



A Scan of Knowledge Economy Strategic Plans in OIC Member Countries

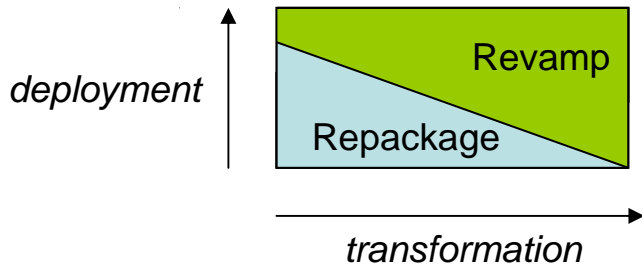
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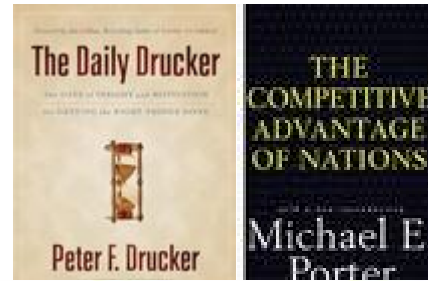
KE The 'New' Economic Driver: Myth & Realities

STATE OF KE TODAY.....



- **UNDERSTANDING OF KE : REPACKAGE VS NEW**
- **DRIVER OF KE: ICT**
- **IMPACT: SOCIAL & ECONOMIC**
- **CHALLENGE : SPEED AND SCALE**
- **TRANSITION VS END STATE ?**

DESCRIPTIONS OF KE....



The Thinkers....



Government



Companies

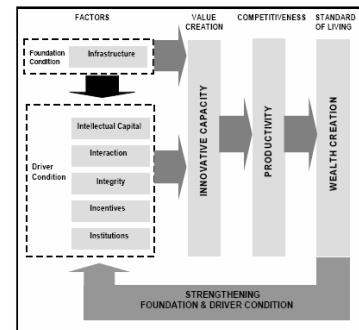


Civil Societies

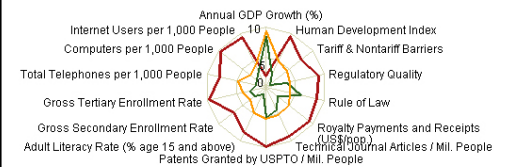
The Implementors

The Development Economist ...

United States, India, China



Prof Nair's 7i



Comparison Group: All Countries Type: weighted Year: most recent (KAM 2007)

World Bank 4 pillars

- *Biz Environment*
- *Education*
- *ICT Infra*
- *Innovation System*



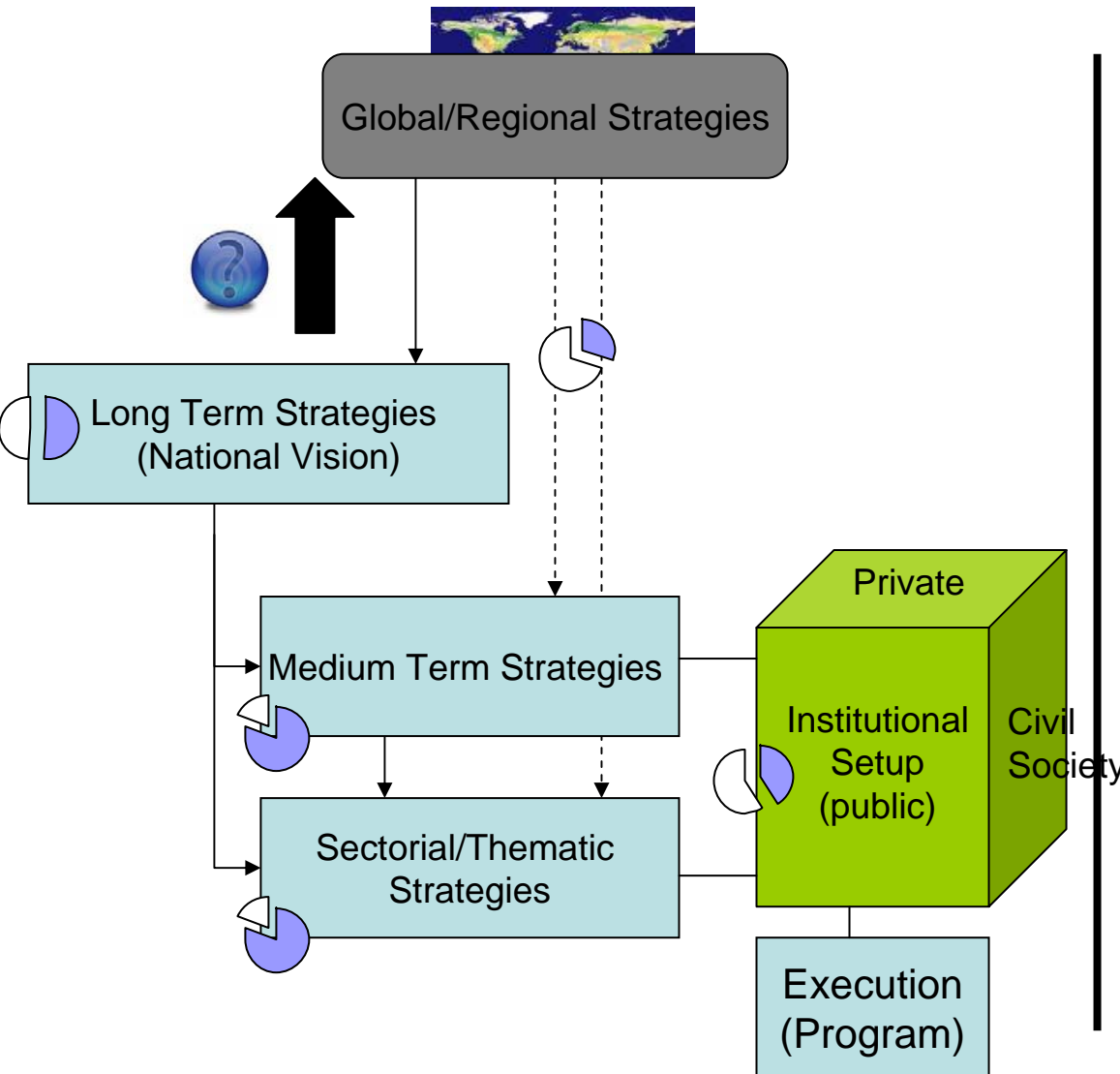
A SCAN OF THE DIFFERENT KE (Dominant) DEFINITIONS-PERSPECTIVES

Champions/Promoters	Underlying Emphasis
Development Economist/Government	Macro Economic Development & Sovereignty where knowledge is one of the element for development
'Visionaries'	(Radical) Transformative Role – A new 'world' order (driver for development)
'Academicians'	Innovation and Learning (addressing the source of knowledge)
Civil Societies	Equality & Accessibility (<i>the world is flat</i>)
Youth	Building the next generation
Industrial (Venture)	Private sector lead (<i>world is not flat</i>)
Infrastructure/Technologist	Technology advancement (&impact)

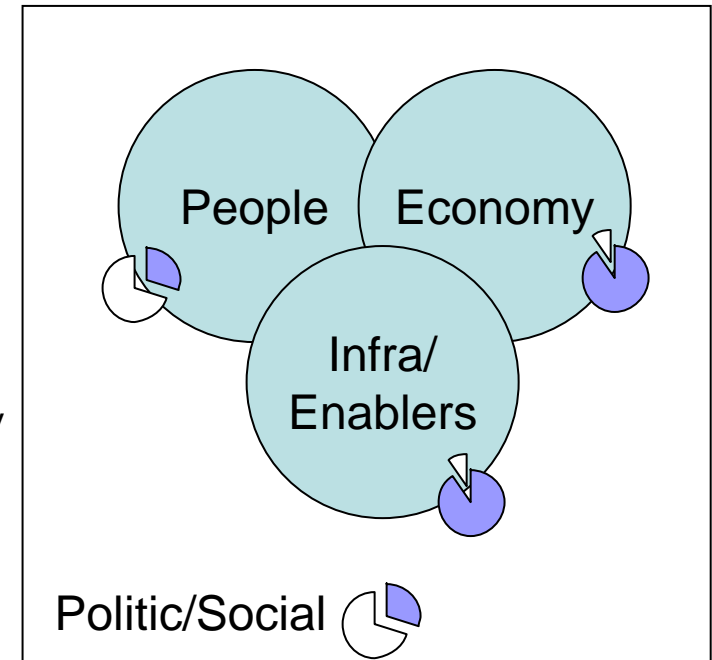


Framing the KE Strategic Plans

KE Strategic Planning Formulation



KE SP Elements





KE Implementation Approaches : A SCAN

- Policy Approach
 - Education
 - Incentives
- Industrial Approach
 - Clusters/Hubs/Mega Cities
- Open Source Approach
 - Community of Interest
 - Program/Projects Specific



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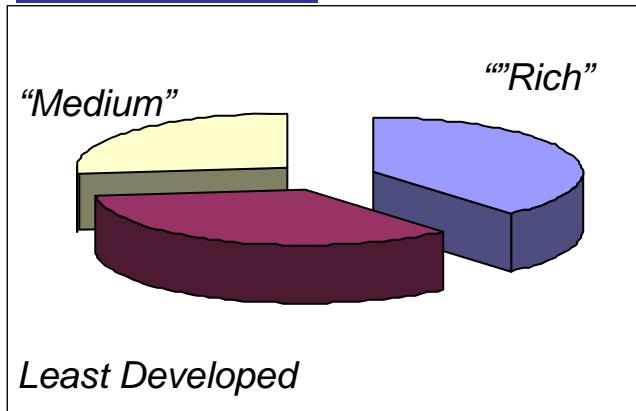
APPLICATION PROGRAMS

INFRASTRUCTURE

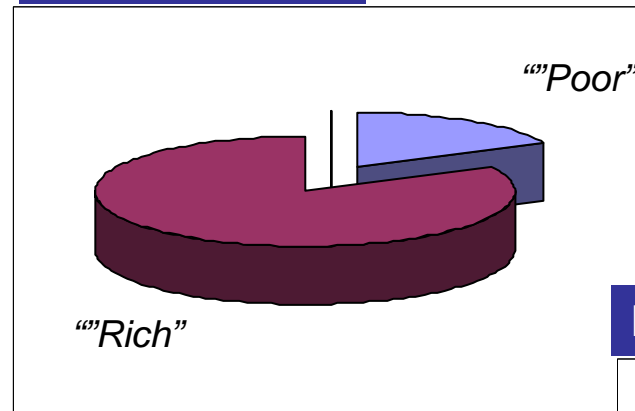


Readiness of OIC : A Perception of Potential?

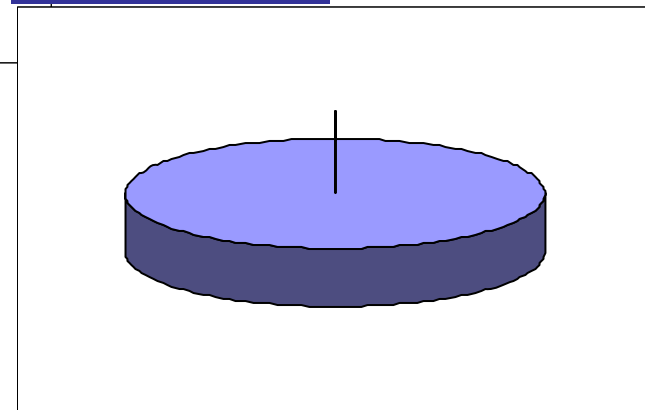
Income Base



Resource Base

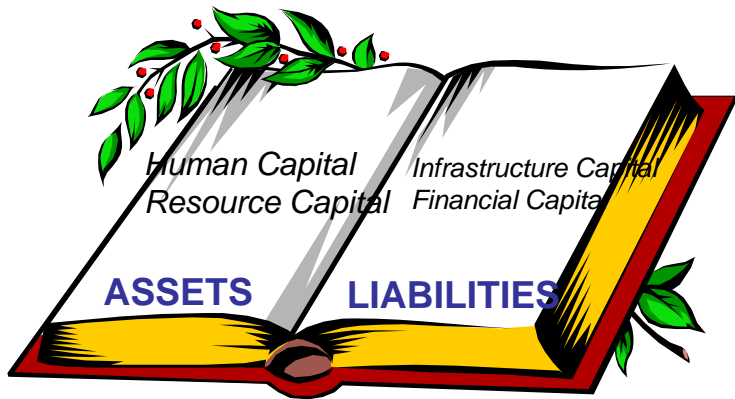


People Base?



KE Framed within the IDB Vision 1440H

Our Development Balance Sheet



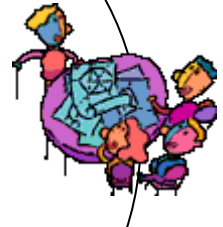
To safeguard human development (well-being), the key elements of development are....

Faith
(Din)



Self (Nafs)

Intellect
(Aql)



Wealth
(Mal)



Equity
(Adl)

FRAMING THE KE POLICY ORIENTATION TO COMPREHENSIVE HUMAN DEVELOPMENT



S&T / INNOVATION



- Innovation Strategy
- Education & R&D

ECONOMIC-BiZ / INDUSTRIAL



- Knowledge Economy
- Knowledge-base industry/Services
- Knowledge Cities
- Economic Value-Adding
- Enterprise Development

- Ethics & value
- Comprehensive Development
- Learning society
- Corporate Social Responsibility
- Belief system principle-based
- Culture and civilisation

SOCIETIAL / HUMAN DEVELOPMENT



- Informatization
- Information Society
- eCommunity/eLifeStyle
- eServices/Applications
- ICT as enabler

INFORMATION / ICT (INFRASTRUCTURE)





Conclusion

- SP (thinking) is needed (lacking) to jump into the KE bandwagon (especially for least developed and emerging nations)
- Global positioning essential to produce long-term impact (else only able to benefit from transition impact)
- KE is only an intermediate instrument for human development. Strategic Plan to focus on Comprehensive Human Development (People & Resource)
- Innovative & Entrepreneurship mindset/culture/ecosystem - necessary condition



Thank You

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