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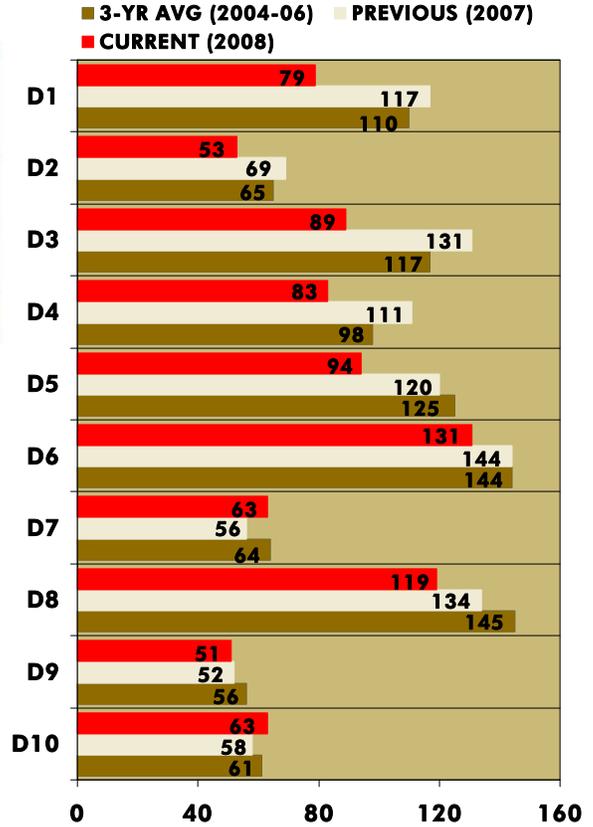
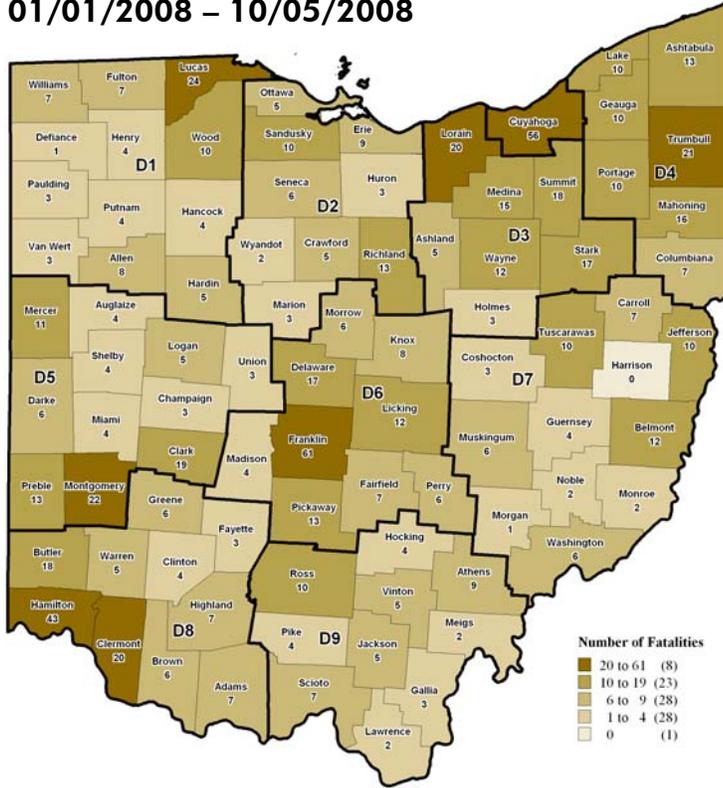
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STATEWIDE REPORTED TRAFFIC FATALITIES 01/01/2008 – 10/05/2008



SIGNIFICANT HIGHWAY PATROL APPREHENSIONS

09/22/2008 – 10/05/2008

OFFICER	DESCRIPTION
Trooper Wheeland	Trooper Wheeland received a stolen vehicle report on a black 1997 Chevrolet Monte Carlo that was reported stolen out of Celina, OH. While on stationary patrol on US33, the suspect vehicle passed the officer and a traffic stop was initiated. The driver had a suspended license and two misdemeanor warrants. The suspect was recently released from the Florida State prison system (one month prior) after serving time for Grand Theft, Fleeing/Eluding, and Attempted Burglary.
Trooper Wenger	
Trooper Wilson	Trooper Wilson stopped a 1991 Acura Legend for a moving violation during a saturation operation in Delaware Co. During questioning, the driver stated that he had passed "like 15 Troopers" and "was freaked out" and failed to slow down and merge properly into traffic. Numerous criminal indicators and a positive alert by K9 Kwinn led to a PC search of the vehicle. Troopers uncovered a large green duffel bag in the trunk of the car that contained 20-(1) gallon-sized bags of suspected marijuana. A LEADS check found that the driver had two prior drug arrests (one felony and one misdemeanor). The driver and passenger were charged with felony possession and trafficking.
Trooper McClaine	
K9 Kwinn	

OFFICER ACTIVITY	2-WEEKS 09/22/2008- 10/05/2008	YTD 01/01/2008- 10/05/2008
Total	55,536	1,110,088
Enforcement	20,862	450,984
Non-Enforcement	34,674	659,104
Crash	2,135	48,836
Case	369	8,027
OVI	940	19,770
Aggressive	4,754	99,561
20+ Speed	2,814	58,694
Safety Belt	4,488	98,827
Commercial	2,976	49,993
Assist	11,633	273,888
Warning	17,403	353,056
Metro	1,069	21,634
Felony Arrest	64	1,198
Felony Warrant	70	763
Misd Warrant	125	2,827
Misd Summons	201	4,196



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STATEWIDE REPORTED ACTIVITY BY OSHP DISTRICT 01/01/2008 – 10/05/2008

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DIST	ENF	NE	CRA	OVI	AGG	20+	SBA	COM	AST	WARN
D1	39,638	62,787	3,872	2,215	8,121	3,747	8,115	6,473	22,699	37,967
D2	34,385	67,248	4,253	1,487	6,421	3,393	8,257	3,815	20,751	34,835
D3	45,653	65,037	6,812	2,202	11,450	6,900	12,671	3,094	24,386	34,999
D4	38,723	65,829	6,390	2,164	8,938	3,660	10,720	4,021	27,135	33,253
D5	43,135	58,847	3,330	1,933	10,763	6,082	10,744	6,904	24,573	32,505
D6	63,458	87,937	5,635	2,571	13,182	7,123	15,050	6,674	38,768	43,679
D7	37,048	62,512	5,384	1,664	5,961	3,600	6,767	5,023	29,027	31,214
D8	73,130	75,018	6,132	3,188	16,000	10,311	14,706	6,527	29,708	42,570
D9	38,330	58,244	5,179	2,143	7,412	3,477	9,385	3,306	24,817	33,945
D10	37,484	55,645	1,849	203	11,313	10,401	2,412	4,156	32,024	28,089
TOTAL	450,984	659,104	48,836	19,770	99,561	58,694	98,827	49,993	273,888	353,056

CRIMINAL ARRESTS

DIST	CASE	75ARR	75WAR	76WAR	76SUM	75SVR	DRUG	WEAP	IDENT	RESIST
D1	705	78	49	247	420	26	349	19	11	48
D2	685	79	47	284	406	17	314	15	13	33
D3	811	148	84	305	609	51	609	21	20	70
D4	651	98	49	195	398	47	350	18	8	30
D5	532	82	46	261	357	42	375	18	8	60
D6	1,555	196	172	470	586	84	645	25	19	52
D7	620	86	52	175	333	22	305	9	7	55
D8	731	131	95	412	519	61	441	19	16	58
D9	1,032	265	148	428	474	48	691	38	17	69
D10	705	35	21	50	94	30	82	10	4	9
TOTAL	8,027	1,198	763	2,827	4,196	428	4,161	192	123	484

- CAD data is preliminary as of 10/06/2008.
- D6 includes unknown and GHQ totals.
- Traffic Safety data is from CAD dispositions.
- All Traffic Safety data and Criminal Arrest data for CASE, 75ARR, 75WAR, 76WAR, and 76SUM are from CAD dispositions. Data for 75SVR is from CAD dispositions (as of 04/01/2008) and from RIMS 410 cases. Data for DRUG, WEAP, IDENT, and RESIST are from CAD ORC entries.
- Identity theft ORCs (IDENT) were limited to 2913.31 (Forgery), 2921.13 (Falsification), and 2913.40 (Identify Fraud).



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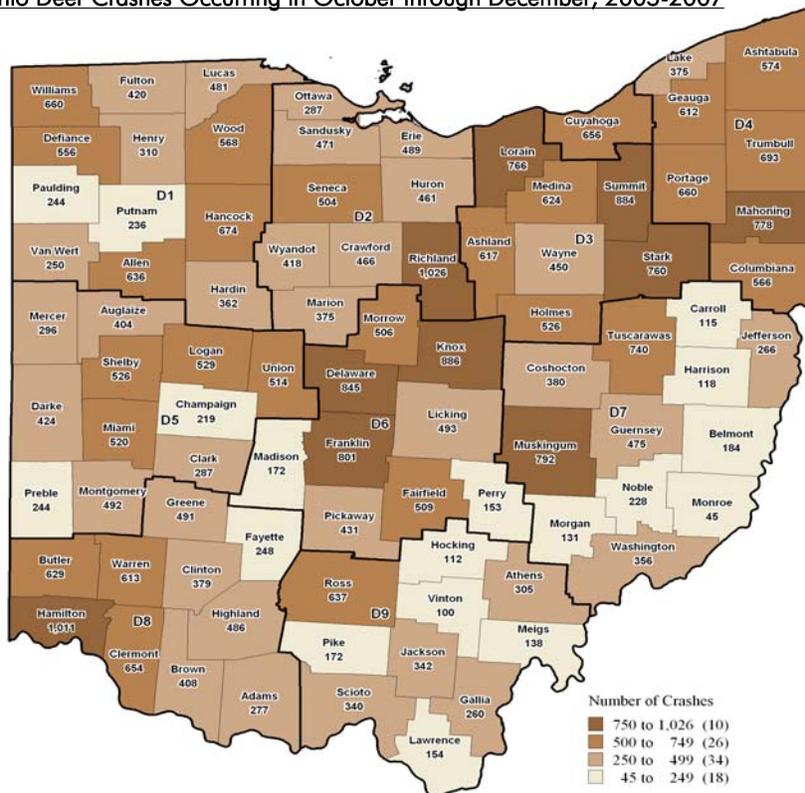


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DEER CRASHES

Ohio Deer Crashes Occurring in October through December, 2005-2007



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OSHP District	Deer Crashes
District 1	5,268
District 2	4,401
District 3	4,517
District 4	4,120
District 5	4,455
District 6	4,796
District 7	3,830
District 8	5,196
District 9	2,560
District 10	473
CUY	656
TOTAL	40,272

2005-2007 Ohio Deer Crash Statistics:

- From 2005 to 2007, 81,910 motor vehicle crashes with deer occurred on Ohio roadways, an average of 27,303 deer crashes per year. Nearly half (49%) of deer crashes occurred during October, November, and December.
- November has the highest frequency of deer crashes of any month – more than one five (18,382 / 22%).
- The majority of deer crashes (71%) from 2005 to 2007 took place at night time (dark lighting conditions). An additional nine percent (9%) took place at dawn or dusk.
- Ohio counties having the highest number of deer crashes from 2005 to 2007 include Richland (1,026), Hamilton (1,011), Knox (886), Summit (884), and Delaware (845). At the OSHP District level, District 1 (5,268) and District 8 (5,196) had the most deer crashes. See map and table above.
- Although fatal crashes involving deer are rare, they do occur. Motorcyclists are especially at risk in the event of a deer crash: 71% of the 31 fatalities resulting from deer crashes from 2005 to 2007 were motorcyclists.
- OSHP Patrol Car/Deer Crashes:** OSHP collects data on all crashes involving its patrol cars. The number of deer crashes and related repair costs appear to be increasing in recent years:
 - There were 275 patrol car/deer crashes from 2005 to 2007, an average of 92 per year.
 - There were 104 patrol car/deer crashes in 2007 alone - a 33% increase compared to 2005 (78 crashes).
 - From 2005 to 2007, patrol car/deer crashes cost OSHP an estimated \$505,101.15 – an average of \$168,367.05 per year.
 - From 2005 to 2007, the total estimated repair cost resulting from patrol car/deer crashes increased by 55%.
 - The average estimated repair cost per patrol car/deer crash from 2005 to 2007 was \$1,665.69.