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The Aurora Case: Sweden's first systemic climate case - with a focus on youth

Advancing Child Rights Strategic Litigation: Ways Forward
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Youth-led association suing the Swedish state for insufficient climate measures



In the midst of a climate emergency

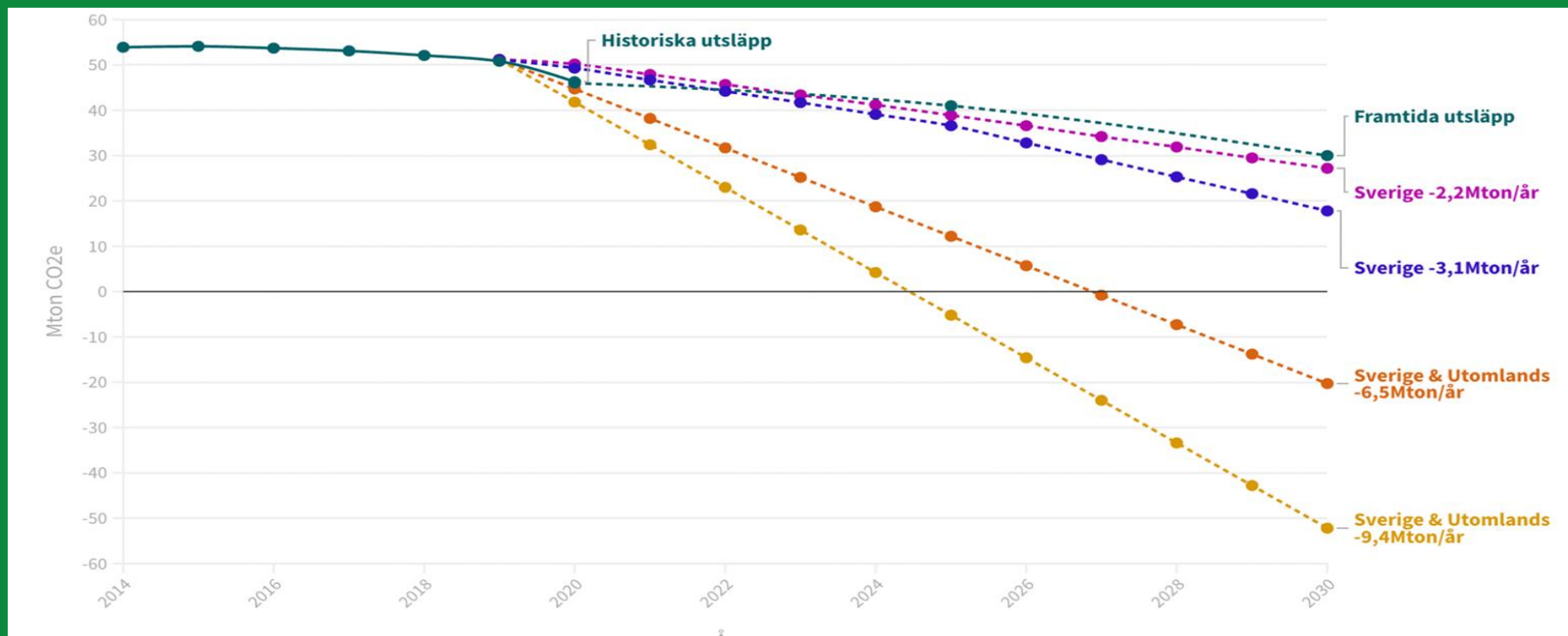
“Any further delay in concerted anticipatory global action on adaptation and mitigation will miss a brief and rapidly closing window of opportunity to secure a liveable and sustainable future for all.”

IPCC, AR6, WG2, SPM, para D.5.3



What we want - fair share

The Swedish state must contribute its fair share of the global climate measures necessary to limit global warming to 1,5 degrees.



Effective rights

- **Swedish Constitution**
- **Swedish Climate Act**
- **international law: UNFCCC, Paris Agreement etc.**
- **ECHR**

“the rights should be practical and effective not theoretical and illusory”



A forwardstriving action - declaratory judgment

Art 2 (right to life)

Art 3 (prohibition of torture, inhuman and degrading treatment)

Art 8 (right to private life)

Art 1 of First Protocol (right to property)

Art 14 (prohibition against discrimination)

A class action - formally involving 300 youth residing in Sweden

in reality involving so many more

