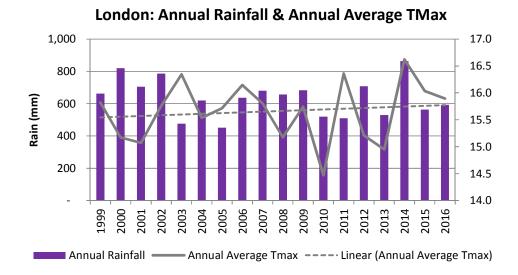
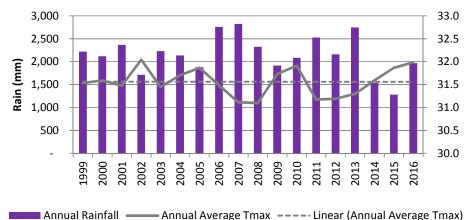


## **Weather Volatility**

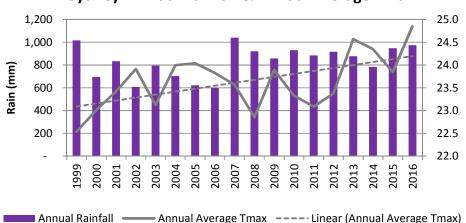
- There is significant volatility in all locations (even over a full year)
- Clear warming trend
- There is little correlation between locations







#### **Sydney: Annual Rainfall & Annual Average TMax**



### **Contrasting Concerns in Four Sectors**

# Retail, Leisure & Hospitality: Protecting revenues

 Loss of attraction and footfall results in loss of revenues

### Resilient Communities: Ensuring rapid response

 Delayed emergency response increases the human impact and economic costs



# Construction: Mitigating increased costs

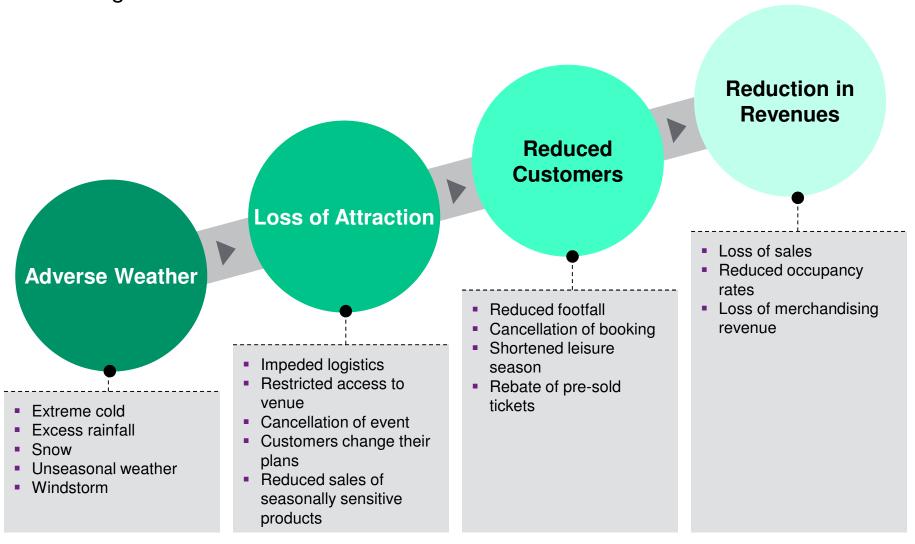
 Project delays result in increased costs or fines

# Transport & Logistics: Protecting the brand

 Delays and cancellations result in loss of customers and brand value

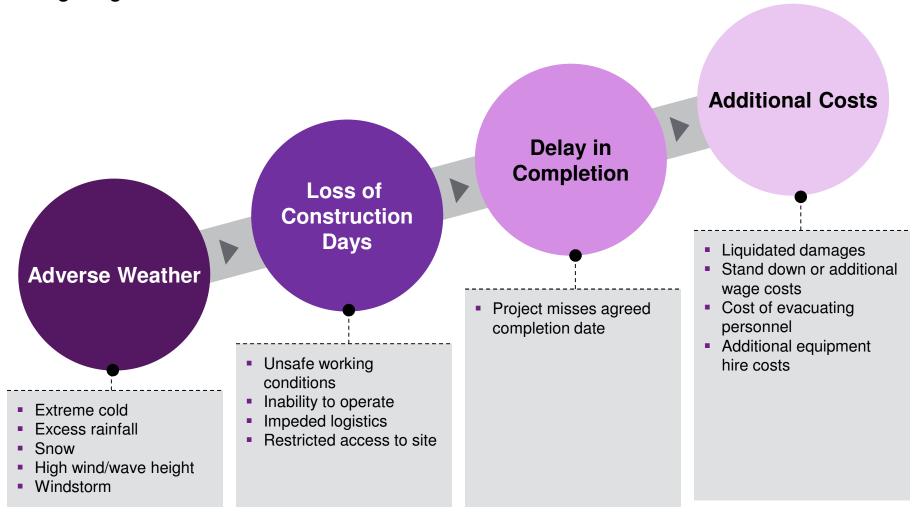
## Retail, Leisure & Hospitality

Protecting revenues



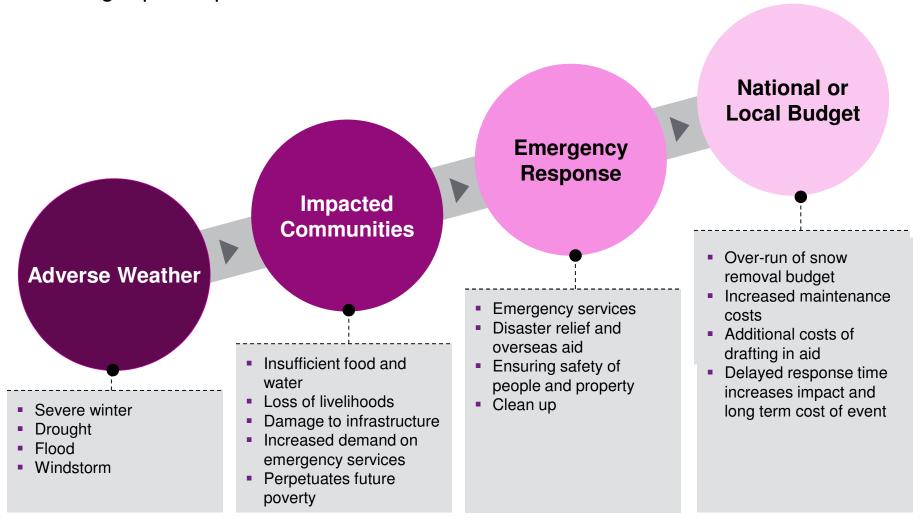
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### Mitigating increased costs



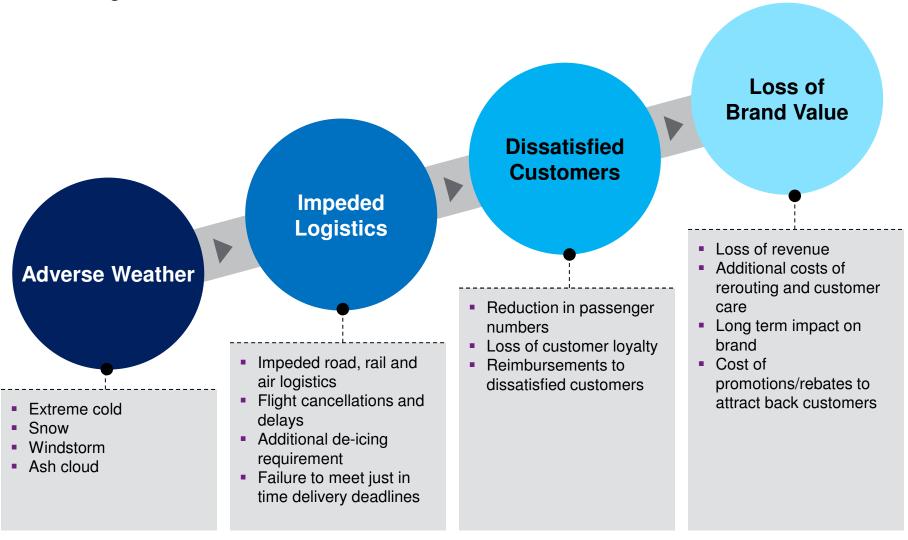
#### **Resilient Communities**

Ensuring rapid response



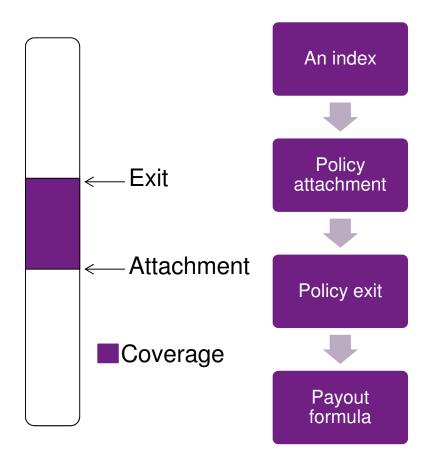
## **Transportation & Logistics**

Protecting the brand



#### **Weather-Index Solutions**

How do they work?



- Weather-index solutions provide a way of hedging the financial impact of adverse weather on a business
- Cover responds to changes in a weather index as opposed to specific weather events such as hurricanes
- The reference weather index is based on data from an official source
- Data is required in a consistent format retrospectively for underwriting and prospectively for claims calculation
- Claims paid based purely on the value of the index rather than the actual loss suffered by the insured
- Claims settlement is quick
- Careful calibration of the index is critical to the performance of the solution

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