



# MEMAN

INTEGRAL MATERIAL AND ENERGY FLOW MANAGEMENT  
IN MANUFACTURING METAL MECHANIC SECTOR

## MEMAN TOOLBOX FOR IMPROVING ENERGY AND RESOURCE EFFICIENCY IN FACTORIES AND ENTIRE VALUE CHAINS

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# The **MEMAN** challenge



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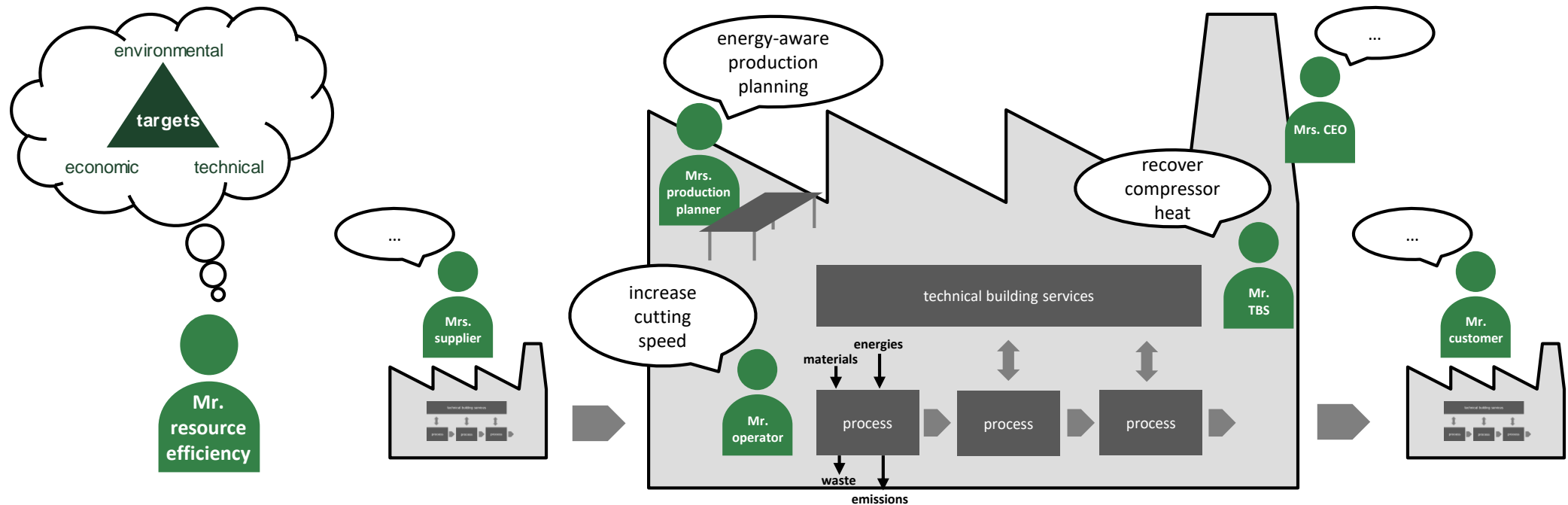
## Holistic improvement of resource efficiency in manufacturing

### challenges

multiple targets | complexity | distributed knowledge

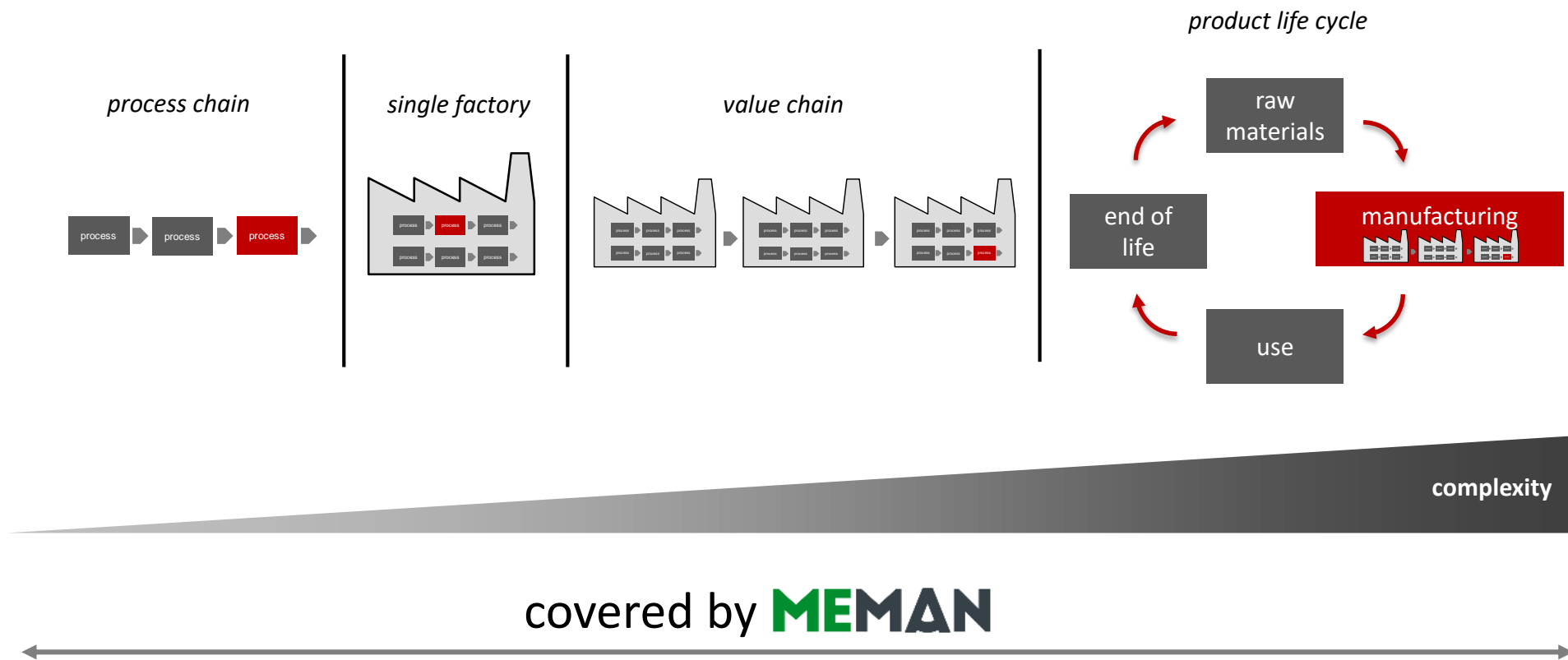
### consequences

local focus | unexploited saving potentials



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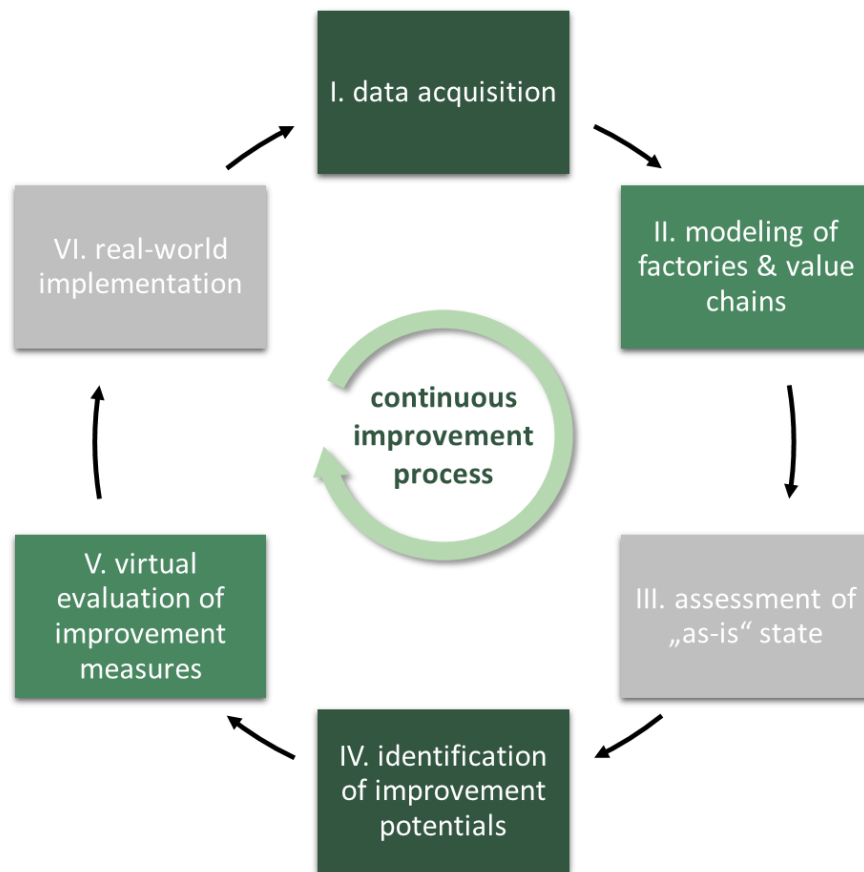
Consideration of greater scope increases complexity



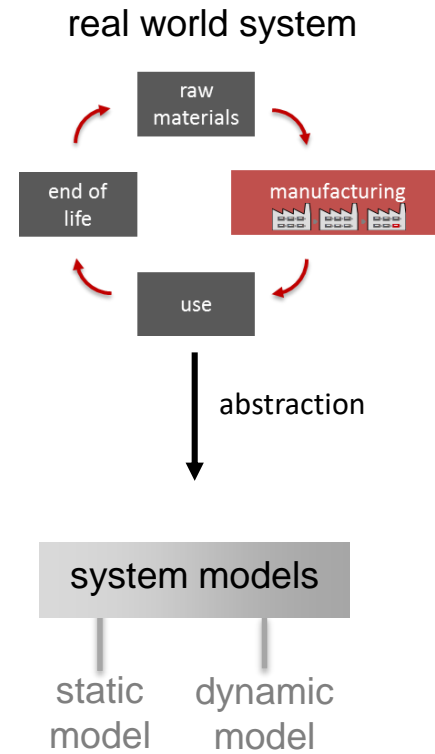
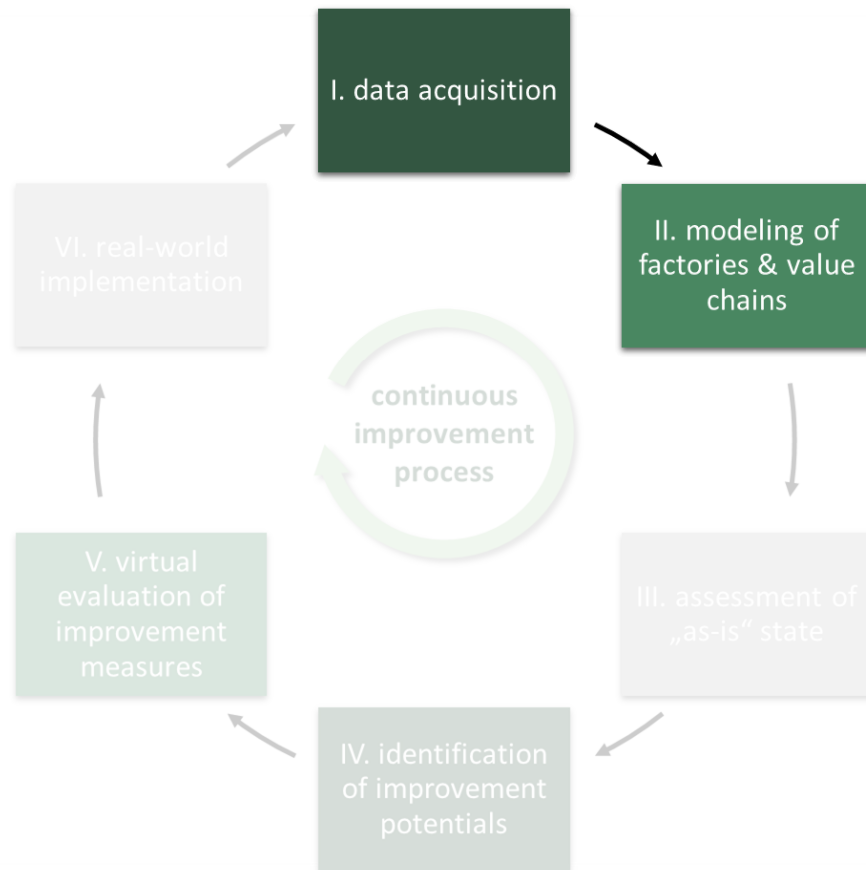
## The **MEMAN** toolbox



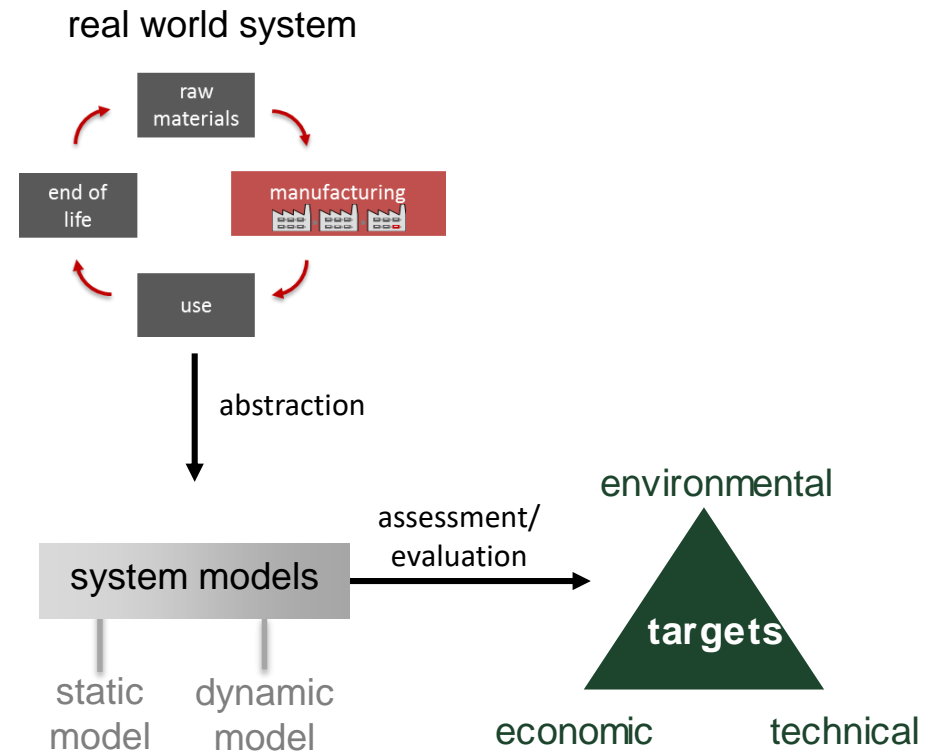
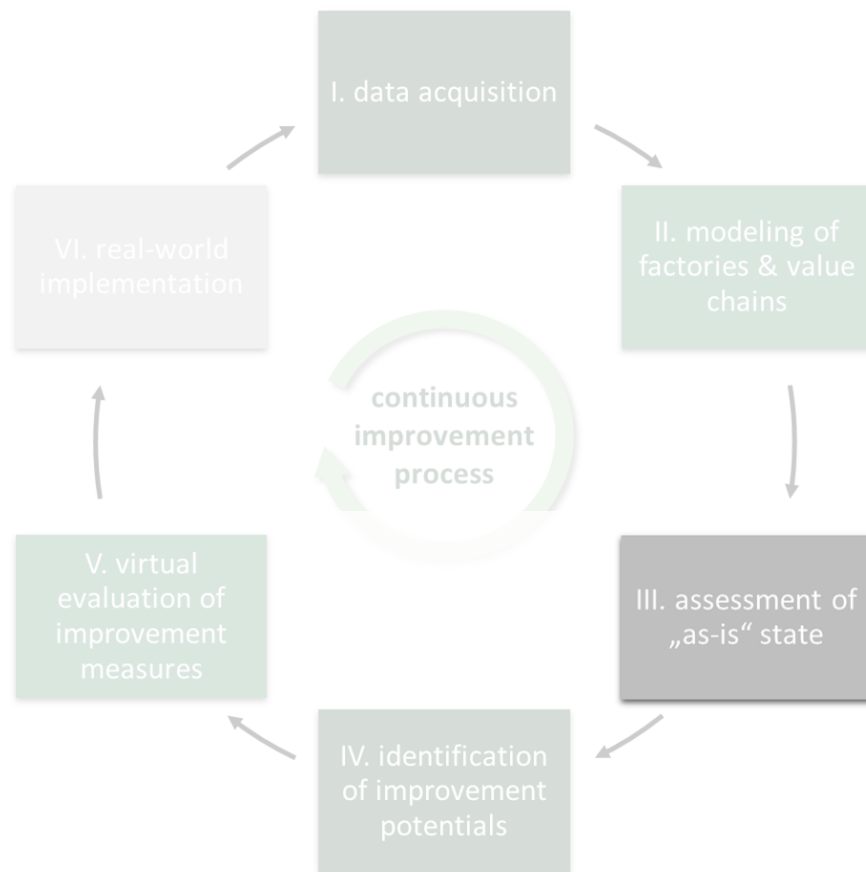
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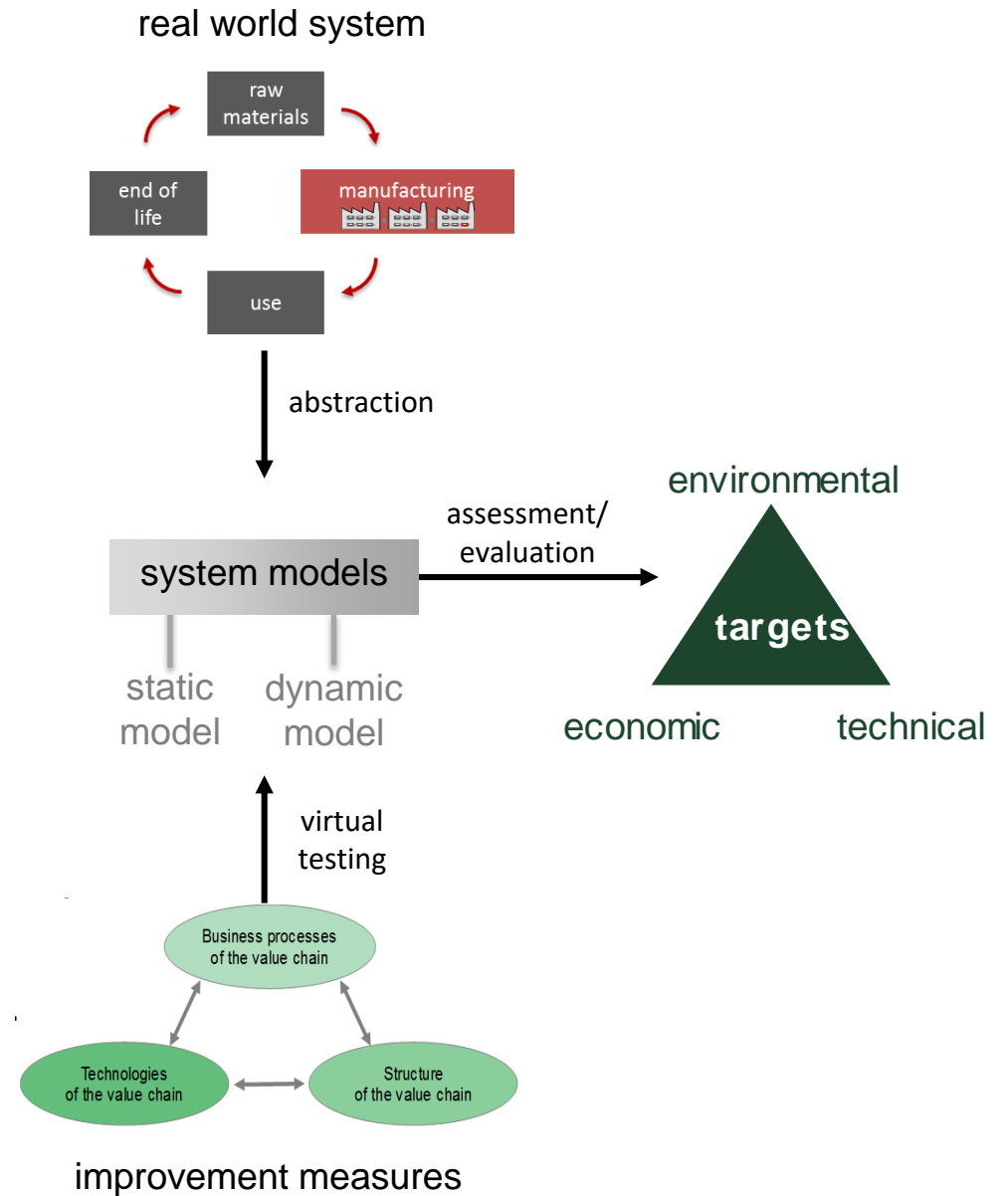
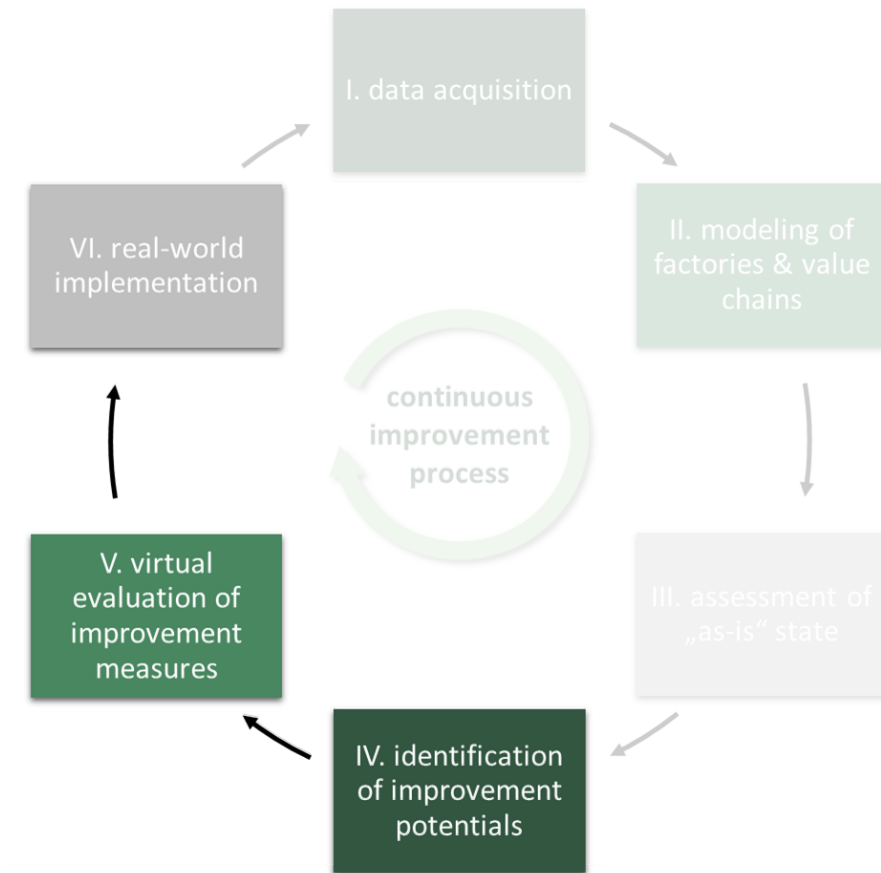


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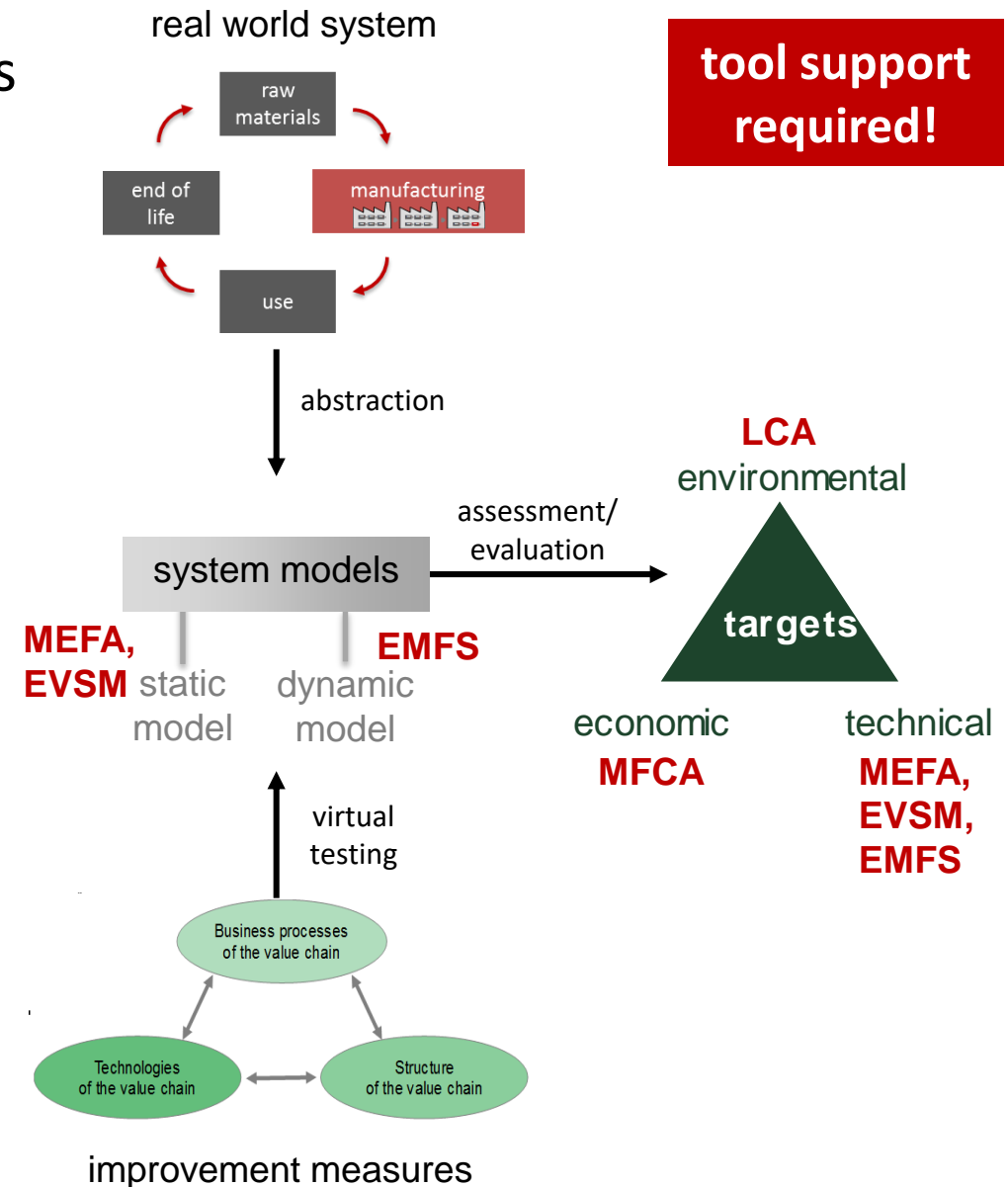
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## Combination of complementary methods to tackle complexity

approach \ criterion	MEFA	EMFS	LCA	EVSM	MFCA
dynamic system behavior					
economic performance					
environmental performance					
technical performance					
changes in product/material flow					
simplicity (time & knowledge)					
life cycle phases					
decision support					
degree of application					

➔ **single solutions, no consistency**

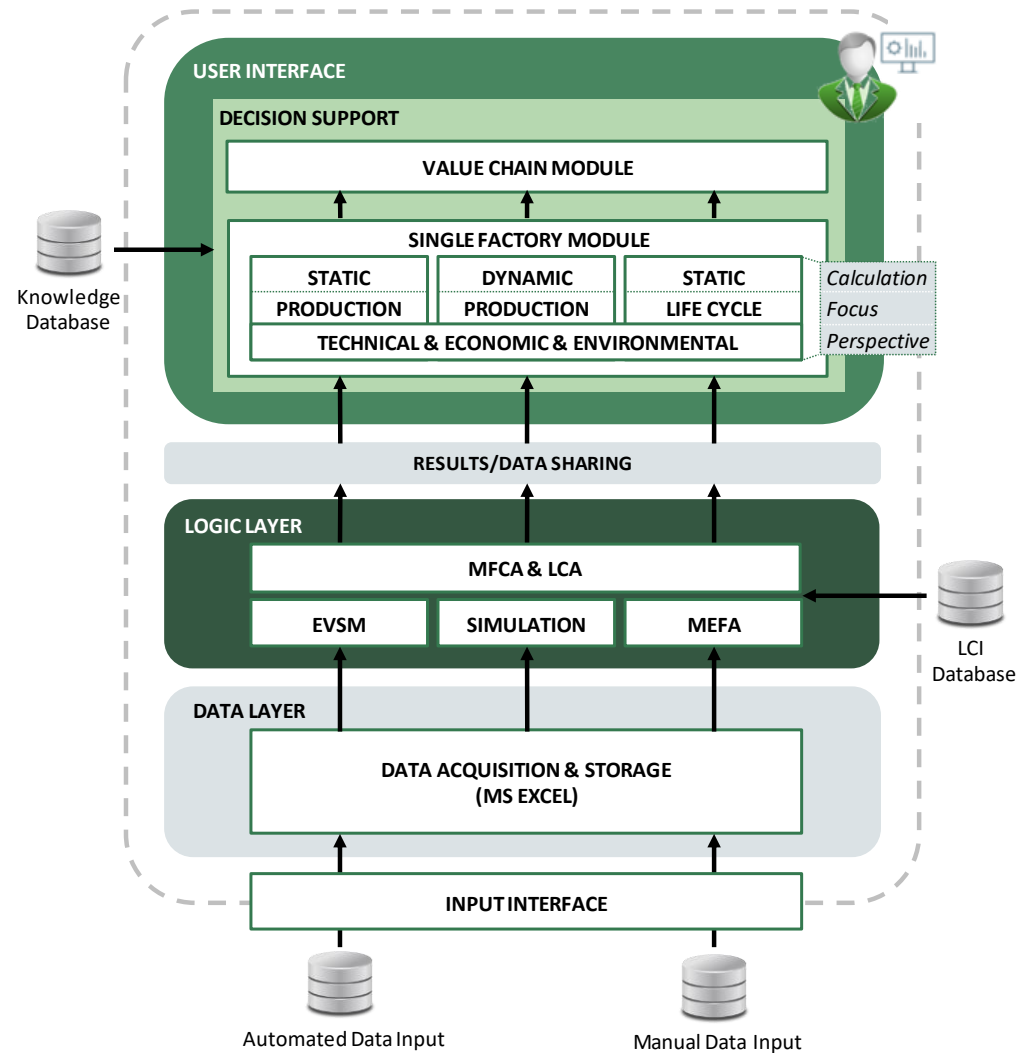


## Development of a new tool:

- novel method combination
- consistent data basis and KPI calculation
- holistic life cycle evaluation of value chains
- transparency about potential target conflicts and interdependencies
- implementation in standard software for high usability



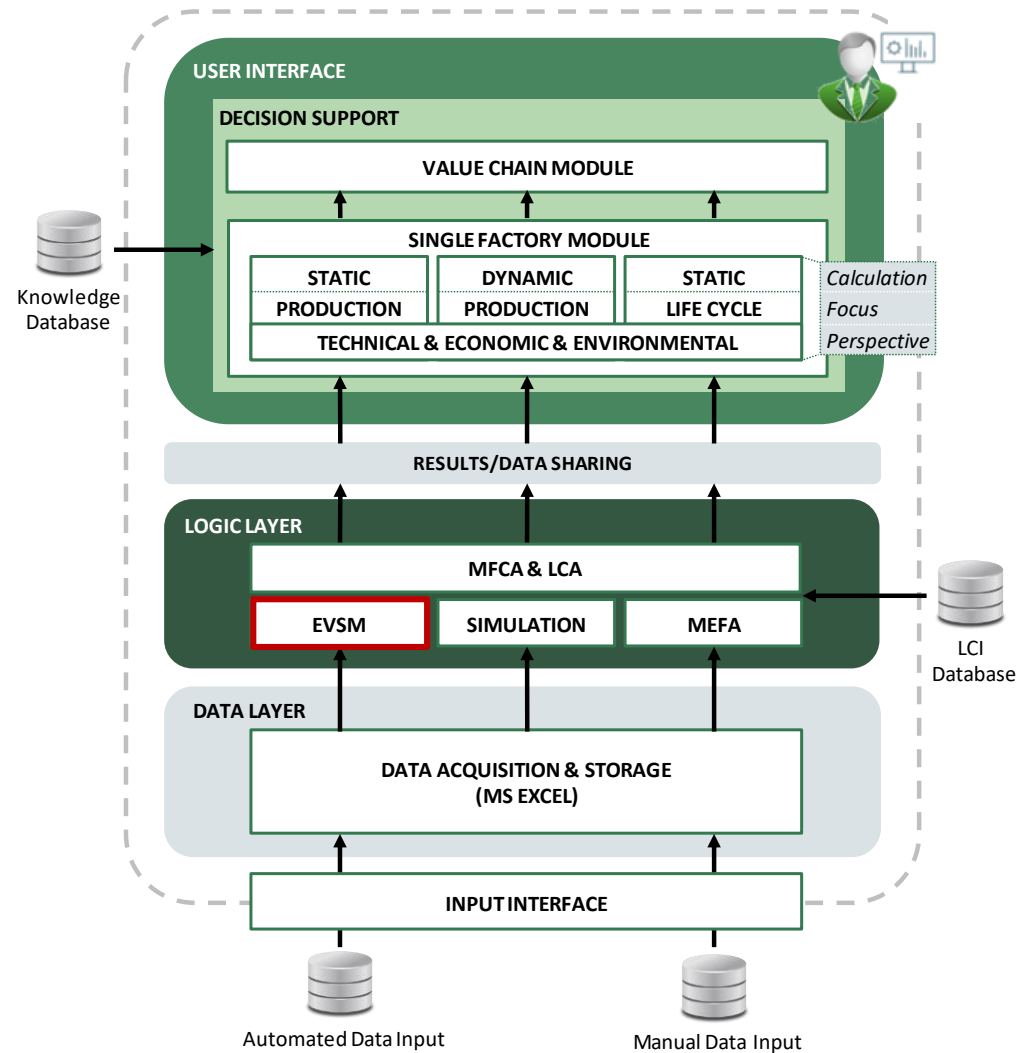
## MEMAN decision making toolbox



## EVSM\*

### quick hotspot identification

- results
- bottlenecks (static)
  - quality losses
  - energy hotspots
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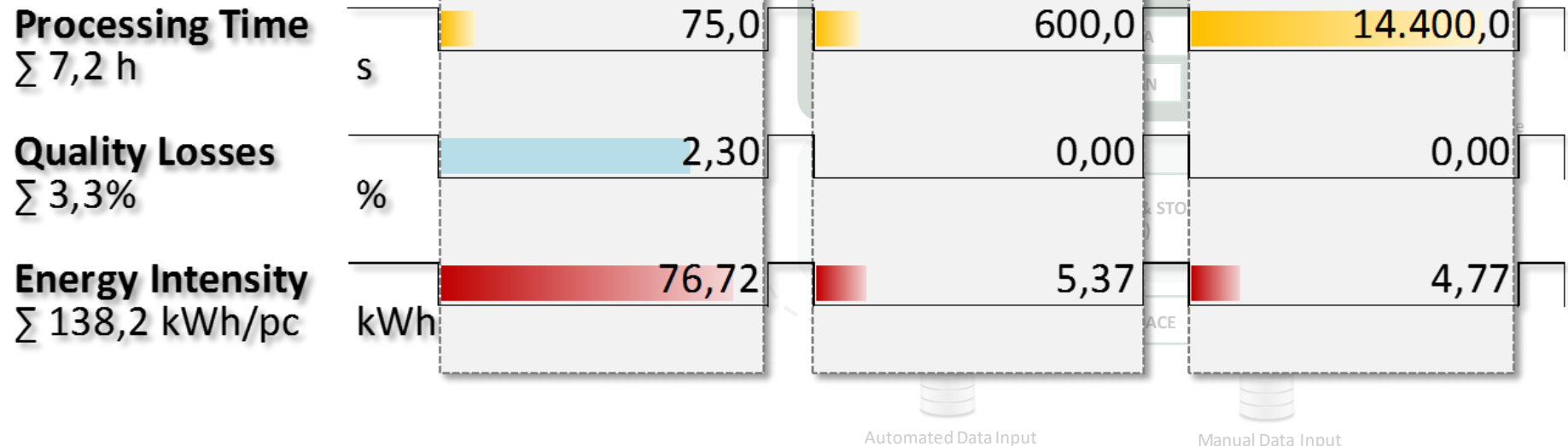
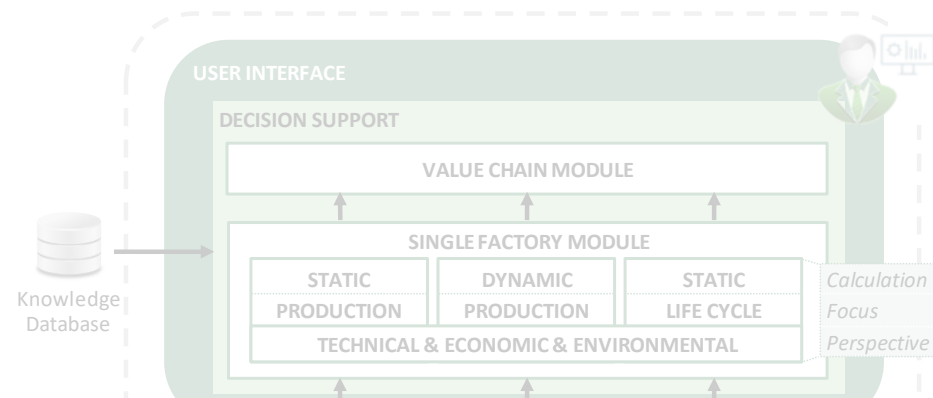
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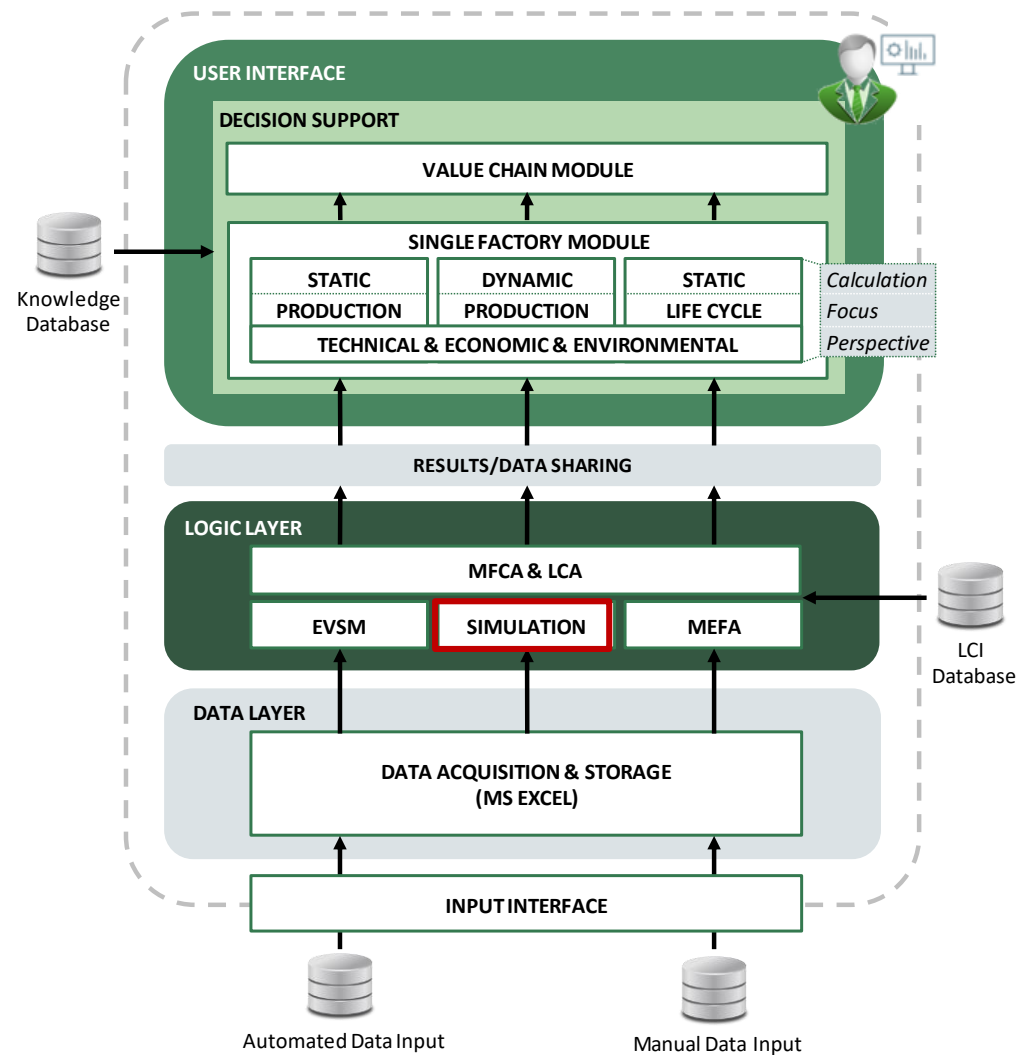
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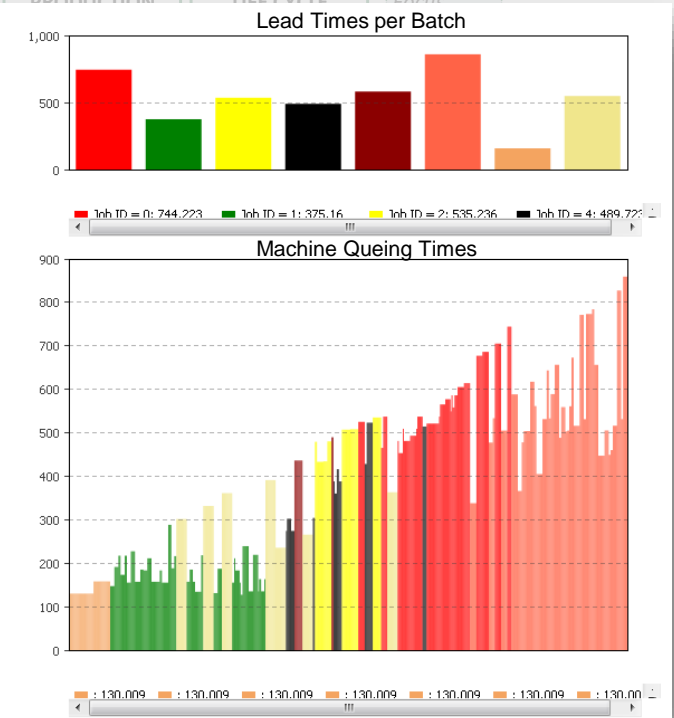
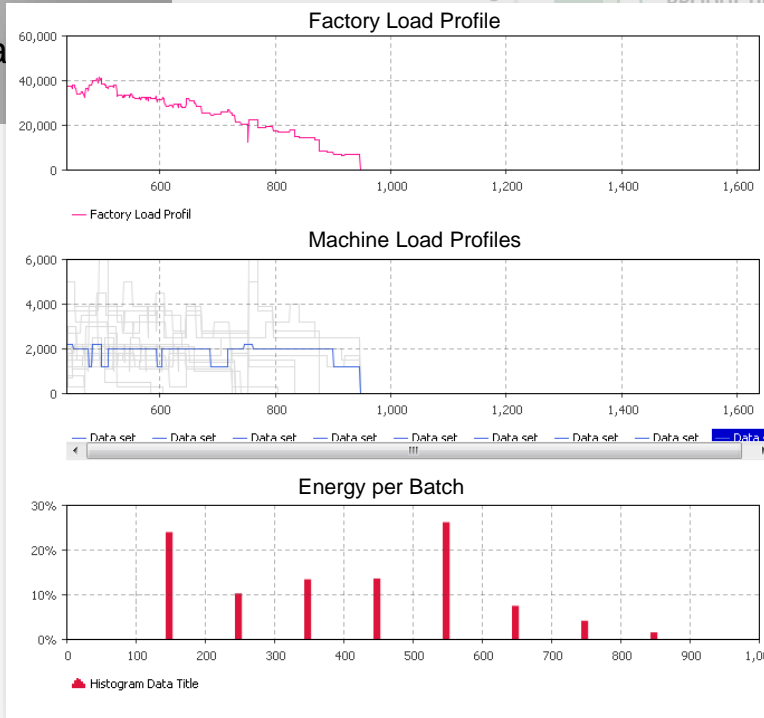
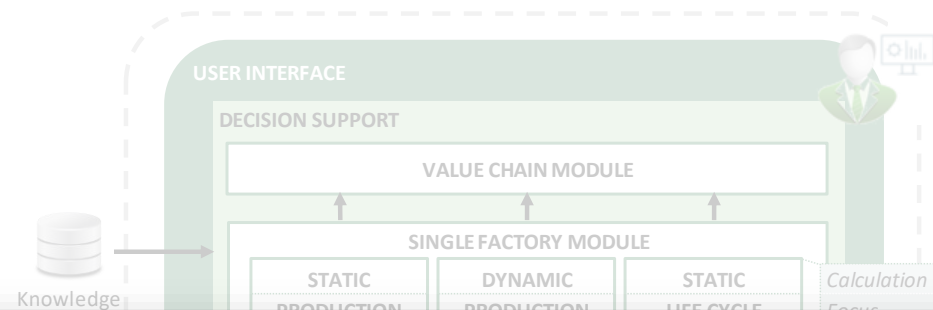
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Automated Data Input

Manual Data Input

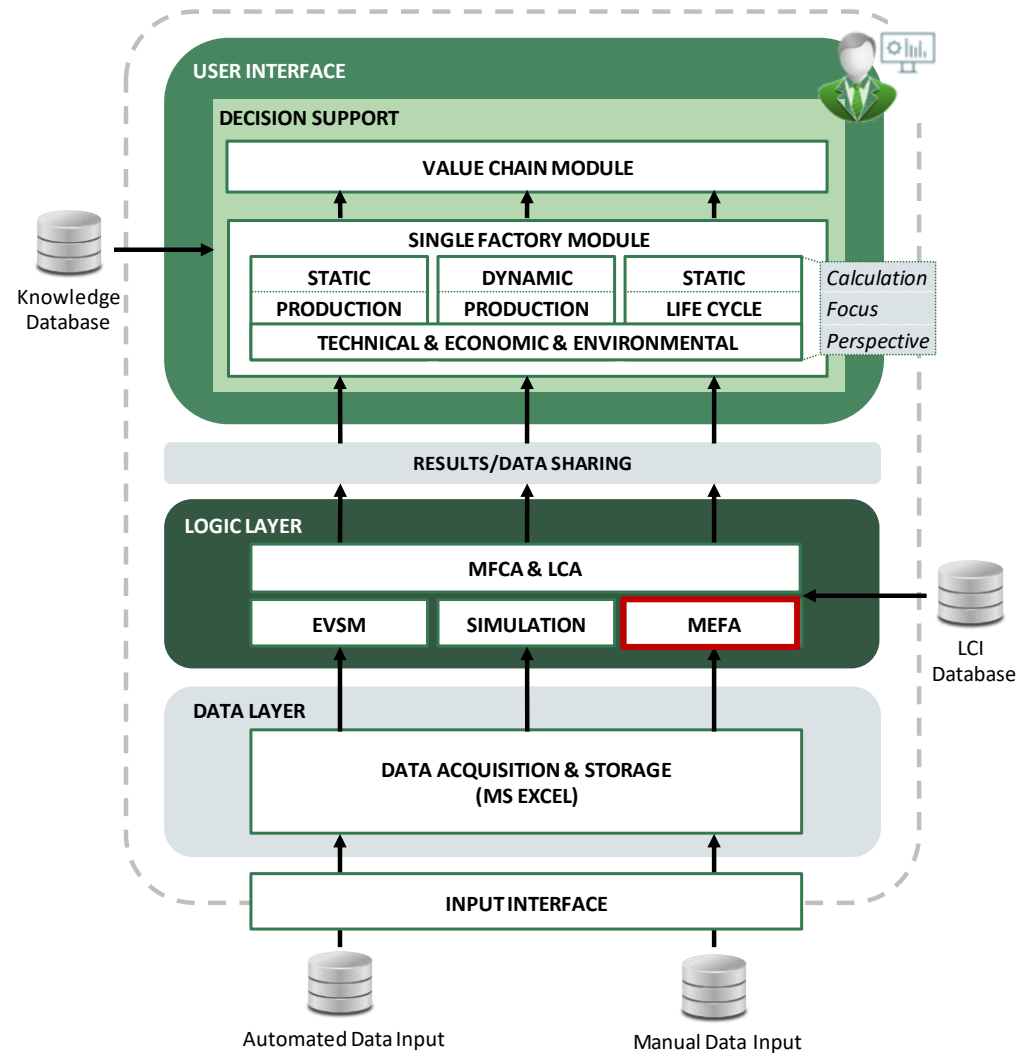
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## MEFA\*

### flows of materials and energies

- results**
- ➔ input & output balances for processes, factories, life cycle phases
  - ➔ basis for cost & environmental impact calculations



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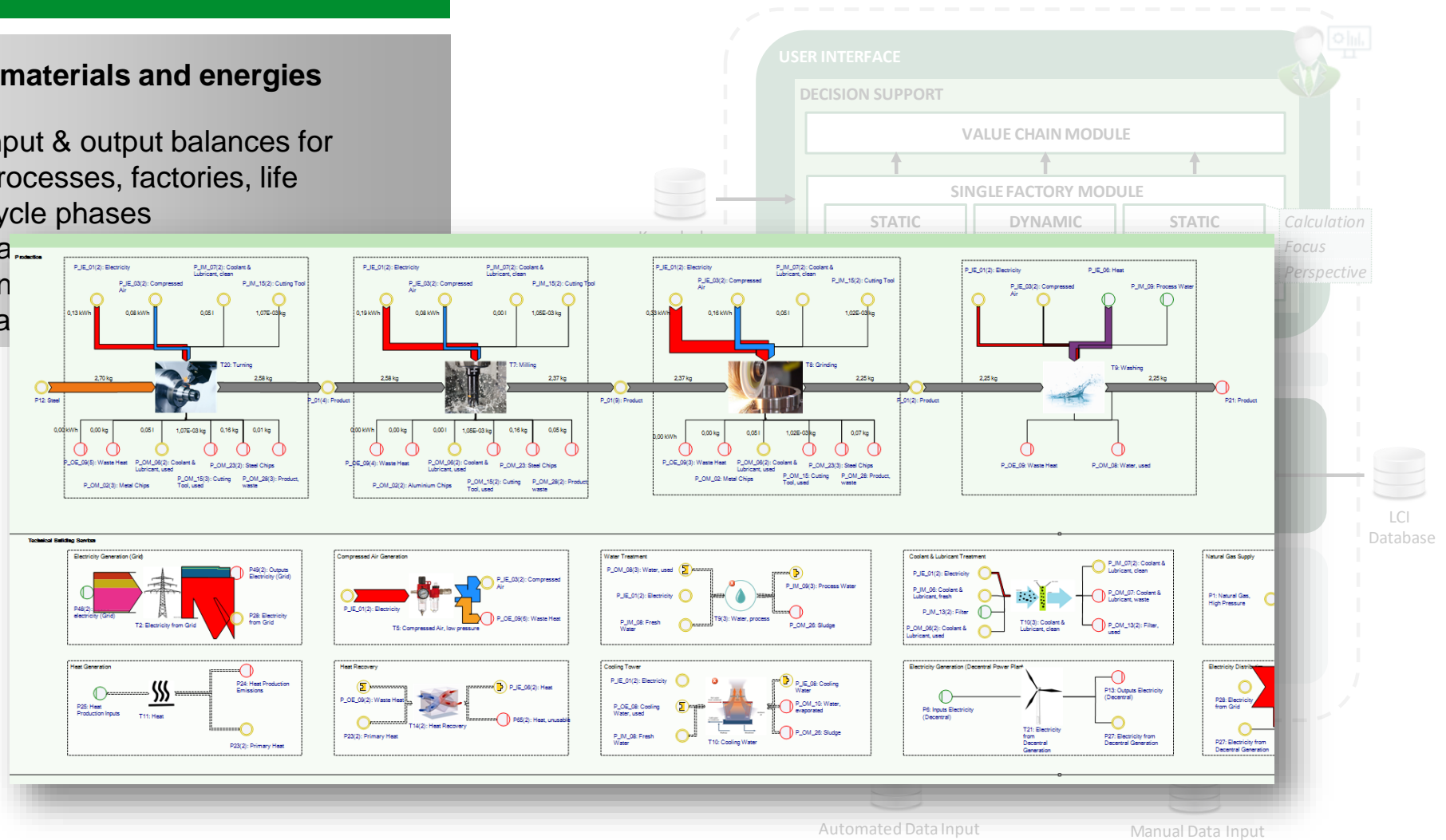




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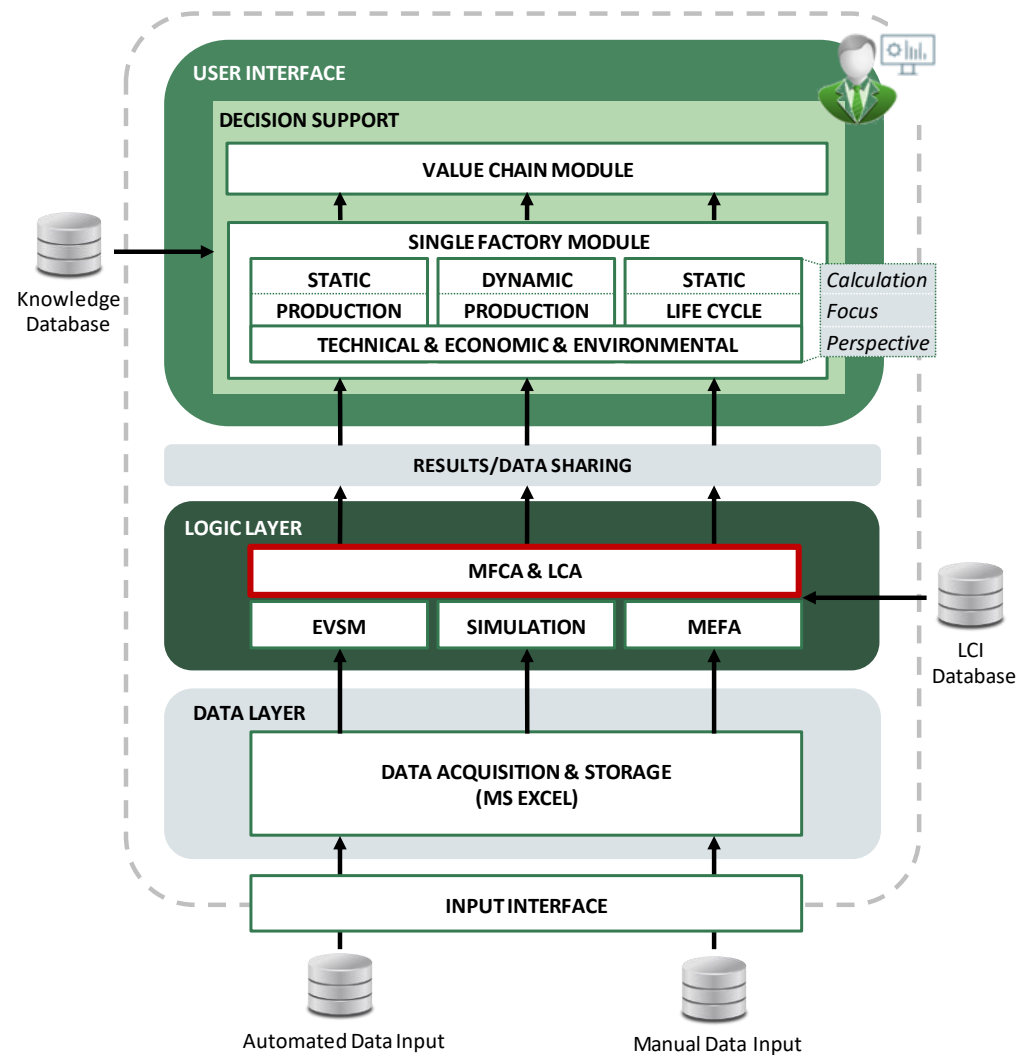
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## MFCA\* & LCA\*\*

### economic & environmental consequences

- ➔ carbon footprint, toxicity, eutrophication etc.
- ➔ energy costs, material costs, labor costs etc.



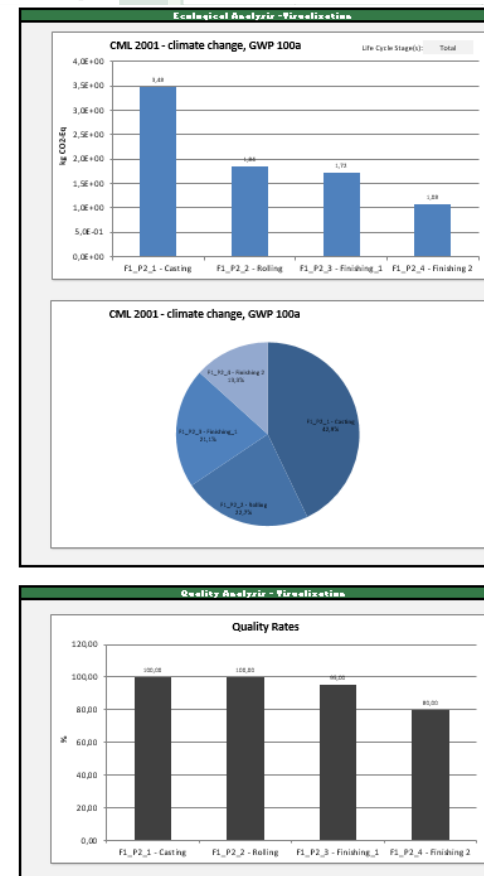
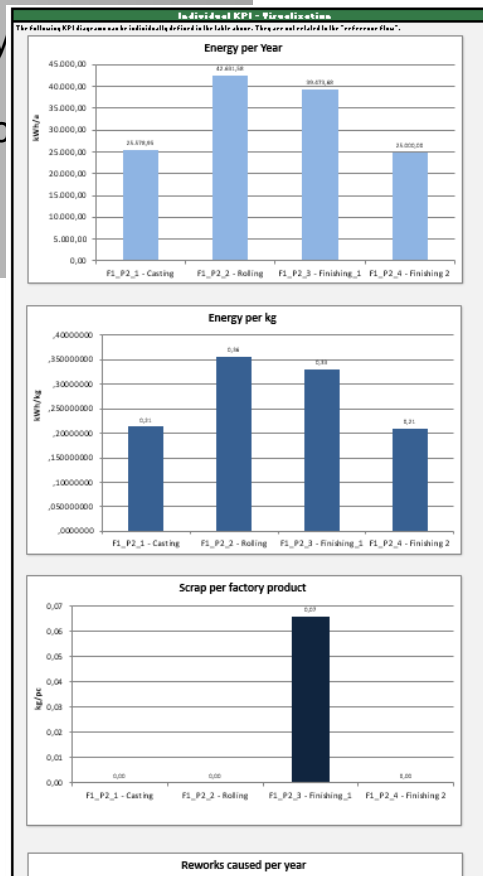
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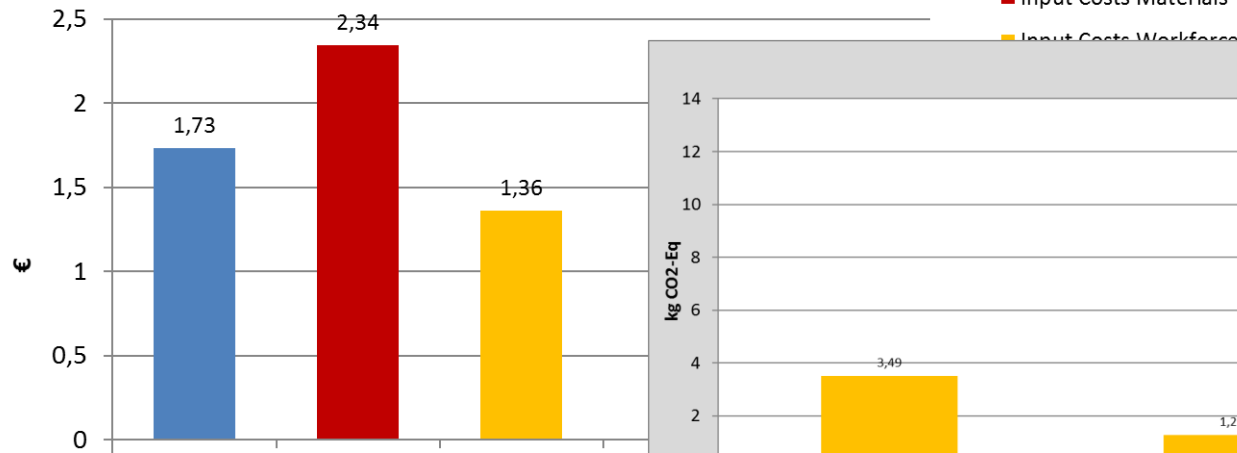
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costs per product

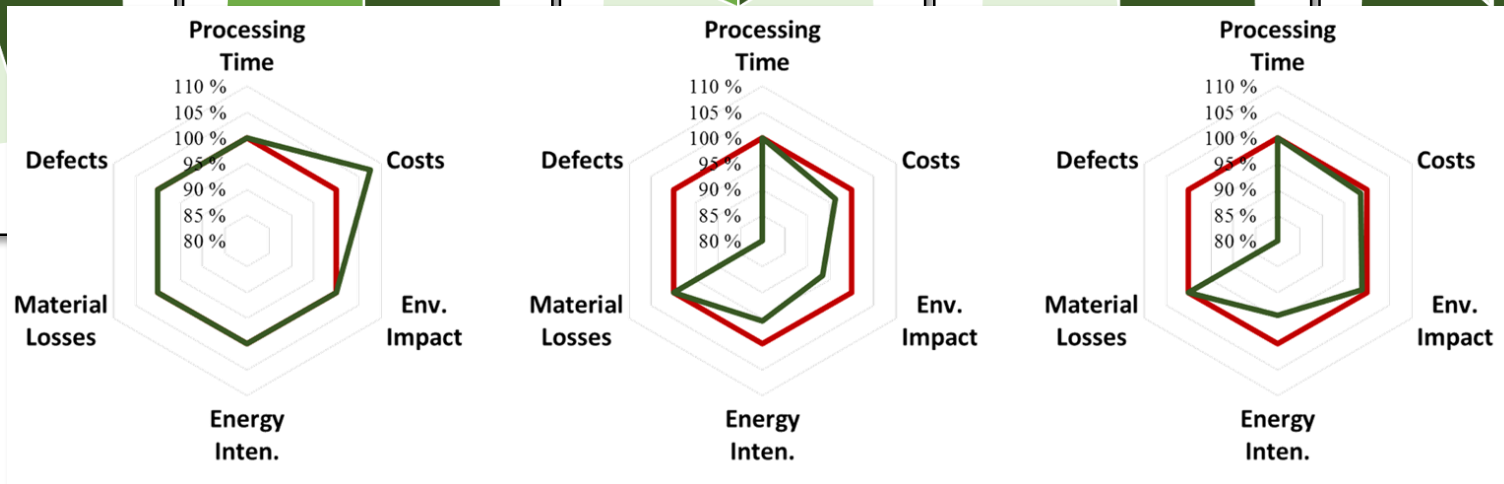
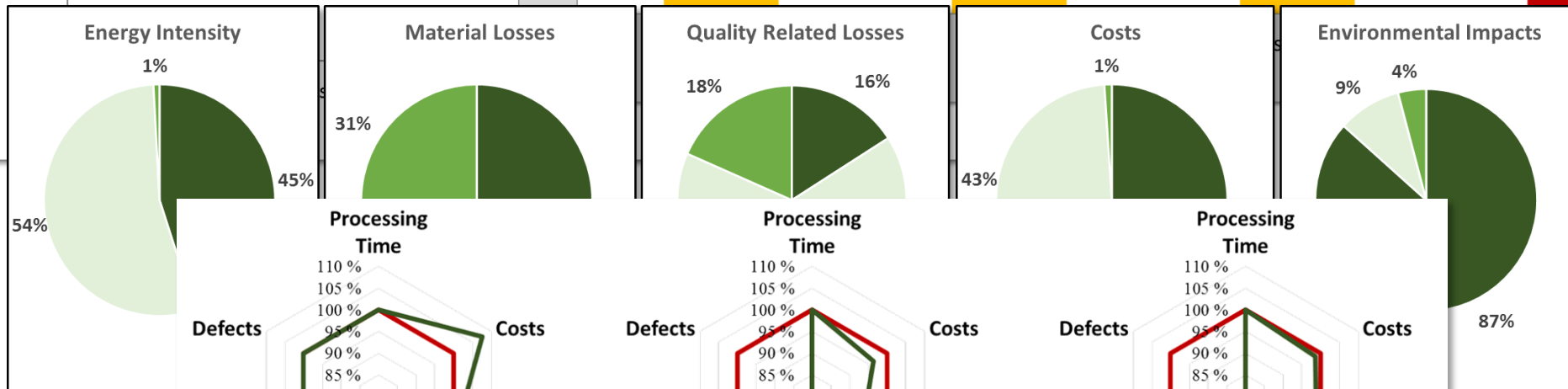
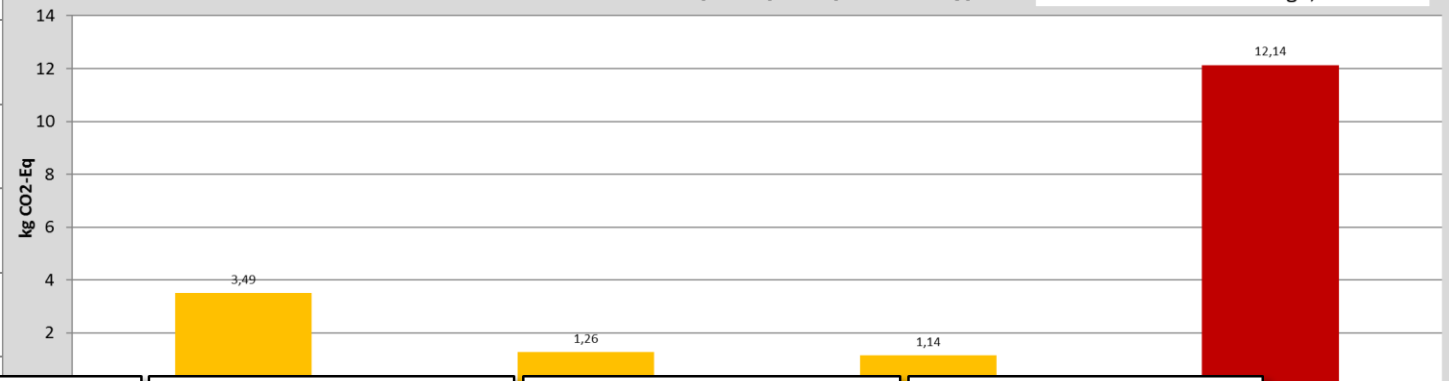
## Cost Distribution



environmental impacts per product

## Total Impacts per Input Flow Type

CML 2001 - climate change, GWP 100a



impacts across the value chain

target conflicts



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# Want to know more?

## Downloadable publications (open access)

- Blume et al. 2018: “Increasing Resource Efficiency of Manufacturing Systems Using a Knowledge-Based System”
- Blume et al. 2017: “Toolbox for Increasing Resource Efficiency in the European Metal Mechanic Sector”
- Blume et al. 2017: “Toolbox zur Steigerung der Ressourceneffizienz im metallverarbeitenden Gewerbe”

see also: [www.meman.eu](http://www.meman.eu)

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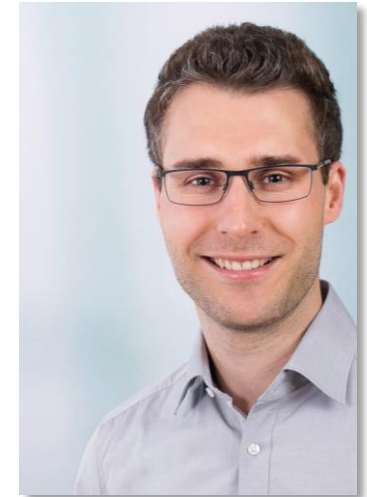
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