In the exposure triangle the perfect exposure indicated at 0 on the EV scale can be achieved by adjustment to any of the 3 parameters of ISO, Aperture or Shutter speed. For example a 2 EV over exposure can be corrected by either:

1. decrease iso by 2EV
2. increase shutter speed by 2EV
3. Decrease aperture by 2EV (smaller fstop #)
4. 1EV adjustment in 2 of the 3 parameters

The diagram shows the negative effects of changing the controls.