



State of the Map 2022

## Modeling accessibility to public green in large urban centers using OSM data

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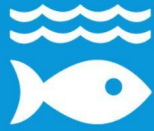
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Customizable selection of green areas



Identification of accessible and public areas through key:value pairs and/or the street network



World-wide coverage

Key	value
leisure	park
leisure	garden
landuse	forest
landuse	grass
landuse	meadow
landuse	recreation_ground
natural	wood
natural	grassland
natural	meadow

- OSRM [Open Source Routing Machine] - to compute walking distances between residential locations and green areas
- Key: 'access' to identify accessible urban green areas

- OSM extracts for large urban centers following the GHS Urban Centers Database definitions
- Largest 50 cities (with more than 100.000 inhabitants) for each country (~ 2500 urban centers)
- Population data from the Global Human Settlement - population layer, 9 arcsec resolution





**RQ1:** How does OSM data on green land-use compare to Copernicus Urban Atlas?

**RQ2:** Can we build a framework to consistently measure accessibility to public green areas at a high-resolution?

**RQ3:** Can we use the framework to model the impact of different policy scenarios?

# Our interactive tool

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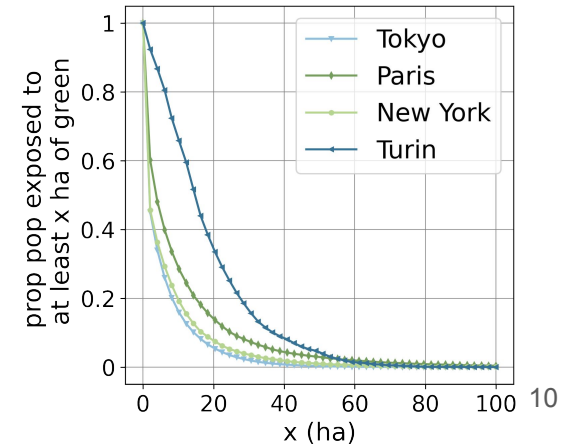
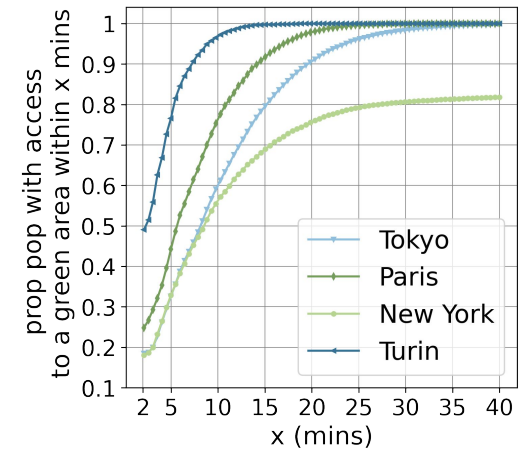
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type of index= **Minimum Distance  
(in min)**

## City center of Paris

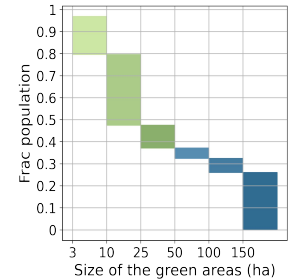
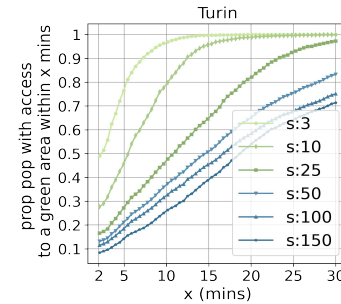
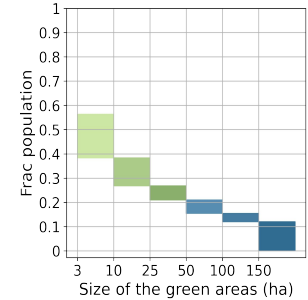
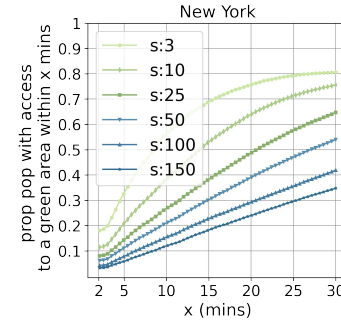
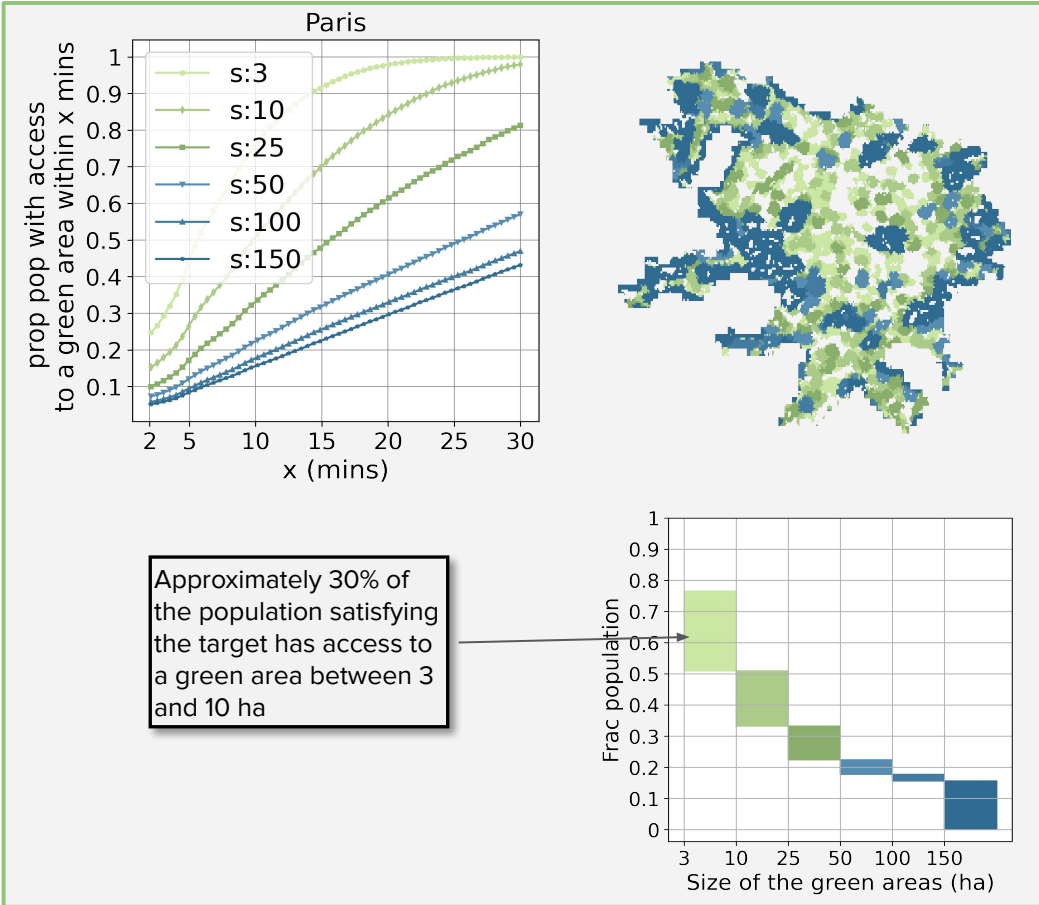


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type of green= ['parks', 'forests',  
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public green minimum size= 3 ha  
type of index= **Total Exposure  
within 10 mins (in ha)**



# Unveiling the importance of small green areas

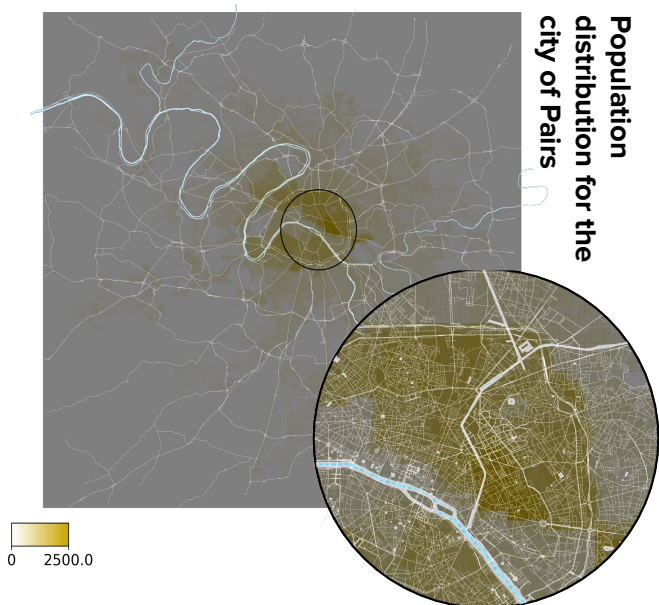


# Designing policy scenarios

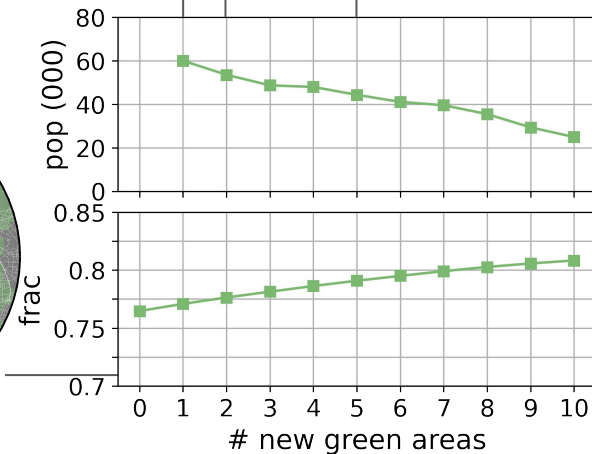
Selected scenario: Adding 10 optimally located public green areas in Paris

## Objective:

Maximize share of population with access to a public green area of at least 3ha (4 soccer courts) within 10 mins from the residential area



Green: Residential areas with access to public green within 10 minutes



# Thank you!

All updates on the project will be published here:

<https://github.com/alibatti/AccessToGreenOSM>

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