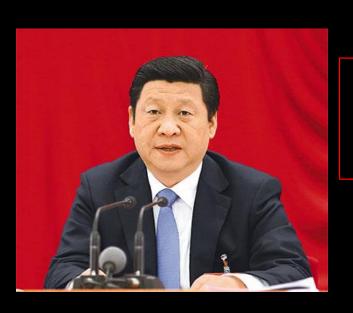
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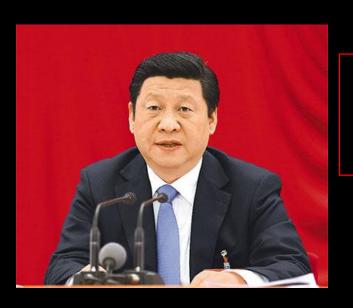


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"Clear waters and lush mountains are gold and silver.

We will not trade them for gold or silver."

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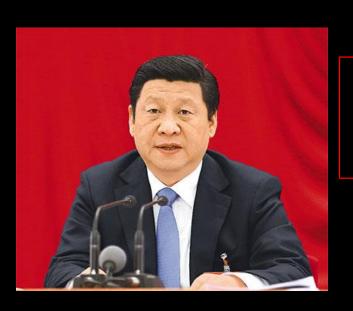
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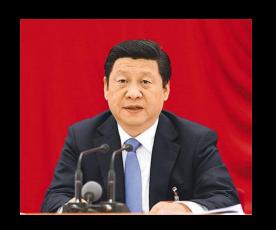


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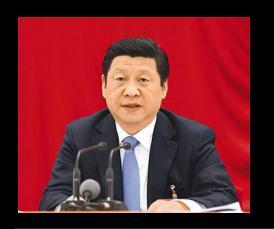


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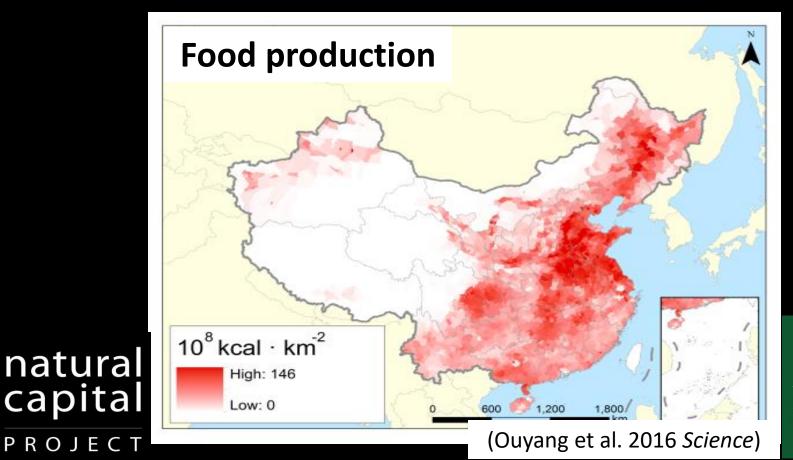
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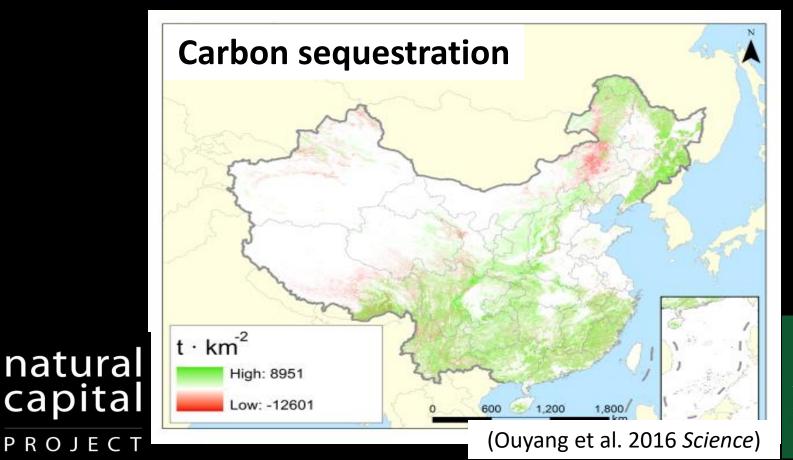


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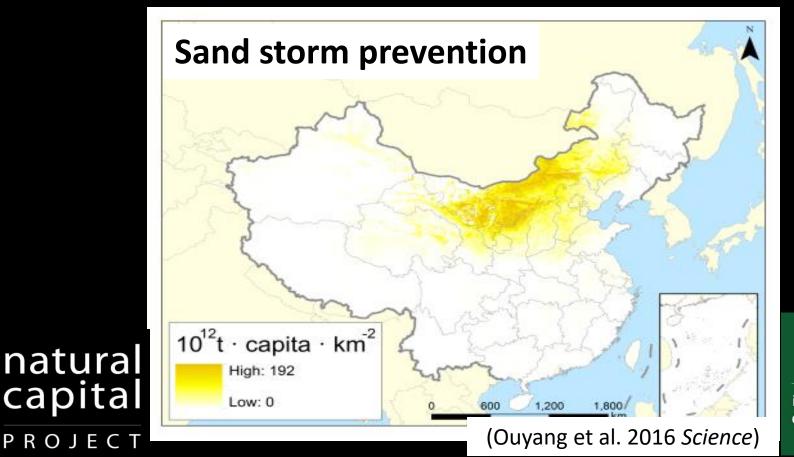




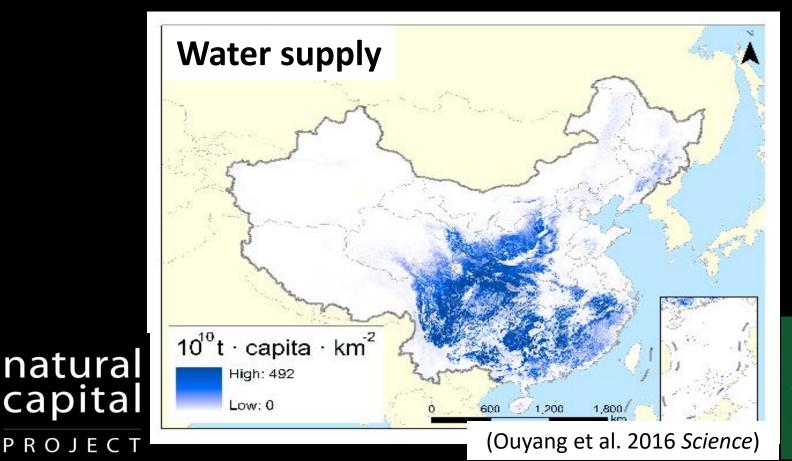
















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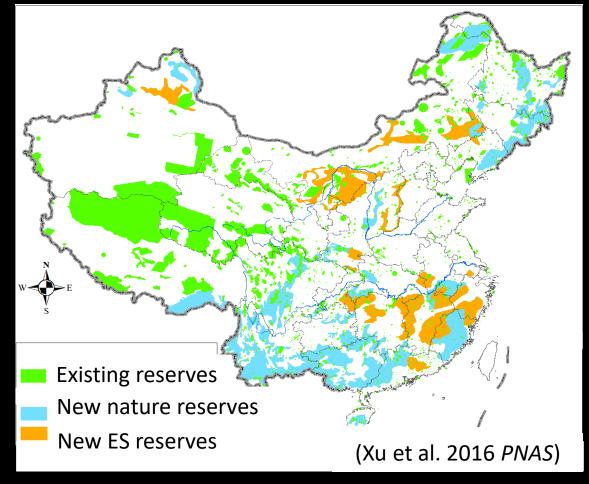


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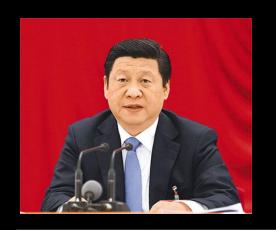
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# Formalized & Expanded National Park System





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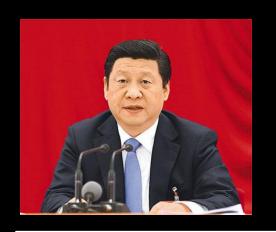
#### **NEW SYSTEM OF GREEN FINANCE**



GEP – the total value of ecosystem goods and services supplied annually



- China State Council, March 2014



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## A COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEM OF GREEN FINANCE





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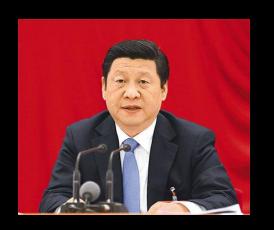


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## Co-Developing Urban InVEST

#### SUSTAINABLE LIVABLE CITIES



#### **Starting with:**

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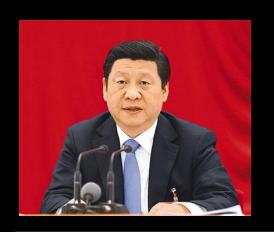
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    - and China's global footprint?



## **Green Growth across the World?**



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