

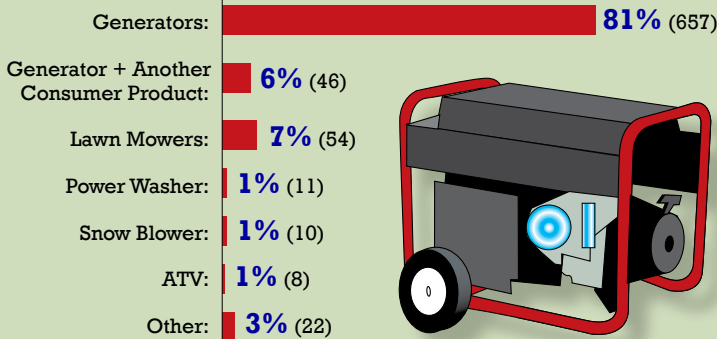
PORTABLE GENERATOR-RELATED CARBON MONOXIDE DEATHS

You don't run your car indoors; don't run your generator inside, either.

Most deaths occur in homes during cold months. Data Years: 2004-2013

Deaths Related to Engine-Driven Tools

Total Number of Deaths: **808**



Where the Generator Was When Deaths Occurred in Fixed Structure Homes

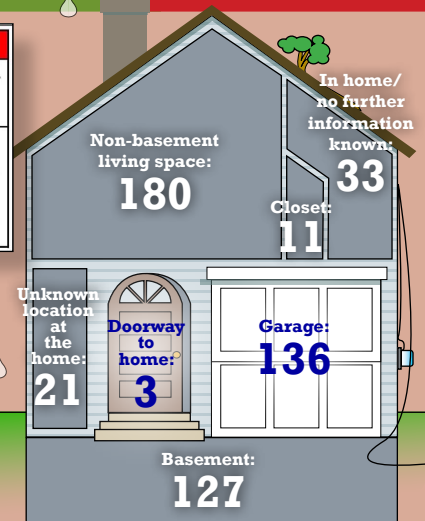
Total Number of Deaths: **526**

⚠ DANGER

Using a generator indoors **CAN KILL YOU IN MINUTES.** Generator exhaust contains carbon monoxide. This is a poison you cannot see or smell.

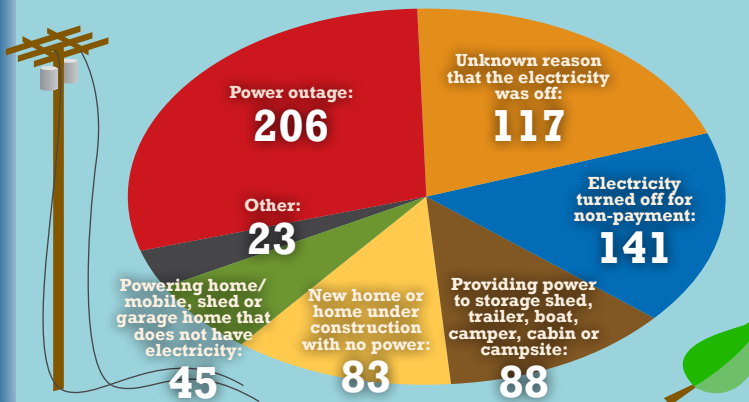
NEVER use inside a home or garage, **EVEN IF** doors and windows are open.

Only use **OUTSIDE** and far away from windows, doors, and vents.

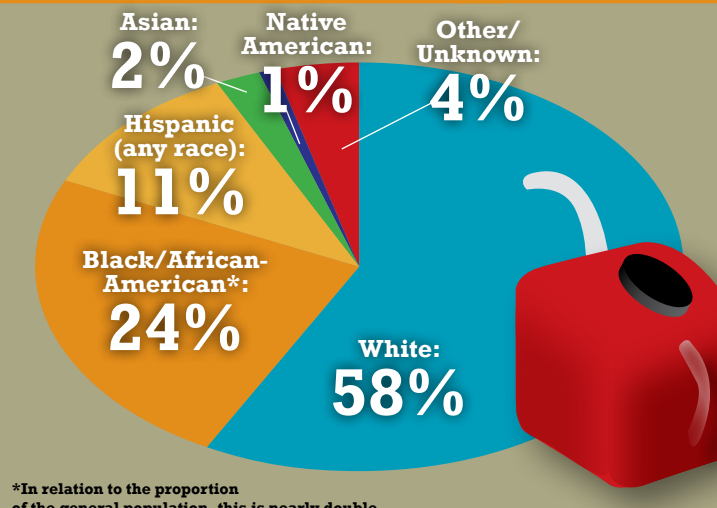


How the Generator Was Used When the Deaths Occurred

Total Deaths: **703**



Generator-Related, Non-Fire CO Deaths by Race



Carbon Monoxide Safety Tips

- Run portable generators away from the house, garage or any enclosed space.
- Keep generators at least 20 feet away from windows, doors and vents.*
- Install a battery-operated or battery-backup CO detector in the hallway outside bedrooms.
- NEVER ignore a beeping CO alarm. Go outside and call 911 if the alarm sounds.

* Minimum distance recommended by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

