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 Selection; Function Cost Matrix; Simplifying the Process; Closing
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 to Consider Causality and Consequential Functioning; Key Elements of a
 FAST Model; Scope Lines
 Highest-Order Function(s) Lowest-Order Function(s); Basic Function(s);
 Content; Requirements or Specifications; Dependent Functions;
 Independent (Support) Functions; Logic Path Functions; Articulating
 Theories in FAST; Variations of How-Why Questions; Considering And-
 Or Along the Logic Path; Considering And in the When Direction;
 Considering Or in the When Direction; FAST Model-Building Process:
 Product Example; Expanding the Number of Functions; Case for Using
 Active Verbs; Purpose of Expanding Functions; Avoiding Duplicate
 Functions; Starter Kit Functions
 Preparations for Building a FAST Model Build How and Test Why;
 Relationship of the Left Scope Line to the Basic Function; Right Scope
 Line; Left Scope Line; What's the Problem?; Defining the Problem; Three
 Questions Before Starting the FAST Process; How the Strategic
 Questions Are Asked in a Workshop; Symbols and Notations Used in
 FAST Modeling; Taking Exception to the FAST Rules; Independent
 Functions Above the Logic Path, Activities Below the Logic Path; No
 Activities in the Major Logic Path; Only Two Words Used to Describe
 Functions; Loop-Back Modeling; Validating the Logic Flow
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Sommario/riassunto

Practical techniques to help any organization innovate and succeed In
 this groundbreaking book, internationally acclaimed authors
 demonstrate that innovation can be mastered via systematic and
 replicable methods. Following careful instructions and guidelines,
 readers discover how to foster the ingenuity that resides within all
 organizations and how it can be most efficiently and effectively used to
 create value. At the core of this book is the Function Analysis Systems
 Technique (FAST). FAST is a powerful mapping technique that
 graphically models projects, products, and processes
