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# Development of Chemical Industry in Poland



1991-2016 25 YEARS OF THE ASSOCIATION  
OF THE CHEMICAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL  
INDUSTRY OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

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# PIPC – general information



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# Status and Activity



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- The Employers' Organization founded in **1988**
- PIPC is the organization representing the economic and social interest of the chemical industry in Poland in contacts with the administration authorities and international organizations.

**132 Members** (covering over 60 000 employees directly in sector), including:

The largest producers of chemical, refining and petrochemical sector  
Transport and distribution companies  
Representation of the foreign companies  
Engineering offices, consulting companies  
R&D institutes, etc.

11 Internal Commissions (working groups)  
6 PIPC's and EU projects





# Chemical Industry in Poland



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# Chemical Industry in Poland (2015)



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1 new job place in the chemical industry generates 2-8 job places in other sectors



Production sold



**34 bn EUR**

Share of chemical industry in total industry



**12%**

Employment



**266 000**

Number of enterprises



**11 000**

International trade balance



**-6,9 bn EUR**

Investments



**1,8 bn EUR**

Innovation investments



**0,6 bn EUR**

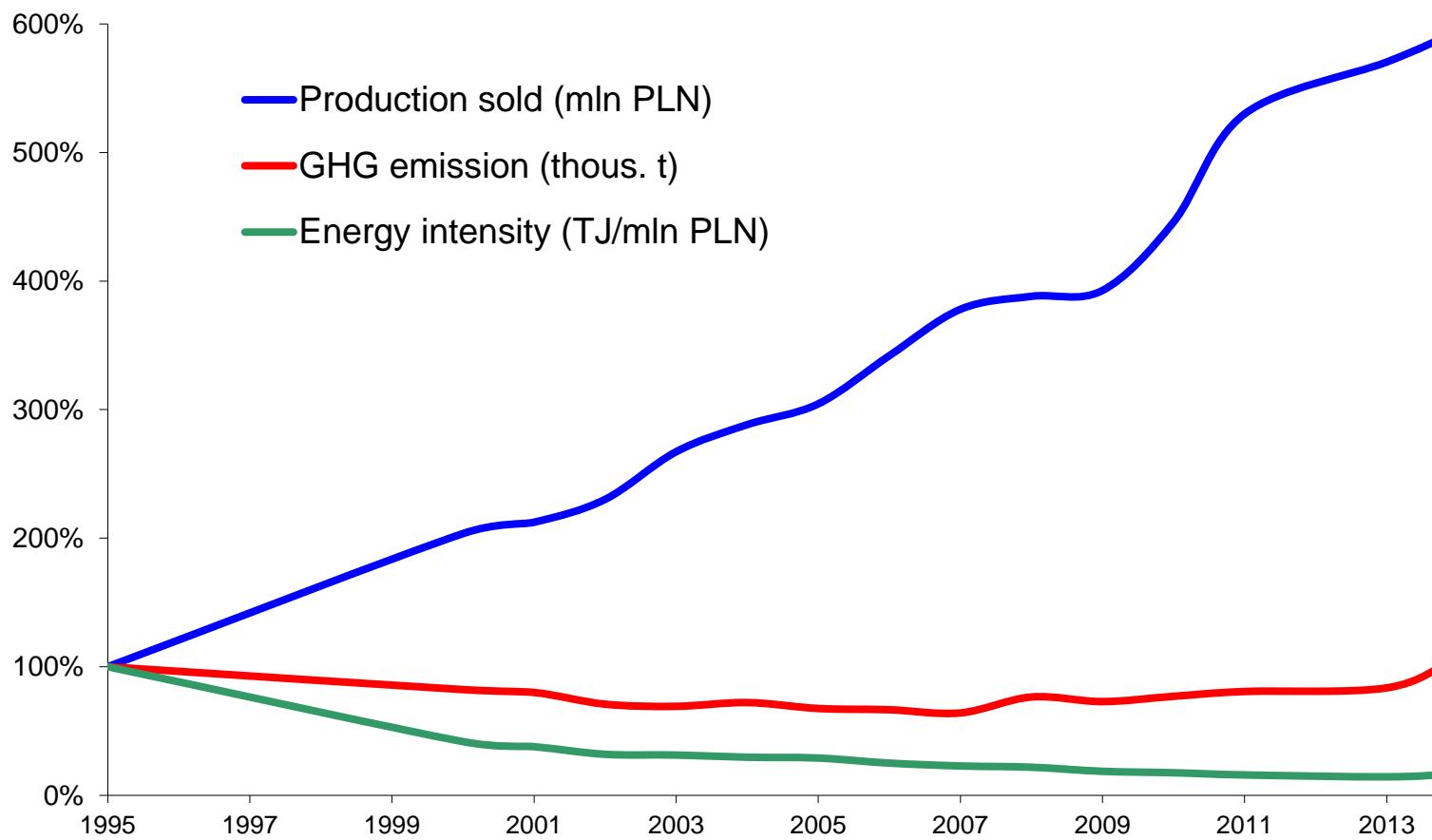


**70%**

of sales of chemical industry is spent on the needs of other sectors of economy



# Chemical sector in Poland is part of solution: growth decoupled and emissions



# Employment



**266 000**



An increase of 4.7%  
to 254 000 jobs in 2014.

# Production sold value



**34 bn EUR**

↑ An increase of 5.1%  
to 32,3 bn EUR in 2014.

Production sold of the chemical industry [bn EUR]



Source: own study based on CSO data

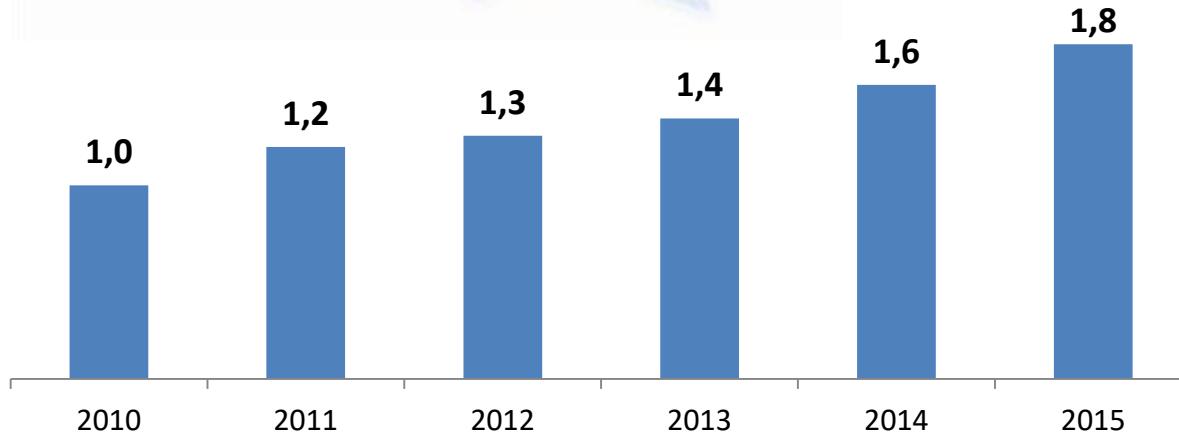
# Investments



1,8 bn EUR



An increase of 13.6%  
to 1,6 bn EUR in 2014.



Capital expenditures in the  
Polish chemical industry  
in 2010-2015 [ bn EUR]



## Perspectives and challenges



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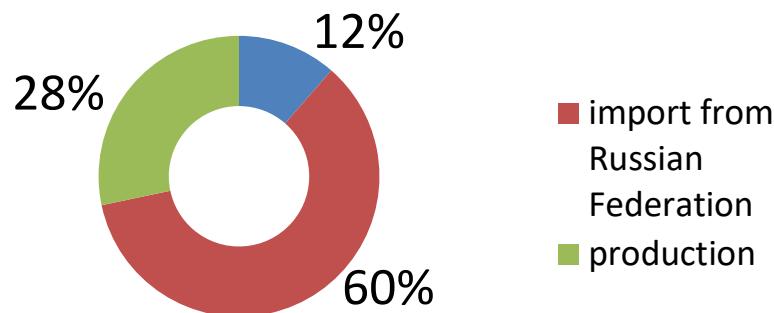


# Challanges & Risks

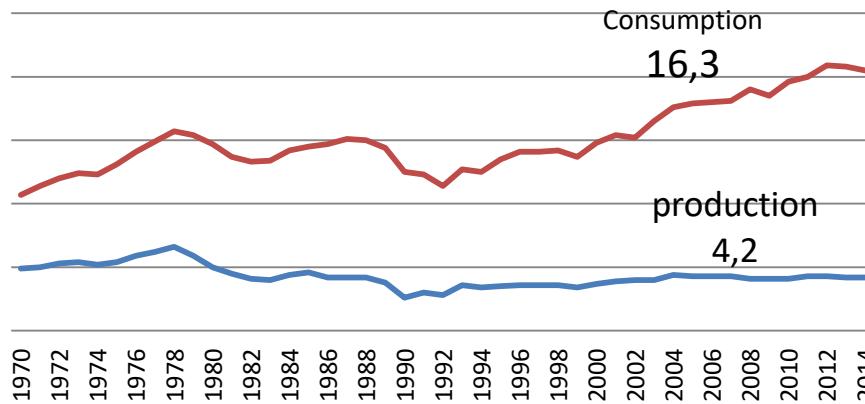
- High and costs of regulations – energy, emissions, environment, etc. (EU and domestic) → like: EU ETS Reform
- EU Industrial policies: trade, energy
- Free Trade Agreements
- EU market protection (taxes)
- Competitivness
- Feedstock dependeces (crude oil, natural gas)
- Image and position of chemical industry

# Natural gas

## Supplies of natural gas to Poland



## Consumption and production of natural gas in Poland in 1970-2014 [bn m<sup>3</sup>]



# Crude oil

Processing in 2015 – 26,5 mln t  
Processing in 2014 – 24,2 mln t  
9,5% ↑

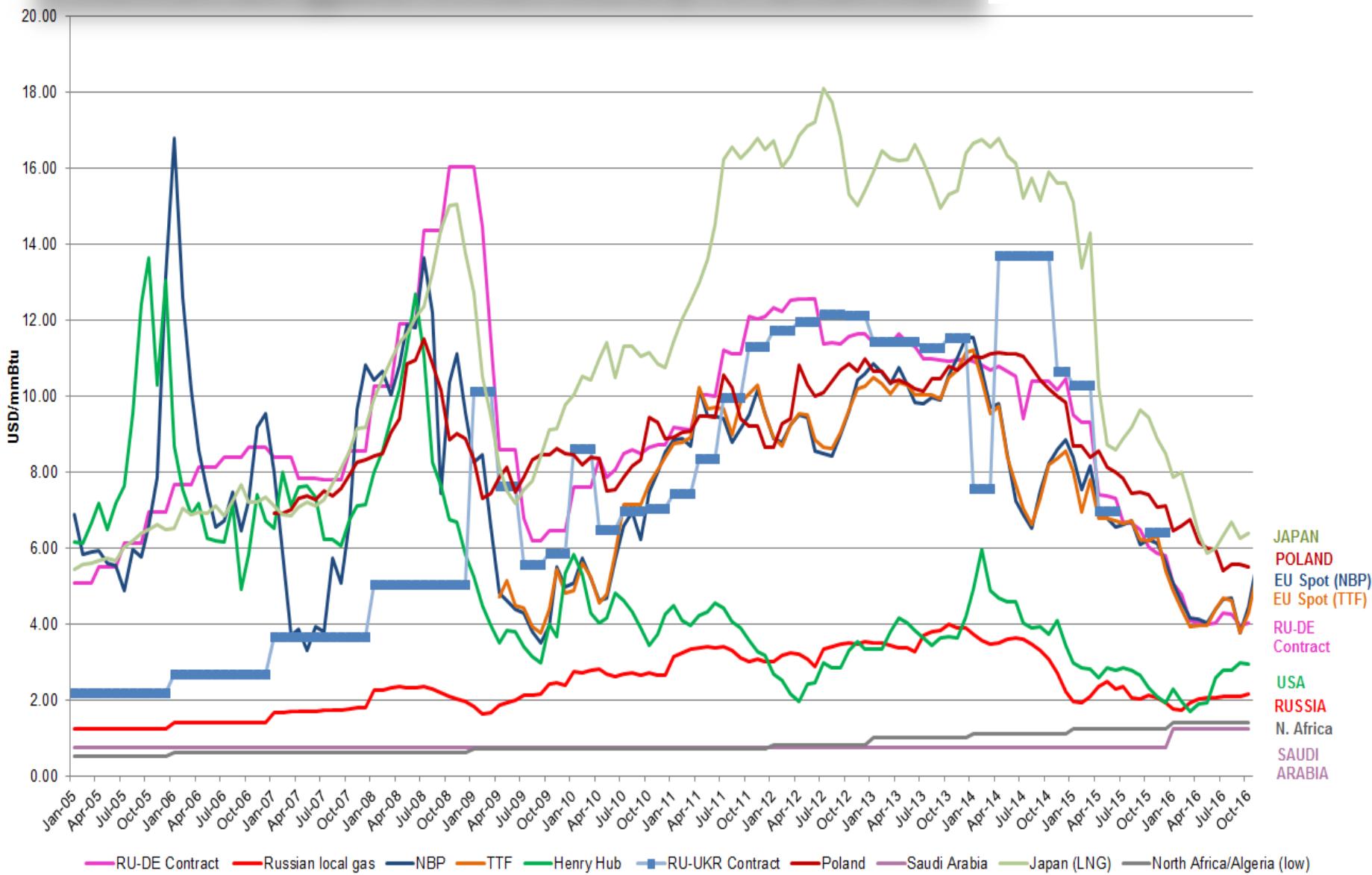
## Supplies of crude oil



# Natural gas market / Poland



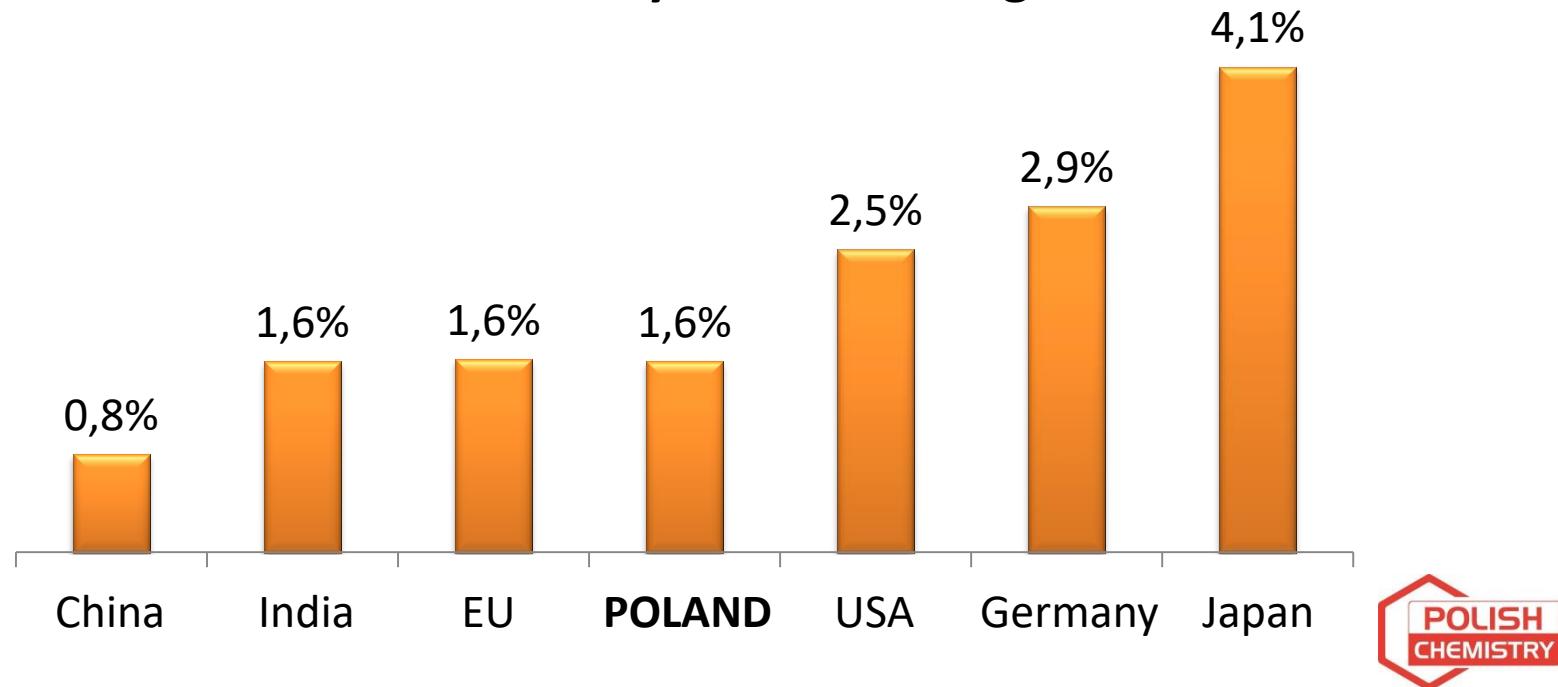
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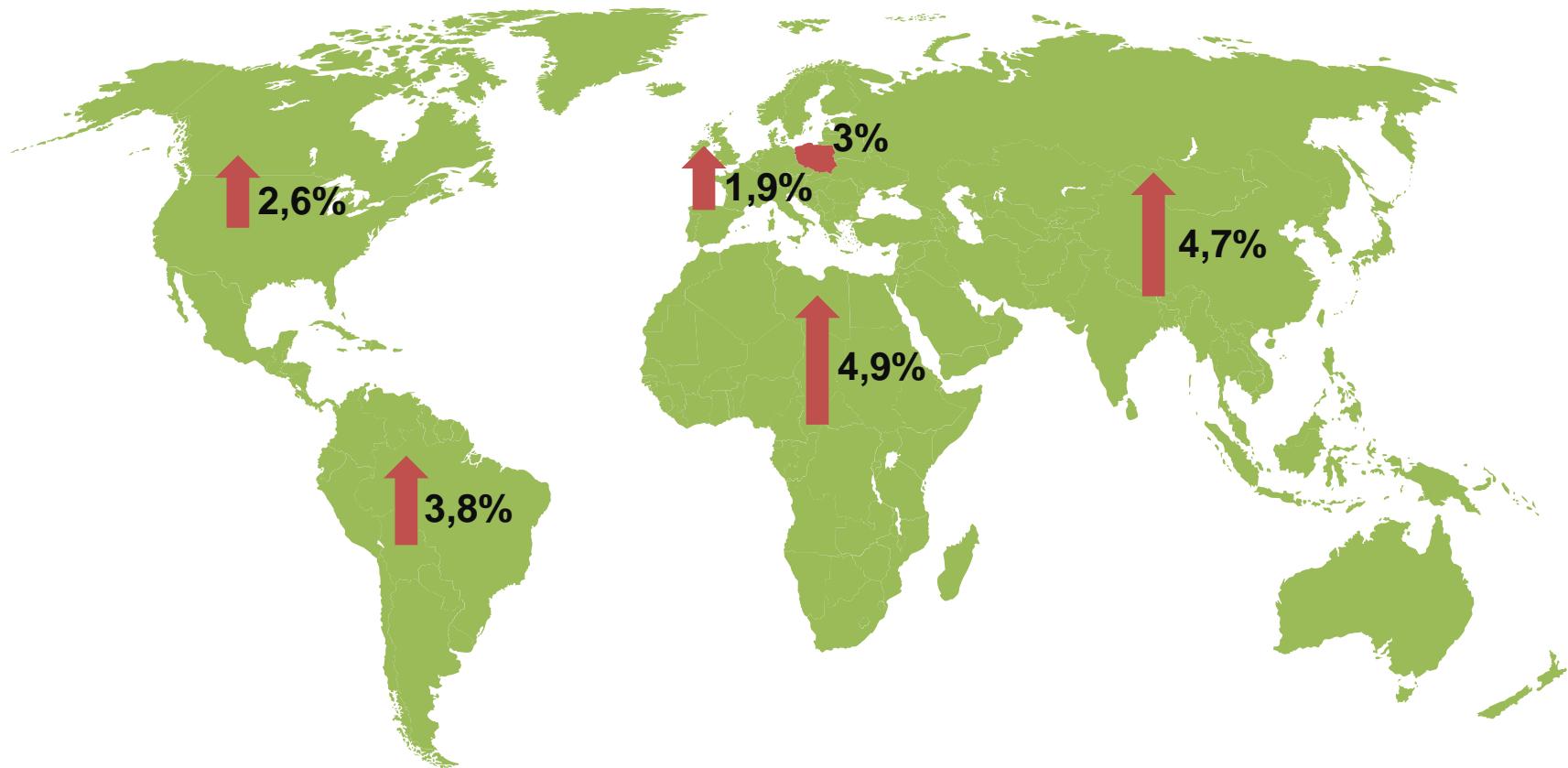
Source: IMF, World Bank, Russian Federal Tariff Service, ICIS Heren EGM, Polish Energy Regulator Office, Fertecon, internet

- ✓ The average annual growth of chemical sector in Poland is **7,2%** in 2010-2015, compared to 5,3% of the industry production growth.

**The share of expenditure on R&D in total revenues  
of the chemical industry in selected regions**



## The projected average annual revenue growth of the chemical market in selected regions of the world during the period 2015-2035



*Source: Prognosis of EY based on: Year-End 2015 Chemical Industry Situation and Outlook, American Chemistry Council, Chemicals 2035 – Gearing up for growth Roland Berger, Chemicals in Poland, Marketline Industry Profile*



# Summary

- Polish chemical industry is still developing sector of economy with a significant potential of investment and innovation improvement
- The business-science cooperation improvement is necessary
- Possibility of reducing negative international trade balance in chemicals
- ,Friendly' regulations – totally needed!

Conclusion:

Protection and improvement of competitiveness of chemical industry:  
NECESSARY & NEEDED



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