

# **COLUMBIA COUNTY**

## **TRAFFIC SAFETY DATA**



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This document provides various accident and ticket data for the county. Ticket data are presented for the years 2006-2008. Four summary reports provide detailed accident data for the three years 2006-2008. The four accident reports provide data for 1) all accidents, 2) alcohol-related accidents, 3) speed-related accidents, and 4) motorcycle accidents. Caution is advised in interpreting the data in cases where the numbers are very small. For assistance in using the data in this document or to request additional information, please contact

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## **SECTION 1**

### **General Accident Summary Report**

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles**  
**Motor Vehicle Accidents**  
**Columbia County**

**TABLE 1 Accident Summary Totals**

Category Totals	2006			2007			2008		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>1,030</b>	<b>270,700</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>1,355</b>	<b>323,106</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>1,380</b>	<b>316,231</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Fatal Accidents	5	1,330	0.4	4	1,220	0.3	10	1,160	0.9
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	403	138,311	0.3	427	139,117	0.3	417	134,894	0.3
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	622	131,059	0.5	924	182,769	0.5	953	180,177	0.5
<b>Manner of Collision</b>									
Single Vehicle Accidents	647	83,588	0.8	861	103,286	0.8	928	104,790	0.9
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	383	187,112	0.2	494	219,820	0.2	452	211,441	0.2
<b>Special Accident Series</b>									
Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	11	15,702	0.1	10	15,701	0.1	19	15,620	0.1
Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	8	5,565	0.1	3	5,535	0.1	7	5,646	0.1
Motorcycle Accidents	28	4,912	0.6	27	5,426	0.5	27	5,396	0.5
<b>Fatalities</b>									
<b>Persons Killed (1)</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1,433</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1,317</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,224</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Drivers Killed	3	801	0.4	3	762	0.4	8	669	1.2
Passengers Killed	1	269	0.4	1	231	0.4	2	211	0.9
Pedestrians Killed	1	315	0.3	0	272	0.0	0	302	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	45	0.0	0	50	0.0	0	42	0.0
Other	0	3	0.0	0	2	0.0	0	0	0.0
<b>Non-Fatal Injuries</b>									
<b>Persons Injured (1)</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>195,644</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>194,255</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>187,160</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Drivers Injured	378	119,411	0.3	413	119,314	0.3	380	114,393	0.3
Passengers Injured	156	54,629	0.3	137	53,261	0.3	149	51,120	0.3
Pedestrians Injured	10	15,369	0.1	10	15,472	0.1	19	15,317	0.1
Bicyclists Injured	8	5,426	0.1	3	5,373	0.1	7	5,422	0.1
Other	1	809	0.1	1	835	0.1	4	908	0.4

(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.

Note: It is important to note that data for 2008 are comparable to data for 2007, but not to earlier years due to changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006.

General Notes

- \* Some of the tables are based upon information received from police and motorist reports of motor vehicle accidents. Others are based only on the police reports; these are indicated by a (P).
- \* The Property Damage Accident reporting level is \$1,000 or more.
- \* The term "vehicle" always excludes bicycles.
- \* The term "driver" always excludes bicyclists.
- \* Percentages may not total 100.0 due to rounding.

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles  
Motor Vehicle Accidents  
Columbia County**

<b>TABLE 1.1 Crash and Fatality &amp; Injury Rates</b>			
	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
<b>Crash Rates</b>			
Crash Rate per 10,000 Population	163.61	217.28	222.56
Crash Rate per 10,000 Licensed Drivers	211.86	273.74	283.15
<b>Fatality &amp; Injury Rates</b>			
Fatality & Injury Rate per 10,000 Population	88.63	91.08	91.77
Fatality & Injury Rate per 10,000 Licensed Drivers	114.77	114.75	116.75

<b>TABLE 2 Day of Week/Time of Day: 2008</b>						
	<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>Time of Day</b>				
		<b>Mid-6am</b>	<b>6am-Noon</b>	<b>Noon-6pm</b>	<b>6pm-Mid</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,380</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>56</b>
Sunday	161	25	34	50	42	10
Monday	189	18	53	62	50	6
Tuesday	192	14	54	63	53	8
Wednesday	206	20	72	62	46	6
Thursday	167	9	47	64	40	7
Friday	253	13	65	98	68	9
Saturday	212	38	35	76	53	10

<b>TABLE 3(P) Police Investigating Agency</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,106</b>	<b>100.0</b>
State Police	519	68.6	694	64.7	673	60.8
County Police	169	22.3	271	25.3	319	28.8
New York City (NYPD)	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Municipal Police (non-NYC)	69	9.1	108	10.1	114	10.3
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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<b>TABLE 4 Jurisdictional Road System</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,030</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,355</b>	<b>100.0</b>		
State Routes	527	51.2	644	47.5	Data are not available.	
County Routes	129	12.5	166	12.3		
Town Routes	124	12.0	179	13.2		
Municipal Routes	103	10.0	107	7.9		
Parkways	75	7.3	74	5.5		
Thruway	44	4.3	86	6.3		
Other Interstates	2	0.2	0	0.0		
Unknown	26	2.5	99	7.3		

<b>TABLE 5 Driver Gender and Age</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Total Drivers</b>	<b>1,397</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,823</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,789</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male	824	59.0	1,066	58.5	1,020	57.0
Female	533	38.2	704	38.6	716	40.0
Unknown	40	2.9	53	2.9	53	3.0
<b>Age</b>						
Under Age 16	0	0.0	3	0.2	2	0.1
Ages 16-20	190	13.6	224	12.3	224	12.5
Ages 21-29	233	16.7	319	17.5	300	16.8
Ages 30-39	231	16.5	260	14.3	238	13.3
Ages 40-49	236	16.9	347	19.0	311	17.4
Ages 50-59	233	16.7	274	15.0	285	15.9
Ages 60-69	132	9.4	194	10.6	197	11.0
Ages 70 and Over	96	6.9	146	8.0	175	9.8
Unknown Age	46	3.3	56	3.1	57	3.2

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	2006		2007		2008	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>757</b>		<b>1,073</b>		<b>1,106</b>	
Alcohol Involvement*	44	5.8	50	4.7	46	4.2
Backing Unsafely	6	0.8	26	2.4	31	2.8
Driver Inattention/Distraction	100	13.2	152	14.2	150	13.6
Driver Inexperience	20	2.6	26	2.4	24	2.2
Failure to Keep Right	41	5.4	51	4.8	70	6.3
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	73	9.6	105	9.8	93	8.4
Following Too Closely	76	10.0	81	7.5	77	7.0
Passing/Lane Violations	65	8.6	60	5.6	46	4.2
Traffic Control Disregarded	21	2.8	31	2.9	41	3.7
Turning Improperly	19	2.5	30	2.8	12	1.1
Unsafe Speed*	128	16.9	202	18.8	193	17.5

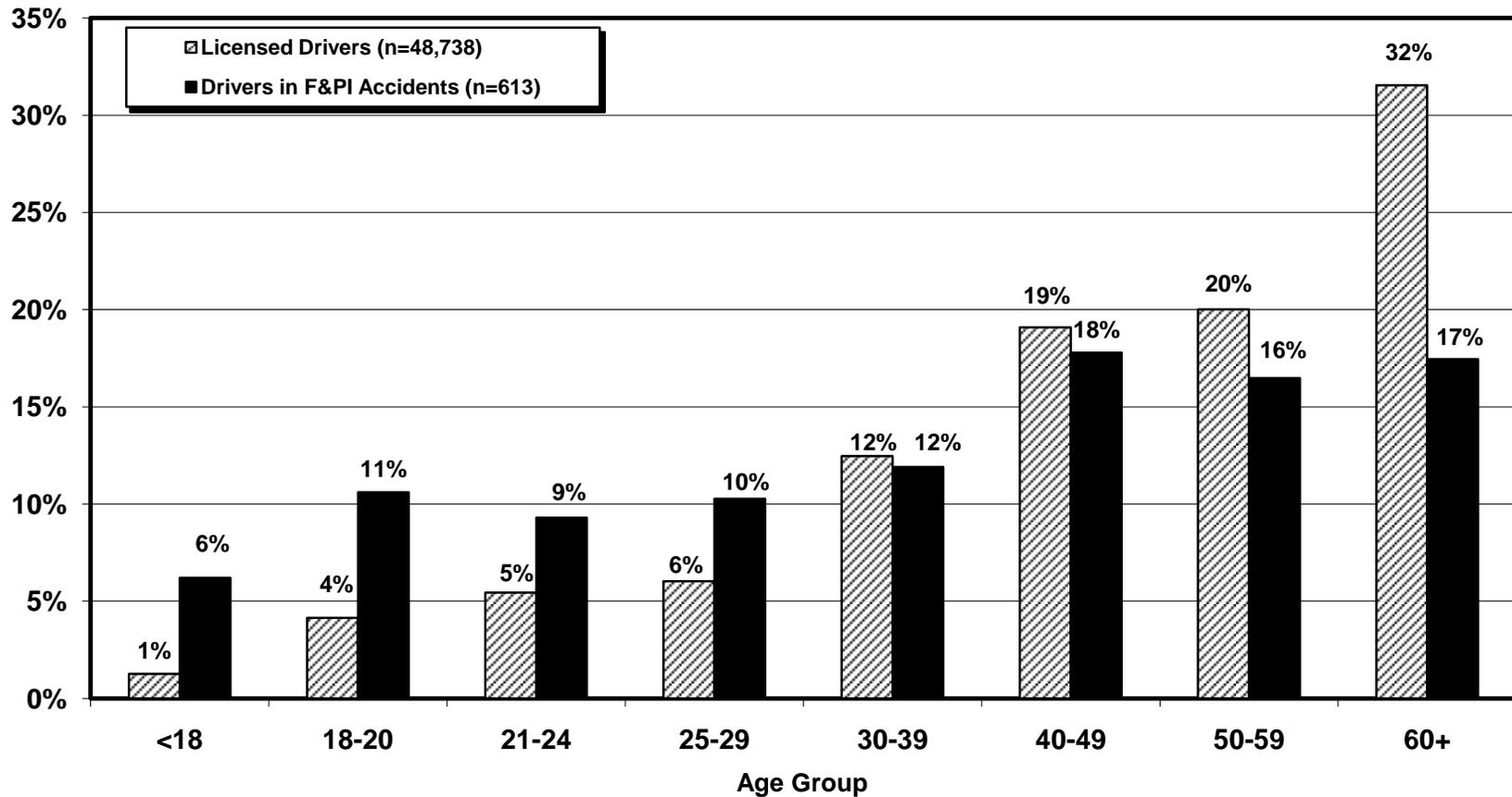
\* These numbers represent the total number of accidents in which police checked "alcohol involvement" or "unsafe speed" as apparent contributing factors on police accident report form. They do not represent the total number of alcohol-related or speed-related accidents that occurred in the county. For data on the total number of alcohol-related accidents in the county, see the separate report titled, "Summary of Alcohol-Related Accidents." For data on the total number of speed-related accidents in the county, see the separate report titled, "Summary of Speed-Related Accidents."

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

Age Group	2007			2008		
	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike
<b>Total</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>26</b>
Under Age 4	2	0.4	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 4-6	6	1.1	1	6	1.1	2
Ages 7-15	33	5.8	4	36	6.3	5
Ages 16-17	33	5.8	0	42	7.4	1
Ages 18-20	63	11.1	0	64	11.2	1
Ages 21-29	118	20.8	3	107	18.8	7
Ages 30-39	82	14.4	0	59	10.4	1
Ages 40-49	78	13.7	1	96	16.9	3
Ages 50-59	57	10.0	2	70	12.3	2
Ages 60-69	43	7.6	2	45	7.9	2
Ages 70 and Over	49	8.6	0	39	6.9	1
Unknown Age	4	0.7	0	5	0.9	1

	2006		2007		2008	
	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%
<b>Motor Vehicle Occupants</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Restraint Used	43	9.1	25	5.0	29	5.9
Restraint Used	418	88.6	468	92.9	446	91.4
Unknown	11	2.3	11	2.2	13	2.7
<b>Motorcyclists</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	2	7.7	0	0.0
Helmet Used	23	92.0	23	88.5	26	100.0
Unknown	2	8.0	1	3.8	0	0.0
<b>Bicyclists</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Helmet Used	4	50.0	0	0.0	3	50.0
Helmet Used	1	12.5	1	50.0	1	16.7
Unknown	3	37.5	1	50.0	2	33.3

**FIGURE 1**  
**Columbia County 2008**  
**Licensed Drivers and Drivers Involved in Fatal and Personal Injury Accidents**  
**by Age Group**



Note: In interpreting these data, any age group with a greater percentage of drivers involved in fatal and personal injury accidents than licensed drivers indicates that the drivers in that age group are overrepresented in fatal and personal injury accidents. 14 drivers in fatal and personal injury accidents were excluded due to unknown age.

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<b>TABLE 9 Fatal &amp; Personal Injury Crashes, Crash Rate per Roadway Mile, and Fatalities &amp; Injuries by County Jurisdiction</b>															
	Jurisdiction	Pop.	%	Miles	%	Pop./ Mile	2006			2007			2008		
							F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	# Killed & Injured	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	# Killed & Injured	F&PI Crashes	Crashes/ Mile	# Killed & Injured
<b>Towns</b>	<b>Ancram</b>	1,629	2.6	84.9	5.6	19.2	11	0.1	14	15	0.2	15	7	0.1	7
	<b>Austerlitz</b>	1,511	2.4	87.5	5.7	17.3	12	0.1	13	10	0.1	17	11	0.1	16
	<b>Canaan</b>	1,879	3.0	84.3	5.5	22.3	26	0.3	32	17	0.2	24	23	0.3	27
	<b>Chatham</b>	3,543	5.6	149.9	9.8	23.6	34	0.2	43	40	0.3	52	28	0.2	36
	<b>Claverack</b>	4,981	7.8	115.4	7.6	43.2	49	0.4	67	44	0.4	56	32	0.3	47
	<b>Clermont</b>	1,822	2.9	41.5	2.7	43.9	8	0.2	14	14	0.3	18	14	0.3	21
	<b>Copake</b>	3,354	5.3	88.5	5.8	37.9	10	0.1	14	4	<0.1	6	11	0.1	13
	<b>Gallatin</b>	1,472	2.3	72.6	4.8	20.3	15	0.2	17	6	0.1	9	8	0.1	10
	<b>Germantown</b>	2,042	3.2	43.6	2.9	46.8	9	0.2	11	11	0.3	18	12	0.3	17
	<b>Ghent</b>	4,245	6.7	112.4	7.4	37.8	29	0.3	39	32	0.3	34	28	0.2	35
	<b>Greenport</b>	4,158	6.5	52.9	3.5	78.6	57	1.1	79	44	0.8	65	57	1.1	79
	<b>Hillsdale</b>	1,789	2.8	98.7	6.5	18.1	11	0.1	13	10	0.1	12	12	0.1	13
	<b>Kinderhook</b>	5,442	8.5	87.4	5.7	62.3	21	0.2	35	43	0.5	59	30	0.3	43
	<b>Livingston</b>	3,427	5.4	89.0	5.8	38.5	19	0.2	24	14	0.2	18	27	0.3	37
	<b>New Lebanon</b>	2,476	3.9	77.8	5.1	31.8	11	0.1	16	21	0.3	26	21	0.3	27
	<b>Stockport</b>	2,961	4.7	36.4	2.4	81.3	13	0.4	16	21	0.6	29	14	0.4	23
	<b>Stuyvesant</b>	2,182	3.4	50.0	3.3	43.6	11	0.2	21	8	0.2	11	8	0.2	11
	<b>Taghkanic</b>	1,140	1.8	80.8	5.3	14.1	9	0.1	18	12	0.1	19	12	0.1	16
<b>Villages</b>	<b>Chatham</b>	1,782	2.8	10.5	0.7	169.7	4	0.4	4	6	0.6	8	7	0.7	8
	<b>Kinderhook</b>	1,312	2.1	9.9	0.6	132.5	3	0.3	6	2	0.2	3	2	0.2	2
	<b>Philmont</b>	1,444	2.3	6.9	0.5	209.3	2	0.3	2	5	0.7	8	3	0.4	3
	<b>Valatie</b>	1,857	2.9	8.9	0.6	208.7	4	0.4	6	3	0.3	4	3	0.3	5
<b>City</b>	<b>Hudson</b>	7,220	11.3	33.6	2.2	214.9	40	1.2	54	47	1.4	55	55	1.6	71
<b>Other</b>	<b>unknown</b>	na	na	na	na	na	0	na	na	2	na	2	2	na	2
<b>Columbia County Total</b>							<b>408</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>569</b>
<b>New York State</b>		<b>19,227,088</b>		<b>113342.8</b>		<b>169.6</b>	<b>139,641</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>197,077</b>	<b>140,337</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>195,572</b>	<b>136,054</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>188,384</b>

Source: US Census Bureau redistricting data, NYSDOT Highway Mileage report, and the NYSDMV AIS data base.

## **SECTION 2**

### **Alcohol-Related Accident Summary Report**

**New York State Department of Motor Vehicles  
Alcohol-Related Motor Vehicle Accidents  
Columbia County**

<b>TABLE 1(P) Alcohol-Related (A-R) Accidents</b>									
<b>Category Totals</b>	<b>2006</b>			<b>2007</b>			<b>2008</b>		
	<b>County Total</b>	<b>NYS Total</b>	<b>% of NYS</b>	<b>County Total</b>	<b>NYS Total</b>	<b>% of NYS</b>	<b>County Total</b>	<b>NYS Total</b>	<b>% of NYS</b>
<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>7,959</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>9,480</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>9,202</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Fatal Accidents	1	359	0.3	1	344	0.3	1	355	0.3
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	26	5,111	0.5	26	4,991	0.5	22	4,775	0.5
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	18	2,489	0.7	23	4,145	0.6	24	4,072	0.6
<b>Manner of Collision</b>									
Single Vehicle Accidents	39	4,380	0.9	36	5,138	0.7	37	5,033	0.7
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	6	3,579	0.2	14	4,342	0.3	10	4,169	0.2
<b>Special A-R Accident Series</b>									
A-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	411	0.2	0	403	0.0	1	428	0.2
A-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0	90	0.0	0	97	0.0	0	106	0.0
A-R Motorcycle Accidents	0	176	0.0	2	217	0.9	2	220	0.9
<b>Fatalities</b>									
<b>Persons Killed (1)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>0.3</b>
Drivers Killed	0	235	0.0	0	239	0.0	1	212	0.5
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	0	214	0.0	0	215	0.0	1	192	0.5
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	0	21	0.0	0	24	0.0	0	20	0.0
Passengers Killed	0	85	0.0	1	65	1.5	0	77	0.0
Pedestrians Killed	1	69	1.4	0	62	0.0	0	82	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	8	0.0	0	7	0.0	0	10	0.0
Other	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
<b>Non-Fatal Injuries</b>									
<b>Persons Injured (1)</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>7,293</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>7,175</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>6,886</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Drivers Injured	23	4,753	0.5	28	4,593	0.6	20	4,396	0.5
Passengers Injured	8	2,059	0.4	8	2,072	0.4	7	1,979	0.4
Pedestrians Injured	0	361	0.0	0	362	0.0	1	360	0.3
Bicyclists Injured	0	79	0.0	0	90	0.0	0	94	0.0
Other	1	41	2.4	0	58	0.0	0	57	0.0

(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.  
Note: It is important to note that data for 2008 are comparable to data for 2007, but not to earlier years due to changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006.

General Notes

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<b>TABLE 2(P) Day of Week/Time of Day: 2008</b>						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
<b>Total</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>
Sunday	10	8	0	1	1	0
Monday	10	4	2	1	3	0
Tuesday	4	2	0	1	1	0
Wednesday	5	0	0	1	4	0
Thursday	1	1	0	0	0	0
Friday	7	2	0	2	3	0
Saturday	10	6	0	1	3	0

<b>TABLE 3(P) Driver Gender and Age</b>						
	2006		2007		2008	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Total Drivers</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male	39	81.3	48	80.0	40	71.4
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	37	77.1	43	71.7	35	62.5
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	2	4.2	5	8.3	5	8.9
Female	9	18.8	12	20.0	14	25.0
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	7	14.6	7	11.7	13	23.2
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	2	4.2	5	8.3	1	1.8
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	3.6
<i>Drinking Drivers</i>	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<i>Non-Drinking Drivers</i>	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	3.6
<b>Drinking Drivers</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	5	11.4	5	10.0	4	8.3
Ages 21-29	9	20.5	12	24.0	17	35.4
Ages 30-39	12	27.3	10	20.0	9	18.8
Ages 40-49	8	18.2	12	24.0	12	25.0
Ages 50-59	10	22.7	6	12.0	5	10.4
Age 60 and Over	0	0.0	5	10.0	1	2.1
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Non-Drinking Drivers</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	1	25.0	4	40.0	0	0.0
Ages 21-29	0	0.0	1	10.0	1	12.5
Ages 30-39	1	25.0	1	10.0	1	12.5
Ages 40-49	0	0.0	2	20.0	1	12.5
Ages 50-59	1	25.0	1	10.0	0	0.0
Age 60 and Over	1	25.0	1	10.0	3	37.5
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	25.0

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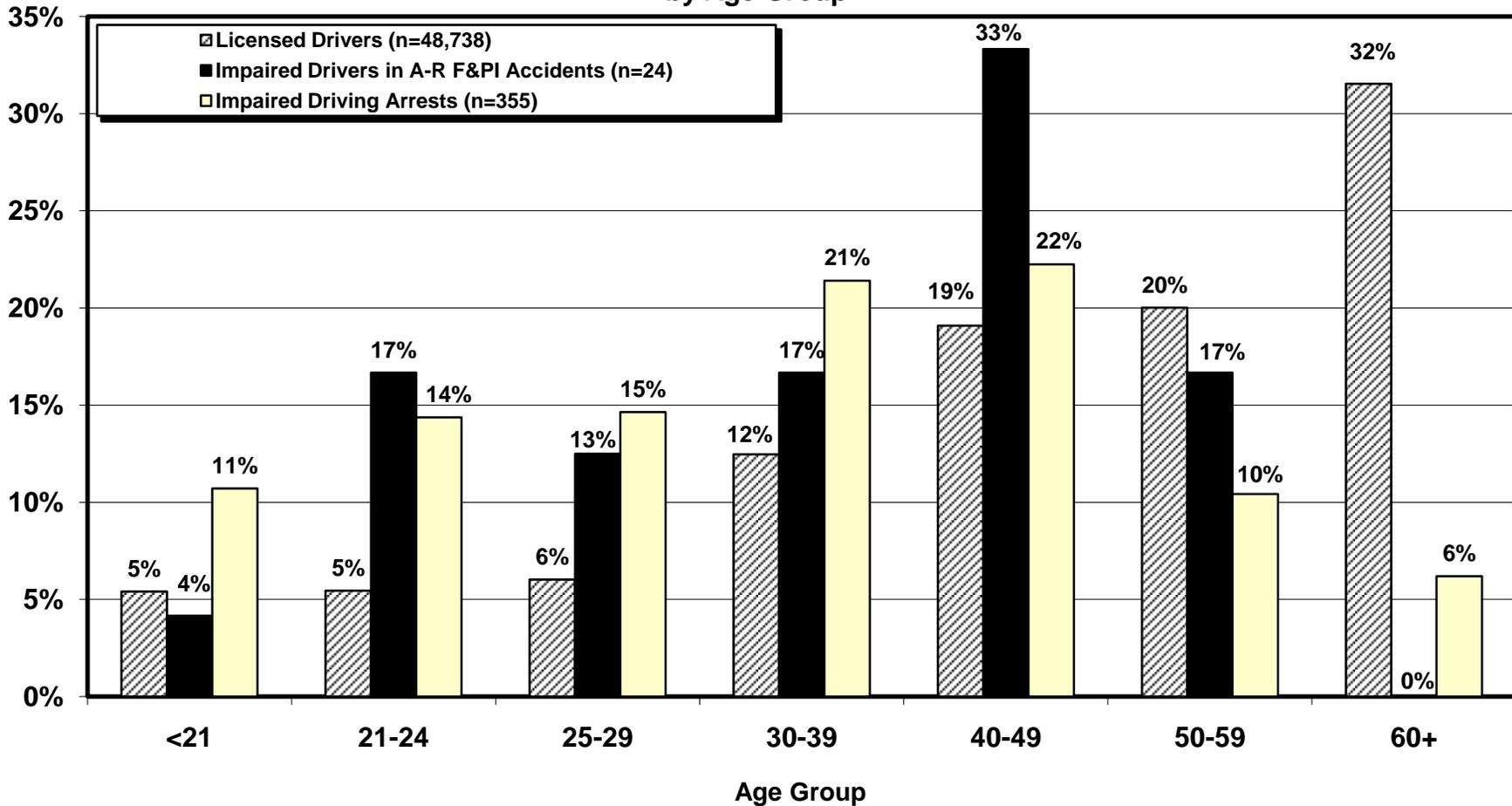
	2006		2007		2008	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>45</b>		<b>50</b>		<b>47</b>	
Driver Inattention/Distracted	3	6.7	2	4.0	2	4.3
Failure to Keep Right	10	22.2	6	12.0	8	17.0
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	1	2.2	3	6.0	1	2.1
Fell Asleep	2	4.4	0	0.0	1	2.1
Following Too Closely	0	0.0	1	2.0	3	6.4
Passing/Lane Violations	8	17.8	5	10.0	5	10.6
Traffic Control Disregarded	0	0.0	3	6.0	3	6.4
Unsafe Speed	13	28.9	13	26.0	10	21.3

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

Age Group	2007			2008		
	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike	Total #	%	# of Ped/Bike
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1</b>
Under Age 4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 4-6	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 7-15	1	2.7	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 16-17	3	8.1	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 18-20	2	5.4	0	2	6.9	0
Ages 21-29	8	21.6	0	8	27.6	0
Ages 30-39	7	18.9	0	4	13.8	1
Ages 40-49	6	16.2	0	8	27.6	0
Ages 50-59	3	8.1	0	4	13.8	0
Ages 60-69	5	13.5	0	3	10.3	0
Ages 70 and Over	2	5.4	0	0	0.0	0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0

	2006		2007		2008	
	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%	# Killed or Injured	%
<b>Motor Vehicle Occupants</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Restraint Used	5	16.1	5	14.3	2	8.0
Restraint Used	25	80.6	25	71.4	22	88.0
Unknown	1	3.2	5	14.3	1	4.0
<b>Motorcyclists</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Helmet Used	0	0.0	2	100.0	3	100.0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Bicyclists</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

**FIGURE 1**  
**Columbia County 2008**  
**Licensed Drivers, Impaired Drivers Involved in Alcohol-Related Fatal and Personal Injury Accidents, and Drivers Arrested for Impaired Driving by Age Group**



Note: In interpreting these data, any age group with a greater percentage of impaired drivers involved in A-R fatal and personal injury accidents than licensed drivers indicates that the drivers in that age group are overrepresented in A-R fatal and personal injury accidents. Similarly, any age group with a greater percentage of drivers arrested for impaired driving than licensed drivers indicates that drivers in that age group are overrepresented in alcohol-related arrests.

## **SECTION 3**

### **Speed-Related Accident Summary Report**

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**TABLE 1(P) Speed-Related (S-R) Accidents**

Category Totals	2006			2007			2008		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>20,927</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>31,729</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>32,234</b>	<b>0.6</b>
Fatal Accidents	2	391	0.5	1	369	0.3	4	379	1.1
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	91	13,048	0.7	97	14,405	0.7	78	14,207	0.5
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	39	7,488	0.5	111	16,955	0.7	116	17,648	0.7
<b>Manner of Collision</b>									
Single Vehicle Accidents	100	12,070	0.8	167	19,143	0.9	168	20,115	0.8
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	32	8,857	0.4	42	12,586	0.3	30	12,119	0.2
<b>Special S-R Accident Series</b>									
S-R Pedestrian/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0	347	0.0	0	382	0.0	2	369	0.5
S-R Bicycle/Motor Vehicle Accidents	0	88	0.0	1	91	1.1	0	93	0.0
S-R Motorcycle Accidents	4	797	0.5	2	857	0.2	2	854	0.2
<b>Fatalities</b>									
<b>Persons Killed (1)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>1.0</b>
Drivers Killed	1	305	0.3	0	277	0.0	3	293	1.0
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	0	281	0.0	0	249	0.0	3	271	1.1
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	1	24	4.2	0	28	0.0	0	22	0.0
Passengers Killed	1	112	0.9	1	104	1.0	1	90	1.1
Pedestrians Killed	0	20	0.0	0	24	0.0	0	29	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	2	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0
Other	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
<b>Non-Fatal Injuries</b>									
<b>Persons Injured (1)</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>19,474</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>21,137</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>20,595</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Drivers Injured	89	12,816	0.7	85	14,151	0.6	72	13,818	0.5
Passengers Injured	35	6,135	0.6	44	6,427	0.7	29	6,235	0.5
Pedestrians Injured	0	353	0.0	0	383	0.0	2	364	0.5
Bicyclists Injured	0	83	0.0	1	90	1.1	0	90	0.0
Other	1	87	1.1	0	86	0.0	0	88	0.0

(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.

Note: It is important to note that data for 2008 are comparable to data for 2007, but not to earlier years due to changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006.

General Notes

- \* All tables are based on information received from police reports.
- \* The Property Damage Accident reporting level is \$1,000 or more.
- \* The term "vehicle" always excludes bicycles.
- \* The term "driver" always excludes bicyclists.
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<b>TABLE 2(P) Day of Week/Time of Day: 2008</b>						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
<b>Total</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>0</b>
Sunday	19	5	8	4	2	0
Monday	22	6	7	5	4	0
Tuesday	28	2	2	19	5	0
Wednesday	43	7	20	9	7	0
Thursday	8	0	3	0	5	0
Friday	56	3	19	28	6	0
Saturday	22	12	0	8	2	0

<b>TABLE 3(P) Driver Gender and Age</b>						
	2006		2007		2008	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Total Drivers</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male	114	69.1	161	64.7	140	61.7
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	91	55.2	135	54.2	123	54.2
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	23	13.9	26	10.4	17	7.5
Female	49	29.7	86	34.5	84	37.0
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	41	24.8	72	28.9	76	33.5
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	8	4.8	14	5.6	8	3.5
Unknown	2	1.2	2	0.8	3	1.3
<i>Speeding Drivers</i>	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<i>Non-Speeding Drivers</i>	2	1.2	2	0.8	3	1.3
<b>Speeding Drivers</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	42	31.8	61	29.5	61	30.7
Ages 21-29	25	18.9	56	27.1	45	22.6
Ages 30-39	25	18.9	30	14.5	28	14.1
Ages 40-49	16	12.1	33	15.9	27	13.6
Ages 50-59	9	6.8	16	7.7	20	10.1
Age 60 and Over	15	11.4	11	5.3	18	9.0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Non-Speeding Drivers</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	4	12.1	0	0.0	3	10.7
Ages 21-29	3	9.1	7	16.7	1	3.6
Ages 30-39	5	15.2	8	19.0	4	14.3
Ages 40-49	8	24.2	11	26.2	6	21.4
Ages 50-59	6	18.2	7	16.7	8	28.6
Age 60 and Over	5	15.2	7	16.7	3	10.7
Unknown Age	2	6.1	2	4.8	3	10.7

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<b>TABLE 4(P) Select Accident Contributing Factors</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Total Accidents</b>	<b>132</b>		<b>209</b>		<b>198</b>	
Alcohol Involvement	17	12.9	18	8.6	10	5.1
Driver Inattention/Distracted	4	3.0	8	3.8	6	3.0
Driver Inexperience	3	2.3	10	4.8	4	2.0
Failure to Keep Right	13	9.8	12	5.7	13	6.6
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	2	1.5	5	2.4	2	1.0
Following Too Closely	5	3.8	7	3.3	1	0.5
Passing/Lane Violations	7	5.3	6	2.9	8	4.0
Traffic Control Disregarded	1	0.8	1	0.5	3	1.5

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported.

<b>TABLE 5(P) Persons Killed or Injured by Age Group: 2007-2008</b>						
<b>Age Group</b>	<b>2007</b>			<b>2008</b>		
	<b>Total #</b>	<b>%</b>	<b># of Ped/Bike</b>	<b>Total #</b>	<b>%</b>	<b># of Ped/Bike</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2</b>
Under Age 4	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0
Ages 4-6	0	0.0	0	1	0.9	0
Ages 7-15	8	6.1	1	3	2.8	0
Ages 16-17	13	9.9	0	15	14.0	0
Ages 18-20	19	14.5	0	24	22.4	0
Ages 21-29	41	31.3	0	22	20.6	1
Ages 30-39	16	12.2	0	12	11.2	1
Ages 40-49	14	10.7	0	13	12.1	0
Ages 50-59	8	6.1	0	7	6.5	0
Ages 60-69	5	3.8	0	6	5.6	0
Ages 70 and Over	6	4.6	0	4	3.7	0
Unknown Age	1	0.8	0	0	0.0	0

<b>TABLE 6(P) Reported Safety Equipment Use</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b># Killed or Injured</b>	<b>%</b>	<b># Killed or Injured</b>	<b>%</b>	<b># Killed or Injured</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Motor Vehicle Occupants</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Restraint Used	19	15.6	13	10.2	10	9.7
Restraint Used	100	82.0	109	85.2	89	86.4
Unknown	3	2.5	6	4.7	4	3.9
<b>Motorcyclists</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Helmet Used	4	100.0	2	100.0	2	100.0
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Bicyclists</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Helmet Used	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0.0

## **SECTION 4**

### **Motorcycle Accident Summary Report**

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**TABLE 1 Accident Summary Totals**

Category Totals	2006			2007			2008		
	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS	County Total	NYS Total	% of NYS
<b>Total Motorcycle Accidents</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>4,912</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>5,426</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>5,396</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Fatal Accidents	1	190	0.5	0	164	0.0	2	184	1.1
Non-Fatal Personal Injury Accidents	22	4,272	0.5	26	4,727	0.6	24	4,593	0.5
Reportable Property Damage Accidents	5	450	1.1	1	535	0.2	1	619	0.2
<b>Manner of Collision</b>									
Single Motorcycle Accidents	16	2,154	0.7	15	2,318	0.6	19	2,392	0.8
Multiple Vehicle Accidents	12	2,758	0.4	12	3,108	0.4	8	3,004	0.3
<b>Special Motorcycle Accident Series</b>									
Motorcycle/Pedestrian Accidents	0	77	0.0	0	74	0.0	0	84	0.0
Motorcycle/Bicycle Accidents	0	29	0.0	0	19	0.0	0	29	0.0
<b>Fatalities</b>									
<b>Persons Killed (1)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Drivers Killed	1	181	0.6	0	162	0.0	2	175	1.1
<i>Motorcycle Operators</i>	1	180	0.6	0	162	0.0	2	175	1.1
<i>Non-Motorcycle Drivers</i>	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Passengers Killed	0	12	0.0	0	9	0.0	0	8	0.0
<i>Motorcycle Passengers</i>	0	12	0.0	0	9	0.0	0	7	0.0
<i>Passengers in Other Vehicles</i>	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	1	0.0
Pedestrians Killed	0	2	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	4	0.0
Bicyclists Killed	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	1	0.0
Other	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
<b>Non-Fatal Injuries</b>									
<b>Persons Injured (1)</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>4,951</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>5,503</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5,290</b>	<b>0.5</b>
Drivers Injured	23	4,338	0.5	28	4,830	0.6	22	4,674	0.5
Passengers Injured	2	513	0.4	2	579	0.3	3	493	0.6
Pedestrians Injured	0	71	0.0	0	71	0.0	0	81	0.0
Bicyclists Injured	0	26	0.0	0	15	0.0	0	28	0.0
Other	0	3	0.0	0	8	0.0	0	14	0.0

(1) Includes pedestrians, bicyclists and all other non-vehicle involved persons as well as vehicle occupants regardless of seating position.

Note: It is important to note that data for 2008 are comparable to data for 2007, but not to earlier years due to changes in data collection and reporting that began during 2006.

General Notes

- \* Some of the tables are based upon information received from police and motorist reports of motor vehicle accidents. Others are based only on the police reports; these are indicated by a (P).
- \* The Property Damage Accident reporting level is \$1,000 or more.
- \* The term "vehicle" always excludes bicycles.
- \* The term "driver" always excludes bicyclists.
- \* Percentages may not total 100.0 due to rounding.

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<b>TABLE 2 Day of Week/Time of Day: 2008</b>						
	Total Accidents	Time of Day				
		Mid-6am	6am-Noon	Noon-6pm	6pm-Mid	Unknown
<b>Total</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
Sunday	4	1	1	2	0	0
Monday	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuesday	8	0	2	5	1	0
Wednesday	4	0	0	3	1	0
Thursday	3	0	0	3	0	0
Friday	6	2	1	3	0	0
Saturday	2	0	1	1	0	0

<b>TABLE 3 Motorcycle Operator Gender and Age</b>						
	2006		2007		2008	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Total MC Operators</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Male	27	100.0	27	96.4	24	88.9
Female	0	0.0	1	3.6	3	11.1
Unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Under Age 16	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-20	5	18.5	3	10.7	2	7.4
Ages 21-29	6	22.2	5	17.9	7	25.9
Ages 30-39	7	25.9	6	21.4	6	22.2
Ages 40-49	0	0.0	5	17.9	5	18.5
Ages 50-59	5	18.5	6	21.4	6	22.2
Ages 60 and Over	4	14.8	3	10.7	1	3.7
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

<b>TABLE 4(P) Select Accident Contributing Factors</b>						
	2006		2007		2008	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
<b>Total MC Accidents</b>	<b>24</b>		<b>26</b>		<b>26</b>	
Alcohol Involvement	0	0.0	2	7.7	1	3.8
Driver Inattention/Distracted	4	16.7	1	3.8	3	11.5
Driver Inexperience	7	29.2	0	0.0	3	11.5
Failure to Keep Right	1	4.2	1	3.8	0	0.0
Failure to Yield R.O.W.	3	12.5	7	26.9	3	11.5
Following Too Closely	2	8.3	2	7.7	2	7.7
Passing/Lane Violations	1	4.2	3	11.5	1	3.8
Traffic Control Disregarded	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Turning Improperly	3	12.5	1	3.8	0	0.0
Unsafe Speed	4	16.7	2	7.7	2	7.7

Note: Many accidents have multiple factors reported. Caution is advised due to the small numbers.

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<b>TABLE 5 Motorcyclists Killed or Injured by Age Group</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Age Group</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Under Age 4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 4-6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 7-15	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ages 16-17	1	4.0	1	3.7	3	11.1
Ages 18-20	4	16.0	3	11.1	0	0.0
Ages 21-29	5	20.0	3	11.1	8	29.6
Ages 30-39	6	24.0	6	22.2	4	14.8
Ages 40-49	1	4.0	5	18.5	6	22.2
Ages 50-59	4	16.0	6	22.2	5	18.5
Ages 60-69	4	16.0	2	7.4	1	3.7
Ages 70 and Over	0	0.0	1	3.7	0	0.0
Unknown Age	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

<b>TABLE 6(P) Reported Safety Equipment Use for Motorcyclists Killed or Injured</b>						
	<b>2006</b>		<b>2007</b>		<b>2008</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Motorcyclists</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No Helmet Used	0	0.0	2	7.7	0	0.0
Helmet Used	23	92.0	23	88.5	26	100.0
Unknown	2	8.0	1	3.8	0	0.0

<b>TABLE 7 Motorcycle Registrations / License Endorsements</b>				
	<b>MC Registrations</b>		<b>MC Licenses</b>	
	<b>#</b>	<b>% of NYS</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>% of NYS</b>
<b>2004</b>	1,799	0.7	4,191	0.7
<b>2005</b>	2,005	0.7	4,363	0.7
<b>2006</b>	2,240	0.8	4,521	0.8
<b>2007</b>	2,467	0.8	4,742	0.8
<b>2008</b>	2,644	0.8	4,859	0.8

## **SECTION 5**

### **Ticket Data**

## COLUMBIA COUNTY

### Tickets Issued and Conviction Rates for Select Violations

	2006	2007	2008
<b>TOTAL TICKETS ISSUED</b>	<b>24,801</b>	<b>27,409</b>	<b>29,897</b>
<b>SPEED (V&amp;T 1180)</b>	<b>9,686</b>	<b>10,880</b>	<b>11,701</b>
% of total tickets	39.1%	39.7%	39.1%
% convicted on same charge (of adjudicated cases)	57.3%	54.9%	53.0%
<b>SAFETY RESTRAINTS (V&amp;T 1229c)</b>	<b>2,215</b>	<b>2,221</b>	<b>2,598</b>
% of total tickets	8.9%	8.1%	8.7%
% convicted on same charge (of adjudicated cases)	83.2%	83.8%	82.4%
<b>IMPAIRED DRIVING (V&amp;T 1192)</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>595</b>
% of total tickets	2.0%	2.3%	2.0%
<b>Persons Arrested for Impaired Driving</b>	<b>(N=309)</b>	<b>(N=375)</b>	<b>(N=355)</b>
Case adjudicated	83.2%	81.3%	78.9%
Case pending	16.8%	18.7%	21.1%
<b>Adjudicated Cases*</b>	<b>(N=257)</b>	<b>(N=305)</b>	<b>(N=280)</b>
Convicted on original 1192 charge	61.9%	58.0%	54.6%
Convicted on other 1192 charge	24.5%	28.9%	32.5%
Convicted on non-1192 charge	3.1%	2.6%	2.5%
Dismissed/Acquitted/Convicted on charge associated with different event	10.5%	10.5%	10.4%
* Since some drivers are charged with more than one alcohol offense during a single traffic stop, conviction rates are based on drivers who have had at least one offense adjudicated.			

Source: NYS DMV TSLED ticket system.

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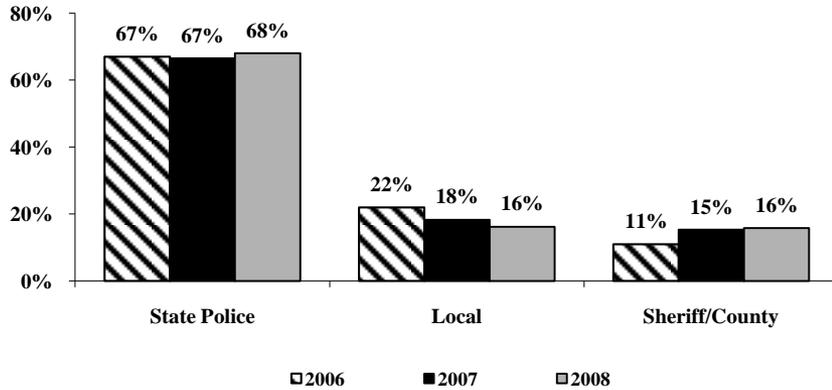
### Probation Data for V&T 1192 and 511 Convictions

	2006	2007	2008
<b>Number of Persons Sentenced to Probation</b>	18	23	34
<b>Number of Persons on Probation</b>	107	102	113

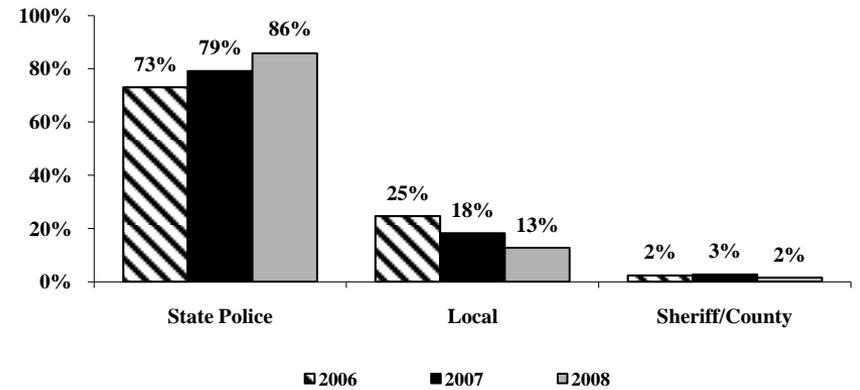
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## Columbia County Tickets Issued by TSLED Agencies By Agency Type

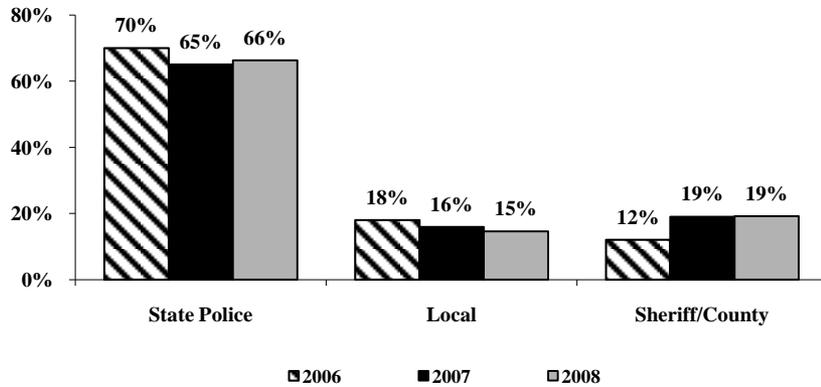
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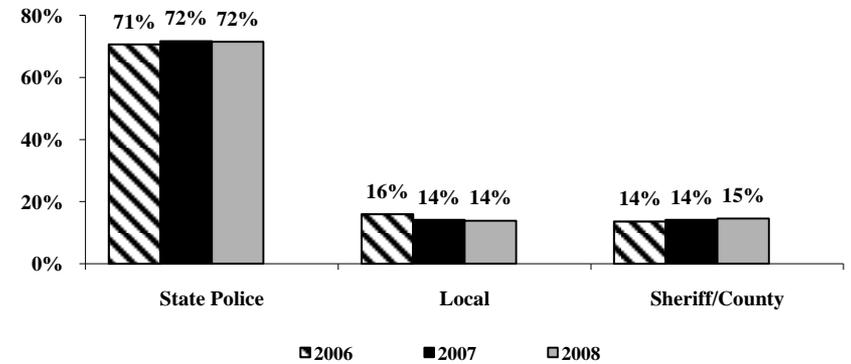
### Seat Belt Tickets



### Speed Tickets



### Persons Ticketed for Impaired Driving



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## TSLED Tickets Issued for Selected Violations by Enforcement Agency

Enforcement Agency		2006			2007			2008		
		#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total	#	% of Shf/Local	% of Co. Total
Columbia Sheriff NCIC 01000	alcohol	75	49.3	14.8	84	52.2	13.5	88	51.2	14.8
	speed	1,173	49.9	12.1	2,068	61.1	19.0	2,241	64.5	19.2
	seatbelt	54	9.4	2.4	59	13.1	2.7	40	11.8	1.5
Hudson P.D. NCIC 01001	alcohol	17	11.2	3.4	43	26.7	6.9	42	24.4	7.1
	speed	47	2.0	0.5	75	2.2	0.7	58	1.7	0.5
	seatbelt	131	22.7	5.9	50	11.1	2.3	30	8.9	1.2
Philmont Village P.D. NCIC 01002	alcohol	4	2.6	0.8	5	3.1	0.8	10	5.8	1.7
	speed	100	4.3	1.0	116	3.4	1.1	116	3.3	1.0
	seatbelt	10	1.7	0.5	12	2.7	0.5	7	2.1	0.3
Greenport P.D. NCIC 01003	alcohol	15	9.9	3.0	3	1.9	0.5	9	5.2	1.5
	speed	128	5.4	1.3	117	3.5	1.1	152	4.4	1.3
	seatbelt	249	43.2	11.2	255	56.4	11.5	195	57.7	7.5
Germantown P.D. NCIC 01004	alcohol	2	1.3	0.4	4	2.5	0.6	2	1.2	0.3
	speed	88	3.7	0.9	110	3.3	1.0	84	2.4	0.7
	seatbelt	17	3.0	0.8	19	4.2	0.9	12	3.6	0.5
Stockport P.D. NCIC 01005	alcohol	9	5.9	1.8	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.6	0.2
	speed	169	7.2	1.7	171	5.1	1.6	217	6.2	1.9
	seatbelt	18	3.1	0.8	4	0.9	0.2	29	8.6	1.1
Chatham P.D. NCIC 01020	alcohol	16	10.5	3.2	20	12.4	3.2	13	7.6	2.2
	speed	202	8.6	2.1	276	8.2	2.5	298	8.6	2.5
	seatbelt	5	0.9	0.2	14	3.1	0.6	10	3.0	0.4
Copake P.D. NCIC 01050	alcohol	14	9.2	2.8	2	1.2	0.3	7	4.1	1.2
	speed	445	18.9	4.6	451	13.3	4.1	310	8.9	2.6
	seatbelt	92	16.0	4.2	39	8.6	1.8	15	4.4	0.6
<b>Totals by Agency Type</b>										
Sheriff and Local	alcohol	152		30.0	161		25.9	172		28.9
	speed	2,352		24.3	3,384		31.1	3,476		29.7
	seatbelt	576		26.0	452		20.4	338		13.0
State Police	alcohol	349		68.8	454		73.1	420		70.6
	speed	6,733		69.5	7,087		65.1	7,754		66.3
	seatbelt	1,617		73.0	1,758		79.2	2,229		85.8
Other incl. Park Police	alcohol	6		1.2	6		1.0	3		0.5
	speed	601		6.2	409		3.8	471		4.0
	seatbelt	22		1.0	11		0.5	31		1.2
<b>County Total</b>										
	alcohol	507			621			595		
	speed	9,686			10,880			11,701		
	seatbelt	2,215			2,221			2,598		

Source: NYS DMV

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