Innovation within Various Components of the Land Management Paradigm, What Creates Success?

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SUMMARY

The land management paradigm outlines the various influences on land management such as the land policy framework, land administration functions, land information infrastructures within a country and economic sustainability context. Within each of the influences there is possibility for innovation. Across the world there are examples of how innovations in land management have occurred progressively over time building capacity in each of the components of land management. This paper will explore the development pathway that has happened using case studies from various countries. The changes in the case studies will be reviewed and explored to outline the relationships between innovation, the land management industry and the development pathway taken. It will identify some of the drivers for change and the variance seen due to constraints and suggest how these have worked together in creating innovation. Characteristics of successful innovation will be explored. There is great benefit in the changes happening in the industry and there is the potential for others to learn about these innovations and apply variations of these in their own organisations.

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