



According to Carl Sagan's famous Cosmic Calendar, the earth formed in September of the first year in the life of the cosmos. Dinosaurs emerged on Christmas Eve, and apes appeared at 10:15 p.m.

Today is the first second of the cosmic year number two...



What is the message?















"Globalisation in its current phase has been described as an unprecedented compression of TIME and SPACE reflected in the tremendous intensification of:

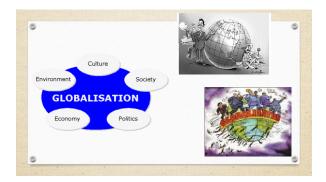
1/ social,

2/ political,

3/ economic, and

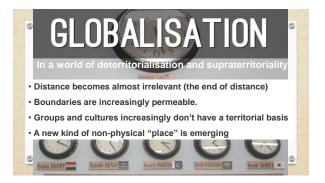
4/ cultural interconnections and interdependencies on a global scale."

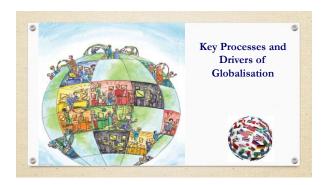
Stegler, p. ix



















Factors contributing to globalisation	Explain how
Technological change	More powerful computers and internet have allowed the easy transfer of data, which plays an important role in speeding up the globalization.
The reduction of transportation costs	Air transportation and telephone costs have improved the developing environment for globalisation.
Consumer taste change	More and more consumers today are willing to buy foreign or new products for fashion or new styles.
The growth of new markets	New markets have been opened up in countries like former Eastern European countries and China. The growth of new markets has increased the trend of globalisation.
Competition	More and more fierce competition has forced businesses to seek opportunities in the world markets. To compete successfully, businesses today must develop a global strategy.





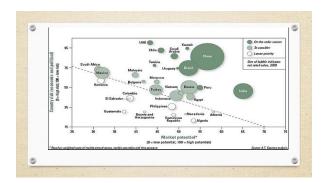


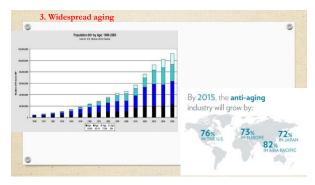




The global urban population is growing by 65 million a year, and nearly half of global GDP growth between 2010 and 2025 will come from 440 cities in emerging markets, 95% of them being almost unknown small and medium-sized cities in emerging markets.

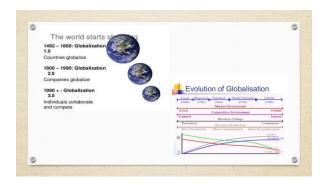
The shifting balance of power has been indicated as a transition from Globalisation 2.0 (Western-dominated) to Globalisation 3.0 (China-dominated).



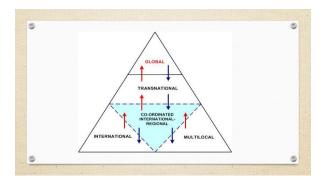


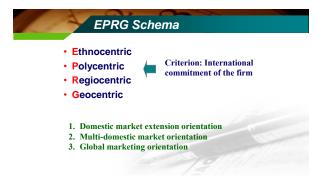










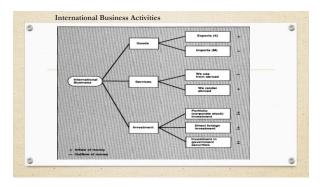


With the trend towards more interdependence among nations, several changes in the business environment have emerged:
1/ converging consumer demand,
2/ increasing trade and investment liberalisation,
3/ emergence of global markets for goods, services, labor and financial capital.

Hence, global markets became both a fundamental research topic and hot business issue.









Global marketing is 'the process of focusing the resources (people, money, and physical assets) and objectives of an organisation on global market opportunities and threats'.

\*\*Keegan\*\*





FUNDAMENTAL SHIFTS IN GLOBAL MARKETS (2)

Third, a substantial advantage of global operations is the flexibility the firm gains in terms of sourcing and manufacturing.

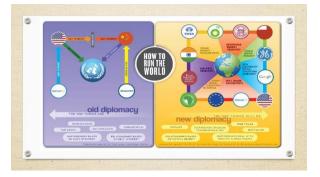
Fourth, the focus of management attention is rapidly moving away from an emphasis on transactions to relationships among firms.

Finally, there is a constant move from competition to cooperation which results in the emergence of a new phenomenon called coopetition. Successful international companies thrive on the basis of networks of collaborators.

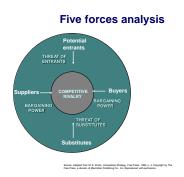
# To develop a global awareness which means: • to be objective • to be tolerant towards cultural differences • to have knowledge of 1/ cultures, 2/ history, 3/ world market potential and 4/ global economic, social and political trends

Your final purpose:











# **Competitive Rivalry**

- · Entry is likely
- Substitutes threaten
- Buyers or suppliers exercise control
- Competitors are in balance
- There is slow market growth
- Global customers increase competition
- There are high fixed costs in an industry
- Markets are undifferentiated
- There are high exit barriers





### **Buyer power**

- There is a concentration of buyers
- There are many small operators in the supplying industry
- There are alternative sources of supply
- Components or materials are a high percentage of cost to the buyer leading to "shopping around"
- · Switching costs are low
- There is a threat of backward integration



Bargaining power of buyers: Wal-Mart





# **Supplier power**

- There is a concentration of suppliers
- · Switching costs are high
- The supplier brand is powerful
- Integration forward by the supplier is possible
- Customers are fragmented and bargaining power low



Bargaining power of suppliers: Bill Gates (Microsoft)





### **Threat of substitutes**

### Substitutes take different forms:

- Product substitution BT for Orange
- Substitution of need international not local calls (satellites not wires)
- Generic substitution mobiles for land based telephones
- Doing without no communication



Threat of substitutes: KFC China





### The threat of entry

Dependent on barriers to entry such as:

- Economies of scale
- Capital requirements of entry
- Access to distribution channels
- Cost advantages independent of size (e.g. the "experience curve")
- Expected retaliation
- Legislation or government action
- Differentiation



**New Entrants: Citibank** 





## Citibank - 'Firstmover'

- · High brand recognition
- More positive brand image
- More customer loyalty
- · More distribution
- Longer market experience



