# AVIATION SAFETY RISK ANALYSIS

GUIDING SAFER INVESTMENT DECISIONS

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## PROJECT OVERVIEW

- This project analyzes aircraft accident data to guide safer investment decisions.
- We explore patterns in injury severity by aircraft make, purpose of flight, and engine type using Jupyter and Tableau.

## BUSINESS UNDERSTANDING

- Stakeholders seek to understand safety risks before investing in aircraft operations.
- Key Questions:
- 1. Which aircraft makes are involved in the most fatal accidents?
- 2. Which flight purposes carry higher injury risks?
- 3. Are certain engine types associated with higher accident severity?

#### DATA UNDERSTANDING

- Data Source: US Aviation Accident Dataset
- Key Fields Used: Aircraft Make, Injury Severity, Flight Purpose, Engine Type, Location
- Cleaned using Python (Pandas), filtered missing values, and exported to Tableau.

## TOP 10 AIRCRAFT BY FATAL ACCIDENTS

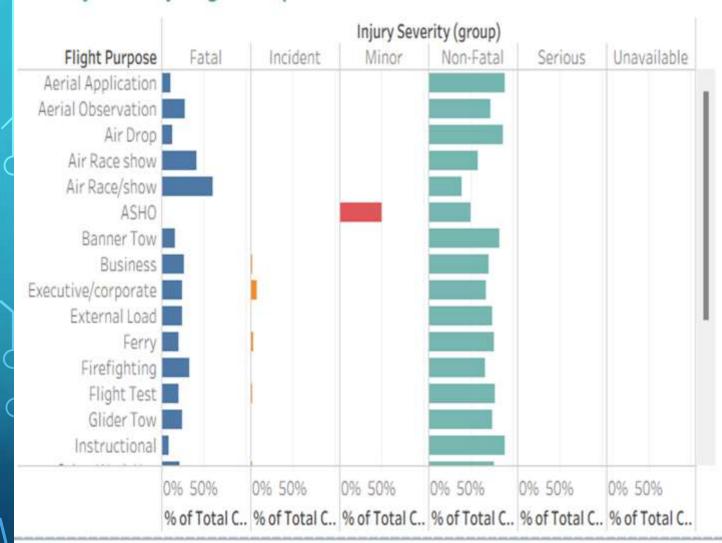
- This bar chart highlights aircraft makes involved in the highest number of fatal accidents.
- Recommendation: Avoid aircraft makes with historically higher fatality rates.



## FATALITY RATE BY FLIGHT PURPOSE

- Stacked bar chart comparing injury severity across flight purposes.
- Recommendation: Investment in personal and instructional flights may involve lower risks.

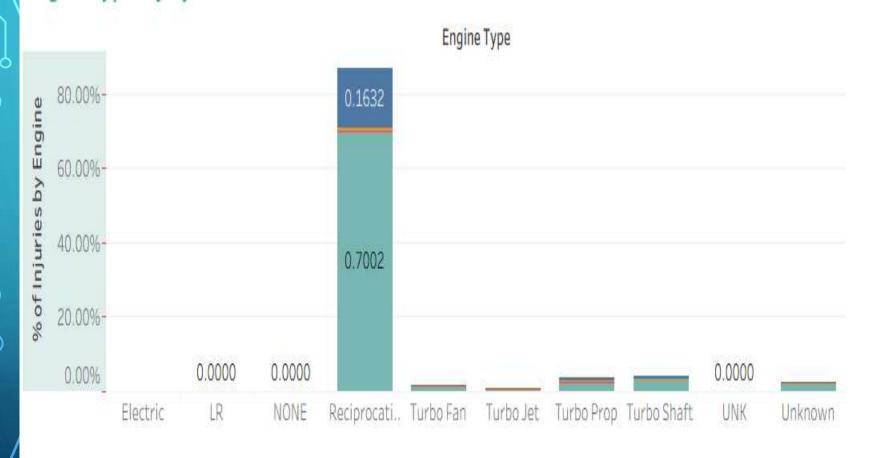
#### Fatality Rate by Flight Purpose



## ENGINE TYPE AND INJURY BREAKDOWN

- This visualization shows the proportion of injury severity by engine type.
- Recommendation: Reciprocating engines appear in more incidents; consider safety records of engine types.

## **Engine Type Injury Breakdown**



## KEY RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. Prioritize aircraft makes with lower historical fatality involvement.
- 2. Avoid high-risk flight purposes (e.g., Air Races, Banner Towing).
- 3. Review engine type safety profiles before investment.

## **NEXT STEPS**

- Perform time-series analysis on accident trend
- Integrate weather and location for contextual risk analysis.

Explore predictive modeling for proactive safety insights.

## THANK YOU

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Happy to take your questions!