

Value Engineering Guide

Interior Design & Architecture

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Get value-engineering options for an interior project that is over budget — where to substitute materials/specs, simplify or phase, and re-prioritise — to cut cost while protecting the look and function the client cares about. Describe the situation below.

Purpose of this tool & output

Cut cost without cutting the look

How the output is used

Use it to cut cost without cutting the look — a value-engineering analysis of where to substitute or simplify safely.

Who should vet it

A senior designer or quantity surveyor, to confirm a substitution does not hurt quality or the look before you make it.

Important cautions

AI-generated options; validate savings with vendor quotes and confirm with the client.

Companion documents

- Interior BOQ Preparation
- Interior Cost Estimate
- Interior Quotation Builder
- Client Budget Planning Guide
- Project Cost Control Plan
- Rate Analysis

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