

Varieties of the NIS (National Innovation Systems) and RIS (regional innov. Systems) around the World:

Analyses using the same set of variables made up by patent data,
and implications for Catch-up

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A talk drawing upon 3/4 papers

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- Lee, Keun, et al. (2021). "Variety of National Innovation Systems (NIS) and Alternative Pathways to Growth beyond the Middle-Income Stage," *World Development*
- Kim, J. and Lee, K. (2022). Local–Global Interface as a Key Factor in the Catching Up of Regional Innovation Systems: Fast versus Slow Catching Up among Taipei, Shenzhen, and Penang in Asia. *Technological Forecasting and Social Change*. Accessible at <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.techfore.2021.12127>.
- Lee, K., & Lee, J. (2019). National innovation systems, economic complexity, & economic growth. *J of Evolutionary Economics*, 1-32.
- Some ongoing works on RIS
⇒**question: identification of different varieties of NIS/RIS; cf) VoC (capitalism)
to link them to different performance**
- eg) mature/advanced RIS/NIS; catching up or trapped NIS/RIS in EEs

Nelson/Lundvall (1992):

NIS (national Innovation system) =

Elements and relationships

which interact in the production, diffusion and use of knowledge

-> Differences in NIS determines competitiveness of nations, sectors and firms.

=> *System failure cf) market failure*

Several Levels of Innovation systems:

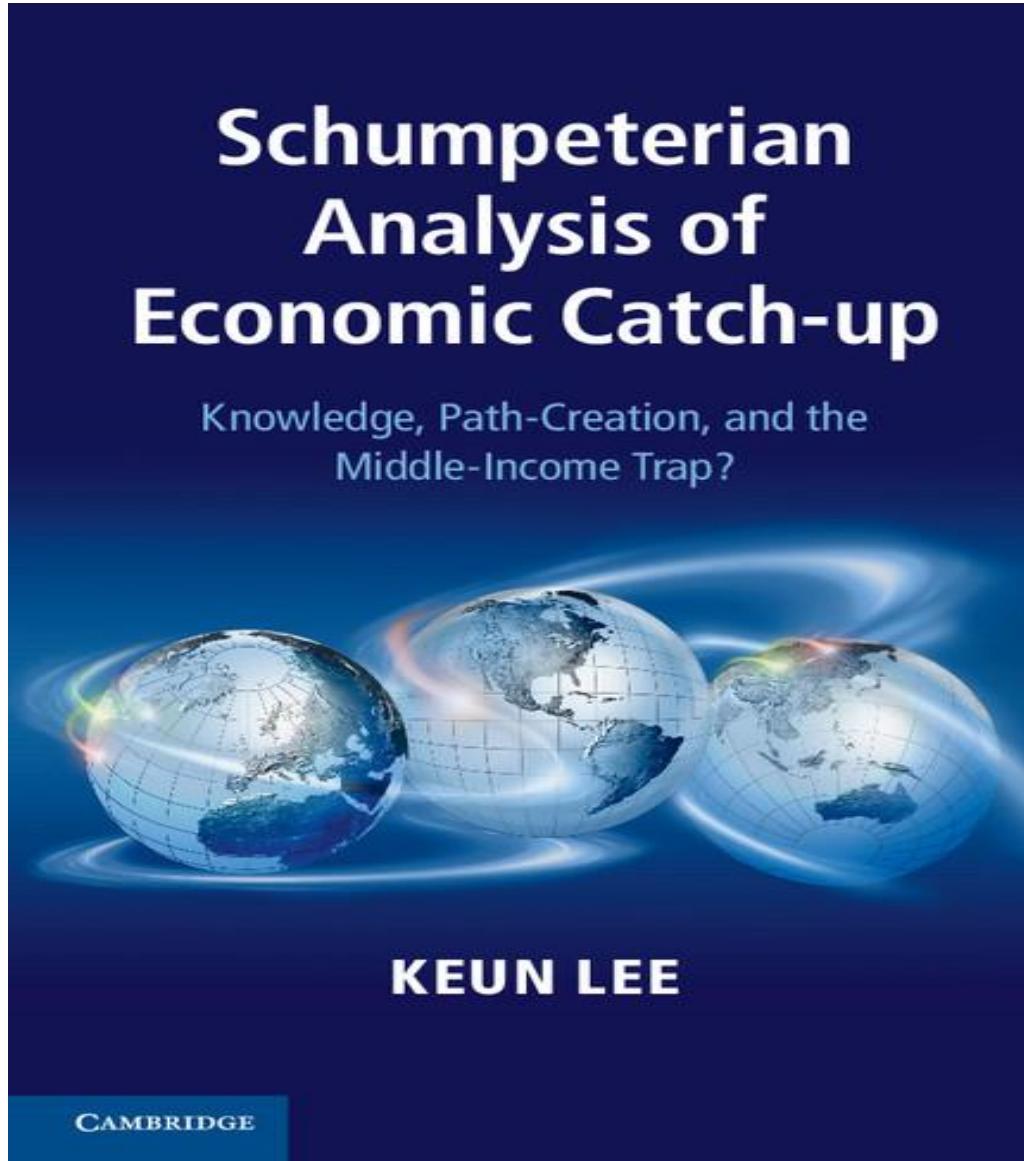
- 1) *Macro: National Innovation Systems = NIS*
- 2) *Meso: Sectoral = Sectoral SI (SSI)*
Regional = Regional IS (RIS)
- 3) *Micro: Corporate innovation systems (CIS)*

Q: How to measure Innovations systems:

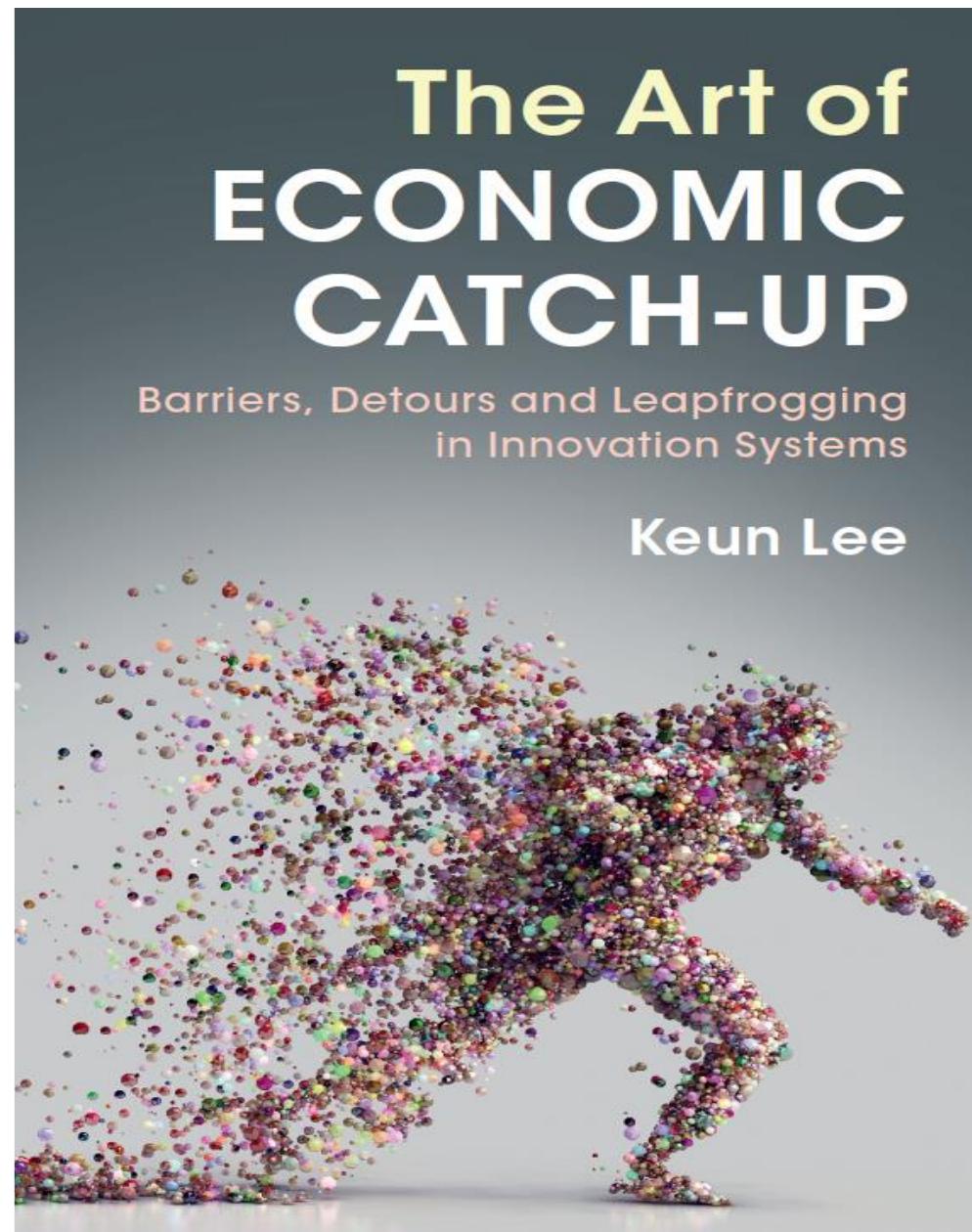
- 1) many variables from diverse sources
- vs. 2) several key variables from the same sources (patents)

**Eg) 1) Knowledge localization, 2) tech diversifications 3) originality
4) Concentrations, 5) cycle time of technologies (CTT)**

Lee (2013) Innovation systems at 3 Levels:
country; Sector; firm
=> 2014 Schumpeter Prize



Cambridge Univ. Press, 2019



Varieties of the NIS (National Innovation Systems) around the World:

Alternative Pathways for Growth beyond the Mid. income trap;
catching up vs. trapped NIS

5 patent-citation variables to measure the NIS (Lee 2013): Basis for a composite index of NIS (Lee&Lee 2019, JEE)

**Localization of knowledge (Intra-national creation and diffusion)
(vs. reliance on foreign sources)**

**Dispersed vs. Concentration = 1-HHI
of knowledge creation (by assignees)**

Short vs. long cycle technologies Specialization

**Originality (high if citing and combining widely)
(= Technological Convergence /combination)**

**Technological Diversification
(Wide vs. Deep in patent portfolio)**

=> Somewhat Narrow but close to the definition by Lundvall (about knowledge)
also better in terms of homogenous dataset (US patents) over longer term

Data from USPTO;

Basically, inventor's information, ownership -> assignee's information

- Patent related data: from USPTO (United States Patent and Trademark Office)
- Information regarding patent: patent number, inventors' address (city, country), citation information, sector classification, etc.

Download patent bulk data from
USPTO (1976-2017)



Data mining process using SAS
program (Porter and Hatton,
2013)



Data cleaning

NBER DB(1963-1993, 1976-2006),
Harvard Dataverse,
United States Patent Dataset (1926-2010)
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Based on USPTO patents

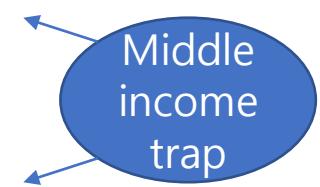
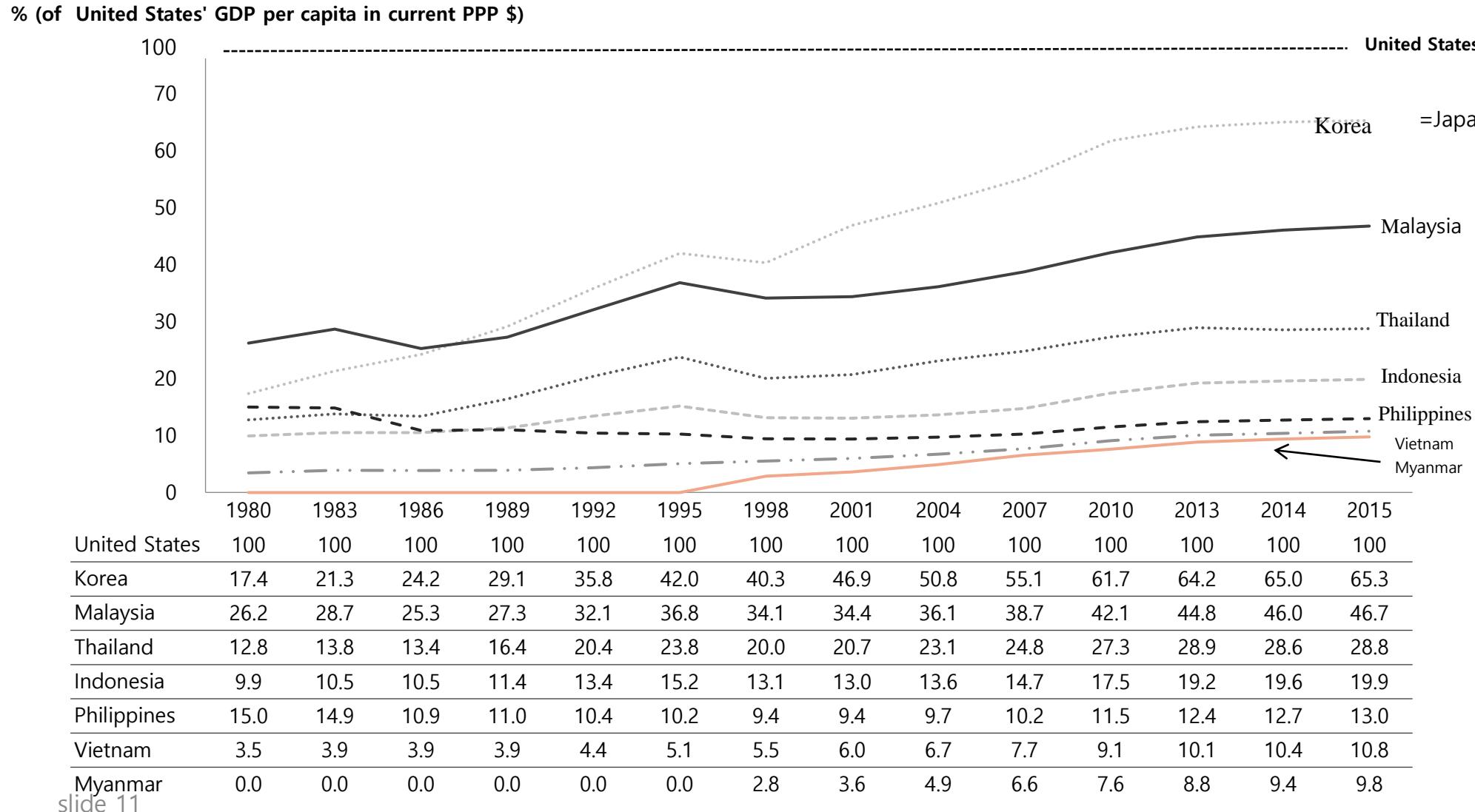
NIS Index of 45 economies, 2011~2015:
Lee & Lee (2019, JEE), NIS robust than Econ. Complexity to predict Econ Growth

Country	Localization	Tech Diversif'n	Originality	Relative cycle time	Decentral'n 1-HHI	Index of NIS-5	Rank of NIS5
Japan	0.407	0.866	0.354	0.942	0.980	3.566	1
United States	0.246	0.937	0.503	1.005	0.994	3.495	2
Germany	0.140	0.844	0.455	1.106	0.984	3.147	3
France	0.111	0.735	0.402	1.083	0.975	2.873	4
United Kingdom	0.070	0.687	0.450	1.157	0.993	2.855	5
Italy	0.090	0.611	0.408	1.163	0.981	2.763	6
Australia	0.134	0.469	0.466	1.176	0.923	2.742	7
Switzerland	0.042	0.657	0.434	1.159	0.984	2.730	8
Canada	0.065	0.671	0.486	1.014	0.935	2.709	9
Taiwan	0.129	0.674	0.331	0.828	0.971	2.575	10
Netherlands	0.075	0.582	0.434	1.041	0.903	2.564	11
Israel	0.066	0.431	0.498	1.044	0.990	2.551	12
South Korea	0.137	0.705	0.339	0.846	0.854	2.533	13
Denmark	0.081	0.374	0.429	1.169	0.971	2.516	14
Norway	0.080	0.268	0.482	1.200	0.985	2.503	15
Austria	0.076	0.405	0.422	1.133	0.967	2.496	16
Sweden	0.098	0.568	0.390	0.992	0.824	2.435	17
Belgium	0.065	0.378	0.418	1.130	0.955	2.421	18
China	0.048	0.643	0.332	0.854	0.944	2.343	19
New Zealand	0.043	0.172	0.481	1.251	0.976	2.341	20
Spain	0.044	0.324	0.400	1.107	0.986	2.308	21

Country	Localization	Diversif'n	Originality	Relative cycle time	1-HHI	NIS5	Rank of NIS5
Finland	0.095	0.418	0.426	0.976	0.770	2.249	22
South Africa	0.072	0.116	0.424	1.231	0.959	2.249	23
Brazil	0.022	0.158	0.390	1.237	0.957	2.134	24
Mexico	0.014	0.096	0.485	1.216	0.933	2.129	25
Hong Kong	0.037	0.289	0.388	0.978	0.965	2.126	26
Ireland	0.023	0.241	0.465	0.993	0.929	2.109	27
Singapore	0.037	0.323	0.437	0.889	0.915	2.106	28
India	0.028	0.243	0.371	1.057	0.969	2.097	29
Luxembourg	0.007	0.221	0.472	1.032	0.928	2.088	30
Poland	0.069	0.074	0.369	1.156	0.952	2.072	31
Saudi Arabia	0.020	0.191	0.467	1.130	0.774	1.999	32
Malaysia	0.035	0.084	0.399	1.129	0.917	1.982	33
Chile	0.014	0.042	0.426	1.175	0.939	1.976	34
Portugal	0.032	0.045	0.418	1.106	0.932	1.956	35
Hungary	0.033	0.049	0.384	1.116	0.939	1.934	36
Argentina	0.041	0.028	0.392	1.135	0.909	1.926	37
Russia	0.039	0.102	0.423	0.934	0.889	1.871	38
Czech Republic	0.018	0.056	0.332	1.110	0.945	1.845	39
Thailand	0.009	0.031	0.467	1.107	0.824	1.837	40
Slovenia	0.014	0.038	0.335	1.272	0.831	1.822	41
Greece	0.016	0.031	0.327	1.179	0.870	1.781	42
Iceland	0.039	0.038	0.420	1.300	0.563	1.735	43
Indonesia	0.000	0.006	0.445	1.361	0.442	1.562	44
Philippines	0.002	0.011	0.465	1.121	0.547	1.528	45

Korean Catch-up beyond the MIT (Middle income trap)

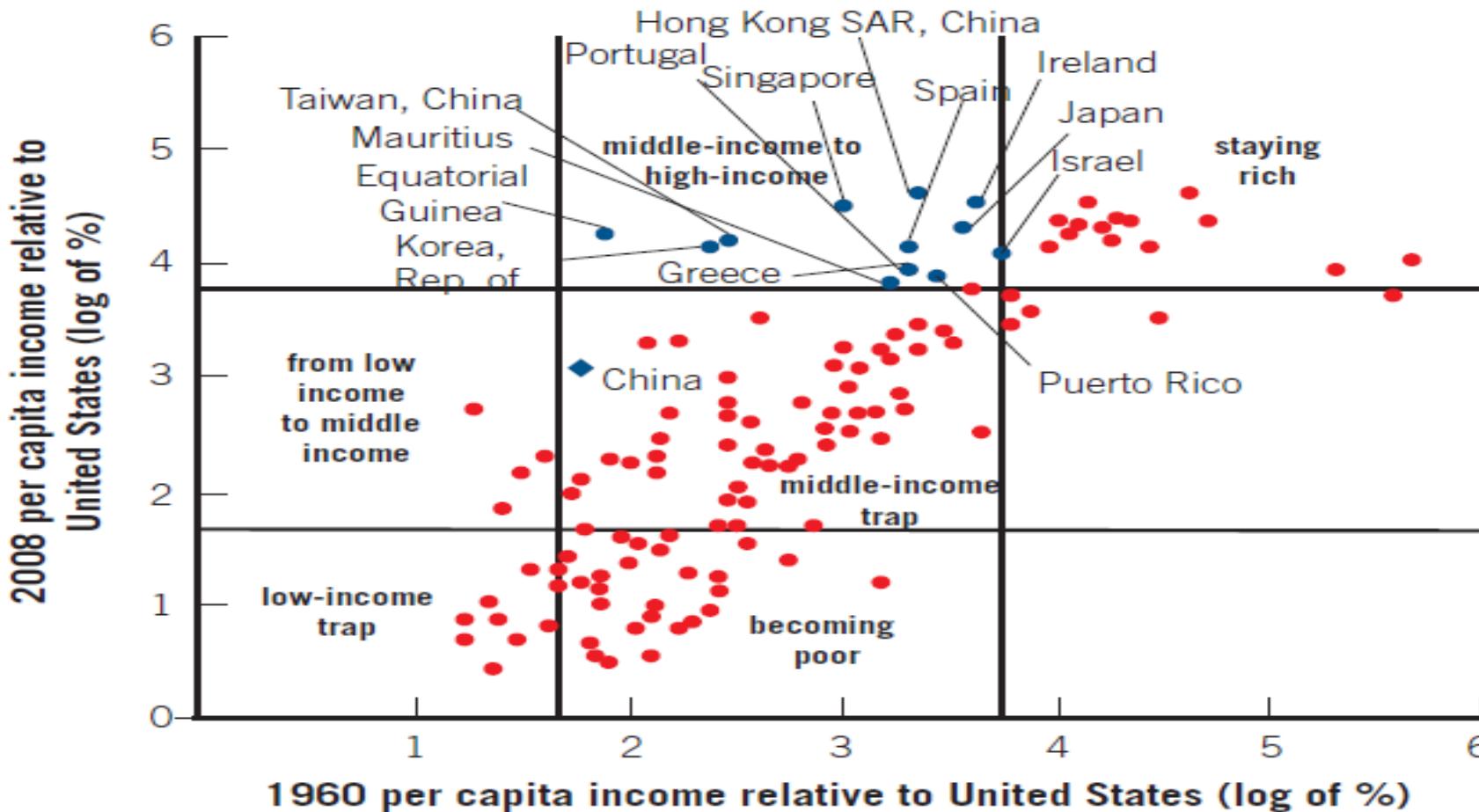
MIT = 20- 40% % of US GDP per capita (ppp \$) for several decades:
Thailand, Indonesia, Philippines, Vietnam, Myanmar



Q: Who escaped the Middle income Trap: only 13, and How?

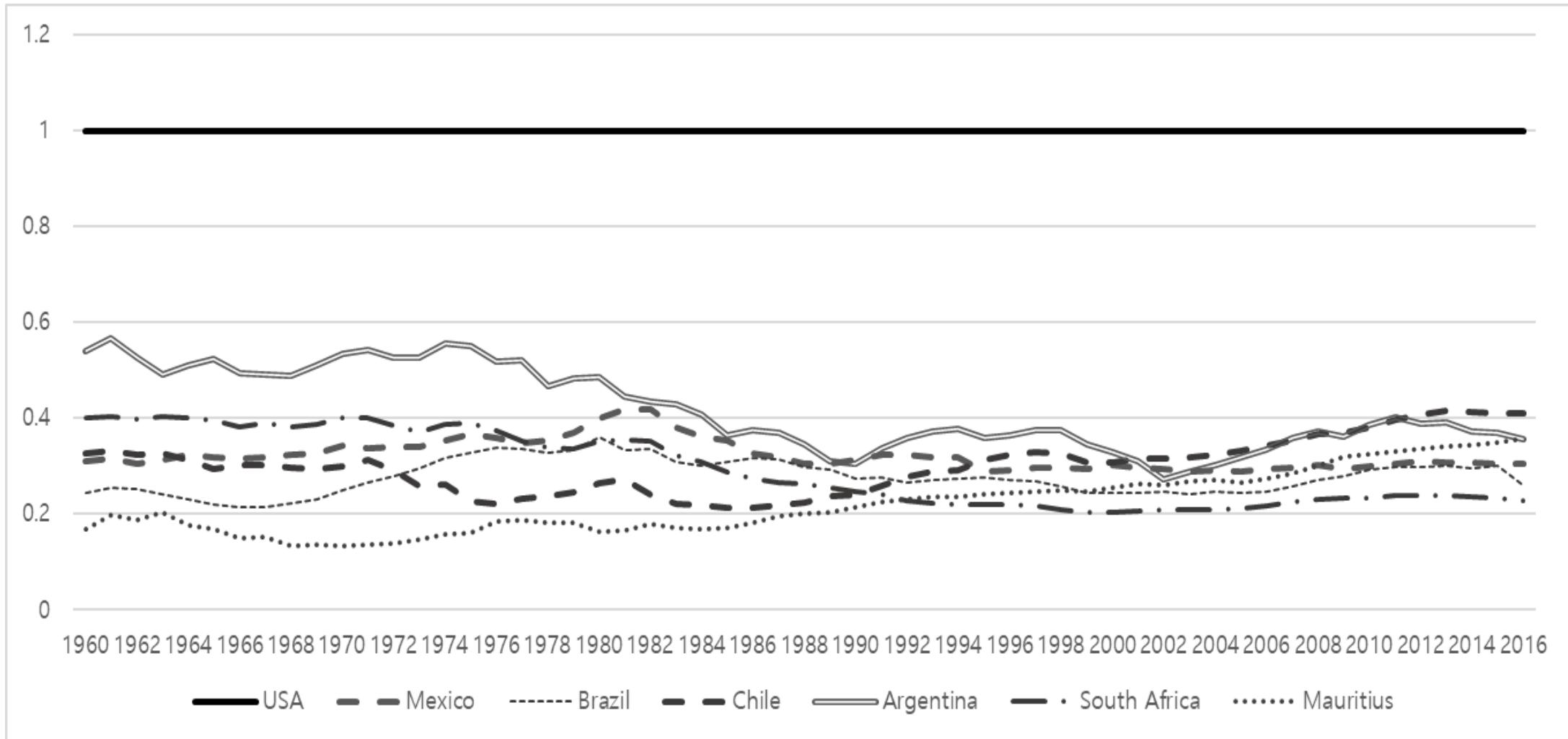
- 1) Periphery Europe +Israel: Greece, Portugal, Spain, Ireland, Israel
- 2) Japan + 4 E Asian Tigers: Korea; Taiwan, Hong Kong, Singapore
- 3) Others: an oil exporter (Equatorial Guinea), Puerto Rico, Mauritius

Figure 1. Per Capita Incomes Relative to the United States, 1960 and 2008



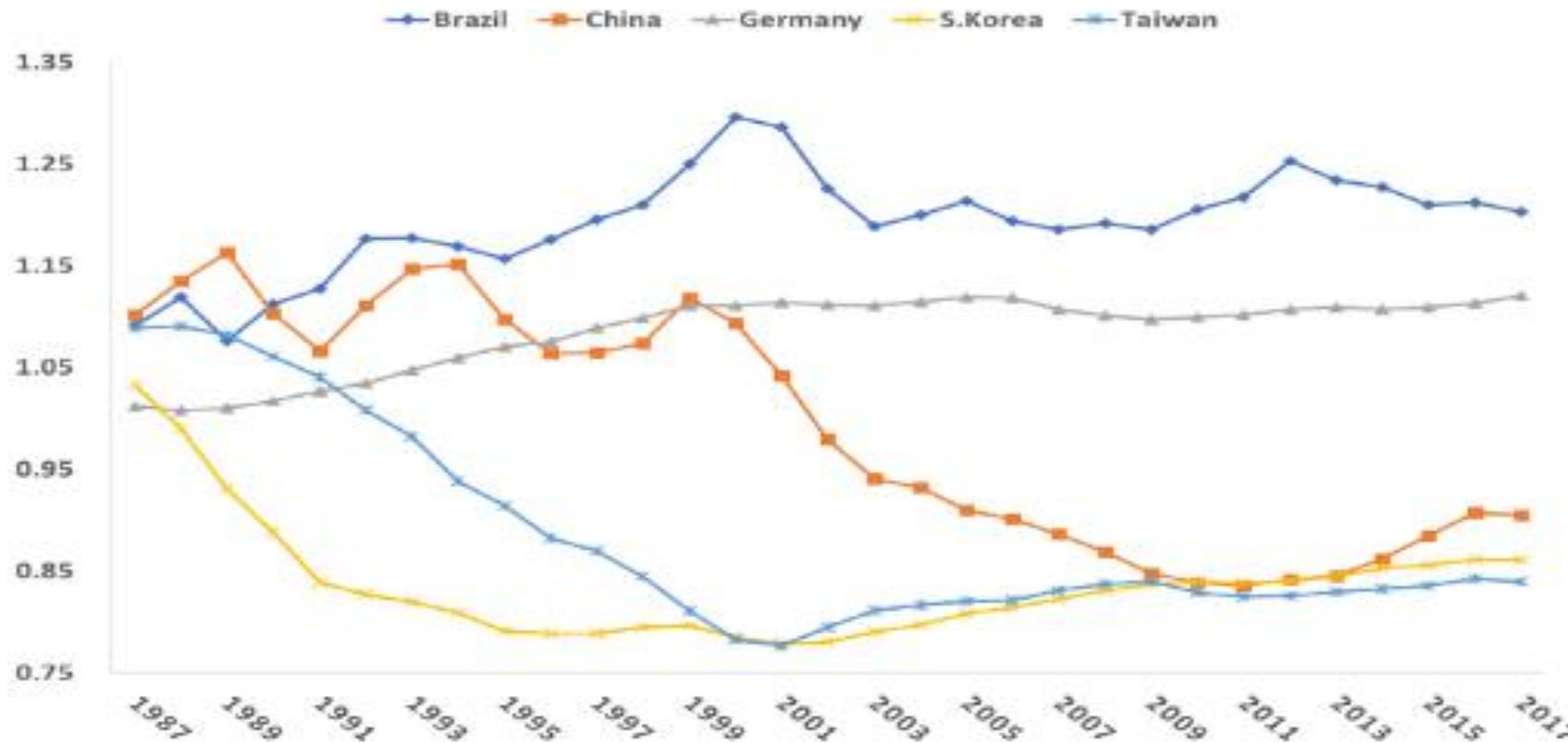
Source: World Bank 2012.

Mexico, Brazil, Chile, Argentina, South Africa, and Mauritius:
Middle income Trap: Per capita Income less than 40% of the US
=> All the same trapped NIS:



Sectoral Specialization in CTT Matter:

Eg) Brazil: long CTT = Mid Inc Trap; Korea = short to long CTT detour



Measure of CTT (cycle time of technology)

= time lag between the application years of the citing and cited patent.

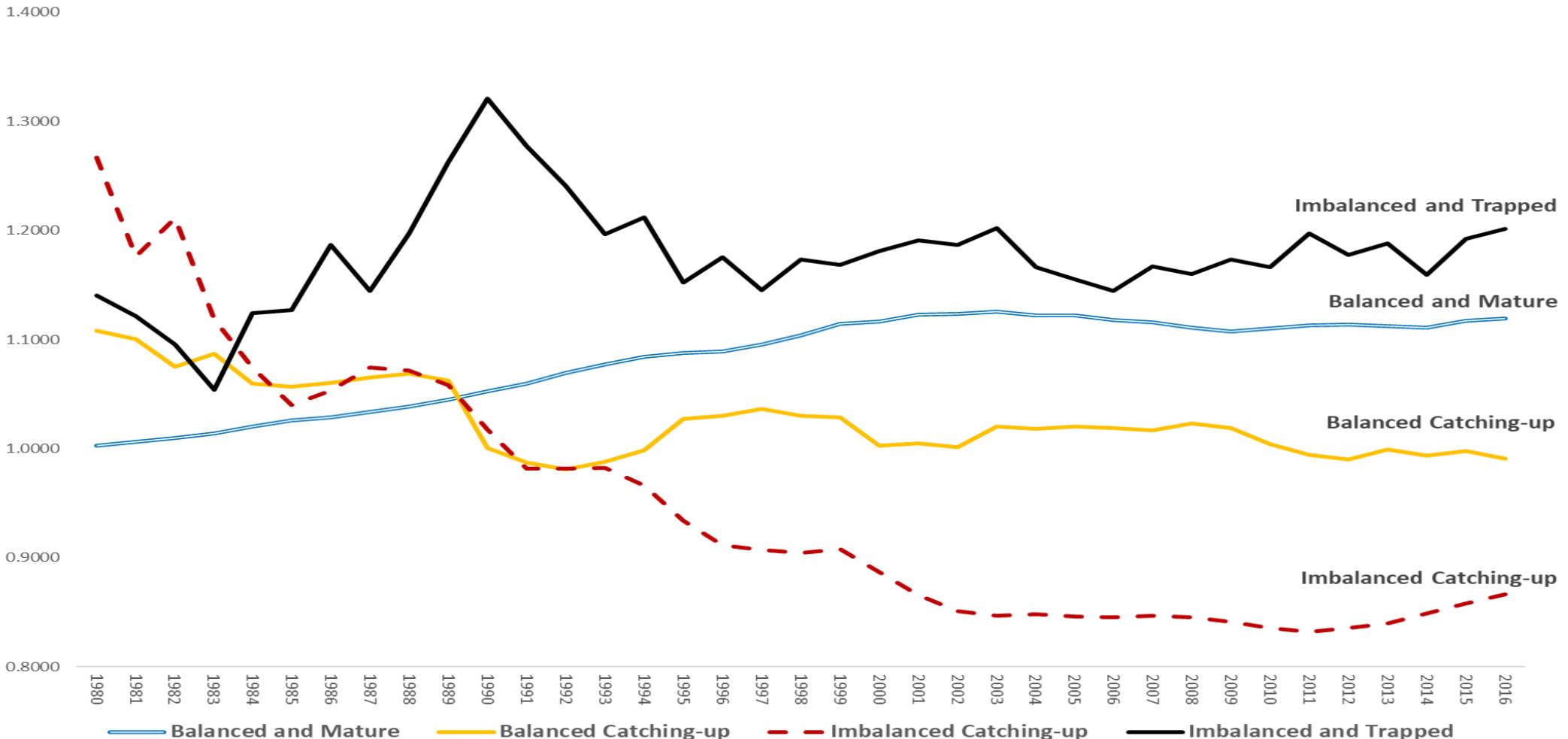
= speed of depreciation of technologies

→ Korea & Taiwan specialized in short CTT sectors during their catching-up period.

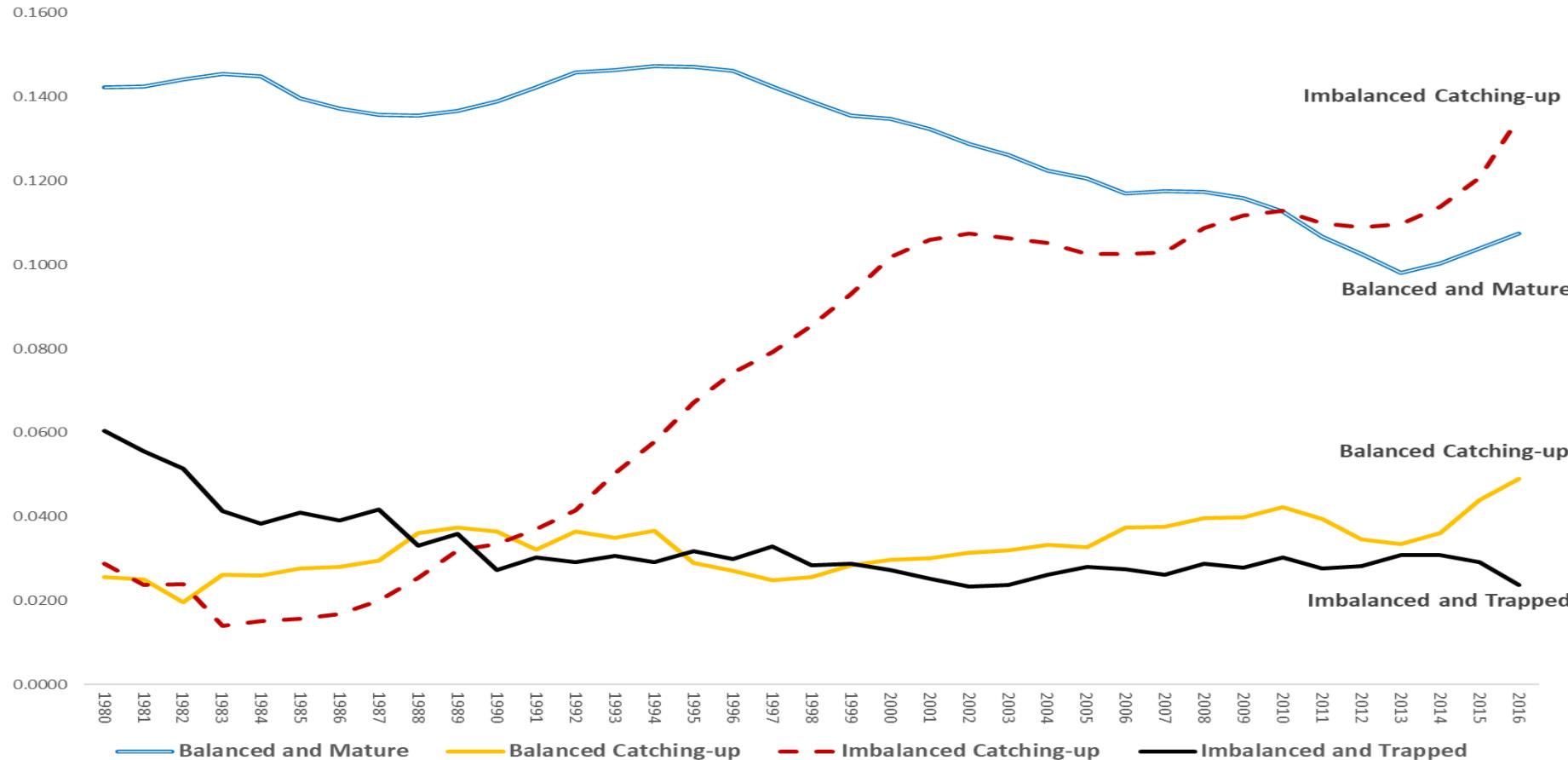
Relative Cycle Time of Technologies: short cycle, catching up NIS

Getting into short cycles (less entry barrier) sectors

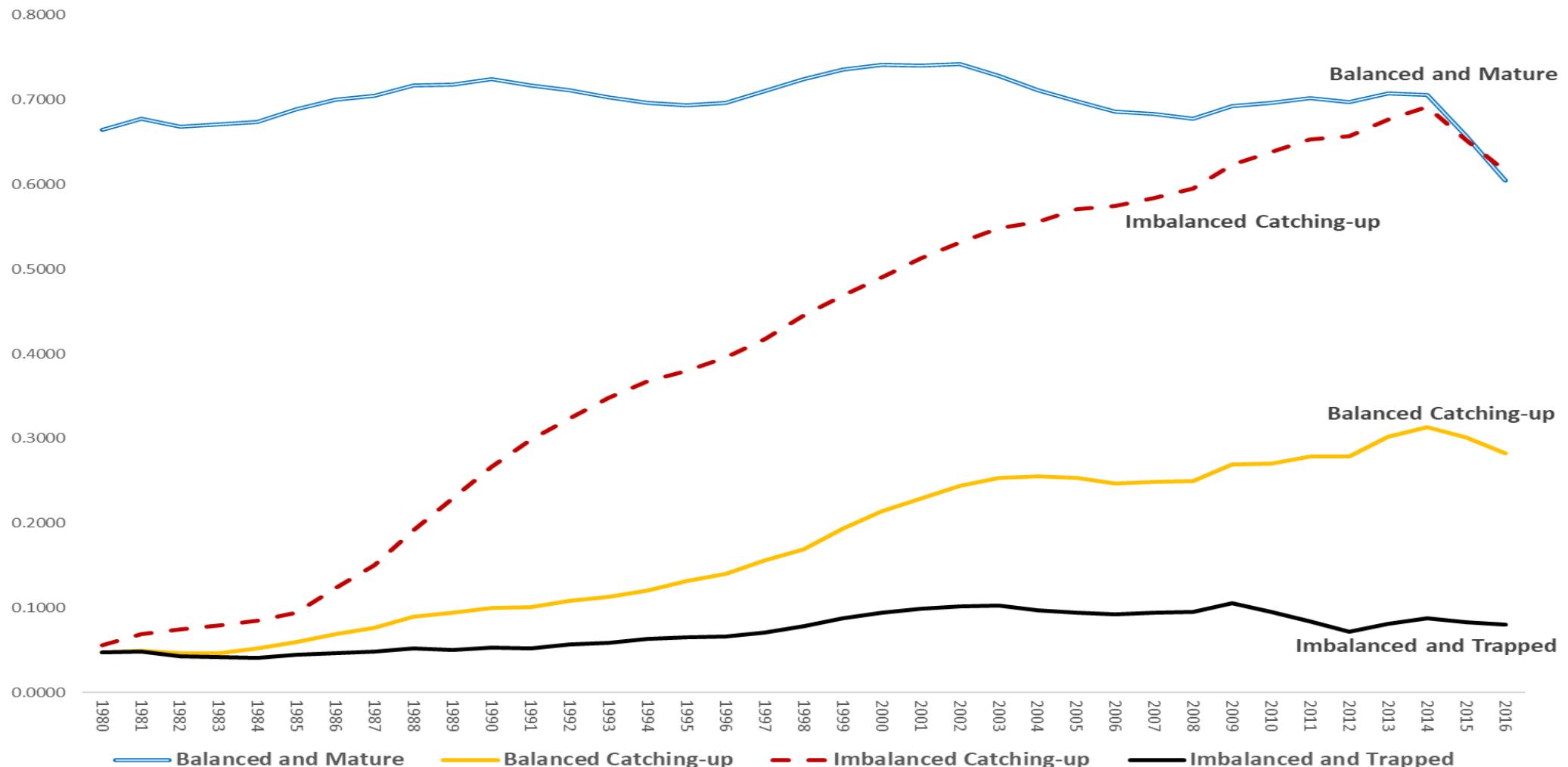
- > higher/quicker localization (less need to rely on incumbents)
 - > more tech. diversification by keep entering newly emerging classes
- ➔ A Detour from short to long cycles in Korea, Taiwan, China



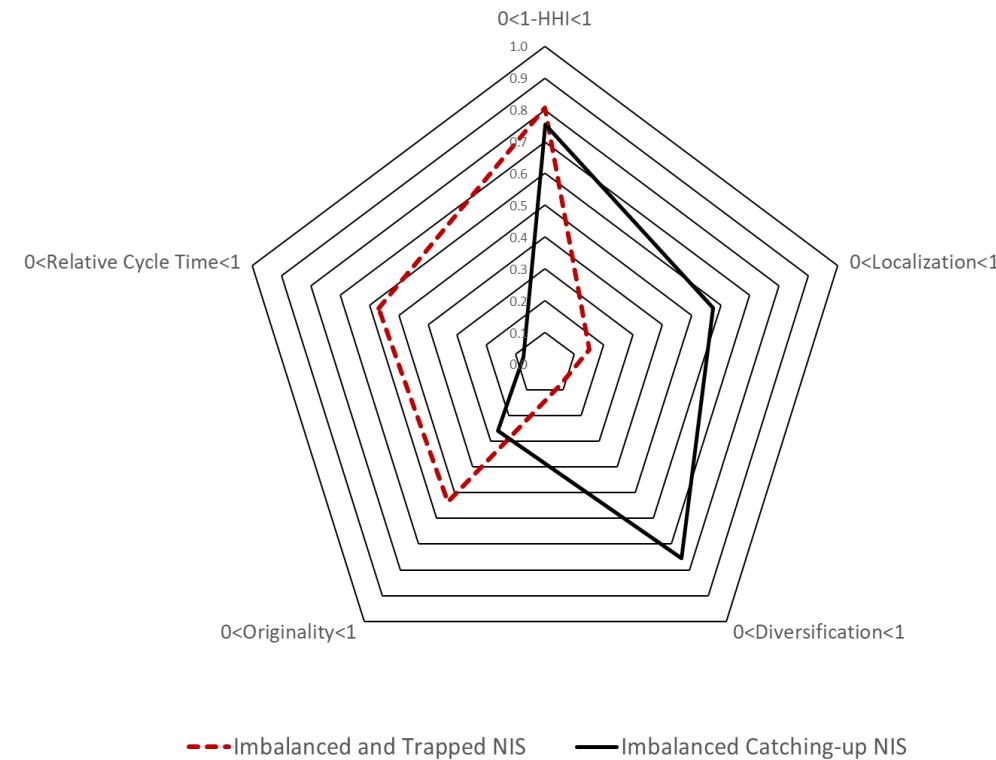
Dynamic Change of the NIS Variables, Knowledge Localization



Dynamic Change of the NIS Variables: Technological Diversification



Part A: Two Balanced vs. Two Imbalanced NIS

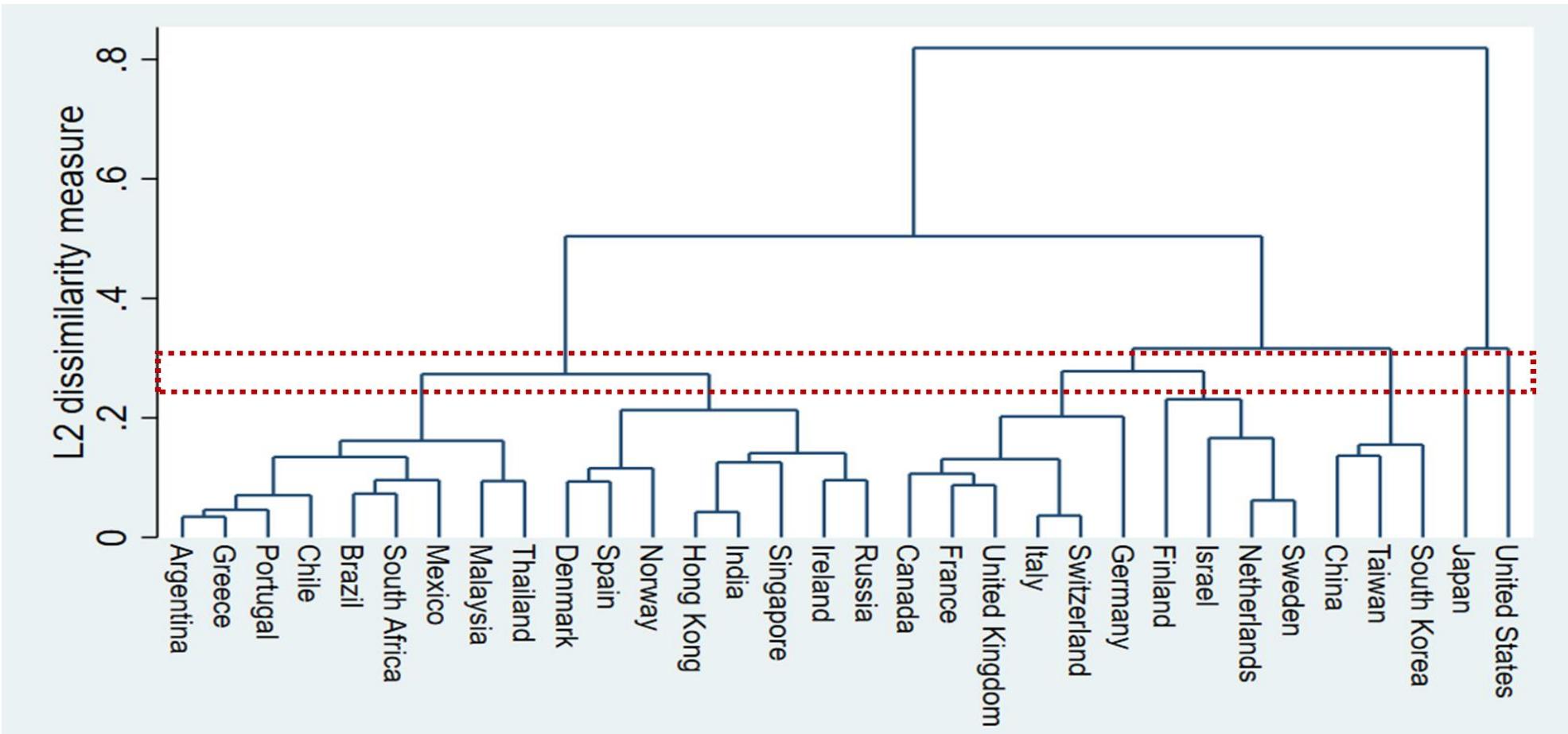


Balanced, med cycle, catching < Balanced, Mature

Imbalanced, long cycle, trapped vs. Imbalanced, short cycle, & catching up

- 1) Balanced and Mature NIS (6): Canada, Germany, France, Italy, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom.
- 2) Balanced, med cycle (catchup) NIS (8): Singapore, Ireland, Spain, Hong Kong, India, Russia
- 3) Imbalanced, short cycle, Catching-up NIS (3): China, South Korea, and Taiwan.
- 4) Imbalanced, long cycle, Trapped NIS (7): Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Malaysia, Mexico, South Africa, and Thailand.

The Cluster Analysis using the 32 Economies to identify NIS types (cf VoC)



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- 4) Imbalanced, long cycle, Trapped (9): Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Malaysia, Mexico, S. Africa, Thailand, Greece, Portugal

Dynamic Evolution of the NIS over time (Cluster Analysis) :

Korea = Used to be in mixed group but created catching up NIS; joined by China

Group	Group 1	Group 2	Gr. 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8	Gr. 9
1984 -91	Argentina, Brazil, China , Denmark, Finland, Hong Kong , India, Ireland , Israel, Malaysia, Mexico, Norway, Singapore , S. Africa, South Korea, Spain, Taiwan	Chile, Greece, Portugal	Thailand				Canada, France, Germany, Italy, UK, Swiss, Sweden, Netherlands	Japan	USA
1992 -99	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, China , Denmark, Finland, Hong Kong, Greece, Israel, Ireland, India, Mexico, Malaysia, Norway, Portugal, Russia, S. Africa, Spain, Thailand	Chile, Portugal		Singapore	South Korea		Canada, France, Germany, Italy, UK, Swiss, Sweden, Netherlands, Taiwan	Japan	USA
2000 -07	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Denmark, Hong Kong, Greece, Mexico, Norway, Portugal, Russia, South Africa, Spain, Thailand			Singapore , Ireland , India, Malaysia , China	South Korea , Taiwan		Canada, France, Germany, Italy, UK, Swiss, Sweden, Netherlands, Finland, Israel,	Japan	USA
2008 -15	Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Malaysia, Mexico, South Africa, Thailand, Greece , Portugal			Singapore , Ireland , India, Spain , H.Kong, Denmark , Norway , Russia	South Korea , Taiwan , China	Finland, Sweden, Israel, Netherlands	Canada, France, Germany, Italy, UK, Swiss	Japan	USA

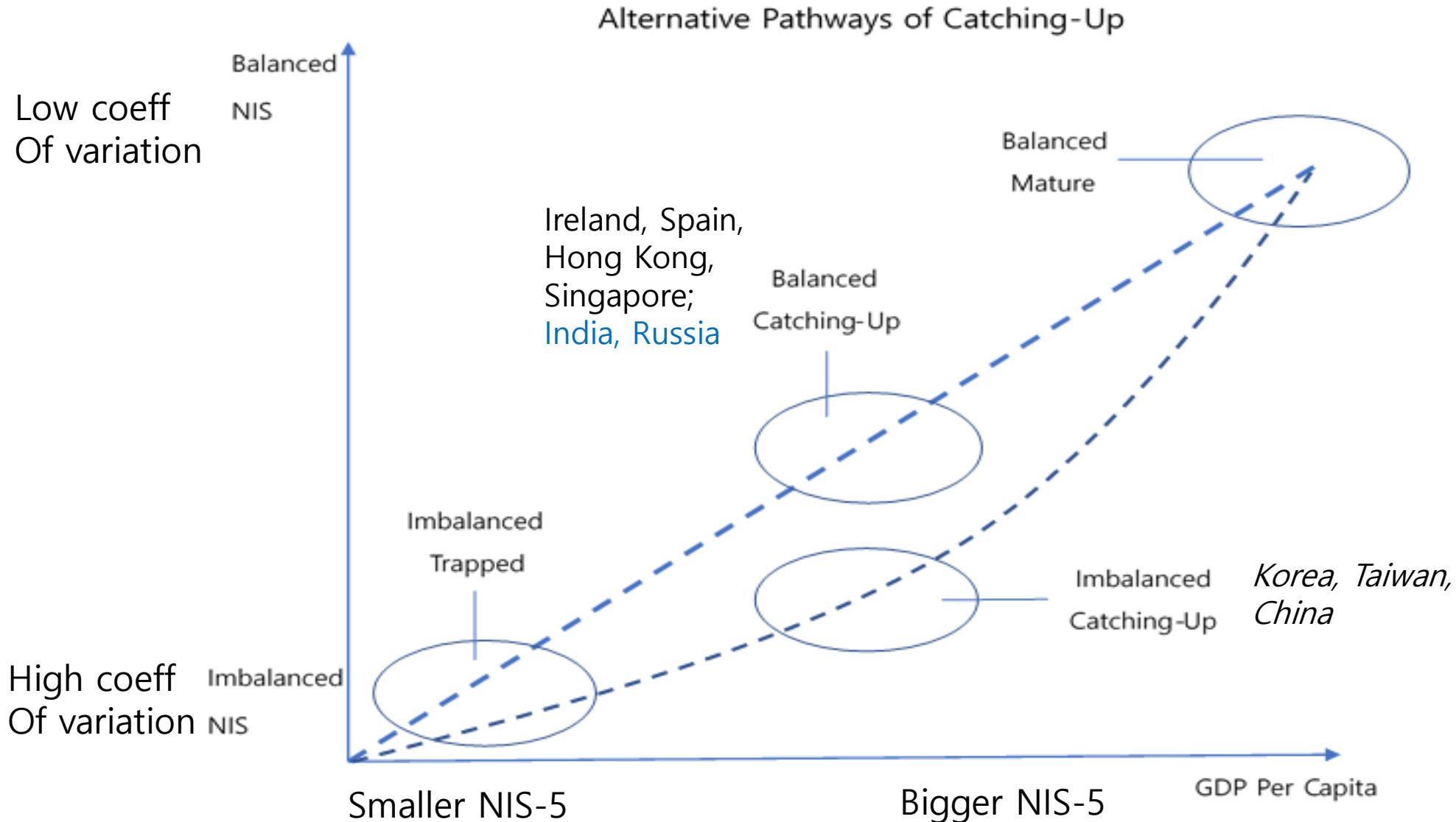
From NIS Types to Economic Growth: two catching up vs trapped NIS

Dependent var.: average GDP per capita growth by periods	GLS: Pooled estimation with dummies				GLS: Pooled estimation with dummies	
	Model (3)		Model (4)		Model (6)	
	Periods: 1983-2015		Periods: 1992-2015		Periods: 1992-2015	
	Coefficient	t-value	Coefficient	t-value	Coefficient	t-value
In(Initial GDP)	-0.0086***	(-4.20)	-0.0081***	(-4.00)	-0.016***	(-5.88)
Population Growth Rate	-0.31**	(-2.01)	-0.097	(-0.51)	-0.11	(-0.58)
Fixed Investment Rate	0.13***	(4.94)	0.10***	(3.52)	0.12***	(4.29)
Enrollment Rate Secondary	-0.0015	(-0.15)	-0.000029	(-0.003)	0.0069	(0.66)
Balanced and Mature NIS						
Balanced Catching-up Group	0.018***	(3.33)	0.014**	(2.39)	0.020***	(3.23)
Other Balanced Group	0.0046*	(1.72)	0.0049	(1.38)	0.0030	(0.88)
Imbalanced Catching-up NIS	0.030***	(4.14)	0.037***	(4.54)	0.023***	(5.61)
Imbalanced and Trapped NIS	-0.0056	(-1.59)	-0.0048	(-1.41)	-0.0062*	(-1.87)
Constant	0.080***	(4.48)	0.076***	(4.30)	0.15***	(5.64)
Observations	230		177		177	
Adjusted R-squared						
Wald chi-squared	423.66***		213.51***		242.66***	

Summary: NIS to Economic Growth beyond MIT

- 1) Variety of NIS <= similar to Variety of Capitalism:
 - Confirms correspondence between diverse NIS types and catching-up/falling behind performance.
 - Balanced NIS (mature or catching-up)
vs. Imbalanced (catching-up vs. Trapped)
- 2) Imbalanced, Short cycle, Catching-up NIS in E Asia = specialization into short cycle Tech.; increased localization & diversification;
 - Getting into short cycles -> higher localization (less need to rely on incumbents) -> tech. diversification by keep entering newly emerging classes
 - These catching up economies all used to be the same type as other MICs but they created their own catching up NIS since the 1990s
- 3) Balanced, med cycle, Catching-up NIS = alternative to E Asian Path;
Spain, Ireland -> India/Russia in the NIS : promising future: Turkey ?
common pattern of diversification = manuf + services

Balanced vs. Imbalanced Development: Nurkse (1953) vs Hirschman (1958): balance between agriculture and manuf => between manuf and services & balances in NIS



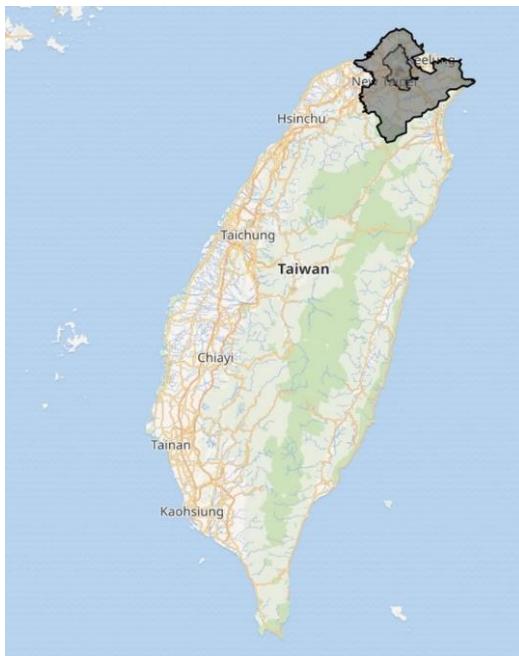
Varieties of Regional Innovation Systems (RIS) and Catch-up by Latecomers

- 1) RIS of Taipei, Shenzhen, and Penang in Asia**

- 2) Cluster Analysis RIS of 30 cities/regions around world)**

Thee regions/RIS: fast vs. slow catching up: despite a common initial conditions and same short cycle (IT) tech. specialization

Taipei



Shenzhen

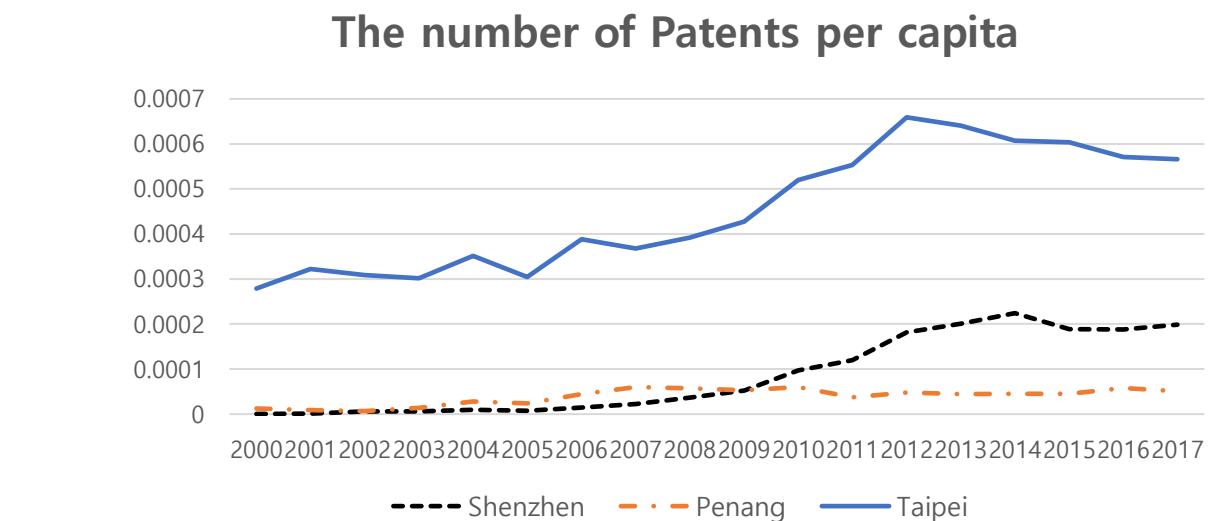
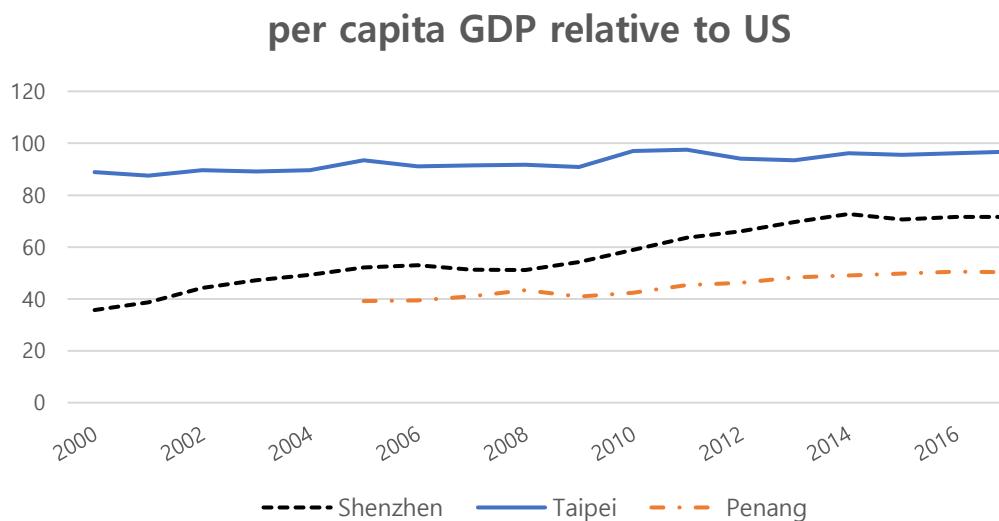
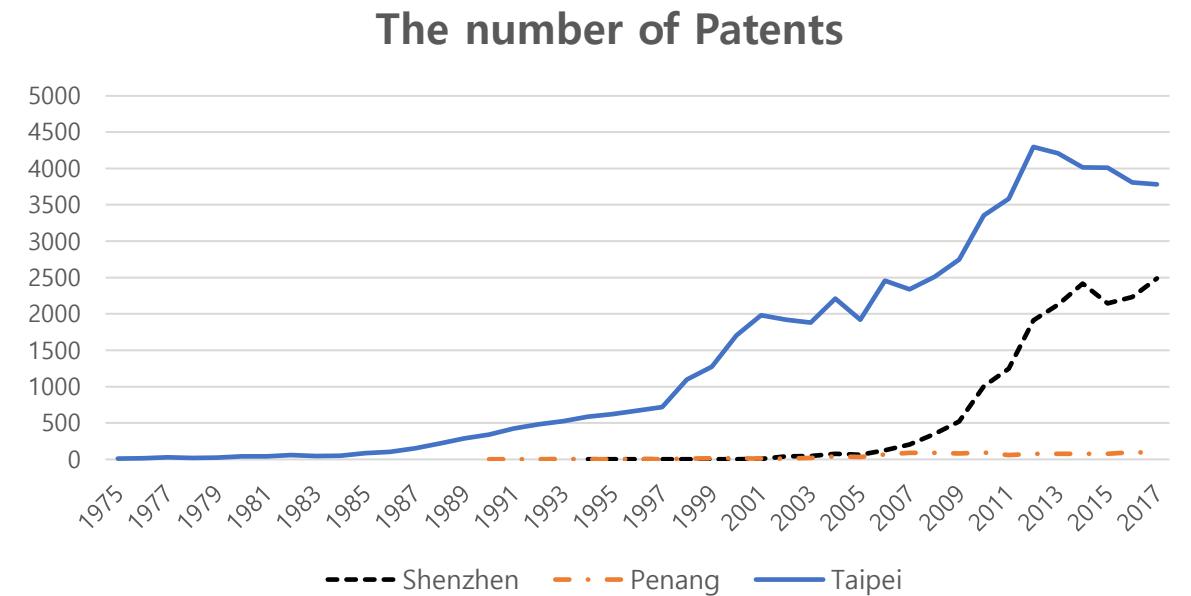
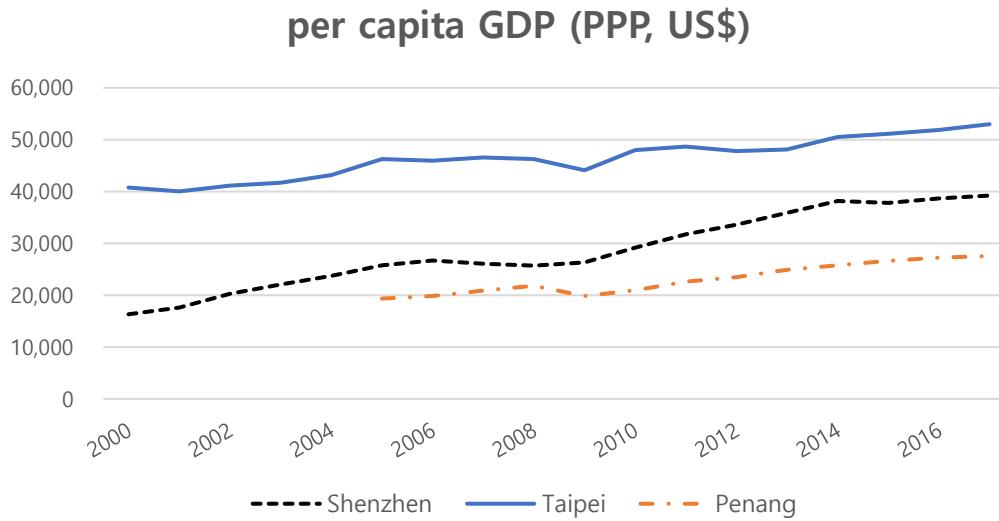


Penang

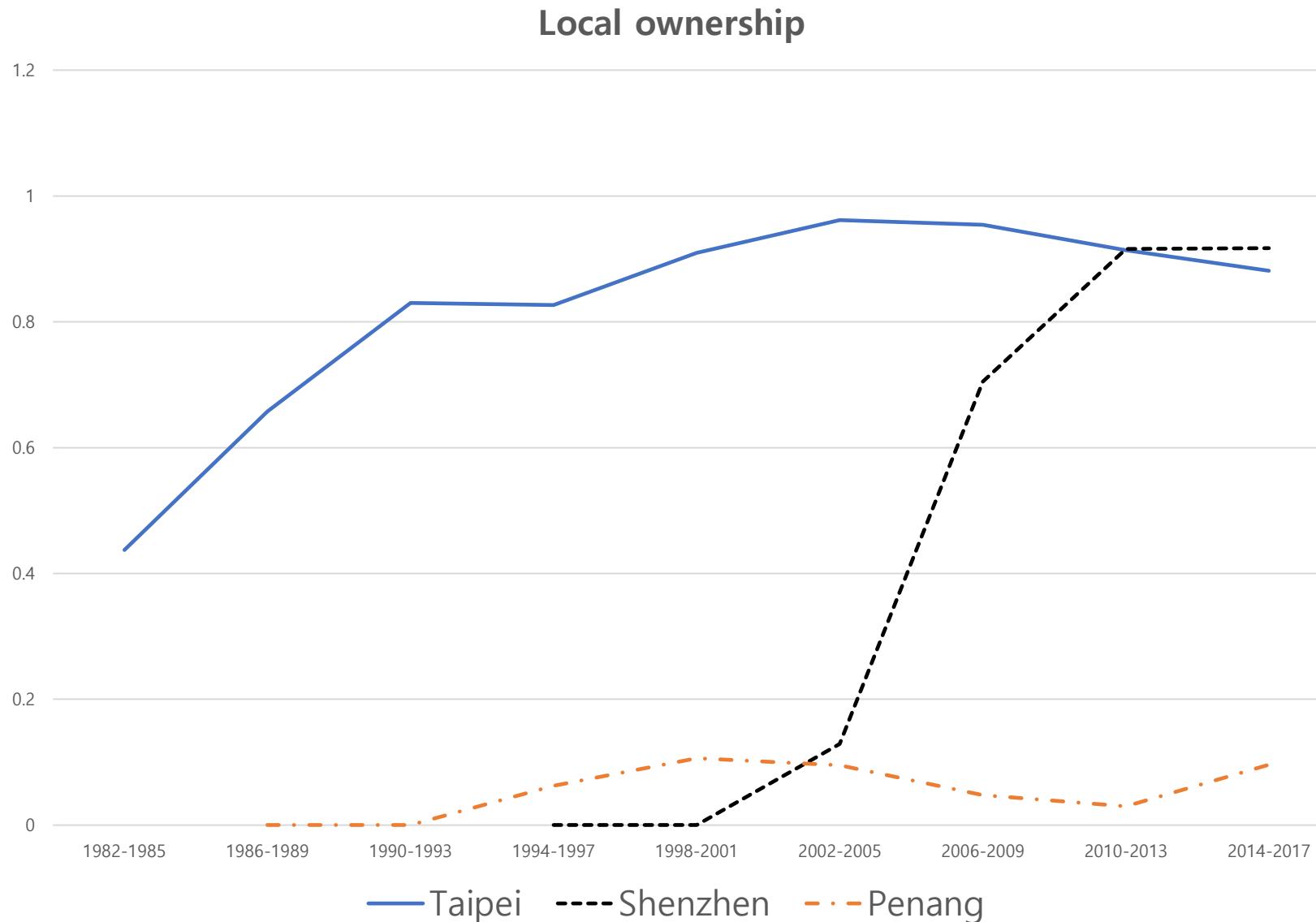


- share common take-off by promoting foreign direct investment (FDI) in IT; industrial parks,
 - Export Processing Zones (EPZs) in Taipei in 1960s,
 - the Special Economic Zones in Shenzhen in 1980,
 - the Free Industrial Zone in Penang in 1972 (Hsu, 2005; UNDP, 2006).
- economic performance and catching up show some variance: esp. Shenzhen and Penang.

Different speed of Catching up in same short cycle cluster



Local firm ownership of knowledge: catching up Shenzhen



*Varieties of RIS around the world
and Catch up by Latecomers,*

30 cities around the world

- 7 European : Berlin, Munich, London, Cambridge, Stockholm, Paris, Milan, Moscow
- 4 USA : Silicon Valley (CA), Boston Area (MA), Austin , Houston
- 13 Asian : Shenzhen, Penang, Taipei, Tokyo, Beijing, Osaka, Seoul, Daejeon, Gyeonggi-do, Bangalore, New Delhi , Tel Aviv, Hong Kong, Shanghai
- 3 Latin America: Santiago (Chile), Sao Paulo , Mexico City
- 1 Africa: Johannesburg

Variables in NIS and RIS

- Transform the NIS variables introduced in Lee (2013) and Lee et al. (2021) into regional level.
 - Five variables in NIS analysis, and seven variables in RIS analysis

NIS	RIS
1. Localization	Intra-regionalization (New) Inter-regionalization (New)
Internationalization (= 1 - localization)	Internationalization (= 1 - intra - inter)
2. Technological Diversification	Technological Diversification
3. Knowledge Decentralization	Knowledge Decentralization
4. Tech cycle tech. (sectoral specialization)	Technology cycle time
5. Originality	X
	Local ownership of knowledge (New)

Table 1 Average values of RIS Variables by region (annual average for 2013-2017)

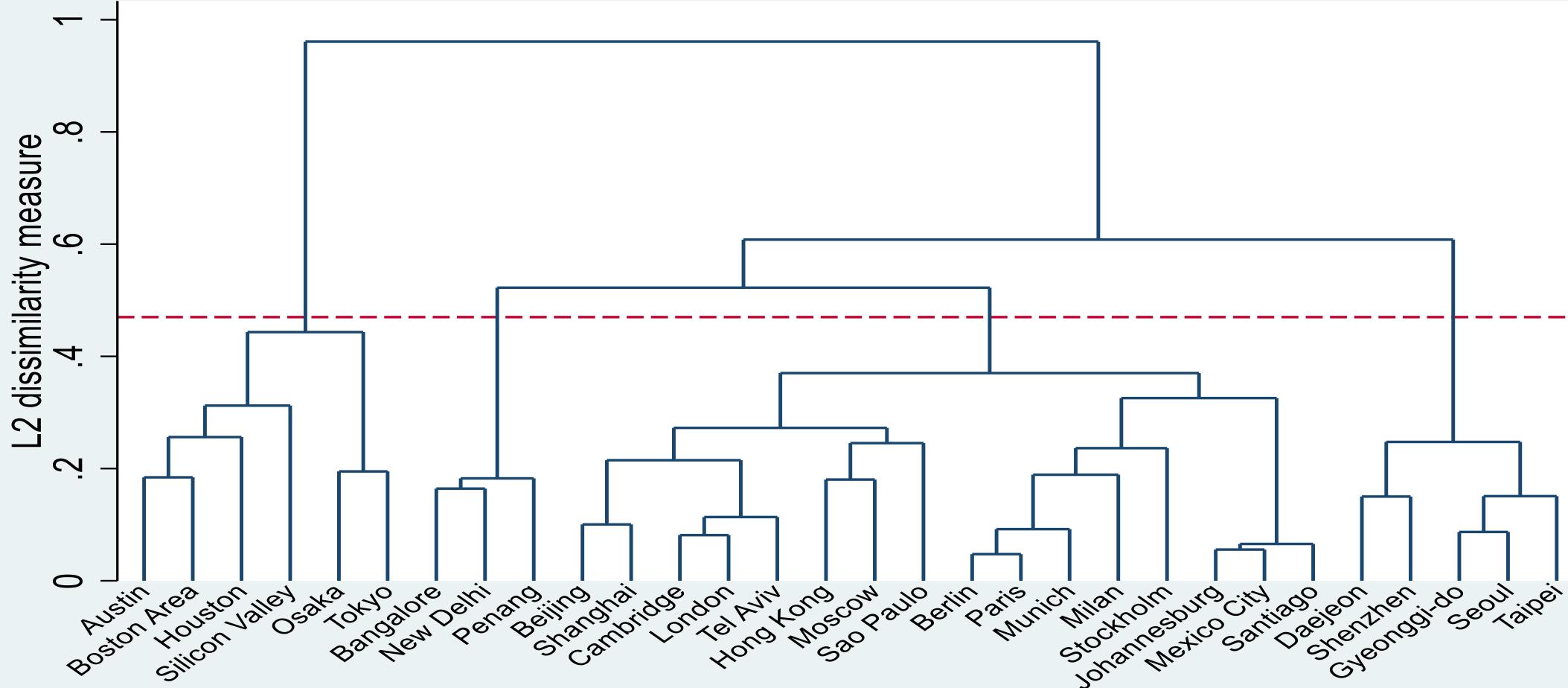
	Localization	Nationalization	Internationalization	Local ownership	Relative cycle time	Diversification	Decentralization
Paris	0.0518	0.0724	0.8758	0.7524	1.075	0.277	0.8912
Silicon Valley	0.2432	0.5183	0.2385	0.894	0.8736	0.5869	0.8251
Boston Area	0.0905	0.6268	0.2827	0.9405	0.9921	0.4719	0.8738
Austin	0.0711	0.6802	0.2487	0.9133	0.9079	0.3577	0.8053
Houston	0.186	0.5668	0.2472	0.9524	1.1215	0.4123	0.8944
Tokyo	0.1488	0.3154	0.5358	0.9528	0.9694	0.6283	0.9384
London	0.0009	0.0411	0.958	0.5721	1.003	0.2304	0.8833
Milan	0.0341	0.0358	0.9301	0.6235	1.1449	0.2199	0.924
Cambridge	0.0242	0.0381	0.9377	0.465	1	0.1962	0.8887
Taipei	0.1027	0.07	0.8273	0.8522	0.8511	0.4989	0.8325
Stockholm	0.0253	0.0691	0.9056	0.7603	0.8791	0.1543	0.7859
Munich	0.0253	0.0894	0.8853	0.7329	1.0305	0.3133	0.9148
Hong Kong	0.0436	0.0096	0.9468	0.255	0.9996	0.337	0.8779
Tel Aviv	0.0289	0.0728	0.8983	0.4977	0.893	0.1721	0.8364
Moscow	0.0519	0.005	0.9432	0.3721	0.9518	0.1679	0.8409
Berlin	0.0375	0.0734	0.8891	0.7151	1.0798	0.2778	0.9148
Seoul	0.0656	0.0881	0.8463	0.9678	0.8529	0.482	0.8173
Mexico City	0.0131	0.008	0.9789	0.6077	1.2113	0.0592	0.8152
Osaka	0.1045	0.3863	0.5092	0.9628	0.9881	0.5129	0.8305
Shenzhen	0.0408	0.0208	0.9385	0.9247	0.8165	0.3455	0.673
Gyeonggi-do	0.1154	0.0642	0.8205	0.9794	0.822	0.5243	0.7888
Penang	0.0341	0.0096	0.9563	0.0838	0.9031	0.0854	0.8329
Beijing	0.0448	0.009	0.9462	0.5504	0.8076	0.3624	0.8248
Daejeon	0.0467	0.0586	0.8947	0.9876	0.9426	0.3552	0.7033
Shanghai	0.0258	0.0154	0.9588	0.5277	0.897	0.3573	0.8077
Sao Paulo	0.0131	0.0058	0.9812	0.3685	1.1164	0.0968	0.8444
Santiago	0.0242	0.0019	0.9739	0.693	1.2377	0.0613	0.7915
New Delhi	0.0146	0.0209	0.9646	0.1962	0.8279	0.1053	0.8609
Bangalore	0.0136	0.0115	0.9749	0.1082	0.787	0.2152	0.9171
Johannesburg	0.0215	0.0240	0.9545	0.6650	1.1823	0.0537	0.7212
Average	0.0581	0.1336	0.8083	0.6625	0.9722	0.2973	0.8385

Table 2. Results of the Cluster Analysis: Using 7 RIS variables (level of dissimilarity : 0.449)

	2000-2008	2009-2017
Group 1	Silicon Valley, Boston Area, Austin, Houston, Tokyo, Osaka	Silicon Valley, Boston Area, Austin, Houston, Tokyo, Osaka
Group 2	A: Paris, Berlin, Milan, Stockholm, Tel Aviv, London, Cambridge, B: Mexico City, Santiago, Sao Paulo, Johannesburg	A: Paris, Berlin, Milan, Stockholm, Tel Aviv, London, Cambridge, Munich B: Mexico City, Santiago, Sao Paulo, Johannesburg, Hong Kong, Moscow, Beijing, Shanghai
Group 3	Taipei, Seoul, Gyeonggi-do, Daejeon, Munich	Taipei, Seoul, Gyeonggi-do, Daejeon, Shenzhen
Group 4	Penang, New Delhi, Bangalore, Hong Kong, Moscow, Shanghai, Beijing, Shenzhen	Penang, New Delhi, Bangalore

Cluster Analysis using the 7 RIS Variables: 4 Major Groups

international, local, national, 1-hhi, knowledge, diversification, cycle time
2009-2017



Average values of RIS variables by group: average for 2013 to 2017

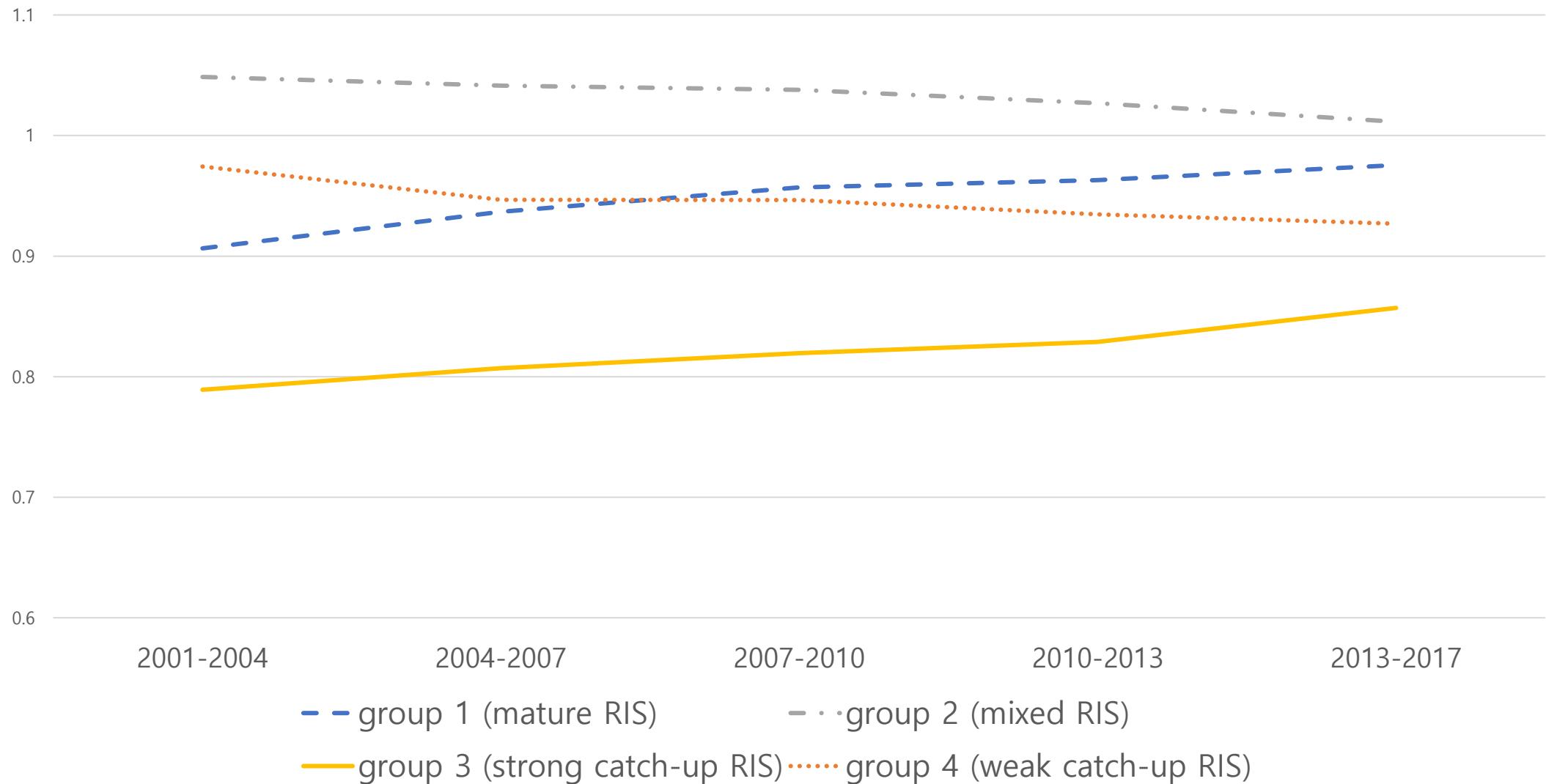
2013-2017	Cities	Intra-region	Inter-region	Inter-national	Local ownership	decentral	Diversif'n	cycle time	p. c. GDP	Growth p. c. GDP %
Mature RIS	Silic. Valley, Boston, Austin, Houston, Tokyo, Osaka	0.14	0.52	0.34	0.94	0.86	0.49	0.98	84592.7	2.27
Mixed RIS	Total 18 in this group	0.03	0.04	0.94	0.57	0.85	0.21	1.03	51658.4	4.44
	[A] Paris, London, Milan, Cambridge, Stockholm, Munich, Hong Kong, Tel Aviv, Moscow, Berlin	0.03	0.05	0.92	0.57	0.88	0.23	1.01	65571.8	3.33
	[B] Mexico City, Beijing, Shanghai, Sao Paulo, Santiago, Johannesburg	0.02	0.01	0.97	0.57	0.80	0.17	1.08	28469.4	6.30
Strong Catch	Taipei, Seoul, Shenzhen, Gyeonggi-do, Daejeon	0.07	0.06	0.87	0.94	0.76	0.44	0.86	43748.2	5.33
weak Catch	Penang, New Delhi, Bangalore	0.02	0.01	0.97	0.13	0.87	0.14	0.84	20173.9	10.36
Average		0.06	0.13	0.81	0.66	0.84	0.30	0.97	53778.5	4.75

	Mature RIS (group 1) Long cycle & high ownership	Mixed RIS (group 2): Long cycle & mid ownership	Strong Catch-up (group 3): Short cycle & high local ownership	Weak Catch-up (group 4): Short cycle & low local ownership
<i>International sourcing</i>	Low (0.32)	High (0.93)	Mid & decreasing (0.86)	High (0.96)
<i>Local ownership of knowledge</i>	High (0.94)	Mid (0.60)	high (0.94)	Low (0.20)
<i>Knowledge decentralization</i>	High (0.86)	High (0.86)	Lowest (=high concentration) (0.76)	Low (0.87)
<i>Technological diversification</i>	High (0.49)	Low (0.23)	High/increasing (0.44)	Low/increasing (0.17)
<i>Relative cycle time of tech</i>	Long (0.98)	Long (1.01)	Short (0.86)	Relatively Short (0.93)

=> Two types of catching-up RIS at different stage

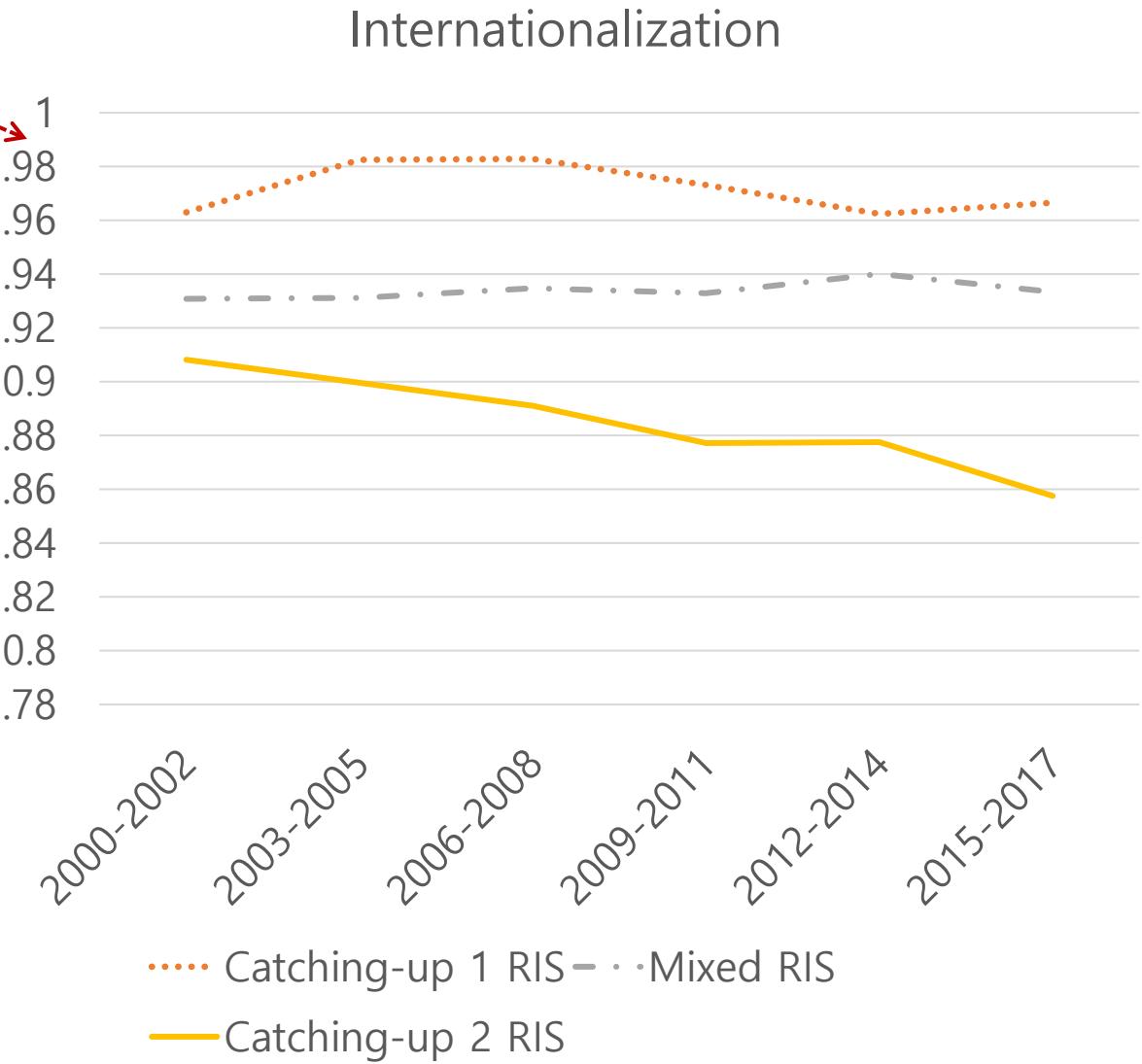
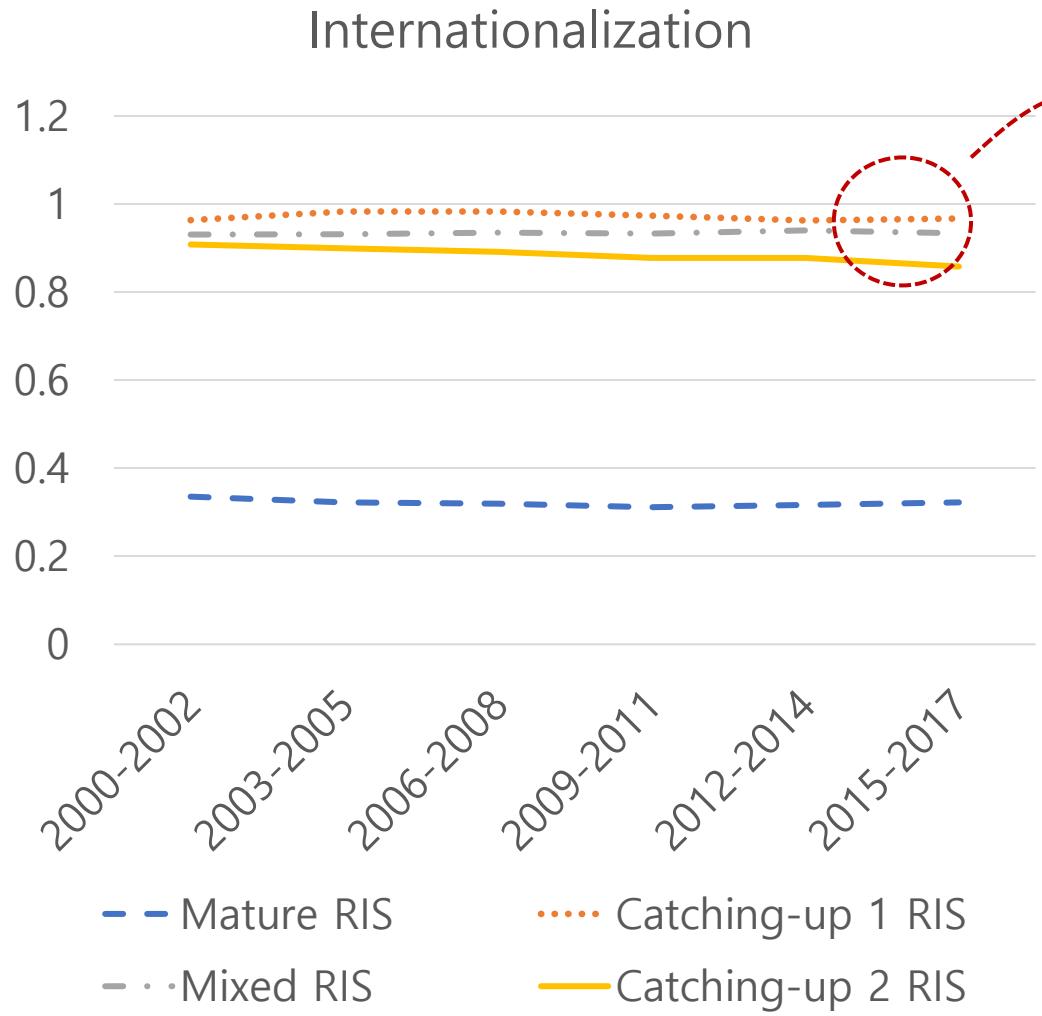
- Weak catching-up : low indigenous knowledge relying on FDI
- Strong catching-up : increasing local ownership by big businesses

Figure 2A Trends of Relative cycle time by group



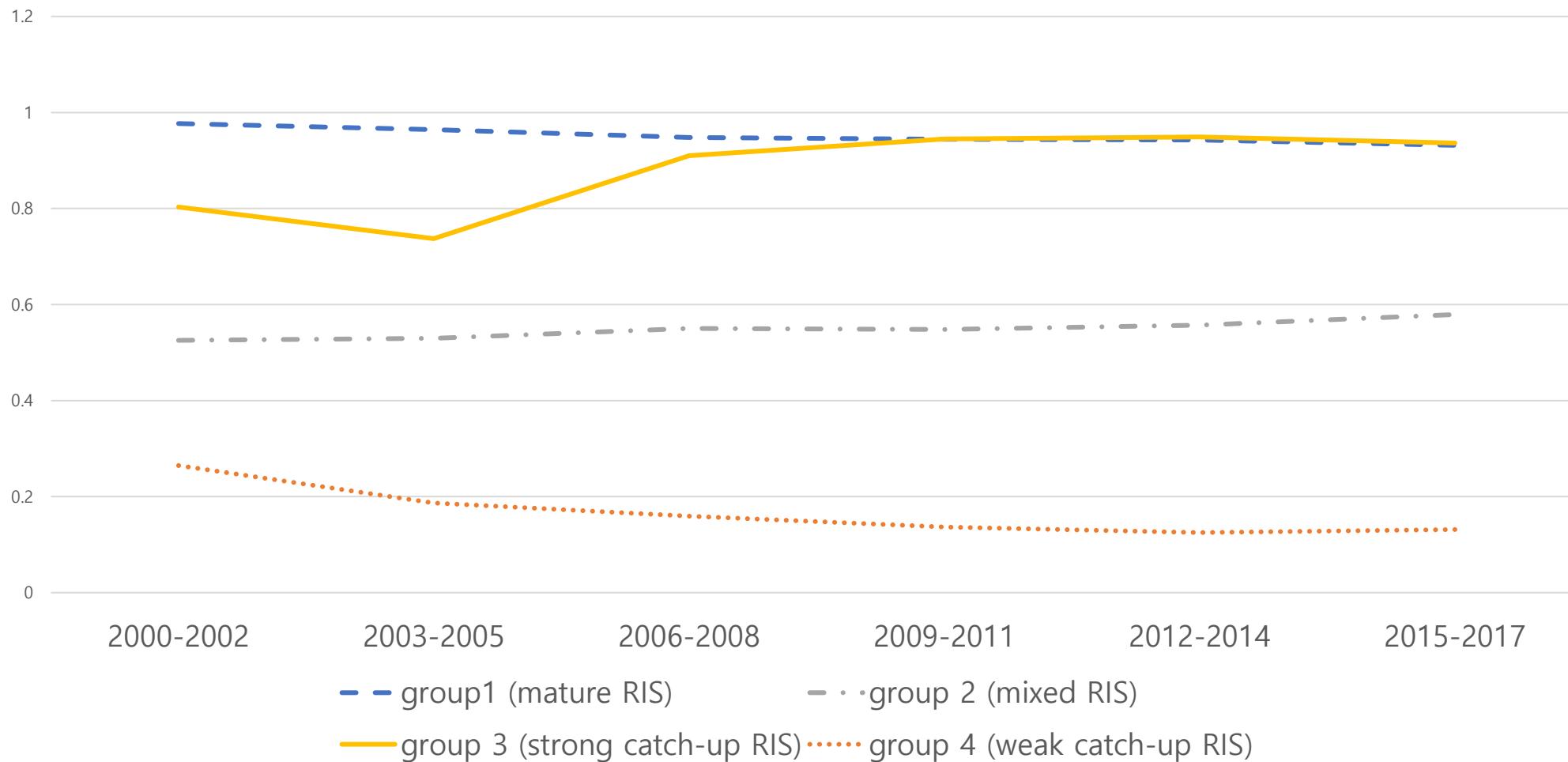
Dynamic change: International sourcing (=inverse of localization)

: lowest in mature = more local creation and diffusion of nowledge;



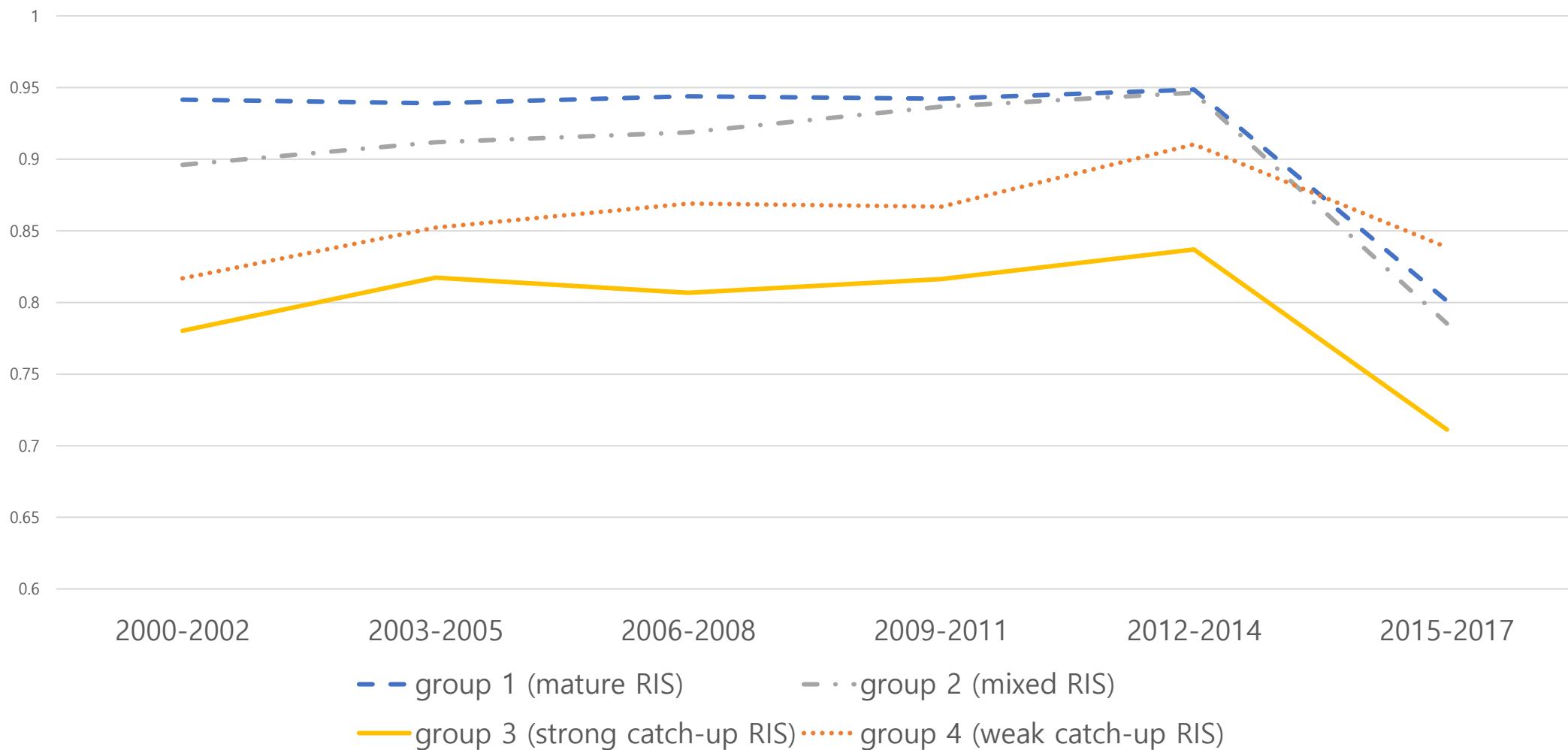
Dynamic change in Local ownership of knowledge

Figure 2B Trends of Local ownership of knowledge



Source: Author's calculation

Figure 2G Trends of Knowledge decentralization



Strong catch up led by big businesses (centralization than decentralization into SMEs)

Clustering over time : dynamic upgrading (dissimilarity = 0.449)

	2001-2004	2004-2007	2007-2010	2010-2013	2013-2017
Mature, Large cities	Silicon Valley Boston Area Austin Houston	Silicon Valley Boston Area Austin Houston	Silicon Valley Boston Area Austin Houston Tokyo, Osaka	Silicon Valley Boston Area Austin Houston Tokyo, Osaka	Silicon Valley Boston Area Austin Houston Tokyo, Osaka
Transitory group 1	Tokyo, Osaka	Tokyo, Osaka			
Mixed group	Paris, London, Milan, Cambridge Taipei Stockholm, Munich Tel Aviv, Berlin, Seoul Gyeonggi-do Daejeon	Paris, London, Milan, Cambridge, Stockholm, Tel Aviv, Berlin, Mexico C ity. Sao Paulo, Santiago, Johannesburg	Paris, London, Milan Cambridge, Stockholm Tel Aviv, Berlin Mexico City Santiago, Johannesburg	Paris, Milan, Stockholm, Munich, Ber lin, Mexico City Sao Paulo, Santiago, Johannesburg,	Paris, London, Milan Cambridge, Stockholm Munich, Hong Kong, Tel Aviv, Moscow , Berlin, Mexico City, Beijing , Shanghai , Sao Paulo, Santiago, Johannesburg
Strong catch up		Taipei, Munich Seoul Gyeonggi-do Daejeon	Taipei, Munich Seoul, Shenzhen Gyeonggi-do Daejeon	Taipei Seoul, Shenzhen Gyeonggi-do Daejeon	Taipei Seoul, Shenzhen Gyeonggi-do Daejeon
Weak catch up	Hong Kong, Moscow, Shenzhen, Penang, Be ijing, Shanghai, New Delhi, Bangalore	Hong Kong, Moscow Shenzhen , Penang, Beijing, Shanghai, New Delhi, Bangalore	Hong Kong, Moscow Penang, Beijing, Shanghai, Sao Paulo, New Delhi, Ban galore	Bangalore, New Delhi, Penang, Beijing , Shang hai , Cambri, Tel Aviv, London, Hong Kong, Moscow	Penang New Delhi Bangalore
Transitory 2	Mexico City, Sao Paulo Santiago, Johannesburg				

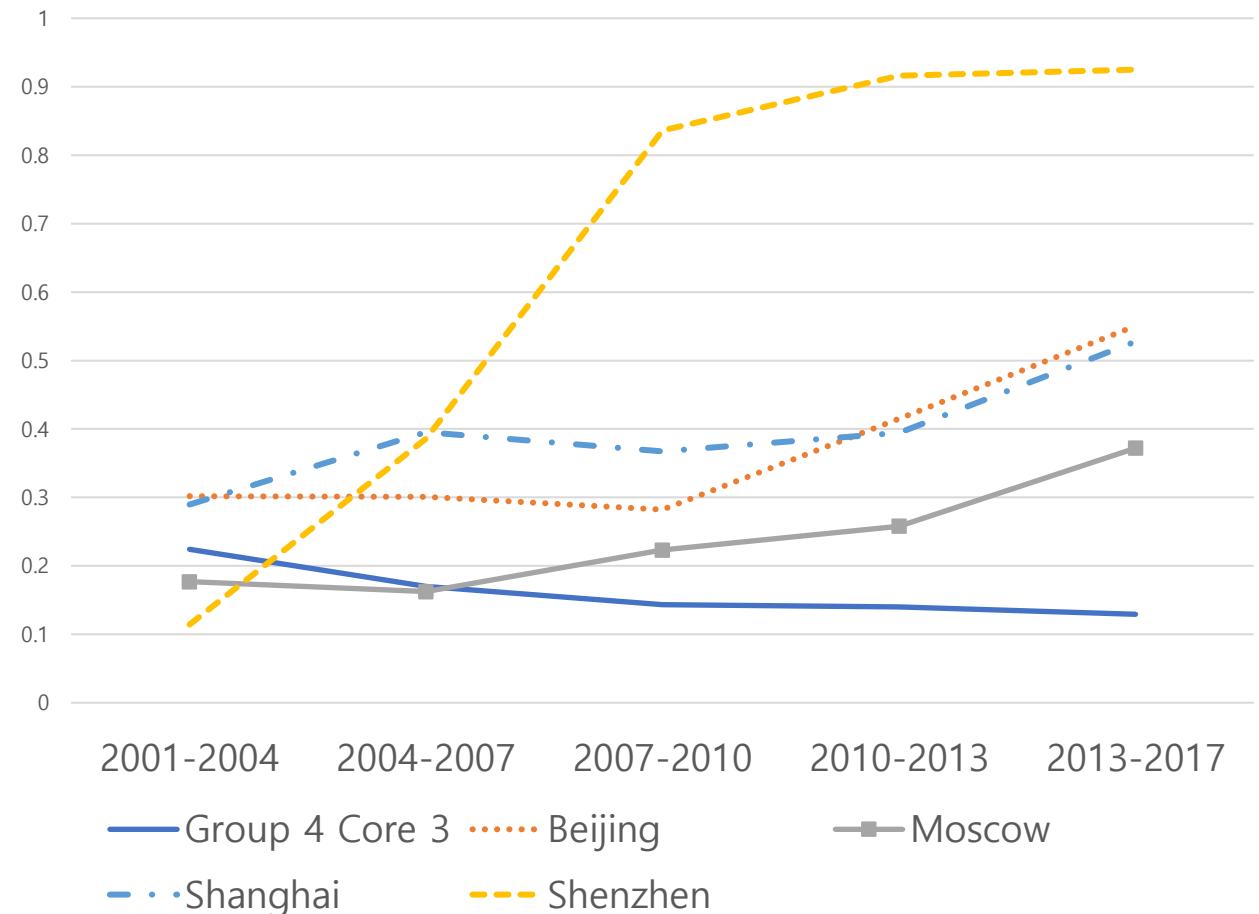
Regressions of per cap GDP Growth: faster growth/catch-up than large mature RIS

	LSDV (4 groups)	GMM (4 groups)	LSDV (6 groups)	GMM (6 groups)
log(initial per capita GRDP)	-0.00259*** (0.000901)	-0.00600 (-0.26)	-0.00242** (0.00111)	-0.0296** (-2.02)
No. of patents/1000	0.00754* (0.00386)	0.0188*** (2.96)	0.00741* (0.00425)	0.0185*** (4.76)
population growth	0.952*** (0.279)	0.346 (0.19)	0.936*** (0.290)	1.024** (2.38)
mixed RIS	0.0446*** (0.00623)	0.0704** (2.50)	0.0443*** (0.00758)	0.0422** (1.97)
strong catch-up RIS	0.0432*** (0.00719)	0.0529* (1.85)	0.0434*** (0.00812)	0.0331** (1.97)
weak catch-up RIS	0.0937*** (0.0139)	0.101** (2.30)	0.0952*** (0.0157)	0.0575** (2.55)
Transitory group 1			-0.000967 (0.00816)	0 (.)
Transitory group 2			0.0801*** (0.0113)	0 (.)
Constant		0.0307 (0.12)		0.296* (1.87)
adj. R ²	0.734		0.731	

Importance of local ownership for Catchup; by localization & diversification

- In NIS analysis,, catching-up NIS specialize in short cycle technologies, high localization and diversification .
- in RIS analysis, both (weak & strong) catching-up RIS groups specialize in short cycle technologies;
 - but, weak group still low localization, diversification.
- **Why?** Answer) Difference in ***"local ownership of knowledge"***;
 - =. Not only cycle time but ownership matter

[Figure 3A Local ownership of knowledge](#)



Core 3 include Bangalore, New Delhi, and Penang

Key findings

- Regions in ***4 groups***,
 - Mature RIS, Mixed RIS, strong Catching-up RIS, Weak Catch-up 2 RIS.
- Two types of catching-up: catching-up 1 RIS, catching-up 2 RIS
 - 1) Weak Catching-up: faster than mature, but lowest level of per capita GDP
(lack of indigenous knowledge -> relying on external knowledge)
 - 2) Strong Catching-up: faster than mature, & higher level of per capita GDP than catching-up 1
(increasing indigenous knowledge -> decreasing dependency on foreign knowledge)
- For latecomers, economic growth by relying on FDIs/MNCs easy but limited in long run.
(advanced countries or firms are reluctant to transfer knowledge : Lebdioui et al., 2021; Lee, 2005).
- ***Indigenous knowledge is a base for increasing localization of knowledge, which is the basis for innovation.***
- **How?** Promote local big businesses and have them to create own knowledge
 - Strong Catching-up RIS: show a higher concentration of knowledge creation

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