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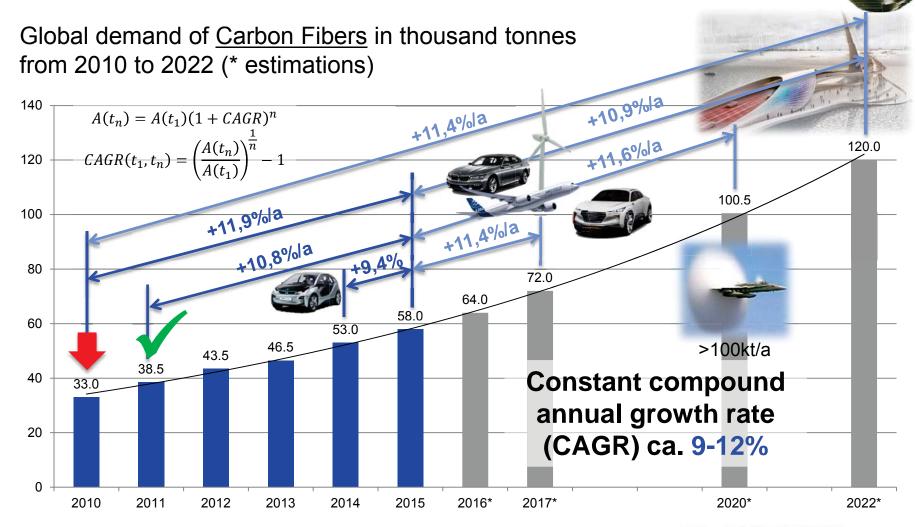
#### **Overview**

- 1 The global <u>Carbon</u> <u>Fiber</u> market
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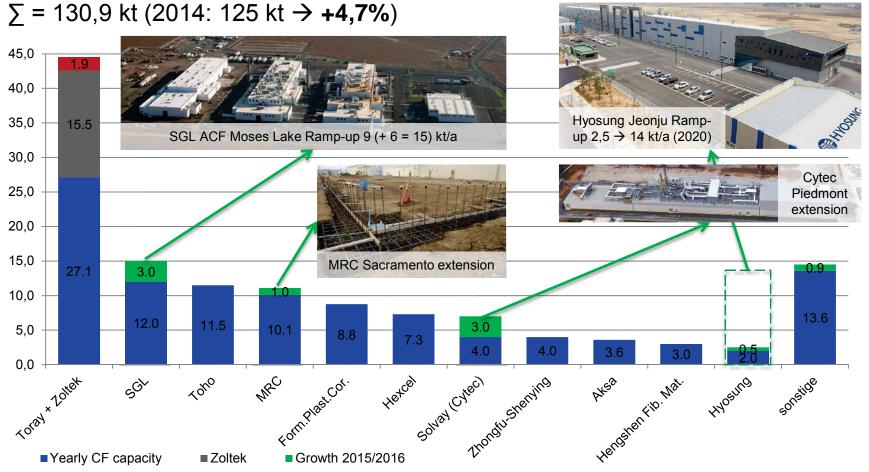


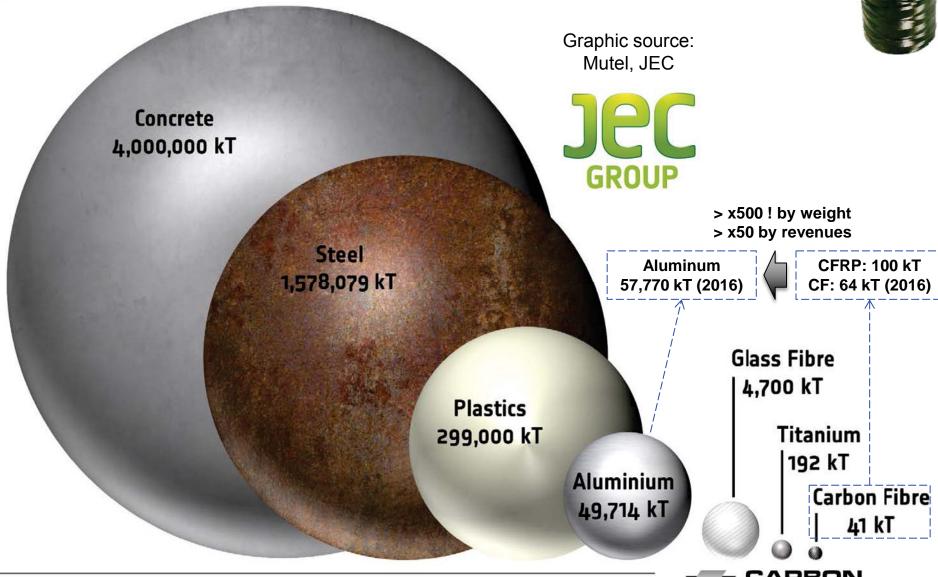
# The global Carbon Fiber market Processing of carbon fibers in Wackersdorf plant of SGL Automotive Carbon Fibers (ACF), source: BMW / SGL-ACF



#### 1.1 By manufacturer

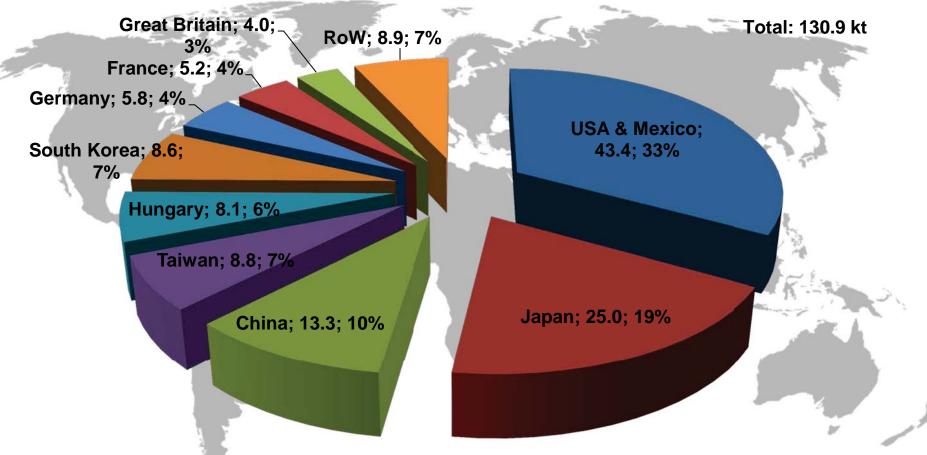
Annual, theoretical CF capacity by manufacturer in thousand tons (2015).





#### 1.2 By region

Annual, theoretical CF capacity by regions in thousand tons (2015).







Global demand of <u>Carbon Composites</u> in thousand tonnes from 2010 to 2022 (\* estimations) 250 +11,2%|2 +11,6%|a  $A(t_n) = A(t_1)(1 + CAGR)^n$ +11,2%0  $CAGR(t_1, t_n) = \left(\frac{A(t_n)}{A(t_1)}\right)^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1$ 200 +12,2% a +10,4% a 155 +11,4%|2 150 +9,6% 111 100 100 83 72 66 **Constant compound** 50 annual growth rate (CAGR) ca. 10-12% 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016\* 2017\* 2020\* 2022\*



#### 2.1 By matrix

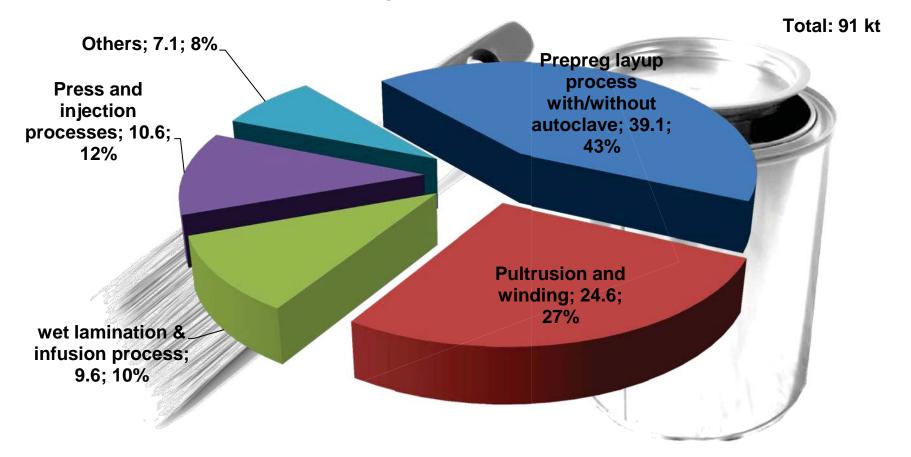
CC revenues in US\$ billion by matrix (2015) Total: US\$ 17.9 billion Hybrid; 0.8; 4%\_ Metal; 1.3; 7% Thermoset; 8.7; 49% Ceramic; 1.7; 10% Polymer; 11.6; 65% Thermoplastic; 2.9; 16% Carbon; 2.5; 14%





#### 2.2 By processes

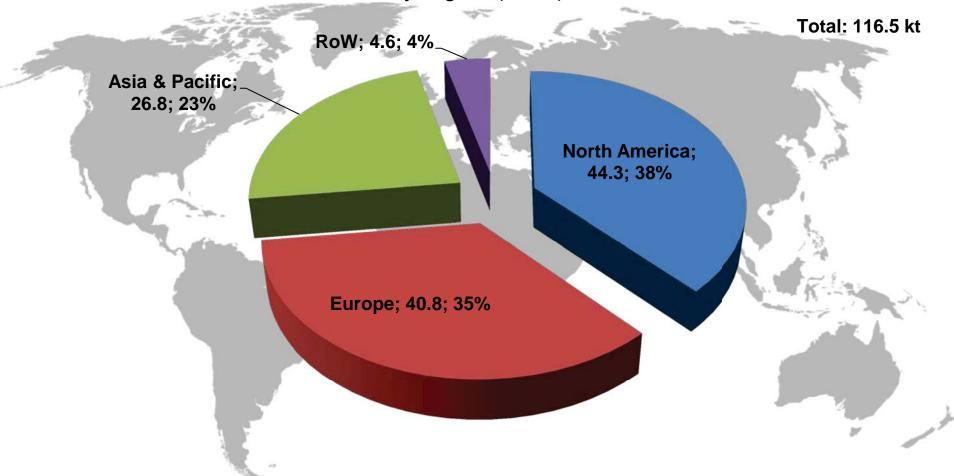
With <u>CFRP</u> production processes generated amounts in thousand tonnes (2015)





#### 2.3 By region

CC demand in thousand tonnes by region (2015)



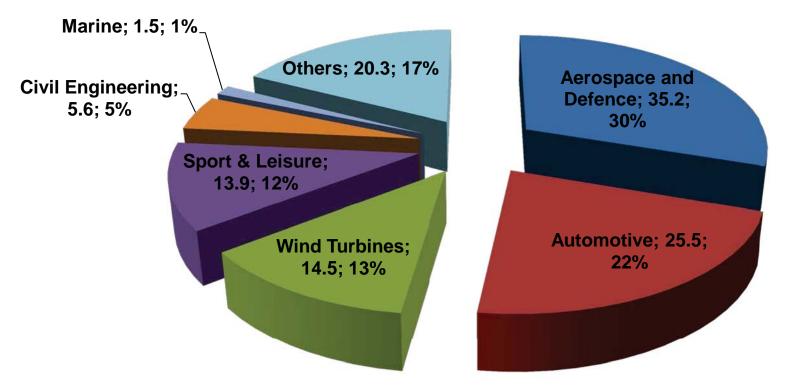




#### 2.4 By application

CC demand in thousand tonnes by application (2015)

Total: 116.5 kt

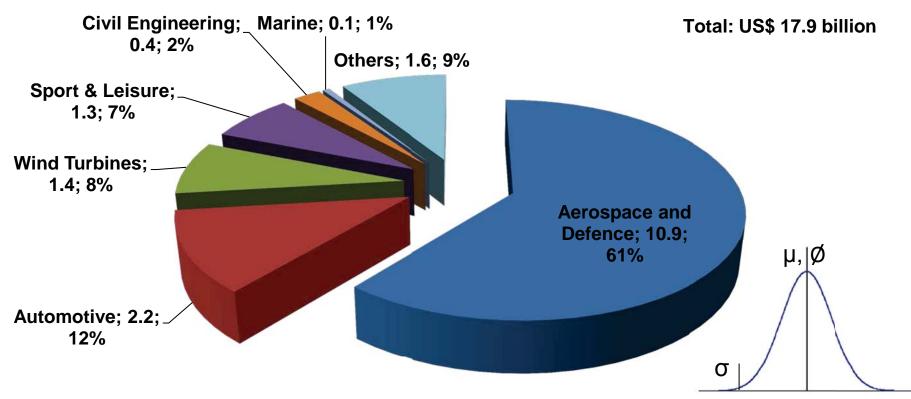






#### 2.4 By application

CC revenues in US\$ billion by application (2015)





Aerospace & Defence:	310 US\$/kg	Wind Turbines:	97 US\$/kg
Automotive:	86 US\$/kg	Sport & Leisure:	94 US\$/kg



#### 3 Trends and outlook



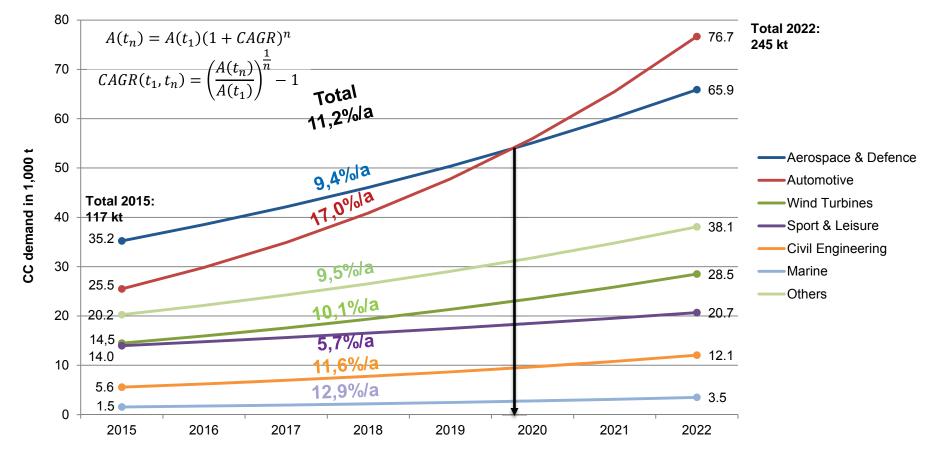
Automated production of the "Research Pavilion 2014-15" of University of Stuttgart's Institute for Computational Design (ICD) and Institute of Building Structures and Structural Design (ITKE), source: Moritz Doerstelmann, ITKE



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#### Estimated development of <u>CC demand</u> in thousand tonnes





# 4 Conclusion



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#### **Core messages and forecast**

- The golbal CF and CC market is and <u>stays</u> a promising business field with stable annual growth rates of 9-12% <u>over several years</u>.
- The pressure of competition for CC increases due to hybrid lightweight material mixes (use of CC only where necessary and useful). Meanwhile CC settles its place in the material mix.
- Cost savings in material <u>and</u> production costs will be essential for an increasing share of CC in future applications.
- But: The market behaviour is more inertial than expected
   → positive as well as negative outliers not to be expected
- Stimulation by taxes and laws (e.g. in automotive, civil engineering and wind energy sector) can bring additional dynamics into the CF and CC market.





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