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2021 Iowa Traffic Fatality Count for Monday, 03/14/2022

A fatality is considered "crash-related" when death occurs within 30 days (720 hours) of a crash. Because fatal crashes can involve complex investigations, this can delay the official report of fatalities. The numbers for the most recent months are preliminary and can change considerably.

Number of fatalities reported on **this** day by year

2021	354	Comparison to previous 5 years (2016-2020)		
			Count	% change
2020	334	Increase from Last Year	20	5.99%
2019	329	Increase from Low Year of Last 5 yrs.	39	12.38%
2018	315	Decrease from High Year of Last 5 yrs.	-45	-11.28%
2017	329	Increase from 5 Year Average	13	3.81%
2016	399	Average fatalities year to date for this day (2016-2020)		341

Monthly Fatality Count (2016-2020) figures are end-of-month totals)

MONTH	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
January	16	24	21	25	20	28
February	14	17	20	25	20	19
March	18	14	23	12	23	25
April	28	17	22	28	26	33
May	43	21	30	23	23	39
June	33	24	35	39	30	40
July	33	44	32	32	33	38
August	41	53	31	31	36	38
September	38	41	39	25	45	31
October	34	25	21	24	34	39
November	29	26	35	29	15	35
December	27	37	28	26	26	37
TOTAL	354	343	337	319	331	402

Seat Belt Usage for fatalities - Year to Date	Comments	County
<i>Belt usage may change as additional information is received</i>	Deleted 1 Sept. fatality-Natural causes	Dubuque
115 With belt 48.73%		
94 Without belt 39.83%		
27 Unknown 11.44%		
118 Not applicable (Motorcycle, Pedestrian, etc.)		
354 Total Fatalities		

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