

→ Chapter 5.3.2. Urban complexes

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→ Introduction

- observed and potential future climate change impacts on urban complexes

Urban complexes:

- human dominated settlements
- higher population density in comparison to rural settlements
- non-climatic drivers not considered



Chapter structure

5.3.2.1 Introduction / Background

5.3.2.2. Past, current and future impacts of climate change on urban complexes

(5.3.2.2.1. Natural resources and ecosystem services)

5.3.2.2.2. Urban services and technical infrastructure

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5.3.2.2.4.1. Impacts of climate change on different sectors of the urban economy

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5.3.2.3. Synthesis/Conclusion: Impacts of climate change on urban complexes

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5.3.2.2.2. Urban services and technical infrastructure

- Wastewater management
- Drinking water supply systems
- Transport

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5.3.2.2.3. Buildings, housing, settlement structure

- Sea level rise
- Extreme events
- Precipitation

- Benefits: less heating



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5.3.2.2.4.1. Impacts of climate change on different sectors of the urban economy

- Primary sector
- Secondary sector
 - Industrial sector
 - Energy sector
- Tertiary sector
 - Tourism
 - Transport
 - Insurance sector (financial sector)
 - Retail and commercial services



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5.3.2.2.4.2. Social impacts of climate change on urban population

- Thermal stress
- Changes in air quality
- Storms
- Floods
- Food supply



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5.3.2.2.4.3. Adaptation to climate change in the urban context

- Adaptation policy
- Adaptive capacity
- Examples of city level strategies

→ Summary/general findings

- Difficult to generalize findings on urban complexes
- Overweight of some cities understudy (esp. Coastal cities)
- Dominating impacts in literature:
 - Sea level rise
 - Extreme events
 - Combinations of impacts

→ Problems/further issues

- 5.3.2.2.1. Natural resources and ecosystem services?
- Chapter urban climate?
- 5.3.2.2.4. Socioeconomic structure?

Impacts of climate change on different sectors of the urban economy

Social impacts of climate change on urban population

Adaptation to climate change in the urban context

→ 3 sub-chapters?

- Cross-items?