



There are several names for it:

- The Project Management Triangle
- The Triple Constraint
- The Iron Triangle



... all referencing that people try to have projects all three ways:

Good... Fast... Cheap

However, I've learned that no matter what it is – in business or in ministry – that you can normally only have two of the three at any one time. If you want it good and fast, you better be ready to pay a little extra, because it won't be cheap. If you want it cheap and good, you need to be willing to wait longer for it to be fit into the production schedule, because you won't be at the front of the line. If you want it fast and cheap, you need to be willing to compromise your expectations of quality.

Our experience: you should mentally choose which two you really want **before** you start, and you'll be more at peace with what you are doing.

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