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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

SUMMARY OF ALL REPORTED ACCIDENTS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR JUNE 1987

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STATISTICAL SERVICES

THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 07-20-87

1. CURRENT PERIOD	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY			
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NONINJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NONINJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NONINJURY
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT												
PEDESTRIAN	341	35	306	0	319	34	285	0	22	1	21	0
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	22857	82	8261	14514	22662	81	8205	14376	195	1	56	138
RAILROAD TRAIN	29	3	11	15	29	3	11	15	0	0	0	0
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	1971	6	262	1703	1597	1	177	1419	374	5	85	284
PEDALCYCLIST	367	12	349	6	356	11	339	6	11	1	10	0
ANIMAL	224	0	47	177	222	0	47	175	2	0	0	2
FIXED OBJECT	4528	46	1776	2706	228	1	68	159	4300	45	1708	2547
OTHER OBJECT	163	0	42	121	150	0	35	115	13	0	7	0
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	1033	25	715	293	290	6	226	58	743	19	489	235
OTHER NON-COLLISION	342	7	123	212	247	6	97	144	95	1	26	68
TOTALS	31855	216	11892	19747	26100	143	9490	16467	5755	73	2402	3280
B. LOCATION												
INTERSTATE ROUTES	4188	45	1658	2485	3183	28	1226	1929	1005	17	432	556
US & STATE ROUTES	8845	82	3492	5271	7407	65	2858	4484	1438	17	634	787
FARM TO MARKET ROADS	2637	27	1130	1480	2015	15	801	1199	622	12	329	281
COUNTY ROADS	1585	23	677	885	1039	11	426	602	546	12	251	283
CITY STREETS	14519	39	4915	9565	12400	24	4162	8214	2119	15	753	1351
OTHER	81	0	20	61	56	0	17	39	25	0	3	22
TOTALS	31855	216	11892	19747	26100	143	9490	16467	5755	73	2402	3280
C. POPULATION GROUP												
UNDER 2,500	5657	113	2486	3058	3583	70	1470	2043	2074	43	1016	1015
2,500 to 5,000	827	4	270	553	719	4	234	481	108	0	36	72
5,000 to 10,000	1125	11	392	722	961	9	317	635	164	2	75	87
10,000 to 25,000	3185	12	1049	2124	2681	7	866	1808	504	5	183	316
25,000 to 50,000	1746	5	596	1145	1530	4	511	1015	216	1	85	130
50,000 to 100,000	3159	12	1093	2054	2780	9	950	1821	379	3	143	233
100,000 to 250,000	3059	14	1215	1830	2579	11	1002	1566	480	3	213	264
OVER 250,000	13097	45	4791	8261	11267	29	4140	7098	1830	16	651	1163
TOTALS	31855	216	11892	19747	26100	143	9490	16467	5755	73	2402	3280

NUMBER OF PERSONS	INJURY SEVERITY				
	KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY		
			A	B	C
35	330	113	153	64	
105	13704	1157	4043	8504	
4	12	4	4	4	
7	363	47	175	141	
12	367	86	216	65	
0	64	9	31	24	
51	2394	338	1121	840	
0	71	4	32	30	
0	0	0	0	0	
27	1070	250	546	274	
7	145	30	78	37	
248	18520	2138	6399	9983	
57	2654	324	834	1496	
90	5736	711	1880	3145	
35	1849	302	665	882	
27	1083	162	452	469	
39	7175	634	2558	3983	
0	23	5	10	8	
248	18520	2138	6399	9983	
139	4147	601	1694	1652	
4	425	62	131	232	
12	606	75	214	317	
12	1580	166	555	859	
5	932	113	303	516	
12	1705	164	582	759	
14	1840	137	710	993	
50	7285	620	2210	4455	
248	18520	2138	6399	9983	

NOTE - NO TOTALS, EXCEPT FATAL ACCIDENTS AND DEATHS, CAN BE COMPARED TO YEARS PRIOR TO 1987 DUE TO CHANGES IN REPORT PROCESSING.

2. COMPARATIVE TOTALS	TOTAL												PERCENT CHANGE IN DEATHS
	THIS YEAR TO DATE						SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR						
	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT													
PEDESTRIAN	2430	205	2389	2925	241	2902	15%	2251	188	2199	2732	215	2687
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	138160	641	79321	159338	681	80341	6%	137016	625	78777	157901	661	79778
RAILROAD TRAIN	243	17	146	288	29	157	41%	239	17	146	283	28	157
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	12214	34	2194	14551	17	2515	100%	9724	5	1384	11759	4	1623
PEDALCYCLIST	1850	29	1892	1848	28	1858	4%	1777	23	1620	1770	24	1782
ANIMAL	1529	5	384	1831	6	447	17%	1517	5	382	1823	6	444
FIXED OBJECT	27897	345	14439	30848	425	15795	19%	1244	5	517	1523	15	583
OTHER OBJECT	1046	19	455	1081	9	407	111%	925	14	392	987	9	376
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	6475	140	5683	6874	196	5921	3%	1589	38	1481	1740	57	1623
OTHER NON-COLLISION	1495	23	663	1432	27	649	15%	1035	19	507	958	24	441
TOTALS	193339	1508	107566	221016	1659	110992	9%	157317	939	87605	181476	1043	89534
B. LOCATION													
INTERSTATE ROUTES	23522	270	13771	26182	250	13309	8%	18026	142	10476	20643	142	10271
US & STATE ROUTES	53662	581	32944	60746	682	34221	15%	44697	414	27764	50972	462	28600
FARM TO MARKET ROADS	16599	253	10889	18991	278	11765	9%	12411	142	7984	14309	162	8528
COUNTY ROADS	9195	109	6064	10983	150	6742	27%	5521	66	3591	6604	69	3813
CITY STREETS	89876	293	43752	103487	295	44764	1%	76383	193	37675	88524	205	38159
OTHER	485	2	146	627	4	191	50%	279	2	115	424	3	163
TOTALS	193339	1508	107566	221016	1659	110992	9%	157317	939	87605	181476	1043	89534
C. POPULATION GROUP													
UNDER 2,500	33543	791	23068	38298	863	25252	8%	20819	448	14314	24081	485	15575
2,500 to 5,000	5495	28	2720	5788	35	2559	20%	4598	25	2275	4831	23	2134
5,000 to 10,000	7100	51	3436	7659	47	3328	9%	5910	35	2912	6353	35	2758
10,000 to 25,000	21011	85	9856	22462	98	9877	13%	17712	53	8340	19021	78	8240
25,000 to 50,000	11305	39	5345	11859	43	5033	9%	9792	29	4675	10321	33	4335
50,000 to 100,000	19641	79	10475	22229	104	10907	24%	16414	53	9209	19288	66	9544
100,000 to 250,000	18647	107	10650	21837	91	10773	18%	15845	80	9195	18726	65	9278
OVER 250,000	76597	328	42016	90884	378	43263	13%	65727	216	36685	78855	258	37670
TOTALS	193339	1508	107566	221016	1659	110992	9%	157317	939	87605	181476	1043	89534

MILEAGE RATES	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC DEATHS	1,508	1,659	- 9%
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES	107,566	110,992	- 3%
ESTIMATED VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED (MILLIONS)	74,746	74,946	* %
DEATH RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	2.0	2.2	- 9%
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	143.9	148.1	- 3%

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						
MIDNIGHT	889	13	206	3	103	3	96	0	83	1	86	0	102	1	213	5	10	4	4	1				
1:00 A.M.	664	10	175	0	66	0	50	1	46	2	61	1	74	1	192	5	7	1	0	0				
2:00 A.M.	732	20	140	4	73	4	62	1	50	1	61	2	87	2	209	6	10	5	1	0				
3:00 A.M.	407	8	117	3	36	2	36	0	35	0	27	0	48	2	104	1	4	1	4	1				
4:00 A.M.	241	4	57	1	29	0	20	0	21	0	24	0	30	0	60	3	2	0	0	0				
5:00 A.M.	241	9	47	4	39	0	27	0	27	0	35	1	28	1	44	3	3	2	0	0				
6:00 A.M.	513	7	46	1	77	1	115	1	77	2	84	0	63	1	51	1	3	1	2	0				
7:00 A.M.	1207	8	48	1	223	1	303	3	205	1	179	0	173	1	76	1	9	0	7	1				
8:00 A.M.	1179	7	53	0	216	1	297	1	181	2	171	1												

LOCATION: STATE

4A. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED								
	TOTAL KILLED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
0 to 4	13	9	4	3	2	1	1	1	0
5 to 9	9	4	5	2	2	0	2	2	0
10 to 14	8	4	4	0	0	0	3	2	1
15 to 19	38	22	16	3	2	1	1	1	0
20 to 24	32	22	10	4	3	1	1	1	0
25 to 34	71	55	16	6	5	1	1	1	0
35 to 44	22	20	2	5	4	1	1	1	0
45 to 54	17	13	4	2	2	0	0	0	0
55 to 64	16	14	2	2	2	0	1	1	0
65 to 74	5	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	0
75 & OLDER	8	5	3	3	2	1	0	0	0
NOT STATED	9	8	1	4	4	0	1	1	0
TOTALS	248	179	69	36	29	7	12	11	1

TYPE SUMMARY: ALL REPORTED

4B. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED								
	TOTAL INJURED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
0 to 4	542	295	247	31	17	14	8	7	1
5 to 9	837	428	409	83	51	32	89	65	24
10 to 14	763	370	392	32	19	13	95	72	23
15 to 19	2833	1478	1355	30	23	7	73	59	14
20 to 24	3068	1652	1416	31	27	4	33	24	9
25 to 34	4477	2390	2083	69	47	22	30	24	6
35 to 44	2492	1229	1259	27	19	8	12	11	1
45 to 54	1279	593	683	18	11	7	4	4	0
55 to 64	1012	469	543	16	13	3	3	3	0
65 to 74	577	229	347	9	4	5	1	1	0
75 & OLDER	380	161	219	5	3	2	1	1	0
NOT STATED	260	111	133	2	14	6	13	10	3
TOTALS	18520	9405	9076	372	248	123	362	281	81

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
ENTERING AT ANGLE		6395	22	2523	3850
FROM SAME DIRECTION BOTH GOING STRAIGHT		921	1	287	633
SAME - ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT		1023	1	224	798
SAME - ONE STOPPED		2323	1	1058	1264
SAME - ALL OTHERS		197	0	25	172
FROM OPPOSITE DIRECTION-BOTH GOING STRAIGHT		89	1	40	48
SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT		1959	5	871	1083
SAME - ALL OTHERS		254	0	19	235
TOTALS		13161	31	5047	8083

5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS		TOTAL PED ACCIDENTS	TOTAL FATAL	TOTAL INJURY	TOTAL NON-INT.
MOTOR VEHICLE GOING STRAIGHT		300	34	2	32
MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING RIGHT		11	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING LEFT		16	0	0	0
MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING		14	1	0	1
ALL OTHERS		0	0	0	0
TOTALS		341	35	2	33

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION - HEAD ON		812	30	405	377
GOING SAME DIRECTION - REAR END		1803	4	753	1046
SAME-SIDESWIPE		1563	8	324	1231
ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION		76	0	32	44
ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC		1897	2	736	1159
ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING		104	0	12	92
ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING		78	0	7	71
ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY		1224	4	401	819
ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY		1609	0	387	1222
ALL OTHERS		530	3	157	370
TOTALS		9696	51	3214	6431

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN		181	3	173	5
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT		940	4	305	631
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT		15	0	3	12
OVERTURNED		160	1	120	39
OTHER NON-COLLISION		69	0	35	34
COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN	NOT AT INTERSECTION	215	12	187	16
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	NOT AT INTERSECTION	3588	42	1471	2075
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	NOT AT INTERSECTION	148	0	39	109
OVERTURNED	NOT AT INTERSECTION	873	24	595	254
OTHER NON-COLLISION	NOT AT INTERSECTION	273	7	88	178
COLLISION WITH ANIMAL	NOT AT INTERSECTION	224	0	47	177
NOT STATED	NOT AT INTERSECTION	1971	6	262	1703
TOTALS	NOT AT INTERSECTION	8557	99	3325	5233

6. PEDESTRIAN ACTIONS BY AGE	TOTAL PEDES.	AGES OF PEDESTRIANS KILLED										AGES OF PEDESTRIANS INJURED									
		TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65&OV	UNK	TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65 & OV	UNK
CROSSING AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	63	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	61	3	13	5	6	1	13	12	5	3
CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	181	18	2	2	0	3	0	6	1	1	3	163	22	55	21	7	11	27	9	2	9
GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	1	0	3	2	3	0	1	1
WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC	22	6	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	16	0	0	2	5	0	6	2	1	0
WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC	7	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0
STANDING IN ROADWAY	13	4	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	9	1	1	0	1	1	2	3	0	0
PUSHING OR WORKING ON VEHICLE	16	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	14	0	0	1	1	2	7	2	0	1
OTHER WORKING IN ROADWAY	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	6	1	0	0	0
PLAYING IN ROADWAY	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	4	6	0	1	2	1	0	0	0
OTHER IN ROADWAY	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	2	0	1	3	10	0	1	2
NOT IN ROADWAY	37	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	36	1	3	3	4	1	15	3	4	2
NOT STATED	12	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	2	0	1	2	3	0	0	3
TOTALS	408	36	3	2	0	3	4	11	4	5	4	372	31	83	32	30	31	96	34	14	21

7. AGE OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
15 & YOUNGER	207	1	96
16	802	1	318
17	1851	10	690
18 to 19	4053	27	1583
20 to 24	9431	45	3695
25 to 34	15259	102	6022
35 to 44	8859	45	3400
45 to 54	4646	29	1704
55 to 64	3335	23	1226
65 to 74	2118	6	742
75 & OLDER	1240	6	457
UNKNOWN	3388	9	691
TOTAL DRIVERS	55189	304	20624

11. VEHICLE CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NO DEFECTS REPORTED	54068	296	20175
DEFECTIVE BRAKES	466	2	195
DEFECTIVE STEERING	81	0	38
DEF OR IMPROPER LIGHT	55	1	24
DEFECTIVE TIRES	229	2	107
DEF TRAILER EQUIP.	86	1	17
DEF STOP OR TURN SIGNAL	75	0	29
WHEEL CAME OFF VEHICLE	47	0	8
OTHER DEFECTS	82	2	31
TOTAL VEHICLES	55189	304	20624

15. TYPE OF VEHICLE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
PASSENGER CAR	36382	162	13925
PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER	58	0	18
PASSENGER CAR & HOUSE TRAILER	0	0	0
TRUCK	15376	96	5340
TRUCK & TRAILER	284	1	79
TRUCK-TRACTOR & SEMI TRAILER	1135	16	330
TRUCK & HOUSE TRAILER	9	0	3
OTHER TRUCK COMBINATIONS	64	0	23
FARM TRACTOR	24	0	7
ROAD MACHINERY	4	0	1
BUS	134	1	44
SCHOOL BUS	18	0	1
MOTORCYCLE	772	23	686
MOTOR SCOOTER OR MOTOR BIKE	23	0	21
MOPED	13	0	13
OTHER & UNKNOWN	893	5	133
TOTAL VEHICLES	55189	304	20624

8. SEX OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
MALE	33472	230	12479
FEMALE	19164	66	7652
NOT STATED	2553	8	493
TOTAL DRIVERS	55189	304	20624

12. LIGHT CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DAYLIGHT	23996	107	8619
DAWN	258	4	94
DARKNESS- No Street Lt.	3276	72	1352
DARKNESS-Street Lt.	3895	30	1663
DUSK	430	3	164
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31855	216	11892

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NORMAL	54458	278	20215
EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE	20	1	6
HEARING DEFECTIVE	0	0	0
LIMBS MISSING	3	0	3
OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT	20	0	6
ILL	114	2	86
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	565	22	307
OTHER HANDICAP	9	1	1
TOTAL DRIVERS	55189	304	20624

13. WEATHER CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
CLEAR	25506	197	9671
RAIN	6307	19	2203
SNOW	0	0	0
FOG	30	0	14
OTHER & UNKNOWN	12	0	4
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31855	216	11892

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED	46470	248	17739
TEXAS RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	2901	18	1246
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK.	312	2	112
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED	2567	28	942
NON-RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	7	0	3
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK.	7	0	1
NOT STATED	2905	8	581
TOTAL DRIVERS	55189	304	20624

14. ROAD SURFACE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DRY	23299	184	8864
WET	8491	32	3001
MUDDY	65	0	27
SNOWY OR ICY	0	0	0
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31855	216	11892

16. VIOLATIONS CONTRIBUTING TO ACCIDENT	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
SPEEDING OVER LIMIT	1217	48	626
SPEED-UNDER LIMIT-UNSAFE	9916	35	4136
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO VEHICLE	7436	19	2762
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	585	7	268
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	1962	8	878
DISREGARD FLASHING YELLOW SIGNAL	6	0	1
IMPROPER TURN-WIDE RIGHT	265	0	36
IMPROPER TURN-CUT CORNER ON LEFT	105	0	17
IMPROPER TURN-WRONG LANE	690	0	139
WRONG SIDE-NOT PASSING	514	14	236
WRONG WAY ONE WAY ROAD	61	2	30
FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY	1112	0	402
OVERTAKE & PASS-INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	73	1	16
PASS IN NO PASSING ZONE	80	0	23
OTHER ILLEGAL PASSING	491	3	110
NO SIGNAL OR WRONG SIGNAL OF INTENTION	171	1	50
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	351	0	51
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO PEDESTRIAN	24	0	22
IMPROPER PARKING	127	1	48
DRIVING UNDER INFLUENCE (liquor or drugs)	2970	73	1563
OTHER VIOLATIONS	5756	18	1535
TOTAL VIOLATIONS	33932	230	12949