

TABLE-1.0
Number and Share of Accidental Deaths due to Forces of Nature and Other Causes – 2018 & 2019

Sl. No.	Cause	2018		2019		% Variation during 2019 over 2018
		No.	% Share (w.r.t. All India)	No.	% Share (w.r.t. All India)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
A. FORCES OF NATURE						
1	Avalanche	5	0.1	35	0.4	600.0
2	Exposure to Cold	757	11.0	796	9.8	5.2
3	Cyclone	125	1.8	33	0.4	-73.6
4	Tornado	36	0.5	15	0.2	-58.3
5	Tsunami	0	0.0	0	0.0	-
6	Earthquake	0	0.0	1	0.0	-
7	Epidemic	0	0.0	1	0.0	-
8	Flood	500	7.3	948	11.6	89.6
9	Heat/Sun Stroke	890	12.9	1274	15.6	43.1
10	Landslide	404	5.9	264	3.2	-34.7
11	Lightning	2357	34.2	2876	35.3	22.0
12	Torrential Rain	101	1.5	69	0.8	-31.7
13	Forest Fire	10	0.1	9	0.1	-10.0
14	Causes other than above	1706	24.8	1824	22.4	6.9
15	Total (A)	6891	100.0	8145	100.0	18.2
B. OTHER CAUSES						
1	Air-Crash	15	0.0	12	0.0	-20.0
2	Ship Accidents	0	0.0	0	0.0	-
3	Collapse of Structure	2017	0.5	1929	0.5	-4.4
4	Drowning	30187	7.5	32671	7.9	8.2
5	Electrocution	12154	3.0	13432	3.3	10.5
6	Accidental Explosion	696	0.2	655	0.2	-5.9
7	Falls	20201	5.0	20901	5.1	3.5
8	Factory/Machine Accidents	1063	0.3	1001	0.2	-5.8
9	Accidental Fire	12748	3.1	10915	2.6	-14.4
10	Firearm	528	0.1	320	0.1	-39.4
11	Mines or Quarry Disaster	125	0.0	82	0.0	-34.4
12	Traffic Accidents	178832	44.2	181113	43.9	1.3
13	Stampede	6	0.0	12	0.0	100.0
14	Sudden Deaths	45634	11.3	47295	11.5	3.6
15	Deaths of Women during Pregnancy	1146	0.3	1160	0.3	1.2
16	Deaths due to Consumption of Illicit/Poisonous Liquor	1365	0.3	1296	0.3	-5.1
17	Killed by Animals	1130	0.3	1425	0.3	26.1
18	Poisoning	21646	5.3	21196	5.1	-2.1
19	Suffocation	1921	0.5	1598	0.4	-16.8
20	Drug Overdose	875	0.2	704	0.2	-19.5
21	Causes Not Known	14634	3.6	58576	14.2	300.3
22	Causes other than above	58010	14.3	16666	4.0	-71.3
	Total (B)	404933	100.0	412959	100.0	2.0
	Grand Total (A+B)	411824	100.0	421104	100.0	2.3

- As per data provided by States/UTs.