

DROWNING IN CZECHIA

QUICK FACTS¹⁻⁴

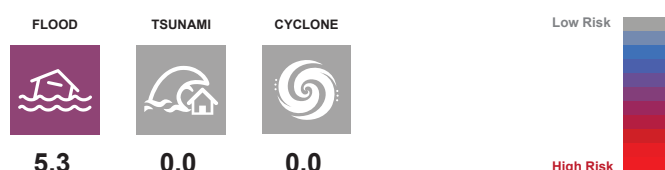
10.537 millions
population (2019)

0.889
Human Development Index (2021)

GDP 27 638 USD per capita
High income (2022)

Area 78 871 sq km
% land below 5 meters 0%
Coastline 0km

NATURAL HAZARD INDEX



The most frequent natural hazards in Czechia are floods, windstorms, hailstorms, snowdrifts and sometimes land slides. The annual average population affected by flooding in the Czech Republic is about 200 000 and the annual average affected GDP about \$4 billion.



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DROWNING MORTALITY SNAPSHOT^{5,6}

152 people fatally drowned
in Czechia in 2019

13% were
under 25 years of age

Leading causes of death by age group 1-24 years, 2019

rank	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24
1	Congenital anomalies	Road injury	Self-harm	Road injury	Road injury
2	Brain and nervous system cancers	Drowning	Road injury	Self-harm	Self-harm
3	Road injury	Brain and nervous system cancers	Lower respiratory infections	Congenital anomalies	Lower respiratory infections
4	Lower respiratory infections	Lower respiratory infections	Drowning	Drowning	Cardiomyopathy, myocarditis, endocarditis
5	Neonatal conditions	Epilepsy	Congenital anomalies	Falls	Ischaemic heart disease
6	Drowning	Appendicitis	Brain and nervous system cancers	Brain and nervous system cancers	Brain and nervous system cancers
7	Leukaemia	Cardiomyopathy, myocarditis, endocarditis	Leukaemia	Lower respiratory infections	Drug use disorders
8	Epilepsy	Interpersonal violence	Epilepsy	Drug use disorders	Congenital anomalies
9	Diarrhoeal diseases	Congenital anomalies	Stroke	Cardiomyopathy, myocarditis, endocarditis	Stroke
10	Kidney cancer	Fire, heat and hot substances	Liver cancer	Interpersonal violence	Drowning

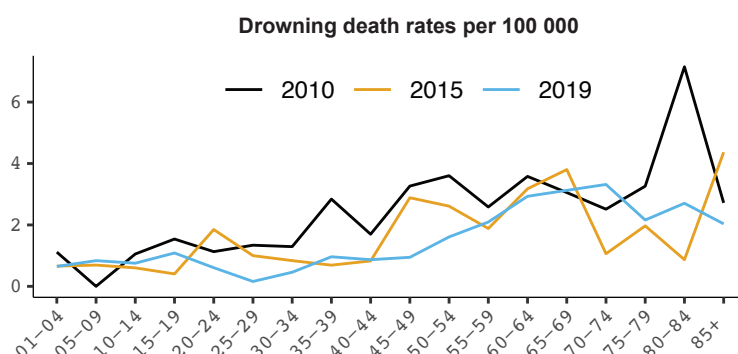
79% Males **21%** Females



28.7% of drowning deaths are causally associated with alcohol

3% decrease alcohol-related deaths from 2000 to 2019

5 498 Years of Life Lost



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