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COLD CHAIN RISK WEEK: INSURANCE

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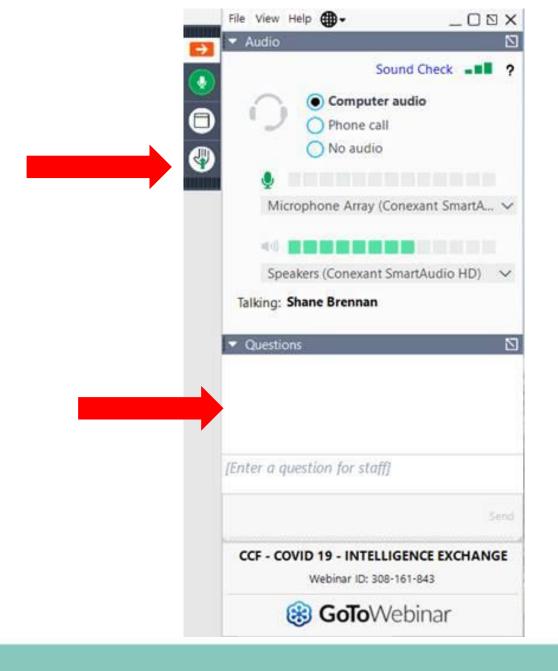
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Resilience, Risk & Insurance in the Cold Chain

Cold Chain Federation Risk Week 2023

21 February 2023

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Today's line-up...

Meet the speakers!



Zoë Parkes Transportation Industry Practice

Marsh UK

I am part of Marsh's UK Industry Leadership team, which spans 20 industry groups covering major segments of the economy. We develop and deliver industry-specific services and solutions to clients ranging from small and medium sized organisations to global corporations.



Ben Davies Account Executive

Marsh Commercial & Corporate

I am part of Marsh's UK transport team. We specialise in risk management & bespoke risk solutions, helping hauliers and warehousing businesses to understand their exposures along with the calculations behind underwriting.

Let's talk...

Understanding Risk

Warehousing **Risks**

3 Transportation **Risks**

Premium

Becoming bestin-class

Q&A

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Understanding Risk

Poll:

To what extent are you comfortable with the concept of "risk"?

The Baseline: what does "risk" really mean?



Possibility / Impact of Loss

Example: What would be the financial cost of flood damage to my warehouse?



Uncertainty / Unpredictability of Events

Example: How likely is a flood to occur in each of my warehousing locations?



Chance of Positive Outcome / Benefit

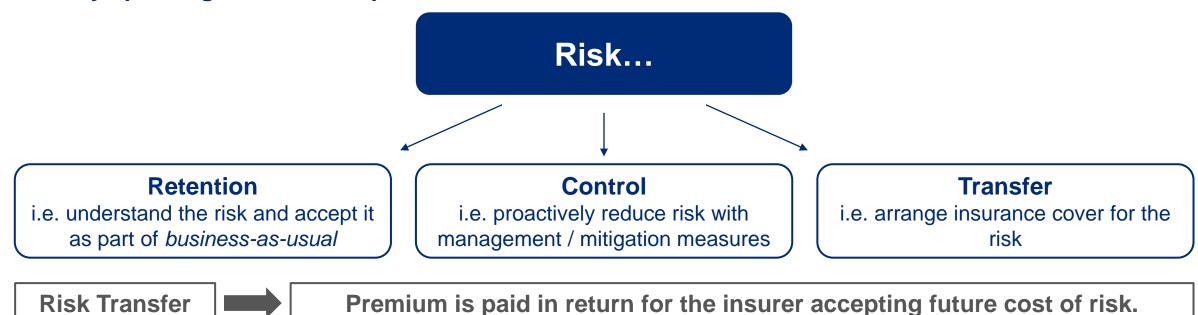
Also known as 'upside risk'

Example: How much could my operating profit increase if I make this investment?



So, how do we deal with "risk"?

Broadly speaking, there are 3 options:



Many factors affect how much 'premium' (£) is charged, including:



Warehousing Risk

Poll:

To what extent have you assessed the potential for disaster losses & business interruption?



Inflation

Environment of high inflation = volatile supply/demand cycles; staffing pressures; and fuel/energy **price increases**. Warehouse property valuations can rise, leading to risk of **underinsurance**.

Composite Paneling

...could be an environmental ESG solution, e.g., refrigerated trucks will retain cold temperatures more efficiently & require less energy.

Also, cost-efficient & versatile!

But; insurance can be a challenge.





Risks



Value of Goods

It's not just the **value** of the **warehouse** that rises – the **goods** that are stored within are now **worth more**, too.

Insurers must have up-to-date values in order to price cover accurately.

ESG & Sustainability

Strong ESG performance crucial for investors, customers and insurers. Key cold chain issues: emission reduction; energy efficiency; D&I; cyber-security; reporting transparency.

Consider: climate change -> global warming. Is your temperature-controlled property heat-stress resilient?





Average Clauses

Where property/goods valuations are underestimated, the 'average' clause may apply – the insurer may only pay a proportion of the full claim.



What happens if disaster strikes at your warehouse?

Business Interruption insurance aims to place a business in the same 'position' post-loss as it was before the incident*

Considerations for ensuring you have the right cover in place:

Indemnity period

- How long would it take to get back to the same profit/revenue level?
- What happens if prices increase during this period
- Will materials be available?
- How long will replacement equipment take / is it specialist?

Policy Limits

Would these be sufficient to cover a maximum loss?

Declared Values

Is growth / variation in the insured value factored in?

Variable Costs

Do these mirror business activities?

Interdependency

 Are there any Group-level interdependencies to note?

Supply Chain Cover

- What are the financial implications of supply chain partner losses (customer / suppliers)?
- Procurement risk
- Competitor environment
- IT risk



Consider: BI events can have implications on capex and ESG credentials. *Example: Have you considered how goods might be salvaged, even if temperature controlled systems fail?*

Transportation Risk

Poll:

To what extent do you consider wider industry trends when managing risk?



Logistics & Haulage | Trends & Risk Issues





Premium

Poll:

How well do you understand the costs associated with your insurance premiums?

Property Damage & Business Interruption Insurance

Protecting your warehouse and disruption to business in the event of a loss

The amount of premium (£) charged by insurers depends on a range of factors:

Level of Retention

- Retaining more of the risk (i.e. a higher deductible) can result in lower premiums
- Consider whether the premium discount is reasonable, and whether you can afford to cover the potential loss

Claims Performance

- A history of high-value, high-frequency claims would signal to insurers that your property is a risky investment
 - Result: higher renewal premiums

Risk Exposure & Continuity Planning

- How likely is your property to be damaged by external hazards (fire / flood / wind)?
- Do you have contingency plans in place to facilitate quick recovery post-loss?

Property Valuation An insurer's financial exposure increases with the value of a property.

Valuations have risen by ~ +10–15% due to recent inflation rates.

Construction

Warehouses will be rated according to: square footage; age of building; and construction materials e.g. timber / brick.

Protection & Security

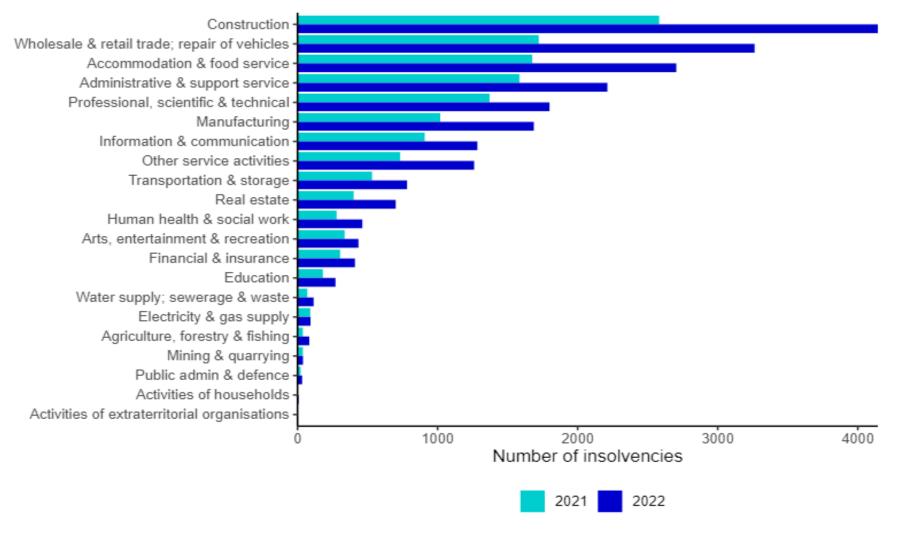
 What measures are in place to protect your property?

Examples: strength of public services; physical risk controls e.g. sprinklers, alarms, fire extinguishers



Insolvencies are on the rise across all sectors

Considering how credit risk affects cold chain businesses



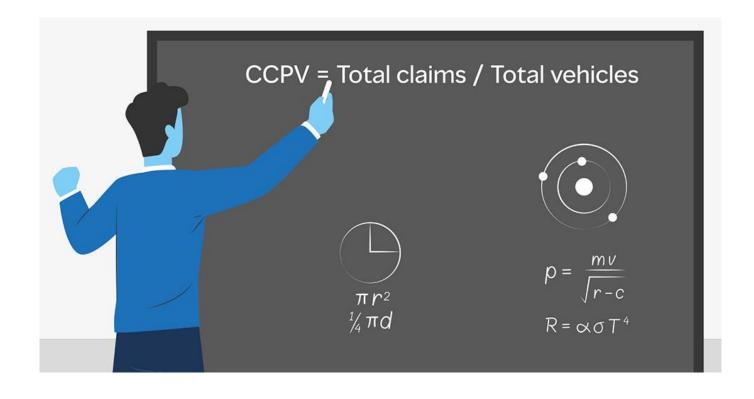




Motor Fleet Insurance

VIDEO: Why your Claims Cost per Vehicle (CCPV) matters...

The cost of transferring risk for your fleet is highly sensitive to safety management and claims. Let's watch this video to debunk this concept of 'Claims Cost per Vehicle'...





Risk Environment

- First Notification of Loss kickstarts your claimshandling process
 - Delayed or inaccurate FNOL reporting could lead to increased cost of claim or increased renewal premium
 - Fleet manager worries of drivers communicating directly with the insurer
 - Using technology to streamline the process
- Ineffective monitoring of telematics data leading to claims disputes
- Increasing claims costs per vehicle (CCPVs) lead to higher premiums



Insurance Considerations

- 'Pound' swapping with Insurers leads to higher premiums.
- Programme should be tailored to individual needs e.g. excess / cover.
- Increased claims cost following delayed reporting.





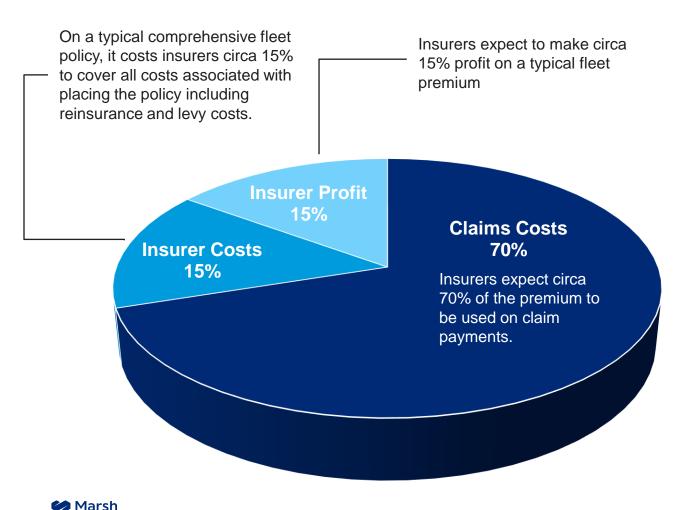
Risk Development

- Regular review of telematics analytics
- Total cost of risk assessment
- Types of vehicles & repair costs
- Claims analysis causation / cost



The Importance of High Quality Claims Data

Typical Insurer Premium Split



- Underwriters use your legacy claims data to determine future premium. Typically on a 70% loss ratio basis.
- For Example if your claims are £700,000 underwriters will calculate your premium at £1,000,000.
- If your claims are inaccurate or overstated your premium will also be inaccurate or overstated.
- Regularly challenging and cleansing claims histories are vital to delivering the best results from the market.
- Modelling claims to determine optimum programme structure only delivers reliable results if the claims history is accurate.

How to become best-inclass...

Poll:

What is your typical timeline for insurance programme renewal?



Utilise a four-step approach to become best-in-class:

1

Strategy Planning

- Better understand your business strategy, risk profile financial and service objectives and KPIs
- Identify new / emerging risks and retention capacity
- Identify opportunities to maximise value in the existing risk management programme.

2

Renewal Design

- Peer-review in-depth analysis of current coverage
- Deliver benchmarking
- Conduct cost-benefit analyses to prioritise solutions
- Integrate claims & risk control solutions to attack risk drivers.
- Improve service efficiencies

3

Programme Administration

- Billing (within 10 business days of binding).
- · Binders.
- Policy issuance (no later than 30 days from binding date)
- Policy updates
- Premium allocation agreed

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Performance Review

- Tie results to your KPIs to measure the value of risk management
- Review and manage goals, progress, and results
- Identify target areas for improvement.
- Provide clear view of the total cost of risk

The placement process:



Engaging the Market

INSURER EDUCATION

HIGH-QUALITY RISK PRESENTATIONS

FOCUSED INSURER MARKETING

Focused Marketing

SPECIALIST INSURERS

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Driving the Deal

BEST FEW INSURERS

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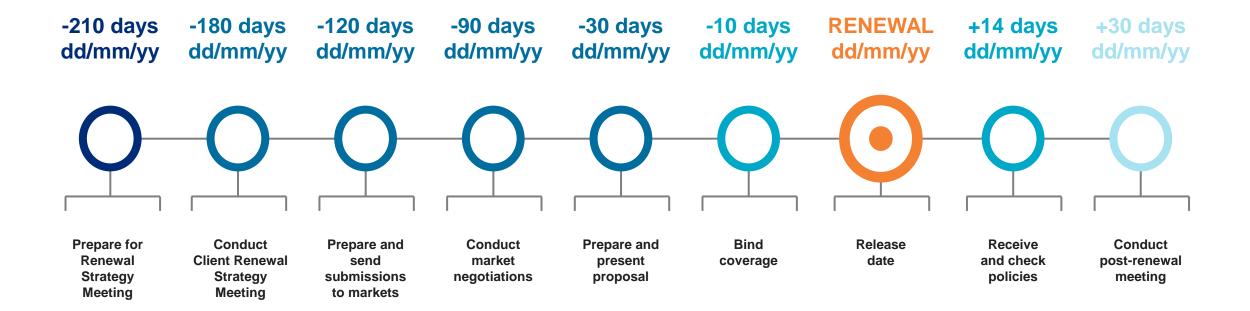
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Understanding the Importance of Renewal Timelines

Depending on the nature of your programme, integrating these considerations into each renewalperiod approach will help you secure the best cover, on the best terms



Q&A and Open Forum!

Reinforce:

How do you feel about the renewal process now?



Get in touch...







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