

USACE Water-Related Fatality Data Summary FY98 - FY06 (Updated 19 SEPT 07)

Gender		%
163	Female	11.0%
1320	Male	88.8%
4	Unknown	0.3%
1487	Total	

Wearing PFD		%
YES	66	4.4%
NO	1384	93.1%
Unknown	29	2.0%
*N/A	8	0.5%

Age Groupings		
Age under 7	4%	62
Age7-17	17%	245
Age18-35	41%	603
Age 36 & Over	39%	571
Age36-54	25%	372
Age 55 & Over	13%	199

278
709
1132

**Alcohol/Drug		%
YES	317	21%
NO	1010	68%
Unk	160	11%

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Age Groupings		
Age 0-9	6%	96
Age 10-20	24%	361
Age 21-30	20%	302
Age 31-40	19%	284
Age 41-50	12%	183
Age 51-60	10%	143
Age 61-70	5%	72
71 & Over	4%	53
Age Unknown	Not totaled	

Swimming Fatalities D/U		%
D=Designated Area	161	19%
U=Undesignated Area	678	81%
Total	839	

Cause		
D = Drowning	1293	87%
T = Trauma	123	8%
DH = Hypothermia	37	2%
M = Medical	16	1%
***CO = Carbon Monoxide	5	1%
U = Unknown	13	100%

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Note:

* New category in PFD section in FY06

**FY06-combined alcohol/drugs together so we could summarize with FY98-05 data, assumed that if no alcohol reported then no drugs were involved

***started tracking in FY06 - carbon monoxide as new cause