

# ALASKA TRAFFIC FATALITIES

*Seat Belts Save Lives.....*

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<i>Month</i>	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010**	2011**
Total Non-Fatal Injury Crashes*	4,049*	3,345*	3,071*	3,238*	3,779*	TBD*	TBD*
Total Non-Fatal Injuries*	5,974*	5,021*	4,389*	4,642*	5,330*	TBD*	TBD*
January	2	7	7	5	2	5	8
February	3	5	4	1	5	0	1
March	6	4	4	2	1	3	5
April	4	3	5	5	4	3	5
May	4	8	3	2	7	6	9
June	9	7	11	7	5	6	3
July	8	9	18	11	9	7	10
August	10	4	3	7	8	3	13
September	11	7	4	4	6	8	3
October	8	9	7	7	5	4	4
November	2	2	9	5	5	6	5
December	6	9	7	6	7	5	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>56**</b>	<b>72**</b>

Alcohol-Related Fatalities (includes non-drivers):

Percentage	50%	31%	43%	44%	41%	34%**	28%**
Number	37	23	35	27	26	19**	20**

<u>Alaska's Observational Seatbelt Use***</u>	78.4%	83.2%	82.4%	84.9%	86.1%	86.8%	89.3%
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Unbelted Fatalities (fatalities in seatbelt equipped vehicles only):

Percentage	41%	37%	53%	54%	30%	35%**	45%**
Number	22	17	28	23	12	13**	21**

\*Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities' Highway Analysis System (HAS)

\*\*These numbers are based on preliminary reports and therefore subject to change.

\*\*\*National Occupant Protection Use Survey - Alaska Injury Prevention Center

All of the above fatality numbers are compiled by the Alaska Highway Safety Office, Alaska Department of Transportation and Public Facilities.

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