

Please listen to the audio track and fill in the gaps with up to 3 words from the track you hear:

1. So, for context, Neom is one of several projects Saudi Arabia is ..... preparing for a post-oil economy.
2. Well, firstly, they'll ..... innovative technology and renewable energy to power the city. And, secondly, there won't be any roads - just two hundred metres of gardens and walkways between the two blocks with ..... and housing arranged at different levels.
3. Yeah, I mean, the Shanghai Maglev (...) reaches speeds of 460 kph, so it's within the bounds of what's already possible. There are certainly bigger ..... than that.
4. These are massive challenges, and I think that's reflected in the ..... which is set to rise to nearer a trillion dollars.
5. Yeah, and the completion date looks likely to be pushed back to nearer 2050. - It is a .....
6. But, you know, technology can't guarantee the perfect environment they .....
7. Well, they tend to attract newcomers with limited resources who are ..... so to speak.
8. To some extent. But everything's .....
9. Well, the decline has certainly been ....., but the point is, cities' fortunes naturally rise and .....
10. They settle, start families, demand new facilities for kids and ..... to, say, clean up a park or commission public art to celebrate their community