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# SUME

## Sustainable Urban Metabolism for Europe

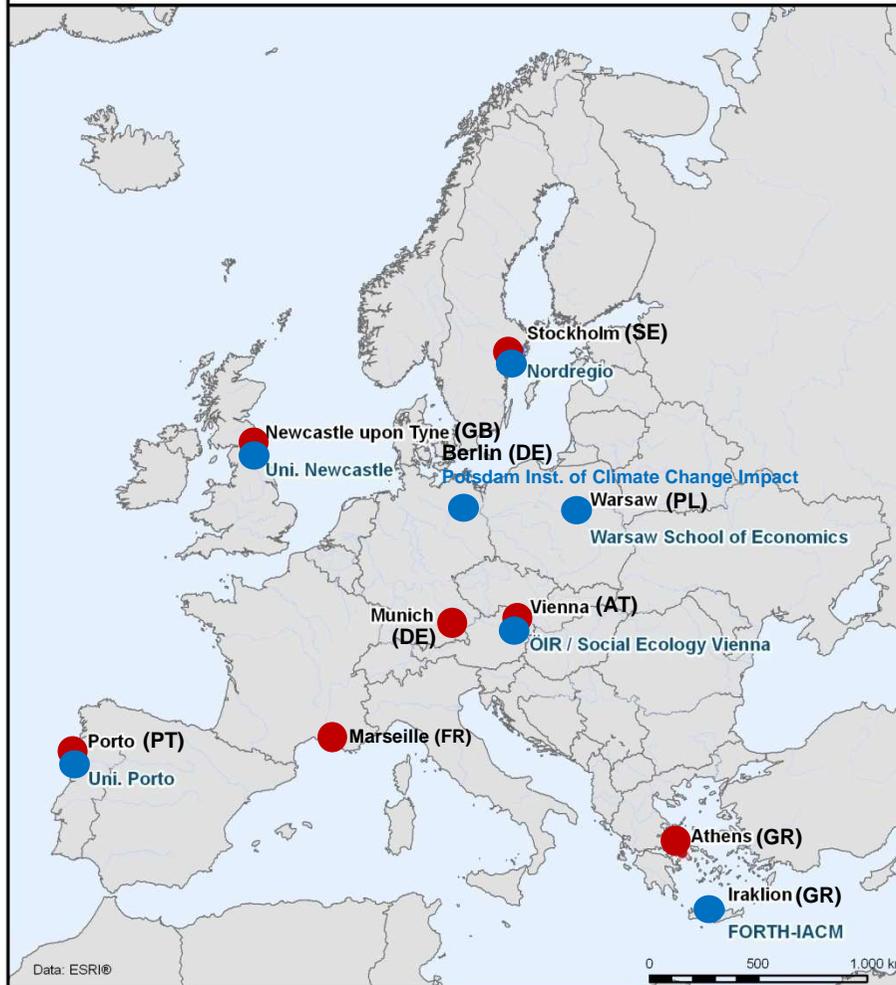
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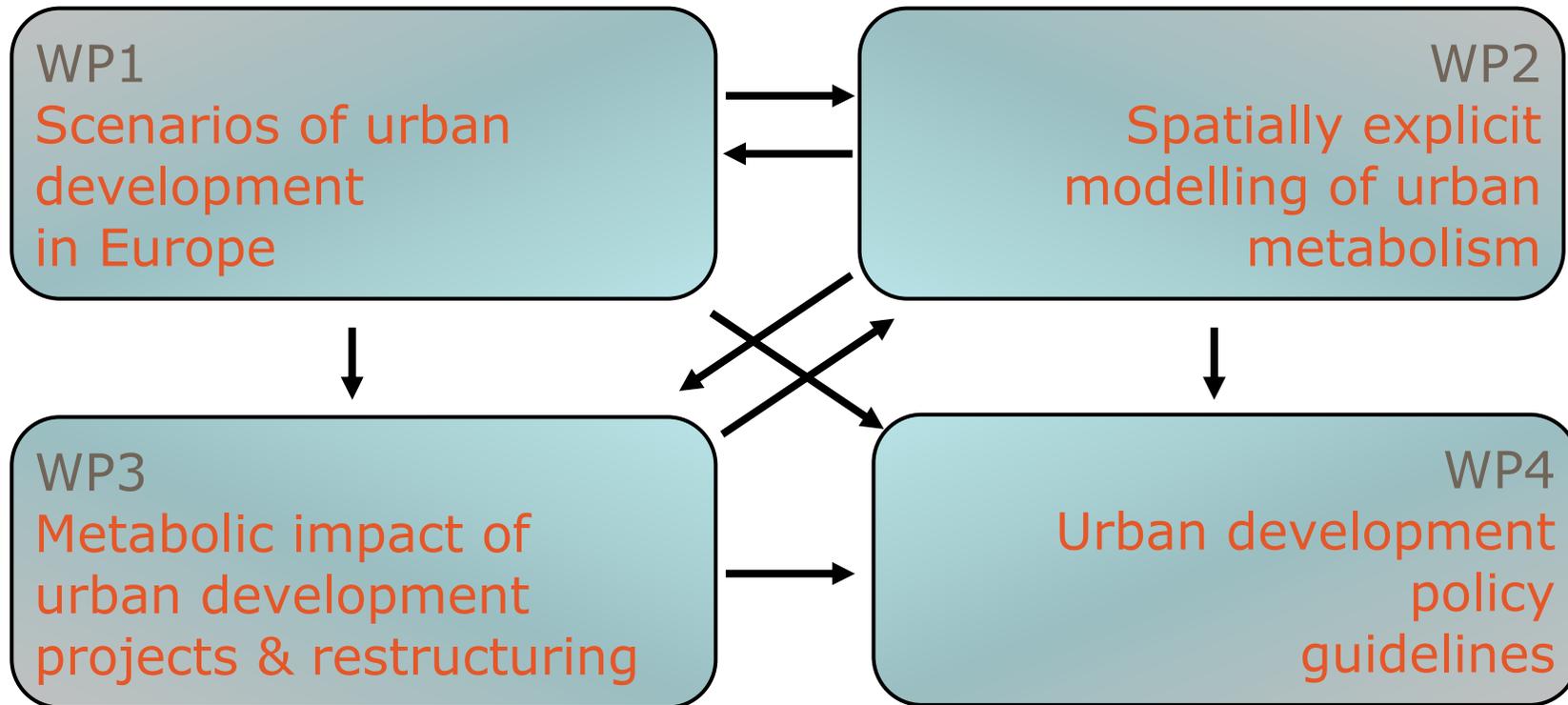
# SUME Project Partners & Case study cities



- Scenario Cities (Countries)
- SUME Project Partner



# SUME – project: Workpackages





# SUME scenario approach

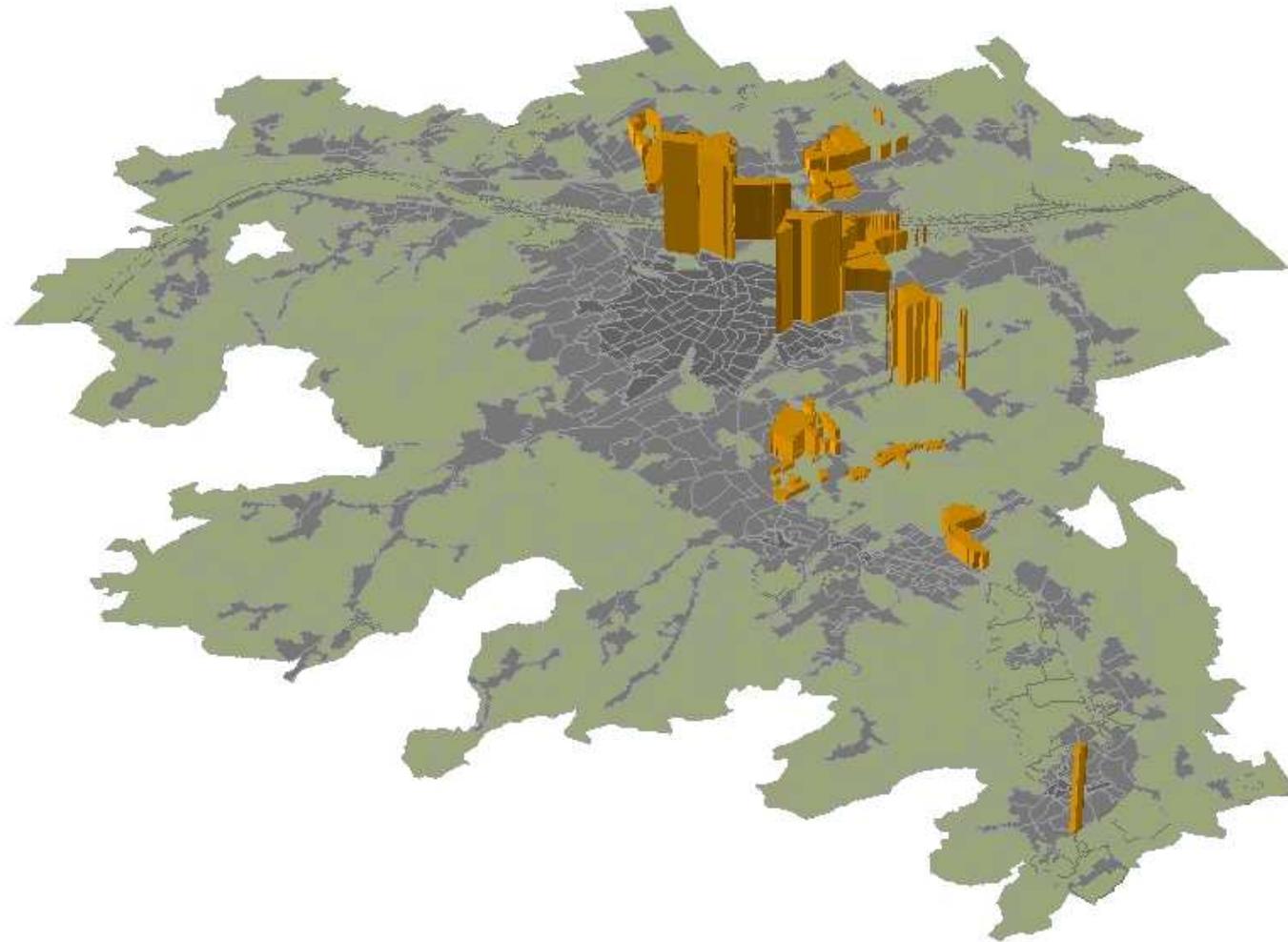


## Urban development scenarios 2050: Inputs and guiding principles

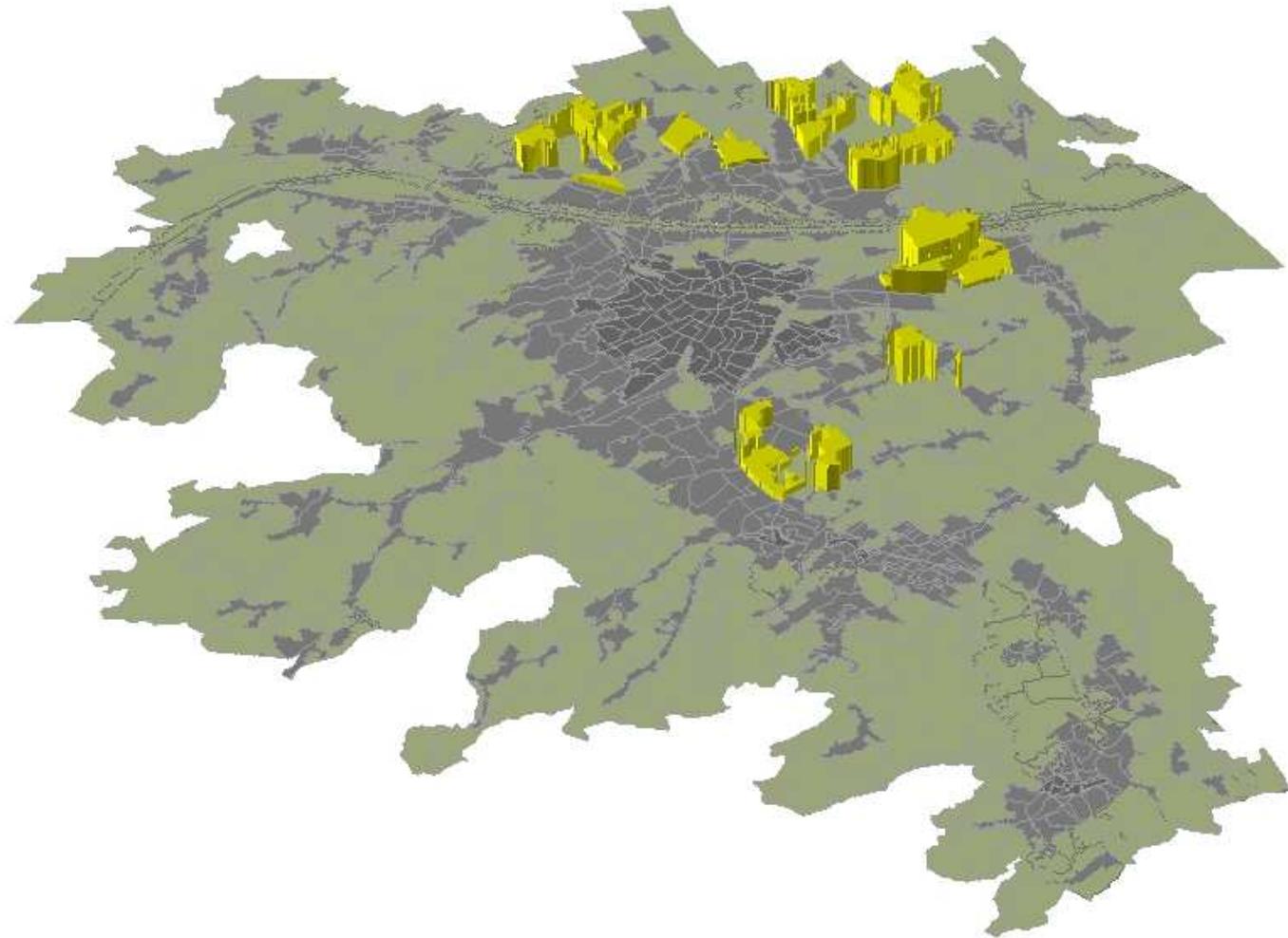
- Spatial development paths for different cities, 2000 – 2050
- Main drivers:  
population and job change (projections),  
development of living space per capita
- Spatial disaggregation level (ca. 150-700 cells)
- Inputs:  
Land use, densities and building typologies, protected areas and restrictions, infrastructure plans, larger development projects, development plans

# Example Vienna: Scenario building process

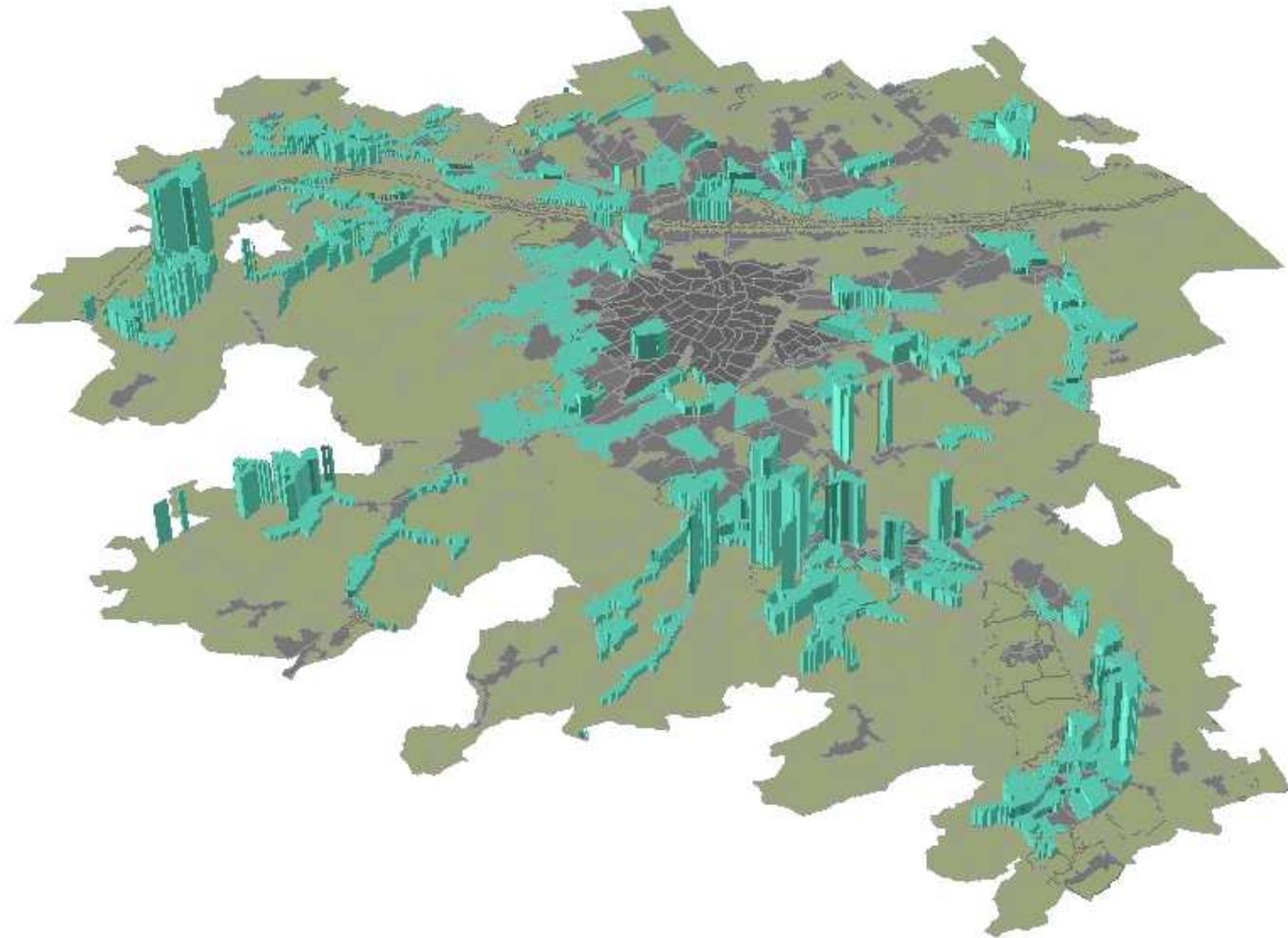
# Short-medium term projects (according to urban development plans)



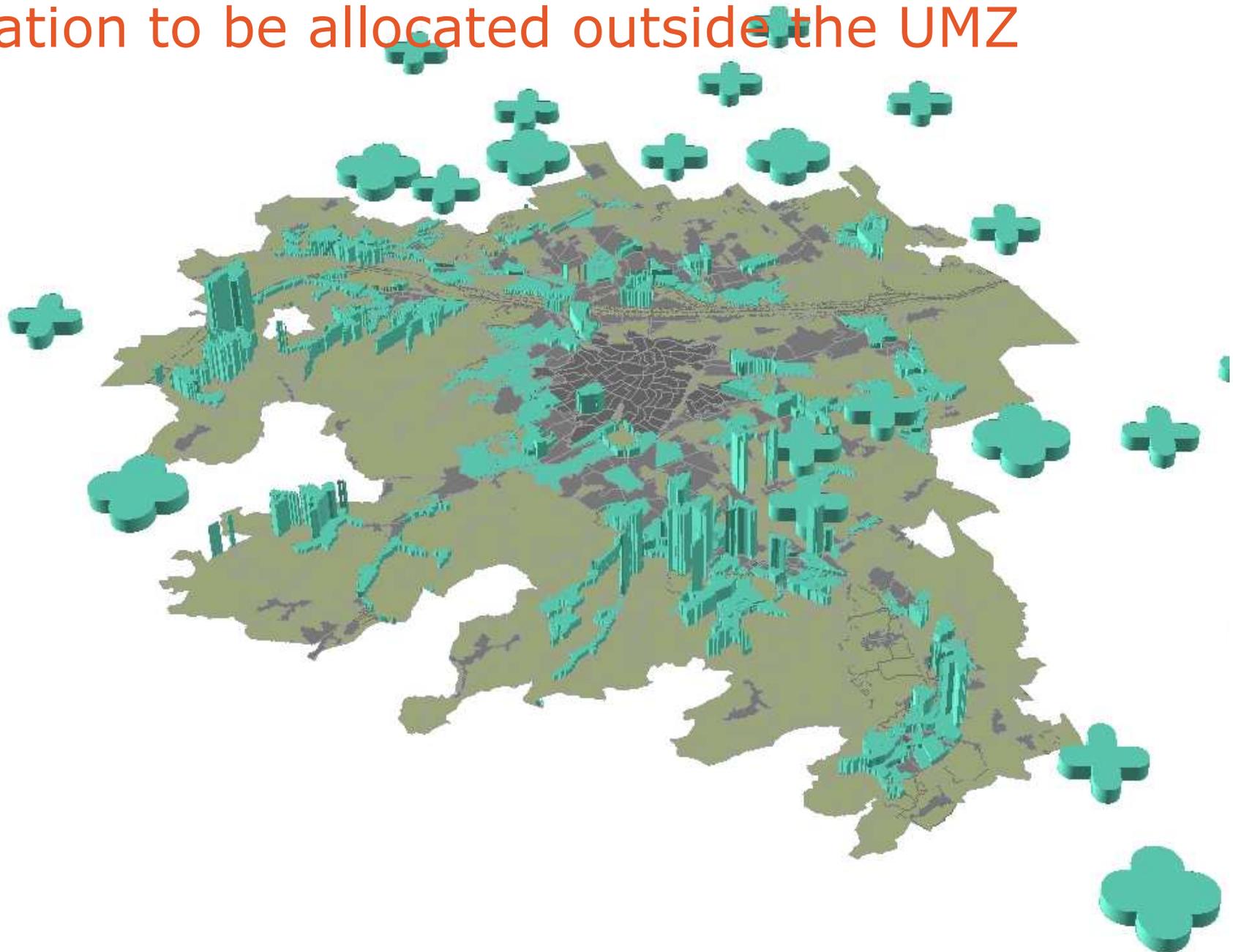
# Medium-long term development axes



# Allocation of population according to city-typical densities



Indication for remaining surplus of future population to be allocated outside the UMZ





## Urban development scenarios: Guiding principles

- **BASE scenario** as the continuation of current spatial trends (densities, spatial configurations)
- **SUME scenario** as a path of sustainable spatial planning
  - focusing on the interrelations between urban form and metabolic performance
- SUME – scenarios **4 planning principles**:
  - gradual step up of densities in existing urban fabric
  - where attractive public transport can be provided
  - mix of functions (esp. in public transport nodes)
  - potential of enforced thermal renovation and reconstruction  
(combining replacement activities with densification)

## Scenarios 2050: Overview

- ▶ **Vienna**
- ▶ Athens
- ▶ Marseille
- ▶ **Munich**
- ▶ Newcastle upon Tyne
- ▶ **Oporto**
- ▶ **Stockholm**



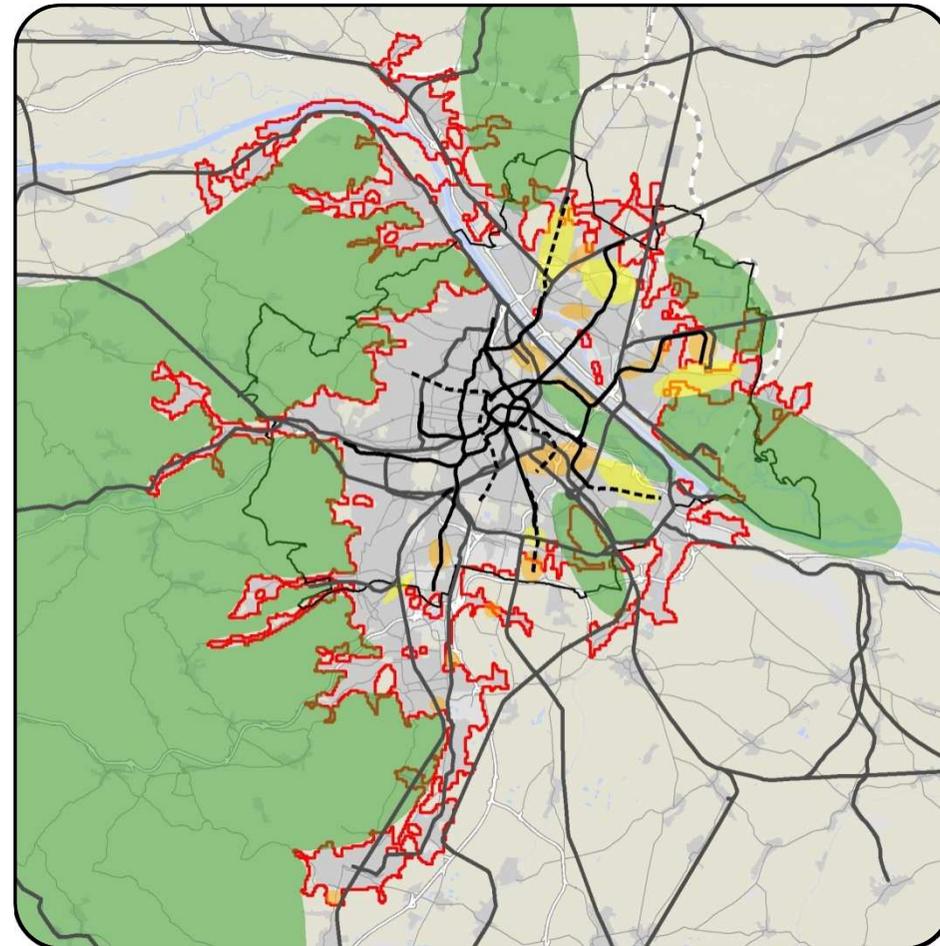
# Vienna

- ▶ 1.8 Mio. population
- ▶ → 2050: + 35 %
- ▶ Pop.+jobs/km2 in urban fabric: 7.251

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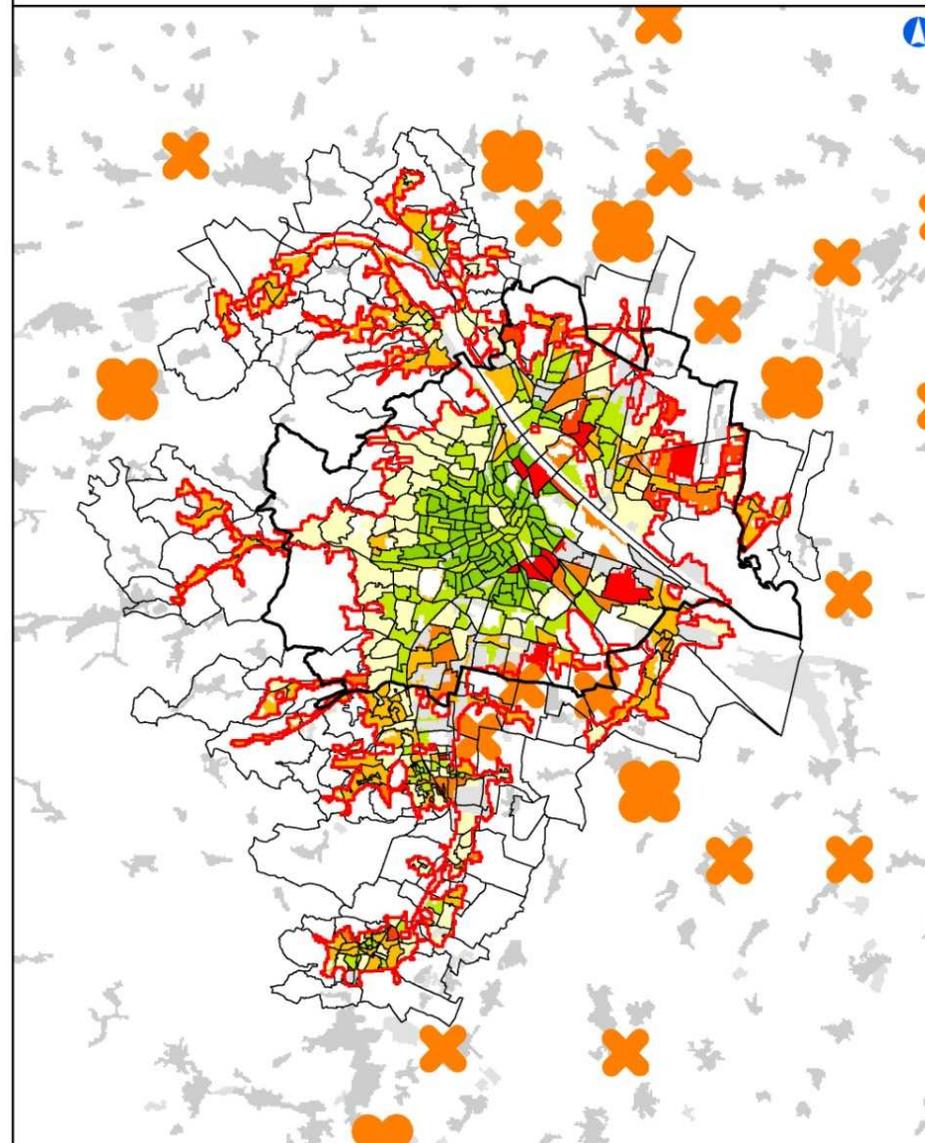
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**urban  
fabric  
+ 55%**

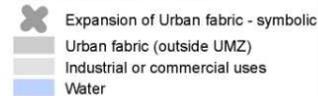
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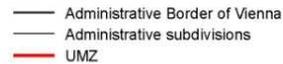
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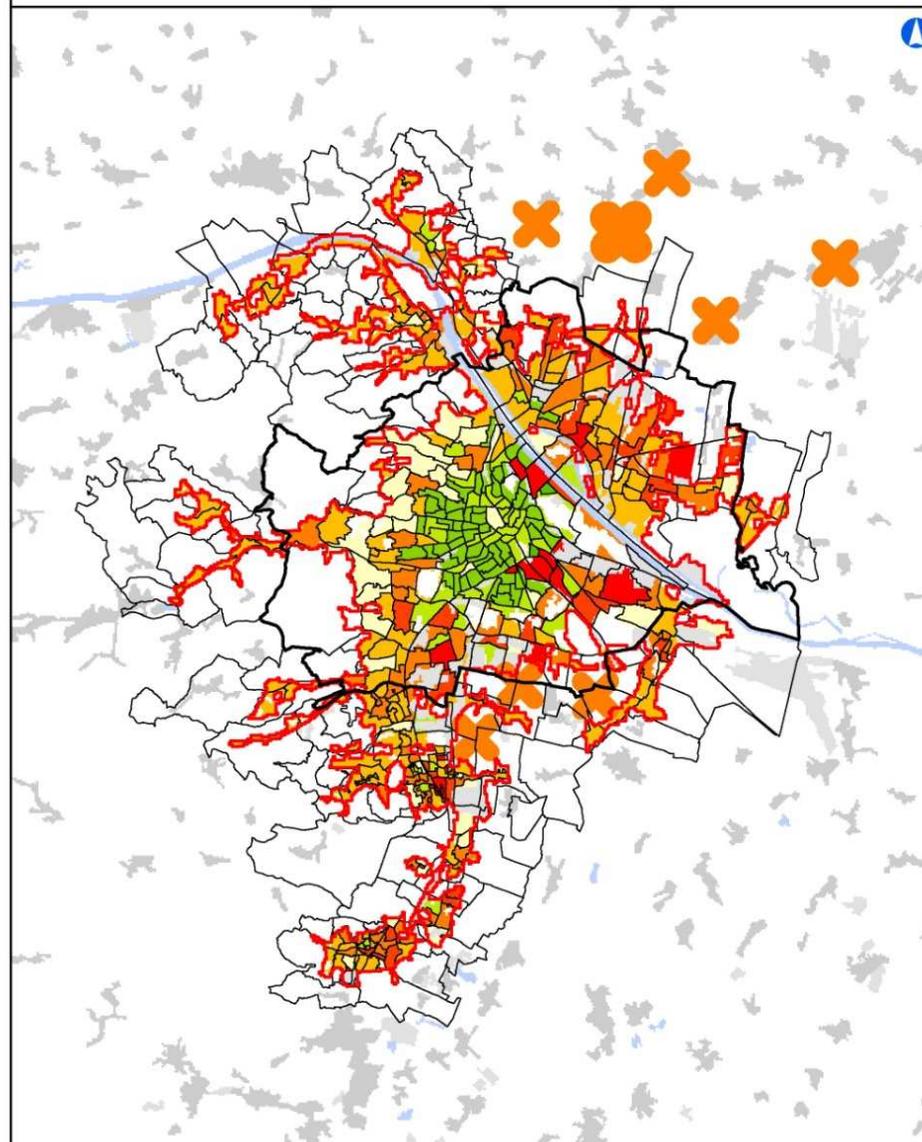
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fabric  
+ 14%**

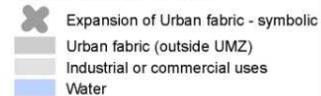
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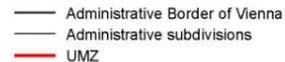
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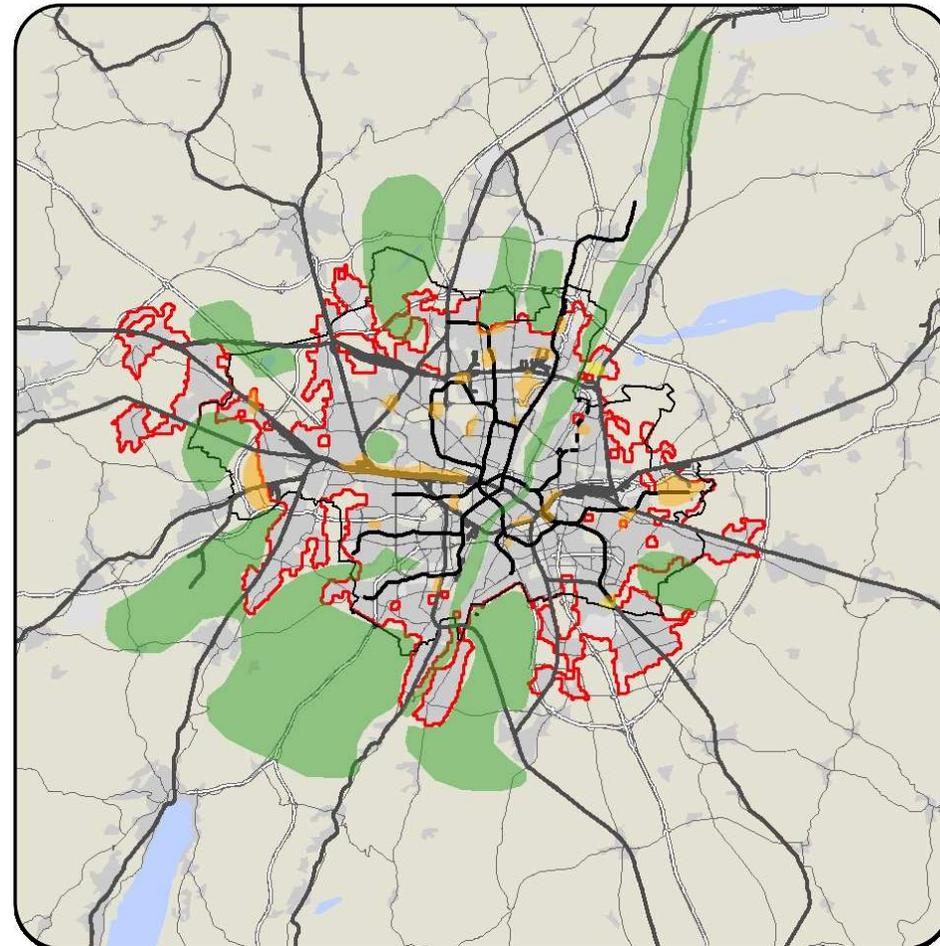
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- ▶ → 2050: + 18 %
- ▶ Pop.+jobs/km2 in urban fabric: 8.759

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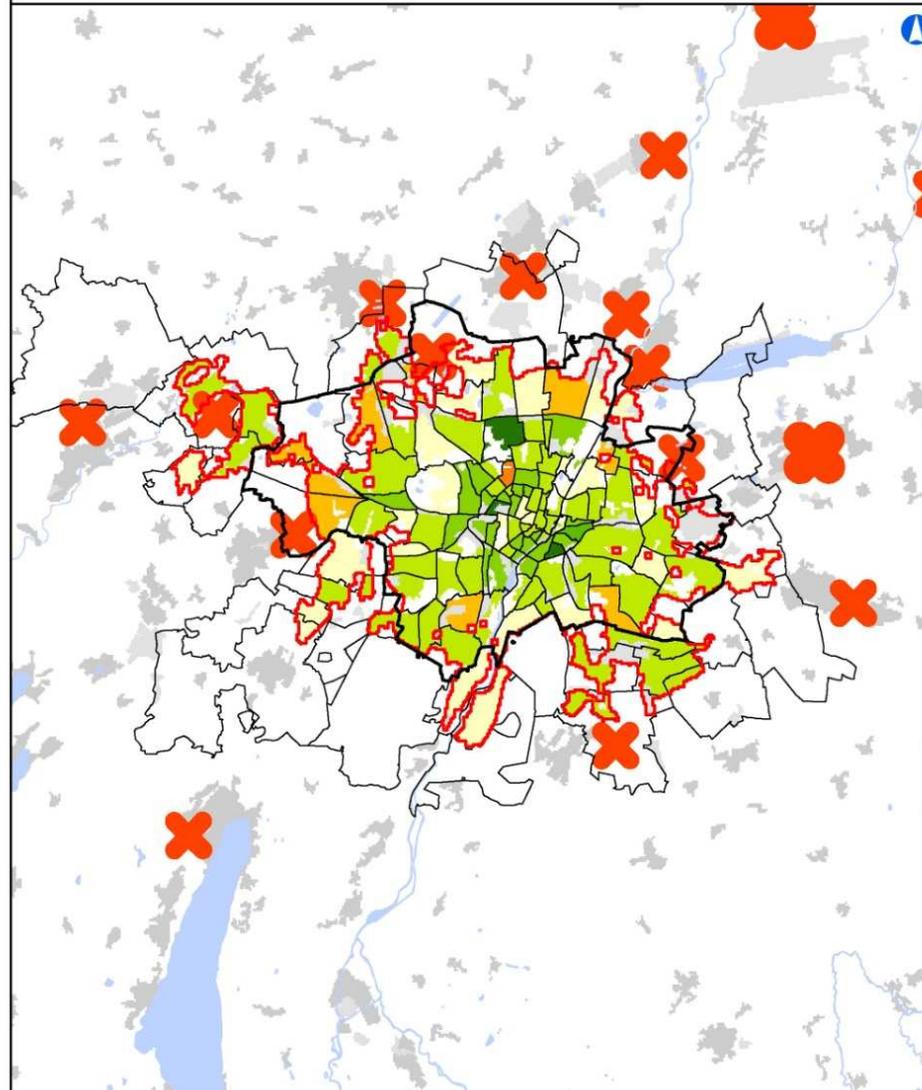
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fabric  
+ 41%**

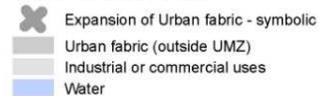
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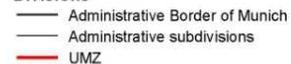
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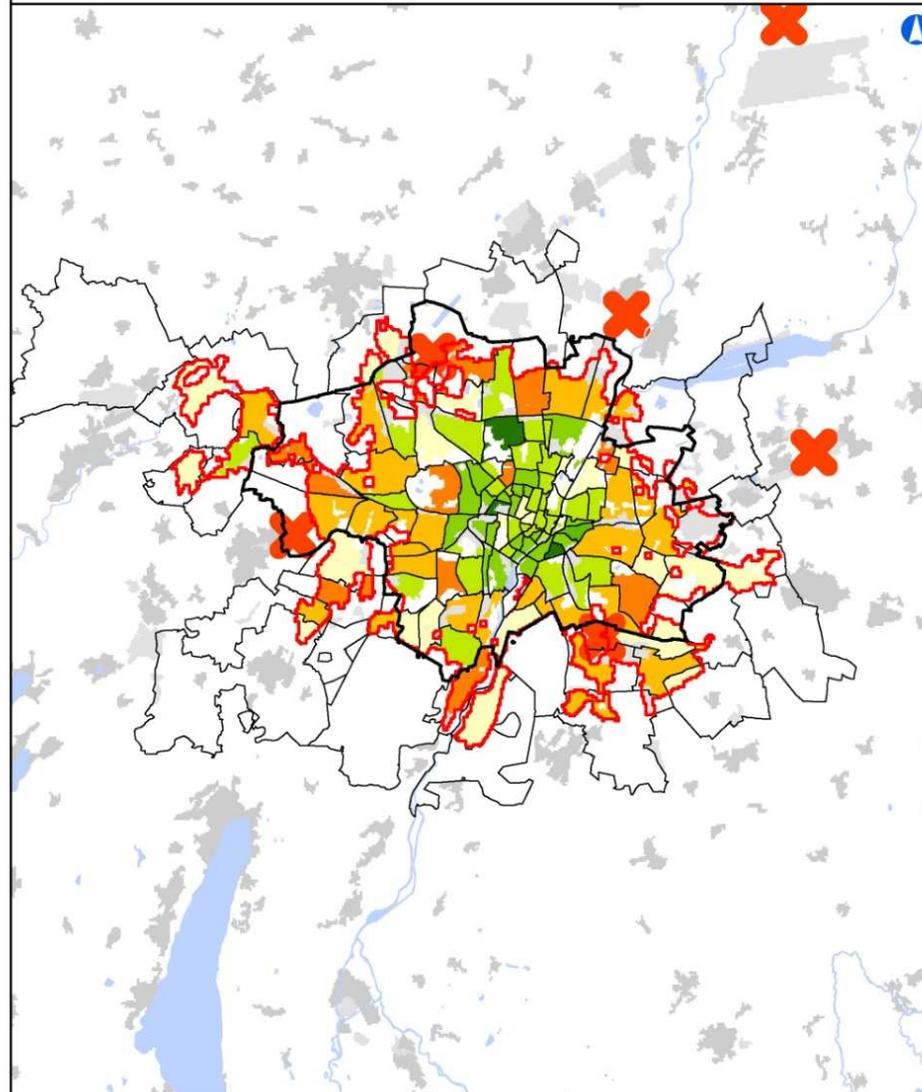


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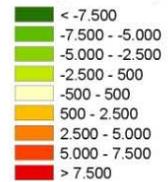


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fabric  
+ 13%**

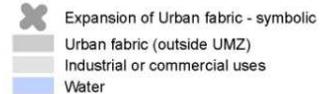
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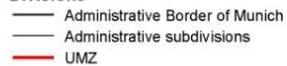
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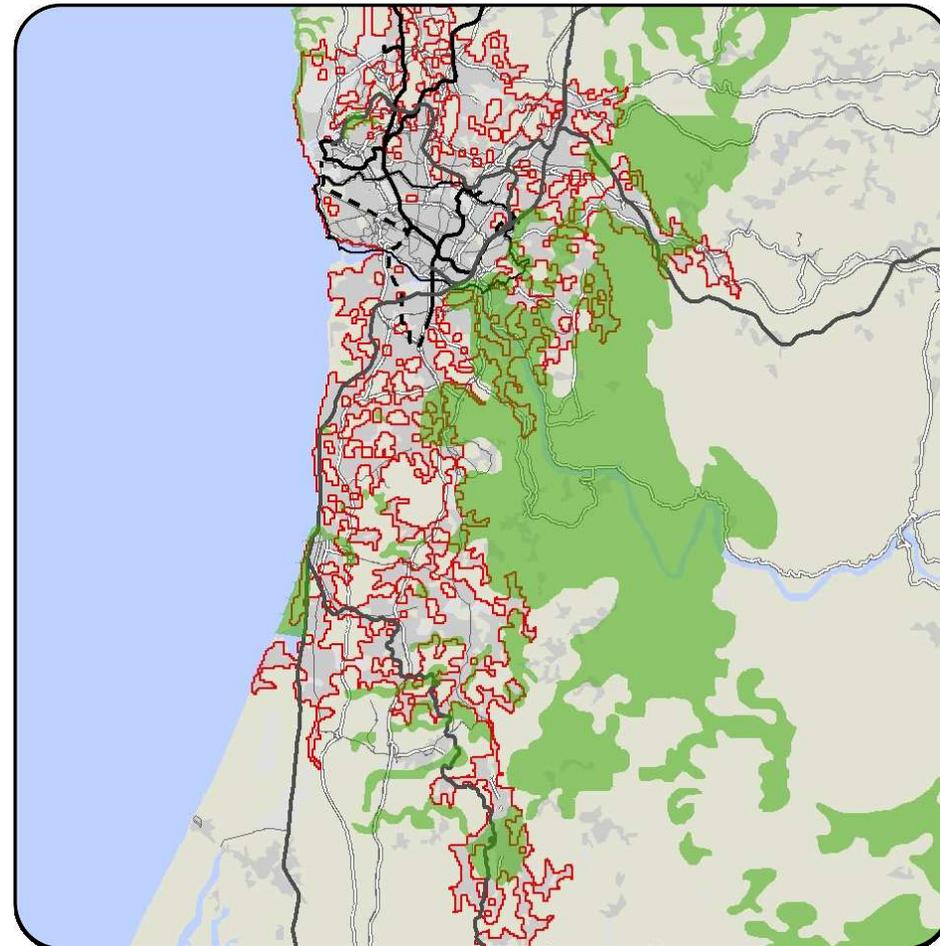
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- ▶ 1.3 Mio. population
- ▶ → 2050: - 4 %
- ▶ Pop.+jobs/km2 in urban fabric: 5.403

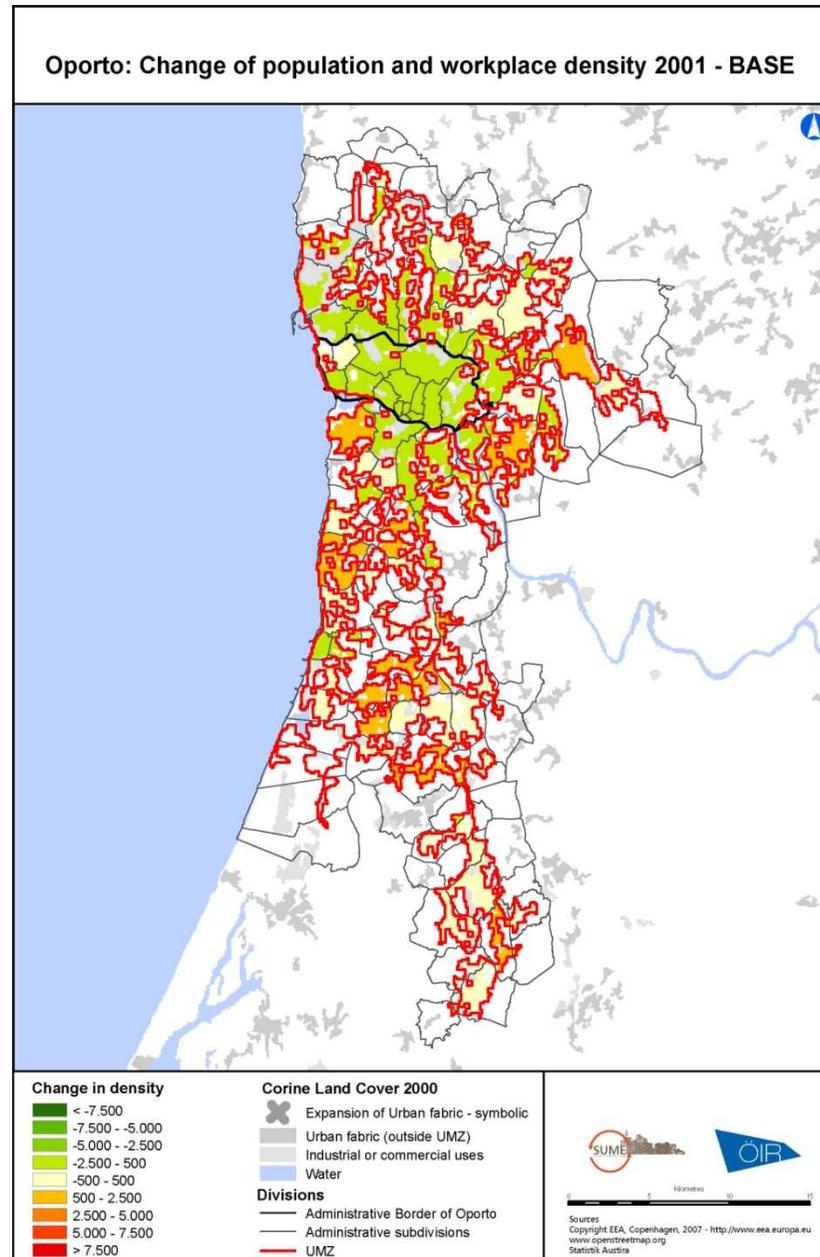
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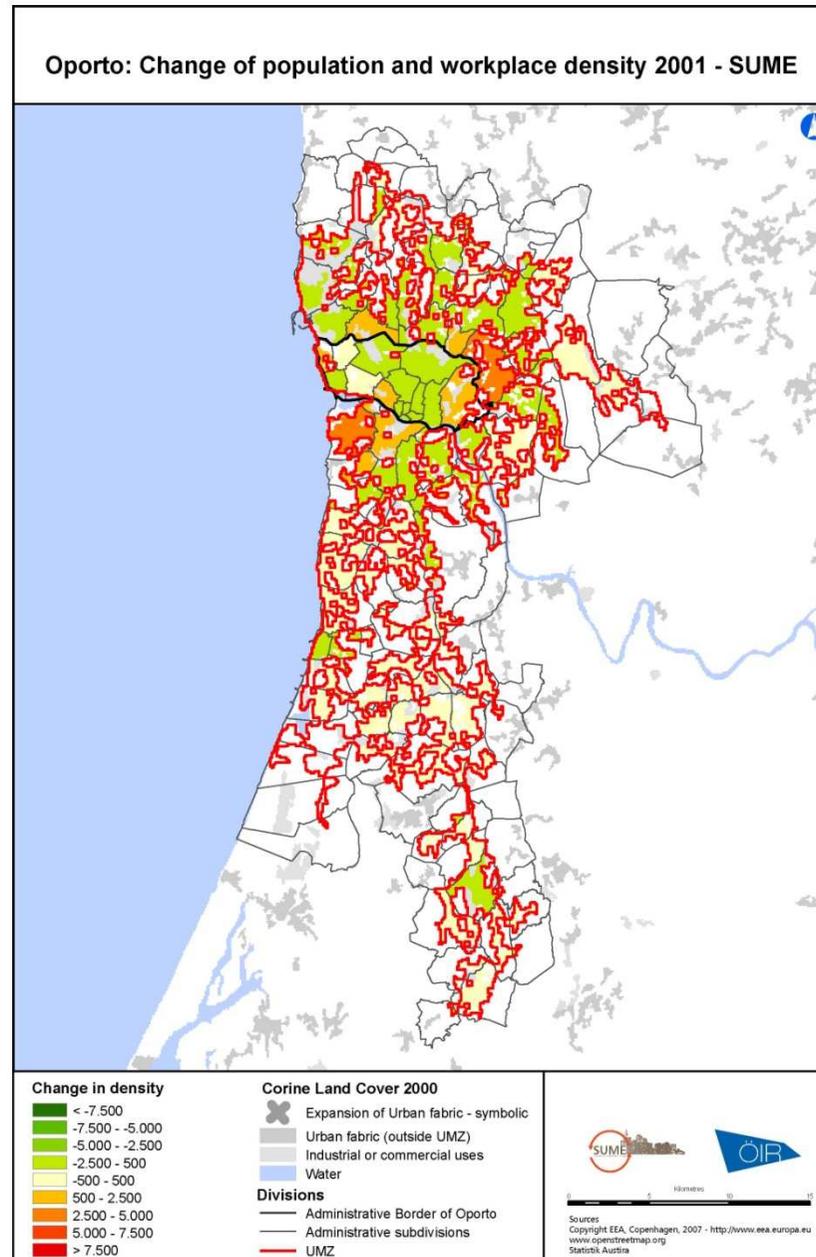
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scenario  
2050:  
**urban  
fabric  
+ 0%**



► **SUME**  
 scenario  
 2050:  
 urban  
 fabric  
 + 0%  
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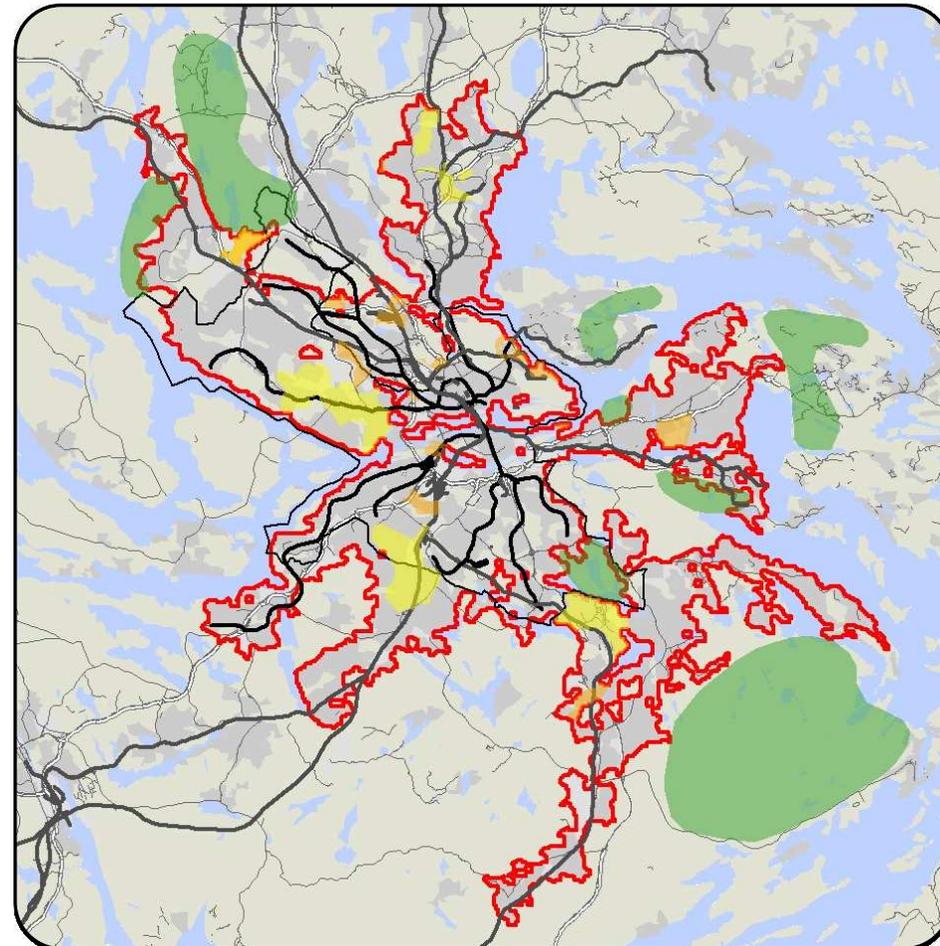
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- ▶ → 2050: + 44 %
- ▶ Pop.+jobs/km2 in urban fabric: 5.278

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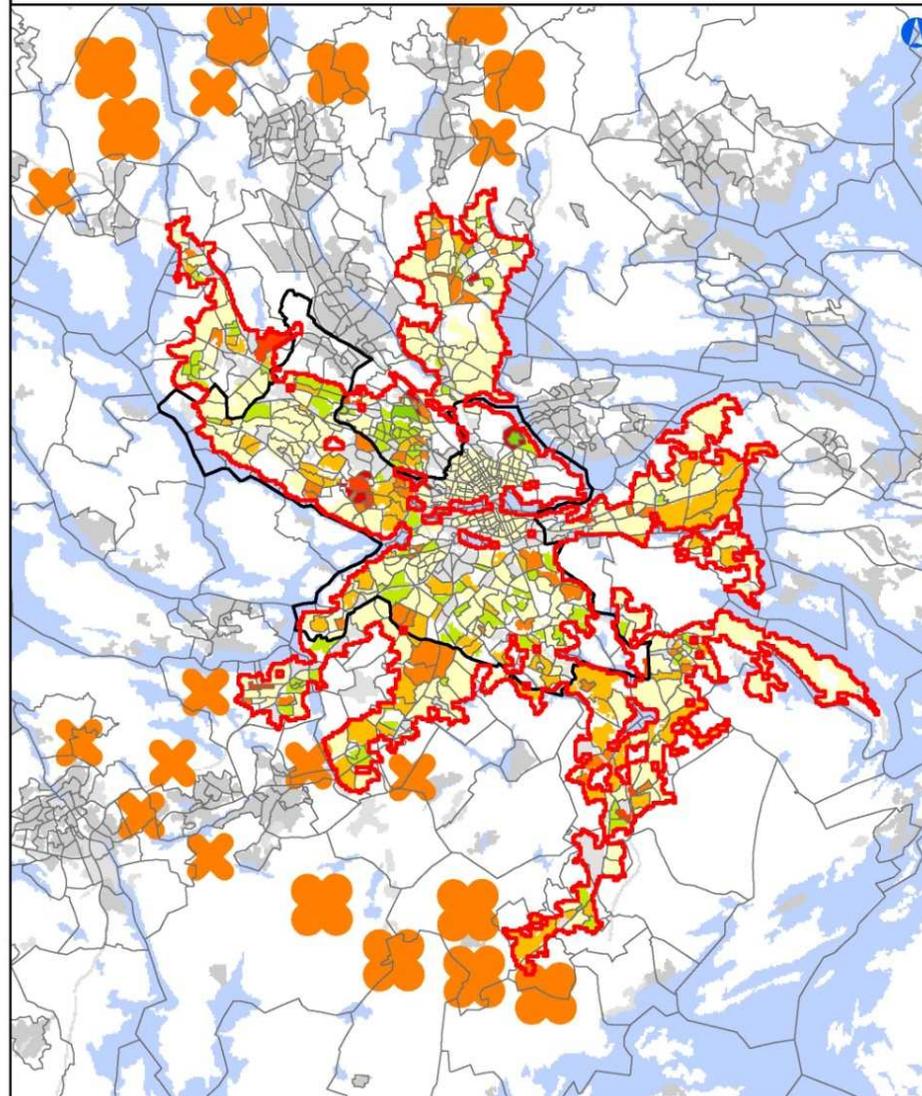
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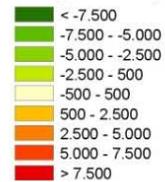



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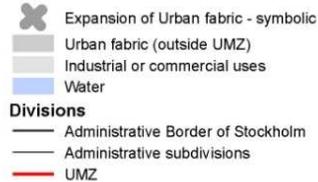
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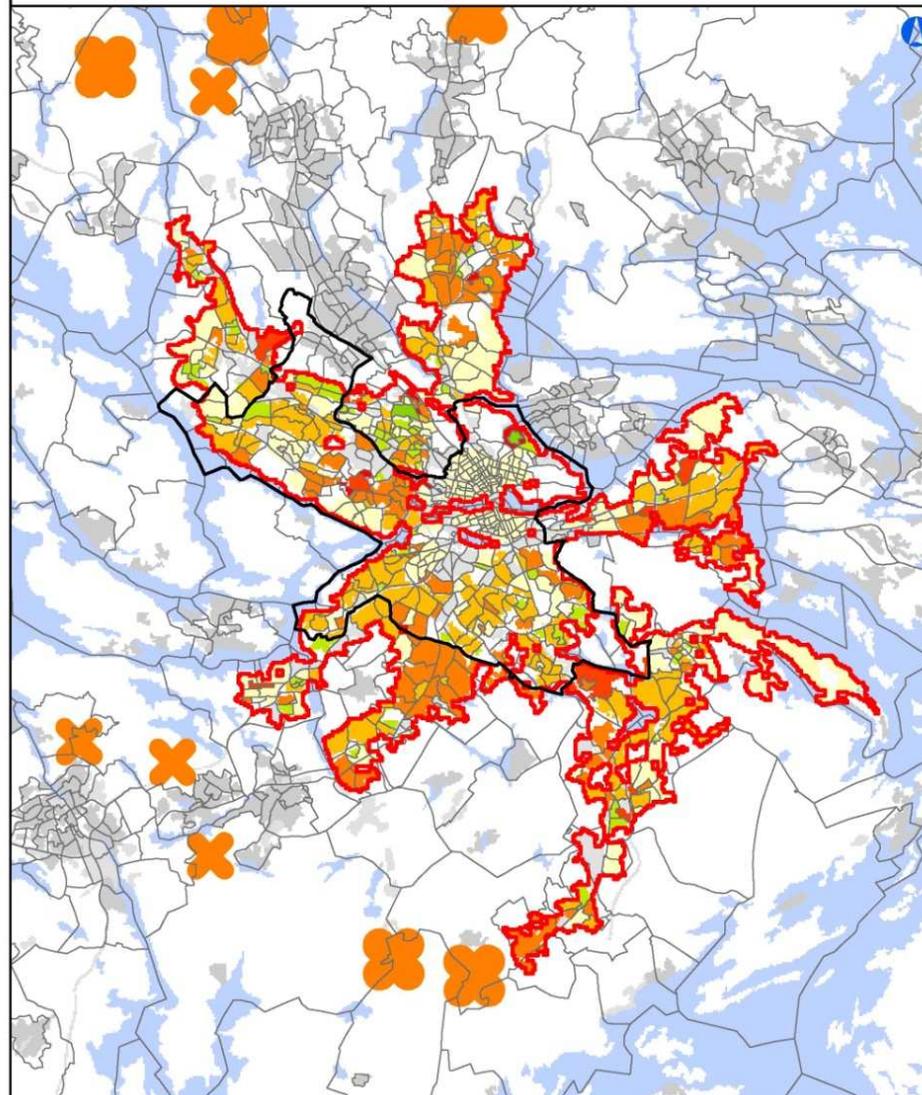


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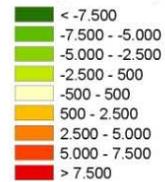


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fabric  
+20%**

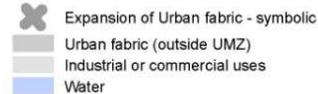
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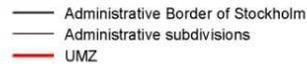
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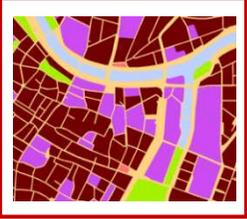
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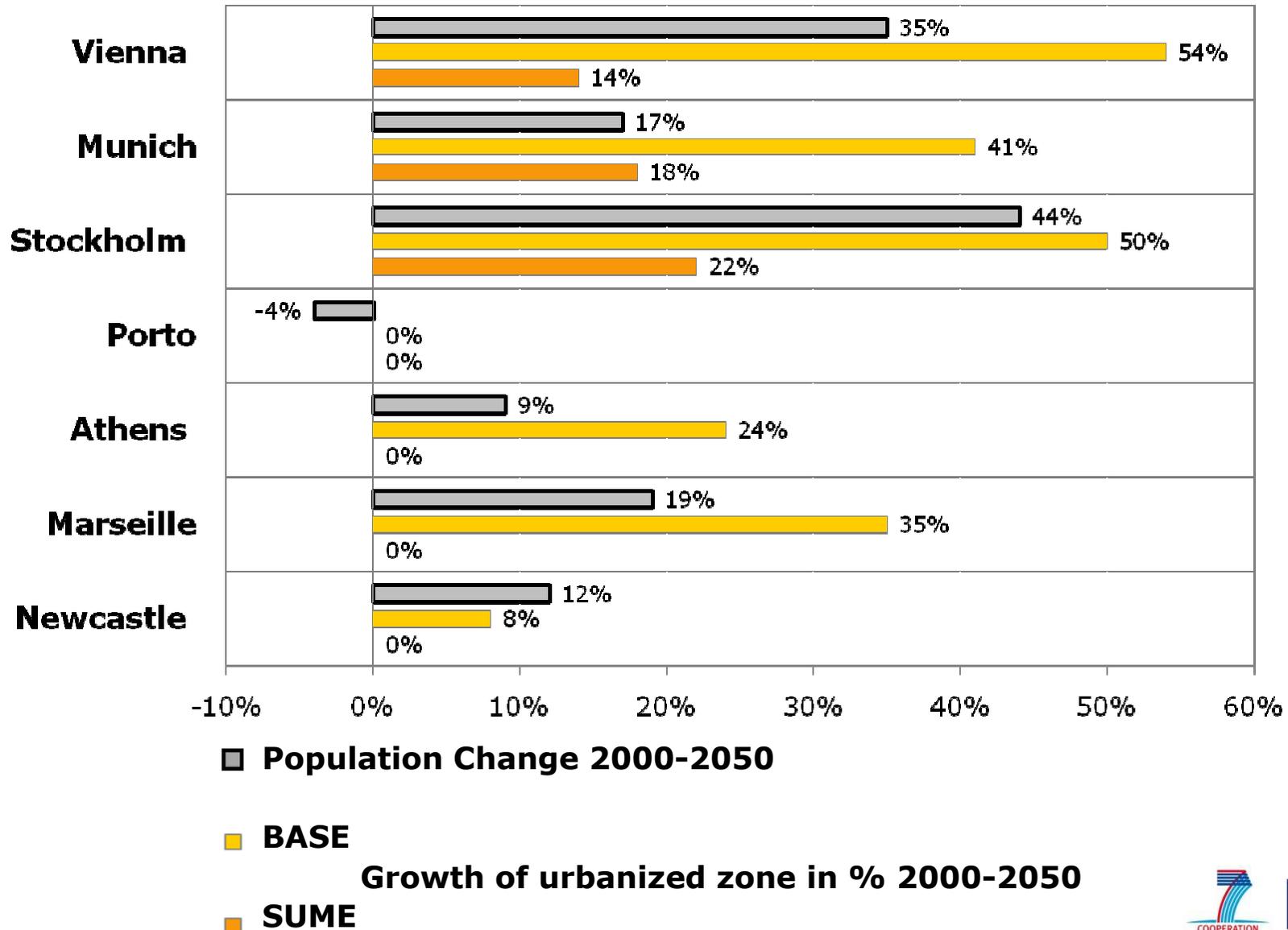


# Urban spatial development: BASE and SUME scenarios

## Scenarios BASE and SUME: Growth of “urbanized zones” 2000 – 2050

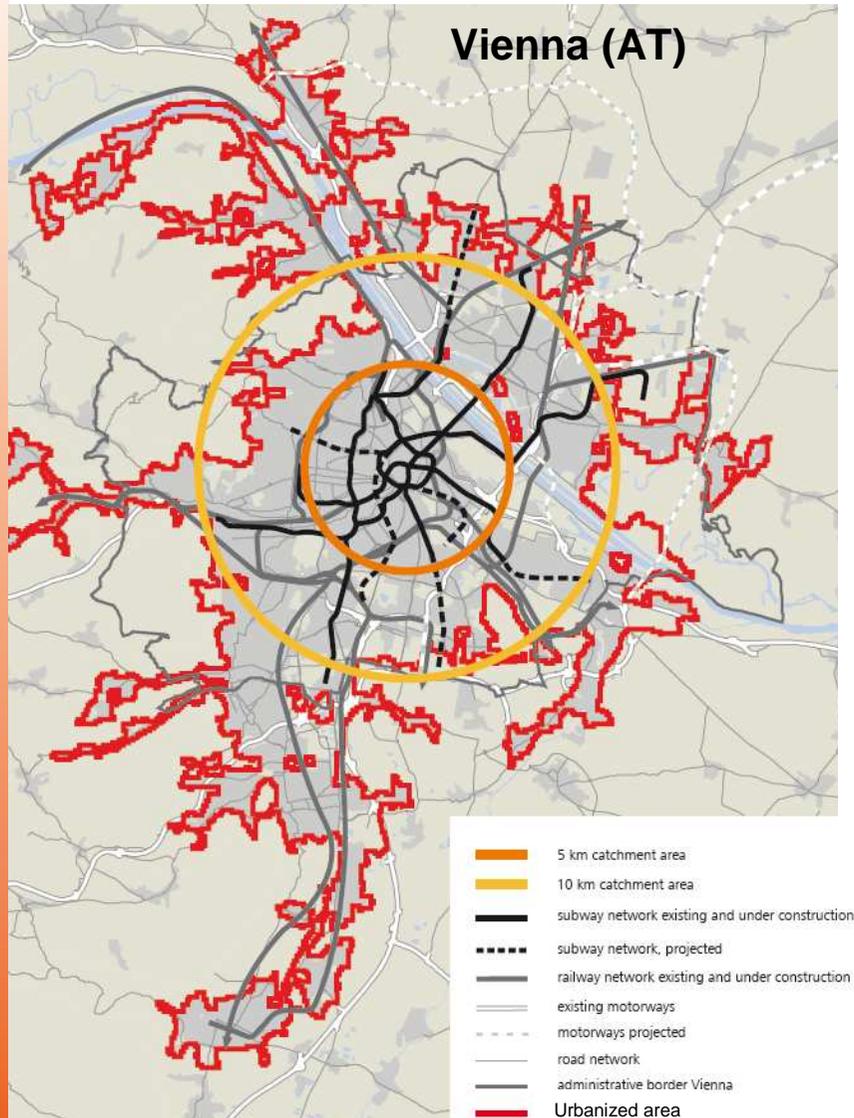
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				BASE	<b>SUME</b>
 Vienna	7 251	2,4	+35%	<b>+54%</b>	<b>+14%</b>
Munich	8 759	2,0	+17%	<b>+41%</b>	<b>+18%</b>
Stockholm	5 278	1,8	+44%	<b>+50%</b>	<b>+22%</b>
Porto	5 403	1,3	-4%	<b>+0%</b>	<b>+0%</b>
Athens	18 584	3,7	+9%	<b>+24%</b>	<b>+0%</b>
Marseille	9 312	1,1	+19%	<b>+35%</b>	<b>+0%</b>
Newcastle	6 700	1,1	+12%	<b>+8%</b>	<b>+0%</b>

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# Urban form and diversity: Impact on transport (→ energy)

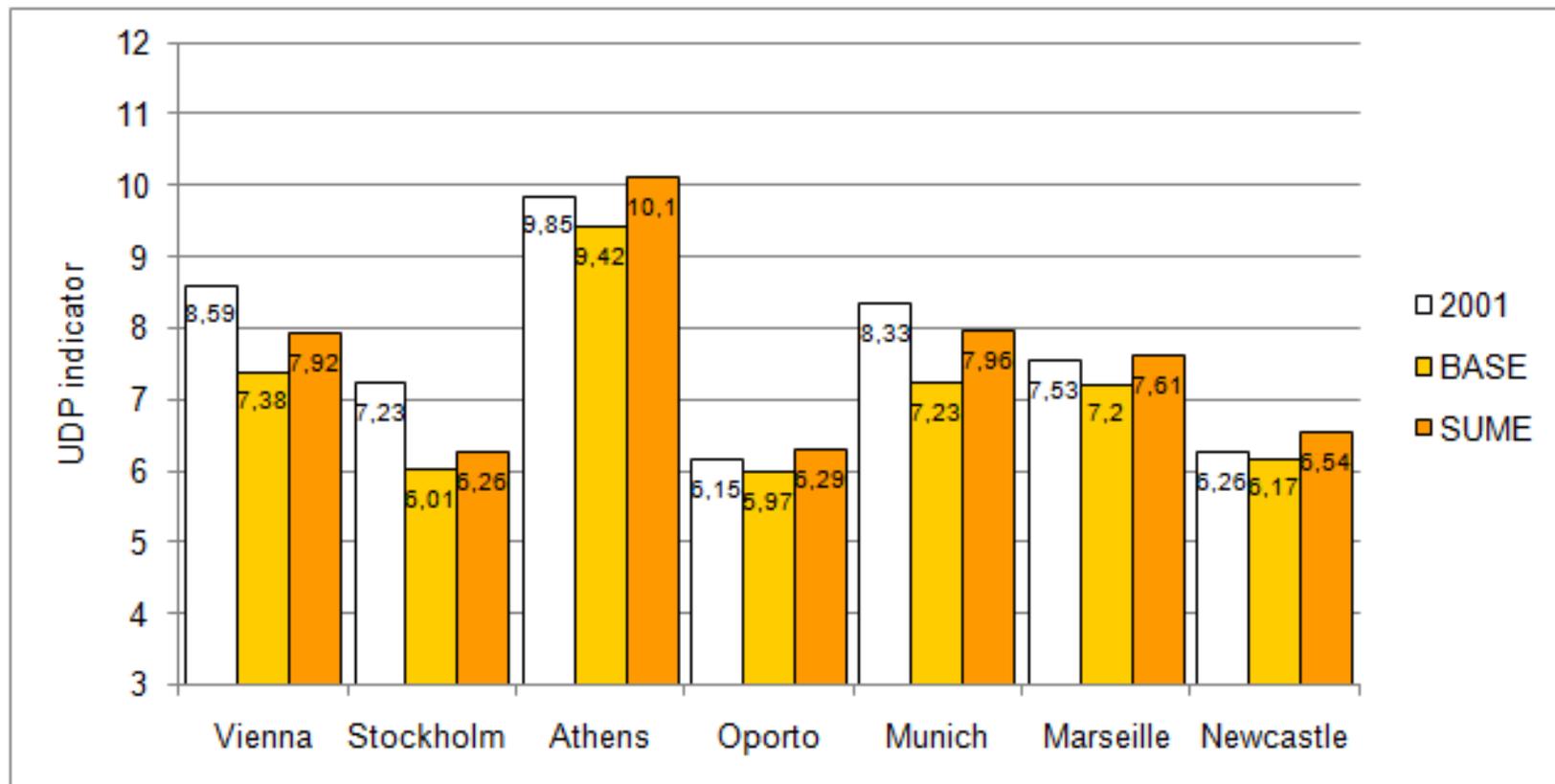
## The second challenge: Transport



- The share of car use for daily trips is influenced by the accessibility of good quality public transport
- Growing cities tend to expand spatially, they loose in compactness and access to public transport lines
- ▶ But: Urban spatial development scenarios show the trends, SUME scenarios show the potential to improve accessibility

## The potential to use public transportation, depending on spatial development 2000 - 2050: UDP indicator for BASE and SUME scenarios

UDP = Integrated public transport potential indicator: 12 = max., 3 = min.



# Urban development scenarios: Key findings and conclusions

## Spatial development – urban form

- BASE scenarios 2050 show urban spatial expansion faster than population dynamics, also in stagnant urban agglomerations
- Fast growing cities will show massive growth of their urban fabric, but they also have the greatest potential to focus the development
- Cities with low densities and high fragmentation need an approach with a high focus on public transport within city boundaries
- High density situations like in Athens raise the question for an alternative strategy: sustainability also needs open (green) space, and liveable densities
- The SUME-scenario development principles show large action space for cities over time, esp. in fast growing agglomerations (reducing land consumption)

## Urban diversity patterns – transport

- The BASE scenarios indicate a substantial decline of urban form factors contributing to a sustainable transport system (deteriorating access to public transport), although expansions of the public transport system are included
- A SUME development strategy, including densification and a focus on good access to high-level public transport, will be essential to maintain current levels of accessibility
- Especially in growing cities (with rising standards of floor space) it will be necessary to implement intensified SUME-strategies in order to maintain today's standards of accessibility

## Key-strategies for urban development

- Re-development of existing urbanized areas with excellent public transport is the key to reduce large-scale future expansion and energy consumption
- A new policy-set beyond green-field and brown-field development is needed:
  - **Attractiveness:** better green area and open space quality in inner-city neighborhoods
  - **Densification strategies** and mobilizing building land in areas with lower densities and good access to public transport
  - Building and energy-oriented **renovation and reconstruction strategies**
- Large scale development-projects can give an impulse to form new centers to improve the overall urban diversity pattern
- Major efforts in coupling of policies for transport infrastructure and spatially focused housing, residential and economic development is needed → links between sectoral policies and between municipalities in agglomerations

**Thank you.**

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