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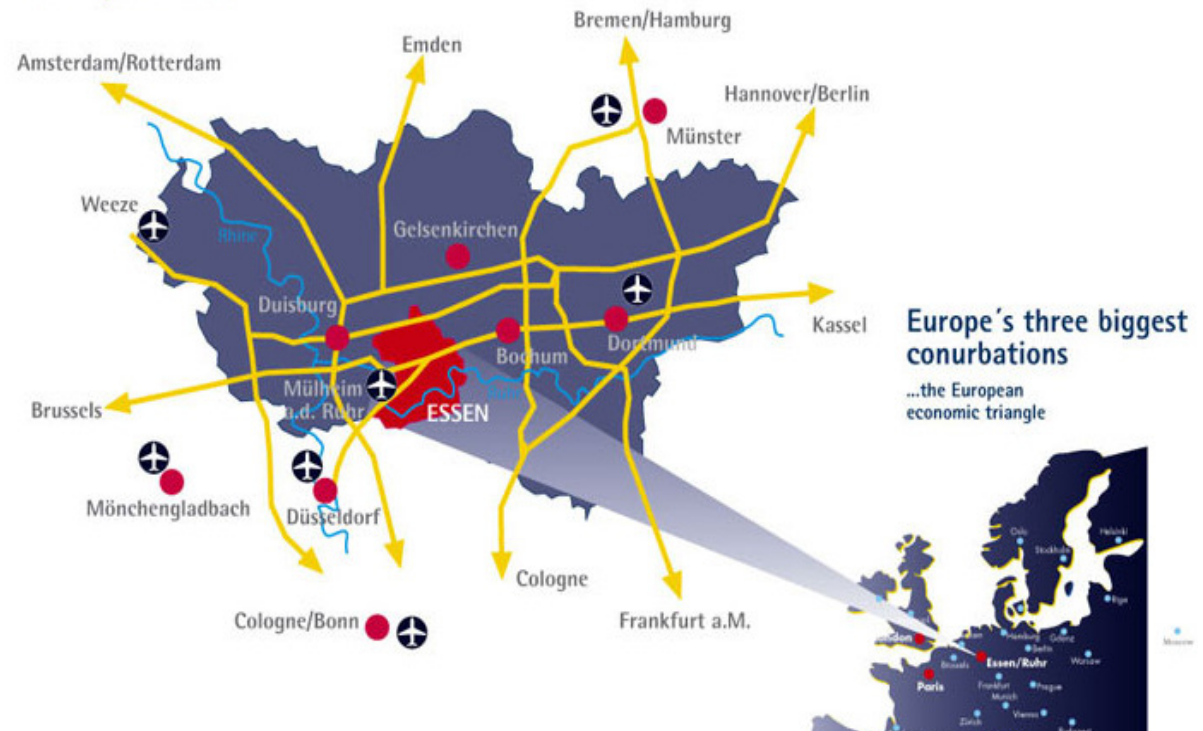
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Ruhr metropolis with 5.1 million inhabitants



City of Essen:
590.000 inhabitants
210 km²
46 % settlement and traffic area
54 % open space
150 years transformation process

Metropole Ruhr



Essen: Good Practices

- Experience as European Green Capital 2017 and European Capital of Culture 2010
- Experience in EU-Funding
- Experience in Networking
- Participation of citizens, local business sectors and research institutions
- Many projects for a healthy, attractive and livable City

ÜBERSICHT PROJEKTE



- ✓ in total 453 projects
- ✓ 187 own Projects (Essen)
- ✓ 56 national and international conferences (with 12.000 participants)
- ✓ 210 projects from citizens
- ✓ increasing number of visitors

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20%

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Energy saves LIGHT BRIGHT

Mach mit bei der Energiewende!

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The collage features various icons: a lightbulb with a percentage sign, a hand holding a lightbulb, a globe with a magnifying glass, a battery, and a globe with a percentage sign. It also includes text about energy savings and the 'ista MACHT SCHULE' initiative.



Hopes:

- Find solutions for energy supply of the future
- Find solutions for increasing the number of people using public transport
 - smart electric mobility
- Exchange of information and experience.



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Many thanks for your
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