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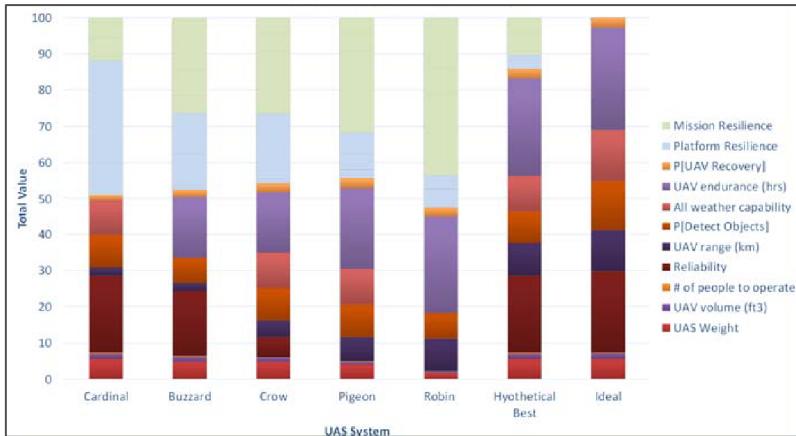


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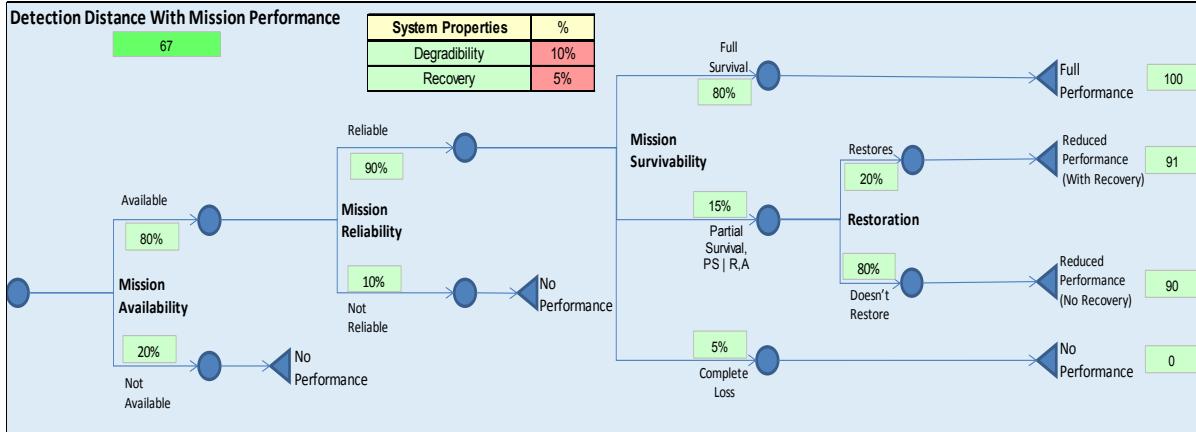
Engineered Resilient Systems with Value-Focused Thinking

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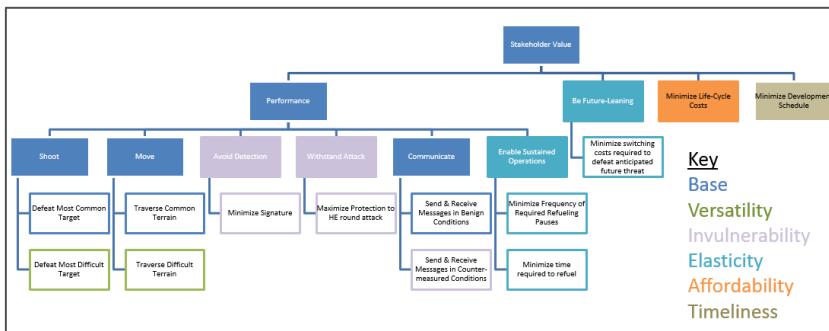
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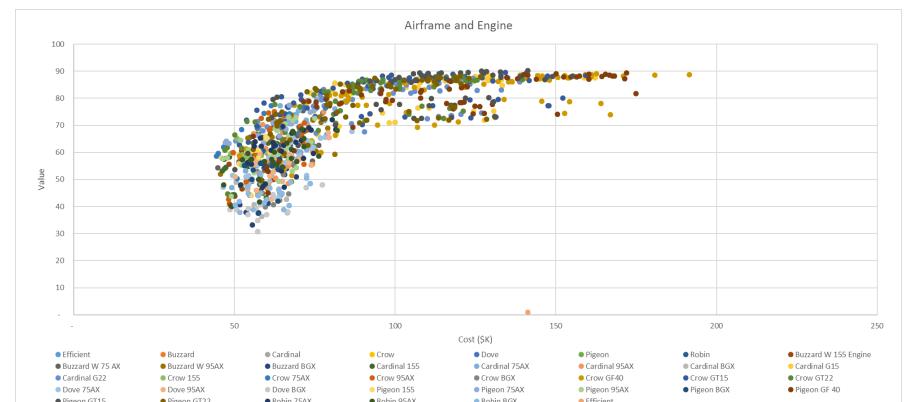
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Include “Ilities” in Value Model



Set Based Design



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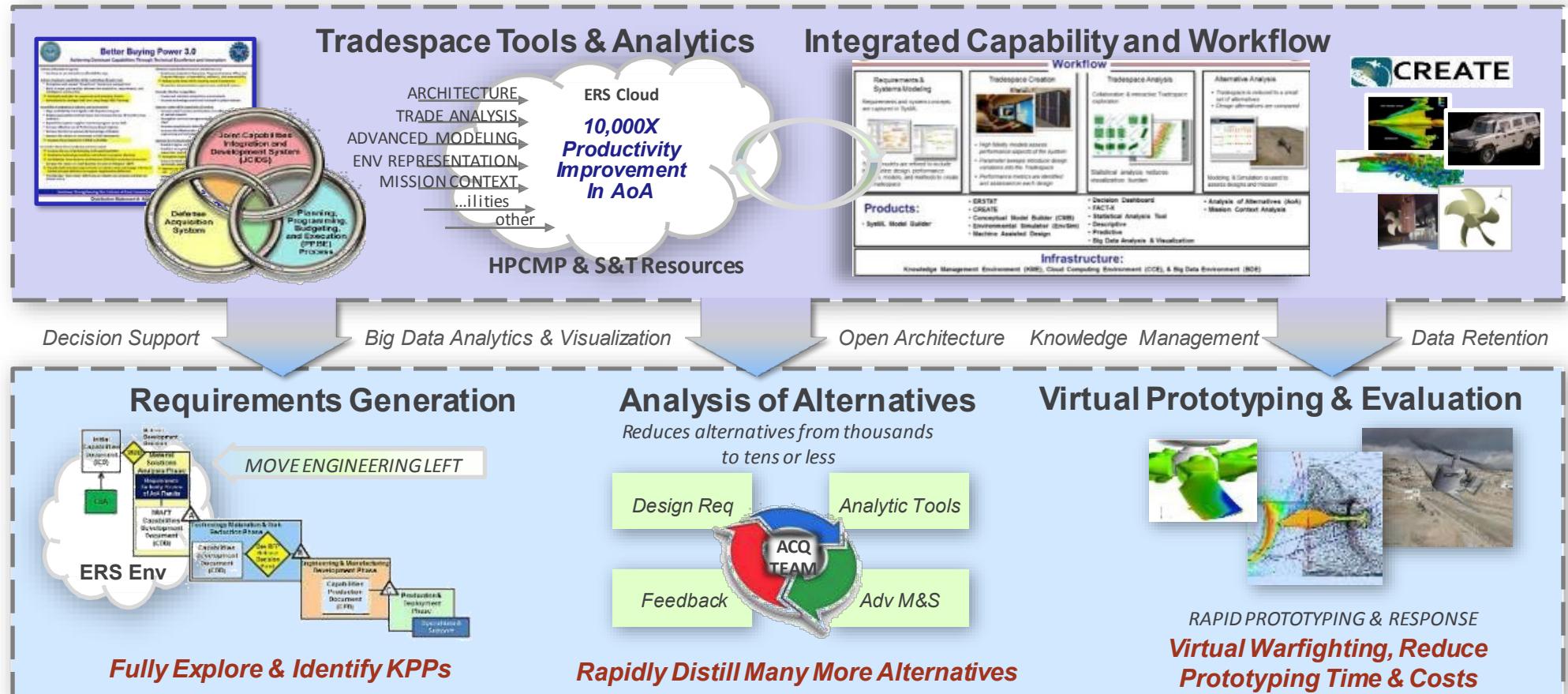
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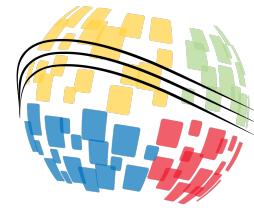


Engineered Resilient Systems

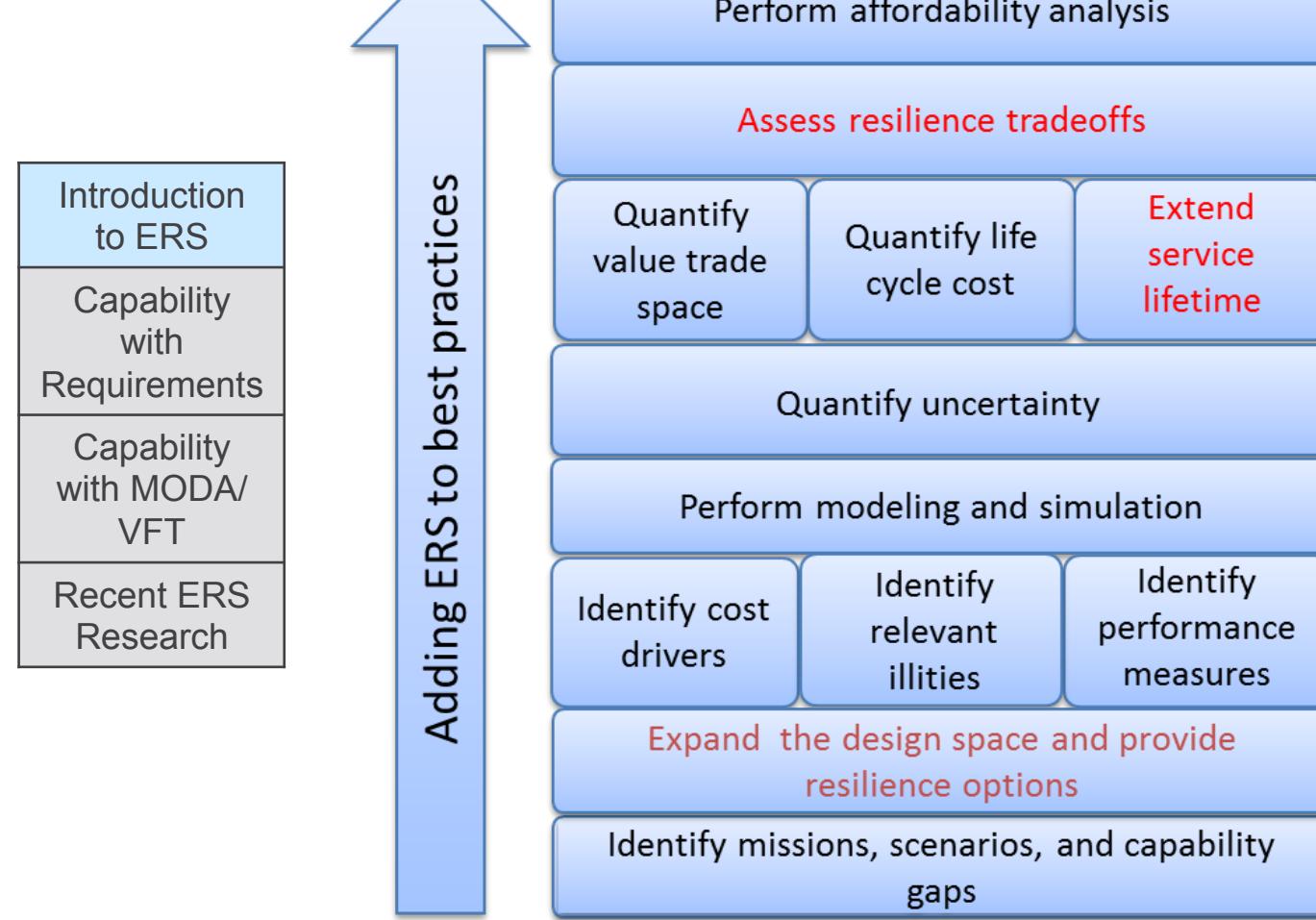
- ERS is a Department of Defense (DoD) program focusing on the effective and efficient design and development of resilient complex engineered systems.

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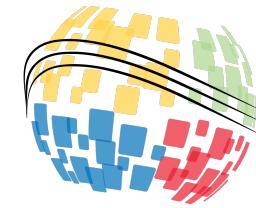


ERS focuses on effectiveness and efficiency

- MBSE
- MBE
- Trade-off analytics toolkits
- High performance computing

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Introduction to ERS

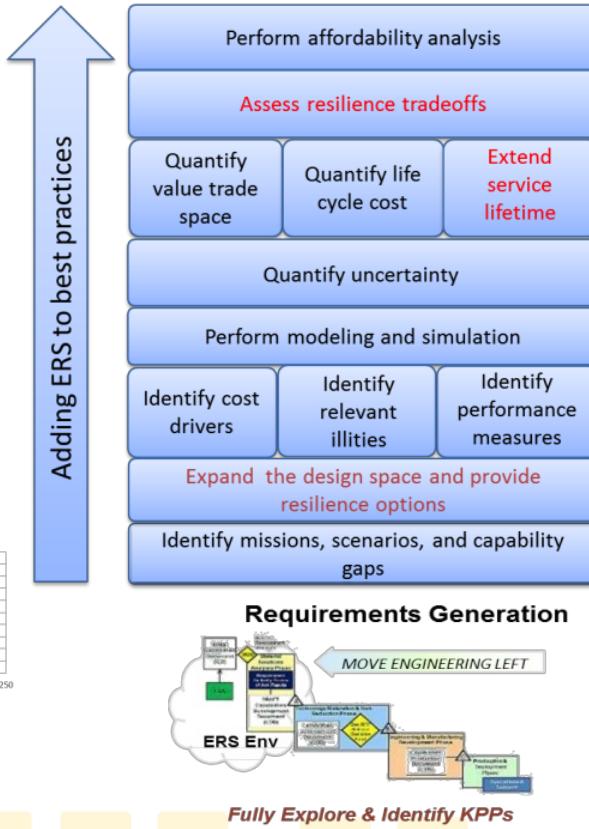
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Set Based Design to expand the design space



Analysis of Alternatives

*Reduces alternatives from thousands
to tens or less*



Tradespace Tools & Analytics



Integrated Capability and Workflow

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Defining Resilience



- Many definitions of resilience in many domains.
- Most definitions emphasize means to obtain resilience.
- Seek definition without using means
 - “A resilient engineered system is able to successfully complete its planned mission(s) in the face of environmental and adversarial threats, and has capabilities allowing it to flexibly adapt to future missions with evolving threats.”^[2]

- 1) removes the “means” or the how to accomplish resilience from the definition and focuses on the “ends” or the desired outcomes
- 2) distinguishes between a platform resilience and a mission resilience.^[2]

[1] S. R. Goerger, A. M. Madni, and O. J. Eslinger, “Engineered Resilient Systems: A DoD Perspective,” *Procedia Computer Science*, vol. 28, pp. 865–872, 2014.

[2] B. Cottam, E. Specking, C. Small, G. S. Parnell, and E. A. Pohl, “Quantifying Resilience to Enable Engineered Resilient Systems: Task 1 Report,” 2016.

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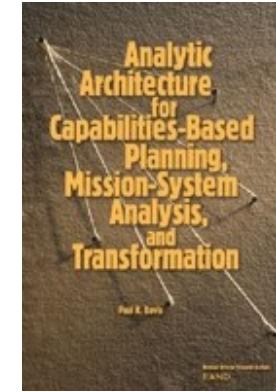
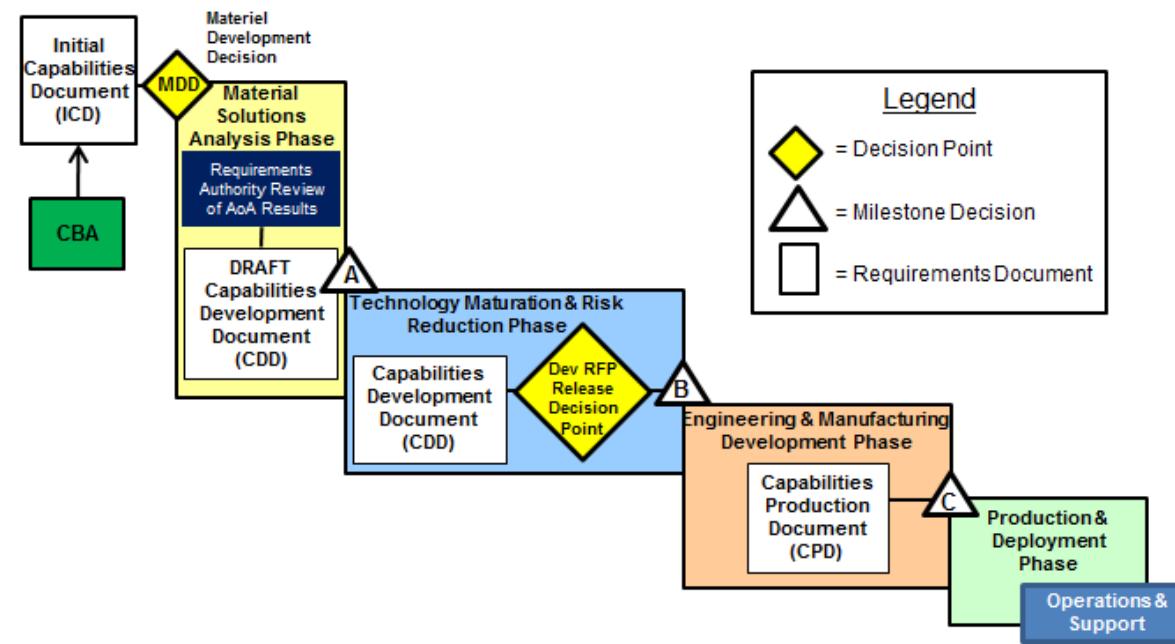
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Capability Based Assessment



- Define the mission
- Identify capabilities required
- Determine the attributes/standards of the capabilities
- Identify gaps
- Assess operational risk associated with the gaps
- Prioritize the gaps;
- Identify and assess potential non-materiel solutions
- Provide recommendations for addressing the gaps



DoD uses Capability Based Assessment.

<http://www.acqnotes.com/acqnote/acquisitions/capabilities-based-assessment-cba>



Requirements view

- The Capability Development Document (CDD) and Capability Production Document identify the KPPs and KSAs
- Key Performance Parameters (KPPs) are critical.
- If an attribute is important but not critical it is called a Key System Attribute (KSA)

Measure (attribute)	Threshold	Objective
Availability	80%	85%
Probability of Detecting Objects	88%	92%
etc.		

Long list of requirements
do not provide a
tradespace for affordability.

Requirements

Army's Future Combat System, a large program that was intended to equip combat brigades with an advanced set of integrated systems, requirements were still being defined when the program was canceled beginning in 2009—after 6 years and \$18 billion had been spent on initial system development.

Figure 3: Translation of High-Level Requirements into Low-Level Requirements Typically Occurs After Milestone B (Notional)

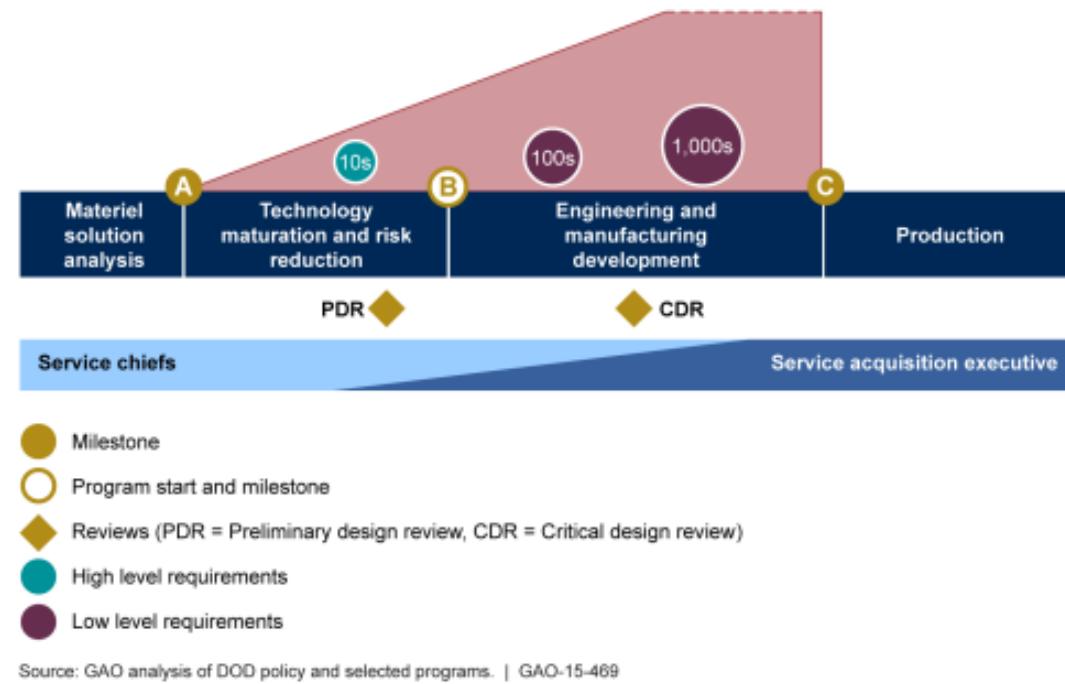
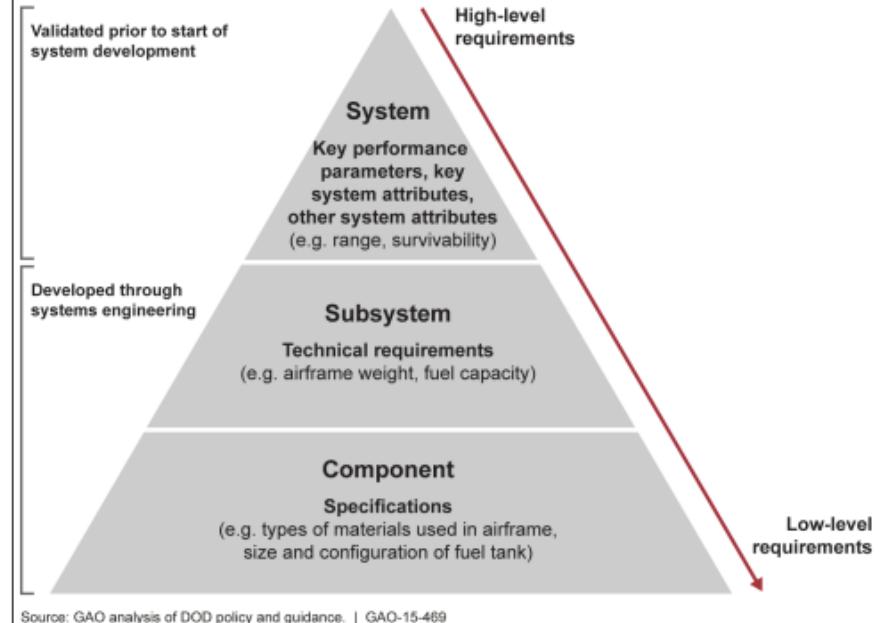


Figure 1: Notional Levels of Requirements for Weapon System Development



The program was approved to start system development with **7 key performance parameters**. In order to meet these key performance parameters—which did not change—the program ultimately translated them into **over 50,000 lower-level requirements** before it was canceled.

Requirements start small and grow to a long list.



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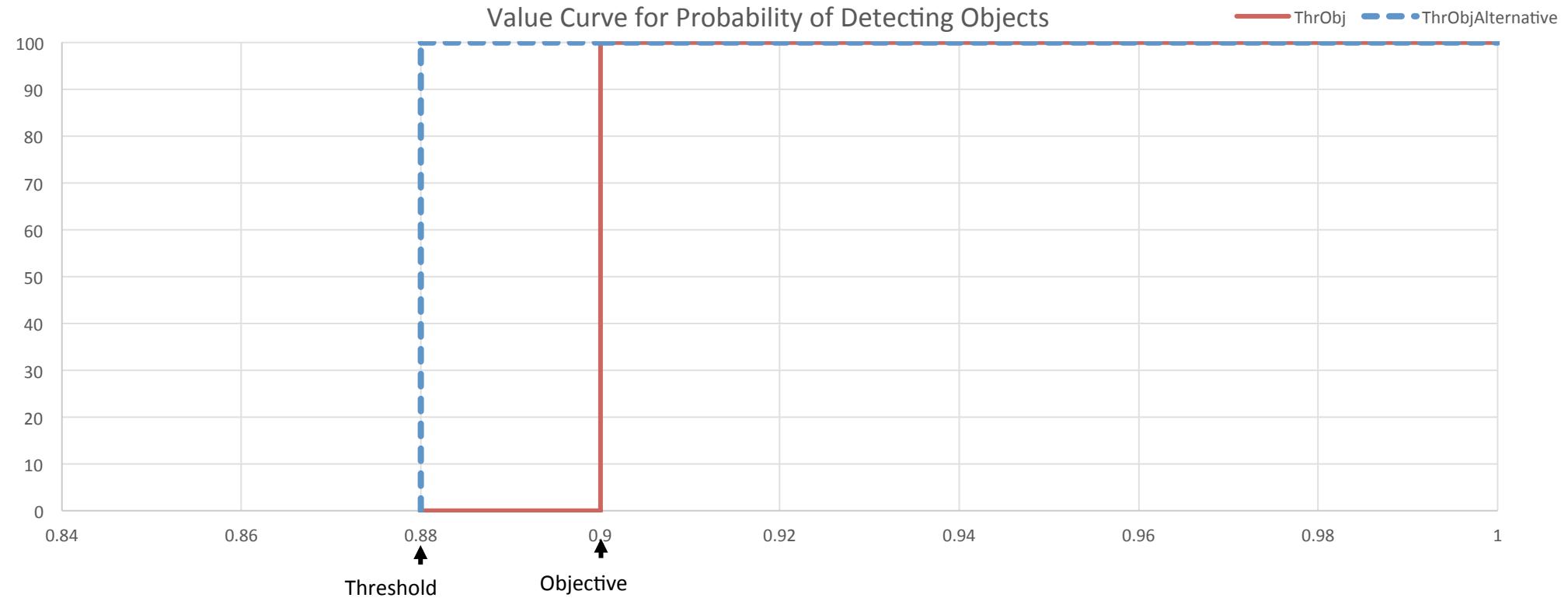
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Apparent mathematics



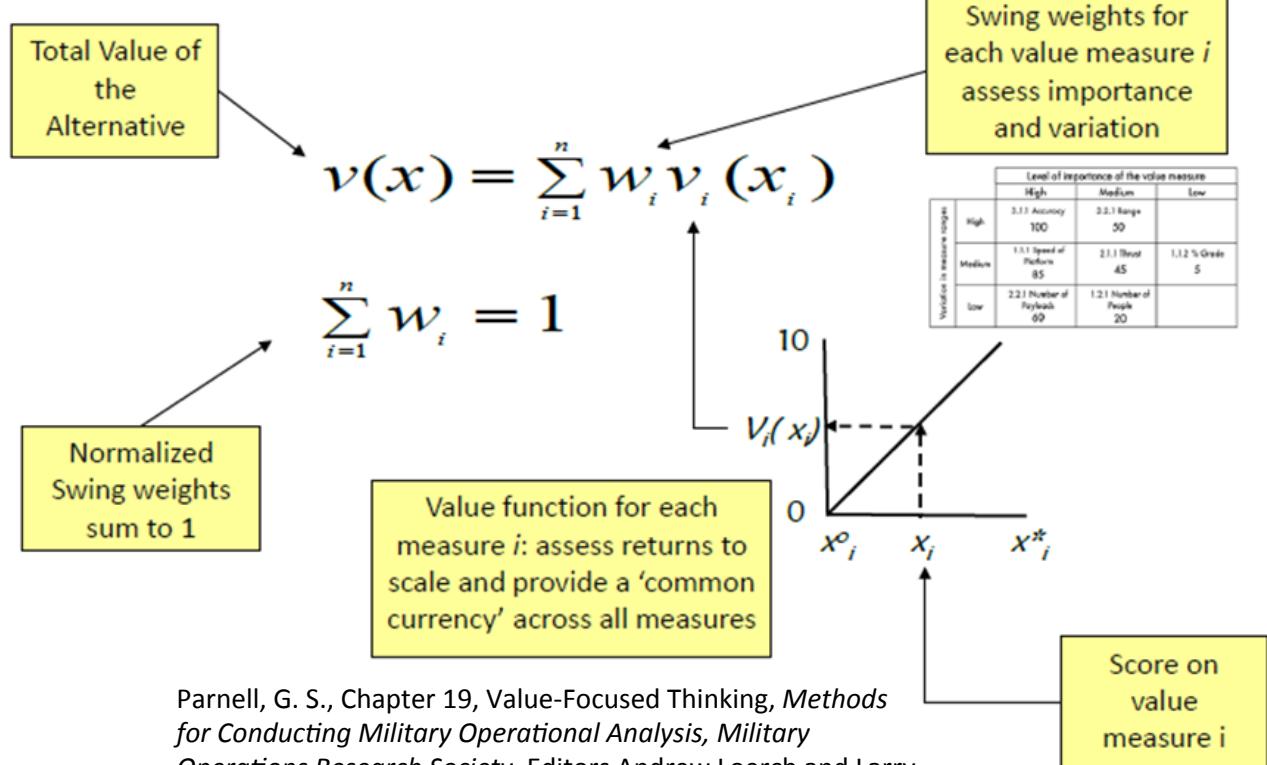
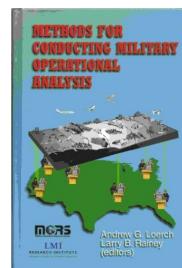
- Only two points have value
- KPPs are more important than KSAs
- All KPPs are equal
- All KSAs are equal



Multiple Objective Decision Analysis

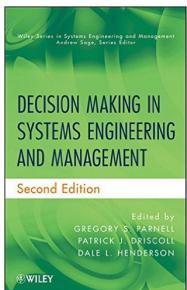
- Based on the additive value model, multiple objective decision analysis (MODA) analyzes decision based off of multiple objectives.

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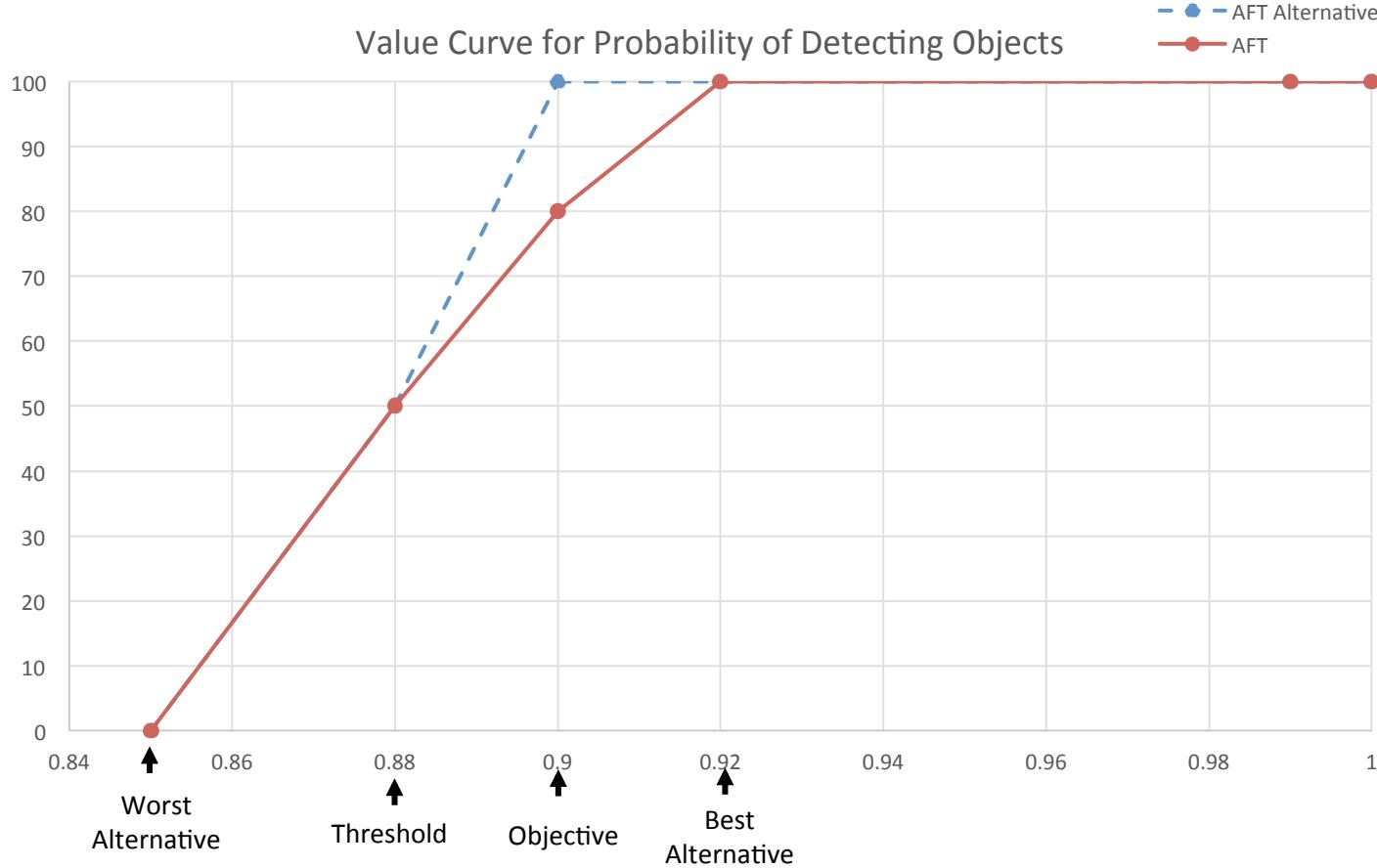
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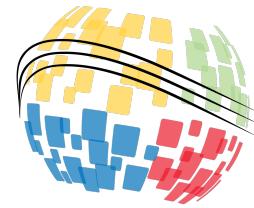
Use value (utility) functions to define the single measure tradespace



Alternative-Focused Thinking (Local)



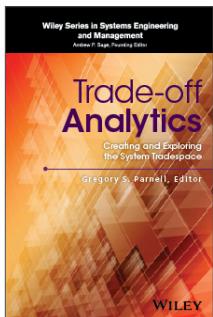
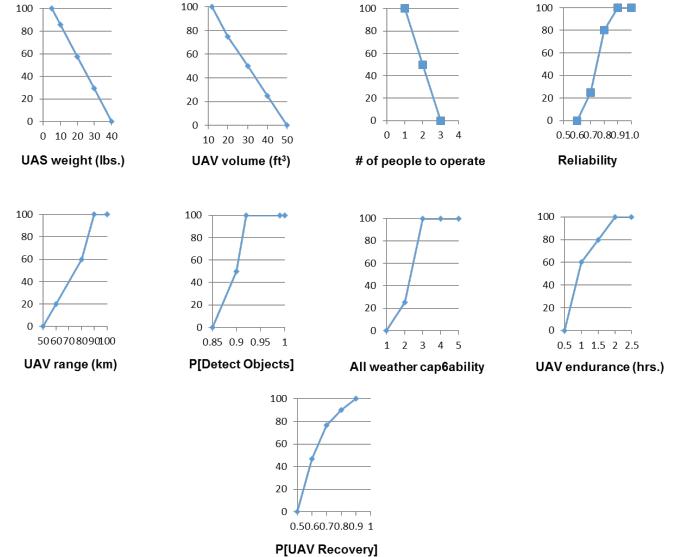
The value curve for each measure quantifies the value for the range of interest.



MODA: UAV example

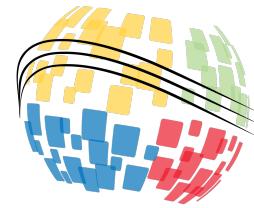
- In MODA, each parameter has the value relationship graphed to create a value curve.

UAS weight (lbs.)		UAV volume (ft ³)		# of people to operate		Reliability		UAV range (km)		P[Detect Objects]		All weather capability		UAV endurance (hrs.)		P[UAV Recovery]	
X	V	X	V	X	V	X	V	X	V	X	V	X	V	X	V	X	V
5	100	12	100	1	100	0.6	0	50	0	0.85	0	1	0	0.5	0	0.5	0
10	86	20	75	2	50	0.7	25	60	20	0.9	50	2	25	1	60	0.6	47
20	58	30	50	3	0	0.8	80	80	60	0.92	100	3	100	1.5	80	0.7	77
30	29	40	25			0.9	100	90	100	0.99	100	4	100	2	100	0.8	90
40	0	50	0			1.0	100	100	100	1	100	5	100	2.5	100	0.9	100



Modified from M. Cilli and G. Parnell, "Understanding Decision Management," **Trade-off Analytics: Creating and Evaluating the Tradespace**, G. Parnell, Editor, Wiley & Sons, 2017

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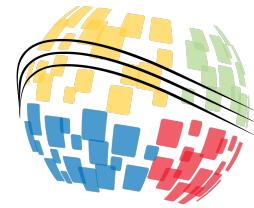


Swing Weight Matrix

- Using value curves and the ranges of variance, the swing weights are developed and determine the weight distributed to each measure.

	Mission Critical			Important			Useful		
	Measure	fi	wi	Measure	fi	wi	Measure	fi	wi
High Capability Gap	UAV endurance (hrs.)	100	0.28	All weather capability	50	0.14	P[UAV Recovery]	10	0.03
Medium Capability Gap	Reliability	80	0.22	UAV range (km)	40	0.11	UAV volume (ft ³)	5	0.01
Small Capability Gap	P[Detect Objects]	50	0.14	UAS weight (lbs.)	20	0.06	# of people to operate	1	0.00

Swing weights determine the amount of value distributed to each measure



Value Scores

- Using the value curves, scores on the measures for each alternatives is converted to value scores.

Alternative Scores	UAS weight (lbs.)	UAV volume (ft3)	# of people to operate	Reliability	UAV range (km)	P[Detect Objects]	All weather capability	UAV endurance (hrs.)	P[UAV Recovery]
Cardinal	5	12	1	0.9	60	0.92	3	0.5	0.6
Buzzard	10	15	1	0.8	60	0.9	1	1	0.7
Crow	10	20	2	0.7	70	0.92	3	1	0.8
Pigeon	15	30	2	0.6	80	0.92	3	1.5	0.9
Robin	30	40	2	0.6	90	0.9	1	2	0.9
Hypothetical Best	5	12	1	0.9	90	0.92	3	2	0.9
Ideal	5	10	1	1	100	1	5	2.5	0.9

Alterative Value	UAS weight (lbs.)	UAV volume (ft3)	# of people to operate	Reliability	UAV range (km)	P[Detect Objects]	All weather capability	UAV endurance (hrs.)	P[UAV Recovery]
Cardinal	100	100	100	100	100	20	100	100	100
Buzzard	86	91	100	80	20	50	86	91	100
Crow	86	75	50	25	40	100	86	75	50
Pigeon	72	50	50	0	60	100	72	50	50
Robin	29	25	50	0	100	50	29	25	50
Hypothetical Best	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Ideal	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100



Normalized Value

- Using the swing weight tables the value is normalized to account for the weights for each measure

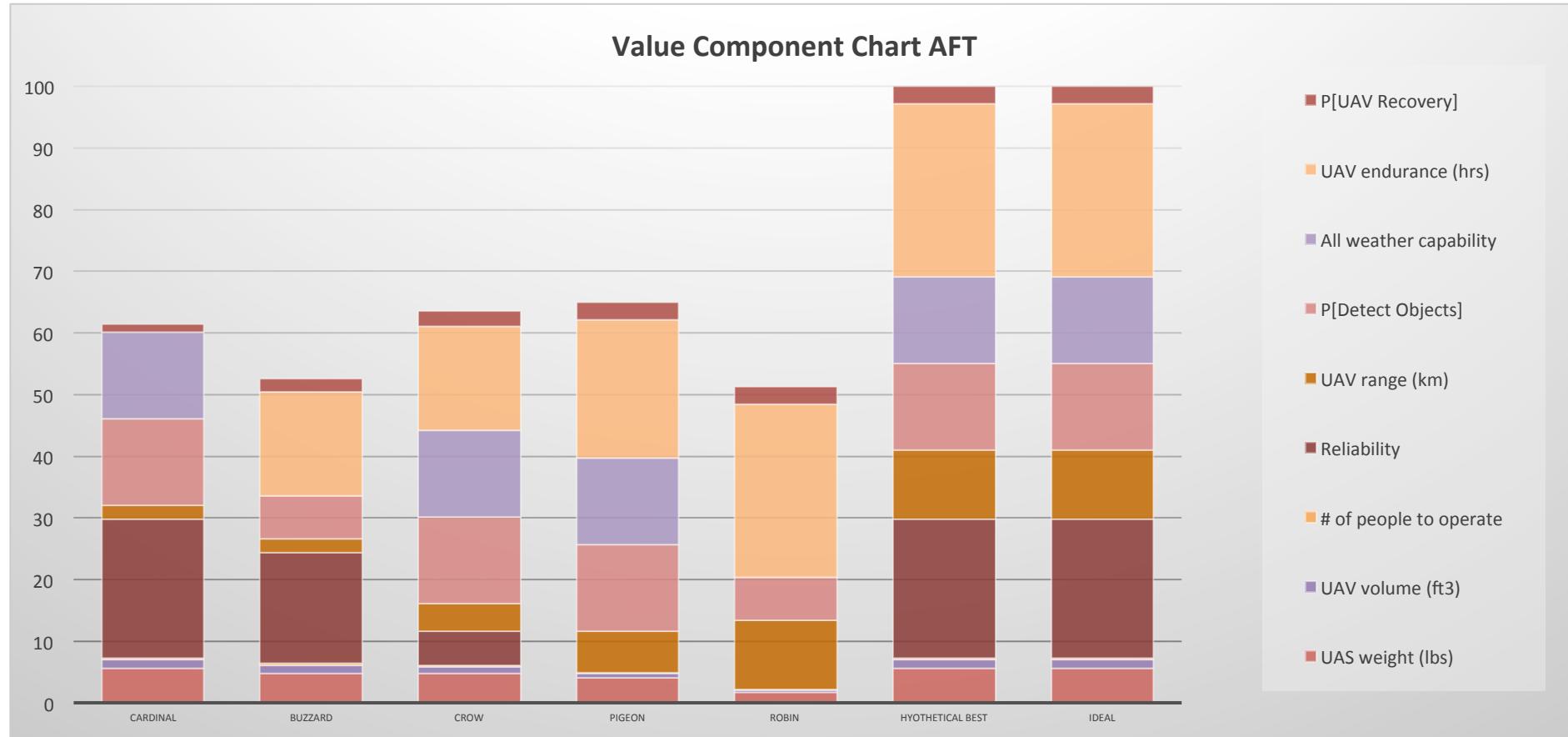
Swing Weights	UAS weight (lbs.)	UAV volume (ft3)	# of people to operate	Reliability	UAV range (km)	P[Detect Objects]	All weather capability	UAV endurance (hrs.)	P[UAV Recovery]
Normalized Swing Weight, w_i	0.056	0.014	0.003	0.225	0.112	0.140	0.140	0.281	0.028

$w_i * v_i(x_i)$	UAS weight (lbs.)	UAV volume (ft3)	# of people to operate	Reliability	UAV range (km)	P[Detect Objects]	All weather capability	UAV endurance (hrs.)	P[UAV Recovery]
Cardinal	5.6	1.4	0.3	22.5	2.2	14.0	14.0	0.0	1.3
Buzzard	4.8	1.3	0.3	18.0	2.2	7.0	0.0	16.9	2.2
Crow	4.8	1.1	0.1	5.6	4.5	14.0	14.0	16.9	2.5
Pigeon	4.0	0.7	0.1	0.0	6.7	14.0	14.0	22.5	2.8
Robin	1.6	0.4	0.1	0.0	11.2	7.0	0.0	28.1	2.8
Hypothetical Best	5.6	1.4	0.3	22.5	11.2	14.0	14.0	28.1	2.8
Ideal	5.6	1.4	0.3	22.5	11.2	14.0	14.0	28.1	2.8



Alternative Value

- Summing the value across the measures according to the additive value model gives the value for each alternative

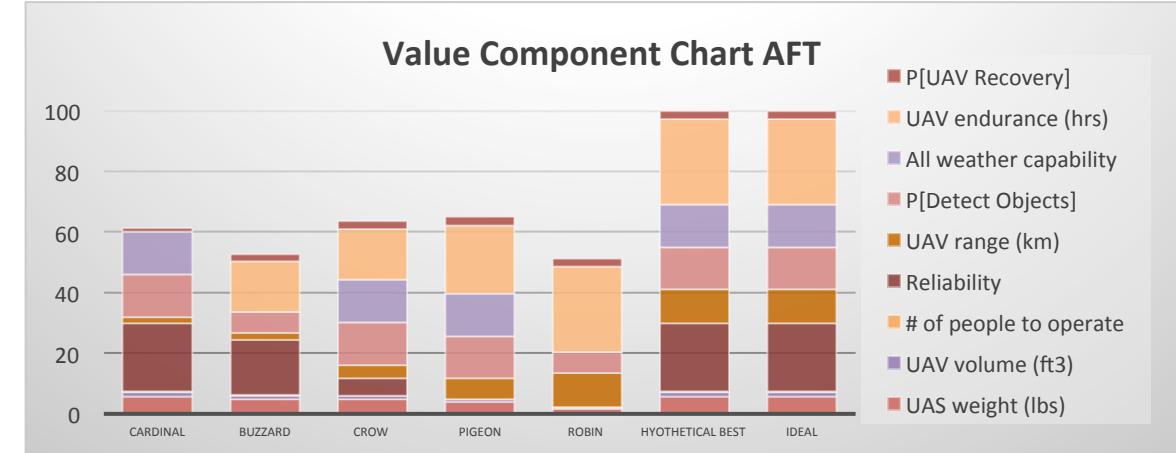
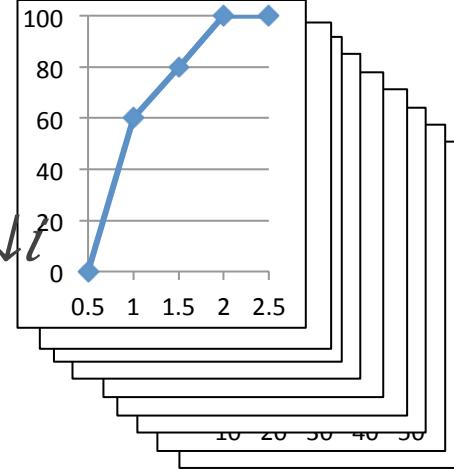




Value (utility) function using Alternative Focused Thinking (Local)

$$v(x_{ij}) = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i v_i(x_{ij})$$

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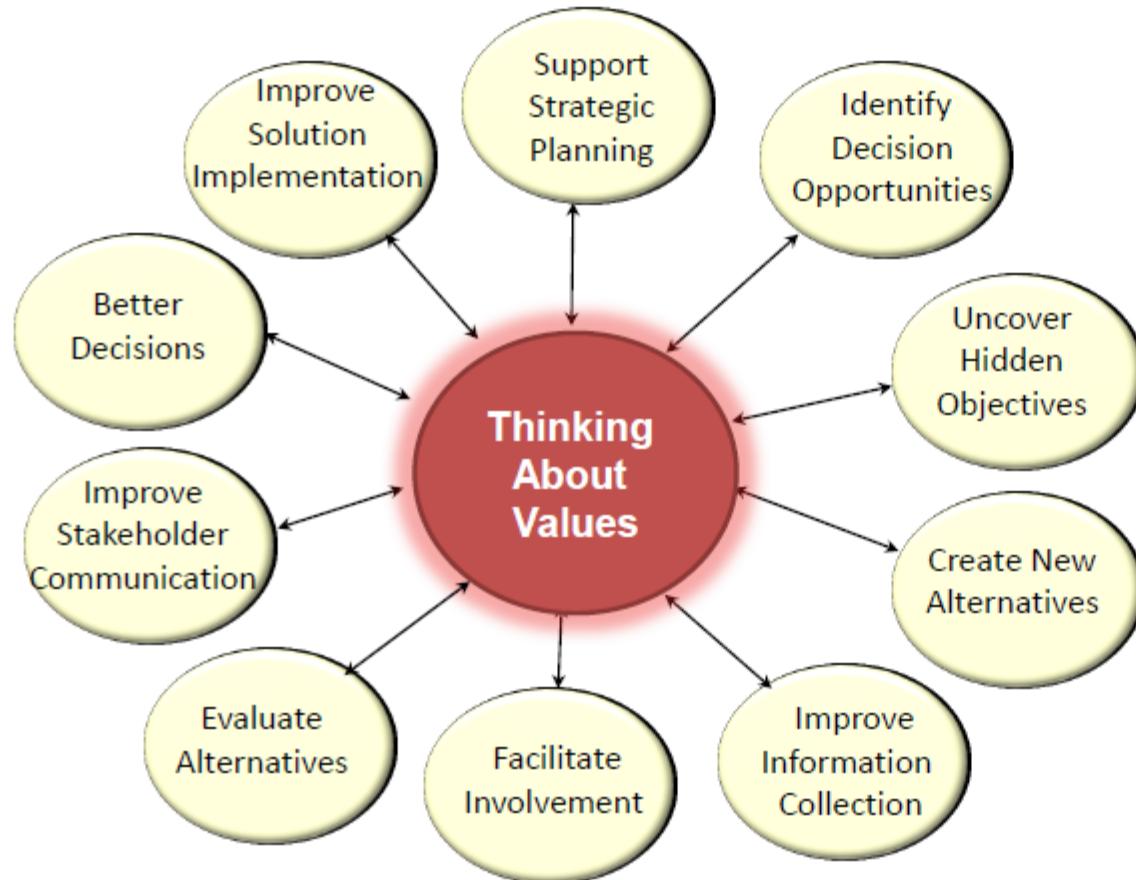
- Advantages
 - Quantitatively defines tradespace
 - Swing weights prioritize measures
 - Relatively easy to construct values curves and assess weights
 - Perform sensitivity analysis

- Disadvantages
 - Not aligned with capability based planning
 - Does not evaluate entire tradespace
 - Only accounts for known alternatives



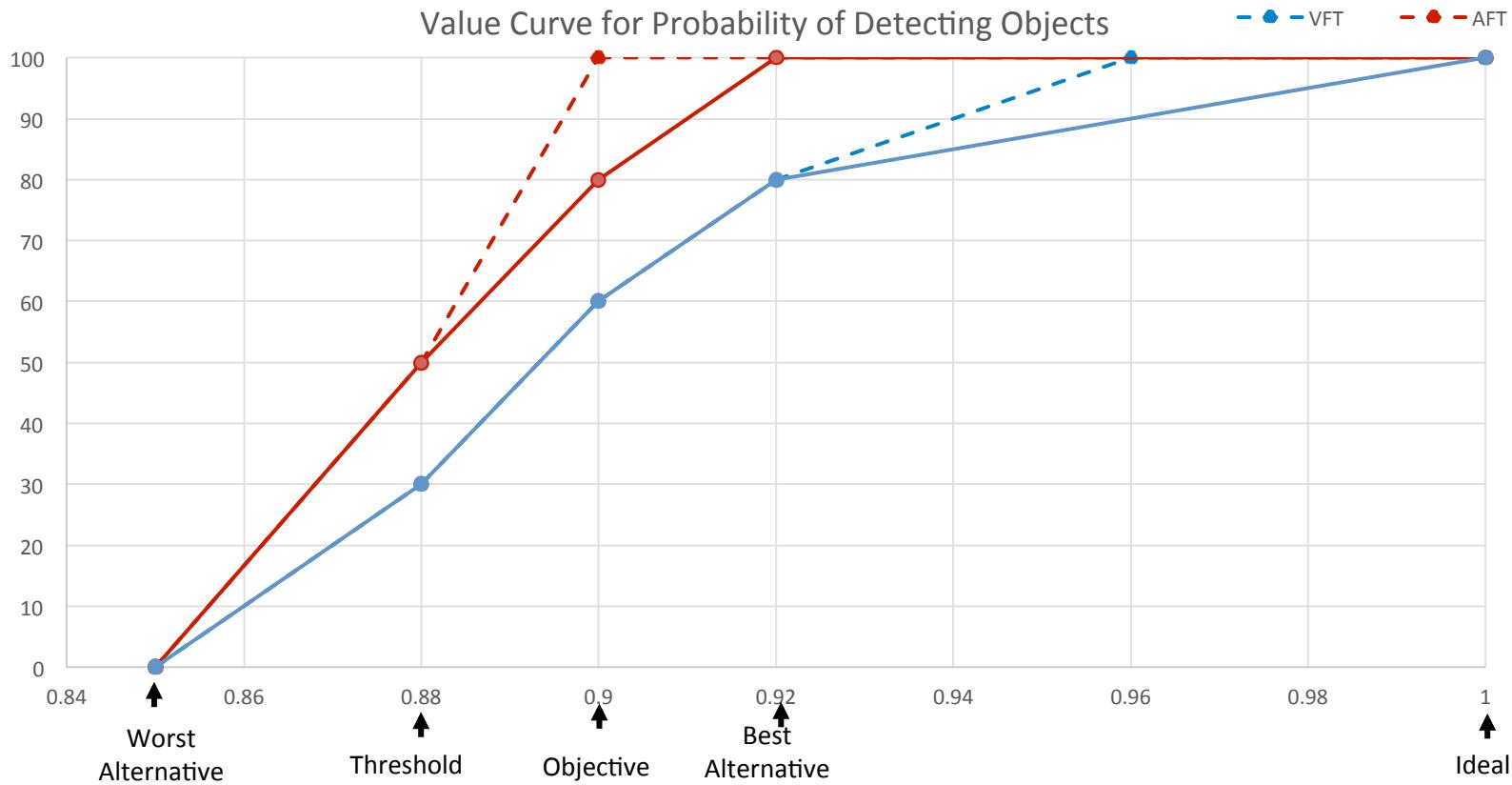
Benefits of Value-Focused Thinking

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Value-Focused Thinking has been used for Capabilities Based Assessments for platforms and mission chains.

Value (utility) function using Value-Focused Thinking (Global)



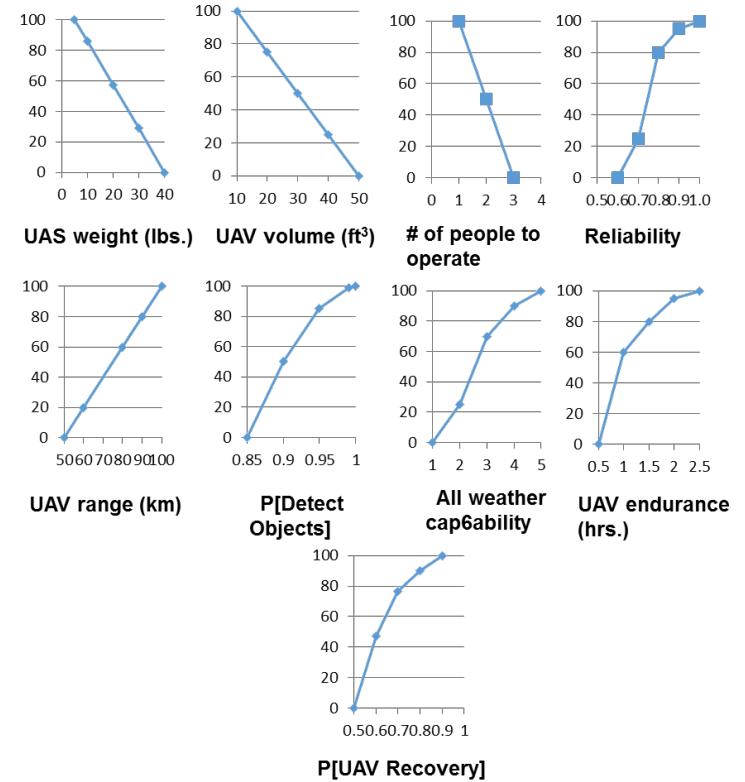
Using VFT increases the range of interest.



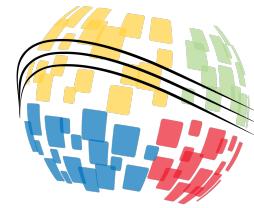
Changes in Value Curve

- Each value curve has an ideal which increases the tradespace

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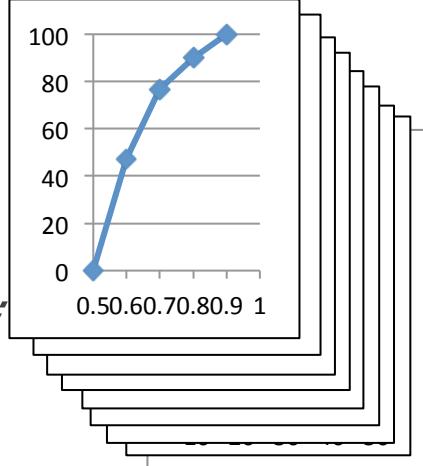
Multiple Objective Decision Analysis for Trade-off Analysis



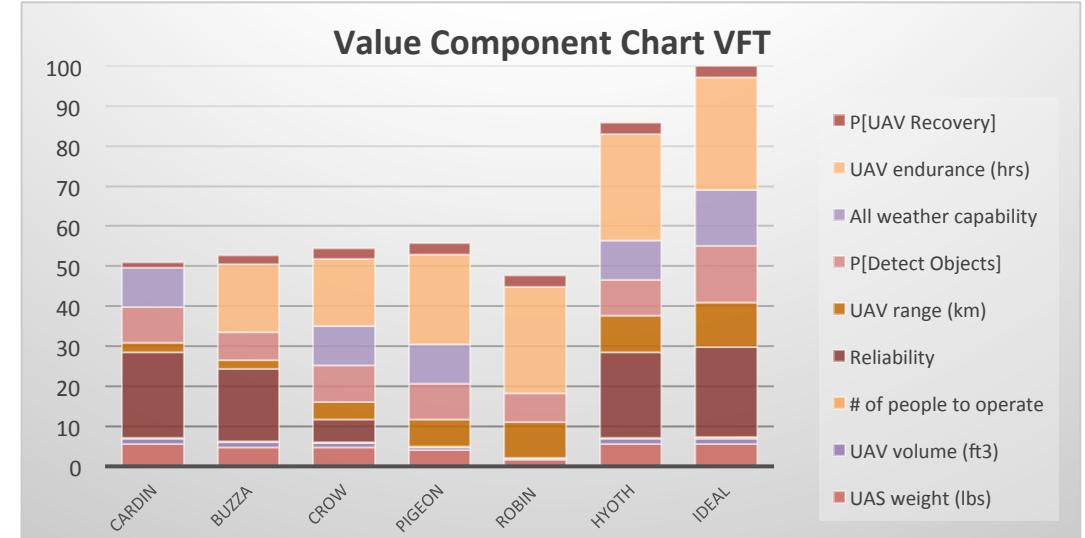
Value Focused Thinking (Global)

$$v(x \downarrow j) = \sum_{i=1}^n w \downarrow i v \downarrow i (x \downarrow ij)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n w \downarrow i$$



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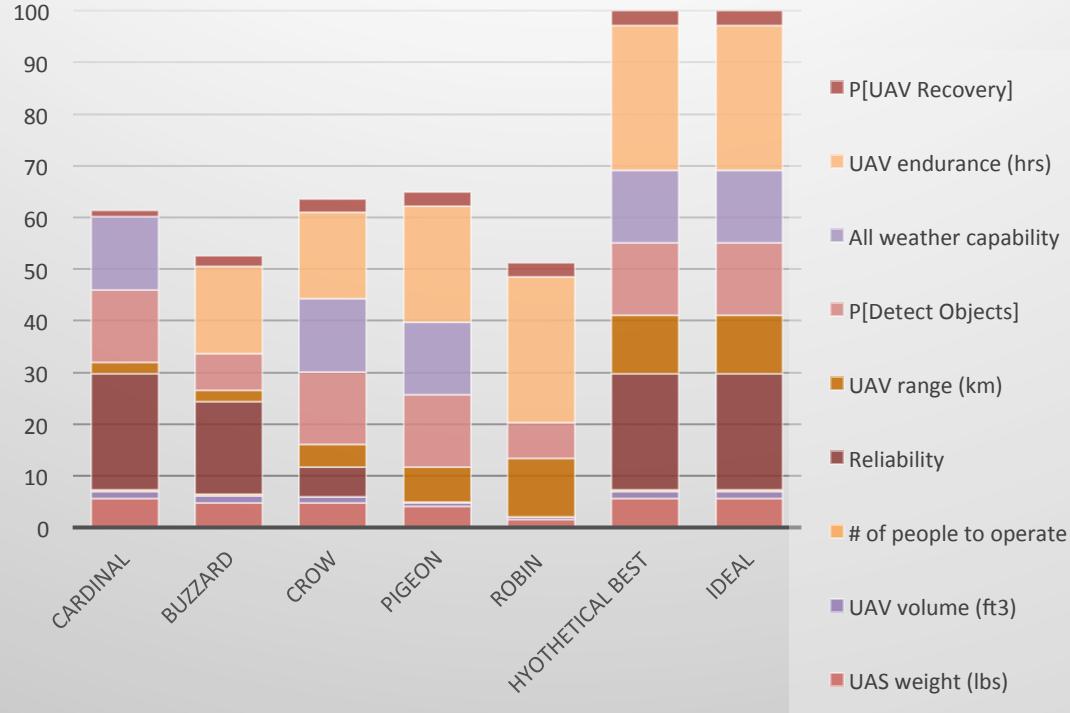


- Advantages
 - Aligns with capability based assessment
 - Quantitatively defines tradespace
 - Swing weights prioritize measures (will be different than AFT)
 - Identifies value opportunities
- Disadvantages
 - More effort to identify ideal and construct value curve
 - May give value to unachievable tradespace

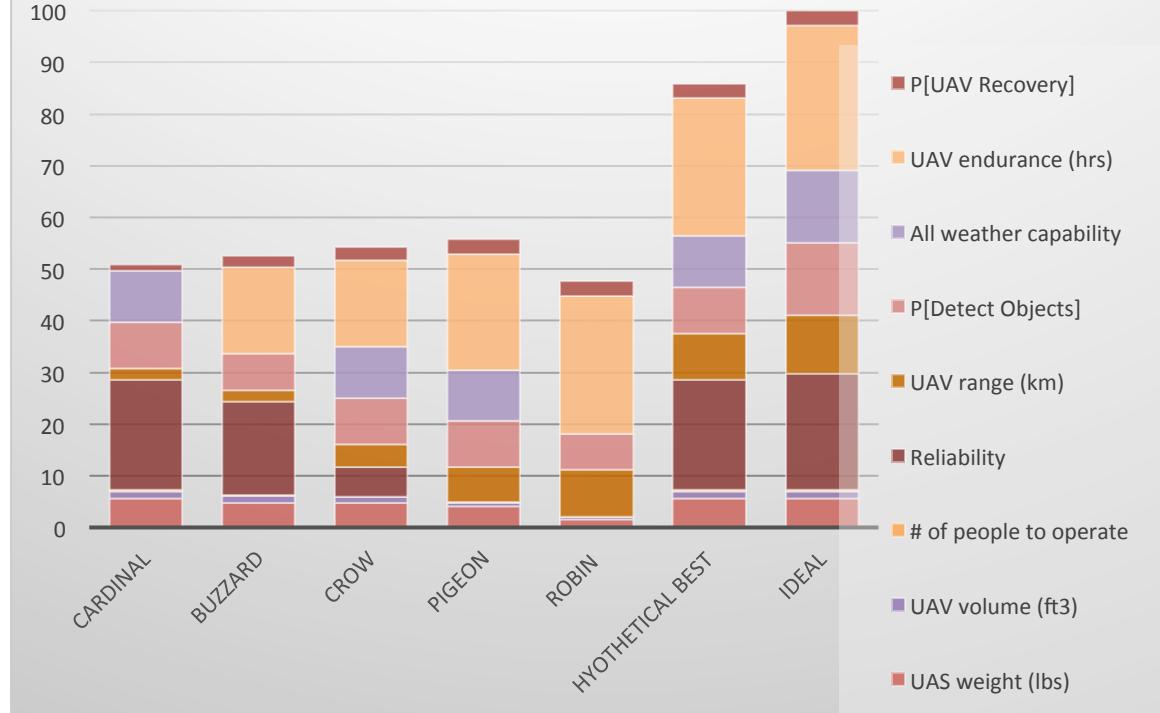
AFT vs VFT



Value Component Chart AFT

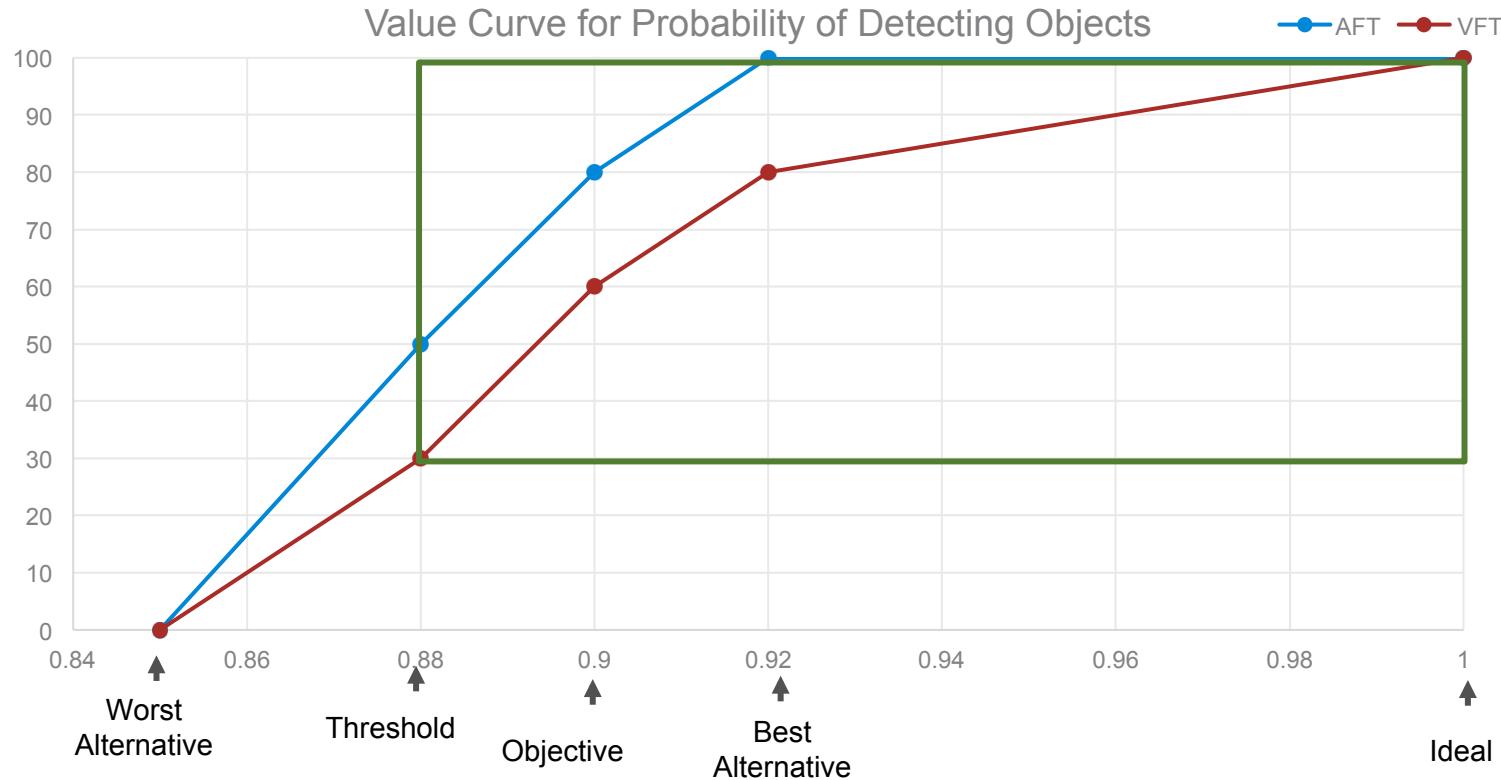


Value Component Chart VFT



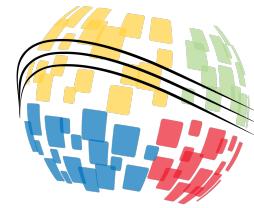
- AFT tradespace focuses on the known alternatives.
- VFT tradespace aligns with Capabilities Based Assessment.
- Alternative preference may change with VFT since value curve and weights can change.

Value-Focused Thinking helps identify and quantify resilience

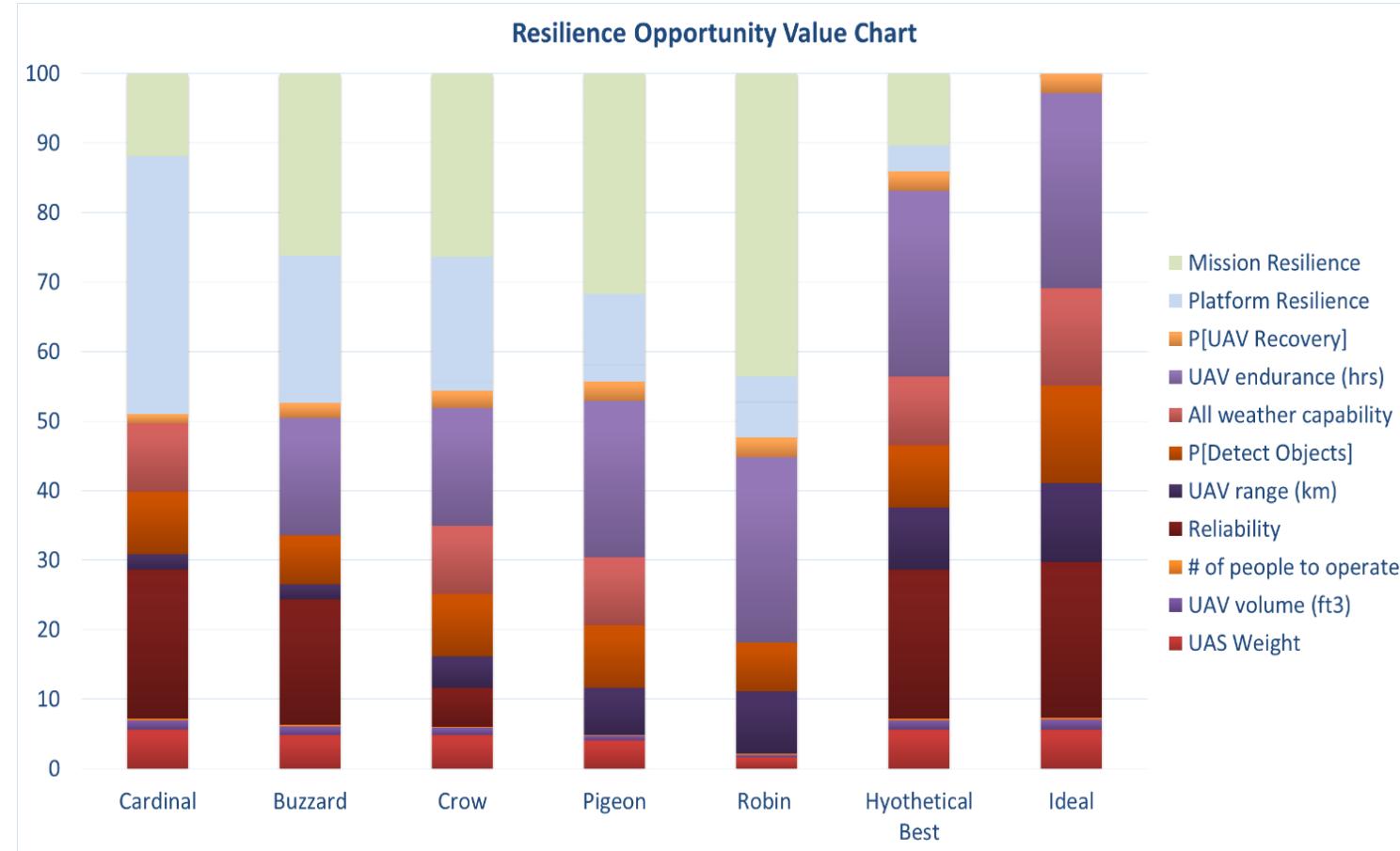


The additional performance and value in the green box provides mission and platform resilience.

Resilience opportunity chart for notional UAV example



- Each value measure can be seen as mission or platform resilience
- The value gap represents the extra resilience we can add

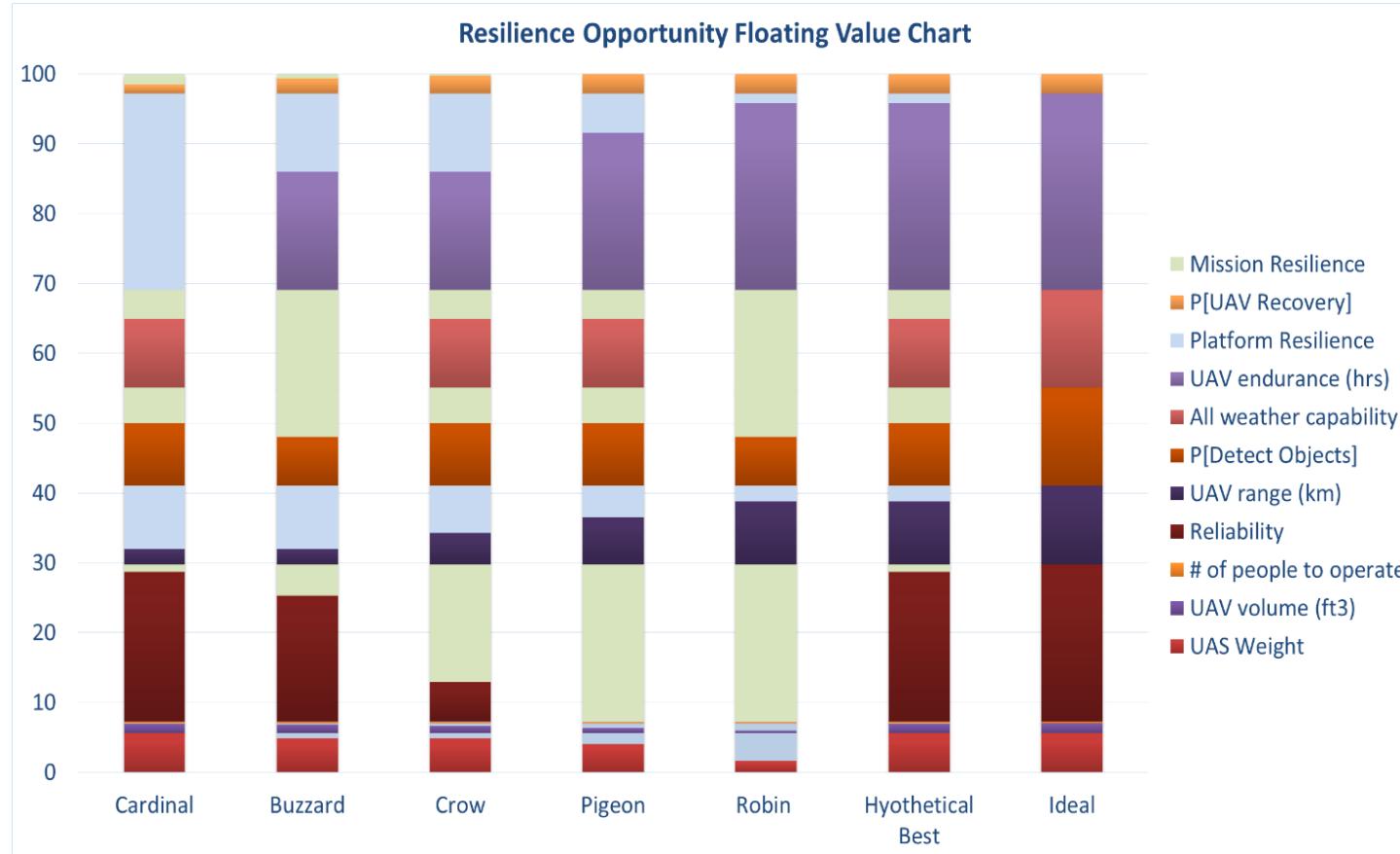


Value component chart can identify opportunities to improve resilience.

Resilience opportunity floating value chart for notional UAV example



- The value above each measure are the resilience opportunities on that specific measure

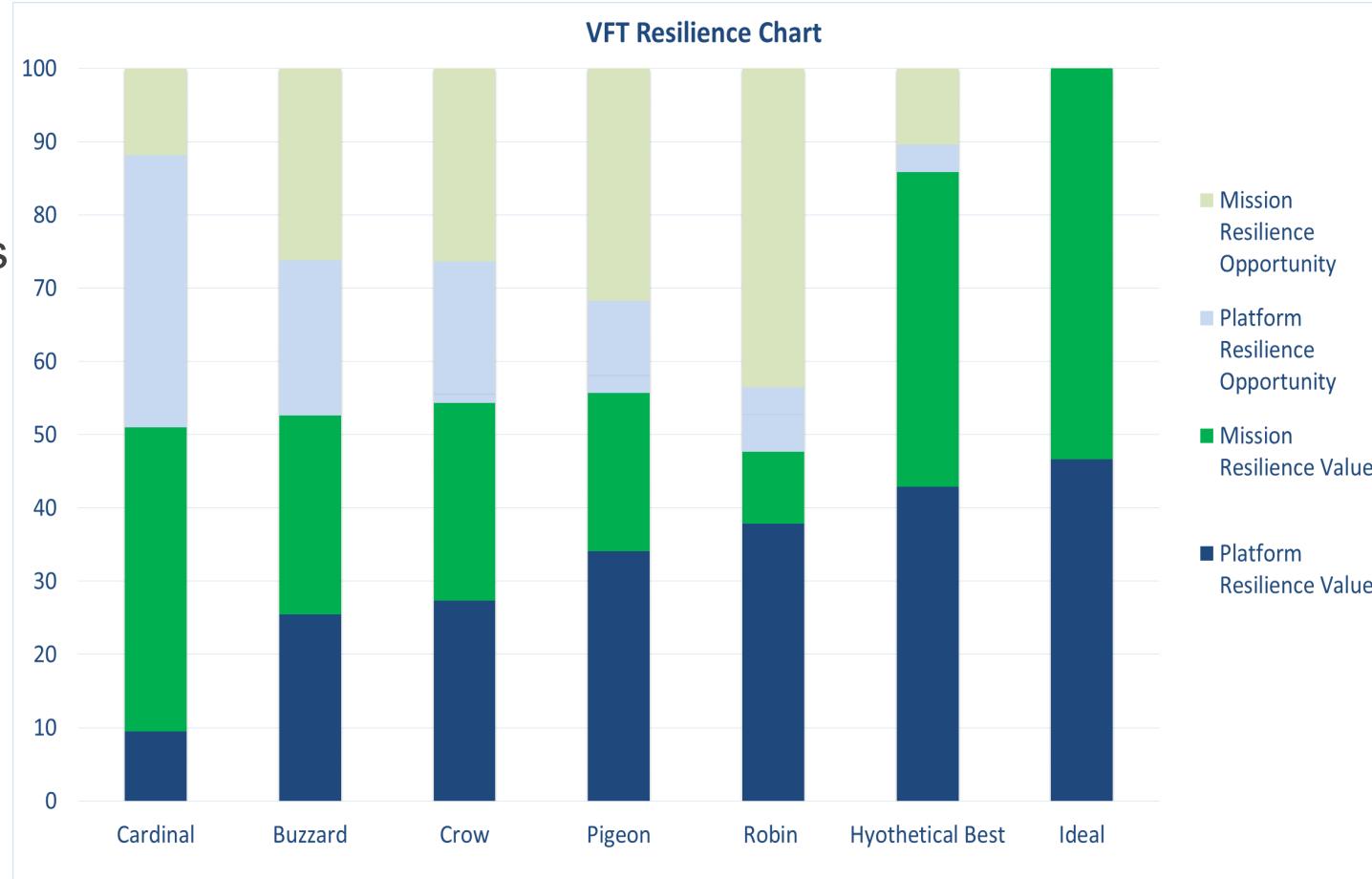


Floating value chart can further identify specific opportunities to improve resilience.



Resilience value and opportunity chart for notional UAV example

- The value and opportunities of resilience can be shown using a resilience value and opportunity chart



A resilience value and opportunity chart can identify resilience value in alternatives.

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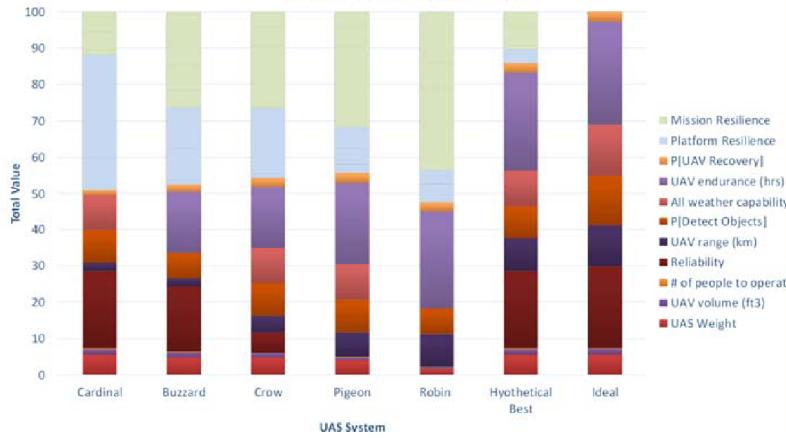
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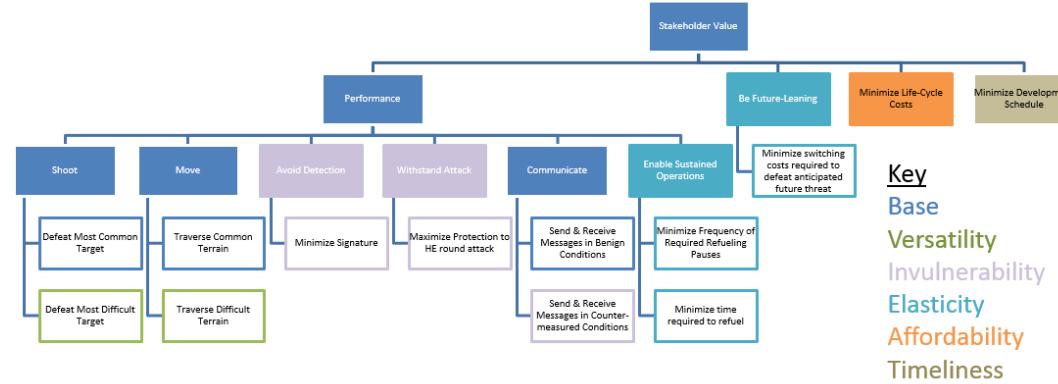


Three Resilience MODA Methods

Resilience Opportunity Value^[1]

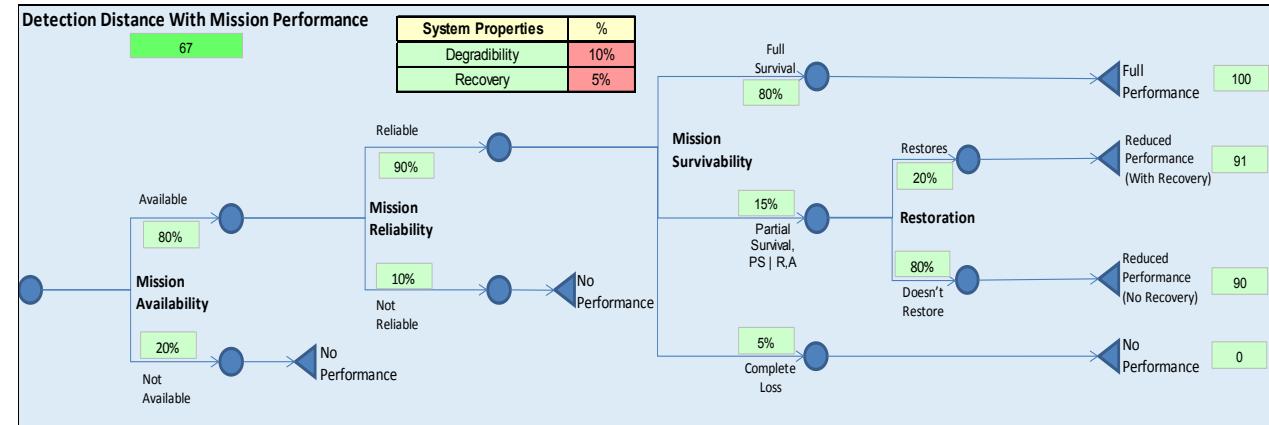


Include “Ilities” in Value Model^[2]



Include resilience KPP calculation

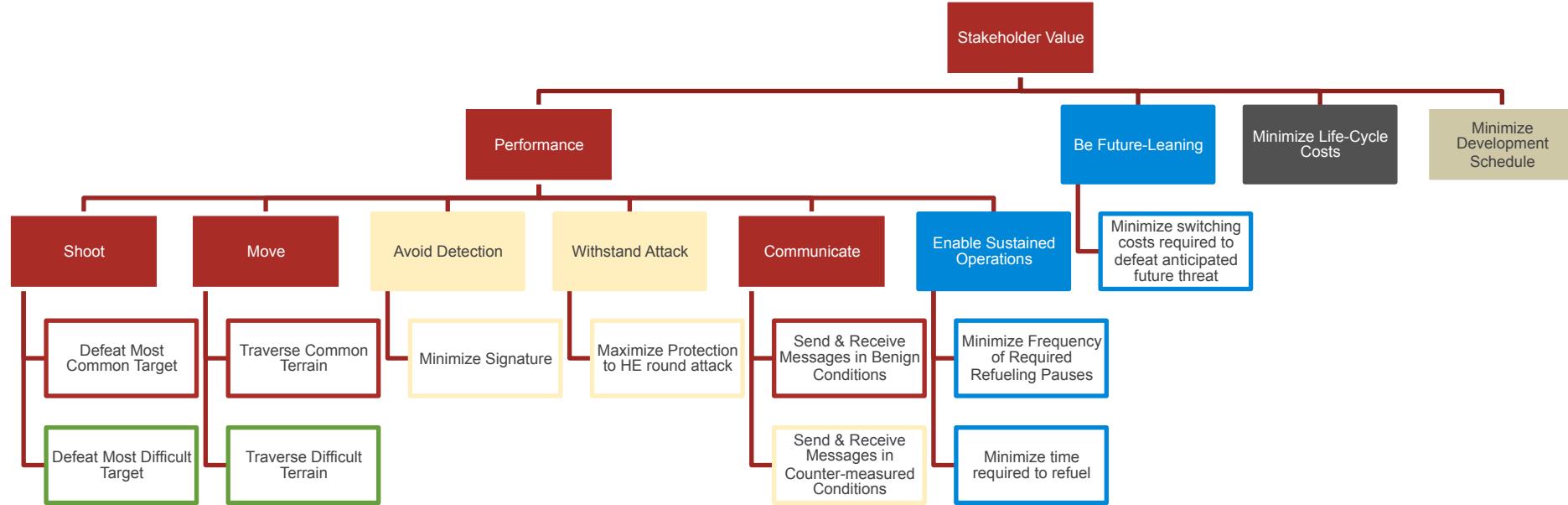
Method chosen depends upon complexity of problem and data availability.



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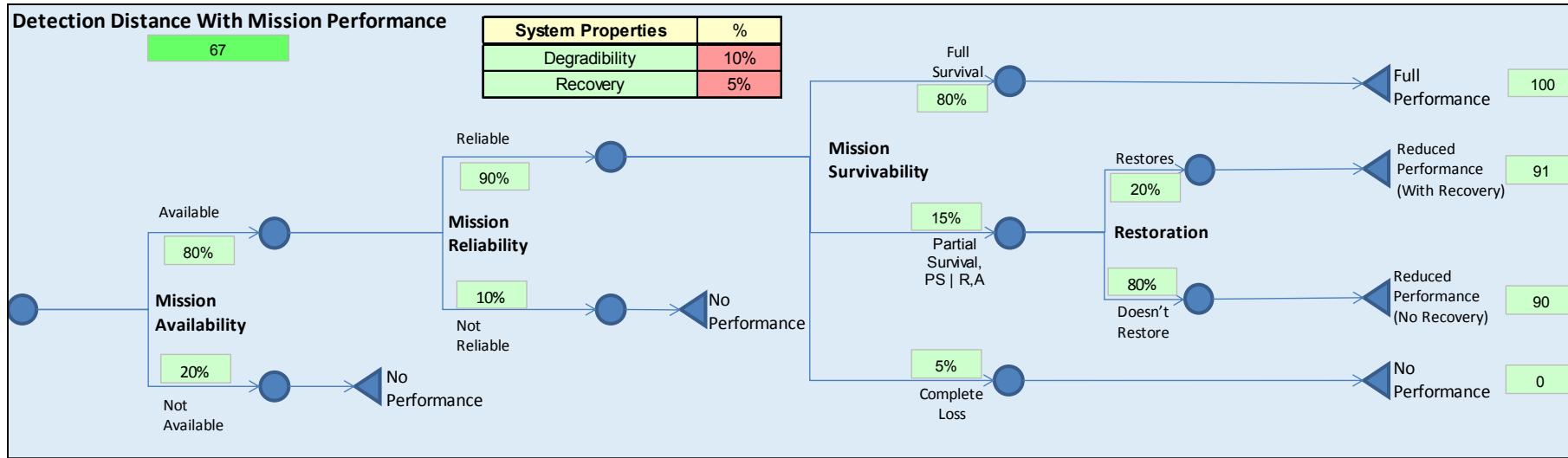
Method 2: Include “ilities” in Value Model Example



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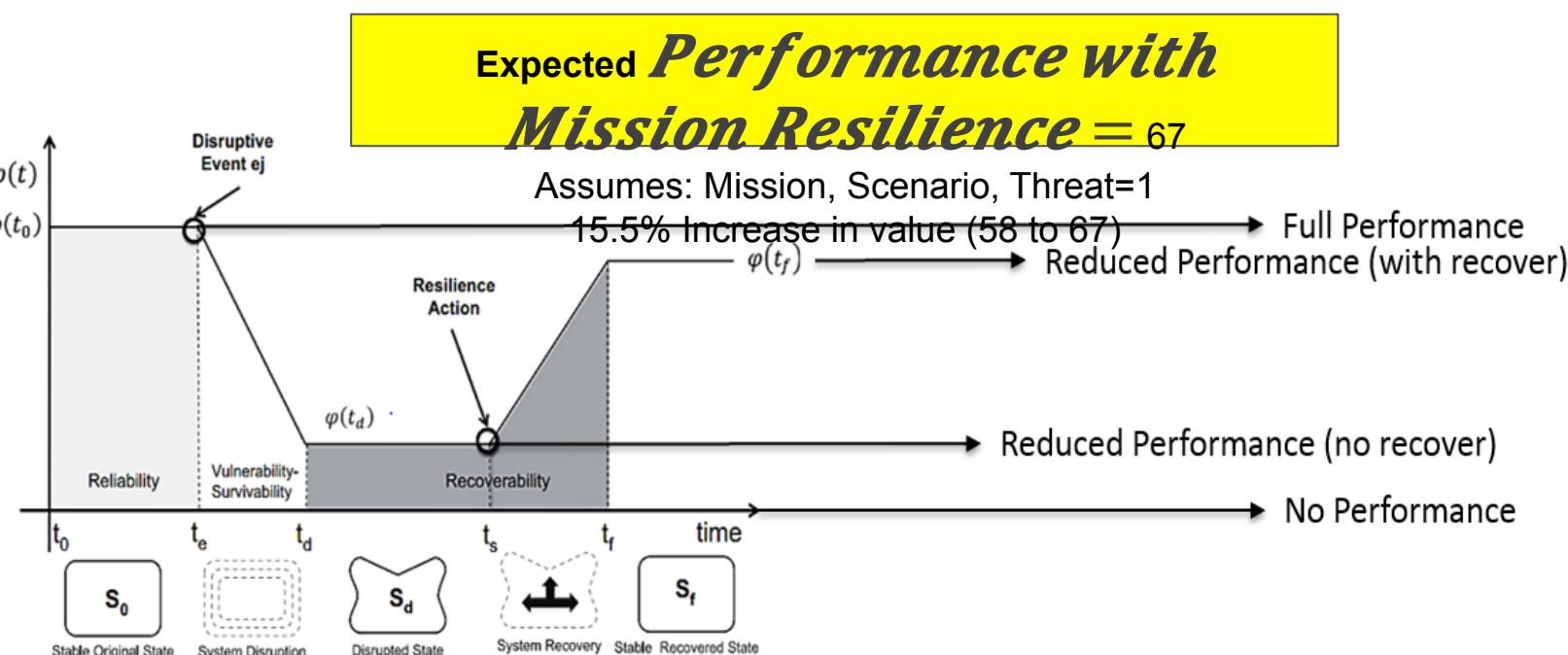
Base Versatility	Elasticity
Invulnerability	Affordability
	Timeliness

Method 3: Incorporate Resilience in all appropriate Key Performance Parameters (KPPs)



Expected *Performance with Mission Resilience* = 67

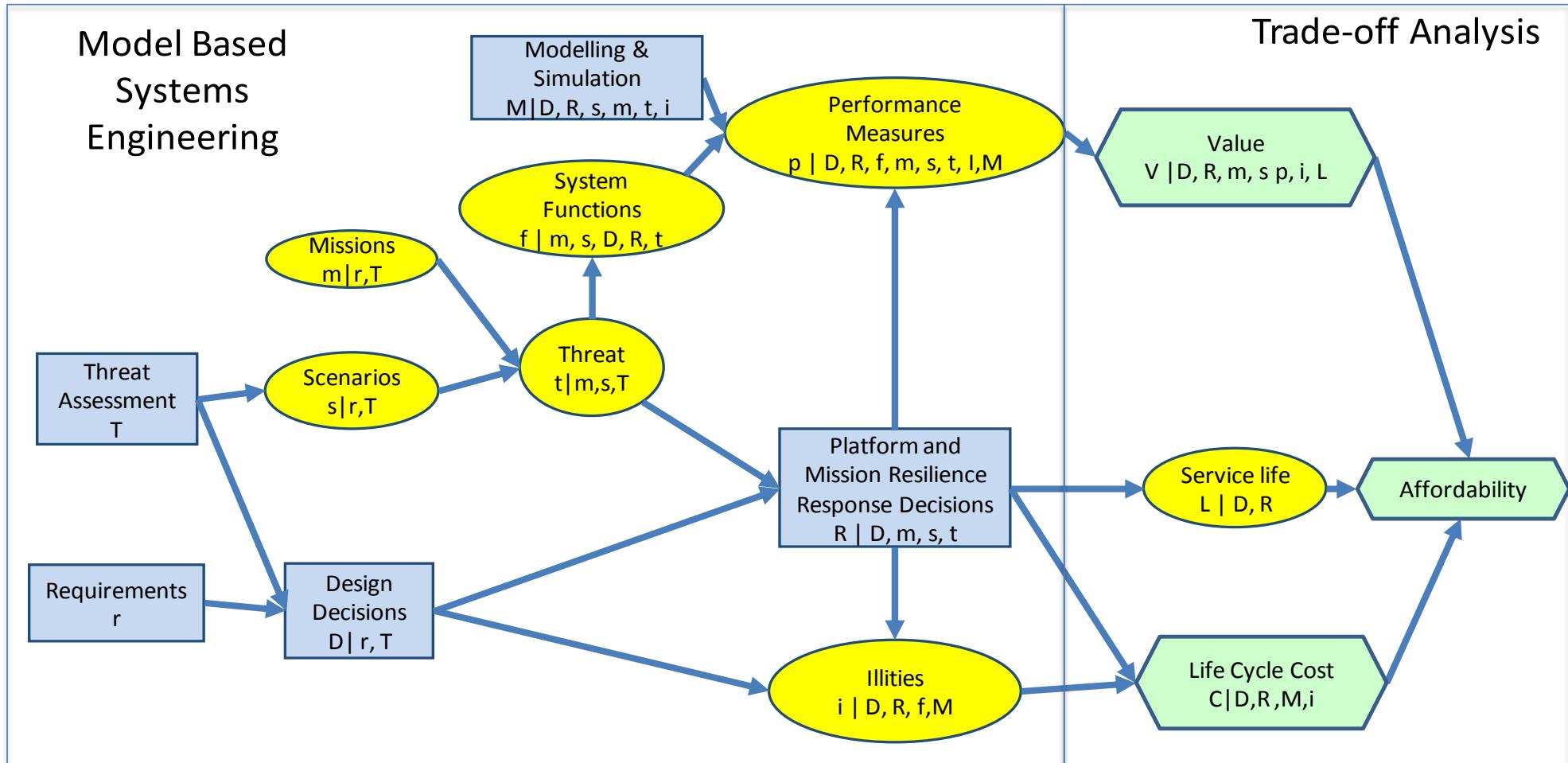
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ERS Influence Diagram

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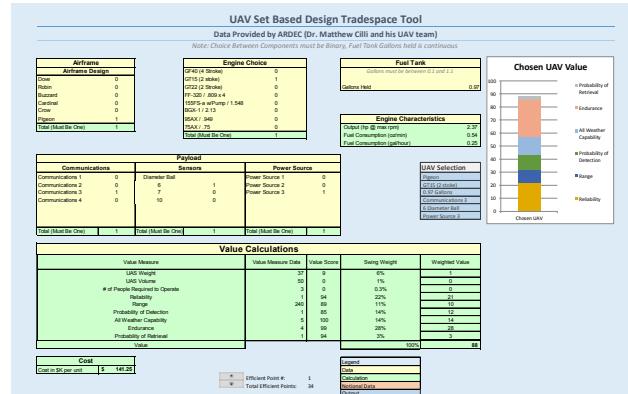


Provides context for ERS decision making. Influence diagram simplified using conditional notation.

UAV Tradespace Tool Summary



Control Panel

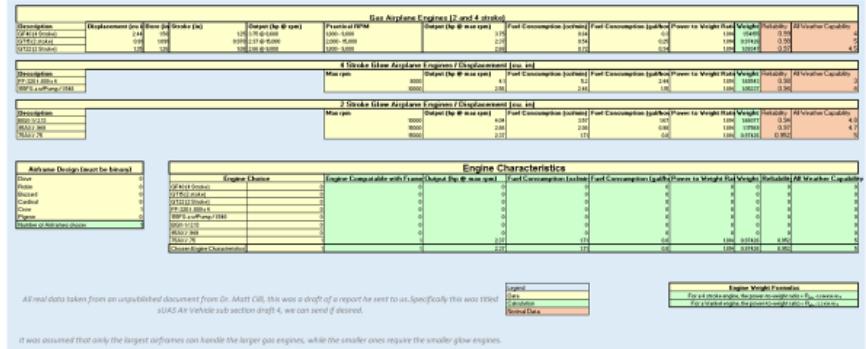


Using excel, we have created a tool that propagates design decisions through simultaneous calculations to assess value and cost.



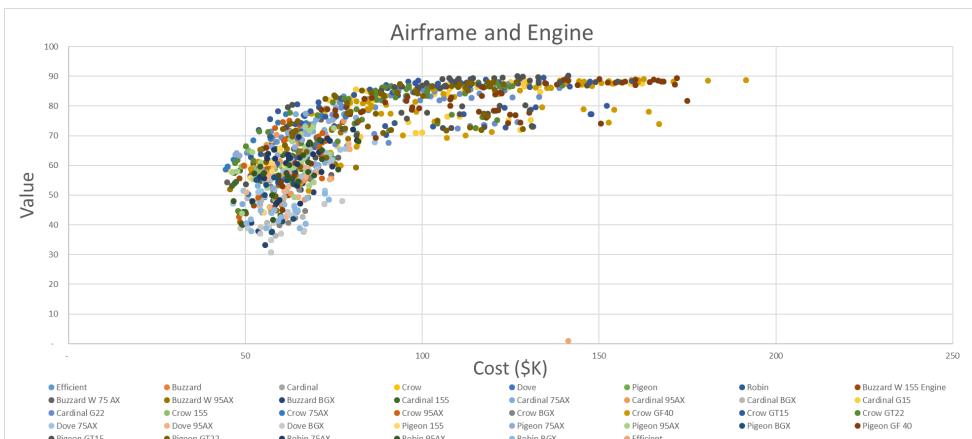
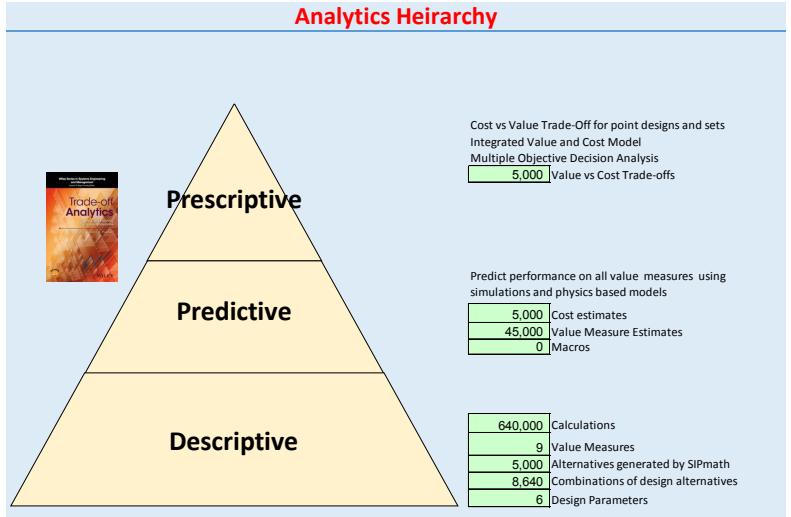
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Engine Characteristics

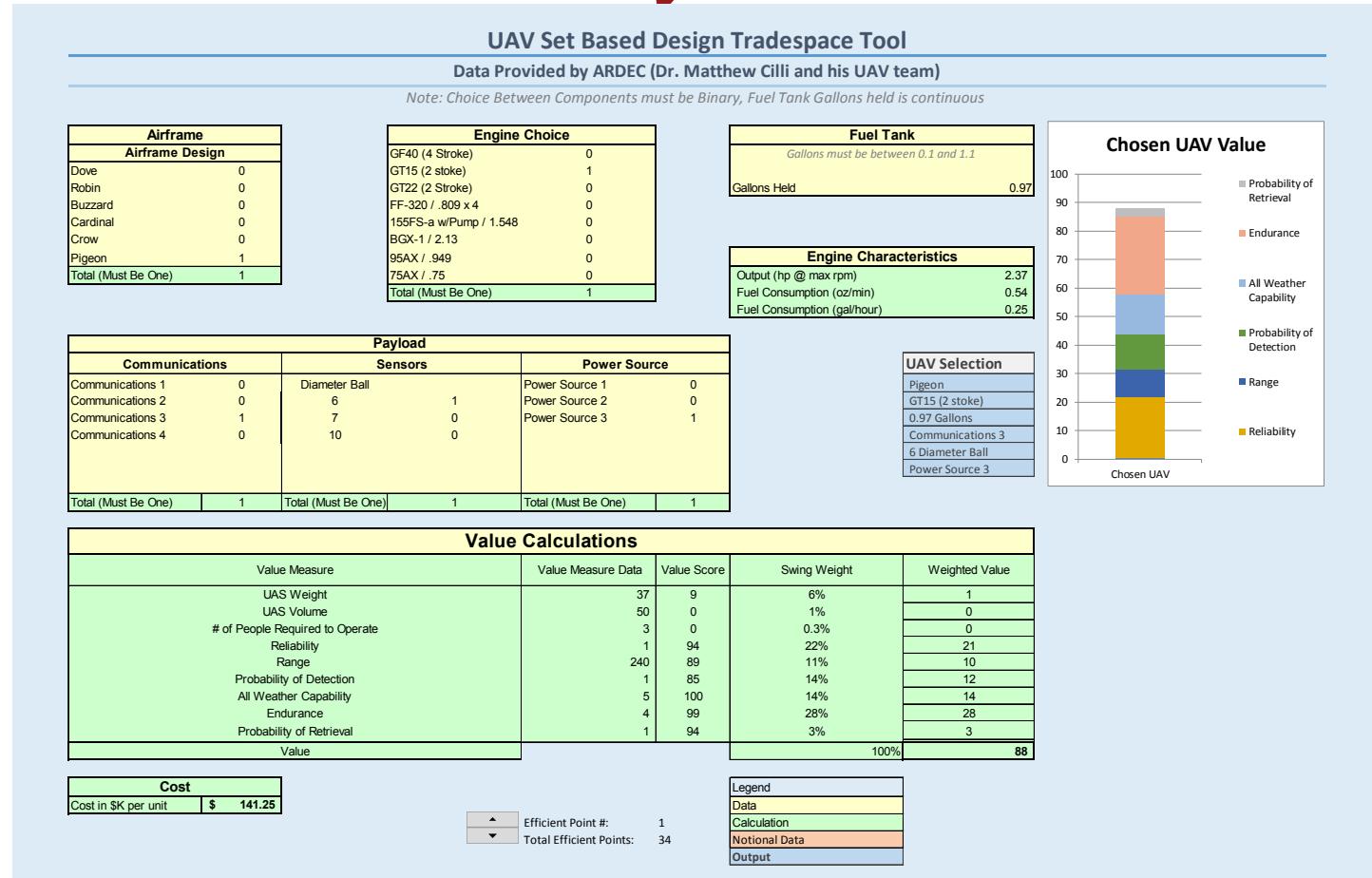


For each of the discrete design decisions, Engine, Airframe, Sensors, Communications, Power Source, there is a page that uses the binary choice in the control panel to give the characteristics of each component.

Analytics Hierarchy

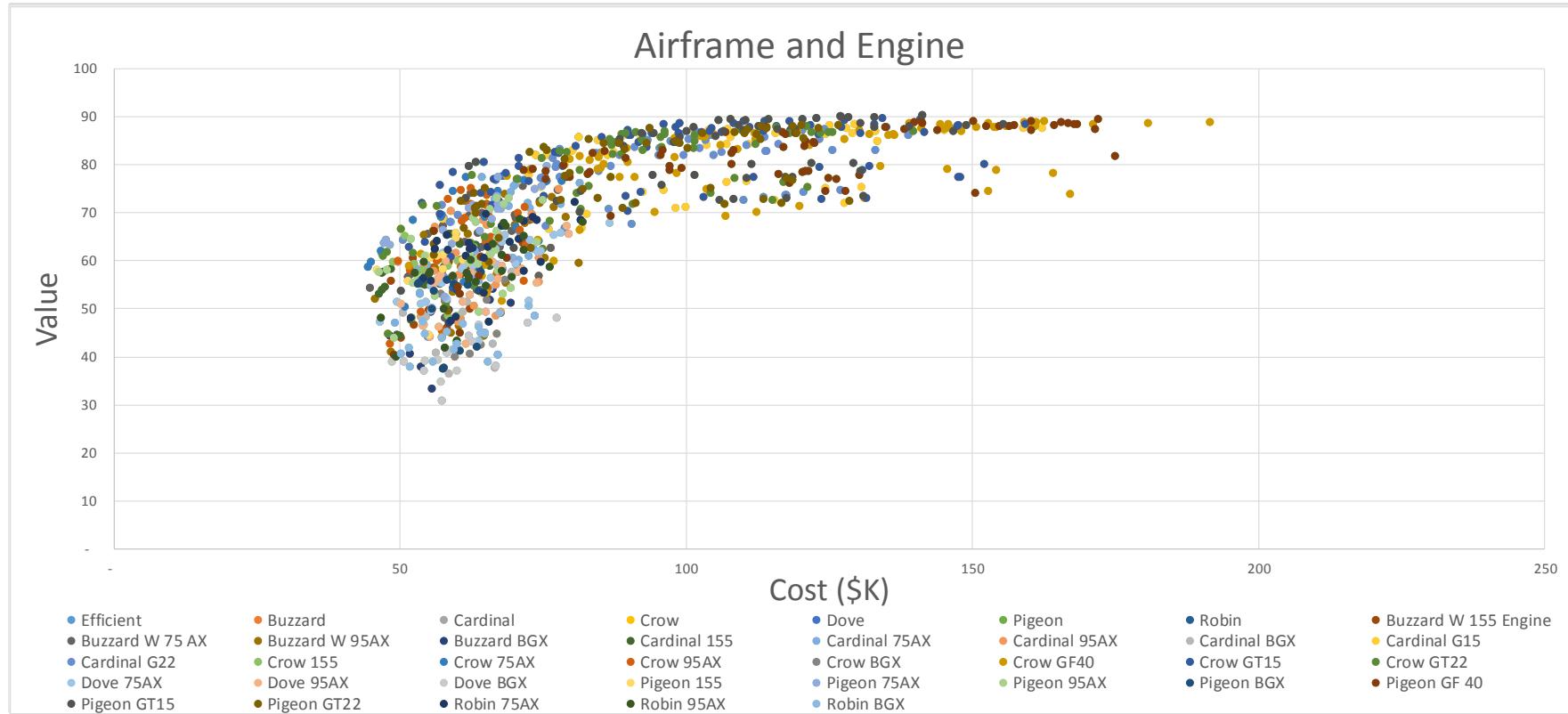


UAV Trade-off Analysis Control Panel



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Point-Based to Set-Based Design

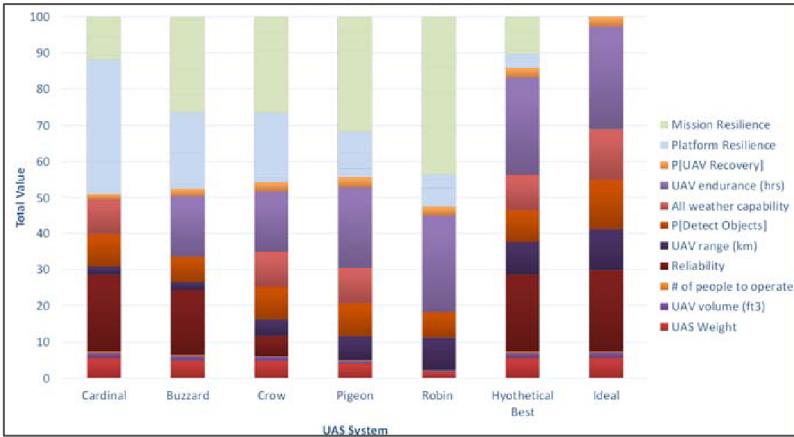


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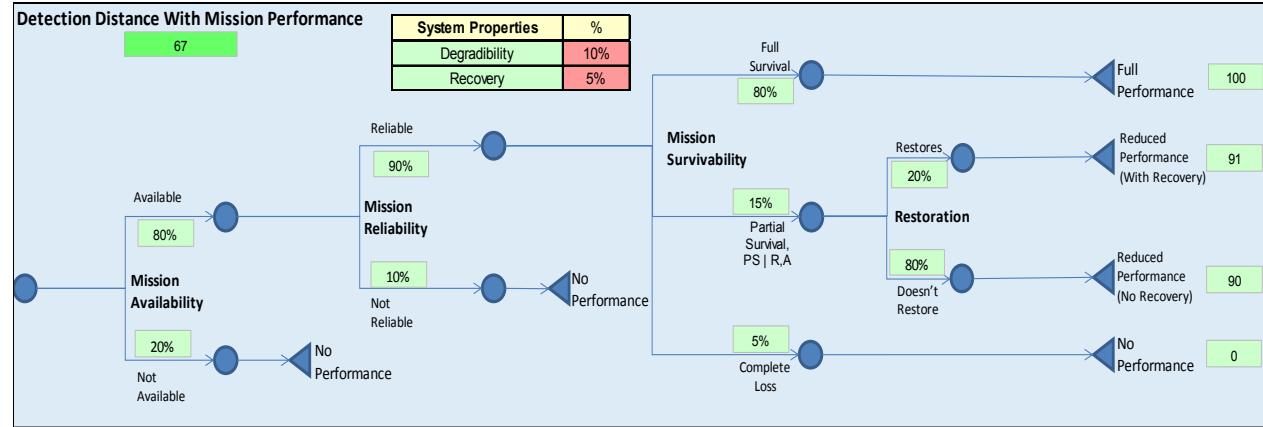
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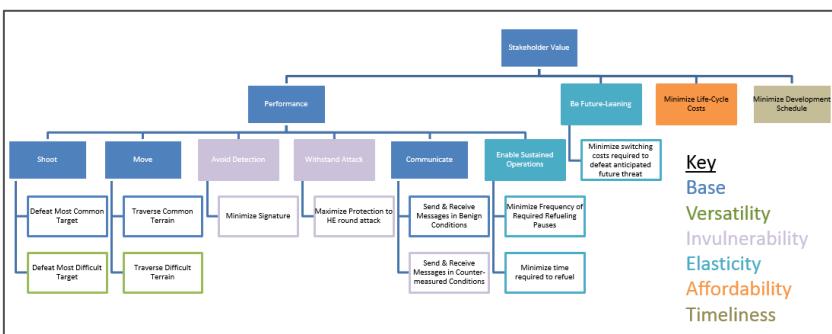
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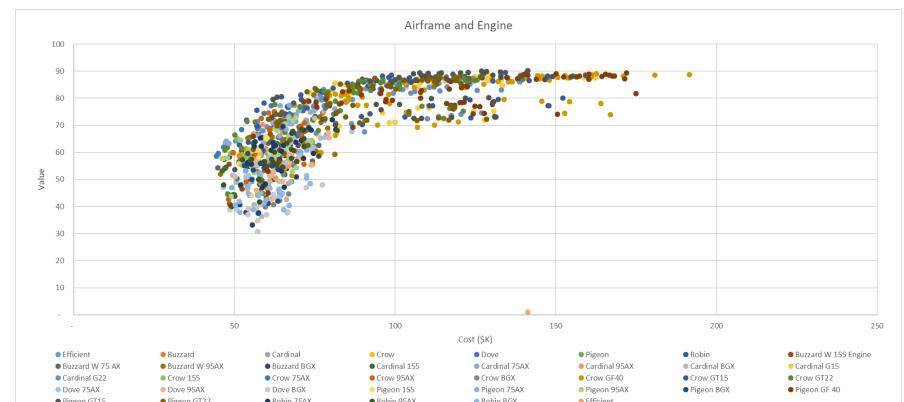
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Include “Ilities” in Value Model



Set Based Design





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