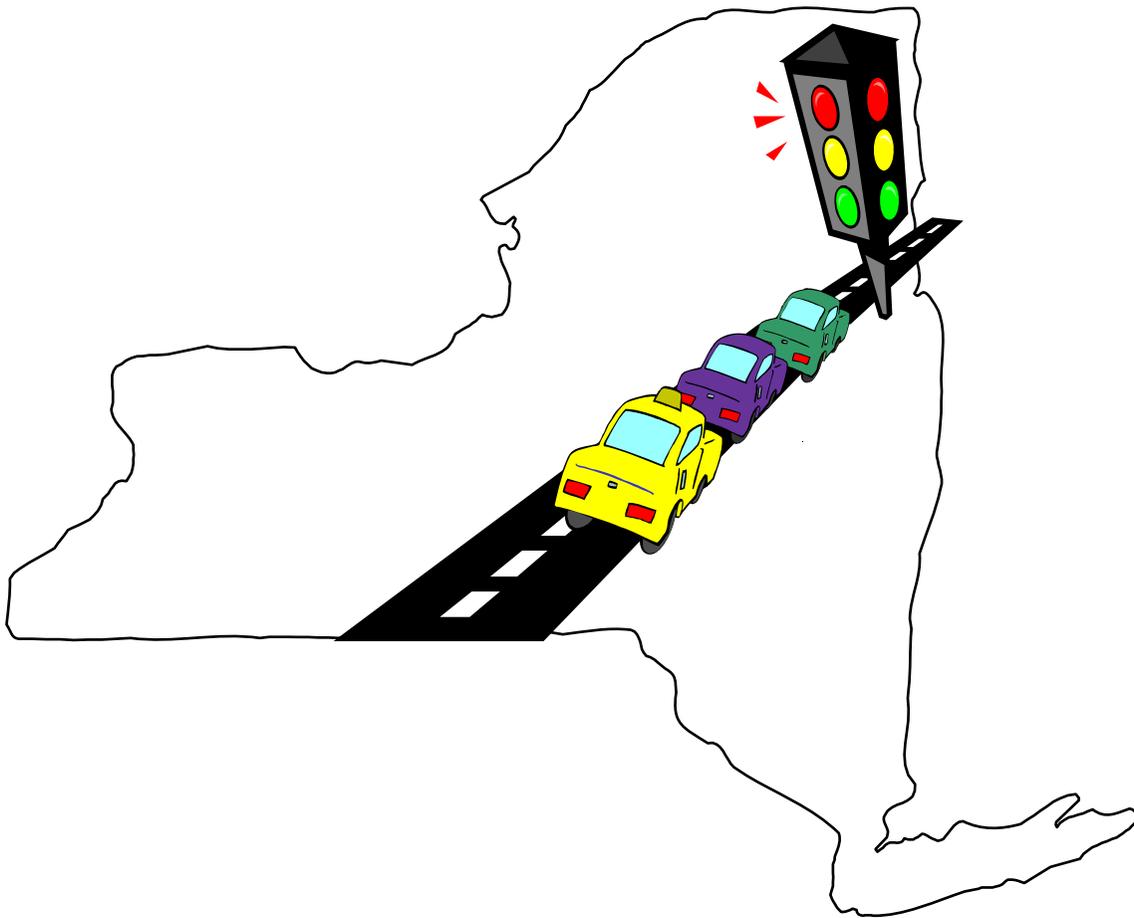


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COUNTY TRAFFIC SAFETY DATA

This document provides various accident and ticket data for the county. Ticket data are presented for the years 2005-2007. Four summary reports provide detailed accident data for the three years 2005-2007. The four accident reports provide data for 1) all accidents, 2) alcohol-related accidents, 3) speed-related accidents, and 4) motorcycle accidents. 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

General Accident Summary Report

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
Motor Vehicle Accidents[†]**

Franklin County

TABLE 1 Accident Summary Totals									
Category Totals	2005			2006			2007		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
Total Accidents	636	225,848	0.3	966	270,700	0.4	1,160	323,106	0.4
Fatal Accidents	7	1,308	0.5	4	1,330	0.3	2	1,220	0.2
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	296	146,643	0.2	325	138,311	0.2	341	139,117	0.2
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	333	77,897	0.4	637	131,059	0.5	817	182,769	0.4
Manner of Collision									
Single Vehicle Accidents	372	66,419	0.6	578	83,588	0.7	684	103,286	0.7
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	264	159,429	0.2	388	187,112	0.2	476	219,820	0.2
Special Accident Series									
Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	16	15,703	0.1	14	15,702	0.1	17	15,701	0.1
Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	10	5,807	0.2	6	5,565	0.1	3	5,535	0.1
Motorcycle Accidents	26	4,892	0.5	29	4,912	0.6	27	5,426	0.5
Fatalities									
Persons Killed (1)	9	1,410	0.6	5	1,433	0.3	3	1,317	0.2
Drivers Killed	7	770	0.9	3	801	0.4	2	762	0.3
Passengers Killed	2	264	0.8	1	269	0.4	0	231	0.0
Pedestrians Killed	0	328	0.0	1	315	0.3	1	272	0.4
Bicyclists Killed	0	47	0.0	0	45	0.0	0	50	0.0
Other	0	1	0.0	0	3	0.0	0	2	0.0
Non-Fatal Injuries									
Persons Injured (1)	412	206,514	0.2	447	195,644	0.2	483	194,255	0.2
Drivers Injured	259	126,615	0.2	278	119,411	0.2	326	119,314	0.3
Passengers Injured	126	57,991	0.2	146	54,629	0.3	137	53,261	0.3
Pedestrians Injured	17	15,392	0.1	14	15,369	0.1	16	15,472	0.1
Bicyclists Injured	9	5,680	0.2	6	5,426	0.1	3	5,373	0.1
Other	1	836	0.1	3	809	0.4	1	835	0.1

[†] It is important to note that not all of the data for 2005-2007 are strictly comparable. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006 with respect to property damage (PDO) accidents have resulted in more PDOs being captured each year on the statewide Accident Information System (AIS) maintained by the NYS Department of Motor Vehicles, and thus an increase in the total number of accidents each year. Data related to fatal and personal injury accidents and to persons killed or injured are comparable as these data have not been affected by the DMV changes with respect to PDOs.

(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.

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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Motor Vehicle Accidents
Franklin County**

TABLE 1.1 Crash and Fatality & Injury Rates			
	2005	2006	2007
Crash Rates			
Crash Rate per 10,000 Population	124.63	189.53	229.94
Crash Rate per 10,000 Licensed Drivers	186.17	277.53	327.66
Fatality & Injury Rates			
Fatality & Injury Rate per 10,000 Population	82.50	88.68	96.33
Fatality & Injury Rate per 10,000 Licensed Drivers	123.23	129.86	137.28
Mean Severity of Injury (MSI)			
	1.58	1.42	1.38

TABLE 2 Day of Week/Time of Day: 2007						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
Total	1,160	127	315	402	275	41
Sunday	142	23	34	42	39	4
Monday	175	13	48	62	44	8
Tuesday	158	9	56	46	41	6
Wednesday	164	21	42	64	27	10
Thursday	156	18	41	61	32	4
Friday	195	13	58	78	39	7
Saturday	170	30	36	49	53	2

Note: 2007 data are similar to earlier years.

TABLE 3(P) Police Investigating Agency						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	412	100.0	798	100.0	1,004	100.0
State Police	344	83.5	631	79.1	706	70.3
County Police	2	0.5	8	1.0	36	3.6
New York City (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	66	16.0	159	19.9	262	26.1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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TABLE 4 Jurisdictional Road System						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total	636	100.0	966	100.0	1,160	100.0
State Routes	326	51.3	524	54.2	612	52.8
County Routes	81	12.7	139	14.4	178	15.3
Town Routes	117	18.4	177	18.3	169	14.6
Municipal Routes	86	13.5	91	9.4	113	9.7
Parkways	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Thruway	1	0.2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Other Interstates	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Unknown	25	3.9	34	3.5	88	7.6

TABLE 5 Driver Gender and Age						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Drivers	883	100.0	1,323	100.0	1,592	100.0
Male	512	58.0	752	56.8	913	57.3
Female	346	39.2	534	40.4	653	41.0
Unknown	25	2.8	37	2.8	26	1.6
Under Age 16	2	0.2	2	0.2	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	147	16.6	196	14.8	229	14.4
Ages 21-29	156	17.7	290	21.9	322	20.2
Ages 30-39	146	16.5	190	14.4	249	15.6
Ages 40-49	183	20.7	255	19.3	318	20.0
Ages 50-59	108	12.2	157	11.9	230	14.4
Ages 60-69	60	6.8	99	7.5	127	8.0
Ages 70 and Over	56	6.3	94	7.1	90	5.7
Unknown Age	25	2.8	40	3.0	27	1.7

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	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Accidents	412		798		1,004	
Alcohol Involvement*	32	7.8	53	6.6	56	5.6
Backing Unsafely	11	2.7	27	3.4	51	5.1
Driver Inattention/Distracted	50	12.1	91	11.4	97	9.7
Driver Inexperience	7	1.7	15	1.9	13	1.3
Failure to Keep Right	40	9.7	73	9.1	67	6.7
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	63	15.3	98	12.3	110	11.0
Following Too Closely	39	9.5	82	10.3	111	11.1
Passing/Lane Violations	26	6.3	42	5.3	49	4.9
Traffic Control Disregarded	8	1.9	10	1.3	19	1.9
Turning Improperly	6	1.5	24	3.0	40	4.0
Unsafe Speed*	116	28.2	183	22.9	278	27.7

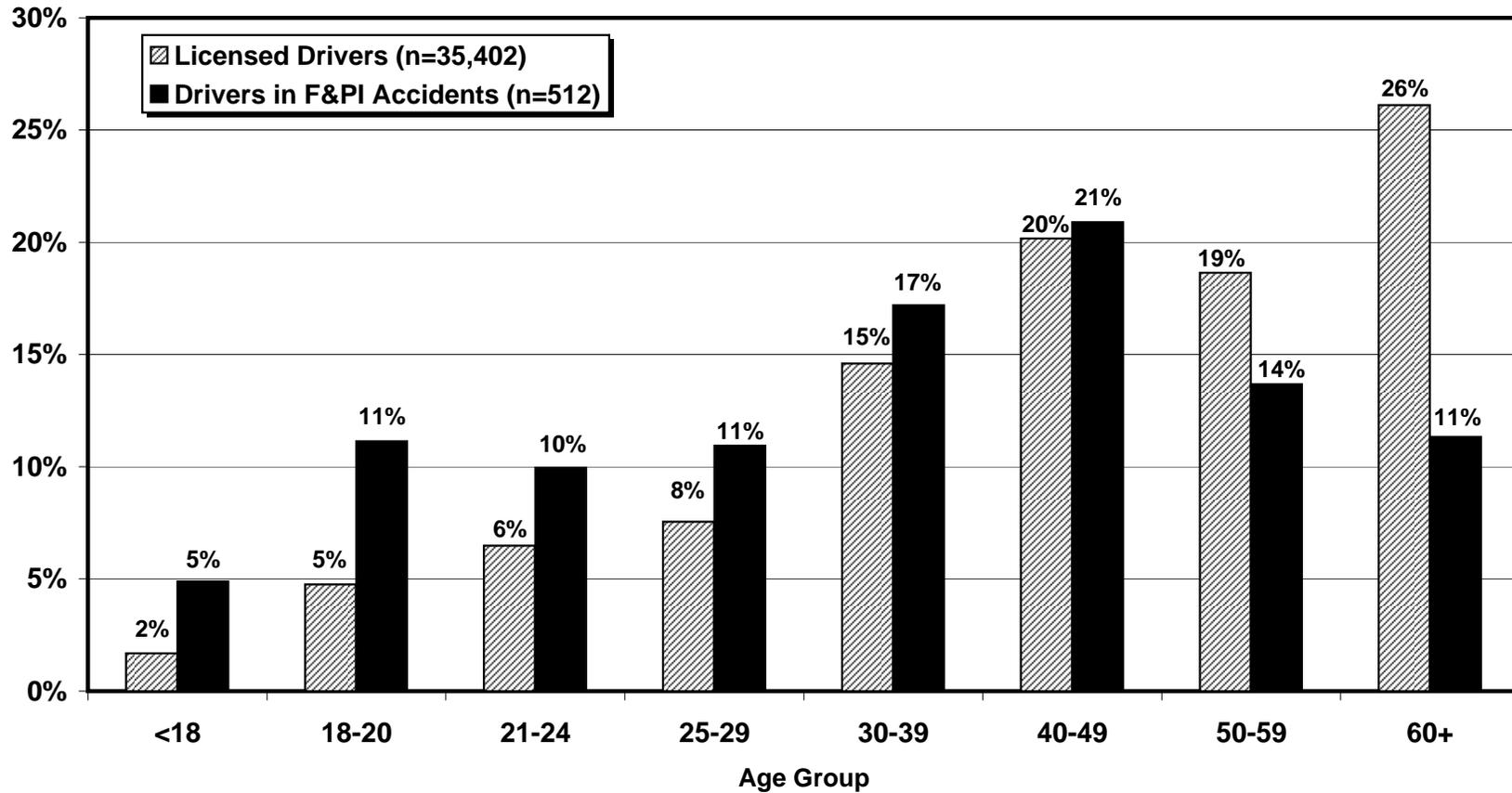
* These numbers represent the total number of accidents in which police checked "alcohol involvement" or "unsafe speed" as apparent contributing factors on police accident report form. They do not represent the total number of alcohol-related or speed-related accidents that occurred in the county. For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

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

Age Group	2006			2007		
	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike
Total	452	100.0	21	486	100.0	20
Under Age 4	2	0.4	0	6	1.2	0
Ages 4-6	6	1.3	1	3	0.6	0
Ages 7-15	32	7.1	5	31	6.4	4
Ages 16-17	33	7.3	1	22	4.5	1
Ages 18-20	53	11.7	5	61	12.6	3
Ages 21-29	113	25.0	3	94	19.3	2
Ages 30-39	45	10.0	0	69	14.2	3
Ages 40-49	65	14.4	2	83	17.1	2
Ages 50-59	51	11.3	3	57	11.7	2
Ages 60-69	24	5.3	0	20	4.1	1
Ages 70 and Over	26	5.8	1	37	7.6	2
Unknown Age	2	0.4	0	3	0.6	0

	2005		2006		2007	
	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%
Motor Vehicle Occupants	351	100.0	380	100.0	424	100.0
No Restraint Used	58	16.5	45	11.8	57	13.4
Restraint Used	282	80.3	325	85.5	361	85.1
Unknown	11	3.1	10	2.6	6	1.4
Motorcyclists	28	100.0	33	100.0	30	100.0
No Helmet Used	1	3.6	2	6.1	1	3.3
Helmet Used	27	96.4	30	90.9	29	96.7
Unknown	0	0.0	1	3.0	0	0.0
Bicyclists	9	100.0	6	100.0	3	100.0
No Helmet Used	4	44.4	3	50.0	2	66.7
Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Unknown	5	55.6	3	50.0	1	33.3

FIGURE 1
Franklin County 2007
Licensed Drivers and Drivers Involved in Fatal and Personal Injury Accidents
by Age Group



Note: In interpreting these data, any age group with a greater percentage of drivers involved in fatal and personal accidents than licensed drivers indicates that the drivers in that age group are overrepresented in fatal and personal accidents. 8 drivers in fatal and personal injury accidents were excluded due to unknown age.

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TABLE 9 Fatal & Personal Injury Crashes, Crash Rate per Roadway Mile, and Mean Severity of Injury (MSI) by County Jurisdiction															
Jurisdiction	Pop.	%	Miles	%	Pop./ Mile	2005			2006			2007			
						F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	
Towns															
Altamont (Tupper Lake)	2,184	4.3	49.8	3.5	43.9	7	0.1	1.44	9	0.2	2.14	4	0.1	1.33	
Bangor	2,249	4.4	69.6	4.9	32.3	15	0.2	1.85	17	0.2	1.52	18	0.3	1.68	
Bellmont	1,411	2.8	99.9	7.0	14.1	6	0.1	1.42	9	0.1	1.38	8	0.1	1.25	
Bombay	1,185	2.3	92.4	6.5	12.8	29	0.3	1.45	43	0.5	1.44	29	0.3	1.37	
Brandon	534	1.0	39.5	2.8	13.5	1	<0.1	1.00	2	0.1	1.00	2	0.1	1.33	
Brighton	1,655	3.2	43.0	3.0	38.5	6	0.1	1.86	9	0.2	1.82	7	0.2	1.33	
Burke	1,187	2.3	75.9	5.4	15.6	14	0.2	1.68	14	0.2	1.53	9	0.1	1.43	
Chateaugay	1,247	2.4	81.9	5.8	15.2	12	0.1	1.65	7	0.1	1.18	15	0.2	1.36	
Constable	1,490	2.9	54.9	3.9	27.1	9	0.2	2.23	11	0.2	1.67	6	0.1	1.20	
Dickinson	730	1.4	63.1	4.4	11.6	3	<0.1	1.00	6	0.1	1.25	6	0.1	1.50	
Duane	157	0.3	39.0	2.7	4.0	4	0.1	1.40	6	0.2	1.10	5	0.1	1.20	
Fort Covington	1,624	3.2	62.2	4.4	26.1	17	0.3	1.85	7	0.1	1.38	13	0.2	1.52	
Franklin	1,219	2.4	111.0	7.8	11.0	6	0.1	2.63	12	0.1	1.37	4	<0.1	2.20	
Harrietstown	1,889	3.7	67.9	4.8	27.8	20	0.3	1.62	23	0.3	1.52	17	0.3	1.40	
Malone	8,839	17.3	144.9	10.2	61.0	42	0.3	1.37	36	0.2	1.40	52	0.4	1.42	
Moira	2,375	4.7	69.4	4.9	34.2	12	0.2	1.67	5	0.1	1.44	15	0.2	1.38	
Santa Clara	394	0.8	53.7	3.8	7.3	5	0.1	2.00	6	0.1	1.63	3	0.1	1.50	
Waverly	1,131	2.2	54.3	3.8	20.8	4	0.1	1.80	3	0.1	1.00	3	0.1	1.67	
Westville	1,869	3.7	64.1	4.5	29.2	7	0.1	1.50	7	0.1	1.14	15	0.2	1.46	
Villages															
Brushton	473	0.9	3.2	0.2	147.8	8	2.5	1.50	2	0.6	1.00	0	na	na	
Burke	209	0.4	1.4	0.1	149.3	0	na	na	1	0.7	1.00	1	0.7	2.00	
Chateaugay	789	1.5	4.5	0.3	175.3	2	0.4	2.00	0	na	na	2	0.4	1.00	
Malone	5,958	11.7	29.6	2.1	201.3	37	1.3	1.42	59	2.0	1.29	64	2.2	1.19	
Saranac Lake (partial)	3,674	7.2	19.2	1.4	191.4	17	0.9	1.53	16	0.8	1.47	23	1.2	1.31	
Tupper Lake	3,870	7.6	24.6	1.7	157.3	16	0.7	1.43	14	0.6	1.39	7	0.3	2.09	
Other															
Native American Reservation	2,667	na	na	na	na	2	na	na	3	na	na	14	na	na	
unknown	na	na	na	na	na	2	na	na	2	na	na	1	na	na	
Franklin County Total	51,009		1418.6		36.0	303	0.2	1.58	329	0.2	1.42	343	0.2	1.38	
New York State	19,227,088		113342.8		169.6	147,951	1.3	1.28	139,641	1.2	1.28	140,337	1.2	1.28	

SECTION 2

Alcohol-Related Accident Summary Report

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
Alcohol-Related Motor Vehicle Accidents[†]**

Franklin County

TABLE 1(P) Alcohol-Related (A-R) Accidents

Category Totals	2005			2006			2007		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
Total Accidents	36	5,776	0.6	53	7,959	0.7	57	9,480	0.6
Fatal Accidents	4	350	1.1	1	359	0.3	0	344	0.0
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	30	5,270	0.6	31	5,111	0.6	29	4,991	0.6
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	2	156	1.3	21	2,489	0.8	28	4,145	0.7
Manner of Collision									
Single Vehicle Accidents	27	3,142	0.9	42	4,380	1.0	42	5,138	0.8
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	9	2,634	0.3	11	3,579	0.3	15	4,342	0.3
Special A-R Accident Series									
A-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	4	413	1.0	0	411	0.0	2	403	0.5
A-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0	104	0.0	0	90	0.0	0	97	0.0
A-R Motorcycle Accidents	3	223	1.3	1	176	0.6	1	217	0.5
Fatalities									
Persons Killed (1)	4	382	1.0	1	397	0.3	0	373	0.0
Drivers Killed	4	217	1.8	0	235	0.0	0	239	0.0
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	4	195	2.1	0	214	0.0	0	215	0.0
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	0	22	0.0	0	21	0.0	0	24	0.0
Passengers Killed	0	89	0.0	1	85	1.2	0	65	0.0
Pedestrians Killed	0	72	0.0	0	69	0.0	0	62	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	4	0.0	0	8	0.0	0	7	0.0
Other	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Non-Fatal Injuries									
Persons Injured (1)	43	7,724	0.6	47	7,293	0.6	36	7,175	0.5
Drivers Injured	29	4,986	0.6	32	4,753	0.7	26	4,593	0.6
Passengers Injured	10	2,203	0.5	15	2,059	0.7	8	2,072	0.4
Pedestrians Injured	4	370	1.1	0	361	0.0	2	362	0.6
Bicyclists Injured	0	99	0.0	0	79	0.0	0	90	0.0
Other	0	66	0.0	0	41	0.0	0	58	0.0

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Franklin County**

TABLE 2(P) Day of Week/Time of Day: 2007						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
Total	57	24	4	7	22	0
Sunday	14	9	3	1	1	0
Monday	5	1	0	1	3	0
Tuesday	3	1	0	0	2	0
Wednesday	6	0	0	2	4	0
Thursday	3	1	1	0	1	0
Friday	9	3	0	3	3	0
Saturday	17	9	0	0	8	0

Note: 2007 data similar to earlier years

TABLE 3(P) Driver Gender and Age						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Drivers	42	100.0	57	100.0	64	100.0
Male	31	73.8	45	78.9	44	68.8
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	26	61.9	42	73.7	39	60.9
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	5	11.9	3	5.3	5	7.8
Female	11	26.2	12	21.1	20	31.3
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	8	19.0	10	17.5	17	26.6
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	3	7.1	2	3.5	3	4.7
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Drinking Drivers	34	100.0	52	100.0	56	100.0
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	5	14.7	3	5.8	9	16.1
Ages 21-29	11	32.4	24	46.2	18	32.1
Ages 30-39	7	20.6	10	19.2	14	25.0
Ages 40-49	9	26.5	7	13.5	10	17.9
Ages 50-59	2	5.9	8	15.4	4	7.1
Age 60 and Over	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.8
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Non-Drinking Drivers	8	100.0	5	100.0	8	100.0
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	1	12.5	1	20.0	1	12.5
Ages 21-29	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	12.5
Ages 30-39	1	12.5	0	0.0	2	25.0
Ages 40-49	4	50.0	3	60.0	3	37.5
Ages 50-59	2	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Age 60 and Over	0	0.0	1	20.0	1	12.5
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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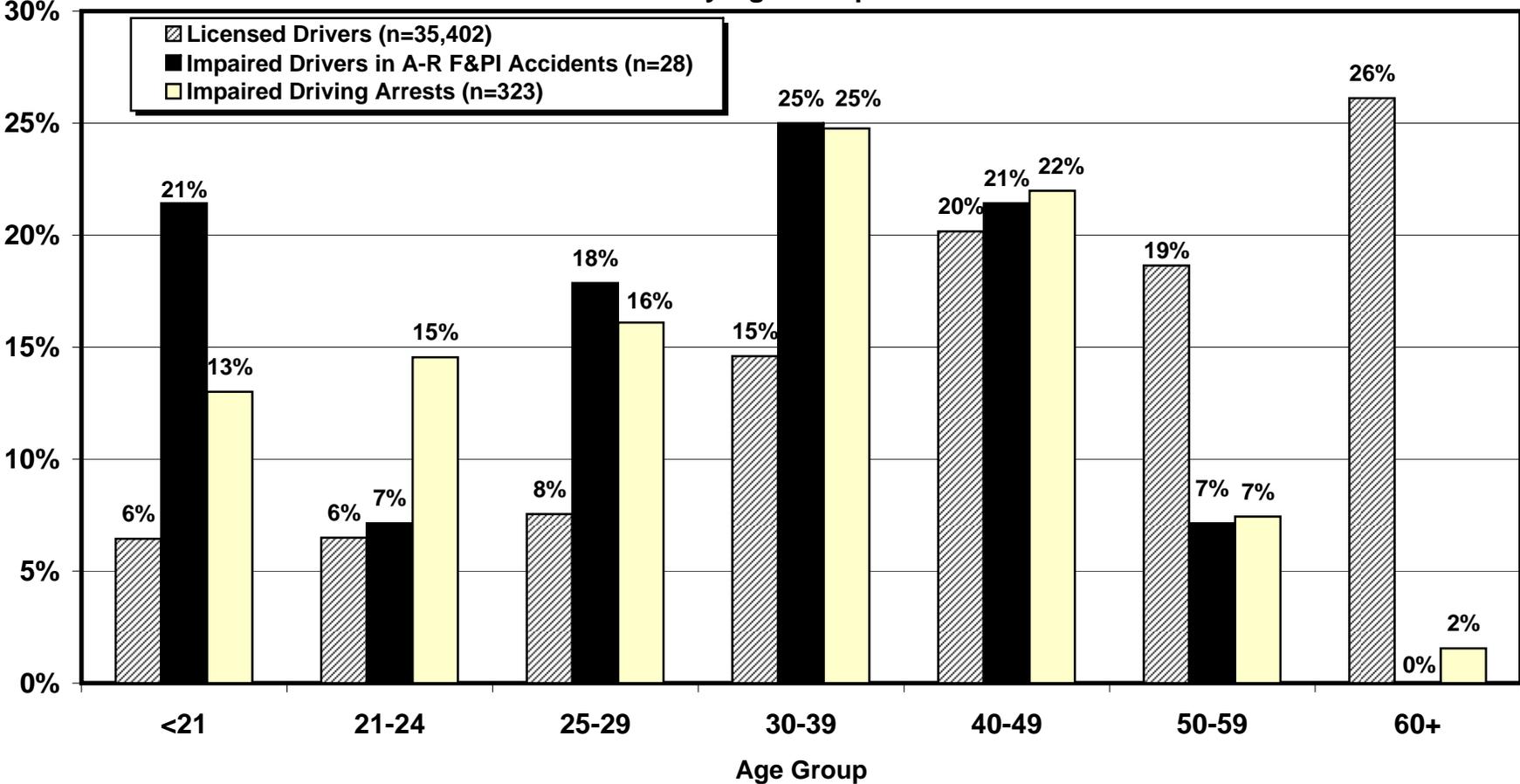
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Accidents	36		53		57	
Driver Inattention/Distracted	2	5.6	1	1.9	0	0.0
Failure to Keep Right	8	22.2	15	28.3	13	22.8
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	1	2.8	2	3.8	2	3.5
Fell Asleep	2	5.6	1	1.9	1	1.8
Following Too Closely	0	0.0	1	1.9	2	3.5
Passing/Lane Violations	3	8.3	4	7.5	1	1.8
Traffic Control Disregarded	1	2.8	2	3.8	2	3.5
Unsafe Speed	10	27.8	17	32.1	27	47.4

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

Age Group	2006			2007		
	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike
Total	48	100.0	0	36	100.0	2
Under Age 4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 4-6	1	2.1	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 7-15	2	4.2	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 16-17	0	0.0	0	1	2.8	0
Ages 18-20	0	0.0	0	6	16.7	0
Ages 21-29	22	45.8	0	9	25.0	0
Ages 30-39	11	22.9	0	9	25.0	0
Ages 40-49	6	12.5	0	8	22.2	2
Ages 50-59	4	8.3	0	3	8.3	0
Ages 60-69	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 70 and Over	2	4.2	0	0	0.0	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0

	2005		2006		2007	
	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%
Motor Vehicle Occupants	39	100.0	44	100.0	33	100.0
No Restraint Used	11	28.2	11	25.0	12	36.4
Restraint Used	23	59.0	30	68.2	20	60.6
Unknown	5	12.8	3	6.8	1	3.0
Motorcyclists	4	100.0	4	100.0	1	100.0
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Helmet Used	4	100.0	4	100.0	1	100.0
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

FIGURE 1
Franklin County 2007
Licensed Drivers, Impaired Drivers Involved in Alcohol-Related Fatal and Personal Injury Accidents, and Drivers Arrested for Impaired Driving
by Age Group



Note: In interpreting these data, any age group with a greater percentage of impaired drivers involved in A-R fatal and personal injury accidents than licensed drivers indicates that the drivers in that age group are overrepresented in A-R fatal and personal injury accidents. Similarly, any age group with a greater percentage of drivers arrested for impaired driving than licensed drivers indicates that drivers in that age group are overrepresented in alcohol-related arrests.

SECTION 3

Speed-Related Accident Summary Report

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Speed-Related Motor Vehicle Accidents[†]**

Franklin County

TABLE 1(P) Speed-Related (S-R) Accidents

Category Totals	2005			2006			2007		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
Total Accidents	116	15,991	0.7	183	20,927	0.9	280	31,729	0.9
Fatal Accidents	3	378	0.8	2	391	0.5	0	369	0.0
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	84	13,884	0.6	88	13,048	0.7	108	14,405	0.7
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	29	1,729	1.7	93	7,488	1.2	172	16,955	1.0
Manner of Collision									
Single Vehicle Accidents	101	8,757	1.2	158	12,070	1.3	243	19,143	1.3
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	15	7,234	0.2	25	8,857	0.3	37	12,586	0.3
Special S-R Accident Series									
S-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0	365	0.0	2	347	0.6	2	382	0.5
S-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	75	1.3	0	88	0.0	0	91	0.0
S-R Motorcycle Accidents	7	753	0.9	10	797	1.3	7	857	0.8
Fatalities									
Persons Killed (1)	3	422	0.7	3	439	0.7	0	406	0.0
Drivers Killed	2	290	0.7	2	305	0.7	0	277	0.0
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	2	272	0.7	1	281	0.4	0	249	0.0
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	0	18	0.0	1	24	4.2	0	28	0.0
Passengers Killed	1	103	1.0	0	112	0.0	0	104	0.0
Pedestrians Killed	0	26	0.0	1	20	5.0	0	24	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	2	0.0	0	2	0.0	0	1	0.0
Other	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Non-Fatal Injuries									
Persons Injured (1)	119	20,752	0.6	121	19,474	0.6	148	21,137	0.7
Drivers Injured	67	13,706	0.5	76	12,816	0.6	104	14,151	0.7
Passengers Injured	51	6,563	0.8	42	6,135	0.7	42	6,427	0.7
Pedestrians Injured	0	354	0.0	1	353	0.3	2	383	0.5
Bicyclists Injured	1	69	1.4	0	83	0.0	0	90	0.0
Other	0	60	0.0	2	87	2.3	0	86	0.0

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(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.

General Notes

- * All tables are based on information received from police reports.
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- * 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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Franklin County**

TABLE 2(P) Day of Week/Time of Day: 2007						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
Total	280	46	83	65	84	2
Sunday	45	8	12	9	15	1
Monday	40	6	14	7	12	1
Tuesday	32	4	14	4	10	0
Wednesday	36	6	12	12	6	0
Thursday	35	7	9	9	10	0
Friday	41	4	13	13	11	0
Saturday	51	11	9	11	20	0

Note: 2007 data similar to earlier years

TABLE 3(P) Driver Gender and Age						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Drivers	131	100.0	202	100.0	309	100.0
Male	77	58.8	118	58.4	182	58.9
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	64	48.9	104	51.5	164	53.1
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	13	9.9	14	6.9	18	5.8
Female	53	40.5	79	39.1	125	40.5
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	50	38.2	71	35.1	115	37.2
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	3	2.3	8	4.0	10	3.2
Unknown	1	0.8	5	2.5	2	0.6
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	1	0.8	3	1.5	1	0.3
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	0	0.0	2	1.0	1	0.3
Speeding Drivers	115	100.0	178	100.0	280	100.0
Under Age 16	0	0.0	2	1.1	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	30	26.1	47	26.4	72	25.7
Ages 21-29	26	22.6	55	30.9	80	28.6
Ages 30-39	21	18.3	18	10.1	41	14.6
Ages 40-49	14	12.2	25	14.0	43	15.4
Ages 50-59	18	15.7	16	9.0	23	8.2
Age 60 and Over	5	4.3	12	6.7	20	7.1
Unknown Age	1	0.9	3	1.7	1	0.4
Non-Speeding Drivers	16	100.0	24	100.0	29	100.0
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	2	12.5	1	4.2	0	0.0
Ages 21-29	3	18.8	4	16.7	4	13.8
Ages 30-39	2	12.5	3	12.5	9	31.0
Ages 40-49	2	12.5	5	20.8	8	27.6
Ages 50-59	3	18.8	3	12.5	6	20.7
Age 60 and Over	4	25.0	6	25.0	1	3.4
Unknown Age	0	0.0	2	8.3	1	3.4

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Speed-Related Motor Vehicle Accidents
Franklin County**

TABLE 4(P) Select Accident Contributing Factors						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total Accidents	116		183		280	
Alcohol Involvement	8	6.9	17	9.3	29	10.4
Driver Inattention/Distracted	3	2.6	6	3.3	11	3.9
Driver Inexperience	2	1.7	4	2.2	3	1.1
Failure to Keep Right	10	8.6	20	10.9	17	6.1
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	1	0.9	4	2.2	3	1.1
Following Too Closely	2	1.7	1	0.5	3	1.1
Passing/Lane Violations	5	4.3	2	1.1	4	1.4
Traffic Control Disregarded	1	0.9	0	0.0	4	1.4

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

TABLE 5(P) Persons Killed or Injured by Age Group: 2006-2007						
Age Group	2006			2007		
	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike
Total	124	100.0	2	148	100.0	2
Under Age 4	1	0.8	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 4-6	2	1.6	0	1	0.7	0
Ages 7-15	7	5.6	0	11	7.4	0
Ages 16-17	18	14.5	0	9	6.1	0
Ages 18-20	13	10.5	1	29	19.6	1
Ages 21-29	49	39.5	1	32	21.6	0
Ages 30-39	9	7.3	0	23	15.5	0
Ages 40-49	9	7.3	0	26	17.6	1
Ages 50-59	7	5.6	0	9	6.1	0
Ages 60-69	6	4.8	0	2	1.4	0
Ages 70 and Over	3	2.4	0	6	4.1	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0

TABLE 6(P) Reported Safety Equipment Use						
	2005		2006		2007	
	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%
Motor Vehicle Occupants	113	100.0	107	100.0	138	100.0
No Restraint Used	22	19.5	18	16.8	25	18.1
Restraint Used	88	77.9	88	82.2	109	79.0
Unknown	3	2.7	1	0.9	4	2.9
Motorcyclists	8	100.0	13	100.0	8	100.0
No Helmet Used	1	12.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
Helmet Used	7	87.5	13	100.0	8	100.0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Bicyclists	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
No Helmet Used	1	100.0	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 4

Motorcycle Accident Summary Report

New York State Department of Motor Vehicles Motorcycle Accidents[†]

Franklin County

TABLE 1 Accident Summary Totals

Category Totals	2005			2006			2007		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
Total Motorcycle Accidents	26	4,892	0.5	29	4,912	0.6	27	5,426	0.5
Fatal Accidents	1	168	0.6	2	190	1.1	1	164	0.6
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	24	4,515	0.5	25	4,272	0.6	23	4,727	0.5
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	1	209	0.5	2	450	0.4	3	535	0.6
Manner of Collision									
Single Motorcycle Accidents	17	2,155	0.8	18	2,154	0.8	19	2,318	0.8
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	9	2,737	0.3	11	2,758	0.4	8	3,108	0.3
Special Motorcycle Accident Series									
Motorcycle/Pedestrian Accidents	0	89	0.0	1	77	1.3	1	74	1.4
Motorcycle/Bicycle Accidents	0	17	0.0	0	29	0.0	0	19	0.0
Fatalities									
Persons Killed (1)	1	172	0.6	3	195	1.5	2	172	1.2
Drivers Killed	1	154	0.6	1	181	0.6	2	162	1.2
<i>Motorcycle Operators</i>	1	153	0.7	1	180	0.6	2	162	1.2
<i>Non-Motorcycle Drivers</i>	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0
Passengers Killed	0	9	0.0	1	12	8.3	0	9	0.0
<i>Motorcycle Passengers</i>	0	9	0.0	1	12	8.3	0	9	0.0
<i>Passengers in Other Vehicles</i>	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Pedestrians Killed	0	9	0.0	1	2	50.0	0	1	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Other	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Non-Fatal Injuries									
Persons Injured (1)	28	5,304	0.5	33	4,951	0.7	32	5,503	0.6
Drivers Injured	25	4,592	0.5	23	4,338	0.5	27	4,830	0.6
Passengers Injured	3	606	0.5	9	513	1.8	4	579	0.7
Pedestrians Injured	0	81	0.0	0	71	0.0	1	71	1.4
Bicyclists Injured	0	16	0.0	0	26	0.0	0	15	0.0
Other	0	9	0.0	1	3	33.3	0	8	0.0

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General Notes

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Franklin County

TABLE 2 Day of Week/Time of Day: 2007						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
Total	27	1	5	10	11	0
Sunday	6	0	2	2	2	0
Monday	4	0	0	2	2	0
Tuesday	4	0	0	2	2	0
Wednesday	3	0	2	0	1	0
Thursday	1	0	0	1	0	0
Friday	3	0	0	1	2	0
Saturday	6	1	1	2	2	0

Note: 2007 data similar to earlier years

TABLE 3 Motorcycle Operator Gender and Age						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total MC Operators	27	100.0	30	100.0	29	100.0
Male	26	96.3	27	90.0	27	93.1
Female	1	3.7	3	10.0	2	6.9
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	3	11.1	2	6.7	2	6.9
Ages 21-29	6	22.2	6	20.0	8	27.6
Ages 30-39	4	14.8	5	16.7	2	6.9
Ages 40-49	7	25.9	8	26.7	9	31.0
Ages 50-59	5	18.5	6	20.0	7	24.1
Ages 60 and Over	2	7.4	3	10.0	1	3.4
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

TABLE 4(P) Select Accident Contributing Factors						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Total MC Accidents	25		27		26	
Alcohol Involvement	3	12.0	1	3.7	1	3.8
Driver Inattention/Distracted	4	16.0	6	22.2	2	7.7
Driver Inexperience	1	4.0	3	11.1	3	11.5
Failure to Keep Right	2	8.0	2	7.4	3	11.5
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	4	16.0	4	14.8	2	7.7
Following Too Closely	3	12.0	3	11.1	3	11.5
Passing/Lane Violations	1	4.0	1	3.7	4	15.4
Traffic Control Disregarded	1	4.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Turning Improperly	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.8
Unsafe Speed	7	28.0	10	37.0	7	26.9

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported. Caution is advised due to the small numbers.

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
Motorcycle Accidents**

Franklin County

TABLE 5 Motorcyclists Killed or Injured by Age Group						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Age Group	28	100.0	34	100.0	30	100.0
Under Age 4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 4-6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 7-15	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-17	0	0.0	1	2.9	0	0.0
Ages 18-20	3	10.7	0	0.0	3	10.0
Ages 21-29	5	17.9	8	23.5	7	23.3
Ages 30-39	4	14.3	6	17.6	2	6.7
Ages 40-49	9	32.1	6	17.6	8	26.7
Ages 50-59	5	17.9	9	26.5	8	26.7
Ages 60-69	0	0.0	4	11.8	2	6.7
Ages 70 and Over	2	7.1	0	0.0	0	0.0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

TABLE 6(P) Reported Safety Equipment Use for Motorcyclists Killed or Injured						
	2005		2006		2007	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
Motorcyclists	28	100.0	33	100.0	30	100.0
No Helmet Used	1	3.6	2	6.1	1	3.3
Helmet Used	27	96.4	30	90.9	29	96.7
Unknown	0	0.0	1	3.0	0	0.0

TABLE 7 Motorcycle Registrations / License Endorsements				
	MC Registrations		MC Licenses	
	#	% of NYS	#	% of NYS
2003	1,346	0.6	3,148	0.6
2004	1,511	0.6	3,484	0.6
2005	1,588	0.6	3,585	0.6
2006	1,688	0.6	3,627	0.6
2007	1,793	0.6	3,738	0.6

SECTION 5

Ticket Data

FRANKLIN COUNTY

Tickets Issued and Conviction Rates for Select Violations

	2005	2006	2007
TOTAL TICKETS ISSUED	11,646	11,533	11,609
SPEED (V&T 1180)	3,281	2,782	2,651
% of total tickets	28.2%	24.1%	22.8%
% convicted on same charge (of adjudicated cases)	40.6%	45.0%	39.6%
SAFETY RESTRAINTS (V&T 1229c)	1,139	1,196	1,033
% of total tickets	9.8%	10.4%	8.9%
% convicted on same charge (of adjudicated cases)	77.3%	85.6%	82.5%
IMPAIRED DRIVING (V&T 1192)	505	595	592
% of total tickets	4.3%	5.2%	5.1%
Persons Arrested for Impaired Driving	(N=287)	(N=322)	(N=323)
Case adjudicated	78.4%	82.0%	82.0%
Case pending	21.6%	18.0%	18.0%
Adjudicated Cases*	(N=225)	(N=264)	(N=265)
Convicted on original 1192 charge	32.4%	38.3%	42.3%
Convicted on other 1192 charge	56.9%	56.1%	45.7%
Convicted on non-1192 charge	2.2%	2.3%	3.4%
Dismissed/Acquitted/Convicted on charge associated with different event	8.5%	3.4%	8.7%
* Since some drivers are charged with more than one alcohol offense during a single traffic stop, conviction rates are based on drivers who have had at least one offense adjudicated.			

Source: NYSDMV TSLED ticket system.

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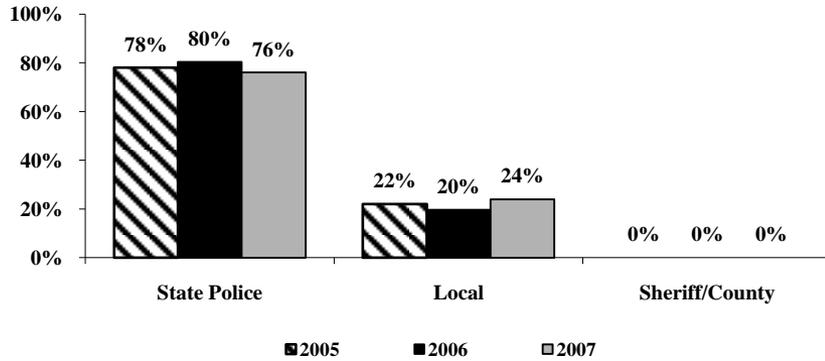
Probation Data for V&T 1192 and 511 Convictions

	2005	2006	2007
Number of Persons Sentenced to Probation	51	41	47
Number of Persons on Probation	136	137	131

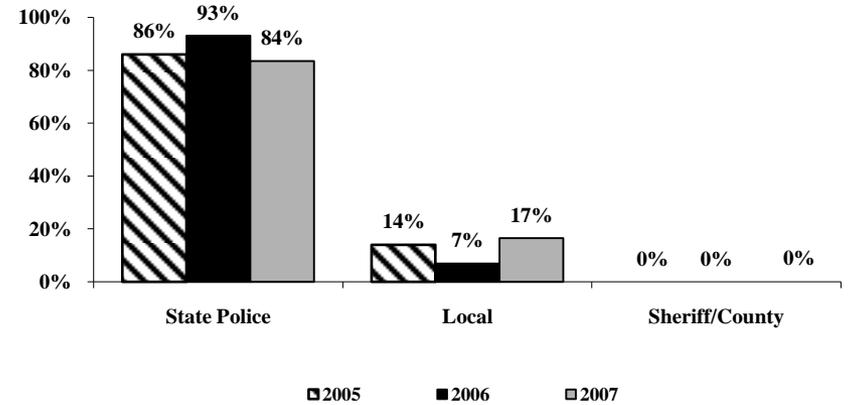
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Franklin County Tickets Issued by TSLED Agencies By Agency Type

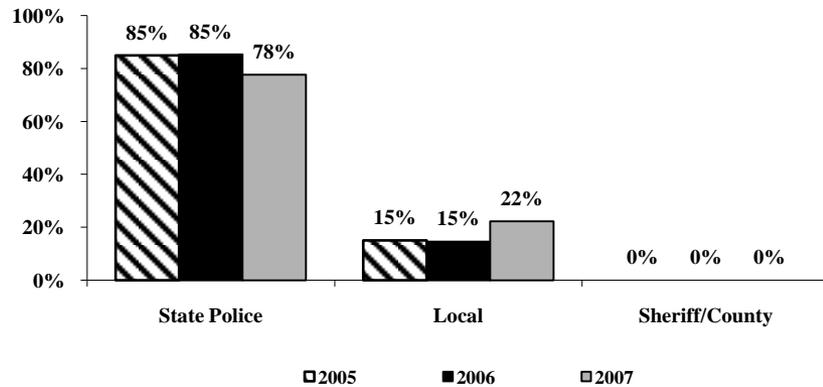
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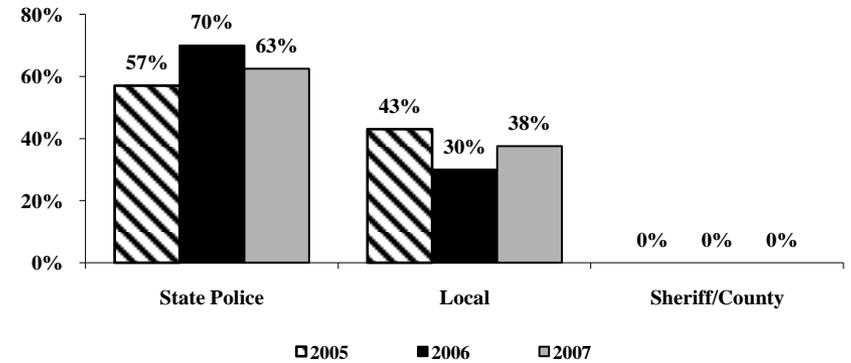
Seat Belt Tickets



Speed Tickets



Persons Ticketed for Impaired Driving



FRANKLIN COUNTY

TSLED Tickets Issued for Selected Violations by Enforcement Agency

Enforcement Agency		2005			2006			2007		
		#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total
Franklin Sheriff NCIC 01600	alcohol	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
	speed	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
	seatbelt	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Tupper Lake P.D. NCIC 01620	alcohol	21	10.1	4.2	24	14.0	4.0	60	31.3	10.1
	speed	135	27.3	4.1	95	24.8	3.4	239	43.2	9.0
	seatbelt	32	20.5	2.8	21	26.6	1.8	85	51.8	8.2
Saranac Lake P.D. NCIC 01623 <i>(all counted in Franklin)</i>	alcohol	91	43.8	18.0	90	52.6	15.1	65	33.9	11.0
	speed	167	33.8	5.1	112	29.2	4.0	115	20.8	4.3
	seatbelt	78	50.0	6.8	19	24.1	1.6	23	14.0	2.2
Malone Village P.D. NCIC 01624	alcohol	96	46.2	19.0	57	33.3	9.6	67	34.9	11.3
	speed	192	38.9	5.9	176	46.0	6.3	199	36.0	7.5
	seatbelt	46	29.5	4.0	39	49.4	3.3	56	34.1	5.4
Totals by Agency Type										
Sheriff and Local	alcohol	208		41.2	171		28.7	192		32.4
	speed	494		15.1	383		13.8	553		20.9
	seatbelt	156		13.7	79		6.6	164		15.9
State Police	alcohol	297		58.8	424		71.3	374		63.2
	speed	2,785		84.9	2,377		85.4	2,060		77.7
	seatbelt	978		85.9	1,108		92.6	863		83.5
Other	alcohol	0		0.0	0		0.0	26		4.4
	speed	2		0.1	22		0.8	38		1.4
	seatbelt	5		0.4	9		0.8	6		0.6
County Totals										
	alcohol	505			595			592		
	speed	3,281			2,782			2,651		
	seatbelt	1,139			1,196			1,033		

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