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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS Government Publications

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

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THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 04-20-83

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A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY			
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NONINJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NONINJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NONINJURY
PEDESTRIAN	499	44	455	0	462	43	419	0	37	1	36	0
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	26424	91	7506	18827	26264	89	7478	18697	160	2	28	130
RAILROAD TRAIN	59	0	29	30	58	0	28	30	1	0	1	0
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	2382	3	305	2074	1737	1	192	1544	645	2	113	530
PEDALCYCLIST	207	5	199	3	203	5	195	3	4	0	4	0
ANIMAL	331	0	50	281	328	0	49	279	3	0	1	2
FIXED OBJECT	4868	73	1908	2887	164	1	46	117	4704	72	1862	2770
OTHER OBJECT	171	2	55	114	149	2	45	102	22	0	10	12
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	982	16	562	404	241	4	151	86	741	12	411	318
OTHER NON-COLLISION	204	1	85	118	131	1	60	70	73	0	25	48
TOTALS	36127	235	11154	24738	29737	146	8663	20928	6390	89	2491	3810

A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF PERSONS					
	KILLED		INJURED		INJURY SEVERITY	
	B	C	B	C	B	C
PEDESTRIAN	46	474	157	253	64	
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	103	12200	1010	4675	6515	
RAILROAD TRAIN	0	38	9	16	13	
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	4	378	42	216	120	
PEDALCYCLIST	5	204	32	138	34	
ANIMAL	0	68	3	39	26	
FIXED OBJECT	79	2473	498	1364	611	
OTHER OBJECT	2	75	15	40	20	
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	
OVERTURNED	17	799	178	429	192	
OTHER NON-COLLISION	1	101	14	63	24	
TOTALS	257	16810	1958	7233	7619	

A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	TOTAL						PERCENT CHANGE IN DEATHS	ON ROADWAY					
	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
PEDESTRIAN	1293	121	1244	1403	130	1358		1206	115	1155	1308	119	1258
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	74529	358	32575	76391	435	31965		74079	349	32434	75920	426	31780
RAILROAD TRAIN	171	6	87	226	24	107		168	6	83	224	24	107
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	7399	14	1168	7552	13	1512		5557	1	742	5825	2	934
PEDALCYCLIST	510	11	519	448	10	454		496	11	504	428	10	433
ANIMAL	960	0	184	808	1	137		955	0	183	801	1	134
FIXED OBJECT	14104	207	6999	15440	230	7691	*	533	1	183	781	4	290
OTHER OBJECT	518	3	212	555	4	211		462	2	186	477	2	182
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	2800	59	2186	3375	57	2495		616	14	479	657	12	498
OTHER NON-COLLISION	546	4	237	569	9	225		346	4	171	365	7	172
TOTALS	102830	783	45415	107167	913	46155		84418	503	36120	86786	607	35788

- A. Incapacitating Injury - Severe injury which prevents continuation of normal activities. Includes broken or distorted limbs, internal injuries, crushed chest, 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	783	913	*
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES	45,415	46,155	- 2 %
ESTIMATED VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED (MILLIONS)	30,921	29,544	+ 5 %
DEATH RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	2.5	3.1	*
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	146.9	156.2	- 6 %

3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING	TOTAL ACCIDENTS																			
	ALL		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	1076	18	235	3	76	1	91	1	98	1	112	3	135	1	329	8	13	4	0	0
1:00 A.M.	927	13	297	4	50	1	55	1	92	2	69	0	113	1	251	4	7	1	1	1
2:00 A.M.	968	17	272	3	41	0	56	2	106	1	90	0	113	1	290	10	14	5	2	0
3:00 A.M.	413	8	103	2	29	0	33	0	41	4	38	1	38	1	131	0	4	2	0	0
4:00 A.M.	244	5	66	2	23	0	18	0	36	2	17	0	25	0	59	1	2	0	0	0
5:00 A.M.	234	2	35	0	24	1	35	0	34	0	26	1	34	0	42	0	4	0	0	0
6:00 A.M.	645	8	42	2	101	1	85	1	164	1	91	2	109	0	53	1	5	0	2	0
7:00 A.M.	1850	9	53	2	280	1	315	1	412	0	310	1	385	1	95	3	36	1	5	0
8:00 A.M.	1719	4	54	0	231	0	246	1	418	1	325	0	325	1	120	1	12	0	5	0
9:00 A.M.	1229	5	66	0	175	0	196	0	246	2	199	0	184	0	161	3	7	1	2	0
10:00 A.M.	1400	5	95	0	182	1	210	1	283	0	224	1	205	0	201	2	12	0	1	0
11:00 A.M.	1743	5	119	2	224	2	257	0	342	1	259	0	277	0	265	0	21	2	9	1
NOON	2083	8	165	1	245	1	340	0	389	1	316	1	354	0	274	4	16	0	10	0
1:00 P.M.	1912	6	172	0	239	0	287	1	314	2	301	3	305	0	294	0	23	2	13	0
2:00 P.M.	1967	15	175	6	251	1	298	0	328	4	291	1	327	1	297	2	24	1	16	1
3:00 P.M.	2729	5	196	0	355	2	416	2	523	0	439	0	508	0	392	1	47	0	24	0
4:00 P.M.	3113	13	236	2	422	1	484	3	567	3	519	2	581	2	304	0	53	3	30	0
5:00 P.M.	3193	10	242	0	460	3	510	0	620	1	549	3	504	1	308	2	38	1	39	0
6:00 P.M.	2023	15	241	7	225	3	281	0	341	4	338	0	284	1	313	0	56	4	22	1
7:00 P.M.	1743	13	178	1	171	1	240	3	249	2	263	4	313	0	329	2	36	5	11	0
8:00 P.M.	1333	13	155	2	117	3	198	3	168	1	210	0	220	1	265	3	20	3	7	0
9:00 P.M.	1285	9	117	1	91	1	169	1	193	3	207	0	287	3	221	0	15	1	5	1
10:00 P.M.	1165	13	111	2	92	1	163	2	155	2	187	0	256	5	201	1	19	3	2	0
11:00 P.M.	1133	16	80	0	82	1	146	4	112	0	179	4	278	4	256	3	15	5	1	0
TOTALS	36127	235	3511	42	4186	26	5129	27	6231	38	5559	27	6160	24	5351	51	499	44	207	5

* 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.

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