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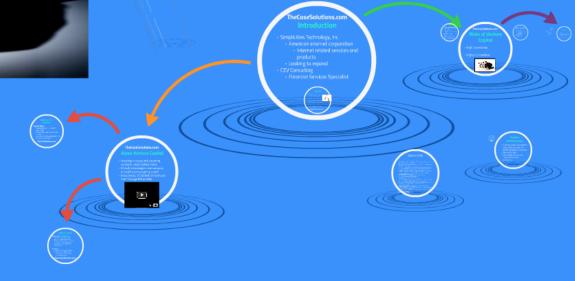
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# Agenda

- 1. Introduction
  - 2. About Venture Capital
- 3. Effects on the Economy
  - 4. Risks of Venture Capital
- 5. Profitability and Success of VC
  - 6. Successful VC funds
- 7. Recommendation/Summary





- Simplicities Technology, Inc.
  - American internet corporation
    - Internet related services and products
  - · Looking to expand
- CEV Consulting
  - Financial Services Specialist





- Investing in young and upcoming company, mostly Silicon Valley
- A few fund managers and company or wealthy person giving capital
- If successful, VC backed company will "exit" through IPO or M&A.



# Effects on the Economy

### **Negative Effects:**

- Disappointing venture capital performance
- Plateau-like growth of innovative startups
- Declining IPOs (initial public offerings or stock market launch)

# **Effects** on the

### Positive Effects **Economy**

 "Over the last 40 years, venturebacked companies produced \$3 trillion in annual revenues, 21 percent of US GDP and 11 percent of the private-sector jobs." (DiGiorgio and Harris, 2013)

#### Innovation

- Growth of technological innovation
- Small companies to global leaders
  - Rapidly advancing technology
  - Individual capitalism

## Uncertainty start-ups make it to 10

of market

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# Risks of Venture Capital

High Uncertainty

Highly Competitive



#### Highly Comp

- Experienced firms
  - · Google Ventu
- Intel Capital
- Marketing Invest Angel Investing

# **High Uncertainty**

- Subjective opinion
  - 35% of start-ups make it to 10 years
- Projection of market
- Reliance on economy
- Reliance on stock market