

| Project Title | Data Visualization of Bird Strikes between 2000 – 2011 |
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| Technologies | Data Science |
| Domain | Transportation and Communication |
| Project Difficulties level | Advanced |

Problem Statement:

Transport and communication are in the crucial domain in the field of analytics. Environmental impacts and safety are, nowadays, two major concerns of the scientific community with respect to transport scenarios and to the ever-growing urban areas. These issues gain more importance due to the increasing amount of vehicles and people. Seeking new solutions is reaching a point where available technologies and artificial intelligence, especially MAS, are being recognized as ways to cope with and tackle these kinds of problems in a distributed and more appropriate way.

A bird strike is strictly defined as a collision between a bird and an aircraft which is in flight or on a take-off or landing roll. The term is often expanded to cover other wildlife strikes - with bats or ground animals. Bird Strike is common and can be a significant threat to aircraft safety. For smaller aircraft, significant damage may be caused to the aircraft structure and all aircraft, especially jet-engine ones, are vulnerable to the loss of thrust which can follow the ingestion of birds into engine air intakes. This has resulted in several fatal accidents.

Bird strikes may occur during any phase of flight, but are most likely during the take-off, initial climb, approach and landing phases due to the greater numbers of birds in flight at lower levels. To have a closer look the following document visually depicts the data collected on Bird Strikes by FAA between 2000-2011.

Case Studies

- Visuals Depicting the Number of Bird Strikes
- Yearly Analysis & Bird Strikes in the US
- Top 10 US Airlines in terms of having encountered bird strikes
- Airports with most incidents of bird strikes Top 50
- Yearly Cost Incurred due to Bird Strikes:
- When do most bird strikes occur?
- Altitude of aeroplanes at the time of strike
- Phase of flight at the time of the strike.
- Average Altitude of the aeroplanes in different phases at the time of strike
- Effect of Bird Strikes & Impact on Flight
- Effect of Strike at Different Altitude
- Were Pilots Informed? & Prior Warning and Effect of Strike Relation

Dataset:

Dataset is available in the given link. You can download it at your convenience.

Download Data

Approaches:

Python, Tableau, Power BI or you can use any tools and techniques as per your convenience. We would appreciate your valid imagination in finding solutions.

Project Evaluation metrics:

Code: As per the requirements

- You are supposed to write code in a modular fashion
- Safe: It can be used without causing harm.
- Testable: It can be tested at the code level.
- Maintainable: It can be maintained, even as your codebase grows.
- Portable: It works the same in every environment (operating system)