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Persons Killed In Total And Alcohol-Impaired Crashes By Person Type, 2015

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| Person type | Alcohol-impaired driving fatalities (1) | | |
|--------------------------|---|---------------|-------------------------|
| | Total killed | Number | Percent of total killed |
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 17,466 | 5,909 | 34% |
| Passenger | 6,158 | 1,812 | 29 |
| Unknown occupant | 71 | 3 | 4 |
| Total | 23,695 | 7,724 | 33% |
| Motorcyclists | 4,976 | 1,609 | 32% |
| Nonoccupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 5,376 | 796 | 15 |
| Pedalcyclist | 818 | 101 | 12 |
| Other/unknown | 227 | 36 | 16 |
| Total | 6,421 | 933 | 15% |
| Total | 35,092 | 10,265 | 29% |

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Source: U.S. Department of Transportation, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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PERSONS KILLED IN TOTAL AND ALCOHOL-IMPAIRED CRASHES BY PERSON TYPE, 2008

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| | | Alcohol-impaired-driving fatalities (1) | |
|--------------------|---------------------|--|----------------|
| Person type | Total killed | Number | Percent |
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 19,220 | 7,181 | 37% |
| Passenger | 7,397 | 2,167 | 29 |
| Unknown occupant | 72 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 26,689 | 9,349 | 35 |
| Motorcyclists | 5,290 | 1,733 | 33 |
| Nonoccupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 4,378 | 582 | 13 |
| Pedalcyclist | 716 | 80 | 11 |
| Other/unknown | 188 | 29 | 15 |
| Total | 5,282 | 692 | 13 |
| Total | 37,261 | 11,773 | 32% |

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National Highway
 Traffic Safety Administration.

PERSONS KILLED IN TOTAL AND ALCOHOL-IMPAIRED CRASHES BY PERSON TYPE, 2009
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| | | Alcohol-impaired driving fatalities (1) | |
|--------------------|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Person type | Total killed | Number | Percent of total killed |
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 17,640 | 6,669 | 38% |
| Passenger | 6,770 | 2,022 | 30 |
| Unknown occupant | 64 | 3 | 5 |
| Total | 24,474 | 8,693 | 36 |
| Motorcyclists | 4,462 | 1,480 | 33 |
| Non-occupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 4,092 | 562 | 14 |
| Pedalcyclist | 630 | 85 | 13 |
| Other/unknown | 150 | 19 | 13 |
| Total | 4,872 | 667 | 14 |
| Total | 33,808 | 10,839 | 32% |

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PERSONS KILLED IN TOTAL AND ALCOHOL-IMPAIRED CRASHES BY PERSON TYPE, 2010
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| | | Alcohol-impaired driving fatalities (1) | |
|--------------------------|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Person type | Total killed | Number | Percent of total killed |
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 16,824 | 6,037 | 36% |
| Passenger | 6,414 | 1,984 | 31 |
| Unknown occupant | 65 | 1 | 2 |
| Total | 23,303 | 8,022 | 34 |
| Motorcyclists | 4,502 | 1,478 | 33 |
| Nonoccupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 4,280 | 623 | 15 |
| Pedalcyclist | 618 | 82 | 13 |
| Other/unknown | 182 | 24 | 13 |
| Total | 5,080 | 729 | 14 |
| Total | 32,885 | 10,228 | 31% |

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PERSONS KILLED IN TOTAL AND ALCOHOL-IMPAIRED CRASHES BY PERSON TYPE, 2012
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Alcohol-impaired driving fatalities (1)

| Person type | Total killed | Number | Percent of total killed |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 16,769 | 5,993 | 36% |
| Passenger | 6,061 | 1,917 | 32 |
| Unknown occupant | 82 | 6 | 7 |
| Total | 22,912 | 7,916 | 35% |
| Motorcyclists | 4,957 | 1,596 | 32% |
| Nonoccupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 4,743 | 688 | 14 |
| Pedalcyclist | 726 | 89 | 12 |
| Other/unknown | 223 | 33 | 15 |
| Total | 5,692 | 810 | 14% |
| Total | 33,561 | 10,322 | 31% |

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PERSONS KILLED IN TOTAL AND ALCOHOL-IMPAIRED CRASHES BY PERSON TYPE, 2013 [Export To Excel](#)

| Person type | Total killed | Alcohol-impaired driving fatalities (1) | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---|-------------------------|
| | | Number | Percent of total killed |
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 16,472 | 5,920 | 36% |
| Passenger | 5,844 | 1,822 | 31 |
| Unknown occupant | 67 | 2 | 3 |
| Total | 22,383 | 7,744 | 35% |
| Motorcyclists | 4,668 | 1,496 | 32% |
| Nonoccupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 4,735 | 721 | 15 |
| Pedalcyclist | 743 | 92 | 12 |
| Other/unknown | 190 | 23 | 12 |
| Total | 5,668 | 837 | 15% |
| Total | 32,719 | 10,076 | 31% |

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Persons Killed In Total And Alcohol-Impaired Crashes By Person Type, 2014
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| Alcohol-impaired driving fatalities (1) | | | |
|--|---------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Person type | Total killed | Number | Percent of total killed |
| Vehicle occupants | | | |
| Driver | 16,454 | 5,792 | 35% |
| Passenger | 5,751 | 1,769 | 31 |
| Unknown occupant | 71 | 5 | 6 |
| Total | 22,276 | 7,565 | 34% |
| Motorcyclists | 4,586 | 1,577 | 34% |
| Nonoccupants | | | |
| Pedestrian | 4,884 | 696 | 14 |
| Pedalcyclist | 726 | 98 | 13 |
| Other/unknown | 203 | 30 | 15 |
| Total | 5,813 | 824 | 14% |
| Total | 32,675 | 9,967 | 31% |

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