

# Aviation Safety and Risk Analysis

Identifying low-risk aircraft for strategic investment for Ndege Holding.inc



# Presentation Outline

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# Overview and Business Understanding



- **Ndege Holding.Inc is expanding to aviation sector.**
- **The board lacks experience in aviation safety and operational risk.**
- **Poor aircraft selection could lead to increased accidents, financial losses, reputational damage, and higher insurance costs.**
- **Analytical analysis aims to lead to informed decision making by identifying identifying historically safer aircraft options.**

# Objectives



- 1) Clean and prepare data to give accurate analysis**
- 2) Quantify aircraft risk by defining measurable indicators (frequency and severity).**
- 3) Compare and Identify low risk aircraft based on maintenance and safety performance**
- 4) Visualize trends and insights for high level decision makers.**
- 5) Translate analytical findings into actionable recommendations for aircraft acquisition decisions.**

# Data Cleaning



**Loading data set: ‘flight.csv’**



## **Methods:**

- Missing values
- Duplicated values
- Converting objects to integers/numeric
- Creating data uniformity



**Selecting key columns: ‘Type of aircraft, Year, Damage, Fatality’**

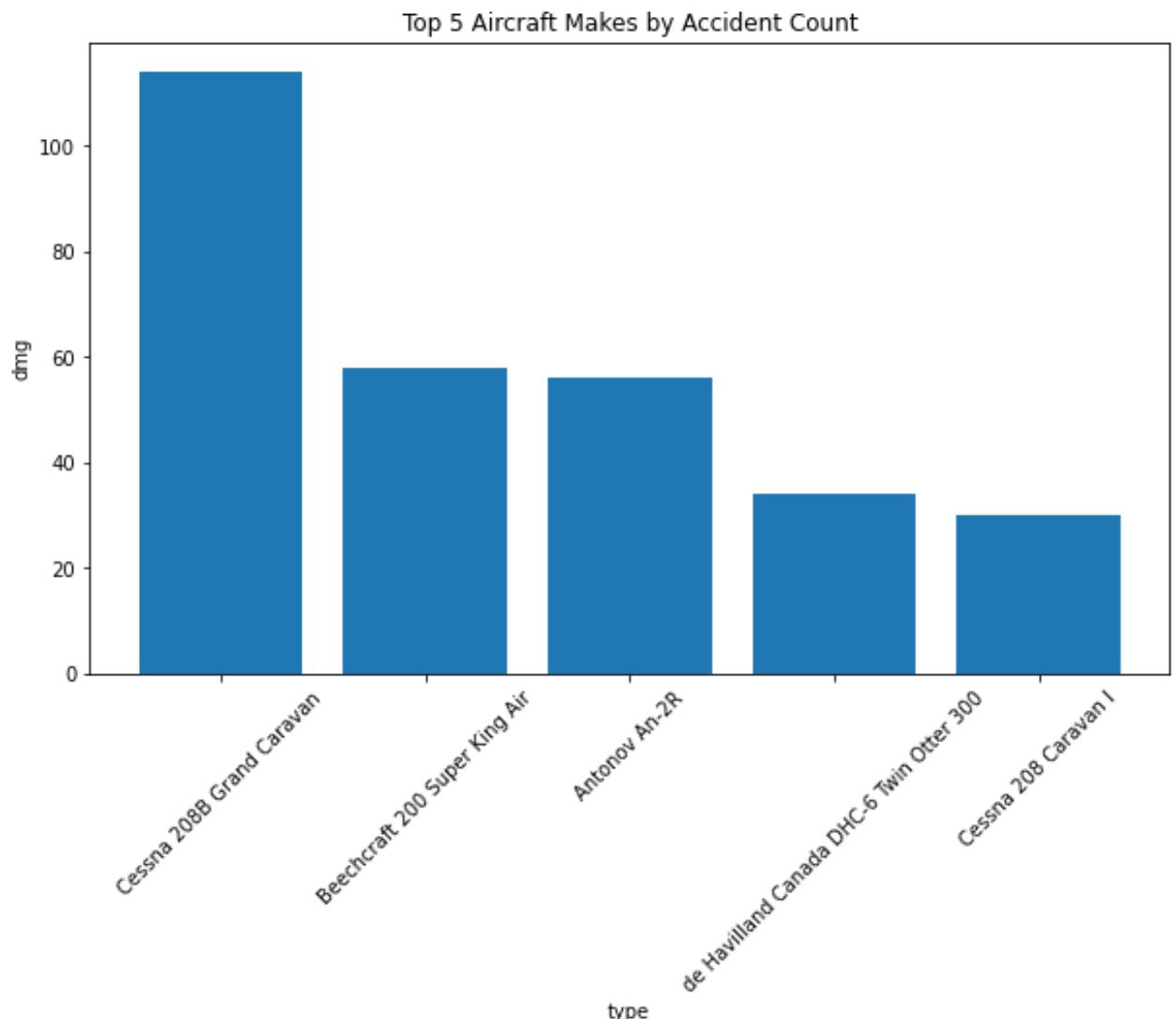


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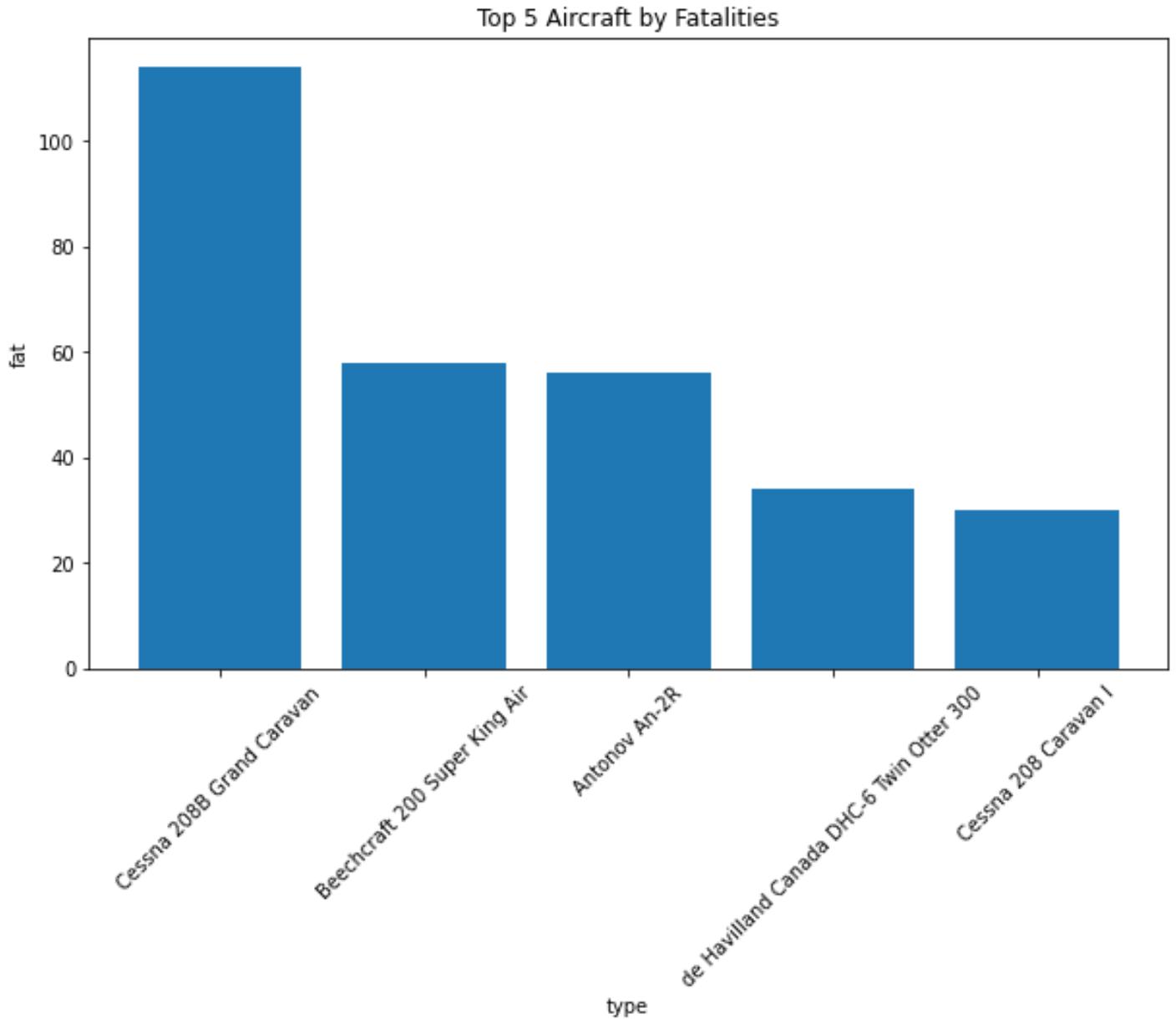
# Top 5 Aircraft by accident count

- Small sized aircraft types have higher fatality counts.
- Have elevated safety risk compared to bigger size aircrafts.
- Cessna 208B and Beechcraft 200 lead in total accidents.
- Cessna 208 the last among the top 5 aircrafts.
- Difficult to tell what the causes of the accident, whether its manufacturer, pilot error or lack of maintenance.



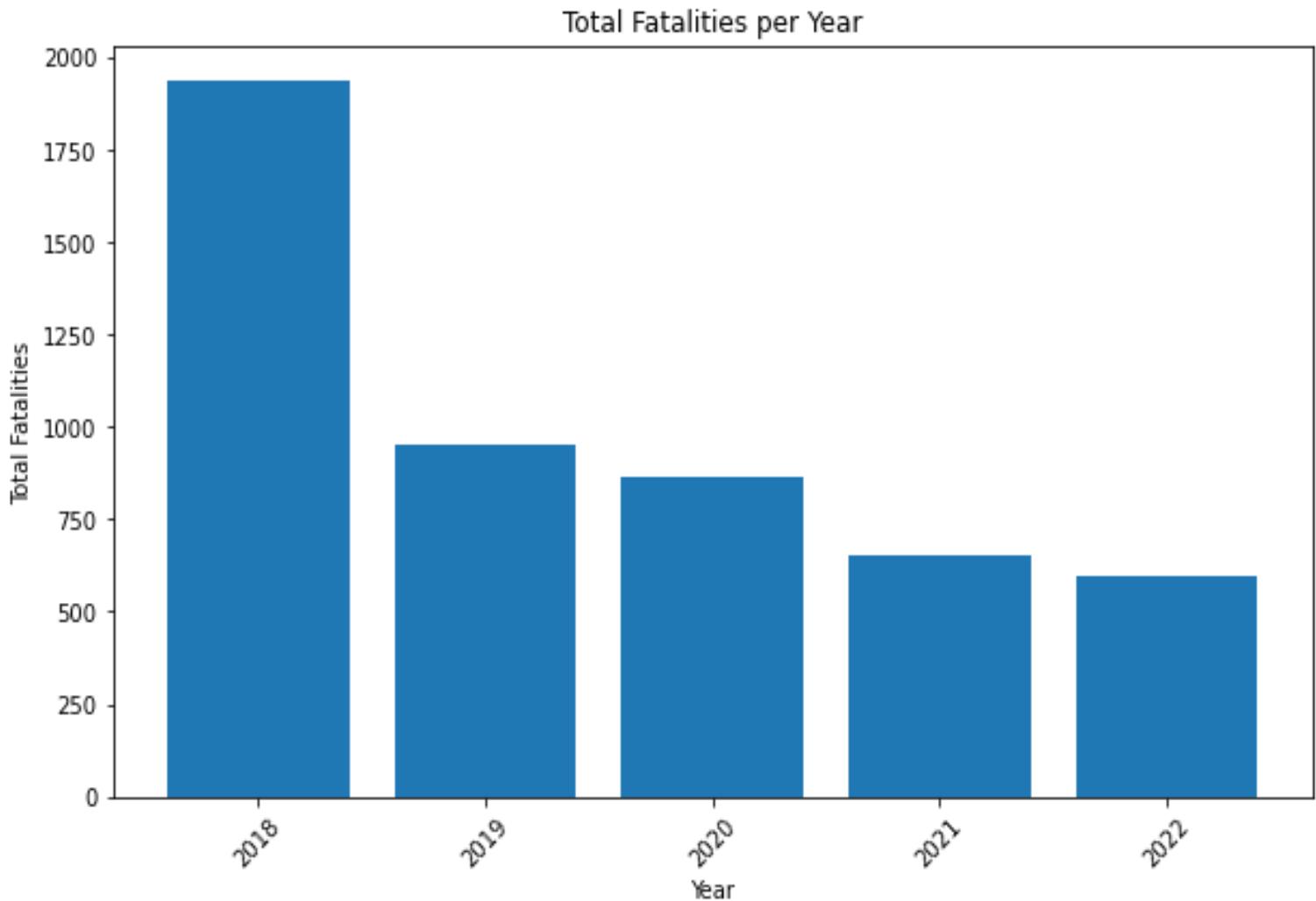
# Top 5 Aircraft by Fatalities

- Cessna 208B had the highest fatalities,
- Cessna 208 the least among the top 5 aircraft.
- Small planes have many fatalities and lead in accident.
- Big planes have less accidents, but catastrophic fatalities.
- Many planes, high chances or probability of accidents.



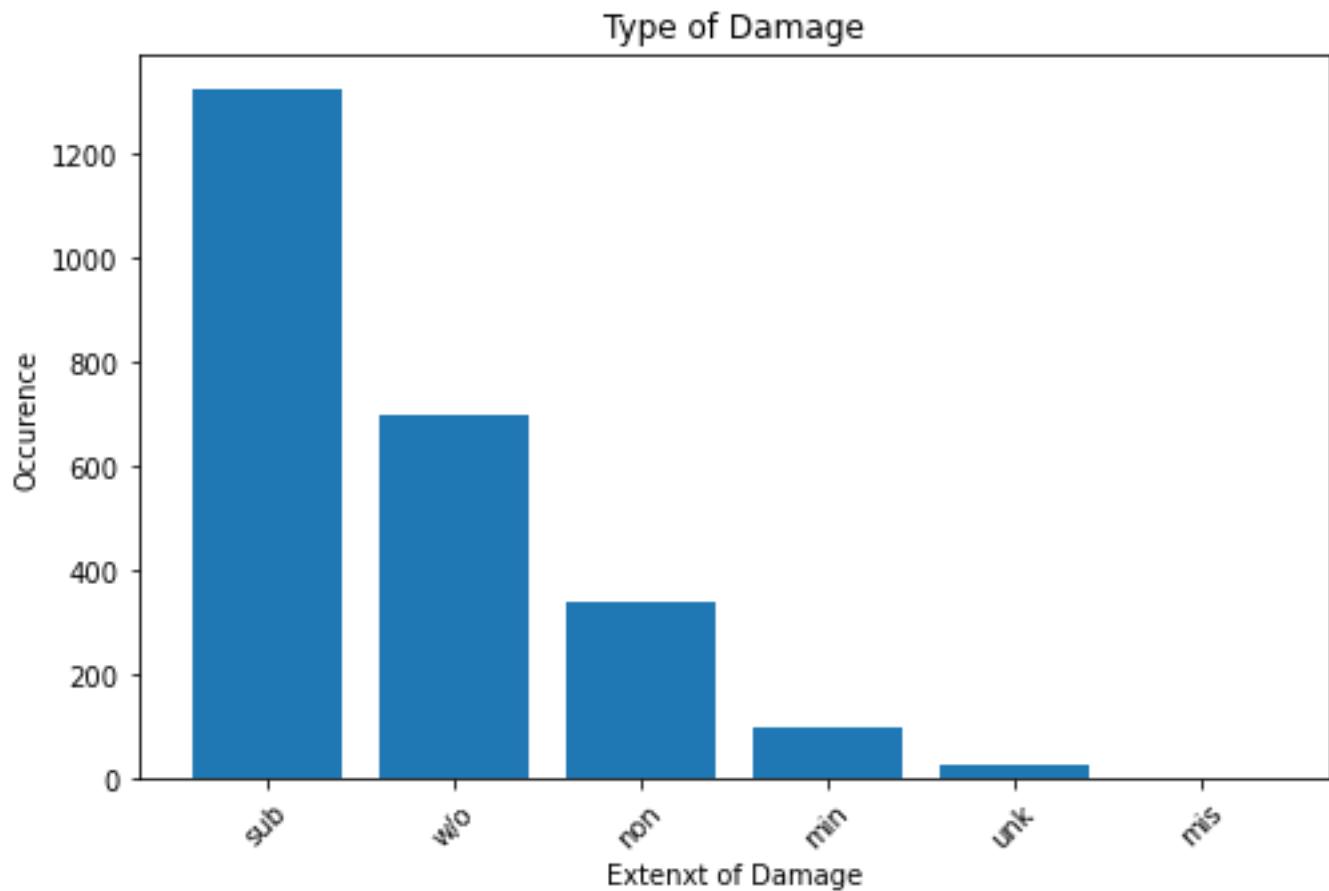
# Total Fatalities per Year

- Decreasing accidents fatalities from year to year .
- Shows indications of increased aviation safety.
- Important to find the reason for drastic fall in 2018-2019. COVID?



# Type of Damage to the Aircraft

- Most aircraft recorded substantial damage.
- While almost as half were written off meaning total loss.
- This is good information for risk and insurance calculation.
- It's difficult to know the causes or reason for damage.



- 1) Fatalities show patterns by aircraft type.
- 2) Fatality trends show a decline: aviation safety improvement, however outliers exist indicating persistent risk.
- 3) Aircraft type and accident counts not explicit indicator of faulty or bad aircraft.
- 4) Small aircraft sales are higher than big aircraft hence correlating to high number of accidents.
- 5) Aircraft operators practices and maintenance not factored in data



# Recommendations

1. Prioritize aircrafts with low-risk fatalities and fewer accidents.
  - This offers a safer bet for entry point into aviation operations.
2. Develop a continuous aviation safety monitoring
  - Risk assessment should continue beyond acquisition.
3. More analysis is required;
  - Reason for declining fatalities and accidents over the years?
  - What's the causes of the accidents, manufacturer, pilot error or maintenance



# Thank You

Questions?