

# ORGANISATION CULTURE & ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT

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# Outline of the session



- ✧ Organisation Culture; Definition and characteristics
- ✧ ERM Framework & Implementation Process
- ✧ Drivers of ERM
- ✧ Integrating ERM into the organisational culture
- ✧ Importance of developing a risk aware culture
- ✧ Barriers to developing a risk aware culture
- ✧ Role of Internal Audit in ERM

# Culture



- ◆ The arts and other manifestations of human intellectual achievement regarding collectively

*Arts :humanities : intellectual achievements*

- ◆ The ideas, customs and social behaviour of a **particular** people or society

*Civilization: society: lifestyle: customs*

- ◆ The values and behaviours that “contribute to the unique social and psychological environment of a society”

*unique: values: behaviour: social*

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# What's Organisation Culture?



Shared Values and Behaviours that guide the employees towards acceptable and rewarding behaviour

It includes;

- Organisation expectations
- Experiences
- Philosophy

...and Values that hold it together

# Factors considered in O.C.



- ✧ Self-Image
- ✧ Inner-workings
- ✧ Interactions with the outside world
- ✧ Future expectations

Based on

- Attitudes
- Beliefs
- Customs

.....and written and un-written rules that have been developed over time and are considered valid

# In life situations



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# Manifestation on Culture



- ✧ What I think of the place/organisation – based one where I come from “location” to “Location”
- ✧ Traits that I developed as I grew-up – “past” versus “present”
- ✧ The past influencing the present – how we behave, talk, social status, performance in the society
- ✧ It creates “superiority” versus “inferiority”, “them” versus “us”
- ✧ Creates an area for comparisons, comparatives, and a “competitive edge”

# How does it Exist in O.C.



Two distinctive levels

## 1) Visible

- Artifacts – Rituals/ceremonies – induction, corporate functions, offsite meetings,
- symbols and slogans – recognition and awards, “get it right first time”, “Customer First”, “More for Less”.
- Stories based on past events, symbols and visible employee’s behaviours

# How does it Exist in O.C.



## 2) Hidden

- Values – these can only be tested based on collective opinion about the experiences
- Ethics – Code of moral principal. These can only be tested by commitment and career development
- Empowerment – social culture and structure of organisation. Control/Decision and responsibility
- Assumptions – end up becoming silent law that governs the behaviour of the employees

# What influences O.C.



- ✧ Purpose
- ✧ Environment
- ✧ Technology
- ✧ Size

# Types of O.C.



There are four most common and identifiable organisational cultures that are based on Structural control and environmental focus

- ✧ Entrepreneurial
- ✧ Market
- ✧ Clan
- ✧ Bureaucratic

# 1) Bureaucratic



- ✧ Stable environment and has hierarchal control structure
- ✧ Lots of processes, rules and policies guide the day to day operations
- ✧ Leadership focus is on efficiency, predictability and low cost
- ✧ Concentration is on internal factors

## 2) Clan



- ✧ Its flexible with internal focus
- ✧ Encourages Employees participation and often prides itself of taking exceptional care on its employees
- ✧ Creates strong sense of identity in its employees and empowers them by having a horizon structure
- ✧ Leadership values loyalty and traditions

### 3) Market



- ✧ Organisation has clear financial and sales goals with make focus on customer satisfaction
- ✧ The external environment is not rapidly changing thus stable but demands efficiency
- ✧ The internal culture is competitive and demanding
- ✧ Success is measured by market share penetration



## 4) Entrepreneurial



- ✧ The organisation purpose is differentiation
- ✧ Strive in innovation and competition
- ✧ Control structure is horizontal and most of the time its small in size
- ✧ Depends a lot of research and development
- ✧ Culture encourages risk taking, values new ideas and is quick to detect and react to external changes

# EXERCISE 1



Identify one company

Indicate the type of organisation  
culture it has

Justify the type, giving examples

# In summary



- ✧ The way the organisation conducts its business, treats employees, customers and the other stakeholders
- ✧ Extend to which freedom is allowed in decision making, in developing new ideas and personal expression
- ✧ The power and information flow through hierarchy
- ✧ How committed are the employees towards collective objectives

# Why do we need O.C.



- ✧ Common identity – Collective identity that goes beyond individual or personal aspirations
- ✧ Guidance - good working relations and promotes ethical communication
- ✧ Justification of actions – actions are dependant on precedence's and are understood by management

# Reflection!



- ✧ Would the culture of the society affect an organisation growth?
- ✧ Would the culture of an organisation affect another competing organisation?
- ✧ Would the culture of the organisation determine it's growth and profitability?



# ERM Framework

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# Implementation Process

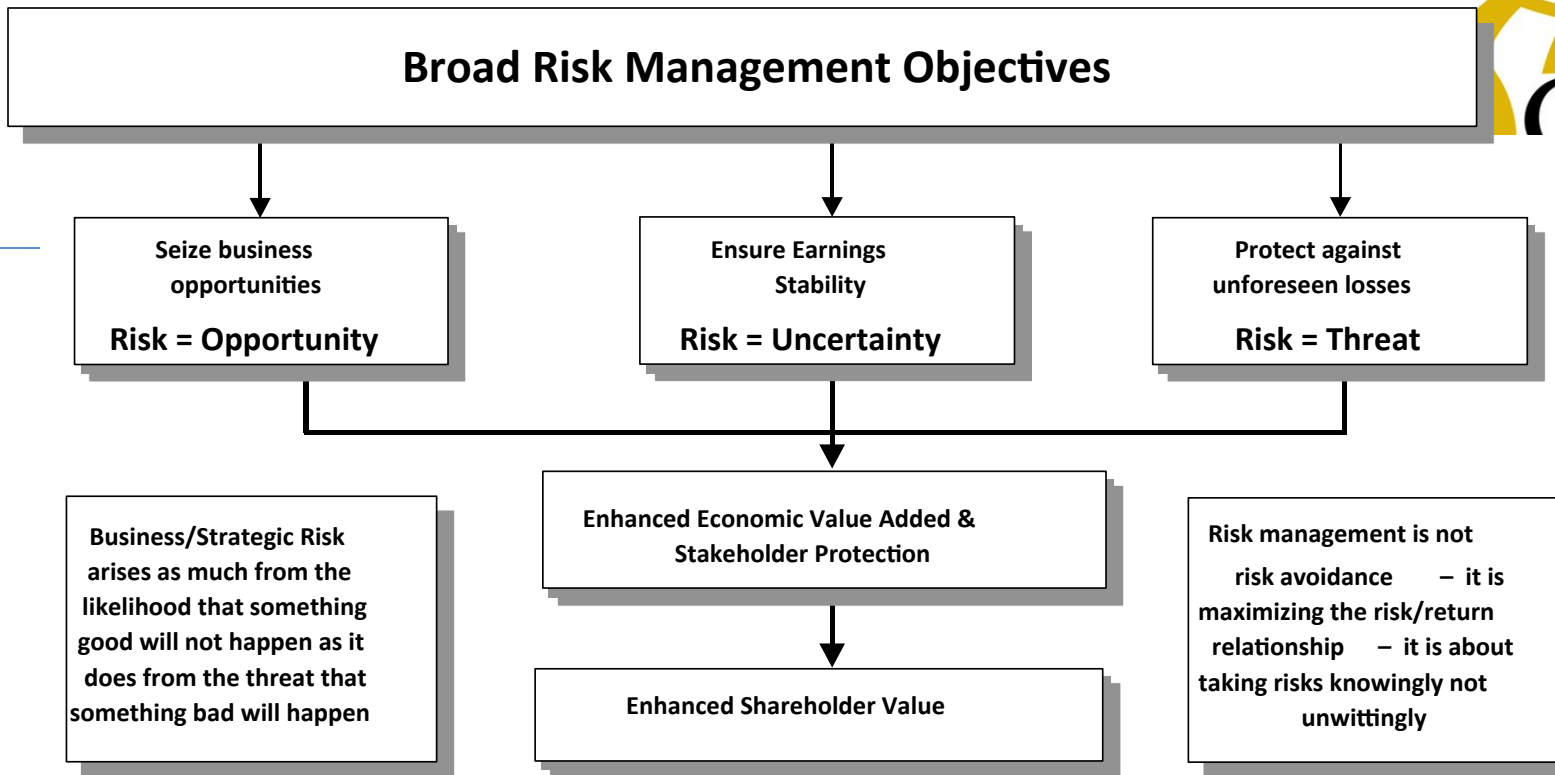
# Brief history Of Enterprise Risk Management



# Outline



- ✧ Risk Management objectives
- ✧ Enterprise Risk Management Framework
  - Risk management process
  - Risk governance
  - Risk treatment options
  - Roles and responsibilities
  - Risk scoring
- ✧ Success factors, challenges and limitation



Risk can be defined as the combination of the probability of an event and its consequences (ISO/IEC Guide 73).

### Remember...

You cannot eliminate all risk

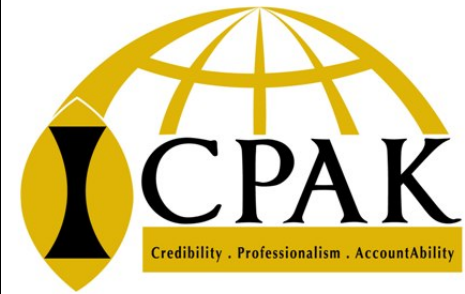
Risk-taking is an inherent element of a business and, indeed, profits are in part the reward for successful risk taking. On the other hand, excessive, poorly managed risk can lead to losses and thus endanger the safety of a business.

# What is Risk Management?



- ✧ Risk management is the identification, assessment, and prioritization of risks (*the effect of uncertainty on objectives, whether positive or negative*) followed by coordinated and economical application of resources to minimize, monitor, and control the probability and/or impact of unfortunate events or to maximize the realization of opportunities.
- ✧ Risk Management is the process whereby organisations methodically address the risks attaching to their activities with the goal of achieving sustained benefit within each activity and across the portfolio of all activities.

# What is ERM Framework?



***“..... a process, effected by an entity's board of directors, management and other personnel, applied in strategy setting and across the enterprise, designed to identify potential events that may affect the entity, and manage risks to be within its risk appetite, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the achievement of entity objectives.”***

***Source: COSO Enterprise Risk Management – Integrated Framework.***

## **concepts**

- 1.A process, ongoing and flowing through an organisation
- 2.Effected by people at every level of an organization
- 3.Applied in strategy setting
- 4.Applied across the enterprise, at every level and unit, and includes taking an entity level portfolio view of risk
- 5.Designed to identify potential events that, if they occur, will affect the entity and to manage risk within its risk appetite
- 6.Able to provide reasonable assurance to an entity’s management and board of directors
- 7.Gearred to achievement of objectives in one or more separate but overlapping categories

# Objectives of ERM



- ✧ Manage an organization's exposure to negative impacts, so that the organization's objectives can be successfully achieved.
- ✧ Assist management and staff in the performance of their duties by setting out clear responsibilities and accountabilities in relation to the managing of risk.
- ✧ Ensure a consistent approach across the organization's businesses by providing minimum standards for risk management (supported by guidelines, shared framework, language and techniques) to ensure that risk policies, principles and procedures are both adequate and effective.

# ERM Encompasses



*Aligning risk appetite and strategy* – Management considers the entity's risk appetite in evaluating strategic alternatives, setting related objectives, and developing mechanisms to manage related risks.

*Enhancing risk response decisions* – Enterprise risk management provides the rigor to identify and select among alternative risk responses – risk avoidance, reduction, sharing, and acceptance.

*Reducing operational surprises and losses* – Entities gain enhanced capability to identify potential events and establish responses, reducing surprises and associated costs or losses.

*Identifying and managing multiple and cross-enterprise risks* – Every enterprise faces a myriad of risks affecting different parts of the organization, and enterprise risk management facilitates effective response to the interrelated impacts, and integrated responses to multiple risks.

*Seizing opportunities* – By considering a full range of potential events, management is positioned to identify and proactively realize opportunities.

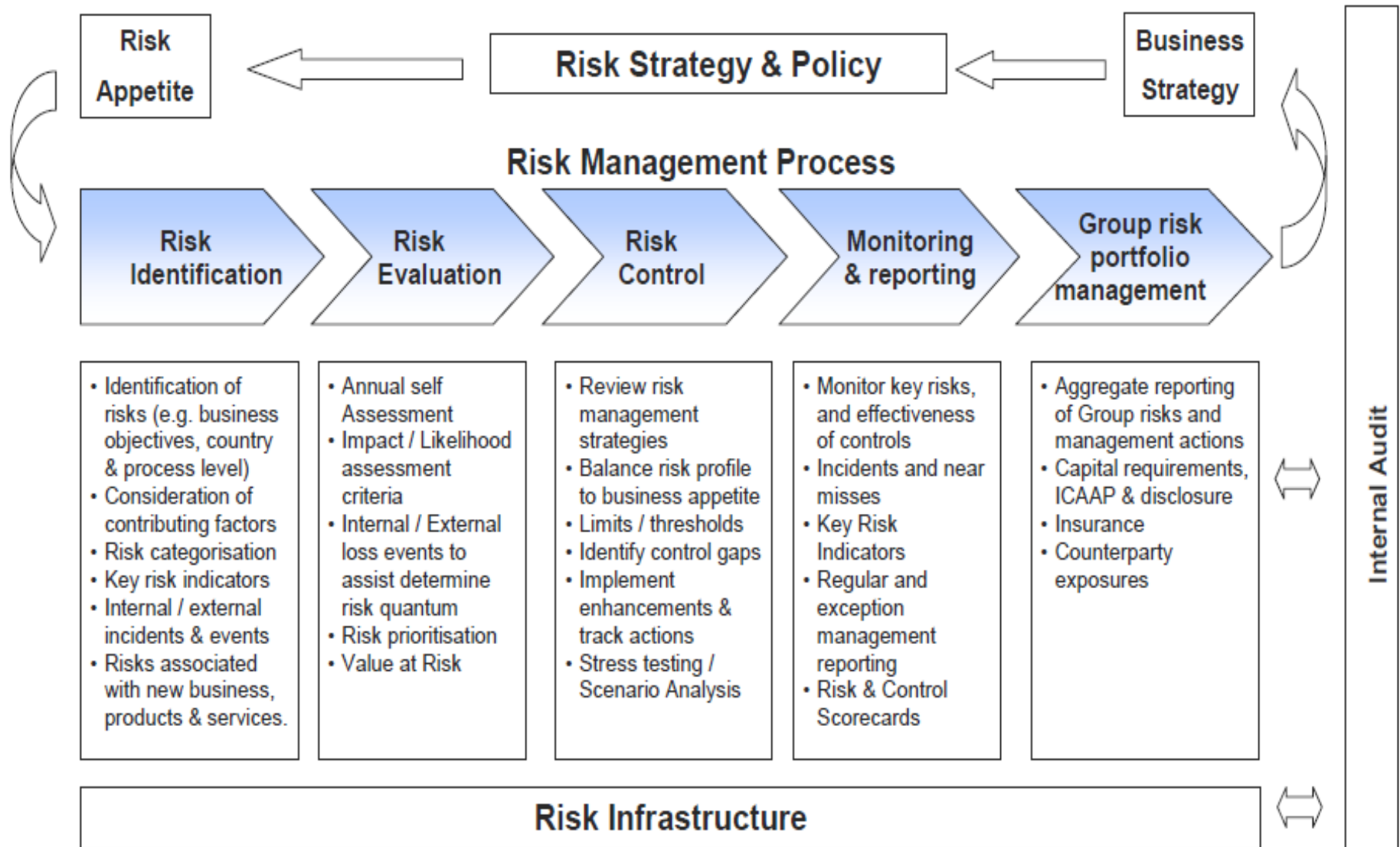
*Improving deployment of capital* – Obtaining robust risk information allows management to effectively assess overall capital needs and enhance capital allocation.

# The Importance of ERM



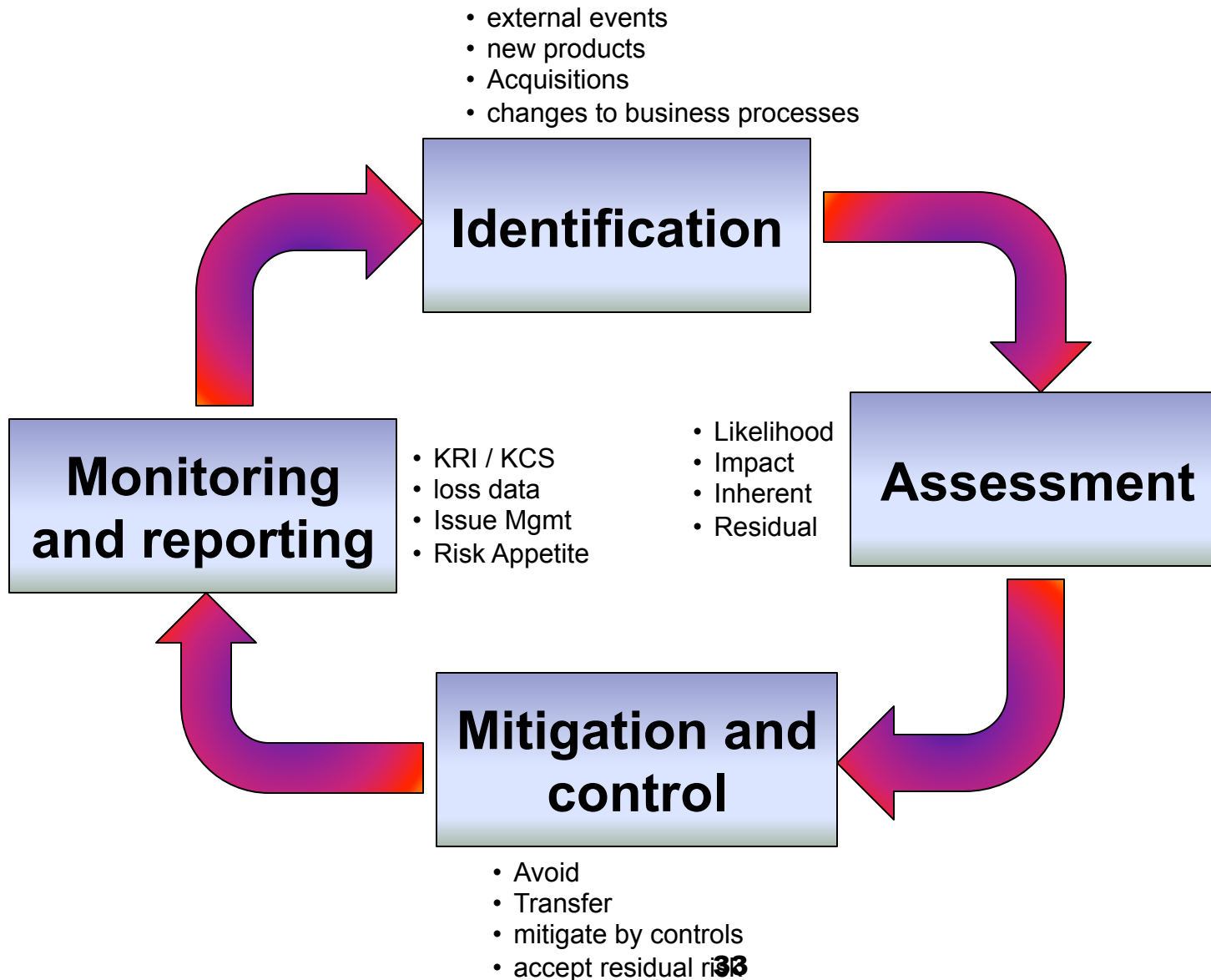
- ✧ Underlying principles:
  - Every entity, whether for-profit or not, exists to realize value for its stakeholders.
  - Value is created, preserved, or eroded by management decisions in all activities, from setting strategy to operating the enterprise day-to-day.
  
- ✧ ERM supports value creation by enabling management to:
  - Deal effectively with potential future events that create uncertainty.
  - Respond in a manner that reduces the likelihood of downside outcomes and increases the upside.
  - The management of risk is an integral component of effective Corporate Governance
  - Promoting proactive management rather than reactive with the early identification and prioritisation of key risks

# ERM PROCESS





# Risk management process



# Risk Universe



- 1. Industry\*
- 2. Economy
- 3. Political change

- 4. Competitor
- 5. Consumer preference

- 6. Market share
- 7. Reputation
- 8. Brand equity\*

- 9. Strategic focus
- 10. Investor confidence

- 11. Customer satisfaction
- 12. Product failure\*
- 13. Supply chain
- 14. Sourcing
- 15. Supplier concentration
- 16. Outsourcing
- 17. Production Cycle
- 18. Catastrophic loss
- 19. Process execution

- 20. Policies and procedures
- 21. Environmental
- 22. Contract
- 23. Legal and regulatory\*

- 24. Human Resources
- 25. Health and safety\*
- 26. Authority
- 27. Integrity
- 28. Leadership/Empowerment
- 29. Communications
- 30. Culture
- 31. Performance incentive
- 32. Knowledge capital

- 33. Cash flow/liquidity
- 34. Capital availability
- 35. Interest rate
- 36. Foreign exchange

- 37. Credit capacity
- 38. Credit concentration
- 39. Credit default

- 40. Accounting
- 41. Budgeting
- 42. Taxation

- 43. Pricing
- 44. Performance measurement
- 45. Portfolio

- 46. Systems infrastructure
- 47. Systems access
- 48. Systems availability
- 49. Data integrity
- 50. Date relevance

# Risk Identification



ABC Company	Industry	Brand Equity	Product Failure	Legal & Regulatory	Health & Safety
<b>Finance</b> (Process) M&A (Sub Process)	X				
<b>General Counsel</b> (Process) Environmental (Sub Process)				X	X
<b>Administration</b> (Process) HR (Sub Process)					X
<b>Risk Management</b> (Process) Insurance (Sub Process) Strategic Planning (Sub Process)	X				X
<b>Operations</b> (Process) Production (Sub Process) Quality Assurance (Sub Process)			X X		
<b>Customer Service</b> (Process) Distribution/ Warranty & Repairs (Sub Process)		X	X		
<b>New Product Development</b> (Process) <b>Research</b> (Sub Process)		X	X		

# EXERCISE 2



From Exercise 1

Identify 5 key risks that should form part of the ERM framework

# Risk Assessment/ Evaluation



## Risk Scoring Matrix

LIKELIHOOD	Almost certain	5					
	Likely	4					
	Possible	3					
	Unlikely	2					
	Rare	1					
			1	2	3	4	5
			Insignificant	Minor	Moderate	Major	Catastrophic
IMPACT / CONSEQUENCE							

### Low Risk

Manage by routine procedures

### Medium Risk

Management responsibility must be specified – Senior Management involved

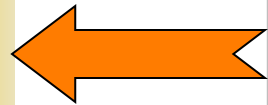
### High Risk

Senior Management attention required  
Immediate action required  
Board gets involved

# Risk Control



## OPTIONS



### **Accept**

*Accept the level of risk*

*Active Risk Management*



### **Reduce**

*Taking action to reduce the likelihood or impact related to the risk*

1. *Reduce chance of losses arising from business activities*
2. *Absorb only optimal quantity of particular Risk*



### **Transfer**

*Transferring or sharing a portion of the risk, to reduce it*

1. *Buy/sell financial claims to diversify or concentrate portfolio risks*
2. *Sell assets with risks which the firm has no clear competitive advantage in managing*



### **Avoid**

*Exiting the activities giving rise to risk*

*Shed superfluous risks by devoting resources to risk avoidance*

# Risk Monitoring & Reporting



- ✧ Key Risk registers
- ✧ Control Risks and issue registers
- ✧ Establishing Risk thresholds and tolerance limits
- ✧ Reports on overall risk exposure across all risk types
- ✧ Stress and scenario test these exposures
- ✧ Compare the results to the available capital

# Roles within the group

## GROUP

## GROUP BUSINESS

## COUNTRY

### Risk Type or Policy Owners



- Set & maintain Group standards & policies
- Design and implement RMF

### Group Business & Functional Owners



- Customise Group & develop business specific policies and procedures

### Legal



- Provide advice on local regulatory requirements
- Perform assurance review

### Business



- Customize to local policies & standards
- Drive implementation of policies and controls

### Compliance & Risk Type Owners



- Perform assurance review

### Business & Functional Owners



- Oversee compliance with policies & standards

### Country Risk Coordinator



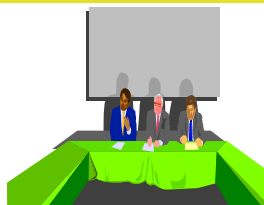
- Prepare Country Risk Profile
- Engage risk management at country level

### Line Management/URM/RP



- Manage day-to-day risks
- Ensure compliance with policies & regulations
- Identify & report risks, losses & exceptions

### Board Risk Committee



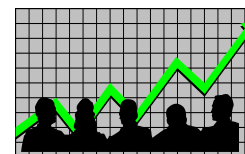
- Review Group Risk Profile & monitor resolution of significant risks

### Business Risk Committee



- Review Risk Profile across the business globally & monitor resolution of significant risks.

### Country Risk Group



- Resolve & monitor strategic Risk issues & trends at country level
- Review country Risk Profile

### Business Risk Group



- Resolve, monitor risk issues & trends at business level
- Review business Risk Profile



# Assurance within the Group – Internal Auditor



Traditionally;

- Assessing weaknesses in the system of internal control
- The internal control themselves

Now;

- Review of the integrity and completeness of risk management process
- Understand and review the effectiveness of risk management function
- That Operation management framework has integrity and is being implemented along with the appropriate controls
- Offer an independent assessment of the underlying design of Enterprise risk management process
  - including the adequacy and reliability of ERM systems and processes
  - Its compliance with external regulatory guidelines
- Overall assurance of the adequacy of ERM

# Relation between Risk management and internal audit



Risk managers use Internal Audit scores as proxies for the level of ERM in the business

Uses the scores to monitor and report on the progress of business units in resolving internal audit issues

Internal Audit uses the results of ERM self assessments to provide the focus for internal audits and to review the effectiveness of the ERM practices

Internal Audit act as facilitators and mentors to management and exercise influence over adoption

# Governance team in ERM

stakeholder

Board Of Directors

Senior Management

Chief Risk Officer

## Roles

- approve risk appetite and risk tolerance levels;
- require senior management to adopt a policy and procedures for determining the organisation's appropriate level of capital in light of the risks to which it is exposed and ensuring that risk management strategies are in place;
- review and approve the risk management framework and changes thereto, including mechanisms for delegating responsibilities and plans developed in the event of deficiencies;
- approve proposed policies establishing the rules for accepting, monitoring, managing and reporting on the material risks to which the organisation is exposed;
- require senior management to report on the material risks to which the organisation is exposed. The report should also discuss the procedures in place to manage these risks and the overall effectiveness of such procedures;
- ensure that the organisation ERM has a degree of independence, a status and sufficient visibility and is reviewed periodically.

- implement a risk management policy and risk management procedures that are appropriate in light of the organisation risk profile and business plan, and ensure that they are implemented efficiently and effectively;
- designate appropriate individuals to be in charge of monitoring and controlling all material risks in line with the strategies adopted by the organisation;
- align each risk against the organisation's objectives regarding the creation and preservation of value, including with respect to the business processes or specific segments in which such risks may materialize;
- assess the potential effects of the risks identified on the organisation's strategies and compliance as well as on the integrity of financial reporting;
- identify the risks that may materialize with a view to establishing an order of priority based on the organisation's characteristics and operating framework;
- establish procedures for communicating with and drawing on higher reporting levels in response to the materialization of risks, the effectiveness of controls and changes likely to affect the organisation's risk profile;
- implement an effective compensation system that does not encourage risky practices such as the pursuit of higher returns through speculative position-taking.

- creating a risk culture by taking into account and incorporating risks in the strategic decisions;
- developing and implementing a risk management framework using, in particular, the expertise of risk managers at various levels of the organisation;
- advising members of the management team and the board of directors and communicating information to interested parties, in particular with regard to objectives of optimal risk-based capital allocation;
- mitigating risks that are harmful to the organisation.

# ERM in relation to Corporate Governance



- ✧ Governance and risk management is the responsibility of the board and senior management of a firm
- ✧ This senior oversight responsibility is common to any well-designed risk management process.
- ✧ The difference with an ERM approach is that because it integrates the management of all risks, those with corporate governance responsibilities are able to see a single view of the firm's risk profile

# The 3 lines of Defense



## Responsibilities

- Risk Identification, Mitigation & Management
- Compliance with Standards & Policies

LINE MANAGEMENT  
Control & Self-assess

Embedded and periodic controls in  
DOI / process flows

## Activities

- Day-to-day Controls  
Self-Assessments on  
transactions / unit  
risks

- Establish Framework, Standards & Policies
- Provide assurance on policy implementation & quality of controls

RISK TYPE OWNERS &  
COMPLIANCE  
Sets & monitors Standards

Policy and control assurance

- Ensure Compliance
- Review Quality of Controls
- Rule based and interpretive assurance

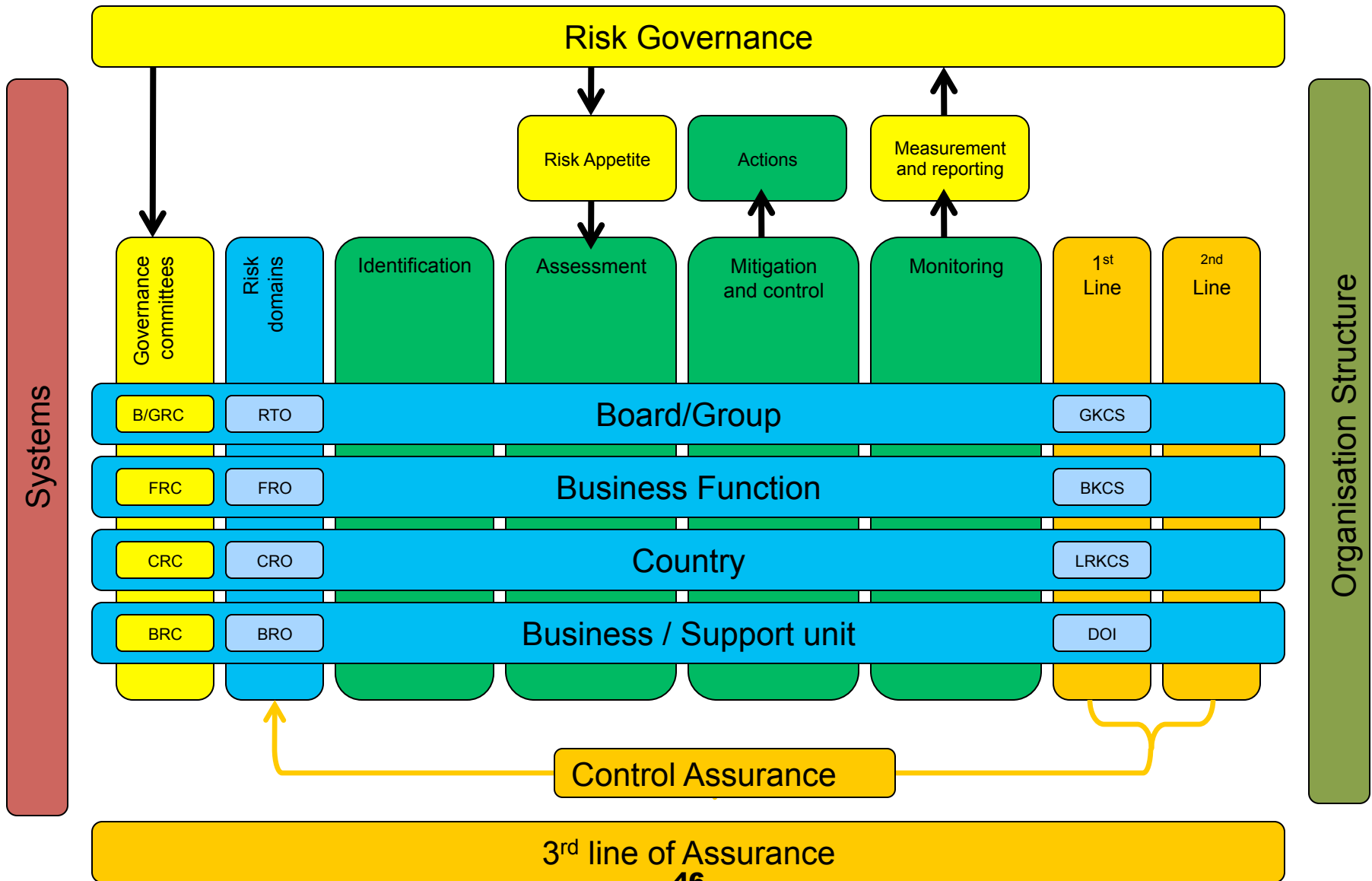
- Independent Assurance

INTERNAL/EXTERNAL AUDIT  
Independent Assurance

Independent of business and functions

- Audit Adequacy of Risk Management

# The Integrated ERM Framework



# Where does an Organisation start



- ✧ A Champion –to enlist executive and Board support
- ✧ A Vision
- ✧ A Strategic Plan to achieve the vision
- ✧ Governance and Accountability –document within a corporate level risk policy
- ✧ Core Foundation Elements developed
- ✧ Phased approach -small steps –moving toward vision –an evolution.
- ✧ Integrated System solution –easier to capture data, integrate processes, generate Decision Support, shift culture and drive business value

***Importance  
of  
developing  
  
a risk aware culture***



# Challenges of Implementing ERM



## Challenges to implementing and establishing an ERM programme

These fall into four categories:

- 1) Measurement
- 2) Aggregation
- 3) Timescale
- 4) Cultural

# 1) Measurement



- ✧ The confidence level and time-frame both need to be consistent across all measured risks
- ✧ The chosen measurement approaches are also needed to enable direct comparisons between asset classes

## 2) Aggregation



It is important to distinguish between the (i) the firm's risks and (ii) its clients' risks to avoid inflating the risk profile through double counting

- ✧ Firm risks – impact (i) just the firm itself, or (ii) its clients in such a way that they need to be compensated
  - The firm is impacted when its own resources are reduced in value through credit, market, investment, liquidity or operational risk
  - The firm is also impacted when it needs to compensate clients for errors
- ✧ Client risks – do not require the firm to pay compensation when they occur

### 3) Timescale



- ✧ There are timescale challenges in the actual production of the ERM reports. They can be slow to produce because of:
- ✧ The complexity involved in collecting and transforming the inputs from disparate sources
- ✧ The need to add narrative to the data in order that the senior team can quickly understand the key points

## 4) Cultural



- ✧ Identifying the right executive sponsor for the ERM is extremely important
- ✧ Because the different risk departments use similar, but not identical, vocabulary, there is often scope for misunderstanding when these departments are required to work together
- ✧ Firms have experienced challenges in combining their credit and market risk teams, and their operational risk teams into a single unit

# Success factors for Effective ERM



- 1) Commitment from the top - active commitment, oversight and support from Board and top management
- 2) Communication
- 3) Culture –
  - culture of risk awareness
  - One risk language
  - single risk rating methodology for all risks and issues
- 4) Governance and organization Structure.
  - Sound risk governance
  - Embedding risk managers within individual business lines leads to greater understanding and awareness of risk, and of its link to Performance.
  - Clear connections to strategic and business objectives
  - Risk management tied to incentives (Balanced Scorecard)
- 5) Information Technology (IT) - Integrated system to support a central repository of risk information-
- 6) Training and developing people to ensure depth of risk knowledge and skills
- 7) Adequate Policies, Procedures and Limits
- 8) Quality and utility of data (MIS) – risk data gathered should be accurate and useful
- 9) Adequate Internal Controls

# Value Proposition in ERM



- ✧ Develops a strategic, firm-wide approach to risk management and mitigation using all the available tools: derivatives, insurance, internal controls and strategic action
- ✧ Focuses management attention on the truly important risks – risks with potential to significantly impact earnings or even endanger firm survival
- ✧ Integrates risk management into critical decision-making processes, such as strategic planning, to ensure a link between risk-adjusted performance measurement tools (e.g. Economic Capital RAROC) and strategic decision-making (i.e. Budget planning, Capex, M&A)
- ✧ Identifies the risks inherent in current strategy and business model before the competition to provide sustainable competitive advantage

# RECAP!!



Risk management has a proactive role to play in shaping new ideas for products and services as well as in protecting a company and its various units.

Nurturing a creative and positive tension between these two helps an organisation in reaping rewards from investing in risk management and generating more value from it in future



# ERM status



## Emerging good risk practice

### ■ Governance and risk culture

- Strong Risk culture – “Tone from the top”
- Board understanding
- Linkage between strategic planning and risk management

### ■ Risk appetite

- Tolerances / thresholds set by Board

### ■ CRO & Risk Management function

- Independent
- Risk function overseeing all risks

### ■ Clear risk strategy

### ■ An ERM perspective

### ■ Risk models & integration of risks

- No reliance on any specific risk methodology
- Reduce reliance on rating agencies

### ■ Transparency on key risks

- Counterparty
- Liquidity
- Risk exposure from complex financial products
- Reporting insights and actionable recommendations



# Introduction



***ASANTE SANA !!!***