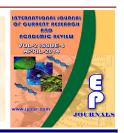


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# The capabilities of eco-tourism in Konarack Township by using of SWOT model

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#### ABSTRACT

The considering of raveling capabilities of the areas is the most important aim in programming system of travelling development in the countries. The studying of these potentials in direction of making priority the travellingsample areas and their potentials in Konarack Township is the aim of present research. The method of this research is descriptive analytic and the sample society for making priority of the travelling sample areas in konarack township is consist of 44 people from functionary of cultural inheritance organization and tourism specialist in province. The sample society for making priority of potentials the travelling sample areas is consist of 56 people from passenger and local residents. The results of this research were shown that there are the various travelling potentials and attractiveness. The travelling sample areas are different together in the case of the indicators of travelling development. In generally, the veriety of attractiveness, their quality, the quality of infrastructure and possibilities and so on and the varity of travellingsample areas are the features of travelling in Konarack Township.

#### Introduction

Travel and travelling are the old phenomenon but industrial revolution, invention, new exploration, increasing public welfare and humen leisure hours, are making the main changes in its role, dimensions and importance (Sinaee, 1382, 13). In direction of this case, the travelling is developed as one of the ways to passing

the leisure hours and is transformed to the bases of human life and existence (Papely Yazde and Saghaee, 1382, 38). The considering of nature travelling in each areas, theoretical structure of travelling development and the considering of priorities and capacity of different geographical areas in necessary.

In new world ground, the making veriety to economy and increasing the indicators of human development, solving problems arising of industrialize and pollution over cities standard, increasing exploitation and efficiency of human power, making employment, cultures correlation and protection of environment and generally, stable development are some apprehensions that the present world is confronted with themand each countries- in every levels of development are attempt to finding the best answer to these problemsin the meantime, the countries which try to make veriety in economical and will want separate themselves from single-basis and searching the recognition of capacities or creating the new advantages development, these countries were more successful thanother countries. One of these compiled is travelling industry development that some countries which for purposes of local enhoying form condition are advantages, insert this inself program of nationaldevelopment that by this way they can evolution and acceleration self national development (Shams-Al-Diny, 1381, 96). Travelling that called it green industry in

Travelling that called it green industry in nowadays world, is changed to one of the most important of industries. Travelling is a social stable and permanent which have a long life time like history and mankind civilization. Letters, diary, remembrance, memorandum and important than other is transfer the culture and civilization from one society to another society that is one of the trances and results of travelling phenomenon in past and present ages that

their values and importance is remained after many ages and centuries and so their validity increasing from day to day (Eftekhari, 1385, 150).

Organization societies especially executive systems are finding that in travelling process is hid the positive effects of economical, social, political, environmental, rechnology and so on. And so the travelling is a complex ectivity and increasingly is developing and need to exist the specialized management for understand all of its capacities (Weaver, 2006, 3).

#### **State of problem**

After industry revolution, with invention of express transport means, development and improvement the communication means between the world countries, shorten the time of travel, make and relative increasing of incomes arise from increasing economic countries is created wonderful transformation in field of touring and travelling. So that today the travelling in international level is more development and is forming one of the main elements of development in rural and urban areas. Further of this, travelling is caused positive effects in reinforcement of area native values, proving the local cultural values, opening the local society on foreign effects and develop of potential power in one zone (Chak, 182).if we want the travelling industry is developing and improving in different geographical areas in country, must emphasize to potentials that are obtained more results and profit. Some geographical zone have variety and unique potentials so, one of the most important aspects of these areas is their travelling power (Abdol-allahi, 1388, 2).

In these areas by prevention of environment and natural areas laws and regulations and agreeable with surrounding, on the basis of approved studies can creat the travelling topics and installetions and related services. In Iran the travelling sample area is called to the limitation that are making in vicinity of country attractiveness of historical, cultural, religious, natural and travelling and it is determining on the basis of the capacities in four international, national, province and local levels. Each area will has the centers of services, welfare, cultural, travelling such as the units of residing, shopping, producing reception, presentation of manual, cultural, artistic, funny, athletic arts, parks and another travelling services (Tavakoli and et al, 1389, 81).

That in this case the development of these areas can cause important effects in different dimension of travelling in country. Over 1000 travelling sample area are recognizing in Iran. The portion of Sistan and Balouchestan province is 40 travelling sample areas and this province is the ninth province for purposes of area number. The konarack township with having the climate various, pretty mountaings, juicy rivers beautiful mirage, plant covered varity, rare eco-systems, the various ancient historical trances from different periods and various ceremonies and customs, is attracted eager tourists from in and out of the country attention Now. always. by pay importance of travelling and travelling attractive areas in the country and by pay attention to one of the government aims for travelling development is studying and making the development stimulant in travelling sample areas. In this process, is tried to making priority of travelling sample areas in konarack township that take a decision and choice the superior priority of its areas is basic when is adopting on the basis of related scientific methods. By determining favour to the instance indicators and by using of multi-criterion decision in this field, can take action in best using of travelling sources and possibilities and also attraction of tourist (Mosaee, 1390).

Today, the travelling is proposed as one main part in economic of societies and have more spread. The travelling potentials are various in geographical places. important nowadays is in local programming is that make actually and by using of these potentials indirection of residential development. areas Programming of travelling development at first degree have a confirmed need to assessment and making priority of travelling potentials. Responsible societies who are following the travelling development, try to capitalize in tourism part facus on potentials which reach more most profits to host and guest society and acceleration to the stable development (Raji, 1374).

The Sistan and Balouchestan is located in south-east of Iran country. However this province is recognizing with a dry climate but has the attractive, mountainous and rural areas which have the various travelling capabilities and capacities. In addition to, there are areas which have nomadic, cultural and historical travelling capabilities in this province. While the responsible systems of travelling development are encountrering with budget limitation and another limitations in the of tourism programming, field SO compelled in each travelling area programming capitalizing and capabilities which have much more priority, i.e, capitalize on them is reaching more profits to the local society, individual and governmental structures (Michael, 2006).

The people in each areas maybe potentials in one area have special quality, customers and adherents. Konarack Township is recognizing as one of the omportant areas for the aim of travelling. The main aim of this matter is the best and most using of travelling capacities in this areas and focus on capitalizes in direction of tourism expanding. While the travelling potentials of these zones are different, the capitalists (governmental, bazaar and people) are needing to aware of quality and quantity of these potentials to lead their capitalizing to desired and profitable port. So, providing to priority making of travelling capabilities and potentials in areas of travelling aim in Konarack Township before every programming and capitalizing is necessary. In such direction, the aim of present research is the assessment and making priority of different potentials of the climatic, geo-tourism, eco-tourism, remedy-water, athletic, travelling mountains, herbaceous covering, historical and desert in different areas is the travelling aim of konarack township.

Pay attention to this matter in the field of tourism travelling and programming are performing very studies in all of the world and from 1970s the studies related to tourism industry- in nowadays content- are obtained a special place among another university sciences and always the topic of tourism is considering with the view of different university sciences that almost is proposed as a interfiled knowledge and in the field of human sciences as the majority in tourism studies (Heidary chapaneh, 1383).

#### Introduction of studying area

Sistan and Balouchestan province is the second vest country province that is capturing the area over 187502km,

equivalent to %11/4 of the country area. Also, the extent of this province is equal to the total extent of 11 povinces of the country. Konarack Township has 11569 km (%6 area of Sistan and Balouchestan province) area and this township from north is ending to nickshahr, from south to OmanSea, from east to chabahar and from west to Hormozgan province. And this township has 2 towns (konarack and zarabad), 2 districts (central and zarabad), 4 rural district and 174 village and is located near the coasfal areas of Oman Sea and about 45 km of chabahar port. Also konarack is located in geographical position of 60° and 37′ the eastern and of 25° and 17′ the northern width in distance of 756 km of the Zahedan south and 2406 km of Tehran (organization of the country cultural inheritance, manual and travelling industries, 1391).

Map's number 1- the position of studying area in Iran and province Islamic Azad University, the unit of Zahedan

The Gepgrapchical University and circumferential programming

Sunject: the position of Konarack Township

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#### **Method and Material**

This research is a type of applicable-investigate. In determining of the sample volume is used of kokran formula and sampling by method of sharing unprobable and data valuation is performed by lircket spectrum of 5 chooses. In narrative considering of questionnaire is used of figure narrative of the experts and

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Column of inside reasons on eco	tourism of konarack township			
Positive points	Negative points			
S1= be talent of the area for travelling	W1= non talent to capitalizing in travelling			
programming for using of natural sources and so	part.			
on.				
S2: the existence favourable climate incold	W2: nonexistence of governmental			
seasons of year.	programming andcapitalizing.			
S3: the existence of localand traditional				
ceremonies and cusroms and culture and etc.	cultural connections between valuable traces			
	of naturing.			
S4: the existence of pretty and unique	W4: be unsuitable and unsufficiency of			
viewswith	services and facilities.			
S5: vicinity to oman sea and finding way to the	W5: nonexistence of specialized and training			
free waters.	employees.			
S6: the existence of shore and hot waters for	W6: without any guardsman and keeper for			
doing funny exercises such as skiing on water,	prenventing of destruction			
swimming, boating and etc.				
S7: the variety of animal nature and planting	W7: unsuitable distribution of tourists in			
cover and unique environment.	different seasons of year.			
S8: having the sample villages and travelling aim	W8: without any guide signs in township.			
	W9: be unsuitable of frautructure.			
	W10: far from of population center and big			
	cities.			
Column of outer reasons on ecotourism of konaraci				
Opportunities	Threats			
O1: the existence of rendency about naturing	T1: increasing land cost and land stock			
development in government part.	exchange.			
O2: increasing tendency of individual part to	T2: any allocation the essential budget for			
capitalizing in this area.	building the nature views and their			
oup numbing in this upon	surrounding place.			
O3: increasing more tendencies for go to travel	T3: increasing the services and possibilities in			
and fun between urban and environs people.	completitor and funny areas (like chabahar			
The same same same and same program	city and) in comparison to this area			
	infuture.			
O: indicating near the airport.	T4: any attention to the shore guiding and			
6	natural areas.			
O5: possibility for absorption of holiday and	T5: increasing in social violation with			
hibernal passengers through passing from road of	travelling entrance in this area than before.			
chabahar- Rask.				
O6: possible of not presenting the suitable	T6:creating the environmental pollution in			
services and facilities to tourists in competitor	shores.			
funny area (like chabahar) with the reason of high				
accumulation in comparison to this area in future.				
O7: increasing attention and support of countr	T7: ant suitable training bygovernment for			
responsible from stable development of urban	inform to the local residents.			
travelling with employment approach and				
obtaining income.				
O8: the existence of communication ways with				
low traffic and calm place.				

The matrix column of considering the inside reasons (IFE)

raw	Positive points (strengths)	Importance	Normal	scale	Total
	*	efficient	weight		Score
1	*talented of area for travelling programming for using of natural sources and its introduction as a pole of naturing.	9	0/06	4	0/24
2	*existence of suitable climate in cold seasons of year.	9	0/05	4	0/20
3	*existence of high awareness and education condition between city people and also the sense of cooperation between them.	8	0/06	3	0/18
4	*existence of local and traditional customs and ceremonies and culture and also visit places.	9	0/04	4	0/16
5	*existence of pretty and unique views with	8	0/06	3	0/18
6	*existence of shores and hot waters for doing exercise and fun such as boating, skiing on water, swimming,	7	0/05	4	0/20
7	*having from sample village and travelling aim.	9	0/05	4	0/20
8	*variety of animal nature and plant covering.	7	0/06	4	0/24
9	*having calm environment and without any voices in city for go to the rest and recreat the nervous and funny.	7	0/05	4	0/20
10	*funny and exercise attraction of this city (like swimming, fishing, walking)	8	0/04	4	0/16
11	*near to oman sea and finding away to free seas.	7	0/05	4	0/20
12	*existence of sandy and stony shores and many pools.	9	0/05	4	0/20
13	*existence of tropical fruits and agricultural crops.	9	0/05	4	0/20
14	*having unique jungle of Herra.	9	0/04	4	0/16
15	*responsible believing to employment by developing of the stable travelling as one of the most important of suitable structures for tourism development.	9	0/05	3	0/15
	Nagetive points (weaknesses)				3/02
16	*noninclination of city resident for capitalizing in travelling part as different reasons such as increasing the land trade and shopping and buying of land, unaware to travelling industry.	9	0/03	3	0/09
17	*nonexistence of governmental programming and capitalizing.	8	0/03	3	0/09
18	*without any suitable physical, social and cultural connections between valuable travelling traces.	9	0/03	3	0/09
19	*unpossible and unsufficiency of service and healthy facilities.	9	0/03	4	0/12
20	*without any enough welfare possibilities and	9	0/03	3	0/09

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	facilities.				
21	*nonexistence of the specialized andtraining employees.	9	0/03	4	0/12
22	*nonexistence of signs and training employees in city.	8	0/03	3	0/085
23	*without any guid and keeper for preventing from destruction of valuable naturing traces.	8	0/03	3	0/085
24	*without any guide signs in township.	8	0/03	3	0/085
25	*unpossible distribution of tourists in different seasons of year (low accumulation in summer)	7	0/02	2	0/05
26	*unawareness of city people in trancerole for making ability of economical.	6	0/02	2	0/043
27	*decrease or none local cooperation in investigation to the position of trances and try to growing and developing the travelling of city.	8	0/03	4	0/113
28	*be unpossible of the environmental and frame frustructure (like roads and sewage)	9	0/03	3	0/96
29	*be unpossible of funny and exercise installations and mobilizations.	7	0/02	3	0/74
30	*without any possible public and individual tools to the moving to naturaland views areas.	8	0/03	3	0/09
31	*environmental pollution of manufactures of the can production.	7	0/02	2	0/05
32	*without any guide signs for attraction of passing passengers.	9	0/03	2	0/06
33	*existence of unsuitable usages in area surroundings.	10	0/04	4	0/16
34	*unawareness residents of the area and their untraining about encounter and meeting with tourists.	9	0/03	4	0/12
-	Totally	282	-	-	2/57

### The matrix column of considering the outer reasons (EFE)

raw	Opportunities (opportunities)	Importance efficient	Normal weight	scale	Total Score
1	*exist of tendency than development of naturing in government part.	10	0/05	4	0/02
2	*increasing the motive of individualpart to industrializing in this areas.	10	0/05	3	0/15
3	*increasing the more motive for travel and fun between urban people and surrounded its.	9	0/06	4	0/20
4	*indicate near the airport.	8	0/07	3	0/21
5	*possibility to attraction of holding and winter passengers when passing from the road of chabahar-jask.	7	0/06	3	0/18
6	*possibility to nitifying by governmental natures.	8	0/04	5	0/20

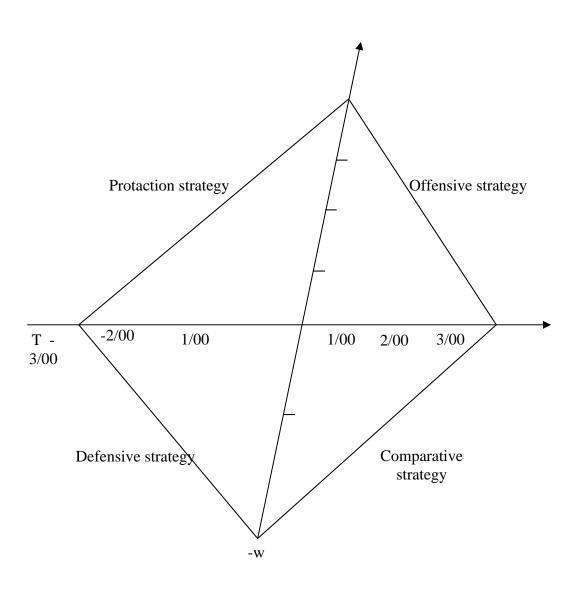
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7	*possibility to present the suitable services and possibilities to the tourists in rival funny areas (like chabahar) for the reasons of high accumulation in comparison with this area in future.	6	0/07	4	0/28
8	*exist of low connection ways and availability.	8	0/05	3	0/15
9	*high attention and protention of country responsible from stable development of urban travelling with employment approach and obtain income.	7	0/04	3	0/12
10	*exist of governmental and nongovernmental different organization in province for protection and presentation of different services and possibilities.	5	0/07	4	0/28
11	*exist of specialized and skillful employees near to these areas (in chabahar).	6	0/0	4	0/24
2/70	threats (threats)				
12	*none enough attention to the economical position.	9	0/43	3	0/131
13	*increasing the land price and stock exchange and also increasing financial for making the possibilities and installation of travelling don't their economical.	9	0/43	4	0/175
14	*non allocation of essential budget for building the natural views and their surroundings.				
15	*without enough training by government for awareness of the local resident and guide them for their performing for growing and developing travelling.				
16	*increasing the services and possibilities in funny rival areas (like chabahar city and) in comparison with this area infuture.				
17	* increasing the motive and tendency of tourists to travel to another adjucent and competitor funny areas (like chabahar).				
18	*high extent accumulation of population and crowing of this city incomparison with the competitor city in future.				
19	*non attention to the keep and guarding shores and different areas.				
20	*increasing the social violation with entrance of tourists in this area than before.				
21	*destroy the local and traditional culture (like: language, local customs and ceremonies and type of cloth, architenture, house,) with increasing of tourists.				
22	*none attention of tourists in don't destroy to planty and animal covering.				
23	*exist the high travelling areas in chabahar township and ignore to the naturing areas in				

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	this township.				
24	*destruction of Hera jungles.				
25	*creating the environmental pollutions in shores by tourists.				
26	*none presentation of justification and possibility by government for developing the travelling services, installation and mobilization in this township.				
-	totally	205	-	-	2/86

Figure.1 matrix of position assessment and performing strategy



comparing with past studies. The permanent of questionnaire is measured by using of korenbakh Alpha. The data analysis is performed by using of SWOT model of statistical arts and technics and strategic performing for analysis the inside positive and negative points and outside opportunities and threats and another statistical technics necessarily.

The analysis SWOT model: the analysis is a term which are performing for recognition of inside positive and negative and outside opportunities and threats that system encounter with them. This model is a strategic tools comparing the intersystem negative and positive points with out system opportunities and threats (Hechmatnia, 1385:293).

Ih this field is considered the eco-tourist potentials of konarack township and also by using of SWOT model are recognized the positive and negative points, opportunities and threats corresponding to under column and totally by using of this column are presented the strategics of inside and outside growing and way strategics. The results of this model is shown that konarack towship is located with view of comparison sterategic, i.e, the system is encounted with different circumferential opportunity and it has very positive points.

By pay attention to above columns are resulting that konarack towhship with having positive point and ooportunity is stated the high potential of this area. That canprogram on its travelling and decrease the negative points and threats of this province that are providing the threshold of damaging in this area and also change this area to a eco-tourism and travelling area. Use of the grading reasons by gave importance to each opportunities and threats for making this columns so far

making these columns, these phases are performed:

## The effective inside reasons to naturing in the studying are

The aim of this phase is assessment of the inside environment of the studying organization for recognize the negativeand positive points (aspects which is suitable or preventing obtaining for programming aims and performing its duties). In this side, three items of the strategies, approaches existence resources are attended and considered and as the negative and positive points and in frame of presented dimensions are divided as below:

Just as are watchingin above column the existence of beautiful and unique views with the virgin and beautiful shores are as most important of positive points in tourists attraction and from one side none anoug welfare facilities and possibilities in konarack township are the important inside negative points.

## The effective outer reasons on naturing of studying area

The aim of thi phase is recognition and assessment of the outer environment traces in studying area for recognizing the opportunities and threats which the area is encountered with its in related to nataring. So, we say that the opportunities are total capabilities and possibilities which are locating on the approach of tourist area directly o nondirectly in out of the area. And also the threats arethe total outer reasons which in none effectiveness have the direct or nondirect effects, in the basis of performed studies and considering position of area surrounding in studying area.

He total exist of opportunities and threats and effective on area with view of naturing according to the under columns are attending and considerin are:

# Analysis of the positive, negative points, opportunities and threats

By attention to the matrix columns among total reasons and factors of SWOT which is presented and are obrained in the basis of collected data and information in the case of total weights, their average scales of these weights and relative weight are analysing and for this reason the classification and assessing priority into the different ranges and groups of SWOT are performed. Here ot's necessary to maintain that in this study every positive and negative points, opportunities and threats are considering and assessing according to the questionnaire and is used from its classification and approach in all of the research.

Hust as shown in the matrix column, in studying area the 15 inside positive points, 19 inside negative points and 19 outside opportunity in equal to 15 outside threats are recognized and considered, so totally 26 positive points and opportunity as advantages and 34 weakness and threats as limitations and straits encounter to the area are recognizable.

#### **Discussion and conclusion**

In totally and a simple analysis can the damaging threshold of this area is high and need to review and presentation of suitable policies are for elimination of threats and weaknesses by using of negative points and opportunities but here in addition to the above notices, i.e in addition to considering of the negative points and opportunities toward the recognized negative number and

threats, is trying to by the questionnaire of above matters as the major advantages and limitations this area is considered for making priority of chooses. By attention to the presented views and performed assessments on these view is designed the graph for their makingpriority which is stated the totall given weights, scal average and relative weight of eachpositive and negative points, opportunities and threats. The graph of mentioned positive and points, opportunities negative threatsare showing with the view of responsible, this graph that is regulated in the basis of scale average and relative weight of compilations is shows that the compilations which are located in the first and second square of axis coordinated (negative and positive points), majoring have the relative weight more than 3 that it is showing that the chosen compilations have the stable and well position and some of them which have the relative weight are 0 to 3, have the suitable position and must improvement, among these the complitions which have weight between 0 to -3, have unsuitable positive that they must change. By attention to the performed considers about the inside positive and hegative points and outside opportunities and threats can say that the strategic programming by SWOT analysis can be a possible way for naturing development in the area and province. The findings of research are shown that the SWOT model is in the basis of obtained scores in a scientific matrix and is obtained the score of each compilation and totally is presented the strategic by attention to these limitations and opportunities.

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