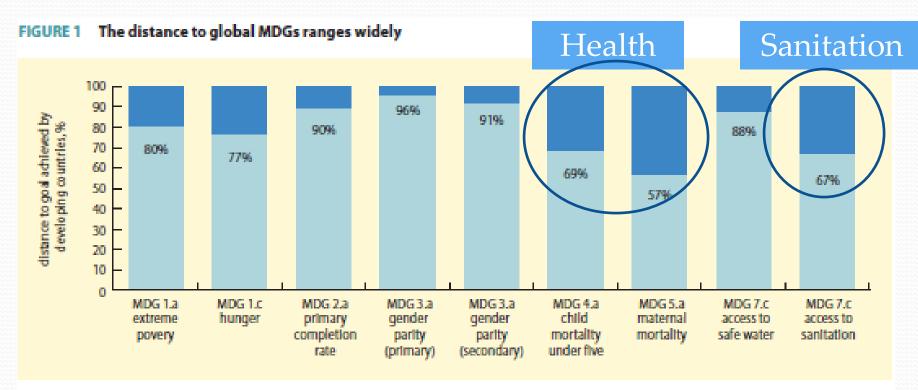
# Water Supply and Sanitation Progress on MDGs and Financing Achievements and Challenges

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Trends in financing water and sanitation sector

# Progress on meeting MDG targets

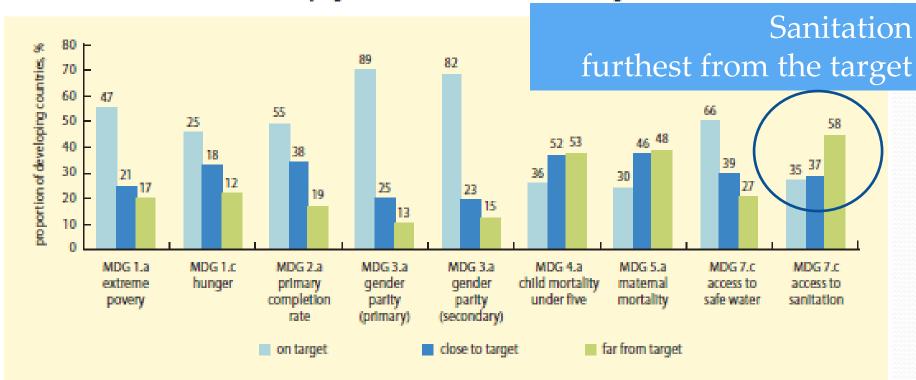


Source: World Bank staff calculations based on data from the World Development Indicators database.

Note: Distance to goal achieved in this graph is a weighted average of the latest indicators, using population weights in 2009.

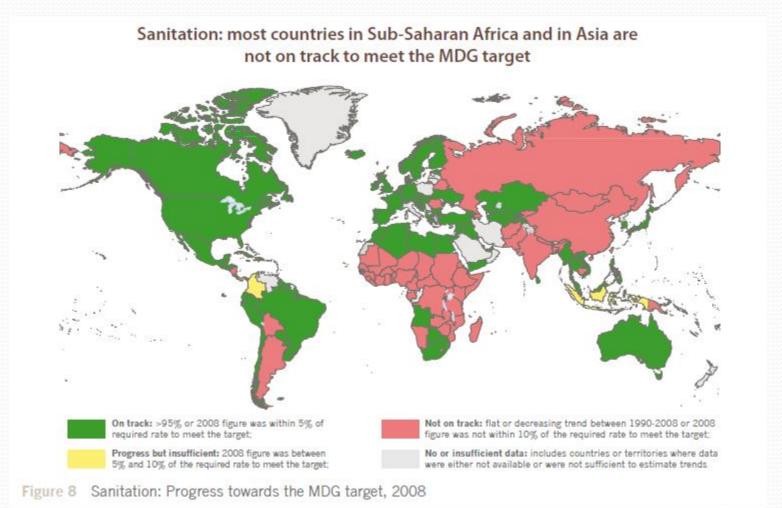
### Distance to MDG targets

FIGURE 2 More than two-thirds of developing countries are on track or close to being on track



Source: World Bank staff calculations based on data from the World Development Indicators database. Note: The figure above each bar is the number of countries.

# Sanitation remains a challenge in all continents



Source: WHO-UNICEF Joint Monitoring Program, "Progress on Sanitation and Drinking Water, 2010 Update", 2010.

Sanitation will miss the target

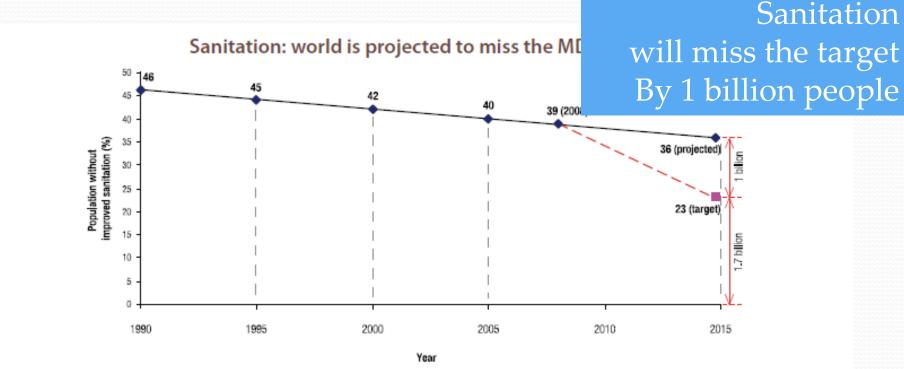


Figure 7 Global progress towards the MDG target: trend in use of improved sanitation 1990-2008, projected to 2015

Source: WHO-UNICEF Joint Monitoring Program, "Progress on Sanitation and Drinking Water, 2010 Update", 2010.

#### The sanitation ladder

#### An new way to look at sanitation practices:

Readers of the BMJ (British Medical Journal) recently identified sanitation as "the most important medical advance since 1840." Nevertheless, only 62 per cent of the world's population has access to improved sanitation – that is, uses a sanitation facility that ensures hygienic separation of human excreta from human contact. A further 8 per cent shares an improved facility with one or more households, and another 12 per cent uses an unimproved sanitation facility – one that does not ensure hygienic separation of excreta from human contact. The remaining 18 per cent of the world's population practises indiscriminate or open defecation.

In this report, sanitation coverage is presented as a four-step ladder that includes the proportion of the population:

- practising open defecation
- using an unimproved sanitation facility
- using a shared sanitation facility
- using an improved sanitation facility.

Figure 2 summarizes trends in the steps of the sanitation ladder for the various MDG regions. It shows that sanitation coverage in the developing world increased from 41 per cent in 1990 to 53 per cent in 2006. This means that an additional 1.1 billion people in developing regions are now using improved sanitation facilities. Steep coverage gains in South-eastern and Eastern Asia, which both saw 17 percentage-point increases, contributed

OPEN DEFECATION Open defecation: Defecation in fields, forests, bushes, bodies of water or other open spaces, or disposal of human faeces with solid waste.

UNIMPROVED

Unimproved sanitation facilities: Facilities that do not ensure hygienic separation of human excreta from human contact. Unimproved facilities include pit latrines without a slab or platform, hanging latrines and bucket latrines.

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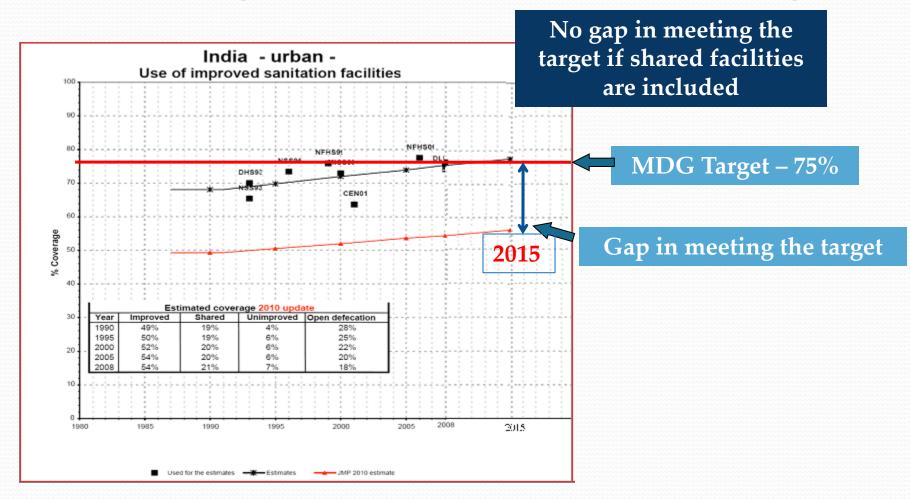
Shared sanitation facilities: Sanitation facilities of an otherwise acceptable type shared between two or more households. Shared facilities include public toilets.

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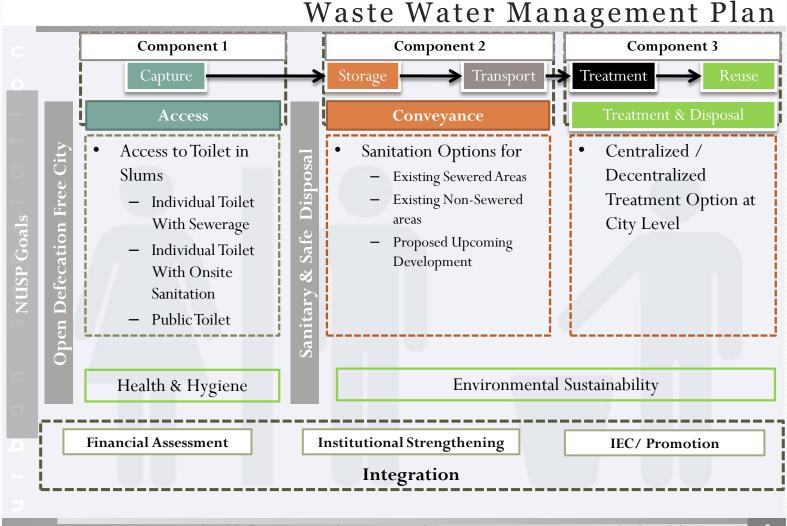
Improved sanitation facilities: Facilities that ensure hygienic separation of human excreta from human contact. They include:

- Flush or pour-flush toilet/latrine to:
  - piped sewer system
  - septic tank
  - pit latrine
- Ventilated improved pit (VIP) latrine
- Pit latrine with slab
- Composting toilet.

#### India – Progress on MDG sanitation target



#### The full value chain for sanitation



## Drinking water – doing better

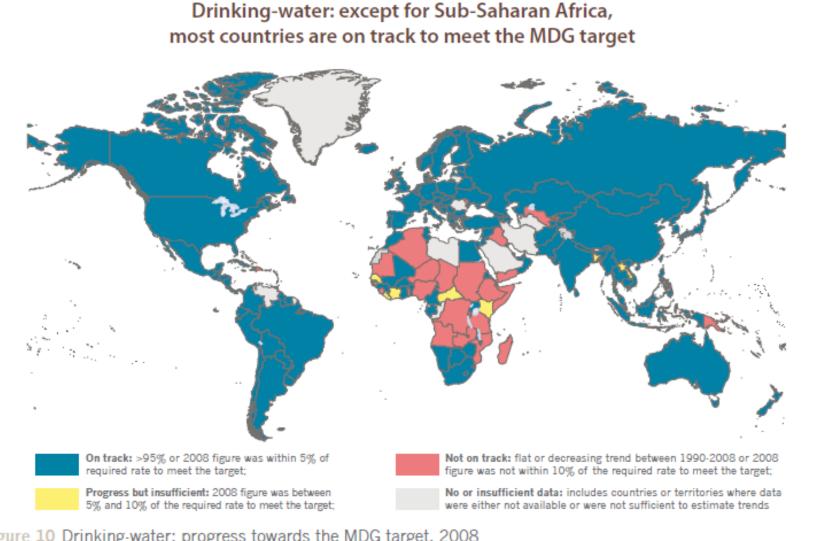
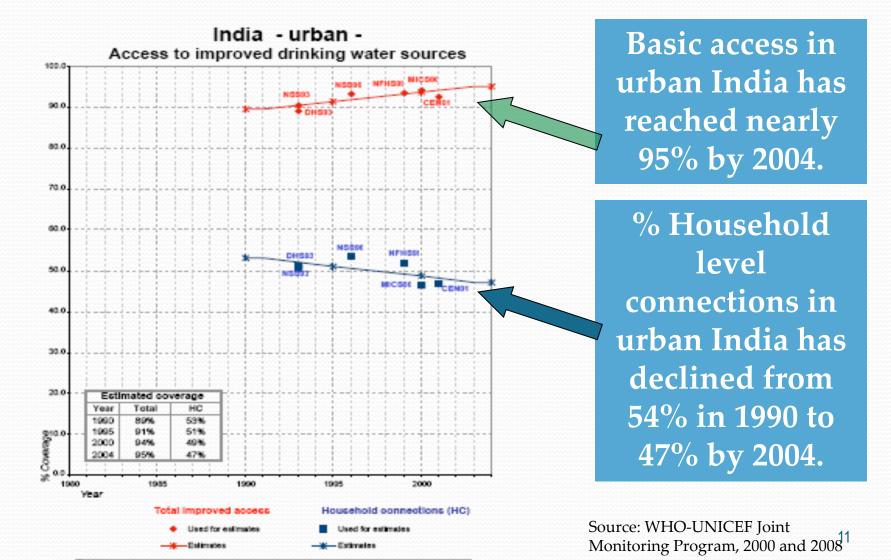


Figure 10 Drinking-water: progress towards the MDG target, 2008

Source: WHO-UNICEF Joint Monitoring Program, "Progress on Sanitation and Drinking Water, 2010 Update", 2010.

# India urban water supply – improved basic access but decline in household level services



#### Time to collect water in urban areas

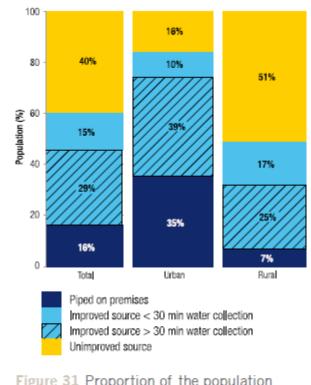


Figure 31 Proportion of the population spending half an hour or less, or more than half an hour, to collect water from an improved source, or using water from an unimproved source, Sub-Saharan Africa

In many African countries, one third of the improved drinking-water sources that are not piped on premises need a collection time of more than 30 minutes.

Source: WHO-UNICEF Joint Monitoring Program, "Progress on Sanitation and Drinking Water, 2010 Update", 2010.

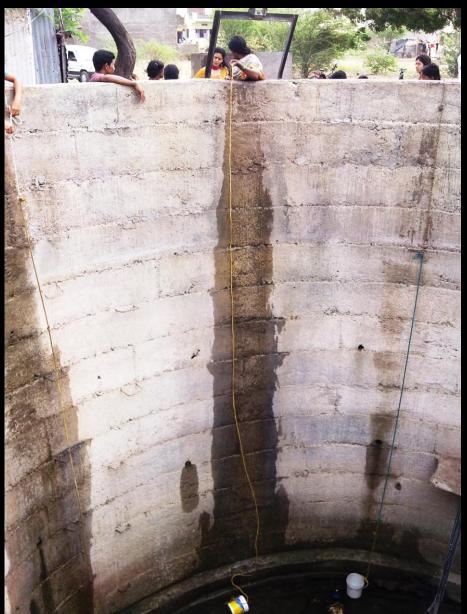
#### THE 'WATER CRISIS IN CITIES' .. SUPPLY TWICE IN A MONTH



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#### **NON WATER DAYS...**

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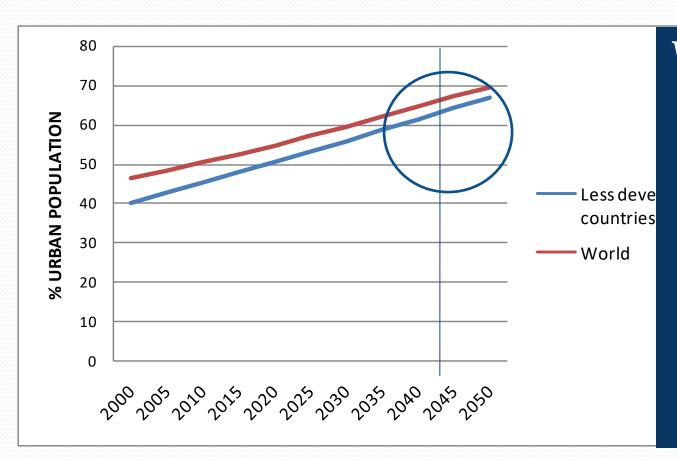




#### Status and Reliability - Water Supply Services

		GUJARAT		MAHARASHTRA	
		SLUM	NON SLUM	SLUM	NON SLUM
% of households with Access to w	XA71 (1	1	98.8	97.1	98.6
% households with access to on p	When the poor		85.8	41.1	88.3
% of households with Daily water	access to munic	cipal	74.4	82.0	78.4
Hours of water supply	supply, there is not		2.0	2.0	1.0
% of households that find wat			78.5	91.4	82.6
underground storage tank	much difference				
% of households using booster pւ	hotzwoon olymo	and	45.6	12.0	39.9
% of households that find service	between slums and				
a. Timing of water	non-slums for level and		79.4	66.8	68.8
b. Frequency of supply per week	quality of water supply services		76.2	58.3	63.2
c. Quantity of water supply			75.5	52.5	56.9
d. Quality of water (across seaso			67.4	48.3	55.2
e. Water pressure			52.5	42.7	50.2
% of households with large water storage arrangements		9.4	47.4	17.3	53.2
% of households with favourable perception of water quality		87.4	84.4	80.8	81.7
(daily water supply)					
% of households that think that municipal water does not need		89.7	84.3	87.2	86.1
any treatment					
% of households reporting seasonal variations in water supply		33.5	27.3	45.9	34.7

#### Major Change in 20 years - Urbanization



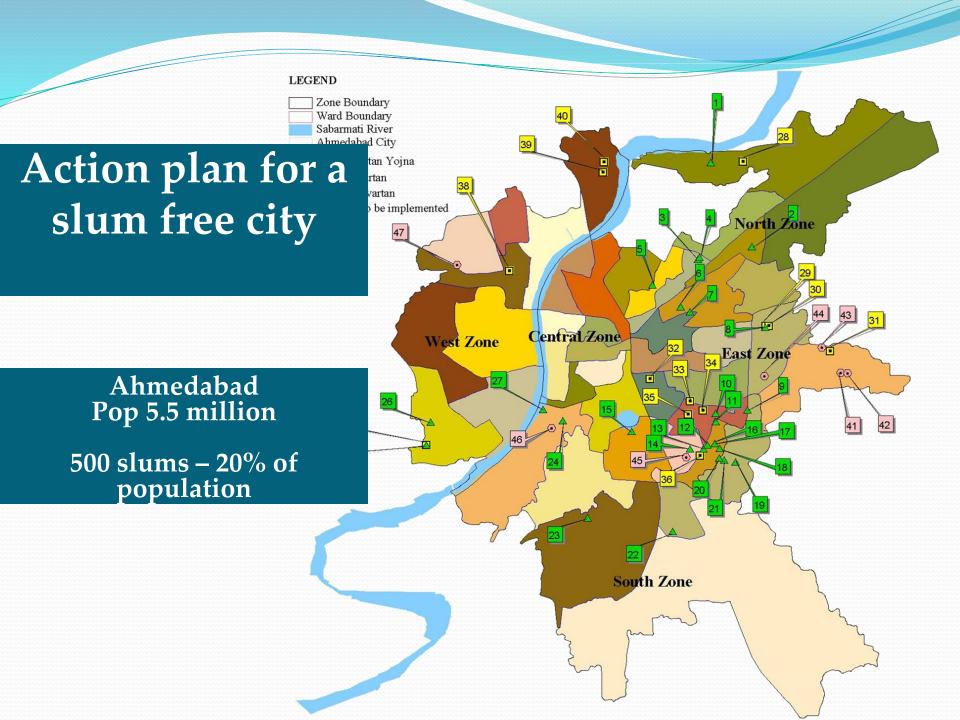
World will be nearly 2/3rd urban

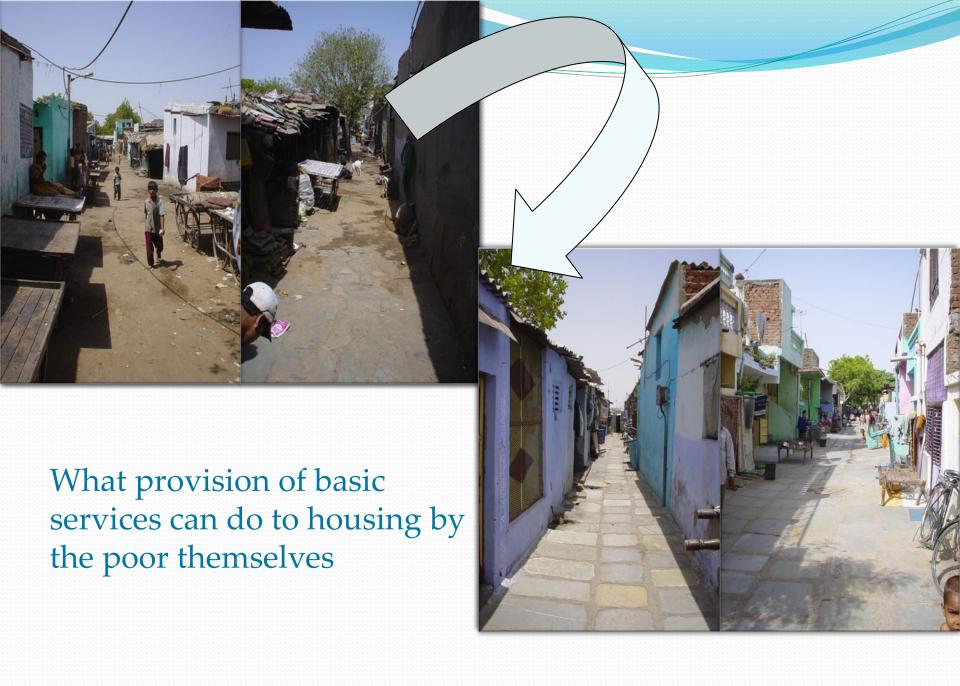
Reduced gap for developing region

### Water and sanitation in 20 years

sources 1990-2008, projected to 2015







Progress and challenges in meeting the MDGs

• Trends in financing water and sanitation sector

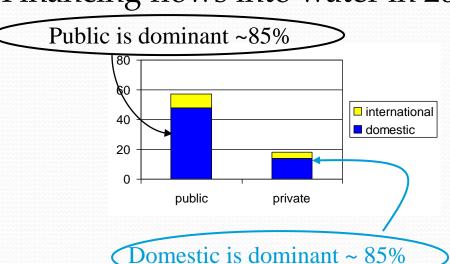
#### 1990s... the hope...

- □ Large infrastructure investment needs
- □ Limited or even declining public resources
- □ Limited share of international aid
- Worldwide interest from private sector in cross border infrastructure investments

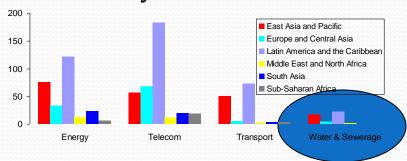
□ So... the private sector will "fill the gaps"...

#### The realities...

Financing flows into water in 2000



International) private investment in infrastructure in 1990-2002 – Very low in WSS



Source: Ginneken M. 2003: Presentation at Pan African water Conference

# In the new millennium – 2000s: A plea for aid resources

- □ Camdessus Panel Report
  - "There is widespread agreement that the flow of funds for water infrastructure has to roughly double..."
- □ Sachs Report UN Millennium Project
  - "The report says the MDGs can be achieved if total annual development assistance is doubled to \$135 billion—or 0.44 percent of donors' GNP—in 2006, and rises to 0.54 percent of donors' GNP by 2015. "(The Economist)"

TABLE 2: Adequacy of financing

		g-water Rural	Sanit Urban	
	Orball	Hurul	Orbail	mulc
Sub-Saharan Africa				
Angola	•		•	•
Benin		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	•
Burkina Faso	<u> </u>		_	_
Burundi		<b>A</b>	=	=
Cameroon	=	=	=	=
Central African Republic				
Chad				
Côte d'Ivoire			-	•
Democratic Republic of the Congo	-	•	•	•
Ethiopia		-	-	
Ghana		_	•	_
Kenya	_	<u> </u>	•	•
Lesotho	_	_	_	-
Madagascar Mali	_	•	-	- 💠
		-	•	
Mauritania Mazambigua		<b>*</b>	=	=
Mozambique Niger	_		_	
Niger Rwanda	=		_	¥
Hwanda Senegal	_		_	•
Senegal Sierra Leone	=			_
South Africa				
Sudan (south/north)			_	
Togo Uganda		×	=	_
United Republic of Tanzania		_		
Zimbabwe	_			
	_			
Southern Asia, South-eastern Asia, Eas	tern Asia, CIS	8		
Bangladesh	-			
Cambodia	<b>A</b>	_	_	=
Indonesia	-	-	-	-
Kazakhstan	-	-	-	-
Lao People's Democratic Republic	=	=	=	
Mongolia	=	=	=	=
Nepal	_	_		
Philippines	=	=	•	•
Thailand	=	=	=	=
Timor-Leste	= =		=	
Viet Nam		_		•
Northern Africa, Western Asia				
Morocco				-
Oman	-	-	-	-
Latin America and the Caribbean				
Honduras				
Paraguay	-	=	-	-
,	•	=	•	•
Progress score	38%	45%	26%	22%
Colour key: Are financial flows sufficient t	o meet the MI	OG?		
<ul> <li>More than 75% of needs</li> </ul>				
<ul> <li>Between 50% and 75% of needs</li> </ul>				
<ul> <li>Less than 50% of needs</li> </ul>				
- No information				
Shape key: Over the past three years, has t financial needs been increasing, been decre				ion to
▲ ▲ Increasing trend				
= = No change in trend				
▼ ▼ Decreasing trend ■ ● No trend information				

### (In)adequacy of funding

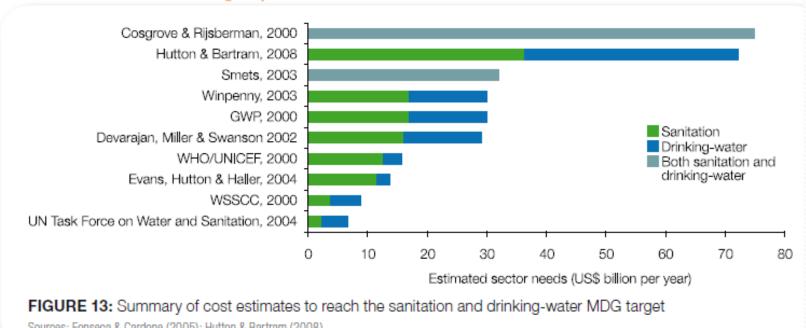
Thirty-five out of 37 countries report that financial flows are insufficient to achieve the MDG target for sanitation

Difficult to really assess adequacy of funding due to the lack of good and complete information on fund flows for water and sanitation for most countries.

Source: WHO-UN Water GLAAS Report 2010

### Varying cost estimates to reach MDGs

Global cost estimates to reach the sanitation and drinking-water MDG target vary due to the inclusion or exclusion of different costs or assumptions and range from US\$ 6.7 billion to US\$ 75 billion per year



Sources: Fonseca & Cardone (2005); Hutton & Bartram (2008)

### Low priority for water and sanitation

In comparison with health and education, the sanitation and drinking-water share of development aid has markedly decreased over the past decade

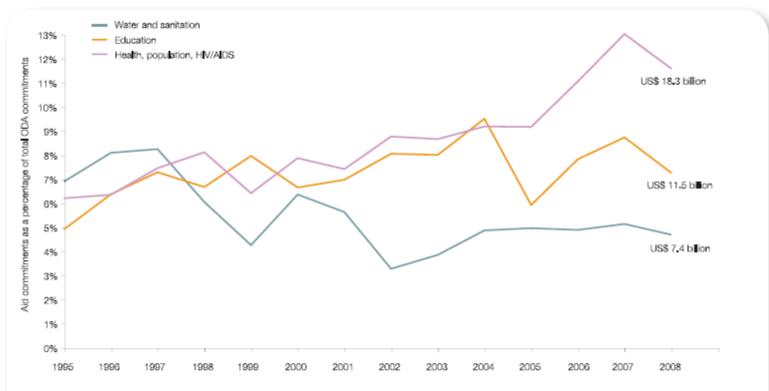


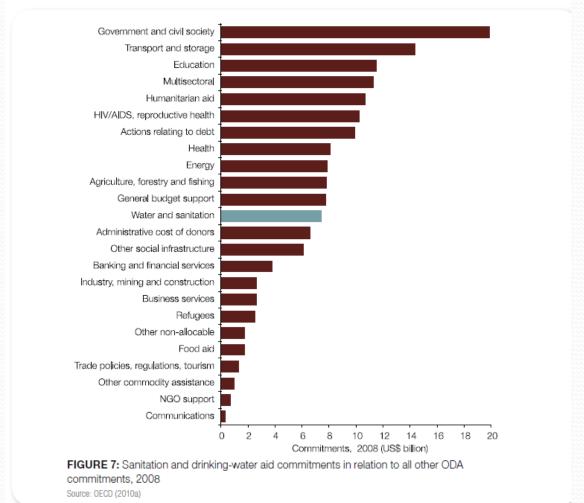
FIGURE 8: Trends in aid for water and sanitation, education, and health/population/HIV/AIDS, as a percentage of total ODA commitments, 1995–2008

Source: OECD (2010a)

Source: WHO-UN Water GLAAS Report 2010

#### Limited aid from donors to WSS

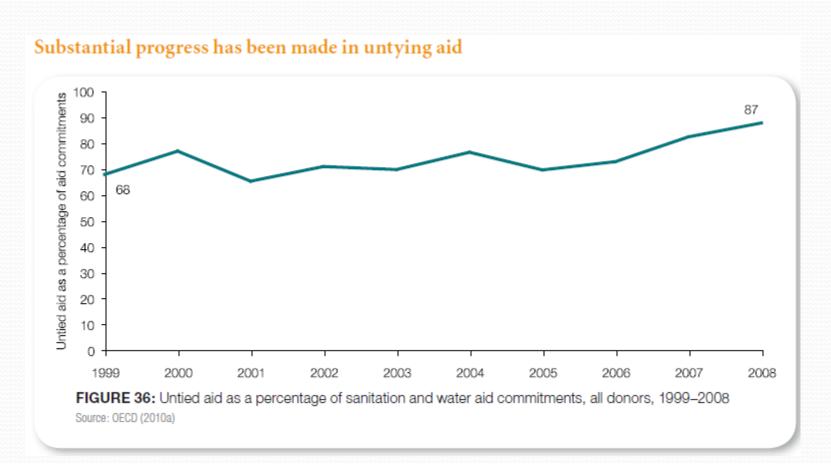
Aid commitments to water and sanitation comprised 5% (US\$ 7.4 billion) of reported development aid in 2008



# There is some new thinking, however... that may change the approach in 20 years...

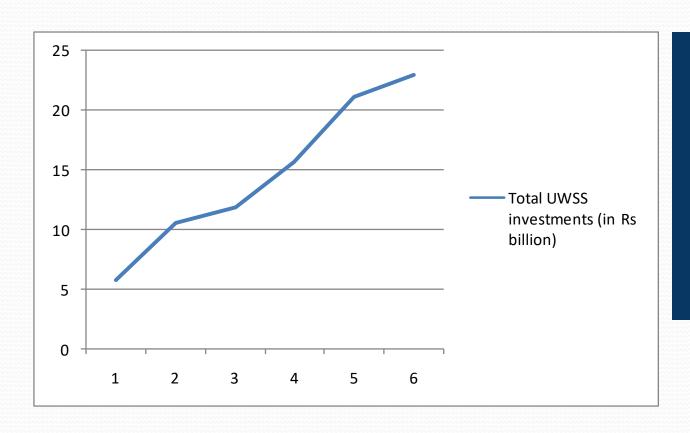
- Improving priority and effectiveness in the use of public (and aid) resources in the water and sanitation sector
- Leveraging local resources 'non-public' linked to water and sanitation service delivery

#### Untying aid to improve effectiveness



Source: WHO-UN Water GLAAS Report 2010

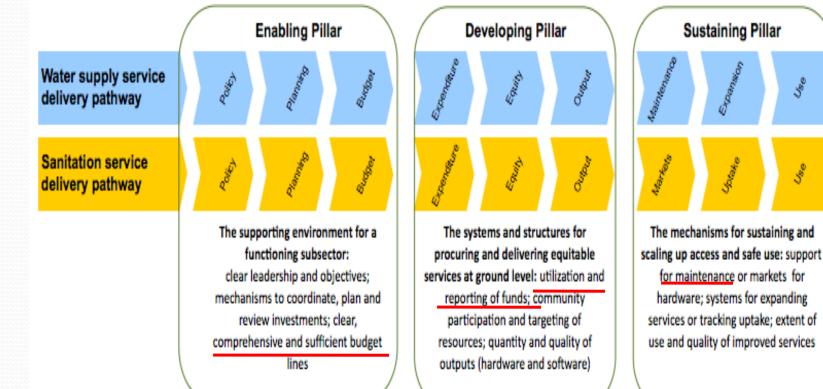
# Increased government spending on UWSS with rising state income – case from Gujarat, India



UWSS
investments
increased
four fold
over past 5
years

#### Effectiveness of public policy /spending

Assessing service pathways – CSOs - Africa



# **Experience in leveraging market-based funds for WSS**

Urban Utilities	India: Municipal Bonds Sub-Saharan Africa: Preparatory work supported by WSP-Africa
Small service providers	Kenya: Community-managed projects by K-Rep Bank
Households	Vietnam: Revolving Fund and VBSP Bangladesh: Grameen and BRAC, Peru: Sanitation Marketing Project India: Gramalaya, FINISH Project

### Municipal Bonds in India

- Between 1998 and 2005 Over **10 city governments** issued municipal bonds amounting to Rs. 9.5 billion (about USD 250million).
- □ This averaged about 14% of city's total annual capital expenditure Ahmedabad it was 40%
- Most of these were General Obligation and structured bonds backed by general revenues with escrow account arrangements
- Pooled finance for water and sanitation for smaller municipalities by TNUDF and KUIDFC
- Possible **crowding out** by the Government of India's flagship program JNNURM (3bn USD/year) as no municipal bond issues since 2005.

# Project-based Finance for Small Water Providers in Kenya



- Initiated in 2007 with support from WSP Africa, GPOBA, PPIAF and EU Water Facility
- 40% subsidy, 40% loan and 20% equity by community
- 12 projects financed so far, loans worth USD 1 million, 4600 new connections and 67,000 beneficiaries
- Scale up planned for 50 projects with a project development facility funded by PPIAF
- Guarantee facility by USAID

### Thank You