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Resampling Statistics for the F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



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- ❖ 59th TES in conjunction with 422nd TES
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 - Tactics Development
 - Fielding Recommendations
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 - A-10, F-15C, F-15E, F-16, F-22A, HH-60





Purpose



- ❖ Explain the problem
- ❖ Demonstrate the Resampling Technique
 - Construct the Cumulative Distribution Function (CDF)
 - Build a Confidence Interval
 - Calculate Power/Consumer Risk
- ❖ Demonstrate application tool used for the suitability analysis



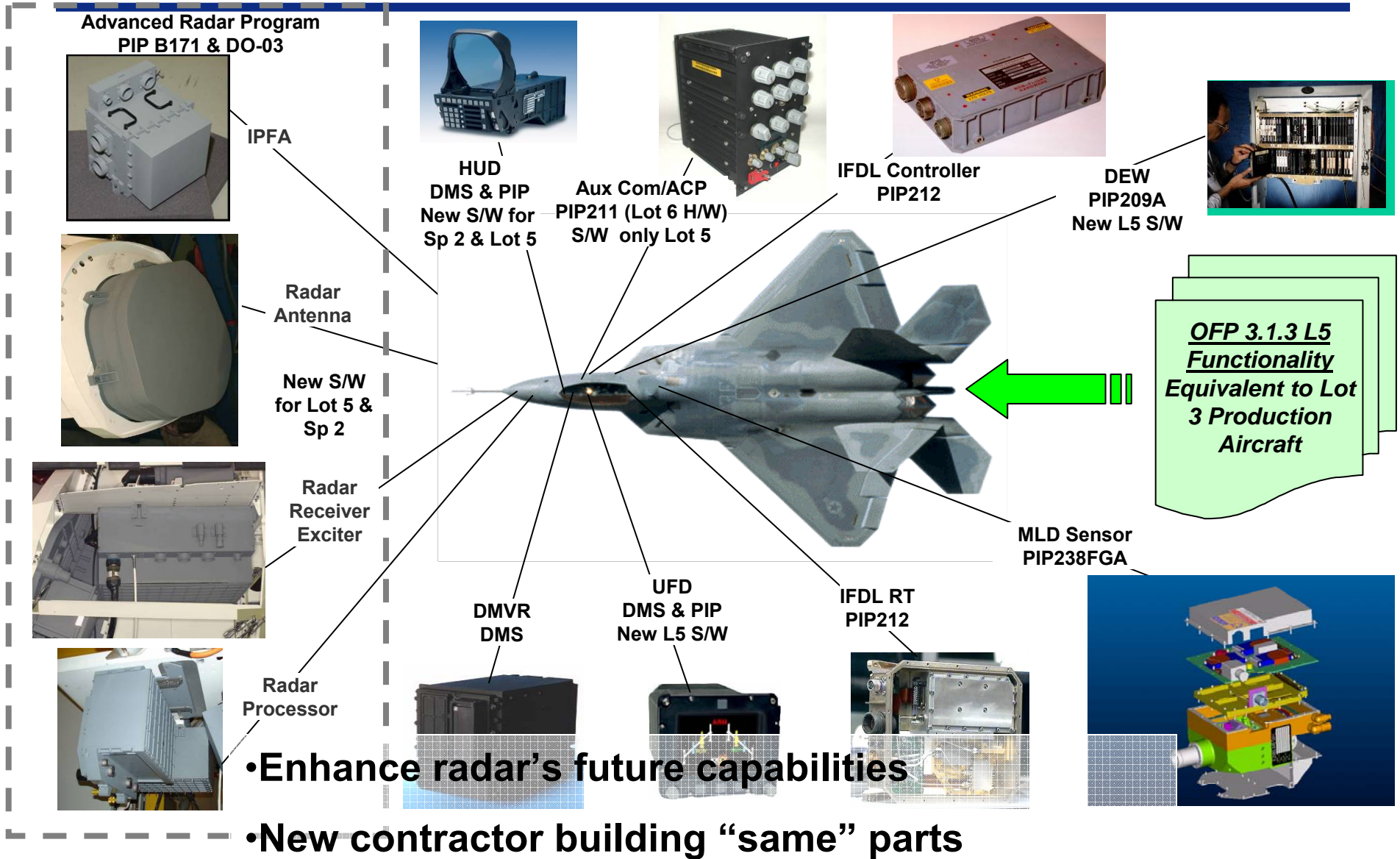
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- ❖ **Conclusion**



Test Problem: Lot 5 System Description





Test Problem: F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



- ❖ **Test's Purpose: To compare currently fielded aircraft suitability results to Lot 5 aircraft.**
 - Operational Utility Evaluation (OUE): compare effectiveness and suitability between F-22A Lot 5 aircraft (new data set) and currently fielded F-22A aircraft (baseline data set)
 - Suitability goal: evaluate Lot 5 hardware updates only
 - Suitability structure: compare data using Reliability, Maintainability and Availability (RM&A).



Test Problem: F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



❖ **Analyst's Challenge: How to compare current suitability results to new Lot 5 suitability measures?**

- Baseline data (currently fielded aircraft) includes 758 flight hours. Lot 5 test has shorter timeline requirements.
- The test requires a minimum 70% power / 30% consumer risk in detecting at least a doubling (twice as bad) in any suitability measure.
- The new test consists of 200 flight hours



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Background: Suitability



- ❖ Operational suitability: the degree to which a system can be satisfactorily placed into fielded use
 - reliability, maintainability, availability (RM&A)
- ❖ Availability: affected by reliability and maintainability
- ❖ Other considerations: compatibility, transportability, wartime usage rates, safety, human factors, manpower supportability, logistics supportability, documentation, training requirements, and natural environmental effects and impacts



Background: Suitability



- ❖ **Reliability:** the probability of a system to perform its function [3]
 - Time-continuous: operate the system until it fails, fix it and continue to operate. Process repeats until enough information is collected
 - Success/Fail: test the system and record successes and failures
- ❖ **Maintainability:** the ability of an item to be retained in, or restored to, a specified conditions when maintenance is performed (AFI 10-602)
 - Average time between maintenance activity
 - Cumulative maintenance time divided by flying hours
- ❖ **Availability:** the probability that a system will be in an operable state at a random point in time [3]
 - Operational time divided by the total time



Background: Suitability Analysis



❖ Reliability, Maintainability and Availability Evaluation

➤ New Lot 5 hardware data collection only

➤ Test scoring data Measures of Performance (MOP):

- ✓ Break rate
- ✓ Mean time between critical failure (MTBCF)
- ✓ Could not duplicate rate
- ✓ Maintenance man hours per Flying Hour
- ✓ 2/4/8 hour fix rate
- ✓ Abort rate
- ✓ Mean time between maintenance
- ✓ Weapons system reliability
- ✓ Integrated diagnostics accuracy
- ✓ Mean down time
- ✓ Mean repair time

$$MTBCF = \frac{\text{Total Flight Hours}}{\text{Number of Critical Failures}}$$



Background: Resampling



What is Resampling?

- ❖ Mechanism used to produce a hypothetical distribution by randomly taking samples from an observed distribution or baseline distribution
- ❖ Essentially: Monte Carlo simulation of statistical results
- ❖ Basic Rules:
 1. Specify the universe to sample from
 - ✓ observed data set or baseline data set
 2. Specify the sampling procedure
 - ✓ number of samples
 - ✓ sizes of samples
 - ✓ sampling with or without replacement
 3. Specify the statistic you wish to keep track of
 - ✓ ratio, mean, variance, etc.



Background: Resampling



❖ Advantages

- Simple to use and teach
- Avoids using the wrong method
- Knowledge of distribution not needed
- Free of mathematical formulas and restrictive assumptions

❖ Disadvantages

- Requires empirical data
- Sample size can be a problem if the baseline data is limited



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Test Objective: F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



- ❖ Assess operational effectiveness of new Lot 5 hardware
- ❖ Compare Lot 5 hardware and equivalent hardware for currently fielded aircraft suitability
 - Report results outside a 90% confidence bound as significantly different
 - If not significantly different, report power/consumer risk
 - The formal hypothesis for each MOP for this approach is as follows:

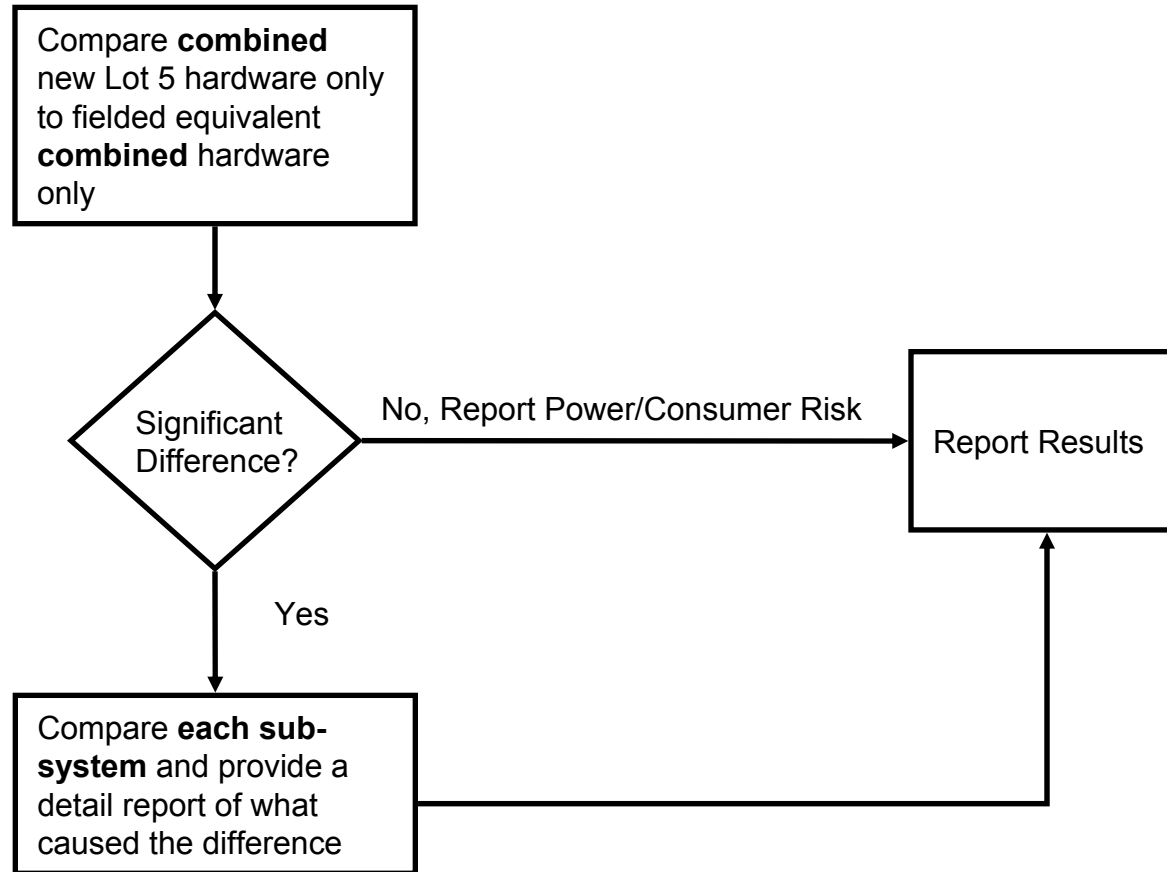
$$H_o : \text{Lot 5 MOP} \geq \text{FDE MOP}$$

$$H_1 : \text{Lot 5 MOP} < \text{FDE MOP} (\alpha = .1)$$

** Note: hypothesis assumes that a larger value is better



Test Objective: Algorithm



Repeat flow for each suitability MOP



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Test Methodology: Example



Mean Time Between Critical Failure (MTBCF)

$$\text{MTBCF} = \frac{\text{Total Flight Hours}}{\text{Number of Critical Failures}}$$

- ❖ The suitability study for currently fielded aircraft recorded 18 critical failures (CF) during 758 hours of operation for a MTBCF of 42.11
- ❖ Create a representative population using 758 binary values
 - Assume 1 sample per flying hour
 - Assign a '1' to CFs (18 occurrences)
 - Assign a '0' to no CFs (740 occurrences)
- ❖ Use resampling to produce a 200 hour representative (hypothetical) population
- ❖ Construct a CDF of the 200 hour MTBCF
- ❖ Use the CDF of the 200 hour data to find the lower 90% confidence bound



Test Methodology: Test Model



- Compare the new set of performance data (Lot 5) to Cumulative Distribution Function
- of the established baseline (currently fielded aircraft) Resampled Score to be replaced
- with a 90% lower confidence bound
- This provides representative population
- Now we have a hypothetical

Report Results

Resample Stats

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Iterations: 1000 Number of Trials

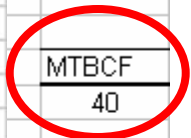
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	A	B	C	D	E
2	Resampled Results				
3	1	15.38	0.002		
4	2	15.38	0.003		
5	3	15.38	0.004		
6	4	15.38	0.005		
7	5	15.38	0.006		
8	6	16.67	0.007		
9	7	16.67	0.008		
10	8	18.18	0.009		
11	9	18.18	0.010		
12	10	18.18	0.011		
13	11	18.18	0.012		
14	12	18.18	0.013		
15	13	18.18	0.014		
16	14	18.18	0.015		
17	15	18.18	0.016		
18	16	18.18	0.017		
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22	20	20.00	0.021		
23	21	20.00	0.022		
24	22	20.00	0.023		
25	23	20.00	0.024		
26	24	20.00	0.025		
27	25	20.00	0.026		
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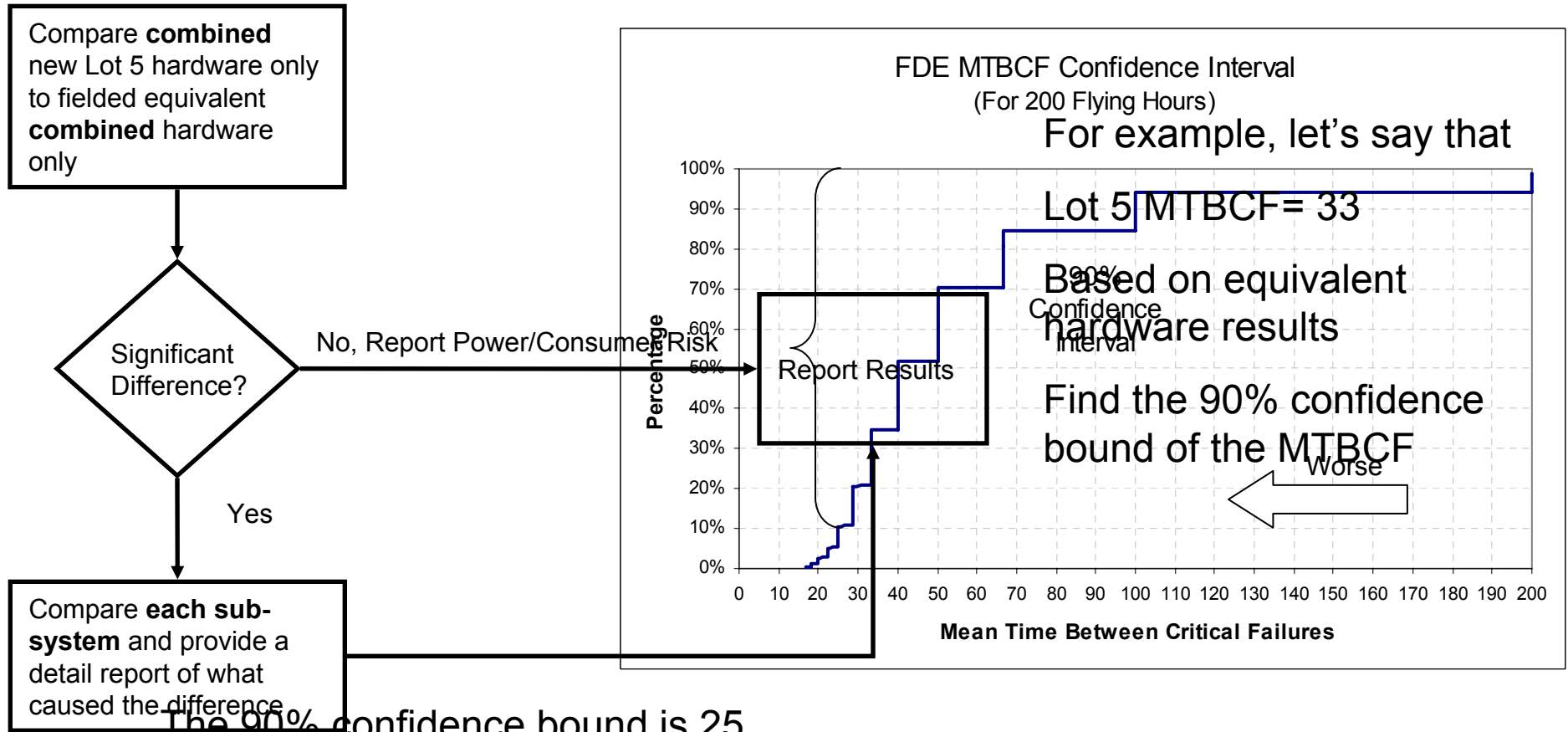


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CFs



Test Methodology: Confidence Interval



The 90% confidence bound is 25

33 is in the 90% of the data, therefore there is no significant difference between Lot 5 and the currently fielded hardware



Test Methodology: MTBCF Power



- ❖ CDF constructed using resampling statistics
- ❖ Use resampled results to calculate power
- ❖ Power indicates the confidence level the test design provides to detect a particular level of increase in the MTBCF based on possible results

	Null hypothesis is True	Null hypothesis is false
Reject the null hypothesis	Type I error (rejecting a true null hypothesis) α	Correct decision
Fail to reject the null hypothesis	Correct decision	Type II error (failing to reject a false null hypothesis) β



Test Methodology: Power (Classical Method)



- ❖ Classical method: theory based
- ❖ Resampling method: observation based
- ❖ An example to demonstrate the classical method
 - Measuring successes and failures, therefore use the binomial distribution
 - Probability Mass Function: PMF

The binomdist excel function provides the CDF/PMF of the binomial distribution

Function → BINOMDIST(# success, trials, probability of success, cumulative)

Number of success → (Trials-CF)

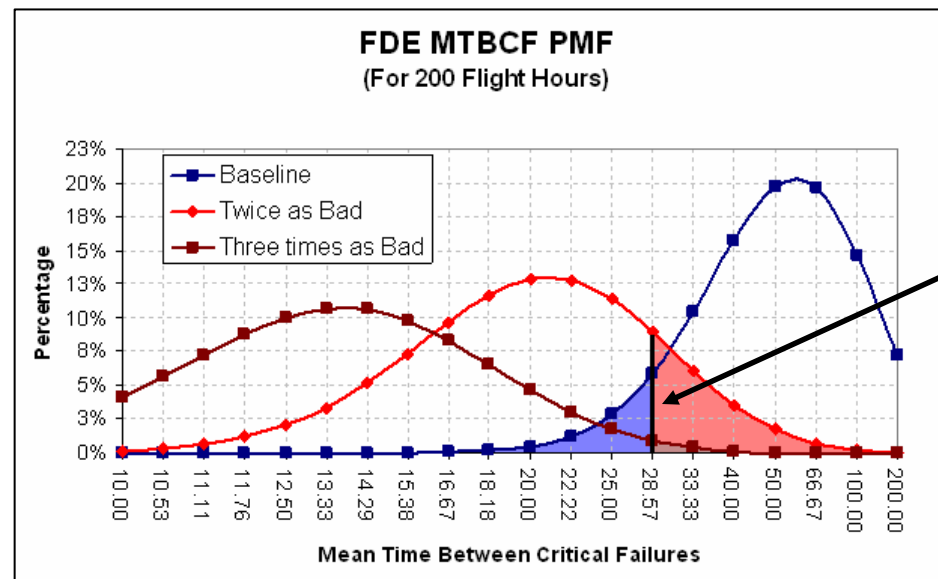
Trials → Total Flight Hours

Probability → (Trials-CF)/Trials

Cumulative → TRUE provides the CDF; FALSE provides the PMF



Test Methodology: Power (Classical Method)



90%
confidence
bound

- ❖ The PMF (blue) was generated based on the known baseline(758FH with 18 CFs)
- ❖ The red PMF – Distribution is twice as bad as the main baseline
- ❖ The blue PMF – Distribution is three times a bad as the main baseline
- ❖ Any results outside the 90% (lower than 28.57 MTBCF) will be considered significantly different.



Test Methodology: MTBCF Power (Resampling)



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	
1	CF	5	8	10	12	15																
2	MTBCF	40	25	20	16.67	13.33																
3										1	10.00	0.001										
4	Unknown Distribution									2	10.00	0.002										
5	200 FH / 10 CFs				200 Hrs Resampled	MTBCF				3	10.53	0.003										
6	1				0					4	10.53	0.004										
7	1				0					5	11.11	0.005										
8	1				0					6	11.11	0.006										
9	1				0					7	11.11	0.007										
10	1				0					:	:	:										
11	1				0					774	25	0.774										
12	1				0					775	25	0.775										
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16	0				0					863	28.57143	0.863										
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25	0				0					987	50	0.987										
26	0				0					988	66.66667	0.988										
27	0				0					:	:	:										
28	0				0					997	66.66667	0.997										
29	0				0					998	100	0.998										

MTBCF Results	Actual (Unknown) MTBCF			
	25	20	16.7	13.33
100	98.7%	99.7%	99.9%	99.9%
67	96.7%	98.7%	99.9%	99.9%
40	80.8%	93.3%	98.2%	99.8%
33	66.7%	86.3%	95.9%	99.1%
28.57	40.2%	77.5%	84.8%	97.3%



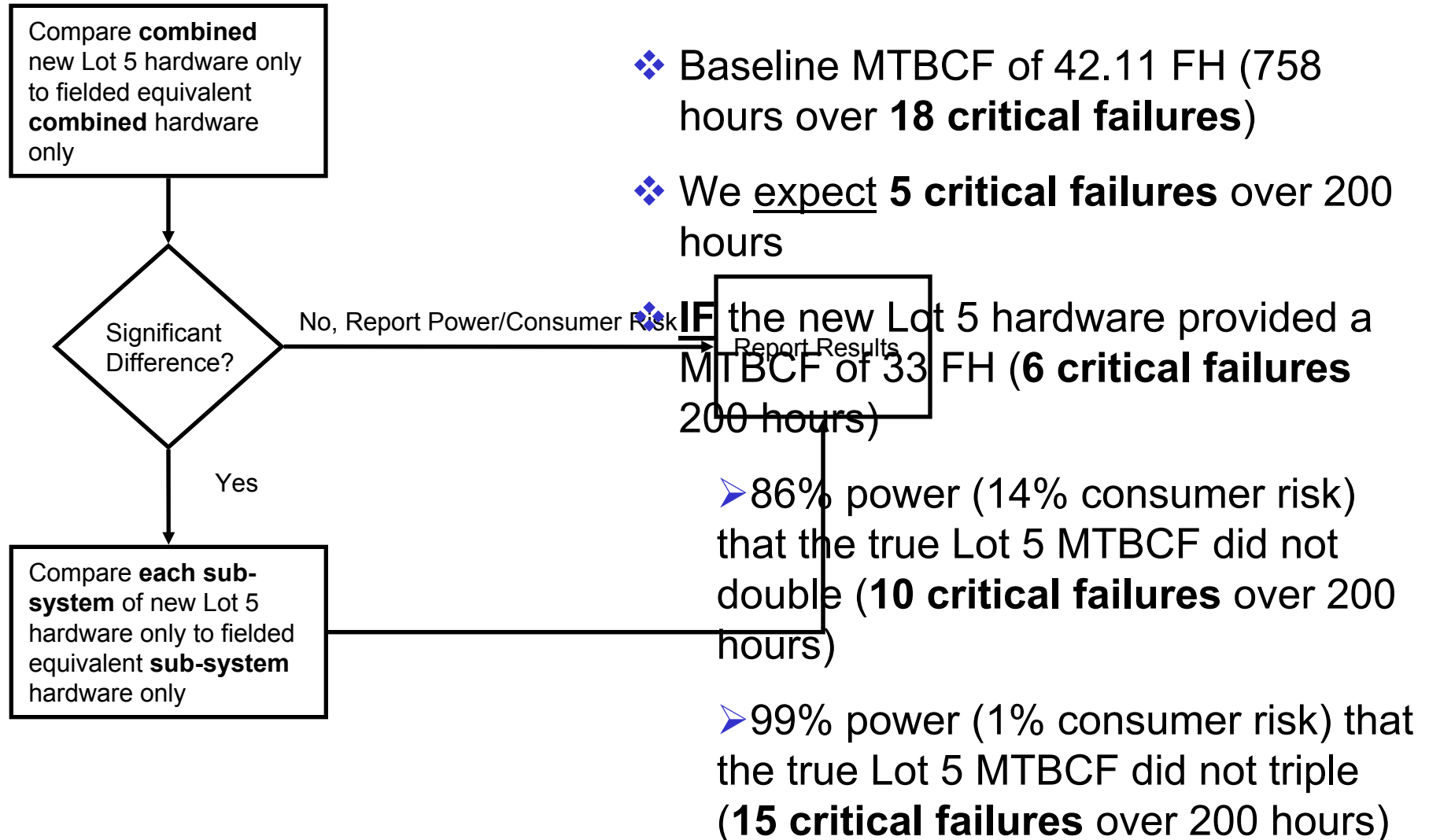
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Report Results





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Conclusion



- ❖ Resampling Statistics makes possible:
 - Construction of CDFs
 - Building Confidence Intervals
 - Calculating Power/Consumer Risk
- ❖ Resampling Statistics with F-22A Lot 5 suitability:
 - Facilitates comparison between large baseline sample size and small test sample size
 - Provides method to compute power
 - Evaluates data without knowledge of the distribution
 - Eliminates mathematical formulas and restrictive assumptions



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