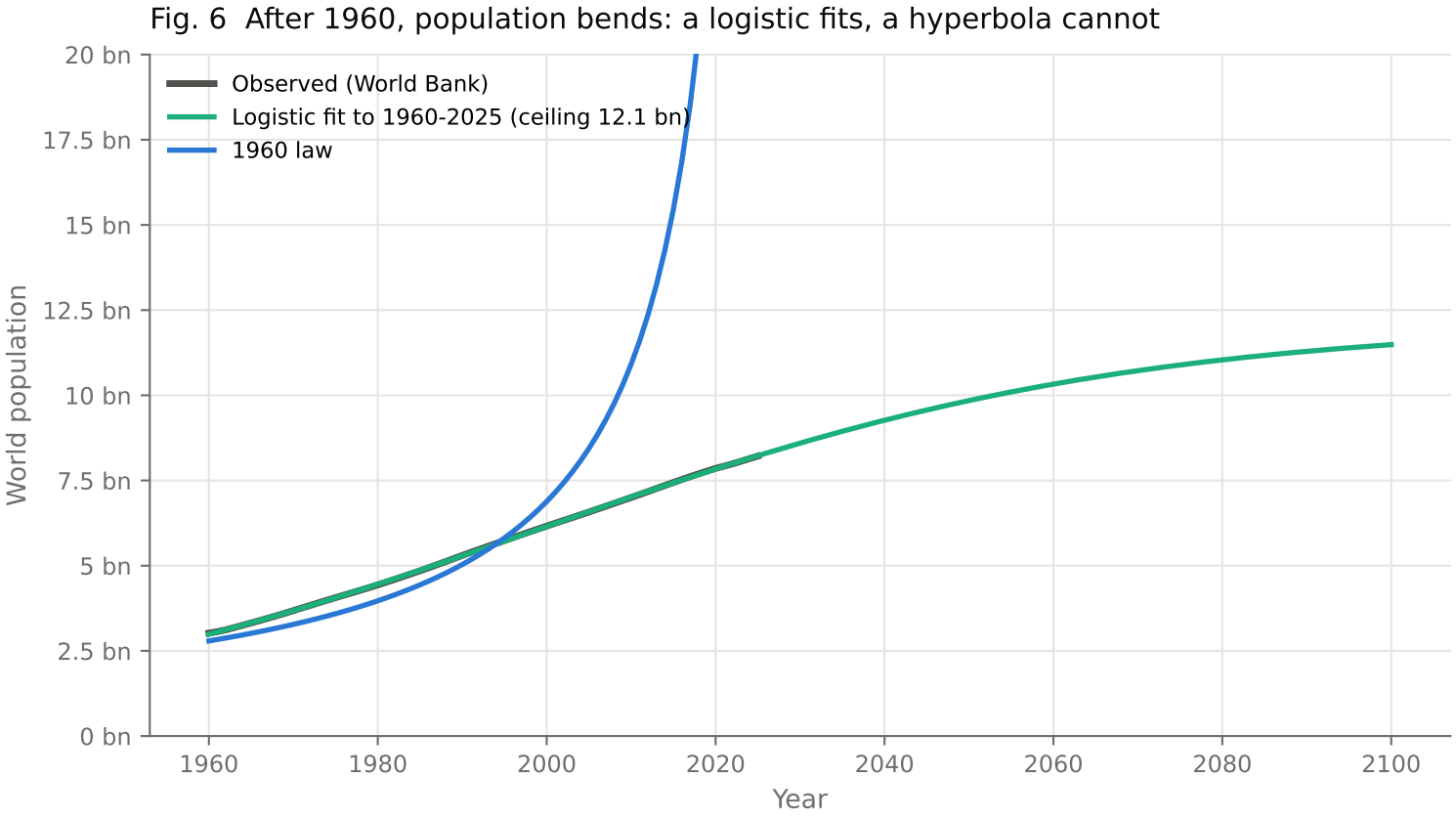

Fig. 6 After 1960, population bends: a logistic fits, a hyperbola cannot
Observed (World Bank)
Logistic fit to 1960-2025 (ceiling 12.1 bn)
1960 law
20 bn
17.5 bn
15 bn
12.5 bn
10 bn
7.5 bn
5 bn
2.5 bn
0 bn
World population
1960
1980
2000
2020
2040
2060
2080
2100
Year