

DESIGN COMPONENTS FOR INTEGRATED
GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
INFORMATION SYSTEM

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Integrated Government Financial Management Information Systems

- The objective of implementing a computerized IGFMS system:
 - Increase the effectiveness and efficiency of state financial management and facilitate the adoption of modern public expenditure management practices in keeping with international standards and benchmarks.

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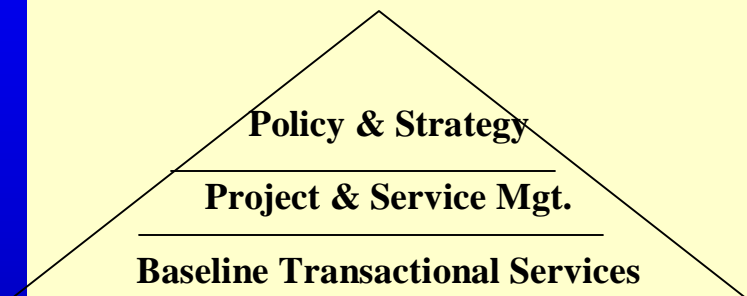
- **Financial Management Arrangements**
 - Financial Systems
 - Internal Control Structure
 - Financial Accounting and Reporting
 - Management Accounting and Reporting
 - Audit Arrangements

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- Government institutions are restructuring to:
 - Improve service to citizens
 - Improve strategic and day-to-day decision making
 - Reduce bureaucracy and improve efficiency
 - Reduce cost of operations
 - Increase public accountability
 - Ensure adequate controls to minimize fraud and corruption
 - Provide citizens better access to information

The transformation mandate in Government

Past



Focus on Non-Core Business Areas

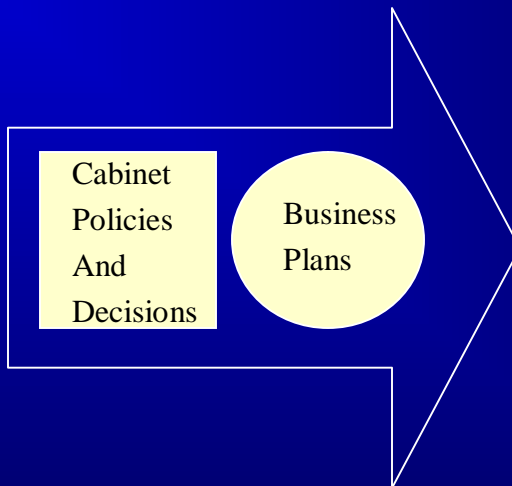
Red Tape and Bureaucracy

Inefficient Govt. Institutions

Isolated "SILOS" Operating Inside Out

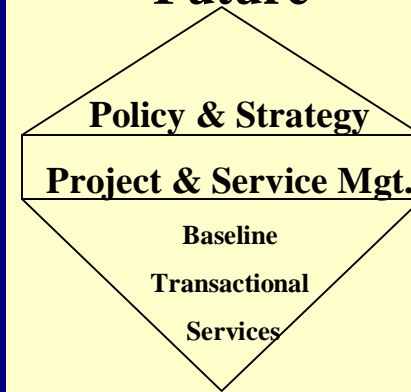
Deficit Financing

Towards More Focused & Cohesive Govt. Institutions



With a Common Vision

Future



Focus on Core Business

Quality Service Delivery

**Efficient Institutions
Clear Accountability**

Integrated Operations

Balanced Budget

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Global Trends

- Changing technology is having profound impact on how information is captured, summarized, and communicated.

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Global Trends

- Real breakthrough is not just technology – it is the changes required in management and organizational structure.

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Global Trends

- Change must work across the entire organization and integrate four major levers:
 - People and culture
 - Process and information systems
 - Structure and facilities
 - Technology

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- Inefficient processes were saturated with automation, resulting in sophisticated hardware carrying out tasks that should have not been done in the first place.

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Information Technology – a critical enabler

- An appropriate information technology infrastructure is a critical component of the facilities and services required for a viable and modern management environment.

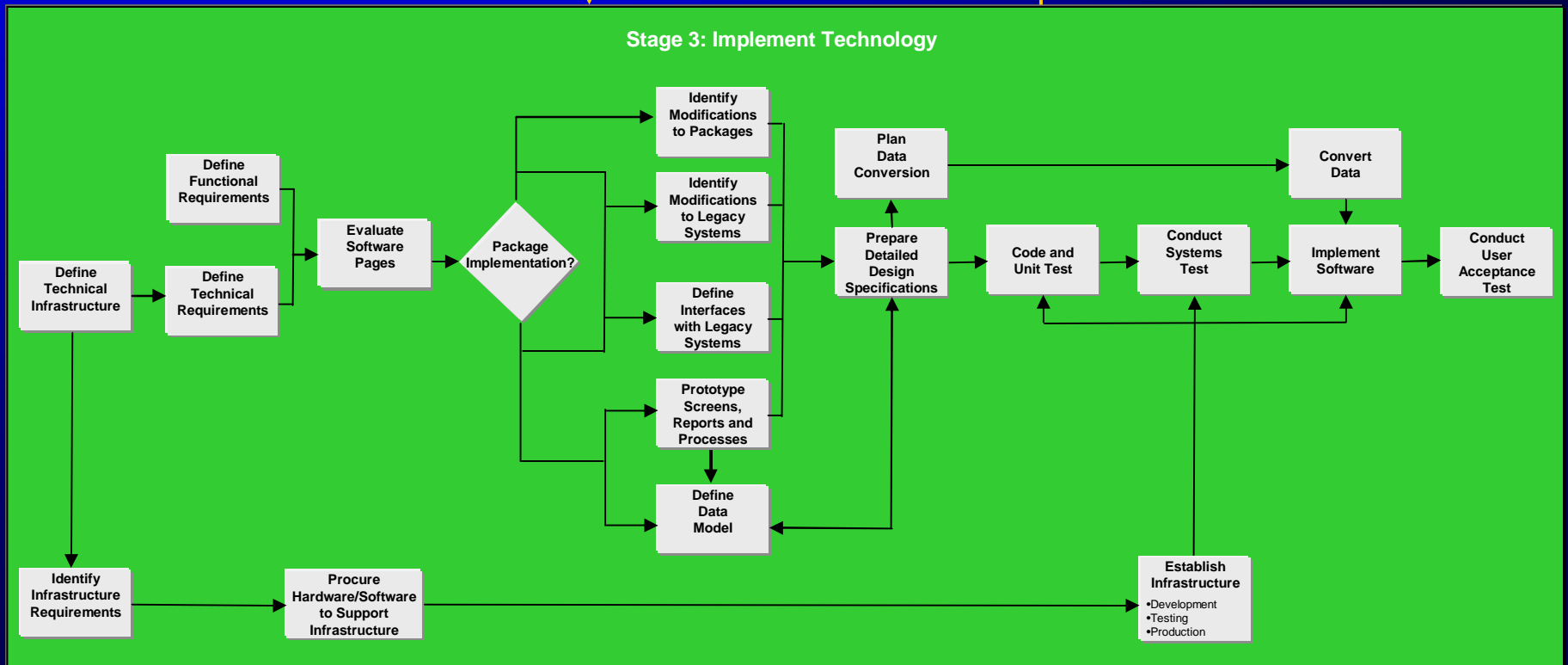
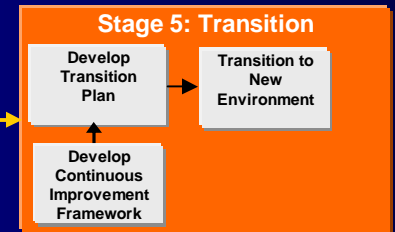
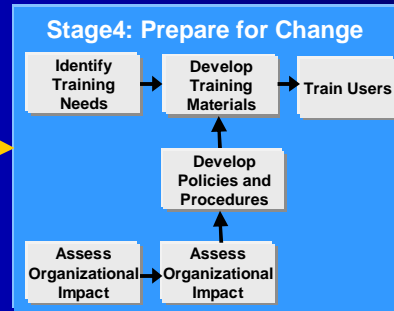
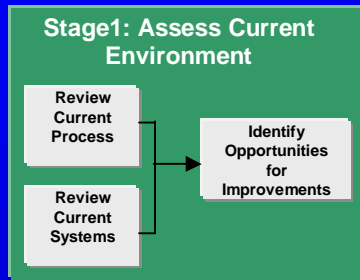
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Why Do It At All?

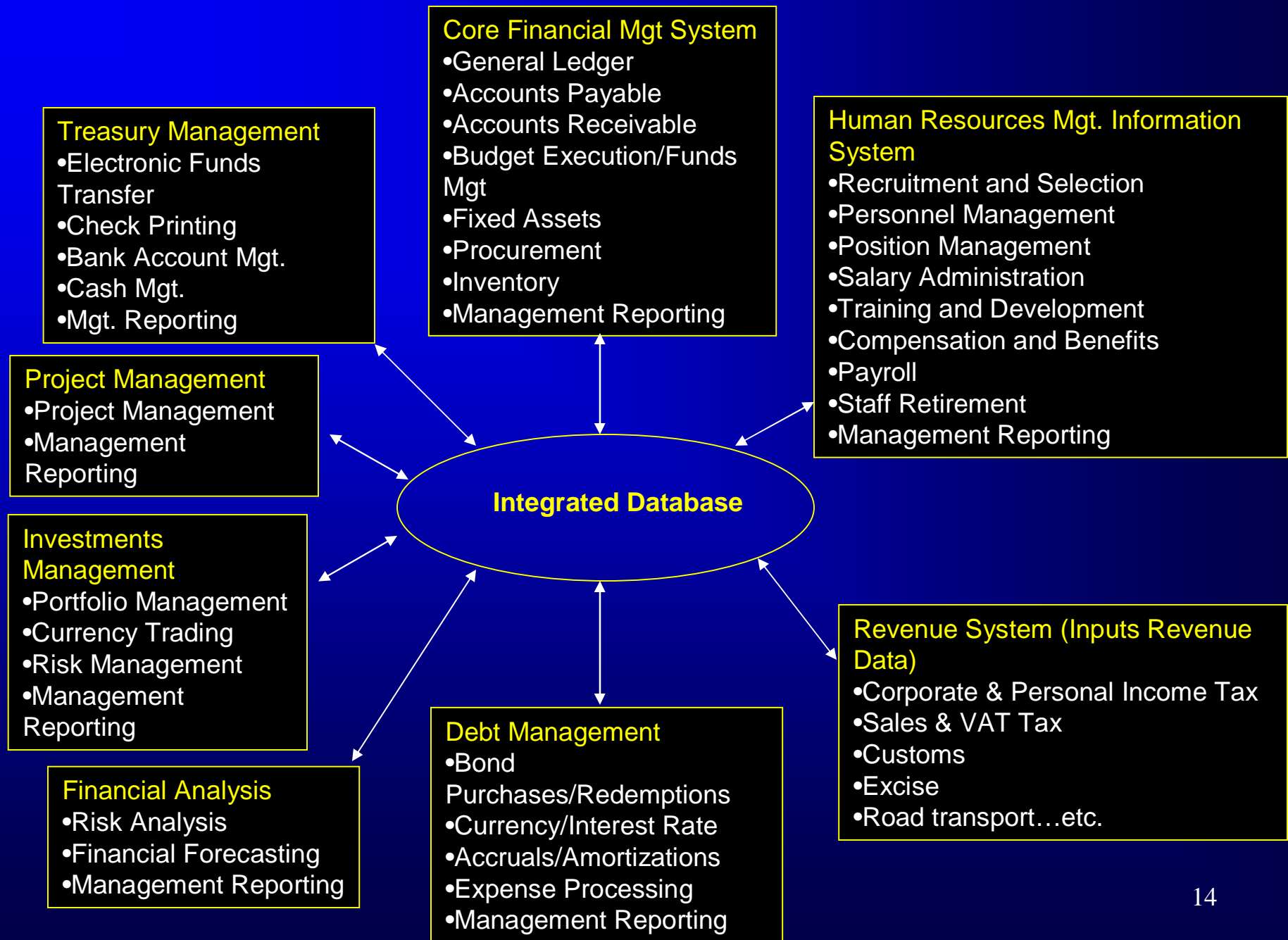
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The implementation approach should be compatible with the Government environment

- The implementation should:
 - Be aligned to the priorities of the Government and the management of MoF
 - Be undertaken in manageable phases to minimize risks
 - Start with the implementation of foundation infrastructure
 - Be undertaken at a pace that will ensure that users effectively cope with new technologies, methods and processes
 - Be aligned to available resources



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Are you building a mechanical horse?

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Word of Wisdom

“There is nothing more difficult to carry out, nor more dangerous to manage, than to initiate a new order of things. For the initiator has enemies in all those who profit by the old order, and only lukewarm defenders in those who would profit from the new.”

Niccolo Machiavelli

The Prince
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