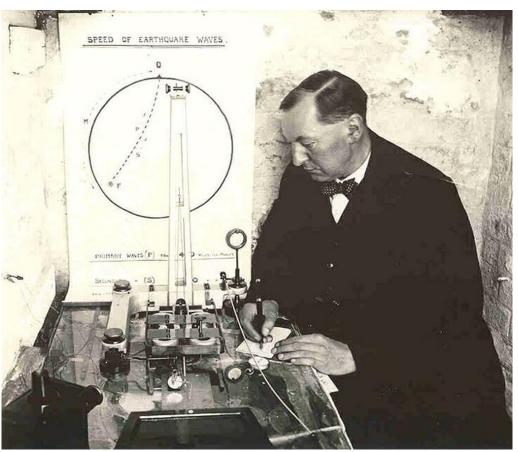
# Evolution of Catastrophe Modeling

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# In the beginning, there was only data







### Underwriter Crunching the Numbers before AIR



#### **Hewlett Packard HP-97**

- Magnetic card to record data
- 26 data storage registers
- 224 steps of program memory
- Printer to record results



# The First AIR Models Ran on IBM Mainframes



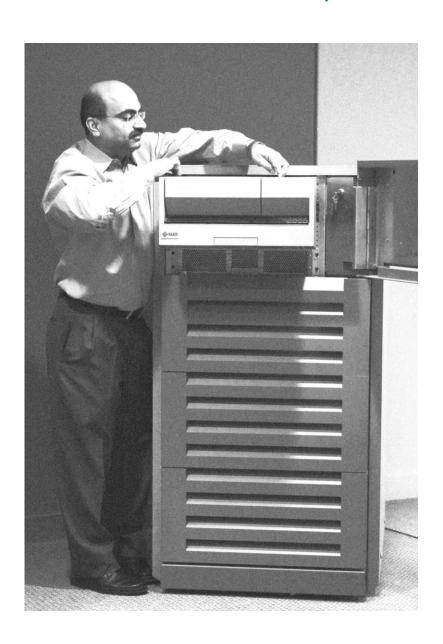


# How Client Data Was Shipped and Stored





# First "Powerful" Computer In House



#### **Sun SPARCserver**

RAM: 32 Megabytes

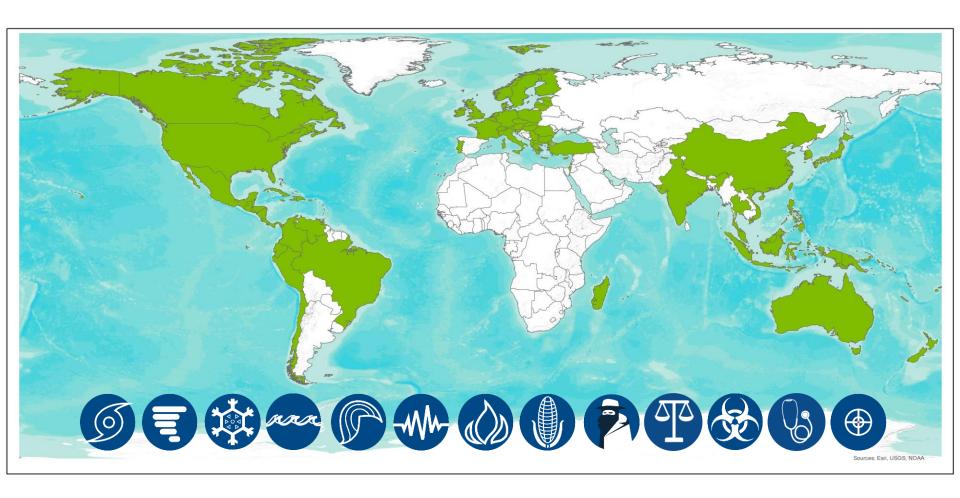
Hard Drive: 1 Gigabyte

Price: \$57,000

Weight: 250 lbs

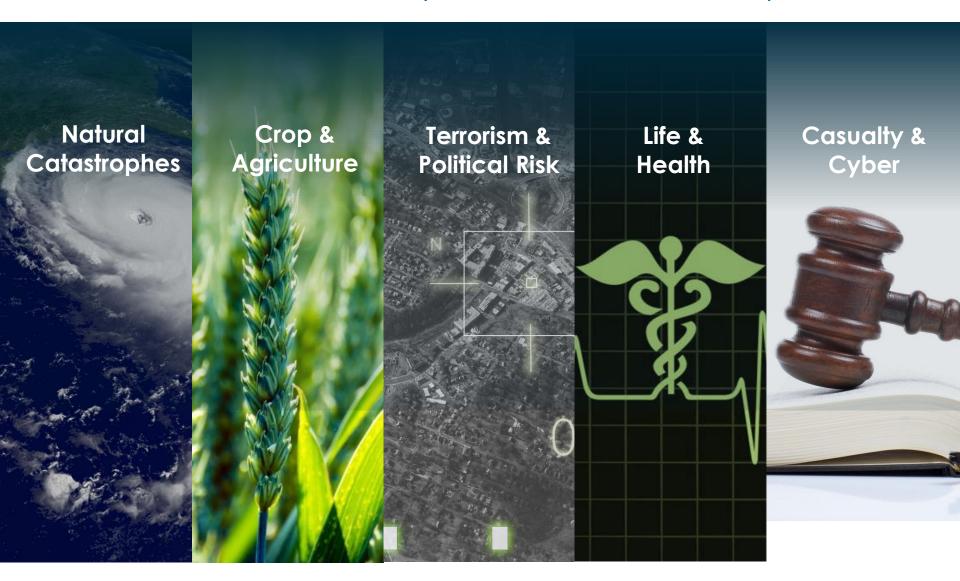


#### Today: Extreme Event Models in 110+ Countries





### Extreme Event Portfolio Beyond Natural Catastrophes





# AIR Models Support Multiple Asset Classes





### Modeling Continues to Evolve in Several Streams

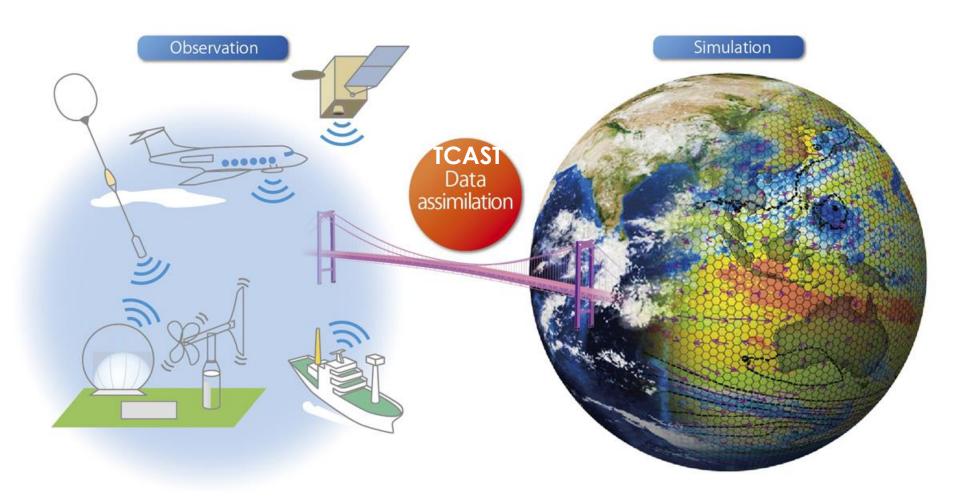








# Data Acquisition and Assimilation Drives Innovation





# Exposure Information is Increasing in Quantity and Detail



Roof shape, roof cover material, square footage

Chimneys, skylights, dormers, ...

Walls, doors, windows, siding, ...

Tree canopies

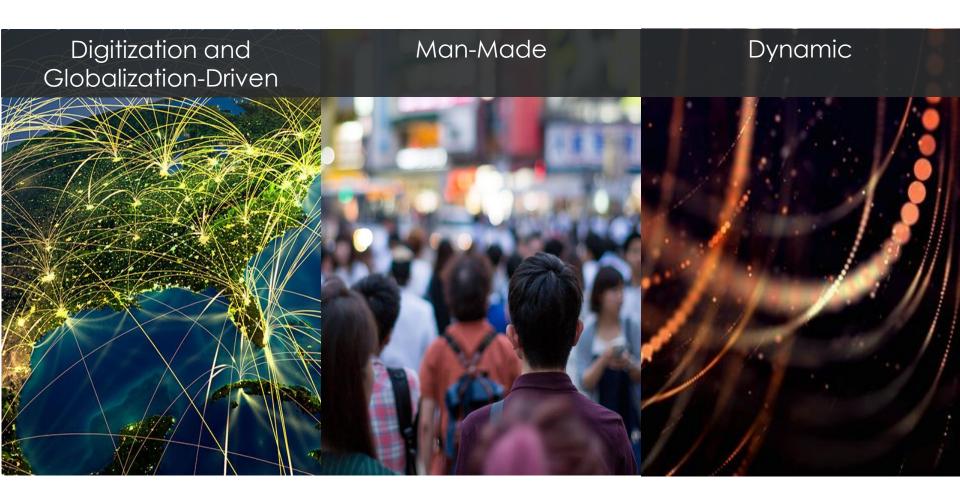
Swimming pools

and many more ...





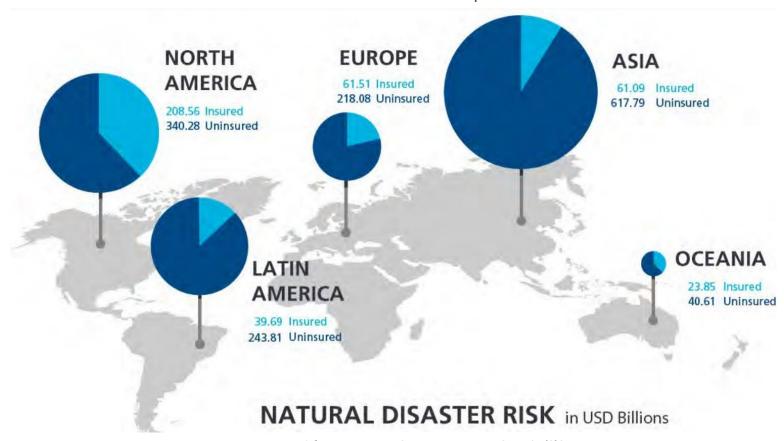
# A New Generation of Risks Is Emerging





#### The Protection Gap Persists





60-70% of loss is not insured

1% exceedance probability

