

2016 SAFETY EQUIPMENT STATISTICS in Passenger Vehicles or Pickup Trucks

Safety Equipment Usage among the 687 Fatality Victims:

68.7% (472 of 687) were occupants of passenger vehicles and pickup trucks.*

47.5% (224 of 472) were not using safety belts or child restraints.

43.6% (206 of 472) were using safety belts or child restraint devices.

8.9% (42 of 472) were cases in which safety equipment usage was unknown.

31.3% (215 of 687) were cases in which safety equipment usage was not applicable.**

Safety Equipment Usage among the 33,902 Injured.

91.5% (31,027 of 33,902) were in passenger vehicles or pickup trucks.*

8.1% (2,500 of 31,027) were not using safety belts or child restraints.

88.7% (27,529 of 31,027) were using safety belts or child restraint devices.***

3.2% (998 of 31,027) were cases in which safety equipment usage was unknown.

8.5% (2,875 of 33,902) 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.

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

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

Safety Equipment Use Among Fatality Victims (2016)									
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	5	15	13	2	11	2	2	9	59
February	1	3	15		2	4		16	41
March	4	9	19	1	11	5		14	63
April	3	11	13		4	5	1	18	55
May	2	20	11	1	1	5	3	23	66
June	1	11	18	3	4	3	1	16	57
July	3	16	9	1	4	3		12	48
August	5	16	14	2	8	3		25	73
September		19	9		2	1	1	21	53
October	2	15	9		7	4		17	54
November	1	12	18		2	2		22	57
December	3	17	12	2	4	1		22	61
Total	30	164	160	12	60	38	8	215	687
	354			118					
	472								

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

Safety Equipment Use Among Injured* Persons (2016)									
Month	Person Type in Passenger Vehicles/Pickup Trucks**							Safety Belt Usage Not Applicable***	Total Injured
	Driver			Passenger					
	Unknown	Not in Use	In Use	Unknown	Not in Use	In Use	Child Restraint		
January	65	109	1413	33	87	482	58	170	2417
February	48	96	1481	28	86	498	57	222	2516
March	67	113	1499	29	100	530	65	205	2608
April	43	109	1626	27	74	588	71	268	2806
May	65	121	1615	20	86	637	72	246	2862
June	50	113	1640	31	89	613	75	256	2867
July	50	113	1661	21	98	685	61	240	2929
August	46	116	1756	14	68	606	61	294	2961
September	66	141	1773	31	83	607	72	319	3092
October	58	148	1756	34	97	605	65	262	3025
November	64	113	1820	15	88	595	54	228	2977
December	68	143	1629	25	109	636	67	165	2842
Total	690	1435	19669	308	1065	7082	778	2875	33902
	21794			9233					
	31027								

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