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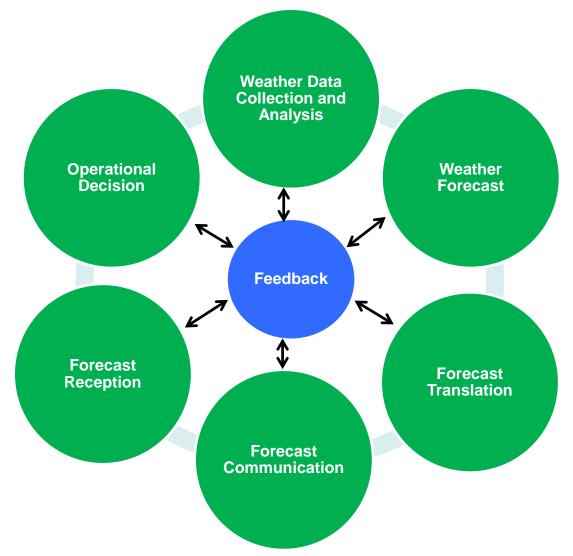
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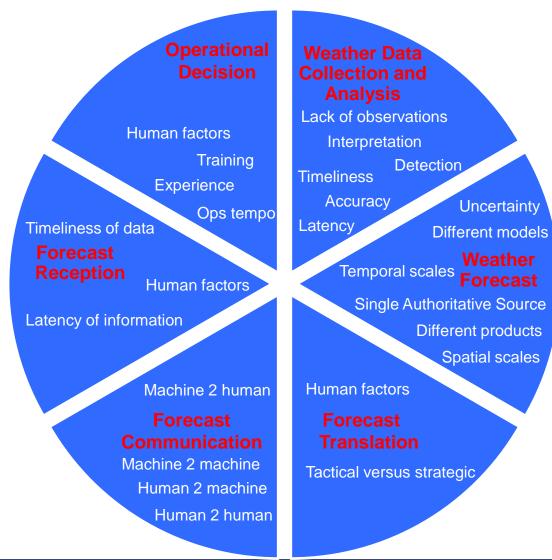
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Some Considerations





Weather Metrics

Critical Success Index (CSI)

Brier Skill Score

Probability of Detection (POD)

False Alarm Rate (FAR)

Bias

Relative Operating Characteristic (ROC) curves

Root Mean Square Error (RMSE)

Equitable Threat Score

Weather metrics rarely translate to operational effectiveness and measurements



Other Factors to Consider



Flight operations

Non-weather factors:

Airline consolidations and mergers

New/improved/legacy FAA systems

Regulations and guidance



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