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# Sustainable Product Design





## Session 05

# Material Efficiency 01

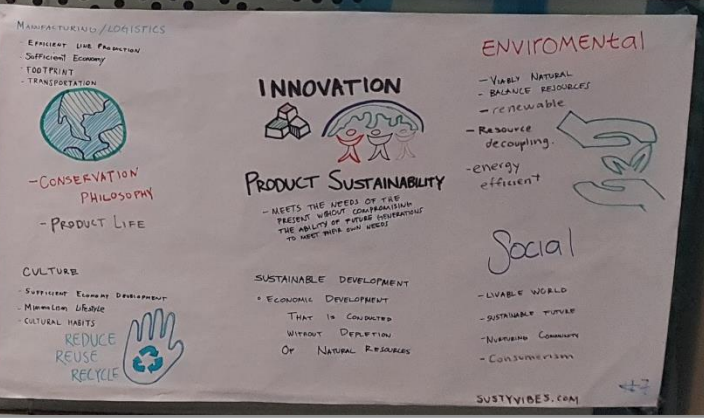
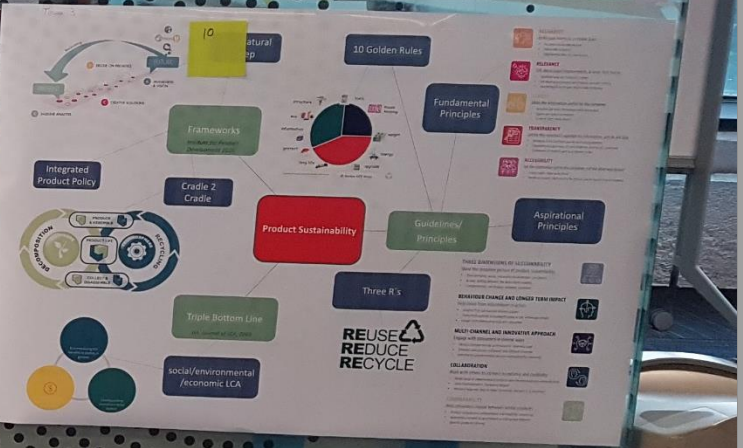
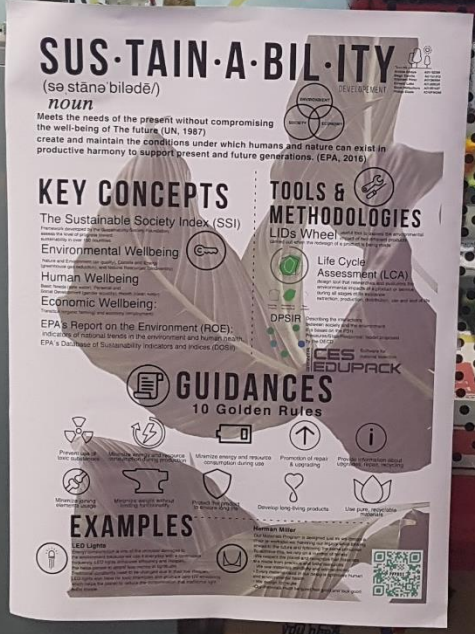
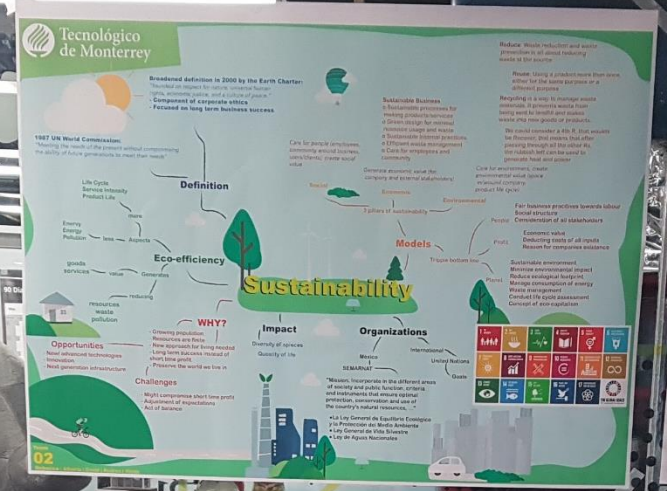
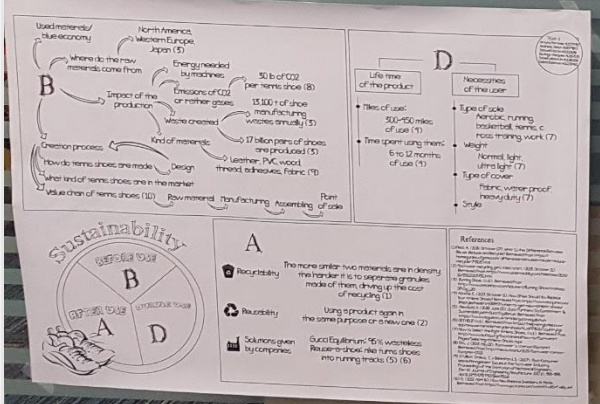
# Teams



Team	Leader	Members					Product
01	<b>Mauricio G.</b>	Luis M.	Julio	Mireya	Carlos S.		Children Toy
02	<b>Rebecca S.</b>	Alberto	David	Andrea	Victor		Kettle
03	<b>Tim</b>	Rilind	Marcelo	Maruca	Dennis		Shoulder bag
04	<b>Andres A.</b>	Diego	Lobo	Phillip	Genki	Lizz	Standing Lamp
05	<b>Mike M.</b>	Francisco	Carlos	Evelin	Manuel	Alberto	Office Chair
06	<b>Arturo M.</b>	Rodrigo	Delma	Daniel L.	Andreas	Samuel	Tennis shoes
07	<b>Diego G.</b>	Sofia	Regina	Andres	David		Backpack

# Sustainability Mind Maps





# Exercise 01.

## Product disassembly / dismantle.

### Suggestions for how to do the exercise

*(based on Ab Stevels, 2014, e-Waste Academy, Shanghai)*

#### Check

- current weights
  - main functionalities
  - and document!
  - also, what is your eco-design strategy?
- Prioritizing e.g. emissions, materials, toxicity, reusability, recycling?

#### Consider

- Product architecture
- Types of materials, accessibility of materials
- Joining techniques
- Ease of disassembly

#### Organize your team so that ONE person to

- Do the physical disassembly
- Keep the records of the all data
- Keep records of decisions, remarks, ideas
- Keep the overall eye, e.g. time & do the presentation on BOM



# Report 02: Material list traffic light



## Task 01 – 4%

Due: 17 September

## BoM report.

Assessment criteria

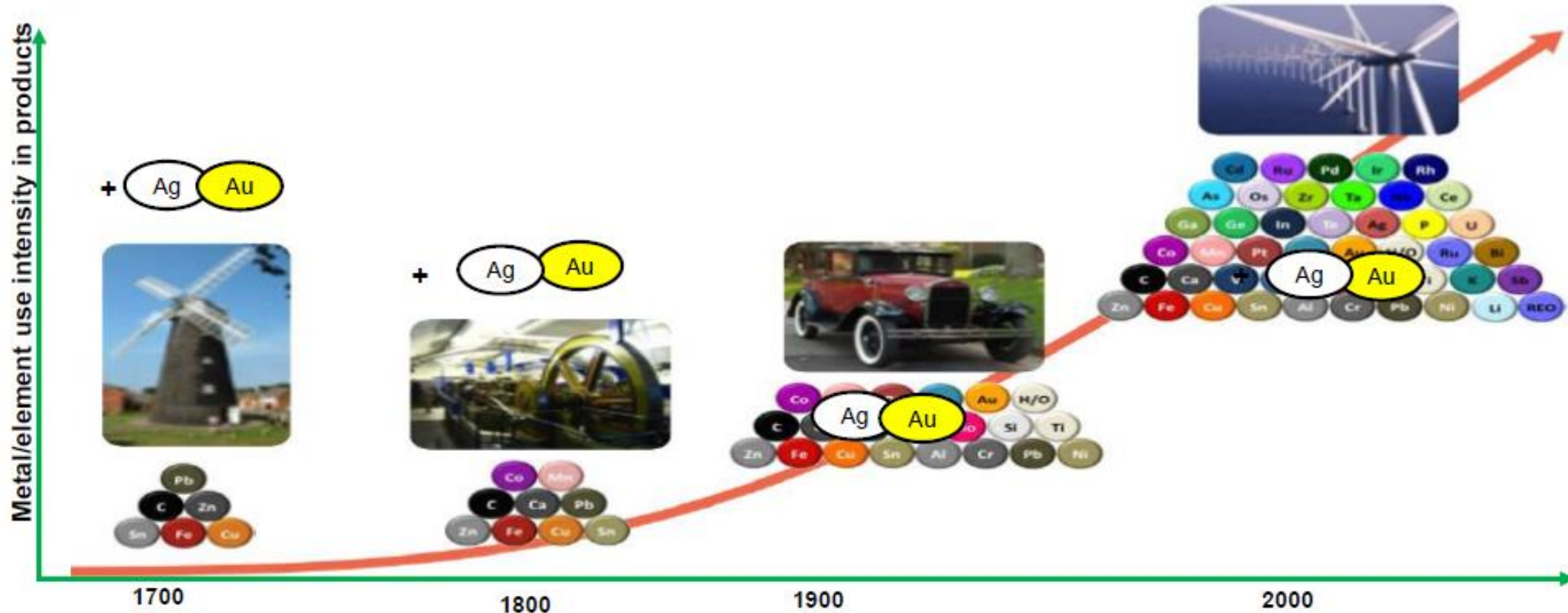
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- Identify the bill of materials of your product.
- Weight the sustainability impact of the product (CES Edupack).
- Present results in a graphic manner.
- Describe your initial eco-design strategy.
- Submit a report with findings.



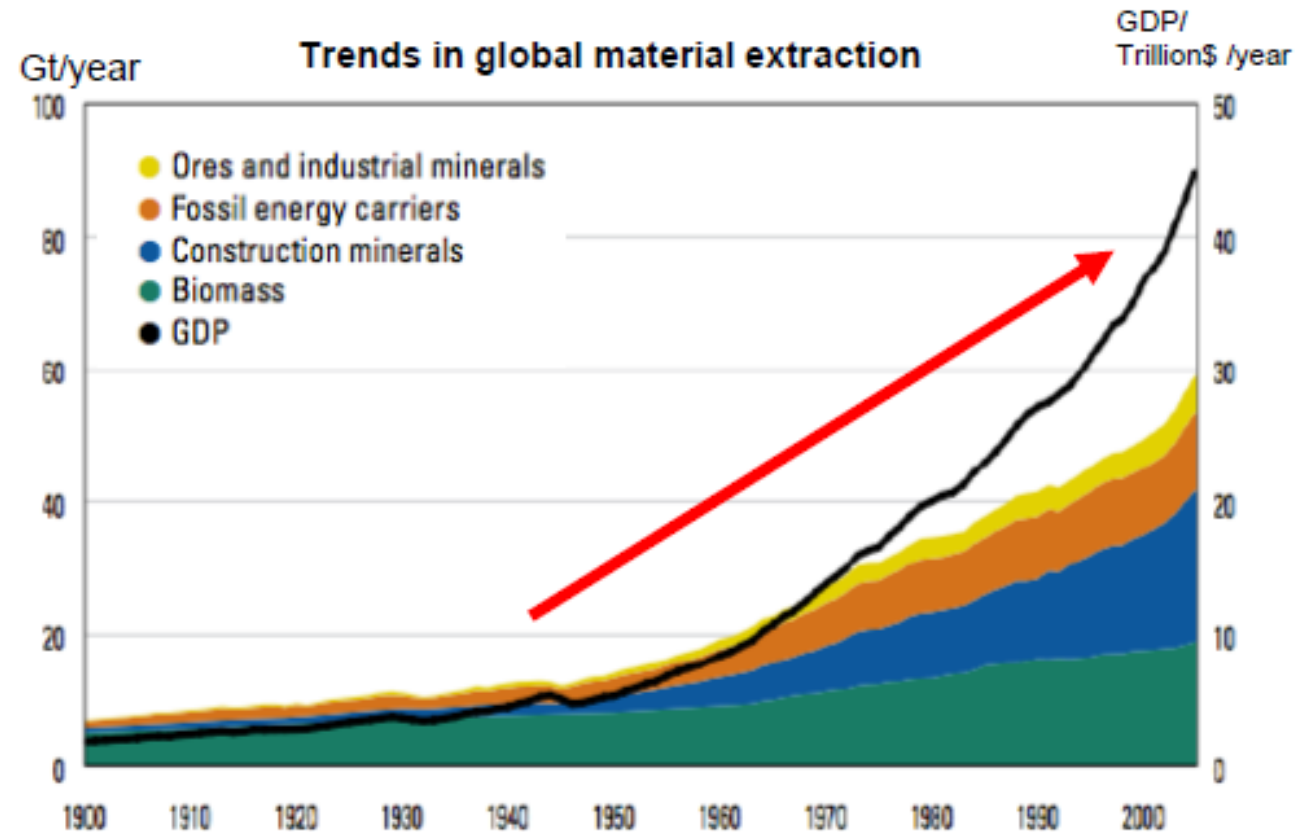
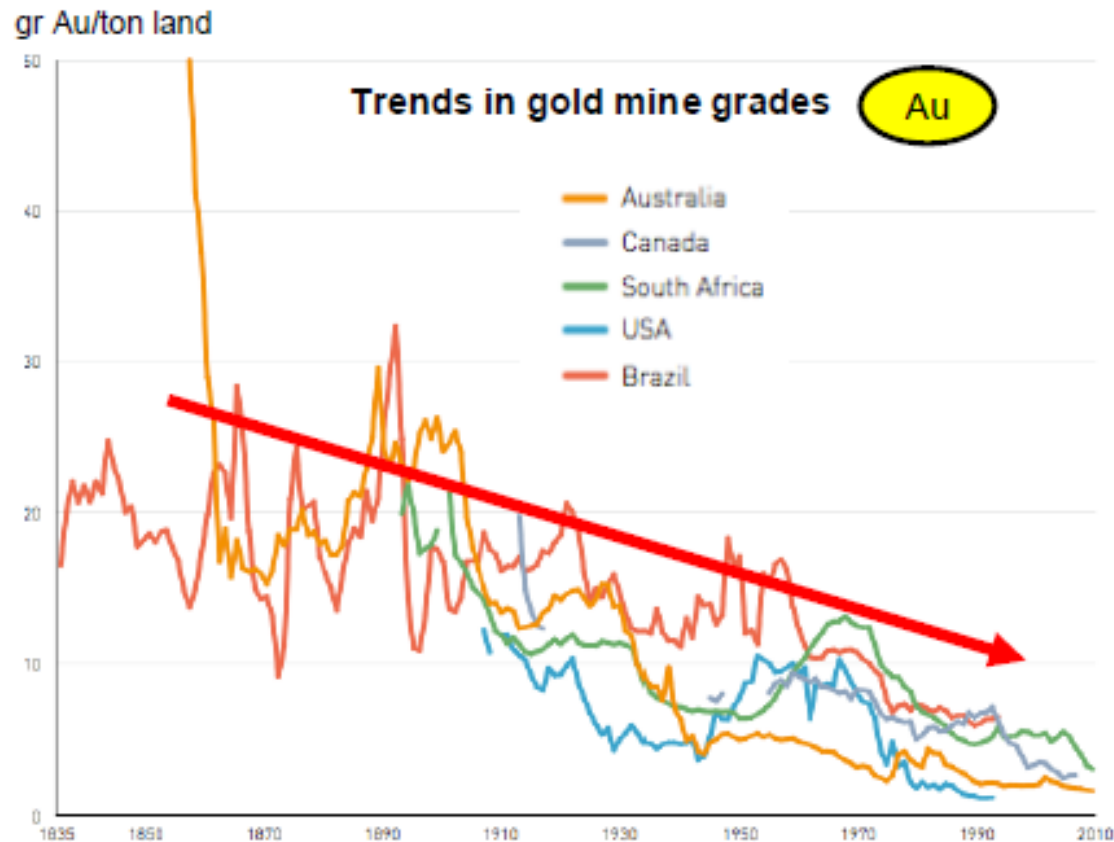
# Increasing complexity of products

(UNEP, IPR report metal recycling 2013, p.53 & Kari Heiskanen, Tieteen päivät 2012)



# Why material efficiency makes sense?

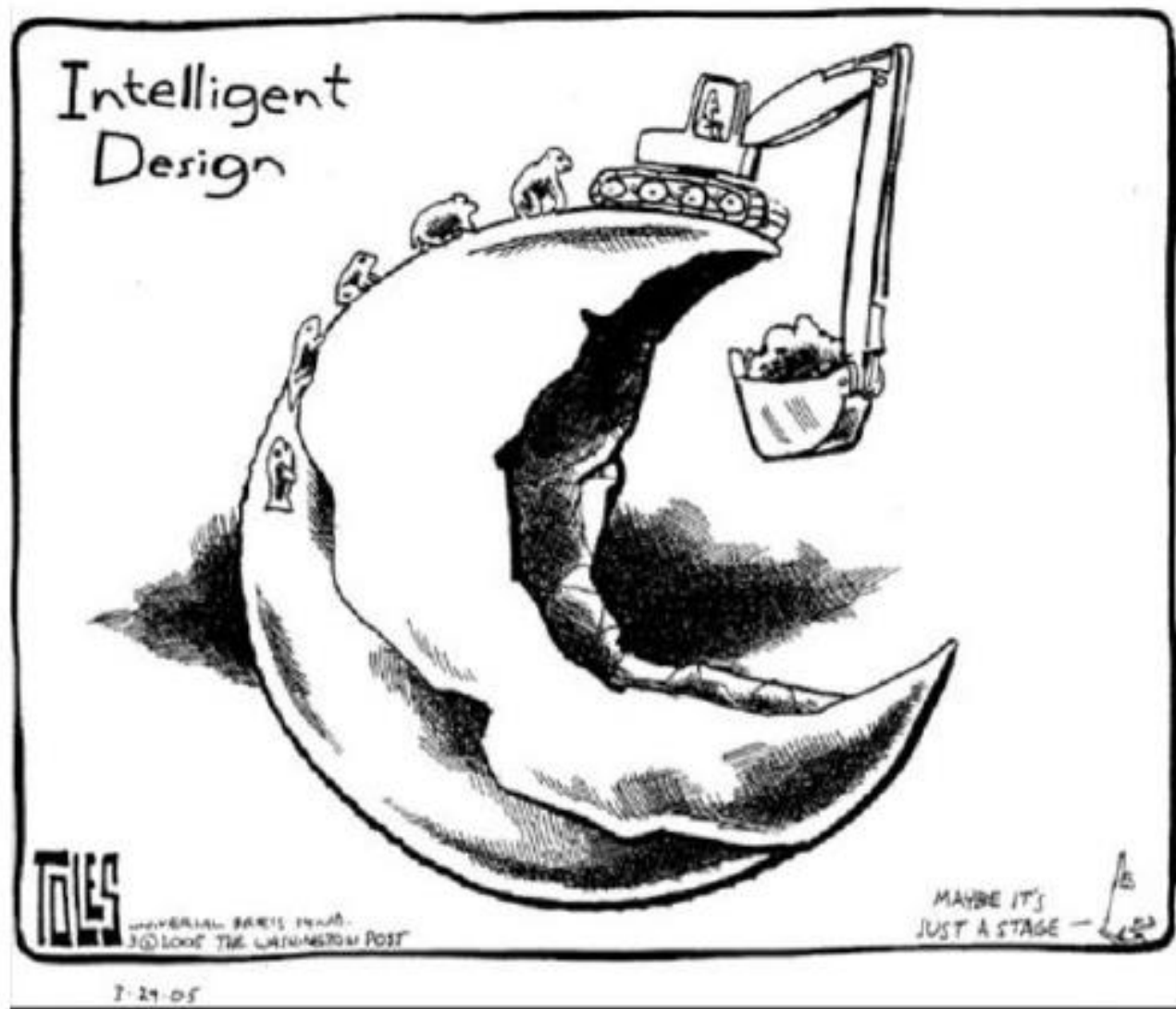
(Sources: UNEP, International Resources Panel, 2013, "Metal recycling report", p. 44 & 2011 "Decoupling material resource use and environmental impacts from economic growth", p. xiv)



# Resource decoupling:

Means reducing the rate of resource use per unit of economic activity.

This 'dematerialization' is based on using less material, energy, water and land resources for the same economic output.



# What is this pic about?

## Resource scarcity

+ Stocks

+ Degradation

*Tom Toles, cartoonist*

# Report 02: Material list traffic light



## Task 02 – 4%

Due: 01 October

## Choosing materials – CES Edupack.

- Run a comparison of materials using CES Edupack.
- Choose one material to be replaced and improve the material efficiency of the product with a more sustainable alternative.
- Demonstrate and present your reports in a 3 slide presentation (max)
- Add your results to the BoM report (5 pages maximum of extra material).

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# Tasks summary



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01 Eco Design	1	Questions for Aalto and TEC course leaders.	30 August	Submit questions in Aalto Open Learning platform.	1 extra
	2	Mind map poster.	03 September	Poster for Innovaction.	2.5
	3	Eco design brief for Aalto Finland.	10 September	Report for Aalto mirror team on eco design guidelines in Mexico and USA. Submit meeting minute to Course Leaders.	2.5
	4	Eco design brief for Aalto Finland / Meeting.	21 September	Presentation in class. Max 2 slide/5 min on eco design guidance for team's product.	2.5
	5	Briefing for BigCo CEO on the sustainability guidance in Europe and Mexico.	01 October	Executive presentation Max 5 slides.	2.5
	06	Teamwork co-evaluation	01 October	Co-evaluation on teamwork	5

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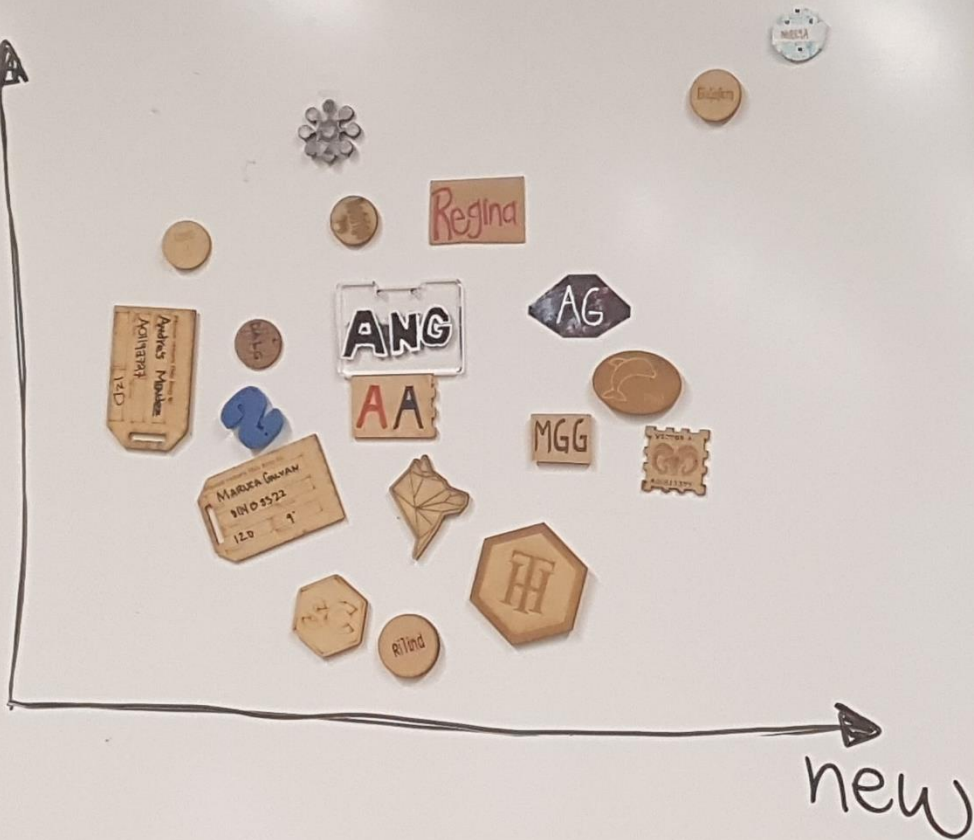


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02 Material list Traffic light	1	Bill of materials (BoM)	17 September	Submit BoM report	4
	2	Choosing materials – CES Edupack	24 September	Presentation on findings. Report addition.	4
	3	Teamwork co-evaluation	01 October	Co-evaluation on teamwork	2

# Whiteboard question.

I have learned something..

Valuable



# How long does it take to paint the Golden Gate bridge?





# Leeds, UK Rusty building



6 Easy steps to be  
sustainable.

# Use the stairs



**Burn Calories,  
Not Electricity**



**Take the stairs!**

Skip the elevator and escalator. Walking up stairs just 2 minutes per day helps prevent weight gain. And it helps the environment by saving electricity!

This graphic inspired by nyc.gov © 2012 HealthFitnessExperts.com

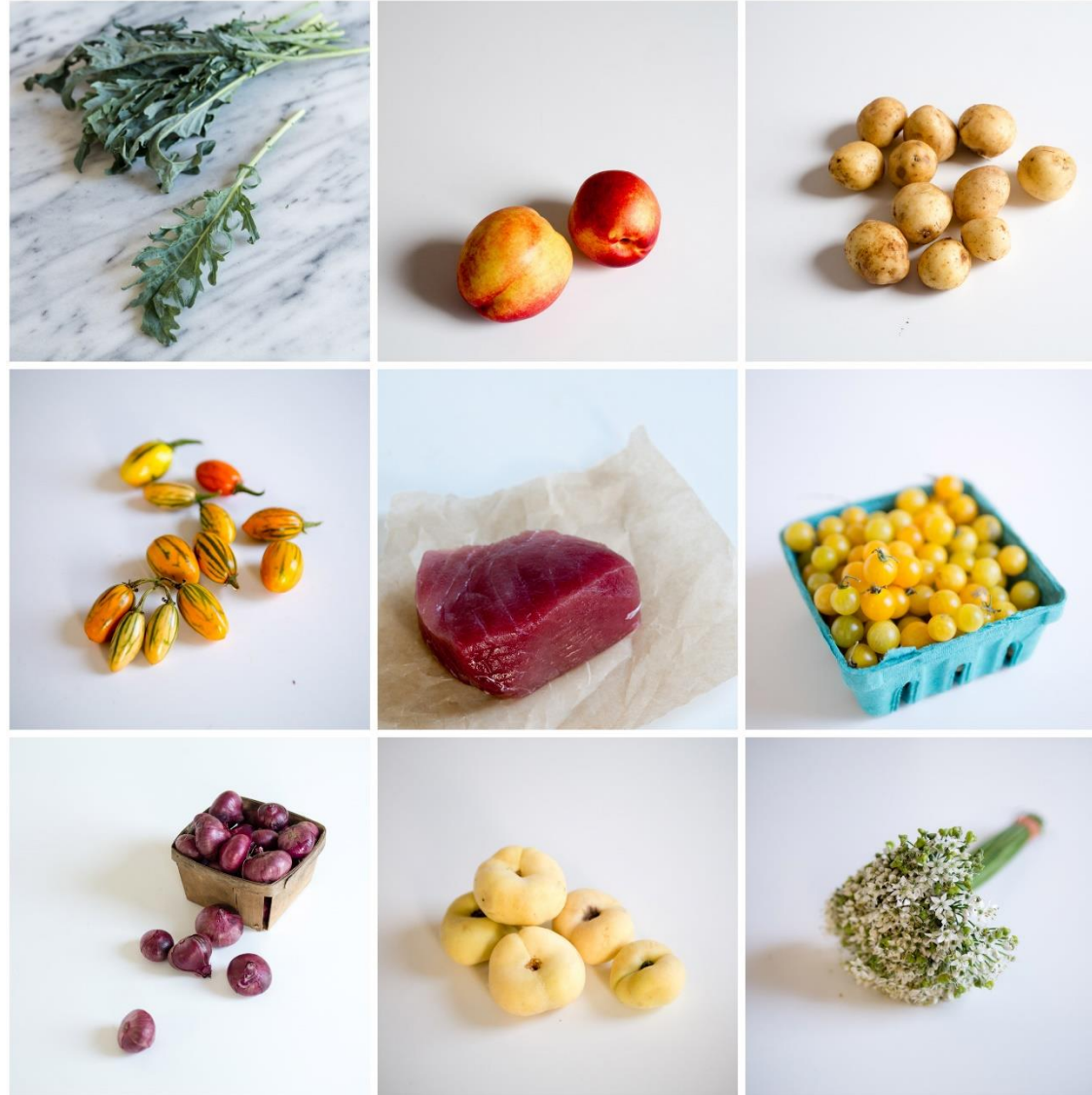
# Use near due date products



# Buy ugly vegetables



# Buy season produce





# Consume local



# Bring your bag



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<b>Participation in the team's assignments.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Does own share and support others' in their work.</li> <li>•Participates actively in sharing the work evenly and efficiently.</li> <li>•Builds up the positive working atmosphere</li> <li>•Presents own ideas.</li> <li>•Builds on others' ideas.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Doesn't accomplish tasks. Others need to do his/her share.</li> <li>•Lowers the motivation in team.</li> <li>•Doesn't bring in own ideas and strongly criticizes others' ideas.</li> </ul>
<b>Communication.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Communicates proceedings, challenges, information and own whereabouts in a way which helps others in their work.</li> <li>•Corrective feedback is constructive and he/she gives positive feedback on other members.</li> <li>•Takes the given feedback into account</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Doesn't communicate.</li> <li>•Doesn't give feedback when needed.</li> <li>•Neglects the given feedback</li> </ul>
<b>Time management.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Work proceeds independently in the schedule given.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Assignments are not returned</li> </ul>

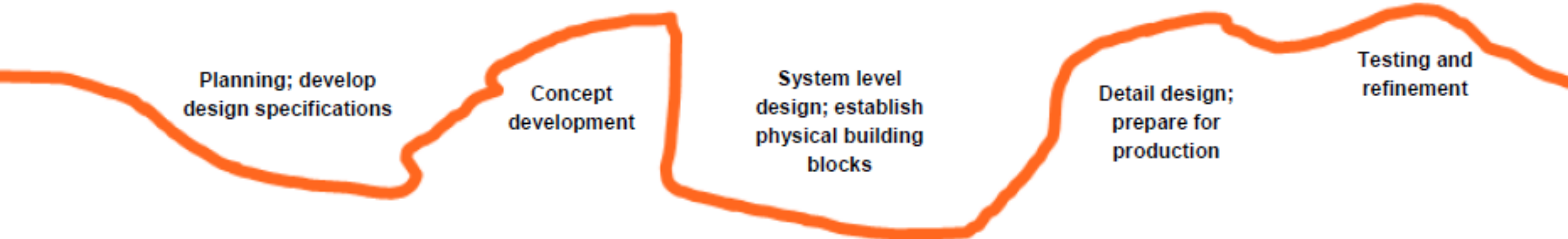
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Planning; develop  
design specifications

Concept  
development

System level  
design; establish  
physical building  
blocks

Detail design;  
prepare for  
production

Testing and  
refinement



# Course goals

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**knowledge** on product life cycle impacts, on material choosing, material efficiency and on guidance towards sustainability.

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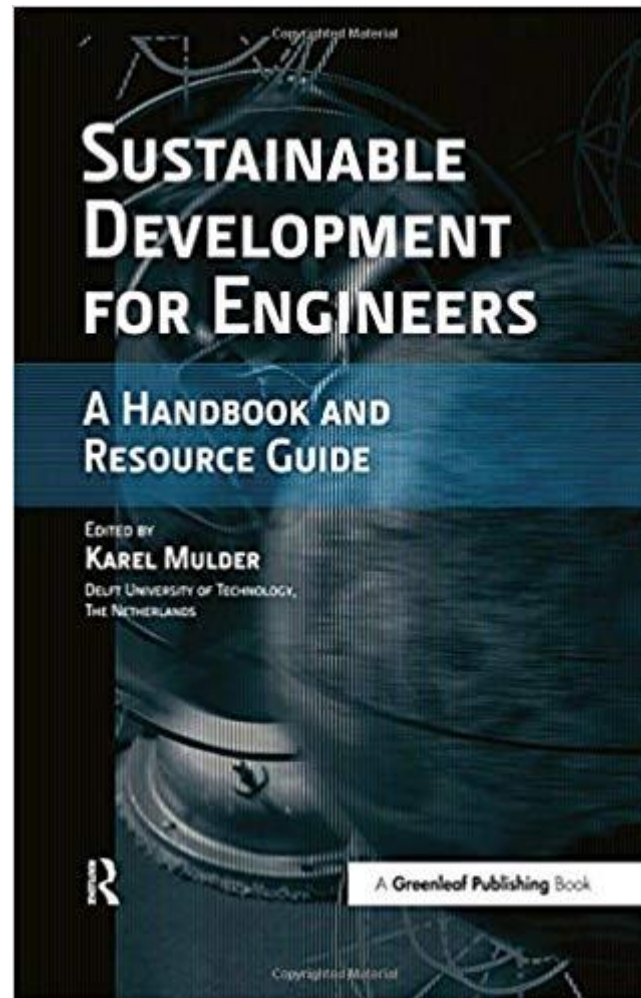
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Fact based orientation in sustainability.

*Responsible **attitude** towards own choices as a product developer and as a consumer.*

# Recommended lectures





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