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香港金融管理局

Coordinating legal, regulatory and policy responses

Promoting access to credit

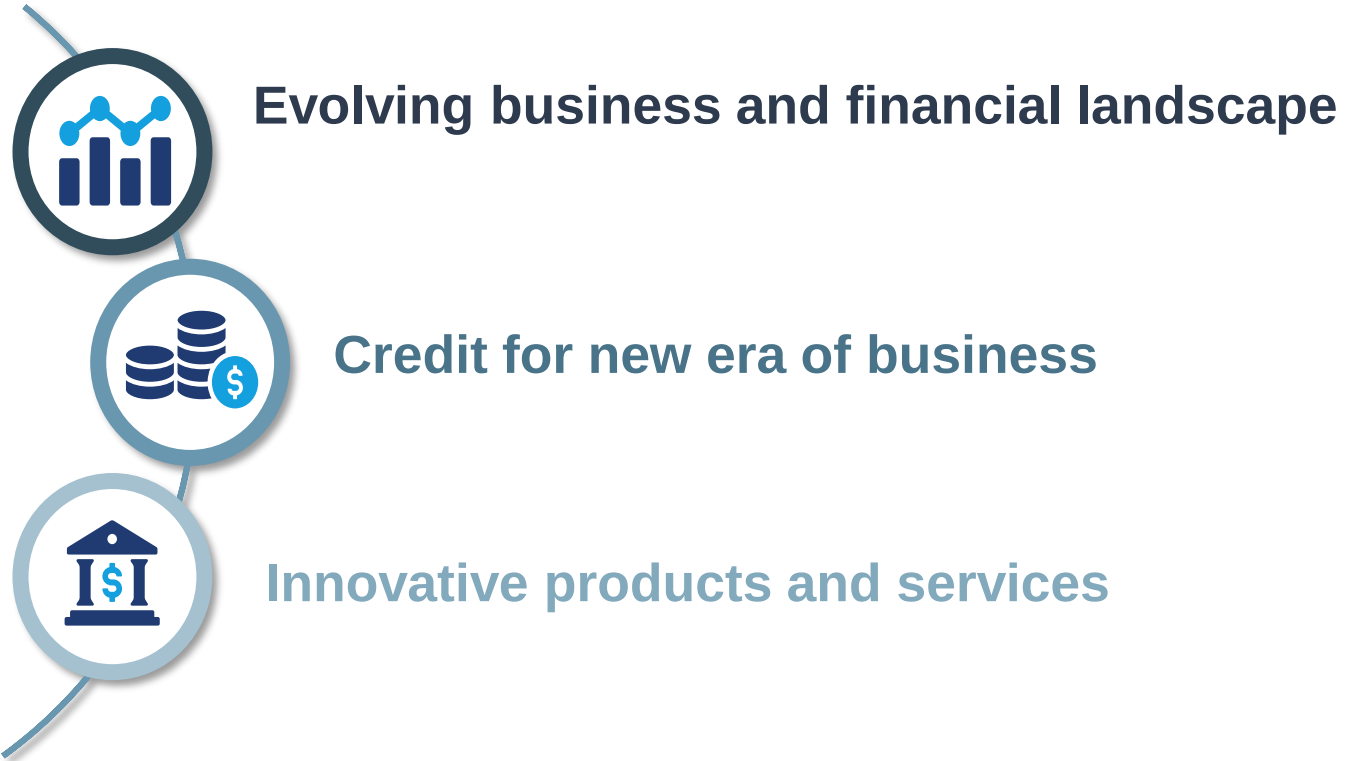
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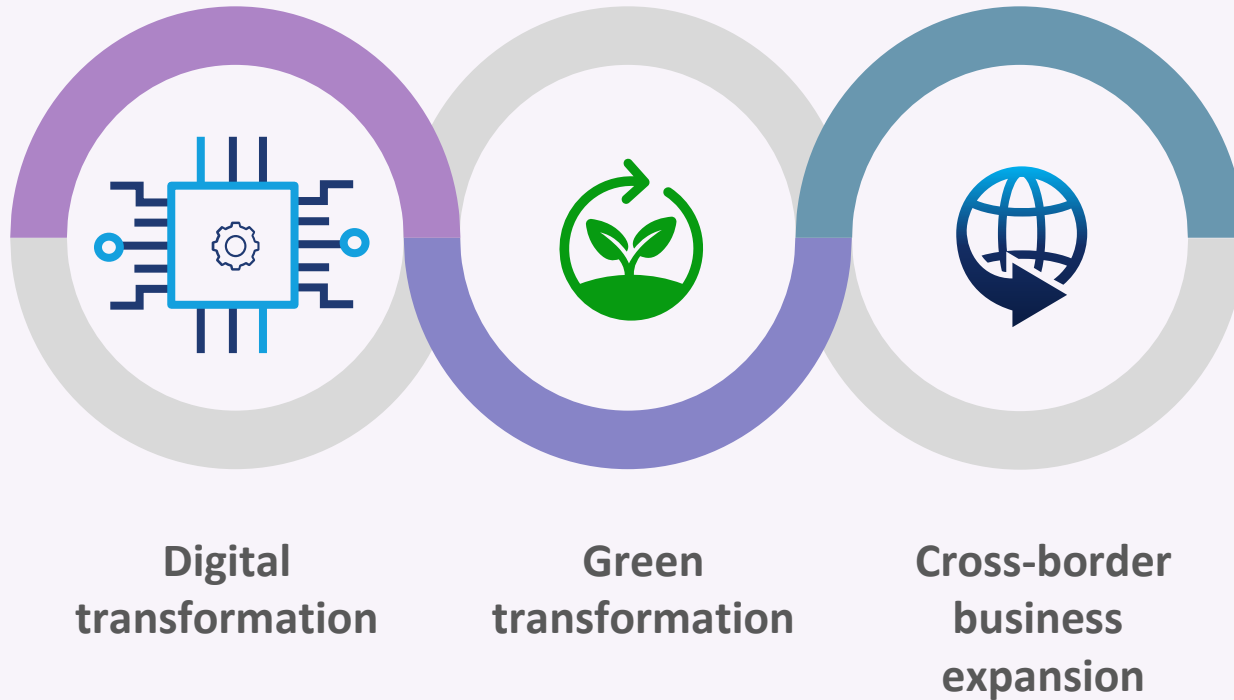


Technology and innovation are redefining credit demand and supply





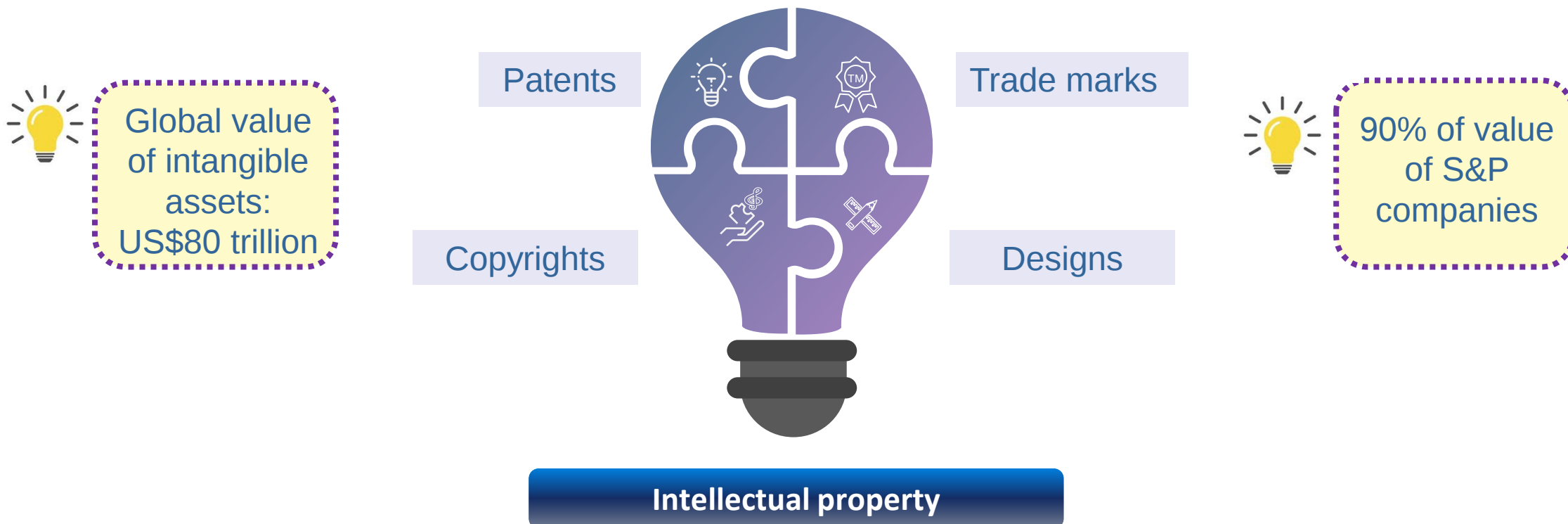
Emerging credit demand of SMEs for transformation





Next frontier of credit – intellectual property as a financial asset

Turning intangible assets into tangible credit





Balanced supervisory approach – credit risk and credit flow

Encourage banks to support real economy, especially SMEs



Taskforce on SME Lending



Support measures



>230

Engagement events

Enhance data infrastructure to facilitate credit risk assessment

Commercial Data Interchange (CDI)

71,000

Facilitated Loan Applications and Reviews



HK\$58.1bn

Estimated Approved Credits

Cross-boundary Data Validation

10+

Banks and Credit Reference Agencies



HK\$150mn+

Facilitated Approved Loans



Balanced supervisory approach – responsible innovation

**Fintech
Supervisory
Sandbox**



**GenA.I.
Sandbox**



**Supervisory
Incubator for
DLT**



**IP Financing
Sandbox**





Fostering resilient, future-ready bank financing for SMEs

Equilibration



Innovation

Collaboration