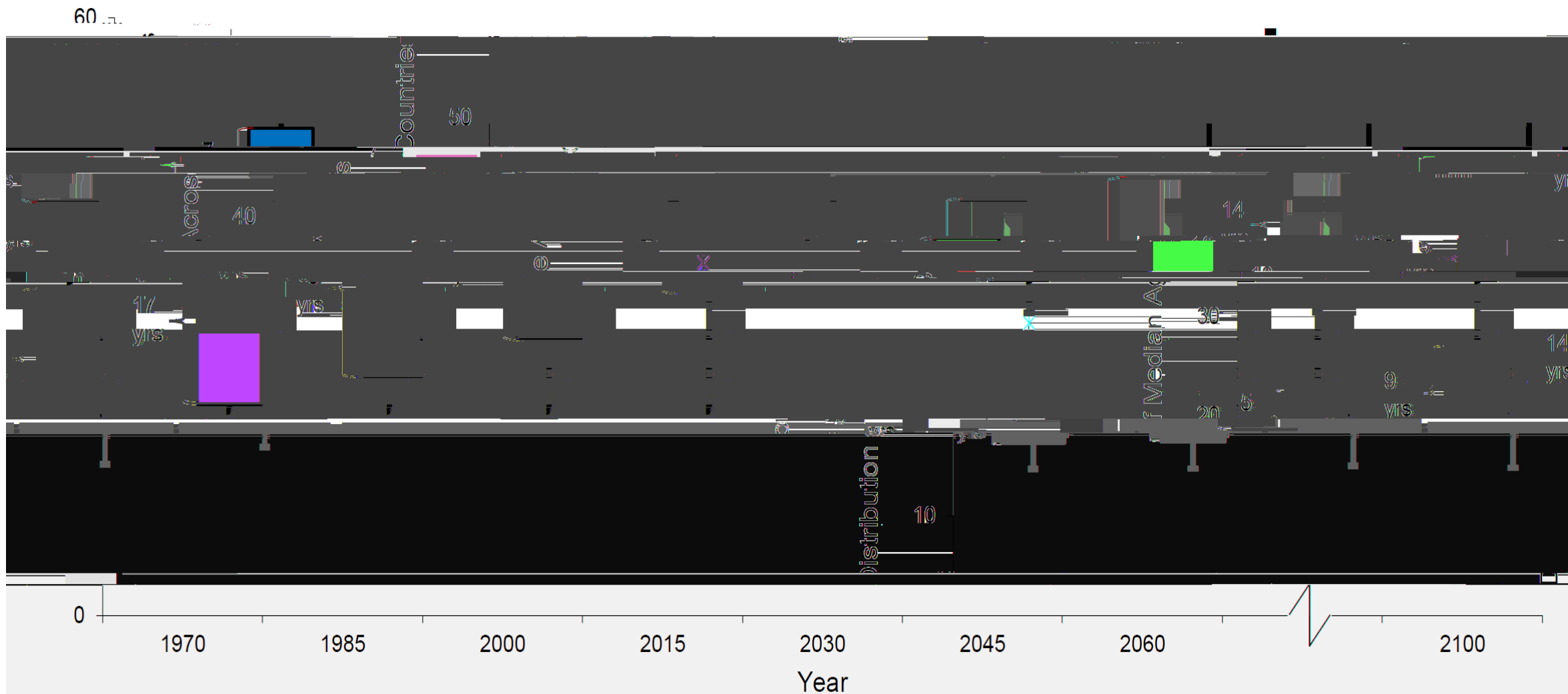


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particular ages children, young people, middle-aged or older persons.

Pyramid A: Korea 1960

Pyramid B: Korea 2000

Pyramid C: Korea 2020



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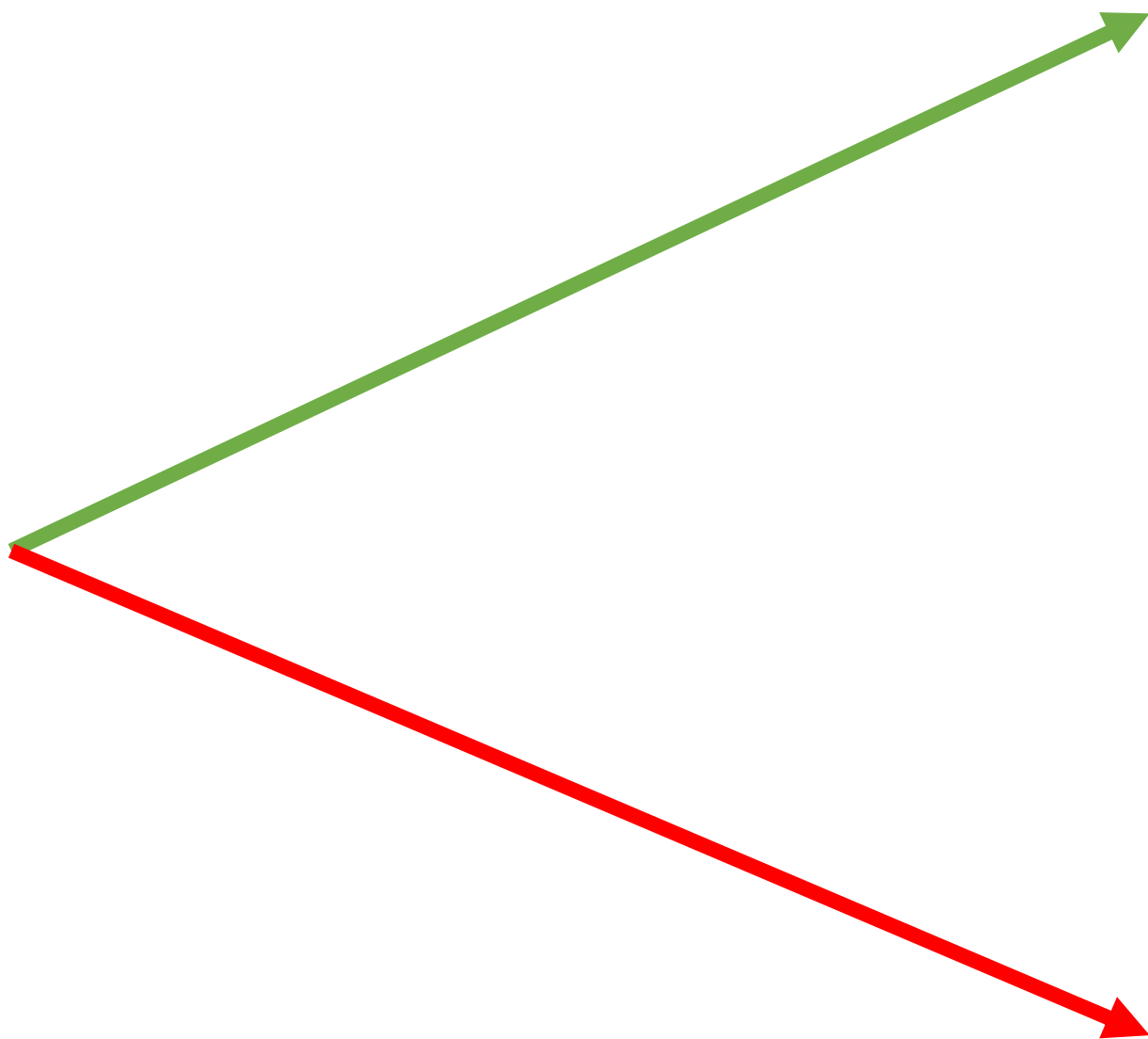
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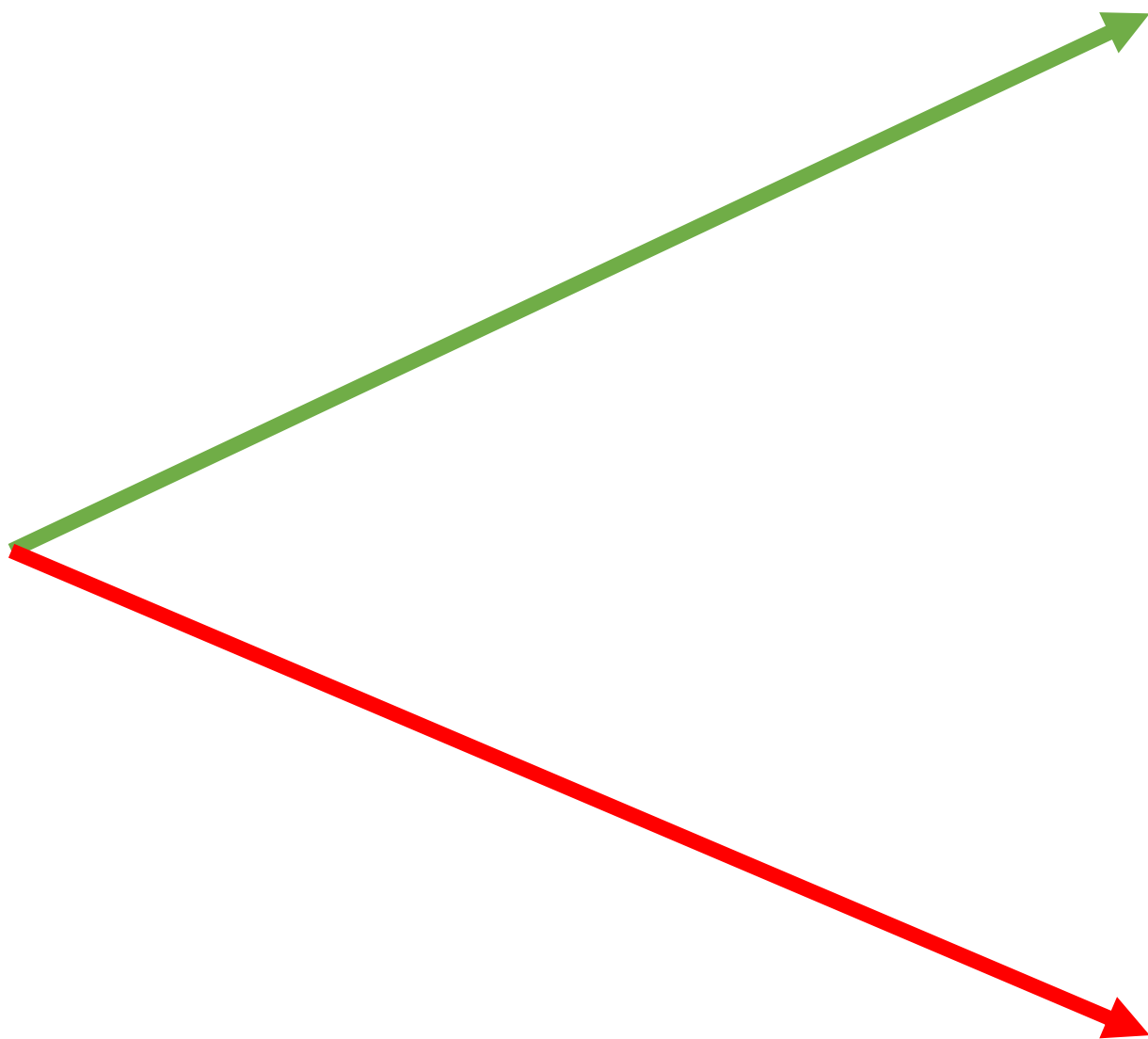


**First demographic dividend:** For countries with young populations, when investments in empowerment, education and employment coincide with a bulge in young people due to declining fertility, the result is a surge of human capabilities into society, accelerating development.

**Second demographic dividend:** Greater health and savings throughout the life course can sustain this accelerated development as population ageing the bulge among older persons occurs.

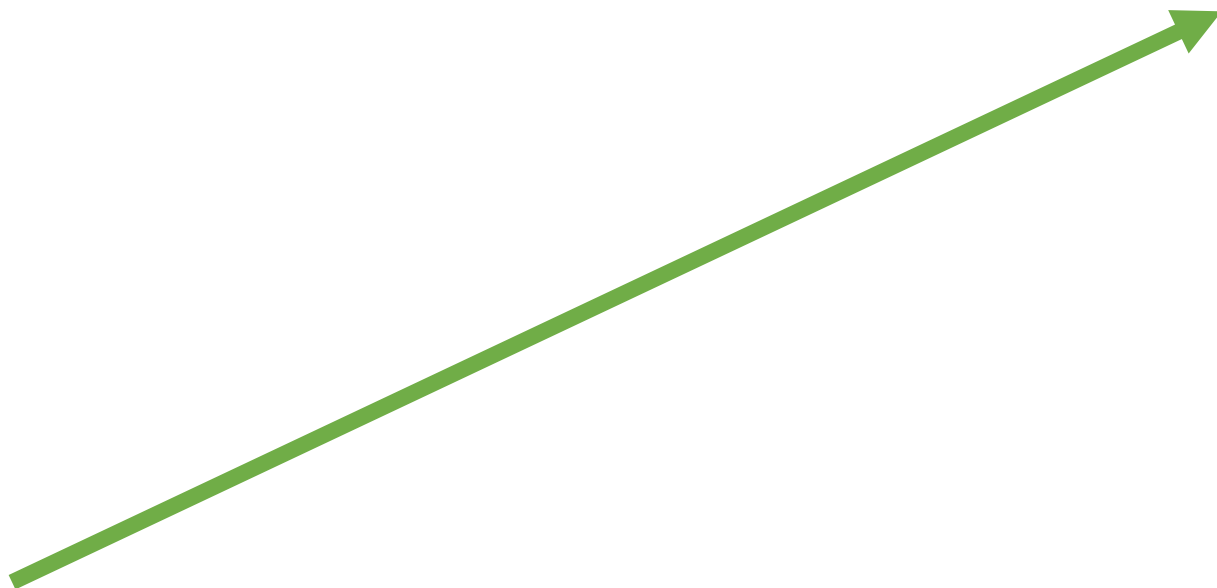
Only by maximizing planning and preparedness for coming age structures can these dividends be realized. **Good population data and knowledge systems** are essential.

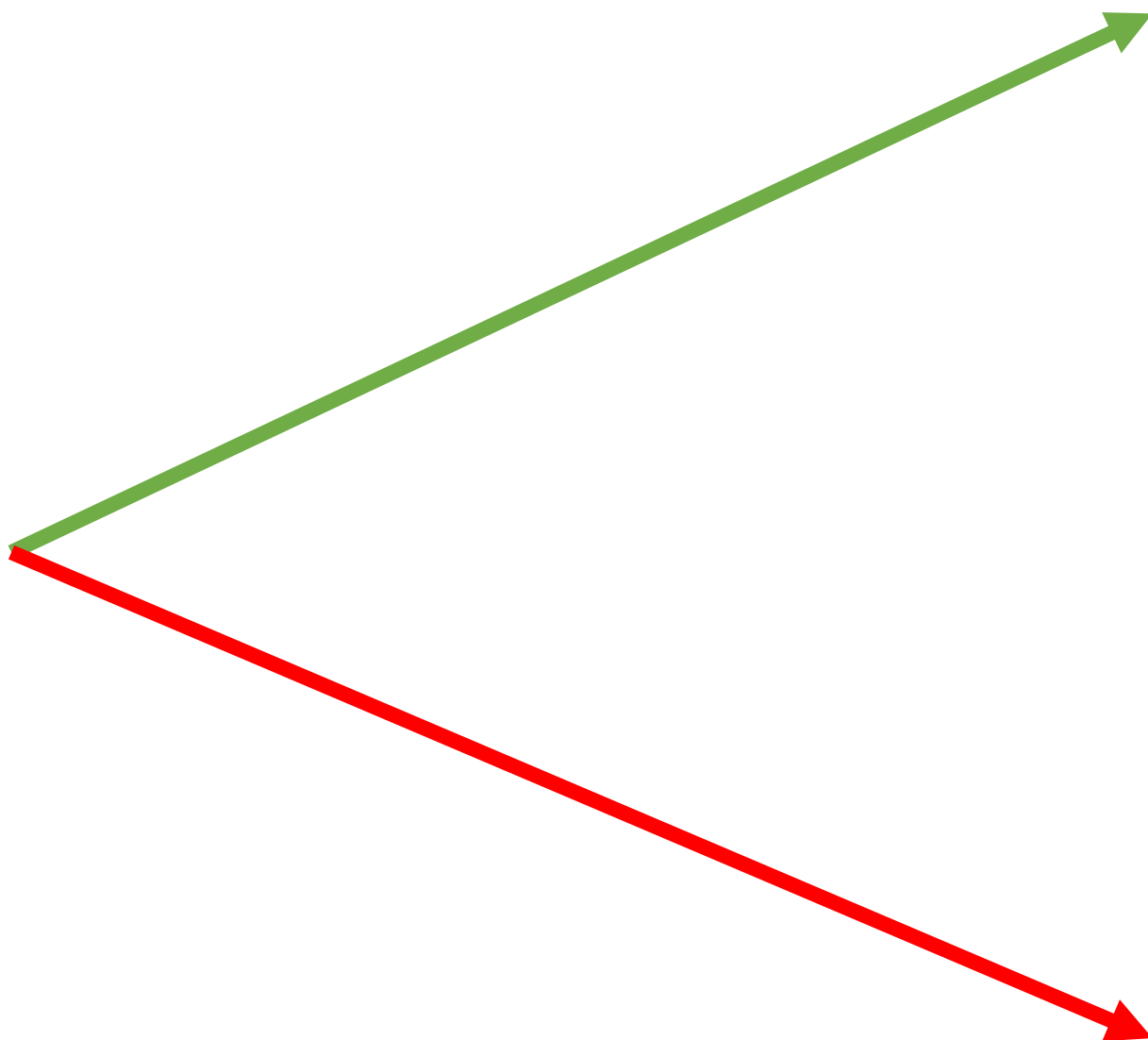


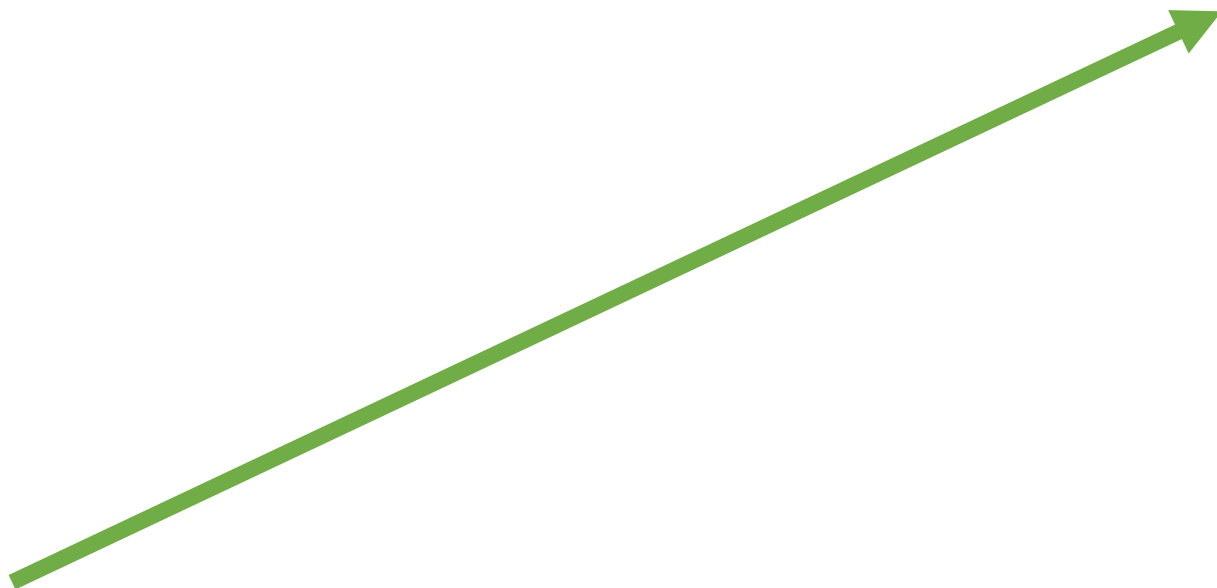














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