

Perspectives of civil society on GE Indicators:

- What GE means to us
- What are the measures
- Context
- Adoption
- Coherence
- What we want

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2009 GEC shared analysis:

environmental conditions getting worse, poverty persists, inequalities growing, current economic activity not enabling sustainable development

GEC shared vision: prosperity for all within one planet limits

GEC Goal:

to accelerate the transition to a green, fair and inclusive economy

For the green economy coalition a green, fair and inclusive economy looks like this...



- A green economy:**
- 1. helps look after the natural world and...**
 - 2. shares economic benefits and opportunities more fairly**

5 themes of change.....

Measuring Green Economy's 5 themes



5. Improving governance

- Measures of societal and environment development

4. Influencing financial flows

- Banks – asset lending ratio
- Public procurement, subsidies

3. Greening economic sectors

- Net positive contribution to the environment
- Contribution to wellbeing
- Resource to wellbeing ratio

2. Investing in people

- Wellbeing, Equity, Inclusion, Poverty reduction
- Access to energy, resources, water
- Green jobs, social protection

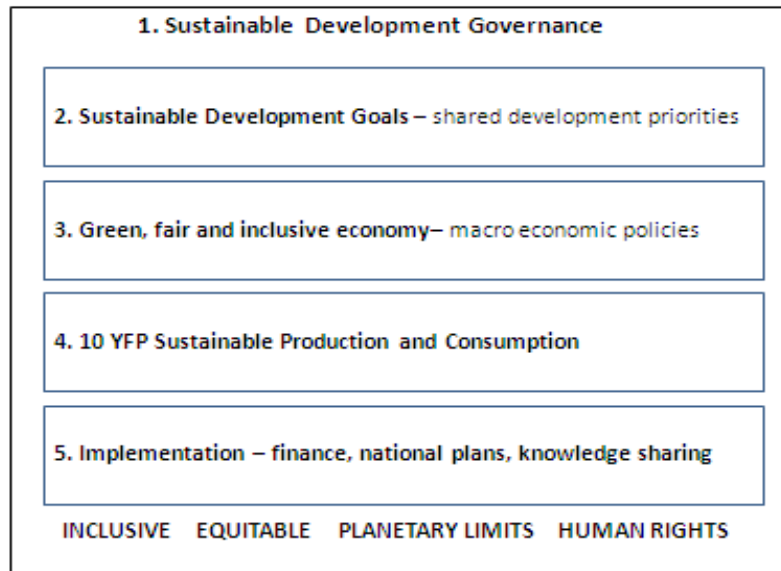
1. Managing natural systems

- Environmental health – integrity of systems, size, loading, extraction - limits: carbon, water, biodiversity, nitrogen

CONTEXT - POST Rio and green economy

Development world

ONE DEVELOPMENT AGENDA - integrating and creating coherence



Corporate & government world



national green growth strategies being initiated around the world

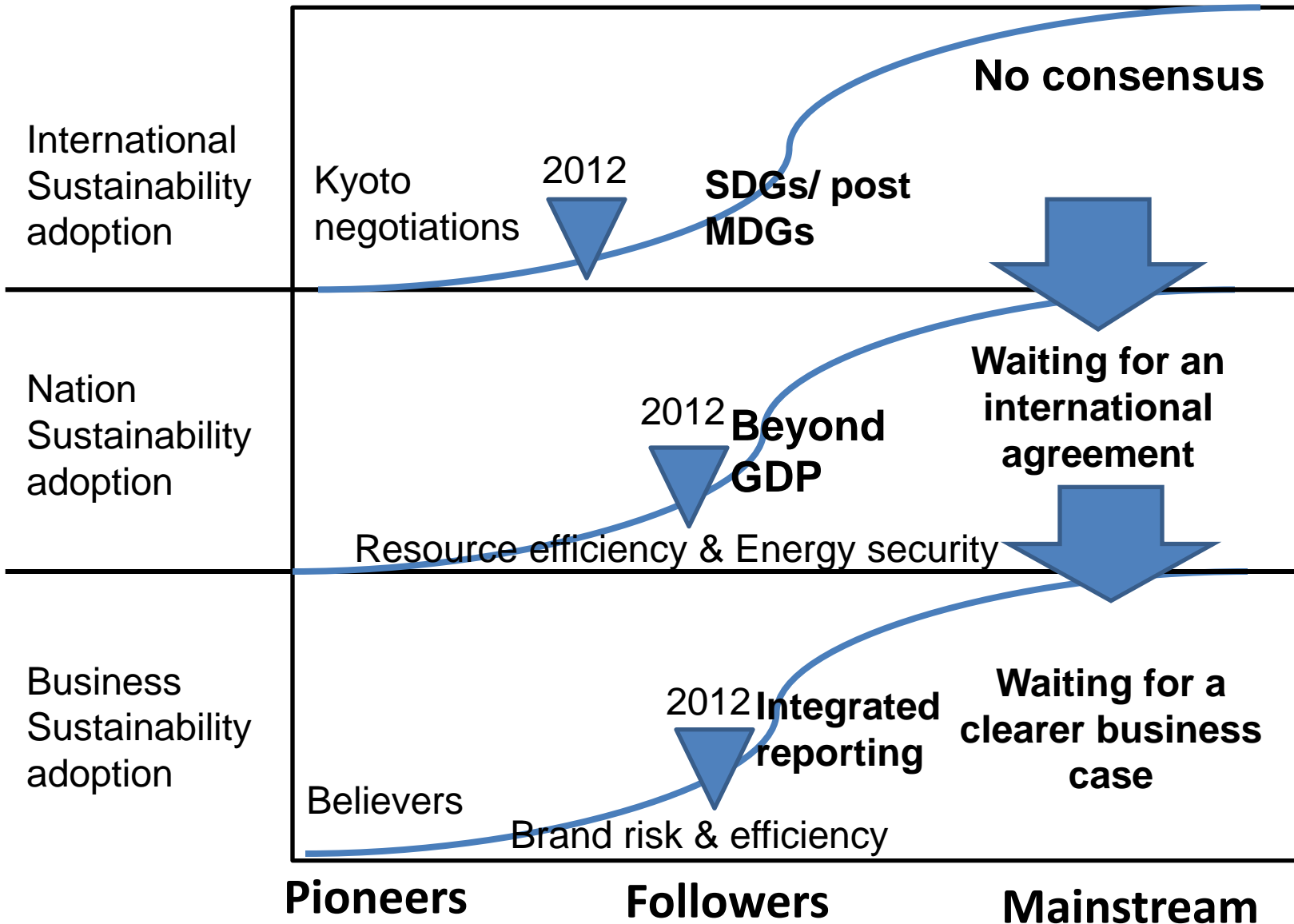
- environmental limits?
- inclusion?
- ambition on equity, wellbeing?

Mainstream world – We need growth

- The path to growth is deregulation
No to austerity -
How about industrial policy?



Adoption: business waiting for clearer signals, nations waiting for clearer international signals, international slow & confused (SDG and post MDG)



Coherence – Reinforcing multi-level GE Indicators

Categories Scope & Institutions	Economic	Social	Environment	
Global indicators <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UN • Other global institutions 	Sustainable development goals			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green Growth • Resilience • Innovation etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wellbeing • Poverty • Access to energy etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carbon • Biodiversity • Water etc.
National & regional indicators <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Governments • Regional (EU) 	Beyond GDP			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green Growth • Resilience • Innovation etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wellbeing • Poverty • Access to energy etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carbon • Biodiversity • Water etc.
Business indicators <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MNCs • SMEs 	Integrated reporting			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green Growth • Resilience • Innovation etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wellbeing • Poverty • Access to energy etc. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carbon • Biodiversity • Water etc.



wants 4 things



- 1. One development agenda** – with one set of international goals (SDGs)
- 2. Coherence of core measures** and alignment between SDGs, Beyond GDP, Corporate reporting
- 3. Wellbeing and environmental health** being at the core of these measures
- 4. Regulate Companies** to ‘report or explain why not’

Thank you,

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