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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

SUMMARY OF ALL REPORTED ACCIDENTS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR FEBRUARY 1983

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THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 03-20-83

1. CURRENT PERIOD		NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT		TOTAL			ON ROADWAY						OFF ROADWAY		
		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	
MOTOR VEHICLE WITH	PEDESTRIAN	349	28	321	0	325	25	300	0	24	3	21	0
	MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	22186	89	6009	16088	22041	89	5977	15975	145	0	32	113
	RAILROAD TRAIN	66	3	20	43	66	3	20	43	0	0	0	0
	PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	2203	5	284	1914	1674	0	186	1488	529	5	98	426
	PEDALCYCLIST	153	2	149	2	146	2	142	2	7	0	7	0
	ANIMAL	277	0	38	239	276	0	38	238	1	0	0	1
	FIXED OBJECT	4148	54	1618	2476	146	0	40	106	4002	54	1578	2370
	OTHER OBJECT	148	1	37	110	128	0	30	98	20	1	7	12
	MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	OVERTURNED	834	18	462	354	189	4	112	73	645	14	350	281
	OTHER NON-COLLISION	150	1	60	89	96	1	47	48	54	0	13	41
	TOTALS	30514	201	8998	21315	25087	124	6892	18071	5427	77	2106	3244

NUMBER OF PERSONS				
KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY	A	B
28	345	101	206	38
116	9529	782	3659	5088
5	23	8	7	8
8	343	39	203	101
2	158	25	97	36
0	55	8	26	21
61	1996	347	1118	531
1	55	11	22	22
0	0	0	0	0
19	693	136	362	195
1	63	9	32	22
241	13260	1466	5732	6062

2. COMPARATIVE TOTALS		TOTAL						ON ROADWAY					
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT		THIS YEAR TO DATE			SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR			THIS YEAR TO DATE			SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR		
		ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED
MOTOR VEHICLE WITH	PEDESTRIAN	776	68	758	869	85	833	728	64	711	821	79	781
	MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	47148	247	19955	49339	257	20032	46868	240	19905	49040	253	19924
	RAILROAD TRAIN	106	6	45	150	18	65	104	6	42	148	18	65
	PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	4870	9	778	5190	8	999	3709	0	503	3813	2	614
	PEDALCYCLIST	292	6	304	232	5	232	283	6	294	224	5	224
	ANIMAL	622	0	114	499	1	86	620	0	114	493	1	83
	FIXED OBJECT	9003	125	4442	10564	158	5208	362	0	123	523	3	204
	OTHER OBJECT	336	1	132	402	4	156	303	0	118	342	2	133
	MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	OVERTURNED	1769	39	1343	2244	31	1546	362	10	271	407	7	284
	OTHER NON-COLLISION	331	3	130	408	5	150	208	3	92	255	3	115
	TOTALS	65253	504	28041	69897	572	29307	53547	329	22173	56066	373	22427

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KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY	A	B
42	1513	174	616	723
111	4128	490	1668	1970
37	1251	195	547	509
13	630	123	290	217
38	5719	478	2602	2539
0	19	6	9	4
241	13260	1466	5732	6062

3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING	TOTAL ACCIDENTS		SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		PEDESTRIAN		PEDALCYCLIST	
	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL
MIDNIGHT	935	16	222	3	66	1	79	0	76	1	97	3	129	0	276	3	9	1	0	0
1:00 A.M.	819	12	252	1	55	2	62	3	63	0	68	2	88	0	231	4	3	0	1	0
2:00 A.M.	892	13	283	2	64	1	49	1	47	0	71	2	90	3	288	4	4	0	2	1
3:00 A.M.	392	8	119	3	26	0	24	0	32	0	26	0	47	1	118	4	3	1	0	0
4:00 A.M.	198	2	51	1	16	0	16	0	10	0	14	0	26	0	65	1	1	0	0	0
5:00 A.M.	188	10	50	2	20	2	22	2	15	0	16	2	28	1	37	1	3	1	0	0
6:00 A.M.	559	8	40	1	85	1	92	0	113	0	84	3	89	1	56	2	7	1	6	0
7:00 A.M.	1594	7	33	0	296	1	285	0	346	3	281	0	262	0	91	3	9	0	8	0
8:00 A.M.	1634	0	45	0	280	0	284	0	327	0	277	0	305	0	116	0	11	0	6	0
9:00 A.M.	1082	5	73	2	162	1	174	1	214	0	140	0	176	0	143	1	14	1	0	0
10:00 A.M.	1142	8	95	0	168	2	163	1	179	1	142	1	179	2	216	1	9	2	6	0
11:00 A.M.	1419	4	110	0	221	2	191	0	213	0	180	0	273	1	231	1	17	0	3	0
NOON	1763	5	171	0	267	1	258	0	275	1	256	2	309	0	227	1	13	1	11	0
1:00 P.M.	1673	6	167	0	246	0	220	1	244	2	220	1	312	1	264	1	15	1	9	0
2:00 P.M.	1793	5	175	0	264	0	247	1	261	1	251	0	325	0	270	3	18	0	6	0
3:00 P.M.	2347	9	197	1	377	1	320	2	342	1	323	2	480	1	308	1	25	0	12	0
4:00 P.M.	2429	5	181	0	377	1	356	1	370	1	374	1	511	0	260	1	27	1	22	0
5:00 P.M.	2374	11	223	5	377	0	330	2	379	1	362	1	461	0	242	2	35	1	28	0
6:00 P.M.	1603	10	188	2	205	0	215	0	184	1	211	0	344	2	256	5	33	3	19	1
7:00 P.M.	1404	13	190	5	140	0	194	1	191	1	141	0	284	3	264	3	28	6	5	0
8:00 P.M.	1140	10	141	1	126	0	142	0	135	3	132	2	242	1	222	3	24	2	2	0
9:00 P.M.	1068	10	112	1	104	1	106	2	134	2	143	0	250	3	219	1	16	5	3	0
10:00 P.M.	1053	14	116	3	96	2	119	3	116	4	140	1	289	0	177	1	16	1	3	0
11:00 P.M.	1013	10	95	0	87	1	84	0	99	2	117	2	304	2	227	3	9	0	1	0
TOTALS	30514	201	3329	33	4125	20	4032	21	4365	25	4056	25	5803	22	4804	55	349	28	153	2

INJURY SEVERITY			
A. Incapacitating Injury - Severe injury which prevents continuation of normal activities. Includes broken or distorted limbs, internal injuries, crushed chest, etc.	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
B. Nonincapacitating Injury - Evident injury such as bruises, abrasions, minor lacerations which do not incapacitate.	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
C. Possible Injury - Injury which is claimed, reported or indicated by behavior but without visible wounds. Includes limping, momentary unconsciousness or complaint of pain.	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE

MILEAGE RATES	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC DEATHS	504	572	*
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES	28,041	29,307	- 4%
ESTIMATED VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED (MILLIONS)	20,029	19,027	+ 5%
DEATH RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	2.5	3.0	*
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	140.0	154.0	- 9%

* INDICATES LESS THAN 0.5% CHANGE

* NOTE: Beginning with January 1, 1983 accidents, a death will not be counted if it occurs more than 30 days after the accident date. Fatal accidents and deaths for 1983 cannot be compared with prior years; however, about 98% of all deaths occur within 30 days after the accident date.

ALL FIGURES ON THIS REPORT ARE PRELIMINARY. To insure proper comparison, 1982 figures are the preliminary figures covering the same reporting period as those of 1983.

LOCATION: STATE

Table with 4A. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS) and NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED (TOTAL, MALE, FEMALE) for PEDESTRIANS and PEDALCYCLISTS.

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Table with 4B. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS) and NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED (TOTAL, MALE, FEMALE) for PEDESTRIANS and PEDALCYCLISTS.

Table with 5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (AT INTERSECTION) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY, NON-INJURY counts.

Table with 5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS (MOTOR VEHICLE GOING STRAIGHT, TURNING RIGHT, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (NOT AT INTERSECTION) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY, NON-INJURY counts.

Table with 5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS (COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY, NON-INJURY counts.

Table with 6. PEDESTRIAN ACTIONS BY AGE and AGES OF PEDESTRIANS KILLED/INJURED (TOTAL, 0-4, 5-9, etc.).

Table with 7. AGE OF DRIVER (15 & YOUNGER, 16, 17, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 11. VEHICLE CONDITION (NO DEFECTS REPORTED, DEFECTIVE BRAKES, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 15. TYPE OF VEHICLE (PASSENGER CAR, PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 8. SEX OF DRIVER (MALE, FEMALE, NOT STATED) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 12. LIGHT CONDITION (DAYLIGHT, DAWN, DARKNESS- No Street Lt., etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 16. VIOLATIONS CONTRIBUTING TO ACCIDENT (SPEEDING OVER LIMIT, SPEED-UNDER LIMIT-UNSAFE, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 9. CONDITION OF DRIVER (NORMAL, EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE, HEARING DEFECTIVE, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 13. WEATHER CONDITION (CLEAR, RAIN, SNOW, FOG, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE (TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED, TEXAS RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.

Table with 14. ROAD SURFACE (DRY, WET, MUDDY, SNOWY OR ICY, etc.) and TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY counts.