





# Infrastructure and innovation

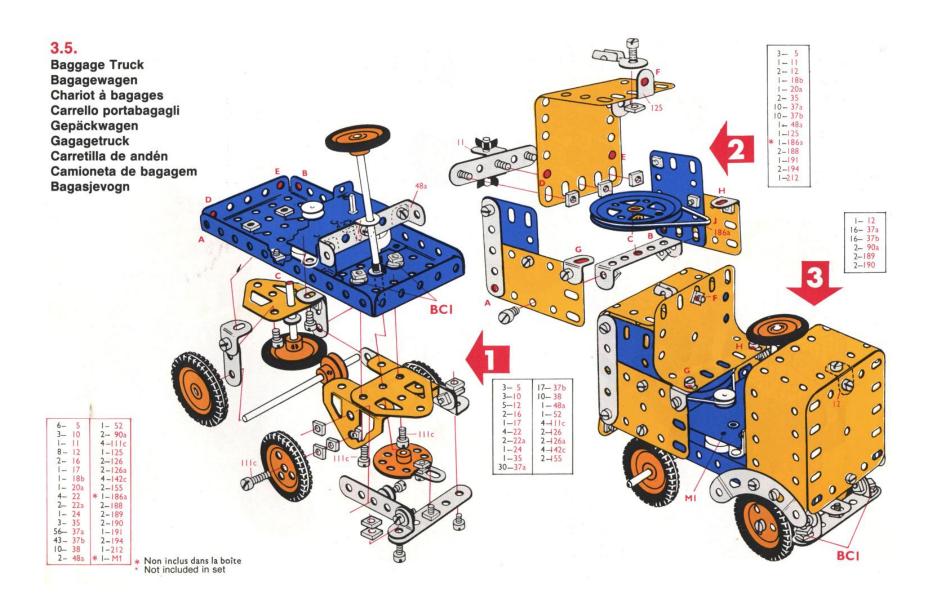
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**Technical Director** 

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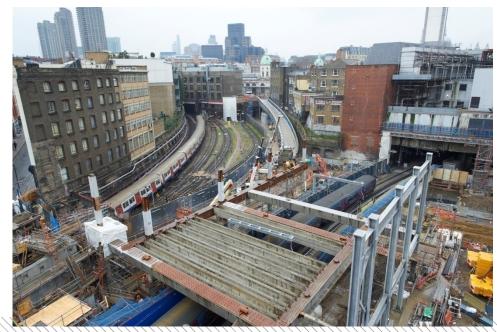
#### **Procurement**





#### \_\_\_ Determinable

Complex

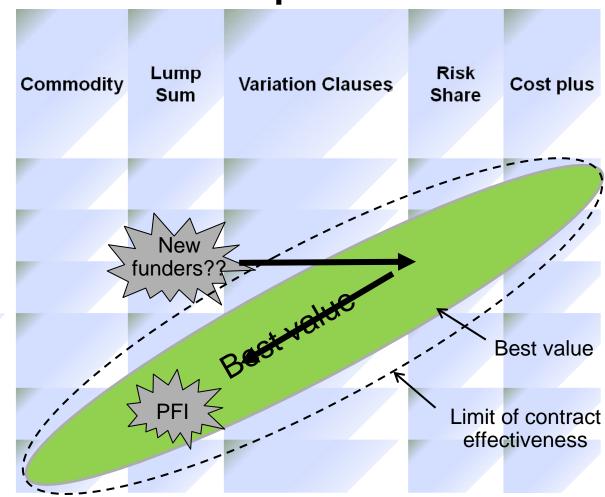


## How to allocate risks in construction contracts

**Martin Barnes** 



#### Form of procurement



**Project certainty** 

Potentially uncertain

Highly innovative

Complex projects

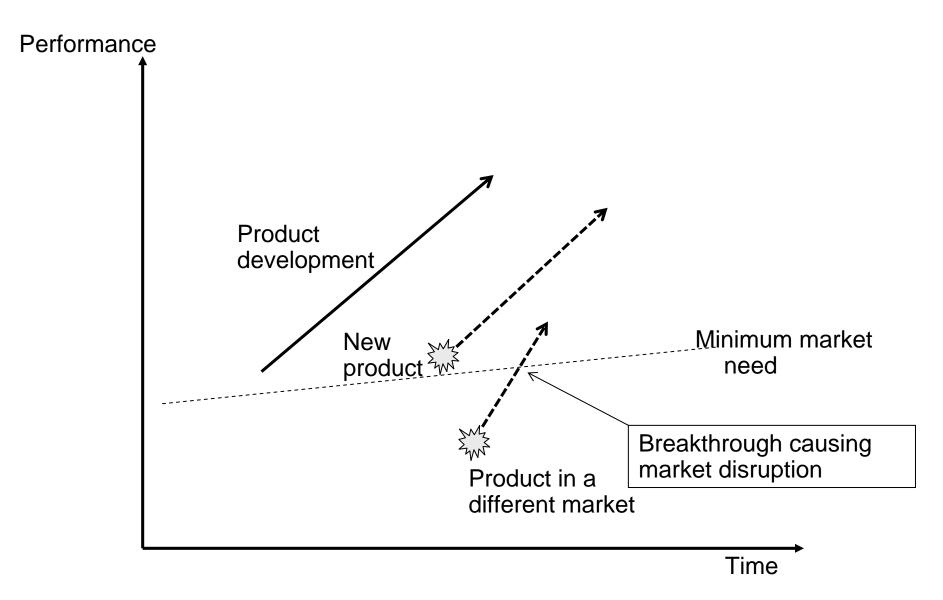
Straightforward civil engineering

Routine buildings

Supply item

Adapted from Gosling, J, Hewlett, B, Naim, M (2011) A framework for categorising engineer-to-order construction projects. *Association of Researchers in Construction Management (ARCOM)*,5th-7th September 2011, University of West England.

## Disruptive Innovation



Adapted from Clayton M Christensen: The Innovators Dilemma: When New Technologies Cause Great Firms to Fail Harvard Business School Press, 1997

## Eight19

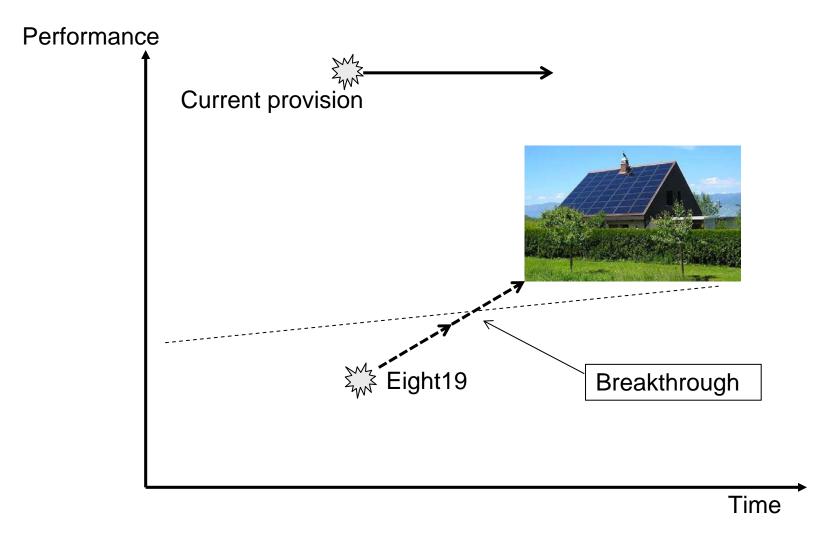


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#### UK domestic electricity supply



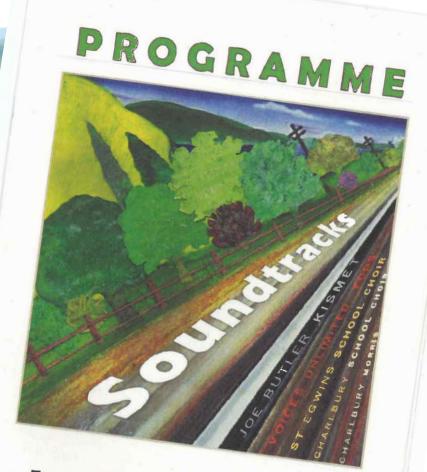
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Social Interaction we replace nimby-ism with eager engageme nt?









Friday 21st Oct Evesham Arts Centre Sat 22nd Oct St Mary's Church, Charlbury

#### **Conclusions**

- Core purpose, first principles
- Higher level of scientific understanding
- Social sciences as well as technical
- Understanding complex systems is a prerequisite
- We need stability overall, but also disruptive change
- Industry & academia to be closer
- Projects can be 'living laboratories'

### Thank you