Riverbed Rehabilitation in Desert Towns
Stimulus for Urban Resources

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Brain Power

Creativity
The State of Israel

Area - 22,145 sq. km.
Width -
  112 km. at the widest part
  14 km. at the narrowest part
Length - 435 km.
Capital - Jerusalem
Population - 8.05 m.
Mediterranean climate

Semiarid climate

Arid climate
The Negev region is characterized by few forest areas; most of them in the northern Negev.

Numerous wadies (dry river beds) provide an area for proposed future forests.
Beer Sheva River Park
Until 2000
An example of success
Ben- Gurion Park - Dimona
Summary

• Improve city image
• Creating a “green belt” though landscape development
• Create new recreation areas, community gathering points and event venues
• Increase land value
• Create new jobs
• Positive city growth & development in previously polluted or deserted areas
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“Toda Raba”- Thank you