QUALITATIVE TRANSFORMATION OF THE EU ECONOMIES TOWARDS KNOWLEDGE-BASED ECONOMY AND SOCIETY
(The assessment for new members, Southern Europe, EU average, and consensus societies)

CONCENTRATION OF CAPITAL (M+A) AND DEVELOPMENTAL ENVIRONMENT

Obsolete capitalism, based mostly on ownership ties (M+A) - national champions

Winning performance, based mostly on technological and innovative ties in global business

Winning culture, based mostly on knowledge networks in business and society

GDP in %

New members  | Southern Europe  | EU average  | Consensus societies
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VA / pe in 1000 € | 10 – 35 | 30 – 60 | 60 – 70 | 70 +

High level of:
Management, employability, R+D and technological potential, innovative capability, and ICT infrastructure

Low level of:
Management, employability, R+D and technological potential, innovative capability, and ICT infrastructure

INTENSE STRUCTURAL TRANSFORMATION OF AN ECONOMY

Sound economy

Ill economy

Dying economy

Social, informational, technological, and developmental exclusion

Investment in complex knowledge (education, upgrading, R+D, and ICT) in % of GDP:
New members – less than 15%
EU average – 15% – 20%
Consensus societies – over 20%

Sources: Project – Simulations of sustainable development, on the basis of IMD, WEF, OECD and other data bases
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