



2020-2021 Fatal Snowmobile Accidents  
May 3, 2021

**Number of Snowmobile Fatalities**

**3**

2/19/21 – 11:18 p.m. – Cass County

An 18-year-old male died from injuries he received when the snowmobile he was operating struck a rock island.

Type of Terrain – Lake or stream

Type of Fatality – Struck fixed object

Snowmobile Certificate – No

Alcohol involved – Yes

2/22/21 – 3:17 p.m. – Cass County

Operator was injured and a 6-year old female passenger died when the operator squeezed the throttle too hard causing the snowmobile she was driving to take off and hit a tree.

Type of Terrain – Private property

Type of Fatality – Struck fixed object

Snowmobile Certificate – No

Alcohol involved – No

2/26/21 – 5:50 p.m. – Lake of the Woods County

Operator died after hitting an ice ridge at high speed.

Type of Terrain – Lake or stream

Type of Fatality – Struck fixed object

Snowmobile Certificate – Yes

Alcohol involved – Yes

# MN DNR Enforcement Snowmobile Accident Totals

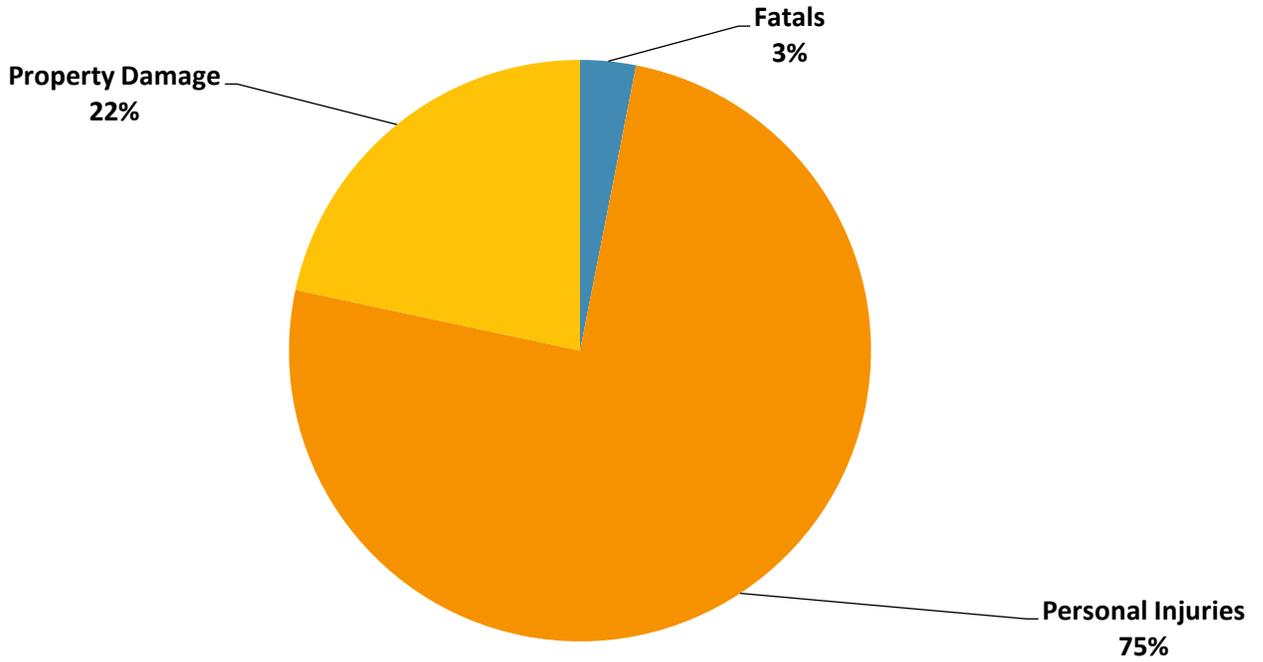
Total Accidents - 90

Fatalities – 3

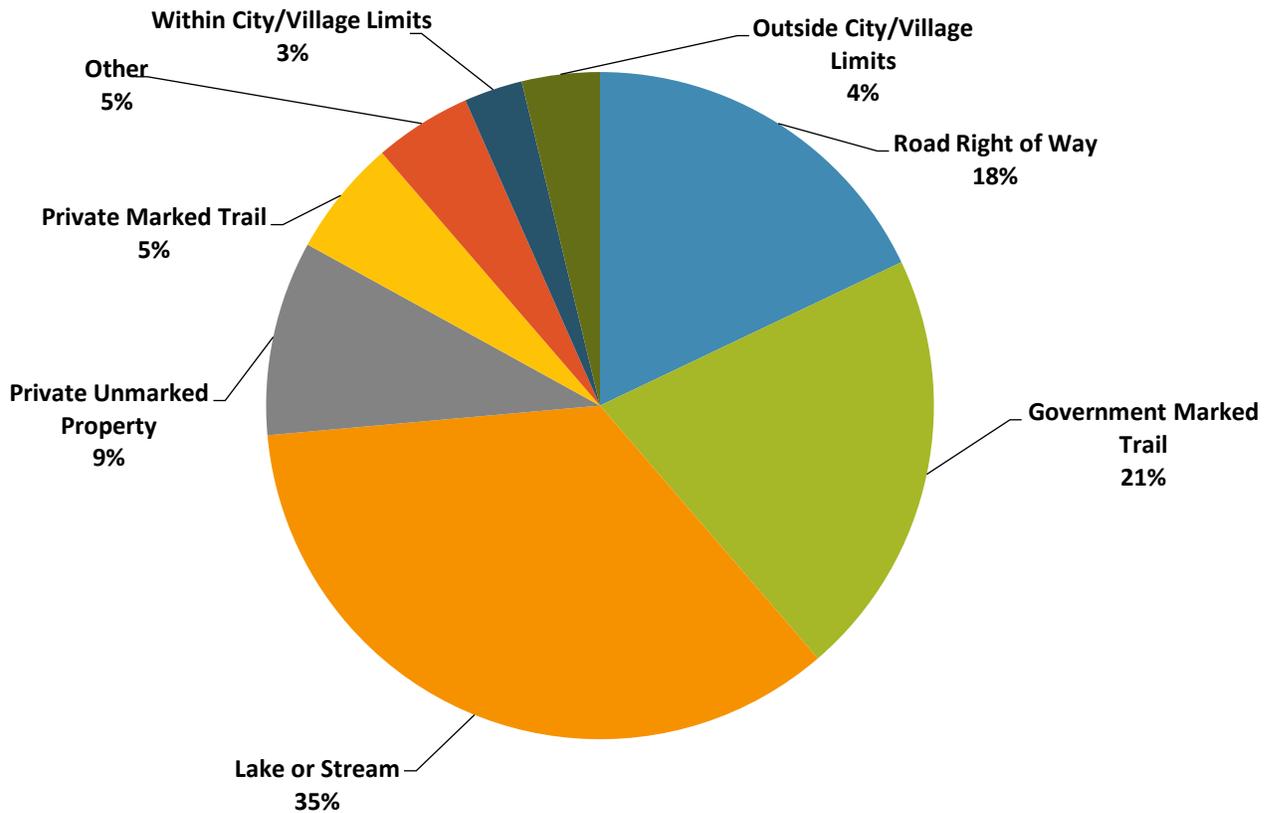
Personal Injuries – 73

Property Damage - 21

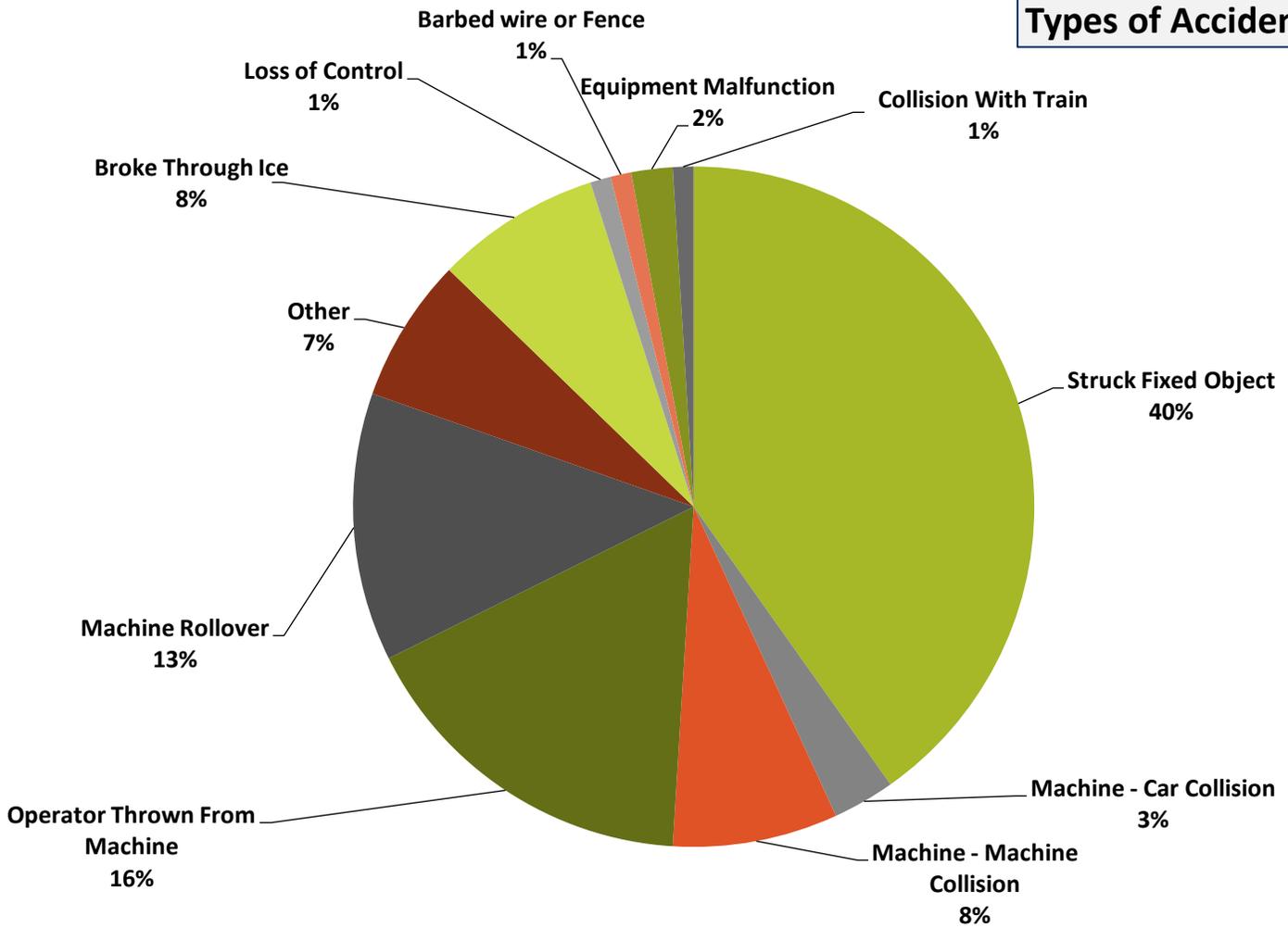
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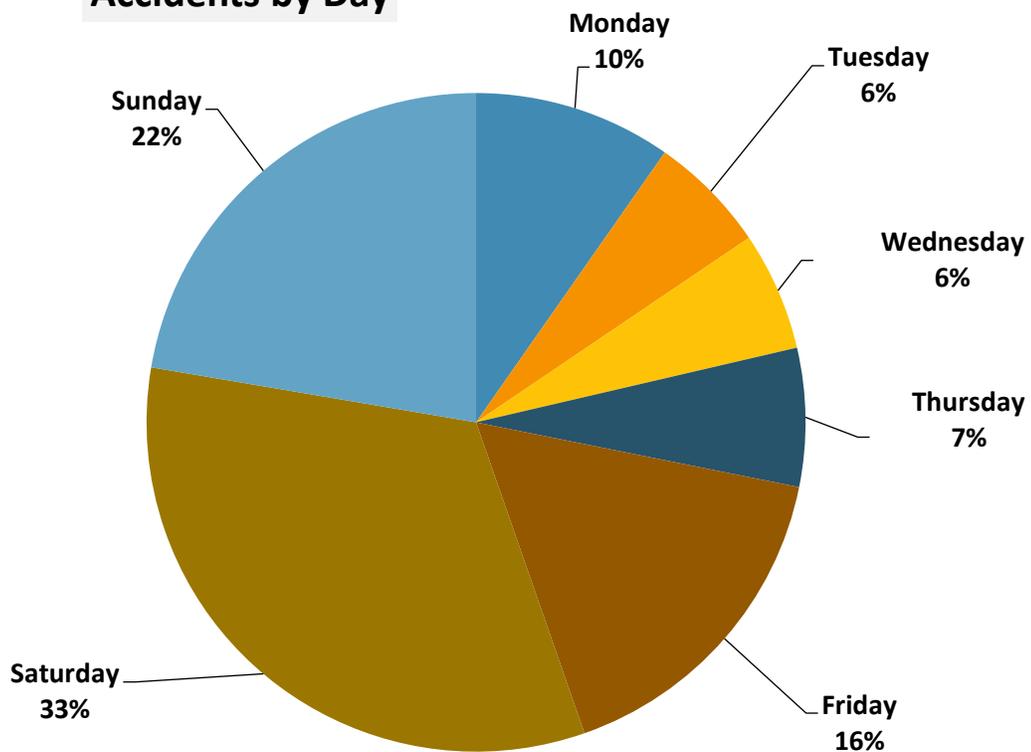
## Where Accidents Happen



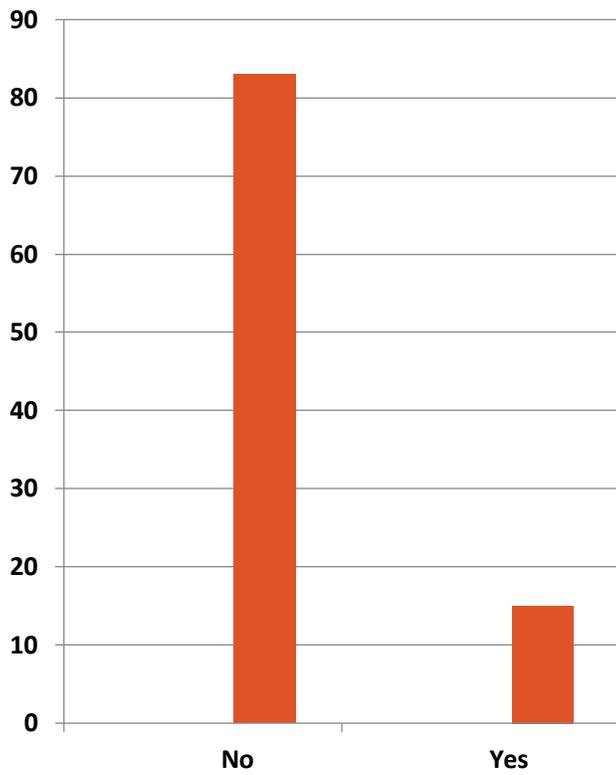
## Types of Accidents



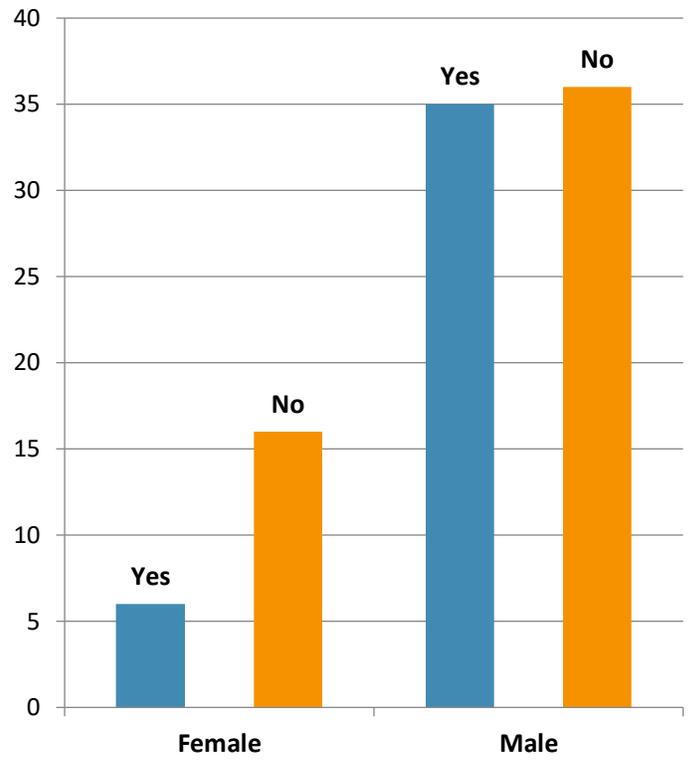
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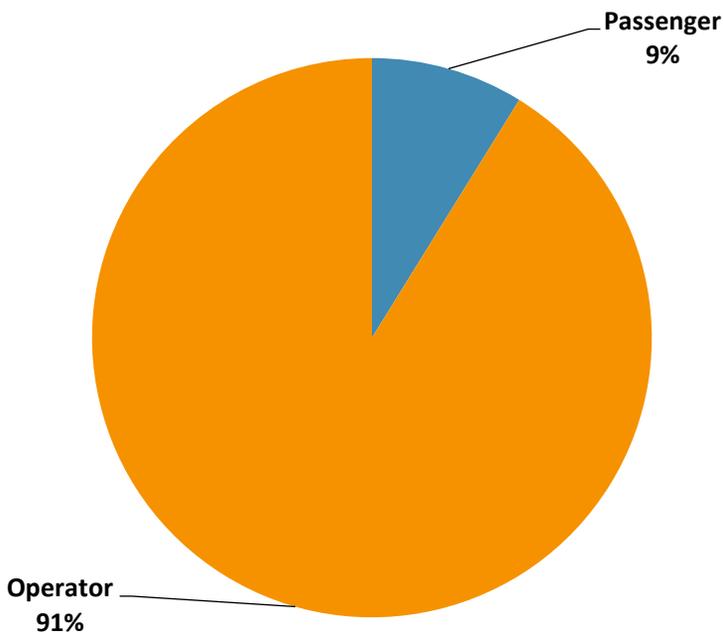
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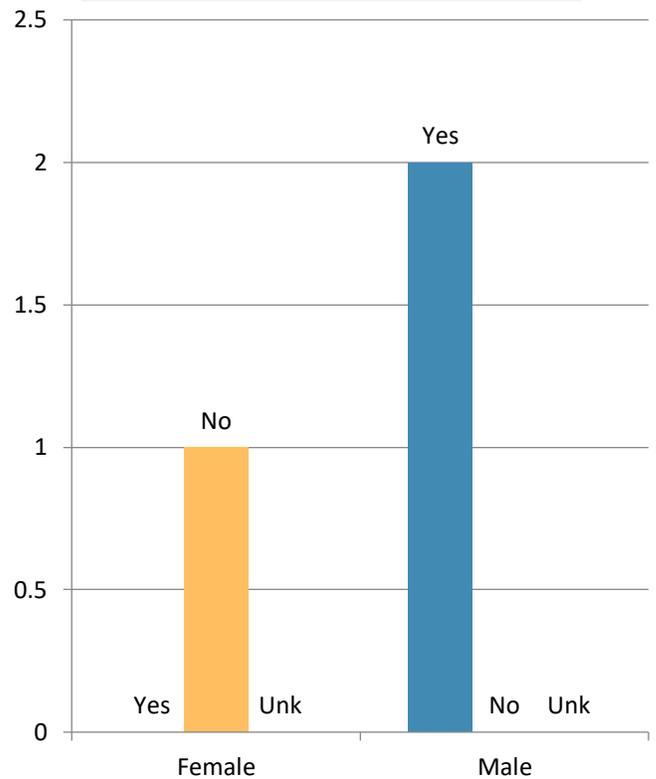
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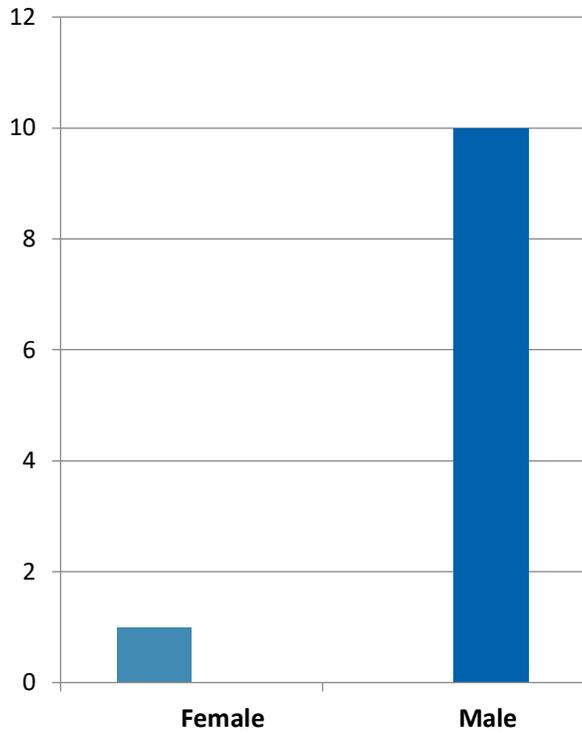
### Position of Persons Injured in Accidents



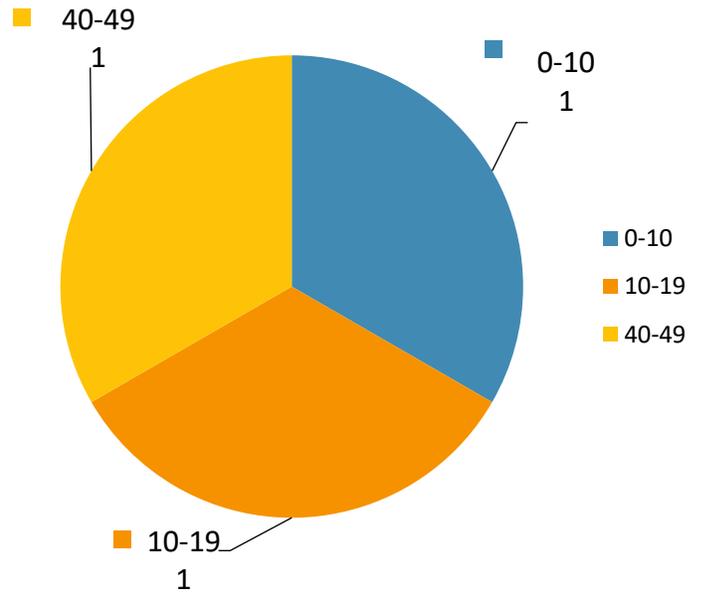
### Alcohol Involved in Fatal Accidents



### Fatals by Gender



### Fatalities by Age



### Total # of Accidents by Hour of Day

