

Distracted Drivers in Crashes (2007-2010)

Electronic Device

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- Oklahoma crash reports are completed by law enforcement officers at the scene of a crash and show when a driver is distracted by an electronic device, largely based on self-reporting.
- The two choices officers have for indicating distraction by electronic devices are:
 - ⦿ Electronic communications device (cell phone, pager, etc.)
 - ⦿ Other electronic device (navigation device, Palm Pilot, etc.)
- In 2007, 10 fatal crashes, 693 injury crashes and 912 non-injury crashes involved a driver distracted by an electronic device.
- In 2008, 13 fatal crashes, 661 injury crashes and 1,016 non-injury crashes involved a driver distracted by an electronic device.
- In 2009, 10 fatal crashes, 683 injury crashes and 1,039 non-injury crashes involved a driver distracted by an electronic device.
- In 2010, 9 fatal crashes, 547 injury crashes and 818 non-injury crashes involved a driver distracted by an electronic device.

Distracted Drivers in Crashes (Other than by Electronic Device)				
Driver Age	2007	2008	2009	2010
Unknown	17	32	16	26
Under 16	7	11	6	3
16 - 25	858	832	884	648
26 - 35	338	368	377	331
36 - 45	228	237	263	196
46 - 55	169	195	174	157
56 - 65	82	90	86	71
66+	37	46	56	57
Total	1,736	1,811	1,862	1,489

