

Aircraft Risk Analysis for Business Evaluation.

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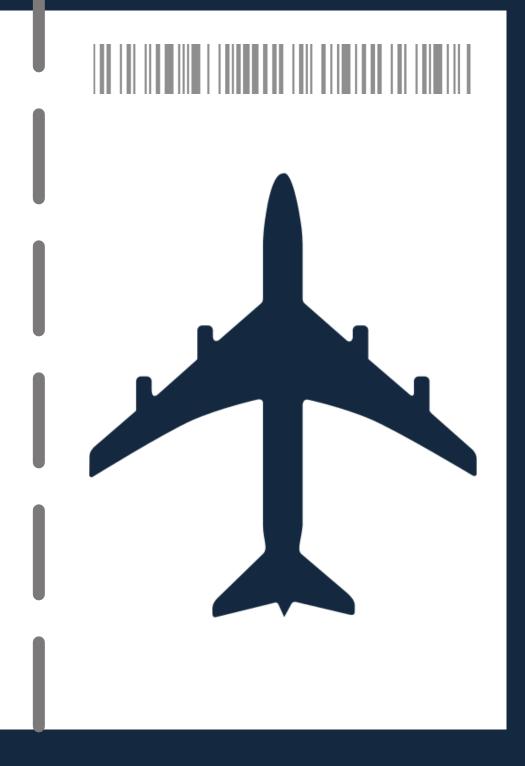
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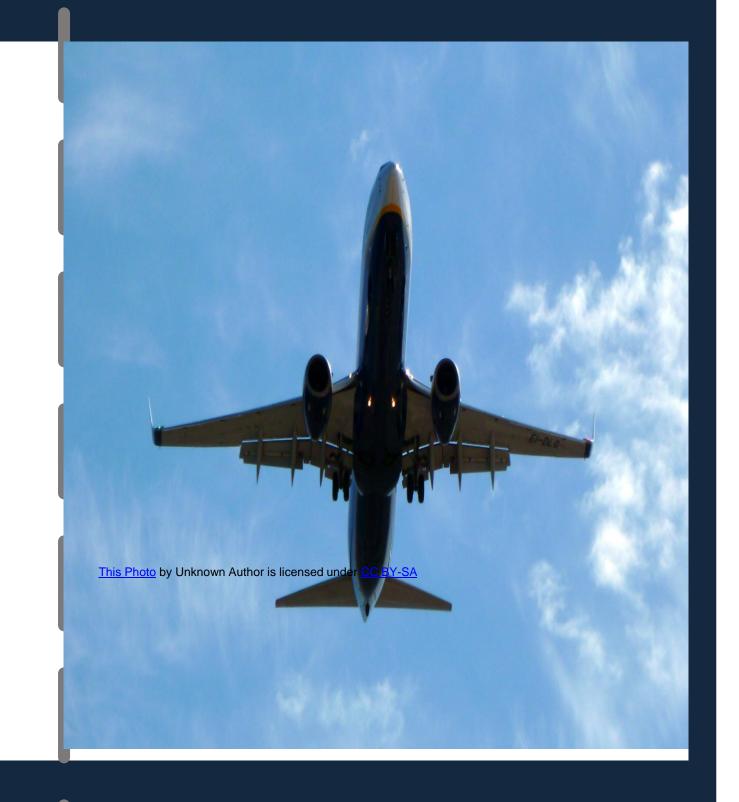






Overview

The company plans to diversify its portfolio by entering the aviation industry, focusing on acquiring and operating airplanes for commercial and private clients. This project analyzes aviation accident data from Kaggle to identify aircraft with the lowest risk profile. The study will provide insights into which aircraft present the least safety, financial, and operational risks by conducting a descriptive analysis of factors such as accident frequency, severity, and related variables. This analysis will guide the company's decision-making process in selecting the most suitable airplanes for purchase.



Business Understanding

To reduce safety and financial liabilities in aircraft operations, the company can focus on selecting the safest and most reliable airplane models. This project aims to:

- 1.Identify airplane models with minimal risk profiles
- 2. Analyze the severity and frequency of aviation accidents.
- 3. Examine factors contributing to these accidents.
- 4.Offer data-driven recommendations for choosing the most suitable airplanes.

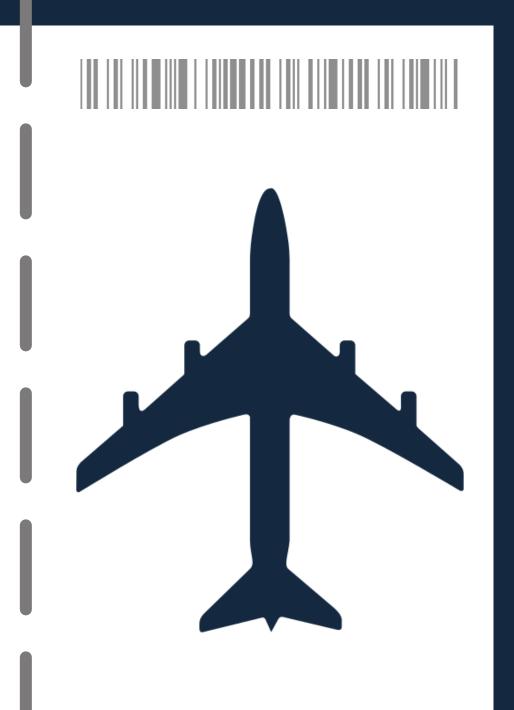
Doing so will help the company to make informed decisions on which airplanes to purchase.





Data Understanding

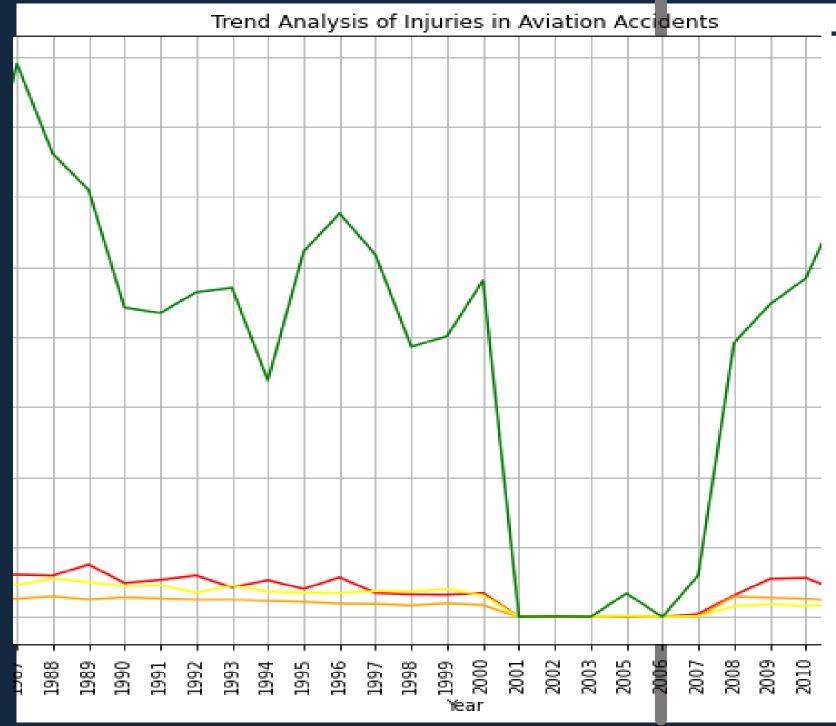
• The <u>aviation accident dataset</u> sourced from Kaggle originally obtained from the <u>National Transportation Safety</u>
<u>Board</u> contains comprehensive records of airplane accidents.
Each accident is uniquely identified by its 'Accident Number' and includes key details such as the date, location, aircraft make and model, and injury severity. Additionally, the dataset records factors such as weather conditions and the flight phase, enabling a thorough analysis of accident patterns, risk factors, and the relationships between aircraft models, accident severity, and environmental influences.





DATA ANALYSIS





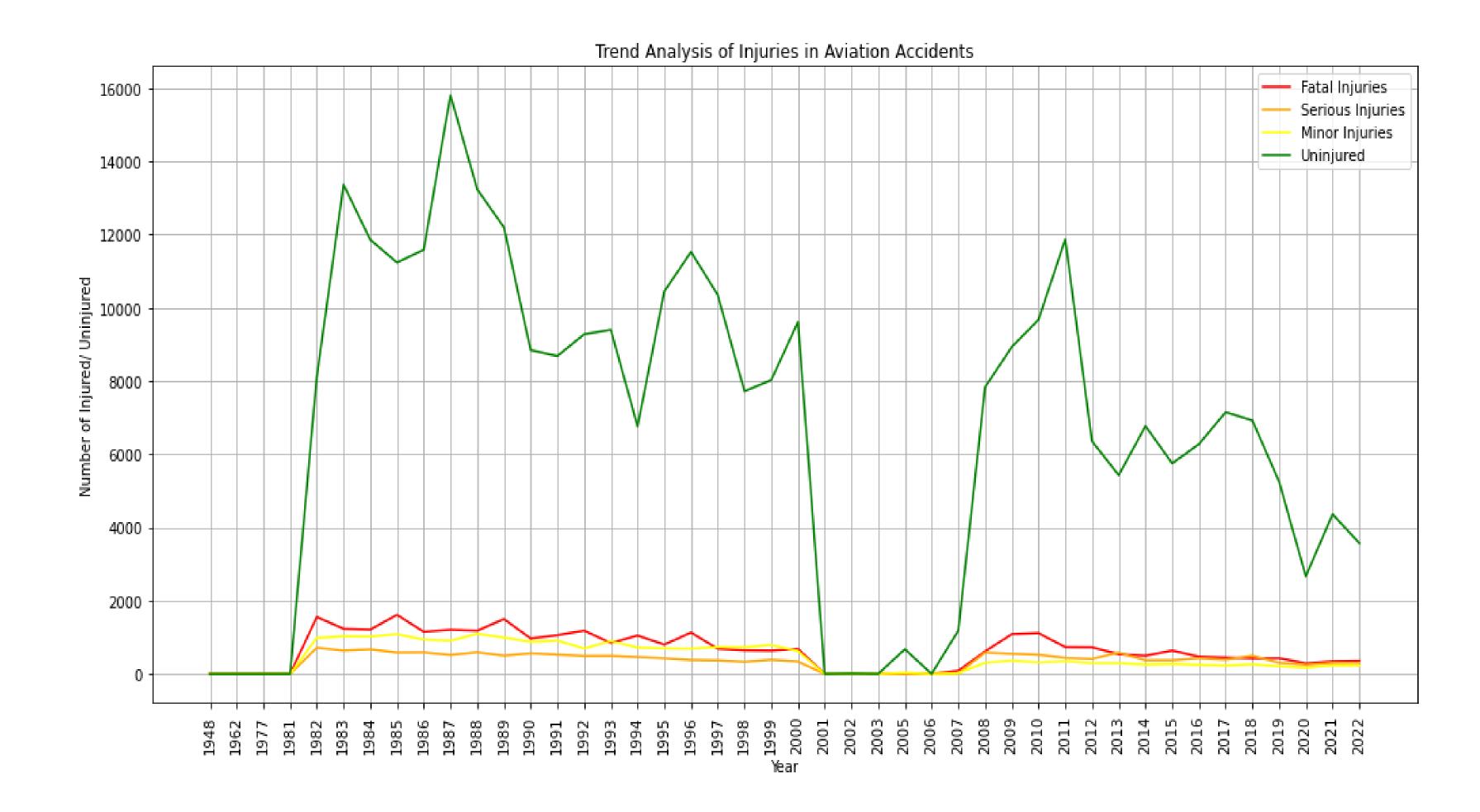
Trend Analysis of Injuries and Uninjured Passengers in Aviation Accidents Over Time¶

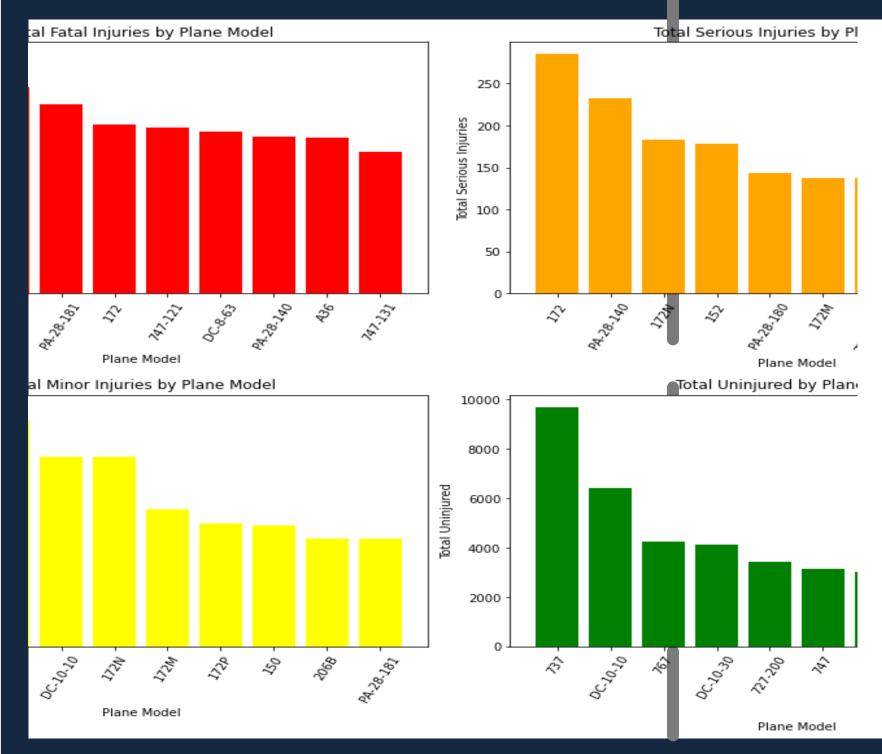
It appears that the total number of uninjured passengers has consistently been higher than the total number of fatal, serious, or minor injuries from 1948 to 2022, which is a positive sign. While there have been fluctuations throughout this period, it's worth noting that the number of uninjured passengers has generally decreased since 1987.

In contrast, the number of fatal, serious, and minor injuries has remained relatively low, staying below 2,000 people over the 74 years. This steady trend suggests that overall, injuries have decreased over the years, indicating that safety standards in aviation have improved significantly.

These trends highlight the effectiveness of safety measures and innovations over time, which have contributed to reducing the severity and frequency of injuries in aviation accidents.



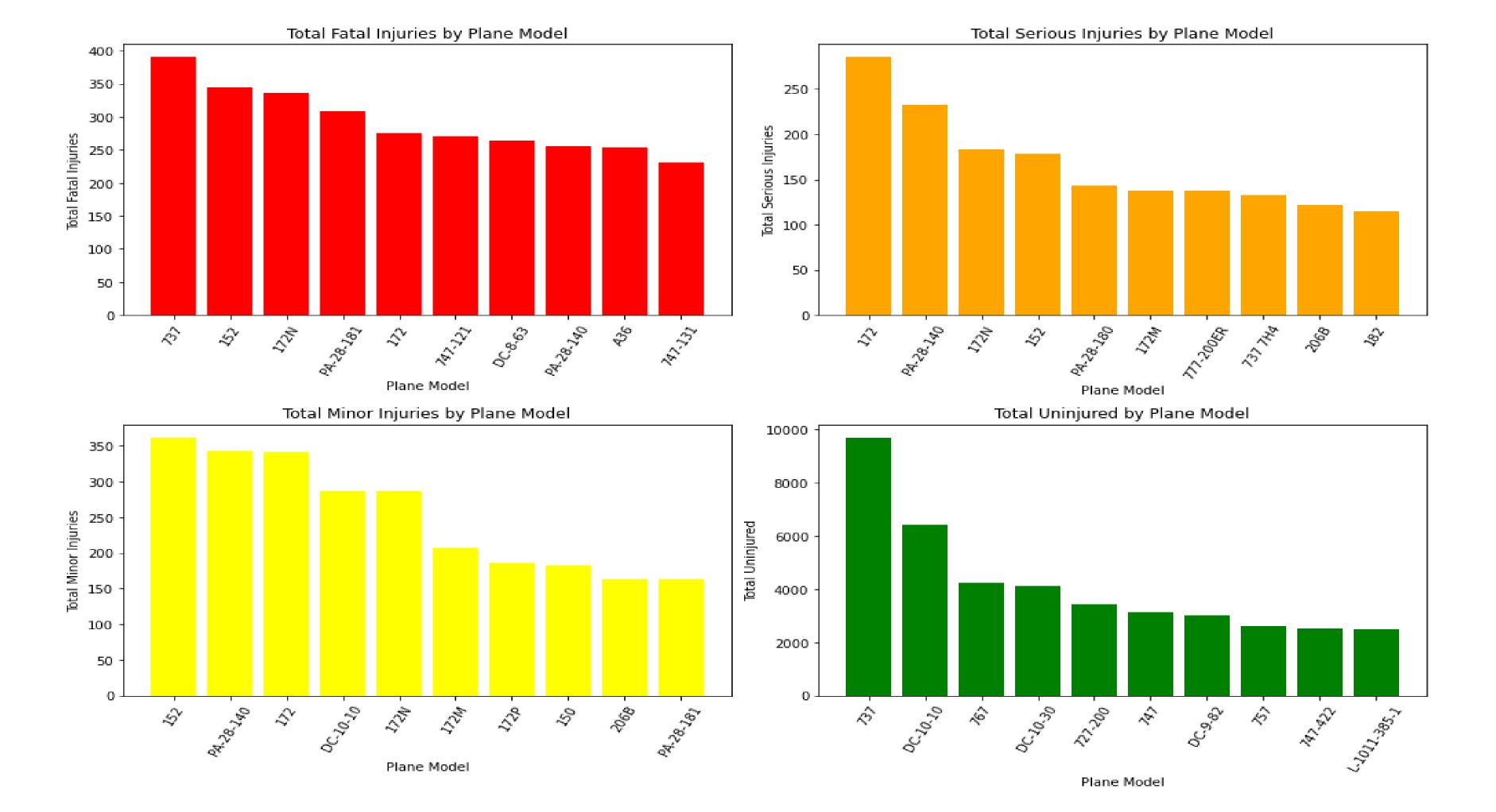


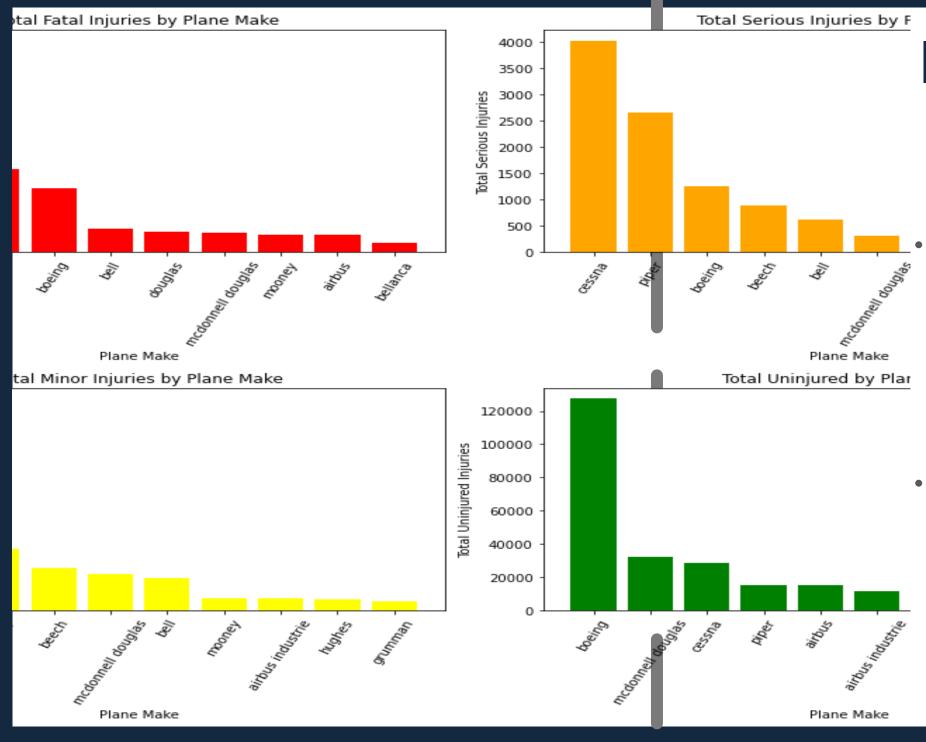


Injured Passengers by the Plane Model

- Model 737 has the most fatal injuries.
- Model 172 has the most serious injuries.
- Model 152 has the most minor injuries.
- Model 737 has the most uninjured.
- Even though model 737 has the most fatal injuries, it also has the most uninjured which is positive.



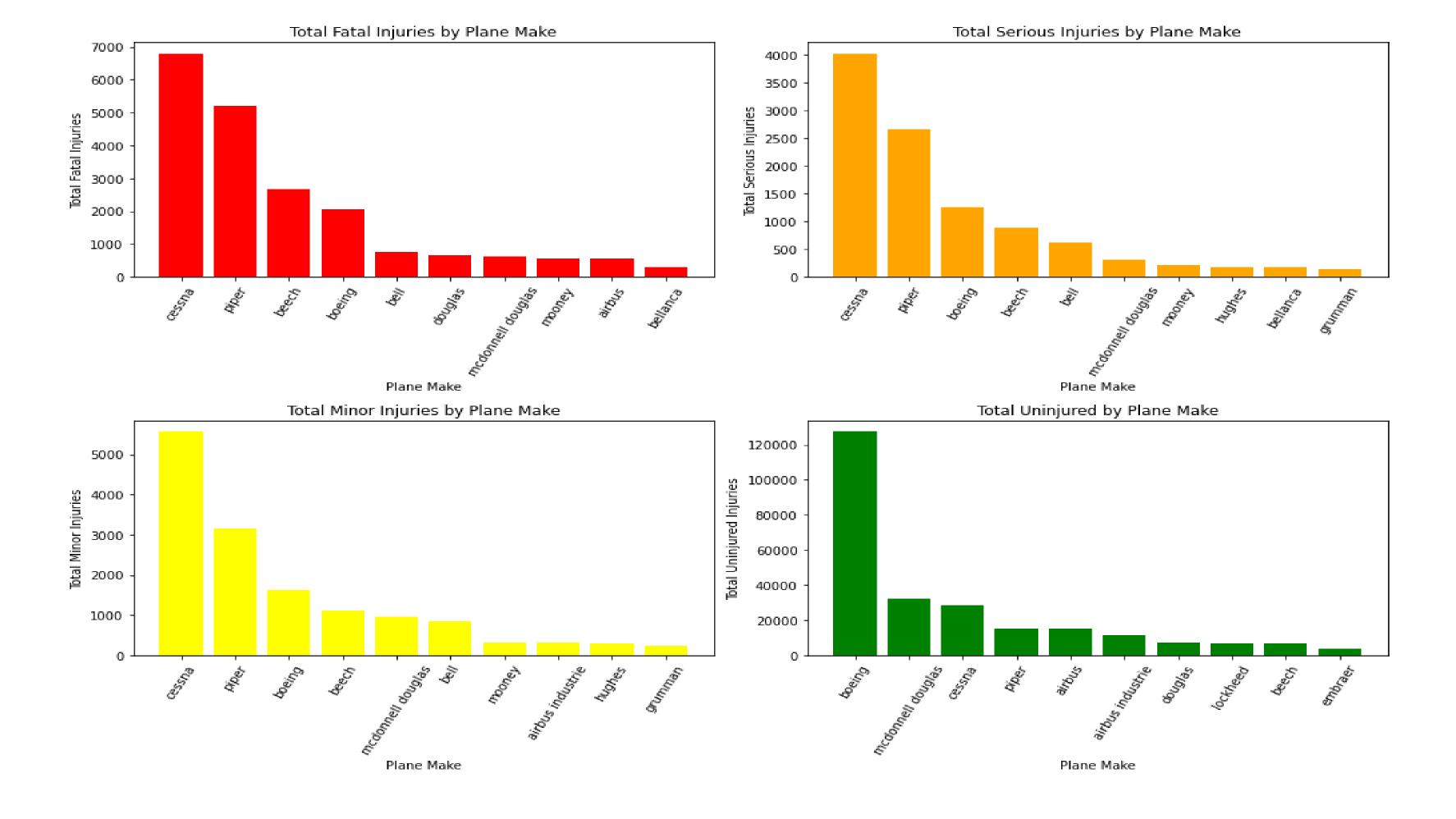




Injured Passengers by Plane Make

- Cessna has the most fatal, serious and minor injuries reported.
- Boeing has the most uninjured reported.



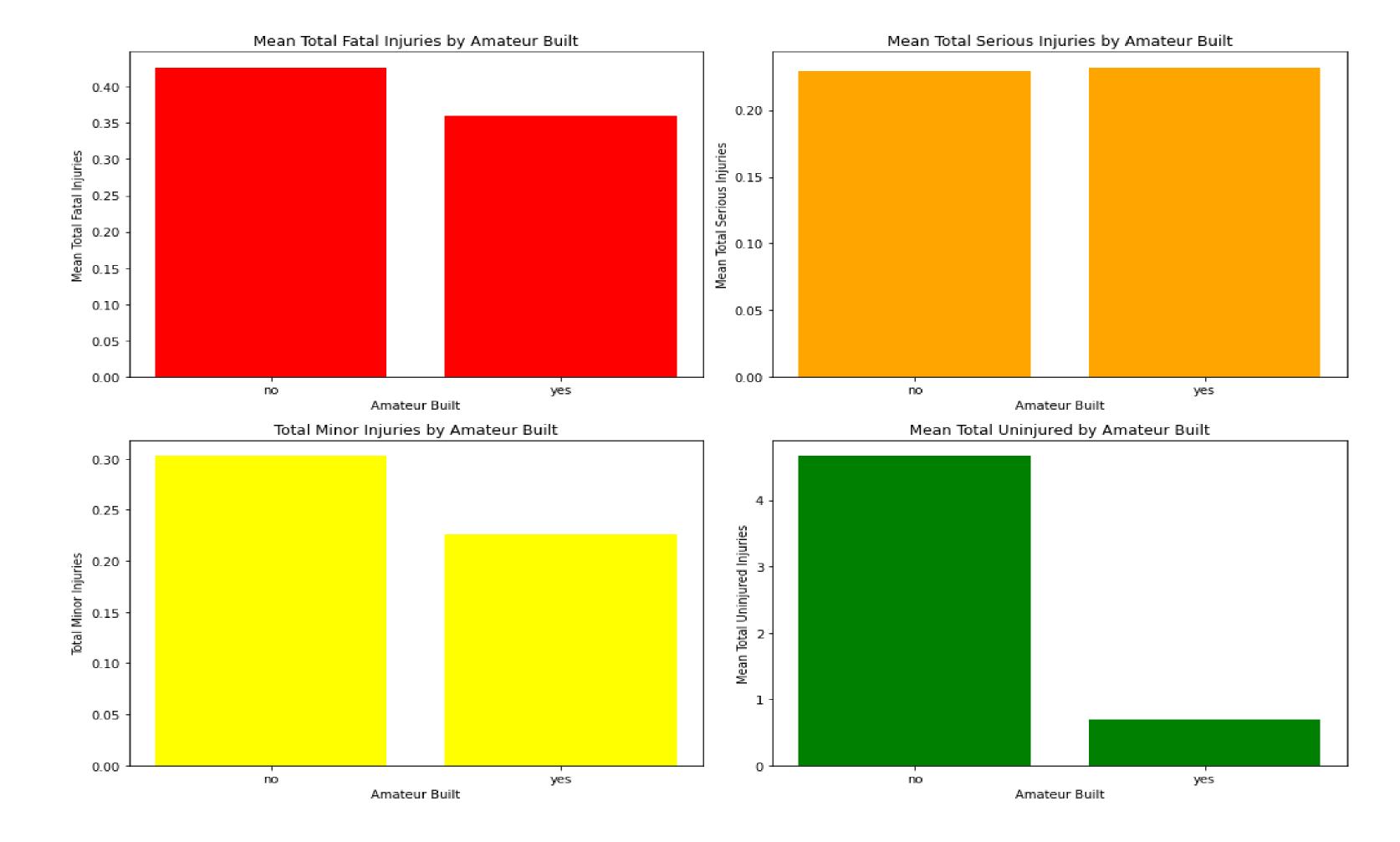


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Injured Passengers by Amateur Built¶

- It is shown that:
- Non-amateur-built planes have more fatal, minor and uninjured.
- Amateur-built planes have more serious injuries. As shown in the data, the gap between non-amateur-built and amateur-built planes in terms of uninjured passengers is more significant than the gap for fatal injuries. This suggests that non-amateur-built planes tend to have a higher number of uninjured passengers, which implies that they are generally safer, even though they report a higher number of fatal injuries.
- While non-amateur-built planes may experience more fatal injuries, the overall safety profile, as indicated by the higher number of uninjured passengers, suggests that professionally built aircraft are better equipped to protect passengers in the event of an accident. This further supports the idea that the safety features and design of professionally built planes contribute to minimizing the severity of injuries.



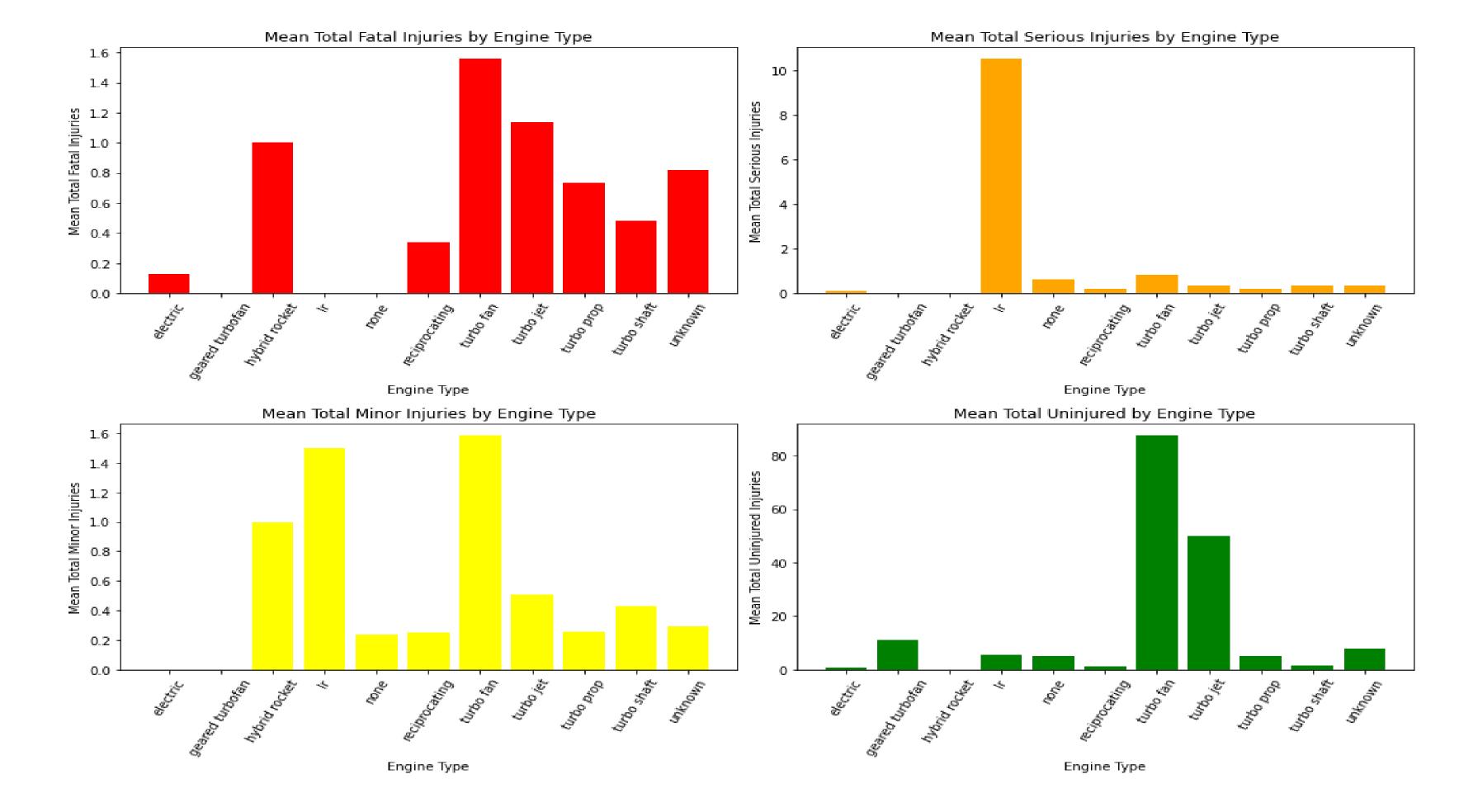


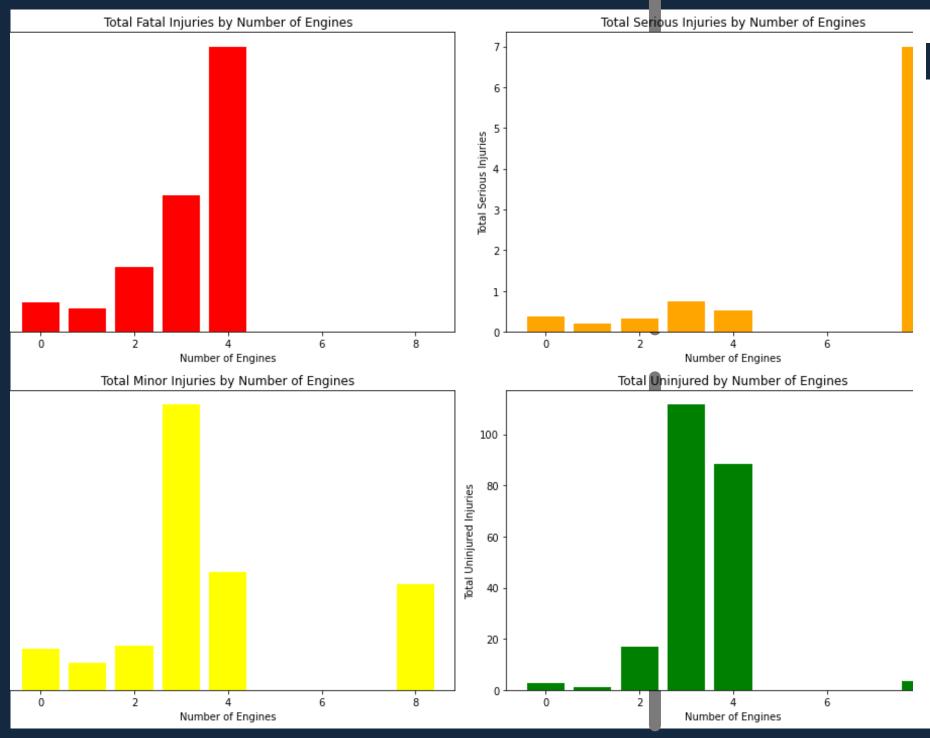
Mean Total Serious Injuries by Engine Type Mean Total Fatal Injuries by Engine Type Mean Total Uninjured by Engine Type Mean Total Minor Injuries by Engine Type

Injured Passengers by Type of Engine of the Plane

- Turbo tan engine has the most fatal, minor injuries and uninjured.
- Lr engine has the most serious injuries.



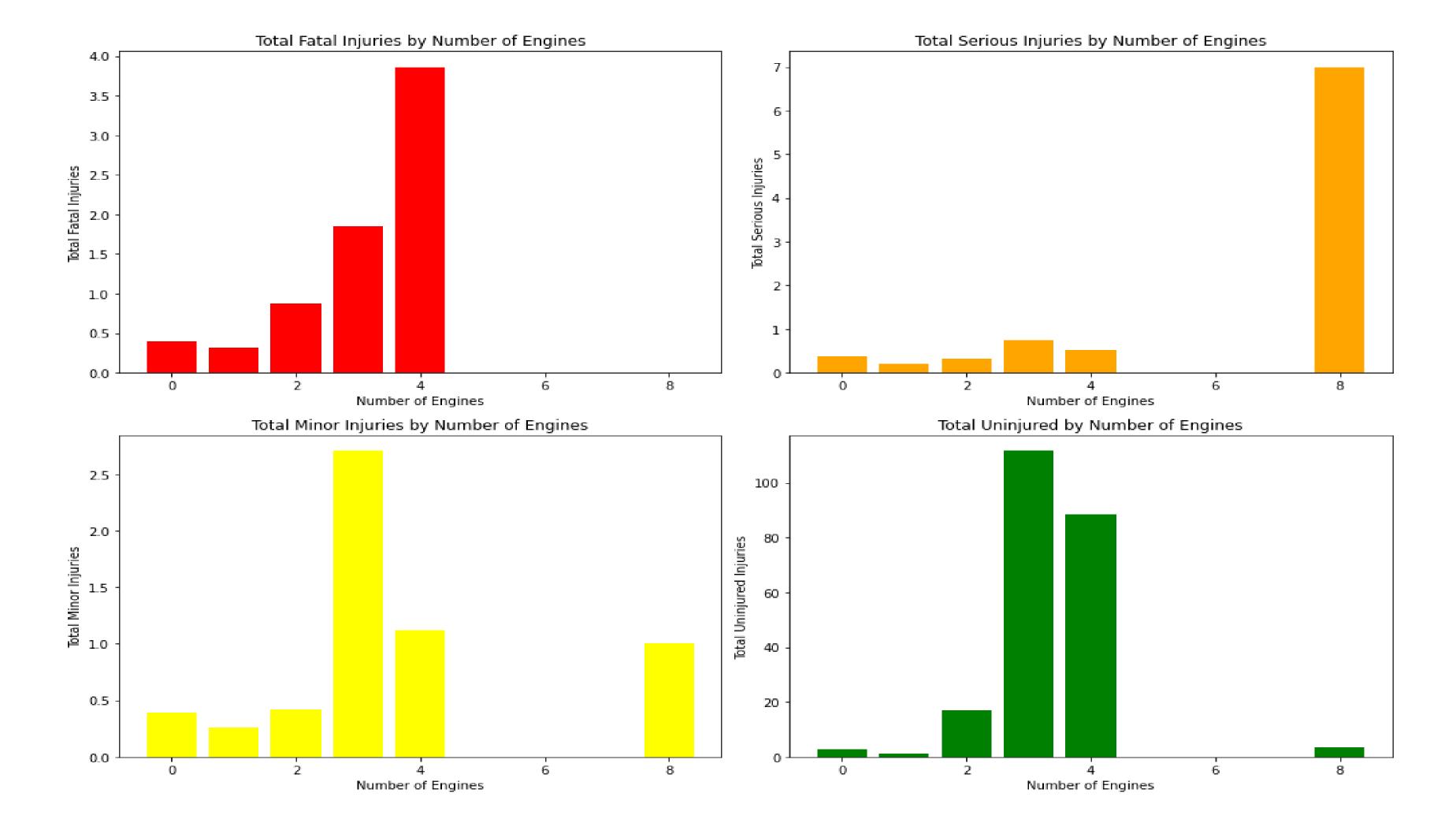




Injured Passengers by Number of Engines in a Plane

- Planes with 4 engines have the most fatal injuries.
- Plane with 8 engines have the most serious injuries.
- Planes with 3 engines have the most minor injuries and uninjured.
- However, I do not think the number of engines in a plane affects the number of injured/ uninjured.
 Let's find the correlation between the number of engines and the injuries/ uninjured.



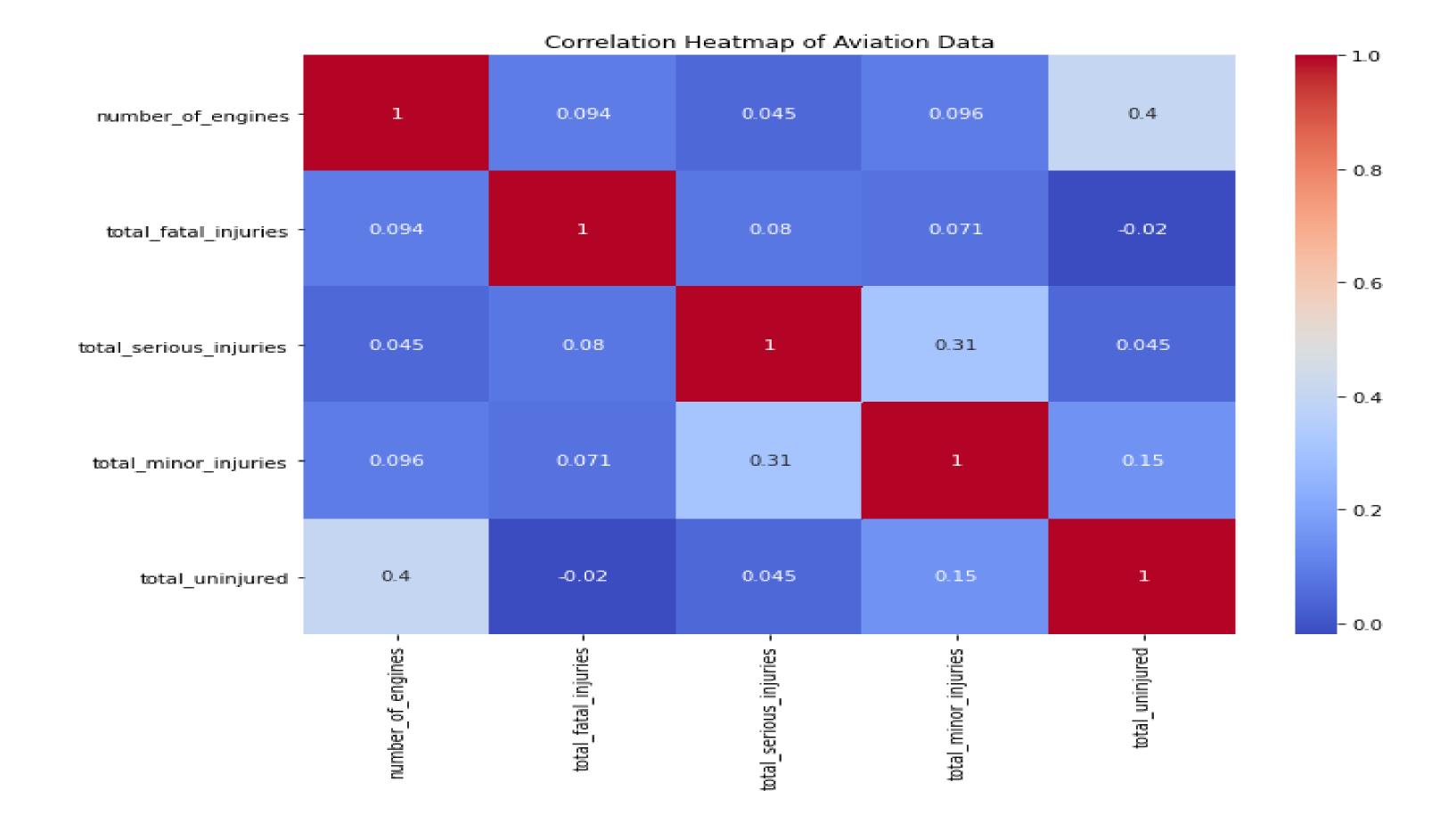


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Correlation Between Number of Engines and Injuries/ Uninjured

- Upon examining the heatmap, the highest correlation coefficient, apart from 1, is 0.4, indicating a weak positive correlation between certain variables. The lowest correlation is -0.02, representing a very weak negative correlation.
- Notably, when focusing on the number of engines column, its correlation with other variables is consistently below 0.1. This suggests that the number of engines does not have a significant relationship with the number of injuries or uninjured passengers. Therefore, it cannot be concluded that the number of engines in an aircraft directly affects the severity of injuries or the likelihood of passengers being uninjured.
- This observation reinforces the idea that other factors, such as aircraft model, make, and engine type, are more influential in determining injury outcomes, rather than the number of engines alone.







Conclusion



- Accidents are an unfortunate reality in aviation, and while some may be preventable, it's unrealistic to claim that any
 aircraft can be entirely accident-proof. Factors such as the make, model, and other features of a plane may
 influence the likelihood and severity of accidents, but it is equally important for the company to implement
 additional safety measures to minimize risk.
- Based on the analysis, the following conclusions can be drawn:
- Model, Make, and Engine Type: These factors do influence the number of injuries and uninjured passengers.
 Different aircraft characteristics can impact safety outcomes, highlighting the importance of selecting the right combinations for better risk management.
- **Number of Engines**: There is no significant correlation between the number of engines in a plane and the number of injuries or uninjured passengers. This suggests that other factors, beyond engine count, play a more substantial role in influencing safety outcomes.
- These insights emphasize that while aircraft specifications are important, safety measures and other preventive strategies should also be prioritized by the company.





Recommendations

- I would suggest the company consider the following points:
- **Aircraft Model**: Consider the model 737. While it has a high number of fatalities, it also reports the highest number of uninjured passengers. By implementing additional safety measures, it's possible to reduce injuries and potentially increase the number of uninjured passengers.
- **Aircraft Make**: Boeing emerges as the safest option, with a high number of uninjured passengers and moderate injury figures. This make demonstrates strong safety performance overall.
- Professionally Built Planes: Opt for professionally built aircraft, as they tend to have a higher number of uninjured passengers
 compared to amateur-built planes, highlighting the benefits of expert craftsmanship in ensuring passenger safety.
- **Engine Type**: A turbojet engine should be prioritized, as it is associated with the highest number of uninjured passengers. This engine type offers a safer profile in terms of passenger injury outcomes.
- If interested in several options, consider the following makes:
- Boeing
- Mcdonnel
- Douglas
- Piper
- Airbus
- These recommendations aim to optimize safety by focusing on proven models, makes, and engineering standards.







