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The seasonal baseline of P&I deaths is calculated using a periodic regression model that incorporates a robust regression procedure

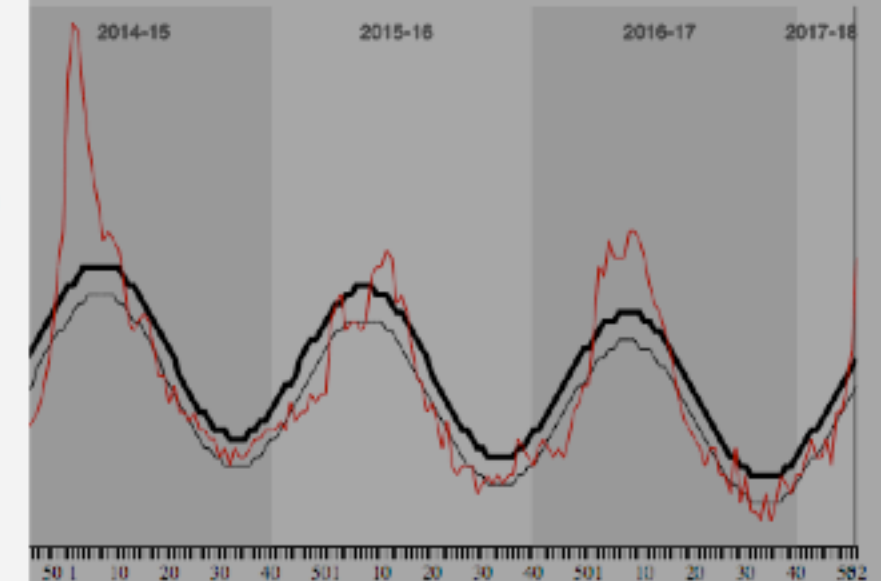
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Percent P&I

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Total Deaths	Percent Complete
1,037	86.2%
1,463	93.4%
1,337	97.4%

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2014-15

2015-16

2016-17

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either speed or
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Week

Number of Influenza

Selected Week (week 52)

453

Week 51

269

Week 50

136

ages

Total Deaths

Percent Complete ⓘ

,037

86.2%

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