



# Overview of Stakeholder Dialogue

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# Steve Robinson & Stakeholder Dialogue



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# Disagreement & Conflict



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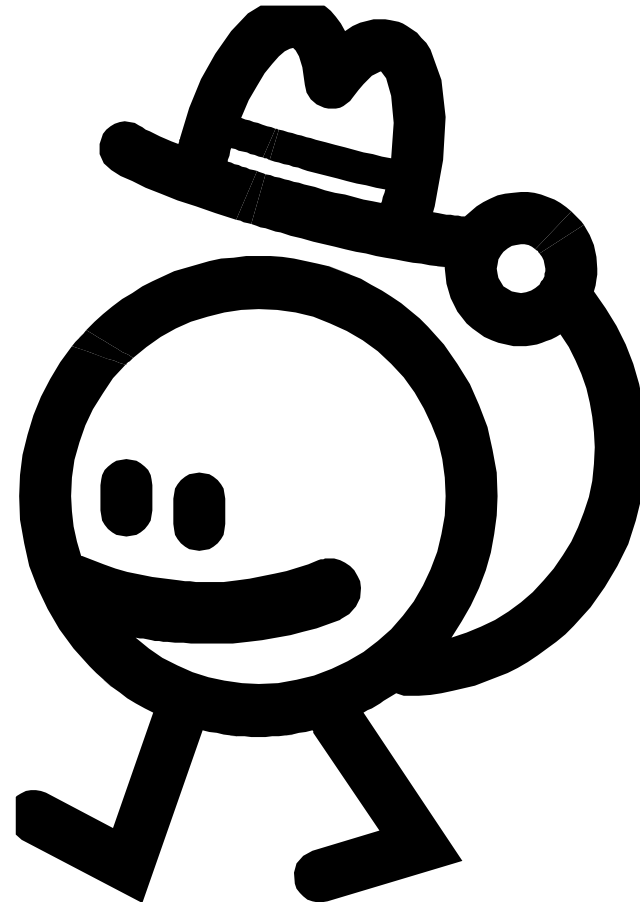
# Building Trust



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**RESPECT**



# Stakeholder Dialogue shows Respect



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Fielding competent & committed senior team

Empathising with and actively listening to Participants

Developing and using consensual statements

Showing confidence and allowing budget

Jointly agreeing Aims & Agendas and being flexible

Giving feedback on dialogue-informed decisions

# Relevance to Nuclear



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Situations complex & Trust may be low

Choices are difficult

Many Parties could be affected

Many Parties have a 'Stake'

Stated 'Positions' will differ

# Two approaches to difficult decisions



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## 1. Telling People



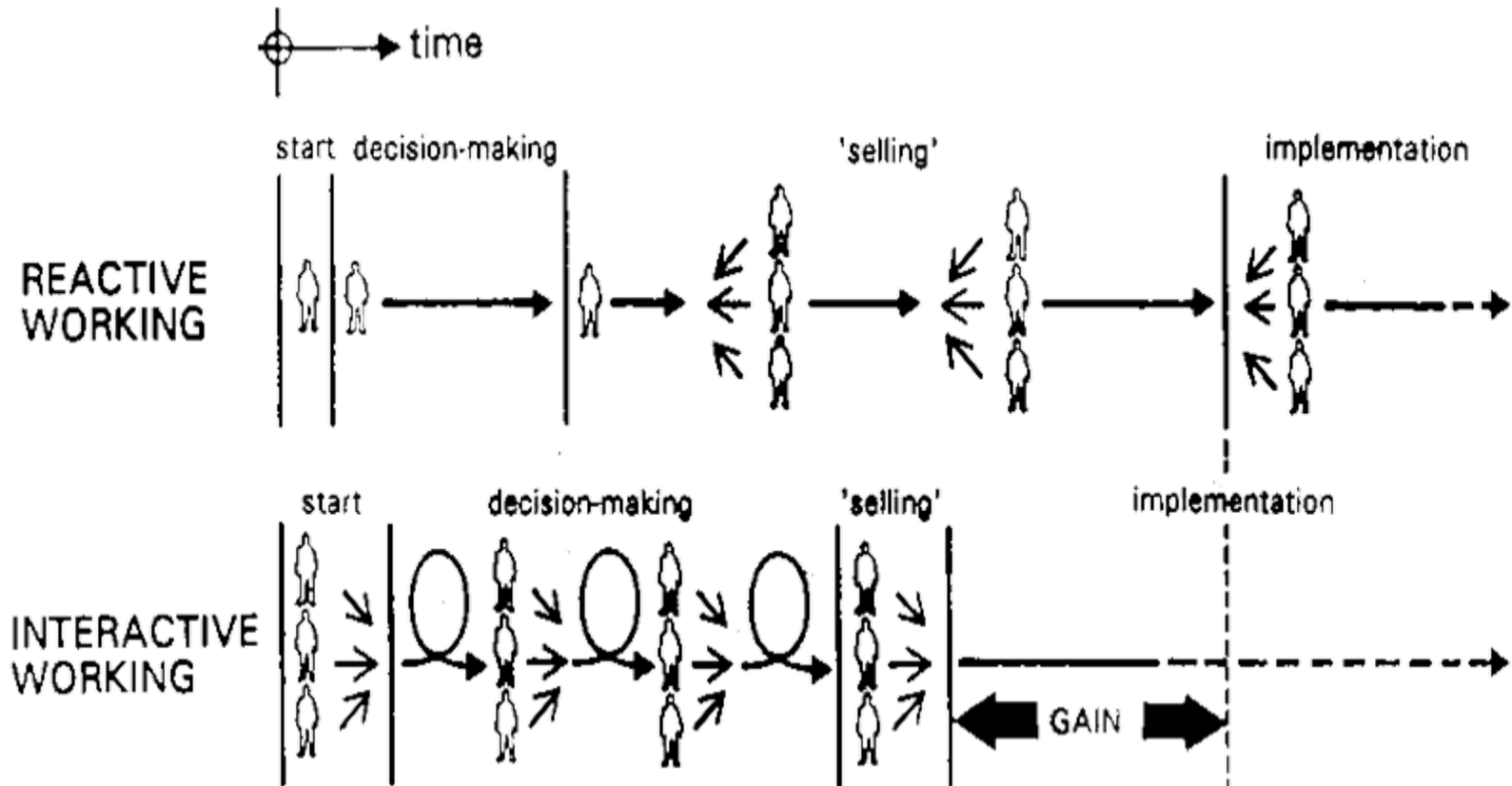
## 2. Involving People



# Involving has Benefits



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Source: Allen Hickling



# Benefits



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Confront the Issues not each other

Wider Understanding & TRUST

Retained Disagreements

Wider Ownership

More Informed Decisions

Reduced legal & other costs of conflict

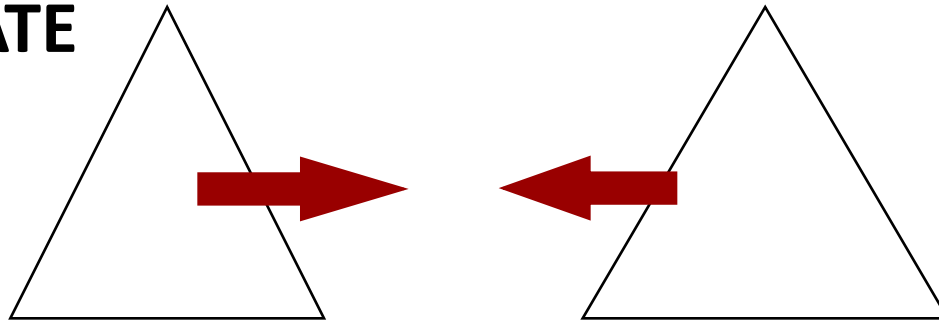
Less stress on key staff

# Dialogue Vs Debate

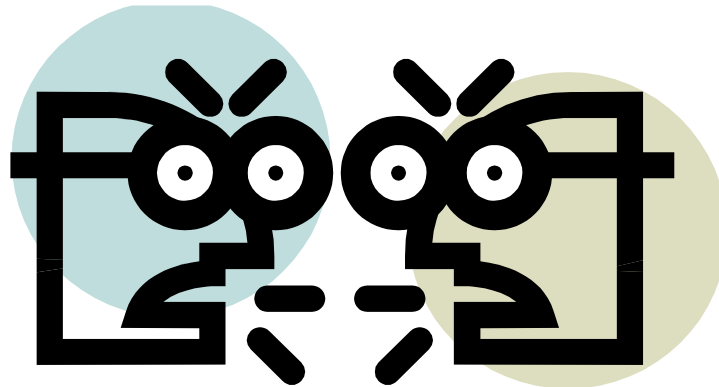


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**DEBATE**



Positions

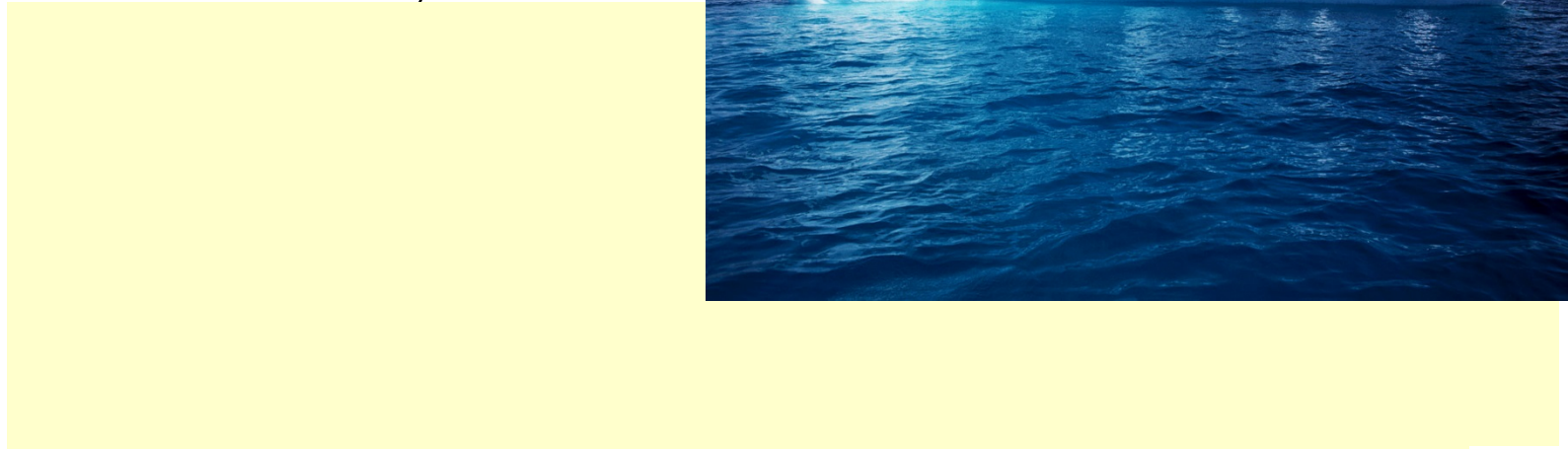
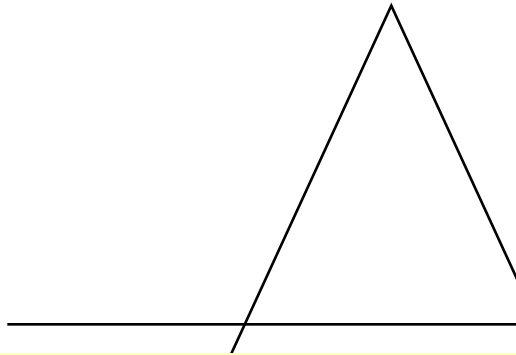


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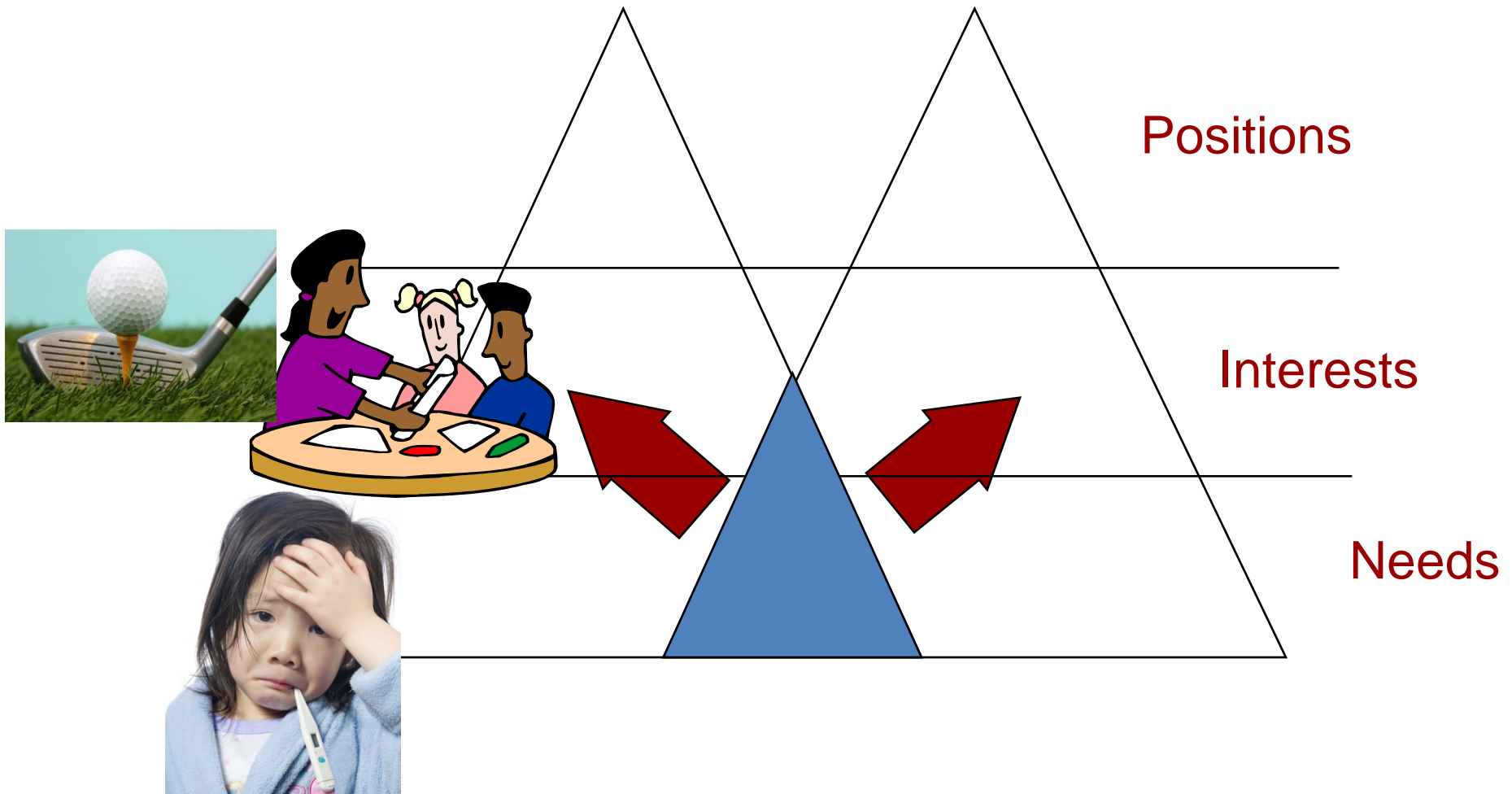
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# Build on Common Ground



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# Working together



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# Early Dialogue – Strategic Options



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## 6 Strategic Connection Options

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← Options  
3 & 4  
Preferred

# Sellafield Discharges



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- Discussed at great length in our stakeholder dialogues & learning is:
  1. There are many Marine Stakeholders including nearby countries
  2. Regulators can participate in discussions
  3. Short term higher discharges were tolerable if from the 'balancing benefit' of speeding up decommissioning or reducing hazard

# NDA & Bellona



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- I know this discussion is about tritium, but if we take radioactive discharges in general the example of the 'InfoArena' dialogue involving NDA, Sellafield Ltd from UK & Bellona and others from Norway is interesting



# Tritium

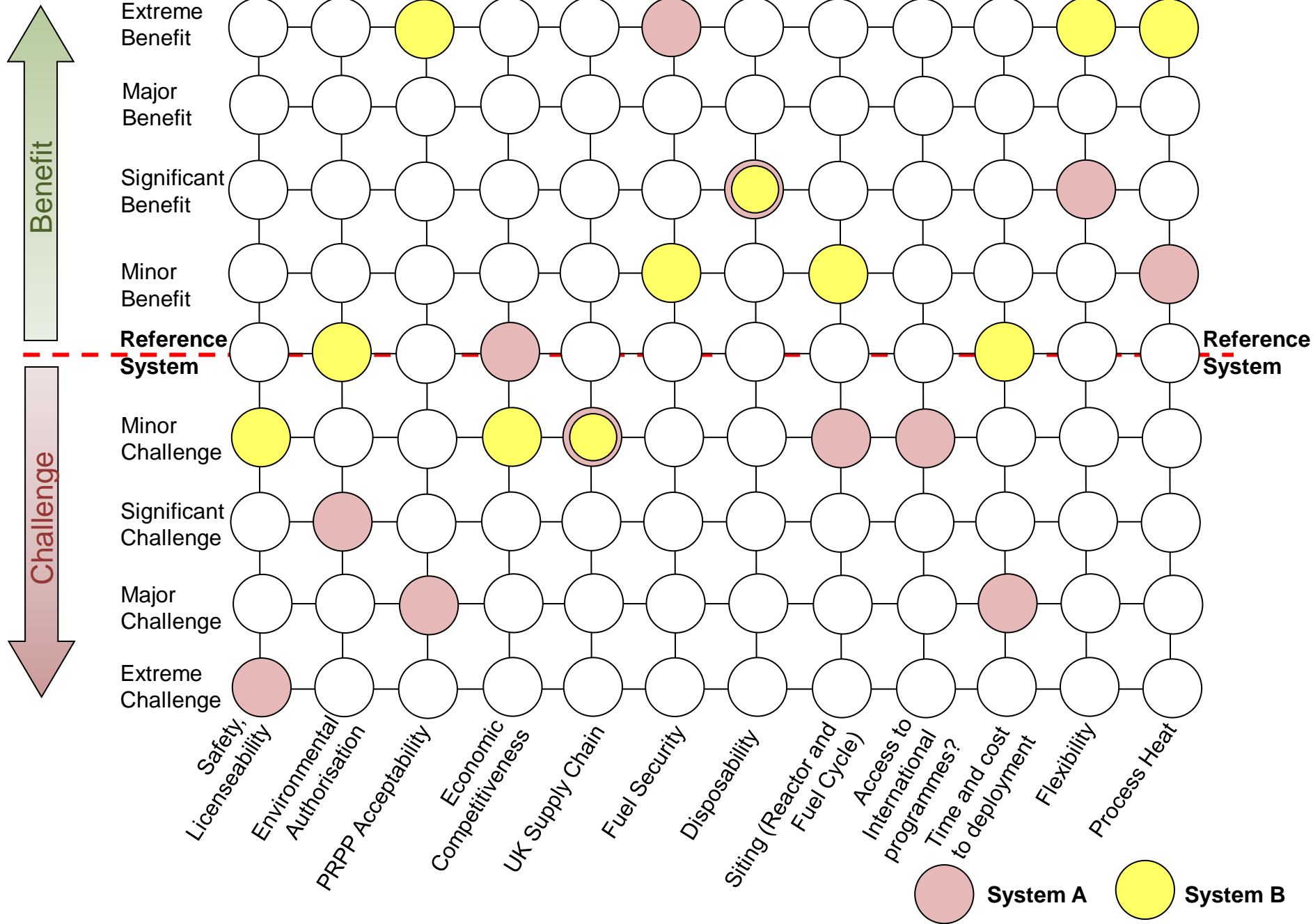


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- There are obviously many different options for dealing with this issue, and one of the challenges is to work out a suitable process to come to a conclusion.
- You may be interested in this system, which we have used in the UK to distinguish between reactor systems



# Strategic Attributes Versus Once-through LWR Reference System

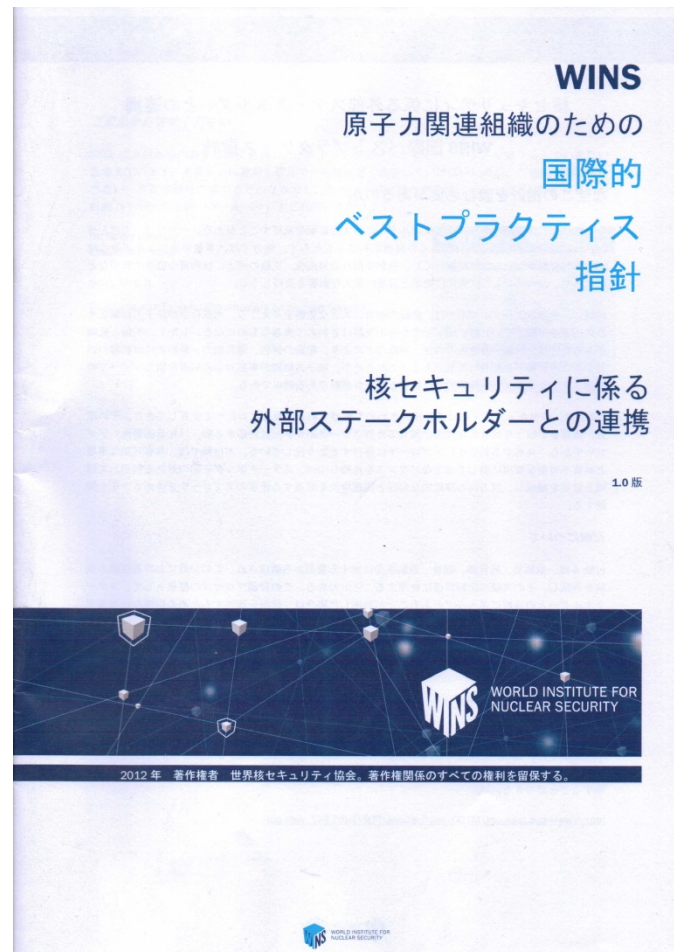


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