

The Integrated Sustainable Urban Transport Plan Dresden 2025

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City development

■ First destruction 1945



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City development

■ Second destruction – socialist city planning



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City development

- However, Dresden stayed beautiful



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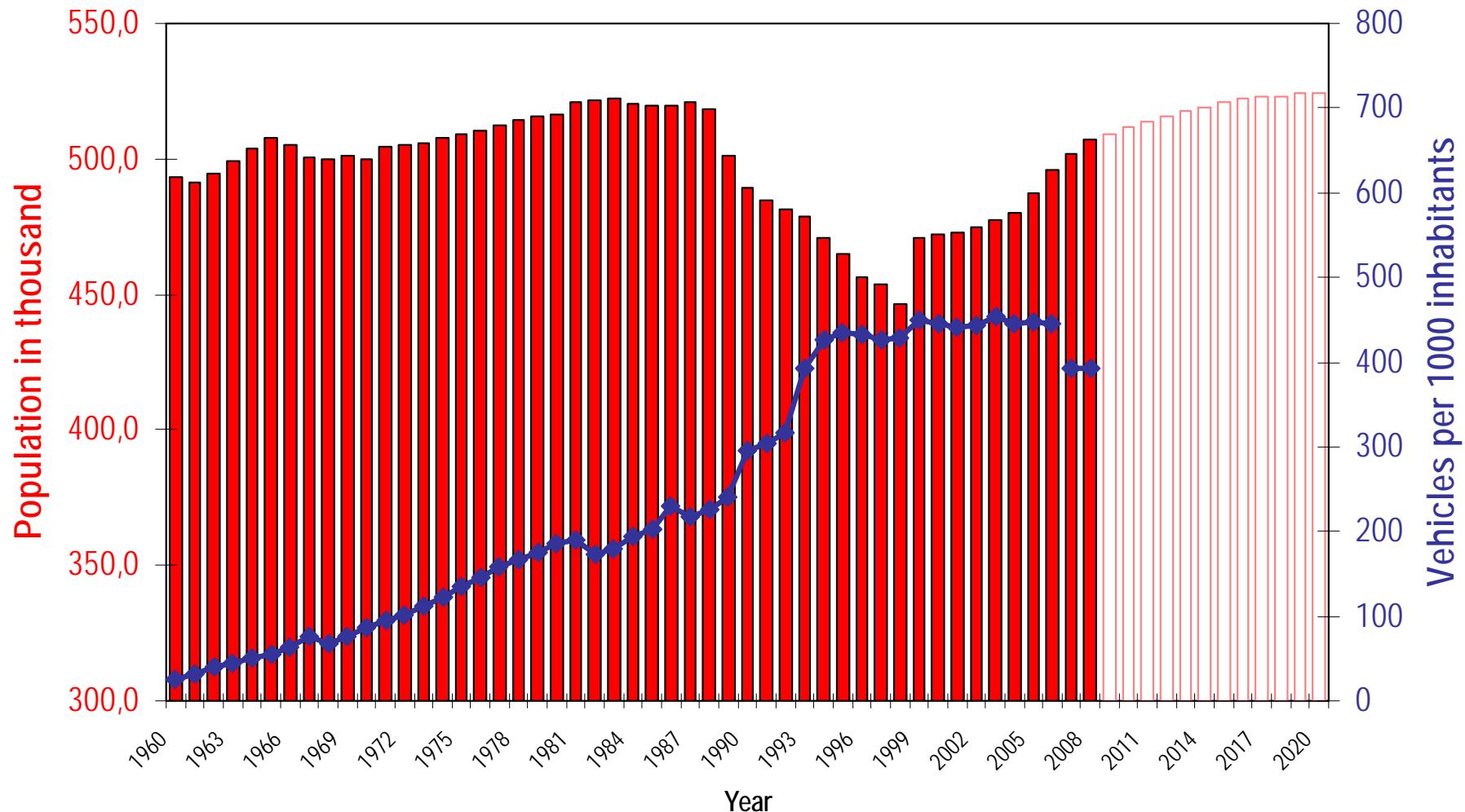
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Population and motorization



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Transport infrastructure

1.442 km road network

7 Elbe river bridges

59 km rapid transit network

200 km tram network

12 tram lines / 160 tram vehicles

300 km bus network

28 bus routes / 155 busses

3 Elbe ferries

Mobility in Dresden

Main data of a week day

643 000 trips by car

338 000 pedestrian walks

249 000 bicycle rides

327 000 trips by PT

of which

41 000 commuters outbound

plus

86 000 commuters inbound

without through traffic and commercial traffic

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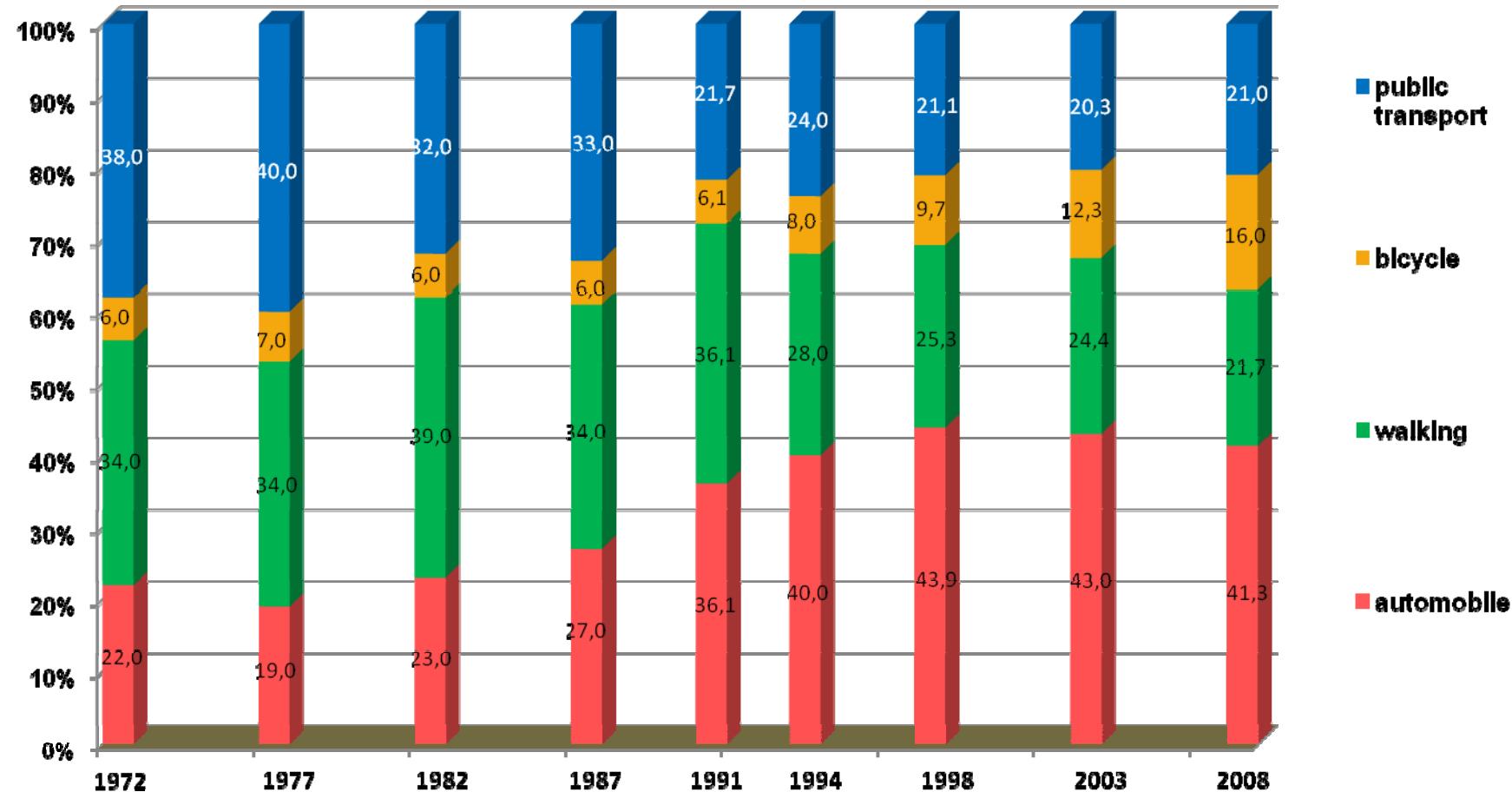


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Modal split in Dresden (all trips of residents)



In 2008 37 % of Dresdens households had no private car!

Mobility in cities - SrV

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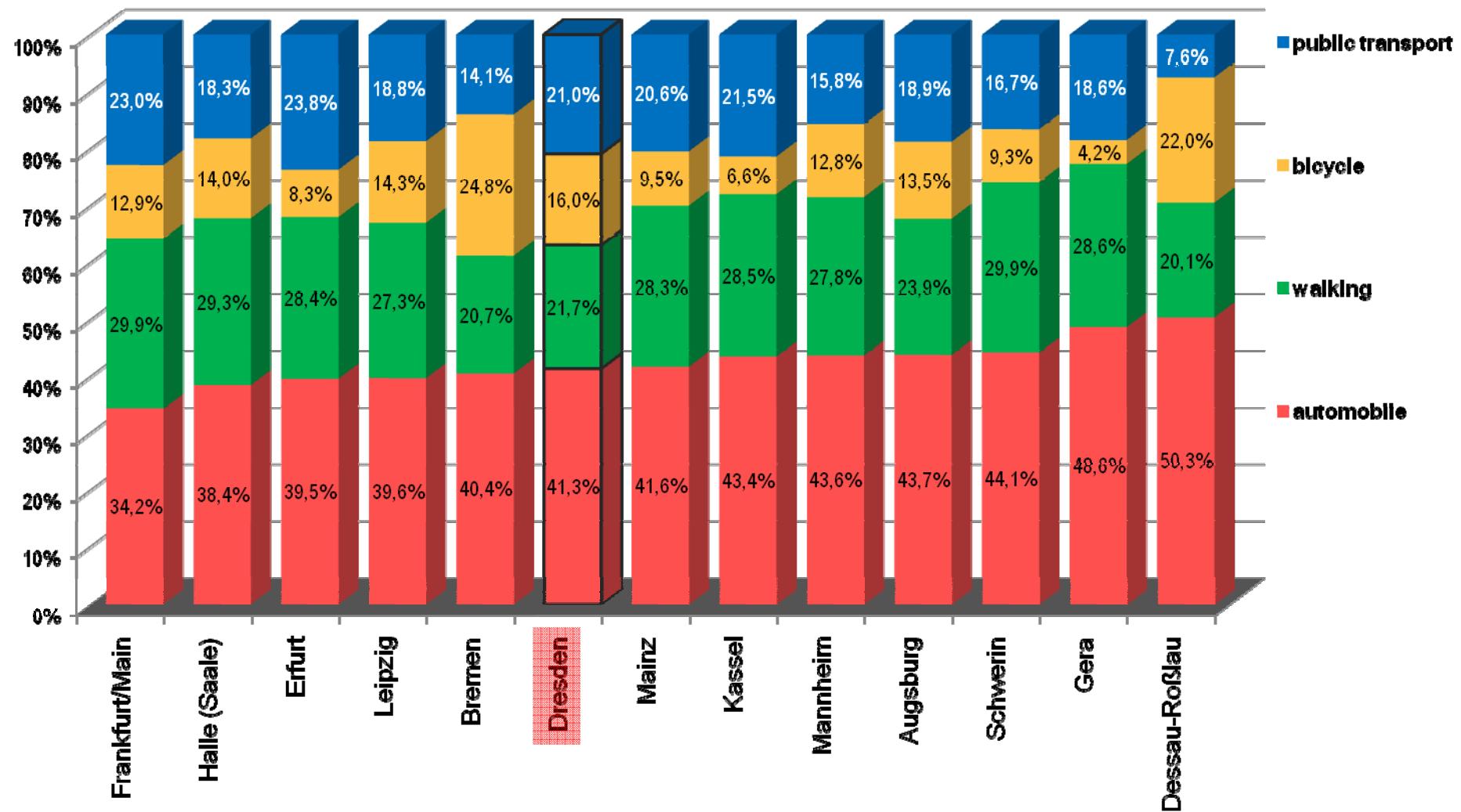
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Dresden in comparison with other German cities

SrV 2008, all trips of residents



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DRESDEN'S MOBILITY STRATEGY in the past so far four major areas

City development
and transport

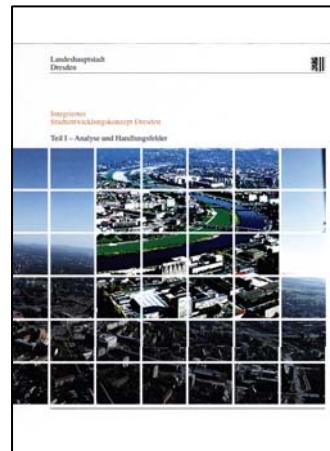
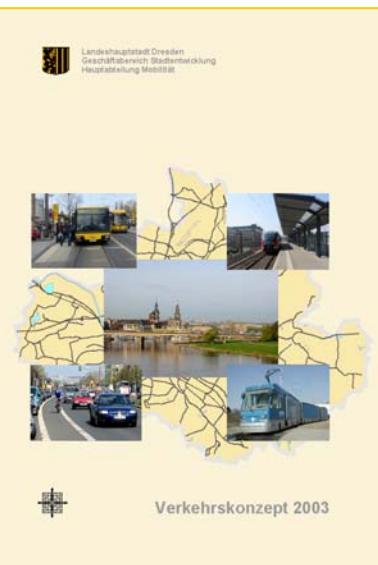
Transport
infrastructure

Transport
management

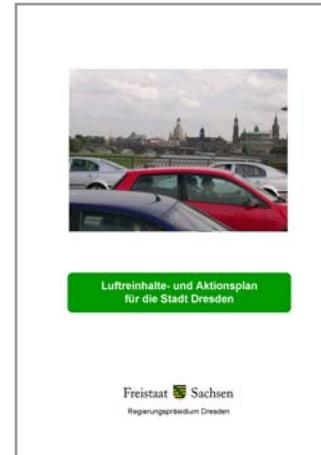
Mobility
management



Many plans and strategies need integration and coordination



SrV 2008



Freistaat Sachsen
Regierungssitz Dresden

Dresden
mobility strategie

Prognose 2025



European standards and requirements

Klimaschutz-bericht

Verkehrsentwicklungsplan (VEP) Dresden 2025 = Sustainable Urban Transport Plan (SUTP)

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SUTP Dresden 2025 – The new strategic bridge

SUSTAINABLE URBAN TRANSPORT PLAN

Clean
Air
Plan

Noise
Action
Plan

Transport
measures
and
concepts

Public
Transport
Plan

Further
sector
plans
related
to traffic
and
transport

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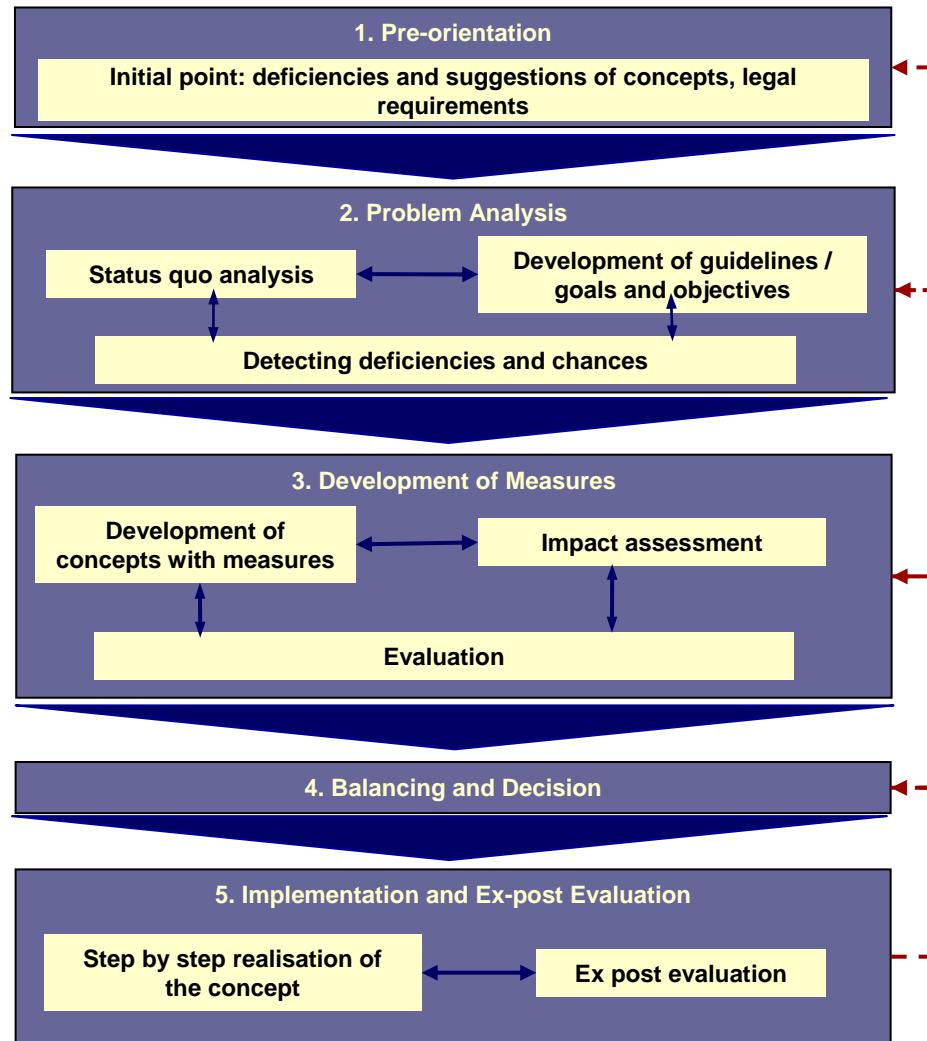
Definition of integrated transport planning

- „Anticipated systematic preparation and conduction of decision processes with the intention, to influence trips in a certain planning area according to goals and objectives through land-use measures, construction of facilities, police measures, operational management, price and information measures.“ (FGSV 1985)
- Generally as an interdisciplinary task, orientated to the future.
- A continuous, iterative and transparent process.
- A process on different planning levels (federal, state, regional and local transport planning).
- An informal co-operative process, not regulated by laws.
- A process, divided into the 5 phases: pre-orientation, problem analyses, development of measures, balancing and decision, implementation and ex-post evaluation.

Process of transport planning

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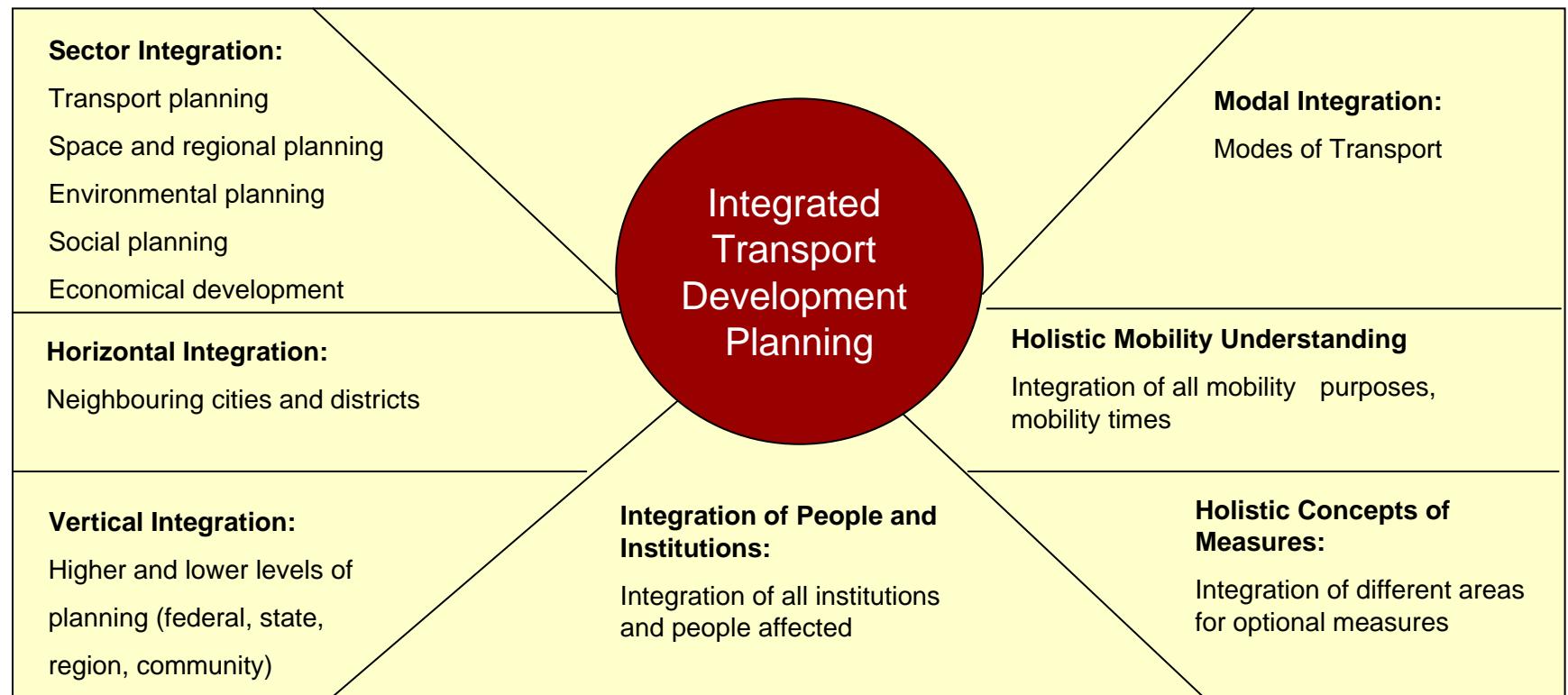
- ▼ decision or acceptance by policy maker
- ↔ exchange effects
- - -> feed back loop



Source: FGSV: Leitfaden für Verkehrsplanung, Köln, 2001

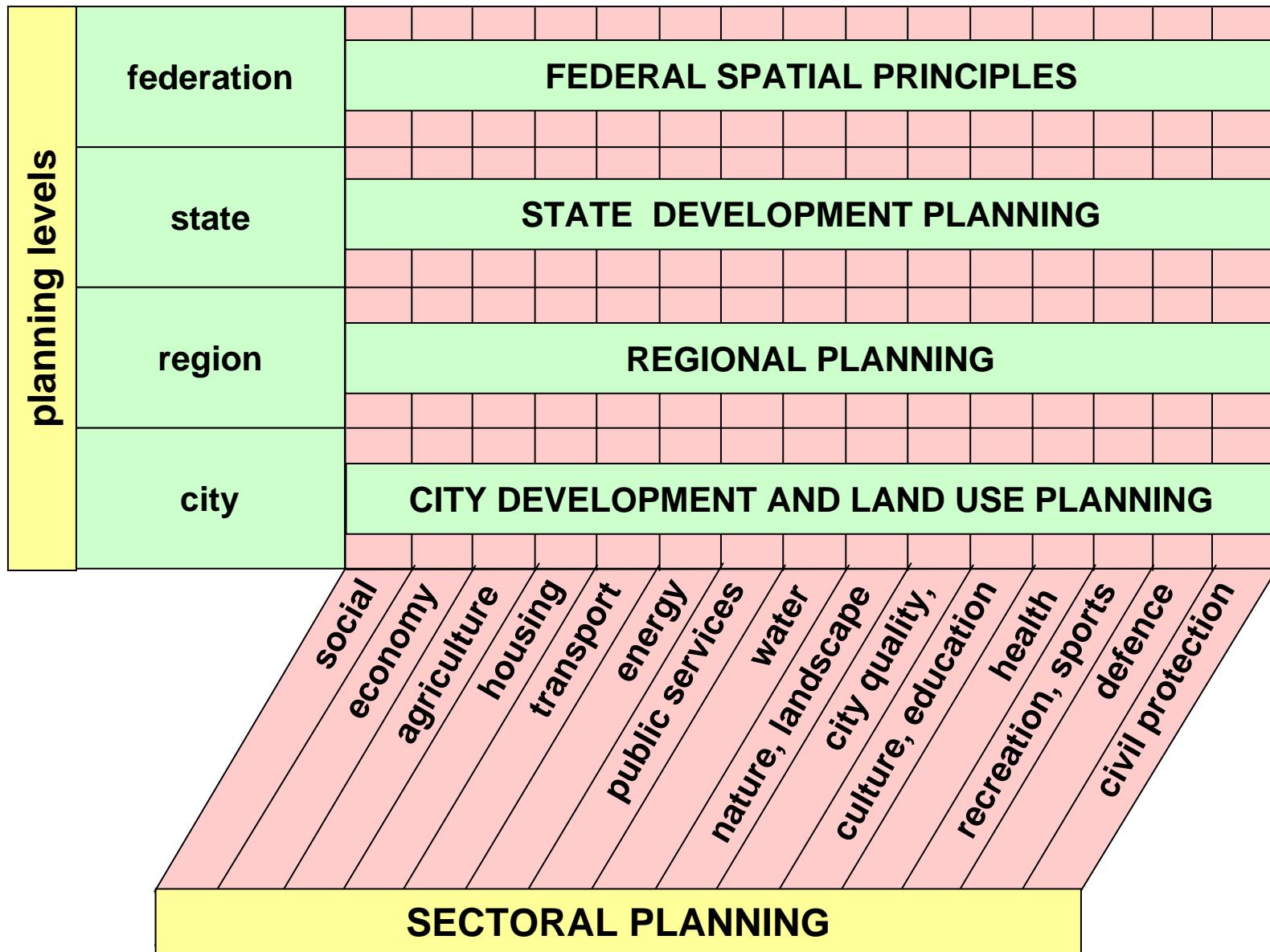
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SUTP Dresden 2025 – the integrated approach



Derived from: Beckmann,K ; Kreitz,M: Definition einer integrierten Gesamtverkehrsplanung, In: Rheinisch-Westfälische Technische Hochschule Aachen (Hrsg.): Stadt Region Land, Heft 67, Aachen, 1999, P. 22

Many sector plans need integration and cooperation



Range of measures in integrated transport planning and management

0. Land use planning

- Determination and control of land uses to reduce traffic demand
- New developments in "integrated" zones or areas with public transport access

1. Engineering

- Construction of routes and transport facilities for all modes, multi and inter-modal use
- Vehicle improvements
- Information technology, e. g. multi modal navigation systems

2. Economy

- Taxation (vehicles, energy, ...)
- User-financed systems
- Road pricing
- Fares
- Land value capture
- Parking management

3. Enforcement

- Legislation, emission and other standards
- Access restrictions, car free zones, emission-control zones
- Speed limits
- Safety control
- Traffic guidance and control
- Police enforcement, fixed quotas

4. Education, Information

- Transport behaviour issues in school
- Driver education
- Public awareness, public relations
- Mobility Management on all levels
- Involvement of media
- Public participation

5. Organisational and logistic measures

- Improved efficiency (car-sharing, car-pooling, ...)
- Differentiated supply also for inter and multi-modal use
- Incentives, privileges for best practice approaches

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Integration of planning and managing

Plans and measures of higher levels and from neighbouring regions or cities

Urban development and land use planning

Integrated transport development planning

demand oriented

'hard'
measures

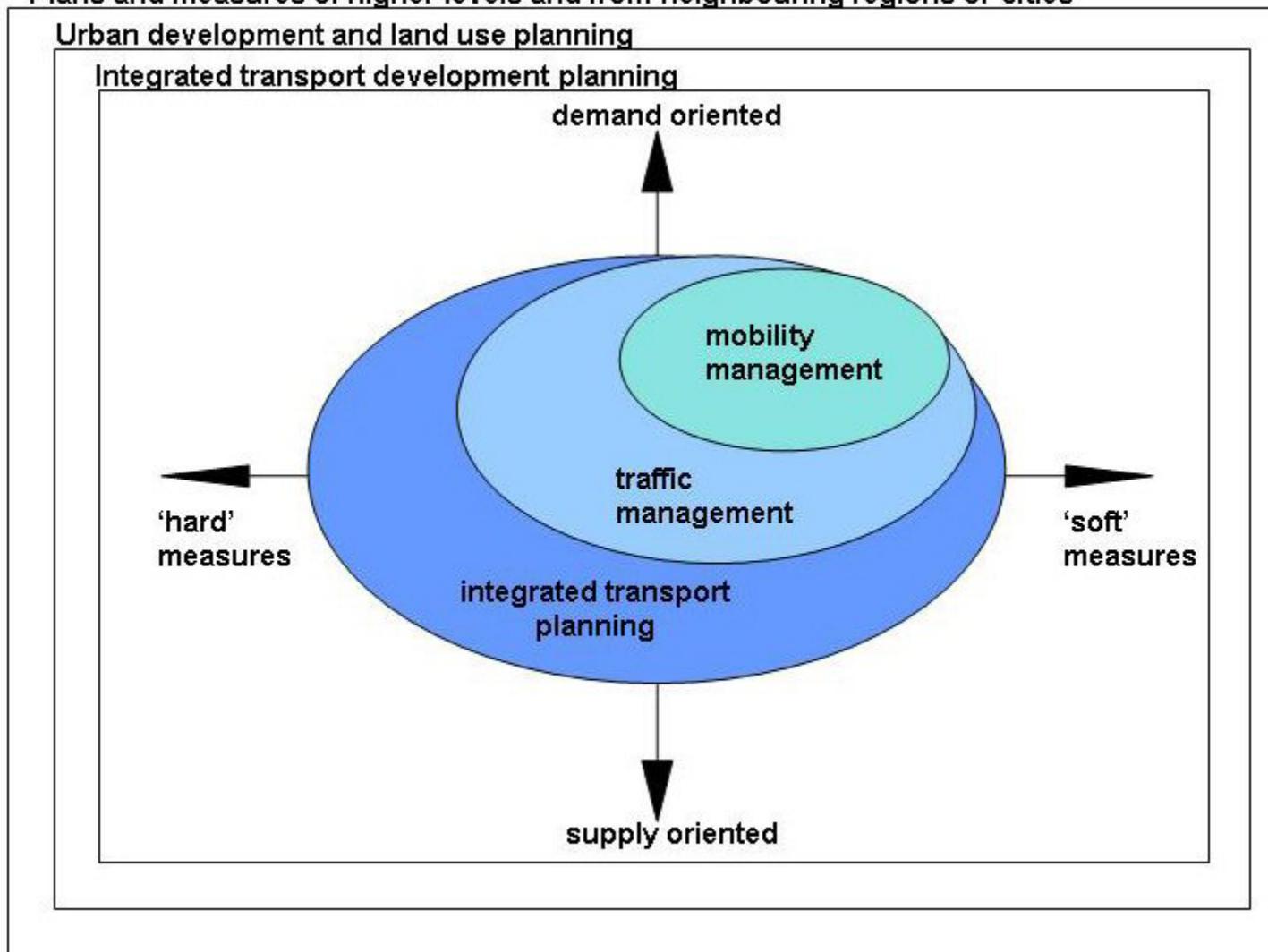
'soft'
measures

mobility
management

traffic
management

integrated transport
planning

supply oriented



Derived from: FGSV: Verkehrsmanagement – Einsatzberichte und Einsatzgrenzen. FGSV – Arbeitspapier Nr. 56, Köln 2002.

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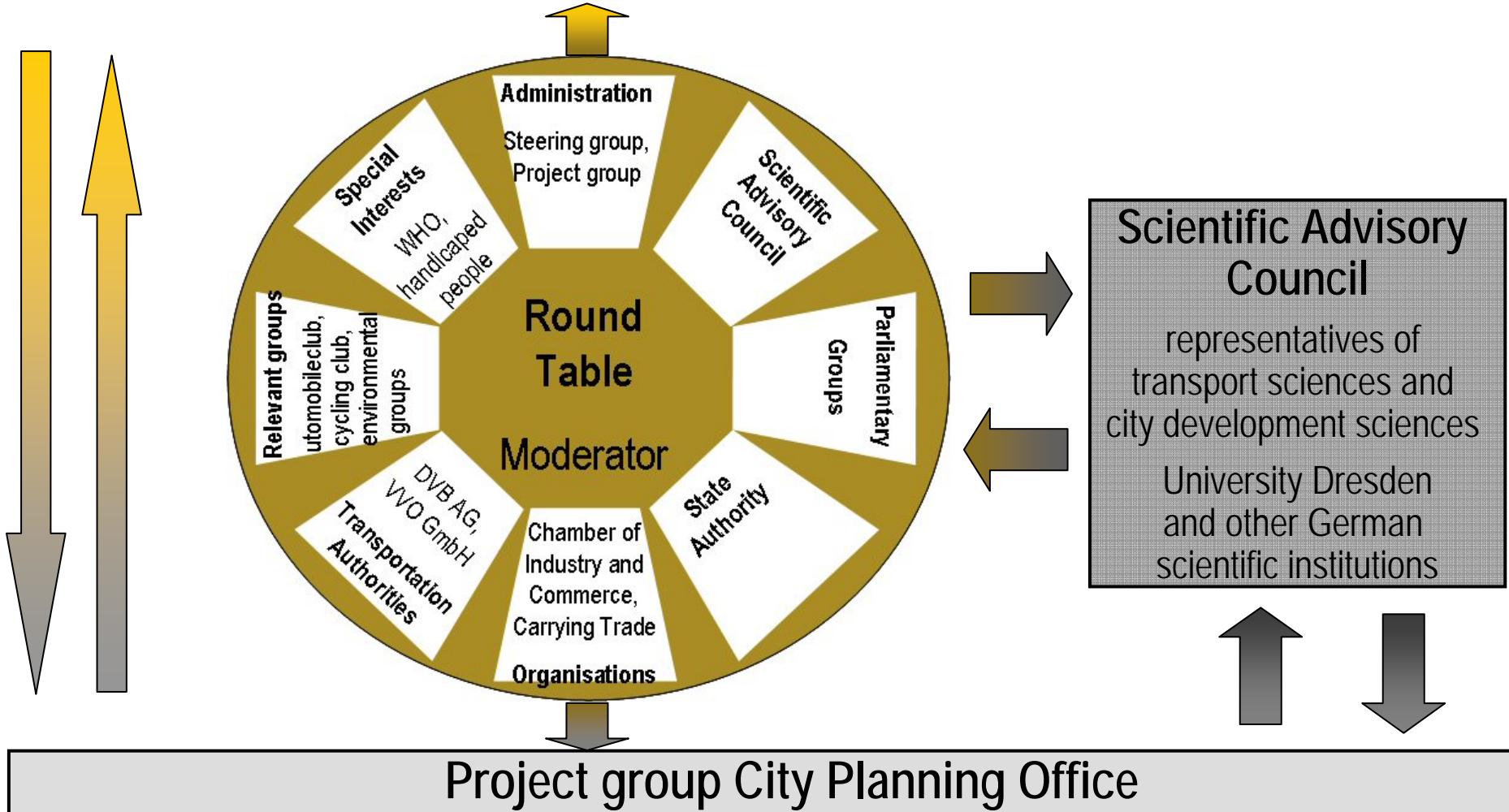
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SUTP Dresden 2025: Communication and cooperation

Steering group

representatives of the City Council, mayor of city development, project leader



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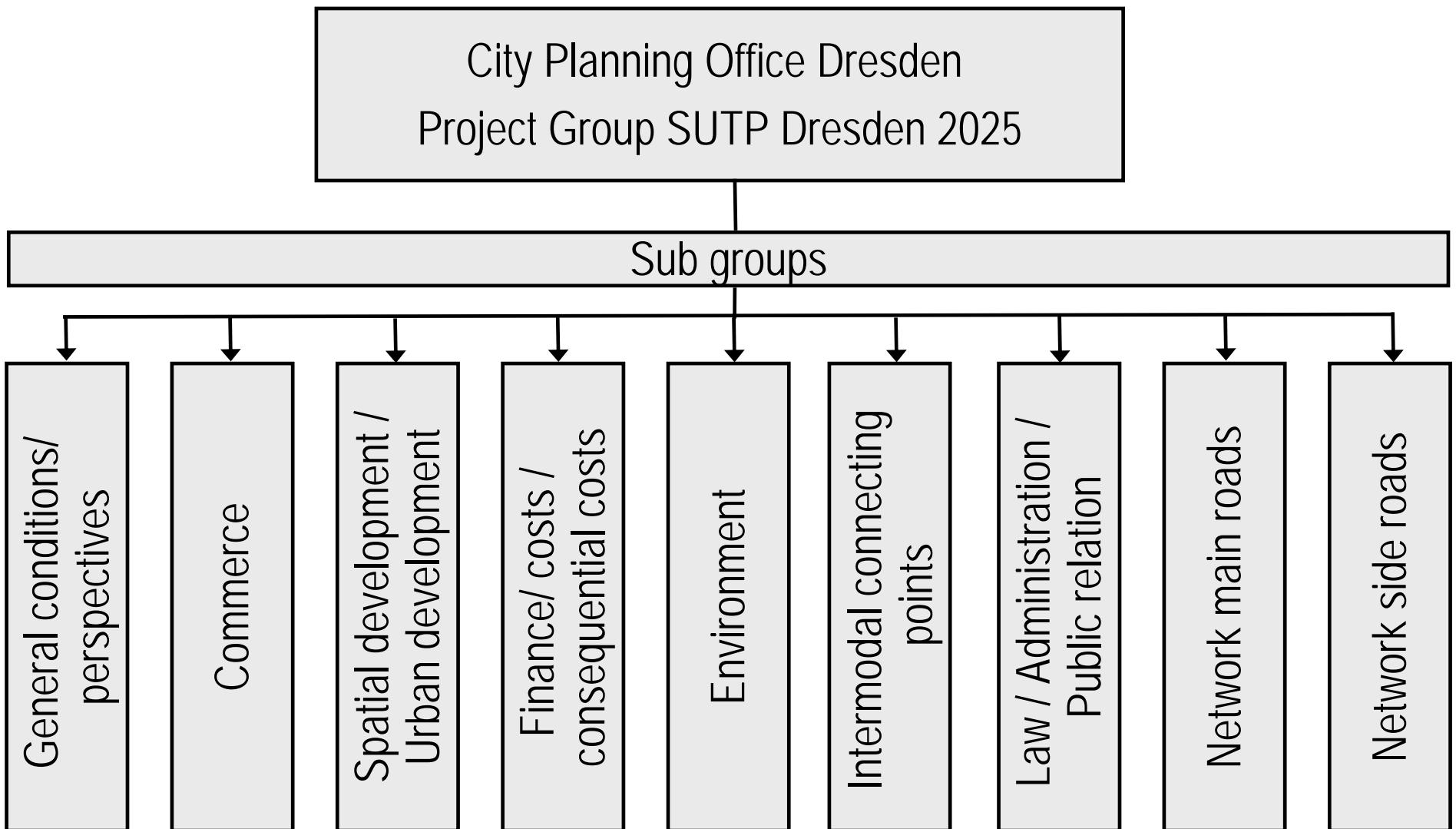
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SUTP Dresden 2025: Project Group Administration



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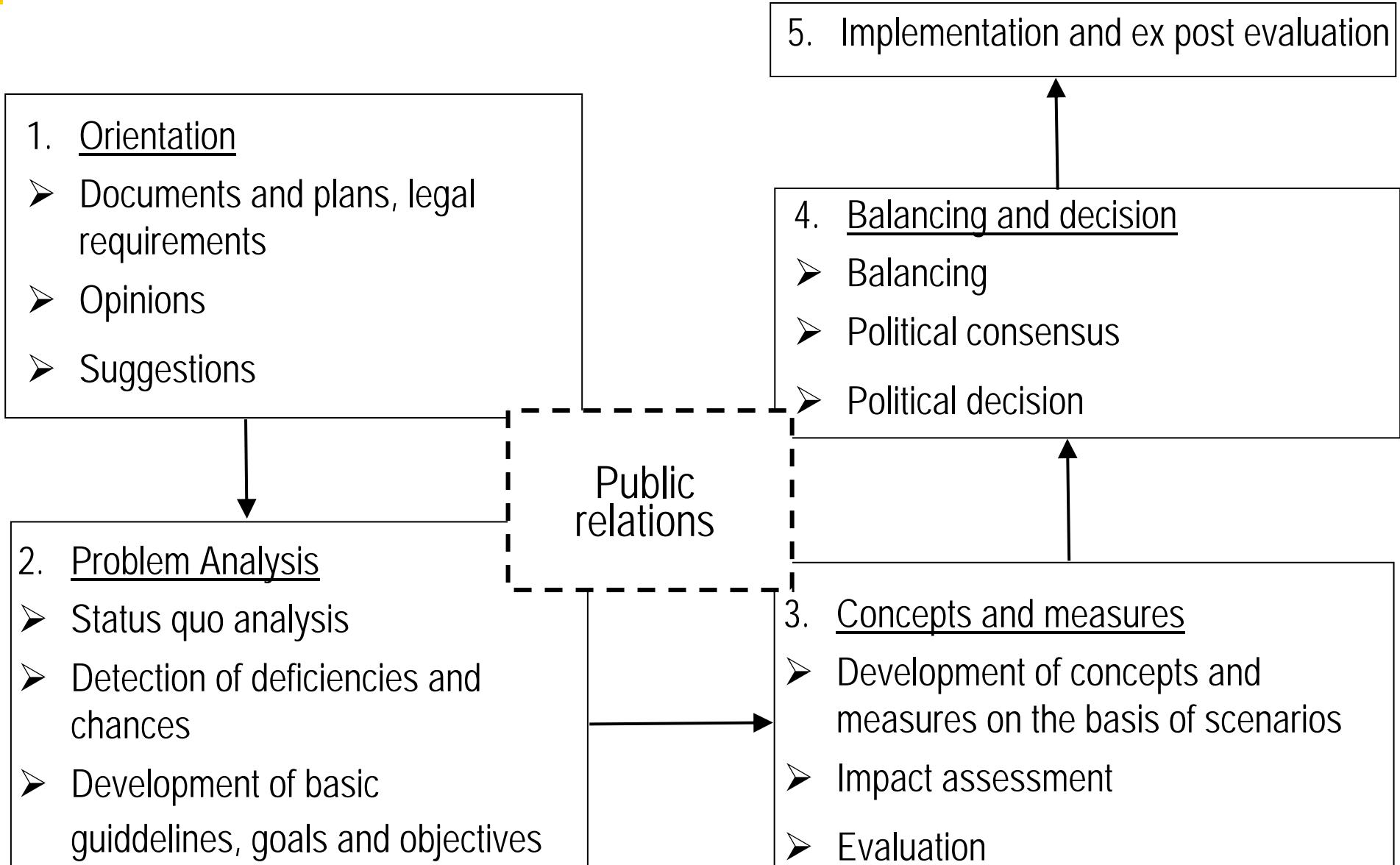
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SUTP Dresden 2025: work phases



SUTP Dresden 2025 – expected issues and results

- Minimal congestion free network of arterials
(Truck guidance, traffic management, accessibility of commercial locations, immission standards)
- Maximal traffic quietened network (speed 30 km/h-zones)
- Maintenance of infrastructure
- Improved accessibility for commercial traffic
- Safety control program
- Parking policy, Park and Ride, Bike and Ride
- Public transport system development with integrated public bicycles in the inner city
- Promotion of the sustainable modes, mobility management, multi modality
- Noise and pollution action plans, CO₂-reduction
- Incentives for sustainable mobility strategies

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