



Thriving Cities, Prosperous Countries: From Agenda to Implementation



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A New Climate Economy Special Initiative

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There is broad agreement that cities are **critical to global goals**





NEW URBAN AGENDA



CITIES THAT WORK

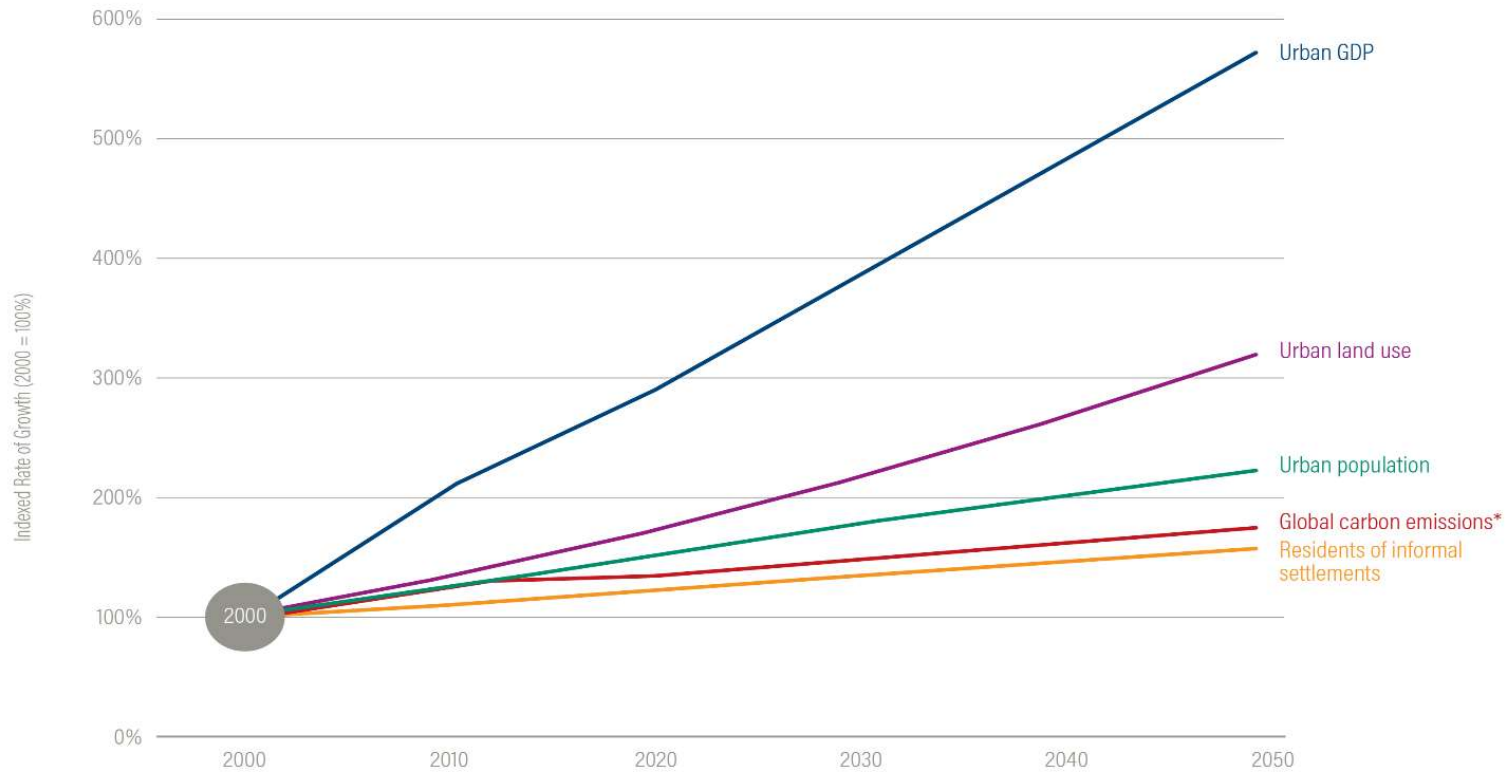


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CITIES THAT WORK
FOR ALL

Cities are not on track



For Illustrative Purposes

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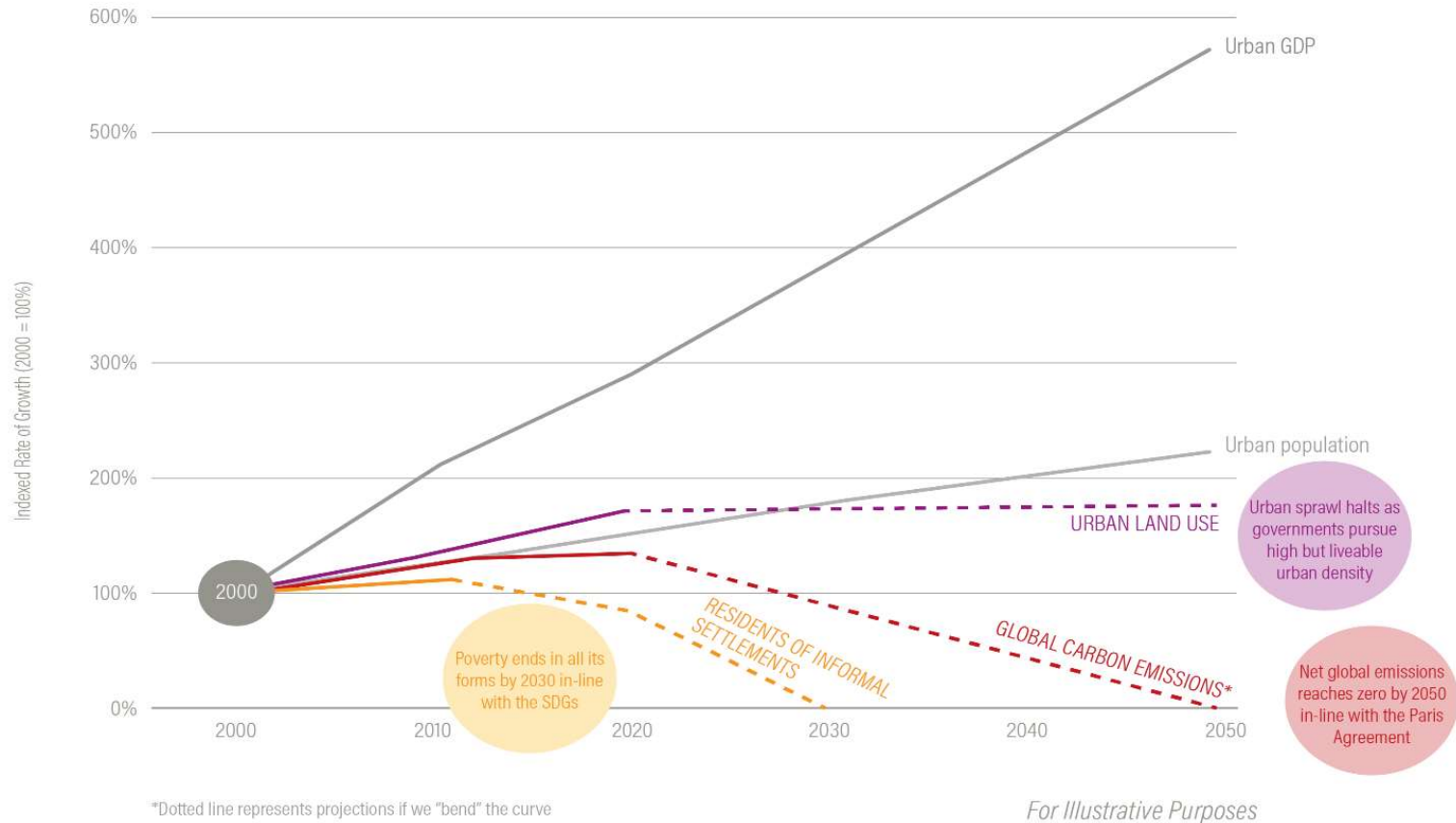


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We need to bend the curve



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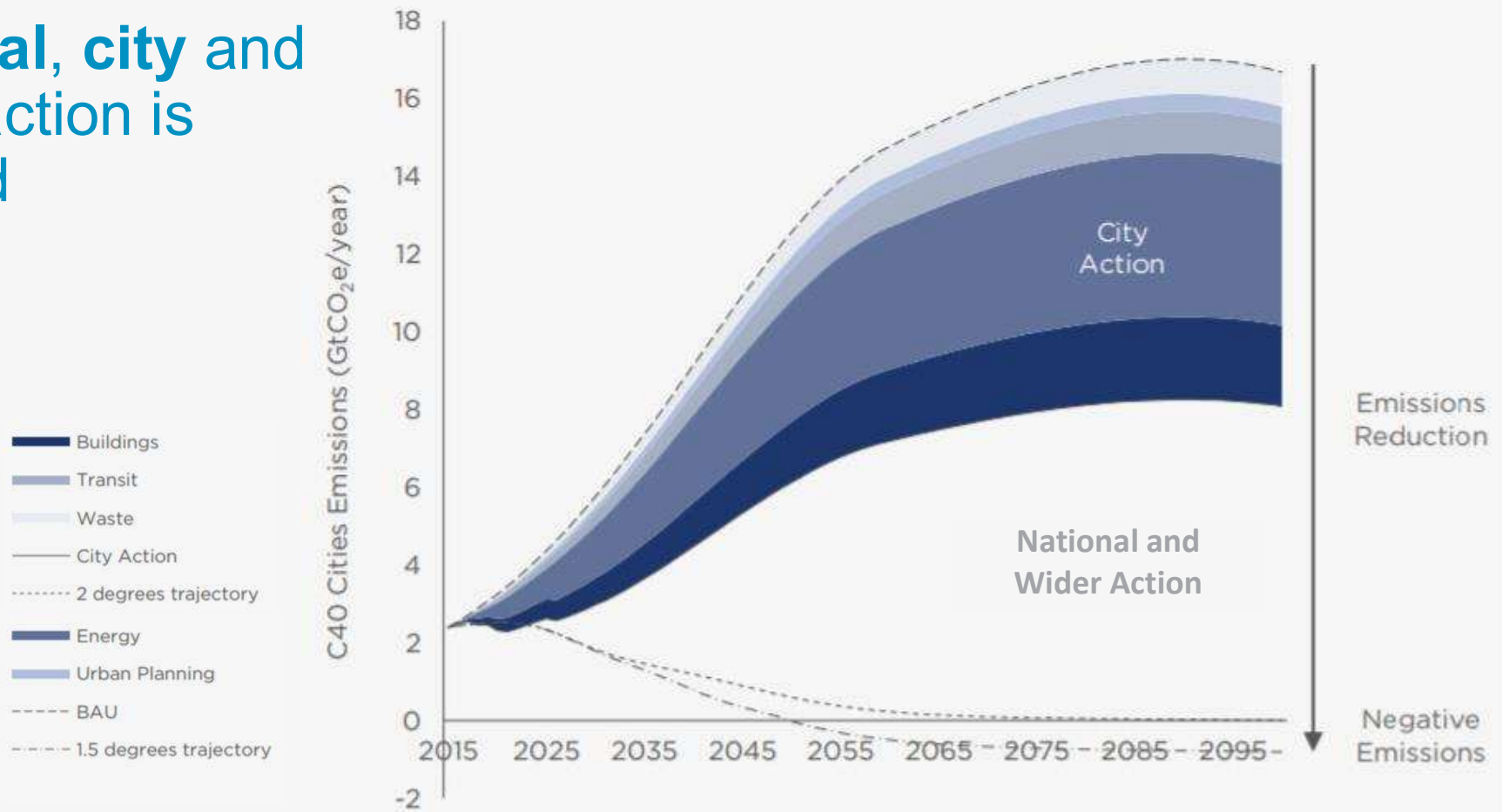


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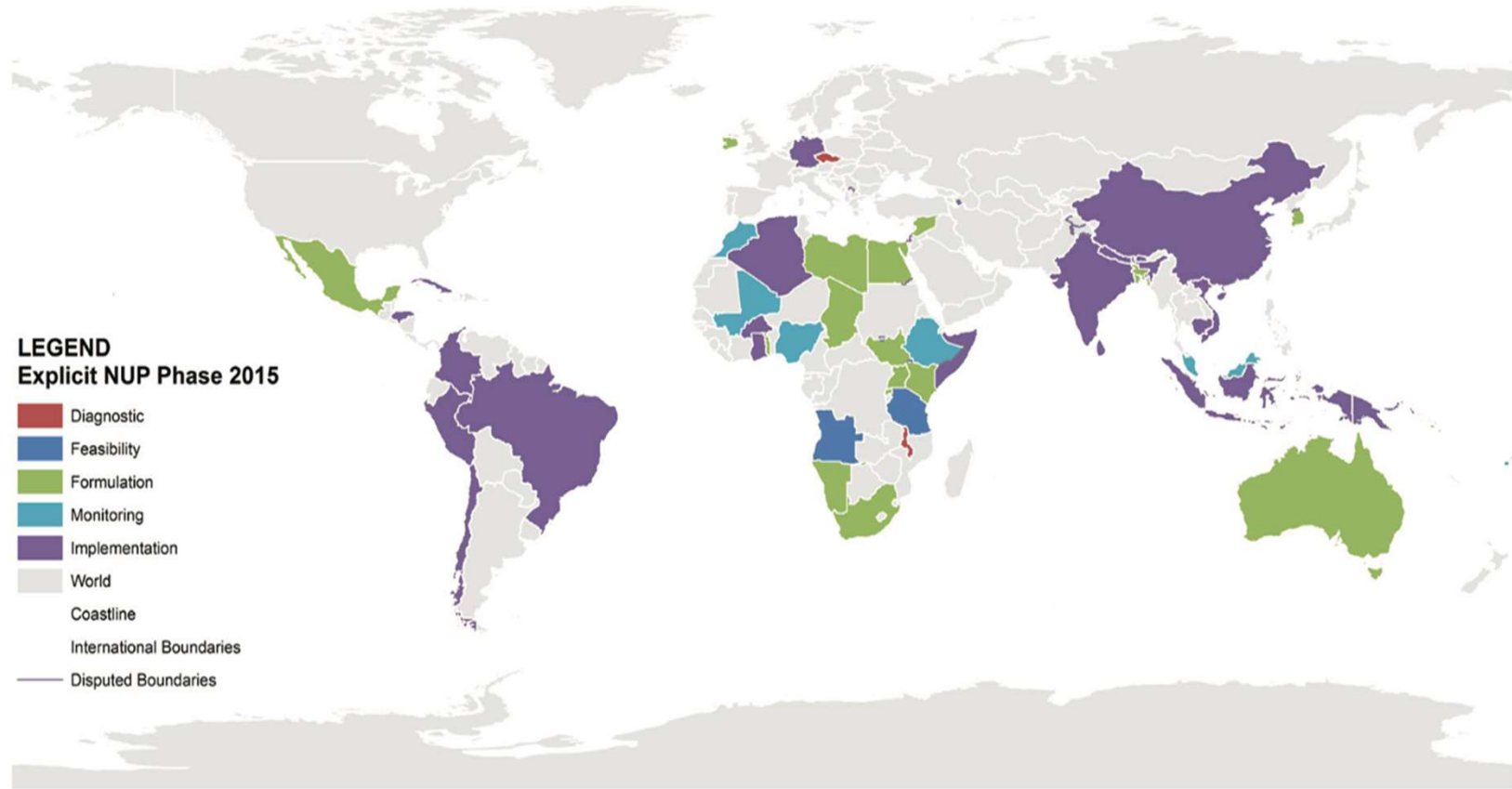
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National, city and wider action is needed



Source: Arup & C40, 2017. *Deadline 2020 – How Cities will Get the Job Done.*

Few countries have national urban plans



Source: UN-Habitat, 2017. State of Urban National Policies.

Our goal is to help **tip the scale**





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**TOWARDS
A MORE
EQUAL CITY**



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World leading organizations coming together

THE NEW CLIMATE ECONOMY
The Global Commission on the Economy and Climate

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We need a **wider conversation** among...

National leaders
Local leaders
Civil society
Private sector
Multilateral agencies
Practitioners
Researchers

Key decision-makers

13:15-14:15

Land use and housing

14:15-15:15

Infrastructure and core services

15:30-16:30

Financing

16:30-17:30

A path forward

17:45-18:30



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