

Summary of U.S. Dog Bite Fatalities Over 15-Year Period (2005-2019)

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Individual breeds shown in row one are based upon the top killing U.S. breeds over the last decade.

Pit bull	Rottweiler	Mixed-Breed	German Shepherd	Mastiff/Bullmastiff*	American Bulldog	Husky	Total Killed
347	51	27	22	18	16	14	522
66.5%	9.8%	5.2%	4.2%	3.4%	3.1%	2.7%	

Breed Groupings

Pit Bulls and Rottweilers	Large Molosser Breeds	Northern Breeds
Pit bulls and rottweilers	Pit bull, Rottweiler, American bulldog, Mastiff/Bullmastiff*, Presa Canario, Cane Corso and Dogo argentino	Akita, Alaskan malamute, Chow chow, Husky, Keeshond, Shar pei, Shiba inu, Wolf- dog hybrid
398	439	30
76.2%	84.1%	5.7%
Additional Statistics		

Pack Attack	Off Property	Chained	Family	Criminal Charges	0-2 Months New	Watcher	Visting/Temp Living
76	134	39	283	104	100	89	139
14.6%	25.7%	7.5%	54.2%	19.9%	19.2%	17.0%	26.6%

*Mastiff/Bullmastiff includes: Italian, English, South African and Neapolitan mastiffs, bullmastiffs and mastiff-mixes