# Final Project Submission

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#### INTRODUCTION

African Airways Co. wants to venture into the airplanes business within its region. The vision is to purchase and operate airplanes for commercial and private clients. The company has taken a data driven apporach to make critical decisions for the set-up and onward operation of this new venture, based on assessment of risk factors associated with operating equipment (airplane) and selection of the most risk-averse and profitable model of airplane to launch this business.

This analysis aims at bringing out assessed data that has been modelled to: 1- 2 -Highlight the risks associated with selected airplanes that can be deployed. 3 - Actionable insights to help make decisions for the new business.

## 1. Accessing and Assessing the Aviation data

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In [57]: # Importing the necessary libraries
    import pandas as pd
    import numpy as np
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

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In [58]: #reading our data

df= pd.read_csv('Aviation_Data.csv')
    df.head()
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Out[58]:		Event.ld	Investigation. Type	Accident.Number	<b>Event.Date</b>	Location	Country	Latitude
	0	20001218X45444	Accident	SEA87LA080	1948-10-24	MOOSE CREEK, ID	United States	NaN
	1	20001218X45447	Accident	LAX94LA336	1962-07-19	BRIDGEPORT, CA	United States	NaN

	Event.ld	Investigation.Type	Accident.Number	Event.Date	Location	Country	Latitude
2	20061025X01555	Accident	NYC07LA005	1974-08-30	Saltville, VA	United States	36.9222
3	20001218X45448	Accident	LAX96LA321	1977-06-19	EUREKA, CA	United States	NaN
4	20041105X01764	Accident	CHI79FA064	1979-08-02	Canton, OH	United States	NaN

5 rows × 31 columns

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In [59]:
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# To understand the columns type and check for null values
df.info()

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
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Data columns (total 31 columns):
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     Accident.Number
                                 88889 non-null object
3
                               88889 non-null object
     Event.Date
                               88837 non-null object
88663 non-null object
4
    Location
5
     Country
                              34382 non-null object
34373 non-null object
50249 non-null object
52790 non-null object
6
    Latitude
7
     Longitude
     Airport.Code
9 Airport.Name 52790 non-null object
10 Injury.Severity 87889 non-null object
11 Aircraft.damage 85695 non-null object
12 Aircraft.Category 32287 non-null object
13 Registration.Number 87572 non-null object
14 Make
                               88826 non-null object
15 Model
                                 88797 non-null object
16 Amateur.Built
                                 88787 non-null object
17 Number.of.Engines 82805 non-null float64
18 Engine.Type 81812 non-null object
19 FAR.Description 32023 non-null object
20 Schedule
                               12582 non-null object
21 Purpose.of.flight 82697 non-null object
22 Air.carrier
                                 16648 non-null object
23 Total.Fatal.Injuries 77488 non-null float64
24 Total.Serious.Injuries 76379 non-null float64
25 Total.Minor.Injuries 76956 non-null float64
26 Total.Uninjured 82977 non-null float64
27 Weather.Condition 84397 non-null object
28 Broad.phase.of.flight 61724 non-null object
29 Report.Status 82508 non-null object 30 Publication.Date 73659 non-null object
dtypes: float64(5), object(26)
memory usage: 21.4+ MB
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\*After assessing the data and given the objective of our analysis, I deemed the following columns uneccesary for the study or had lots of null values hence to be dropped to allow for clarity while analysing data. The columns incude: Event Id, Event date, accident number, latitude, longitude,

In [60]:

FAR.Description, Report.Status, Airport.code, Airport.name, schedule, Air.carrier

# Removing unnecessary columns with reference to the objective of our analysis and co

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df.columns = df.columns.str.strip()
                                       drop_cols =['Event.Id','Events.Date','Longitude','Latitude','Publication.Date','Regis
                                       df = df.drop(columns=[col for col in drop_cols if col in df.columns])
                                       df.shape #moved from 31 to 17 columns
Out[60]: (90348, 17)
                                2. Exploring Data Analysis of our remaining columns
In [61]: | # filling critical columns with '0' value to allow for usability of the data
                                      col injury = ['Total.Fatal.Injuries', 'Total.Serious.Injuries','Total.Minor.Injuries
                                       df[col_injury] = df[col_injury].fillna(0)
                                      # To check distinct values in the Injury. Severity column
In [62]:
                                       df['Injury.Severity'].unique()# only Fatal injury has counts attached to it . require
Out[62]: array(['Fatal(2)', 'Fatal(4)', 'Fatal(3)', 'Fatal(1)', 'Non-Fatal',
                                                               'Incident', 'Fatal(8)', 'Fatal(78)', 'Fatal(7)', 'Fatal(6)',
                                                             'Fatal(5)', 'Fatal(153)', 'Fatal(12)', 'Fatal(14)', 'Fatal(23)', 'Fatal(10)', 'Fatal(11)', 'Fatal(9)', 'Fatal(17)', 'Fatal(13)', 'Fatal(29)', 'Fatal(70)', 'Unavailable', 'Fatal(135)', 'Fatal(31)', 'Fatal(256)', 'Fatal(25)', 'Fatal(82)', 'Fatal(156)', 'Fatal(28)', 'Fatal(18)', '
                                                             'Fatal(174)', 'Fatal(111)', 'Fatal(131)', 'Fatal(20)', 'Fatal(73)', 'Fatal(27)', 'Fatal(34)', 'Fatal(87)', 'Fatal(30)', 'Fatal(160)', 'Fatal(47)', 'Fatal(56)', 'Fatal(37)', 'Fatal(132)', 'Fatal(68)', 'Fatal(54)', 'Fatal(52)', 'Fatal(65)', 'Fatal(72)', 'Fatal(160)', 'Fatal(142)', 'F
                                                              'Fatal(189)', 'Fatal(123)', 'Fatal(33)', 'Fatal(110)', 'Fatal(230)', 'Fatal(97)', 'Fatal(349)', 'Fatal(125)', 'Fatal(35)',
                                                              'Fatal(228)', 'Fatal(75)', 'Fatal(104)', 'Fatal(229)', 'Fatal(80)',
                                                             'Fatal(228)', 'Fatal(75)', 'Fatal(104)', 'Fatal(229)', 'Fatal(80)', 'Fatal(217)', 'Fatal(169)', 'Fatal(88)', 'Fatal(19)', 'Fatal(60)', 'Fatal(113)', 'Fatal(143)', 'Fatal(83)', 'Fatal(24)', 'Fatal(44)', 'Fatal(64)', 'Fatal(92)', 'Fatal(118)', 'Fatal(265)', 'Fatal(26)', 'Fatal(138)', 'Fatal(206)', 'Fatal(71)', 'Fatal(21)', 'Fatal(46)', 'Fatal(102)', 'Fatal(115)', 'Fatal(141)', 'Fatal(55)', 'Fatal(121)', 'Fatal(45)', 'Fatal(145)', 'Fatal(117)', 'Fatal(107)', 'Fatal(124)', 'Fatal(49)', 'Fatal(154)', 'Fatal(96)', 'Fatal(114)', 'Fatal(199)', 'Fatal(89)', 'Fatal(57)', 'Fatal', nan, 'Minor' 'Serious' dynesobject)
                                                              'Minor', 'Serious'], dtype=object)
In [63]:
                                   #To separate the counts in fatal from the status string 'Fatal' by creating a column
                                       df['Severity Counts'] = df['Injury.Severity'].str.extract(r'Fatal\((\d+)\))').astype(
                                       df['Severity_Counts'] = df['Severity_Counts'].fillna(0)
In [64]:
                                      # Other critical columns that do not have numerical values but have the 'NAN', we can
                                      fill_cols = ['Purpose.of.flight', 'Weather.Condition', 'Broad.phase.of.flight','Airc
                                       df[fill cols] = df[fill cols].fillna("Unknown")
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In [65]:
          # to finally check our dataset again before analysis
          # we now have no null values and our data is ready for analysis
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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 90348 entries, 0 to 90347
Data columns (total 18 columns):
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#	Column	Non-N	ull Count	Dtype
0	Investigation.Type	90348	non-null	object
1	Country	90348	non-null	object
2	Injury.Severity	90348	non-null	object
3	Aircraft.damage	90348	non-null	object
4	Aircraft.Category	90348	non-null	object
5	Make	90348	non-null	object
6	Model	90348	non-null	object
7	Amateur.Built	90348	non-null	object
8	Number.of.Engines	90348	non-null	float64
9	Engine.Type	90348	non-null	object
10	Purpose.of.flight	90348	non-null	object
11	Total.Fatal.Injuries	90348	non-null	float64
12	Total.Serious.Injuries	90348	non-null	float64
13	Total.Minor.Injuries	90348	non-null	float64
14	Total.Uninjured	90348	non-null	float64
15	Weather.Condition	90348	non-null	object
16	Broad.phase.of.flight	90348	non-null	object
17	Severity_Counts	90348	non-null	float64
dtyp	es: float64(6), object(1	2)		
memo	ry usage: 12.4+ MB			

## 3. Conducting Data Analysis

#### A) Assessing aircraft types and associated high risk factors(Catastrophic)

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In [66]:
          #Combining Aircraft make and model (combining the two to have the specific aircraft)
          df['Aircraft_Type'] = df['Make'].astype(str) + ' ' + df['Model'].astype(str) # combin
          # Exploring the total Fatal and Serious injuries by adding a total catastrophic inju
          df['Total.catastrophic. Injuries']=(df['Total.Fatal.Injuries'] +df['Total.Serious.Inj
In [67]:
          #Making assessments from a comibination of factors associated with catastrophic injur
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Out[67]: Total.catas Aircraft\_Type Broad.phase.of.flight Amateur.Built Investigation.Type Purpose.of.flight

0	BOEING 737	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
1	Boeing 737-200	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
2	BOEING 777 - 206	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	

catastrophic\_incidence\_factors= df.groupby(['Aircraft\_Type','Broad.phase.of.flight' catastrophic\_incidence\_factors.head(10)# showing top 10 catastrophic incidences by A

	Aircraft_Type	Broad.phase.of.flight	Amateur.Built	Investigation.Type	Purpose.of.flight	Total.catas
3	Boeing MD-82	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
4	AIRBUS A321	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
5	Tupolev TU-154	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
6	Boeing 747-168	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
7	AIRBUS A330	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
8	Boeing 747-121	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
9	Airbus Industrie A300B4-605R	Takeoff	No	Accident	Unknown	

### B) Assessing aircraft types and associated minor risks

#Making assessments from a comibination of factors associated with minor injuries In [68]:

minor\_incidence\_factors= df.groupby(['Aircraft\_Type','Broad.phase.of.flight','Amate

minor\_incidence\_factors.head(10)# showing top 10 minor incidences by Aircraft type

Out[68]:		Aircraft_Type	Broad.phase.of.flight	Amateur.Built	Investigation.Type	Purpose.of.flight	Total.Mino
	0	Boeing 747-2B6B	Unknown	Yes	Incident	Unknown	
	1	Mcdonnell Douglas MD-11	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
	2	Boeing 747-122	Cruise	No	Accident	Unknown	
	3	Mcdonnell Douglas DC-10-10	Cruise	No	Accident	Unknown	
	4	Piper PA-28-140	Takeoff	No	Accident	Personal	
	5	Mcdonnell Douglas MD-11	Cruise	No	Accident	Unknown	
	6	Mcdonnell Douglas MD-82	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
	7	Cessna 208B	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	
	8	BOEING 737	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	

	Aircraft_Type	Broad.phase.of.flight	Amateur.Built	Investigation.Type	Purpose.of.flight	Total.Mino
9	Boeing 737-824	Cruise	No	Accident	Unknown	

#### C) Assessing aircraft types with associated low risk factors

Out[69]:		Aircraft_Type	Broad.phase.of.flight	Amateur.Built	Investigation. Type	Purpose.of.flight	Total.Uninj
	0	BOEING 737	Unknown	No	Incident	Unknown	147
	1	BOEING 737	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	68
	2	BOEING 777	Unknown	No	Incident	Unknown	5!
	3	BOEING 777	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	2.
	4	BOEING 767	Unknown	No	Incident	Unknown	24
	5	BOEING 767	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	2.
	6	Boeing 737	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	2(
	7	AIRBUS A320	Unknown	No	Incident	Unknown	18
	8	BOEING 787	Unknown	No	Incident	Unknown	1(
	9	Boeing 747-400	Unknown	No	Accident	Unknown	1!

High Risk Fatalities Aircraft

## 4. Combining analysis for assessment

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In [70]: # From the data given, the following aircrafts had the highest value counts meaning,

most_common_operated_aircraft =df['Aircraft_Type'].value_counts().reset_index()
most_common_operated_aircraft.columns = ['Aircraft Type', 'Total Number']
most_common_operated_aircraft.index.name = 'Index'
most_common_operated_aircraft.head(10)
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#### Out[70]: Aircraft Type Total Number

Index		
0	Cessna 152	2168
1	Unknown Unknown	1504
2	Cessna 172	1254

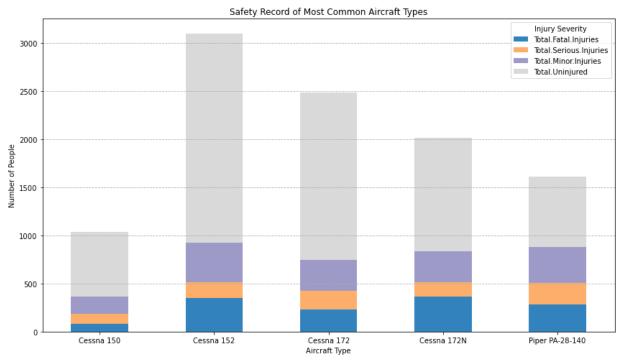
#### Aircraft Type Total Number

Index		
3	Cessna 172N	996
4	Piper PA-28-140	812
5	Cessna 150	716
6	Cessna 172M	667
7	Cessna 172P	597
8	Piper PA-18	539
9	Cessna 150M	539

#### Out[71]: Aircraft\_Type Investigation.Type Total.Fatal.Injuries Total.Serious.Injuries Total.Minor.Injuries Total 0 Cessna 150 Accident 78.0 104.0 182.0 1 Cessna 150 Incident 0.0 0.0 2.0 2 Cessna 152 Accident 349.0 168.0 404.0 3 Cessna 152 Incident 0.0 0.0 1.0 4 Cessna 172 Accident 231.0 192.0 325.0 5 Cessna 172 0.0 Incident 0.0 0.0 Cessna 172N Accident 365.0 150.0 320.0 7 Cessna 172N Incident 0.0 0.0 0.0 Piper 374.0 8 Accident 284.0 219.0 PA-28-140 Piper 0.0 9 0.0 0.0 Incident PA-28-140

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In [72]: # checking most common operated aircraft track record by investigation type = 'Accide
common_aircraft_accident_safety_record = most_common_selected_flights_df[most_common_
].groupby(['Aircraft_Type', 'Investigation.Type'])[['Total.Fatal.Injuries', 'Total.Se
].sum().reset_index()
common_aircraft_accident_safety_record
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Out[72]:		Aircraft_Type	Investigation.Type	Total.Fatal.Injuries	Total.Serious.Injuries	Total.Minor.Injuries Tota		
	0	Cessna 150	Accident	78.0	104.0	182.0		
	1	Cessna 152	Accident	349.0	168.0	404.0		
	2	Cessna 172	Accident	231.0	192.0	325.0		
	3	Cessna 172N	Accident	365.0	150.0	320.0		
	4	Piper PA-28-140	Accident	284.0	219.0	374.0		
In [73]:	].	ommon_aircra- groupby(['A: sum().reset_	ft_incident_safet ircraft_Type', ']	<pre>cy_record = most_ investigation.Typ</pre>	_common_selected_fl	<pre>gation type = 'Incide .ights_df[most_commonInjuries', 'Total.Se</pre>		
Out[73]:		Aircraft_Type	Investigation.Type	Total.Fatal.Injuries	Total.Serious.Injuries	Total.Minor.Injuries Tota		
	0	Cessna 150	Incident	0.0	0.0	2.0		
	1	Cessna 152	Incident	0.0	0.0	1.0		
	2	Cessna 172	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	3	Cessna 172N	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	4	Piper PA-28-140	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0		
In [74]:		-				Elight to uninjured in		
	<pre>total_incidences_mostcommon = most_common_selected_flights_df[['Total.Fatal.Injuries ]].sum().sum() total_uninjured_mostcommon = most_common_selected_flights_df['Total.Uninjured'].sum()</pre>							
	Safety_Percentage =100-(total_incidences_mostcommon/total_uninjured_mostcommon)*100							
	pr	int(f"Total	-	: {total_inciden	common}") nces_mostcommon}") : {Safety_Percenta	nge:.2f} %")		
	Tot		d: 6499.0 ncidents: 3748.0 age (Injured / Ui	injured): 42.33 %	6			



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In [76]: #Track record of top 5 flights with known lowrisk factors

selected_lowrisk_aircraft =lowrisk_incidence_factors['Aircraft_Type'].head(10).tolist
selected_lowrisk_aircraft_df= df[df['Aircraft_Type'].isin (selected_lowrisk_aircraft]

#Assessing Lowrisk incident aircraft type safety record
lowrisk_safety_record=selected_lowrisk_aircraft_df.groupby(['Aircraft_Type','Investig'
'Total.Uninjured']].sum().reset_index()

lowrisk_safety_record
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Out[76]:		Aircraft_Type	Investigation. Type	Total.Fatal.Injuries	Total.Serious.Injuries	Total.Minor.Injuries	To
	0	AIRBUS A320	Accident	170.0	4.0	9.0	
	1	AIRBUS A320	Incident	0.0	6.0	0.0	
	2	BOEING 737	Accident	1348.0	350.0	75.0	

	Aircraft_Type	Investigation.Type	Total.Fatal.Injuries	Total.Serious.Injuries	Total.Minor.Injuries	To
3	BOEING 737	Incident	0.0	30.0	1.0	
4	BOEING 767	Accident	0.0	60.0	16.0	
5	BOEING 767	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0	
6	BOEING 777	Accident	0.0	23.0	17.0	
7	BOEING 777	Incident	0.0	0.0	1.0	
8	BOEING 787	Accident	0.0	1.0	2.0	
9	BOEING 787	Incident	0.0	4.0	0.0	
10	Boeing 737	Accident	0.0	8.0	15.0	
11	Boeing 737	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0	
12	Boeing 747-400	Accident	83.0	43.0	40.0	
13	Boeing 747-400	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0	

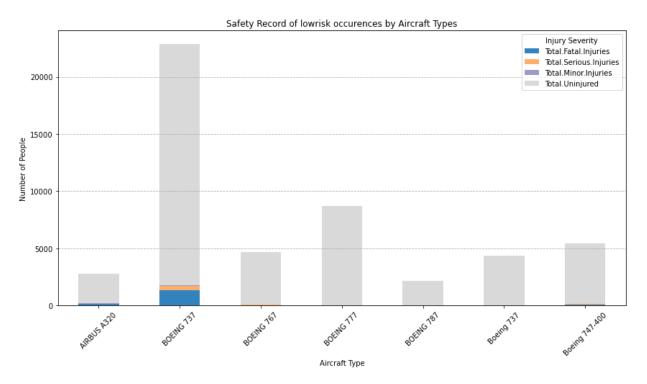
lowrisk\_accident\_safety\_record

Out[77]: Aircraft\_Type Investigation.Type Total.Fatal.Injuries Total.Serious.Injuries Total.Minor.Injuries Total AIRBUS A320 170.0 9.0 Accident 4.0 1 **BOEING 737** 1348.0 350.0 75.0 Accident 2 **BOEING 767** 0.0 60.0 16.0 Accident 17.0 3 **BOEING 777** 0.0 23.0 Accident 4 **BOEING 787** Accident 0.0 1.0 2.0 5 15.0 Boeing 737 Accident 0.0 8.0 Boeing 40.0 6 Accident 83.0 43.0 747-400

Out[78]: Aircraft\_Type Investigation.Type Total.Fatal.Injuries Total.Serious.Injuries Total.Minor.Injuries Total

	0	AIRBUS A320	Incident	0.0	6.0	0.0		
	1	BOEING 737	Incident	0.0	30.0	1.0		
	2	BOEING 767	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	3	BOEING 777	Incident	0.0	0.0	1.0		
	4	BOEING 787	Incident	0.0	4.0	0.0		
	5	Boeing 737	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	6	Boeing 747-400	Incident	0.0	0.0	0.0		
In [79]:	<pre>#Ratio of incidences that have occured in most common operated flight to uninjured in total_incidences_lowrisk =selected_lowrisk_aircraft_df[['Total.Fatal.Injuries','Total ]].sum().sum() total_uninjured_lowrisk =selected_lowrisk_aircraft_df['Total.Uninjured'].sum()  lowrisk_safety_ratio = 100-(total_incidences_lowrisk/total_uninjured_lowrisk)*100  print(f"Total Uninjured: {total_uninjured_mostcommon}") print(f"Total Injury Incidents: {total_incidences_mostcommon}") print(f"Safety Percentage (Injured / Uinjured): {lowrisk_safety_ratio:.2f} %")  Total Uninjured: 6499.0 Total Injury Incidents: 3748.0 Safety Percentage (Injured / Uinjured): 95.27 %</pre>							
In [80]:	# loo	<pre># Pivoting for easier plotting (sum across all Investigation Types per Aircraft Type) lowrisk_df = lowrisk_safety_record.groupby('Aircraft_Type')[['Total.Fatal.Injuries', 'Total.Uninjured']].sum()  # Plotting lowrisk_df.plot(kind='bar', stacked=True, figsize=(12, 7), colormap='tab20c')  plt.title('Safety Record of lowrisk occurences by Aircraft Types') plt.xlabel('Aircraft Type') plt.ylabel('Number of People') plt.xticks(rotation=45) plt.legend(title='Injury Severity') plt.tight_layout() plt.grid(axis='y', linestyle='')  plt.show()</pre>						

Aircraft\_Type Investigation.Type Total.Fatal.Injuries Total.Serious.Injuries Total.Minor.Injuries Total



SUMMARY ANALYSIS ON MOST COMMON AIRCRAFT OPERATED AND THE LOW RISK AIRCRAFT OPERATED

#### 1. MOST COMMON AIRCRAFTS OPERATED

If African Airways Co. would like to consider the most common aircraft operated as their choice of flight based on information assessed: a)Most common aircraft selected have lower numbers of passangers, maybe due to the flights being smaller b)further analysis should be done to know why they are common. It could be that they are cheaper to acquire c) The safety percentage for these aircraft is however low at 42%

If African Airways Co.rather consi der the low risk aircraft operated as their choice of flight based on information assessed: a) They appear to move large volumes of passangers b)The safety record is quite impressive at 95.27%

In [81]: df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 90348 entries, 0 to 90347
Data columns (total 20 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Investigation.Type	90348 non-null	object
1	Country	90348 non-null	object
2	Injury.Severity	90348 non-null	object
3	Aircraft.damage	90348 non-null	object
4	Aircraft.Category	90348 non-null	object
5	Make	90348 non-null	object
6	Model	90348 non-null	object
7	Amateur.Built	90348 non-null	object
8	Number.of.Engines	90348 non-null	float64
9	Engine.Type	90348 non-null	object
10	Purpose.of.flight	90348 non-null	object
11	Total.Fatal.Injuries	90348 non-null	float64

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12 Total.Serious.Injuries 90348 non-null float64
13 Total.Minor.Injuries 90348 non-null float64
14 Total.Uninjured 90348 non-null float64
15 Weather.Condition 90348 non-null object
16 Broad.phase.of.flight 90348 non-null object
17 Severity_Counts 90348 non-null float64
18 Aircraft_Type 90348 non-null float64
19 Total.catastrophic. Injuries 90348 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(7), object(13)
memory usage: 13.8+ MB
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In [82]:

# For purpose of use in Tableau, given the changed information from the original date

df.to\_csv("cleaned\_aviation\_data.csv", index=False)