

# **Integrated Urban Planning—why, what, how?**

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# Rationale integrated approaches



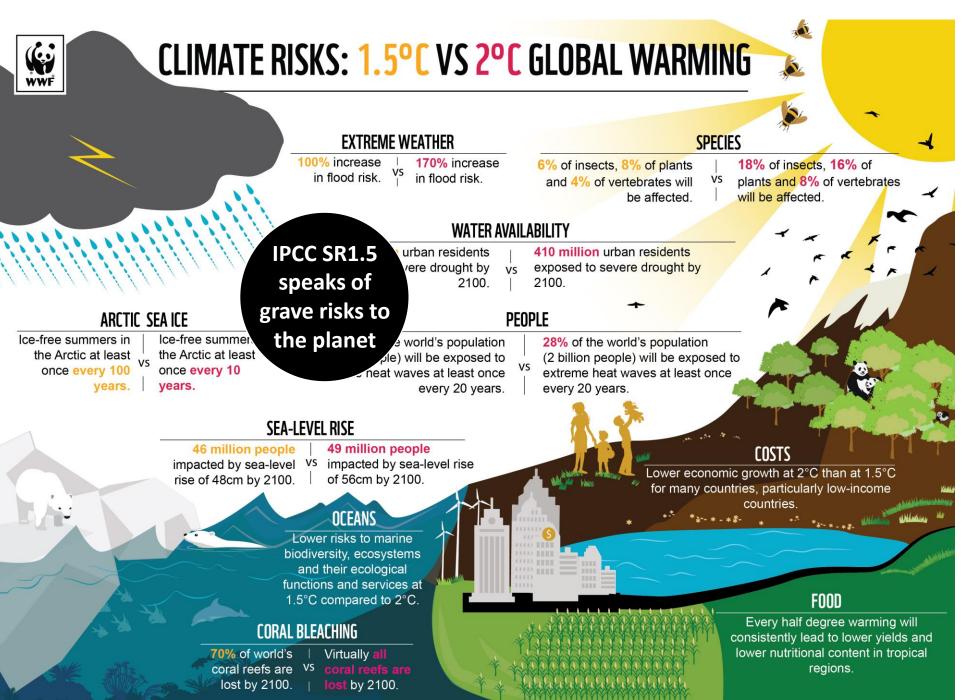
# **Technical Rationale**

- Systems approach—assumption: Complex challenges need integrated solutions
- Urban planning benefits of coordination
- Economics of integration

# **Program Rationale**

Central GEF Tenet for Impact Programs and GPSC objective.

**GPSC Objective:** To support participating cities in developing or enhancing their capacities and processes for an evidence-based, integrated approach toward resilience and sustainability



# ipcc INTERGOVERNMENTAL PANEL ON Climate change **Global Warming of 1.5°C** An IPCC special report on the impacts of global warming of 1.5°C (d) (e) WG I XWG II XWG III

Land use

Energy

Industry

Cities

Cities are 1 of 4 systems offering hope for change

# **11LESTONES BY 2020**

TO MEET SDGS BY 2030

We need to reach net zero emissions by 2050

ENERGY

**INFRASTRUCTURE** 

3 TRANSPORT

LAND USE

**INDUSTRY** 

6

**FINANCE** 



Renewables outcompete fossil fuels as new electricity sources worldwide.



Cities and states are implementing policies and regulations with the aim to fully decarbonize buildings and infrastructure by 2050.



Zero emission transport is the preferred form of all new mobility in the world's major cities and transport routes.



Large-scale deforestation is replaced with largescale land restoration and agriculture shifts to earth friendly practices.



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# What?

# Four types of integration



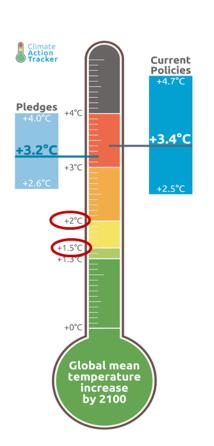
- 1. Vertical integration—national, regional, local—lagging regions
- 2. Horizontal integration—across sectors and systems
- 3. Natural and human systems integration—between biodiversity and wetlands, or watersheds, and the city
- **4. Poor and Non-Poor**—last mile connectivity; spatial divides
- 5. Other types?

**Well known successes**—New York, Paris, London, Tokyo, Singapore, Hong Kong, Seoul **Lesser known examples**—Integrated urban planning in African cities context—FCV, and low-and-middle income countries—where urbanization is increasingly occurring

# Why Now?



Sustainable Cities Impact Program—operationalizing knowledge and investments



### Theme I

Evidence**based Spatial** Planning national, regional, local

### Theme II

Decarbonizing Urbanization with Infrastructure Integration at national, regional, local scales

### Theme III

**Building Deep** Resilience with smart systems and slum solutions

### Theme IV

Maximizing Finance for Sustainable Urban **Development** 

Sectors or themes for integration















# **Takeaway**

**Grant offers** significant **flexibility** with several thematic entry points.

Country and city selection based on impact potential

# How?



MEANS

Integrated Plan + Finance + Implement

**ENDS** 





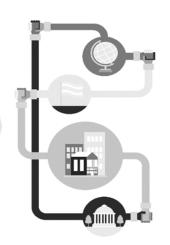








Landuse, food, and forest conservation









Decarbonizing Urbanization with infrastructure integration at the metropolitan scale

Building Deep Resilience with smart systems and slum solutions

# What? Sectors or themes for integration

### Degrees of integration

- Spatially coordinated but discrete and dispersed multi-sector interventions
- Spatially clustered and coordinated city systems and services
- Metropolitan scale systems integration and co-production

### How?

# Multi-sectoral, clustered, practical solutions, with institutional arrangements that maximize finance for urban development

**Objective\*** of the Sustainable Cities Impact Program is to enable delivery of international environmental convention priorities by

- Biodiversity—Integrating biodiversity and ecosystem values in urban planning
- Climate Change—Urban-related GHG emissions avoidance
- Land Degradation—Sustainable management of production systems in urban and peri-urban areas
- International Waters—Shared water ecosystems (fresh or

### Results

# **Sustainable Cities** delivering global and local environmental benefits

**Expected outcomes\* and GEBs** for the impact program will align with the MEAs, as follows:

- Mitigation of GHG emissions through energy efficiency;
- Removal or disposal of hazardous chemicals, especially Mercury;
- Conservation of threatened wildlife species and habitats; and



# **GEF7 Scaleup support for Integrated Urban Planning**



# The 5D Compact City Framework Is An Essential Tool

A city can combine multiple nodes of high-density development with a rich mix of housing, jobs and amenities at the neighborhood level, connected via transit lines and surrounded by medium and low-density areas in the rest of the metropolitan area.

HIGH DENSITY: Approx. 15,000 persons/km<sup>2</sup> LOW DENSITY: Approx. 7,500 to 10,000 persons/km<sup>2</sup>





Case

# Integrated Solutions

**Expanding Supply—Land Readjustment** 

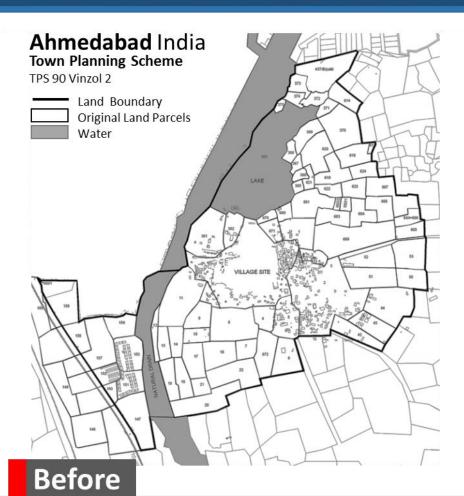
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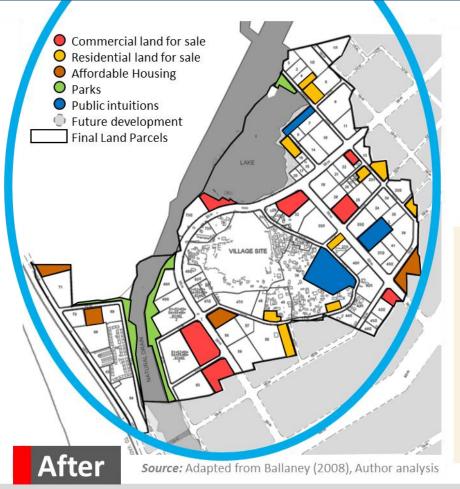
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# **Horizontal Integration**

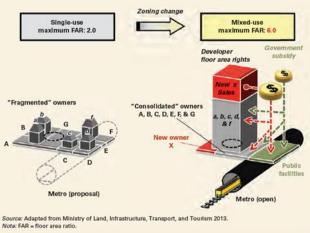
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# Density Diversity



**Shared land for prosperity**—Land parcels rezoned, development densified, and land holdings proportionally readjusted to plan, finance, and deliver environmental infrastructure, affordable housing, and public institutions—parks, schools, health services.

Case Method

# Integrated Solutions

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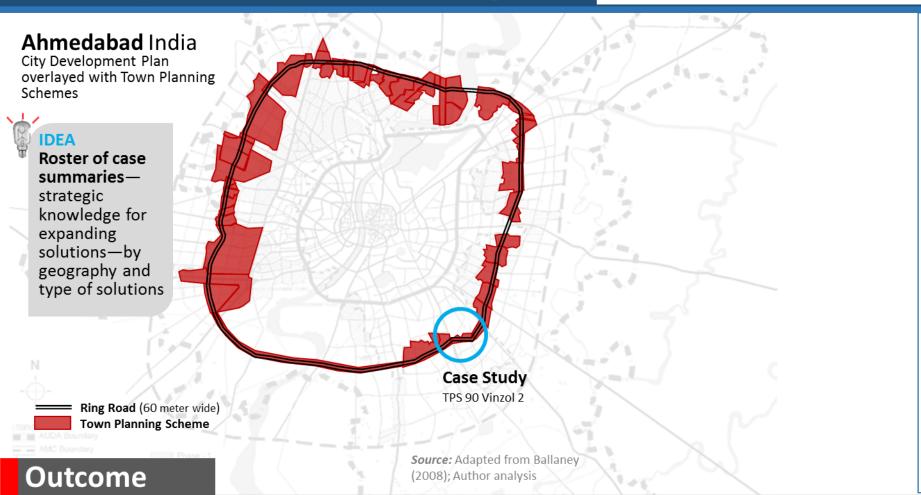
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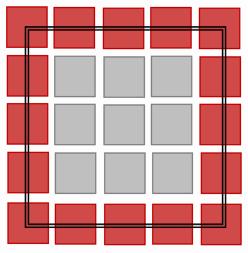
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# City-wide Solution Sum greater than parts



How can we adapt such solutions for other regions?

**Scaled-up by contiguous replication**—Right of way for a 76 kilometer long ring road (beltway) was acquired through aggregation of Town Planning Schemes. About 100 Town Planning Schemes to serve site and service needs of 1.5 million people.

Case Method

# Integrated Solutions

# **Expanding Supply—Vacant Land Utilization**

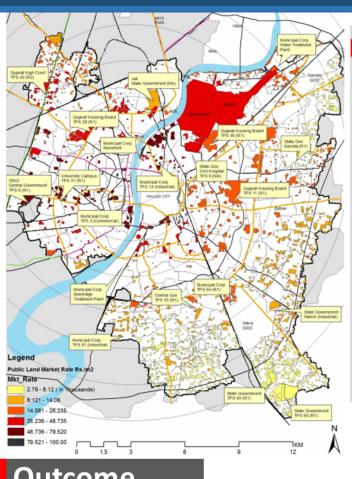
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### **Metropolitan integration**

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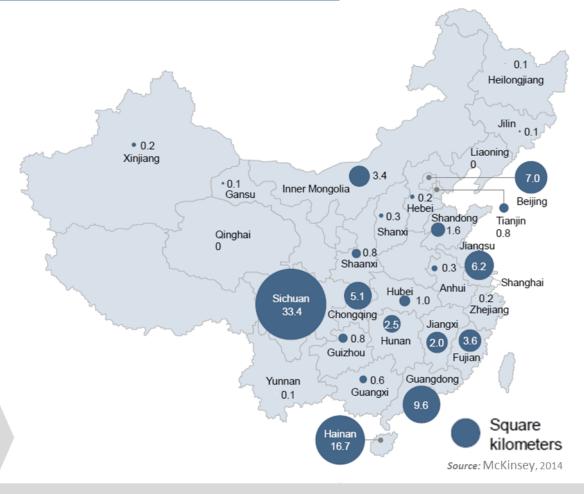
- Ahmedabad India Value of unused (nonslum) public land (2010 prices)
- **\$9.8 billion** if land is optimally developed at market rates\*
- Equal to twice the 20-year urban infrastructure investment needs or
- \$1,800 per capita (city population is 5.57 million)

\*Note: \$3.6 billion if land is partially developed and valued at official government rates that are significantly below market rates.

Source: World Bank, 2013

### China

Vacant land inspection revealed 97 square kilometer in cities



Outcome

Commercializing public land for shared prosperity—through sale or lease, reclassification of land use, enhanced density—can unlock resources adequate to finance city-wide environmental infrastructure, slum upgrading, and slum prevention.

# Crowd in, not sprawl out Expanding Supply—Land Readjustment

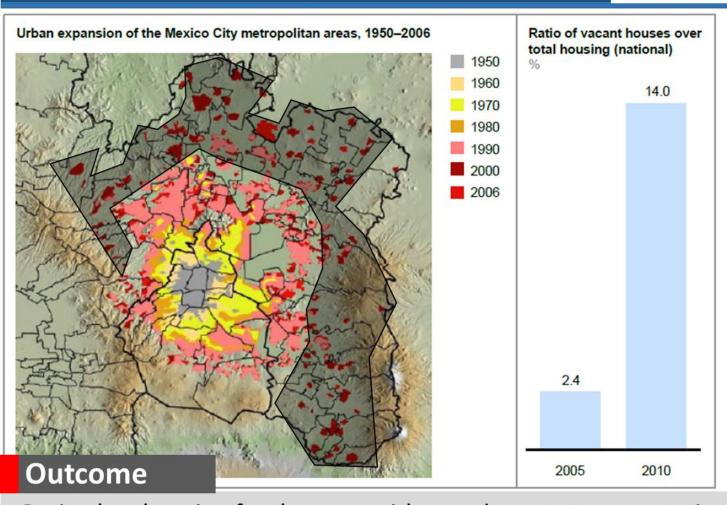
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## **Integrated Planning**

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# Take-away

Environmental infrastructure, site and services, and affordable housing could utilize vacant or low-density within urban core serviced land in the proximity of job centers. With added benefits of reducing carbon footprint.

Source: World Bank, 2013; Eulich and Villagran (2010) in McKinsey, 2014 with Author analysis

Peri-urban housing for the poor without adequate transportation to job centers, low quality of construction, and absence of social services resulted in high vacancy rates. Additionally, per-urban sprawl significantly increases urban GHG emission. Mexico City has introduced policies to densify.



# **Leveraging Big Data for Smart and Slum Solutions**



Geospatial analytics for better evidence-based spatial planning and urban management.

**GEF-7:** Leveraging new partners for data and analysis methods to further support cities.



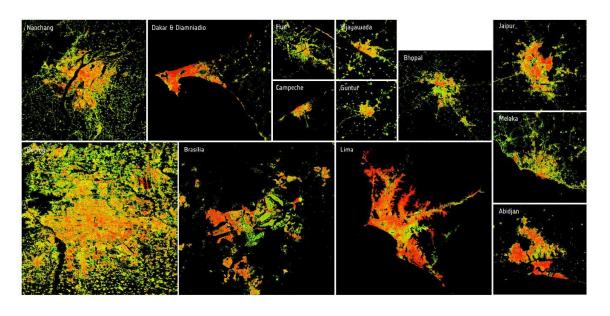










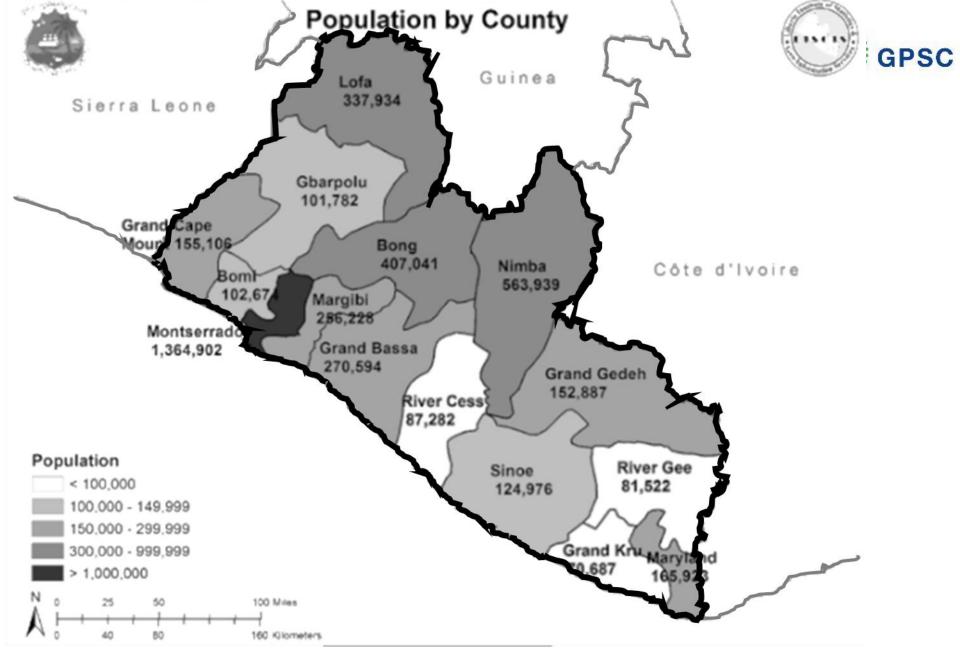


Imagery provided by the European Space Agency to GPSC participating cities

World Bank's Data Collaboratives with technology companies to solve development challenges

# Liberia

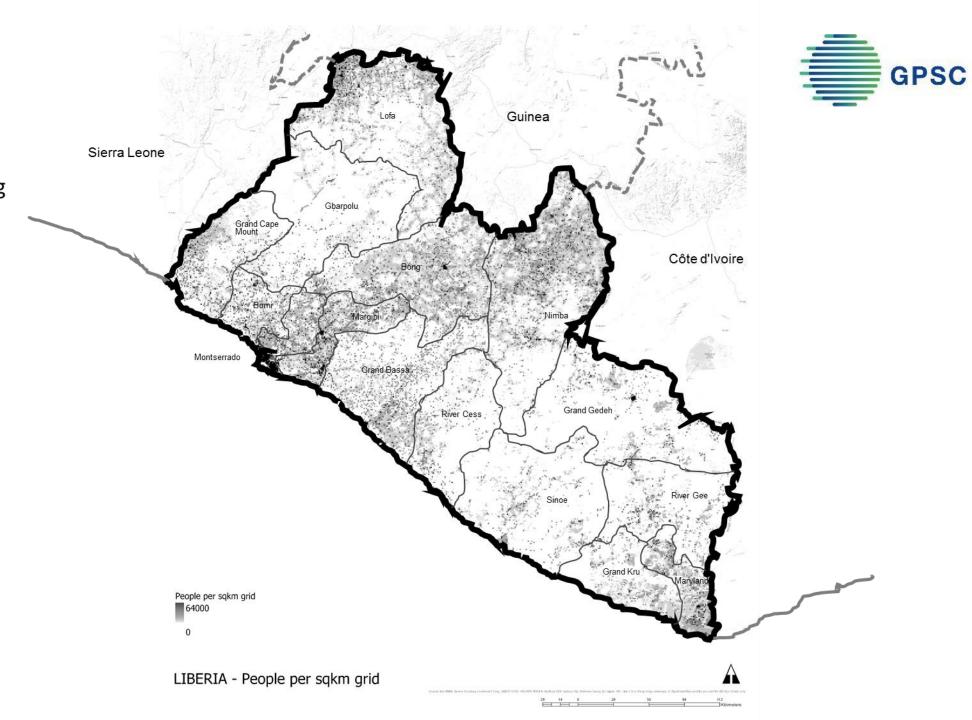
Population density by census

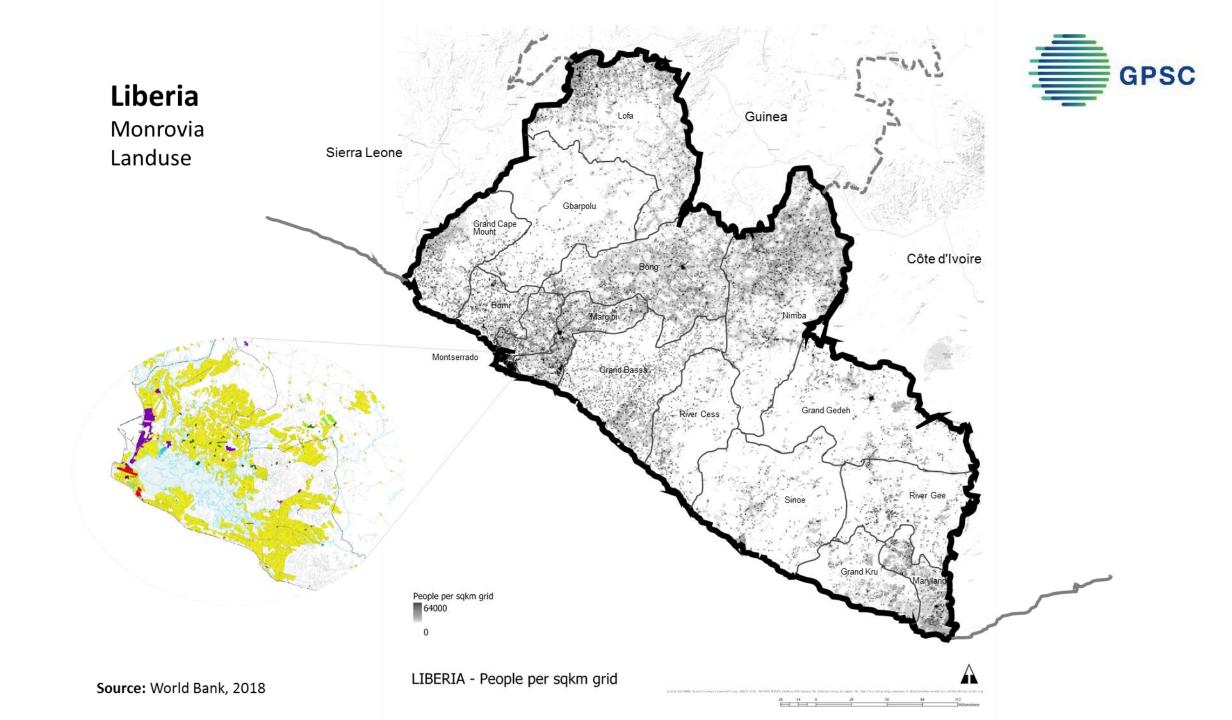


Source: World Bank, 2018

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Population density using geospatial big data



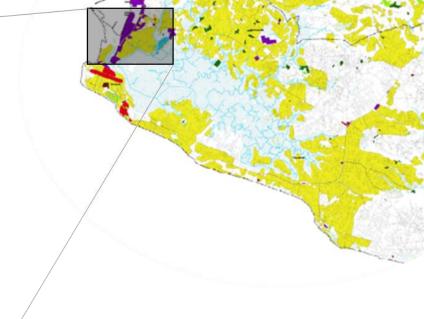


# Community led development plans Source: SOI, 2012

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Monrovia Landuse in Slums

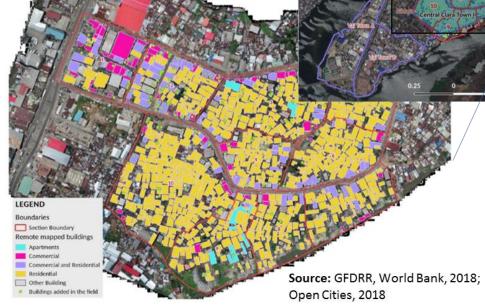




Community Slum Mapping—slum landuse and SES.

# Mangroves displaced by slums

- "Sanitation >80% practice open defecation
- Water > 85% lack access to safe drinking water
- Solid waste >95% don't have access to waste collection
- **Drainage & Health** >60% live in wet conditions year round and >90% at risk of flooding and epidemic (Ebola, malaria, diarrhea and cholera), no reliable health care."\* (uneven SES data reliability)



# URBAN GROWTH SCENARIOS Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan



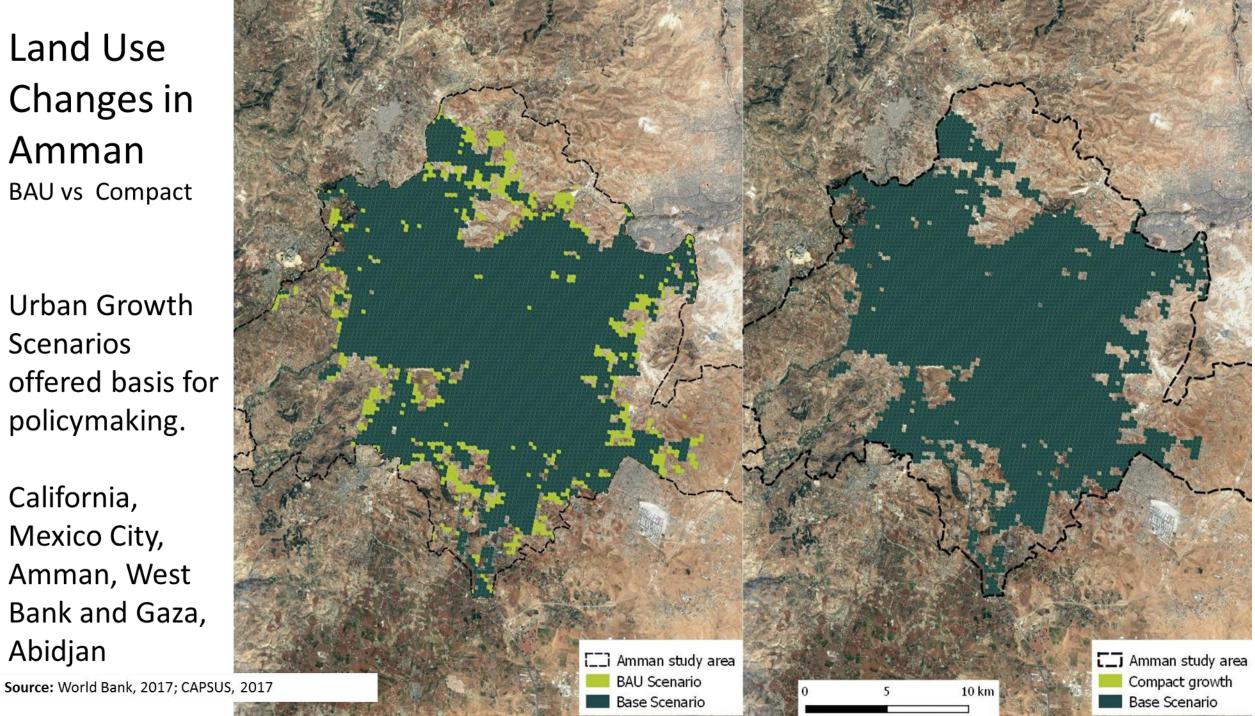
Growth

Source: World Bank, 2017; CAPSUS, 2017

Land Use Changes in Amman **BAU vs Compact** 

**Urban Growth** Scenarios offered basis for policymaking.

California, Mexico City, Amman, West Bank and Gaza, Abidjan



# **Mexico City**

Urban growth
Scenarios informed policy choices.

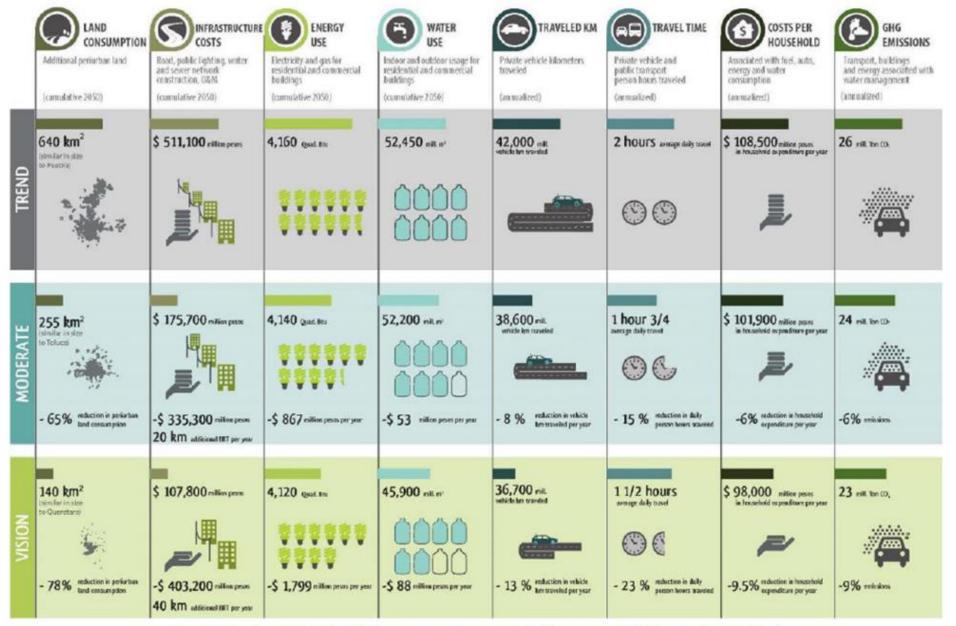


Fig 6. Mexico City RapidFire scenarios matrix (Source: Calthorpe Analytics)







