#### **VALIDATION WORKSHOP**

# DIGITAL SECTOR ROADMAP FOR PAKISTAN 2025 - 2035

Digital Citizen & Digital Society

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# Why a Digital Roadmap?

#### **EXCITING, OPPORTUNE & LIMINAL TIMES!!!**

- ... Key intentions & GoP's strong policy vision for digital as an enabler & economic driver
  - Digital Pakistan Nation Act 2025, CH5 National Digital Masterplan
  - National Economic Transformation Plan 2024-2029
- ... BUT how to turn digital transformation policies into reality for all Pakistan irrespective of anyone's gender, location, age, socio-economic status, physical abilities



# Why a Digital Roadmap?

- Implementation & coherence ... Achille's Heel of the digital sector
- Long-term joint vision & commitment needed
- Role sharing ... ALL HANDS ON DECK
- If harnessed well ... high socio-economic value adding

#### ROADMAP SKETCH 1.0

#### 1. DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE

#### 2. DIGITAL GOVERNMENT

#### 3. DIGITAL ECONOMY 4. DIGITAL CITIZEN

WHAT

Seamless digital connectivity for all – 1 GBPS for Fixed line and 100 MBPS for Mobile

Citizen friendly 1 click, zero paper and 10 secs government service experience

Thriving ecosystem that leverages digital platforms, data, and connectivity to stimulate exponential economic growth, job creation & FDI.

All Pakistan's citizens enjoy equal opportunities to access, safely use and socio-economically benefit from digital transformation.

HOW

- 1.1 Lowering barriers for connectivity
- 1.2 High quality connectivity & fiberization to premises
- 1.3. Future proofing supply for digi econ and digi gov
- 1.4. Rural connectivity
- 1.5 Integration of Climate Resilience

2.1 Structural Readiness Enhancement

- 2.2 Digital Public Servants & Leaders Enhancement Program
- 2.3 Government Organizations Digital Enhancement Program
- 2.4 Core DPI & connectivity enhancement: national Provincial
- 2.5 Platformization & reuse of digital assets for efficiency

3.1 Tech policies for econ. growth

- 3.2. Digitizing Business transactions
- 3.2 Digitizing Investment & Capital
- 3.3 Agriculture Automation
- 3.4 Growing Future Industries
- 3.5. Tech Economy Diplomacy

4.1 Whole of Society Digi Competency

- 4.2 Stratified Provincial Digital Inclusion Frameworks, Programs, financing
- 4.3 Expanding Digital Rights, Integrity & Participation
- 4.4. Targeted Social Innovation

WHO

PTA, TELCOs, MOITT, USF

MOITT, PDSP, Line Ministries, Provincial TBs,

Responsible entity(ies)

#### MOITT, PTA, HEC, MinEDU

- In 2035 Pakistan among top 50 on EGDI, Eparticipation
- 90 % pop'n has basic digital competence
- 90 % pop'n uses digital gov services
- # of scaled home grown social innovation solutions

*IMPACT* 

# AIM TODAY ... are we on the right track?

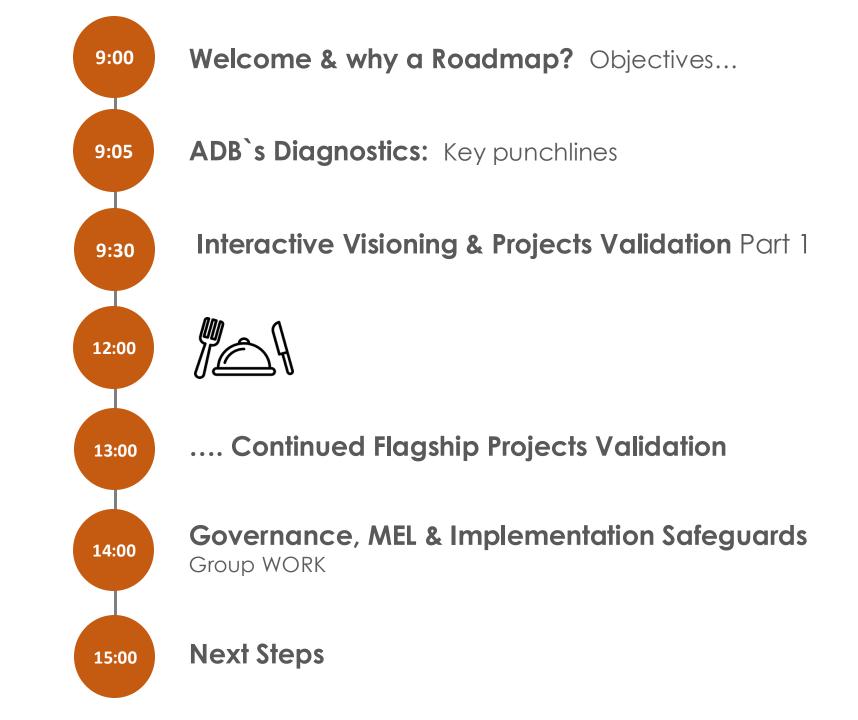
#### **VALIDATE**

- Digital Roadmap 1.0 & implementation safeguards
- Vision for Pakistan's Digital Society 2035
- 4 Focal Areas/ 19 Proposed projects
- Co-design with YOU the HOW--> Catalytic/ Transformative/ New Projects



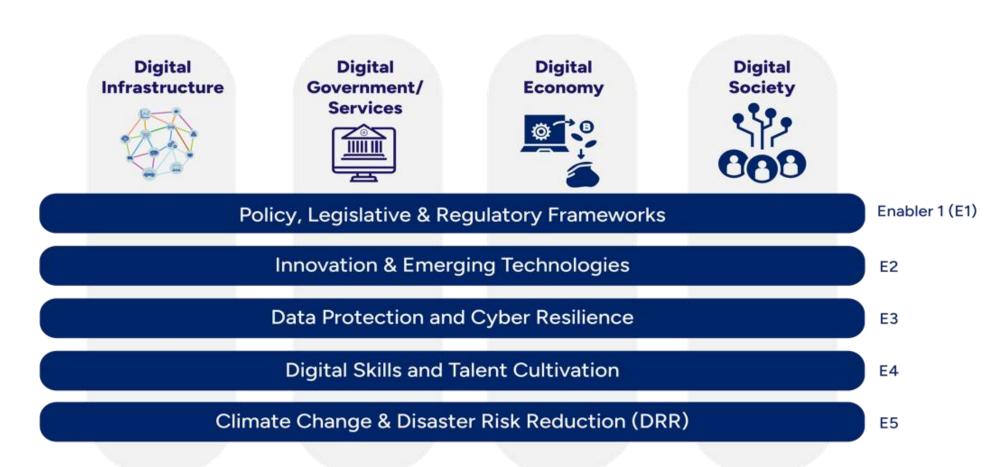
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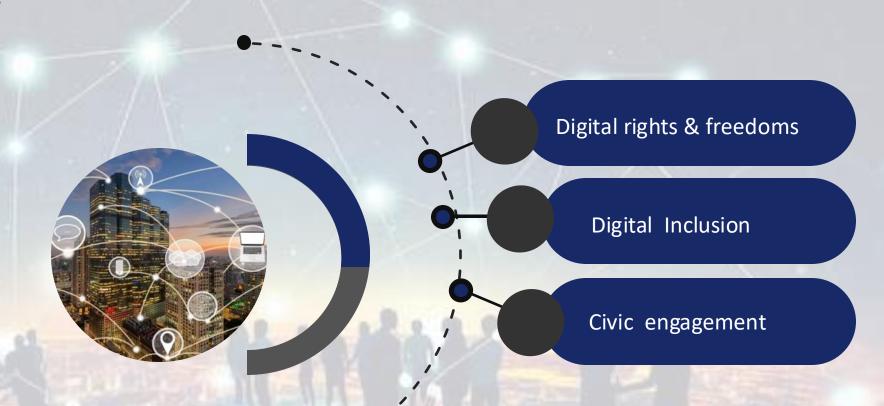
**AGENDA** 

# **ADB Diagnostics: A Holistic Approach**





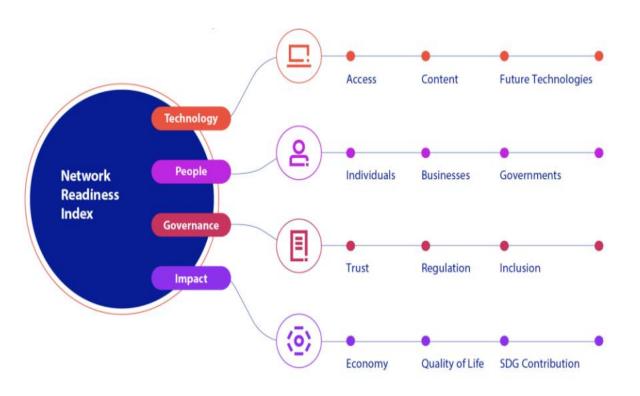
# **Digital Society**



Connectivity, access, affordability, ability to meaningfully, safely & ethically use digital tools & spaces by leaving no one behind.

# Network Readiness Index 2023





Sub-pillar	Rank	Sub-pillar	Rank
Future Technologies	40	Individuals	103
Economy	41	Governments	104
Content	47	Trust	105
Businesses	54	Regulation	110
Access	68	SDG Contribution	117
Quality of Life	98	Inclusion	122

High: in innovation & digital economy

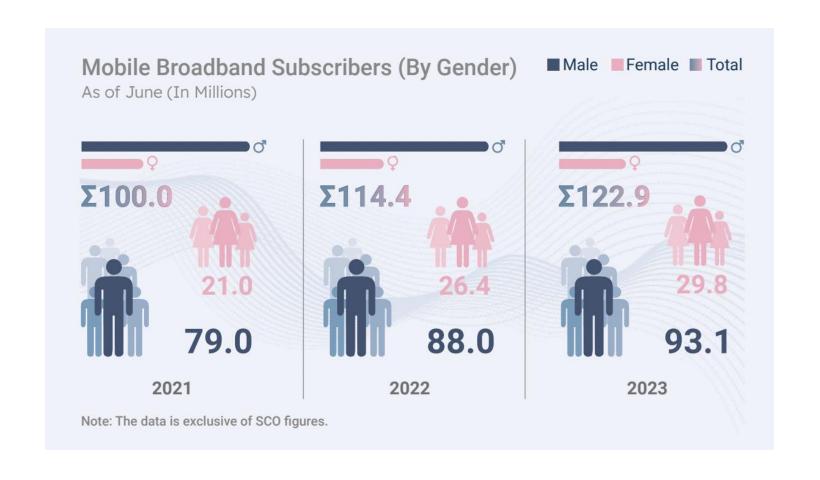
Low: in Regulation, SDG impact & Inclusion

#### ADB SITUATIONAL ANALYSIS



6/10 'Weakest'
Linked to digital
society

#### **USAGE** by women rising but too low

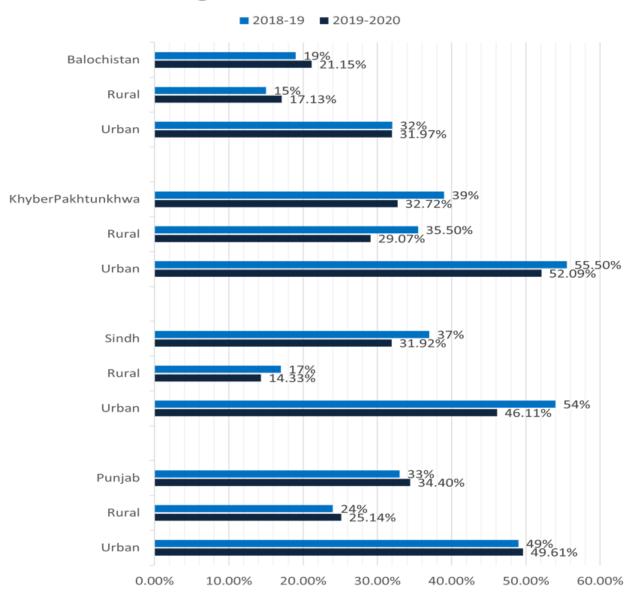




#### **ACCESS**

#### **Urban - Rural Divide**

#### Percentage of Household with Internet





# Digital Society: Findings

**Digital Divide Barriers:** Connectivity, Access, Social Norms, Digital Literacy, Lack of local content.

**Digital Safety & Trust:** Low public awareness on data protection and general digital rights.

Civic Tech Usage, social innovation, content creation growing but nascent.

**Internet Shutdowns** cause significant financial and economic negative impacts.

Educational Gaps but a Mixed Bag: Market responsive digital skills disconnects.

#### **SYSTEMIC**

#### ... relative LOW IMPACT

'Everybody is doing it'

DIGISKILLS.PK, PMYP, Jazz, Karandaaz/ UNDP, BISP, NRSP etc.

**MANY PROJECTS** but scale?

A priority? For whom?

Macro overview lacking

No Coherent Framework,
Institutional `Home` & benchmarks

**Fragmented Ecosystem** 

Digital multipliers neglect

#### **USAGE**

MANY STUDIES & growing understanding

**†** social innovation piloting

**Diverse digital barriers** affordability, socio-cultural, digital skills, rural connectivity

Limited civic tech usage

**Internet shutdowns** 

Digital rights awareness low

**Sub-optimal usage & content** 

Blind spots: CSOs, Academia

### 10+ DIAGNOSTIC RECOMMENDATIONS



Improved Data
Collection and
Analytics



Basic Digital & Financial Literacy



Digital Competency Promotion



Provincial Social Innovation Funds



Upskilling & Empowerment Programs



Financing Schemes for CSOs and Academia



Digital Gender Inclusion Strategy



Curricula for Digital Age & Innovation



**ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK** 

#### Current Vision

#### Digital Nation Pakistan Act 2025 - Digital Society

society where individuals, businesses, and governments use digital technologies across all aspects of life, including governance, economy, education and social interactions, fostering inclusivity, innovation and efficiency through secure digital infrastructure.

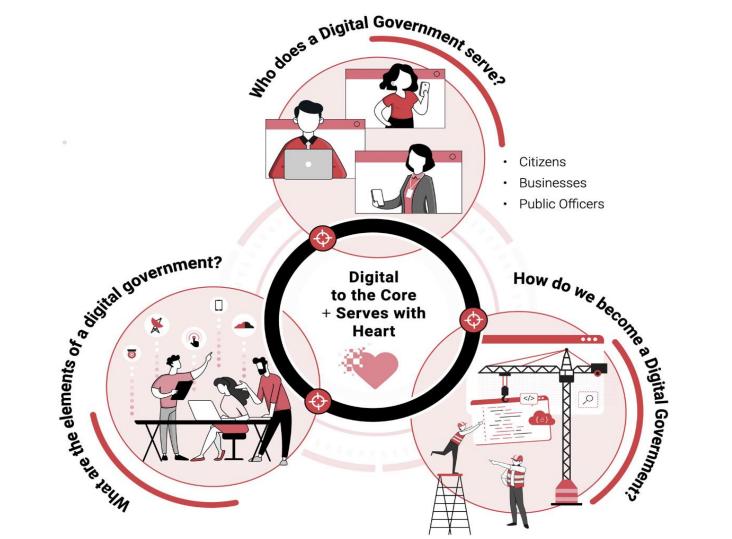
... big & important phrase ...but HOW to implement?

# YOUR INPUT .: 2035 VISION

What would YOU like Pakistan's society to look like in 2035?

& where does digital fit in?





- Services that are easy to use, reliable and relevant
- Seamless digital transactions
- · Systems and data that are secure
- A digitally confident public service workforce
- A digitally enabled public service workplace

- Strengthening integration between policy, operations and technology
- Re-engineering the Government's ICT infrastructure
- Operating reliable, resilient and secure systems
- Raising our digital capabilities to pursue innovation

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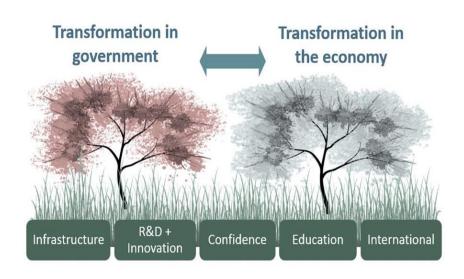
# SINGAPORE `Smart Nation`



# Estonia's Digital Agenda 2030



Use the full potential of digital technologies achieve increased production, competitiveness and income and employment rates in the country, aiming at building a free, fair and prosperous society for all.





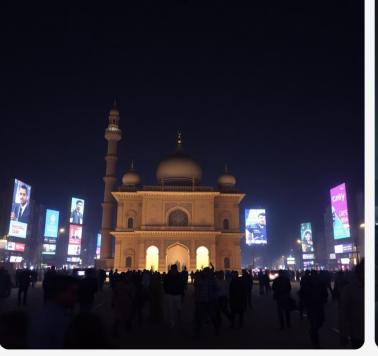








IMAGE OF DIGITAL SOCIETY
FOR PAKISTAN 2035
GENERATED BY AI

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### The WHY

### The WHAT

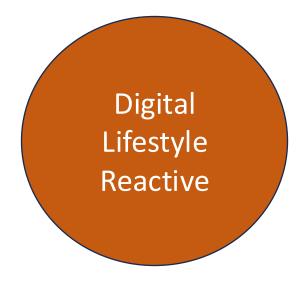
The HOW ....

#### MULTI-TRACK APPROACH

**PILLAR 1 – DIGI INFRA :** CONNECTIVITY, ACESS

PILLAR 2 - DIGI GOV: CIVIL SERVANTS, LABOUR, EDUCATION - SECTORAL PLANS

PILLAR 3 – DIGI SOCIETY: CITIZEN FOCUSED, INCLUSION, RIGHTS, INNOVATION



#### DIGITAL ROADMAP 2035 APPROACH : DIGITAL CITIZEN/ SOCIETY

2035 OUTCOME: All Pakistan's citizens have equal opportunities to access, understand, safely use and socioeconomically benefit from digital transformation

4.1. DIGITAL COMPETENCE: Whole of Society Approach

4.2. TARGETED DIGITAL INCLUSION

4.3 EXPANDING DIGITAL RIGHTS, ETHICS, PARTICIPATION

4. SCALING LOCALISED SOCIAL INNOVATION

85% adult population attains basic 5 digital competencies

Improved Rankins on NRI Indicators

85% population is aware about digital rights & ethics

Improved, innovative techenabled social entrepreneurship

- 4.1 National Digital Competence Framework & M&E tool
- 4.1.2 Provincial Digi Competence Action Plans, Programs, Funds
- 4.1.3 Making digital Easy` App & national campaign
- 4.1.4 Certified CSOs/ database

4.2 1 National Digital Inclusion Framework, M&E tool

- 4.2.2 Targeted Provincial Programs, Fund & PPPs 4 Digi Inclusion
- 4.2.3 Projectize & fund PTA's Gender Strategy: Action Plan (!PSDP)
- 4.2.4 Scaled Smart Villages NRSP
- 4.2.5 eID 4 All Module scaled TTS to all unserved/ illiterate populations

- 3.1 Pledge on Digital Rights, Principles
- 3.2 Civic Consultation Platform: TBD
- 3.3 National Academic Jnl on Digital Society & Digital Inclusion
- 3.4 Public awareness: cyber hygiene, digi ethics, social norms, data privacy, etc.
- 3.5. Center of Excellence & Clinic on Data Protection, Privacy & Integrity
- 3.6 Criteria on Internet Shutdowns

4.1 Climate, Food & Circular Economy, urban inclusion Tech Cluster/ Center of Excellence

- 4.2 Provincial Social Innovation Hubs/ Living Labs: Train, fund
- 4.3 PPP-based Open Data Academy & Fund to grow OD user groups

Digital Compact: HEC, MinEdu, Private Sector, NRSP

MOITT, PTA, Provinces, CSOs

CSOs, Academia

CSOs, Private Sector, Dev. Partners

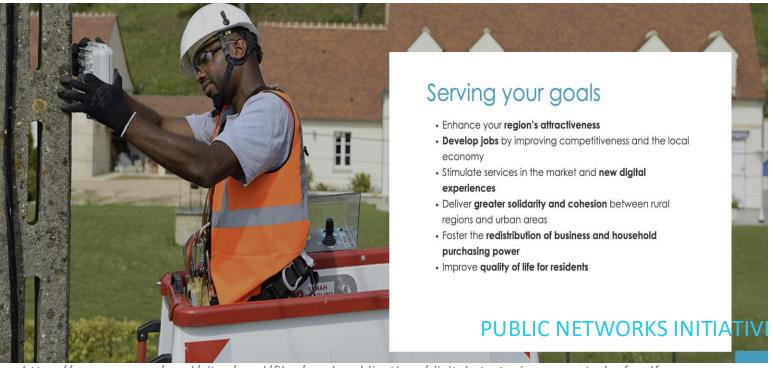
- 85% pop`n has basic digi competency
- 85% pop`n uses digi gov & digital banking services
- 4x 10-year Provincial Action Plans
- National M&E Framework

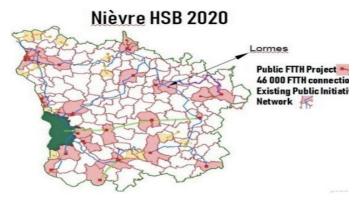
- Published Annual Progress Overviews on Digital Incl. data
- Evidence-based program targeting
- ownership, usage among targeted segments
- Increased awareness, capacity to manage data protection, cyber hygiene
- 1 tools, resources, CSOs

- scaled, sustainable social innovations used nation wide, 100 million users
- Inclusion focused content creation for 4.2

## Multi-track Approach – France

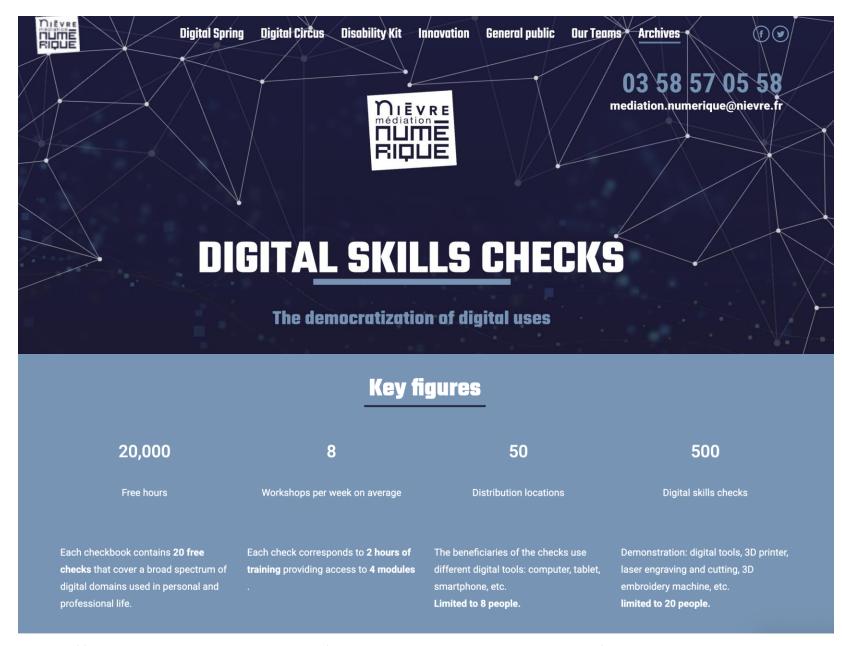
- 2010-22 French National Broadband Scheme 4 High-speed Internet 100% hhds & businesses
- → Public Networks Initiative HSB to rural areas based on SMART business cases 4 change (LG lobbied)
- Multi-stakeholder local, regional digital cooperatives facilitate trainings, hubs, PPPs, advocacy
- Policy Impact, ROI and Strategic Studies/ Analyses (General Commission for Territorial Equality)
- Digital Skills Checks, Local Digital Strategies, RURALITIC annual event Rural Digital Expo





Nièvre 2020 - €	<b>Expected €</b>	%
National Subsidy: Fund for		
a Digital Society	22,97 M €	36,80%
Burgundy Region	9,25M€	14,80%
ERDF	6 M€	9,60%
Département/County	10 M€	16,00%
Public Structures for inter- commune cooperation and		
Nièvre Numérique	14,28 M€	22,80%
TOTAL	62,5 M€	100,00%
TVA	12,51M€	

https://ec.europa.eu/enrd/sites/enrd/files/enrd publications/digital-strategies case-study fr.pdf



**FRANCE** 

https://mediation-numerique.nievre.fr/cheques-competences-numeriques/

### BRAZIL: NOVO PAC – Growth Acceleration Program, 2023-26



#### **DIGITAL INCLUSION + CONNECTIVITY**

1/9 strategic investment areas

(BRL 27.9 billion) mixed budget

- Connectivity in all schools & health units (BRL 6.5 billion – 23%)
- 5G & 4G expansion to remote areas (BRL 18.5 billion – 66 %)
- 28 Information highways for gov services in remote areas (BRL 1.9 bill)
- Postal services (BRL 856 million)
- Digital TV (BRL 154 million)

#### **AUSTRALIA**





#### **National Digital Inclusion Roadmap**

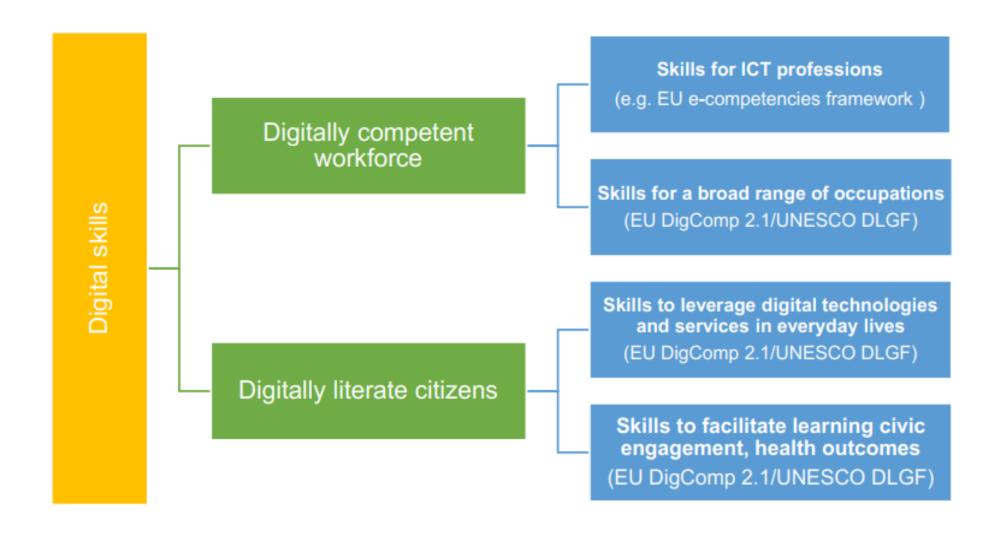


- Access to devices & Internet
- Removing cost as a barrier
- Digital Capabilities Framework for common understanding of digital skills needs
- Implement a local resources/ support map for citizens & CSOs 4 digital inclusion.
- Overlap and gap analysis to ensure effective focus & effective use of resources.

- Catering to all special needs
- Ensuring that all gov websites & procurement of ICT products/ services comply with key accessibility standards
- Set goals for enabling & collaborative environment for private sector. and CSOs



#### DIGITALLY COMPETENT SOCIETY

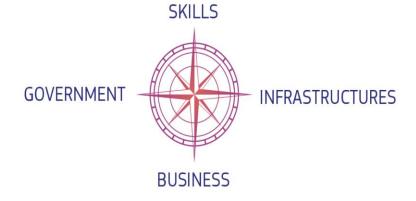


Source: Bashir (2020)

# DIGITAL COMPETENCE

# EU Framework UNESCO

#### **Digital Compass**





#### Skills

ICT Specialists: 20 million + gender convergence

Basic Digital Skills: min 80% of population

# 5 Skillsets & 21 Digital Competences



Applying CRITICAL
THINKING
& conscious use of tech

Understanding RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILI TIES

Knowing how to stay **SAFE** & manage cyber risks online

Promotion of civility, **RESPECT** ethics & do no harm



COMPETENT & RESILENT DIGITAL CITIZENS

Use of digital tools to meaningfully **ENGAGE** in community life

Pursuit of SOCIO-ECONOMIC well-being

### DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP GUIDE

PRACTICING SAFE, RESPONSIBLE, AND LEGAL USE OF TECHNOLOGY



# DIGITAL COMMERCE

Be respectful and always have permission before you hit "buy."



### DIGITAL DOWNTIME

Remember to digitally disconnect and spend time with others.



# DIGITAL ETIQUETTE

Apply real world behavioral standards to the digital world.



#### DIGITAL HEALTH

Know when to stay connected and when to turn off devices.



# DIGITAL INTEGRITY

Examine the source of online information to determine credibility.



#### DIGITAL LITERACY

Avoid suspicious emails, websites, and online advertisements.



# DIGITAL PRIVACY

Review privacy settings. Know what to share and with whom.



# DIGITAL RESPONSIBILITY

Report problems, abusive behavior, and inappropriate images or content.



# DIGITAL SECURITY

Make passwords easy to remember, but hard to guess.

# EU DigiComp 2.0 - 21 Competences

- 1. Information & Data literacy
- 2. Communication & Collaboration

3. Digital Content Creation

4. Safety

5. Critical thinking & Problem solving

- 1.1 Browsing, searching and filtering data, info & digital content
- 1.2 Evaluating & managing data, info & digital content
- 2.1 Interacting & sharing through digital technologies
- 2.2 Engaging in citizenship through digital technologies
- 2.4 Collaborating through digital technologies
- 2.5 Managing digital identity & Netiquette
- 3.1 Developing digital content
- 3.2 Integrating and re-elaborating digital content
- 3.3 Copyright and licences
- 3.4 Programming
- 4.1 Protecting devices
- 4.2 Protecting personal data and privacy
- 4.3 Protecting health, well-being & the environment
- 5.1 Solving technical problems
- 5.2 Identifying needs and technological responses
- 5.3 Creatively using digital technologies
- 5.4 Identifying digital competence gaps

# 4.1 DIGITAL COMPETENCE: Whole of Society Approach

90% adult population actively uses government services, digital banking, e-commerce, self-employment.

EXPECTED OUTCOME NORTH

- 4.1.1 National Digital Competence Framework & MEL tool
- 4.1.2 Provincial Digital Competence 10 Yr Action Plans, Programs, Funds
- 4.1.3 Making digital Easy` App & national campaign, Pub. Opinion surveys
- 4.1.4 Certified rural `DigiCompetence Builders` training program: NRSP, CSO/CBOs database, DigiComp checks, Access to device

FLAGSHIP PROJECTS

Digital Compact: HEC, MinEdu, Private Sector, NRSP

**WHO** 

- # and % population uses digi gov services, disaggregated by gender, age & rural aras
- # and % population uses banking services, disaggregated by gender, age & rural aras
- 4x10-year sustainably financed Provincial Action Plans
- Evidence based reports, policies & plans informed by M&E Framework is use

**IMPACT** 

### YOUR FEEDBACK PLEASE

- 1. Please take a minute to reflect on the proposed projects
- 2. Rank the projects using our online POLL
- 3. Consider if any are missing



Outcome: 90% adult population has basic digital competency

FLAGSHIP PROJECT #1: National Digital Inclusion Framework & Monitoring Tool						
RATIONALE	ACTIVITIES			KPI		
Develop a coherent vision & systematize benchmarking for aggregate impact & progress tracking in relation to Digital Competency	<ul> <li>Baseline analysis on 5 DigiComp Areas</li> <li>Set vision &amp; Stratified programs, benchmarks, M&amp;E tool, coordination mechanism with provinces</li> <li>Budget &amp; Resource allocation</li> <li>Rollout of digi comp approach</li> <li>Annual reporting 5 yr review via Annual surveys, publications, data access</li> </ul>			Published Framework & Monitoring Tool Annually published progress overview		
Rollout Timeline	Year 1	Year 1 Year 3 Year 5			ear 6-10	
	Conceptualisation Rollout				Review & adjust	
RESPONSIBLE	MOITT, MPD, HEC, CSOs					
COST	est. 1 million USD					

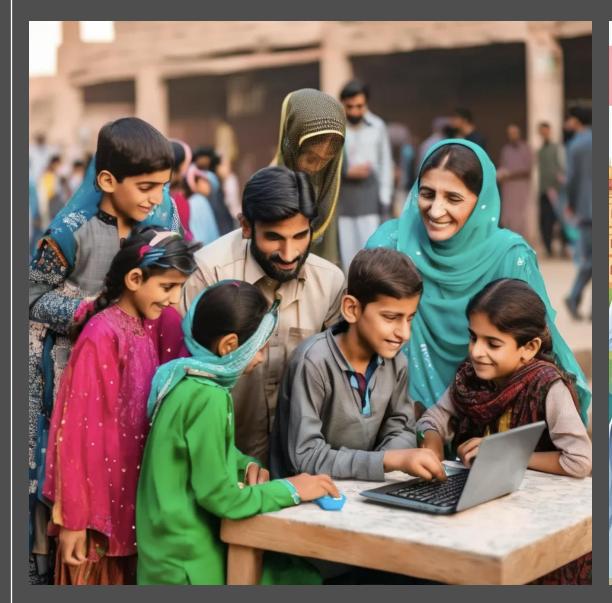
FLAGSHIP PROJECT #2: Provincial Digital Competence Action Plans, Programs, Funds						
RATIONALE	Activities			KPI		
Devolved implementation of National Digital Competence Framework at Provincial level	<ul> <li>With National Frame</li> <li>Identify and launch some programs/ content teachers, community DigiComp</li> <li>Set up G2G coordinated data aggregation</li> </ul>	y and launch stratified provincial digital competency ms/ content - women, rural, elderly, special needs, rs, community CSOs Organize promo campaign on 5 mp  G2G coordination mechanism with National gov for		4 Provincial Digital Competency Frameworks/ strategies/policies Digital Competence Financed programs to		
Rollout Timeline	Year 1-2	Year 3	Year 5		Year 6-10	
	Conceptualisation	Rollout			Review & adjust	
RESPONSIBLE	Provincial Planning Dept.,					
COST	200 000 USD	est. 8 million USD (2 million per province)			)	

FLAGSHIP PROJECT #3: `Making digital Easy` App & national awareness campaign					
RATIONALE	ACTIVITIES		KPI		
Develop a free modular nation`Making digital Easy` App, platform	<ul> <li>Design 5 UX-friendly app modules on digital competency + digital services, digital banking, data protection etc.</li> <li>National rollout to all 4 provinces</li> <li>Start with 5, phasing more modules later</li> <li>Rollout national promo campaign on basic digital competency &amp; the app</li> <li>Monetization business model</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>App used by 50% of adult population</li> <li>Increased digital competency trends in targeted areas</li> </ul>		
Rollout Timeline	1 yr	yr 3 yr 5-10yr			
	Conceptualisation				
RESPONSIBLE	PPP - MOITT + Telcos				
COST	350 000 USD (App + sustained maintenance/ hosting)				

FLAGSHIP PROJECT #4: Certified Digital Competence Builders Program						
RATIONALE	ACTIVITIES			KPI		
Provide certified training to CSOs & provincial For decentralised awareness outreach	<ul> <li>Design training program for CSOs based on 5 skillsets 4 digital competency + data protection, digital financial literacy etc.</li> <li>Digital Skills Checks</li> <li>National rollout of training in all 4 provinces</li> <li>Set up national database of certified/ trained CSOs, NRSP community orgs</li> <li>Incentivize deployment of CSOs</li> <li>Periodic (3 year) review of training in 10 yrs</li> </ul>			<ul> <li>App used by 50% of adult population</li> <li>Increased digital competency trends in targeted areas</li> </ul>		
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# **DIGITAL INCLUTION**



# **DEFINITION**

"Equitable, meaningful and safe access to use, lead, and design of digital technologies, services, and associated opportunities for everyone, everywhere".

UN DESA

Equal, affordable acesss to inclusive content, ability to use & benefit from digital transformation for the pursuit of socio-economic well-being irrespective of gender, age, location or socio economic status.

ADB team

### WHO are the excluded? ... and HOW?



... Women

... Urban & Rural populations

... Low income hhds

... Least skilled workforce

... Physically challenged

... Unemployed

... Elderly

... Youth

... a moving target. ... intersectional

### Digital Inclusion: Progress to Parity

An interactive tool benchmarking 90 economies' progress in closing the digital divide among three measures: gender, rural-urban, and socioeconomic.

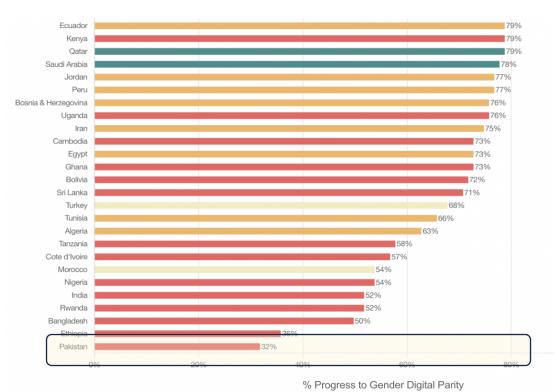






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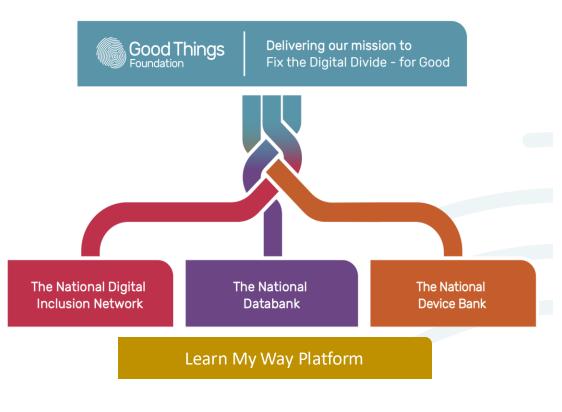




In Red-colored with low % of population using the internet would do well to expand access to digital tech in an equitable manner among the excluded populations.

# INTEGRATED MISSION-LEAD, PPP APPROACH UK-WIDE

FIXING DIGITAL DIVIDE FOR GOOD



#### Our track record

Good Things Foundation has over 10 years of experience in working with partners across the globe and helping people to benefit from the digital world.











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# LESSONS LEARNED

- Connectivitiy: Strongly tied to Broadband Infrastructure programs
- Needs meta data analyses & maps on layered gaps = effective targeting
- Multi-track, programmatic, devolved, focused, multipliers
- **Needs** `bigger home(s)` for impact, concerted effort

### 4.2 TARGETED DIGITAL INCLUSION

Digital divide among women & vulnerable groups is diminished through tailored, evidencebased nation-wide programs & PPPs.

- 4.2 1 National Digital Inclusion Framework, Map, M&E tool
- 4.2.2 National Digital Incl. Hub/Alliance with Provincial Branches
- 4.2.3 Digi Inclusion Provincial Programs & PPPs to implement 4.2.1
- 4.2.4 Smart Districts/ Tehsils Program: NRSP access to device, digital checks
- 4.2.5 Projectize PTA's Gender Strategy: Action Plan, funding
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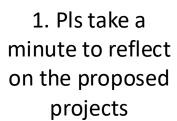
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- 2035 Pakistan among top 50 on NRI, EGDI, E-participation Indices
- 100% parity in access to device & Internet usage among men & women
- Published Annual Progress Overviews on Digital Incl. data
- use of gov services, banking among targeted groups (>85% of adult popn)

PILLAR 1 P1 Access to device P1 Digital Connectivity for Unserved & **Underserved Areas** Schools/Hosp.

# YOUR VALIDATION PLEASE







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# 4.2. Targeted Digital Inclusion

Outcome: Consolidated data overview

FLAGSHIP PROJECT #4.2.1: National Digital Inclusion Framework & Monitoring Tool						
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# 4.2. Targeted Digital Inclusion

Outcome: 85% adult population has basic digital competency

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### 3. DIGITAL RIGHTS, FREEDOMS &

Digital rights as an extension of human rights for the Internet age.

#### 85% population is aware and exercises their digital rights & ethics

- 3.1 Declaration & Advocacy on Digital Rights, Principles, Alliance formation
- 3.2 Grant Program: digital rights, ethics, integrity
- 3.3 National Academic Journal on Digital Rights, Ethics & Inclusion
- 3.4 National Public awareness: cyber hygiene, digi ethics, social norms, data protection, child protection.
- 3.5. National & Provincial Centers of Excellence: Training (CSOs, pub.officials, Legal Aid Clinic, Mobile Unit on Data Protection, Privacy & Integrity)
- 3.6 Policy dialogue setting criteria on Internet Shutdowns

#### CSOs, Academia

- Increased public awareness, capacity to manage data protection, cyber hygiene
- tools, resources, CSOs empowerment to support the growth of digital rights

# YOUR VALIDATION PLEASE







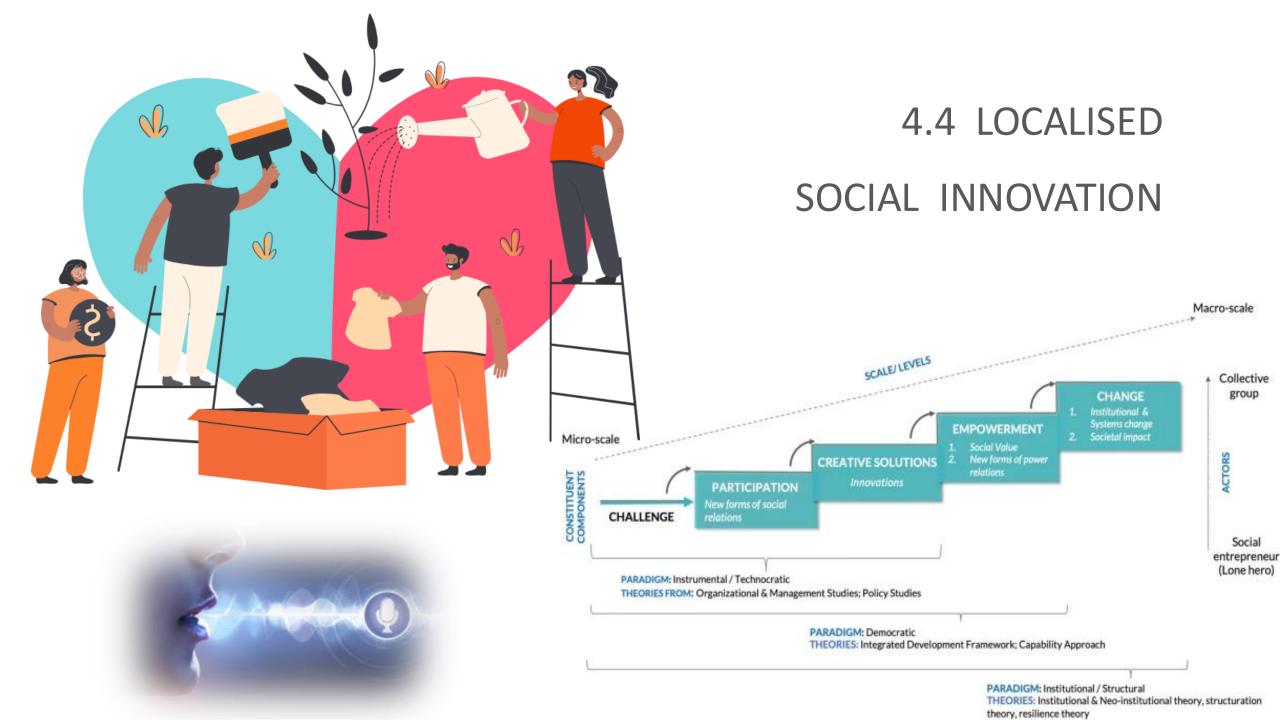


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2. Rank the projects using our online POLL

3. Consider if any are to be added





### **INCLUSIVE SOCIAL INNOVATION**



Flying cellphone towers

<u>Telelift</u>. **India,** 

**Africa** 

Rural logistics: food, blood supply **Germany, Rwanda** 





Integrated Participatory
Budgeting and CitizensGenerated Data Urban Project
Montenegro



Al powered Text <->
speech screen readers
Digital services
Diverse Countries: health,
elderly, visually impaired

### ENHANCED CIVIC PARTICIPATION via CIVIC TECH

#### **MONTENEGRO: GREY ECONOMY REPORTING**





- **Be Responsible MOBILE APP** citizens report— illegal waste dumps, misuse of public resources, irregular parking, tax regulations non-compliance.
- Most popular: ecology and improper parking.
- **RESULTS 1**<sup>st</sup> **six months** of campaign:
- Over 1.500 irregularities reported
- 500.000 EUR in fines collected by local government
- Half of fines received (250.000 EUR) → to 5 community projects proposed and voted on by citizens:
  - i. Medical equipment for hospitals
  - ii. Redesign of 3 day-care centres for kids with disabilities
  - iii. Landscaping a park
  - iv. Reconstructing an old age home.

### 4. SCALING LOCALISED INNOVATION

**OUTCOME** 

Viable social entrepreneurship ecosystem in place to mitigate social digital divides through innovative tech and data driven solutions.

**PROJECTS** 

- 4.1 Climate, Food, Circular Economy, Urban-rural inclusion Tech Cluster/
  Center of Excellence with phased monetization model
- 4.2 Provincial Social Innovation Hubs: Train, innovate, fund, PM annual awards
- 4.3 PPP-based Open Data ecosystem (demand side): advocacy, data science academy, fund, use cases for economic growth, DRR & social change

**WHO** 

CSOs, Private Sector, Dev. Partners, Academia

**KPIs** 

- 🚺 scaled, sustainable social innovations 100 million users
- # of inclusion focused content, solutions created for 4.2
- # of social entrepreneurs, jobs created
- # employed data scientists

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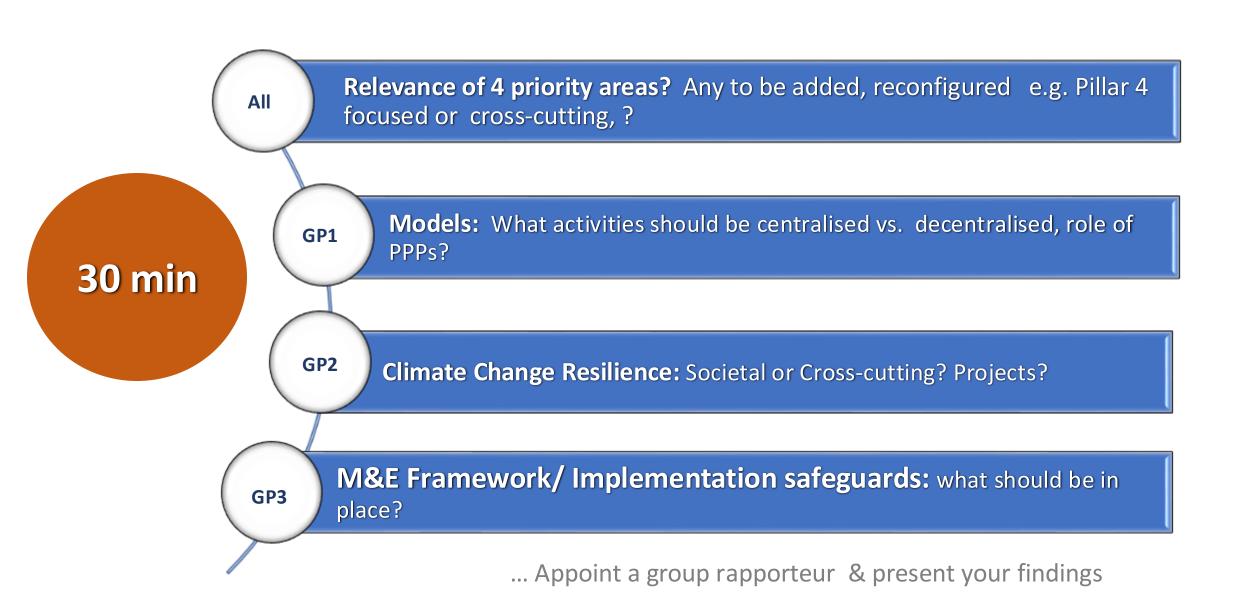
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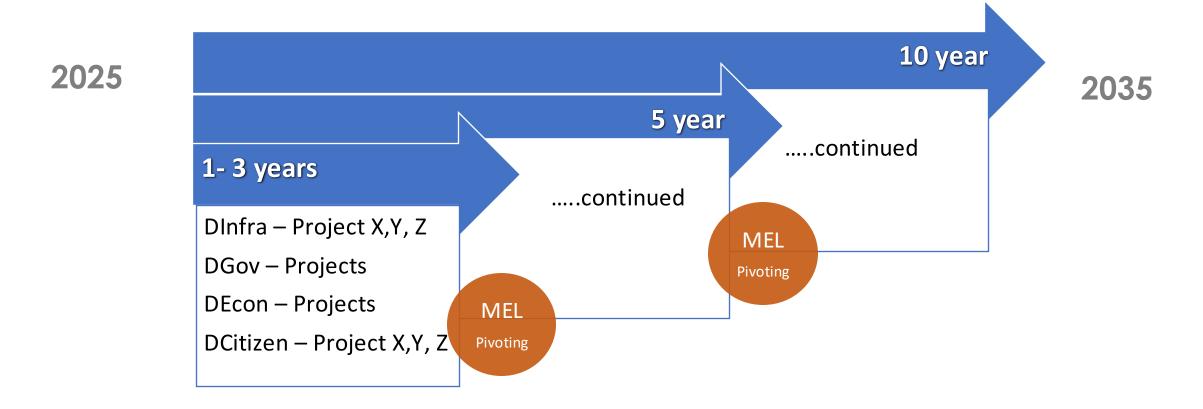
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### **BIG PICTURE VALIDATION**



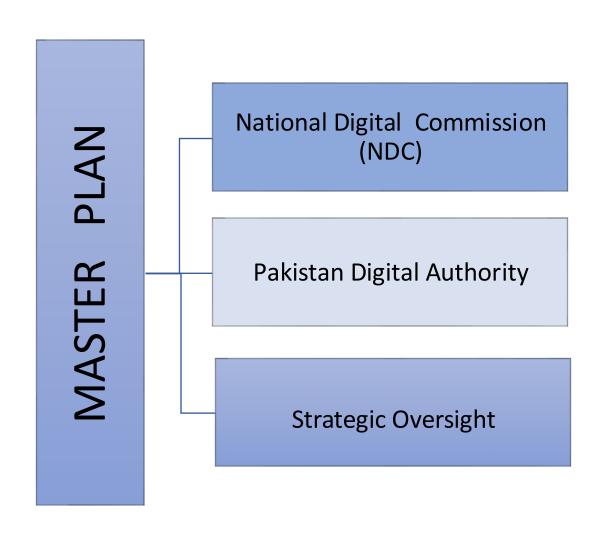
# Governance, Steering & MEL

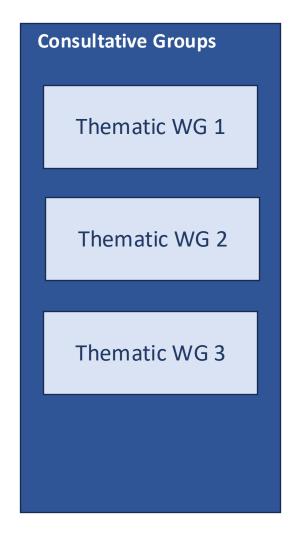


#### What should be the:

- Transparency, accountability mechanism to ensure effective implementation?
- **MELearning & Reporting Mechanism** who, where, how, frequency?

#### CURRENTLY PROPOSED GOVERNANCE MECHANISM: DIGITAL PAKISTAN ACT 2035





# Governance: Digital Nation Pakistan Act

### **National Digital Commission (NDC)**

PM, 4 chief ministers, heads of the State Bank, FBR, PTA

- Sets, approves policies, monitors implementation of digital Masterplan
- Vertical/ horizontal G2G, regulatory coordination in line with national digital masterplan
- Strategically advises & directs PDA
- Solves inter-jurisdictional challenges and support
- Ensures relevant support and resources for implementation to the PDA

### **Pakistan Digital Authority**

*Industry representatives* 

- Chief implementer of national Digital Masterplan, data strategy, cloud migration, DPI
- Develops, implements, monitors, updates the national digital masterplan
- Develops sectoral implementation plans
- Oversees and drives related operations
- Complies with NDC's strategic guidelines
- Reports on results

# Implementation Safeguards: MEL

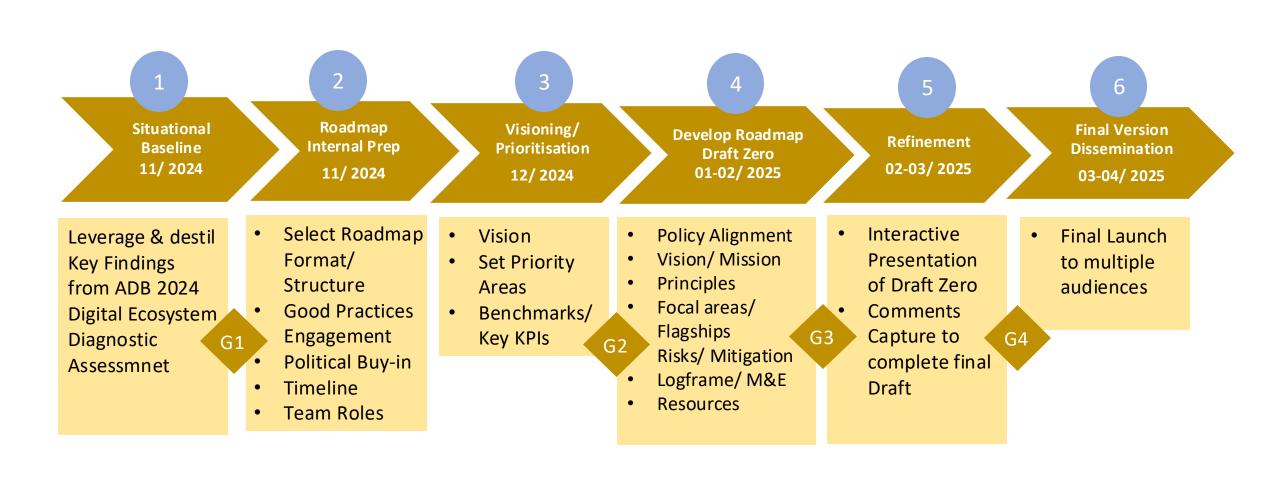
#### Ref. CH6 PDA:

- **Vertical & horizontal G2G Coordination** + private stakeholders to ensure alignment with the masterplan
- MEL framework for DT projects and programs under the masterplan, reports progress to the Commission, compliance and proposed corrective actions
- Reviews plans & MP projects, recommends for approval to the Commission for public sector

**CH 4 Strategic Oversight Committee of PDA** - (1) monitors and evaluates the performance of PDA, compliance and alignment Commission strategic objectives

S. No	Membership	Status
(1)	(2)	(3)
1.	Minister-in-charge of the Division concerned;	Convenor
2.	Secretary of the Division concerned;	Member-cum- secretary
3.	Secretary of the Division to which business of the finance stands allocated;	Member
4.	Secretary of the Division to which business of planning and development stands allocated;	Member
5.	A representative of the Special Investment Facilitation Council not below the rank of an officer in BPS-21 or equivalent;	Member
6.	Four independent members from the private sector with relevant experience.	Members

# ROADMAP PROCESS & NEXT STEPS



# THANK YOU!

