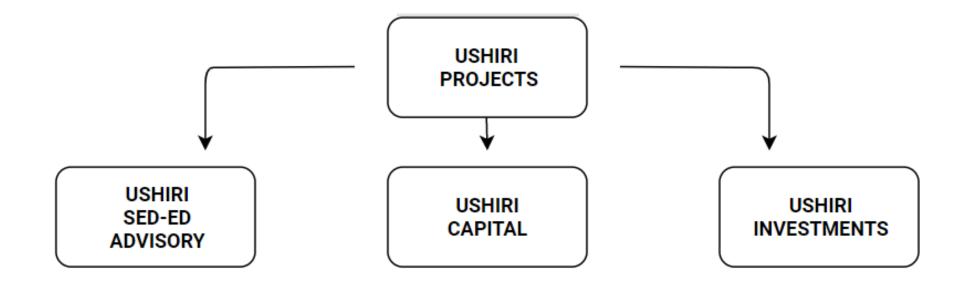


What is Ushiri?

- SDG17 "Partnerships"
- Post-COVID economic recovery = CLIMATE COMPATIBLE & INCLUSIVE
- Ushirikiano = Partnerships in Swahili
- Redefinitions of:
 - Socio-economic Development practices (Innovation through "Human Centred designed interventions")
 - Ownership Patterns (Innovation: A much more comprehensive Equity/BBBEE model)
 - Financial Instruments (Innovation: Fatwa issued declaring REIPPPP assets to be Shariah compliant)



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CAVEATS:

On the ground asset specific/intervention focused discussion

Policy

Why

Others have had great success in writing to influence policymakers and bilateral agencies.

E.g. Dr. Chantal Naidoo's PhD Thesis "Transcending the interregnum: Exploring how financial systems relate to sustainability transition processes"

How

Knowledge

Blended Finance

Partnerships

Infrastructure Defined

Economic Characteristics



- High Entry Barriers
- Economies of Scale
- Inelastic Demand
- Low Operating Costs
- High Operating Margins
- Long Duration

Figure 1 - Infrastructure Characteristics - Source [6]

Financial Characteristics

- Price Making Power
- Inflation Linked Returns
- Low Correlation to Market
- High Gearing Ability
- Predictable Cash Flows
- Low Default Rates

- "In order to qualify as infrastructure, the asset should operate in an environment of limited competition as a result of natural monopolies, government regulation or concession"
- Conventional finance wisdom provides investors with:
 - Efficient
 - Long-term & low risk inflation protection
 - Countercyclical returns
- Ushiri exists for the definition and analysis of infrastructure's "resilience dividend" over and above financial returns.

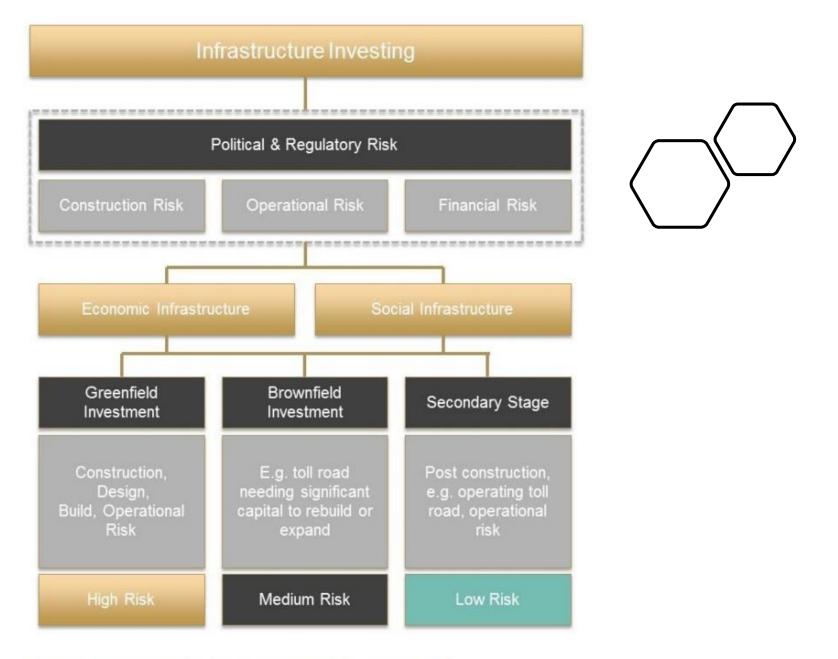
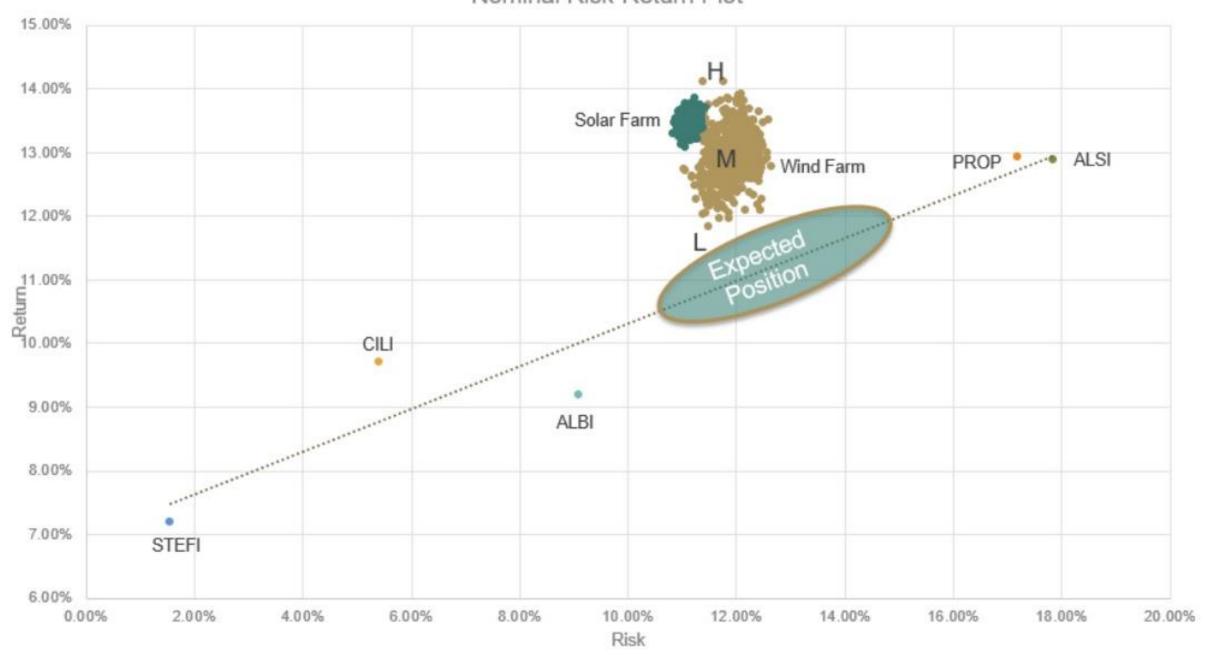


Figure 2 - General Infrastructure Risk - Source [6]

Nominal Risk-Return Plot



The Capital Allocator

