



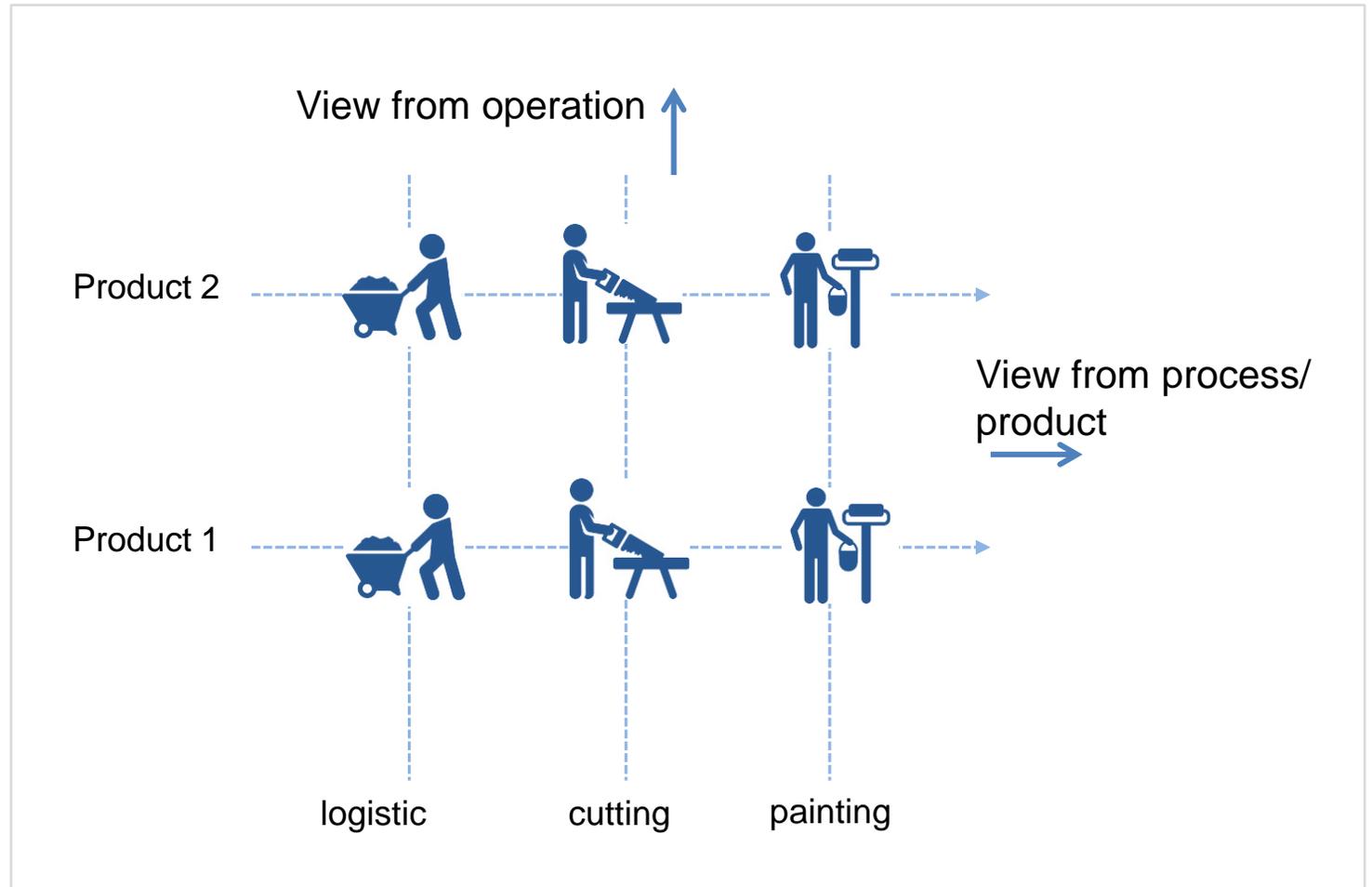
FLOW IN TAKTED PROJECTS – A PRACTICAL ANALYSIS OF FLOW AND RESOURCE EFFICIENCY

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- Research question
How well can flow in takt production be planned and controlled?
- Method:
Literature review about takt and flow
Development of a measurement system for flow in takt projects

Basics of flow (1/2): Flow perspectives

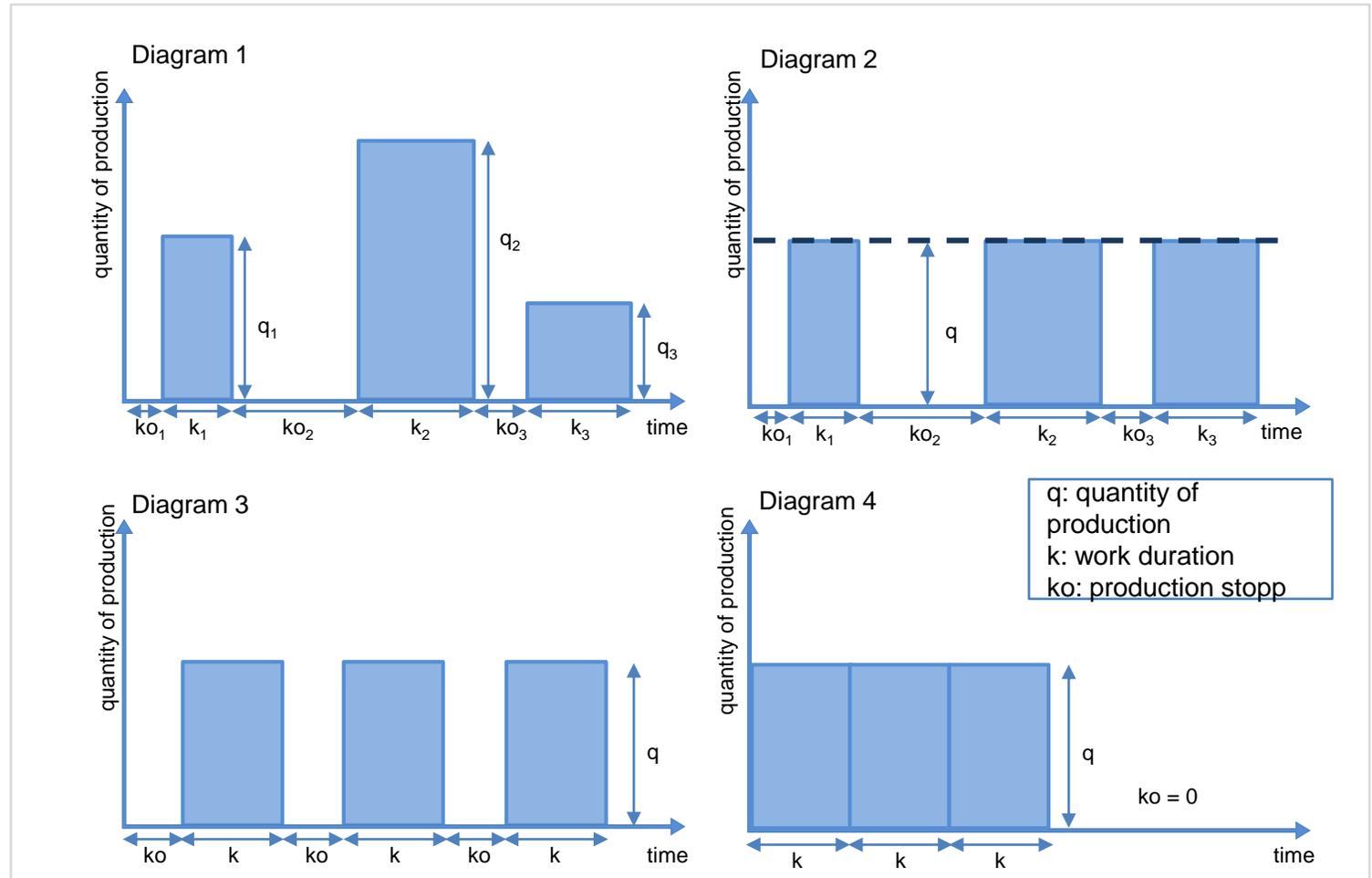
- Product flow
- Operation flow



Basics of flow (2/2): Properties of flow

- Consistency
- Rhythm
- Continuity

- Flow efficiency (location)
- Flow efficiency (trade)



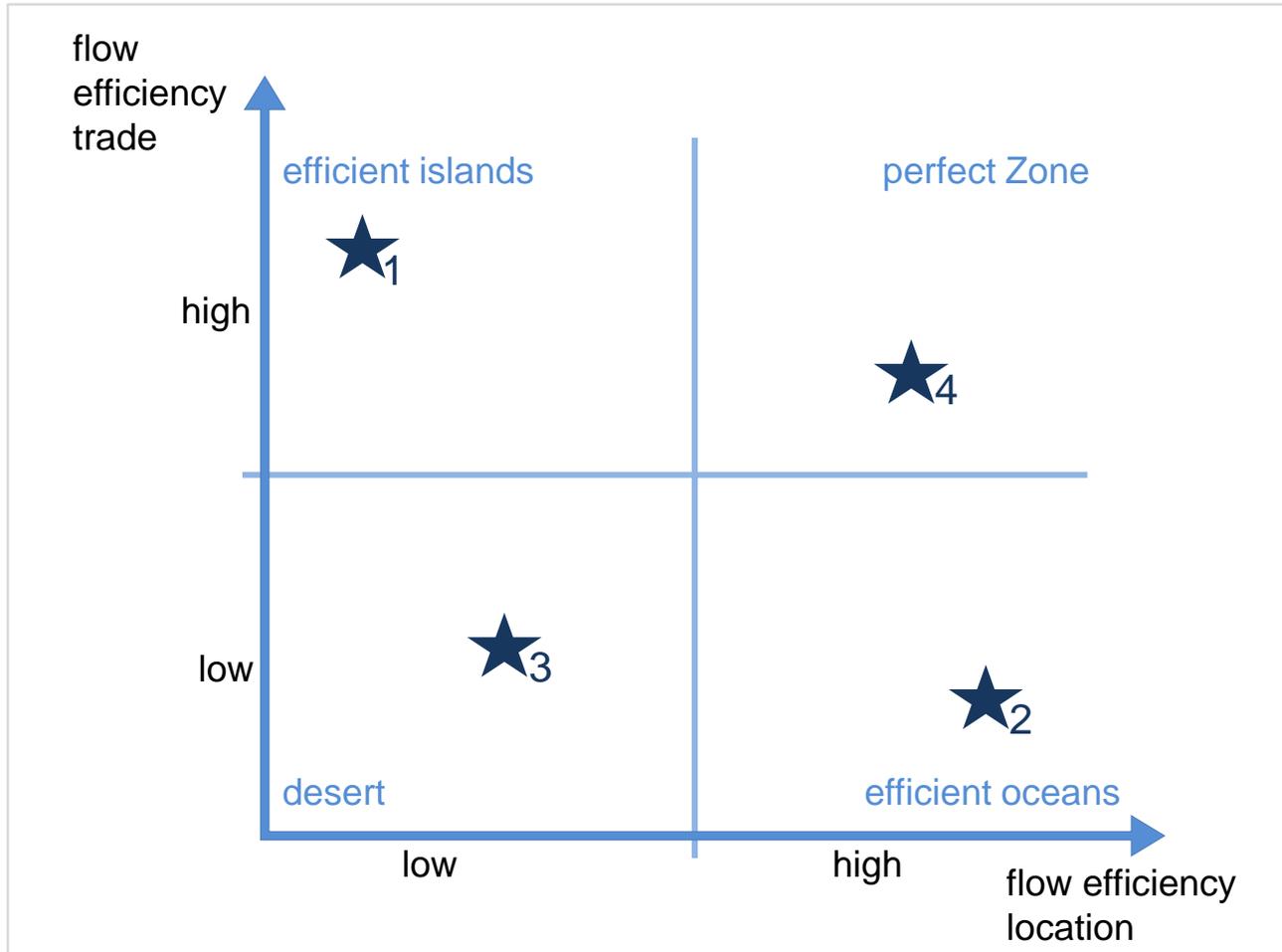
Measuring continuity?

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TA6								W1	W2	W3	W4			W5	W6			
TA7									W1	W2	W3	W4			W5			W6
TA8										W1	W2	W3		W4		W5	W6	
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- Flow efficiency (location) = 6 / (6+6) = 50%
- Flow efficiency (trade) = 8 / (8+2) = 80%

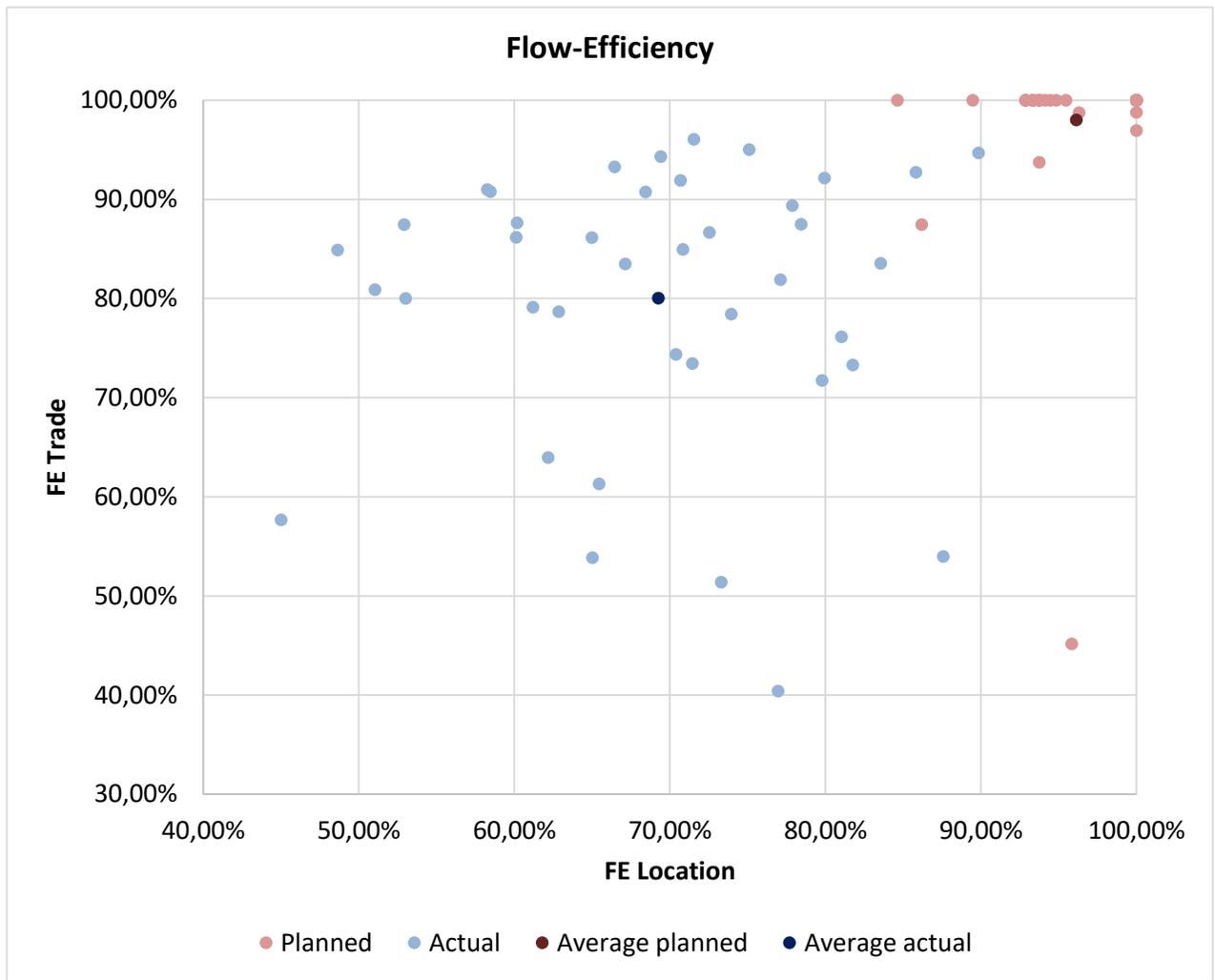
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Measuring continuity?



How well can flow in takt production be planned and controlled?

	Planned	Actual
FE Trade	98,02 %	80,03 %
FE Location	96,13 %	69,25 %



Findings and Conclusion

1. Reduction in flow efficiency during Takt Control
2. Differences in flow efficiency between the location and trade perspectives are notable