

Making Public Investment More Efficient

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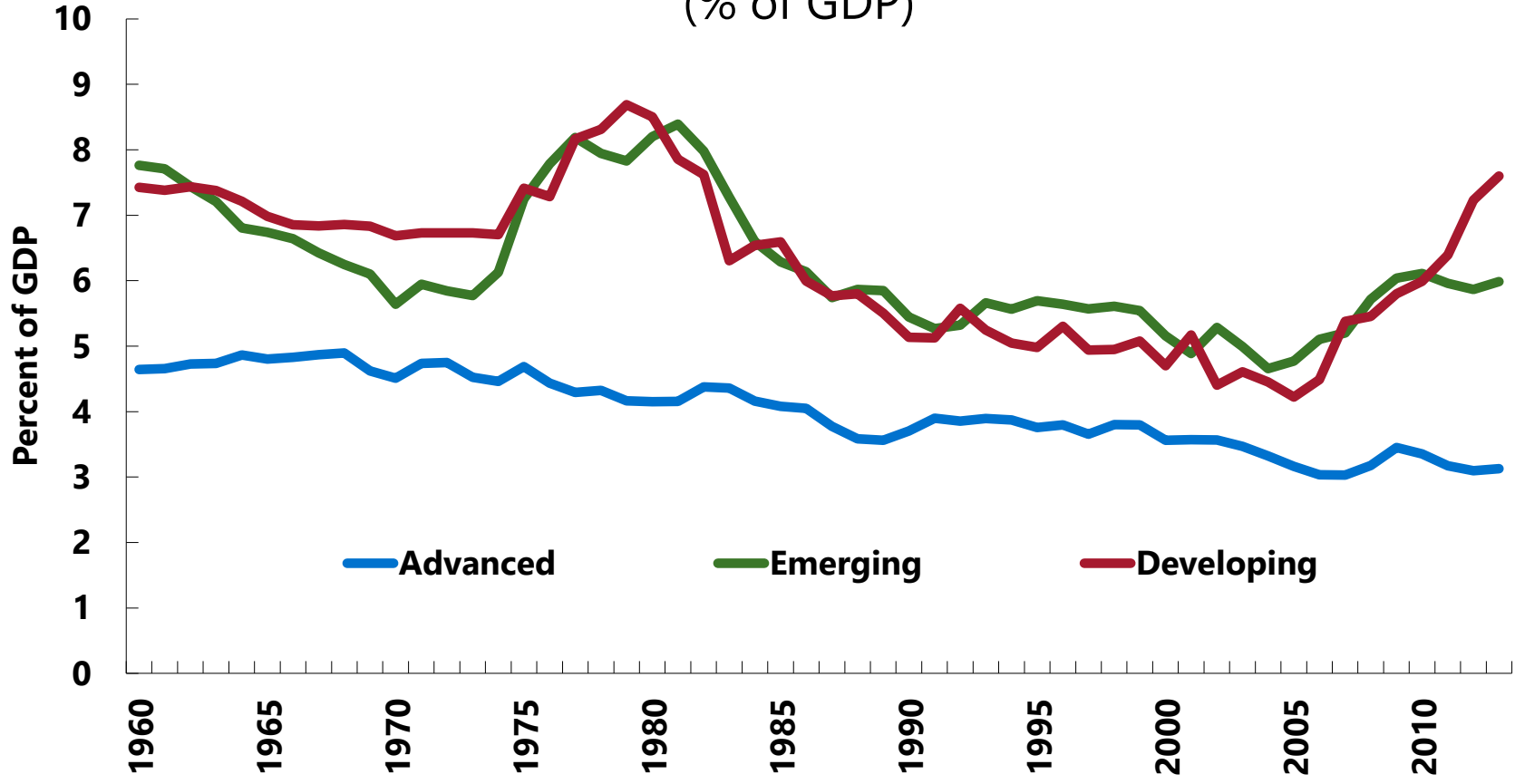
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Trends in Public Investment

After a quarter century of decline, public investment has begun to recover in emerging market and developing countries

Public Investment
(% of GDP)

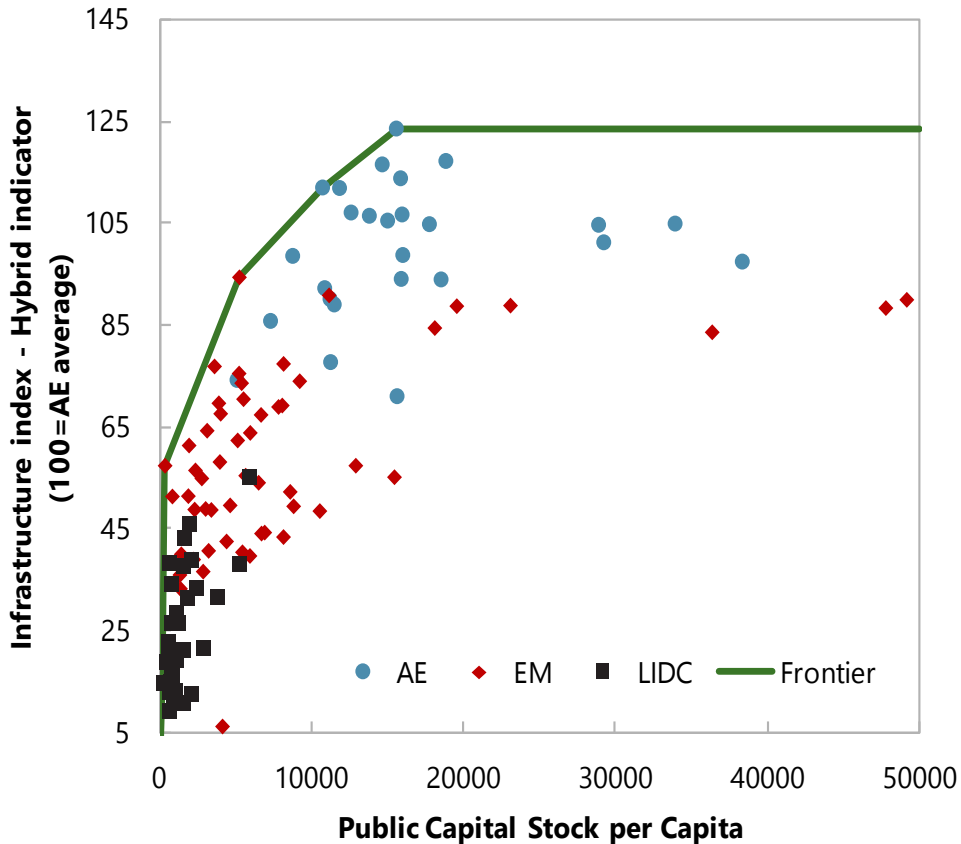


Efficiency of Public Investment

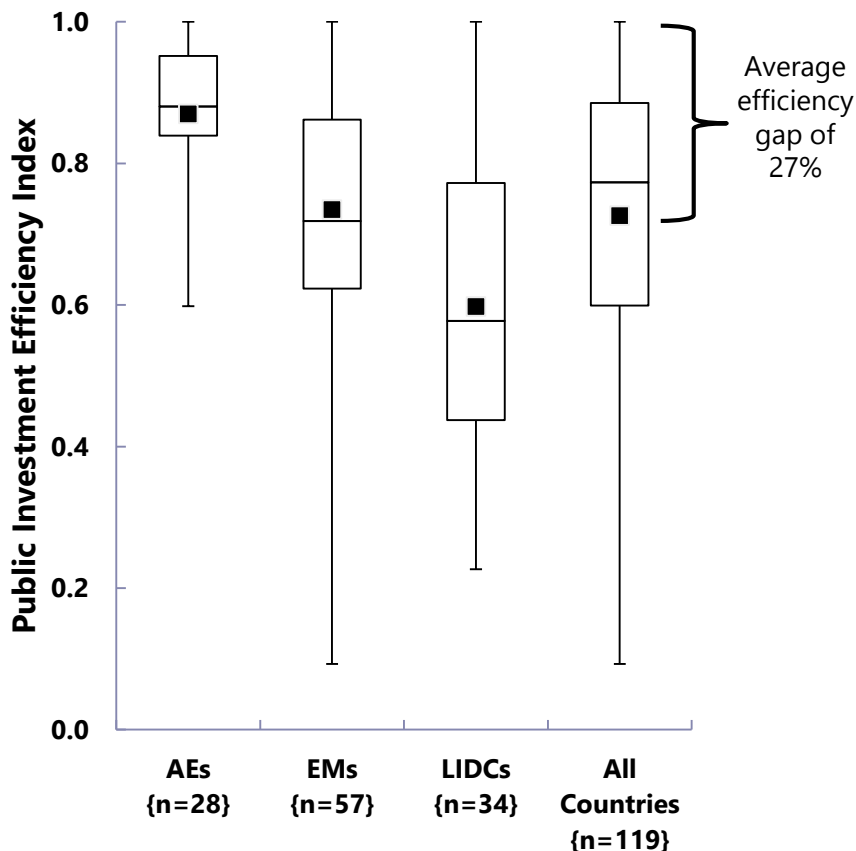
Sizeable public investment efficiency gaps both across and within income groups

Average country is 27% below efficiency frontier with largest efficiency gaps among LIDCs

Public Investment vs. Infrastructure Quality

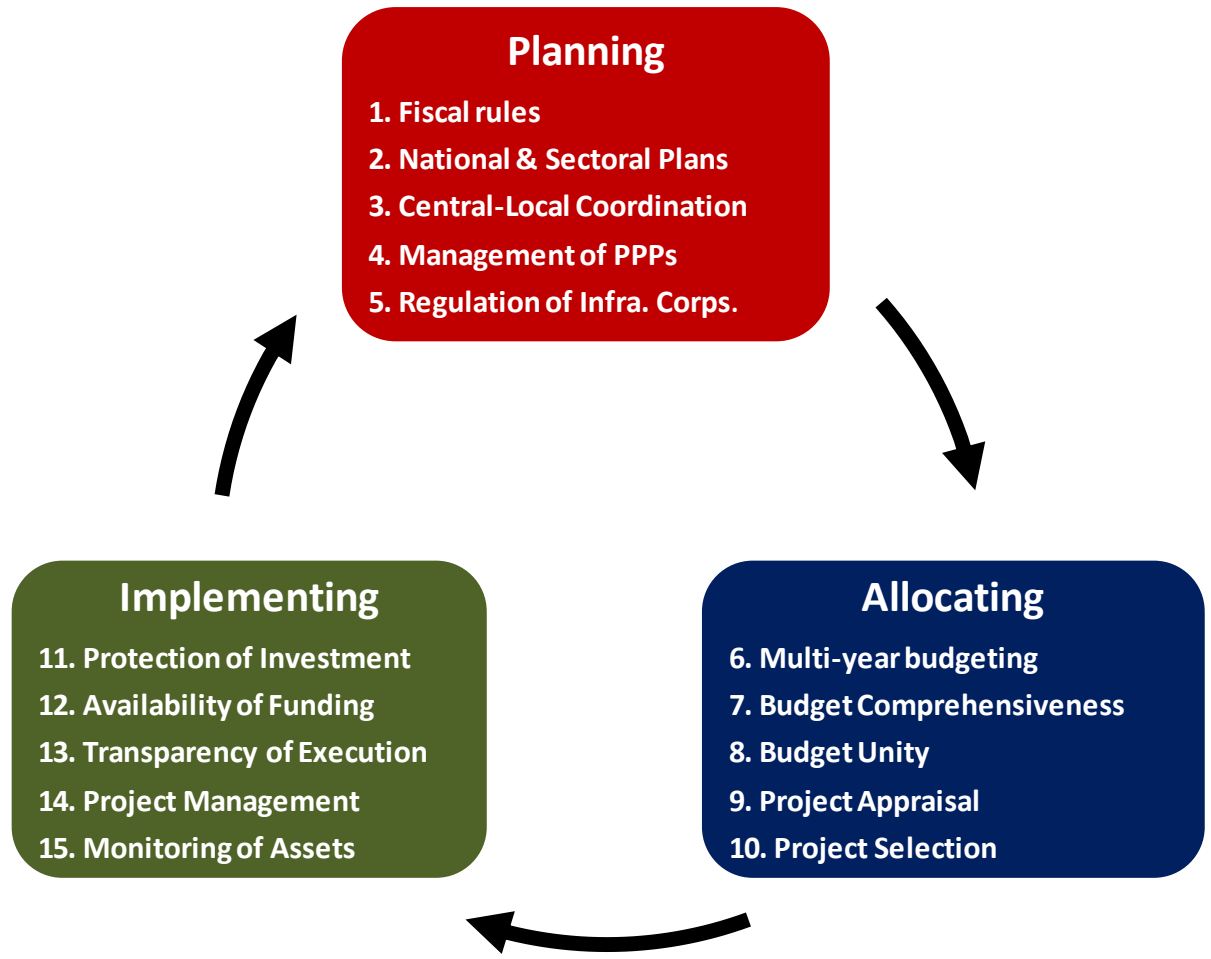


Variation in Public Investment Efficiency



Public Investment Management

The Public Investment Management Cycle



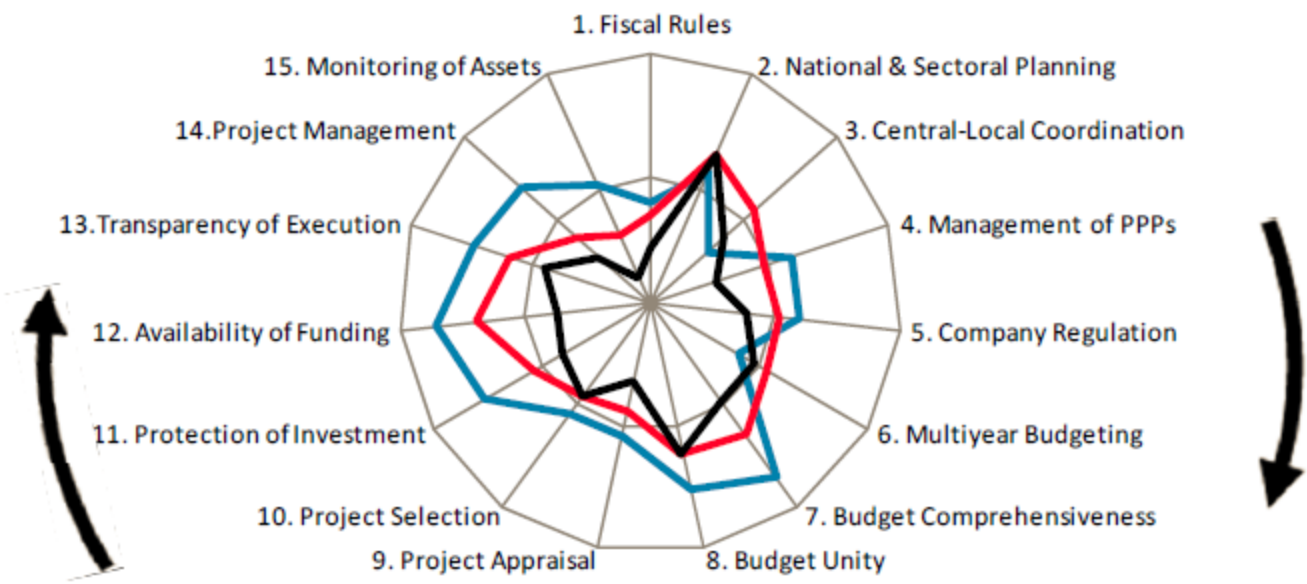
Evaluating Public Investment Management

PIMA Score by Institution

11–15. Implementing



1–5. Planning



6–10. Allocating

— AEs
— EMs
— LIDCs

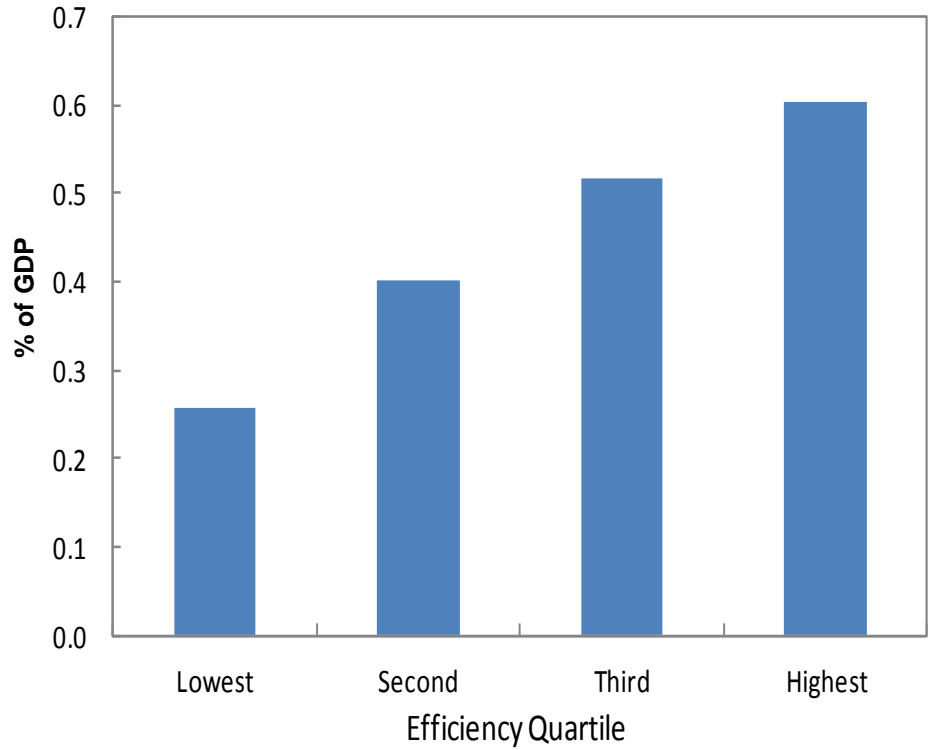


Public Investment, Efficiency, & Growth

More efficient public investors get around twice the growth “bang” for their buck than less efficient public investors

Public Investment, Efficiency, and Economic Output

Output impact after 4 years of a 1% of GDP increase in public investment



Profile of output impact of a 1% of GDP increase in public investment

