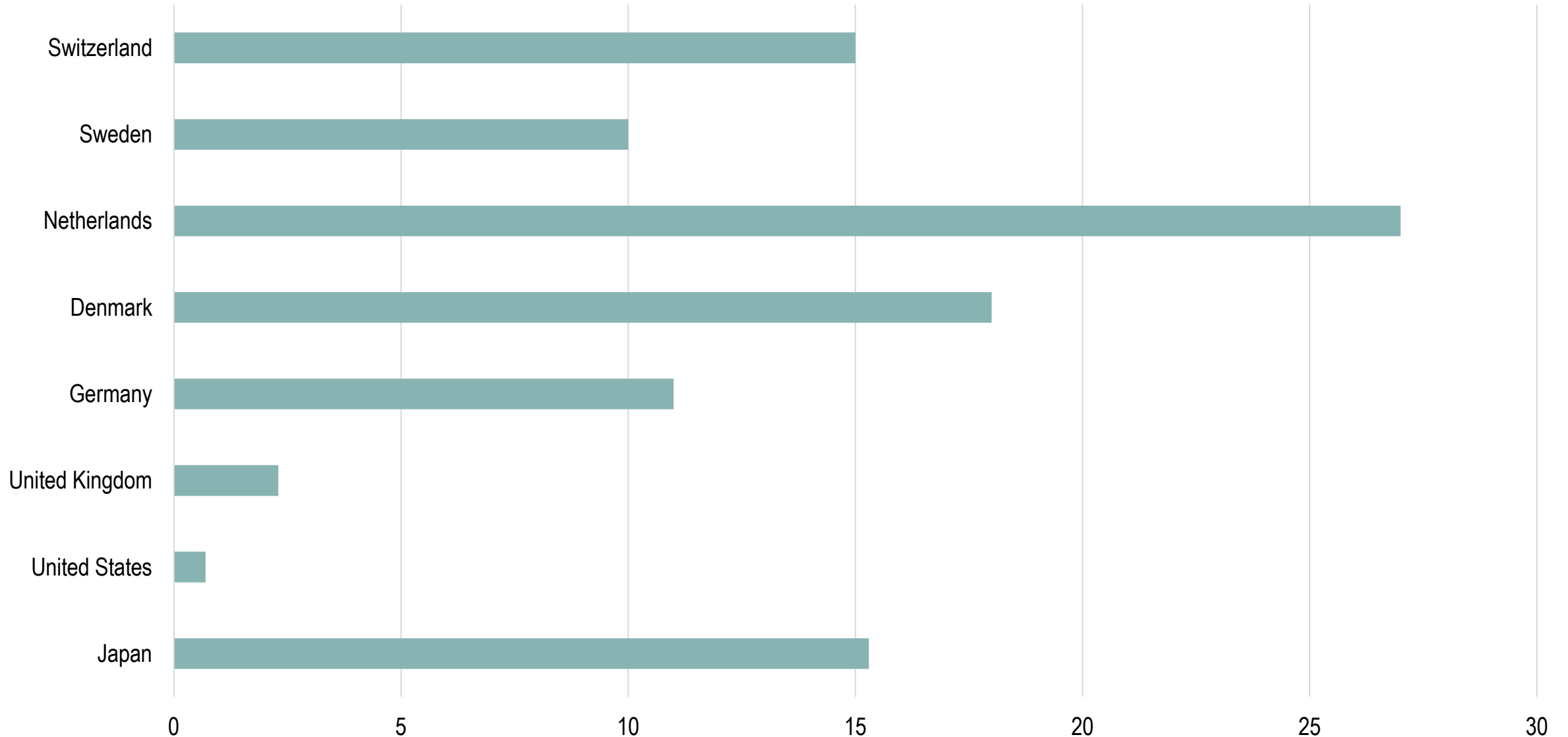
# US Domestic Trucking Market, 2006

Company	Market Share
CH Robinson Worldwide	1.6%
Schneider National	1.4%
J.B. Hunt	1.2%
Swift Transportation	1.2%
Landstar Systems	0.9%
Werner Enterprises	0.8%
Pacer International	0.6%
Hub Group	0.5%
US Xpress Enterprises	0.5%

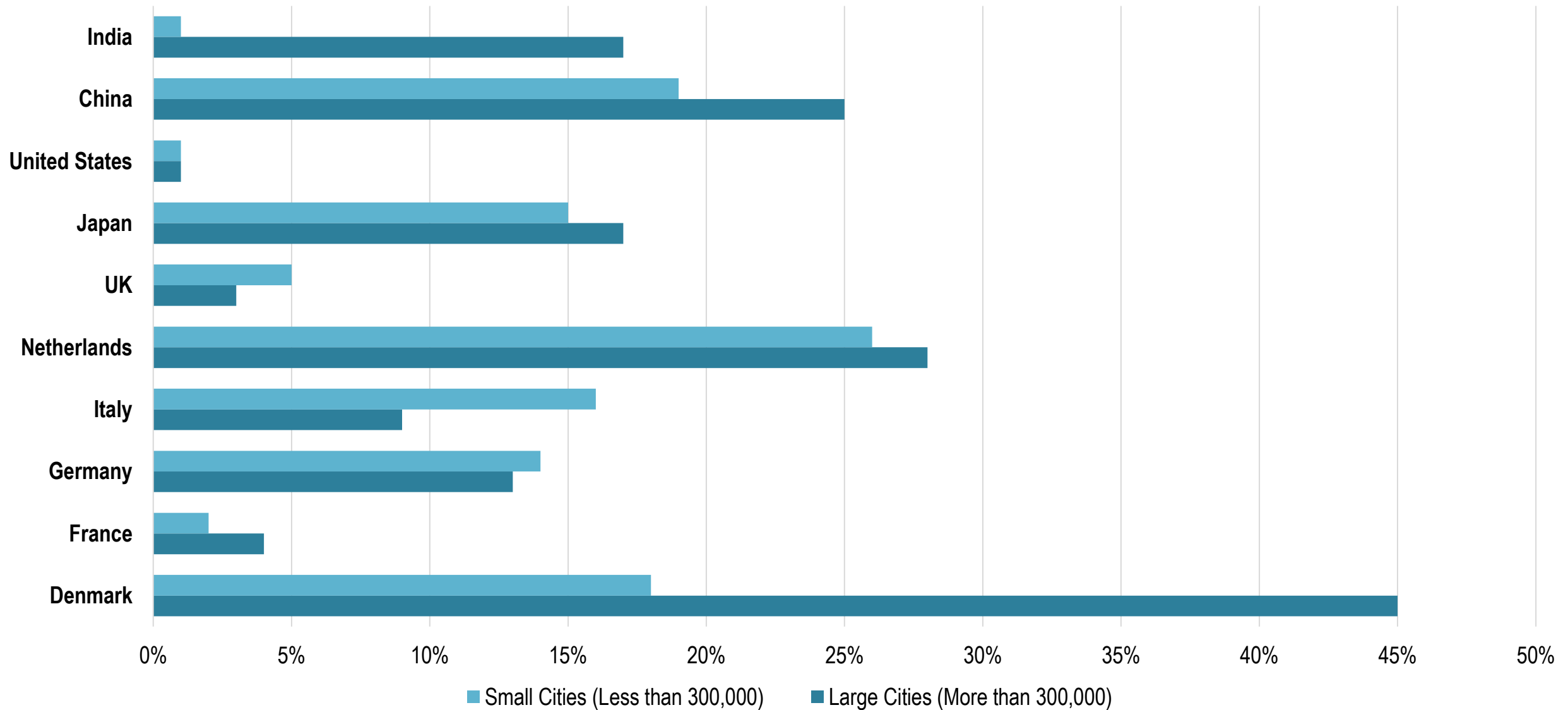
# World Bicycle Production, 1950-2018



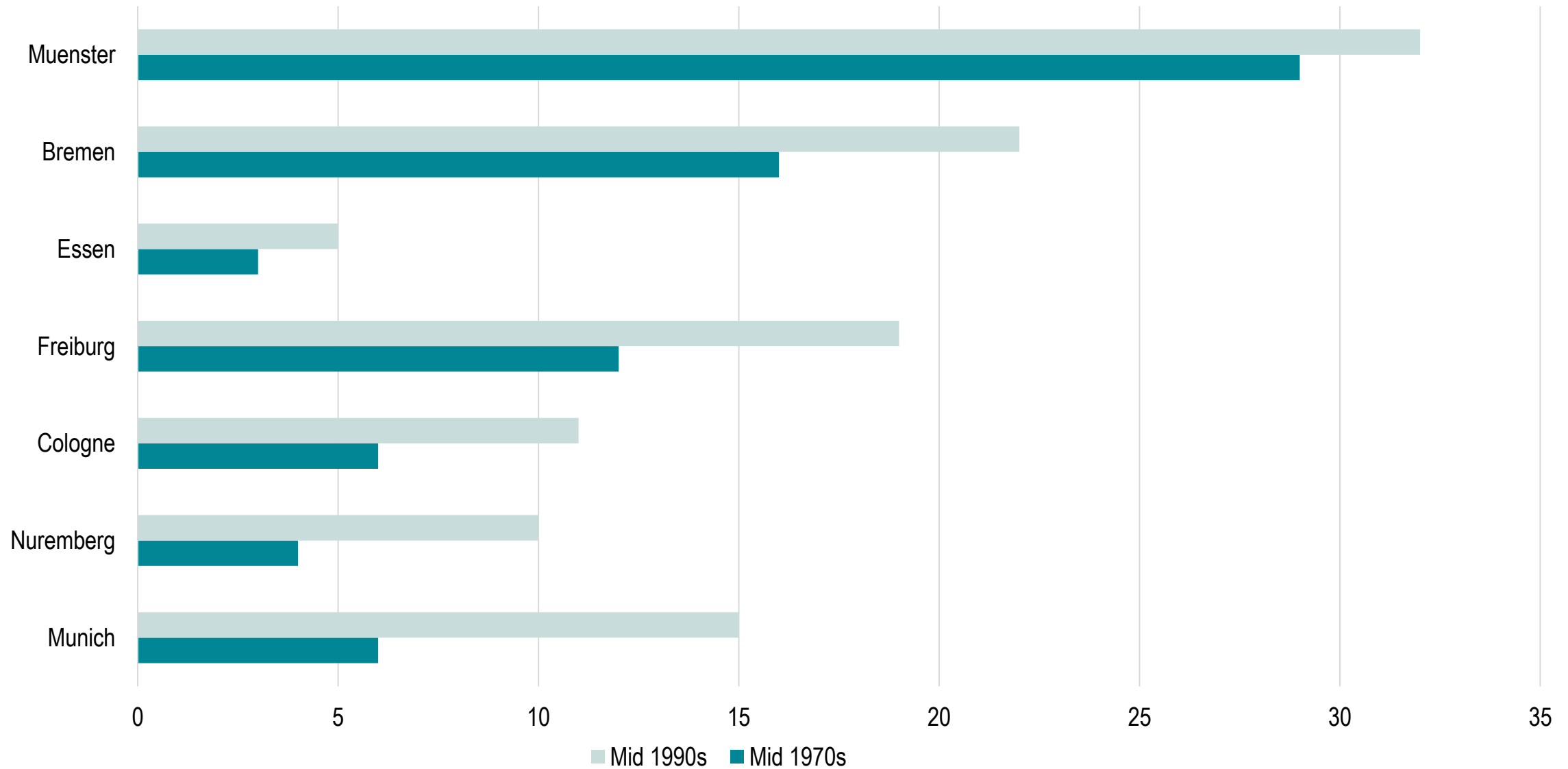
# Share of Cycling over the Total Amount of Trips, mid 1990s



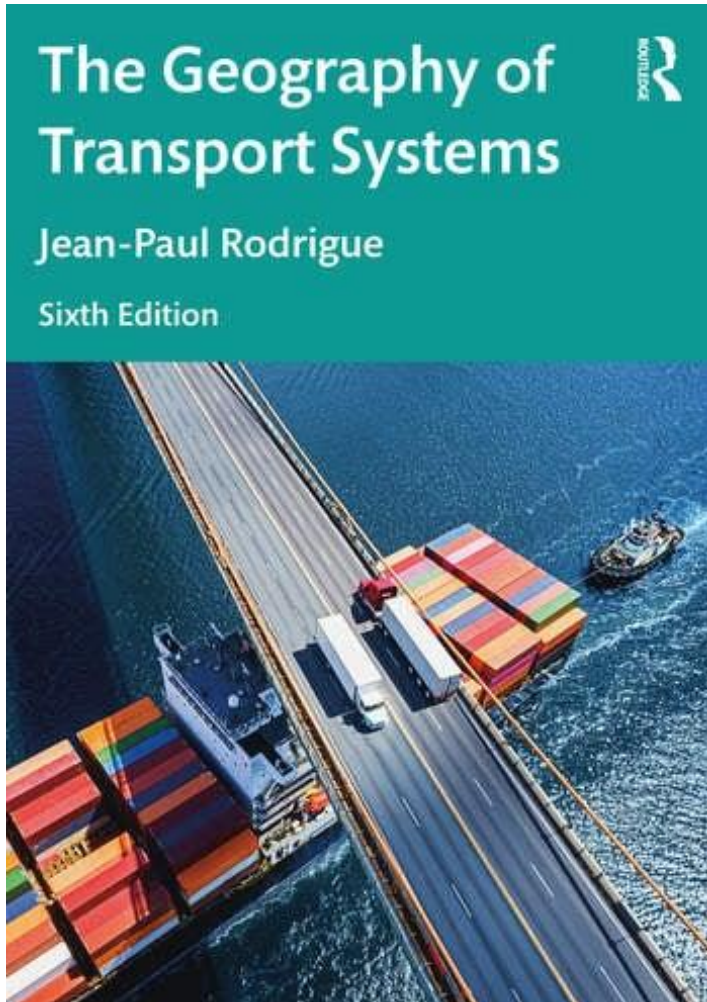
# Share of Cycling over the Total Amount of Trips, Selected Countries, 2015



# Trips Made by Bicycle in Selected German Cities (in %)

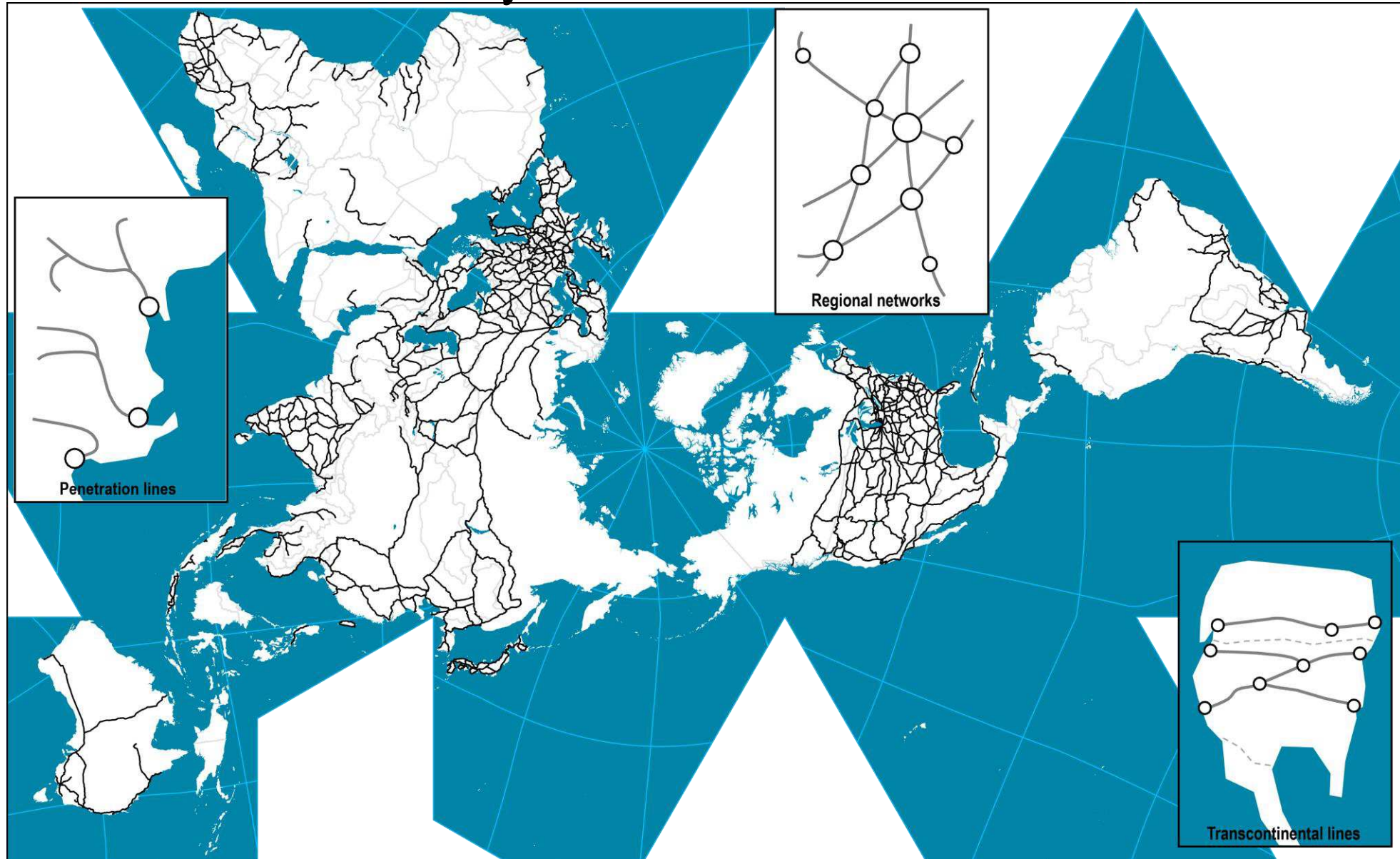




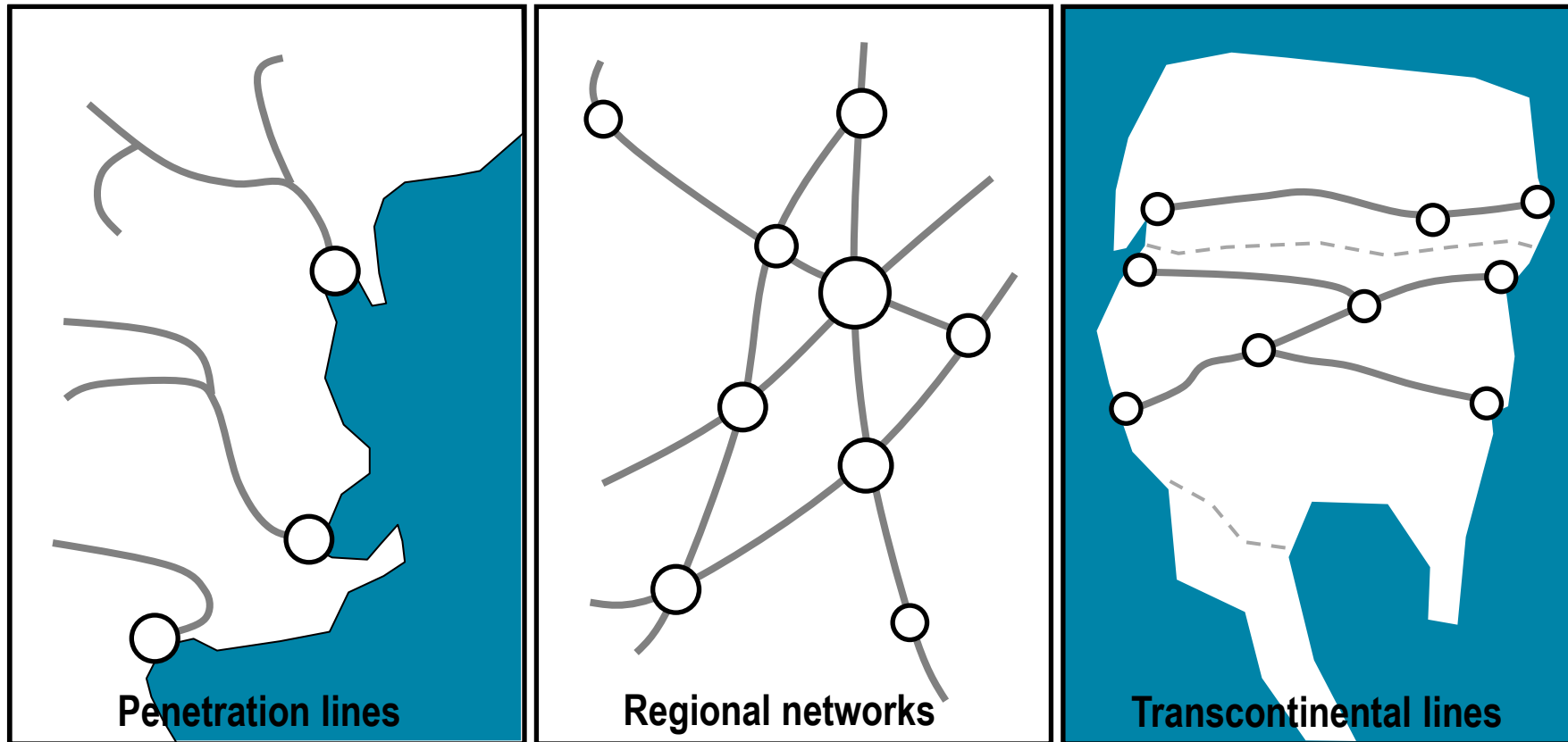


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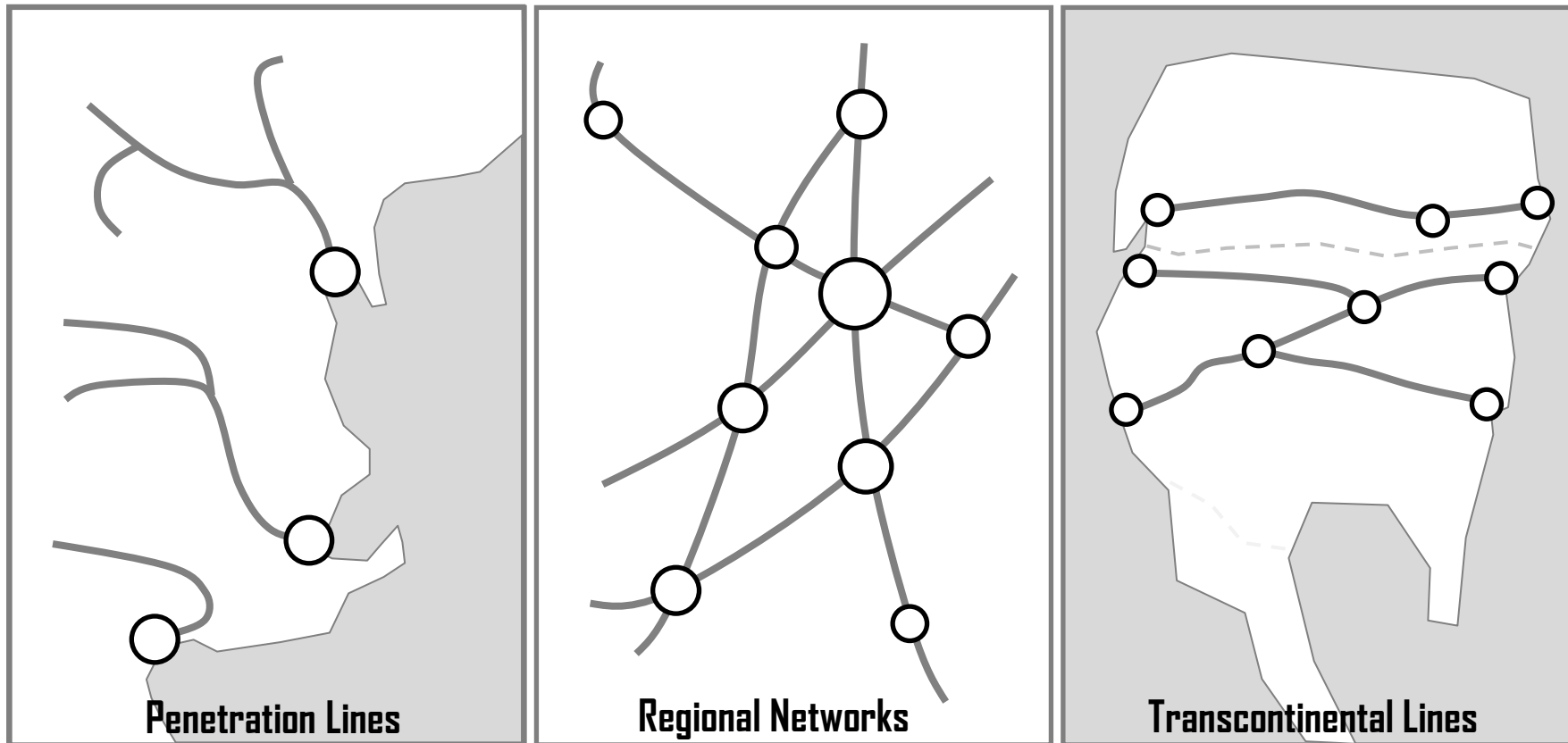
# World Rail Network and Rail Systems



# Geographical Settings of Rail Lines



# Geographical Settings of Rail Lines (Greyscale)







# Economic Rationale of Rail Transportation

<b>Market Area</b>	Longest service area for inland transport (average length of 1,300 km). Service both the passengers and freight markets. Intermodal integration favored market segmentation and specialization.
<b>Capacity</b>	A wagon can carry 50 to 100 tons of freight. Economies of scale (unit trains and doublestacking).
<b>Costs</b>	High construction and maintenance costs. High operating costs: labor (60%), locomotives (16%) and fuel & equipment (24%). Shipping costs decrease with distance and load. Transshipments and train assembly increase costs.
<b>Benefits</b>	Accelerated industrialization. Support agricultural and energy supply systems. Intermodal connecting with international trade.
<b>Regulation</b>	Conventionally highly dependent from government subsidies. Government financing, mainly for the sake of national economic imperatives. From regulation to deregulation. Private ownership and operations.

# Economic Rationale of Rail Transportation



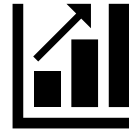
## MARKET AREA

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## CAPACITY

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- Unit specialization (intermodal, liquids, grains, minerals, vehicles).
- Economies of scale (unit trains and double-stacking).



## COSTS

- High construction and maintenance costs.
- High operating costs: labor (60%), locomotives (15%) and fuel & equipment (25%).
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## BENEFITS

- Accelerated industrialization.
- Support agricultural and energy supply systems.
- Intermodal connectivity with international trade.

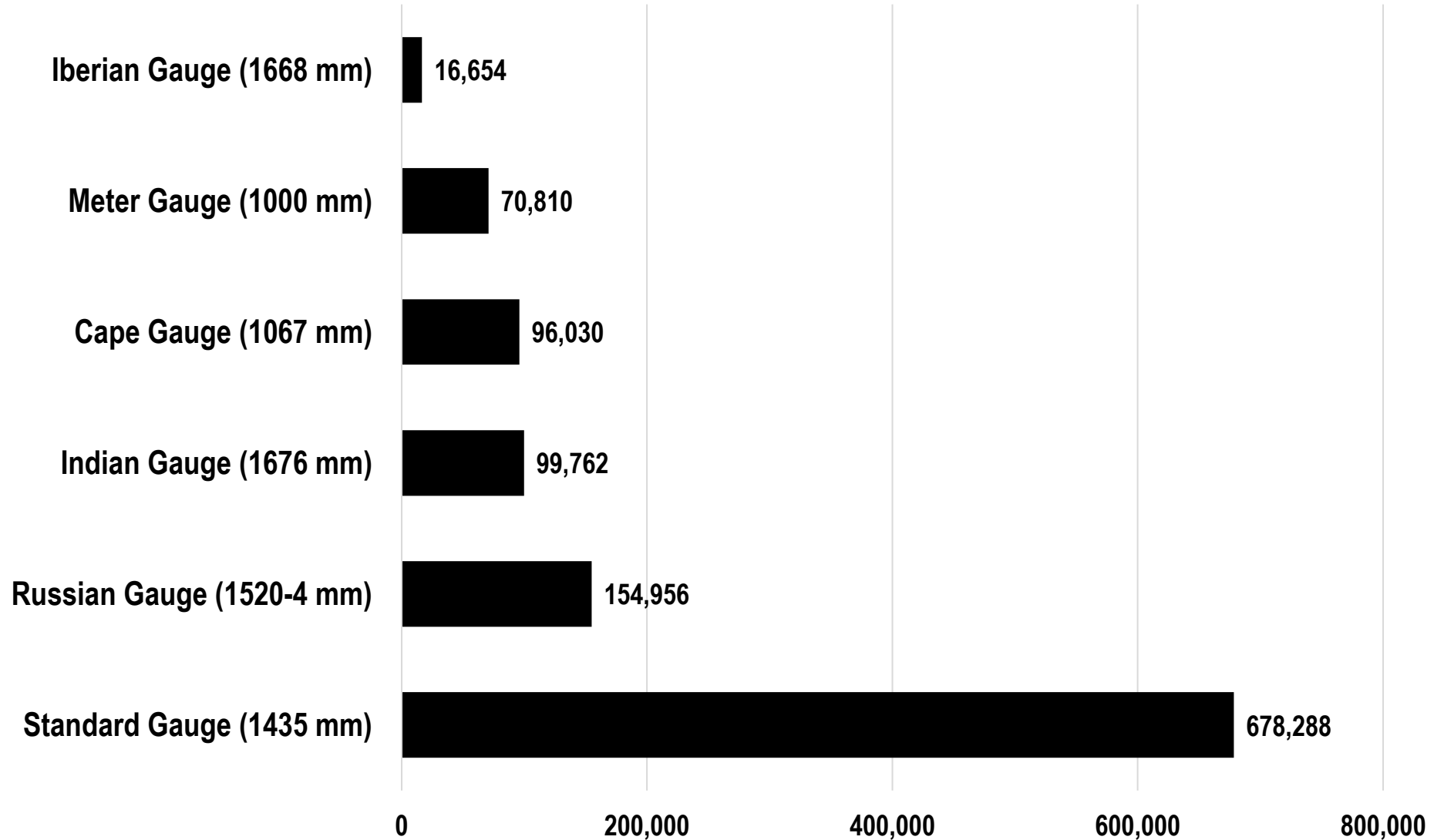


## REGULATION

- Conventionally highly dependent on government subsidies.
- Government financing, mainly for national economic strategy.
- From regulation to deregulation.
- Private ownership and operations.

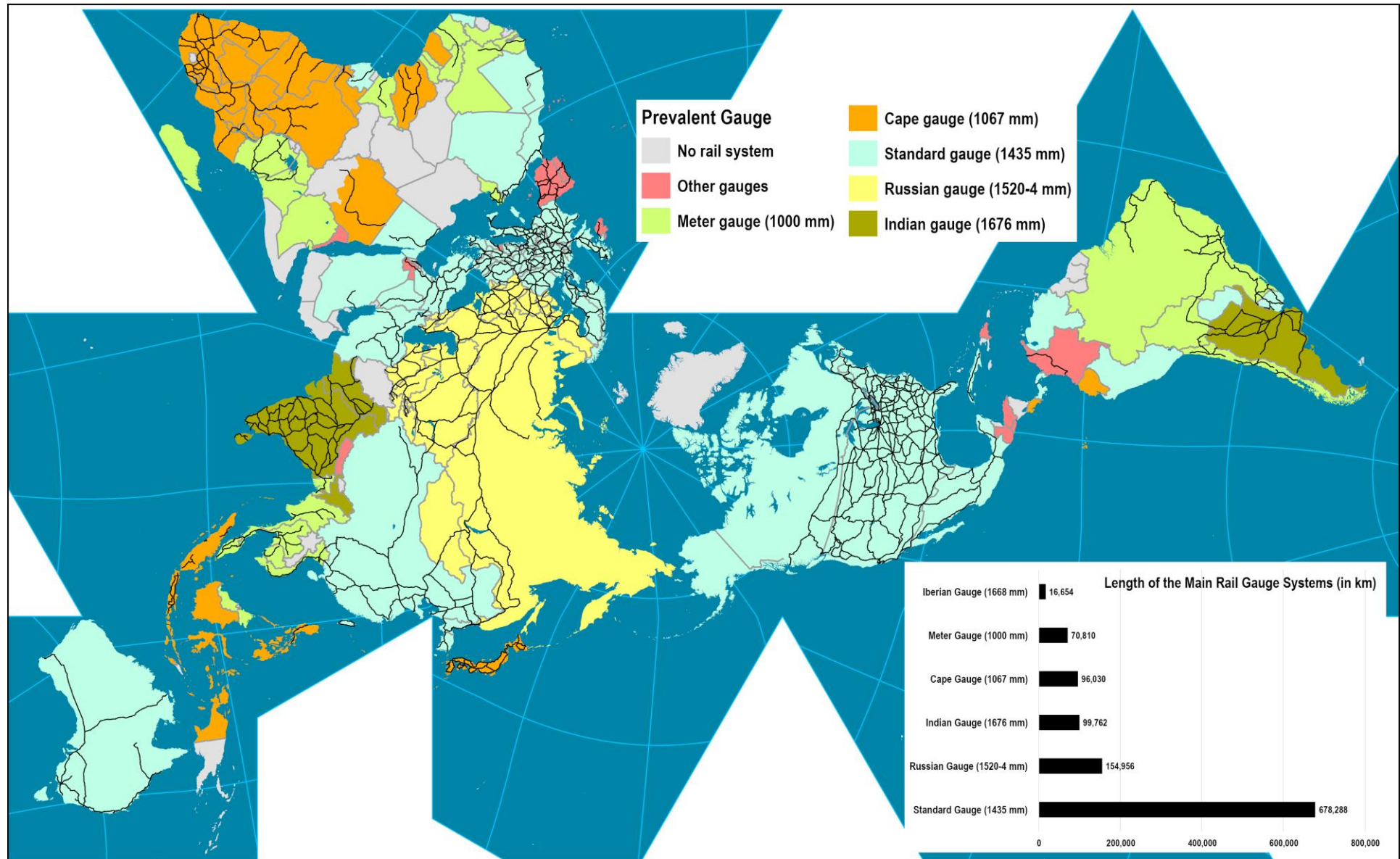
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# Length of the Main Rail Gauge Systems, 2008 (in km)

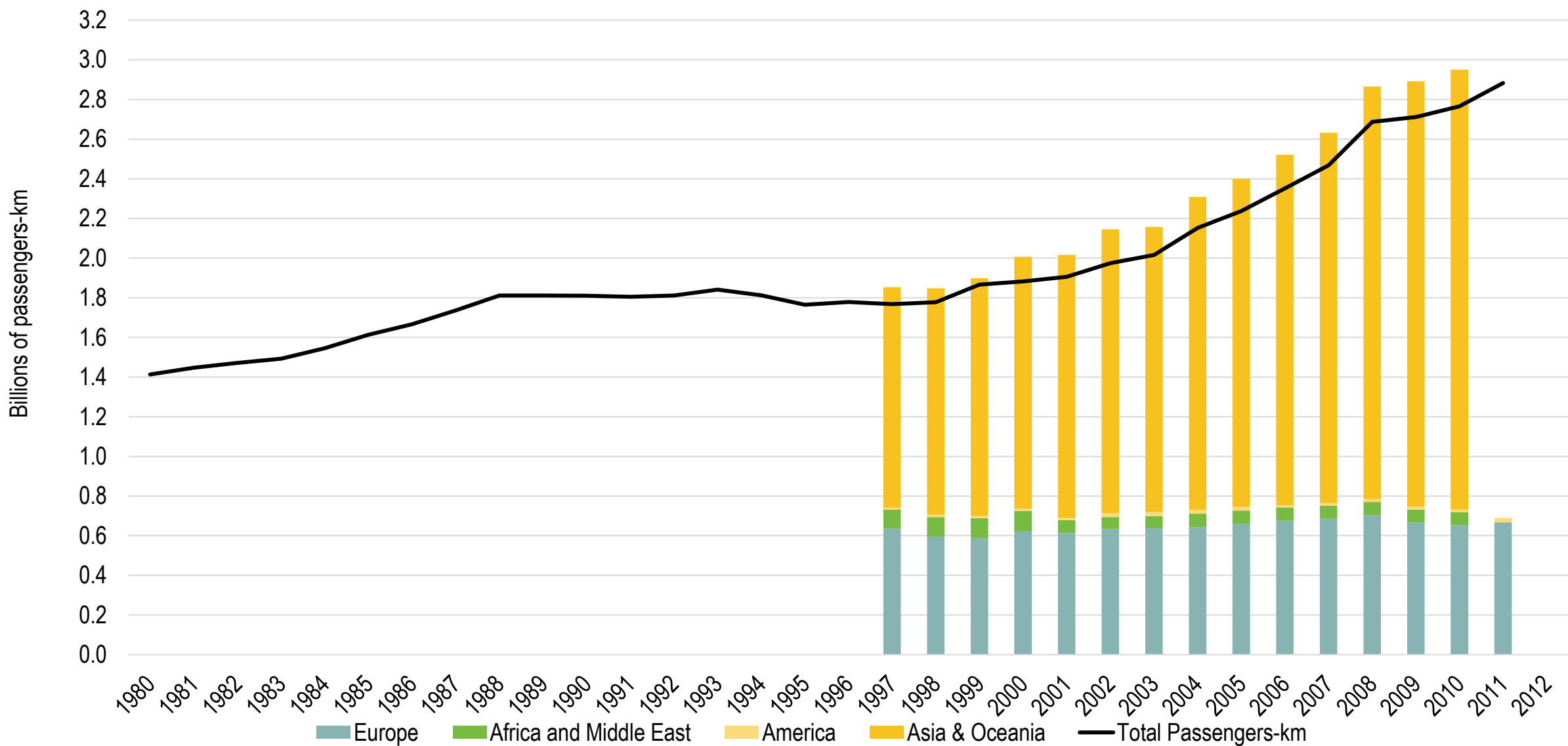




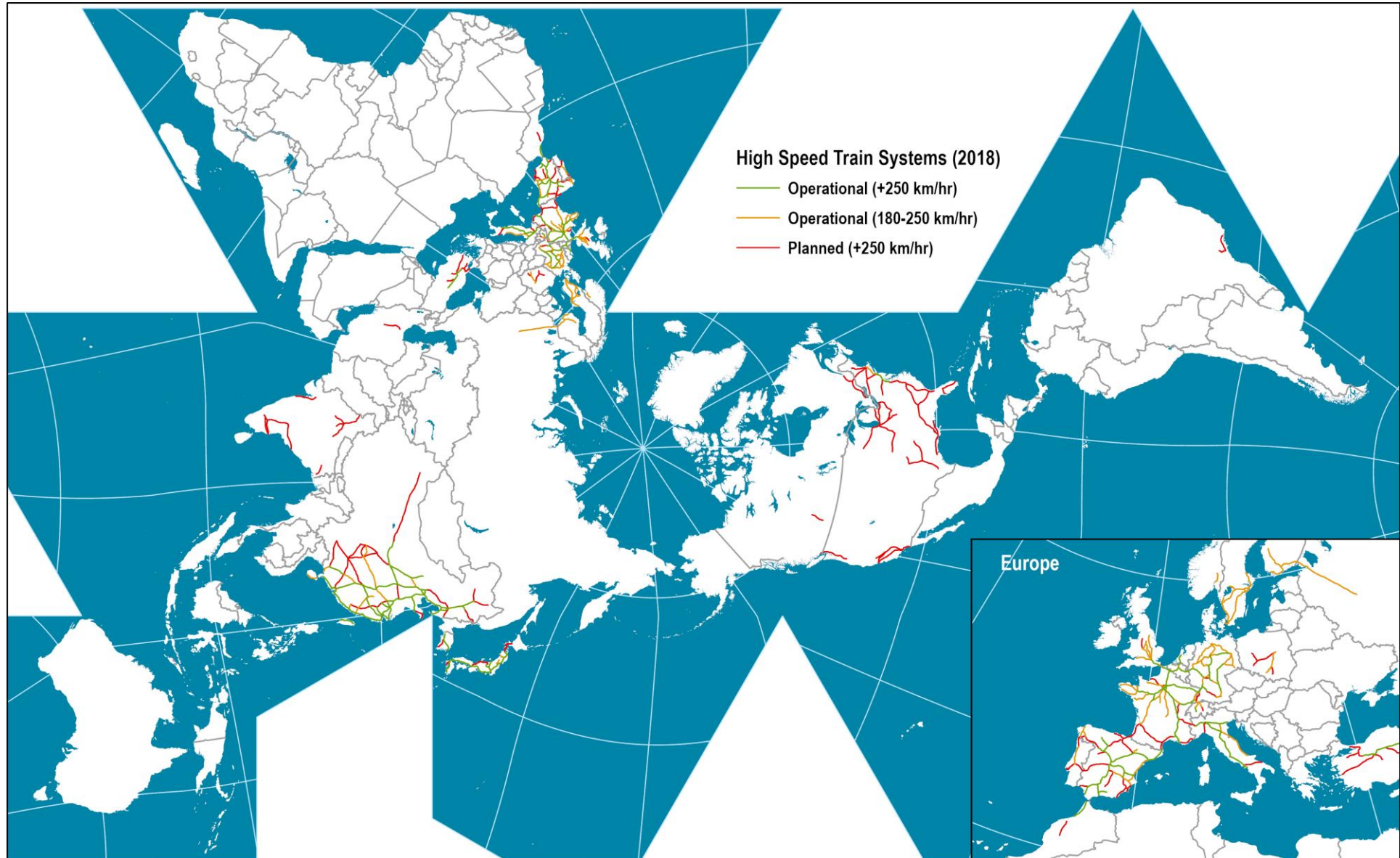
# Major Gauges of the Global Rail Systems



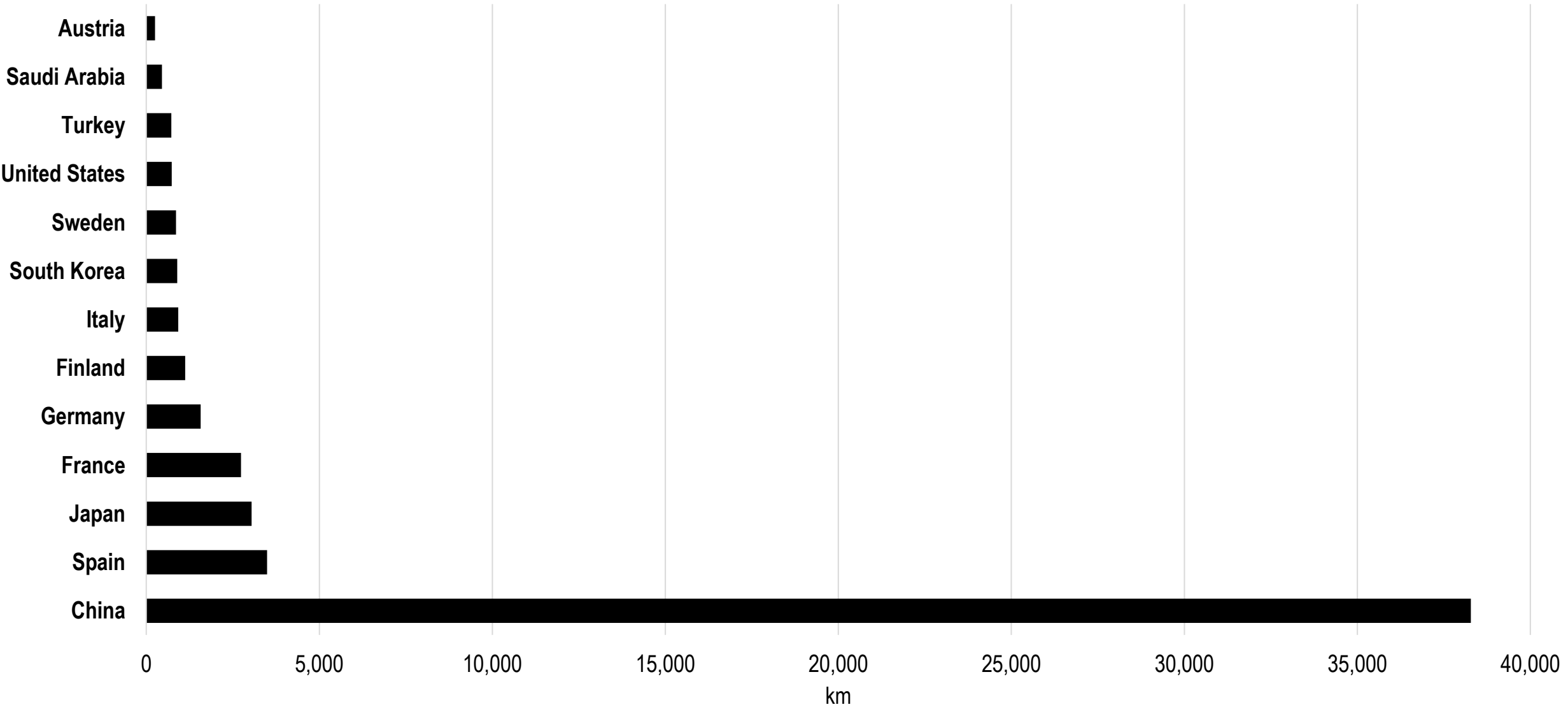
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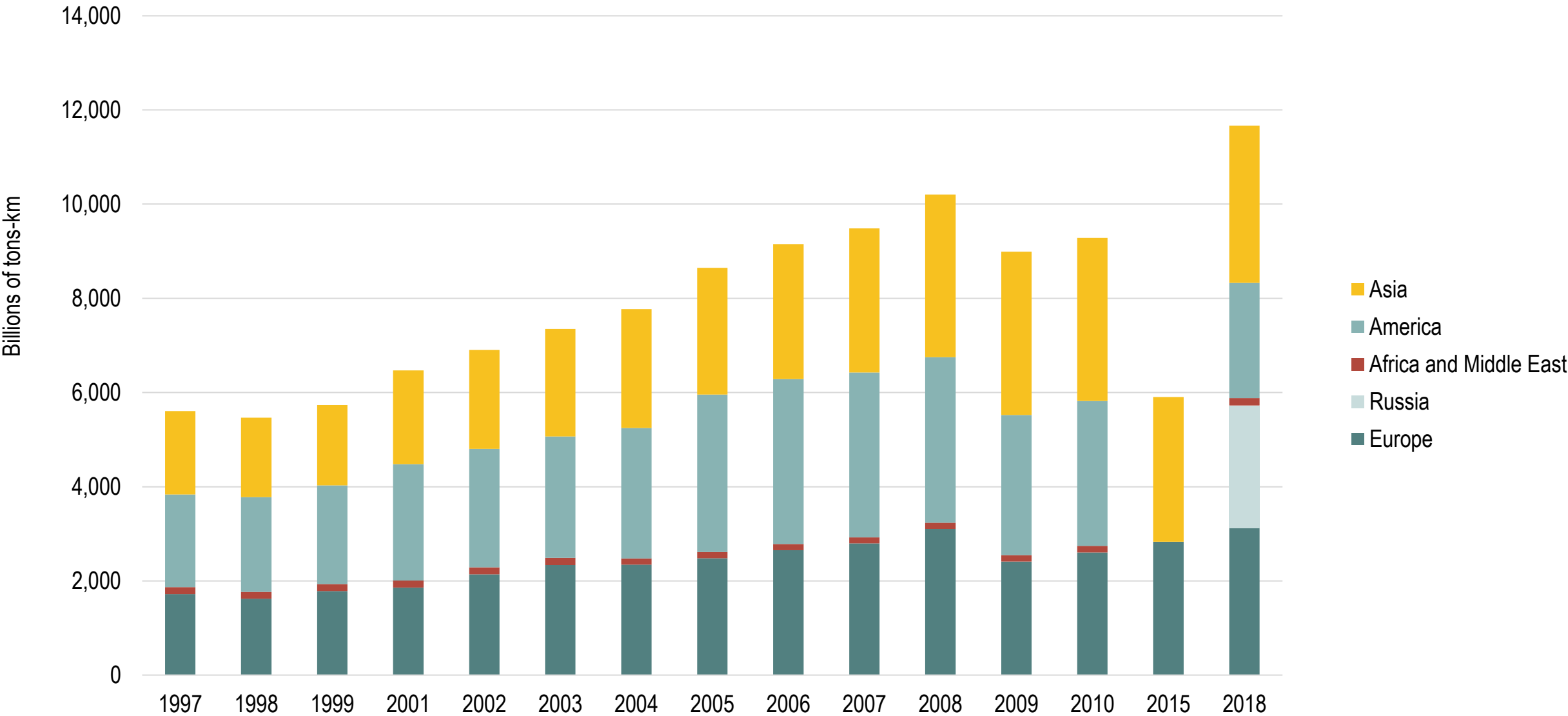
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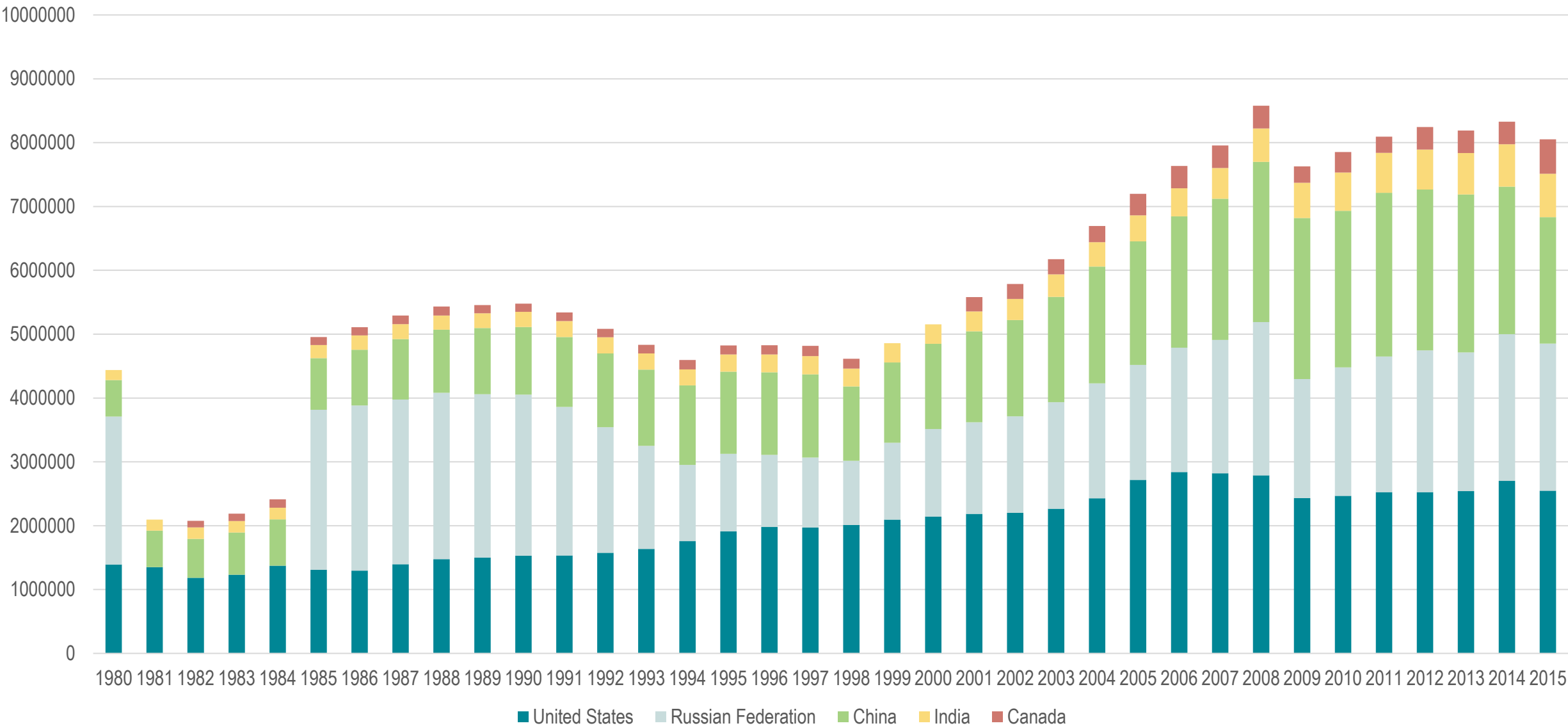
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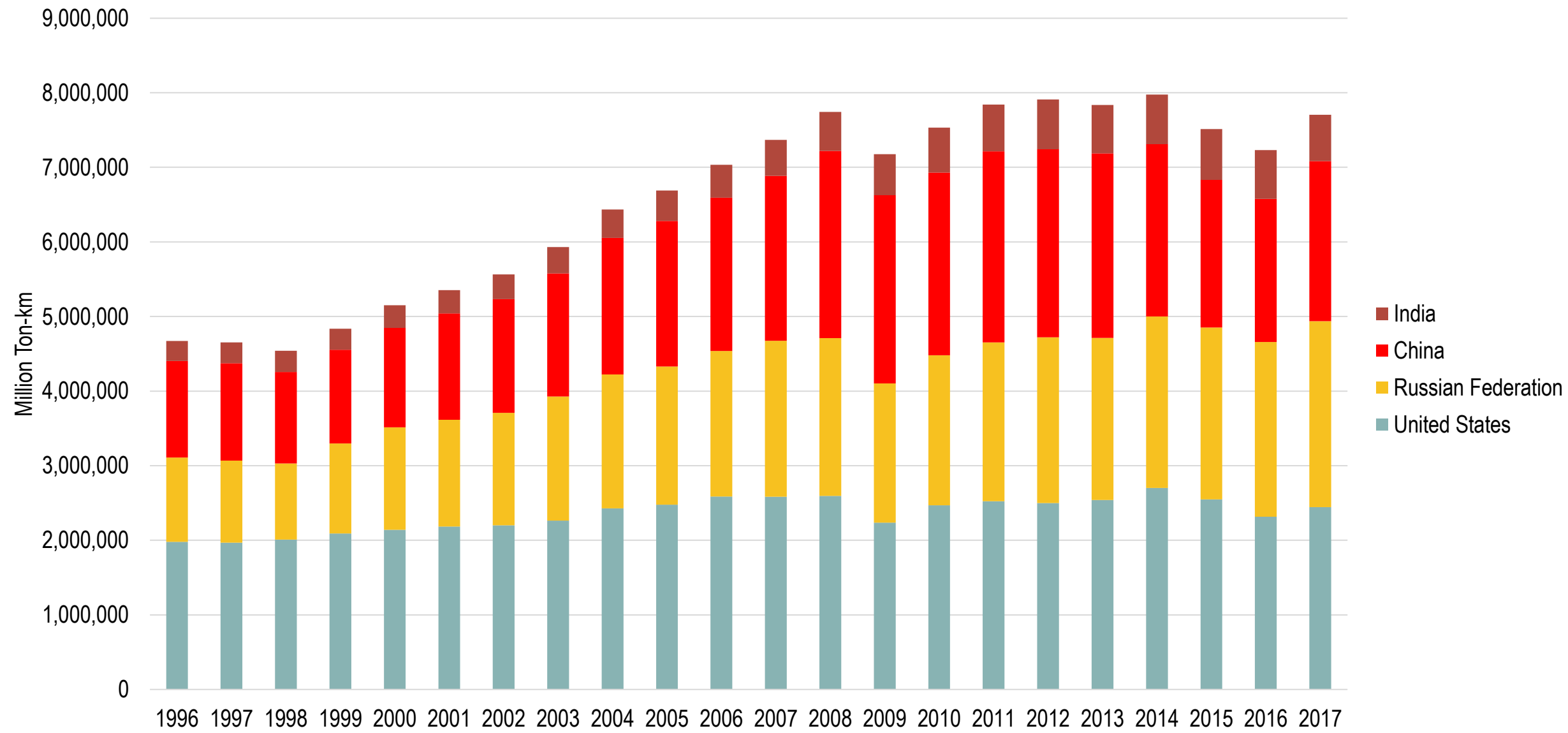


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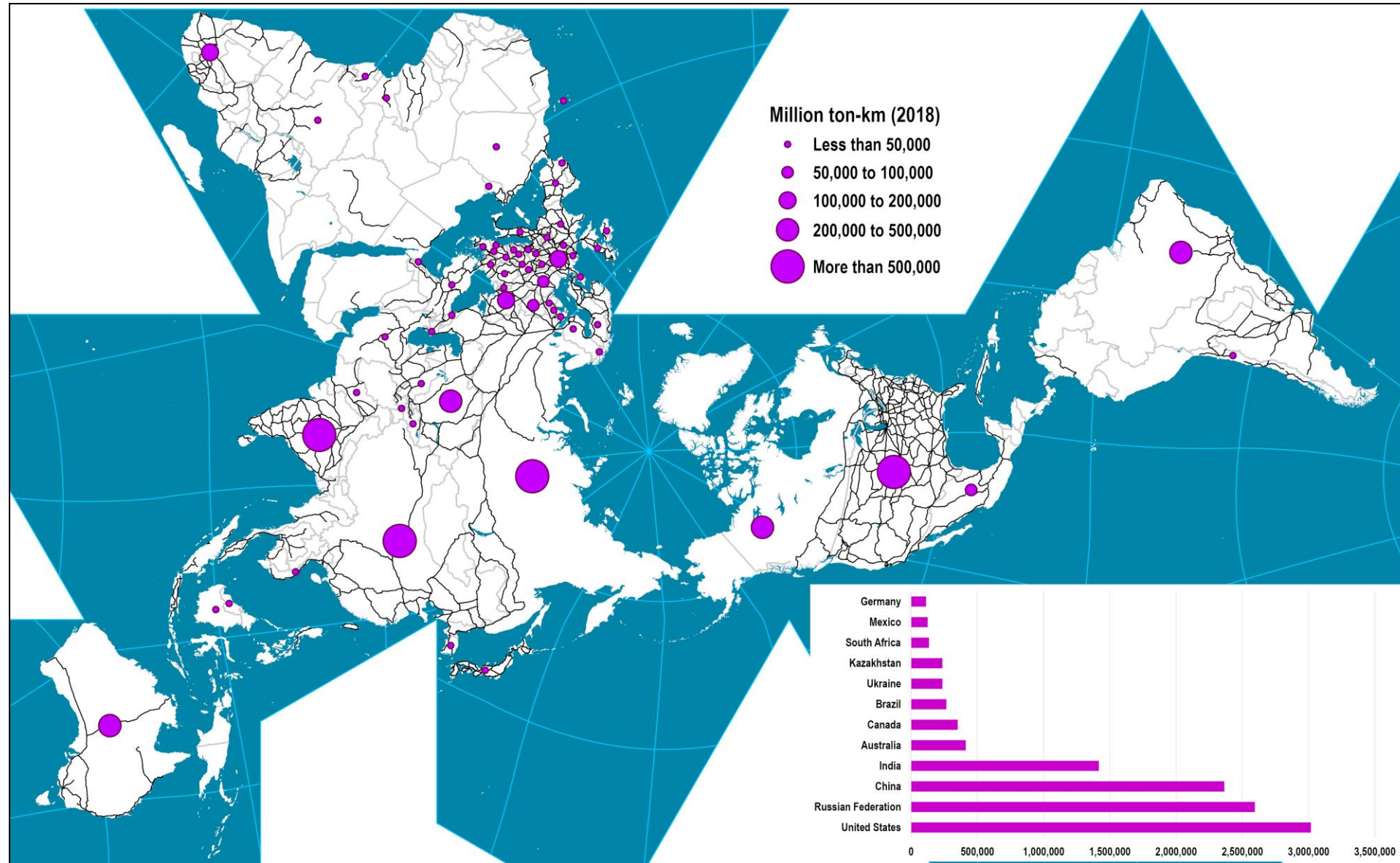




# Rail Freight Traffic, Selected Countries, 1996-2017

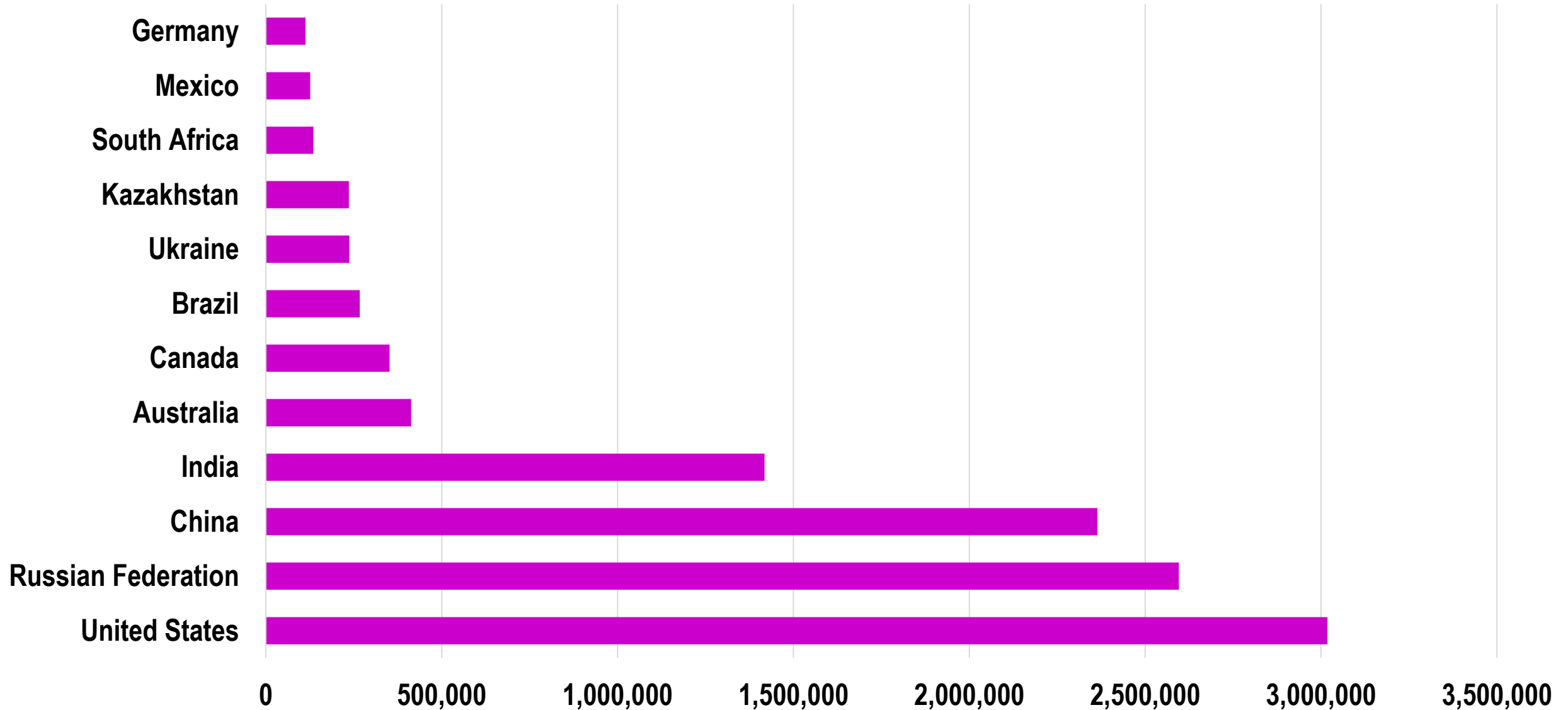


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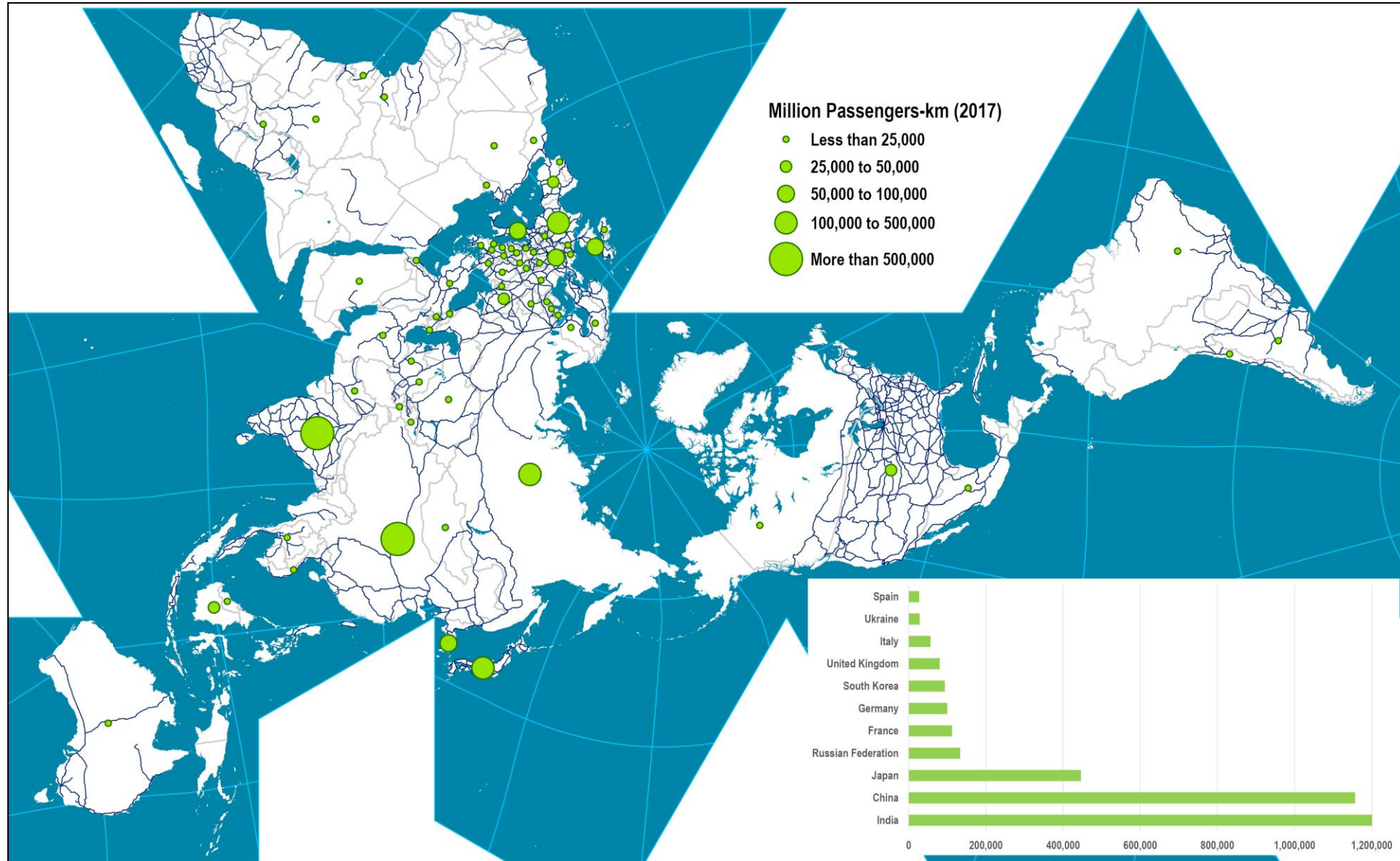




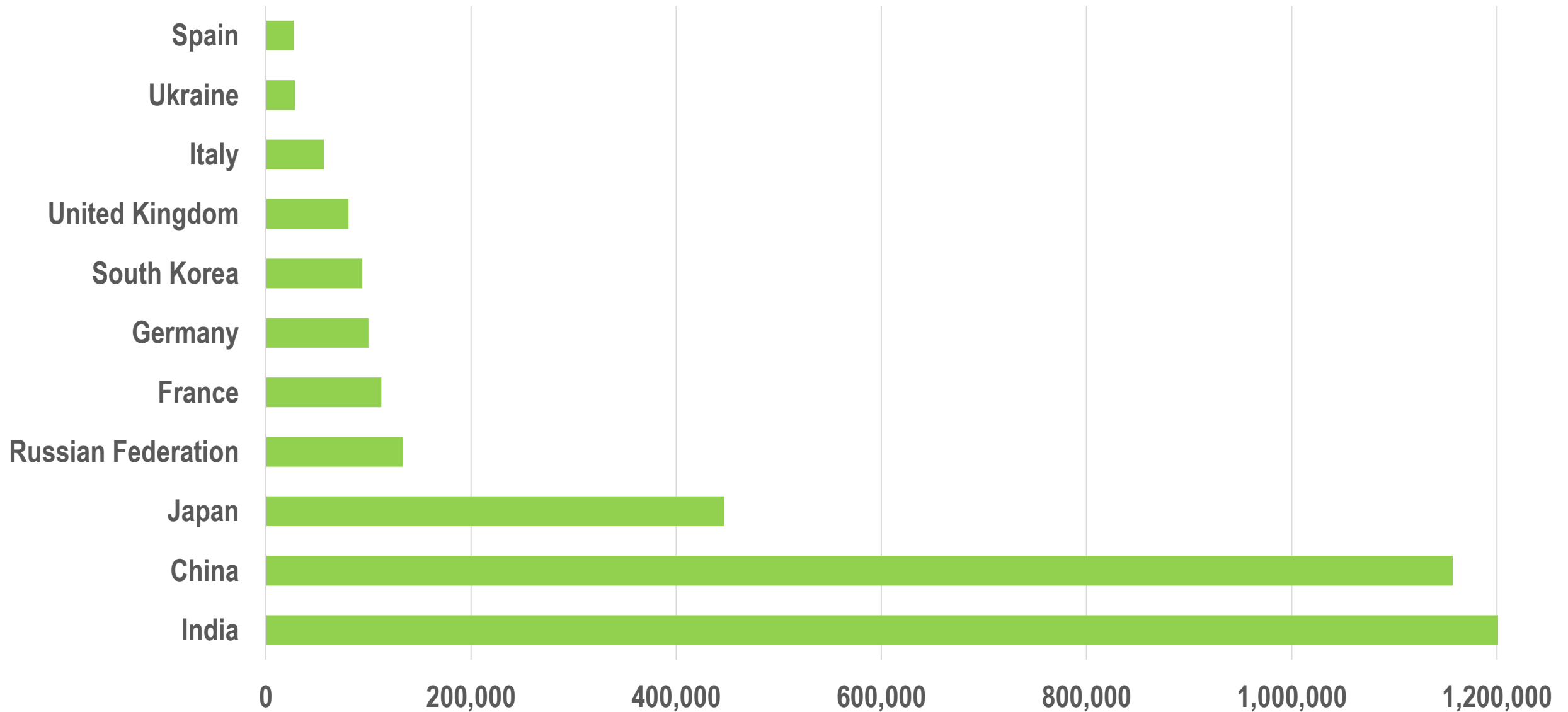
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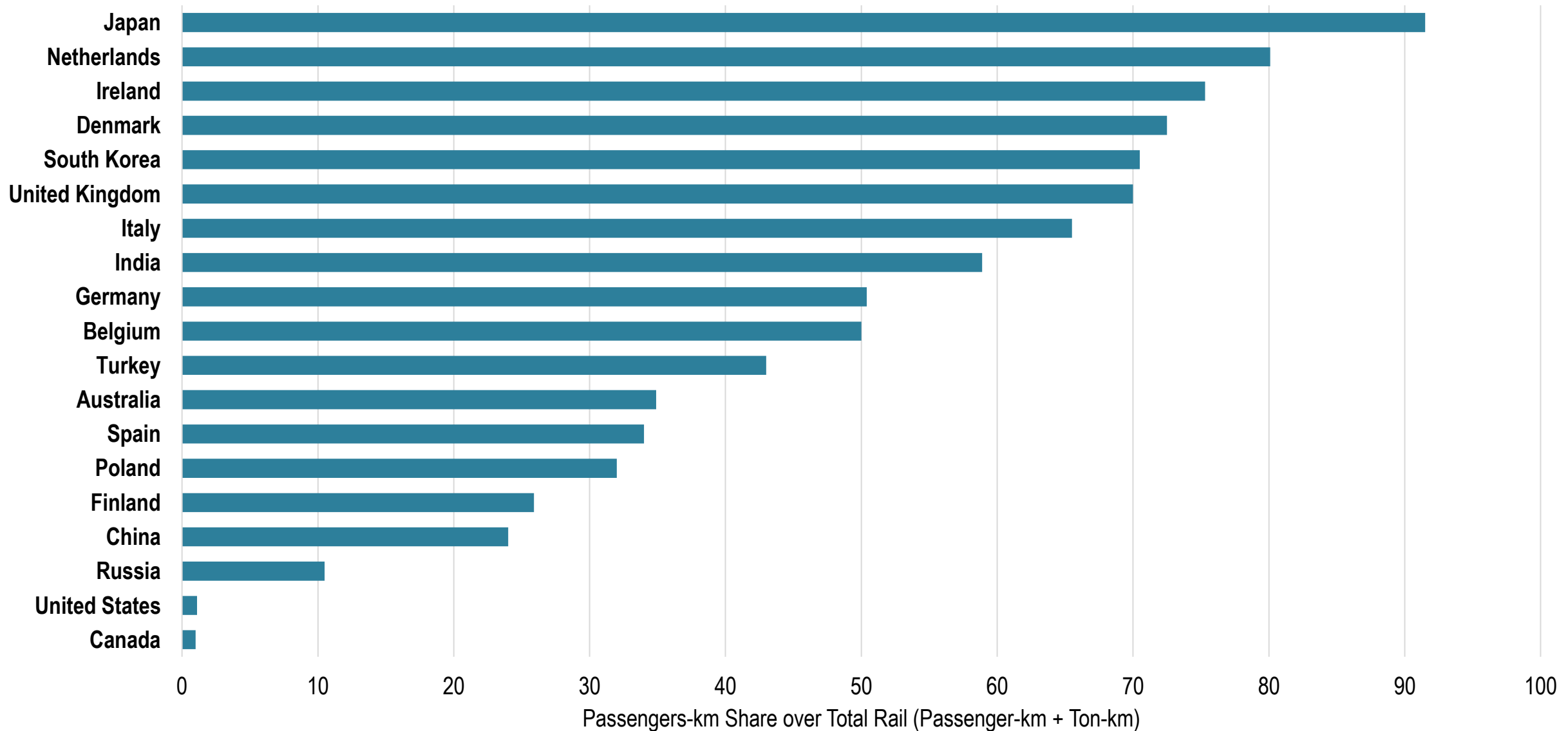
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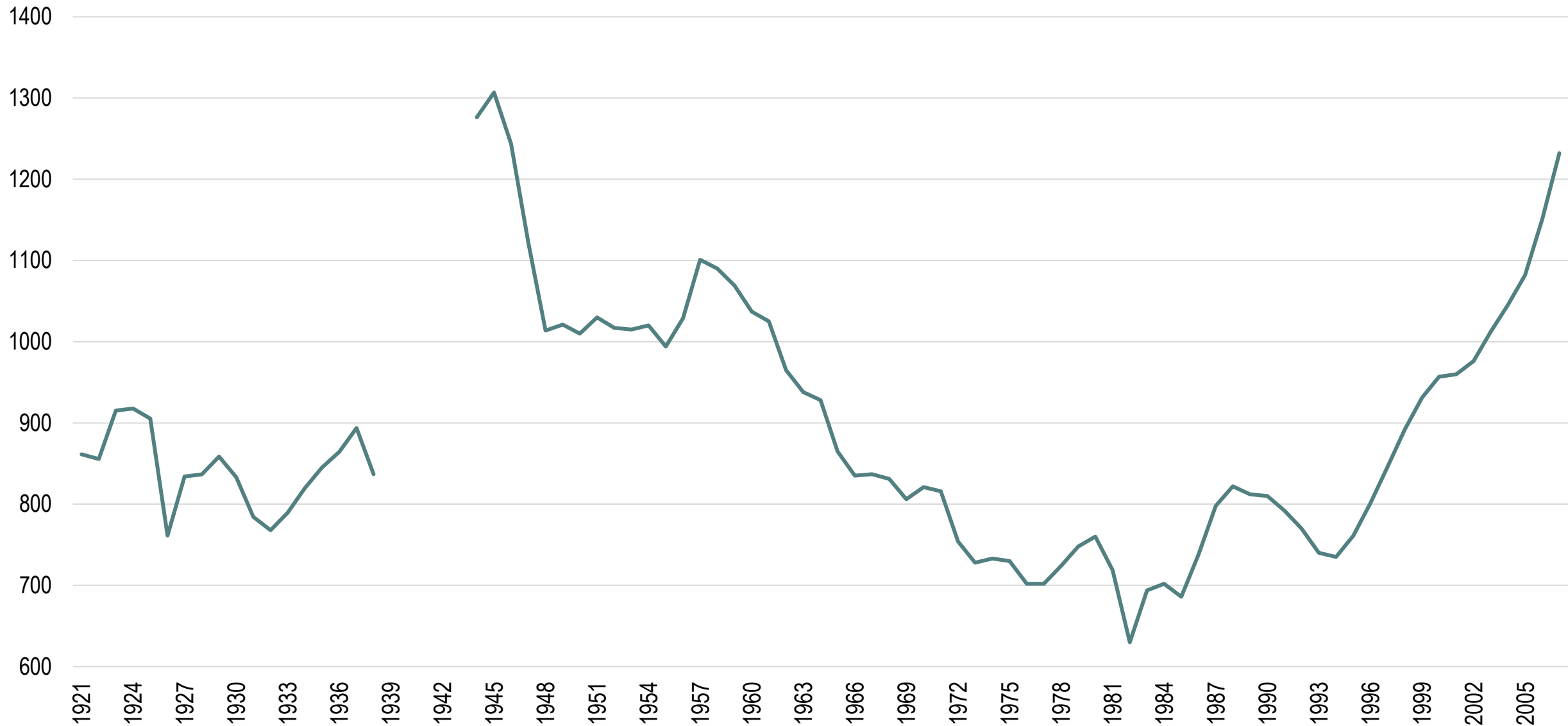
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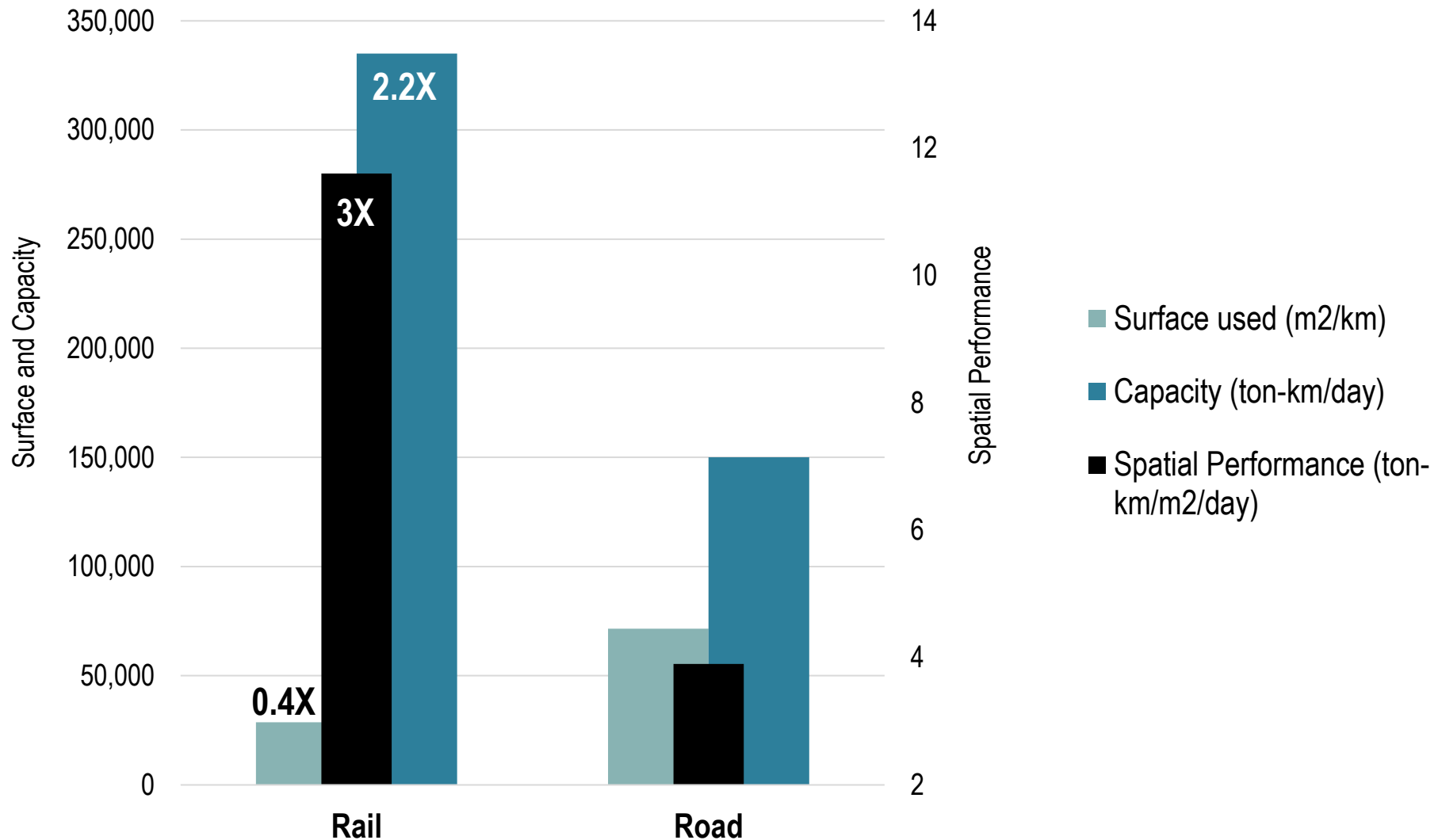
# Percent of Rail Passenger Traffic to Total Rail Traffic



# Passenger Journeys on the British Rail Network, 1921-2007 (millions)



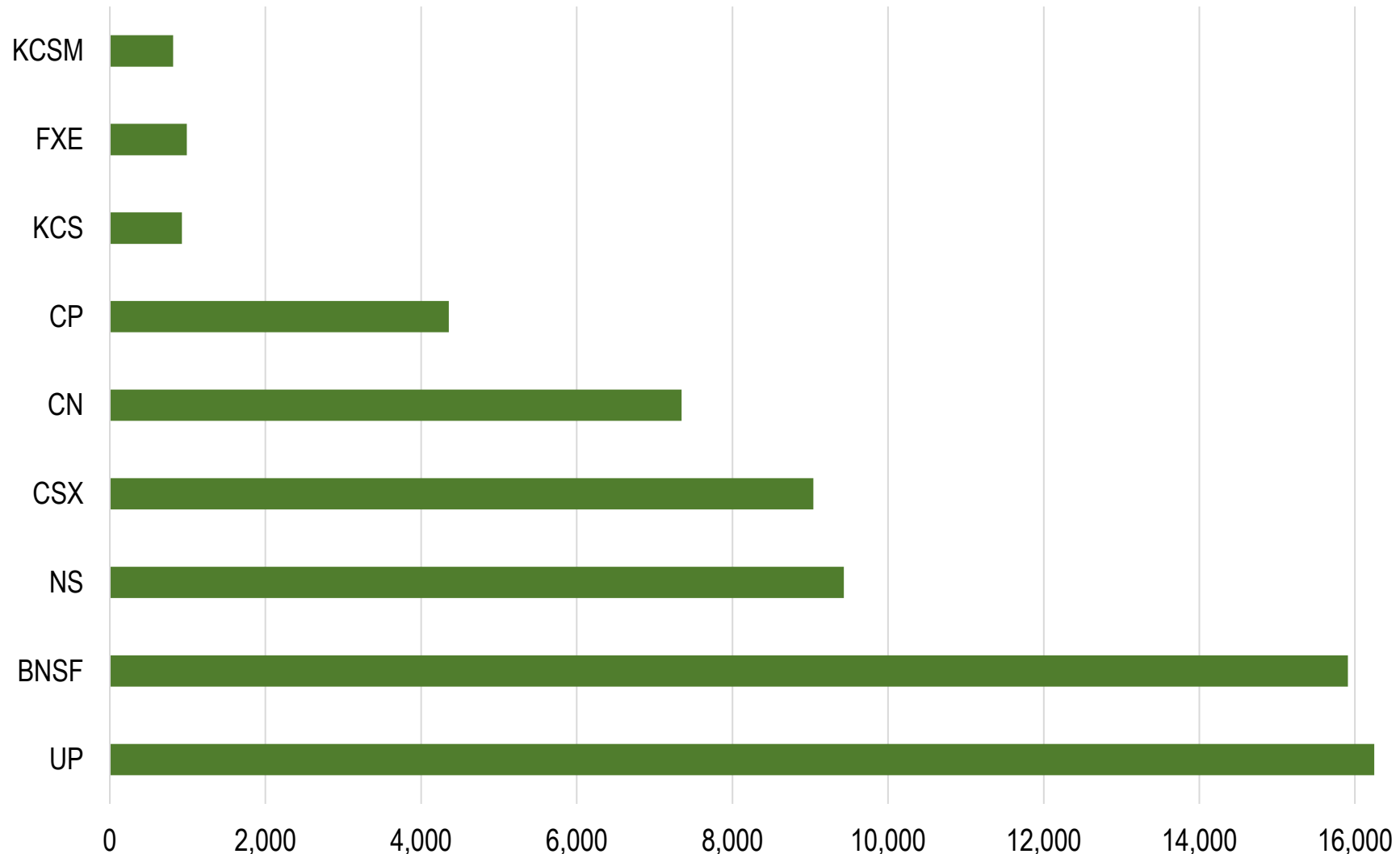
# Spatial Performance of Rail and Road Transportation



# Major Segments of the Rail Freight Market

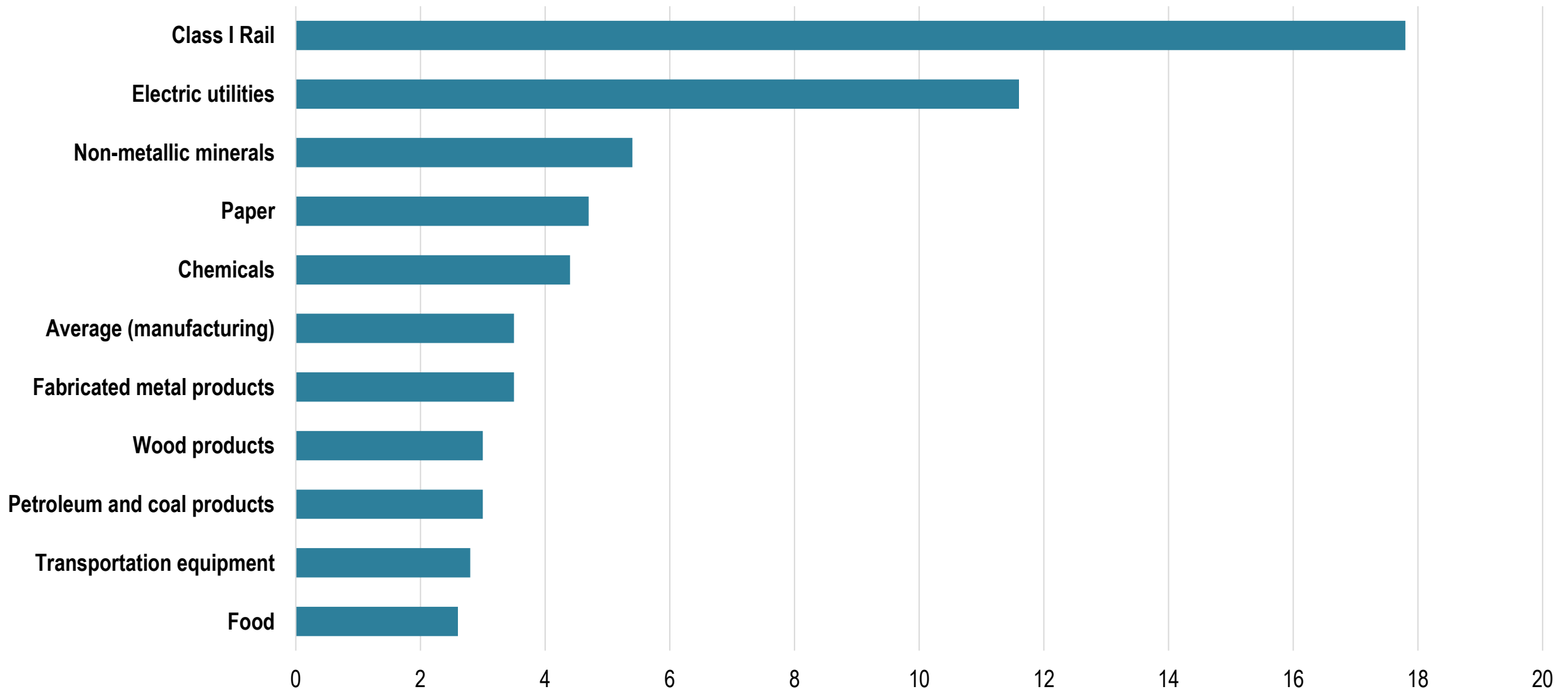
Segment	Description	Commodities	Share of volume
Single Wagon	Customer using a few wagons	Chemicals, Vehicles and Machinery	50 %
Full / Block Train	Customer has enough goods to fill a train	Coal and Steel, Construction materials	35 %
Intermodal	Transportation by container: the container or trailer is lifted on the wagon	Finished goods, Containerized goods	15 %

# Operating Revenue of Major North American Railroads, 2007 (million U.S. dollars)

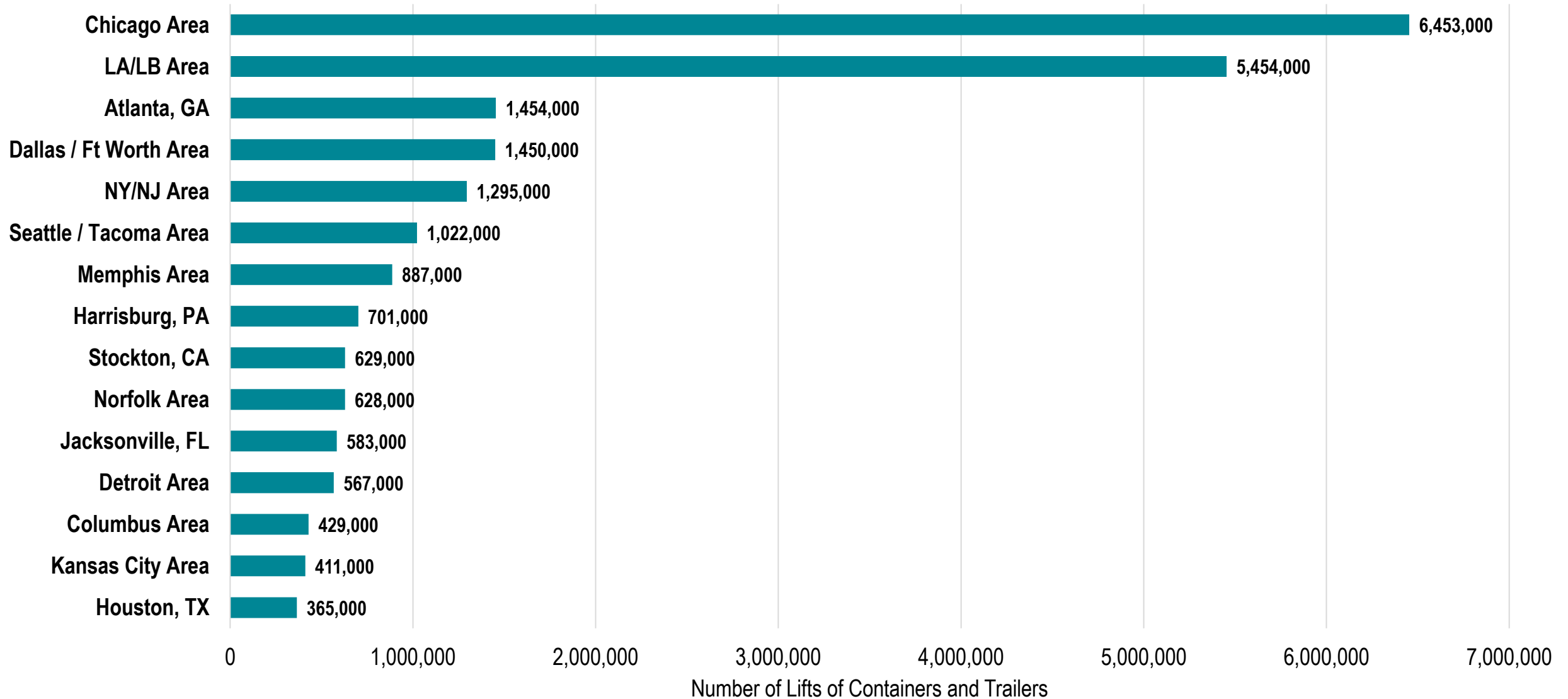




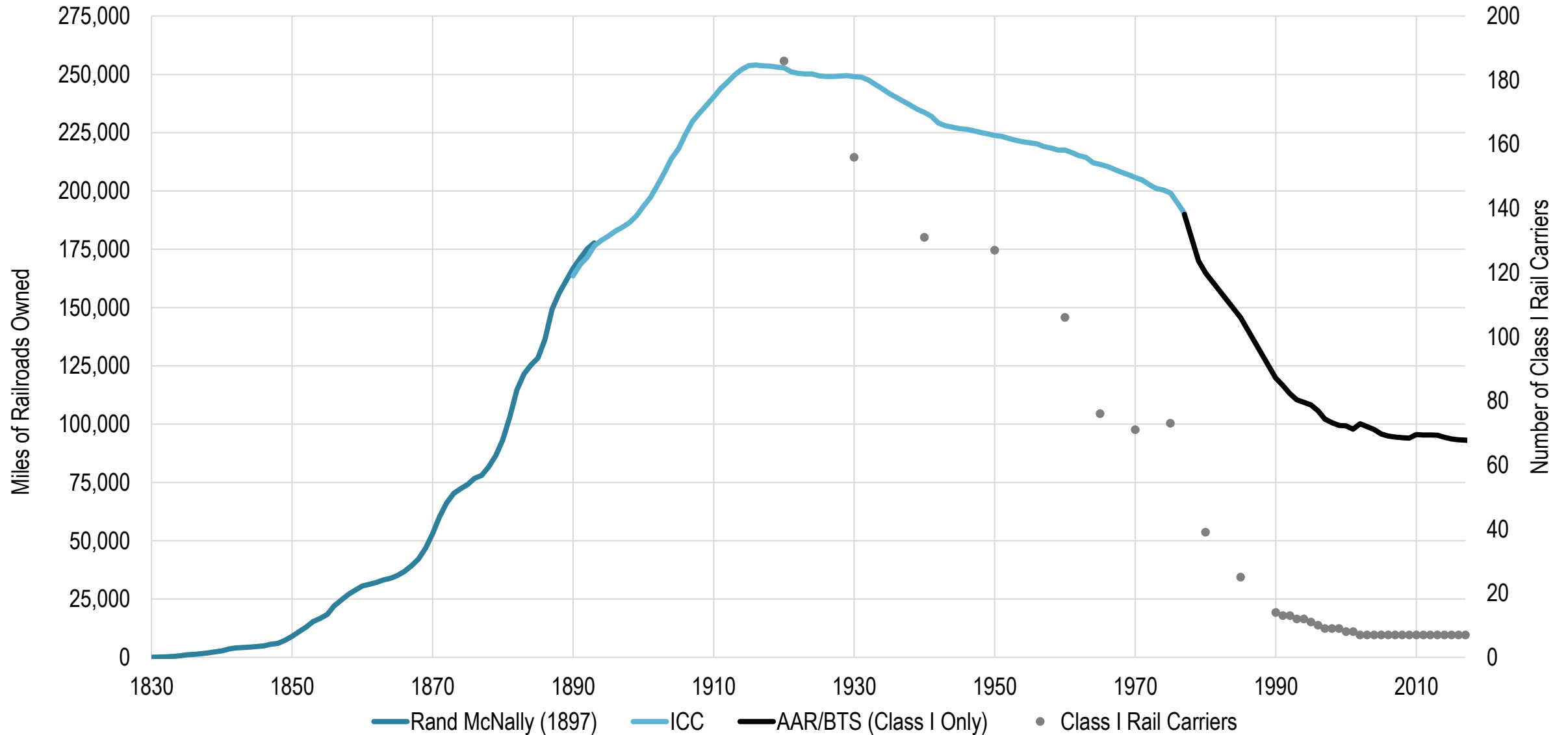
# Capital Expenditures as Share of Revenue



# Major Intermodal Rail Markets in the United States, 2018

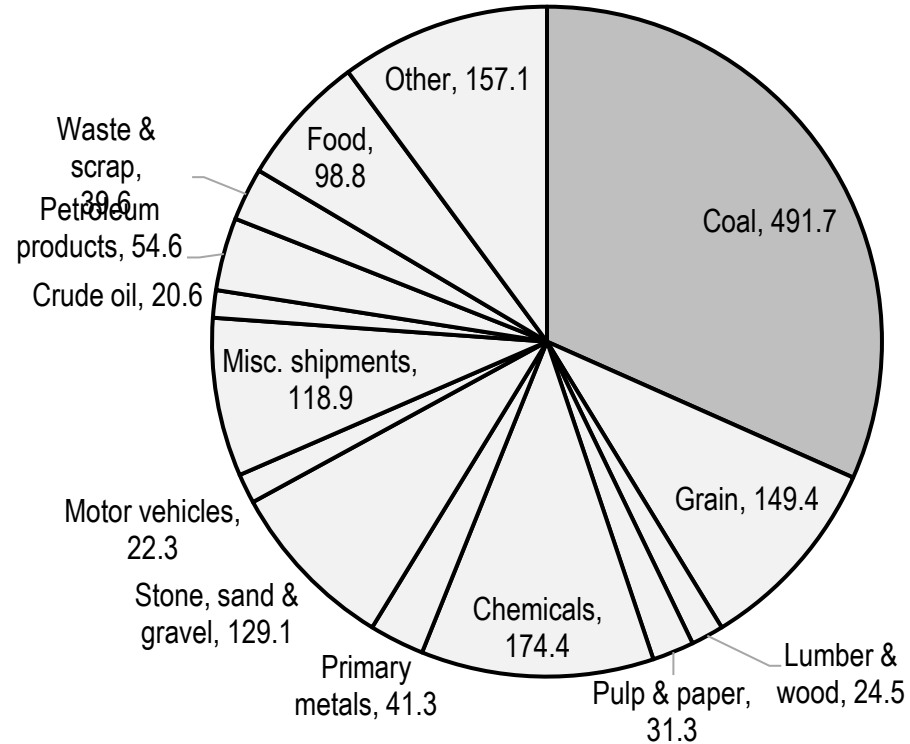


# Rail Track Mileage and Number of Class I Rail Carriers, United States, 1830-2020

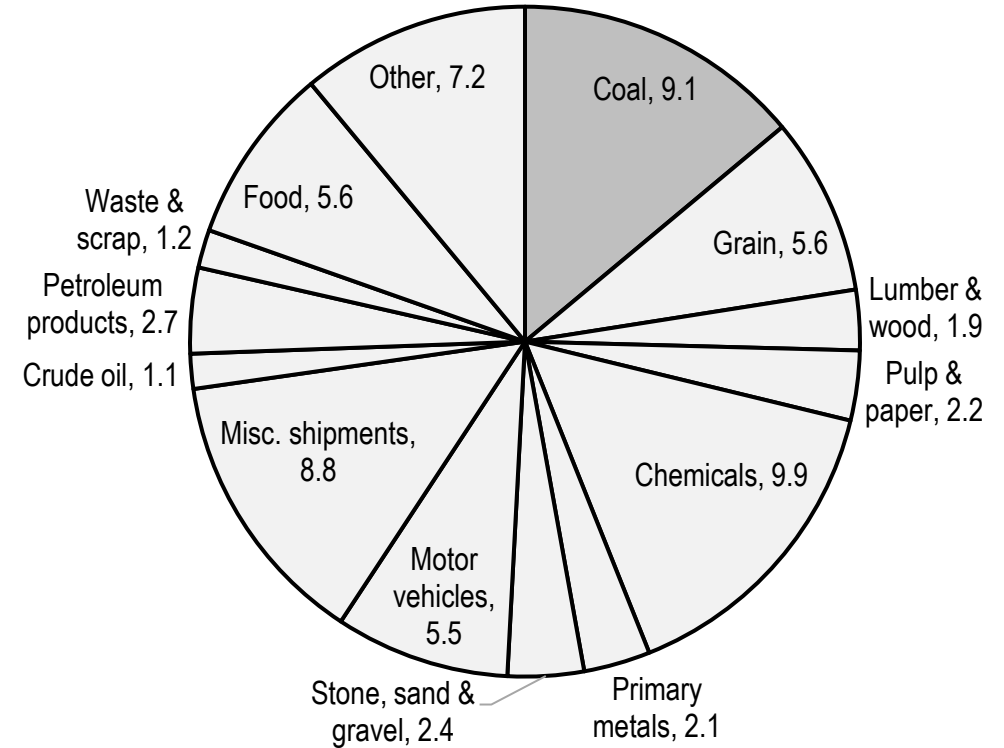


# Commodity Carried by Class I American Railways, 2016

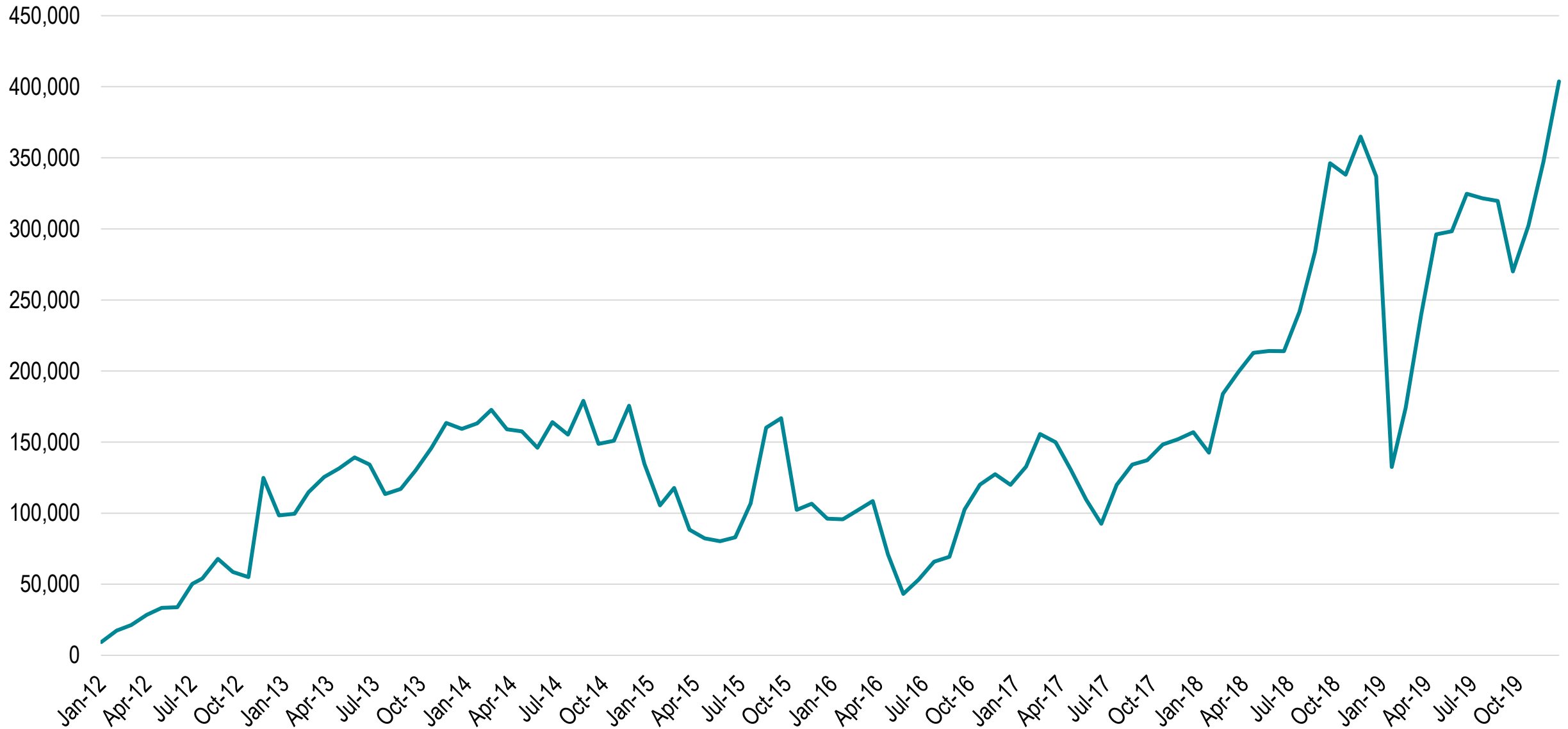
Tons (millions)



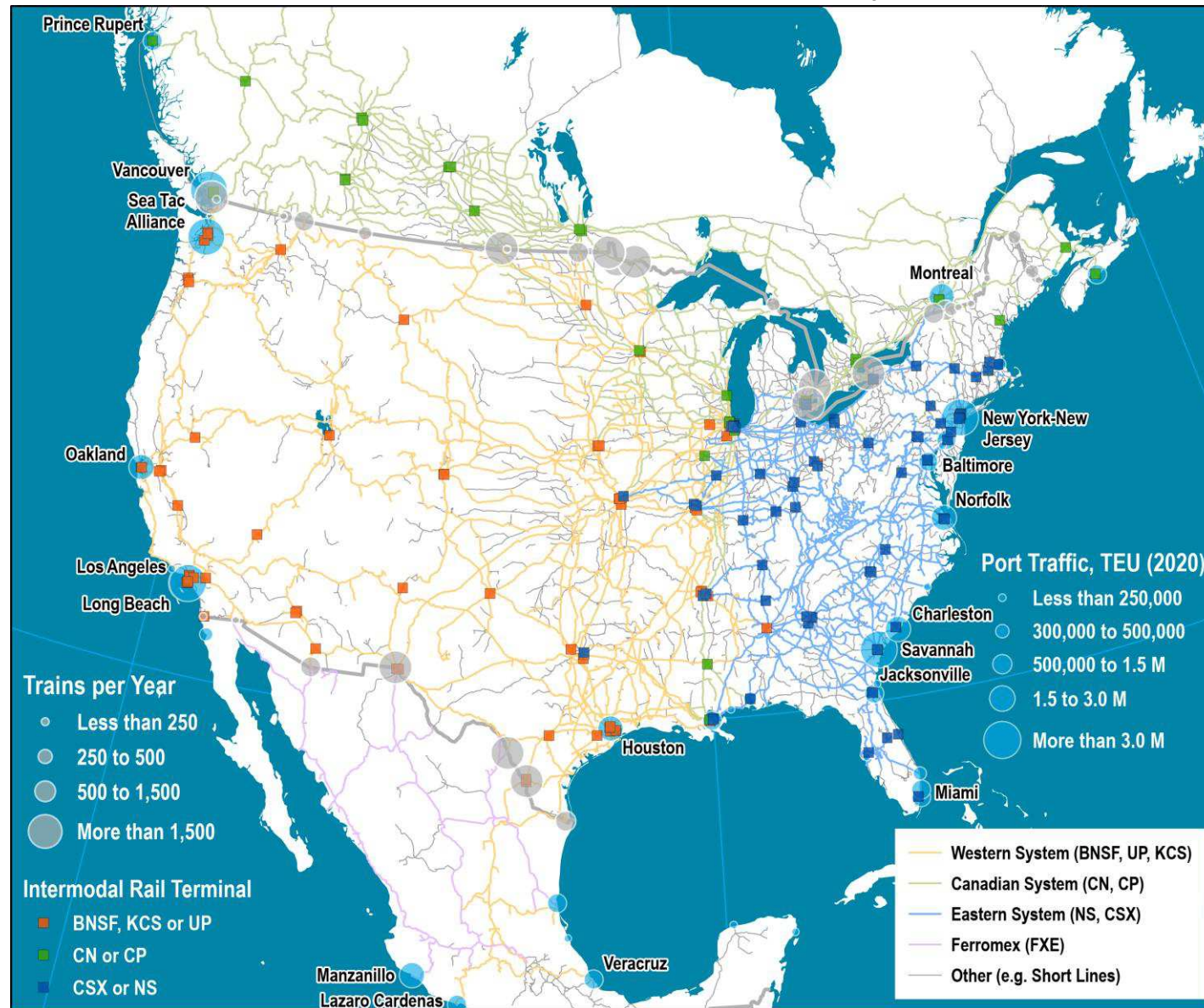
Revenue (\$ billions)



# Canadian Crude Oil Exports by Rail, 2012-2020 (in barrels per day)

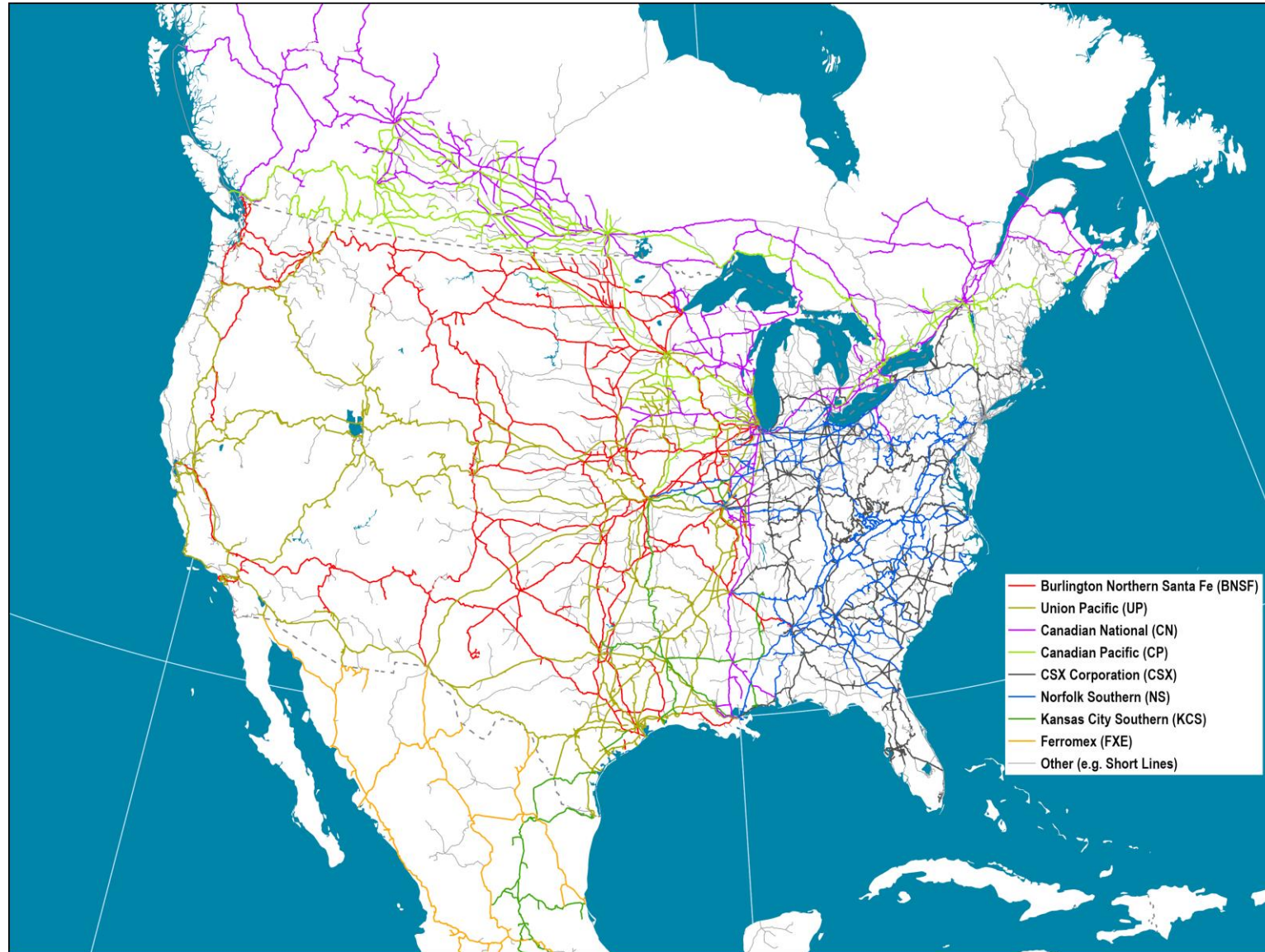


# The North American Intermodal Rail Transport System

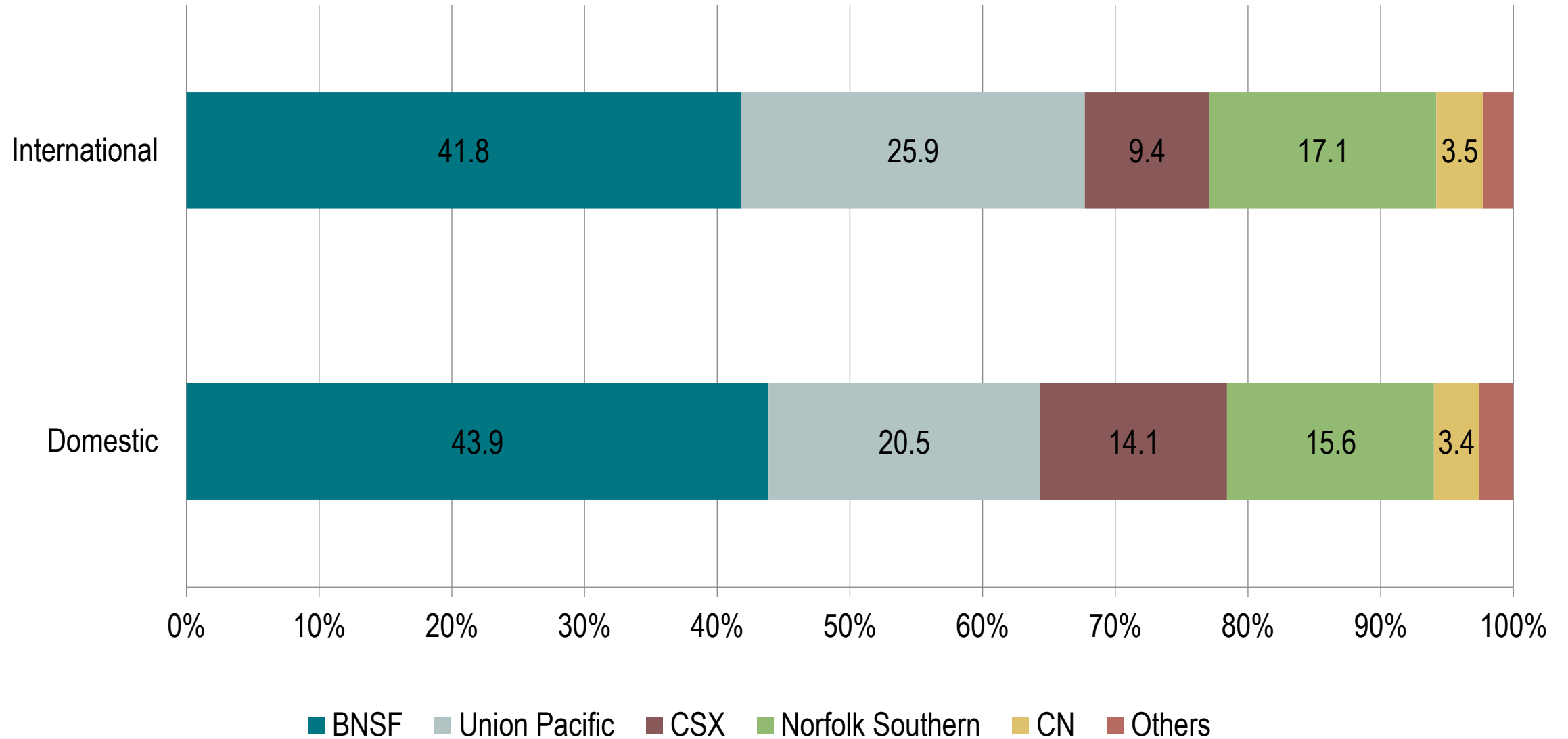




# Ownership of Major North American Rail Lines, 2021



# Market Share of US Intermodal Rail, 2006

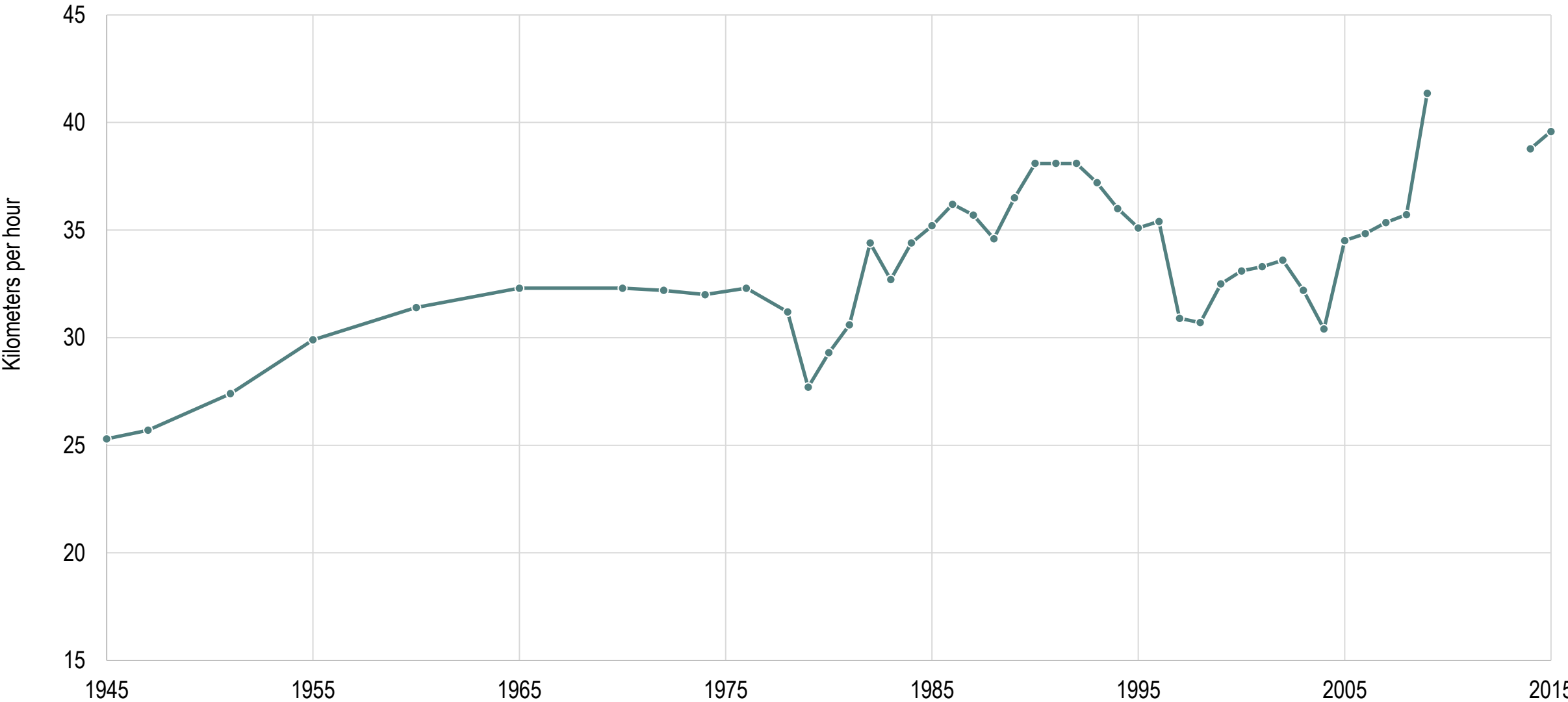




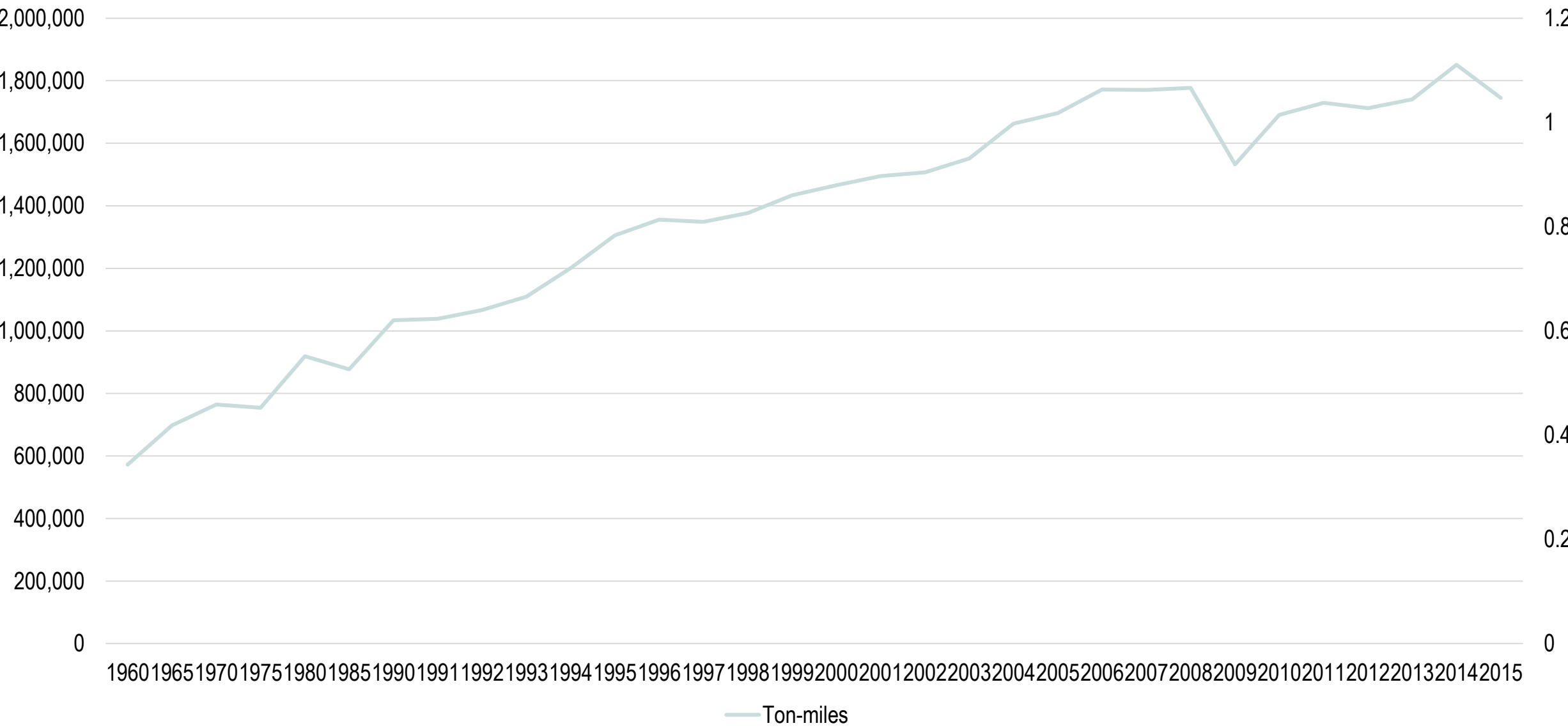
# Major North American Rail Corridors Improved since 2000



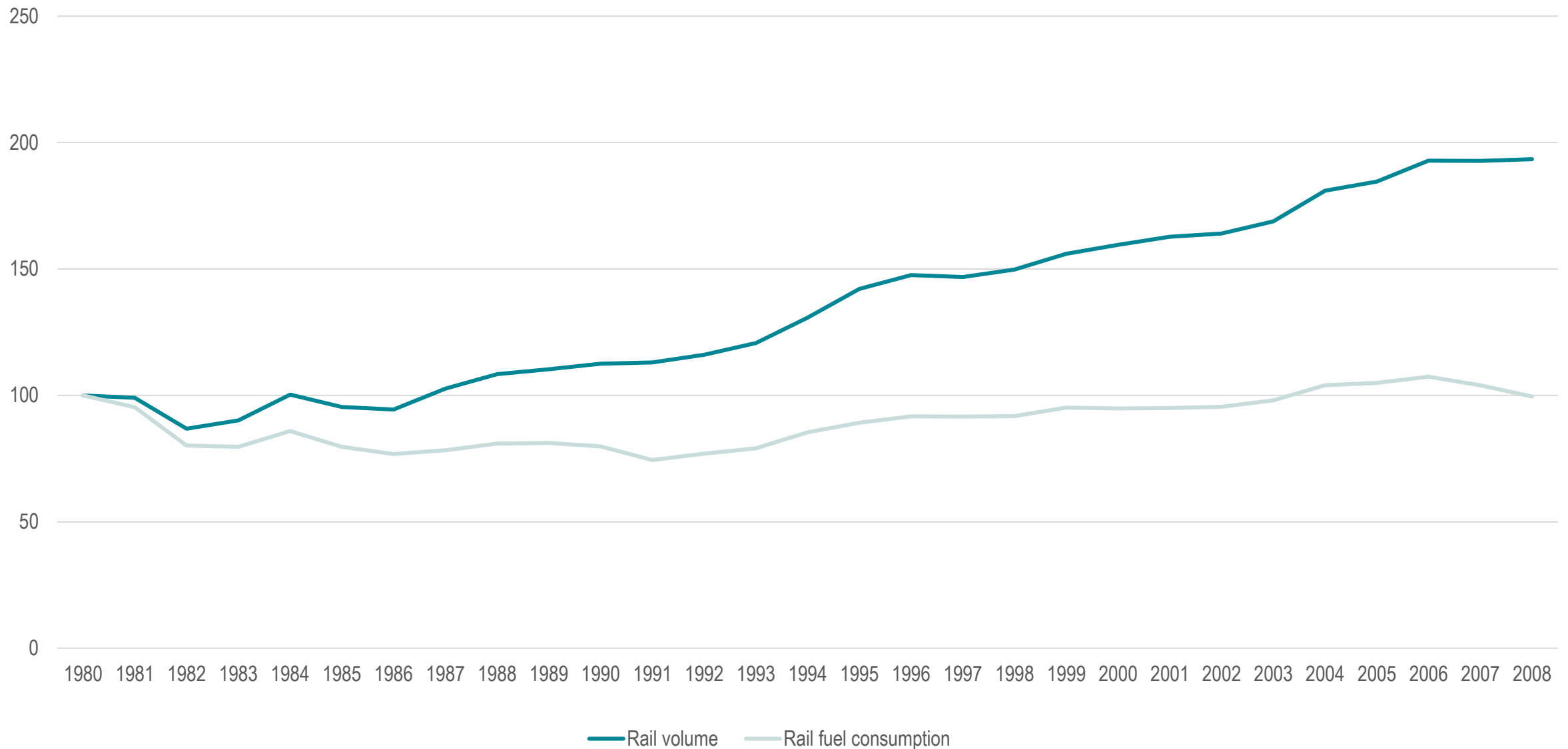
# Average Speed of Class I Railroads, 1945-2015



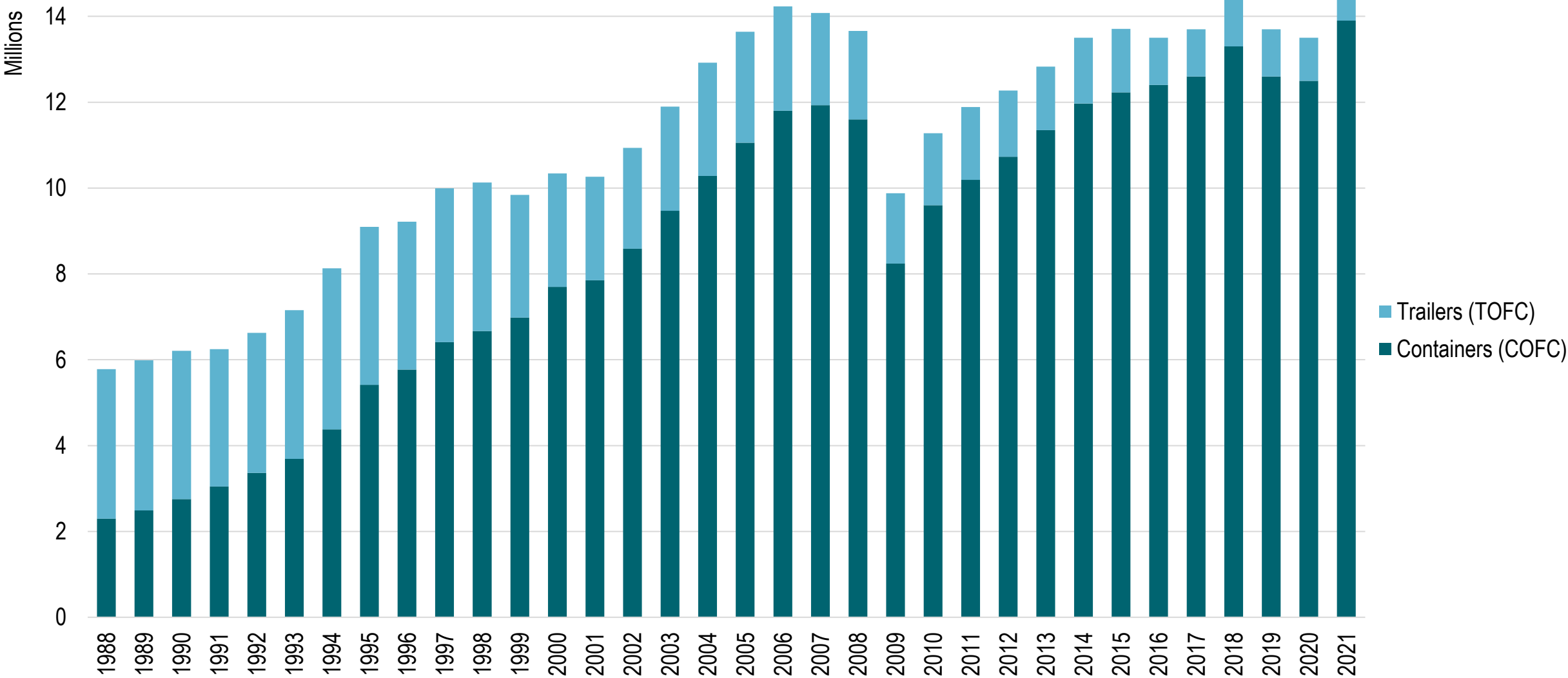
# Rail Freight Volumes Transported in the United States, 1960-2015



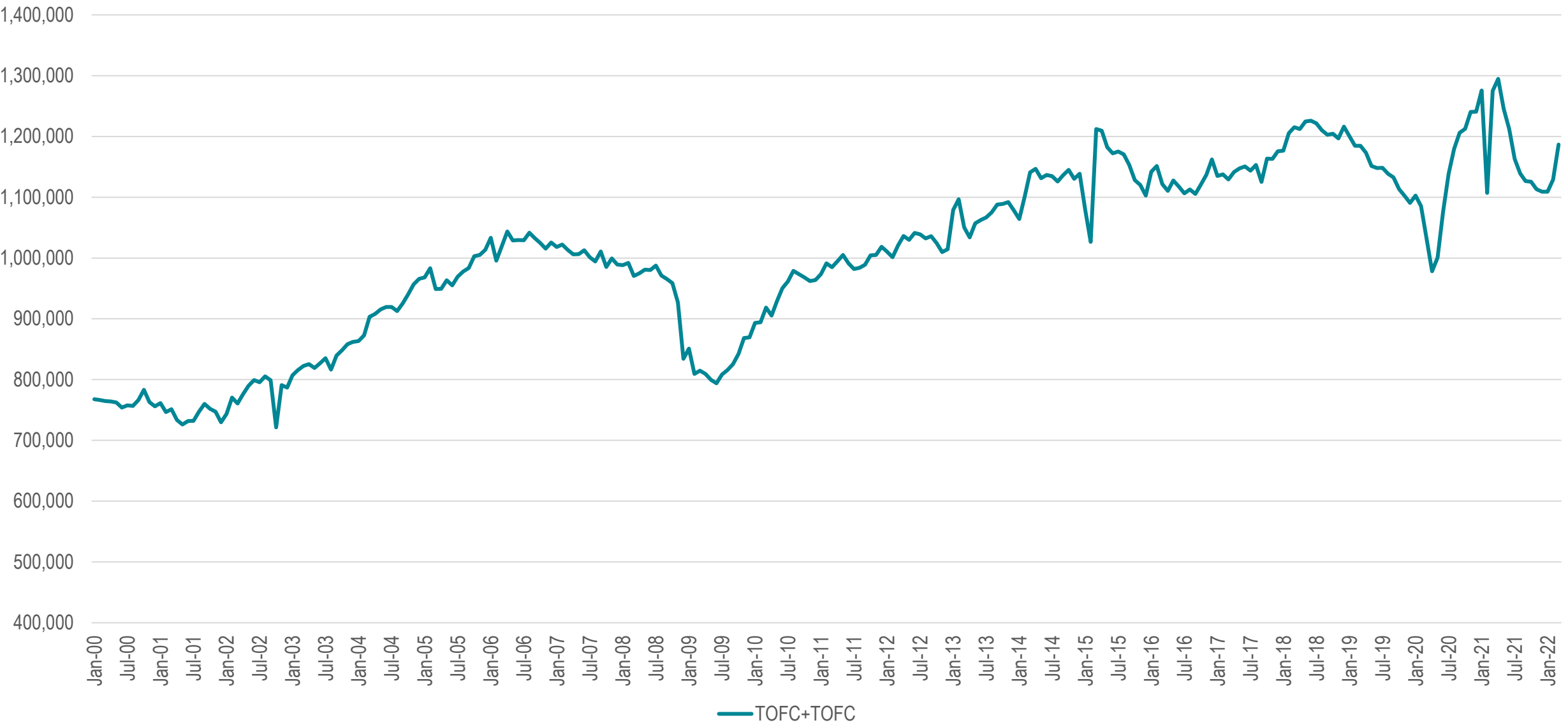
# Rail Volume and Fuel Consumption, United States, 1980-2008 (1980=100)



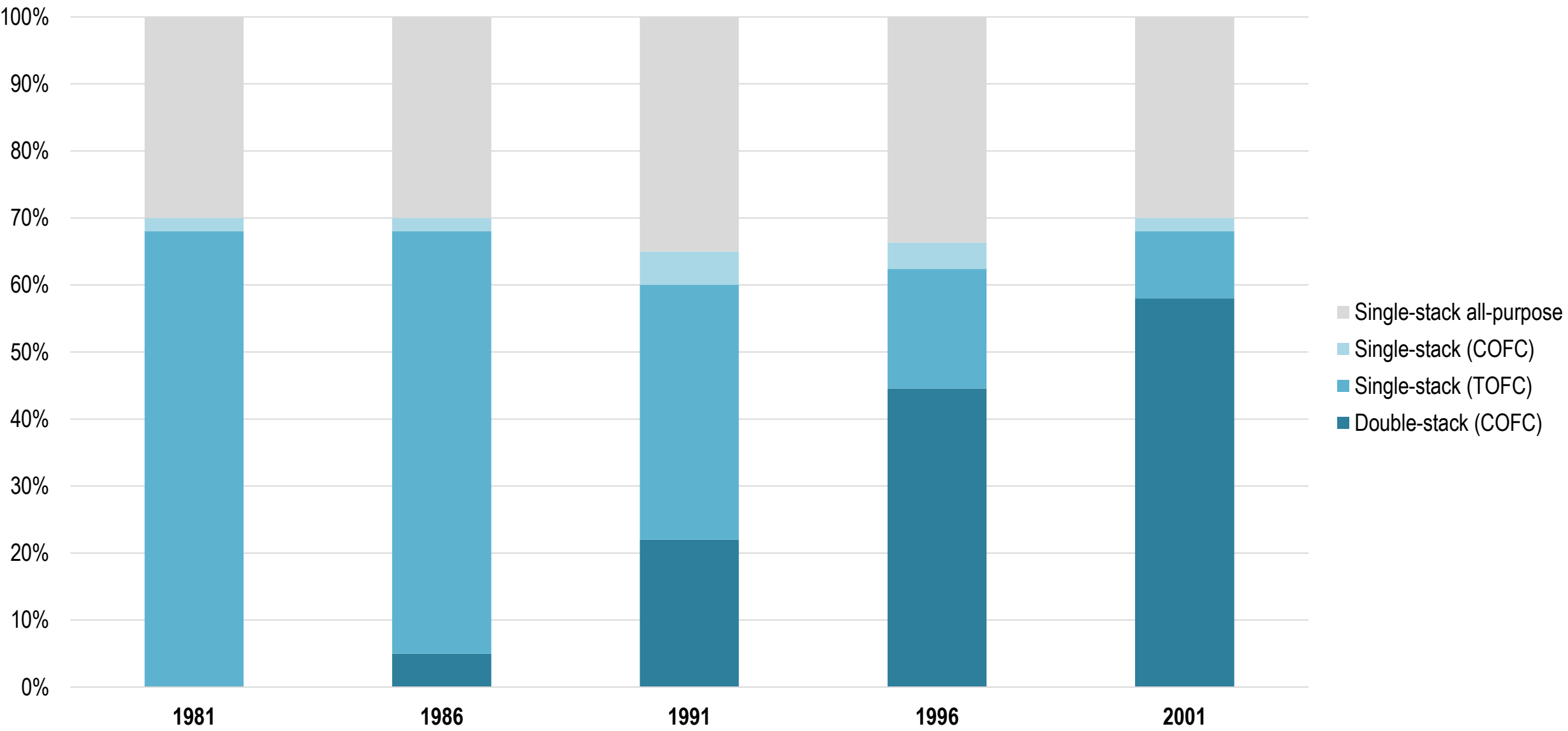
# American Intermodal Rail Traffic, 1988-2021



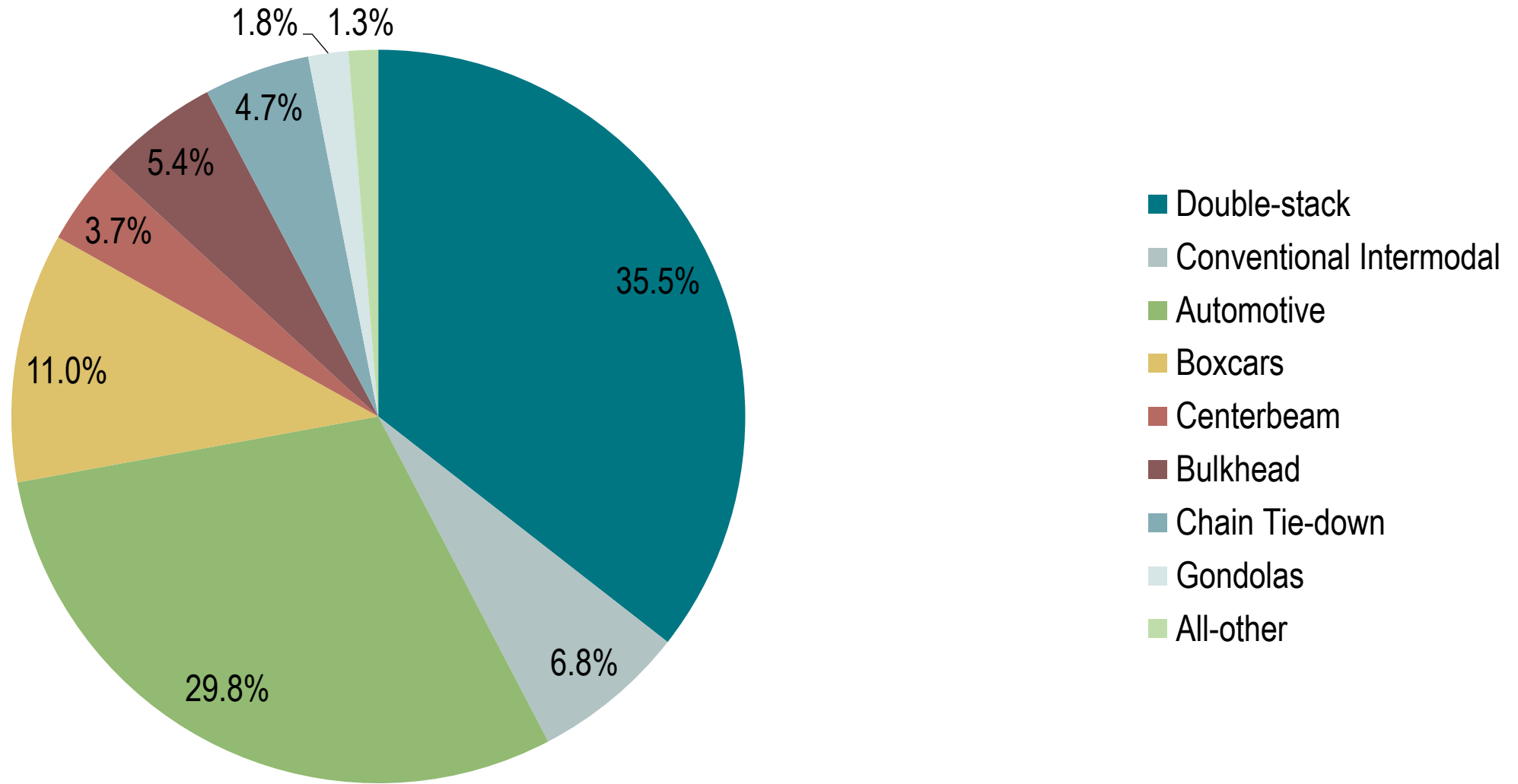
# Monthly Rail Intermodal Traffic, United States



# Composition of the North American Intermodal Rail Fleet

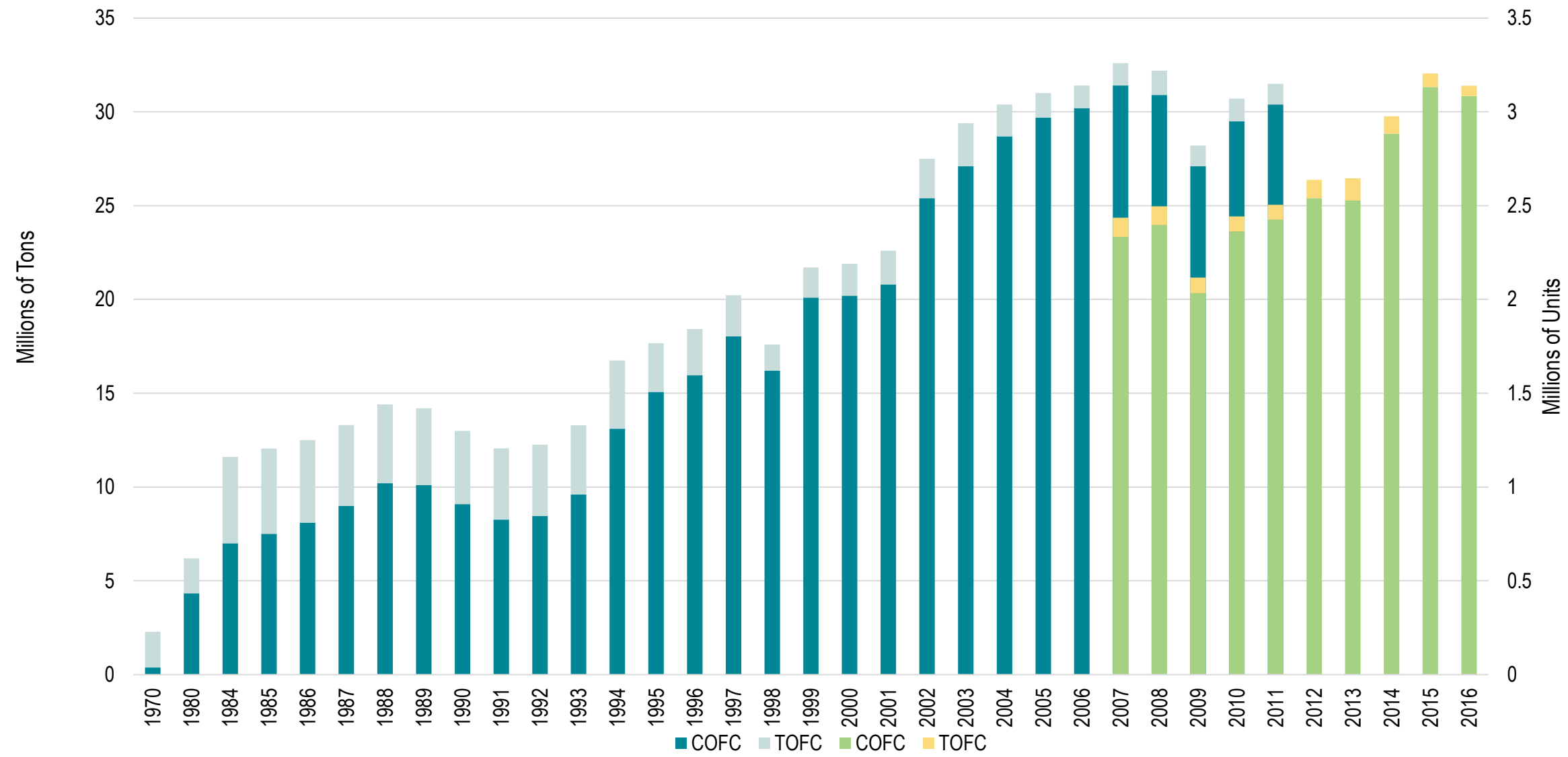


# Composition of the TTX Railcar Fleet, 2013

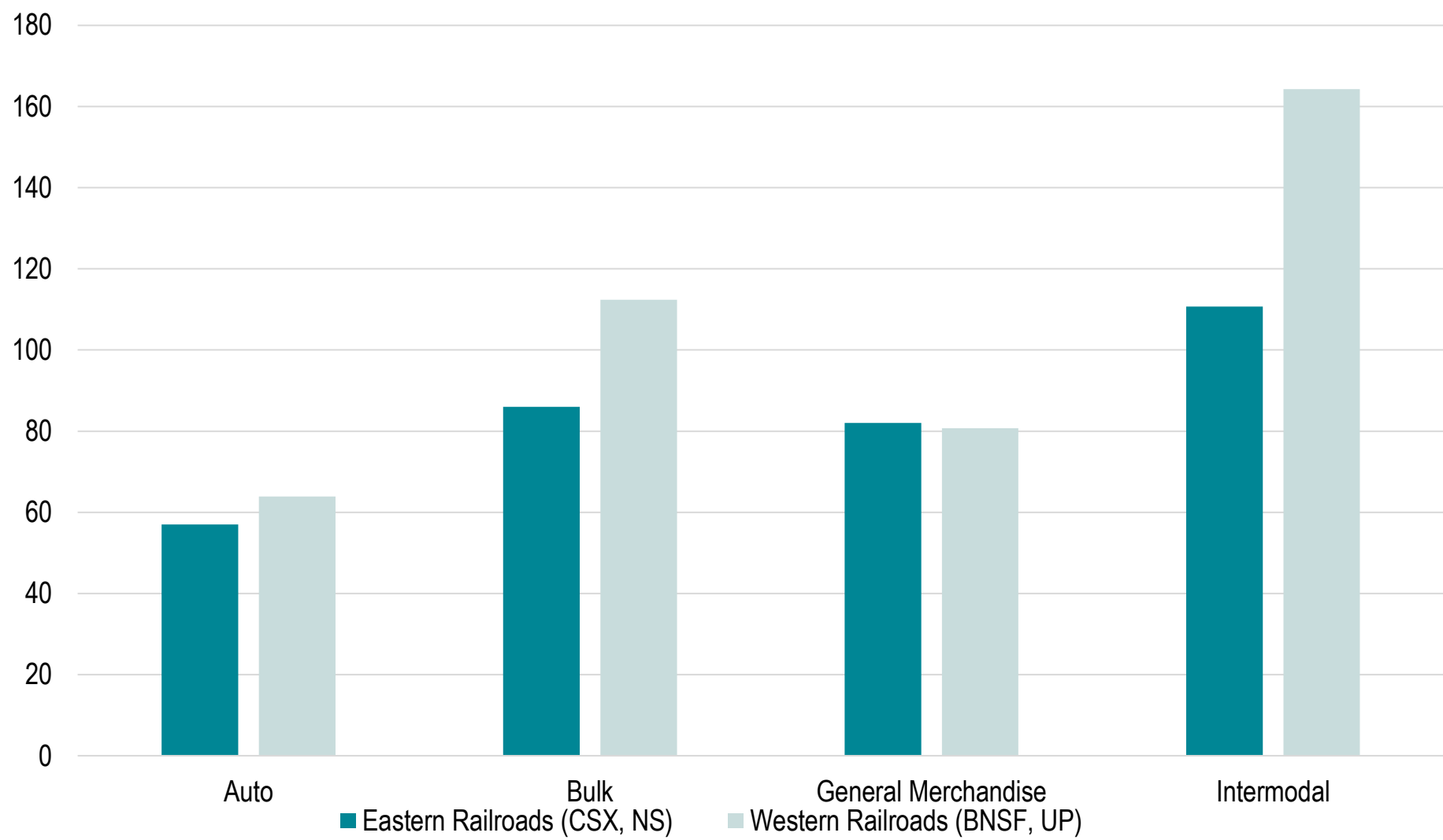




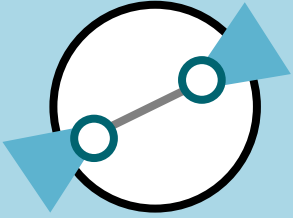
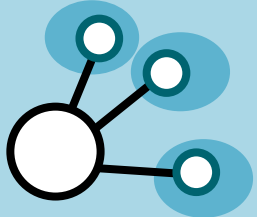
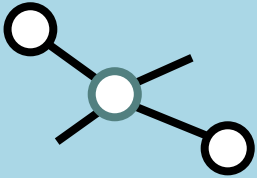
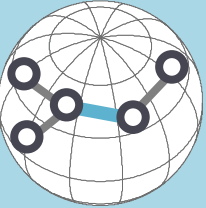
# Canadian Intermodal Rail Traffic, 1970-2016



# Average Freight Train Length, United States

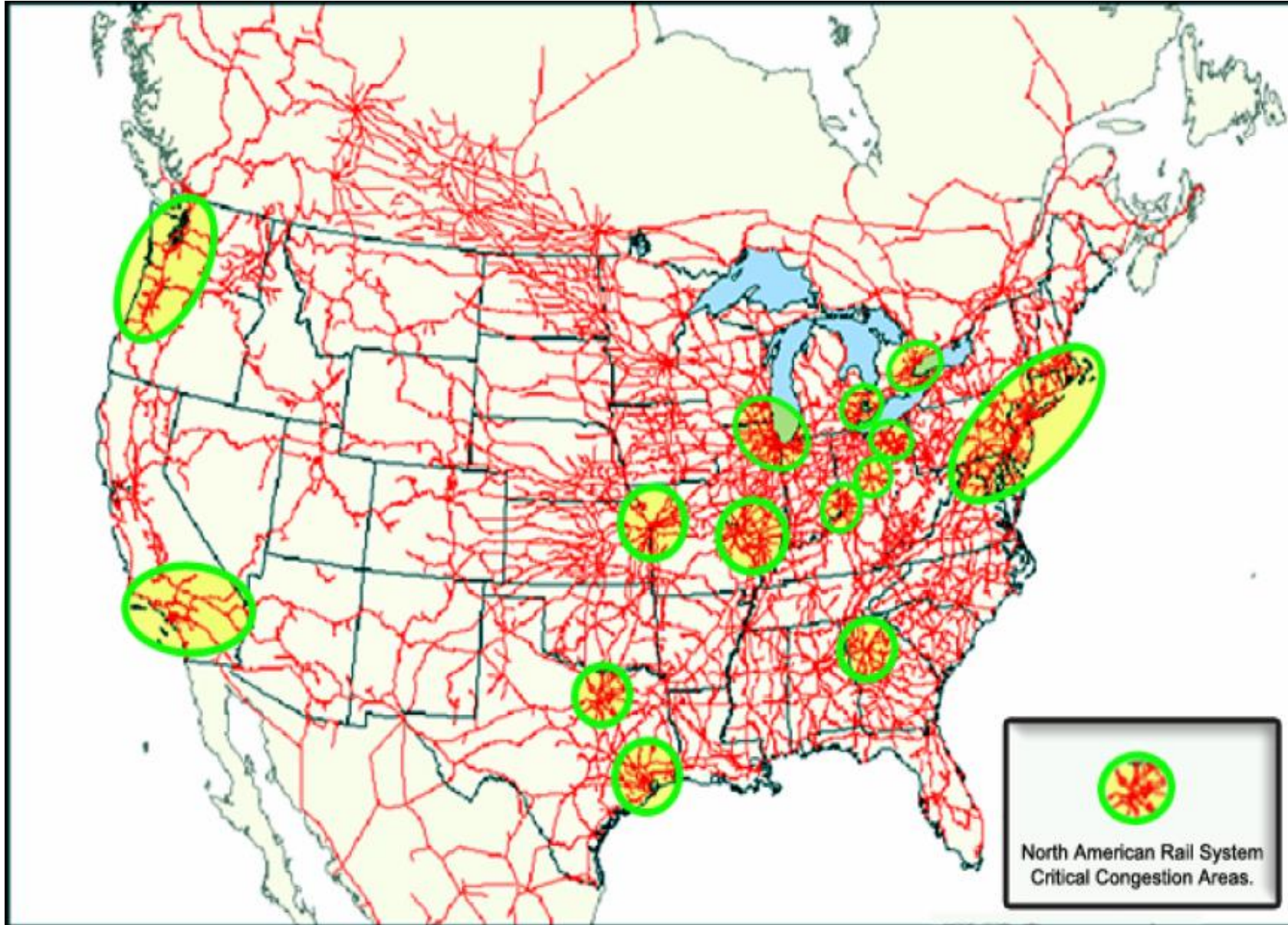


# Types and Functions of Rail Freight Corridors

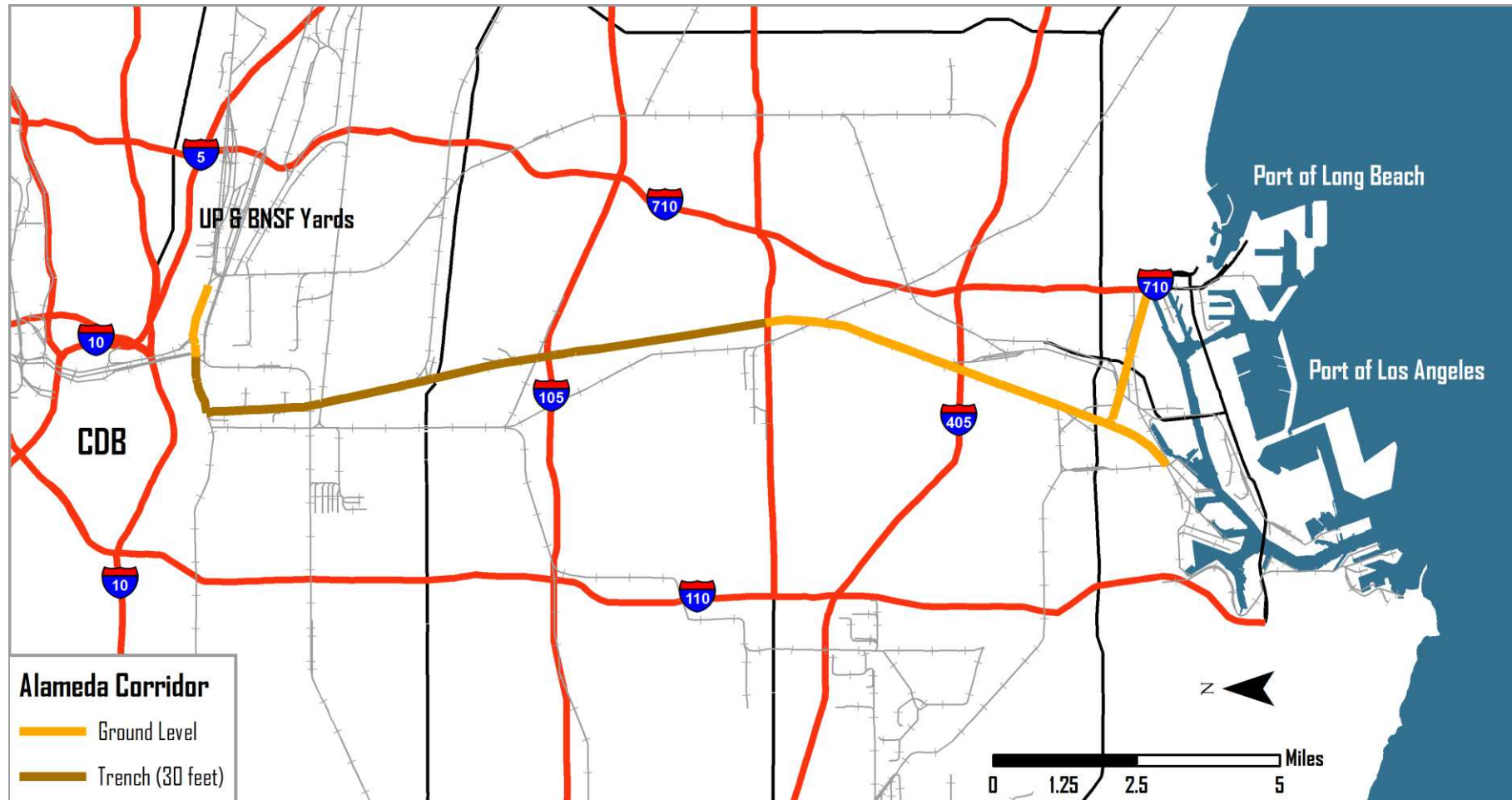
	TYPE	FUNCTION	EXAMPLE
	Short distance (within a gateway / hub)	Modal shift, improved capacity and throughput	Switch carrying; Alameda Corridor; Panama Canal Railway
	Hinterland access (between a gateway and its market area)	Expand market area, reduce distribution costs & congestion	Rail shuttles; Satellite terminals; Inland ports
	Landbridge (between gateways)	Long-distance container flows, continuity of global commodity chains	North American landbridge; Eurasian landbridge
	Circum-hemispheric (between gateways with a maritime segment)	Integrated global transport chains	“Belt and Road Initiative”

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# Under Construction

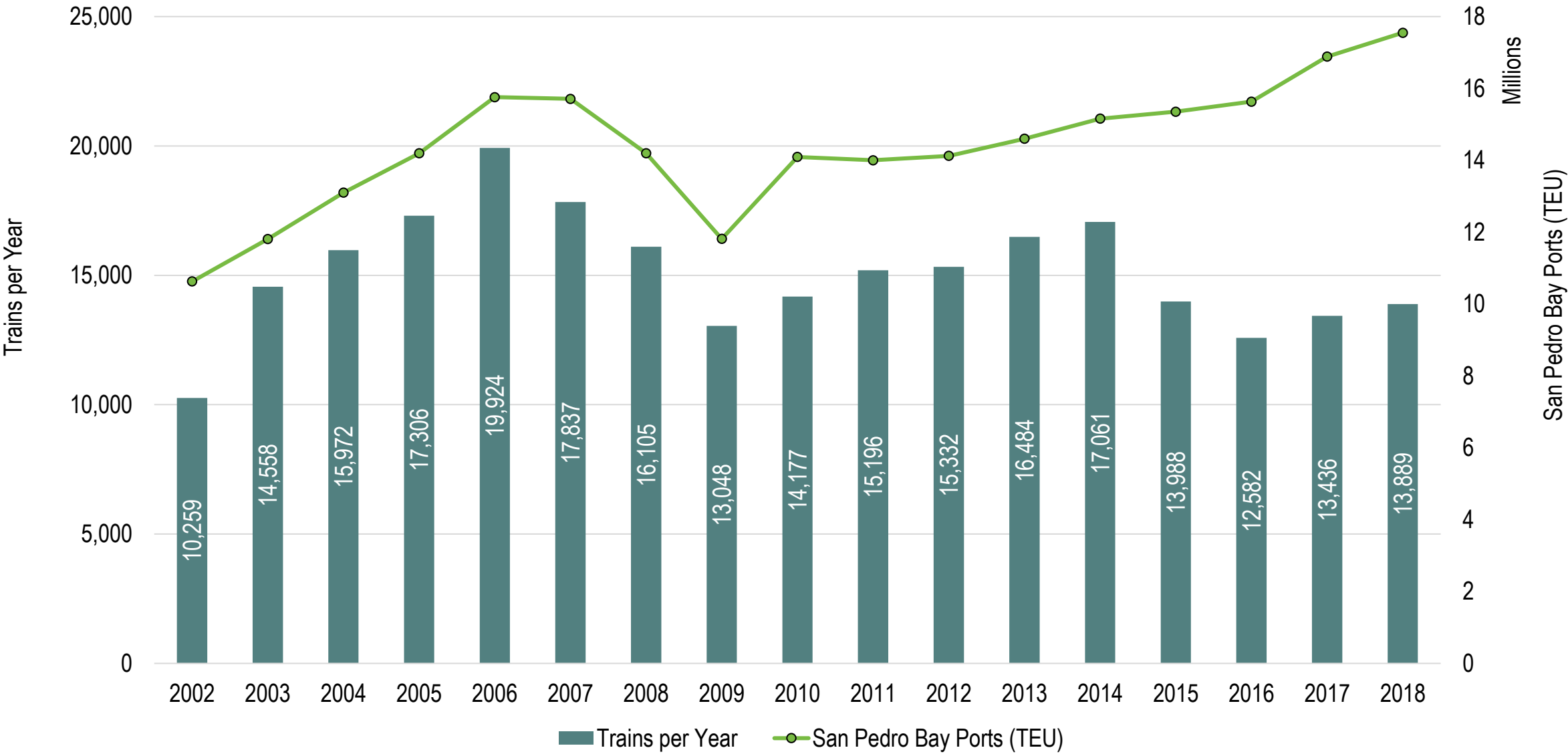


# The Alameda Rail Corridor

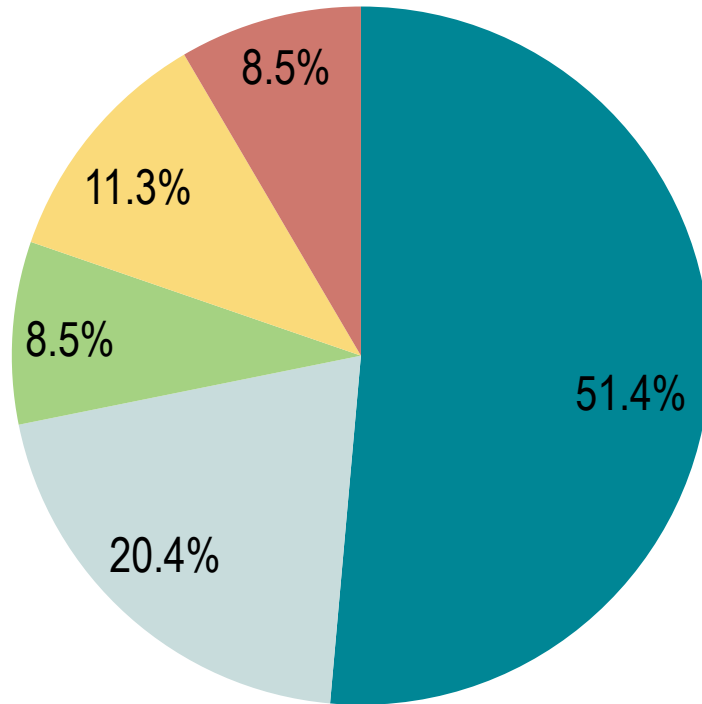




# Number of Trains Running Through the Alameda Corridor per Year and Containers Handled by the San Pedro Bay Port Cluster, 2002-2018

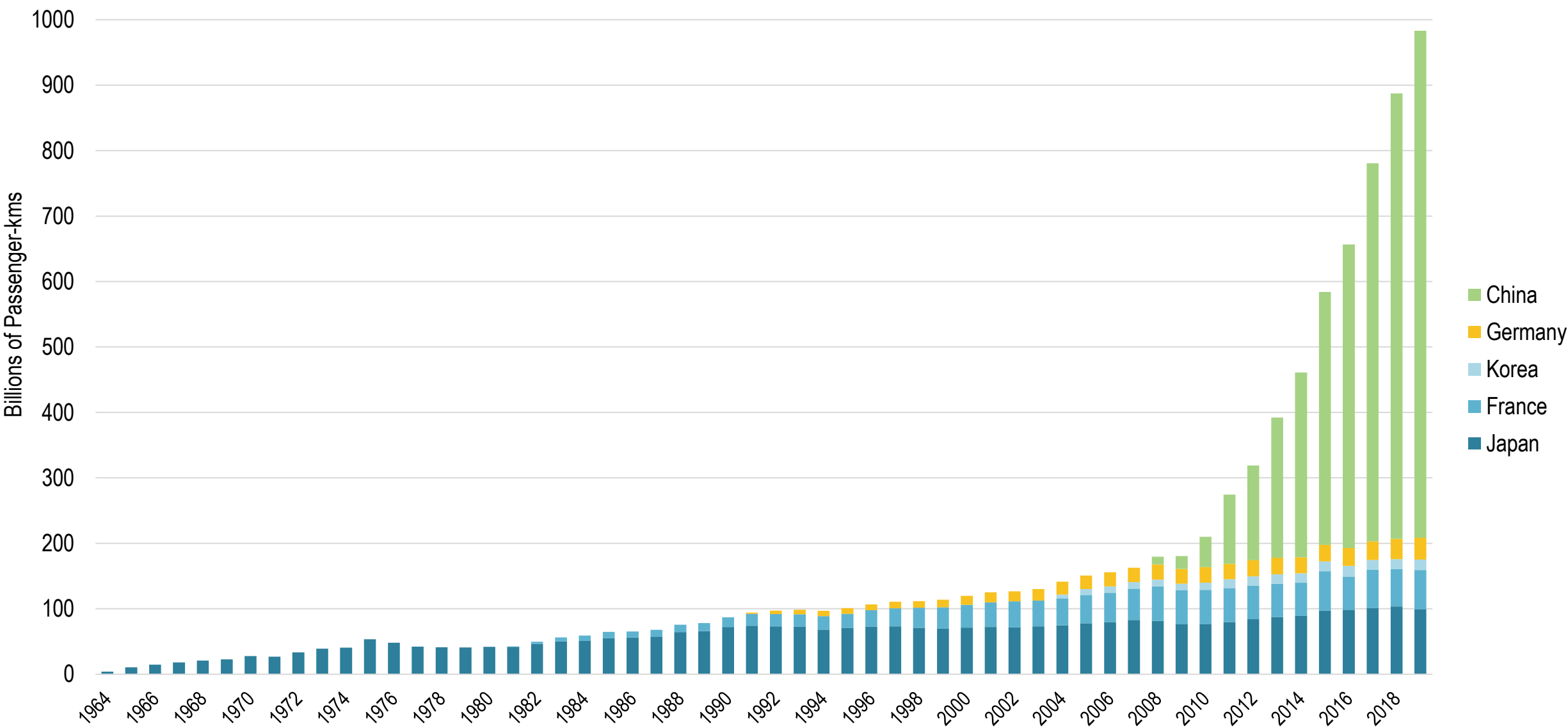


# San Pedro Bay Port Container Distribution



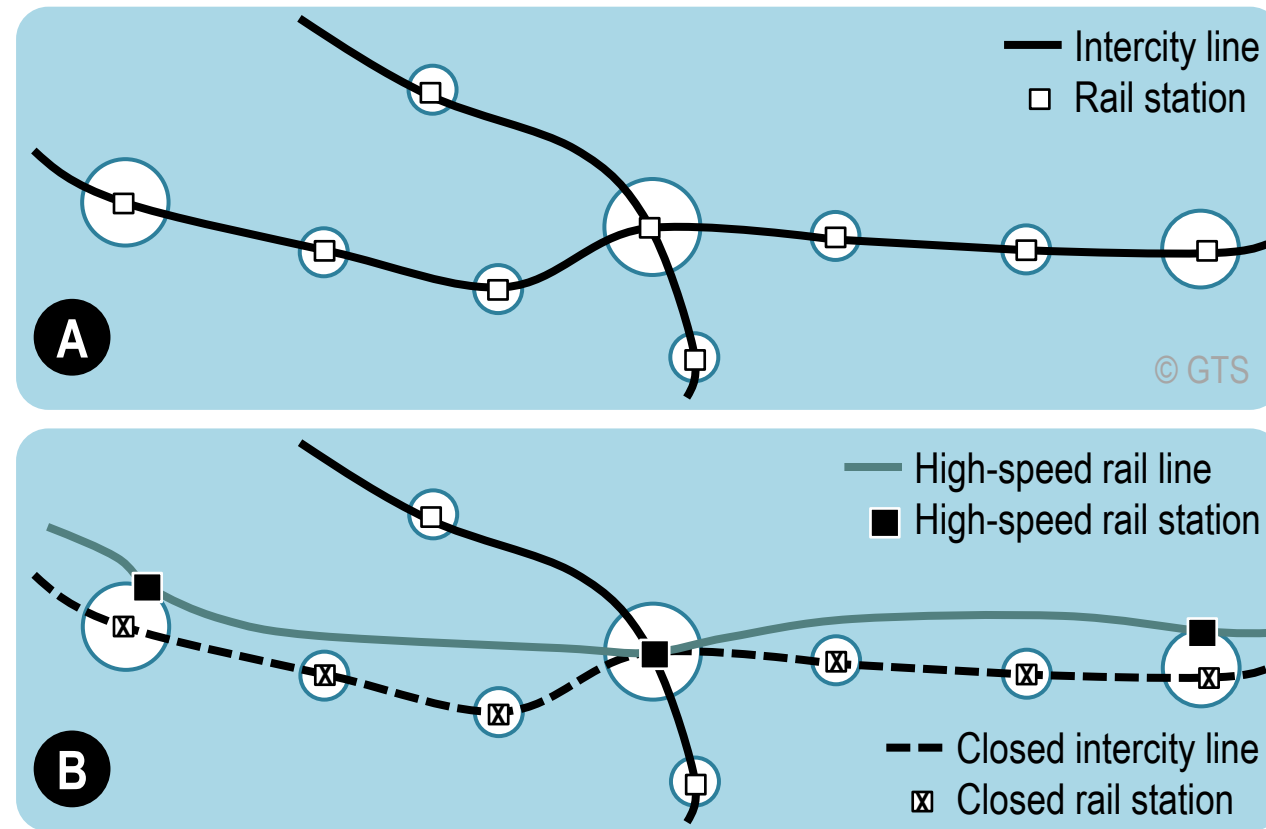
- Truck to/from DC (regional)
- Direct to rail (national)
- Truck to/from near dock (national)
- Truck to/from off dock (national)
- Truck to/from DC then to rail (national)

# Development of High-Speed Train Traffic, Largest Markets, 1964-2019





# Restructuring Effects of High-Speed Rail



# Comparison Between European, North American and Pacific Asian Railways

Issue	Europe	North America	Pacific Asia
Organisation	Separation of infrastructure from operations (for accountancy purposes)	Separation by region (markets) (private companies and concessions of vertically integrated companies)	Infrastructure and operations publicly owned
Market focus	Passenger oriented	Freight oriented	Passenger oriented
Ownership	Infrastructure mainly publicly owned with a few exceptions (e.g. UK). Freight equipment and terminals increasingly privately owned and operated.	Private	Public
Distances	Short to medium	Medium to long	Short to long

## European Union

## United States

Ownership of rail infrastructure

Close to 90% state owned

Entirely private

Technical characteristics

Low axle load (standard 22,5t), electric traction limiting height of loads, differences among EU countries (loading gauge, track gauge, power supply standards)

High axle load (standard 36t), no electric traction, max. axle weight 31,8t, national railroad infrastructure standards (USA and Canada)

Capacity

400-750 meter in length, single stack, 80-120 TEU or 40-60 semitrailers

1300-3000m in length, double-stack, 250-600 TEU or 120-280 semitrailers

Operators

10 large operators

6 large class I operators

Competition

Strong competition limited by informal national and political regulations

Semi oligopolistic competition according to regions

Operations

Dense network with numerous long and short-distance corridors. Average intermodal train distance ca. 500km. Sea containers and short-sea containers distribution in rail shuttle.

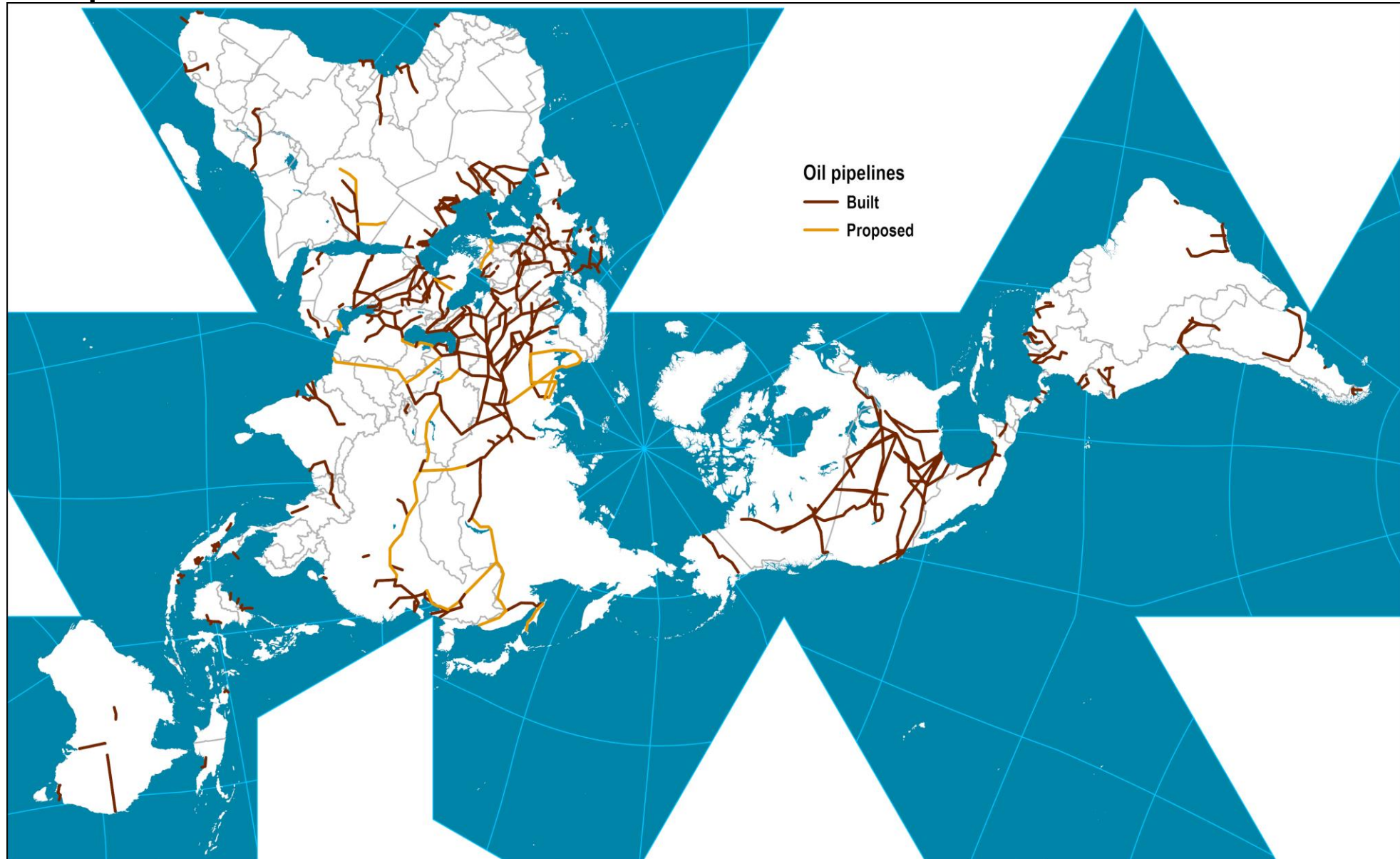
Large network with main long-distance corridors from gateway ports.  
Average intermodal train distance 1000-1200km (US West) and 2500-3500km (US East).  
Sea containers distribution in port-hinterland trains.  
After transloading to domestic containers and semitrailers distribution in port-hinterland trains.

Domestic containers and semitrailers in mostly in West-East directions.

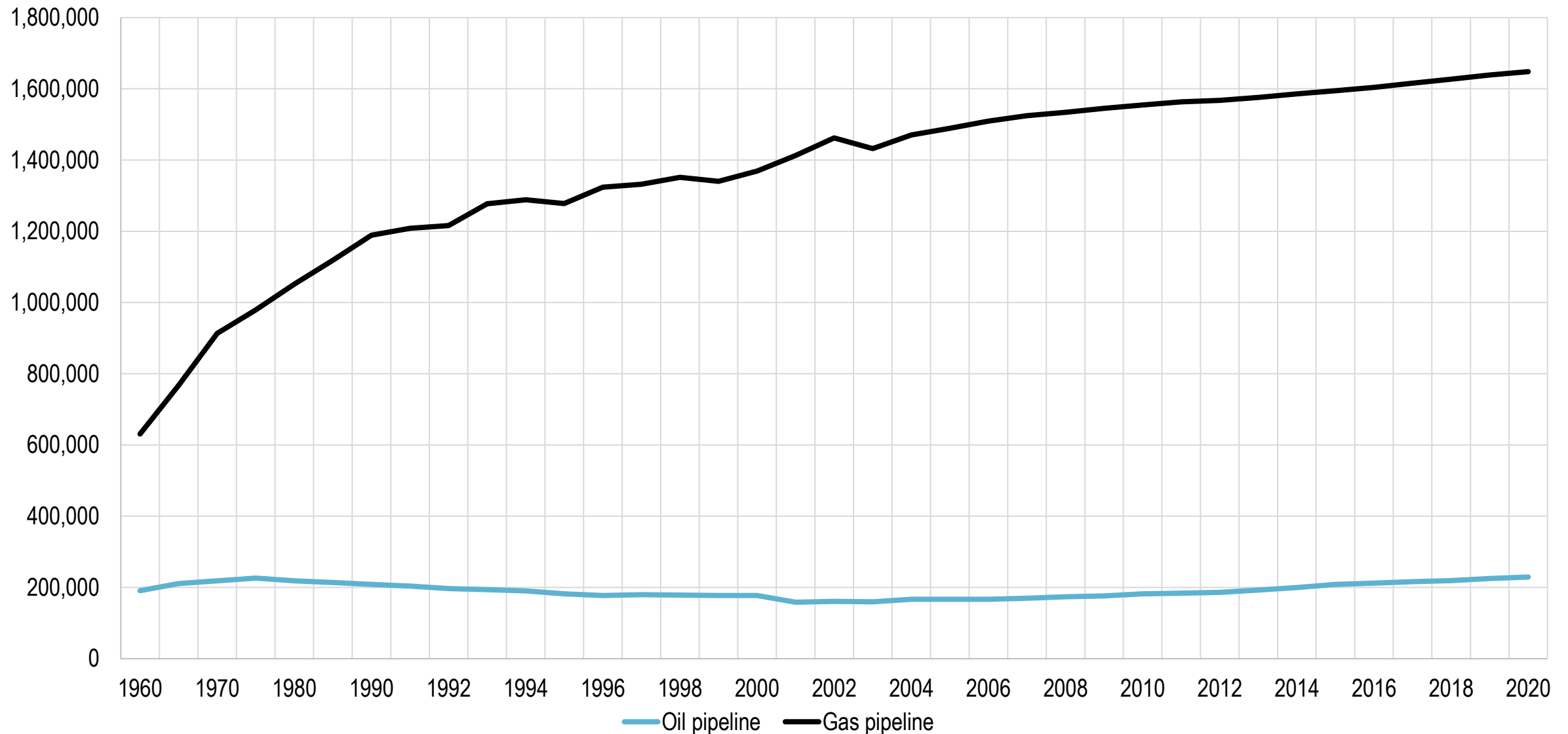
# Main Advantages of Railway Infrastructure Investment

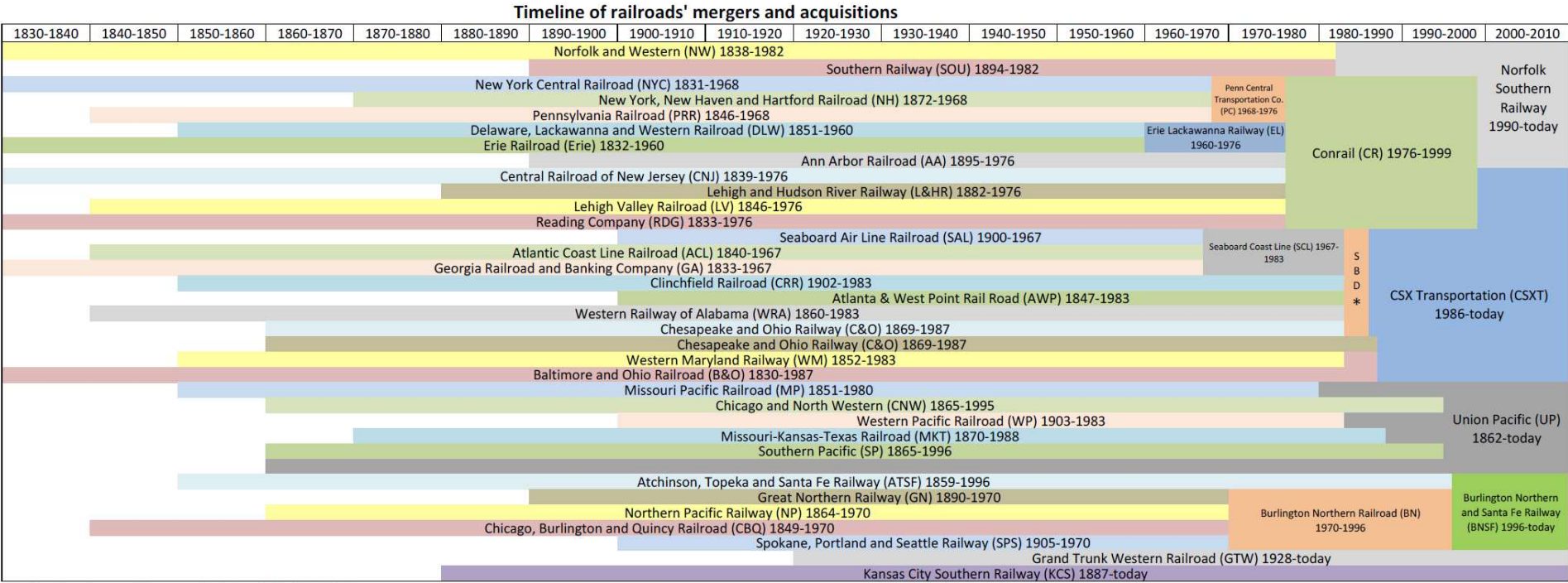
Group	Benefit	Description
Public sector	Lower highway congestion and maintenance	Potential substitution effect. Each intermodal train can take 280 trucks off the roadways, while each bulk and merchandise train can remove up to 500 trucks. Every passenger train displaces hundreds of automobiles.
	Improved safety and security	Freight railroads are safer than trucks. Railroads have one-fourth the rate of fatalities of trucks for intercity transportation, on a per ton-mile basis.
	Economic growth	Economies of scale provide long distance transport services at a lower cost.
	Environment	On average, railroads are three or more times more fuel efficient than trucks.
Shippers	Lower transit times	Reduced transit times lower shippers' costs by lowering the inventory carrying costs of the transported goods.
	Lower logistics costs	Due to economies of scale, freight rail can provide long-haul transportation services at a lower rate than trucks.
	Improved reliability	Expanded rail capacity lowers the variability in transit time by reducing the uncertainty created from delays. Improved transportation on-time performance lowers manufacturing costs, both from reducing stock-outs and shut-downs, and from the ability to safely maintain lower inventory levels.
Rail operators	Increased ridership or traffic	Expanding freight capacity can increase the revenue of the freight railroads through increased business opportunities.
	Improved reliability	Expanded rail capacity lowers the variability in transit time by reducing the uncertainty created from delays.

# Major Oil Pipelines



# Oil and Gas Pipelines Mileage in the United States, 1960-2020

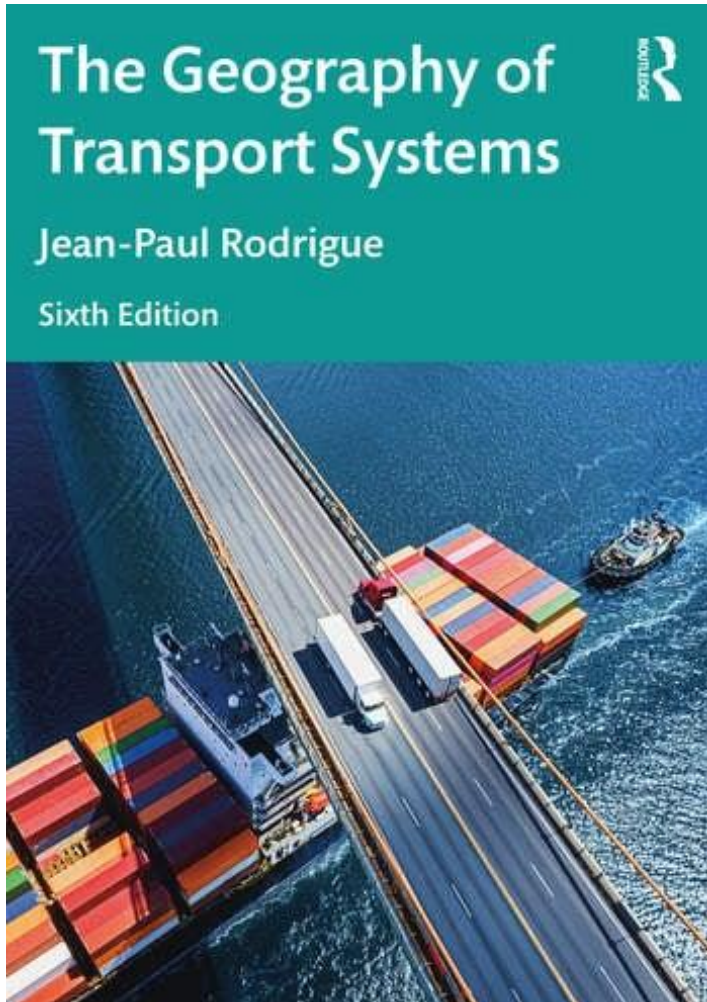




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Source: Railroads' websites, backward historical analysis based on public data available online

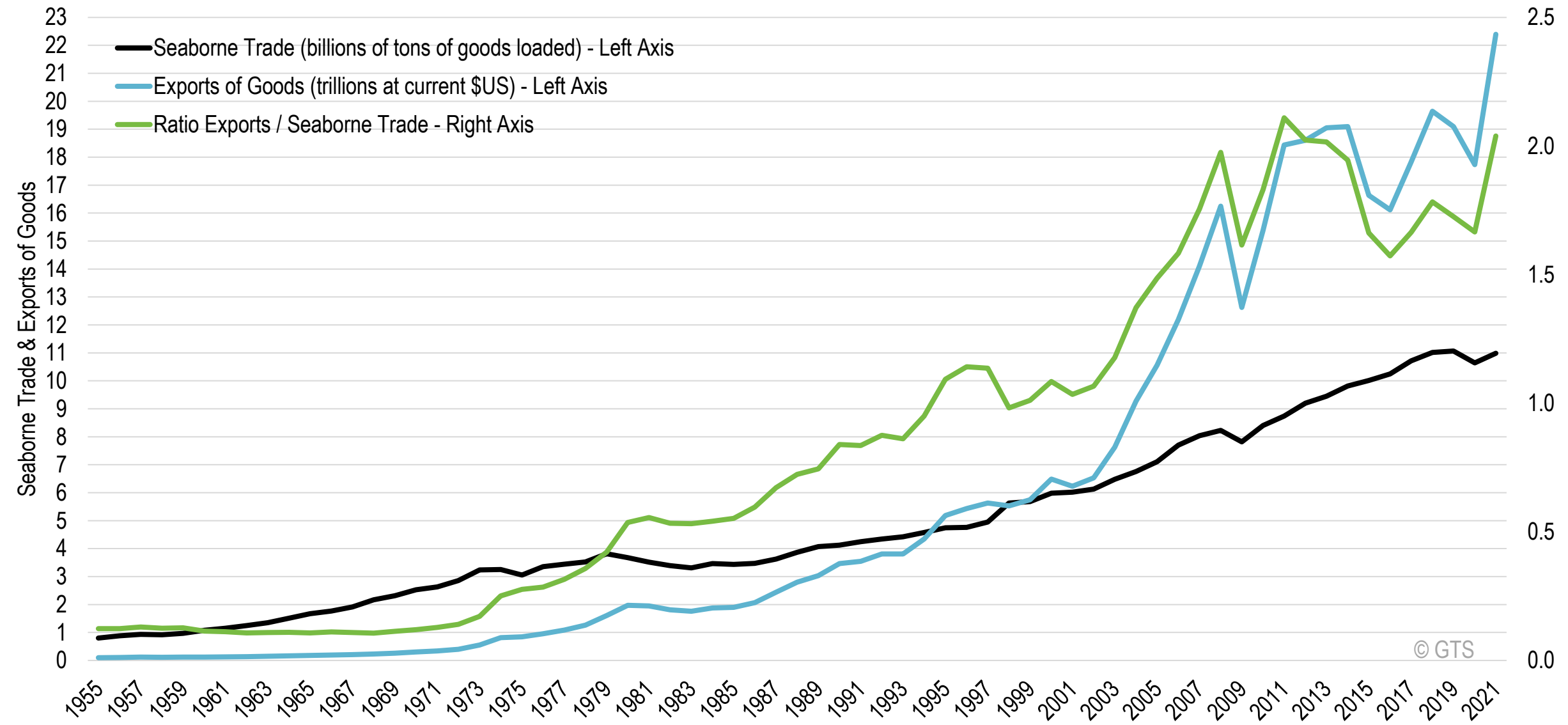




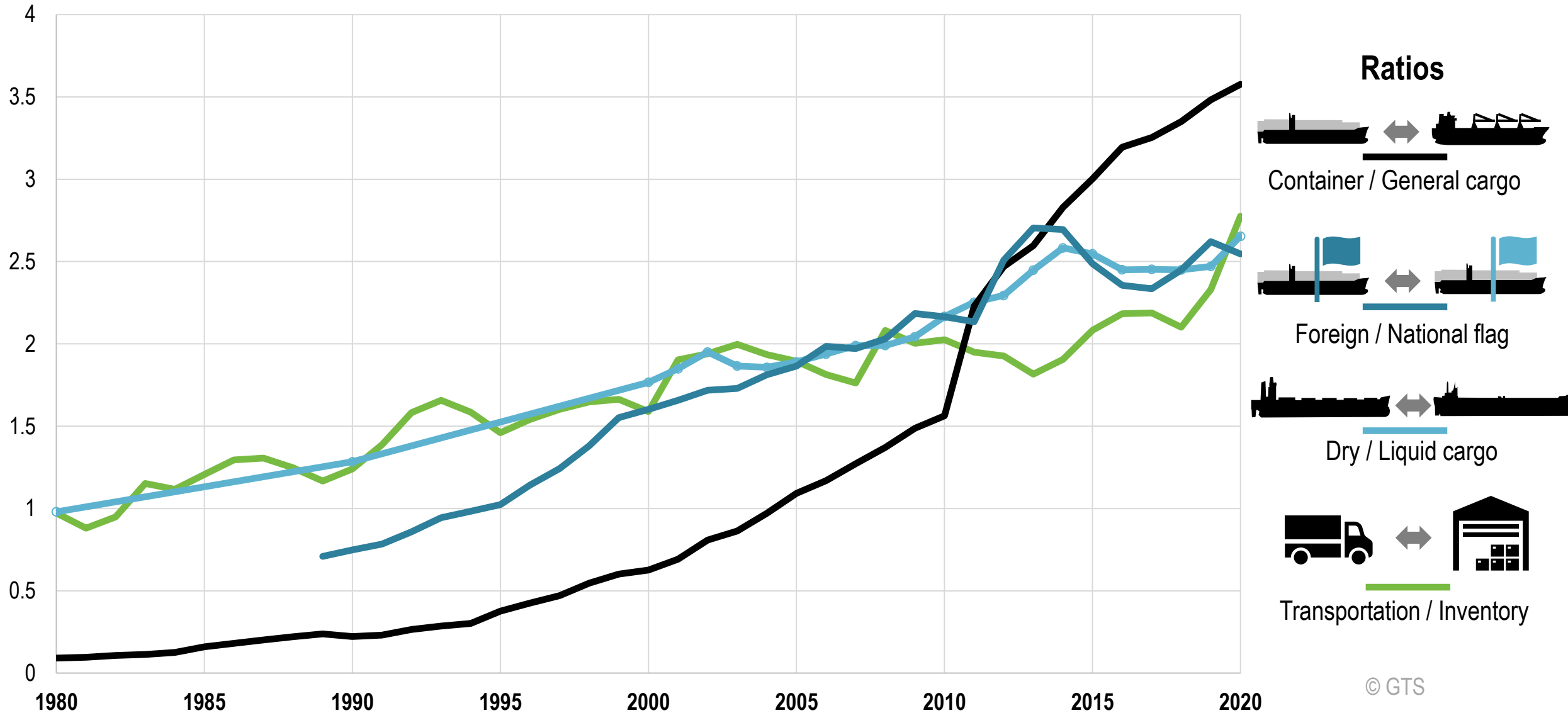
# Maritime Transport



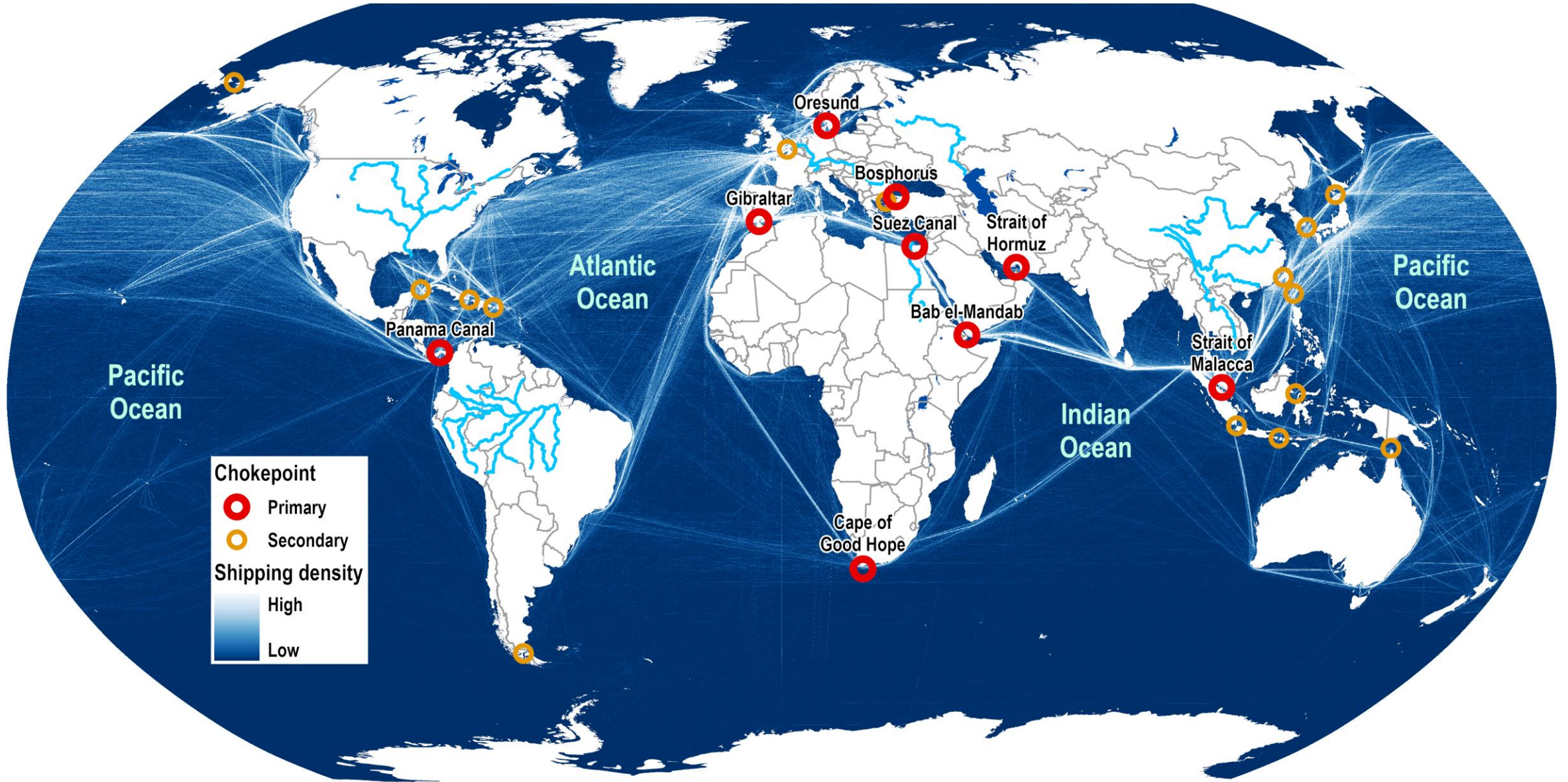
# International Seaborne Trade and Exports of Goods, 1955-2021



# Selected Changes in Maritime Shipping, 1980-2020

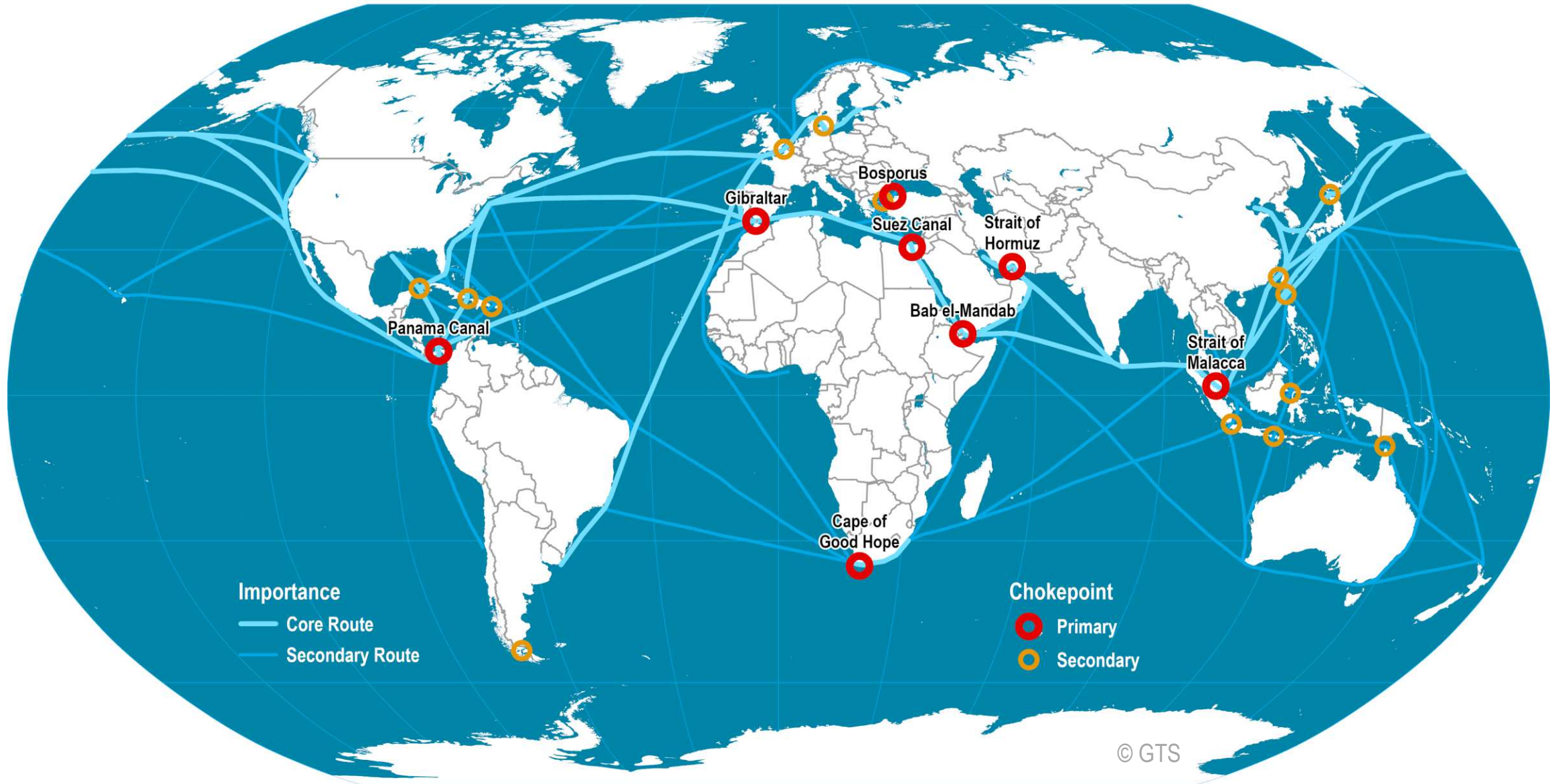


# Domains of Maritime Circulation

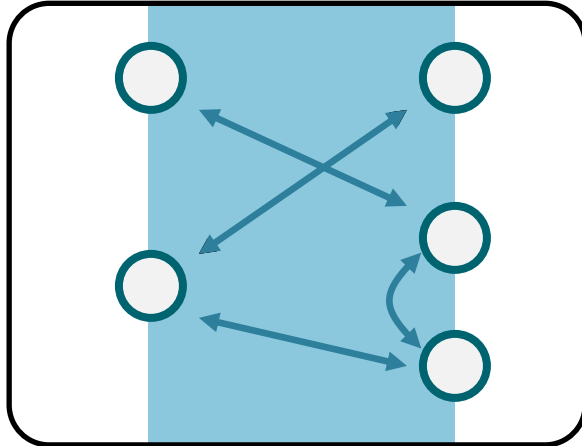




# Main Maritime Shipping Routes and Chokepoints



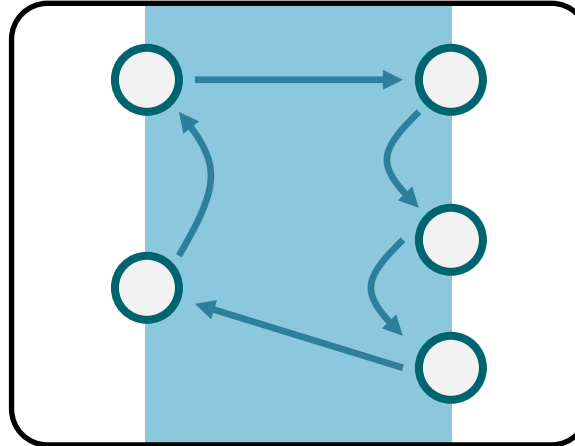
# Types of Maritime Routes



## PORT-TO-PORT

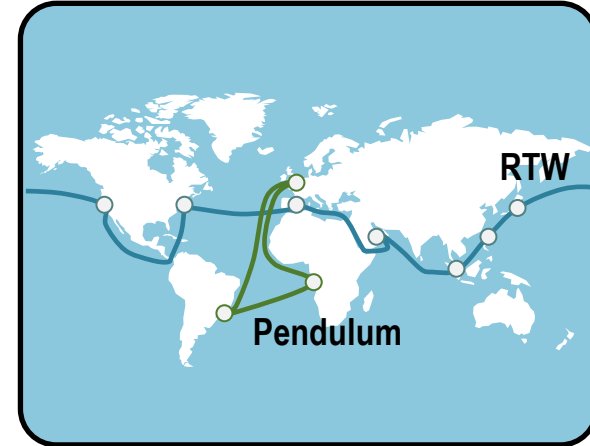
- Point to point services.
- Empty backhauls.
- Common for bulk freight shipping.

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## INTER-RANGE

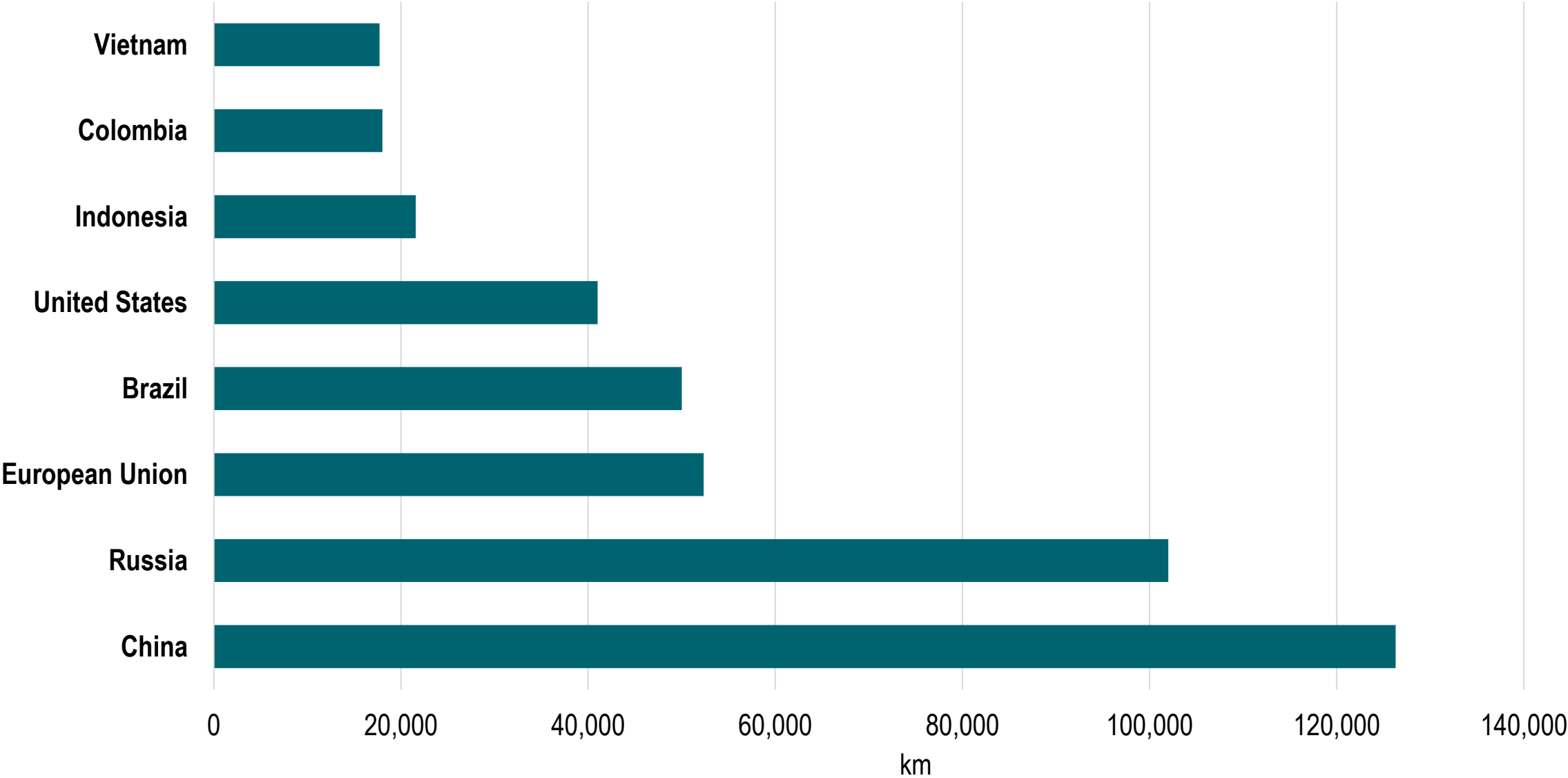
- Sequential shipping services between two maritime ranges (seaboards).
- Balancing the number of port calls and the frequency of services.
- Can rely on transshipment hubs between ranges.







## MULTI-RANGES

- Servicing a sequence of ports along several ranges.
- Pendulum services.
- Round-the-world services.
- Small number of ports per range are serviced.
- Transshipment hubs connecting with regional services.

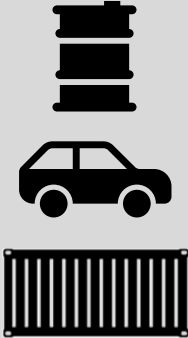






# Length of the Major Inland Waterway Systems



# Largest Ships by Category

<b>Containership</b>	<p>Ever Ace (2021)</p> 	LOA: 400 m Beam: 61.5 m Draft: 17 m TEU: 23,992
<b>Ultra Large Crude Carrier</b>	<p>TI Europe (2003)</p> 	LOA: 380 m Beam: 68 m Draft: 24.5 m DWT: 442,000 t
<b>Bulk Carrier</b>	<p>MS Ore Brazil (2011)</p> 	LOA: 362 m Beam: 65 m Draft: 23 m DWT: 402,000 t
<b>Cruise Ship</b>	<p>Wonders of the Seas (2022)</p>  <p>© GTS</p>	LOA: 362 m Beam: 64 m Draft: 9.3 m Passengers: 5,734

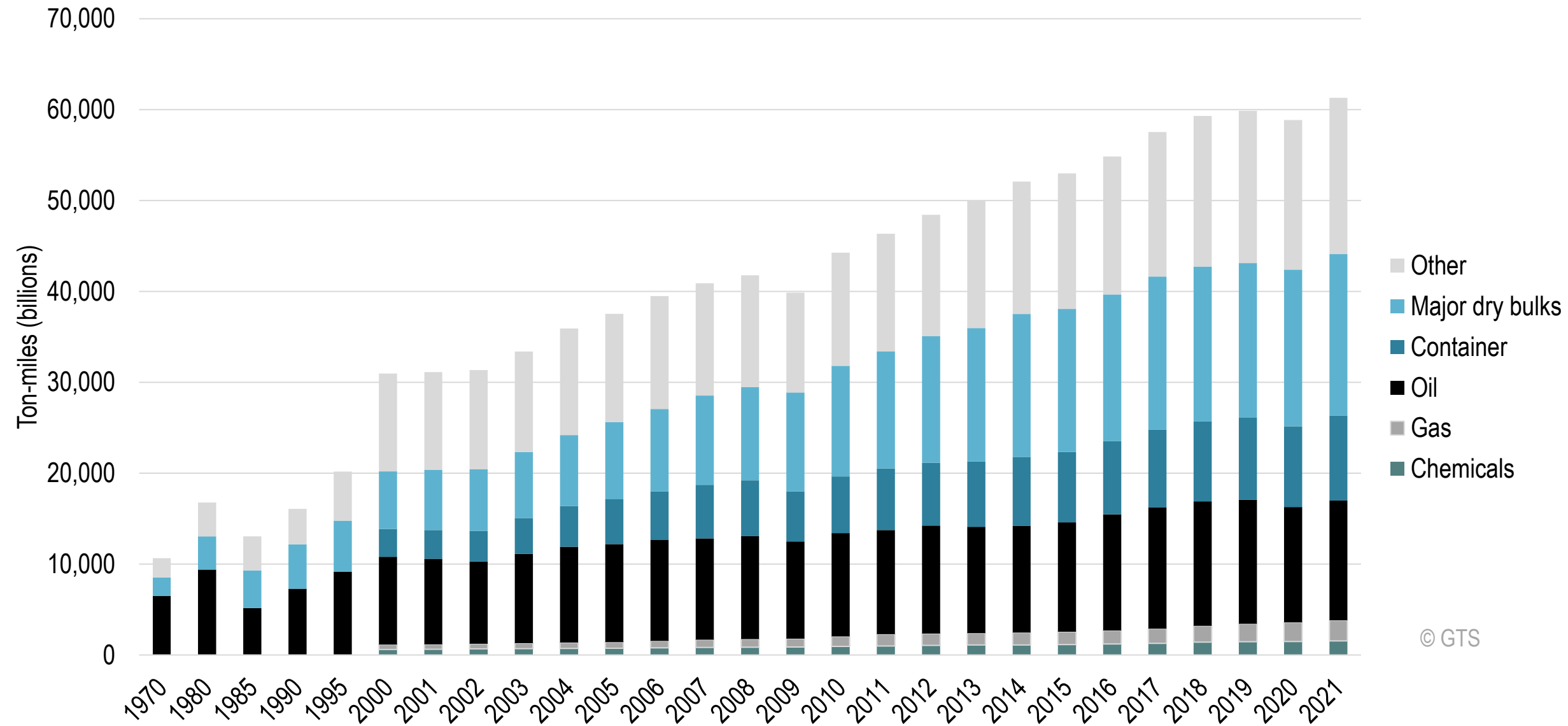
# Types of Maritime Cargo

<b>GENERAL CARGO</b> Unitized Cargo 	<b>Break Bulk</b>  Drums, bags, pallets, boxes Lift-on/lift-off (1.0 day average port time) 7% of tonnage
	<b>Neo Bulk</b>  Lumber, paper, steel, vehicles Lift-on/lift-off, roll-on/roll-off (1.0 day average port time) 5% of tonnage
	<b>Containerized</b>  Containers Lift-on/lift-off (0.9 days average port time) 13% of tonnage
<b>BULK CARGO</b> Loose Cargo 	<b>Liquid Bulk</b>  Petroleum, LNG, chemicals, vegetal oils Pumps and pipelines (1.1 to 1.3 days average port time) 35% of tonnage
	<b>Dry Bulk</b>  Coal, iron ore, grains, bauxite, sand Grabs / suction and conveyors (2.7 days average port time) 40% of tonnage

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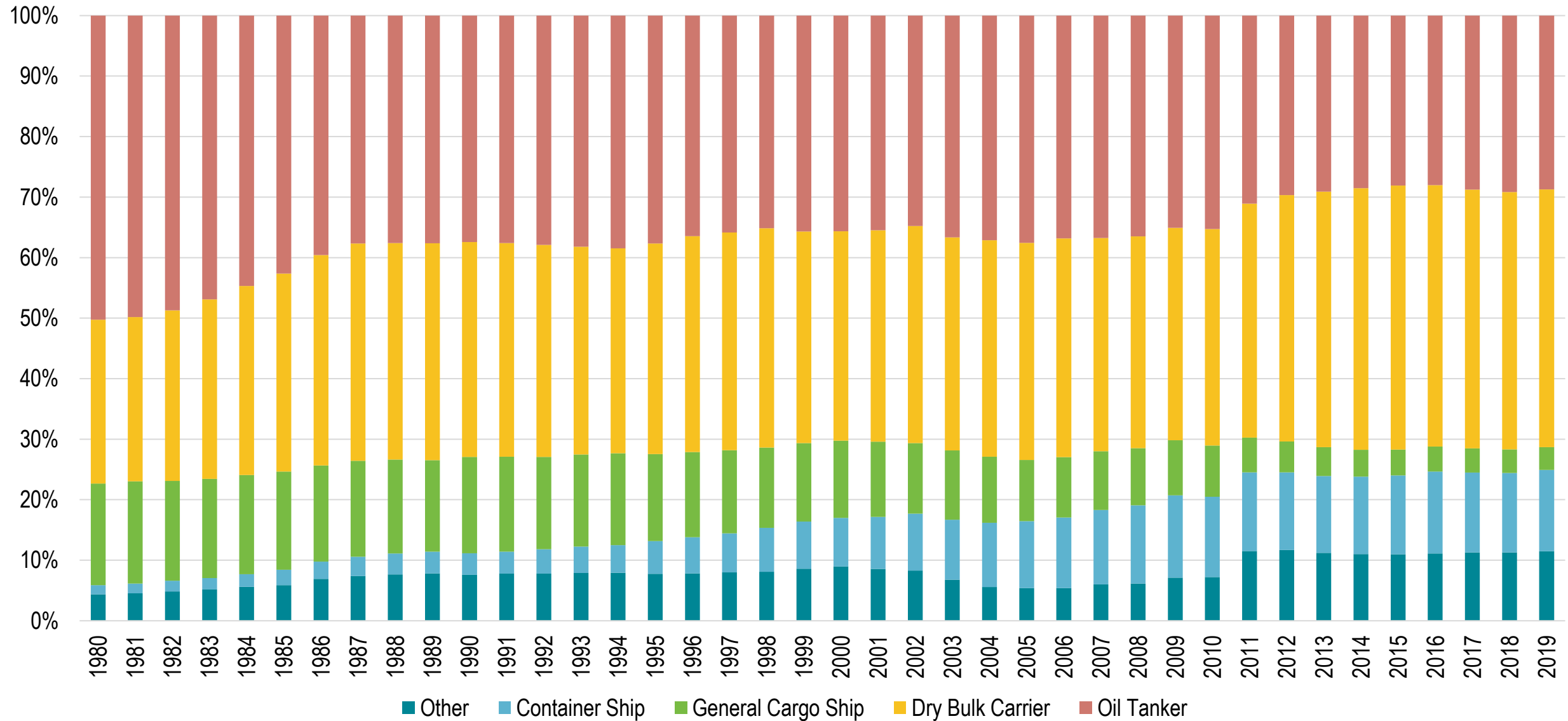


# World Seaborne Trade by Cargo Type, 1970-2021

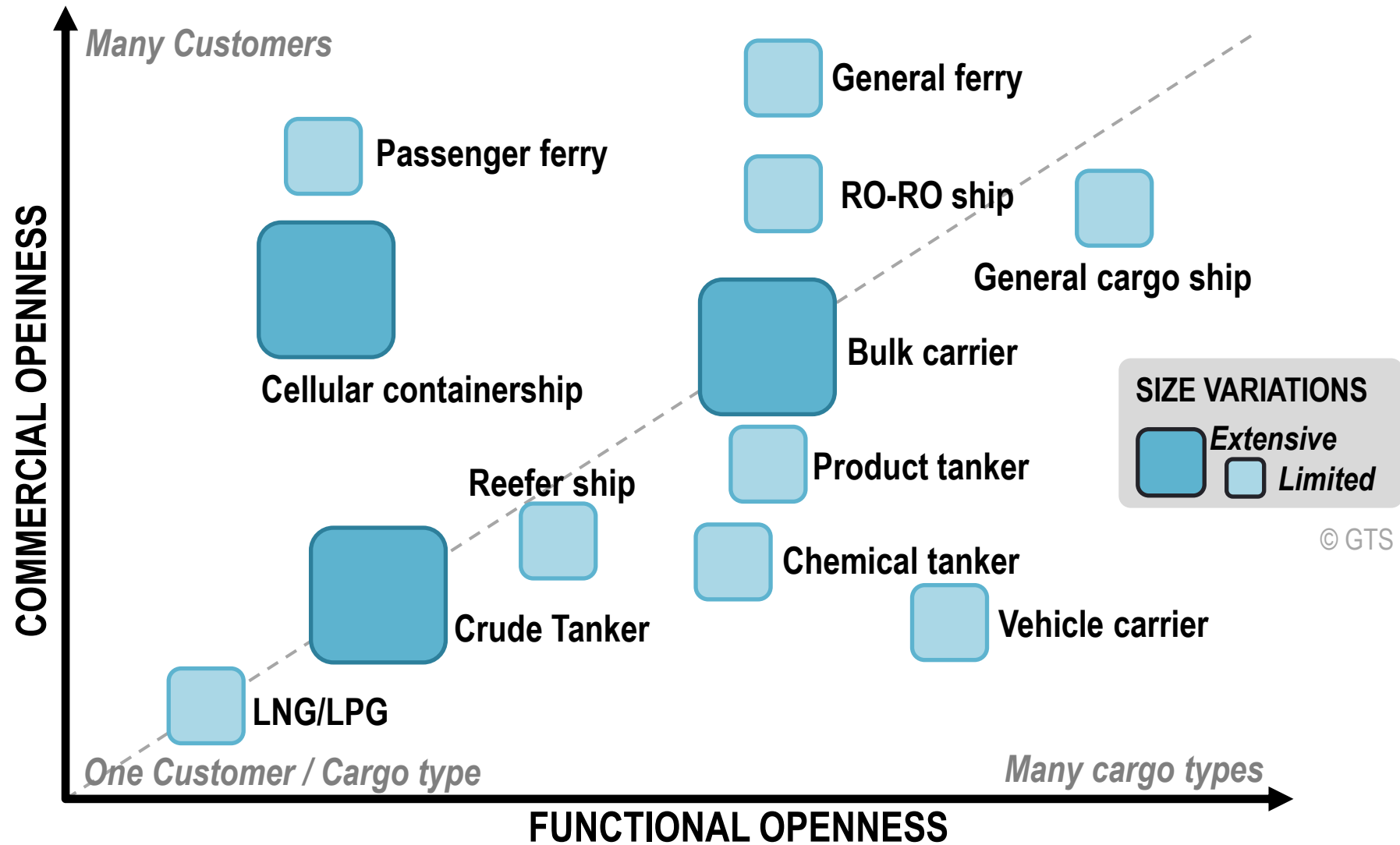


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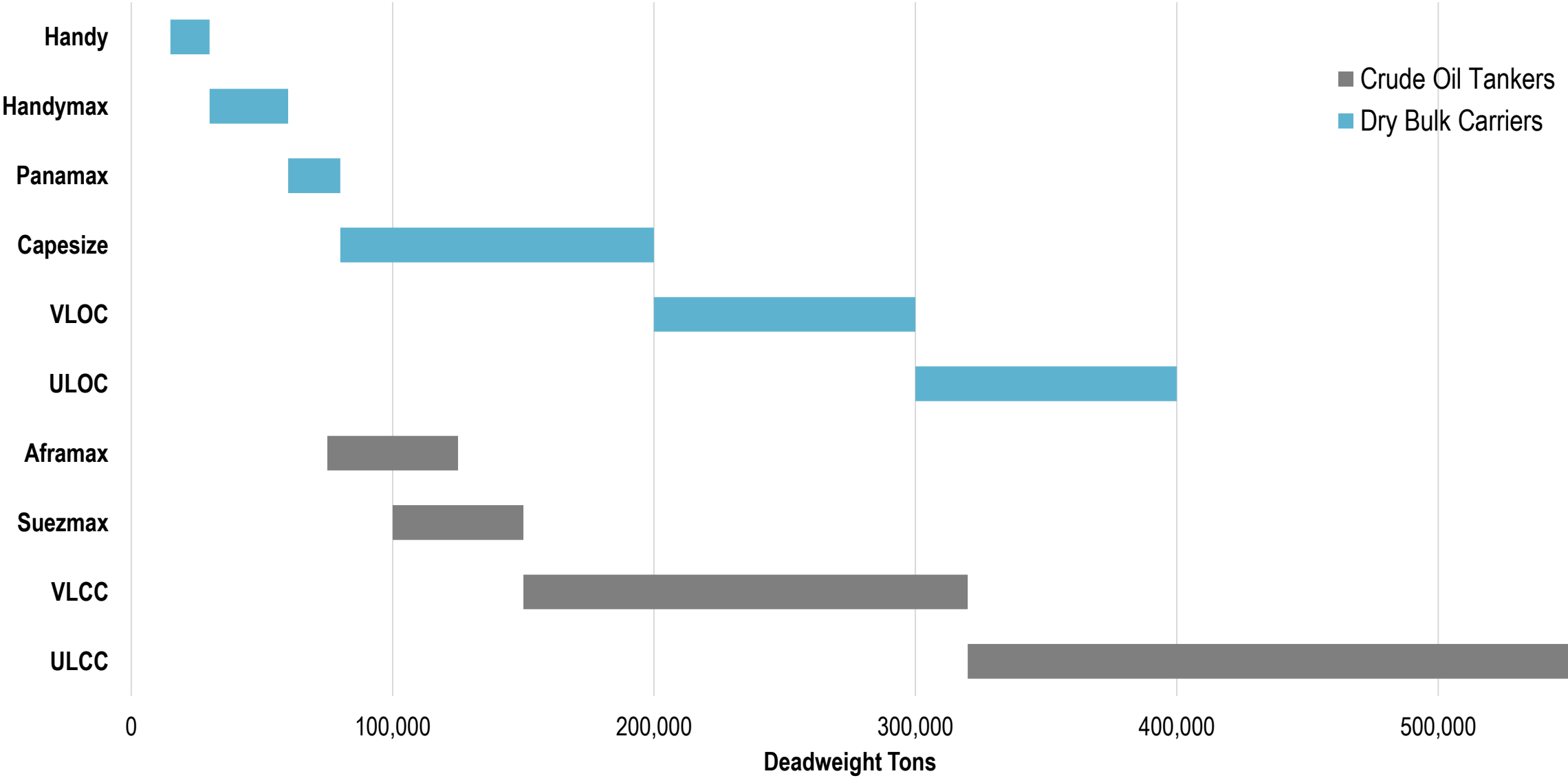
# Composition of the Global Fleet, 1980-2019 (Share of deadweight tons)



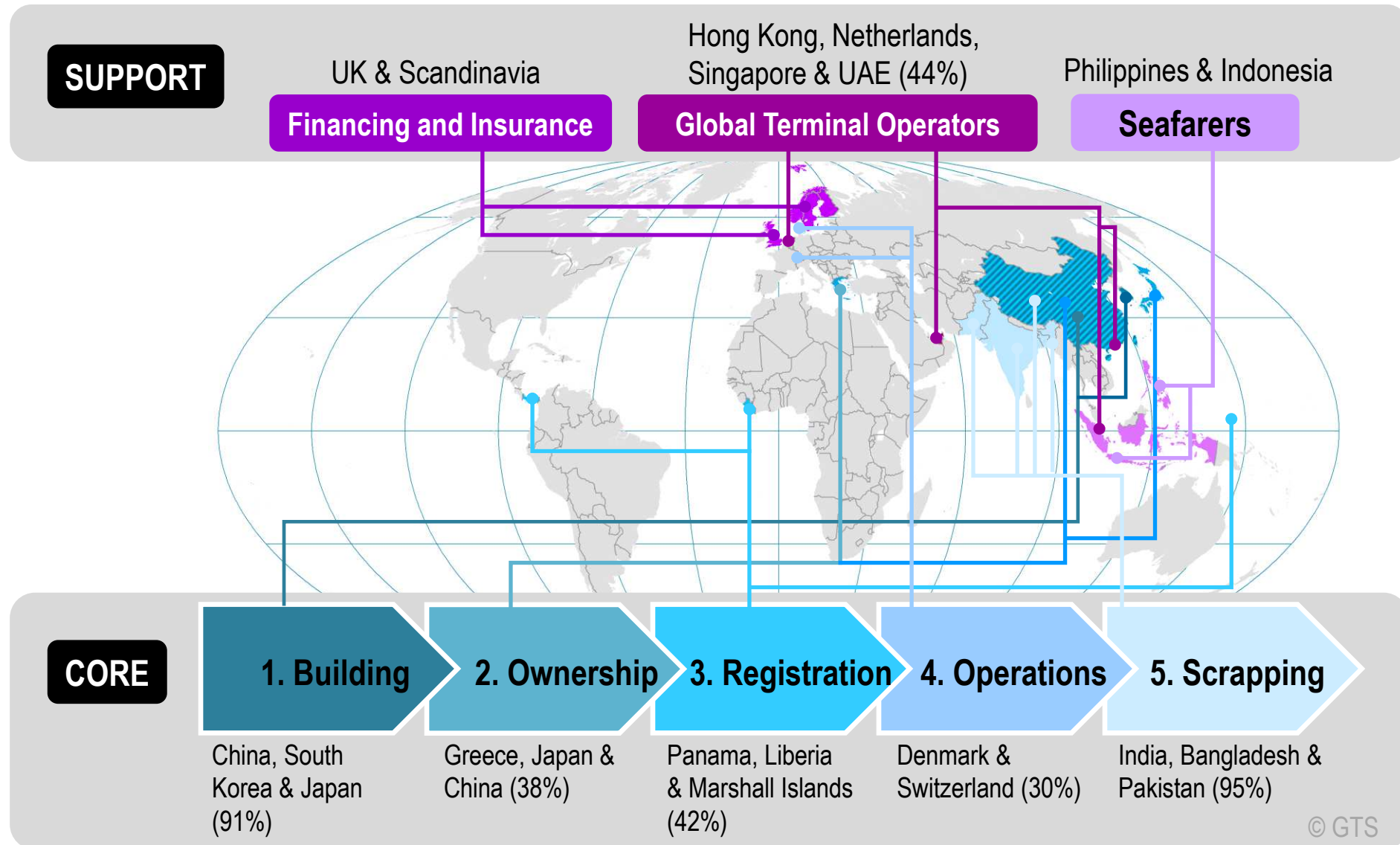
# Flexibility and Specialization of Major Ship Designs



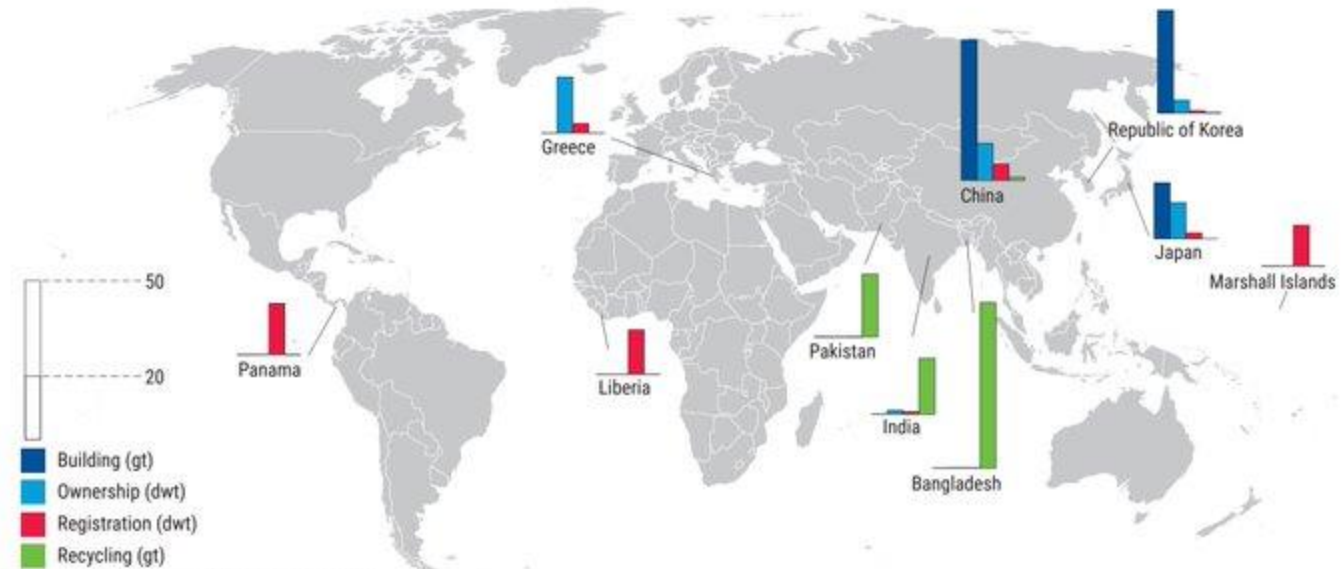
# Vessel Size Groups (in dead weight tons)



# The Maritime Transport Life Cycle and Main National Actors



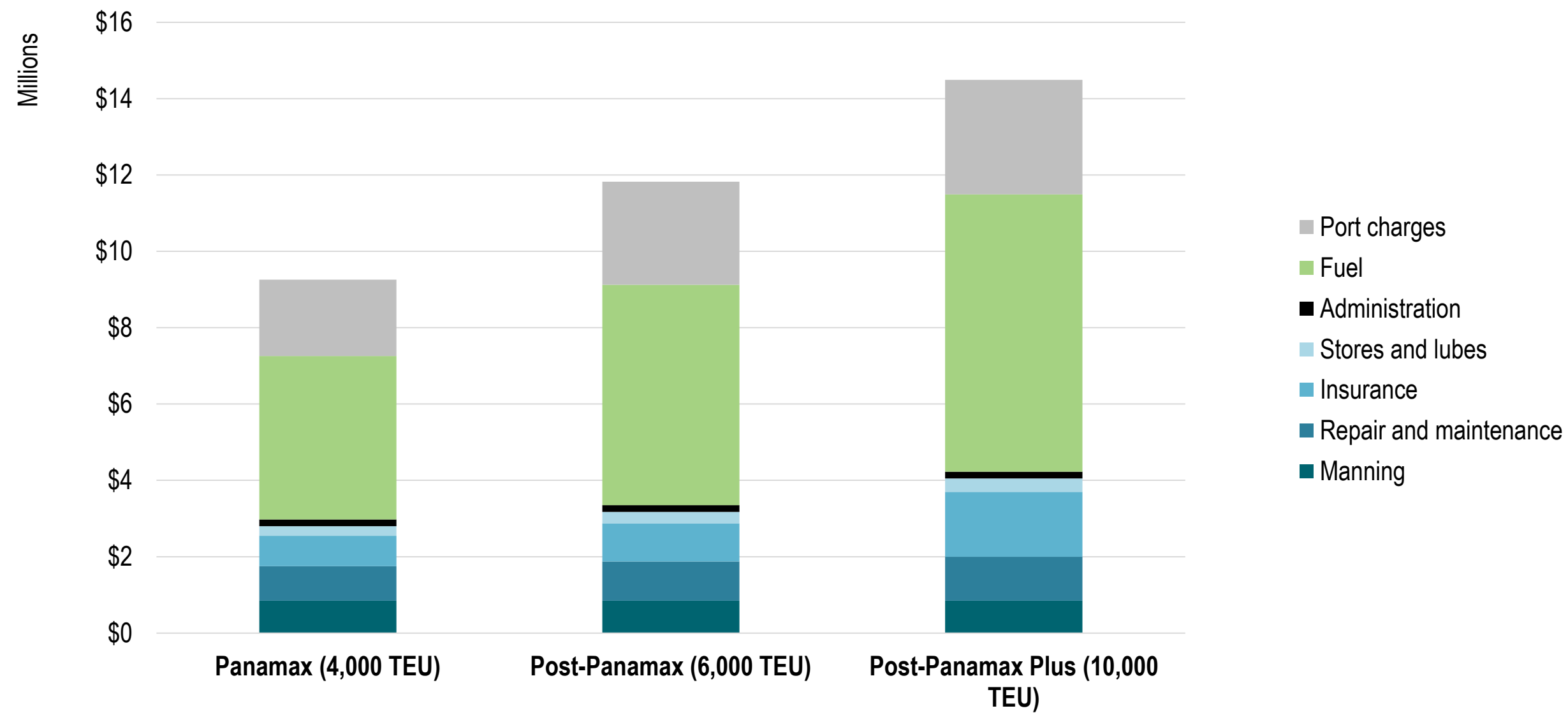
**Map 1 Building, ownership, registration and recycling of ships, 2021**  
(Percentage of world total)



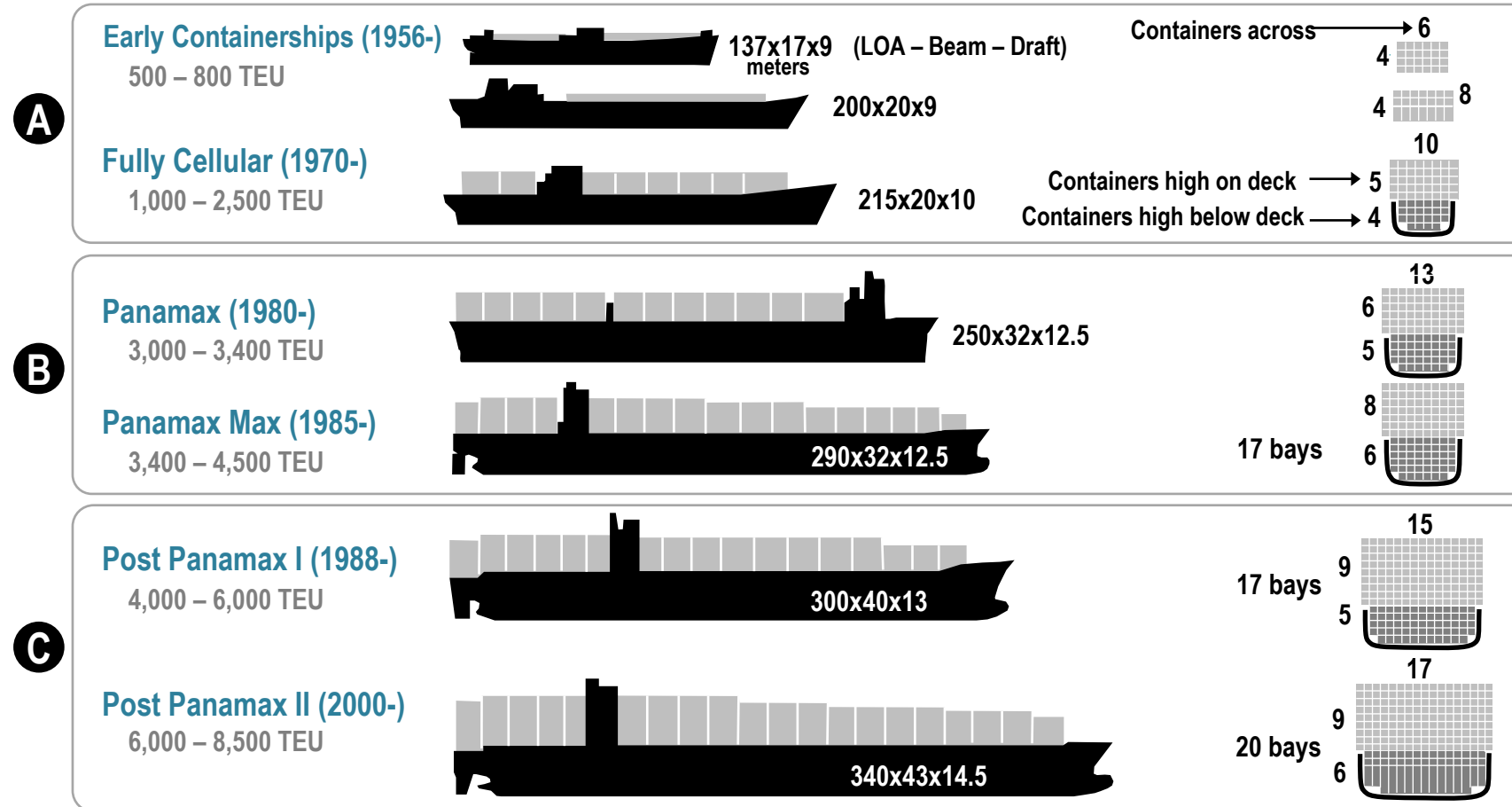
Sources: UNCTADstat (UNCTAD, 2022a). Clarksons Research.

Note: Top three countries in each segment are shown. Building and recycling are estimated deliveries and demolitions during 2021. Registration and ownership figures refer to the beginning of the year 2022.

# Operating Costs of Panamax and Post-Panamax Containerships (in USD)

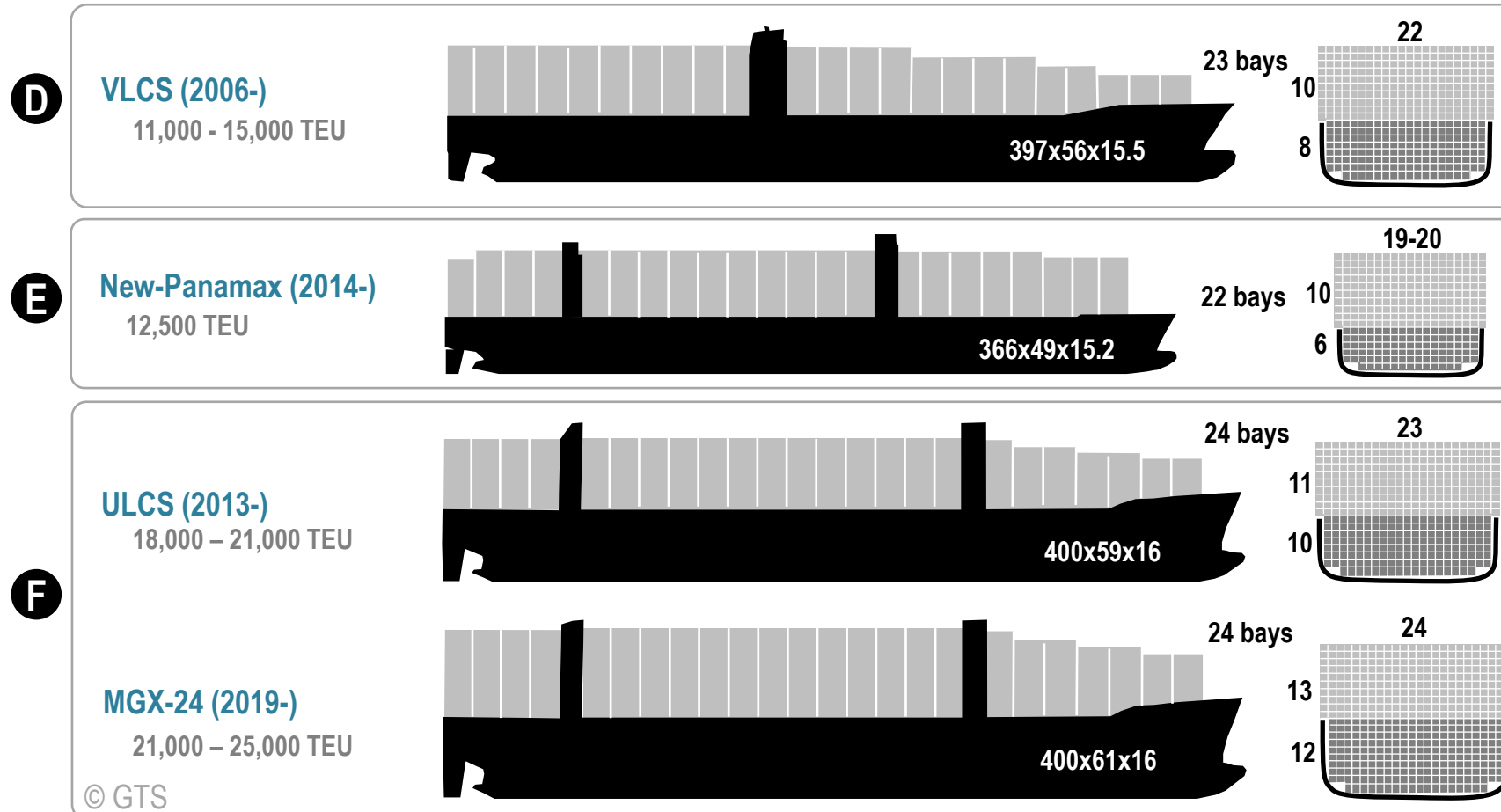


# Evolution of Containerships





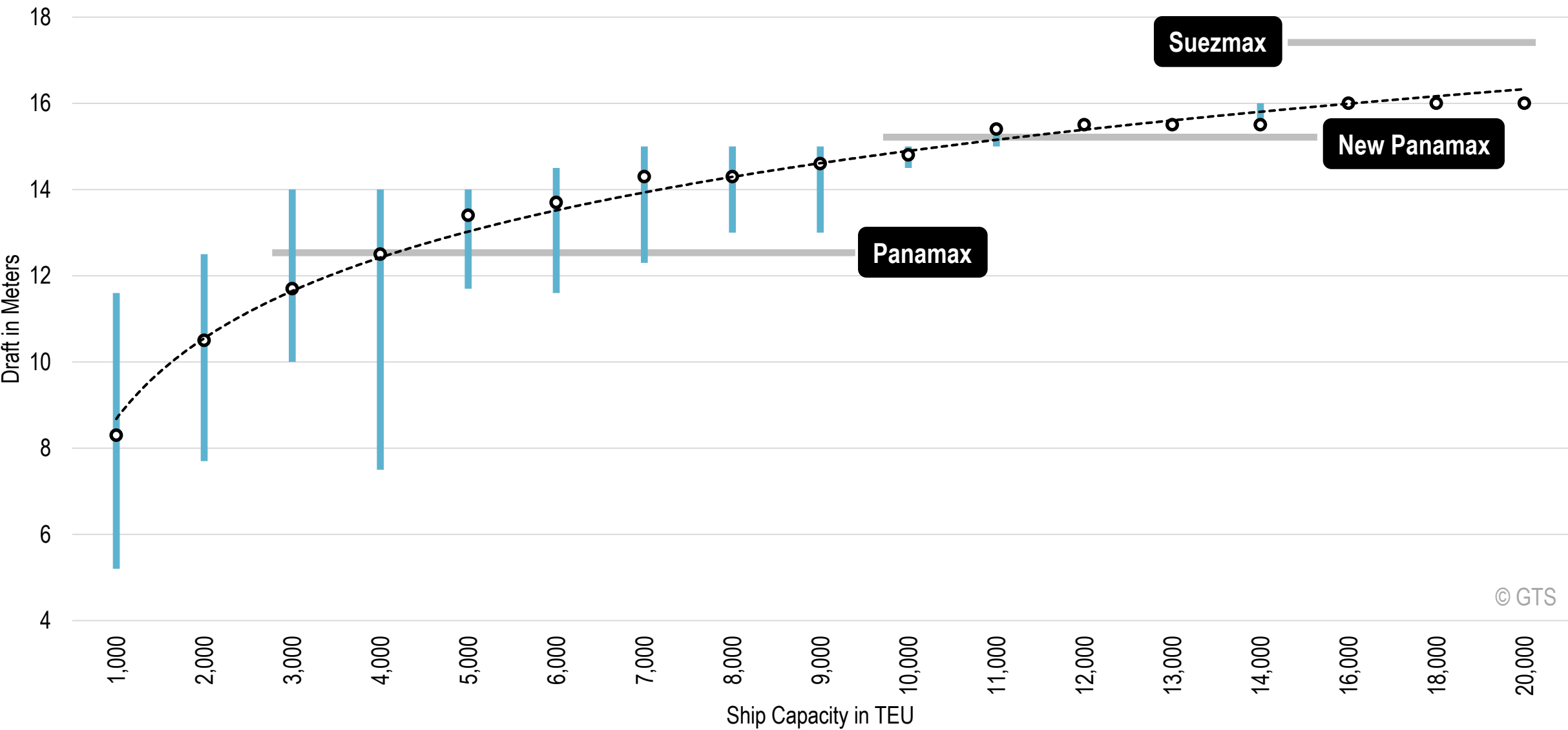
# Evolution of Containerships



# Characteristics of Some Historical Containerships

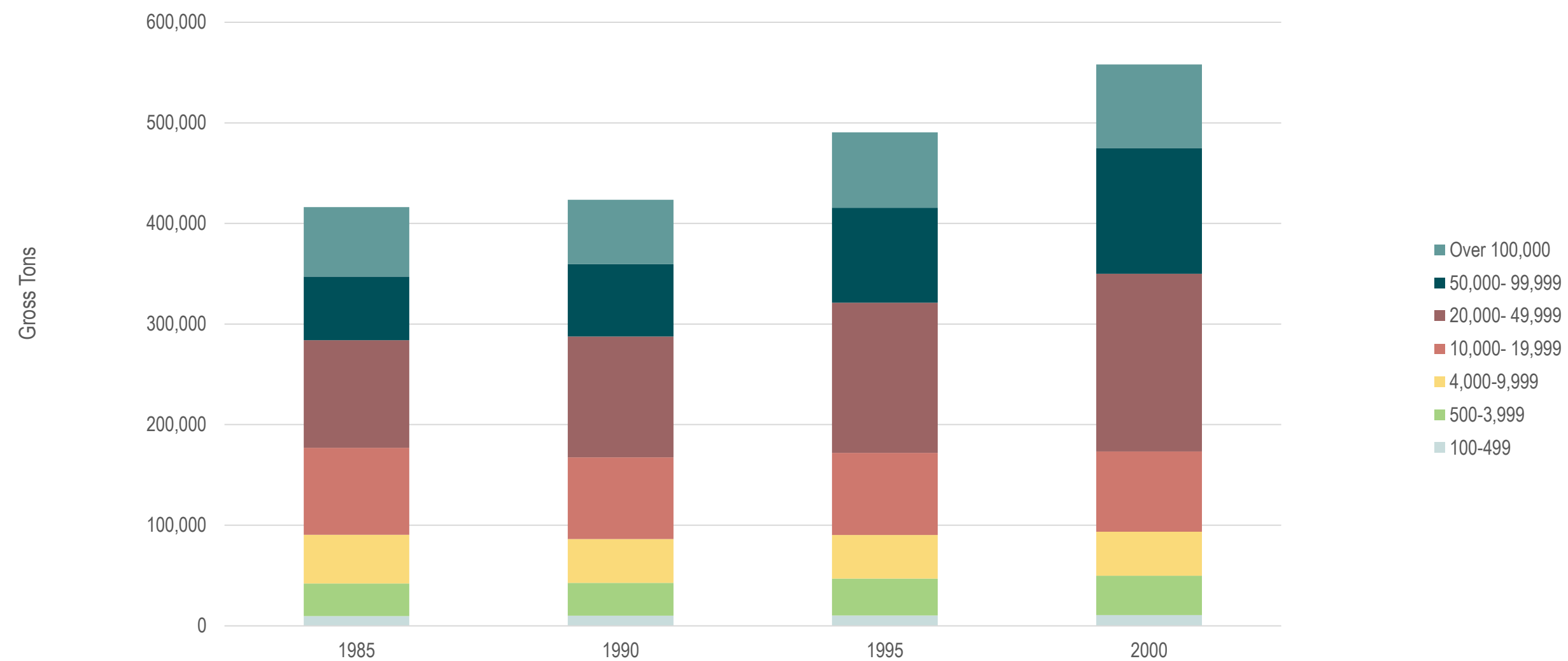
Year	Name	Capacity (TEU)	Yard	Length (m)	Width (m)	Draft (m)	Speed (knots)
1956	Ideal X	58	US	174.2	23.6	8.0	18.0
1968	Elbe Express	730	B&V	171.0	24.5	7.9	20.0
1970	Sealand Navigator	2,361		247.6	27.5	11.1	
1972	Liverpool Bay	2,961	B&V	248.6	32.3	13.0	23.0
1981	Frankfurt Express	3,430	HDW	271.0	32.3	11.5	23.0
1991	Hanover Express	4,407	Samsung	281.6	32.3	13.5	23.0
1995	APL China	4,832	HDW	262.0	40.0	12.0	24.6
1996	Regina Maersk	6,700	Odense	302.3	42.8	12.2	24.6
1998	Sovereign Maersk	8,200	Odense	332.0	42.8	14.5	24.7
2001	Hamburg Express	7,506	Hyundai	304.0	42.8	14.5	25.0
2003	OOCL Shenzhen	8,063	Samsung	319.0	42.8	14.5	25.2
2005	MSC Pamela	9,200	Samsung	321.0	45.6	15.0	25.0
2006	Emma Maersk	14,700	Odense	397.0	56.0	16.0	24.5
2009	MSC Beatrice	13,798	Samsung	366.1	51.2	15.0	25.2
2012	MSC Marco Polo	16,000	Daewoo	396.0	53.6	16.0	25.1
2013	Maersk Mc-Kinney Møller	18,270	Daewoo	399.0	59	14.5	23.0
2015	MSC Oscar	19,224	Daewoo	395.5	59	16.0	22.8

# Average Draft by Containership Capacity

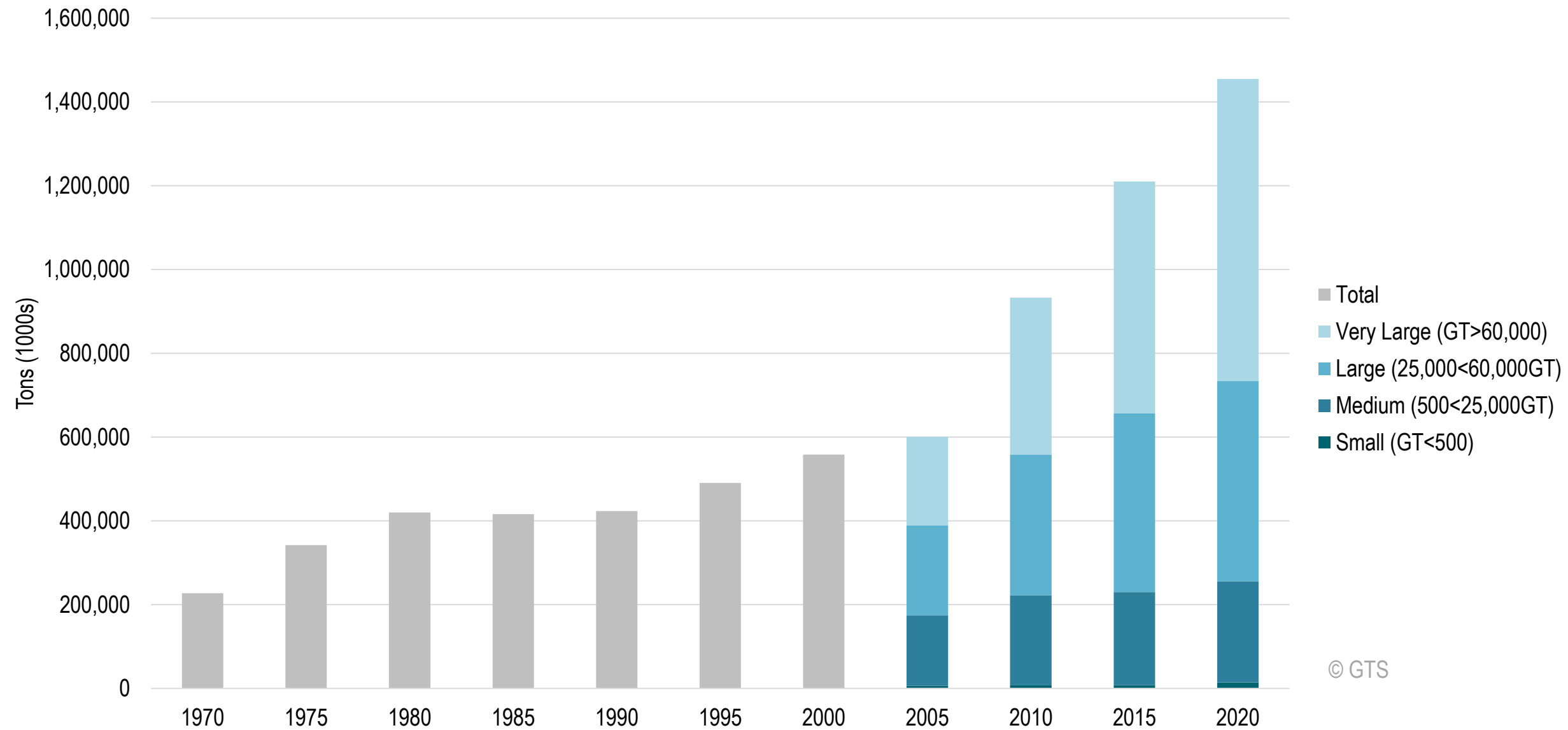


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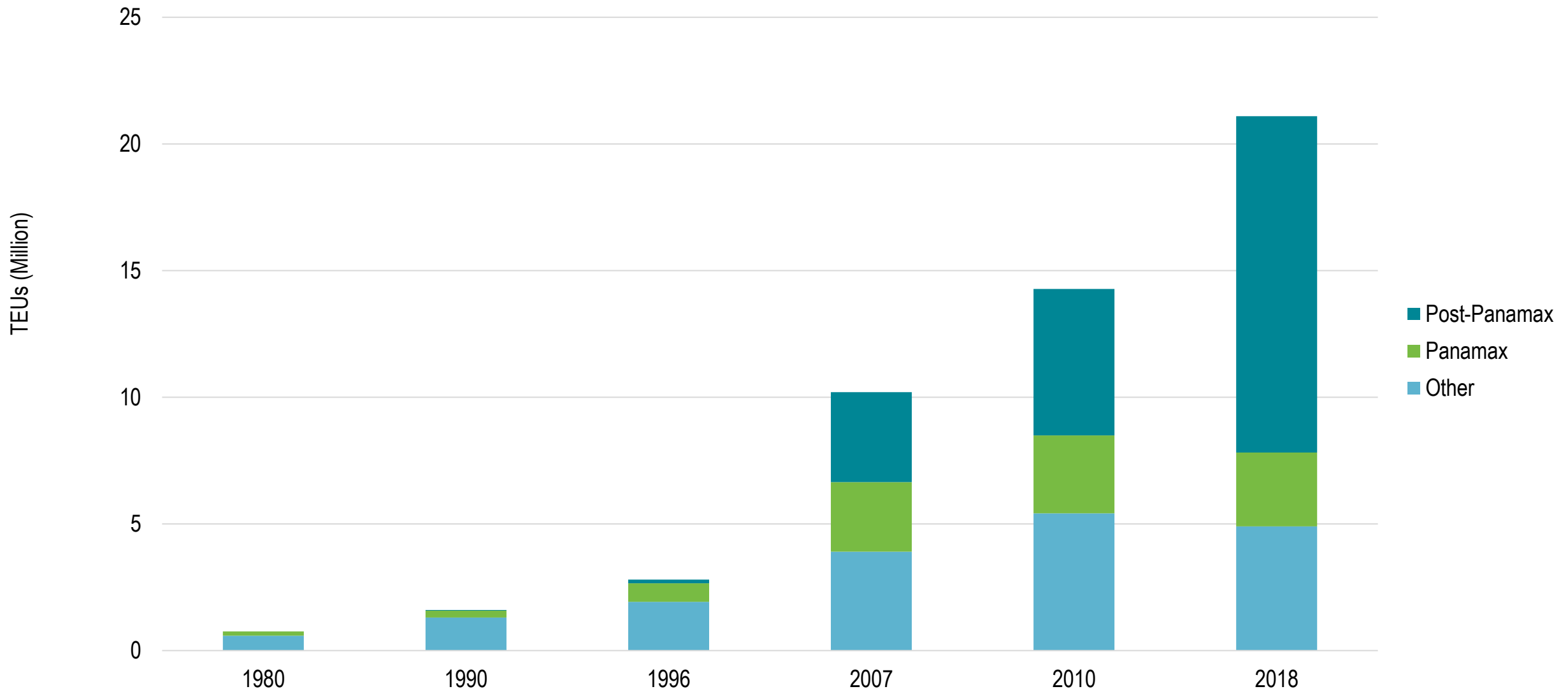


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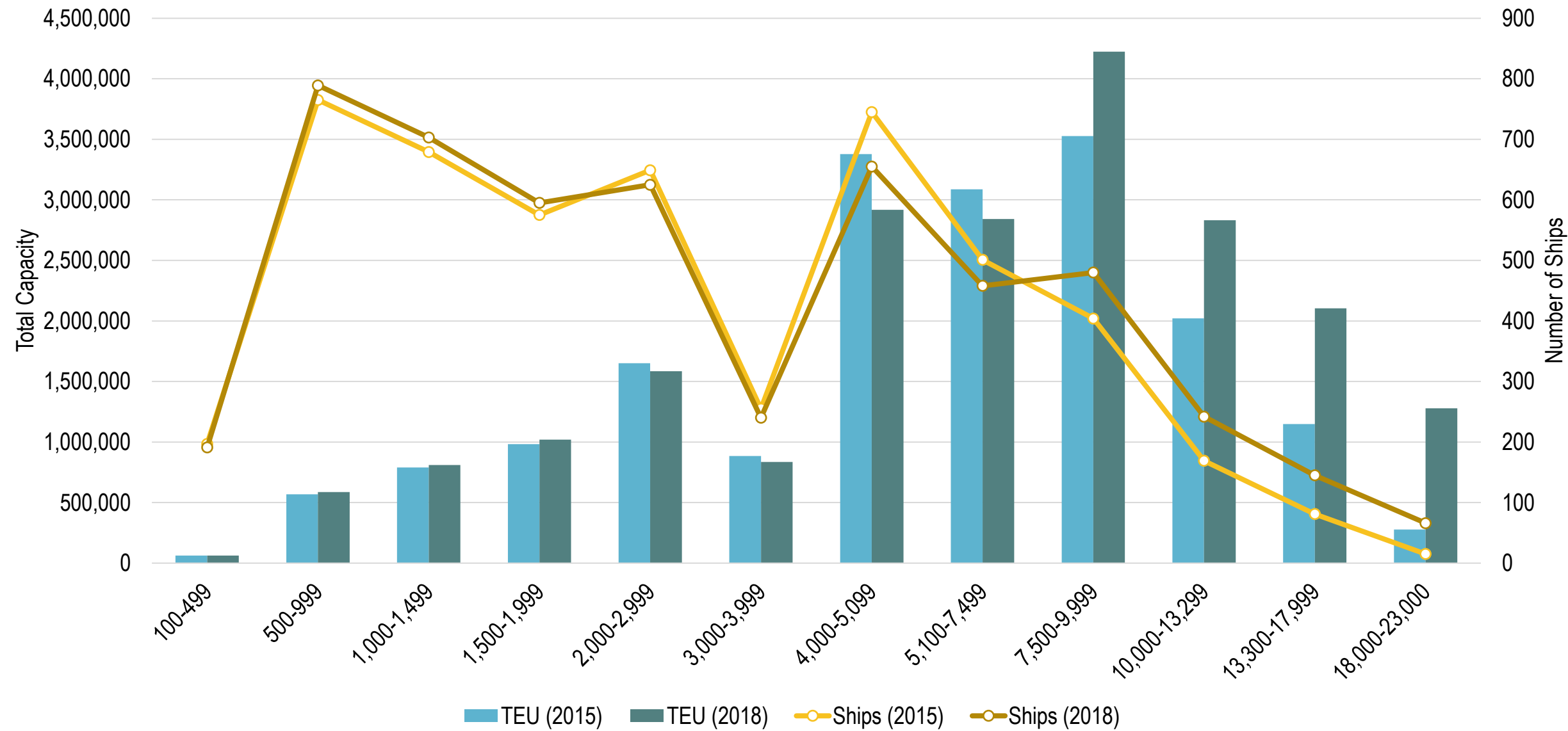


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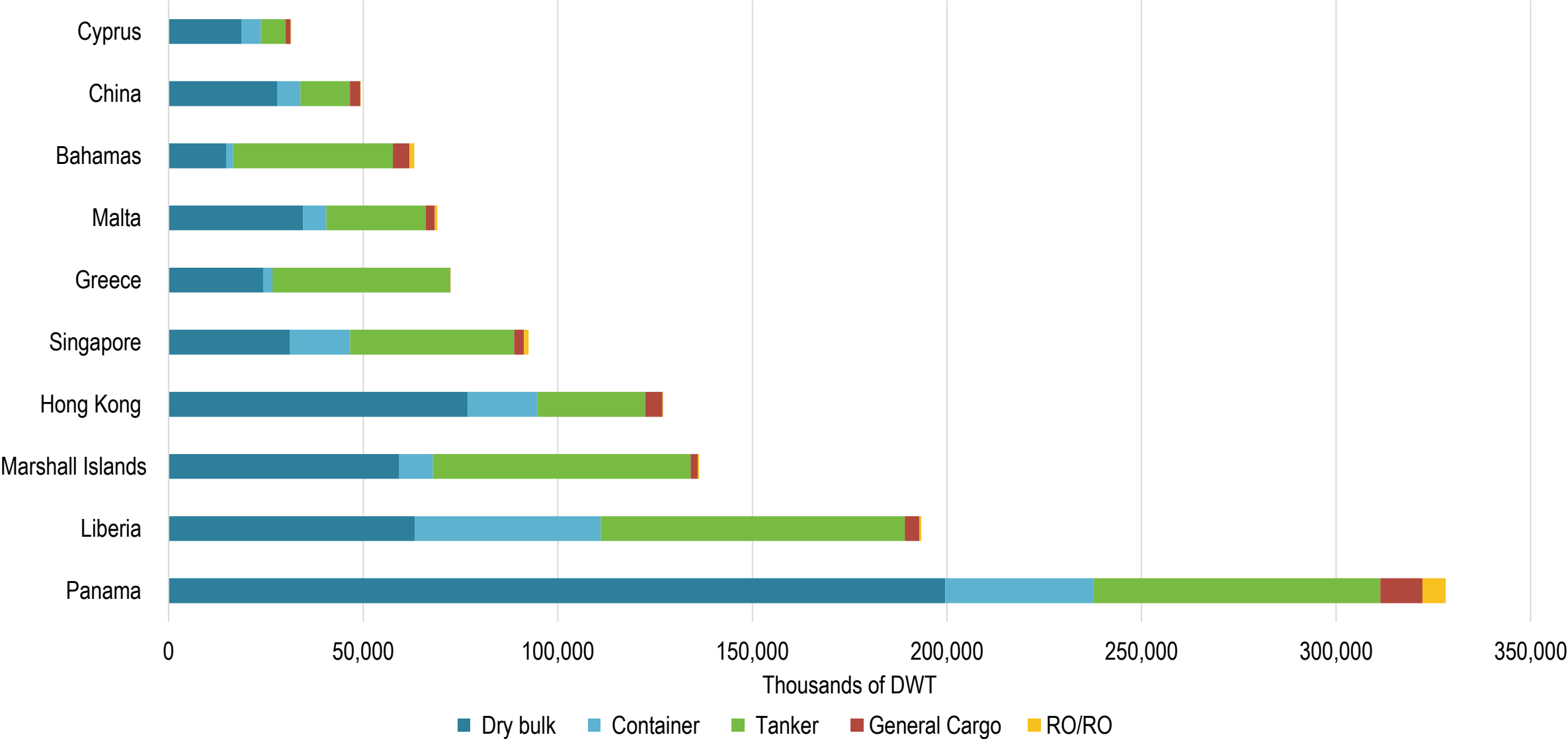
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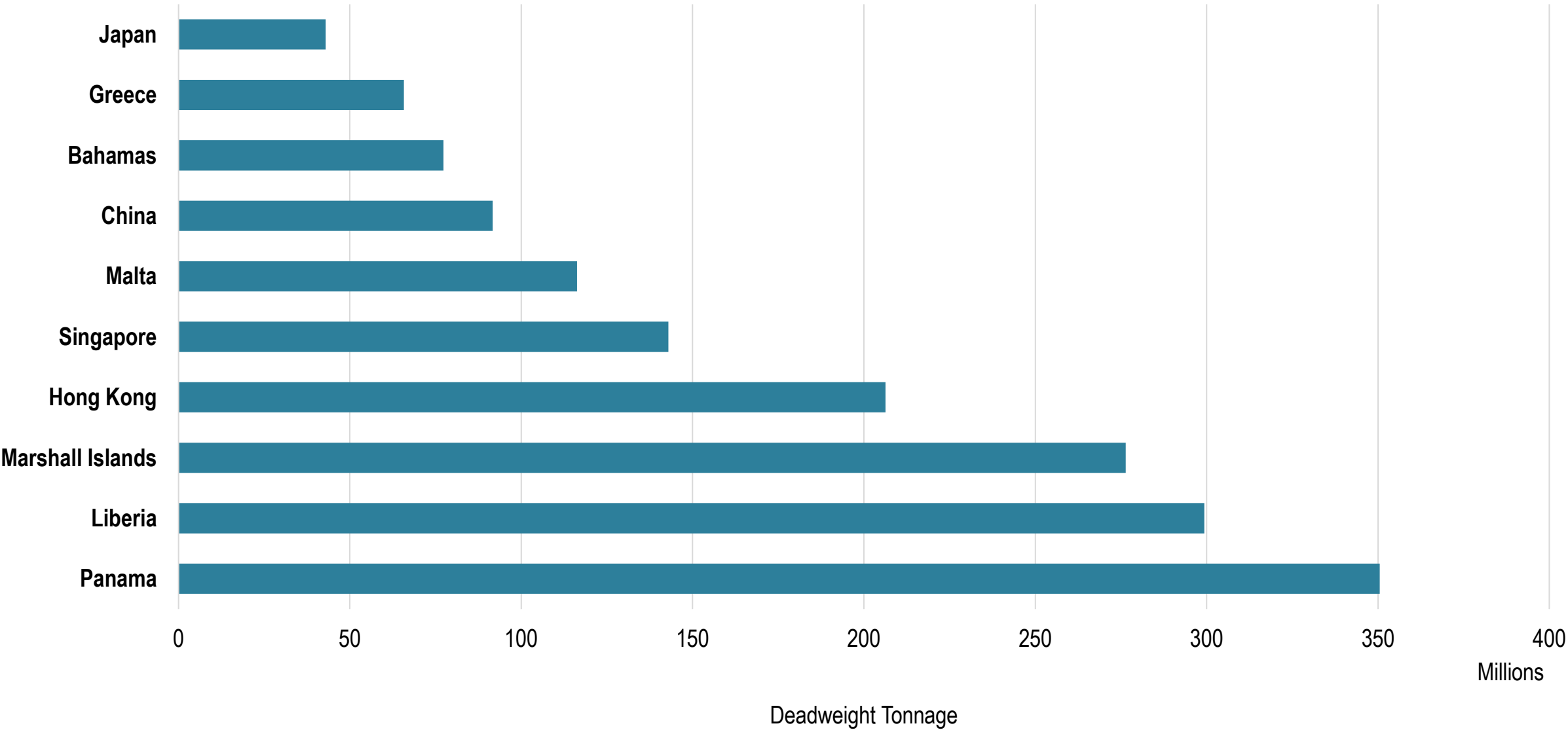


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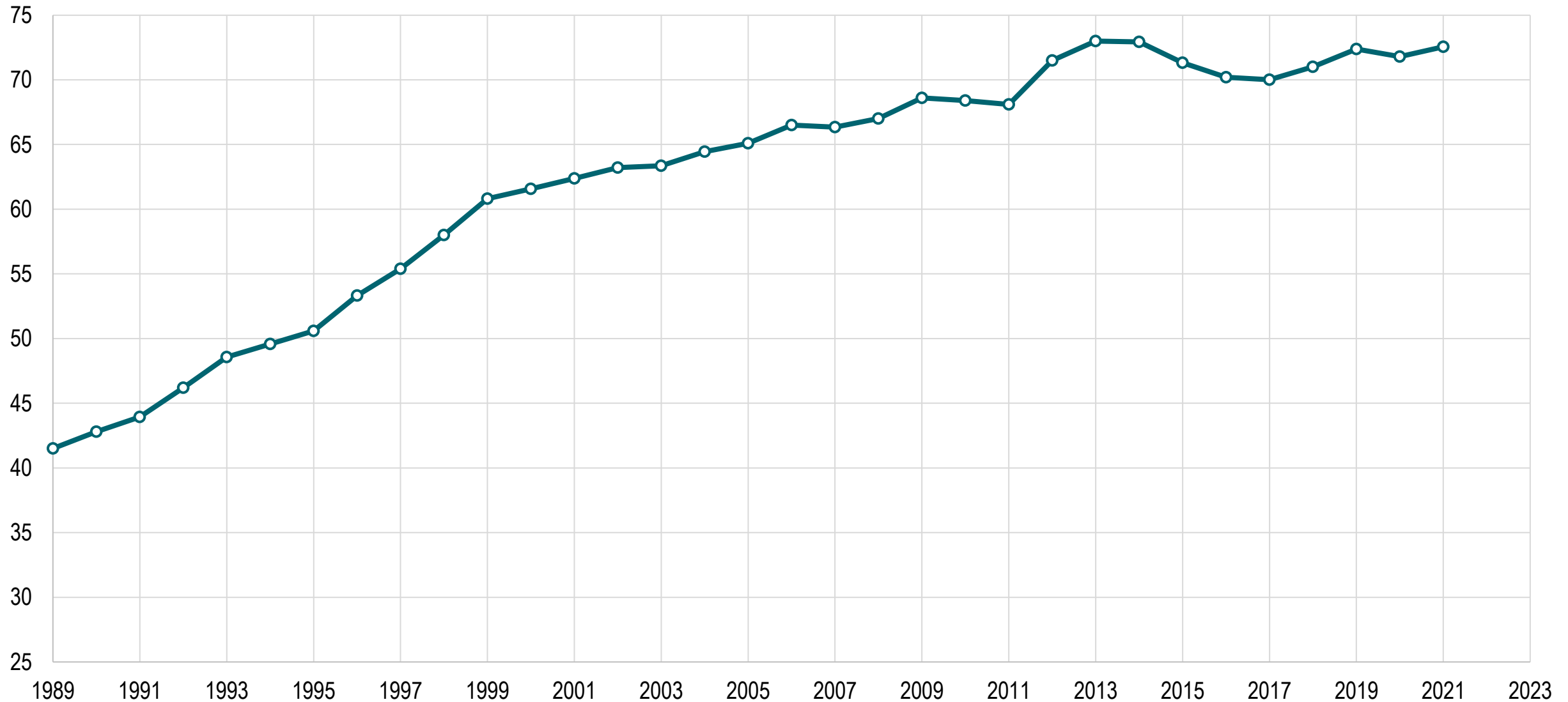




# Largest Countries of Ship Registry, 2020



# Share of Foreign-flagged Deadweight Tonnage, 1989-2021



# Maritime Shipping Characteristics (to be updated)

	Tramping / Charter	Liner Shipping	
	Transportation Demand		
	Number of shippers	Few	Many
	Quantity	Large	Small
	Density	High (weight)	Low (volume)
	Unit value	Low	High
	Regularity	Low	High
	Transportation Supply		
	Contract	Vessel	Freight (bill of lading)
	Vessels	Liquid and bulk	General cargo
	Frequency	Low	High
	Implications		
	Freight	Liquid and main bulk commodities	Minor bulk and general cargo (containerized)
	Services	Supply / demand regulation	Prior to demand
	Freight elasticity	Low	Low
	Main markets	Developing / developed countries	Developed / developed countries
	Share in Maritime Transport (2000)		
	Tons	70%	30%
	Value	20%	80%

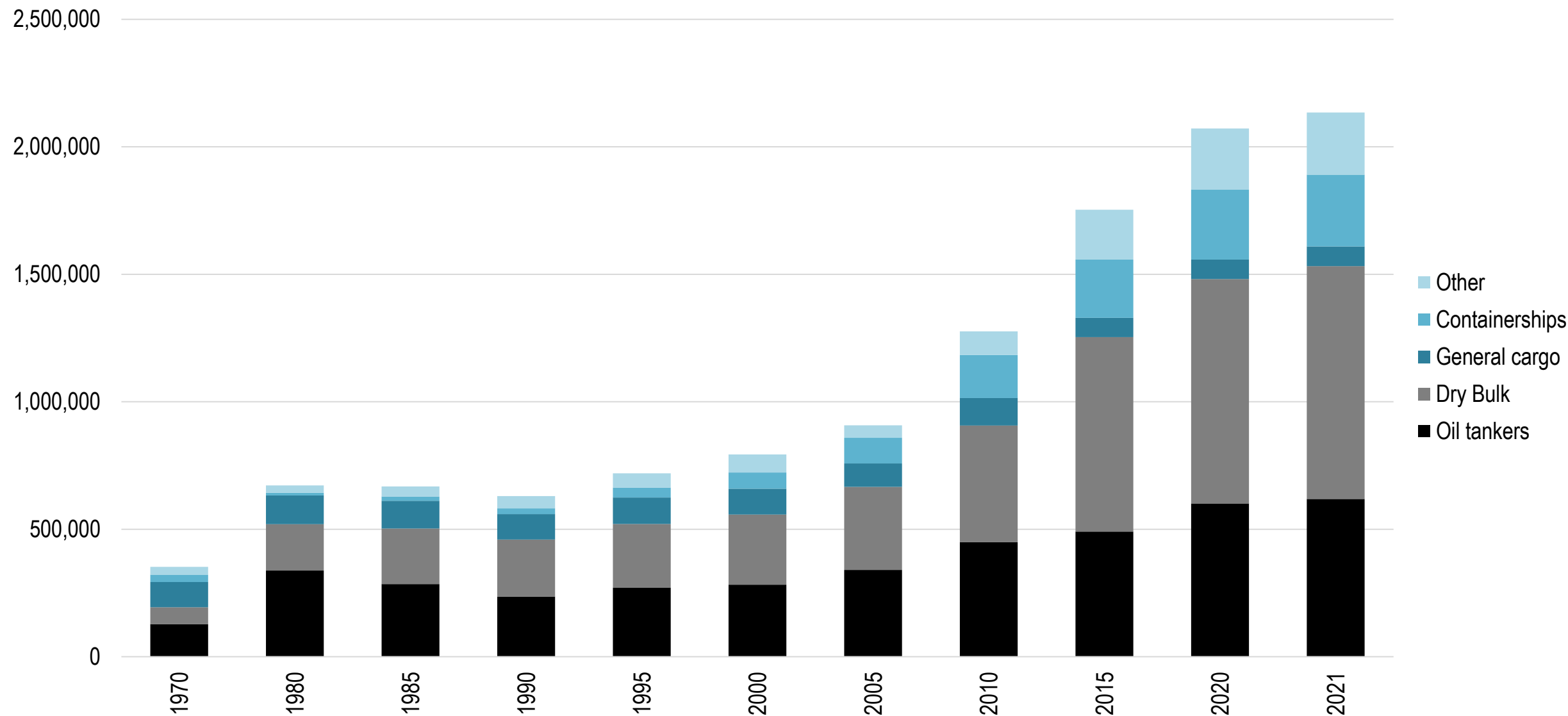
# Types of Maritime Cargo

Commodity type	Examples	Maritime Transshipment	Inland distribution
Liquid			
A) Normal pressure and temperature	Crude oil, most oil products, wine, slurried coal	Pump/pipe	Pipeline
B) Other pressure and temperature	Liquefied gases (LNG, LPG), heavy oils, latex, bitumen, vegetable oils	Pumps, temperature controlled pipelines	Temperature controlled pipelines
Dry Bulk			
A) Flowing	Grain, sugar, powders (alumina, cement)	Pneumatic / suction, conveyor, grabs	Pipes, conveyors, barge, rail wagon, lorry
B) Irregular	Coal, iron ores, non-ferrous ores, phosphate rock	Grab, conveyor	Conveyor, barge, rail wagon, lorry
Neo Bulk	Forest products, steel products, baled scrap	Lift-on/lift-off, roll-on/roll-off	Barge, rail wagon, lorry
Wheeled Units	Cars, lorries, rail wagons	Roll-on/roll-off	Rail wagon, lorry
Refrigerated/chilled cargo	Meat, fruit, dairy produce	Lift-on/lift-off	Rail wagon, lorry

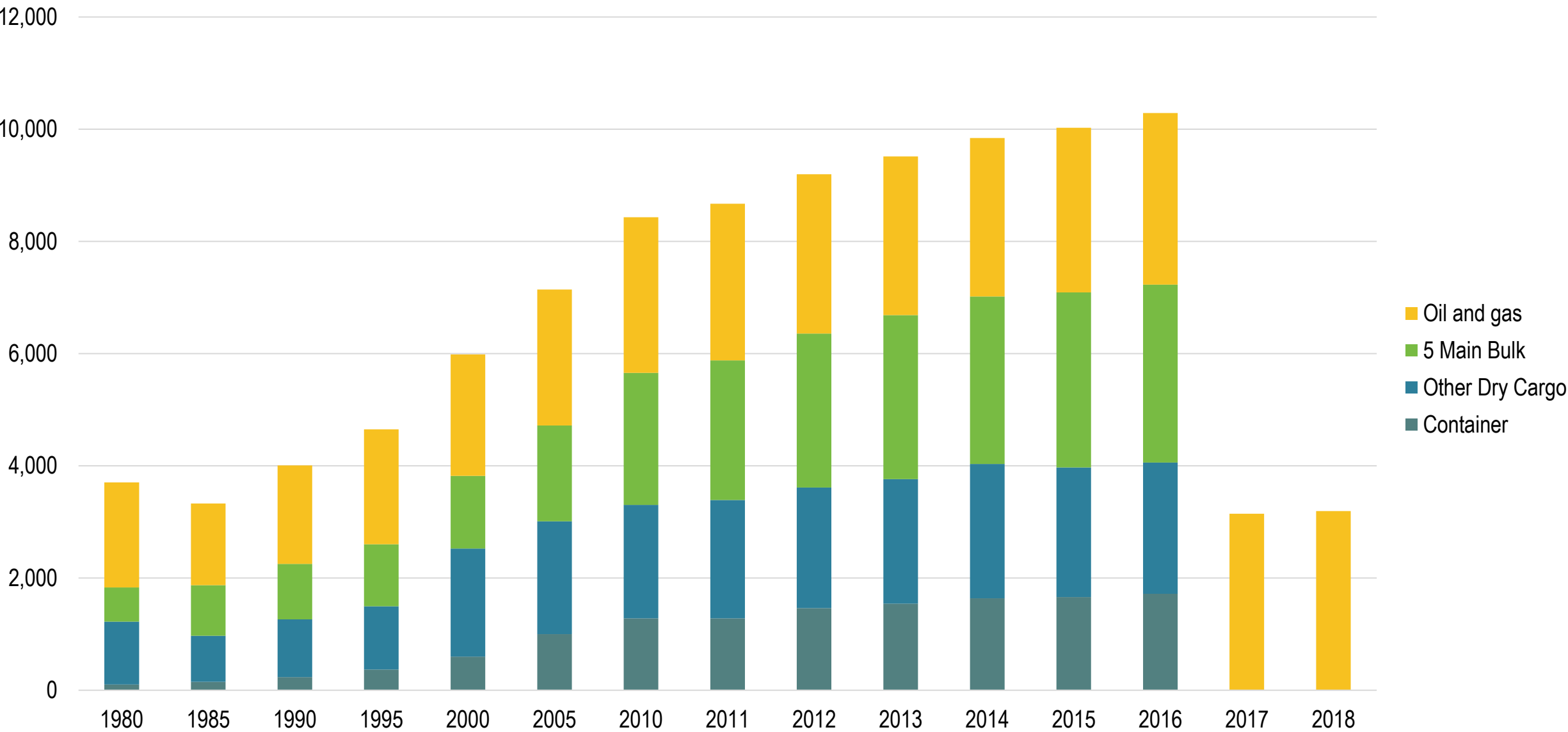
# Cargo, Trade and Ship Characteristics

Cargo Type	Trade Characteristics	Vessel Size
General Cargo		
Conventional	Varied small consignments, Numerous consignees, Slow handling rates, Various routes, Numerous ports	Small
Unitized (containers)	More uniform cargo, Rapid handling, Many ports	Medium to large
Dry Bulk		
Grain	Small to medium consignments, Varied handling rates, Many restrictive ports	Small to medium
Ores/coal	Large consignments, Long hauls, Moderate handling rates, Specialized terminals, Few ports	Medium to very large
Liquid		
Crude oil	Very large consignments, Long hauls, Few routes, Specialized terminals, Few ports	Very large to ultra large
Oil products	Small shipments, Numerous consignees, Many ports	Small to medium

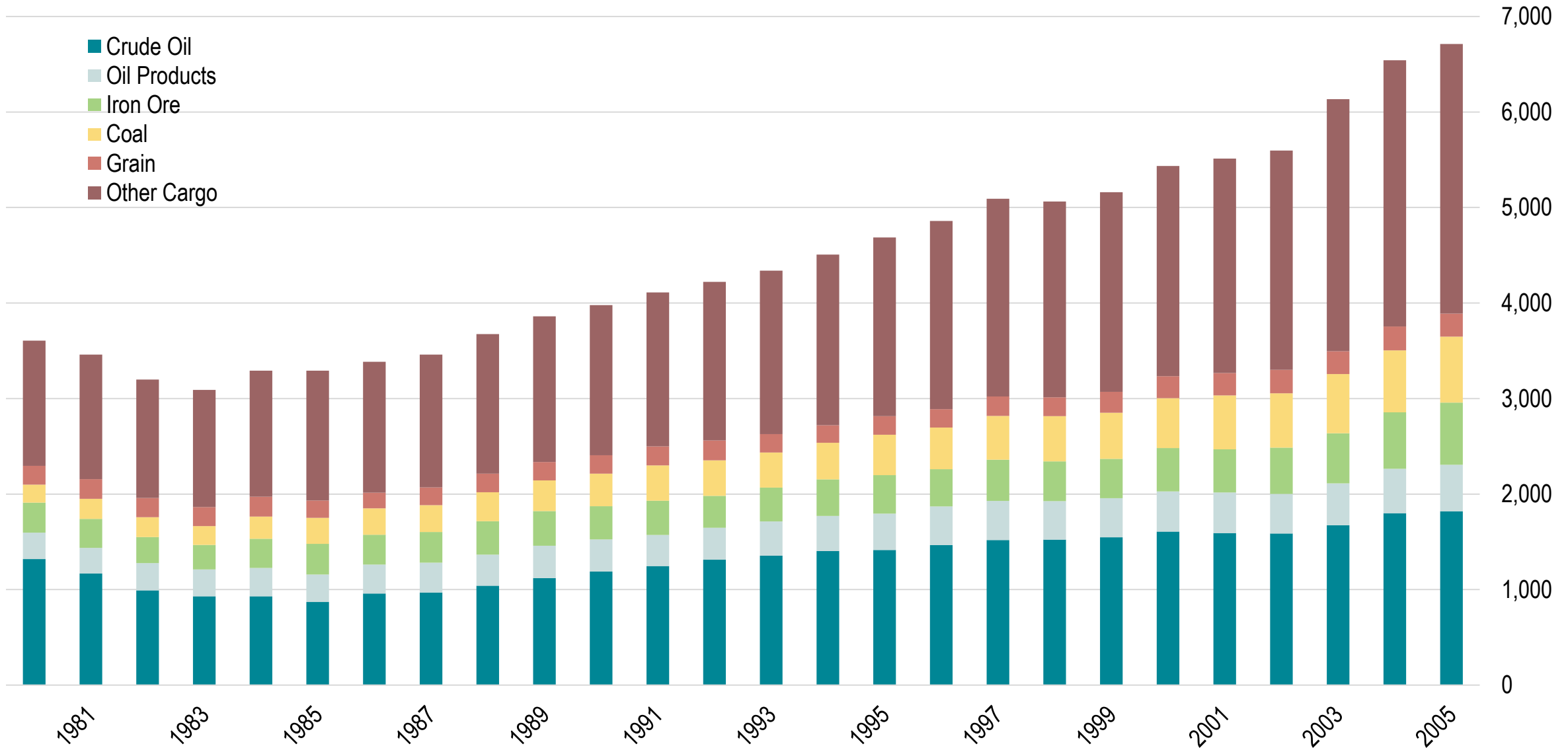
# World Tonnage by Cargo Vessel Type, 1970-2021 (in millions dwt)



# International Seaborne Trade, 1980-2015 (millions of tons loaded)



# Tons Shipped by Maritime Transportation, 1980-2005 (in millions metric tons)

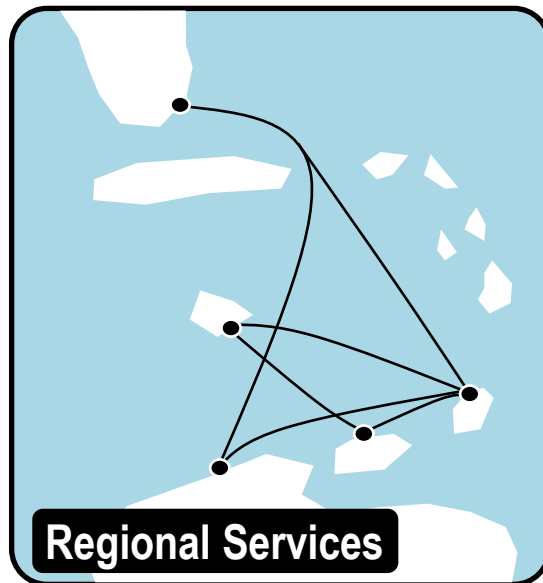




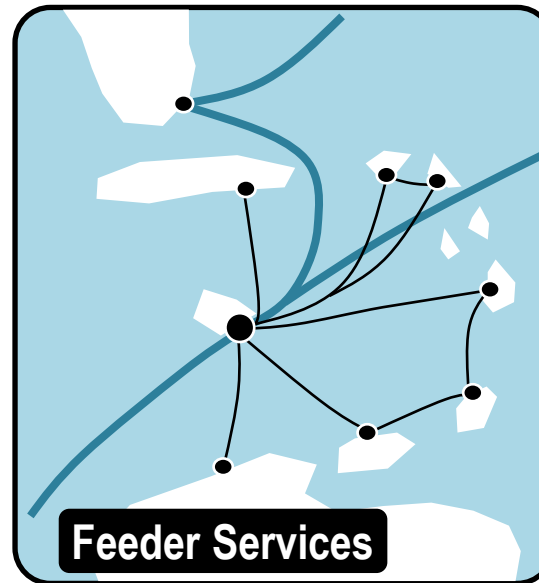
# Characteristics of Short Sea Shipping Services

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Market	Regional or intra-corporation cargo	Feeder cargo (from/to deepsea services)	Regional cargo over short distances
Frequency	Fixed schedule with low frequency	Shipping line schedule	Fixed schedule with high frequency
Service orientation	Regional loop	Transshipment hubs	Point to point
Operations	Lift-on/Lift-off (Lo/Lo); Roll-on/Roll-off (Ro/Ro)	Lift-on/Lift-off (Lo/Lo)	Roll-on/Roll-off (Ro/Ro)
Cargo type	Containers, break bulk, Ro/Ro	Containers	Trucks, trailers, passengers
Infrastructure Requirements	Shore-side cranes, warehouses and container storage areas	Shore-side cranes and container storage areas	Minimal (quays), particularly if vessels have self-sustaining ramps
Competition	Road and rail transport (if present)	Direct port calls. Ferry services.	Road and air transport (if present). Feeder services.

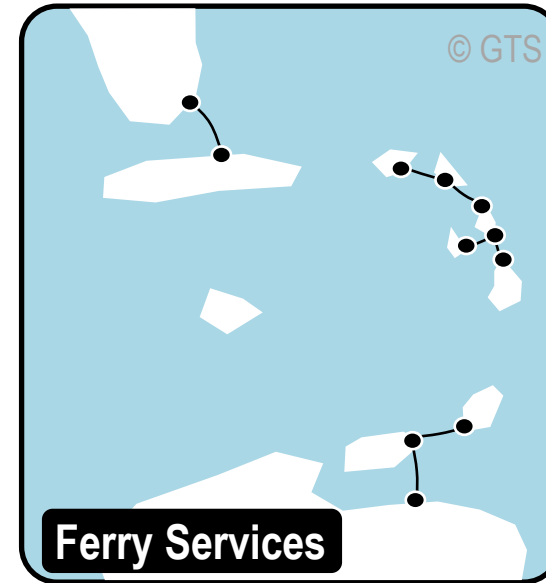
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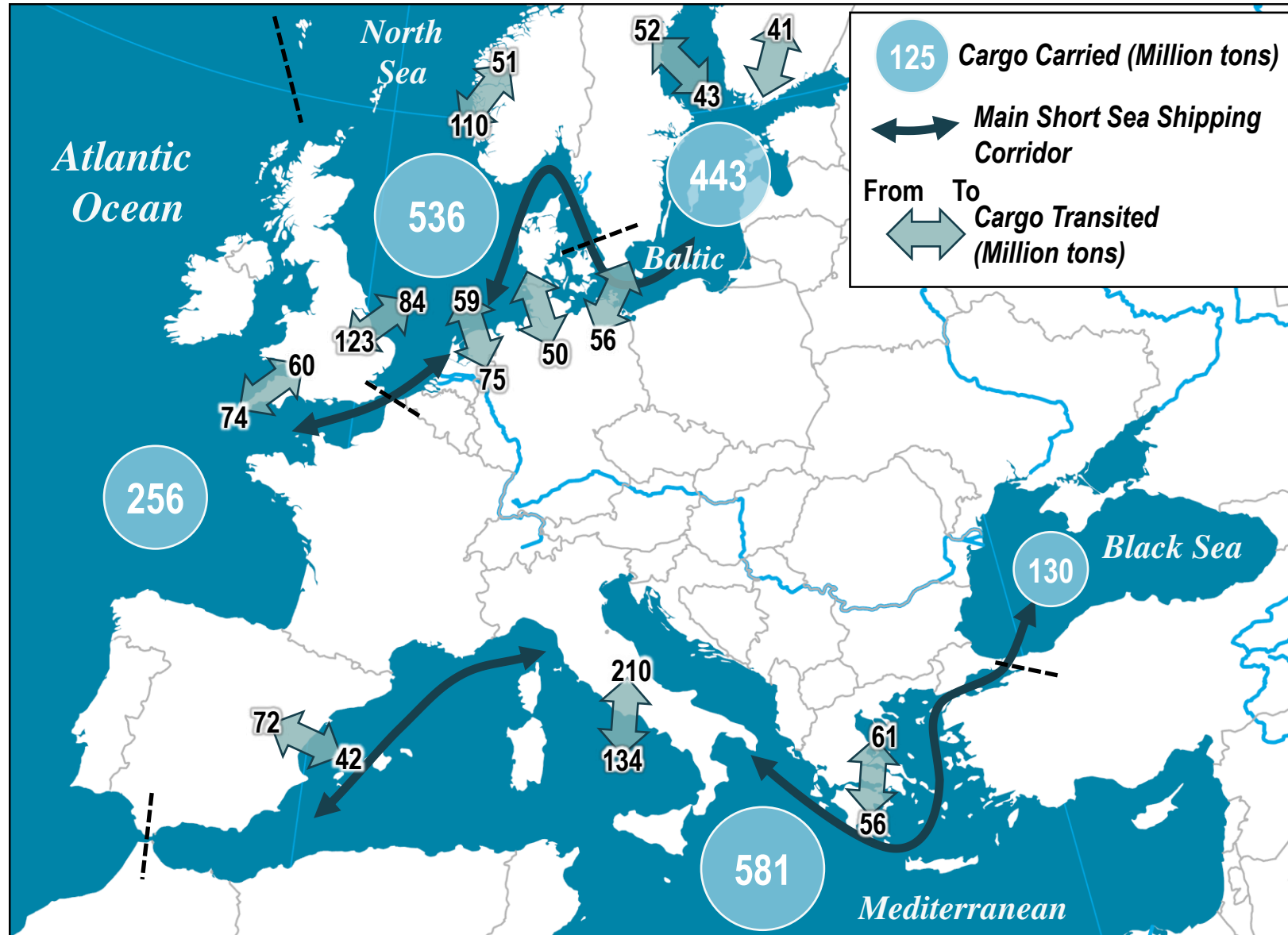
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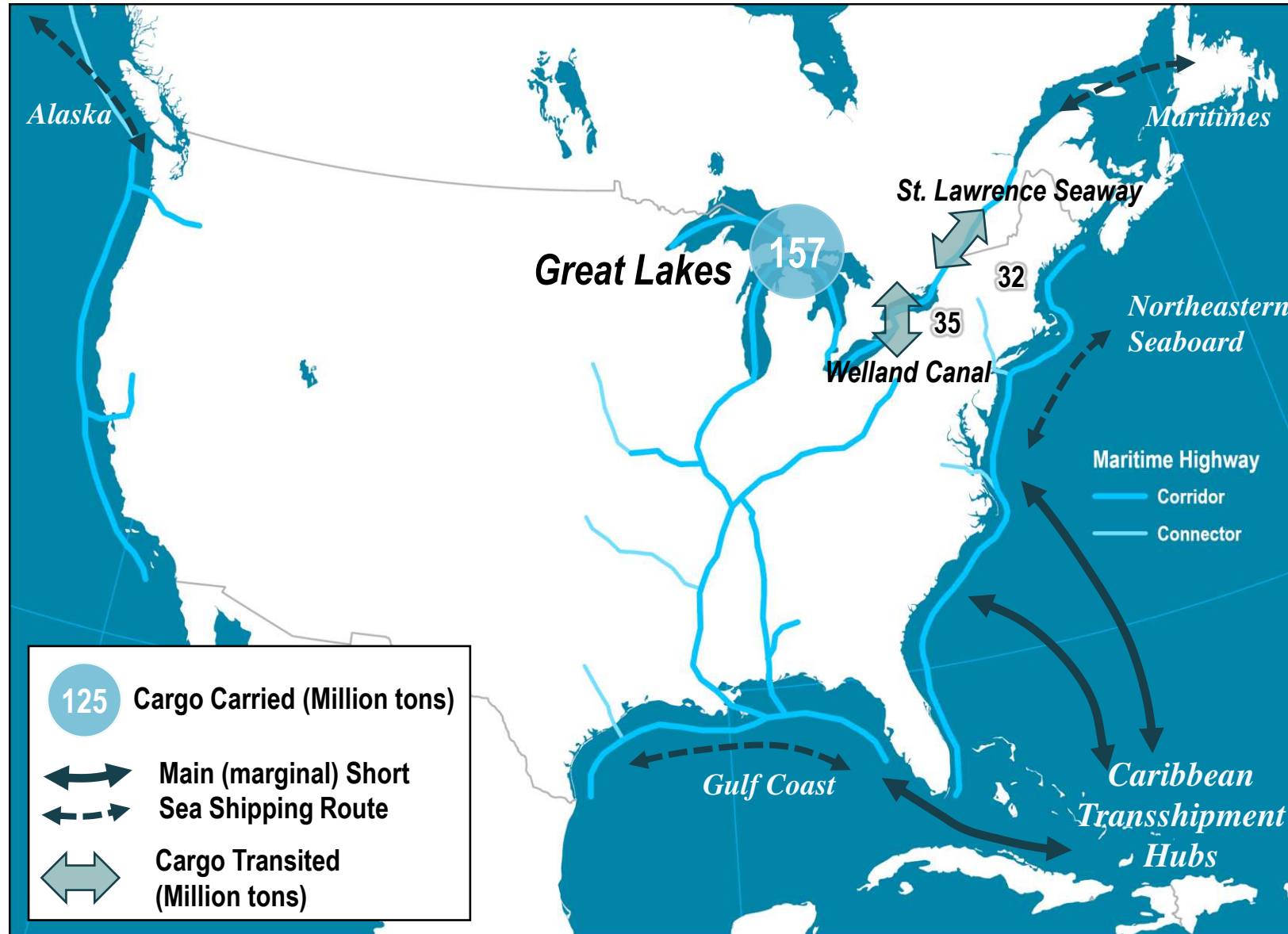
**Infrastructure**

**Competition**

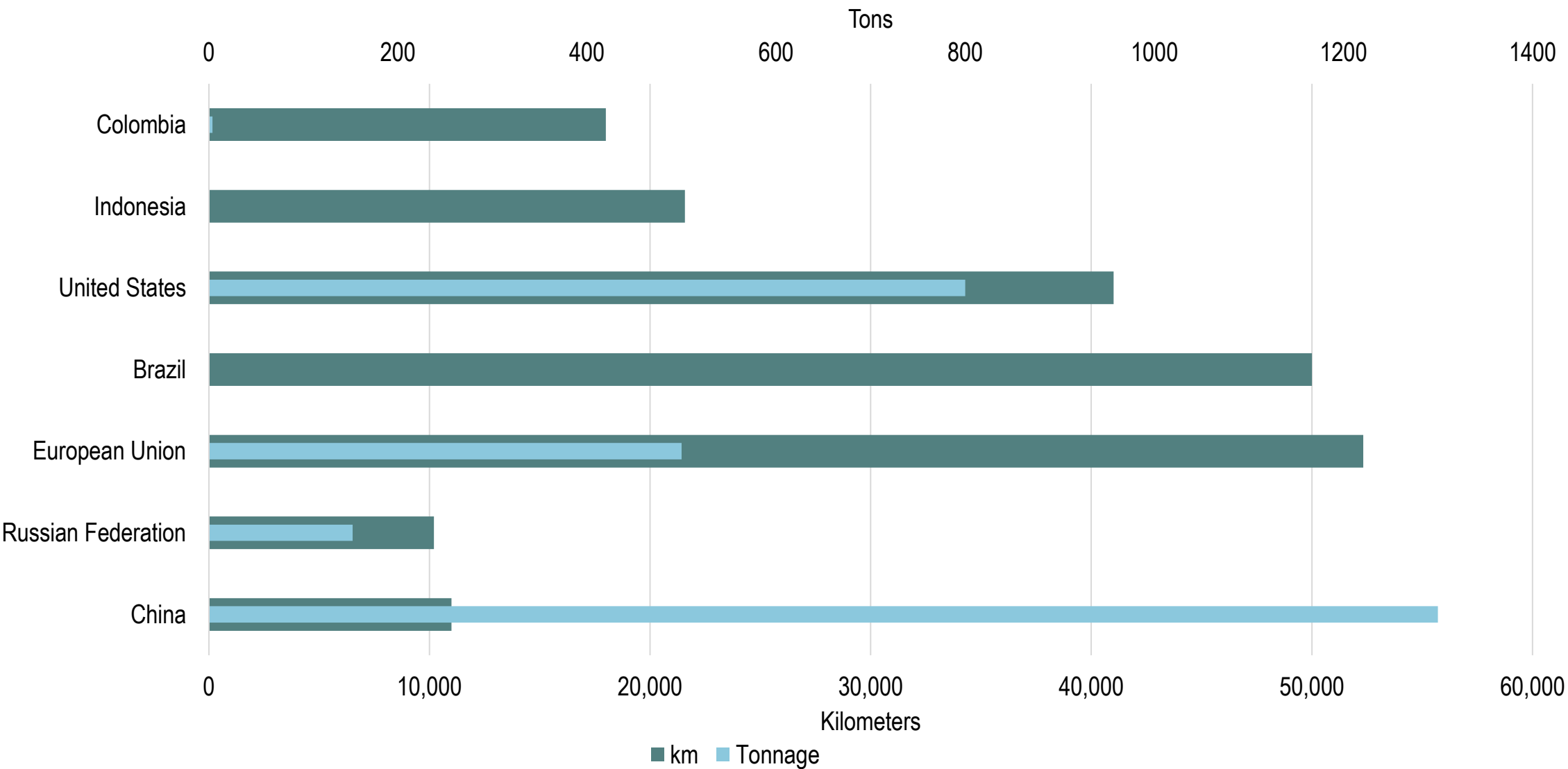
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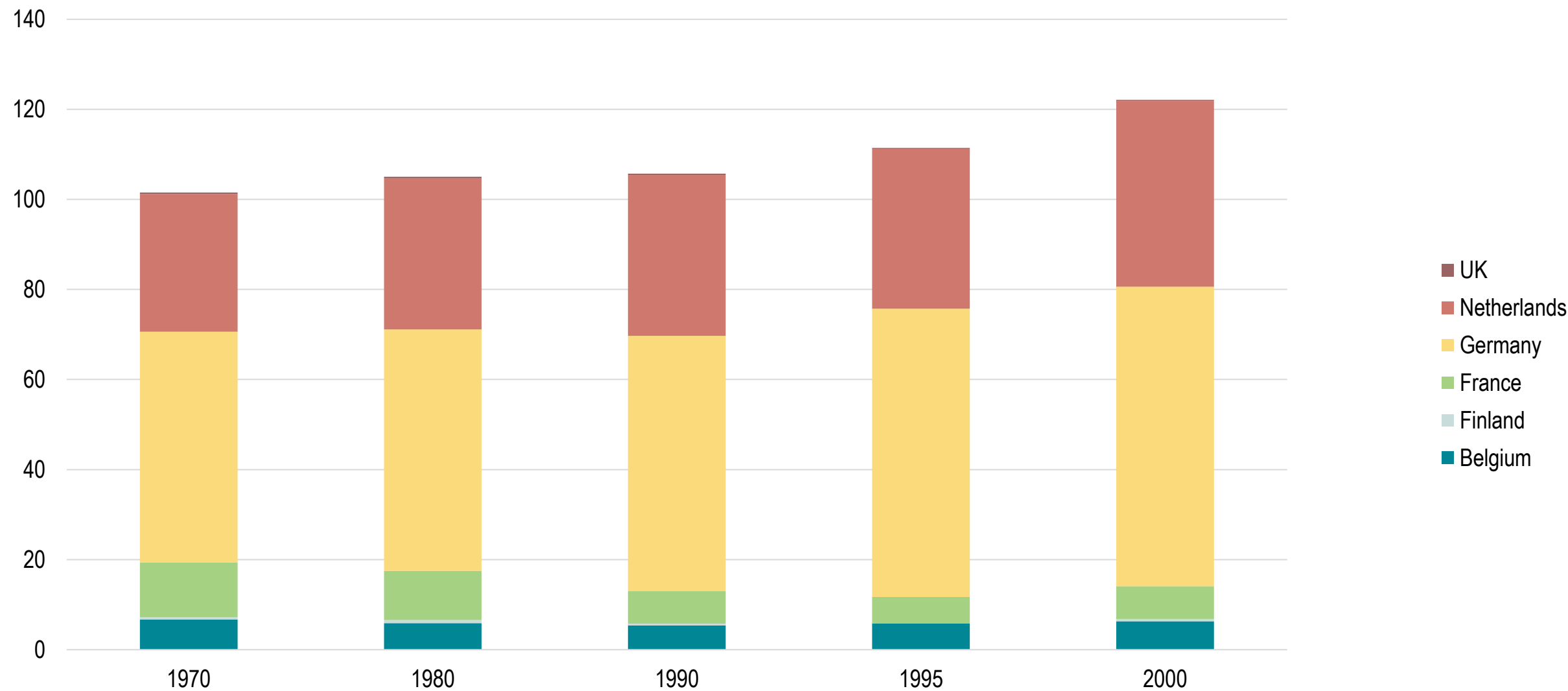
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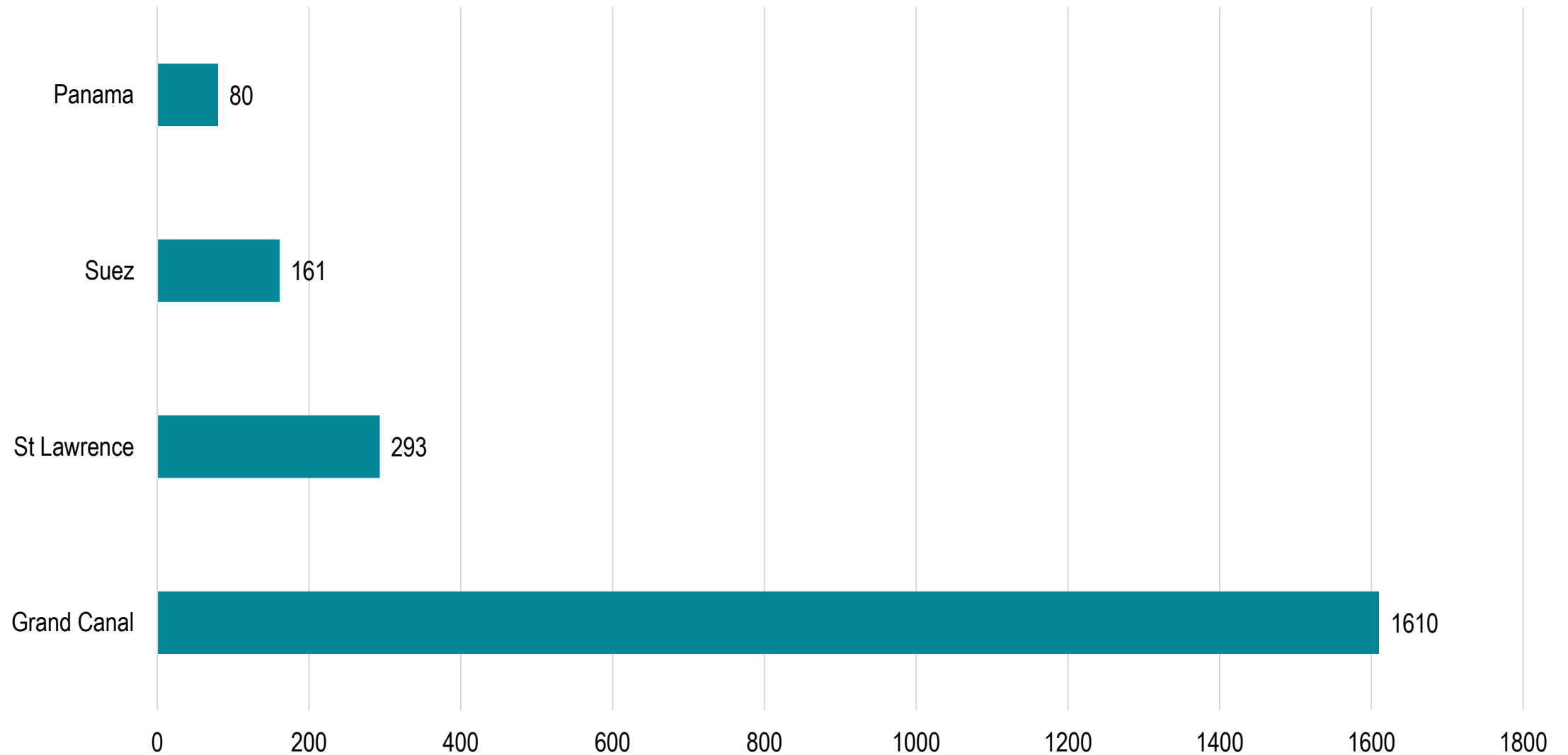
# Length of Navigable Waters and Tonnage Carried, 2006-08



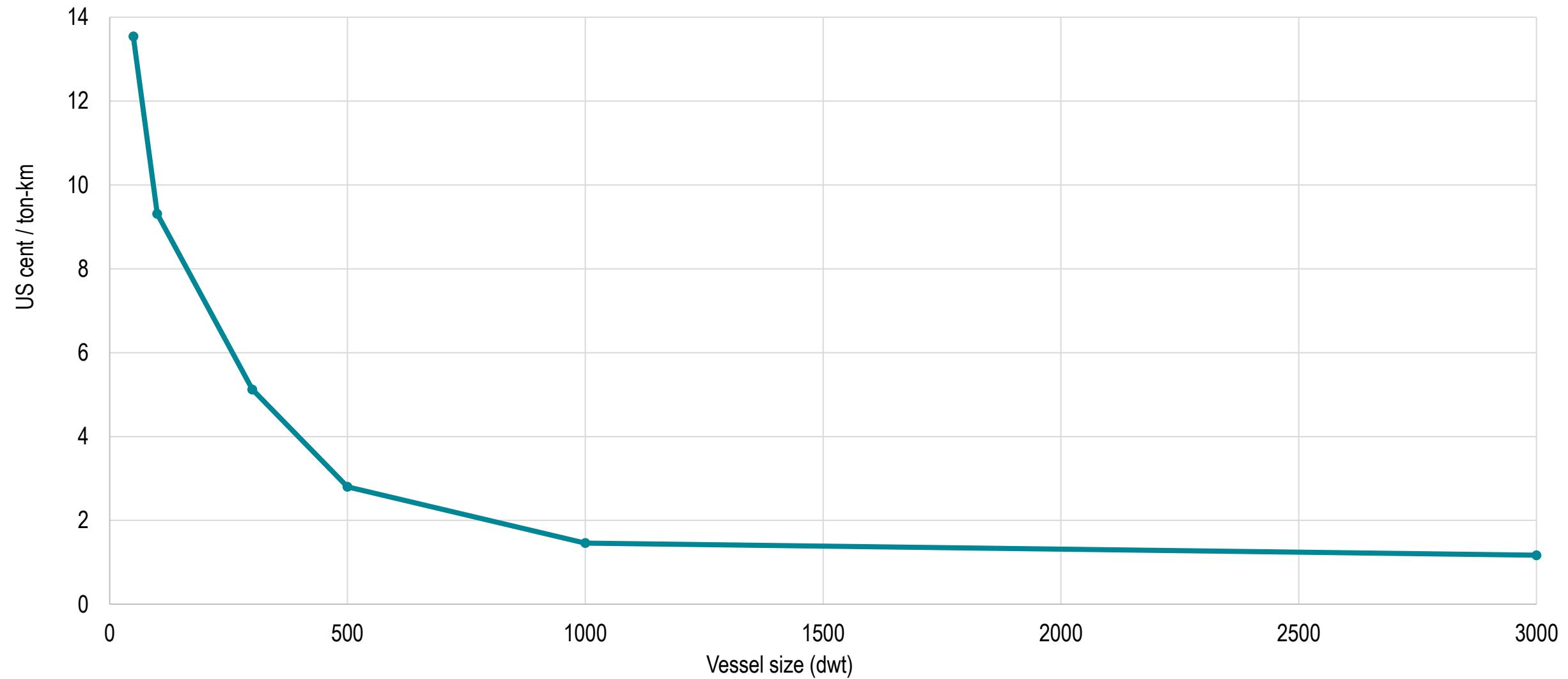
# Inland Waterway Traffic, Western Europe, 1970-2000 (in billion ton-kms)



# Channel length (in km)

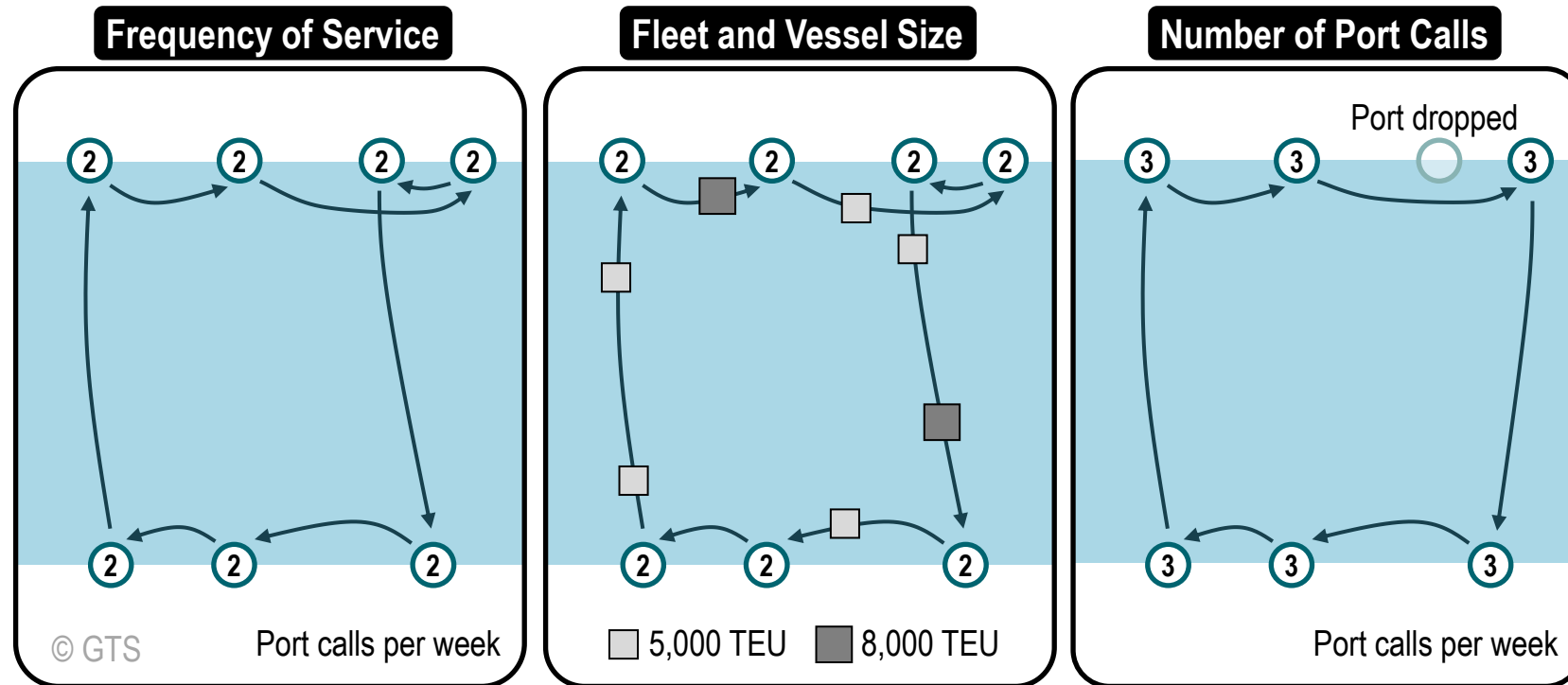


# Inland Waterway Vessels Operating Costs, China 1998





# Factors Impacting Maritime Shipping Networks



# Inter-Range Services and Cabotage

