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Traffic Safety Facts Monterey 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)*	55	51	48	49	35	13.58	12.71	11.94	12.08	8.53	
(1) Alcohol-Impaired Driving (BAC=.08+) Fatalities	18	9	13	23	7	4.44	2.24	3.23	5.67	1.71	
(2) Single Vehicle Crash Fatalities	26	31	28	33	20	6.42	7.72	6.96	8.13	4.87	
(3) Large Truck Involved Crash Fatalities	3	6	0	2	2	0.74	1.49	0.00	0.49	0.49	
(4) Speeding Involved Crash Fatalities	14	18	21	11	2	3.46	4.48	5.22	2.71	0.49	
(5) Rollover Involved Crash Fatalities	18	15	17	20	15	4.44	3.74	4.23	4.93	3.66	
(6) Roadway Departure Involved Crash Fatalities	36	31	30	33	21	8.89	7.72	7.46	8.13	5.12	
(7) Intersection (or Intersection Related) Crash Fatalities	6	11	7	6	8	1.48	2.74	1.74	1.48	1.95	
Passenger Car Occupant Fatalities	31	27	24	23	19	7.65	6.73	5.97	5.67	4.63	
Light Truck Occupant Fatalities	11	9	12	13	3	2.72	2.24	2.98	3.20	0.73	
Motorcyclist Fatalities	3	4	4	5	4	0.74	1.00	0.99	1.23	0.97	
Pedestrian Fatalities	6	9	7	7	4	1.48	2.24	1.74	1.73	0.97	
Bicyclist (or Other Cyclist) Fatalities	1	0	1	0	0	0.25	0.00	0.25	0.00	0.00	

(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 U.S. Department of Transportation





Passenger Vehicle Occupant Fatalities by Restraint Use

Restraint Use		F	atalitie	es		Fatalities Per 100,000 Population					
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
Restrained	29	16	20	22	16	7.16	3.99	4.97	5.42	3.90	
Unrestrained	10	15	13	13	5	2.47	3.74	3.23	3.20	1.22	
Unknown Restraint Use	3	5	3	1	1	0.74	1.25	0.75	0.25	0.24	
Total	42	36	36	36	22	10.37	8.97	8.95	8.87	5.36	

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	3	2	3	3	4	0.74	0.50	0.75	0.74	0.97		
No Helmet Used	0	1	1	2	0	0.00	0.25	0.25	0.49	0.00		
Unknown Helmet Use	0	1	0	0	0	0.00	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Total	3	4	4	5	4	0.74	1.00	0.99	1.23	0.97		





Fatalities by Person Type and Race/Hispanic Origin

Person Type by Race/Hispanic Origin				2007	2008
Occupants (All Vehicle Types)	Hispanic	29	22	20	23
	White Non-Hispanic	13	16	18	11
	Black, Non-Hispanic	1	1	0	1
	Asian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	1	2	2	2
	Multiple Races, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	2	1	0	3
	All Other Non-Hispanic or Race	1	0	0	0
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	1
	Total	47	42	40	41
Non-Occupants (Pedestrians, Pedalcyclists and Other/Unknown Non-Occupants)					
	Hispanic	5	2	3	2
	White Non-Hispanic	3	7	4	3
	Black, Non-Hispanic	0	0	0	1
	Asian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	0	0	1	1
	Multiple Races, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	0	0	0	0
	All Other Non-Hispanic or Race	0	0	0	1
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	0
	Total	8	9	8	8
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	Hispanic	34	24	23	25
	White Non-Hispanic	16	23	22	14
	Black, Non-Hispanic	1	1	0	2
	Asian, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	1	2	3	3
	Multiple Races, Non-Hispanic/Unknown	2	1	0	3
	All Other Non-Hispanic or Race	1	0	0	1
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	1
	Total	55	51	48	49

2009 Race/Hispanic Origin Data is Not Yet Complete