

**2022**

# ***Mt. Shasta Wilderness***

## **SAR Statistics**



**Search - 0**

**Rescue - 8**

**Fatality - 2**

**Self-Rescue - 1**

**False Alarms (FA) – 1**

**Month of Incident:**

	<u>Search</u>	<u>Rescue</u>	<u>Self Rescue</u>	<u>Fatality</u>	<u>FA</u>
January					
February		1			
March					
April		1			
May		1			1
June		4		1	
July					
August		1			
September					
October		1			
November					
December				1	
Unknown					

**Route:**

	<u>Search</u>	<u>Rescue</u>	<u>Self-Rescue</u>	<u>Fatality</u>	<u>FA</u>
Avalanche Gulch		6	1	1	1
West Face					
Green Butte/Sargents					
Casaval					
Clear Creek		1			
Hotlum/Wintun					
Hotlum					
Hotlum/Bolam					
Bolam					
Whitney					
Shastina					
Cascade Gulch/HV					
Old Ski Bowl				1	
Other		1			

**Helicopter use:**

	<u>Search</u>	<u>Rescue</u>
CHP H-14/16		7
Cal Fire 202		
National Guard CH-47		
Unknown		

**Snowmobile use (not in Wilderness):**

0 search - 0 rescue

**Gender:**

	<u>Search</u>	<u>Rescue</u>	<u>Self-Rescue</u>	<u>Fatality</u>
Male		4	1	1

Female	5	1
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**Experience Level:**

Novice	5
Intermediate	3
Expert	2
Unknown	2

**Age:**

	<u>Search</u>	<u>Rescue</u>	<u>Self-Rescue</u>	<u>Fatality</u>
<15				
15-20				
21-25				
26-30		2		
31-35		4		1
36-50				
>50		1		1
Unknown		4		

\*(One incident can count for more than one category with statistics below.)

**Incidents occurred on:**

Ascent	2
Descent	6
Rock	
Snow	6
Ice	4
Camp	
Snowmobile	
Hiking	2
Unknown	

**Immediate Cause:**

Falling ice/rock	
Slip on snow/ice/rock	7
Glissading	1
Illness	
Exceeded ability	3
Stranded	
Skiing/snowboarding	
Improper equipment or use of	
Poor judgment	1
Weather	
Not familiar with terrain	2
Unknown	2

Avalanche  
Snowmobiling  
Drugs

**Contributory Causes:**

Exceeded ability	
Weather	5
Inadequate equipment/clothing	
Climbing alone/Party separation	
Poor position	
Improper equipment or use of equip.	
Fatigue/exhaustion	1
Slide-for-life conditions	4

**Type of Injury:**

Fracture	3
Laceration	3
Abrasion	3
Bruising	3
Sprain/strain/tear	
Concussion/Head Trauma	4
Hypothermic	
Frostbite	
Dislocation	
Puncture	
Internal	
AMS	
Avulsion	
Dehydration/exhaustion	1
Death	2
Blister	
Medical	1
None	1



# Mount Shasta Search & Rescue Statistics 1992-2022

