DISPARITY





- 1. 946 Billionaires (\$3.5 trillion) > Africa's GDP (\$2.2 trillion) [Share of world pop.: 0.0000143%]
- 8.7 Million Millionaires (\$33.3 trillion) = 50% of world GDP

[Share of world pop.: 0.13%]

3. 98% of climate disasters in developing world (262 million p.a.)

DEGRADATION





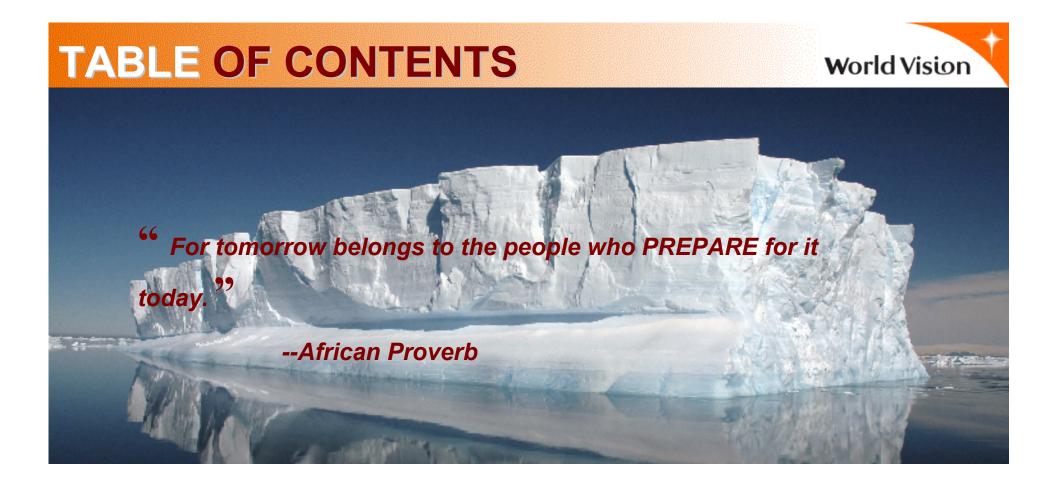
- 1. 83% of mangroves destroyed in Irrawaddy Delta (1924-1999)
- 2. 73,000 square kilometres of forest burned-slashedhacked p.a.
- 3. 20% of global greenhouse gas emissions from forest slashing

SYNTHESIS





- + More Urbanisation
- + More Vulnerability
- + More Pollution
- + More Disparity
- + More Degradation
- = 21st Century Climate Change Context



- 1. Climate Change
- 2. Climate Storms
- 3. Climate Preparedness

WATER WORLD





J. Kela: "What will the future hold for us?" Island chief John Kela (right) doesn't understand the science of climate change. But he sees that the ocean surrounding his island is rising.

EXTREME EROSION





"Bhola – Bangladesh's biggest island – is eroding at a phenomenal rate. From a size of 6,400 square kilometres in the 1960s, Bhola is now only half its original size."

—Mohammad Shamsuddoha, General Secretary Equity and Justice Working Group