

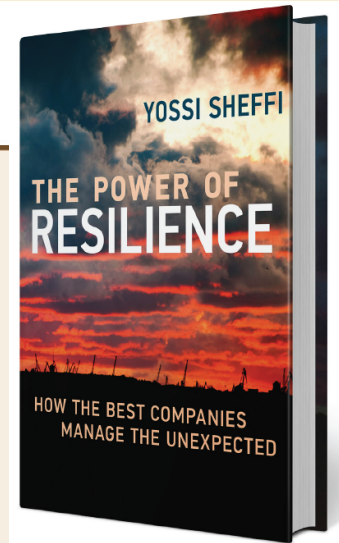
# The Power of Resilience

How the best Companies manage the Unexpected

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# What Can Go Wrong?



- 2010 eruption of Eyjafjallajökull
- 2011 Japan Tōhoku earthquake and tsunami
- 2011 Thailand floods
- 2012 Explosion at Evonik
- 2012 LA/LB port strike
- 2013 horsemeat fiasco



# Dichotomy of Risks



Random  
Phenomena



Competition



Accidents



Economy



Governments  
& Politics



Social  
discontent



Non-  
Compliance



Intentional  
disruptions



Supplier  
Failure

# Two Ways to Look at Disruptions



## 1. Thinking about causes

Hurricanes, earthquakes, strikes, coup....

## 2. Thinking about effects

Supplier down, shipping constrained...



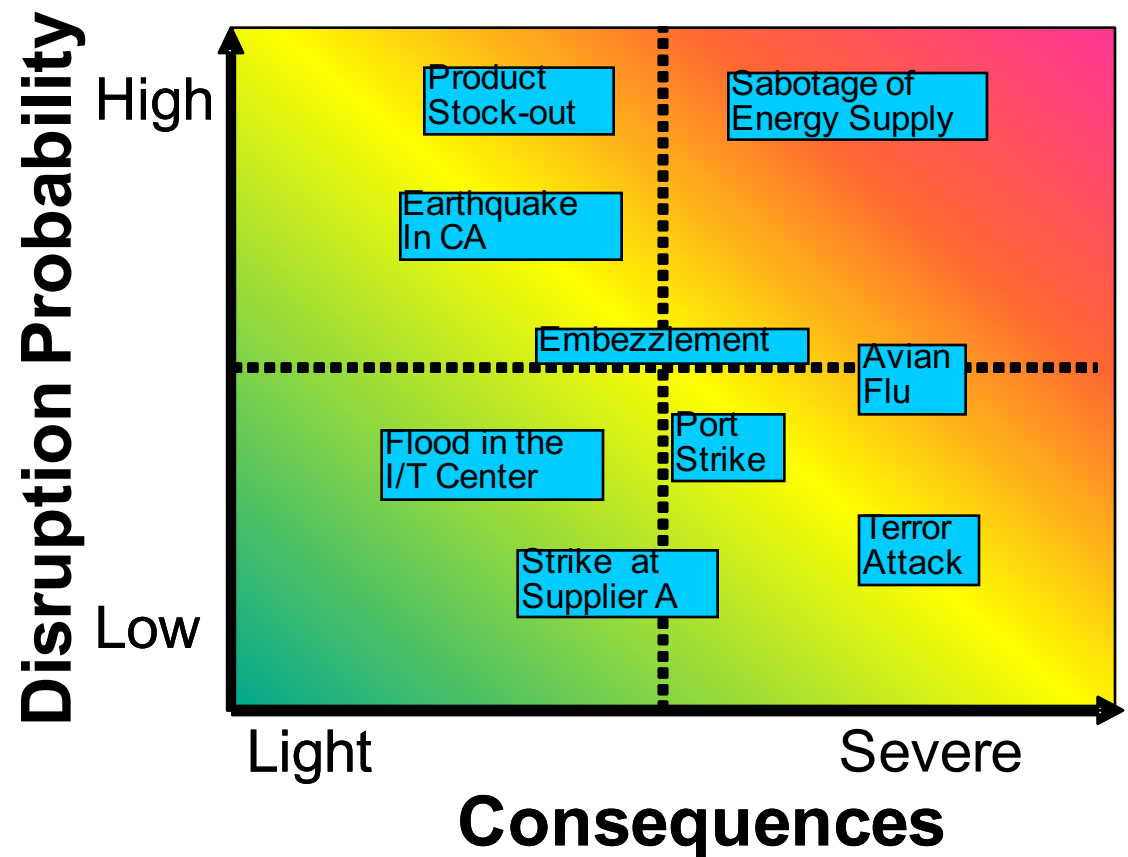
## 3. Causes thinking helps estimate likelihoods

## 4. Effects thinking helps estimate impacts and consequences

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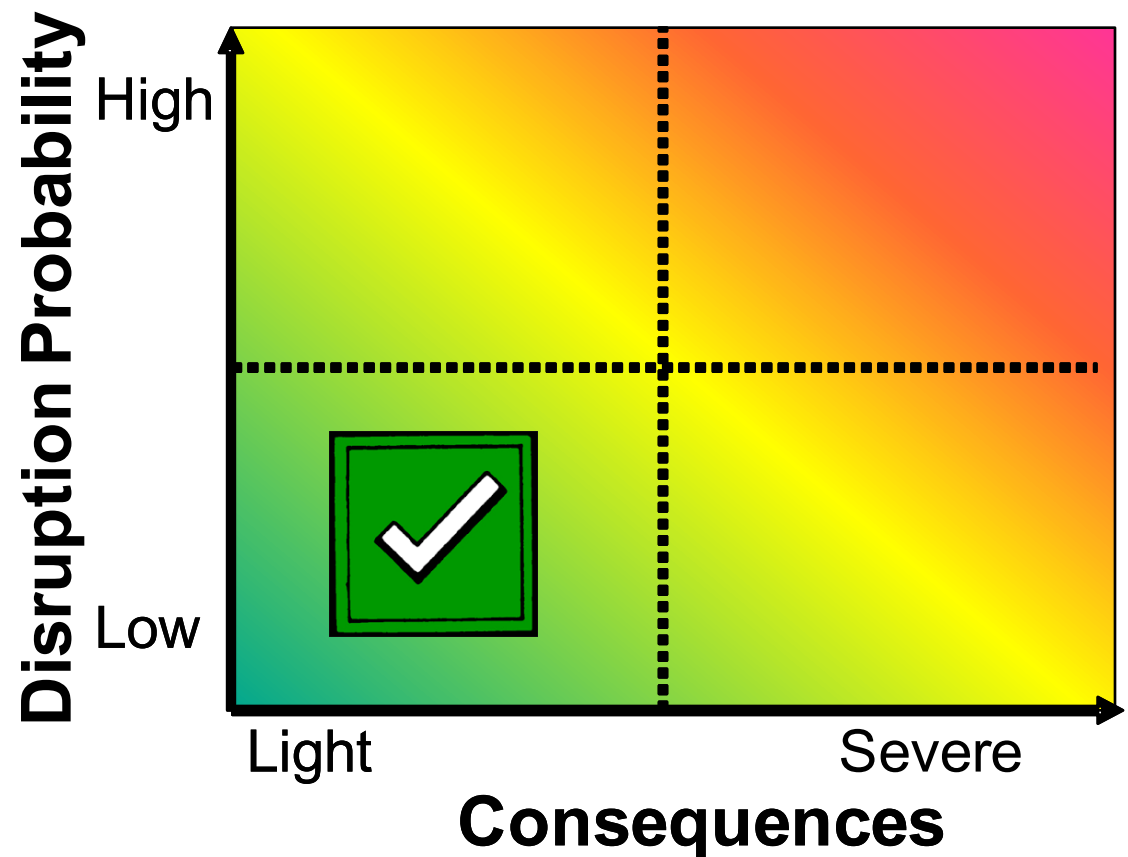
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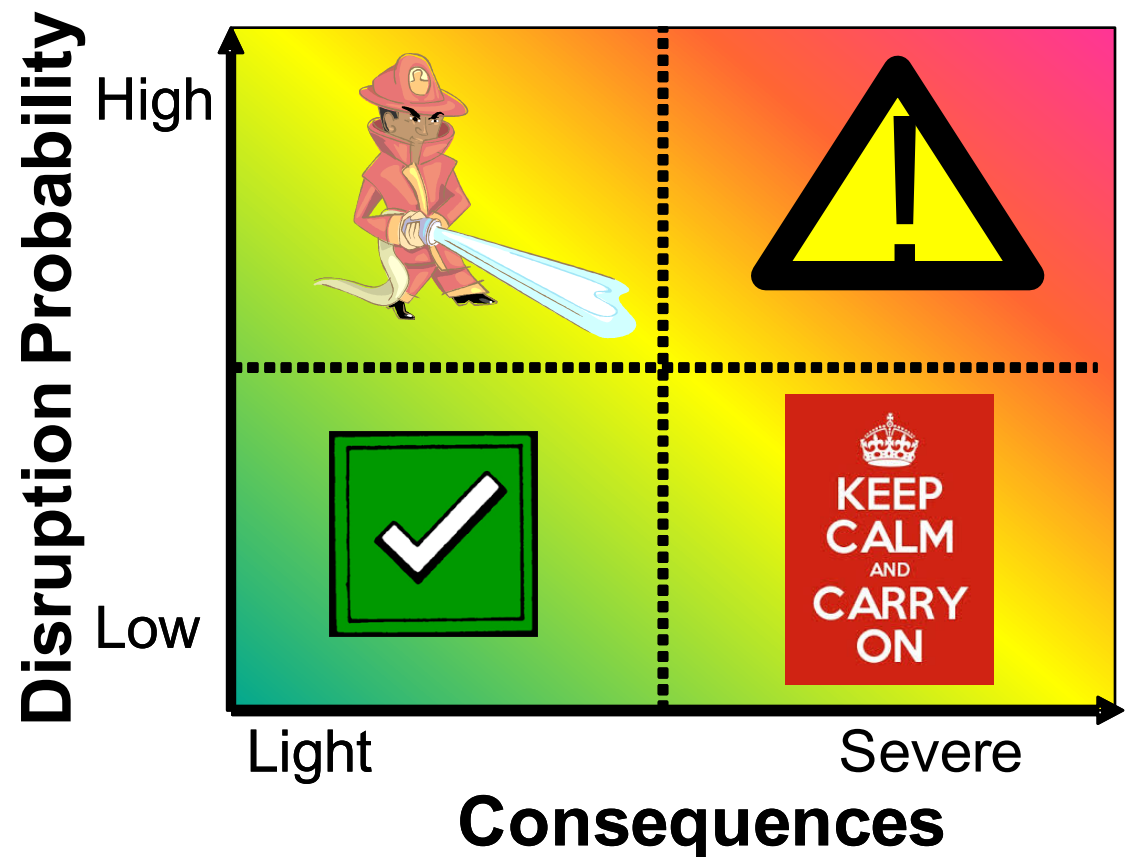
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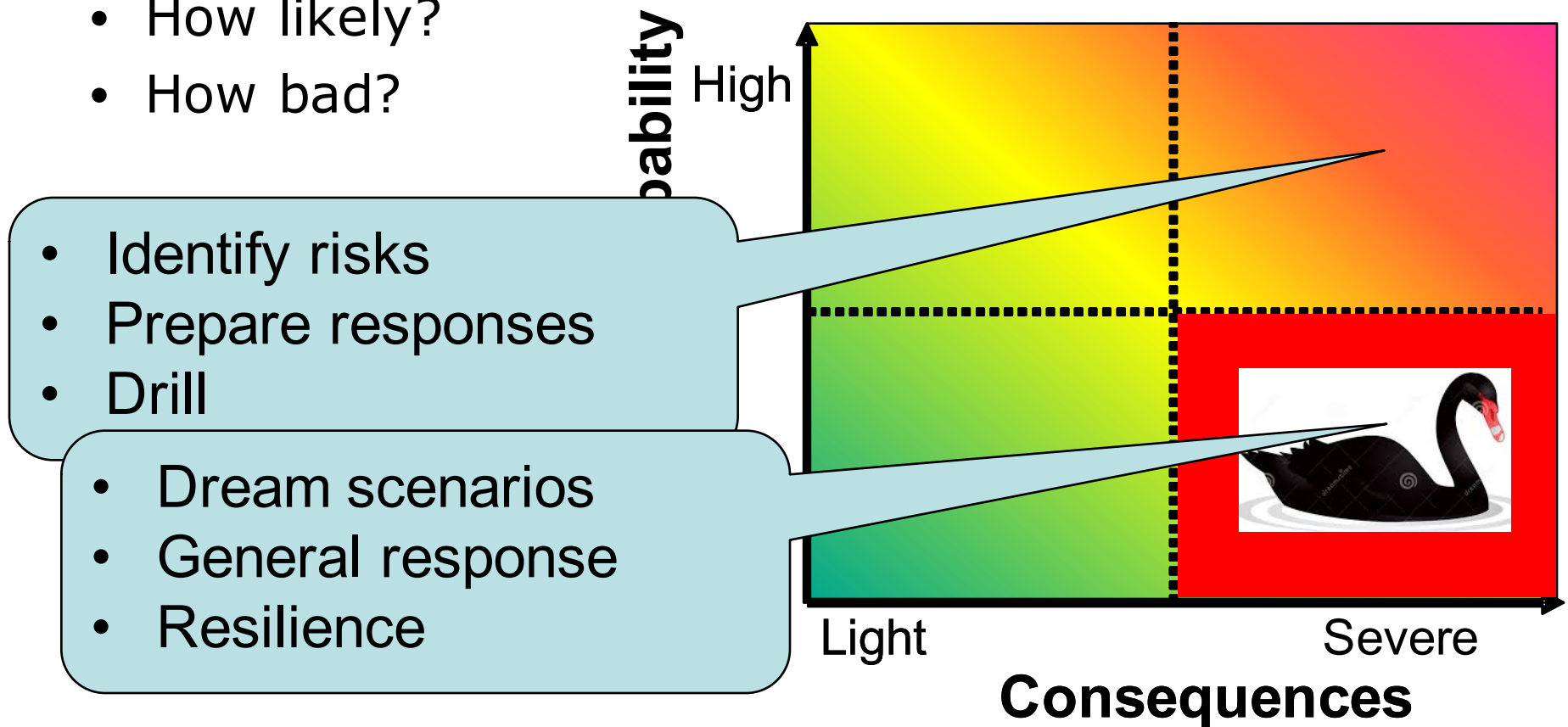
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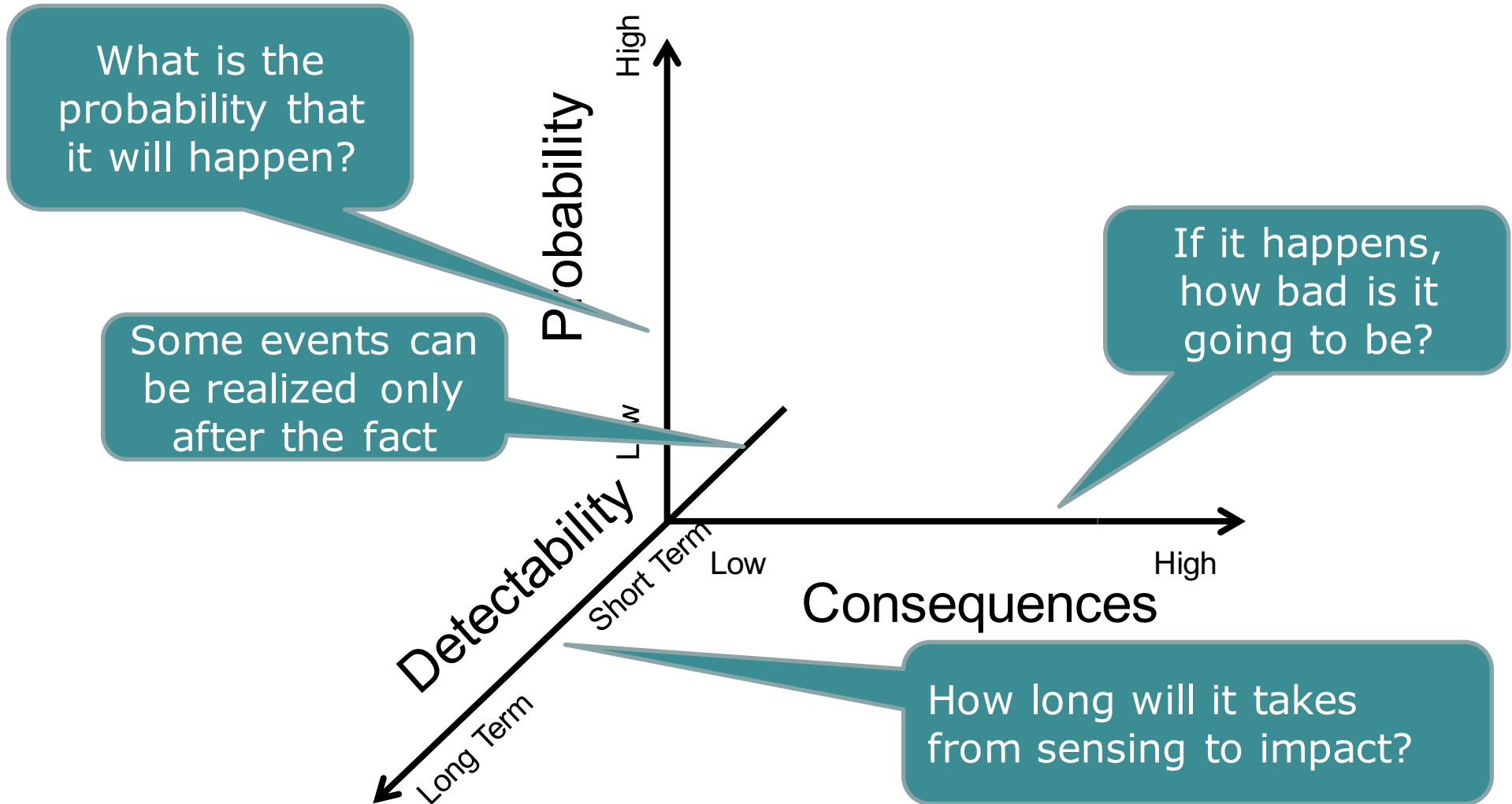
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# Characteristics of Uncertain Disruptions

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- Public fear
- Government “over-reaction”
- Institutional incompetence
- Unexpected connections and consequences
- Not very unlikely

# Adding a Dimension



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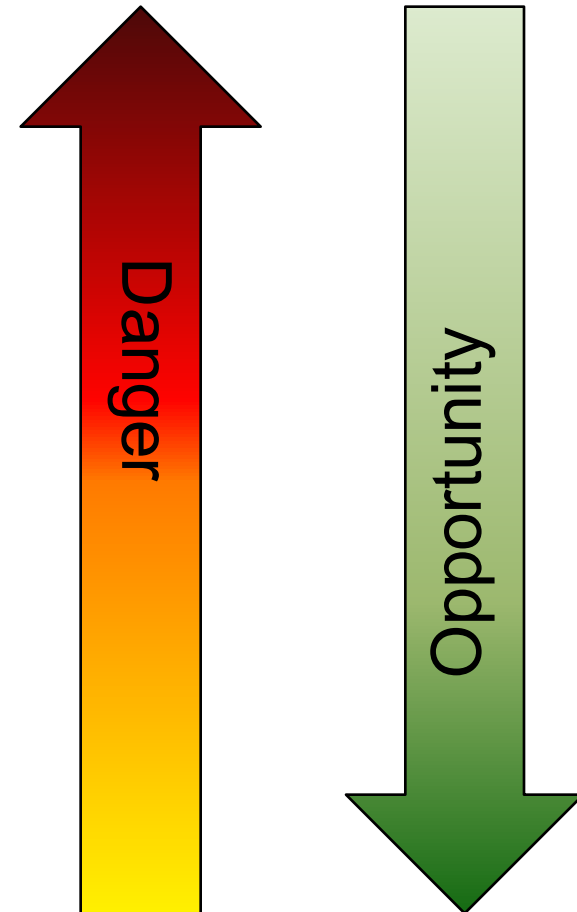
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# Alert applications



- IBM
- Impact Factors
- Resilinc
- SAP
- Razient
- Cisco

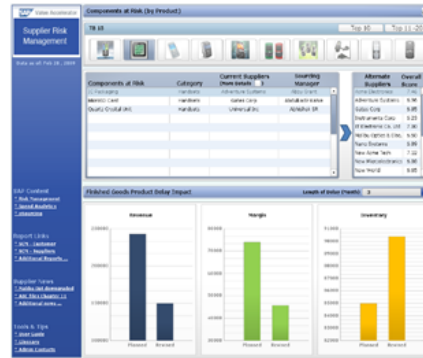


Figure 8 SAP Components at Risk Display



Figure 9 Razient Real Time Event Display

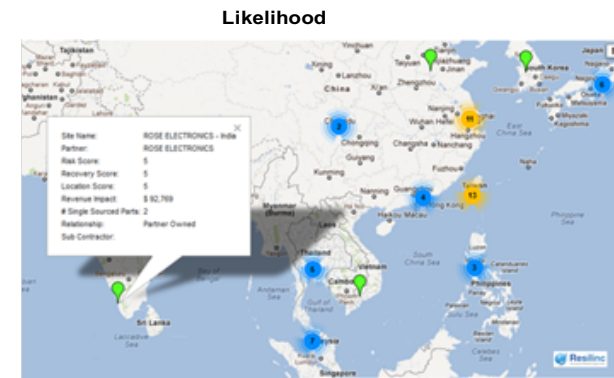
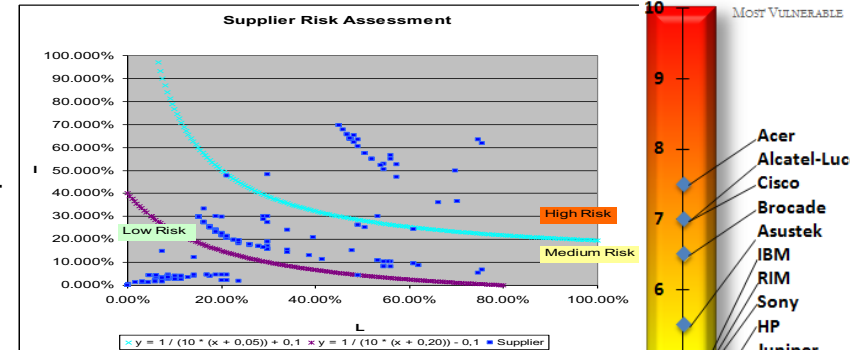


Figure 7 Resilinc Supplier Locations Map



Figure 10 Cisco Network Nodes within Impact Area

Event alert systems:  
NC4; Amerilert; Enera

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- P&G facilities:
  - Gentilly plant (Half P&G coffee production - 20% of the US)
  - Also: Millstone coffee plant; Lancombe DC
- August 25<sup>th</sup> – P&G activates emergency preparations
  - Moving product out of the region (to Cincinnati)
  - Getting all backup tapes
  - Preparing for a possible shutdown
- August 27<sup>th</sup>: Storm turned North
  - Site was shut down
  - Told employees to evacuate
- August 29<sup>th</sup>: Katrina hit New Orleans
  - P&G priorities:
    - Support employees
    - Restore the plant



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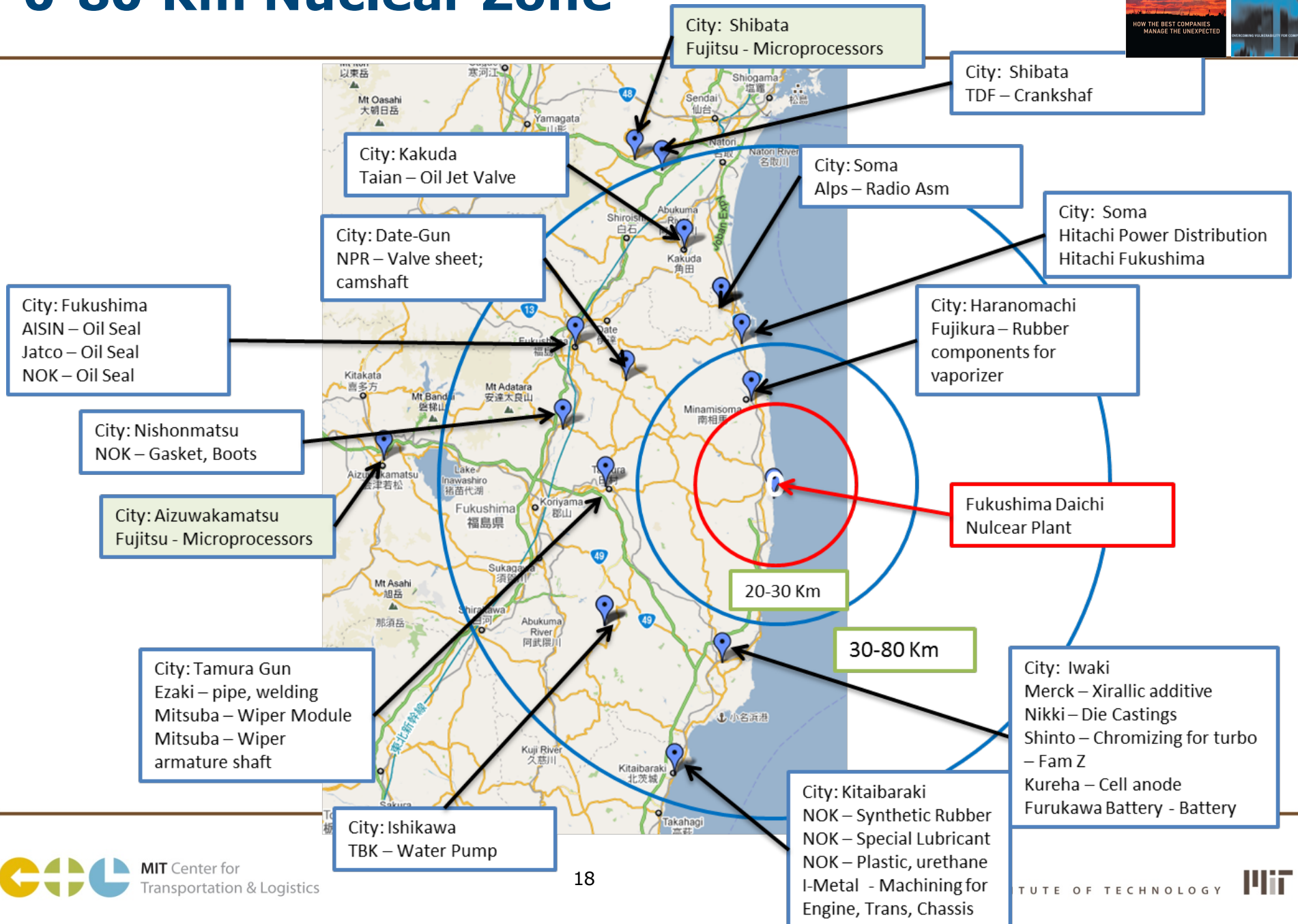


- Command center (and staging area) in Baton Rouge
- Take air photos to assess the situation
  - Plant had limited damage
  - Road, rail and water down
- Help employees:
  - Find everybody
  - Continuity of pay
  - Counseling
- Restore the plant
  - Alternate sources of supply (port is down)
  - Housing (trailer village with 125 trailers and support facilities)
  - A new 700 ft. well
  - Supply brought in under police escort (local relationships)
- Plant started production September 17th





# 0-80 Km Nuclear Zone



# Initial Estimates (March 14)



- 30 suppliers down
- 390 parts affected
- First production halt: March 22
- Total GM shutdown (16 assembly plants): March 31

# Actions



- Crisis suite:
  - Central coordination
  - Supply chain solutions
  - Engineering solutions
  - Smaller crisis rooms in international locations
- Tapping the team
  - Base on Project D
  - Leader: Bob Hurles, Exec. Dir. Of Global SC

# The daily Cycle (7/24) (High Level)



- **6:00** - Call with senior leadership. All regions on the phone
  - Updates
  - Defining the day's priorities and activities
- **7:30** - Sub-team meetings (functional)
- **8:00** - Information roll-down to all teams
- **10:30** - Sales, service, marketing updates
- **16:00** - Follow-up: new information and daily progress

# Timeline of Key Events

*Shock - Discovery - Analysis – Reality - Hope – Creativity – Solutions - Execution*

## Leadership

	March 11	March 14	March 24	March 29	April 13	May 27
Key Event	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Earthquake and Tsunami hits Japan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•<b>Formation of GM Risk Mitigation Team</b></li> <li>•Global Crisis Centers</li> <li>•Daily Senior Leadership calls</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•<b>On site SQ Visits</b></li> <li>•MAF, ECM, Fuel Pumps, switches, Paint, GID, Radio</li> <li>•<b>Formation of “Whitespace Chart”</b></li> <li>•<b>Global Database Established</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Supplier Restarts and Engineering solutions forming</li> <li>•<b>Program Management vs. Program Leadership</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Clarity of Commodities and Supply Risk</li> <li>•Validation of Engineering Substitutions</li> <li>•Execution of Plans</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Continued Supply Base Support</li> <li>•Continued Execution of Engineering Substitutions and Validations</li> </ul>
Part Numbers	Less than 25 Tier 1 Suppliers	390	1551	1889	5329 116 Commodities 11 R / 61 Y / 44 G	5850 118 Commodities <b>2 R / 34 Y / 82 G</b>
Mfg Risk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Nearly all Japanese Suppliers shutdown</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•All NA, E, SGM Plants out week of March 22.</li> <li>•All Remaining Plants out end of March</li> <li>•Force Majeure letters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•All 16 Global Platform Asm Plants down week of April 11</li> <li>•<b>GMB ST build</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•All 16 Global Platform Asm down week of May 16 and return July 2011</li> <li>•<b>GMB ST and Corvette build</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•5 of 16 Global Platforms forecast 100% build.</li> <li>•10 Global Platform Forecast building at 50% or greater thru 2011.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•<b>13 of 16 Global Platforms forecast to 100% build.</b></li> <li>•<b>2 “Red” commodities driving reduced build schedules on 3 Global Platforms.</b></li> </ul>
Local Risk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Food, Shelter, Clothing</li> <li>•Survival</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Food, Shelter, Clothing, Loss,</li> <li>•Nuclear Reactor Smoke, concern</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Nuclear reactor power used for cooling.</li> <li>•No fresh water</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Nuclear reactors stable and improving</li> <li>•Strong Aftershocks</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Radioactive water leakage, testing, clarity of local risk</li> <li>•Stable Power and water</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•TEPCO announces highly radioactive water inundating reactor 1 basement</li> <li>•Heavy rain causes turbine water level to raise</li> </ul>

# Types of Solutions



- Supply chain – look for inventories anywhere
- Engineering – different parts
- Procurement/Engineering – find/qualify alternate suppliers
- Logistics – get the new parts in
- Allocation of common parts
  - Engine controllers, airflow sensors, brake control modules
  - Basis: financial contribution, field stock
  - Example: air flow sensors – Shreveport Colorado truck plant



# White Space Projection – All Programs (May 27, 2011)



## Legend

- ⊗ Significant Platform Production Reduction
- SD Planned Shutdown



# Lessons Learned



- Know whom to call! (Project “D”, “J”, “E”, “S”...)
  - Trust (sharing all data; confront reality)
  - Expertise
  - Commitment
- Knowledge of the supply chain
- Good supplier relationships
- Leadership
  - Engagement; visible commitment
  - Articulate, commit and visualize
  - Structure without rigor: trust the team

# Swim in your lane!

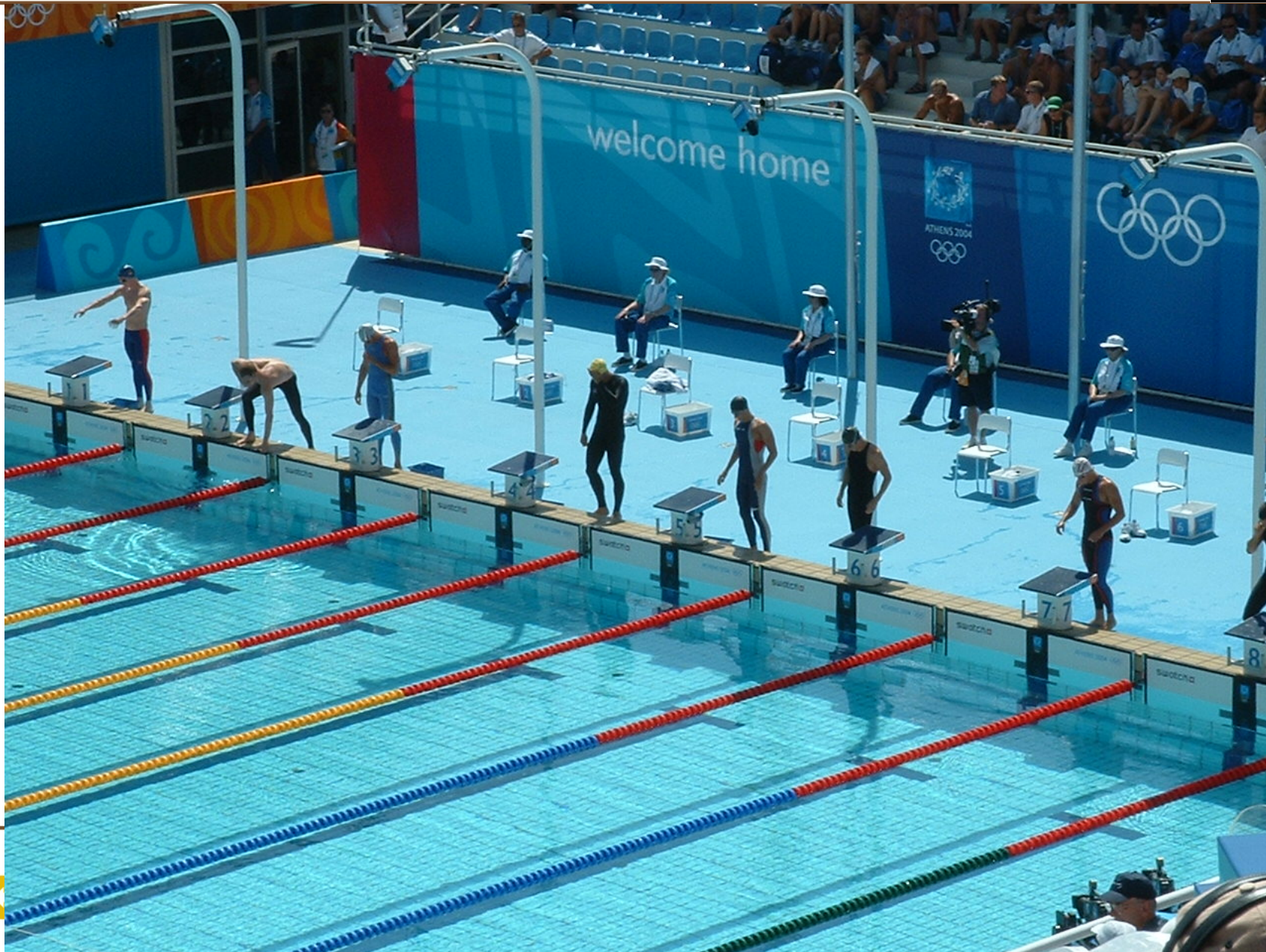


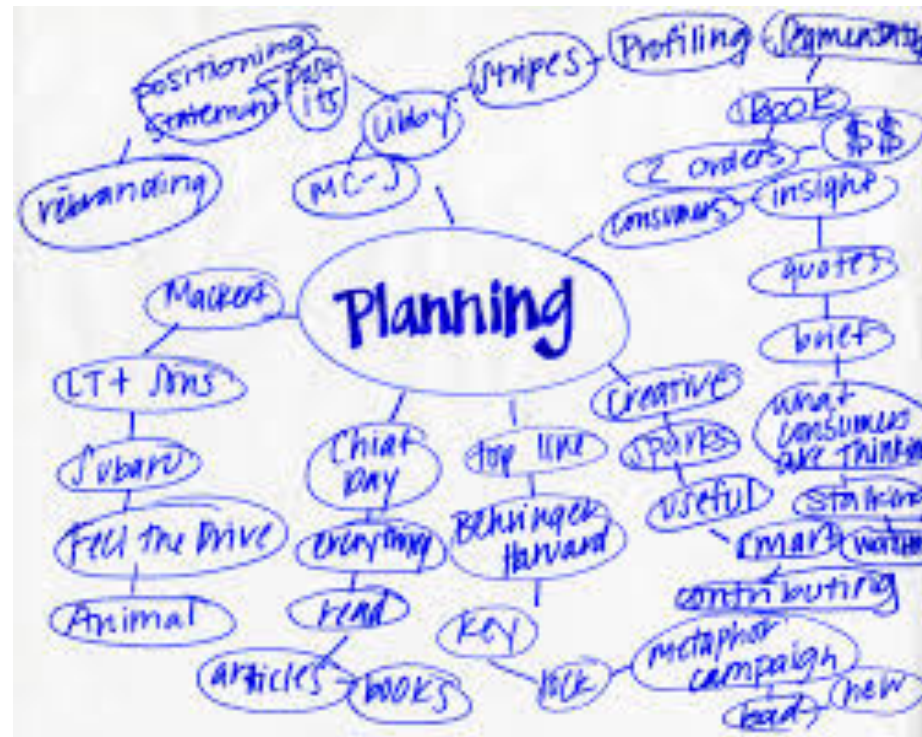
## Example:

- No seat heating module
- Build vehicles without heated seats
- Problems:
  - Heated seats go with leather => Build more cloth seats  
=> Cloth/leather mix affects the basic/luxury model mix
  - Canceling leather seats means all subassemblies and components that went into these seats become stranded in the SC somewhere
  - Sales: dealers and end consumers want what they want.



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# PREPARATIONS

Offering **options** to the responders

# Reducing the Likelihood



- Detection
  - Baxter, 2001; The Spanish influenza
  - SPC
  - When do organizations “know”?
- Security
  - Layering
  - Balancing
  - Profiling
  - Collaboration
  - Culture
  - Drilling



# Resilience through Redundancy



- System-wide (USPS and Anthrax)



- Inventory for redundancy (J&J, SOR)



- Redundant capacity (Boston Scientific, Intel)



- Redundant IT systems (Merrill Lynch)



# Resilience through Flexibility



- Interchangeability
  - Plants
  - Part standardization
  - Product standardization
  - Pliable people



- Postponement
  - Late customization
  - Surge Response
  - Built to order



# Flexibility DNA



- Culture
  - Continuous communications (informed employees, environment, status)
  - Distributed power (Toyota, US Navy, Zara, World, US Coast Guard)
  - Passion for work and the mission
  - Deference to expertise (Marines, FAA, Chemical plants)
  - Conditioning for disruptions
- Culture change
  - Safety
  - Quality
  - Many others (smoking, drinking-and-driving...)



# Fundamental Lessons



- Lesson #1: Know who to call internally!
  - Intel: ERT; EOC/CEOC
  - GM: Based on experience. Project D,J, E, S
  - Cisco: Playbooks with lists
  - Intel Israel: a group of trained employee volunteers
  - Wal-Mart: On-going EOC
  - Also: external relationship



## Best Practice: Separate employee care from business recovery

- Employees:
  - Contact
  - Continuity of pay, benefits
  - Take care of families
- Business recovery:
  - Inventories
  - Suppliers
  - Customers



# Making Lemonade from Lemons



- Use security measures for process tightening
- Take advantage of flexibility to increase competitiveness
  - Disruptive marketing – from defense to offence
- Disruptions as opportunities
  - Opportunity to fix long-standing problems
  - Opportunity to increase market share





## A Word of Caution

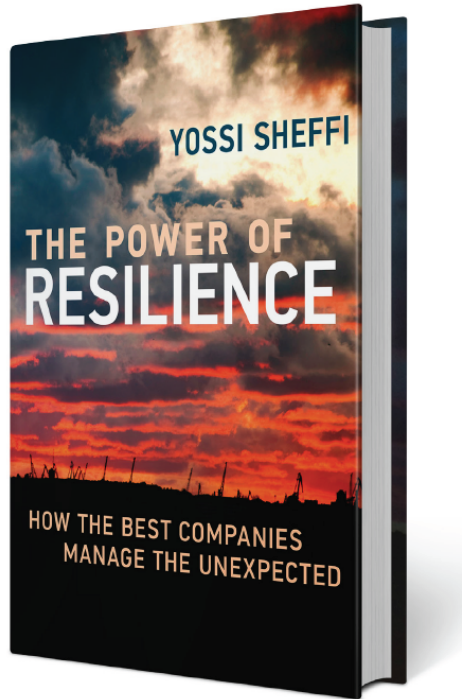


There are known knowns. These are things we know that we know. There are known unknowns. That is to say, there are things that we know we don't know. But there are also unknown unknowns. There are things we don't know we don't know.

Donald Rumsfeld

- Statistical reasoning is based on history
- Imagination is bounded by the largest past event.
- Complexity of the modern world increases the chance of unknown unknowns.
- Lack of evidence of disruption  $\neq$  Evidence of lack of disruption

# Questions?



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