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# MOVING BEYOND RISK ASSESSMENT: MEASURING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF RISK MITIGATION STRATEGIES

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS SYSTEMWIDE ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

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# AGENDA

- University of Massachusetts System Overview
- UMass Systemwide ERM Program Overview
- UMass ERM Risk Assessment Process and Systemwide Risk Registry
- Moving Beyond Risk Assessment
- Demo of Mitigation Assessment Tool
- Conclusion and Take Aways
- Questions

*Please note: throughout presentation, all underlined text indicates there is a link to additional information*



# UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS SYSTEM



# University of Massachusetts System Overview

## Five undergraduate & graduate campuses

- Medical School
- Law School
- 75,000 students
- 18,000 new graduates annually

- Third-largest research university in Massachusetts (\$752M)
- Fourth-largest research university in New England

- Annual budget of \$3.8B
- Responsible for \$7.5 B in overall economic impact across Massachusetts

Third largest employer in Massachusetts with more than 24,000 employees



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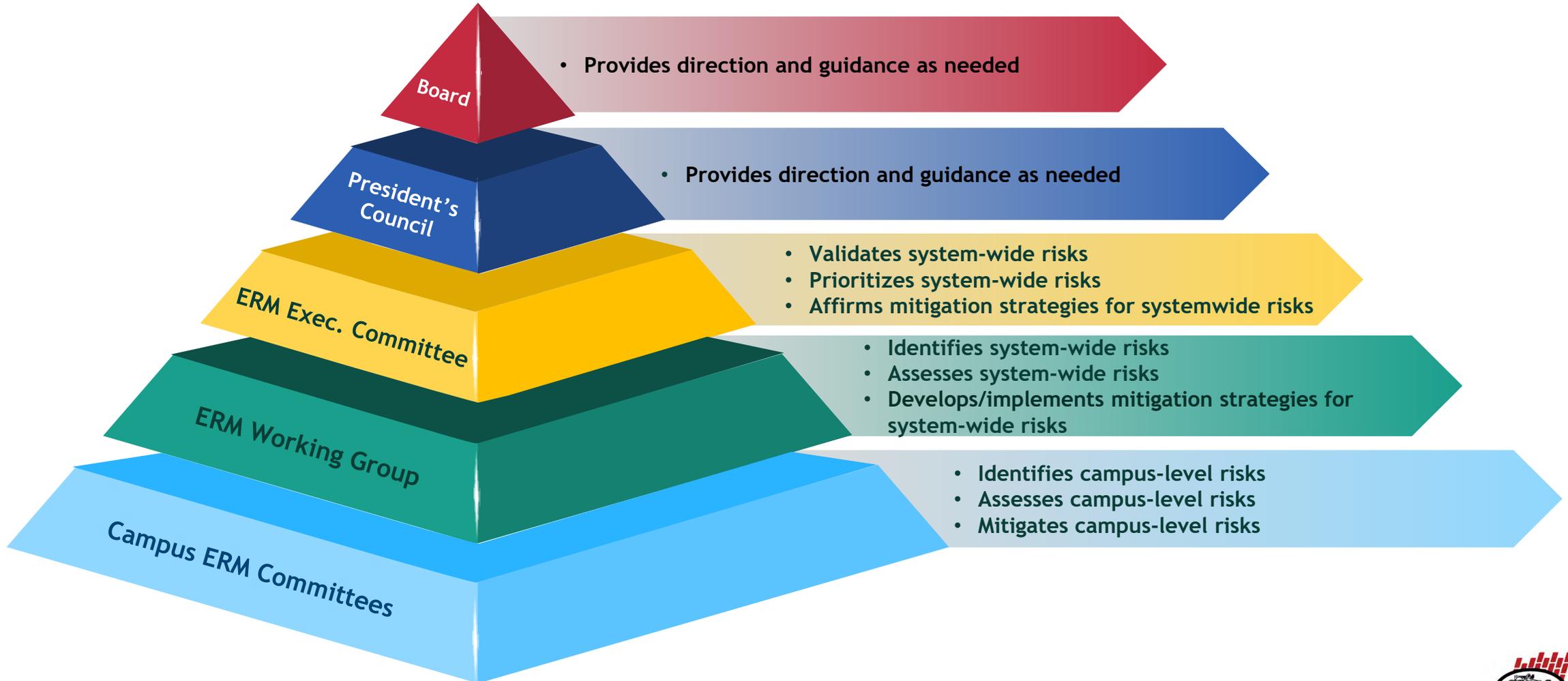
# University of Massachusetts Systemwide Enterprise Risk Management Program

## Two-Year ERM Program Cycle

- Proactively identify risks *across the University*
- Assess the potential *systemwide* impact of risks
- Prioritize risks across the University
- Document and assess mitigation strategies
- Monitor risks and risk mitigation actions
- Regularly report updates on program



# UMass ERM Governance Structure



# UMASS ERM RISK ASSESSMENT PROCESS AND SYSTEMWIDE RISK REGISTRY



# Risk Assessment Process

- Focused on systemwide impacts
- Evaluates *inherent* exposure of the University to the risk
  - Does *not* account for mitigation strategies
  - Generates an Inherent Risk Score for each risk
- Rates risks across three factors
  - Values are assigned to each rating
    - Likelihood: Could the University system experience this risk?
    - Consequence: How much would the University system be impacted by this risk?
      - Service/Operations Disruption
      - Financial
      - Legal/Compliance
      - Workforce
      - Reputation
      - Life Safety
    - Urgency: How soon does the University system need to prioritize this risk?



# Risk Assessment Tool – Likelihood Factor

What is the likelihood the University system could experience this risk?

Assessor chooses from the most pertinent column

| Rating                                | Description  | OR | Probability of Occurrence | OR | Rate of Occurrence    |
|---------------------------------------|--|----|---------------------------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>4</b><br>Certain or Almost Certain | HIGH - Almost certain to occur, expected in most circumstances | OR | >75%                      | OR | more than 2x per year |
| <b>3</b><br>Likely                    | MEDIUM HIGH - Likely to occur or will probably occur           |    | 50 to 75%                 |    | 1-2x per year         |
| <b>2</b><br>Possible                  | MEDIUM - Possible, this could occur                            |    | 25 to 50%                 |    | once every 2-5 years  |
| <b>1</b><br>Unlikely                  | LOW - Unlikely, not expected to occur                          |    | Up to 25%                 |    | more than 5 years     |

# Risk Assessment Tool – Consequence Factor

How much would the University system be impacted by this risk?

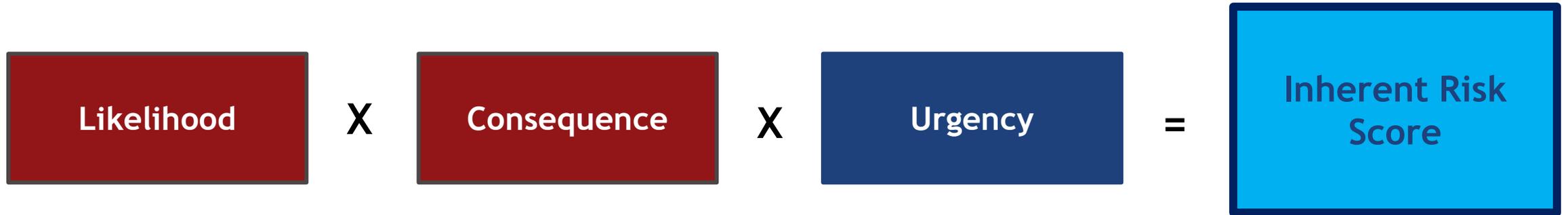
| Rating          | Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations  | Financial Impact   | Legal / Compliance   | Workforce   | Reputation   | Life Safety  | Rating                                |
|-----------------|---|--|--|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| 4<br>High       | Serious disruption to or failure of service<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Significant impacts to more than two campus | State appropriation reduction of more than 15 percent<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Loss of revenue or increase in expenses of greater than 15 percent or combination of both<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Need to use stabilization fund<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Impacts to all campuses | Increased state or federal regulatory scrutiny for additional campus(es)<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>External agency sanctions such as debarment or civil and/or criminal liability<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Litigation exposure with significant financial (\$10M+), reputational or precedent exposure<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Substantial audit findings | Inability to recruit or retain employees with essential knowledge, skills and abilities<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Work culture is defined by excessive internal conflict or widespread negativity<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Inability to collaborate across the system or limited information sharing and cooperation<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Low level of trust among colleagues | Negative national media coverage or negative social media activity ("viral") for multiple days<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Tangible, long-term impacts to enrollment (more than one cycle), philanthropy and public support<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Significant personnel actions<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Widespread internal reaction | Fatality or permanent disability of one or more people | 4<br>High                             |
| 3<br>Medium     | Moderate disruption to service<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Significant impact to one campus                         | State appropriation reduction of 10-15 percent<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Loss of revenue or cost increase of 5-10 percent, or combination of both (est. \$175M - \$350M)<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Impacts to BDL or UMA or UMMS   | Restrictions or requirements placed on the University's operational activities<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Substantial (\$1M+) regulatory fines and/or response costs<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Moderate audit findings<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Litigation with substantial financial (\$1M - \$10M), reputational or precedent exposure                     | Difficulty recruiting or retaining employees with essential knowledge, skills and abilities<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Work culture experiences frequent internal conflict or significant<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Significant obstacles to system-wide collaboration<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Decreased information sharing in many circumstances                                 | Negative regional (northeast) media coverage or some negative social media activity<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Tangible, short-term impacts to enrollment (one cycle), philanthropy and public support<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Significant internal reaction  | Serious injury of one or more people                   | 3<br>Medium                           |
| 2<br>Low        | Minor impact on service<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Some impact to more than one campus                             | Between \$5M and 1 - 5 percent revenue loss or expense increase or combination of both (est. \$5M to \$175M impact)<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Impacts to up to two campuses  | Regulatory fines (less than \$1M)<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Minor audit findings<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Litigation with financial (less than \$1M), reputational or precedent exposure<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Internally-imposed consequences or requirement for formal corrective action  | Minor impact to recruitment or retention<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Work culture experiences some internal conflict or negativity<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Challenges with system-wide collaboration<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Decreased information sharing and cooperation in limited circumstances   | Negative local media coverage or minimal social media activity<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>Moderate on-campus/internal reaction  | Minor injury to more than one person                   | 2<br>Low                              |
| 1<br>Negligible | Annoyance   | Less than \$5M impact  | No to minimal impact   | No to minimal impact to recruitment or retention<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>No to minimal impact to workplace culture<br><i>AND/OR</i><br>No to minimal impact to system-wide collaboration or information sharing   | No to minor internal reaction  | No impact or minor injury to individual                | 1<br>Negligible                       |
| Rating          | 3   | 3  | 3  | 3   | 3  | 3  | Total Consequence Rating<br><b>18</b> |

## Risk Assessment Tool – Urgency Factor

How soon do we need to prioritize this risk?

| Level |          | Timeframe                 |
|-------|----------|---------------------------|
| 3     | High     | Within the next 12 months |
| 2     | Moderate | 1-3 years                 |
| 1     | Low      | More than 3 years         |

# Inherent Risk Score Calculation



- Assessed by ERM Working Group
- Assessed by ERM Executive Committee

# FY2022 Systemwide Risk Registry

■ Priority Risks

| Rank | Risk   |
|------|--|
| 1    | Enrollment                                     |
| 2    | Information Security                           |
| 3    | Financial Sustainability                       |
| 4    | Facilities and Deferred Maintenance            |
| 5    | Student Health & Mental Health Support         |
| 6    | Vendor Risk Management                         |
| 7    | Attract, Recruit, Retain Faculty and Staff     |
| 8    | International Activities                       |
| 9    | Information Privacy                            |
| 10   | Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Accessibility |

| Rank | Risk  |
|------|---|
| 11   | All Hazards Planning & Response Capabilities              |
| 12   | Multi-State Payroll Tax                                   |
| 13   | Labor Relations   |
| 14   | Data Management   |
| 15   | Research  |
| 16   | Multi-State Business Tax                                  |
| 17   | Sexual Assault Policies & Response Procedures             |
| 18   | IT Disaster Recovery                                      |
| 19   | Continuity Planning                                       |
| 20   | Environmental Health, Public Health, & Safety Regulations |

| Rank | Risk   |
|------|--|
| 21   | Alcohol and Substance Abuse                        |
| 22   | Crisis Communications                              |
| 23   | Immigration Rules and Regulations                  |
| 24   | Fraud, Waste, and Abuse                            |
| 25   | Uninsured Loss                                     |
| 26   | Employment Laws and Regulations                    |
| 27   | NCAA Regulations                                   |
| 28   | Policies and Procedures Regarding Minors on Campus |
| 29   | Academic Quality and Standards                     |
| 30   | Oversight of Student Organizations                 |



# MOVING BEYOND RISK ASSESSMENT



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## What We Knew

- Understanding risk exposure is very beneficial
- Equally important, if not more so:
  - What are we doing about our risk exposure?
  - How effective are those risk reduction strategies on our risk exposure?

*We use the terms “risk mitigation strategy”, “risk reduction strategy”, and “risk treatment” interchangeably.*





**How effective are these strategies  
on reducing our risk exposure?**

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## Goals

- Document risk mitigation strategies for transparency and common operating picture
- Demonstrate progress – or lack of progress - in reducing our risk exposure
- Correlate assessment of risk mitigation strategies to a risk's Inherent Risk Score
- Achieve all of this through a single, user-friendly process and tool

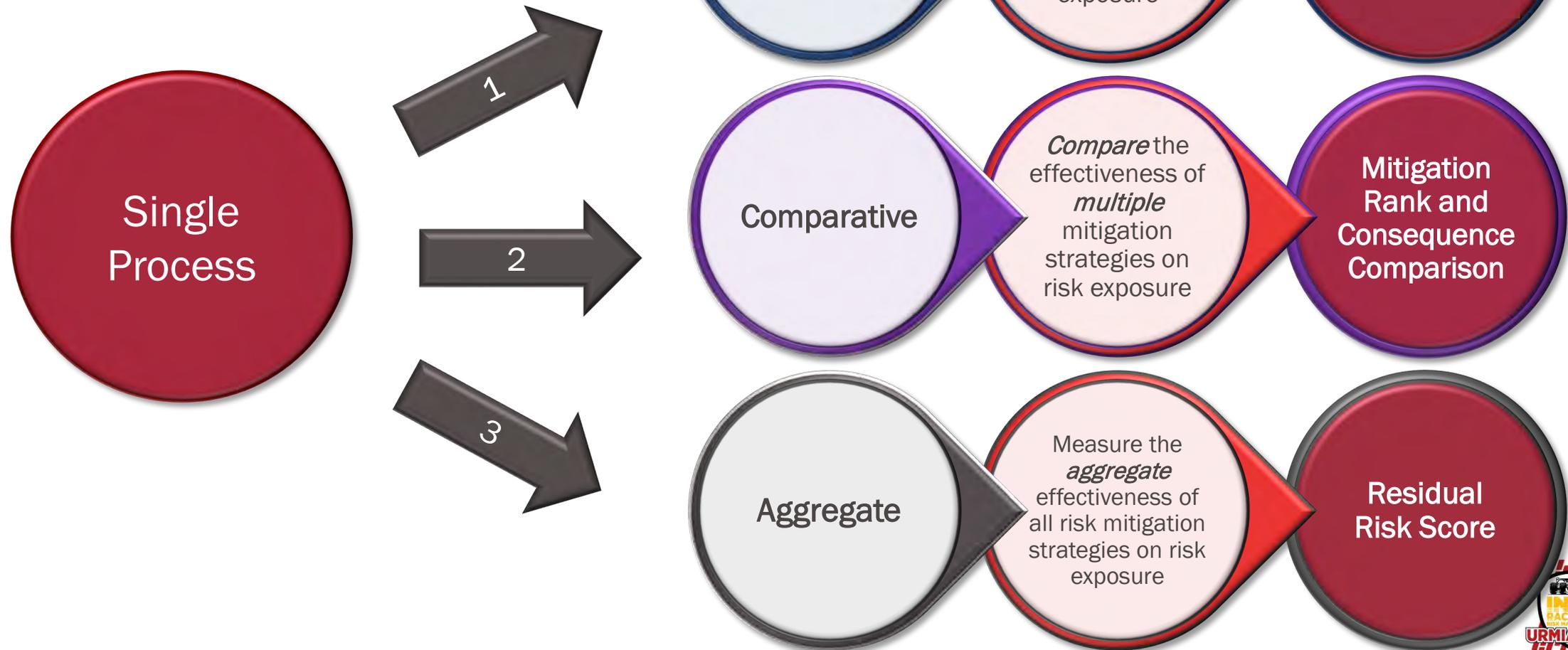
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## Approach

- Researched publicly available tools
  - Few available
  - Existing tools involved two processes to assess the impact of mitigation on risk
    - Stand alone process to evaluate risk mitigation strategy
    - Separate re-evaluation of risk against the mitigation strategy
- Sought to develop our own methodology and tool
  - Engaged with a consultant to provide guidance

# Methodology

Conduct one assessment to evaluate the effectiveness of risk mitigation strategies through three lenses



# MITIGATION ASSESSMENT TOOL OVERVIEW



# Mitigation Strategy Assessment – Step 1: Data Capture

*All data is created by risk partner/evaluator*

| Data Point  | Input         | Description   |
|-------------|---------------|---|
| Title       | Free Text     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Title of mitigation strategy being documented/assessed</li></ul>  |
| Description | Free Text     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Brief description of mitigation strategy</li></ul>  |
| Type        | Dropdown Menu | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Operational (everyday or regularly occurring activity)</li><li>Project-based (initiative for project with finite timeframe)</li></ul>     |
| Status      | Dropdown Menu | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Proposed (not yet approved/funded)</li><li>Planning (approved/funded, but not yet implemented)</li><li>Ongoing</li><li>Complete</li></ul> |

# Screen Shot: Mitigation Strategy Assessment – Step 1

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Type | Mitigation Strategy Status |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Description for 1               | Operational              | Ongoing                    |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Description for 2               | Project-Based            | Planned                    |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Description for 3               | Project-Based            | Completed                  |

# Mitigation Strategy Assessment – Step 2: Evaluating Impact on Consequence

## Evaluation

Evaluate the degree of effectiveness the mitigation strategy has on a risk within each risk consequence category:

- Service Disruption/Impact to Operations
- Finance
- Legal/Compliance
- Workforce
- Reputation
- Life Safety

## Rating Options

*What effect does or would the mitigation strategy have on this risk category?*

| Rating                     | Description  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>Significant Effect</b>  | Greatly reduces the University's exposure in this risk category          |
| <b>Moderate Effect</b>     | Somewhat reduces the University's exposure in this risk category         |
| <b>Little to No Effect</b> | Barely or does not reduce the University's exposure in the risk category |
| <b>Adverse Effect</b>      | Creates additional/increases exposure in the risk category               |

# Screen Shot: Mitigation Strategy Assessment – Step 2

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Type | Mitigation Strategy Status |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Description for 1               | Operational              | Ongoing                    |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Description for 2               | Project-Based            | Planned                    |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Description for 3               | Project-Based            | Completed                  |

| Consequence Ratings                              |                            |                              |                            |                            |                              |
|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations | Financial                  | Legal/ Compliance            | Workforce                  | Reputation                 | Life Safety                  |
| Inherent Risk Rating: Medium                     | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium |
| Mitigation Strategy Rating                       | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   |
| Significant Effect                               | Little to No Effect        | Moderate Effect              | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          |
| Little to No Effect                              | Adverse Effect             | Significant Effect           | Little to No Effect        | Moderate Effect            | Little to No Effect          |
| Moderate Effect                                  | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Significant Effect         | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          |



# Mitigation Strategy Assessment – Step 3: Evaluating Impact on Likelihood

## Evaluation

Evaluate whether the likelihood of the risk occurring has been impacted as a result of the risk mitigation strategy

## Rating Options

| <i>Does or would this mitigation strategy impact the likelihood of this risk occurring?</i> |   |
|---|---|
| Rating  | Description   |
| Decreases Likelihood  | Mitigation strategy has decreased the likelihood that the risk will occur (made it better)  |
| No Impact on Likelihood   | Mitigation strategy has made no impact on the likelihood that the risk will occur (neutral) |
| Increases Likelihood  | Mitigation strategy has increased the likelihood that the risk will occur (made it worse)   |

# Screen Shot: Mitigation Strategy Assessment – Step 3

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Category | Mitigation Strategy Status | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Test                            | Operational                  | Ongoing                    | Significant Effect         | Decreases                             | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect        | Decreases                             |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Planned                    | Little to No Effect        | Increases                             | Moderate Effect            | Little to No Effect        | Increases                             |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Completed                  | Moderate Effect            | Does Not Change                       | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect        | Does Not Change                       |

| Likelihood Rating                                |                              | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely |                 |                           | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating |                              |                            | Likelihood Rating          |                            |                              |
|--|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Reputation                   | Life Safety     | Inherent Risk Rating: Low | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium          | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely |
| Decreases  | Decreases                    | Decreases                    | Decreases       | Decreases                 | Decreases                             | Decreases                    | Decreases                  | Decreases                  | Decreases                  | Decreases                    |
| Increases  | Increases                    | Increases                    | Increases       | Increases                 | Increases                             | Increases                    | Increases                  | Increases                  | Increases                  | Increases                    |
| Does Not Change                                  | Does Not Change              | Does Not Change              | Does Not Change | Does Not Change           | Does Not Change                       | Does Not Change              | Does Not Change            | Does Not Change            | Does Not Change            | Does Not Change              |

# MITIGATION TOOL CALCULATIONS AND RESULTS



# Values for Mitigation Consequence Ratings

Consequence rating values are *assigned* for each mitigation effectiveness rating

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Type | Mitigation Strategy Status |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Description for 1               | Operational              | Ongoing                    |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Description for 2               | Project-Based            | Planned                    |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Description for 3               | Project-Based            | Completed                  |

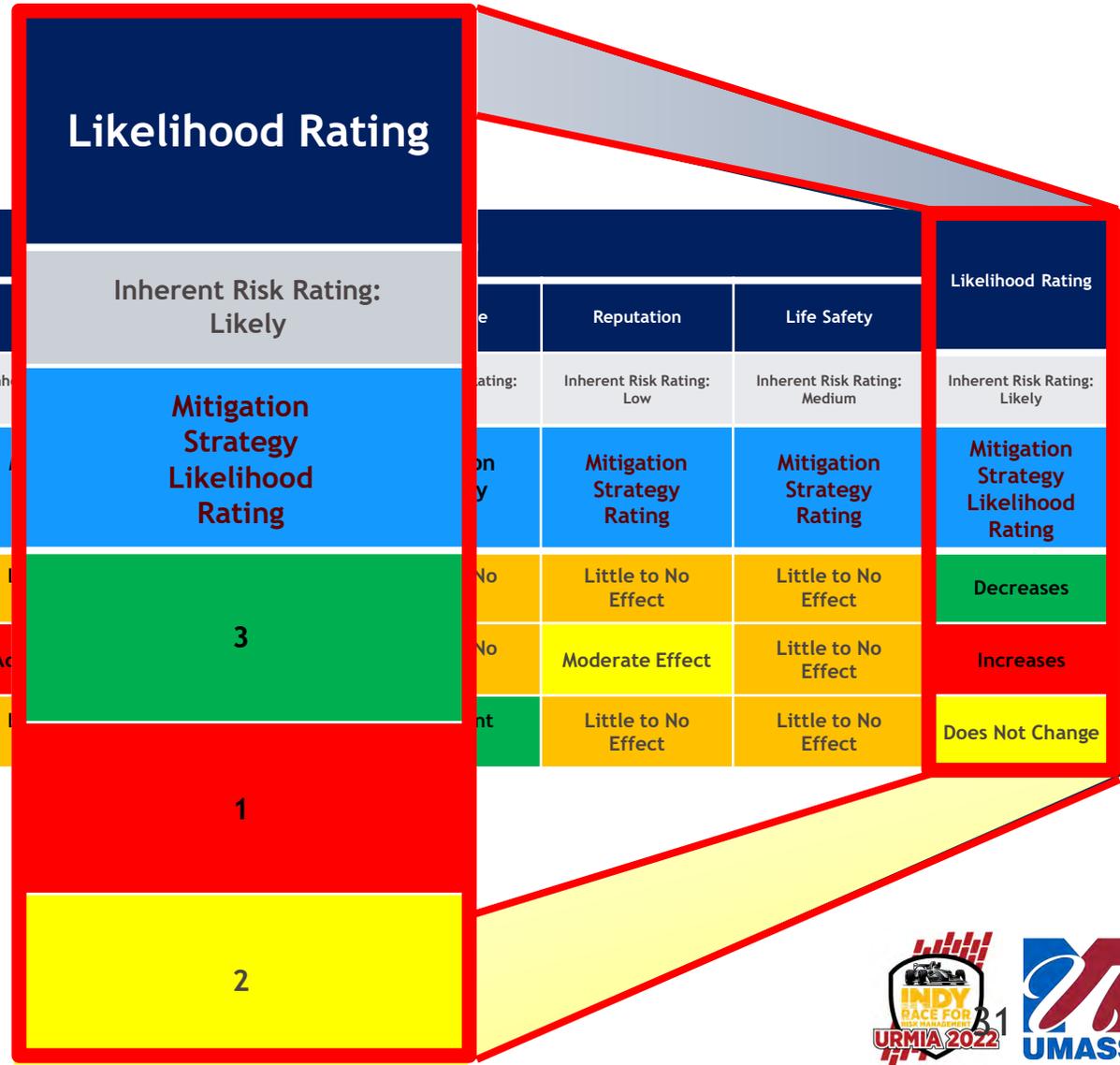
| Consequence Ratings                              |                            |                              |                            |                            |                              |
|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations | Financial                  | Legal/ Compliance            | Workforce                  | Reputation                 | Life Safety                  |
| Inherent Risk Rating: Medium                     | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium |
| Mitigation Strategy Rating                       | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   |
| 4  | 2                          | 3                            | 2                          | 2                          | 2                            |
| 2  | 1                          | 4                            | 2                          | 3                          | 2                            |
| 3  | 2                          | 2                            | 4                          | 2                          | 2                            |



# Values for Likelihood Rating

Likelihood rating values are *assigned* for each mitigation effectiveness rating

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Category | Mitigation Strategy Status | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Effectiveness Rating | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Test                            | Operational                  | Ongoing                    | Significant Effect         | High                                     | 3                                     | 3                                     | 3                                     | 3                                     |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Planned                    | Little to No Effect        | Medium                                   | 2                                     | 2                                     | 2                                     | 2                                     |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Completed                  | Moderate Effect            | Low                                      | 1                                     | 1                                     | 1                                     | 1                                     |

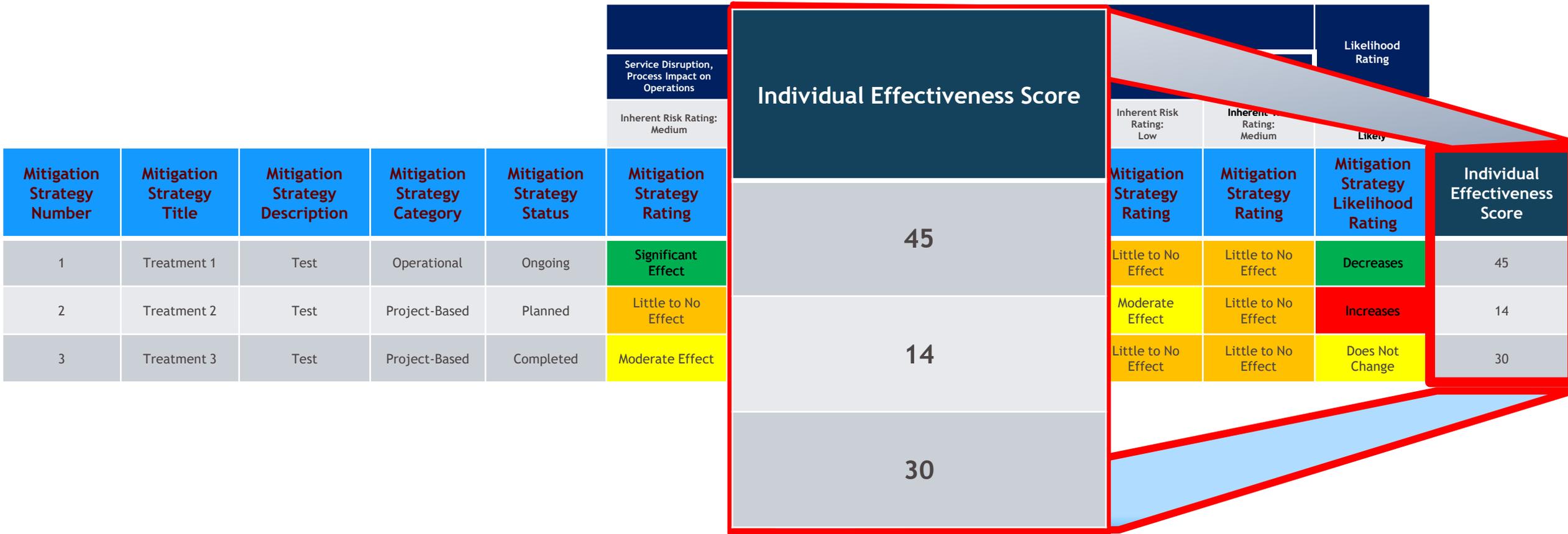


# Individual Effectiveness Score Calculation



The *higher* the Individual Effectiveness Score is, the more effective the risk mitigation strategy is.

# Result 1: Individual Assessment/Individual Effectiveness Score



# Result #2: Comparative Assessment

- Mitigation Strategies are *ranked* based on Individual Effectiveness Score
- Effectiveness of mitigation strategies can be *compared* within each consequence category

| Individual Mitigation Strategy Rank |
|-------------------------------------|
| 1                                   |
| 3                                   |
| 2                                   |

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Category | Mitigation Strategy Status | Consequence Ratings                              |                            |                              |                            |                            |                              | Likelihood Rating                     | Individual Effectiveness Score | Individual Mitigation Strategy Rank |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                            |                           |                                 |                              |                            | Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations | Financial                  | Legal/ Compliance            | Workforce                  | Reputation                 | Life Safety                  |                                       |                                |                                     |
|                            |                           |                                 |                              |                            | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium                     | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely          |                                |                                     |
|                            |                           |                                 |                              |                            | Mitigation Strategy Rating                       | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating |                                |                                     |
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Test                            | Operational                  | Ongoing                    | Significant Effect                               | Little to No Effect        | Moderate Effect              | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Decreases                             | 45                             | 1                                   |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Planned                    | Little to No Effect                              | Adverse Effect             | Significant Effect           | Little to No Effect        | Moderate Effect            | Little to No Effect          | Increases                             | 14                             | 3                                   |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Completed                  | Moderate Effect                                  | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Significant Effect         | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Does Not Change                       | 30                             | 2                                   |



# Residual Risk Score Approach

- Residual Risk Score demonstrates overall effectiveness of all risk mitigation strategies being implemented
- Residual Risk Score is calculated based on the most effective rating of each consequence category and the most effective rating in the likelihood category

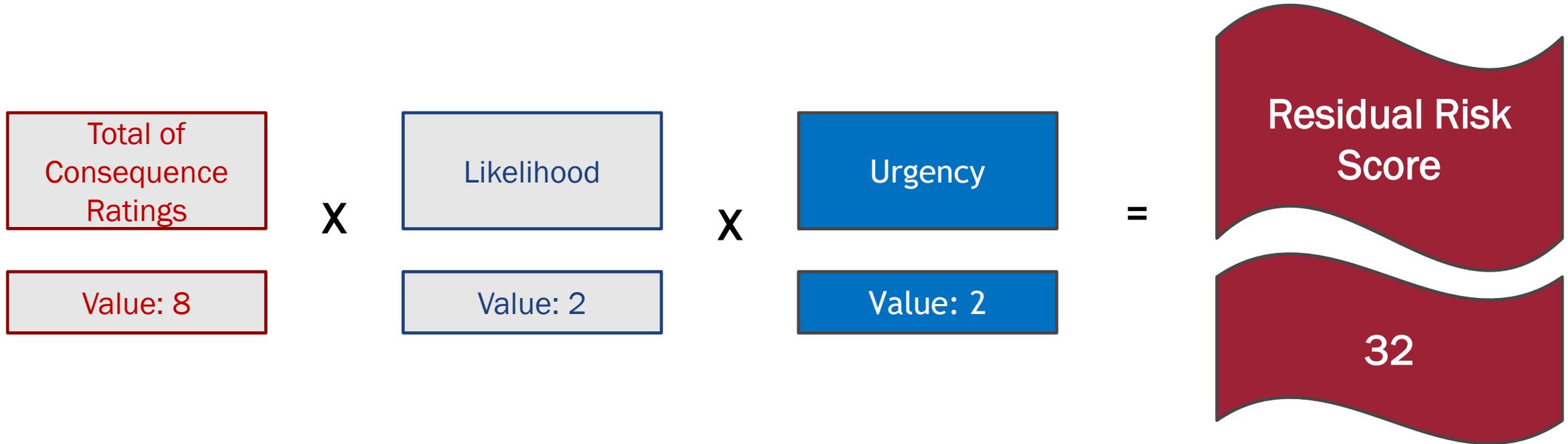
|                            |                           |                                 |                              |                            | Consequence Ratings                              |                            |                              |                            |                            |                              | Likelihood Rating                     |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|                            |                           |                                 |                              |                            | Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations | Financial                  | Legal/ Compliance            | Workforce                  | Reputation                 | Life Safety                  |                                       |
|                            |                           |                                 |                              |                            | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium                     | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely          |
| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Category | Mitigation Strategy Status | Mitigation Strategy Rating                       | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating |
| 1                          | Strategy 1                | Test                            | Operational                  | Ongoing                    | Significant Effect                               | Little to No Effect        | Moderate Effect              | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Decreases                             |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Planned                    | Little to No Effect                              | Adverse Effect             | Significant Effect           | Little to No Effect        | Moderate Effect            | Little to No Effect          | Increases                             |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                | Test                            | Project-Based                | Completed                  | Moderate Effect                                  | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Significant Effect         | Little to No Effect        | Little to No Effect          | Does Not Change                       |

# Residual Risk Score Values

- Rating values are *relative* to the inherent rating values of the risk

| Mitigation Strategy Number | Mitigation Strategy Title  | Mitigation Strategy Description | Mitigation Strategy Category | Mitigation Strategy Status | Consequence Ratings                              |                            |                              |                            |                            |                                       | Likelihood Rating            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
|                            |                            |                                 |                              |                            | Service Disruption, Process Impact on Operations | Financial                  | Legal/ Compliance            | Workforce                  | Reputation                 | Life Safety                           | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely |
|                            |                            |                                 |                              |                            | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium                     | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Low  | Inherent Risk Rating: Medium          | Inherent Risk Rating: Likely |
| Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating      | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating                       | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating   | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Rating | Mitigation Strategy Likelihood Rating |                              |
| 1                          | Strategy 1                 | Test                            | Operational                  | Ongoing                    | 1  | 2                          | 2                            | 2                          | 2                          | 2                                     | 2                            |
| 2                          | Strategy 2                 | Test                            | Project-Based                | Planned                    | 2  | 3                          | 1                            | 2                          | 3                          | 2                                     | 3                            |
| 3                          | Strategy 3                 | Test                            | Project-Based                | Completed                  | 3  | 1                          | 2                            | 0                          | 2                          | 3                                     | 2                            |

# Residual Risk Score Calculation



The *lower* the Residual Risk Score is, the more effective the mitigation strategies are.

## Result 3: Residual Risk Score

| <u>Inherent Risk Score</u> | <u>Residual Risk Score</u> |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 96                         | 32                         |

# DEMO OF MITIGATION ASSESSMENT TOOL



# What the Assessment Does and Does Not Tell Us

Mitigation Assessment Program provides leadership with information to inform discussion about whether to accept the residual risk or take additional actions to avoid, transfer, or further reduce risk.

| Yes   | No   |
|---|--|
| Provides transparency on risk mitigation strategies   | Does not track key performance indicators  |
| Demonstrates progress on mitigating risk or depicts areas that may require additional attention   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Does not define risk tolerance</li><li>• Scores do not determine adequacy/satisfaction with addressing risk</li></ul>                              |
| Enables more robust discussions on risk and risk mitigation   | Does not define specific follow-on actions needed  |
| Residual Risk Score <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Shows movement in addressing risk</li><li>• Serves as comparison to Inherent Risk Score</li></ul> | Residual Risk Score <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Does not change Inherent Risk Score</li><li>• Does not conclude satisfaction or dissatisfaction with addressing risk</li></ul> |



# SAMPLE RESULTS FROM PILOT



# Snapshot of Sample Risk

| Inherent Risk Score | Residual Risk Score |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 144                 | 42                  |

| Mitigation Strategy Rank | Mitigation Strategy Title | Type | Status | Service Disruption | Financial | Legal/ Compliance | Workforce | Reputation | Life Safety | Likelihood |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|------|--------|--------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1                        | Sample Strategy 3         | PB   | ON     | Green              | Green     | Yellow            | Green     | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 14        | PB   | CM     | Green              | Green     | Yellow            | Green     | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
| 2                        | Sample Strategy 4         | OP   | ON     | Green              | Green     | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 15        | OP   | ON     | Green              | Green     | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
| 3                        | Sample Strategy 17        | OP   | ON     | Green              | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 1         | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Green     | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 9         | PB   | CM     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 10        | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
| 4                        | Sample Strategy 16        | PB   | ON     | Yellow             | Green     | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 2         | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 8         | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 18        | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 6         | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
| 5                        | Sample Strategy 7         | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Green      |
|                          | Sample Strategy 19        | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Green             | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Yellow     |
| 6                        | Sample Strategy 5         | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Yellow     |
|                          | Sample Strategy 11        | OP   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Yellow     |
|                          | Sample Strategy 13        | PB   | ON     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Yellow     |
| NA                       | Sample Strategy 12        | PB   | PR     | Yellow             | Yellow    | Yellow            | Yellow    | Yellow     | Yellow      | Yellow     |

## Key

| Status    |    |
|-----------|----|
| Completed | CM |
| Ongoing   | ON |
| Planned   | PL |
| Proposed  | PR |

| Type          |    |
|---------------|----|
| Operational   | OP |
| Project-based | PB |

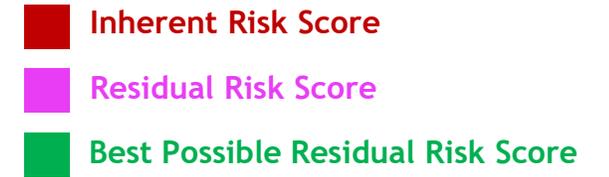
| Consequence Rating  |        |
|---------------------|--------|
| Significant Effect  | Green  |
| Moderate Effect     | Yellow |
| Little to No Effect | Orange |
| Adverse Effect      | Red    |

| Likelihood Rating |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Decreases         | Green  |
| Does Not Change   | Yellow |
| Increases         | Red    |



# Sample – Movement in Risk Reduction

Sample data is not actual and is being shared for demonstration purposes only.



| FY22 Rank | Risk          | Movement in Reducing Risk Exposure |
|-----------|---------------|------------------------------------|
| 1         | Sample Risk 1 |                                    |
| 2         | Sample Risk 2 |                                    |
| 3         | Sample Risk 3 |                                    |
| 4         | Sample Risk 4 |                                    |
| 5         | Sample Risk 5 |                                    |



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## Where We Are Now

- Rolling out across the system
  - Focusing on Top 10 Risks
- Present update to Board of Trustees in December 2022

# CONCLUSION AND TAKE-AWAYS



## LET'S REVIEW

- Aligning assessment of risk mitigation strategies to your risk assessment methodology allows for:
  - Streamlined assessment process
  - Clear visibility on progress in relationship to risk exposure
  - Transparency of risk mitigation strategies and their impact on risk exposure



# QUESTIONS?



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