

Table 1103. Motor Vehicle Accidents—Number and Deaths: 1990 to 2009

[11.5 represents 11,500,000]

Item	Unit	1990	1995	2000	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
ACCIDENTS										
Motor vehicle accidents ¹	Million	11.5	10.7	13.4	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.6	10.2	10.8
DEATHS										
Motor vehicle deaths within 1 yr. ²	1,000	46.8	43.4	43.4	44.9	45.3	45.3	43.9	39.7	35.9
Noncollision accidents	1,000	4.9	4.4	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.4	5.2	4.5	4.0
Collision accidents:										
With other motor vehicles	1,000	19.9	19.0	19.1	19.6	19.0	18.5	17.7	15.4	13.9
With pedestrians	1,000	7.3	6.4	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.0	5.7	5.3
With fixed objects	1,000	13.1	12.1	12.3	13.0	13.6	13.9	13.8	12.9	11.6
Deaths within 30 days ³	1,000	44.6	41.8	41.9	42.8	43.5	42.7	41.3	37.4	33.8
Occupants	1,000	33.9	33.1	33.5	33.3	33.1	32.1	30.5	26.8	24.5
Passenger cars	1,000	24.1	22.4	20.7	19.2	18.5	17.9	16.6	14.6	13.1
Light trucks ⁴	1,000	8.6	9.6	11.5	12.7	13.0	12.8	12.5	10.8	10.3
Large trucks ⁴	1,000	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5
Buses	1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	0.1	(Z)	(Z)	0.1	(Z)
Other/unknown	1,000	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Motorcycle riders ⁵	1,000	3.2	2.2	2.9	4.0	4.6	4.8	5.2	5.3	4.5
Nonoccupants	1,000	7.5	6.5	5.6	5.5	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.3	4.9
Pedestrians	1,000	6.5	5.6	4.8	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.1
Pedalcyclist	1,000	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6
Other/unknown	1,000	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Traffic death rates: ^{3, 6}										
Per 100 million vehicle miles	Rate	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.1
Per 100,000 licensed drivers	Rate	26.7	23.7	22.0	21.5	21.7	21.1	20.1	18.0	(NA)
Per 100,000 registered vehicles	Rate	24.2	21.2	19.3	18.0	17.7	17.0	16.1	14.5	(NA)
Per 100,000 resident population	Rate	17.9	15.9	14.9	14.6	14.7	14.3	13.7	12.3	11.0

NA Not available. Z Fewer than 50. ¹ Covers only accidents occurring on the road. Data are estimated. Year-to-year comparisons should be made with caution. ² Deaths that occur within 1 year of accident. Includes collision categories, not shown separately. ³ Within 30 days of accident. Source: U.S. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, *Traffic Safety Facts*, annual; and unpublished data. See Internet site <<http://www-nrd.nhtsa.dot.gov/CATS/index.aspx>>. ⁴ See footnotes 2 and 3 in Table 1107. ⁵ Includes motorized cycles. ⁶ Based on 30-day definition of traffic deaths.

Source: Except as noted, National Safety Council, Itasca, IL, *Injury Facts*, annual (copyright). See also <<http://www.nsc.org/>>.

Table 1104. Traffic Fatalities by State: 1990 to 2009

[For deaths within 30 days of the accident]

State	Fatality rate ¹				State				Fatality rate ¹				
	1990	2000	2005	2009	1990	2009	1990	2000	2005	2009	1990	2009	
U.S.	44,599	41,945	43,510	33,808	2.1	1.1	MO	1,097	1,157	1,257	878	2.2	1.3
AL	1,121	996	1,148	848	2.6	1.5	MT	212	237	251	221	2.5	2.0
AK	98	106	73	64	2.5	1.3	NE	262	276	276	223	1.9	1.2
AZ	869	1,036	1,179	807	2.5	1.3	NV	343	323	427	243	3.4	1.2
AR	604	652	654	585	2.9	1.8	NH	158	126	166	110	1.6	0.9
CA	5,192	3,753	4,333	3,081	2.0	1.0	NJ	886	731	747	583	1.5	0.8
CO	544	681	606	465	2.0	1.0	NM	499	432	488	361	3.1	1.4
CT	385	341	278	223	1.5	0.7	NY	2,217	1,460	1,434	1,156	2.1	0.9
DE	138	123	133	116	2.1	1.3	NC	1,385	1,557	1,547	1,314	2.2	1.3
DC	48	48	48	29	1.4	0.8	ND	112	86	123	140	1.9	1.7
FL	2,891	2,999	3,518	2,558	2.6	1.3	OH	1,638	1,366	1,321	1,021	1.8	0.9
GA	1,562	1,541	1,729	1,284	2.2	1.2	OK	641	650	803	738	1.9	1.6
HI	177	132	140	109	2.2	1.1	OR	579	451	487	377	2.2	1.1
ID	244	276	275	226	2.5	1.5	PA	1,646	1,520	1,616	1,256	1.9	1.2
IL	1,589	1,418	1,363	911	1.9	0.9	RI	84	80	87	83	1.1	1.0
IN	1,049	886	938	693	2.0	0.9	SC	979	1,065	1,094	894	2.8	1.8
IA	465	445	450	372	2.0	1.2	SD	153	173	186	131	2.2	1.4
KS	444	461	428	386	1.9	1.3	TN	1,177	1,307	1,270	989	2.5	1.4
KY	849	820	985	791	2.5	1.7	TX	3,250	3,779	3,536	3,071	2.1	1.3
LA	959	938	963	821	2.5	1.8	UT	272	373	282	244	1.9	0.9
ME	213	169	169	159	1.8	1.1	VT	90	76	73	74	1.5	1.0
MD	707	588	614	547	1.7	1.0	VA	1,079	929	947	757	1.8	0.9
MA	605	433	441	334	1.3	0.6	WA	825	631	649	492	1.8	0.9
MI	1,571	1,382	1,129	871	1.9	0.9	WV	481	411	374	356	3.1	1.8
MN	566	625	559	421	1.5	0.7	WI	769	799	815	561	1.7	1.0
MS	750	949	931	700	3.1	1.7	WY	125	152	170	134	2.1	1.4

¹ Deaths per 100 million vehicle miles traveled.

Source: U.S. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, *Traffic Safety Facts*, annual. See also <<http://www-nrd.nhtsa.dot.gov/CATS/index.aspx>>.