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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

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SUMMARY OF ALL REPORTED

ACCIDENTS IN THE STATE OF

TEXAS FOR JANUARY 1986

Prepared by TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
STATISTICAL SERVICES

THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS
AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE FROM PUBLIC LIBRARY

1. CURRENT PERIOD		NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY				
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	
PEDESTRIAN	443	30	413	0	414	29	385	0	29	1	28	0	
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	22388	76	6020	15692	22226	75	6585	15566	162	1	35	126	
RAILROAD TRAIN	50	4	19	27	49	3	19	27	1	1	0	0	
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	2056	4	260	1792	1689	1	193	1495	367	3	67	297	
PEDALCYCLIST	185	1	176	8	176	1	168	7	9	0	8	1	
ANIMAL	288	1	41	246	288	1	41	246	0	0	0	0	
FIXED OBJECT	4019	55	1513	2451	212	0	65	147	3807	55	1448	2304	
OTHER OBJECT	129	0	26	103	116	0	22	94	13	0	4	9	
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
OVERTURNED	950	20	519	411	221	6	134	81	729	14	385	330	
OTHER NON-COLLISION	175	5	62	108	117	4	48	65	58	1	14	43	
TOTALS	30683	196	9649	20838	25508	120	7660	17728	5175	76	1989	3110	

NUMBER OF PERSONS				
KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY		
		A	B	C
30	436	124	235	77
90	10422	807	3117	6498
4	29	8	13	8
4	338	43	167	128
1	189	30	120	39
1	49	11	20	18
65	1996	371	1016	609
0	31	3	15	13
0	0	0	0	0
23	707	134	378	195
6	71	17	36	18
224	14268	1548	5117	7603

2. COMPARATIVE TOTALS		TOTAL											
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	THIS YEAR TO DATE						SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR						PERCENT CHANGE IN DEATHS
	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	
PEDESTRIAN	443	30	436	351	34	351-12%	414	29	406	328	30	327	
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	22388	90	10422	24624	88	11120+2%	22226	89	10362	24411	87	11061	
RAILROAD TRAIN	50	4	29	57	2	28+100%	49	3	29	55	2	27	
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	2056	4	338	2315	6	381-33%	1689	1	237	1833	0	246	
PEDALCYCLIST	185	1	199	144	1	151 NC %	176	1	181	139	1	146	
ANIMAL	288	1	49	300	0	54+INF%	288	1	49	299	0	54	
FIXED OBJECT	4019	65	1996	5467	45	2563+44%	212	0	86	207	2	65	
OTHER OBJECT	129	0	31	233	0	81 NC %	116	0	27	215	0	73	
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0 NC %	0	0	0	0	0	0	
OVERTURNED	950	23	707	963	26	640-12%	221	9	182	200	4	134	
OTHER NON-COLLISION	175	6	71	235	2	92+200%	117	5	54	144	1	64	
TOTALS	30683	224	14268	34689	204	15461+10%	25508	138	11613	27831	127	12197	

- INJURY SEVERITY**
- 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	224	204	+10%
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES	14,268	15,461	-8%
ESTIMATED VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED (MILLIONS)	12,102	10,903	+11%
DEATH RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	1.9	1.9	NC %
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	117.9	141.8	-17%

3. TIME		* INDICATES LESS THAN 0.5% CHANGE																		
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	835	14	183	4	46	0	40	2	139	2	80	2	128	2	219	2	13	2	1	1
1:00 A.M.	691	9	153	2	36	1	27	0	139	0	46	0	97	2	193	4	8	3	0	0
2:00 A.M.	769	14	191	1	40	0	47	0	145	2	77	3	89	5	180	3	8	0	0	0
3:00 A.M.	352	7	83	2	17	0	21	0	73	2	35	2	40	1	83	0	1	0	1	0
4:00 A.M.	211	5	37	1	16	1	16	0	57	1	15	1	30	1	40	0	2	0	0	0
5:00 A.M.	209	7	23	2	22	1	21	1	39	1	30	1	39	1	30	0	5	0	0	0
6:00 A.M.	601	7	17	0	75	2	91	1	110	1	95	2	168	1	45	0	8	3	1	0
7:00 A.M.	1637	8	24	1	236	2	291	1	326	0	292	4	401	0	67	0	19	3	7	0
8:00 A.M.	1657	6	45	0	276	0	251	0	316	3	285	0	355	1	129	2	22	1	4	0
9:00 A.M.	1134	5	76	1	158	0	152	0	188	1	179	0	221	2	160	1	10	0	4	0
10:00 A.M.	1134	5	94	0	192	4	136	0	193	0	173	0	202	1	144	0	10	1	4	0
11:00 A.M.	1469	5	122	1	196	0	204	1	262	1	228	0	254	2	203	0	20	1	3	0
NOON	1867	4	159	1	264	2	251	1	306	0	293	0	361	0	233	0	21	1	6	0
1:00 P.M.	1747	8	139	1	275	0	232	1	263	1	277	1	313	2	248	2	28	0	5	0
2:00 P.M.	1828	7	165	0	248	4	215	0	315	0	306	1	329	1	250	1	21	0	11	0
3:00 P.M.	2369	7	197	2	319	1	330	0	376	2	422	1	449	1	276	0	48	0	22	0
4:00 P.M.	2587	5	194	0	404	0	310	0	434	4	439	0	499	1	307	0	39	2	29	0
5:00 P.M.	2622	8	204	1	425	0	329	0	426	2	465	3	520	1	253	1	40	0	32	0
6:00 P.M.	1731	11	130	1	249	2	210	1	267	1	324	3	363	1	238	2	32	5	23	0
7:00 P.M.	1307	5	127	0	167	1	142	2	192	1	188	0	303	1	188	0	16	1	9	0
8:00 P.M.	1063	12	121	2	96	3	101	0	179	3	176	2	238	2	152	0	19	2	9	0
9:00 P.M.	957	11	98	2	77	1	107	0	115	2	173	3	233	1	154	2	20	4	5	0
10:00 P.M.	965	9	83	1	71	1	82	0	116	0	155	2	281	5	177	0	18	0	2	0
11:00 P.M.	891	16	65	3	66	1	72	0	95	4	151	2	276	4	166	2	15	1	2	0
TOTALS	30683	196	2735	29	3971	27	3678	11	5071	34	4904	33	6189	39	4135	23	443	30	185	1

NOTE: ALL FIGURES ON THIS REPORT ARE PRELIMINARY. To insure proper comparison, 1985 figures are the preliminary figures covering the same reporting period as those of 1986.

LOCATION: STATE

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

TYPE SUMMARY: ALL REPORTED

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

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY, NON-INJURY) ENTERING AT ANGLE, FROM SAME DIRECTION, SAME ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT, SAME ONE STOPPED, SAME ALL OTHERS, FROM OPPOSITE DIRECTION, SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT, SAME - ALL OTHERS

5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS (TOTAL PED ACCIDENTS, TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) MOTOR VEHICLE GOING STRAIGHT, MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING RIGHT, MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING LEFT, MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING, ALL OTHERS

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY, NON-INJURY) GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION - HEAD ON, GOING SAME DIRECTION - REAR END, SAME-SIDESWIPE, ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION, ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC, ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING, ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING, ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY, ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY, ALL OTHERS

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY, NON-INJURY) COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN, COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT, COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT, OVERTURNED, OTHER NON-COLLISION, COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN, COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT, COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT, OVERTURNED, OTHER NON-COLLISION, COLLISION WITH ANIMAL, NOT STATED

6. PEDESTRIAN ACTIONS BY AGE (TOTAL PEDES, TOTAL, AGES OF PEDESTRIANS KILLED, AGES OF PEDESTRIANS INJURED)

7. AGE OF DRIVER (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) 15 & YOUNGER, 16, 17, 18 to 19, 20 to 24, 25 to 34, 35 to 44, 45 to 54, 55 to 64, 65 to 74, 75 & OLDER, UNKNOWN, TOTAL DRIVERS

11. VEHICLE CONDITION (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) NO DEFECTS REPORTED, DEFECTIVE BRAKES, DEFECTIVE STEERING, DEF OR IMPROPER LIGHT, DEFECTIVE TIRES, DEF TRAILER EQUIP, DEF STOP OR TURN SIGNAL, WHEEL CAME OFF VEHICLE, OTHER DEFECTS, TOTAL VEHICLES

15. TYPE OF VEHICLE (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) PASSENGER CAR, PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER, PASSENGER CAR & HOUSE TRAILER, TRUCK, TRUCK & TRAILER, TRUCK-TRACTOR & SEMI TRAILER, TRUCK & HOUSE TRAILER, OTHER TRUCK COMBINATIONS, FARM TRACTOR, ROAD MACHINERY, BUS, SCHOOL BUS, MOTORCYCLE, MOTOR SCOOTER OR MOTOR BIKE, MOPED, OTHER & UNKNOWN, TOTAL VEHICLES

8. SEX OF DRIVER (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) MALE, FEMALE, NOT STATED, TOTAL DRIVERS

12. LIGHT CONDITION (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) DAYLIGHT, DAWN, DARKNESS- No Street Lt., DARKNESS-Street Lt., DUSK, UNKNOWN, TOTAL ACCIDENTS

16. VIOLATIONS CONTRIBUTING TO ACCIDENT (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) SPEEDING OVER LIMIT, SPEED-UNDER LIMIT-UNSAFE, FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO VEHICLE, DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT, DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL, DISREGARD FLASHING YELLOW SIGNAL, IMPROPER TURN-WIDE RIGHT, IMPROPER TURN-CUT CORNER ON LEFT, IMPROPER TURN-WRONG LANE, WRONG SIDE-NOT PASSING, WRONG WAY ONE WAY ROAD, FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY, OVERTAKE & PASS-INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE, PASS IN NO PASSING ZONE, OTHER ILLEGAL PASSING, NO SIGNAL OR WRONG SIGNAL OF INTENTION, IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION, FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO PEDESTRIAN, IMPROPER PARKING, DRIVING UNDER INFLUENCE (liquor or drugs), OTHER VIOLATIONS, TOTAL VIOLATIONS

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) NORMAL, EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE, HEARING DEFECTIVE, LIMBS MISSING, OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT, ILL, FATIGUED OR ASLEEP, OTHER HANDICAP, TOTAL DRIVERS

13. WEATHER CONDITION (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) CLEAR, RAIN, SNOW, FOG, OTHER & UNKNOWN, TOTAL ACCIDENTS

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED, TEXAS RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED, TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK, NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED, NON-RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED, NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK, NOT STATED, TOTAL DRIVERS

14. ROAD SURFACE (TOTAL, FATAL, INJURY) DRY, WET, MUDDY, SNOWY OR ICY, UNKNOWN, TOTAL ACCIDENTS