

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS SAFETY
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM
HAZMAT SUMMARY BY CAUSE FOR CALENDAR YEAR -2000**

Cause	Incidents	<u>Injuries</u>		Deaths	\$ Damages
		Major	Minor		
HUMAN ERROR	14,999	6	152	2	12,352,386
PACKAGE FAILURE	2,116	9	68	2	3,685,593
VEHICULAR ACCIDENT/DERAILMENT	390	5	11	11	61,720,129
OTHER	53	0	0	1	251,086
Total - 2000	17,558	20	231	16	78,009,194

NOTE: DUE TO MULTIPLE CAUSES BEING INVOLVED IN A SINGLE INCIDENT, THE TOTAL ABOVE MAY NOT CORRESPOND TO THE TOTAL IN OTHER REPORTS.

NOTE: CAUSE "OTHER" INCLUDES INCIDENTS WITH UNREPORTED CAUSES.