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# An Ecological Perspective on Economic Rents

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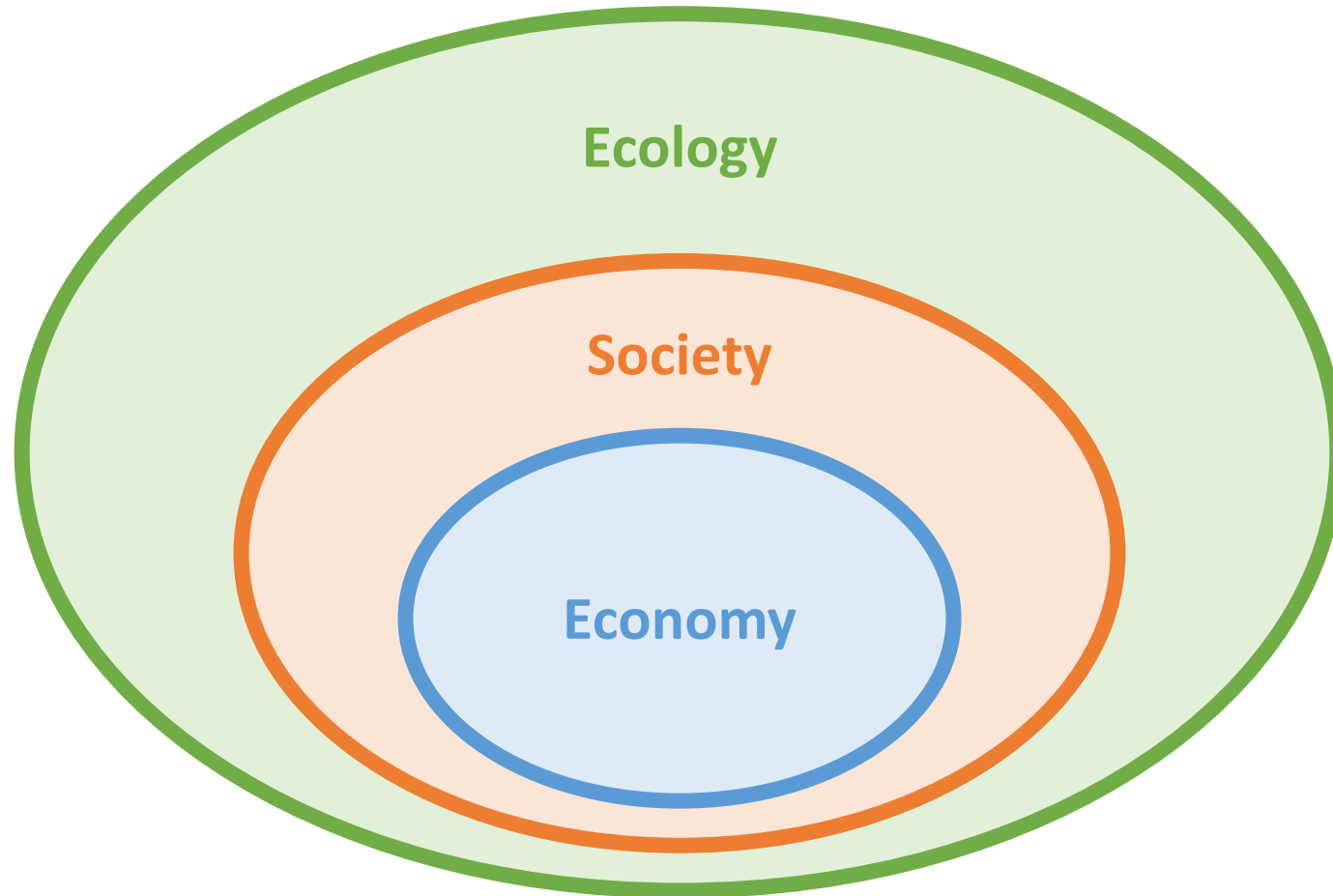
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# What is an ecological perspective?



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# Ecological economics



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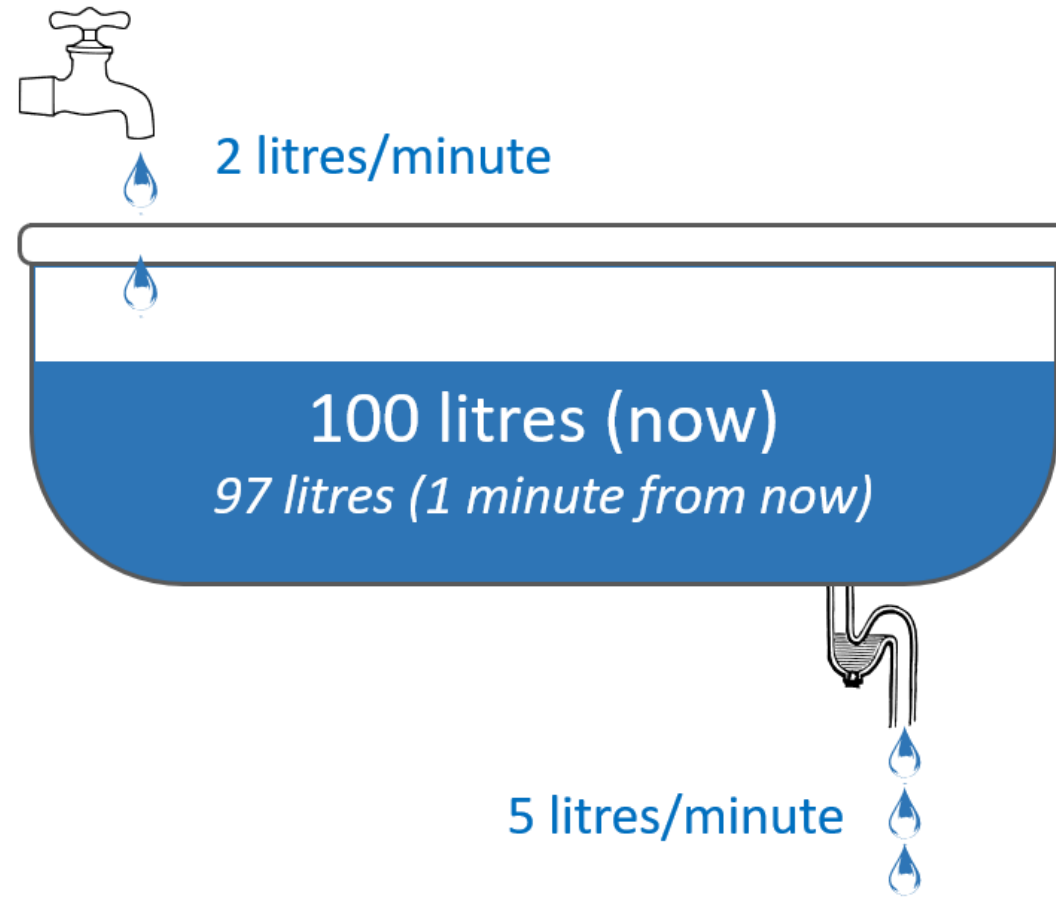
# Provisioning

1. Provide the rights things (production)
2. Make sure that the right things are actually used (distribution)



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# Stocks and flows



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# Co-inherited wealth

Assets that enable sustainable wellbeing with minimal resources



# Growth Imperative



Structural Change and Economic Dynamics

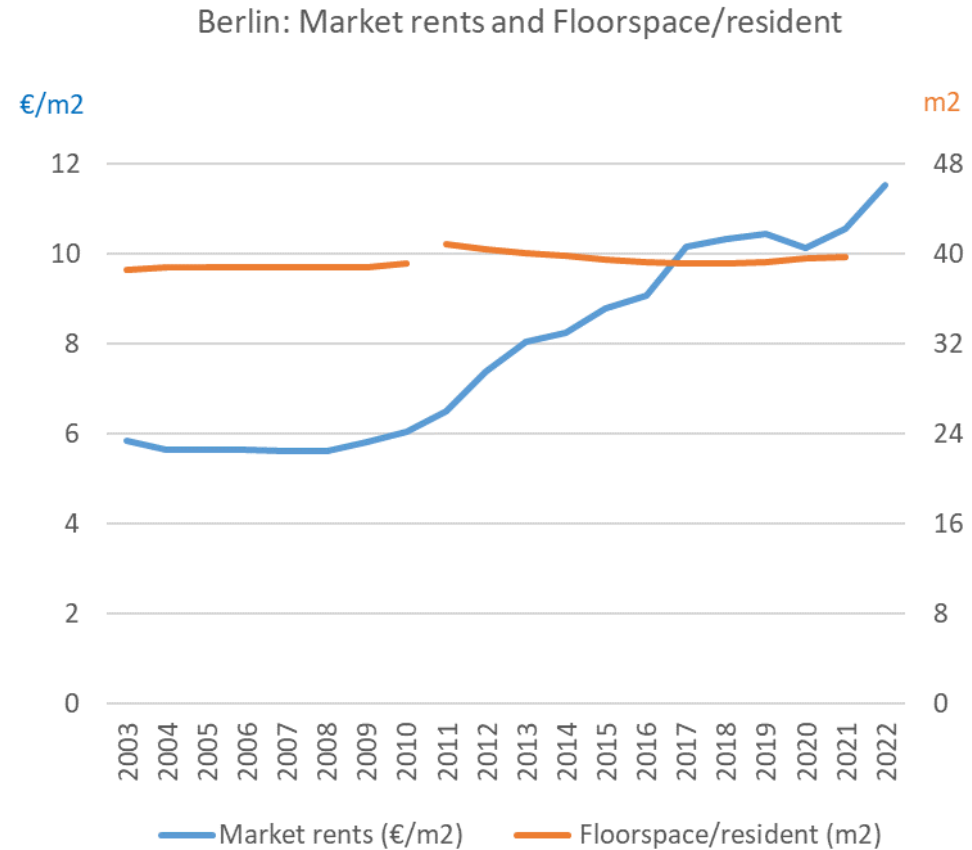
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## Growth imperatives: Substantiating a contested concept

[Oliver Richters](#)<sup>a</sup> <sup>b</sup> , [Andreas Siemoneit](#)<sup>b</sup>

# Example: Floorspace occupation





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# Who doesn't pay rent?



We already allocate rents from  
common wealth  
– we just don't do it evenly

Thank you