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# Performance is Rarely an Accident

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Rich Shelton

SONY ILCE-7 | 70-400mm F4-5.6 G SSM | 330 mm  
1/1600s | f/5.6 | ISO 500

Blink  
and  
you  
miss  
it!



# Excellence

# Performance is rarely an accident

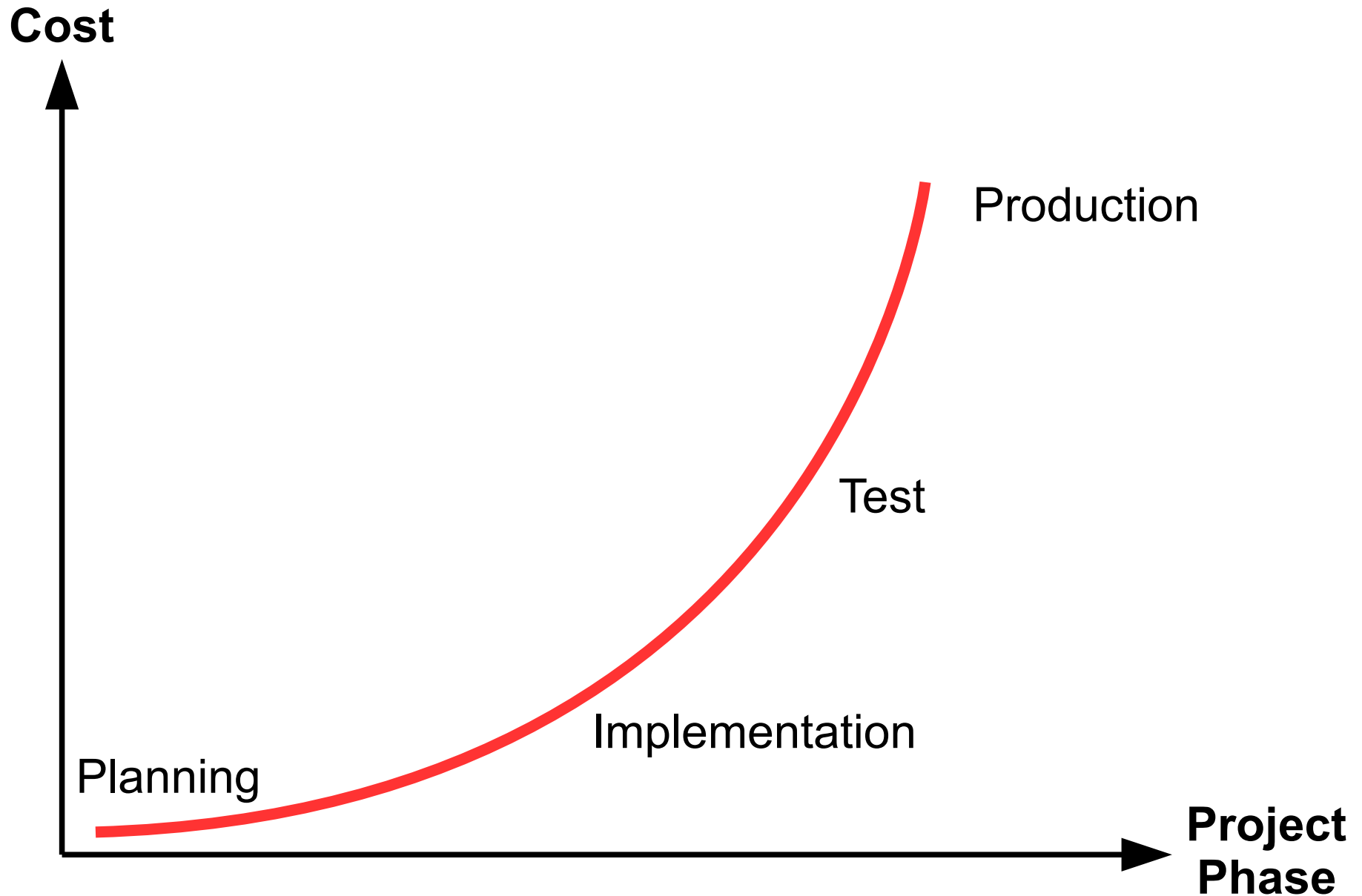
**Know it  
counts**

**Prove it  
counts more**

# Boehm



# Costs of a Change





# We need a plan ...

# Performance

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## Work per Time

Kilometers per hour, tons per month ...

## Time per work unit

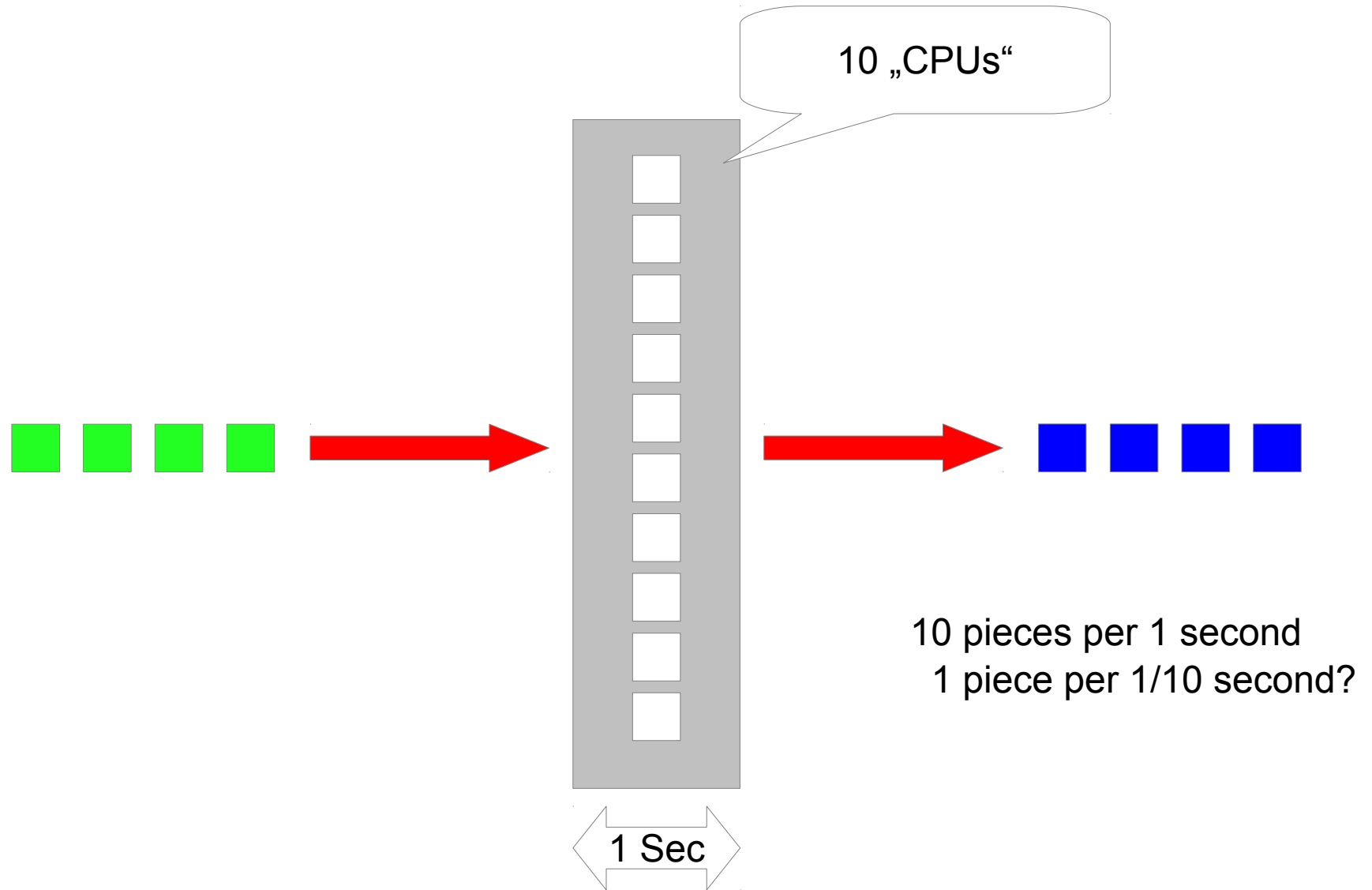
Seconds per booking, days per project

Throughput:  $p = \frac{\textit{task}}{\textit{time}}$

Response time:  $R = \frac{\textit{time}}{\textit{task}}$

BUT:  $R \neq \frac{1}{p}$

# Inverse Games



# The Mean

## Of the mean ... and mean skew :)

0,9; 1,3; 0,9; 0,9;

0,5; 0,5; 0,5; 0,5; 0,5; 5,5; 0,5; 0,5; 0,5; 0,5;

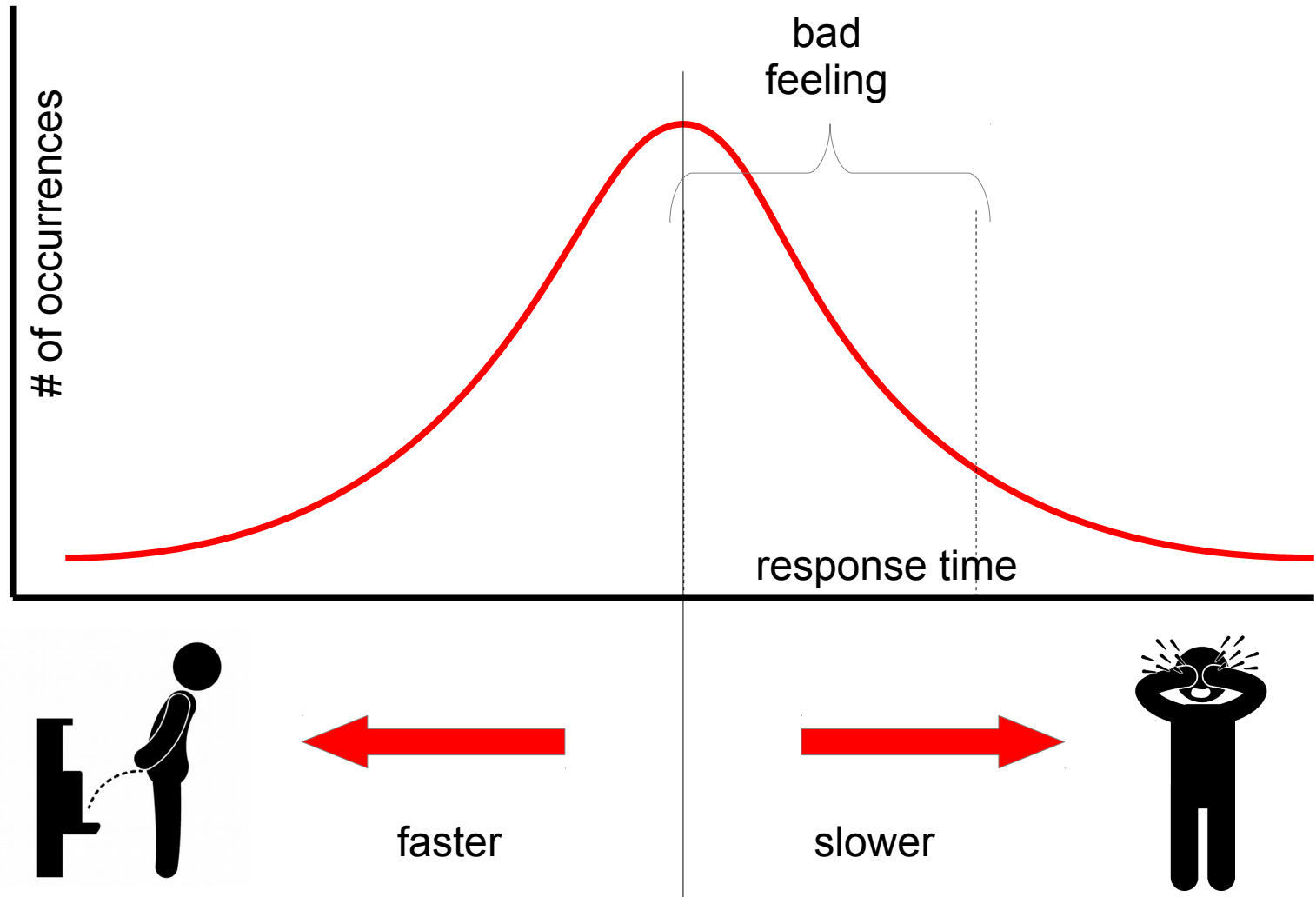


Of the mean ...

Specs for response time:  
1s in 99%

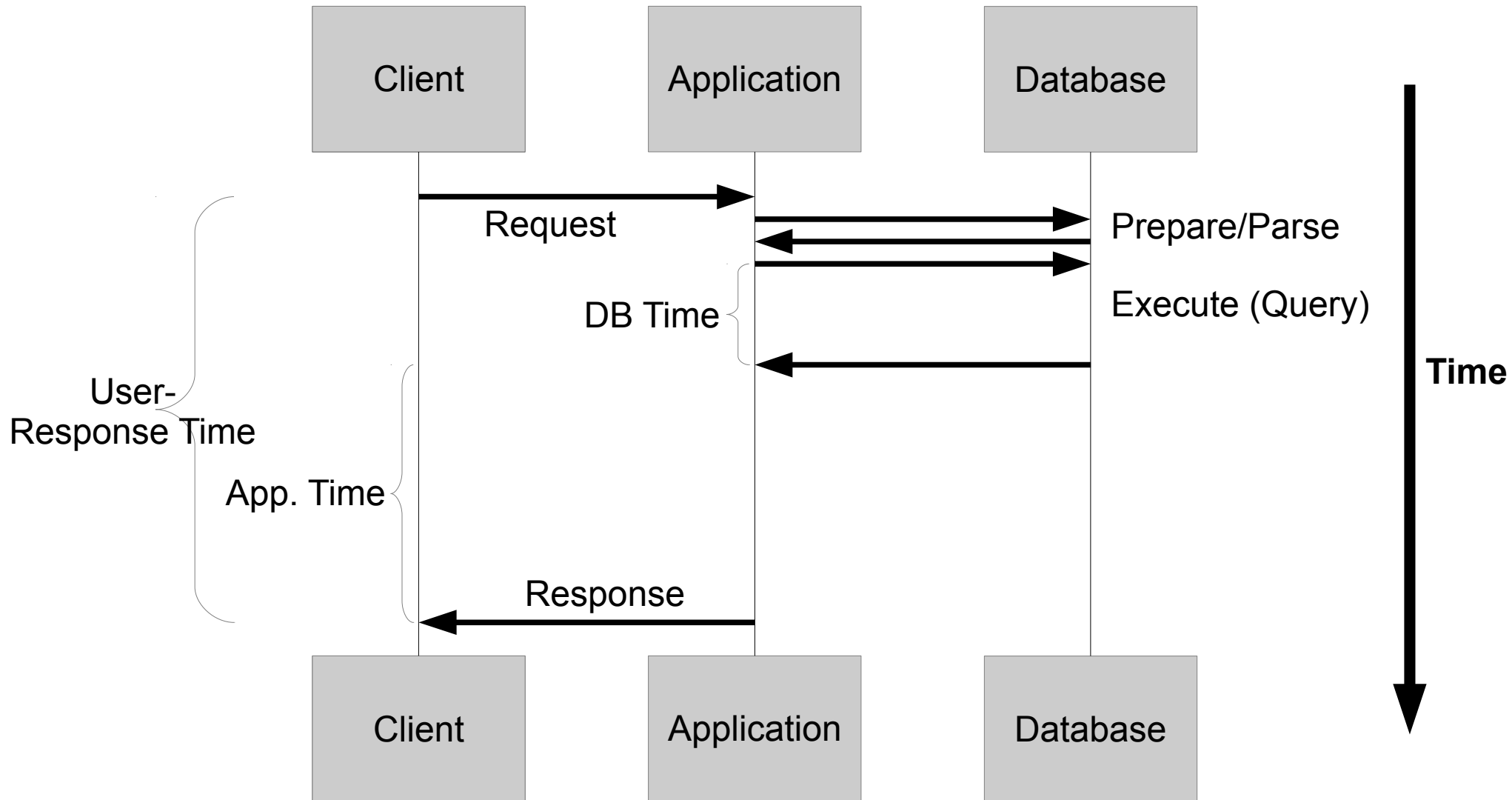
Not too bad, but ...

# Users feel the difference - not the mean

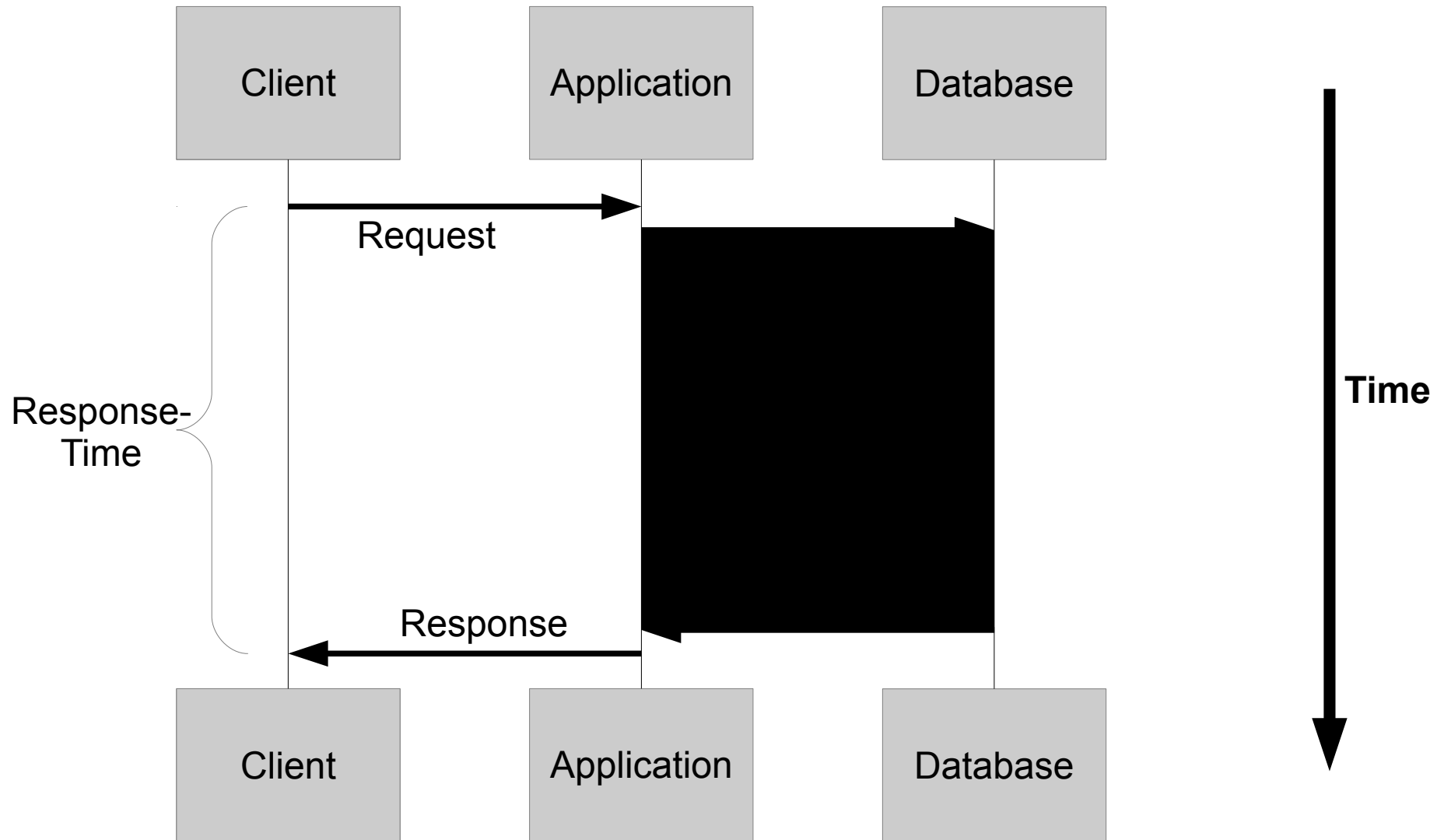


# Analysis

# Sequence Diagram (UML)



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# Profiling

# Profile

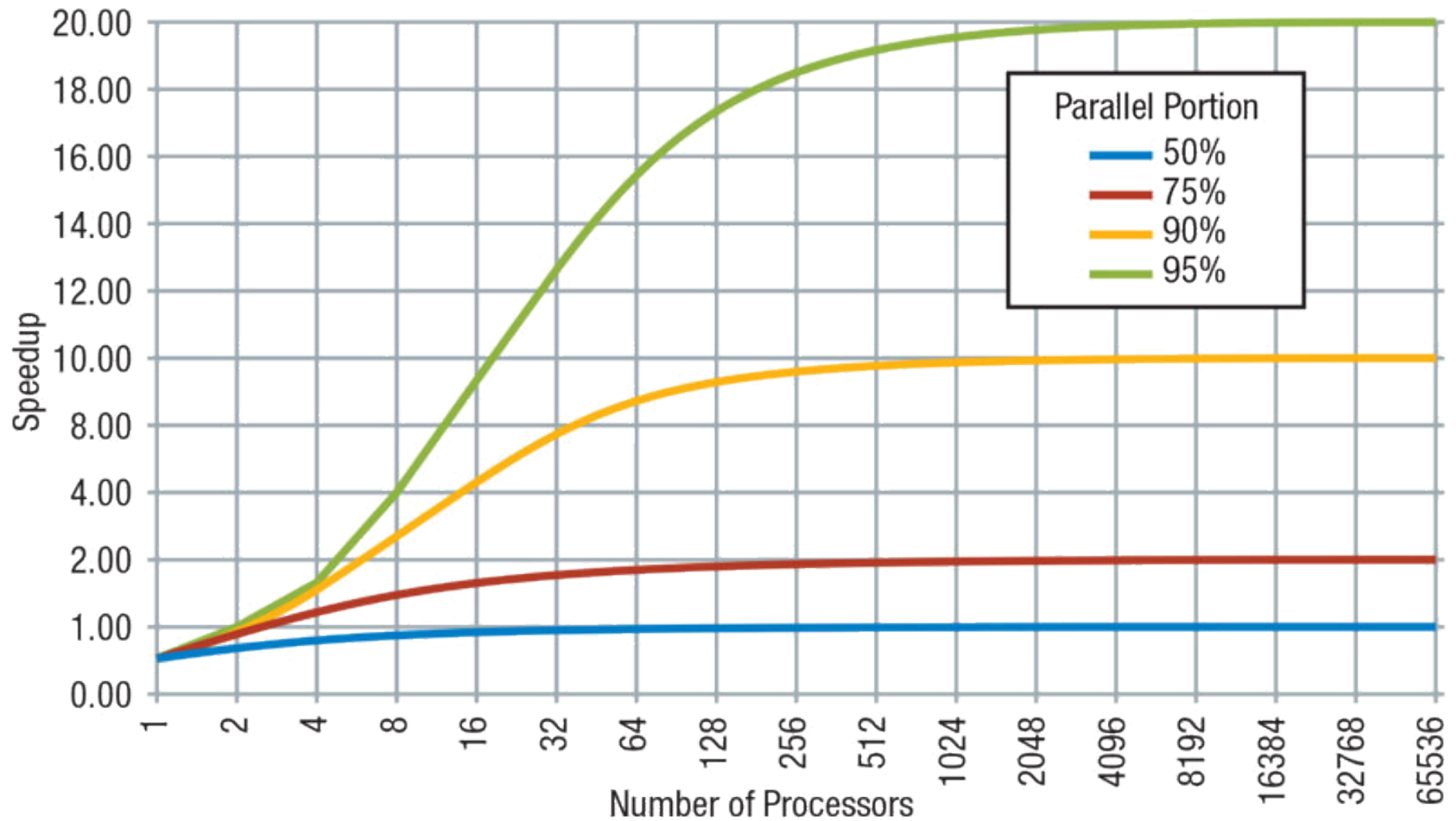
Function	R	#
Frontend Page	1700s	35.000
Frontend DB-Access	300s	2.500.000
Background- Process XML Processing	100s	100.000
Background- Process DB-Access	97s	34.000

**Is the requested time REALISTIC?**

# Amdahl's Law

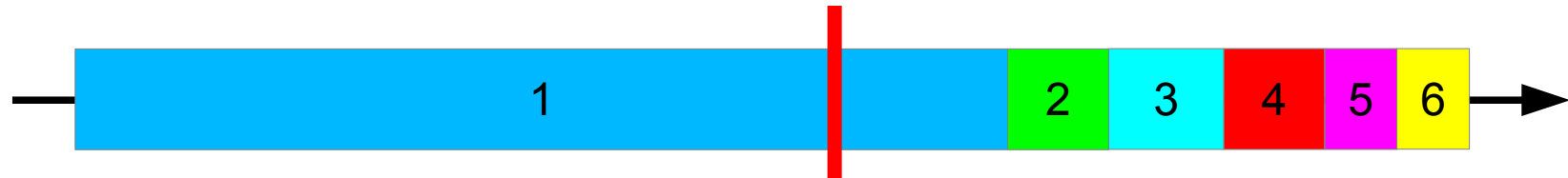


# Amdahl's Law - Special



# Amdahl's Law - General

## Is it realistic?



#	Poss. Improvement	Cost	R	R%
1	34%	€€€€	1.700s	70%
2	12 %	€	300s	13%
3	none	-	100s	6%
4	4 %	€	97s	4%
5	0,1%	€€€€	58s	3%
6	1,6%	€	48s	2%
...	...	...	...	...

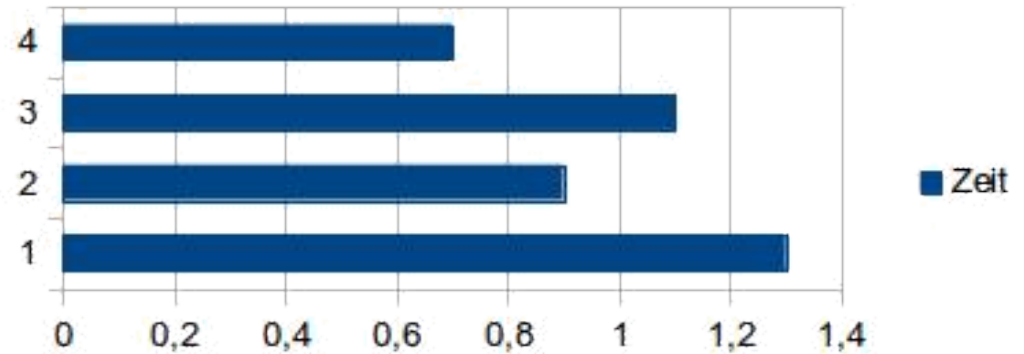
# Skew

# Catching runaways (Skew inside!)

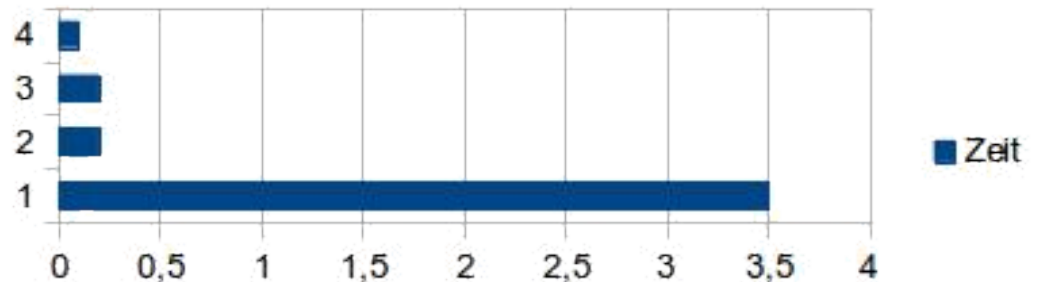
4 calls = 4 sec

2 calls = ? sec

Event	Duration (s)
4	0.7
3	1.1
2	0.9
1	1.3



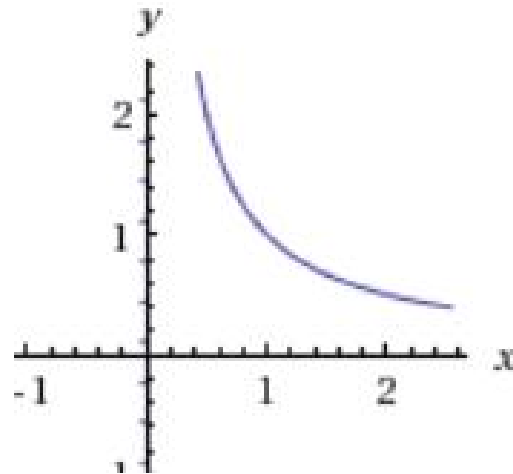
Event	Duration (s)
4	0.1
3	0.2
2	0.2
1	3.5



# Efficiency

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$$\textit{efficiency} = \frac{1}{\textit{wastage}}$$



Obviously, the highest type of efficiency is  
that which can utilize existing material  
to the best advantage

-- Jawaharlal Nehru

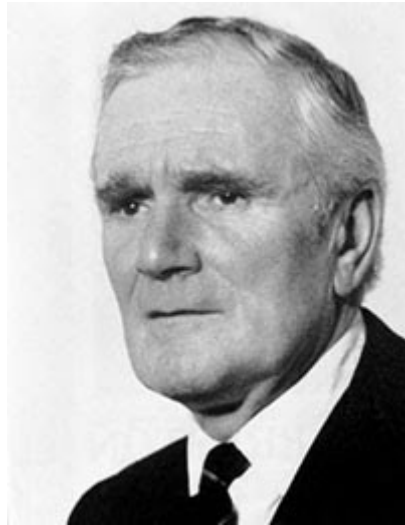
# Load



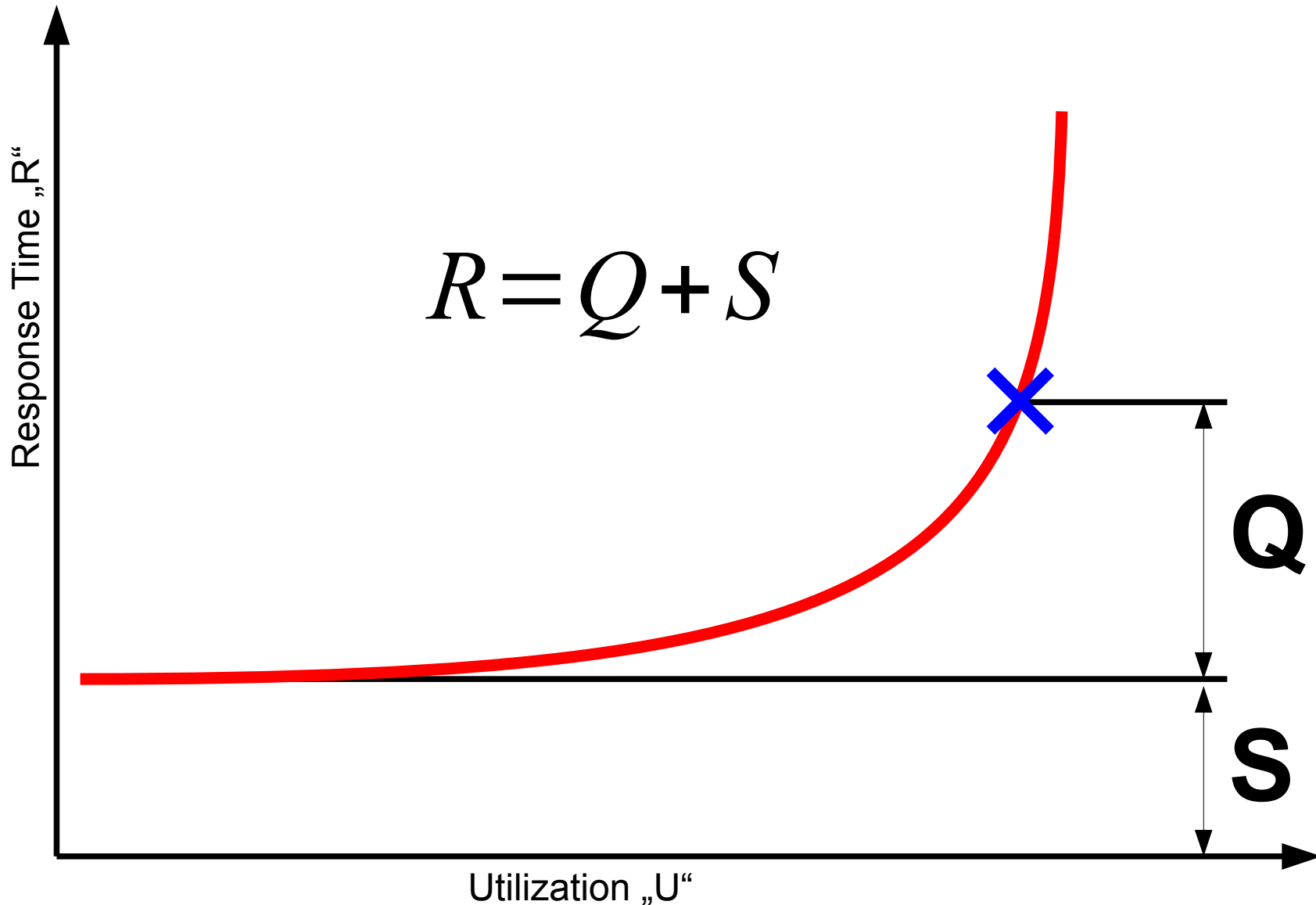
# Fastfood - What is „Q“?

Function	R	#	Type
Wait in line	0s - 600s	1	Q
Order menu incl. questions	30s	2	S
Fetching fries	45s	2	S
Filling drink	45s	2	S
Waiting for the Burger	0s-120s	1	Q
Fetching Burger	10s	2	S
...	...	...	...

# Types of „Q“ :)



# Queueing Theory - the „Q“ - Diagram



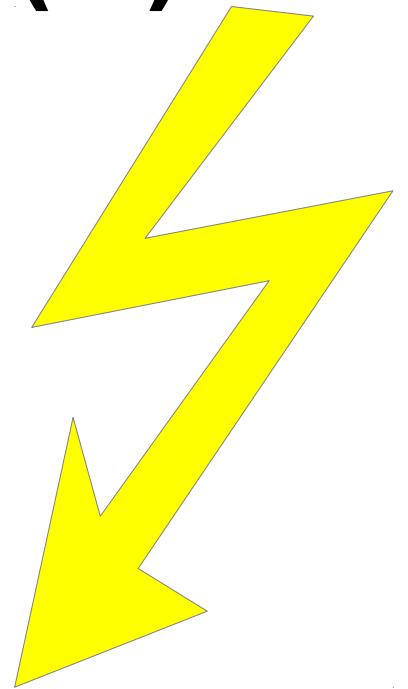
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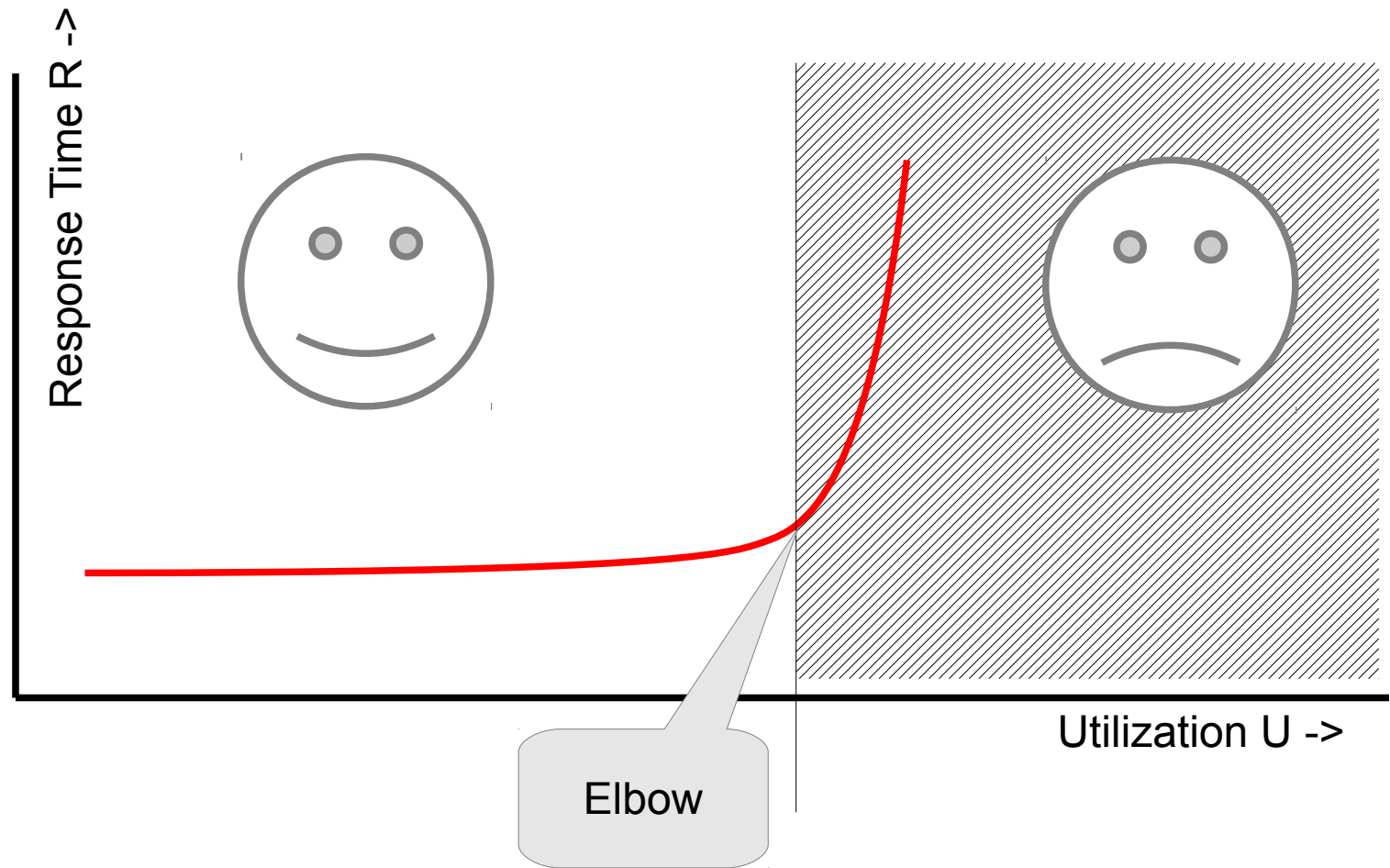
**Fast Response Times (R)**

**vs.**

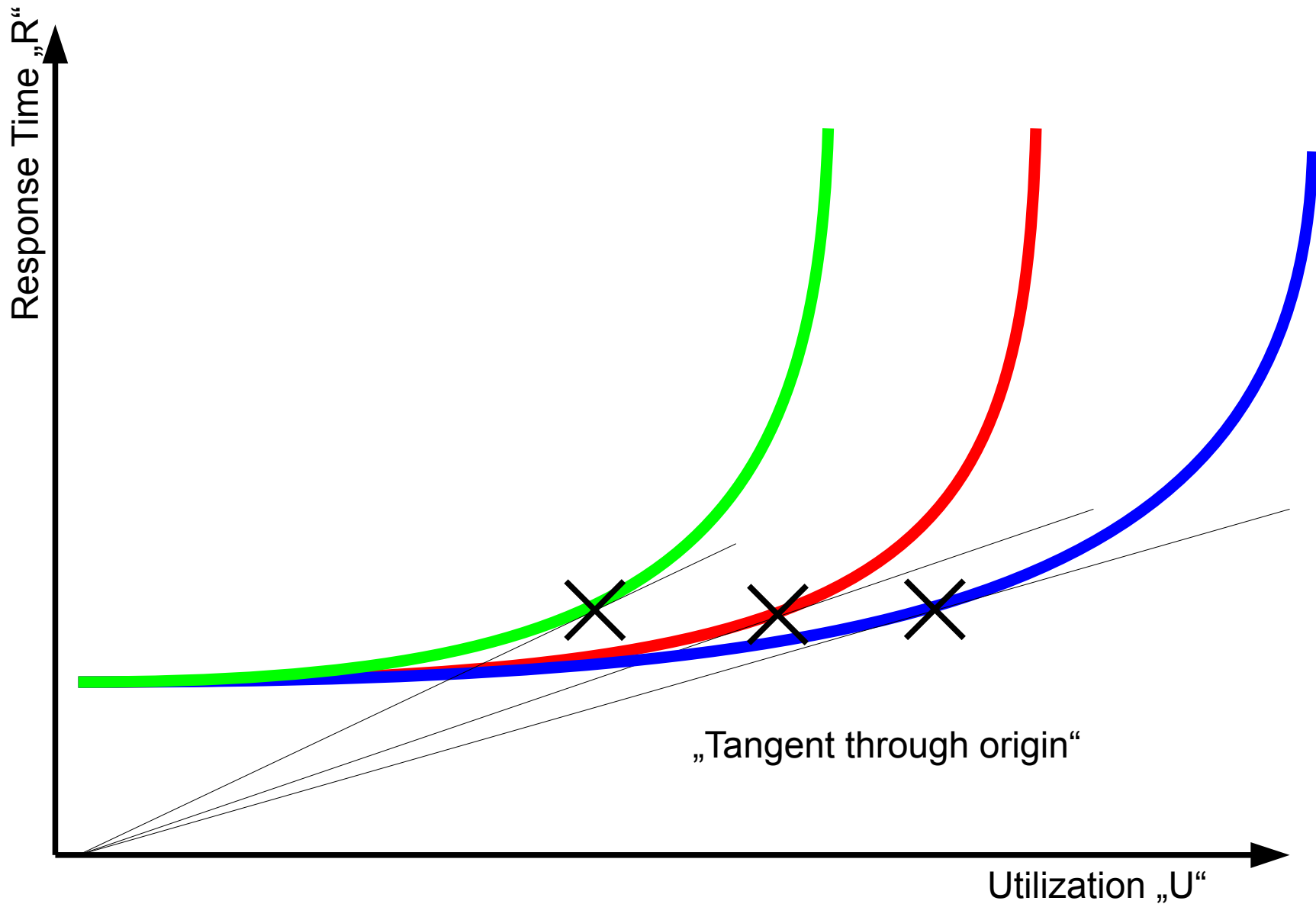
**High Throughput**



# Relevance of the elbow



# Where is the elbow?

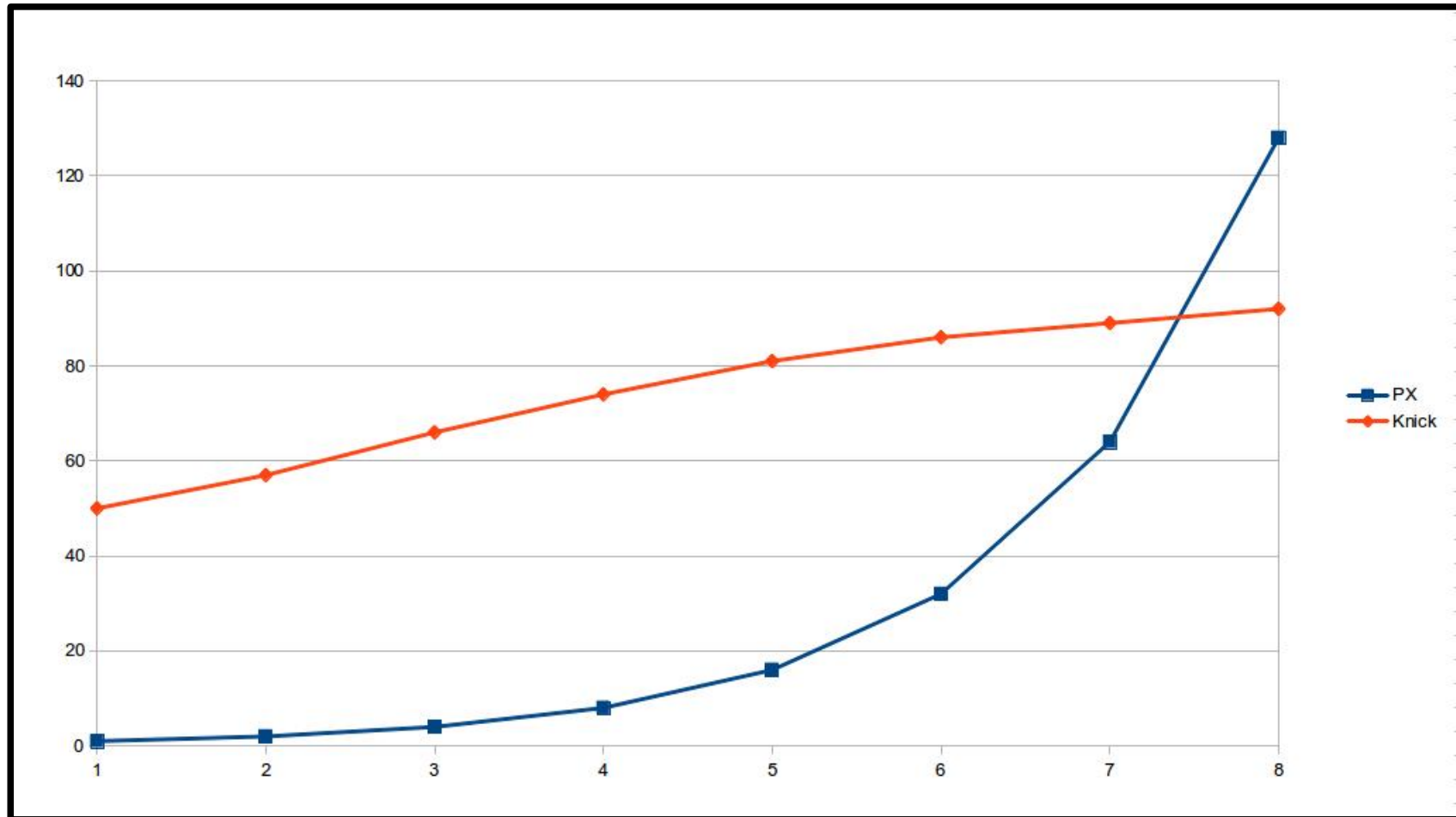


# Scalability: Elbow follows delayed

Service channels / degree of parallelism	Elbow at % of overall utilization
1	50%
2	57%
4	66%
8	74%
16	81%
32	86%
64	89%
128	92%

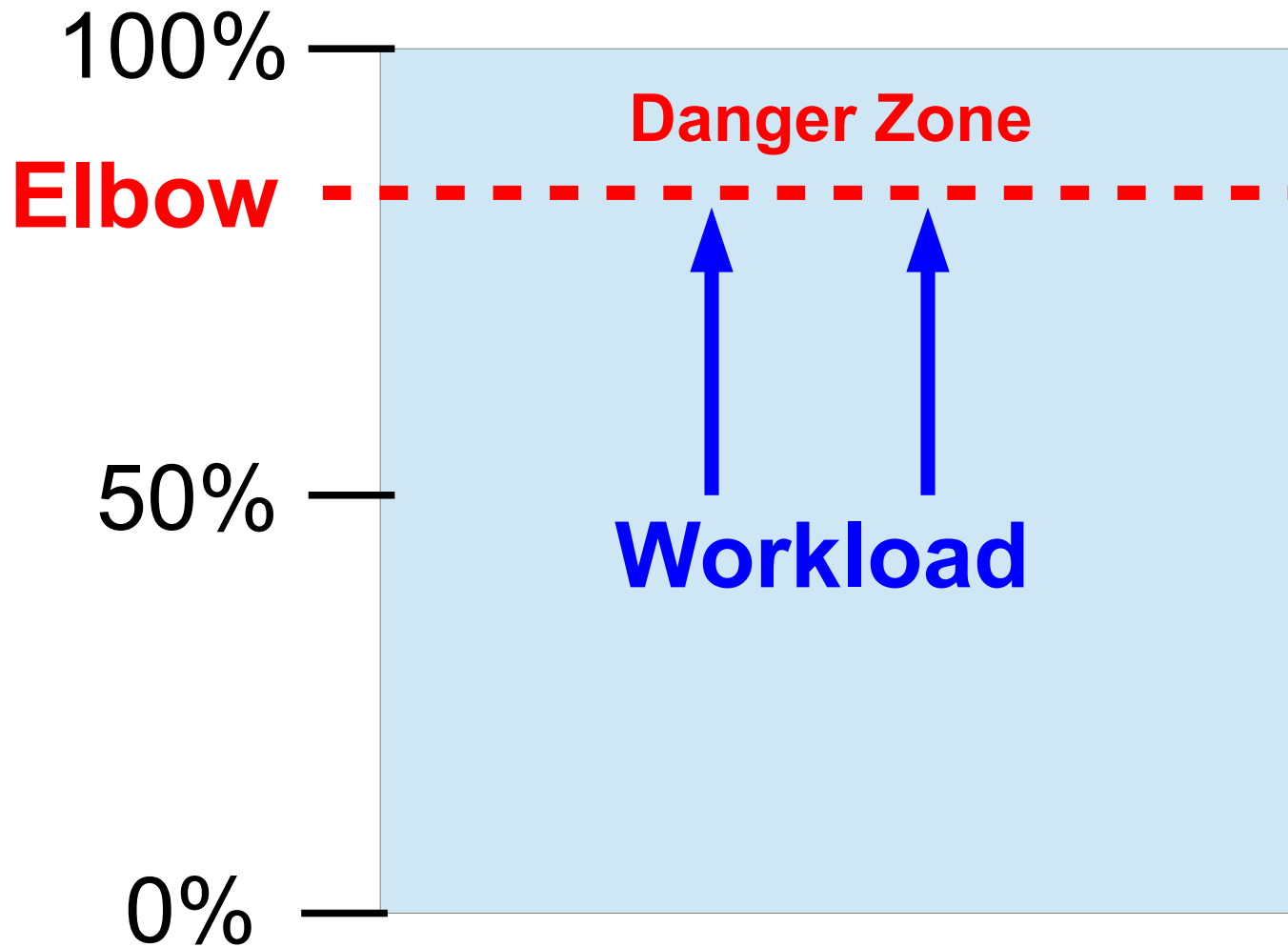


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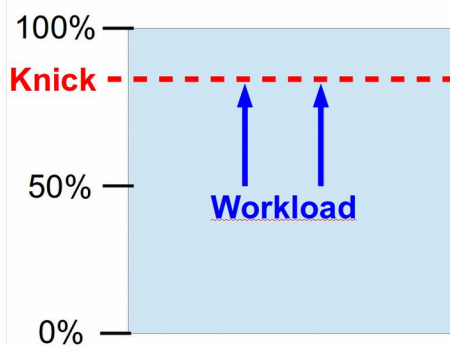
## Capacity planning

How big has it to be?

## Utilization management:

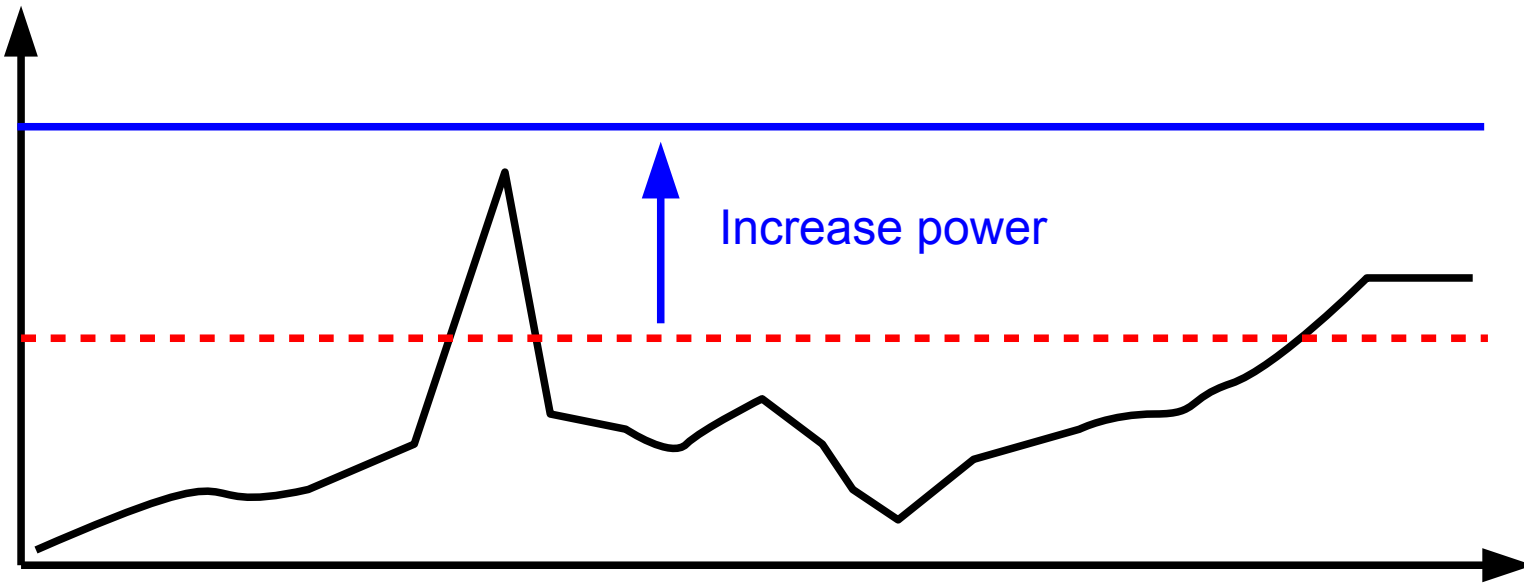
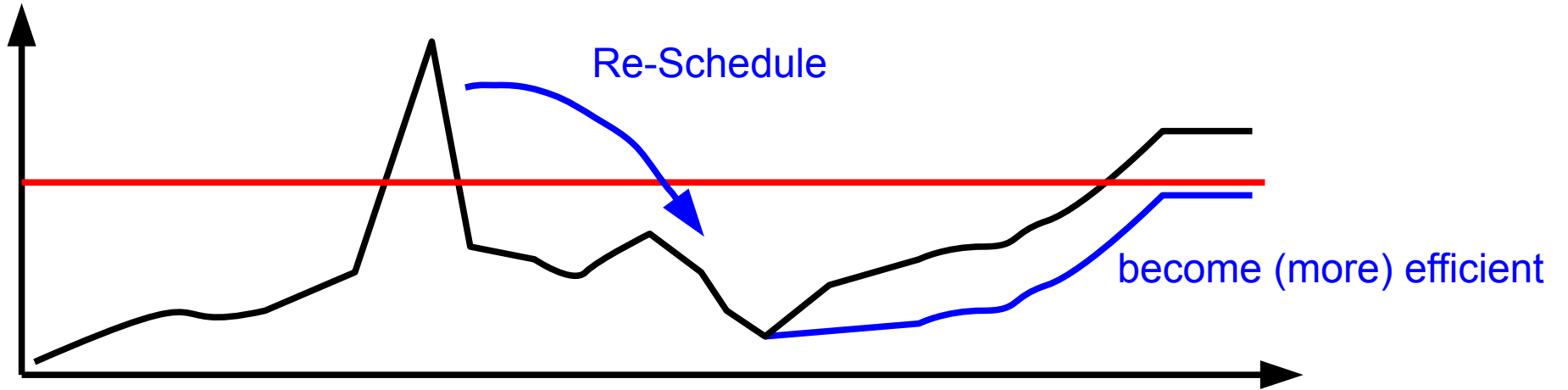
How small can it be?

=> The elbow is the new 100%



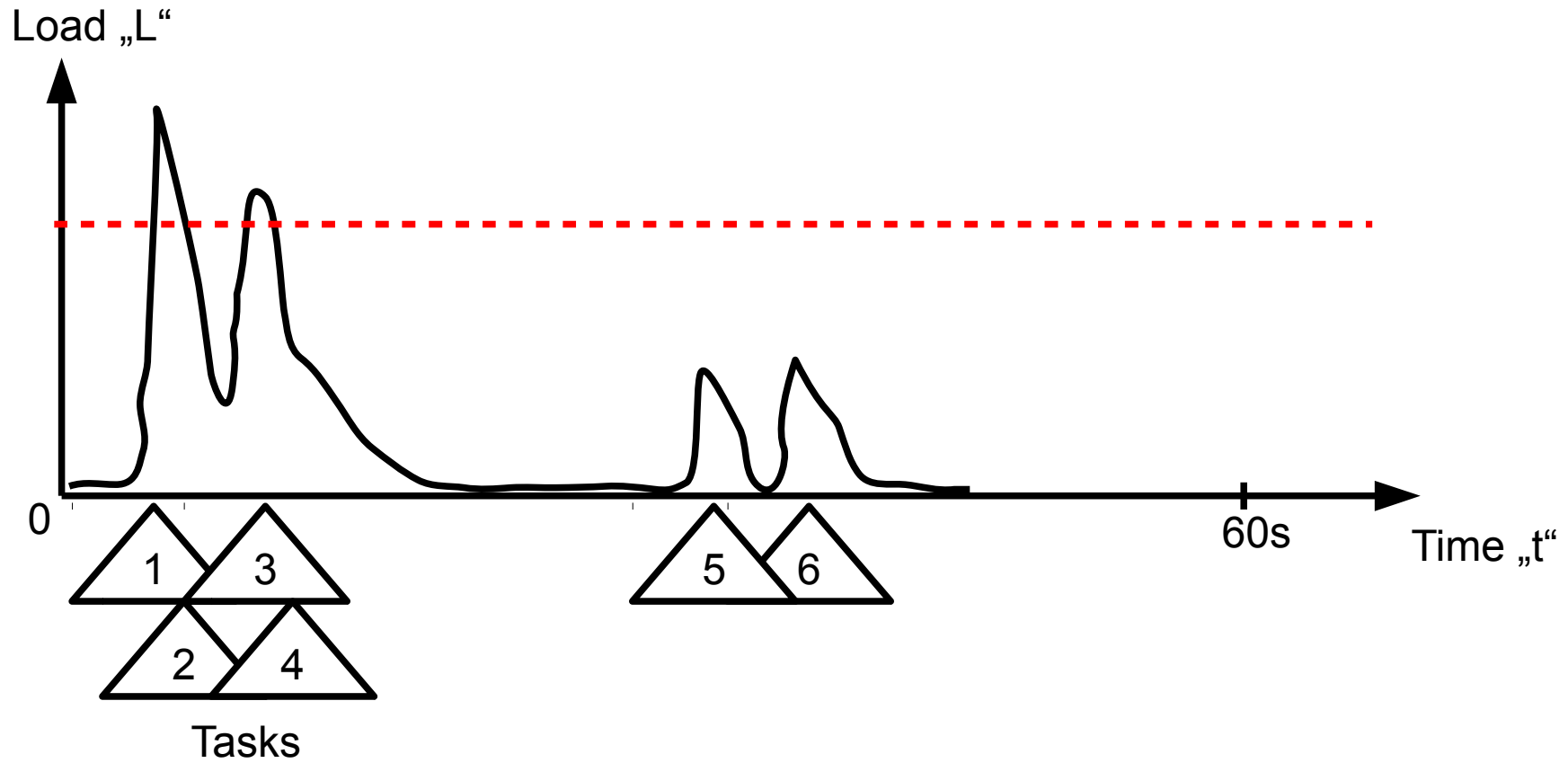
# Reducing Peaks

# Peaks



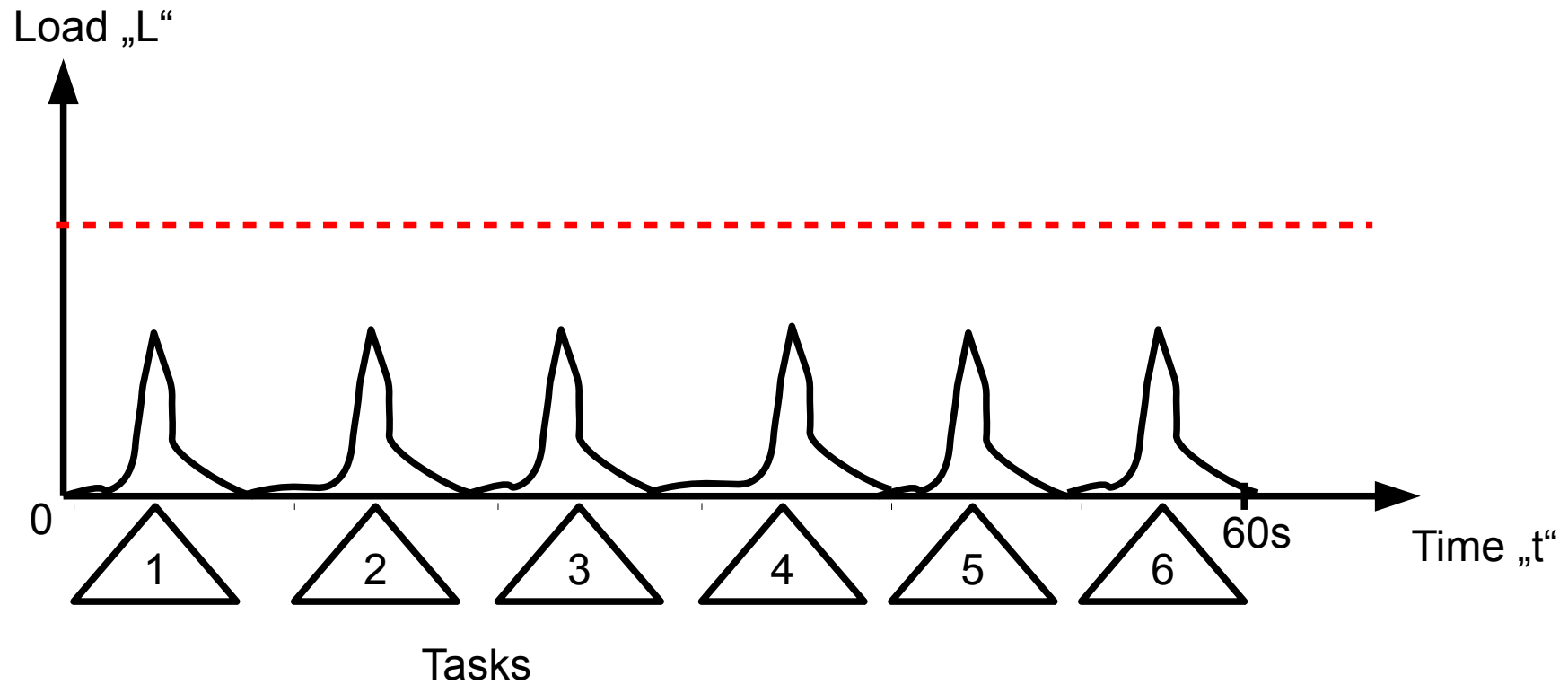
# Random Arrivals

# Random



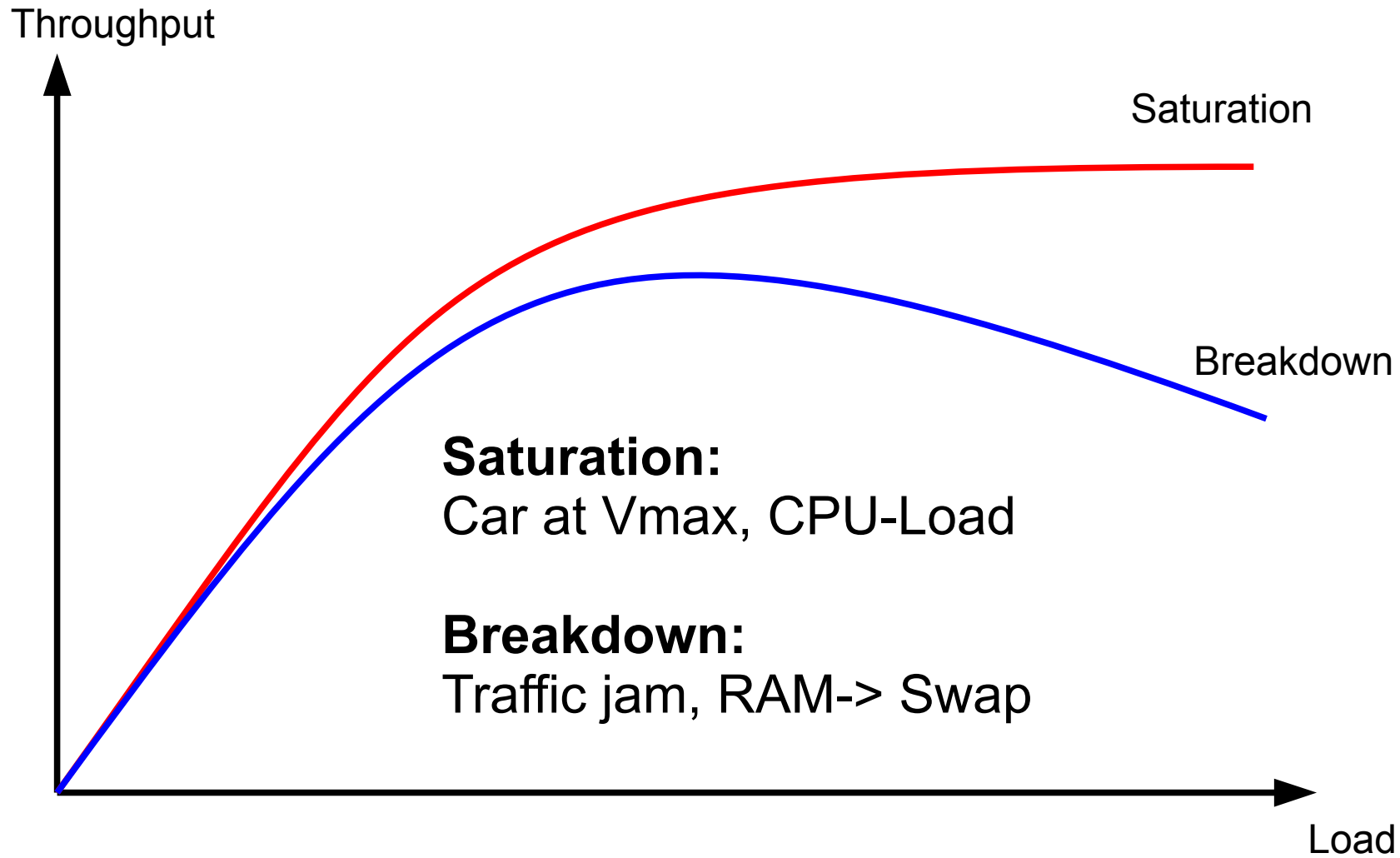


# Deterministic



# The delay in the bigger picture

# Two-class Society





# Performance Testing

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**Just do it!**

You'll find more if you try ...

**You'll never find everything.**

# to measure

/'tu: 'meɜə/

**Measure what?**

**Throughput!**  
**and**  
**Response time!**

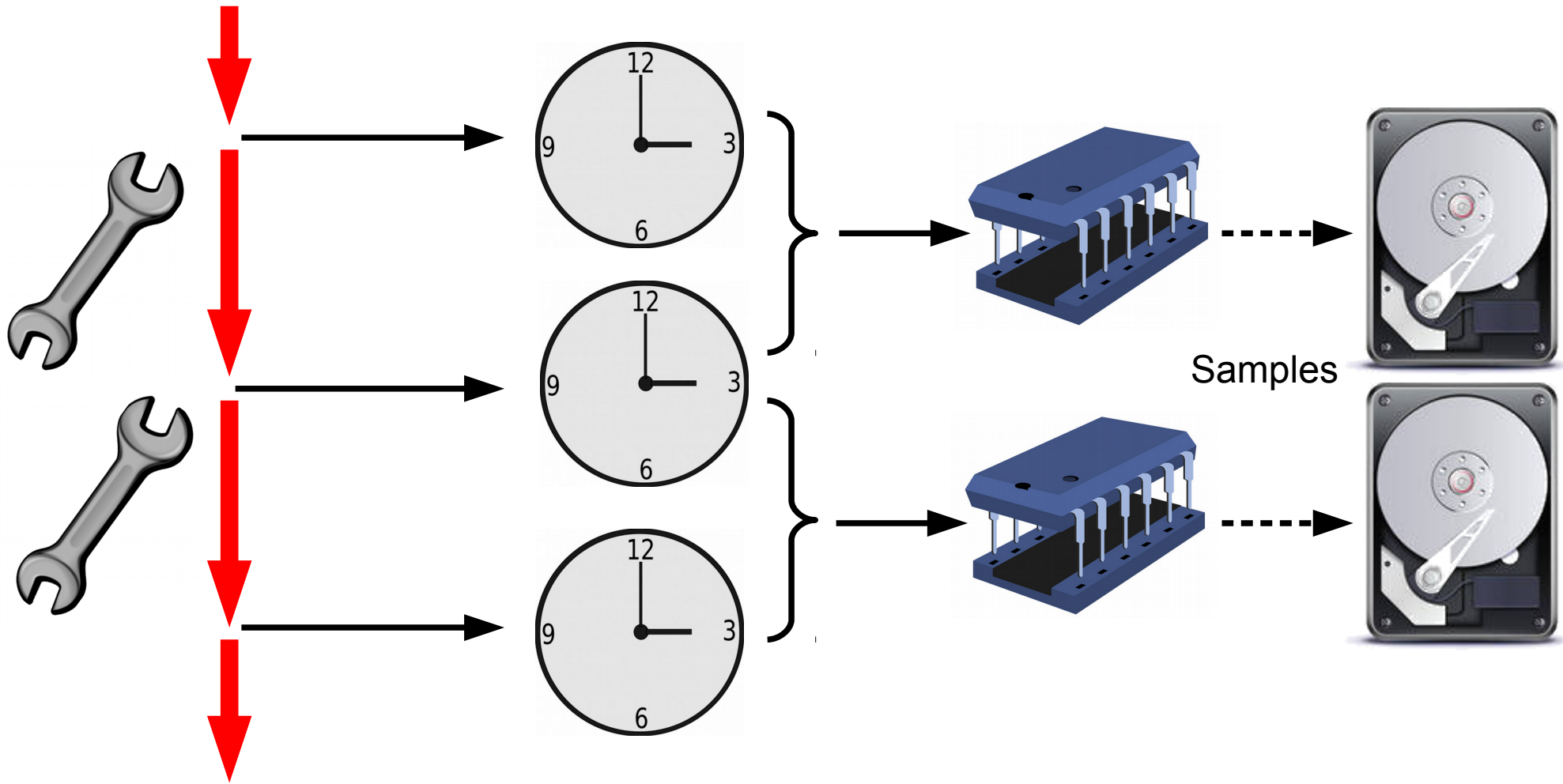


# S.M.S.

Seiner Majestät Schiff?  
Short Message Service?

# Surrogate Measure Sucks

## Measure everything - Reduce data



# Code Instrumentation

# Performance is a feature

**Performance is a feature!**

**Planning <- Cost**  
**Implement -> Use**

Specify in same detail  
as you do with other features

# Overhead

- 30%

By qualified Instrumentation (=Feedback) you'll improve quality.  
This leverages the additional cost by far.

(More) Ressource  
Consumption

Makes you (more)  
vulnerable

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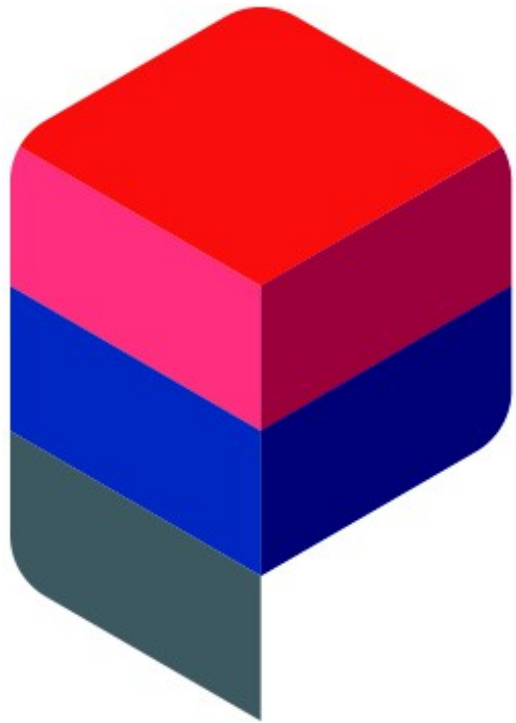


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