

Table 1.6
Cause-wise Number of Accidents due to Other Cause during 2022-2023
(All India)

Sl. No.	Cause	Number of Cases		% variation in 2023 over 2022
		2022	2023	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Air Crash	5	7	40.0
2	Ship Accidents	3	0	-100.0
3	Collapse of Structure (Total)	1604	1587	-1.1
	3.1 Collapse of Dwelling House/Residential Building	1176	1123	-4.5
	3.2 Collapse of Official/ Commercial Building	60	77	28.3
	3.3 Collapse of Dam	4	7	75.0
	3.4 Collapse of Bridge	5	5	0.0
	3.5 Others	359	375	4.5
4	Drowning (Total)	37793	37205	-1.6
	4.1 Boat Capsize	256	101	-60.5
	4.2 Accidental Falls into Waterbody	27701	27005	-2.5
	4.3 Other Cases	9836	10099	2.7
5	Electrocution	12971	13837	6.7
6	Accidental Explosion (Total)	378	444	17.5
	6.1 Domestic Gas Cylinder	205	199	-2.9
	6.2 Industrial Boiler/ Gas Cylinder Explosion	67	52	-22.4
	6.3 Ammunition Explosion in Armed Forces/Police/CPMF	3	18	500.0
	6.4 Other	103	175	69.9
7	Falls (Total)	23933	25432	6.3
	7.1 Fall from Height	12352	13543	9.6
	7.2 Fall from Vehicles (Automobile like Bus, Trucks, etc.)	6263	5252	-16.1
	7.3 Fall into Manhole/Sewer	207	117	-43.5
	7.4 Fall into Pit	817	742	-9.2
	7.5 Fall into Borewell	38	14	-63.2
	7.6 Others	4256	5764	35.4
8	Factory/Machine Accidents	750	762	1.6
9	Accidental Fire (Total)	7566	7054	-6.8
	9.1 Electrical Short circuit	1567	1780	13.6
	9.2 Riot/Agitation	7	5	-28.6
	9.3 Fireworks	90	121	34.4
	9.4 Cooking Gas Cylinder/ Stove Burst	1551	1533	-1.2
	9.5 Other Causes	4351	3615	-16.9
10	Firearm	280	247	-11.8
11	Mines or Quarry Disaster	85	56	-34.1
12	Traffic Accidents (Total)	472467	491190	4.0
	12.1 Road Accidents	446768	464029	3.9
	12.2 Railway Crossing Accidents	2560	2483	-3.0
	12.3 Railway Accidents*	23139	24678	6.7
13	Stampede	6	29	383.3

• As per data provided by States/UTs..

“*” Clarification on ‘Railway Accidents’ data is pending from Odisha.

Table 1.6
Cause-wise Number of Accidents due to Other Cause during 2022-2023 (Concluded)
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Sl. No.	Cause	Number of Cases		% variation in 2023 over 2022
		2022	2023	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
14	Sudden Deaths (Total)	56450	63643	12.7
	14.1 Heart Attack	32457	35715	10.0
	14.2 Others	23993	27928	16.4
15	Deaths of Women during Pregnancy (Total)	1073	1131	5.4
	15.1 Due to Abortions	80	127	58.8
	15.2 Other than Abortions	993	1004	1.1
16	Deaths Due to Consumption of Illicit/Spurious Liquor	507	456	-10.1
17	Killed / Injured by Animals	1509	1739	15.2
18	Poisoning (Total)	21727	21908	0.8
	18.1 Food Poisoning	597	607	1.7
	18.2 Accidental Intake of Insecticides/Pesticides	7565	7828	3.5
	18.3 Poisonous Gases (Total)	110	105	-4.5
	18.3.1 Carbon Monoxide (CO) Gas	10	22	120.0
	18.3.2 Other Poisonous Gases	100	83	-17.0
	18.4 Snake Bite	10085	10144	0.6
	18.5 Animal/Reptiles/ Insects Bite	1077	1172	8.8
	18.6 Other	2293	2052	-10.5
19	Suffocation	1608	1475	-8.3
20	Drug Overdose	693	650	-6.2
21	Other than above Causes	41249	45796	11.0
22	Causes Not Known	18031	16173	-10.3
	Total	700688	730821	4.3

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