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Review of South Africa's Industrial Policy



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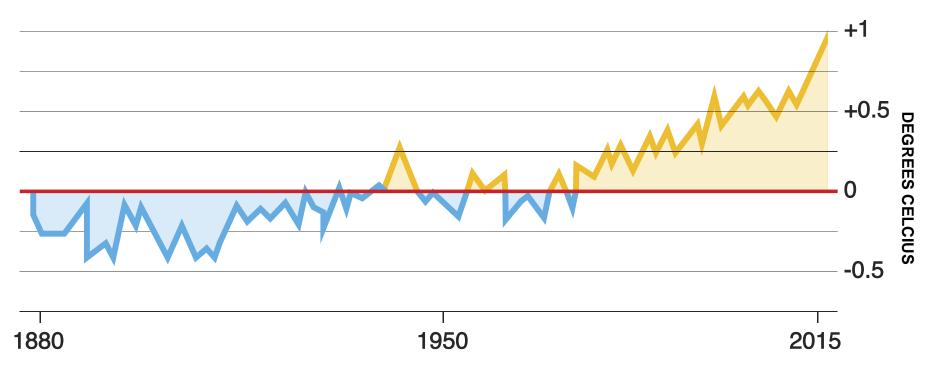




1. The challenge: Integrating productivityenhancing structural change and green transformation in a socially equitable manner

Rising temperatures

Global surface temperature deviation

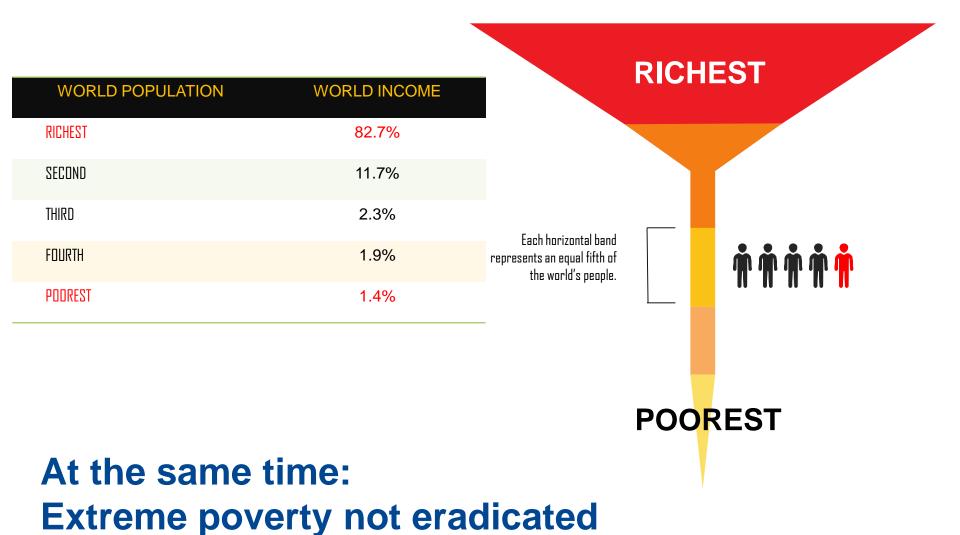


Source: The Economist

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Growing inequalities





- 1) Focus on environmental externalities;
- 2) Clear **ex-ante distinction** between "good" and "bad" technologies (based on their environmental impacts);
- 3) **Urgency** to achieve structural change;
- 4) Enhanced uncertainty due to long time horizons;
- 5) Need for particularly encompassing **policy coordination**;
- 6) Motivation to manage **global commons** sustainably



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Solar and wind energy in Morocco

Economic co-benefits of greening:

- Improving trade balance
- Reducing vulnerability from oil price shocks & improving energy access
- Creating **jobs**: e.g. installation & maintenance of solar home systems
- Technological learning (engineering training, new S&T programmes)







