

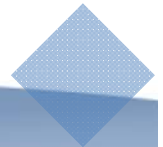
Roundtable of City Networks: Program

Room 411, Pacifico Yokohama Hotel
Yokohama, Japan
10 September 2009



Program (9:30 to 1:00)

- Opening remarks *by CAI-Asia Center, CDIA and ADB*
- Presentation of Survey Results and Possible ways of working together *by CAI-Asia Center*
- Break Out Groups Discussion
- Coffee Break
- Presentation of Groups at Plenary
- Closing
- Lunch



Opening Remarks



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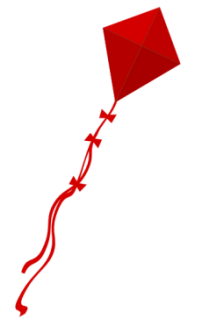
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Roundtable participants

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2. Cities Development Initiative for Asia
3. CityNet
4. Clean Air Initiative for Asian Cities Center
5. Earthquakes and Megacities Initiative
6. Global City Indicators Facility
7. Kitakyushu Initiative for a Clean Environment
8. Sustainable Cities PLUS Network
9. Sustainable Cities Program of UN-Habitat
10. United Cities and Local Governments Asia Pacific
11. Urban Age Institute



About the project

- Reasons for the project
- Objective
 - To establish a “Network of City Networks” with the aim of improving city networks’ effectiveness by scaling up their efforts to reach many more of the 2,500 Asian cities across a broader range of sustainability issues
- Why CAI-Asia considers establishment of Network of City Networks important



Opening Remarks

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City Networks Survey Results

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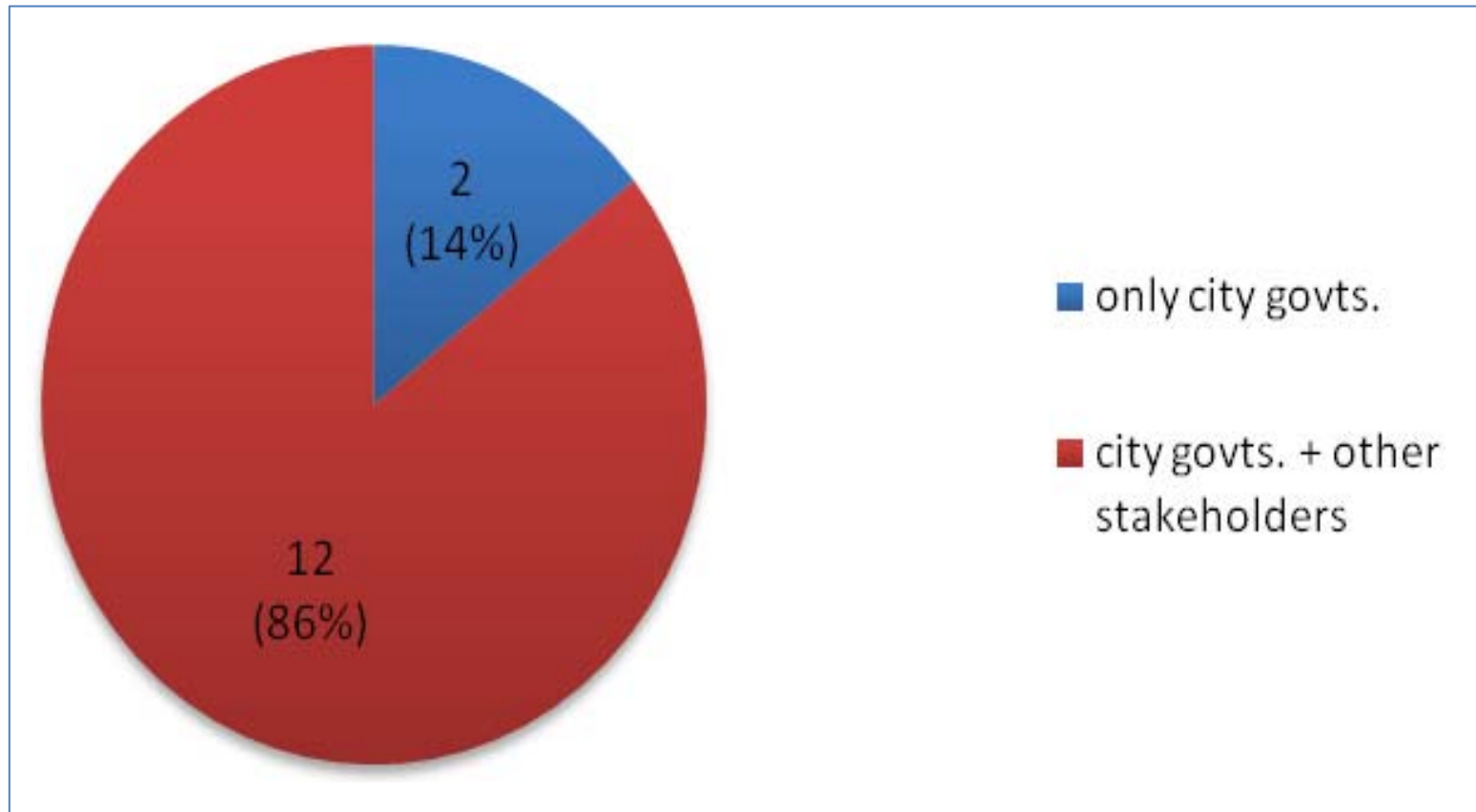


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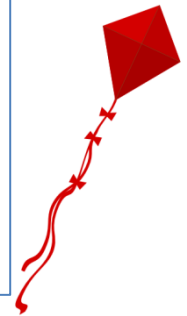
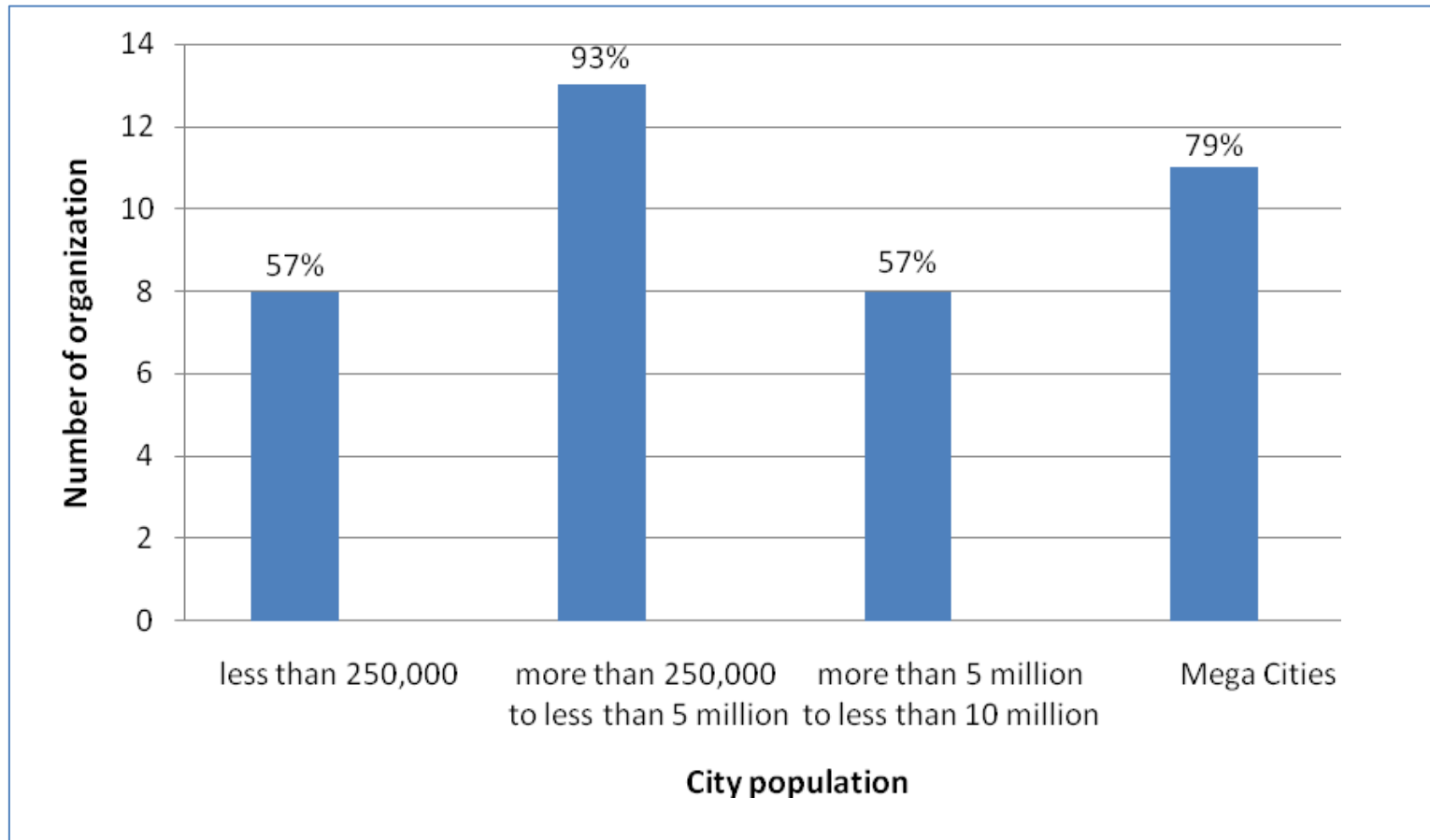
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7. Global Energy Network for Sustainable Cities
8. ICLEI-Local Governments for Sustainability
9. International Center for Sustainable Cities
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13. United Cities and Local Governments Asia-Pacific
14. SMART-Sustainable Mobility and Accessibility Research and Transformation (University of Michigan)



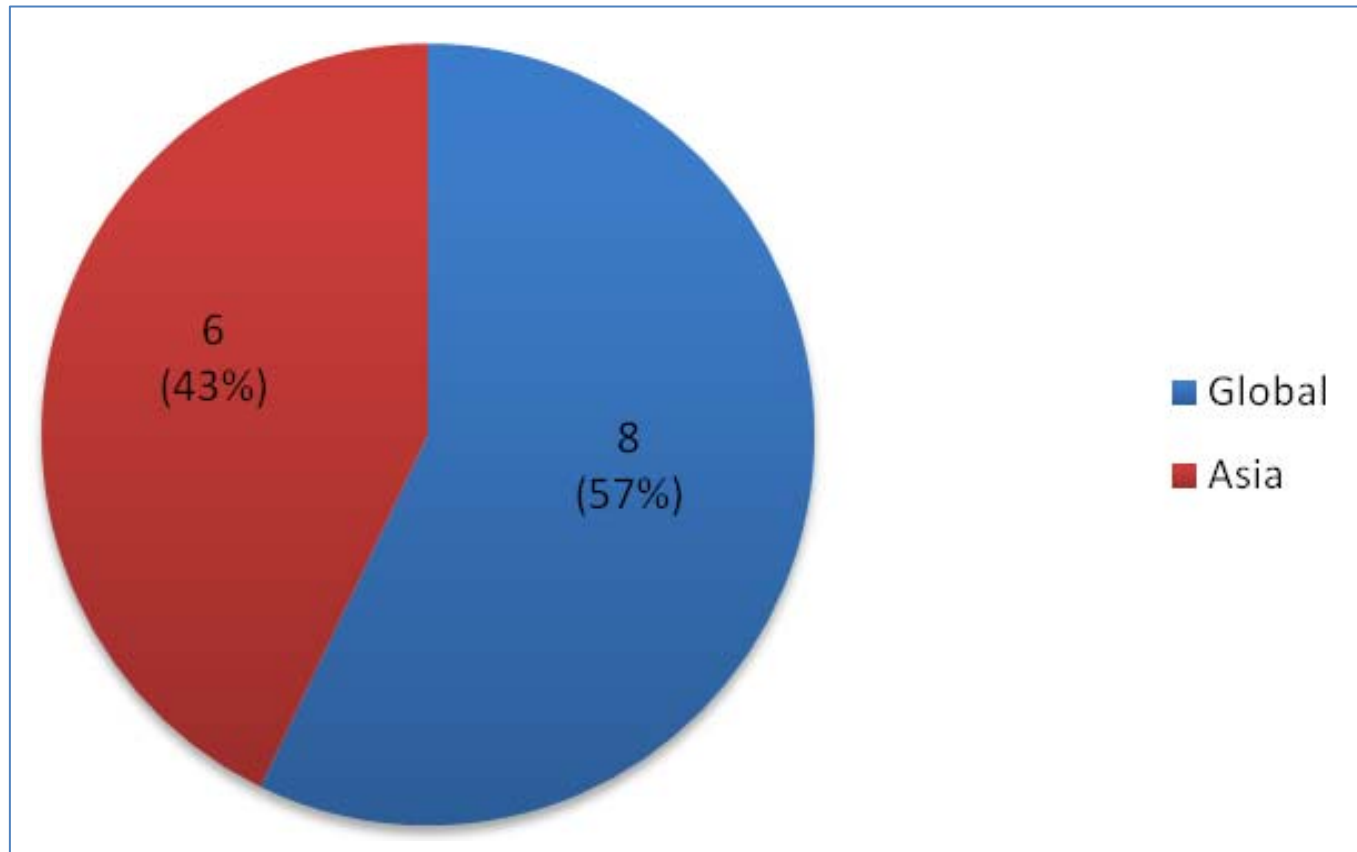
City networks – who are its members?



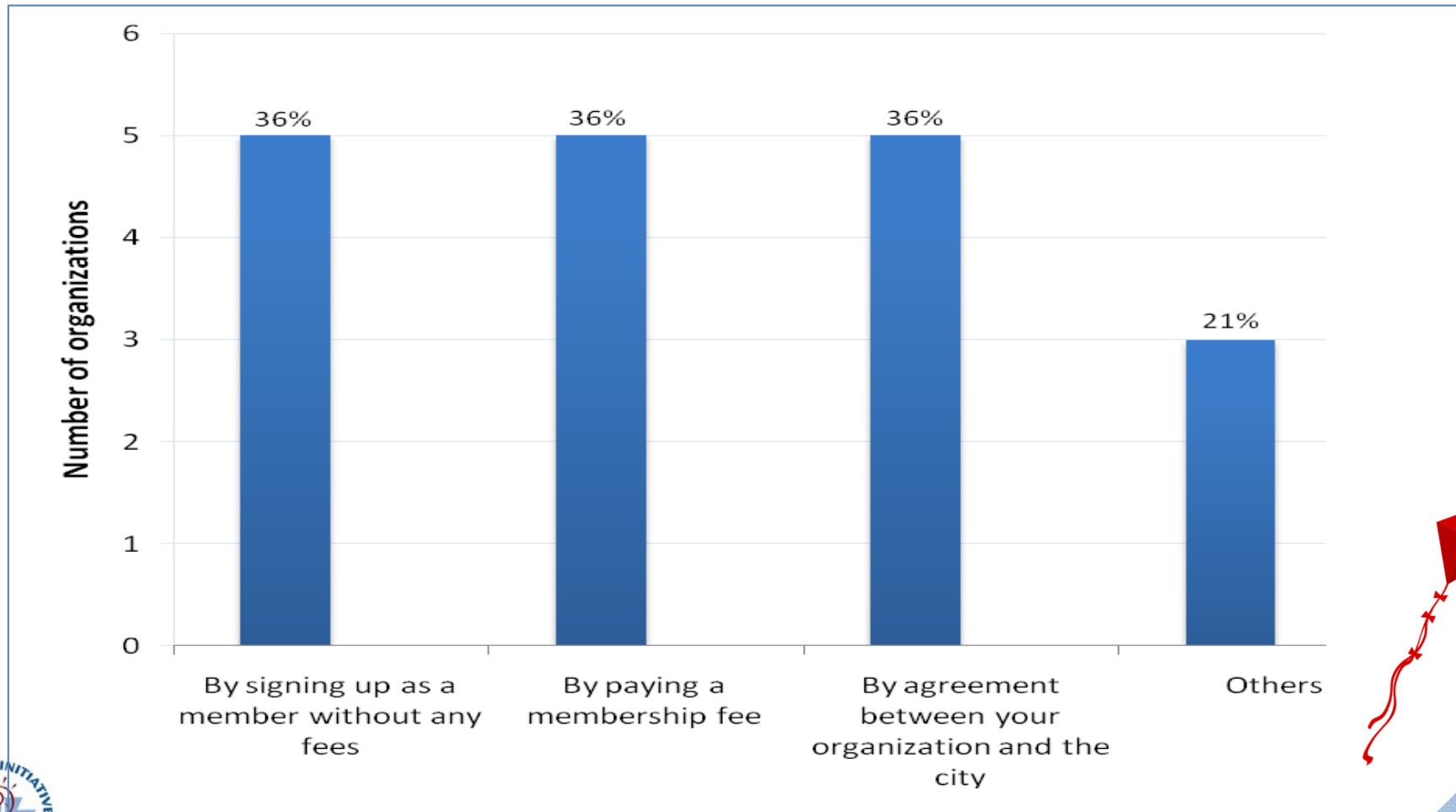
City networks – what types of cities and how many do they reach?



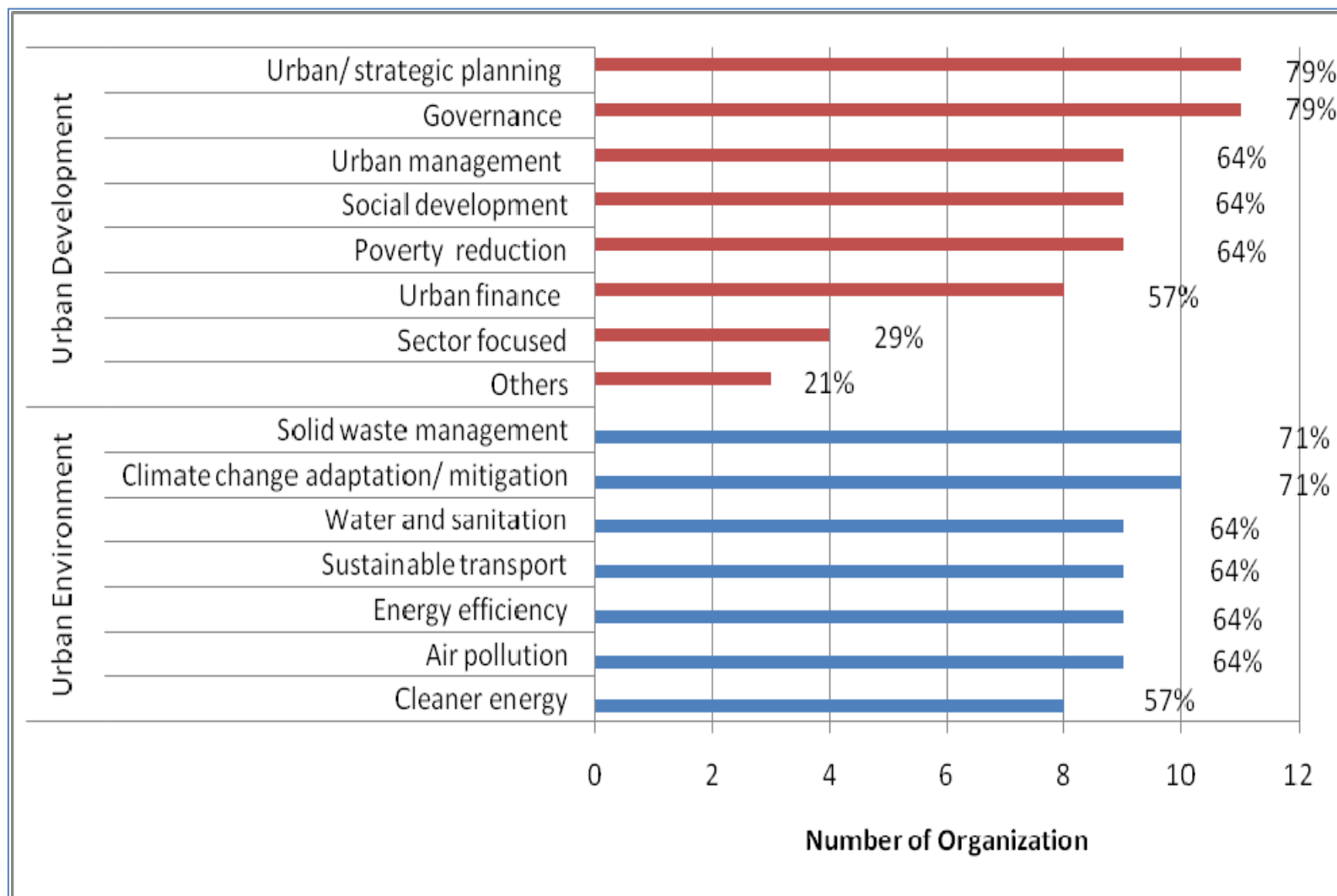
City networks – how many work in Asia only? globally?



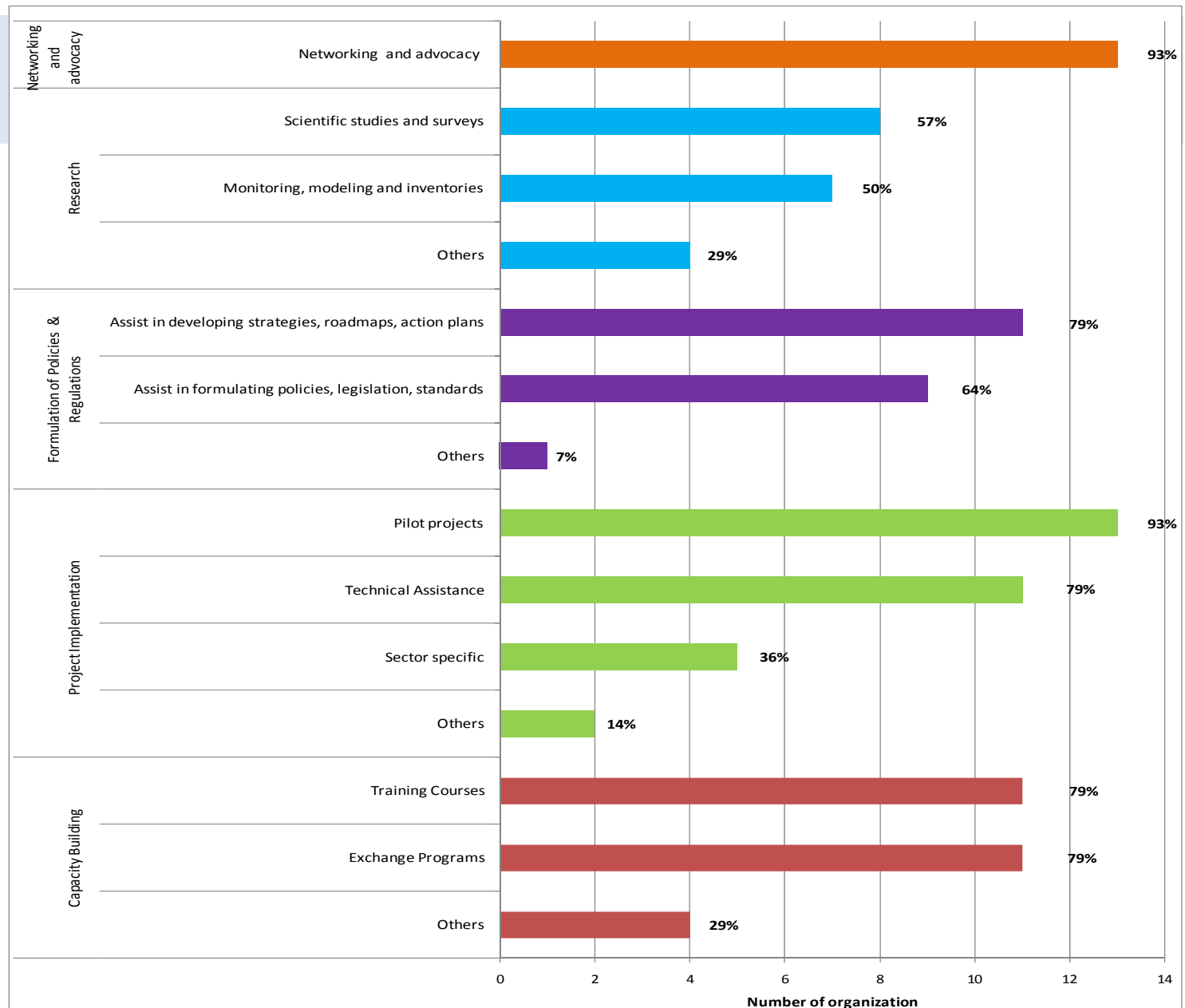
City networks – how cities become members?



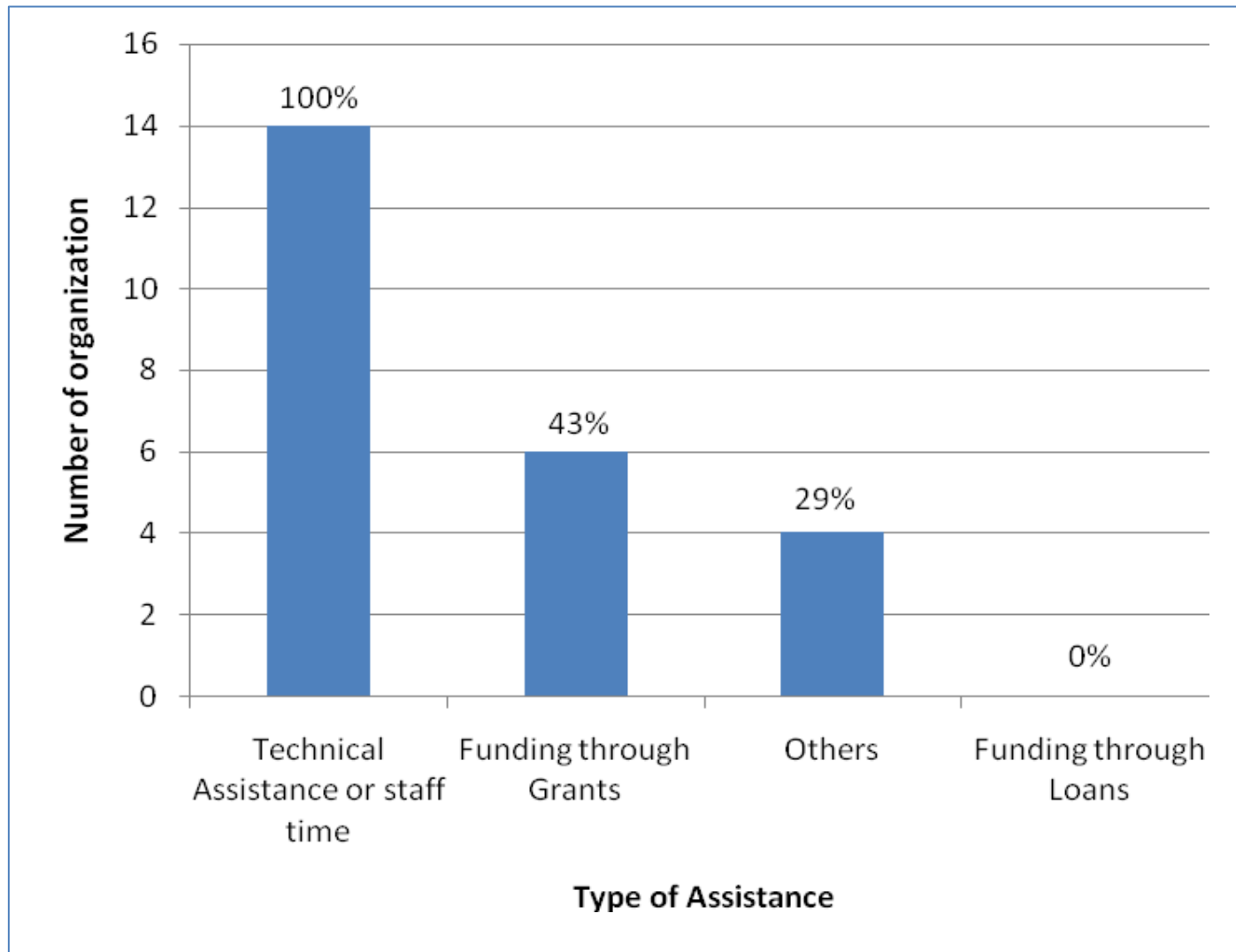
City networks – what areas do they focus on?



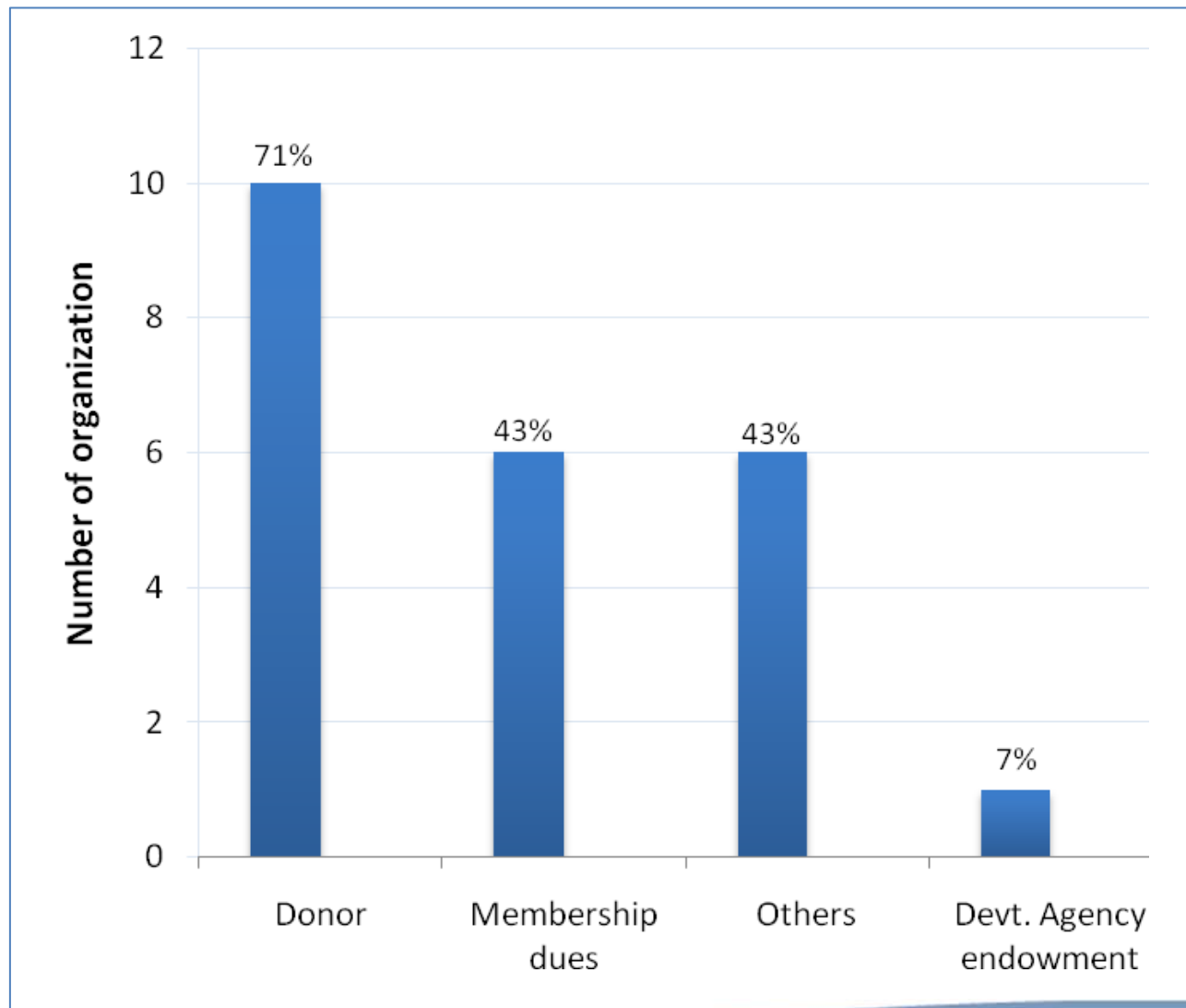
City networks – what are their activities?



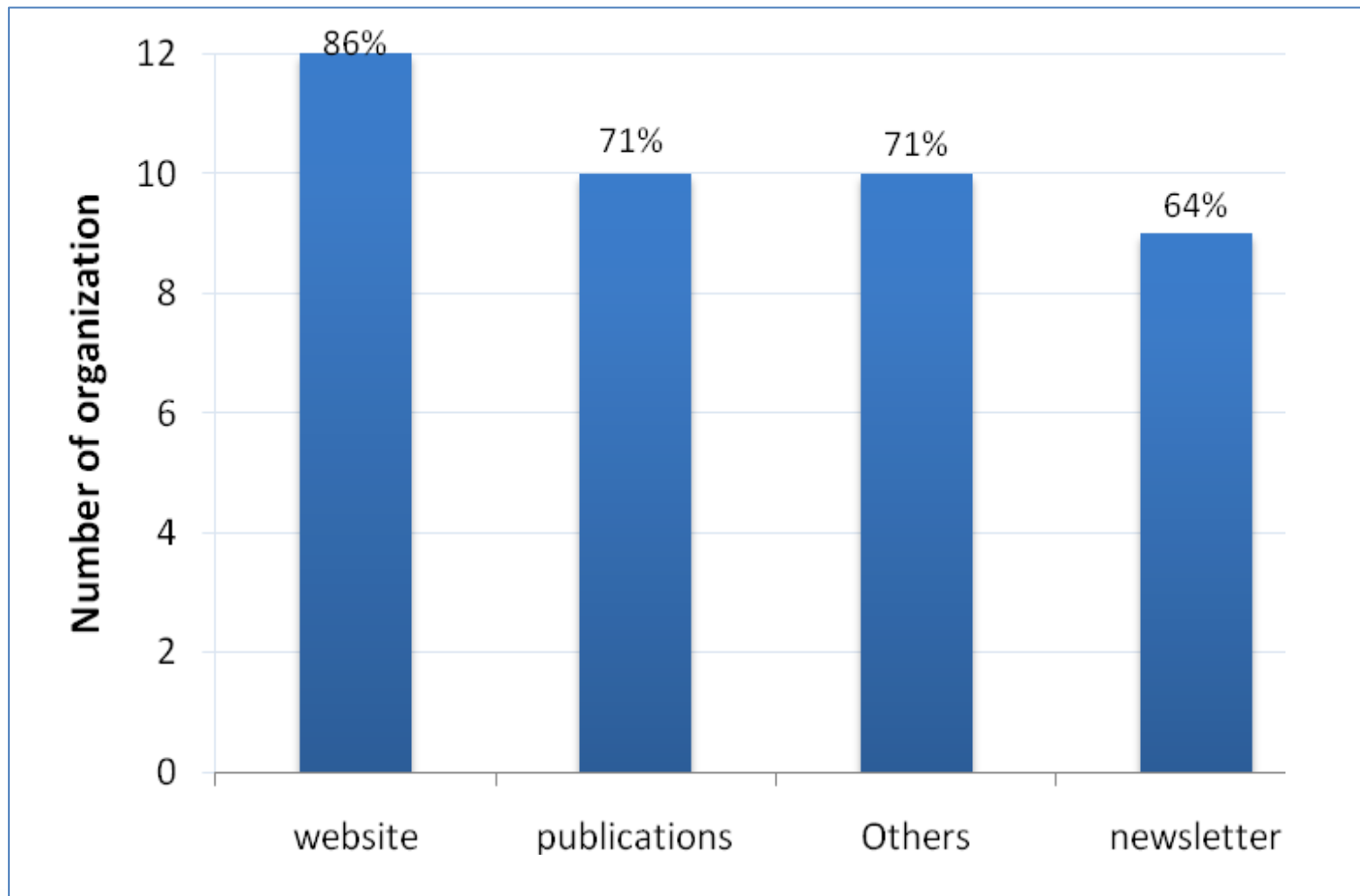
City networks – what assistance they provide cities?



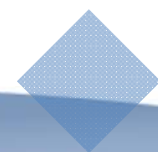
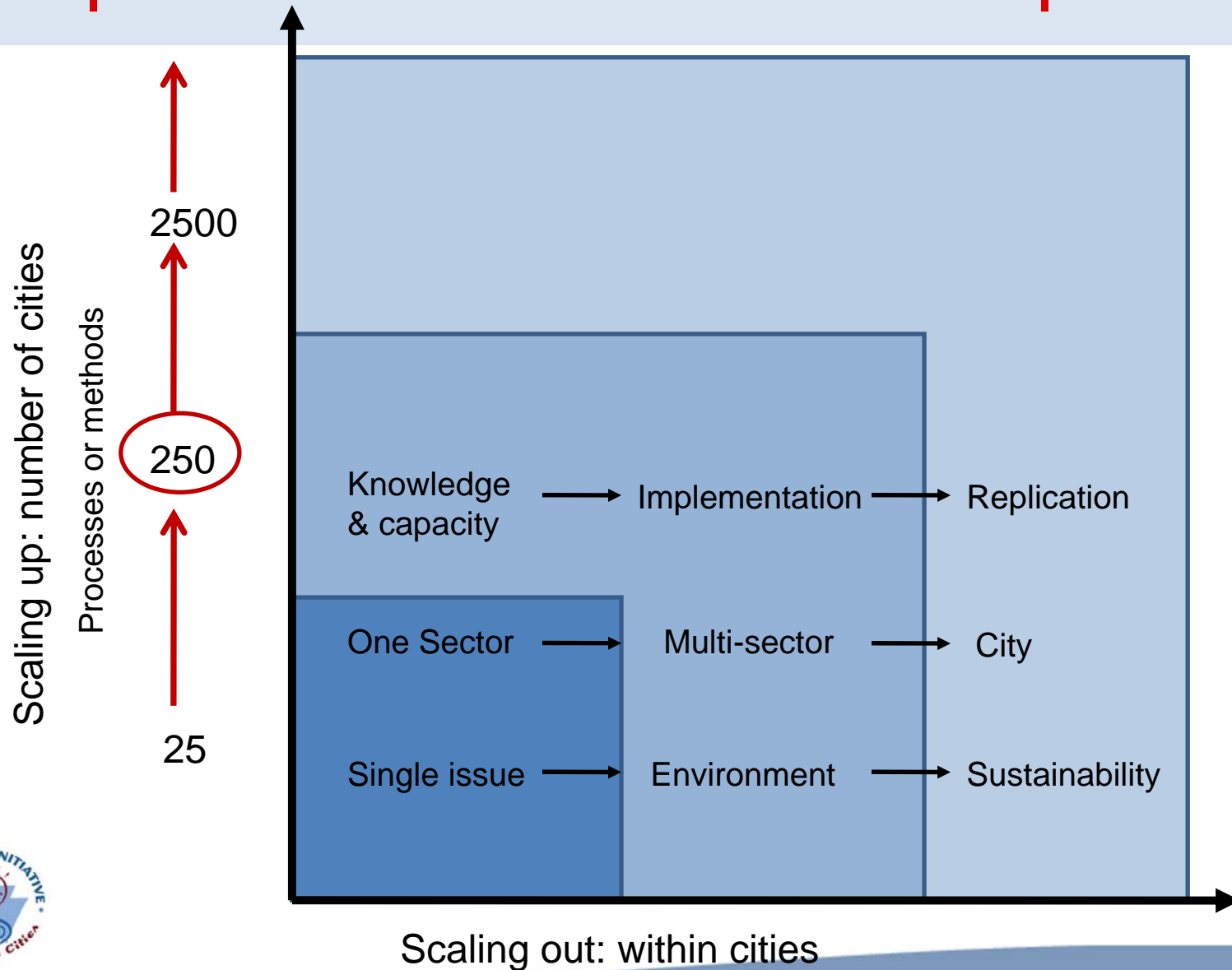
City networks – how are they funded?



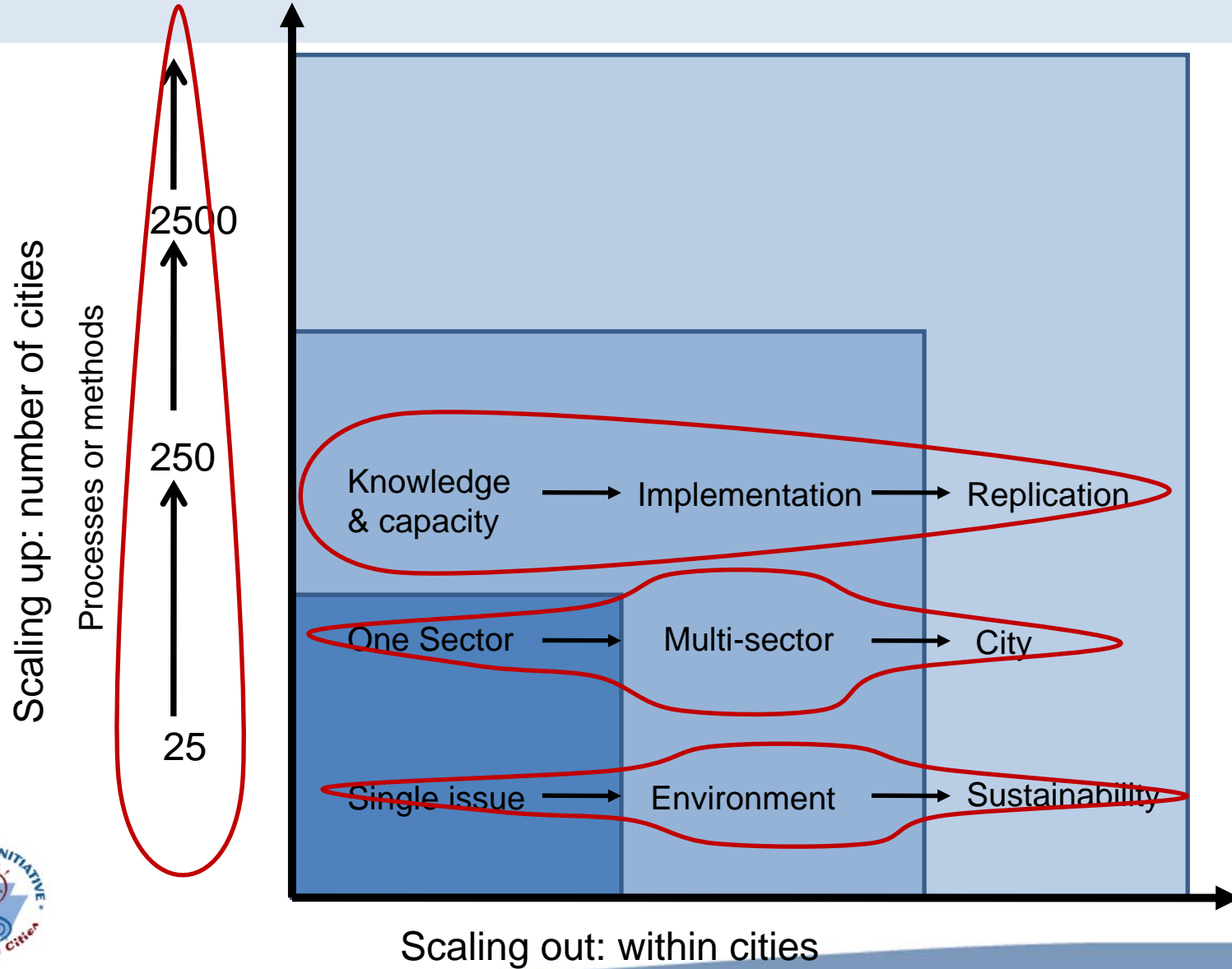
City networks – how they communicate with cities?



Proposed model for enhanced cooperation



Where we are at



Needs for enhanced collaboration

1. City Network → City Network **learning**
2. Help each other **technically** (methods, areas of focus)
3. Help each other **scale up** to more cities
4. One **voice** to external support agencies



Proposed actions for enhanced collaboration

- A. City Network Portal
- B. Annual Meeting
- C. Online Forum
- D. Dialogue with External Support Agencies (ESAs)
 - Joint statement addressed to ESAs
 - Dialogue between City Networks and ESAs



CITIES

Kathmandu

•Profiles

- Kathmandu City Profile
- Environment Assessment Report

•Projects

- Project to Develop the Kathmandu Valley Air Quality Action Plan
- Electric Vehicle Project in Kathmandu

•City Networks working in Kathmandu

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AREAS OF FOCUS

CITY NETWORKS



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Break Out Groups Discussion

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Guide Questions

Group 1

Is the proposed action (i.e., City Network Portal) sufficient to meet the need (for City Network to City Network learning)?

What other actions do you propose?

How and who would implement the actions?



Guide Questions

Group 2

Are the proposed actions (i.e., Annual Meeting and Online Forum) sufficient to meet the need (for City Networks help each other technically and to scale up to more cities)?

What other actions do you propose?

How and who would implement the actions?



Guide Questions

Group 3

Are the proposed actions (i.e., Dialogue with ESAs and issuing Joint Statements) sufficient to meet the need (for City Networks to have one voice to ESAs)?

What other actions do you propose?

How and who would implement the actions?



Group Presentations

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Closing

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