
The Future Trends in Tourism - Global Perspectives

,the future of TOURISM‘,
a Club of Amsterdam conference
31.05.2007, Amsterdam.

[A] Tourism - already a global competition

The current state:
facts & figures

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Geneva, Switzerland, 1 March 2007 – Switzerland, Austria and Germany have the most attractive environments for developing the travel and tourism industry, according to the very first ranking of its kind in the *Travel & Tourism Competitiveness Report 2007*, released today by the World Economic Forum. Iceland, the United States, Hong Kong, Canada, Singapore, Luxembourg and the United Kingdom complete the top ten list.

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The Travel & Tourism Competitiveness Report 2007

Furthering the Process of Economic Development

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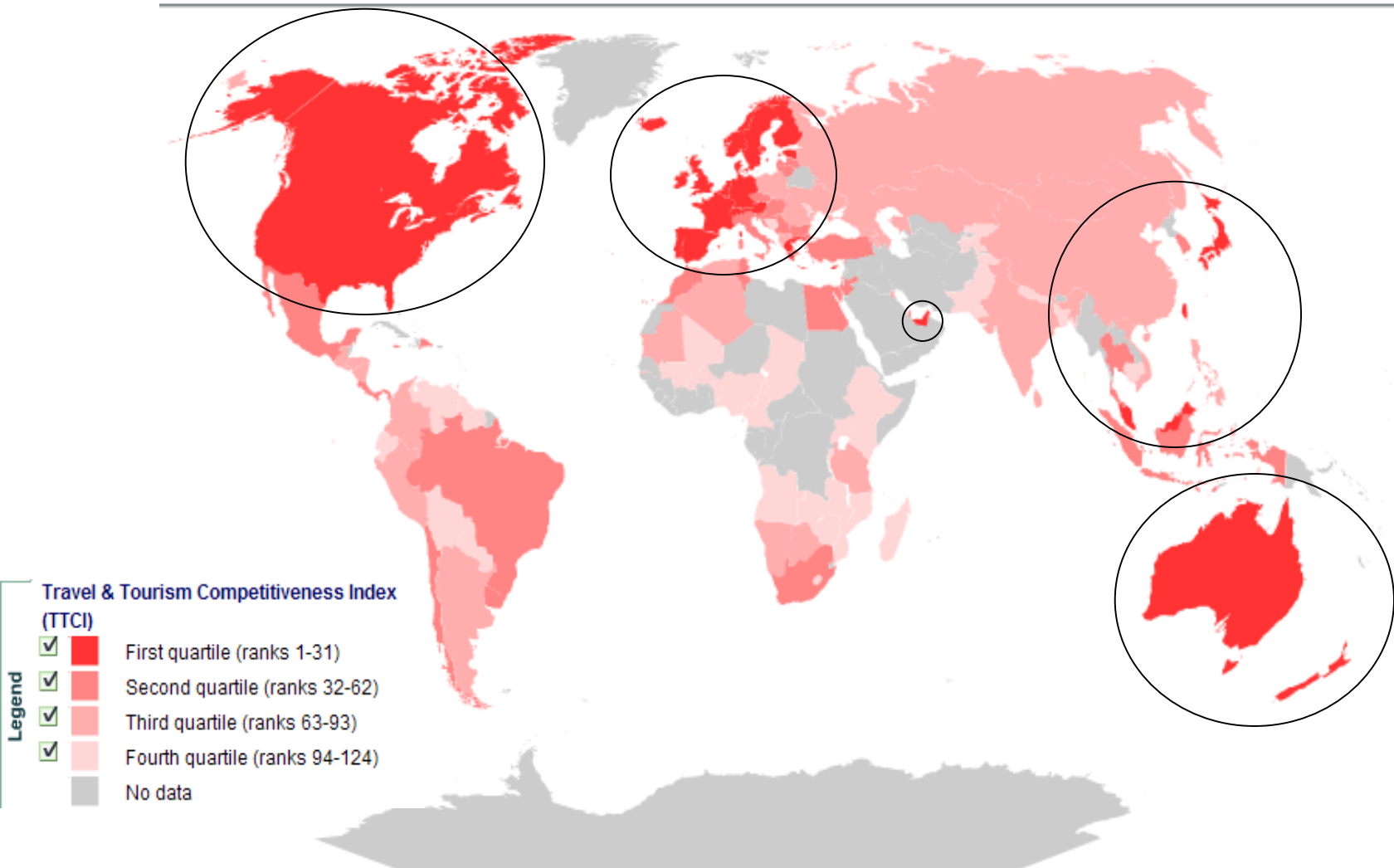
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“Our study is not a ‘beauty contest’, or a statement about the attractiveness of a country. On the contrary, we aim to measure the factors that make it attractive to develop the travel and tourism industry of individual countries. The top rankings of Switzerland, Austria and Germany, Hong Kong and Singapore demonstrate the importance of supportive business and regulatory frameworks, coupled with world-class transport and tourism infrastructure and a focus on nurturing human and natural resources, for fostering an environment that is attractive for developing the travel & tourism (T&T) sector,” said Jennifer Blanke, Senior Economist of the World Economic Forum’s Global Competitiveness Network.

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Travel and tourism competitiveness



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14	New Zealand	5.20
15	Spain	5.18
16	Finland	5.16
17	Sweden	5.13
18	United Arab Emirates	5.09
19	Netherlands	5.08
20	Cyprus	5.07
21	Belgium	5.07
22	Portugal	5.05
23	Norway	5.04
24	Greece	4.99
25	Japan	4.99

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27	Ireland	4.93
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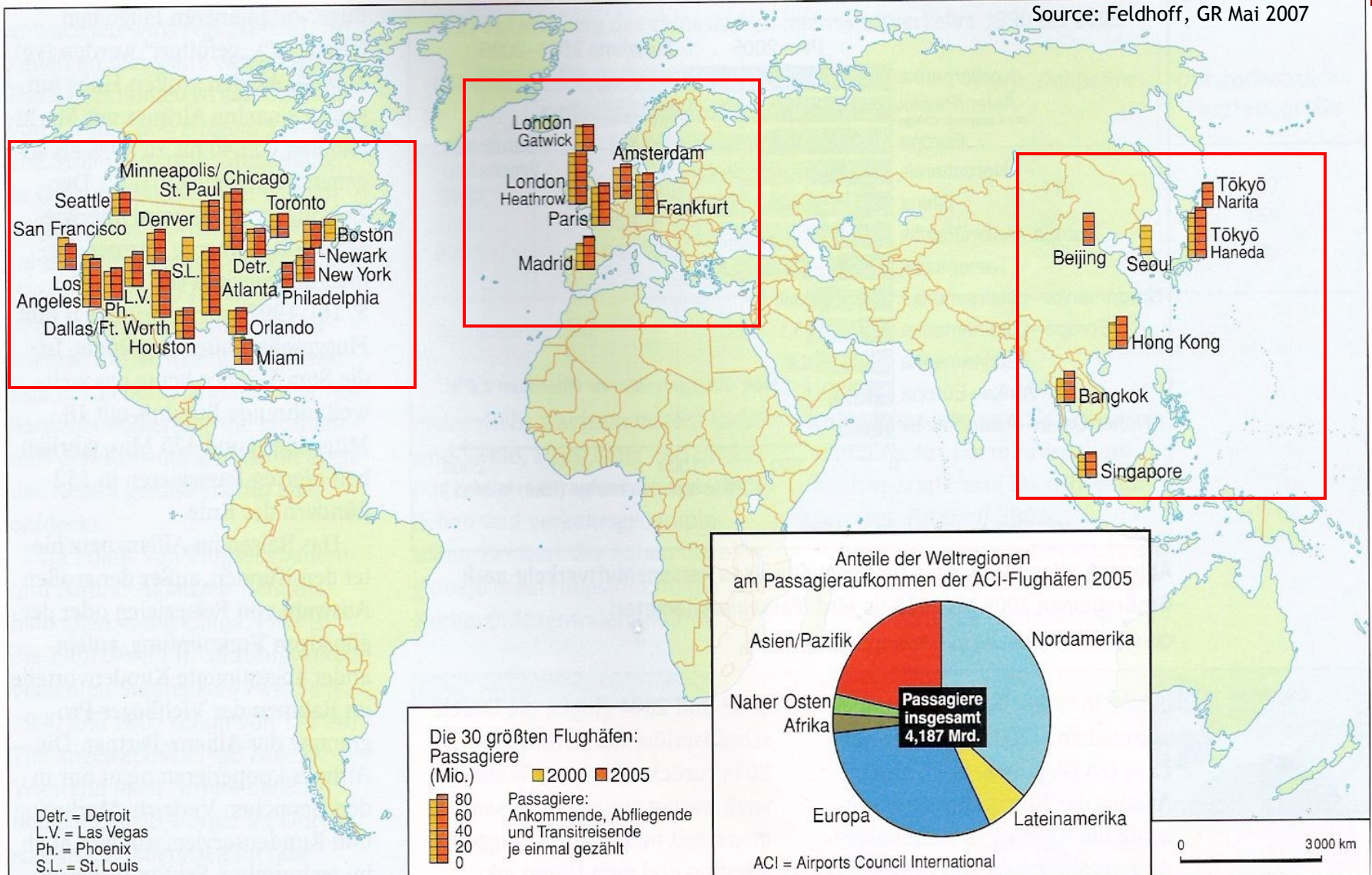
	International Tourist Arrivals (million)						Market share (%) 2005*	Change (%)		Average annual growth (%) 00/05*
	1990	1995	2000	2003	2004	2005*		04/03	05*/04	
World	439	540	687	694	764	806	100	10.1	5.5	3.3
Europe	265.6	315.0	395.8	407.1	424.4	441.5	54.8	4.3	4.0	2.2
Northern Europe	31.6	40.1	45.8	45.8	49.6	52.9	6.6	8.4	6.5	2.9
Western Europe	108.6	112.2	139.7	136.1	139.0	142.7	17.7	2.2	2.6	0.4
Central/Eastern Europe	31.5	60.0	69.6	78.5	86.3	87.9	10.9	10.0	1.9	4.8
Southern/Mediter. Eu.	93.9	102.7	140.8	146.8	149.5	158.0	19.6	1.9	5.7	2.3
Asia and the Pacific	56.2	82.4	110.5	113.3	144.2	155.4	19.3	27.3	7.8	7.1
North-East Asia	26.4	41.3	58.3	61.7	79.4	87.6	10.9	28.6	10.3	8.5
South-East Asia	21.5	28.8	36.9	36.1	47.1	49.3	6.1	30.4	4.8	6.0
Oceania	5.2	8.1	9.2	9.0	10.1	10.5	1.3	12.1	3.8	2.6
South Asia	3.2	4.2	6.1	6.4	7.6	8.0	1.0	18.5	5.5	5.7
Americas	92.8	109.0	128.1	113.1	125.7	133.5	16.6	11.1	6.2	0.8
North America	71.7	80.7	91.4	77.3	85.7	89.9	11.2	10.9	4.9	-0.3
Caribbean	11.4	14.0	17.1	17.1	18.1	18.9	2.3	5.9	4.3	2.0
Central America	1.9	2.6	4.3	4.9	5.7	6.5	0.8	15.6	15.7	8.5
South America	7.7	11.7	15.3	13.8	16.2	18.2	2.3	17.2	12.2	3.6
Africa	15.2	20.3	28.2	31.0	33.8	36.7	4.6	9.1	8.5	5.4
North Africa	8.4	7.3	10.2	11.1	12.8	13.7	1.7	15.1	7.5	6.0
Subsaharan Africa	6.8	13.0	17.9	19.9	21.1	23.0	2.9	5.8	9.1	5.1
Middle East	9.6	13.7	24.2	29.5	36.3	39.1	4.8	22.8	7.7	10.1

Source: World Tourism Organization (UNWTO) ©

(Data as collected by UNWTO 2006)

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Source: Feldhoff, GR Mai 2007



→ The World's Top-30-Airports (in terms of passenger traffic) and Share of World Regions

The future state: forecasts & figures

[T1] Tourism Future - New Geographies

**2005 - 2025:
Two Asian Decades**

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Source: WTTC 2007

ON A RELATIVE SCALE:

Countries expected to grow their
Travel & Tourism Demand most rapidly
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Travel & Tourism Demand 2007 - 2017 % Annualized Real Growth

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5	Dem Rep of the Congo	7.8
6	Vietnam	7.5
7	Romania	7.4
8	Namibia	7.1
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Tigers

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ON AN ABSOLUTE SCALE:

Countries expected to generate the largest volume of Travel & Tourism Demand in 2017:

Travel & Tourism Demand 2007 - 2017 (US\$ mn)

1	United States	3,067,977.0
2	China	1,571,015.0
3	Japan	981,437.6
4	Germany	744,910.7
5	United Kingdom	605,124.6
6	France	542,658.2
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ON AN EMPLOYMENT SCALE:

Countries expected to generate the largest amount (absolute terms) of Travel & Tourism Economy Employment in 2017:

Travel & Tourism Economy Employment 2017 ('000 of Jobs)

1	China	75,710.2
2	India	28,322
3	United States	16,125.9
4	Japan	9,422.7
5	Brazil	7,773.2
6	Indonesia	6,853.9
7	Mexico	5,469.2
8	Germany	4,962.8
9	Spain	4,858.5
10	Thailand	4,766.9

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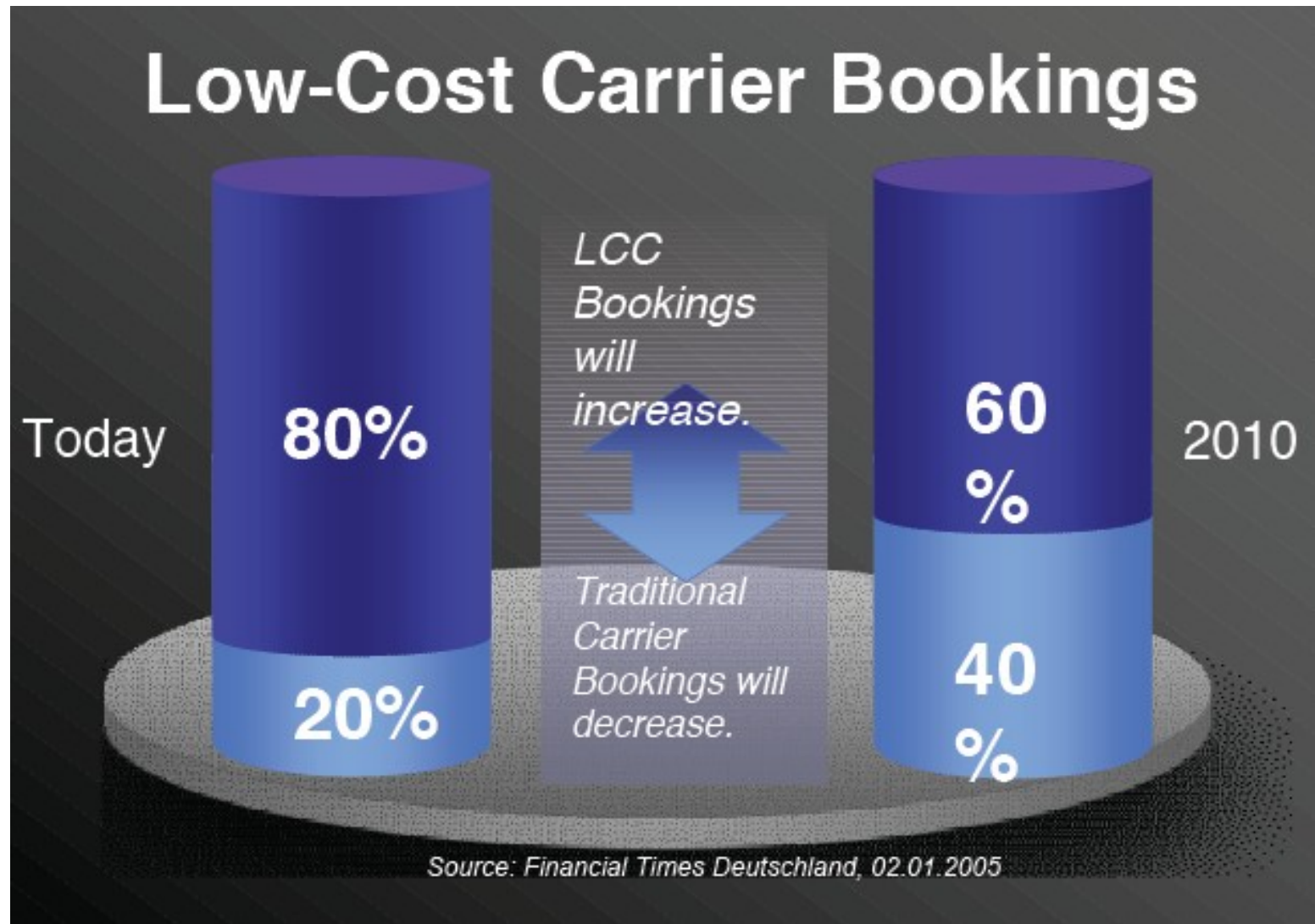
Asia's Future Tourism Tigers

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LCC in Asia's Tourism Market [2006]



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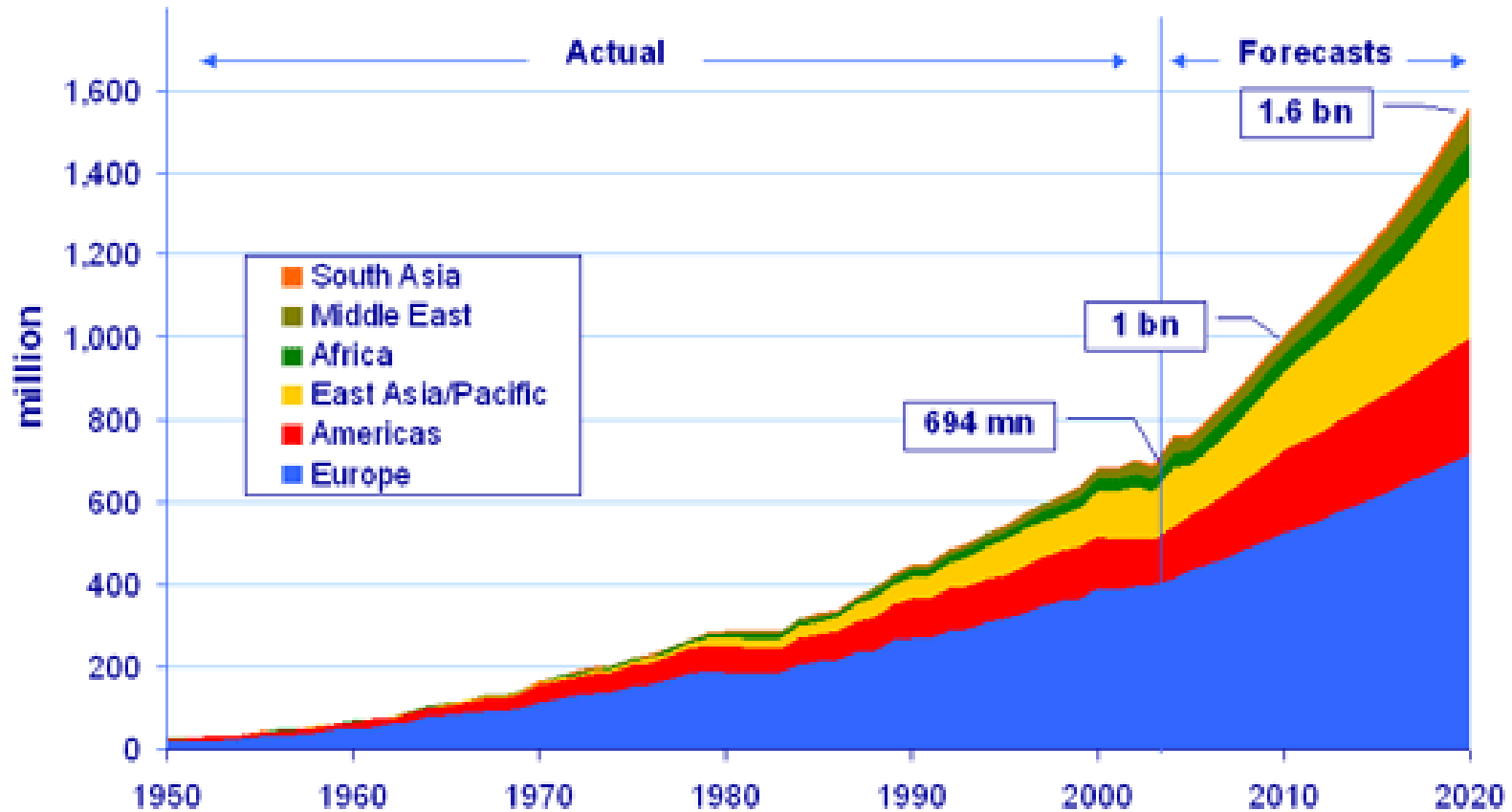
UNWTO's Tourism 2020 Vision [International Tourist Arrivals Forecast]

	Base Year	Forecasts		Market share (%)		Average annual growth rate (%)
	1995	2010	2020	1995	2020	1995-2020
	(Million)					
World	565	1006	1561	100	100	4.1
Africa	20	47	77	3.6	5.0	5.5
Americas	110	190	282	19.3	18.1	3.8
East Asia and the Pacific	81	195	397	14.4	25.4	6.5
Europe	336	527	717	59.8	45.9	3.1
Middle East	14	36	69	2.2	4.4	6.7
South Asia	4	11	19	0.7	1.2	6.2

Source: UNWTO: <http://www.unwto.org/facts/eng/vision.htm>

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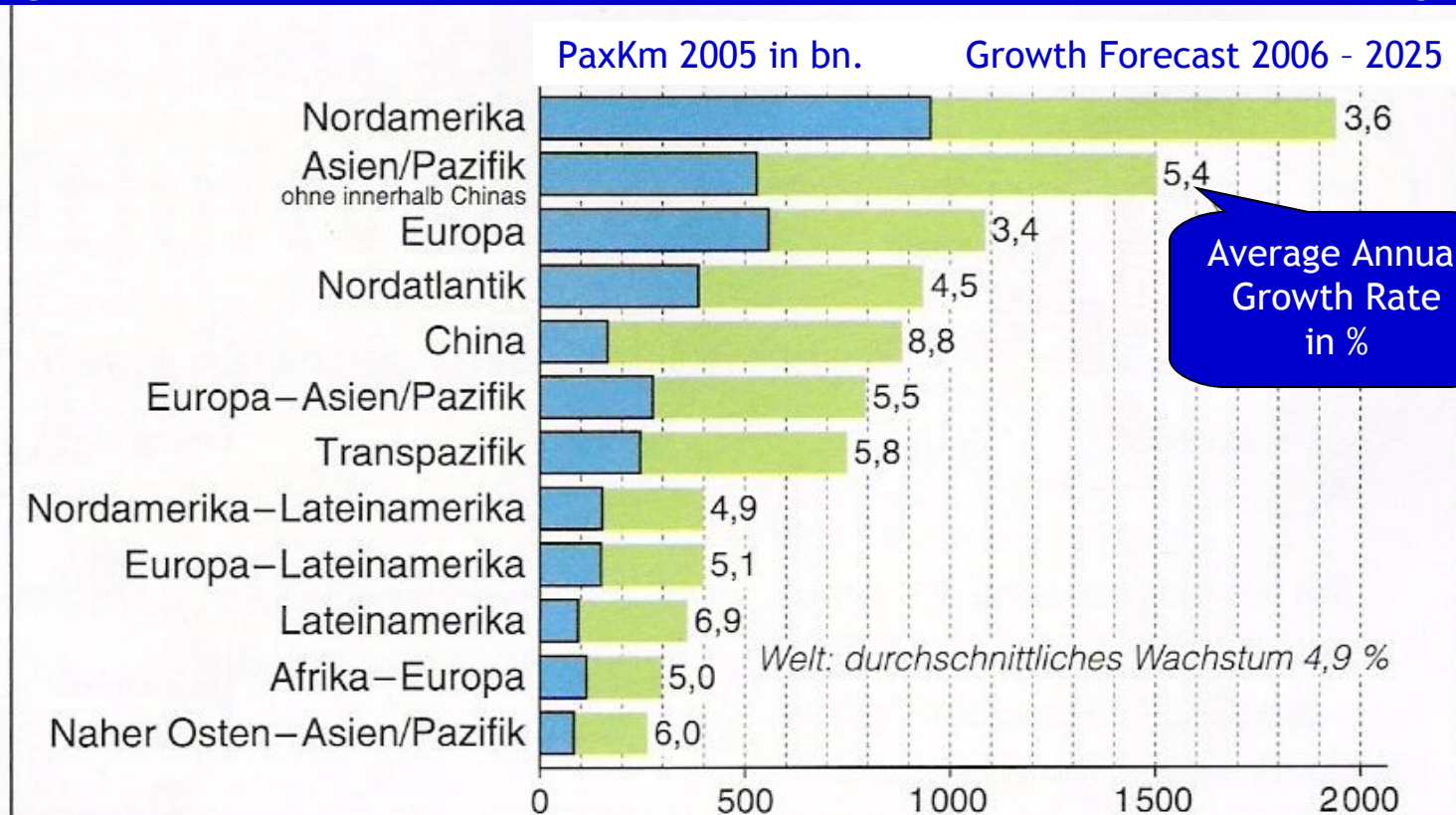
UNWTO's Tourism 2020 Vision [Forecast]



UNWTO's *Tourism 2020 Vision* forecasts that international arrivals are expected to reach nearly 1.6 billion by the year 2020. Of these worldwide arrivals in 2020, 1.2 billion will be intraregional and 378 million will be long-haul travellers.

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Passenger Traffic Growth Forecasts 2006 - 2025 in World Regions



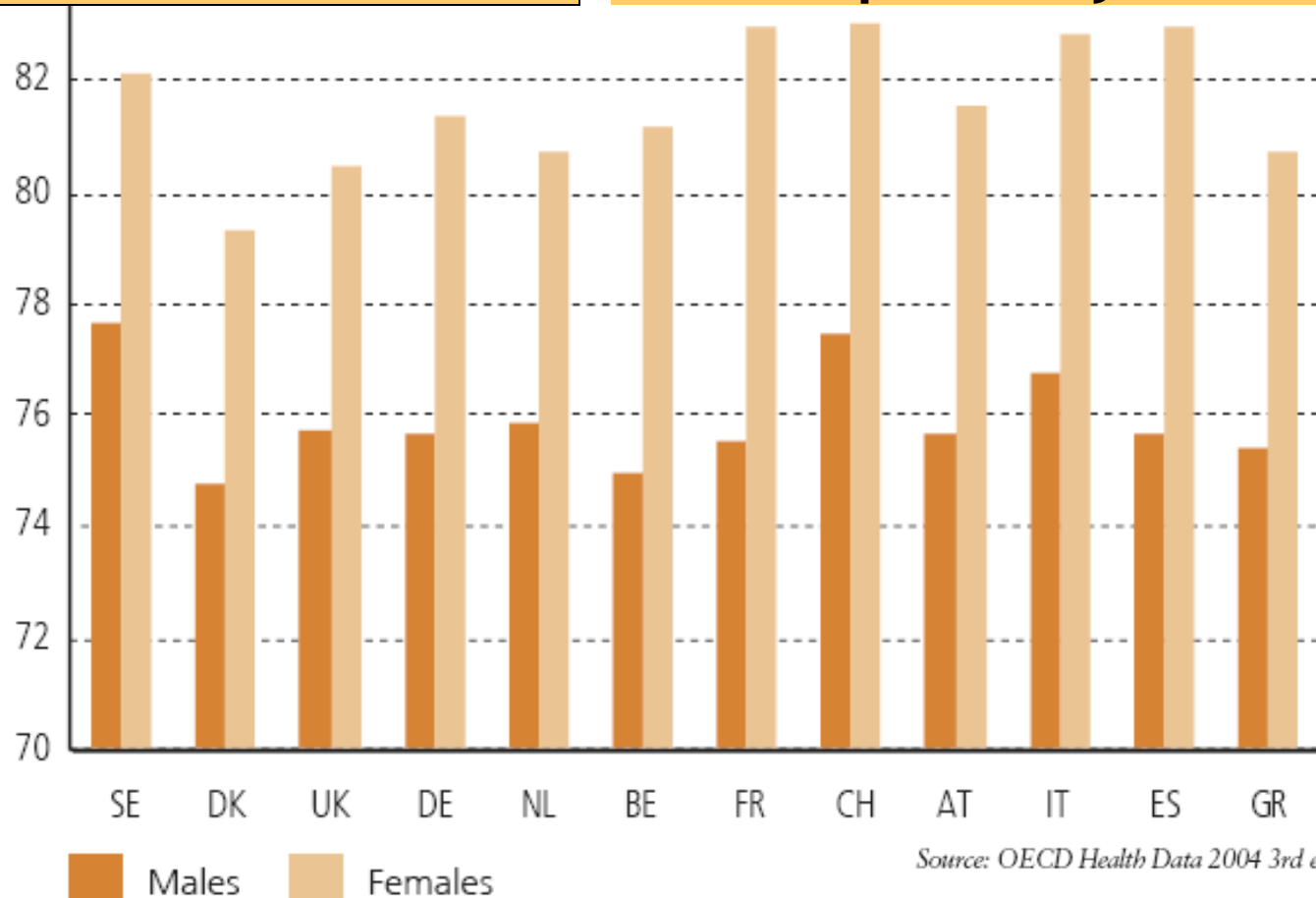
Quelle: Feldhoff, GR Mai 2007

[T2] Tourism Future - „Ageing Europe“

Europe's New Burden - Retirement Poverty

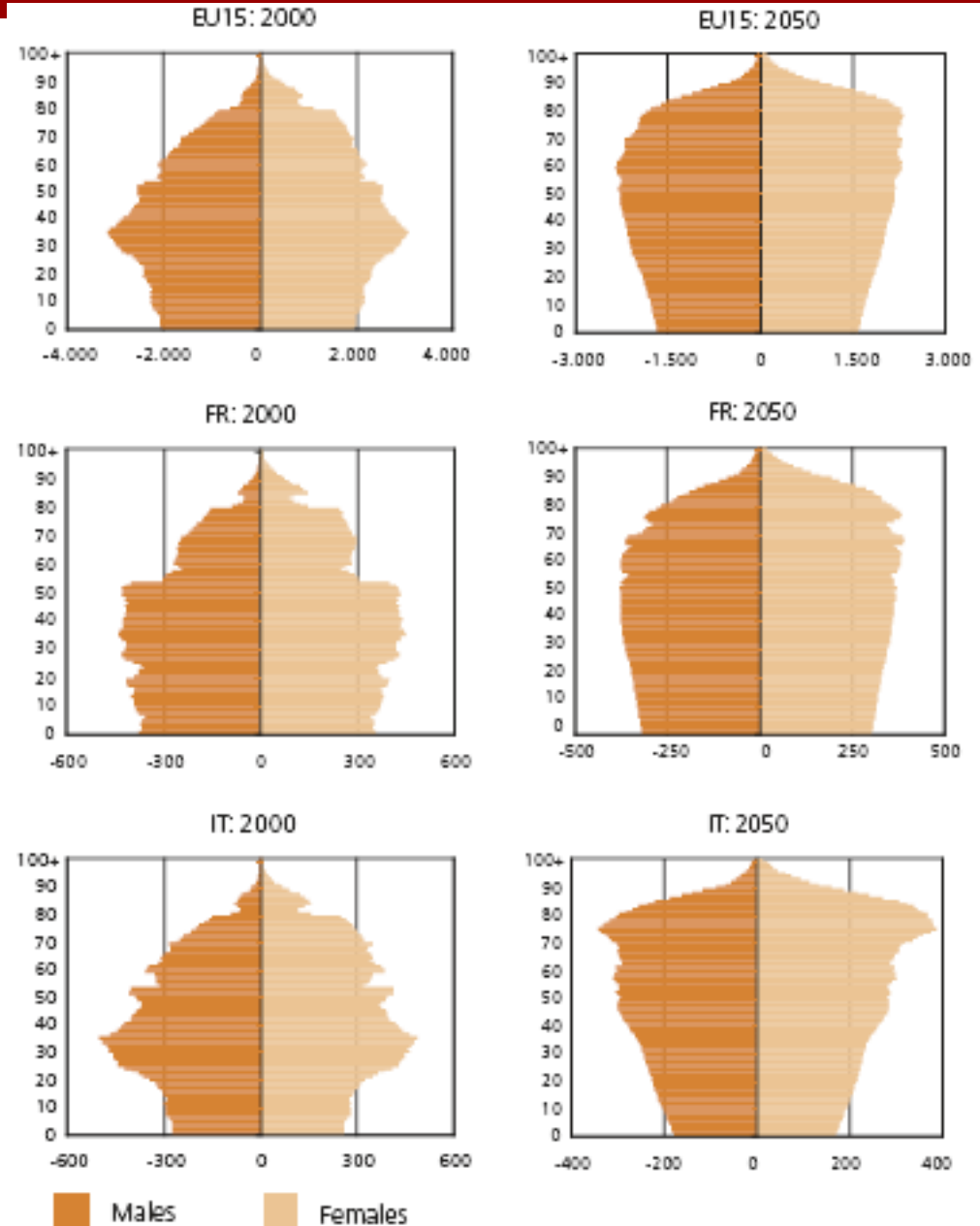
Tourism Future & Ageing Europe

Life expectancy at birth, 2001



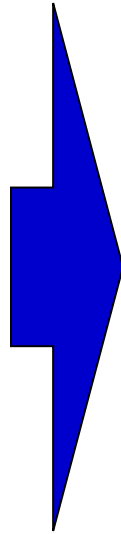
Tourism Future & Ageing Europe

Population Ageing in the EU, France and Italy, 2000-2050



Tourism Future & Ageing Europe

- Population Ageing
 - Depopulation
 - and
 - Shrinking Cities
- [in EUROPE]**



Facts:

- According to the United Nations, population ageing is increasingly becoming one of the most salient social, economic and demographic phenomena of our times.
- By 2030 the EU can expect 14 percent fewer workers and 7 percent fewer consumers as 2005
- By 2050, the number of people over 60 in Europe will reach 40% of the total population or 60% of the working age population.

Tourism Future & Ageing Europe

Population Ageing in the EU:

- Germany
- Belgium
- Denmark
- Spain
- France

Years 2000 / 2020 / 2050

Share of persons 60 years and over

[as a % of the total population; Source: Eurostat]

Germany:

2000: 22,9% - 2020: 30% - **2050: 41%**

Belgium:

2000: 22.1% - 2020: 30% - 2050: 38%

Denmark:

2000: 19.9% - 2020: 28% - 2050: 36%

Spain:

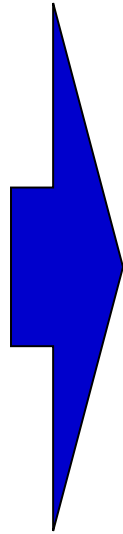
2000: 21.8% - 2020: 28% - **2050: 44%**

France:

2000: 20.7% - 2020: 29% - 2050: 38%

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Consequences:

- Shrinking Income
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 - Shrinking Wealth
- Old Age Poverty &
 - Social Exclusion
- Growing Health Risks &
 - Long Term Health Problems
- Large Scale Immobilities &
 - Neglected Space [Destinations]

Results from the SHARE-Project
[<http://www.share-project.org>]

...clearly indicate that men and women with a lower socio-economic status have already a worse physical health than those with a higher socio-economic position

Among both men and women, a low educational level or income is associated with a higher risk of reporting less than good self-perceived health, long-term problems, as well as activity limitations due to health problems.

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Discussed Solution:

New Migrant Workers:

80-700 million migrants by 2050!

A sustainable increase of VFR-Tourism shall follow!

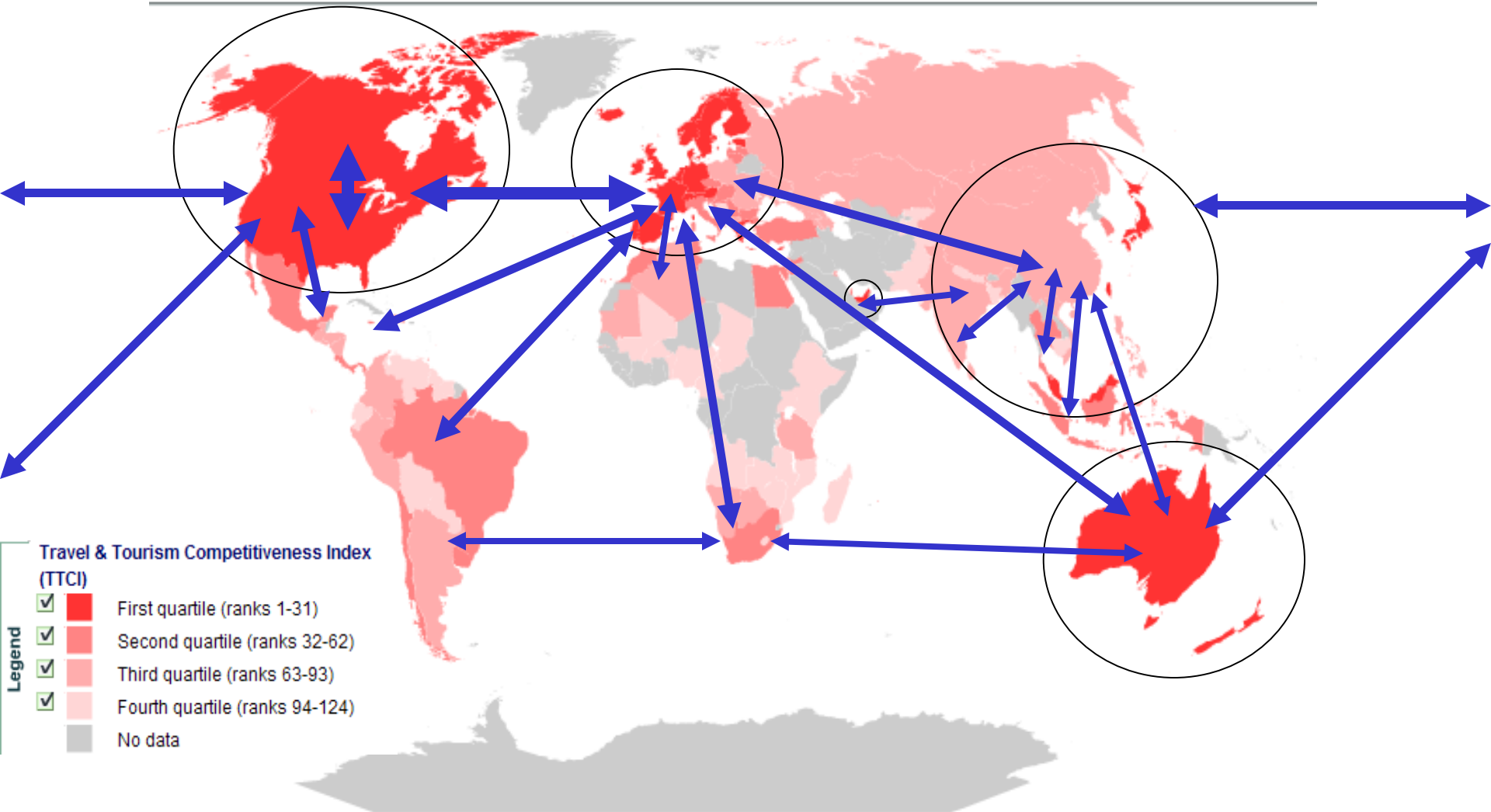
[T3] Tourism Future - „VFR-Tourism“

„CU soon, my friend/brother“ -

Global
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The Sustainable VFR-Tourism Trend in World Tourism



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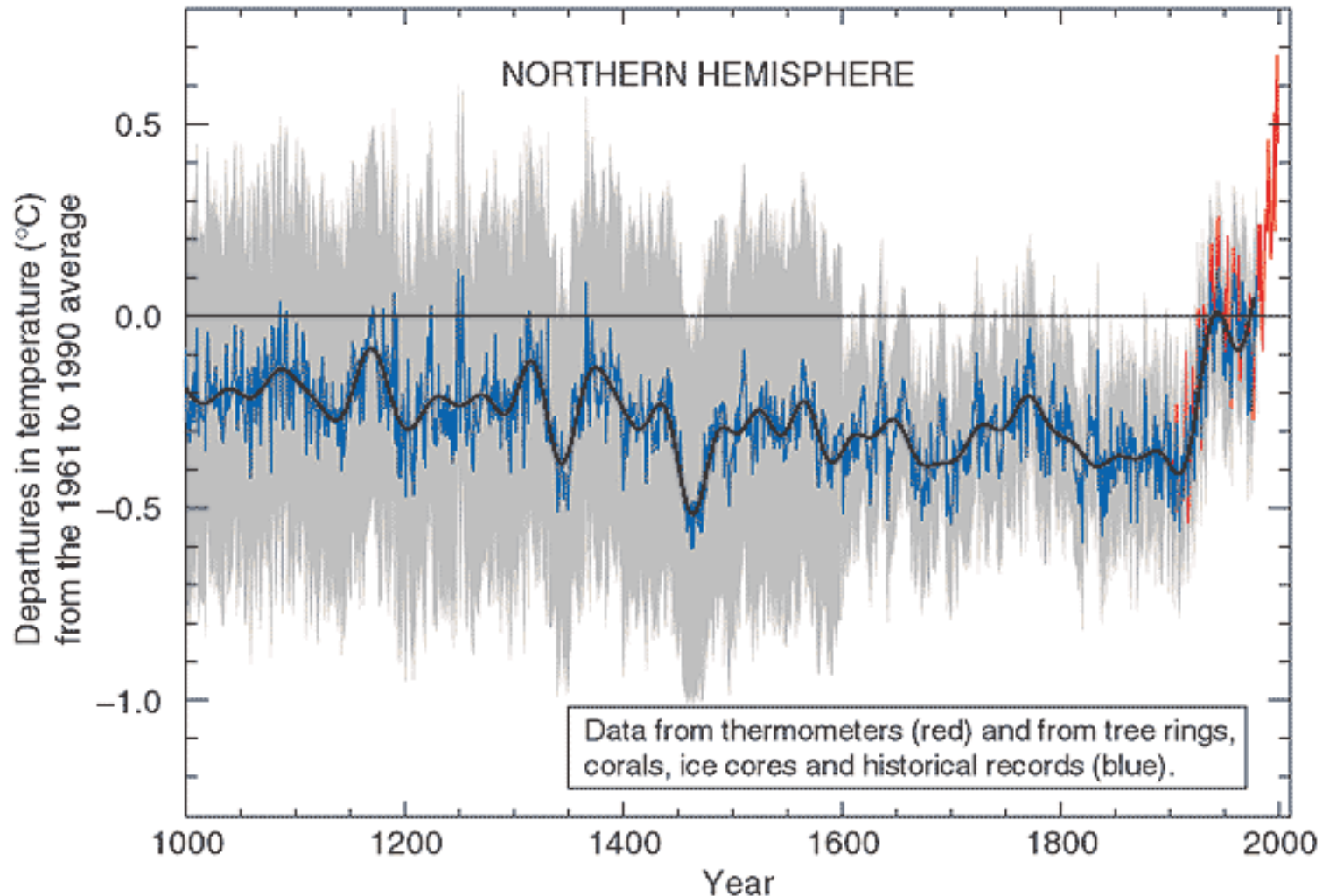
[T4] Tourism Future & Climate Change

**„The *Mediterranization* of
Western- and Central-Europe“ -
Climate Change Advantages [?]**

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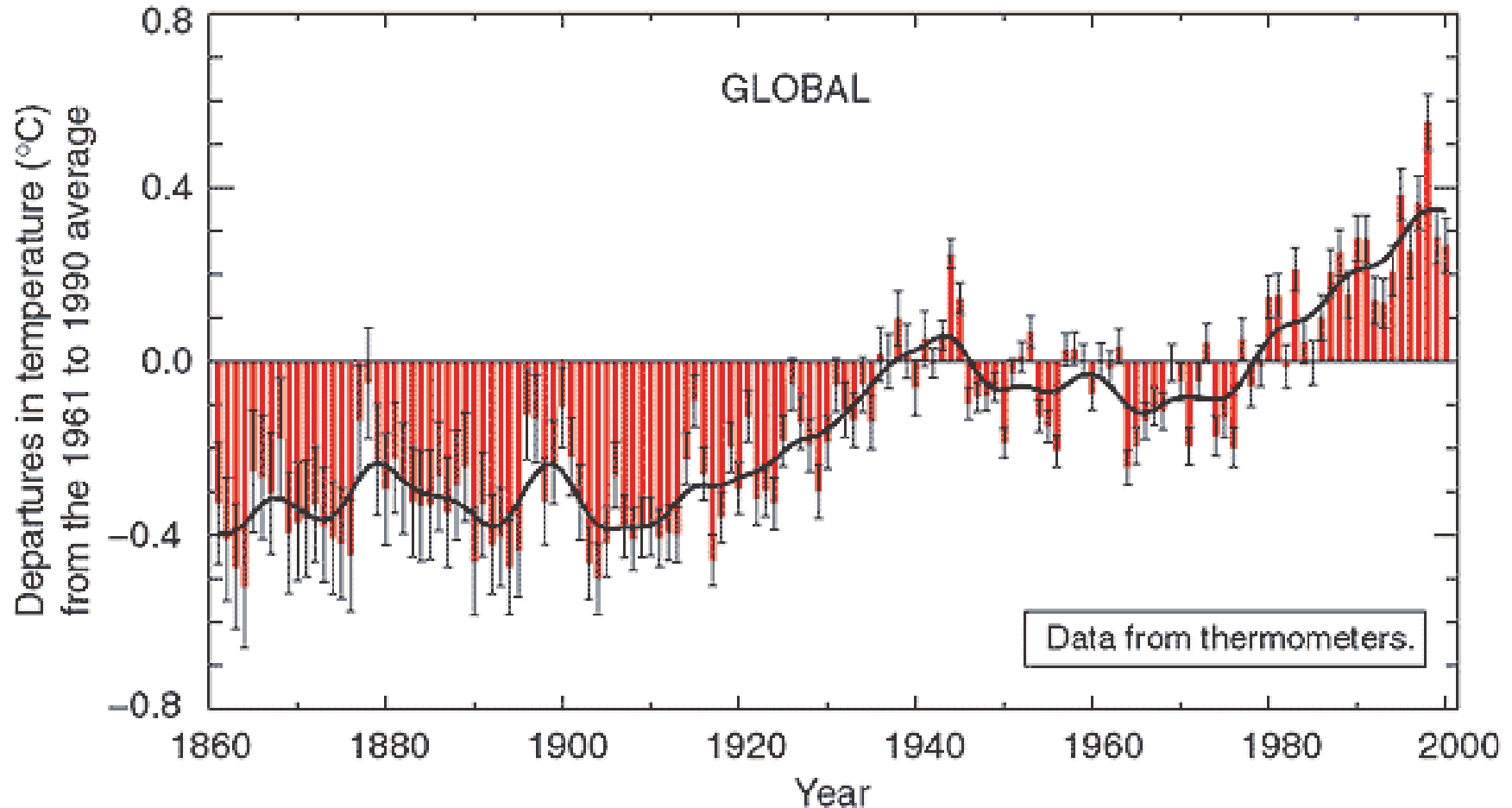
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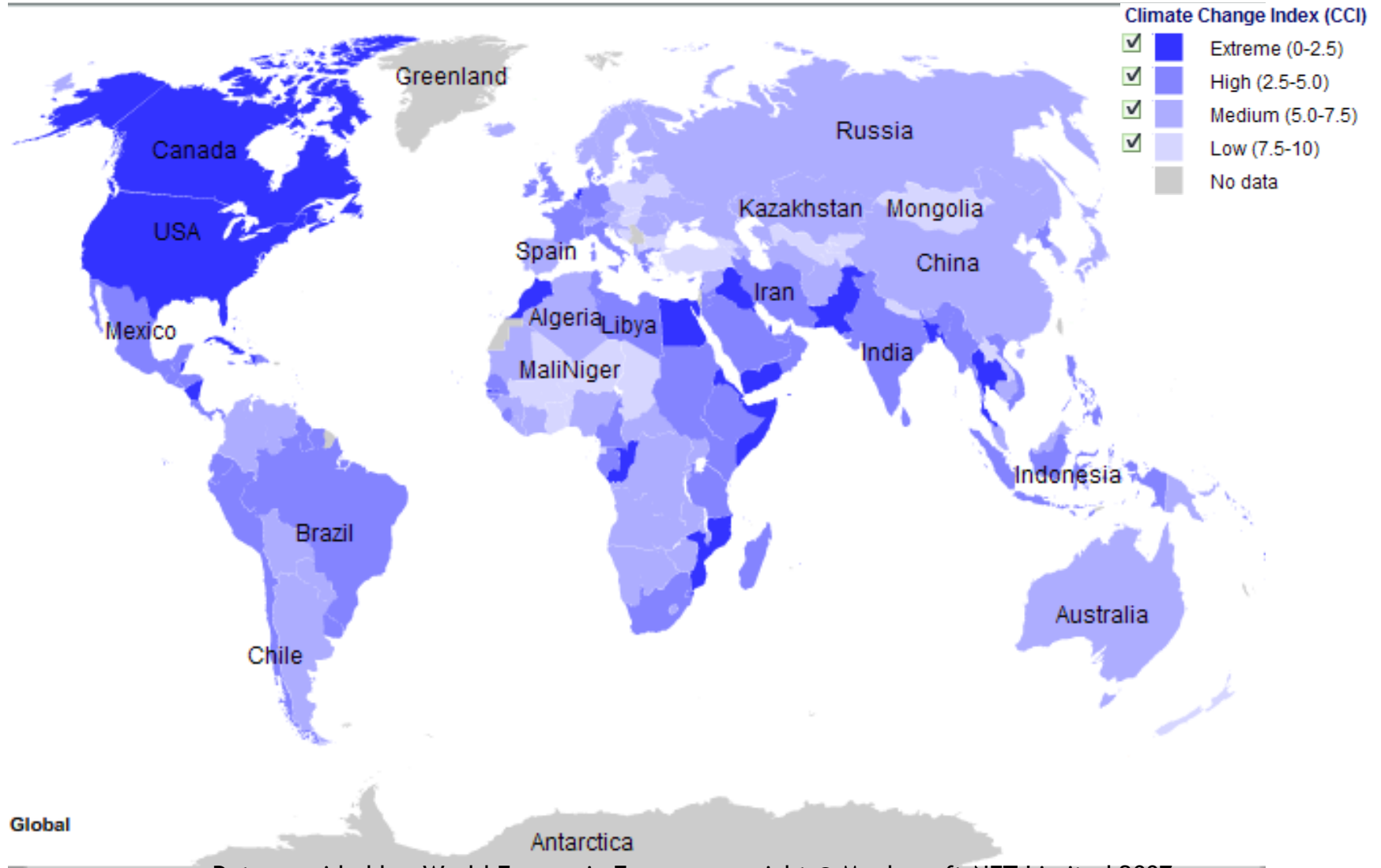
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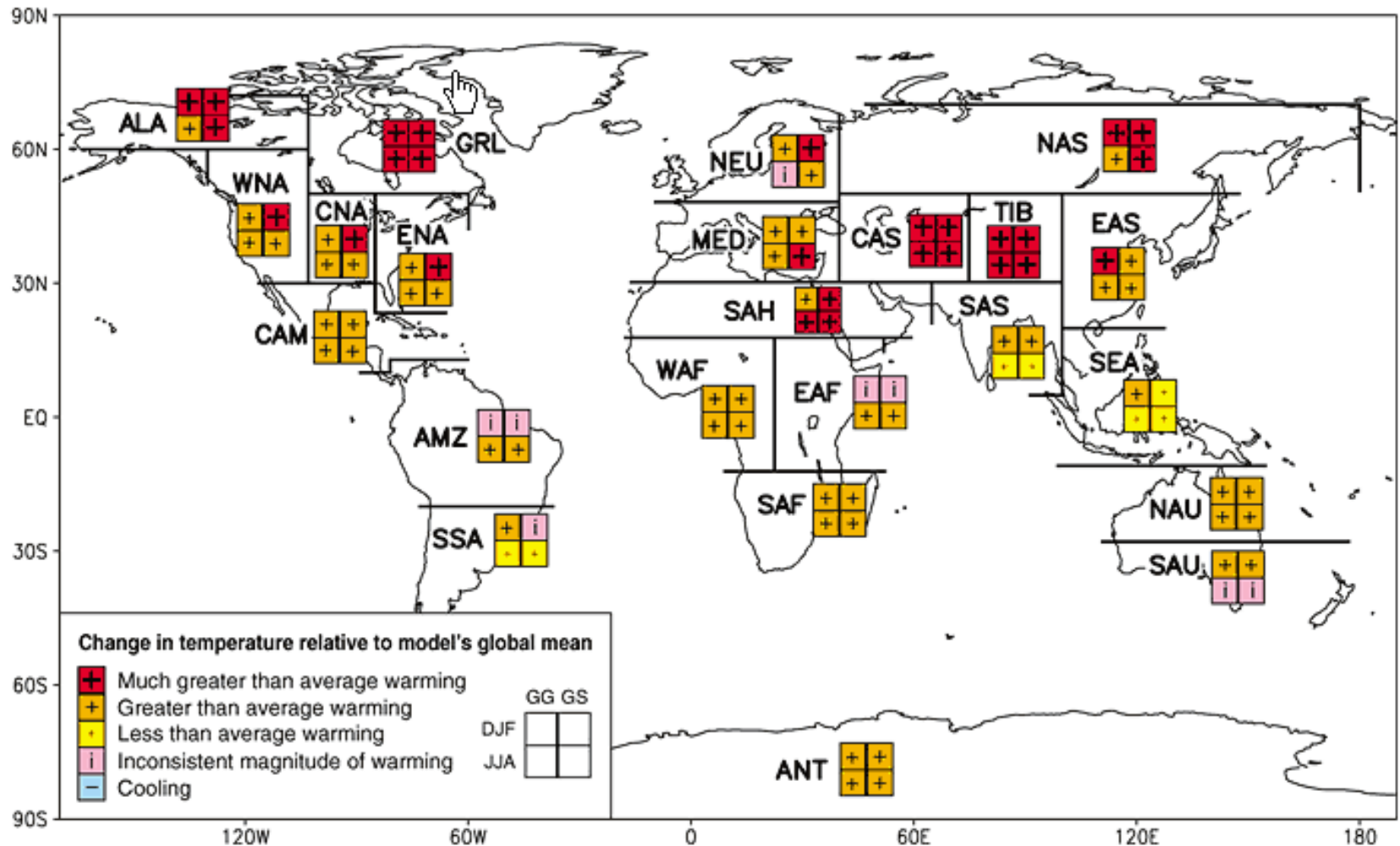
Global map of climate change 2006



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IPCC-Data: Regional Warming [inter-modell consistency]



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North Amerika

Europe



Summary of climate changes and their probable impact on major international travel flows

MAJOR TOURISM FLOW	ORIGIN MARKET CLIMATE CHANGE	DESTINATION REGION CLIMATE CHANGE	IMPLICATIONS FOR DESTINATION REGION	POSSIBLE MARKET REACTIONS
NORTHERN EUROPE TO MEDITERRANEAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Much warmer, wetter winters - Warmer, drier summers - More "reliable" summers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Warmer, wetter winters - Much warmer, drier summers - Changes more marked in Eastern Mediterranean - Increased heat index - More days above 40°C - More arid landscape - Small tidal range means greater sea level rise impact 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Greater drought and fire risk - Increased water shortages - Greater personal heat stress - Beach degradation and habitat loss due to sea level rises - Vulnerability to more tropical diseases (eg malaria) - More flash floods - Poor urban air quality in cities 	<p><i>Overwhelmingly a leisure travel market</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Improvement of Northern European summers triggers more domestic holidays - Decreased incentive for Mediterranean summer holidays - Increased incentive for shoulder month Mediterranean holidays - Increased incentive for southerners to go north
NORTH AMERICA TO EUROPE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Warmer winters - Warmer summers - Slight rainfall increases - S.E. USA (Florida) at risk from beach erosion, greater storm risk - Pacific coast greater storm risk and higher rainfall 	<p>Northern Europe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Much warmer, wetter winters - Warmer, drier summers - More "reliable" summers <p>Southern Europe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Warmer, wetter winters - Much warmer, drier summers - E. Med. esp. sharp changes - Increased heat index - More days above 40°C - Sea level rises 	<p>Northern Europe <i>(80% of flow is to this sub-region)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - More attractive climate for summer holidays - Possibly greater congestion at key sites and cities <p>Southern Europe <i>(20% of flow is to this sub-region)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Greater drought risk - Increased water shortages - Greater fire risk - More beach degradation due to sea level rises 	<p><i>Approx. 70% leisure, 30% business</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Too hot for peak summer cultural visits to southern Europe; - Shoulder months travel may increase - Little change foreseen for travel to northern Europe
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Source: Travel Research International 2002/2006

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North Amerika

Europe



Summary of climate changes and their probable impact on major international travel flows

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NORTH AMERICA TO CARIBBEAN			Vulnerable to sea level rise Beach erosion Coastal and reef damage Salt water intrusion of aquifers Increased costs for air conditioning Increased costs for sea defences Increased control of tropical diseases (eg malaria)	- Beach product offering becomes less attractive (heat index, beach erosion, sea and coral quality) - Less need to escape northern climate - Loss of confidence in destination health risks
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Elderly (esp. European) may avoid travel to „very hot summer destinations“; i. g.

- the Mediterranean Basin
- East Coast USA
- South-West USA
- Australian Cities

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