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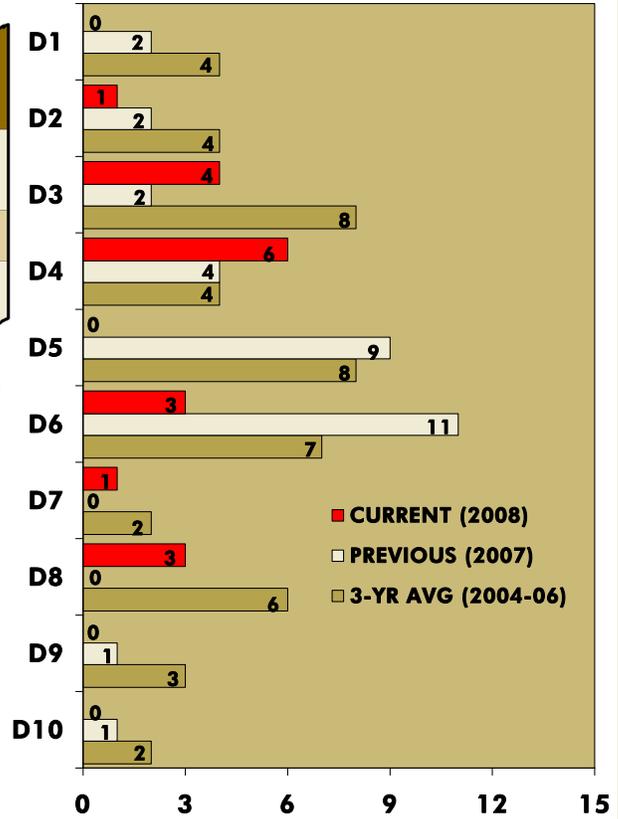
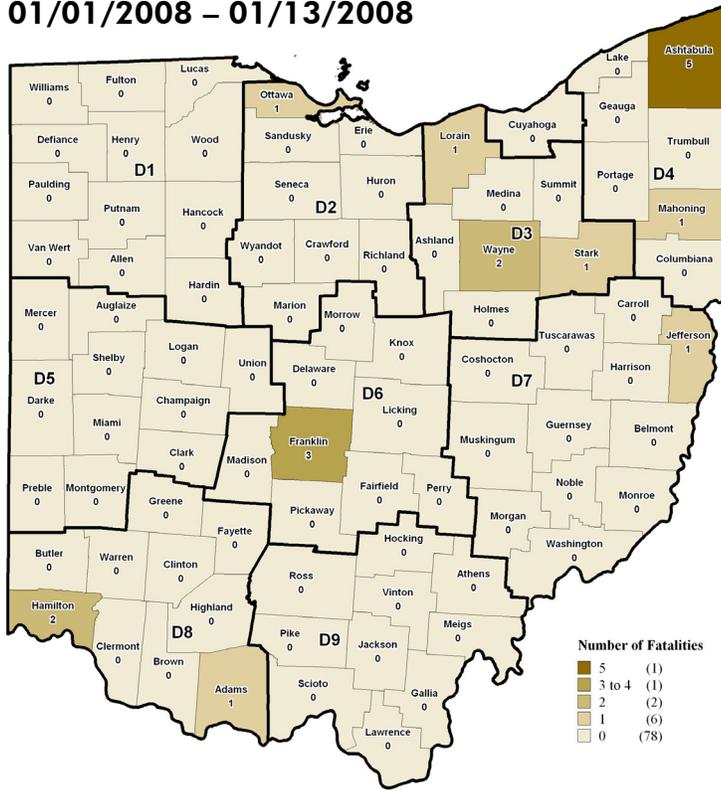
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STATEWIDE REPORTED TRAFFIC FATALITIES 01/01/2008 – 01/13/2008



SIGNIFICANT HIGHWAY PATROL APPREHENSIONS

01/01/2008 – 01/13/2008

OFFICER	COUNTY	DESCRIPTION
FMurua	Wood	Trooper Murua stopped a 2000 Cadillac Deville with two occupants on IS 75 for traveling 85 in a 65mph zone. The odor of burnt marijuana was detected inside the vehicle. The suspects were found to be wearing ballistic body armor and a loaded 9MM semiautomatic handgun was found in the vehicle's center console. Further, a 9MM cartridge, marijuana, and drug paraphernalia were found inside the vehicle.
JCrook	Butler	Trooper Crook stopped a 1991 Toyota Camry with three occupants on SR 4 for marked lane violations. Driver was arrested for OVI, DUS, and marked lane violations. During the search incident to arrest, a loaded .32 revolver was found. The front seat passenger was charged with carrying a concealed weapon, and rear seat passenger was found with one gram of suspected marijuana.

OFFICER ACTIVITY	2-WEEKS 01/01/2008- 01/13/2008	YTD 01/01/2008- 01/13/2008
Total	44,758	44,758
Enforcement	16,588	16,588
Non-Enforcement	28,170	28,170
Crash	2,649	2,649
Case	455	455
OVI	857	857
Aggressive	3,697	3,697
20+ Speed	1,983	1,983
Safety Belt	2,824	2,824
Commercial	1,974	1,974
Assist	13,620	13,620
Warning	14,254	14,254
Felony Arrest	41	41
Felony Warrant	41	41
Misd Warrant	111	111
Misd Summons	147	147



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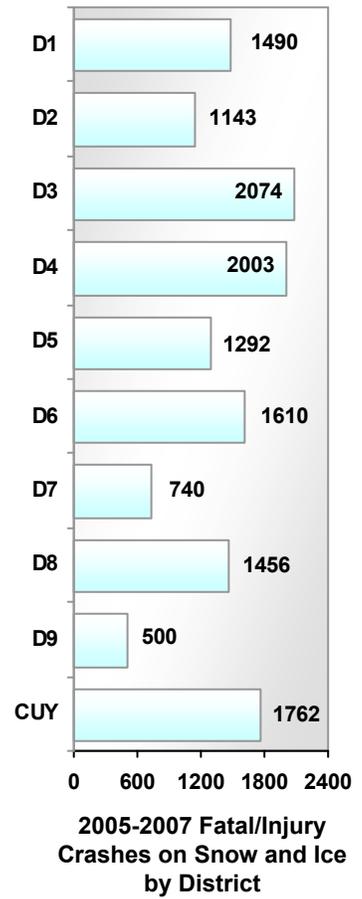
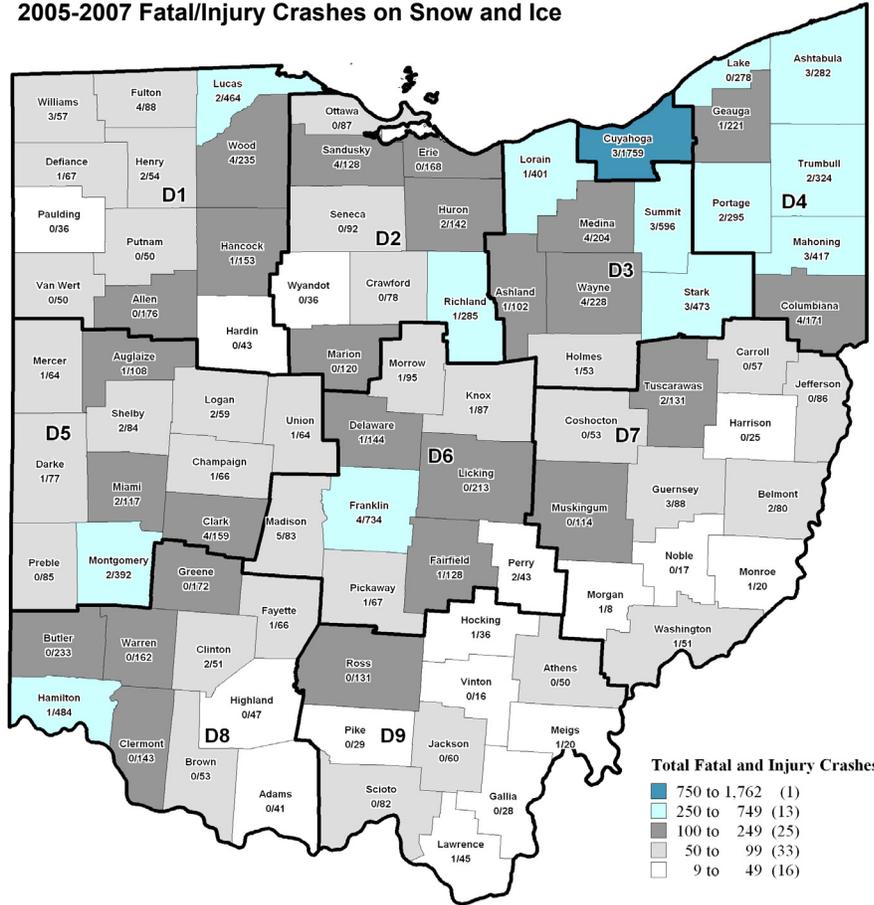


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SNOW and ICE

2005-2007 Fatal/Injury Crashes on Snow and Ice



- There were a total of 109 fatal and 13,961 injury crashes on snow and ice¹ from 2005 to 2007.
- The ten counties with the highest number of combined fatal and injury crashes on snow and ice include Cuyahoga (1,762), Franklin (738), Summit (599), Hamilton (485), Stark (476), Lucas (466), Mahoning (420), Lorain (402), Montgomery (394), and Trumbull (326). The average number of fatal and injury crashes per county from 2005 to 2007 was 160.
- Over half (51%) of fatal and injury crashes on snow and ice from 2005 to 2007 took place during normal commuting hours (31% from 6:00-10:00 a.m. and 21% from 3:00-7:00 p.m.).
- More than one in five (21%) fatal and injury crashes on snow and ice from 2005 to 2007 were caused by drivers 20 years of age or younger; Drivers 60 years of age or older were at fault in 8% of those crashes.
- Overwhelmingly, *speeding* was reported as the cause of fatal and injury crashes on snow and ice from 2005 to 2007 (75%). The proportion was even higher for drivers 20 years of age and younger (79%).