

# Are you match-fit for commercialisation?

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# Key factors in developing a service based approach to income generation

- Corporate commitment
- Business case framework
- Culture



### Culture

#### **Traditional public service**

- Paternalistic
- Social policy driven
- Societal focus
- Top down
- Rules based
- Departmental
- Bureaucratic
- Cautious

#### **Entrepreneurial organisation**

- Self interested?
- Narrow objectives
- Customer focussed
- Facilitative
- Empowering
- Corporate
- Agile
- Risk management



#### Who needs to do what?

- Culture and strategy
- Identification of opportunities
- Development of business cases
- Approvals and permissions



### Do you know your real costs?

- Budgets and trading accounts
- Apportionment or actual cost
- Importance of marginal cost



#### **Budgets and trading accounts**



Budget week 1



Budget week 52



Trading account week 1



Trading account week 52



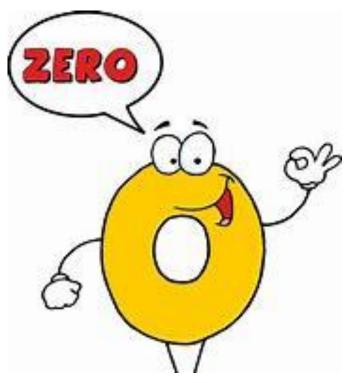
# **Types of cost**

- Fixed cost
  - Committed expenditure within a defined period
- Variable cost
  - Over the same time period (all costs variable over long run)
- Total cost and Full Cost
  - The two added together
- Average cost
  - Total cost divided by total output
- Marginal cost
  - Change to total cost of producing one more unit of output
- Sunk cost
  - Irrecoverable if the business fails



# What is your capacity to deliver income generating new services or expand existing service offerings?

Surplus or excess capacity suggests inefficiency





#### Carrying out a robust appraisal; Cost, productivity, price, profit?

Need to calculate	<ul> <li>Fixed cost</li> <li>Variable cost</li> <li>Average cost</li> <li>Marginal cost</li> </ul>

From which you can work out

- Break even point at various price points
- Margin at various price points
- Market share requirement

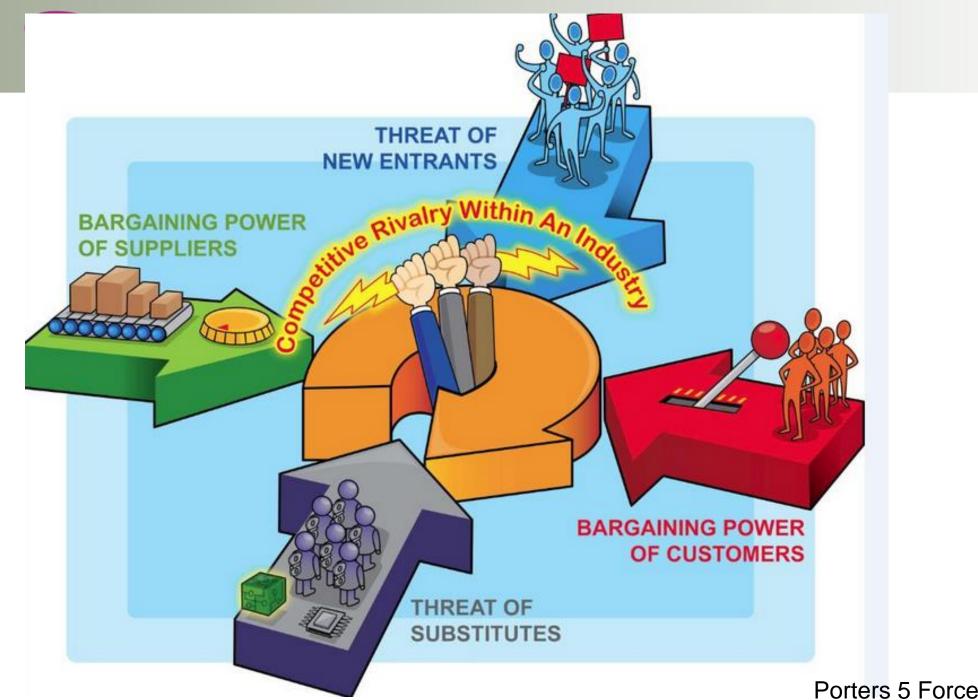


## **Knowing your markets**

- Product <u>Vrio model</u>
- Market
- Customer <u>Kano analysis</u>
- Competition <u>Porters 5 forces</u> but....
- Customer
- Customer
- Customer ... <u>get it?</u>

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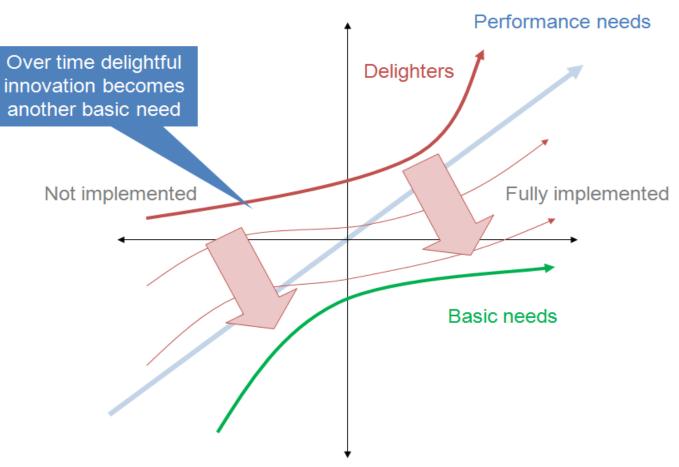
<u>Valuable?</u>	Rare?	Difficult to <u>Imitate?</u>	Supported by <u>Organization?</u>	Competitive Implications	<u>Performance</u>
No		8 <b></b> - 6		Competitive Disadvantage	Below Normal
Yes	No			Competitive Parity	Normal
Yes	Yes	No		Temporary Competitive Advantage	Above Normal
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Sustained Competitive Advantage	Above Normal



Porters 5 Forces, 1979



#### What do Customers value? Kano analysis



Dissatisfied



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