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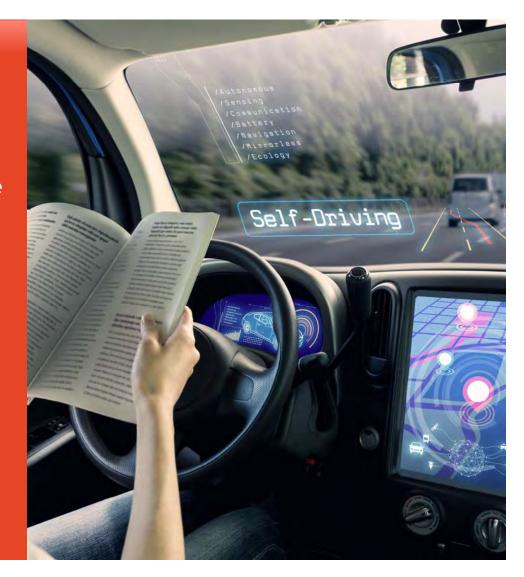
Evolution & trends in infrastructure we need to create

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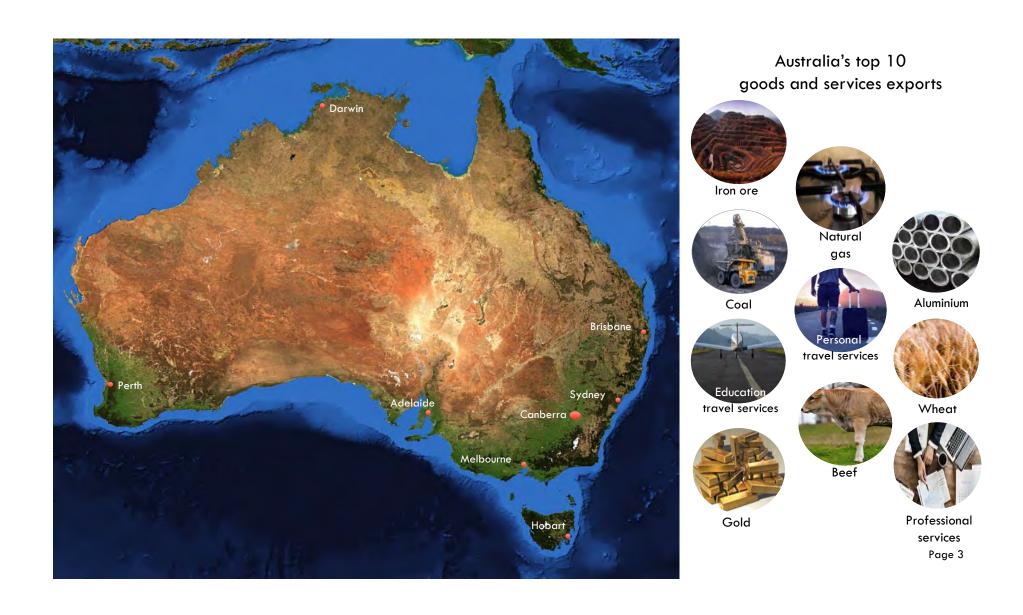
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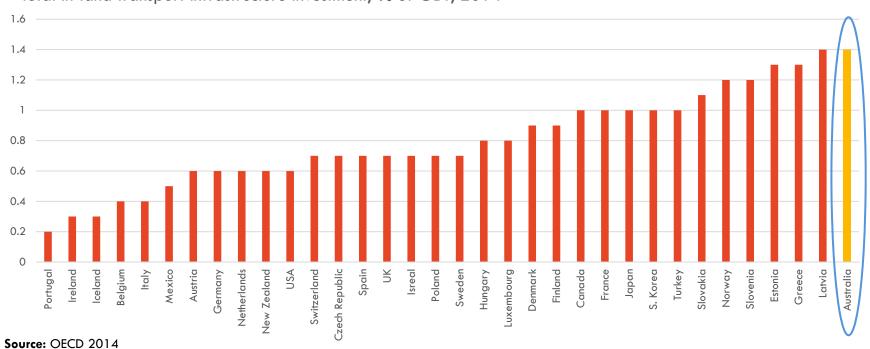






Closing the gap

Total in-land transport infrastructure investment, % of GDP, 2014



The IMF, G20 and OECD:

'nations must invest in infrastructure to drive up productivity, growth and jobs'

But this requires governments

✓ to select the <u>right projects</u>,

.....which they find is very difficult to do.



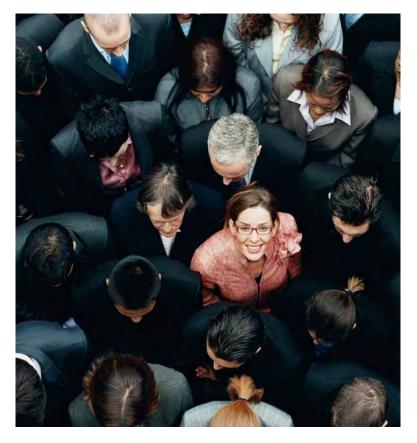


Scope for improvement is enormous



- All nations experience 'hit & miss' with their infrastructure.
- There is an unusually wide set of experiences in infrastructure.
- When a project misses its basic objective of improving economic output, waste and inefficiency prevails.
- Straub (2008) estimates about 30% infrastructure spending has no impact on economic output in developed nations, and 55% for developing nations.
- There is no reason Australia is immune to these problems, anymore than CAF client nations.

Over riding theme 'Customers & Stakeholders'



Customers matter and are the key to better governance, better yields and lower risk.

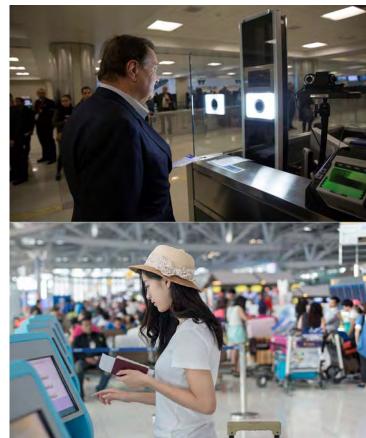
...what customers care about is not the infrastructure itself – but the services which are delivered to them using that infrastructure

Transforming infrastructure projects into businesses

Airports, Australia's success story post-privatisation.

21 years privatisation experience

- ✓ Operational efficiency
- ✓ Profitability
- ✓ Investment levels
- ✓ Traffic diversity
- ✓ Resilience



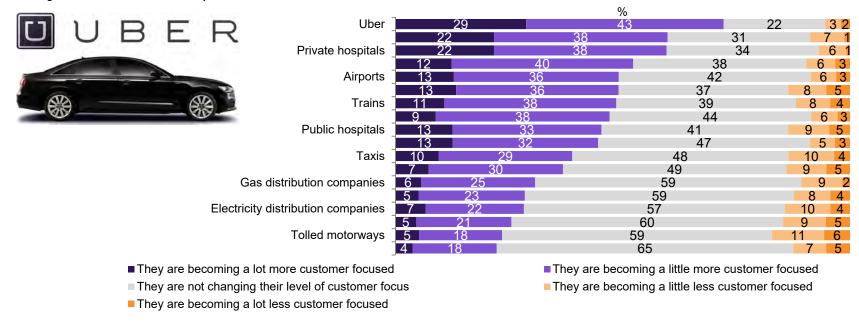
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Do customers think they matter?

- BIG SCALE infrastructure rates poorly for customer satisfaction*
- PPP perform OK, privatised entities perform much better

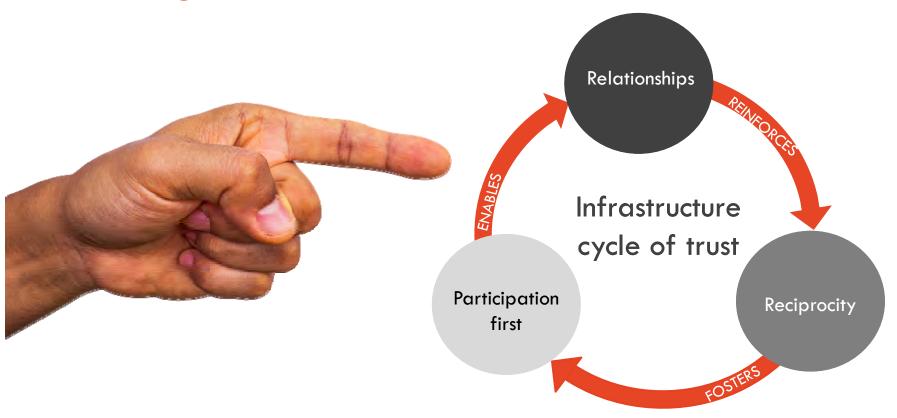
Change in customer focus of operators



^{*} Newgate Australia was commissioned by John Grill Centre, University of Sydney in August 2016 to undertake a national survey on community perceptions to customer service in Australia. Further details available upon request.



Creating trust



Helping to ensuring infrastructure is timely, scaled and feasible

Customer Stewardship Maturity Model [coming soon]

Enhance asset

(investment) performance

Instils & champions customer stewardship mindset

Create incentives & sanctions

- Less regulation

- More discretion with customers

- Win more investment

Measure & differentiate 'actors' [Customer stewardship rating]

Call out unhelpful ownership, regulatory, contractual practices

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Strengthen social licence

mandates

In conclusion



"Between the idea, and the reality...
...Falls the Shadow"

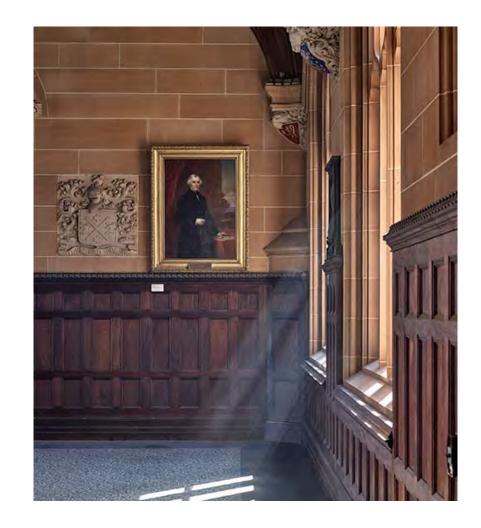
T.S. Eliot, Hollow Men

Thank you

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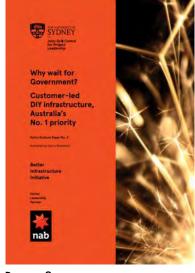
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