

## 2018 Iowa Traffic Fatality Count for Friday, 05/25/18

A fatality is considered "crash-related" when death occurs within 30 days of a crash. Because complex crash investigations can delay the official report of fatalities, the numbers for the most current months are preliminary and can change considerably.

### Number of Fatalities Reported on this Day by Year

| 2018 | 106 | Comparison to previous 5 years (2013-2018)               |       |         |
|------|-----|--|-------|---------|
|      |     |  | Count | %       |
| 2017 | 108 | Decrease from Last Year                                  | -2    | -1.85%  |
| 2016 | 135 | Increase from Low Year of Last 5 yrs.                    | 7     | 7.07%   |
| 2015 | 104 | Decrease from High Year of Last 5 yrs.                   | -29   | -21.48% |
| 2014 | 99  | Decrease from 5 Year Average                             | -3    | -2.75%  |
| 2013 | 99  | Average fatalities year to date for this day (2013-2017) |       | 109     |

### Monthly Fatality Count (2013-2018 figures are end-of-month totals)

| MONTH        | 2018       | 2017       | 2016       | 2015       | 2014       | 2013       |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| January      | 25         | 20         | 28         | 18         | 28         | 22         |
| February     | 24         | 20         | 19         | 18         | 16         | 15         |
| March        | 12         | 23         | 25         | 19         | 16         | 21         |
| April        | 25         | 26         | 33         | 31         | 22         | 24         |
| May          | 20         | 23         | 39         | 25         | 27         | 24         |
| June         |            | 30         | 40         | 25         | 26         | 29         |
| July         |            | 33         | 38         | 33         | 29         | 26         |
| August       |            | 36         | 38         | 51         | 36         | 35         |
| September    |            | 44         | 31         | 29         | 34         | 37         |
| October      |            | 34         | 39         | 24         | 30         | 29         |
| November     |            | 15         | 35         | 23         | 46         | 27         |
| December     |            | 26         | 37         | 24         | 12         | 28         |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>106</b> | <b>330</b> | <b>402</b> | <b>320</b> | <b>322</b> | <b>317</b> |

| Fatalities' Seat Belt Usage - Year to Date                         | Comments      | Counties |
|--|---------------|----------|
| <i>Belt usage may change as additional information is received</i> | No fatalities |          |
| 48 With belt 55.81%  |               |          |
| 27 Without belt 31.40%   |               |          |
| 11 Unknown 12.79%  |               |          |
| 20 Not applicable (Motorcycle, Pedestrian, etc.)                   |               |          |
| 106 Total Fatalities   |               |          |

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