

Current trends and outlook for PGM Autocatalyst Recycling

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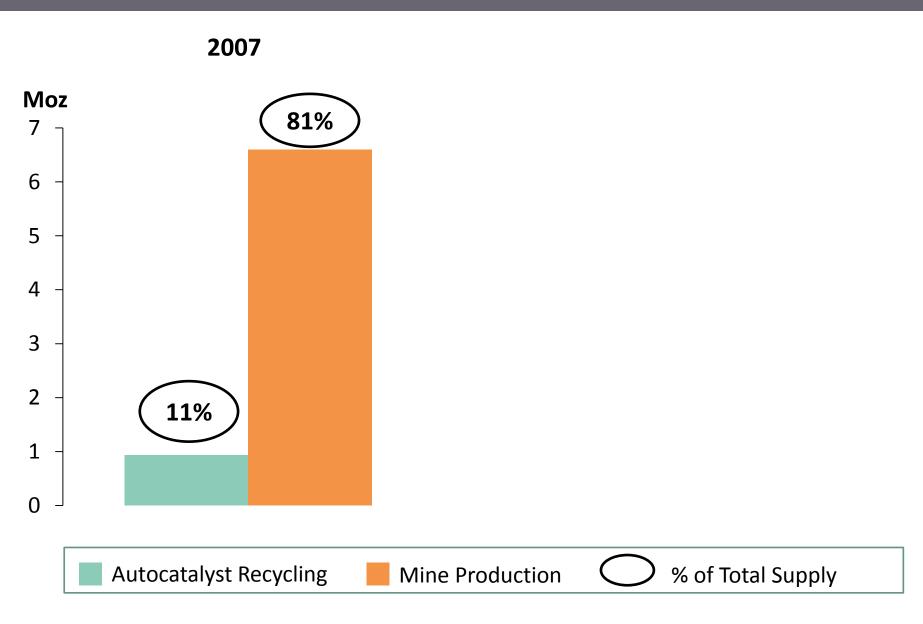
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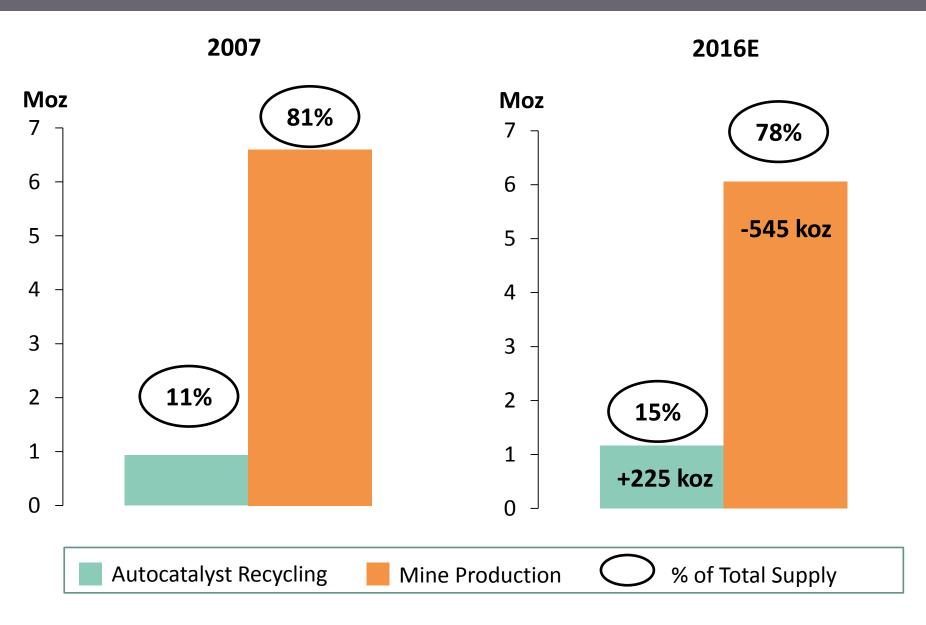


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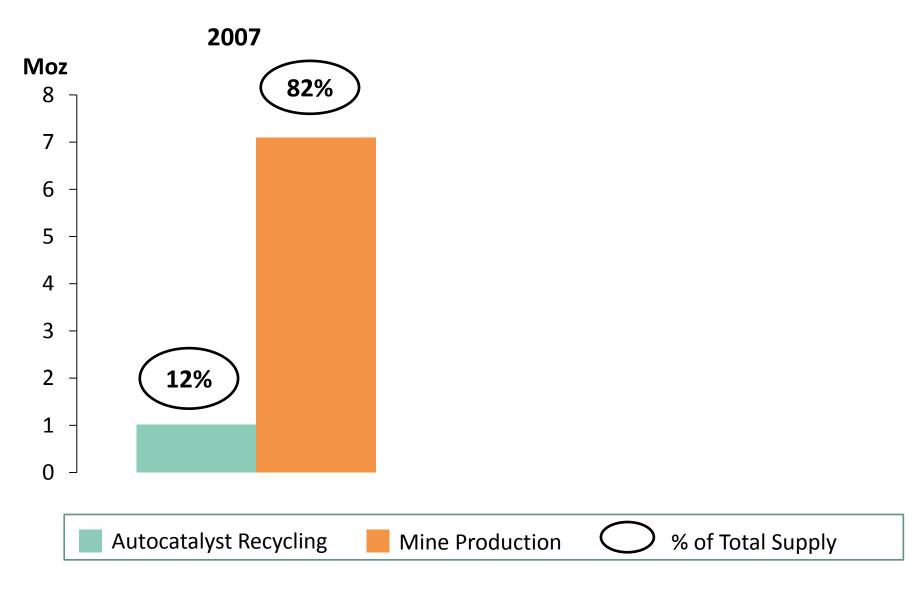
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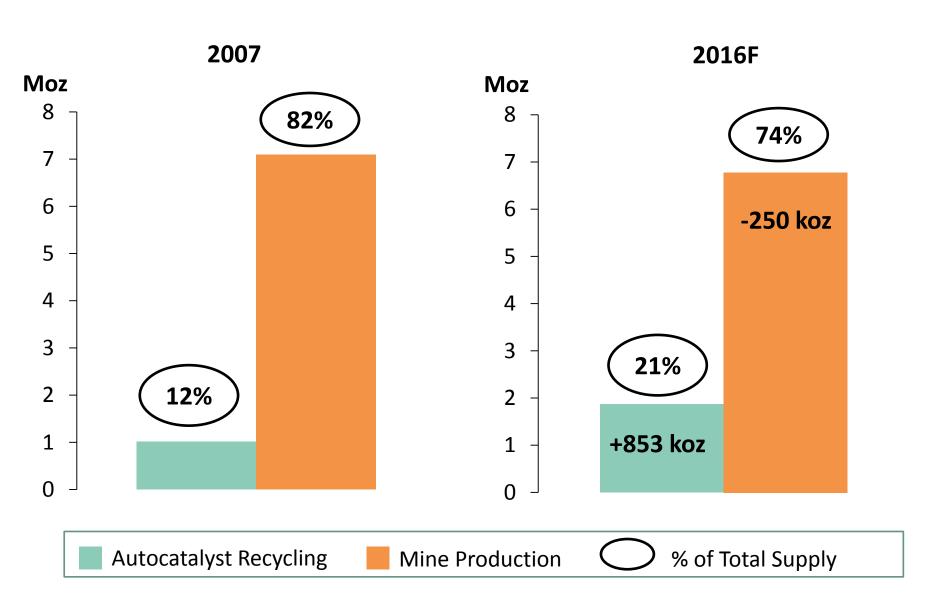
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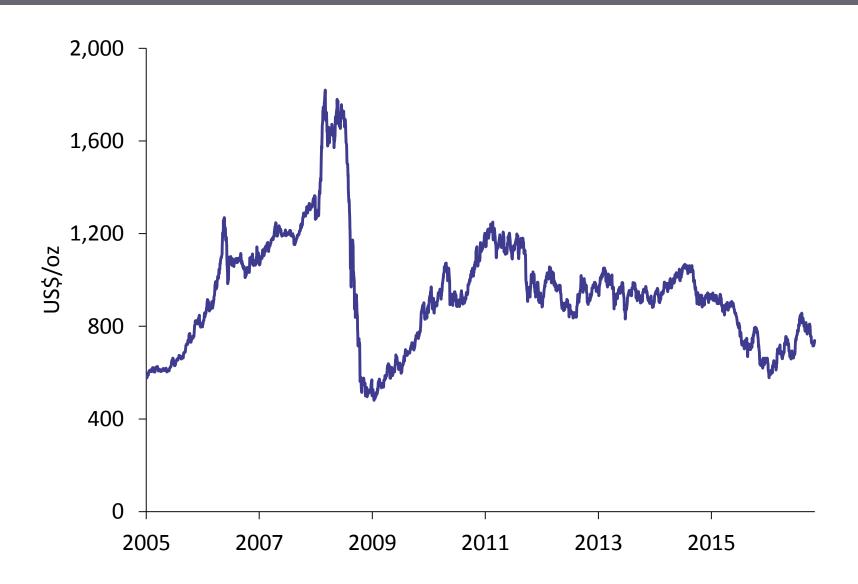
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# Drivers of Autocatalyst PGM Recycling

- Short-term
  - PGM & steel prices
  - Economic climate



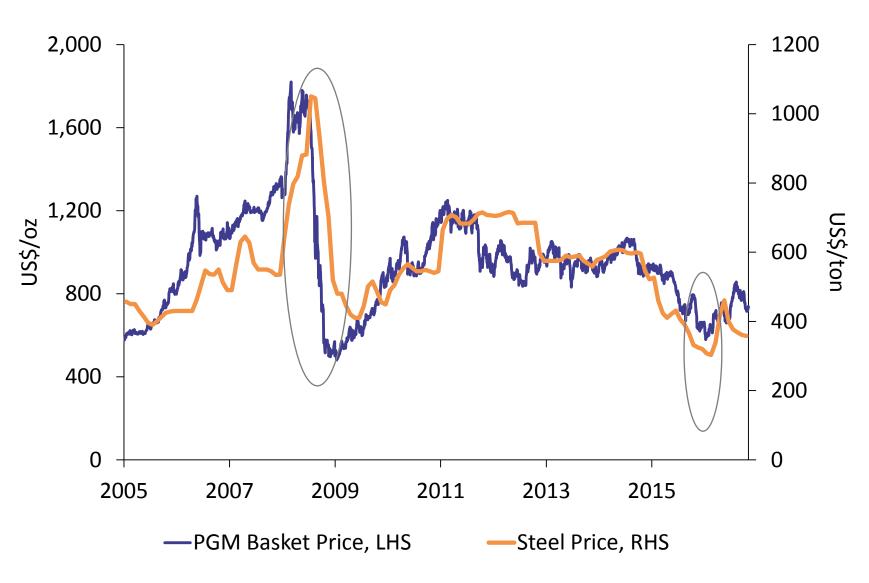
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Source: Bloomberg



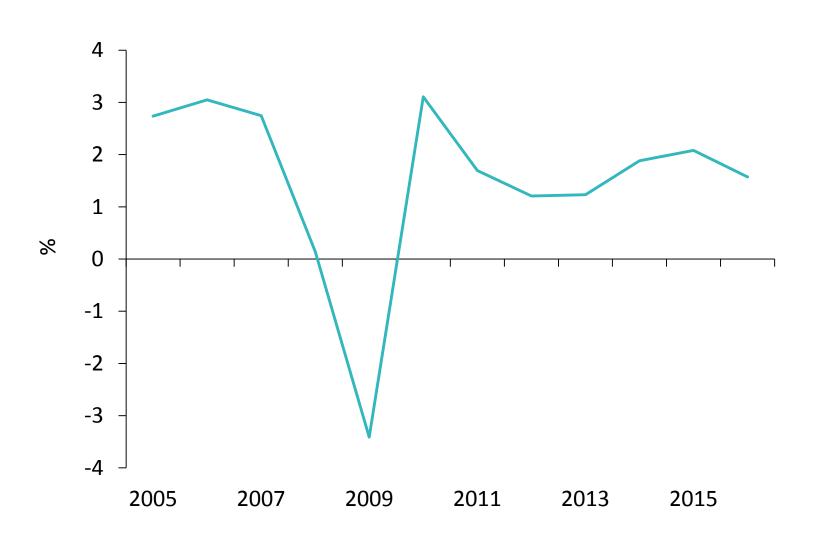
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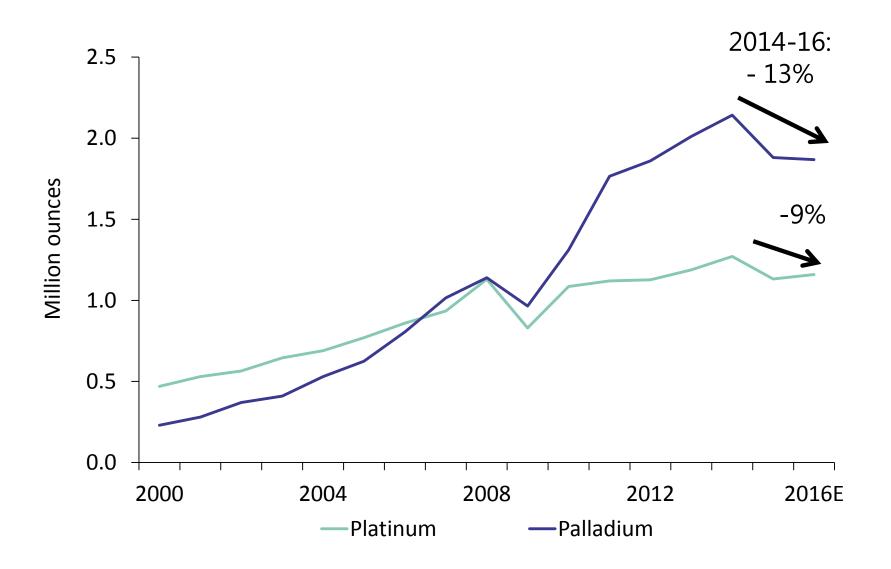


#### GDP Growth in Industrialised Countries



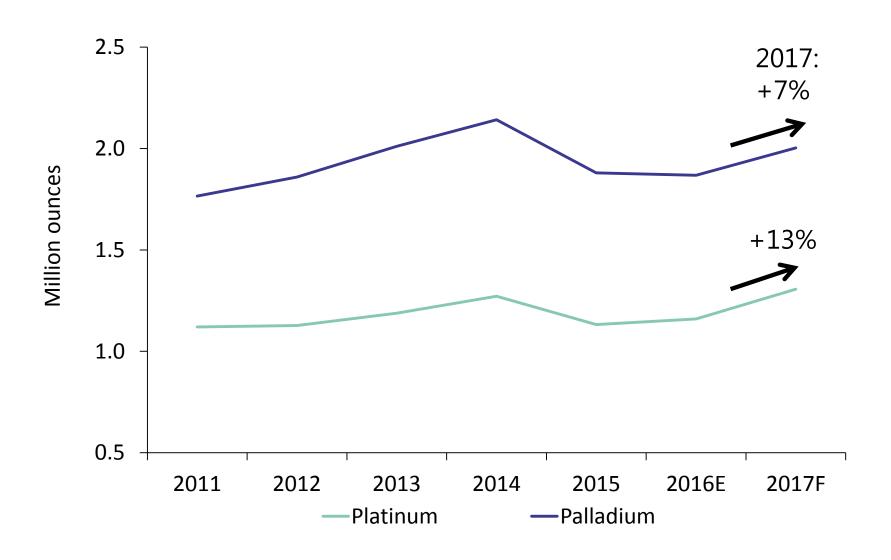


#### Autocatalyst Recycling: 2015 saw first drop since 2009





## Autocatalyst Recycling: growth resumes



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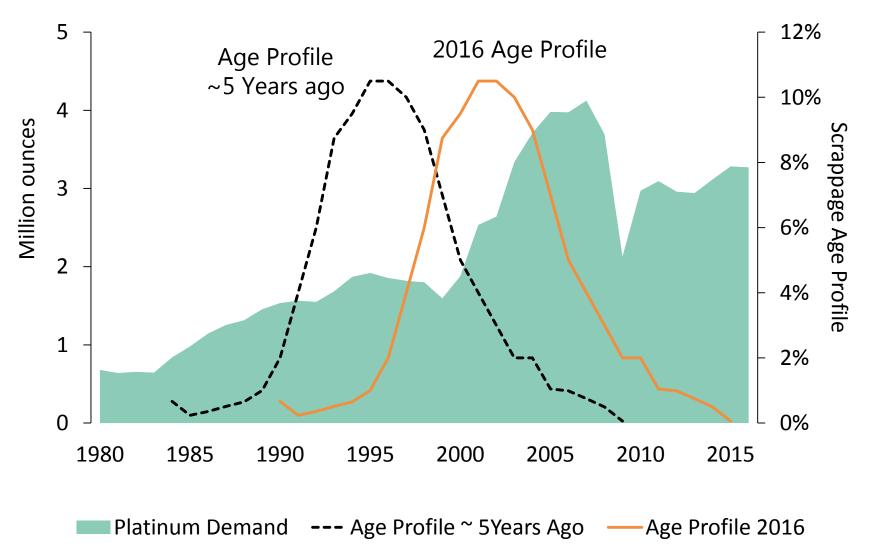


## Drivers of Autocatalyst PGM Recycling

- Short-term
  - PGM & steel prices
  - Economic climate
- Long-term
  - Tighter/more widespread emissions legislation
  - Historic PGM demand
  - Vehicle life cycles

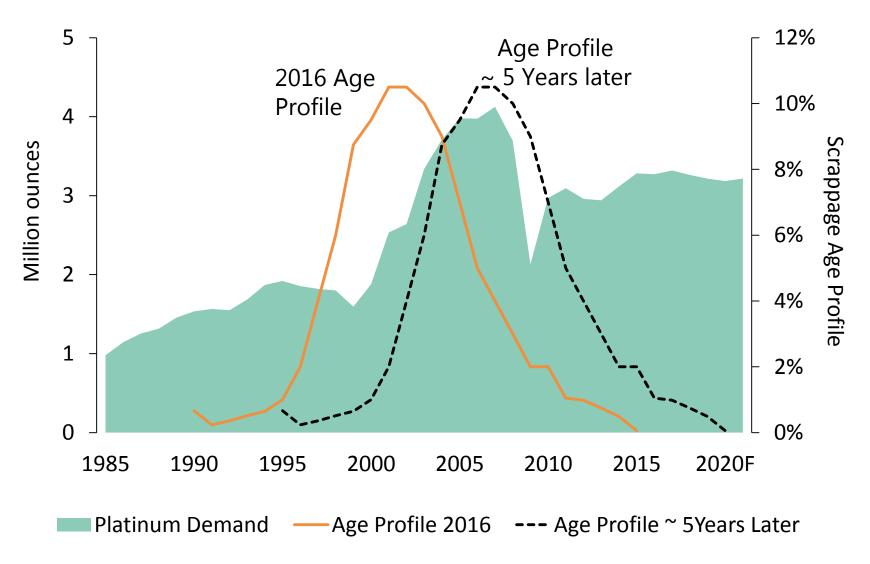


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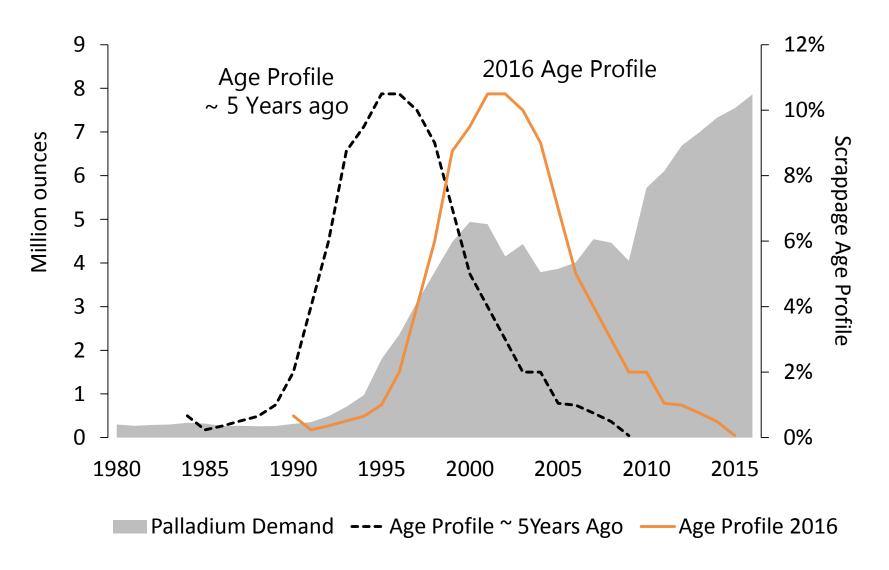


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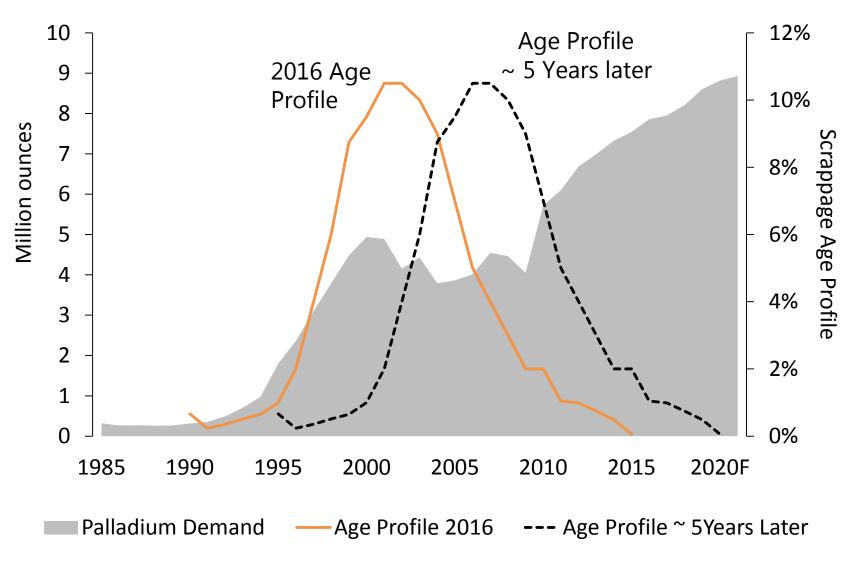


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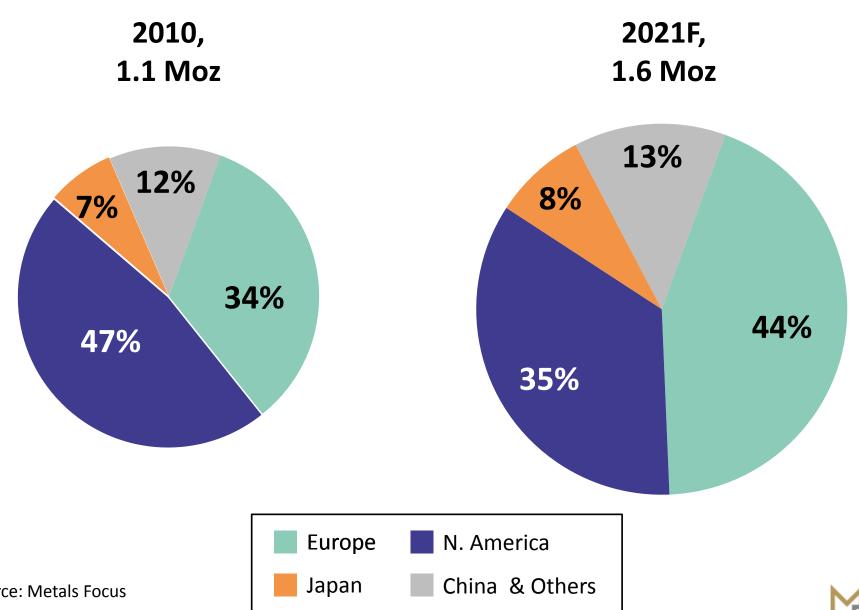


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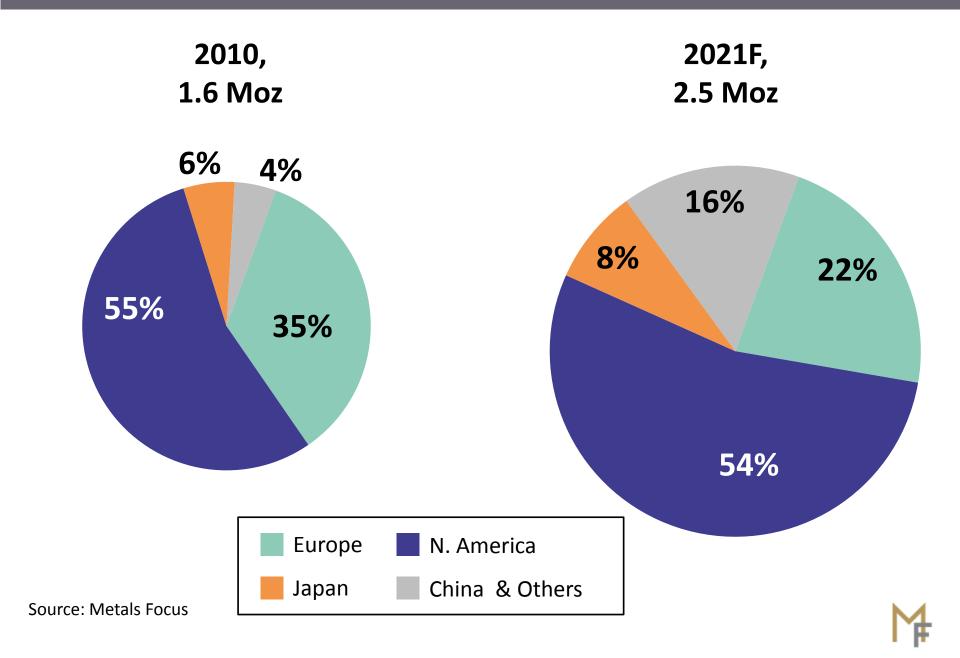
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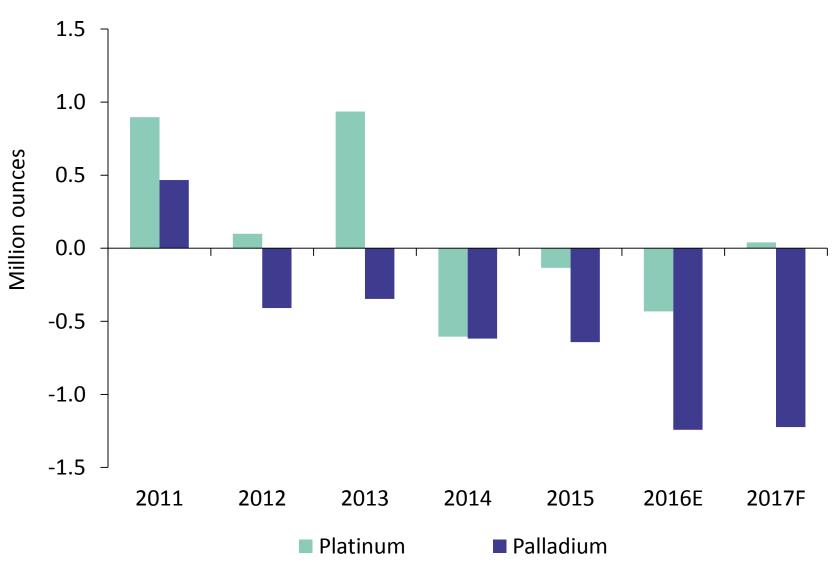
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#### Key Palladium Autocatalyst Recycling Markets



# Platinum & Palladium Physical Surplus/Deficits



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