

**Transportation Safety Board of Canada**

**Table 1**  
**Air Occurrence Statistics for February 2005**  
**Aviation Occurrences and Casualties**

	February			Year To Date		
	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average
<b>Canadian-Registered Aircraft Accidents<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>27</b>
Aeroplanes Involved <sup>2</sup>	10	10	11	20	18	24
Airliners	0	1	0	2	2	1
Commuters	0	0	0	0	0	1
Air Taxis	2	1	2	4	7	5
Aerial Work	0	0	0	0	0	0
State	0	1	0	0	1	0
Corporate	0	1	0	0	1	0
Private/Other <sup>3</sup>	8	5	8	14	6	16
Helicopters Involved	3	4	2	4	5	4
Other Aircraft Involved <sup>4</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Fatal Accidents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>
Aeroplanes Involved	1	1	1	1	3	2
Airliners	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commuters	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Taxis	0	0	0	0	1	0
Aerial Work	0	0	0	0	0	0
State	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corporate	0	0	0	0	0	0
Private/Other <sup>3</sup>	1	1	1	1	2	2
Helicopters Involved	0	1	0	1	1	0
Other Aircraft Involved	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Serious Injuries</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Canadian-Registered Ultralight Aircraft Accidents</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>
Fatal Accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fatalities	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serious Injuries	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Foreign-Registered Aircraft Accidents in Canada</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>
Fatal Accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fatalities	0	0	0	0	0	0
Serious Injuries	3	0	0	3	0	0
<b>All Aircraft: Reportable Incidents</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>143</b>
Risk of Collision/Loss of Separation	9	12	14	26	22	27
Declared Emergency	21	33	25	49	56	50
Engine Failure	10	8	14	28	14	26
Smoke/Fire	9	6	10	15	16	20
Collision	0	2	2	0	8	5
Other	15	5	8	28	20	16

<sup>1</sup> Ultralight aircraft excluded.

<sup>2</sup> As some accidents may involve multiple aircraft, the number of aircraft involved may differ from the total number of accidents.

<sup>3</sup> Other: contains, but is not limited to, organizations that rent aircraft (i.e. flying schools, flying clubs, etc.).

<sup>4</sup> Includes gliders, balloons and gyrocopters.

Figures are preliminary as of March 14, 2005.

All five-year averages have been rounded. Totals sometimes do not coincide to the sum of averages.

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**Table 2**

**Canadian-Registered Fixed Wing and Rotary Wing Aircraft Involved in Accidents - February 2005**

**By Type of Operation**

	February			Year To Date		
	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average
<b>Canadian-Registered Aircraft Accidents<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Aeroplanes Involved</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>24</b>
Training	3	3	2	5	3	4
Pleasure/Travel	4	4	6	9	5	11
Business	1	0	0	1	0	0
Forest Fire Management	0	0	0	0	0	0
Test/Demonstration/Ferry	0	1	1	0	2	1
Aerial Application	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inspection	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Transport	2	2	2	4	7	5
Air Ambulance	0	0	0	0	1	0
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	1	0	0
<b>Helicopters Involved</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>
Training	0	1	0	0	2	1
Pleasure/Travel	0	0	0	0	0	0
Business	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Fire Management	0	0	0	0	0	0
Test/Demonstration/Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aerial Application	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inspection	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Transport	0	3	1	1	3	1
Air Ambulance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other/Unknown	3	0	1	3	0	1
<b>Fatal Accidents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Aeroplanes and Helicopters Involved</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>
Training	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pleasure/Travel	1	1	1	1	2	2
Business	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forest Fire Management	0	0	0	0	0	0
Test/Demonstration/Ferry	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aerial Application	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inspection	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Transport	0	1	0	1	2	0
Air Ambulance	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Fatalities</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Serious Injuries</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>

<sup>1</sup> Ultralight aircraft excluded.

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**Table 3**

**Canadian-Registered Aircraft Involved in Incidents - February 2005**

**Selected Reportable Incident Types by First Event**

	February			Year To Date		
	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average	2005	2004	2000-2004 Average
<b>Risk of Collision/Loss of Separation</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>36</b>
Air Proximity	4	0	4	6	5	8
Air Traffic Services Event	10	16	12	27	23	21
Altitude Related	0	0	0	4	0	1
Runway Incursion	0	3	2	1	4	4
Other	1	1	1	1	1	2
<b>Declared Emergency</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>37</b>
Landing Gear Failure	2	3	3	8	3	5
Hydraulic Failure	1	0	1	6	2	4
Electrical Failure	0	0	0	1	2	1
Other Component Failure	3	10	8	8	11	15
Other	4	12	6	4	20	11
<b>Engine Failure</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>
Power Loss	2	3	4	11	5	9
Component Failure	6	2	5	10	5	10
Other	0	0	1	0	0	2
<b>Smoke/Fire</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
Fire/Explosion	3	5	6	8	11	13
Component Failure	3	1	2	4	5	4
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Difficulty in Controlling Aircraft</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
Component Failure	1	2	1	5	4	2
Weather Related	1	0	0	3	0	1
Other	1	0	1	2	0	1

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