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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

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SUMMARY OF MILITARY DRIVER INVOLVED ACCIDENTS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS, 1997  
 PREPARED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY ACCIDENT RECORDS BUREAU THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 07-20-97

1. CURRENT REPORT A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY			
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
PEDESTRIAN	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
MTR VEH IN TRAFFIC	60	7	41	12	59	6	41	12	1	1	0	0
RAILROAD TRAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PARKED MOTOR VEH	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
PEDALCYCLIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANIMAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FIXED OBJECT	10	0	4	6	0	0	0	0	10	0	4	6
OTHER OBJECT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	0
OTH. NON-COLLISION	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	76	10	48	18	62	8	42	12	14	2	6	6

NUMBER OF PERSONS	INJURY SEVERITY					
	KILLED		INJURED		INJURY SEVERITY	
	A	B	A	B	C	C
1	1	1	1	1	0	0
8	89	7	18	64		
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	4	0	3	1		
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	14	3	4	7		
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	12	11	1	0		
1	2	2	0	0		
11	122	24	26	72		

2. COMPARATIVE TOT'S A. TYPE OF ACC.	TOTALS												%CHNG IN
	THIS YEAR TO DATE				SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR				ON ROADWAY				
	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	FAT'S	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	FAT'S	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	FAT'S	
PEDESTRIAN	1	1	1	3	1	2	NC %	14	4	1	2	2	
MTR VEH IN TRAFFIC	60	8	89	98	4	121	+100%	59	7	87	98	4	
RAILROAD TRAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC %	0	0	0	0	0	
PARKED MTR VEHICLE	1	0	4	0	0	0	NC %	1	0	4	0	0	
PEDALCYCLIST	0	0	0	1	0	1	NC %	0	0	0	1	0	
ANIMAL	0	0	0	3	0	0	NC %	0	0	0	3	0	
FIXED OBJECT	10	0	14	19	1	13	-100%	0	0	0	0	0	
OTHER OBJECT	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC %	0	0	0	0	0	
MTR VEH OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC %	0	0	0	0	0	
OVERTURNED	3	1	12	8	2	10	-50%	0	0	2	1	3	
OTH. NON-COLLISION	1	1	2	0	0	0	+INF%	1	1	2	0	0	
TOTALS	76	11	122	132	8	147	+38%	62	9	94	107	6	

INJURY SEVERITY  
 A. INCAPACITATING INJURY - SEVERE INJURY WHICH PREVENTS CONTINUATION OF NORMAL ACTIVITIES. INCLUDES BROKEN OR DISTORTED LIMBS, INTERNAL INJURIES, CRUSHED CHESTS, ETC.  
 B. NONINCAPACITATING INJURY - EVIDENT INJURY SUCH AS BRUISES, ABRASIONS, MINOR LACERATIONS WHICH DO NOT INCAPACITATE.  
 C. POSSIBLE INJURY - INJURY WHICH IS CLAIMED, REPORTED OR INDICATED BY BEHAVIOR BUT WITHOUT VISIBLE WOUNDS. INCLUDES LIMPING, MOMENTARY UNCONSCIOUSNESS OR COMPLAINT OF PAIN.

MILEAGE RATES	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC DEATHS			%
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES		NOT USED	%
ESTIMATED VEH MILES TRAVELED (MILLIONS)		ON THIS	%
DEATH RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES		REPORT	%
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES			%

3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING	TOTAL ACC'S												* INDICATES LESS THAN 0.5% CHANGE							
	ALL		SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		PED		PEDCYCL	
	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FAT	ALL	FAT
MIDNIGHT	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1:00 A.M.	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2:00 A.M.	5	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
3:00 A.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4:00 A.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5:00 A.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6:00 A.M.	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7:00 A.M.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8:00 A.M.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9:00 A.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10:00 A.M.	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11:00 A.M.	8	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
NOON	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
1:00 P.M.	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2:00 P.M.	7	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
3:00 P.M.	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4:00 P.M.	7	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5:00 P.M.	8	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6:00 P.M.	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7:00 P.M.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
8:00 P.M.	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9:00 P.M.	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
10:00 P.M.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11:00 P.M.	3	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	76	10	6	0	6	1	11	1	10	2	12	3	24	3	7	0	1	1	0	0

NOTE: ALL FIGURES ON THIS REPORT ARE PRELIMINARY. To insure proper comparisons, 1997 figures are preliminary figures covering the same reporting period as those of 1996. Beginning with July 1, 1995 accidents, the only Property Damage Only (PDO) accidents tabulated were those having at least one vehicle towed due to damages; therefore, total accidents and non-injury accidents cannot be compared to prior year's



LOCATION STATE

4A. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED								
	TOTAL KILLED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEM	TOTAL	MALE	FEM
0 TO 4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 TO 9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 TO 14	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
15 TO 19	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 TO 24	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 TO 34	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
35 TO 44	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 TO 54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
55 TO 64	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 TO 74	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
75 & OLDER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NOT STATED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	11	8	3	1	1	0	0	0	0

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
ENTERING AT ANGLE		19	3	12	4
FROM SAME DIR. BOTH GOING STRAIGHT		1	0	1	0
SAME-ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT		4	0	2	2
SAME-ONE STOPPED		6	0	5	1
SAME-ALL OTHERS		0	0	0	0
FROM OPP. DIR. BOTH GOING STRAIGHT		1	0	1	0
SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT		4	0	1	3
SAME-ALL OTHERS		0	0	0	0
TOTALS		35	3	22	10

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION-HEAD ON		3	3	0	0
GOING SAME DIRECTION-REAR END		6	0	5	1
SAME-SIDESWIPED		2	1	1	0
ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION		0	0	0	0
ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC		2	0	2	0
ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING		0	0	0	0
ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING		0	0	0	0
ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY		1	0	1	0
ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY		3	0	2	1
ALL OTHERS		0	0	0	0
TOTALS		25	4	19	2

6. PEDESTRIAN ACTIONS BY AGE	TOTAL PED'S	AGES OF PEDESTRIANS KILLED										AGES OF PEDESTRIANS INJURED									
		0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65-80	UNK	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65&OV	UNK		
CROSSING AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		
CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECT OR CROSSWALK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
STANDING IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
PUSHING OR WORKING ON VEHICLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OTHER WORKING IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
PLAYING IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OTHER IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
NOT IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
NOT STATED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTALS	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		

7. AGE OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
15 & YOUNGER	1	0	1
16	0	0	0
17	2	1	1
18 TO 19	12	1	9
20 TO 24	32	5	18
25 TO 34	55	9	37
35 TO 44	21	3	12
45 TO 54	9	1	7
55 TO 64	8	1	4
65 TO 74	2	0	2
75 & OLDER	2	0	2
UNKNOWN	4	0	4
TOTAL DRIVERS	148	21	97

11. VEH CONDITIONS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NO DEFECTS REPORTED	146	21	96
DEFECTIVE BRAKES	0	0	0
DEFECTIVE STEERING	0	0	0
DEF OR IMPROPER LT	0	0	0
DEFECTIVE TIRES	2	0	1
DEF TRAILER EQUIP	0	0	0
DEF STOP OR TRN SIG	0	0	0
WHEEL CAME OFF VEH	0	0	0
OTHER DEFECTS	0	0	0
TOTAL VEHICLES	148	21	97

15. TYPE OF VEHICLE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
PASSENGER CAR	81	11	53
PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER	0	0	0
PASSENGER CAR & HOUSE TRAILER	0	0	0
TRUCK	54	7	35
TRUCK & TRAILER	0	0	0
TRUCK-TRACTOR & SEMI-TRAILER	4	2	1
TRUCK & HOUSE TRAILER	0	0	0
OTHER TRUCK COMBINATIONS	0	0	0
FARM TRACTOR	0	0	0
ROAD MACHINERY	0	0	0
BUS	3	1	2
SCHOOL BUS	0	0	0
MOTORCYCLE	2	0	2
MOTOR SCOOTER OR MOTOR BIKE	0	0	0
MOPED	0	0	0
OTHER & UNKNOWN	4	0	4
TOTAL VEHICLES	148	21	97

8. SEX OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
MALE	101	12	65
FEMALE	44	9	29
NOT STATED	3	0	3
TOTAL DRIVERS	148	21	97

12. LIGHT COND.	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DAYLIGHT	51	4	37
DAWN	2	0	1
DARK-NO STREET LT	6	2	1
DARKNESS-STREET LT	17	4	9
DUSK	0	0	0
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	76	10	48

16. CONTRIBUTING FACTORS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
SPEEDING OVER LIMIT	5	2	2
SPEED - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	20	0	18
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO VEHICLE	15	0	11
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	2	0	1
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	8	3	4
DISREGARD FLASHING YELLOW SIGNAL	0	0	0
IMPROPER TURN-WIDE RIGHT	0	0	0
IMPROPER TURN CUT CORNER ON LEFT	0	0	0
IMPROPER TURN-WRONG LANE	2	0	0
WRONG SIDE NOT PASSING	0	0	0
WRONG WAY ONE WAY ROAD	1	1	0
FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY	7	0	5
OVERTAKE & PASS INSUFF CLEARANCE	1	0	1
PASS IN NO PASSING ZONE	0	0	0
OTHER ILLEGAL PASSING	2	0	2
NO SIGNAL OR WRONG SIG OF INTENTION	0	0	0
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	1	0	1
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO PEDESTRIAN	0	0	0
IMPROPER PARKING	0	0	0
DRIVE UNDER INFLU (LIQUOR OR DRUGS)	10	5	2
OTHER VIOLATIONS	15	3	9
TOTAL VIOLATIONS	89	14	56

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NORMAL	148	21	97
EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE	0	0	0
HEARING DEFECTIVE	0	0	0
LIMBS MISSING	0	0	0
OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT	0	0	0
ILL	0	0	0
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	0	0	0
OTHER HANDICAP	0	0	0
TOTAL DRIVERS	148	21	97

13. WEATHER COND	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
CLEAR	64	9	43
RAIN	11	1	5
SNOW	0	0	0
FOG	1	0	0
OTHER & UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	76	10	48

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED	99	16	67
TEX RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	8	1	5
TEX RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK	1	0	0
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED	36	4	21
NON-RES, NOT LICENSED	0	0	0
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK	0	0	0
NOT STATED	4	0	4
TOTAL DRIVERS	148	21	97

14. ROAD SURFACE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DRY	56	7	37
WET	18	3	10
MUDDY	0	0	0
SNOWY OR ICY	2	0	1
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	76	10	48

TYPE SUMMARY

MILITARY DRIVER INVOLVED

4B. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED								
	TOTAL INJURED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEM	TOTAL	MALE	FEM
0 TO 4	6	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 TO 9	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 TO 14	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 TO 19	15	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 TO 24	32	22	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 TO 34	33	22	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
35 TO 44	14	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 TO 54	9	4	5	1	1	0	0	0	0
55 TO 64	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 TO 74	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
75 & OLDER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NOT STATED	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	122	72	50	1	1	0	0	0	0

5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS		TOT PED ACCS	FATAL			INJURY		
		TOTAL	INTERNO	INT	TOTAL	INTER	NO INT	
MOTOR VEH GOING STRAIGHT		1	1	0	1	0	0	
MOTOR VEH TURNING RIGHT		0	0	0	0	0	0	
MOTOR VEH TURNING LEFT		0	0	0	0	0	0	
MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING		0	0	0	0	0	0	
ALL OTHERS		0	0	0	0	0	0	
TOTALS		1	1	0	1	0	0	

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
COLLISION WITH OTH ROAD VEH OR TRAIN		0	0	0	0
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT		0	0	0	0
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT		0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED		0	0	0	0
OTHER NON-COLLISION		0	0	0	0
COLLISION WITH OTH ROAD VEH OR TRAIN		0	0	0	0
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT		10	0	4	6
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT		0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED		3	1	2	0
OTHER NON-COLLISION		1	1	1	0
COLLISION WITH ANIMAL		0	0	0	0
NOT STATED		1	0	1	0
TOTALS		15	2	7	6





