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Delaware's Annual Traffic Statistical Report

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2005 DELAWARE

**THERE WERE
614,417 LICENSED DRIVERS,**

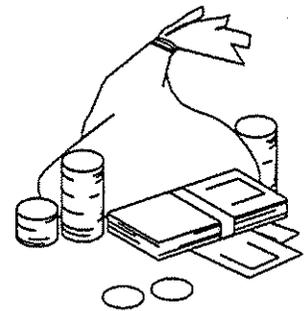
**824,351 REGISTERED
MOTOR VEHICLES,**

**AND 9,448,000,000
VEHICLE MILES DRIVEN*.**

**THERE WERE
18,681 TRAFFIC CRASHES**

**RESULTING IN
133 PEOPLE KILLED &
8,367 PEOPLE INJURED**

**AND AN ECONOMIC LOSS OF
OVER \$407 MILLION DOLLARS.**



** Vehicle Miles Driven is estimated for the year 2005.*

INTRODUCTION

The Traffic Control Section of the Delaware State Police is the repository for all Delaware traffic crash data. This includes all crash reports regardless of the geographical areas in which they occur or the police agency conducting the investigation. These crash reports are stored with us for quick retrieval for civil, criminal, and statistical purposes.

This is an annual compilation - in report form - of the 2005 crash statistics showing information for injury-producing crashes and property damage crashes in which the damage was over \$1500.

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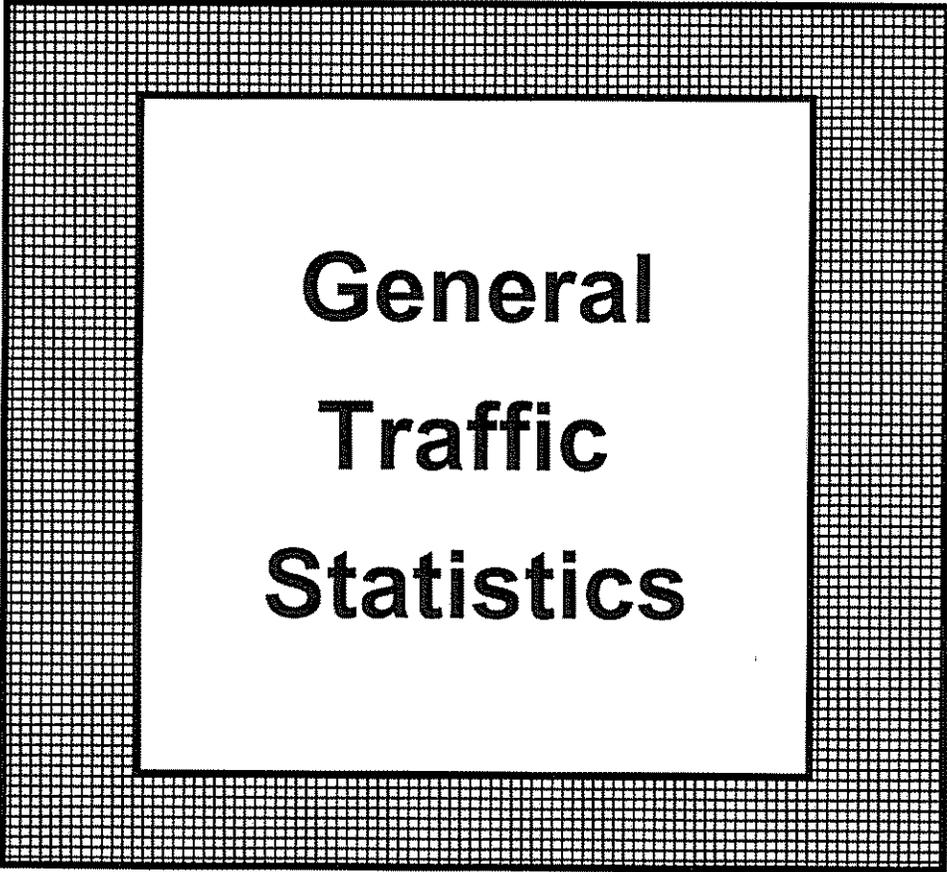
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**General
Traffic
Statistics**

TRAFFIC STATISTICS IN BRIEF

	2005	2004	% Change
Registered Vehicles	824,351	803,942	3%
Licensed Drivers	614,417	604,124	2%
Vehicle Miles Traveled** (in millions)	9,448	9,263	2%
Population	840,692	838,913	0%
Fatal Crashes	118	130	-9%
Personal Injury Crashes	5,348	5,326	0%
Property Damage Crashes	13,215	14,186	-7%
Total Crashes	18,681	19,642	-5%
Persons Killed	133	140	-5%
Persons Injured	8,367	8,314	1%
Death Rate per 100 million Vehicle Miles Driven	1.41	1.51	-7%
Death Rate per 10,000 Registered Vehicles	1.61	1.74	-7%
Death Rate per 100,000 Population	15.82	16.69	-5%

** Vehicle Miles Traveled for Year 2005 is estimate.

**POPULATION, LICENSED DRIVERS, REGISTERED
MOTOR VEHICLES, and MOTOR VEHICLE MILEAGE
1989 - 2005**

YEAR	POPULATION	LICENSED DRIVERS	REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES	MOTOR VEHICLE MILEAGE **
				** In Millions
1989	670,350	495,555	565,719	6,446
1990	669,055	484,803	571,774	6,549
1991	680,475	495,281	577,496	6,666
1992	690,096	501,397	600,896	6,817
1993	700,114	506,274	596,919	6,894
1994	708,925	513,406	608,881	7,026
1995	718,721	524,992	635,388	7,516
1996	727,114	532,218	650,862	7,645
1997	735,138	539,610	662,237	7,975
1998	743,601	548,322	675,640	8,220
1999	752,158	552,005	694,330	8,543
2000	786,448	563,949	717,360	8,199
2001	796,479	569,143	733,207	8,565
2002	807,382	577,581	755,272	8,838
2003	818,010	591,713	778,016	9,010
2004	838,913	604,124	803,942	9,263
2005	840,692	614,417	824,351	9,448

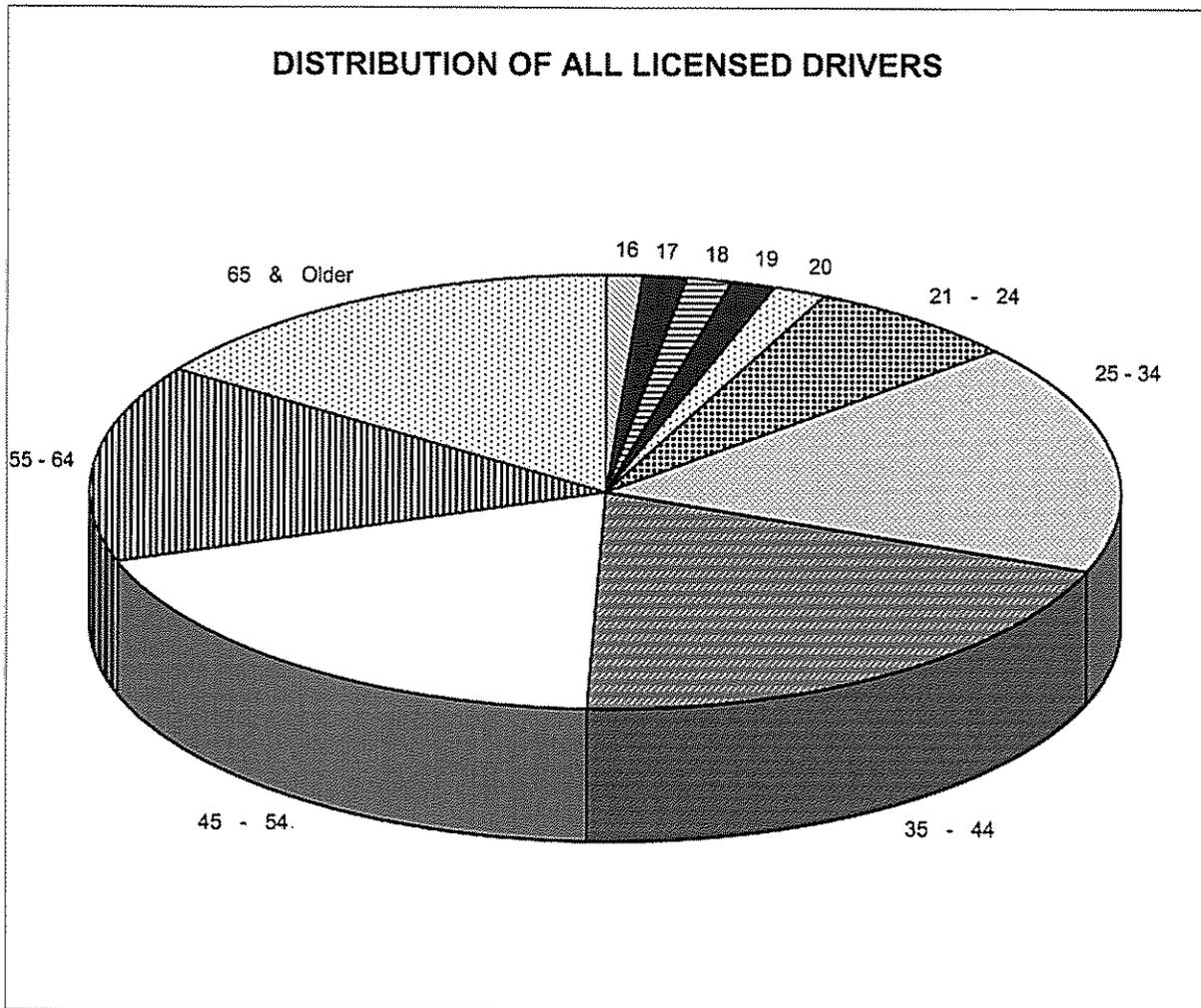
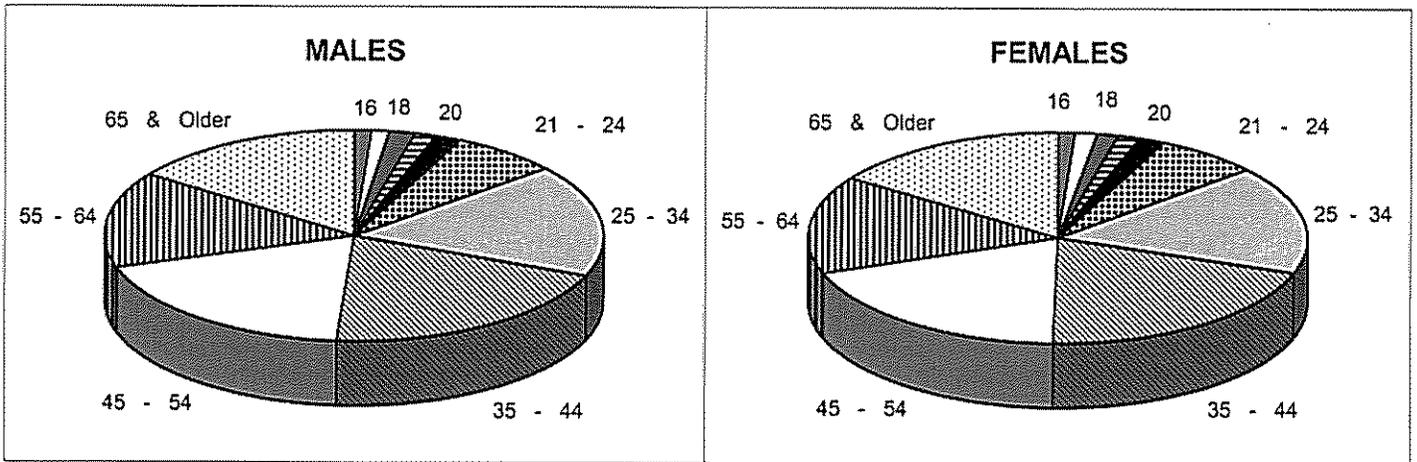
Source for population figures: Delaware Population Consortium
Source for licensed drivers and registered vehicles: Division of Motor Vehicles
Source for motor vehicle mileage: Department of Transportation
Mileage is estimated for the year 2005.

**NUMBER & PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION
of
LICENSED DRIVERS
2005**

AGE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	
			#	%*
16	2,949	3,447	6,396	1%
17	4,117	4,269	8,386	1%
18	4,349	4,481	8,830	1%
19	4,691	4,753	9,444	2%
20	5,060	4,958	10,018	2%
21 - 24	20,615	20,726	41,341	7%
25 - 34	51,316	52,904	104,220	17%
35 - 44	59,944	62,267	122,211	20%
45 - 54	57,100	60,724	117,824	19%
55 - 64	43,808	46,855	90,663	15%
65 & Older	45,941	49,143	95,084	15%
TOTAL:	299,890	314,527	614,417	100%

* Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.

Source for data: DEDOT, Division of Motor Vehicles

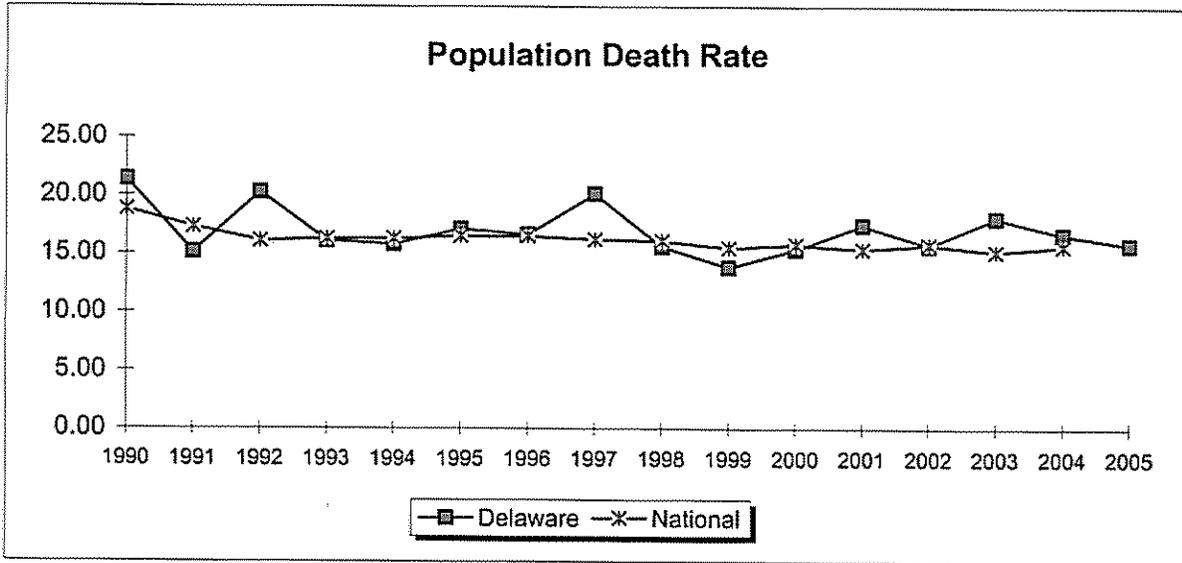
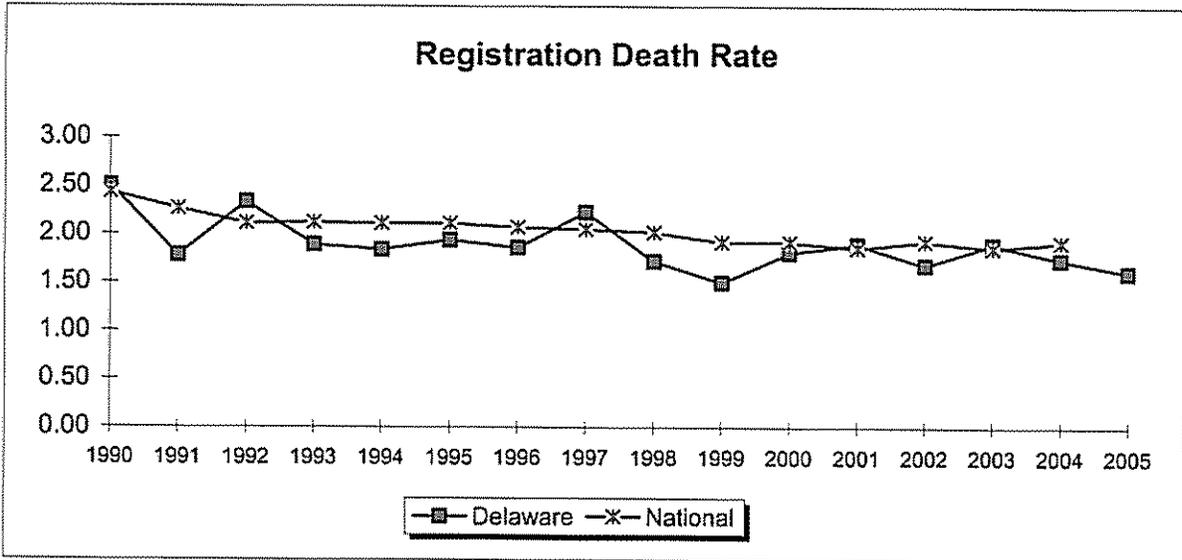
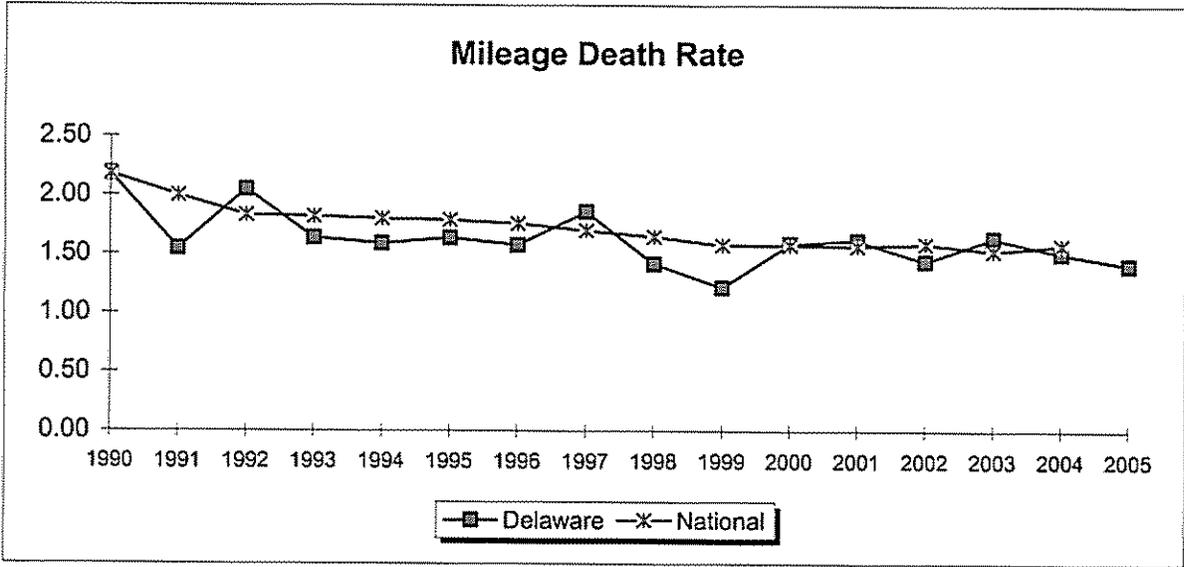


VEHICLE DEATH RATES

YEAR	MILEAGE DEATH RATE		REGISTRATION DEATH RATE		POPULATION DEATH RATE	
	Delaware	National	Delaware	National	Delaware	National
1990	2.18	2.18	2.50	2.43	21.37	18.80
1991	1.55	2.00	1.78	2.26	15.14	17.30
1992	2.05	1.83	2.33	2.11	20.29	16.10
1993	1.64	1.82	1.89	2.12	16.14	16.30
1994	1.59	1.80	1.84	2.11	15.80	16.30
1995	1.64	1.79	1.94	2.11	17.11	16.50
1996	1.58	1.76	1.86	2.07	16.64	16.50
1997	1.86	1.70	2.23	2.05	20.13	16.20
1998	1.42	1.65	1.72	2.02	15.60	16.10
1999	1.22	1.58	1.50	1.92	13.83	15.50
2000	1.59	1.58	1.81	1.92	15.39	15.80
2001	1.62	1.57	1.90	1.86	17.47	15.40
2002	1.44	1.59	1.68	1.93	15.73	15.80
2003	1.64	1.53	1.90	1.86	18.09	15.20
2004	1.51	1.58	1.74	1.92	16.69	15.70
2005	1.41		1.61		15.82	

Mileage Death Rate is the number of deaths per 100 million Vehicle Miles.
 Registration Death Rate is the number of deaths per 10,000 Registrations.
 Population Death Rate is the number of deaths per 100,000 Population.

Source for National figures: National Safety Council
 National death rates not available for 2005.



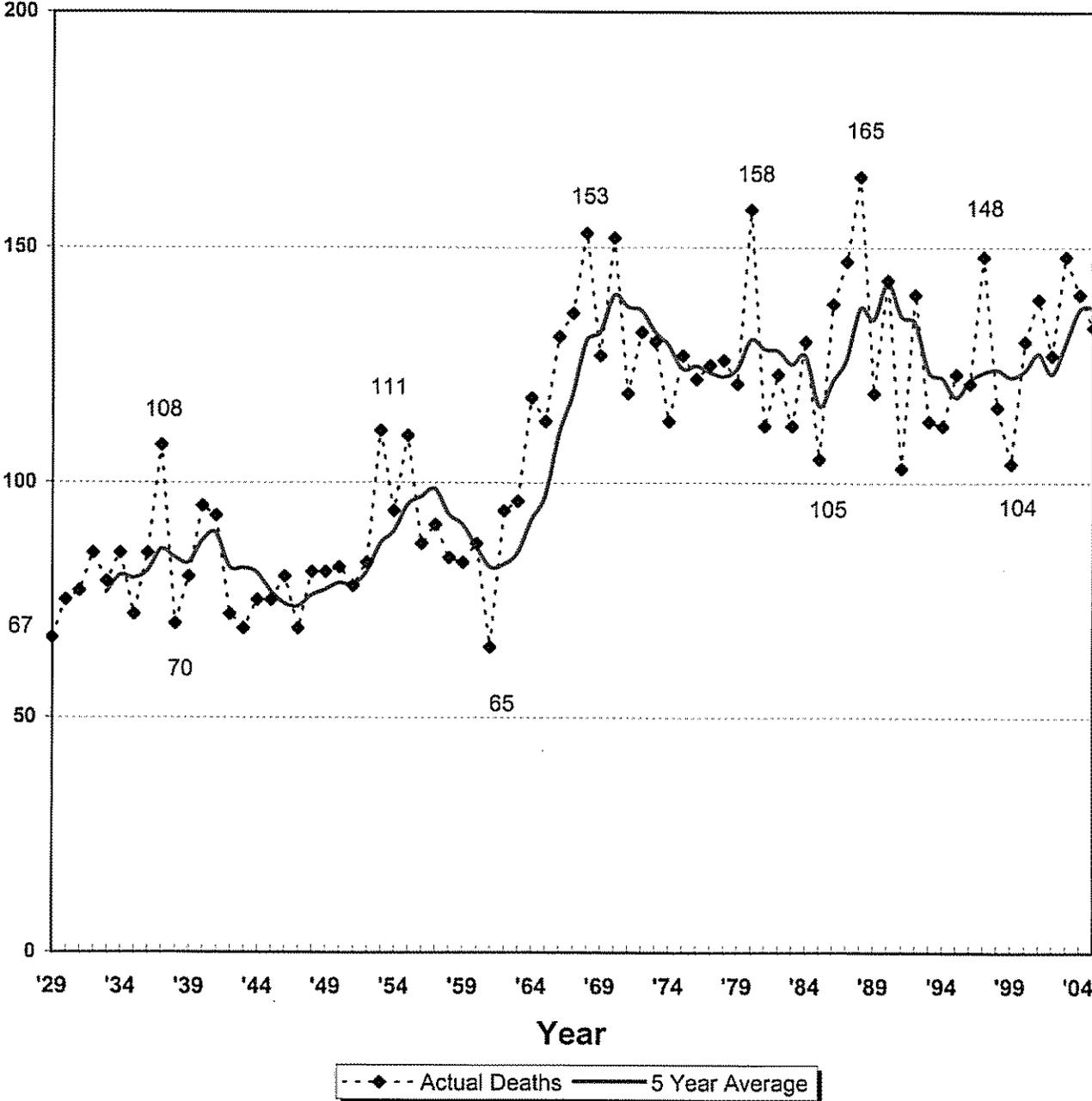
STATEWIDE CRASH AND INJURY DATA

1986 - 2005

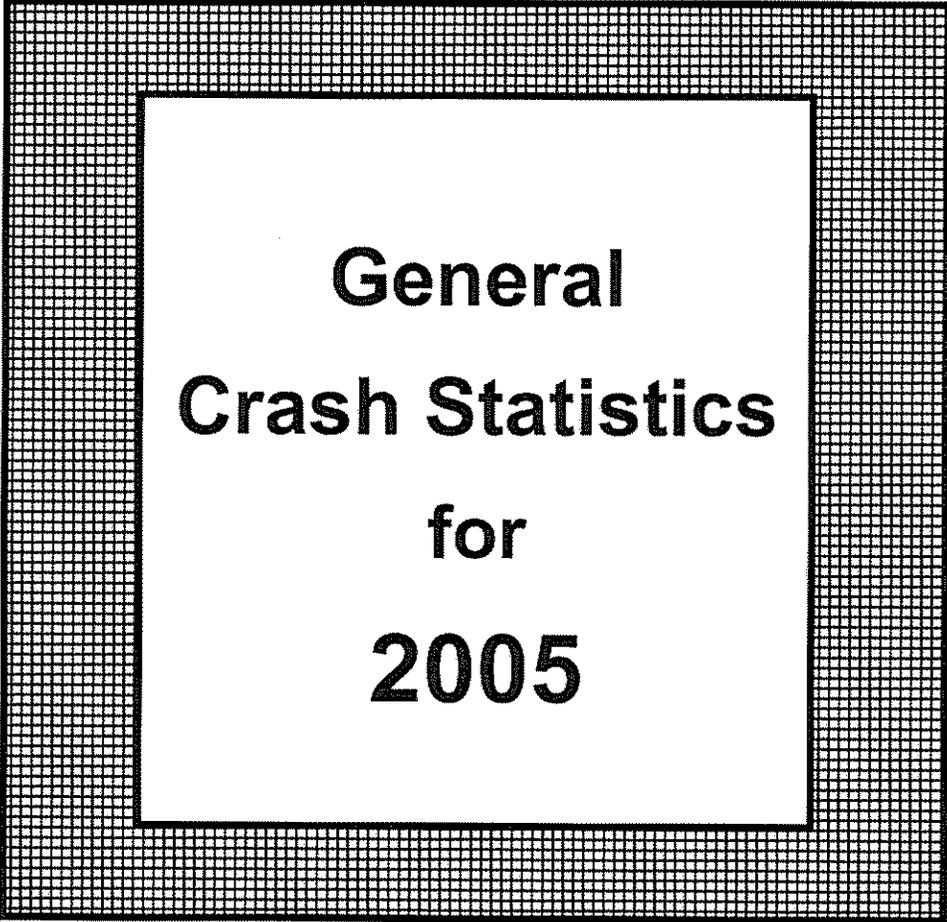
YEAR	ALL CRASHES	FATAL CRASHES	PERSONAL INJURY CRASHES	PROPERTY DAMAGE CRASHES	PERSONS KILLED	PERSONS INJURED
1986	19,876	121	5,928	13,827	138	9,335
1987	20,339	132	5,813	14,394	147	8,915
1988	19,790	147	5,878	13,765	165	9,245
1989	19,410	111	5,867	13,432	119	9,246
1990	17,850	126	5,441	12,283	143	8,695
1991	16,388	92	5,063	11,233	103	8,111
1992	17,150	118	5,176	11,856	140	8,400
1993	17,010	106	5,157	11,747	113	8,344
1994	18,029	105	5,330	12,594	112	8,551
1995	19,558	114	5,849	13,595	123	9,625
1996	20,465	110	6,204	14,151	121	10,187
1997	20,363	125	6,428	13,810	148	10,607
1998	20,558	108	6,714	13,736	116	11,027
1999	20,646	95	6,371	14,180	104	10,523
2000	21,218	121	6,408	14,689	130	10,421
2001	20,406	119	6,019	14,268	139	9,965
2002	21,215	117	6,172	14,926	127	9,965
2003	21,020	138	5,644	15,238	148	8,898
2004	19,642	130	5,326	14,186	140	8,314
2005	18,681	118	5,348	13,215	133	8,367

Delaware Traffic Deaths

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**General
Crash Statistics
for
2005**

DELAWARE

Traffic Crash Facts

- There were 18,681 reportable traffic crashes of which 118 were fatal, 5,348 were personal injury, and 13,215 were property damage crashes.
- A traffic crash was reported every 28 minutes.
- In 118 fatal crashes, 133 persons were killed.
- Twenty-four (18%) of the persons killed in Delaware in 2005 were minors (less than 21 years old).
- One person was killed every 66 hours as a result of traffic crashes.
- There were 8,367 persons injured in Delaware crashes.
- One person was injured every 63 minutes in traffic crashes.
- For each person killed, there were 63 injured.
- One out of every 25 licensed drivers in Delaware was a driver in a traffic crash.
- Alcohol was involved in 44% of the fatal crashes.
- Of all the drivers killed in fatal crashes, 38% of them were under the influence of drugs and / or alcohol.
- The number of pedestrians killed in traffic crashes in 2005 was 10, down from 17 in 2004.
- For each pedestrian killed, there were 21 injured.
- The number of bicyclists killed in traffic crashes in 2005 was 2; in 2004, there were 3 bicyclists killed.
- There were 86 bicyclists injured in 2005.
- Children under 15 years of age accounted for 27% of the bicyclists' injuries.
- There were 21 motorcyclists killed of which 12 were wearing a helmet.
- Of the 100 occupants killed in traffic crashes in 2005, only 41 were using occupant restraints.
- Of the 1,017 occupants killed in traffic crashes in the last ten years, only 40% were using occupant restraints.

2005 STATEWIDE FATAL CRASH SUMMARY

1. Fatal Crashes and Fatalities

	CRASHES	DEATHS
New Castle	57	64
Kent	29	37
Sussex	<u>32</u>	<u>32</u>
TOTAL:	118	133

2. Alcohol Related Fatal Crashes and Fatalities

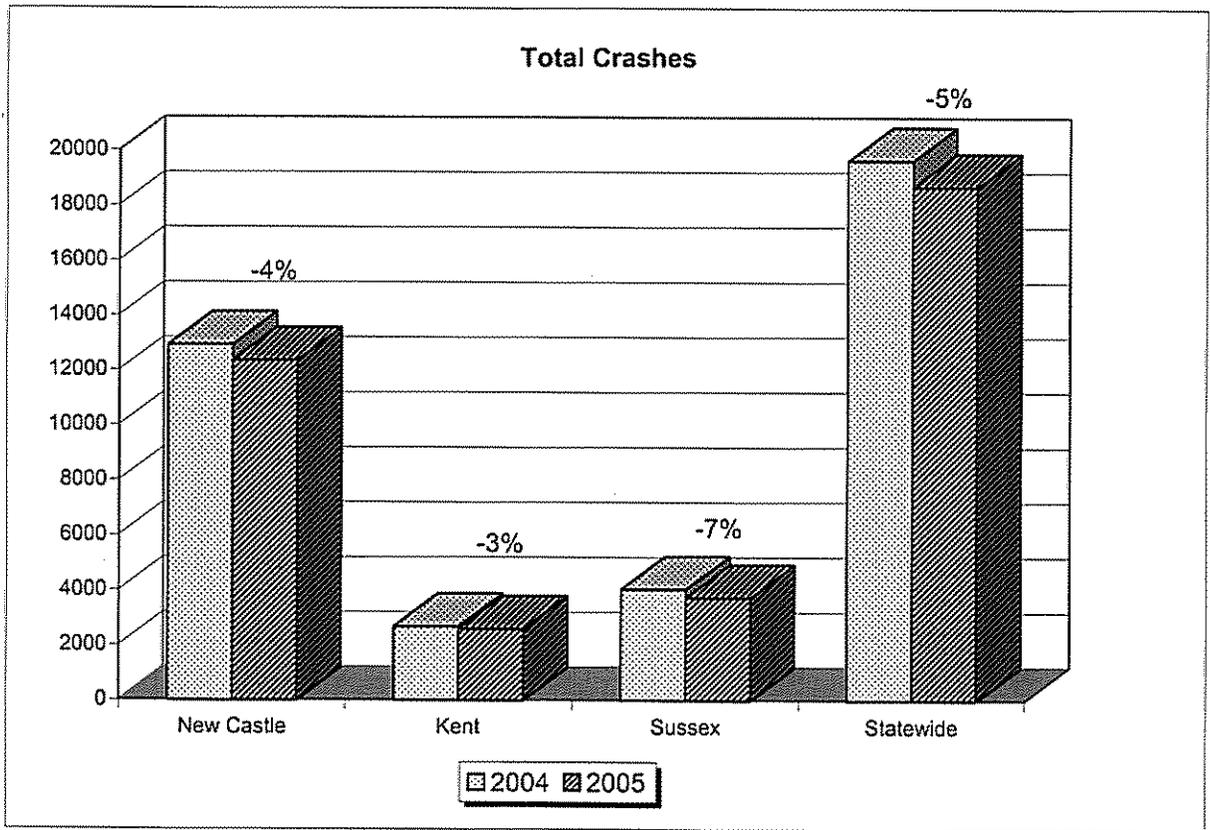
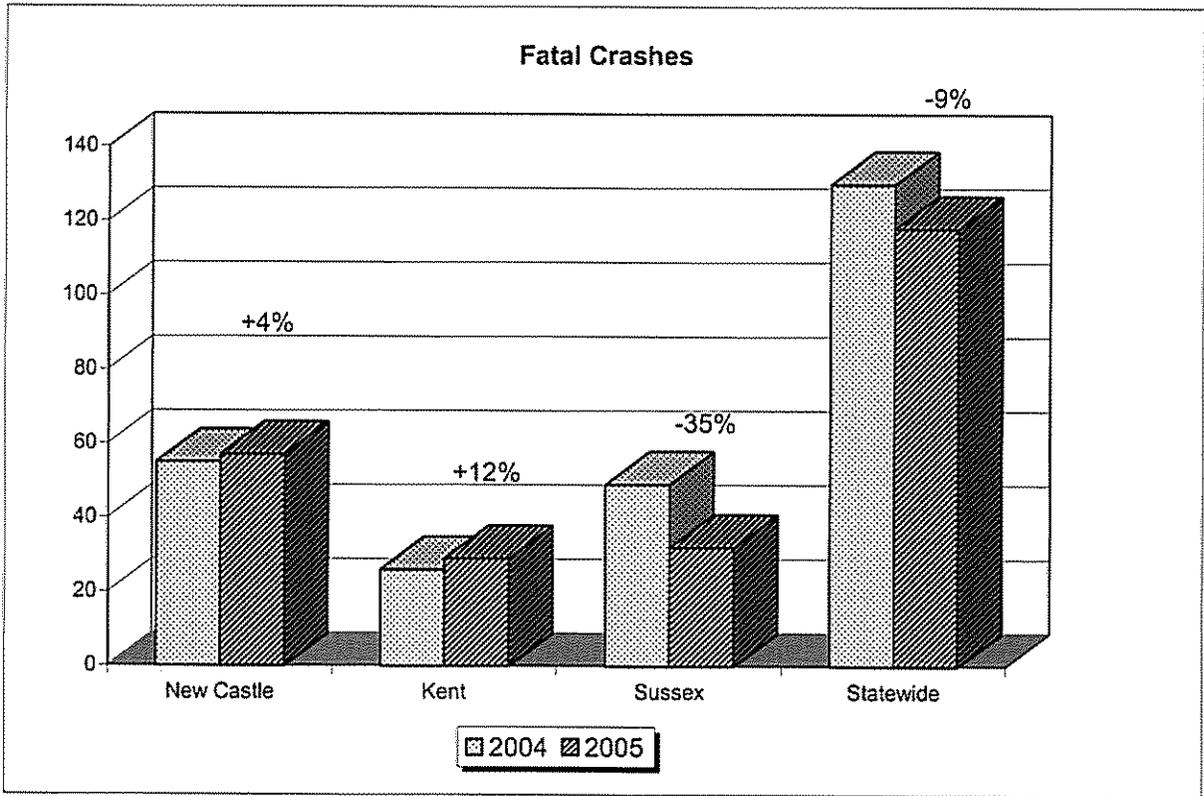
	CRASHES	DEATHS
New Castle	25	28
Kent	15	20
Sussex	<u>12</u>	<u>12</u>
TOTAL:	52	60

3. Status of Victims

A. CAR OCCUPANTS		100
Operators	71	
Passengers	29	
B. MOTORCYCLISTS		21
Operators	21	
Passengers	0	
C. PEDESTRIANS		10
D. BICYCLISTS		2
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TOTAL DEATHS:		133

CRASH COMPARISON by County

	2005	2004	% CHANGE
NEW CASTLE COUNTY			
Fatal Crashes	57	55	4%
Personal Injury Crashes	3379	3260	4%
Property Damage Crashes	8911	9606	-7%
 Total Crashes	 12347	 12921	 -4%
 Fatalities	 64	 59	 8%
Injuries	5322	4944	8%
 KENT COUNTY			
Fatal Crashes	29	26	12%
Personal Injury Crashes	955	967	-1%
Property Damage Crashes	1609	1685	-5%
 Total Crashes	 2593	 2678	 -3%
 Fatalities	 37	 29	 28%
Injuries	1465	1528	-4%
 SUSSEX COUNTY			
Fatal Crashes	32	49	-35%
Personal Injury Crashes	1014	1099	-8%
Property Damage Crashes	2695	2895	-7%
 Total Crashes	 3741	 4043	 -7%
 Fatalities	 32	 52	 -38%
Injuries	1580	1842	-14%
 STATEWIDE			
Fatal Crashes	118	130	-9%
Personal Injury Crashes	5348	5326	0%
Property Damage Crashes	13215	14186	-7%
 Total Crashes	 18681	 19642	 -5%
 Fatalities	 133	 140	 -5%
Injuries	8367	8314	1%



TYPE OF CRASH

Type of Crash	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Overturning	271	12	134	125
Other Non-Collision	184	1	58	125
Pedestrian	210	10	200	0
Motor Vehicle in Transport	13049	60	3848	9141
Motor Vehicle on Other Roadway	68	1	25	42
Parked Motor Vehicle	1111	3	77	1031
Railway Train	9	0	5	4
Pedalcyclist	99	2	91	6
Animal	418	1	22	395
Fixed Object	2660	27	840	1793
Other Object	170	1	39	130
Other	432	0	9	423
TOTALS:	18681	118	5348	13215

*2005 data

Contributing Circumstances

Contributing Circumstances	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Speed too fast	714	32	186	496
Failed to yield right of way	1372	11	499	862
Passed stop sign	392	10	145	237
Disregard traffic signal	634	4	263	367
Drove left of center	146	6	38	102
Improper Overtaking	377	3	57	317
Followed too Closely	1045	2	269	774
Made improper turn	458	1	98	359
Had been drinking	594	25	206	363
Other improper driving	766	3	209	554
Mechanical defect	109	0	28	81
Inattention	2494	12	635	1847
Other / Unknown	9580	9	2715	6856
TOTALS:	18681	118	5348	13215

*2005 data

Contributing Circumstances for Intersection Related Crashes

Contributing Circumstances	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Speed too fast	400	18	108	274
Failed to yield right of way	1057	9	409	639
Passed stop sign	365	9	138	218
Disregard traffic signal	588	3	241	344
Drove left of center	96	4	24	68
Improper Overtaking	179	2	31	146
Followed too Closely	631	2	165	464
Made improper turn	365	1	80	284
Had been drinking	335	19	119	197
Other improper driving	401	3	97	301
Mechanical defect	57	0	12	45
Inattention	1561	9	399	1153
Other / Unknown	3564	6	1170	2388
TOTALS:	9599	85	2993	6521

*2005 data

ROAD CONDITIONS

Road Surface Condition	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Dry	13720	84	4145	9491
Wet	3650	22	1040	2588
Snowy / Icy	748	6	139	603
Other / Not Stated	563	6	24	533

TOTALS:	18681	118	5348	13215
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LIGHT CONDITIONS

Light Condition	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Daylight	12112	50	3611	8451
Dawn / Dusk	874	5	245	624
Darkness, Lighted	2636	17	762	1857
Darkness, Not Lit	2495	42	713	1740
Other / Not Stated	564	4	17	543

TOTALS:	18681	118	5348	13215
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WEATHER CONDITIONS**

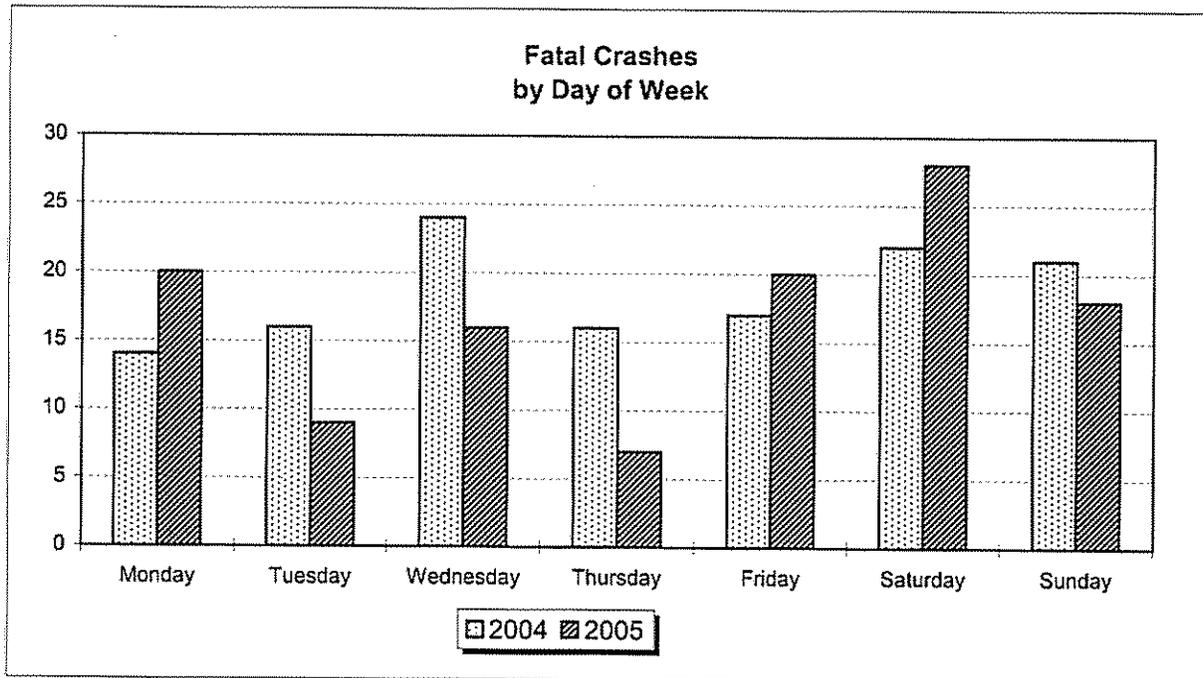
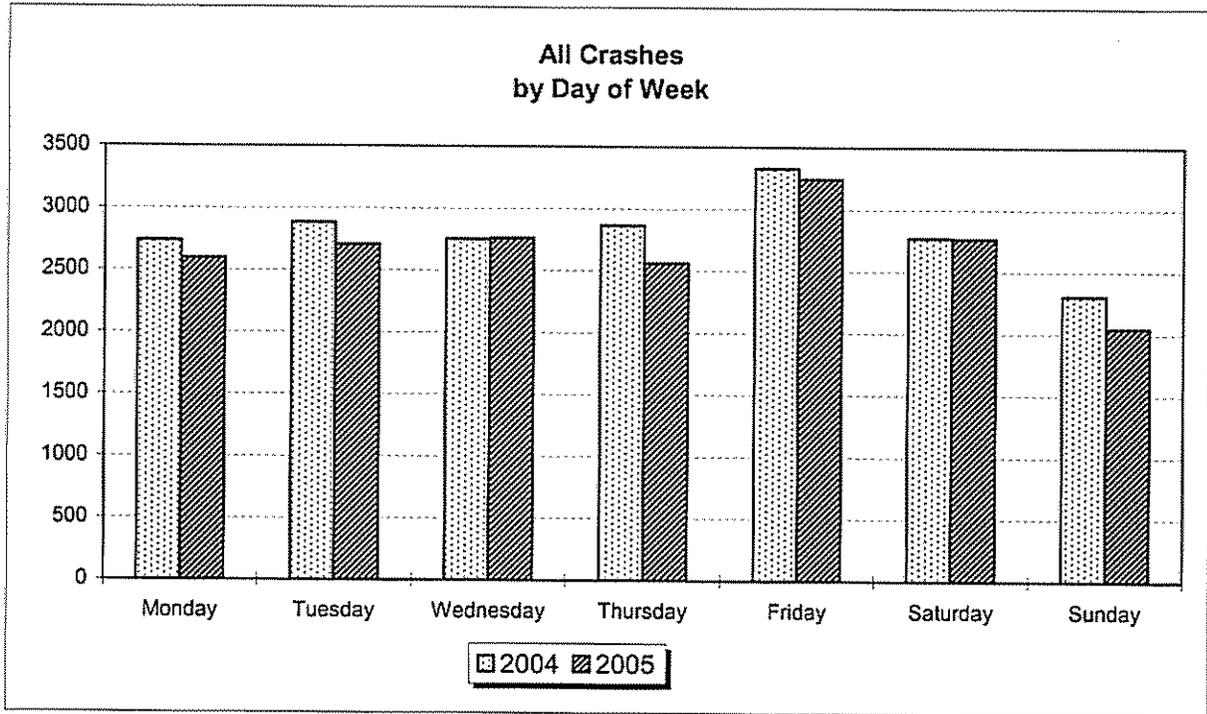
Weather Condition	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Clear	12476	78	3719	8679
Rain	2328	11	674	1643
Snow/Sleet	643	3	121	519
Fog	131	1	32	98
Cloudy	2739	18	858	1863
Other / Not Stated	585	7	18	560

TOTALS:	18902	118	5422	13362
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** For weather conditions, up to two choices per crash can be entered in the TraCS reports .

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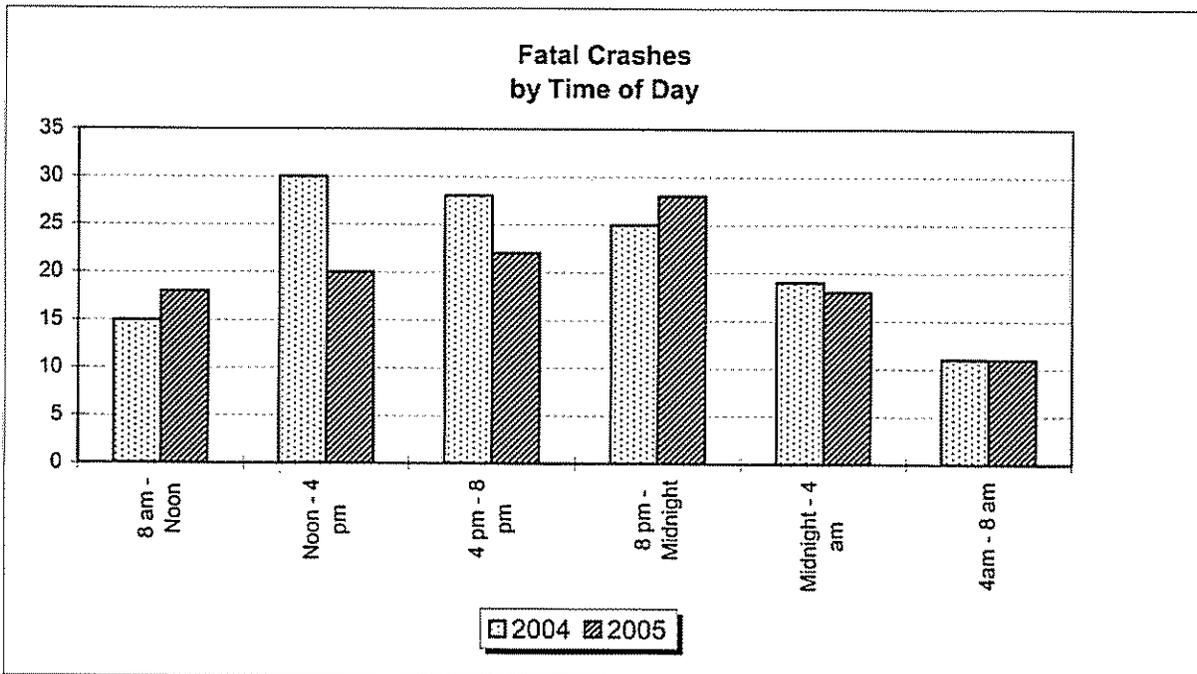
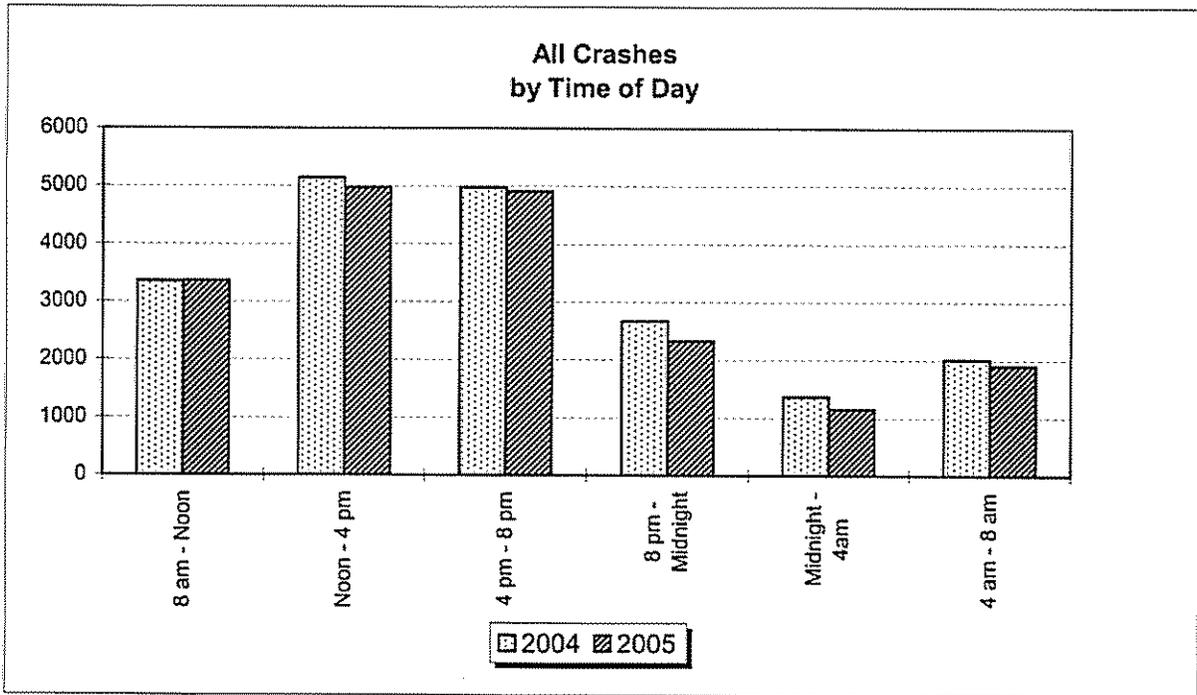
Day of Week	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
Monday	2737	2595	14	20
Tuesday	2883	2705	16	9
Wednesday	2752	2760	24	16
Thursday	2866	2562	16	7
Friday	3329	3246	17	20
Saturday	2769	2768	22	28
Sunday	2306	2045	21	18
TOTALS:	19642	18681	130	118



TIME OF DAY

All Crashes and Fatal Crashes

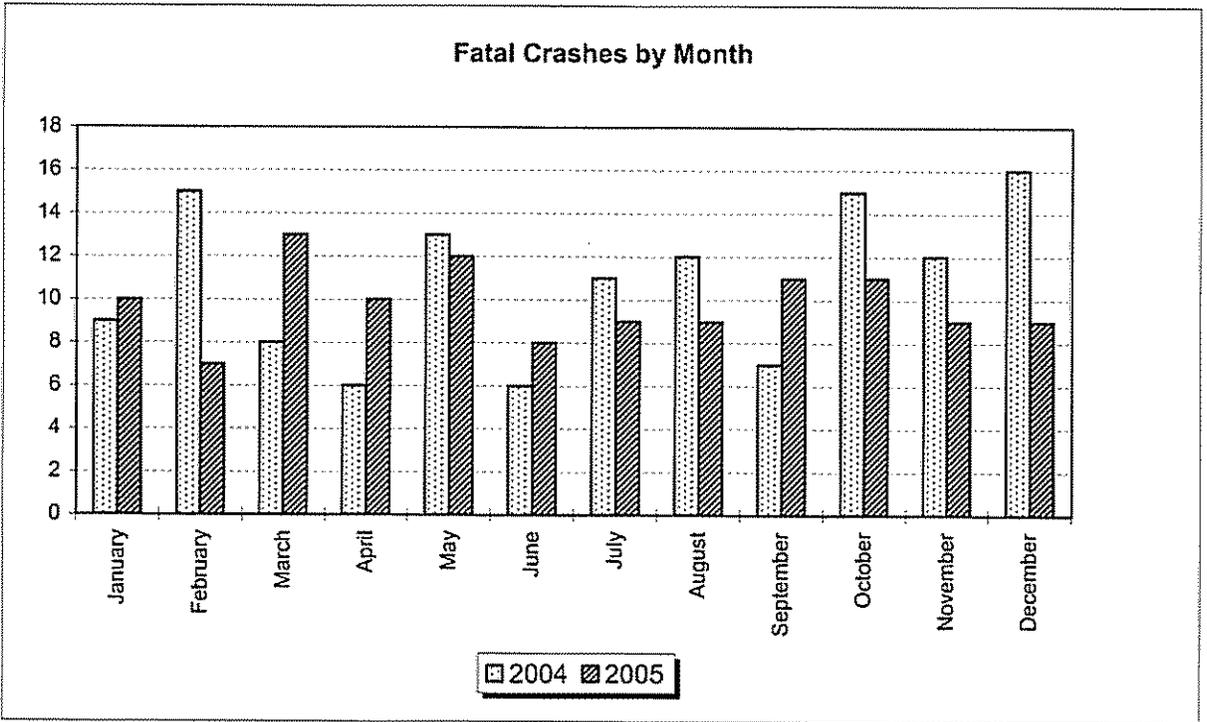
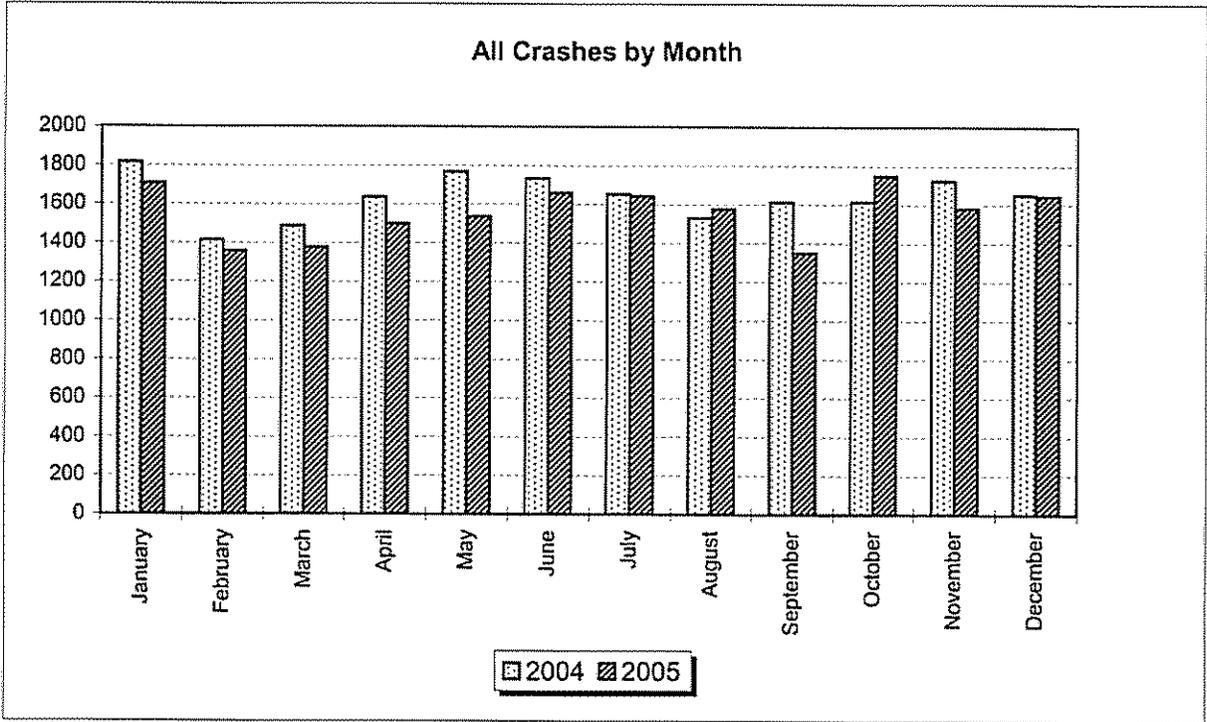
Time of Day	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
8 am - Noon	3357	3363	15	18
Noon - 4 pm	5138	4967	30	20
4 pm - 8 pm	4977	4907	28	22
8 pm - Midnight	2672	2328	25	28
Midnight - 4 am	1366	1155	19	18
4 am - 8 am	2013	1901	11	11
Not Stated	119	60	2	1
TOTALS:	19642	18681	130	118



CRASHES BY MONTH

All Crashes and Fatal Crashes

Month	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
January	1815	1708	9	10
February	1413	1359	15	7
March	1487	1376	8	13
April	1637	1500	6	10
May	1770	1536	13	12
June	1733	1658	6	8
July	1655	1643	11	9
August	1531	1578	12	9
September	1613	1350	7	11
October	1613	1746	15	11
November	1724	1583	12	9
December	1651	1644	16	9
TOTALS:	19642	18681	130	118



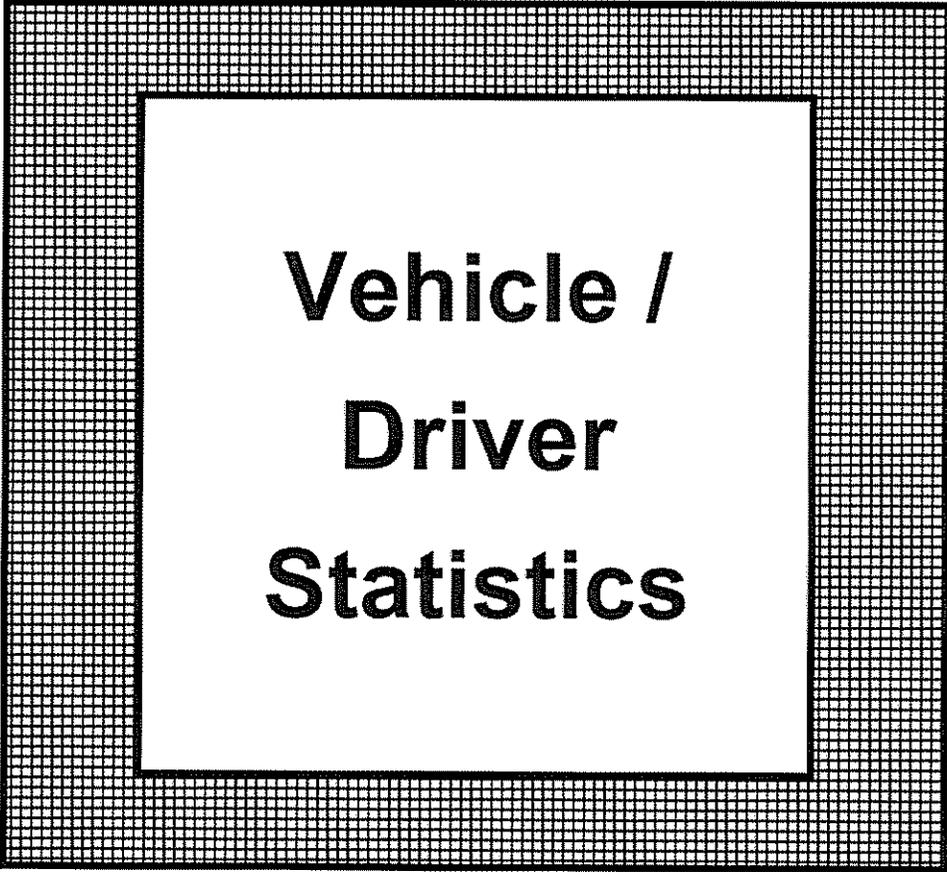
CONTRIBUTING POLICE AGENCIES

Police Agency	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes		Personal Injury Crashes		Property Damage Crashes	
	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04
Delaware State Police	12236	12887	105	110	3479	3516	8652	9261
Bethany Beach	31	49	0	0	4	9	27	40
Blades	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	2
Bridgeville	7	1	0	0	2	0	5	1
Camden	155	65	0	0	39	22	116	43
Clayton	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
DE River & Bay Authority	95	108	1	0	33	35	61	73
Delaware City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delmar	22	23	0	0	5	7	17	16
Dewey Beach	0	17	0	0	0	2	0	15
Dover	568	562	1	4	340	356	227	202
Elsmere	71	77	0	0	24	14	47	63
Fenwick	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Frederica	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1
Georgetown	123	59	1	1	36	10	86	48
Greenwood	18	15	0	0	4	1	14	14
Harrington	26	24	0	0	7	5	19	19
Laurel	37	55	0	0	7	14	30	41

CONTRIBUTING POLICE AGENCIES (cont.)

Police Agency	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes		Personal Injury Crashes		Property Damage Crashes	
	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04
Lewes	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Milford	219	210	1	1	75	71	143	138
Millsboro	111	115	1	0	25	19	85	96
Milton	9	18	0	0	4	2	5	16
Newark	743	835	0	1	251	274	492	560
New Castle City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Castle Co.	1566	1766	7	9	355	374	1204	1383
Newport	66	24	0	0	19	6	47	18
Ocean View	27	29	0	0	2	7	25	22
Rehoboth Beach	73	80	0	0	9	20	64	60
South Bethany	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	4
Seaford	176	176	0	0	37	37	139	139
Selbyville	27	23	0	1	5	5	22	17
Smyrna	100	89	0	0	34	24	66	65
Wilmington	2156	2306	1	2	546	492	1609	1812
Wyoming	10	10	0	0	3	1	7	9
Other	7	7	0	0	2	1	5	6
TOTALS:	18681	19642	118	130	5348	5326	13215	14186

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**Vehicle /
Driver
Statistics**

TYPE OF VEHICLE

Type of Vehicle	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Passenger Car	23213	99	6868	16246
Pickup Truck	4002	32	1122	2848
Commercial Van / Panel Truck	187	0	49	138
Farm Tractor &/or Farm Equipment	14	0	3	11
Motorcycle	281	22	205	54
Bus	117	2	46	69
School Bus	156	2	37	117
6-Wheel / 10-Wheel Trucks	585	5	147	433
Truck Tractor & Semi	468	3	135	330
Sport Utility Vehicle	3248	24	911	2313
Minivan / Passenger Van	1767	11	561	1195
Other	314	8	133	173
Not Stated	1117	1	68	1048
TOTALS:	35469	209	10285	24975

* Shows number of vehicles, not number of crashes.

* 2005 data

AGE OF DRIVER

Age of Driver	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
15 & Under	63	0	37	26
16	571	3	151	417
17	1138	5	315	818
18	1172	9	347	816
19	1175	10	344	821
20	1080	7	346	727
21 - 24	3833	21	1121	2691
25 - 34	6666	33	2058	4575
35 - 44	6530	37	2015	4478
45 - 54	5144	35	1549	3560
55 - 64	3071	19	915	2137
65 - 74	1430	12	417	1001
75 & Older	1199	12	354	833
Not Stated / Parked Car	2397	6	316	2075
TOTALS:	35469	209	10285	24975

* Shows number of drivers, not number of crashes.

* 2005 data

GENDER OF DRIVER

Gender of Driver	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Male	18764	150	5521	13093
Female	13785	48	4391	9346
Not Stated / Parked Car	2920	11	373	2536
TOTALS:	35469	209	10285	24975

RESIDENCE OF DRIVER

Residence	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes
Local Residence	25668	150	7989	17529
Non-Residence of Delaware	7020	48	1909	5063
Not Stated / Parked Car	2781	11	387	2383
TOTALS:	35469	209	10285	24975

* Shows number of drivers, not number of crashes.

* 2005 data

Motorcycle Crashes

In 2005:



- There were 295 traffic crashes which involved a motorcycle.
- 8% of the crashes were fatal crashes.
- Of the 25 fatal crashes involving motorcycles, 9 were alcohol related.
- 72% of the crashes were personal injury crashes.
- Of the 212 personal injury crashes involving motorcycles, 32 were alcohol related.
- 20% of the crashes were property damage crashes.
- Of the 58 property damage crashes involving motorcycles, 2 were alcohol related.
- Of the 21 motorcyclists killed in 2005, 12 were wearing a helmet.
- Of the 21 motorcycle operators killed, 9 had been drinking alcohol.
- The death rate for motorcyclists was 11.02 per 10,000 registrations -- compared to a death rate of 1.61 for all vehicles registered.

** Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.

MOTORCYCLE CRASHES

1990-2005

Year	Reg. Motor-cycles	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Motor-cyclists Killed	Number Killed Wearing Helmets	Motor-cyclists Injured	Number Injured Wearing Helmets
1990	7904	260	9	213	10	4	N/A	N/A
1991	8188	256	7	204	7	0	N/A	N/A
1992	8919	241	13	182	14	3	N/A	N/A
1993	9019	243	8	200	8	5	221	72
1994	9116	245	6	188	6	0	203	94
1995	9169	223	9	157	9	4	168	73
1996	9253	241	12	186	12	7	201	78
1997	9370	198	8	151	8	1	163	56
1998	9791	217	7	166	7	5	156	61
1999	10602	205	8	148	8	6	127	50
2000	11625	195	5	148	5	2	145	81
2001	12722	255	10	176	10	4	163	68
2002	13721	246	7	186	7	3	191	69
2003	15318	277	12	196	12	7	197	96
2004	17238	214	10	139	10	5	167	83
2005	19,063	295	25	212	21	12	204	129

* In the fatal crashes involving a motorcycle, it is possible that the motorcyclist sustains non-fatal injuries - an occupant of another vehicle is killed.

N/A - Not available for that year.

MOTORCYCLE CRASHES & INJURIES

by COUNTY

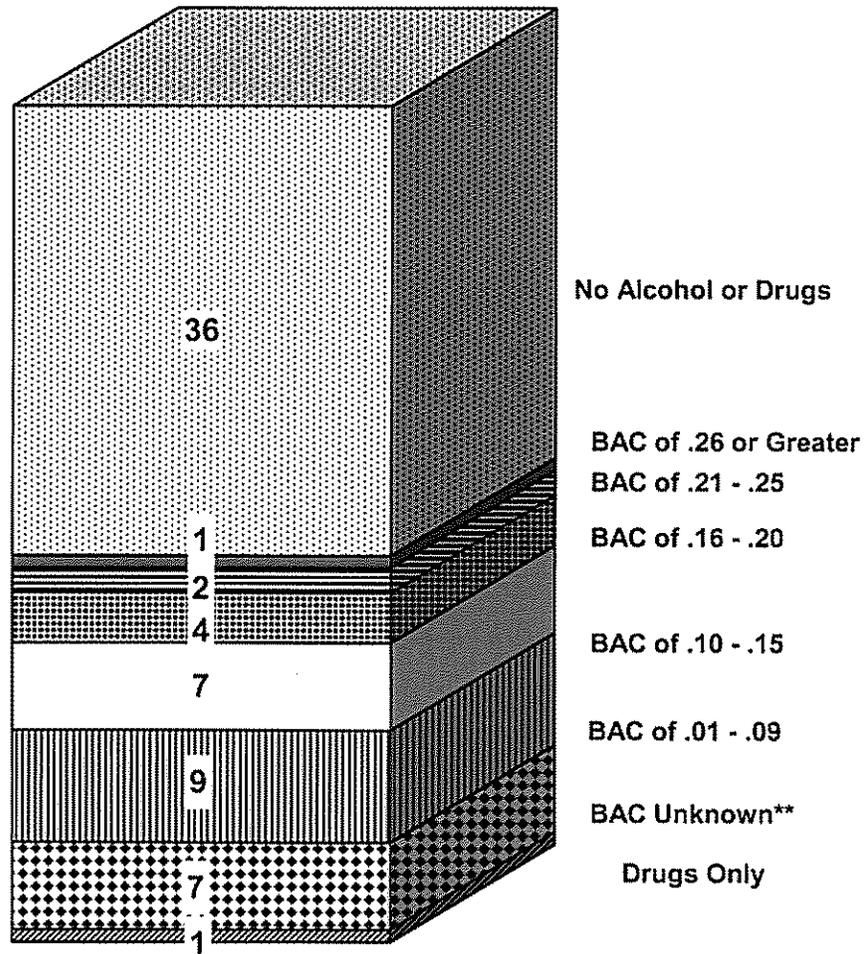
2002 - 2005

Year	County	All Crashes	Motorcyclist Fatalities	Motorcyclist Injuries
2002	New Castle Co.	140	5	93
	Kent Co.	51	2	48
	Sussex Co.	55	0	50
	Total	246	7	191
2003	New Castle Co.	193	7	132
	Kent Co.	42	2	33
	Sussex Co.	42	3	32
	Total	277	12	197
2004	New Castle Co.	130	6	95
	Kent Co.	45	4	35
	Sussex Co.	39	0	37
	Total	214	10	167
2005	New Castle Co.	146	9	110
	Kent Co.	76	5	50
	Sussex Co.	73	7	44
	Total	295	21	204

Motorcycle Crashes

BAC Information of Motorcycle Operators

Of the 67 motorcycle operators* involved in fatal crashes from 2001 through 2005:



*Motorcycle operators were not necessarily the fatality.

** Had been drinking, impairment level unknown.

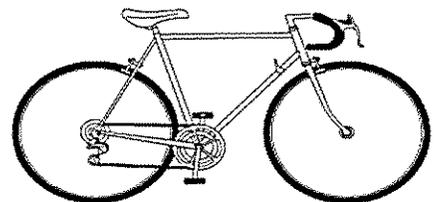
Bicycle Crashes

In 2005:

- There were 107 traffic crashes which were classified as a pedalcyclist crash, i.e. the pedalcyclist was involved in the first collision.
- 2% (2) of the pedalcyclist crashes were fatal.
- 92% (98) of the crashes were personal injury crashes.
- 7% (7) of the crashes were property damage only crashes.
- Of the two fatal crashes which involved a bicyclist, one was alcohol related.
- Children under 15 years of age accounted for 26% of the bicyclist injuries.
- The number of bicyclist crashes by county:

	Total Crashes	Fatal Crashes
New Castle County	57	1
Kent County	19	0
Sussex County	31	1

** Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.



BICYCLISTS KILLED & INJURED by AGE 2003 - 2005

Age of Bicyclist	2003		2004		2005	
	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured
0 - 4	0	3	0	1	0	1
5 - 9	0	10	0	9	0	2
10 - 14	0	21	0	29	0	20
15 - 19	0	18	1	10	0	17
20 - 24	0	11	0	14	1	17
25 - 34	0	10	0	12	0	4
35 - 44	2	11	1	8	0	6
45 - 54	0	8	1	5	0	10
55 - 64	0	2	0	6	1	7
65 - 74	0	3	0	3	0	1
75 & Older	0	1	0	2	0	1
Not Stated	0	2	0	2	0	0

TOTALS:	2	100	3	101	2	86
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* Includes all bicyclists injured regardless of classification of crash.

BICYCLISTS KILLED & INJURED by COUNTY 2005

Age of Bicyclist	New Castle Co.		Kent Co.		Sussex Co.	
	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured
0 - 4	0	1	0	0	0	0
5 - 9	0	0	0	2	0	0
10 - 14	0	16	0	3	0	1
15 - 19	0	4	0	8	0	5
20 - 24	0	8	0	0	1	9
25 - 34	0	1	0	0	0	3
35 - 44	0	1	0	3	0	2
45 - 54	0	8	0	0	0	2
55 - 64	1	5	0	0	0	2
65 - 74	0	0	0	0	0	1
75 & Older	0	0	0	0	0	1
Not Stated	0	0	0	0	0	0

TOTALS:	1	44	0	16	1	26
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* Includes all bicyclists injured regardless of classification of crash.

Truck Crashes



In 2005:

- There were 1,007 traffic crashes which involved a 6-wheel, 10-wheel truck or tractor and semi-trailer.
- 7 (1%) of the crashes were fatal crashes.
- 264 (26%) of the crashes were personal injury crashes.
- 736 (73%) of the crashes were property damage crashes.
- A total of 7 people were killed in traffic crashes involving a truck in 2005 -- 13 were killed in 2004.
- In 2005, 409 persons were injured in truck crashes, up from 321 in 2004.
- Of the 1,064 truck drivers involved in these crashes, 14 of them had consumed alcohol.

CRASHES INVOLVING TRUCKS
ALL CRASHES and FATAL CRASHES
 by
DAY OF WEEK

Day of Week	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
Monday	131	175	3	1
Tuesday	141	198	3	1
Wednesday	143	183	4	2
Thursday	128	176	2	0
Friday	151	176	0	1
Saturday	57	61	0	2
Sunday	49	38	0	0
TOTALS:	800	1007	12	7

NOTE: Truck crashes involve 6-wheel, 10-wheel, and / or tractor and semi-trailer.

CRASHES INVOLVING TRUCKS
ALL CRASHES and FATAL CRASHES

by
TIME OF DAY

Time of Day	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
8 am - Noon	241	311	2	2
Noon - 4 pm	223	313	4	1
4 pm - 8 pm	146	151	3	2
8 pm - Midnight	58	73	1	1
Midnight - 4 am	39	43	1	0
4 am - 8 am	92	115	1	1
Not Stated	1	1	0	0
TOTALS:	800	1007	12	7

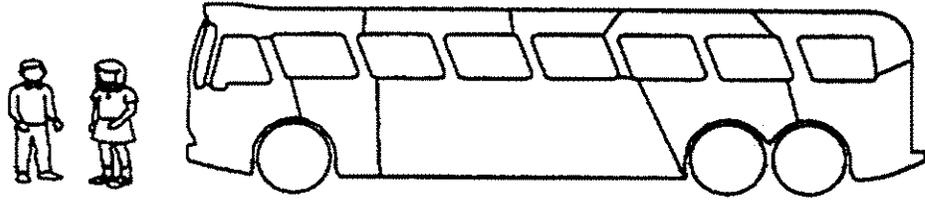
NOTE: Truck crashes involve 6-wheel, 10-wheel, and / or tractor and semi-trailer.

TRUCK DRIVERS INVOLVED IN CRASHES by AGE
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Age	2002	2003	2004	2005
15 & Under	1	0	0	0
16 - 20	19	19	28	16
21 - 25	54	80	77	53
26 - 30	96	99	91	84
31 - 35	162	133	99	114
36 - 45	300	297	217	336
46 - 55	208	232	150	231
56 - 65	102	103	89	129
66 - 75	21	21	16	25
76 & Older	1	4	8	5
Unknown Age or Parked Truck	75	109	69	71
TOTALS:	1039	1097	844	1064

NOTE: Truck crashes involve 6-wheel, 10-wheel, and / or tractor and semi-trailer.
Shows number of drivers, not number of crashes.

School Bus Crashes



In 2005:

- There were 151 traffic crashes which involved a school bus.
- Two of the school bus crashes were fatal. However, no occupants of the school bus were killed in either fatal crash.
- 22% (33) of the crashes were personal injury crashes.
- 77% (116) of the crashes were property damage only crashes.
- There were 214 persons injured in school bus crashes. Of those, 184 of the persons injured were occupants of the school bus.

SCHOOL BUS CRASHES

by COUNTY

2002 - 2005

Year	County	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Pers. Inj. Crashes	Prop. Dam. Crashes
2002	New Castle Co.	132	0	37	95
	Kent Co.	19	0	8	11
	Sussex Co.	14	0	4	10
	Total	165	0	49	116
2003	New Castle Co.	135	2	21	112
	Kent Co.	19	0	6	13
	Sussex Co.	18	0	3	15
	Total	172	2	30	140
2004	New Castle Co.	104	0	22	82
	Kent Co.	17	1	9	7
	Sussex Co.	11	1	2	8
	Total	132	2	33	97
2005	New Castle Co.	117	2	24	91
	Kent Co.	16	0	4	12
	Sussex Co.	18	0	5	13
	Total	151	2	33	116

Pedestrian Crashes

In 2005:

- There were 220 traffic crashes which were classified as a pedestrian crash, i.e. the pedestrian was involved in the first collision.
- 5% (10) of the crashes were fatal crashes.
- 93% (204) of the crashes were personal injury crashes.
- Six of the crashes involving a pedestrian were property damage only.
- Of the 10 pedestrians killed in 2005, 7 were under the influence of alcohol.
- The number of pedestrian crashes by county:

	Total Crashes	Fatal Crashes
New Castle County	167	5
Kent County	33	4
Sussex County	20	1

** Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.

PEDESTRIANS KILLED & INJURED
by AGE
2003 - 2005

Age of Pedestrian	2003		2004		2005	
	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured
0 - 4	0	10	0	11	0	10
5 - 9	0	29	0	23	0	19
10 - 14	0	37	0	32	0	30
15 - 19	0	32	1	32	1	30
20 - 24	2	18	0	28	0	21
25 - 34	4	32	3	31	3	25
35 - 44	3	22	5	35	1	26
45 - 54	2	20	4	27	4	23
55 - 64	2	8	1	14	0	11
65 - 74	2	6	1	9	1	5
75 & Older	3	3	1	5	0	4
Not Stated	0	5	1	8	0	6

TOTALS:	18	222	17	255	10	210
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* Includes all pedestrians injured regardless of classification of crash.

PEDESTRIANS KILLED & INJURED
by COUNTY
2005

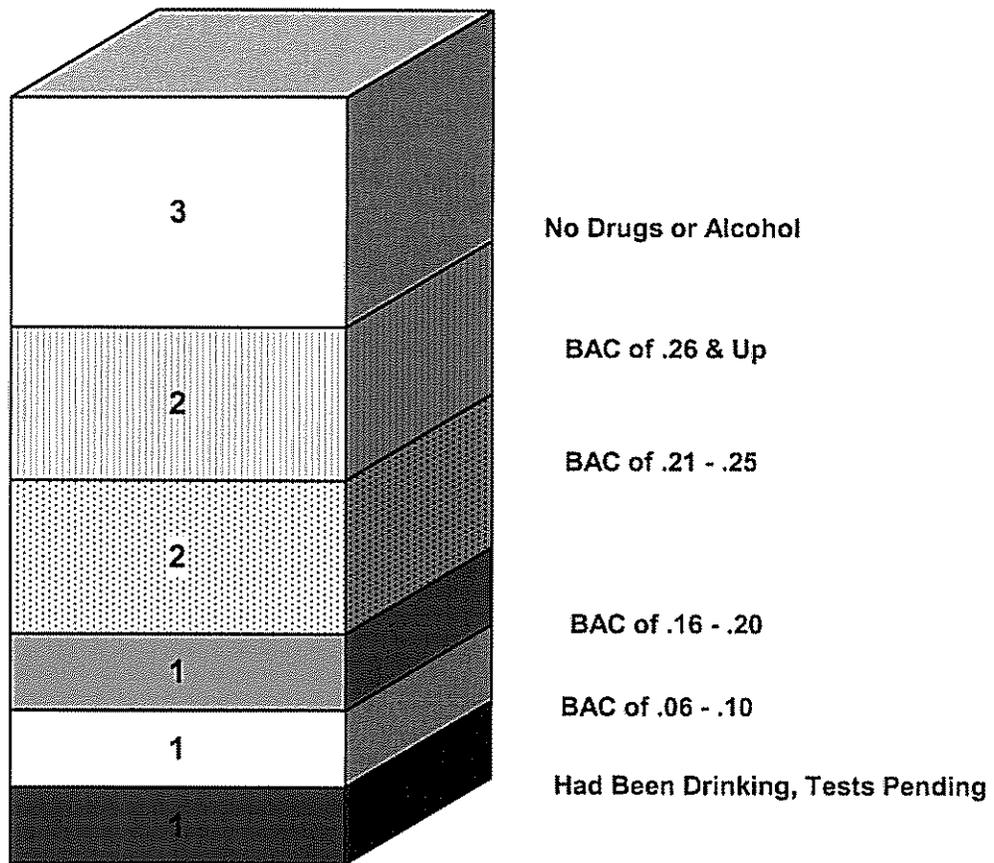
Age of Pedestrian	New Castle Co.		Kent Co.		Sussex Co.	
	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured
0 - 4	0	6	0	3	0	1
5 - 9	0	15	0	3	0	1
10 - 14	0	23	0	5	0	2
15 - 19	0	24	1	4	0	2
20 - 24	0	14	0	5	0	2
25 - 34	2	19	0	1	1	5
35 - 44	0	22	1	2	0	2
45 - 54	3	21	1	2	0	0
55 - 64	0	8	0	2	0	1
65 - 74	0	3	1	1	0	1
75 & Older	0	3	0	0	0	1
Not Stated	0	6	0	0	0	0
TOTALS:	5	164	4	28	1	18

* Includes all pedestrians injured regardless of classification of crash.

Pedestrian Crashes

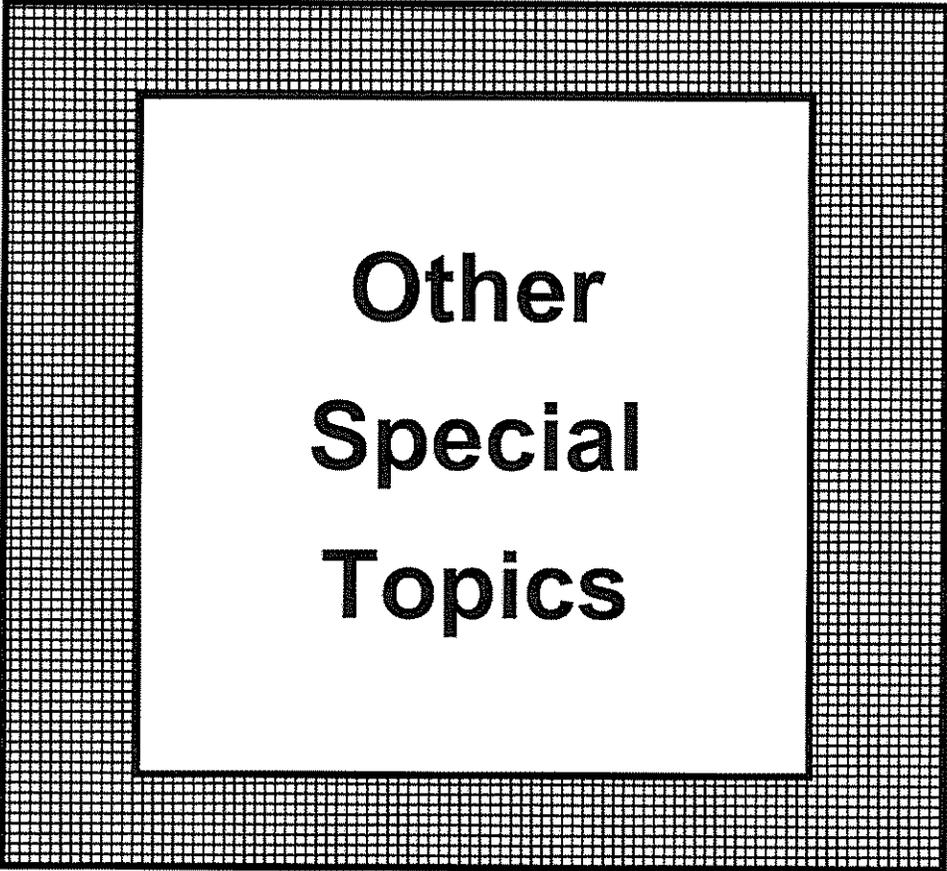
BAC Information of Pedestrians Killed

Of the 10 pedestrians
killed in 2005:



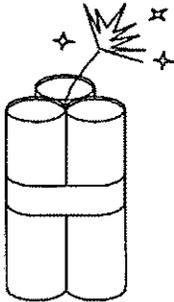
70% of the pedestrians killed
were under the influence.

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**Other
Special
Topics**

WATCH OUT!!!



Dangerous Times To be on the Road in Delaware

Most Dangerous Day:

Sunday

**72% of the Fatal Crashes
were ALCOHOL RELATED!**

Most Dangerous Time:

Midnight - 4 am

**94% of the Fatal Crashes
were ALCOHOL RELATED!**

Worst Day and Time to be on the Road:

**Saturday after 8 pm
until
Sunday 4 am**

**92% of the Fatal Crashes
were ALCOHOL RELATED!**

(Based on 2005 Data)

MAJOR HOLIDAY PERIODS CRASH STATISTICS

2001-2005

	Actual Holiday	Number of Hours	All Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Personal Injury Crashes	Persons Killed	Persons Injured
NEW YEARS							
'01 - '02	Tuesday	120	240	1	60	1	91
'02 - '03**	Wednesday	48	95	0	27	0	40
03 - '04**	Thursday	48	102	0	34	0	52
'04 - '05	Saturday	72	119	2	36	2	55
'05 - '06	Sunday	96	214	1	46	1	74
MEMORIAL DAY							
2001	Monday	96	237	3	71	3	128
2002	Monday	96	230	1	65	1	115
2003	Monday	96	232	0	53	0	93
2004	Monday	96	163	2	45	2	66
2005	Monday	96	211	3	57	3	96
FOURTH OF JULY							
2001**	Wednesday	48	103	0	34	0	64
2002	Thursday	96	218	3	80	4	129
2003	Friday	96	215	2	49	2	76
2004	Sunday	96	149	1	40	1	70
2005	Monday	96	224	1	73	1	124
LABOR DAY							
2001	Monday	96	217	3	61	3	117
2002	Monday	96	233	3	53	3	80
2003	Monday	96	185	1	64	1	107
2004	Monday	96	194	1	46	1	81
2005	Monday	96	184	5	65	5	99
THANKSGIVING							
2001	Thursday	120	318	1	85	1	140
2002	Thursday	120	238	2	60	2	101
2003	Thursday	120	224	4	47	4	76
2004	Thursday	120	290	1	68	2	117
2005	Thursday	120	200	1	49	1	82
CHRISTMAS							
2001	Tuesday	120	255	1	65	1	105
2002**	Wednesday	72	200	2	47	2	79
2003	Thursday	120	227	1	62	1	112
2004	Saturday	72	93	0	21	0	29
2005	Sunday	96	185	1	53	1	101

NOTE: The number of crashes and injuries is influenced by the length of the Holiday weekend.

** - This holiday period does not include the weekend.

SEAT BELT STUDY

Based on those persons who
were injured on Delaware Roads

Seat Belt Usage of Injured Persons*

County	% of Persons who used a Seat Belt		
	'03	'04	'05
New Castle -----	83%	88%	84%
Kent County -----	86%	86%	88%
Sussex County -----	78%	85%	85%
Statewide -----	82%	87%	85%

* Includes Fatalities

Severity of Injury in 2005

- Of the persons who were not wearing their seat belts, 1 out of 4 (24.6%) received a serious injury.
- Of the persons who were wearing their seat belts, only 1 out of 15 (6.6%) received a serious injury.

In 2005, the occurrence of a serious injury was reduced by 20% when the person was wearing an occupant restraint.

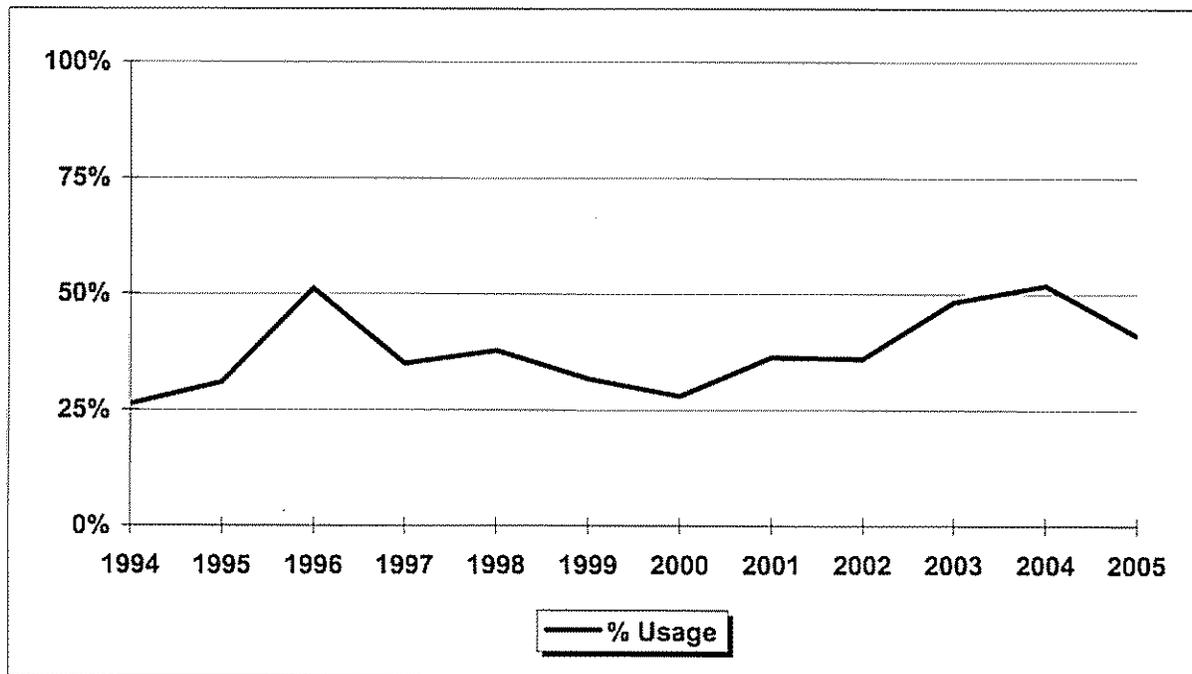
A Serious Injury: An injury that results in death; or one that causes lacerations, broken or distorted limbs, skull, chest or abdominal injuries.

SEAT BELT USAGE in Occupant Fatalities

1994 - 2005

Year	Total Occupants Killed	Number Wearing Seat Belts	% Usage
1994	84	22	26%
1995	84	26	31%
1996	86	44	51%
1997	123	43	35%
1998	90	34	38%
1999	82	26	32%
2000	100	28	28%
2001	110	40	36%
2002	100	36	36%
2003	116	56	48%
2004	110	57	52%
2005	100	41	41%

Percentage of Fatally Injured Occupants Using Seat Belts



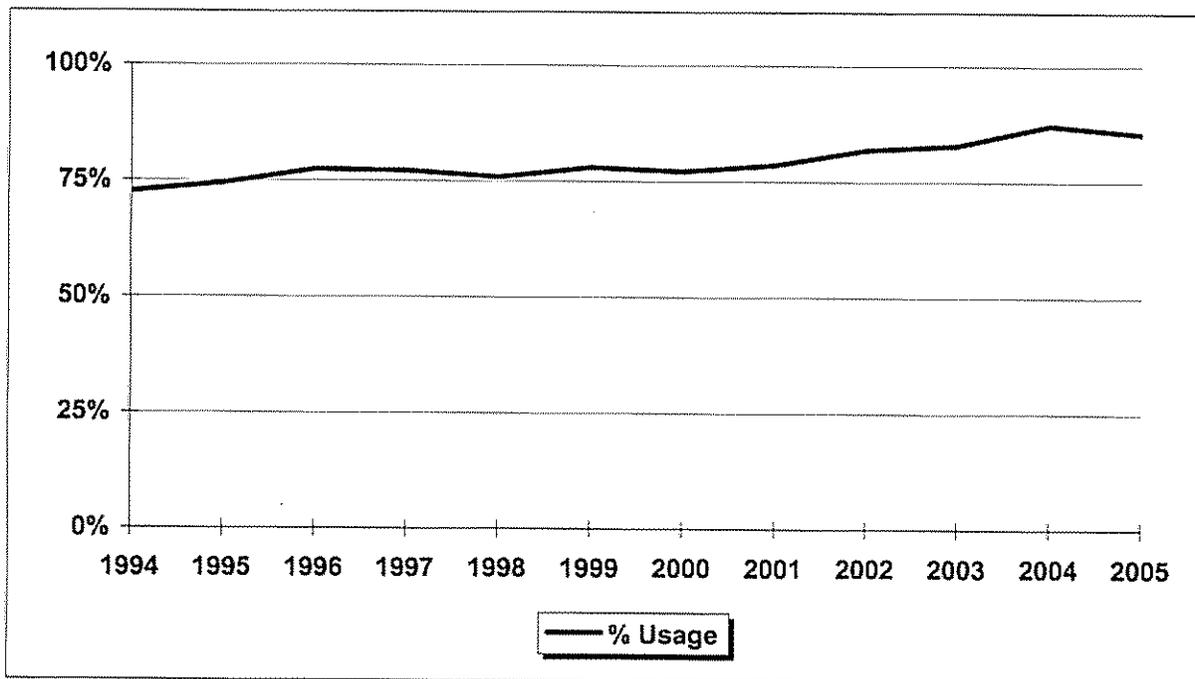
Note: The primary seat belt law went into effect October 2003.

SEAT BELT USAGE in Occupant Injuries

1994 - 2005

Year	Total Occupants Injured	Number Wearing Seat Belts	% Usage
1994	7849	5695	73%
1995	8961	6668	74%
1996	9506	7364	77%
1997	9955	7683	77%
1998	10390	7883	76%
1999	9983	7783	78%
2000	9809	7569	77%
2001	9394	7384	79%
2002	9430	7724	82%
2003	8379	6948	83%
2004	7786	6791	87%
2005	7821	6686	85%

Percentage of Injured Occupants Using Seat Belts



Note: The primary seat belt law went into effect October 2003.

SEAT BELT USAGE by County

Fatalities

	Year	Total Occupants Killed	Number Wearing Seat Belts	% Usage
New Castle County	2003	65	30	46%
	2004	45	24	53%
	2005	49	20	41%
Kent County	2003	13	7	54%
	2004	20	10	50%
	2005	28	14	50%
Sussex County	2003	38	19	50%
	2004	45	23	51%
	2005	23	7	30%

Injuries

	Year	Total Occupants Injured	Number Wearing Seat Belts	% Usage
New Castle County	2003	5203	4342	83%
	2004	4586	4035	88%
	2005	4975	4211	85%
Kent County	2003	1415	1217	86%
	2004	1450	1250	86%
	2005	1365	1209	89%
Sussex County	2003	1761	1389	79%
	2004	1750	1506	86%
	2005	1481	1266	85%

SEAT BELT USAGE for Occupant Fatalities by Age

Age of Occupant	2004				2005			
	Total Occupants Killed	Number Using Restraint	Number Not Using Restraint	Number Unknown Restraint	Total Occupants Killed	Number Using Restraint	Number Not Using Restraint	Number Unknown Restraint
0 - 4	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	0
5 - 9	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
10 - 14	4	2	2	0	2	0	2	0
15 - 19	20	7	12	1	16	7	7	2
20 - 24	12	4	7	1	17	6	10	1
25 - 34	18	11	7	0	10	1	9	0
35 - 44	15	5	9	1	14	4	8	2
45 - 54	10	5	5	0	12	3	6	3
55 - 64	5	3	2	0	9	6	2	1
65 - 74	8	6	2	0	8	5	3	0
75 & Older	15	13	2	0	11	8	3	0
Not Stated	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS:	110	57	50	3	100	41	50	9

Unknown restraint use includes those vehicles not equipped with restraints.

SEAT BELT USAGE for Occupant Injuries by Age

Age of Occupant	2004				2005			
	Total Occupants Injured	Number Using Restraint	Number Not Using Restraint	Number Unknown Restraint	Total Occupants Injured	Number Using Restraint	Number Not Using Restraint	Number Unknown Restraint
0 - 4	261	240	12	9	223	206	10	7
5 - 9	224	201	15	8	206	178	9	19
10 - 14	312	241	39	32	368	228	21	119
15 - 19	1275	1088	130	57	1116	918	103	95
20 - 24	1144	953	139	52	1097	907	134	56
25 - 34	1382	1201	120	61	1474	1269	130	75
35 - 44	1189	1039	87	63	1255	1111	80	64
45 - 54	880	795	48	37	983	883	50	50
55 - 64	539	502	20	17	515	468	26	21
65 - 74	289	275	8	6	275	256	11	8
75 & Older	203	192	8	3	224	207	7	10
Not Stated	88	64	9	15	85	55	11	19
TOTALS:	7786	6791	635	360	7821	6686	592	543

Unknown restraint use includes those vehicles not equipped with restraints.

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Alcohol Involvement in Traffic Crashes

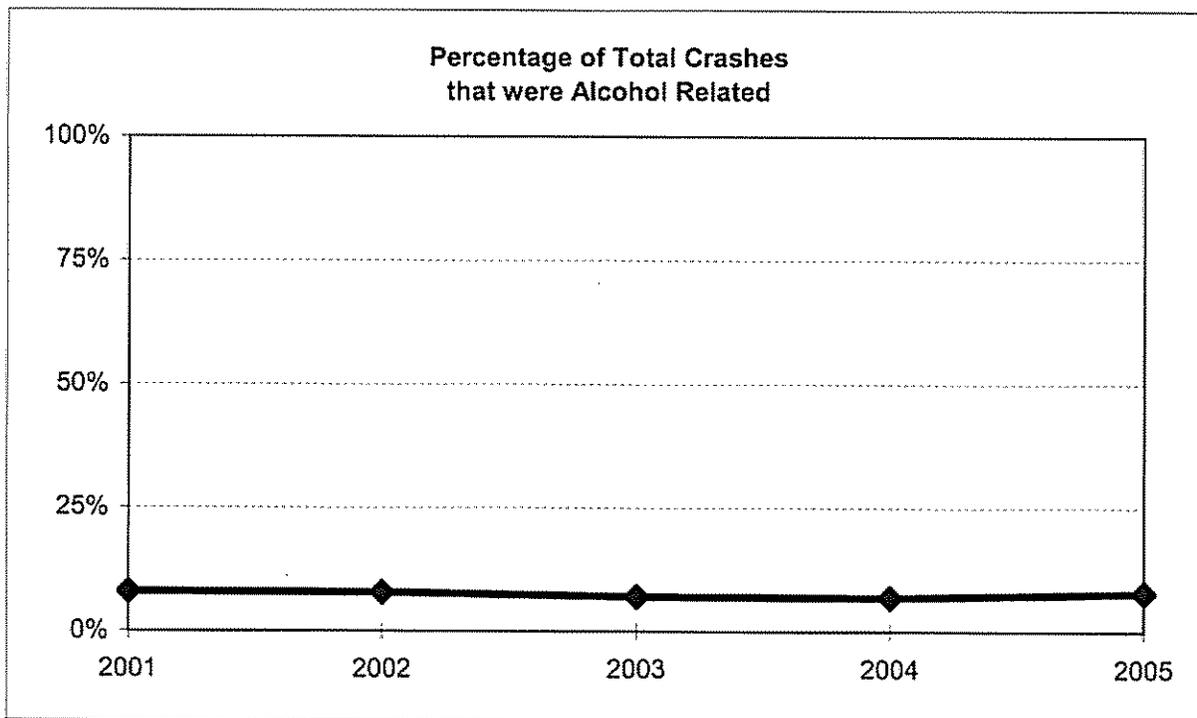
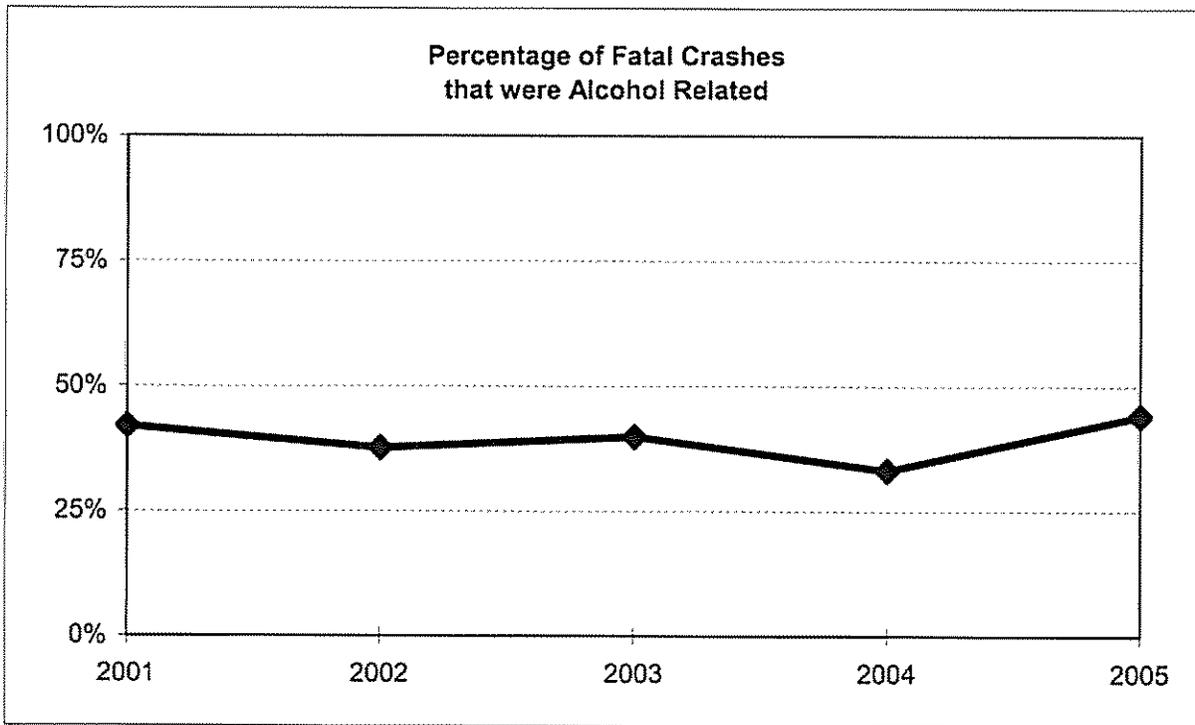


Definition:

A crash is considered alcohol related if at least one driver or non-motorist involved in the crash has consumed alcohol -- regardless of the level of blood alcohol concentration.

ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT in TRAFFIC CRASHES
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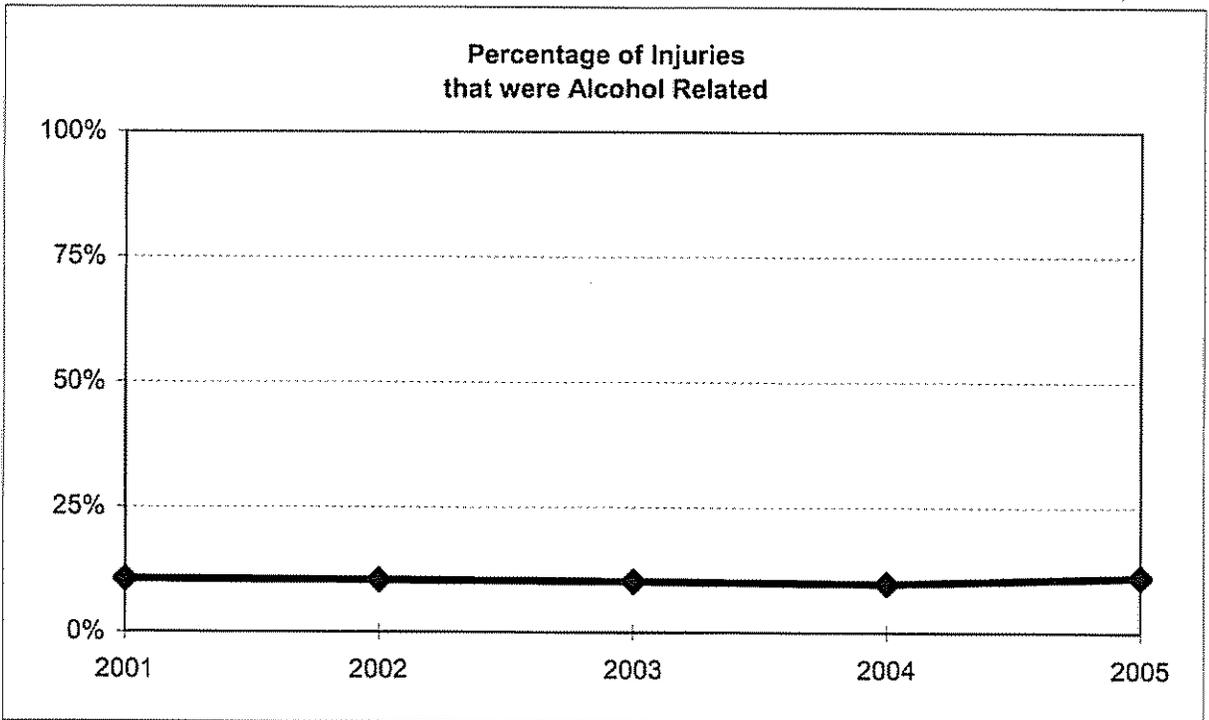
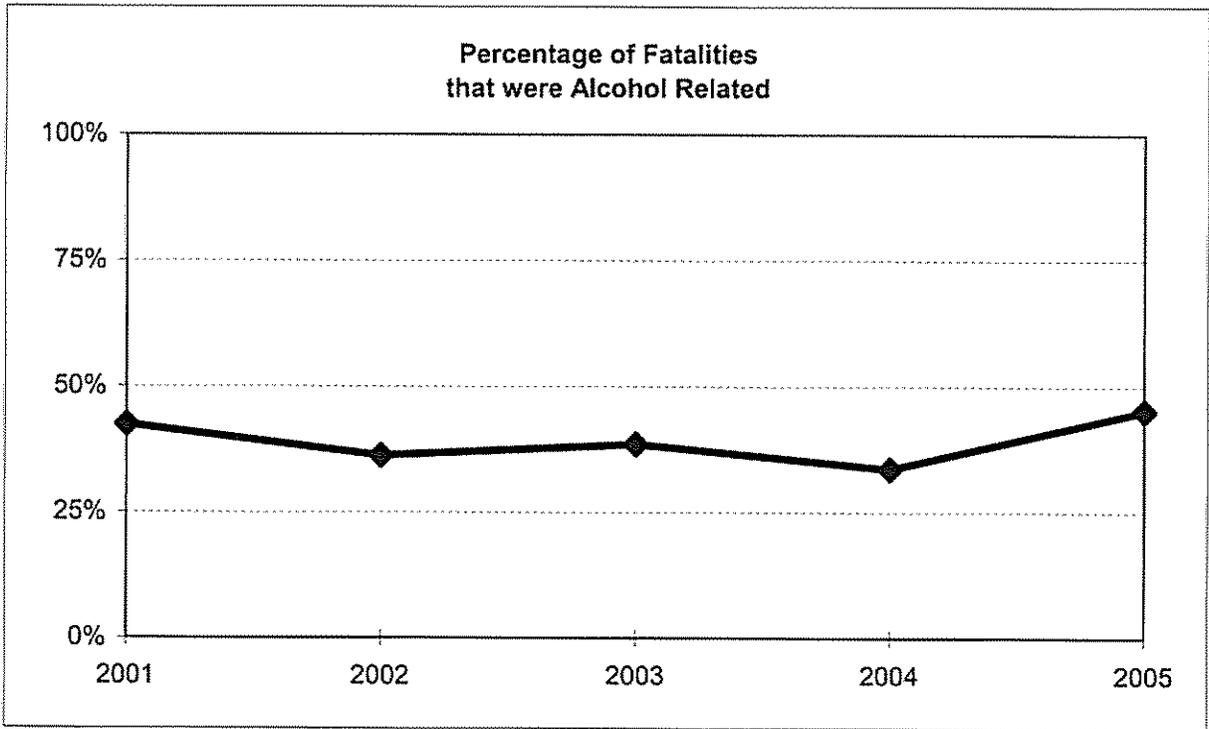
	Total Crashes	Alcohol Related Crashes	% of Total
Fatals			
2001	119	50	42%
2002	117	44	38%
2003	138	55	40%
2004	130	43	33%
2005	118	52	44%
Personal Injury			
2001	6019	652	11%
2002	6172	663	11%
2003	5644	561	10%
2004	5326	520	10%
2005	5348	581	11%
Property Damage			
2001	14268	919	6%
2002	14926	956	6%
2003	15238	857	6%
2004	14186	773	5%
2005	13215	821	6%
All Crashes			
2001	20406	1621	8%
2002	21215	1663	8%
2003	21020	1473	7%
2004	19642	1336	7%
2005	18681	1454	8%



ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT in TRAFFIC FATALITIES & INJURIES
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	Total Fatalities	Alcohol Related Fatalities	% of Total
2001	139	59	42%
2002	127	46	36%
2003	148	57	39%
2004	140	47	34%
2005	133	60	45%

	Total Injuries	Alcohol Related Injuries	% of Total
2001	9965	1054	11%
2002	9965	1036	10%
2003	8898	899	10%
2004	8314	802	10%
2005	8367	919	11%



TRAFFIC CRASH FATALITIES
by
AGE and GENDER
2005

Age	Male	Female	Total
0 - 4	0	1	1
5 - 9	0	0	0
10 - 14	0	2	2
15	1	0	1
16	5	1	6
17	0	1	1
18	3	3	6
19	3	1	4
20	0	3	3
21	3	1	4
22 - 24	9	3	12
25 - 29	10	0	10
30 - 34	3	3	6
35 - 44	16	5	21
45 - 54	17	8	25
55 - 64	7	4	11
65 - 74	5	4	9
75 & Older	7	4	11
Unknown Age	0	0	0
TOTALS:	89	44	133

**ALCOHOL RELATED
TRAFFIC CRASH FATALITIES**
by
AGE and GENDER
2005

Age	Male	Female	Total
0 - 4	0	0	0
5 - 9	0	0	0
10 - 14	0	2	2
15	0	0	0
16	1	1	2
17	0	0	0
18	1	1	2
19	2	1	3
20	0	0	0
21	2	1	3
22 - 24	7	1	8
25 - 29	9	0	9
30 - 34	0	2	2
35 - 44	10	1	11
45 - 54	11	3	14
55 - 64	1	1	2
65 - 74	2	0	2
75 & Older	0	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0	0
TOTALS:	46	14	60

TRAFFIC CRASH INJURIES
by
AGE and GENDER
2005

Age	Male	Female	Unk. Gender	Total
0 - 4	117	123	0	240
5 - 9	110	118	1	229
10 - 14	202	222	1	425
15	51	58	1	110
16	72	132	0	204
17	117	176	0	293
18	129	137	1	267
19	139	173	0	312
20	139	155	0	294
21	112	139	0	251
22 - 24	307	329	0	636
25 - 29	431	454	0	885
30 - 34	334	334	0	668
35 - 44	631	704	0	1335
45 - 54	503	556	1	1060
55 - 64	235	314	0	549
65 - 74	126	159	1	286
75 & Older	109	121	0	230
Unknown Age	31	51	11	93
TOTALS:	3895	4455	17	8367

**ALCOHOL RELATED
TRAFFIC CRASH INJURIES**
by
AGE and GENDER
2005

Age	Male	Female	Unk. Sex	Total
0 - 4	8	13	0	21
5 - 9	5	8	0	13
10 - 14	17	10	0	27
15	2	5	0	7
16	13	6	0	19
17	8	12	0	20
18	14	11	1	26
19	20	11	0	31
20	18	17	0	35
21	28	14	0	42
22 - 24	74	33	0	107
25 - 29	85	46	0	131
30 - 34	62	25	0	87
35 - 44	113	66	0	179
45 - 54	68	39	0	107
55 - 64	27	10	0	37
65 - 74	9	5	0	14
75 & Older	4	6	0	10
Unknown Age	4	2	0	6
TOTALS:	579	339	1	919

DRIVERS KILLED
by
AGE and GENDER
2005

Age	Male	Female	Total
15 & Under	0	0	0
16	2	0	2
17	0	1	1
18	2	2	4
19	2	0	2
20	0	2	2
21	2	0	2
22 - 24	6	2	8
25 - 29	8	0	8
30 - 34	3	1	4
35 - 44	14	2	16
45 - 54	14	7	21
55 - 64	6	1	7
65 - 74	4	2	6
75 & Older	7	2	9
Unknown Age	0	0	0
TOTALS:	70	22	92

NOTE: Drivers include motorcycle operators.

DRIVERS UNDER THE INFLUENCE KILLED
by
AGE and GENDER
2005

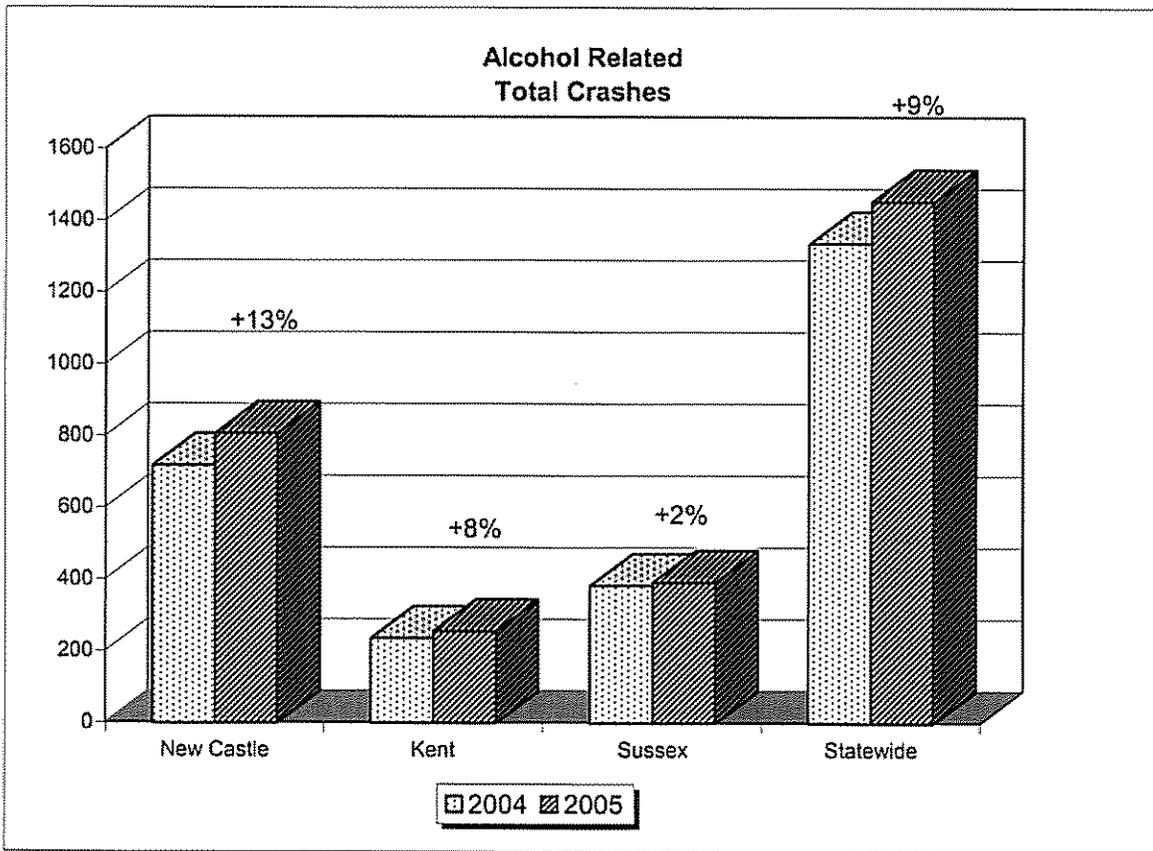
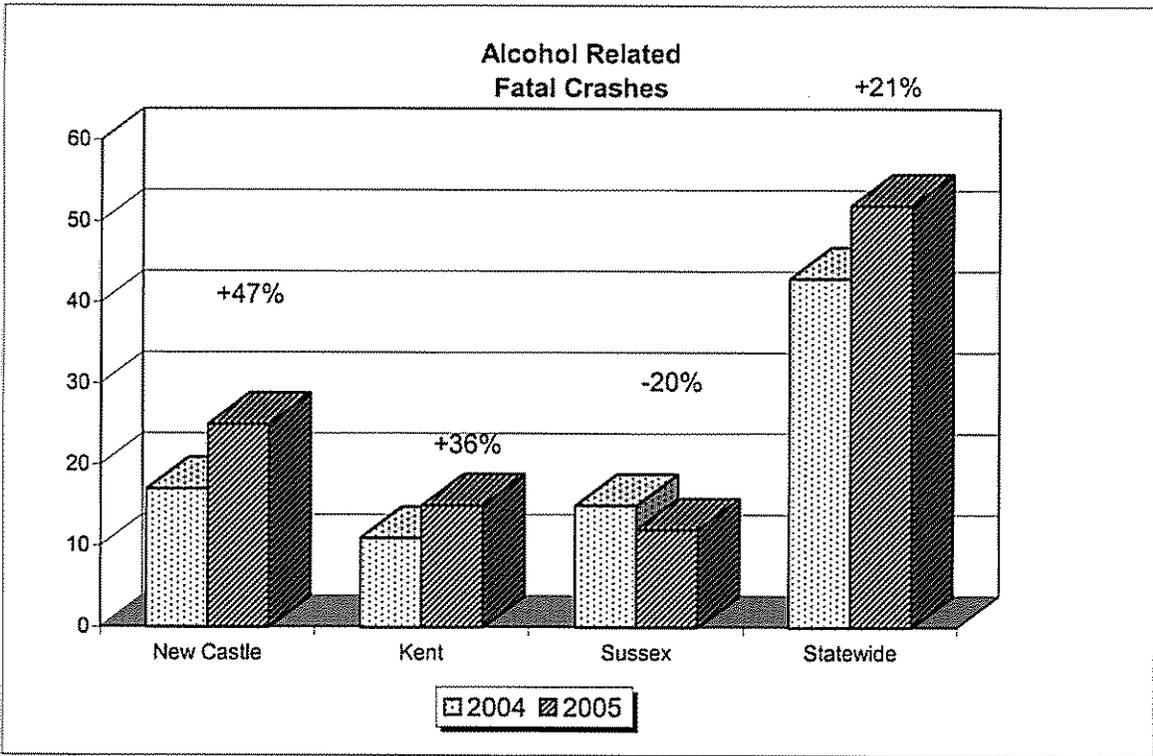
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17	0	0	0
18	0	0	0
19	1	0	1
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21	2	0	2
22 - 24	4	1	5
25 - 29	7	0	7
30 - 34	0	0	0
35 - 44	8	0	8
45 - 54	7	3	10
55 - 64	0	0	0
65 - 74	2	0	2
75 & Older	0	0	0
Unknown Age	0	0	0
TOTALS:	31	4	35

NOTE: Drivers include motorcycle operators.

Includes drivers under the influence of alcohol and / or drugs.

ALCOHOL RELATED CRASH COMPARISON by County

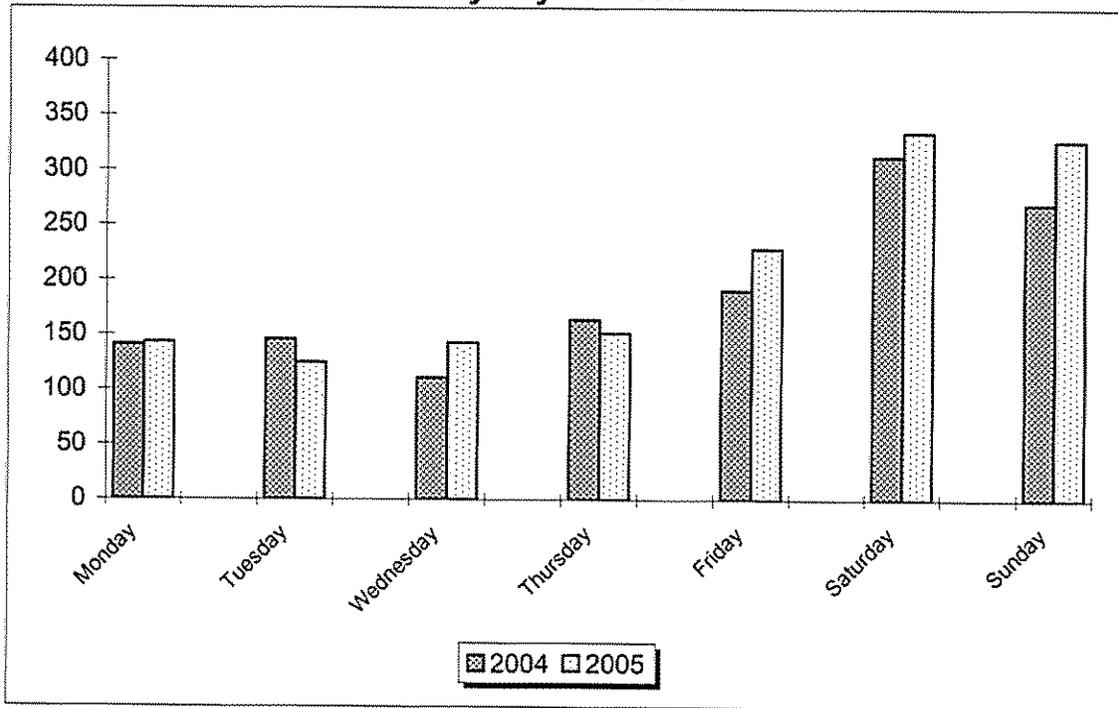
	2005	2004	% CHANGE
NEW CASTLE COUNTY			
Fatal Crashes	25	17	47%
Personal Injury Crashes	294	255	15%
Property Damage Crashes	488	445	10%
 Total Crashes	 807	 717	 13%
 Fatalities	 28	 17	 65%
Injuries	463	384	21%
 KENT COUNTY			
Fatal Crashes	15	11	36%
Personal Injury Crashes	123	102	21%
Property Damage Crashes	117	123	-5%
 Total Crashes	 255	 236	 8%
 Fatalities	 20	 13	 54%
Injuries	189	164	15%
 SUSSEX COUNTY			
Fatal Crashes	12	15	-20%
Personal Injury Crashes	164	163	1%
Property Damage Crashes	216	205	5%
 Total Crashes	 392	 383	 2%
 Fatalities	 12	 17	 -29%
Injuries	267	254	5%
 STATEWIDE			
Fatal Crashes	52	43	21%
Personal Injury Crashes	581	520	12%
Property Damage Crashes	821	773	6%
 Total Crashes	 1454	 1336	 9%
 Fatalities	 60	 47	 28%
Injuries	919	802	15%



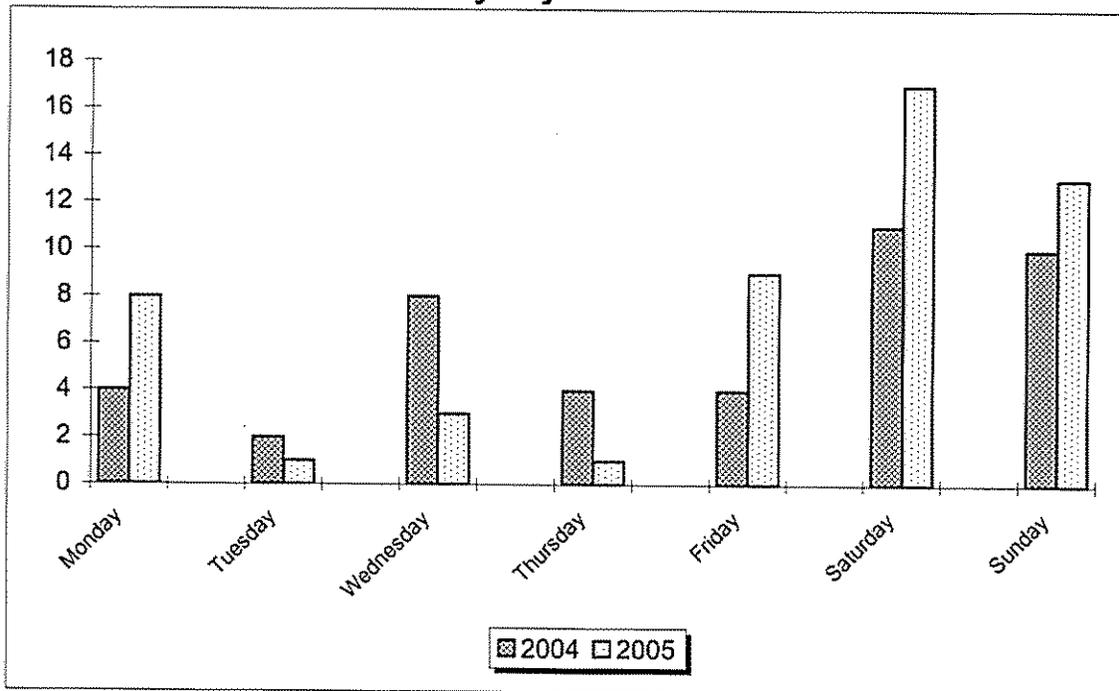
**ALCOHOL RELATED
ALL CRASHES and FATAL CRASHES
by
DAY OF WEEK**

Day of Week	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
Monday	141	143	4	8
Tuesday	146	125	2	1
Wednesday	111	143	8	3
Thursday	164	152	4	1
Friday	191	229	4	9
Saturday	313	335	11	17
Sunday	270	327	10	13
TOTALS:	1336	1454	43	52

**ALCOHOL RELATED
All Crashes
by Day of Week**



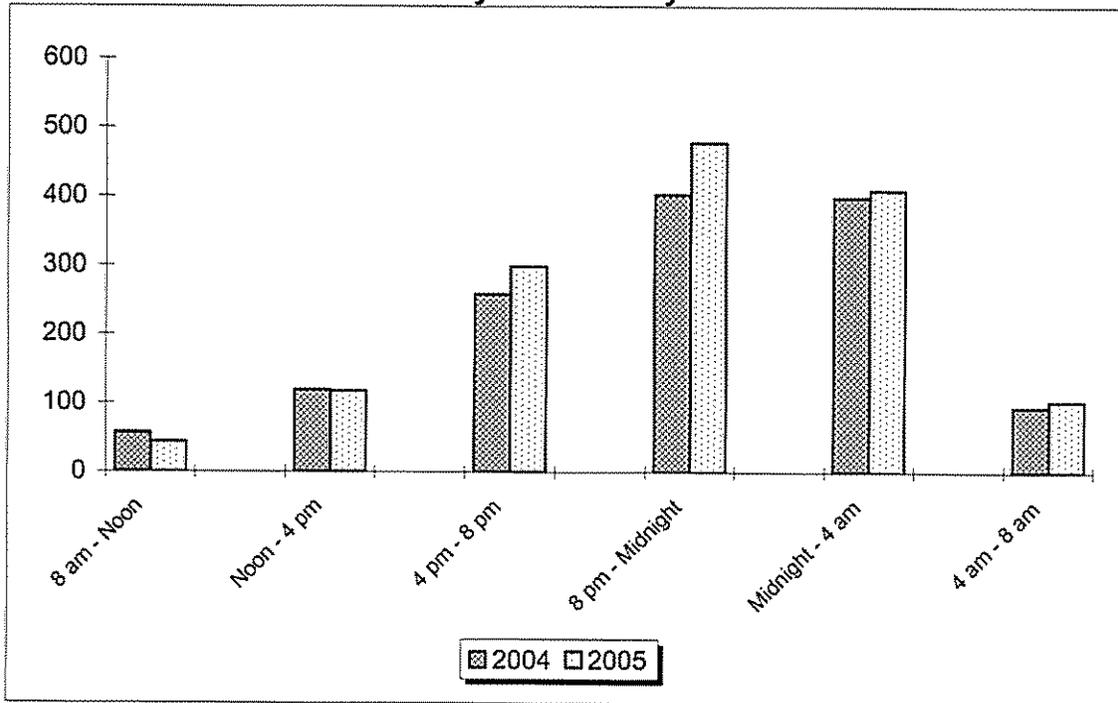
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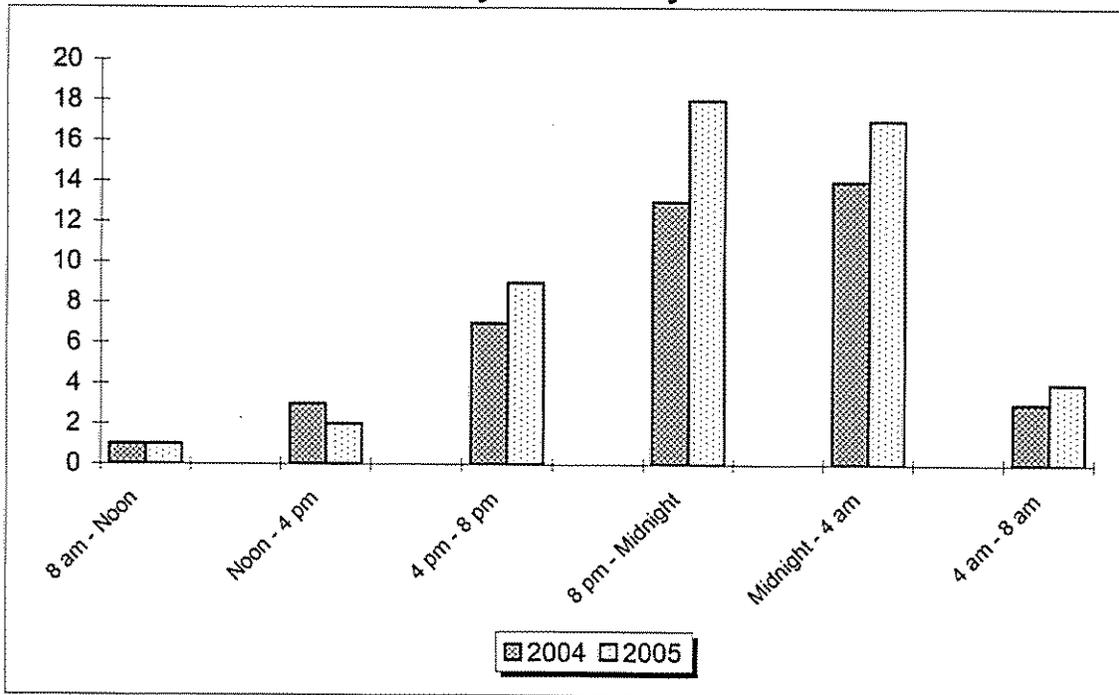
**ALCOHOL RELATED
ALL CRASHES and FATAL CRASHES
by
TIME OF DAY**

Time of Day	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
8 am - Noon	57	44	1	1
Noon - 4 pm	119	117	3	2
4 pm - 8 pm	258	299	7	9
8 pm - Midnight	403	478	13	18
Midnight - 4 am	399	409	14	17
4 am - 8 am	95	103	3	4
Not Stated	5	4	2	1
TOTALS:	1336	1454	43	52

**ALCOHOL RELATED
All Crashes
by Time of Day**



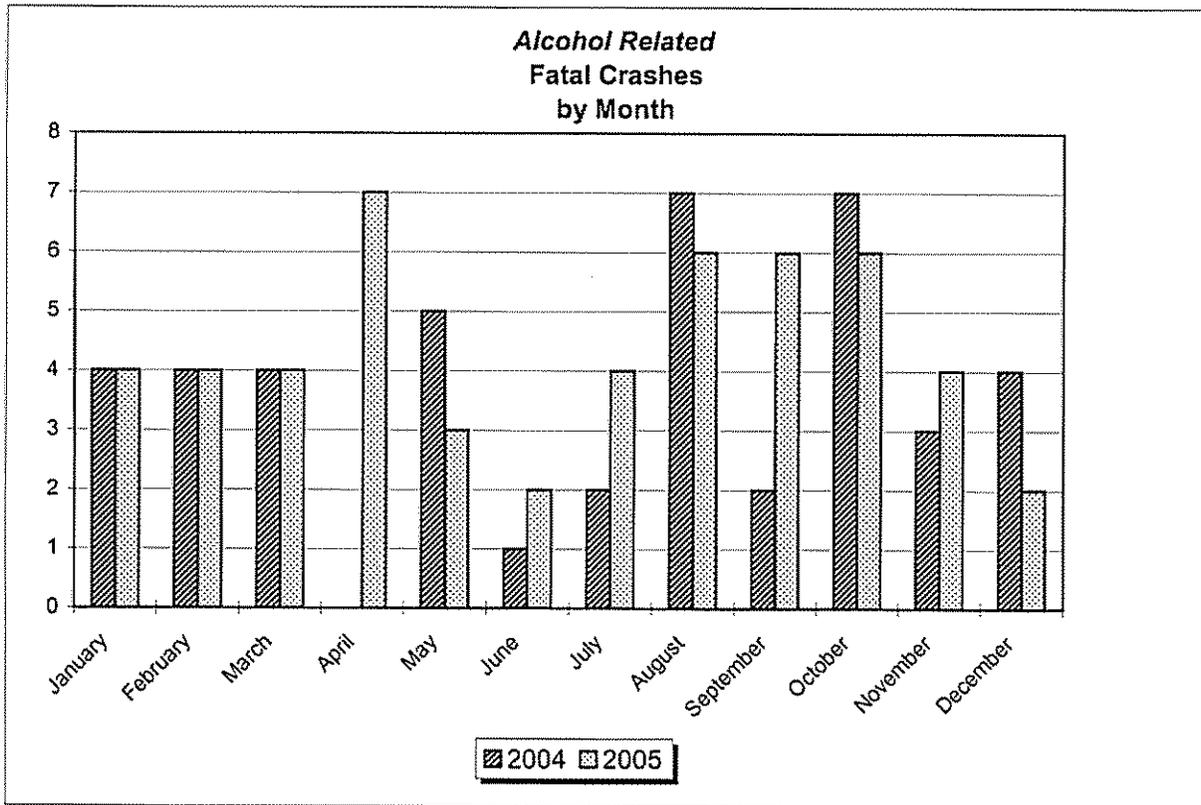
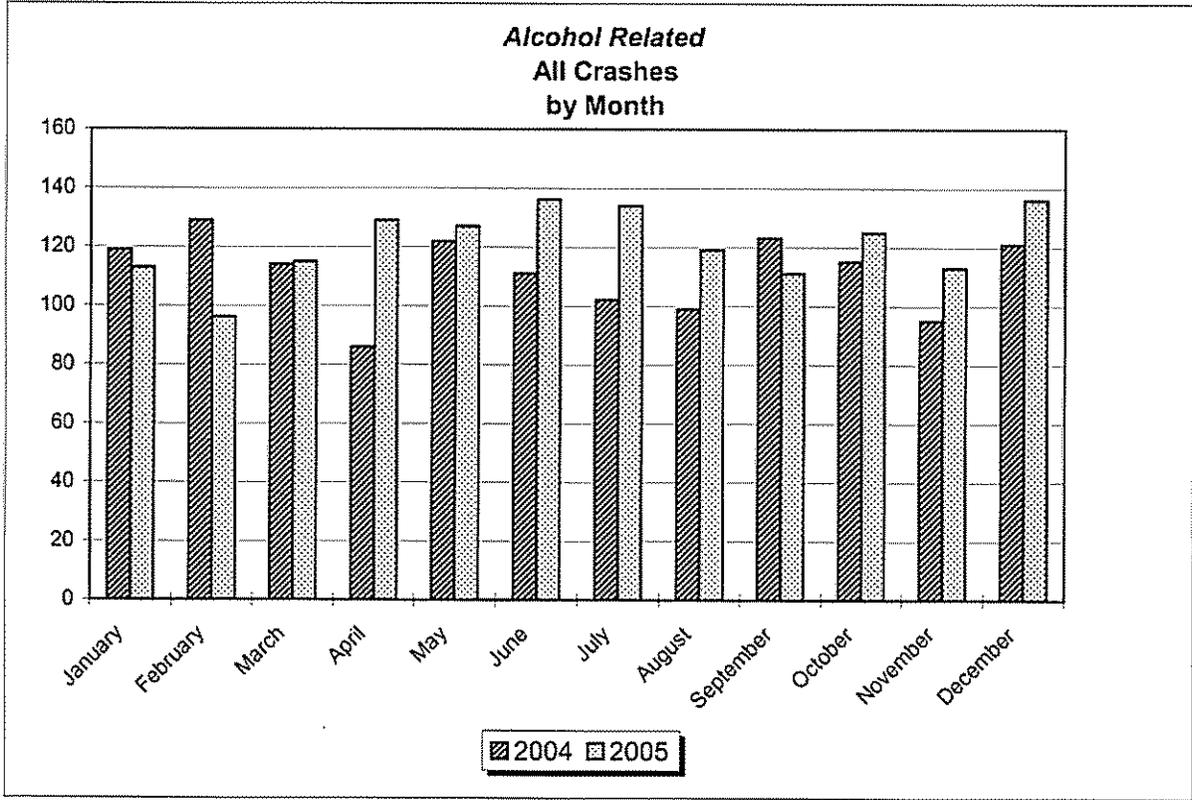
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Fatal Crashes
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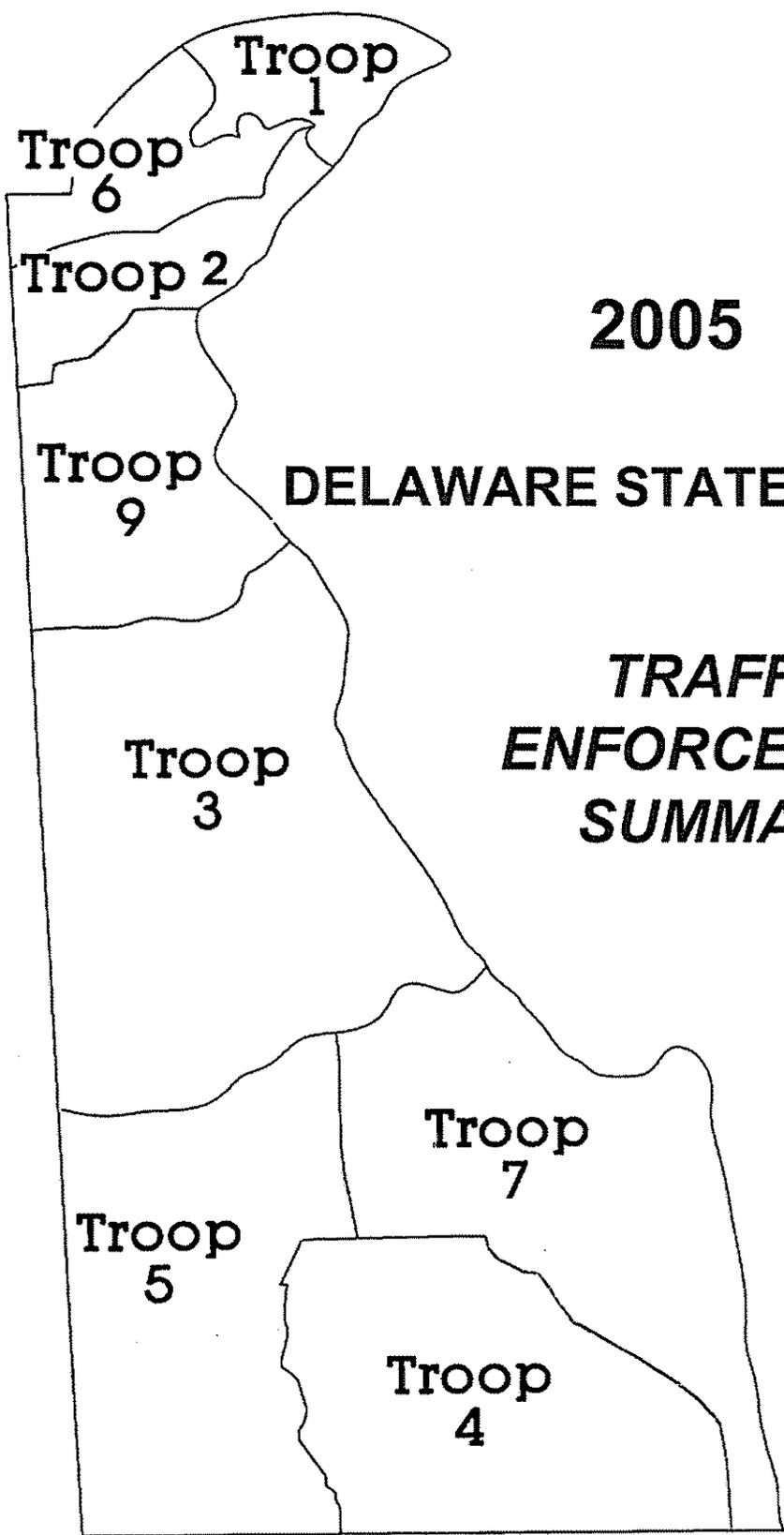
ALCOHOL RELATED CRASHES BY MONTH

All Crashes and Fatal Crashes

Month	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes	
	2004	2005	2004	2005
January	119	113	4	4
February	129	96	4	4
March	114	115	4	4
April	86	129	0	7
May	122	127	5	3
June	111	136	1	2
July	102	134	2	4
August	99	119	7	6
September	123	111	2	6
October	115	125	7	6
November	95	113	3	4
December	121	136	4	2
TOTALS:	1336	1454	43	52



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2005

DELAWARE STATE POLICE

***TRAFFIC
ENFORCEMENT
SUMMARY***

Statistics in this section are based on Delaware State Police data only unless otherwise noted.

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CRASH INVESTIGATION

by

DELAWARE STATE POLICE

All Crashes	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	% Change Over 2004
Total Crashes	12,495	13,354	13,139	12,887	12,236	-5%
Fatal	110	102	120	110	105	-5%
Personal Injury	3,881	4,031	3,591	3,516	3,479	-1%
Property Damage	8,504	9,221	9,428	9,261	8,652	-7%
Fatalities	129	110	129	120	119	-1%
Injuries	6,694	6,743	5,791	5,634	5,521	-2%

Alcohol Related	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	% Change Over 2004
Total Crashes	1,146	1,198	1,057	1,010	1,067	6%
Fatal	45	35	50	38	48	26%
Personal Injury	463	495	394	393	434	10%
Property Damage	638	668	613	579	585	1%
Fatalities	54	37	52	42	56	33%
Injuries	780	791	645	618	683	11%

Insurance Requests	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	% Change Over 2004
Requests Processed	17,736	18,642	N/A	21,959	19,802	-10%

**Delaware State Police
Crash Investigation
by Troop & by County**

Troop	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes		Personal Injury Crashes		Property Damage Crashes	
	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05
1	1964	1996	8	9	459	517	1497	1470
2	2330	2111	13	10	664	594	1653	1507
3	1782	1572	21	28	515	471	1246	1073
4	1010	947	12	11	277	249	721	687
5	1134	1043	19	11	356	321	759	711
6	2740	2632	14	13	700	746	2026	1873
7	1164	1016	15	7	307	282	842	727
9	763	919	8	16	238	299	517	604
Totals:	12887	12236	110	105	3516	3479	9261	8652

County	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes		Personal Injury Crashes		Property Damage Crashes	
	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05
New Castle	7797	7658	43	48	2061	2156	5693	5454
Kent	1782	1572	21	28	515	471	1246	1073
Sussex	3308	3006	46	29	940	852	2322	2125
Totals:	12887	12236	110	105	3516	3479	9261	8652

Delaware State Police
Alcohol Related Crash Investigation
by Troop & by County

Troop	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes		Personal Injury Crashes		Property Damage Crashes	
	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05
1	129	125	1	5	46	43	82	77
2	141	153	6	4	55	50	80	99
3	189	190	10	14	73	85	106	91
4	109	113	3	4	41	44	65	65
5	126	101	8	4	67	50	51	47
6	136	183	3	8	49	73	84	102
7	109	122	3	3	39	55	67	64
9	71	80	4	6	23	34	44	40
Totals:	1010	1067	38	48	393	434	579	585

County	All Crashes		Fatal Crashes		Personal Injury Crashes		Property Damage Crashes	
	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05	'04	'05
New Castle	477	541	14	23	173	200	290	318
Kent	189	190	10	14	73	85	106	91
Sussex	344	336	14	11	147	149	183	176
Totals:	1010	1067	38	48	393	434	579	585

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

by

DELAWARE STATE POLICE

Traffic Arrests	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	% Change Over 2004
Total Arrests	119,724	118,063	118,788	125,133	131,600	5%
DUI Arrests	4,120	3,764	3,729	3,718	3,564	-4%
Speed Arrests	42,430	47,345	44,554	38,366	44,044	15%
Radar Arrests*	41,086	45,903	43,233	36,719	42,311	15%
55 MPH Speed Arrests	16,773	20,602	18,194	17,134	21,117	23%
D.M.V. Arrests**	70,031	73,139	70,160	63,917	70,868	11%
License & Registration Arrests	38,985	36,419	37,112	37,407	38,556	3%

* Radar Arrests = speeding arrests made with the use of radar equipment.

** D. M.V. = Dangerous Moving Violations include speeding arrests and DUI arrests.

TRUCK ENFORCEMENT

by

DELAWARE STATE POLICE

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	% Change Over 2004
# Commercial Licensed Drivers	27,811	28,466	29,225	30,138	30,962	3%
# of Registered Commercial Vehicles*	7,911	8,159	8,205	8,509	8,702	2%
# Weighed** (fixed & portable scales)	11,634	14,266	11,829	7,496	10,513	40%
Weight Arrests	539	531	381	529	920	74%
Motor Fuel Tax Arrests	44	47	37	56	28	-50%
DUI Arrests of Truck Drivers	4	11	8	11	2	-82%
Equipment Arrests	67	69	42	68	95	40%
Federal Safety Regulations						
Equipment (393)	910	799	691	1136	1119	-1%
Log Book (395)	176	169	118	206	379	84%
General	372	274	321	278	330	19%
Maintenance (396)						
Total Truck Arrests	3,755	4,333	3,301	5,131	5,807	13%
Weight Fines Assessed (\$ Rounded)**	87,079	84,509	71,320	83,526	140,567	68%

* Above 26,000 lbs.

** Based on federal fiscal year.

Blood Alcohol Content Data Drivers Arrested for DUI

	2005	2004	2003
# of DUI Arrests	3564	3718	3729
# of BAC's Obtained	3374	3441	3314
# of BAC's Not Obtained	103	113	189
Implied Consent	87	164	226

Drivers Arrested for DUI by Age and Sex

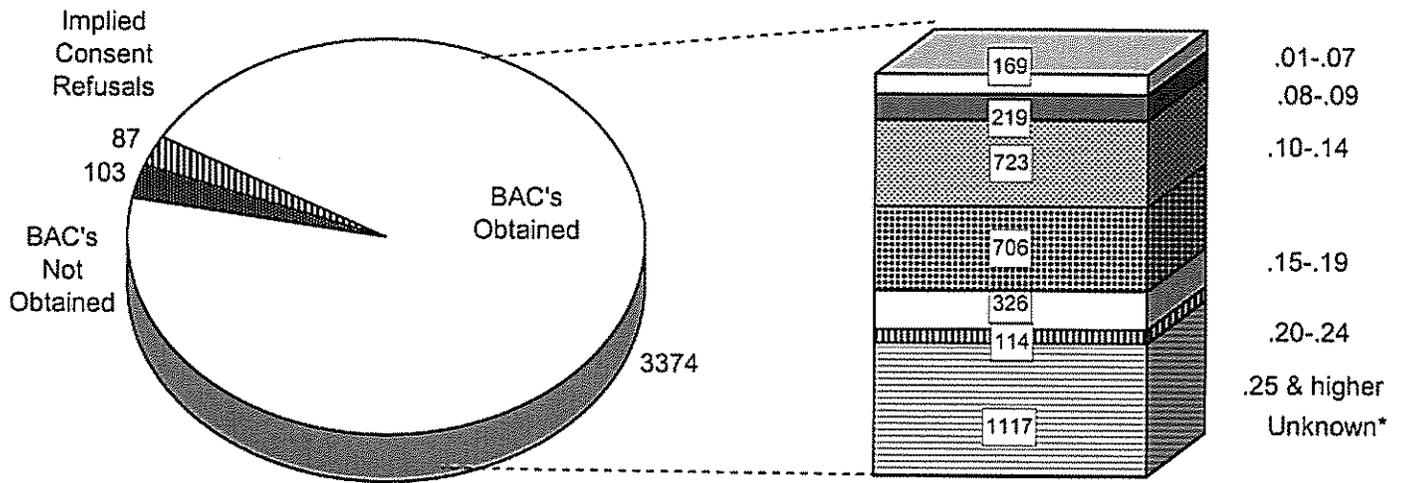
	Males	Females	Unknown	Total
15 & Under	2	0	0	2
16	7	5	0	12
17	30	9	0	39
18	69	15	0	84
19	100	16	0	116
20	130	17	0	147
21 - 24	524	109	0	633
25 - 34	898	130	1	1029
35 - 44	669	180	0	849
45 - 54	385	90	1	476
55 - 64	113	21	0	134
65 & Older	36	7	0	43
Unknown	0	0	0	0
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Totals:	2963	599	2	3564

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Blood Alcohol Content Data

Drivers Arrested for DUI

2005



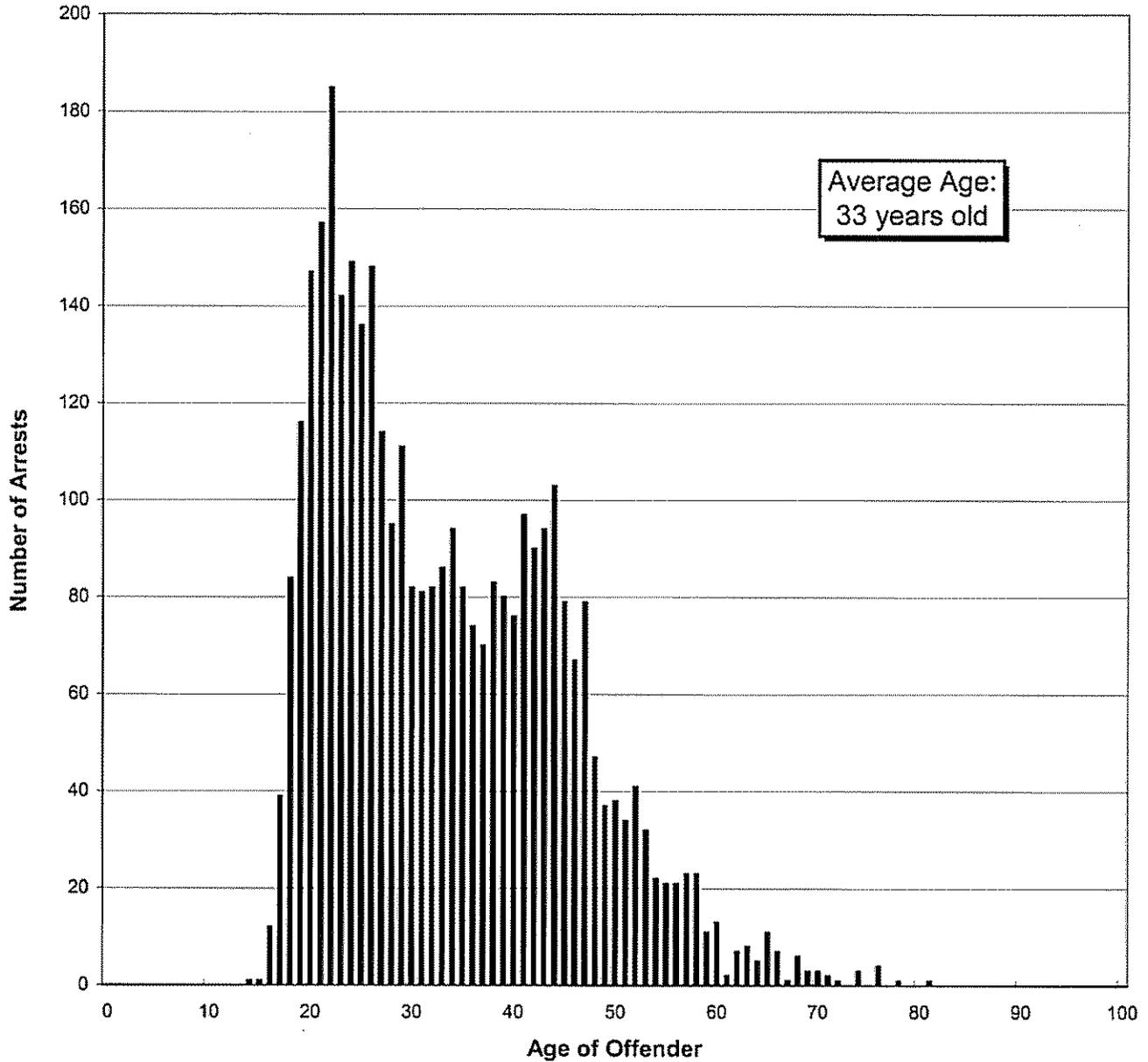
Total DUI Arrests:
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Breakdown of the
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* Samples taken but BAC results not reported.

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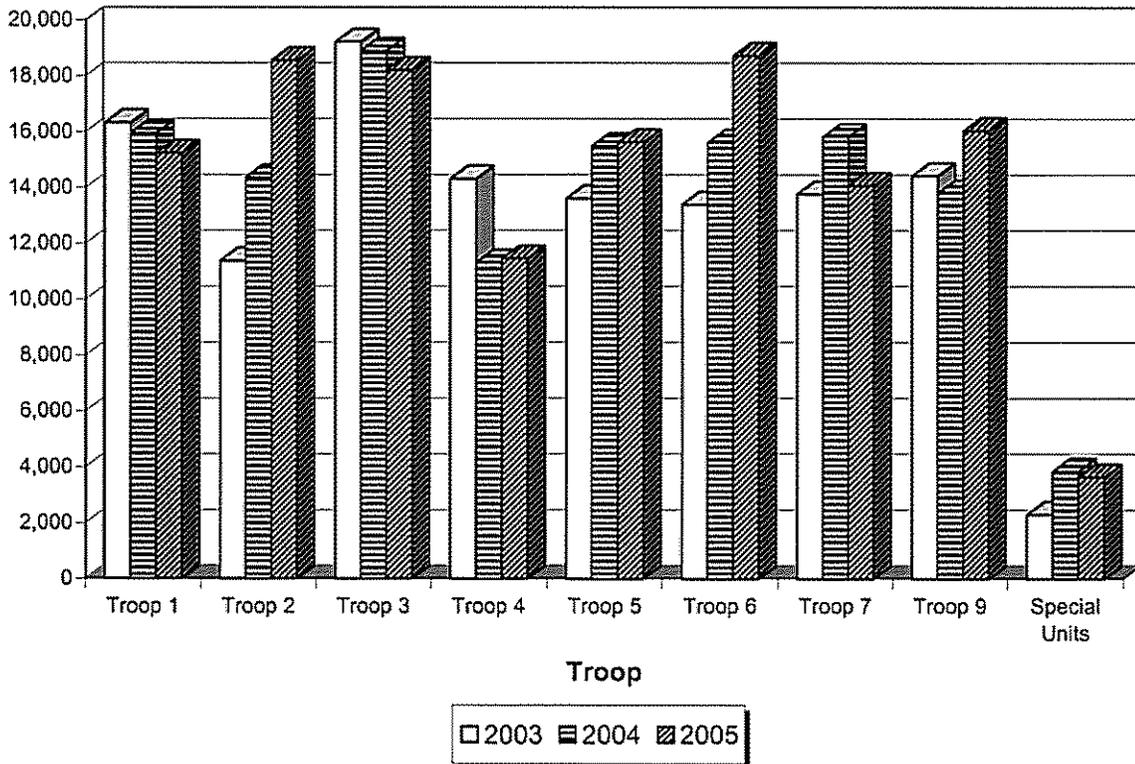
Persons Arrested for DUI by Age



Based on Year 2005 DSP arrests for which the age was known.

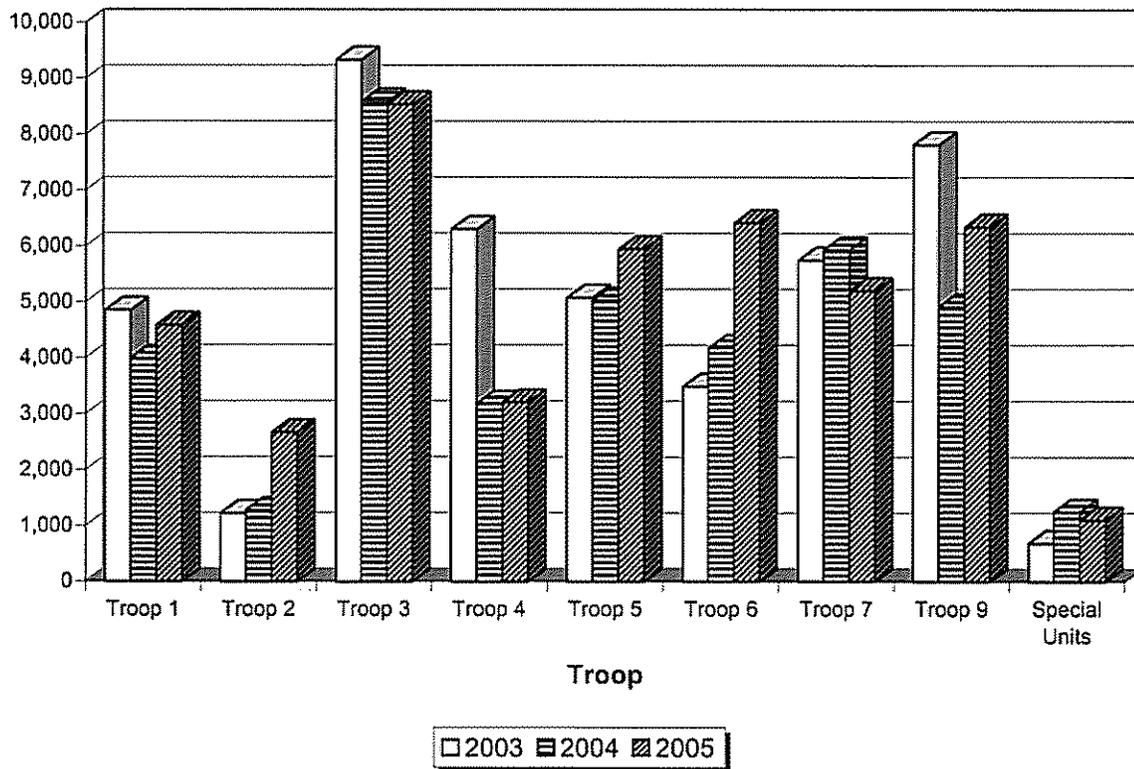
ALL TRAFFIC ARRESTS by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	16,330	15,953	15,239
Troop 2	11,388	14,371	18,561
Troop 3	19,224	18,906	18,218
Troop 4	14,324	11,320	11,463
Troop 5	13,621	15,497	15,627
Troop 6	13,401	15,614	18,730
Troop 7	13,772	15,823	14,073
Troop 9	14,424	13,795	16,043
Special Units	2,304	3,854	3,646
Totals:	118,788	125,133	131,600



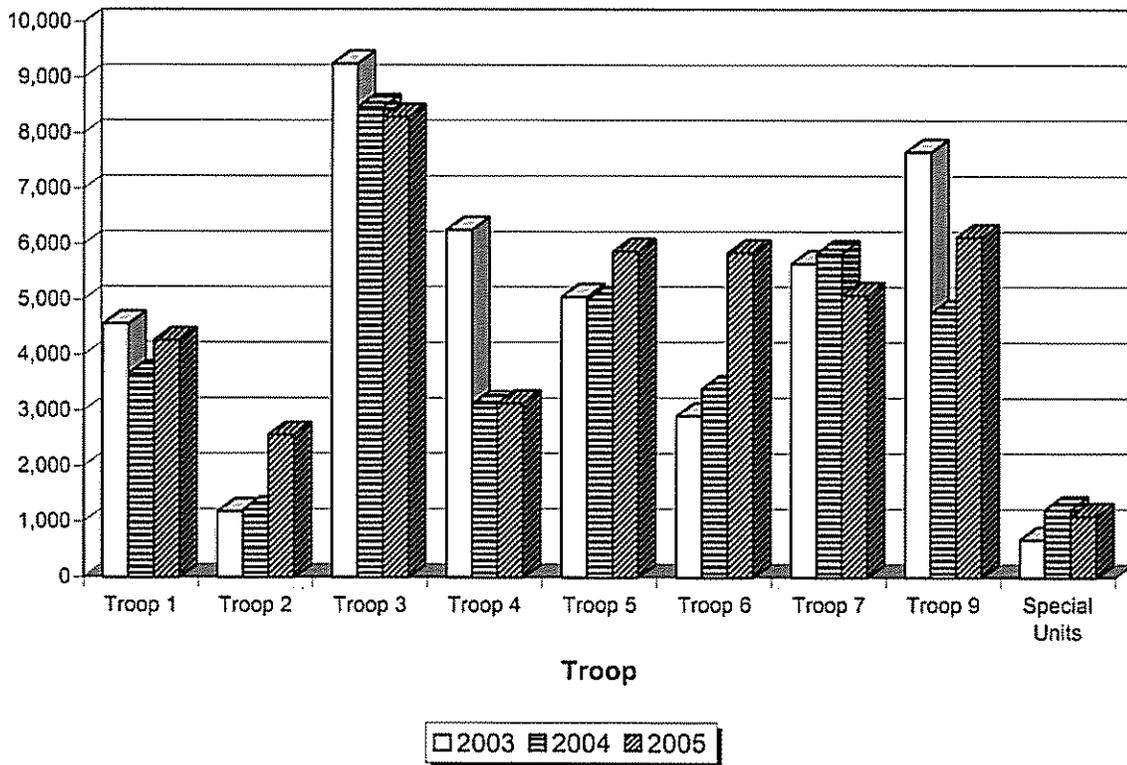
Speed Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	4,855	3,994	4,591
Troop 2	1,224	1,279	2,673
Troop 3	9,336	8,587	8,536
Troop 4	6,305	3,181	3,212
Troop 5	5,083	5,035	5,953
Troop 6	3,491	4,175	6,422
Troop 7	5,752	5,937	5,204
Troop 9	7,816	4,921	6,348
Special Units	692	1,257	1,105
Totals:	44,554	38,366	44,044



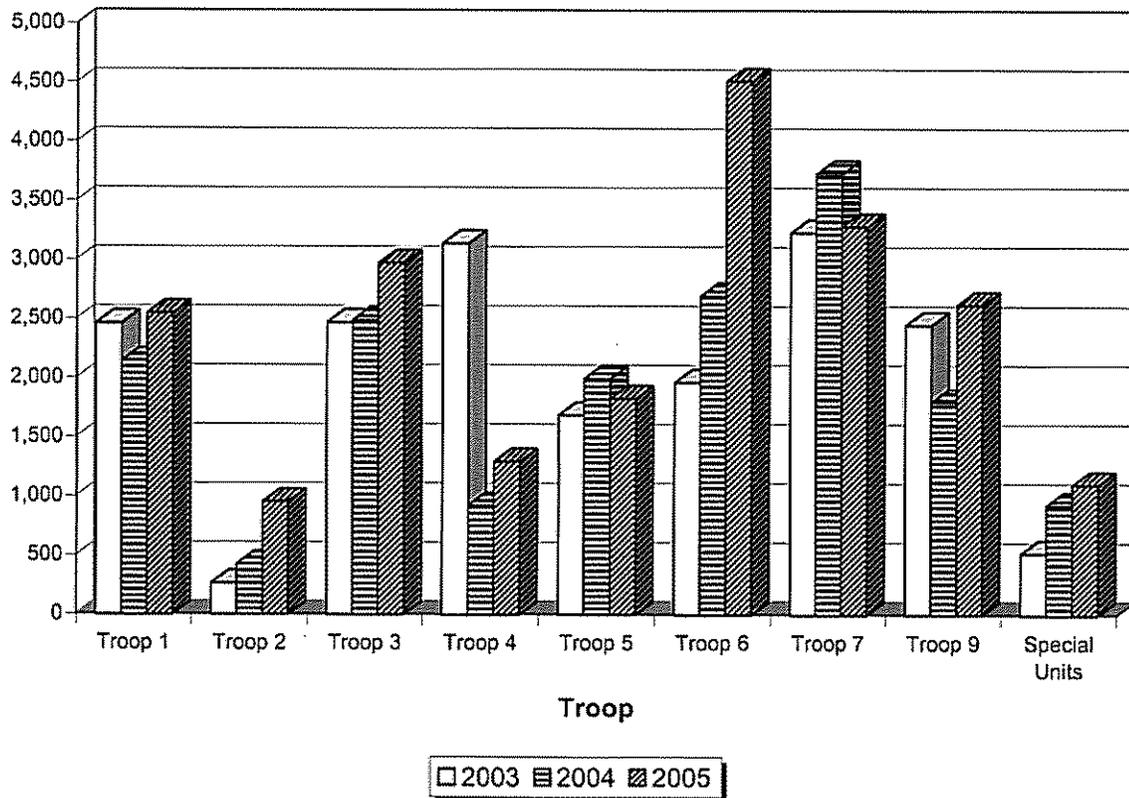
Radar Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	4,562	3,667	4,271
Troop 2	1,183	1,222	2,568
Troop 3	9,256	8,474	8,296
Troop 4	6,262	3,119	3,136
Troop 5	5,057	4,996	5,874
Troop 6	2,906	3,399	5,849
Troop 7	5,653	5,841	5,081
Troop 9	7,666	4,768	6,130
Special Units	688	1,233	1,106
Totals:	43,233	36,719	42,311



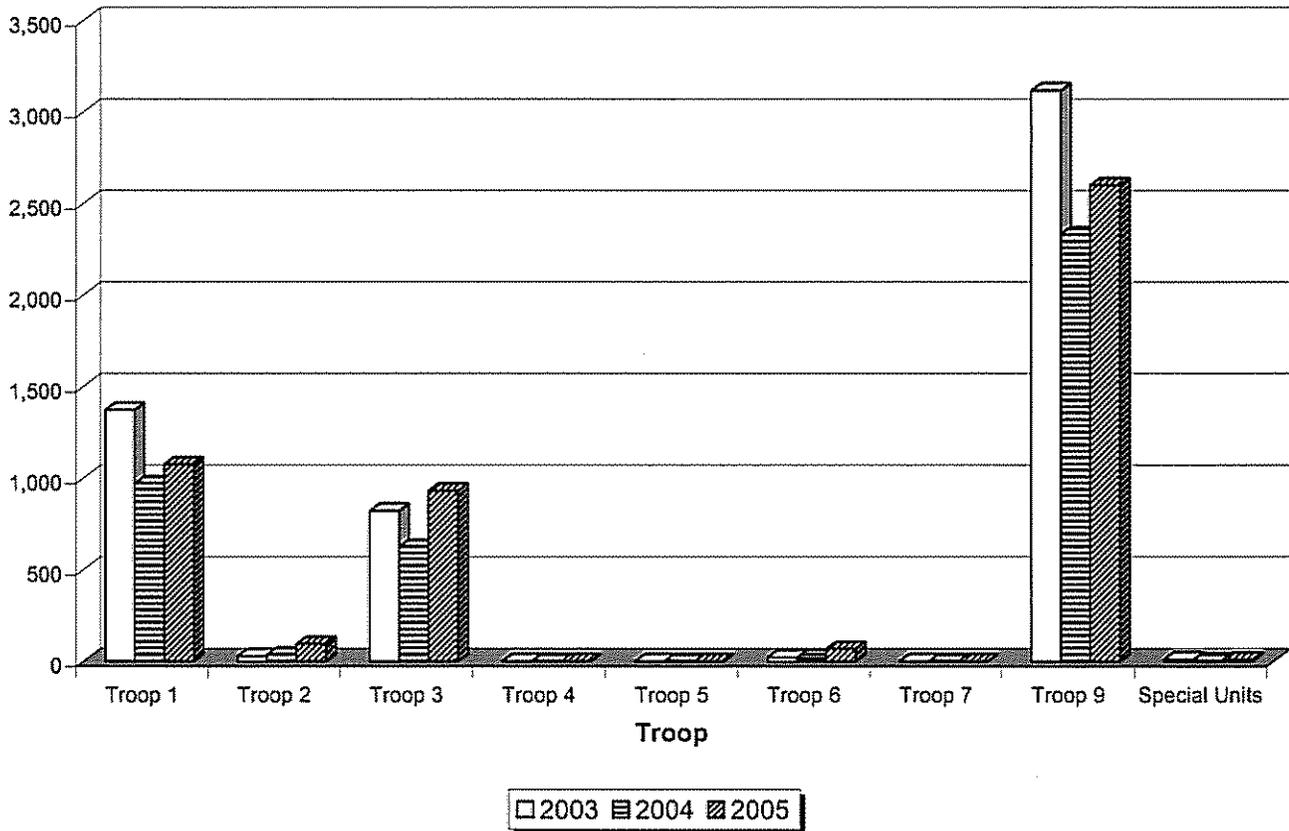
55 MPH Speed Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	2,463	2,141	2,549
Troop 2	263	426	953
Troop 3	2,471	2,490	2,972
Troop 4	3,139	922	1,293
Troop 5	1,689	1,998	1,829
Troop 6	1,965	2,696	4,512
Troop 7	3,231	3,731	3,284
Troop 9	2,451	1,799	2,623
Special Units	522	931	1,102
Totals:	18,194	17,134	21,117



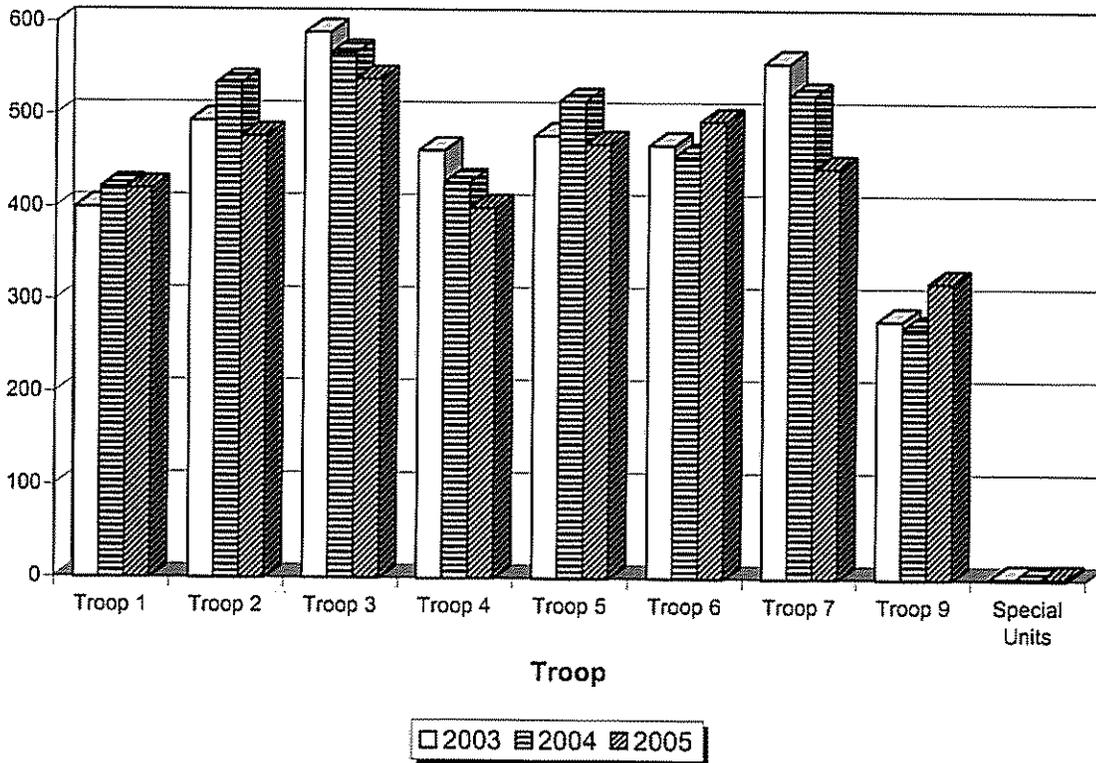
65 MPH Speed Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	1,373	971	1,076
Troop 2	28	36	94
Troop 3	822	624	932
Troop 4	0	0	0
Troop 5	0	0	0
Troop 6	21	19	68
Troop 7	0	0	0
Troop 9	3,118	2,334	2,601
Special Units	10	5	9
Totals:	5,372	3,989	4,780



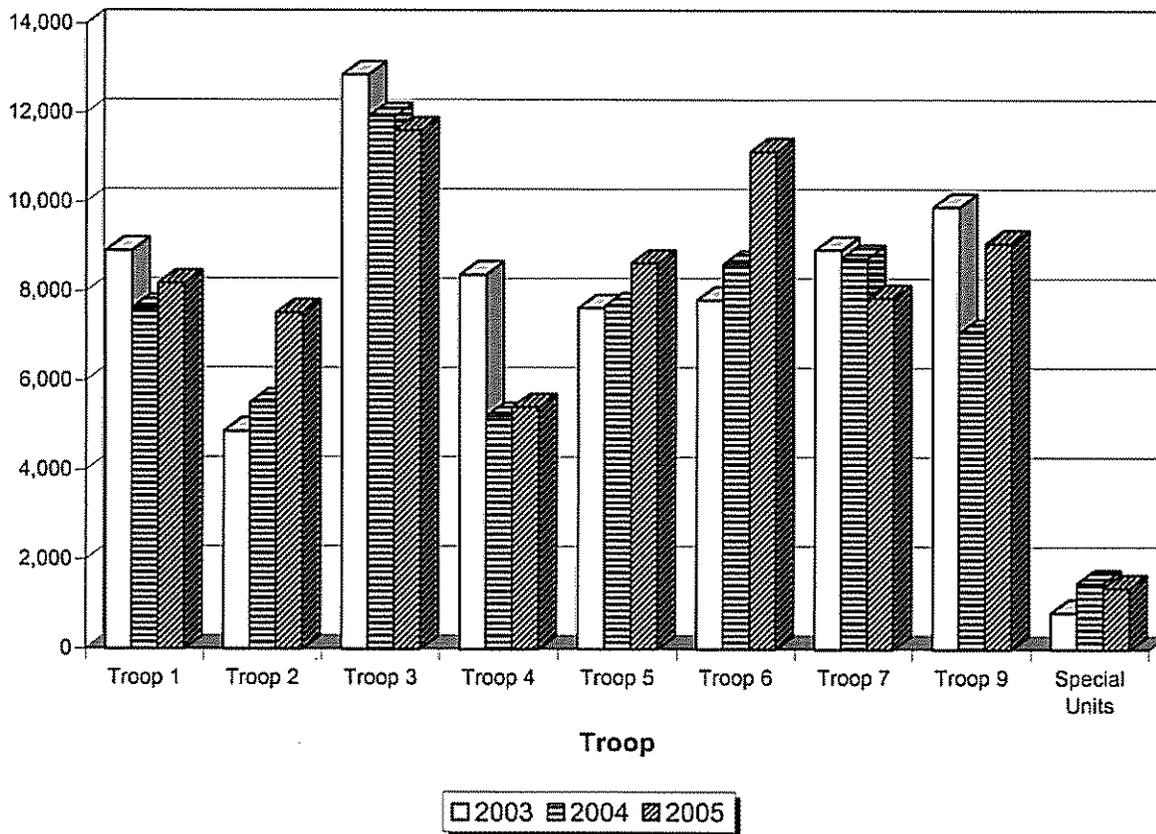
DUI Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	400	422	420
Troop 2	494	534	477
Troop 3	589	567	539
Troop 4	462	428	400
Troop 5	478	516	469
Troop 6	468	456	494
Troop 7	557	522	443
Troop 9	279	271	320
Special Units	2	2	2
Totals:	3,729	3,718	3,564



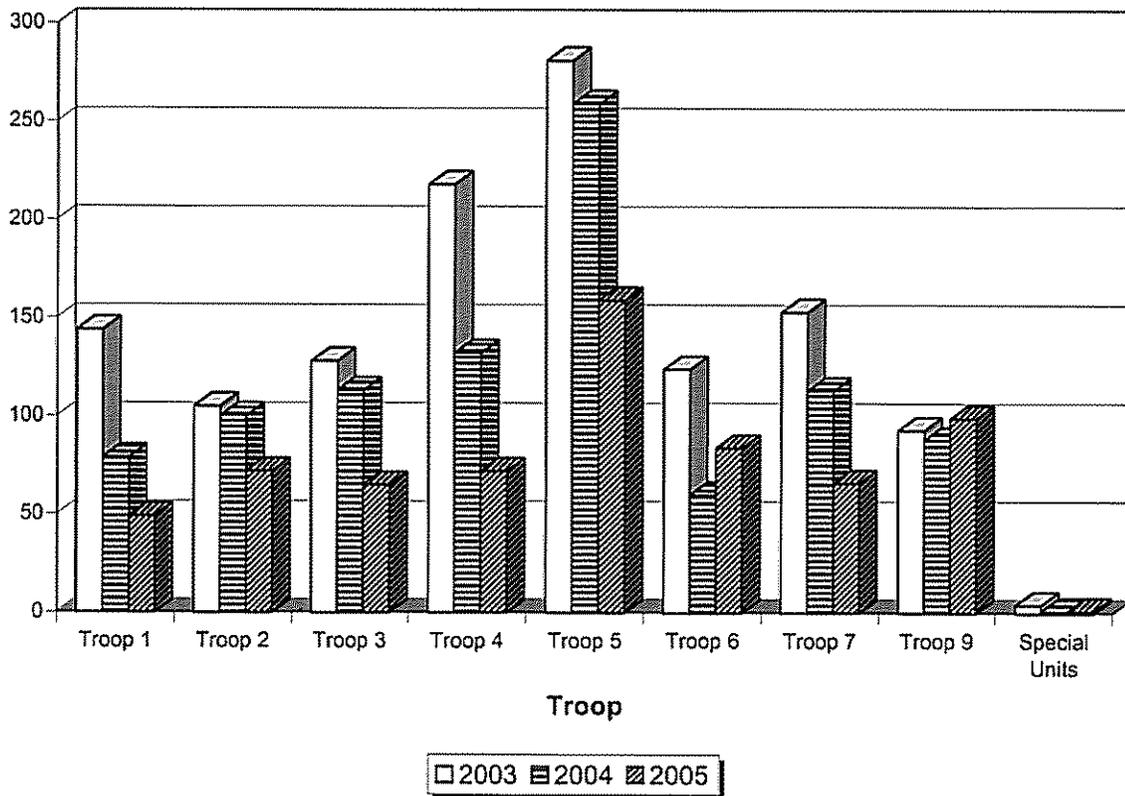
Dangerous Moving Violation Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	8,918	7,628	8,190
Troop 2	4,878	5,516	7,531
Troop 3	12,859	11,925	11,612
Troop 4	8,384	5,209	5,420
Troop 5	7,637	7,683	8,644
Troop 6	7,817	8,622	11,139
Troop 7	8,940	8,754	7,861
Troop 9	9,903	7,088	9,090
Special Units	824	1,492	1,381
Totals:	70,160	63,917	70,868



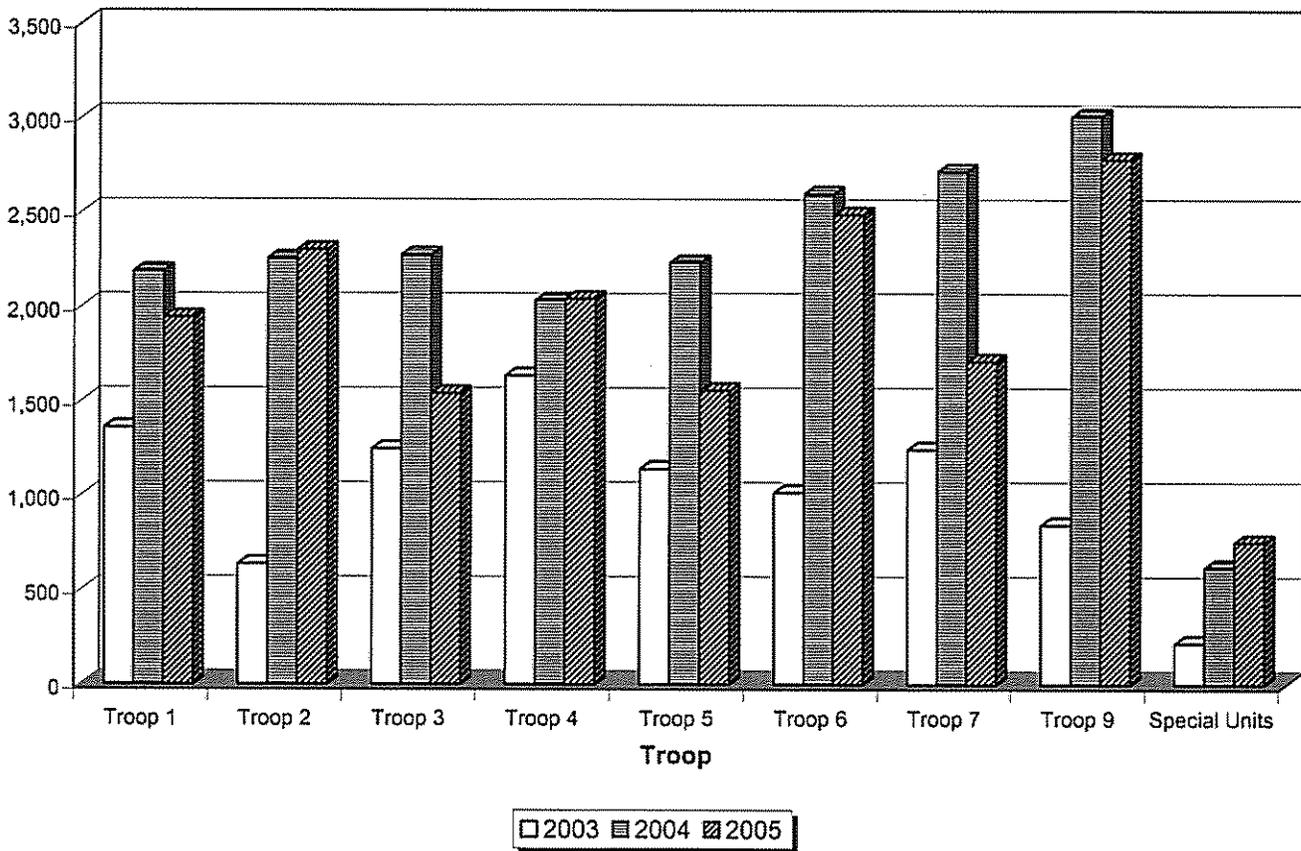
Child Restraint Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	144	79	49
Troop 2	105	100	72
Troop 3	128	113	65
Troop 4	218	132	72
Troop 5	281	259	159
Troop 6	124	60	84
Troop 7	153	113	66
Troop 9	93	88	99
Special Units	4	1	1
Totals:	1,250	945	667



Seat Belt Assessments* by Troops

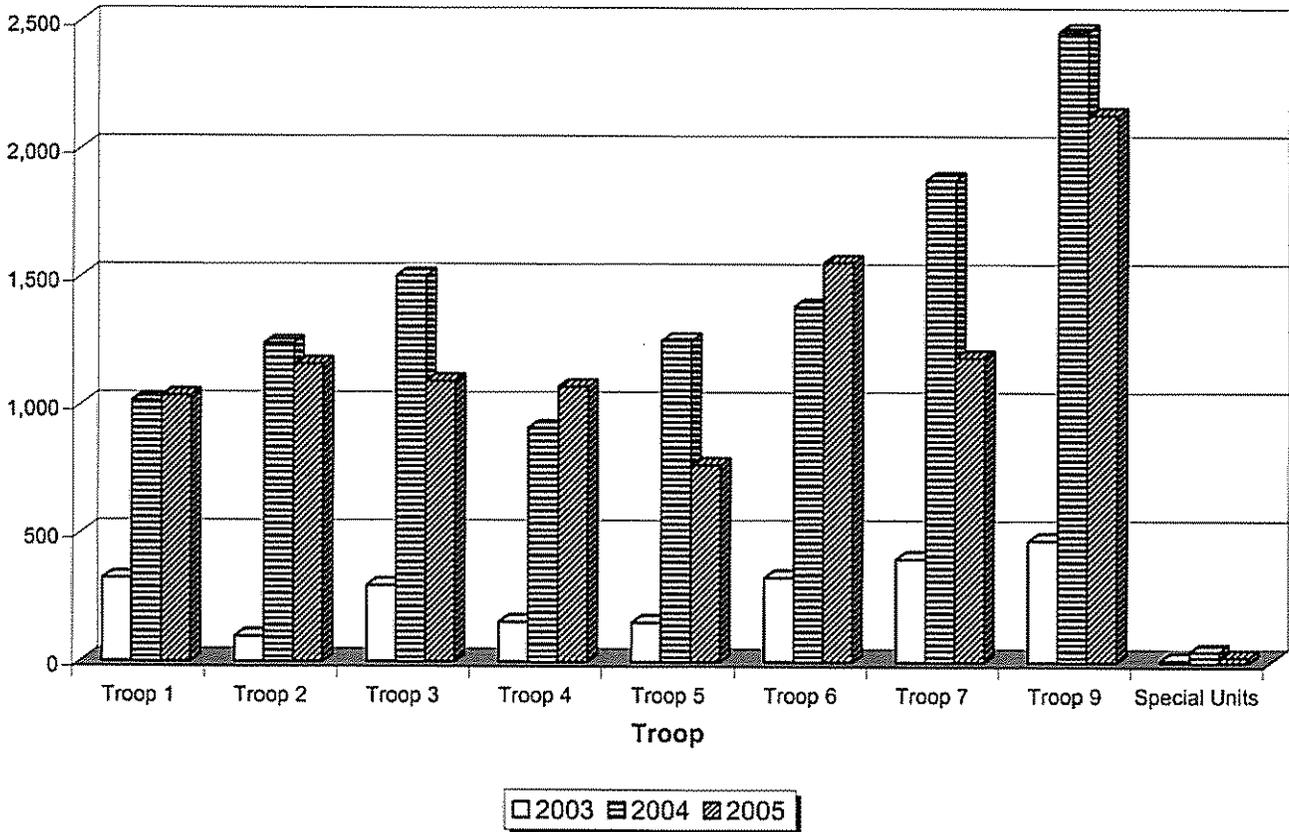
Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	1,359	2,188	1,944
Troop 2	637	2,257	2,303
Troop 3	1,247	2,276	1,541
Troop 4	1,636	2,035	2,043
Troop 5	1,141	2,234	1,557
Troop 6	1,016	2,599	2,490
Troop 7	1,244	2,719	1,712
Troop 9	846	3,011	2,782
Special Units	219	622	754
Totals:	9,345	19,941	17,126



* Secondary Violation

Primary Seatbelt Arrests* by Troops

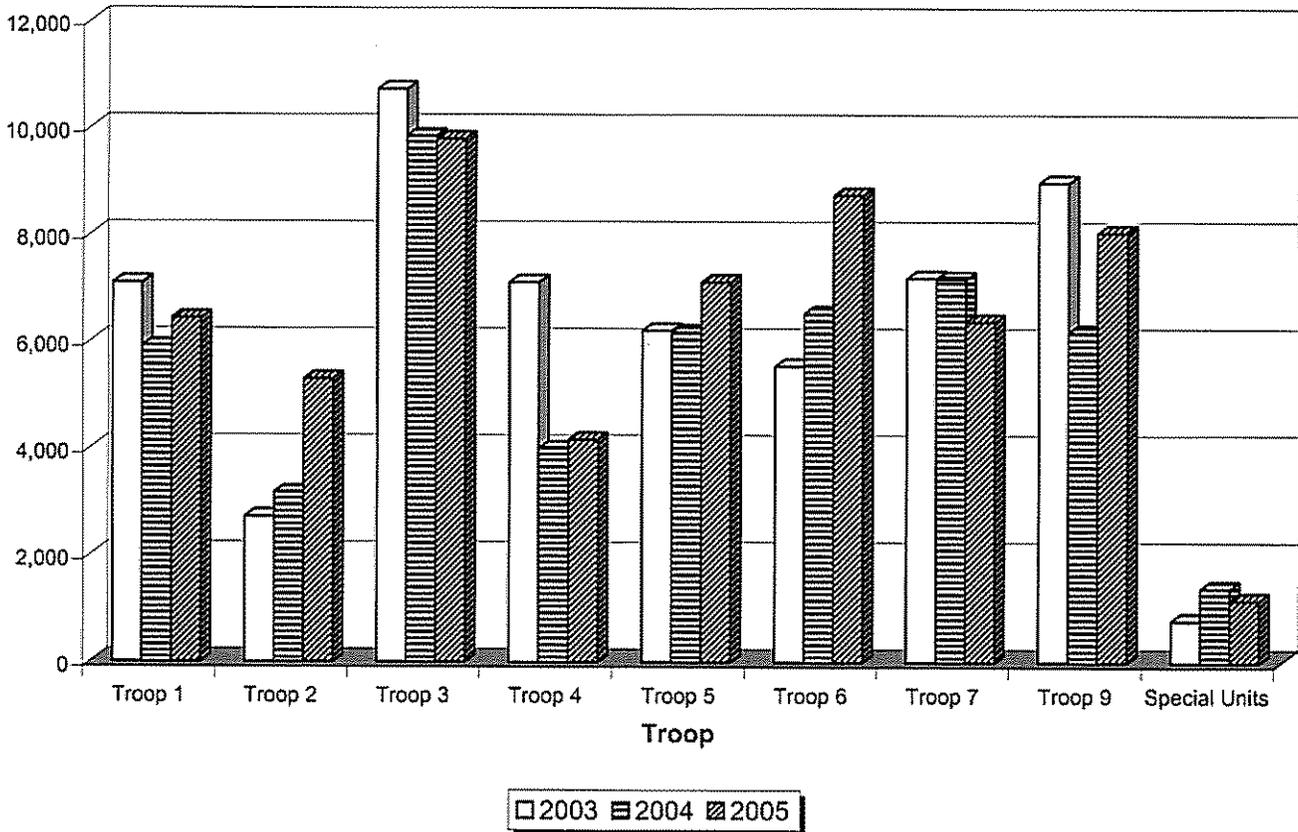
Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	324	1,018	1,036
Troop 2	96	1,242	1,160
Troop 3	297	1,505	1,094
Troop 4	155	912	1,073
Troop 5	152	1,253	767
Troop 6	328	1,386	1,557
Troop 7	402	1,881	1,187
Troop 9	474	2,460	2,134
Special Units	7	42	20
Totals:	2,235	11,699	10,028



* Initiated October 2003.

Aggressive Driving Related Arrests by Troops

Troop	2003	2004	2005
Troop 1	7,094	5,908	6,436
Troop 2	2,718	3,175	5,298
Troop 3	10,721	9,849	9,793
Troop 4	7,110	3,994	4,159
Troop 5	6,207	6,177	7,116
Troop 6	5,535	6,530	8,743
Troop 7	7,193	7,172	6,375
Troop 9	8,984	6,179	8,049
Special Units	777	1,384	1,163
Totals:	56,339	50,368	57,132



Aggressive Driving Related Arrests include the following Sections of Delaware Law, Title 21: 4107a; 4117a, 4120b; 4122-1; 4123; 4132; 4133; 4155; 4164; 4168; 4169; 4175a; and 4175A.

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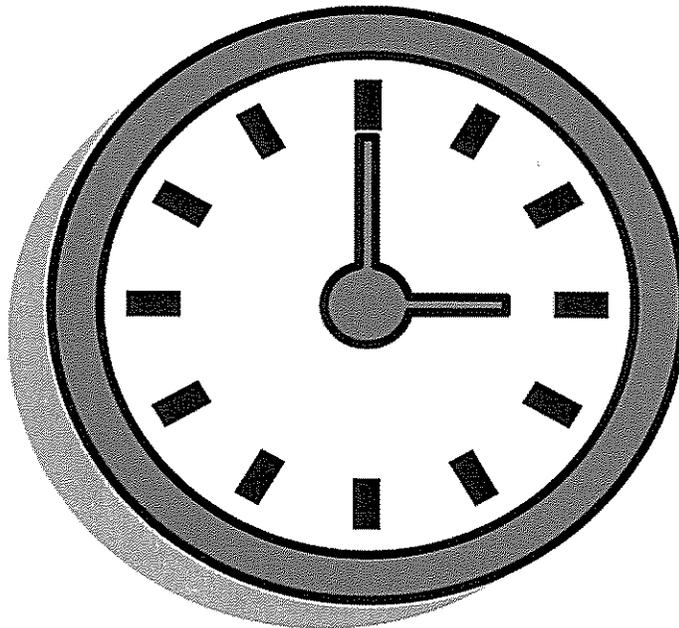
Delaware Crash - Crime Clock

One Fatality every
2 3/4 days

One Traffic Injury
every 63 minutes

One Property
Damage every
40 minutes

One Crash
every 28 minutes



One Murder every
9 days

One Violent Crime
every 81 minutes

One Property
Crime every
20 minutes

One Crime *
every 8 minutes

Delaware Crash - Crime Clock

The Delaware Crash - Crime Clock compares 2005 crash data to preliminary crime data from 2005 -- crime data entered as of 04/04/06. For purposes of this clock, the definition of a violent crime is a crime that involves homicide, kidnap and abduction, rape, robbery, or aggravated assault and a property crime is a crime that involves burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft, or arson.

* Group A crimes only from National Incident Based Reporting System (NIBRS) Report

