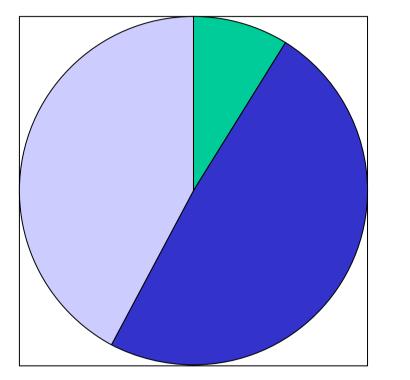
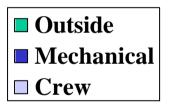
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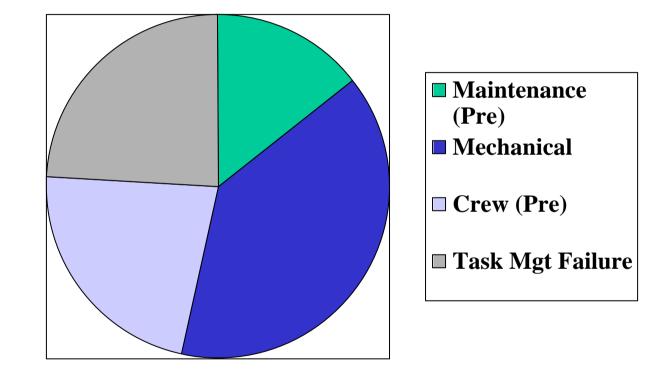
Norman MacLeod Turboteams

Piper Navajo - Event Primary Causal Factor





Piper Navajo - Maintenance and Crew Failure



What the hell is Situational Awareness?

- Origins in military fighter pilot training
- Re-badging existing concepts?

• Oh, all right then....SA is knowing where you are going to be and confirming that it is where you want to be....or doing something about it.

Stages in SA

- Assimilate Information
- Process Information
- Project Information

• And take the necessary action

Assimilating Information

- Cessna 208 Caravan
 - Ice on the aircraft
 - FOB asked 3 times if the pilot wanted aircraft deiced
 - Icing conditions forecast

Processing Information

- Fuel Management
 - Putting enough in
 - Using it properly

Projecting Information

- PA 31-350 11 Apr 99
 - Icy Runway
 - Tail wind

Precursors?

- Awareness of Risk
 PA31-350
- Awareness of Performance
 - Sightseeing (PA31-350, Cessna 208)
 - Payload (Malibu)

Solutions

- More CRM!
- Systems Knowledge
- Procedural Knowledge
- Performance Knowledge
- And more CRM....