

**2015 SAFETY EQUIPMENT STATISTICS
in Passenger Vehicles or Pickup Trucks**

Safety Equipment Usage Among the 645 Fatality Victims:

71.0% (458 of 645) were occupants of passenger vehicles or pickup trucks.*

48.7% (223 of 458) were not using safety belts or child restraints.

44.5% (204 of 458) were using safety belts or child restraint devices.

6.8% (31 of 458) were cases in which safety equipment usage was unknown.

29.0% (187 of 645) were cases in which safety equipment usage was not applicable.**

Safety Equipment Usage Among the 34,477 injured:

90.8% (31,299 of 34,477) were in passenger vehicles or pickup trucks.*

7.8% (2,430 of 31,299) were not using safety belts or child restraints.

88.9% (27,823 of 31,299) were using safety belts or child restraint devices.**

3.3% (1,046 of 31,299) were cases in which safety equipment usage was unknown.

9.2% (3,178 of 34,477) were cases in which safety equipment usage was not applicable.***

*Includes all persons in passenger vehicles, pickup trucks, and police units regardless of seating position or age.

**Use of safety equipment among the injured may be over reported.

***Not applicable includes: motorcyclists, pedestrians, bicyclists and persons in vehicle types not required to use safety belts by state statute.

Safety Belt Use Among Fatality Victims (2015)									
Month	*Person Type in Passenger Vehicles/Pickup Trucks							**Safety Belt Usage Not Applicable	Total Fatalities
	Driver			Passenger					
	Unknown	Not in Use	In Use	Unknown	Not in Use	In Use	Child Restraint		
January	4	20	17	1	3	5	1	13	64
February	2	10	6		7	4	1		30
March	1	14	13	1	3	2		13	47
April	1	8	8	1	7	4	2	13	44
May	2	10	13		7	4	1	15	52
June	1	18	14		1	3		31	68
July	3	17	12	1	4	5	2	31	75
August	2	12	11		7	3	1	19	55
September	2	9	13		9	4		20	57
October	1	10	11	2	2	6	1	16	49
November	3	17	15		8	4		7	54
December	3	16	17		4	1		9	50
Total Fatalities	25	161	150	6	62	45	9	187	645
	336			122					
	458								

*Includes persons in passenger vehicles, pickup trucks, and police units regardless of seating position or age.
**Not applicable includes: motorcyclists, bicyclists, pedestrians, and persons in vehicle types other than passenger vehicles or pickup trucks.

Safety Equipment Use Among *Injured Persons (2015)									
Month	**Person Type in Passenger Vehicles/Pickup Trucks							***Safety Belt Usage Not Applicable	Total
	Driver			Passenger					
	Unknown	Not in Use	In Use	Unknown	Not in Use	In Use	Child Restraint		
January	66	116	1506	31	82	483	29	180	2493
February	50	106	1505	24	77	560	42	164	2528
March	48	110	1562	27	78	592	42	243	2702
April	60	135	1693	39	74	592	54	288	2935
May	54	144	1809	31	84	658	46	307	3133
June	54	119	1719	37	97	629	89	307	3051
July	64	110	1578	30	86	663	69	312	2912
August	59	126	1606	21	105	578	59	338	2892
September	59	108	1799	26	87	586	61	348	3074
October	75	102	1845	19	84	606	67	293	3091
November	53	118	1622	22	81	599	54	191	2740
December	68	113	1734	29	88	625	62	207	2926
Total Injured	710	1407	19978	336	1023	7171	674	3178	34477
	22095			9204					
	31299								

*Injury includes incapacitating injury, non-incapacitating injury and possible injury.
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