

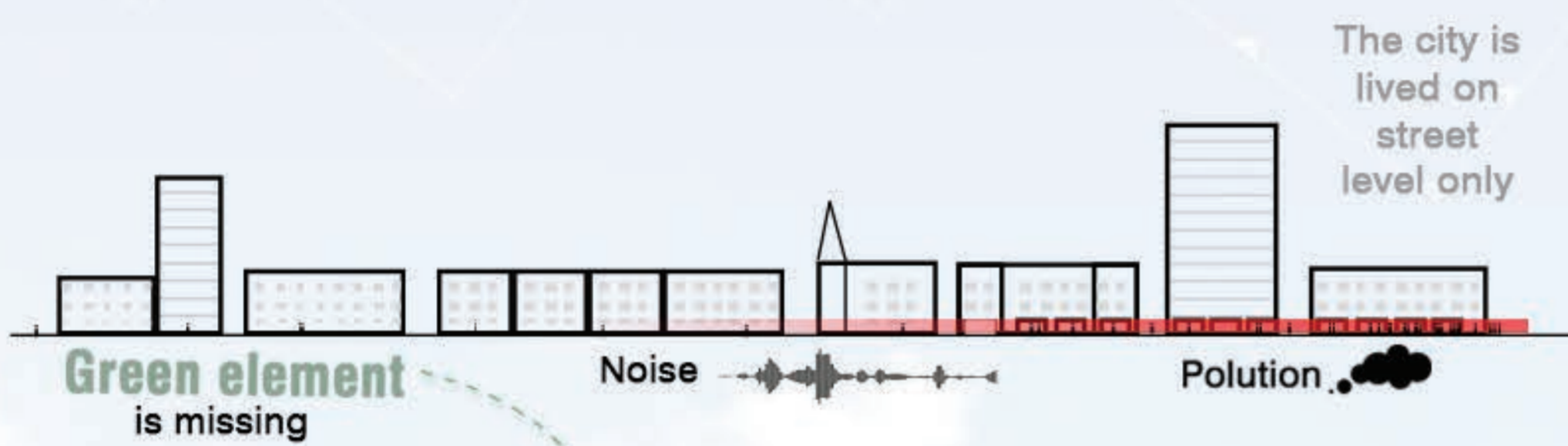


BRUSSELS in general and the ventral district in particular is a place of a great importance... A touristic attraction because of its:

Historical, Commercial, Social, Cultural value. which is all represented in



Boulevard Anspach



Adding the missing environmental layer to the boulevard is be the answer to bring balance back to and to solve its problems. Further more this will add an important value to the anspace on a smaller scale and to the central district on a larger scale.

Problem:

No balance at the two sides of the boulevard.

Why: It is missing a clear distinguishing characteristic.

Solution:

Giving the southern part an identity by adding attraction points. Making it a socially cohesive and an environmental ecological sustainable urban place.

How: Adding a new value to it; The environmental value which is missing.

The result:

Hanging gardens of Brussels.

What: Green platforms risen in a high level.

platforms as machines:

- Attractive points and places to rediscover the city from another perspective
- Recreational green area
- Ecological factor to enhance the environment.
- forming correlations between platforms is to ensure the coproduction of an ecologically conscious and culturally vibrant urban space that clearly transcends the infrastructure logic and transforms the anspace into an ecological engine

Hanging Gardens of Brussel





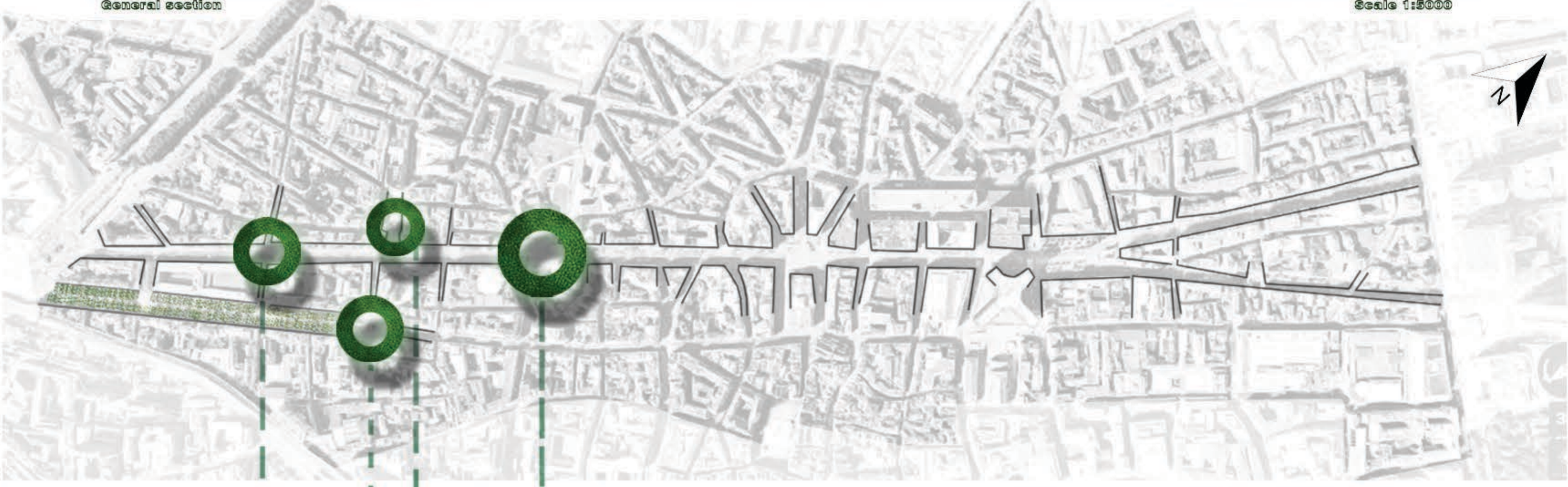
Central platform section

Scale 1:1000



General section

Scale 1:5000



Serving as a gate for the boulevard

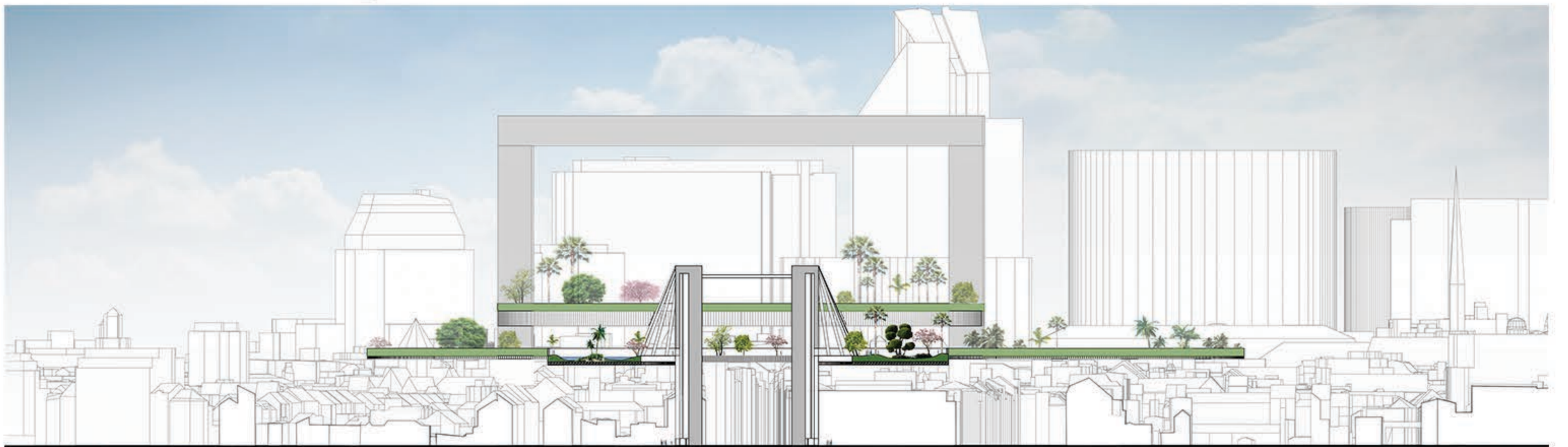
Located at the end of an important street

Located above an important square

Central point

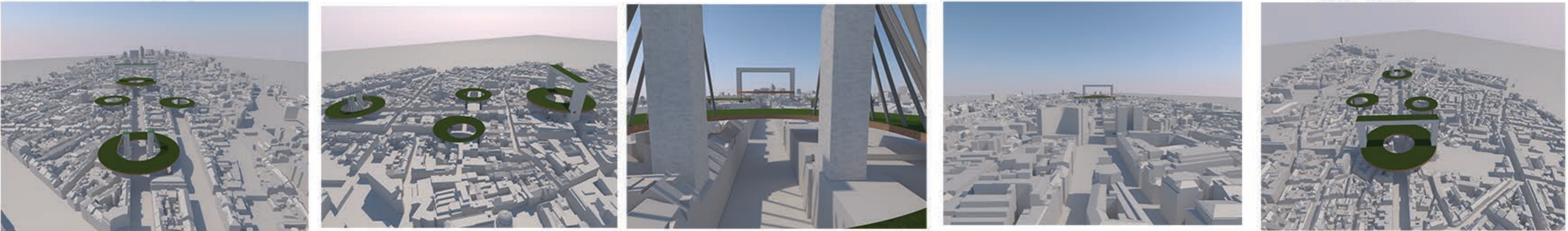
These platforms can be a Prototype applied in different cities.
 - To discover the cities from another layer to understand and perceive it in order to use it better or only to enjoy it.
 - The function of the platform varies according to the city need

Place making as an engine of growth for the whole city



The gate platform section

Scale 1:1000

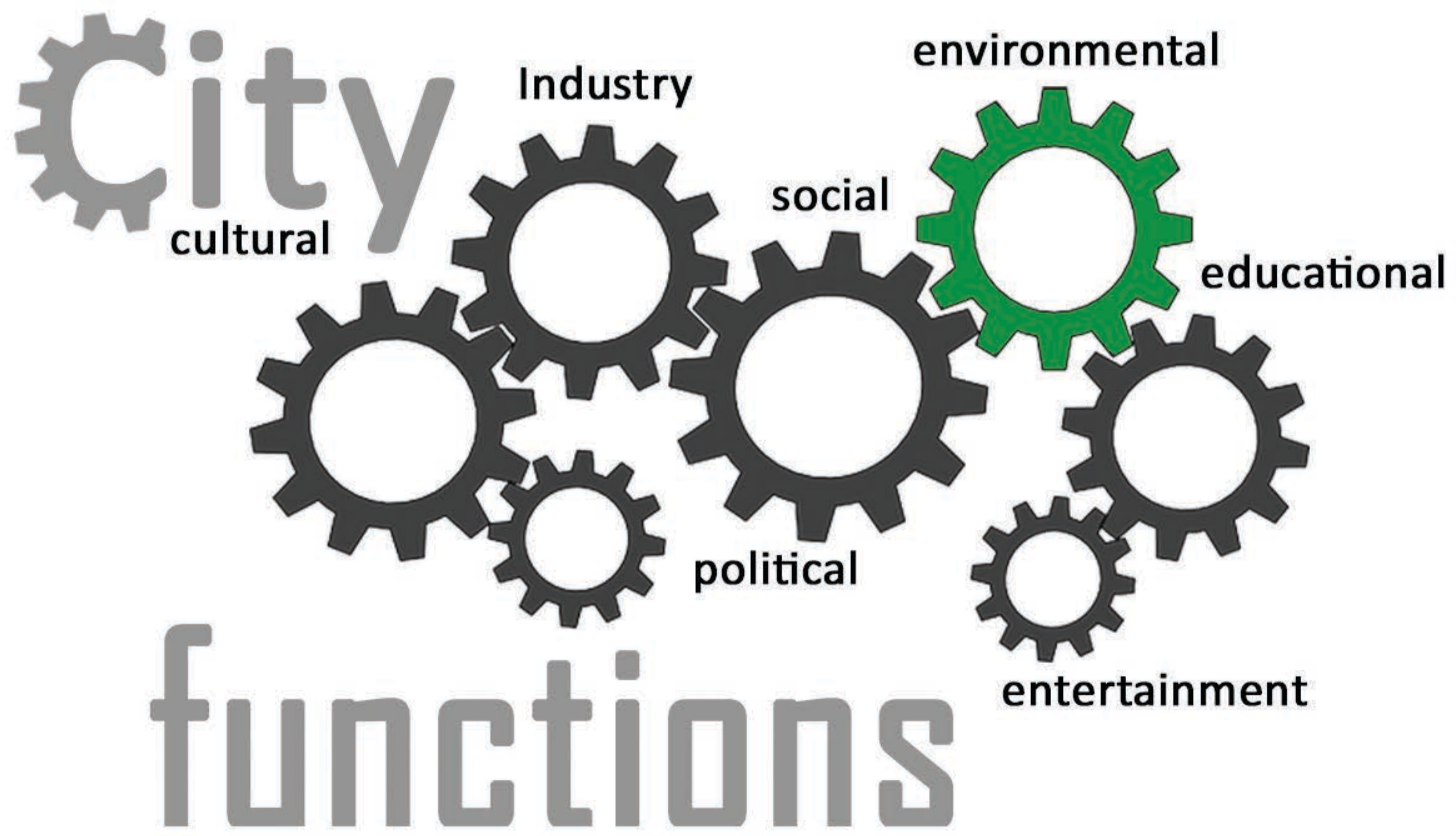




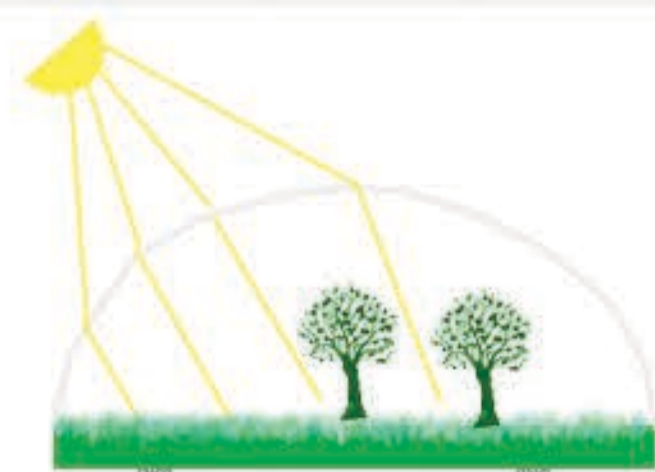
The platform as a prototype



The platform as a machine



Temporary Events structure



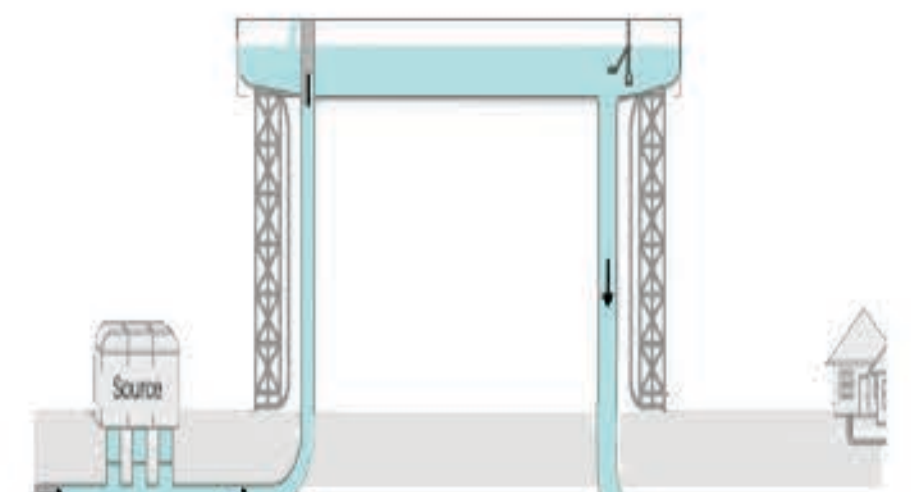
green house food supply



recreational facilities



Neutral land



Water reservation

adjustable functions according to the city need.