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In many Asian economies, state-owned enterprises (SOEs) are still significant players. They provide essential public services, build and operate key infrastructure, and are often reservoirs of public employment. Their characteristics and inherent competitive advantages as publicly owned enterprises allow them to play these critical roles. Their weaknesses in governance and inefficiencies in incentive

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Book highlights and target audience:

- Offers a reader-friendly treatment of the topic in both theory and empirical analysis.
- Helps policy makers, researchers, graduate students, and those who have an interest on status, challenges and possible solutions for reforming SOEs in Asian economies.
- Includes several case studies for the challenges and reforming solutions of SOE in different sectors in Asia applicable for other Asian economies.

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