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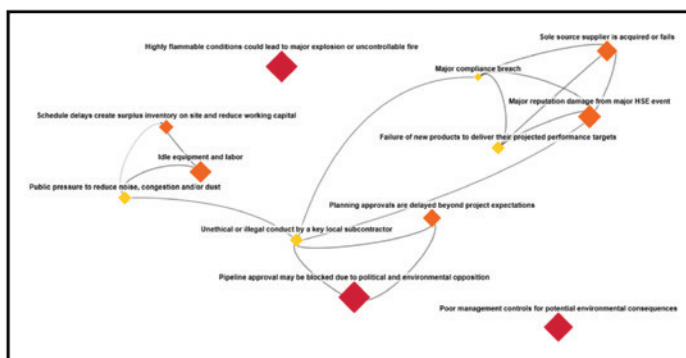
ARM Risk Connectivity

Do you understand the risk connections that can impact your strategy, reputation and performance?

ARM Risk Connectivity enables you to go beyond static 'Top Ten Risks' lists to identify and act on the risks and connections which really threaten your business. It helps you avoid risk surprises and chain reactions which can impact all levels of the organization.

We all instinctively know that if one risk happens then this could trigger others. Yet the limitations of traditional risk management tools and spreadsheet solutions have ignored this reality. Their ability to present only static 'Top Ten Risk' reports leaves decision makers at the mercy of risk surprises. CEOs and management teams are left exposed by the domino effect which sees one, often small, risk start a catastrophic chain reaction.

ARM Risk Connectivity means that for the first time the connections between risks become visible. It highlights where to focus further analysis and resources. It exposes the 'Black Swans' and highly connected risks that often don't make it onto the corporate radar, yet can have the greatest impact.



In the past your management team might just have focused on the largest risks which made it to their 'Top Risks' reports (e.g. those shown in red above). ARM Risk Connectivity provides deeper insight. It shows risks that are highly connected which might act as catalysts for other clusters of risks. In this example, the "Unethical or illegal conduct" risk is quite small yet deserves deeper investigation as it is highly connected. Mitigating such risks can help stop disastrous chain reactions.

ARM Risk Connectivity is unique. It helps you visualize the risk picture right across your business and supply chain.

ARM Risk Connectivity enables you to:

- Go beyond static Top Ten Risk List reports
- Present risks to senior management in a highly visual way to aid understanding
- Focus on highly connected risks to minimize the domino effect
- Identify duplicate risks across the business & supply chain so you only need to mitigate once
- See Black Swan - high impact/low probability risks
- See risk clusters so a shared treatment plan can be developed to mitigate risks cost effectively
- Drill down into the underlying risk, control and treatment details to ensure your plans are working

How does ARM Risk Connectivity work?

ARM Risk Connectivity uses sophisticated algorithms to analyze and visualize the risk information held in the corporate Active Risk Manager risk register. It adds a third dimension of 'connectedness' to risks, beyond the usual probability and impact scoring.

No software tool can replace management experience and insight, however ARM Risk Connectivity uniquely highlights risk connections and consequences in a way that has not been possible before. ARM Risk Connectivity was developed by Active Risk in conjunction with academics working with the UK Universities of Bath and Bristol.

*ARM Risk Connectivity makes identifying and acting on strategic risks **simple, valuable and personal.***

- Simple** risks are presented visually with instant drill down to the detail
- Valuable** it's easy to see the connections between risks with the biggest impact on reputation, strategy and performance
- Personal** filter the data to zero-in on the risks that are important to you at enterprise, program, project and role-based levels

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