

# Demographics

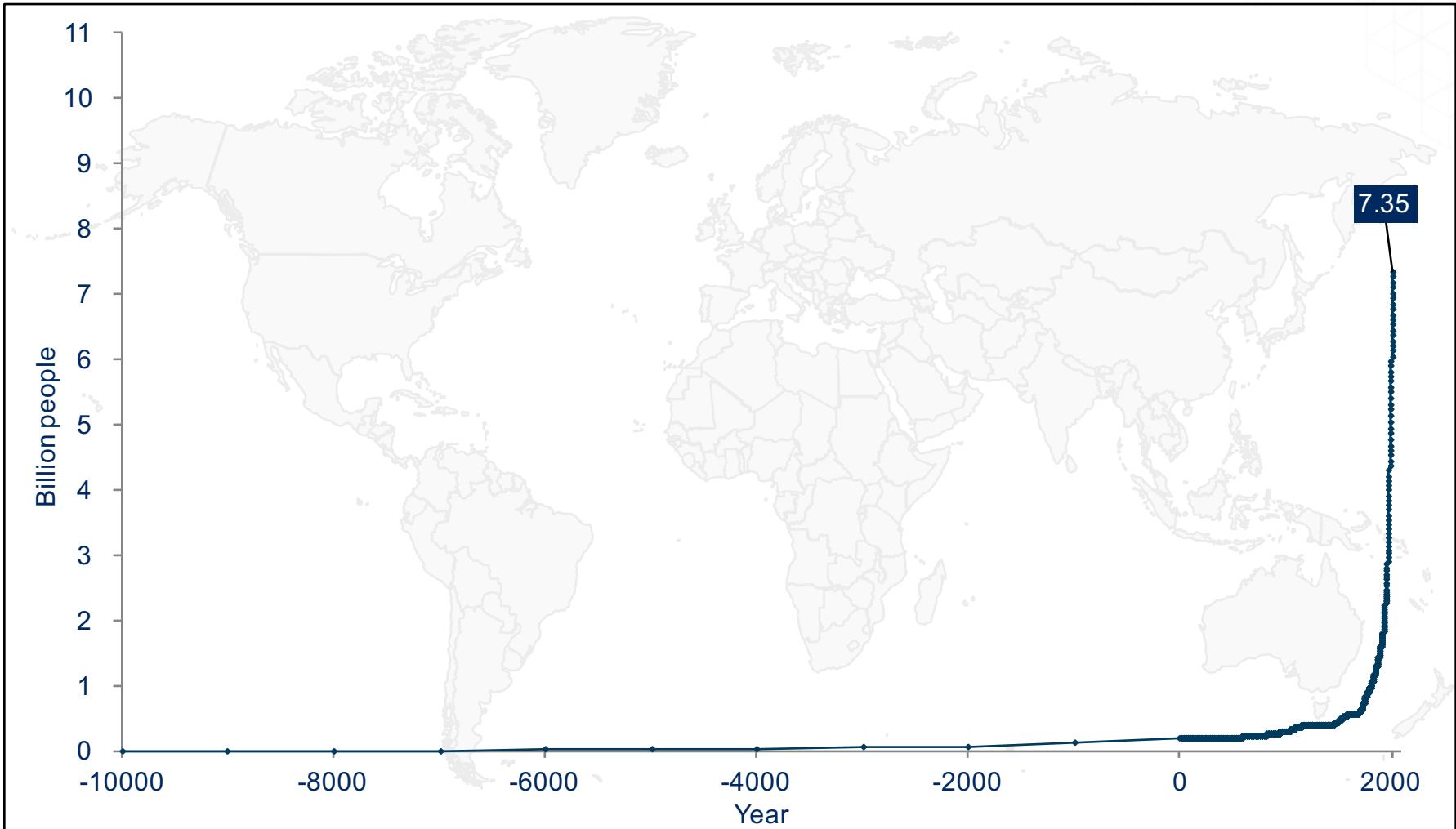


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# Visual 41: The human enterprise has gone rogue

Total human population size, -10,000 till now

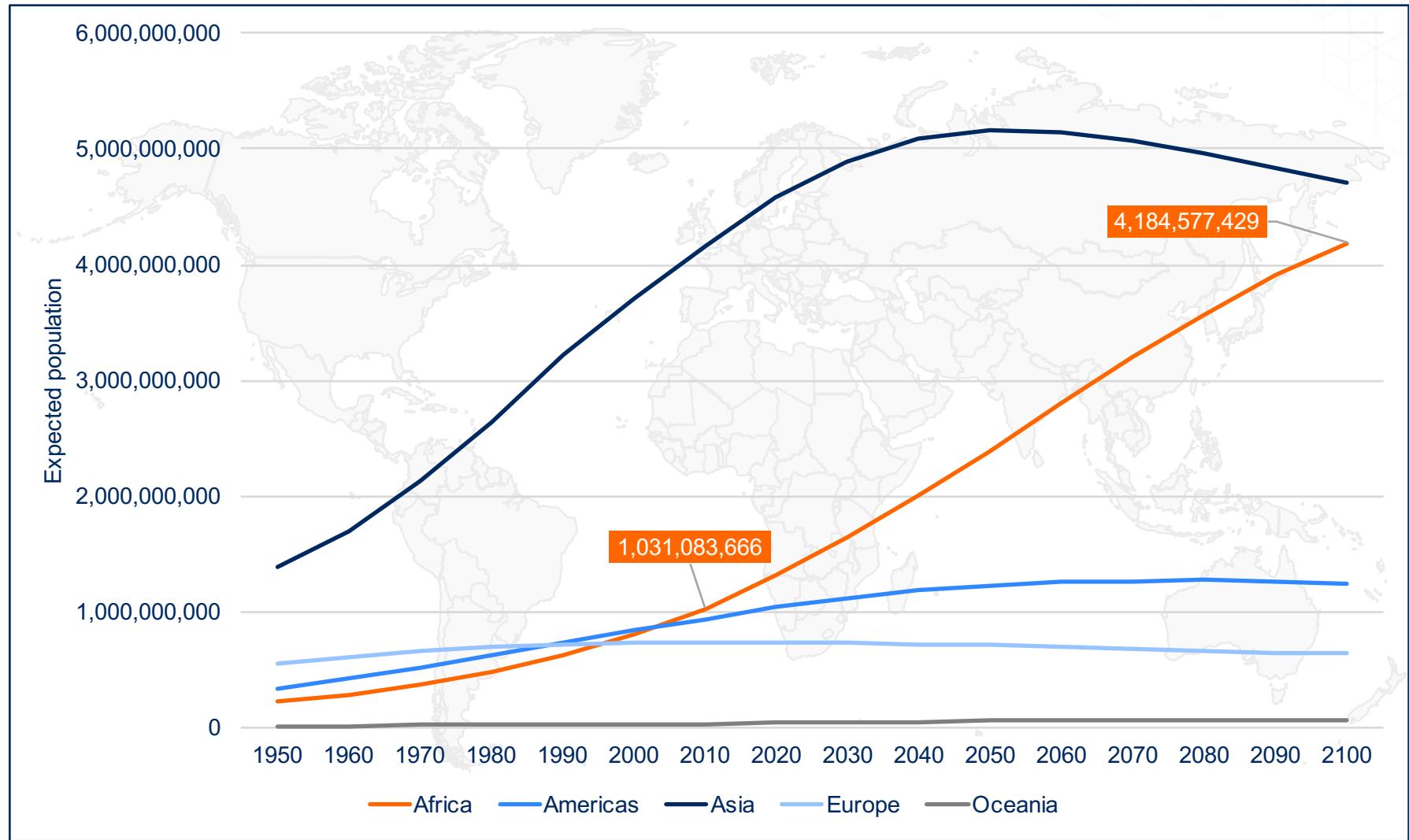


Source: World population over 12000 years (various sources), Medium projection – UN population division (2015 revision). Dataset from [www.populationdata.net](http://www.populationdata.net)

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## Visual 42: Africa is set to quadruple its population

Expected population growth per continent

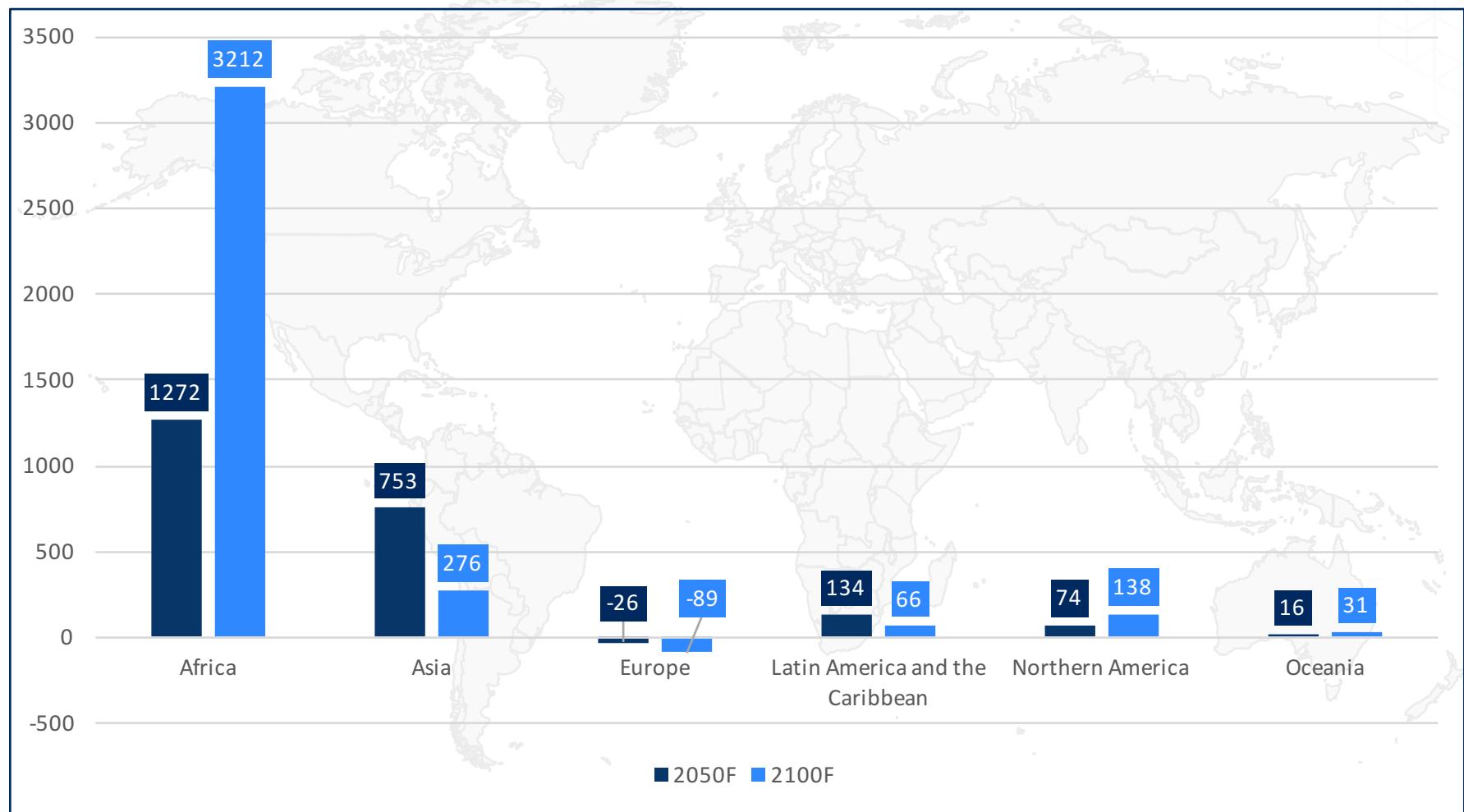


Source: UN MDG report 2015; World Bank dataset; UNHCR

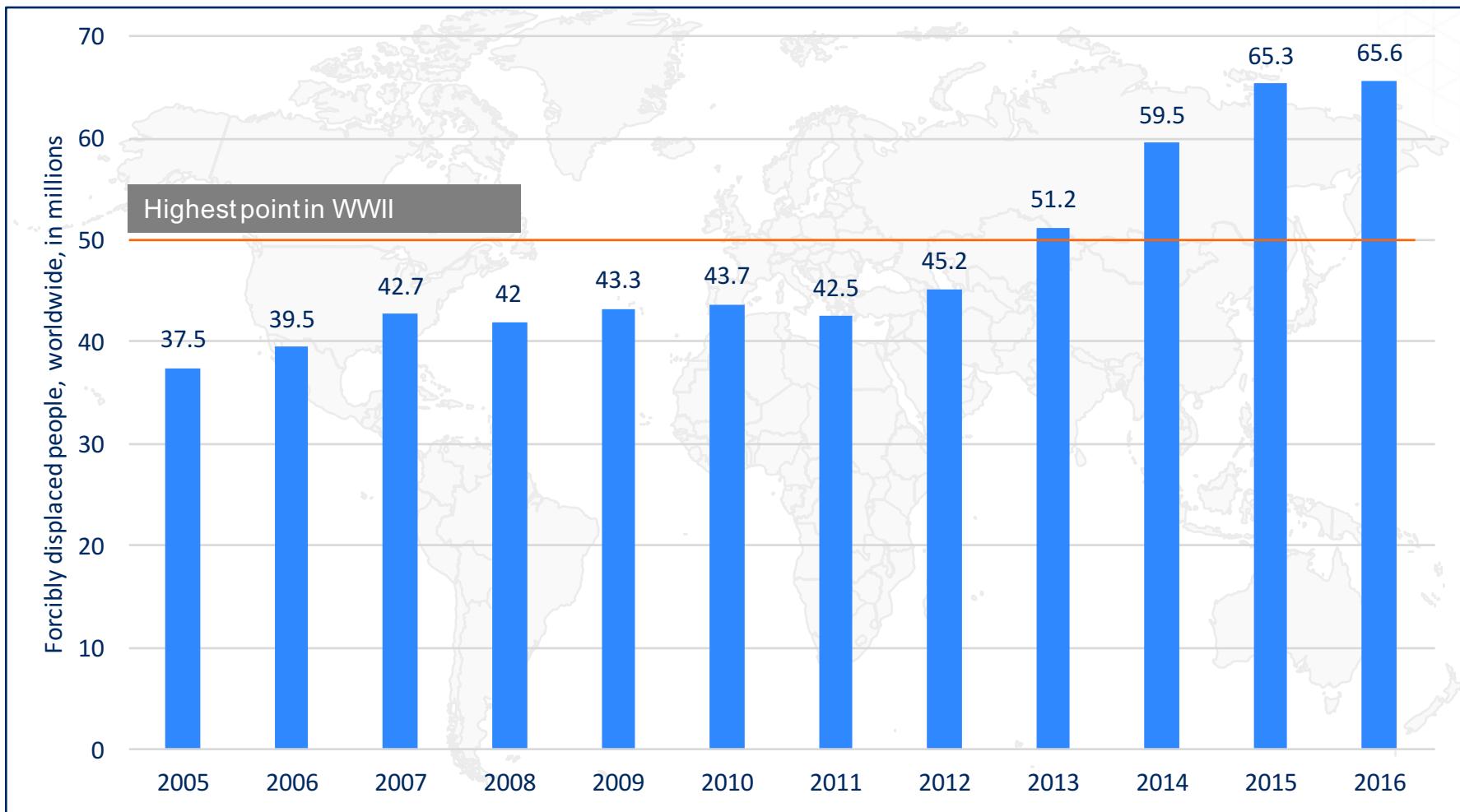
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# Visual 43: African population growth will trump all other growth

People that each continent will add, 2050 and 2100



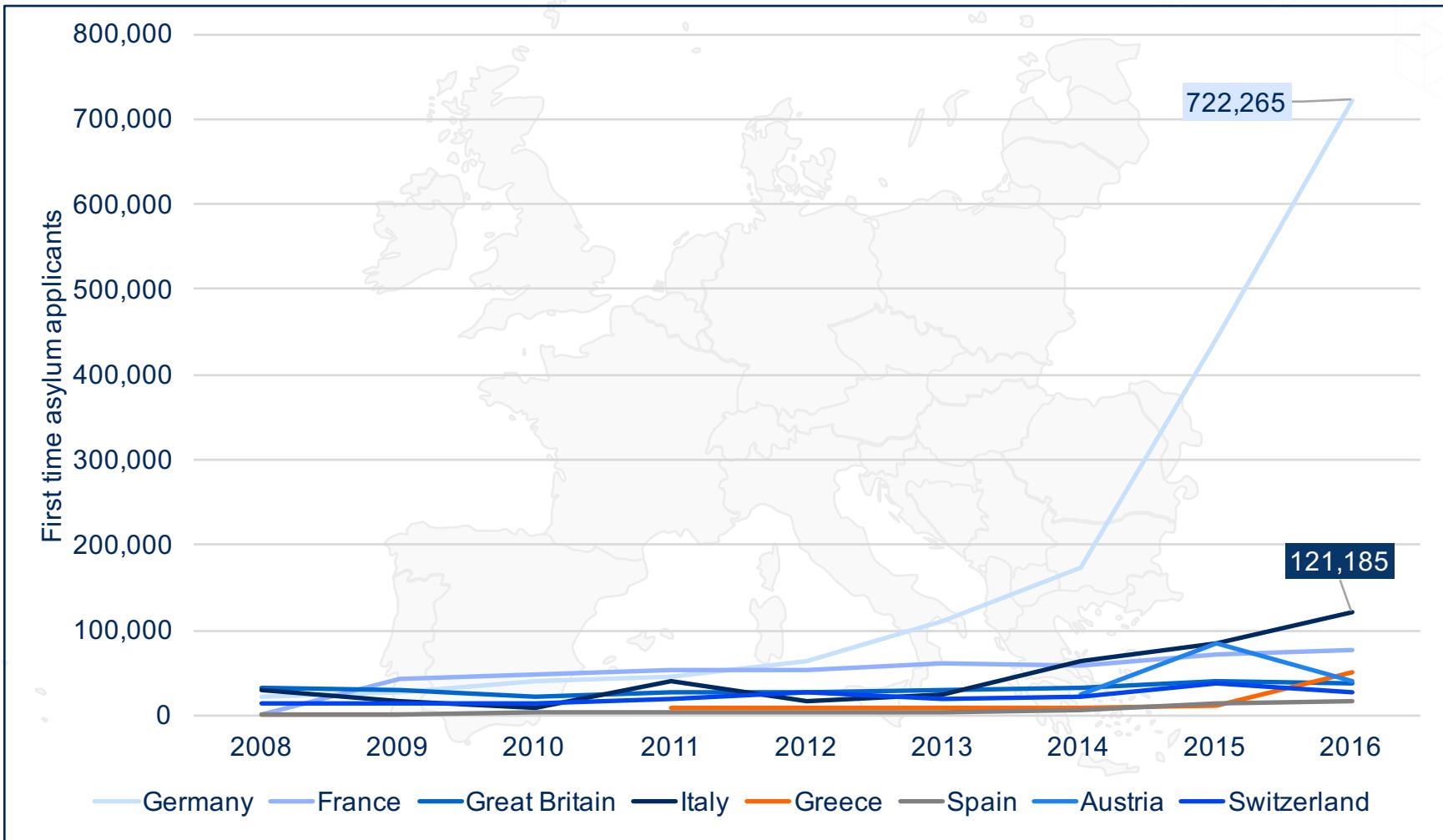
## Visual 44: The level of displaced people today is the highest ever



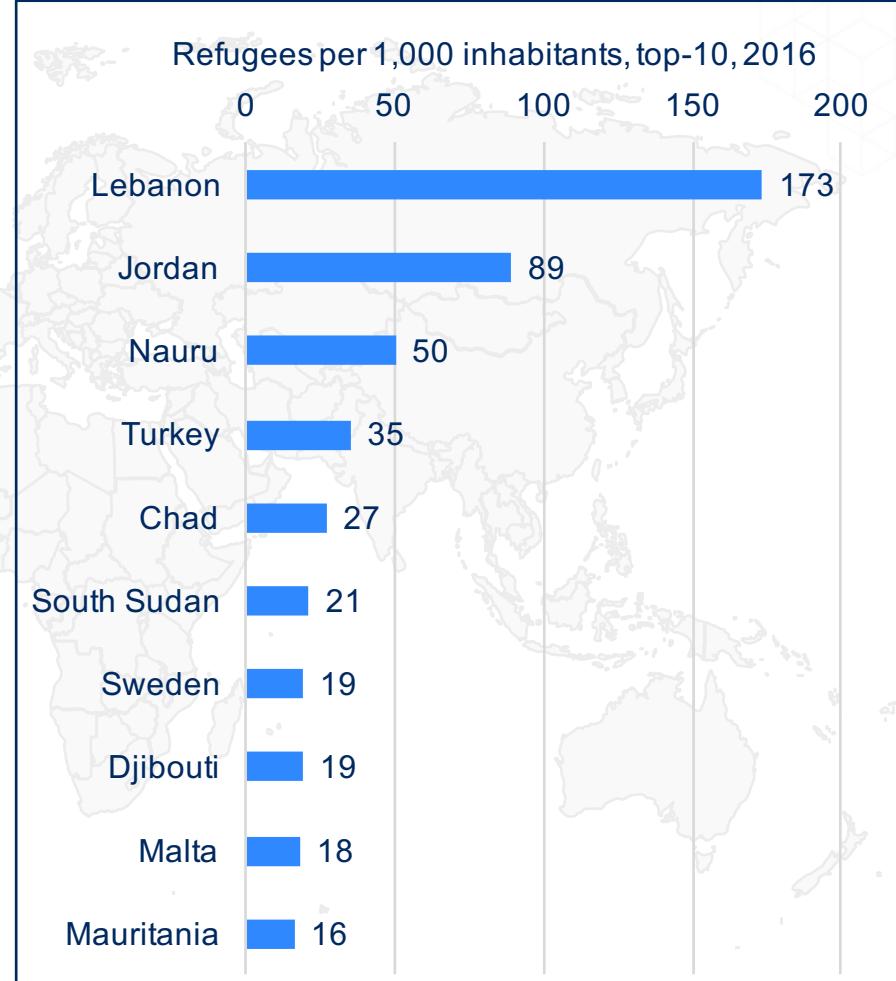
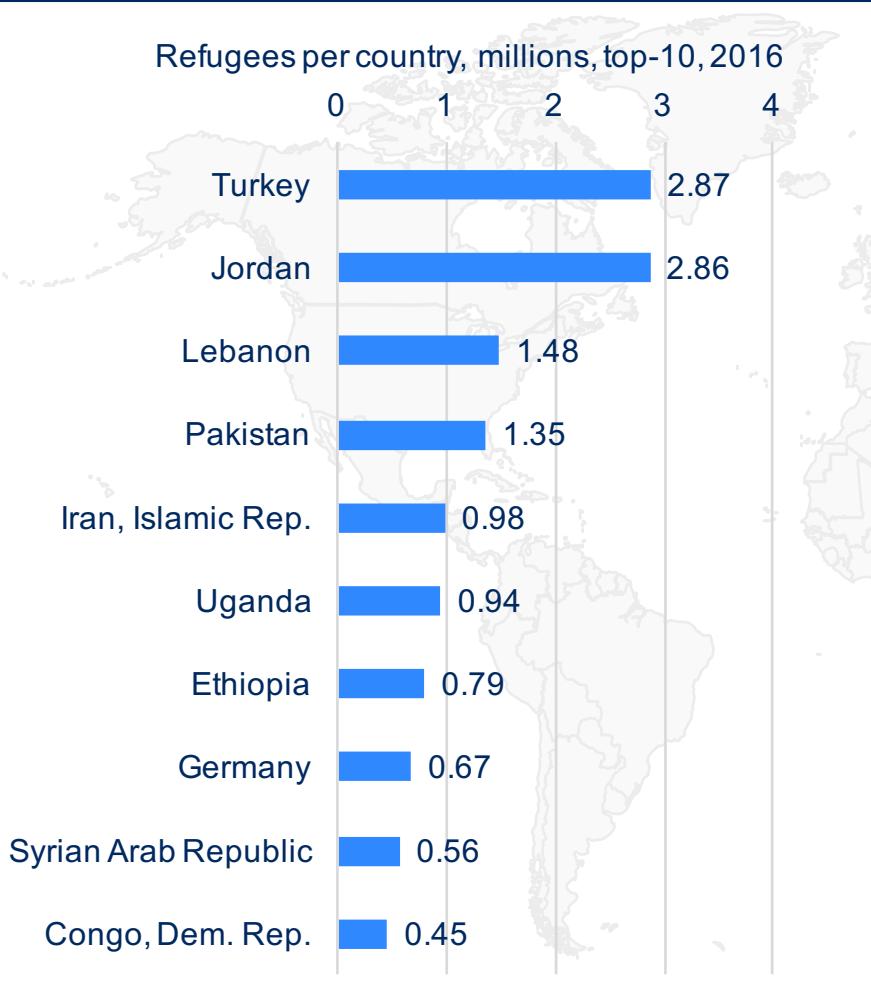
Note: the number of international 'refugees' is ~21.3mln, rest are internally displaced people still living in their home countries

Source: World Bank dataset; UNHCR; CNN; NPR

## Visual 45: The German attempt at moral leadership led to isolation

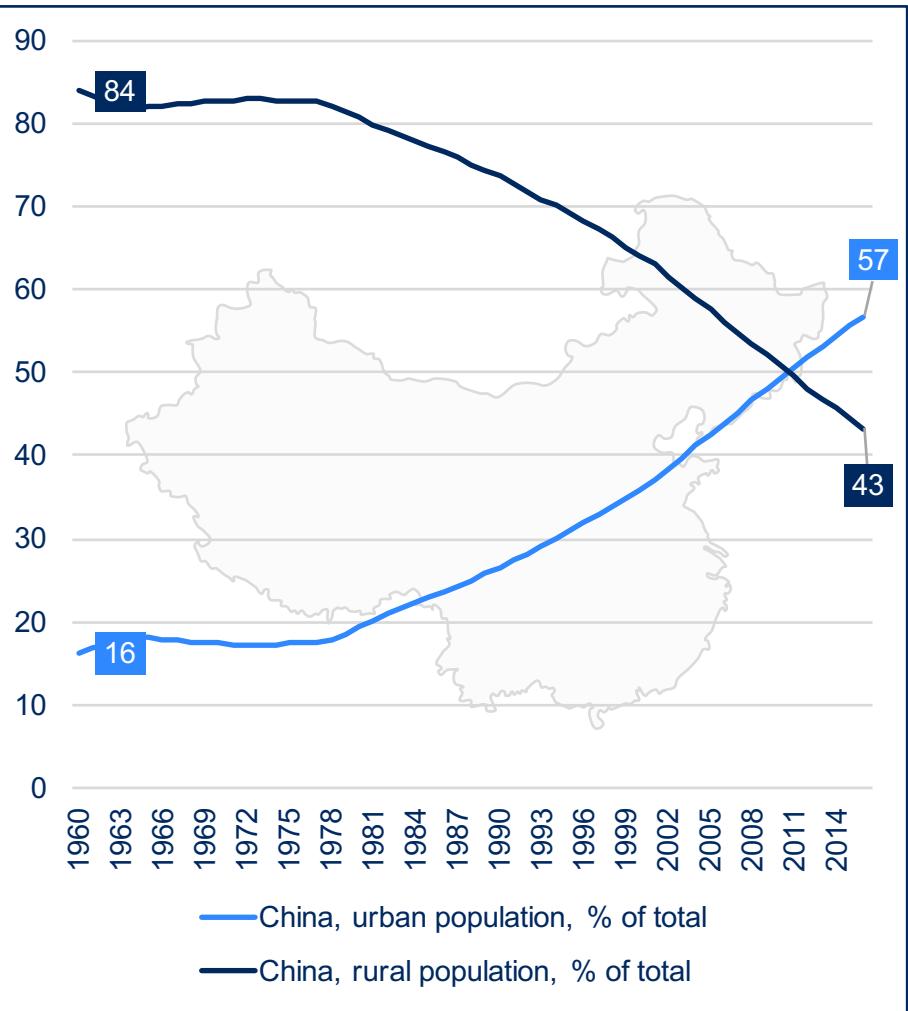


## Visual 46: The refugee crisis is mostly solved locally

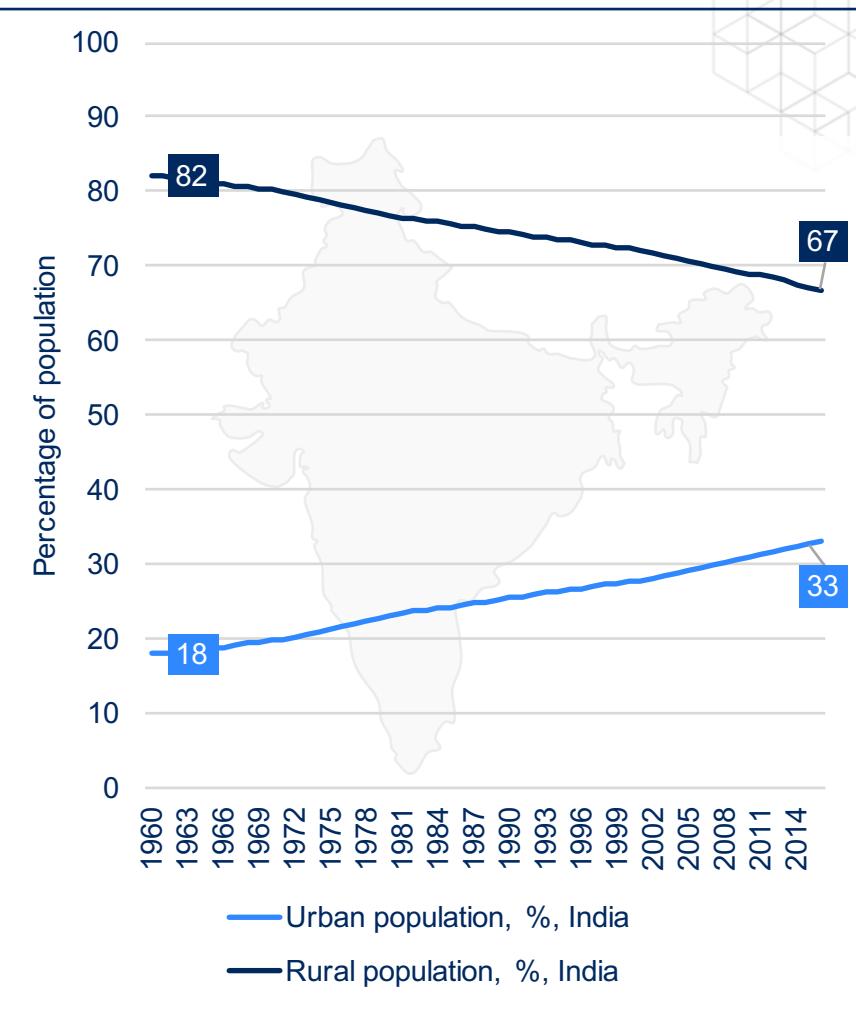


## Visual 47: Urbanisation at different speeds

China...

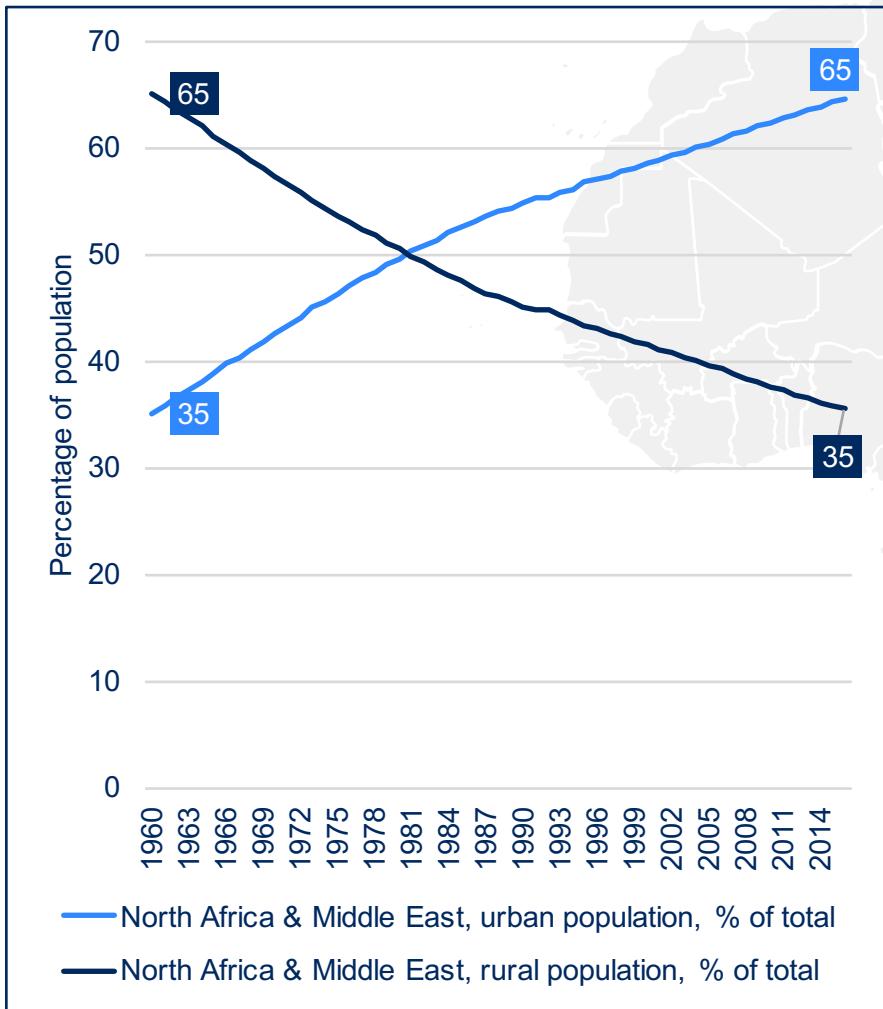


...and India

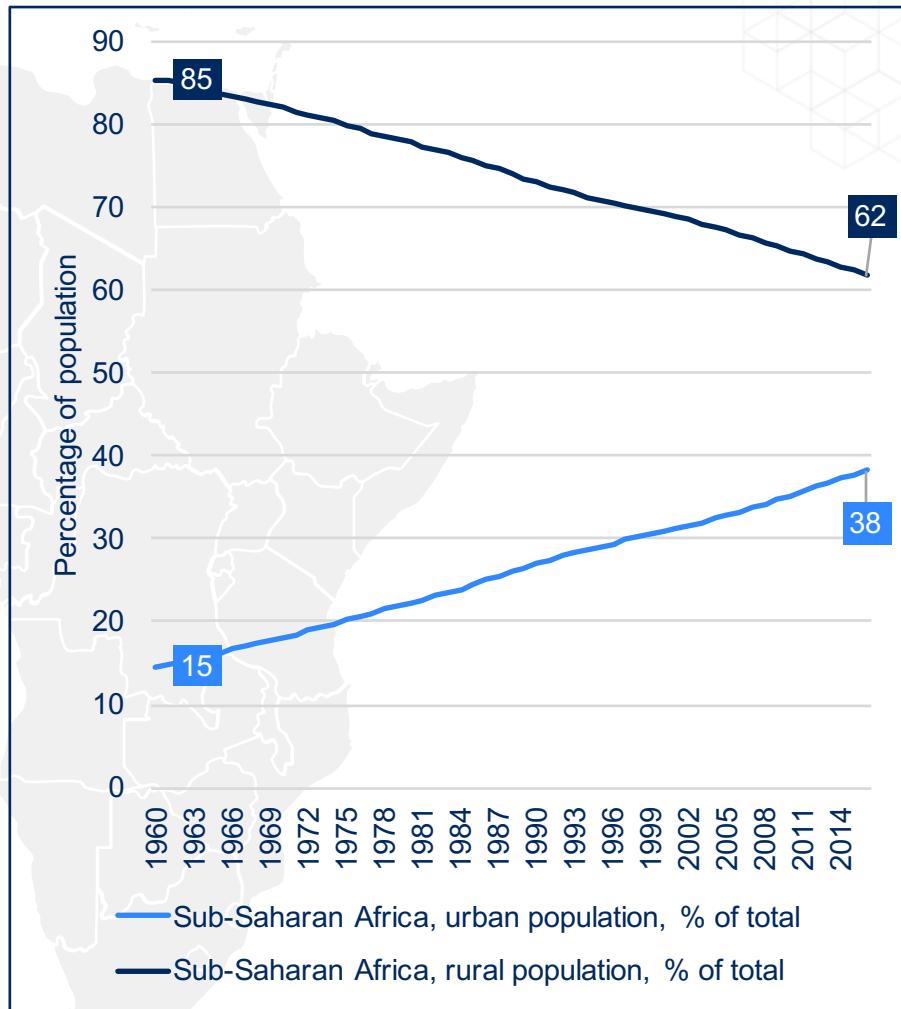


## Visual 48: The two faces of African urbanisation

Northern Africa...



...and Sub-Saharan Africa



Source: World Bank

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# Visual 49: Urbanisation leads to dramatically different environments

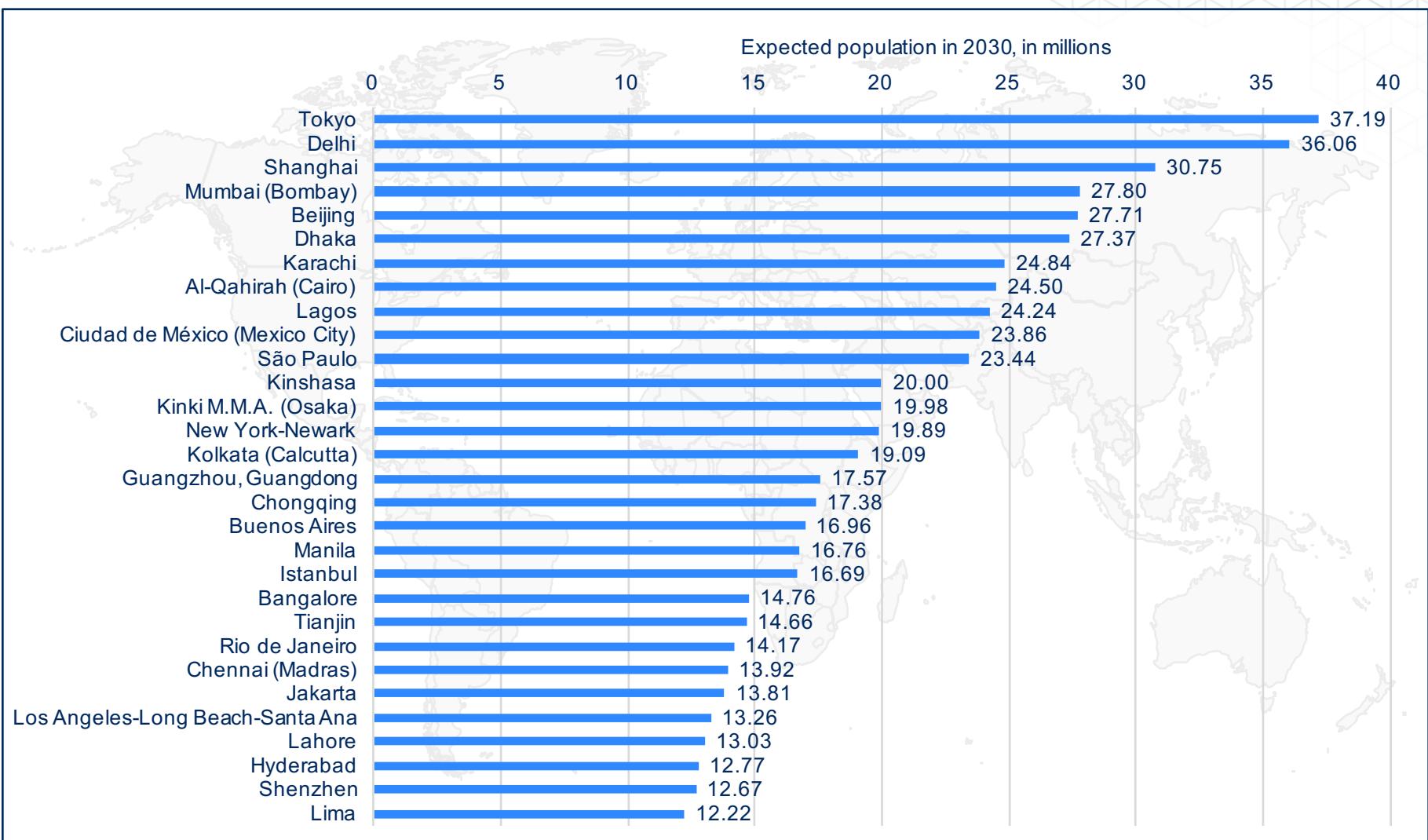


Shenzhen in 1970  
~30,000 people

>300x

Shenzhen in 2017  
~10 million people

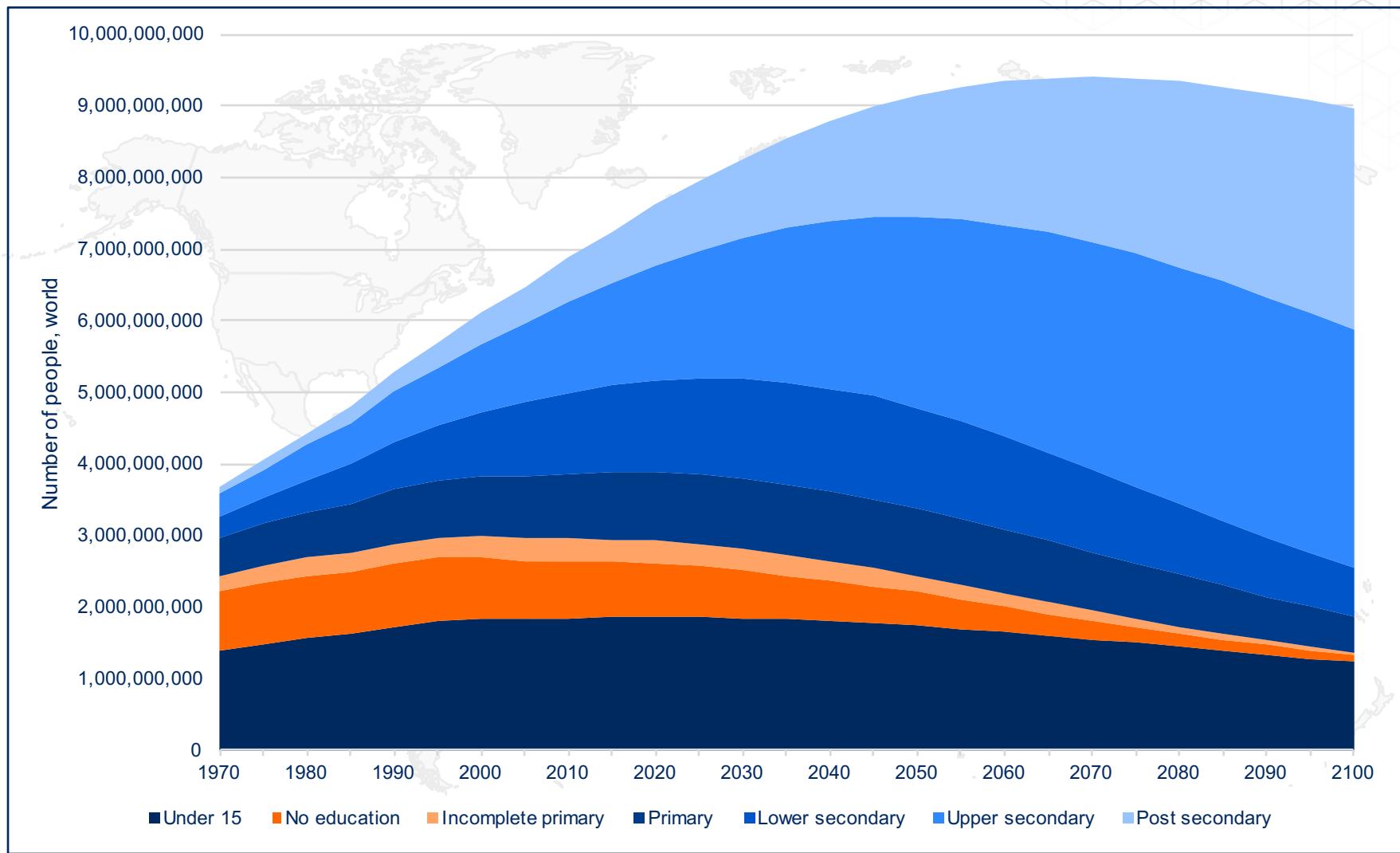
# Visual 50: Mega-cities are becoming normal



Source: UN population division

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# Visual 51: Being educated is the new normal

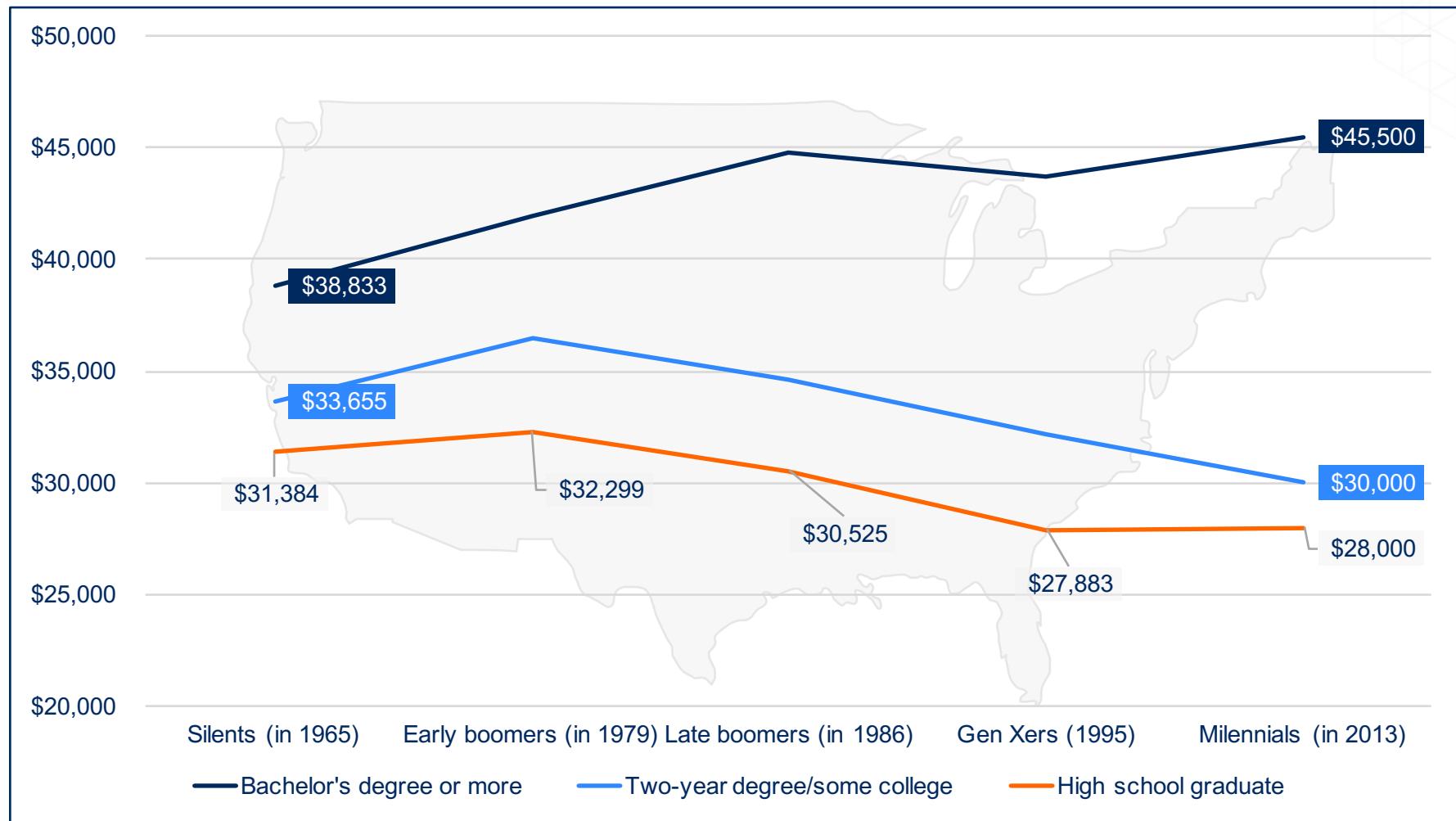


Source: [www.ourworldindata.org](http://www.ourworldindata.org), data source: International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)

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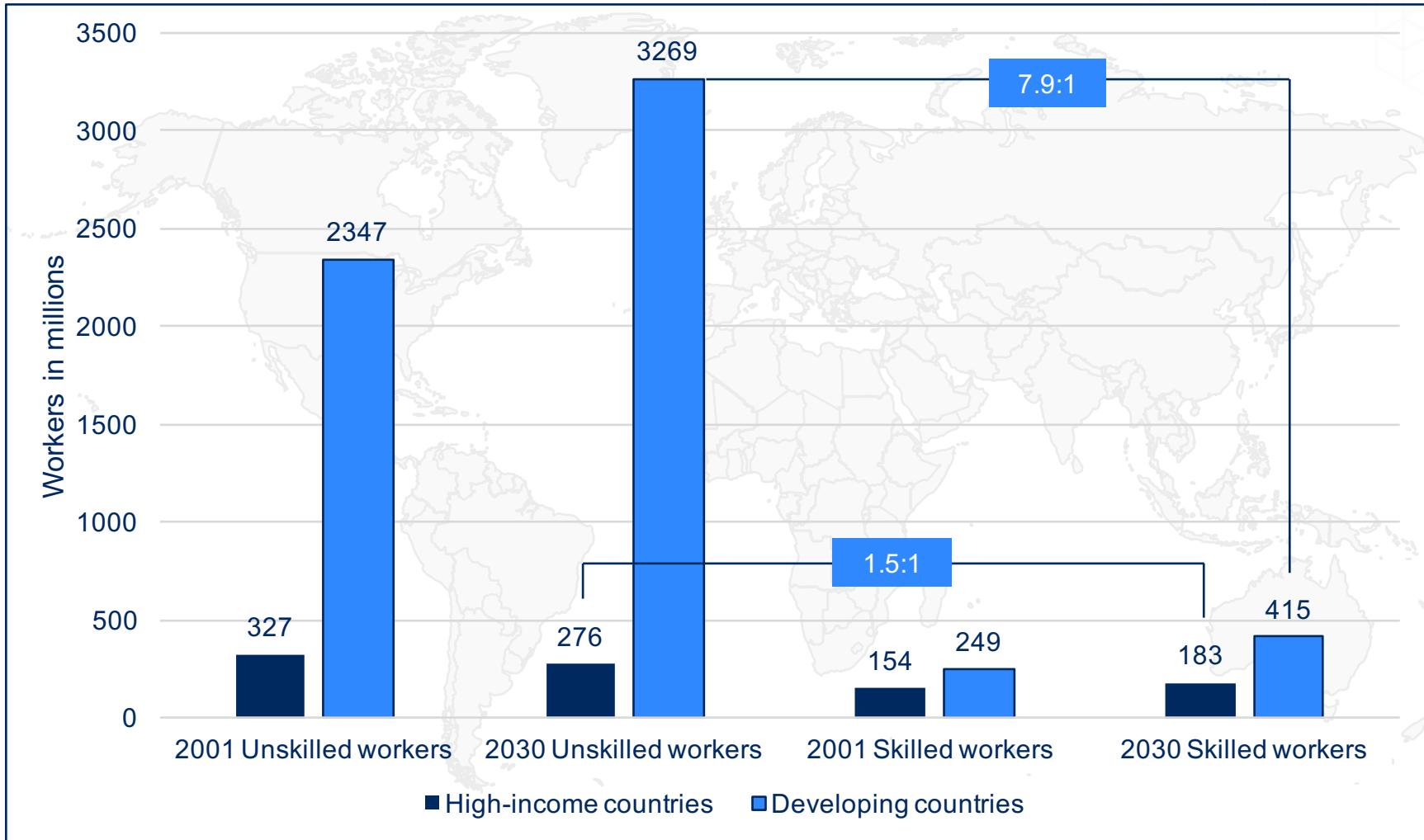
## Visual 52: The ‘best’ will benefit more than the ‘rest’

Median annual earnings among full-time workers, aged 25-32, in 2012 dollars



## Visual 53: Unskilled workers will pool together in developing countries

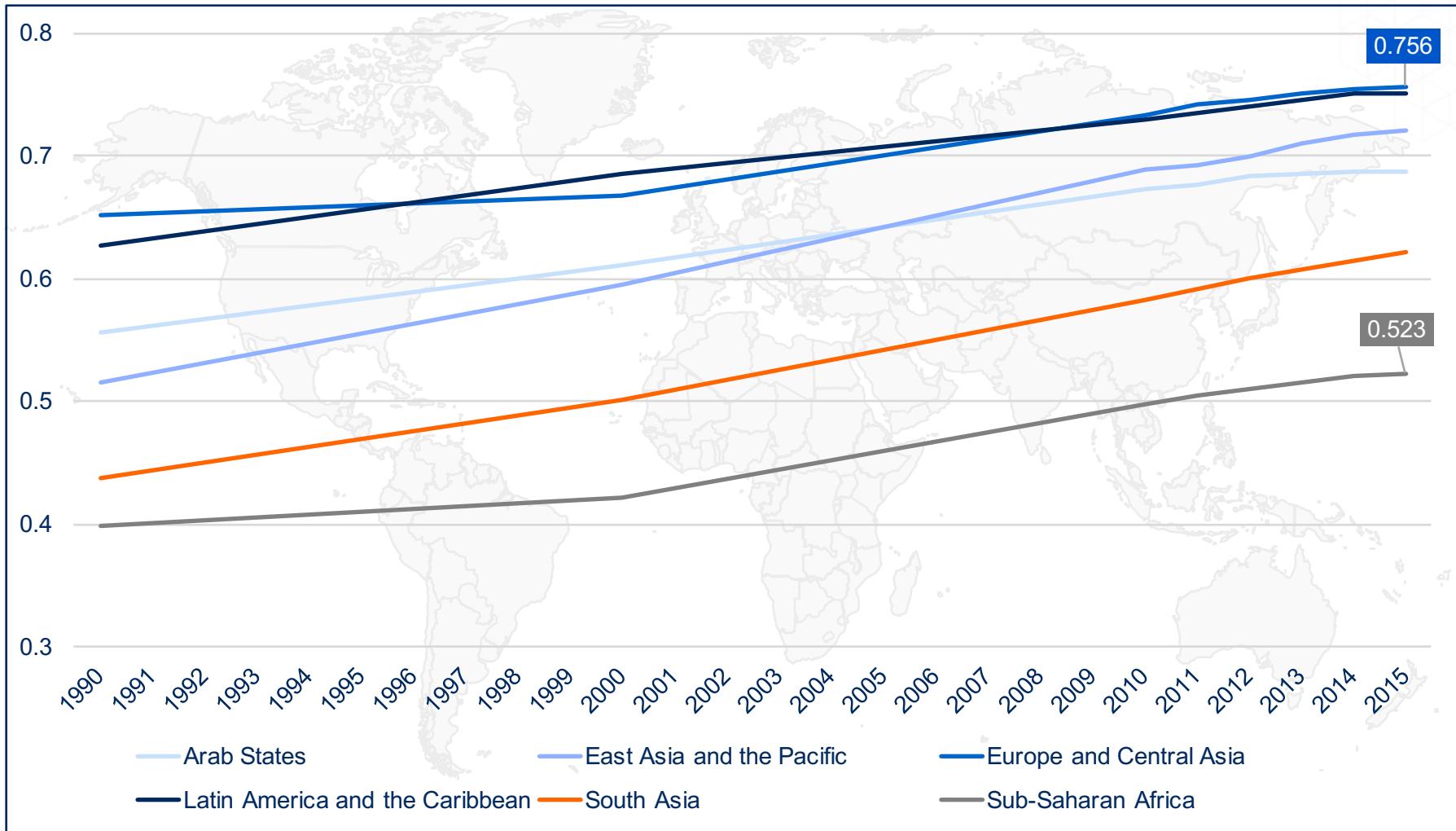
Pooling of skilled vs unskilled workers, 2001 and 2030



Source: World Bank forecast, Global Economic Prospects 2007: Managing the Next Wave of Globalization (2007)

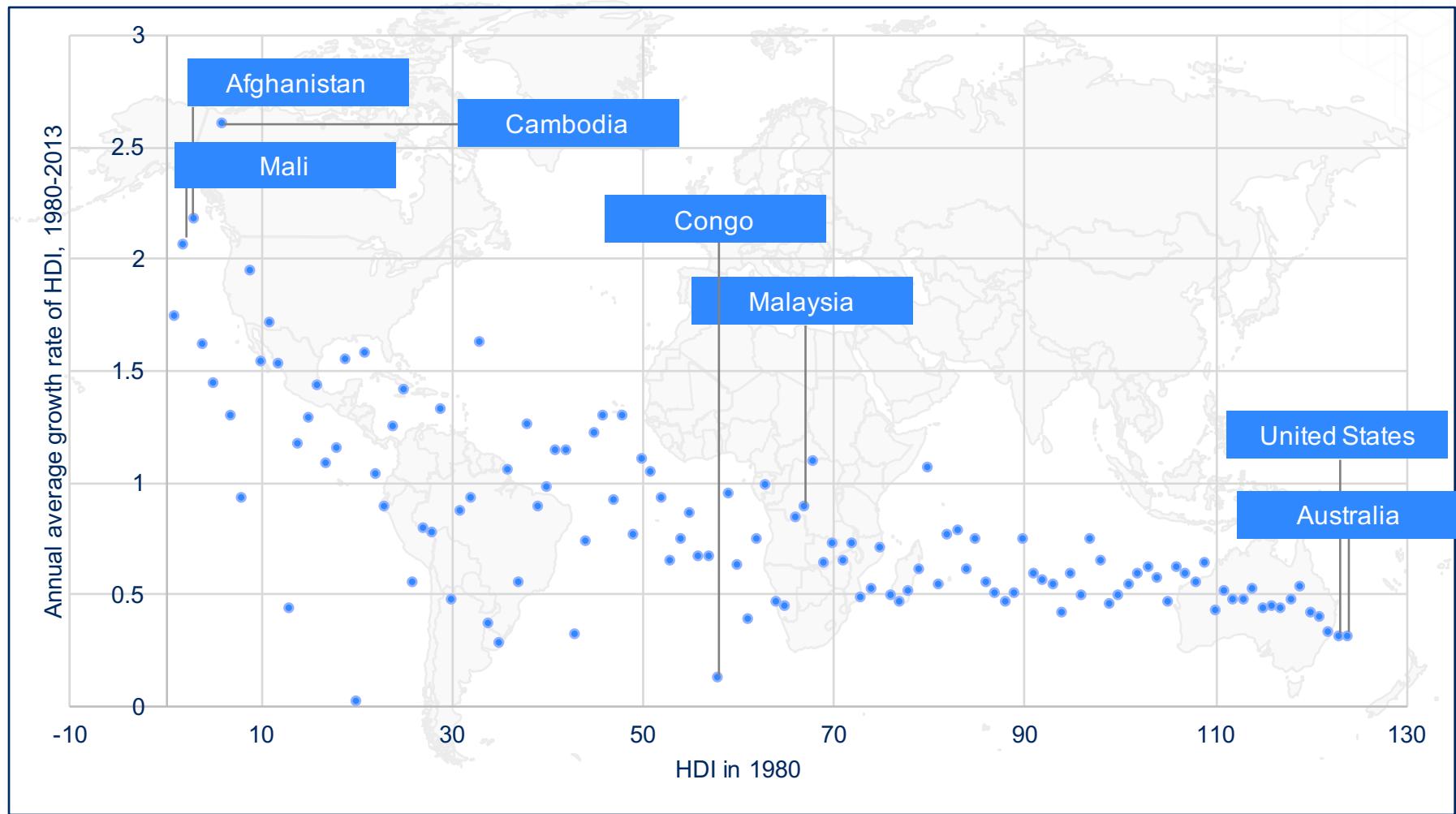
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## Visual 54: Human development sees stark difference worldwide

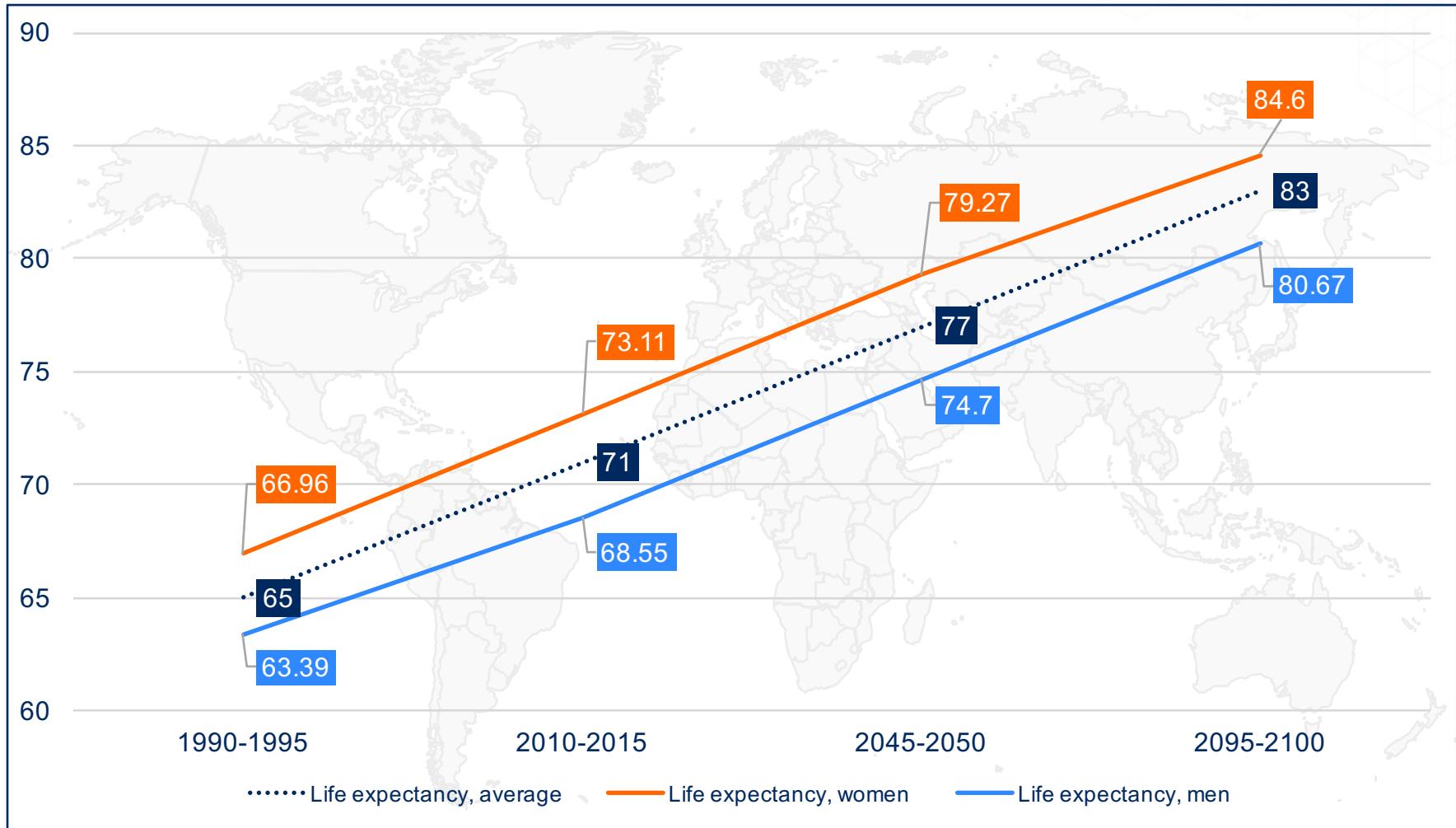


Source: UNDP, Human Development Reports. Trends in the Human Development Index, 1990-2015 (website).

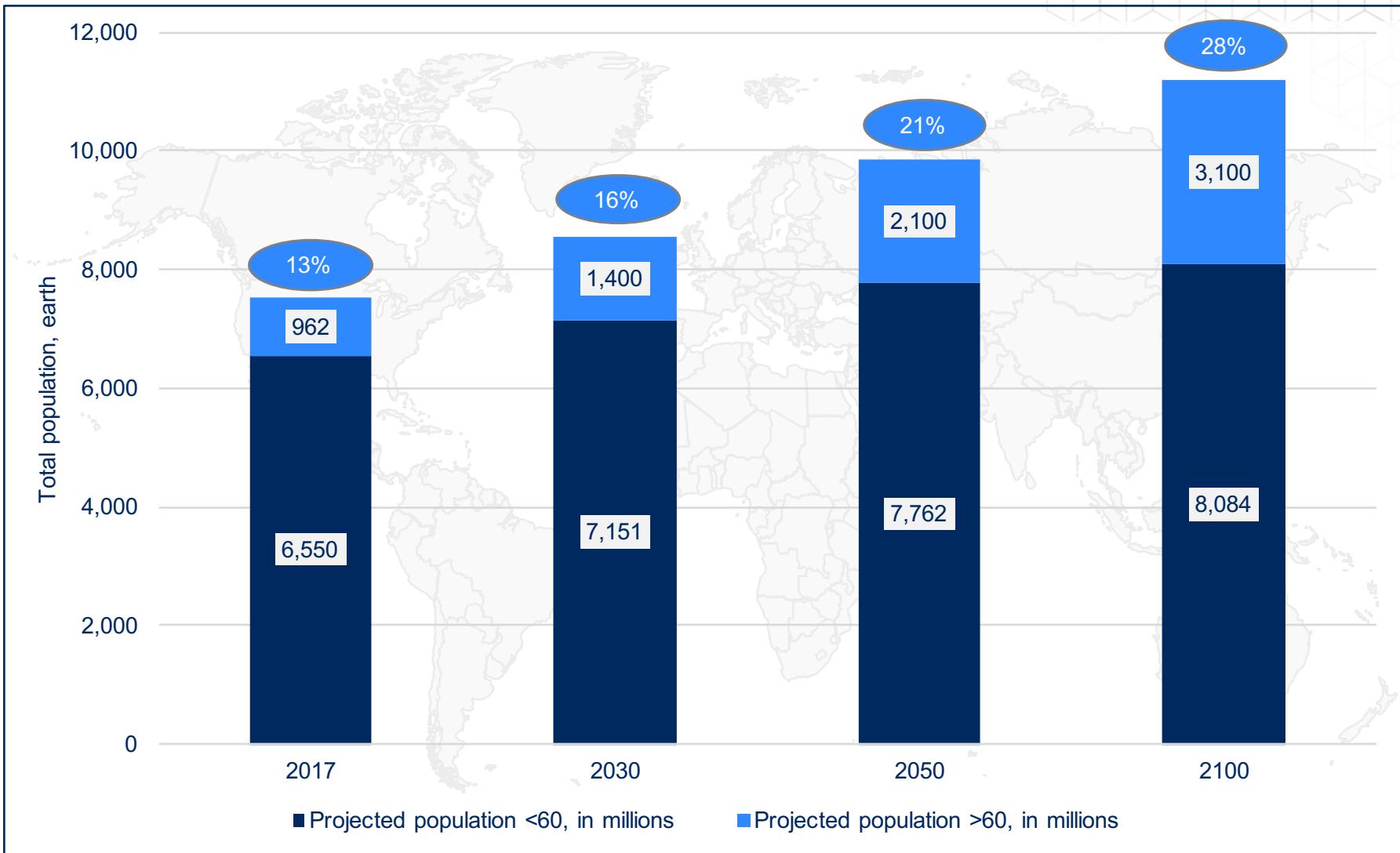
## Visual 55: HDI is converging over time



## Visual 56: Life expectancy will go up with another ~12 years



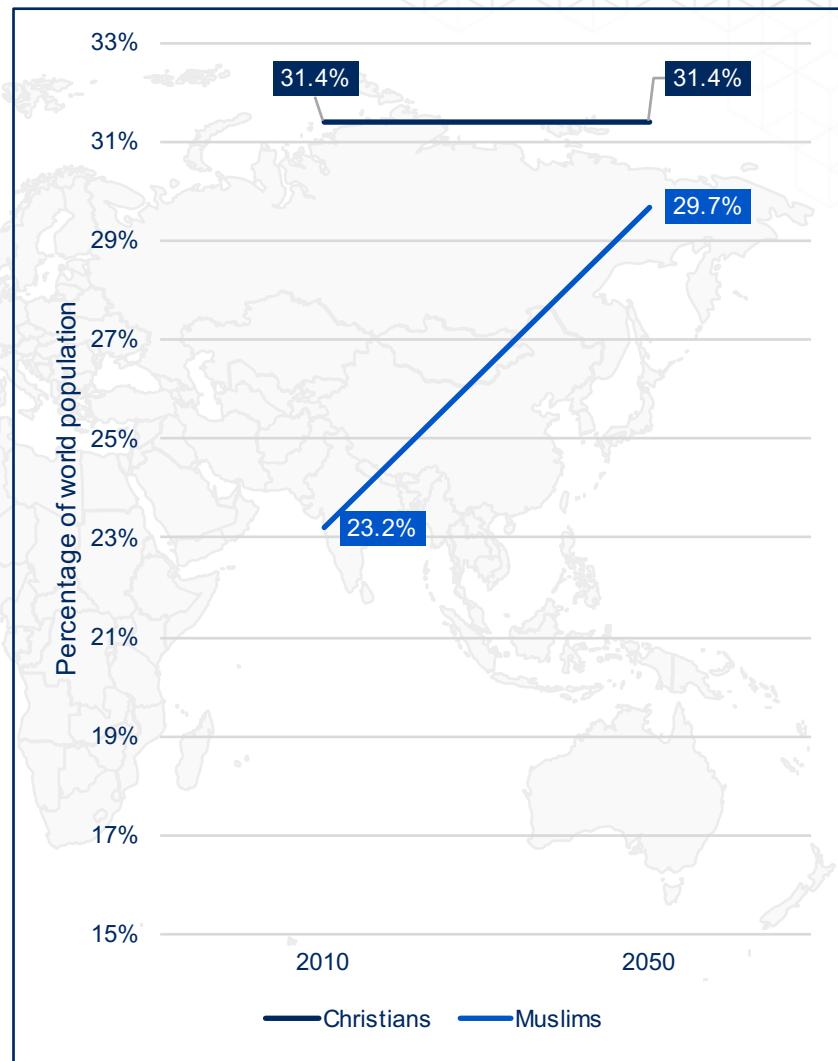
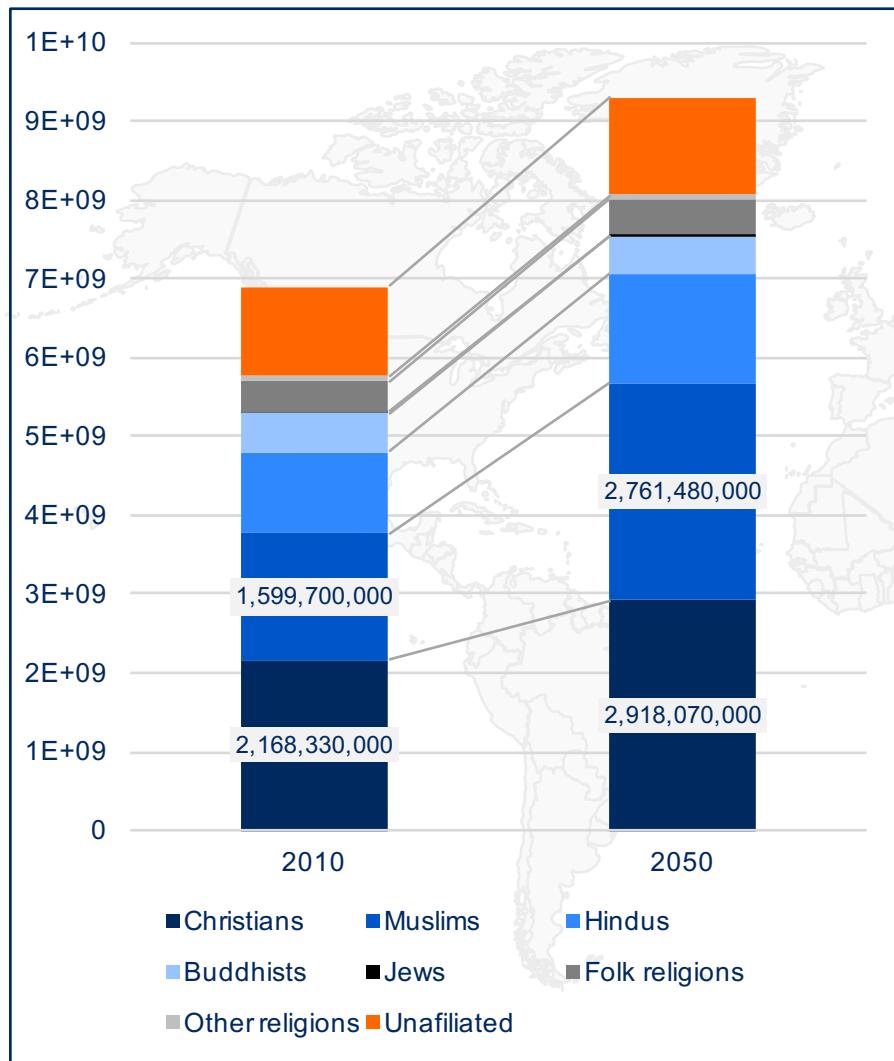
## Visual 57: Elderly people will be growing part of our societies



Source: UN Population Prospect: The 2017 Revision (medium-variant projection in dataset)

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## Visual 58: Islam is set to overtake Christianity as the largest faith



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