

Shifting Leadership Impact: A Key Lever in Culture Change

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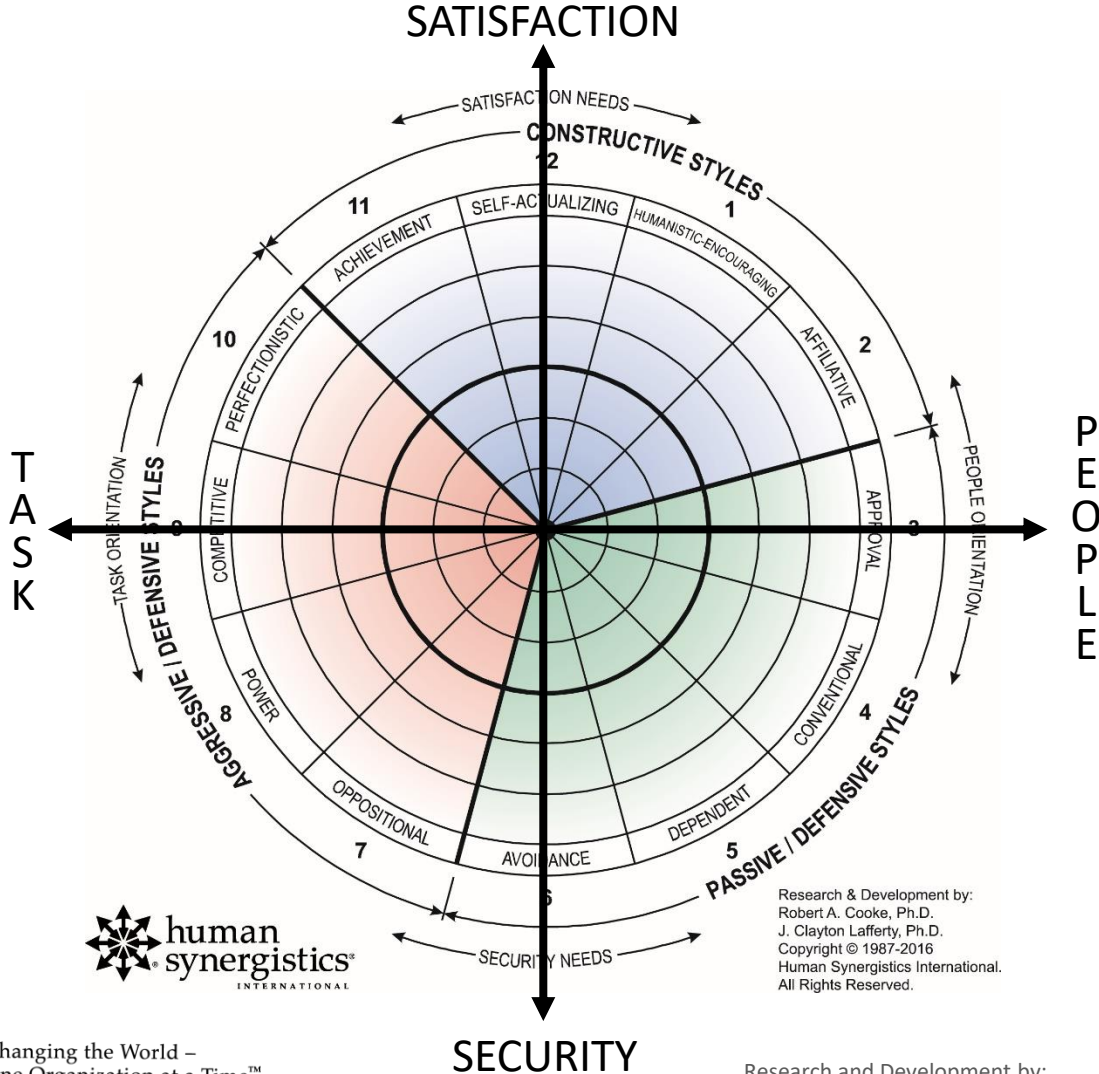
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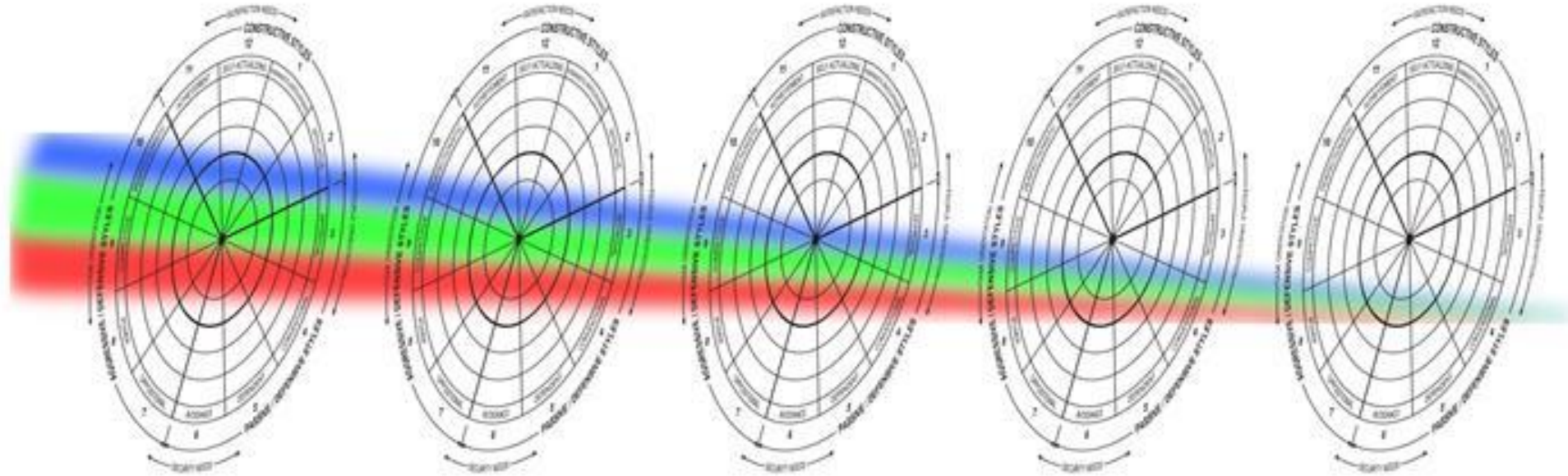
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Integrated Diagnostic System



ORGANIZATIONS

Organizational Culture
Inventory® (OCI®)

LEADERSHIP

Leadership/Impact® (L/I)

MANAGEMENT

Management/Impact® (M/I)

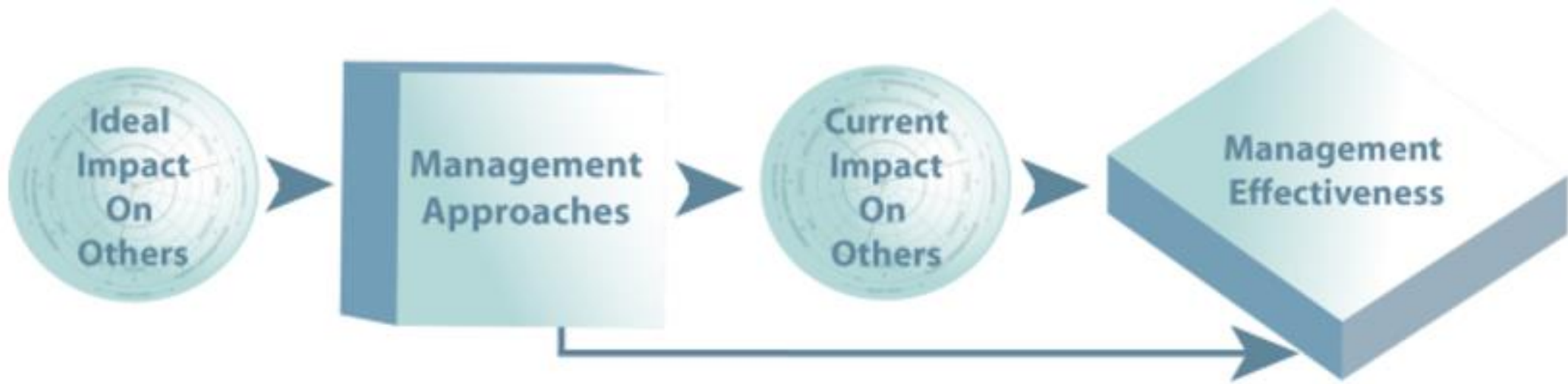
TEAMS

Group Styles
Inventory™ (GSI)

INDIVIDUALS

Life Styles
Inventory™ (LSI)

Management/Impact[®] (M/I)



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Say "effective"



Client Application

- 3000 Employees
- 1.2 million Customers
- Dispersed Workforce
- 100-Year-Old Strong Culture

Performance Challenges

- 3rd to 4th Quartile Performance
- Poor Safety Performance
- Passive Culture

Future Challenges

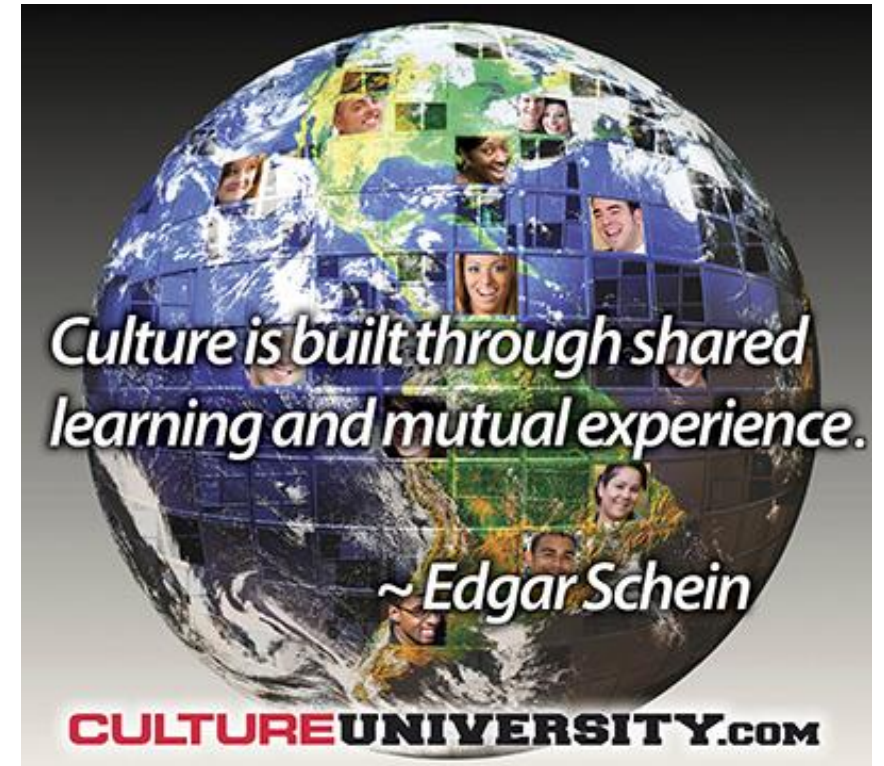
- Climate - Quadruple Capital Expenditure
- Digitization
- Distributed Generation
- Shift Culture



Amalgamation of several smaller companies
3 Distinct Sub-Cultures

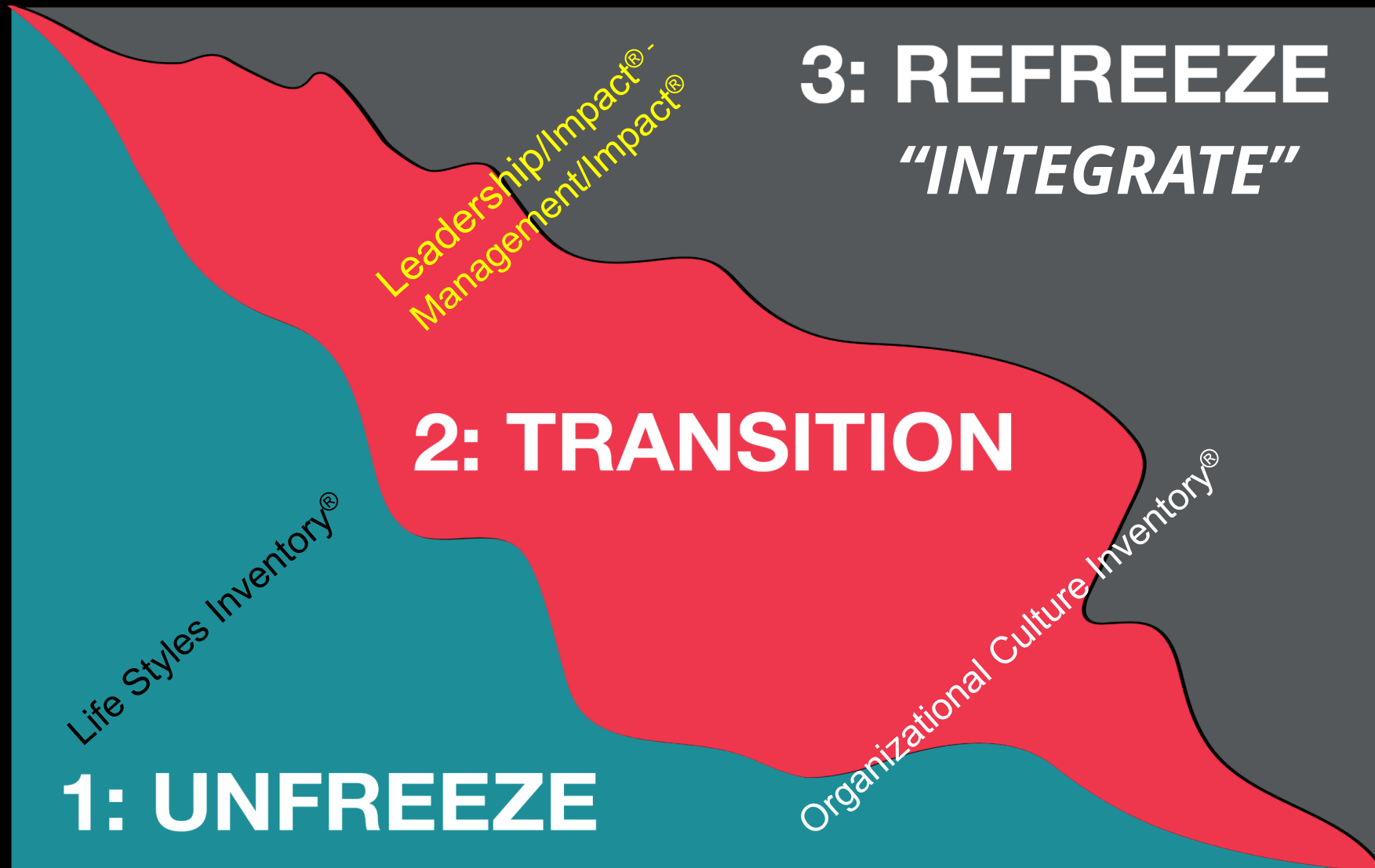
How to Shift Culture

1. **Focus on problem**, challenge or goal, don't focus on directly changing culture.
2. **Engage teams** in implementing solutions and exhibiting specific new behavior.
3. **Results or consequences** are necessary for a sustained period to form a new cultural attribute.
4. **Intentionally drive shared learning and mutual experience.** Share the stories.
5. **Requires leadership transformation** beginning at the top.



Constructive Culture: “Pursuit and achievement of excellence through the literal engagement of our people.”

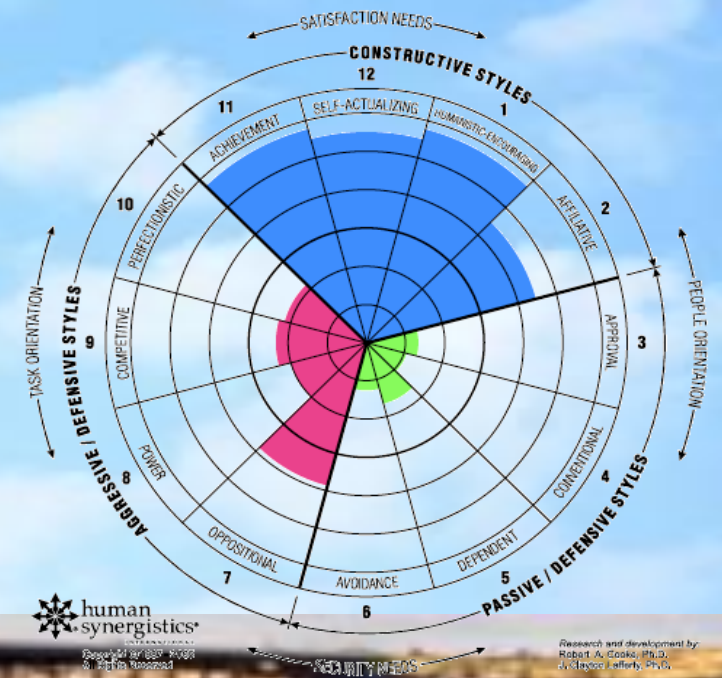
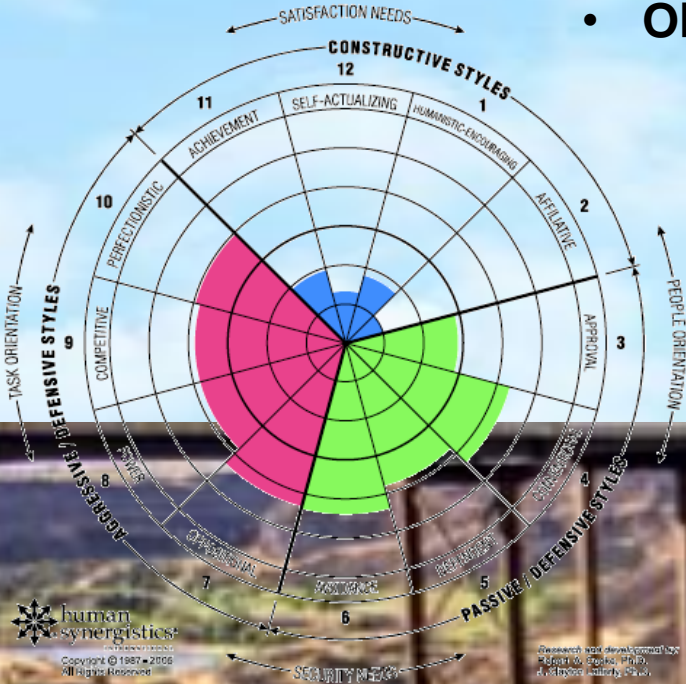
Three Stages of Culture Change¹



¹Kurt Lewin

Initial Assessment

- OCI®
- Interviews
- Observations



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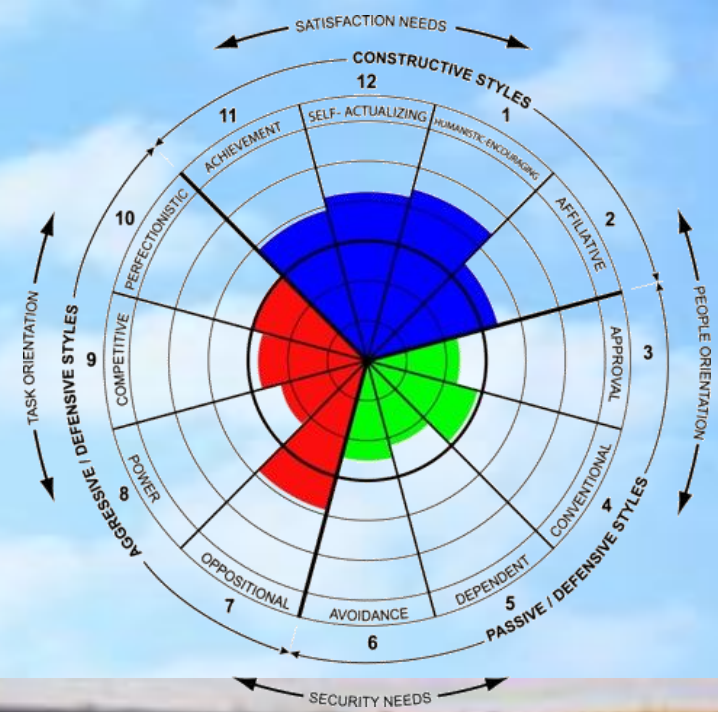
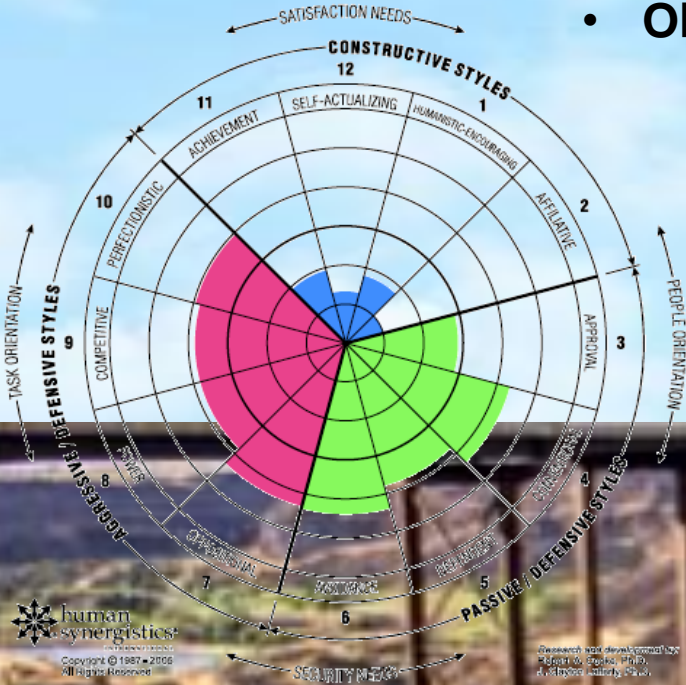
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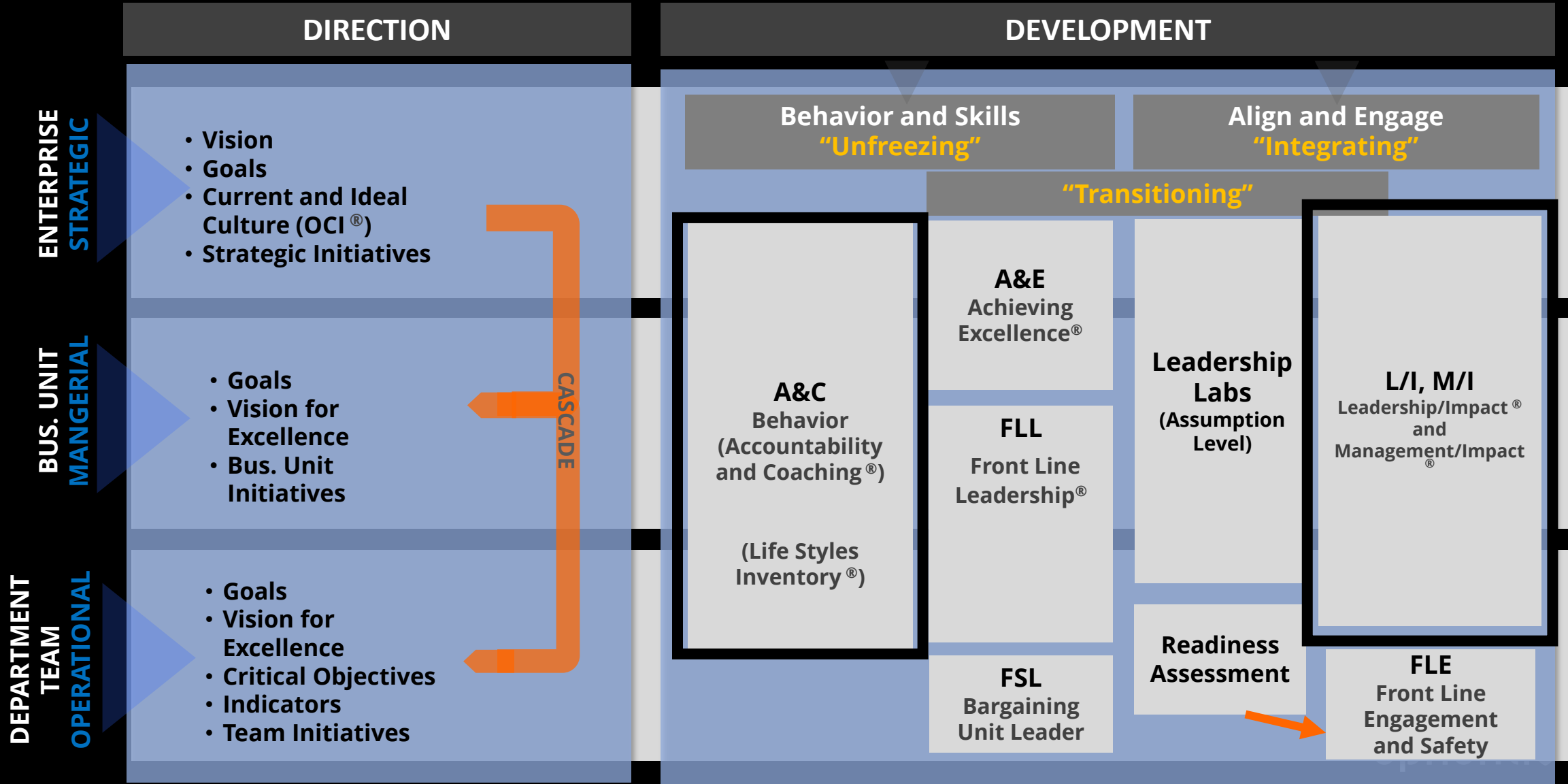
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High Reliability
Ideal*



Culture Change Roadmap



Why Leadership/Impact[®] & Management/Impact[®]?



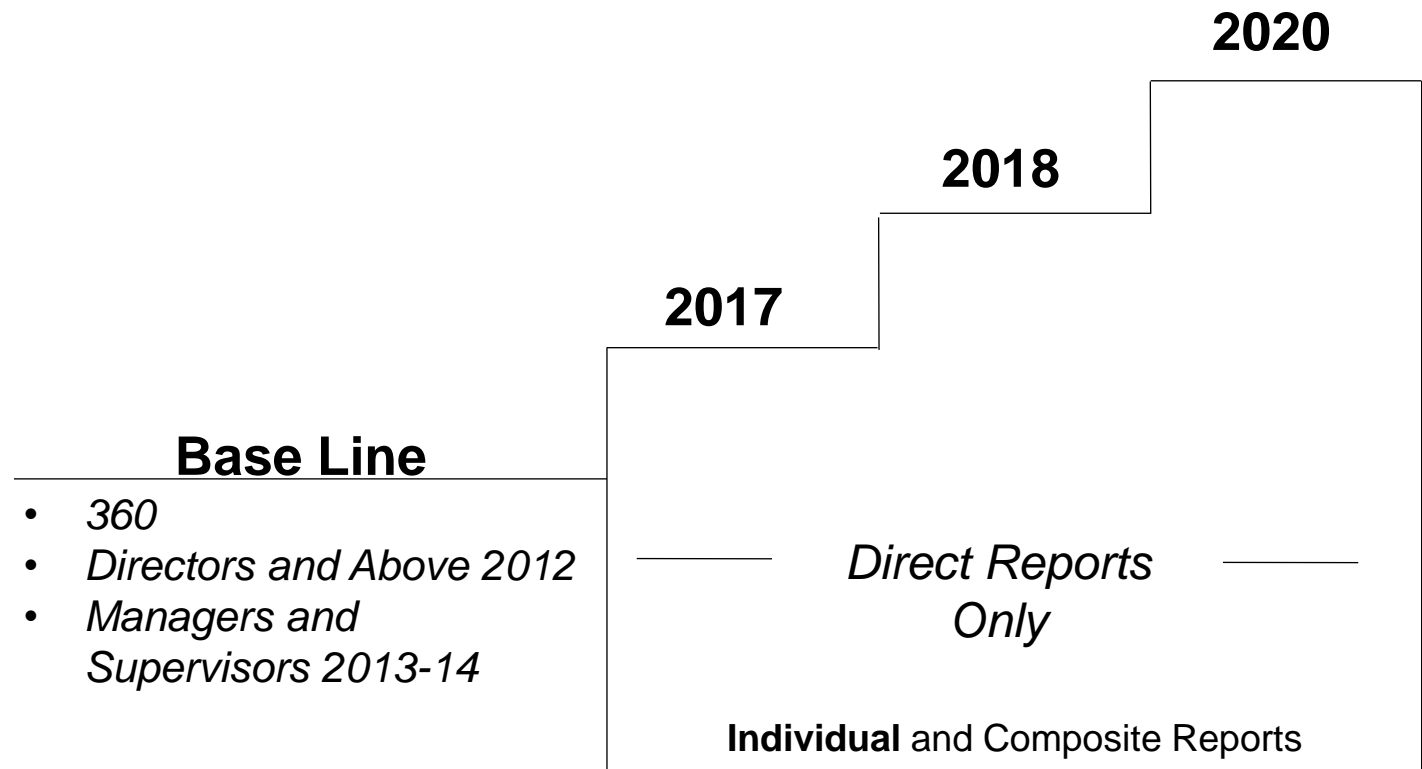
Impact Survey – Baseline

Initially for Behavior Alignment - 360

- Trained Directors and Managers
 - How to read and use
 - How to coach next level down
 - Initial and refresher in 2018
- Group feedback sessions with one-on-one coaching
 - Directors attended with their managers
 - Managers attended with their supervisors
- Created Individual Action Plans based on motivating Constructive Behaviors – associated Domain/Responsibility
- Informed organization-wide initiatives

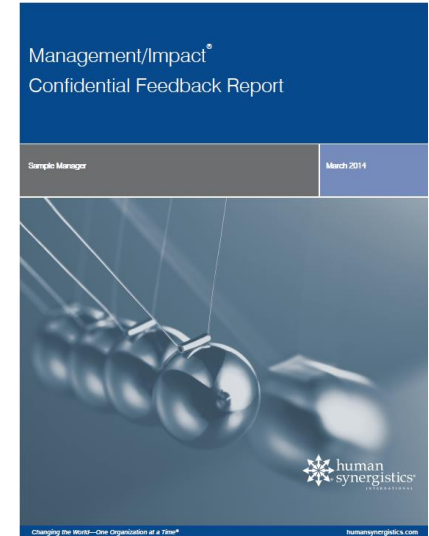
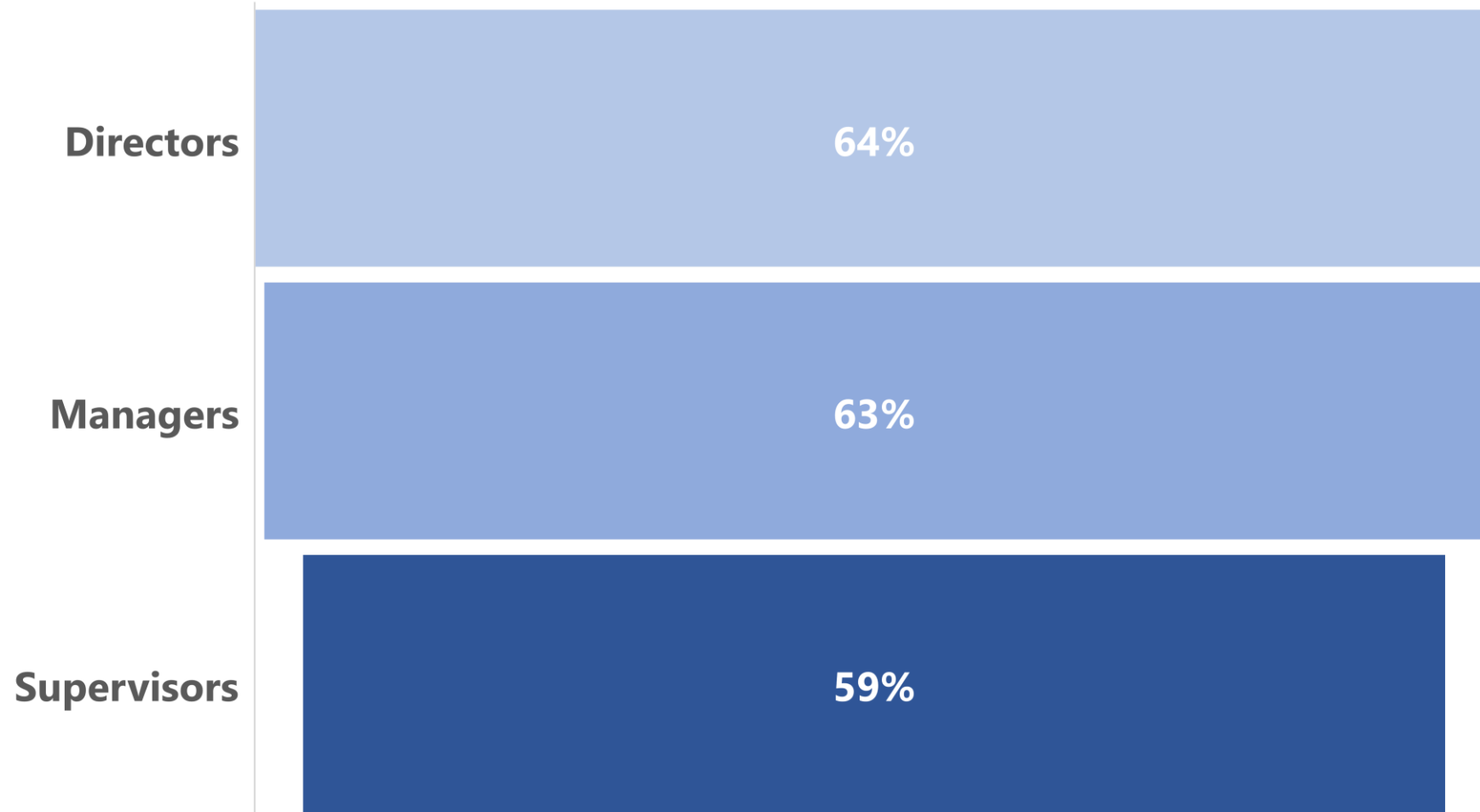


Impact Surveys



Impact Survey – Baseline (2012-13)

Percent Motivating Constructive



Impact Survey Baseline – (2012-13)

Domains/Responsibilities Cross Cutting Development Needs

Directors

- Envisioning
- Role Modeling
- Mentoring
- Referring
- Monitoring
- Providing Feedback

Managers

- Change
- Problems
- Results
- Activities

Supervisors

- Change
- Problems
- Results
- Activities
- Rewards
- Learning

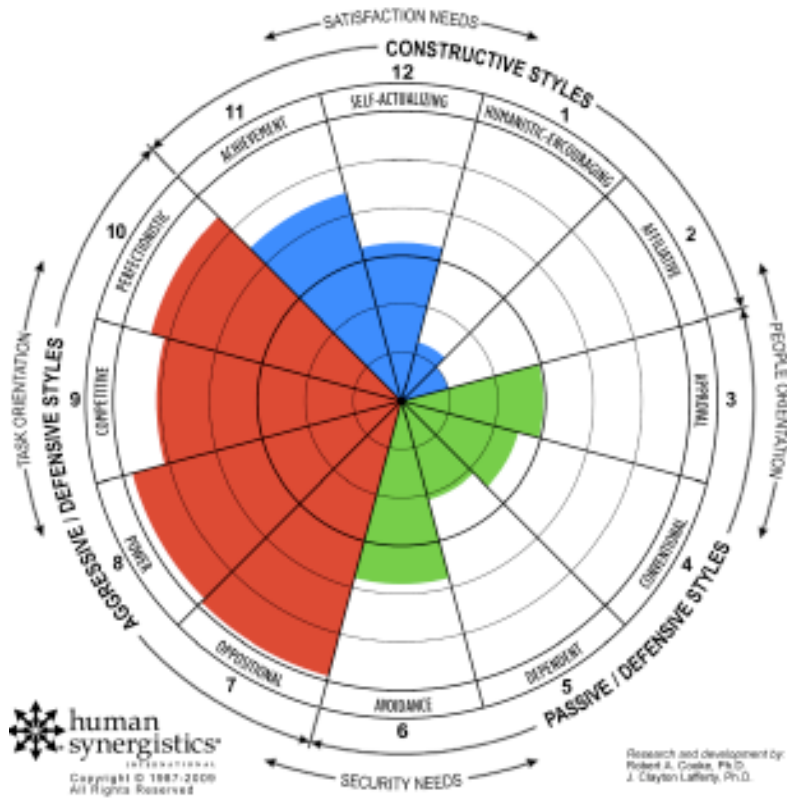
Led To:

- Replacement and Development of Directors
- Frontline Leadership Workshop
- Team Engagement in Problem Solving
- Readiness Assessment



Developing Directors: Example

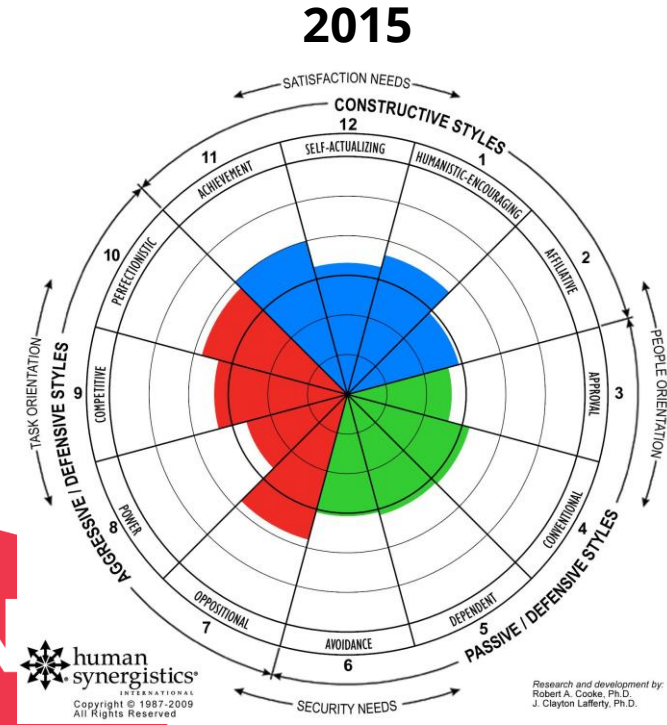
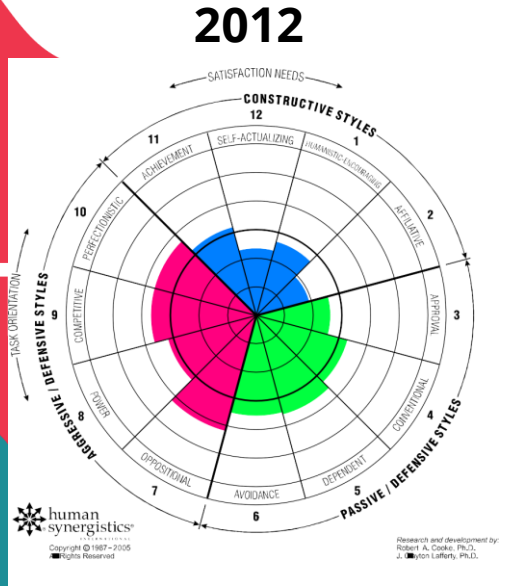
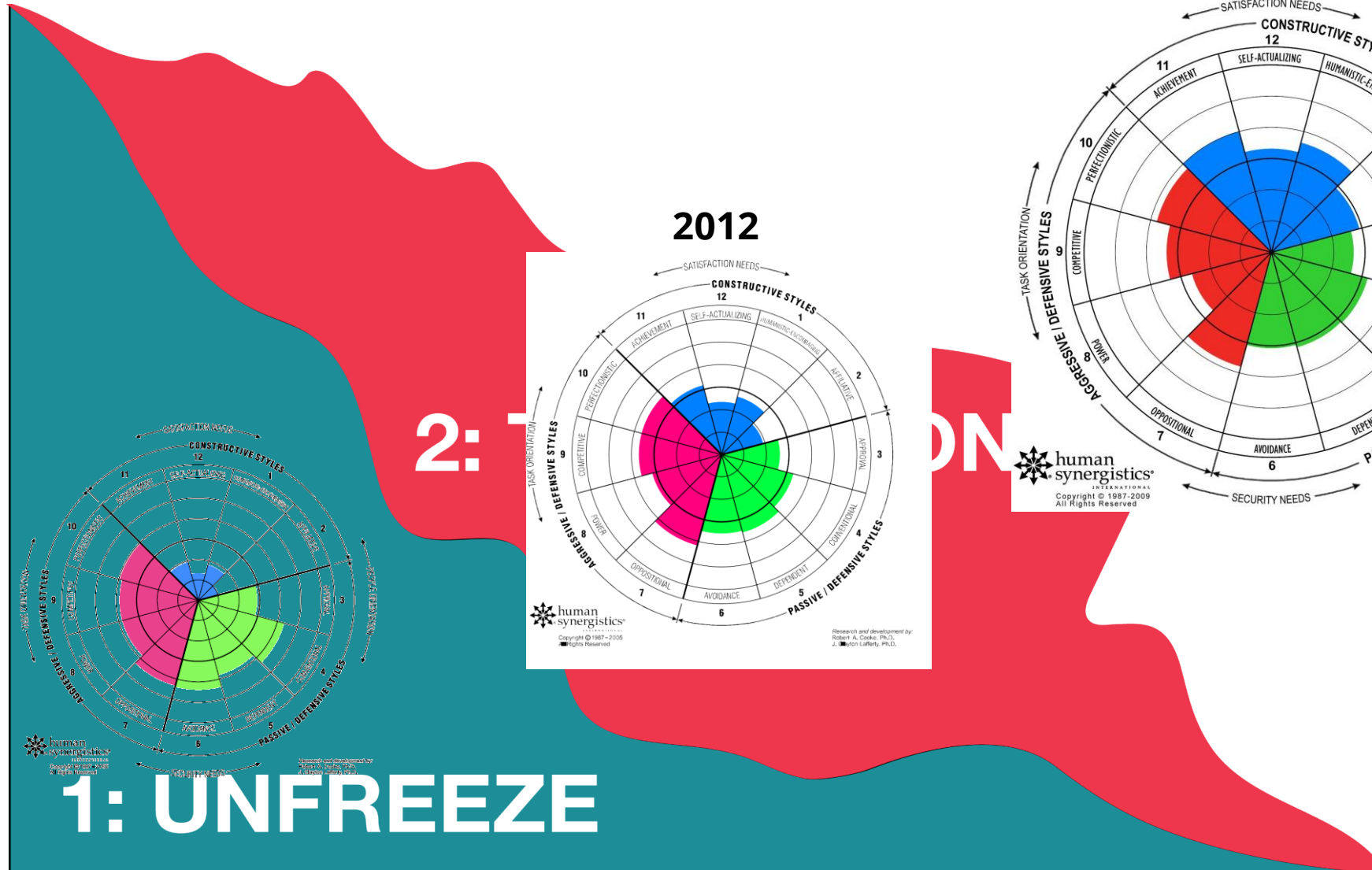
2012



2020



Shifting Culture - 2015 OCI



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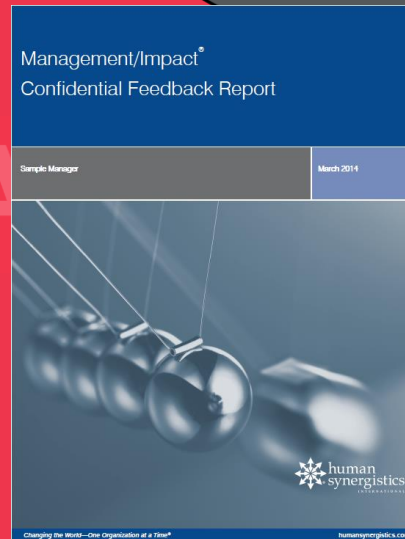
2: UNFREEZE

Kurt Lewin's 3 Stage Model

3: REFREEZE "INTEGRATE"

2016 Department
and Team Based
Initiatives

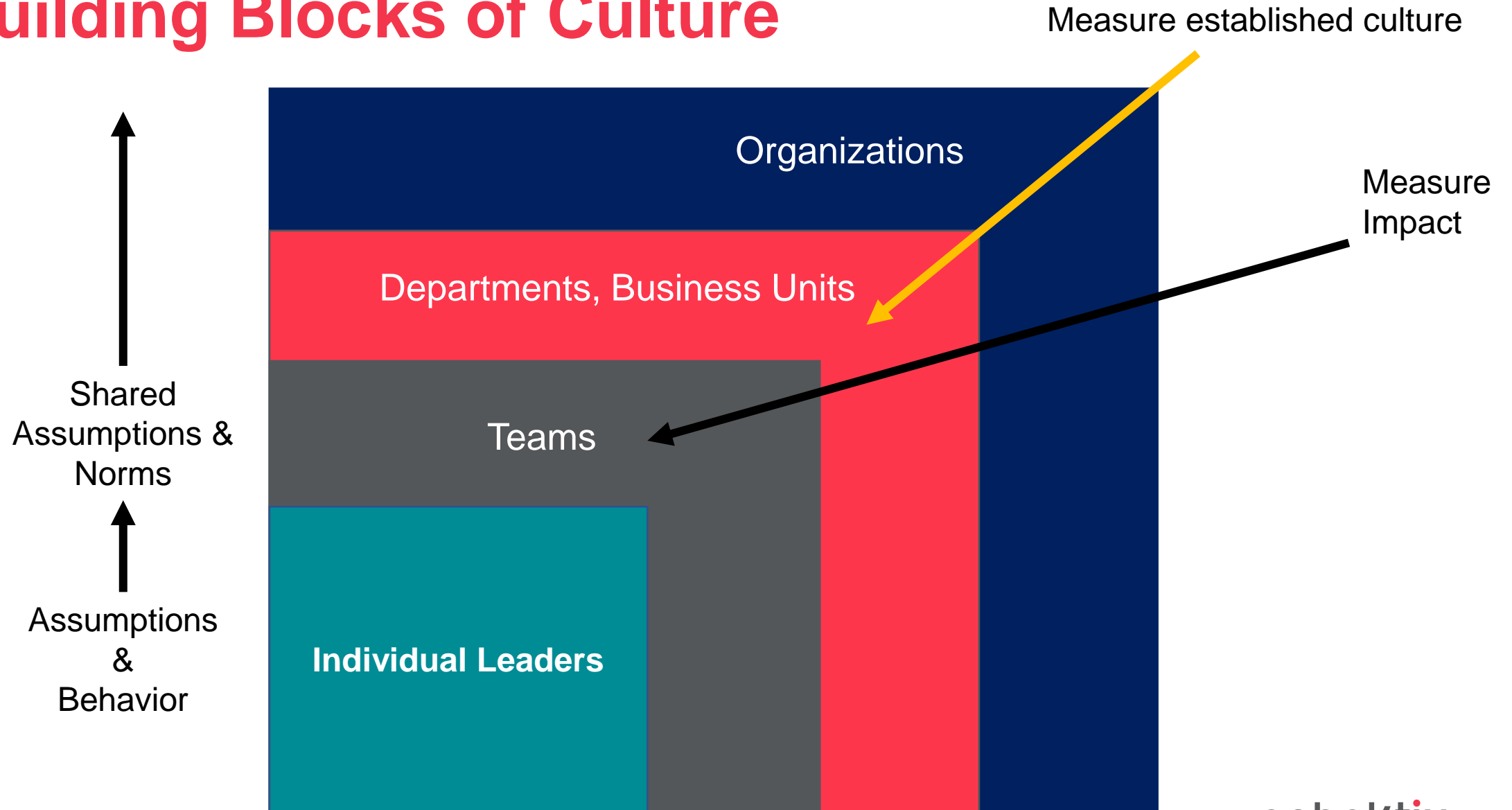
Targeted
Individual
Development



1: UNFREEZE

2: TRANSITION

Building Blocks of Culture



Impact Surveys



- We wanted to know what was going on within Teams or Departments
- Individual Impact Action Plans integrated with department or team improvement (KPI)
 - Some department-wide initiatives



Artifacts

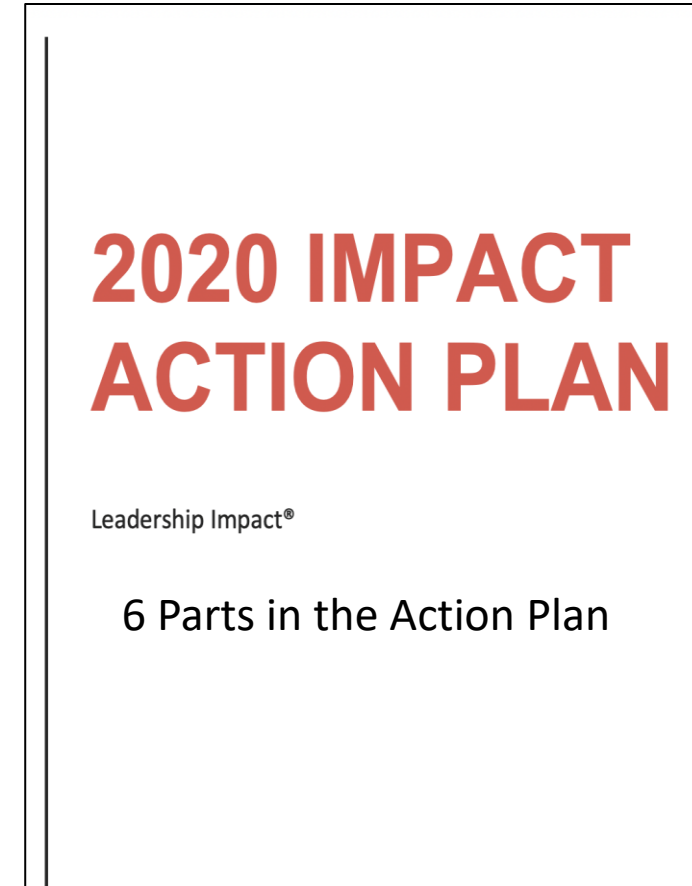
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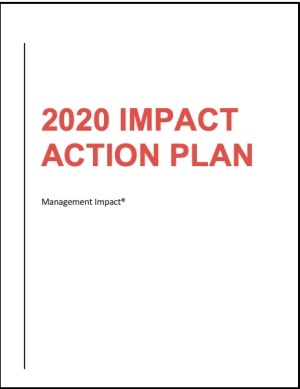
T1-T2 Comparison Power Point



Word Doc



Part 1: Self Assessment of 2018 Action Plan



Business Challenge Action Plan: Provide a rating of your 2018 Business Challenge Action Plan: (highlight answer in yellow)			
Not Effective	Somewhat Effective	Effective	Very Effective
Please Explain Why:			
Focus Norm and Responsibility Action Plan: Provide a rating of your 2018 Business Challenge Action Plan: (highlight answer in yellow)			
Not Effective	Somewhat Effective	Effective	Very Effective
Please Explain Why:			

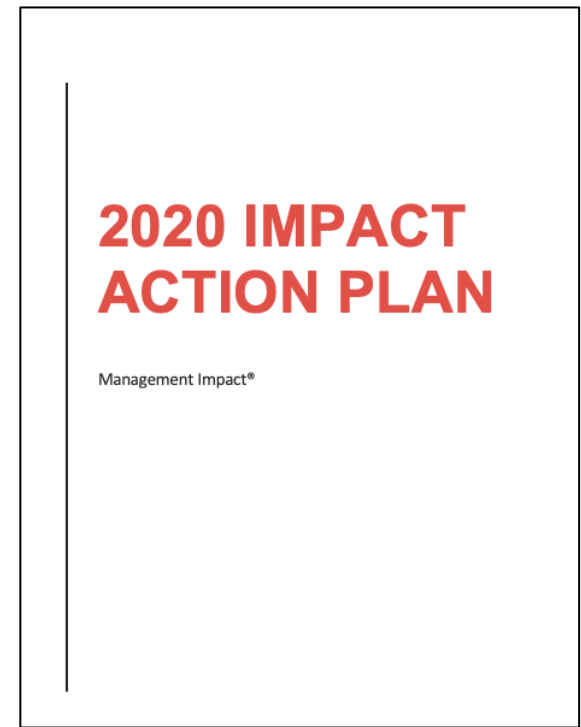
Facilitated Team Based Feedback Sessions sponsored by a Director or Manager.

Parts 2-4 Debrief Guide

Facilitated Debrief – Sponsored by Director

2. Effectiveness, 3. Impact and 4. Strategies/Approaches

1. Review current results.
2. Compare T-1 to T-2. Note differences (+/-).
3. For each section of the report, identify and note one area that needs additional improvement or strengthening?



Part 6: 2018 Action Plan

The Formula: In what Responsibility will you change your *approach* to motivate the behaviors (Impact) you need to achieve your Team's business challenge goal.

The process:

1. **Performance Gap/Smart Goal** – What team or business challenge will you focus on while motivating your chosen Norm and Management Responsibility?
2. **Focus Norm** – What Norm and behaviors will you focus on improving?
3. **Management Responsibility** – What Responsibility will you focus on improving to promote the Norm you have chosen to improve?
4. **Actions to Improve Responsibility** – What specific actions will you take to change your approach the Responsibility you have chosen?
5. **Business Strategy** – By accomplishing your Smart Goal what Business strategy will it impact?
6. **Corporate Strategy** - What Corporate Strategy does your goal Impact?

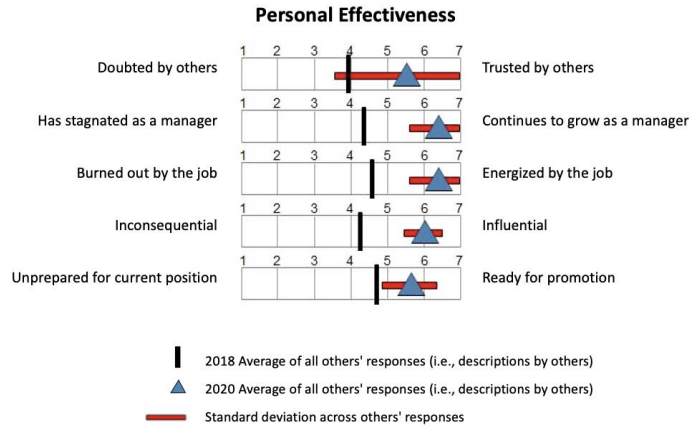
Impact Survey Action Plan – 2017, 2018, 2020

EU Strategy	Business Unit/Department Strategy Imperative (Why)	Business Challenge (SMART goal)	Behaviors and Norm (How)	Approach (IE: Managing Change)	Actions to Improve Approach
Cost Safety Customer Reliability	Which strategic goal or business initiative will improvement of your business challenge impact?	What Team or Department Business Challenge will you improve? <i>Needs to be tied to a KPI and be:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific • Measurable • Achievable • Relevant to Strategy • Timely 	To overcome your business challenge, what behaviors do your employees need to adopt?	Which Approach/Resp. will promote or motivate the needed behaviors in your employees?	What specific actions will you take to change your approach to the responsibility you have chosen?

Management/Impact®

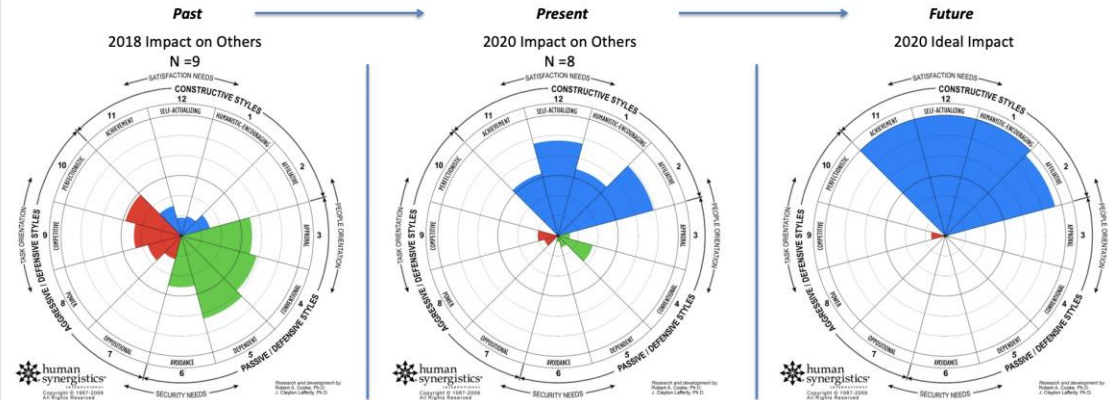
Improvement Case Study (T-1 to T-2)

Changes in Personal Effectiveness



Change in Impact over Time

2018 Impact on Others (Past) results are profiled below along with Current Impact (Present) results along with your Ideal Impact (Future) for comparison purposes.



Change in Impact by Item: Style 12

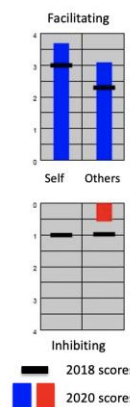
Self-Actualizing

Listed below are 2018, 2020, and Ideal item-level raw scores. Positive Change and Gap scores are desirable for the Constructive items.

Extent to which you...	Past		Present		Future
	2018 Impact on Others	Change	2020 Impact on Others	Gap	
encourage people to pursue interesting projects and opportunities	1.78	1.47	3.25	0.25	3.00
stimulate people to think in unique and independent ways	1.67	1.46	3.13	-0.87	4.00
inspire people to experiment with innovative solutions to problems	1.78	1.10	2.88	-1.12	4.00
motivate people to approach their work with creativity – even if it takes extra time	1.67	0.96	2.63	-0.37	3.00
expect people to maintain their integrity and personal standards	2.89	0.86	3.75	-0.25	4.00

KEY:
0 = Not at all
4 = To a very great extent

Management Approaches: Change - Change by Item

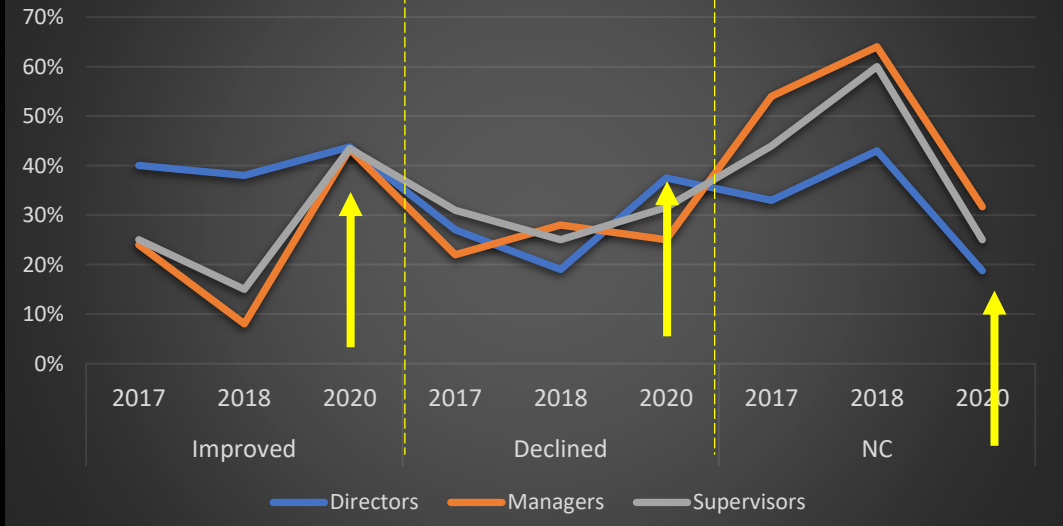


	2018 Self	Change	2020 Self	2018 Others	Change	2020 Others
Facilitating	3.00	0.67	3.67	2.30	0.78	3.08
modify or change how things are done to improve your unit and increase its productivity	3.00	1.00	4.00	2.22	0.91	3.13
overcome any obstacles to change that might arise	4.00	0.00	4.00	2.78	0.47	3.25
take advantage of significant trends and new opportunities for your unit	2.00	1.00	3.00	1.89	0.99	2.88
Inhibiting	1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.96	-0.38	0.58
make excuses for why your unit cannot try new things or make changes	2.00	-2.00	0.00	0.56	-0.18	0.38
dismiss signals and cues that indicate a need for your unit to adapt or change	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	-0.50	0.50
reject ideas that seem risky or different—even if they could dramatically improve the unit's effectiveness	1.00	-1.00	0.00	1.33	-0.45	0.88

KEY: 0 = Never 4 = Always
Positive change in Facilitating represents a desirable change
Negative change in Inhibiting represents a desirable change

Measuring Trends

Effectiveness Trendline



Impact Trend



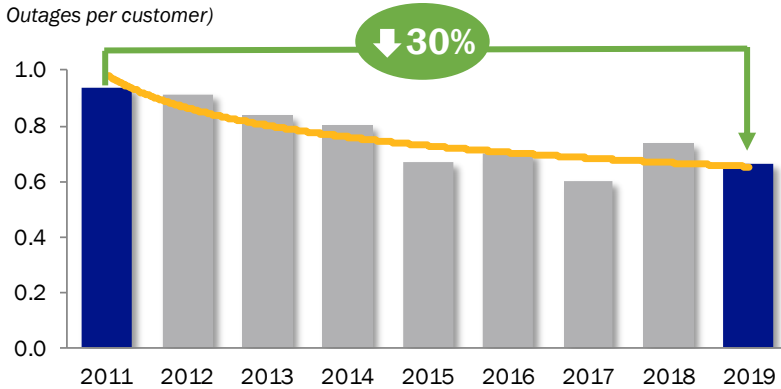
Domains/Responsibilities Trendline



Company Results

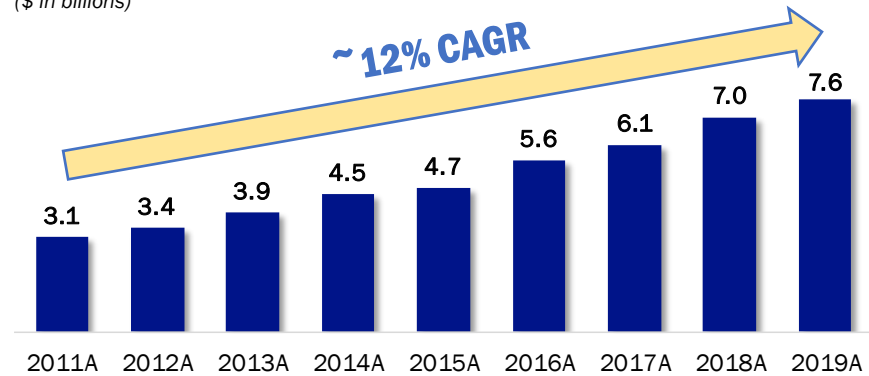
Reliability⁽¹⁾

(Avg. Outages per customer)



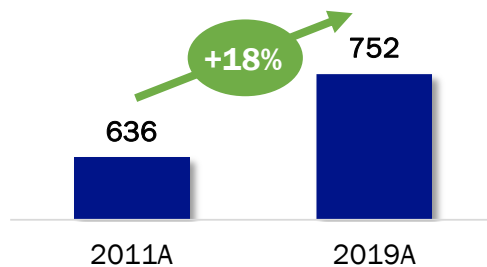
Rate Base Growth

(\$ in billions)



Top-tier Customer Satisfaction⁽²⁾

(J.D. Power customer satisfaction scores)



Top ranked utility in the region for 8 consecutive years in residential customer satisfaction

Technology Platform Components Under Development⁽³⁾

Smart Delivery

Asset Management (with data science and AI)

Work Optimization

Customer Experience

Employee Experience

People Systems

IT Architecture and Cybersecurity

(1) SAIFI – System Average Interruption Frequency Index: a measure which shows the average number of interruptions that a customer experiences over a specific period of time for each customer served.

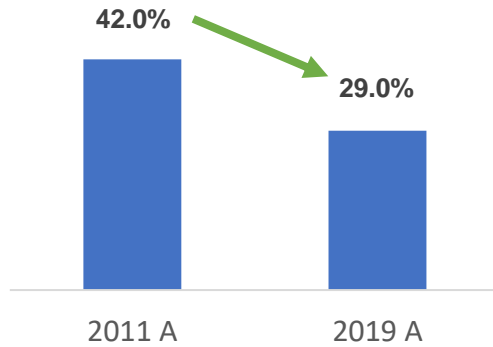
(2) Based on J.D. Power Electric Utility Residential Customer Satisfaction Study.

(3) See Appendix for additional information.

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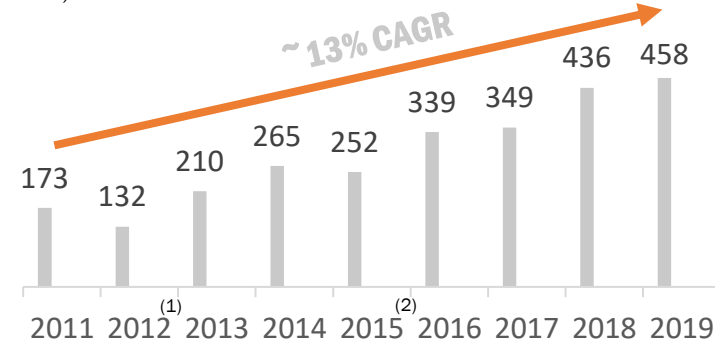
O&M Efficiency

(O&M divided by Gross Margin)



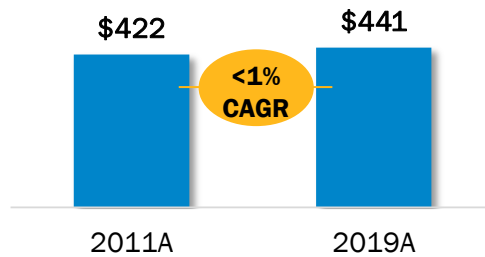
Net Income

(\$ in millions)



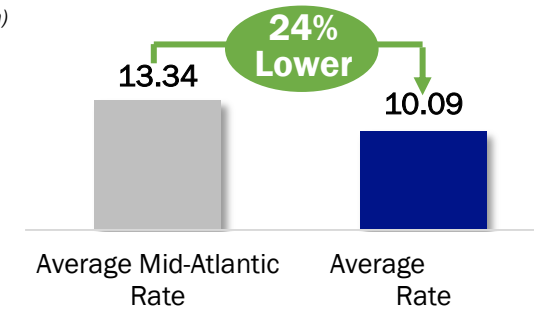
Effective Cost Management

(\$ in millions)



Keeping Customer Rates Low ⁽³⁾

(Cents/kWh)



O&M efficiency has supported substantial investment, driving improved performance, while keeping costs for our customers low

Company's average rate continues to be below the regional average rate

- (1) Decrease due to higher payroll-related costs due to less project costs being capitalized, higher support group costs, higher depreciation and increased vegetation management.
- (2) Decrease due to higher corporate support costs charged to EU primarily as a result of the spinoff of (ABC).
- (3) Source: EEI, Typical Bills and Average Rates Report, Winter 2020.