

COST OF POOR QUALITY

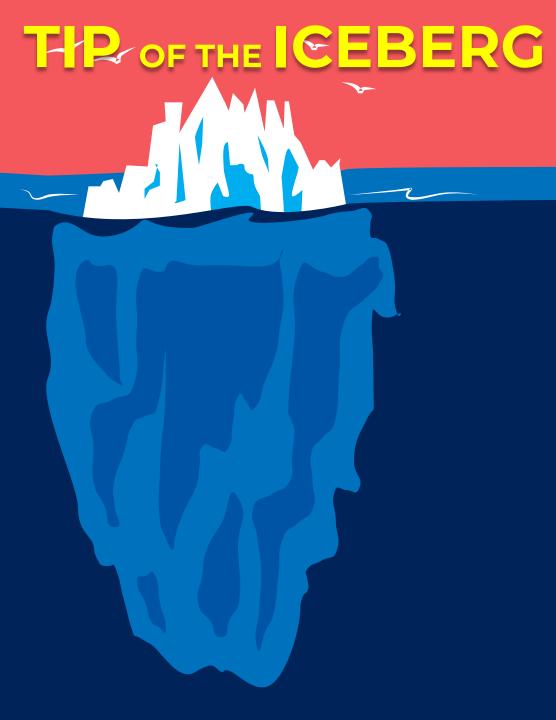
PRICE TO PAY



The

ICEBERG...

Nature's most Spectacular creation!!!



Only
20%
of the iceberg is visible.

The remaining

80%

is hidden below the surface of the ocean.



Inspection Costs Rework Customer Returns Testing Costs

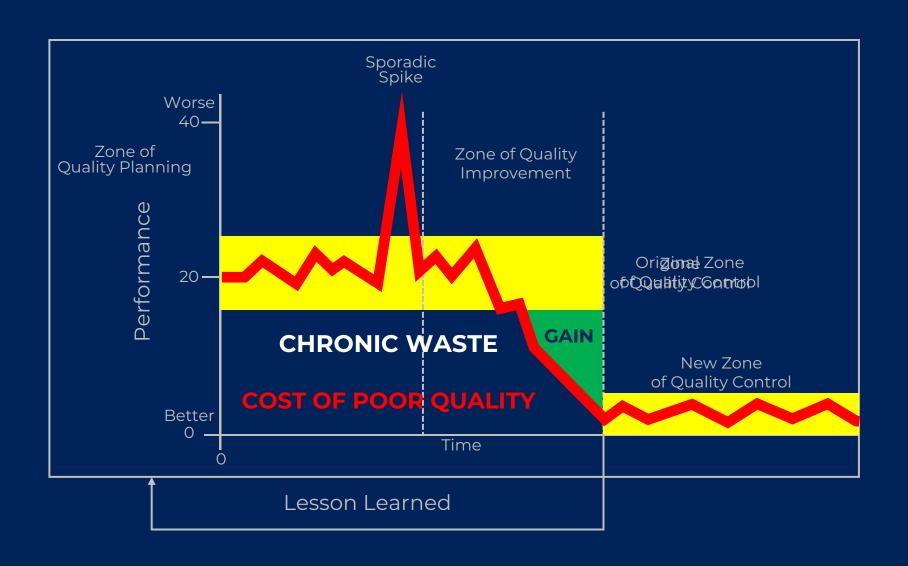
The Iceberg of Cost Of Poor Quality (COPQ)



Hidden
15-25%
of Total Cost



The Juran Trilogy



COPQ Categories – Examples



PREVENTION

- Quality education
- Process design
- Defect cause removal
- Process change
- Quality audit
- Preventive maintenance

APPRAISAL

- Test
- Measurements
- Evaluations and assessments
- Problem analysis
- Detection
- Inspection
- Maintenance (test equipment)

COPQ Categories – Examples (ctd.)

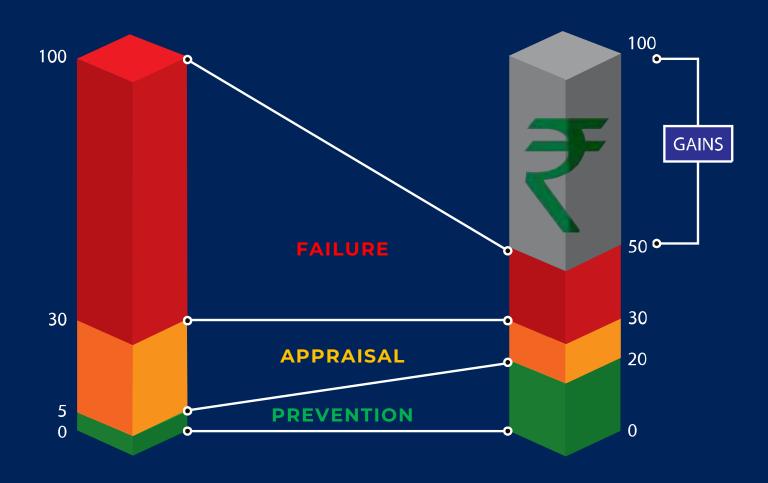
INTERNAL FAILURE

- Reinspection and retest
- Scrap
- Rework
- Repairs
- Service
- Defect removal
- Lost production

EXTERNAL FAILURE

- Returned products
- Legal exposure and costs
- Liability and damage claims
- Poor availability
- Malfunction
- Replacement
- Poor safety
- Complaint administration and warranty

Potential Gains from COPQ Reduction



Reduce COPQ by 50%

Double Your Profit

No Capital Investment

Testimonials



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The realization of the colossal waste in re-work and rejections had dawned soon after we began the Juran (Problem Solving) journey, which led to a systematic attack on process improvement and fool-proofing."

Mr Chandra MohanPunjab Tractors



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I personally spend considerable time in communicating with people, on how and why it is imperative for our company to change, to restructure itself, and to continuously and relentlessly reduce wasteful costs."

Dr J J IraniTATA Steel

Peels and Meals

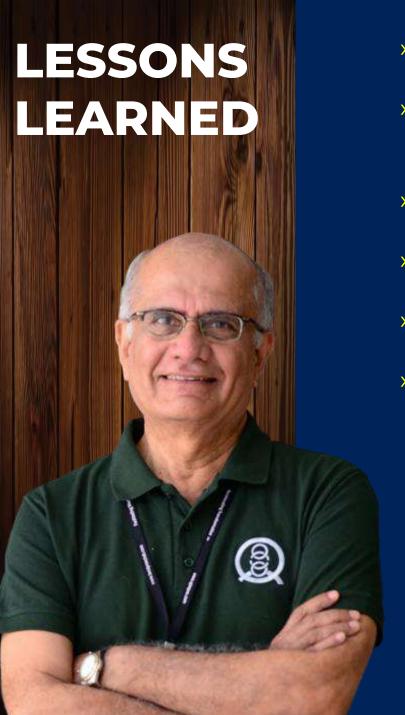
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Legitimizing Absenteeism





- » Chronic problems should not be legitimized in the budget
- » When estimating COPQ, work with non-controversial factors and non-debatable numbers
- » See the problem with your own eyes
- » Chronic problems tend to become culture issues
- » COPQ is alive and well in every service process
- » A low failure rate can disguise a high COPQ

