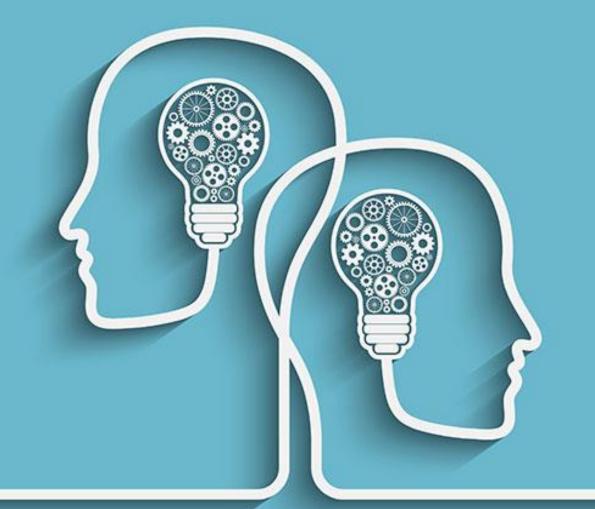
# Learning from Evaluation



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#### Why Evaluate?

#### Accountability

Is ADB doing the right things? Is ADB doing things right? Are resources properly allocated and used, and intended outcomes realized?

#### Learning

What lessons are critical for improving development impact of future policies, strategies, programs and projects?

#### **Development effectiveness**

Maximizing development effectiveness of ADB operations through evaluation feedback

# lessons.adb.org

## **Discussion Questions**

- How effective do you think is lessons learned approach for learning? What will it take to learn from lessons?
- What do you think is the biggest challenge in using the lessons database? What could be the potential gaps and weaknesses with this platform?
- How can we improve quality, utilization, and aid in dissemination and communicating the lessons?
- Comments on the user interface, functionalities, supporting technology, technical aspect?





# What is Watson?

- A technology that can ingest thousands of documents and unstructured data (e.g., project completion reports)
- A conversational platform that interprets natural human question and translate to machine learning intents

#### **Cognitive exploration with Watson**

#### Explore





Get valuable insights



Work efficiency

Learn Al solutions



Create opportunities to innovate





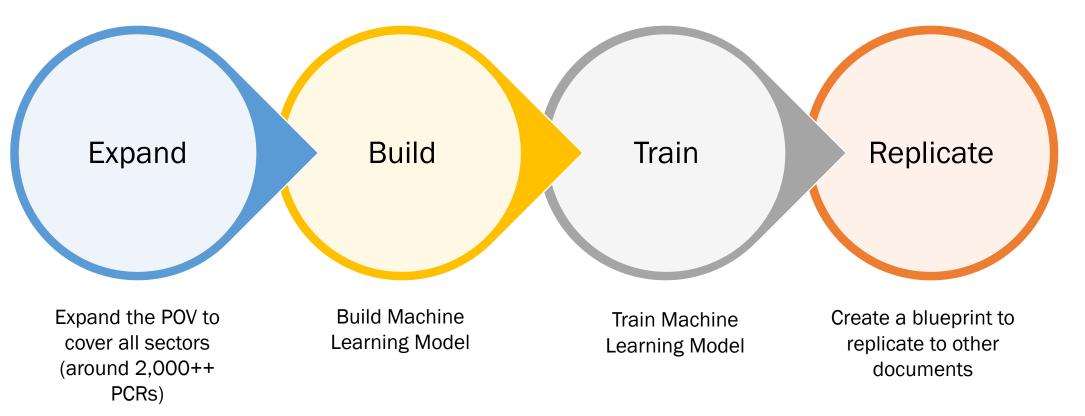
Ask Watson: What are the lessons learned in the Transport Sector in India?

Watson analyzes thousands of PCRs through running the Machine Learning Model

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#### **Next Steps**



## **Discussion Questions**

- What do you see as the biggest impediment to this type of project? What possible mitigating measures can we undertake?
- How can we better integrate AI in our operations? What are the potential stumbling blocks?
- Questions???

# An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.

- Benjamin Franklin

