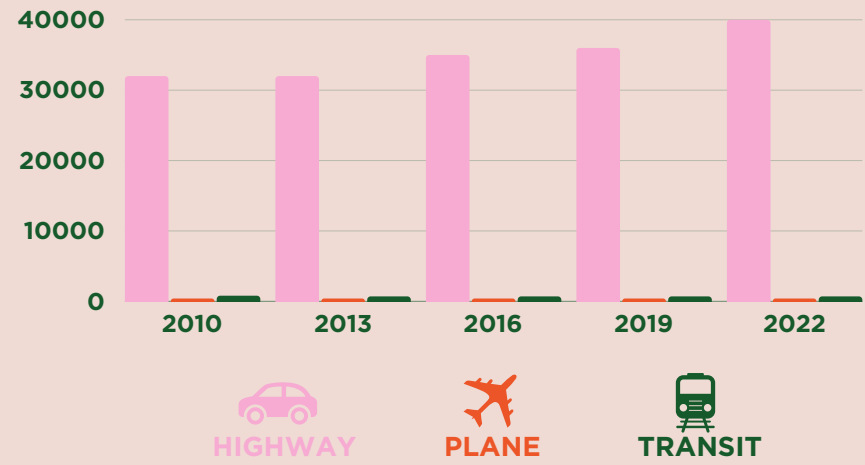


# WHY FLYING IS STILL THE SAFEST WAY TO TRAVEL

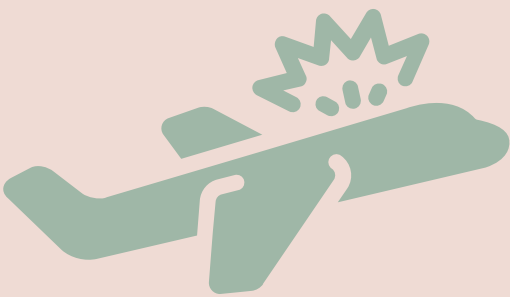
This infographic highlights why air travel remains the safest mode of transportation. Despite media coverage of accidents, the data shows significant improvements in aviation safety over the years.

## COMPARING FATALITIES BY TRANSPORTATION MODE



94%

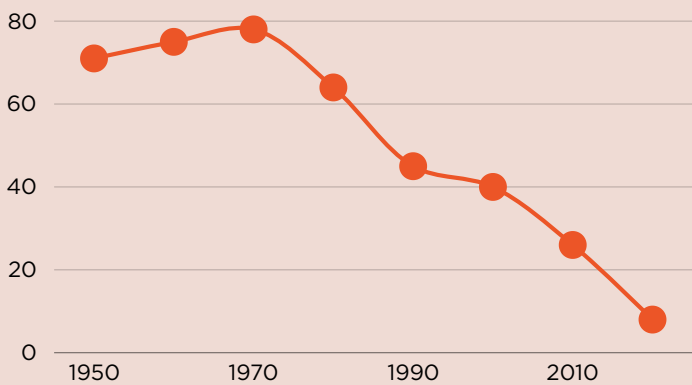
Contribution of highway fatalities every year



1 ACCIDENT

in every 1.25 million flights

## DECLINE IN AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS OVER TIME DUE TO ADVANCEMENTS IN TECH & STRICTER REGULATIONS



## MEDIA ATTENTION VS. REALITY



media coverage has increased by 200% since 1991

actual airplane crashes have decreased by 78%



CHANCE OF A PLANE CRASH IN 2023

1 in 4,875,000



1 IN 15 PEOPLE HAVE SEVERE FEAR OF FLYING OR AVIOPHOBIA.

### SOURCES

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