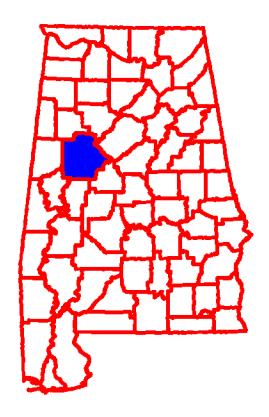


Traffic Safety Facts Tuscaloosa County, Alabama 2005-2009



This Report Contains Data From the Following Sources:
Fatality Data - NCSA Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS): 2005-2008 Final File and 2009 Annual Report File (ARF)
Population Data - U.S. Bureau of the Census



Fatalities by Person/Crash Type

Fatality Type		Fatalities					Fatalities Per 100,000 Population				
		2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
Total Fatalities (All Crashes)*	36	44	45	34	36	20.92	24.87	25.14	18.70	19.56	
(1) Alcohol-Impaired Driving (BAC=.08+) Fatalities	15	12	12	16	14	8.72	6.78	6.70	8.80	7.61	
(2) Single Vehicle Crash Fatalities	17	23	27	22	19	9.88	13.00	15.08	12.10	10.32	
(3) Large Truck Involved Crash Fatalities	2	7	7	1	6	1.16	3.96	3.91	0.55	3.26	
(4) Speeding Involved Crash Fatalities	18	19	18	18	17	10.46	10.74	10.06	9.90	9.24	
(5) Rollover Involved Crash Fatalities	9	13	15	12	17	5.23	7.35	8.38	6.60	9.24	
(6) Roadway Departure Involved Crash Fatalities	22	31	25	23	22	12.79	17.52	13.97	12.65	11.95	
(7) Intersection (or Intersection Related) Crash Fatalities	8	8	8	7	10	4.65	4.52	4.47	3.85	5.43	
Passenger Car Occupant Fatalities	16	23	18	6	12	9.30	13.00	10.06	3.30	6.52	
Light Truck Occupant Fatalities	16	15	14	22	17	9.30	8.48	7.82	12.10	9.24	
Motorcyclist Fatalities	2	3	4	4	4	1.16	1.70	2.23	2.20	2.17	
Pedestrian Fatalities	2	3	6	1	2	1.16	1.70	3.35	0.55	1.09	
Bicyclist (or Other Cyclist) Fatalities	0	0	2	0	0	0.00	0.00	1.12	0.00	0.00	

(1) Crash Involved at Least One Driver or Motorcycle Rider With a BAC of .08 or Above

⁽²⁾ Crash Involved Only One Vehicle In Transport

⁽³⁾ Crash Involved at Least One Large Truck

⁽⁴⁾ Crash Involved at Least One Vehicle Speeding

⁽⁵⁾ Crash Involved at Least One Vehicle that Rolled Over

⁽⁶⁾ Crash Involved at Least One Vehicle that Departed the Roadway (FHWA Definition) (7) Crash Occured Within an Intersection or Within the Approach to an Intersection

^{*}A Fatality Can Be in More Than One Category. Therefore Sum of the Individual Cells Will Not Equal the Total Due to Double Counting





Passenger Vehicle Occupant Fatalities by Restraint Use

Restraint Use		F	atalitie	es		Fatalities Per 100,000 Population				
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Restrained	8	12	15	11	14	4.65	6.78	8.38	6.05	7.61
Unrestrained	23	20	15	15	15	13.37	11.31	8.38	8.25	8.15
Unknown Restraint Use	1	6	2	2	0	0.58	3.39	1.12	1.10	0.00
Total	32	38	32	28	29	18.60	21.48	17.88	15.40	15.76

Motorcyclist Fatalities by Helmet Use

Helmet Use		F	atalitie	s		Fatalities Per 100,000 Population					
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	
Helmet Used	2	3	4	4	4	1.16	1.70	2.23	2.20	2.17	
No Helmet Used	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Unknown Helmet Use	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Total	2	3	4	4	4	1.16	1.70	2.23	2.20	2.17	





Fatalities by Person Type and Race/Hispanic Origin

Person Type by Race/Hispanic Origin				2007	2008
Occupants (All Vehicle Types)	Hispanic	0	2	2	2
	White Non-Hispanic	23	30	27	24
	Black, Non-Hispanic	8	9	8	7
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	3	0	0	0
	Total	34	41	37	33
Non-Occupants (Pedestrians, Pedalcyclists and Other/Unknown Non-Occupants)					
	Hispanic	0	1	0	0
	White Non-Hispanic	0	1	4	0
	Black, Non-Hispanic	2	1	4	1
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	0	0	0	0
	Total	2	3	8	1
Total					
	Hispanic	0	3	2	2
	White Non-Hispanic	23	31	31	24
	Black, Non-Hispanic	10	10	12	8
	Unknown Race and Unknown Hispanic	3	0	0	0
	Total	36	44	45	34

2009 Race/Hispanic Origin Data is Not Yet Complete