Opportunities for benefit sharing in the development of the Green Hydrogen value chain in South Africa

Promoting Green Hydrogen Economy in South Africa

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Why?

• Embedded systemic imbalance in South Africa's economic and industrial foundations

Reinforced by:

- → Obvious factors:
 - → Poverty
 - → Joblessness
 - → Inequality
- → Tacit factors:
 - → Embedded bias in capital allocation mechanisms





 South Africa's economic and industrial policy development pathways are rooted in the principles of **Economic Transformation**

What?

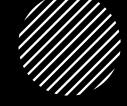
- →Inclusive economic/industrial growth
- → Progress without Inequality

How?

- Economic Transformation Principles
 - How do we create longevity in industrial development and business practice?
 - Overarching question of sustainability....
- →Rooted in Japanese Business Principle Sanpo Yoshi (三方良し)
 - →3 parties in every business transaction the buyer, the seller, society
- → "Modern" interpretation Creating Shared Value (Michael Porter)
 - →Adds a 4th party the supply chain



 Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Act



How?

→ Codes of Practice

→ Sector Codes of Practice

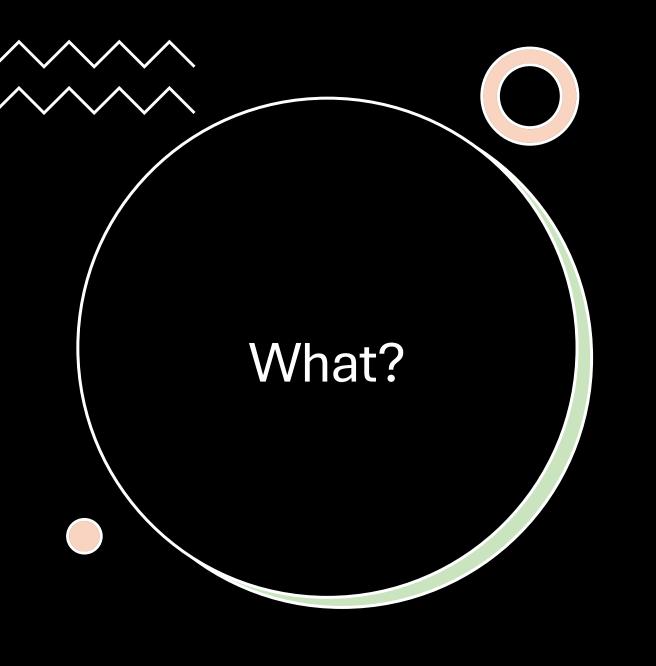
→ Procurement Regulations

→ Licencing Regulations



Why?

- →Est. latent demand for green hydrogen in 2024 is 94million tonnes
- →Est. latent demand for green hydrogen in 2050 is 1billion tonnes (10% of which is for mobility applications alone)



 What is pushing the narrative that is driving the green hydrogen conversation?

- \rightarrow \$ 1.3 TRILLION
- → Capital allocation
- → Decarbonisation with profit





 How are the capital allocation considerations driving the green hydrogen narrative?

How?

→ESG

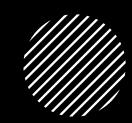
→ Impact investing

→ Green funds





• RE Potential, but no grid availability



Affordable Land

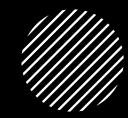
SA Context

Water Sources

Technology

Regulatory Environment





Opportunities

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- Shared Ownership
- Innovative Financing Models
- Supply Chain Diversification
- Skills Development
- Community integration
- Community participation

