

# Pickles: Death in a Jar!

Every pickle you eat brings you closer to death. Amazingly, the "thinking man" has failed to grasp the terrifying significance of the term, "in a pickle." Pickles are associated with all the major diseases of the body. Eating them breeds wars and communism. They can be related to most airline tragedies. Auto accidents are caused by pickles. There exists a positive relationship between crime waves and consumption of this fruit of the cucurbit family. For example:

Nearly all sick people have eaten pickles. The effects are obviously cumulative.

99.9% of all people who die from cancer have eaten pickles.

100% of all soldiers have eaten pickles.

96.8% of all communist sympathizers have eaten pickles.

99.7% of the people involved in air and auto accidents ate pickles within 14 days preceding the accident.

93.1% of juvenile delinquents come from homes where pickles are served.

Evidence points to long term effects of eating pickles:

Of the people born in 1839 who later dined on pickles, there has been a mortality rate of 100%.

All pickle eaters born between 1908 and 1918 have wrinkled skin, have lost most of their teeth, have brittle bones, and failing eyesight--if the ills of eating pickles have not already caused their death.

Even more convincing is the report of a noted team of medical specialists: rats force-fed with 20 pounds of pickles per day for 30 days developed bulging abdomens. Their appetites for wholesome food were destroyed.

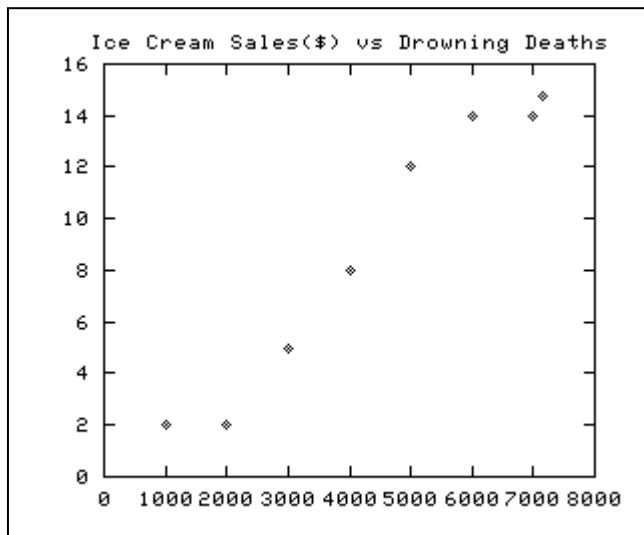
In spite of all the evidence, pickles growers and packers continue to spread their evil. More than 120,000 acres of fertile US soil are devoted to growing pickles. Our per capita consumption is 4 pounds.

Eat orchid petal soup. Practically no one has as many problems from eating orchid petal soup as they do from eating pickles.

# Save Oceana!

The great people of Oceana have a serious problem! After evaluating the drowning deaths in their fair city for the last ten years (actually they hired the world famous firm responsible for our new found understanding of the evils of pickles!) they have come to a remarkable conclusion. Ice cream vendors are responsible for the people of Oceana going into the water and never ever coming out!!!

It seems that as the ice cream sales increase, the number of deaths from drowning also increase. The following is a scatter plot of the data for the last ten years



The r-value of this data is .85 showing a clear and definite link!

The townsfolk have decided unanimously to expel all sellers of ice cream and ice cream related products and eliminate all further sales. This ban is to take place immediately.

Have the good people of Oceana made the right decision???