



Crash Contributing Factors

2009

RURAL CRASHES

Crash Contributing Factor	Fatal Crashes	Serious Injury Crashes	Other Injury Crashes	Non-Injury Crashes	Unknown Severity Crashes	Total Crashes
ANIMAL ON ROAD- DOMESTIC	9	420	371	2,342	24	3,166
ANIMAL ON ROAD- WILD	25	667	530	4,804	44	6,070
BACKED WITHOUT SAFETY	1	67	118	1,670	146	2,002
CHANGED LANE WHEN UNSAFE	12	260	383	2,346	6	3,007
DEFECTIVE OR NO HEADLAMPS	3	22	23	62	2	112
DEFECTIVE OR NO STOP LAMPS	1	10	9	35	0	55
DEFECTIVE OR NO TAIL LAMPS	0	9	7	35	0	51
DEFECTIVE OR NO TURN SIGNAL LAMPS	1	9	14	48	0	72
DEFECTIVE OR NO TRAILER BRAKES	0	1	8	26	0	35
DEFECTIVE OR NO VEHICLE BRAKES	1	99	120	317	6	543
DEFECTIVE STEERING MECHANISM	5	56	71	235	4	371
DEFECTIVE OR SLICK TIRES	45	442	311	1,160	30	1,988
DEFECTIVE TRAILER HITCH	2	11	7	114	4	138
DISABLED IN TRAFFIC LANE	7	49	39	105	7	207
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	9	181	234	473	11	908
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	47	604	560	1,370	87	2,668
DISREGARD TURN MARKS AT INTERSECTION	0	17	23	162	3	205
DISREGARD WARNING SIGN AT CONSTRUCTION	2	18	13	43	2	78
DISTRACTION IN VEHICLE	47	497	508	1,401	57	2,510
DRIVER INATTENTION	183	2,819	3,197	10,037	510	16,746
DROVE WITHOUT HEADLIGHTS	6	27	28	56	2	119
FAILED TO CONTROL SPEED	139	3,022	4,440	13,344	549	21,494
FAILED TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE	208	1,440	991	3,465	488	6,592
FAILED TO GIVE HALF OF ROADWAY	3	155	141	573	14	886
FAILED TO HEED WARNING SIGN	14	87	49	156	17	323
FAILED TO PASS TO LEFT SAFELY	9	140	144	681	32	1,006
FAILED TO PASS TO RIGHT SAFELY	1	29	44	215	6	295
FAILED TO SIGNAL OR GAVE WRONG SIGNAL	4	28	50	213	1	296
FAILED TO STOP AT PROPER PLACE	0	35	55	211	11	312
FAILED TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS	1	4	4	11	0	20
FAILED TO STOP FOR TRAIN	6	11	4	9	2	32
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - EMERGENCY VEHICLE	0	14	13	33	0	60
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - OPEN INTERSECTION	6	147	209	658	10	1,030
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - PRIVATE DRIVE	7	328	536	1,874	12	2,757
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - STOP SIGN	59	1,006	1,091	2,655	22	4,833
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TO PEDESTRIAN	0	36	16	12	0	64

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FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURNING LEFT	21	763	854	2,065	15	3,718
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURN ON RED	0	16	25	128	1	170
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - YIELD SIGN	9	106	97	361	0	573
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	152	1,181	749	1,998	70	4,150
FAULTY EVASIVE ACTION	217	2,288	1,573	5,054	276	9,408
FIRE IN VEHICLE	1	7	8	149	3	168
FLEEING OR EVADING POLICE	21	100	35	141	26	323
FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	3	283	547	1,600	24	2,457
HAD BEEN DRINKING	125	1,013	507	1,476	215	3,336
HANDICAPPED DRIVER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	0	25	10	31	0	66
ILL (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	41	337	294	301	12	985
IMPAIRED VISIBILITY (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	35	256	226	842	14	1,373
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	2	28	50	166	1	247
LOAD NOT SECURED	2	31	33	289	0	355
OPENED DOOR INTO TRAFFIC LANE	0	3	3	21	3	30
OVERSIZED VEHICLE OR LOAD	2	15	15	148	1	181
OVERTAKE AND PASS INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	7	35	18	126	9	195
PARKED AND FAILED TO SET BRAKES	1	6	6	28	27	68
PARKED IN TRAFFIC LANE	11	67	51	162	23	314
PARKED WITHOUT LIGHTS	0	19	8	23	4	54
PASSED IN NO PASSING LANE	24	92	80	306	2	504
PASSED ON RIGHT SHOULDER	4	25	34	183	6	252
PED/PEDALSYS/MOT.CON.FYTROW TO VEHICLE	4	30	11	9	0	54
SPEEDING - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	286	3,457	2,017	7,969	994	14,723
SPEEDING - (OVERLIMIT)	192	517	264	586	107	1,666
TAKING MEDICATION (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	7	57	57	67	2	190
TURNED IMPROPERLY - CUT CORNER ON LEFT	0	27	49	278	3	357
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WIDE RIGHT	0	53	68	436	16	573
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WRONG LANE	1	62	94	416	3	576
TURNED WHEN UNSAFE	22	367	354	1,310	21	2,074
UNDER INFLUENCE - ALCOHOL	337	1,852	905	2,726	128	5,948
UNDER INFLUENCE - DRUG	96	348	235	453	19	1,151
WRONG SIDE - APPROACH OR IN INTERSECTION	3	13	9	49	4	78
WRONG SIDE - NOT PASSING	150	522	250	615	29	1,566

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WRONG WAY - ONE WAY ROAD	15	26	7	52	4	104
CELL/MOBILE PHONE USE	25	216	214	533	7	995
ROAD RAGE	1	32	26	122	4	185
OTHER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	94	861	700	3,128	179	4,962
NOT APPLICABLE	76	481	428	1,412	358	2,755

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ANIMAL ON ROAD- DOMESTIC	2	114	173	566	18	873
ANIMAL ON ROAD- WILD	1	95	112	802	18	1,028
BACKED WITHOUT SAFETY	4	256	658	6,198	1,175	8,291
CHANGED LANE WHEN UNSAFE	42	1,570	3,361	14,137	118	19,228
DEFECTIVE OR NO HEADLAMPS	3	64	65	172	7	311
DEFECTIVE OR NO STOP LAMPS	1	19	33	40	1	94
DEFECTIVE OR NO TAIL LAMPS	0	16	26	39	2	83
DEFECTIVE OR NO TURN SIGNAL LAMPS	0	6	14	22	1	43
DEFECTIVE OR NO TRAILER BRAKES	1	14	17	44	4	80
DEFECTIVE OR NO VEHICLE BRAKES	6	308	644	1,203	26	2,187
DEFECTIVE STEERING MECHANISM	1	94	125	381	11	612
DEFECTIVE OR SLICK TIRES	8	321	389	1,147	36	1,901
DEFECTIVE TRAILER HITCH	0	18	20	89	5	132
DISABLED IN TRAFFIC LANE	6	168	216	379	19	788
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	53	2,015	3,378	4,746	46	10,238
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	42	2,317	3,886	6,568	161	12,974
DISREGARD TURN MARKS AT INTERSECTION	4	87	259	1,250	15	1,615
DISREGARD WARNING SIGN AT CONSTRUCTION	2	45	66	138	9	260
DISTRACTION IN VEHICLE	14	822	1,558	3,647	215	6,256
DRIVER INATTENTION	161	8,224	17,576	43,258	3,395	72,614
DROVE WITHOUT HEADLIGHTS	5	60	114	239	25	443
FAILED TO CONTROL SPEED	304	11,032	25,835	53,463	4,441	95,075
FAILED TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE	255	3,106	3,899	12,516	3,358	23,134
FAILED TO GIVE HALF OF ROADWAY	4	101	164	556	95	920
FAILED TO HEED WARNING SIGN	3	74	107	256	20	460
FAILED TO PASS TO LEFT SAFELY	8	162	306	1,467	225	2,168
FAILED TO PASS TO RIGHT SAFELY	3	114	198	1,063	26	1,404
FAILED TO SIGNAL OR GAVE WRONG SIGNAL	0	59	119	459	5	642
FAILED TO STOP AT PROPER PLACE	4	187	686	1,431	53	2,361
FAILED TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS	0	12	14	18	3	47
FAILED TO STOP FOR TRAIN	6	10	15	33	5	69
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - EMERGENCY VEHICLE	1	71	107	179	2	360
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - OPEN INTERSECTION	4	573	1,131	2,454	28	4,190
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - PRIVATE DRIVE	19	1,546	3,248	8,828	42	13,683
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - STOP SIGN	43	2,787	5,376	11,211	59	19,476
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TO PEDESTRIAN	14	500	485	126	3	1,128

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FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURNING LEFT	56	3,823	6,495	12,558	89	23,021
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURN ON RED	0	134	255	897	11	1,297
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - YIELD SIGN	6	236	481	1,335	10	2,068
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	31	770	877	2,088	162	3,928
FAULTY EVASIVE ACTION	117	2,970	4,066	10,238	819	18,210
FIRE IN VEHICLE	0	8	10	78	7	103
FLEEING OR EVADING POLICE	22	225	166	466	128	1,007
FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	12	2,174	6,916	13,968	89	23,159
HAD BEEN DRINKING	115	1,767	1,538	4,166	631	8,217
HANDICAPPED DRIVER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	1	36	65	109	4	215
ILL (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	17	534	760	547	35	1,893
IMPAIRED VISIBILITY (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	13	459	601	1,475	17	2,565
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	1	62	227	709	15	1,014
LOAD NOT SECURED	2	59	99	526	20	706
OPENED DOOR INTO TRAFFIC LANE	0	15	23	99	10	147
OVERSIZED VEHICLE OR LOAD	0	19	24	250	25	318
OVERTAKE AND PASS INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	2	51	83	475	20	631
PARKED AND FAILED TO SET BRAKES	0	28	18	129	73	248
PARKED IN TRAFFIC LANE	4	105	160	341	25	635
PARKED WITHOUT LIGHTS	1	14	30	76	11	132
PASSED IN NO PASSING LANE	4	85	109	382	11	591
PASSED ON RIGHT SHOULDER	0	51	86	386	6	529
PED/PEDALSYS/MOT.CON.FYTROW TO VEHICLE	6	116	64	24	0	210
SPEEDING - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	12	508	540	1,762	142	2,964
SPEEDING - (OVERLIMIT)	207	1,260	908	1,690	395	4,460
TAKING MEDICATION (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	6	81	90	155	6	338
TURNED IMPROPERLY - CUT CORNER ON LEFT	0	55	135	894	47	1,131
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WIDE RIGHT	2	161	319	1,937	150	2,569
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WRONG LANE	4	382	958	3,510	29	4,883
TURNED WHEN UNSAFE	17	867	1,710	4,805	305	7,704
UNDER INFLUENCE - ALCOHOL	230	2,086	1,925	5,292	573	10,106
UNDER INFLUENCE - DRUG	77	359	412	776	102	1,726
WRONG SIDE - APPROACH OR IN INTERSECTION	3	44	67	161	9	284
WRONG SIDE - NOT PASSING	30	170	178	417	129	924

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WRONG WAY - ONE WAY ROAD	33	162	154	370	33	752
CELL/MOBILE PHONE USE	16	327	604	1,339	28	2,314
ROAD RAGE	2	67	130	489	18	706
OTHER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	76	2,204	3,395	8,997	1,029	15,701
NOT APPLICABLE	198	2,163	2,605	5,396	2,184	12,546

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ANIMAL ON ROAD- DOMESTIC	11	534	544	2,908	42	4,039
ANIMAL ON ROAD- WILD	26	762	642	5,606	62	7,098
BACKED WITHOUT SAFETY	5	323	776	7,868	1,321	10,293
CHANGED LANE WHEN UNSAFE	54	1,830	3,744	16,483	124	22,235
DEFECTIVE OR NO HEADLAMPS	6	86	88	234	9	423
DEFECTIVE OR NO STOP LAMPS	2	29	42	75	1	149
DEFECTIVE OR NO TAIL LAMPS	0	25	33	74	2	134
DEFECTIVE OR NO TURN SIGNAL LAMPS	1	15	28	70	1	115
DEFECTIVE OR NO TRAILER BRAKES	1	15	25	70	4	115
DEFECTIVE OR NO VEHICLE BRAKES	7	407	764	1,520	32	2,730
DEFECTIVE STEERING MECHANISM	6	150	196	616	15	983
DEFECTIVE OR SLICK TIRES	53	763	700	2,307	66	3,889
DEFECTIVE TRAILER HITCH	2	29	27	203	9	270
DISABLED IN TRAFFIC LANE	13	217	255	484	26	995
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	62	2,196	3,612	5,219	57	11,146
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	89	2,921	4,446	7,938	248	15,642
DISREGARD TURN MARKS AT INTERSECTION	4	104	282	1,412	18	1,820
DISREGARD WARNING SIGN AT CONSTRUCTION	4	63	79	181	11	338
DISTRACTION IN VEHICLE	61	1,319	2,066	5,048	272	8,766
DRIVER INATTENTION	344	11,043	20,773	53,295	3,905	89,360
DROVE WITHOUT HEADLIGHTS	11	87	142	295	27	562
FAILED TO CONTROL SPEED	443	14,054	30,275	66,807	4,990	116,569
FAILED TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE	463	4,546	4,890	15,981	3,846	29,726
FAILED TO GIVE HALF OF ROADWAY	7	256	305	1,129	109	1,806
FAILED TO HEED WARNING SIGN	17	161	156	412	37	783
FAILED TO PASS TO LEFT SAFELY	17	302	450	2,148	257	3,174
FAILED TO PASS TO RIGHT SAFELY	4	143	242	1,278	32	1,699
FAILED TO SIGNAL OR GAVE WRONG SIGNAL	4	87	169	672	6	938
FAILED TO STOP AT PROPER PLACE	4	222	741	1,642	64	2,673
FAILED TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS	1	16	18	29	3	67
FAILED TO STOP FOR TRAIN	12	21	19	42	7	101
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - EMERGENCY VEHICLE	1	85	120	212	2	420
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - OPEN INTERSECTION	10	720	1,340	3,112	38	5,220
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - PRIVATE DRIVE	26	1,874	3,784	10,702	54	16,440
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - STOP SIGN	102	3,793	6,467	13,866	81	24,309
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TO PEDESTRIAN	14	536	501	138	3	1,192

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FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURNING LEFT	77	4,586	7,349	14,623	104	26,739
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURN ON RED	0	150	280	1,025	12	1,467
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - YIELD SIGN	15	342	578	1,696	10	2,641
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	183	1,951	1,626	4,086	232	8,078
FAULTY EVASIVE ACTION	334	5,258	5,639	15,292	1,095	27,618
FIRE IN VEHICLE	1	15	18	227	10	271
FLEEING OR EVADING POLICE	43	325	201	607	154	1,330
FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	15	2,457	7,463	15,568	113	25,616
HAD BEEN DRINKING	240	2,780	2,045	5,642	846	11,553
HANDICAPPED DRIVER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	1	61	75	140	4	281
ILL (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	58	871	1,054	848	47	2,878
IMPAIRED VISIBILITY (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	48	715	827	2,317	31	3,938
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	3	90	277	875	16	1,261
LOAD NOT SECURED	4	90	132	815	20	1,061
OPENED DOOR INTO TRAFFIC LANE	0	18	26	120	13	177
OVERSIZED VEHICLE OR LOAD	2	34	39	398	26	499
OVERTAKE AND PASS INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	9	86	101	601	29	826
PARKED AND FAILED TO SET BRAKES	1	34	24	157	100	316
PARKED IN TRAFFIC LANE	15	172	211	503	48	949
PARKED WITHOUT LIGHTS	1	33	38	99	15	186
PASSED IN NO PASSING LANE	28	177	189	688	13	1,095
PASSED ON RIGHT SHOULDER	4	76	120	569	12	781
PED/PEDALSYS/MOT.CON.FYTROW TO VEHICLE	10	146	75	33	0	264
SPEEDING - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	298	3,965	2,557	9,731	1,136	17,687
SPEEDING - (OVERLIMIT)	399	1,777	1,172	2,276	502	6,126
TAKING MEDICATION (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	13	138	147	222	8	528
TURNED IMPROPERLY - CUT CORNER ON LEFT	0	82	184	1,172	50	1,488
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WIDE RIGHT	2	214	387	2,373	166	3,142
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WRONG LANE	5	444	1,052	3,926	32	5,459
TURNED WHEN UNSAFE	39	1,234	2,064	6,115	326	9,778
UNDER INFLUENCE - ALCOHOL	567	3,938	2,830	8,018	701	16,054
UNDER INFLUENCE - DRUG	173	707	647	1,229	121	2,877
WRONG SIDE - APPROACH OR IN INTERSECTION	6	57	76	210	13	362
WRONG SIDE - NOT PASSING	180	692	428	1,032	158	2,490

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WRONG WAY - ONE WAY ROAD	48	188	161	422	37	856
CELL/MOBILE PHONE USE	41	543	818	1,872	35	3,309
ROAD RAGE	3	99	156	611	22	891
OTHER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	170	3,065	4,095	12,125	1,208	20,663
NOT APPLICABLE	274	2,644	3,033	6,808	2,542	15,301

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