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# **Considering Corporate Risks** Exemplars from Human Capital and Gender Risks





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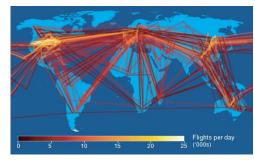
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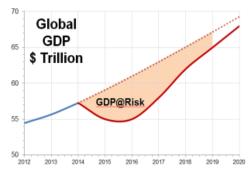
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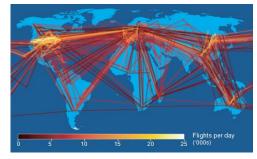
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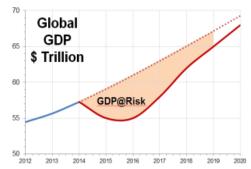
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How would [Human Capital & Gender Risk] affect [an International Business] and impact [Expected Revenues]?

**Governance Scenario** 



System@Risk: Business Trading Patterns



Loss metrics





### **Corporate Risk Disclosure Requirements**

### **10-K Section 1A Risk Factors - United States SEC**

Since 2005, the SEC has required all public companies in USA to disclose "the most significant factors that make the company speculative or risky"

#### **Risk Register in Annual Reports: UK Financial Reporting Council**

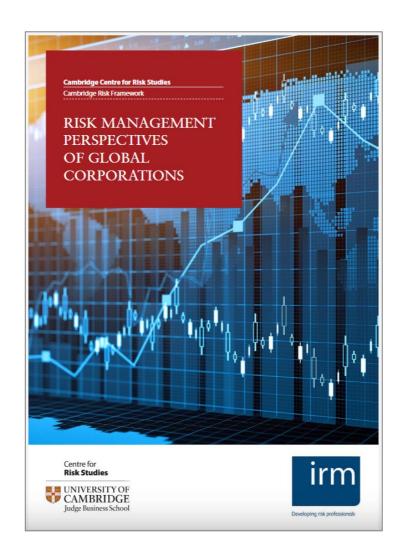
- UK Corporate Governance Code Jan 2019 update
  - Part 4 Audit, Risk and Internal Control, item 28, requires:

"a robust assessment of the company's emerging and principal risks, and to confirm in its annual report the procedures in place to identify emerging risks, and an explanation of how these are being managed and mitigated"



## **CRS Research into Enterprise Risk Management**

- Risk management practices of major companies determine how they are adapting to meet future challenges and opportunities
  - Interviews and workshops with Corporate ERM Directors
  - Cambridge CRO Council Roundtables
  - Wide ERM survey to IRM membership
  - Presentations during ERM Council Directors Roundtable
  - Sector specific ERM reviews
  - Launch of report "Risk Management Perspectives of Global Corporations" - Nov 2018



## Index of Top Risks Facing Companies in Next 12 Months

### Top 5 risks

- Risk Financials
- Operations
- Regulation
- Reputation

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Financials - Revenues, profits, share price					
Operational performance					
Regulatory standards and reporting					
Reputation/brand					
Security of enterprise including cyber-security					
Business continuity and crisis management					
Macro-economic and trade factors					
Health and safety					
Geo-political risks					
Human capital					
Market share					
Financials - Debt, pensions, and obligations					
Legal liabilities including taxation					
Company viability					
Environment and sustainability					
Natural catastrophe and climate					
Credit rating					
Other					
Devaluation or damage of physical assets					
Gender and diversity					
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Source: Cambridge Centre for Risk Studies 2018 ERM Survey

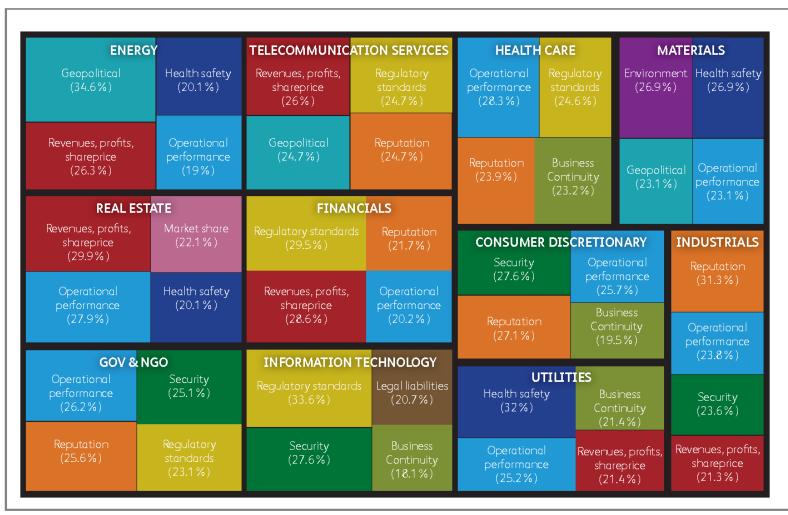
## **Top Risks in Next 12 Months**

### **Commonality across sectors**

- Financials: Revenues, profits, shareprice (Aggregate #1)
- Reputational Risk (Aggregate #4)

#### Sectoral risks

- Geopolitical risk (Aggregate #9)
  - Energy #1
  - Materials #3
- Regulatory standards (Aggregate #3)
  - Financials #1
  - Information Technology #1
  - Healthcare #2



Source: Cambridge Centre for Risk Studies 2018 ERM Survey



## **Survey of Risk Registers of Public Companies**

- Growing trend and regulatory requirements for companies to declare main risks to their shareholders
- Risk registers (self-identified threats to the well-being of an organisation) are declared in Annual Reports 10-K 1A and 20-F SEC filings of public companies
- CCRS has analysed the annual reports of 56 public companies so far, and compiled a list of over 1,035 risks that these organizations identify
- Literature review incorporates other similar studies on risks reported in annual reports and 10-Ks
- This exercise reveals wide variation in the risks that companies think pose a threat to their shareholder value
- Companies do not employ a consistent methodology: no accepted standard approach or best practice
- We propose to develop a corporate risk taxonomy to help with this process

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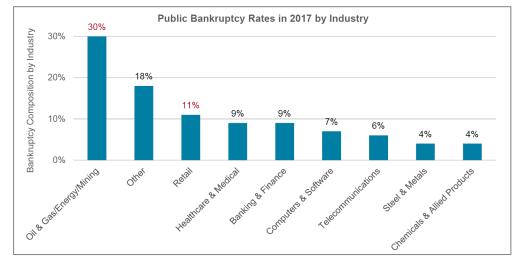


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#### Frequency of Risks identified in Annual Reports

# **Historical Catalogue of Corporate Failure Case Studies**

- There is no formal definition of 'distress' Symptoms include
  - Corporate difficulties, ranging from profits warnings through to credit downgrades, and formal insolvency
- We are identifying causal processes and factors that led to the distress of businesses
  - We are compiling a grading and diagnostic listing of corporate difficulty and distress
  - Most case histories reveal multiple causes and factors contributing to corporate distress
  - In some cases a primary external cause is cited



Source	Description	Information Provided
Credit Risk Monitor	Post-filing analyses of public company bankruptcies	<ul> <li>List of public companies that went bankrupt</li> <li>Companies categorised by industries</li> </ul>
BankruptcyData	More than 500,000 bankruptcy filings in the US since 1986	<ul> <li>Business bankruptcy filing</li> <li>Public bankruptcy filing</li> <li>Bankruptcy professionals data</li> <li>Bankruptcy news</li> </ul>
UCLA-LoPucki BRD	More than 1k large public companies in the US that have filed bankruptcy cases since October 1, 1979 (monthly update)	<ul> <li>The Cases table (sample available)</li> <li>The WebBRD</li> <li>The BRD dockets</li> <li>The Professional Fees study data</li> <li>BRD user data</li> </ul>
Exchange Data International	More than 500,000 companies that filed for bankruptcy in the 94 US Bankruptcy Courts	<ul> <li>US business filings</li> <li>Original source documents</li> <li>Daily news</li> <li>Creditor profiling</li> <li>Distressed company alert</li> </ul>
Acadian	Financial investment analysis of 2,600 shocks from 1928 to 2015	
Library of Mistakes	Corporate history of financial and non-financial business failures	Literature on failures in business

Figure: Bankruptcy rates in 2017 by industry (Source: BankruptcyData's 2017 Corporate Bankruptcy Review)



### **Cambridge Corporate Taxonomy of Risks 2019**

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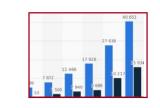
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# The Analytics We Apply to Derive Scenario Consequences



Databases of precedent business case studies of the consequences of events and trends



Company financial data relationships to macro economic variables (e.g. interest rates, inflation, labour costs)



Time series data on historical patterns of economic and financial market response to shock events



Engineering models of the damage, repair costs, human injury, and business interruption duration from destructive scenarios



Macroeconomic models of shocks on the economy (Global Vector Autoregressive [GVAR} model)



Liability and legal settlement models for court outcomes from mass torts, and regulatory compensation levels



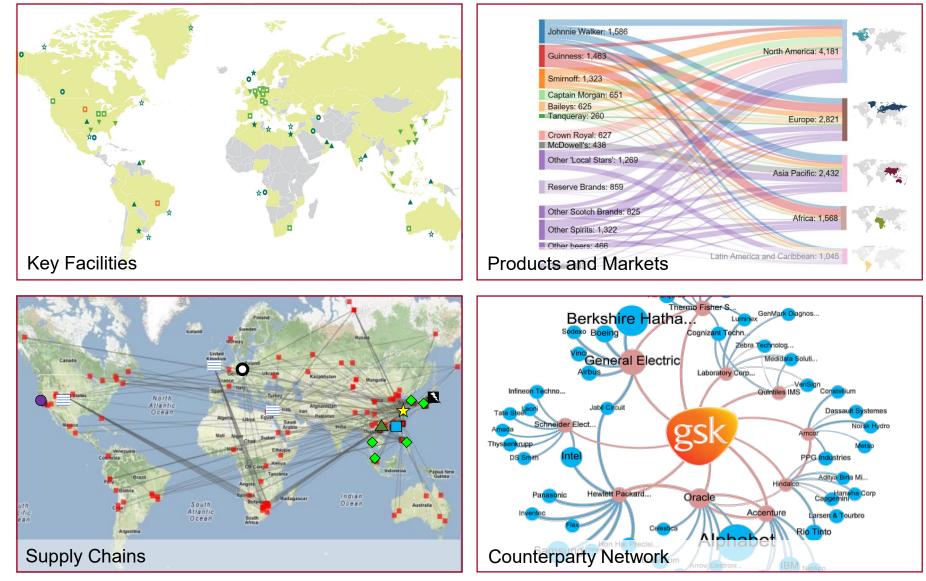
Consumer demand elasticity models by class of product in discretionary and nondiscretionary consumables



Social and demographic trends in changing attitudes and behavioural economics



### **Deconstructing a Business: Profit-Weighted Components**





## **Brainstorming Key Issues - Human Capital and Gender Risks**

- Maintaining good organisational culture free of harassment, good judgment/break-up group think. Positive morale
- Meeting staffing needs for key roles, key skills gap, succession planning; Lost opportunities for talent
- Liability
  - Class action from shareholders to board for failing to create an environment that supports good businessbreach of fiduciary duty, abuse of control, unjust enrichment, and waste of corporate assets.
  - Board members were "knowing and direct enablers of sexual harassment and discrimination".
  - Management responsibility for individual employee actions & misconduct
  - Labour strikes; e.g. Massive protest by employees
  - Product boycotts by customers
  - Biases in hiring/advancement

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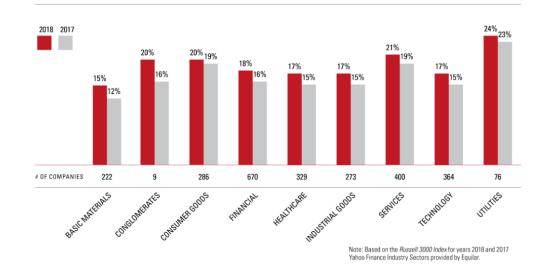
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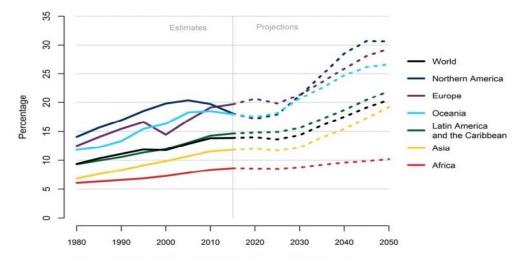
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 Compensation practices - Past gender pay reconciliations

<sup>2018-2017</sup> PERCENTAGE OF BOARD SEATS HELD BY WOMEN BY INDUSTRY SECTOR



Percentage aged 80 years or over among the population aged 60 years or over for the world and regions, 1980-2050



### Researching Relevant Data – Liability Claims for Human Capital and Gender Risks

Company	Potential Cost	Legal Action	Date
Boston Symphony <sup>1</sup>	Not disclosed	Gender pay gap	July 2018
Facebook <sup>2</sup>	Not disclosed	Race and gender based discrimination	March 2015
Ford <sup>3</sup>	\$10M	Sexual and racial harassment	August 2017
Fox News⁴	\$90M	Sexual harassment	Nov 2017
Goldman Sachs⁵	Not disclosed	Gender bias and gender pay gap	March 2018
Google <sup>6</sup>	Not disclosed	Gender pay gap	January 2018
Home Office <sup>7</sup>	Not disclosed	Equal pay/race and age-based discrimination	April 2017
Lloyd's Banking Group <sup>8</sup>	\$669M	Equal pension payments	July 2018
Lord Chancellor (UK Supreme Court) <sup>9</sup>	Total tribunal fees paid by all claimants	Economic discrimination	July 2017
Nike <sup>10</sup>	Not disclosed	Discrimination/gender pay gap	August 2018
Salk Institute <sup>11</sup>	Not disclosed	Discrimination/gender pay gap	August 2018
Tesco <sup>12</sup>	£4B	Gender pay gap	Feb 2018
Twitter <sup>13</sup>	Not disclosed	Gender based discrimination	March 2015
Uber <sup>14</sup>	\$10M	Discrimination/hostile environment	Mar 2018

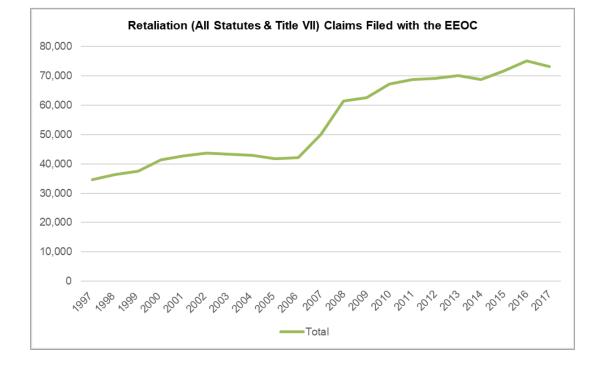
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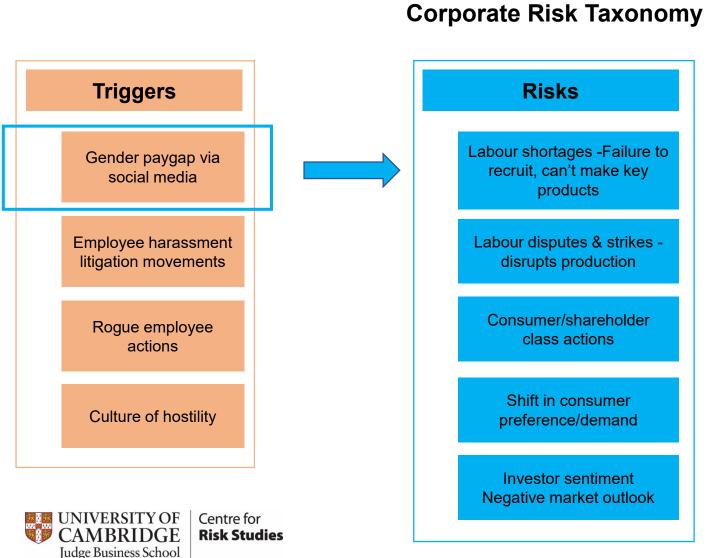
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Data Source: US EEOC Office. Note: Employees can file a wide variety of claims with the EEOC, based on different forms of discrimination, such as colour, equal pay, genetic information, harassment, national origin, pregnancy, race, religion, retaliation and sex. From 2006 onwards, a greater number of claims have been made, based on religion, colour and disability.

### **Building Risk Scenarios - Human Capital and Gender Risks**



### Mapping to Cambridge Validation via Historical Catalogue



Google employees walked out of offices in San Francisco and around the globe to protest what organizers describe as "a workplace culture that's not working for everyone." Matt Rosoff | CNBC

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## **5yrEV@Risk: Cambridge Metric for Enterprise Risk**

- Our engagement with organisations suggests that senior managers are highly focused on share price
- The most meaningful metric for a risk is the potential reduction in share price or loss of fundamental value of the business
- There are several ways of estimating the value of a business, e.g.:
  - Market comparables (benchmarking to similar businesses with known market capitalisation)
  - Calculation of present value of future cashflows minus debts to estimate the theoretical acquisition value (Enterprise Value)
- We have adapted a standard calculation method for Enterprise Value for use as a risk metric
  - Our variant includes the next 5 years, and ignores anything beyond 5 yrs (it ignores any Terminal Value at 5yrs)
- We are interested in the change in 5yrEV that would occur from a scenario 5yrEV@Risk

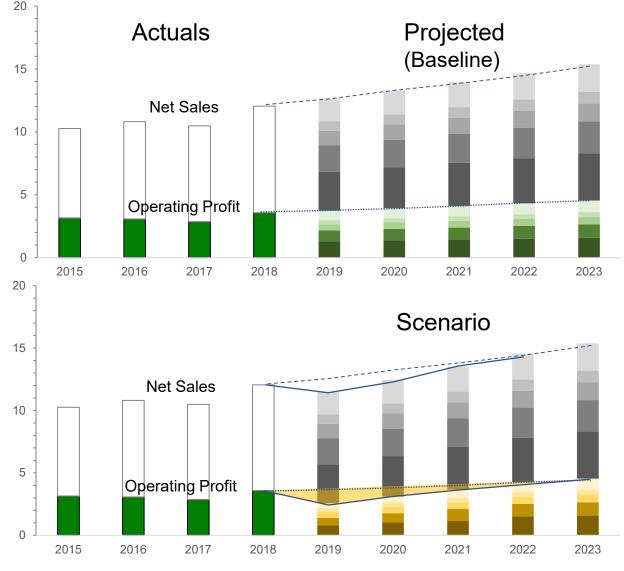
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5yr EnterpriseValue@Risk - Lost profits over next 5 years (NPV) 17

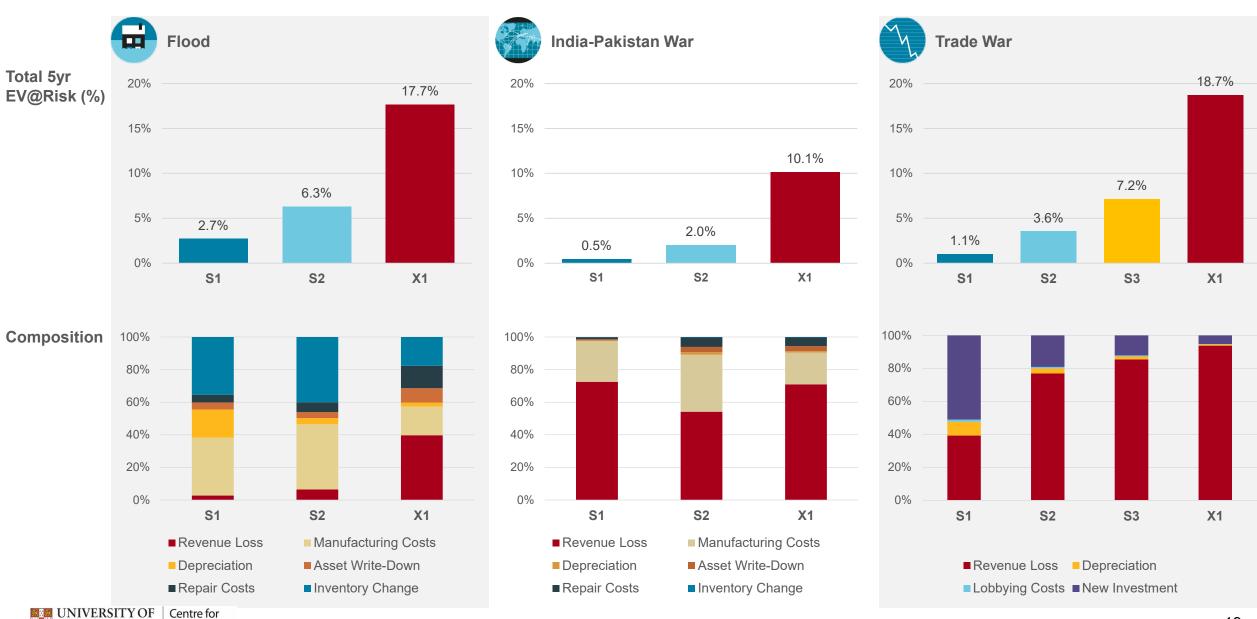
## **Scenarios to Evaluate Corporate Risk**

- Apply loss modelling disparate causes of risk
- We apply representative scenarios of different major classes of risk:
  - Finance, Economics & Trade
    - Disruption to cross-border business flows through new tariffs
    - Business based in UK, major markets in Europe & US
  - Geopolitics & Security
    - Regional markets depressed & global disruption to business operations
    - Militarised conflict in India a significant revenue stream
  - <u>Natural Catastrophes & Climate</u>
    - Major flood affects critical facilities in UK supply chain
    - Incorporates destruction of capital assets & inventory
    - Compare physical losses to impact on revenue
  - <u>Governance</u>
    - Human Capital & Gender Scenario



S	cenario stress tes	st resu	Its – impact on company	/ fundamenta 5yr Enterprise		
M	Trade war between US &	S1	10% tariff on products	1.1%		
h	Europe	<b>S2</b>	20% tariff on products	3.6%		
		<b>S</b> 3	40% tariff on products		7.2%	
		<b>X1</b>	140% tariff on products			18.7%
	Geopolitical conflict	S1	Countries on war footing, minor skirmishes	0.5%		
between India & Pakistan		<b>S</b> 2	Military conflict, low consumer confidence	2.0%		
		X1	Loss of all Indian subsidiary business		10.1%	
	Floods damage key facilities in	S1	0.8 m depth, 2 weeks, clean	2.7%		
supply chain	-	<b>S2</b>	1.3 m depth, 3 months, moderate contamination	6.	3%	
		X1	>1.5 m depth, 12 months, high contamination			17.7%
	Human Capital & Gender	S1	Labour shortages affect product development	0.4%		
ji -	a Genuer	S2	Class action litigations filed; employee morale impacted	1.6%		
		X1	Long term consumer sentiment reduces product demand and devalues share price		7.8%	

### **Impact of Scenarios on Balance Sheet**



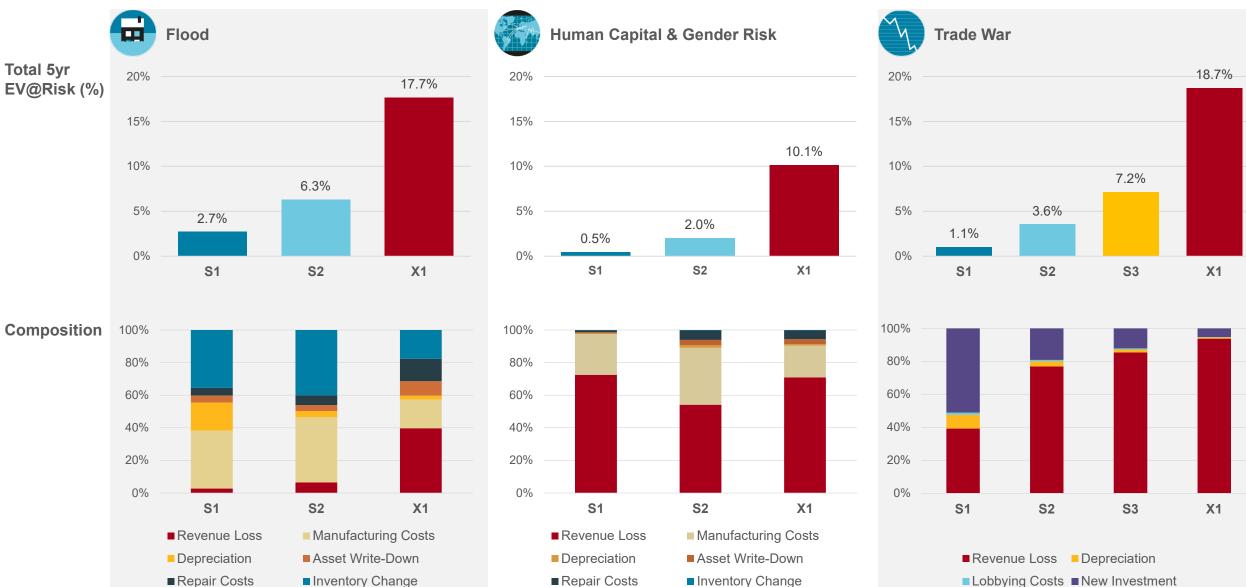
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### **Risk Scenario Comparisons and Prioritisation on Balance Sheet**



### Indicative Profile - Scenario Stress Tests to Evaluate Corporate Risk

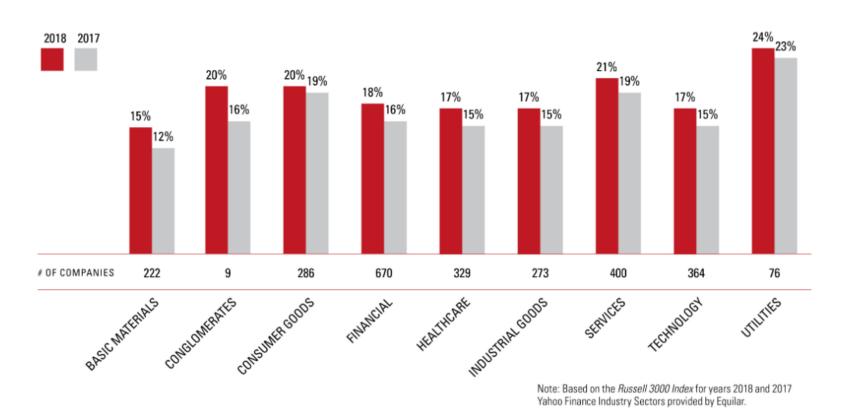
- Scenario stress test results Impact on company fundamental value 5yr EnterpriseValue@Risk **S1** Labour shortages affect product development 0.5% Human Capital & Gender Class action litigations filed; **S2** 2.0% employee morale impacted Long term consumer **X1** 10.1% sentiment impacts reduce product demand and devalues share price 1.1% Trade war **S1** 10% tariff on products between US & Europe 3.6% **S2** 20% tariff on products **S**3 7.2% 40% tariff on products 140% tariff on products 18.7% **X1**
- Applies loss modelling to business from variety of disparate causes of risk
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### 20% by 2020 (Women on Boards – U.S. based campaign)

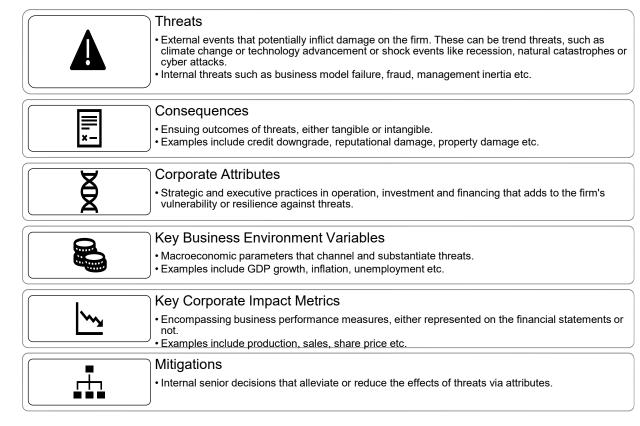
Breakdown by sector:

2018-2017 PERCENTAGE OF BOARD SEATS HELD BY WOMEN BY INDUSTRY SECTOR



### **Towards a Taxonomy of Business Risk**

- These applications require a structured approach to estimating business loss from widely different causes
  - Objective 1: Identify a data structure describing organizations as a standard input to analysis
  - Objective 2: Model the losses that occur to the organisation from a hypothetical scenario
  - Objective 3: Demonstrate an ability to model the loss on a business from a wide range of different types of threats
- A taxonomy of business risk identifies a representative suite of loss causes for most organisations
  - Review of risk registers from annual reports
  - Historical review of causes of business distress
  - Other literature on business failures





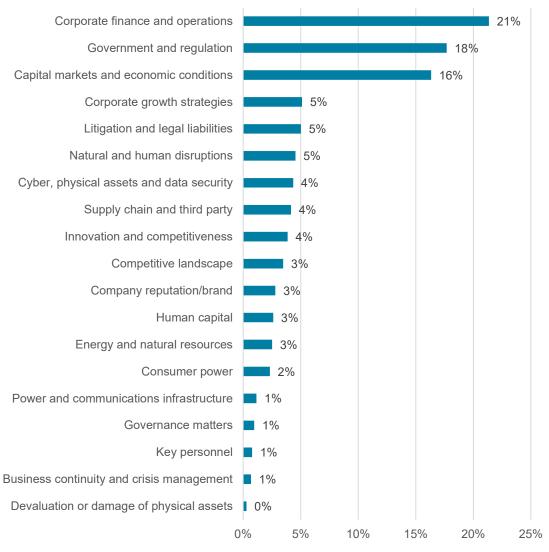
### **Survey of Risk Registers of Public Companies**

- Growing trend and regulatory requirements for companies to declare main risks to their shareholders
- Risk registers (self-identified threats to the well-being of an organization) are declared in Annual Reports 10-K 1A and 20-F SEC filings of public companies
- CCRS has analysed the annual reports of 56 public companies so far, and compiled a list of over 1,035 risks that these organisations identify
- Literature review incorporates other similar studies on risks reported in annual reports and 10-Ks
- This exercise reveals wide variation in the risks that companies think pose a threat to their shareholder value
- Companies do not employ a consistent methodology: no accepted standard approach or best practice
- We propose to develop a corporate risk taxonomy to help with this process

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#### Frequency of Risks identified in Annual Reports



### **Corporate Taxonomy of Risks**

Finance, Economics & Social & Political **Geopolitical Violence** Technological **Environmental** Governance Markets Natural Catastrophe & National Violence **Cyber Attack Human Capital Regulation & Legislation** Macroeconomic Civil conflict & separatism Data exfiltration Labour disputes & strikes Tightening monetary/fiscal policy Market crash Climate - Intellectual property loss Asset bubble Labour shortages Tax Assassination Earthquake - Financial irregularities Contagious malware Revised accounting standards Terrorism Tsunami Ageing population • Sovereign crisis default (Others) Non-compliance Volcanic eruption Commodity price fluctuation - Worker health & safety Tropical cyclone International Conflict **Political & Criminal** Trade sanctions Infrastructure/System Failure Internal corruption Temperate windstorm Interstate Conflict Political shock Economic restrictions Licence revocation Satellite system failure Conventional (Brexit) Tornado Economic recession Sudden leadership change - Asymmetric Solar storm Electrical storm . **Contingent liabilities** Nationalism Power outage Hail Consumer/shareholder class Network disruption Political corruption Flood actions Cartel pressure Freeze Low carbon economy Organised crime Industrial Accident Drought Strategic Fire Heatwave Hostile takeover Humanitarian Explosion Wildfire Counterparty failure Famine Nuclear Astronomical impact event - Customer/client Refugee crisis Pollution Climate change Creditor Welfare system failure Sea level rise - Government Price war Artificial Intelligence (AI) Supplier Technological advancement Infectious Disease Failure of: Technological accident Plant epidemic Mergers & acquisitions Animal epidemic Divestitures Human epidemic/pandemic Restructuring - Zoonosis Joint ventures Asymmetric board - Rogue CEO

#### Products & Services

- Defect/failure
- Innovation (R&D) failure

#### HR & PR

Shock

Trend

- Loss of key personnel
- Failure to attract talent
- Gender & diversity
- Negative media coverage

- Tariff war
- Investor sentiment
  - Negative market outlook
- transition

#### Competition

- Disruptive competitor
- Aggressive competitor
- Counterfeit products

#### **Consumer Power**

 Shift in consumer preference/demand

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#### Natural resources

- Resource deficiency

- Raw materials
- Fossil fuels

### Only 24 Female CEOs At Fortune 500 Companies Female CEOs of Fortune 500 companies by rank in March 2018

Rank	CEO		Revenue
8	Mary Barra	GENERAL MOTORS	\$157.3bn
29	Gail Boudreaux	Anthem.	\$90.0bn
32	Ginni Rometty	IBM	\$79.1bn
44	Indra Nooyi	BEPSICO	\$63.5bn
56	Marillyn Hewson	LOCKNEED WARTIN A	\$51.1bn
81	Safra Catz	ORACLE	\$37.7bn
90	Phebe Novakovic	GENERAL DYNAMICS	\$31.0bn
120	Tricia Griffith	PROGRESSIVE	\$26.8bn
121	Lynn Good	DUKE ENERGY.	\$23.2bn
150	Michelle Gass	KOHĽS	<b>\$19.1bn</b>
157	Geisha Williams	PG&E Corporation	\$17.1bn
219	Barbara Rentler	RESS FOR LESS	\$14.1bn
185	Margaret Keane	synchrony	<b>\$13.5bn</b>
278	Vicki Hollub	<b>e</b>	9 \$13.2bn
246	Anna Manning	RGA	<b>\$12.5bn</b>
218	Deanna Mulligan	Guardian'	<b>\$10.7bn</b>
296	Kathryn Marinello	Hertz.	<b>\$</b> 8.8bn
331	Mary Laschinger	Veritiv	<b>8</b> .3bn
369	Michele Buck	HERSHEY	<b>\$7.5bn</b>
479	Beth Mooney	KeyCorp	<b>\$6.9bn</b>
399	Joey Wat	<u>@</u>	<b>\$</b> 6.8bn
420	Kathy Mazzarella	GraybaR.	<b>6.6bn</b>
419	Patricia Poppe	CHS EVERSY	<b>\$</b> 6.6bn

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### **Risk Drivers for Creditworthiness by Profession**

