

Transportation: Pick Six

Odds of being killed in a transportation incident: 1 in 6,000 during one year (source: National Safety Council)

3: Nearly 3,000 road fatalities (2,923 to be precise) occurred across Canada in 2005. (Transport Canada)

7: Aviation deaths across the US rose to 779 in 2006, from 617 in 2005. Rail fatalities numbered 781, compared to 803 in 2005. (National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB))

8: Marine deaths across the US increased to 805 in 2006 from 789 in 2005. Of that number, 710 occurred in recreational boating incidents. (NTSB)

45: Transportation fatalities of all types totaled 45,026 throughout the US in 2006, compared to 45,735 in 2005. (NTSB)

52: Aviation deaths across Canada numbered 52 in 2005. (Transportation Safety Board of Canada)

95: Highway fatalities account for about 95 percent of all US transportation deaths. (NTSB)