

Downer Mining Services



Underground & Exploration Drilling



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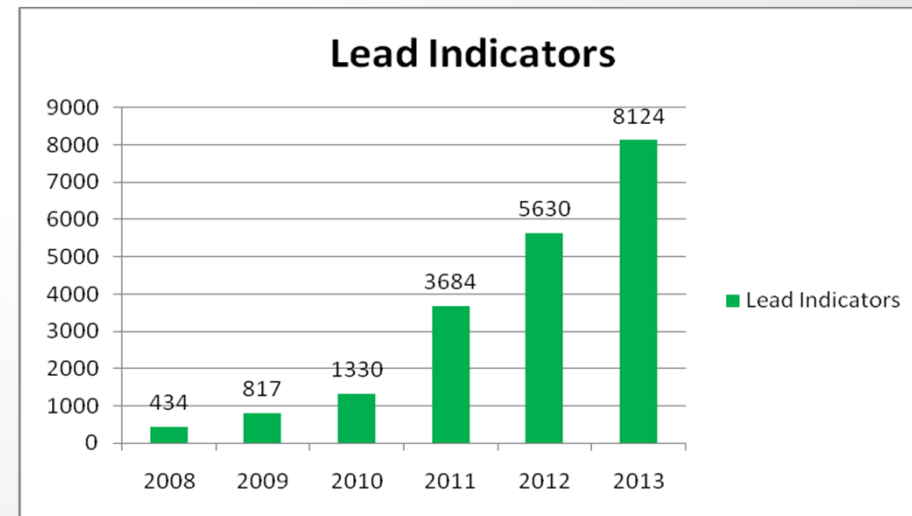
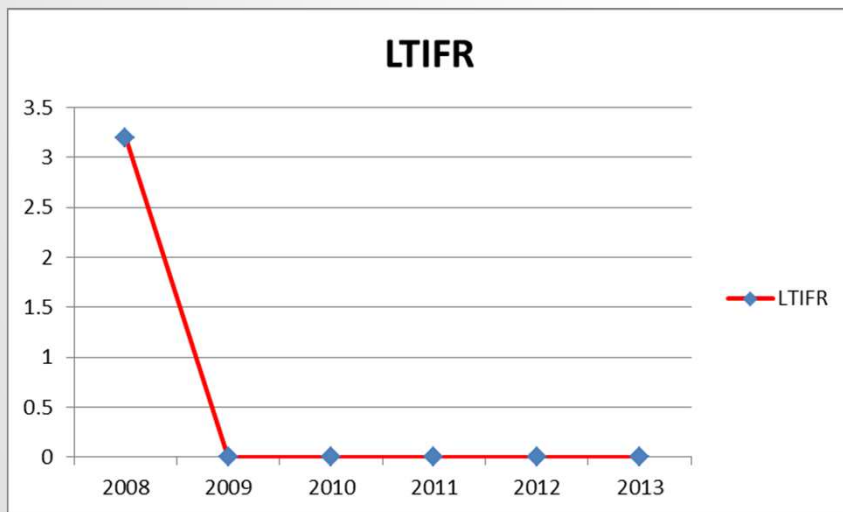
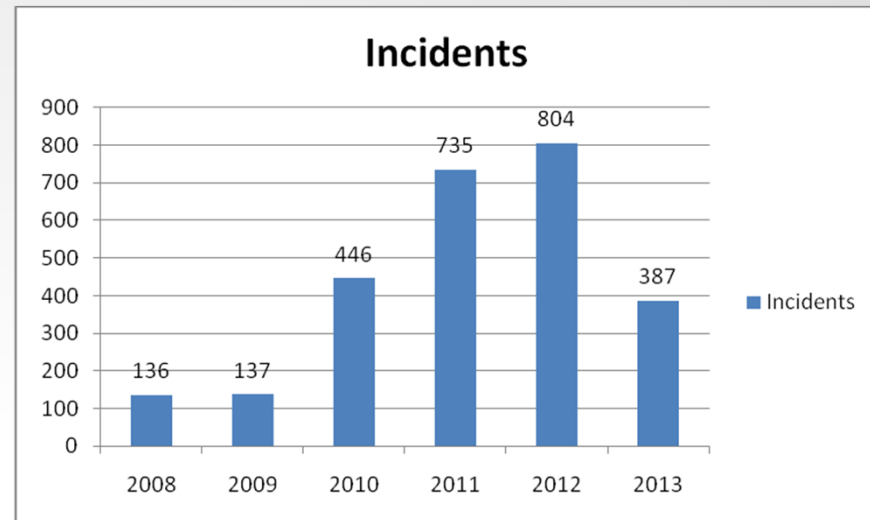
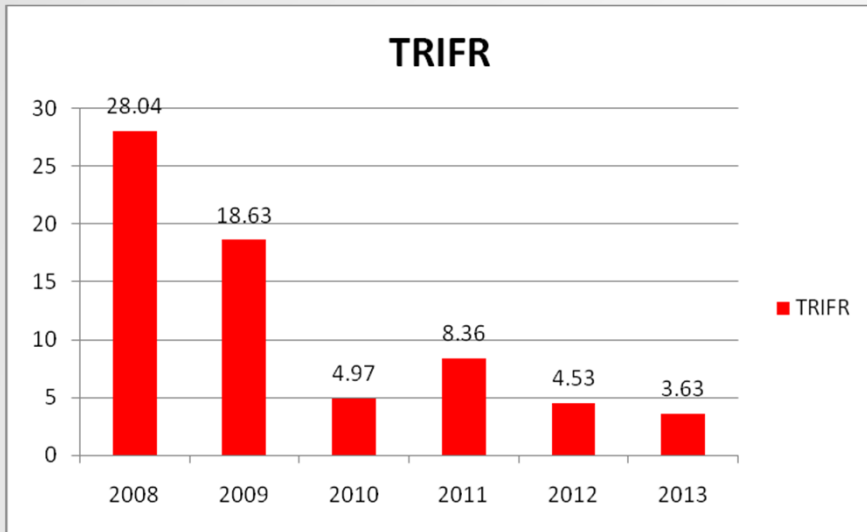
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› Critical Risk

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- Do we know how to prevent this?

Our Journey



When is enough to much

Ryan Bingham's

Empty Backpack Philosophy



People are the common theme

- The review of our safety management system identified people were one of the primary contributing causal factors. The list below summarise the more frequent contributing factors .

Inadequate hazard identification or hazard controls

Inadequate supervision

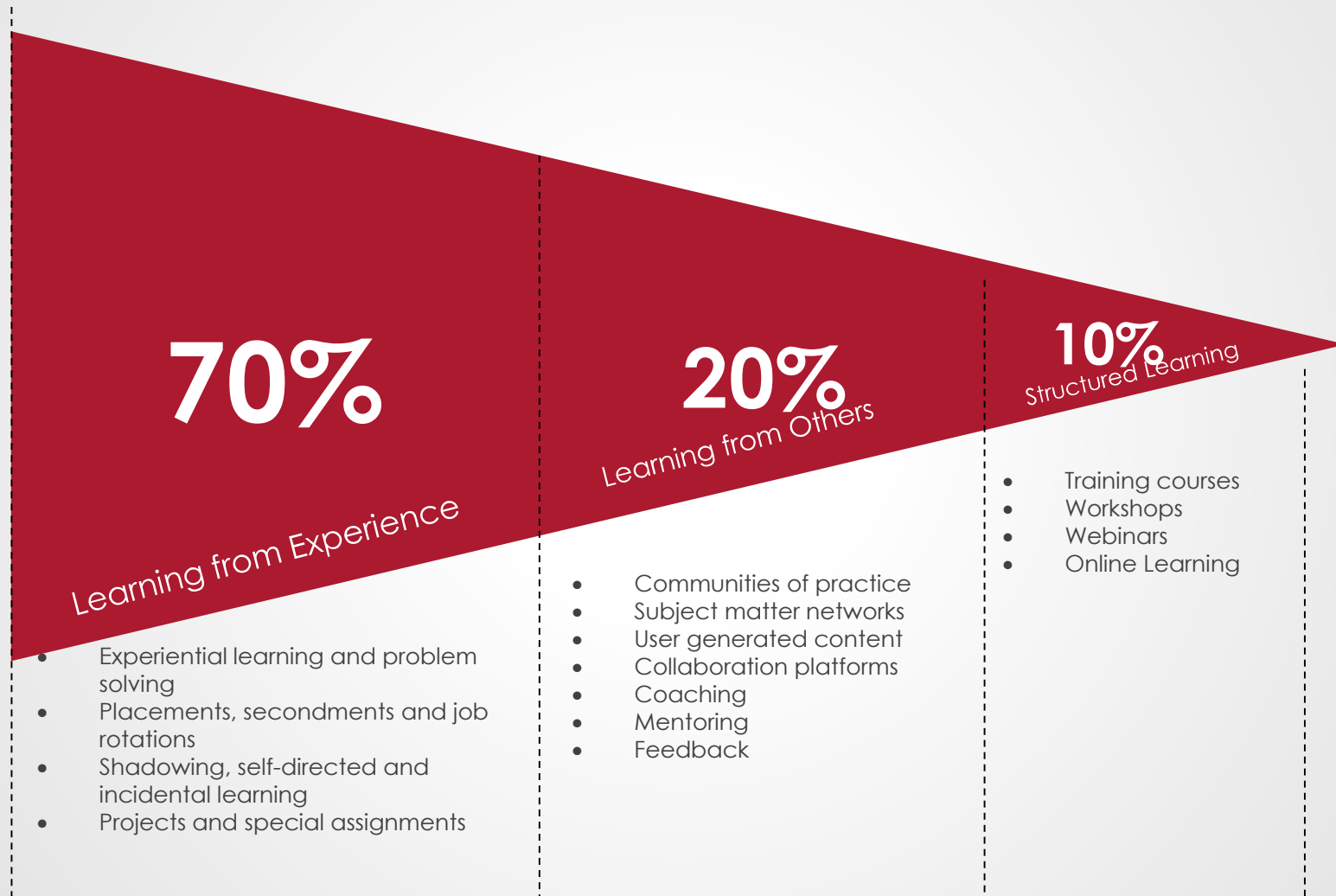
Inadequate work procedures

Improper decision making

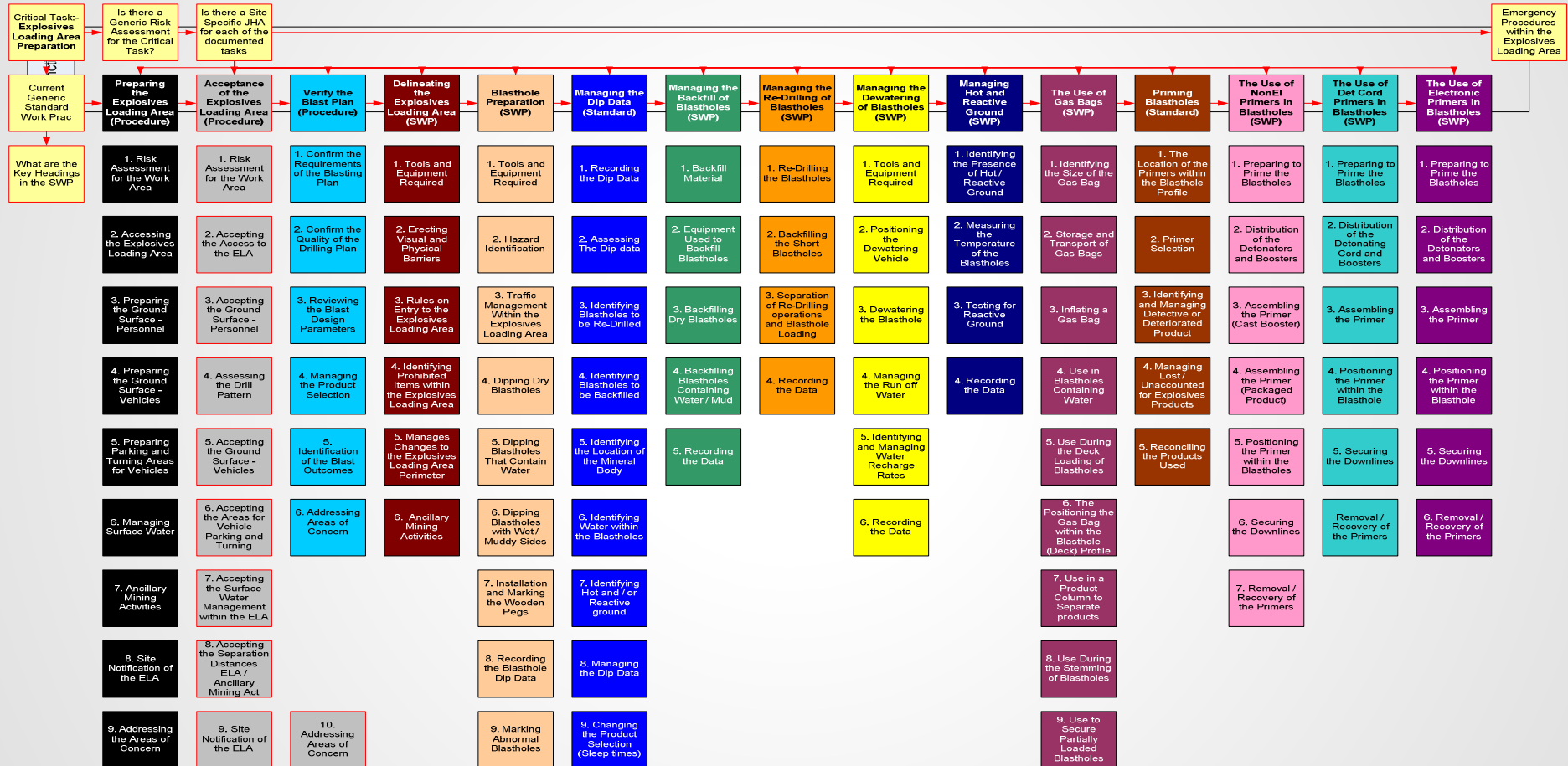
Unintentional violation

Inadequate training/competencies

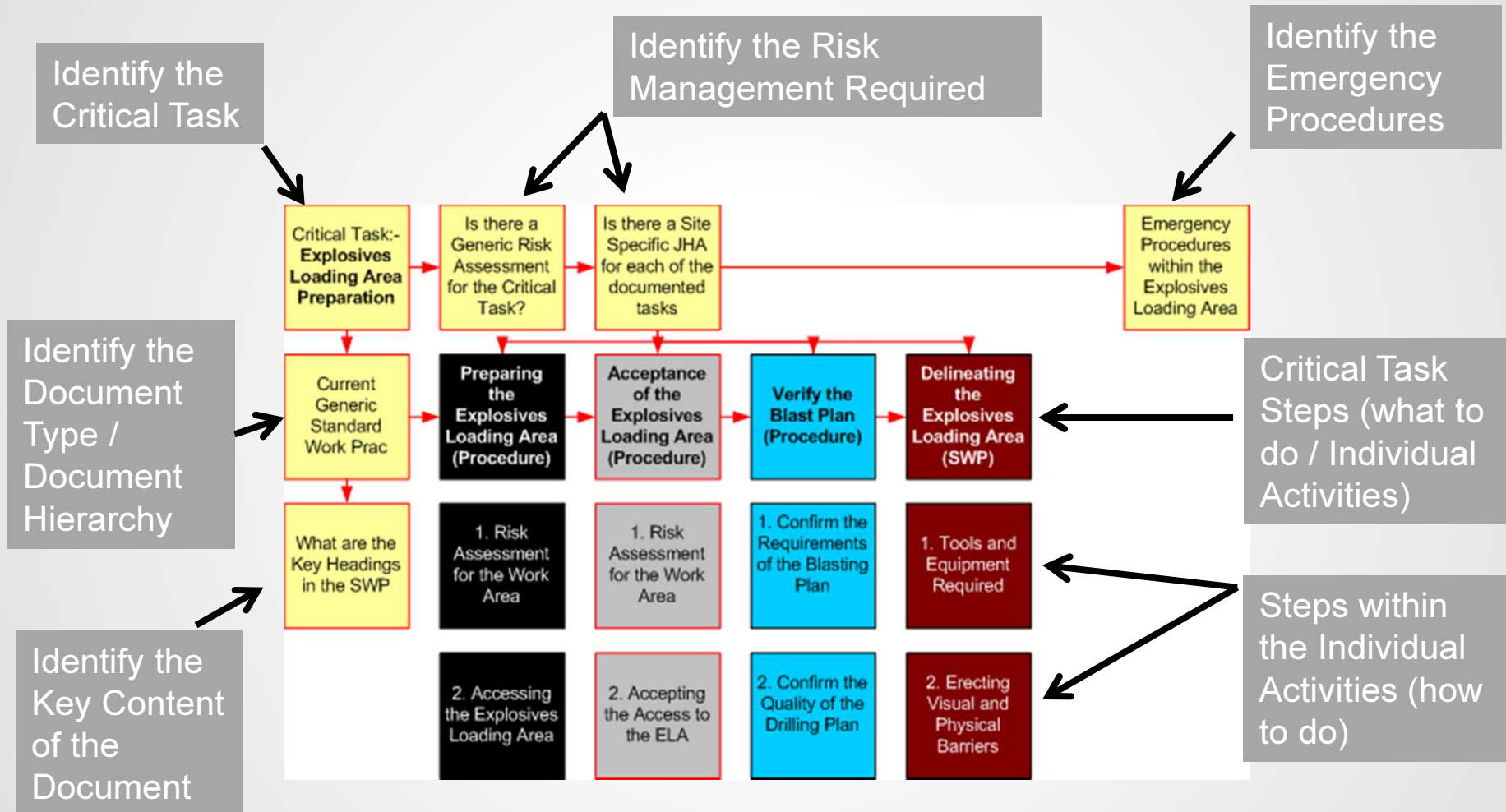
How we learn



Process Mapping



Key Aspects of Process Mapping



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Leadership

Before you're a leader, success is about growing yourself. When you're a leader, success is about growing others

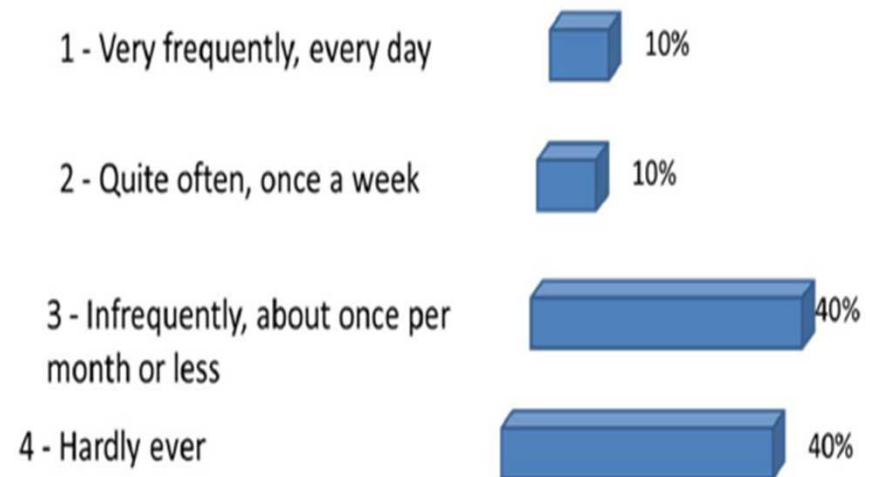
Jack Welch

Leadership Engagement

How often should you talk to workers?

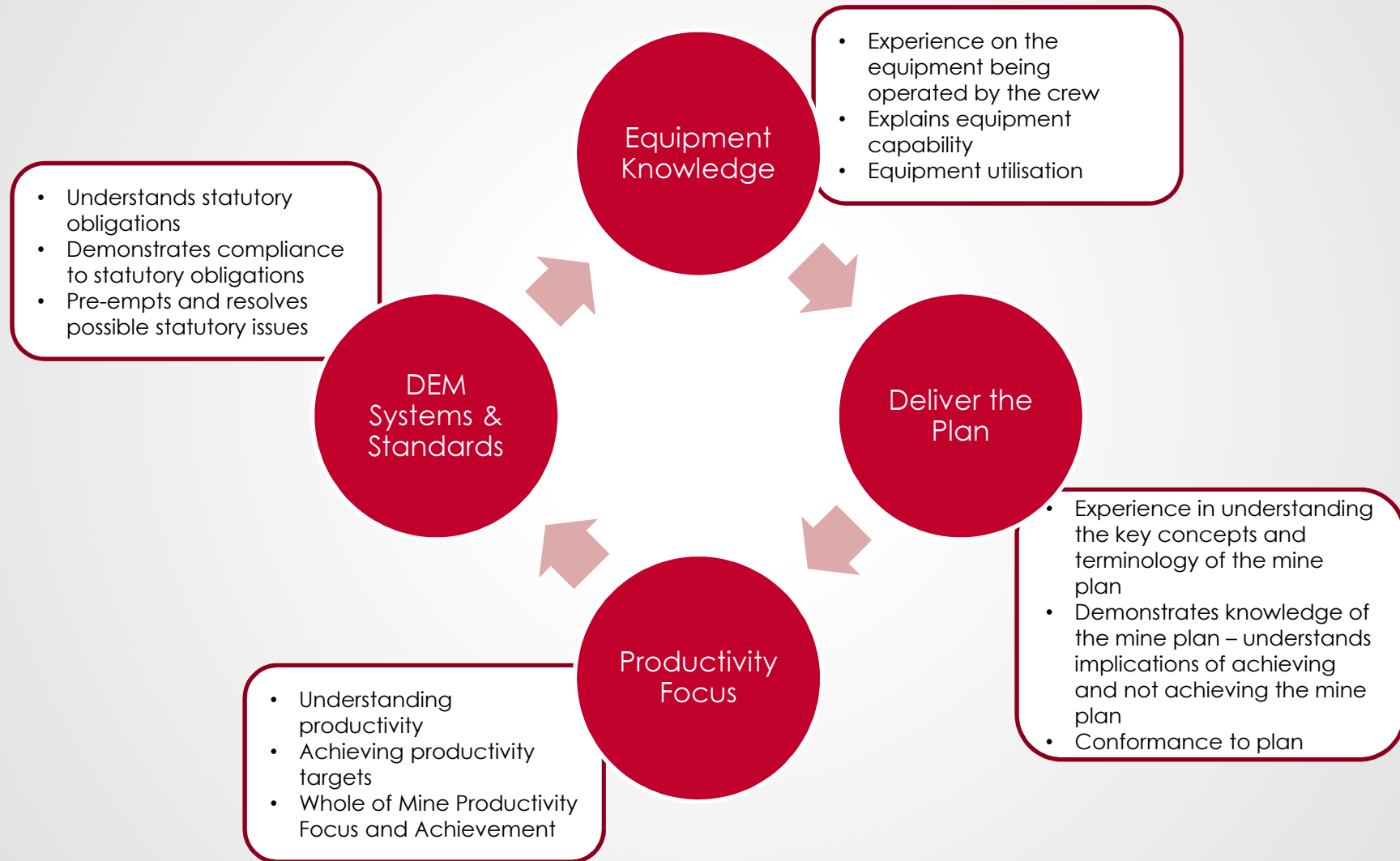
- ▶ Senior executives 1 hour per week
- ▶ Middle managers 1 hour per day
- ▶ Front line supervisors 30% of time

How often are management out on the shop floor

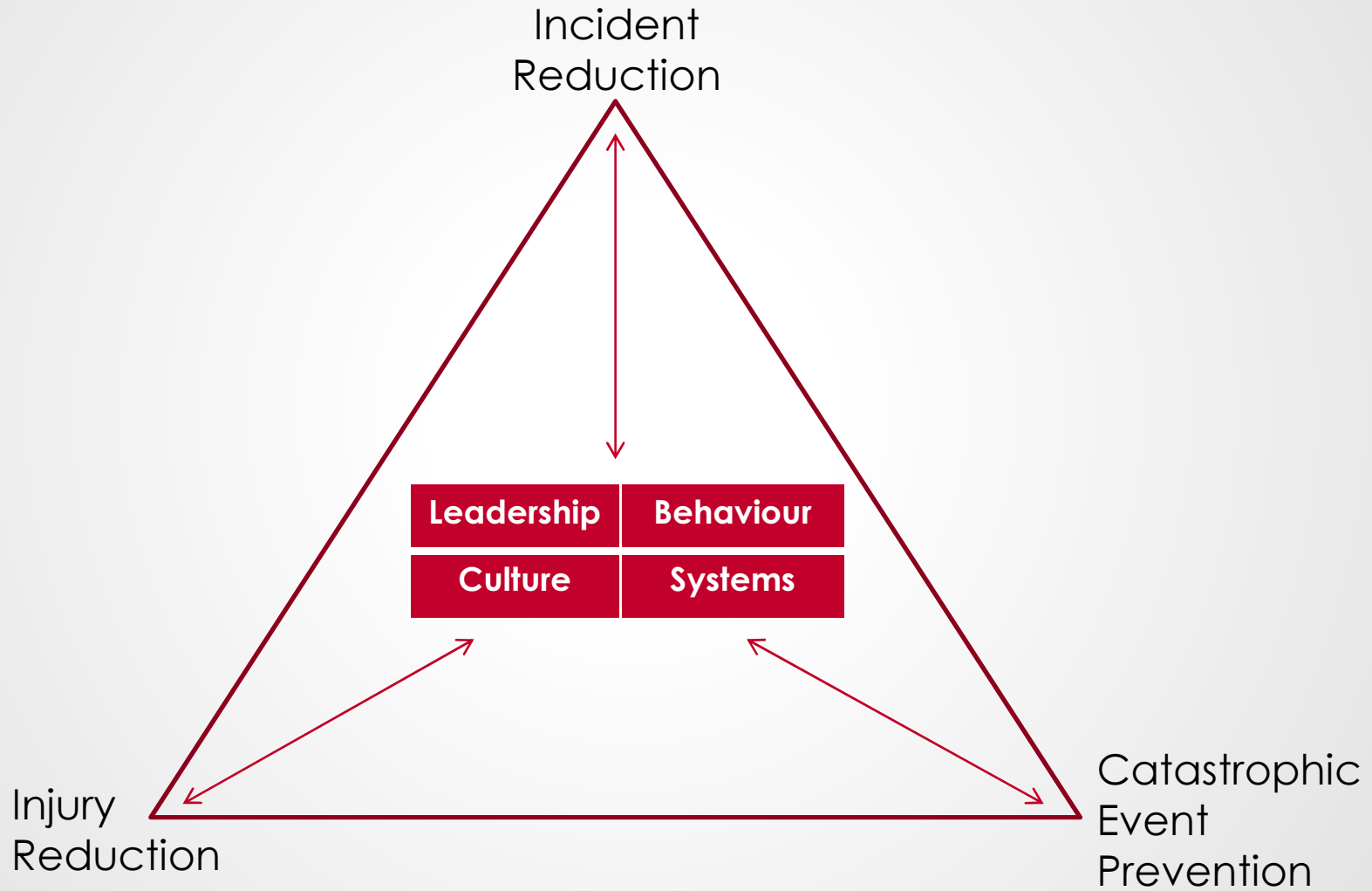


From Prof. Andrew Hopkins

Leadership Capability Framework



Leading the Change



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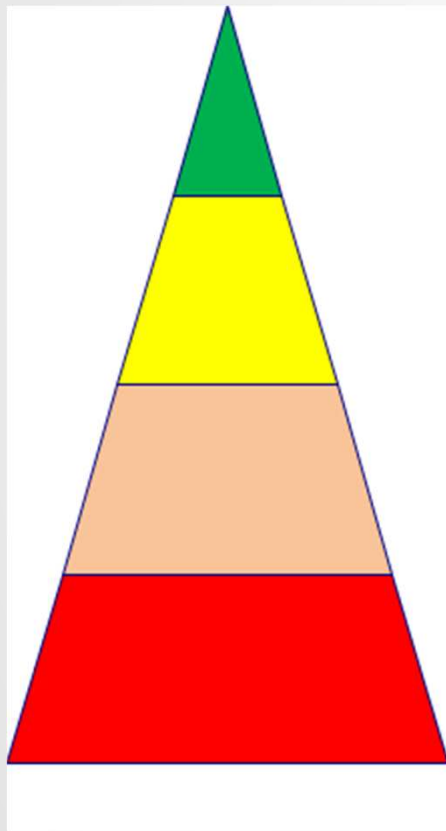
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Exposure verse Control

Critical Risk Exposure



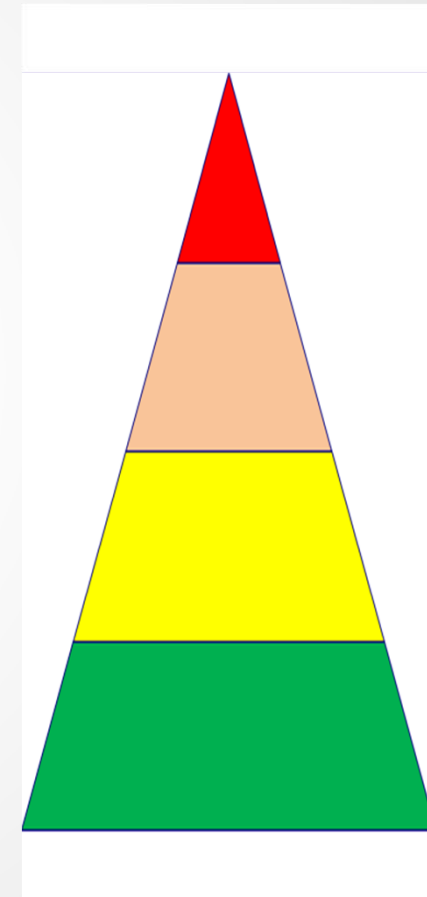
Senior Management

Operational Managers

Operational Supervisors

Workers

Decision Making Roles





HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES AND DANGEROUS GOODS

CRITICAL RISK 12

How We Expect to Operate

All hazardous chemicals and dangerous goods shall be approved by the project with their storage, handling, use and disposal undertaken consistent with the Manufacturer Safety Data Sheet & risk assessment requirements.

Critical Risk Factors

- Incompatible storage of hazardous chemicals/dangerous goods
- Unmarked hazardous chemicals/dangerous goods
- Handling and use requirements not followed in accordance with Safety Data Sheet/risk assessment
- Inappropriate disposal of hazardous chemicals/dangerous goods

Key Critical Risk Controls

1. Hazardous chemicals/dangerous goods on site are approved by the appointed Chemical Coordinator, labelled, and the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) readily available.
2. Personnel storing, handling, using or disposing of hazardous chemicals/dangerous goods follow the relevant SDS/procedural requirements, including the selection and use of appropriate PPE.
3. Chemicals and gasses that can react violently with each other are separated.
4. Buildings or cabinets used for flammable material or dangerous goods storage are free from defects and have adequate ventilation.



Non-compliance with Critical Risk Controls may lead to disciplinary action which may include termination of employment.



EXPLOSIVES MANAGEMENT

CRITICAL RISK 03

How We Expect to Operate

Explosives and explosive products are only handled by authorised personnel and are stored, used and managed securely to prevent unauthorised access and unintended detonation.

Critical Risk Factors

- Unauthorised handling, use or theft of explosives or explosive products
- Unauthorised access to explosive loading or explosion exclusion zones
- Unplanned firing of explosives
- Contact with, or incident involving explosive material

Key Critical Risk Controls

1. Explosives and explosive product are stored securely with facility keys secured from unauthorised access, and all stock are accounted for at all times.
2. Only authorised personnel handle or use explosives.
3. Explosive barricades placed in all areas where explosive are being loaded, preventing unauthorised entry into explosive loading areas.
4. Blast exclusion zones are effectively established and maintained (Cardinal Rule #5).
5. Explosives, blasting agents or detonators are transported in securely covered cases, bags or other containers that provide adequate safety, with clear signage that they are explosive, and they are lockable and securely fastened to the vehicle.
6. A pre-blast report is undertaken by the Shotfirer identifying compliance to the blast plan, and any required actions implemented necessary to avoid any unplanned events that may affect the blast.



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CRITICAL RISK TASK OBSERVATION

INX Ref:		Others involved:	
Project:			
Location:			
Observer:			
Date:	/ /		

Critical risk conformance		
Section	Number of compliances	Number of non-compliances
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
TOTAL		

How we expect to operate
Explosives and explosive products are only handled by authorised personnel and are stored, used and managed securely to prevent unauthorised access and unintended detonation.
Critical risk factors
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unauthorised handling, use or theft of explosives or explosive products Unauthorised access to explosive loading or explosion exclusion zones Unplanned firing of explosives Contact with, or incident involving explosive material

Checklist

Critical risk control	Compliant		Findings
	YES	NO	
1. Explosives and explosive product are stored securely, and are compliant with DEDIM and regulatory requirements.	YES	NO	Total compliant this section: YES ____ NO ____
Facility keys are secured from unauthorised access.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Safety Data Sheets are available for all Dangerous Goods.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Explosives/detonators are stored separately with their UN classification clearly labelled.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Explosive accessories are in their correct boxes & original packaging.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
The air space between the top of stacked packages and the ceiling of the magazine is not less than 300 mm.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Out of date products are clearly identified and separated.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Vents are not Blocked and have timber spacers on vents.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

CRITICAL RISK TASK OBSERVATION

Critical risk control	Compliant		Findings
	YES	NO	
All stock is accounted for at all times using the magazine record books by an authorised Magazine Keeper.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Fencing, gates and signage are in good condition and the facility is secure when left unattended, with persons unable to walk into the facility undetected.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2. Only authorised personnel handle or use explosives.	YES	NO	Total compliant this section: YES ____ NO ____
All persons handling, or using explosive material are can be identified as authorised by the project.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3. Explosive barricades placed in all areas where explosive are being loaded, preventing unauthorised entry into explosive loading areas.	YES	NO	Total compliant this section: YES ____ NO ____
All boundary protection is in place prior to the commencement of delivery of any explosives or accessories.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Signage is a minimum distance of 10 metres away from any hole on the shot that will be loaded.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Windrows are placed where physical barriers are required and are flagged / coned, and adequate lighting is provided in hours of darkness.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Blast Cones that are yellow with a reflective sleeve are placed around the shot at a maximum of 10 metres intervals.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Flagging is used where additional visibility is required, e.g. delineation of boundary adjacent to working equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Red Flashing Lights are used where shots are sleeping overnight, placed at all accesses and around the shot perimeter at a maximum of 50 metre intervals.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Areas containing misfired holes are treated as an Explosives Loading Area and have boundary protection established until rectified including red flashing lights where left overnight.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Only persons authorised under the security enter the shot, and contact is made with the Shotfirer prior to entering the Explosives Loading Area.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
4. Blast exclusion zones are effectively established and maintained (Cardinal Rule #5).	YES	NO	Total compliant this section: YES ____ NO ____
All means of access to Blast exclusion zones are guarded to prevent entry.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
An audible signal/communication process is undertaken before and during the firing activity.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Crest limits are delineated to prevent over digging into a loaded shot.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Conclusion

- 5 Years LTI Free is a commendable achievement
- The next step in our journey is to focus on:
 - **Critical Risk Task Observations**
 - **Simple effective Safety Management Systems**
 - **Effective Training Systems**
 - **Leadership**



QUESTIONS

