

A grayscale photograph of an industrial facility, likely a power plant or refinery, featuring large metal structures, pipes, and walkways. The image is used as a background for the text.

Value Based Maintenance An Optimized Approach

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Agenda

- Embracing Cultural Shift
- Maintenance Optimization
- VBM Implementation Process
- How is VBM Different?
- Jacob's Value Added Attributes
- VBM Program Overview
- Project Results
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Embracing a **Cultural Shift**

- A desired culture that uses cost-effective maintenance strategies to advance safety and reliability. Senior facility leaders must drive the necessary behavioral changes to support the shift from a culture of low to zero-tolerance for equipment failures to a value-based maintenance culture that is appropriately tolerant for low-consequence failures.
- A value proposition (vision of excellence) where overall costs are reduced through establishing an appropriate balance between the maintenance performed on facility equipment and its impact to facility safety and reliability.
- Ref: NEI EP 17-03b

Maintenance **Optimization**

Maintenance Strategies

**Corrective
Maintenance
(CM)**

**Reactive:
Fix when
broken**

**Preventive
Maintenance
(PM)**

**Time or
Interval Directed
Maintenance
(e.g. vendor
recommendations)**

**Predictive
Maintenance
(PdM)**

**Equipment
Condition
Directed
Maintenance**

**Pro-Active
Maintenance
(PAM)**

**Reduction/
Elimination of
Maintenance
Burden Based on
Eliminating Root
Cause**

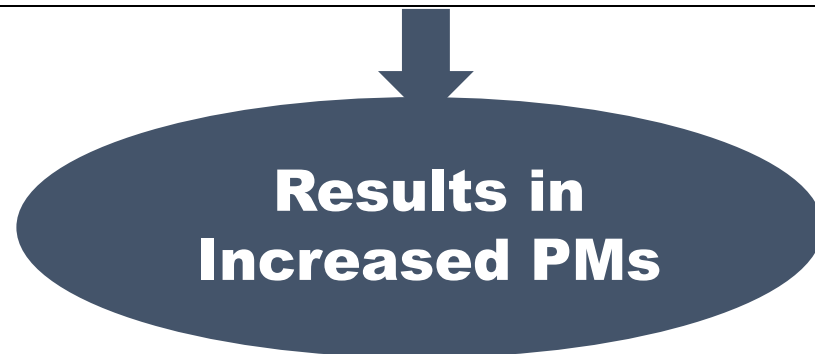
Maintenance **Optimization**

The **investment balance** of the
four maintenance strategies

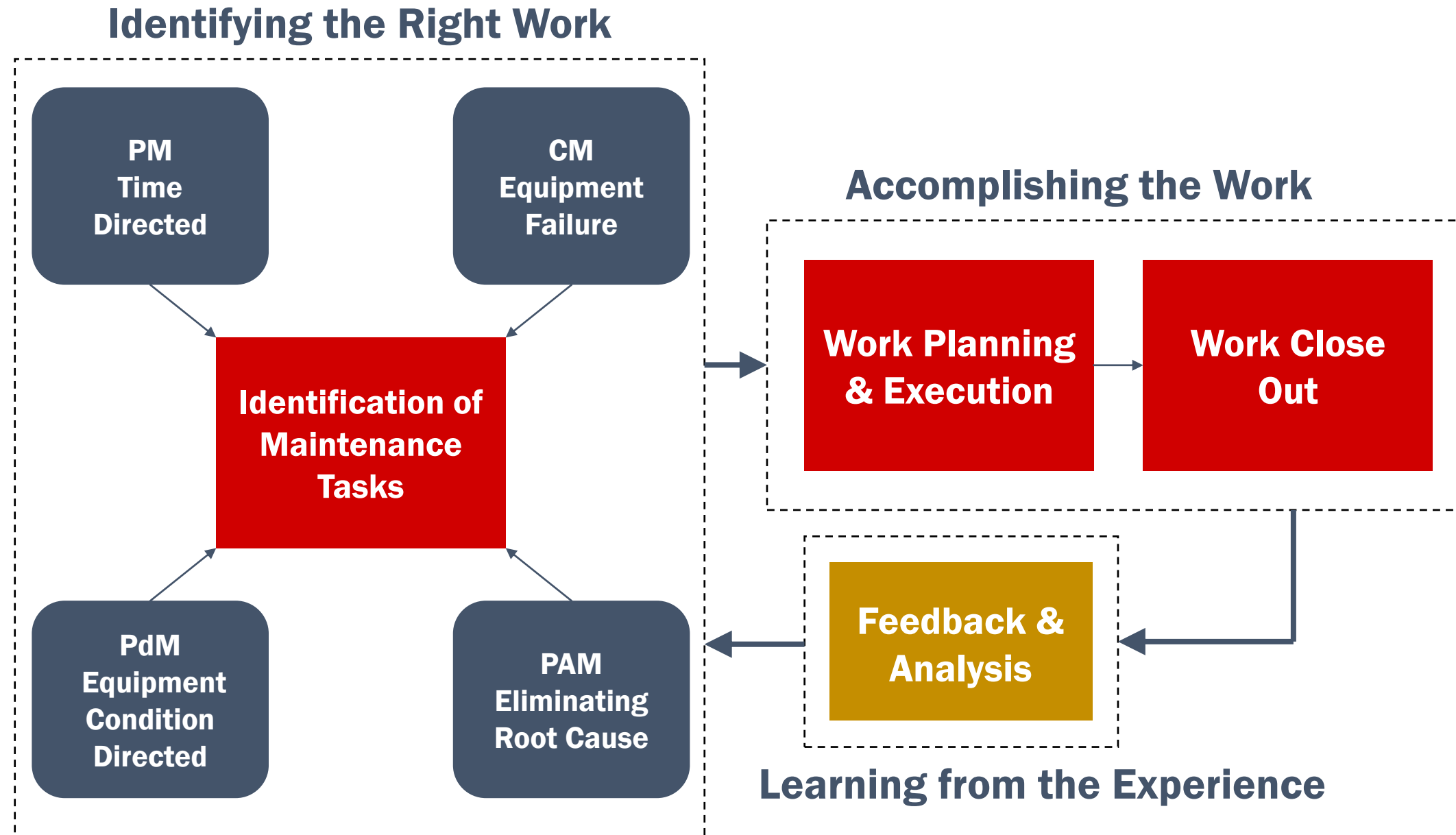
Integrates all **financial, process, maintenance and diagnostic data** into the decision-making process

Maintenance **Optimization**

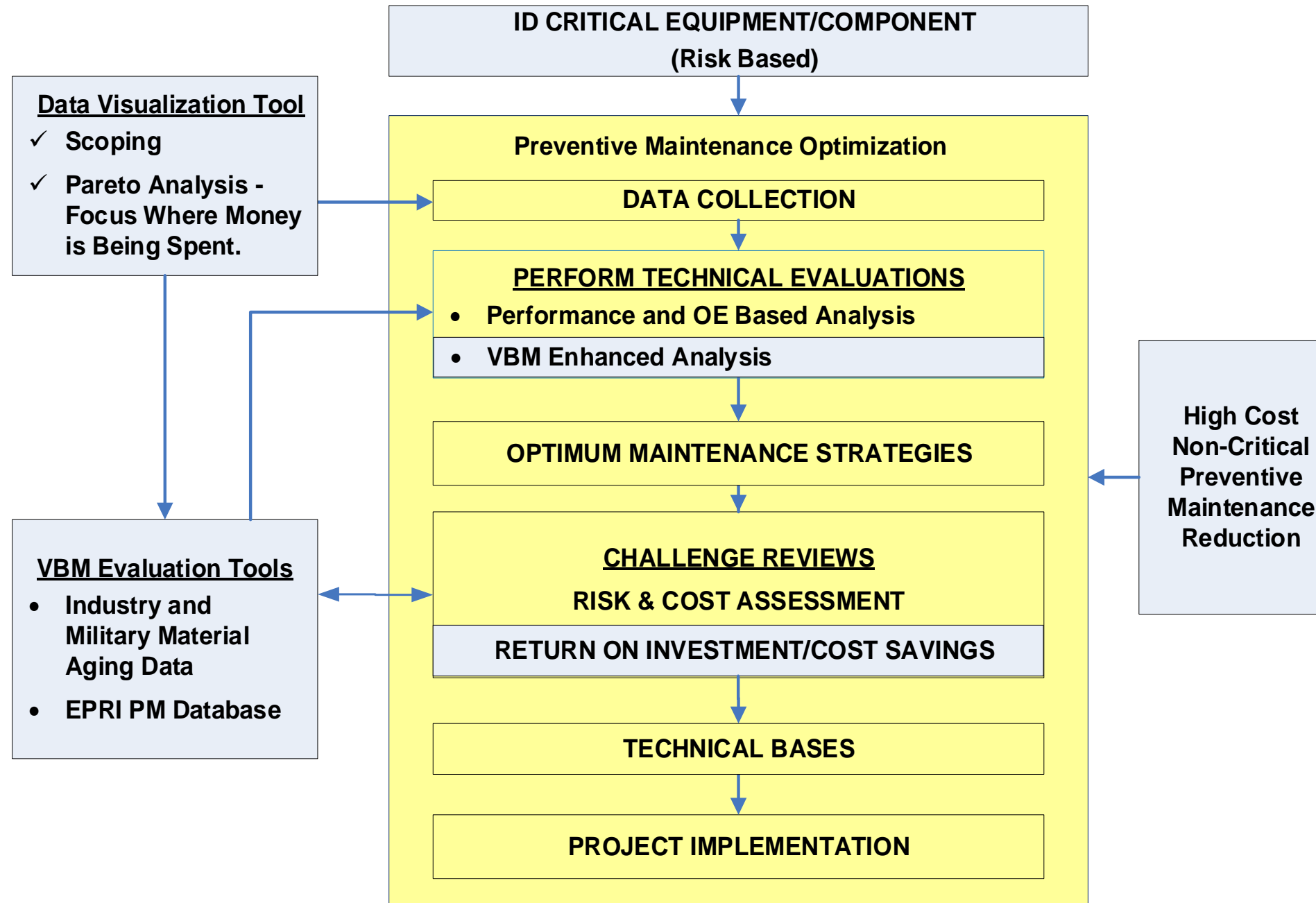
INDUSTRY TEMPLATE APPROACH	JACOB'S TARGETED ANALYTICAL APPROACH
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Well Defined PM Tasks Based on Experience and Qualified Resource• Good Starting Point• Subjective Application• Limited Functional and/or Aging Analysis• Evaluations Generic in Nature• Not Manufacturer/Model Specific• Non-Risk Based	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Risk Based Approach• Plant Specific Equipment Evals (i.e. functional & environmental)• Equipment Aging and Material Analyses Using Existing Aging, Material, and Diagnostic Test Data• Manufacturer/Model Specific Group Evaluations (Economies of Scale)• Produces technically robust and better results



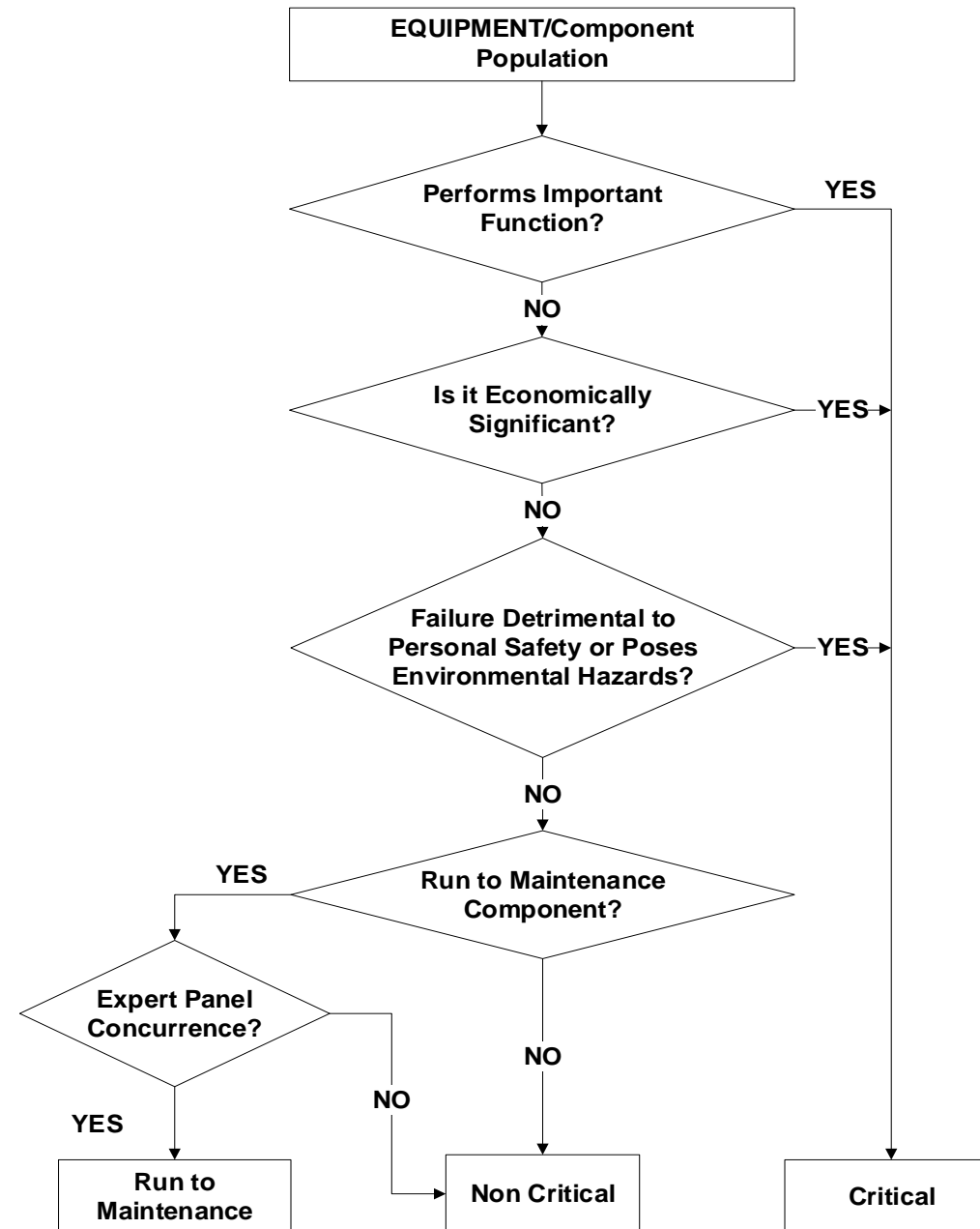
Maintenance **Optimization**



VBM Implementation



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Issue

There are a large number of high cost, high frequency, resource-intensive PMs performed on non-critical equipment (or component groups) without a return value in equipment reliability.

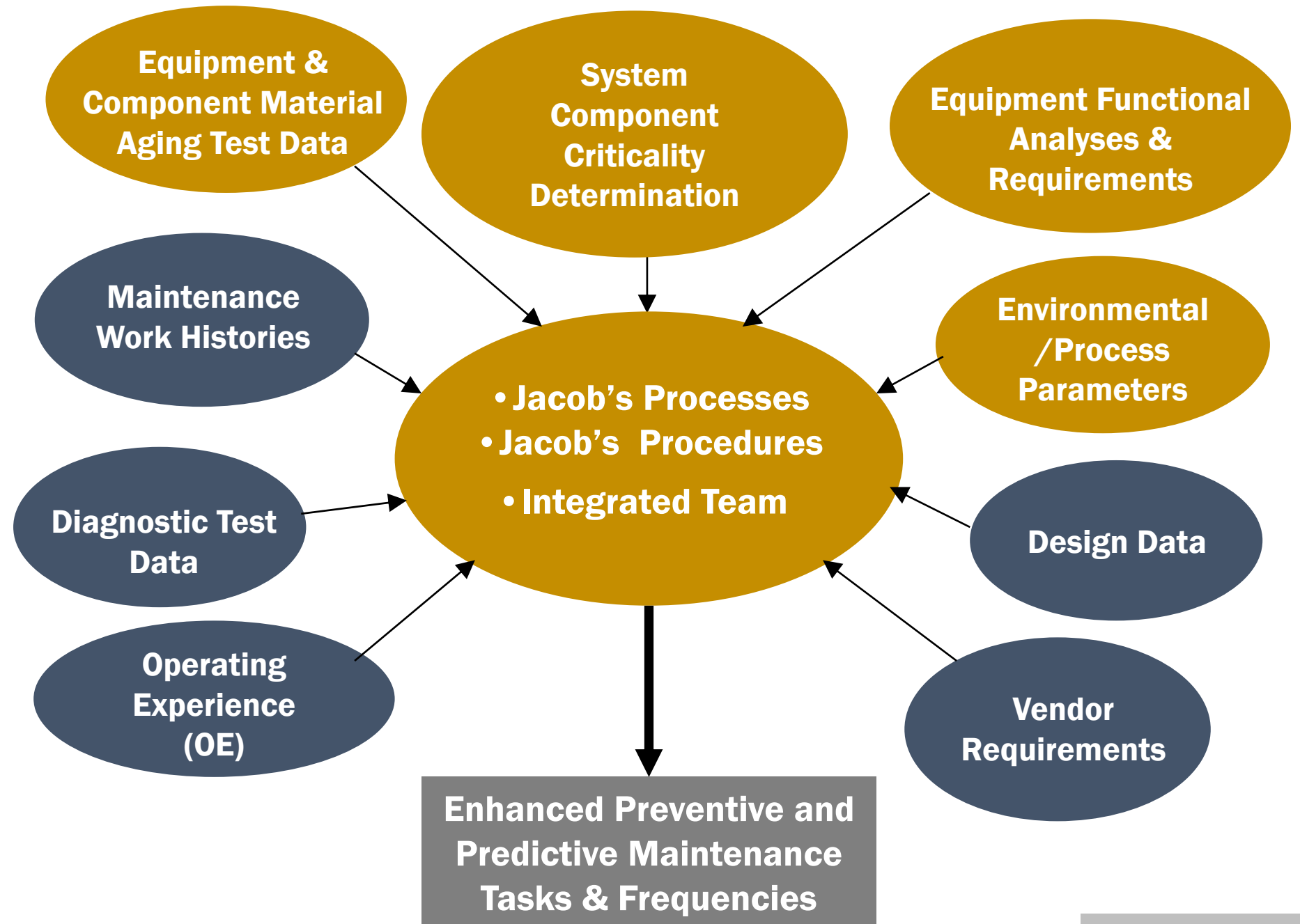
Efficiency Improvement Opportunity

Identifying highest cost, non-critical PMs, and then evaluating for value-based PM task and frequency optimization.

How is VBM **Different?**

- Risk based equipment criticality determination
- Facility specific equipment evaluations (i.e. functional, environmental, and alternative material analyses)
- Wearable/degradable parts (e.g. seals, plastics, diaphragms) sensitive to temperature effects over time
- Leveraging existing facility specific/industry component aging, material, and diagnostic test data
- PM intervals can be more precisely established (i.e. extended) with engineering technical evaluations
- Reduces/eliminates unnecessary intrusive maintenance
- Documented technical bases

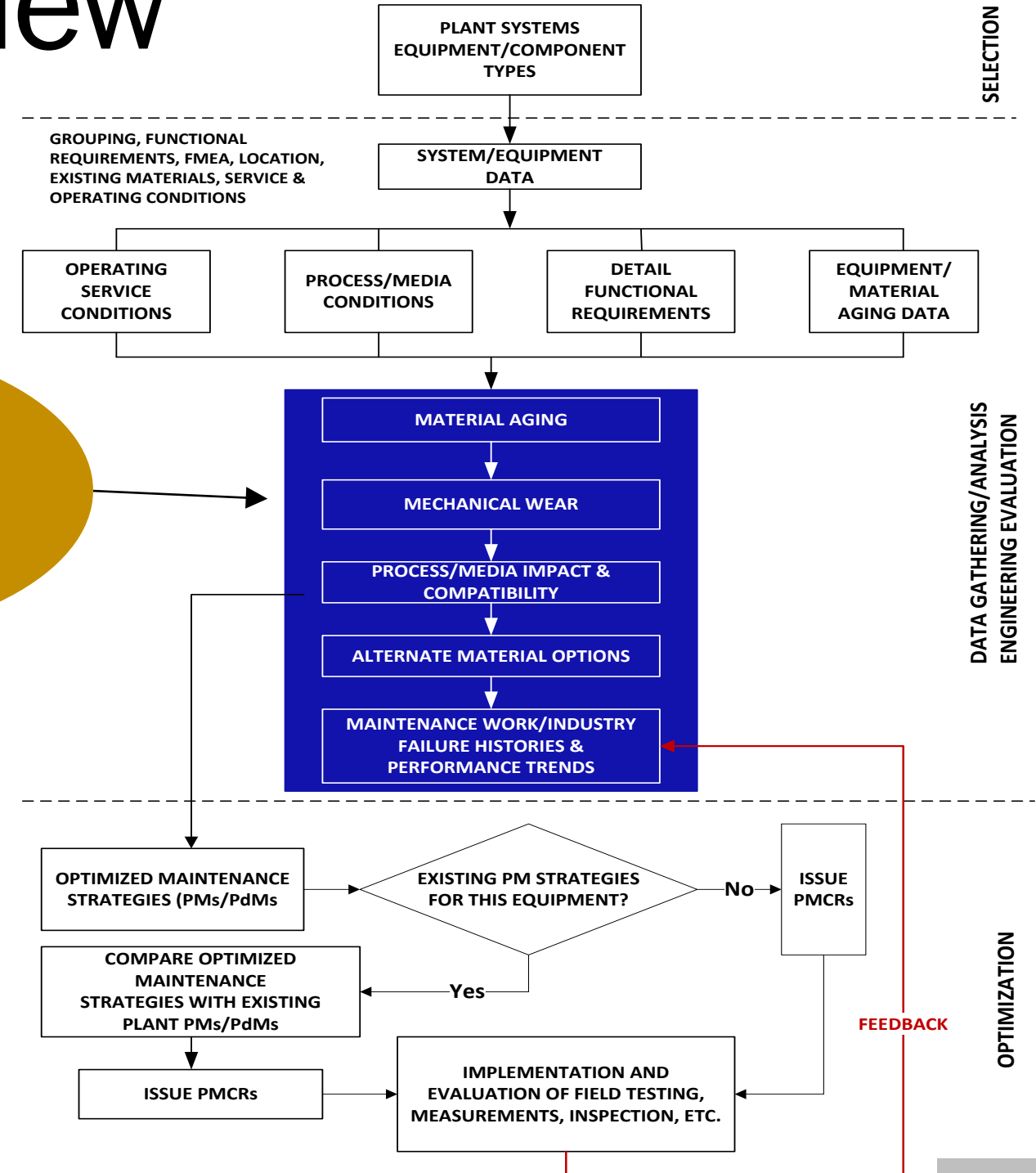
VBM Attributes



Typical Industry Activities
VBM Added Value

VBM Program Overview

Enhanced Analysis



Project **Results**

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

No	PROJECTS	INVESTMENT	PAYBACK	SAVINGS *
1A	Pilot Pneumatic Operated Valves (Project Scope: 22)	\$67,200	< 12 Months	> \$645,000
1B	Pneumatic Operated Valves (Project Scope: 650)	\$280,000	< 12 Months	> \$9,000,000
2	Control Relays (Project Scope: 393)	\$83,000	< 21 Months	> \$1,000,000
3	Diaphragm Valves (Project Scope: 59)	\$60,000	< 12 Months	> \$1,200,000

Project **Results**

Pneumatic Operated Valves

Project Scope

- ✓ Risk Informed Categorization
- ✓ Phase 1: Pilot Project Outage Valves for 22 AOVs
- ✓ Phase 2: Awarded Full Scope for 650 AOVs

Value to Client

- For pilot project, reduced outage maintenance burden by 60% for AOVs
- Provided Sound Engineering Technical Bases
- Improved Equipment Reliability by Addressing Aging and Minimized Unnecessary Maintenance/Rework
- Reduced Long-Term Maintenance Costs (~\$9.7M)
- Project Payback Within One Year

Note: EPRI templates were previously applied to the Valve Population.

Benefits

- Improved focus on critical equipment
- Reduction in outage scope and durations
- Reduced overall total maintenance costs
- Improved reliability and safety
- Quick payback on investments

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