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Value Through Knowledge

FIELD SNAPSHOT

Strong **applied orientation**

High **relevance** to industry and innovation

OVERALL PERFORMANCE

Most units scored 3–4
(Good to Very Good)

Heterogeneous performance across institutions

RESEARCH QUALITY

Strong **applied research**

Limited fundamental research base

IMPACT ON SCIENTIFIC DISCIPLINE

Moderate international visibility

Leading units **perform strongly**

ECONOMIC IMPACT

Strong industry **collaboration**

Technology transfer and **innovation** activities

SOCIAL IMPACT

Contribution to **economic development**

Supports **national innovation** priorities

INFRASTRUCTURE & ENVIRONMENT

Modern infrastructure

Need for **stronger research career** structures

DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL FUTURE DIRECTIONS

High **potential** through industry links

Constraints from small research teams



Strengthen fundamental research

Increase international leadership

Improve talent attraction