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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

SUMMARY OF ALL REPORTED ACCIDENTS IN * RURAL AREAS OF TEXAS FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS 1994
PREPARED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY... THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 07-20-94

Table 1: CURRENT REPORT. A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT. B. LOCATION. C. POPULATION GROUP. Columns include Total, Fatal, Injury, Non-Inj for On Roadway and Off Roadway.

Table 2: NUMBER OF PERSONS. Columns include Killed, Injured, Injury Severity (A, B, C).

Table 3: COMPARATIVE TOT'S. A. TYPE OF ACC. B. LOCATION. C. POPULATION GROUP. Includes %CHNG IN and % INDICATES LESS THAN 0.5% CHANGE.

Table 4: INJURY SEVERITY. A. INCAPACITATING INJURY - SEVERE INJURY WHICH PREVENTS CONTINUATION OF NORMAL ACTIVITIES. 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.

Table 5: 3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING. Columns include Total Acc's, Fatal, All, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, PED, PEDCYCL.

NOTE: ALL FIGURES ON THIS REPORT ARE PRELIMINARY. To insure proper comparison, 1993 figures are the preliminary figures covering the same reporting period as those of 1994.

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LOCATION RURAL

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	24	17	7	3	1	2	0	2	0
5 TO 9	22	16	6	2	1	1	0	2	1
10 TO 14	16	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 TO 19	117	75	42	5	4	1	1	1	0
20 TO 24	119	97	22	8	7	1	0	0	0
25 TO 34	176	134	42	22	18	4	2	1	1
35 TO 44	137	101	36	9	7	2	2	2	0
45 TO 54	77	54	23	7	6	1	1	1	0
55 TO 64	54	37	17	2	1	1	1	1	0
65 TO 74	45	29	16	1	1	0	1	1	0
75 & OLDER	56	33	23	4	3	1	0	0	0
NOT STATED	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	844	602	242	63	49	14	11	9	2

TYPE SUMMARY ALL REPORTED

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	1003	630	471	18	12	6	11	10	1
5 TO 9	1252	645	607	67	34	33	50	35	15
10 TO 14	1706	801	897	46	32	14	70	53	17
15 TO 19	5947	3206	2733	40	23	11	24	24	0
20 TO 24	5049	3055	1990	39	32	6	13	12	1
25 TO 34	6889	3846	3037	50	35	15	15	12	3
35 TO 44	5137	2742	2387	42	25	17	16	14	2
45 TO 54	2905	1489	1412	28	19	9	3	2	1
55 TO 64	1596	829	767	15	11	4	5	5	0
65 TO 74	1149	561	587	12	7	5	3	3	0
75 & OLDER	751	368	382	7	5	2	2	2	0
NOT STATED	231	108	84	10	7	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	33609	18180	15356	374	249	123	212	172	40

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
ENTERING AT ANGLE	5726	59	2754	2912
FROM SAME DIR. BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	892	5	423	464
SAME-ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	1107	6	423	678
SAME-ONE STOPPED	2449	3	1242	1204
SAME-ALL OTHERS	124	0	19	105
FROM OPP. DIR. BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	110	7	55	48
SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	1414	11	735	668
SAME-ALL OTHERS	279	0	38	241
TOTALS	12100	91	5689	6320

5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS	TOT PED ACCS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
MOTOR VEH GOING STRAIGHT	312	54	4	50	258
MOTOR VEH TURNING RIGHT	9	1	0	8	6
MOTOR VEH TURNING LEFT	9	0	0	2	5
MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING	23	2	0	2	21
ALL OTHERS	1	0	0	1	0
TOTALS	354	57	5	52	297

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION-HEAD ON	1687	131	828	728
GOING SAME DIRECTION-REAR END	2303	15	1260	1028
SAME-SIDESWIPED	1148	4	327	817
ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION	2689	1	26	41
ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC	55	3	12	41
ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING	71	0	4	67
ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING	1819	11	763	1045
ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY	1798	15	675	1108
ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY	842	5	338	499
ALL OTHERS	11861	186	5284	6391

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
COLLISION WITH OTH ROAD VEH OR TRAIN	85	3	61	1
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	1477	13	636	828
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	11	0	2	9
OVERTURNED	310	5	181	124
OTHER NON-COLLISION	59	0	23	36
COLLISION WITH OTH ROAD VEH OR TRAIN	243	23	172	48
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	8705	176	4121	4408
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	211	2	75	134
OVERTURNED	3893	123	2468	1302
OTHER NON-COLLISION	552	8	164	380
COLLISION WITH ANIMAL	1263	4	266	993
NOT STATED	1282	8	251	1023
TOTALS	18091	365	8440	9286

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	65OV	UNK	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65OV	UNK				
CROSSING AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	19	0	4	3	2	4	2	3				
CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECT OR CROSSWALK	135	30	1	1	0	2	2	13	6	5	0	105	6	39	20	6	15	8	4				
GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	1	1	1	1	1	1				
WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC	29	6	0	1	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	23	0	1	1	3	8	5	0				
WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC	12	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	1	1	2				
STANDING IN ROADWAY	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	10	1	2	2	1	3	0	1				
PUSHING OR WORKING ON VEHICLE	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	4	1	0				
OTHER WORKING IN ROADWAY	9	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	4	1	0	0	0	0				
PLAYING IN ROADWAY	25	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	23	1	0	1	1	8	8	2				
OTHER IN ROADWAY	65	13	1	0	0	0	2	9	1	0	0	52	2	3	6	7	23	2	1				
NOT IN ROADWAY	116	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	113	5	12	10	19	19	25	15				
NOT STATED	437	63	3	2	0	5	8	31	9	5	0	374	18	67	46	40	39	92	43				

7. AGE OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
15 & YOUNGER	289	5	160
16	1013	18	482
17	2787	21	1308
18 TO 19	5492	68	2568
20 TO 24	10342	185	5055
25 TO 34	16417	245	7884
35 TO 44	13349	197	6355
45 TO 54	7674	122	3595
55 TO 64	4329	75	1937
65 TO 74	3035	44	1322
75 & OLDER	1977	48	840
UNKNOWN	2072	12	608
TOTAL DRIVERS	68776	1020	32214

11. VEH CONDITIONS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NO DEFECTS REPORTED	67101	998	31505
DEFECTIVE BRAKES	404	3	191
DEFECTIVE STEERING	143	0	65
DEF OR IMPROPER LT	52	4	33
DEFECTIVE TIRES	567	11	276
DEF TRAILER EQUIP	160	2	33
DEF STOP OR TRN SIG	165	1	57
WHEEL CAME OFF VEH	48	0	9
OTHER DEFECTS	136	1	45
TOTAL VEHICLES	68776	1020	32214

15. TYPE OF VEHICLE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
PASSENGER CAR	35836	440	17401
PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER	61	0	26
PASSENGER CAR & HOUSE TRAILER	0	0	0
TRUCK	27613	442	12567
TRUCK & TRAILER	1321	24	496
TRUCK-TRACTOR & SEMI-TRAILER	2343	78	928
TRUCK & HOUSE TRAILER	29	0	5
OTHER TRUCK COMBINATIONS	148	4	45
FARM TRACTOR	68	2	32
ROAD MACHINERY	12	0	6
BUS	27	0	13
SCHOOL BUS	216	2	79
MOTORCYCLE	473	20	415
MOTOR SCOOTER OR MOTOR BIKE	24	0	23
MOPED	7	0	5
OTHER & UNKNOWN	598	8	173
TOTAL VEHICLES	68776	1020	32214

8. SEX OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
MALE	43595	776	20062
FEMALE	23282	233	11614
NOT STATED	1829	11	538
TOTAL DRIVERS	68776	1020	32214

12. LIGHT COND.	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DAYLIGHT	27006	310	12310
DAWN	645	14	279
DARK-NO STREET LT	11031	328	5381
DARKNESS-STREET LT	2939	33	1359
DUSK	785	14	381
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	42406	699	19710

16. CONTRIBUTING FACTORS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
SPEEDING OVER LIMIT	2245	189	1333
SPEED - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	14158	120	7157
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO VEHICLE	7433	80	3557
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	819	17	457
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	547	5	292
DISREGARD FLASHING YELLOW SIGNAL	0	0	0
IMPROPER TURN-WIDE RIGHT	263	1	67
IMPROPER TURN CUT CORNER ON LEFT	154	0	42
IMPROPER TURN-WRONG LANE	311	3	93
WRONG SIDE NOT PASSING	631	64	326
WRONG WAY ONE WAY ROAD	54	10	24
FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY	1644	2	823
OVERTAKE & PASS INSUFF CLEARANCE	63	3	23
PASS IN NO PASSING ZONE	185	3	67
OTHER ILLEGAL PASSING	887	6	326
NO SIGNAL OR WRONG SIG OF INTENTION	325	1	137
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	144	0	39
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO PEDESTRIAN	18	1	15
IMPROPER PARKING	218	1	76
DRIVE UNDER INFLU (LIQUOR OR DRUGS)	5956	291	3480
OTHER VIOLATIONS	7067	130	2693
TOTAL VIOLATIONS	43122	927	21027

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NORMAL	66166	908	30668
EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE	28	0	14
HEARING DEFECTIVE	1	0	0
LIMBS MISSING	3	0	2
OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT	16	1	11
ILL	299	8	205
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	2239	102	1305
OTHER HANDICAP	24	1	9
TOTAL DRIVERS	68776	1020	32214

13. WEATHER COND	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
CLEAR	36234	629	17019
RAIN	4893	47	2131
SNOW	195	3	64
FOG	803	18	387
OTHER & UNKNOWN	281	2	109
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	42406	699	19710

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED	60036	848	28427
TEX RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	2676	51	1447
TEX RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK	230	13	126
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED	3826	96	1631
NON-RES, NOT LICENSED	11	0	7
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK	9	0	6
NOT STATED	1988	12	570
TOTAL DRIVERS	68776	1020	32214

14. ROAD SURFACE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DRY	33652	612	15936
WET	7715	82	3424
MUDDY	107	0	31
SNOWY OR ICY	932	5	319
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	42406	699	19710