Marine incident barometer—2009

Marine incidents involving	Trend 2001 - 09	2009	2008	% change*	FYA**	2009 v. FYA***	
Fatal injury	20-	14	8	75.0	10.8	10	20
Serious injury	0	24	27	-11.1	36.3	30	60
Minor or nil injury	900-	730	721	1.2	672.0	450	900
Vessels involved in marine incidents							
Recreational	0	495	498	-0.6	432.5	300	600
Commercial	0	414	376	10.1	419.5	300	600
Hire and drive	100-	61	64	-4.7	63.0	50	100
Persons fatally or seriously injured							
Fatal injury	30-	20	8	150.0	13.3	15	30
Serious injury	70 -	25	36	-30.6	42.0	35	70
Fatalities per 100 000 reg. vessels	11-	8.4	3.4	144.1	6.1	5.5	11
Vessel registrations							
Recreational (000s)	300-	233.2	227.6	2.5	213.7	150	300
Commercial (000s)	7-	5.7	5.7	-0.6	5.7	3.5	7

Notes

- *% change represents the percentage difference between 2008 and 2009
- ** FYA represents the prior four-year average
- *** 2009 data versus the prior four-year average, 2005 to 2008. For example, there were 495 recreational vessels involved in marine incidents in 2009 compared to the prior FYA of 432.5



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