

# Where the Land Meets the Sea

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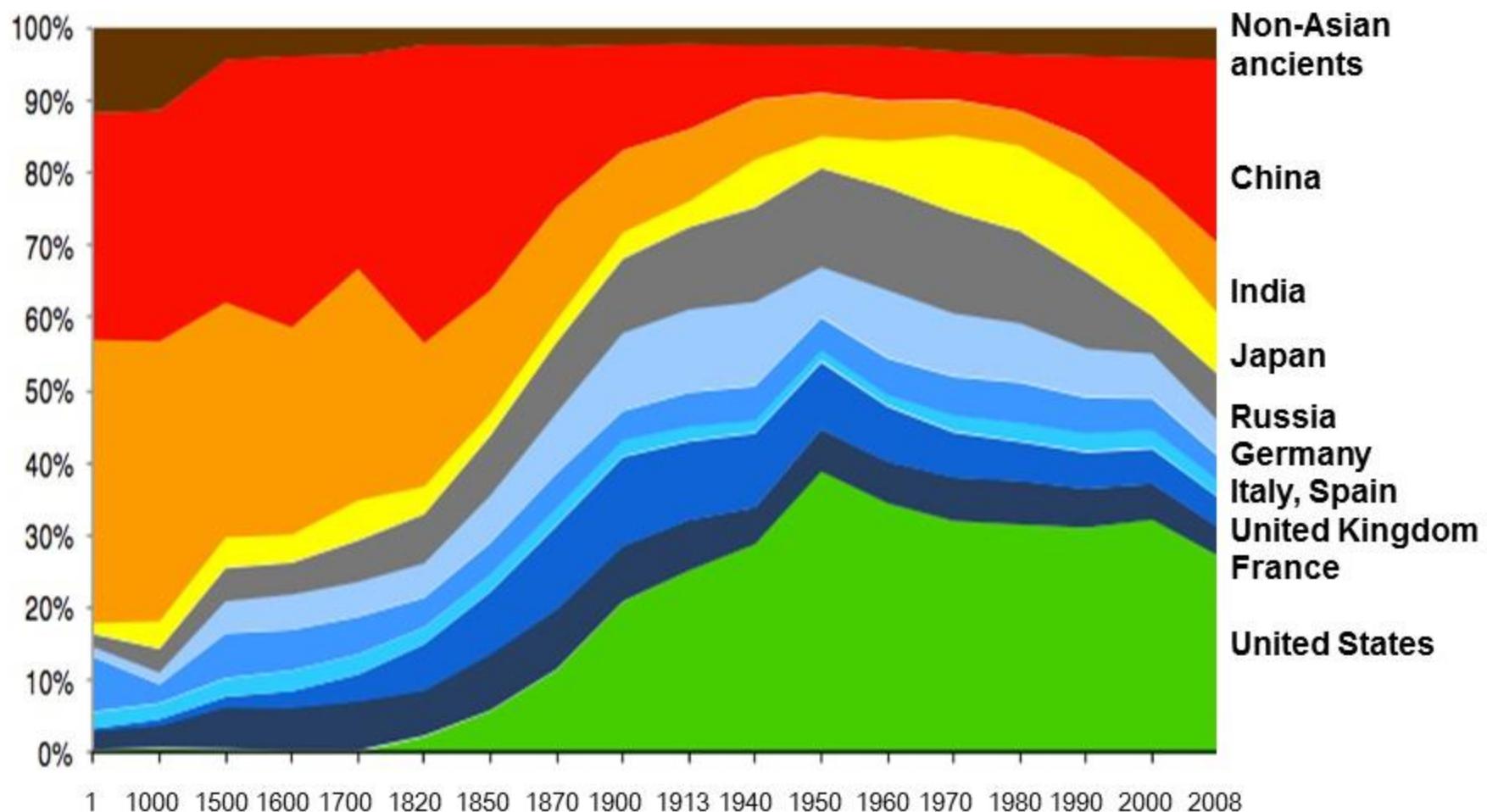
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# Economic History

Share of World GDP





**17%** *bigger than a  
Nimitz-class carrier*

**20 days**

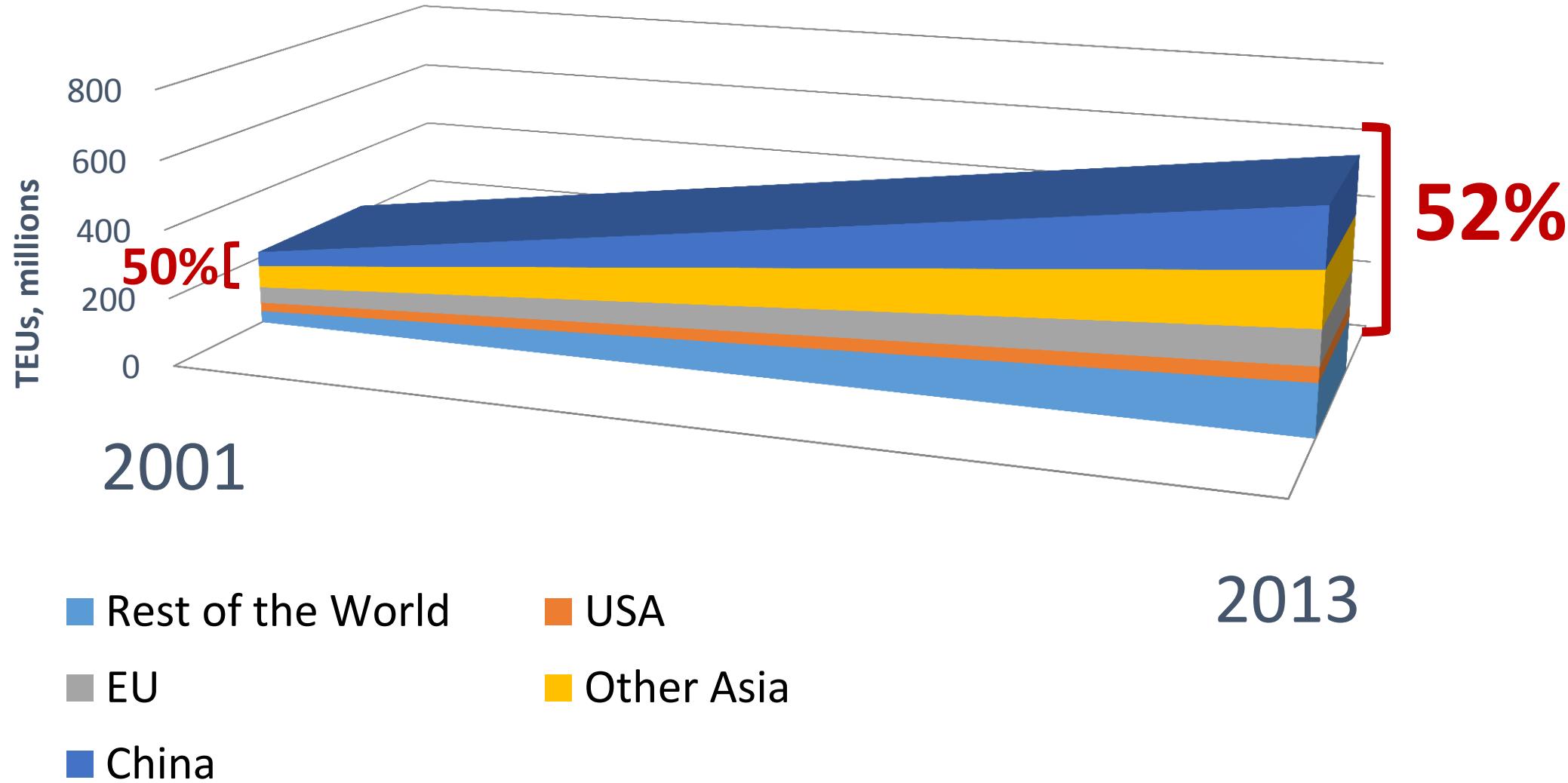
*from Spain to Singapore*

**99.5%** *emissions  
reduction  
from air freight*

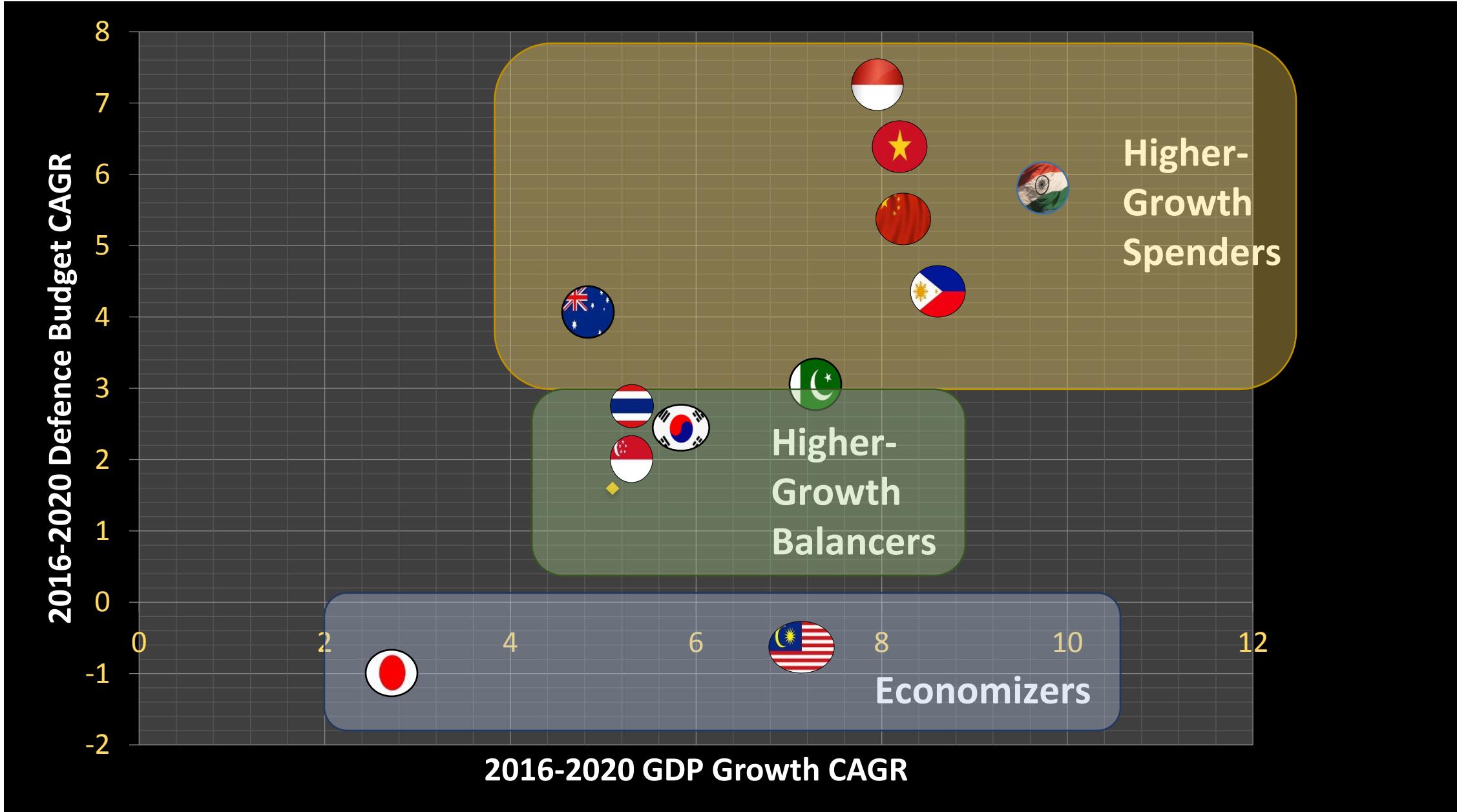
**equivalent to  
110km  
of rail cars**

# Global Container Volumes

## 2001 v. 2013



# Defence Budget Approaches in Asia, 2016-2020







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