

2015–2016 US Transportation Fatalities

| | | 2015 | 2016 ¹ |
|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|-------------------|
| Highway: | Passenger cars | 12,761 | 13,412 |
| | Light trucks and vans | 9,878 | 10,302 |
| | Pedestrians | 5,495 | 5,987 |
| | Motorcycles | 5,029 | 5,286 |
| | Pedalcycles ² | 829 | 840 |
| | Medium and heavy trucks | 665 | 722 |
| | Buses | 49 | 40 |
| | Other ³ | 779 | 872 |
| | Total, Highway | 35,485 | 37,461 |
| Grade Crossings: ⁴ | | (236) | (266) |
| Rail: | Freight, passenger, and commuter rail ⁵ | 624 | 660 |
| | (Trespassing) ⁶ | (452) | (487) |
| | Rail transit ⁷ | 84 | 73 |
| | Total, Rail | 708 | 733 |
| Marine: | Recreational boating | 626 | 701 |
| | Cargo transport | 41 | 11 |
| | Commercial fishing ⁸ | 17 | 16 |
| | Commercial passenger | 4 | 2 |
| | Total, Marine | 688 | 730 |
| Aviation: | General aviation | 378 | 386 |
| | Airlines | 0 | 0 |
| | Air taxi | 27 | 19 |
| | Commuter | 1 | 8 |
| | Foreign/unregistered ⁹ | 12 | 4 |
| | Total, Aviation ¹⁰ | 416 | 412 |
| Pipeline: | Gas | 11 | 13 |
| | Liquids | 1 | 3 |
| | Total, Pipeline | 12 | 16 |
| | Total | 37,309 | 39,339 |

¹ Numbers for 2016 are preliminary estimates. Aviation data are from the NTSB; marine data are reported by the US Department of Homeland Security; all other data are reported by the US Department of Transportation.

² Pedalcycles include bicycles and other cycles.

³ Other refers to non-occupants (excluding pedestrians and pedalcyclists) and occupants in other or unknown vehicle types.

⁴ Grade crossing fatalities are reported as a separate category but should not be added to the total because they are included in the highway and rail fatalities as appropriate.

⁵ Freight, passenger, and commuter rail data are reported by the Federal Railroad Administration.

⁶ Trespassing fatalities are reported as a separate category but should not be added to the total because they are included in the freight, passenger, and commuter rail fatalities. Trespassing fatalities are not available for rail transit.

⁷ Rail transit data are reported by the Federal Transit Administration and include fatalities involving heavy rail, light rail, cable car, inclined plane, monorail/automated guideway, streetcar rail, and hybrid rail.

⁸ Commercial fishing refers to operational fatalities.

⁹ Foreign/unregistered includes non-US registered aircraft involved in accidents in the United States.

¹⁰ Total fatalities may not equal the sum of each category because accidents may involve multiple categories.