# Risk Assessment Matrix

## Background

- Development and implementation of an archery scoring database
   System to track and manage individual and competition scores
   Facilitate lookup of round definitions and club records
   Understanding potential challenges for successful project execution
- Developing risk management strategies to mitigate negative impacts

## Risks and mitigations

	Risk	Mitigation	Rating Severity (1-4) Likelihood (1-3)
	Data privacy and security breaches	Implement strong data encryption and access control measures; conduct regular security audits; provide employee training on data security best practices	High 4, 1
2.	Inaccurate or incomplete data entry by users	Develop user-friendly interfaces; provide clear instructions for data input; implement data validation checks; allow users to edit and correct their data	High 3, 3
3.	Insufficient server capacity or performance issues	Optimize database design and server resources; implement backup systems and redundancy; monitor system performance and address issues proactively	Medium 3, 2
4.	Inadequate training or support for the club recorder	Provide comprehensive training materials and ongoing support; develop a user-friendly interface; establish a helpdesk for prompt issue resolution	Medium 2, 1
5.	Outdated round definitions and equivalent rounds	Maintain regular communication with archery organizations; monitor changes in rules and update the database accordingly; provide users with easy access to rule changes and updates	Low 1, 2
6.	Software bugs or technical issues	Implement thorough testing and quality assurance processes; provide regular updates and patches; establish a system for users to report bugs and issues	Medium 2, 2
7.	Inability to retrieve historical data	Implement regular data backups and archiving; develop a user- friendly interface for accessing historical data; ensure data retention complies with applicable regulations	Medium 3, 1
8.	Team members leaving/illness	Cross-train team members on key tasks; maintain up-to-date documentation of project work; establish contingency plans for key personnel absences	Medium 2, 2
9.	Underperformance	Set clear project goals and milestones; monitor progress regularly; address issues and obstacles promptly; maintain open communication within the team	High 3, 2
10.	Time running out	Establish a realistic project timeline; allocate sufficient resources; monitor progress and adjust plans as needed; prioritize tasks and manage scope changes effectively	Medium 3, 2

### Risk rating

LOW	MEDIUM	HIGH	EXTREME
<ul><li>Acceptable</li><li>Ok to proceed</li></ul>	<ul><li>As low as reasonably practicable</li><li>Take mitigation efforts</li></ul>	<ul><li>Generally unacceptable</li><li>Seek support</li></ul>	<ul><li>Intolerable</li><li>Place event on hold</li></ul>

	SEVERITY	
LIKELIHOOD		

	1 - ACCEPTABLE Little to no effect on event	2 - TOLERABLE Effects are felt, but not critical to outcome	3 - UNDESIRABLE Serious impact to the course of action and outcome	4 - INTOLERABLE Could result in disaster
1 - IMPROBABLE Risk is unlikely to occur		4	3, 7	1
2 - POSSIBLE Risk will likely occur	5	6, 8	9, 10	
3 - PROBABLE Risk will occur			2	