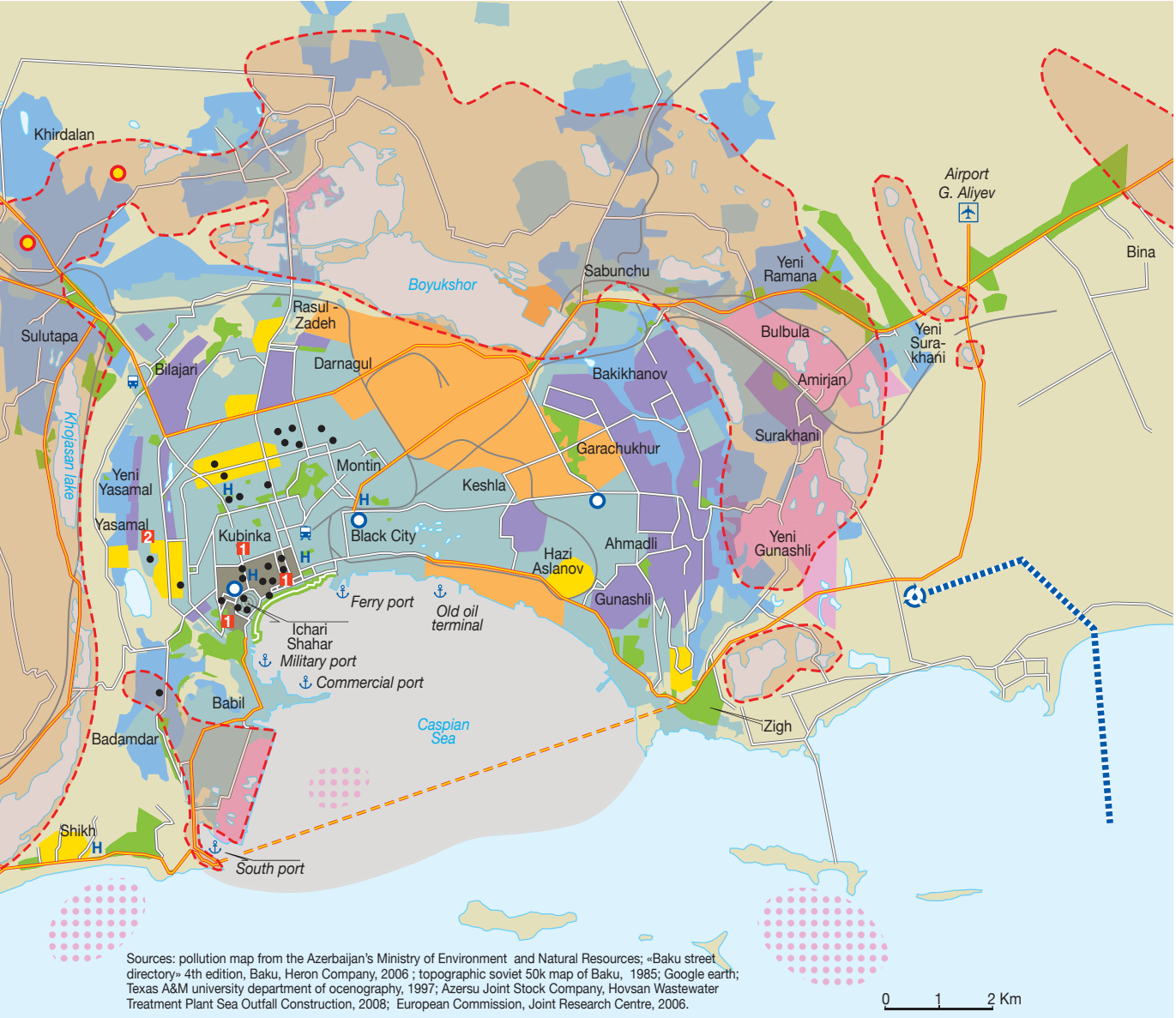


Urban development

- H Big hotels
- Railway stations
- Bus station terminal
- Big commercial malls
- Government buildings
- University
- Main city roads
- High speed roads
- Projected bridge across the gulf
- Seafront promenade
- Foreign embassies
- Inner old city
- "Destructured" historic town
- Mixed construction building areas (as in 1985)
- "Big soviet blocs of flats"
- New construction building areas (from 1990 to 2006)
- "Gentrified" areas
- Parks and green areas
- Main industrial areas

Hazards and consequences on environment

- Mud volcanoes Dangerous mud flows
- Heavily polluted land and waters due to oil extraction, industrial waste and mining
- Dead sea zone
- Oil extraction areas
- Offshore oil rigs
- Projected wastewater treatment plant...
- ... and sea outfall pipeline

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