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### OUTSOURCING SOLUTIONS AND IT OUTSOURCING STRUCTURE IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR

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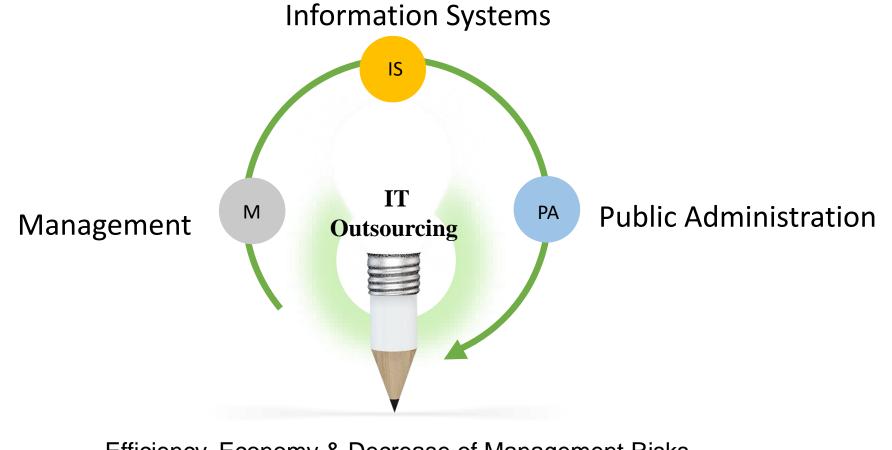
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The design of this study is based a comparative research approach with use a statistical data, and experts' reviews that are in the public domain, research results, and IT outsourcing experience in some countries and companies to identify IT outsourcing trends and management strategies related to public sector research and practice.

## Outsourcing as an Effective Strategic Tool



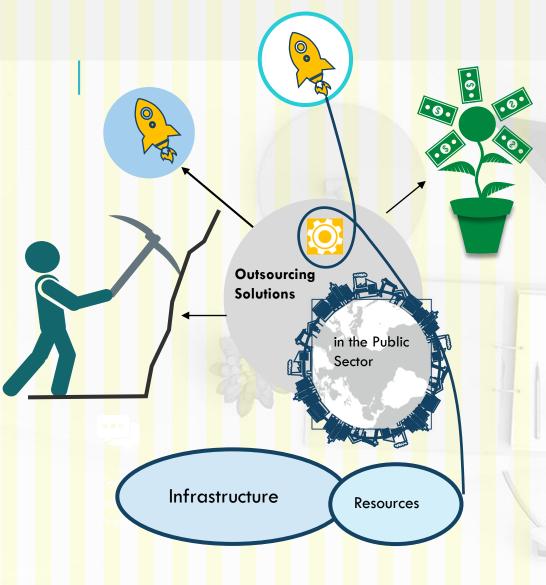
## **IT Outsourcing in Government - Three Big Research Fields**



Efficiency, Economy & Decrease of Management Risks

(Created using a source: Vilvovsky, 2008; Gatman, 2011)

## Structure of Outsourcing Solutions in the Public Sector



There are two main areas of outsourcing usage in public authorities: improving the quality of functions and reducing the costs of performing functions

The functions performance enhancement-uses outsourcing as a tool to achieve strategic goals, influenced by budget constraints.

Cost-cutting and productivity growth focus on technology infrastructure and outsourcing business applications as a means of reducing costs.

# **Outsourcing Solutions in the Public Sector**

### I. Government Function Outsourcing (GFO)

At the top of this pyramid are the functions of the authorities and their subordinate organizations, which cannot perform them effectively.

#### II. Government Process Outsourcing (GPO)

The subject of this outsourcing may be part of function, and set of administrative processes that performed during the implementation of this function and closely linked to the exercise of state authority.

### III. Outsourcing of resources (OR)

Has been use in the world for a very long time and widely. Most often, authorities outsourced human resources, outsourcing of office and other premises is also common. The most up-to-date manifestation of resource outsourcing is the outsourcing of IT infrastructure elements.

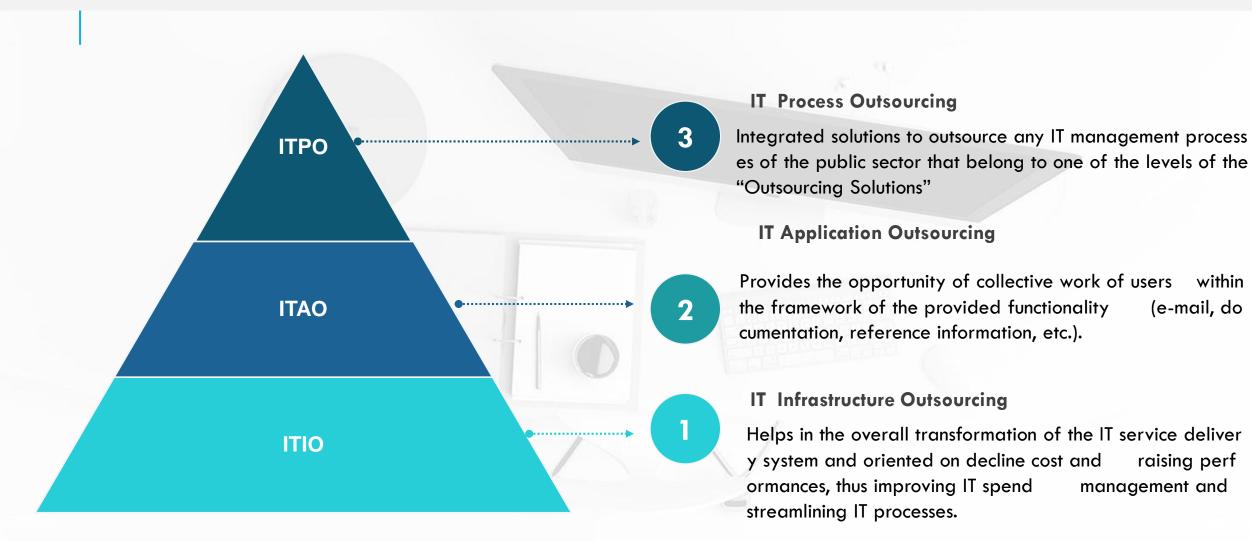




Represents all possible types of interaction between the state and external suppliers in the implementation of the functions of public authorities



# IT Outsourcing Structure in the Public Sector

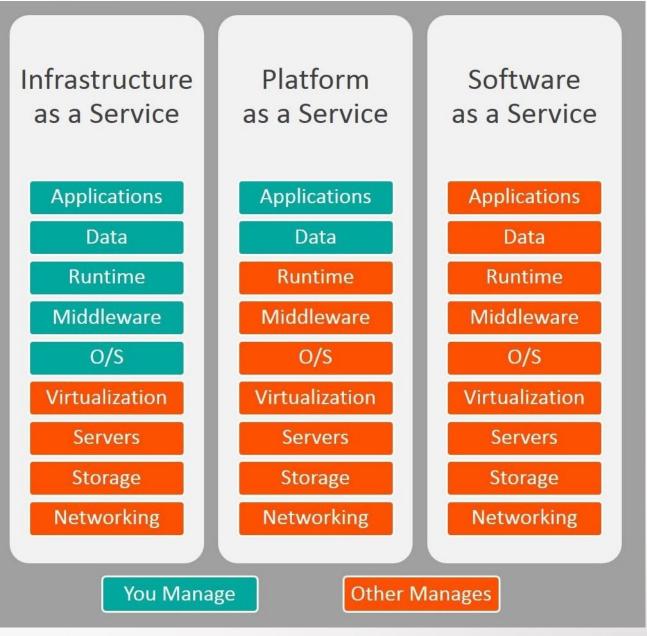


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### **IT Infrastructure Model**

is the chief framework that reflect activity t he organization using IT infrastructure with i nnovation technologies, such as Software-a s-a-service (SaaS), Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS), Infrastructure-as-a-Service (IaaS), Cloud Computing, Grid Computing, Data Security, etc.



Source: https://merehead.com/ru/blog/iaas-vs-paas-vs-saas/

The main processes that outsourced at IT Application level can be divided into two main directions as follows:

Development and implementation of new IT applications

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Supporting the availability of IT applications existing in the public sector

When deciding whether to outsource any IT management processes (ITPO) of the public sector that belong to one of the levels of the "Outsourcing Solutions", it is also important to consider the level of maturity of IT infrastructure of the public sector.

The following main processes can be outsourced:



Maintenance and monitoring of the status of server and active network equipment, p eripherals as well as copying equipment

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Network administration as well as administration of network operating and mail systems

Providing backup and data recovery



Ensuring information security, including antivirus protection

etc



Maintenance and administration of telephony, tele communications equipment and communication c hannels

# Why Public Authorities Should Use IT Infrastructure Outsourcing?

### Service desk outsourcing

Reducing technical risk and decline personnel costs through multi-site support and self-service capabilities .

### Workplace outsourcing

Providing more secure and s table environment; reduces t otal cost of IT equipment a nd infrastructure ownership

### Data center outsourcing

Reducing complexity and data center operating costs



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Managed Security Operations - identity tools, end-user equipment protection intrusion and information security

### Network outsourcing Establishes more secure and robust network infrastructure, reduce networkoperating costs

### **Cross-functional Service**

A business-led, service-oriented approach to IT management that enable the platform to react on demand to requests

Created using a source:

https://www.accenture.com/us-en/service-it-infrastructure-outsourcing

# Conclusion

• Public Sector is not profit-oriented, and transparency, quality of services is considered as central issue.

• Government functions, processes and outsourcing of resources represent in unity the structure outsourcing solutions in the Public Sector.

• ITO structure can be define as a set of decision consists of IT processes, IT application and IT infrastructure, which has significant effect in Public Sector activity.

• IT outsourcing is rapidly developing in the sector, and will continue to increase its potential.

• IT outsourcing will give the Public Sector access to specialized talent and save time, effort and resources that can be channel into social projects and sustainable development.

# • As a many other causes cost factor have major influence in IT outsourcing solutions.

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• Organizations that successfully implemented ITO can benefit from a reduce cost from IT including increased performance of management such as improving the quality of services and reducing their cost.



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