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PMBOK KA-4: Project Cost Management

Tying in with knowledge area 3, PMBOK KA-4, Project Cost

Management deals with bringing a project in within the predetermined

budget. This area includes the subareas Resource Planning (deciding

when, where, or whether resources will be used and for what tasks),

Cost Estimating (making informed predictions as to what the project

will cost), Cost Budgeting (deciding which tasks get what funds), and

Cost Control (regulating changes to the project due to changes in the

budget). These subareas are sometimes seen as a single entity, but

as projects become large, the delineations become more apparent and

"interfaces" between the subareas can be seen.



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Sometimes budgets involve hard choices. http://www.airpurifiers.com/tips.htm