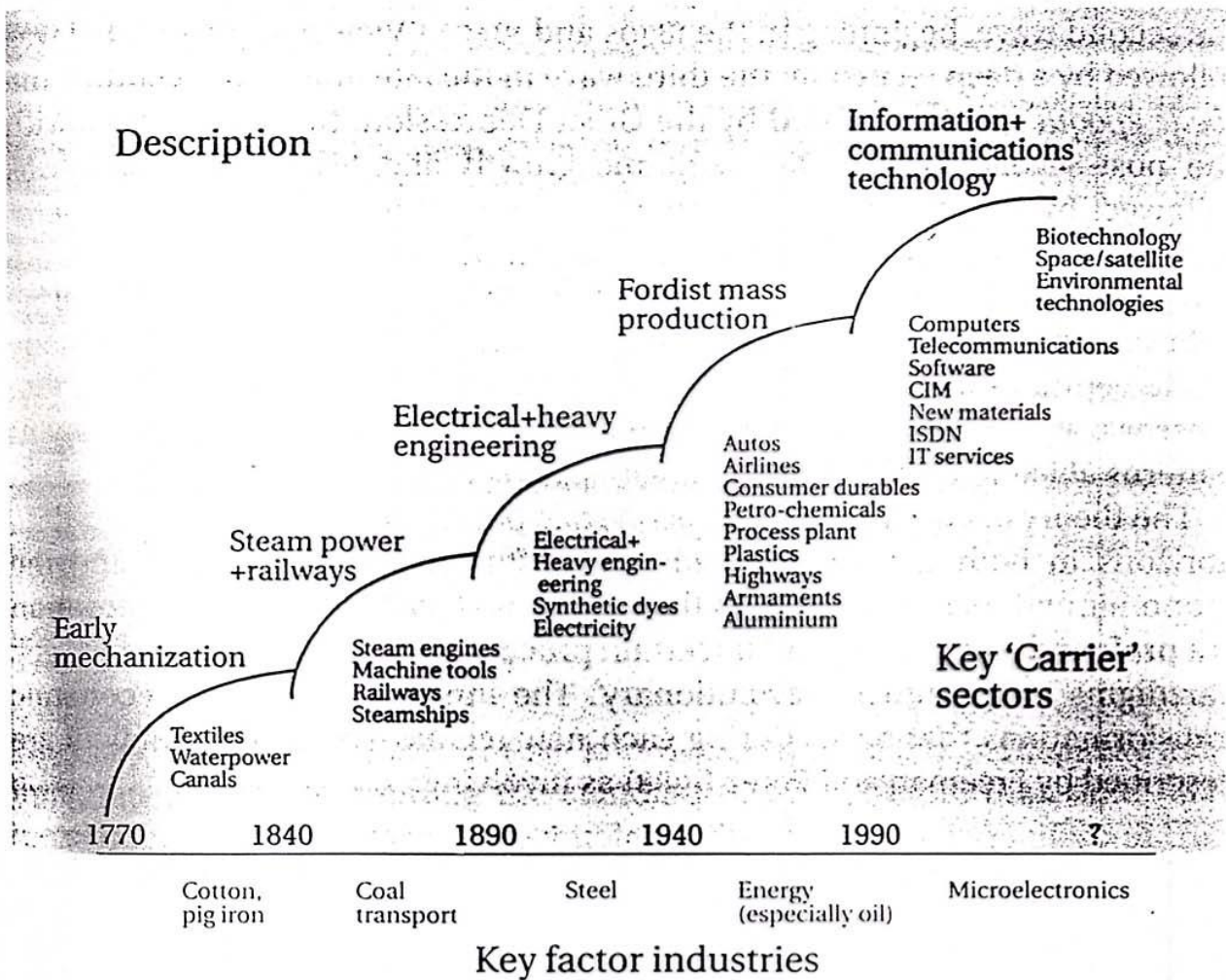


**CAPÍTULO 2**

**PADRÕES DE  
MUDANÇA NAS  
TECNOLOGIAS E NOS  
MERCADOS**

## **2.1. A CURVA S: EVOLUÇÃO E ADOPÇÃO DE TECNOLOGIAS**



Waves of technological development, 1770–1990

Fonte: Dodgson (2000)

**Box 2.1. Major features of industry, 1950s–1990s**

1950s and 1960s  
'Convergence & aggregation'  
(the 4th wave?)

Dominance of large-scale, vertically integrated firms

Mass production systems, dedicated machinery

Mass, stable, standardized markets

Centralized management

Monopoly and oligopoly

Strongly directive government, state-owned utilities and telecoms, protectionist industry policies, tri-partisanship between government, unions and employers

Strong role of trade unions: from policy-making to demarcation decisions

Separation of management and ownership

Full-time secure employment

Some internationalization of industrial production

Nationalism in trade and industry policies

Predominance of Western models of management

Science and research undertaken in universities and large firms

Technology development a feature of individual firms; not-invented-here syndrome; anti-trust legislation

Clear distinction between manufacturing, services, and resources sectors

Competitiveness derived from tangible assets: capital, land, and labour

1990s onwards  
'Divergence & disaggregation'  
(the 5th wave?)

Decentralized, network-based, flexible firms

Lean production systems, flexible machinery

Niche, rapidly changing markets, customer sovereignty

Decentralized management

Intense competition

Non-interventionism, privatization and deregulation, government as regulator not provider, free-trade policies

Declining power of unions, employers' concern for 'employees', multiskilling

Share-owning incentives and management buy-outs

Significant part-time, contractual employment

Globalization of business

Pan-nationalism in trade and industry (EU, NAFTA, APEC)

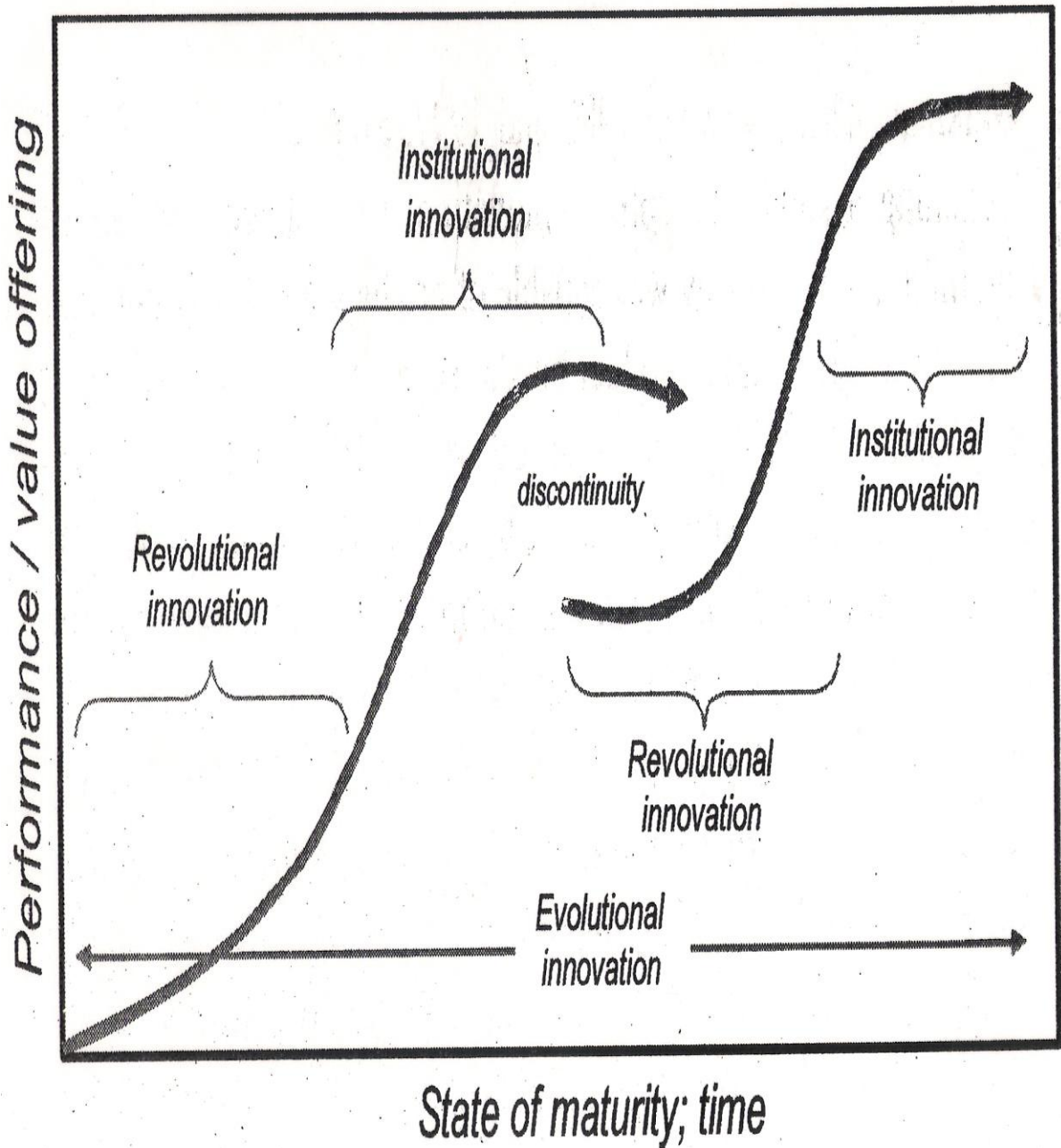
Integration of international best practice in models of management

Substantial increase in scale and scope of science and research and diversity in provision ('the new production of knowledge')

Technological collaboration a feature of government policies and corporate strategies

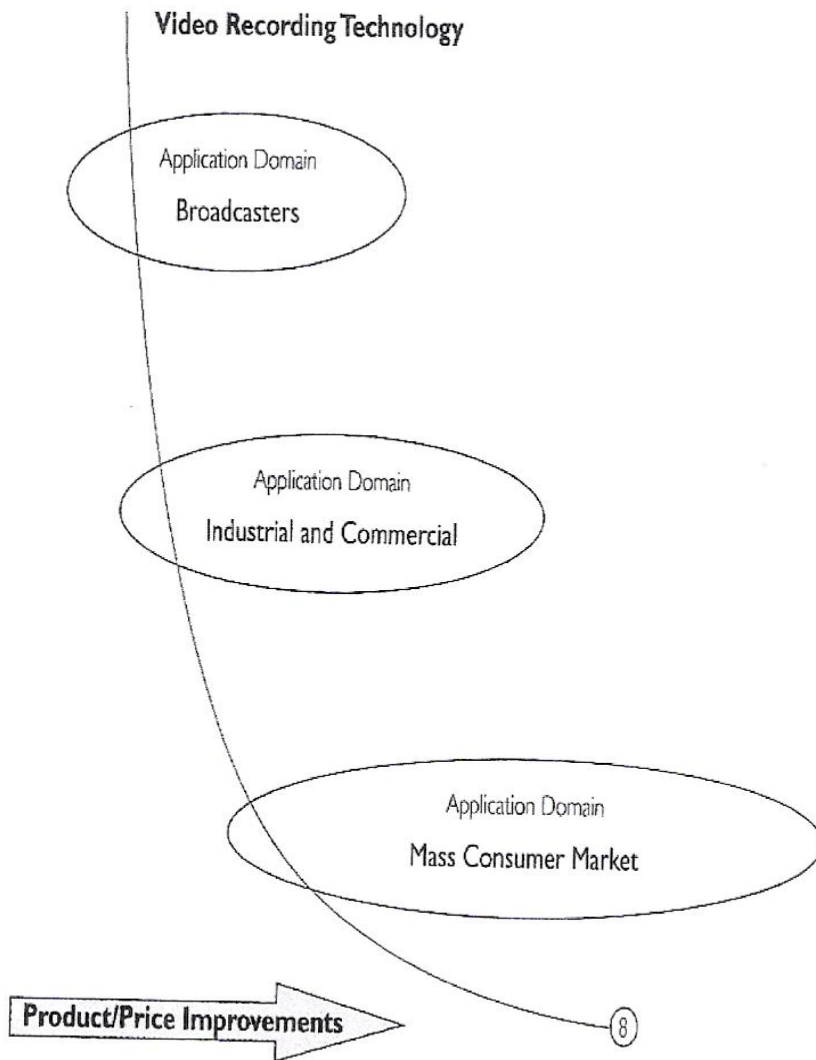
Blurred boundaries in the knowledge economy

Competitiveness derived from intangible assets: skills, capabilities, creativity.



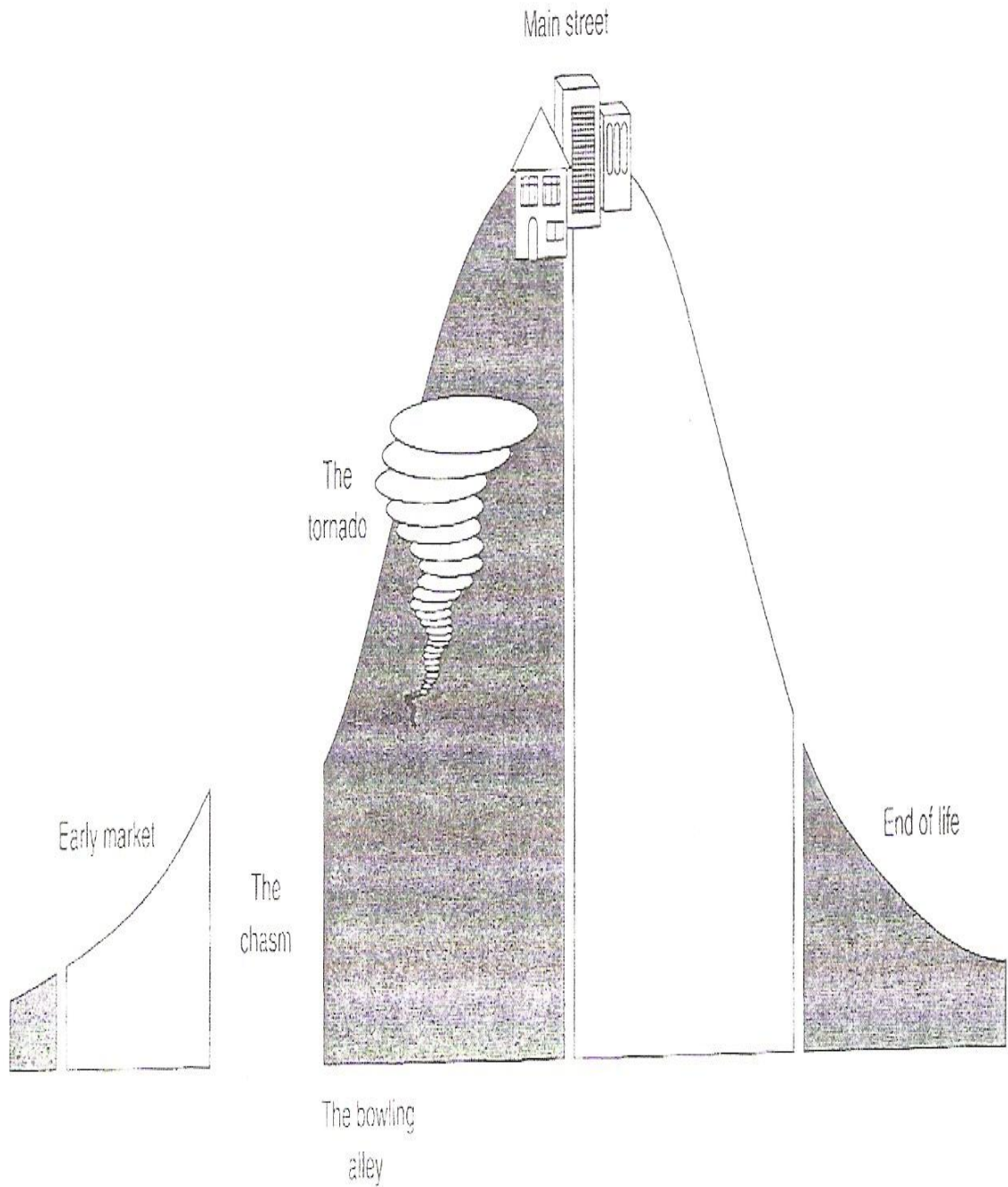
**Figure 6.3** Innovation cycles and management implications for their strategic management

**FIGURE 3.** Technology Evolution and Penetration of Application Domains by Video Recorders



Fonte: Ron Adner e Daniel Levinthal (2003), 'The emergence of emerging technologies', California Management Review, Vol. 45, n.º1, pp. 50-66.

# EXHIBIT 4 The Landscape of the Technology Adoption Life Cycle.



**Fonte:** Moore (2000)

## **2.2. TRAJECTÓRIAS TECNOLÓGICAS**



# TRAJECTÓRIAS TECNOLÓGICAS

TRAJECTÓRIA TECNOLÓGICA é “a actividade de progresso tecnológico através dos trade-offs económicos e tecnológicos definidos por um paradigma\*” (Dosi e Orsenigo, 1988)

As trajectórias tecnológicas definem caminhos possíveis de evolução tecnológica

As estratégias de inovação empresarial são condicionadas pelos caminhos percorridos, nomeadamente em resultado de 2 tipos de restrições:

- Estado actual do conhecimento tecnológico
- Competências acumuladas (Base de Conhecimentos)

\*Um paradigma tecnológico incorpora um conjunto de propriedades técnicas, heurísticas de solução de problemas e experiência acumulada. Cada paradigma envolve uma definição dos problemas a abordar, das tarefas a desempenhar, do padrão de investigação, da tecnologia material a ser utilizada, e dos tipos de artefactos básicos a serem desenvolvidos e melhorados (Dosi e Orsenigo, 1988: 16)

**Table 5.1** Five major technological trajectories

|                                   | <b>Supplier-dominated</b>  | <b>Scale-intensive</b>  | <b>Information-intensive</b>  | <b>Science-based</b>  | <b>Specialized suppliers</b>  |
|-----------------------------------|--|---|---|---|---|
| Typical core sectors              | Agriculture<br>Services<br>Traditional manufacture                       | Bulk materials<br>Automobiles<br>Civil<br>Engineering   | Finance<br>Retailing<br>Publishing<br>Travel  | Electronics<br>Chemicals  | Machinery<br>Instruments<br>Software                                  |
| Main sources of technology        | Suppliers<br>Production learning   | Production engineering<br>Production learning<br>Design offices<br>Specialised suppliers                  | Software and systems departments<br>Specialised suppliers   | R&D<br>Basic research   | Design<br>Advanced users  |
| Main tasks of technology strategy | Use technology from elsewhere to strengthen other competitive advantages | Incremental integration of changes in complex systems<br>Diffusion of best design and production practice | Design and operation of complex information processing systems<br>Development of related products | Exploit basic science<br>Development of related products<br>Obtain complementary assets<br>Redraw divisional boundaries | Monitor advanced user needs<br>Integrate new technology incrementally |

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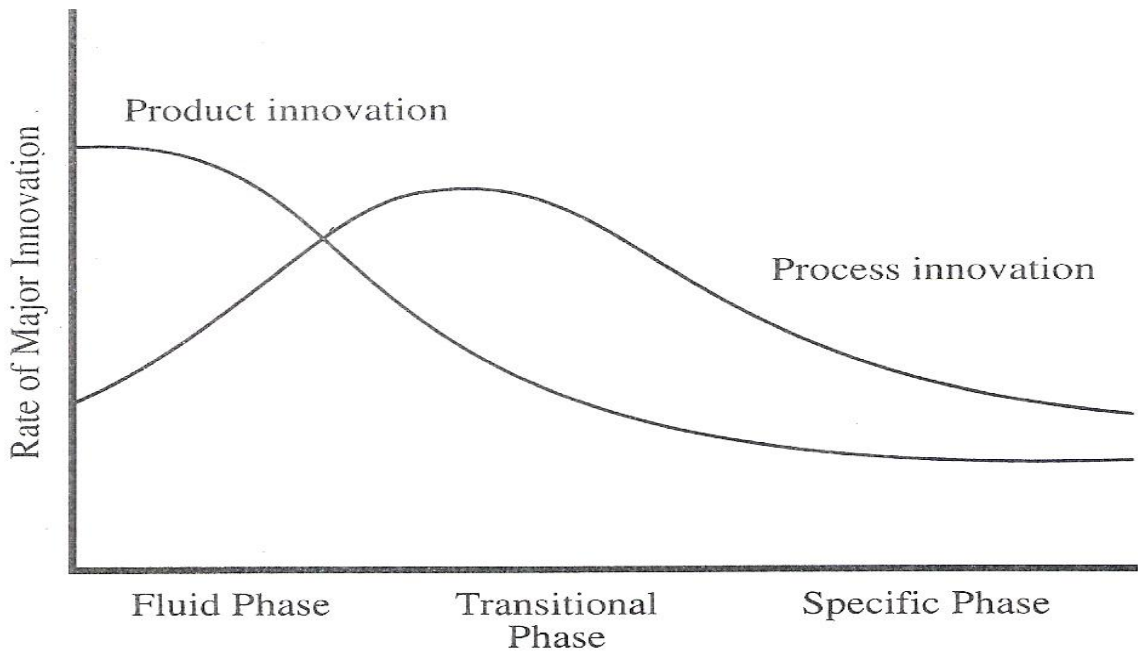
## **2.3. DESCONTINUIDADES TECNOLÓGICAS:**

**DOS NOVOS  
PARADIGMAS ÀS  
CONCEPÇÕES  
DOMINANTES E ÀS  
PLATAFORMAS**

FIGURE 8-2. Waves of Innovation and Change

| Industry              | Waves of Innovation   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Typewriters           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• manual</li> <li>• electric</li> <li>• word processors</li> <li>• personal computers with word-processing software</li> </ul>                           |
| Ice and refrigeration | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• harvested ice</li> <li>• machine-made ice</li> <li>• electromechanical refrigeration</li> <li>• aseptic packaging</li> </ul>                           |
| Lighting              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• candles and oil lamps</li> <li>• distilled gas</li> <li>• incandescent electric lamps</li> <li>• fluorescent lamps</li> </ul>                          |
| Plate glassmaking     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• crown glass</li> <li>• cast glass</li> <li>• float glass</li> </ul>  |
| Photography           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• daguerrotype</li> <li>• tin type</li> <li>• glass plates</li> <li>• dry plates</li> <li>• celluloid roll film</li> <li>• electronic imaging</li> </ul> |

FIGURE 4-3. The Dynamics of Innovation

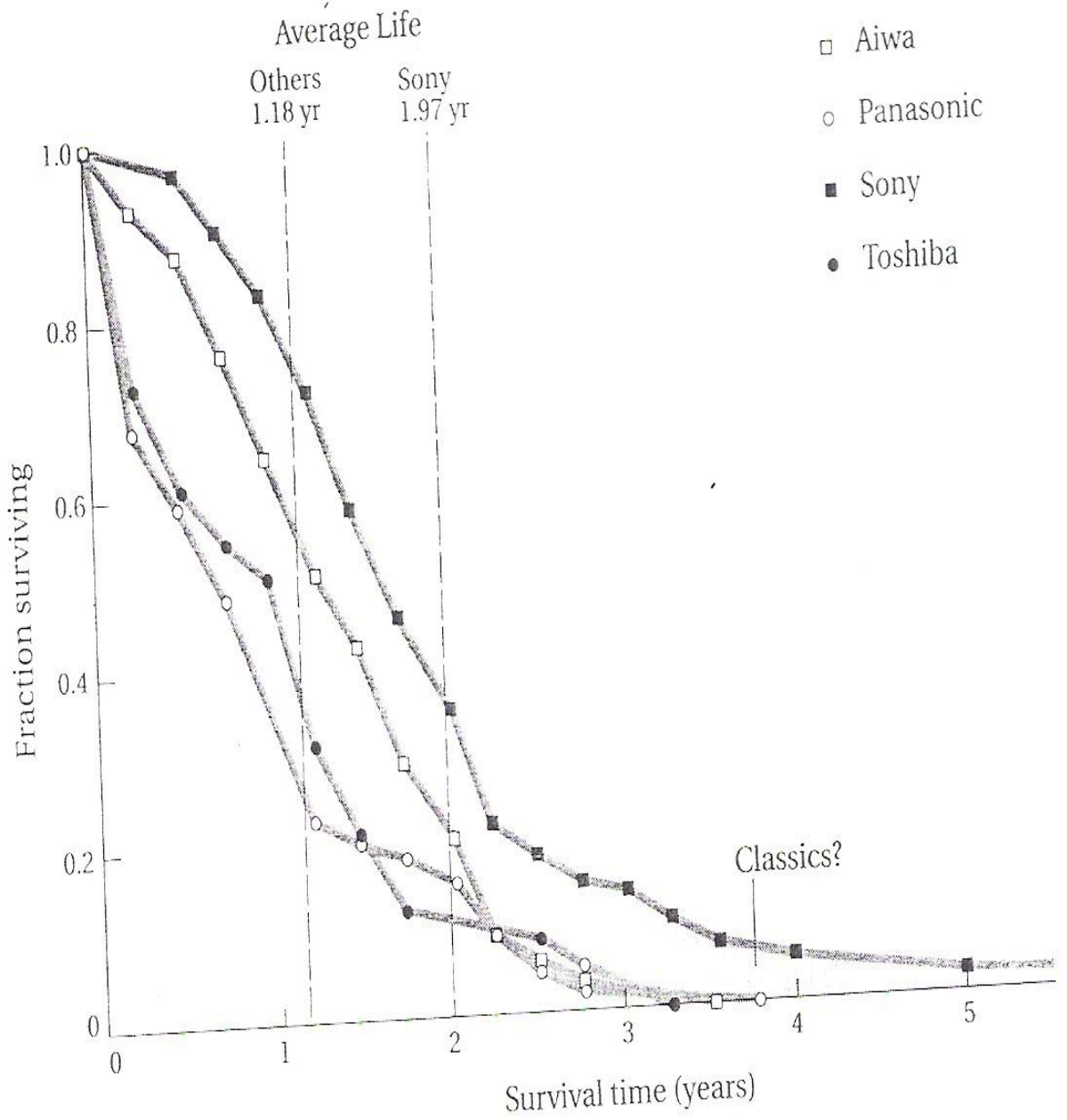


|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| Product      | From high variety, to dominant design, to incremental innovation on standardized products   |
| Process      | Manufacturing progresses from heavy reliance on skilled labor and general-purpose equipment to specialized equipment tended by low-skilled labor          |
| Organization | From entrepreneurial <i>organic</i> firm to hierarchical <i>mechanistic</i> firm with defined tasks and procedures and few rewards for radical innovation |
| Market       | From fragmented and unstable with diverse products and rapid feedback to commodity-like with largely undifferentiated products                            |
| Competition  | From many small firms with unique products to an oligopoly of firms with similar products   |

FIGURE 4-4. Significant Characteristics in the Three Phases of Industrial Innovation

|                                     | Fluid phase  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Innovation                          | Frequent major product changes   |
| Source of innovation                | Industry pioneers; product users   |
| Products                            | Diverse designs, often customized  |
| Production processes                | Flexible and inefficient, major changes easily accommodated              |
| R&D                                 | Focus unspecified because of high degree of technical uncertainty        |
| Equipment                           | General-purpose, requiring skilled labor                                 |
| Plant                               | Small-scale, located near user or source of innovation                   |
| Cost of process change              | Low  |
| Competitors                         | Few, but growing in numbers with widely fluctuating market shares        |
| Basis of competition                | Functional product performance   |
| Organizational control              | Informal and entrepreneurial   |
| Vulnerabilities of industry leaders | To imitators, and patent challenges; to successful product breakthroughs |

| Transitional phase   | Specific phase  |
|--|---|
| Major process changes required by rising demand                                  | Incremental for product and with cumulative improvements in productivity and quality      |
| Manufacturers; users   | Often suppliers   |
| At least one product design, stable enough to have significant production volume | Mostly undifferentiated, standard products  |
| Becoming more rigid, with changes occurring in major steps                       | Efficient, capital intensive, and rigid; cost of change high                              |
| Focus on specific product features once dominant design emerges                  | Focus on incremental product technologies; emphasis on process technology                 |
| Some subprocesses automated, creating islands of automation                      | Special-purpose, mostly automatic, with labor focused on tending and monitoring equipment |
| General-purpose with specialized sections  | Large-scale, highly specific to particular products                                       |
| Moderate   | High  |
| Many, but declining in numbers after emergence of dominant design                | Few; classic oligopoly with stable market shares  |
| Product variation; fitness for use   | Price   |
| Through project and task groups  | Structure, rules, and goals   |
| To more efficient and higher-quality producers                                   | To technological innovations that present superior product substitutes                    |



**FIGURE 9-3. Competence-Destroying Product and Process Discontinuities**

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <p><b>Assembled/ Substitutes</b><br/>           Photolithographic aligners (A)<br/>           Radial tires (A)<br/>           Diesel locomotive (A)<br/>           Ballpoint pen (A)<br/>           Jet aircraft engine (A)<br/>           Refrigerators (A)<br/>           Incandescent lamps (A)<br/>           All-steel automobile (A)</p> | <p><b>Assembled/ Market Broadening</b><br/>           Solid-state minicomputers (N)<br/>           Integrated circuits minis (A)<br/>           Transistor (A)<br/>           Electronic calculator (A)<br/>           Tufted carpet (A)<br/>           Massively parallel supercomputers (A)</p>                          |
| <p><b>Nonassembled/ Substitutes</b><br/>           Suspended preheating (D)<br/>           Glass drawing (D)<br/>           Continuous forming (D)<br/>           Float glass process (D)<br/>           Basic oxygen steel (A)<br/>           Direct reduction of iron (A)<br/>           Optical fibers (A)</p>                              | <p><b>Nonassembled/ Broadening</b><br/>           Rotary kiln (A)<br/>           Container machine (N)<br/>           Owens process (A)<br/>           Vinyl (E)<br/>           Celluloid film (A)<br/>           Manufactured ice (A)<br/>           Synthetic gems (A)<br/>           Small liquid oxygen plants (A)</p> |

(A) denotes an innovation originated predominantly from a new entrant or attacker; (D) denotes an innovation originated predominantly from an established firm or defender; (N) denotes that the origin of the innovation has not been classified, mainly cases in which no prior industry existed.



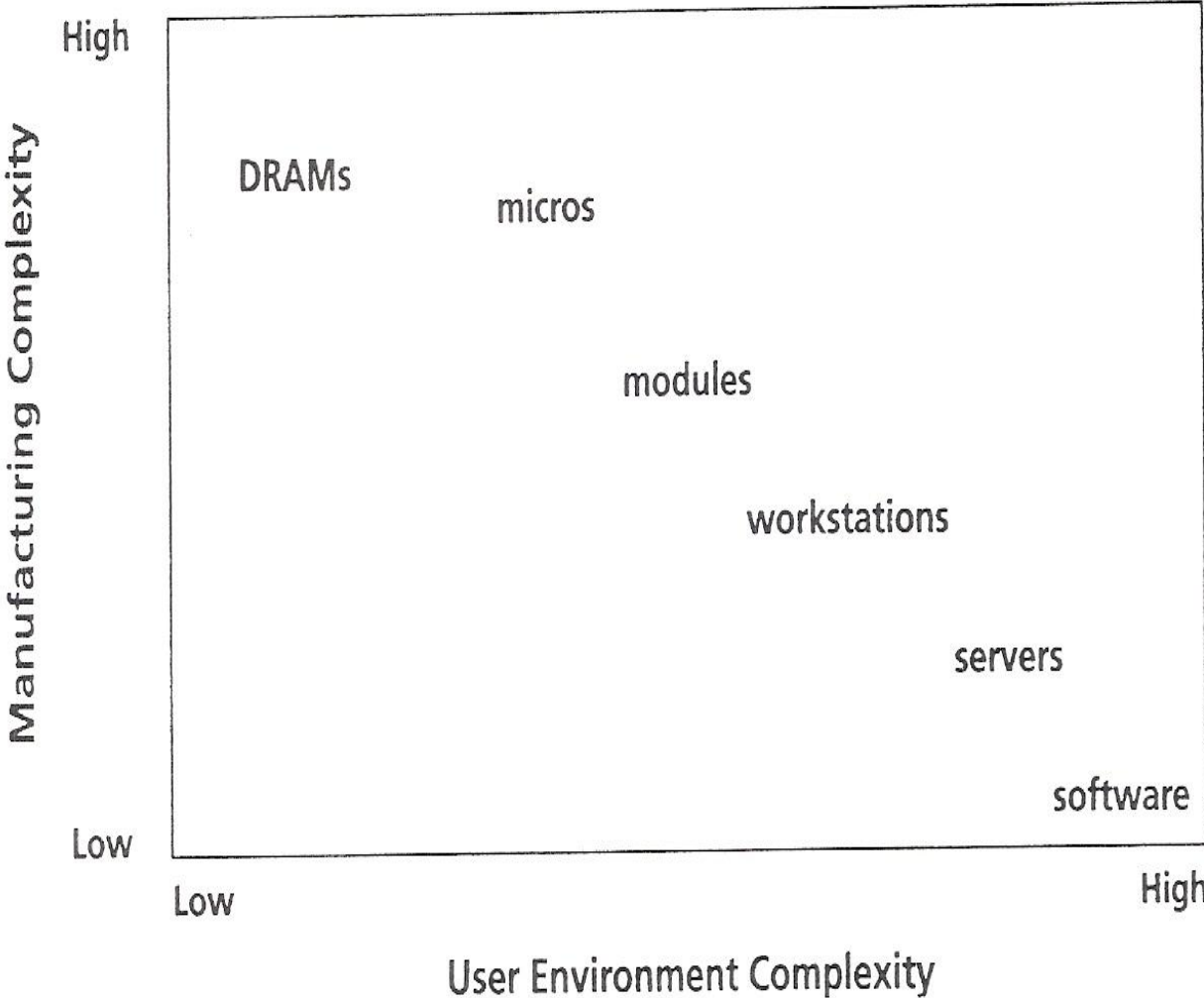
FIGURE 9-4. Competence-Enhancing Product and Process Discontinuities

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <p><b>Assembled/ Substitutes</b><br/>           Nuclear steam supply (A)<br/>           Air-cooled engines (D)<br/>           Nylon tire cord (N)<br/>           Hydrogen-cooled generator (D)<br/>           Fluorescent lamps (N)</p>  | <p><b>Assembled/ Market Broadening</b><br/>           Semiconductor memory (D)<br/>           Electric typewriter (A)</p> |
| <p><b>Nonassembled/ Substitutes</b><br/>           Computerized kiln (D)<br/>           Edison long kiln (D)<br/>           Machine cylinder glass (D)<br/>           Gob-fed bottle machine (D)<br/>           Double gob machine (D)<br/>           Continuous casting (D)<br/>           Continuous drawn copper (D)<br/>           Oriented strand board (D)</p> | <p><b>Nonassembled/ Broadening</b><br/>           Integrated circuits (A)<br/>           Continuous vertical kiln (A)</p> |

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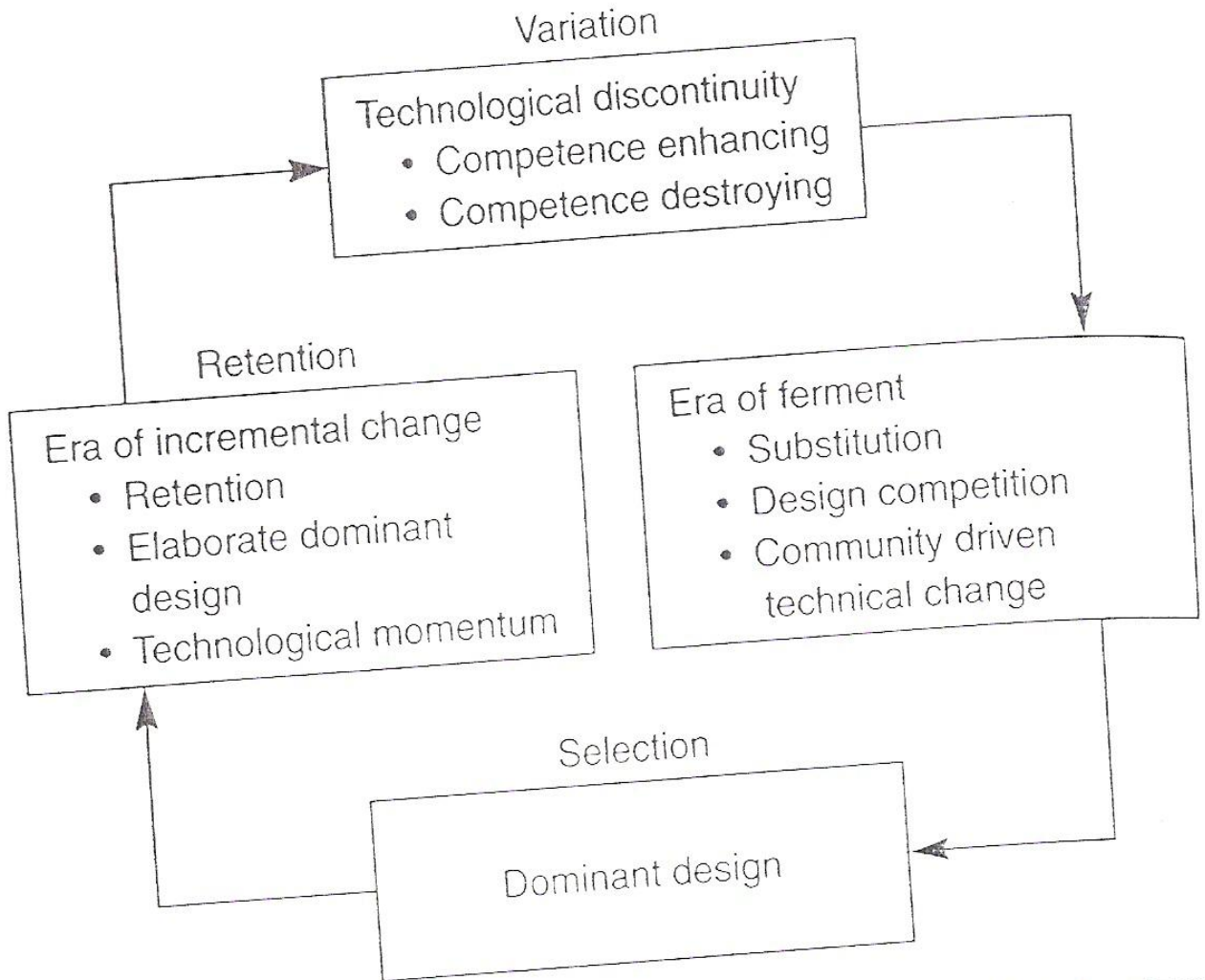
**FIGURE 3-3**

### Sources of Complexity in the Empirical Environments



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# EXHIBIT 1 A Technology Cycle



# PLATAFORMAS:

## ❖ A PLATAFORMA

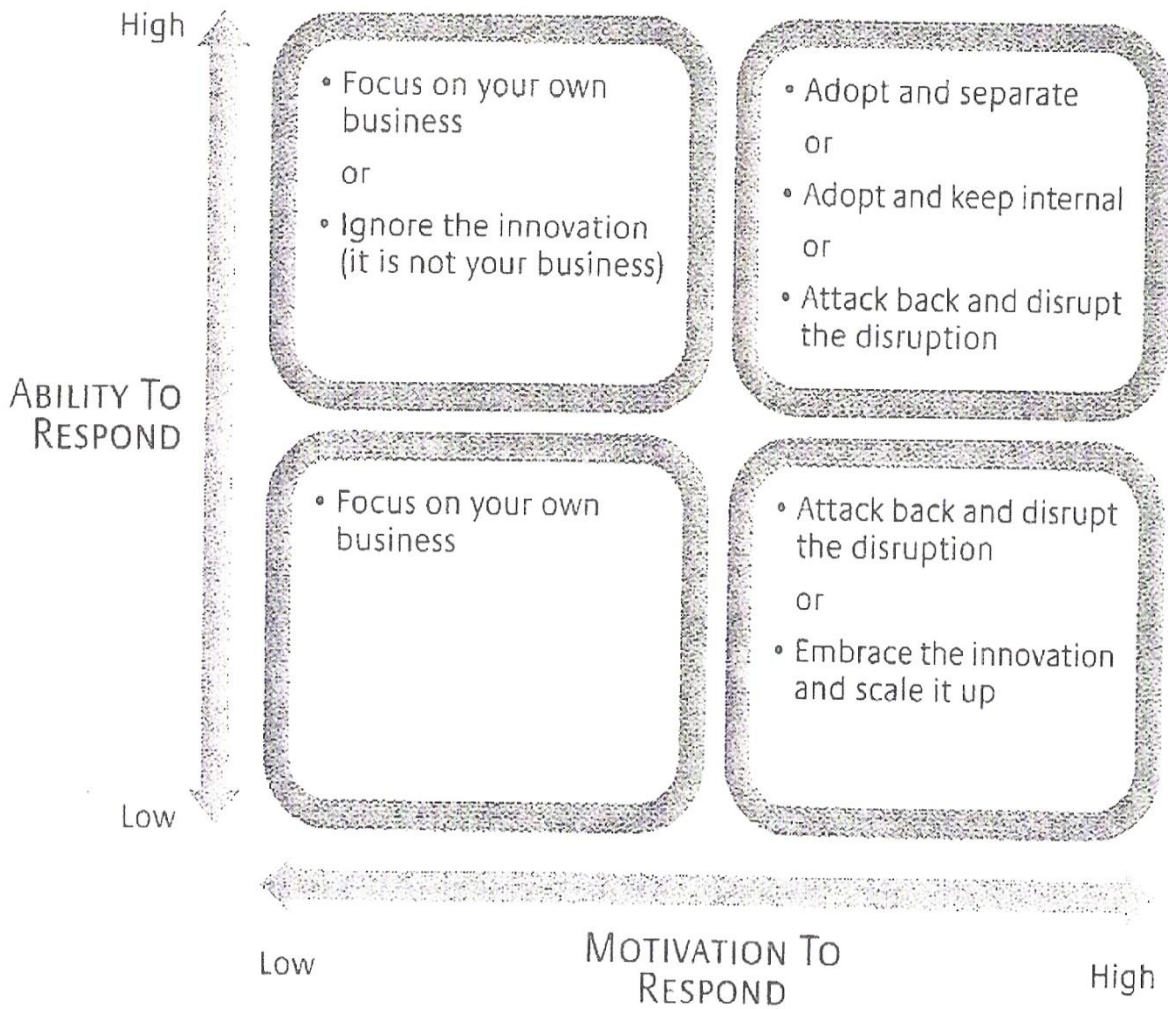
como base orientadora do desenvolvimento de novas aplicações/modelos e como base de redução de custos de produção

## ❖ PLATAFORMAS E DESENHOS ROBUSTOS

Exemplos

SONY: 200 modelos diferentes do Walkman baseados em 3 plataformas

INDÚSTRIA AUTOMÓVEL: A plataforma como base de concepção e produção de diversos modelos



Fonte: Constantinos Charitou e Constantinos Markides (2003), 'Response to disruptive strategic innovation', Sloan Management Review, Winter, p. 55-63

## **2.4. AS BATALHAS PELA DOMINÂNCIA TECNOLÓGICA**

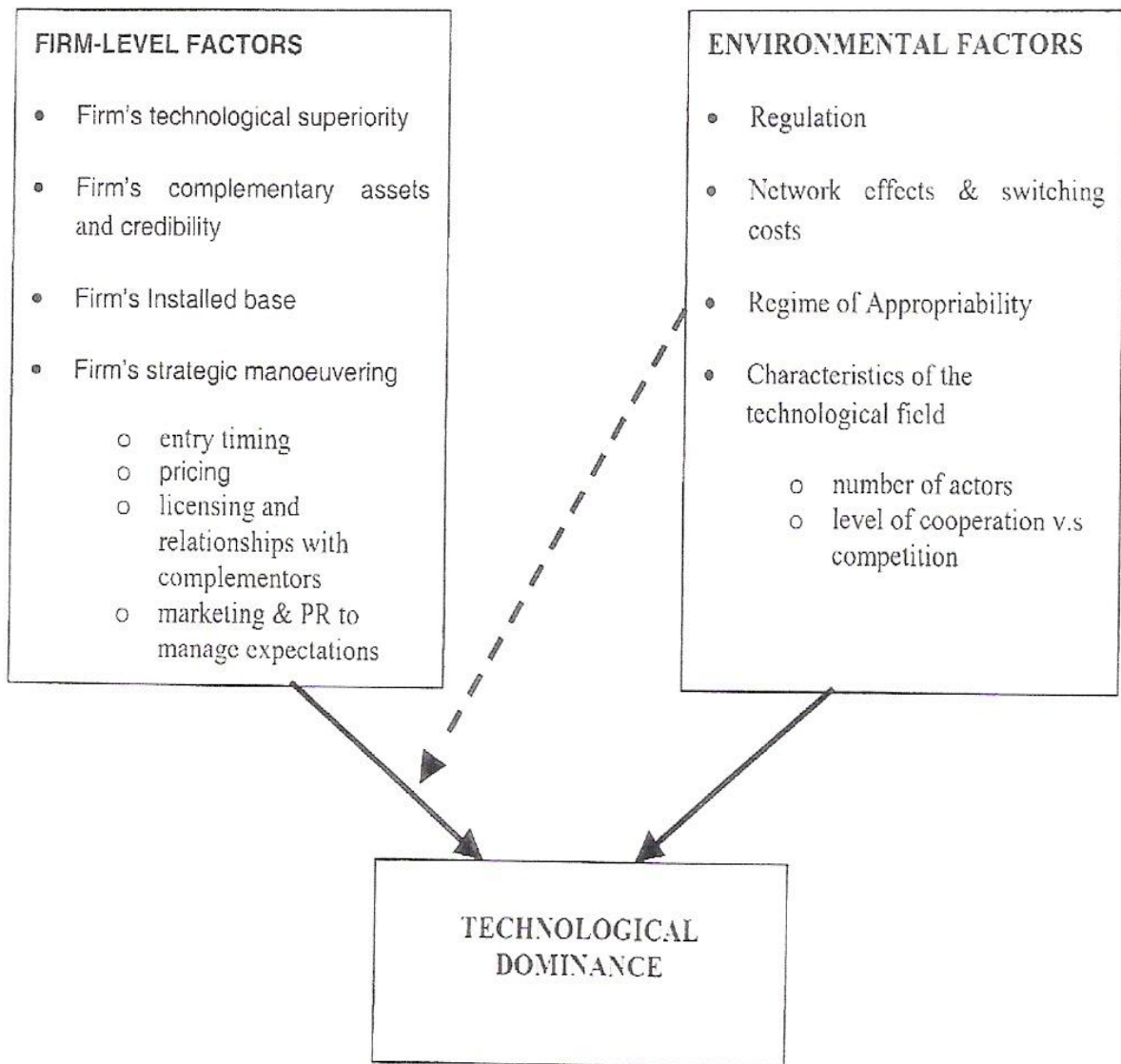
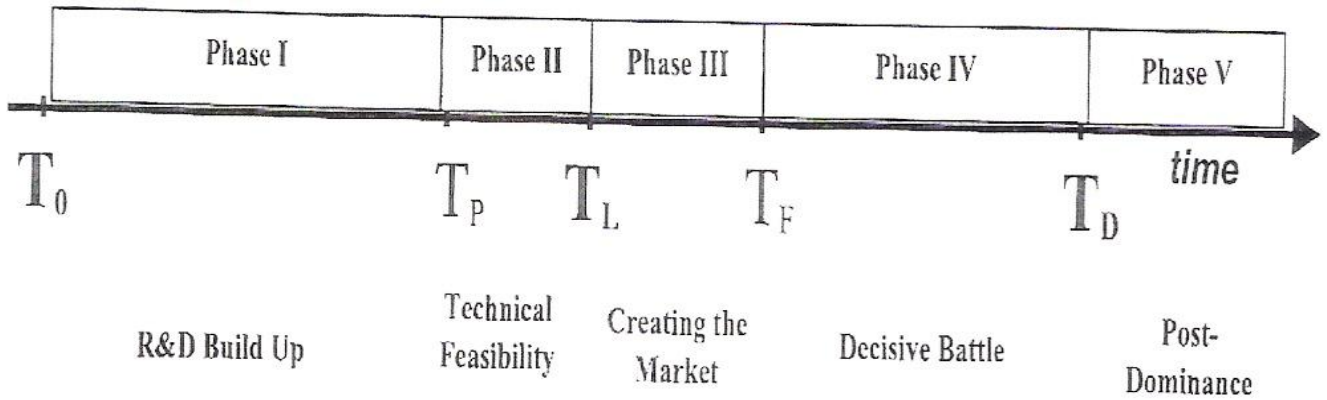


Fig. 1. Firm- and environment-level factors influencing the outcome of technology battles.

**Fonte:** Fernando Suarez (2004), 'Battles for technological dominance: an integrative framework', *Research Policy*, Vol. 33, pp. 271-286



| Factor Type         | Dominance Factor                           | Phase I | Phase II | Phase III | Phase IV | Phase V |
|---------------------|--|---------|----------|-----------|----------|---------|
| Firm-level          | Technological superiority                  |         | ***      |           |          |         |
|                     | Credibility/complementary Assets           | ***     |          |           | ***      |         |
|                     | Installed base                             |         |          |           | ***      | ***     |
|                     | Strategic manoeuvring                      |         |          | ***       |          |         |
| Environmental level | Regulation                                 |         | ***      |           |          |         |
|                     | Network effects and switching costs        |         |          |           | ***      | ***     |
|                     | Regime of Appropriability                  | ***     |          |           |          |         |
|                     | Characteristics of the technological field | ***     |          |           |          |         |

Fig. 3. Key factors of success at each stage of the dominance process.

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