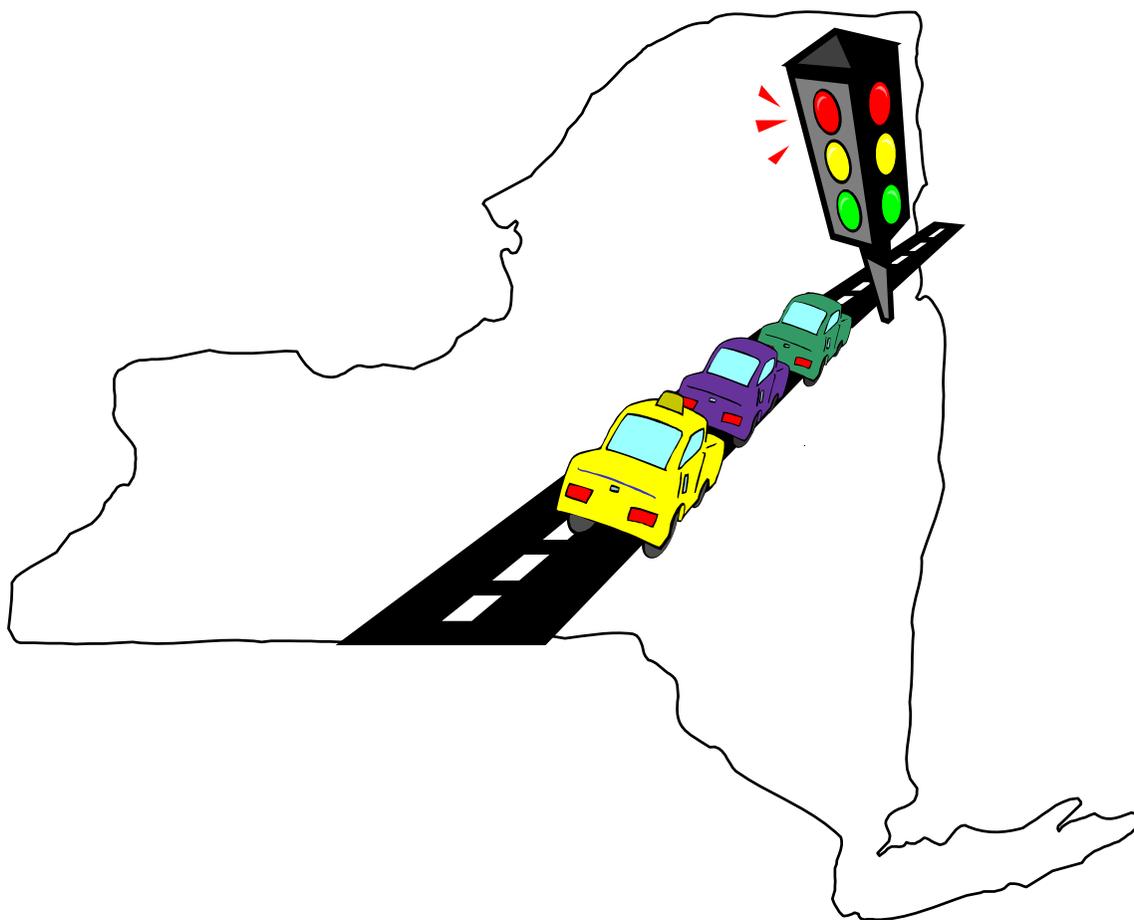


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This document provides various crash and ticket data for the county. Ticket data are presented for the years 2003-2006. Two summary reports provide detailed crash data for 2006. The first summary provides data for all crashes, and a second summary provides similar data for alcohol-related crashes. Caution is advised in interpreting the data in cases where the numbers are very small. For assistance in using the data in this document or to request additional information, please contact

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SECTION 1

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

2006 Putnam County

Category Totals	All Accidents	Police Reported
Total Accidents	2,157†	1,720†
Fatal Accidents	13	13
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	846	786
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	1,298†	921†
Vehicles	3,484	2,826
Drivers Involved	3,366	2,744
Vehicle Occupants	4,712	3,925
Special Accident Series		
Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	22	22
Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	3
Motorcycle Accidents	42	38
Fatalities		
Persons Killed (1)	15	15
Drivers Killed	9	9
Passengers Killed	6	6
Pedestrians Killed	0	0
Bicyclists Killed	0	0
Other	0	0
Non-Fatal Injuries		
Persons Injured (1)	1,165	1,095
Drivers Injured	867	808
Passengers Injured	275	265
Pedestrians Injured	19	19
Bicyclists Injured	3	3
Other	1	0

† It is important to note that the data for 2006 are not strictly comparable to the data for previous years. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006 with respect to property damage crashes have increased the total number of crashes, since the changes resulted in more 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.

	Number	Percent
Total	1,720	100.0
Fatal (K) Accidents	13	0.8
Personal Injury Accidents		
Serious (A)	99	5.8
Moderate (B)	181	10.5
Minor (C)	490	28.5
Unknown Severity	16	0.9
Property Damage (O) Accidents	921	53.5

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	2,157	110	102	310	263	352	467	336	141	76
Sunday										
<i>Total</i>	272	29	22	16	37	49	44	41	24	10
Fatal	3	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	93	6	9	6	15	20	17	11	8	1
Property Damage	176	23	12	10	21	28	27	30	16	9
Monday										
<i>Total</i>	278	4	13	63	27	44	63	34	16	14
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	103	1	4	28	14	19	22	8	5	2
Property Damage	175	3	9	35	13	25	41	26	11	12
Tuesday										
<i>Total</i>	304	10	9	47	35	46	72	55	13	17
Fatal	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Personal Injury	117	5	2	19	16	20	28	20	6	1
Property Damage	185	5	7	28	19	25	44	34	7	16
Wednesday										
<i>Total</i>	315	11	5	59	40	53	76	49	14	8
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	133	1	4	23	25	17	34	21	7	1
Property Damage	182	10	1	36	15	36	42	28	7	7
Thursday										
<i>Total</i>	357	16	20	57	42	51	77	62	23	9
Fatal	3	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Personal Injury	152	5	8	25	19	27	31	27	10	0
Property Damage	202	11	11	32	23	23	45	35	13	9
Friday										
<i>Total</i>	329	11	12	43	38	51	88	55	20	11
Fatal	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Personal Injury	125	6	4	16	13	22	36	19	8	1
Property Damage	203	5	8	27	25	29	52	35	12	10
Saturday										
<i>Total</i>	302	29	21	25	44	58	47	40	31	7
Fatal	4	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Personal Injury	123	12	14	8	16	22	24	17	10	0
Property Damage	175	17	7	16	27	35	22	23	21	7

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TABLE 4(P) Police Investigating Agency					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	1,720	100.0	13	786	921
State Police	835	48.5	6	328	501
County Police	482	28.0	3	200	279
New York City Police (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	403	23.4	4	258	141
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	2,157	100.0	13	846	1,298
State Routes	920	42.7	5	404	511
County Routes	281	13.0	1	105	175
Town Routes	348	16.1	5	125	218
Municipal Streets	35	1.6	0	9	26
Parkways	218	10.1	2	81	135
Thruway	9	0.4	0	5	4
Other Interstates	304	14.1	0	107	197
Unknown	42	1.9	0	10	32

TABLE 6 Manner of Collision					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	2,157	100.0	13	846	1,298
Single Vehicle Accidents	974	45.2	6	344	624
Two Vehicle Accidents	1,068	49.5	3	429	636
3 or More Vehicle Accidents	115	5.3	4	73	38

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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	1,720	100.0	13	786	921
Accidents With No Factor Reported	23	1.3	1	5	17
Accidents With One or More Factors Reported	1,697	98.7	12	781	904
Accidents With Human Factors	1,420	82.6	12	704	704
Aggressive Driving/Road Rage	2	0.1	0	2	0
Alcohol Involvement*	83	4.8	1	43	39
Backing Unsafely	41	2.4	0	4	37
Cell Phone (hand held)	6	0.3	0	2	4
Cell Phone (hands free)	1	0.1	0	1	0
Driver Inattention/Distraction	172	10.0	0	81	91
Driver Inexperience	34	2.0	0	19	15
Drugs (Illegal)	2	0.1	0	1	1
Failure to Keep Right	39	2.3	4	27	8
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	185	10.8	0	105	80
Fatigued/Drowsy	8	0.5	0	3	5
Fell Asleep	49	2.8	0	30	19
Following Too Closely	354	20.6	1	169	184
Illness	5	0.3	0	3	2
Lost Consciousness	6	0.3	0	6	0
Other Electronic Device	0	0.0	0	0	0
Outside Car Distraction	5	0.3	0	4	1
Passenger Distraction	5	0.3	0	2	3
Passing or Lane Usage Improper	142	8.3	3	64	75
Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Other Ped Error/Confusion	11	0.6	0	11	0
Physical Disability	0	0.0	0	0	0
Prescription Medication	3	0.2	0	2	1
Reaction to Other Uninvolved Vehicle	64	3.7	0	33	31
Traffic Control Disregarded	46	2.7	1	22	23
Turning Improperly	39	2.3	0	16	23
Unsafe Lane Changing	57	3.3	0	15	42
Unsafe Speed*	434	25.2	7	227	200
Other Human	18	1.0	1	9	8
Accidents With Vehicular Factors	65	3.8	0	22	43
Accelerator Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Brakes Defective	12	0.7	0	9	3
Driverless/Runaway Vehicle	2	0.1	0	0	2
Headlights Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Lighting Defects	0	0.0	0	0	0
Oversized Vehicle	1	0.1	0	0	1
Steering Failure	4	0.2	0	4	0
Tire Failure/Inadequate	22	1.3	0	5	17
Tow Hitch Defective	3	0.2	0	0	3
Windshield Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Vehicular	22	1.3	0	5	17
Accidents With Environmental Factors	486	28.3	1	201	284
Animal's Action	145	8.4	0	23	122
Glare	19	1.1	1	13	5
Lane Marking Improper/Inadequate	1	0.1	0	0	1
Obstruction/Debris	40	2.3	0	13	27
Pavement Defective	3	0.2	0	2	1
Pavement Slippery	248	14.4	0	132	116
Shoulders Defective/Improper	3	0.2	0	1	2
Traffic Control Device Improper/Non-Working	0	0.0	0	0	0
View Obstructed/Limited	41	2.4	0	23	18
Other Environmental	1	0.1	0	0	1

* 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	3,366	100.0	24	1,417	1,925
Male	1,962	58.3	17	782	1,163
Under 16	1	<0.1	0	1	0
16 - 17	90	2.7	1	45	44
18 - 20	140	4.2	1	63	76
21 - 24	196	5.8	2	86	108
25 - 29	159	4.7	1	60	98
30 - 34	172	5.1	1	66	105
35 - 39	207	6.1	2	78	127
40 - 44	243	7.2	1	92	150
45 - 49	199	5.9	1	67	131
50 - 54	170	5.1	1	69	100
55 - 59	125	3.7	2	42	81
60 - 64	89	2.6	0	45	44
65 - 69	58	1.7	2	24	32
70 - 74	37	1.1	0	14	23
75 - 79	28	0.8	0	16	12
80 and Over	40	1.2	2	11	27
Unknown Age	8	0.2	0	3	5
Female	1,290	38.3	7	612	671
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	82	2.4	0	44	38
18 - 20	111	3.3	1	61	49
21 - 24	132	3.9	0	56	76
25 - 29	126	3.7	1	61	64
30 - 34	87	2.6	0	40	47
35 - 39	103	3.1	0	53	50
40 - 44	134	4.0	0	68	66
45 - 49	138	4.1	5	62	71
50 - 54	127	3.8	0	61	66
55 - 59	84	2.5	0	36	48
60 - 64	48	1.4	0	21	27
65 - 69	45	1.3	0	21	24
70 - 74	28	0.8	0	13	15
75 - 79	26	0.8	0	8	18
80 and Over	16	0.5	0	7	9
Unknown Age	3	0.1	0	0	3
Unknown Gender	114	3.4	0	23	91

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TABLE 9 Persons Killed or Injured by Age Group				
Age Group	Total Persons		Persons	
	Number	Percent	Killed	Injured
Total	1,180	100.0	15	1,165
Under 5	6	0.5	0	6
5 - 9	13	1.1	0	13
10 - 13	21	1.8	1	20
14 - 17	118	10.0	1	117
18 - 20	123	10.4	2	121
21 - 24	128	10.8	1	127
25 - 29	104	8.8	2	102
30 - 34	60	5.1	0	60
35 - 39	92	7.8	0	92
40 - 44	116	9.8	1	115
45 - 49	111	9.4	2	109
50 - 54	86	7.3	0	86
55 - 59	53	4.5	0	53
60 - 64	50	4.2	1	49
65 - 69	27	2.3	1	26
70 - 74	26	2.2	0	26
75 - 79	19	1.6	0	19
80 and Over	23	1.9	3	20
Unknown Age	4	0.3	0	4

TABLE 9.1 Pedestrians Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Pedestrians	
	Killed	Injured
Total	0	19
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	1
10 - 13	0	1
14 - 17	0	3
18 - 20	0	2
21 - 24	0	2
25 - 29	0	1
30 - 34	0	0
35 - 39	0	2
40 - 44	0	0
45 - 49	0	4
50 - 54	0	2
55 - 59	0	0
60 - 64	0	0
65 - 69	0	0
70 - 74	0	1
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	3
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	1
35 - 39	0	0
40 - 44	0	0
45 - 49	0	1
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	3,880	100.0	15	95	197	734	5	2,834
No Restraint Used	112	2.9	6	15	19	27	0	45
Air Bag Deployed	20	0.5	1	2	2	6	0	9
with Child Restraint	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Harness	8	0.2	0	4	1	2	0	1
with Lap Belt	10	0.3	0	0	2	3	0	5
with Lap Belt & Harness	324	8.4	3	20	58	138	0	105
Child Restraint Only	104	2.7	0	0	1	4	0	99
Harness	16	0.4	1	1	1	5	0	8
Lap Belt	63	1.6	0	3	0	8	2	50
Lap Belt & Harness	3,094	79.7	4	46	111	522	3	2,408
Other	1	<0.1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Unknown	128	3.3	0	4	2	18	0	104
Motorcyclists	45	100.0	0	13	13	16	0	3
No Helmet Used	4	8.9	0	1	1	2	0	0
Helmet Used	35	77.8	0	11	10	13	0	1
Unknown	6	13.3	0	1	2	1	0	2
Bicyclists	3	100.0	0	1	2	0	0	0
No Helmet Used	1	33.3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Helmet Used	1	33.3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Unknown	1	33.3	0	0	1	0	0	0

SECTION 2

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
Summary of Alcohol-Related Motor Vehicle Accidents**

Putnam County 2006

TABLE 1(P) Alcohol-Related (A-R) Accidents	
Category Totals	Police Reported
Total Accidents	85†
Fatal Accidents	2
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	44
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	39†
Vehicles	131
Drivers Involved	117
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	83
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	34
Vehicle Occupants	170
Special A-R Accident Series	
A-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0
A-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0
A-R Motorcycle Accidents	1
Fatalities	
Persons Killed (1)	3
Drivers Killed	1
Passengers Killed	2
Pedestrians Killed	0
Bicyclists Killed	0
Other	0
Non-Fatal Injuries	
Persons Injured (1)	58
Drivers Injured	43
Passengers Injured	15
Pedestrians Injured	0
Bicyclists Injured	0
Other	0
† It is important to note that the data for 2006 are not strictly comparable to the data for previous years. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006 with respect to property damage crashes have increased the total number of crashes, since the changes resulted in more 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	85	100.0
Fatal (K) Accidents	2	2.4
Personal Injury Accidents		
Serious (A)	5	5.9
Moderate (B)	23	27.1
Minor (C)	14	16.5
Unknown Severity	2	2.4
Property Damage (O) Accidents	39	45.9

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	85	21	12	3	1	5	11	17	14	1
Sunday										
Total	14	4	4	0	0	1	1	2	2	0
Fatal	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	6	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Property Damage	7	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0
Monday										
Total	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuesday										
Total	4	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Property Damage	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Wednesday										
Total	11	4	0	0	0	1	2	2	2	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	5	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0
Property Damage	6	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Thursday										
Total	14	5	1	0	1	0	2	3	2	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0
Property Damage	6	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
Friday										
Total	16	5	1	2	0	1	1	4	2	0
Fatal	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Personal Injury	8	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0
Property Damage	7	2	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	0
Saturday										
Total	22	3	4	0	0	2	2	6	5	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	12	2	3	0	0	1	1	4	1	0
Property Damage	10	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	4	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	85	100.0	2	44	39
State Police	37	43.5	1	12	24
County Police	27	31.8	0	18	9
New York City Police (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	21	24.7	1	14	6
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	85	100.0	2	44	39
State Routes	44	51.8	1	25	18
County Routes	13	15.3	0	8	5
Town Routes	15	17.6	1	4	10
Municipal Streets	2	2.4	0	2	0
Parkways	5	5.9	0	1	4
Thruway	2	2.4	0	2	0
Other Interstates	3	3.5	0	2	1
Unknown	1	1.2	0	0	1

TABLE 6(P) Manner of Collision					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	85	100.0	2	44	39
Single Vehicle Accidents	52	61.2	1	24	27
Two Vehicle Accidents	27	31.8	1	17	9
3 or More Vehicle Accidents	6	7.1	0	3	3

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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	85	100.0	2	44	39
Accidents With No Factor Reported	1	1.2	0	1	0
Accidents With One or More Factors Reported	84	98.8	2	43	39
Accidents With Human Factors	84	98.8	2	43	39
Aggressive Driving/Road Rage	0	0.0	0	0	0
Alcohol Involvement	83	97.6	1	43	39
Backing Unsafely	1	1.2	0	0	1
Cell Phone (hand held)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Cell Phone (hands free)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driver Inattention/Distraction	4	4.7	0	3	1
Driver Inexperience	0	0.0	0	0	0
Drugs (Illegal)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Failure to Keep Right	3	3.5	0	2	1
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	4	4.7	0	4	0
Fatigued/Drowsy	1	1.2	0	0	1
Fell Asleep	1	1.2	0	1	0
Following Too Closely	4	4.7	0	2	2
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	15	17.6	1	6	8
Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Other Ped Error/Confusion	0	0.0	0	0	0
Physical Disability	0	0.0	0	0	0
Prescription Medication	1	1.2	0	1	0
Reaction to Other Uninvolved Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Traffic Control Disregarded	6	7.1	0	4	2
Turning Improperly	1	1.2	0	0	1
Unsafe Lane Changing	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unsafe Speed	33	38.8	2	15	16
Other Human	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accidents With Vehicular Factors	1	1.2	0	1	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	1	1.2	0	1	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	1	1.2	0	0	1
Animal's Action	1	1.2	0	0	1
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	0	0.0	0	0	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	0	0.0	0	0	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	117	100.0	34	100.0	83	100.0	2	44	37
Male	93	79.5	22	64.7	71	85.5	2	40	29
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	3	2.6	2	5.9	1	1.2	0	1	0
18 - 20	6	5.1	0	0.0	6	7.2	0	2	4
21 - 24	11	9.4	2	5.9	9	10.8	1	6	2
25 - 29	9	7.7	3	8.8	6	7.2	0	4	2
30 - 34	11	9.4	4	11.8	7	8.4	0	4	3
35 - 39	13	11.1	2	5.9	11	13.3	0	3	8
40 - 44	12	10.3	5	14.7	7	8.4	1	4	2
45 - 49	10	8.5	1	2.9	9	10.8	0	6	3
50 - 54	9	7.7	0	0.0	9	10.8	0	7	2
55 - 59	1	0.9	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	1	0
60 - 64	3	2.6	1	2.9	2	2.4	0	1	1
65 - 69	3	2.6	1	2.9	2	2.4	0	1	1
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
75 - 79	2	1.7	1	2.9	1	1.2	0	0	1
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	21	17.9	9	26.5	12	14.5	0	4	8
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	1	0.9	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	1	0
18 - 20	1	0.9	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	0	1
21 - 24	5	4.3	2	5.9	3	3.6	0	1	2
25 - 29	2	1.7	0	0.0	2	2.4	0	0	2
30 - 34	1	0.9	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	0	1
35 - 39	3	2.6	2	5.9	1	1.2	0	1	0
40 - 44	1	0.9	1	2.9	0	0.0	0	0	0
45 - 49	3	2.6	1	2.9	2	2.4	0	1	1
50 - 54	2	1.7	2	5.9	0	0.0	0	0	0
55 - 59	1	0.9	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	0	1
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	1	0.9	1	2.9	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
Unknown Gender	3	2.6	3	8.8	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	61	100.0	3	58
Under 5	0	0.0	0	0
5 - 9	0	0.0	0	0
10 - 13	1	1.6	0	1
14 - 17	8	13.1	0	8
18 - 20	2	3.3	0	2
21 - 24	11	18.0	0	11
25 - 29	8	13.1	2	6
30 - 34	5	8.2	0	5
35 - 39	4	6.6	0	4
40 - 44	7	11.5	1	6
45 - 49	8	13.1	0	8
50 - 54	4	6.6	0	4
55 - 59	0	0.0	0	0
60 - 64	1	1.6	0	1
65 - 69	0	0.0	0	0
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0
75 - 79	1	1.6	0	1
80 and Over	0	0.0	0	0
Unknown Age	1	1.6	0	1

TABLE 9.1 Pedestrians Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Pedestrians	
	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.

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	168	100.0	3	8	24	24	2	107
No Restraint Used	12	7.1	2	3	4	1	0	2
Air Bag Deployed	3	1.8	1	1	1	0	0	0
with Child Restraint	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Harness	1	0.6	0	0	0	0	0	1
with Lap Belt	2	1.2	0	0	1	0	0	1
with Lap Belt & Harness	29	17.3	0	1	8	10	0	10
Child Restraint Only	1	0.6	0	0	0	0	0	1
Harness	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lap Belt	4	2.4	0	0	0	0	2	2
Lap Belt & Harness	105	62.5	0	2	10	13	0	80
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	11	6.5	0	1	0	0	0	10
Motorcyclists	2	100.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	2	100.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
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

SECTION 3

PUTNAM COUNTY

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

Jurisdiction	Pop.	%	Miles	%	Pop./ Mile	2004			2005			2006			
						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	1.28	267	1.3	1.34	255	1.2	1.39	
Kent	14,470	14.4	138.6	16.7	104.4	102	0.7	1.41	93	0.7	1.36	87	0.6	1.49	
Patterson	11,911	11.8	102.1	12.3	116.7	74	0.7	1.52	70	0.7	1.50	70	0.7	1.48	
Philipstown	7,243	7.2	94.0	11.3	77.1	70	0.7	1.42	73	0.8	1.65	61	0.6	1.52	
Putnam Valley	11,225	11.2	132.2	16.0	84.9	116	0.9	1.35	114	0.9	1.49	129	1.0	1.46	
Southeast	16,253	16.2	135.4	16.3	120.0	236	1.7	1.32	229	1.7	1.41	224	1.7	1.43	
Villages															
Brewster	2,173	2.2	5.5	0.7	395.1	39	7.1	1.29	17	3.1	1.21	22	4.0	1.27	
Cold Spring	2,010	2.0	7.8	0.9	257.7	4	0.5	1.71	6	0.8	1.71	5	0.6	1.22	
Nelsonville	581	0.6	3.3	0.4	176.1	3	0.9	1.67	7	2.1	1.38	3	0.9	1.33	
Other															
unknown	na	na	na	na	na	2	na	na	4	na	na	3	na	na	
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Putnam County Total	100,570		828.3		121.4	913	1.1	1.35	880	1.1	1.42	859	1.0	1.43	
New York State	19,227,088		113342.8		169.6	156,349	1.4	1.27	147,951	1.3	1.28	139,641	1.2	1.28	

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

SECTION 4

PUTNAM COUNTY

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

	2003	2004	2005	2006
	K&A Occupants % n=96	K&A Occupants % n=82	K&A Occupants % n=116	K&A Occupants % n=110
No restraint used	13.5	17.1	12.1	21.8
Restraint used	79.2	81.7	81.9	74.5
Restraint use unspecified	7.3	1.2	6.0	3.6

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

Source: NYSDMV AIS Data Base.

SECTION 5

PUTNAM COUNTY

TSLED TICKETS ISSUED AND CONVICTION RATES FOR SELECTED V&T VIOLATIONS

VIOLATION	2003	2004	2005	2006
SPEED (V&T 1180)	8,841	10,239	10,138	9,716
% of total tickets	43.1	41.5	40.9	36.6
% convicted on same charge	28.1	31.1	30.1	24.9
SAFETY RESTRAINTS (V&T 1229c)	1,750	1,989	2,110	2,071
% of total tickets	8.5	8.1	8.5	7.8
% convicted on same charge	63.8	66.0	71.0	59.9
IMPAIRED DRIVING (V&T 1192)	617	838	762	764
% of total tickets	3.0	3.4	3.1	2.9
PERSONS ARRESTED*	465	508	476	470
% arrested as result of patrol activity**	86.5	87.2	87.6	82.1
% arrested as result of crash	12.7	11.4	10.9	14.9
% arrested as result of <i>other means</i> ***	0.9	1.4	1.5	3.0
TOTAL TICKETS FOR ALL V&T VIOLATIONS	20,520	24,665	24,812	26,571

* 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, unknown

Source: NYSDMV TSLED ticket system.

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Adjudication Status of Impaired Driving Cases & Conviction Rates TSLED Agencies

	2003	2004	2005	2006
Persons Arrested	(N=465)	(N=508)	(N=476)	(N=470)
Case adjudicated	83.9%	91.3%	90.5%	77.7%
Case pending	16.1%	8.7%	9.5%	22.3%
Disposition of Adjudicated Cases*	(N=390)	(N=464)	(N=431)	(N=365)
<i>Convicted on Alcohol Charge</i>	94.9%	94.8%	93.2%	94.5%
Convicted on original alcohol charge	22.6%	29.3%	32.9%	27.1%
Convicted on reduced alcohol charge	60.5%	60.1%	57.1%	61.4%
Convicted on other alcohol charge	11.8%	5.4%	3.2%	6.0%
<i>Convicted on Non-Alcohol Charge</i>	1.3%	2.4%	0.9%	1.6%
<i>Dismissed/Acquitted/Convicted on charge associated with different event</i>	3.8%	2.8%	5.9%	3.9%
* 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 TSLED.

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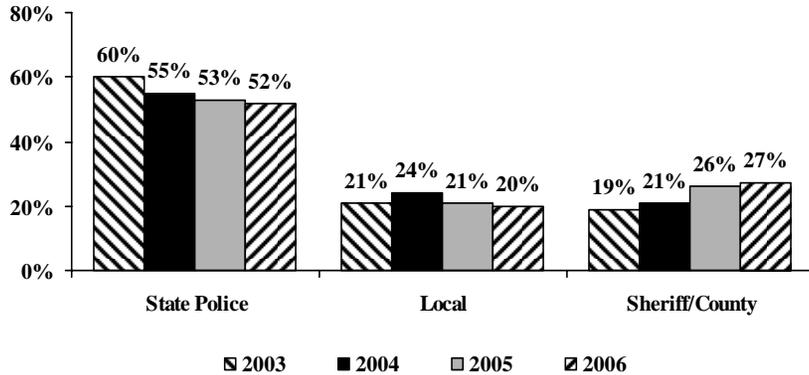
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	2003	2004	2005	2006
Number of Persons Sentenced to Probation	53	68	59	63
Number of Persons on Probation	206	223	208	211

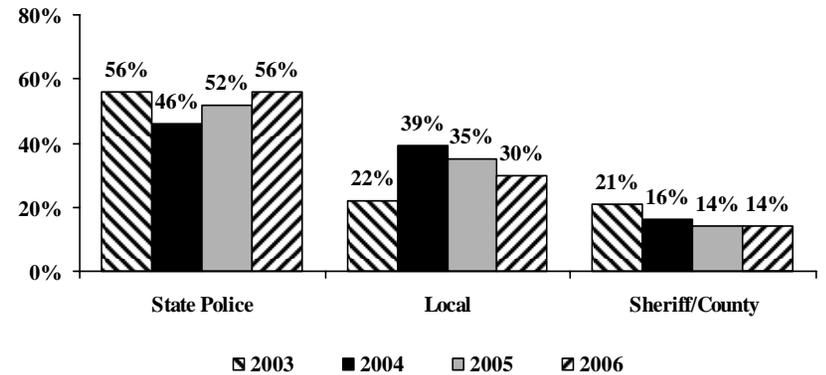
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Putnam County V&T Tickets Issued by TSLED Agencies By Agency Type

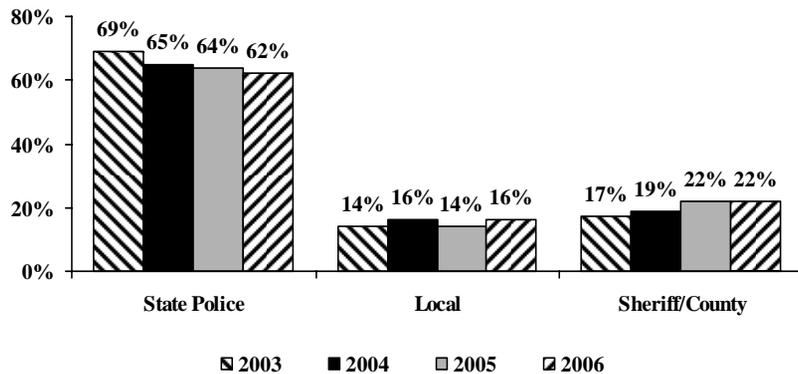
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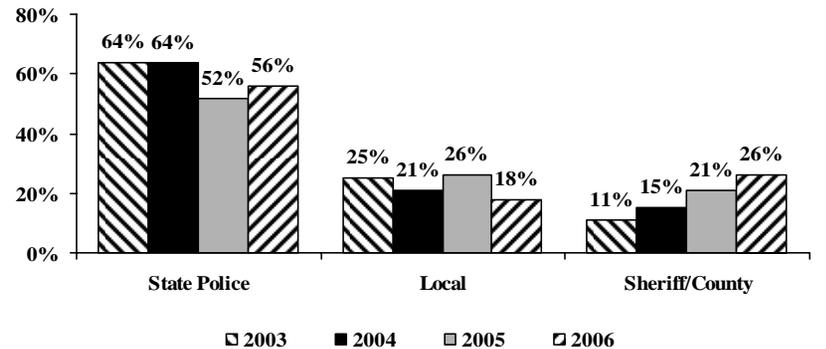
Seat Belt Tickets



Speed Tickets



Persons Ticketed for Impaired Driving



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TSLED Tickets Issued for Selected Violations by Enforcement Agency

Enforcement Agency		2003			2004			2005			2006		
		#	% 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	52	23.6	8.4	79	31.9	9.4	129	39.8	16.9	167	57.4	21.9
	speed	1,484	57.0	16.8	1,897	54.2	18.5	2,206	64.1	21.8	2,111	62.4	21.7
	seatbelt	375	50.5	21.4	314	29.7	15.8	286	28.7	13.6	283	31.8	13.7
Cold Spring Village P.D. NCIC 03920	alcohol	13	5.9	2.1	1	0.4	0.1	2	0.6	0.3	2	0.7	0.3
	speed	192	7.4	2.2	271	7.7	2.6	627	18.2	6.2	390	11.5	4.0
	seatbelt	45	6.1	2.6	66	6.3	3.3	91	9.1	4.3	51	5.7	2.5
Carmel Town P.D. NCIC 03950	alcohol	111	50.5	18.0	109	44.0	13.0	116	35.8	15.2	68	23.4	8.9
	speed	742	28.5	8.4	1,004	28.7	9.8	262	7.6	2.6	466	13.8	4.8
	seatbelt	161	21.7	9.2	483	45.7	24.3	444	44.5	21.0	330	37.1	15.9
Town of Kent P.D. NCIC 03951	alcohol	44	20.0	7.1	59	23.8	7.0	77	23.8	10.1	54	18.6	7.1
	speed	185	7.1	2.1	326	9.3	3.2	349	10.1	3.4	414	12.2	4.3
	seatbelt	161	21.7	9.2	193	18.3	9.7	177	17.7	8.4	226	25.4	10.9
Totals by Agency Type													
Sheriff and Local	alcohol	220		35.7	248		29.6	324		42.5	291		38.1
	speed	2,603		29.4	3,498		34.2	3,444		34.0	3,381		34.8
	seatbelt	742		42.4	1,056		53.1	998		47.3	890		43.0
State Police	alcohol	381		61.8	585		69.8	430		56.4	470		61.5
	speed	6,123		69.3	6,682		65.3	6,495		64.1	6,067		62.4
	seatbelt	983		56.2	908		45.7	1,096		51.9	1,165		56.3
Other incl. Park Police	alcohol	16		2.6	5		0.6	8		1.0	3		0.4
	speed	115		1.3	59		0.6	199		2.0	268		2.8
	seatbelt	25		1.4	25		1.3	16		0.8	16		0.8
County Totals													
	alcohol	617			838			762			764		
	speed	8,841			10,239			10,138			9,716		
	seatbelt	1,750			1,989			2,110			2,071		

Source: NYSDMV