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Availability Assurance

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Agenda

- Introduction
- Availability Assurance in Projects
- System for Production Availability and Resource Consumption (SPARC) demonstration
- Availability Assurance in Operations
- Discussion

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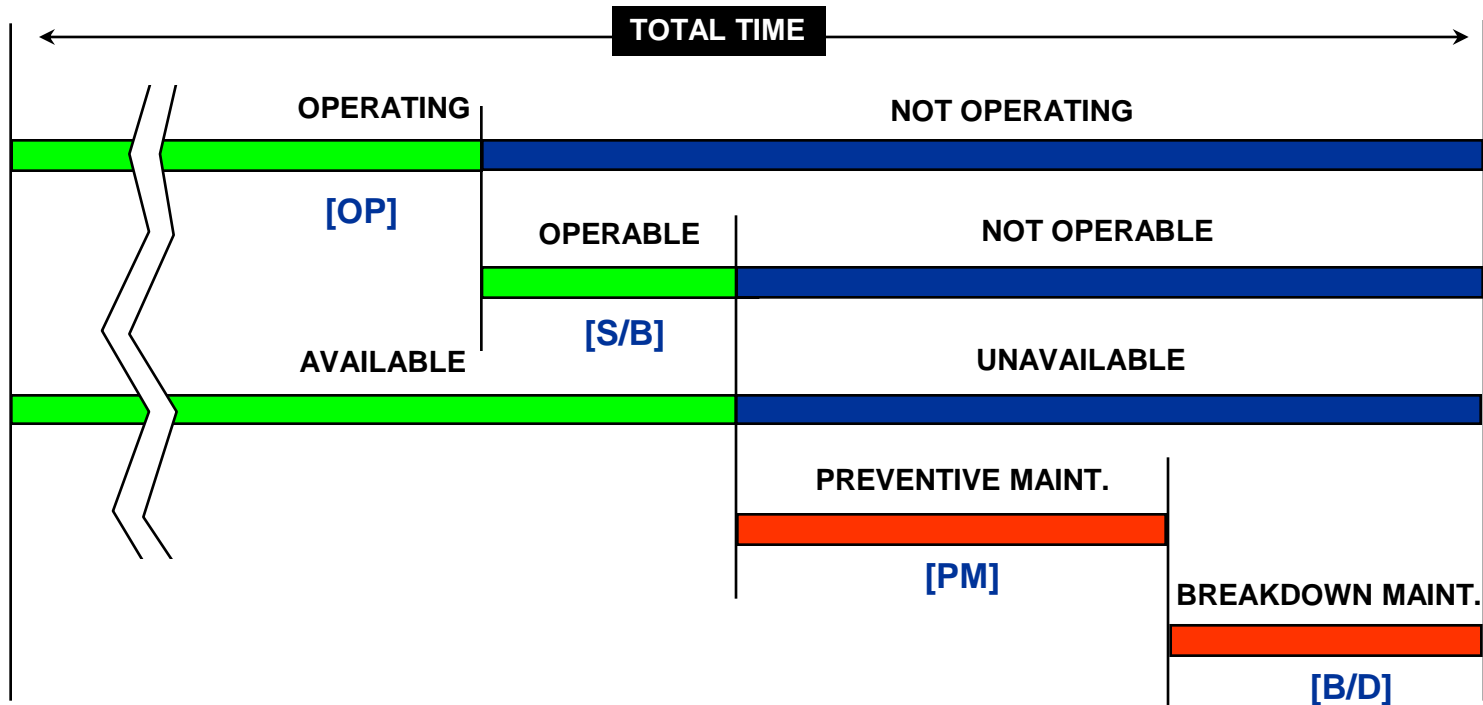


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Availability - definitions



$$\text{Availability} = \frac{\text{OP} + \text{S/B}}{\text{OP} + \text{S/B} + \text{PM} + \text{B/D}}$$

Availability Assurance - What

- Provides a framework of activities throughout the project development phases aimed at ensuring that availability targets will be met
- Scope should include all factors that may have a significant impact on production availability:
 - to enable analysis at overall system level and comparison with overall targets
 - consistency of assumptions and failure data across different fields and Operating Units is essential
 - recent SPARC, MAROS, WITNESS, MIRIAM, etc. studies are a convenient starting point

Availability Assurance - Why

- to optimise the design and the economics of the production system, individual project or entire asset
- to ensure long-term supply obligations can be met
- to identify and rank the reliability bottlenecks in the system
- to track actual performance, plant availability is universally accepted as KPI
- to manage market exposure

Incidental reliability studies and maintenance improvement initiatives do not provide the same level of control as the dynamic Availability Assurance process.

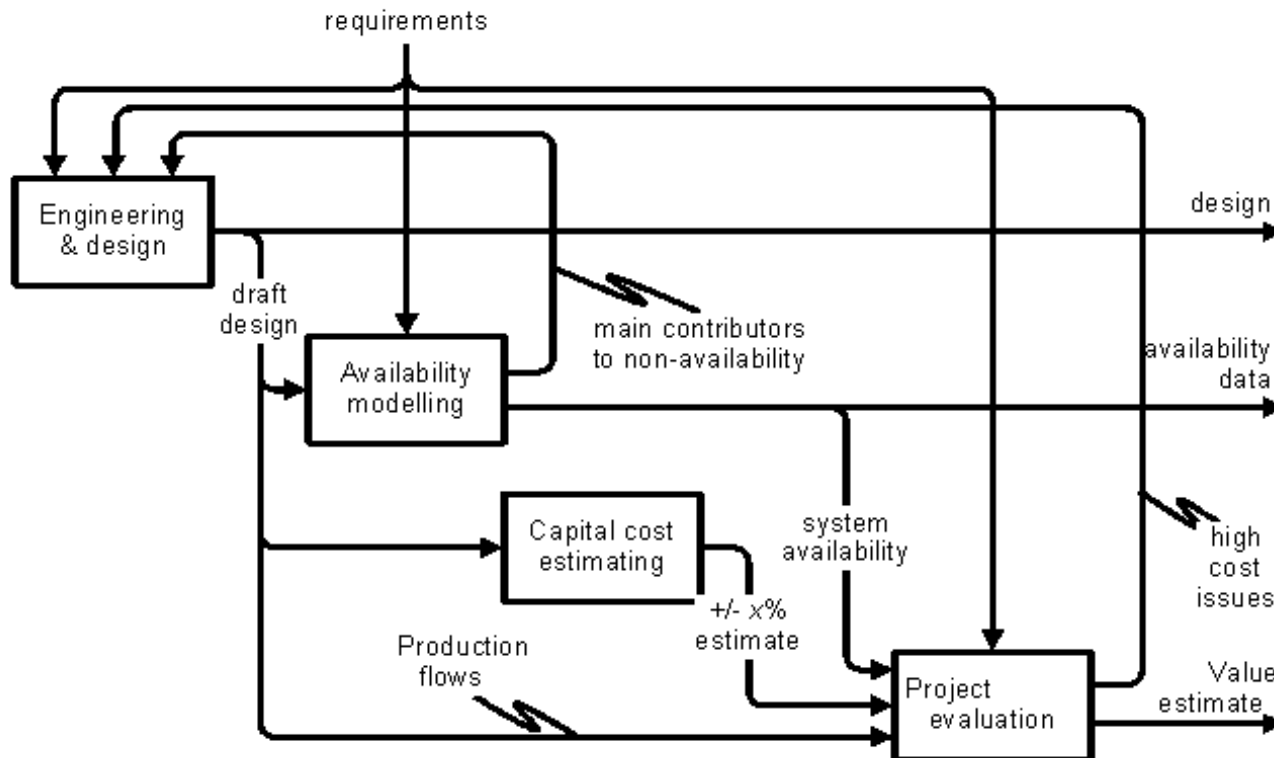
SPARC Track Record

Integrated Up- and Midstream studies

project	company	first integrated
Groningen Long Term	NAM	2001
ADCO/GASCO	ADCO, GASCO	2003
NLNG train 6 gas supply	NLNG	2004
MLNG gas supply	MLNG, SSB	2005
QG3&4	QG 4	2005
Sakhalin II	SEIC	2006
Ormen Lange	Norske Shell	2007
OKLNG	Shell G&P	2008
ONEcal	NAM	2008
Sunrise Floating LNG	WEL	2008
Prelude Floating LNG	SDA	2008
Middle East LNG	G&P	2008
Gabon LNG		2009
Dubai CO2 EOR		2009
Sakhalin II expansion	SEIC	2009
FLSO	G&P	2009

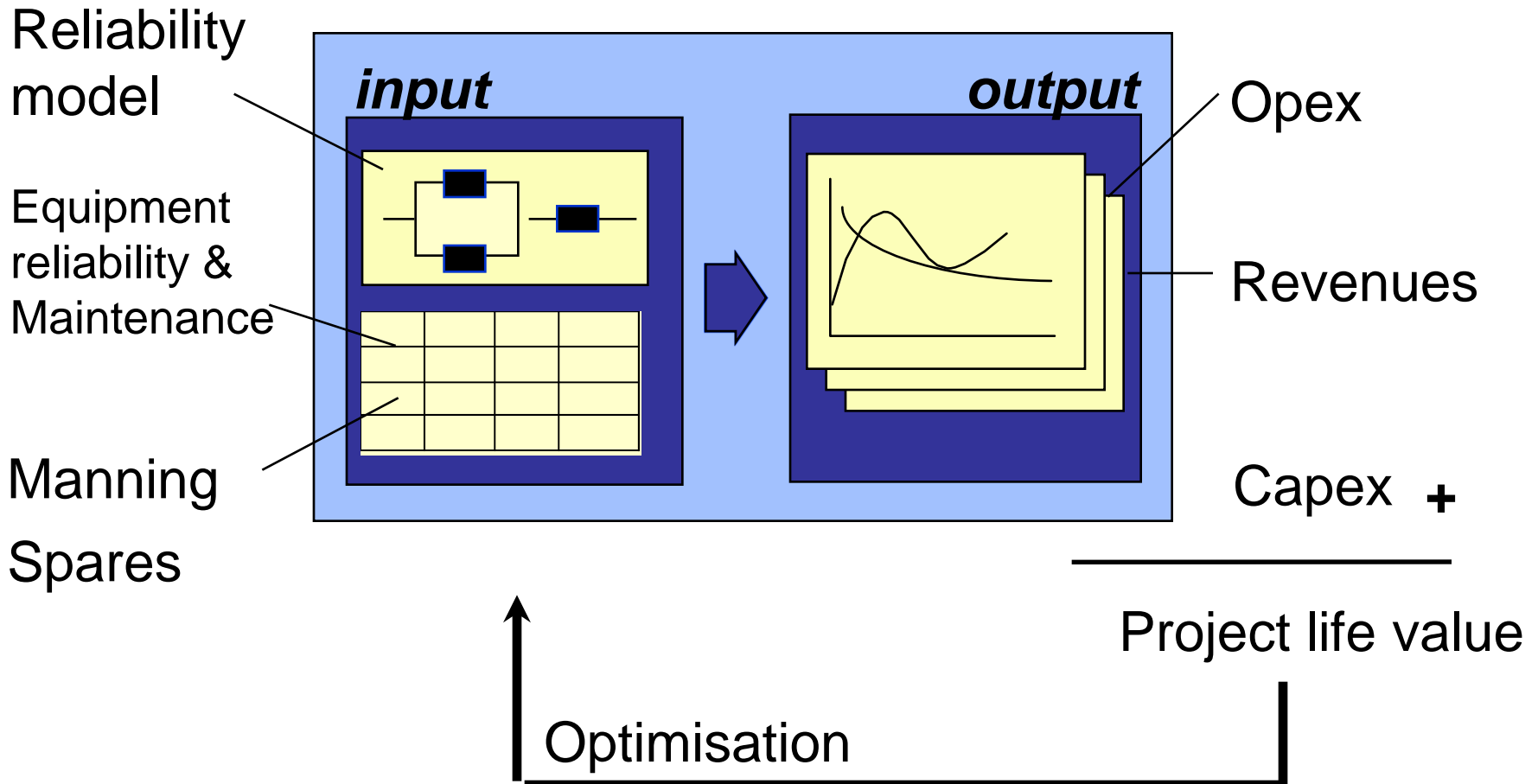
Total number of SPARC studies: 350+

Iterative process of designing for availability

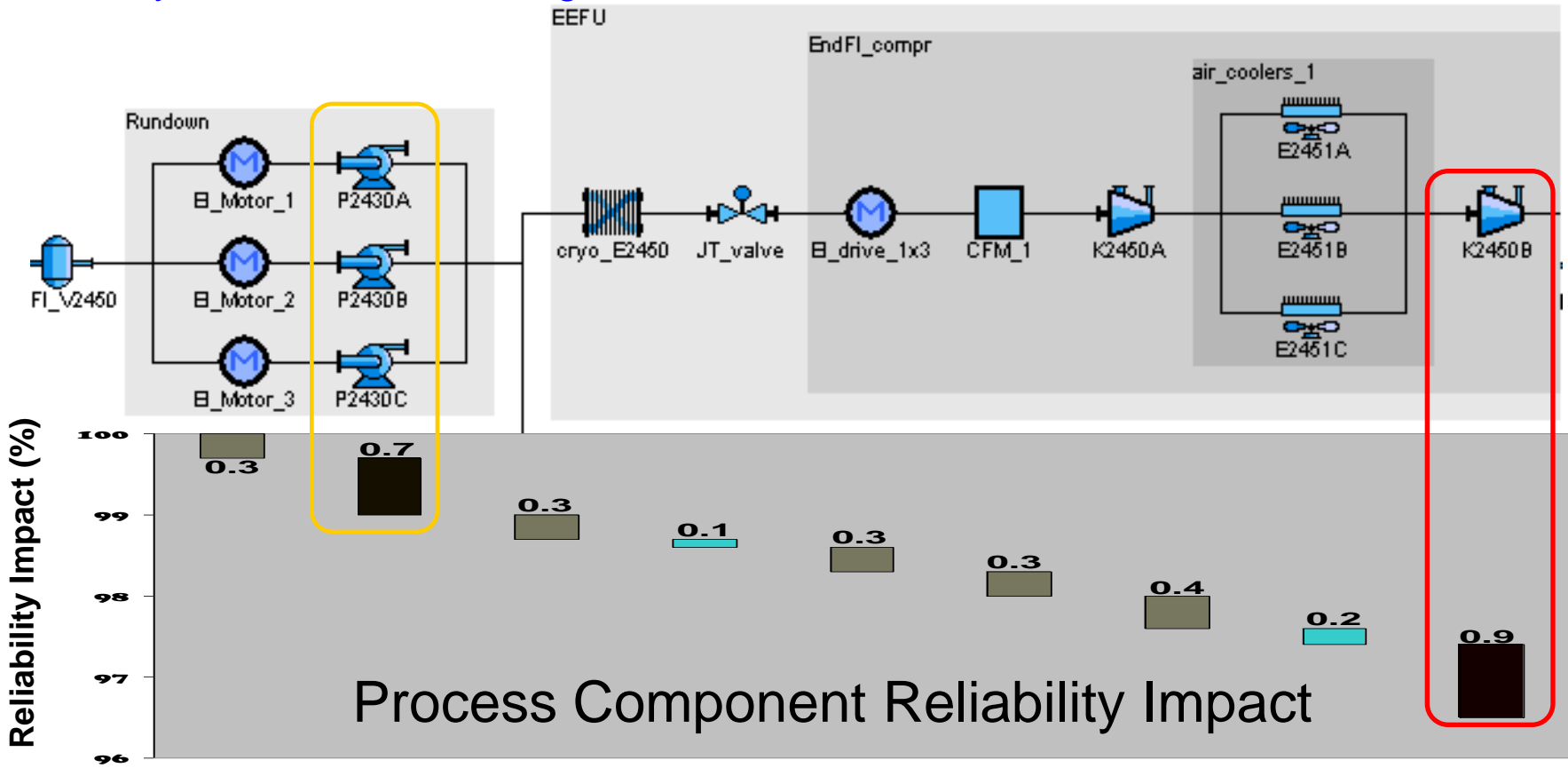


The value optimisation cycle

SPARC



Availability Assurance Modelling



Which parts of our process are the least reliable and the impact this is having on plant through-put.

Manual entry, auto/real-time, leading Reliability calculations

Availability Study step by step

Step 1 Study Basis

1. Agree study outcome, i.e. availability measures
2. Agree scope
3. Gather PFSs and make RBD from it
4. Collect failure data
5. Describe operational flexibility
6. Collect preventive maintenance scheme
7. Make model

Step 2 Model & Results

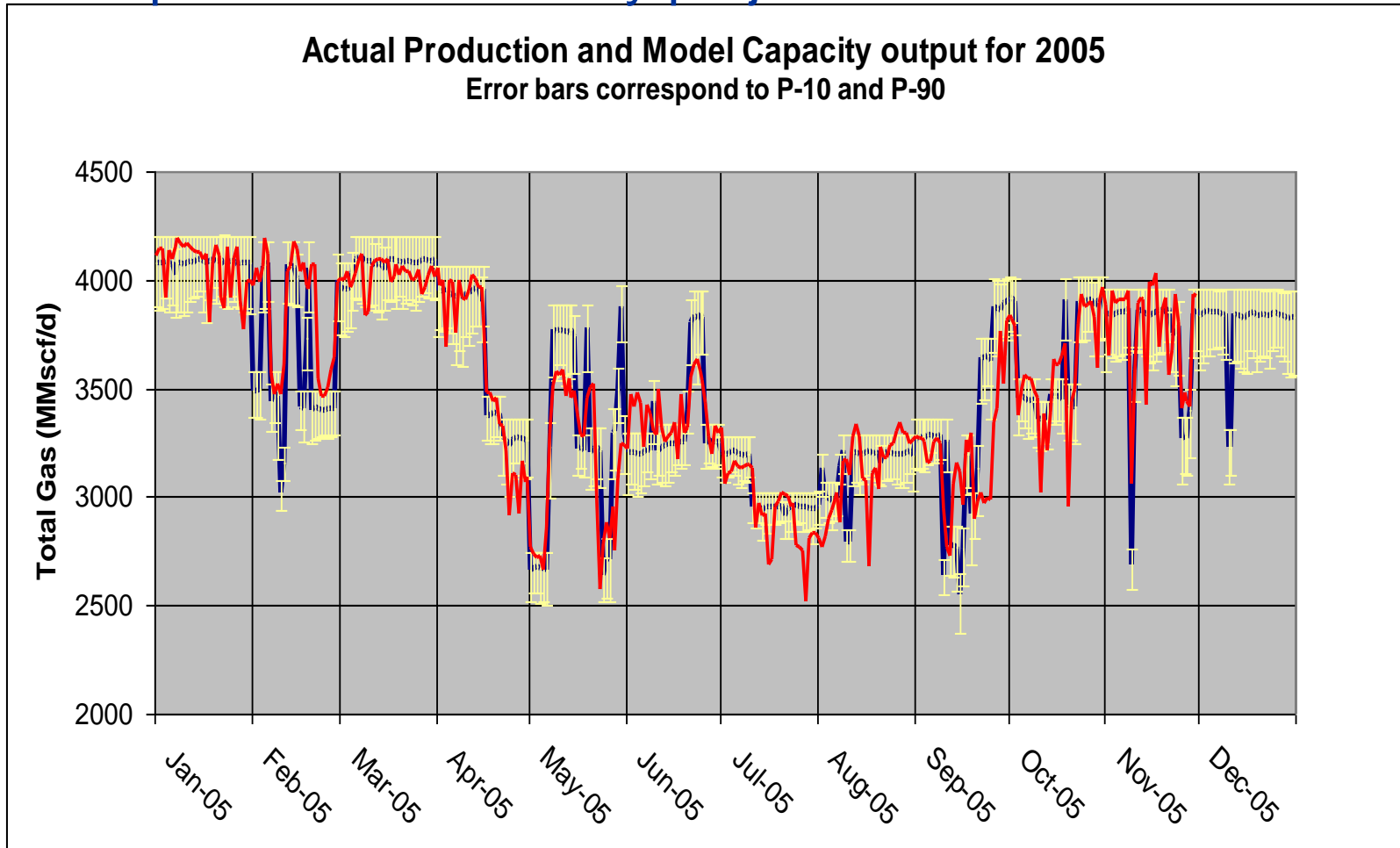
8. Run model to obtain availability measures
9. Report results and explain

Key Assumptions

- Design configuration
 - Integrated P50 Base Case, interfaces with shared facility storage, steam and power, impact of shipping
- Operating envelopes, capacities
 - Well boosting, turn up and turn down, steady state
- Operational flexibility
 - Bypasses and sparing, gas and liquids flaring, grace periods, slow down and start-up
- Sources of failure data
 - Oreda 7.2, IEEE, and OU experience, Benchmarking data, etc.
- Maintenance
 - Planned shutdowns, corrective repairs, mobilisation, sparing

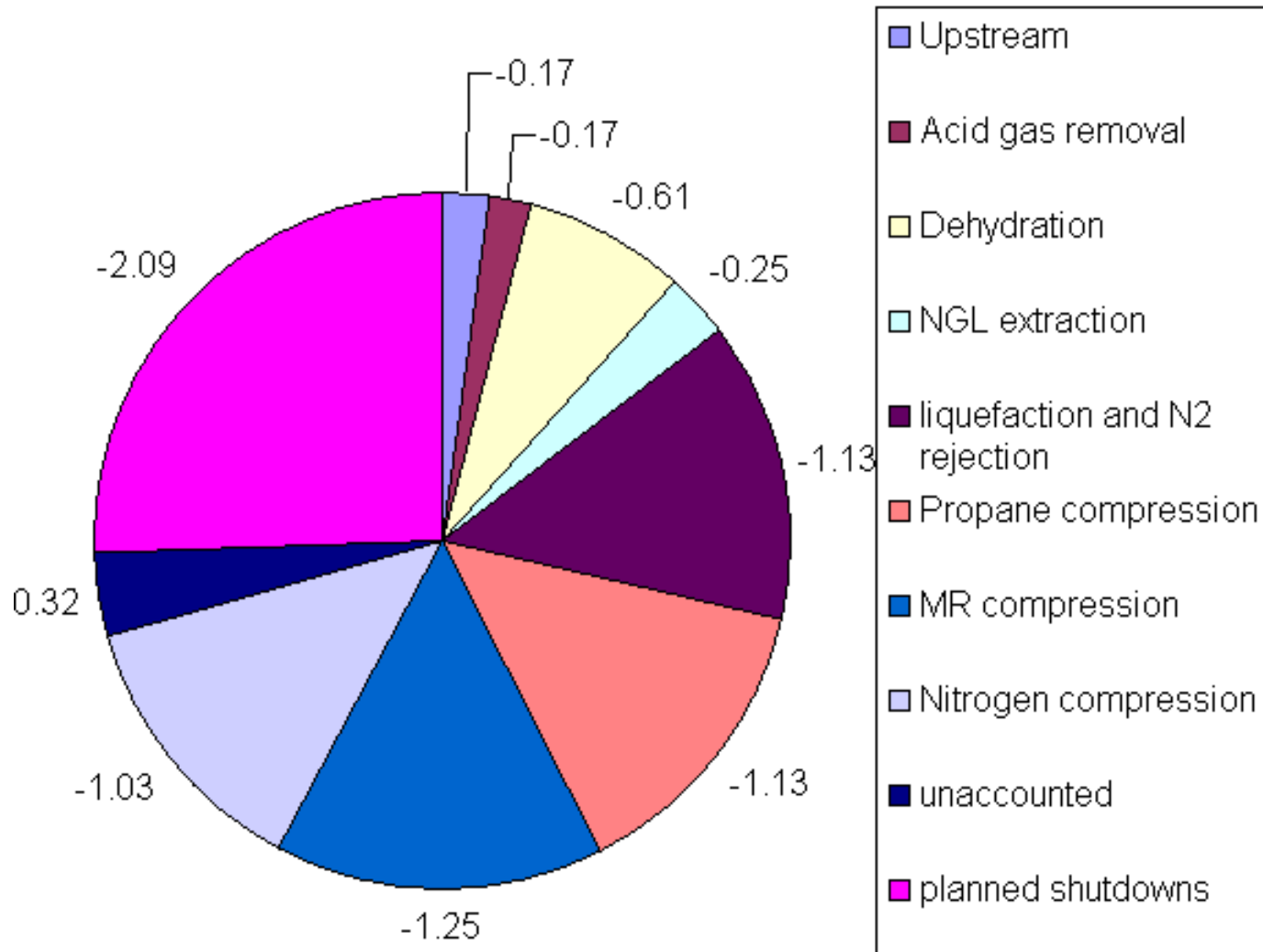
History match

example from an arbitrary project

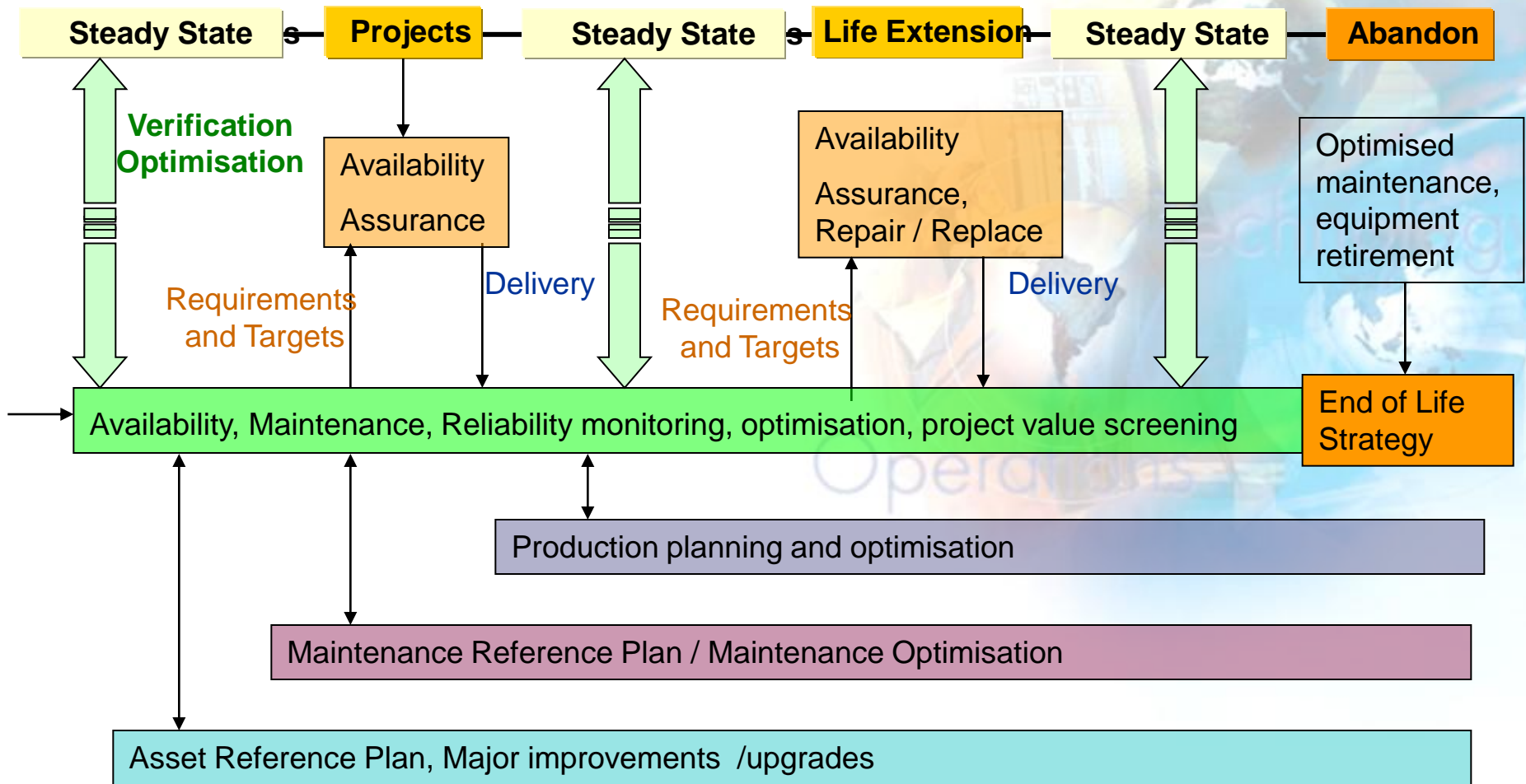


Impact on Effective Capacity (%)

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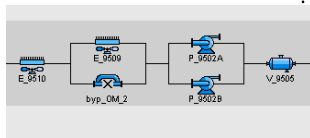
Availability Assurance in Operations



Life Cycle Availability Assurance



OPTIMUM DESIGN CONCEPT



Process Control (DCS)

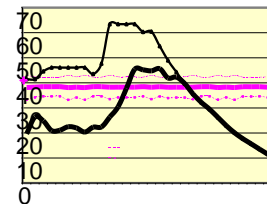
SPARC On line and Simulation

SPARC model

Reliability
Plant Reliability Information
Plant Defect Index
Failure rate KPI's and characteristics

Production
Achievable production availability
Production sensitivity analysis
Production systems reliability

Maintenance
Maintenance effectiveness
Failure Characteristics
Etc



Visual Statistics / results visualisation

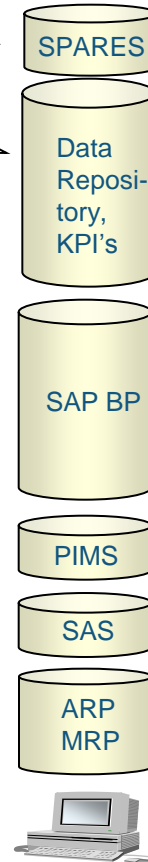


Interactive data exchange and system updates

Extracting data from SAP BP and other databases to SPARC field model



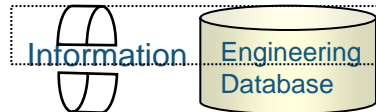
Data Collection and "Middleware" interface and data conditioning



Support Models outside SAP

- Online Condition monitoring
- Equipment cost details
- Life Cycle Cost model
- RCM/RBI/SIFPro
- Others

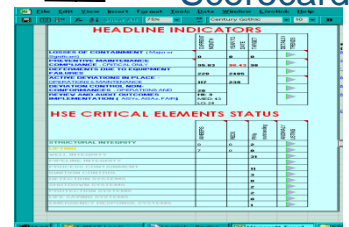
Design Changes

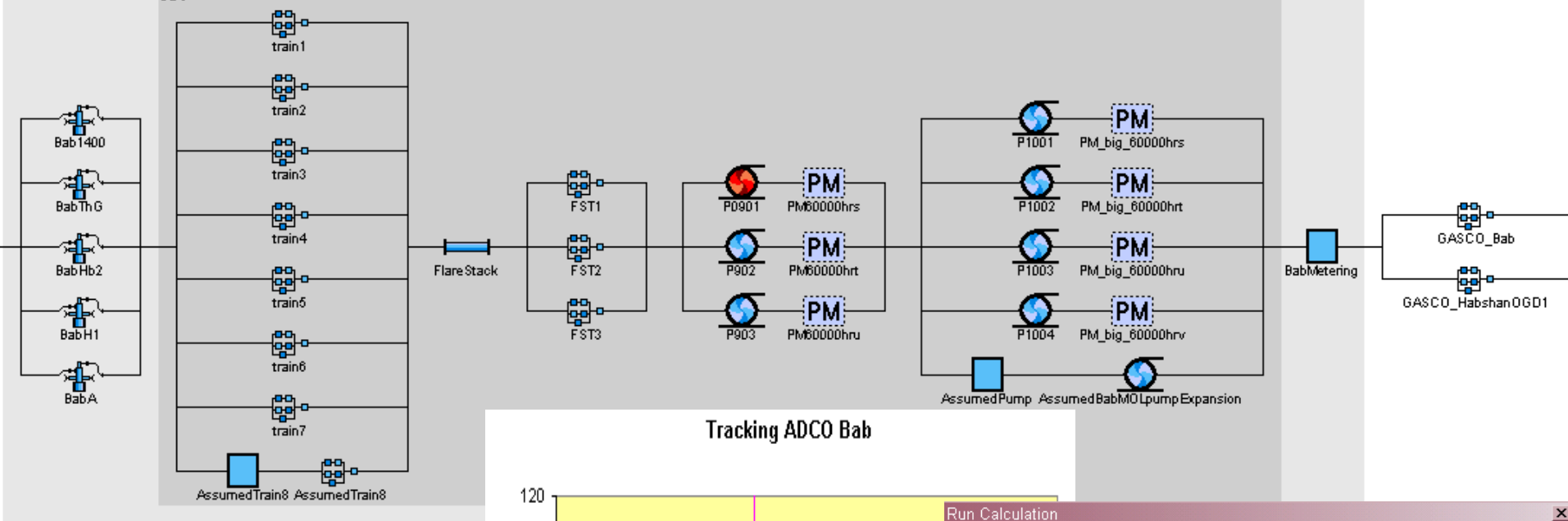


Maintenance Execution Reporting



Scorecard





Tracking ADCO Bab



Track event

Editable event

I-Unit: P0901 MC: Unknown FM: Unknown

Time Down: 23/07/2006 08:00 [dd/mm/yyyy] Time Up: 09/09/2199 00:00 [dd/mm/yyyy]

Tag Nr: Unknown Bypass: 0 %

Buttons: Close, Add, Change, Remove

List of events

Time Down	I-Unit	MC	FM	Tag nr.	Bypass	Time up
01/01/2006 08:00	P0901	mc	electromotor	xyz	0	03/01/2006 07:00
23/07/2006 08:00	P0901	Unknownn	Unknownn	Unknownn	0	09/09/2199 00:00

Run Calculation

Calculation Name: EC

Description: Effective Capacity

Calculation Type: Steady State Time Dependent

Output Format: Table

Interval Duration: Amount: 1 Unit: Days

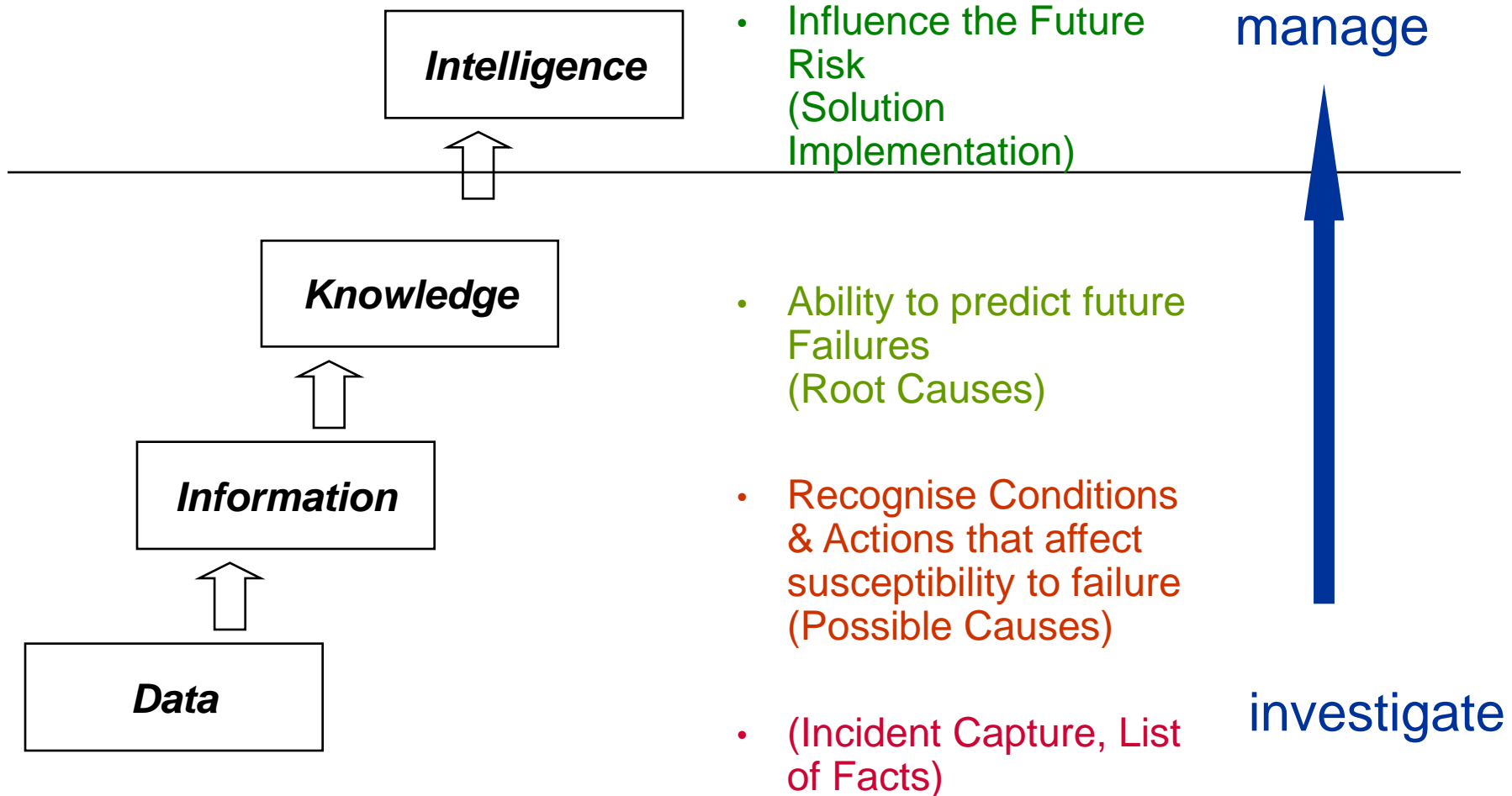
Time Dependencies: Start Date: 01/01/2006 Number of Intervals: 92

Results per Group

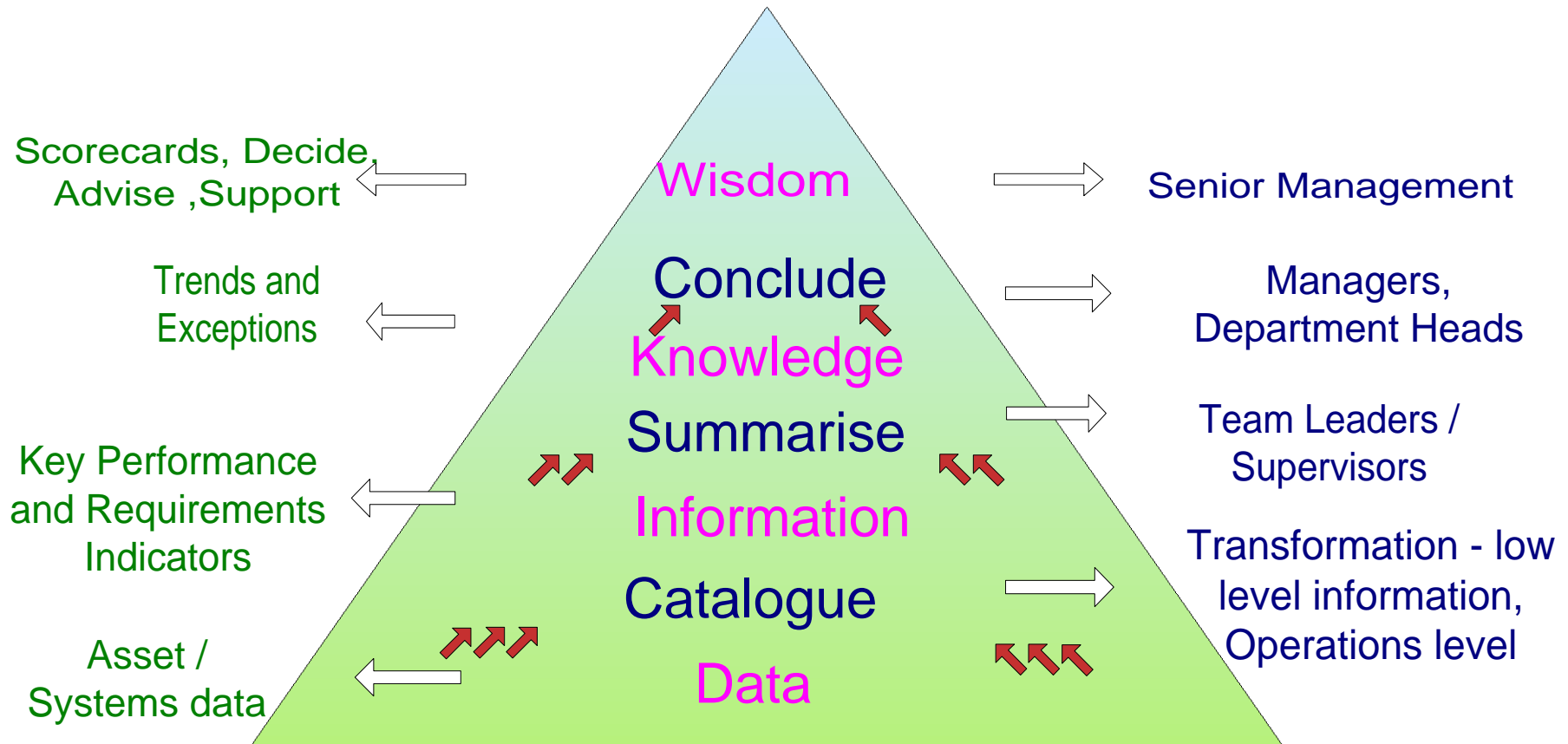
Output: Filename: \\RC models\Case_1.4_v060202_16.34.csv Engine Timeout: 999999 seconds

Buttons: OK, Cancel, Organise..., Options..., Help, Browse..., New Filename

Managing Defect Elimination



Building of Corporate Knowledge (and in support of Asset Management)



Organisational capability development

