

US INTERSECTION FATALITIES

	US 2006 *	US 2005
TOTAL FATALITIES	42,642	43,510
TOTAL INTERSECTION FATALITIES	8,797 (21% of nationwide total)	9,238 (21%)
URBAN	5,184 (60% of intersection fatalities)	5,463 (60%)
• MV Occupants	3,972 (77%)	4,183 (77%)
• Pedestrians	1,004 (19%)	1,055 (19%)
• Bicyclists	207 (4%)	215 (4%)
• Other/Unknown	1 (<1%)	10 (<1%)
RURAL	3,428 (40%)	3,715 (40%)
• MV Occupants	3,233 (94%)	3,528 (95%)
• Pedestrians	144 (4%)	134 (4%)
• Bicyclists	40 (1%)	53 (1%)
• Other	11 (<1%)	0 (0%)
(Unknown Urban or Rural)	(185)	(60)
FUNCTIONAL CLASS		
• Arterials/Expressways	5,449 (62%)	5,727 (62%)
• Collectors	1,494 (17%)	1,665 (18%)
• Local Roads	1,637 (19%)	1,747 (19%)
• Unknown	217 (2%)	99 (1%)
TYPE OF CONTROL		
• Signalized Intersections	2,718 (31%)	2,764 (30%)
• STOP Controlled *	3,358 (38%)	3,606 (39%)
• Other/No Control/Unknown	2,721 (31%)	2,868 (31%)
* Where any party to the crash was in a position to be controlled by the device or the stop sign had some relationship to the fatal crash		
ROADWAY TYPE		
• Undivided (2-way)	5,402 (61%)	5,775 (63%)
• Divided (total)	3,208 (37%)	3,195 (35%)
○ Median Strip	1,981	1,988
○ Traffic Barrier	755	758
○ TWLTL	472	449
• One-way	95 (1%)	135 (1%)
• Unknown/Other	92 (1%)	133 (1%)
FIRST HARMFUL EVENT		
• Hit MV in Transport (Multi-Vehicle)	6,355 (72%)	6,617 (72%)
• Hit Pedestrian	1,068 (12%)	1,092 (12%)
• Hit Fixed Object	802 (9%)	916 (10%)
• Hit Bicyclist	250 (3%)	264 (3%)
• Overturn	192 (2%)	194 (2%)
• Other/Unknown	130 (2%)	155 (1%)

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MOST FREQUENT MANNER OF COLLISION		
• Right Angle (Front-to-Side)	4,079 (46%)	4,319 (47%)
• Single Vehicle	2,413 (28%)	2,588 (28%)
• Opposite Direction	1,357 (15%)	1,423 (15%)
• Rear End	465 (5%)	480 (5%)
• Sideswipe (same direction)	262 (3%)	184 (2%)
• Other	221 (3%)	244 (3%)
TIME OF DAY		
• Daylight	5,097 (58%)	5,460 (59%)
• Dark	1,240 (14%)	1,358 (15%)
• Dark but Lighted	2,063 (23%)	1,985 (21%)
• Dawn	149 (2%)	148 (2%)
• Dusk	233 (3%)	264 (3%)
• Unknown	15 (<1%)	23 (<1%)
• Highest Hour	585 (6-7 PM) (7%)	666 (5-6 PM) (7%)
WEATHER		
• Dry	8,112 (92%)	8,416 (91%)
• Rain	544 (6%)	595 (6%)
• Fog	74 (1%)	81 (1%)
• Snow	26 (<1%)	62 (1%)
• Sleet	8 (<1%)	16 (<1%)
• Other/Unknown	33 (<1%)	68 (1%)
AGE (of fatally injured)		
• 0-14 yrs old	381 (4%)	472 (5%)
• 15-20	996 (11%)	1,076 (12%)
• 21-34	1,908 (22%)	1,915 (21%)
• 35-49	1,734 (20%)	1,747 (19%)
• 50-64	1,523 (17%)	1,542 (17%)
• 65+	2,232 (25%)	2,455 (26%)
• Unknown	23 (<1%)	31 (<1%)

* 2006 data is preliminary