

# SMART CITIES: CONCEPT, CHALLENGES AND PROJECTS



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# SMART CITY DEFINITION







#### **WORKING DEFINITION**

A Smart City connects human capital, social capital and ICT infrastructure in order to address public issues, achieve a sustainable development and increase the quality of life of its citizens.

### **SMART CITY GOALS**

- Achieve a sustainable development.
- Increase the quality of life of its citizens.
- Improve the efficiency of the existing and new infrastructure.

### **ICT FACTOR**

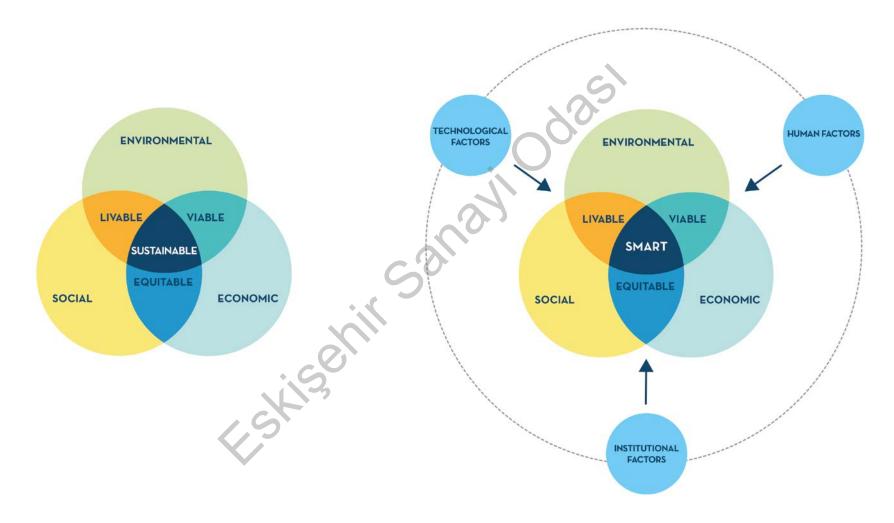
Use of Information and Communication Technologies as a mean to achieve its objectives. ICT as tool for the improvement of the city.

# SUSTAINABLE vs









SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT MODEL

**SMART DEVELOPMENT MODEL** 

# SMART CITY DEFINITION







#### MAIN ACTORS

- Government and city authorities.
- Public-private partnerships.
- Citizen participation.

### SCOPE OF THE SMART CITY

- Effects on the nearby settlements economically and socially connected.
- Expansion to the whole region.
- Regional and interregional networks.

### **IMPLEMENTATION OF SMART CITY PROJECTS**

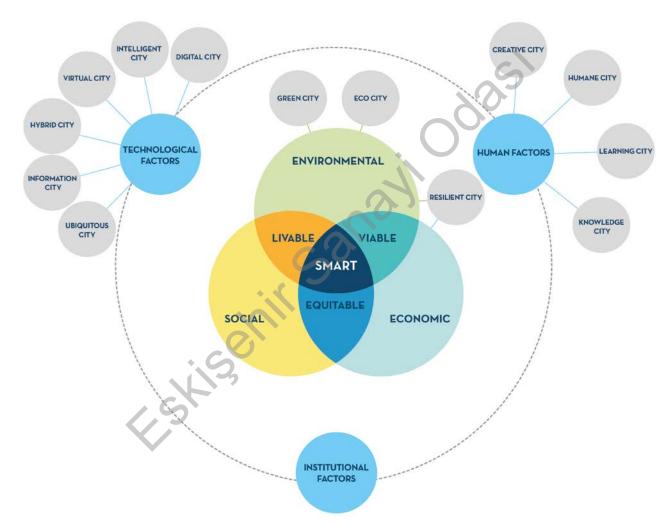
- Pilot projects.
- Global Smart City strategy + testing projects embraced on it.
- High risk projects with long payback periods.
- Difficulties to have access to traditional financial resources.

# OTHER CITY CONCEPTS









RELATION BETWEEN OTHER CONCEPTS AND THE SMART CITY MODEL

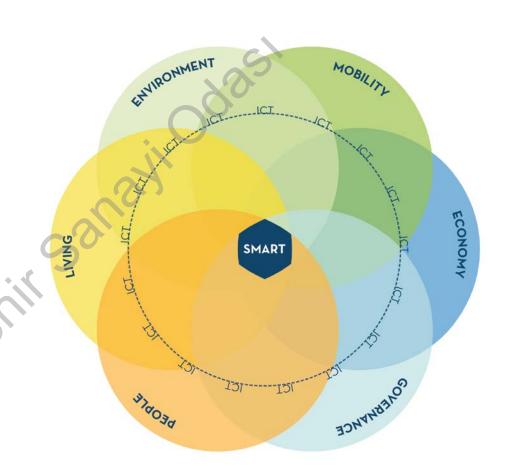
# **ACTION FIELDS**







- Smart Governance
- Smart Economy
- Smart Mobility
- Smart Environment
- Smart People
- Smart Living



SMART CITY ACTION FIELDS. ICT AS COMMON ENABLER

# SMART CITY AREAS







SMART CITY ACTION FIELDS AND AREAS			
SUSTAINABLE CITY ASPECTS	CITY AXES	SMART CITY ACTION FIELDS	SMART CITY AREAS
	INSTITUTIONS	GOVERNANCE	PARTICIPATION
			TRANSPARENCY
economic			PUBLIC AND SOCIAL SERVICES
		ECONOMY	INNOVATION
			ENTREPRENEURSHIP
	HABITAT	MOBILITY	TRAFFIC
			PUBLIC TRANSPORT
			ICT INFRASTRUCTURE
environmental			LOGISTICS
		ENVIRONMENT	NETWORK AND ENVIRONMENTAL
			MONITORING
	16		ENERGY EFFICIENCY
social	CITIZEN	PEOPLE	DIGITAL EDUCATION
			CREATIVITY
		LIVING	TOURISM & CULTURE
			HEALTH & SAFETY
			TECHNOLOGY ACCESIBILITY







		CITY CHA	ALLENGES		
GOVERNANCE	ECONOMY	MOBILITY	ENVIRONMENT	PEOPLE	LIVING
Flexible governance	Unemployment	Sustainable mobility	Energy saving	Unemployment	Affordable housing
Shrinking cities	Shrinking cities	Inclusive mobility	Shrinking cities	Social cohesion	Social cohesion
Combination of formal and informal government	Economic decline	Multimodal public transport systems	Holistic approach to environmental and energy issues	Poverty	Health problems
Territorial cohesion	Territorial cohesion	Pollution	Pollution	Ageing population	Crime rate
	Mono-sectorial economy	Traffic congestion	Urban sprawl	Social diversity as source of innovation	Urban sprawl
	Sustainable local economies	Non-car mobility			
	Social diversity as source of innovation				





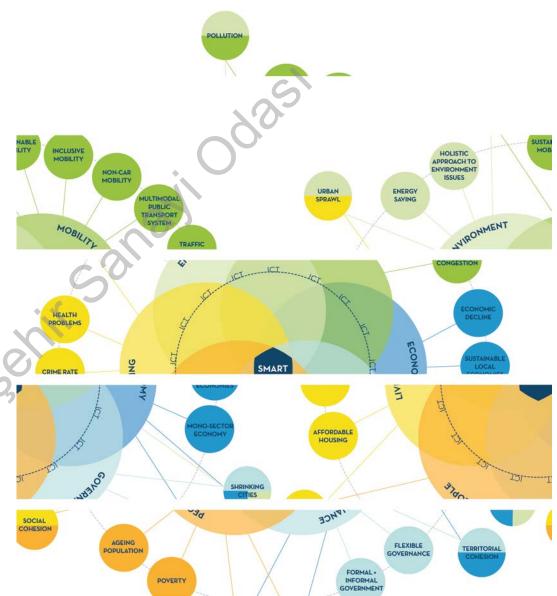


### **24 CITY CHALLENGES**

17 one-field challenges

- 5 mobility
- 3 living
- 3 economy
- 2 governance
- 2 people
- 2 environment

7 multi-field challenges

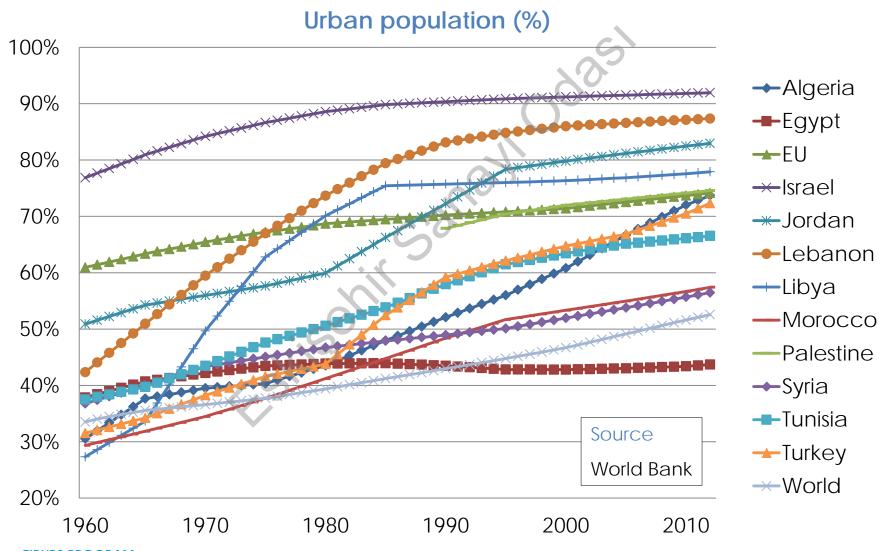








### MEDITERRANEAN REGION





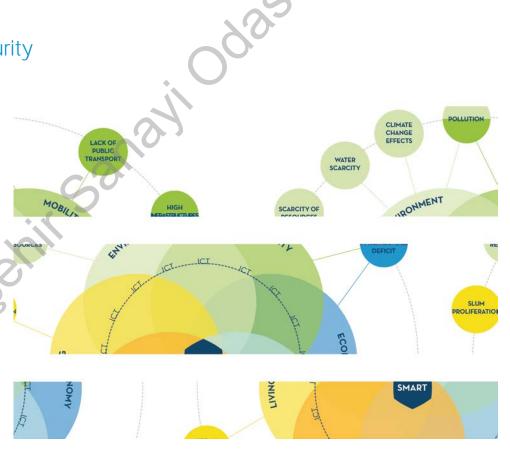




### MEDITERRANEAN REGION

### SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN CITIES CHALLENGES

- Slum proliferation
- Urban violence and insecurity
- Urban poverty
- Climate change effects
- Congestion + pollution
- Lack of public transport
- Water scarcity
- High infrastructure deficits
- Shortage in access to ICT
- Scarcity of resources



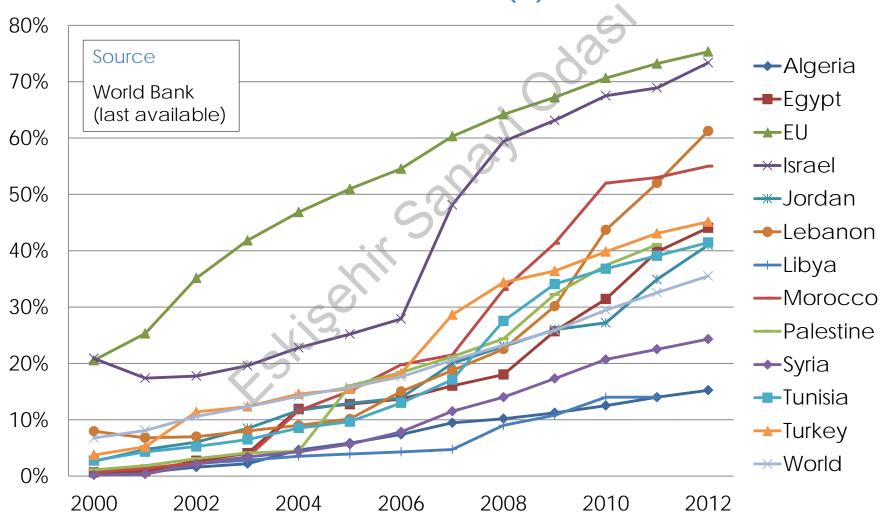






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### Internet users (%)

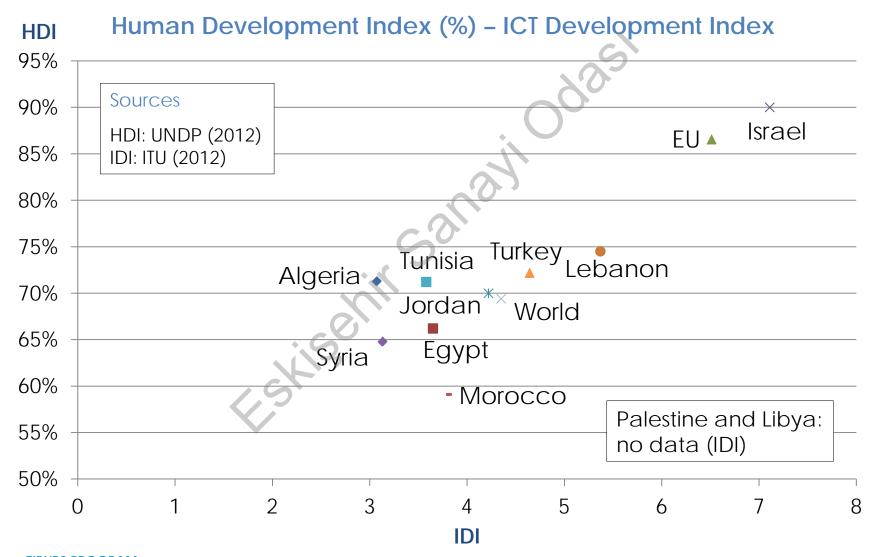








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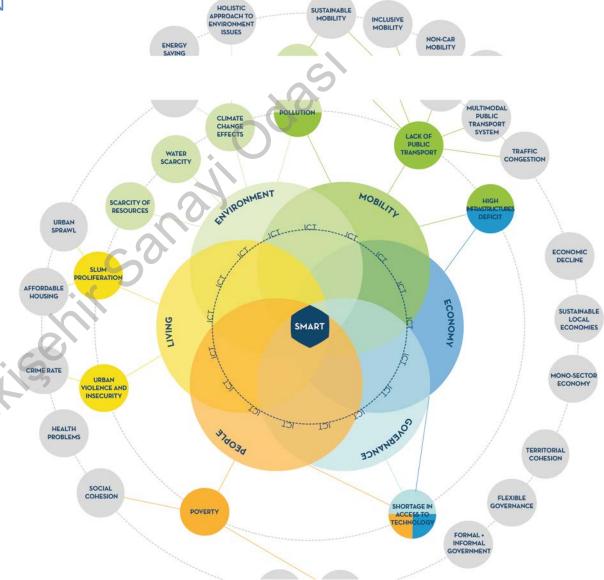




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# SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN CITIES CHALLENGES

Providing basic services looking forward to future challenges



**EIBURS PROGRAM.** 







ACTION FIELD	AREA	SMART CITY INITIATIVE	
SMART GOVERNANCE	PARTICIPATION	Complaints and suggestions  Participation in decision-making	
	TRANSPARENCY	Open Data  Municipal transparency	
	PUBLIC AND SOCIAL SERVICES	e-municipality City Council on social networks GIS	
		Social and City services information  Smart Justice	
SMART	INNOVATION	Innovation Centre e-commerce	
	ENTREPRENEURSHIP	Business centre job-search resource centres	







ACTION FIELD	AREA	SMART CITY INITIATIVE
SMART MOBILITY	TRAFFIC	Variable Traffic Management Traffic monitoring Traffic control
	PUBLIC TRANSPORT	Public Transportation App Card of Public Transportation Intelligent bus stops Car sharing Public bicycles Electric bus Tramway
	ICT INFRASTRUCTURE	Parking sensors Parking information NFC payment
	LOGISTICS	Smart Logistics







ACTION FIELD	AREA	SMART CITY INITIATIVE
MENT	NETWORK AND ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING	environmental Information and alerts  Containers with sensors  Monitoring distribution networks  App with incidents
SMART ENVIRONMENT	ENERGY EFFICIENCY	Recharging electric vehicles  Energy efficient in buildings  intelligent Lighting  Smart grids  Irrigation remote control  Renewables  District heating and cooling







ACTION FIELD	AREA	SMART CITY INITIATIVE	
SMART	DIGITAL EDUCATION	Centre for learning new technologies  Internet in schools	
O, T	CREATIVITY	Centre for creating apps	
	TOURISM & CULTURE	event information	
		tourism app	
	HEALTH & SAFETY	e-health	
		accessibility in public places	
		Telecare	
S		video surveillance	
	TECHNOLOGY ACCESIBILITY	free wifi	
		optical fibre	
		citizen card	

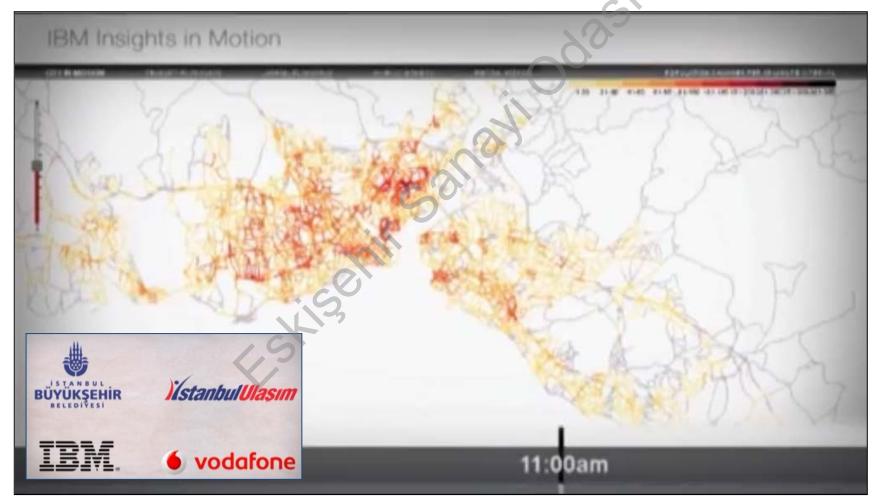






### SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

## "ISTANBUL HARETEK HALINDE" (ISTANBUL IN MOTION)









SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

### IBM RESEARCH CENTRE (HAIFA)



**SMARTER WATER PROJECT** 

LEAKAGE AND DEMAND FORECASTING

**WATER QUALITY** 

**HIGH AVAILABILITY** 

**AUTOMATED WATER MANAGEMENT** 

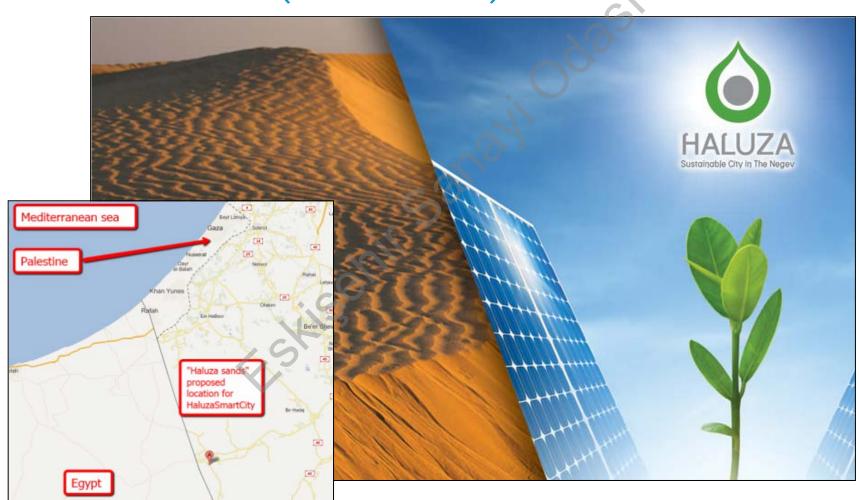






SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

HALUZA SMART CITY (PROJECT STAGE)









### SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

### **NEW CITY-BUILDING PROJECTS**



Casa Green Town (MA)

Tunis Smart City (TN)





Smart Village (EG)

Abdali District (JO)





Raoued (TN)

El Jadida (MA)









### SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

### **E-MUNICIPALITY SERVICES (TOP-DOWN)**













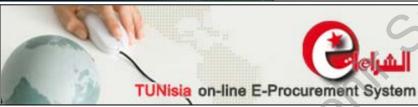


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### **E-GOVERNMENT (TOP-DOWN)**



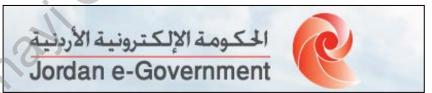
























### SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

### **MOBILITY PROJECTS**



**Public Bicycles** 



Tramway





Traffic monitoring

Public Transport App









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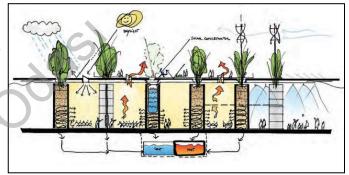
### **ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS**

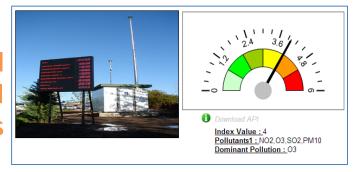


Energy efficiency in buildings

Renewables

Environmental information and alerts







Intelligent lighting

Monitoring distribution networks



in Ankara





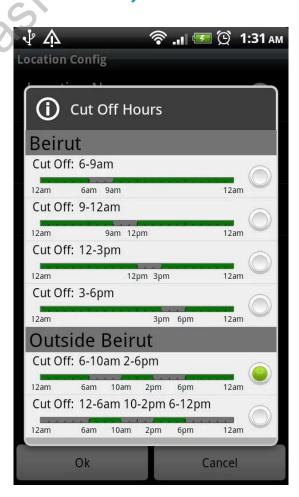


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### MOBILE APP: "BEIRUT ELECTRICITY CUT OFF" (BOTTOM-UP)







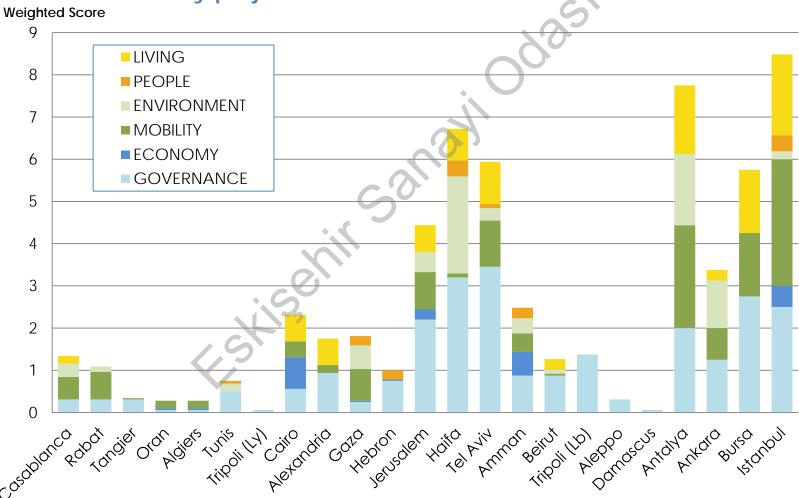






### SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION

### Smart City projects found in South Mediterranean Cities



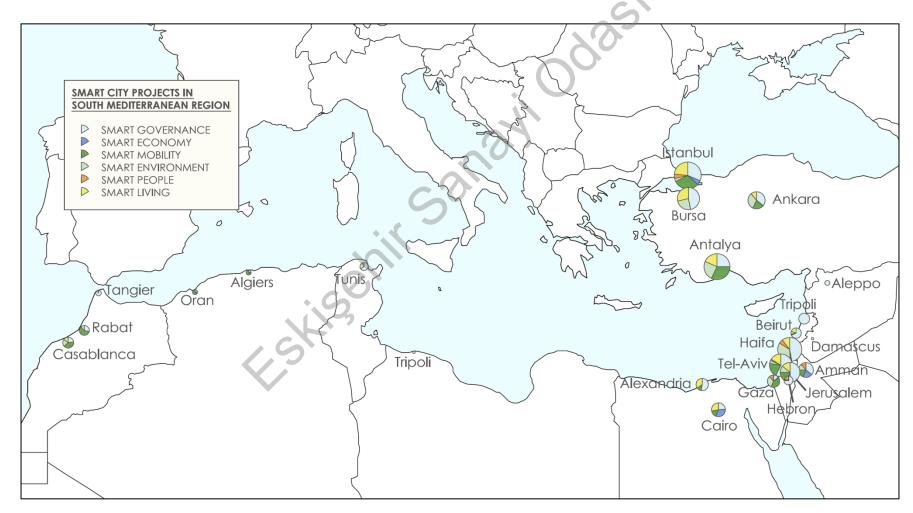






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### SMART CITY PROJECTS FOUND IN SOUTH MEDITERRANEAN REGION









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