



Ministry of Communications
and Information Technology

TIME
FOR
EGYPT

Egypt

The Destination of Choice ICT-Electronics

Position Egypt as the regional hub for electronics
manufacturing and world destination of choice
for electronics design and innovation

egypt
makes **electronics**

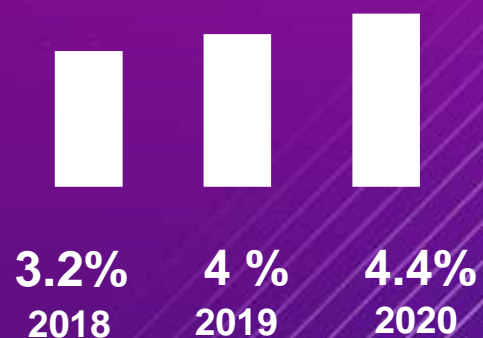


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IT INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY



Fast-Paced Economy

ICT in GDP



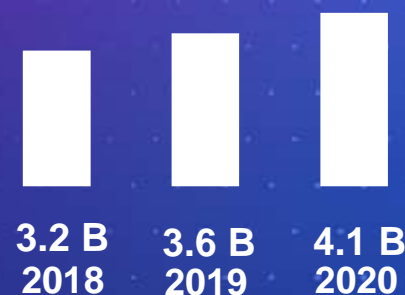
FDI

\$5.9B

2020*

ICT Sector

\$ Exports



Fastest
growing sector
16%

Largest
contributor to GDP
growth

200,000
Offshoring Jobs

Increased Global Confidence

Progressive Sector Acknowledgment



Egypt improved in **business dynamism, and innovation capability**
Oct 2019



Egypt progressed **6 places** in **Ease of Doing Business**
Oct 2019



IMF support packages will help **boost investor confidence** in Egypt
May 2020



#1 MEA and #15 Top Global Services Location
April 2021



Egypt is the **only** country in **MENA** to witness **positive real GDP growth**
Oct 2020



Egypt is well placed to **attract international investment** and emerge from this **difficult period** in a **strong position**
Aug 2020



Egypt is the **4th** Most favored **offshore CX delivery** locations
March 2021



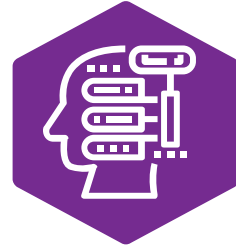
Egypt is **Africa's top FDI destination**
Jun 2021



Strategy

Tracks

**Electronics Design
and Innovation**



**Empowering R&D in
Electronics**



**Innovation /
Entrepreneurship**



**Electronics
Manufacturing**



**Enable Local
Manufacturing**



**Training / Talent
Development**



**Investment
Attraction**



**Leverage
Export (Testing
/ Accreditation)**

EME Value Proposition



Market Demand
& Export Potential



Unmatchable
Cost



On-Ground
Success



Government
Support

Industry Segments

Product/System Definition & Design
IC Design & Development
Contract Manufacturing (ODM/OEM)
Semiconductors
Logistics, Repair & Recycling

Industry Products

Smart Phones, Tablets, and GPS
LED Lighting/Displays
Smart Meters
Solar Systems
IoT Devices/Smart Solutions
Industrial Electronics

Focus Industry Products (Investment Opportunities)

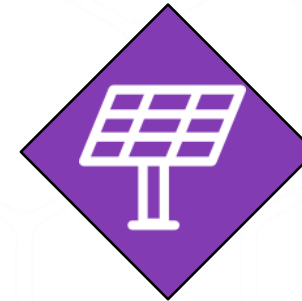
Promising Products with Quick Impact and Highly
Demand of Local & Regional Markets & Growth Rate



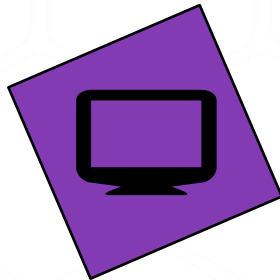
Telecom
(Mobile Phones, Tablets,
GPS, Fiber Optics)



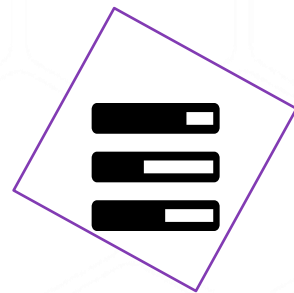
LED Lighting
(LED Chips)



Solar
(Panels/Cells/Inverters..)



LED Displays
Opencell Panels/ Optical films..)



Smart Meters



IoT Devices /
MEMS/ Sensors



IC Fab
(Semiconductors)

Printed Circuit Boards
Fabrication

Lithium Batteries

Industrial Electronics

ABUNDANT TALENT



100+ Million
Population



50%
Aged 15 - 44

Multi-lingual talent pool of **550K graduates** Largest in the Arab speaking world and second largest in EMEA region



370,000
business services

60,000
IT & Electronics
related

50,000
IT & Electric
Technicians

80% speaks English & other
European languages

65+ International schools
American, British,
French, German

Low Labor Attrition



+ 20 Languages served

Across **+ 100 countries**

80% of working population speaks English & other
European languages

**Culturally
Compatible**

with Western Bus

egypt
makes **electronics**

next
technology leaders
Initiative

egypt**fw**
initiat

Certified high-value training in **30+ Technology Tracks** targeting **100,000 youth** in collaboration with online learning platforms, MNCs, and leading universities

coursera

edX

UDACITY

atat

Google

amazon
web services

Developed
Industry

&
Leading
Design
Players

IC Chip Design
RF / Analog/Mixed / Digital
/ MEMS / EDA Tools

Products & Systems
Development

Mentor
Graphics
SIEMENS

Silicon Vision
Innovative IC Solutions
SYNOPSYS
Silicon to Software

Si-WARE
SYSTEMS

ANALOG
DEVICES
AHEAD OF WHAT'S POSSIBLE™

miXel
Mixed-Signal Excellence

GOODIX

ST
life.augmented

BOOST
VALLEY
Taking you that extra step

MEMS
VISION

Pearl
Semiconductor

varkon
Semiconductors

Cpedia

Axxcelera
BROADBAND WIRELESS

vidatronic

ScenariO
your brain extension

PULSAR
microelectronics

SilGenix

SUITERA

Valeo

IBM

avelabs

BioBusiness

Brightskies

Consultix

AvidBeam

GLOBALTRONICS

ENPIRION
The Leader of Integrated Power IC Solutions

FAB
Minds

NMI™

EGYROBO

EL SEWEDY
ELECTROMETER®

CALFA

SWIFT ACT
YOU DREAM, WE ACT

VEHICLEVO

Smartec
Smart Technology
Integrated Solution

Mentronix

EOIP
Engineering Office
for Integrated Projects

Swiftronix

DevisionX
deep vision systems

GARMENT IO

High Value Market & Service Provider

Growth +40% over 3 years

Engineering Services
EDA Tools


Siemens EDA
+450
Engineers

Automotive
Electronics


Mixed-Signal Excellence
+65
Engineers

Analog/Mixed
Signal - Sensors


+95
Engineers

RF/Analog IC Design
(R&D)


AHEAD OF WHAT'S POSSIBLE™
+50
Engineers

RF/Mixed
Signal/Digital/MEMS
R&D


+80
Engineers

RF/Mixed Signal IC
Digital IC


Innovative IC Solutions

Silicon to Software™
+360
Engineers

Product Development / R&D


+2400 Engineers


+170 Engineers


life.augmented
+40 Engineers


+400 Engineers


+70 R&D Engineers

Unmatchable Cost Offering

Monthly Manufacturing Services Salary

	EGYPT	CHINA	TURKEY	INDIA
BLUE COLLAR	\$200	\$550	\$700	\$200
SKILLED TECHNICIAN	\$400	\$1100	\$1500	\$500
ENGINEER	\$450	\$1200	\$2500	\$600
SENIOR ENGINEER	\$1200	\$2000	\$2500	\$1300
MIDDLE MANAGER	\$2000	\$3000	\$3000	\$2000

Annual Design/R&D Fully Loaded Cost

	EGYPT	USA	CHINA	INDIA
JUNIOR	\$20K	\$120K	\$30K	\$25K
ENGINEER	\$28K	\$160K	\$45K	\$40K
SENIOR	\$42K	\$220K	\$60K	\$50K
TEAM Leader	\$60-70K	\$260K	\$80K	\$70K

Source: ITIDA industry survey 2020



Design & Development Opportunities

**Electronics
IC Chips &
Circuits
design**

**AI / IoT / Data
Analytics' and
Smart cities
solutions**

**Automotive
Electronics
Systems**

**Industry 4.0
Digital
Transformation
Solutions**

**Embedded
systems
development**

**Healthcare
biomedical
equipment.**

Government provides attractive incentive package for establishing electronics design house inside Knowledge city furnished with whole electronics eco-system

Design Enterprise Development Program

Establishment of prototyping & Innovation labs and competence centers in advanced technologies and to be located in technology parks and smart villages

- ❑ **Terms and Conditions:** Labs include IoT, Wearable Electronics, Smart Cities, PCB Fabrication Lab, FABLAB, LED Chip Technology, and Micro-electronics & MEMS Technology lab. (Labs funding is EGP 220 Mn)

Fund electronics development, and innovation projects

Design electronic products and components, ready for mass production, projects for the development and design of electronic parts, components, systems, the automotive systems, IoT solutions & devices. Etc.

- ❑ **Terms and Conditions:** Fund up to EGP 5 Mn.

Fund EDA tools and development kits.

- ❑ **Terms and Conditions:** Funding with a maximum of EGP 5 Mn over three years,

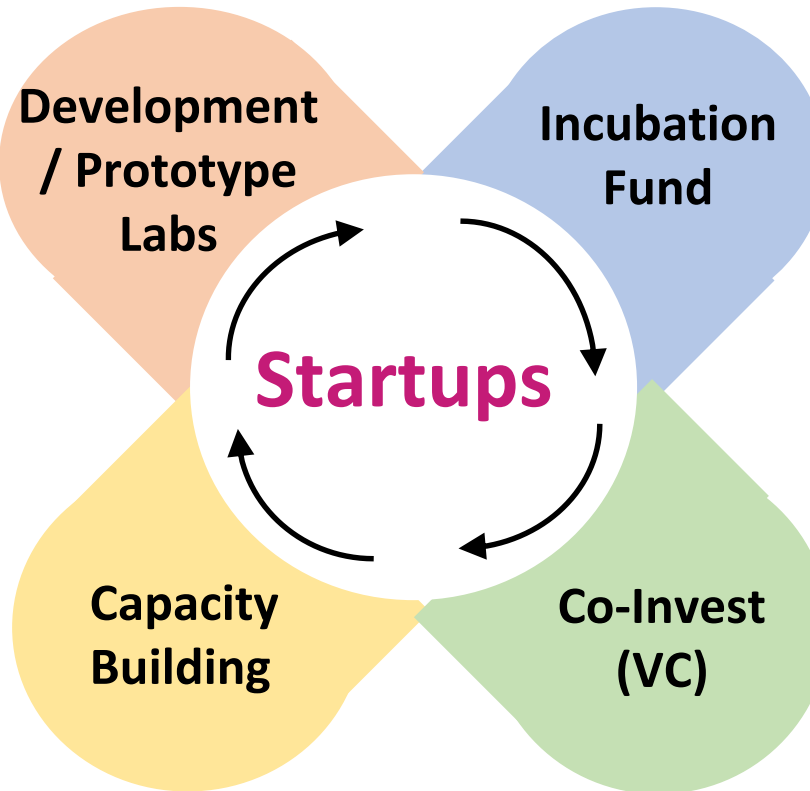
Fund costs for patents at the international level

- ❑ **Terms and Conditions:** Funding with a maximum of EGP 1 Mn.

Foster Electronics Startups

- Electronics Innovation Complexes
- Funding EDA Tools

- Upscaling technical & business skills



- Seed Fund up to EGP 1M

Startups Development

- Startup Support Partnership
- Direct Investment (Co-Invest)
- Hosting in Tech Parks

Industry Digital Transformation Eco-System

- Skills Development
- Industry Assessment
- Case Studies

- Develop
- Digital Fab
- Prototype
- Training

**Industry 4.0
Implement**

**Centre Of
Excellence
(COE)**

**Digital
Transformation**

**Innovation
Labs**

**Startups &
Technology
Partners**

- Consultation
- Industry 4.0 Adoption
- Simulation Showcases
- Analyze
- Smart Manufacturing

- Smart Applications
- Industry IoT
- Robotics
- Energy Management

Quality and Scalable Infrastructure (Technology Parks)

Smart Village



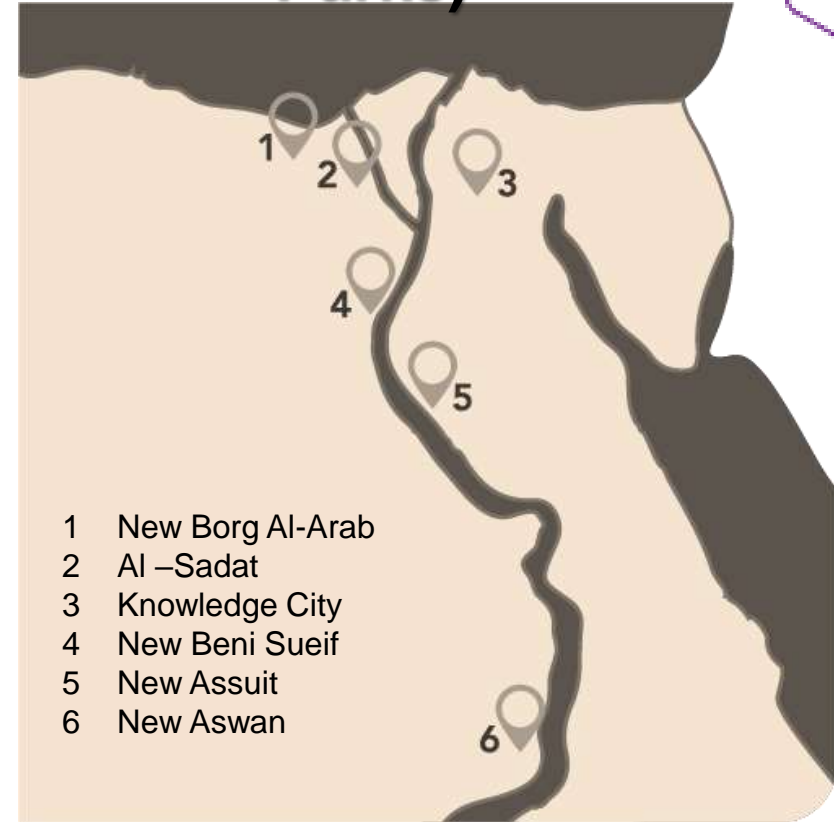
Maadi Technology Park



- ✓ Spread Science and Technology Parks across 2nd tier cities.
- ✓ Reach out to Egypt's talented youth everywhere
- ✓ Provide the ecosystem
- ✓ Enable innovation and technological advancements.

- **Plug & play solutions**
- **Top-notch infrastructure**
- **Dedicated areas for Electronics Design & Manufacturing with low rate.**

(2nd Tier Technology Parks)



Strategic location in the heart of new cities nearby universities, and with access to major national roads, rail networks & principal international airports

Knowledge City

- ❑ Egypt has always been leading in Electronics Design with many success stories. The Presidential “Egypt Makes Electronics” Initiative supervised by MCIT and executed by ITIDA targets to promote the Egyptian capabilities even further and thus announces the establishment of the iconic Knowledge City Electronics Innovation Center in the new Administrative Capital.
- ❑ The Center provides an integrated work environment equipped with state-of-the-art smart infrastructure that includes clean room, advanced laboratories (Microelectronics, MEMS, the fourth industrial generation Industry 4.0, Internet of Things, robotics, multimedia), training academy, technology incubator, professional business services, and work spaces for companies. All and above the Center is one component of a larger ecosystem involving local and international universities and institutes.

Innovation Hub – Knowledge



Innovation Hub – Knowledge City (Incentives)

Attract new or existing design companies, international or Egyptian, to the Knowledge City Innovation Hub, and enable companies to expand.

Conditions

- ☐ New or existing company engaged in the design of electronic products, systems, or components.
- ☐ Plan to expand (design and development employees or total revenue) by a minimum of 30% over 3 years.

Incentives (over 3 years)

- ☐ Financing capacity building of new employees according to the following table:

1-4 Yr Experience Design & Development Employee	\$6 K
4+ Yr Experience Design & Development Employee	\$10 K

- ☐ Company's annual capacity building financing is up to a maximum of EGP 6 million.
- ☐ Companies only bear the expenses of security, maintenance, and cleaning services, up to \$5/m²/month.
- ☐ Companies are exempted from all Internet and utility costs.
- ☐ Financing transportation cost in the amount of \$800/person/year.
- ☐ Companies enjoy lab services at non-profit cost during and after program ends.
- ☐ Companies bear rent cost of \$3/m²/month for two years after program ends.

Electronics Technology Incubator Based (Hosting 15 Startups Annually)

Establishing new Egyptian design companies with high-growth potential and attractiveness to investment, engaged in designing advanced electronic products, systems, or components.

Conditions

- ☐ Deep-tech legal startup , or
- ☐ Entrepreneurial team targeting startup establishment upon incubation.

Incentives (over 12 month)

- ☐ Office space.
- ☐ Cash grant of EGP 120K and in-kind grant of EGP 880K against biz plan performance indicators.
- ☐ Financing transportation cost in the amount of \$800/person/year.
- ☐ Companies enjoy lab services at non-profit cost during and after program ends.

Incubator Operation Program

[1] Space, utilities, Internet, security, cleaning.

[2] Support staff salary, promotion, transportation, and developmental services.

[3] 50%-50%, capped at 30% of revenue.

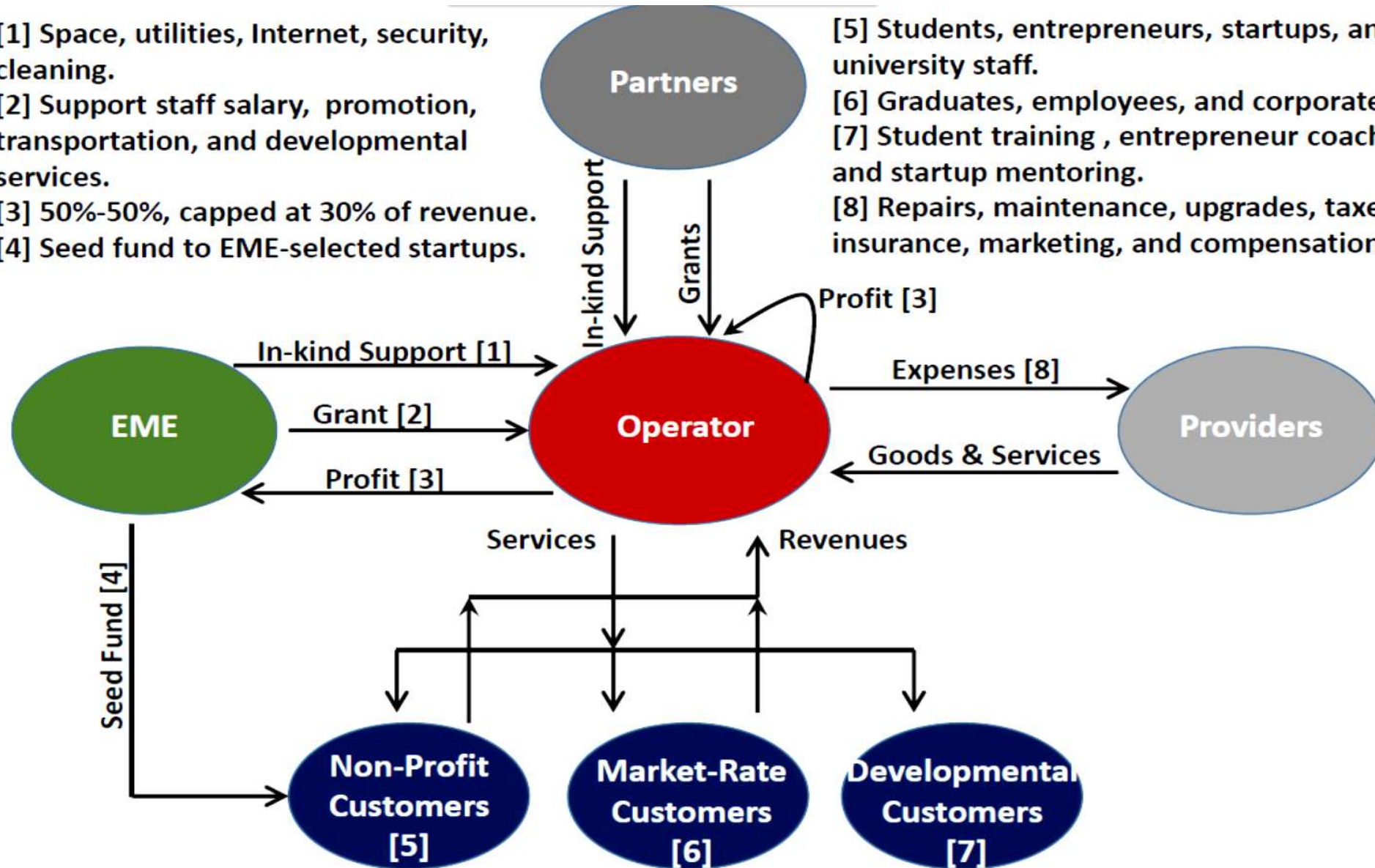
[4] Seed fund to EME-selected startups.

[5] Students, entrepreneurs, startups, and university staff.

[6] Graduates, employees, and corporate.

[7] Student training, entrepreneur coaching, and startup mentoring.

[8] Repairs, maintenance, upgrades, taxes, insurance, marketing, and compensations.



Operator Benefits at Innovation Hub

Knowledge City

01

Enjoy of Grant for rental cost & utilities at knowledge City Hub-3 yrs

02

Benefit from Pool of Engineering Talent with Unmatchable cost

03

Fund for HR development for technical enterprise staff, annually up to EGP 6M over 3yrs

04

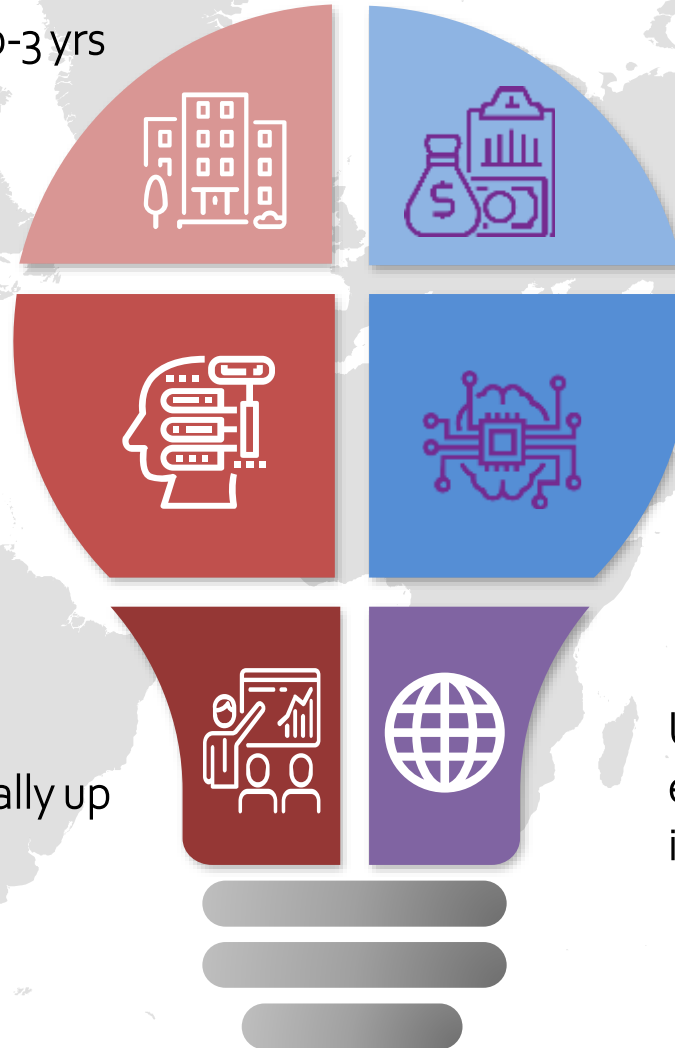
Benefit of Financing the operation of innovation hub plus profit share over 3yrs

05

Benefit of access & services of Advanced electronics labs

06

Upscaling within integrated eco-system of electronics industry



Microelectronics Lab

Advanced laboratory for measuring, characterizing and testing integrated electronic components and circuits, including (RF, Analog/Mixed Signal, Digital Circuits and Optical MEMS Devices), in addition to establishing a laboratory for manufacturing sensors and micro-electromechanical systems MEMS inside the clean room on an area of 700 square meters in the creativity complex in Knowledge City.

This lab functions as a major component of an integrated eco-system, for the design of microelectronics.

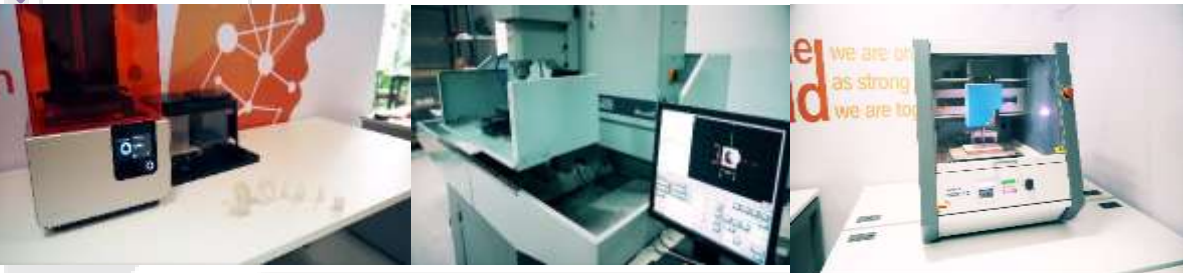


Industry 4.0 Innovation Center

Awareness on Industry 4.0 technologies and use cases for smart factories, providing consultation

Training on Industry 4.0 technologies (IIoT, AI, 3D printing, Digital Twin, Robotics, Cybersecurity, Data Analytics, Smart Factory, AR/VR)

Support in design & innovation for developing smart factories applications



Smart Factory Showroom
& Simulation Center for
I4.0 Apps'

Innovation Lab for I4.0
Development

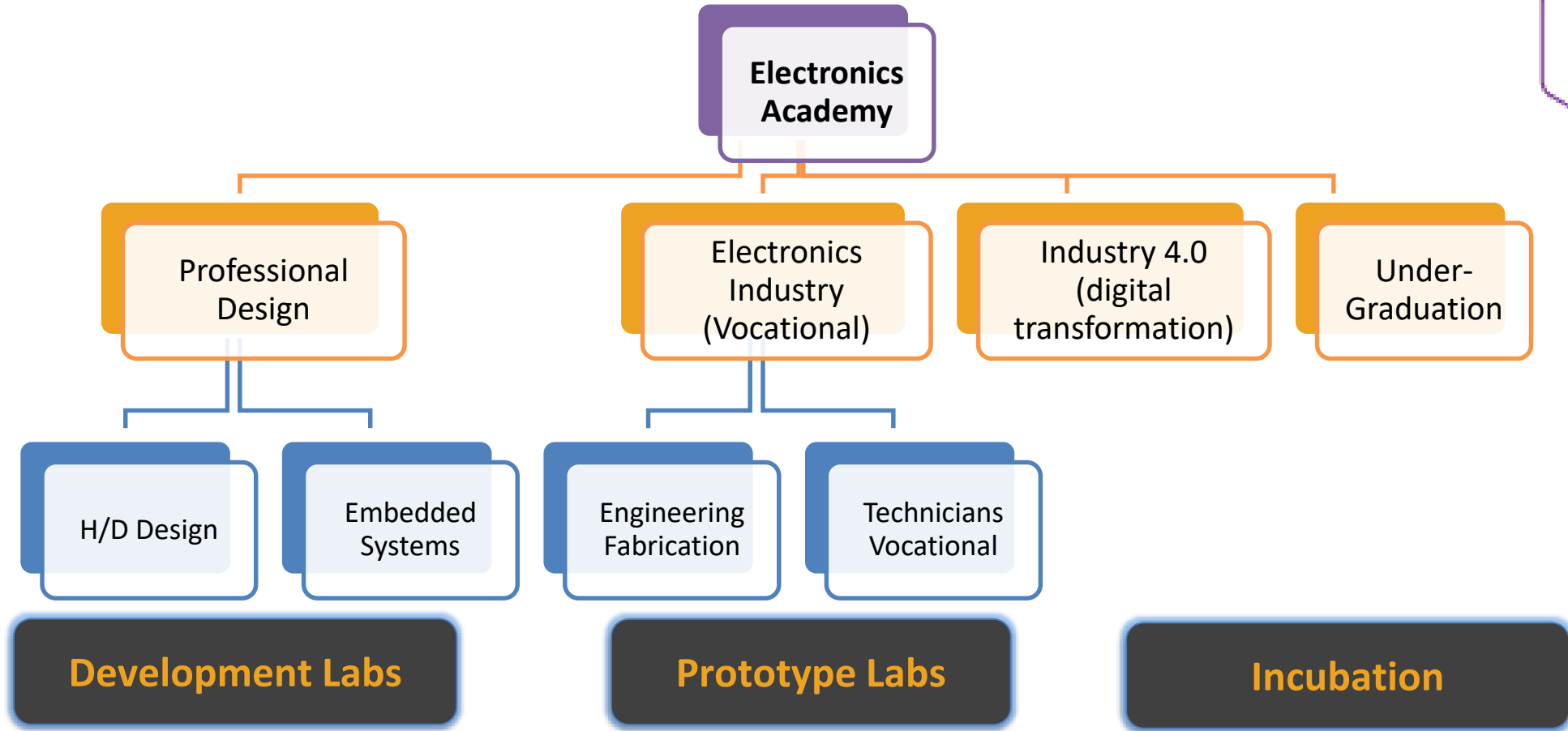
Training Center

IoT & Robotics Lab

- ❑ Create an integrated environment to support the design stages of electronic systems and products, starting with the idea of design, then implementing and developing the design, then manufacturing and assembling printed boards, then making prototypes for the outer frame of the product or its own templates, until reaching a complete product capable of quantitative production.
- ❑ Providing the appropriate tools, materials and work environment for the design and testing of electronic circuits and IoT systems and the development of automatic control systems, robots and artificial intelligence
- ❑ Nurturing and embracing promising ideas and products in the design of electronics products.
- ❑ Organizing events to showcase promising ideas and products in the design of electronics products



Electronics Academy



Partners:



Military
Production
Cairo Uni.



Professional Training

❑ **Terms and Conditions:** Target minimum of 2000 engineers annually.

#	Track	Topics
1	Digital IC Design	FPGA/ASIC Design, Scripting EDA Tools
2	RF & Analog/Mixed IC Design	Advanced Analog IC (Nano-CMOS), RF & Microwave, .., etc.
3	MEMS & Sensors	MEMS/NEMS Technology and Devices, Transducer/Sensors, Solid-State Devices, ..., etc.
4	IC Fabrication & Characterization	Fabrication of Nano-materials for Films and Devices, Testing and Characterization Techniques, Power/High voltage ICs, .., etc.
5	HW System Design	PCB Design, Packaging, Measurements, DFM, Power Systems, Development Lifecycle, Electronics Procurement, .CAD/CAM ., etc.
6	Embedded Systems	Embedded of Automotive, Smart systems, Robotics,....
7	Electronic System Manufacturing	Electronics Assembly, SMT Assembly Line Operation & Management, Quality Assurance, ..., etc.
7	Professional Master Degree	Applied Degree from International Uni.

Government Support

30% - 50%
Corporate Tax
reduction, up to
80% of total
paid capital

Customs & tax
exemption on
machines, tools,
and equipment in
Tech Parks

Up to 50% subsidy
on cost for Offices
& manufacturing
in Tech Parks

Grant for rental
cost & utilities at
knowledge City
Hub-3 yrs

5%-10% export
overhead rebate,
based local-value
50% freight cost
subsidy to Africa

15% local product
cost advantage
for governmental
purchases

Funding for R&D
projects local
designs up to EGP
5M

Fund over 3 yrs for
HR development for
enterprise staff
(local/overseas)
Up to \$10K/person

Professional &
vocational training
programs



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Thank you



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