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DWI INVOLVED ACCIDENTS**

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LOCATION: STATE		NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED								
4A. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)		TOTAL KILLED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS		
		TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
0 to 4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 to 9		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 to 14		1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 to 19		55	50	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 to 24		83	75	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 to 34		103	98	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
35 to 44		67	60	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 to 54		40	36	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
55 to 64		26	24	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 to 74		16	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
75 & OLDER		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NOT STATED		1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		392	361	31	0	0	0	0	0	0

TYPE SUMMARY: DWI DRIVERS ONLY		NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED								
4B. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)		TOTAL INJURED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS		
		TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
0 to 4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 to 9		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 to 14		7	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 to 19		1461	1284	174	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 to 24		2878	2506	365	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 to 34		3155	2776	370	0	0	0	0	0	0
35 to 44		1565	1331	230	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 to 54		895	742	150	0	0	0	0	0	0
55 to 64		491	433	56	0	0	0	0	0	0
65 to 74		168	152	14	0	0	0	0	0	0
75 & OLDER		31	28	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
NOT STATED		69	46	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		10720	9304	1371	0	0	0	0	0	0

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
AT INTERSECTION	ENTERING AT ANGLE	3133	63	1386	1684
	FROM SAME DIRECTION BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	426	4	157	265
	SAME - ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	442	2	143	297
	SAME - ONE STOPPED	1909	6	855	1048
	SAME - ALL OTHERS	51	0	6	45
	FROM OPPOSITE DIRECTION-BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	127	2	63	62
	SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	932	15	434	483
	SAME - ALL OTHERS	141	1	33	107
	TOTALS	7161	93	3077	3991

5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS		TOTAL PED ACCIDENTS	FATAL		INJURY			
		TOTAL	INTER	NON-INT.	TOTAL	INTERSECT.	NON-INT.	
	MOTOR VEHICLE GOING STRAIGHT	196	50	4	46	146	15	131
	MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING RIGHT	4	0	0	0	4	2	2
	MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING LEFT	3	0	0	0	3	3	0
	MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING	10	1	0	1	9	1	8
	ALL OTHERS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTALS	213	51	4	47	162	21	141

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
NOT AT INTERSECTION	GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION - HEAD ON	1847	180	918	749
	GOING SAME DIRECTION - REAR END	1682	33	812	837
	SAME-SIDESWIPE	877	10	267	600
	ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION	166	8	84	74
	ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC	696	5	323	368
	ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING	22	1	4	17
	ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING	15	0	1	14
	ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY	553	6	215	332
	ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY	515	6	163	346
	ALL OTHERS	244	7	90	147
	TOTALS	6617	256	2877	3484

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
AT INTERSECTION	COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN	11	2	9	0
	COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	1941	24	860	1057
	COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	17	0	8	9
	OVERTURNED	178	9	119	50
	OTHER NON-COLLISION	11	1	8	2
NOT AT INTERSECTION	COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN	115	8	74	33
	COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	8760	204	4319	4237
	COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	120	6	46	68
	OVERTURNED	1693	101	1070	522
	OTHER NON-COLLISION	40	6	25	9
	COLLISION WITH ANIMAL	29	2	12	15
	NOT STATED	4515	29	1284	3202
	TOTALS	17430	392	7834	9204

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	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	STANDING IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	PUSHING OR WORKING ON VEHICLE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	OTHER WORKING IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	PLAYING IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	OTHER IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	NOT IN ROADWAY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	NOT STATED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

7. AGE OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
15 & YOUNGER	78	1	34
16	272	7	120
17	700	19	328
18 to 19	2939	88	1387
20 to 24	7656	208	3618
25 to 34	8922	222	4083
35 to 44	4635	120	2105
45 to 54	3242	75	1298
55 to 64	1796	37	723
65 to 74	643	23	234
75 & OLDER	69	1	35
UNKNOWN	844	5	194
TOTAL DRIVERS	31796	806	14159

11. VEHICLE CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NO DEFECTS REPORTED	31377	800	13963
DEFECTIVE BRAKES	144	2	55
DEFECTIVE STEERING	15	0	5
DEF OR IMPROPER LIGHT	118	4	75
DEFECTIVE TIRES	90	0	37
DEF TRAILER EQUIP.	4	0	2
DEF STOP OR TURN SIGNAL	3	0	2
WHEEL CAME OFF VEHICLE	5	0	2
OTHER DEFECTS	40	0	18
TOTAL VEHICLES	31796	806	14159

15. TYPE OF VEHICLE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
PASSENGER CAR	22710	493	9922
PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER	17	0	5
PASSENGER CAR & HOUSE TRAILER	0	0	0
TRUCK	8326	277	3691
TRUCK & TRAILER	36	1	13
TRUCK-TRACTOR & SEMI TRAILER	148	9	73
TRUCK & HOUSE TRAILER	3	0	1
OTHER TRUCK COMBINATIONS	14	0	8
FARM TRACTOR	4	0	3
ROAD MACHINERY	2	1	1
BUS	2	0	0
SCHOOL BUS	0	0	0
MOTORCYCLE	477	24	426
MOTOR SCOOTER OR MOTOR BIKE	1	0	1
MOPED	6	0	6
OTHER & UNKNOWN	50	1	9
TOTAL VEHICLES	31796	806	14159

8. SEX OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
MALE	27916	737	12400
FEMALE	3324	66	1633
NOT STATED	556	3	126
TOTAL DRIVERS	31796	806	14159

12. LIGHT CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DAYLIGHT	7359	152	3026
DAWN	72	3	35
DARKNESS- No Street Lt.	16556	493	7516
DARKNESS-Street Lt.	6870	130	3124
DUSK	564	14	249
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31421	792	13950

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NORMAL	31458	799	13972
EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE	27	0	10
HEARING DEFECTIVE	0	0	0
LIMBS MISSING	1	0	1
OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT	0	0	0
ILL	21	1	14
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	285	6	160
OTHER HANDICAP	4	0	2
TOTAL DRIVERS	31796	806	14159

13. WEATHER CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
CLEAR	27992	717	12489
RAIN	2988	53	1268
SNOW	46	3	15
FOG	393	19	178
OTHER & UNKNOWN	2	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31421	792	13950

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED	23831	622	10807
TEXAS RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	5276	107	2229
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK.	496	15	205
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED	1656	58	803
NON-RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	23	1	14
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK.	12	0	4
NOT STATED	502	3	97
TOTAL DRIVERS	31796	806	14159

14. ROAD SURFACE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DRY	26602	698	11904
WET	4561	93	1959
MUDDY	20	0	5
SNOWY OR ICY	238	1	82
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31421	792	13950

16. VIOLATIONS CONTRIBUTING TO ACCIDENT	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
SPEEDING OVER LIMIT	5383	270	2852
SPEED-UNDER LIMIT-UNSAFE	7707	93	3543
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO VEHICLE	2231	32	953
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	709	16	382
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	951	25	465
DISREGARD FLASHING YELLOW SIGNAL	9	0	2
IMPROPER TURN-WIDE RIGHT	330	1	55
IMPROPER TURN-CUT CORNER ON LEFT	49	1	14
IMPROPER TURN-WRONG LANE	171	1	30
WRONG SIDE-NOT PASSING	1842	124	856
WRONG WAY ONE WAY ROAD	197	17	99
FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY	0	0	0
OVERTAKE & PASS-INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	0	0	0
PASS IN NO PASSING ZONE	0	0	0
OTHER ILLEGAL PASSING	0	0	0
NO SIGNAL OR WRONG SIGNAL OF INTENTION	0	0	0
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	0	0	0
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO PEDESTRIAN	0	0	0
IMPROPER PARKING	0	0	0
DRIVING UNDER INFLUENCE (liquor or drugs)	31796	806	14159
OTHER VIOLATIONS	0	0	0
TOTAL VIOLATIONS	51375	1386	23410



LOCATION: STATE		NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED								
4A. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	TOTAL KILLED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS			
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	
0 to 4	9	3	6	3	1	2	1	0	1	
5 to 9	9	6	3	2	1	1	2	1	1	
10 to 14	14	7	7	0	0	0	2	2	0	
15 to 19	171	128	43	12	10	2	0	0	0	
20 to 24	194	154	40	12	10	2	0	0	0	
25 to 34	207	171	36	21	15	6	2	2	0	
35 to 44	137	104	33	8	5	3	0	0	0	
45 to 54	80	60	20	4	3	1	0	0	0	
55 to 64	60	45	15	4	4	0	0	0	0	
65 to 74	34	27	7	3	3	0	0	0	0	
75 & OLDER	9	5	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	
NOT STATED	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
TOTALS	926	712	214	73	55	18	7	5	2	

TYPE SUMMARY: DWI INVOLVED		NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED								
4B. AGE OF CASUALTY (YEARS)	TOTAL INJURED			PEDESTRIANS			PEDALCYCLISTS			
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	
0 to 4	361	190	170	12	8	4	2	2	0	
5 to 9	384	190	194	20	13	7	9	7	2	
10 to 14	439	225	214	16	10	6	6	6	0	
15 to 19	3899	2684	1207	54	38	16	15	14	1	
20 to 24	5443	4041	1391	58	46	12	5	2	3	
25 to 34	5662	4256	1391	63	46	17	4	3	1	
35 to 44	2683	1932	742	37	22	15	4	4	0	
45 to 54	1650	1144	501	33	25	8	1	1	0	
55 to 64	955	668	285	10	7	3	2	1	1	
65 to 74	365	253	110	10	3	7	0	0	0	
75 & OLDER	98	59	39	3	3	0	0	0	0	
NOT STATED	392	237	122	22	14	6	0	0	0	
TOTALS	22331	15879	6366	338	235	101	48	40	8	

5A. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
AT INTERSECTION	ENTERING AT ANGLE	3133	63	1386	1684
	FROM SAME DIRECTION BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	426	4	157	265
	SAME - ONE TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	442	2	143	297
	SAME - ONE STOPPED	1909	6	855	1048
	SAME - ALL OTHERS	51	0	6	45
	FROM OPPOSITE DIRECTION BOTH GOING STRAIGHT	127	2	63	62
	SAME-ONE LEFT TURN, ONE STRAIGHT	932	15	434	483
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5C. PEDESTRIAN ACCIDENTS		TOTAL PED ACCIDENTS	FATAL		INJURY			
		TOTAL	INTER	NON-INT	TOTAL	INTERSECT	NON-INT	
MOTOR VEHICLE GOING STRAIGHT		196	50	4	46	146	15	131
MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING RIGHT		4	0	0	0	4	2	2
MOTOR VEHICLE TURNING LEFT		3	0	0	0	3	3	0
MOTOR VEHICLE BACKING		10	1	0	1	9	1	8
ALL OTHERS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		213	51	4	47	162	21	141

5B. TWO MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
NOT AT INTERSECTION	GOING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION - HEAD ON	1847	180	918	749
	GOING SAME DIRECTION - REAR END	1682	33	812	837
	SAME-SIDESWIPE	877	10	267	600
	ONE CAR PARKED IMPROPER LOCATION	166	8	84	74
	ONE CAR STOPPED IN TRAFFIC	696	5	323	368
	ONE CAR FORWARD FROM PARKING	22	1	4	17
	ONE CAR BACKWARD FROM PARKING	15	0	1	14
	ONE CAR ENTERING DRIVEWAY	553	6	215	332
	ONE CAR LEAVING DRIVEWAY	515	6	163	346
	ALL OTHERS	244	7	90	147
	TOTALS	6617	256	2877	3484

5D. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS		TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
AT INTERSECTION	COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN	11	2	9	0
	COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	1941	24	850	1057
	COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	17	0	8	9
	OVERTURNED	178	9	119	50
	OTHER NON-COLLISION	11	1	8	2
NOT AT INTERSECTION	COLLISION WITH OTHER ROAD VEHICLE OR TRAIN	115	8	74	33
	COLLISION WITH FIXED OBJECT	8760	204	4319	4237
	COLLISION WITH OTHER OBJECT	120	6	46	68
	OVERTURNED	1693	101	1070	522
	OTHER NON-COLLISION	40	6	25	9
	COLLISION WITH ANIMAL	29	2	12	15
	NOT STATED	4515	29	1284	3202
	TOTALS	17430	392	7834	9204

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		26	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	23	0	1	1	4	1	8	3	4	1				
CROSSING NOT AT INTERSECTION OR CROSSWALK		67	15	0	0	0	3	1	7	2	52	5	6	4	8	4	10	7	3	5				
GETTING ON OR OFF OTHER VEHICLE		27	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	24	1	3	0	2	7	5	5	1	0				
WALKING IN ROADWAY WITH TRAFFIC		36	10	0	0	0	1	1	5	1	26	0	1	4	5	3	7	4	0	2				
WALKING IN ROADWAY AGAINST TRAFFIC		14	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	10	0	0	1	2	2	3	1	0	1				
STANDING IN ROADWAY		34	8	0	1	0	2	1	2	1	26	0	3	0	6	1	10	3	0	3				
PUSHING OR WORKING ON VEHICLE		64	8	0	0	0	2	2	3	1	56	0	1	1	8	19	15	5	1	6				
OTHER WORKING IN ROADWAY		14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	1	3	6	3	0	1				
PLAYING IN ROADWAY		4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
OTHER IN ROADWAY		24	5	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	19	1	0	0	2	2	11	2	1	0				
NOT IN ROADWAY		99	16	1	0	0	2	4	7	2	83	3	4	5	15	16	24	10	3	3				
NOT STATED		2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0				
TOTALS		411	73	3	2	0	12	12	29	8	338	12	20	16	54	58	100	43	13	22				

7. AGE OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
15 & YOUNGER	119	4	56
16	434	14	192
17	1119	26	498
18 to 19	4162	115	1884
20 to 24	10701	274	4991
25 to 34	12790	303	5807
35 to 44	6715	188	3035
45 to 54	4643	112	1898
55 to 64	2597	75	1095
65 to 74	953	34	381
75 & OLDER	160	4	79
UNKNOWN	1157	16	315
TOTAL DRIVERS	45550	1165	20231

11. VEHICLE CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NO DEFECTS REPORTED	45063	1152	19994
DEFECTIVE BRAKES	148	2	56
DEFECTIVE STEERING	15	0	5
DEF OR IMPROPER LIGHT	140	8	89
DEFECTIVE TIRES	95	1	38
DEF TRAILER EQUIP.	5	1	2
DEF STOP OR TURN SIGNAL	13	0	7
WHEEL CAME OFF VEHICLE	5	0	2
OTHER DEFECTS	66	1	38
TOTAL VEHICLES	45550	1165	20231

15. TYPE OF VEHICLE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
PASSENGER CAR	32786	697	14352
PASSENGER CAR & TRAILER	39	0	15
PASSENGER CAR & HOUSE TRAILER	0	0	0
TRUCK	11198	351	4930
TRUCK & TRAILER	92	1	35
TRUCK-TRACTOR & SEMI TRAILER	576	52	268
TRUCK & HOUSE TRAILER	6	2	2
OTHER TRUCK COMBINATIONS	37	3	19
FARM TRACTOR	10	0	6
ROAD MACHINERY	3	1	1
BUS	46	0	22
SCHOOL BUS	9	0	3
MOTORCYCLE	643	55	550
MOTOR SCOOTER OR MOTOR BIKE	1	0	1
MOPED	7	1	6
OTHER & UNKNOWN	97	2	21
TOTAL VEHICLES	45550	1165	20231

8. SEX OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
MALE	37626	1020	16580
FEMALE	7089	131	3408
NOT STATED	835	14	243
TOTAL DRIVERS	45550	1165	20231

12. LIGHT CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DAYLIGHT	7359	152	3026
DAWN	72	3	35
DARKNESS- No Street Lt.	16556	493	7516
DARKNESS-Street Lt.	6870	130	3124
DUSK	564	14	249
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31421	792	13950

9. CONDITION OF DRIVER	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
NORMAL	45210	1158	20042
EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE	28	0	11
HEARING DEFECTIVE	0	0	0
LIMBS MISSING	1	0	1
OTHER PHYSICAL DEFECT	0	0	0
ILL	22	1	15
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	285	6	160
OTHER HANDICAP	4	0	2
TOTAL DRIVERS	45550	1165	20231

13. WEATHER CONDITION	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
CLEAR	27992	717	12489
RAIN	2988	53	1268
SNOW	46	3	15
FOG	393	19	178
OTHER & UNKNOWN	2	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31421	792	13950

10. RESIDENCE & LICENSE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSED	35906	915	16084
TEXAS RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	5809	121	2511
TEXAS RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK.	585	24	246
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSED	2457	87	1169
NON-RESIDENT, NOT LICENSED	27	2	15
NON-RESIDENT, LICENSE UNK.	16	0	8
NOT STATED	750	16	198
TOTAL DRIVERS	45550	1165	20231

14. ROAD SURFACE	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
DRY	26602	698	11904
WET	4561	93	1959
MUDDY	20	0	5
SNOWY OR ICY	238	1	82
UNKNOWN	0	0	0
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	31421	792	13950

16. VIOLATIONS CONTRIBUTING TO ACCIDENT	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY
SPEEDING OVER LIMIT	5437	272	2884
SPEED-UNDER LIMIT-UNSAFE	7793	94	3581
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO VEHICLE	2635	38	1150
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	724	17	391
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	992	25	479
DISREGARD FLASHING YELLOW SIGNAL	11	0	3
IMPROPER TURN-WIDE RIGHT	342	1	56
IMPROPER TURN-CUT CORNER ON LEFT	54	1	15
IMPROPER TURN-WRONG LANE	200	1	39
WRONG SIDE-NOT PASSING	1870	127	867
WRONG WAY ONE WAY ROAD	200	17	101
FOLLOWING TOO CLOSELY	42	1	12
OVERTAKE & PASS-INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	12	1	3
PASS IN NO PASSING ZONE	5	0	0
OTHER ILLEGAL PASSING	28	0	8
NO SIGNAL OR WRONG SIGNAL OF INTENTION	16	0	2
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	10	0	4
FAIL TO YIELD ROW TO PEDESTRIAN	0	0	0
IMPROPER PARKING	160	8	74
DRIVING UNDER INFLUENCE (liquor or drugs)	31798	806	14159
OTHER VIOLATIONS	76	1	30
TOTAL VIOLATIONS	52405	1410	23858



# MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

SUMMARY OF DWI INVOLVED

ACCIDENTS IN

THE STATE OF

TEXAS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1979

Prepared by TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
STATISTICAL SERVICES

THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS  
AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 04-30-80

1. CURRENT PERIOD A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY			
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
PEDESTRIAN	213	51	162	0	172	40	132	0	41	11	30	0
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	13778	349	5954	7475	13655	343	5909	7403	123	6	45	72
RAILROAD TRAIN	75	4	39	32	75	4	39	32	0	0	0	0
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	4515	29	1284	3202	3192	3	843	2346	1323	26	44	856
PEDALCYCLIST	51	6	44	1	40	4	35	1	11	2	9	0
ANIMAL	29	2	12	15	28	2	11	15	1	0	1	0
FIXED OBJECT	10701	228	5179	5294	322	6	143	173	10379	222	5036	5121
OTHER OBJECT	137	6	54	77	93	2	35	56	44	4	19	21
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	1871	110	1189	572	329	14	224	91	1542	96	965	481
OTHER NON-COLLISION	51	7	33	11	33	6	23	4	18	1	10	7
TOTALS	31421	792	13950	16679	17939	424	7394	10121	13482	368	6556	6558

NUMBER OF PERSONS	INJURY SEVERITY				
	KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY		
			A	B	C
53	201	81	91	29	
429	11737	1804	5242	4691	
9	59	23	20	16	
31	1694	205	1064	425	
7	53	17	27	9	
2	13	2	5	6	
264	6768	1468	3962	1338	
6	73	15	39	19	
0	0	0	0	0	
117	1696	478	883	335	
8	37	8	20	9	
926	22331	4101	11353	6877	

B. LOCATION	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
INTERSTATE ROUTES	2927	103	1431	1393	1519	48	681	790	1408	55	750	603
US & STATE ROUTES	9907	349	4686	4872	5983	214	2719	3050	3924	135	1967	1822
FARM TO MARKET ROADS	2777	140	1391	1246	1178	65	522	591	1599	75	869	655
COUNTY ROADS	1654	67	846	741	508	21	241	246	1146	46	605	495
CITY STREETS	14105	133	5585	8387	8731	76	3226	5429	5374	57	2359	2958
OTHER	51	0	11	40	20	0	5	15	31	0	6	25
TOTALS	31421	792	13950	16679	17939	424	7394	10121	13482	368	6556	6558

NUMBER OF PERSONS	INJURY SEVERITY		
	KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY
122	2281	444	1133
405	8211	1650	3911
171	2273	609	1089
80	1278	298	660
148	8273	1099	4550
0	15	1	10
926	22331	4101	11353

NOTE: TOTAL ACCIDENTS AND NON-INJURY ACCIDENT TOTALS CANNOT BE COMPARED TO YEARS PRIOR TO 1978 DUE TO CHANGES IN REPORTING LAWS.

2. COMPARATIVE TOTALS A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	TOTAL						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	213	53	201	199	61	208	172	41	164	145	45	143
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	13778	429	11737	12912	374	10989	13655	423	11640	12798	374	10903
RAILROAD TRAIN	75	9	59	67	5	57	75	9	59	67	5	57
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	4515	31	1694	4079	25	1564	3192	3	1018	3002	4	1029
PEDALCYCLIST	51	7	53	49	11	40	40	5	43	45	10	37
ANIMAL	29	2	13	29	0	10	28	2	12	29	0	10
FIXED OBJECT	10701	264	6768	9458	230	6277	322	9	190	323	8	192
OTHER OBJECT	137	6	73	110	3	91	93	2	52	74	2	67
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	1871	117	1696	1903	126	1763	329	14	320	361	25	358
OTHER NON-COLLISION	51	8	37	41	3	28	33	6	26	22	2	15
TOTALS	31421	926	22331	28847	838	21027	17939	514	13524	16866	475	12811

**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.

B. LOCATION	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY
INTERSTATE ROUTES	2927	122	2281	2760	97	2219	26	1519	60	1238	1488	55
US & STATE ROUTES	9907	405	8211	9221	420	7755	4	5983	257	5528	5674	256
FARM TO MARKET ROADS	2777	171	2273	2678	167	2344	2	1178	86	1072	1224	73
COUNTY ROADS	1654	80	1278	1513	42	1251	90	508	27	449	461	14
CITY STREETS	14105	148	8273	12635	112	7443	32	8731	84	5231	8008	77
OTHER	51	0	15	40	0	15	NC	20	0	6	11	0
TOTALS	31421	926	22331	28847	838	21027	11%	17939	514	13524	16866	475

MILEAGE RATES	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC DEATHS			%
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES			%
ESTIMATED VEHICLE MILES TRAVEL (MILLION)			%
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES			%

3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING	TOTAL ACCIDENTS																							
	ALL		FATAL		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	ALL	FATAL		
MIDNIGHT	3213	84	788	22	316	12	215	1	254	7	310	7	392	8	938	27	26	9	2	0	0			
1:00 A.M.	2753	80	853	28	244	6	169	3	185	5	239	5	275	9	788	24	23	8	3	0	0			
2:00 A.M.	2941	89	859	28	227	7	160	4	196	8	283	7	315	8	901	27	16	6	0	0	0			
3:00 A.M.	1053	37	329	11	72	3	65	4	53	3	90	3	96	3	348	10	4	4	0	0	0			
4:00 A.M.	535	13	180	2	34	1	33	3	24	0	39	1	55	1	170	5	0	0	0	0	0			
5:00 A.M.	294	13	84	3	36	1	26	1	8	0	21	0	20	1	99	7	1	1	0	0	0			
6:00 A.M.	192	8	64	3	16	0	11	0	13	0	15	1	14	1	59	3	1	0	0	0	0			
7:00 A.M.	148	5	36	1	7	0	16	1	11	0	13	0	25	2	40	1	2	2	0	0	0			
8:00 A.M.	161	1	37	0	13	0	13	0	15	0	12	0	16	1	55	0	0	0	0	0	0			
9:00 A.M.	142	3	34	0	16	0	16	0	13	0	15	0	16	1	32	2	0	0	0	0	0			
10:00 A.M.	160	4	33	0	16	0	19	1	16	0	15	0	14	1	47	2	2	0	0	0	0			
11:00 A.M.	270	9	40	3	27	0	29	0	25	1	35	1	33	0	81	4	0	0	0	1	0			
NOON	322	4	50	0	31	0	38	0	34	0	36	1	47	2	86	1	1	0	0	0	0			
1:00 P.M.	415	5	62	0	33	1	47	1	47	0	44	1	70	1	112	1	7	1	1	0	0			
2:00 P.M.	562	16	91	6	61	0	59	1	54	2	65	0	82	5	150	2	3	0	2	0	0			
3:00 P.M.	863	22	126	5	104	2	92	2	72	1	73	2	149	5	227	5	5	1	4	0	0			
4:00 P.M.	1154	23	173	1	125	4	114	1	122	3	108	0	189	5	323	9	9	1	3	0	0			
5:00 P.M.	1503	30	223	8	147	3	152	1	172	1	150	2	274	7	385	8	7	1	3	0	0			
6:00 P.M.	1836	38	337	5	206	5	184	2	160	6	187	1	313	7	449	12	12	0	7	2	0			
7:00 P.M.	2150	46	397	12	189	4	223	2	181	5	212	2	425	14	523	7	13	4	2	1	0			
8:00 P.M.	2182	60	366	7	213	6	207	4	197	10	258	9	424	8	517	16	25	6	10	1	0			
9:00 P.M.	2512	57	369	9	230	7	219	7	247	4	286	3	578	16	583	11	14	1	5	1	0			
10:00 P.M.	2896	63	370	10	277	4	300	8	316	10	357	4	661	14	615	13	22	3	7	1	0			
11:00 P.M.	3184	82	339	8	261	6	312	13	327	5	346	8	850	25	749	17	20	3	1	0	0			
TOTALS	31421	792	6240	172	2901	72	2719	60	2742	71														



