

# **Creating Solutions through Location-based Analytics**



Future **forward** 

### **Objective**

- Using location based analytics, create underwriting efficiencies through data and predictive analytics
- Address the business problem holistically rather than strictly as an exercise in numbers
- Bring underwriting, actuarial and modeling together to create a complete solution
- Key areas of focus
  - Define the problem & demonstrate the vision
  - Design the solution
  - Implement the program



### **The Business Problem**

Example - Large Inspection Expenditures

- 1. "We need to reduce our inspection expenses, while keeping our risk exposure low."
- 2. "We are growing our business, but cannot increase our inspection budget to inspect every property like we once did."











### **The Business Problem**

Large Inspection Expenditures

When it comes to how underwriters want to design their inspection program, there are multiple options available, each with a clear benefit and drawback

Option	Approach	Example	Benefit	Downside
1	Physical, on-site inspection on every property	Boots on the ground: External Internal & External	Complete view of every risk	Costly; ordering inspections on low risk properties
2	Business Rules	Built prior to 1987	<ul><li>Simple, lower cost</li><li>Easy to implement &amp; monitor</li></ul>	Many homes built later than 1987 have significant risk
3	Advanced Analytics	Generalized Linear Models Machine Learning - Decision Trees, Random Forest, etc.	<ul> <li>Further differentiate low and high risk</li> <li>Targeted program: Inspect high risk, do not inspect low risk</li> <li>Measurable</li> </ul>	Black box Some error, miss risks
4	Virtual Imagery	Aerial & Satellite MLS for Interior	<ul> <li>Inspections at an UW'rs desk</li> </ul>	At times imagery is not existent, outdated, or poor quality



## **Demonstrate the Vision**

Optimization



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A multifaceted program demonstrates to underwriting management the solution is not onesize-fits-all.

There are design options that leverage all the **data**, **technology and analytics capabilities** available in the market.

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# **Design the Solution**



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### **Explore the Data**

- What is the origin?
- How does it relate to risk?





### **Location Analytics – Geocoding accuracy**

- To get the most out of Location analytics, you first need to make sure you have the correct location
  - Matching the address to the actual "parcel" that corresponds to the address
    - Parcel centroids very close match for most residential
    - Street level matches and/or interpolation may not be close
  - Multiple buildings on a parcel?



#### **Geocode Comparison**





#### **Parcels as the Relational Link**

Geocode	
Latitude	25.898951
Longitude	-80.126806
Address Line	276 BAL BAY DR
City/State Zip	MIAMI BEACH FL 33154
PxPoint Data Set	PARCEL
Elevation, Slope, and Aspect	
Elevation (Feet)	1.31
Slope (Degrees)	0
Aspect	Flat
Mainland Determination & Distance	
Distance to Seaward Water Feature	101 feet
Seaward Water Feature Name	Biscayne Bay
Mainland: Yes or No	No
Coastal Storm Surge	
Risk Value	5
Risk Level	Extreme
Hurricane Landfall Probability	
% Tropical Storm Risk (Winds 39 - 73mph)	5.3
% Tropical Storm Risk (50-yr)	93.5
% Hurricane Risk (Cat 1-5 Storms)	1.6
% Hurricane Risk (50-yr)	56.3
% Intense Hurricane Risk (Cat 3-5 Storms)	0.4
% Intense Hurr. Risk (50-yr)	19.9
Flood Risk	
Flood Hazard Zone	AE
Undeveloped Coastal Barrier Area	COBRA_OUT
Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA)	IN
Damaging Winds	
Straight Line Wind (SLW) Risk	Moderate
SLW Frequency	1 Event Every 4 - 6 Years
Hurricane Risk	Very High
Hurricane Frequency	1 Event Every 3 - 5 Years
Tornado Risk	Moderate
Tornado Frequency	1 Event every 5 - 8 Years
Sinkhole	
Risk	Low
Distance to Very High Sinkhole Risk	Greater than 10 miles
Wildfire Risk	
Brushfire Risk	Urban
Nearest high-risk value	Very High
Distance to High/Very High	>1 mile
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• The Parce Number (PII	l Identification N) or Address links								
the physical parcel to real estate									
• Latitude/Longitude links the									
hazard risk and reg. compliance									
data to the	parcel.								
Parce	Information								
PIN:	1222260022310								
Address Line:	276 BAL BAY DR								
BAL HARBOUR FL									
City/ State/ Zip:	33154								
Latitude:	25.898951								
Longitude:	-80.126806								

PIN:	1222260022310
Property Address:	276 BAL BAY DR
Owner:	BEV SIEVERT
Land Value:	\$9,892,934
Building Value:	\$2,349,327
Market Value:	\$12,242,261
Assessed Value:	\$9,375,066
Adj Sq Footage:	9,988
Year Built:	1977
Bedrooms:	9
Baths:	10
Stories:	2
Living Units: 2	2
Adj Sq Footage:	9,988
Lot Size (Sq Ft):	46,279
Year Built:	1977
Construction:	Composite
Pool:	In Ground
Roof Cover:	Tile





#### **Location Analytics – Natural Hazards**

- Once you build a scientific model to estimate Natural Catastrophe Hazard risk, if the model is working properly it should identify locations with higher risk of loss
  - Frequency
  - Severity
- Validating models provide analytics that translate into Underwriting and Pricing decisions
  - Underwriting: Using the model to identify high risk locations, along with other underwriting variables, to make risk selection
  - Pricing: using the model to identify which locations have higher, or lower estimated annual losses



#### Location Analytics – Wildfire Risk Score

 CoreLogic Wildfire Risk score: 1-100 score that assesses the Wildfire risk at any location for Western states with the highest incidence of damaging Wildfires

Single F	amily Residences	s in Wildfire S	States			
	Low	Moderate	High	Very High		%
<u>State</u>	<u>1-50</u>	<u>51-60</u>	<u>61-80</u>	<u>81-100</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Very High</u>
AZ	1,919,351	14,308	27,159	19,578	1,980,396	0.99%
CA	8,286,708	133,654	367,457	263,319	9,051,138	2.91%
СО	1,454,787	52,823	122,509	128,348	1,758,467	7.30%
ID	476,310	9,554	27,868	43,423	557,155	7.79%
MT	243,990	13,114	27,301	32,348	316,753	10.21%
NM	523,755	14,487	32,139	39,871	610,252	6.53%
NV	848,682	2,337	9,184	7,237	867,440	0.83%
ОК	1,250,888	1,431	2,219	735	1,255,273	0.06%
OR	1,091,300	22,616	46,655	79,799	1,240,370	6.43%
ТХ	6,458,363	197,548	487,247	451,848	7,595,006	5.95%
UT	693,256	14,713	24,311	8,845	741,125	1.19%
WA	2,192,567	8,662	17,001	21,139	2,239,369	0.94%
WY	<u>176,983</u>	<u>1,766</u>	<u>2,764</u>	<u>4,641</u>	<u>186,154</u>	<u>2.49%</u>
Total	25,616,940	487,013	1,193,814	1,101,131	28,398,898	3.88%



#### Location Analytics – Wildfire Risk Score

- Sample Fire results: higher risk areas surrounding known fire events
  - 10.9% of the locations were "very high" risk with score 81-100
  - 69.6% of locations damaged were "very high" risk

Wildfire Risk Score	TX Bast	rop	CA Sta	tion	CO Four	rMile	Black Fo	orest	Waldo C	anyon	Yarnell	Hill	Tota	l
<u>Range</u>	<u>Tot #</u>	<u># dam</u>												
1-10	2	-	43,849	2	1,482	-	227	-	-	-	-	-	45,560	2
11-20	1	-	660	-	4	-	383	-	-	-	-	-	1,048	-
21-30	382	-	18,321	-	787	-	348	-	80	-	19	-	19,937	-
31-40	1,446	-	16,820	-	1,024	-	647	-	478	-	224	-	20,639	-
41-50	1,553	-	13,609	18	652	-	677	-	1,895	33	436	-	18,822	51
51-60	1,130	7	5,514	16	217	-	282	-	1,355	101	255	3	8,753	127
61-70	2,201	33	6,110	26	291	-	326	-	2,421	125	517	52	11,866	236
71-80	3,245	231	5,109	93	231	3	695	13	3,437	99	323	22	13,040	461
81-90	5,394	853	2,199	54	1,378	43	2,675	363	191	26	289	44	12,126	1,383
91-100	1,838	347	492	28	848	112	1,232	112	15		606	26	5,031	625
	17,192	1,471	112,683	237	6,914	158	7,492	488	9,872	384	2,669	147	156,822	2,885
% in 81-100 range	42.1%	81.6%	2.4%	34.6%	32.2%	98.1%	52.1%	97.3%	2.1%	6.8%	33.5%	47.6%	10.9%	69.6%



### Location Analytics – Wildfire Risk Score

- Sample Fire results: Risk of damage increases with score
  - Locations with scores 81-100 (very High) are over 6 times more likely to be damaged





Creating the Risk Scores

- Leverage the best of the carrier's existing data
- Leverage the most accurate property & location data through content providers
- Advanced analytic techniques:
  - Generalized Linear Models
  - Machine Learning such as Decision Trees or XGBoost
- Demonstrate the value of a more complex model using cross validation and test sets



#### GLMs or Machine Learning Techniques

- 1. Develop model on training set
- 2. Use cross-validation
  - Assess performance
- 3. Apply to model holdout/test dataset
  - Assess performance
  - Performance difference between cross-validated and test datasets





#### Model Performance – Test Dataset





The Financial Benefit

Benefit of An Optimized Inspe	ction Program	
	Current	Optimized
New Business Volume	30,000	30,000
Inspection Volume	100% 30,000	80% <sup>1</sup> 24,000
Percent of Inspections with condition issues	30%	37%
<ul><li>Cost per Inspection</li><li>1. Imagery and pre-fill data</li><li>2. Boots-on-the-ground</li></ul>	\$5 - \$10 \$30	
<ul><li>Inspection Type Allocation</li><li>1. Imagery and pre-fill data</li><li>2. Boots-on-the-ground</li></ul>	100%	40% <sup>2</sup> 40% <sup>3</sup>
Total Inspection Program Cost	\$900,000	\$384,000
Loss Mitigated	\$3.2M	\$3.1M <sup>4</sup>

- Using data and advanced analytics, create a risk score for every property. Ignore the lowest 20 percent risk which is not where inspection dollars need to be spent
- 2. Collect current, high-quality imagery—usually available 40 percent of the time—from an appropriate source.
- 3. Where high-quality, current imagery is unavailable and the risk score is high, send an inspector to physically inspect the property.
- 4. For less than half the cost, a carrier could mitigate the same amount of claims. Claims mitigation = inspection volume \* percent with issues \* \$7,000 (avg. claim amt.) \* 5% (percent to incur claims)







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Design the Solution

1. What is the risk score for each property? If bottom 20%, No Inspection

<b>Policy ID</b>	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP	Inspection Risk Score	<b>Recent Imagery Available</b>	Lowest 20%	Workflow
12	2 3650 Wood Lenhart Rd SW	Warren	ОН	44481	0.197	Y	Y	No Inspection
14	633 Prouty Ave	Toledo	ОН	43609	0.080	Ν	Y	No Inspection
15	5 175 EMERY RD	DingmansFerry	PA	18328	0.114	N	Y	No Inspection
16	5 2222 Pinefield Rd	Waldorf	MD	20601	0.062	N	Y	No Inspection

#### 2. Is recent imagery available? If yes, Virtual Inspection

1	10590 Colony Glen Dr	Alpharetta	GA	30022	0.912	Y	Ν	Virtual Inspection
3	110 FORREST DR	Marion	AR	72364	0.767	Y	Ν	Virtual Inspection
4	372 N MATTESON LAKE RD	Bronson	MI	49028	0.421	Y	Ν	Virtual Inspection
5	1657 Rice Sq	Lithonia	GA	30058	0.463	Y	Ν	Virtual Inspection
6	656 DUKE AVE	Odessa	ТΧ	79765	0.557	Y	Ν	Virtual Inspection

#### 3. Top 80% scores and no imagery? Physical Inspection

2	17 Malby Ave	Massena	NY	13662	0.486	Ν	Ν	Physical Inspection
7	2303 Spenrock Ct	Lewisville	ТΧ	75077	0.640	N	Ν	Physical Inspection
8	11215 Bramshill Dr	Alpharetta	GA	30022	0.440	N	Ν	Physical Inspection
9	747 Greenwood Ave	Clarksville	TN	37040	0.377	Ν	Ν	<b>Physical Inspection</b>
11	4 MISTY DALE WAY	Gaithersburg	MD	20877	0.396	Ν	Ν	<b>Physical Inspection</b>
17	25 Stangel Dr	Woodbourne	NY	12788	0.748	N	Ν	<b>Physical Inspection</b>



Iterate Through the Process

- Identify and address questions from decision makers and key stakeholders
- Recognize business needs vary, demonstrate flexibility
  - Business rule overlays
  - Analysis on key relationships / data drivers in the model

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Business Rule: Inspect when High+ Wildfire Risk

Design the Solution

- Understand workflows & create workflow options
  - How do we create the most low touch, high accuracy process?
  - What are the major decision points within the workflow?





Send to offshore team, collect imagery, review



Send to inspection company for boot-on-the-ground

- What is the end user experience? Does the workflow help the user experience?
  - What data is needed in the model and when in the workflow is it available?
  - Integrate at time of quote OR at time of application



Batch Scoring (Renewal)





Solution Support

- Ongoing solution maintenance and support
  - Waterfall reports: Policies coming through the process and how they shake out
  - Risk Analysis: Is the incoming risk profile similar to analysis data profile?
- Monitor performance
  - Establish control groups
  - Hitting target action
  - Model recalibration







# **Questions?**



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