



# Regional Aviation Safety Group – Pan America (RASG-PA)



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#### **RASG-PA Mission**

Improve safety and efficiency in the Pan American Region

RASG-PA Vision
Involve all the stakeholders
in a coordinated effort







### **RASG-PA Introduction**

#### First in the World (2008)

Multi-regional

States/Territories, Intl' Organizations & Industry

**Adopted in other ICAO Regions** 

**Aligned with GASP** 

**Data-driven Results Oriented** 





### **RASG-PA** Membership 34 NAM/CAR/SAM States, 19 Territories and...





























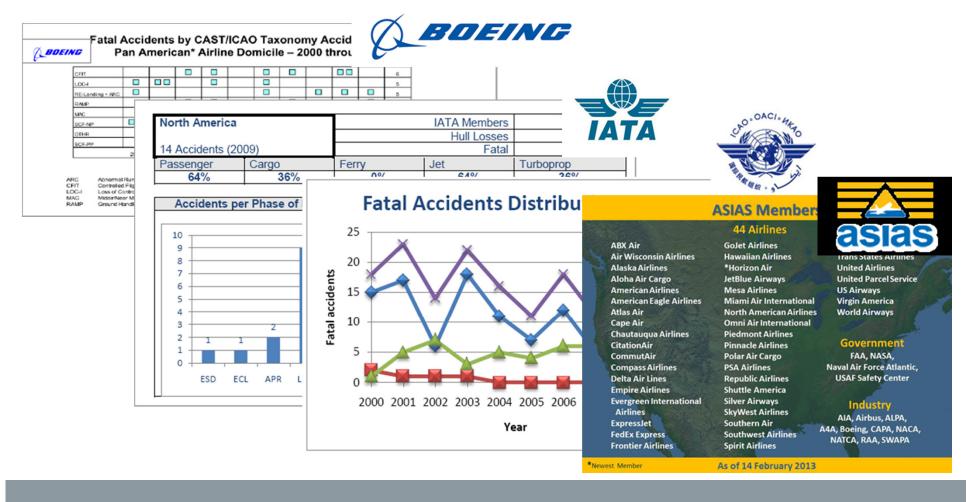








## RASG-PA uses safety data/information from different sources







## In July **2014...**







# RASG-PA uses different types of safety data/information

REACTIVE: safety analysis based upon past occurrences (accidents and incidents) in the Pan American Region PROACTIVE: includes analysis of States' existing conditions (ICAO SARPs implementation, traffic variations) and service providers (IATA Operational Safety Audits, ramp inspections)

upon analysis of Flight
Operations Quality
Assurance (FOQA) deidentified data,
oriented towards
identifying potential
future hazards for
initiating
corresponding
mitigation actions





### **RASG-PA Process**

ANNUAL SAFETY REPORT (ASRT)

SAFETY
ENHANCEMENT
INITIATIVESSEIS (RASG-PA)

INFORMATION ANALYSIS TEAM (IAT) DETAILED
IMPLEMENTATION
PLANS-DIPs
(PA-RAST)





## RASG-PA develops SEIs to tackle the main risk areas

Runway Excursion (RE) Controlled
Flight Into
Terrain
(CFIT)

Loss of Control-Inflight (LOC-I)

Mid-Air Collision (MAC)

**Every SEI has an associated Detailed Implementation Plan (DIP) and Outputs** 





# RASG-PA publishes Annual Safety Reports

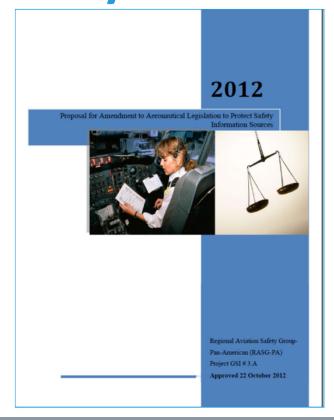


## Measuring results





## RASG-PA created the Proposal for Amendment to Aeronautical Legislation to Protect Safety Information Sources







#### **RASG-PA Risk Reduction Goal**

"Using 2010 as a baseline, is to reduce fatality risk for Part 121 or equivalent operations by 50% by the year 2020 in Latin America and the Caribbean"





### **RASG-PA Risk Management Strategy**





Apply the risk reduction formula to accident set to prioritize SEIs

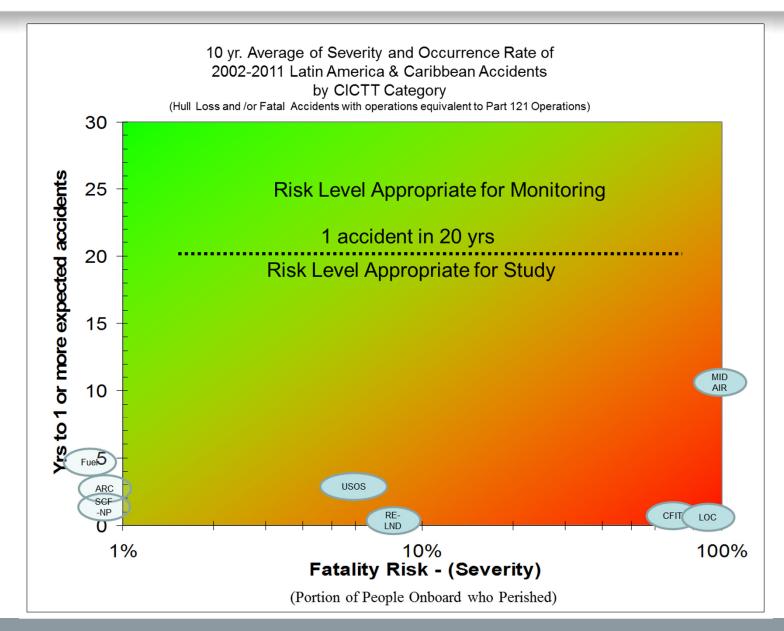
#### **Proactive:**

Implement
SEIs targeting
specific high
fatality risk
areas

Predictive:
Verify
effectiveness
of SEIs using
precursor
trends in
FOQA











## Methodology used to calculate the impact of a safety enhancing intervention



- RASG-PA Safety Enhancements Initiatives (SEIs)
  - RE/04, RE/08, RE/09, RE/11; CFIT/02, CFIT/04; LOC-I/06, LOC-I/07, LOC-I/09
- Accident set used for evaluation
- 2000-2010 hull loss and fatal accidents
  - Operators with operations similar to Part 121





### **RASG-PA Risk Analysis**

RASG-PA Goal: 50% fatality risk reduction for the period 2010 – 2020

Fatality risk: full loss passenger load equivalent per million departures

Baseline: 5 year average fatality risk in 2010 = 0.6

2020 Goal = 0.3

Calculated reduction due to SEIs implemented in the period 2009-2013 = 24%

Calculated Risk through 2013 = 0.4





# One RASG-PA data sharing project is PASO\*

Air transport service providers share FOQA data with Costa Rica DGAC, Airbus, ALTA, COCESNA/ACSA to reduce unstabilized approaches in MROC airport

\*Programa de Acción de la Seguridad Operacional







RASG-PA is promoting safety data/information sharing initiatives in the CAR and SAM Regions







### **RASG-PA**

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Thank you!