



National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Traffic Safety Facts Alameda County, California 2005-2009



This Report Contains Data From the Following Sources: Fatality Data - NCSA Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS): 2005-2008 Final File and 2009 Annual Report File (ARF) Population Data - U.S. Bureau of the Census





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Fatalities by Person/Crash Type

Fatality Type		Fatalities						Fatalities Per 100,000 Population				
		2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009		
Total Fatalities (All Crashes)*	105	96	103	87	68	7.31	6.68	7.11	5.92	4.56		
(1) Alcohol-Impaired Driving (BAC=.08+) Fatalities	30	37	29	18	25	2.09	2.57	2.00	1.22	1.68		
(2) Single Vehicle Crash Fatalities	71	55	66	49	48	4.94	3.82	4.55	3.33	3.22		
(3) Large Truck Involved Crash Fatalities	10	11	10	9	11	0.70	0.76	0.69	0.61	0.74		
(4) Speeding Involved Crash Fatalities	51	39	50	30	41	3.55	2.71	3.45	2.04	2.75		
(5) Rollover Involved Crash Fatalities	29	17	17	15	14	2.02	1.18	1.17	1.02	0.94		
(6) Roadway Departure Involved Crash Fatalities	49	35	49	26	32	3.41	2.43	3.38	1.77	2.15		
(7) Intersection (or Intersection Related) Crash Fatalities	19	26	26	16	24	1.32	1.81	1.79	1.09	1.61		
Passenger Car Occupant Fatalities	47	44	43	27	37	3.27	3.06	2.97	1.84	2.48		
Light Truck Occupant Fatalities	19	14	11	11	12	1.32	0.97	0.76	0.75	0.80		
Motorcyclist Fatalities	11	13	25	13	8	0.77	0.90	1.73	0.88	0.54		
Pedestrian Fatalities	24	20	18	32	8	1.67	1.39	1.24	2.18	0.54		
Bicyclist (or Other Cyclist) Fatalities	2	4	3	1	2	0.14	0.28	0.21	0.07	0.13		

(1) Crash Involved at Least One Driver or Motorcycle Rider With a BAC of .08 or Above

(2) Crash Involved Only One Vehicle In Transport

(3) Crash Involved at Least One Large Truck

(4) Crash Involved at Least One Vehicle Speeding

(5) Crash Involved at Least One Vehicle that Rolled Over

(6) Crash Involved at Least One Vehicle that Departed the Roadway (FHWA Definition)

(7) Crash Occured Within an Intersection or Within the Approach to an Intersection

*A Fatality Can Be in More Than One Category. Therefore Sum of the Individual Cells Will Not Equal the Total Due to Double Counting





Passenger Vehicle Occupant Fatalities by Restraint Use

Restraint Use Fatalities						Fatalities Per 100,000 Population					
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
Restrained	40	29	32	31	20	2.78	2.02	2.21	2.11	1.34	
Unrestrained	15	19	14	6	25	1.04	1.32	0.97	0.41	1.68	
Unknown Restraint Use	11	10	8	1	4	0.77	0.70	0.55	0.07	0.27	
Total	66	58	54	38	49	4.59	4.03	3.73	2.58	3.29	

Motorcyclist Fatalities by Helmet Use

Helmet Use	Fatalities					Fatalities Per 100,000 Population						
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009		
Helmet Used	8	12	20	11	7	0.56	0.83	1.38	0.75	0.47		
No Helmet Used	1	1	3	1	1	0.07	0.07	0.21	0.07	0.07		
Unknown Helmet Use	2	0	2	1	0	0.14	0.00	0.14	0.07	0.00		
Total	11	13	25	13	8	0.77	0.90	1.73	0.88	0.54		





Fatalities by Person Type and Race/Hispanic Origin

Person Type by Race/Hispanic Origin				2007	2008
Occupants (All Vehicle Types)	Hispanic	19	18	23	8
	White Non-Hispanic	28	23	31	24
	Black, Non-Hispanic	9	21	15	12
	American Indian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	1	0	0	0
	Asian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	17	7	7	4
	Pacific Islander, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	1	0	0	0
	Multiple Races, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	2	1	1	1
	All Other Non-Hispanic or Race	2	2	4	3
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	0
	Total	79	72	81	52
Non-Occupants (Pedestrians, Pedalcyclists and Other/Unknown Non-Occupants)					
	Hispanic	5	4	5	16
	White Non-Hispanic	10	8	10	6
	Black, Non-Hispanic	2	7	5	7
	American Indian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	0	1	0	0
	Asian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	9	3	2	5
	Pacific Islander, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	0	0	0	0
	Multiple Races, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	0	0	0	0
	All Other Non-Hispanic or Race	0	1	0	0
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	1
	Total	26	24	22	35
Total					
	Hispanic	24	22	28	24
	White Non-Hispanic	38	31	41	30
	Black, Non-Hispanic	11	28	20	19
	American Indian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	1	1	0	0
	Asian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	26	10	9	9

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Person Type by Race/Hispanic Origin			2006	2007	2008
Total	Pacific Islander, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	1	0	0	0
	Iultiple Races, Non-Hispanic/Unknown		1	1	1
	All Other Non-Hispanic or Race		3	4	3
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	1
	Total	105	96	103	87

2009 Race/Hispanic Origin Data is Not Yet Complete