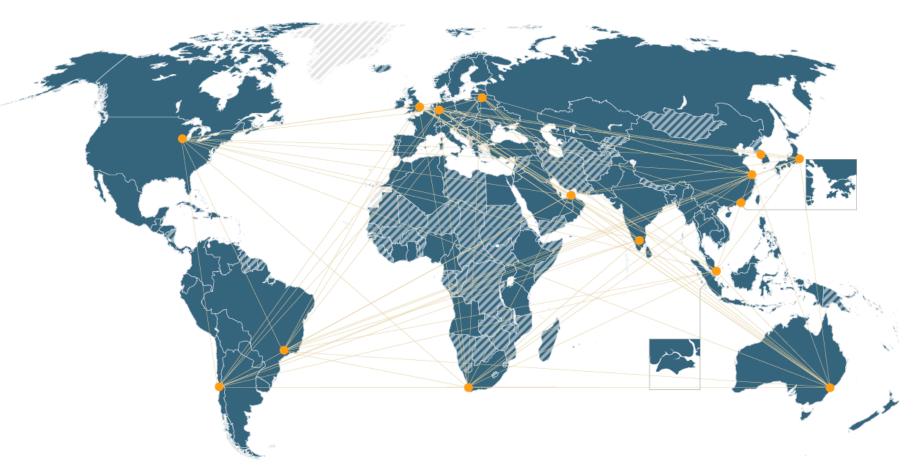






# Global Nicotine Market Overview

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Shane MacGuill – Head of Nicotine and Cannabis Research

### **OVERVIEW**

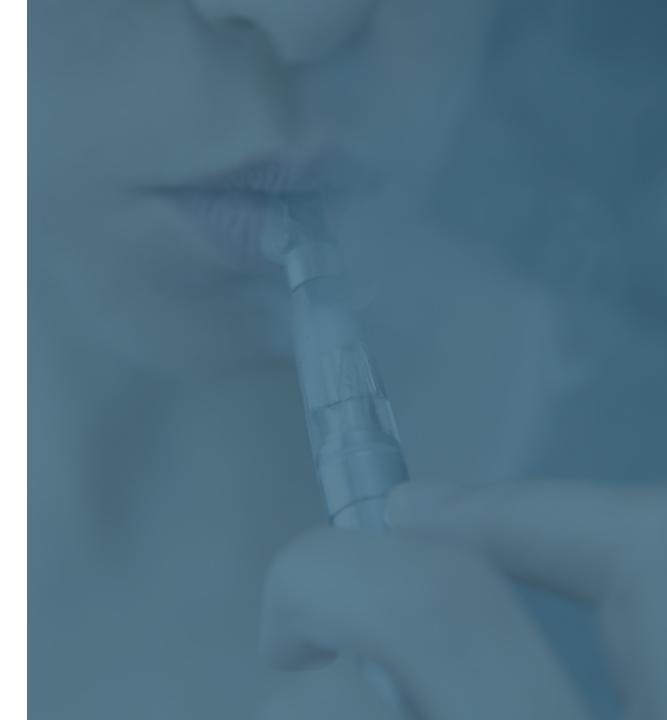
Context and Key Findings

Company and Category Focus

Nicotine Consumer Trends

Sustainability in Tobacco

Key Trends in Cannabis



# Key drivers in global tobacco

Regulation tops the list of major factors influencing markets

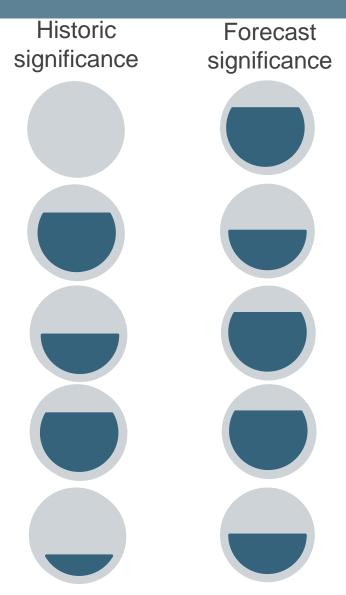
COVID-19 disruption creates threats and opportunities

Significant prevalence and visibility declines

Broadening of the nicotine universe

Regulatory innovation (including sustainability)

Beyond nicotine, discovering the new core





# 2021 tobacco market in figures

Pandemic effect sends cigarettes to best performance in years



**2,793 bn** = cigarettes (ex. CN) (3,063 bn stick equivalent)



-0.2% = decline in '21 v '20 cigarettes (+0.8% stick equivalent)



**\$518bn** = cigarettes (ex. CN) (\$577bn stick equivalent)



+0.3% = value growth in cigarettes (+1.8% stick equivalent)



**12.6%** = illicit penetration of total sales (excl. China)



US\$2.94 = average pack price (US\$3.63 excl. China)



18.2% = proportion of adults in the world smoke

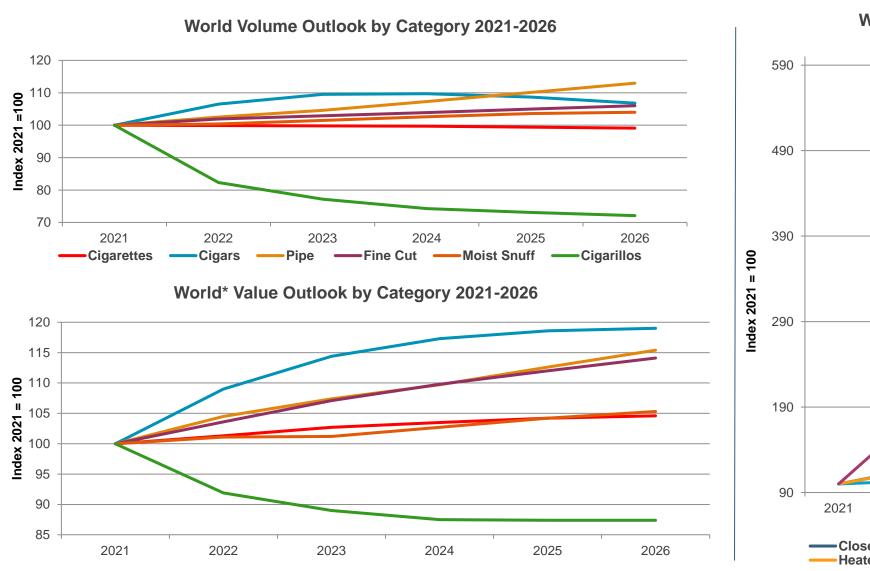


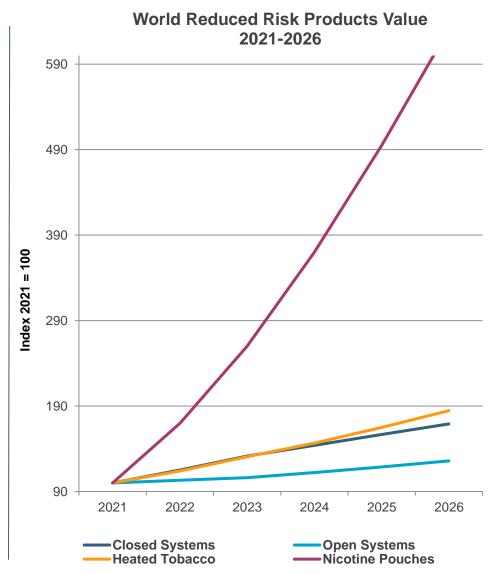
83% = cigarettes as share of total value sales (80% excl China)



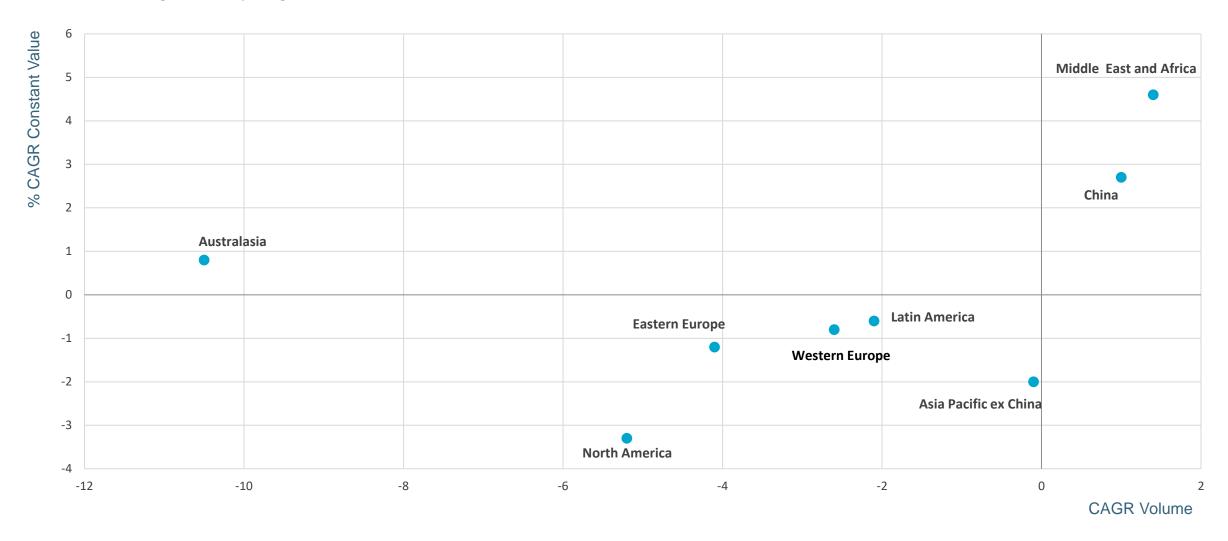
### Tobacco and reduced risk market outlook 2021-2026

Struggle for cigarette value continues as vapour growth trajectory begins to flatten





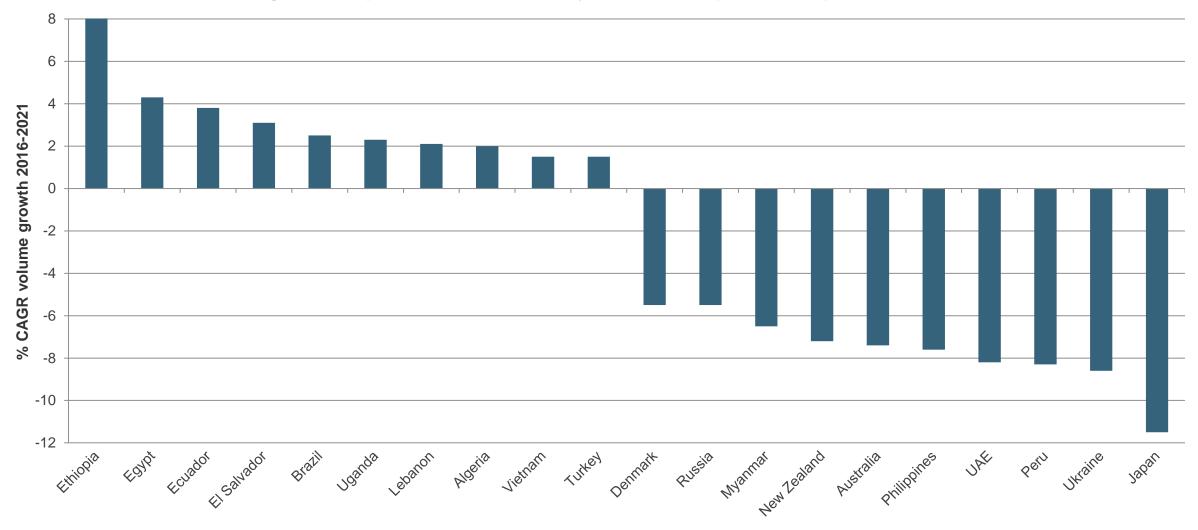
### **Growth in Cigarettes by Region 2021-2026**







#### Cigarettes: Top Ten Risers and Fallers by CAGR Volume (Retail + Illicit) 2016-2021

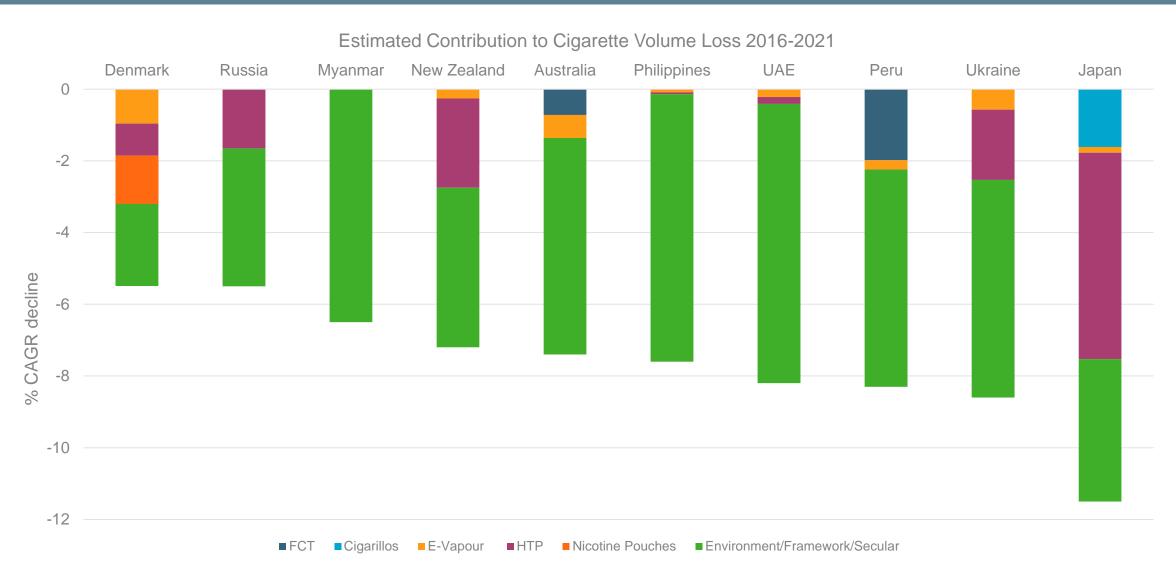


Looking back: largest shifts in cigarette demand between 2016 and 2021



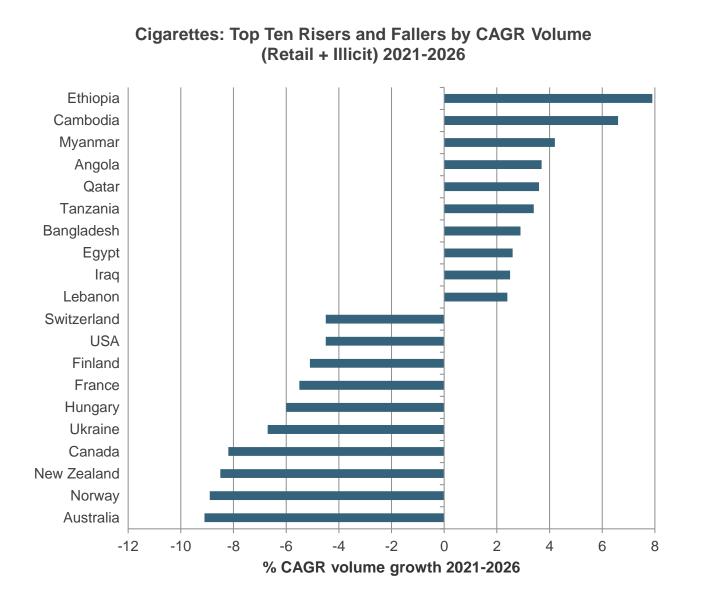
# Deconstructing historic cigarette volume loss

Alternatives – in particular HTP – playing significant role in cigarette attrition



### Cigarette market outlook: largest projected growth and decline 2021-26

Markets with biggest % growth potential almost exclusively centred in MEA



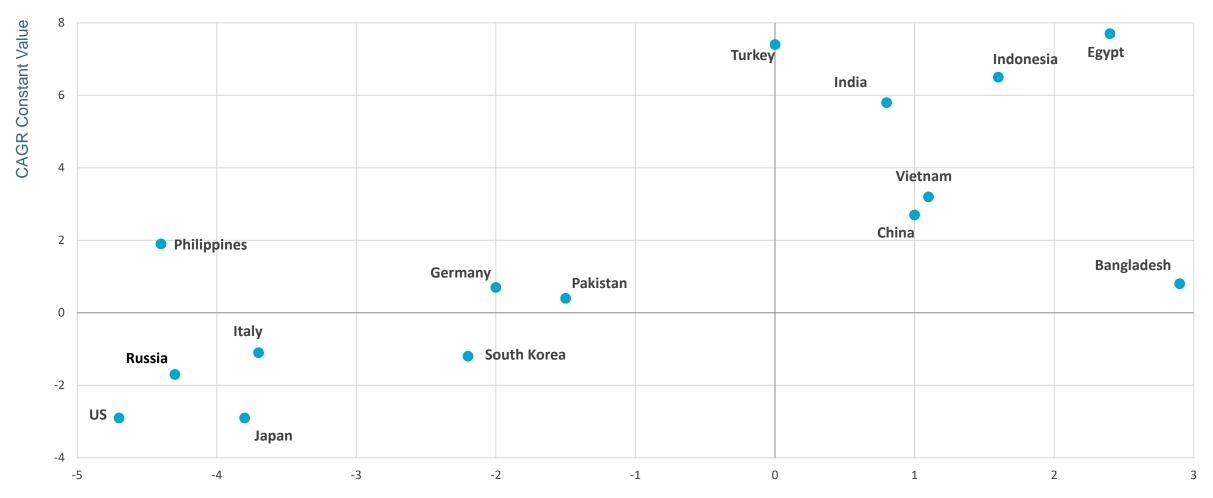




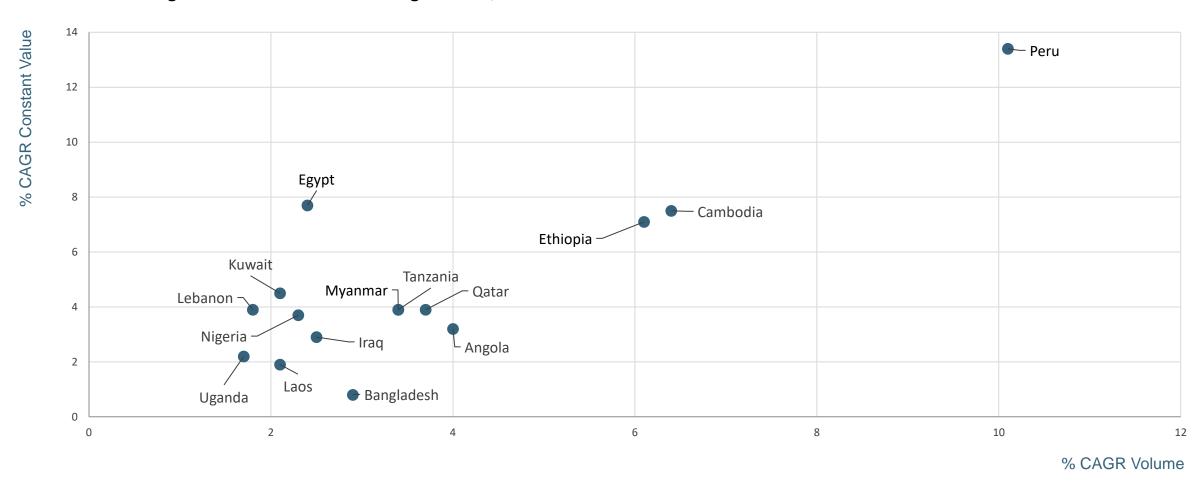
### Prospects for global top 15 2021-26

Volume and value growth concentrated in MENEAT and APAC but others now flirt with value contraction

### **Growth in Cigarettes in 15 Largest Markets 2021-2026**



### **Growth in Cigarettes in 15 Fastest Growing Markets, 2021-2026**



Top 15 fastest growing global cigarette markets 2021-2026

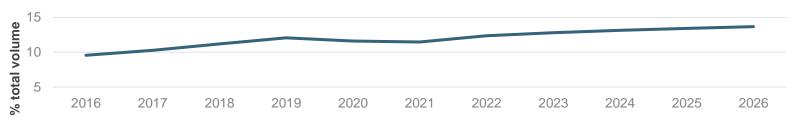


# Global illicit penetration set to rebound significantly in 2022

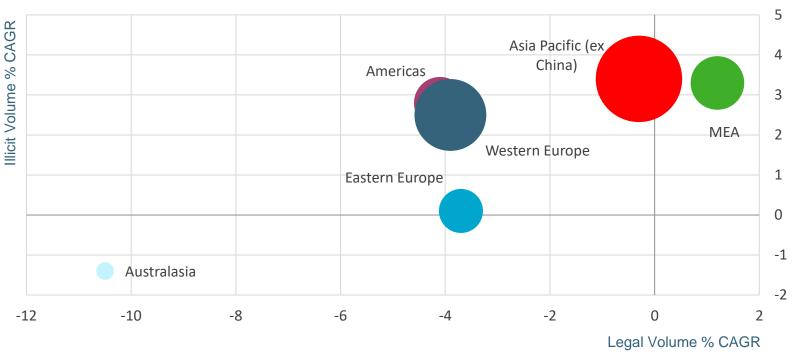
Rebound projected to extend into forecast period as cost of living bites

Rank	Country	Penetration
1	Ecuador	<del></del>
2	Peru	<b>6</b> 6%
3	Uganda	<b>5</b> 9%
4	Malaysia	57%
5	Bosnia & Herzegovina	<b>1</b> 51%
6	Brazil	49%
7	Ethiopia	43%
8	Panama	43%
9	Dominican Republic	43%
10	Costa Rica	<b>32</b> %
11	Colombia	31%
12	Oman	<b>1</b> 31%
13	Pakistan	30%
14	Cameroon	<b>1</b> 29%
15	Uruguay	28%
16	El Salvador	28%
17	UAE	27%
18	Guatemala	27%
19	South Africa	25%
20	Greece	25%

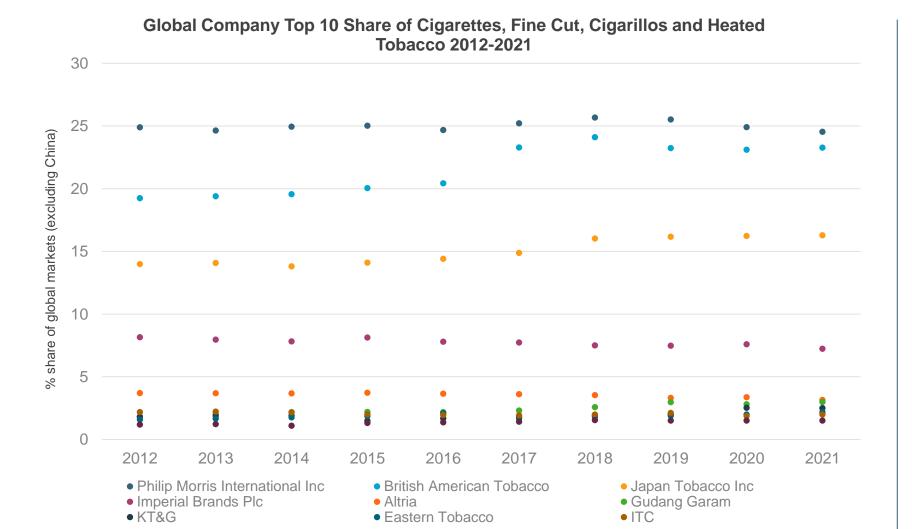
### Global (ex-China) Illicit Trade Penetration 2016-2026



#### Illicit Trade Forecast by Region, 2021-2026







71.3% Share of Top 4

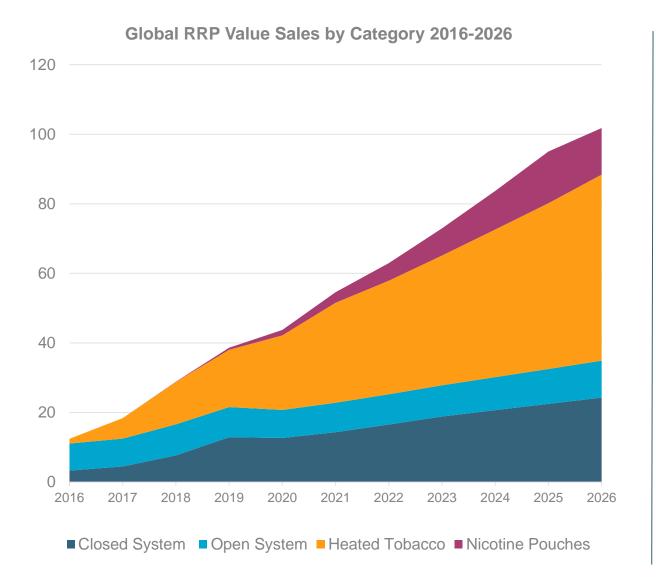
86% Share of Top 10

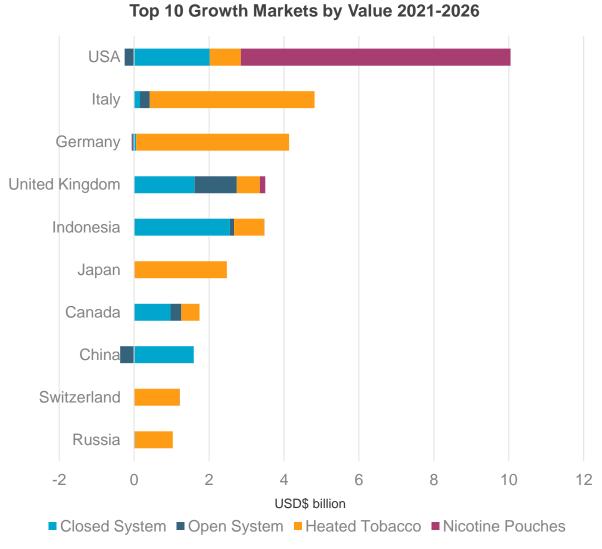
# Global company share evolution displays significant stability



# Notwithstanding issues in Europe, HTP will remain key RRP format

Nicotine pouches driven by significant traction in USA but may struggle elsewhere

















Smoke-free products to account for over 50% of PMI's revenues by 2025

Deliver £5 billion of revenue from New Categories by 2025

Investments will concentrate on heated tobacco

Investment in heated tobacco opportunities in Europe

Accelerate investment in new smoke-free tobacco platforms

**Heated Tobacco** 







PULZE PODA

E-vapour products











Nicotine Pouches









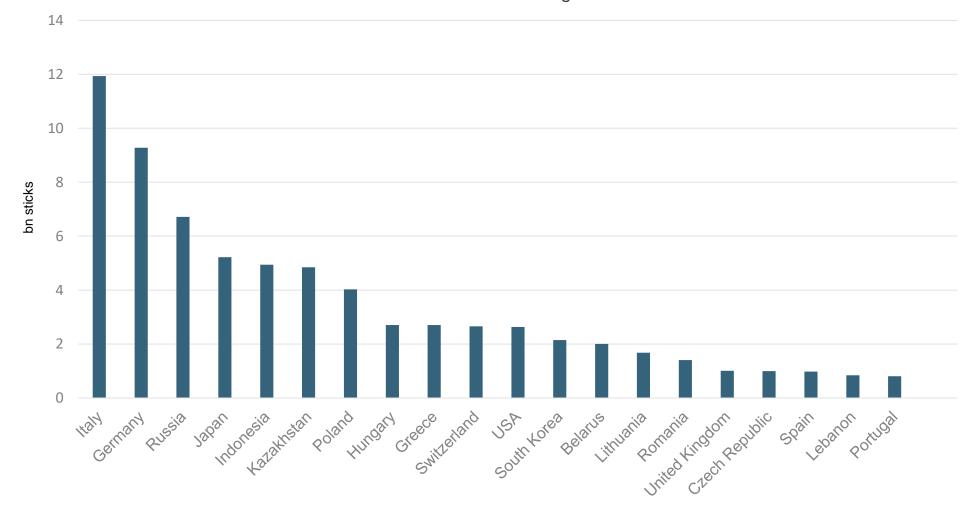




RRP efforts begin to look consolidated around heated tobacco – particularly outside US



### Absolute Heated Tobacco forecast growth 2021-2026



% of global growth in Top 5 markets

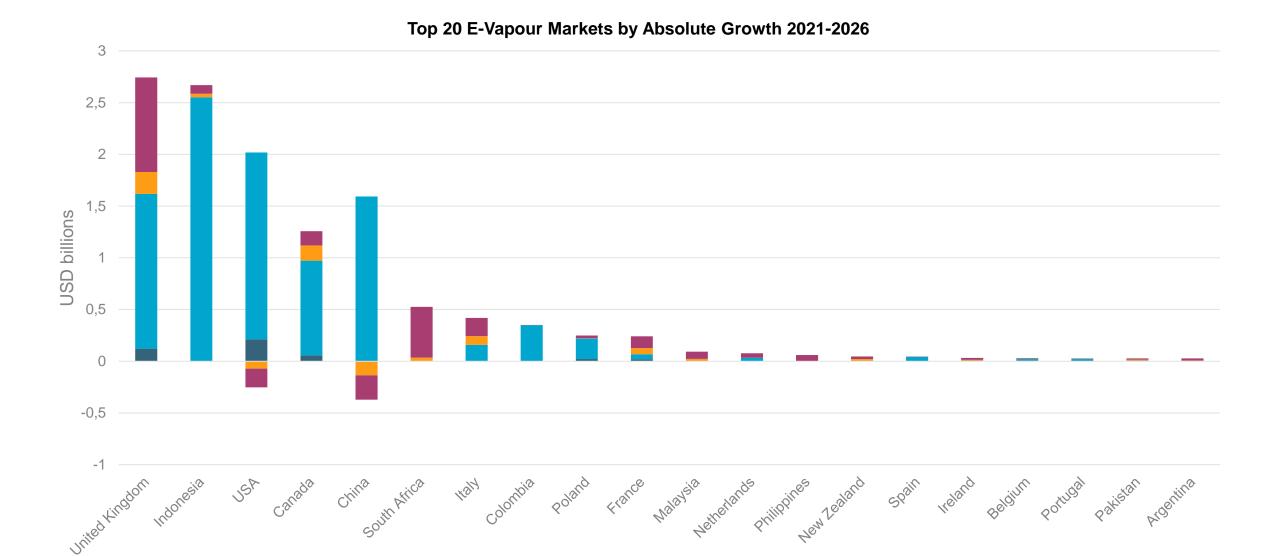
49% '21-'26

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**71%** '16-'21

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HTP growth becoming increasingly broad-based



■ Closed Rechargeable & Cartridges



■ Closed Single Use

E-vapour forecast growth heavily concentrated in closed systems

Open Systems Devices

■ Open Systems E-liquids

# Leading disposable brands here for a good time, maybe not a long time

BAT launch first major company offering – Vuse Go – in UK



Puffbar ~30% global legal sales



Geek Bar ~20% WE legal sales



HQD ~40% EE legal sales



Allo ~1% global legal sales

- Brand landscape remains regionalised with no dominant global presence
- Strongest features of the category are incredibly vulnerable to regulation i.e synthetic nicotine coverage, flavour and nicotine strength
- However, significant portion of consumption is illicit/non-compliant, the large majority in certain markets. Awareness and enforcement is patchy
- Huge issues from a major manufacturer perspective in terms of perception of audience (younger adult) and sustainability.
- Mid to long term opportunity lies in replicating strengths of the category – ease of access, convenience, levity – in a form which is less monodimensionally focused on flavour and which can mitigate environmental impact (organic/recyclable materials ultimate goal – hemp disposable?)



Bidi Stick ~30% global legal sales



Elf Bar ~20% WE legal sales

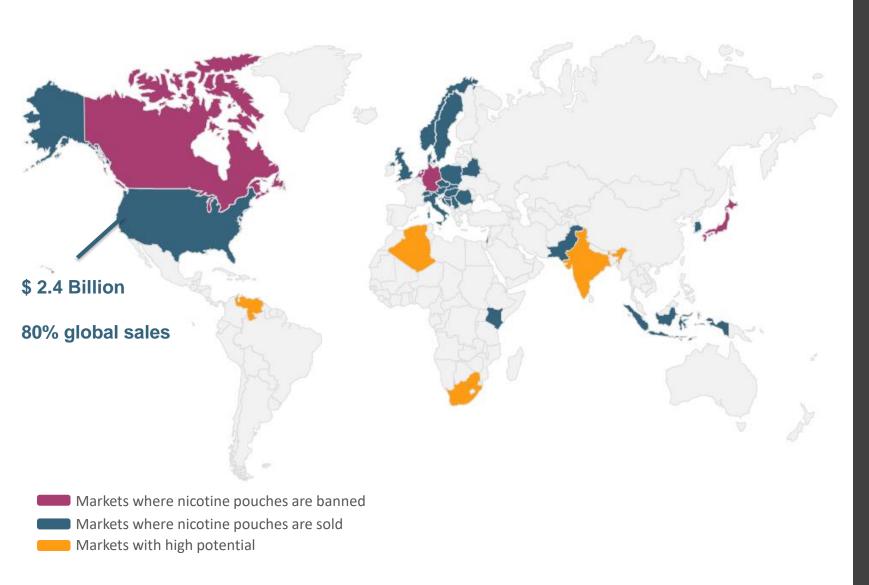


lzi ~20% EE legal sales



Bubblemon ~80% AP legal sales

### A growing international presence with promise



# US\$ 3 Billion

Size of the nicotine pouches market worldwide in 2021

40%

The expected global growth to 2026



# Innovation differentiates novel tobacco products from traditional propositions

### Among the most recent innovations:

- New formats such as disposable e-vapour products and synthetic nicotine vapor products
- New innovation to improve the vaping experience such as Water-Based Vaping from Aquios Labs
- Improved heated tobacco devices from major tobacco players like PMI or Japan Tobacco
- Heated tobacco sticks compatible with IQOS launched in the Italian market by MC
- Capsule pocuhes, lozenges and gum from Lucy Goods



Disposable e-cigarettes



Water-Based Vaping from Aquios Labs



IQOS Iluma / Ploom X



Heated tobacco sticks compatible with IQOS

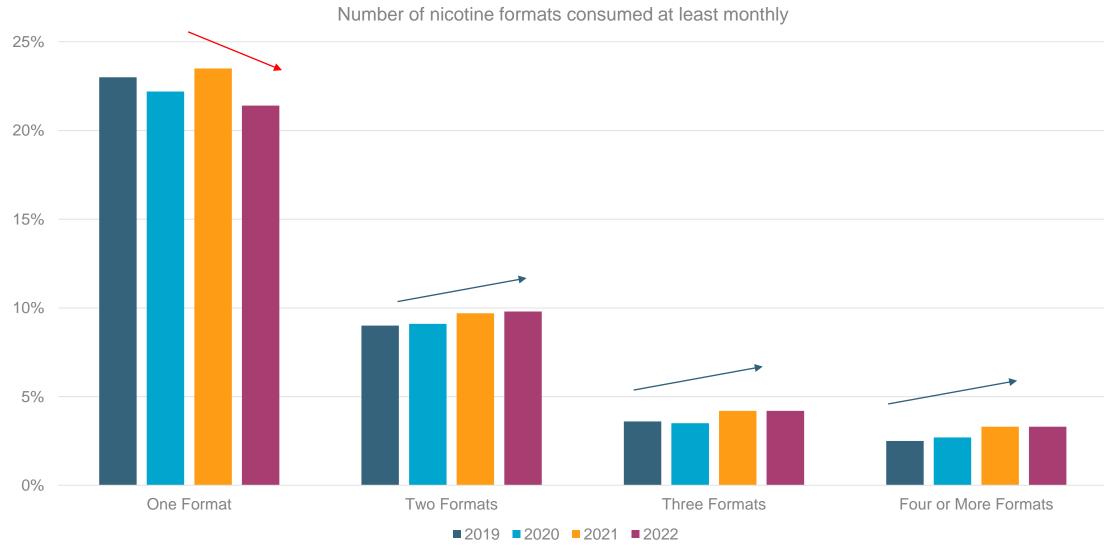


Capsules pouches from Lucy Goods



### Nicotine format fragmentation is happening in slow motion

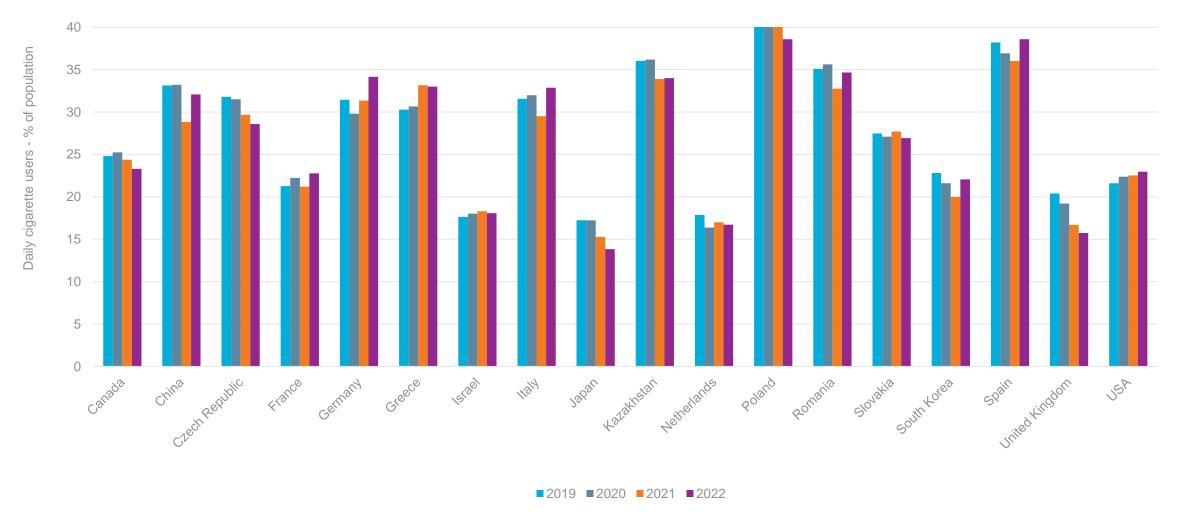
As yet inconclusive as to how sustained fragmentation will be in longer term



### Regular cigarette use ticks up in large minority of markets

Remains trending down in most however

### Regular (at least monthly) cigarette prevalence 2019-2022

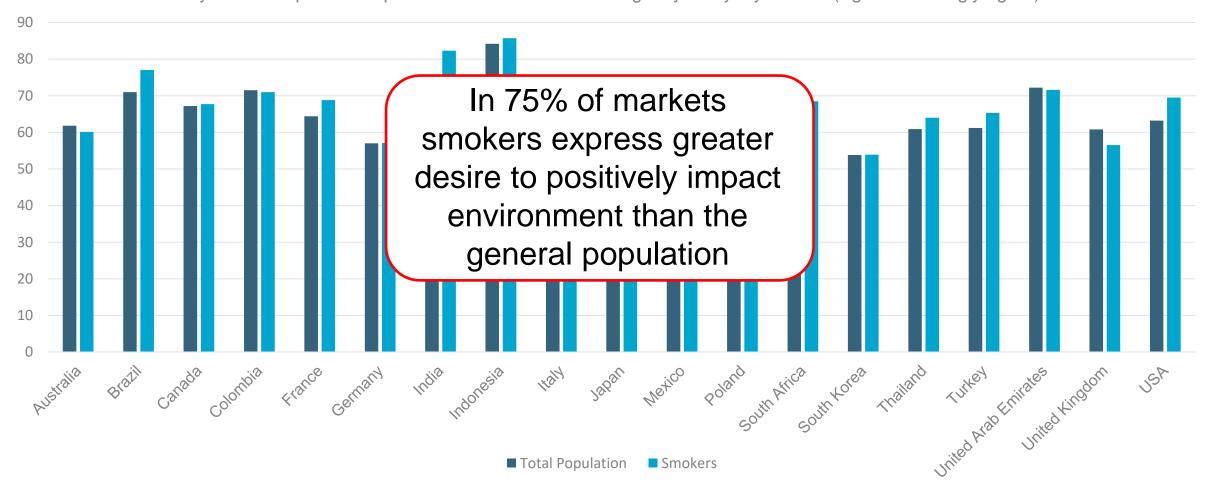


Source: Euromonitor International Nicotine Survey

### Contrasting priorities in evidence across different format use

Availability key across categories where e-vapour emphasises flavour and HTP less sensitive to price





Smokers are just as, if not more, concerned with sustainability



### Key sustainability legislation drivers in tobacco and nicotine

Supply chain integrity and issues of product disposal are main areas of legislative focus

### **LEAF CULTIVATION**

The tobacco industry has an agricultural foundation which (alongside other forms of agriculture) incurs environmental impacts such as deforestation, lack of crop diversity, chemical use and water utilisation. These were highlighted in the WHO's 2017 report and are likely to attract increased regulatory scrutiny



### **SUPPLY CHAIN EMISSIONS**

The manufacturing and supply of tobacco products is widely accepted as the most environmentally damaging stage of the industry. Thus far, active legislation has been limited, while major tobacco companies have significantly enhanced their focus on self-regulation and the reduction of their carbon and energy usage.



### **PRODUCT WASTE**

The EU Directive on Single-Use Plastics which came into force in 2021 places extended product responsibility on cigarette manufacturers to mitigate the impact of discarded cigarette butts. The regulation is likely to be replicated in other regions and represents the clearest area of focus from an environmental perspective





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### Growth trajectory



Cannabis revenue potential remains significant but progress continues to be varied

### Corporate travails



Only a handful of major companies are hitting their straps in often challenging environments

# Regulatory momentum



Focus on major developments in US and Germany as internationally momentum grows

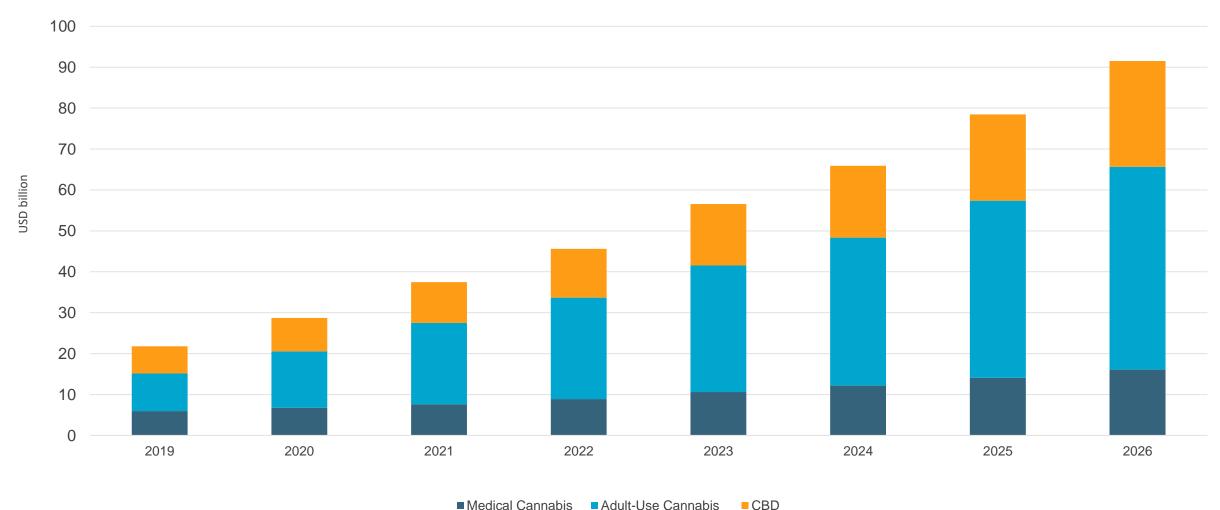
# Expanding product landscape



Alongside the flower hegemony, more demanding and adventurous consumers are driving format expansion

# Legal cannabis set to reach US\$91 billion by 2026

### Global Legal Cannabis Sales by Category 2019-2026



Source: Euromonitor International



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President Biden @ POTUS · Oct 6

United States government official

Replying to @POTUS

First: I'm pardoning all prior federal offenses of simple marijuana possession. There are thousands of people who were previously convicted of simple possession who may be denied employment, housing, or educational opportunities as a result. My pardon will remove this burden.

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Second: I'm calling on governors to pardon simple state marijuana possession offenses. Just as no one should be in a federal prison solely for possessing marijuana, no one should be in a local jail or state prison for that reason, either.

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President Biden @ @POTUS · Oct 6

United States government official

Third: We classify marijuana at the same level as heroin – and more serious than fentanyl. It makes no sense. I'm asking @SecBecerra and the Attorney General to initiate the process of reviewing how marijuana is scheduled under federal law.

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# All eyes on pace and character of change in Germany and US





# Crowded, fragmented markets

Busy marketplaces with low consumer awareness and loyalty means larger companies are struggling to capture control .. With some notable exceptions

# Misaligned regulatory frameworks

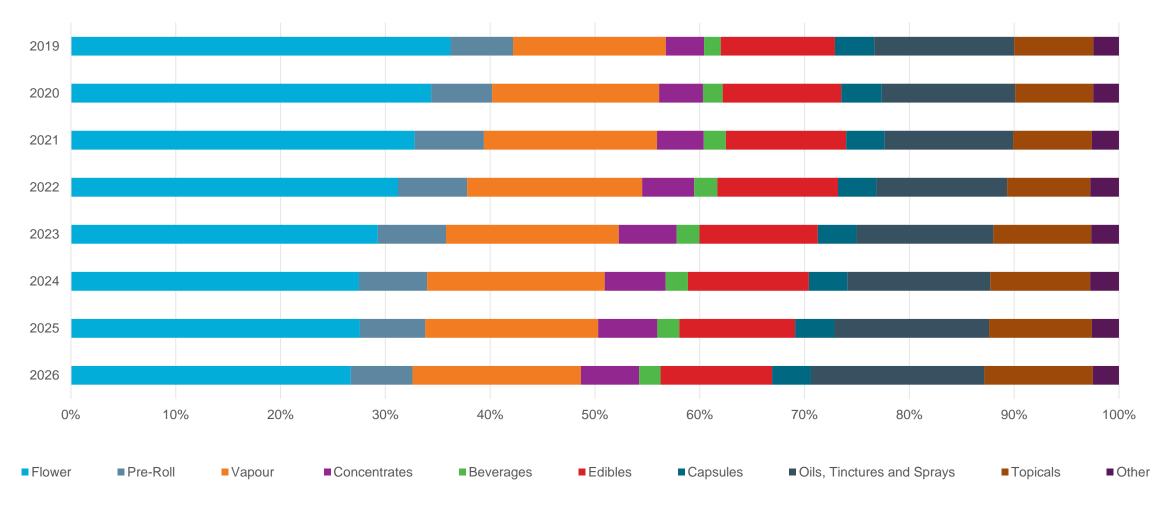
From the impact of excise rates and restrictions on product features through to challenges in accessing finance (e.g. Netherlands pilot programme), legal companies are wrestling with frameworks

# Capital and cost of living squeeze

Emerging cannabis
operators are finding
funding more challenging to
acquire than ever while
needing to compete more
intensively for share of their
consumer base's stretched
wallets







# Globally, formats are evolving at pace





# Thank You!



