

SCP Panel Discussion 持続可能な消費と生産(SCP) パネルディスカッション

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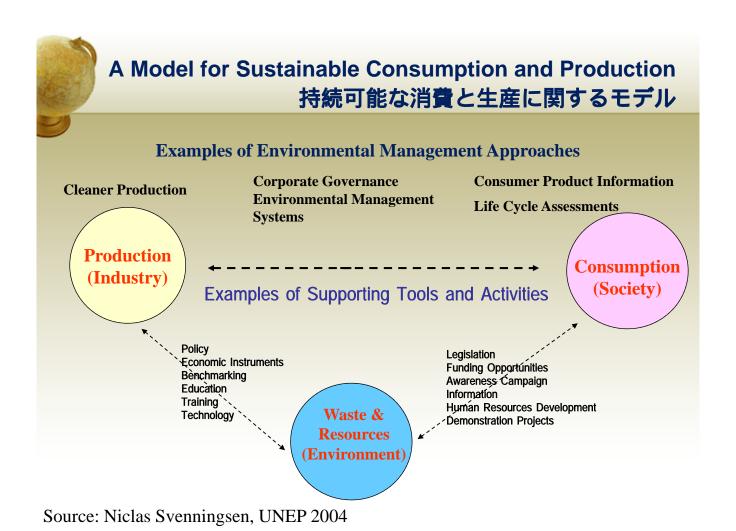


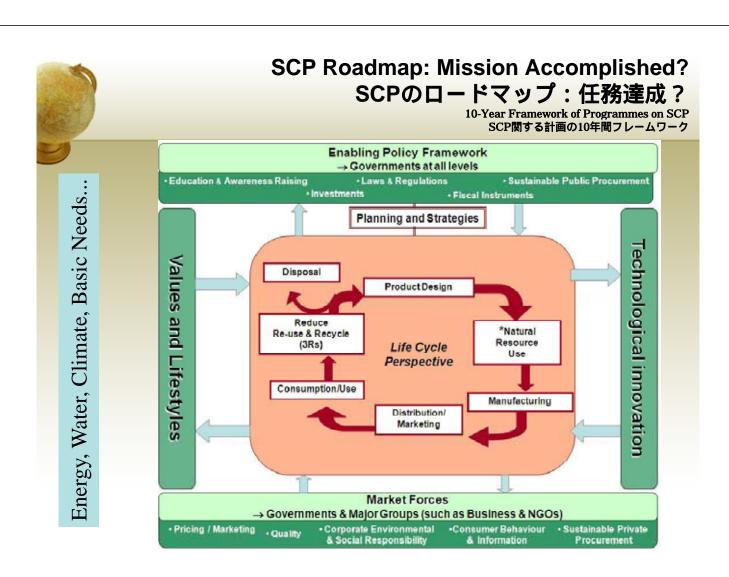
SCP Status in Asia presented by Niclas Svenningsen, UNEP ニコラス・スベニンセン(UNEP)により報告された アジアにおけるSCPの状況

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- Sustainable Production (SP) is well developed
- Sustainable Consumption (SC) is misunderstood
- Awareness and understanding of SCP* is poor
- Individual good examples exists but systematic approach is lacking
- Lack of integration of government policies is illustrating for the whole problem

*Notion of consumption or SCP enters the picture of CP due to "Rebounce"





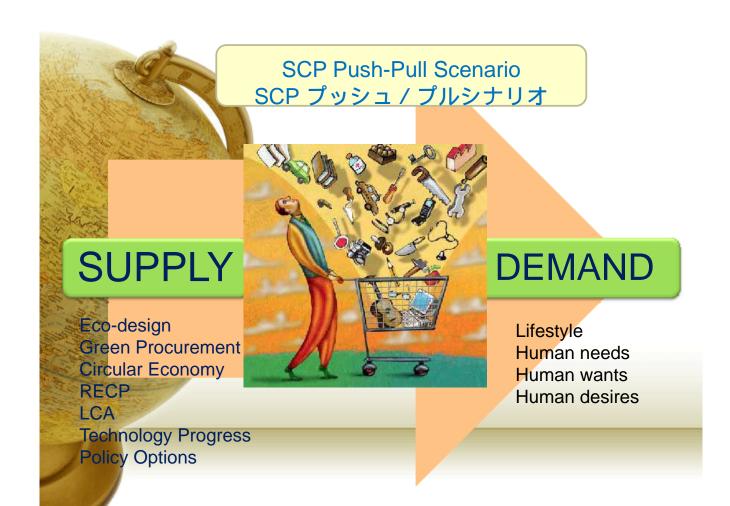
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- Sustainable Consumption concept is still confusing
- The most significant trend in the region is perhaps the rapidly growing middle-income class that is striving to adopt the affluent consumption patterns of wealthier people



- been mostly looking at the supply-side strategies, such as policy option, technological progress, ecolabel related product information, close-looped resource efficiency capability, etc.
- In other words, producer as a consumer of resources





Demand-side SCP issues SCPに関する需要側の問題

- Does USE of MANY eco-products lead to sustainability?
- Does USE of MANY recyclables lead to sustainability?
 What about the energy needed to recycle all these RECYCLABLES in the close-loop circular economy?
- Is there really an ABSOLUTE DECOUPLE of 'smart' consumption and ecological impact?
- Why not openly discuss 'sufficiency' as minimum need?
 How about is there a 'maximum' human need?
- Is consumer really king? (courtesy of IGES) Where lies the power among value chain actors on consumption?
- Socio-cultural criteria in consumption choice-making seem like missing in the SCP formula?