

DROWNING in Greece



3:1

Male: Female ratio

6th

within the E.U. 28

20%

more drownings from the median rate of the European Union-28. (EE28=2,05/100,000 population).

400 drownings/year

drownings /100,000 population.

*36th

ranking in the world (in totally 116 countries).

*USA is ranked 64th with about 5,000 drownings (i.e., 1,5 drownings/ 100,000 population).

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