



# Crash Contributing Factors

**2004**

## RURAL CRASHES

Crash Contributing Factor	Fatal Crashes	Serious Injury Crashes	Other Injury Crashes	Non-Injury Crashes	Unknown Severity Crashes	Total Crashes
NOT APPLICABLE	119	490	375	1,237	368	2,589
ANIMAL ON ROAD- DOMESTIC	9	413	416	2,004	23	2,865
ANIMAL ON ROAD- WILD	17	539	490	3,275	42	4,363
BACKED WITHOUT SAFETY	6	83	160	1,832	143	2,224
CHANGED LANE WHEN UNSAFE	14	287	478	2,033	18	2,830
DEFECTIVE OR NO HEADLAMPS	0	14	8	16	1	39
DEFECTIVE OR NO STOP LAMPS	1	21	18	73	0	113
DEFECTIVE OR NO TAIL LAMPS	3	30	21	53	0	107
DEFECTIVE OR NO TURN SIGNAL LAMPS	2	29	28	119	0	178
DEFECTIVE OR NO TRAILER BRAKES	3	16	13	55	0	87
DEFECTIVE OR NO VEHICLE BRAKES	3	122	147	346	14	632
DEFECTIVE STEERING MECHANISM	2	74	51	160	3	290
DEFECTIVE OR SLICK TIRES	42	395	257	948	16	1,658
DEFECTIVE TRAILER HITCH	2	10	11	186	8	217
DISABLED IN TRAFFIC LANE	9	62	44	99	3	217
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	15	306	390	698	9	1,418
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	52	582	547	1,161	96	2,438
DISREGARD TURN MARKS AT INTERSECTION	1	9	22	144	5	181
DISREGARD WARNING SIGN AT CONSTRUCTION	3	22	25	76	4	130
DISTRACTION IN VEHICLE	54	621	682	1,457	42	2,856
DRIVER INATTENTION	298	4,208	5,033	13,080	544	23,163
DROVE WITHOUT HEADLIGHTS	7	54	41	70	4	176
FAILED TO CONTROL SPEED	181	3,905	5,944	13,442	548	24,020
FAILED TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE	202	1,793	1,203	3,429	357	6,984
FAILED TO GIVE HALF OF ROADWAY	8	203	187	696	10	1,104
FAILED TO HEED WARNING SIGN	10	110	68	212	16	416
FAILED TO PASS TO LEFT SAFELY	18	175	197	724	44	1,158
FAILED TO PASS TO RIGHT SAFELY	4	35	66	282	9	396
FAILED TO SIGNAL OR GAVE WRONG SIGNAL	4	67	90	305	3	469
FAILED TO STOP AT PROPER PLACE	0	40	80	215	17	352
FAILED TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS	0	10	7	14	0	31
FAILED TO STOP FOR TRAIN	9	20	11	42	2	84
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - EMERGENCY VEHICLE	1	11	17	36	1	66
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - OPEN INTERSECTION	6	191	293	568	10	1,068
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - PRIVATE DRIVE	19	435	634	1,999	13	3,100
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - STOP SIGN	92	1,203	1,499	3,236	33	6,063

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FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TO PEDESTRIAN	5	33	25	10	1	74
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURNING LEFT	53	972	1,109	2,326	30	4,490
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURN ON RED	1	13	36	132	0	182
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - YIELD SIGN	12	146	156	431	7	752
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	209	1,534	893	2,030	57	4,723
FAULTY EVASIVE ACTION	269	2,575	2,081	5,485	186	10,596
FIRE IN VEHICLE	1	3	5	115	4	128
FLEEING OR EVADING POLICE	8	84	54	144	23	313
FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	13	331	754	1,928	25	3,051
HAD BEEN DRINKING	182	1,340	681	1,739	171	4,113
HANDICAPPED DRIVER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	3	15	25	25	0	68
ILL (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	41	312	240	245	2	840
IMPAIRED VISIBILITY (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	33	328	348	990	17	1,716
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	2	29	47	197	1	276
LOAD NOT SECURED	5	42	52	333	4	436
OPENED DOOR INTO TRAFFIC LANE	0	8	2	17	3	30
OVERSIZED VEHICLE OR LOAD	1	18	13	186	5	223
OVERTAKE AND PASS INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	6	38	33	145	4	226
PARKED AND FAILED TO SET BRAKES	1	14	4	39	36	94
PARKED IN TRAFFIC LANE	11	82	89	233	10	425
PARKED WITHOUT LIGHTS	0	8	17	51	4	80
PASSED IN NO PASSING LANE	26	111	111	388	4	640
PASSED ON RIGHT SHOULDER	2	28	46	215	0	291
PED/PEDALSYS/MOT.CON.FYTROW TO VEHICLE	9	19	7	10	1	46
SPEEDING - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	312	4,158	2,620	8,705	745	16,540
SPEEDING - (OVERLIMIT)	215	1,072	469	1,177	147	3,080
TAKING MEDICATION (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	8	58	53	69	1	189
TURNED IMPROPERLY - CUT CORNER ON LEFT	1	24	48	291	15	379
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WIDE RIGHT	0	59	73	483	20	635
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WRONG LANE	5	89	123	525	7	749
TURNED WHEN UNSAFE	27	510	555	1,584	18	2,694
UNDER INFLUENCE - ALCOHOL	204	1,837	981	2,679	112	5,813
UNDER INFLUENCE - DRUG	52	311	212	363	14	952

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WRONG SIDE - APPROACH OR IN INTERSECTION	2	16	21	57	3	99
WRONG SIDE - NOT PASSING	171	555	264	664	28	1,682
WRONG WAY - ONE WAY ROAD	23	45	24	54	4	150
CELL/MOBILE PHONE USE	24	246	260	609	25	1,164
ROAD RAGE	1	29	40	158	2	230
OTHER FACTOR (WRITE ON LINE ABOVE)	96	1,048	864	2,952	132	5,092

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NOT APPLICABLE	223	2,277	3,341	6,007	2,788	14,636
ANIMAL ON ROAD- DOMESTIC	3	117	134	384	16	654
ANIMAL ON ROAD- WILD	1	74	152	529	23	779
BACKED WITHOUT SAFETY	4	281	842	6,934	1,349	9,410
CHANGED LANE WHEN UNSAFE	27	1,412	3,635	12,123	167	17,364
DEFECTIVE OR NO HEADLAMPS	1	32	47	63	3	146
DEFECTIVE OR NO STOP LAMPS	1	17	32	67	1	118
DEFECTIVE OR NO TAIL LAMPS	0	18	24	46	2	90
DEFECTIVE OR NO TURN SIGNAL LAMPS	0	8	36	78	0	122
DEFECTIVE OR NO TRAILER BRAKES	1	19	23	62	3	108
DEFECTIVE OR NO VEHICLE BRAKES	4	344	820	1,305	47	2,520
DEFECTIVE STEERING MECHANISM	0	97	109	326	13	545
DEFECTIVE OR SLICK TIRES	7	244	361	845	18	1,475
DEFECTIVE TRAILER HITCH	1	15	25	158	18	217
DISABLED IN TRAFFIC LANE	14	146	282	407	24	873
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	92	3,401	6,178	7,558	62	17,291
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	53	1,843	3,497	4,778	157	10,328
DISREGARD TURN MARKS AT INTERSECTION	2	100	278	1,151	16	1,547
DISREGARD WARNING SIGN AT CONSTRUCTION	6	39	66	128	14	253
DISTRACTION IN VEHICLE	19	945	1,830	3,519	197	6,510
DRIVER INATTENTION	198	8,695	21,402	44,252	3,240	77,787
DROVE WITHOUT HEADLIGHTS	5	120	155	249	32	561
FAILED TO CONTROL SPEED	317	11,618	30,453	48,447	4,378	95,213
FAILED TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE	241	2,983	4,175	10,322	2,893	20,614
FAILED TO GIVE HALF OF ROADWAY	0	126	214	666	130	1,136
FAILED TO HEED WARNING SIGN	6	66	108	228	30	438
FAILED TO PASS TO LEFT SAFELY	4	205	396	1,499	223	2,327
FAILED TO PASS TO RIGHT SAFELY	0	117	267	1,096	48	1,528
FAILED TO SIGNAL OR GAVE WRONG SIGNAL	0	94	184	599	8	885
FAILED TO STOP AT PROPER PLACE	1	267	921	1,498	66	2,753
FAILED TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS	0	13	23	44	3	83
FAILED TO STOP FOR TRAIN	6	25	26	69	6	132
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - EMERGENCY VEHICLE	2	86	141	196	5	430
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - OPEN INTERSECTION	3	477	1,220	2,157	24	3,881
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - PRIVATE DRIVE	26	1,670	3,961	9,112	61	14,830
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - STOP SIGN	53	3,537	6,997	12,170	122	22,879

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FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TO PEDESTRIAN	15	329	314	72	6	736
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURNING LEFT	67	4,460	8,426	13,227	115	26,295
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURN ON RED	1	120	277	866	11	1,275
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - YIELD SIGN	7	259	634	1,476	17	2,393
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	47	813	922	1,729	99	3,610
FAULTY EVASIVE ACTION	96	3,052	4,758	9,963	768	18,637
FIRE IN VEHICLE	0	8	12	67	1	88
FLEEING OR EVADING POLICE	24	196	223	479	85	1,007
FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	7	2,208	8,804	13,789	133	24,941
HAD BEEN DRINKING	112	2,110	1,973	3,936	460	8,591
HANDICAPPED DRIVER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	0	35	52	76	6	169
ILL (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	27	474	666	463	12	1,642
IMPAIRED VISIBILITY (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	18	545	915	1,903	23	3,404
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	3	95	317	842	49	1,306
LOAD NOT SECURED	0	70	105	591	36	802
OPENED DOOR INTO TRAFFIC LANE	0	10	26	150	9	195
OVERSIZED VEHICLE OR LOAD	0	23	41	315	36	415
OVERTAKE AND PASS INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	3	48	143	508	33	735
PARKED AND FAILED TO SET BRAKES	4	33	48	127	155	367
PARKED IN TRAFFIC LANE	7	171	215	456	37	886
PARKED WITHOUT LIGHTS	1	24	31	59	10	125
PASSED IN NO PASSING LANE	8	81	137	496	1	723
PASSED ON RIGHT SHOULDER	5	67	122	456	4	654
PED/PEDALSYS/MOT.CON.FYTROW TO VEHICLE	20	95	64	28	1	208
SPEEDING - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	17	496	636	1,469	114	2,732
SPEEDING - (OVERLIMIT)	216	1,649	1,332	2,070	390	5,657
TAKING MEDICATION (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	4	82	118	144	0	348
TURNED IMPROPERLY - CUT CORNER ON LEFT	1	72	201	877	57	1,208
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WIDE RIGHT	3	204	410	2,033	157	2,807
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WRONG LANE	4	452	1,189	3,843	47	5,535
TURNED WHEN UNSAFE	11	731	1,651	4,087	130	6,610
UNDER INFLUENCE - ALCOHOL	214	2,151	2,348	4,654	429	9,796
UNDER INFLUENCE - DRUG	38	297	323	534	50	1,242

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WRONG SIDE - APPROACH OR IN INTERSECTION	4	53	88	182	10	337
WRONG SIDE - NOT PASSING	25	195	193	384	95	892
WRONG WAY - ONE WAY ROAD	23	160	215	356	25	779
CELL/MOBILE PHONE USE	13	423	793	1,704	111	3,044
ROAD RAGE	3	93	149	436	18	699
OTHER FACTOR (WRITE ON LINE ABOVE)	116	2,450	4,501	9,610	1,154	17,831

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NOT APPLICABLE	342	2,767	3,716	7,244	3,156	17,225
ANIMAL ON ROAD- DOMESTIC	12	530	550	2,388	39	3,519
ANIMAL ON ROAD- WILD	18	613	642	3,804	65	5,142
BACKED WITHOUT SAFETY	10	364	1,002	8,766	1,492	11,634
CHANGED LANE WHEN UNSAFE	41	1,699	4,113	14,156	185	20,194
DEFECTIVE OR NO HEADLAMPS	1	46	55	79	4	185
DEFECTIVE OR NO STOP LAMPS	2	38	50	140	1	231
DEFECTIVE OR NO TAIL LAMPS	3	48	45	99	2	197
DEFECTIVE OR NO TURN SIGNAL LAMPS	2	37	64	197	0	300
DEFECTIVE OR NO TRAILER BRAKES	4	35	36	117	3	195
DEFECTIVE OR NO VEHICLE BRAKES	7	466	967	1,651	61	3,152
DEFECTIVE STEERING MECHANISM	2	171	160	486	16	835
DEFECTIVE OR SLICK TIRES	49	639	618	1,793	34	3,133
DEFECTIVE TRAILER HITCH	3	25	36	344	26	434
DISABLED IN TRAFFIC LANE	23	208	326	506	27	1,090
DISREGARD STOP AND GO SIGNAL	107	3,707	6,568	8,256	71	18,709
DISREGARD STOP SIGN OR LIGHT	105	2,425	4,044	5,939	253	12,766
DISREGARD TURN MARKS AT INTERSECTION	3	109	300	1,295	21	1,728
DISREGARD WARNING SIGN AT CONSTRUCTION	9	61	91	204	18	383
DISTRACTION IN VEHICLE	73	1,566	2,512	4,976	239	9,366
DRIVER INATTENTION	496	12,903	26,435	57,332	3,784	100,950
DROVE WITHOUT HEADLIGHTS	12	174	196	319	36	737
FAILED TO CONTROL SPEED	498	15,523	36,397	61,889	4,926	119,233
FAILED TO DRIVE IN SINGLE LANE	443	4,776	5,378	13,751	3,250	27,598
FAILED TO GIVE HALF OF ROADWAY	8	329	401	1,362	140	2,240
FAILED TO HEED WARNING SIGN	16	176	176	440	46	854
FAILED TO PASS TO LEFT SAFELY	22	380	593	2,223	267	3,485
FAILED TO PASS TO RIGHT SAFELY	4	152	333	1,378	57	1,924
FAILED TO SIGNAL OR GAVE WRONG SIGNAL	4	161	274	904	11	1,354
FAILED TO STOP AT PROPER PLACE	1	307	1,001	1,713	83	3,105
FAILED TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS	0	23	30	58	3	114
FAILED TO STOP FOR TRAIN	15	45	37	111	8	216
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - EMERGENCY VEHICLE	3	97	158	232	6	496
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - OPEN INTERSECTION	9	668	1,513	2,725	34	4,949
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - PRIVATE DRIVE	45	2,105	4,595	11,111	74	17,930
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - STOP SIGN	145	4,740	8,496	15,406	155	28,942

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FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TO PEDESTRIAN	20	362	339	82	7	810
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURNING LEFT	120	5,432	9,535	15,553	145	30,785
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - TURN ON RED	2	133	313	998	11	1,457
FAILED TO YIELD ROW - YIELD SIGN	19	405	790	1,907	24	3,145
FATIGUED OR ASLEEP	256	2,347	1,815	3,759	156	8,333
FAULTY EVASIVE ACTION	365	5,627	6,839	15,448	954	29,233
FIRE IN VEHICLE	1	11	17	182	5	216
FLEEING OR EVADING POLICE	32	280	277	623	108	1,320
FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	20	2,539	9,558	15,717	158	27,992
HAD BEEN DRINKING	294	3,450	2,654	5,675	631	12,704
HANDICAPPED DRIVER (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	3	50	77	101	6	237
ILL (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	68	786	906	708	14	2,482
IMPAIRED VISIBILITY (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	51	873	1,263	2,893	40	5,120
IMPROPER START FROM PARKED POSITION	5	124	364	1,039	50	1,582
LOAD NOT SECURED	5	112	157	924	40	1,238
OPENED DOOR INTO TRAFFIC LANE	0	18	28	167	12	225
OVERSIZED VEHICLE OR LOAD	1	41	54	501	41	638
OVERTAKE AND PASS INSUFFICIENT CLEARANCE	9	86	176	653	37	961
PARKED AND FAILED TO SET BRAKES	5	47	52	166	191	461
PARKED IN TRAFFIC LANE	18	253	304	689	47	1,311
PARKED WITHOUT LIGHTS	1	32	48	110	14	205
PASSED IN NO PASSING LANE	34	192	248	884	5	1,363
PASSED ON RIGHT SHOULDER	7	95	168	671	4	945
PED/PEDALSYS/MOT.CON.FYTROW TO VEHICLE	29	114	71	38	2	254
SPEEDING - UNSAFE (UNDER LIMIT)	329	4,654	3,256	10,174	859	19,272
SPEEDING - (OVERLIMIT)	431	2,721	1,801	3,247	537	8,737
TAKING MEDICATION (EXPLAIN IN NARRATIVE)	12	140	171	213	1	537
TURNED IMPROPERLY - CUT CORNER ON LEFT	2	96	249	1,168	72	1,587
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WIDE RIGHT	3	263	483	2,516	177	3,442
TURNED IMPROPERLY - WRONG LANE	9	541	1,312	4,368	54	6,284
TURNED WHEN UNSAFE	38	1,241	2,206	5,671	148	9,304
UNDER INFLUENCE - ALCOHOL	418	3,988	3,329	7,333	541	15,609
UNDER INFLUENCE - DRUG	90	608	535	897	64	2,194

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WRONG SIDE - APPROACH OR IN INTERSECTION	6	69	109	239	13	436
WRONG SIDE - NOT PASSING	196	750	457	1,048	123	2,574
WRONG WAY - ONE WAY ROAD	46	205	239	410	29	929
CELL/MOBILE PHONE USE	37	669	1,053	2,313	136	4,208
ROAD RAGE	4	122	189	594	20	929
OTHER FACTOR (WRITE ON LINE ABOVE)	212	3,498	5,365	12,562	1,286	22,923

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