

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

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TABLE 1 Accident Summary Totals		
Category Totals	All Accidents	Police Reported
Total Accidents	759	402†
Fatal Accidents	8	8
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	424	382
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	327	12†
Vehicles	1,165	638
Drivers Involved	1,073	609
Vehicle Occupants	1,556	977
Special Accident Series		
Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	22	22
Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	7	7
Motorcycle Accidents	19	17
Fatalities		
Persons Killed (1)	8	8
Drivers Killed	8	8
Passengers Killed	0	0
Pedestrians Killed	0	0
Bicyclists Killed	0	0
Other	0	0
Non-Fatal Injuries		
Persons Injured (1)	596	539
Drivers Injured	383	335
Passengers Injured	182	173
Pedestrians Injured	23	23
Bicyclists Injured	6	6
Other	2	2
† It is important to note that the data for 2003 are not strictly comparable to the data for 2001 and 2002. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2001 with respect to property damage crashes have reduced the total number of crashes, since the changes resulted in fewer 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	402	100.0
Fatal (K) Accidents	8	2.0
Personal Injury Accidents		
Serious (A)	42	10.4
Moderate (B)	114	28.4
Minor (C)	210	52.2
Unknown Severity	16	4.0
Property Damage (O) Accidents	12	3.0

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	759	47	33	76	103	129	143	97	67	64
Sunday										
<i>Total</i>	95	12	6	6	16	16	14	14	3	8
Fatal	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	57	10	3	2	9	9	11	10	1	2
Property Damage	36	2	3	4	5	7	3	4	2	6
Monday										
<i>Total</i>	110	3	6	12	15	17	20	22	9	6
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	59	0	4	7	5	11	15	12	4	1
Property Damage	51	3	2	5	10	6	5	10	5	5
Tuesday										
<i>Total</i>	91	4	3	12	8	20	17	14	4	9
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	57	3	2	7	5	15	11	7	3	4
Property Damage	34	1	1	5	3	5	6	7	1	5
Wednesday										
<i>Total</i>	108	6	5	13	17	20	17	11	7	12
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	55	4	2	6	10	13	11	5	4	0
Property Damage	53	2	3	7	7	7	6	6	3	12
Thursday										
<i>Total</i>	105	5	3	9	12	22	26	13	9	6
Fatal	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Personal Injury	54	2	1	5	6	15	14	5	6	0
Property Damage	50	3	2	4	6	7	11	8	3	6
Friday										
<i>Total</i>	125	6	4	13	16	16	26	13	17	14
Fatal	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	76	3	1	9	9	11	21	11	10	1
Property Damage	47	1	3	4	7	5	5	2	7	13
Saturday										
<i>Total</i>	125	11	6	11	19	18	23	10	18	9
Fatal	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	66	8	4	4	8	9	15	8	9	1
Property Damage	56	2	2	7	10	8	8	2	9	8

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TABLE 4(P) Police Investigating Agency					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	402	100.0	8	382	12
State Police	262	65.2	5	252	5
County Police	9	2.2	0	7	2
New York City Police (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	131	32.6	3	123	5
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	759	100.0	8	424	327
State Routes	325	42.8	7	181	137
County Routes	83	10.9	1	56	26
Town Routes	136	17.9	0	78	58
Municipal Streets	137	18.1	0	66	71
Parkways	0	0.0	0	0	0
Thruway	64	8.4	0	39	25
Other Interstates	3	0.4	0	2	1
Unknown	11	1.4	0	2	9

TABLE 6 Manner of Collision					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	759	100.0	8	424	327
Single Vehicle Accidents	381	50.2	5	196	180
Two Vehicle Accidents	350	46.1	3	205	142
3 or More Vehicle Accidents	28	3.7	0	23	5

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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	402	100.0	8	382	12
Accidents With No Factor Reported	12	3.0	1	9	2
Accidents With One or More Factors Reported	390	97.0	7	373	10
Accidents With Human Factors	346	86.1	7	330	9
Aggressive Driving/Road Rage	0	0.0	0	0	0
Alcohol Involvement*	27	6.7	4	23	0
Backing Unsafely	10	2.5	0	9	1
Cell Phone (hand held)	1	0.2	0	0	1
Cell Phone (hands free)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driver Inattention/Distraction	50	12.4	0	48	2
Driver Inexperience	4	1.0	0	4	0
Drugs (Illegal)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Failure to Keep Right	39	9.7	0	39	0
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	64	15.9	2	60	2
Fatigued/Drowsy	3	0.7	0	3	0
Fell Asleep	10	2.5	0	9	1
Following Too Closely	36	9.0	0	36	0
Illness	2	0.5	0	2	0
Lost Consciousness	4	1.0	0	4	0
Other Electronic Device	0	0.0	0	0	0
Outside Car Distraction	0	0.0	0	0	0
Passenger Distraction	3	0.7	0	3	0
Passing or Lane Usage Improper	14	3.5	0	14	0
Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Other Ped Error/Confusion	6	1.5	0	6	0
Physical Disability	1	0.2	0	1	0
Prescription Medication	0	0.0	0	0	0
Reaction to Other Uninvolved Vehicle	12	3.0	1	11	0
Traffic Control Disregarded	13	3.2	1	12	0
Turning Improperly	7	1.7	0	6	1
Unsafe Lane Changing	7	1.7	0	6	1
Unsafe Speed	121	30.1	4	117	0
Other Human	15	3.7	0	14	1
Accidents With Vehicular Factors	17	4.2	0	17	0
Accelerator Defective	1	0.2	0	1	0
Brakes Defective	2	0.5	0	2	0
Driverless/Runaway Vehicle	1	0.2	0	1	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	1	0.2	0	1	0
Tire Failure/Inadequate	6	1.5	0	6	0
Tow Hitch Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Windshield Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Vehicular	7	1.7	0	7	0
Accidents With Environmental Factors	126	31.3	0	123	3
Animal's Action	23	5.7	0	22	1
Glare	8	2.0	0	8	0
Lane Marking Improper/Inadequate	0	0.0	0	0	0
Obstruction/Debris	4	1.0	0	4	0
Pavement Defective	0	0.0	0	0	0
Pavement Slippery	67	16.7	0	67	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	27	6.7	0	25	2
Other Environmental	0	0.0	0	0	0

* This number represents the total number of crashes in which the police checked "alcohol involvement" as an apparent contributing factor on the police accident report form. Hence, it does not represent the total number of alcohol-related crashes that occurred in the county. For data on the total number of alcohol-related crashes 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	1,073	100.0	11	642	420
Male	625	58.2	7	369	249
Under 16	1	0.1	0	1	0
16 - 17	36	3.4	0	27	9
18 - 20	70	6.5	0	54	16
21 - 24	78	7.3	1	51	26
25 - 29	58	5.4	1	31	26
30 - 34	62	5.8	0	42	20
35 - 39	41	3.8	1	25	15
40 - 44	58	5.4	0	32	26
45 - 49	50	4.7	2	26	22
50 - 54	39	3.6	1	19	19
55 - 59	34	3.2	0	13	21
60 - 64	25	2.3	0	10	15
65 - 69	26	2.4	0	13	13
70 - 74	14	1.3	0	7	7
75 - 79	9	0.8	0	8	1
80 and Over	24	2.2	1	10	13
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0	0
Female	448	41.8	4	273	171
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	22	2.1	0	17	5
18 - 20	50	4.7	1	37	12
21 - 24	39	3.6	0	22	17
25 - 29	45	4.2	0	28	17
30 - 34	35	3.3	0	19	16
35 - 39	42	3.9	1	24	17
40 - 44	58	5.4	0	34	24
45 - 49	33	3.1	1	18	14
50 - 54	35	3.3	0	21	14
55 - 59	34	3.2	1	21	12
60 - 64	16	1.5	0	9	7
65 - 69	10	0.9	0	5	5
70 - 74	12	1.1	0	9	3
75 - 79	7	0.7	0	4	3
80 and Over	9	0.8	0	4	5
Unknown Age	1	0.1	0	1	0
Unknown Gender	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	604	100.0	8	596
Under 5	5	0.8	0	5
5 - 9	16	2.6	0	16
10 - 13	17	2.8	0	17
14 - 17	68	11.3	0	68
18 - 20	91	15.1	1	90
21 - 24	54	8.9	0	54
25 - 29	44	7.3	1	43
30 - 34	49	8.1	0	49
35 - 39	43	7.1	1	42
40 - 44	54	8.9	0	54
45 - 49	33	5.5	3	30
50 - 54	37	6.1	1	36
55 - 59	26	4.3	0	26
60 - 64	11	1.8	0	11
65 - 69	14	2.3	0	14
70 - 74	14	2.3	0	14
75 - 79	12	2.0	0	12
80 and Over	15	2.5	1	14
Unknown Age	1	0.2	0	1

TABLE 9.1 Pedestrians Killed or Injured by Age Group		
Age Group	Pedestrians	
	Killed	Injured
Total	0	23
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	0
10 - 13	0	2
14 - 17	0	4
18 - 20	0	3
21 - 24	0	0
25 - 29	0	1
30 - 34	0	3
35 - 39	0	3
40 - 44	0	1
45 - 49	0	0
50 - 54	0	2
55 - 59	0	2
60 - 64	0	0
65 - 69	0	0
70 - 74	0	1
75 - 79	0	0
80 and Over	0	0
Unknown Age	0	1

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	6
Under 5	0	0
5 - 9	0	0
10 - 13	0	2
14 - 17	0	2
18 - 20	0	1
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	1
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

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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	957	100.0	6	41	134	305	11	460
No Restraint Used	69	7.2	4	6	12	18	1	28
Air Bag Deployed	7	0.7	1	1	1	4	0	0
with Child Restraint	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Harness	1	0.1	0	0	0	1	0	0
with Lap Belt	3	0.3	0	0	1	2	0	0
with Lap Belt & Harness	90	9.4	0	9	17	39	2	23
Child Restraint Only	32	3.3	0	0	2	5	0	25
Harness	22	2.3	0	1	4	6	0	11
Lap Belt	37	3.9	0	2	6	6	0	23
Lap Belt & Harness	663	69.3	1	17	90	219	7	329
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	33	3.4	0	5	1	5	1	21
Motorcyclists	20	100.0	2	4	7	5	1	1
No Helmet Used	2	10.0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Helmet Used	15	75.0	2	3	3	5	1	1
Unknown	3	15.0	0	0	3	0	0	0
Bicyclists	7	100.0	0	0	1	4	1	1
No Helmet Used	3	42.9	0	0	1	1	0	1
Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	4	57.1	0	0	0	3	1	0

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TABLE 1(P) Alcohol-Related (A-R) Accidents	
Category Totals	Police Reported
Total Accidents	28†
Fatal Accidents	4
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	24
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	0†
Vehicles	35
Drivers Involved	35
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	28
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	7
Vehicle Occupants	57
Special A-R Accident Series	
A-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0
A-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0
A-R Motorcycle Accidents	2
Fatalities	
Persons Killed (1)	4
Drivers Killed	4
Passengers Killed	0
Pedestrians Killed	0
Bicyclists Killed	0
Other	0
Non-Fatal Injuries	
Persons Injured (1)	29
Drivers Injured	21
Passengers Injured	8
Pedestrians Injured	0
Bicyclists Injured	0
Other	0
† It is important to note that the data for 2003 are not strictly comparable to the data for 2001 and 2002. Changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2001 with respect to property damage crashes have reduced the total number of crashes, since the changes resulted in fewer 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	28	100.0
Fatal (K) Accidents	4	14.3
Personal Injury Accidents		
Serious (A)	3	10.7
Moderate (B)	13	46.4
Minor (C)	7	25.0
Unknown Severity	1	3.6
Property Damage (O) Accidents	0	0.0

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	28	9	2	0	2	1	3	7	4	0
Sunday										
<i>Total</i>	7	3	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	7	3	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Monday										
<i>Total</i>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuesday										
<i>Total</i>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wednesday										
<i>Total</i>	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Fatal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thursday										
<i>Total</i>	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Fatal	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Personal Injury	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Friday										
<i>Total</i>	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Fatal	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saturday										
<i>Total</i>	11	3	2	0	1	1	1	2	1	0
Fatal	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Personal Injury	9	2	2	0	0	1	1	2	1	0
Property Damage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	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	28	100.0	4	24	0
State Police	20	71.4	2	18	0
County Police	0	0.0	0	0	0
New York City Police (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	8	28.6	2	6	0
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	28	100.0	4	24	0
State Routes	15	53.6	4	11	0
County Routes	3	10.7	0	3	0
Town Routes	6	21.4	0	6	0
Municipal Streets	4	14.3	0	4	0
Parkways	0	0.0	0	0	0
Thruway	0	0.0	0	0	0
Other Interstates	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0	0

TABLE 6(P) Manner of Collision					
	Total Accidents		Severity Class of Accident		
	Number	Percent	Fatal	Personal Injury	Property Damage
Total	28	100.0	4	24	0
Single Vehicle Accidents	21	75.0	3	18	0
Two Vehicle Accidents	7	25.0	1	6	0
3 or More Vehicle Accidents	0	0.0	0	0	0

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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	28	100.0	4	24	0
Accidents With No Factor Reported	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accidents With One or More Factors Reported	28	100.0	4	24	0
Accidents With Human Factors	28	100.0	4	24	0
Aggressive Driving/Road Rage	0	0.0	0	0	0
Alcohol Involvement	27	96.4	4	23	0
Backing Unsafely	1	3.6	0	1	0
Cell Phone (hand held)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Cell Phone (hands free)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Driver Inattention/Distraction	3	10.7	0	3	0
Driver Inexperience	0	0.0	0	0	0
Drugs (Illegal)	0	0.0	0	0	0
Failure to Keep Right	5	17.9	0	5	0
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	2	7.1	0	2	0
Fatigued/Drowsy	0	0.0	0	0	0
Fell Asleep	0	0.0	0	0	0
Following Too Closely	1	3.6	0	1	0
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	2	7.1	0	2	0
Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Other Ped Error/Confusion	0	0.0	0	0	0
Physical Disability	0	0.0	0	0	0
Prescription Medication	0	0.0	0	0	0
Reaction to Other Uninvolved Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0	0
Traffic Control Disregarded	0	0.0	0	0	0
Turning Improperly	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unsafe Lane Changing	0	0.0	0	0	0
Unsafe Speed	14	50.0	3	11	0
Other Human	0	0.0	0	0	0
Accidents With Vehicular Factors	0	0.0	0	0	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	0	0.0	0	0	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	0	0.0	0	0	0
Animal's Action	0	0.0	0	0	0
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	35	100.0	7	100.0	28	100.0	4	24	0
Male	28	80.0	4	57.1	24	85.7	4	20	0
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
18 - 20	3	8.6	0	0.0	3	10.7	0	3	0
21 - 24	5	14.3	0	0.0	5	17.9	1	4	0
25 - 29	3	8.6	0	0.0	3	10.7	1	2	0
30 - 34	5	14.3	0	0.0	5	17.9	0	5	0
35 - 39	2	5.7	1	14.3	1	3.6	0	1	0
40 - 44	4	11.4	1	14.3	3	10.7	0	3	0
45 - 49	2	5.7	1	14.3	1	3.6	1	0	0
50 - 54	2	5.7	1	14.3	1	3.6	1	0	0
55 - 59	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
60 - 64	1	2.9	0	0.0	1	3.6	0	1	0
65 - 69	1	2.9	0	0.0	1	3.6	0	1	0
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0.0	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
Female	7	20.0	3	42.9	4	14.3	0	4	0
Under 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
16 - 17	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
18 - 20	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
21 - 24	2	5.7	1	14.3	1	3.6	0	1	0
25 - 29	3	8.6	2	28.6	1	3.6	0	1	0
30 - 34	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
35 - 39	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
40 - 44	1	2.9	0	0.0	1	3.6	0	1	0
45 - 49	1	2.9	0	0.0	1	3.6	0	1	0
50 - 54	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
55 - 59	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0
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	0	0.0	0	0.0	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	0	0.0	0	0.0	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	33	100.0	4	29
Under 5	0	0.0	0	0
5 - 9	2	6.1	0	2
10 - 13	0	0.0	0	0
14 - 17	1	3.0	0	1
18 - 20	4	12.1	0	4
21 - 24	5	15.2	0	5
25 - 29	4	12.1	1	3
30 - 34	4	12.1	0	4
35 - 39	2	6.1	1	1
40 - 44	5	15.2	0	5
45 - 49	3	9.1	1	2
50 - 54	2	6.1	1	1
55 - 59	0	0.0	0	0
60 - 64	0	0.0	0	0
65 - 69	1	3.0	0	1
70 - 74	0	0.0	0	0
75 - 79	0	0.0	0	0
80 and Over	0	0.0	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0

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	55	100.0	3	4	13	8	3	24
No Restraint Used	9	16.4	2	2	2	0	0	3
Air Bag Deployed	1	1.8	0	0	1	0	0	0
with Child Restraint	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Harness	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Lap Belt	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
with Lap Belt & Harness	5	9.1	0	1	1	1	2	0
Child Restraint Only	1	1.8	0	0	0	1	0	0
Harness	1	1.8	0	0	1	0	0	0
Lap Belt	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lap Belt & Harness	31	56.4	1	1	8	5	1	15
Other	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	7	12.7	0	0	0	1	0	6
Motorcyclists	2	100.0	1	0	0	1	0	0
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Helmet Used	2	100.0	1	0	0	1	0	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

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

Jurisdiction	Pop.	%	Miles	%	Pop./ Mile	2002			2003			2004				
						F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI		
Towns																
Columbia	1,686	2.6	76.2	5.0	22.1	13	0.2	1.55	11	0.1	1.92	9	0.1	1.44		
Danube	1,092	1.7	63.6	4.2	17.2	19	0.3	1.57	23	0.4	1.41	17	0.3	1.56		
Fairfield	1,223	1.9	68.4	4.5	17.9	10	0.1	1.73	10	0.1	1.31	7	0.1	1.80		
Frankfort	4,939	7.7	95.2	6.2	51.9	51	0.5	1.49	45	0.5	1.36	51	0.5	1.39		
German Flatts	2,401	3.8	68.1	4.4	35.3	34	0.5	1.79	28	0.4	1.71	31	0.5	1.49		
Herkimer	2,471	3.9	60.1	3.9	41.1	33	0.5	1.54	31	0.5	1.32	38	0.6	1.38		
Litchfield	1,517	2.4	65.3	4.3	23.2	15	0.2	1.83	6	0.1	1.44	16	0.2	1.67		
Little Falls	1,514	2.4	53.7	3.5	28.2	16	0.3	1.45	23	0.4	1.74	14	0.3	1.48		
Manheim	1,111	1.7	57.7	3.8	19.3	10	0.2	1.50	15	0.3	1.58	11	0.2	1.55		
Newport	1,281	2.0	53.9	3.5	23.8	12	0.2	1.50	10	0.2	1.31	10	0.2	1.71		
Norway	751	1.2	47.9	3.1	15.7	5	0.1	1.50	4	0.1	1.43	1	<0.1	3.00		
Ohio	939	1.5	106.2	6.9	8.8	8	0.1	2.11	7	0.1	1.80	5	<0.1	1.33		
Russia	1,874	2.9	102.0	6.7	18.4	11	0.1	1.54	7	0.1	1.89	12	0.1	1.47		
Salisbury	1,930	3.0	93.6	6.1	20.6	16	0.2	1.88	7	0.1	1.44	11	0.1	1.58		
Schuyler	3,388	5.3	72.1	4.7	47.0	40	0.6	1.42	36	0.5	1.42	34	0.5	1.77		
Stark	754	1.2	60.6	4.0	12.4	1	<0.1	2.00	2	<0.1	2.00	3	<0.1	1.33		
Warren	1,118	1.8	70.5	4.6	15.9	6	0.1	2.40	11	0.2	1.63	6	0.1	1.29		
Webb	1,946	3.0	115.1	7.5	16.9	25	0.2	1.69	23	0.2	1.68	22	0.2	1.78		
Winfield	1,341	2.1	48.4	3.2	27.7	6	0.1	1.50	5	0.1	1.13	5	0.1	1.14		

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Jurisdiction	Pop.	%	Miles	%	Pop./ Mile	2002			2003			2004			
						F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	MSI	
Villages															
Cold Brook	328	0.5	2.0	0.1	164.0	1	0.5	2.00	2	1.0	1.50	1	0.5	1.00	
Dolgeville (partial)	2,007	3.1	12.6	0.8	159.3	2	0.2	1.00	1	0.1	1.00	3	0.2	1.00	
Frankfort	2,466	3.9	13.7	0.9	180.0	2	0.1	2.00	5	0.4	1.20	8	0.6	1.25	
Herkimer	7,295	11.4	34.2	2.2	213.3	54	1.6	1.27	51	1.5	1.38	41	1.2	1.21	
Ilion	8,374	13.1	34.2	2.2	244.9	32	0.9	1.28	30	0.9	1.42	33	1.0	1.47	
Middleville	543	0.9	4.3	0.3	126.3	2	0.5	1.00	1	0.2	1.00	0	na	na	
Mohawk	2,586	4.0	12.0	0.8	215.5	13	1.1	1.53	8	0.7	1.92	16	1.3	1.60	
Newport	622	1.0	3.6	0.2	172.8	2	0.6	1.00	1	0.3	1.00	1	0.3	2.00	
Poland	451	0.7	2.9	0.2	155.5	4	1.4	1.50	0	na	na	2	0.7	1.50	
West Winfield	848	1.3	4.8	0.3	176.7	2	0.4	2.00	3	0.6	1.50	6	1.3	1.88	
City															
Little Falls	5,062	7.9	28.8	1.9	175.8	31	1.1	1.45	23	0.8	1.37	23	0.8	1.30	
Other															
unknown	na	na	na	na	na	3	na	na	3	na	na	2	na	na	
Herkimer County Total						479	0.3	1.54	432	0.3	1.49	439	0.3	1.48	
New York State		19,227,088		113342.8	169.6	180,522	1.6	1.26	168,865	1.5	1.26	156,349	1.4	1.27	

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

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

	2001	2002	2003	2004
	K&A Occupants %	K&A Occupants %	K&A Occupants %	K&A Occupants %
	n=63	n=64	n=47	n=58
No restraint used	20.6	26.6	21.3	24.1
Restraint used	74.6	65.6	68.1	70.7
Restraint use unspecified	4.8	7.8	10.6	5.2

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

Source: NYSDMV AIS Data Base.

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TSLE&D TICKETS ISSUED AND CONVICTION RATES FOR SELECTED V&T VIOLATIONS

VIOLATION	2001	2002	2003	2004
SPEED (V&T 1180)	7,870	7,093	7,604	5,750
% of total tickets	46.9	43.1	43.5	37.1
% convicted on same charge	51.3	44.8	45.7	43.8
SAFETY RESTRAINTS (V&T 1229c)	2,061	2,197	1,874	1,570
% of total tickets	12.3	13.4	10.7	10.1
% convicted on same charge	74.9	66.6	57.6	64.5
IMPAIRED DRIVING (V&T 1192)	481	495	546	675
% of total tickets	2.9	3.0	3.1	4.4
PERSONS ARRESTED*	380	389	387	397
% arrested as result of patrol activity**	83.2	84.6	85.8	87.4
% arrested as result of crash	16.3	15.2	12.7	11.6
% arrested as result of <i>other means</i> ***	0.5	0.3	1.6	1.0
TOTAL TICKETS FOR ALL V&T VIOLATIONS	16,793	16,456	17,499	15,479

* 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

Source: NYSDMV TSLE&D ticket system.

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Adjudication Status of Impaired Driving Cases & Conviction Rates TSLE&D Agencies

	2001	2002	2003	2004
Persons Arrested	(N=381)	(N=389)	(N=387)	(N=397)
Case adjudicated	84.3%	93.1%	83.7%	88.2%
Case pending	15.7%	6.9%	16.3%	11.8%
Disposition of Adjudicated Cases*	(N=321)	(N=362)	(N=324)	(N=350)
<i>Convicted on Alcohol Charge</i>	88.4%	90.6%	92.6%	91.2%
Convicted on original alcohol charge	15.0%	17.1%	22.2%	34.9%
Convicted on reduced alcohol charge	56.0%	53.9%	57.1%	50.3%
Convicted on other alcohol charge	17.4%	19.6%	13.3%	6.0%
<i>Convicted on Non-Alcohol Charge</i>	8.4%	7.2%	5.9%	5.4%
<i>Dismissed/Acquitted/Convicted on charge associated with different event</i>	3.2%	2.2%	1.5%	3.4%
* 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 TSLE&D.

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DWI/AI Probation Data

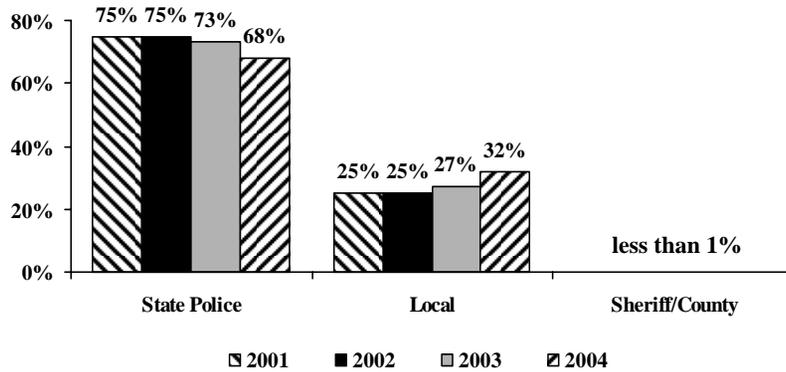
	2001	2002	2003	2004
Number of Persons Sentenced to Probation	32	42	27	27
Number of Persons on Probation*	104	109	94	84

* It should be noted that since the manner in which active probation cases were identified was adjusted in 2002, caution is advised when comparing the 2001 data with the data from later years.

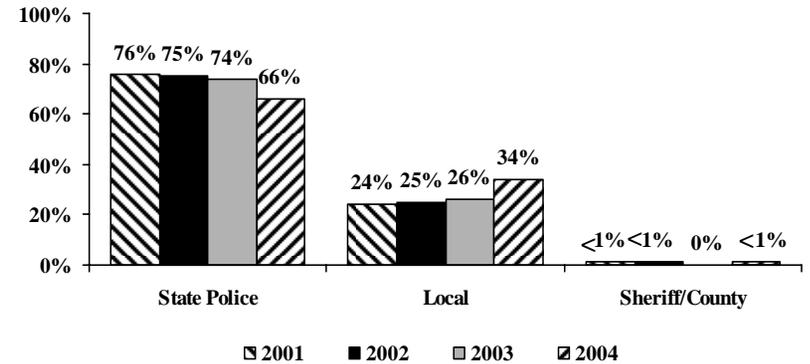
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Herkimer County V&T Tickets Issued by TSLE&D Agencies By Agency Type

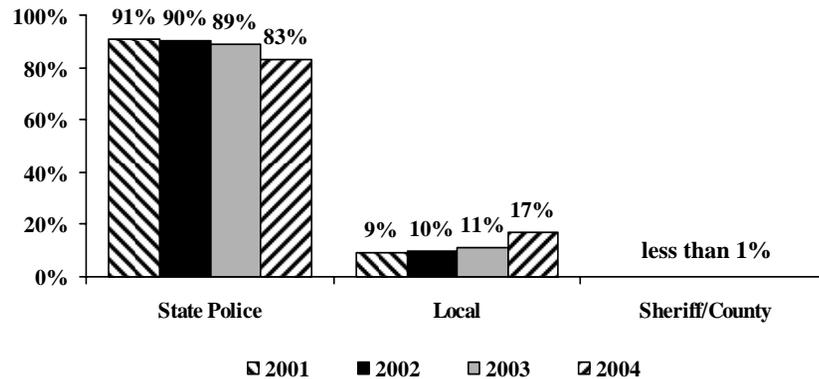
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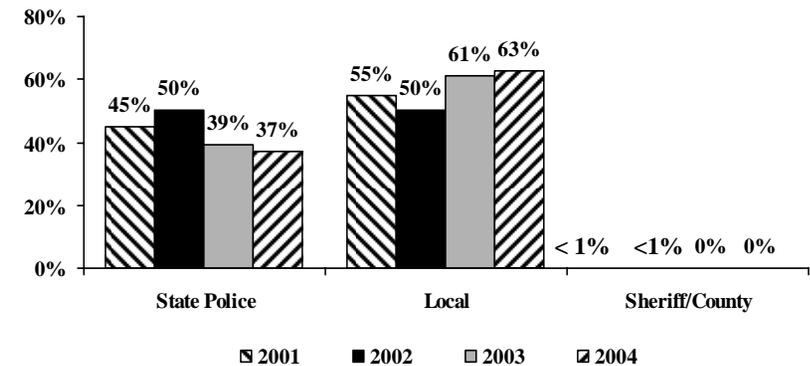
Seat Belt Tickets



Speed Tickets



Persons Ticketed for Impaired Driving



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TSLE&D Tickets Issued for Selected Violations by Enforcement Agency

Enforcement Agency		2001			2002			2003			2004		
		#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total
Herkimer Sheriff	alcohol	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.7	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
NCIC 02100	speed	3	0.4	<0.1	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.1	<0.1	0	0.0	0.0
	seatbelt	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.4	0.1
Frankfort Village P.D.	alcohol	21	6.8	4.3	18	5.9	3.6	7	2.0	1.3	14	3.5	2.1
NCIC 02121	speed	35	4.7	0.4	24	3.5	0.3	5	0.6	0.1	11	1.1	0.2
	seatbelt	113	22.8	5.5	53	9.6	2.4	2	0.4	0.1	1	0.2	0.1
Ilion P.D.	alcohol	36	11.7	7.5	31	10.1	6.2	60	17.0	11.0	51	12.8	7.6
NCIC 02122	speed	226	30.4	2.9	249	35.9	3.5	219	26.7	2.9	134	13.9	2.3
	seatbelt	116	23.4	5.6	232	42.0	10.6	187	39.2	10.0	86	16.2	5.5
Mohawk Village P.D.	alcohol	25	8.1	5.2	16	5.2	3.2	23	6.5	4.2	48	12.0	7.1
NCIC 02123	speed	40	5.4	0.5	22	3.2	0.3	38	4.6	0.5	41	4.3	0.7
	seatbelt	0	0.0	0.0	15	2.7	0.7	19	4.0	1.0	30	5.6	1.9
Herkimer P.D.	alcohol	151	48.9	31.3	175	57.0	34.9	178	50.6	32.6	173	43.4	25.6
NCIC 02124	speed	148	19.9	1.9	110	15.9	1.6	95	11.6	1.2	222	23.1	3.9
	seatbelt	209	42.2	10.2	191	34.6	8.7	127	26.6	6.8	180	33.9	11.5
Dolgeville P.D.	alcohol	12	3.9	2.5	26	8.5	5.2	20	5.7	3.7	18	4.5	2.7
NCIC 02125	speed	35	4.7	0.4	29	4.2	0.4	19	2.3	0.2	34	3.5	0.6
	seatbelt	6	1.2	0.3	17	3.1	0.8	12	2.5	0.6	15	2.8	1.0
Little Falls P.D.	alcohol	52	16.8	10.8	28	9.1	5.6	48	13.6	8.8	54	13.5	8.0
NCIC 02129	speed	98	13.2	1.2	115	16.6	1.6	270	32.9	3.6	207	21.5	3.6
	seatbelt	31	6.3	1.5	32	5.8	1.5	118	24.7	6.3	179	33.7	11.4

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TSLE&D Tickets Issued for Selected Violations by Enforcement Agency

Enforcement Agency		2001			2002			2003			2004		
		#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total
Webb Town P.D.	alcohol	1	0.3	0.2	1	0.3	0.2	5	1.4	0.9	2	0.5	0.3
NCIC 02167	speed	45	6.0	0.6	71	10.2	1.0	42	5.1	0.6	35	3.6	0.6
	seatbelt	4	0.8	0.2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.2	0.1
Frankfort Town P.D.	alcohol	11	3.6	2.3	10	3.3	2.0	11	3.1	2.0	39	9.8	5.8
NCIC 02168	speed	114	15.3	1.4	74	10.7	1.0	132	16.1	1.7	278	28.9	4.8
	seatbelt	16	3.2	0.8	12	2.2	0.5	12	2.5	0.6	37	7.0	2.4
Totals by Agency Type													
Sheriff and Local	alcohol	309		64.0	307		61.3	352		64.5	399		59.1
	speed	744		9.5	694		9.8	821		10.8	962		16.7
	seatbelt	495		24.0	552		25.1	477		25.5	531		33.8
State Police	alcohol	174		36.0	194		38.7	194		35.5	272		40.3
	speed	7,127		90.5	6,392		90.1	6,778		89.1	4,786		83.2
	seatbelt	1,564		76.0	1,644		74.8	1,396		74.5	1,038		66.1
Other	alcohol	0		0.0	0		0.0	0		0.0	4		0.6
	speed	0		0.0	8		0.1	5		0.1	2		<0.1
	seatbelt	0		0.0	1		<0.1	1		0.1	1		0.1
County Totals		483			501			546			675		
	alcohol												
	speed	7,871			7,094			7,604			5,750		
	seatbelt	2,059			2,197			1,874			1,570		

Source: NYSDMV