

TIME AND ENVIRONMENT

This section presents a series of data displays which identify statewide traffic crash totals by year, season, month, day and time; during holiday periods; light and weather conditions; posted speed limits at crash locations; speed related; and animal crashes.

2000 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

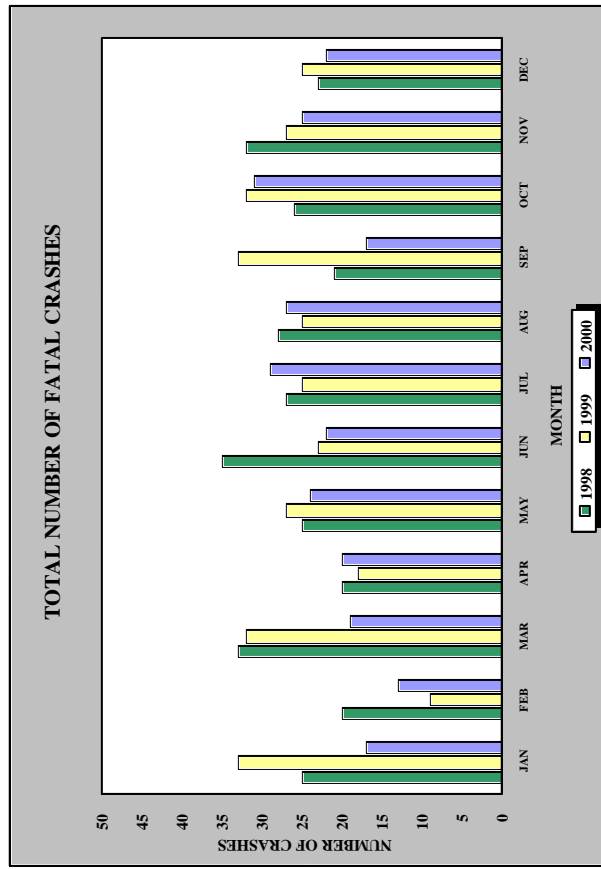
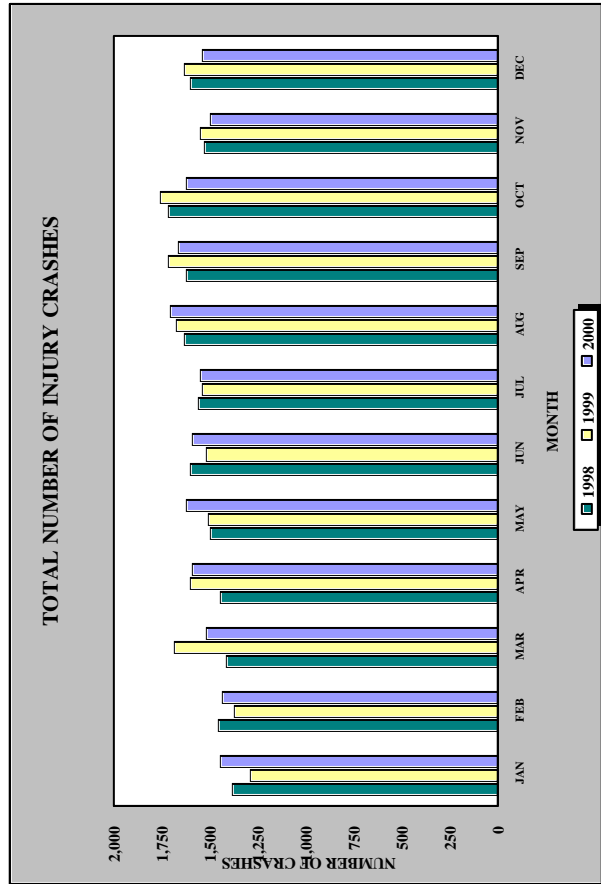
- ◆ Most crashes occurred during daylight hours. The highest number of crashes occurred in clear weather conditions. The majority of crashes occurred in areas where the speed limit is posted at 35 mph.
- ◆ Friday followed by Wednesday had the most crashes by day of week.
- ◆ Most fatal crashes occurred on Saturdays and Sundays.
- ◆ The most deadly 6 hours of the day were 1:00pm to 7:00pm; 95 of the 266 fatal crashes occurred during that time period. 71 occurred from 7:00pm to 1:00am, 60 from 1:00am to 7:00am and 40 from 7:00am to 1:00pm. The most deadly hour was from 5:00pm to 6:00pm with 22 fatal crashes.

1998 - 2000 SUMMARY ANALYSIS

- ◆ The deadliest holiday periods were New Year's and 4th of July. There were 18 fatalities during each of these. The next deadliest were Nevada Day and Thanksgiving, with 16 fatalities recorded in each.
- ◆ The month of October had the most injury and fatal crashes combined, while January had the least injury and fatal crashes.
- ◆ The New Year's holiday period recorded the most fatal crashes involving alcohol.
- ◆ The most fatal crashes occurred in areas where the posted speed limit was 45 mph.
- ◆ The most injury crashes occurred in areas with a posted speed limit of 35 mph.

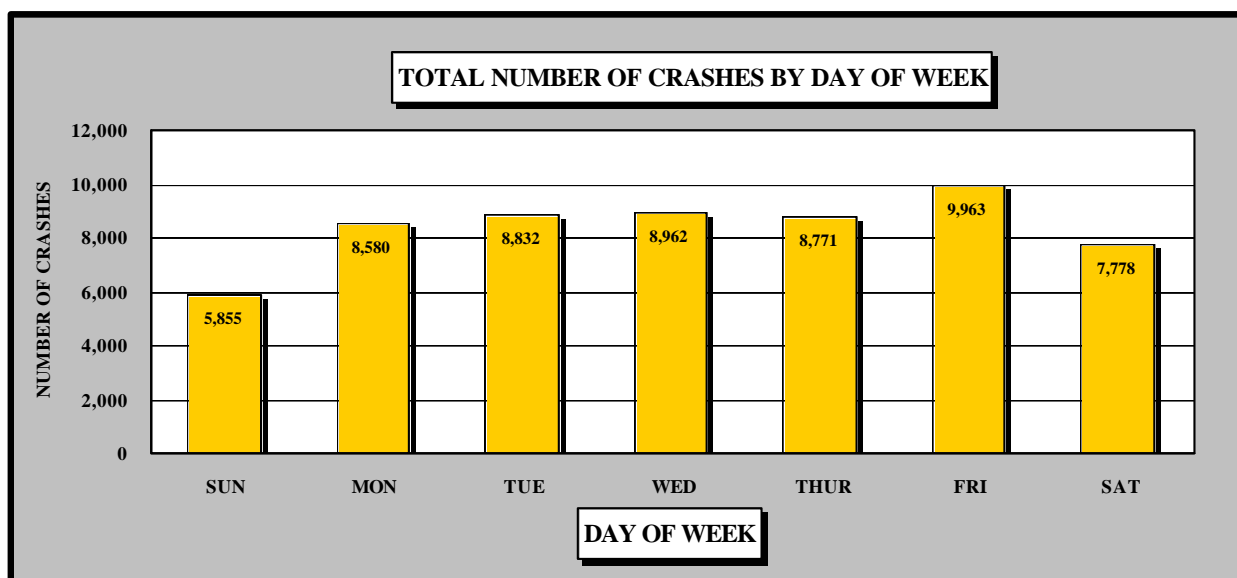
**1998 THRU 2000 STATEWIDE TRAFFIC CRASH TOTALS
BY MONTH AND YEAR**

MONTH	1998					1999					2000				
	TOTAL CRASHES	TOTAL P.D.O. CRASHES	TOTAL INJURY CRASHES	TOTAL FATAL CRASHES	TOTAL FATALITIES	TOTAL CRASHES	TOTAL P.D.O. CRASHES	TOTAL INJURY CRASHES	TOTAL FATAL CRASHES	TOTAL FATALITIES	TOTAL CRASHES	TOTAL P.D.O. CRASHES	TOTAL INJURY CRASHES	TOTAL FATAL CRASHES	TOTAL FATALITIES
JANUARY	4,717	3,311	1,381	2,059	25	4,265	2,944	1,288	1,989	33	4,540	3,076	1,447	2,151	17
FEBRUARY	4,926	3,448	1,458	2,182	20	4,429	3,047	1,373	2,105	9	4,646	3,196	1,437	2,206	13
MARCH	4,556	3,111	1,412	2,080	33	5,269	3,552	1,685	2,538	32	4,685	3,148	1,518	2,273	19
APRIL	4,634	3,163	1,451	2,267	20	5,094	3,476	1,600	2,464	18	4,763	3,152	1,591	2,410	20
MAY	4,810	3,283	1,502	2,325	25	4,673	3,140	1,506	2,325	27	4,889	3,245	1,620	2,534	24
JUNE	4,960	3,318	1,607	2,498	35	4,826	3,286	1,517	2,298	23	4,951	3,335	1,594	2,422	22
JULY	5,033	3,445	1,561	2,455	27	4,947	3,379	1,543	2,413	25	4,901	3,318	1,554	2,335	29
AUGUST	5,089	3,423	1,638	2,538	28	5,095	3,393	1,677	2,714	25	5,305	3,569	1,709	2,699	27
SEPTEMBER	5,111	3,465	1,625	2,544	21	5,178	3,428	1,717	2,738	33	5,009	3,525	1,667	2,501	17
OCTOBER	5,375	3,628	1,721	2,589	26	5,240	3,443	1,765	2,662	32	5,254	3,599	1,624	2,450	31
NOVEMBER	4,952	3,388	1,532	2,438	32	4,819	3,241	1,551	2,349	27	4,916	3,395	1,496	2,207	25
DECEMBER	5,563	3,941	1,599	2,425	23	5,240	3,575	1,640	2,425	25	4,882	3,322	1,538	2,348	22
TOTAL	59,726	40,924	18,487	28,400	315	59,075	39,904	18,862	29,020	309	58,741	39,680	18,795	28,536	323



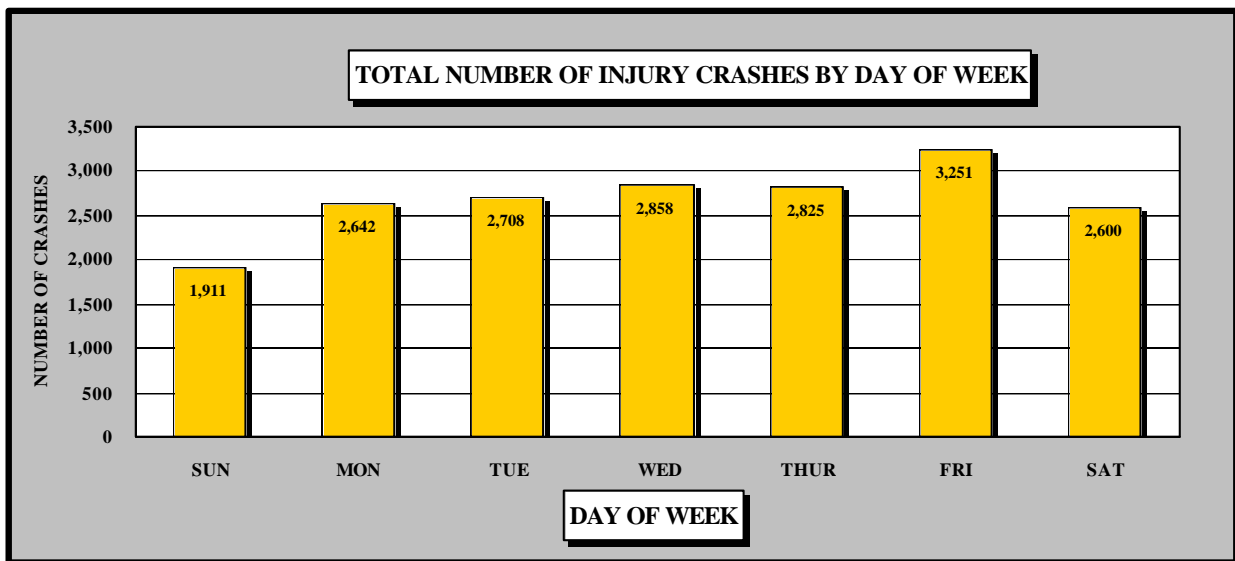
**2000 TOTAL CRASHES
BY TIME OF DAY AND DAY OF WEEK**

TIME OF DAY	DAY OF WEEK							
	TOTAL	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
MIDNIGHT TO 12:59 AM	920	212	110	74	101	106	105	212
1:00 AM TO 1:59 AM	758	191	74	65	69	66	91	202
2:00 AM TO 2:59 AM	657	157	68	62	61	69	77	163
3:00 AM TO 3:59 AM	582	118	67	59	58	55	72	153
4:00 AM TO 4:59 AM	567	110	70	69	50	58	64	146
5:00 AM TO 5:59 AM	878	143	125	117	106	129	110	148
6:00 AM TO 6:59 AM	1,555	134	254	259	272	249	240	147
7:00 AM TO 7:59 AM	2,815	141	491	508	500	520	434	221
8:00 AM TO 8:59 AM	2,571	163	438	441	444	418	424	243
9:00 AM TO 9:59 AM	2,303	203	355	370	373	387	373	242
10:00 AM TO 10:59 AM	2,482	243	385	372	412	349	385	336
11:00 AM TO 11:59 AM	3,142	281	537	482	462	415	529	436
12:00 PM TO 12:59 PM	3,736	341	575	561	532	549	644	534
1:00 PM TO 1:59 PM	3,877	383	569	590	579	581	699	476
2:00 PM TO 2:59 PM	4,379	427	657	703	673	639	736	544
3:00 PM TO 3:59 PM	5,187	447	784	843	835	811	932	535
4:00 PM TO 4:59 PM	5,039	393	742	790	819	815	976	504
5:00 PM TO 5:59 PM	5,135	345	813	826	900	864	900	487
6:00 PM TO 6:59 PM	3,392	332	454	494	557	503	577	475
7:00 PM TO 7:59 PM	2,240	276	288	309	309	310	400	348
8:00 PM TO 8:59 PM	1,758	211	210	224	250	247	312	304
9:00 PM TO 9:59 PM	1,648	214	184	225	234	242	273	276
10:00 PM TO 10:59 PM	1,442	198	143	165	188	175	286	287
11:00 PM TO 11:59 PM	1,267	152	117	146	136	166	281	269
UNKNOWN	411	40	70	78	42	48	43	90
TOTAL	58,741	5,855	8,580	8,832	8,962	8,771	9,963	7,778



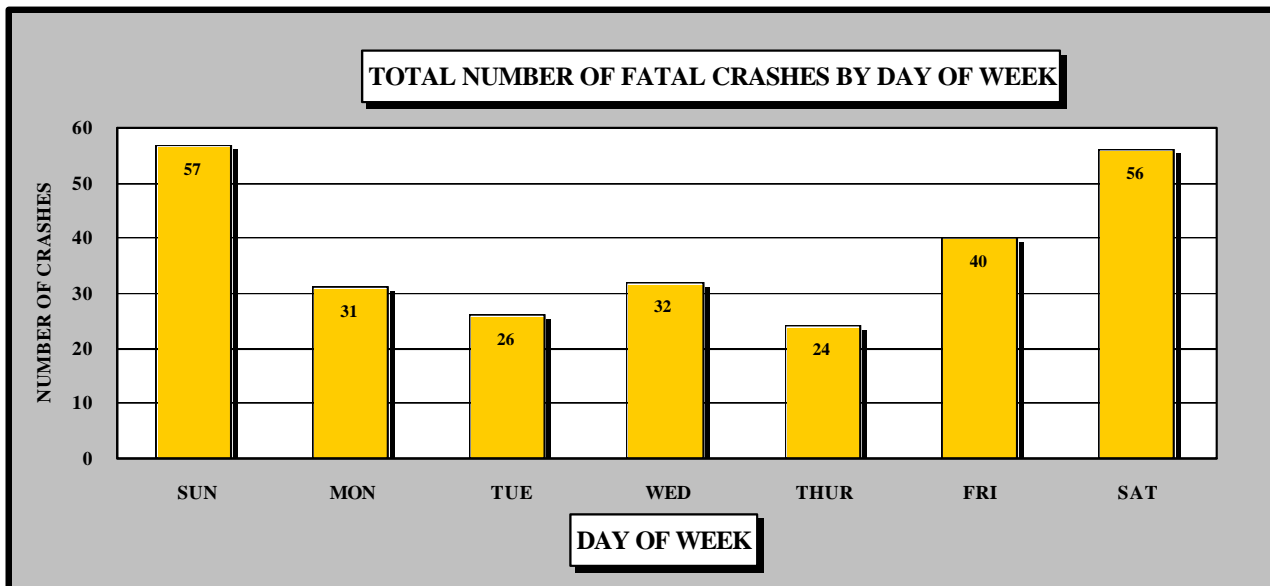
**2000 INJURY CRASHES
BY TIME OF DAY AND DAY OF WEEK**

TIME OF DAY	DAY OF WEEK							
	TOTAL	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
MIDNIGHT TO 12:59 AM	311	69	43	29	23	34	37	76
1:00 AM TO 1:59 AM	263	73	24	24	22	21	37	62
2:00 AM TO 2:59 AM	207	35	21	21	25	19	28	58
3:00 AM TO 3:59 AM	211	41	24	19	27	23	18	59
4:00 AM TO 4:59 AM	198	40	23	26	17	17	27	48
5:00 AM TO 5:59 AM	295	57	41	41	35	40	36	45
6:00 AM TO 6:59 AM	509	49	70	83	89	84	84	50
7:00 AM TO 7:59 AM	880	53	155	137	167	164	133	71
8:00 AM TO 8:59 AM	740	54	125	120	112	122	129	78
9:00 AM TO 9:59 AM	676	72	105	100	116	109	100	74
10:00 AM TO 10:59 AM	769	82	112	111	120	112	115	117
11:00 AM TO 11:59 AM	951	107	149	143	111	111	181	149
12:00 PM TO 12:59 PM	1,156	107	161	161	174	177	194	182
1:00 PM TO 1:59 PM	1,237	118	178	175	184	182	231	169
2:00 PM TO 2:59 PM	1,358	139	199	202	201	215	228	174
3:00 PM TO 3:59 PM	1,701	139	264	257	296	278	297	170
4:00 PM TO 4:59 PM	1,669	113	252	252	266	266	343	177
5:00 PM TO 5:59 PM	1,752	112	235	287	292	302	352	172
6:00 PM TO 6:59 PM	1,115	102	158	169	197	167	163	159
7:00 PM TO 7:59 PM	769	96	94	91	110	116	140	122
8:00 PM TO 8:59 PM	602	74	72	85	78	83	102	108
9:00 PM TO 9:59 PM	543	69	60	76	84	78	93	83
10:00 PM TO 10:59 PM	446	56	40	48	59	50	92	101
11:00 PM TO 11:59 PM	410	50	34	46	46	52	89	93
UNKNOWN	27	4	3	5	7	3	2	3
TOTAL	18,795	1,911	2,642	2,708	2,858	2,825	3,251	2,600



**2000 FATAL CRASHES
BY TIME OF DAY AND DAY OF WEEK**

TIME OF DAY	DAY OF WEEK							
	TOTAL	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
MIDNIGHT TO 12:59 AM	9	1	1	0	0	2	1	4
1:00 AM TO 1:59 AM	10	2	0	1	1	0	3	3
2:00 AM TO 2:59 AM	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
3:00 AM TO 3:59 AM	7	2	1	1	0	0	0	3
4:00 AM TO 4:59 AM	15	4	3	0	2	0	3	3
5:00 AM TO 5:59 AM	13	3	0	2	2	2	0	4
6:00 AM TO 6:59 AM	10	2	4	0	1	0	2	1
7:00 AM TO 7:59 AM	6	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
8:00 AM TO 8:59 AM	7	3	0	2	1	0	0	1
9:00 AM TO 9:59 AM	8	1	0	1	1	1	2	2
10:00 AM TO 10:59 AM	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
11:00 AM TO 11:59 AM	9	0	1	0	0	3	1	4
12:00 PM TO 12:59 PM	7	1	1	0	0	1	3	1
1:00 PM TO 1:59 PM	20	6	2	4	2	3	0	3
2:00 PM TO 2:59 PM	11	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
3:00 PM TO 3:59 PM	15	4	1	2	3	1	3	1
4:00 PM TO 4:59 PM	15	6	3	1	1	1	2	1
5:00 PM TO 5:59 PM	22	3	2	5	4	3	4	1
6:00 PM TO 6:59 PM	10	2	1	0	2	1	2	2
7:00 PM TO 7:59 PM	14	0	3	0	2	0	4	5
8:00 PM TO 8:59 PM	15	3	3	0	2	1	5	1
9:00 PM TO 9:59 PM	12	2	0	0	1	0	2	7
10:00 PM TO 10:59 PM	10	3	0	0	3	2	0	2
11:00 PM TO 11:59 PM	12	1	0	3	2	1	2	3
UNKNOWN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	266	57	31	26	32	24	40	56



**NUMBER OF CRASHES DURING HOLIDAY TIME PERIODS BY SEVERITY
1998 THRU 2000**

HOLIDAYS	*HOLIDAY PERIOD STARTING		*HOLIDAY PERIOD ENDING		# OF DAYS	TOTAL CRASHES	TOTAL P.D.O. CRASHES	TOTAL INJURY CRASHES	TOTAL FATAL CRASHES	TOTAL INJURIES	TOTAL FATALITIES
	DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME							
	NEW YEARS DAY	12/31/97 12/31/98 12/31/99	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	01/05/98 01/04/99 01/03/00							
MLK JR. DAY	01/16/98 01/15/99 01/14/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	01/20/98 01/19/99 01/18/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 3.5	428 405 433	295 268 311	132 133 121	1 4 1	217 210 176	1 4 1
PRESIDENTS DAY	02/13/98 02/12/99 02/18/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	02/17/98 02/16/99 02/22/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 3.5	634 419 575	456 269 395	178 149 178	0 1 2	271 247 279	0 1 4
MEMORIAL DAY	05/22/98 05/28/99 05/26/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	05/26/98 06/01/99 05/30/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 3.5	400 416 388	259 270 257	139 142 128	2 4 3	224 237 220	2 5 4
4TH OF JULY	07/02/98 07/02/99 06/30/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	07/06/98 07/06/99 07/05/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 4.5	472 399 556	320 252 363	150 142 187	2 5 6	247 264 331	4 6 8
LABOR DAY	08/29/98 09/03/99 09/01/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	09/08/98 09/07/99 09/05/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 3.5	381 430 410	234 290 263	142 139 145	5 1 2	259 257 221	7 1 2
NEVADA DAY	10/29/98 10/29/99 10/26/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	11/02/98 11/02/99 10/30/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 3.5	531 487 548	341 325 375	186 154 170	4 8 3	297 247 255	4 9 3
VETERANS DAY	11/10/98 11/10/99 11/09/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	11/12/98 11/15/99 11/13/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	1.5 4.5 3.5	218 654 595	155 433 411	63 214 178	0 7 6	103 346 255	0 7 7
THANKSGIVING DAY	11/25/98 11/24/99 11/22/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	11/30/98 11/29/99 11/27/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	4.5 4.5 4.5	561 477 521	401 314 373	158 158 144	2 5 4	272 283 221	2 10 4
CHRISTMAS DAY	12/24/98 12/23/99 12/22/00	6 PM 6 PM 6 PM	12/28/98 12/27/99 12/26/00	05:59 AM 05:59 AM 05:59 AM	3.5 3.5 3.5	368 328 346	248 218 217	117 110 126	3 0 3	195 160 195	3 0 3

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 IF THE HOLIDAY FALLS ON FRIDAY, THE HOLIDAY PERIOD IS FROM 6:00 PM THURSDAY TO 5:59: AM MONDAY

ALCOHOL RELATED CRASHES DURING HOLIDAY TIME PERIODS BY SEVERITY
1998 THRU 2000

HOLIDAYS	*HOLIDAY PERIOD STARTING		*HOLIDAY PERIOD ENDING		# OF DAYS	TOTAL CRASHES	TOTAL P.D.O. CRASHES	TOTAL INJURY CRASHES	TOTAL FATAL CRASHES	TOTAL INJURIES	TOTAL FATALITIES
	DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME							
NEW YEARS DAY	12/31/97	6 PM	01/05/98	05:59 AM	4.5	55	28	25	2	42	2
	12/31/98	6PM	01/04/99	05:59 AM	3.5	47	30	14	4	25	4
	12/31/99	6PM	01/03/00	05:59 AM	2.5	62	33	26	3	39	3
MLK JR. DAY	01/16/98	6 PM	01/20/98	05:59 AM	3.5	46	24	21	1	35	1
	01/15/99	6 PM	01/19/99	05:59 AM	3.5	45	20	23	2	33	2
	01/14/00	6 PM	01/18/00	05:59 AM	3.5	51	27	24	0	37	0
PRESIDENTS DAY	02/13/98	6 PM	02/17/98	05:59 AM	3.5	46	26	20	0	33	0
	02/12/99	6 PM	02/16/99	05:59 AM	3.5	40	15	24	1	36	1
	02/18/00	6 PM	02/22/00	05:59 AM	3.5	58	24	34	0	58	0
MEMORIAL DAY	05/22/98	6 PM	05/26/98	05:59 AM	3.5	45	20	24	1	41	1
	05/28/99	6 PM	06/01/99	05:59 AM	3.5	59	34	21	4	36	5
	05/26/00	6 PM	05/30/00	05:59 AM	3.5	42	19	23	0	48	0
4TH OF JULY	07/02/98	6 PM	07/06/98	05:59 AM	3.5	58	29	29	0	45	0
	07/02/99	6 PM	07/06/99	05:59 AM	3.5	49	18	28	3	55	4
	06/30/00	6 PM	07/05/00	05:59 AM	4.5	52	28	21	3	37	3
LABOR DAY	08/29/98	6 PM	09/08/98	05:59 AM	3.5	35	14	19	2	33	3
	09/03/99	6 PM	09/07/99	05:59 AM	3.5	50	26	23	1	44	1
	09/01/00	6 PM	09/05/00	05:59 AM	3.5	43	28	15	0	25	0
NEVADA DAY	10/29/98	6 PM	11/02/98	05:59 AM	3.5	44	18	24	2	42	2
	10/29/99	6 PM	11/02/99	05:59 AM	3.5	41	24	12	5	20	6
	10/26/00	6 PM	10/30/00	05:59 AM	3.5	55	35	19	1	28	1
VETERANS DAY	11/10/98	6 PM	11/12/98	05:59 AM	1.5	10	3	7	0	8	0
	11/10/99	6 PM	11/15/99	05:59 AM	4.5	68	41	23	4	42	4
	11/09/00	6 PM	11/13/00	05:59 AM	3.5	57	30	24	3	32	4
THANKSGIVING DAY	11/25/98	6 PM	11/30/98	05:59 AM	4.5	48	21	27	0	46	0
	11/24/99	6 PM	11/29/99	05:59 AM	4.5	55	24	28	3	49	8
	11/22/00	6 PM	11/27/00	05:59 AM	4.5	50	33	14	3	22	3
CHRISTMAS DAY	12/24/98	6 PM	12/28/98	05:59 AM	3.5	18	8	10	0	17	0
	12/23/99	6 PM	12/27/99	05:59 AM	3.5	32	17	15	0	18	0
	12/22/00	6 PM	12/26/00	05:59 AM	3.5	31	15	15	1	28	1

CRASH TOTALS REFLECT ANY ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT IN THE DRIVER 1 AND/OR A PEDESTRIAN

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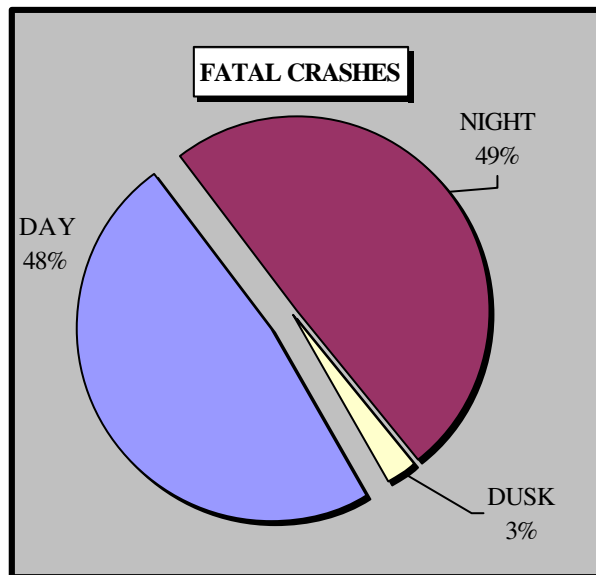
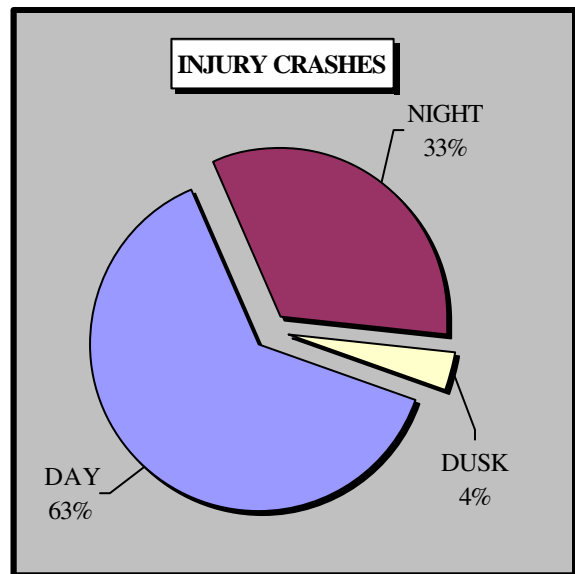
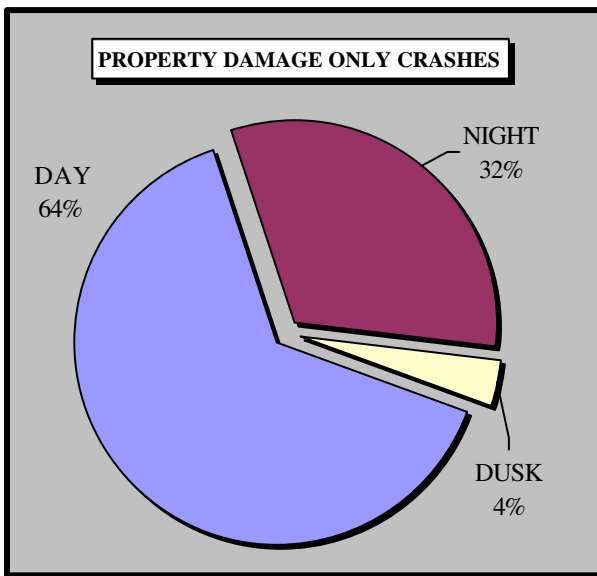
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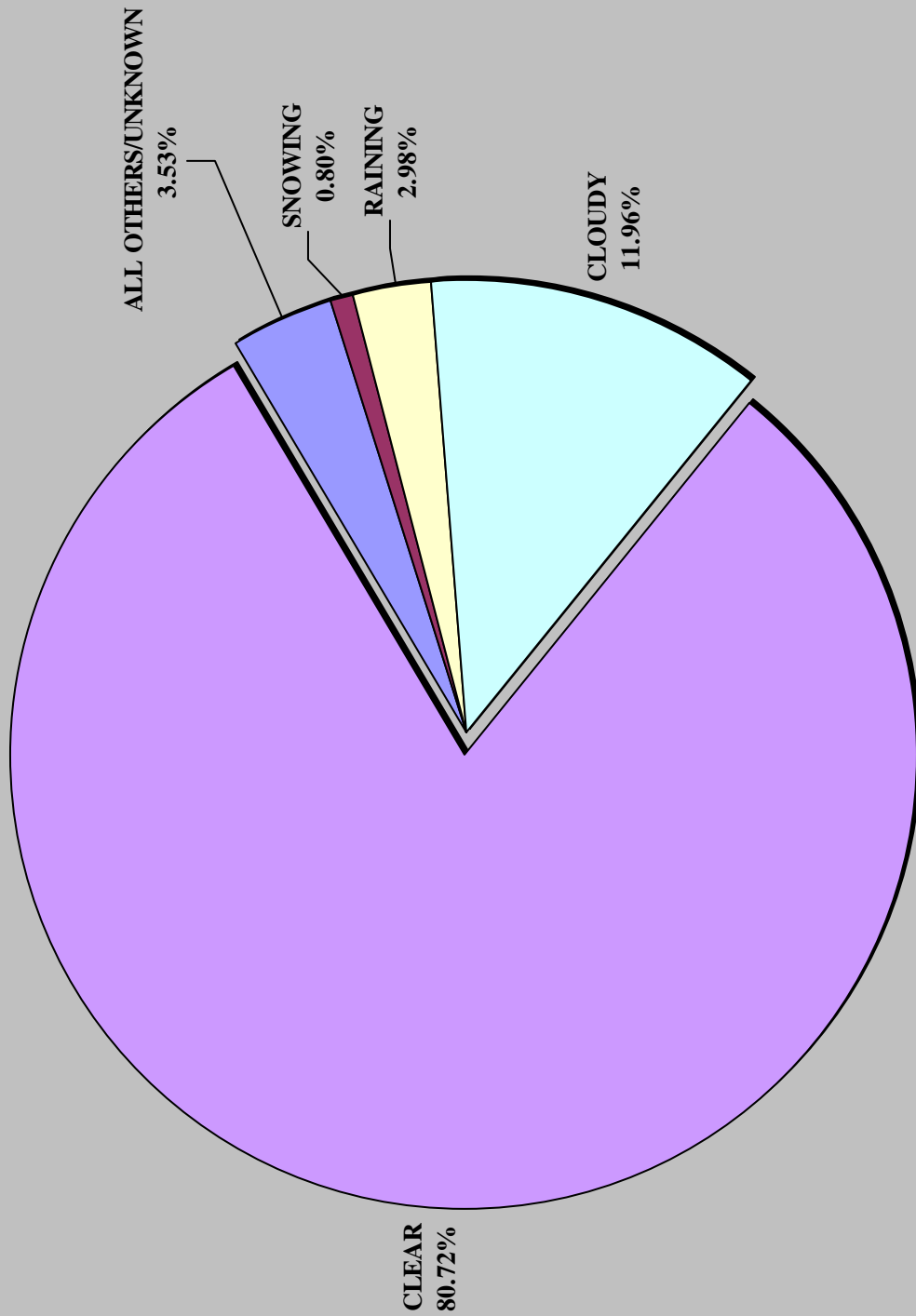
LIGHT CONDITION BY SEVERITY

SEVERITY	DAY	NIGHT	DUSK
PROPERTY DAMAGE ONLY CRASHES	25,548	12,715	1,417
INJURY CRASHES	11,847	6,246	702
FATAL CRASHES	128	131	7
TOTALS	37,523	19,092	2,126

WHILE NIGHTTIME CRASHES WERE 22.9% OF THE TOTAL CRASHES THEY ALSO INCLUDED 44.6% OF THE FATAL CRASHES AND 23.9% OF THE INJURY CRASHES.



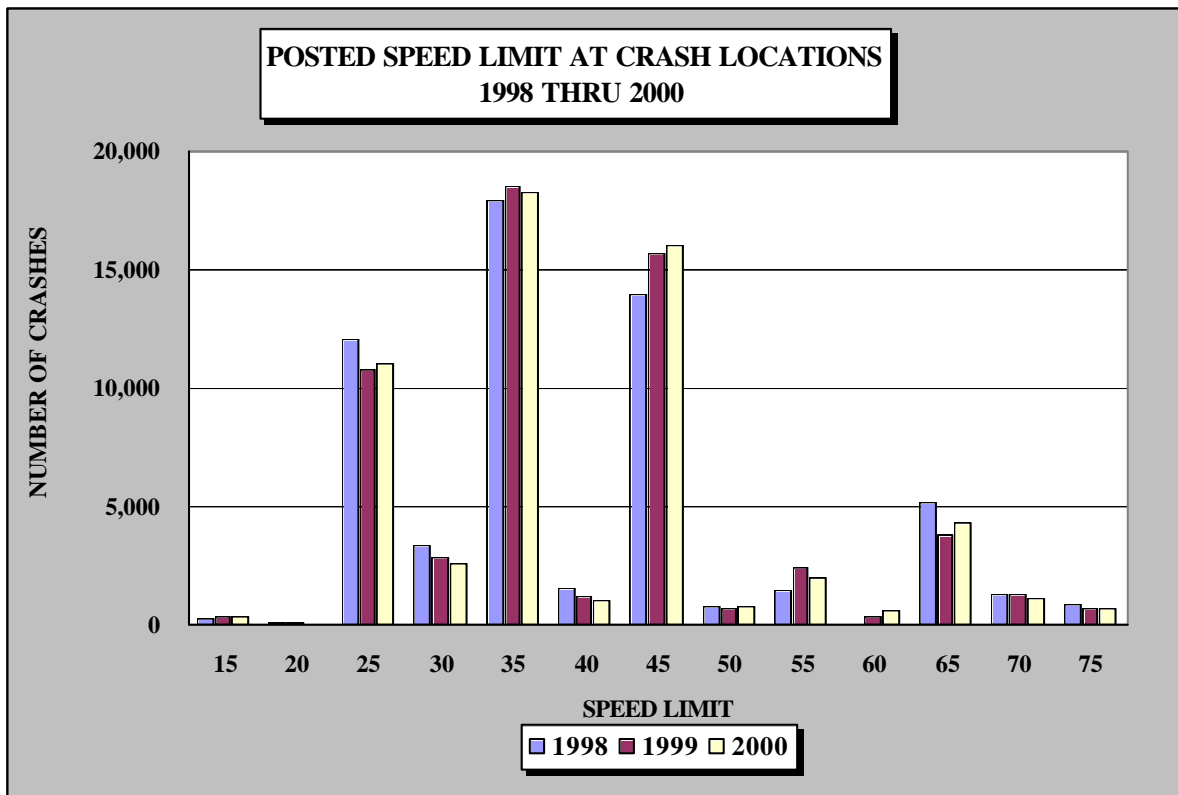
TOP FOUR WEATHER CONDITIONS RELATED TO CRASHES



CLEAR WEATHER CONDITIONS PREVAILED IN 80.7% OF THE TOTAL CRASHES IN NEVADA DURING 2000. THERE WERE ALSO 2070 ACCIDENTS IN 2000 THAT HAD UNKNOWN WEATHER CONDITIONS.

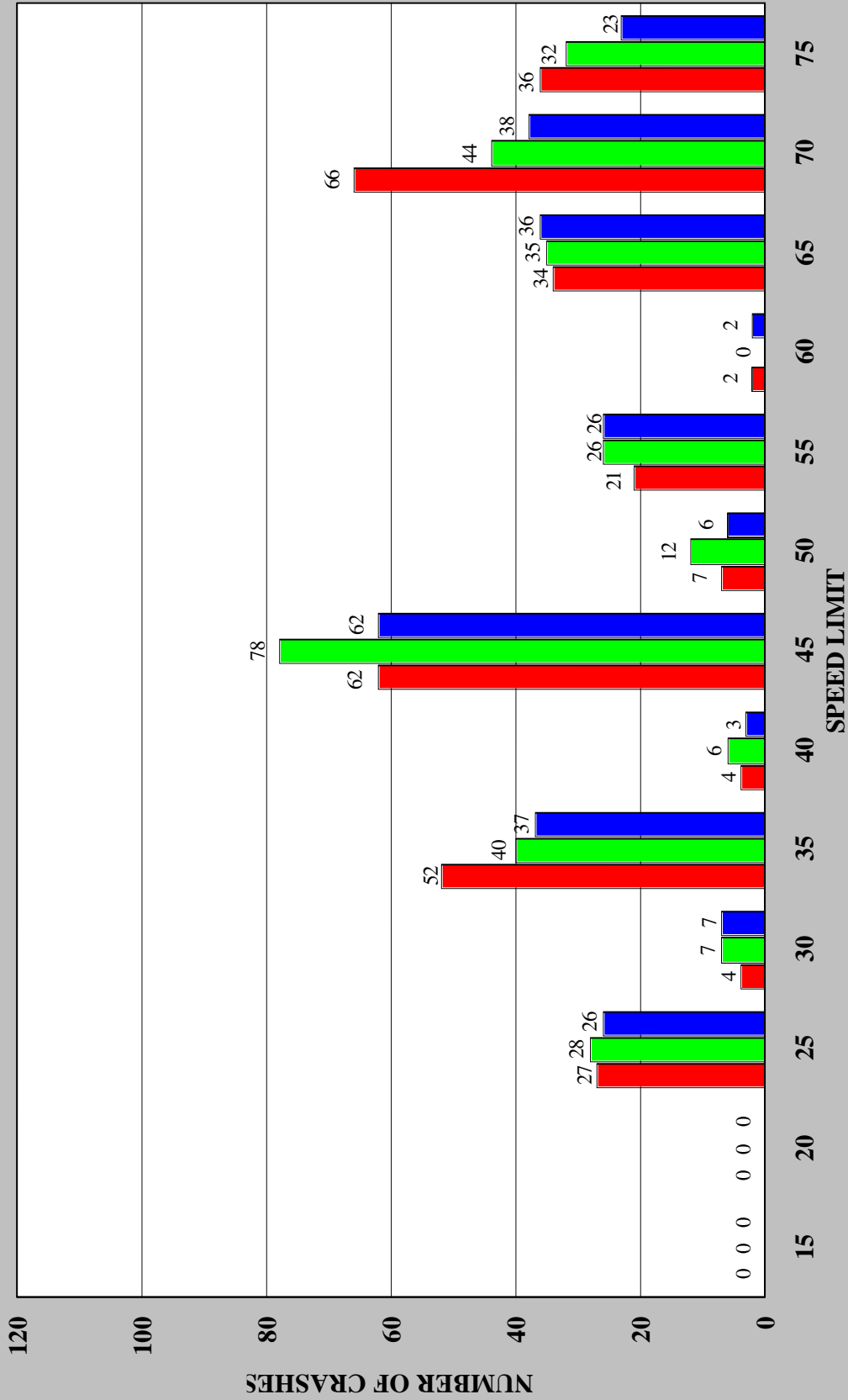
POSTED SPEED LIMIT AT CRASH LOCATIONS 1998 THRU 2000

POSTED SPEED	1998	1999	2000
15	238	317	333
20	52	71	29
25	12,089	10,740	11,068
30	3,394	2,806	2,571
35	17,964	18,511	18,260
40	1,537	1,227	1,026
45	13,946	15,713	16,000
50	753	707	749
55	1,473	2,422	1,973
60	43	339	567
65	5,165	3,783	4,289
70	1,334	1,284	1,143
75	880	722	721
UNKNOWN	102	432	12



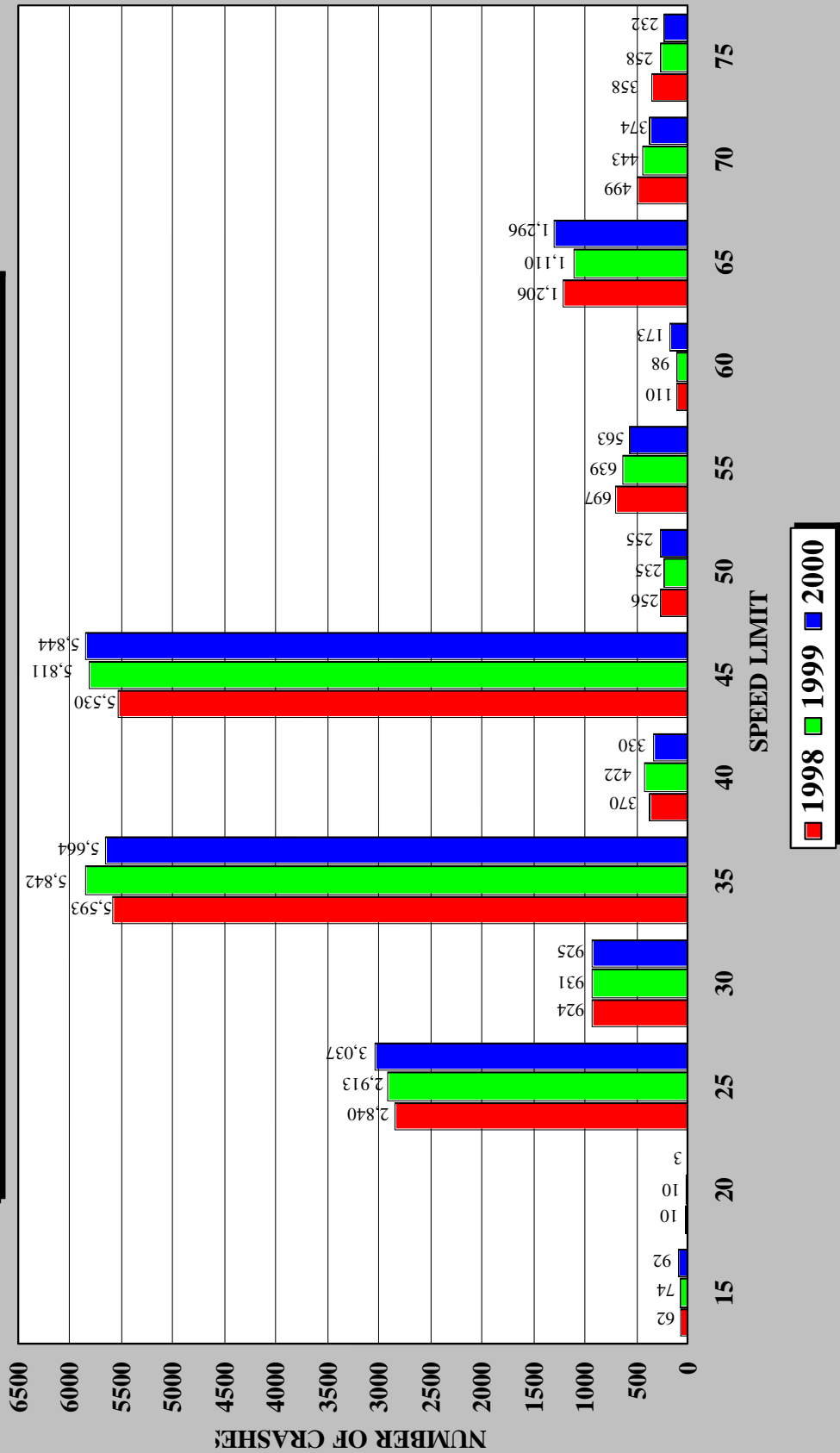
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**POSTED SPEED LIMIT AT FATAL CRASH LOCATIONS
1998 THRU 2000**



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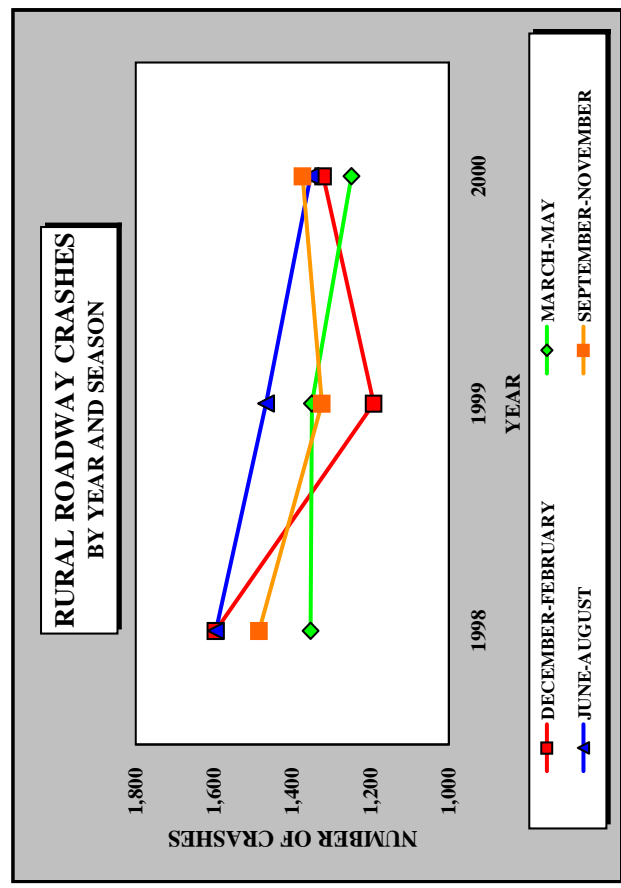
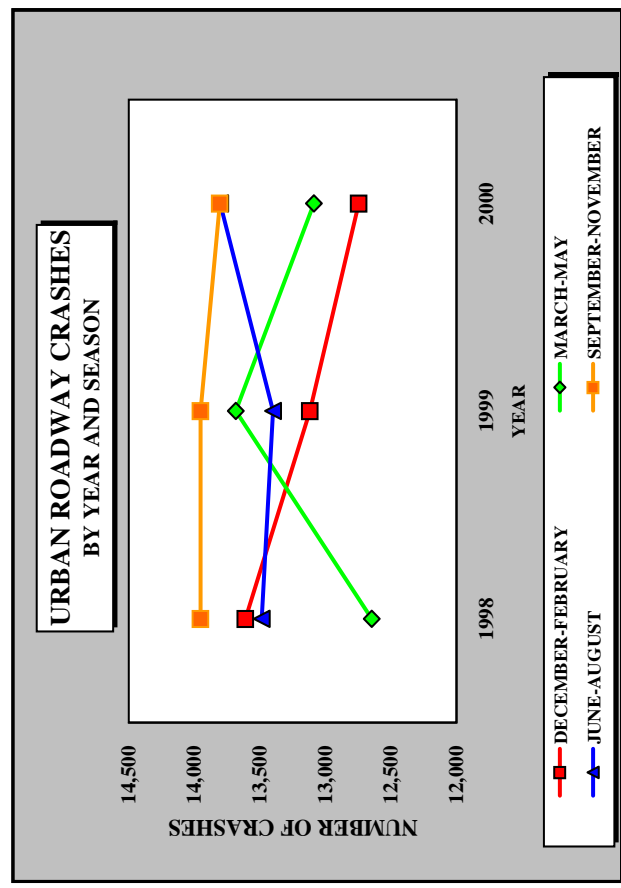
**POSTED SPEED LIMIT AT INJURY CRASH LOCATIONS
1998 THRU 2000**



There were 7 injury crashes in 2000 with an unknown posted speed limit.

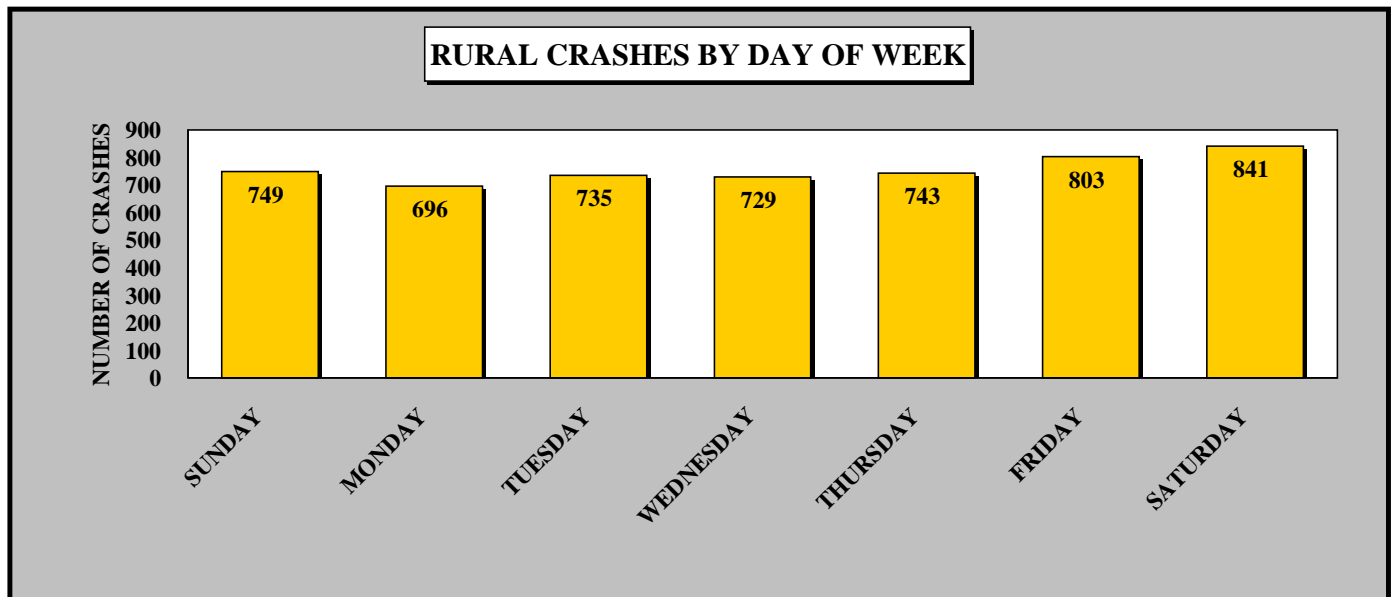
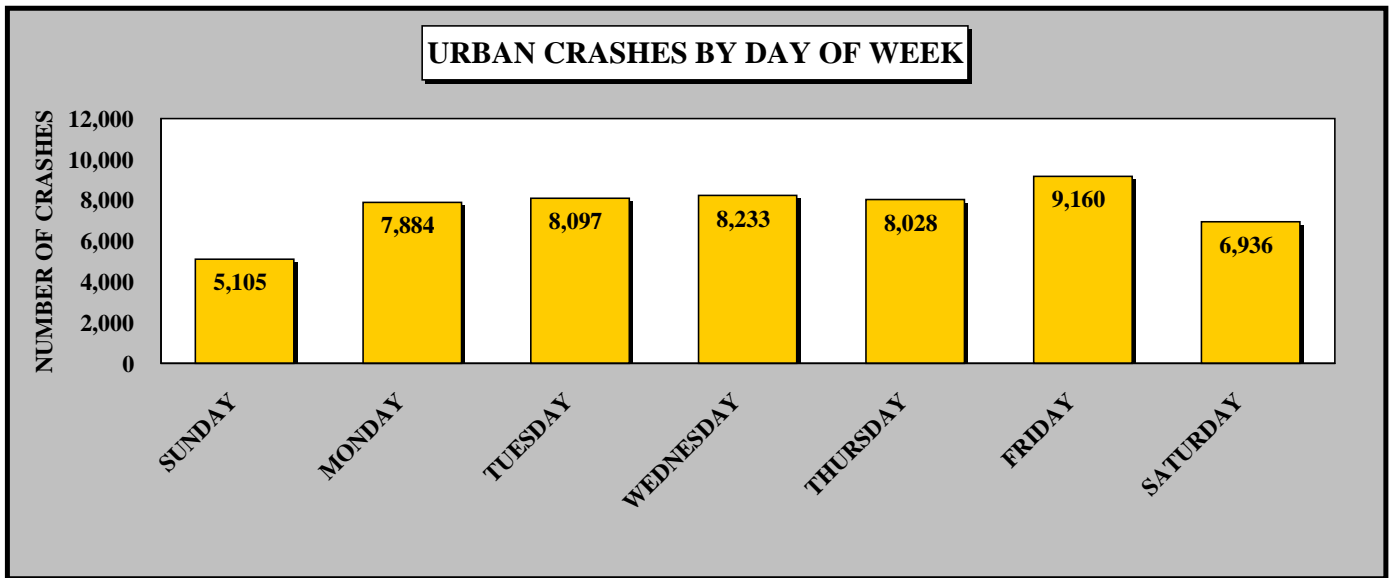
2000 URBAN AND RURAL CRASHES BY SEASON

SEASON	URBAN P.D.O. CRASHES		URBAN INJURY CRASHES		URBAN FATAL CRASHES		RURAL P.D.O. CRASHES		RURAL INJURY CRASHES		RURAL FATAL CRASHES		URBAN TOTAL CRASHES		RURAL TOTAL CRASHES			
	DECEMBER-FEBRUARY	WINTER	MARCH-MAY	SPRING	JUNE-AUGUST	SUMMER	SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	FALL	TOTAL	DECEMBER-FEBRUARY	WINTER	MARCH-MAY	SPRING	JUNE-AUGUST	SUMMER	SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	FALL	TOTAL
DECEMBER-FEBRUARY	8,659	934	4,053	369	34	18	934	369	159	1,586	107	53,444	1,321	12,746	1,321	1,321	1,321	1,321
WINTER	8,659	934	4,053	369	34	18	934	369	159	1,586	107	53,444	1,321	12,746	1,321	1,321	1,321	1,321
MARCH-MAY	8,721	824	4,332	397	35	28	824	397	47	1,380	26	13,806	1,374	13,088	1,249	1,249	1,249	1,249
SPRING	8,721	824	4,332	397	35	28	824	397	47	1,380	26	13,806	1,374	13,088	1,249	1,249	1,249	1,249
JUNE-AUGUST	9,338	884	4,423	434	43	35	884	434	47	1,380	26	13,806	1,374	13,804	1,353	1,353	1,353	1,353
SUMMER	9,338	884	4,423	434	43	35	884	434	47	1,380	26	13,806	1,374	13,804	1,353	1,353	1,353	1,353
SEPTEMBER-NOVEMBER	9,358	962	4,401	386	47	26	962	386	107	1,586	107	53,444	1,321	13,806	1,374	1,374	1,374	1,374
FALL	9,358	962	4,401	386	47	26	962	386	107	1,586	107	53,444	1,321	13,806	1,374	1,374	1,374	1,374
TOTAL	36,076	3,604	17,209	1,586	159	107	3,604	1,586	107	53,444	5,297	53,444	5,297	53,444	5,297	5,297	5,297	5,297



**TOTAL URBAN AND RURAL CRASHES
BY DAY OF WEEK**

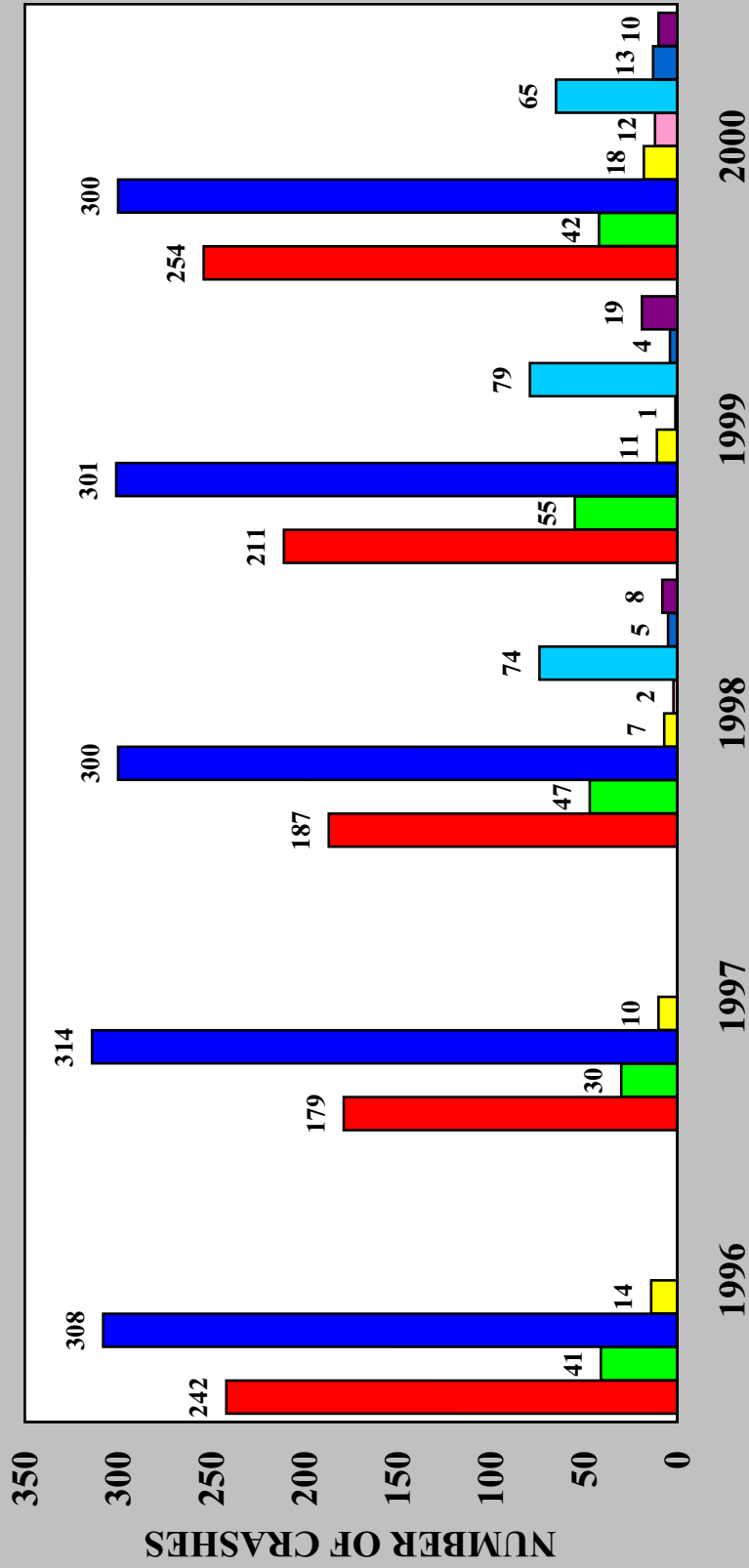
	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	TOTAL
URBAN	5,105	7,884	8,097	8,233	8,028	9,160	6,936	53,443
RURAL	749	696	735	729	743	803	841	5,296
TOTAL	5,854	8,580	8,832	8,962	8,771	9,963	7,777	58,739



THESE TOTALS DO NOT REFLECT CRASHES WITH UNKNOWN DAY OF WEEK.

ANIMAL CRASH TRENDS

1996 THRU 2000



*NEW ANIMAL CRASH TYPES ADDED TO THE 1998 DATABASE.

SPEED AND SPEED RELATED CRASH DATA

1998 - 2000

SPEED DATA	URBAN INTERSTATE				RURAL INTERSTATE				
	*POSTED SPEED LIMIT 65		POSTED SPEED LIMIT 70		**POSTED SPEED LIMIT 75				
	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000	1998	1999	2000
AVERAGE SPEED	65.8	61.8	65.6	70.8	73.2	75.4	72.5	74.2	73.1
85TH PERCENTILE SPEED	70.5	70.9	74.5	79.5	81.3	84.7	80.2	81.8	81.1
*PERCENT EXCEEDING 65 MPH	31.9%	33.2%	48.9%						
PERCENT EXCEEDING 70 MPH	12.9%	17.8%	25.8%	53.4%	68.2%	78.4%			
**PERCENT EXCEEDING 75 MPH	3.9%	4.4%	10.2%	27.5%	36.5%	50.9%	36.6%	47.2%	40.9%
PERCENT EXCEEDING 80 MPH	1.1%	1.3%	2.4%	10.0%	15.6%	27.4%	12.1%	17.1%	15.3%
CRASH RATES									
FATAL	0.38	0.34	0.64	4.20	1.67	0.36	3.00	2.40	1.73
INJURY	36.31	34.04	38.36	29.00	20.99	14.56	27.98	20.06	17.60
TOTAL	133.31	120.75	130.14	75.92	50.90	38.88	70.36	55.15	53.99
SPEED RELATED FATAL	0.00	0.10	0.21	1.91	0.56	0.00	0.50	0.48	0.24
SPEED RELATED INJURY	2.55	2.80	3.20	4.77	6.32	2.84	2.75	2.32	2.44
***SPEED RELATED TOTAL	4.92	5.40	6.10	11.26	9.10	6.21	4.91	3.44	4.32
ANNUAL VEHICLE MILES	2,115,321,403	2,035,628,763	2,345,925,855	524,210,571	538,344,891	563,214,492	1,200,979,523	1,251,080,891	1,272,540,190

ALL CRASH RATES ARE PER 100 MILLION VEHICLE MILES.

RURAL INTERSTATE WITH POSTED SPEED OF 65MPH WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THIS STUDY.

* MAJORITY OF URBAN INTERSTATE POSTED AT 65MPH

** MAJORITY OF RURAL INTERSTATE POSTED AT 75MPH

***SPEED RELATED CRASHES ARE DEFINED AS CRASHES IN WHICH VEHICLE 1 IS EXCEEDING THE POSTED SPEED