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Water Resources Economy

The Importance of Integrated Planning



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KSA Water Sector Overview



Production

11.3 Millions m³/day



Transmission

8,400 Km & **3,000** Km under construction



Strategic Storage

19.8 Millions m³



Distribution

125,000 Km Potable Water & **45,000** Km Wastewater network



TSE Reuse

1.51 Millions m³/day

Entities/Partners



Water Agency for Planning and Development



Saline Water Conversion Corporation



National Water Company



Saudi Irrigation Organization



Water Transmission and Technology Company



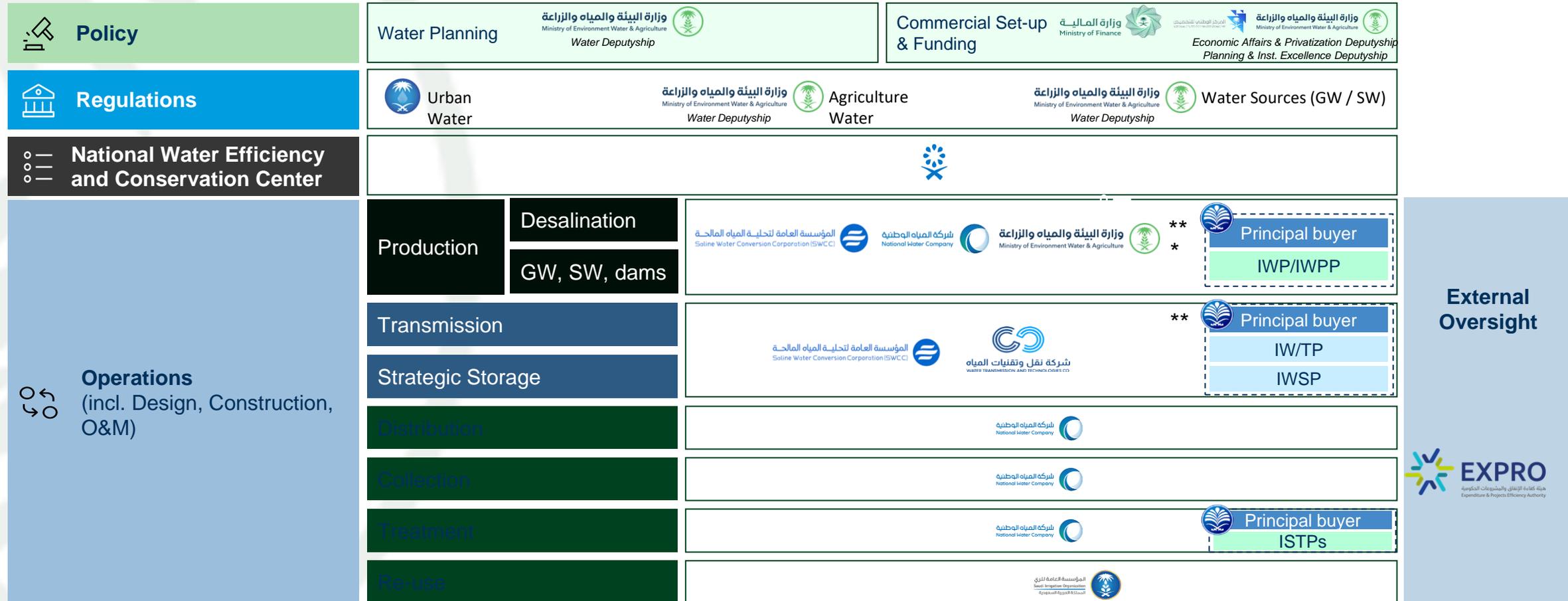
Saudi Water Partnership Company



Roles Sharing Between Entities/Partners



Stakeholders Overview:



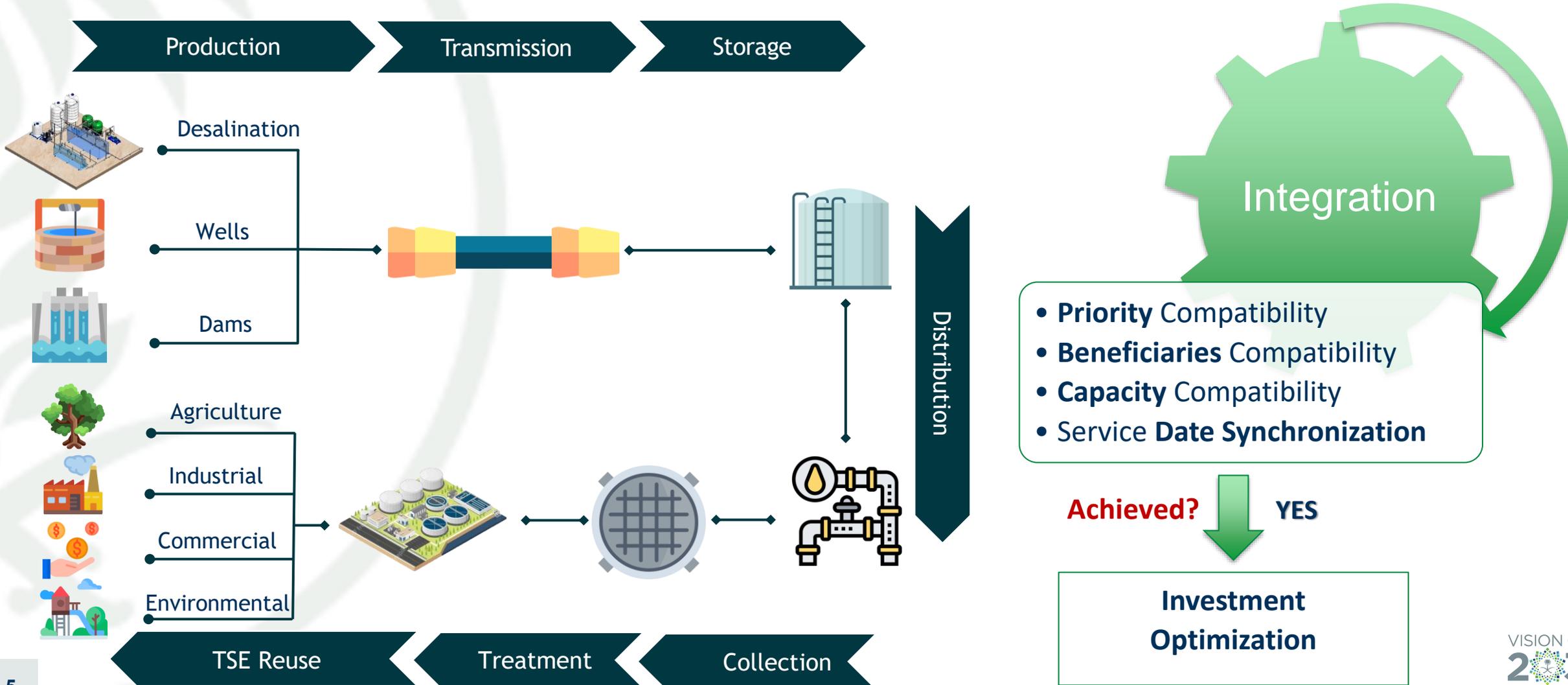
Sharing and integration of roles between entities/partners lead to highest feasibility and integrated management of both physical and human resources.



Integration of Water Supply Chain Projects (1 of 2)



- Main Governing Factors





TSE Reuse Opportunities (1 of 2)



Types of Usage



Agriculture

- With the increasing scarcity of renewable freshwater resources, and growing needs for food production to meet the demand for expanding populations, the intention is being given to reuse wastewater as an important freshwater resource that can be used for irrigation.



Industrial

- Industrial facilities can use treated wastewater for cooling system make-up water, boiler feedwater, process water, and general washdown uses. It can also be used for road maintenance and concrete production in construction projects. Industrial reuse proposes to depend on the effluent quality and in some cases, it may require additional treatment.



Environmental

- Can be used for decorative water features (fountains), dust control, district cooling, and fire protection. Irrigation of landscapes, parks, amenity plantations, road verges, and golf courses.



Commercial

- Economically, It can play a very important role if it has been sold to the private sector for many purposes; recreational, real estate, etc.

Maximizing TSE reuse through better planning and incentives will help in increasing economic growth and GDP. A good application of economic tools, such as Tariffs and etc, will improve water resources management and sustainability.



Thank you