# ICT and Innovation Key Challenges for Policy Makers

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### "Innovation" an evolving concept

- Shifting
  - From an individual entrepreneurial action
  - To a more concerted, collective, combinatory, networked action
- Innovation and Innovation
  - From a classical view: "Product innovation" versus "Process innovation"
  - To a more "softer" view: "Service innovation", "Data-driven innovation", "Inclusive innovation", "Social innovation"
- This, in an ever changing economic structure and nature
  - Rise of Global Value Chains (GVCs)
  - Rise of digital economy, Internet economy, on-demand economy, shared economy
- → Moving centers of gravity!

Critical role of ICT & Data!

# Disruptive nature of ICT

- Open Science
  - Open access, Open data, Citizen science
- Advance manufacturing
  - Connected, Networked, On-demand, ...
  - Backed by IoT, 3D printing, Cloud computing, ...
- Societal transformation
  - New business models (e.g. microfinance, Uber, Airbnb)
  - New public services (e.g. Remote Medical Diagnostics)
- Accelerating knowledge and value creation across society to unforeseen levels

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# From the forthcoming Japan's 5th S&T Basic

- Encouraging transformative initiatives & experimentations
  - Space for a large set of stakeholders, in particular next generation of leaders **Sustained by ICT-**
  - Space for game changers
- Driving an "Ultra-Smart Society"
  - Based on system of systems & value chain approaches
  - Creating a "IoT service platform"
  - Exploratory fields (⇒p5)
- Enabling technologies to realize an "Ultra-Smart Society"
  - Big data, AI, IoT, Edge computing
  - Robotics, Sensors, Actuators, Human-interface technologies
  - Biotechnology, Materials and Nano-technology

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driven innovation

# **Exploratory Fields**

- Backed by advancement in ICTs
- Improving innovation framework conditions

#### Energy Value Chain

- power generation output data
- demand amount data
- ...

Intelligent Transport Systems

- Location data
- Infrastructur e data
- dynamic map
- ...

Advanced Manufacturin g System

- manufacturing method data
- Know-how data
- user's needs
- ...

System

**DATA** 

ICT-driven innovation

## **Metrics**

- Why "Metrics"?
  - "Value" for public investment (accountability)
  - Need for monitoring policy implementations and assessing their impact
  - Better understanding of the phenomena of innovation
  - **—** ...
- References?
  - Frascati Manual (revised this year)
  - Oslo Manual (to be revised)
  - Measuring Innovation: A New Perspective (OECD, 2010)
  - Measuring the Digital Economy (OECD, 2014)
- Good practices
  - SciSIP, STAR METRICS
- Critical issues
  - Data availability (e.g. micro-data)
  - Analytics
  - Changing innovation models

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