

Skills for a Sustainable Economy

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The Challenge

Population

- Current global population 7.3bn
- UN Central Projections:
 - 8.5bn by 2030
 - 9.7bn by 2050
 - 11.2bn by 2100

UN DESA “World Population Prospects: The 2015 Revision”

UK population 2014-2029 – ONS project 15% increase to 74.3 million

Large scale consumption drives environmental change





The response?

Transition to a Sustainable Economy



Transforming the world
to sustainability

Sustainable Economy

Deliver economic and social value in a way that is low carbon, resource efficient, enhances natural capital and respects fundamental human rights





What do we
need to do?

Sustainability and Products



Rethinking in Imaginative Ways



Disruptive Innovation



Bloomberg NEF: 35% of new car sales would
be electric by 2040





How are we
going to do it?



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Corporate Sustainability Journey

- Denier
- Complier
- Risk Mitigator
- Opportunity Maximiser
- Champion

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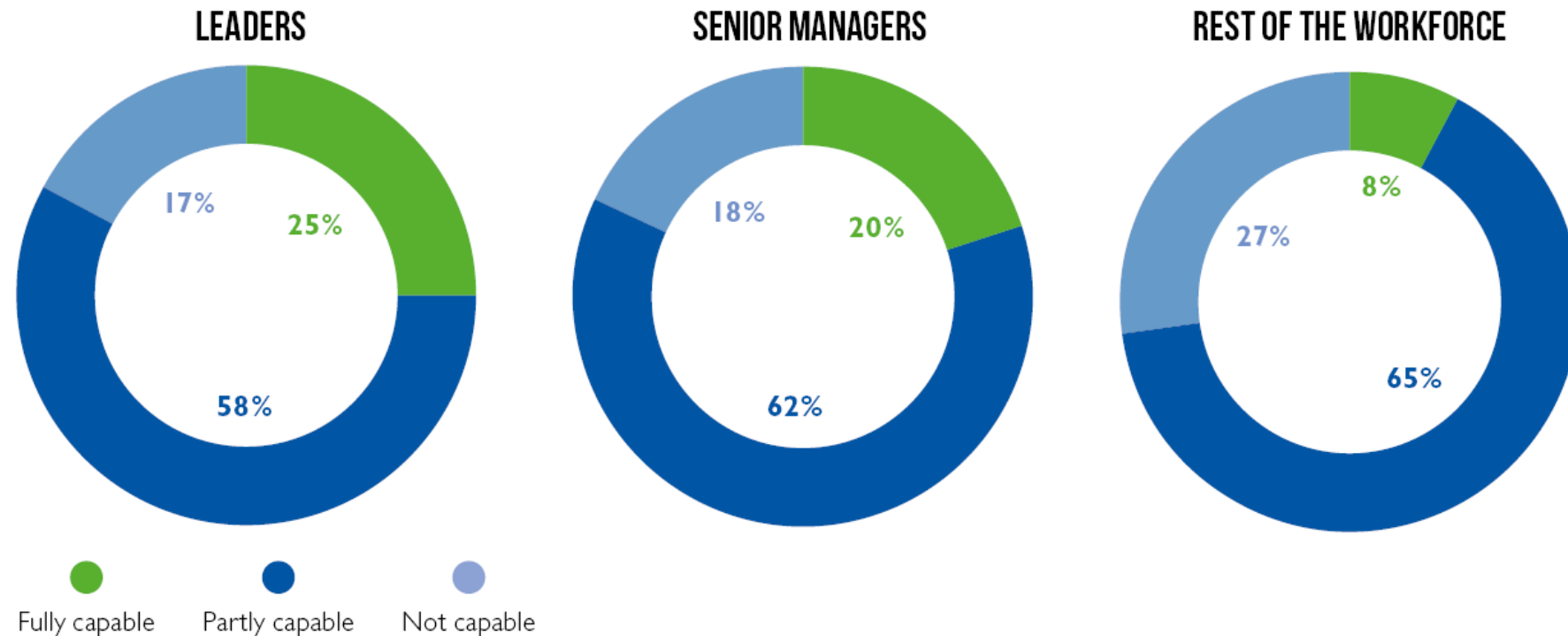


People!

- Working together
- Collaboration
- Enhancing knowledge
- Developing skills and capability

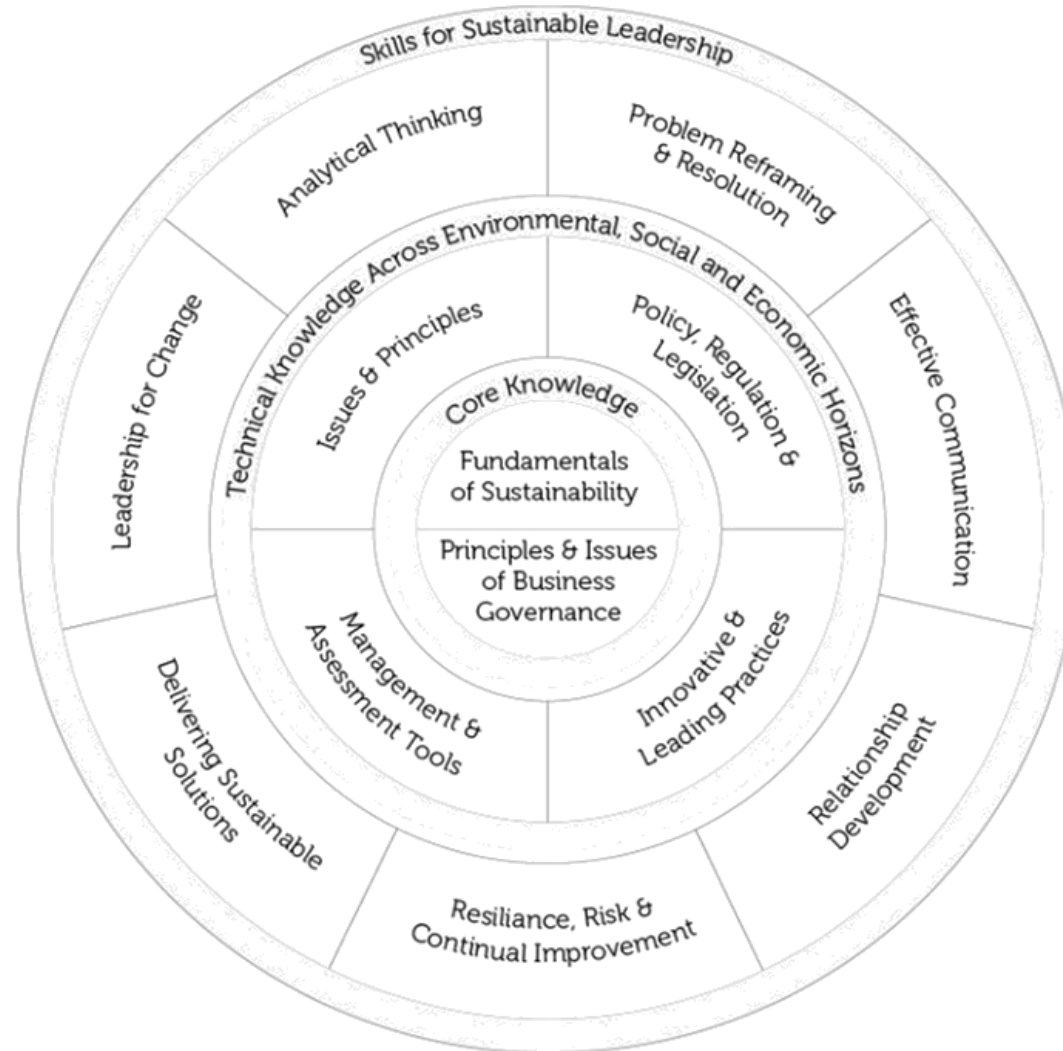


How confident are organisations they have the skills to compete in a sustainable economy?



IEMA Skills Map

Developing
your skills
for the
future!



Thanks!

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