- --Fatal Crashes December 14, 2021 December 20, 2021:
- 12/25/2021: Sheldon, Cook Rd. Single vehicle ran off road into brook. Passenger fatality. Child safety seat used.
- --2021 Fatalities: 73 Total 57 vehicle operators, 8 passengers, 8 pedestrians, 0 bicyclists

As of December 27 in each calendar year shown:					
Year	Fatalities (People)	Fatal Crashes			
2021	73	68			
2020	61	57			
2019	46	43			
2018	68	60			
2017	69	63			

Fatal Crash Data	2021*	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Total Fatal Crashes	68	57	44	61	64	59	50
Total Fatalities (People)	73	61	47	69	70	64	57
Double Fatality Crashes	5	4	3	8	3	2	5
Triple Fatality Crashes	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Quadruple Fatality Crashes	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Operators Suspected as Driving under the Influence of Alcohol Only	10	11	5	5	6	14	4
Operators Suspected as Driving under the Influence of Drugs Only	13	14	15	13	18	10	11
Operators Suspected as Driving under the Influence of both Alcohol & Drugs	9	6	2	10	11	10	9
Active Cannabis - Delta 9 THC Confirmed**	16	12	13	14	16	19	11
Operators Suspected of Speeding	23	15	14	22	27	29	16
Operators with Suspended License/ No License	7	13	5	7	11	10	5
Junior License Operators involved in fatal crashes	3	2	1	4	2	0	1
"Older Drivers" involved in fatal Crashes (Older Driver is defined as any person age 65 or older. & "involved" does not imply "fault")	19	15	16	14	15	14	11
Crashes involving a Large Truck/Bus ("involving" does not imply "fault")	4	4	10	6	3	5	4
Motorcyclist Fatalities	16	10	8	7	13	11	11

2021 data is as of the date of this report. These numbers are subject to change.

^{**}Active Cannabis - Delta-9 THC Confirmed is counted in the number of operators that had drugs only or alcohol & drugs.

Road User Type	Restraint/Safety Equipment	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Motor Vehicle Occupant	Unbelted	27	24	17	34	24	21
	- Driver	24	19	14	25	17	11
	- Passenger	3	5	2	9	6	10
	- UTV Driver				0	1	0
	Belted	18	17	18	21	22	23
	- Driver	13	12	14	15	15	20
	- Passenger	5	5	4	6	7	3
	Improper Belt Use/Child Restraint		0	0	0	1	1
Motorcyclist/ATV	Wearing Helmet	13	10	5	5	11	10
	Non-DOT Compliant Helmet/Improper	2	0	1	1	1	1
	No Helmet	2	2	2	1	2	1
Vulnerable Users	Pedestrians	8	7	3	6	9	5
	Bicyclists		1	0	0	0	1
Jnknown	Unknown Belt/Helmet Use	3	0	1	1	1	2
6 Unbelted*		60%	58%	49%	62%	52%	48%
Total Fatalities		73	61	47	69	70	64

*Of all fatalities: only occupants in vehicles equiped with seatbelts are used in the calculation for unbelted percentage. Excludes: motorcycles, ATVs, pedestrians, bicyclists and unknowns. (Sum of Belted" & "Unbelted", divided into "Unbelted")

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