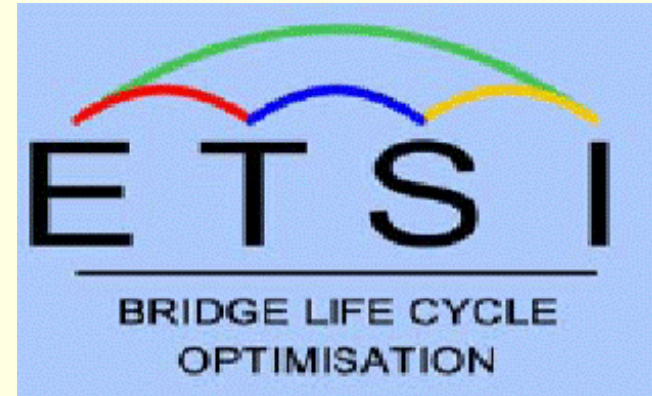


Steps Toward The Achievement



Life Cycle Costs (Ideas and Remarks)

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Points and outlines about ETSI

- Now we can say, we are only one step from culminating our progress by wearing the crown of ETSI which is:
A unified Nordic Methodology & Computer Program for Bridge LCC & LCA Estimation.
- Many things and many interests for each parties, nothing is impossible.
- One great thing is the specifying of the requirements and the interests for each parties.

➤ *The ideas or the points that I am going to mentioned, may be right or not, all things are subjected to discussion and changes.*



Three Main Steps to Reach the Main Goal of ETSI

1. Identification of the goals, parameters & assigning methodology for basic calculations (ETSI Stage1)
2. Detailed explanation of the interests and the considerations for each ETSI individuals (ETSI Stage2)
3. A- Creative ideas and models connecting and transforming the theoretical data and information into simple computer programs, say Excel sheets or others.

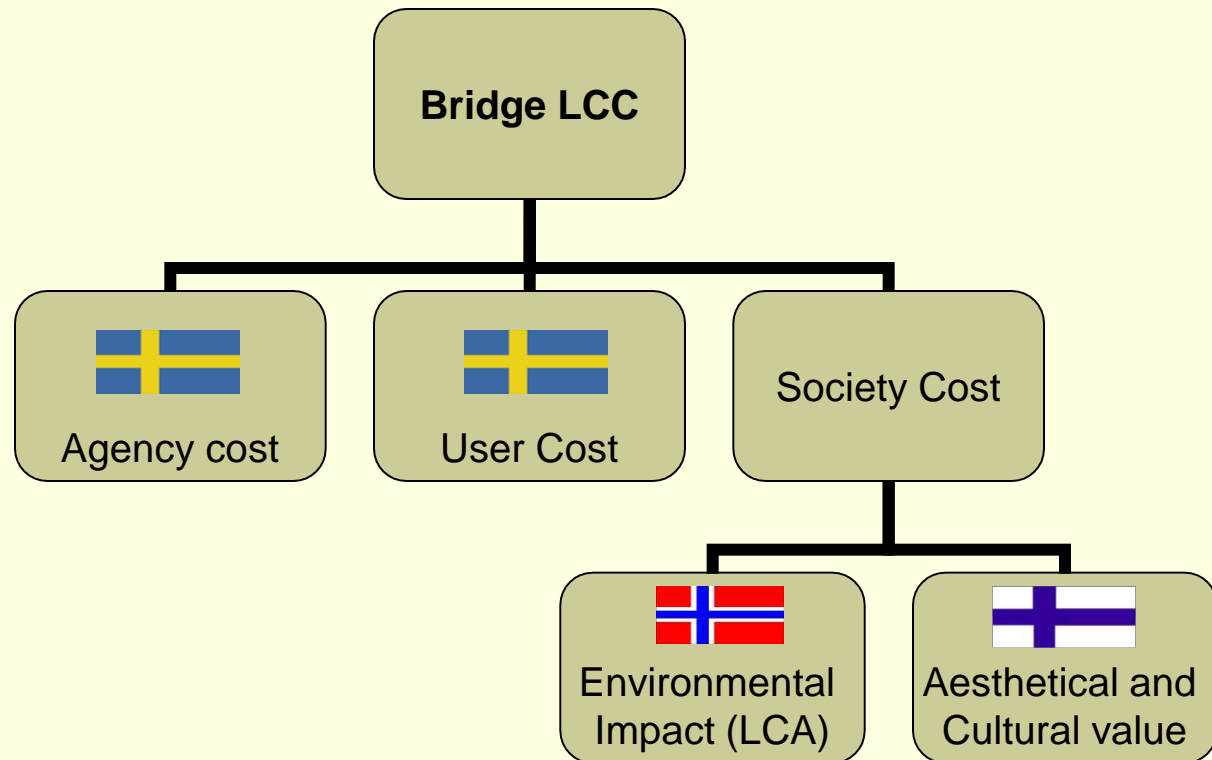
B- Upgrading and development of this simple programs and integrate them in a unified web based program.

➤ (ETSI Stage3)

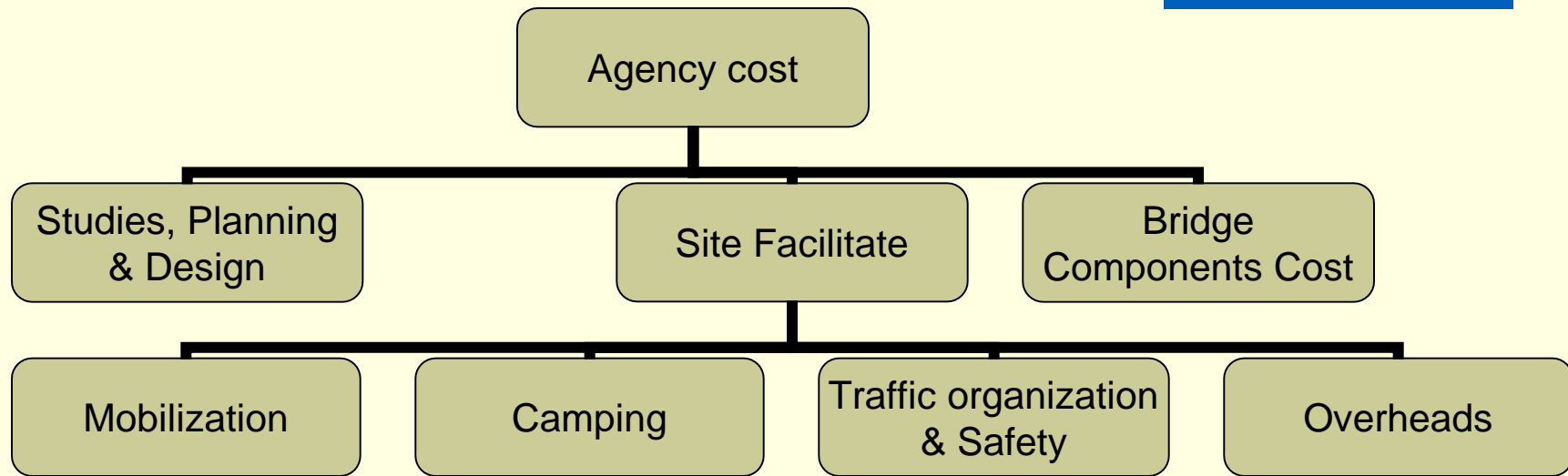


Step by Step, Tracking the Proposals Developments

❖ Bridge life cycle cost components:-



1- Agency Cost



➤ Before going to the bridge components cost, Three things we have to unify:-

- ❖ Unified names of the actions that may take place during the structural element life
- ❖ Unified System for bridge components LCC analysis
- ❖ Unified degradation curves for bridge components.



Structural Elements Life Cycle Actions

- Many names and titles with different words describing the action which could take place within the service life of the bridge components like:-
(investment, initial capital, purchasing and installation, reparation, repair, rehabilitation, operation, maintenance, inspection and investigation, demolition, replacement, and others)
- We agreed in KTH to classify these actions ascending by its occurrence during the life cycle, with these proposed titles.
 - ❖ Investment (Purchasing & Installation) Cost
 - ❖ Operation & Maintenance Cost
 - ❖ Inspection Cost
 - ❖ Repair/Replacement & Rehabilitation Cost
 - ❖ End of life Management Cost



Two Possible Ways To Analyze The LCC of The Bridge Components.

By the action for all bridge components e.g.,

1-Purchasing and installation cost

- Substructure
- Superstructure
- Bridge equipments
- Etc.

2-Operation & maintenance cost

- Substructure
- Superstructure
- Bridge equipments
- Etc.

3-Reparation & rehabilitation cost

- Substructure
- Superstructure
- Bridge equipments
- Etc.

4-Etc.

- Etc

By the bridge component for all actions e.g.,

1-Substructure

- Purchasing and installation cost
- Operation & maintenance cost
- Reparation & Rehabilitation cost
- Etc.

2-Superstructure

- Purchasing and installation cost
- Operation & maintenance cost
- Reparation & Rehabilitation cost
- Etc...

3-Bridge Equipments

- Purchasing and installation cost
- Operation & maintenance cost
- Reparation & Rehabilitation cost
- Etc.

4-Etc.

- Etc



❖ In KTH we agreed to use the first system (which is the same system used in the WEBLCC program)

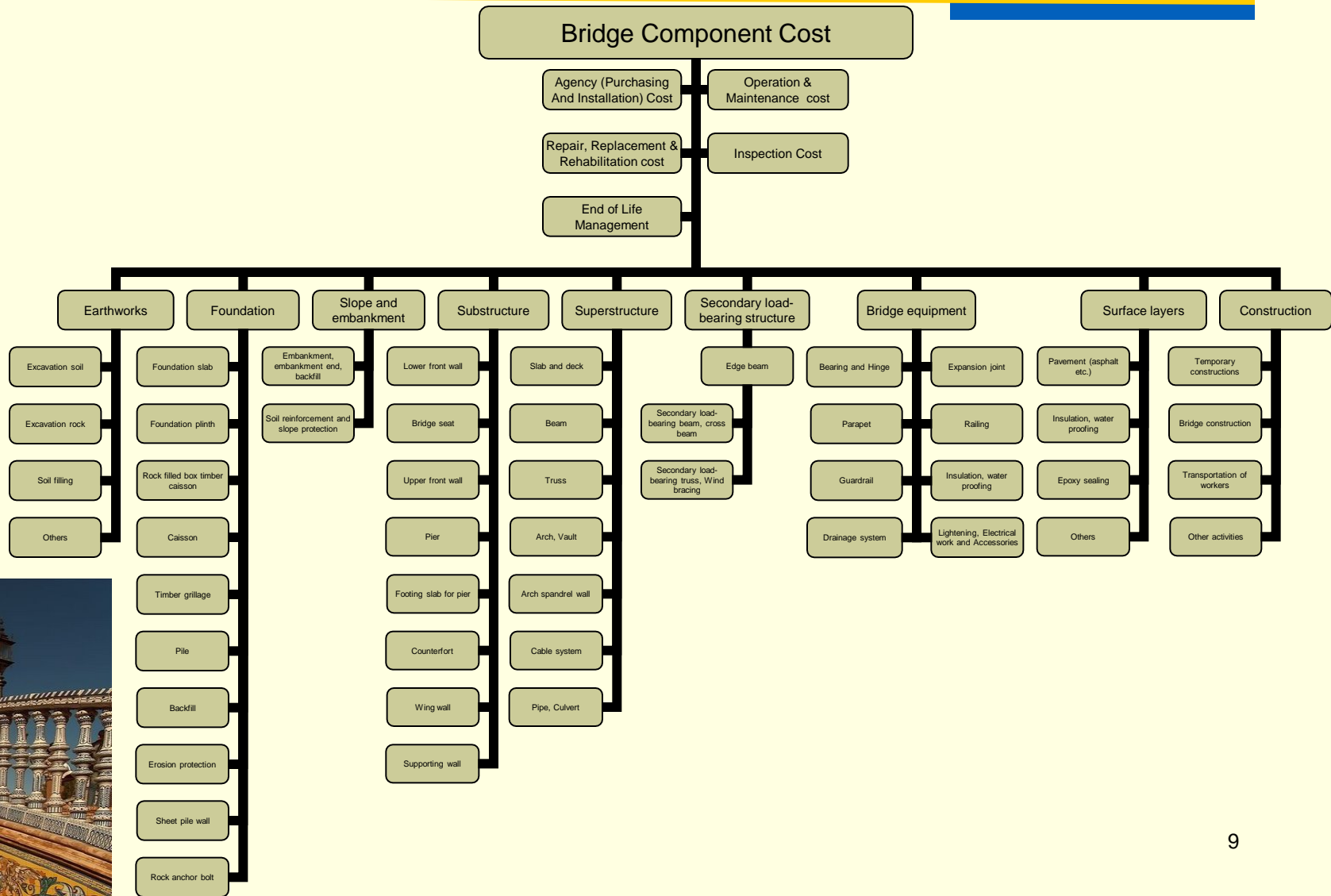
- A-** LCA group proposal
- B-** 3 proposals from Håkan Sundquist
- C-** 1 proposal from Arne Juttila

- Include the LCA required parameters within the parameters of LCC calculation. So in this case we don't have to import any external Excel sheets to LCCWEB program to calculate LCA

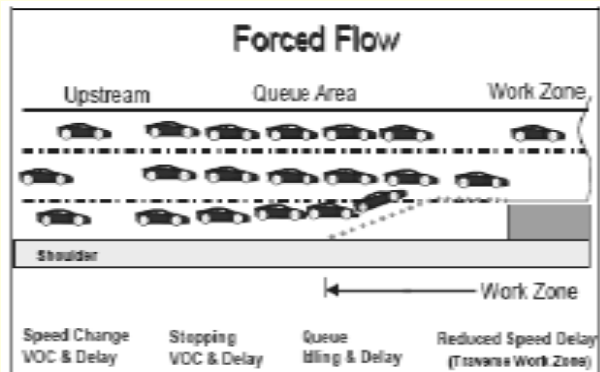
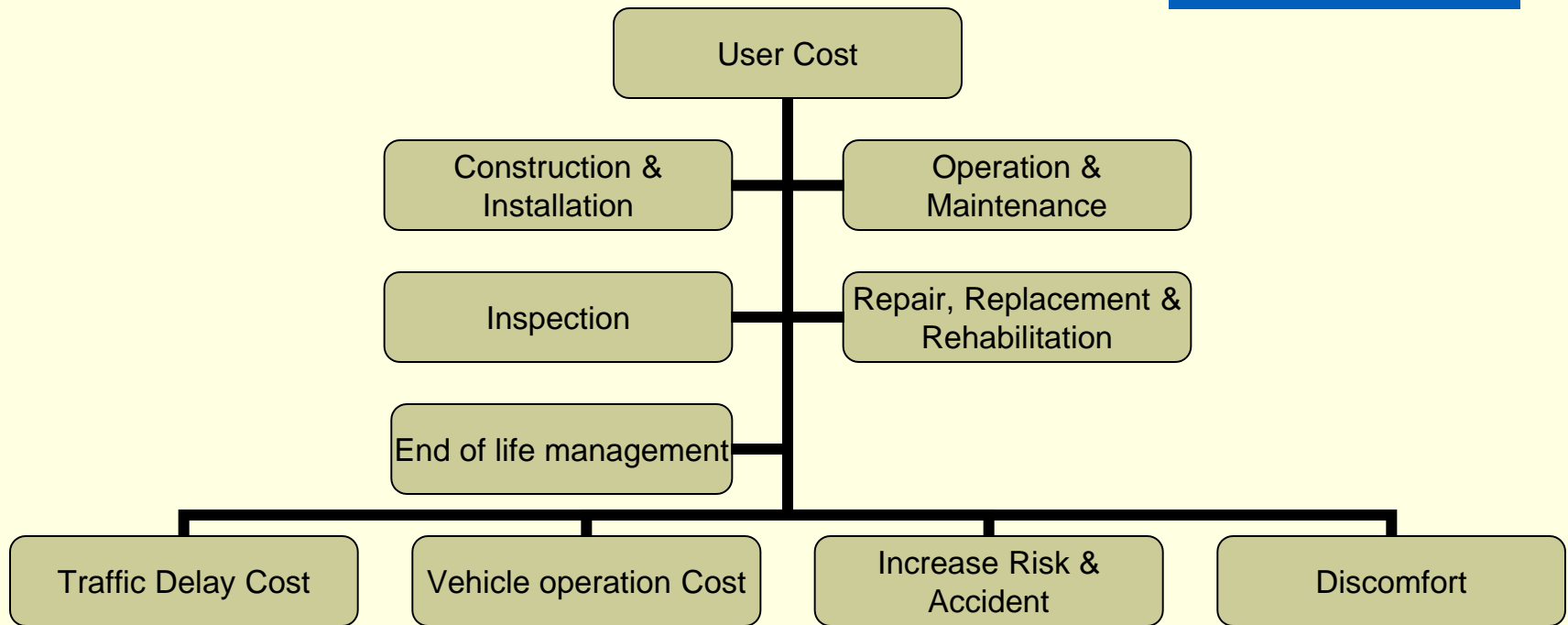
❖ In KTH, we achieve this target by preparing a proposal which include all of the required parameters in LCC & LCA (and now we are working with creating a model for this purpose)

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Bridge Components Life Cycle Costs Tree



2- User Costs



3- Society Cost

Environmental Impact LCA

Used Materials for every component
during the life cycle

ADP

GWP

ODP

HTP

FAETP

MATEP

TETP

PCOP

AP

EP



An effective model combining the agency costs, the user costs & LCA impact at the same time

Investment (Purchasing & Installation) Cost										
Bridge Component, Activities	Used Materials		Material Transportation			User Cost		Other Total Price		
	Blasting [kg]	Quantity	Truck transportation	Distance [km]	Weight [ton],[person]	Days of Work	Affected Length (Km)			
1.Foundation			Truck transportation							
Caisson										
2.Slope and embankment										
Embankment, embankment end, backfill										
3.Substructure										
Bridge seat										
4.Superstructure										
Arch, Vault										
5.Secondary load-bearing structure										
Edge beam										
6.Bridge equipment										
Railing										
7.Surface layers										
Others										
8. Earthworks										
Excavation soil										
9. Construction										
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An effective model combining the agency costs, the user costs & LCA impact at the same time

- ❖ *With doing some updates and little changes in the WEBLCC model we can include LCA , as proposed in the next slide.*
 - Including the used materials in LCA model by a build up list of material.
 - Perfectly specifying the transportation of each bridge component
 - Using the used material column we can compute the prices for LCC and the amounts for LCA

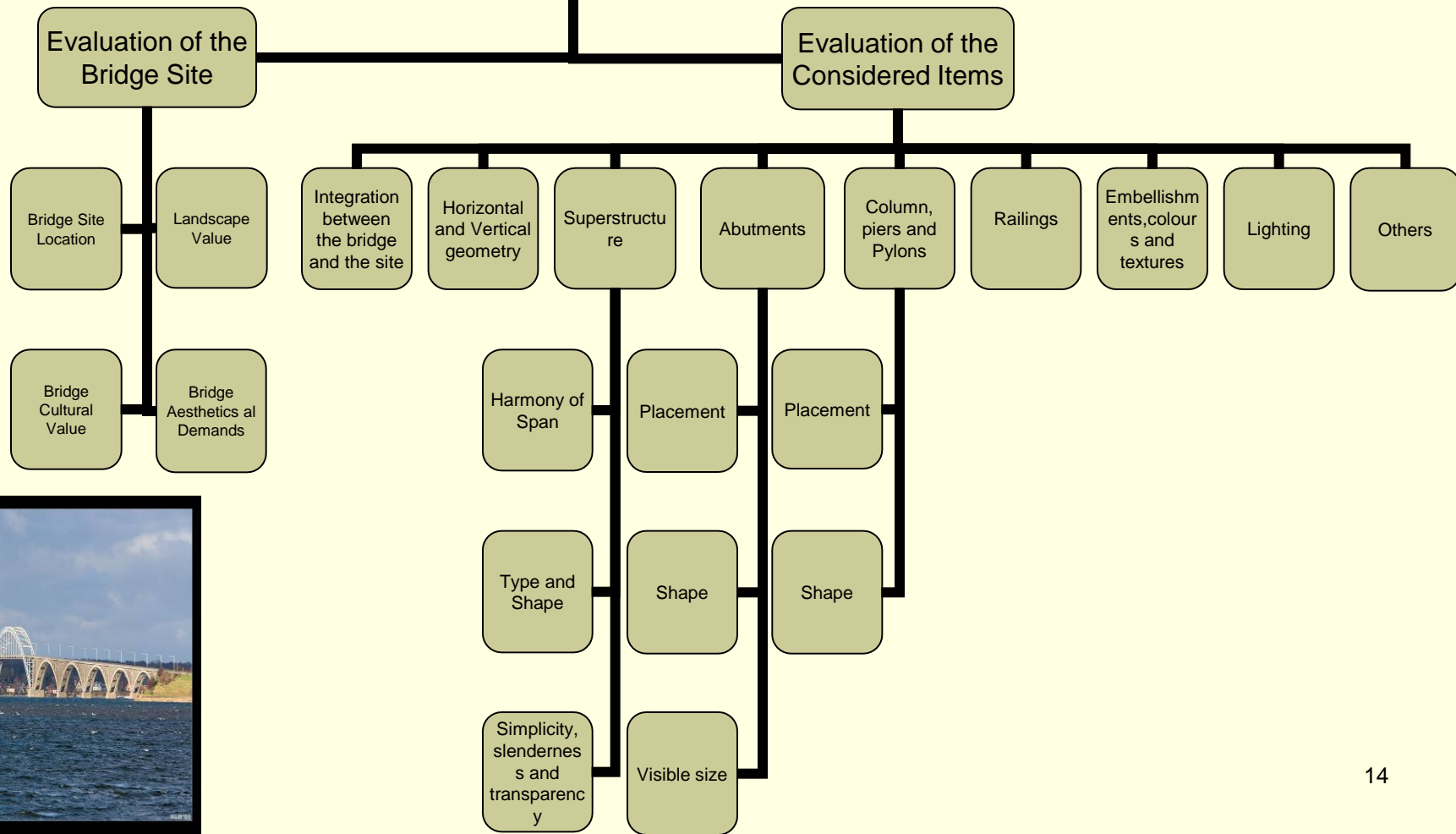


LCA Excel Program

The used Materials ↔ The Emissions amounts

3- Society Cost

Aesthetical & Cultural Value



SP3 Unique, Systematic Way for Evaluating the Aesthetical Value of the Bridge

We tried to convert this theoretical system into a simple Excel program and applied this to some cases.

Then we have found some questions that need to be clarified.

$$C_{rel} = k_{rel} C_{LCC}$$

$$C = C_{rel} + C_{LCA}$$

➤ Where is the user cost?!



AESTHETICS AND CULTURAL VALUE OF THE BRIDGE						
Assumption: a = 0.2 That means that in the extreme cases the reduction coefficient k_{rel} varies between 0.8 and 1.2						
1- Evaluation of Bridge Site						
		Class	Explanation			
		Class I	Very demanding			
		Class II	Demanding			
		Class III	Remarkable			
		Class IV	Ordinary			
Evaluated items:-						
Location of the bridge site	Value of the landscape	Cultural value of the bridge site	Aesthetical demands of the bridge			
Class I	Class II	Class II	Class II			
Bridge Site Class		II				
2- Evaluation of Bridge Items						
		Category	Explanation			
		-2	Poor			
		-1	Modest			
		0	Medium			
		1	Good			
		2	Excellent			
Considered Items:-		Evaluation	Proposed weight factors for the considered items			
			Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV
Integration between the bridge and the site		-2	6	4	2	0
Horizontal and vertical geometry		-2	3	2	1	0
Superstructure	harmony of spans	-2	2	2	1	0
	type and shape	-2	4	3	2	0
	simplicity, slenderness and trans.	-2	3	2	1	0
Abutments	placement	-2	2	1	1	0
	shape	-2	1	1	1	0
	visible size	-2	1	1	1	0
Columns, piers and pylons	placement	-2	1	1	1	0
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Railings		-2	2	2	1	0
Embellishments, surface colors and textures		-2	2	2	1	0
Lighting		-2	2	2	1	0
Others		-2	0	0	0	0
		Σ	32	25	15	0
		$K_{rel} =$	1.156			


a= 2	Class I	Class II	Class III	Class IV
K_{rel} max	1.2	1.156	1.094	1
K_{rel} min	0.8	0.844	0.906	1

SP3 Unique, Systematic Way for Evaluating the Aesthetical Value of the Bridge

➤ questions need to be clarified.

$$k_{rel} = 1 - a \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i p_i}{p_{\max} \sum_{i=1}^n w_i} = 1 - 0,2 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i p_i}{2 \sum_{i=1}^n w_i} = 1 - 0,1 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i p_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i}$$



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Two Possible Ways to Include & Assess the Bridge Environmental Impacts (LCA)

1- By transforming the amount of emissions & the environment distortion due to the usage of unrenuewable materials from

Unit Quantity to Unified Standard Unit Price. eg.

A unit of Global Warming Potential (GWP) will cost me (xxx \$)

❖ and then add this prices of the emissions to LCC cost.

➤ (May this is not applicable due to differences in the environmental policy).

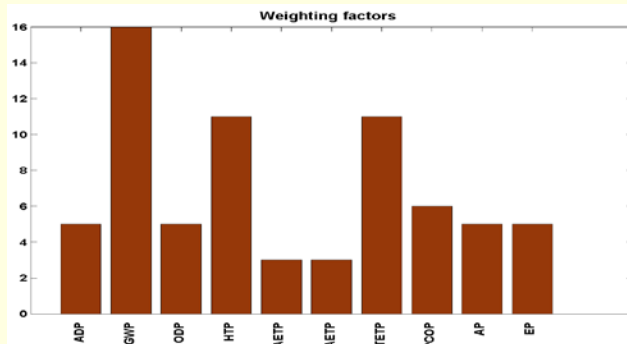
2- Follow the suggestions which was mentioned in SP3 with same procedures with little changes to concise the demand of the environments

➤ (Need help from the Norwegian team to propose the parameters to be considered and its weight factors)

A model suggesting how to include and translate LCA-values into LCC calculations will be presented in the next slide




Proposed Model to include LCA in LCC calculations



➤ Need adoption and confirmation from the Norwegian team



ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS OF THE BRIDGE				
				
Assumption: a = 0.25 That means that in the extreme cases the enviromental coefficient K_{env} varies between 1 and 1.25				
1- Evaluation of Bridge & Environment Friendships Demands				
		Class	Explanation	
		Class I	Very demanding	
		Class II	Demanding	
		Class III	Remarkable	
		Class IV	Ordinary	
Evaluated items:-				
Location of the bridge		Partners pollutions sensitivity	location environmental regulations	Demands of the bridge
Class I		Class II	Class II	Class II
Bridge Site Class II				
2- Evaluation of Harmful & Hazard Materials & Emissions				
		Category	Explanation	
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abiotic depletion	ADP		-2	6 4 2 0
global warming (GWP100)	GWP		-2	3 2 1 0
ozone layer depletion (ODP)	ODP		-2	2 2 1 0
human toxicity	HTP		-2	4 3 2 0
fresh water aquatic ecotox.	FAETP		-2	3 2 1 0
marine aquatic ecotoxicity	MAETP		-2	2 1 1 0
terrestrial ecotoxicity	TETP		-2	1 1 1 0
photochemical oxidation	PCOP		-2	1 1 1 0
acidification	AP		-2	1 1 1 0
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K_{env}	1.2	1.156	1.094	1
K_{env} must be bigger than one for all cases				

A large cable-stayed bridge with two tall, white, A-frame pylons. The bridge spans a body of water. A large cruise ship is visible sailing underneath the bridge. The sky is clear and blue.

Thank You

Questions?