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Cost

Amount of resources for goods and services

Differential

Difference between two alternatives either incremental of decremental

Discretionary

Optional cost depends on management weather they wants to opt for or not

Expense

When the cost is already incurred and expired

Explicit

Cost which is associated with cash outflow

Implicit

Cost which isn't associated with cash outflow

Imputed

Associated cost with decision

Opportunity

Cost of other alternative which is forgone while selecting an alternative

Out-of-Pocket

Supportive Cash outflow

Relevance

Related to particular decision

Sunk

Historical expense incurred in the past