

Duurzaam ondernemen door  
een focus op

Life Cycle Costing (LCC)

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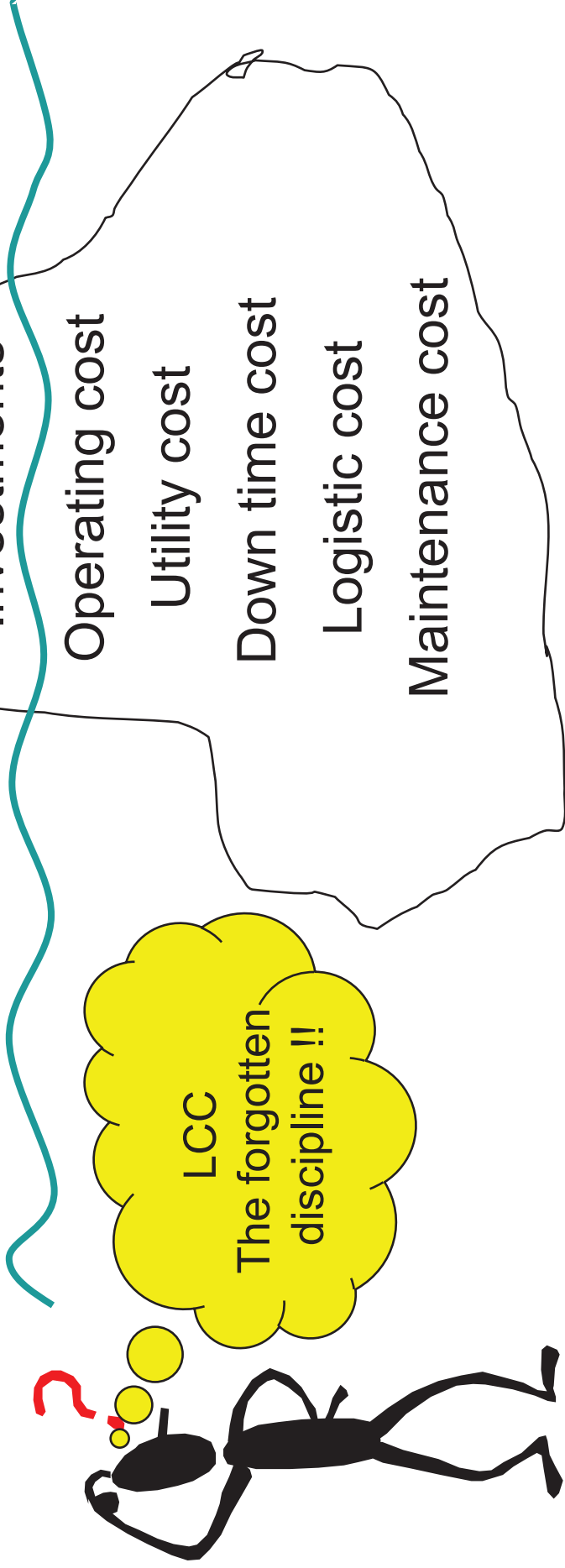
# Presentation

1. What is Life Cycle Costing?
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**Is goedkoop altijd duurkoop?**

# Life Cycle Costing (LCC)

The cost iceberg  
of an Asset



# What is Life Cycle Costing?

Major elements of Life Cycle Costing:

- Life Cycle Cost (LCC)
- Asset performance → Compliance to:
  - Functional requirements
  - Performance requirements (RAMS)
  - Life time requirements

$$\text{Asset Value} = \frac{\text{Required Asset Performance}}{\text{Lowest LCC}}$$

over a defined life time

Life Cycle Costing is a method to maximize Asset Value

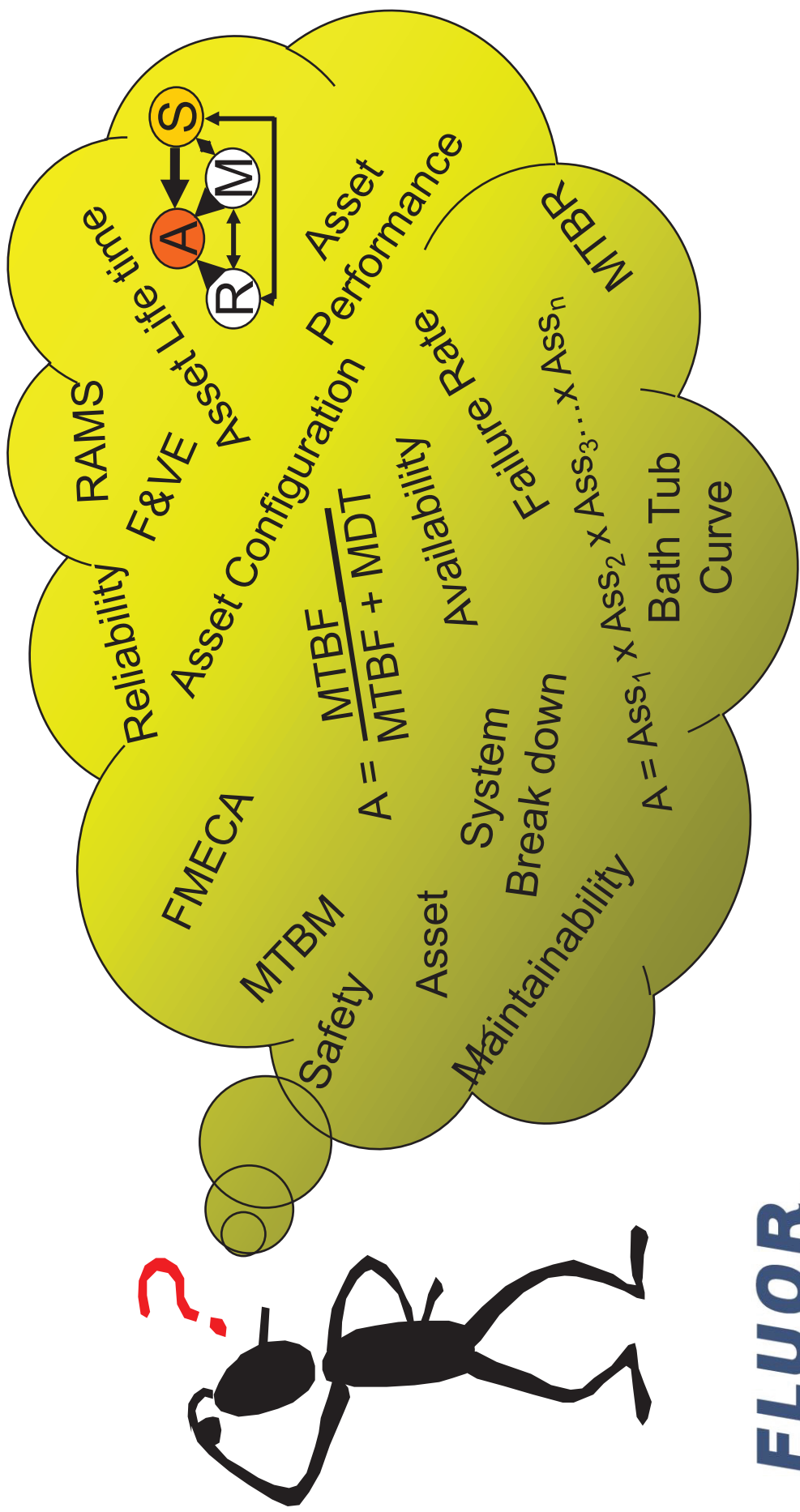
# What is Life Cycle Costing?

## Life Cycle Costing:

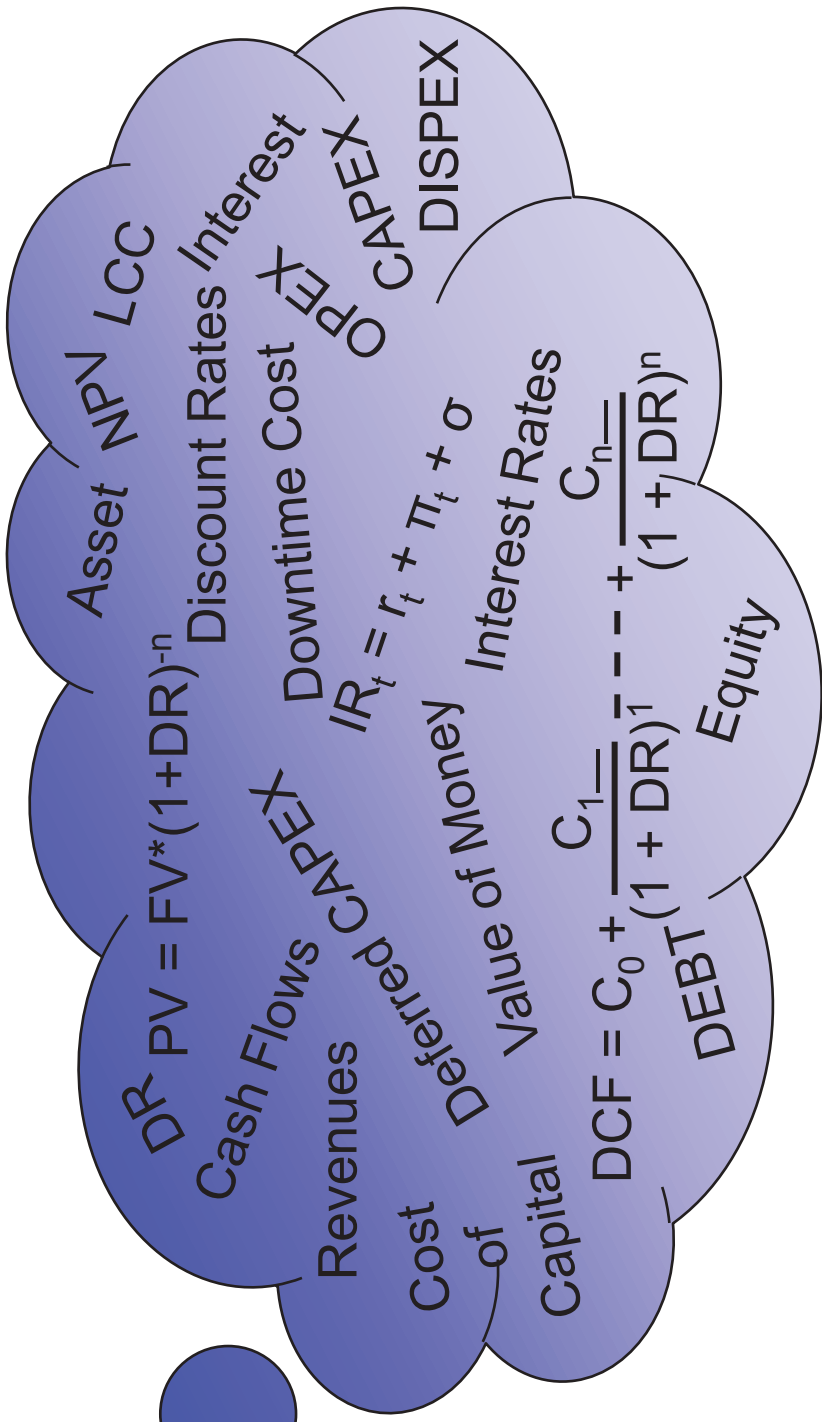
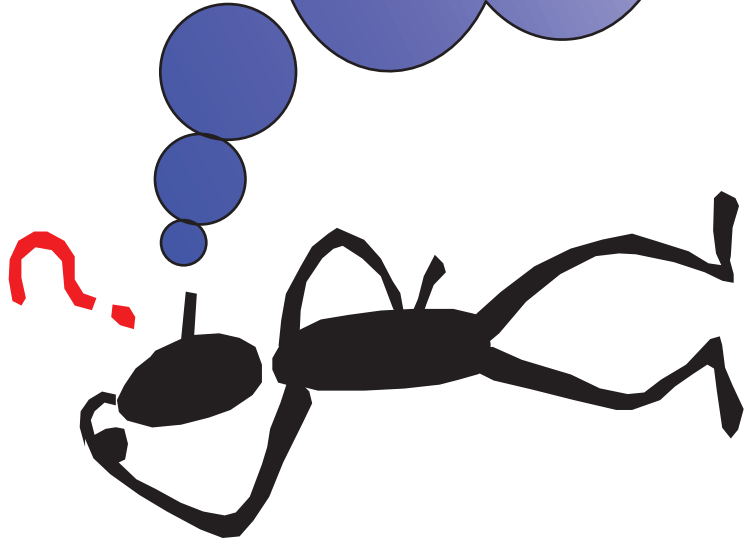
To evaluate and/or optimize **Life Cycle Cost (LCC)** while satisfying specific **Performance, Reliability, Availability, Maintainability & Safety (RAMS)** and other requirements over a **defined** (operational) **period**.

The aim is to provide **input to decision making** in all phases of a project life cycle. especially in the development phases

# Asset Performance Definitions and Formulas

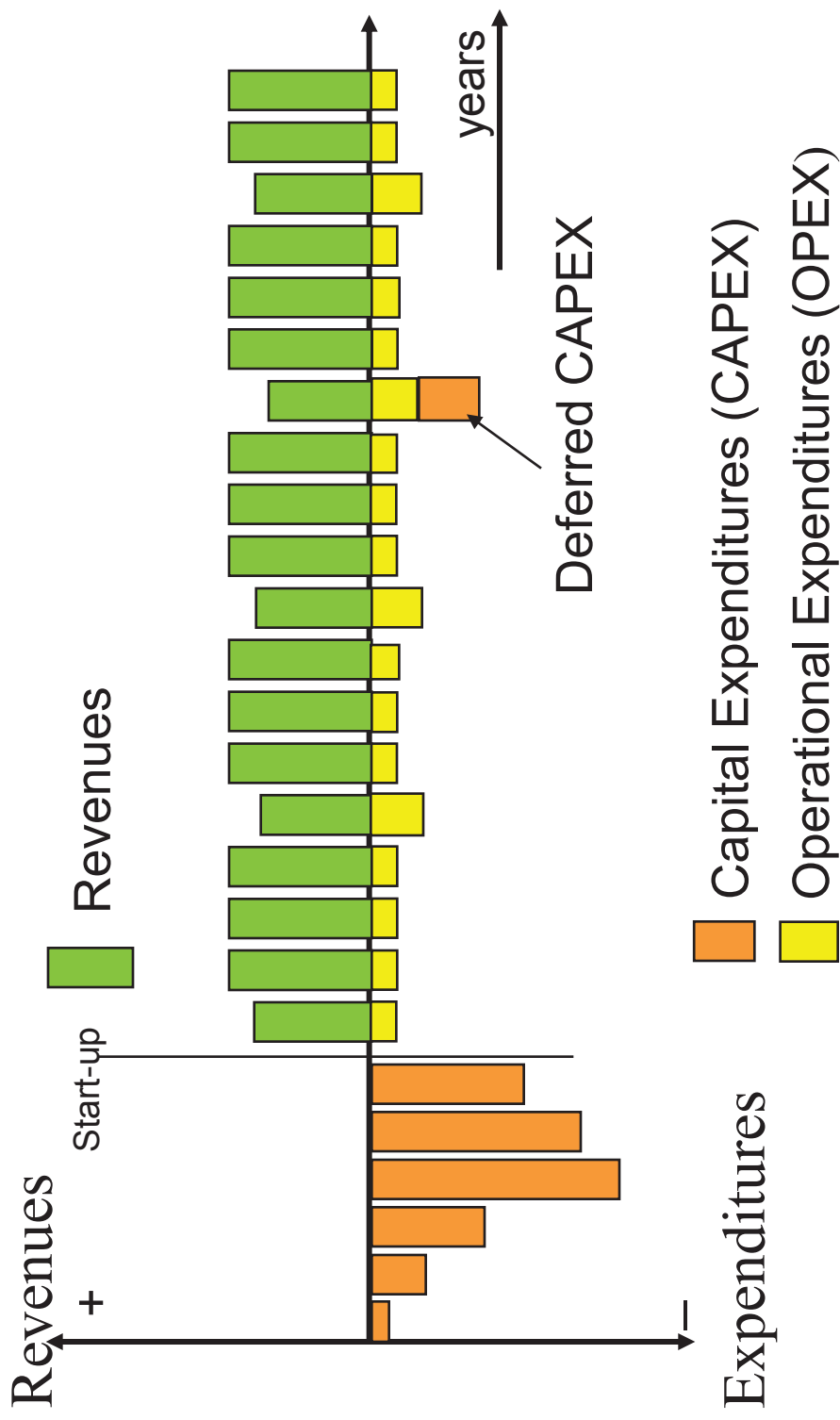


# Financial Definitions and Formulas

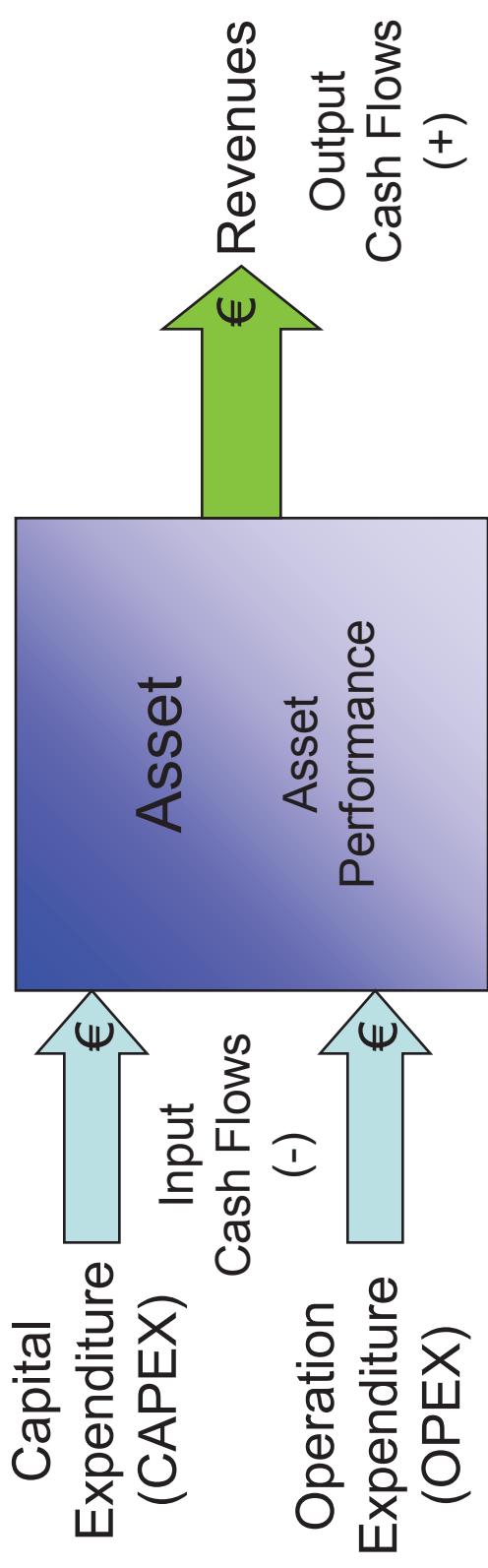




# Typical Cash Flow model



# Net Present Value (NPV)



Net Present Value (NPV) =  $\sum$  discounted in- and output cash flows

$$NPV = \sum_{t=0}^n \frac{C_t}{(1 + DR)^t}$$

$t$  = the time of the cash flow

$DR$  = the discount rate (decimals)

$C_t$  = the net cash flow at time  $t$ .

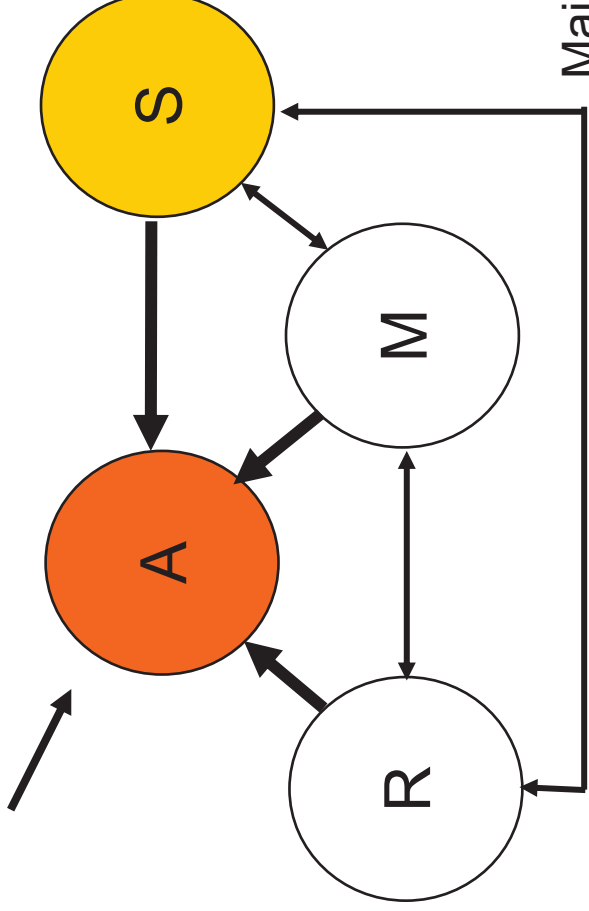
$n$  = the years of the project

# Major LCC Cost Drivers:



# Asset Performance RAMS

Non-Availability:  
Unplanned Asset Downtime



Major Asset performance criteria  
(Cost Drivers):

R = Reliability

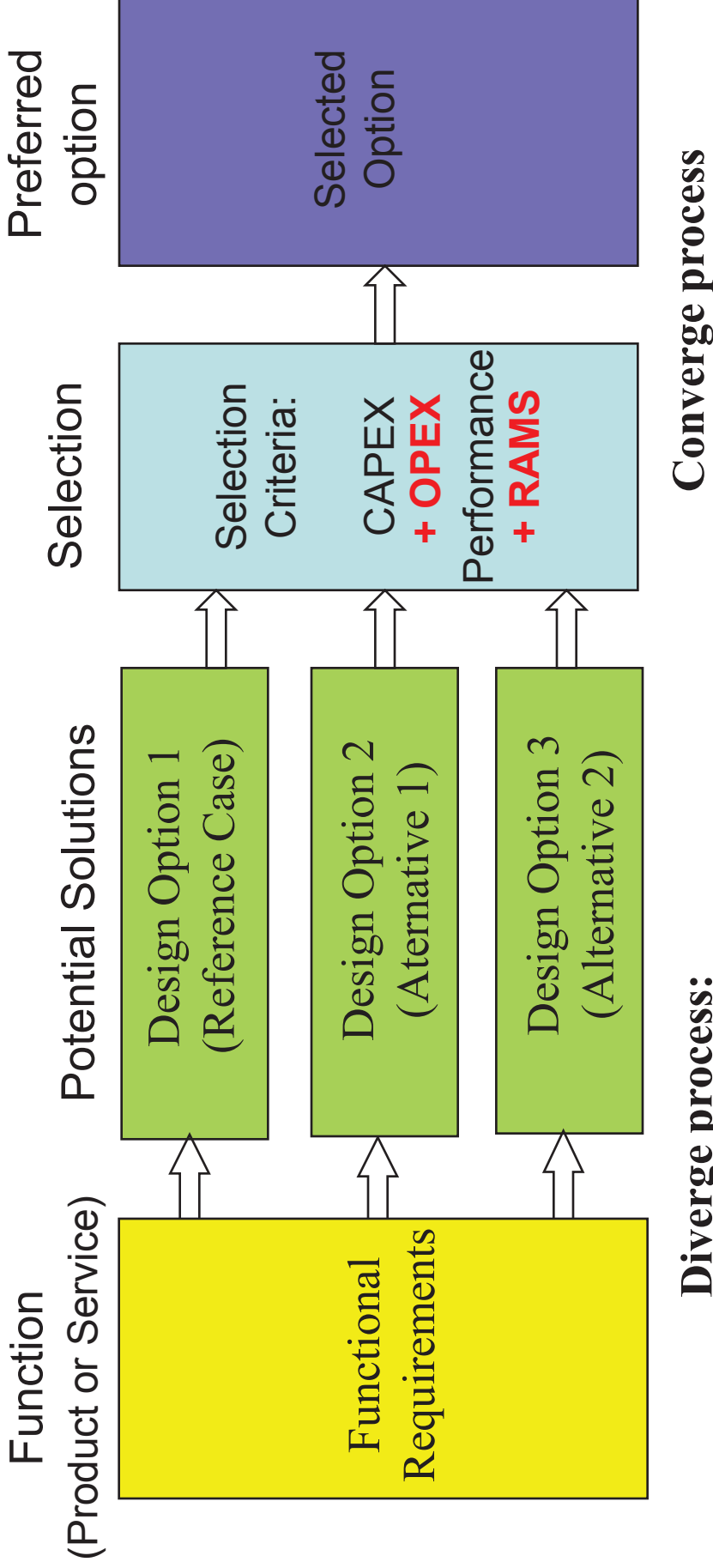
A = Availability

M = Maintainability

S = Safety

# LCC Methodology

## Value Engineering



**Diverge process:**  
Transition from Functional Requirements  
into Design & Execution Options

# Example LCC : Redundant Pump

A critical pump is not spared and if the pump fails, the plant shuts down. The alternative is to spare the pump and automatically switch over when the running pump fails. Calculate if it is Life Cycle Cost effective to spare this pump.

data:

|  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Installed Cost for one pump incl. automatic switch | € 1.000.000           |
| Estimated plant availability increase              | 1%                    |
| Maintenance Cost per year                          | 5% of installed cost. |
| Cost for down time                                 | € 100.000/stream day  |
| Plant stream days a year:                          | 340                   |
| Discount Rate                                      | 20%                   |
| Max evaluation period                              | 10 years operations   |

# Example LCC : Redundant Pump

Benefits for less deferred production:

1% x 340 days x 100.000 =

€ 340.000/year

Additional maintenance cost =

€ - 25.000/year

Yearly OPEX savings =

€ 315.000/year (+ CF)

Investment (CAPEX)

=

€ 1.000.000 (- CF)

# Example LCC : Redundant Pump

LCC<sub>NPV</sub> calculation

| Redundant Pump |            |       |          |
|----------------|------------|-------|----------|
| Years t        | Cashflow C | PV    | PV (cum) |
| 0              | -1000      | -1000 | -1000    |
| 1              | 315        | 262   | -738     |
| 2              | 315        | 219   | -519     |
| 3              | 315        | 183   | -336     |
| 4              | 315        | 152   | -184     |
| 5              | 315        | 126   | -58      |
| 6              | 315        | 105   | 48       |
| 7              | 315        | 87    | 135      |
| 8              | 315        | 73    | 208      |
| 9              | 315        | 61    | 269      |
| 10             | 315        | 51    | 320      |

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5.5 years

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Cost x € 1000

Discount Rate @ 20%

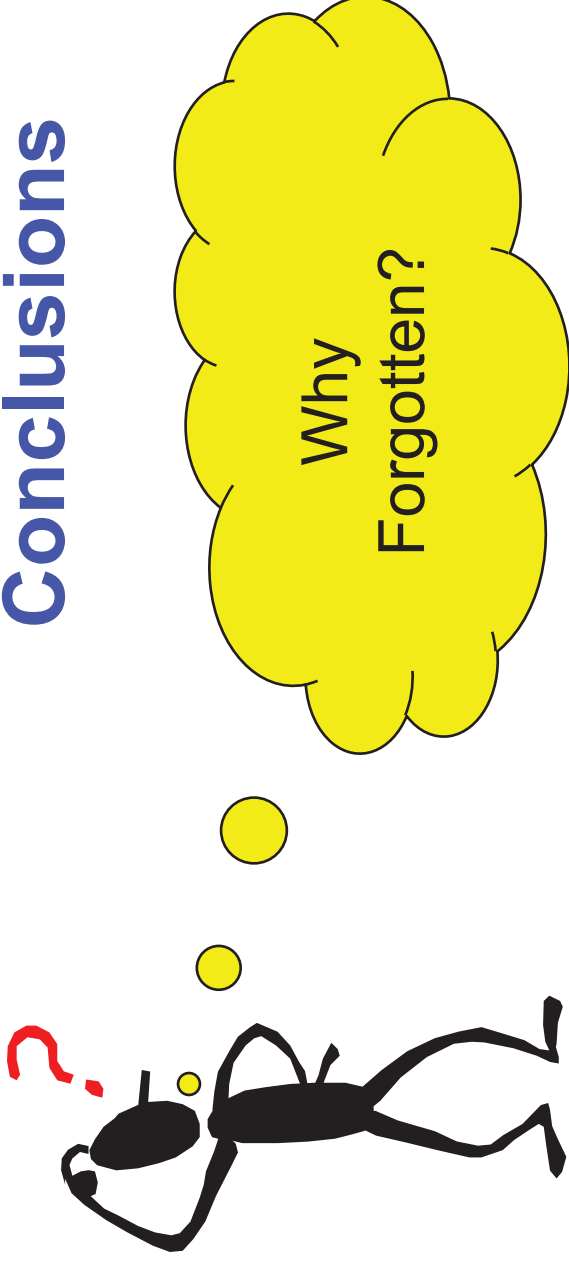


# Conclusions

Ja, door een LCC benadering verbeter je het duurzaam ondernemen

- Verbeterde Asset performance
- Lagere LCC
- Verbeterde concurrentie positie
  - Verbeterde verkoop
  - Potentieel meer winst

# Conclusions



- Insufficient awareness benefits by management:
  - Short term focus
  - CAPEX focus
- Lack of broad focus (over development + life time)
- Schedule pressure
- Insufficient integrated knowledge & experience:
  - Technical + Value Engineering + Financial + RAMS

# Discussie

**Is goedkoop altijd duurkoop?  
(Goedkoop = CAPEX)**

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