

NYS DMV - Statistics - New York State Accident Data - 1996

Category	1996	Average 1993-1995	Percent Of Change
Total Motor Vehicle Accidents	250,521	256,510	-2.33
Fatal Accidents	1,451	1,569	-7.54
Personal Injury Accidents (1)	185,670	191,049	-2.82
Property Damage Only Accidents	63,400	63,891	-0.77
Total Persons Killed (2)	1,590	1,704	-6.71
Drivers Killed	761	831	-8.46
Passengers Killed	385	395	-2.45
Pedestrians Killed	397	428	-7.32
Bicyclists Killed	44	47	-5.71
Total Persons Injured (1,2)	285,731	289,002	-1.13
Drivers Injured (1,3)	154,874	154,281	0.38
Passengers Injured (1,3)	88,716	88,452	0.30
Pedestrians Injured (1)	19,177	20,656	-7.16
Bicyclists Injured (1)	8,950	8,936	0.16

1. Excludes Fataals
2. Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.
3. Data gathered only from Police Reported Accidents.

NOTE:

The change in the accident reporting threshold from \$600 to \$1000, effective August 1, 1991, affected the total accident and property damage accident counts.

Counts of persons killed and injured by category may not add to totals shown because of unusual situations or unspecified vehicle occupant seating position.

Source: New York State Department of Motor Vehicles
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