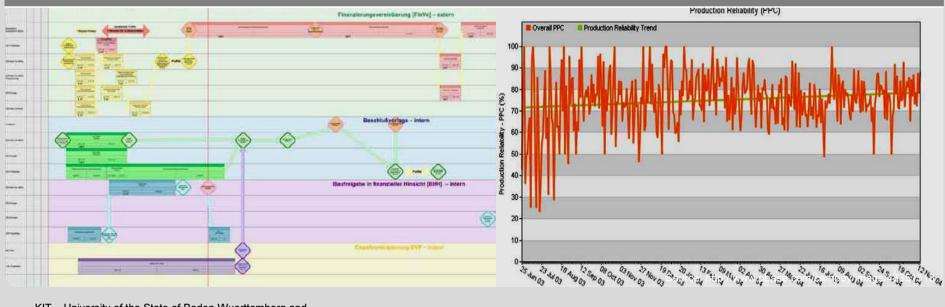


# IAEA Workshop Lean Management in Decommissioning of Nuclear Facilities

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# Agenda



#### Planning

- Last Planner System
  - Principles
  - Phases
- Lean Management in Decommissioning

# Planning



- What is planning?
  - Organizational process of creating a plan
  - Thought process
  - Forecasting = predicting what future will like to be
  - uncertainty

# Planning



- Defining project scope
- Duration for tasks
- Work breakdown structure (tree structure; breaks down work in manageable components in terms of duration, size, …)
- Logical dependencies
- Create network

## Last Planner System



- Invented while Lean Management was transferred to construction
- Kind of production system for construction

## **Last Planner System – Principles**



- Plan in greater detail as you get closer to doing work, because All plans are forecasts and all forecasts are wrong! The longer the forecast, the more wrong it is! The more detailed the forecast, the more wrong it is!
- Produce plans collaboratively with those who will do the work
- Reveal and remove constraints on planned tasks as a team
- Make reliable promises
- Learn from breakdown

## **Last Planner System – Principles**



- Conversation centered:
  - The right people
  - talk about the right thing
  - at the right level of detail
  - at the right time
- Planning in the sense of:
  - Learning,
  - Organizing and
  - Promising

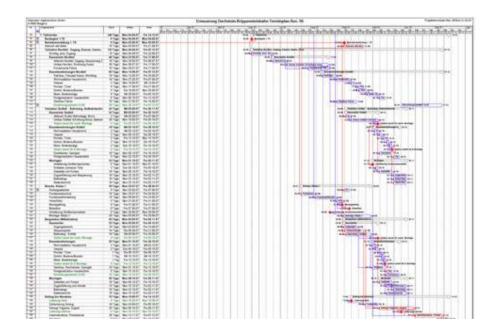
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	Master Scheduling	Set milestones, Set strategy							
Should	Phase Planning	Specify handoffs, identify operational conflicts							
Can	Lookahead Planning	Make work ready							
Will	Weekly Work Planning	promise							
Did	Learning	Measure PPC & act on reasons for failure to keep promise							
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- Master Scheduling
  - Basis for further planning
  - Indentifies milestones



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- Phase Planning
  - Identify deliverables by phase
  - Break down project level activities into phase activities
  - Responsibility
  - Identify activity resources and information required of others
  - Perform reverse phase scheduling







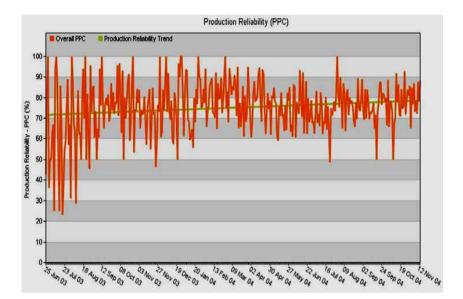
#### Look ahead Planning

- Select items
- Identify task responsibility
- Describe steps as necessary
- Identify constraints to complete each task
- Review phases schedule and identify constraints

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- Weekly Work Planning
  - Review previous weeks work plan
  - Review look ahead
  - Prepare next weeks weekly work plan
  - Identify workable backlog
  - Identify constraints
  - Review PPC and conduct 5 Why's



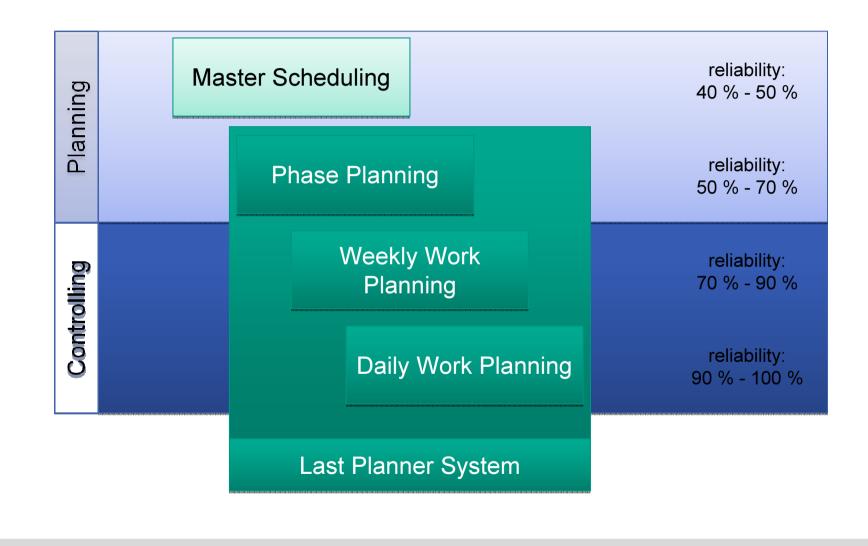
# **Quality Characteristics of Weekly Work Plans**



- Definition
- Soundness
- Sequence
- Size
- Learning

## **Planning reliability**





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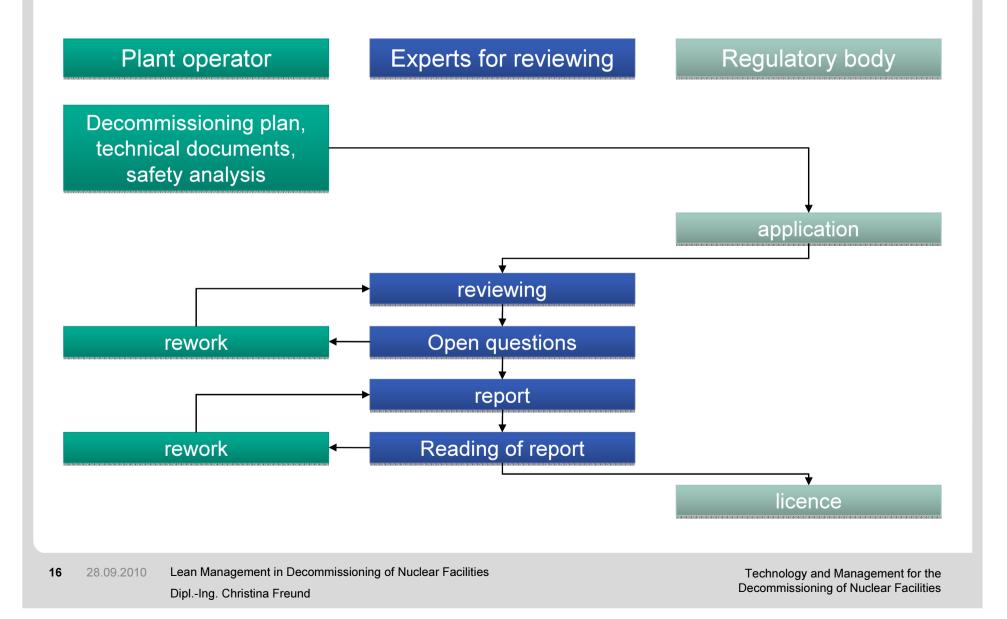
# **Key Points**



- Last Planner System...
  - ... creates a predictable workflow within and between workgroups
  - Allows decisions to be delayed to the last responsible moment

## Licencing process





## Why Lean Management



Coordination of various faculties, such as

- Radiation protection,
- Process engineering, ...
- Several rework iteration steps
- Create knowledge transfer

# **How implement Lean Management**



Periodic Last Planner Meetings including

- Operating staff
- Contractor

to

- create reliable promises,
- plan collaboratively
- decrease rework
- Earlier information of regulatory body and reviewing experts, about planning process



# Thank you, for your attention!

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