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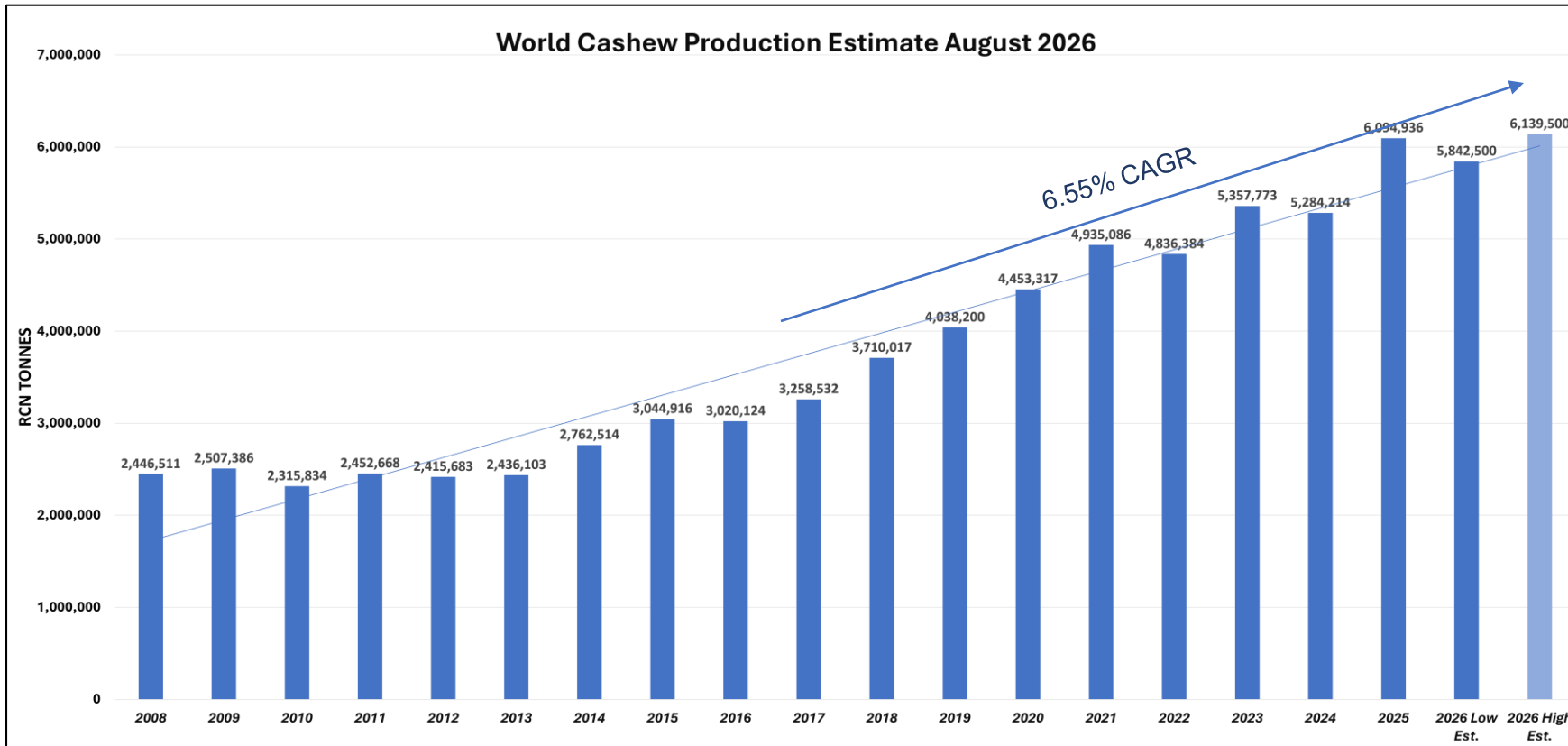


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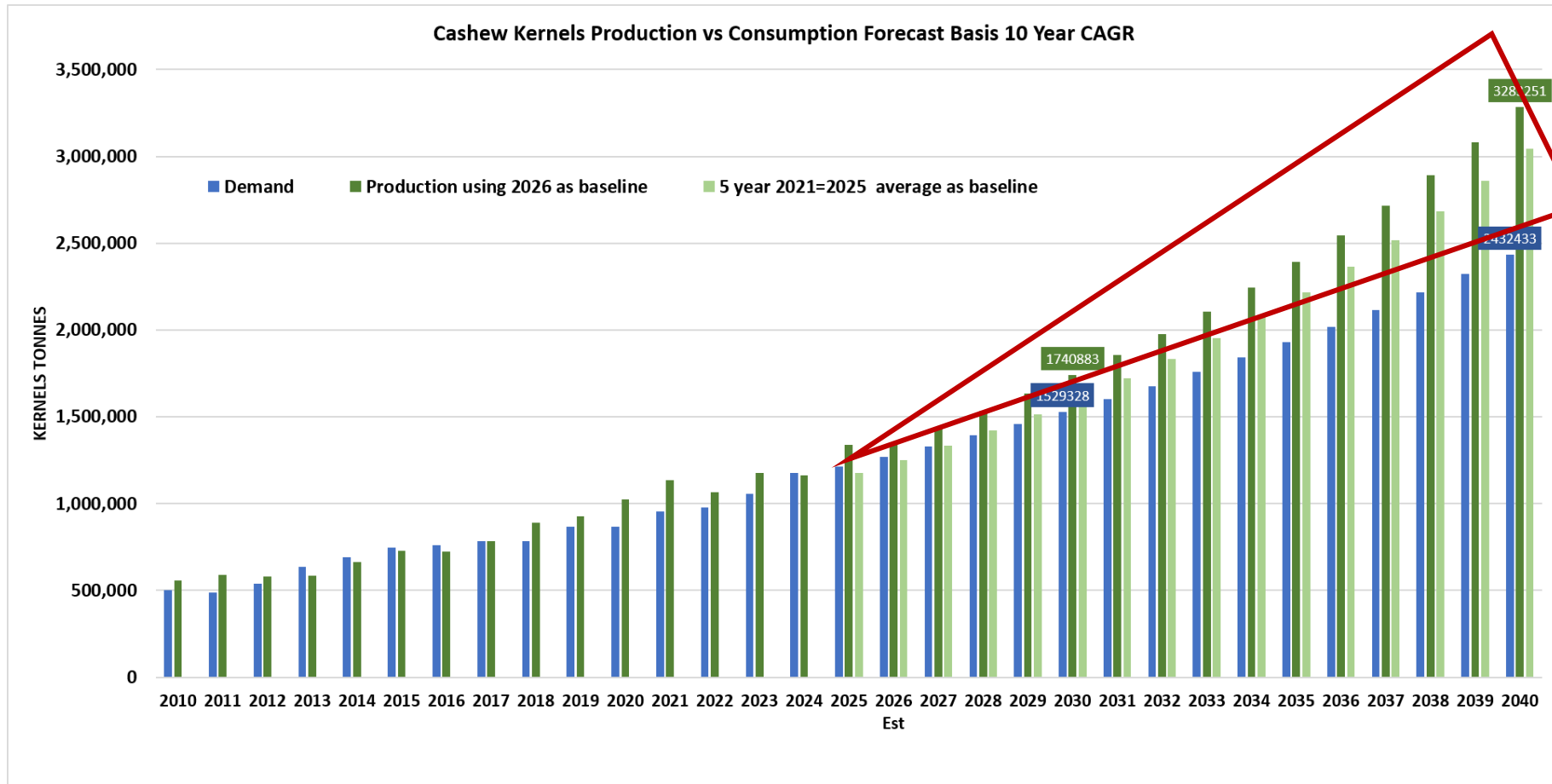
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Africa, main global RCN producer

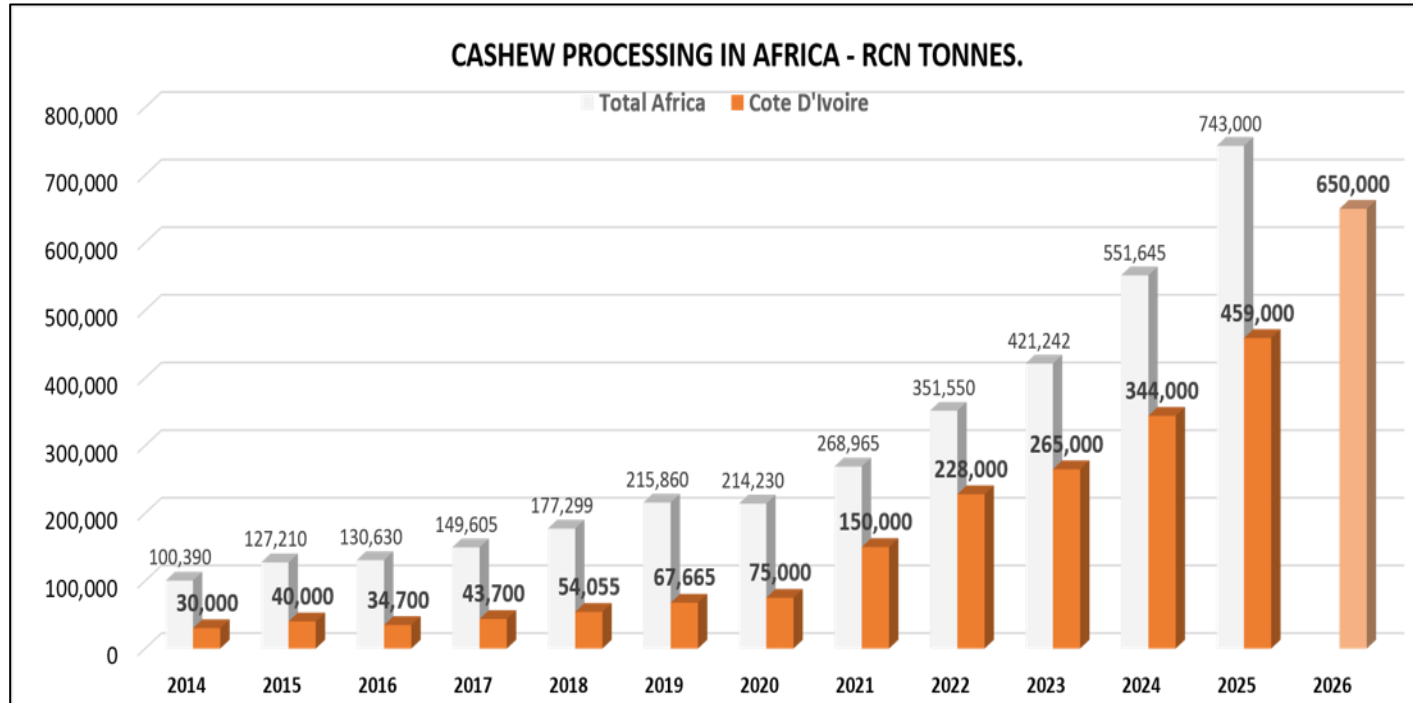


- ❑ Cashew production in Africa more than doubled in the last decade,
- ❑ quintupled in Cambodia,
- ❑ with slight growth in other countries/regions

Emerging Surplus: how should we deal with it?

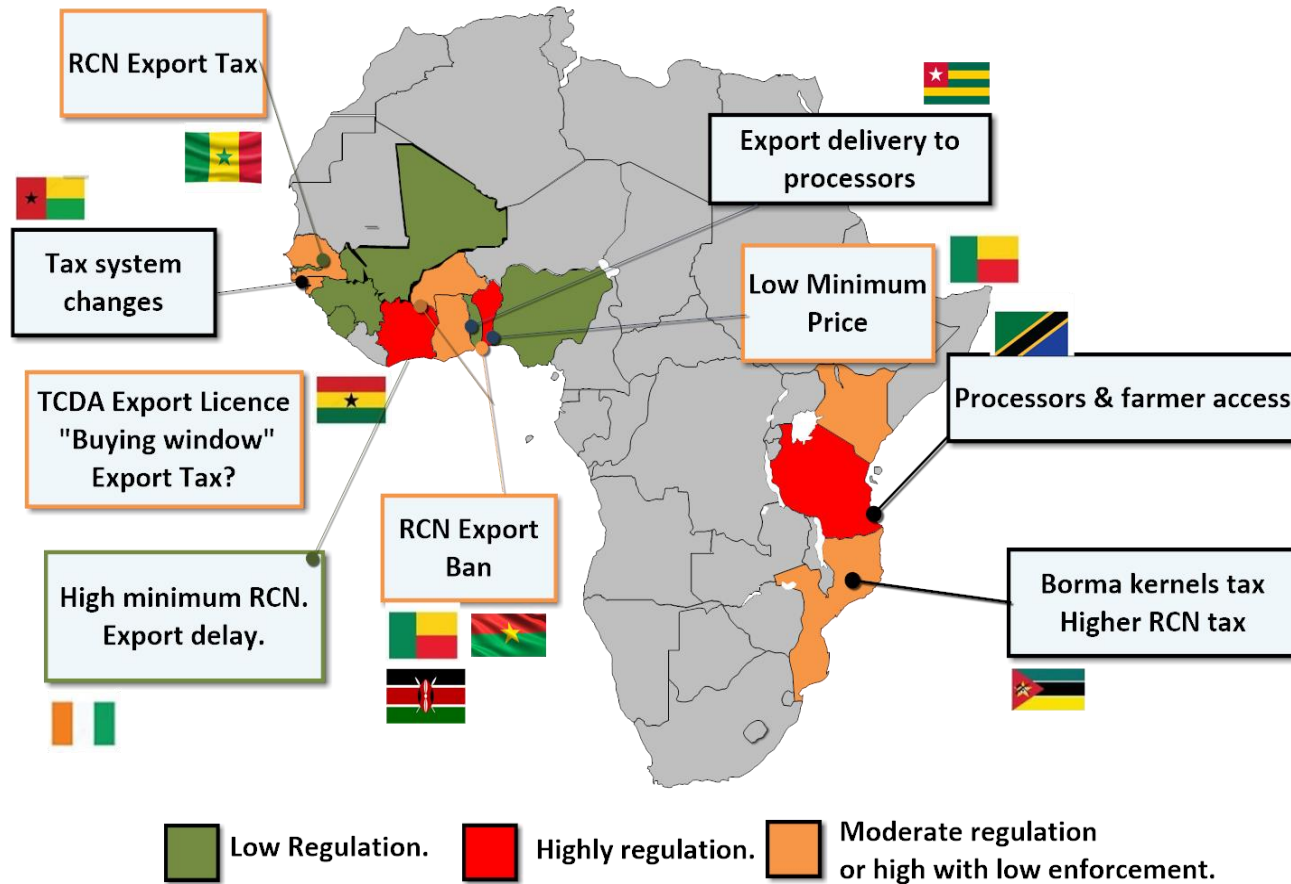


Processing continues to grow with gaps



- ❑ Processing continues to increase: 2/3 cashew processing in Africa are processed in CI
- ❑ Borma kernels estimated 28% of the market.
- ❑ 18% of the crop is processed

Policy and Regulation landscape remains volatile



❑ Policy and regulatory divergence is increasing.

❑ Policy impact on businesses