

# Quantifying Systems Engineering Reuse

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# Discussion Points

- Problem and motivations
- Generalized Reuse Framework
  - *Design With Reuse*
  - *Design For Reuse*
- Quantifying the Reuse Framework in COSYSMO
- Calibrating the model
- Conclusion and future work

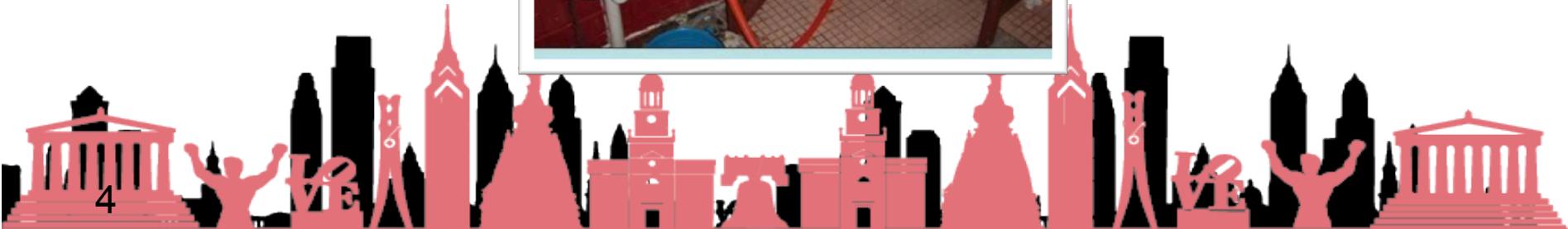
*It's amazing how quickly your garage, closets and basement can fill up with items you no longer use.*

*We've got a solution...  
Let other people use them!*



# Contrastable Manners of Reuse

- Ad Hoc / Opportunistic Reuse
  - Search & discover reusable resources
  - Adapt to current application
  - Deal with problems
  - E.g., “Code scavenging”
- Planned / Systematic Reuse
  - Strategy, portfolio and roadmap
  - Explicit processes and standards
  - Investment in reusable resources



# Problem & Motivations

- Reuse has been focusing on leveraging previous artifacts in order to save labor, with an inherent *assumption* that there's something there to reuse in the first place
- However, product line decision makers today need to consider:
  - Cost to develop artifacts
  - How to materialize the artifacts in future products
  - Modifications or additional costs required
  - Cost vs. benefit
- We want to be able to assess not only the effort to *leverage* but also the effort to *invest*
- The goal is an effective tool for design sensitivity analysis and product line investment decisions



# Two Fundamental Reuse Processes

## Development For Reuse (DFR)

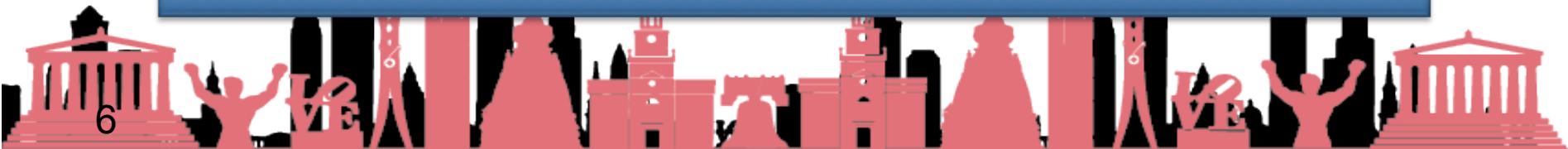
- Producer's View
- Production of reusable resources

## Development With Reuse (DWR)

- Consumer's View
- Consumption of reusable resources



Key is How to Plan and Balance Both in a Development Project



# Contrasting DWR and DFR

	Development with Reuse (DWR)	Development for Reuse (DFR)
<b>Role</b>	Consumer	Producer
<b>Purpose</b>	Consumption of reusable resources	Production of reusable resources
<b>Goal</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improving product quality</li> <li>Cost savings</li> <li>Time to market</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Investment for future benefits</li> <li>Product line, lifecycle strategies</li> </ul>
<b>Challenges</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discovery of what to reuse</li> <li>Decisions on how to tailor and integrate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plans for how to reuse</li> <li>Design for reusability</li> <li>Means to verify</li> </ul>
<b>Reusability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If ad hoc, then generally low</li> <li>If planned, then generally high</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generally high, if done right</li> </ul>



# Developing for Product Line In a Project

- Project activities in two-fold:
  - Develop & deploy target system
  - Invest in product line (for future target systems)



*Total Project Effort*

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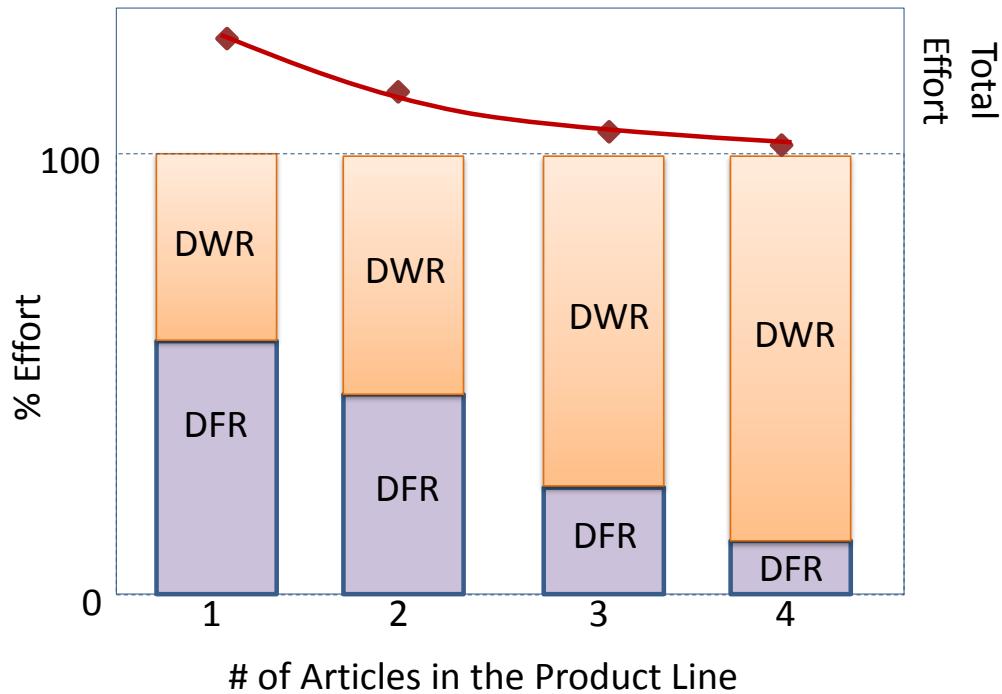
*DWR Effort*

+

*DFR Effort*



# Product Line Benefits of Reuse



Investments in Development for Reuse (DFR) are leveraged to reduce Product Line Cost



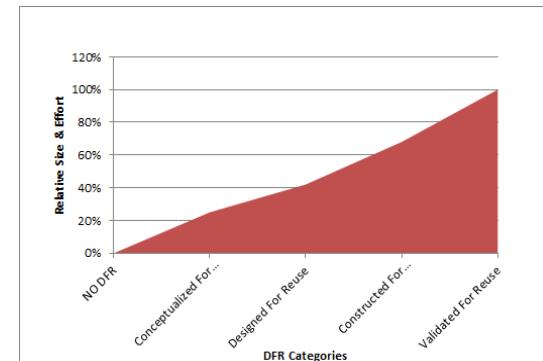
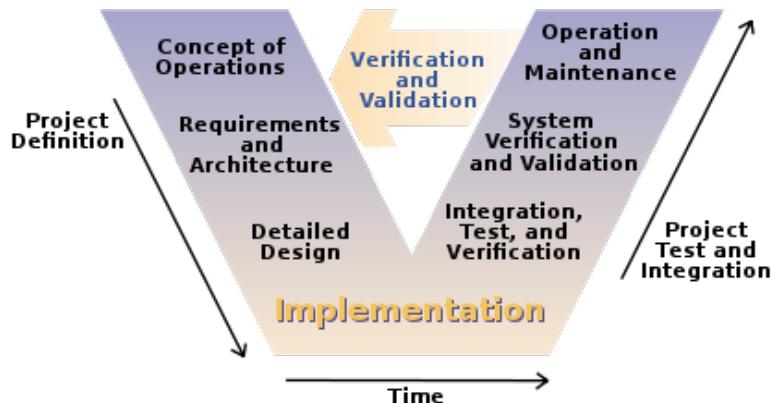
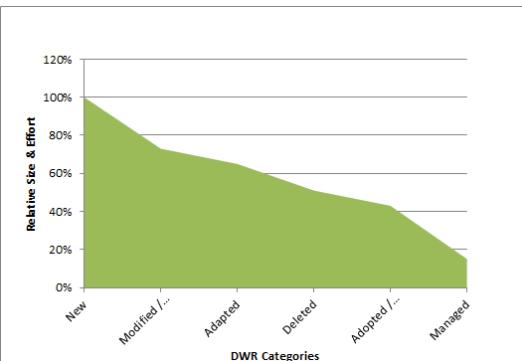
# Reuse Framework - Definitions

- **DWR Categories:**

- New
- Modified / Implemented
- Adapted
- Deleted
- Adopted / Integrated
- Managed

- **DFR Categories:**

- No DFR
- Conceptualized For Reuse
- Designed For Reuse
- Constructed For Reuse
- Validated For Reuse

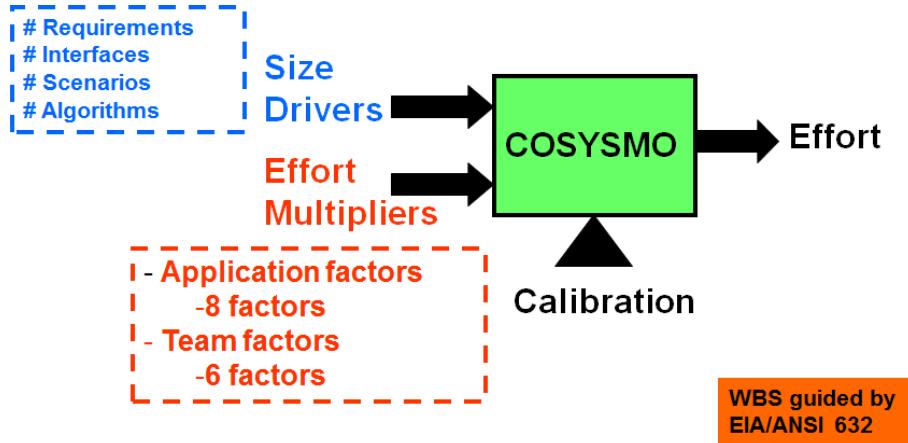


# Interfacing DWR and DFR

Reusability from DFR Produces	Reusable Resources	Reused by DWR with Effort
<i>Conceptualized for Reuse</i>	System Concept Definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>New</i></li> </ul>
<i>Conceptualized for Reuse</i>	Logical Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>New</i></li> </ul>
<i>Designed for Reuse</i>	Physical Architecture (intended for built to print)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>New</i>, if architectural modification required</li> <li>• <i>Implemented</i>, if no modification required</li> </ul>
<i>Constructed for Reuse</i>	Constructed Product/Component	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Modified</i>, if architectural modification required</li> <li>• <i>Adapted</i>, if tailoring needed for integration</li> <li>• <i>Adopted</i>, if only integration and testing required</li> </ul>
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# COSYSMO



## • COSYSMO

- CONstructive SYStems Engineering Cost MOdel
- Parametric Estimate of the Systems Engineering Effort
- Covers full systems engineering lifecycle
- Originally developed by Dr. Ricardo Valerdi and Dr. Barry Boehm at USC

- Inception of COSYSMO 1.0
  - Valerdi, R., The Constructive Systems Engineering Cost Model (COSYSMO), PhD Dissertation, University of Southern California, May 2005.
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  - Wang, G., Valerdi, R., Ankrum, A., Millar, C., and Roedler, G., "COSYSMO Reuse Extension," Proceedings of the 18th INCOSE International Symposium, June 2008.
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  - Wang, G., Valerdi, R., Fortune, J., "Reuse in Systems Engineering," IEEE System Journal, v4, No.3, 2010.
- Marching to COSYSMO 3.0 (work in progress...)
  - Fortune, J. and Valerdi, R., "Considerations for Successful Reuse in Systems Engineering," AIAA Space 2008, San Diego, CA, September 2008.
  - Wang, G. and Rice, J., "Considerations for a Generalized Reuse Framework for System Development," Proceedings of the 21st INCOSE International Symposium, June 2011.
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  - Fortune, J. and Valerdi, R., "A Framework for Systems Engineering Reuse," Systems Engineering, 16(2), 2013.



# Quantifying Reuse Framework in Extended COSYSMO (3.0)

$$Project\ Effort = DWR\ Effort + DFR\ Effort$$

$$PM_{DWR+DFR} = A_1 \cdot \left[ \sum_k \left( \sum_r w_r (w_{e,k} \Phi_{e,k} + w_{n,k} \Phi_{n,k} + w_{d,k} \Phi_{d,k}) \right) \right]^{E_1} \cdot CEM_1$$
$$+ A_2 \cdot \left[ \sum_k \left( \sum_q w_q (w_{e,k} \Psi_{e,k} + w_{n,k} \Psi_{n,k} + w_{d,k} \Psi_{d,k}) \right) \right]^{E_2} \cdot CEM_2$$

Where:

**PM<sub>DWR</sub>** = effort in Person Hours/Months (Nominal Schedule)

**A<sub>1</sub>** = DWR constant derived from historical project data

**k** = {REQ, IF, ALG, SCN}

**r** = {New, Implemented, Modified, Deleted, Adopted, Managed}

**w<sub>r</sub>** = weight for defined levels of size driver reuse

**w<sub>x</sub>** = weight for “easy”, “nominal”, or “difficult” size driver

**Φ<sub>x</sub>** = quantity of “k” size driver

**E<sub>1</sub>** = represents diseconomy of scale in DWR

**CEM<sub>1</sub>** = composite effort multiplier for DWR

Where:

**PM<sub>DFR</sub>** = effort in Person Hours/Months (Nominal Schedule)

**A<sub>2</sub>** = DFR constant derived from historical project data

**k** = {REQ, IF, ALG, SCN}

**q** = {Conceptualized, Designed, Built, Validated}

**w<sub>r</sub>** = weight for defined levels of size driver reuse

**w<sub>x</sub>** = weight for “easy”, “nominal”, or “difficult” size driver

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**CEM<sub>2</sub>** = composite effort multiplier for DFR



# Example Scenario #1 – Modification of Fielded System

## *Modification of Fielded System:*

- *There are 20 heritage requirements that were previously Designed for Reuse and are satisfied through the existing physical architecture*
- *The customer has decided to delete 10 requirements and levy 5 requirements that have not been previously analyzed*
- *The deletion of the requirements results in the modification of 3 of the 5 heritage interfaces*
- *There are no changes to the 3 heritage algorithms.*

**DWR**

## ***COSYSMO System-level Cost Drivers:***

*New system requirements: 5*

*Modified system requirements: 20*

*Deleted system requirements: 10*

*New system interfaces: 3*

*Modified system interfaces: 2*

*Adopted algorithms: 3*



# Example Scenario #2 – Refactoring For Reuse

## *Standard API Development:*

- *Generalize existing functionalities and services into reusable libraries with standardized APIs during the development of the current system, encapsulating*
  - *25 system requirements*
  - *7 system interfaces*
  - *2 system critical algorithms*
  - *And can potentially impact one operational sequence*

**DFR**

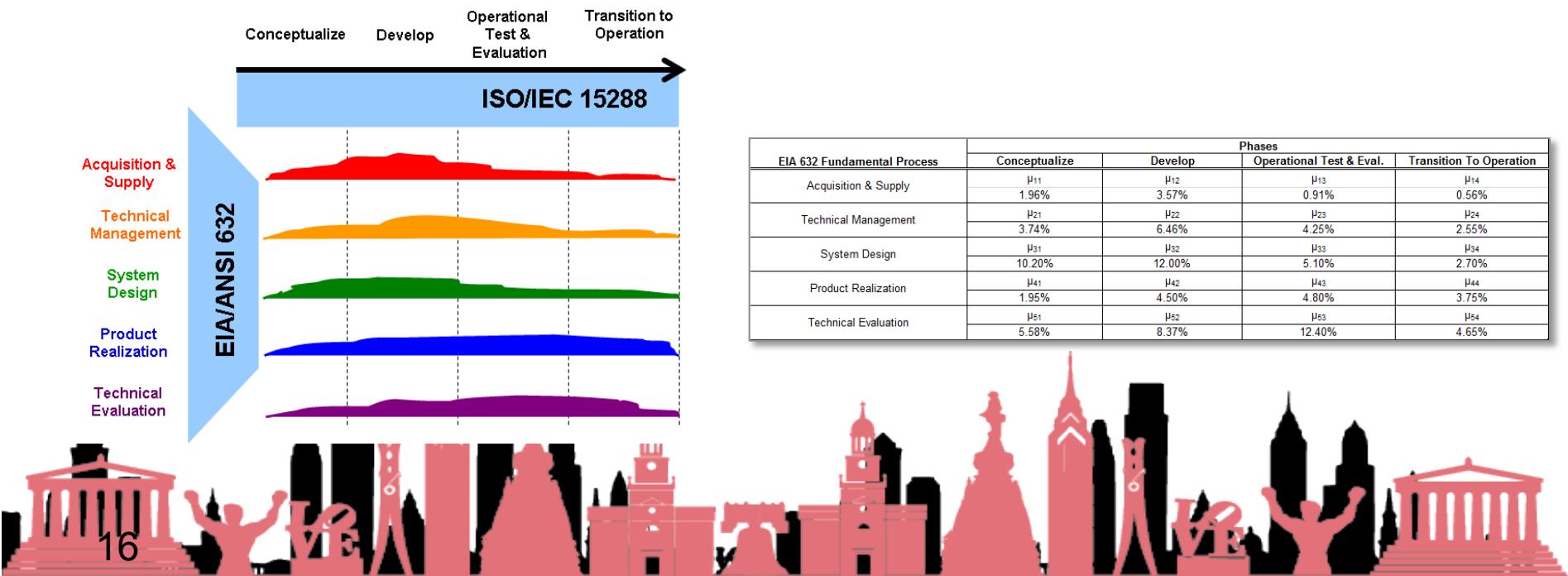
## *COSYSMO System-level Cost Drivers:*

- Validated for Reuse Requirements: 25*
- Validated for Reuse Interfaces: 7*
- Validated for Reuse Algorithms: 2*
- Adopted Op. Scenario: 1*



# Determining the Coefficients

$$\begin{aligned}
 PM_{DWR+DFR} = & A_1 \cdot \left[ \sum_k \left( \sum_r w_r (w_{e,k} \Phi_{e,k} + w_{n,k} \Phi_{n,k} + w_{d,k} \Phi_{d,k}) \right) \right]^{E_1} \cdot CEM_1 \\
 & + A_2 \cdot \left[ \sum_k \left( \sum_q w_q (w_{e,k} \Psi_{e,k} + w_{n,k} \Psi_{n,k} + w_{d,k} \Psi_{d,k}) \right) \right]^{E_2} \cdot CEM_2
 \end{aligned}$$



# Delphi in Progress

- To correlate the reuse categories to SE activities



## Participants Needed!

Categories of Reusable Artifacts Coming Out of the DFR Process	==>	NA	Concept / CONOPS	Logical Architecture	Physical Architecture	Developed Product Component	Deployed in End System
EIA/ANSI 632 Process	EIA/ANSI 632 Task	No DFR	Conceptualized For Reuse	Designed For Reuse	Constructed For Reuse	Validated For Reuse	
Acquisition and Supply	1. Product Supply				x	x	
	2. Product Acquisition				x	x	
	3. Supplier Performance				x	x	
	4. Process Implementation Strategy			x	x	x	
	5. Technical Effort Definition	x	x	x	x	x	
	6. Role and Organization	x	x	x	x	x	
	7. Technical Plans	x	x	x	x	x	
Directives	8. Directives	x	x	x	x	x	
	9. Assess Against Plans and Schedules	x	x	x	x	x	
	10. Assess Against Requirements	x	x	x	x	x	
	11. Technical Reviews	x	x	x	x	x	
	12. Comes Management	x	x	x	x	x	
	13. Information Dissemination	x	x	x	x	x	
	14. User Requirements	x	x	x	x	x	
	15. Other Stakeholder Requirements	x	x	x	x	x	
	16. System Technical Requirements	x	x	x	x	x	
	17. Logical Solution Representations	x	x	x	x	x	
	18. Physical Solution Representations			x	x	x	
	19. Specified Requirements			x	x	x	
	20. Implementation				x	x	
	21. Position to Use					x	
	22. Suitability Analysis					x	
	23. Feasibility Analysis	x	x	x	x	x	
	24. Risk Analysis	x	x	x	x	x	
	25. Cost Analysis	x	x	x	x	x	
Technical Evaluation	26. Requirements Statements Validation	x	x	x	x	x	
	27. Acquirer Requirements Validation	x	x	x	x	x	
	28. Other Stakeholder Requirements Validation	x	x	x	x	x	
	29. System Technical Requirements Validation	x	x	x	x	x	
	30. Design Solution Verification	x	x	x	x	x	
	31. End Product Verification				x	x	
	32. Enabling Product Readiness					x	
	33. End Products Validation					x	



# Conclusion

- Described a generalized Reuse Framework with two complementary processes – DFR and DWR
- Defined a quantitative cost estimating relationship in extended COSYSMO
- Improved ability to conduct comprehensive cost trades for investment decisions and product line management
- Work in progress in calibrating the model
- Please join us by participating the Delphi
  - If interested, leave your business card with us at the end of this presentation!





# Questions and Comments

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