

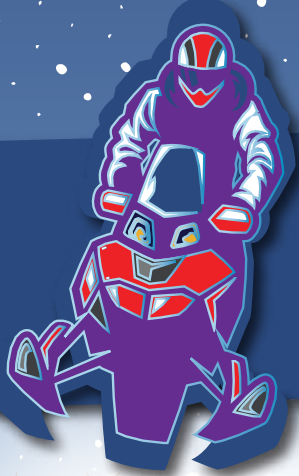
On average,

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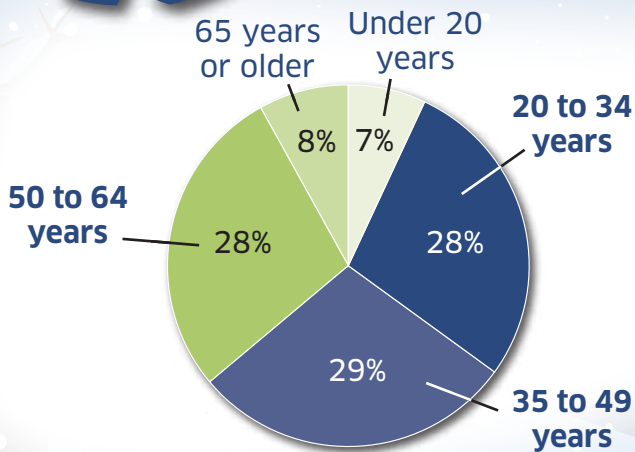
snowmobile deaths occur every year in Canada.

The vast majority of snowmobile-related deaths occurred among males.

Male **89%** Female **11%**

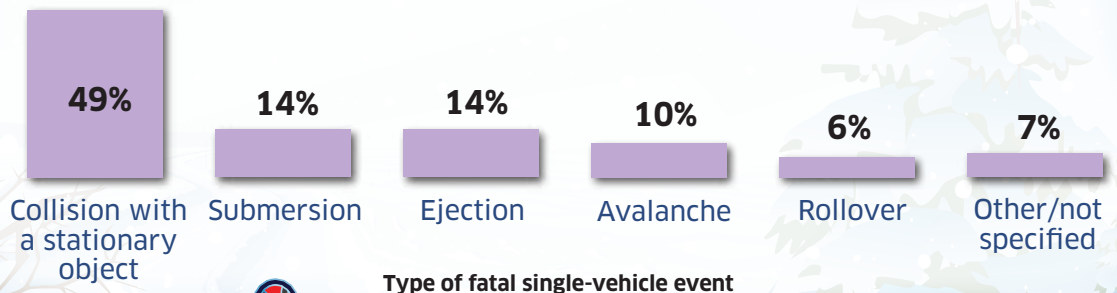


Snowmobile fatalities¹ in Canada, 2013 to 2019



Most deaths occurred among **20 to 64** year olds.

While 20% of fatal events involved multiple vehicles, the majority (80%)² involved a single vehicle. In nearly half of these single-vehicle events, the snowmobile collided with a stationary object.



Risk factors³

- **Alcohol/drug use** was reported in **49%** of snowmobile fatalities.
- **Excessive speed** was reported in **34%** of snowmobile fatalities.
- **Evening/night riding** was reported in **35%** of snowmobile fatalities.

Notes: 1. Only snowmobile fatalities resulting from unintentional injuries are included.
 2. In less than 5% of fatalities, incident type is unknown/unspecified.
 3. More than one behavioural risk factor can be identified for a single death.

Sources: Statistics Canada, Canadian Coroner and Medical Examiner Database, and Canadian Vital Statistics – Death Database.

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