

ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES DECEMBER QUARTER 1974



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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bulletin contains details of road traffic accidents involving casualties which occurred in each State and Territory of Australia during the three months ended 31 December 1974 and is supplementary to the statement issued on 2 June 1975 (Reference No. 14.14). A statement showing preliminary figures of road fatalities for the seven months ended July 1975 was issued on 12 August 1975 (Reference No. 14.13).

2. Details of road traffic accidents involving casualties relate to accidents which were reported to the police and which satisfy the following conditions —

- (a) That the accident occurred on any road, street, thoroughfare, etc., open to the public, including railway level crossing;
- (b) That it involved any road vehicle, i.e. motor car, tram, handbarrow, etc., (or other road user, such as an animal), which at the time of the accident was in motion;
- (c) That the accident resulted in —
 - (i) the death of any person within a period of 30 days of the accident; or
 - (ii) bodily injury to any person to an extent requiring surgical or medical treatment.

3. The statistics in this bulletin are compiled from accident reports which are prepared by police officers in the various States and Territories.

4. Australian totals of the number of accidents which involved vehicle damage only are not available as these details are not compiled in all States.

5. Details of road traffic accidents, classified

according to "Type of road user responsible" and "Cause of accident", are not included in this bulletin. Investigations have shown that, because of the subjective nature of classification of accidents according to "responsibility" and "cause", it has not been possible to collect and classify statistics on the same basis for all States.

6. Since January 1970 monthly statements of road accident fatalities in each State and Territory have been issued by this Bureau. Since the December quarter 1969, the Bureau has also issued quarterly statements showing preliminary details of road traffic accidents involving casualties which occurred in each State and Territory of Australia. Quarterly statements of road traffic accidents are also issued for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania by the respective Deputy Commonwealth Statisticians, for the Northern Territory by this Office, and for the Australian Capital Territory by the Department of the Capital Territory, Canberra. Particulars of road traffic accidents classified according to "Type of road user responsible" and "Cause of accident" are shown only in statements for South Australia and Tasmania. Separate publications relating to road traffic accidents are not published by the Deputy Commonwealth Statistician in New South Wales, but selected quarterly figures for this State are published in the New South Wales Statistical Bulletin. In addition, in New South Wales the Commissioner of Motor Transport publishes for the twelve months ended June and December of each year an annual statement entitled "Statistical Statement of Road Accidents in New South Wales", and in South Australia the Road Traffic Board publishes an annual bulletin "Road Traffic Accidents".

SYMBOLS USED IN THIS BULLETIN

- r — revised
- ... — nil or not applicable

TABLE 1. - TOTAL NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, PERSONS KILLED, PERSONS INJURED

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS									
Year -									
1970	25,434	16,435	7,869	7,424	5,218	1,425	528	877	65,210
1971	26,575	15,023	8,147	7,386	5,178	1,385	660	856	65,210
1972	27,365	14,757	7,863	8,116	4,909	1,371	592	777	65,750
1973	29,308	14,485	8,643	9,267	5,404	1,479	711	854	70,151
1974	29,853	12,542	8,086	9,482	4,742	1,393	575	813	67,486
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	7,943	3,692	2,330	2,317	1,293	418	180	240	18,413
March 1974	7,619	3,014	1,774	2,341	1,135	343	123	211	16,560
June 1974	7,635	3,076	2,133	2,545	1,222	358	147	193	17,309
September 1974	6,969	3,145	2,151	2,341	1,259	350	170	196	16,581
December 1974	7,630	3,307	2,028	2,255	1,126	342	135	213	17,036
PERSONS KILLED									
Year -									
1970	1,309	1,061	537	349	351	118	42	31	3,798
1971	1,249	923	594	292	332	130	50	20	3,590
1972	1,092	915	572	312	340	106	53	32	3,422
1973	1,230	935	638	329	358	105	55	29	3,679
1974	1,275	806	589	382	334	111	44	31	3,572
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	317	240	166	102	88	46	17	12	988
March 1974	299	199	120	106	86	33	10	8	861
June 1974	315	203	169	104	84	29	12	6	922
September 1974	318	182	162	78	89	28	10	7	874
December 1974	343	222	138	94	75	21	12	10	915
PERSONS INJURED									
Year -									
1970	34,886	23,737	10,940	10,484	7,373	2,171	714	1,249	91,554
1971	36,660	21,371	11,387	10,132	7,328	2,056	926	1,176	91,036
1972	36,814	20,646	10,788	10,997	6,751	1,968	795	1,007	89,766
1973	39,294	20,011	11,660	12,625	7,377	2,103	1,012	1,122	95,204
1974	40,429	17,539	10,627	12,745	6,277	1,911	788	1,042	91,358
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	10,656	5,221	3,087	3,166	1,747	590	232	319	25,018
March 1974	10,376	4,189	2,342	3,175	1,501	480	150	261	22,474
June 1974	10,334	4,302	2,786	3,380	1,596	493	214	267	23,372
September 1974	9,255	4,283	2,865	3,158	1,653	460	241	254	22,169
December 1974	10,464	4,765	2,634	3,032	1,527	478	183	260	23,343

TABLE 2. - NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, PERSONS KILLED AND PERSONS INJURED PER 100,000 OF MEAN POPULATION AND PER 10,000 MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED

	Per 100,000 of mean population (a)						Per 10,000 motor vehicles registered (b)		
	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER									
1970	65,210	3,798	91,554	521	30	731	136	8	191
1971	65,210	3,590	91,036	510	28	712	129	7	180
1972	65,750	3,422	89,766	506	26	691	123	6	168
1973	70,151	3,679	95,204	533	28	723	124	7	169
1974 -									
New South Wales	29,853	1,275	40,429	626	27	848	145	6	196
Victoria	12,542	806	17,539	344	22	481	78	5	109
Queensland	8,086	589	10,627	410	30	539	90	7	118
South Australia	9,482	382	12,745	774	31	1,040	162	7	218
Western Australia	4,742	334	6,277	431	30	570	90	6	119
Tasmania	1,393	111	1,911	346	28	475	75	6	103
Northern Territory	575	44	788	685	52	939	143	11	197
Australian Capital Territory	813	31	1,042	448	17	574	87	3	111
Australia	67,486	3,572	91,358	504	27	683	112	6	152
QUARTER ENDED									
December 1973	18,413	988	25,018	139	8	189	32	2	43
March 1974	16,560	861	22,474	124	6	169	28	1	38
June 1974	17,309	922	23,372	130	7	175	29	2	39
September 1974	16,581	874	22,169	124	7	166	27	1	37
December 1974 -									
New South Wales	7,630	243	10,464	159	7	219	36	2	50
Victoria	3,307	222	4,765	90	6	130	20	1	29
Queensland	2,028	138	2,634	102	7	132	22	1	28
South Australia	2,255	94	3,032	183	8	246	38	2	51
Western Australia	1,126	75	1,527	102	7	138	21	1	28
Tasmania	342	21	478	85	5	119	18	1	25
Northern Territory	135	12	183	155	14	211	32	3	43
Australian Capital Territory	213	10	260	115	5	140	22	1	26
Australia	17,036	915	23,343	127	7	174	28	1	38

(a) Based on latest available population figures. (b) Average number of motor vehicles (excluding tractors, plant and equipment) on register.

TABLE 3. — NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED : TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES									
Year 1974	436	308	215	151	119	40	20	10	1,299
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	106	91	52	45	29	18	8	3	352
March 1974	99	70	42	51	34	11	7	3	317
June 1974	100	78	63	39	25	15	6	1	327
September 1974	108	65	61	25	37	6	1	..	303
December 1974	129	95	49	36	23	8	6	6	352
MOTOR CYCLISTS									
Year 1974	140	65	83	46	43	13	5	5	400
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	35	19	18	6	8	5	1	4	96
March 1974	36	17	7	12	14	4	..	2	92
June 1974	19	13	32	16	11	3	..	..	94
September 1974	38	13	24	9	8	5	4	2	103
December 1974	47	22	20	9	10	1	1	1	111
PEDAL CYCLISTS									
Year 1974	25	23	10	17	1	1	..	1	78
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	4	5	3	1	1	..	1	..	15
March 1974	8	8	2	4	..	..	..	1	23
June 1974	7	5	2	4	1	..	..	..	19
September 1974	5	4	3	2	..	1	..	..	15
December 1974	5	6	3	7	..	..	..	..	21
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)									
Year 1974	377	215	173	110	104	36	10	6	1,031
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	108	85	54	33	27	17	5	4	333
March 1974	97	51	44	30	27	16	1	..	266
June 1974	107	51	39	29	23	7	5	2	263
September 1974	85	51	47	21	23	6	3	3	239
December 1974	88	62	43	30	31	7	1	1	263
PEDESTRIANS									
Year 1974	296	192	107	58	65	21	9	8	756
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	63	40	38	17	23	6	2	1	190
March 1974	58	52	25	9	11	2	2	2	161
June 1974	82	54	33	16	24	4	1	2	216
September 1974	82	49	27	21	19	10	2	2	212
December 1974	74	37	22	12	11	5	4	2	167
ALL OTHERS (b)									
Year 1974	1	3	1	..	2	..	..	1	8
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
March 1974	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
June 1974	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
September 1974	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
December 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
ALL ROAD USERS									
Year 1974	1,275	806	589	382	334	111	44	31	3,572
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	317	240	166	102	88	46	17	12	988
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(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 4. - NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED : TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES									
Year 1974	16,156	6,777	3,792	4,957	2,614	778	253	407	35,734
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	4,447	2,055	1,137	1,243	761	243	83	138	10,107
March 1974	3,963	1,585	821	1,181	617	197	46	95	8,505
June 1974	4,085	1,647	988	1,351	668	199	66	115	9,119
September 1974	3,892	1,723	1,032	1,275	713	189	87	94	9,005
December 1974	4,216	1,822	951	1,150	616	193	54	103	9,105
MOTOR CYCLISTS									
Year 1974	5,181	1,397	1,762	1,822	642	174	149	162	11,289
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	1,311	431	467	420	140	53	48	47	2,917
March 1974	1,404	355	383	505	159	46	33	48	2,933
June 1974	1,214	330	449	468	149	41	41	36	2,728
September 1974	1,176	296	456	418	155	35	39	38	2,613
December 1974	1,387	416	474	431	179	52	36	40	3,015
PEDAL CYCLISTS									
Year 1974	726	631	338	542	196	38	21	48	2,540
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	135	159	92	131	43	7	8	7	582
March 1974	215	190	99	154	63	14	4	18	757
June 1974	176	144	79	134	48	7	3	12	603
September 1974	152	136	80	111	39	7	9	9	543
December 1974	183	161	80	143	46	10	5	9	637
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)									
Year 1974	13,603	6,766	3,875	4,397	2,231	706	319	337	32,234
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	3,610	2,081	1,140	1,141	651	241	77	105	9,046
March 1974	3,630	1,634	851	1,118	527	183	56	85	8,084
June 1974	3,498	1,661	1,016	1,170	555	177	94	90	8,261
September 1974	2,883	1,561	1,068	1,077	584	174	97	81	7,525
December 1974	3,592	1,910	940	1,032	565	172	72	81	8,364
PEDESTRIANS									
Year 1974	4,719	1,944	852	1,022	581	215	45	85	9,463
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	1,147	489	250	230	148	45	16	22	2,347
March 1974	1,144	422	187	217	133	40	10	14	2,167
June 1974	1,350	513	252	256	171	69	10	14	2,635
September 1974	1,144	561	227	275	158	55	9	30	2,459
December 1974	1,081	448	186	274	119	51	16	27	2,202
ALL OTHERS (b)									
Year 1974	44	24	8	5	13	..	1	3	98
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	6	6	1	1	4	1	..	..	19
March 1974	20	3	1	..	2	..	1	1	28
June 1974	11	7	2	1	5	..	..	..	26
September 1974	8	6	2	2	4	..	..	2	24
December 1974	5	8	3	2	2	..	..	..	20
ALL ROAD USERS									
Year 1974	40,429	17,539	10,627	12,745	6,277	1,911	788	1,042	91,358
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December 1974	10,464	4,765	2,634	3,032	1,527	478	183	260	23,343

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 5. - NUMBER OF MALES KILLED : AGE GROUP AND TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED, AUSTRALIA

	Under 5 years	5 - 6 years	7 - 16 years	17 - 20 years	21 - 29 years	30 - 39 years	40 - 49 years	50 - 59 years	60 and over	Not stated	Total
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES											
Year 1974	..	..	18	216	346	160	132	100	136	..	1,108
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	2	71	87	45	42	19	38	..	304
March 1974	..	..	11	57	83	33	21	26	35	..	266
June 1974	..	..	3	52	85	50	31	28	40	..	287
September 1974	..	..	3	57	74	33	40	24	27	..	258
December 1974	..	..	3	50	104	44	40	22	34	..	297
MOTOR CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	23	214	126	17	3	3	2	..	388
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	7	48	30	4	2	2	..	..	93
March 1974	..	..	6	46	30	4	1	..	1	..	88
June 1974	..	..	7	55	24	2	..	2	..	..	90
September 1974	..	..	3	54	37	3	1	..	1	..	99
December 1974	..	..	7	59	35	8	1	1	..	..	111
PEDAL CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	2	35	6	1	1	5	7	13	..	70
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	8	1	..	1	2	..	1	..	13
March 1974	..	..	11	1	..	..	1	2	6	..	22
June 1974	..	..	6	4	..	1	3	..	4	..	18
September 1974	..	..	9	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	13
December 1974	..	1	9	1	1	..	..	3	2	..	17
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)											
Year 1974	25	3	88	176	116	41	31	22	33	2	537
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	15	4	24	45	54	16	15	13	15	1	202
March 1974	4	1	16	59	28	10	12	5	7	..	142
June 1974	6	1	25	39	30	10	7	8	7	..	133
September 1974	6	1	25	32	21	10	7	1	10	1	114
December 1974	9	..	22	46	37	11	5	8	9	1	148
PEDESTRIANS											
Year 1974	34	18	50	23	33	27	57	81	185	..	508
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	10	6	9	6	13	7	13	28	36	..	128
March 1974	13	8	11	6	4	3	12	17	29	..	103
June 1974	10	3	12	4	15	10	22	22	49	..	147
September 1974	6	5	16	5	4	8	13	25	60	..	142
December 1974	5	2	11	8	10	6	10	17	47	..	116
ALL OTHERS (b)											
Year 1974	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	3	..	..	6
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
March 1974	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
June 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3
September 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
December 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
ALL ROAD USERS											
Year 1974	59	23	215	635	623	246	229	216	369	2	2,617
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	25	10	50	171	184	73	75	62	90	1	741
March 1974	17	10	55	169	146	50	47	50	78	..	622
June 1974	16	4	52	154	154	73	64	61	100	..	678
September 1974	12	6	56	148	136	54	62	53	99	1	627
December 1974	14	3	52	164	187	69	56	52	92	1	690

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 6. - NUMBER OF MALES INJURED : AGE GROUP AND TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED, AUSTRALIA

	Under 5 years	5 - 6 years	7 - 16 years	17 - 20 years	21 - 29 years	30 - 39 years	40 - 49 years	50 - 59 years	60 and over	Not stated	Total
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES											
Year 1974	..	1	233	5,630	8,152	4,220	3,022	2,268	1,995	512	26,033
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	1	82	1,678	2,287	1,248	835	628	557	151	7,467
March 1974	..	..	75	1,321	2,033	1,000	657	551	468	122	6,227
June 1974	..	..	33	1,405	2,077	1,041	833	580	519	124	6,612
September 1974	..	1	60	1,426	2,013	1,097	782	578	509	125	6,591
December 1974	..	..	65	1,478	2,029	1,082	750	559	499	141	6,603
MOTOR CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	507	5,337	3,364	548	262	129	52	257	10,456
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	122	1,395	870	130	62	42	12	63	2,696
March 1974	..	..	155	1,383	834	156	72	31	15	67	2,713
June 1974	..	..	89	1,337	811	134	60	35	8	64	2,538
September 1974	..	..	139	1,221	780	117	65	33	15	56	2,426
December 1974	..	..	124	1,396	939	141	65	30	14	70	2,779
PEDAL CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	5	53	1,425	144	108	70	73	81	116	60	2,135
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	4	10	323	30	21	13	16	15	29	19	480
March 1974	2	24	454	28	28	13	19	21	29	15	633
June 1974	2	7	320	35	30	20	21	26	27	19	507
September 1974	1	11	275	47	25	14	18	19	37	14	461
December 1974	..	11	376	34	25	23	15	15	23	12	534
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)											
Year 1974	1,112	379	2,653	3,811	2,719	896	674	527	547	1,032	14,350
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	318	110	785	1,113	744	241	182	126	138	324	4,081
March 1974	269	105	696	964	658	210	172	127	137	273	3,611
June 1974	301	84	636	964	687	215	172	151	147	284	3,641
September 1974	250	94	587	877	667	231	171	119	124	223	3,343
December 1974	292	96	734	1,006	707	240	159	130	139	252	3,755
PEDESTRIANS											
Year 1974	464	462	1,311	413	488	437	541	594	806	235	5,751
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	149	123	342	90	131	104	120	154	184	59	1,456
March 1974	132	113	292	93	122	93	119	127	156	51	1,298
June 1974	112	111	353	115	124	120	185	169	258	60	1,613
September 1974	79	105	320	111	138	125	127	182	237	62	1,486
December 1974	141	133	346	94	104	93	110	116	155	62	1,354
ALL OTHERS (b)											
Year 1974	..	2	16	8	7	7	7	6	6	4	63
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	1	..	2	1	..	3	3	1	3	..	14
March 1974	..	2	6	1	2	..	1	1	1	1	15
June 1974	..	..	1	2	3	1	2	..	3	1	13
September 1974	..	..	5	4	1	3	3	1	..	..	17
December 1974	..	..	4	1	1	3	1	4	2	2	18
ALL ROAD USERS											
Year 1974	1,581	897	6,145	15,343	14,838	6,178	4,579	3,605	3,522	2,100	58,788
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	472	244	1,656	4,307	4,053	1,739	1,218	966	923	616	16,194
March 1974	403	244	1,678	3,790	3,677	1,472	1,040	858	806	529	14,497
June 1974	415	202	1,432	3,858	3,732	1,537	1,273	961	962	552	14,924
September 1974	330	211	1,386	3,686	3,624	1,587	1,166	932	922	480	14,324
December 1974	433	240	1,649	4,009	3,805	1,582	1,100	854	832	539	15,043

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 7. - NUMBER OF FEMALES KILLED : AGE GROUP AND TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED, AUSTRALIA

	Under 5 years	5 - 6 years	7 - 16 years	17 - 20 years	21 - 29 years	30 - 39 years	40 - 49 years	50 - 59 years	60 and over	Not stated	Total
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES											
Year 1974	..	..	1	35	36	38	33	21	27	..	191
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	1	6	13	7	8	5	8	..	48
March 1974	..	..	1	12	6	10	8	7	7	..	51
June 1974	..	..	..	8	10	6	9	4	3	..	40
September 1974	..	..	..	8	10	9	7	4	7	..	45
December 1974	..	..	..	7	10	13	9	6	10	..	55
MOTOR CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	1	4	5	..	1	1	..	..	12
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	3
March 1974	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	4
June 1974	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	4
September 1974	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	4
December 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
PEDAL CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	3	..	1	..	2	1	1	..	8
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
March 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
June 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
September 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
December 1974	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	4
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)											
Year 1974	35	8	57	92	80	28	34	49	110	1	494
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	14	1	21	15	18	4	7	21	30	..	131
March 1974	11	3	15	24	24	10	9	10	18	..	124
June 1974	9	..	12	24	22	5	10	18	30	..	130
September 1974	5	3	20	22	20	7	11	11	25	1	125
December 1974	10	2	10	22	14	6	4	10	37	..	115
PEDESTRIANS											
Year 1974	19	19	35	6	15	9	17	22	106	..	248
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	6	3	8	1	7	3	6	3	25	..	62
March 1974	8	5	10	2	1	3	2	6	21	..	58
June 1974	4	5	11	..	4	2	3	8	32	..	69
September 1974	2	6	8	1	6	3	8	5	31	..	70
December 1974	3	3	6	3	4	1	4	3	22	..	51
ALL OTHERS (b)											
Year 1974	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
March 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
June 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
September 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
December 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ALL ROAD USERS											
Year 1974	54	27	99	137	137	75	87	94	244	1	955
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	20	4	33	23	38	15	22	29	63	..	247
March 1974	19	8	28	39	34	23	19	23	46	..	239
June 1974	13	5	24	33	37	13	22	32	65	..	244
September 1974	7	9	30	33	37	19	28	20	63	1	247
December 1974	15	5	17	32	29	20	18	19	70	..	225

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 8. - NUMBER OF FEMALES INJURED : AGE GROUP AND TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED, AUSTRALIA

	Under 5 years	5 - 6 years	7 - 16 years	17 - 20 years	21 - 29 years	30 - 39 years	40 - 49 years	50 - 59 years	60 and over	Not stated	Total
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES											
Year 1974	..	..	65	1,726	3,036	1,850	1,302	939	597	186	9,701
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	22	455	834	500	355	262	153	59	2,640
March 1974	..	..	21	449	700	438	272	223	129	46	2,278
June 1974	..	..	5	441	776	480	351	254	155	45	2,507
September 1974	..	..	22	418	784	463	326	217	138	44	2,414
December 1974	..	..	17	418	776	469	351	245	175	51	2,502
MOTOR CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	22	442	264	46	19	12	3	25	833
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	4	117	74	10	5	3	1	7	221
March 1974	..	..	6	119	68	14	6	1	1	5	220
June 1974	..	..	..	107	55	11	4	6	..	7	190
September 1974	..	..	5	96	68	8	3	2	1	4	187
December 1974	..	..	11	120	73	13	6	3	1	9	236
PEDAL CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	3	11	259	25	18	12	21	19	15	22	405
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	1	69	3	3	3	5	8	4	6	102
March 1974	1	5	87	8	3	2	7	4	3	4	124
June 1974	..	2	59	5	4	3	6	5	5	7	96
September 1974	1	2	51	4	2	4	6	6	4	2	82
December 1974	1	2	62	8	9	3	2	4	3	9	103
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)											
Year 1974	1,010	392	3,180	3,442	2,980	1,472	1,413	1,355	1,626	1,014	17,884
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	289	102	848	1,002	783	401	361	415	430	334	4,965
March 1974	251	112	785	870	769	362	349	305	392	278	4,473
June 1974	249	76	767	934	730	373	404	363	443	281	4,620
September 1974	243	89	742	794	719	335	333	334	364	229	4,182
December 1974	267	115	886	844	762	402	327	353	427	226	4,609
PEDESTRIANS											
Year 1974	261	246	921	331	319	242	270	313	673	136	3,712
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	88	66	209	66	74	52	71	66	169	30	891
March 1974	77	57	209	76	77	49	51	75	159	39	869
June 1974	62	67	272	93	97	68	80	82	170	31	1,022
September 1974	47	65	224	95	79	71	77	85	199	31	973
December 1974	75	57	216	67	66	54	62	71	145	35	848
ALL OTHERS (b)											
Year 1974	2	1	20	6	2	..	..	1	2	1	35
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	5
March 1974	2	..	9	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	13
June 1974	..	1	6	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	13
September 1974	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	7
December 1974	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
ALL ROAD USERS											
Year 1974	1,276	650	4,467	5,972	6,619	3,622	3,025	2,639	2,916	1,384	32,570
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	377	170	1,154	1,644	1,768	966	797	754	758	436	8,824
March 1974	331	174	1,117	1,523	1,617	865	685	608	685	372	7,977
June 1974	311	146	1,109	1,585	1,662	935	845	710	773	372	8,448
September 1974	291	156	1,047	1,407	1,654	881	747	645	707	310	7,845
December 1974	343	174	1,194	1,457	1,686	941	748	676	751	330	8,300

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 9. - NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED : AGE GROUP AND TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED, AUSTRALIA

	Under 5 years	5 - 6 years	7 - 16 years	17 - 20 years	21 - 29 years	30 - 39 years	40 - 49 years	50 - 59 years	60 and over	Not stated	Total
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES											
Year 1974	..	..	19	251	382	129	165	121	163	..	1,299
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	3	77	100	52	50	24	46	..	352
March 1974	..	..	12	69	89	43	29	33	42	..	317
June 1974	..	..	1	60	95	56	40	32	43	..	327
September 1974	..	..	3	65	84	42	47	28	34	..	303
December 1974	..	..	3	57	114	57	49	28	44	..	352
MOTOR CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	24	218	131	17	4	4	2	..	400
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	7	49	30	5	3	2	..	..	96
March 1974	..	..	6	47	33	4	1	..	1	..	92
June 1974	..	..	8	56	25	2	..	3	..	..	94
September 1974	..	..	3	56	38	3	2	..	1	..	103
December 1974	..	..	7	59	35	8	1	1	..	..	111
PEDAL CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	2	38	6	2	1	7	8	14	..	78
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	10	1	..	1	2	..	1	..	15
March 1974	..	1	12	1	..	..	1	2	6	..	23
June 1974	..	..	6	4	..	1	3	1	4	..	19
September 1974	..	..	10	..	..	..	2	2	1	..	15
December 1974	..	1	10	1	2	..	1	3	3	..	21
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)											
Year 1974	60	11	145	268	196	69	65	71	143	3	1,031
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	29	5	45	60	72	20	22	34	45	1	333
March 1974	15	4	31	83	52	20	21	15	25	..	266
June 1974	15	1	37	63	52	15	17	26	37	..	263
September 1974	11	4	45	54	41	17	18	12	35	2	239
December 1974	19	2	32	68	51	17	9	18	46	1	263
PEDESTRIANS											
Year 1974	53	37	85	29	48	36	74	103	291	..	756
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	16	9	17	7	20	10	19	31	61	..	190
March 1974	21	13	21	8	5	6	14	23	50	..	161
June 1974	14	8	23	4	19	12	25	30	81	..	216
September 1974	8	11	24	6	10	11	21	30	91	..	212
December 1974	10	5	17	11	14	7	14	20	69	..	167
ALL OTHERS (b)											
Year 1974	..	..	3	..	1	..	1	3	..	..	8
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
March 1974	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
June 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3
September 1974	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
December 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
ALL ROAD USERS											
Year 1974	113	50	314	772	760	321	316	310	613	3	3,572
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	45	14	83	194	222	88	97	91	153	1	988
March 1974	36	18	83	208	180	73	66	73	124	..	861
June 1974	29	9	76	187	191	86	86	93	165	..	922
September 1974	19	15	86	181	173	73	90	73	162	2	874
December 1974	29	8	69	196	216	89	74	71	162	1	915

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 10. - NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED : AGE GROUP AND TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED, AUSTRALIA

	Under 5 years	5-6 years	7-16 years	17-20 years	21-29 years	30-39 years	40-49 years	50-59 years	60 and over	Not stated	Total
DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES											
Year 1974	..	1	298	7,356	11,188	6,070	4,324	3,207	2,592	698	35,734
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	1	104	2,133	3,121	1,748	1,190	890	710	210	10,107
March 1974	..	..	96	1,770	2,733	1,438	929	774	597	168	8,505
June 1974	..	..	38	1,846	2,853	1,521	1,184	834	674	169	9,119
September 1974	..	1	82	1,844	2,797	1,260	1,110	795	647	169	9,005
December 1974	..	..	82	1,896	2,805	1,551	1,101	804	674	192	9,105
MOTOR CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	..	..	529	5,779	3,628	594	281	141	55	282	11,289
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	..	..	126	1,512	944	140	67	45	13	70	2,917
March 1974	..	..	161	1,502	902	170	78	32	16	72	2,933
June 1974	..	..	89	1,444	866	145	64	41	8	71	2,728
September 1974	..	..	144	1,317	848	125	68	35	16	60	2,613
December 1974	..	..	135	1,516	1,012	154	71	33	15	79	3,015
PEDAL CYCLISTS											
Year 1974	8	64	1,684	169	1,6	82	94	100	131	82	2,540
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	4	11	392	33	24	16	21	23	33	25	582
March 1974	3	29	541	36	31	15	26	25	32	19	757
June 1974	2	9	379	40	34	23	27	31	32	26	603
September 1974	2	13	326	51	27	18	24	25	41	16	543
December 1974	1	13	438	42	34	26	17	19	26	21	637
PASSENGERS (ALL TYPES) (a)											
Year 1974	2,122	771	5,833	7,253	5,699	2,368	2,087	1,882	2,173	2,046	32,234
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	607	212	1,633	2,115	1,527	642	543	541	568	658	9,046
March 1974	520	217	1,481	1,834	1,427	572	521	432	529	551	8,084
June 1974	550	160	1,403	1,898	1,417	588	576	514	590	565	8,261
September 1974	493	183	1,329	1,671	1,386	566	504	453	488	452	7,525
December 1974	559	211	1,620	1,850	1,469	642	486	483	566	478	8,364
PEDESTRIANS											
Year 1974	725	708	2,232	744	807	679	811	907	1,479	371	9,463
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	237	189	551	156	205	156	191	220	353	89	2,347
March 1974	209	170	501	169	199	142	170	202	315	90	2,167
June 1974	174	178	625	208	221	194	265	251	428	91	2,635
September 1974	126	170	544	206	217	196	204	267	436	93	2,459
December 1974	216	190	562	161	170	147	172	187	300	97	2,202
ALL OTHERS (b)											
Year 1974	2	3	36	14	9	7	7	7	8	5	98
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	1	1	4	2	..	3	3	1	4	..	19
March 1974	2	2	15	2	2	..	1	1	2	1	28
June 1974	..	1	7	7	3	1	2	..	3	2	26
September 1974	..	..	8	4	3	3	3	2	1	..	24
December 1974	..	..	6	1	1	3	1	4	2	2	20
ALL ROAD USERS											
Year 1974	2,857	1,547	10,612	21,315	21,457	9,800	7,604	6,244	6,438	3,484	91,358
Quarter ended -											
December 1973	849	414	2,810	5,951	5,821	2,705	2,015	1,720	1,681	1,052	25,018
March 1974	734	418	2,795	5,313	5,294	2,337	1,725	1,466	1,491	901	22,474
June 1974	726	348	2,541	5,443	5,394	2,472	2,118	1,671	1,735	924	23,372
September 1974	621	367	2,433	5,093	5,278	2,468	1,913	1,577	1,629	790	22,169
December 1974	776	414	2,843	5,466	5,491	2,523	1,848	1,530	1,583	869	23,343

(a) Includes pillion riders. (b) Includes bystanders, tram drivers, riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

TABLE 11. - NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, PERSONS KILLED, PERSONS INJURED : NATURE OF ACCIDENT (a), AUSTRALIA

	<i>Collisions between vehicles</i>	<i>Vehicle overturning or leaving road</i>	<i>Vehicle colliding with pedestrian</i>	<i>Vehicle colliding with fixed object (b)</i>	<i>Passenger accidents</i>	<i>Vehicle colliding with animal</i>	<i>Other</i>	<i>Total</i>
NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS								
Year 1974	38,875	10,551	9,477	7,561	348	562	112	67,486
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	10,631	2,940	2,350	2,218	99	146	29	18,413
March 1974	9,557	2,788	2,169	1,807	93	120	26	16,560
June 1974	10,046	2,504	2,618	1,868	107	145	21	17,309
September 1974	9,543	2,397	2,473	1,936	66	138	28	16,581
December 1974	9,729	2,862	2,217	1,950	82	159	37	17,036
PERSONS KILLED								
Year 1974	1,527	764	746	501	13	12	9	3,572
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	413	207	185	168	7	5	3	988
March 1974	346	224	155	132	2	..	2	861
June 1974	408	164	213	124	7	4	2	922
September 1974	358	177	210	120	..	7	2	874
December 1974	415	199	168	125	4	1	3	915
PERSONS INJURED								
Year 1974	56,487	14,221	9,403	10,095	362	669	121	91,358
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	15,489	3,955	2,308	2,954	98	186	28	25,018
March 1974	13,917	3,726	2,145	2,412	97	151	26	22,474
June 1974	14,537	3,404	2,624	2,505	109	170	23	23,372
September 1974	13,748	3,189	2,430	2,539	72	163	28	22,169
December 1974	14,285	3,902	2,204	2,639	84	185	44	23,343

(a) See paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Includes parked vehicles.

TABLE 12. - NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS : NATURE OF ACCIDENT AND CLASS OF VEHICLE OR TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED (a), AUSTRALIA

NUMBER OF COLLISIONS BETWEEN -									
Motor vehicle (b) and -									
	Motor vehicle (b)	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Pedal cycle	Motor cycle	Tram or railway vehicle	Animal	Animal-drawn vehicle	Other (d)
Year 1974	27,594	8,885	6,766	2,249	8,406	206	266	27	48
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	7,731	2,218	2,012	520	2,200	60	74	7	13
March 1974	6,626	2,029	1,578	664	2,086	48	59	8	18
June 1974	7,289	2,443	1,674	553	2,059	53	78	4	10
September 1974	6,897	2,328	1,759	497	2,024	47	66	9	8
December 1974	6,782	2,085	1,755	535	2,237	58	63	6	12
Motor cycle and -									
	Motor cycle	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Pedal cycle	Tram or railway vehicle	Animal	Animal-drawn vehicle	Other (d)	
Year 1974	212	533	713	101	5	295	1	10	
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	64	108	186	26	3	73	..	2	
March 1974	66	126	204	29	..	61	..	3	
June 1974	45	158	177	25	3	67	..	3	
September 1974	37	133	164	18	2	71	..	2	
December 1974	64	116	168	29	..	96	1	2	
Pedal cycle and -									
	Pedal cycle	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Other (e)	Tram and -		Animal or animal-drawn vehicle and other road users	Other vehicles (d) and other road users	
Year 1974	13	32	80	3	25	2	1	4	
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	2	16	20	2	8	..	..	..	
March 1974	8	9	24	1	4	..	1	1	
June 1974	..	4	17	..	12	1	..	1	
September 1974	2	7	12	1	5	..	..	1	
December 1974	3	12	27	1	4	1	..	1	
NUMBER OF NON-COLLISIONS -									
Vehicle overturning or leaving roadway -					Passenger accidents -				
	Motor vehicle (b)	Motor cycle	Other (g)		Motor vehicle (b)	Other (h)	Other		
Year 1974	8,223	2,192	138		261	87	108		
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	2,349	566	25		79	20	29		
March 1974	2,128	612	48		75	18	26		
June 1974	1,979	497	30		176	31	20		
September 1974	1,907	470	20		53	13	28		
December 1974	2,209	613	40		57	25	34		
TOTAL NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS									
	Total collisions			Total non-collisions			Total accidents		
Year 1974	56,477			11,009			67,486		
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	15,345			3,068			18,413		
March 1974	13,653			2,907			16,560		
June 1974	14,676			2,633			17,309		
September 1974	14,090			2,491			16,581		
December 1974	14,058			2,978			17,036		

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Excludes motor cycles. (c) Includes parked vehicles. (d) Includes billycars, tricycles, scooters, handbarrows, prams, invalid chairs, etc. (e) Includes trams, railway vehicles, animals or animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc. (f) Includes trams, billycars, etc. (g) Includes pedal cycles, animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc. (h) Includes motor cycles, pedal cycles, trams, animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc.

TABLE 13. — PERSONS KILLED : NATURE OF ACCIDENT AND CLASS OF VEHICLE OR TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED (a), AUSTRALIA

PERSONS KILLED IN COLLISIONS BETWEEN —									
Motor vehicle (b) and —									
	Motor vehicle (b)	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Pedal cycle	Motor cycle	Tram or railway vehicle	Animal	Animal-drawn vehicle	Other (d)
Year 1974	1,111	726	436	69	285	49	5	3	2
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	317	179	154	14	65	14	4	..	..
March 1974	246	151	118	22	66	10	..	1	..
June 1974	314	209	111	16	63	10	3	1	1
September 1974	260	203	99	14	73	10	1	..	..
December 1974	291	163	108	17	83	19	1	1	1
Motor cycle and —									
	Motor cycle	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Pedal cycle	Tram or railway vehicle	Animal	Animal-drawn vehicle	Other (d)	
Year 1974	6	20	63	1	..	7	..	..	
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	1	6	14	..	2	1	..	..	
March 1974	1	4	13	..	..	..	..	..	
June 1974	3	4	13	..	..	1	..	..	
September 1974	1	7	21	..	..	6	..	..	
December 1974	1	5	16	1	..	..	..	..	
Pedal cycle and —									
	Pedal cycle	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Other (e)	Tram and —		Animal or animal-drawn vehicle and other road users		Other vehicles (d) and other road users
Year 1974	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
March 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
June 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
September 1974	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
December 1974	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	
PERSONS KILLED IN NON-COLLISIONS —									
Vehicle overturning or leaving roadway —					Passenger accidents —				
	Motor vehicle (b)	Motor cycle	Other (g)		Motor vehicle (b)	Other (h)	Other		
Year 1974	668	91	6		11	2	8		
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	180	25	2		7	..	3		
March 1974	197	26	1		2	..	2		
June 1974	139	23	3		6	1	1		
September 1974	157	20	..		..	..	2		
December 1974	175	22	2		3	1	2		
TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS KILLED									
	Persons killed in collisions			Persons killed in non-collisions			Total persons killed		
Year 1974	2,786			786			3,572		
Quarter ended —									
December 1973	771			217			988		
March 1974	633			228			861		
June 1974	749			173			922		
September 1974	695			179			874		
December 1974	709			206			915		

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Excludes motor cycles. (c) Includes parked vehicles. (d) Includes billycars, tricycles, scooters, handbarrows, prams, invalid chairs, etc. (e) Includes trams, railway vehicles, animals or animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc. (f) Includes trams, billycars, etc. (g) Includes pedal cycles, animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc. (h) Includes motor cycles, pedal cycles, trams, animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc.

TABLE 14. - PERSONS INJURED : NATURE OF ACCIDENT AND CLASS OF VEHICLE OR TYPE OF ROAD USER INVOLVED (a), AUSTRALIA

PERSONS INJURED IN COLLISIONS BETWEEN -

Motor vehicle (b) and -

	Motor vehicles (b)	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Pedal cycle	Motor cycle	Tram or railway vehicle	Animal	Animal-drawn vehicle	Other (d)
Year 1974	44,077	8,638	9,306	2,252	9,271	258	350	29	64
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	12,325	2,155	2,730	525	2,396	65	105	9	16
March 1974	10,675	1,965	2,172	668	2,325	51	83	9	25
June 1974	11,490	2,401	2,304	548	2,283	72	102	3	9
September 1974	10,873	2,250	2,355	495	2,210	62	87	11	9
December 1974	11,039	2,022	2,475	541	2,453	73	78	6	21

Motor cycle and -

	Motor cycle	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Pedal cycle	Tram or railway vehicle	Animal	Animal-drawn vehicle	Other (d)
Year 1974	338	674	739	136	5	311	8	13
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	110	126	204	33	2	82	..	3
March 1974	110	163	215	38	..	68	..	4
June 1974	74	204	184	35	3	61	?	4
September 1974	57	167	171	23	2	75	..	3
December 1974	97	140	169	40	..	107	1	2

Pedal cycle and -

	Pedal cycle	Pedestrian	Fixed object (c)	Other (e)	Tram and -	Animal or animal-drawn vehicle and other road users	Other vehicles (d) and other road users
Year 1974	18	38	80	2	27	15	5
Quarter ended -							
December 1973	2	19	20	2	8	..	..
March 1974	11	11	25	1	4	..	2
June 1974	..	4	17	..	14	13	1
September 1974	3	8	12	1	5	..	1
December 1974	4	15	26	..	4	2	1

PERSONS INJURED IN NON-COLLISIONS -

	Vehicle overturning or leaving roadway -			Passenger accidents -		
	Motor vehicle (b)	Motor cycle	Other (g)	Motor vehicle (b)	Other (h)	Other
Year 1974	11,706	2,384	136	271	91	116
Quarter ended -						
December 1973	3,305	625	25	76	22	28
March 1974	3,007	671	48	78	19	26
June 1974	2,844	534	29	76	33	23
September 1974	2,663	506	20	59	13	28
December 1974	3,192	673	39	58	26	39

TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED

	Persons injured in collisions	Persons injured in non-collisions	Total persons injured
Year 1974	76,654	14,704	91,358
Quarter ended -			
December 1973	20,937	4,081	25,018
March 1974	18,625	3,849	22,474
June 1974	19,833	3,539	23,372
September 1974	18,880	3,289	22,169
December 1974	19,316	4,027	23,343

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Excludes motor cycles. (c) Includes parked vehicles. (d) Includes billycars, tricycles, scooters, handbarrows, prams, invalid chairs, etc. (e) Includes trams, railway vehicles, animals or animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc. (f) Includes trams, billycars, etc. (g) Includes pedal cycles, animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc. (h) Includes motor cycles, pedal cycles, trams, animal-drawn vehicles, billycars, etc.

TABLE 15. - NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, PERSONS KILLED AND PERSONS INJURED : FEATURES OF ROADWAYS
ON WHICH ACCIDENTS OCCURRED (a), AUSTRALIA

	Intersection -				Bend or curve		Railway level crossing -									Not stated	Total
	Straight road	Uncontrolled	Controlled by -		View open	View obscured	Bridge culvert or causeway	Steep hill	Top of hill	Without gates or lights, etc.	With gates	With lights, flagman or signals (b)	Other				
			Traffic lights	Police													
NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS																	
Year 1974	24,212	26,345	4,614	44	7,808	1,319	796	933	434	148	74	51	696	12	67,486		
Quarter ended -																	
December 1973	6,508	7,191	1,167	10	2,243	380	219	290	124	39	25	11	191	15	18,413		
March 1974	5,919	6,332	1,082	14	2,031	360	195	271	93	38	14	13	195	3	16,560		
June 1974	6,291	6,792	1,202	11	1,899	329	218	232	90	37	17	9	179	3	17,309		
September 1974	5,904	6,645	1,173	13	1,833	299	198	175	132	34	18	13	140	4	16,581		
December 1974	6,098	6,576	1,157	6	2,645	331	185	255	119	39	25	16	182	2	17,036		
PERSONS KILLED																	
Year 1974	1,416	782	101	..	787	89	124	122	77	28	13	14	18	1	3,572		
Quarter ended -																	
December 1973	384	215	23	..	232	45	28	24	14	14	2	1	6	..	988		
March 1974	335	171	23	..	202	38	26	37	12	4	5	2	6	..	861		
June 1974	381	167	32	..	211	17	34	42	24	4	2	4	3	1	922		
September 1974	330	226	21	..	176	17	40	20	28	5	3	4	4	..	874		
December 1974	370	218	25	..	198	17	24	23	13	15	3	4	5	..	915		
PERSONS INJURED																	
Year 1974	30,990	36,204	6,304	56	11,567	1,949	1,128	1,269	711	182	105	62	817	14	91,358		
Quarter ended -																	
December 1973	8,350	9,944	1,599	11	3,294	597	332	384	188	39	30	14	215	21	25,018		
March 1974	7,540	8,717	1,480	17	3,068	533	287	371	145	46	16	17	233	4	22,474		
June 1974	8,096	9,266	1,644	15	2,844	466	297	306	144	46	23	14	208	3	23,372		
September 1974	7,450	9,022	1,571	16	2,658	465	275	236	220	47	25	13	160	4	22,169		
December 1974	7,904	9,192	1,609	8	2,997	485	269	356	202	43	41	18	216	3	23,343		

(a) See paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Mechanically operated signals.

TABLE 16. - NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, PERSONS KILLED, PERSONS INJURED : DAYS OF THE WEEK ON WHICH ACCIDENTS OCCURRED (a)(b), AUSTRALIA

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Total
NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS								
Year 1974	8,168	7,964	8,363	9,298	11,455	12,478	9,760	67,486
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	2,311	2,195	2,147	2,372	3,113	3,485	2,790	18,413
March 1974	2,020	1,968	2,032	2,321	2,798	3,003	2,418	16,560
June 1974	2,112	2,197	2,143	2,456	2,877	3,316	2,408	17,309
September 1974	2,045	1,846	2,042	2,238	2,879	3,080	2,451	16,581
December 1974	1,991	2,143	2,146	2,283	2,901	3,079	2,483	17,036
PERSONS KILLED								
Year 1974	380	378	356	427	601	817	613	3,572
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	105	103	108	121	173	211	167	988
March 1974	89	111	81	96	142	185	157	861
June 1974	107	93	92	117	156	214	143	922
September 1974	78	81	86	102	166	212	149	874
December 1974	106	93	97	112	137	206	164	915
PERSONS INJURED								
Year 1974	10,619	10,109	10,663	11,858	15,035	18,065	15,009	91,358
Quarter ended -								
December 1973	2,933	2,822	2,736	2,996	4,051	5,093	4,387	25,018
March 1974	2,597	2,519	2,569	2,993	3,681	4,386	3,729	22,474
June 1974	2,789	2,507	2,711	3,096	3,773	4,780	3,716	23,372
September 1974	2,606	2,355	2,560	2,833	3,750	4,380	3,685	22,169
December 1974	2,627	2,728	2,823	2,936	3,831	4,519	3,879	23,343

(a) See paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes. (b) Comparisons of statistics shown in this table for days and quarters will be affected by the incidence of public holidays.

TABLE 17. - NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS, PERSONS KILLED, PERSONS INJURED : TIME OF DAY AT WHICH ACCIDENTS OCCURRED (a), AUSTRALIA

	After midnight and up to 2 a.m.	After 2 a.m. and up to 4 a.m.	After 4 a.m. and up to 6 a.m.	After 6 a.m. and up to 8 a.m.	After 8 a.m. and up to 10 a.m.	After 10 a.m. and up to 12 noon	After 12 noon and up to 2 p.m.	After 2 p.m. and up to 4 p.m.	After 4 p.m. and up to 6 p.m.	After 6 p.m. and up to 8 p.m.	After 8 p.m. and up to 10 p.m.	After 10 p.m. and up to midnight	Not stated	Total
NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS														
Year 1974	4,006	1,506	1,002	4,160	5,123	5,110	5,699	7,926	11,775	9,051	5,942	6,102	84	67,486
Quarter ended -														
December 1973	1,148	500	282	1,068	1,364	1,403	1,594	2,123	3,113	2,452	1,688	1,653	25	18,413
March 1974	957	378	254	976	1,194	1,278	1,404	1,950	2,896	2,230	1,528	1,496	19	16,560
June 1974	981	360	264	1,146	1,410	1,306	1,439	2,058	2,997	2,380	1,436	1,510	22	17,309
September 1974	995	344	220	1,082	1,298	1,214	1,399	1,975	2,928	2,232	1,418	1,455	21	16,581
December 1974	1,073	424	264	956	1,221	1,312	1,457	1,943	2,954	2,209	1,560	1,641	22	17,036
PERSONS KILLED														
Year 1974	305	142	88	165	178	190	200	364	473	551	419	472	15	3,572
Quarter ended -														
December 1973	88	53	33	33	56	83	53	83	121	136	113	135	1	988
March 1974	83	48	22	39	39	50	45	89	111	118	103	111	3	861
June 1974	76	32	30	45	41	33	54	92	131	164	97	125	2	922
September 1974	73	30	21	44	42	56	51	92	123	131	102	104	5	874
December 1974	73	32	25	37	56	51	50	91	108	138	117	132	5	915
PERSONS INJURED														
Year 1974	5,947	2,072	1,334	5,134	6,573	6,909	7,697	10,685	15,441	12,461	8,270	8,745	90	91,358
Quarter ended -														
December 1973	1,776	663	403	1,366	1,758	1,883	2,138	2,860	4,083	3,339	2,364	2,257	28	25,018
March 1974	1,417	561	339	1,196	1,528	1,713	1,913	2,581	3,819	3,070	2,163	2,155	19	22,474
June 1974	1,494	495	364	1,443	1,780	1,741	1,936	2,812	3,908	3,158	1,993	2,222	26	23,372
September 1974	1,445	425	286	1,313	1,662	1,708	1,850	2,634	3,793	3,395	1,887	2,043	26	22,169
December 1974	1,591	591	345	1,182	1,603	1,747	1,998	2,658	3,919	3,138	2,227	2,325	19	23,343

(a) See paragraph 2 of the Explanatory Notes.

NOTE. Time of occurrence data have been classified according to legal time as specified for each State and Territory by the competent Authority. No adjustment has been made on account of daylight saving.

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