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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

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SUMMARY OF ALL REPORTED ACCIDENTS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1989  
PREPARED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY STATISTICAL SERVICES THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 02-28-90

1. CURRENT REPORT A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS												NUMBER OF PERSONS						
	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY				KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY				
	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ	0	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ	0	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ	0			A	B	C		
PEDESTRIAN	5099	447	4652	0	4738	407	4329	0	363	40	323	0	460	5065	1596	2238	1231		
MTR VEH IN TRAFFIC	280188	1092	107943	171153	278225	1062	107325	169838	1963	30	618	1315	1366	183309	13405	46954	122950		
RAILROAD TRAIN	633	69	321	243	627	69	319	239	6	0	2	4	90	469	136	200	133		
PARKED MOTOR VEH	22612	58	3160	19394	18022	3	2063	15956	4590	55	1097	3438	67	4293	553	1985	1755		
PEDALCYCLIST	3305	63	3183	59	3147	55	3036	56	158	8	147	3	64	3332	600	1963	769		
ANIMAL	3664	4	936	2969	3633	3	682	2948	31	0	10	21	4	936	103	376	457		
FIXED OBJECT	56158	725	22705	32728	2690	7	795	1888	53468	718	21910	30840	808	30346	5462	14610	10274		
OTHER OBJECT	1408	16	394	998	1161	13	317	831	247	3	77	167	17	544	79	228	237		
OVERTURNED	14388	394	9237	4757	3438	95	2466	877	10950	299	6771	3880	0	0	0	0	0		
OTH. NON-COLLISION	2794	59	1069	1666	2019	53	881	1115	775	6	218	551	426	13447	2659	6762	4026		
TOTALS	390249	2926	153356	233967	317698	1767	122183	193748	72551	1159	31173	40219	3361	243030	24882	75914	142234		
B. LOCATION																			
INTERSTATE ROUTES	48328	480	19603	28245	36904	263	14429	22212	11424	217	5174	6033	556	31464	3304	8845	19315		
US & STATE ROUTES	109342	1074	45053	63215	91174	715	36926	53533	18168	359	8127	9682	1245	74939	8103	22894	43942		
FARM-MARKET ROADS	32842	448	14870	17824	24633	243	10267	14123	8209	205	4303	3701	536	23725	3300	8142	12283		
COUNTY ROADS	20692	289	9542	10861	12430	134	5312	6984	8262	155	4230	3877	330	15007	2280	5941	6786		
CITY STREETS	177950	623	64282	113045	151916	407	55027	96482	26034	216	9255	16563	682	97475	7832	29942	59701		
OTHER	1095	12	306	777	641	5	222	414	454	7	84	363	12	420	63	150	207		
TOTALS	390249	2926	153356	233967	317698	1767	122183	193748	72551	1159	31173	40219	3361	243030	24882	75914	142234		
POPULATION GROUP	UNDER 2,500	72958	1500	33080	38378	45361	825	19121	25415	27597	675	13959	12963	1769	54900	9440	12161	24199	
2,500 TO 5,000	10775	74	3617	7084	8901	52	2912	5937	1874	22	705	1147	102	5771	668	1955	3148		
5,000 TO 10,000	13956	54	4685	9217	11595	37	3776	7782	2361	17	909	1435	61	7284	845	2452	3987		
10,000 TO 25,000	42190	191	14170	27829	35677	130	11749	23798	6513	61	2421	4031	213	22089	2261	7066	12762		
25,000 TO 50,000	22479	63	7708	14708	19650	49	6619	12982	2829	14	1089	1726	71	11678	1022	3722	6934		
50,000 TO 100,000	40134	173	14953	25008	35068	113	13085	21870	5066	60	1868	3138	194	23582	1943	7561	14078		
100,000 TO 250,000	35088	147	14716	20225	29778	99	12542	17137	5310	48	2174	3088	167	22766	2036	7014	13716		
OVER 250,000	152669	724	60427	91518	131668	462	52379	78827	21001	262	8048	12691	784	94660	6667	24883	63410		
TOTALS	390249	2926	153356	233967	317698	1767	122183	193748	72551	1159	31173	40219	3361	243030	24882	75914	142234		
NOTE: NO TOTALS, EXCEPT FATAL ACCIDENTS AND DEATHS, CAN BE COMPARED TO YEARS PRIOR TO 1987 DUE TO CHANGES IN REPORT PROCESSING																			
2. COMPARATIVE TOT'S A. TYPE OF ACC.																			
MOTOR VEH WITH	TOTALS												ON ROADWAY						
	THIS YEAR TO DATE				SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR				THIS YEAR TO DATE				SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR						
	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	0	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	0	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	0	ACC'S	KILLED	INJURED	0			
PEDESTRIAN	5099	460	5065	5158	449	5133	2%	4738	414	4665	4830	414	4777	460	5065	1596	2238		
MTR VEH IN TRAFFIC	280188	1366	183309	281021	1356	178170	1%	278225	1317	182165	279062	1323	177057	1366	183309	13405	46954		
RAILROAD TRAIN	633	90	469	577	60	358	50%	627	90	464	566	60	350	633	90	469	577		
PARKED MTR VEHICLE	22612	67	4293	23359	47	4396	43%	18022	3	2615	18854	2	2822	22612	67	4293	23359		
PEDALCYCLIST	3305	64	3332	3673	82	3739	22%	3147	56	3178	3508	77	3574	3305	64	3332	3673		
ANIMAL	3664	4	936	3891	9	901	56%	3633	4	915	3864	9	891	3664	4	936	3891		
FIXED OBJECT	56158	808	30345	56171	854	30759	5%	2690	7	1086	2809	6	996	56158	808	30345	56171		
OTHER OBJECT	1408	17	544	1413	12	520	42%	1161	13	438	1150	7	385	1408	17	544	1413		
MTR VEH OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OVERTURNED	14388	426	13447	14561	455	13475	6%	3438	102	3289	3591	117	3455	14388	426	13447	14561		
OTH. NON-COLLISION	2794	59	1289	2887	71	1394	17%	2019	53	1037	1980	57	1044	2794	59	1289	2887		
TOTALS	390249	3361	243030	392711	3395	238845	-1%	317698	2059	199852	319914	2072	195351	390249	3361	243030	392711		
B. LOCATION																			
INTERSTATE ROUTES	48328	556	31464	48549	561	31308	-1%	36904	305	23910	37426	323	24031	48328	556	31464	48549		
US & STATE ROUTES	109342	1245	74939	108554	1267	72213	-2%	91174	840	63613	90721	854	61150	109342	1245	74939	108554		
FARM-MARKET ROADS	32842	536	23725	34517	615	24570	3%	24633	310	17818	25934	326	18365	32842	536	23725	34517		
COUNTY ROADS	20692	330	15007	20310	288	14517	15%	12430	153	8937	11972	140	8349	20692	330	15007	20310		
CITY STREETS	177950	682	97475	179709	659	95834	3%	151916	446	85262	153258	425	83176	177950	682	97475	179709		
OTHER	1095	12	420	1072	5	406	140%	641	5	312	603	4	280	1095	12	420	1072		
TOTALS	390249	3361	243030	392711	3395	238845	-1%	317698	2059	199852	319914	2072	195351	390249	3361	243030	392711		
POPULATION GROUP	UNDER 2,500	72958	1769	54900	73015	1870	53963	-5%	45361	1003	34697	45116	1014	33473	72958	1769	54900		
2,500 TO 5,000	10775	102	5771	11133	73	5669	40%	8901	79	4806	9299	45	4741	10775	102	5771	11133		
5,000 TO 10,000	13956	61	7284	13763	75	7145	19%	11595	37	6068	11419	56	5951	13956	61	7284	13763		
10,000 TO 25,000	42190	213	22089	41832	193	21504	10%	35677	147	18806	35454	127	18284	42190	213	22089	41832		
25,000 TO 50,000	22479	71	11578	22299	97	11705	27%	19650	54	10209	19543	71	10305	22479	71	11578	22299		
50,000 TO 100,000	40134	194	23582	40272	192	23271	1%	35068	129	21095	35034	144	20663	40134	194	23582	40272		
100,000 TO 250,000	35088	167	22766	35561	175	22659	5%	29778	112	19942	31284	123	18627	35088	167	22766	35561		
OVER 250,000	152669	784	94660	153836	720	92919	9%	131668	498	84229	132765	492	82207	152669	784	94660	153836		
TOTALS	390249	3361	243030	392711	3395	238845	-1%	317698	2059	199852	319914	2072	195351	390249	3361	243030	392711		
3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING																			
BEFORE NOON	TOTAL ACC'S	SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		PED		PEDCYCL	
	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	
	MIDNIGHT	10670	182	2772	48	959	18	789	15	897	18	963	12	1275	27	3015	47	158	35
	1:00 A.M.	9054	181	2865	60	765	14	514	8	653	12	733	16	992	24	2532	47	130	25
	2:00 A.M.	9912	191	2936	47	776	16	525	8	685	17	917	16	1148	27	2925	60	115	24
	3:00 A.M.	5194	102	1649	28	421	10	311	4	380	7	424	9	531	10	1478	34	46	14
	4:00 A.M.	3284	75	941	23	325	7	243	7	238	8	287							

LOCATION STATE

4A. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED										
	TOTAL KILLED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS				
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL MALE	FEM	TOTAL	MALE	FEM	TOTAL	MALE	FEM
0 TO 4	103	54	49	20	11	9	1	1	1	0	0
5 TO 9	81	39	42	28	14	14	12	11	1	1	1
10 TO 14	92	59	33	12	10	2	16	14	2	2	0
15 TO 19	466	315	151	35	28	7	9	6	3	3	0
20 TO 24	471	358	112	43	31	12	3	3	0	0	0
25 TO 34	808	603	205	94	71	23	9	5	4	4	0
35 TO 44	452	333	118	78	57	21	7	7	0	0	0
45 TO 54	253	184	69	45	36	9	1	1	0	0	0
55 TO 64	216	145	71	39	33	6	4	3	1	1	0
65 TO 74	183	107	76	34	28	6	1	1	0	0	0
75 & OLDER	201	113	88	41	24	17	0	0	0	0	0
NOT STATED	35	31	4	20	18	2	1	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	3361	2341	1018	489	361	128	64	53	11	11	11

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
ENTERING AT ANGLE	78590	301	32709	45580
FROM SAME DIR. BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	11206	18	3953	7235
SAME-ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	11914	16	2903	8995
SAME-ONE STOPPED	29917	20	13390	16507
SAME-ALL OTHERS	24777	1	367	2109
FROM OPP. DIR. BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	950	15	437	498
SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	23766	33	10988	12695
SAME-ALL OTHERS	3424	1	442	2981
TOTALS	162244	455	65189	96600

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION-HEAD ON	8003	367	3833	3803
GOING SAME DIRECTION-REAR END	22925	82	10490	12353
SAME-SIDESWIPED	18949	40	4417	14492
ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION	1103	21	465	617
ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC	24538	30	10754	13754
ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING	1062	0	184	878
ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING	796	0	68	728
ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY	14492	33	4893	9566
ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY	19269	33	5534	13702
ALL OTHERS	6807	31	2116	4660
TOTALS	117944	637	42754	74553

6. PEDESTRIAN ACTIONS BY AGE	TOTAL PED'S	AGES OF PEDESTRIANS KILLED										AGES OF PEDESTRIANS INJURED									
		TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65OV	UNK	TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65OV	UNK
CROSSING AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	994	34	0	0	0	1	12	5	14	1	960	32	118	115	104	76	248	126	83	58	
CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECT OR CROSSWALK	2420	222	11	23	7	6	20	67	42	38	2198	248	584	302	186	135	387	148	97	111	
GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE	146	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	143	6	17	13	18	16	38	11	11	13	
WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC	365	50	0	1	2	5	5	20	8	5	315	5	13	32	41	41	126	30	15	12	
WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC	149	18	0	0	0	1	0	10	4	2	131	3	15	11	19	9	43	18	9	4	
STANDING IN ROADWAY	291	39	0	1	0	4	4	19	8	3	252	5	5	7	36	36	115	28	8	12	
PUSHING OR WORKING ON VEHICLE	224	16	0	0	0	1	4	6	4	0	208	1	3	5	27	35	90	29	7	11	
OTHER WORKING IN ROADWAY	80	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	76	0	0	1	6	9	46	7	1	6	
PLAYING IN ROADWAY	192	8	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	184	49	68	39	11	3	6	0	0	8	
OTHER IN ROADWAY	356	33	1	0	0	6	4	12	6	3	323	18	37	20	35	32	122	26	16	17	
NOT IN ROADWAY	573	52	2	1	3	11	2	20	5	7	521	28	31	47	68	55	186	56	23	29	
NOT STATED	143	10	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	2	133	10	11	7	9	14	49	7	7	19	
TOTALS	5933	489	20	28	12	35	43	172	84	75	5444	405	902	599	558	461	1456	486	277	300	

7. AGE OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
15 & YOUNGER	2443	28	1083
16	10349	52	4118
17	20320	102	8136
18 TO 19	52579	330	21673
20 TO 24	109923	656	46243
25 TO 34	189779	1222	79680
35 TO 44	119758	759	49593
45 TO 54	62521	415	25176
55 TO 64	42053	268	16773
65 TO 74	28611	173	10845
75 & OLDER	16871	155	6327
UNKNOWN	47069	162	11174
TOTAL DRIVERS	702276	4322	280821

8. SEX OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
MALE	418496	3204	167183
FEMALE	248782	971	105663
NOT STATED	34998	147	7975
TOTAL DRIVERS	702276	4322	280821

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NORMAL	692916	4013	275329
EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE	220	4	105
HEARING DEFECTIVE	20	0	8
LIMBS MISSING	12	0	7
OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT	201	3	85
ILL	1702	37	1170
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	7067	263	4057
OTHER HANDICAP	138	2	60
TOTAL DRIVERS	702276	4322	280821

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED	588001	3567	239907
TEX RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	36547	233	17008
TEX RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK	4254	59	1568
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED	32873	291	12750
NON-RES. NOT LICENSED	85	10	36
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK	117	1	32
NOT STATED	40395	161	9520
TOTAL DRIVERS	702276	4322	280821

11. VEH CONDITIONS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NO DEFECTS REPORTED	690528	4232	275995
DEFECTIVE BRAKES	4942	17	2175
DEFECTIVE STEERING	926	4	423
DEF OR IMPROPER LT	613	18	321
DEFECTIVE TIRES	2405	33	1055
DEF TRAILER EQUIP	758	6	146
DEF STOP OR TRN SIG	810	5	273
WHEEL CAME OFF VEH	441	4	94
OTHER DEFECTS	853	3	339
TOTAL VEHICLES	702276	4322	280821

12. LIGHT COND.	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DAYLIGHT	265284	1224	100672
DAWN	4471	31	1729
DARK-NO STREET LT	45690	1012	19684
DARKNESS-STREET LT	67352	605	28232
DUSK	7452	54	3039
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	390249	2926	153356

13. WEATHER COND	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
CLEAR	337497	2657	133573
RAIN	44518	211	16822
SNOW	1622	3	475
FOG	3194	41	1359
OTHER & UNKNOWN	3418	14	1127
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	390249	2926	153356

14. ROAD SURFACE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DRY	317218	2565	126203
WET	63315	331	24034
MUDDY	416	2	137
SNOWY OR ICY	9300	28	2982
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	390249	2926	153356

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	TOTAL	MALE	FEM
0 TO 4	7327	3814	3505	405	271	133	55	44	172	176	180
5 TO 9	9265	4794	4466	902	597	305	789	613	176	180	21
10 TO 14	9238	4312	4917	599	362	237	838	658	180	21	0
15 TO 19	37455	18897	18516	558	333	225	493	412	81	81	0
20 TO 24	38295	20857	17391	461	308	153	296	248	48	48	0
25 TO 34	58960	30921	27964	903	619	284	423	344	79	79	0
35 TO 44	35058	16953	18051	553	380	173	174	146	28	28	0
45 TO 54	18097	8316	9743	279	185	94	75	62	13	13	0
55 TO 64	12427	5696	6715	207	135	72	26	24	2	2	0
65 TO 74	8337	3641	4682	159	92	67	28	27	1	1	0
75 & OLDER	5152	2296	2851	118	70	46	8	7	1	1	0
NOT STATED	3419	1575	1505	300	205	84	86	72	10	10	0
TOTALS	243030	122072	120306	5444	3557	1875	3292	2657	631	631	0

5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS	TOT PED ACCS	FATAL			INJURY		
		TOTAL	INTER	NO INT	TOTAL	INTER	NO INT
MOTOR VEH GOING STRAIGHT	4372	425	46	379	3947	766	3181
MOTOR VEH TURNING RIGHT	226	10	9	1	216	188	28
MOTOR VEH TURNING LEFT	269	5	2	3	264	221	43
MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING	225	7	1	6	218	15	203
ALL OTHERS	7	0	0	0	7	1	6
TOTALS	5099	447	58	389	4652	1191	3461

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJ
COLLISION WITH OTH ROAD VEH OR TRAIN	1710	18	1642	50
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	12583	62	4521	8000
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	158	2	31	125
OVERTURNED	1822	26	1212	584
OTHER NON-COLLISION	483	7	259	217
COLLISION WITH OTH ROAD VEH OR TRAIN	2228	114	1862	252
COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	43575	563	18184	24728
COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	1250	14	363	873
OVERTURNED	12566	368	8025	4173
OTHER NON-COLLISION	2311	52	810	1449
COLLISION WITH ANIMAL	3664	3	692	2969
NOT STATED	22612	56	3160	19394
TOTALS	104962	1387	40761	62814

6. PEDESTRIAN ACTIONS BY AGE	TOTAL PED'S	AGES OF PEDESTRIANS KILLED										AGES OF PEDESTRIANS INJURED									
		TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65OV	UNK	TOTAL	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-44	45-64	65OV	UNK
CROSSING AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	994	34	0	0	0	1	12	5	14	1	960	32	118	115	104	76	248	126	83	58	
CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECT OR CROSSWALK	2420	222	11	23	7	6	20	67	42	38	2198	248	584	302	186	135	387	148	97	111	
GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE	146	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	143	6	17	13	18	16	38	11	11	13	
WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC	365	50	0	1	2	5	5	20	8	5	315	5	13	32	41	41	126	30	15	12	
WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC	149	18	0	0	0																