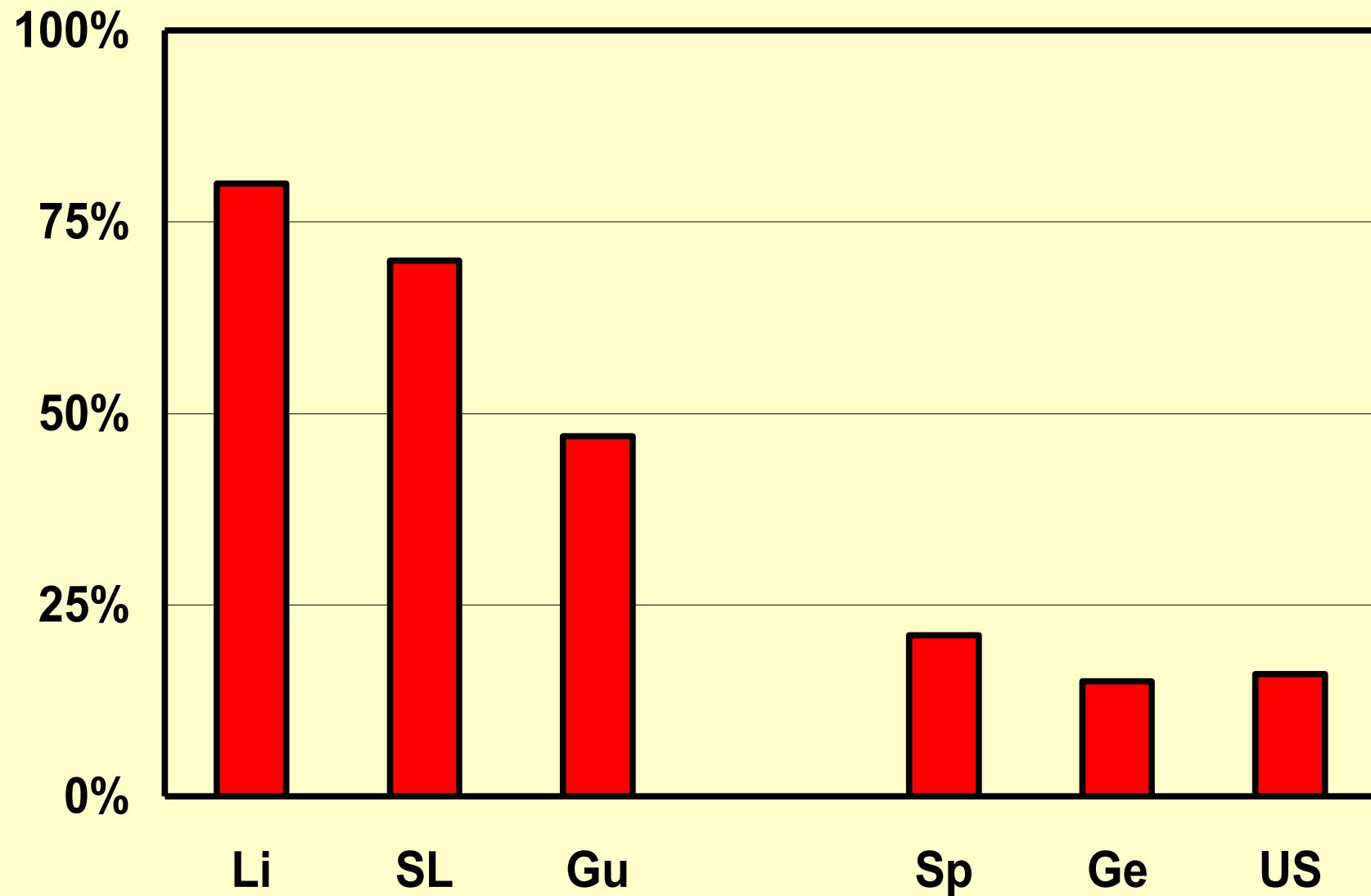
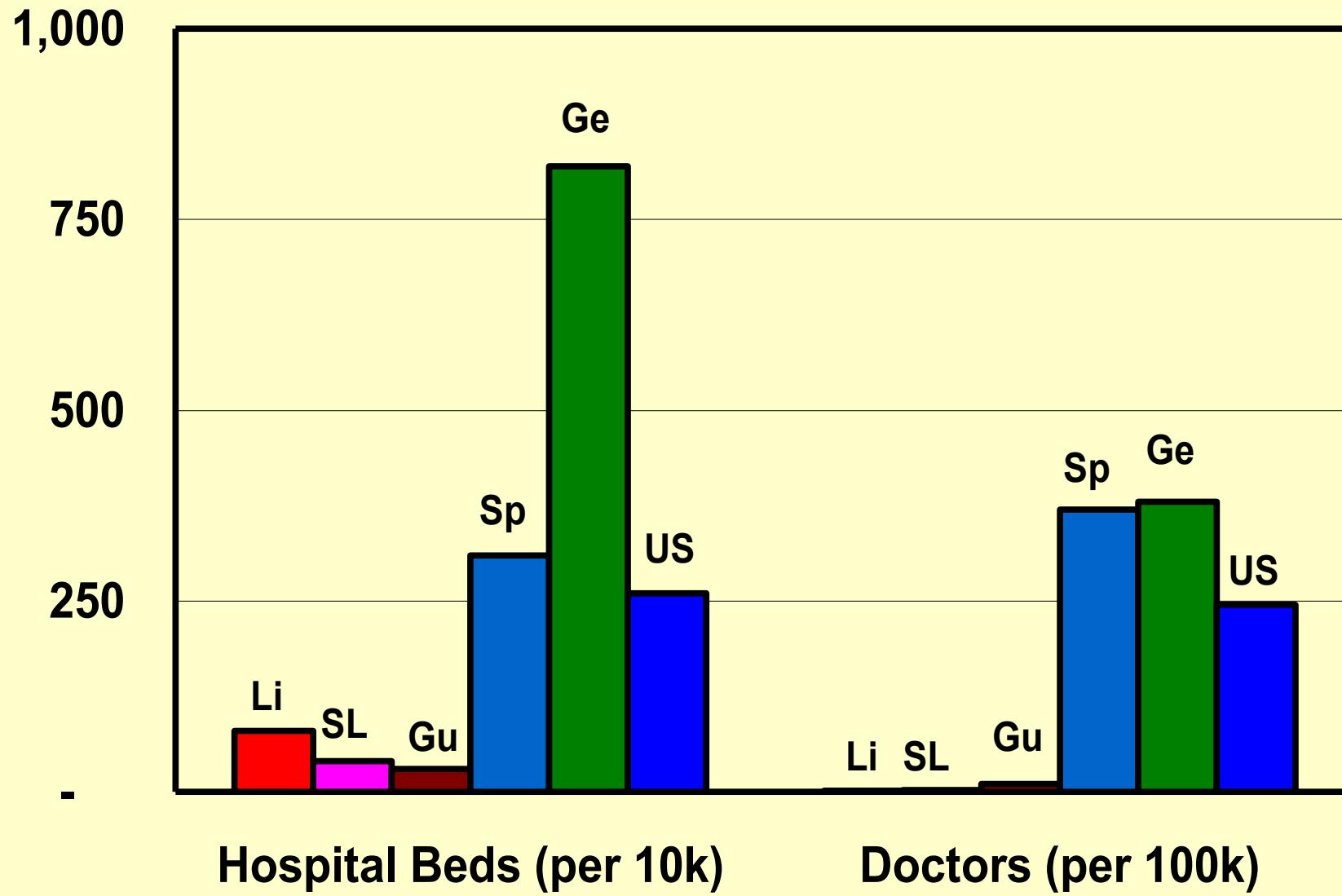




Poverty in Ebola Epicenter

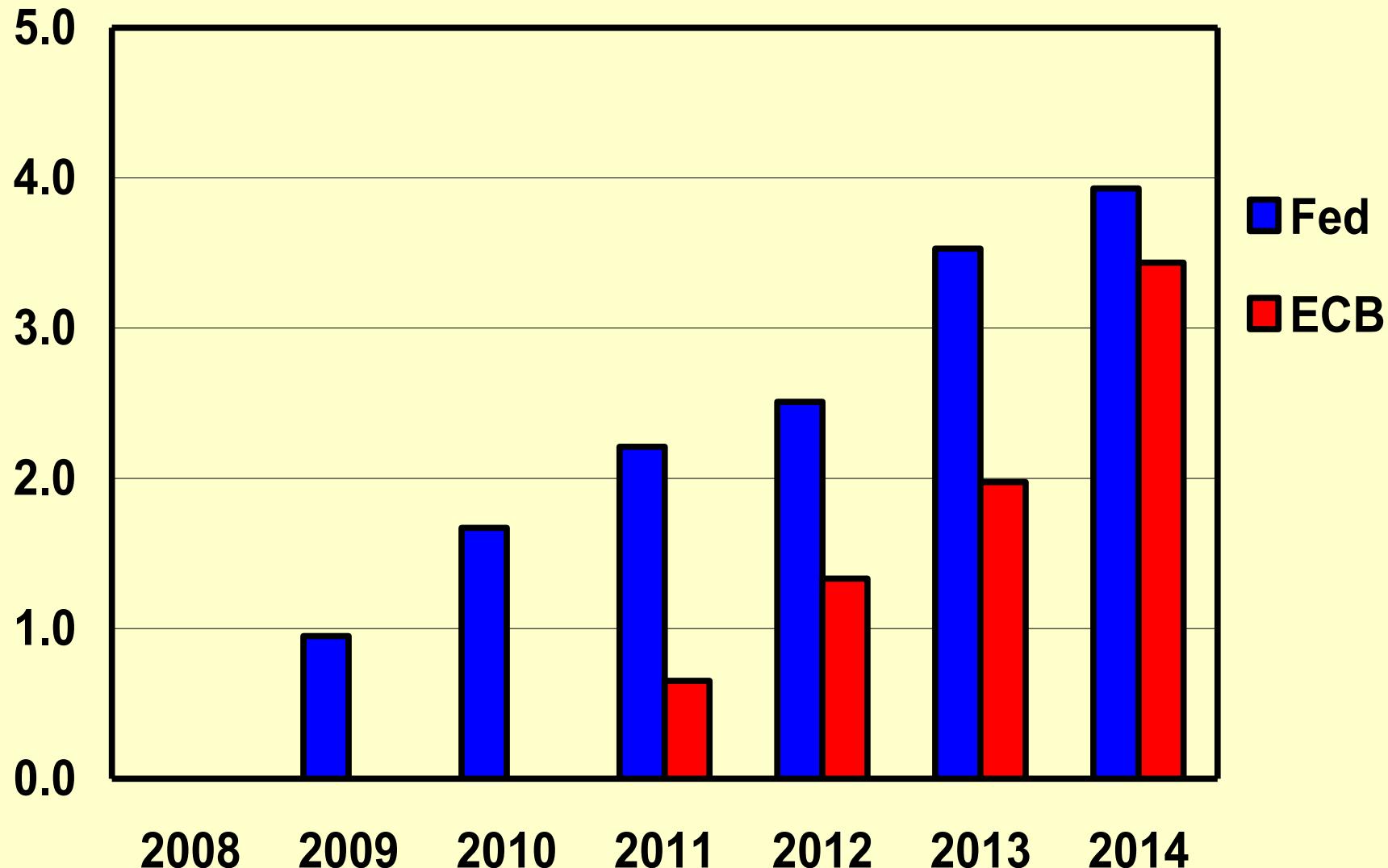


Ebola and Health Infrastructure



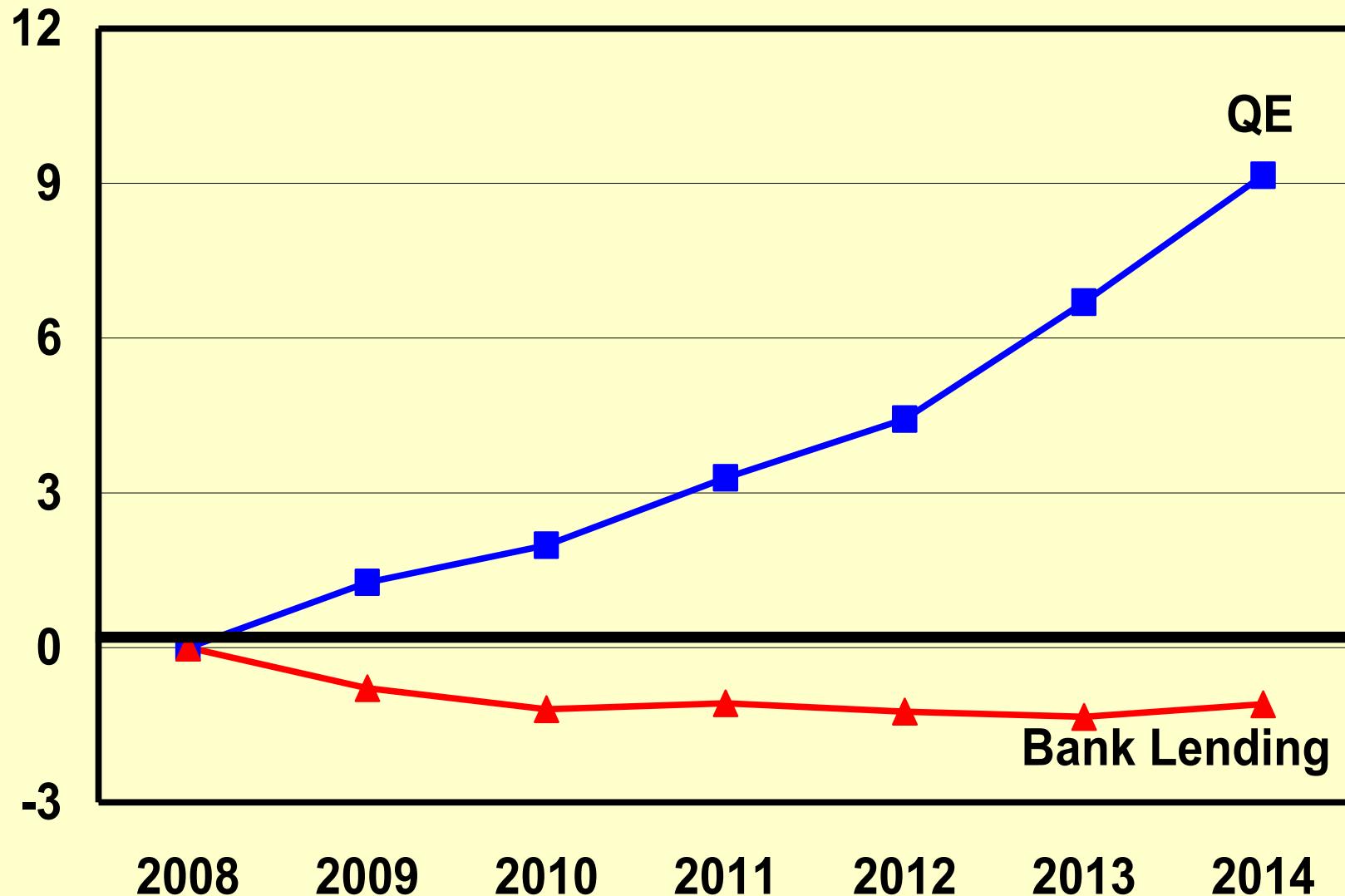
Quantitative Easing: Fed and ECB

(trillions of dollars, cumulative)



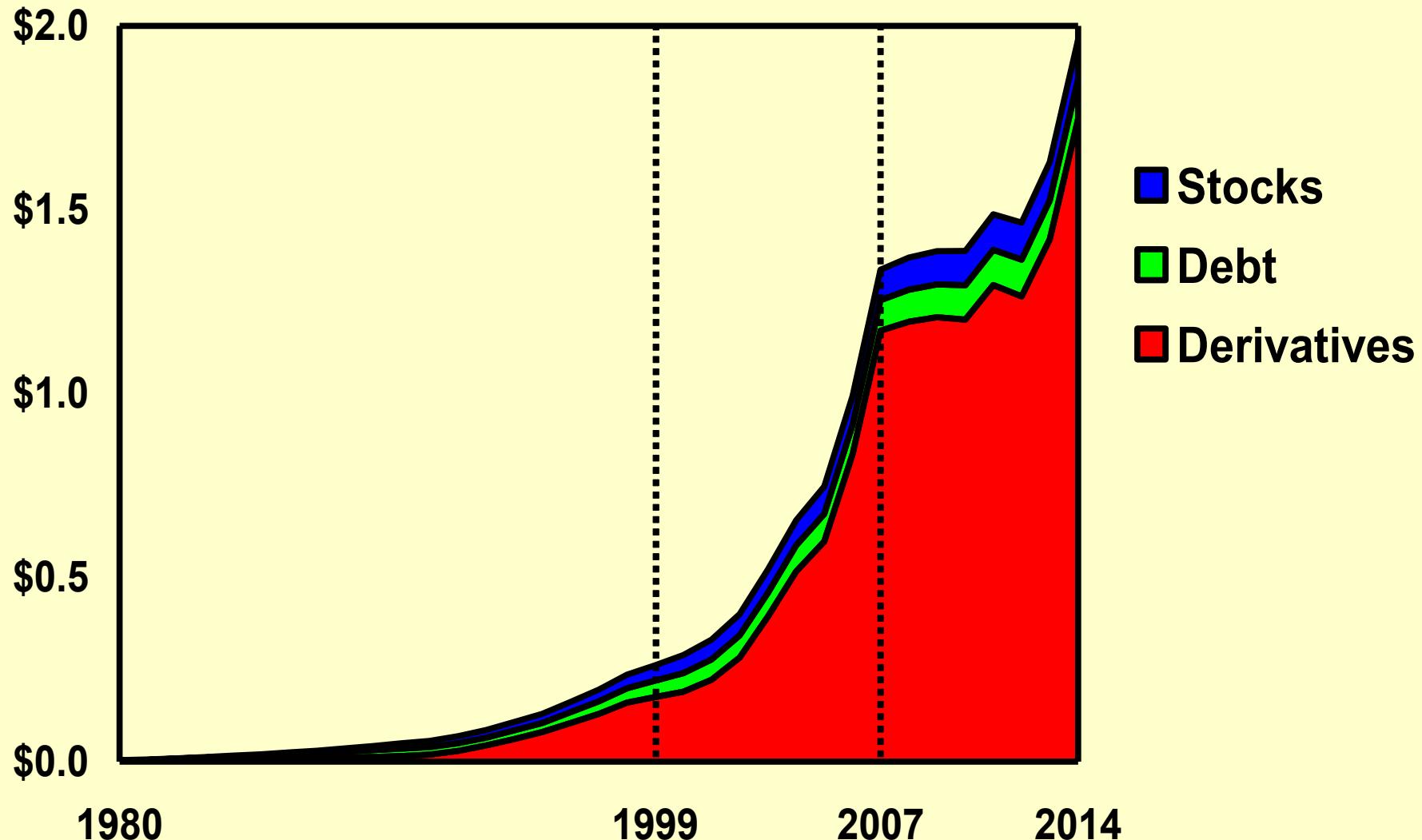
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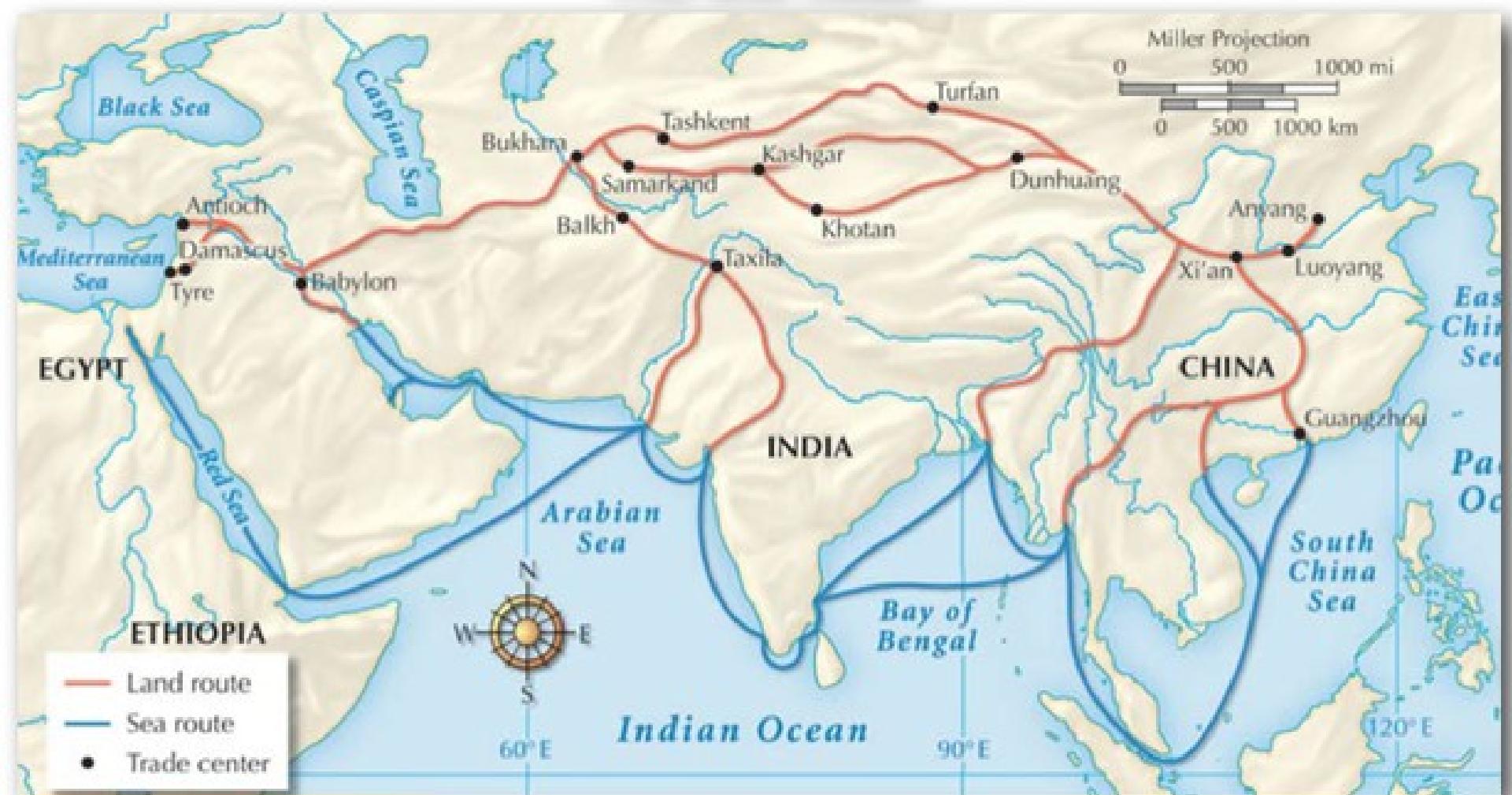


World Financial Aggregates

(quadrillions of dollars)



The Silk Road

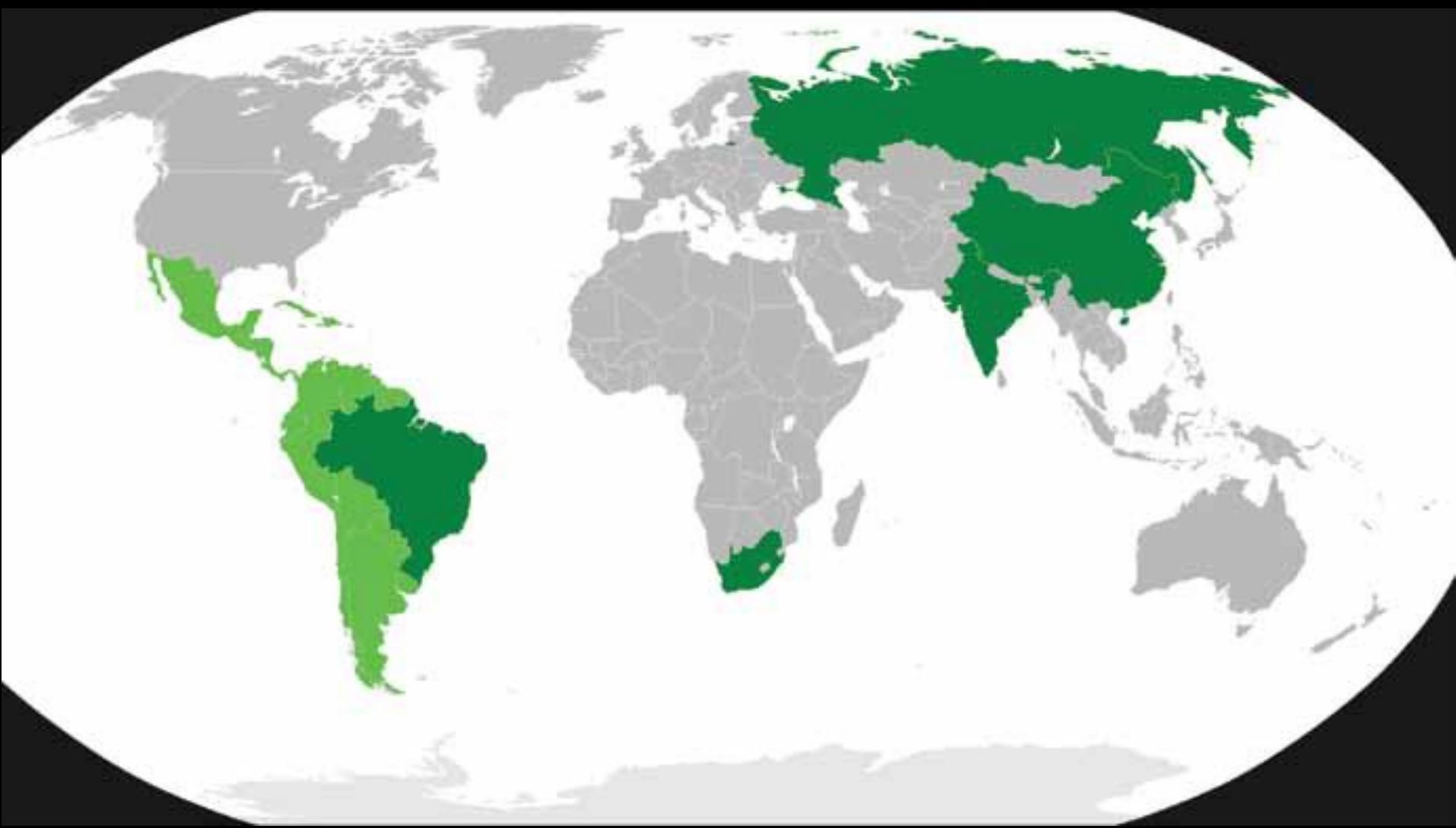












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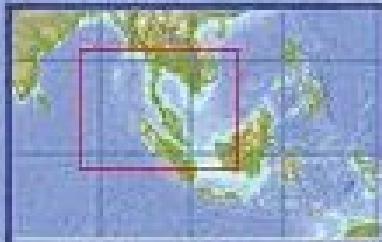
Isthmus of Kra

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Trans-isthmian route

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The proposed site of the Kra Canal

Mekong Mainstream Dams

● Operational Dams
○ Planned Dams

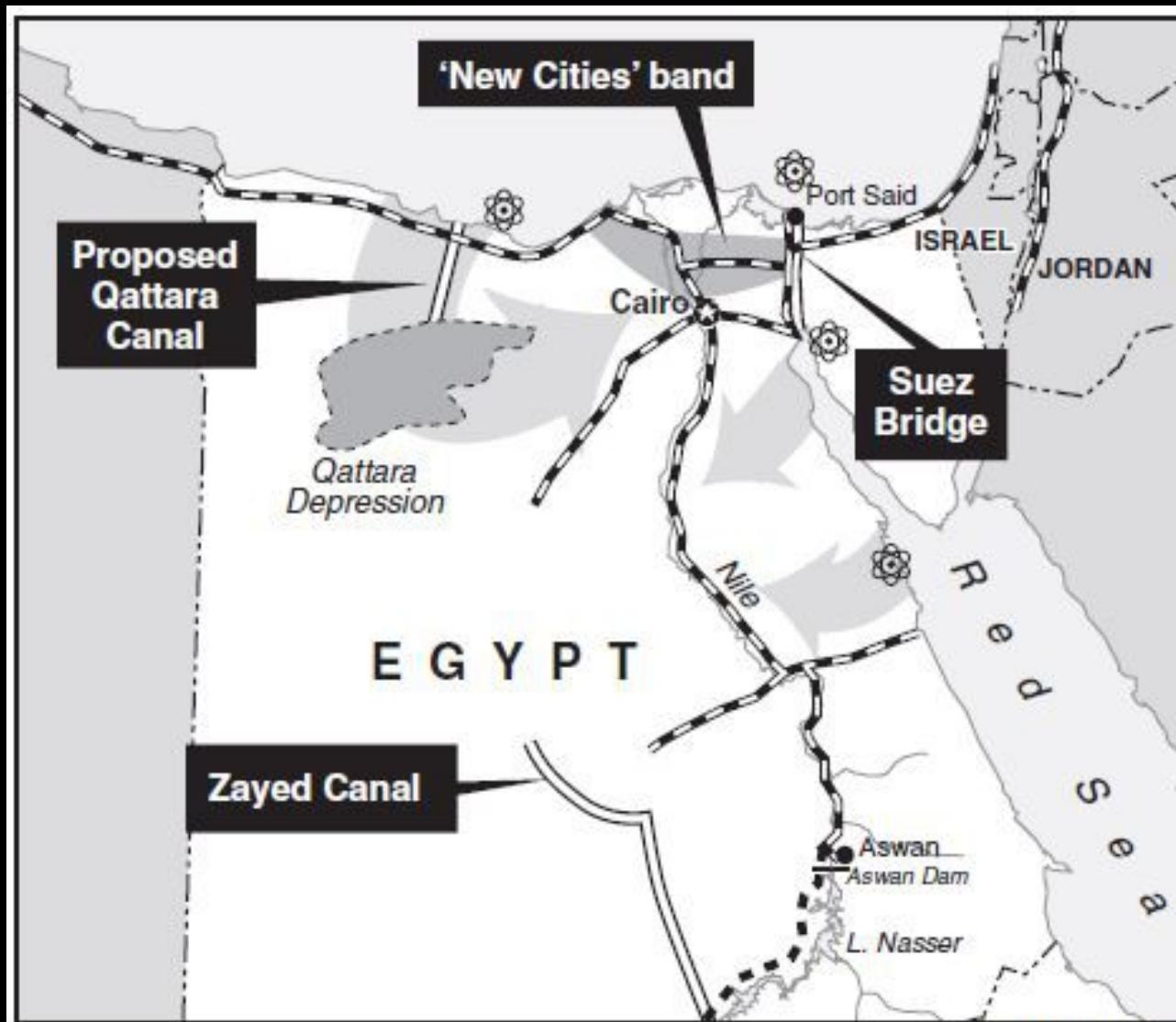
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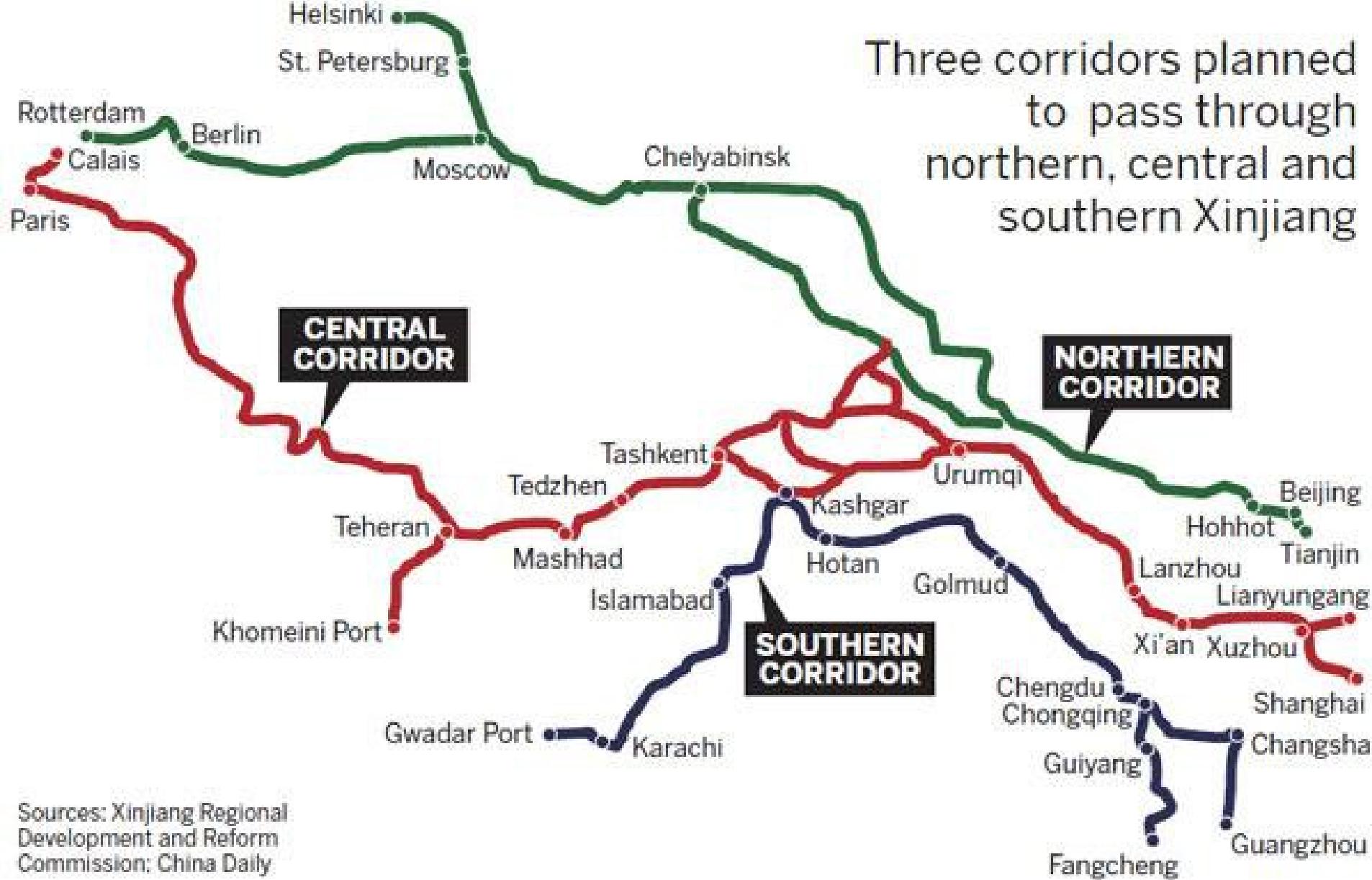
This map of the Mekong Delta highlights the fact that only in China have the necessary dams been built, or are under construction.



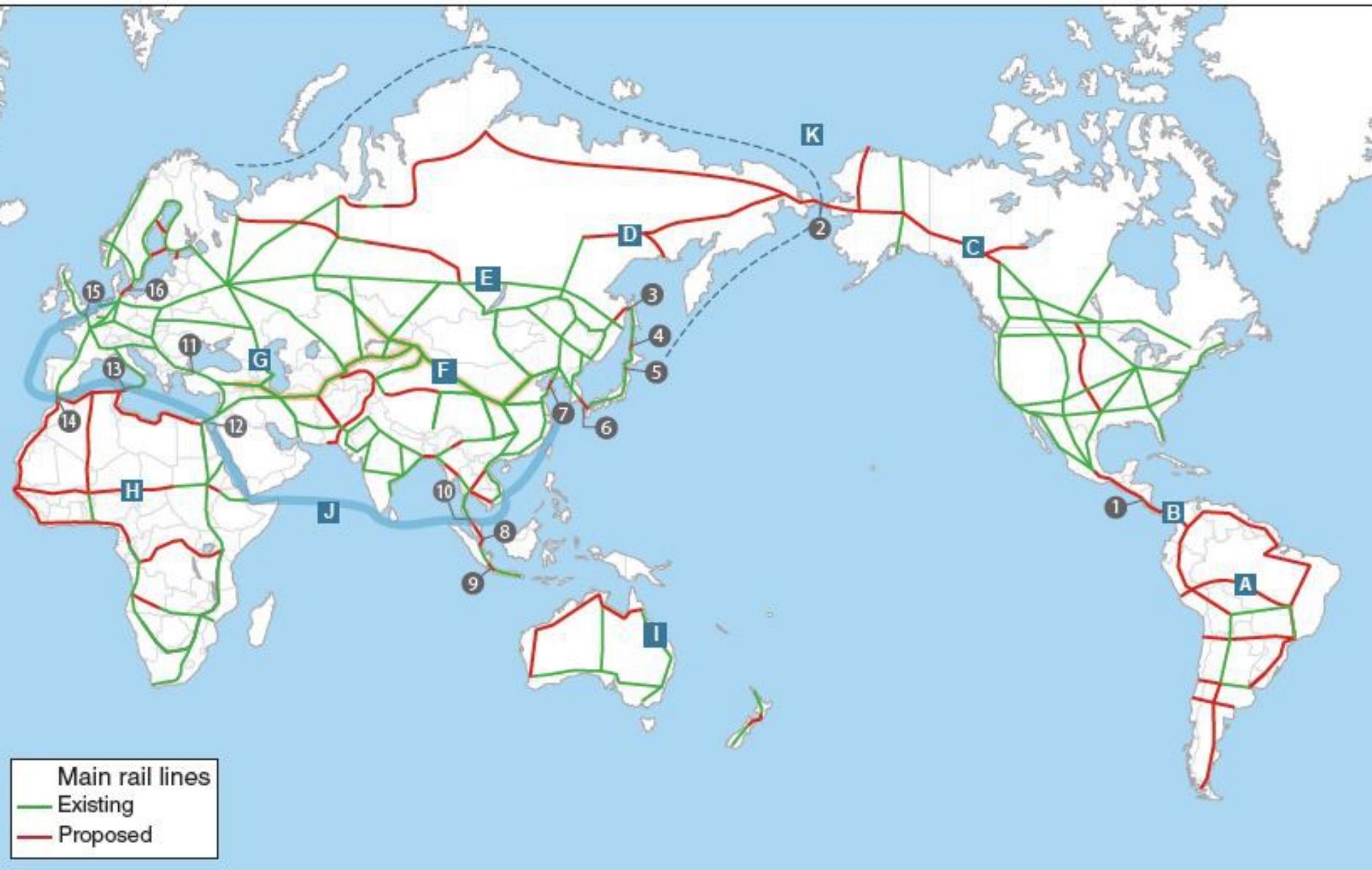
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This schematic shows a number of the major projects proposed for transforming Egypt. The Sheikh Zayed Canal, a part of the Toshka project, now has over 50 km completed.

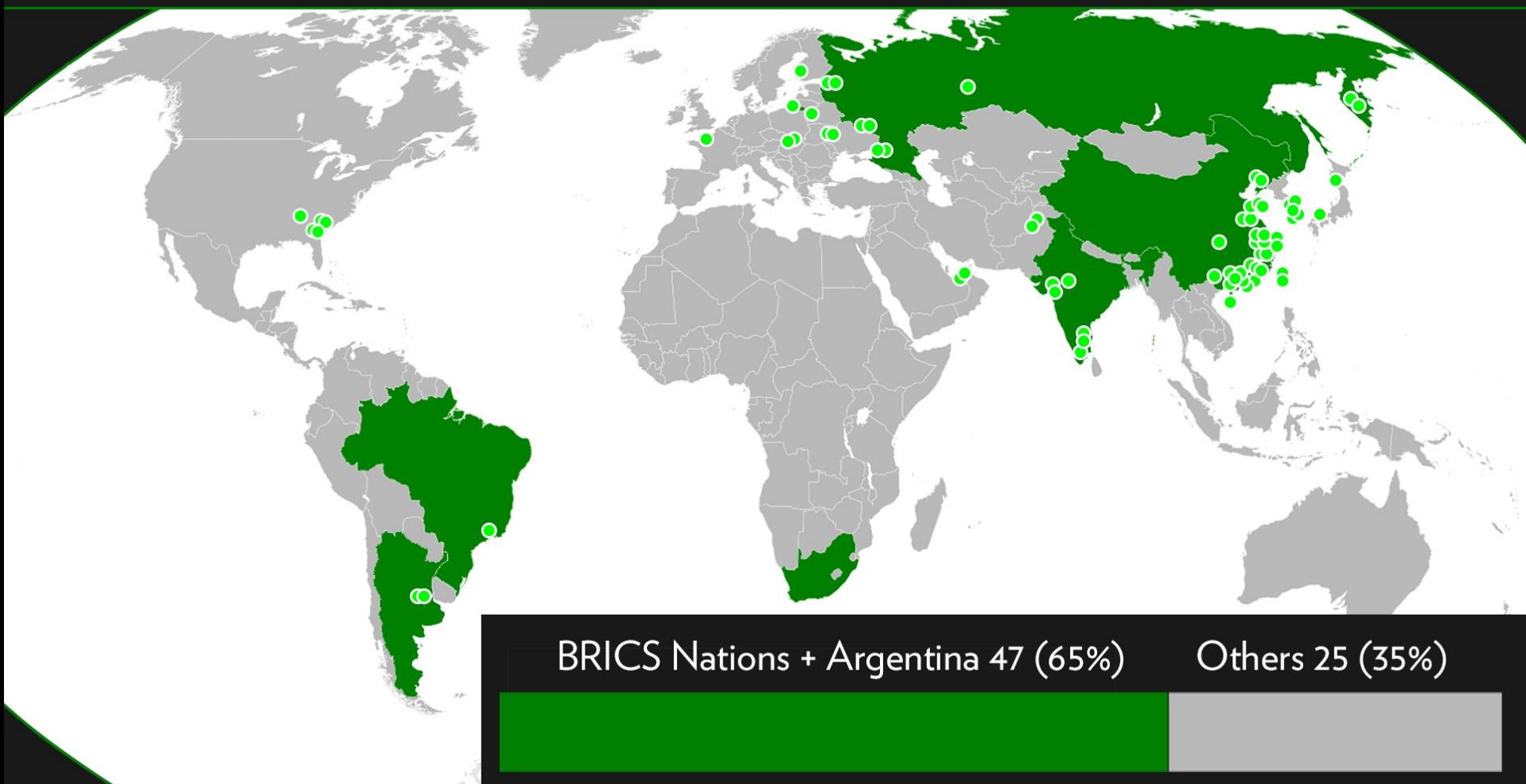
Three corridors planned
to pass through
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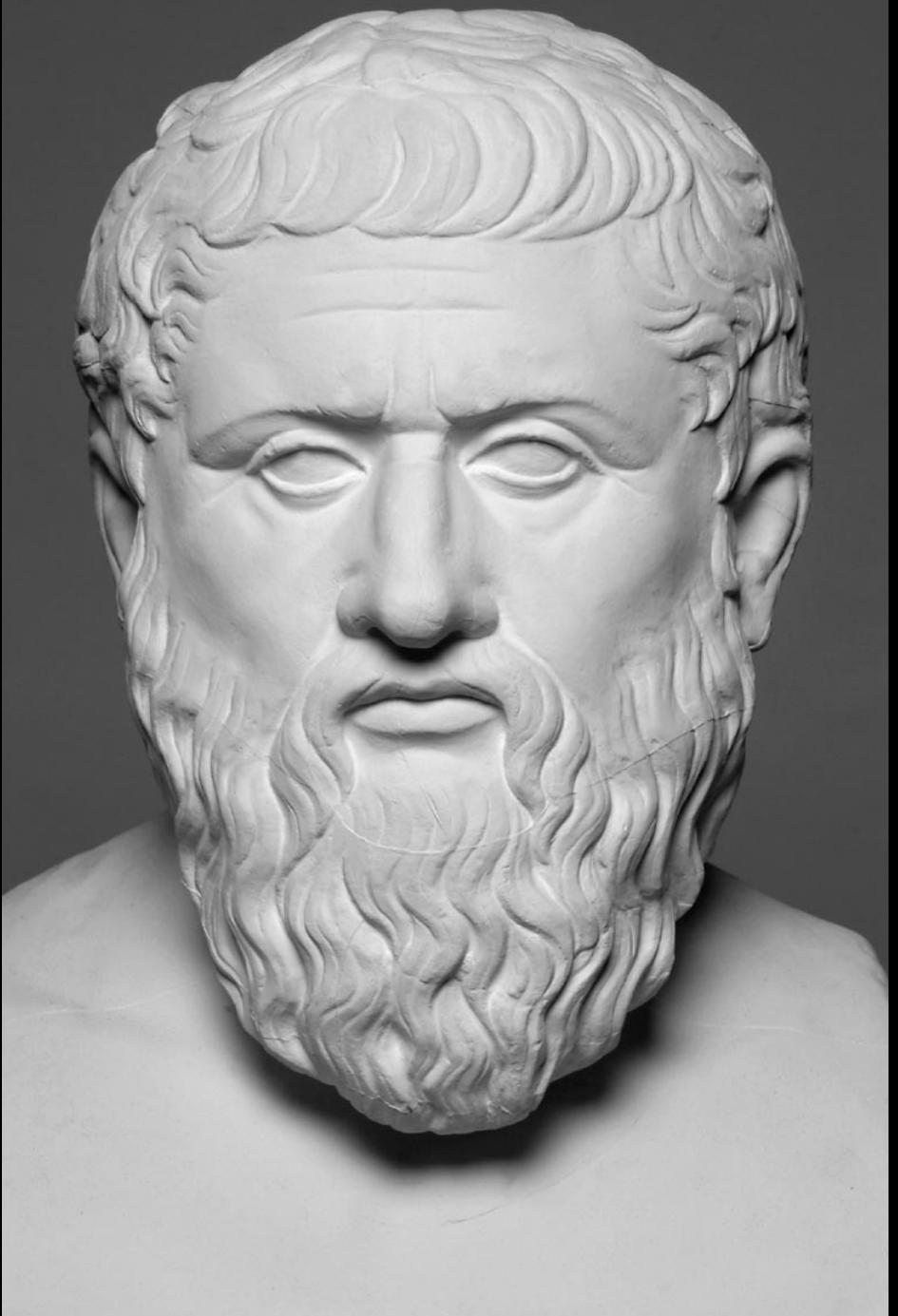
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Nuclear Plants Under Construction







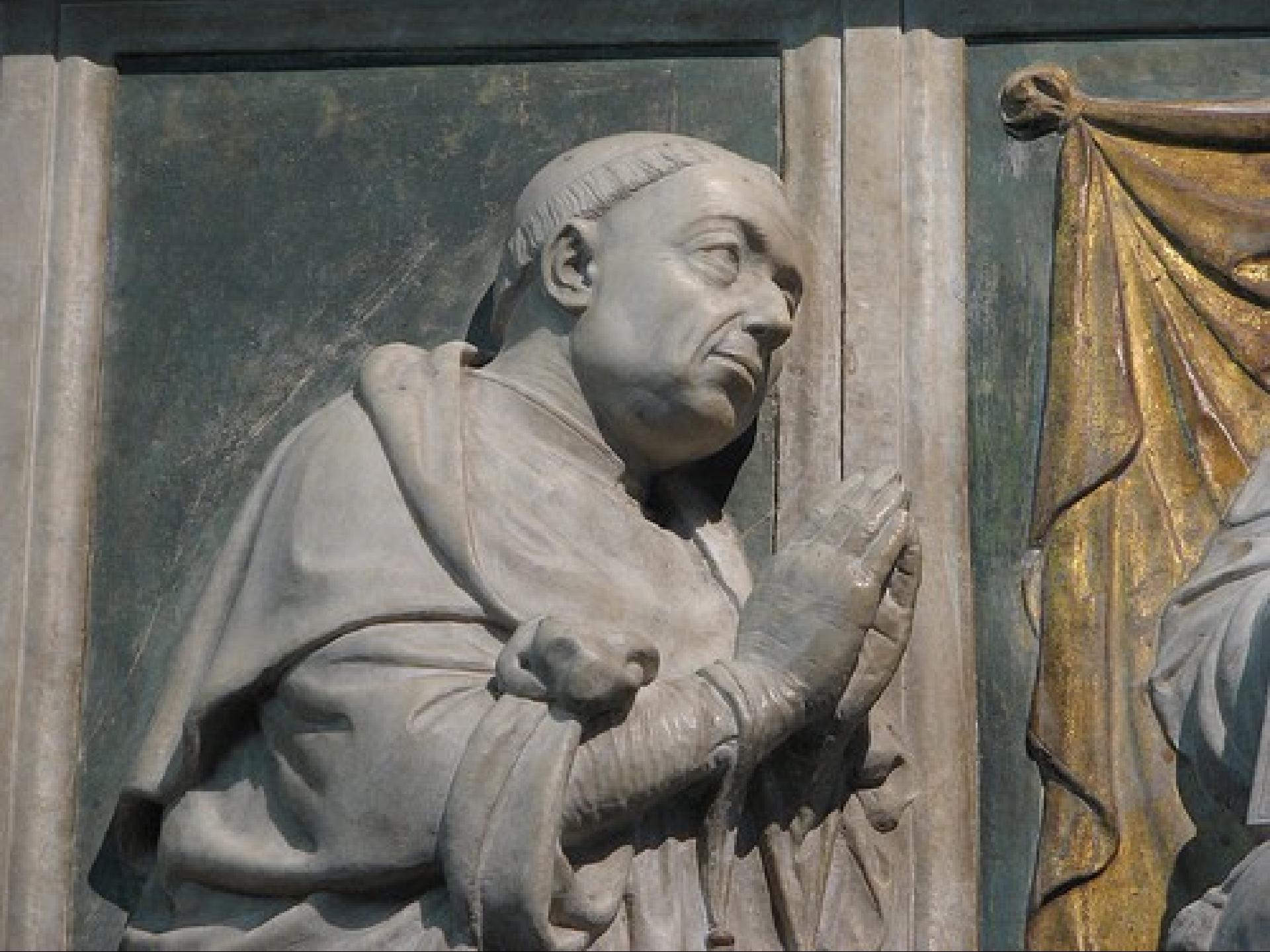


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