

New York State Department of Motor Vehicles Summary of Motor Vehicle Accidents

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TABLE 1 Accident Summary Totals		
Category Totals	All Accidents	Police Reported
Total Accidents	1,643	871†
Fatal Accidents	8	8
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	905	791
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	730	72†
Vehicles	2,751	1,505
Drivers Involved	2,571	1,458
Vehicle Occupants	3,516	2,163
Special Accident Series		
Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	14	14
Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	7	7
Motorcycle Accidents	46	43
Fatalities		
Persons Killed (1)	8	8
Drivers Killed	5	5
Passengers Killed	1	1
Pedestrians Killed	2	2
Bicyclists Killed	0	0
Other	0	0
Non-Fatal Injuries		
Persons Injured (1)	1,275	1,138
Drivers Injured	902	791
Passengers Injured	352	326
Pedestrians Injured	13	13
Bicyclists Injured	8	8
Other	0	0
† It is important to note that the data for 2004 are not strictly comparable to the data for 2001 and 2002. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2001 with respect to property damage crashes have reduced the total number of crashes, since the changes resulted in fewer property damage crashes being captured in the statewide Accident Information System (AIS) maintained by the NYS Department of Motor Vehicles. (1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.		

TABLE 2(P) Severity of Accident		
	Number	Percent
Total	871	100.0
Fatal (K) Accidents	8	0.9
Personal Injury Accidents		
Serious (A)	87	10.0
Moderate (B)	163	18.7
Minor (C)	523	60.0
Unknown Severity	18	2.1
Property Damage (O) Accidents	72	8.3

General Notes

- * Some of the tables are based upon information received from police and motorist reports of motor vehicle accidents. Others are based only on the police reports; these are indicated by a (P).
- * The Property Damage Accident reporting level is \$1,000 or more.
- * The term "vehicle" always excludes bicycles.
- * The term "driver" always excludes bicyclists.
- * Percentages may not total 100.0 due to rounding.

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TABLE 3 Day of Week/Time of Day

Day of Week	Total Accidents	Time of Day								
		Mid-3am	3am-6am	6am-9am	9am-Noon	Noon-3pm	3pm-6pm	6pm-9pm	9pm-Mid	Unknown
Total	1,643	92	87	232	192	245	364	190	126	115
Sunday										
<i>Total</i>	194	14	20	17	20	41	36	24	14	8
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	118	9	14	13	10	23	27	14	6	2
Property Damage	76	5	6	4	10	18	9	10	8	6
Monday										
<i>Total</i>	237	10	9	42	21	32	56	30	13	24
Fatal	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	118	6	2	19	12	16	37	14	9	3
Property Damage	118	4	6	23	9	16	19	16	4	21
Tuesday										
<i>Total</i>	251	7	12	29	27	38	67	32	17	22
Fatal	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	135	3	8	22	15	25	36	14	8	4
Property Damage	115	4	4	7	11	13	31	18	9	18
Wednesday										
<i>Total</i>	238	13	6	51	40	26	48	24	20	10
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	136	9	4	27	24	18	32	12	9	1
Property Damage	102	4	2	24	16	8	16	12	11	9
Thursday										
<i>Total</i>	221	7	8	40	25	29	53	27	16	16
Fatal	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	125	3	4	21	15	20	34	12	13	3
Property Damage	94	4	4	19	9	8	19	15	3	13
Friday										
<i>Total</i>	287	18	15	35	31	40	68	31	27	22
Fatal	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	141	11	8	14	20	24	40	10	13	1
Property Damage	145	7	7	21	10	16	28	21	14	21
Saturday										
<i>Total</i>	215	23	17	18	28	39	36	22	19	13
Fatal	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	132	14	11	12	16	24	30	13	8	4
Property Damage	80	7	6	6	11	15	6	9	11	9

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TABLE 4(P) Police Investigating Agency					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	871	100.0	8	791	72
State Police	358	41.1	3	290	65
County Police	235	27.0	2	227	6
New York City Police (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	278	31.9	3	274	1
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0

TABLE 5 Jurisdictional Road System					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	1,643	100.0	8	905	730
State Routes	714	43.5	4	393	317
County Routes	172	10.5	2	111	59
Town Routes	393	23.9	1	215	177
Municipal Streets	33	2.0	0	9	24
Parkways	125	7.6	0	68	57
Thruway	3	0.2	0	2	1
Other Interstates	171	10.4	1	102	68
Unknown	32	1.9	0	5	27

TABLE 6 Manner of Collision					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	1,643	100.0	8	905	730
Single Vehicle Accidents	684	41.6	5	348	331
Two Vehicle Accidents	843	51.3	3	473	367
3 or More Vehicle Accidents	116	7.1	0	84	32

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TABLE 7(P) Accident Contributing Factors					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total Accidents	871	100.0	8	791	72
Accidents With No Factor Reported	15	1.7	0	13	2
Accidents With One or More Factors Reported	856	98.3	8	778	70
Accidents With Human Factors	766	87.9	8	698	60
Aggressive Driving/Road Rage	3	0.3	0	3	0
Alcohol Involvement*	43	4.9	0	41	2
Backing Unsafely	6	0.7	0	6	0
Cell Phone (hand held)	1	0.1	0	1	0
Cell Phone (hands free)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driver Inattention/Distraction	85	9.8	1	79	5
Driver Inexperience	22	2.5	0	21	1
Drugs (Illegal)	4	0.5	0	4	0
Failure to Keep Right	14	1.6	1	12	1
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	129	14.8	1	122	6
Fatigued/Drowsy	10	1.1	0	9	1
Fell Asleep	39	4.5	1	32	6
Following Too Closely	171	19.6	0	148	23
Illness	2	0.2	0	2	0
Lost Consciousness	8	0.9	0	8	0
Other Electronic Device	0	0.0	0	0	0
Outside Car Distraction	0	0.0	0	0	0
Passenger Distraction	1	0.1	0	1	0
Passing or Lane Usage Improper	40	4.6	2	37	1
Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Other Ped Error/Confusion	7	0.8	0	7	0
Physical Disability	0	0.0	0	0	0
Prescription Medication	1	0.1	0	1	0
Reaction to Other Uninvolved Vehicle	17	2.0	0	13	4
Traffic Control Disregarded	38	4.4	0	37	1
Turning Improperly	15	1.7	0	12	3
Unsafe Lane Changing	21	2.4	1	16	4
Unsafe Speed*	248	28.5	3	228	17
Other Human	19	2.2	0	18	1
Accidents With Vehicular Factors	12	1.4	0	11	1
Accelerator Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Brakes Defective	2	0.2	0	2	0
Driverless/Runaway Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Headlights Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Lighting Defects	0	0.0	0	0	0
Oversized Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Steering Failure	0	0.0	0	0	0
Tire Failure/Inadequate	4	0.5	0	3	1
Tow Hitch Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Windshield Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Vehicular	6	0.7	0	6	0
Accidents With Environmental Factors	220	25.3	0	202	18
Animal's Action	44	5.1	0	36	8
Glare	9	1.0	0	8	1
Lane Marking Improper/Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Obstruction/Debris	12	1.4	0	11	1
Pavement Defective	1	0.1	0	1	0
Pavement Slippery	141	16.2	0	134	7
Shoulders Defective/Improper	1	0.1	0	0	1
Traffic Control Device Improper/Non-Working	1	0.1	0	1	0
View Obstructed/Limited	18	2.1	0	18	0
Other Environmental	2	0.2	0	2	0

* These numbers represent the total number of accidents in which the police checked "alcohol involvement" or "unsafe speed" as apparent contributing factors on the police accident report form. Hence, they do not represent the total number of alcohol-related or speed-related accidents that occurred in the county. For data on the total number of alcohol-related accidents in the county, see the separate report titled, "Summary of Alcohol-Related Motor Vehicle Accidents."

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

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TABLE 8 Driver Age and Gender					
	Total Drivers		Drivers by Severity of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total Drivers	2,571	100.0	10	1,521	1,040
Male	1,514	58.9	8	896	610
Under 16	1	<0.1	0	1	0
16 - 17	81	3.2	0	51	30
18 - 20	130	5.1	0	87	43
21 - 24	126	4.9	1	75	50
25 - 29	123	4.8	1	74	48
30 - 34	123	4.8	1	74	48
35 - 39	161	6.3	1	101	59
40 - 44	165	6.4	0	103	62
45 - 49	180	7.0	0	109	71
50 - 54	141	5.5	0	76	65
55 - 59	85	3.3	3	43	39
60 - 64	61	2.4	1	36	24
65 - 69	50	1.9	0	23	27
70 - 74	27	1.1	0	9	18
75 - 79	27	1.1	0	17	10
80 and Over	24	0.9	0	15	9
Unknown Age	9	0.4	0	2	7
Female	1,055	41.0	2	624	429
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	82	3.2	0	55	27
18 - 20	80	3.1	0	46	34
21 - 24	91	3.5	0	57	34
25 - 29	81	3.2	0	57	24
30 - 34	84	3.3	0	61	23
35 - 39	113	4.4	0	71	42
40 - 44	136	5.3	0	70	66
45 - 49	93	3.6	0	54	39
50 - 54	86	3.3	1	37	48
55 - 59	72	2.8	0	38	34
60 - 64	50	1.9	1	33	16
65 - 69	27	1.1	0	15	12
70 - 74	20	0.8	0	9	11
75 - 79	22	0.9	0	14	8
80 and Over	16	0.6	0	7	9
Unknown Age	2	0.1	0	0	2
Unknown Gender	2	0.1	0	1	1

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TABLE 9 Persons Killed or Injured by Age Group				
Age Group	Total Persons		Persons	
	Number	Percent	Killed	Injured
Total	1,283	100.0	8	1,275
Under 5	7	0.5	0	7
5 - 9	29	2.3	0	29
10 - 13	30	2.3	0	30
14 - 17	132	10.3	0	132
18 - 20	118	9.2	0	118
21 - 24	117	9.1	1	116
25 - 29	97	7.6	0	97
30 - 34	84	6.5	0	84
35 - 39	119	9.3	0	119
40 - 44	137	10.7	1	136
45 - 49	120	9.4	1	119
50 - 54	81	6.3	1	80
55 - 59	61	4.8	3	58
60 - 64	52	4.1	1	51
65 - 69	29	2.3	0	29
70 - 74	18	1.4	0	18
75 - 79	26	2.0	0	26
80 and Over	21	1.6	0	21
Unknown Age	5	0.4	0	5

TABLE 9.1 Pedestrians Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Pedestrians	
	Killed	Injured
Total	2	13
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	0
10 - 13	0	1
14 - 17	0	2
18 - 20	0	1
21 - 24	0	2
25 - 29	0	1
30 - 34	0	1
35 - 39	0	1
40 - 44	0	3
45 - 49	1	0
50 - 54	1	1
55 - 59	0	0
60 - 64	0	0
65 - 69	0	0
70 - 74	0	0
75 - 79	0	0
80 and Over	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0

Due to the relatively small numbers in age groups, percents are not provided.

TABLE 9.2 Bicyclists Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Bicyclists	
	Killed	Injured
Total	0	8
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	0
10 - 13	0	1
14 - 17	0	2
18 - 20	0	0
21 - 24	0	1
25 - 29	0	0
30 - 34	0	1
35 - 39	0	0
40 - 44	0	1
45 - 49	0	1
50 - 54	0	0
55 - 59	0	1
60 - 64	0	0
65 - 69	0	0
70 - 74	0	0
75 - 79	0	0
80 and Over	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0

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TABLE 10(P) Safety Equipment Used								
	Total		Injury Severity of Person					
	Number	Percent	Killed (K)	Serious (A)	Moderate (B)	Minor (C)	Unk Injury	Uninjured (O)
Motor Vehicle Occupants	2,112	100.0	4	78	176	795	22	1,037
No Restraint Used	100	4.7	0	14	19	49	0	18
Air Bag Deployed	12	0.6	0	2	4	4	0	2
with Child Restraint	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Harness	10	0.5	0	1	0	6	0	3
with Lap Belt	12	0.6	0	1	4	5	1	1
with Lap Belt & Harness	260	12.3	2	23	42	125	1	67
Child Restraint Only	72	3.4	0	0	2	7	0	63
Harness	8	0.4	0	0	0	5	0	3
Lap Belt	66	3.1	0	1	2	14	5	44
Lap Belt & Harness	1,540	72.9	1	36	100	571	14	818
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	32	1.5	1	0	3	9	1	18
Motorcyclists	51	100.0	2	15	16	15	0	3
No Helmet Used	2	3.9	0	1	0	1	0	0
Helmet Used	47	92.2	2	12	16	14	0	3
Unknown	2	3.9	0	2	0	0	0	0
Bicyclists	8	100.0	0	2	5	1	0	0
No Helmet Used	5	62.5	0	0	5	0	0	0
Helmet Used	1	12.5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Unknown	2	25.0	0	1	0	1	0	0

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TABLE 1(P) Alcohol-Related (A-R) Accidents	
Category Totals	Police Reported
Total Accidents	48†
Fatal Accidents	1
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	45
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	2†
Vehicles	71
Drivers Involved	67
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	48
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	19
Vehicle Occupants	98
Special A-R Accident Series	
A-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	1
A-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0
A-R Motorcycle Accidents	1
Fatalities	
Persons Killed (1)	1
Drivers Killed	1
Passengers Killed	0
Pedestrians Killed	0
Bicyclists Killed	0
Other	0
Non-Fatal Injuries	
Persons Injured (1)	68
Drivers Injured	45
Passengers Injured	22
Pedestrians Injured	1
Bicyclists Injured	0
Other	0
<p>† It is important to note that the data for 2004 are not strictly comparable to the data for 2001 and 2002. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2001 with respect to property damage crashes have reduced the total number of crashes, since the changes resulted in fewer property damage crashes being captured in the statewide Accident Information System (AIS) maintained by the NYS Department of Motor Vehicles.</p> <p>(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.</p>	

TABLE 2(P) Severity of Accident		
	Number	Percent
Total	48	100.0
Fatal (K) Accidents	1	2.1
Personal Injury Accidents		
Serious (A)	8	16.7
Moderate (B)	18	37.5
Minor (C)	19	39.6
Unknown Severity	0	0.0
Property Damage (O) Accidents	2	4.2

General Notes

- * All tables are based on information received only from police reports.
- * The Property Damage Accident reporting level is \$1,000 or more.
- * The term "vehicle" always excludes bicycles.
- * The term "driver" always excludes bicyclists.
- * Percentages may not total 100.0 due to rounding.

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TABLE 3(P) Day of Week/Time of Day										
Day of Week	Total Accidents	Time of Day								
		Mid-3am	3am-6am	6am-9am	9am-Noon	Noon-3pm	3pm-6pm	6pm-9pm	9pm-Mid	Unknown
Total	48	10	6	1	3	2	9	6	11	0
Sunday										
Total	11	2	1	1	0	0	4	1	2	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	10	2	0	1	0	0	4	1	2	0
Property Damage	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Monday										
Total	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuesday										
Total	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wednesday										
Total	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thursday										
Total	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friday										
Total	10	3	1	0	0	2	2	0	2	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	9	3	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	0
Property Damage	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saturday										
Total	10	5	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
Fatal	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	9	4	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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TABLE 4(P) Police Investigating Agency					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	48	100.0	1	45	2
State Police	16	33.3	0	14	2
County Police	15	31.3	0	15	0
New York City Police (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	17	35.4	1	16	0
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0

TABLE 5(P) Jurisdictional Road System					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	48	100.0	1	45	2
State Routes	23	47.9	0	22	1
County Routes	11	22.9	1	10	0
Town Routes	8	16.7	0	8	0
Municipal Streets	0	0.0	0	0	0
Parkways	2	4.2	0	2	0
Thruway	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Interstates	4	8.3	0	3	1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0

TABLE 6(P) Manner of Collision					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	48	100.0	1	45	2
Single Vehicle Accidents	30	62.5	1	28	1
Two Vehicle Accidents	14	29.2	0	13	1
3 or More Vehicle Accidents	4	8.3	0	4	0

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TABLE 7(P) Accident Contributing Factors					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total Accidents	48	100.0	1	45	2
Accidents With No Factor Reported	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accidents With One or More Factors Reported	48	100.0	1	45	2
Accidents With Human Factors	48	100.0	1	45	2
Aggressive Driving/Road Rage	0	0.0	0	0	0
Alcohol Involvement	43	89.6	0	41	2
Backing Unsafely	1	2.1	0	1	0
Cell Phone (hand held)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Cell Phone (hands free)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driver Inattention/Distracted	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driver Inexperience	0	0.0	0	0	0
Drugs (Illegal)	3	6.3	0	3	0
Failure to Keep Right	2	4.2	0	2	0
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	3	6.3	0	3	0
Fatigued/Drowsy	0	0.0	0	0	0
Fell Asleep	3	6.3	0	2	1
Following Too Closely	5	10.4	0	4	1
Illness	0	0.0	0	0	0
Lost Consciousness	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Electronic Device	0	0.0	0	0	0
Outside Car Distraction	0	0.0	0	0	0
Passenger Distraction	0	0.0	0	0	0
Passing or Lane Usage Improper	4	8.3	0	4	0
Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Other Ped Error/Confusion	0	0.0	0	0	0
Physical Disability	0	0.0	0	0	0
Prescription Medication	0	0.0	0	0	0
Reaction to Other Uninvolved Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Traffic Control Disregarded	1	2.1	0	1	0
Turning Improperly	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unsafe Lane Changing	1	2.1	0	1	0
Unsafe Speed	19	39.6	1	18	0
Other Human	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accidents With Vehicular Factors	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accelerator Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Brakes Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driverless/Runaway Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Headlights Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Lighting Defects	0	0.0	0	0	0
Oversized Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Steering Failure	0	0.0	0	0	0
Tire Failure/Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Tow Hitch Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Windshield Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Vehicular	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accidents With Environmental Factors	2	4.2	0	2	0
Animal's Action	0	0.0	0	0	0
Glare	0	0.0	0	0	0
Lane Marking Improper/Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Obstruction/Debris	0	0.0	0	0	0
Pavement Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Pavement Slippery	1	2.1	0	1	0
Shoulders Defective/Improper	0	0.0	0	0	0
Traffic Control Device Improper/Non-Working	0	0.0	0	0	0
View Obstructed/Limited	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Environmental	1	2.1	0	1	0

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

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TABLE 8(P) Driver Age and Gender									
	Total Drivers		Non-Drinking Drivers		Drinking Drivers by Severity of Accident				
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total Drivers	67	100.0	19	100.0	48	100.0	1	45	2
Male	51	76.1	12	63.2	39	81.3	1	36	2
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	2.1	0	1	0
18 - 20	6	9.0	3	15.8	3	6.3	0	3	0
21 - 24	8	11.9	2	10.5	6	12.5	1	4	1
25 - 29	4	6.0	0	0.0	4	8.3	0	4	0
30 - 34	4	6.0	3	15.8	1	2.1	0	1	0
35 - 39	9	13.4	1	5.3	8	16.7	0	8	0
40 - 44	9	13.4	2	10.5	7	14.6	0	7	0
45 - 49	4	6.0	0	0.0	4	8.3	0	4	0
50 - 54	2	3.0	0	0.0	2	4.2	0	2	0
55 - 59	2	3.0	1	5.3	1	2.1	0	1	0
60 - 64	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	2.1	0	0	1
65 - 69	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	2.1	0	1	0
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
75 - 79	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
80 and Over	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Female	16	23.9	7	36.8	9	18.8	0	9	0
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	2.1	0	1	0
18 - 20	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
21 - 24	4	6.0	3	15.8	1	2.1	0	1	0
25 - 29	2	3.0	0	0.0	2	4.2	0	2	0
30 - 34	1	1.5	0	0.0	1	2.1	0	1	0
35 - 39	2	3.0	1	5.3	1	2.1	0	1	0
40 - 44	2	3.0	1	5.3	1	2.1	0	1	0
45 - 49	3	4.5	1	5.3	2	4.2	0	2	0
50 - 54	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
55 - 59	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
60 - 64	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
65 - 69	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
75 - 79	1	1.5	1	5.3	0	0.0	0	0	0
80 and Over	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unknown Gender	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0

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TABLE 9 Persons Killed or Injured by Age Group				
Age Group	Total Persons		Persons	
	Number	Percent	Killed	Injured
Total	69	100.0	1	68
Under 5	0	0.0	0	0
5 - 9	2	2.9	0	2
10 - 13	4	5.8	0	4
14 - 17	6	8.7	0	6
18 - 20	10	14.5	0	10
21 - 24	11	15.9	1	10
25 - 29	6	8.7	0	6
30 - 34	3	4.3	0	3
35 - 39	6	8.7	0	6
40 - 44	8	11.6	0	8
45 - 49	6	8.7	0	6
50 - 54	4	5.8	0	4
55 - 59	1	1.4	0	1
60 - 64	0	0.0	0	0
65 - 69	1	1.4	0	1
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0
75 - 79	1	1.4	0	1
80 and Over	0	0.0	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0

TABLE 9.1 Pedestrians Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Pedestrians	
	Killed	Injured
Total	0	1
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	0
10 - 13	0	0
14 - 17	0	1
18 - 20	0	0
21 - 24	0	0
25 - 29	0	0
30 - 34	0	0
35 - 39	0	0
40 - 44	0	0
45 - 49	0	0
50 - 54	0	0
55 - 59	0	0
60 - 64	0	0
65 - 69	0	0
70 - 74	0	0
75 - 79	0	0
80 and Over	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0

Due to the relatively small numbers in age groups, percents are not provided.

TABLE 9.2 Bicyclists Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Bicyclists	
	Killed	Injured
Total	0	0
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	0
10 - 13	0	0
14 - 17	0	0
18 - 20	0	0
21 - 24	0	0
25 - 29	0	0
30 - 34	0	0
35 - 39	0	0
40 - 44	0	0
45 - 49	0	0
50 - 54	0	0
55 - 59	0	0
60 - 64	0	0
65 - 69	0	0
70 - 74	0	0
75 - 79	0	0
80 and Over	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0

Due to the relatively small numbers in age groups, percents are not provided.

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TABLE 10(P) Safety Equipment Used								
	Total		Injury Severity of Person					
	Number	Percent	Killed (K)	Serious (A)	Moderate (B)	Minor (C)	Unk Injury	Uninjured (O)
Motor Vehicle Occupants	97	100.0	1	7	19	40	0	30
No Restraint Used	14	14.4	0	3	5	5	0	1
Air Bag Deployed	3	3.1	0	0	2	1	0	0
with Child Restraint	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Harness	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Lap Belt	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Lap Belt & Harness	20	20.6	0	3	4	11	0	2
Child Restraint Only	4	4.1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Harness	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lap Belt	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lap Belt & Harness	54	55.7	0	1	8	23	0	22
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	2	2.1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Motorcyclists	1	100.0	0	1	0	0	0	0
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Helmet Used	1	100.0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bicyclists	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Fatal and Personal Injury Crashes, Crash Rate per Roadway Mile, and Mean Severity of Injury (MSI) by County Jurisdiction

Jurisdiction	Pop.	%	Miles	%	Pop./ Mile	2002			2003			2004			
						F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	
Towns															
Carmel	34,704	34.5	209.4	25.3	165.7	267	1.3	1.35	282	1.3	1.36	267	1.3	1.28	
Kent	14,470	14.4	138.6	16.7	104.4	94	0.7	1.41	80	0.6	1.47	102	0.7	1.41	
Patterson	11,911	11.8	102.1	12.3	116.7	74	0.7	1.43	78	0.8	1.49	74	0.7	1.52	
Philipstown	7,243	7.2	94.0	11.3	77.1	52	0.6	1.48	72	0.8	1.39	70	0.7	1.42	
Putnam Valley	11,225	11.2	132.2	16.0	84.9	121	0.9	1.47	117	0.9	1.43	116	0.9	1.35	
Southeast	16,253	16.2	135.4	16.3	120.0	201	1.5	1.38	209	1.5	1.34	236	1.7	1.32	
Villages															
Brewster	2,173	2.2	5.5	0.7	395.1	18	3.3	1.10	32	5.8	1.18	39	7.1	1.29	
Cold Spring	2,010	2.0	7.8	0.9	257.7	2	0.3	1.00	4	0.5	1.00	4	0.5	1.71	
Nelsonville	581	0.6	3.3	0.4	176.1	3	0.9	1.20	4	1.2	1.00	3	0.9	1.67	
Other															
unknown	na	na	na	na	na	54	na	na	16	na	na	2	na	na	
Putnam County Total						886	1.1	1.39	894	1.1	1.37	913	1.1	1.35	
New York State						180,522	1.6	1.26	168,865	1.5	1.26	156,349	1.4	1.27	

Source: 2004 US Census Bureau redistricting data, 2004 NYSDOT Highway Mileage report, and the NYSDMV AIS data base.

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Reported Safety Restraint Use for Vehicle Occupants Killed or Seriously Injured in Police-Reported Crashes

	2001	2002	2003	2004
	K&A	K&A	K&A	K&A
	Occupants	Occupants	Occupants	Occupants
	%	%	%	%
	n=90	n=87	n=96	n=82
No restraint used	20.0	16.1	13.5	17.1
Restraint used	74.4	81.6	79.2	81.7
Restraint use unspecified	5.6	2.3	7.3	1.2

Note: "K and A" denote occupants killed or seriously injured in a crash.

Source: NYSDMV AIS Data Base.

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TSLE&D TICKETS ISSUED AND CONVICTION RATES FOR SELECTED V&T VIOLATIONS

VIOLATION	2001	2002	2003	2004
SPEED (V&T 1180)	7,265	8,520	8,841	10,239
% of total tickets	44.2	42.8	43.1	41.5
% convicted on same charge	47.0	37.6	28.1	31.1
SAFETY RESTRAINTS (V&T 1229c)	1,422	2,217	1,750	1,989
% of total tickets	8.7	11.1	8.5	8.1
% convicted on same charge	77.3	69.8	63.8	66.0
IMPAIRED DRIVING (V&T 1192)	432	427	617	838
% of total tickets	2.6	2.1	3.0	3.4
PERSONS ARRESTED*	360	369	465	508
% arrested as result of patrol activity**	81.4	83.5	86.5	87.2
% arrested as result of crash	17.8	0.5	12.7	11.4
% arrested as result of <i>other means</i> ***	0.8	16.0	0.9	1.4
TOTAL TICKETS FOR ALL V&T VIOLATIONS	16,430	19,905	20,520	24,665

* The number of persons arrested is less than the number of tickets issued as some agencies issue separate tickets for 1192.2 and 1192.3, while others issue a combined 1192.23.

** Includes patrol, radar, road checks

*** Includes scales, plane, VASCAR

Source: NYS DMV TSLE&D ticket system.

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Adjudication Status of Impaired Driving Cases & Conviction Rates TSLE&D Agencies

	2001	2002	2003	2004
Persons Arrested	(N=360)	(N=369)	(N=465)	(N=508)
Case adjudicated	83.3%	88.1%	83.9%	91.3%
Case pending	16.7%	11.9%	16.1%	8.7%
Disposition of Adjudicated Cases*	(N=300)	(N=325)	(N=390)	(N=464)
<i>Convicted on Alcohol Charge</i>	95.1%	93.5%	94.9%	94.8%
Convicted on original alcohol charge	26.7%	25.2%	22.6%	29.3%
Convicted on reduced alcohol charge	49.7%	46.8%	60.5%	60.1%
Convicted on other alcohol charge	18.7%	21.5%	11.8%	5.4%
<i>Convicted on Non-Alcohol Charge</i>	1.0%	0.9%	1.3%	2.4%
<i>Dismissed/Acquitted/Convicted on charge associated with different event</i>	3.9%	5.6%	3.8%	2.8%
* Since some drivers are charged with more than one alcohol offense during a single traffic stop, this includes drivers who have had at least one offense adjudicated.				

Source: Compiled by Institute for Traffic Safety Management and Research with data obtained from TSLE&D.

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DWI/AI Probation Data

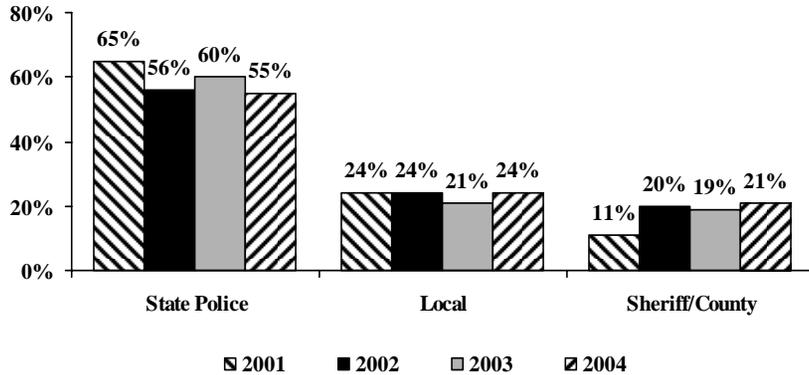
	2001	2002	2003	2004
Number of Persons Sentenced to Probation	66	53	53	68
Number of Persons on Probation*	496	274	206	223

* It should be noted that since the manner in which active probation cases were identified was adjusted in 2002, caution is advised when comparing the 2001 data with the data from later years.

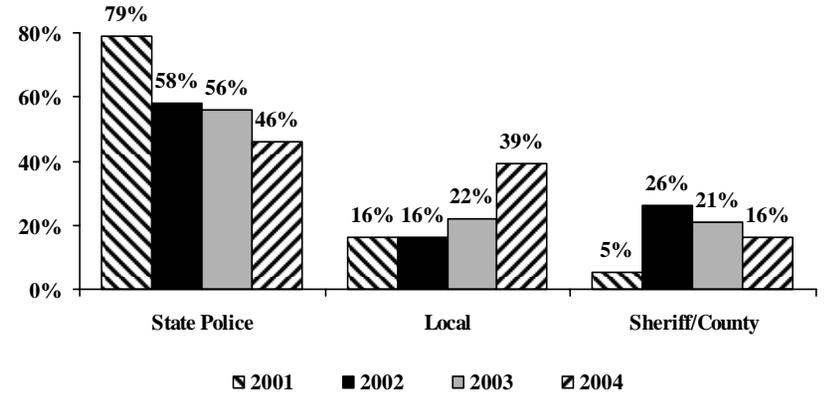
Source: NYS Division of Probation and Correctional Alternatives.

Putnam County V&T Tickets Issued by TSLE&D Agencies By Agency Type

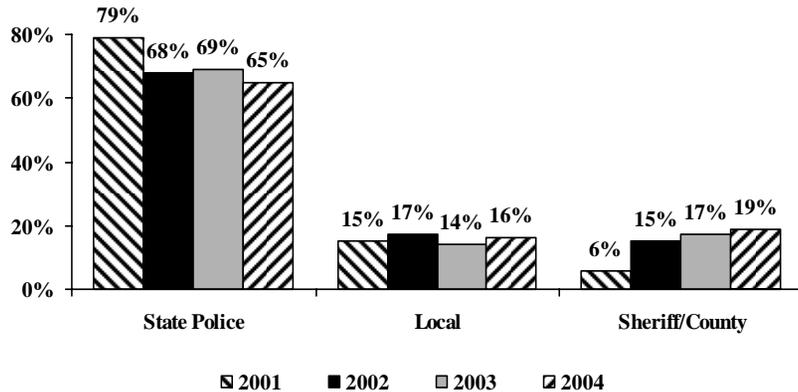
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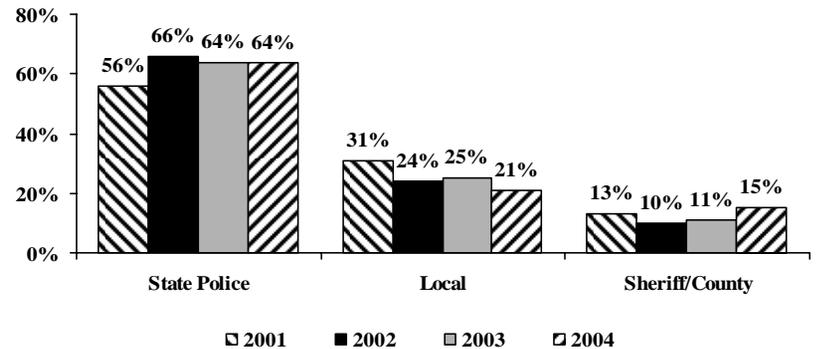
Seat Belt Tickets



Speed Tickets



Persons Ticketed for Impaired Driving



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TSLE&D Tickets Issued for Selected Violations by Enforcement Agency

Enforcement Agency		2001			2002			2003			2004		
		#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total
Putnam Sheriff NCIC 03900	alcohol	50	22.6	11.7	39	23.4	9.1	52	23.6	8.4	79	31.9	9.4
	speed	461	32.3	6.4	1,255	49.3	14.7	1,484	57.0	16.8	1,897	54.2	18.5
	seatbelt	71	24.8	5.0	572	63.9	25.8	375	50.5	21.4	314	29.7	15.8
Cold Spring Village P.D. NCIC 03920	alcohol	4	1.8	0.9	4	2.4	0.9	13	5.9	2.1	1	0.4	0.1
	speed	143	10.0	2.0	236	9.3	2.8	192	7.4	2.2	271	7.7	2.6
	seatbelt	30	10.5	2.1	54	6.0	2.4	45	6.1	2.6	66	6.3	3.3
Carmel Town P.D. NCIC 03950	alcohol	96	43.4	22.4	74	44.3	17.3	111	50.5	18.0	109	44.0	13.0
	speed	522	36.6	7.2	732	28.7	8.6	742	28.5	8.4	1,004	28.7	9.8
	seatbelt	110	38.5	7.8	108	12.1	4.9	161	21.7	9.2	483	45.7	24.3
Town of Kent P.D. NCIC 03951	alcohol	71	32.1	16.6	50	29.9	11.7	44	20.0	7.1	59	23.8	7.0
	speed	302	21.1	4.2	325	12.8	3.8	185	7.1	2.1	326	9.3	3.2
	seatbelt	75	26.2	5.3	161	18.0	7.3	161	21.7	9.2	193	18.3	9.7
Totals by Agency Type													
Sheriff and Local	alcohol	221		51.6	167		39.1	220		35.7	248		29.6
	speed	1,428		19.8	2,548		29.9	2,603		29.4	3,498		34.2
	seatbelt	286		20.2	895		40.4	742		42.4	1,056		53.1
State Police	alcohol	204		47.7	252		59.0	381		61.8	585		69.8
	speed	5,693		78.8	5,825		68.4	6,123		69.3	6,682		65.3
	seatbelt	1,124		79.5	1,292		58.3	983		56.2	908		45.7
Other incl. Park Police	alcohol	3		0.7	8		1.9	16		2.6	5		0.6
	speed	106		1.5	144		1.7	115		1.3	59		0.6
	seatbelt	3		0.2	29		1.3	25		1.4	25		1.3
County Totals													
	alcohol	428			427			617			838		
	speed	7,227			8,517			8,841			10,239		
	seatbelt	1,413			2,216			1,750			1,989		

Source: NYSDMV