## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Due to recent crashes, the airline industry is receiving negative publicity. News and media outlets have made claims that air travel has become extremely dangerous, using misleading statistics. Despite these claims, airline safety trends prove it remains the safest way to travel.

### THE PROBLEM

These claims have the potential to hurt the entire airline industry, by reducing the overall demand for air travel and sales. As a result, the future of JetBlue could be at risk.

### THE SOLUTION

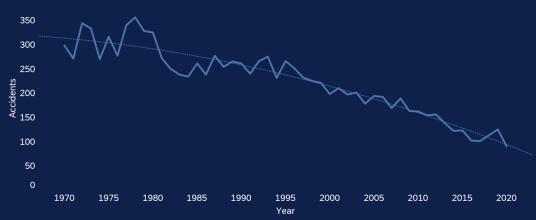
Using data, I will provide evidence that shows airline safety trends continuing to improve. I will also show how JetBlue compares with our top competitors.

### THE RESULT

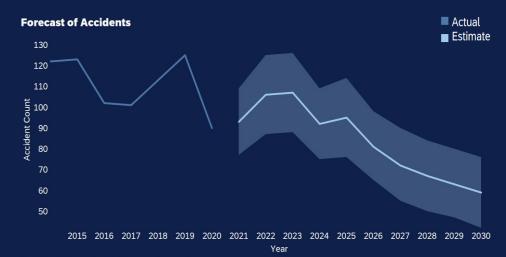
With JetBlue's stellar safety record, we have the opportunity to bring humanity back to air travel by presenting our findings to the public and media.

## The Decline of Aircraft Accidents and Fatalities

#### **Aircraft Accidents by Year**

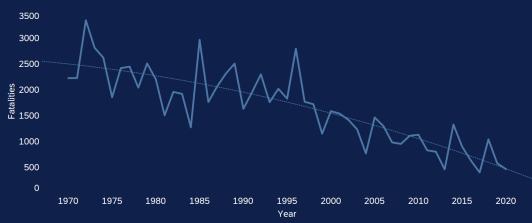


Source: ACRO and Bureau of Aircraft Accident Archives data



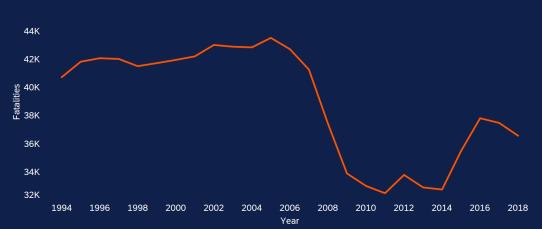
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#### **Fatalities by Year**



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#### **Vehicle Fatalities**



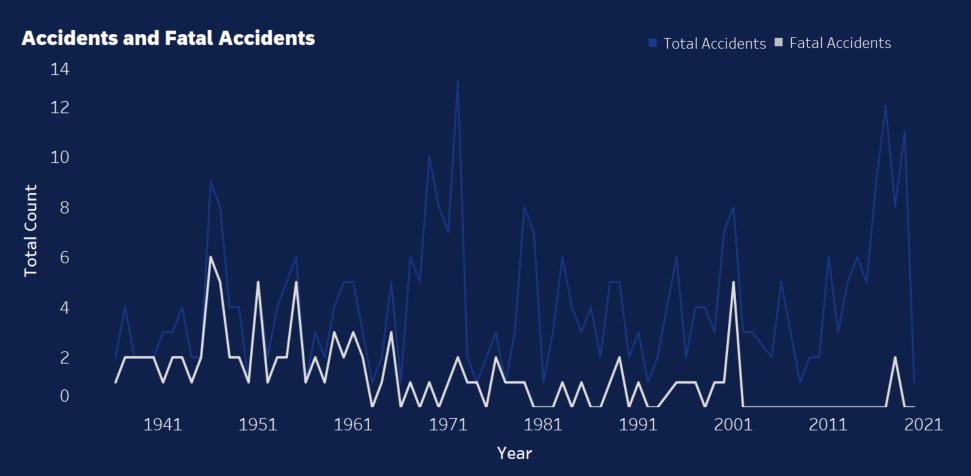
Fatalities and Fatality Rates, NHTSA

# JetBlue and Our Competitors

- Alaska
- Allegiant
- American

- Delta
- Frontier
- Hawaiian

- Southwest
- Spirit
- United



27.5% of accidents resulted in fatalities

#### **FATAL ACCIDENTS SINCE 2001**

#### **April 17, 2018**

Southwest Airlines Flight 1380 experienced engine failure, causing fan cowl components to strike a cabin window. A passenger sitting near the window was killed. The other 148 passengers survived.

#### August 10, 2018

Airport ground-service employee stole a Horizon Air (owned by Alaska Airlines) plane. He was the only passenger onboard and died after a deliberate descent to the ground.

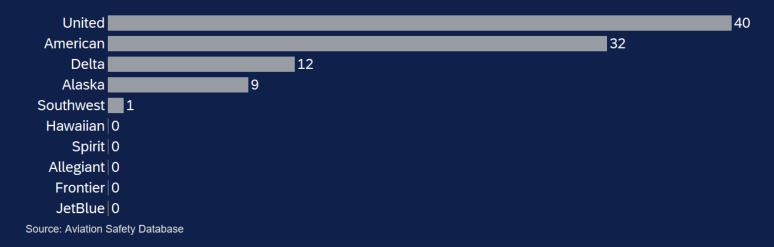
Source: Aviation Safety Database

## **How We Compare**

### **Accidents by Airline**



### **Fatal Accidents by Airline**

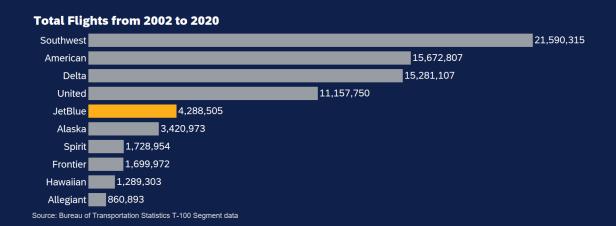


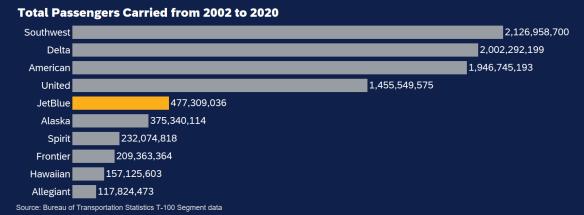
in our 21 years of operation

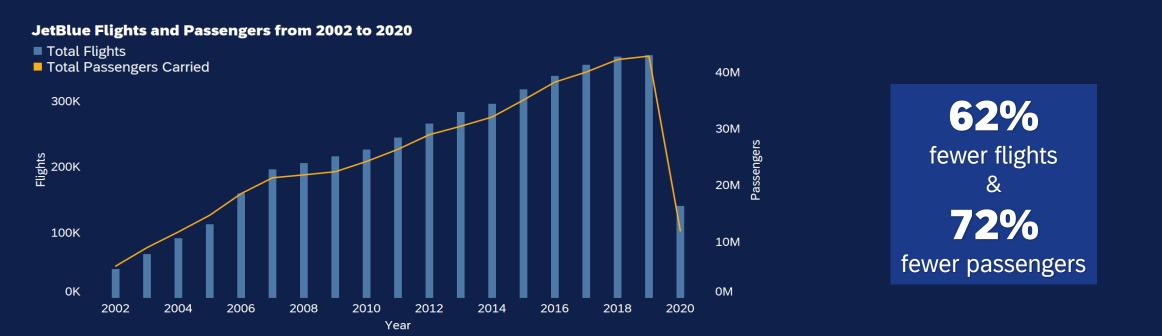
#### March 25, 2016

JetBlue Flight 29 from Washington, DC, experienced a component failure within the nose landing gear operating system. A successful emergency landing was performed at Lynden Pindling International Airport, Nassau. None of the passengers were injured.

## **How We Compare – 2002 to 2020**

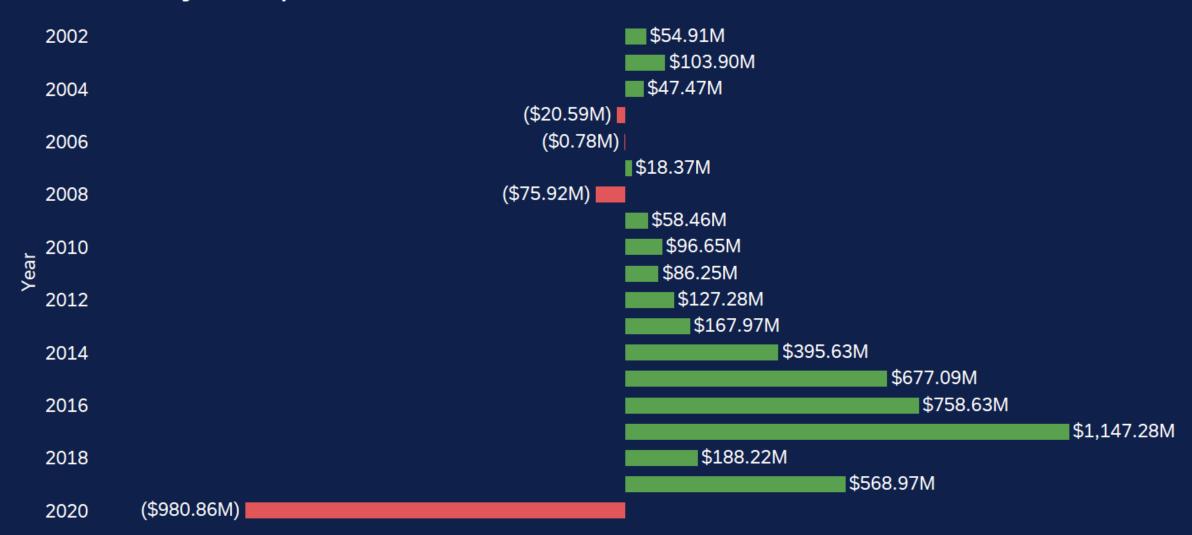






Source: Bureau of Transportation Statistics T-100 Segment data

## **Net Income by Year -** jetBlue



Source: Bureau of Transporation Statistics F41 Schedule P12 data