

Private Investment and Economic Development in Iraq



PhD Thesis Outline and Overview

Research overview

The overall research is based on two aspects such as private investment and economic development in Iraq. The PhD Thesis outlines the derivatives of both aspects towards the need to examine the country in terms of potential investment opportunities as well as development of the contemporary aspects of the economy in Iraq. The research combines the background to the problems in private investment and economic development, whereas the hypothesis highlights the importance of the issues in the growth of different sectors of the country.

Background to the research problem

The potential for the investment as well as economic development of Iraq are rooted in the history of the country. The background uncovers the aspects of what could be considered as a good source for investment and development as well as why there is a need in

investment and development along with how this could be measured in the frames of both political and economic position of the country in the world market.

Goals and objectives of the research

The overall purpose for the research is based on the nature of private investment in Iraq. The idea is to understand how private investment could help improve the overall economic situation in the country as well as to help it improve the current conditions. The emphasis is given to the public sector, including the private investment and overall enactment of the government. The major aspects of concerns are how private investment can help to develop the economy of Iraq and constantly maintain its stability. Consequently, the research analyses various economic factors that contribute to the domestic investment as well as foreign direct investment. It is also important to address both the internal and external economic factors that could help improve the economic stability of the country. A special interest is paid at the impact of connections of oil and non-oil countries to the private investment in Iraq. The overall aim is to find out the key strategies to improve the economic growth and maintain its stability and potential development. Finally, it is important to address the possible ways to alleviate the current situation in the country and improve it for the better.

Hypothesis

The hypothesis addresses the importance of understanding the ways of building economic stability for the country in terms of utilising private investment and economic development factors. The core aspects of emphasis are the public sector investment, gross domestic product and its contribution to the economic development, current performance of the private investment in terms of economic factors, political stability towards the overall growth of the country, including both domestic and foreign investment. The major aspect of interest is the oil countries and their interactions with the economy of Iraq in relation to the private investment sector.

Methodology

The key aspects that address methodology of the research are first of all any statistical evidence of its historical implications of economic development that can help trace the possible ways of improving the activity of the public sector by means of examining the private investment into the country. The core elements that are of major importance to the research are various models that could reveal the development prospects for the non-developed countries and could be used to improve the economic stability in Iraq as a whole. The major impact could be addressed towards different data and sample frameworks that positively affected the economic development of the countries with similar problems. The idea is to improve the economic performance by means of managing private investment by means of

various models, techniques and empirical estimations.

Theoretical Framework and Research Questions

The theory is based on the comparison of positive impact added by both public and private investment roles. The overall economic performance of the country is built on its economic growth factors and possible sectors that can support the economy of Iraq on the road to its stability.

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Chapter 1: Introduction

The basic elements that are addressed in the research are the problem with the private investment and economic stability as well as the ways to improve it. The theory is based on the comparison of positive impact of both public and private investment. The important elements to address are economic performance and internal stability. The overall areas of concern are the aims and objectives of the research as well as the possible limitations of data management. A special attention should be given to the economic theories that examine the external and internal factors of economic stability of the country.

Chapter 2: Literature review

The research on private investment and economic development of Iraq is based on the literature of investment theories such as investment framework, decision processes and strategies. The core of the research on investment is addressed to the basics of risk and return, including the analysis of financial markets and worldwide financial environment mechanisms. The research analyses the money flow in terms of banking institutions and corporate investment.

The major interest is addressed towards the private investment and economic development in Iraq. There is a whole research on the empirical framework and its analysis. A special attention is given to the determinants of private investment in the developing non-oil countries compared with the same in the oil countries. Consequently, the analysis of the research is formed towards the private investment in Iraq and its influence on the economic development of the country. It is also important to cover why this takes place today and what are the ways to improve the current situation.

Another emphasis is going through the role of public investment on the private investment. The important elements to consider are the ways on how to create favorable connections with the developing countries. Hence, the vital importance is addressed towards the role of the foreign direct investment that deals directly with the private investment sector as well as the overall economic development of the country. Also, the research addresses the impact on the private investment in terms of the developing countries.

Finally, there is a need to evaluate the nature of private and public investment along with the economic development in the country. At the same time, it is important to find the ways Iraq can contribute to its economic development along with the private investment as a whole.

Chapter 3: Methodology – Research Design

The overall methodology for the paper examines the investment theories and economic development models that are important to define the reasons for the research. The methodology part also considers the aims and objectives towards the hypothesis and statement of evidence. There are different methods to be used; the thing is to make sure they meet the justifications of the described theories for the means of the research. The methodology part will also examine each theory and model used in the research with any further analysis of the statistical data.

Chapter 4: Results

The overall results part is aimed to deliver the data collected from various resources given in the literature review. It makes a target reader ready for the future discussion and in detail examines all the material covered in the available resources. The overall aim of the results part is to address the facts of foreign investment and economic development perspectives along with the historical background and

evidence that shows the past development of the country. The systematically approached results part will cover the aspects of private investment sector as well as the possible economic development implications. It will offer only results and estimated data on the investment and development characteristics.

Chapter 5: Discussion

The importance of the discussion part is to understand the contribution of the research towards the economic development and private investment in Iraq and using the theories and models covered in the methodology paper analyse the outcomes of the results part. The thing is to come up with the framework for the combination of economic factors that define investment stability in the country. The discussion part is closely related to the research framework considering the same elements: foreign investment and economic development. The outcome of the discussion is the answer to the questions that addressed the problem areas of the research.

Chapter 6: Conclusion

Finally, the ending part of the research examines the hypothesis and possible recommendations for the economic development and private investment perspectives in the country. The thing is to match them with the research questions and objectives. It should cover all the chapters of the dissertation with no further discussion, just

concluding arguments that address the combination of improvements and solutions for the overall position of the country. Obviously, there should be some limitations to the research and statements towards any future research for the perspectives of the economy and investment in Iraq.