

2009 Crash Data

Motorcycle Crashes

Motorcycle crashes account for 1.3 percent of all crashes in the year 2009. The number of motorcyclists killed decreased by 3.7 percent, from 135 in 2008 to 130 in 2009. These motorcycle fatalities account for 14.3 percent of all fatalities in 2009.

The figures below include motorcycles, motorscooters, motorbikes, and mopeds.

Total Crashes	3,846
Fatal Crashes	124
Injury Crashes	2,822
Motorcyclists Killed	130
Motorcyclists Injured	3,152
Non-Motorcyclists Killed	2
Non-Motorcyclists Injured	172

OPERATORS KILLED AND INJURED BY AGE

Age	Killed	Injured
9 or Younger	0	0
10-14	0	9
15-19	2	130
20-24	12	337
25-34	31	610
35-44	24	623
45 or Older	47	1,058
Unknown	0	7
TOTAL	116	2,774

MOTORCYCLES INVOLVED IN CRASHES BY TYPE OF MANEUVER

Motorcycle Maneuver	Motorcycles Involved
Going Straight Ahead	2,114
Passing/Overtaking	109
Making Left Turn	187
Making Right Turn	103
Slow/Stopped in Traffic	330
Skidding/Control Loss	526
Changing Lanes	47
Other	442
Parked	119
TOTAL	3,977

2009 Fatal Crash Data

Fatal Motorcycle Crashes

PERSONS KILLED BY TYPE OF ROADWAY

Fatal Crashes	124	Urban	
Motorcyclists Killed	130	State Routes	24
Non-Motorcyclists Killed	2	Interstate Type Roads	11
		City Streets and Roads	30
		Unmarked State Routes	6
		Urban Total	71
		RURAL	
		State Routes	26
		Interstate Type Roads	4
		County and Local Roads	28
		Unmarked State Routes	3
		Rural Total	61

MOTORCYCLE OPERATORS KILLED BY AGE AND BAC

BAC TEST RESULTS						
AGE	0.00	0.01-0.07	0.08-0.20	Over 0.20	No Test/ Unknown	Total
9 or Younger	0	0	0	0	0	0
10-15	0	0	0	0	0	0
16-20	3	0	0	0	0	3
21-24	6	1	1	1	2	11
25-34	20	2	5	0	4	31
35-44	9	3	7	4	1	24
45 or Older	22	5	11	2	7	47
TOTAL	60	11	24	7	14	116