

# HGA



## RISK MANAGEMENT AND CAMPUS RESILIENCE



# Learning Objectives

1. Describe a risk assessment tool that can help you identify, assess, and prioritize risks for your campus.
2. Identify unique conditions on your institution's campus that are at risk under certain climate change projections
3. Prioritize which risks are most critical, i.e. those that are most likely, have the greatest potential impact, and for which your institution is currently least prepared.
4. Discuss how to introduce resilience planning your institution, including stakeholders who should be involved with identifying risks and ways to integrate planning for those risks into ongoing campus planning processes.

# Agenda

- Risk Management & Resilience: An Introduction
- Resilience at UCLA
- Q&A
- Risk Management & Building Resilience: Your Institutions

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# How does risk management differ from resilience?

## RISK MANAGEMENT

- Reduce or eliminate long-term risk to life and property from hazard events (acute risks)

## RESILIENCE

- Capacity to ***adapt to*** and ***recover quickly from*** chronic stresses and acute shocks



# Resilience at UCLA

- 419 acres
- Highly compact urban campus
- On a hillside, one of the “cooler” micro ecosystems in LA
- 45,000+ student enrollment
- 13,500 beds on campus, (5000 coming)
- 80,000 daily population
- Five hospitals – three adjacent
- 42 megawatt “Trigen” Power Plant
- Lean staff
- Earlier Disaster Response Plan – “send them home!”



# UCLA Risks: Mapped onto HGA Tool (Disclaimer)

Risk	Acute	Chronic
Natural Disaster – Seismic/Fire	X	
Climate	X	X
Security – Cyber/Violence/Etc	X	X
Infrastructure – Water/Energy/Solid & Liquid Waste*	X	X
Local Pollution		X
Human Health	X	X

# Flood – Learned the Hard Way















# UCLA's Approach

- Leveraging Strengths to Overcome Weaknesses
- Connecting Sustainability and Emergency Planning Work
- Building Networks and Partnerships – Across the Campus and Community
- Utilizing Faculty and Student Research
- Facilities Upgrades





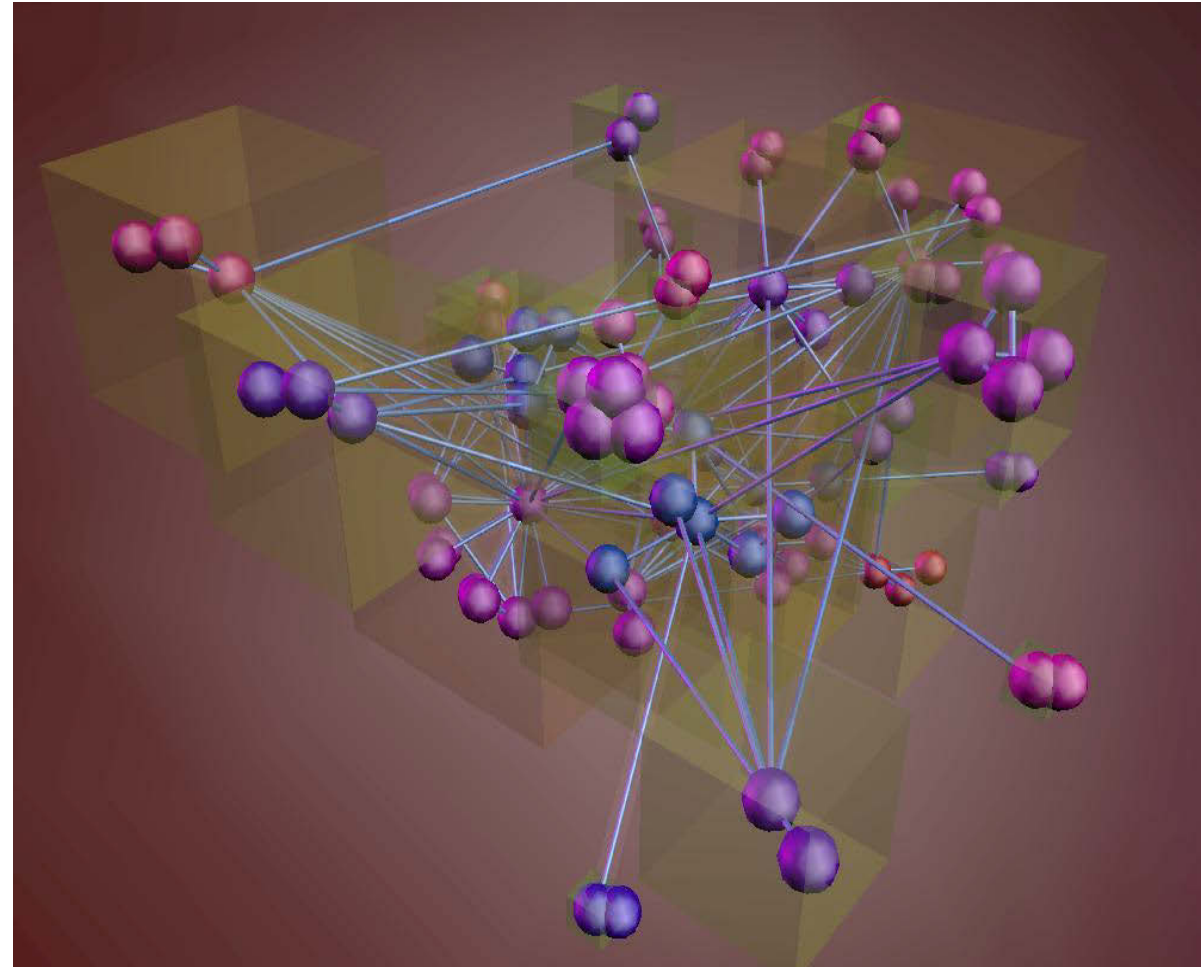
# Leveraging Risks, Liabilities and Opportunities

- On-Campus Population
- Energy Supply Redundancy
- Water



# Outcomes Focused – “Be a Protein”

- Blend the Strengths from all University (other) sectors
- “Fusion” of disciplines
- Build a “critical mass” of research, education and operations expertise



# Support Through Core Mission – Sustainable LA Grand Challenge

## Goals:

- Power 100% of energy and transportation needs with renewable energy;
- Obtain 100% of water supply from sources within LA County;
- and enhance ecosystem health together with human health and wellbeing.





# Local Climate Impacts

WHAT DOES CLIMATE CHANGE MEAN FOR SOUTHERN CA?

Results From the Climate Change in the  
Los Angeles Region Project  
From UCLA Professor Alex Hall





# Local Climate Impacts

**Temperatures**



**Snow**



**Water resources**



**Ecosystem effects**

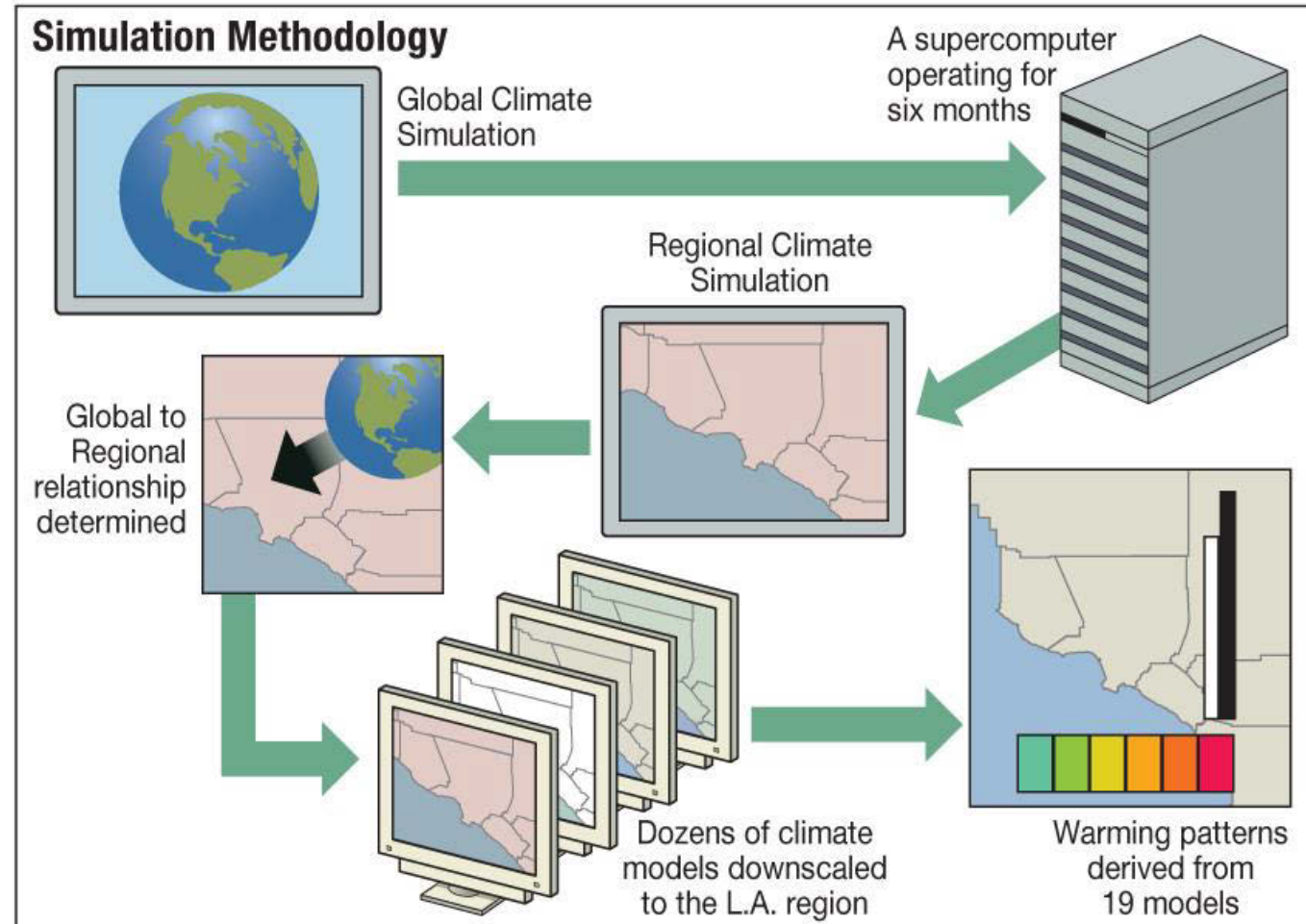


**Sea level rise**



**Fire**

# Groundbreaking Climate Modeling

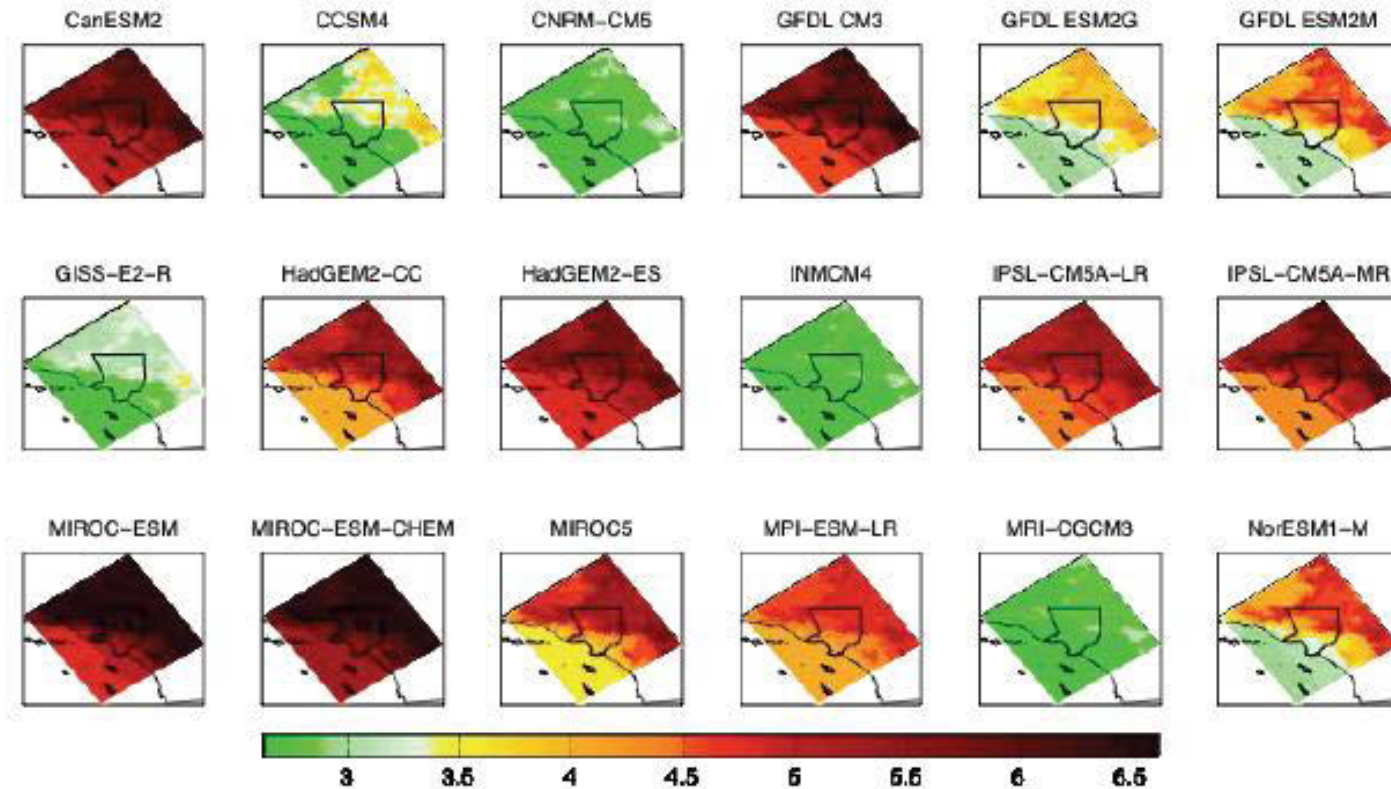


Source: UCLA LARC study, 2012

Graphic by Steve Greenberg

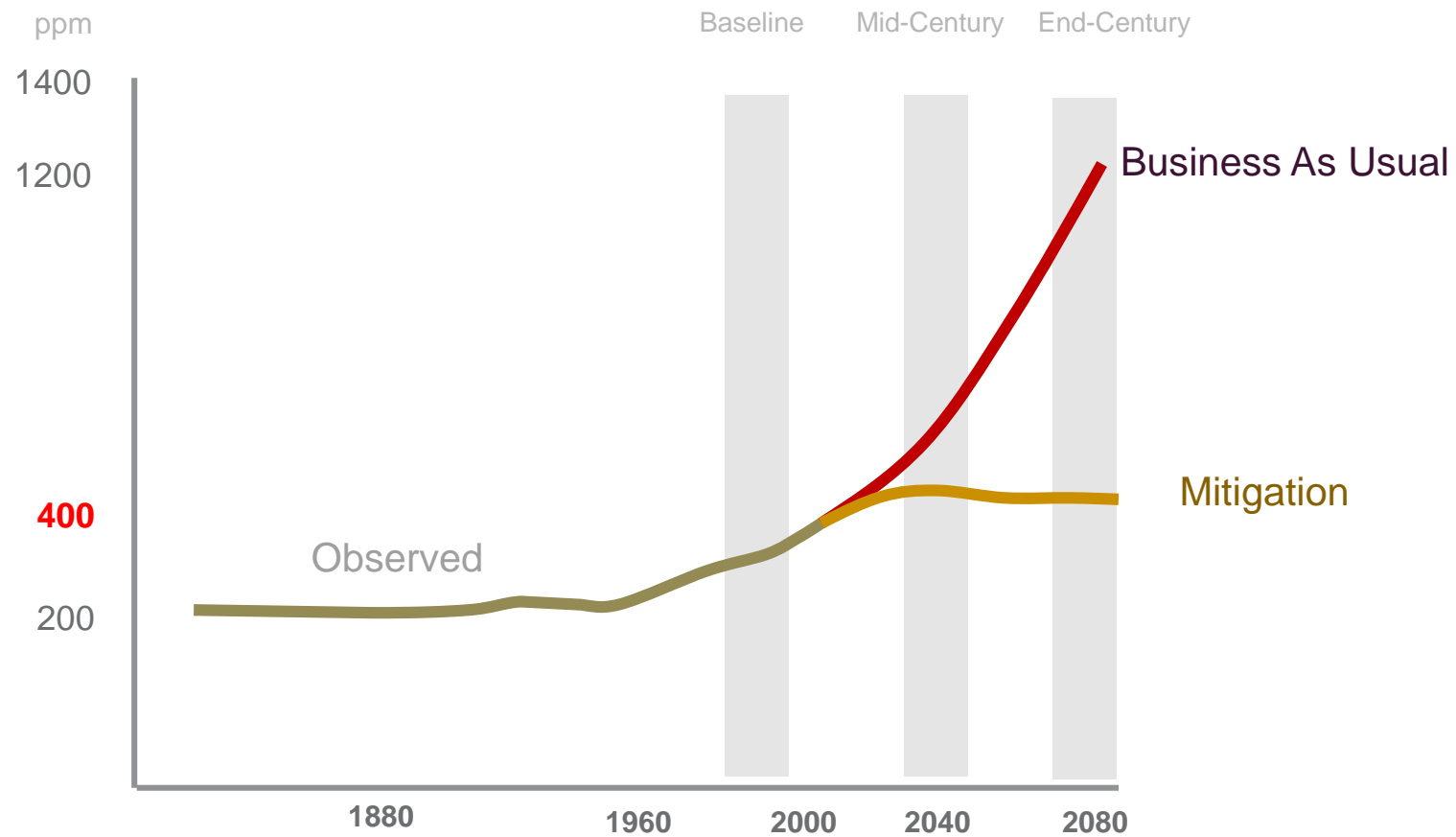
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~30 GLOBAL CLIMATE MODELS APPLIED TO THE LOS ANGELES REGION



# Groundbreaking Climate Modeling

## FUTURE CLIMATE PROJECTED FOR TWO SCENARIOS

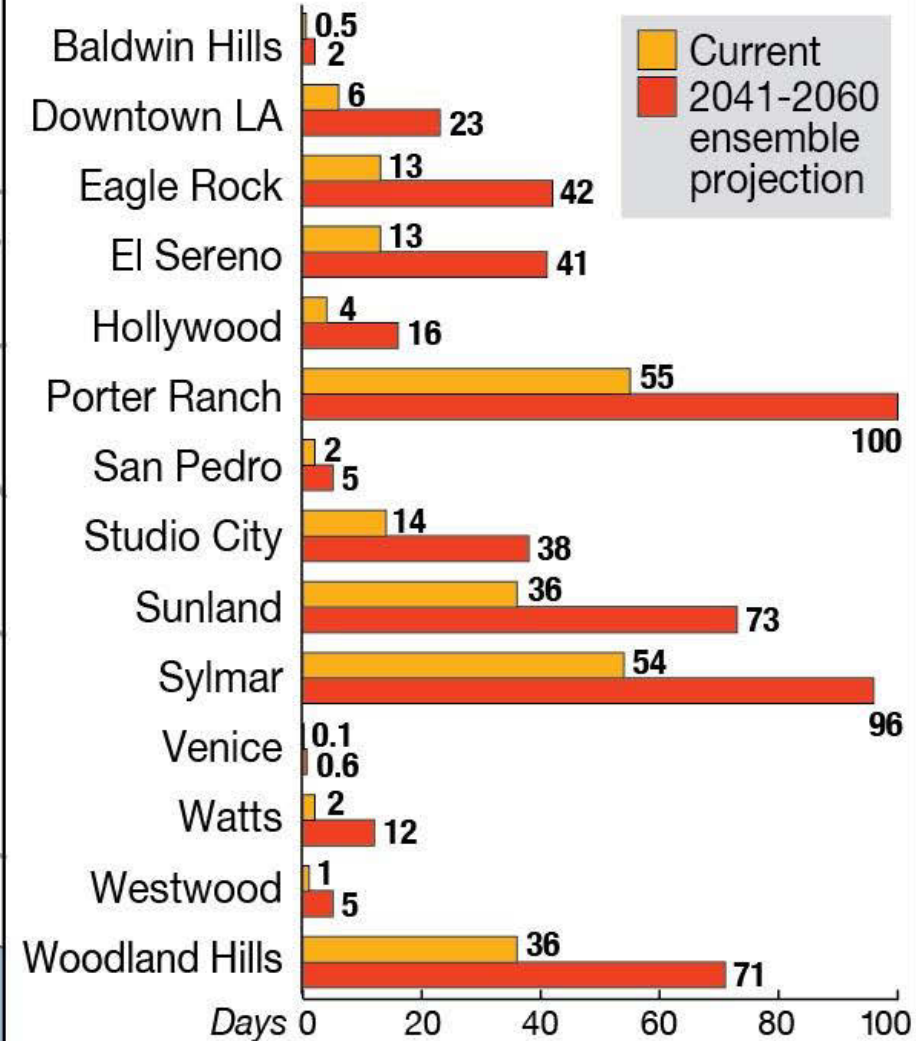






## Current and projected temperature extremes for Los Angeles

Average annual days exceeding 95 degrees F



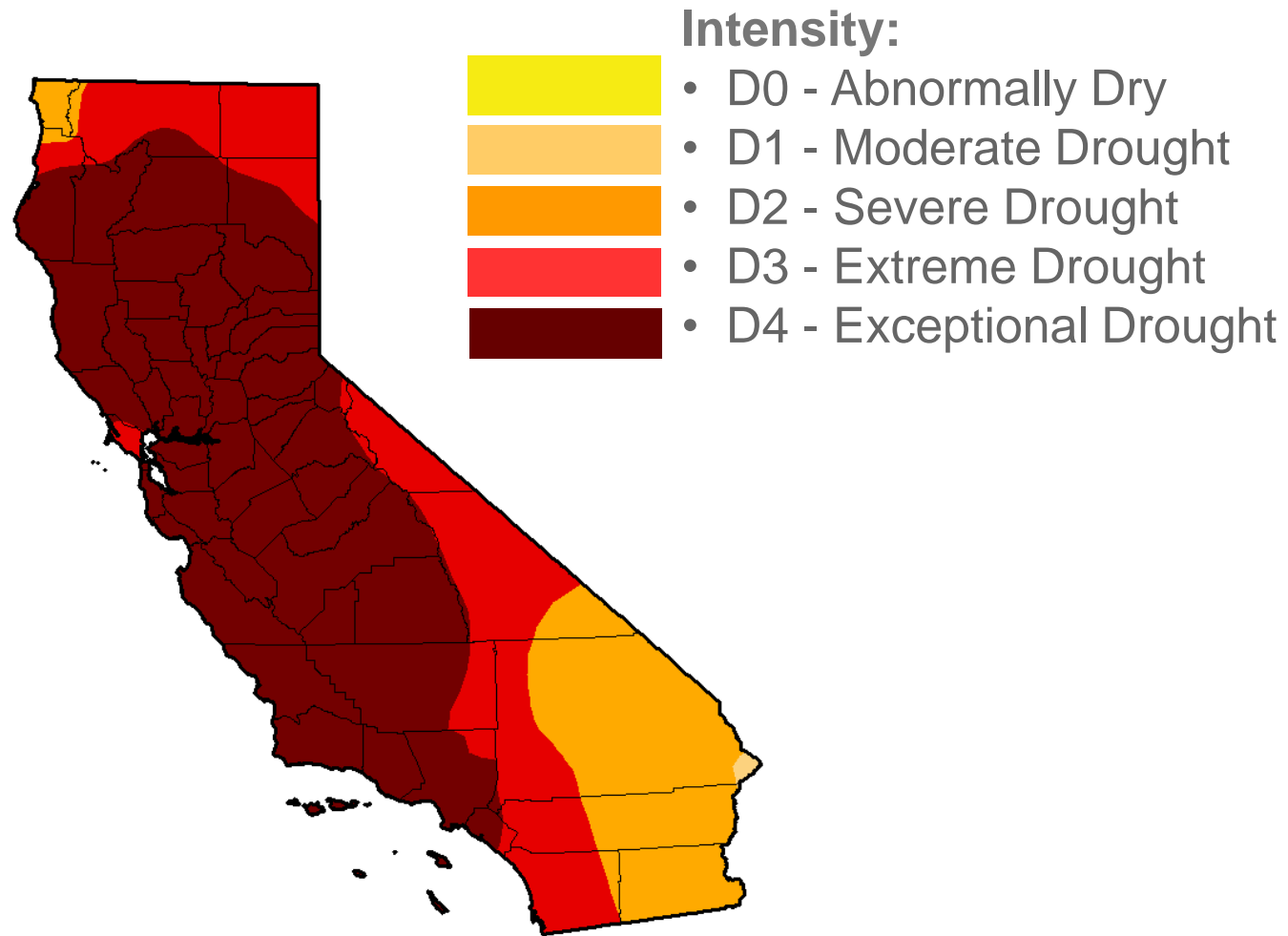
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# Reduced Snowpack









*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions.  
Local conditions may vary.*

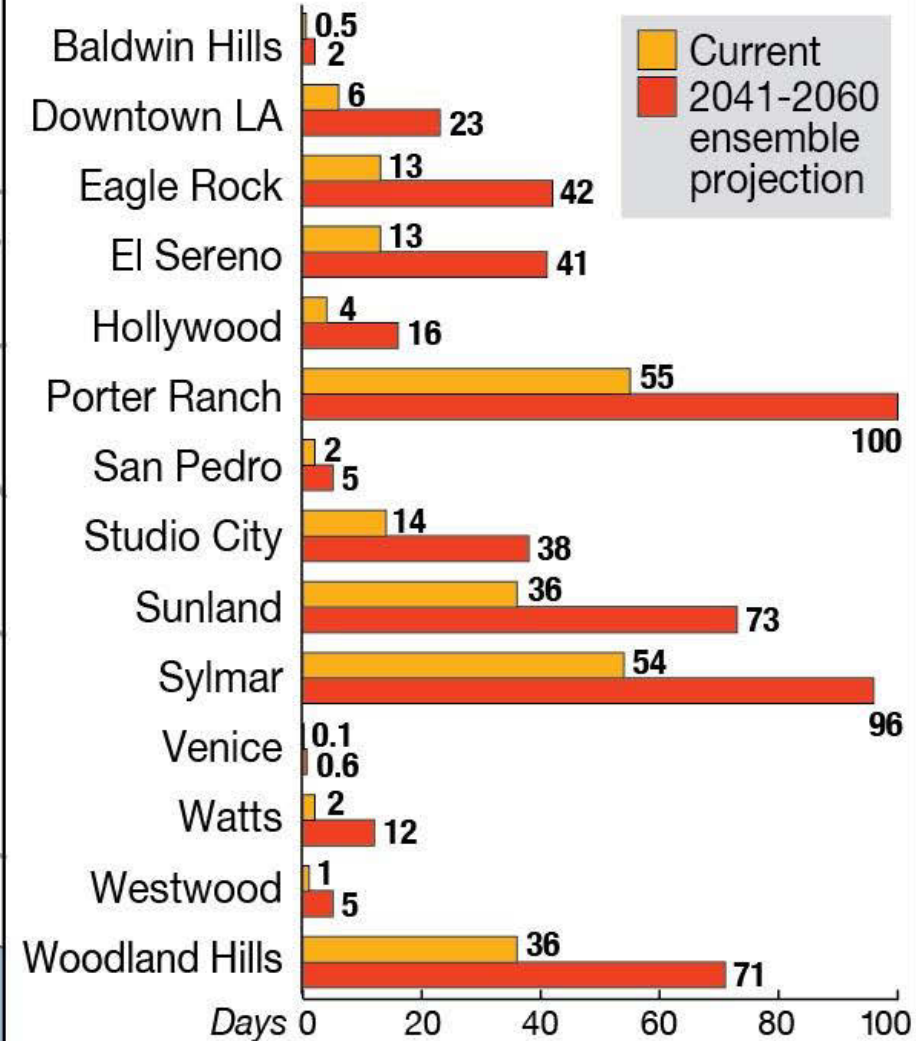
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Q&A

# Risk Assessments – Your Institution



## EVENTS / RISKS



### CLIMATE

#### Event / Risk

Extreme/Intense Precipitation Events  
 Temperature Extremes  
 Drought  
 Dew Point Changes  
 UV light



### NATURAL DISASTER

#### Event / Risk

Extreme Wind (straight line, tornado)  
 Excessive Snow  
 Excessive Ice  
 Groundwater Contamination  
 Hail  
 Lightning  
 Seismic  
 Flash flooding  
 Fire



### INFRASTRUCTURE

#### Event / Risk

Power Failure  
 Communications Failure  
 Water System Failure  
 Sewer/Storm System Failure  
 Damage to Utilities  
 Burst Pipe/Leaks



### SECURITY

#### Event / Risk

Active threat  
 Cyber attack  
 Theft - staff  
 Theft - general  
 Personal safety & security - general  
 Personal safety & security - staff



### LOCAL POLLUTION CONTROL

#### Event / Risk

Radon  
 Pests  
 Hazardous Materials  
 Outdoor Air Quality  
 Moisture Control/ Mold

### OTHER

#### Event / Risk

Zombies  
 Protests  
 Lack of staff capacity



## LEVEL OF CONCERN



### CLIMATE

Event / Risk	Level of Concern
Extreme/Intense Precipitation Events	Moderate
Temperature Extremes	Moderate
Drought	Low
Dew Point Changes	Moderate
UV light	High



### NATURAL DISASTER

Event / Risk	Level of Concern
Extreme Wind (straight line, tornado)	High
Excessive Snow	Moderate
Excessive Ice	Moderate
Groundwater Contamination	Low
Hail	Low
Lightning	Low
Seismic	Low
Flash flooding	Low
Fire	Moderate



### INFRASTRUCTURE

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Active threat	High
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### LOCAL POLLUTION CONTROL

Event / Risk	Level of Concern
Radon	Low
Pests	High
Hazardous Materials	Moderate
Outdoor Air Quality	Low
Moisture Control/ Mold	High

### OTHER

Event / Risk	Level of Concern
Zombies	Low
Protests	Moderate
Lack of staff capacity	Moderate

## IMPACT



### CLIMATE

Event / Risk	Human	Assets	Business
Extreme/Intense Precipitation Events	Low	Low	Low
Temperature Extremes	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Drought	Low	Low	Low
Dew Point Changes	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
UV light	Low	High	Moderate



### NATURAL DISASTER

Event / Risk	Human	Assets	Business
Extreme Wind (straight line, tornado)	High	High	High
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Groundwater Contamination	Moderate	Low	Moderate
Hail	Low	Low	Low
Lightning	Low	Low	Low
Seismic	Low	Moderate	Low
Flash flooding	Low	Low	Low
Fire	High	High	High



### INFRASTRUCTURE

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Damage to Utilities	Low	Moderate	Moderate
Burst Pipe/Leaks	Low	High	Moderate



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Personal safety & security - staff	High	Low	Moderate



### LOCAL POLLUTION CONTROL

Event / Risk	Human	Assets	Business
Radon	Moderate	Low	Low
Pests	Low	High	Moderate
Hazardous Materials	Moderate	Low	Low
Outdoor Air Quality	Moderate	Low	Low
Moisture Control/ Mold	Moderate	High	Moderate

### OTHER

Event / Risk	Human	Assets	Business
Zombies	High	Low	Low
Protests	Low	Low	Moderate
Lack of staff capacity	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate



## PREPAREDNESS



### CLIMATE

Event / Risk	Building	Staff	Services
Extreme/Intense Precipitation Events	High	High	High
Temperature Extremes	Moderate	High	Moderate
Drought	High	High	High
Dew Point Changes	Moderate	High	Moderate
UV light	Moderate	High	Moderate



### NATURAL DISASTER

Event / Risk	Building	Staff	Services
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Lightning	Moderate	High	High
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Fire	Moderate	High	High



### INFRASTRUCTURE

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### LOCAL POLLUTION CONTROL

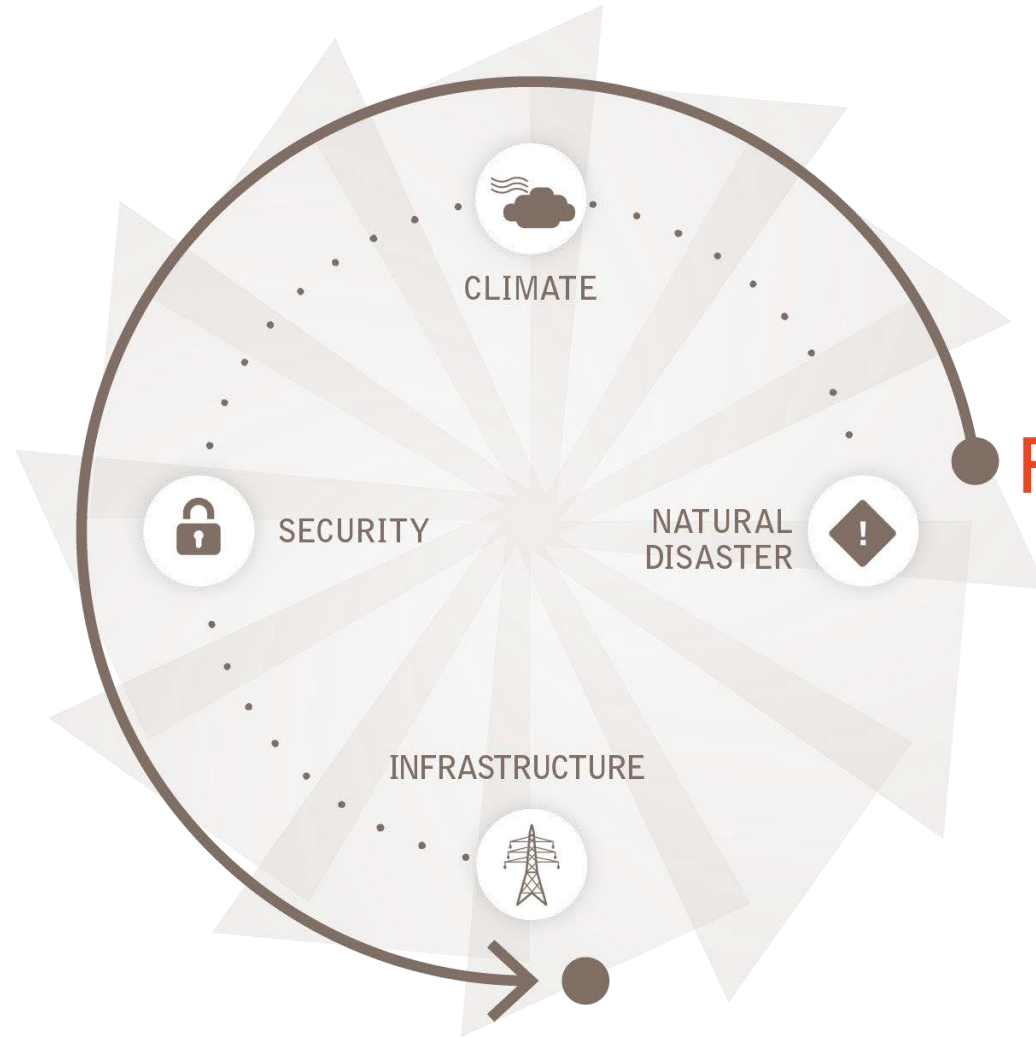
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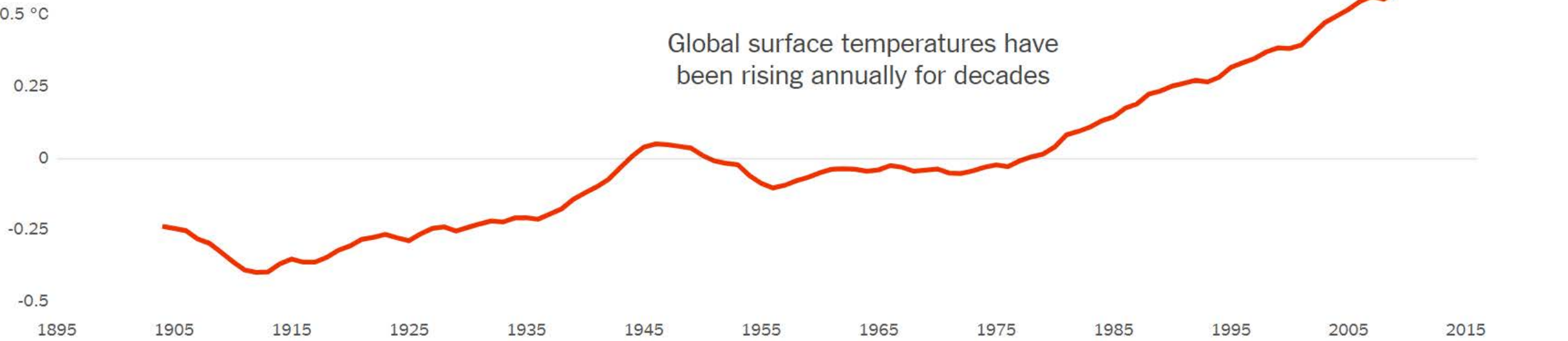


RISK		LEVEL OF CONCERN	SEVERITY = (MAGNITUDE - MITIGATION)						
			HUMAN IMPACT	ASSETS IMPACT	BUSINESS IMPACT	PREPAREDNESS	STAFF RESPONSE	SERVICES RESPONSE	RISK
		Likelihood & owner concern	Possibility of injury or death	Physical losses and damages	Interruption of services	Bricks & Mortar - Design Mitigation	Staff emergency planning/response	Other agencies/ external response	Relative threat*
		1 = Low 2 = Moderate 3 = High	1 = Low 2 = Moderate 3 = High	1 = Low 2 = Moderate 3 = High	1 = Low 2 = Moderate 3 = High	3 = Low 2 = Moderate 1 = High	3 = Low 2 = Moderate 1 = High	3 = Low 2 = Moderate 1 = High	0 - 100%
 CLIMATE	Extreme/Intense Precipitation Events	Moderate	Low	Low	Low	High	High	High	22%
	Temperature Extremes	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	High	Moderate	41%
	Drought	Low	Low	Low	Low	High	High	High	11%
	Dew Point Changes	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	High	Moderate	41%
	UV light	High	Low	High	Moderate	Moderate	High	Moderate	61%
 NATURAL DISASTER	Extreme Wind (straight line, tornado)	High	High	High	High	Moderate	High	High	72%
	Excessive Snow	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	High	High	High	33%
	Excessive Ice	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	High	High	High	33%
	Groundwater Contamination	Low	Moderate	Low	Moderate	Moderate	High	High	17%
	Hail	Low	Low	Low	Low	High	High	High	11%
	Lightning	Low	Low	Low	Low	Moderate	High	High	13%
	Seismic	Low	Low	Moderate	Low	Low	Moderate	High	19%
	Flash flooding	Low	Low	Low	Low	High	High	High	11%



**FORECAST**  
RISKS

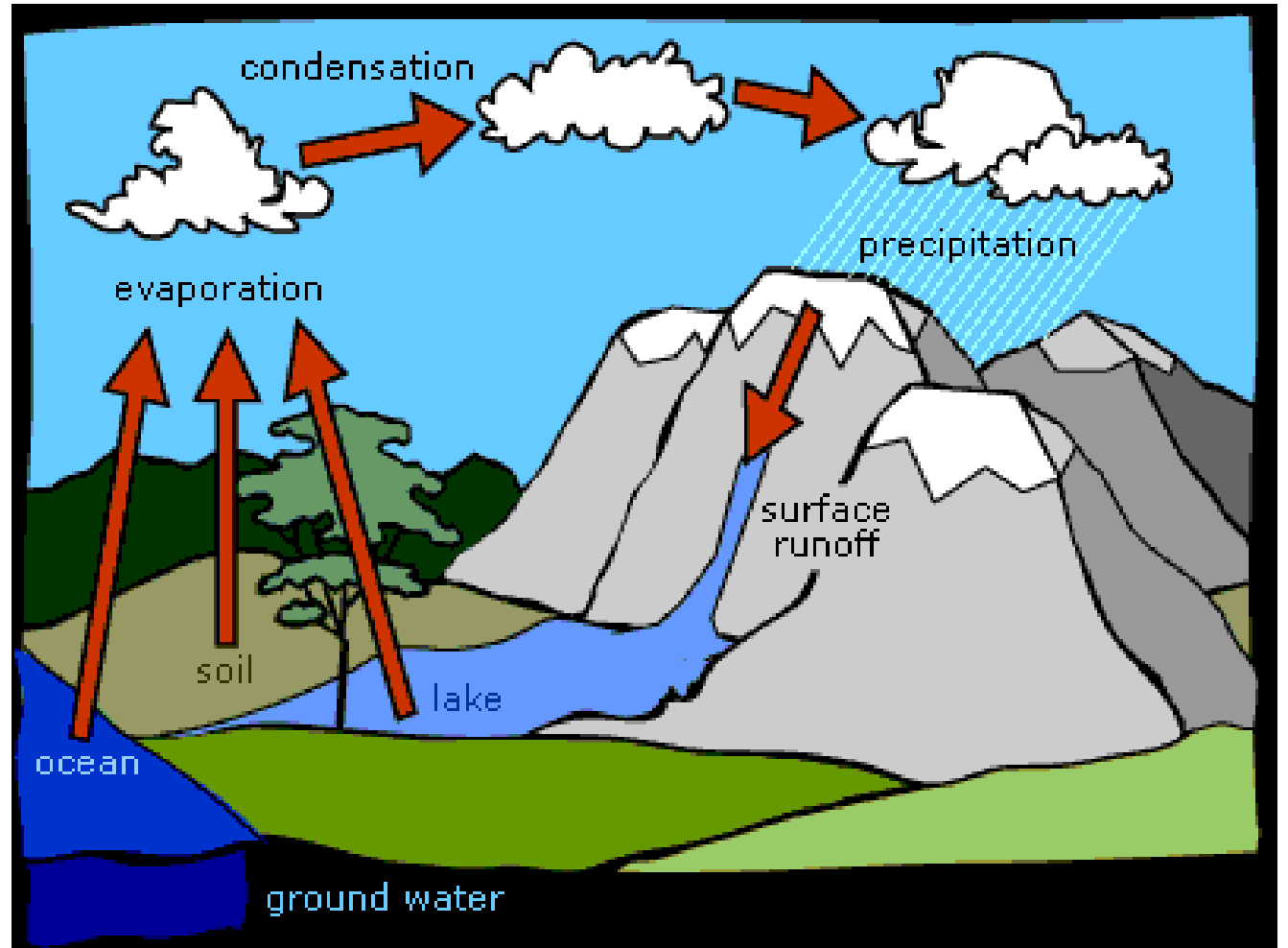
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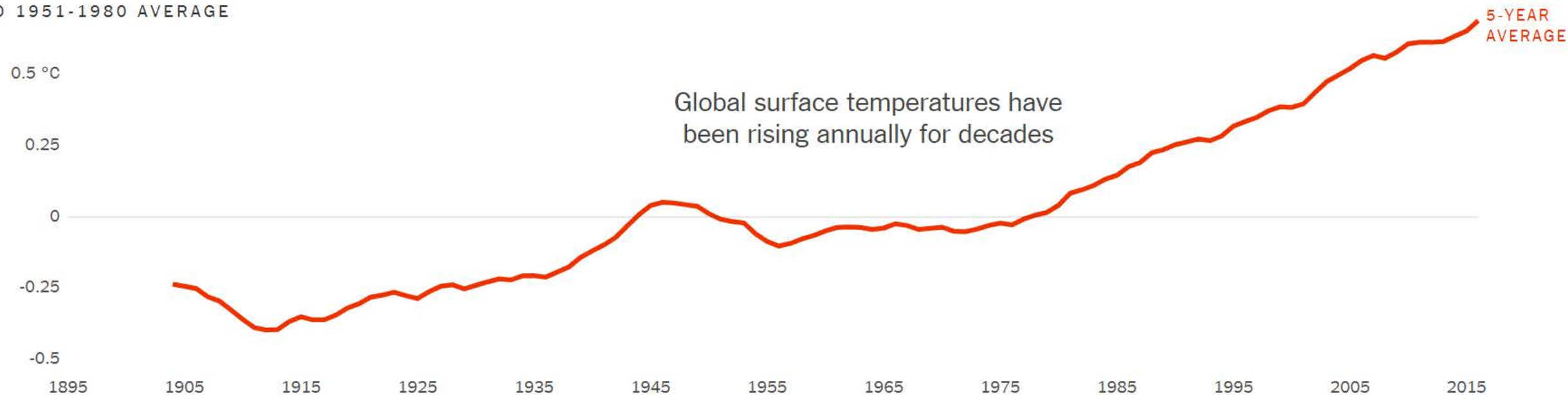
# Warmer air holds more moisture

WHY DOES THIS MATTER?

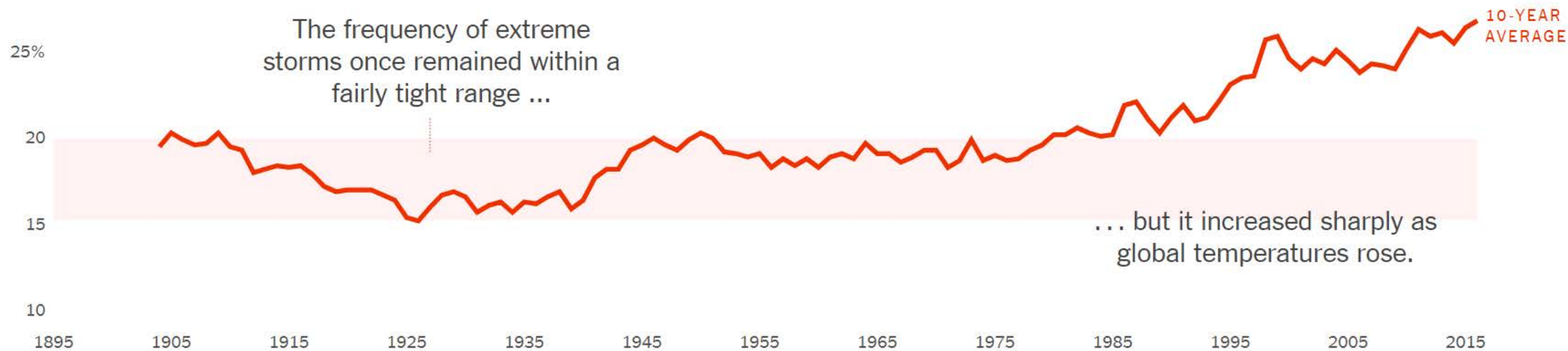




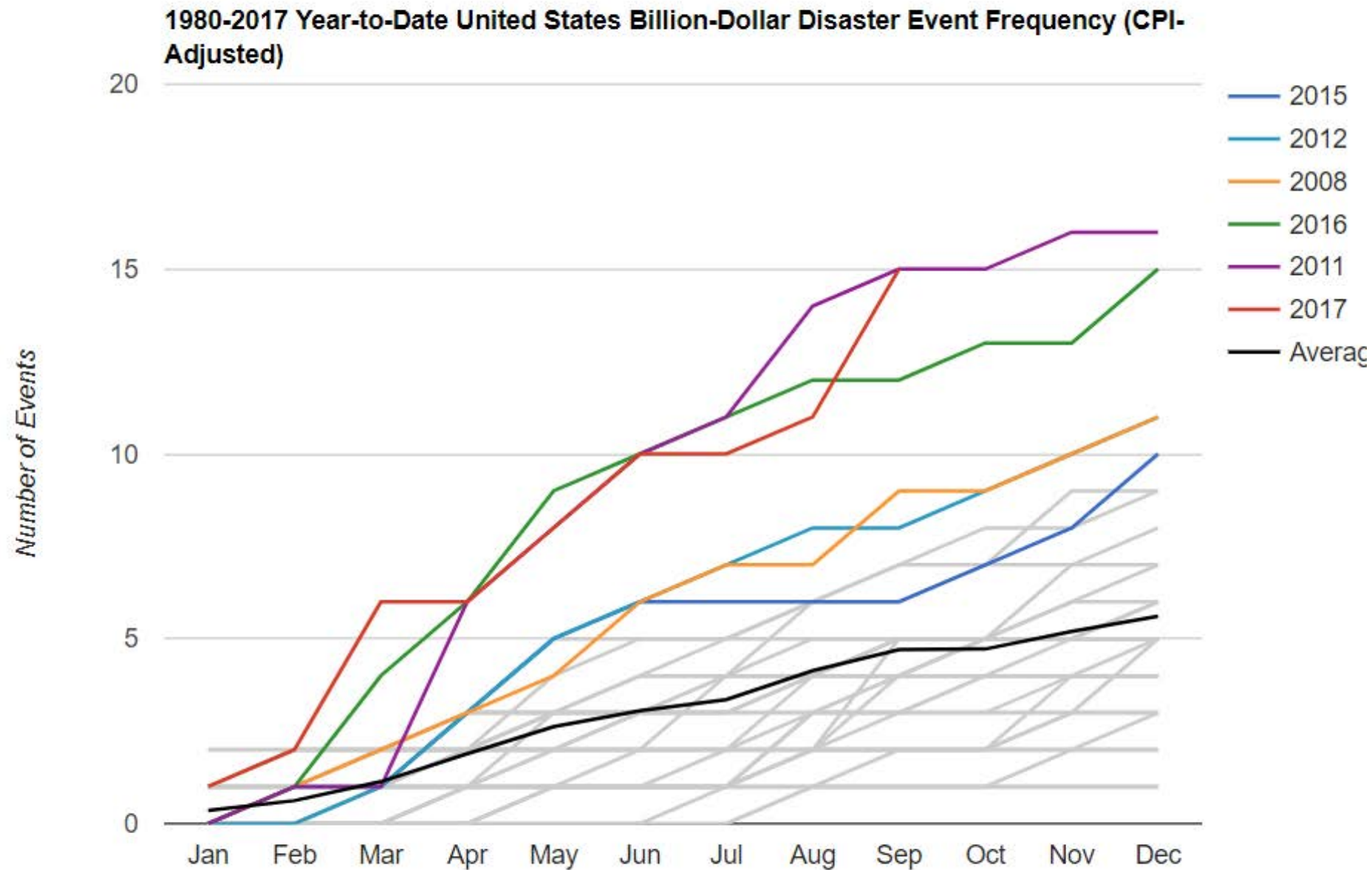
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U.S. WEATHER STATIONS EXPERIENCING AN  
EXTREME RAINSTORM







Event statistics are added according to the date on which they ended. Statistics valid as of October 6, 2017.

# What are the top risks at your institution?



CLIMATE



INFRASTRUCTURE



NATURAL DISASTER



SECURITY

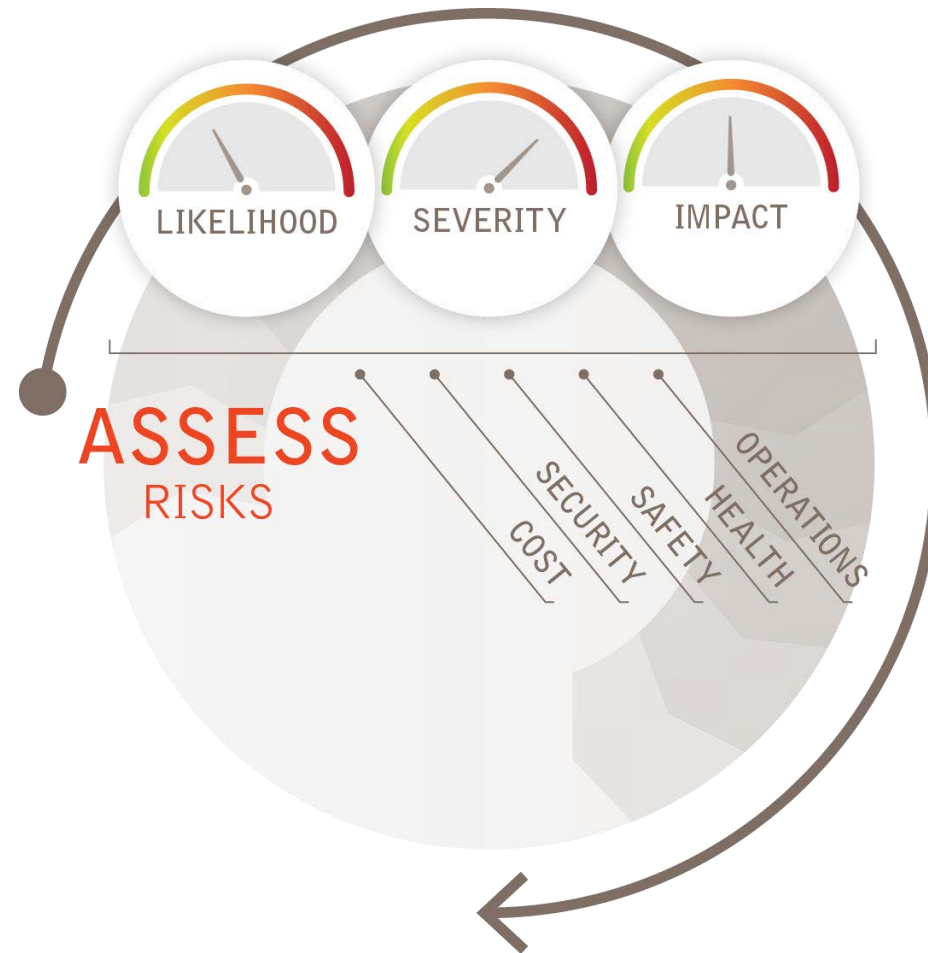


LOCAL POLLUTION

# What are the top risks at your institution?

- If you have a hazard mitigation/risk management plan for your institution, what are some of the top risks?
- Who are some of the stakeholders you could engage to identify or confirm top risks?





# What is the likelihood this risk will occur?

- What data might you use to understand this? Has it happened before? Somewhere nearby?
- Who are some of the stakeholders you could engage to identify likelihood?
- Are there risks that have low likelihood but are still of high concern because of the potential impact?

# What are the potential impacts?

- Human: possibility of death or injury
- Property/Assets: physical losses or damages, cost to replace/repair
- Business
  - Interruption of operating hours
  - Employees unable to work, students unable to get to campus (or leave campus)
  - Additional community members coming to campus for shelter
  - Interruption of critical supplies or services
- Who are some of the stakeholders you could engage to understand impacts?



# How prepared is your institution to respond?

- Infrastructure mitigation
- Staff training & response, supplies on hand
- Campus services response
- Outside services response (fire/police, insurance, contractors, etc.)
- Who are some of the stakeholders you could engage to understand current preparedness, and strengthen future preparedness?

# Takeaways & Discussion

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