



# VOCATIONAL EDUCATION IN TURKEY

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# The content

- School system
- Background on the national VET project in TR
- Details of the national VET project
- The current project

# Background

- Compulsory education: 4+4+4
- Secondary schools: theme-based since 2005
- Vocational and technical education
- Focus



# Secondary Education

## 1. Academic Secondary Education

General Secondary schools

Science schools

Social Sciences Schools

Anatolian schools

Anatolian Fine Arts schools

Anatolian teacher training schools

Anatolian religious schools

## 2. Vocational and Technical Secondary Education

Industrial Vocational schools

Technical schools

Anatolian technical schools

Anatolian Vocational schools (for female or male)

Military schools

Maritime Voc. Schools

Voc. Schools for justice

Anatolian land registry and cadastre Voc. Schools

Voc. Schools for public health

Voc. Schools for agriculture

# Aksaray Vocational School of Trade

Vocational and Technical Secondary Education

→ Technical school

- Accounting and Finance
- Marketing and Retail
- Office Management and Secretarial
- Information Technology



# Current Situation of Voc. Secondary Education

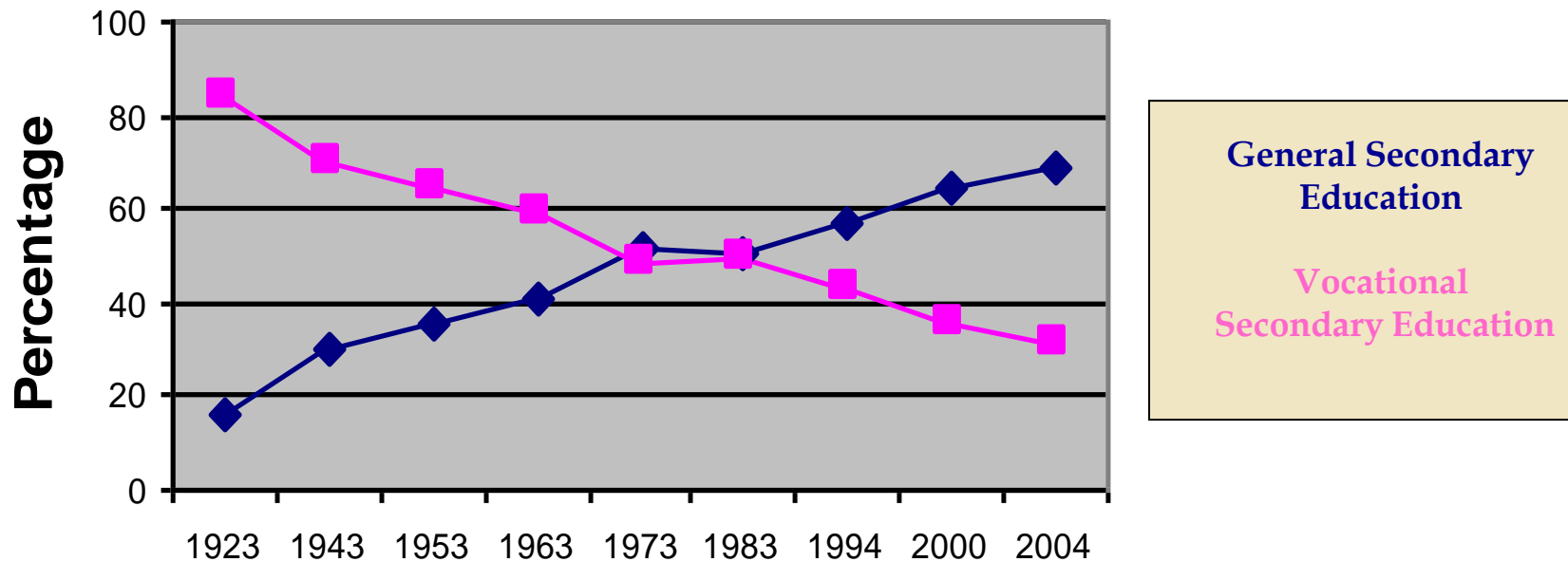
- 25-35% receiving voc. ed.
- 65-70% is targeted.
- High rate of young population





# The Problem

Distribution of the Student Numbers in General and Vocational and Technical  
Secondary Education (Percentage) (1923-2004)

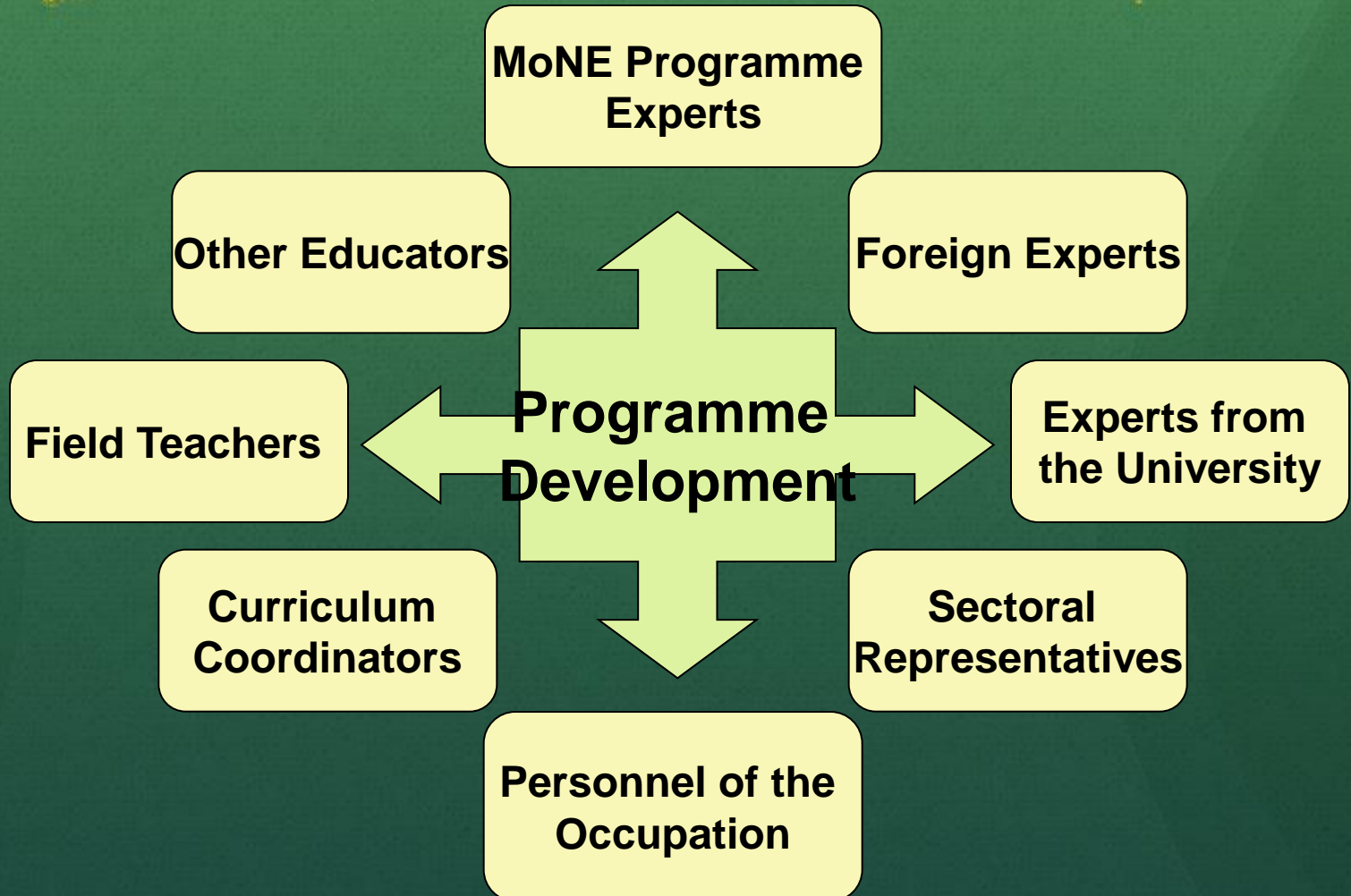


# The BIG PROJECT: Improving Voc. education

- 1- Labour Market and Skill Needs Analysis
- 2- Occupational Standards (ISCO 88, ILO)
- 3- Training Standards (ISCED 97, UNESCO)
- 4- Curricula
- 5- Certification



# SYSTEM FOR PROGRAMME DEVELOPMENT 2004-2005



# National Agenda: School industry cooperations

- School-industry partnership protocols
- Development of Life Long Learning concept for Turkey
- Quality assurance systems
- Training of school and training centre managers



# Your project

- The government's efforts in VET
- What's left?
- International collaborative exemplary projects
- Motivation & counselling

**Good Luck  
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Thank YOU!**