

--Fatal Crashes **May 5, 2020 – May 11, 2020:**

5/5/20: New Haven, US 7. Vehicle vs. pedestrian crash. Pedestrian fatality.

5/10/20: Benson, VT 22A. Vehicle ran off road, driver fatality.

--**2020** Fatalities: **10** Total – **8** vehicle operators, **0** passengers, **2** pedestrians

As of **May 11 in each calendar year shown:**

Year	Fatalities (People)	Fatal Crashes
2020	10	10
2019	5	5
2018	14	13
2017	17	15

Fatal Crash Data	2020*	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Total Fatal Crashes	10	44	61	64	59	50
Total Fatalities (People)	10	47	69	70	64	57
Double Fatality Crashes	0	3	8	3	2	5
Triple Fatality Crashes	0	0	0	0	1	1
Quadruple Fatality Crashes	0	0	0	1	0	0
Operators Suspected as Driving under the Influence of Alcohol Only	1	5	5	6	14	4
Operators Suspected as Driving under the Influence of Drugs Only	0	15	13	18	10	11
Operators Suspected as Driving under the Influence of both Alcohol & Drugs	1	3	10	11	10	9
Active Cannabis - Delta 9 THC Confirmed**	1	13	16	18	18	11
Operators Suspected of Speeding	2	14	22	27	29	16
Operators with Suspended License/ No License	1	6	7	11	10	5
Junior License Operators involved in fatal crashes	0	1	4	2	0	1
"Older Drivers" involved in fatal Crashes (Older Driver is defined as any person age 65 or older. & "involved" does not imply "fault")	4	16	14	15	14	11

Crashes involving a Large Truck/Bus (“involving” does not imply “fault”)	3	10	6	3	5	4
Motorcyclist Fatalities	0	8	7	13	11	11

*2020 data is as of the date of this report. These numbers are subject to change.

**Active Cannabis - Delta-9 THC Confirmed is counted in the number of operators that had drugs only or alcohol & drugs.

Fatalities by Vehicle Type and Restraint/Safety Equipment Used							
Road User Type	Restraint/Safety Equipment	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Motor Vehicle Occupant	Unbelted	3	17	34	24	21	16
	- Driver	3	14	25	17	11	11
	- Passenger		2	9	6	10	5
	- UTV Driver			0	1	0	0
	Belted	3	18	21	22	23	17
	- Driver	3	14	15	15	20	13
	- Passenger		4	6	7	3	4
	Improper Belt Use/Child Restraint	0	0	0	1	1	0
Motorcyclist/ATV	Wearing Helmet	0	5	5	11	10	11
	Non-DOT Compliant Helmet/Improper	0	1	1	1	1	0
	No Helmet	0	2	1	2	1	1
Vulnerable Users	Pedestrians	2	3	6	9	5	5
	Bicyclists	0	0	0	0	1	4
Unknown	Unknown Belt/Helmet Use	2	1	1	1	2	4
% Unbelted*		50%	49%	62%	52%	48%	48%
Total Fatalities		10	47	69	70	64	58

*Of all fatalities: only occupants in vehicles equipped with seatbelts are used in the calculation for unbelted percentage. Excludes: motorcycles, ATVs, pedestrians, bicyclists and unknowns. (Sum of Belted” & “Unbelted”, divided into “Unbelted”)

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