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# Concepts

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## Constraint Based Production Scheduling



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# Key Points



- We introduce the core concepts used in scheduling
- Different layers of description
  - Why we are scheduling (orders, products, processes)
  - What we are doing (jobs, tasks)
- Temporal Relations
- Process description
- Problem classification
- Visualization

# Outline



## Core Concepts

Orders, Products, Processes  
Jobs and Tasks

Temporal Relations

Processes, Bill of Materials

Problem Classification

Key Visualization Methods

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Temporal Relations

Release and Due Date

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Temporal Relations

Processes, Bill of Materials

Problem Classification

- Job-Shop

- Flow-Shop

- Open-Shop

- RCPSP

- $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  Notation

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Summary



- We introduced the key concepts for scheduling problems
- Orders, products, processes
- Jobs and tasks
- Existing problem classifications
  - Academic
  - Limited practical usefulness
- Key visualization methods