

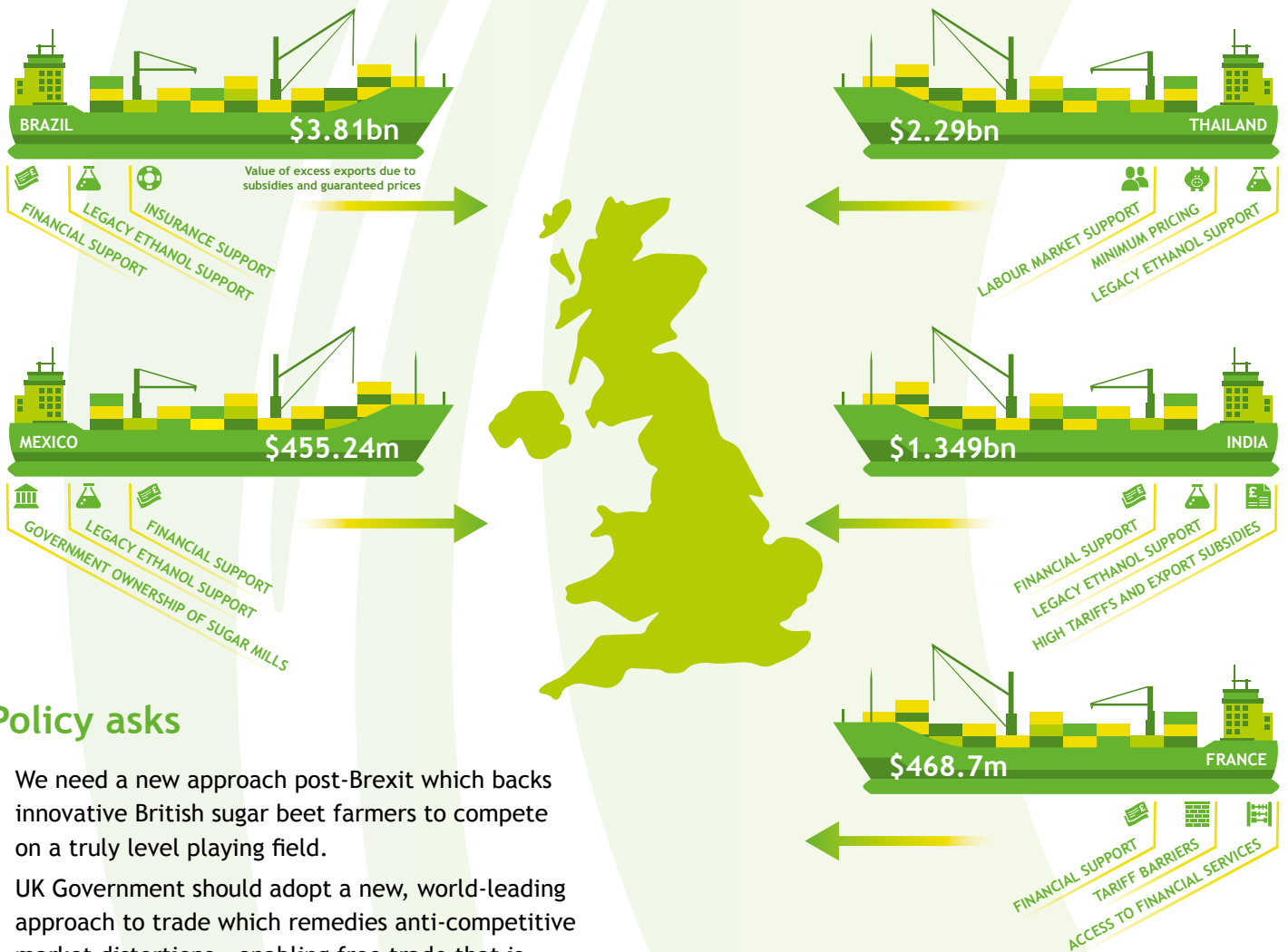


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Addressing sugar market distortions through a new trade remedy

Global sugar markets are highly distorted - there are enormous subsidies from guaranteed prices to legacy ethanol support, low interest loans to regulatory barriers that occur inside markets and disrupt international trade and competition. The British beet sugar industry receives no direct subsidies.



Policy asks

- We need a new approach post-Brexit which backs innovative British sugar beet farmers to compete on a truly level playing field.
- UK Government should adopt a new, world-leading approach to trade which remedies anti-competitive market distortions - enabling free trade that is genuinely fair.

Visit: www.britishsugar.co.uk/perch/resources/market-distortions-sugar.pdf

Ships are illustrative examples of the major sugar-producing countries with export potential, the types of Anti-Competitive Market Distortions they benefit from and the value of their excess exports from subsidies.

(Source - Competere: Market Distortions and how best to deal with them)