

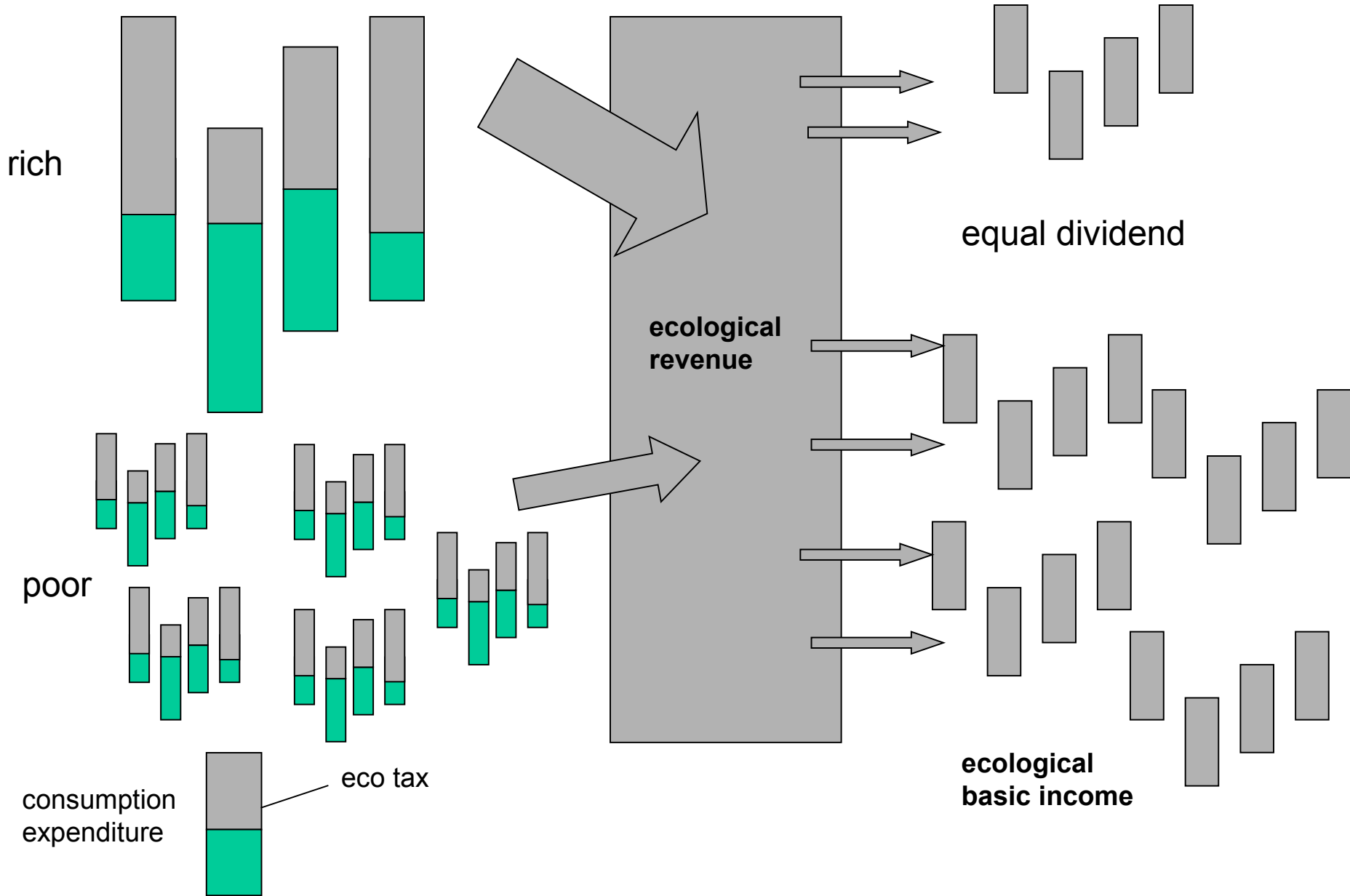
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Ecological basic income:

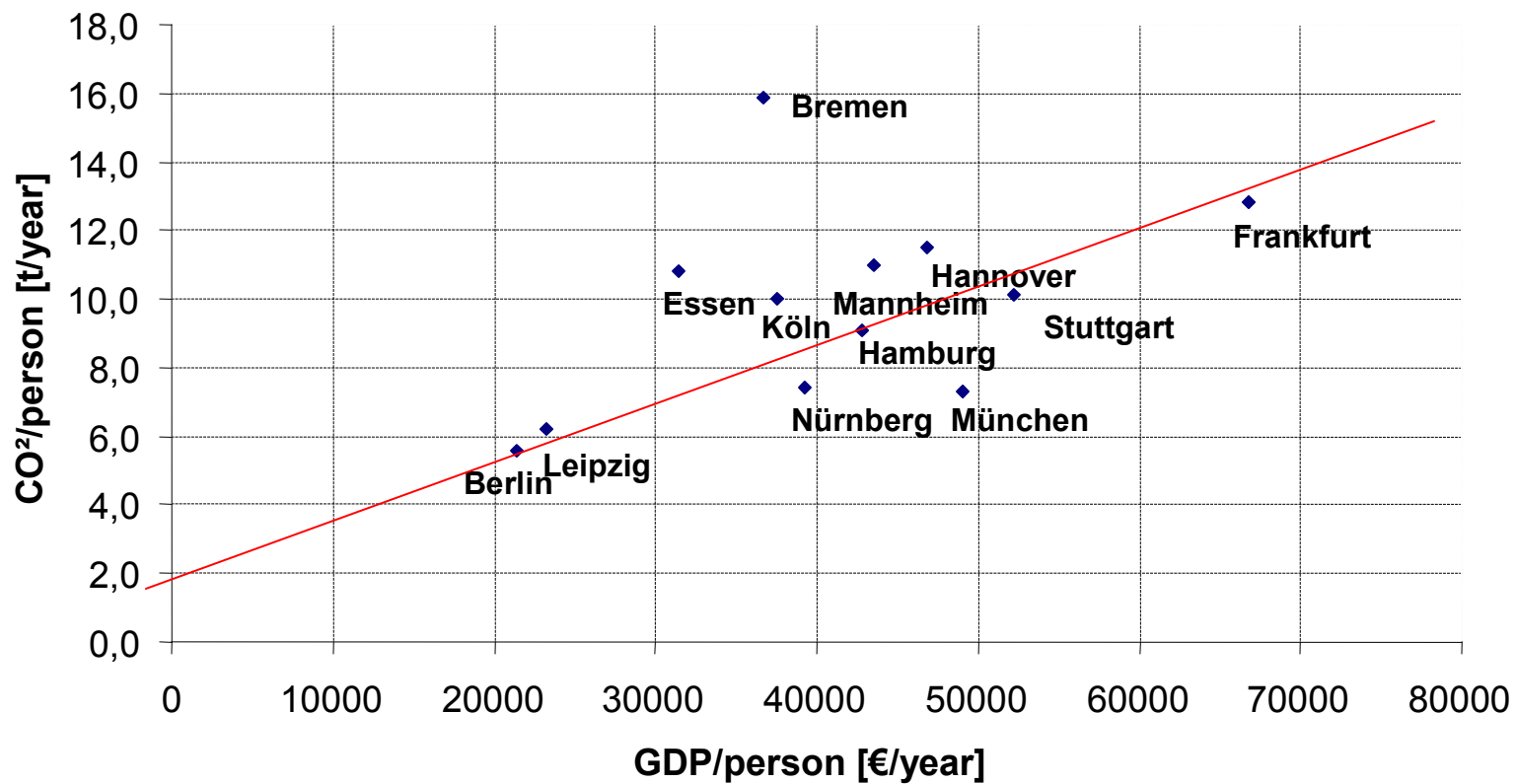
An entry is possible

- 1 Ecological „Tax and Share“
is redistribution of income
- 2 Ecological basic income brings ecological and
basic income movement together
- 3 Ecological basic income opens an entry

Ecological basic income = Tax and Share
Ecological steering and redistribution



German cities: Wealth and CO²-Emissions



data basis:
Economist Intelligence Unit 2011:
German Green City Index

Ecological basic income (tax and share): Idea history

- T. Spence (1796):
2/3 of soil rent to everybody
- P. Barnes (2008): „Sky Trust“
- AG Ökobonus Green Party
BAG Grundeinkommen Left Party (partial financing)
Prof. Ekardt: Global eco bonus (university Leipzig):
ecotax studies: DIW, INFRAS
- basic-free-progressiv tariffs
(proposal customer support center NRW/Germany (2008)
= natural eco bonus, material basic income
- Switzerland: „Steering levy“ (since 2007):
dividend: 82 SF/person (2010)

Ecological basic income:
Benefits for environment(al movement)

unwished technologies become more expensive
(change of relative prices)

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graph TD; A["unwished technologies become more expensive  
(change of relative prices)"] --> B["Alternative consumption  
(ecological modernization)"]; A --> C["Less consumption  
(degrowth)"]; B --> D["→ technological change  
(efficiency, consistency)"]; C --> E["→ change in behaviour and life style"]
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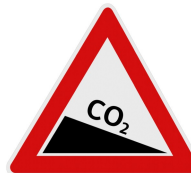
Ecological basic income: Implementation

step by step...

slow increase of tax rates and revenues



extension of tax objects



local, national, global



Tax and share:
We can start now

- EU-ETS (european emission trade system) 2013-2020
estimated revenue in Germany: 20 Mrd./year
(250 €/capita and year)
- Energy tax (electricity, fuels, heating) 2010: 17,5 Mrd./year
proposal: increase to end price +50%
additional revenue: 80 Mrd. €/year
(1000 €/capita and year)

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Ecological basic income:

- entry is possible
- parallel to the existing system of social security
- social-libertarian Green New Deal

environmental
protection movement

basic income
movement