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The regions/countries

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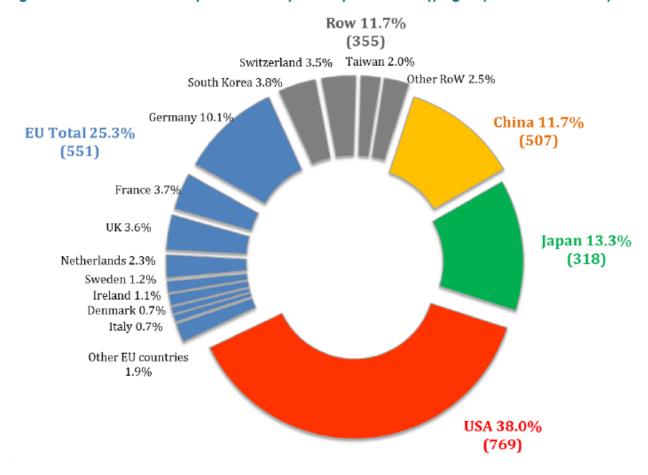


R&D is very much concentrated by country and world region. The top 3, top 5 and top 10 countries account respectively for 63%, 77% and 92% of the total R&D investment.



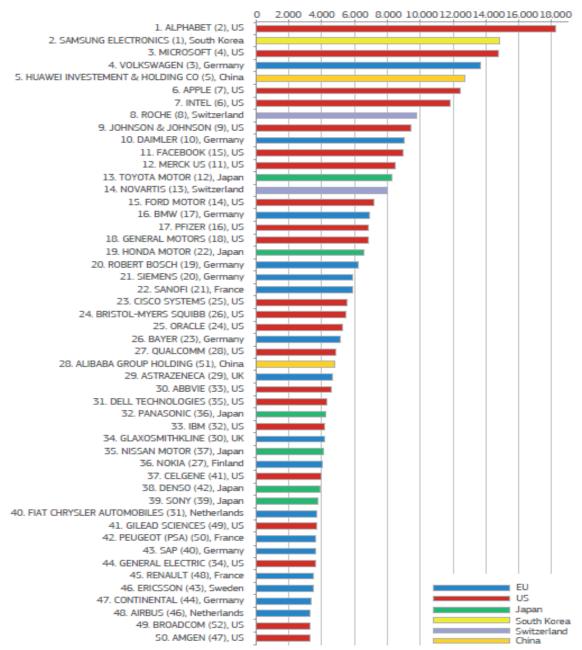
The companies geographical distribution

Figure 1.4 - R&D investment by the 2500 companies by main country/region (% of total €823.4bn).



Source: The 2019 EU Industrial R&D Investment Scoreboard, European Commission, JRC/DG RTD.

R&D investment (Euro million)



The global leaders

About R&D at Nestlé



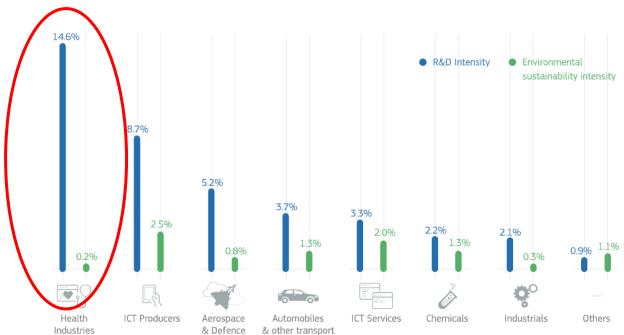
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The sectors

EU Survey

The <u>EU Survey on Industrial R&D Investment Trend</u> enquired companies on the amount of investments in environmental sustainability (not limited to R&D investments). The average R&D intensity (R&D over net sales) of all participants to the survey is 3.5%; the environmental sustainability intensity (investment in environmental sustainability over net sales) is 1.0%. Responding companies in Health Industries and Industrials sectors invest the smallest proportion of net sales in environmental sustainability.





COVID- 19 and R&D











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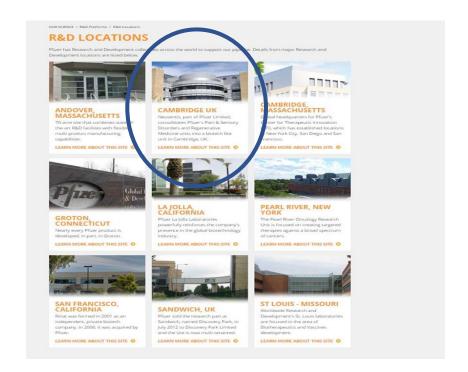












Sanofi and Pfizer

Some key concepts and keywords

- Internalization
- Barriers to entry
- Ownership advantage
- Competitive advantage
- Organisational types of MNEs, roles of subsidiaries and HQs
- Centralization versus decentralization versus networking of R&D activity leading to internationalisation
- Breaking down R&D (basic research, applied research, development, adaptation)
- Roles of R&D laboratories

Some definitions: Dunning and Lundan, ch.11

Technological capacity e.g. R&D laboratories, scientists, research institutions

- Technology i.e. output of technological capacity e.g. new product, new organizational structures
- Between technological capacity, which represents the stock of technology-producing assets (for example, R&D laboratories, higher educational institutions, scientists and engineers, information of all kinds, the accumulated experience of private and public institutions, and the knowledge of managers and administrative workers) and technology, that is, the output of technological capacity (for example, new product and process technologies, organisational improvements, more efficient inventory control techniques, new forms of transport and communication).
- Human and physical technology assets
- Between *human* and *physical* technological assets. The former include the stock of scientists and engineers, designers, managers, and so on, and the services flowin from them. The latter embrace buildings, plant and equipment, research laboratories, drawings, specifications, and so on, and capital goods which contain the output of technological capacity. A different, but related, distinction is between 'hard' and 'soft' technology. The former mainly represents all kinds of tangible innovatory assets, and the latter, drawings, blueprints, formulae, specifications, training manuals, technical skills, organisational management techniques, systems of quality control, inventory management, industrial relations procedures and so on.

- Levels and stages--- know-how (the knowledge of how to make the best use of the technology or technological capacity acquired) and
- know- why (understanding of the nature of the underlying materials, process and product technologies, which leads to a substantial adaptation, improvement and even replacement of existing materials, processes and products)
- Lall argues that developing countries go through various stages of technological development, where the first stage is the importation of know-how technology. This is followed by the application of the imported knowledge to the process of commercial innovation. The final stage of technological capability (which many countries do not reach), is the ability of countries and firms to undertake their own basic research (know-why), pushing back the frontiers of knowledge without regard to specific commercial applications.
- **Technology transfer** (the transfer of product or process technology within or between firms across national borders, but it could equally be between firms or other organisations in the same country).
- **Technology dissemination** (the diffusion of technology away from the organisation possessing it to other organisations, that is, externalising its ownership or use)
- Technology absorption (the institutional and other competences of an economy which acquires technology to utilise or adapt it to its advantage)

Overseas R&D laboratories

- Support Lab
- Locally Integrated Lab
- Internationally Interdependent Lab

Applied research
Development
Basic research
Adaptation

A review of the literature: First Phase: 1970s – early 1980s

The first systematic attempts to understand decentralised R&D in MNEs appeared in the early 1970s.

First studies reflected the classic view of MNEs as largely innovating in the home country and merely adapting product and process technology in the host locations

A review of the literature: Second Phase: 1980s-early 2000s

Emergence of Overseas R&D laboratories typologies

This phase is characterized *inter alia* by an increasing perception of the diffusion of "homebase augmenting" and "asset—seeking" strategies as opposed to home-base exploiting and asset-exploiting R&D activities.

A review of the literature: Third Phase: post 2000

The third, post- 2000, phase is by and large characterized by the co-existence and partial convergence of complementary disciplines, including economic geography, international trade and industrial organization, and by the proliferation of empirical works.

A Case Study: Astra Zeneca in China

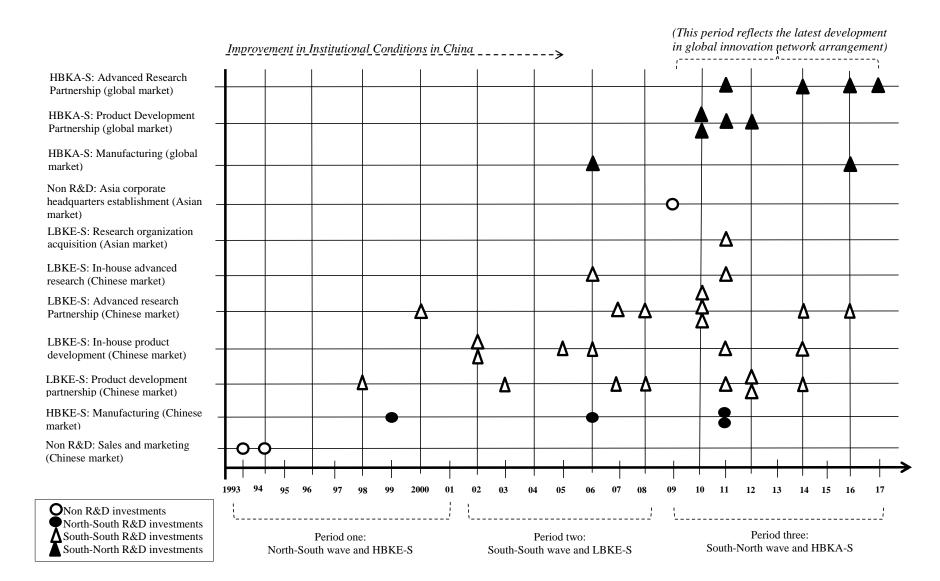


Figure 2. R&D activities of AZ China between 1993 and 2017

Third period of expansion in China (2009–2017)

- This period witnessed the most significant development in terms of localized and global innovation.
- It saw the strengthening of the Chinese government's policy and funding support for more advanced innovation activities.

Year	Means of innovation activity
2010	Partnership agreement with Peking University
2010	Partnership agreement with No. 1 Affiliated Hospital of Guangzhou Medical College
2010	Research collaboration with BioDuro Clinical Research
2011	Research collaboration with Chi-Med China
2012	Partnership agreement with WuXi AppTec, and support from AZ's US biotech subsidiary Medimmune
2012	Research collaboration with Ironwood Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
2014	Research collaboration with Shenzhen University Health Science Centre
2014	Partnership agreement with Tianjin Medical University
2016	Partnership agreement with WuXi AppTec
2017	Strategic joint venture (namely Dizal Pharmaceuticals) with Future Industry Investment Fund China

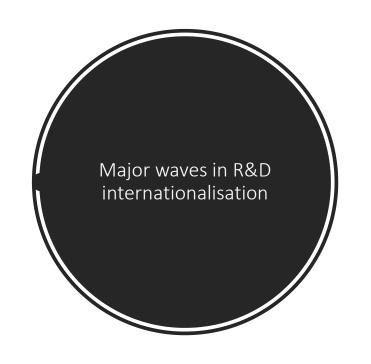


Table 1. Classification of the four major waves in MNE R&D internationalization

North: advanced economies (e.g. US, UK, Germany, Japan)

South: emerging economies (e.g. China, India, Brazil)

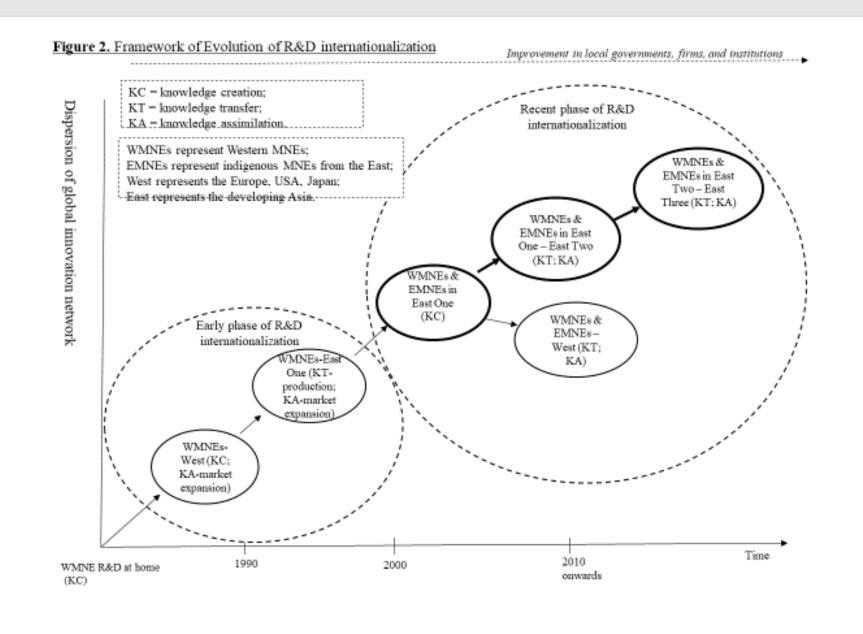
	Location	R&D objectives		
Wave 1	North-	Home-based knowledge augmentation in the		
	North	North (HBKA-N)		
Wave 2	North- South	Home-based knowledge exploitation in the South (HBKE-S)		
Wave 3	South- South	Local-based knowledge exploration in the South (LBKE-S)		
Wave 4	South- North	Home-based knowledge augmentation in the South (HBKA-S)		

Heterogeneity of governments, indigenous firms, and institutions across East One

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	<u>Governments</u>	<u>Indigenous firms</u>	<u>Institutions</u>				
	(pro-innovation environment)	(characteristics of local innovation)	(IPR legal protection; innovation expertise)				
China	Strong policy supportEffective NIS covering all key areas	 Highly concentrated in several key industries Focus on both radical and incremental innovation Extremely active learning from Western firms 	Weak IPR protectionLocal-educated and repatriated expertise				
		- Indigenous MNEs with strong R&D capability					
India	- Strong policy support	- Highly active across a few specific industries	- Weak IPR protection				
	- Targeted NIS for priority	- Focus on frugal innovation	- Local-educated ICT expertise				
	industries	- Active learning from Western firms					
		- Indigenous MNEs with strong R&D capability					
Singapore	- Strong policy support	- Highly active across a few specific industries	- Strong IPR protection				
•	- Targeted NIS for priority	- Focus on incremental innovation	- Local-educated and immigrated expertise				
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Malaysia	 Average policy support Partially effective NIS for priority industries 	 Limited innovation across key industries Focus on incremental innovation Limited learning from Western firms No/limited indigenous MNEs 	 Improving IPR protection Local-educated expertise 				
Thailand	 Less effective policy support Less effective NIS across all key areas 	 Limited innovation across key industries Limited focus on both radical and incremental innovation Extremely limited learning from Western firms No/limited indigenous MNEs 	 Weak IPR protection Local-educated expertise 				
Vietnam	 Less effective policy support Less effective NIS across all key areas 	 Limited innovation across key industries Limited focus on both radical and incremental innovation Extremely limited learning from Western firms No/limited indigenous MNEs 	 Weak IPR protection Increase in repatriated expertise 				



Asian and European cities emerged as the most suitable destinations for semiconductor related work

Top destinations for semiconductor research and innovation

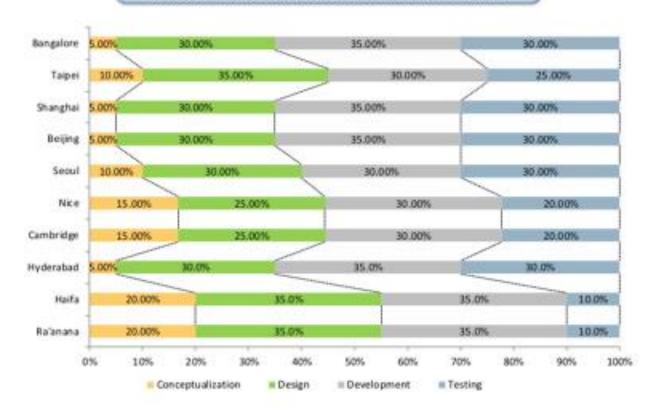


Source: Zinnov Database, Zinnov Research & Analysis

Semiconductor Research and Innovation: Source: https://www.slides hare.net/zinnov/se miconductorhubs-for-researchinnovation

Predominant activity in low cost locations in India & China is development & testing; in comparison, high cost locations like Israel & UK have a higher share of conceptualization





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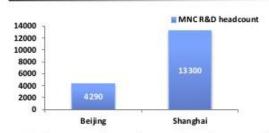
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Shanghai & Beijing

Shanghai & Beijing, China

- China is home to number of large semiconductor companies. Foreign companies dominate the landscape; a number of domestic firms have also gained in scale and glob al presence
- Besides being a strategic market location, Shanghai & Beijing have a large R&D talent Pool across sectors which gives it a competitive advantage over other locations
- . China's government played a key role in promoting R&D investment in the region

Talent Pool & University ecosystem



- Beijing houses 70 graduate and post graduate colleges. Two of the Chinese National Universities are based out of Beijing
- Shanghai is a major center of higher education and research with ~30 colleges and universities. 6 of the country's prestigious universities are based out of Shanghai

Competitive landscape

- China has more than 600 companies in semiconductor vertical, including 472 IC design enterprises
- Foreign companies dominate the semiconductor industry; some of the domestic players have also grown significantly and established

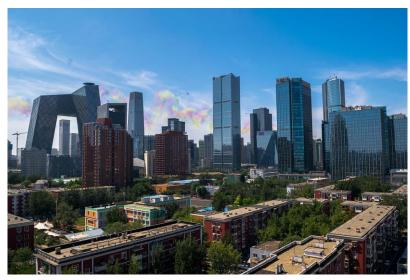
Government initiatives & incentives

Financial incentives

- Companies incurring R&D expenses in the production of new technologies, products, or techniques may enjoy a 50 percent "super deduction" over and above actual expense deduction
- Taxation laws for semiconductor manufacturing sector allow a 5 year tax holiday involving full exemption from corporate income tax for first 5 years, starting when the business becomes profitable
- To promote the IC design industry, state-owned research institutes were privatized and also private companies were provided financial assistance to conduct R&D activities
- IC manufacturers are exempt from paying import duties and 17% VAT on IC production equipment and machinery. They are also granted easy customs clearance

Technology park/ R&D cluster

 China has more than 100 "high-technology parks" scattered throughout the country. Relatively large and more concentrated clusters are emerging in Zhangjiang, Suzhou and Beijing



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Cambridge

Cambridge, UK

- Cambridge in East England has a healthy number of semiconductor design companies focused on device- and application-based markets
- Oxford, Southampton and Surrey in Southeast England are focused on application engineering and hardware design in the semiconductor ecosystem

University ecosystem

- Cambridge is the home to world famous 'University of Cambridge' which has student population of about 18,000. It has produced 88 Noble prize winners
- The University is credited for the supply of competitive manpower that addresses the need of the semiconductor sector, which is highly knowledge-intensive
- Also of importance is Cambridge Universities' liberal attitude to IP rights which has allowed the 'spinning off' of companies from research

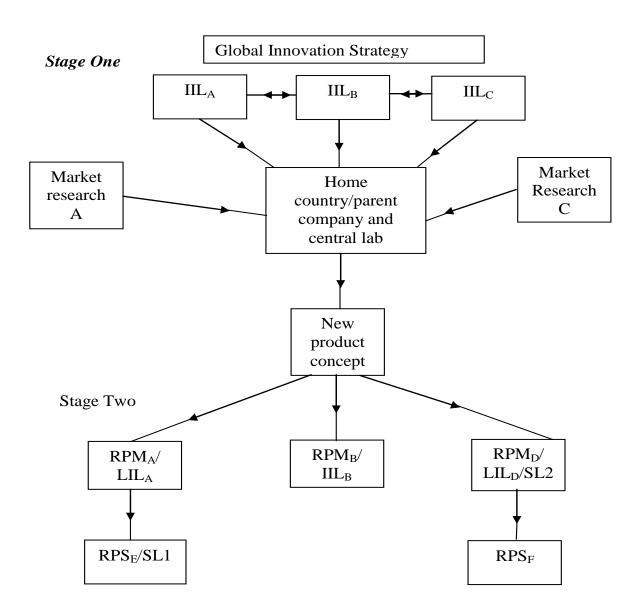
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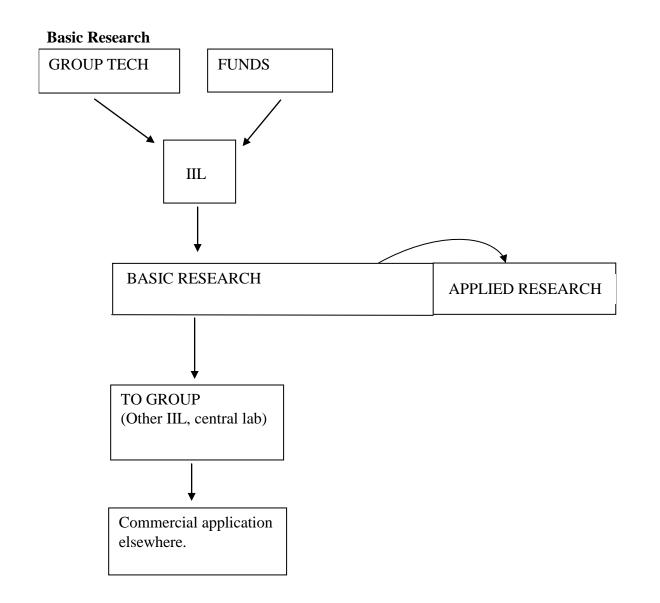
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- A top semiconductor major focuses on development of DSP architectures and compilers and embedded software
- Another specializes in technologies, tools and design for mobile UI with engineering and design teams working on embedded mobile handset and server-side technologies

Government initiatives & incentives Financial incentives · R&D companies can claim a deduction on their taxable profits if they spend at least £10,000 annually on qualifying R&D activities While SMEs can claim 175%, large companies can claim 130% of qualifying expenditure 1990-Present Day Technology park/ R&D cluster Established Ecosystem "Silicon Fen" Cambridge, UK 250 active start-ups are 1980-90s directly linked to the Cambridge University Growth & Innovation Factors that helped Cluster produces 1970s establish the more patents per semiconductor capita than the UK Early Years ecosystem average Proximity to Cambridge Science University Cluster grows Park set up in 1970 Collaboration with rapidly with the University and other emergence of Large number of R&D organizations computer services high-technology spin- Easy access to firms and

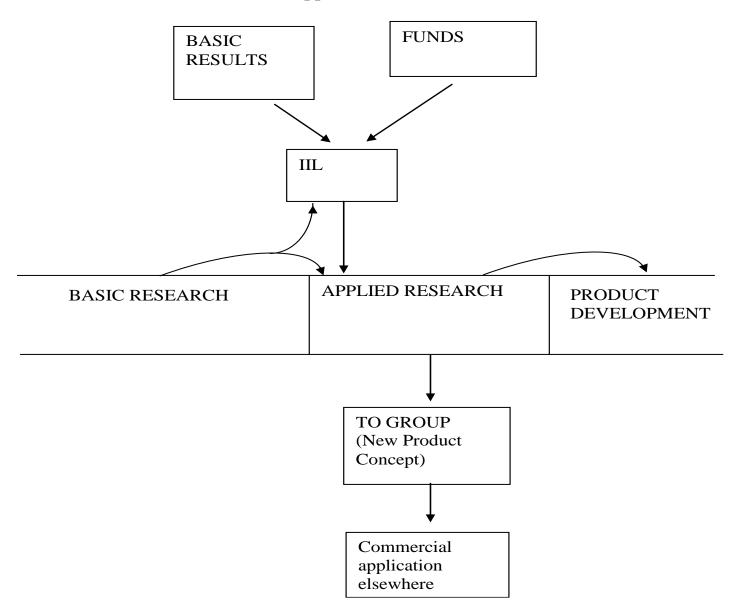


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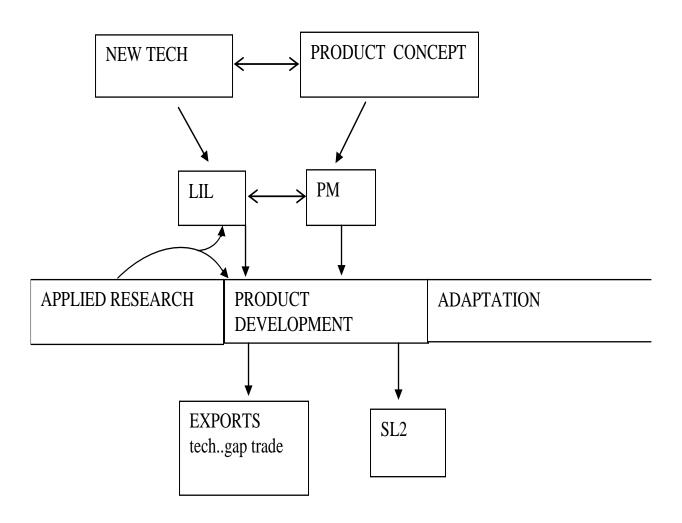




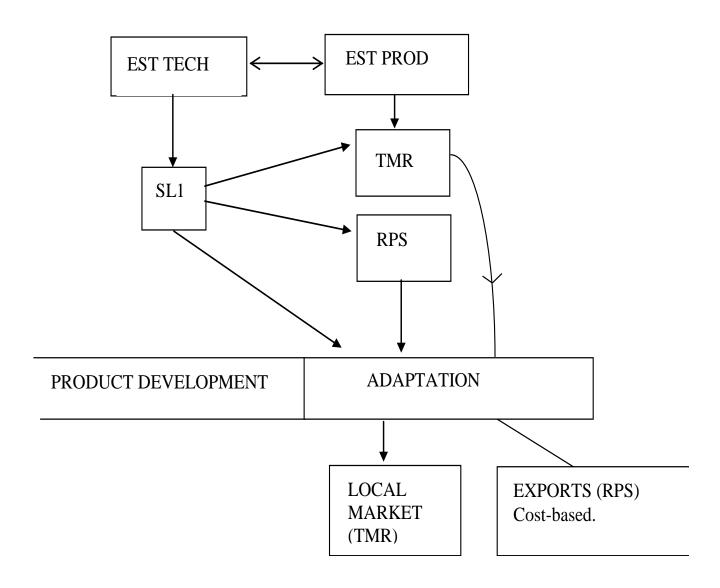
Applied Research



Product Development



Adaptation



Συμπεράσματα

- Καθοριστικός ο ρόλος των Πολυεθνικών στην παγκόσμια καινοτομική δραστηριότητα
- Διαφορετικοί τύποι εργαστηρίων Ε&Α
- Παγκόσμια στρατηγική καινοτομίας
- Εθνικά συστήματα καινοτομίας