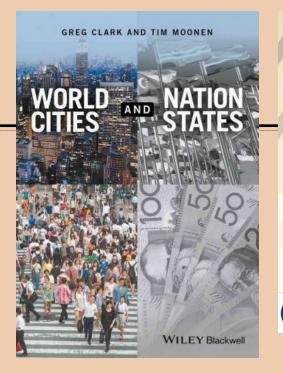
Mega Metropolitan Areas Planning for Growth, Managing for the Future

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Steering the Metropolis

Metropolitan Governance for Sustainable Urban Development





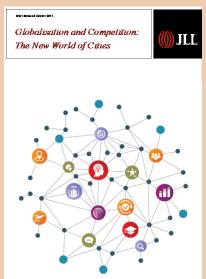


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Overview

The Metropolitan Century

How do Metropolitan Areas Make Progress?

What makes the difference?

The metropolitan century

Urbanisation to rise from 45% in 2000 to 85% in 2100

Cities remain the hubs of productivity, innovation, goods and services. Agglomeration set to continue despite technology disruptors.

135 biggest metropolitan areas = 37% of global GDP (Source: Brookings GMM 2015).

Usually the choice is not between growing or not growing but between managed or unmanaged growth.

Metropolitan planning is often trumped by:

- politics
- fiscal systems
- regulation
- transport investment

- land-use deals
- incentives
- the preferences of capital
- slow processes.

Metropolitan Areas provide:

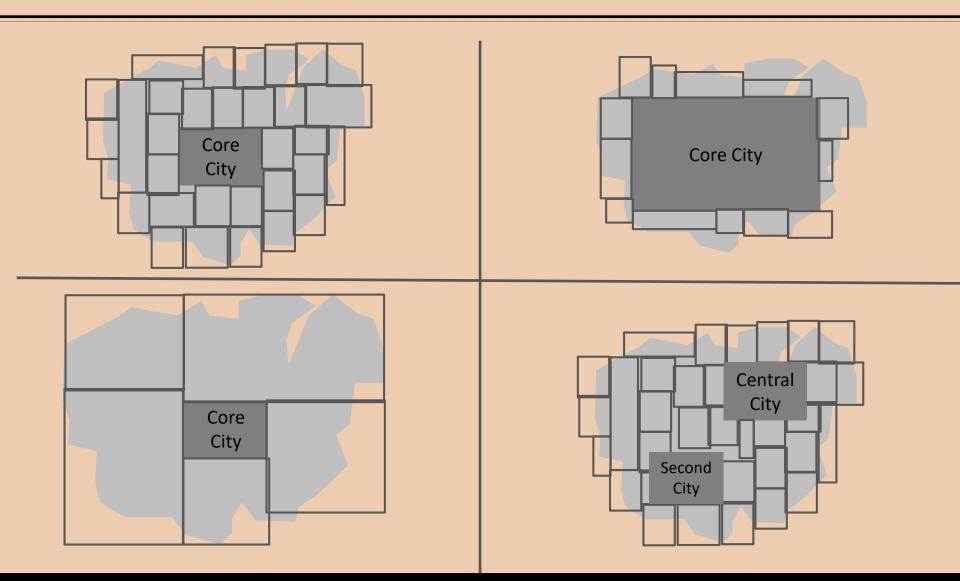


But only if they are organised. Growth management or growth mis-management.

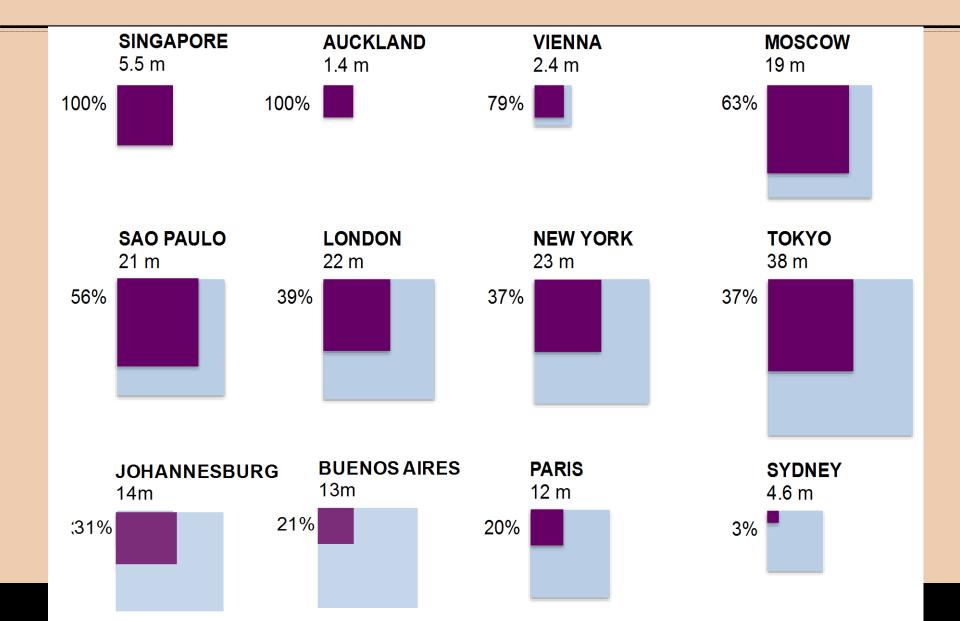
Most metropolitan areas:

- do NOT have the right boundaries.
- do NOT raise enough tax and lack access to capital
- do NOT control the main levers of development.
- do NOT have integrated land-use/transport planning
- do NOT have responsive higher tiers of government.
- do NOT have mandates to address long term issues.
- do NOT have non-cynical voters and media

Different types of metropolitan geography



Population of core cities vs metropolitan areas



Metropolis Off or On?



	Metropolis Off	Metropolis On
Co- ordination	Low co-ordination equilibrium. Many voices for the region. Weak vertical relationships.	High co-ordination equilibrium. One voice for the region. Strong vertical relationships.
Integration	Sectoral policies lead. Systems ownership is fragmented. No joined-up approach to resilience.	Integrated solutions. Enables the pooling of resources. Manage wider risks and vulnerabilities.
Cohesion	High socioeconomic and racial disparities and segregation. Perverse incentives have greater impact.	Potential to equalise disparities and reduce poverty. Correlation with faster per capita income growth.
Land and development patterns	Growth management decisions are highly politicised. Price and supply of housing is a barrier against co-operation. Land assets are under-utilised.	Lower levels of sprawl. Higher public transport satisfaction. Higher population density and lower levels of air pollution.
Project pace and scale	Active planning is internally difficult and sporadic. Delays to key transport upgrades.	Proactive approach towards development agenda. Ability to assemble large infrastructure projects.
Financial relationships	Unequal tax base. Low value capture. 'Free rider' governments. More costs for specialised staff and facilities.	Cost sharing, and sometimes cost- saving. High value capture. Capacity to negotiate for financial devolution.

What do the global indices tell us?

The 100 largest metropolitan areas' relative position across 200+ global indices, 2012-2017

		Score
Rank	City	(1=max)
1	London	0.90
2	New York City	0.85
3	Paris	0.84
4	Singapore	0.84
5	Tokyo	0.82
10	Seoul	0.76
28	Buenos Aires	0.59
44	Cape Town	0.48
57	Jakarta	0.43
65	Izmir	0.40
68	Ho Chi Minh City	0.39
76	Colombo	0.34
77	Cairo	0.33
93	Karachi	0.18
97	Dhaka	0.15
98	Kinshasa	0.14
100	Baghdad	0.03

Rank since 2015	Rank pre- 2015	Change in rank
1	1	-
2=	2	-
2=	4	+2
4	3	-1
5	6	+1
8	15	+7
30	31	+1
44	51	+7
59	50	-9
49	79	+30
58	75	+17
67	85	+18
77	71	-6
96	88	-8
95	95	-
98	97	-1
100	100	-

Source: The Business of Cities (2017) – ELO Algorithm

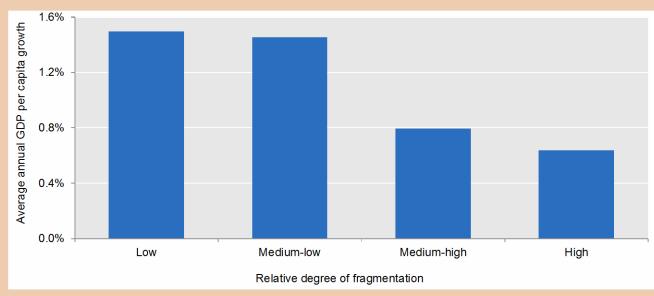
Opportunity costs of ignoring metropolitan dynamics

Organise the metropolitan space or suffer from:

- lack of scale and critical mass needed to succeed
- co-ordination and capacity problems
- internal competition and waste
- incoherent messages
- missed opportunities

Figure 2.7. Less fragmented metropolitan areas have experienced higher growth

Annual average GDP per capita growth, 2000-10



Source: Ahrend, R. and A.C. Lembcke (2015b), "Economic and demographic trends in cities", OECD

How do the big metropolitan areas make progress?



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Examples: New York Region

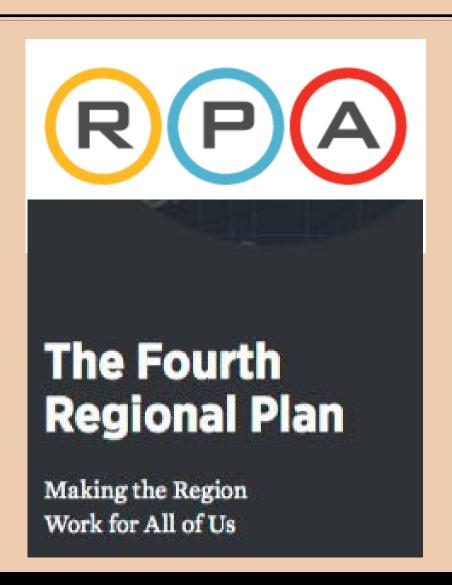
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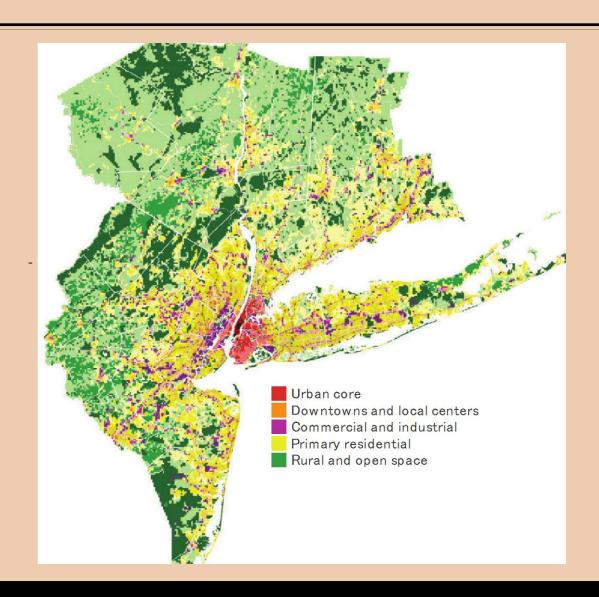
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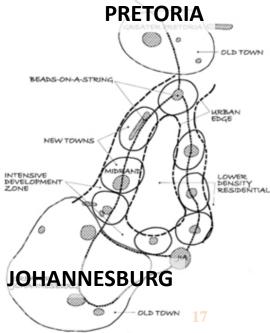
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Greater London

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Public transport share of trips up from 30% to 46% since 1993

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Crossrail (and Crossrail 2?)



Future fare revenue

Central Government grant

Developer contributions (eg Heathrow, Canary Wharf)

Greater Sydney

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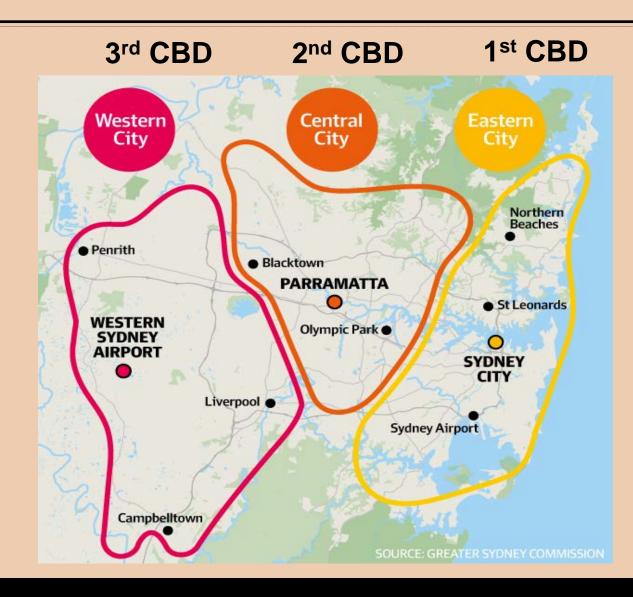
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New Territories



9 New Towns

- Achieved critical mass (>250,000)
- Avoided becoming 'dead-ends'
- Prevent enclaves of social segregation
- Full audits on other potential enablers/asset
- Build a strong regional framework and story

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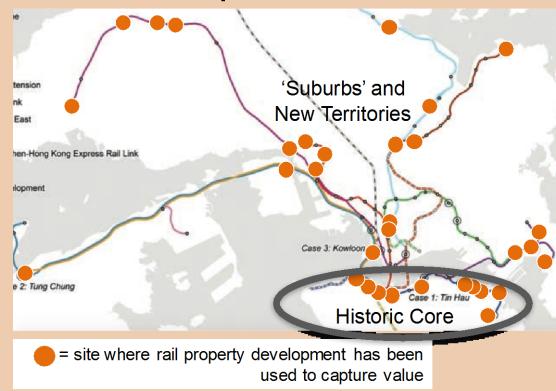
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Value capture around MTR stations



Development right Co-development ("before-rail" market price)

Hong Kong SAR,
China, government Corporation

Development ("after-rail" market price)

Developers

"Profit sharing"

- Profits in agreed proportions
- Assets in-kind
- Up-front payments

Examples: Tokyo

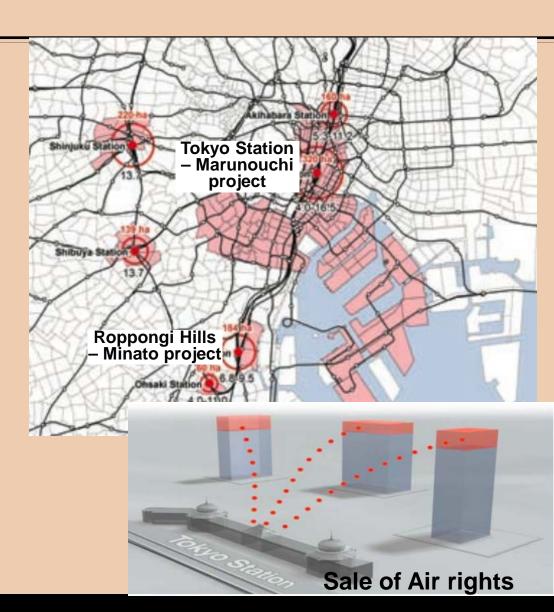
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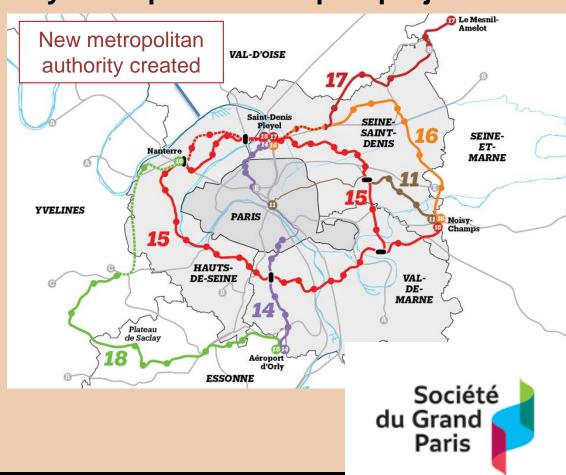
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New 'Grand Paris' Metropole made real by metropolitan transport project



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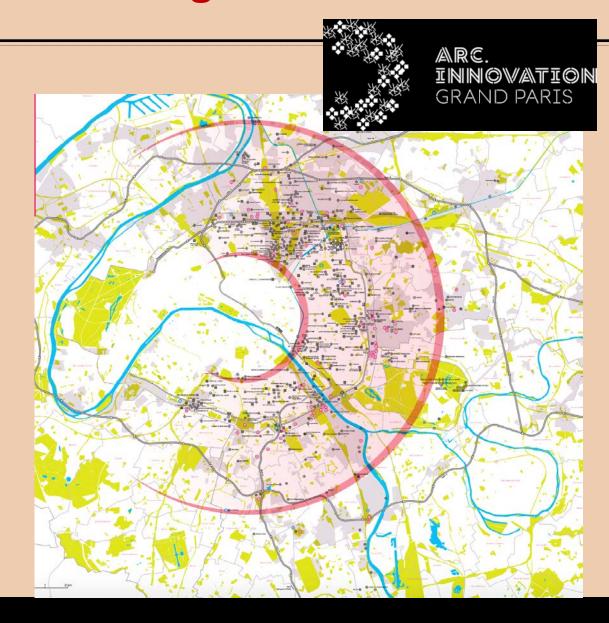
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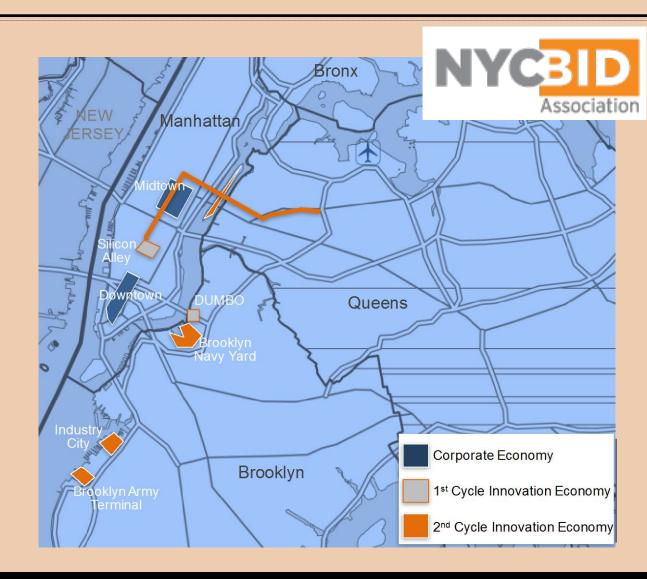
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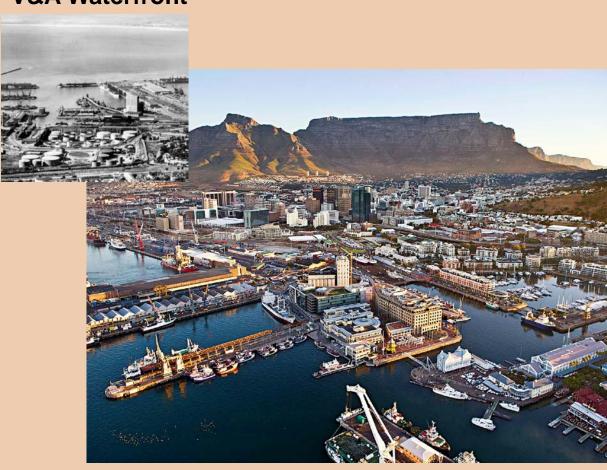
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Gov as main investor, private sector operates

Sao Paulo metropolitan area

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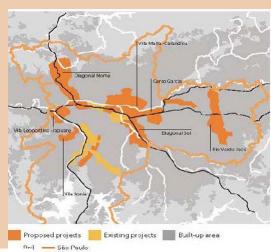
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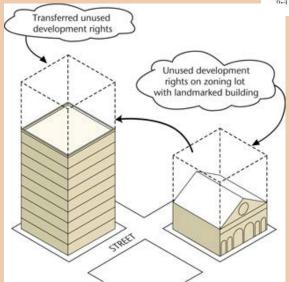
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Types of financing instruments used in metropolitan areas

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	National transfers and public institutional investment	Paris, Grand Paris Express, Arc of Innovation
	Own source revenues	New York City, Sao Paulo, Madrid
	Sale of air rights	Hong Kong MRT, Sao Paulo CEPAC
	Business rates, betterment levies	London Crossrail, Grand Paris Express
	Re-zoning for density in return for Fund contributions	New York East Midtown, Barcelona 22@
S	Tax Increment Financing	London Northern Line Extension, Atlanta Station
	Tax exempt zones in return for tax equivalency payments	New York Hudson Yards
	Business Improvement Districts	London, Hong Kong, New York, Singapore
	'City Deal' packages with national government	Sydney, Manchester, Lyon

Barcelona Metropolitan Area

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Combined leadership of

- City of Barcelona
- Chamber of Commerce
- development agencies
- business leadership bodies
- civic groups
- metropolitan municipalities

Bogota Capital Region

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Building public-private collaboration around

Vision for 2038

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Mobility and public transport

Job creation

Public safety

The 4 dimensions of relationship between the big metropolitan areas and national government

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Mega metropolitan area contribution to the national economy

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The 4 dimensions of relationship between the big metropolitan areas and national government

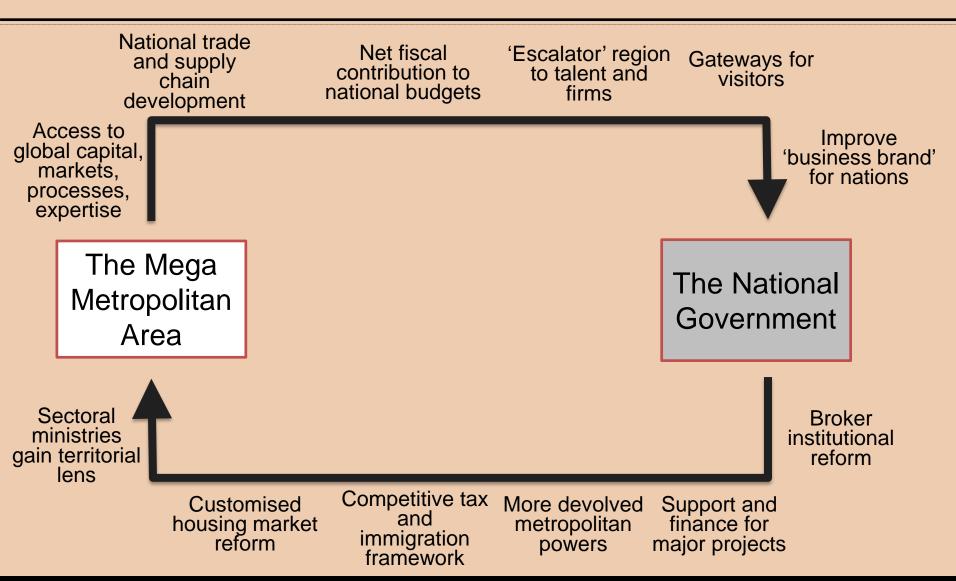
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The basis of reciprocity between mega metropolitan areas and their national governments



An equation for success

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So in summary...

1. Get the equation right



- 2. Inspired leadership to recruit higher tiers of Gov, promote change.
- 3. Identify and optimise the catalysts and reforms.