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# METHODOLOGY TO IDENTIFY SPIS-REGULATOR

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## Today's Meeting

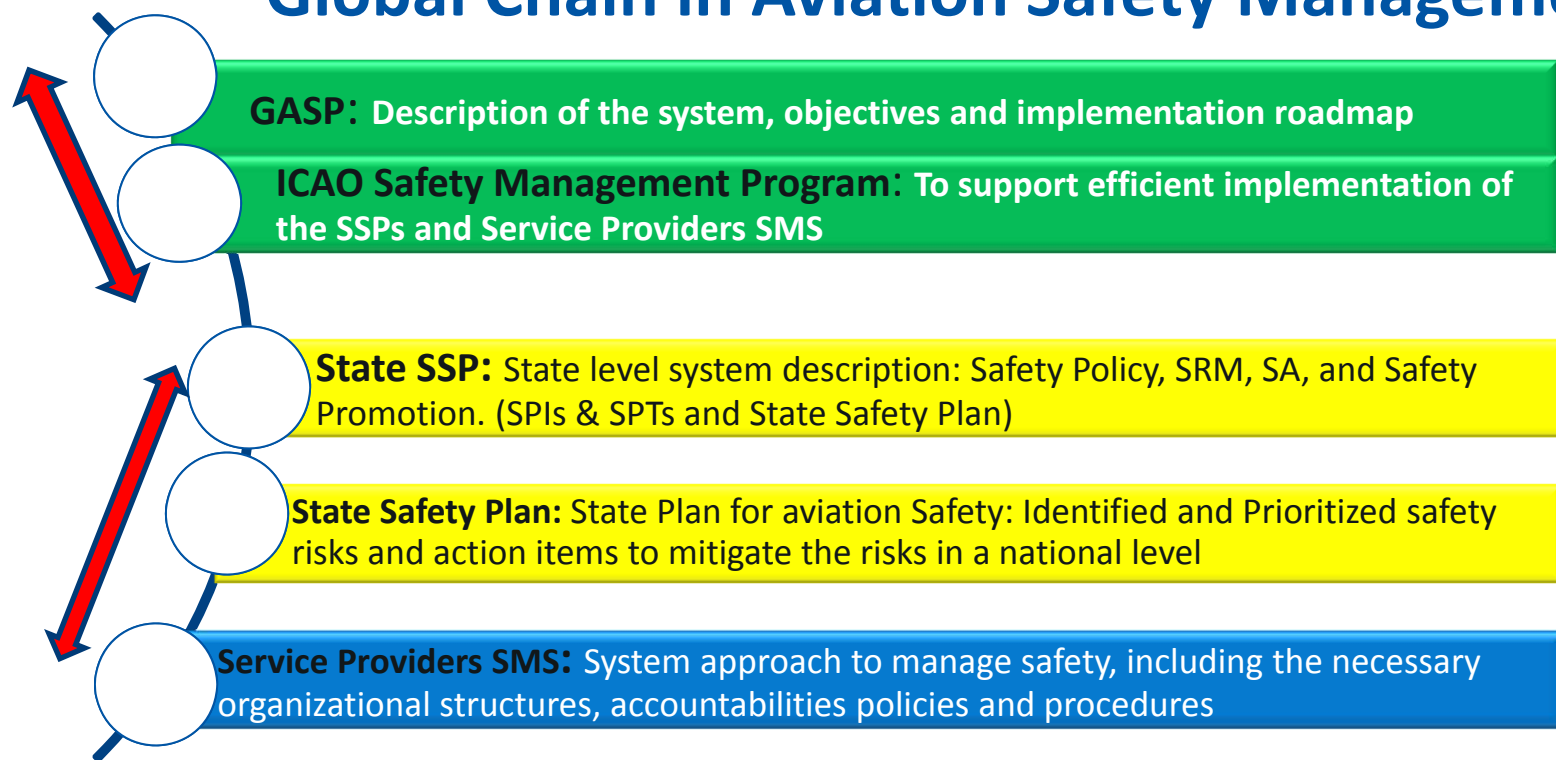
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**We need to manage safety, **but....****  
**...we can not manage what we can not measure, **so ...****  
**...we need indicators to measure the system's performance.**



## Global Chain in Aviation Safety Management





## SSP Implementation Challenges

Challenges in achieving effective safety management implementation have been identified and include:

- ✓ Putting in place appropriate legislation and supporting mechanisms for the protection of safety data and safety information
- ✓ Properly managing interfaces between SSP and SMS, and between the SMS of service providers and between the SMS of service providers and other third party organizations
- ✓ Identifying and addressing the safety management competencies needed across the organization
- ✓ **Identifying appropriate safety performance indicators and targets**



**ICAO Annex 19- Safety management**  
**3.4 Safety Assurance**  
**3.4.2 State Safety performance**

***“State shall establish the acceptable level safety performance to be achieved through SSP”***

- *An acceptable level of safety performance for the State can be achieved through the implementation and maintenance of the SSP*
- *as well as safety performance indicators and targets*
- *showing that safety is effectively managed and built on the foundation of implementation of existing safety-related SARPs*



## ICAO Annex 19 – Safety Management

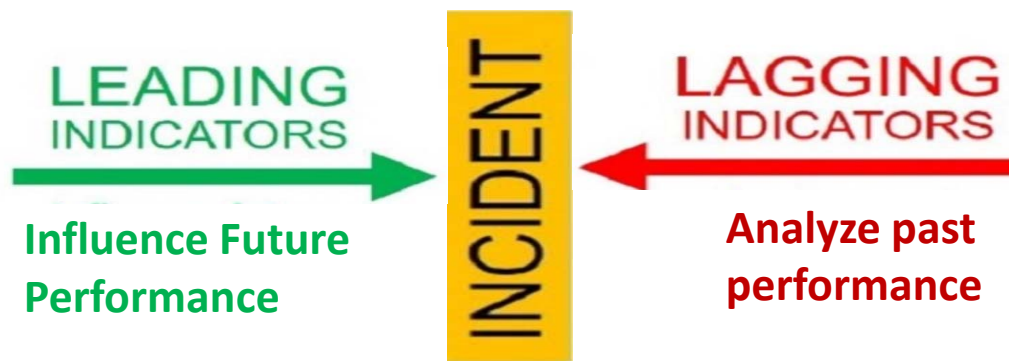
**Safety Performance:** Safety achievement as defined by the safety performance targets and indicators.

**Safety Performance Indicator:** Data-base parameter used for monitoring and assessing safety performance

**Safety Performance Target:** Planned or intended objective for safety performance indicator over given period



## Lagging Vs leading indicators

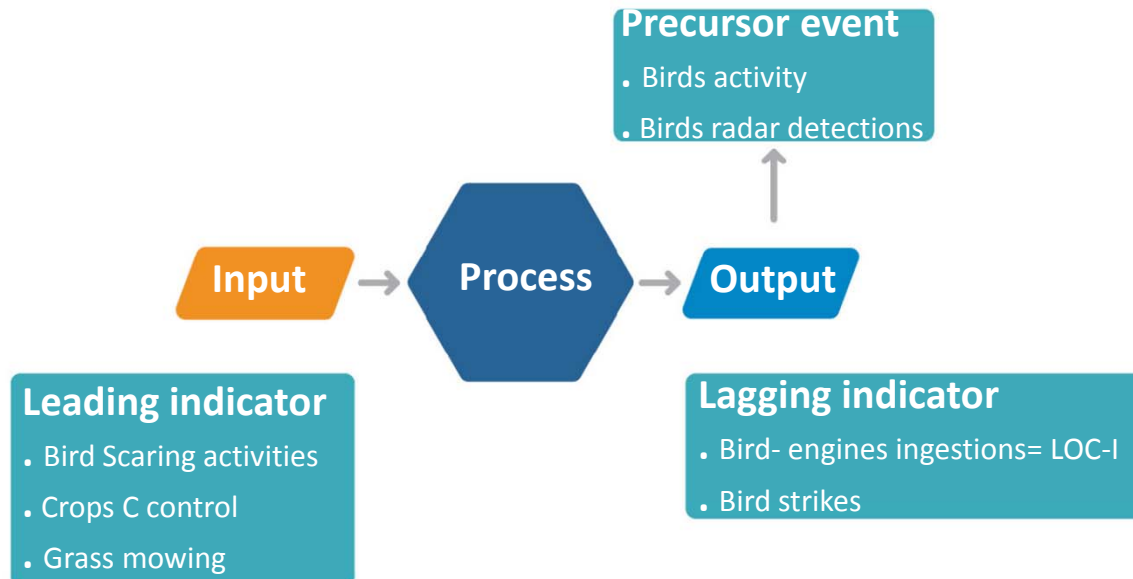


**Leading SPIs** measure processes and inputs being implemented to improve or maintain safety. Also known as **“activity or process SPIs”** as they monitor and measure conditions that have the potential to become or contribute To a specific outcome

**Lagging SPIs** measure events that have already occurred. They are also referred to as **“outcome-based SPIs”** and are normally the negative outcomes the organization is aiming to avoid



## *Lagging Vs leading indicators concept phases*





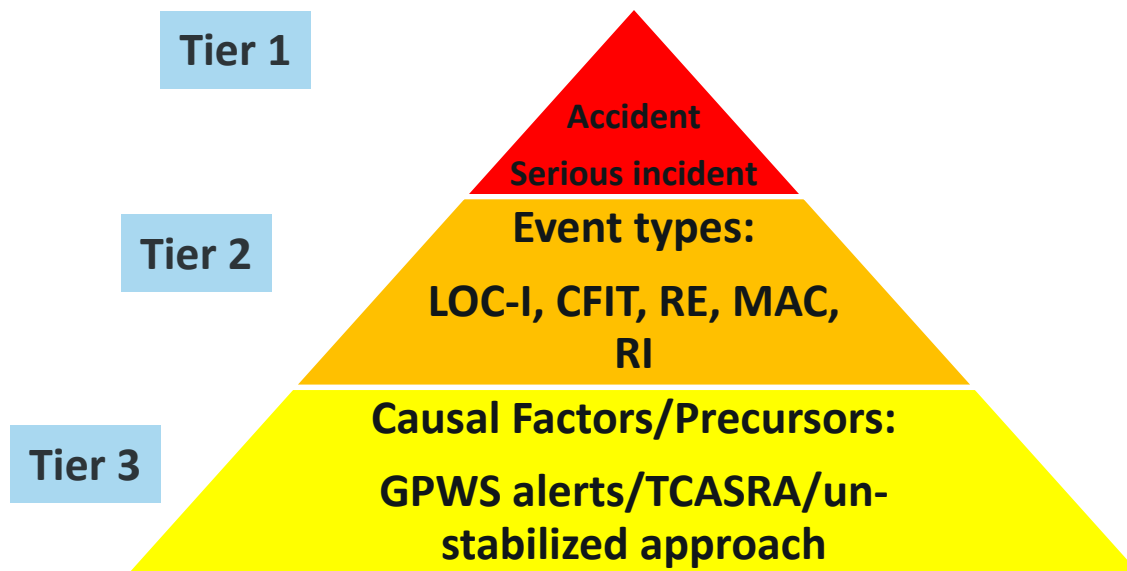
## *Lagging indicators*

Lagging SPIs are divided into two types:

- **Low probability/high severity:** outcomes such as **accidents** or **serious incidents**.
- **High probability/low severity:** outcomes that did not necessarily manifest themselves in a serious incident or accident, these are sometimes also referred to as **precursor indicators**. SPIs for high probability/low severity outcomes are primarily used **to monitor specific safety issues** and **measure the effectiveness of existing safety risk mitigations**.

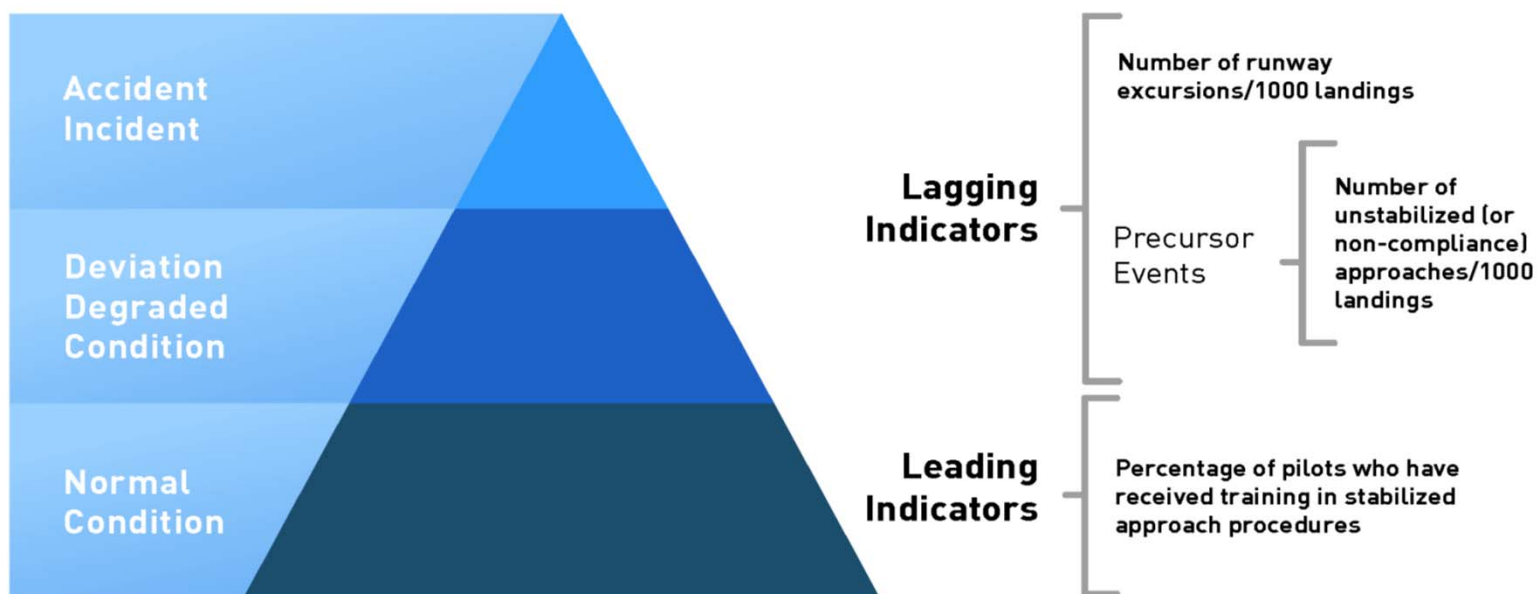


## *Lagging indicators*





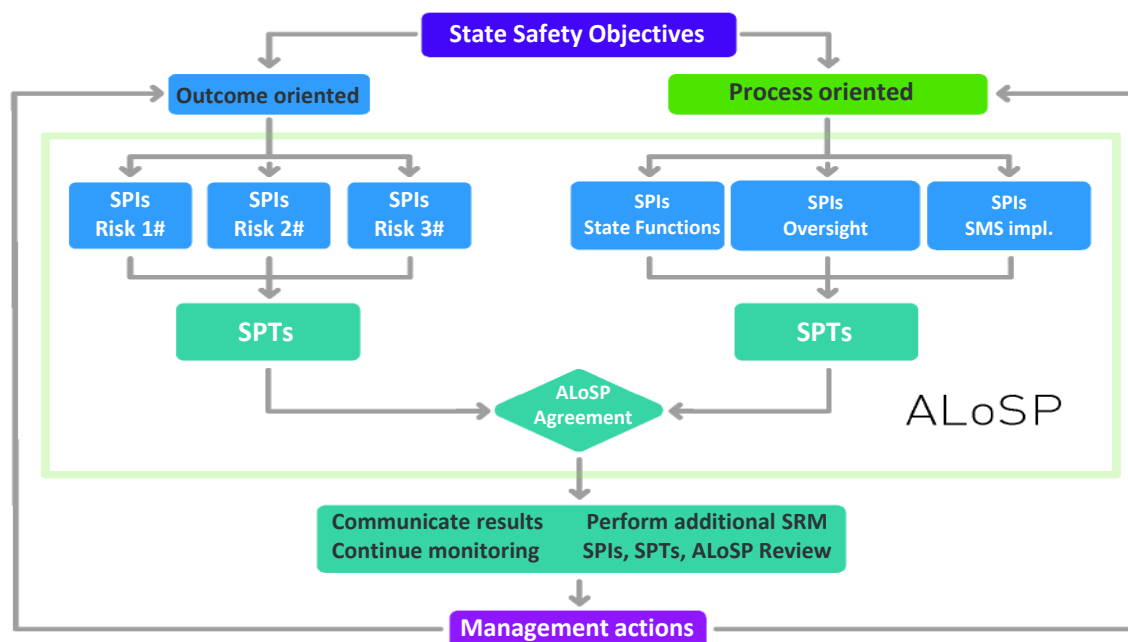
## Examples of links between lagging and leading indicators



Combined leading and lagging indicators provide a more comprehensive and realistic picture of the organization's safety performance.



# Acceptable level of safety performance (ALoSP)



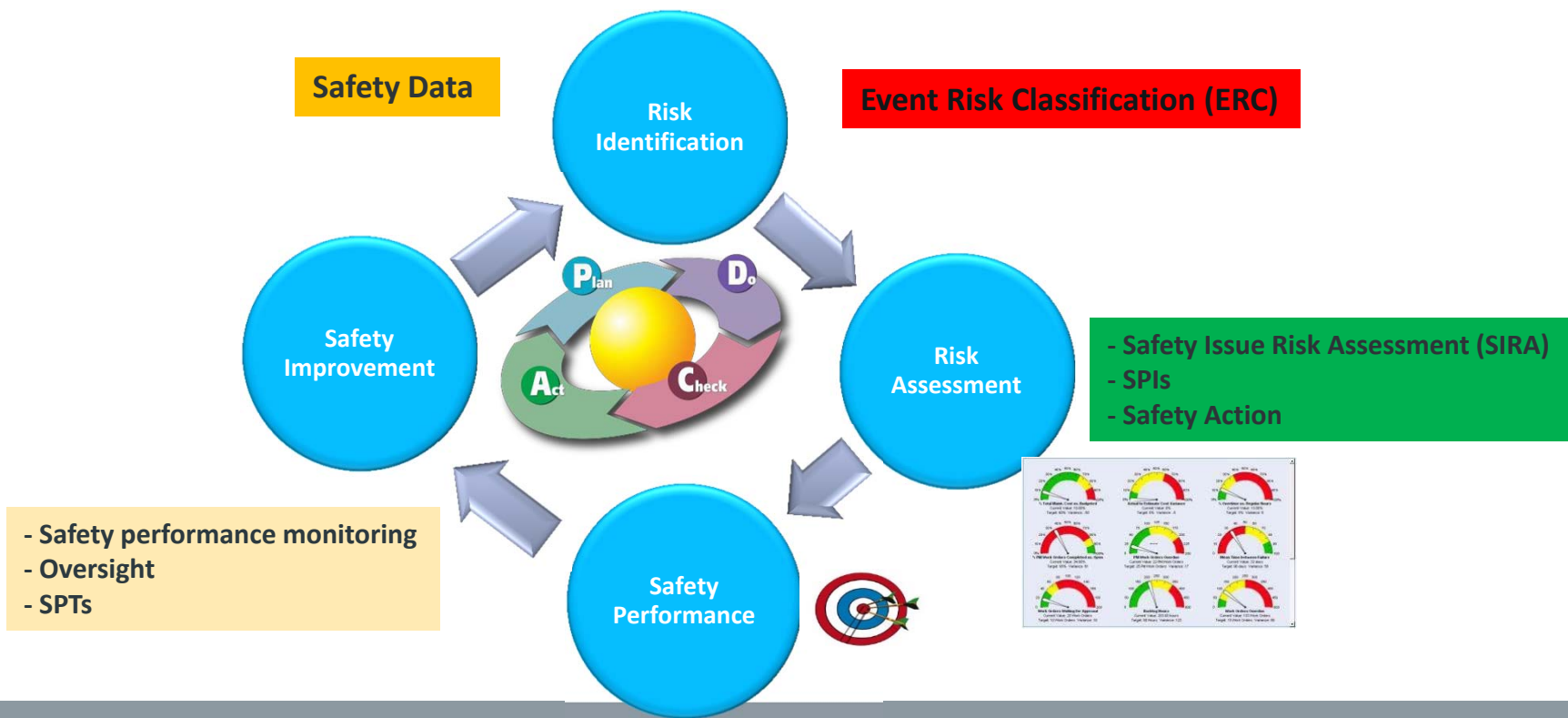


## Objective: Aviation Safety Risk Management Picture

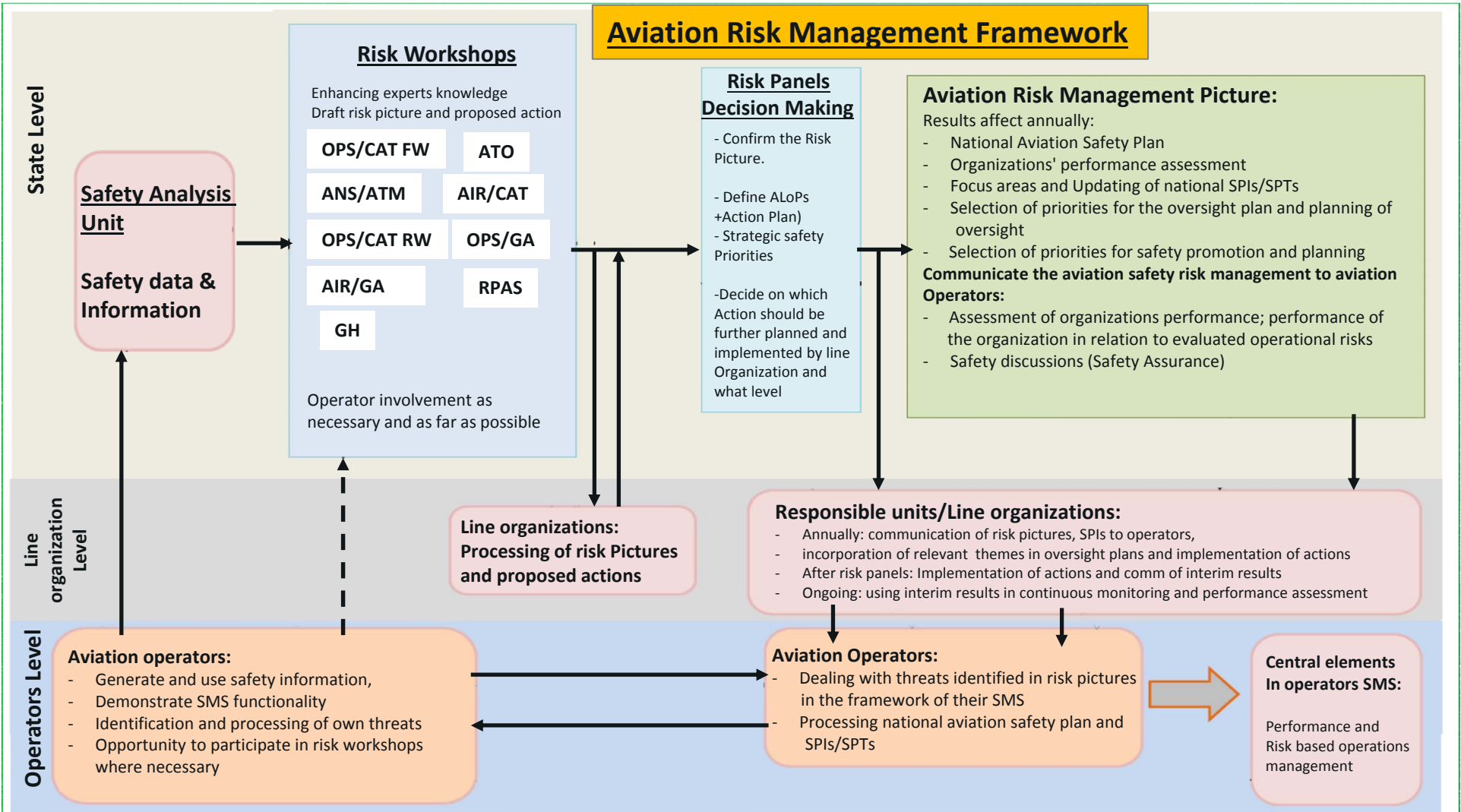
The vision is to be able to visualize a big picture of risks so that they could be compared side-by-side instead of treating different threats one by one separated in time. Such an integrated risk picture should enable identifying both critical issues and opportunities where safety could be improved significantly and by effectively using the resources



# Deming Cycle



# Aviation Risk Management Framework







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## Safety Analysis Unit- Capture of safety data

### Analysis Unit

Safety data & Information

**Reactive:** Analysis of past events and outcomes

- ASR, MOR, VOR
- Hazard Identification
- Safety Investigation

**Proactive:** Analysis of present and real time events

- VOR, incident reports
- Surveys, Audits
- Compliance monitoring

**Predictive:** Forecast future events or outcomes

- FDM, Reliability Analysis
- Process Monitoring
- Statistical Analysis





## Risk identification- ARMS Event Risk Classification

It can be applied to all safety data which describes individual events. This step called Event Risk Classification (ERC): The objective is twofold:

- First, to understand what was the risk involved in a specific historical event and;
- Second, being able to treat a large number of events through their cumulated risk rather than only counting numbers of events.



## ERC-a matter of three steps



### Question 2

What was the effectiveness of the remaining barriers between this event and the most credible accident scenario?

	Effective	Limited	Minimal	Not effective
	50	102	502	2500
	10	21	101	500
	2	4	20	100
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### Question 1

If this event had escalated into an accident outcome, what would have been the most credible outcome?

Catastrophic Accident	Loss of aircraft or multiple fatalities (3 or more)
Major Accident	1 or 2 fatalities, multiple serious injuries, major damage to the aircraft
Minor Injuries or damage	Minor injuries, minor damage to aircraft
No accident outcome	No potential damage or injury could occur

Typical accident scenarios
Loss of control, mid air collision, uncontrollable fire on board, explosions, total structural failure of the aircraft, collision with terrain
High speed taxiway collision, major turbulence injuries
Pushback accident, minor weather damage
Any event which could not escalate into an accident, even if it may have operational consequences (e.g. diversion, delay, individual sickness)



## What are we achieving?

- Rapid risk assessment of aviation occurrences
- Focusing proactive activities such as trend monitoring and research investigation
- Identifying low frequency and high risk occurrences
- Documenting all likely situations that increase risk

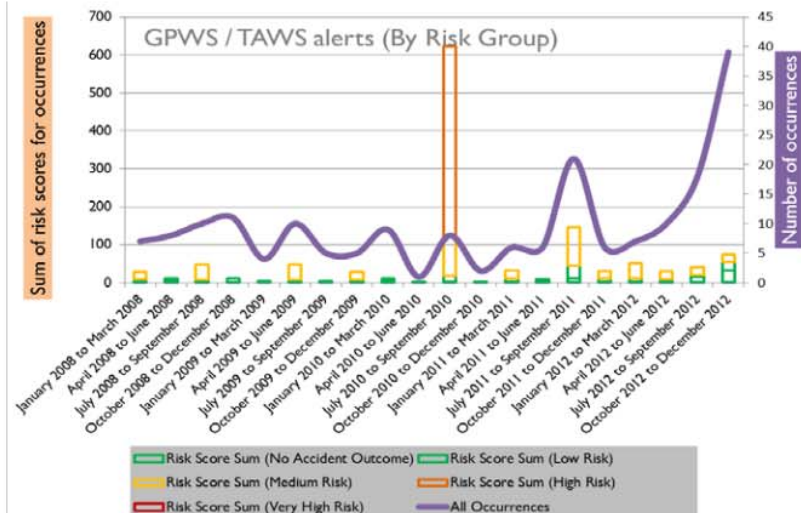
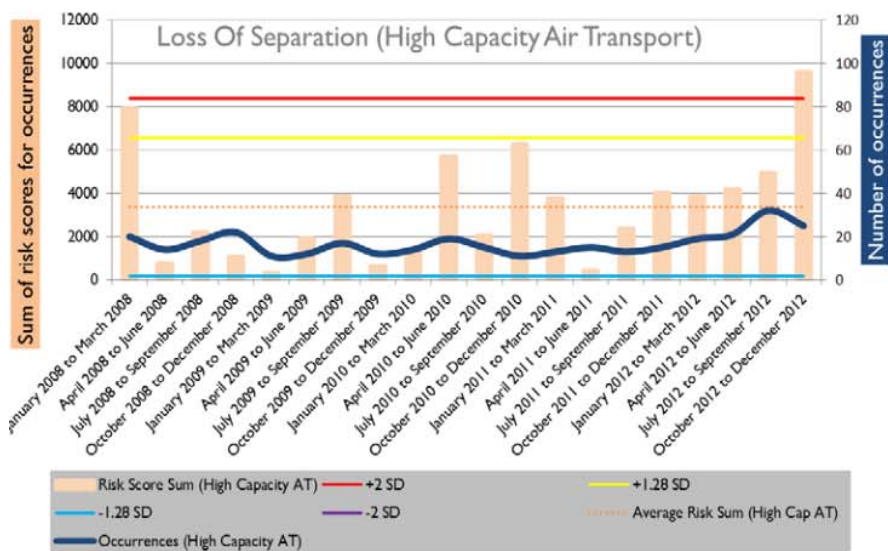


## What are we achieving?

- ERC will produce a numerical Risk index value for each event
- Summing together the event risk values from different events gives cumulative event risk value which can be very useful in identifying threats and safety issues
- Graphical “risk picture” for occurrence type
- Pick out high risk occurrences at glanced

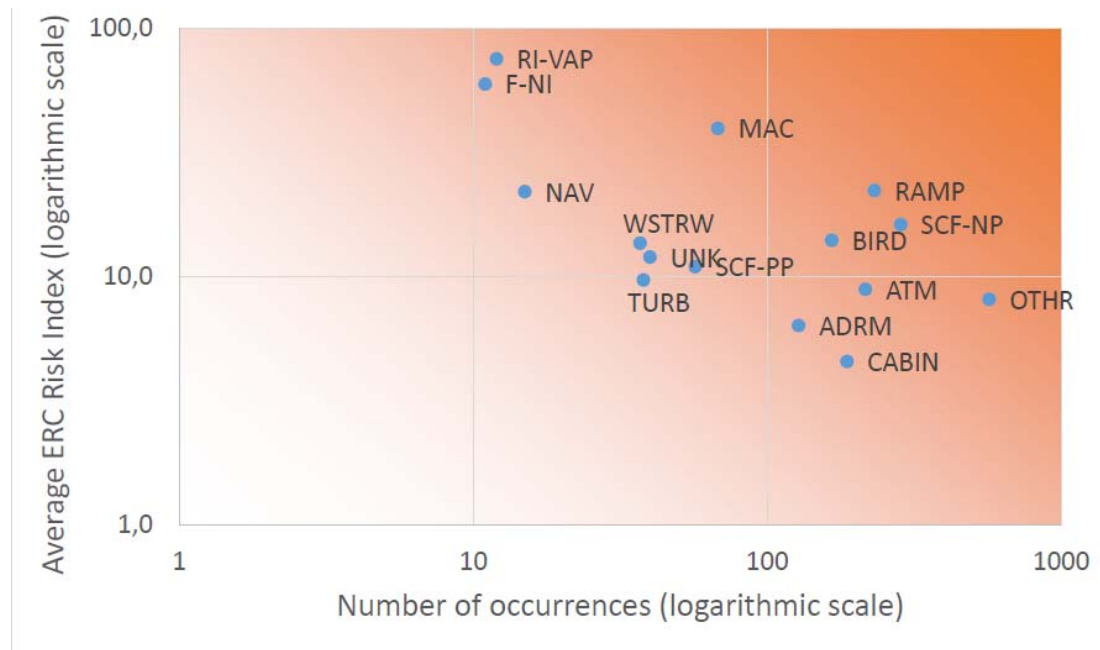


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## What we can do with ERC?





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## Support Role of the Safety Analysis Unit

Preparatory tasks to be done between the workshops:

- Proposing the agendas and the specific topics of focus.
- Assuring the analysis functions related to incoming data, including categorization and preliminary analyses, and event risk assessment .
- Carrying out risk identification and proposing new potential threats and safety issues to the risk workshop.
- Proposing a preliminary set of scenarios related to a new threat/safety issue.
- Maintaining the risk pictures.





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## Support Role of the Safety Analysis Unit

- Maintaining the links between safety events and the other elements in the risk picture.
- Helping the risk workshop to make sense of the risk picture by proposing appropriate ways to visualize it.
- Gathering information related to a safety issue on the agenda.
- Identifying the blind spots related to a threat or safety issue.
- Supporting the monitoring of ongoing actions through available data



## Main tasks of the risk workshops



Process data integration to make sure that all relevant information contributing to risk assessment and decision making is gathered and that all different types of information are combined, enabling the shared understanding of risks and the creation of the risk picture.



## Integrating the Source information

- **Events Data** are transformed into risk information using event risk assessment before it can enter the main risk analysis and evaluation process
- **Preliminary studies** and analyses from the operators, potentially benefiting from event risk assessment
- **Safety issues** are identified safety concerns which may be risk assessed using the Safety Issue Risk Assessment (SIRA).



## Integrating the Source information

- **Oversight information:** The oversight activities produce information related to audits such as audit findings and audit reports. People who carry out the oversight activities know more than can be written down in reports.
- **Assumed Threats:** Information from relevant researches, studies and from experts experience and knowledge.
- **Future threats:** Collect different potential futures threats and try to pick the important threats that may be emerging.



## Main tasks of the risk workshops



- Identify key hazards / threats/Safety issues in the relevant sector of aviation and define scenarios
- Risk assessments and Proposals on the need for further actions
- Studying the risk picture as a whole, both in terms of risks and potential mitigations
- Monitor and evaluate the implementation and effectiveness of actions
- Maintain the aviation risk picture annually

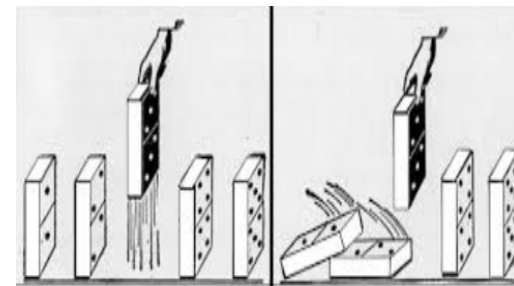


## Identification of potential safety issues

- To maintain an overview it is necessary to apply a classification. Two criteria to be applied:

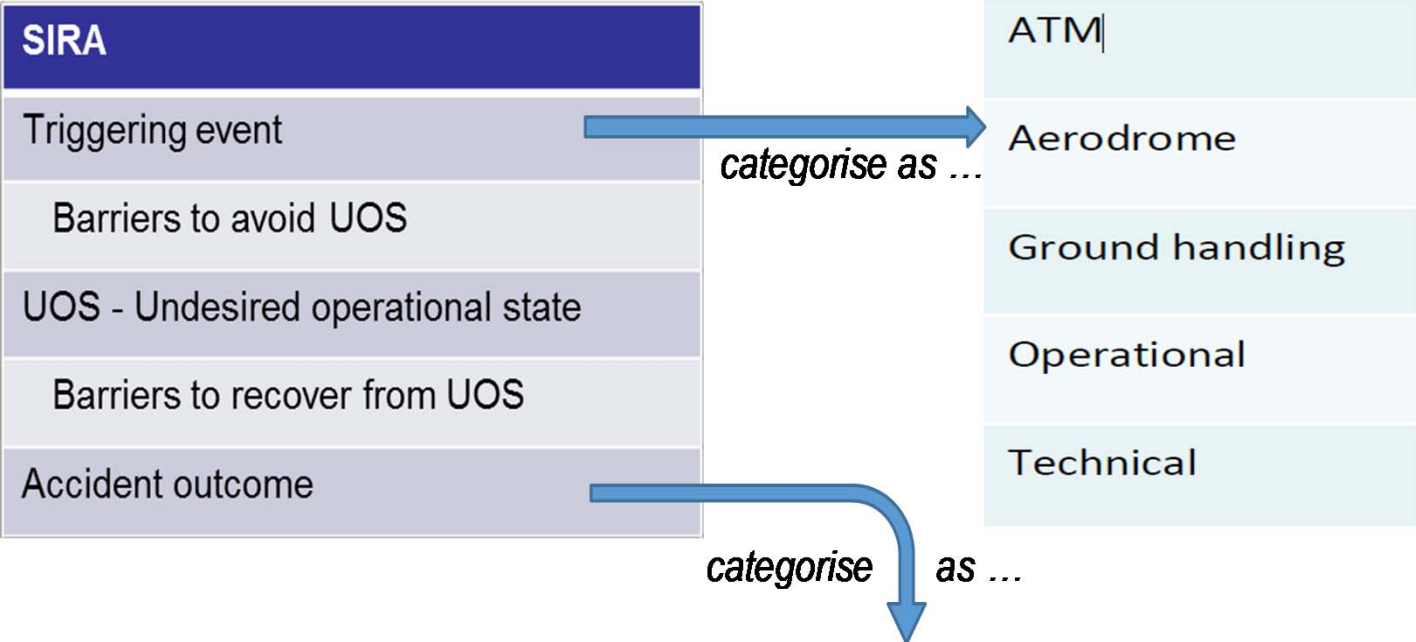
### 1- the domain of the triggering event:

- ATM (Air traffic management)
- Aerodrome
- Ground handling
- Operational
- Airworthiness (technical)



### 2- The type of potential accident outcome:

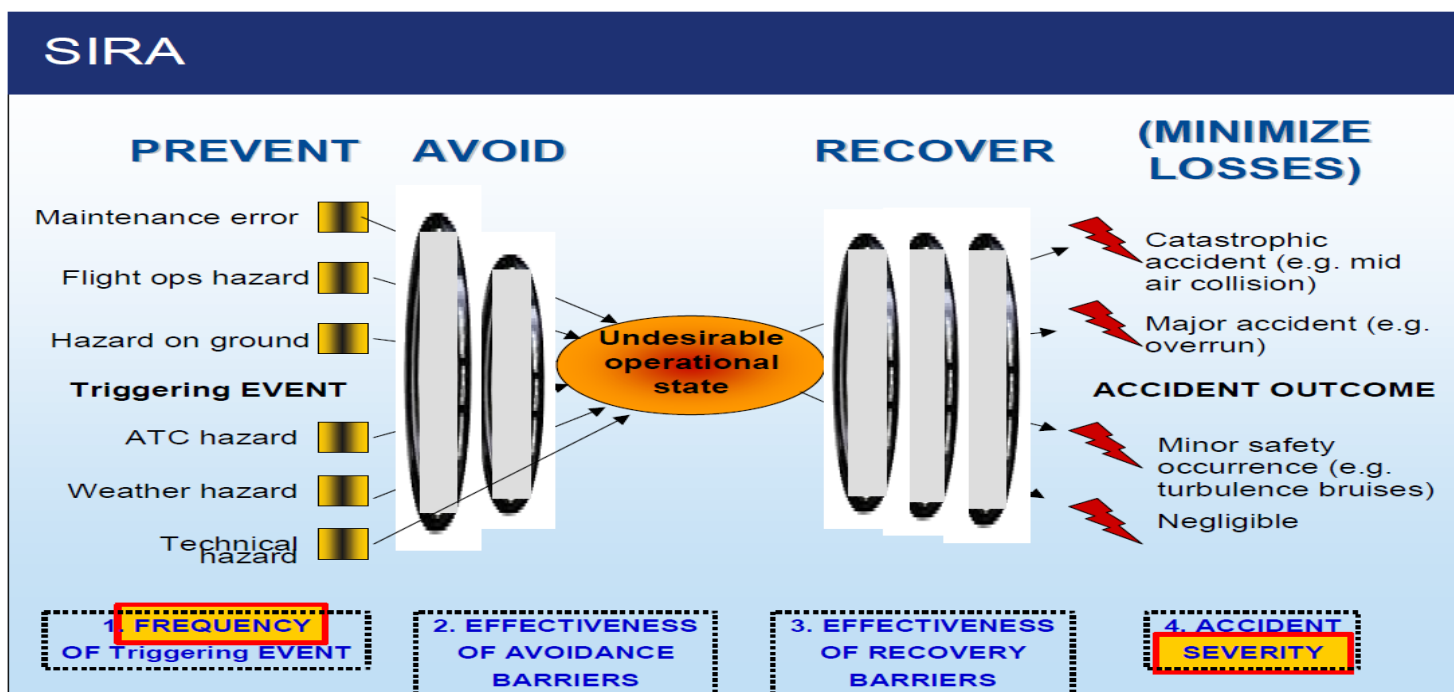
- 7 types been defined, corresponding to the “feared consequences” of the risk portfolio of DGCA France\*.



<b>CFIT</b> <b>Controlled flight into terrain</b>	<b>LOC-I</b> <b>Loss of control in flight</b>	<b>MAC</b> <b>Mid-air collision</b>	<b>GCOL</b> <b>Ground collision</b>	<b>RE</b> <b>Runway excursion</b>	<b>Damage/ injury in flight</b>	<b>Damage/ injury on ground</b>
catastrophic	catastrophic	catastrophic	catastrophic	major	minor	minor



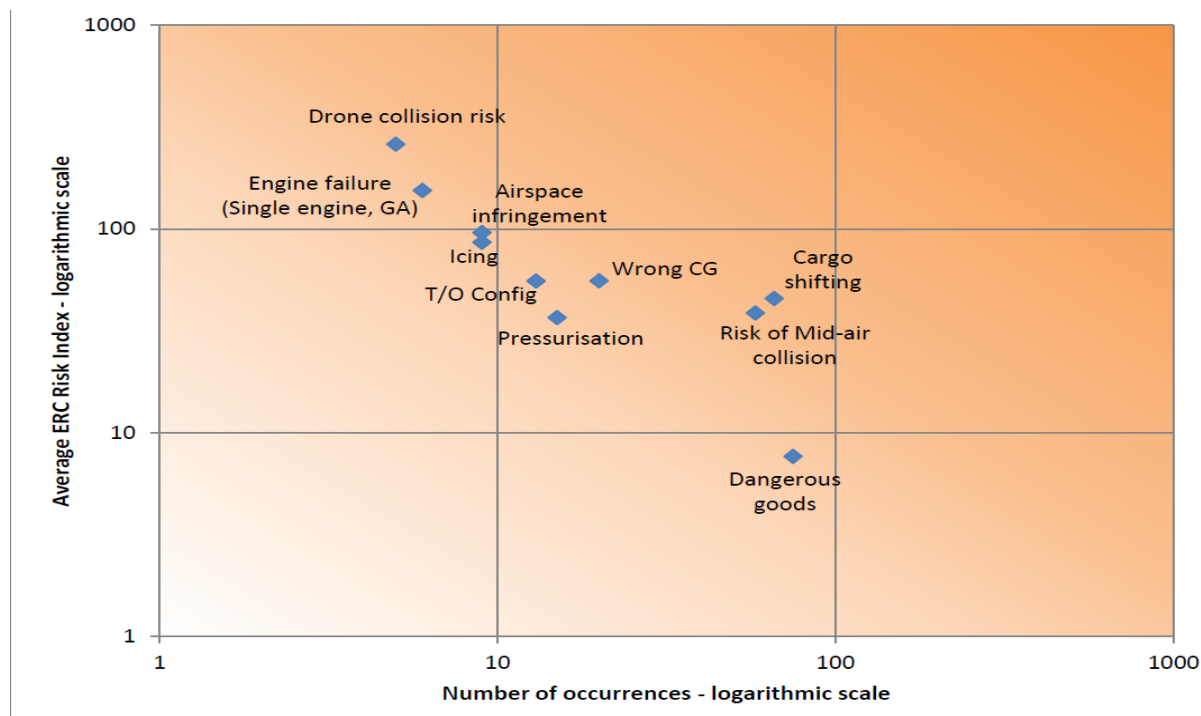
# Identification of potential safety issues







## Safety Picture-Example





## Potential Safety issues: Examples

Operational Safety Issues		Accident Outcome						
SI Title	Accident Severity	CFIT	LOC-I	MAC	Collision on Ground	RE	Injury or Damage Inflight	Injury or Damage On Ground
Risk of MAC	Catastrophic			X			X	
Risk of collision with Drones	Catastrophic			X			X	X
Mismatch Between calculated & actual CG	Catastrophic		X			X	X	



## Potential Safety issues: Examples

Ground Handling Safety Issues		Accident Outcome						
SI Title	Accident Severity	CFIT	LOC-I	MAC	Collision on Ground	RE	Injury or Damage Inflight	Injury or Damage On Ground
Cargo moving/shifting during flight	Catastrophic		X				X	
DG Handling	Catastrophic		X				X	X
Mismatch Between calculated & actual CG	Catastrophic		X			X	X	



## Potential Safety issues: Examples

Aerodrome Safety Issues		Accident Outcome						
SI Title	Accident Severity	CFIT	LOC-I	MAC	Collision on Ground	RE	Injury or Damage Inflight	Injury or Damage On Ground
Runway incursion by Vehicle	Catastrophic				X	X		
Runway incursion by person	Major				X	X		
Inadequate control and monitoring	Major					X		X



## Potential Safety issues: Examples

Airworthiness Safety Issues		Accident Outcome						
SI Title	Accident Severity	CFIT	LOC-I	MAC	Collision on Ground	RE	Injury or Damage Inflight	Injury or Damage On Ground
Technical-Pressurization system	Catastrophic	X	X				X	X
Technical- Flight controls	Catastrophic		X			X		X
Technical- Malfunction of automatic flight management	Catastrophic		X				X	



## Potential Safety issues: Examples

ATM Safety Issues			Accident Outcome						
SI Title	Accident Severity	CFIT	LOC-I	MAC	Collision on Ground	RE	Injury or Damage Inflight	Injury or Damage On Ground	
Loss of communication	Catastrophic			X	X				
Level Bust/Altitude bust	Catastrophic	X		X					
Risk of MAC	Catastrophic			X					

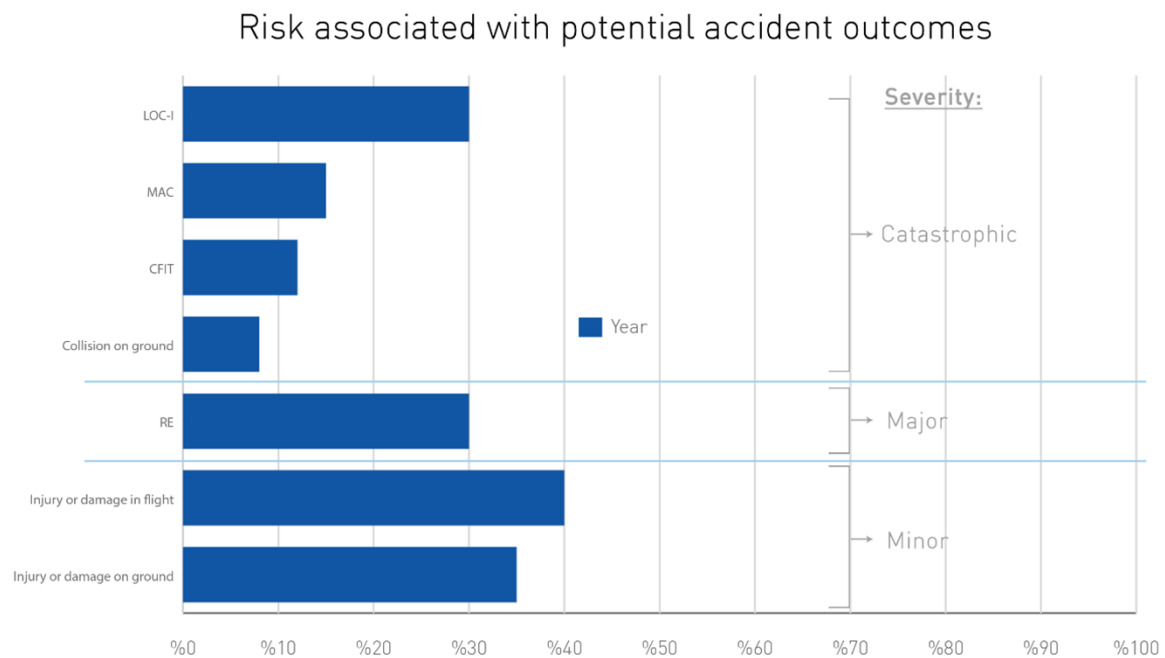


## Potential Safety issues: Examples

General Aviation Safety Issues		Accident Outcome						
SI Title	Accident Severity	CFIT	LOC-I	MAC	Collision on Ground	RE	Injury or Damage Inflight	Injury or Damage On Ground
Engine Failure- Single Engine	Major		X			X		X
Loss of control during landing	Major					X		
Collision with obstacle during taxi	Minor				X			



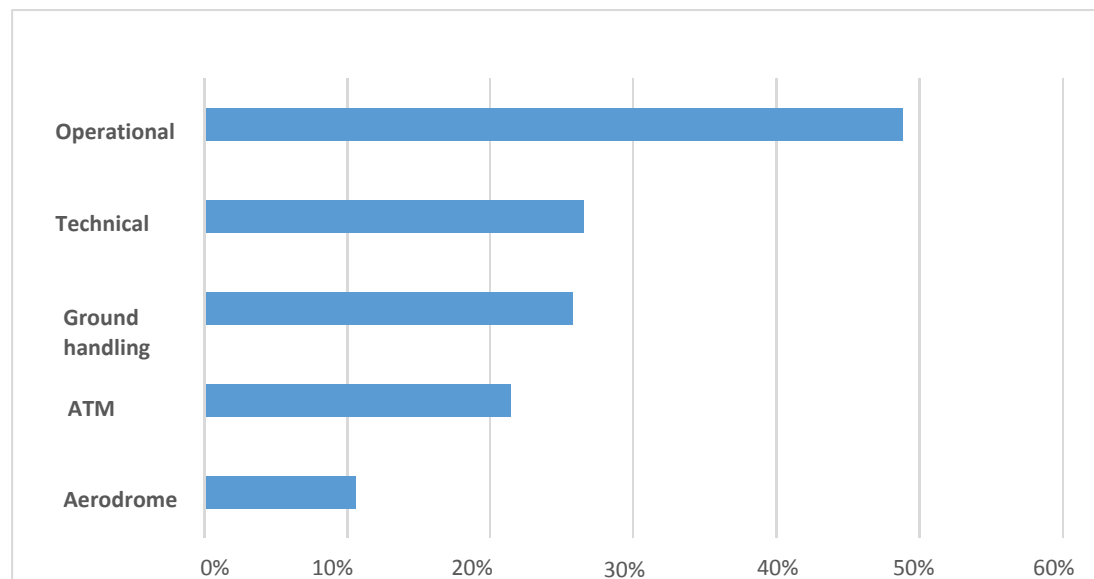
## Distribution of the sum of the Risk indexes associated with potential accident outcomes



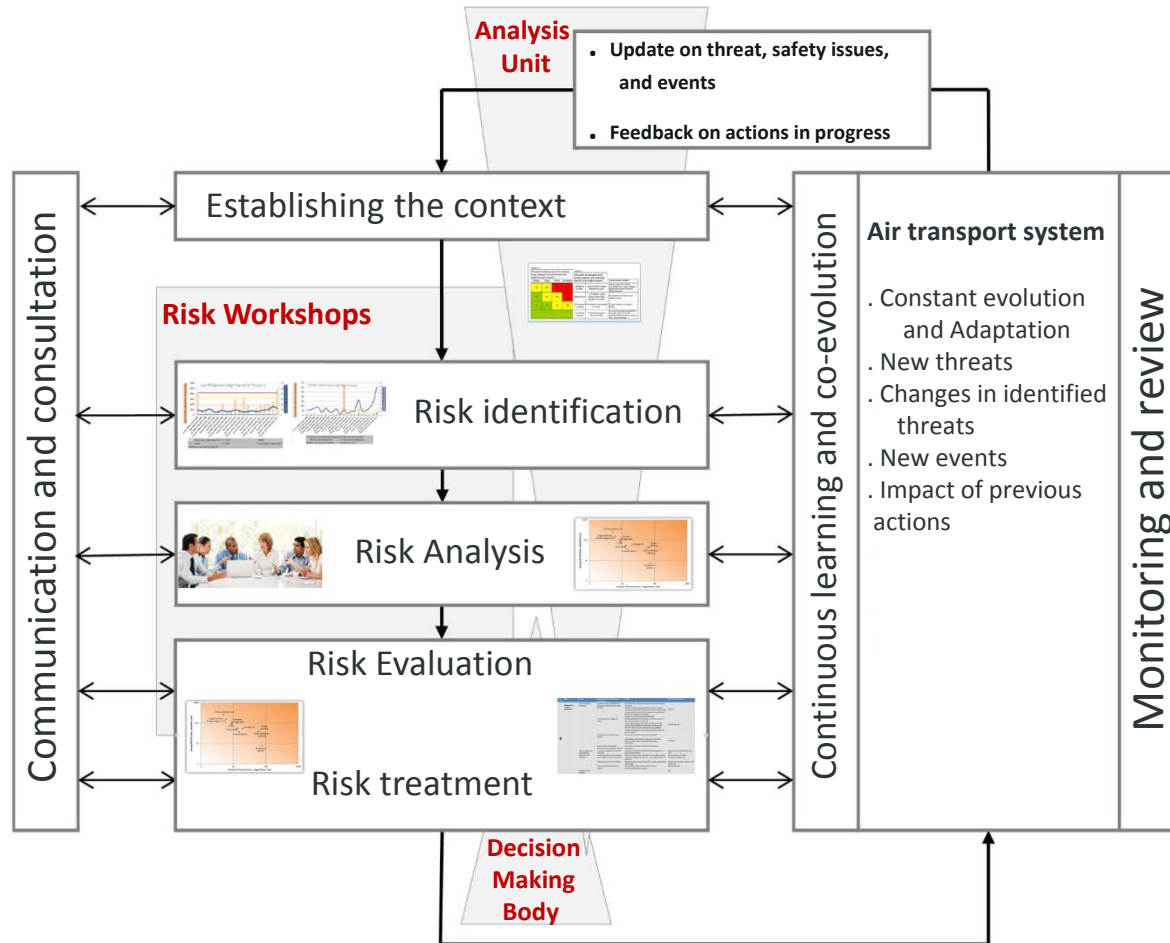




## Distribution of the sum of the Risk indexes associated with each Domain



## Risk management process presented in the form of the ISO 31000 framework.





## SPIs at sector level

### Overall event rates (e.g., Fatal and accident rates)

1. Number of fatal accidents
2. Rate of fatal accidents in scheduled commercial air transport (CAT) operations
3. Rate of accidents in scheduled CAT operations
4. Rate of accidents in helicopter operations
5. Number of fatalities in General Aviation operations



## Identified SPIs by Domain

### Commercial air transport , aeroplanes:

1. Aircraft upset in flight
2. TCAS RA
3. Fire, smoke, and fumes
4. Terrain conflict- EGPWS warning
5. Un-stabilised approach



## Identified SPIs by Domain

### Commercial Air Transport, Helicopters operations:

1. Loss of control- in flight
2. System failures (Technical)
3. CFIT



## Identified SPIs by Domain

### General Aviation operations:

1. Coping with weather
2. Airspace infringement
3. Safe transportation of DG in GA (Flight management)



## Identified SPIs by Domain

### ATM/Air Navigation Services (ANS):

1. Level busts
2. Minimum separation infringement
3. Loss of separation Aircraft deviation from ATM procedures
4. Runway incursion where avoiding action was necessary



## Identified SPIs by Domain

### Airworthiness commercial air transport: aeroplanes

1. Technical-Pressurization system
2. Malfunction of automatic flight management
3. In Flight Shut Down (IFSD)





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