

## WebCrash v2.3 Reports

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#### Data Restrictions

Please note:-

All crash data for Queensland for 2009 to 2011 has not been finalised. This is due to the time it takes for Police to complete crash investigations, finalise reports, and collect additional information from other sources such as the coroner, pathologist and government medical laboratory. The Department of Transport and Main Roads (DTMR) is reporting all severity crash data to 30 September 2009. Fatal crash data is finalised for 2009 and DTMR is reporting preliminary fatal crash data to February 2011.

The implementation of new systems in 2006 has affected figures during July 2006 to June 2007. In particular, the following should be noted for crashes occurring between July 2006 and June 2007:

1. The number of all crashes reported during July 2006 to March 2007 is below expected,
2. A greater proportion of minor injury casualties and fewer hospitalised casualties reported,
3. Increase in unknown licence types,
4. Increase in unknown restraints use,
5. Increase in unknown helmet use for motorcyclist casualties,
6. Increase in unknown helmet use for bicyclist casualties,

This means that there has been a change in the data series affecting casualty and crash severity. As a result, non-fatal casualty and crash severity cannot be compared. This affects calculations for hospitalised per 100,000 population, severity distribution analysis, and any frequency comparisons involving data from July 2006 to June 2007.

Alcohol test results can take up to 12 months to finalise. Please note that Alcohol figures for fatal crashes have been finalised to February 2011. As a result, alcohol figures for 2011 may be under reported.

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#### Road Crash Data Inclusion Requirements

Please also note that the information held in the RoadCrash database relating to crashes occurring within the last 12 months are considered preliminary as investigations into crashes can take up to 12 months to finalise. Please further note that to qualify as valid, crashes must meet the following criteria:

1. The crash occurred on a public road, and
2. A person was killed or injured, or
3. At least one vehicle was towed away, or
4. The value of property damage was:
  - (a) \$2500 damage to property other than vehicles (after 1 December 1999)
  - (b) \$2500 damage to vehicle and property (after 1 December 1991 and prior to 1 December 1999)
  - (c) \$1000 damage to property (prior to 1 December 1991)

Note: crashes resulting from medical conditions or deliberate acts are excluded.

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# Count of Casualties by Casualty Age Group and Casualty Severity

## Report Constraints

### Geographic Constraints

All of Queensland

and

### Date and Time Constraints

Repeating time ranges: 01Jan-31Dec, 2009-2009

and

**Other Constraint Category:** Contributing Circumstances**Other Constraint:** Crash Circ. Group

Age (Lack Of Perception)

## Report Notes

- Each person injured will be categorised into one of four severity categories; Fatality, Hospitalised, Medically Treated or Minor Injury. The most severe injury will determine the maximum severity of the crash.

Count of Casualties by Casualty Age Group and Casualty Severity

Casualty Severity	17-20	21-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80 and over	Unknown	Total
Fatality	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	7
Hospitalised	1	0	0	3	1	1	2	15	23	0	46
Medically treated	1	2	2	1	2	3	4	10	13	1	39
Minor injury	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	7
Totals	2	4	2	6	3	5	7	27	41	2	99

