

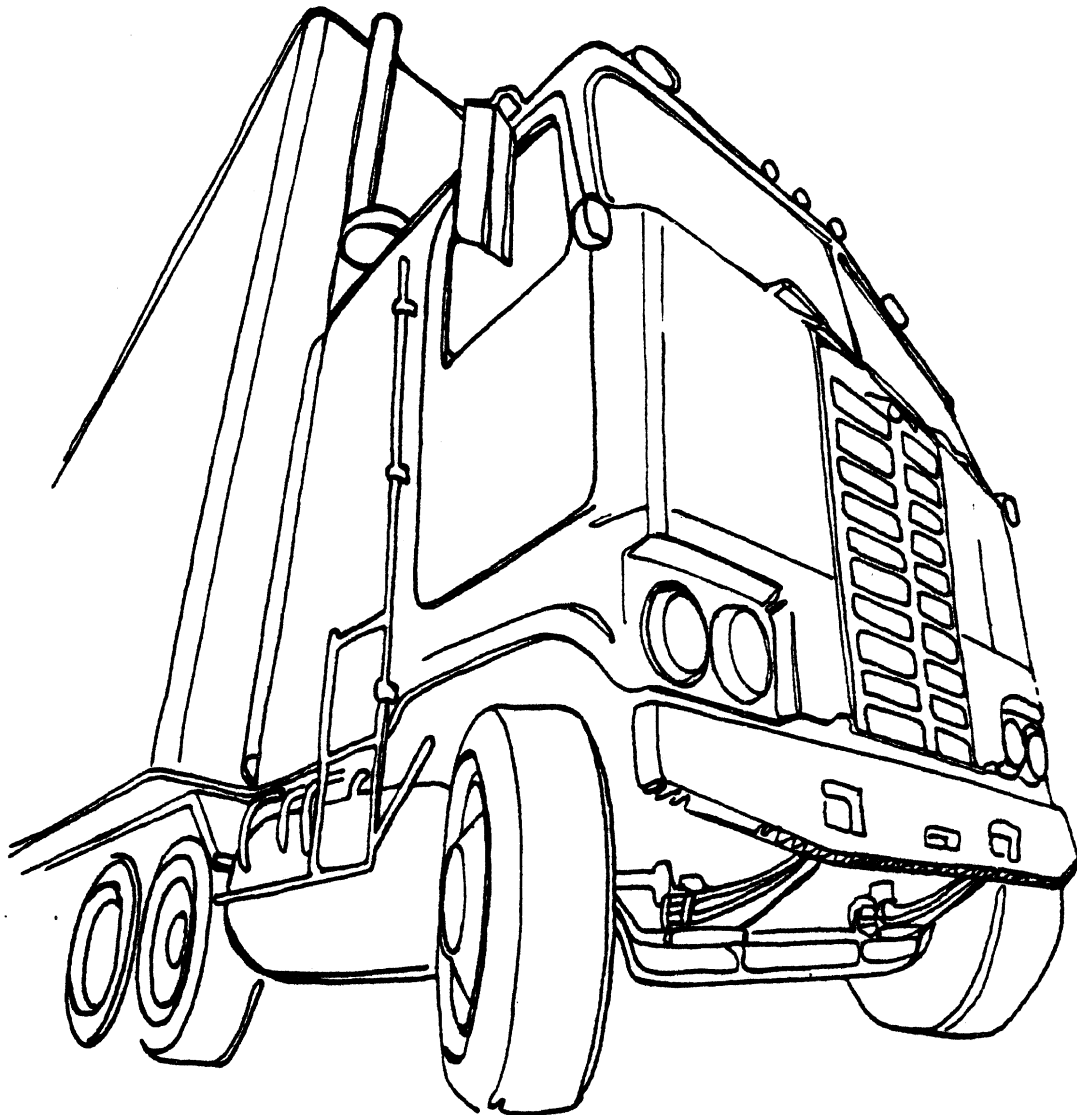
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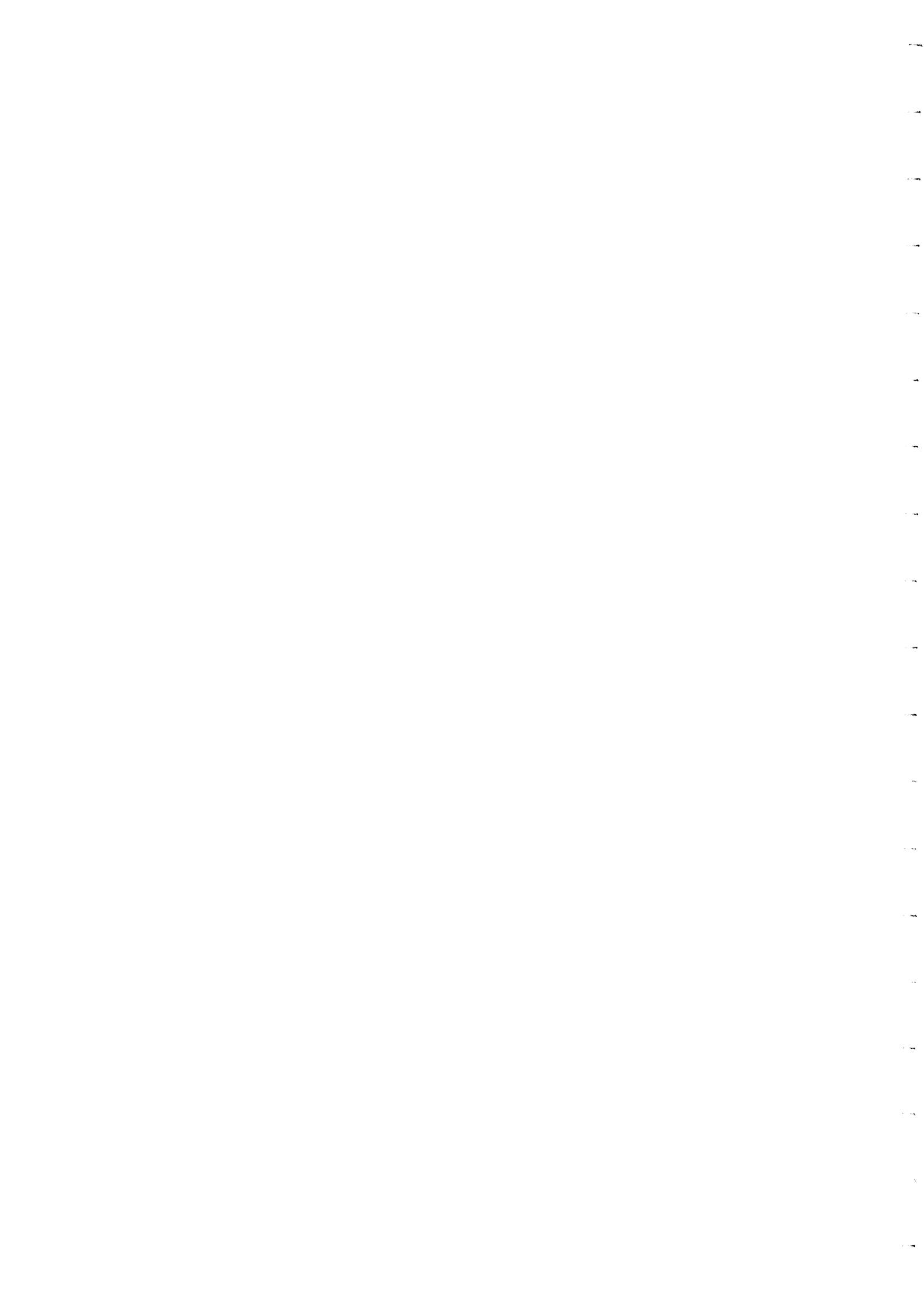


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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The UMTRI dataset of Trucks Involved in Fatal Accidents, 1982, provides detailed descriptions of all medium and heavy trucks involved in a fatal accident in the continental United States, excluding Alaska, during 1982. In particular, it gives information on the vehicle and cargo that is not contained in the computerized data from the Fatal Accident Reporting System (FARS). The UMTRI file is a combination of telephone surveys, mail surveys, Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety (BMCS) accident reports matched with FARS cases, and supplementary data coded from police accident reports.

Special attention was devoted to checking the FARS Body Type. In a large number of cases the FARS category was not confirmed. Thus, of the vehicles identified by FARS as medium or heavy trucks, 12.3 percent were incorrectly identified. Of these, 2.5 percent were determined to be either light trucks or inappropriate vehicles for FARS, and 9.7 percent were misclassified medium or heavy trucks. For example, of the 3261 FARS combination vehicles with a single trailer, 22 were not medium or heavy trucks, while a further 172 were determined to be some other type of medium or heavy truck. Another 217 vehicles, listed by FARS as some other kind of truck, were found to be combination vehicles with a single trailer. Finally, another 159 vehicles, identified by FARS as being light trucks, were found to be medium or heavy trucks.

Overall the UMTRI survey found that the power unit was a straight truck in 1265 cases, or 26.8 percent, of the 4718 medium and heavy trucks involved in fatal accidents in 1982, and that 3434 power units, or 72.8 percent, were tractors. A determination could not be made for 19 trucks or 0.4 percent. The straight trucks were further divided into 1259 trucks with no trailer (26.7 percent of all the medium and heavy trucks), 86 (1.8 percent) with a full trailer, 75 (1.6 percent) with some other kind of trailer, and 23 (0.5 percent) with other or unknown configurations. The tractors were divided into 134 (2.8 percent of the total) bobtails, 3140 (66.6 percent) tractors with a semi-trailer, 130 (2.8 percent) with a semi- and a full trailer, 17 (0.4 percent) with a single, non-semi-trailer, and 16 (0.3 percent) other or unknown.

The type of company operating the vehicle was also ascertained: 3280, or 69.5 percent, of the involved medium and heavy trucks were found to be operated by interstate carriers, and 1107 trucks, or 23.5 percent, by intrastate-only carriers. The rest, 331, or 7.0 percent, were either owned by some government entity, were used for daily rental, or were of unknown ownership. For-hire carriers accounted for 2416, or 51.2 percent, of the involved vehicles, private carriers for 2024, or 42.9 percent. ICC authorized carriers were operating 1814 or 38.4 percent of the involved vehicles.





## INTRODUCTION

### Overview

This report documents the November 9, 1984, version of the Trucks Involved in Fatal Accidents, 1982, dataset. The report summarizes all the information in the computerized data file. This file describes all medium and heavy trucks that were involved in a fatal accident in the continental United States, excluding Alaska, during calendar year 1982. All pickups and trucks with a gross vehicle weight rating of ten thousand pounds or less are excluded. All the vehicles described are from the "Jun2283" version of the Fatal Accident Reporting System (FARS) file for 1982 accidents, developed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).

The dataset includes virtually all the variables from the public version of the FARS file--the accident variables, the vehicle variables (for the truck), and the occupant variables (for the driver of the truck). A few cases had no occupant record because the vehicle was not occupied at the time of the accident. These cases have been padded with the appropriate missing data codes. All variables are at the vehicle level; i.e., there is one record for each truck involved.

In addition to the variables from FARS (variables 1 through 326), there is a set of variables (numbers 1001 through 1097) that provide the more detailed description of the vehicle and its cargo that is supplied to the Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety (BMCS) by interstate carriers of goods. Such carriers are required to report to BMCS all accidents resulting in a fatality, in injury that requires treatment away from the scene, or in property damage of \$2000 or more. Form MCS 50-T, the form filled out for cargo-carrying vehicles, requests a comparatively detailed description of the vehicle and its cargo.

This contrasts with the more limited information on trucks that is supplied by FARS: make, model year, and "Body Type." This last divides medium and heavy trucks into straight trucks (with three weight categories and an unknown weight category), tractors and various kinds of unknown-type trucks. Another variable "Vehicle Trailering" indicates whether the truck was pulling any trailers, and, if so, whether it was pulling a single trailer or two or more trailers. However, these distinctions are not always accurate. It was therefore decided, for the purposes of this study, to obtain the detail of the BMCS information for all medium and heavy trucks involved in fatal accidents, not just those operated by interstate motor carriers and reported to BMCS.

This dataset is substantially similar in detail and coverage to the Trucks Involved in Fatal Accidents, 1981, file. There has, however, been some refinement of the variables and code values, and many variable numbers have changed.

Sources of Information

The first step in the acquisition of the data to supplement FARS was obtaining from the states copies of the police reports on all the fatal accidents involving at least one truck. While the format of these reports varies considerably from state to state, they all include the identities of the owner and the driver of the vehicles involved, and a description, sometimes very brief, of what occurred. A few states deleted the driver's name from the copy of the report sent to us, and even fewer also deleted the owner's name. These police reports were subsequently used in matching BMCS cases to FARS cases, in identifying the appropriate respondent to contact when a match could not be made, and in checking responses for accuracy.

The preferred source of information to supplement FARS was a BMCS report for the involved vehicle. The 1982 BMCS fatal cases were obtained by UMTRI in hard-copy form. They were then coded, keypunched, and built into a computerized file. Use of these reports was clearly less costly than any form of independent data collection. To match the BMCS fatal cases with the corresponding case in FARS, a two-stage procedure was used. First a computerized algorithm was used to match the cases; then an attempt was made to match the remaining cases by hand on a state-by-state basis. The computerized algorithm was itself divided into six steps. Each step used three or four variables to make the match and a further four variables to check the match. If any one of the four check variables failed, then the match was rejected (although the same match might be successful on a subsequent pass). The information on the cases that failed on the check variables was retained and the potential match was later reviewed at the hand-matching stage.

There were 2025 BMCS cases for fatal accidents. Each of these could in theory be matched with one of the 4877 FARS cases in the original subset.<sup>1</sup> The results of the matching procedures are shown in the table below. Overall over 82 percent of the BMCS fatal subset were matched, but this meant completion of only 34 percent of the FARS cases.

COMPUTER AND HAND MATCHES BETWEEN 1982 FARS AND BMCS

Data Source	No. of Cases in Subset	Computer Matched		Hand Matched		Total Matched	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
FARS	4877	1158	23.7	517	10.6	1675	34.3
BMCS	2025	1158	57.2	517	25.5	1675	82.7

<sup>1</sup>The final dataset has 4718 cases, because 159 were deleted as "non-sample."

A system of data collection was set up to handle the remaining 66 percent of the FARS cases. Information was collected primarily by telephone interview. If a telephone interview proved impossible, then a mail survey was sent. Mail surveys were also sent out when requested by the interviewee. The person or company contacted was, where possible, the owner of the vehicle as listed in the police report. If no contact could be made with the owner, then an attempt was made to reach the driver. If neither the owner nor the driver could be reached, as much information as possible was collected from other parties, such as the police officer investigating the accident or the tow truck operator if the vehicle was towed from the scene. Finally, if no knowledgeable respondent could be found, as much information as possible was coded from the police report. A few states blanked out all names and addresses on the police reports. Here, no owner or driver could be identified, and all information is derived from the police reports. Variable 1085 documents the source of the information supplementing FARS, while variable 1084 shows whether an interview was made or not, and, if made, whether it was completed.

Interviews were completed for 2720 of the 3202 FARS cases not matched with BMCS, or 84.9 percent. Another 159 cases or 5.0 percent were determined to be "non-sample." Survey forms were mailed out for 323 or 10.1 percent of the unmatched cases, and completed forms were returned for 270 cases or 8.4 percent, resulting in a 83.6 percent response rate for the mailed forms. The remaining 53 cases or 1.7 percent were coded from the police accident report.

The combination of telephone interviews, mailings, and coding from police accident reports produced a completion rate of 95.4 percent (3025 cases) for the survey cases. Only 19 cases or 0.6 percent ended in refusal, and the remaining 158 cases or 4.9 percent were cases where we were unable to locate the owner, the driver, or some other informant. Even for these, unless no police report was available, some information was coded. Including the cases matched with BMCS yields an overall completion rate of 96.4 percent.

#### Number of Cases

The Jun2283 version of the 1982 FARS file has 4559 vehicles (excluding firetrucks) involved in fatal accidents in the continental United States, excluding Alaska, with a Body Type code of 70 through 78, i.e. a medium or heavy truck. A new VIN-decoding program, VINA, was used by FARS for the first time on the 1981 data. This program returns a number of codes for trucks, including series and weight class. (These return codes are contained in variables 145 through 147 of this dataset.) The weight class code enabled UMTRI to select all the trucks designated by FARS as light which appeared from their VINs to be medium or heavy. Thus any vehicle with FARS Body Type of 40 and 41, 48 through 51, 53 through 69 or 99 that was also returned by the VINA program as having a weight class (variable 146) of 3 through 8, i.e. greater than 10,000 pounds, (unless FARS listed it as a firetruck) was also included. This resulted in the selection of an additional 318 vehicles. However, some of the selected vehicles were subsequently found to have been light

rather than medium or heavy trucks. In particular, a significant number of vehicles coded by FARS as straight trucks with a GVW less than 19,500 pounds (Body Type 70) turned out to be pickups and other light trucks. These were designated "non-sample vehicles." Also designated non-sample were those vehicles that did not conform to the prerequisites for inclusion in FARS. These were vehicles parked off the roadway (e.g., on the shoulder) or properly parked at the side of the road. In total, 159 vehicles, mostly light trucks, were deleted from the file as non-sample vehicles. This left a total of 4718 valid cases. Each distribution in this report sums to these 4718 cases.<sup>2</sup>

### Modifications to the Data

Cases where the data, as received from BMCS, contained "wild" or inconsistent codes have been reviewed and corrected. In addition one variable in the version of the 1982 BMCS file built by UMTRI has been subjected to special review for accuracy and consistency with other data elements. This is the Vehicle Combination Code (variable 1063 here, variable 41 in the stand-alone BMCS file). All cases where the BMCS file reports two or more trailers being pulled were confirmed either by a review of the police report or by telephone contact with the owner. Similarly, all cases where the BMCS file showed fewer trailers than reported by FARS were checked by the same methods. The file documented here contains the corrected combination code. Other variables have been corrected to conform to the new combination code when changes were made.

All other modifications to the responses received are indicated in variables 1088 through 1097. Also indicated there are deductions made by the editors to fill in missing data elements. The numbers coded in these variables are the question numbers on the interview form (see Appendix). Thus a "23" in variable 1090 indicates that the third item corrected or derived for that particular case was the response to question 23 on the interview form. There is no particular pattern to the order in which such modifications are indicated. "Derivations" were made when the editor was able to deduce a piece of information to fill in something missing on the interview form. For example, a cargo weight might have been estimated for a tanker trailer known to be carrying 8000 gallons of gasoline.

### Obtaining Information from the Dataset

This report provides counts and distributions of the code values for each variable in the file. These tabulations are useful for understanding the variables available in the file, the completeness of the data, and the number of cases with any specific code value.

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<sup>2</sup>Variables 43, 137, and 223 are multiple response variables. For these variables, the tabulated frequencies sum to 4718 times the number of responses indicated for the variable.

However, many research questions require more detailed cross-classification of the data. In general, different types of trucks are used differently. In comparing the accident experience of straight trucks with that of tractor-semitrailers, for example, one might wish to examine the distributions of trip type and carrier type. While this dataset is not accessible by public users of the Michigan Terminal System, the staff of the Systems Analysis Division of UMTRI will be pleased to make the appropriate runs for outside users. Requests for consultation on and analysis of the data are welcomed and may be addressed to Ken Campbell or Oliver Carsten at (313) 764-0248. Finally, while every effort has been made to check the accuracy of the data, the file may contain errors as yet undetected.



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FARS ACCIDENT VARIABLES

Variable Number	Variable Name	Field Width	Character Type	Mult Resp	Page Number
1	CASE STATE	2	Numeric		1
2	CASE NUMBER	4	Numeric		2
5	CITY	4	Numeric		2
6	COUNTY	3	Numeric		2
7	ACCIDENT DATE - MONTH	2	Numeric		3
8	ACCIDENT DATE - DAY	2	Numeric		3
9	ACCIDENT DATE - YEAR	2	Numeric		3
10	ACCIDENT TIME - HOUR	2	Numeric		3
11	ACCIDENT TIME - MINUTE	2	Numeric		4
12	NO OF VEHICLE FORMS	2	Numeric		4
13	NO OF PERSON FORMS	2	Numeric		5
14	LAND USE	1	Numeric		5
15	ROADWAY FUNCTION CLASS	1	Numeric		5
16	FEDERAL AID SYSTEM	1	Numeric		5
17	CLASS TRAFFICWAY	1	Numeric		6
18	TRAFFICWAY IDENTIFIER	10	Alpha		6
19	MILEPOINT	5	Numeric		6
20	SPECIAL JURISDICTION	1	Numeric		6
21	FIRST HARMFUL EVENT	2	Numeric		7
22	MANNER OF COLLISION	1	Numeric		8
23	RELATION TO JUNCTION	1	Numeric		8
24	RELATION TO ROADWAY	1	Numeric		9
25	TRAFFICWAY FLOW	1	Numeric		9
26	NO OF TRAVEL LANES	1	Numeric		9
27	SPEED LIMIT	2	Numeric		10





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FARS ACCIDENT VARIABLES

<u>Variable Number</u>	<u>Variable Name</u>	<u>Field Width</u>	<u>Character Type</u>	<u>Mult Resp</u>	<u>Page Number</u>
28	ROADWAY ALIGNMENT	1	Numeric		10
29	ROADWAY PROFILE	1	Numeric		10
30	ROADWAY SURFACE TYPE	1	Numeric		11
31	ROADWAY SURFACE CONDITION	1	Numeric		11
32	TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE	2	Numeric		11
33	TRAFFIC CONT FUNCTIONING	1	Numeric		13
34	HIT AND RUN	1	Numeric		13
35	LIGHT CONDITION	1	Numeric		13
36	ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS	1	Numeric		13
37	CONSTRUCTION/MAINT ZONE	1	Numeric		14
38	EMS NOTIFIED - HOUR	2	Numeric		14
39	EMS NOTIFIED - MINUTE	2	Numeric		14
40	EMS ARRIVAL - HOUR	2	Numeric		14
41	EMS ARRIVAL - MINUTE	2	Numeric		15
42	SCHOOL BUS RELATED	1	Numeric		15
43	ACCIDENT RELATED FACTORS	2	Numeric	3	15
44	RAIL GRADE CROSSING ID	7	Alpha		16
45	NO OF FATALITIES IN ACC	2	Numeric		16
46	DAY OF WEEK	1	Numeric		16
47	NO OF DRINKING DRIVERS	1	Numeric		17



TRUCKS INVOLVED IN FATAL ACCIDENTS, 1982  
FARS VEHICLE VARIABLES

<u>Variable Number</u>	<u>Variable Name</u>	<u>Field Width</u>	<u>Character Type</u>	<u>Mult Resp</u>	<u>Page Number</u>
104	VEHICLE NUMBER	2	Numeric		19
106	VEHICLE MAKE	2	Numeric		19
107	VEHICLE MAKE-MODEL	4	Numeric		20
108	BODY TYPE	2	Numeric		22
109	MODEL YEAR	2	Numeric		23
110	VIN	10	Alpha		23
121	REGISTRATION STATE	2	Numeric		24
122	ROLLOVER	1	Numeric		25
123	JACKKNIFE	1	Numeric		25
124	TRAVEL SPEED	2	Numeric		26
125	HAZARDOUS CARGO	1	Numeric		26
126	VEHICLE TRAILERING	1	Numeric		26
127	SPECIAL USE	1	Numeric		26
128	EMERGENCY USE	1	Numeric		27
129	IMPACT POINT - INITIAL	2	Numeric		27
130	IMPACT POINT - PRINCIPAL	2	Numeric		28
131	EXTENT OF DEFORMATION	1	Numeric		28
132	VEHICLE ROLE	1	Numeric		28
133	MANNER OF LEAVING SCENE	1	Numeric		29
134	FIRE OCCURRENCE	1	Numeric		29
135	NO OF OCCUPANTS	2	Numeric		29
136	NO OF DEATHS IN VEH	2	Numeric		29
137	VEHICLE RELATED FACTORS	2	Numeric	2	30
138	VEHICLE MANEUVER	2	Numeric		30
139	MOST HARMFUL EVENT	2	Numeric		31



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FARS VEHICLE VARIABLES

Variable Number	Variable Name	Field Width	Character Type	Mult Resp	Page Number
145	VIN TRUCK FUEL CODE	1	Numeric		32
146	VIN TRUCK WEIGHT CODE	1	Numeric		32
147	VIN TRUCK SERIES	3	Alpha		33
149	LENGTH OF VIN	2	Numeric		33
150	NO OF UNINJURED IN VEH	2	Numeric		33
151	NO OF C-INJURED IN VEH	2	Numeric		34
152	NO OF B-INJURED IN VEH	2	Numeric		34
153	NO OF A-INJURED IN VEH	2	Numeric		34
154	NO OF K-INJURED IN VEH	2	Numeric		34
155	NO OF UNK INJURED IN VEH	2	Numeric		35
206	DRIVER PRESENCE	1	Numeric		36
207	DRIVER DRINKING	1	Numeric		36
208	LICENSE STATE	2	Numeric		36
209	LICENSE CLASS COMPLIANCE	1	Numeric		37
210	LICENSE STATUS	1	Numeric		38
211	LICENSE RESTRICTIONS MET	1	Numeric		38
212	DRIVER TRAINING	1	Numeric		38
213	VIOLATIONS CHARGED	1	Numeric		39
214	NO OF PREV ACCIDENTS	2	Numeric		39
215	NO OF PREV SUSPENSIONS	2	Numeric		39
216	NO OF PREV DWI CONVICTNS	2	Numeric		40
217	NO OF PREV SPEEDING CONV	2	Numeric		40
218	NO OF PREV OTHER MV CONV	2	Numeric		40
219	LAST ACC/SUSPNSN - MONTH	2	Numeric		41
220	LAST ACC/SUSPNSN - YEAR	2	Numeric		41



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FARS VEHICLE VARIABLES

<u>Variable Number</u>	<u>Variable Name</u>	<u>Field Width</u>	<u>Character Type</u>	<u>Mult Resp</u>	<u>Page Number</u>
221	1ST ACC/SUSPENSN - MONTH	2	Numeric		42
222	1ST ACC/SUSPENSN - YEAR	2	Numeric		42
223	DRIVER RELATED FACTORS	2	Numeric	3	42





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FARS PERSON VARIABLES

Variable Number	Variable Name	Field Width	Character Type	Mult Resp	Page Number
305	PERSON NUMBER	2	Numeric		47
307	PERSON AGE	2	Numeric		47
308	PERSON SEX	1	Numeric		47
309	PERSON TYPE	1	Numeric		48
310	SEATING POSITION	2	Numeric		48
311	MANUAL RESTRAINT SYS	1	Numeric		48
312	AUTOMATIC RESTRAINT SYS	1	Numeric		48
314	EJECTION	1	Numeric		49
315	EXTRICATION	1	Numeric		49
316	ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT	1	Numeric		49
317	ALCOHOL TEST RESULT	2	Numeric		49
318	INJURY SEVERITY	1	Numeric		50
319	TAKEN TO HOSPITAL	1	Numeric		50
320	DEATH DATE - MONTH	2	Numeric		50
321	DEATH DATE - DAY	2	Numeric		51
322	DEATH DATE - YEAR	2	Numeric		51
323	DEATH TIME - HOURS	2	Numeric		51
324	DEATH TIME - MINUTES	2	Numeric		52
325	LAG TIME ACC/DEATH - HRS	3	Numeric		52
326	LAG TIME ACC/DEATH - MIN	2	Numeric		52



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BMCS and SURVEY VARIABLES

<u>Variable Number</u>	<u>Variable Name</u>	<u>Field Width</u>	<u>Character Type</u>	<u>Mult Resp</u>	<u>Page Number</u>
1001	BMCS ID	5	Numeric		53
1002	STATE OF CARRIER	2	Numeric		53
1003	AREA OF OPERATION	1	Numeric		54
1004	OPERATING AUTHORITY	1	Numeric		55
1005	CARRIER TYPE	1	Numeric		55
1006	OWNER OPERATOR	1	Numeric		55
1007	TRIP TYPE	1	Numeric		56
1009	DISTRICT TYPE	1	Numeric		56
1010	MONTH	2	Numeric		56
1011	DAY	2	Numeric		57
1012	HOUR	2	Numeric		57
1013	MINUTE	2	Numeric		58
1014	ACCIDENT TYPE	1	Numeric		58
1015	OTHER OBJECT INVOLVED	2	Numeric		58
1016	VEHICLE #1 ACTION	2	Numeric		59
1017	VEHICLE #2 ACTION	2	Numeric		59
1018	VEHICLE #3 ACTION	2	Numeric		60
1019	PRIMARY EVENT	1	Numeric		61
1020	ASSOC. ACCIDENT EVENT	1	Numeric		61
1021	DRIVER AGE	2	Numeric		61
1022	YEARS DRIVER EMPLOYED	2	Numeric		63
1023	HOURS DRIVING	2	Numeric		64
1024	SCHEDULED HOURS	2	Numeric		64
1025	DRIVER CONDITION	1	Numeric		65
1026	POWER UNIT TYPE	1	Numeric		65



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BMCS and SURVEY VARIABLES

Variable Number	Variable Name	Field Width	Character Type	Mult Resp	Page Number
1027	STRT. TRUCK BODY STYLE	1	Numeric		65
1028	CAB STYLE	1	Numeric		66
1029	POWER UNIT YEAR	2	Numeric		66
1030	POWER UNIT NO. OF AXLES	1	Numeric		67
1031	POWER UNIT MAKE	2	Numeric		67
1032	POWER UNIT LENGTH	3	Numeric		68
1033	STRAIGHT TRUCK CARGO	2	Numeric		68
1034	STRT. TRUCK HAZ. CARGO	1	Numeric		69
1035	STRT. TRUCK CARGO WEIGHT	6	Numeric		69
1036	POWER UNIT EMPTY WEIGHT	6	Numeric		70
1037	1ST TRAILER TYPE	1	Numeric		70
1038	1ST TRAILER YEAR	2	Numeric		70
1039	1ST TRAILER NO. OF AXLES	2	Numeric		71
1040	1ST TRAILER BODY	1	Numeric		71
1041	1ST TRAILER CARGO	2	Numeric		72
1042	1ST TRAILER HAZ. CARGO	1	Numeric		72
1043	1ST TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT	6	Numeric		73
1044	1ST TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT	6	Numeric		73
1045	1ST TRAILER LENGTH	3	Numeric		73
1046	2ND TRAILER TYPE	1	Numeric		75
1047	2ND TRAILER YEAR	2	Numeric		75
1048	2ND TRAILER NO. OF AXLES	2	Numeric		76
1049	2ND TRAILER BODY	1	Numeric		76
1050	2ND TRAILER CARGO	2	Numeric		76
1051	2ND TRAILER HAZ. CARGO	1	Numeric		77



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BMCS and SURVEY VARIABLES

Variable Number	Variable Name	Field Width	Character Type	Mult Resp	Page Number
1052	2ND TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT	6	Numeric		77
1053	2ND TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT	6	Numeric		78
1054	2ND TRAILER LENGTH	3	Numeric		78
1055	3RD TRAILER TYPE	1	Numeric		79
1056	3RD TRAILER NO. OF AXLES	2	Numeric		79
1057	3RD TRAILER BODY	1	Numeric		79
1058	3RD TRAILER CARGO	2	Numeric		80
1059	3RD TRAILER HAZ. CARGO	1	Numeric		80
1060	3RD TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT	6	Numeric		81
1061	3RD TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT	6	Numeric		81
1062	3RD TRAILER LENGTH	3	Numeric		81
1063	VEHICLE COMBINATION CODE	2	Numeric		82
1064	NO. OF TRAILERS	1	Numeric		82
1065	TOTAL LENGTH	3	Numeric		82
1066	TOTAL WIDTH	2	Numeric		83
1067	TOTAL CARGO WEIGHT	6	Numeric		83
1068	GROSS WEIGHT	6	Numeric		83
1069	EMPTY COMBINATION WEIGHT	6	Numeric		84
1070	FUEL TYPE	1	Numeric		84
1071	HAZ. MAT. IN CARGO	1	Numeric		84
1072	DRIVER KILLED	1	Numeric		84
1073	DRIVER INJURED	1	Numeric		85
1074	TOTAL KILLED IN VEHICLE	2	Numeric		85
1075	TOTAL INJURED IN VEHICLE	2	Numeric		85
1076	TOTAL KILLED IN ACCIDENT	2	Numeric		86





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1078	WEATHER	1	Numeric		87
1079	LIGHT CONDITION	1	Numeric		87
1080	ROAD SURFACE CONDITION	1	Numeric		87
1081	NUMBER OF LANES	1	Numeric		88
1082	HIGHWAY TYPE	1	Numeric		88
1083	CARGO (BMCS)	2	Numeric		88
1084	INTERVIEW STATUS	1	Numeric		89
1085	SOURCE OF INFORMATION	1	Numeric		89
1088	1ST QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		90
1089	2ND QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		90
1090	3RD QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		91
1091	4TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		91
1092	5TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		92
1093	6TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		92
1094	7TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		92
1095	8TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		93
1096	9TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		93
1097	10TH QUESTION DERIVED	2	Numeric		93



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Variables 1 through 47 are the FARS variables that describe the accident.

Variable	1	CASE STATE	MD1:	None	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prct	CASE STATE
116	2.5	01. Alabama
0	0.0	02. Alaska
64	1.4	04. Arizona
93	2.0	05. Arkansas
348	7.4	06. California
61	1.3	08. Colorado
54	1.1	09. Connecticut
16	0.3	10. Delaware
0	0.0	11. District of Columbia
238	5.0	12. Florida
150	3.2	13. Georgia
0	0.0	15. Hawaii
31	0.7	16. Idaho
158	3.3	17. Illinois
136	2.9	18. Indiana
74	1.6	19. Iowa
81	1.7	20. Kansas
96	2.0	21. Kentucky
131	2.8	22. Louisiana
15	0.3	23. Maine
88	1.9	24. Maryland
46	1.0	25. Massachusetts
102	2.2	26. Michigan
69	1.5	27. Minnesota
100	2.1	28. Mississippi
109	2.3	29. Missouri
44	0.9	30. Montana
55	1.2	31. Nebraska
18	0.4	32. Nevada
13	0.3	33. New Hampshire
98	2.1	34. New Jersey
62	1.3	35. New Mexico
193	4.1	36. New York
139	2.9	37. North Carolina
20	0.4	38. North Dakota
167	3.5	39. Ohio
172	3.6	40. Oklahoma
42	0.9	41. Oregon
221	4.7	42. Pennsylvania

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1	CASE STATE
0	0.0	43.	Puerto Rico
2	0.0	44.	Rhode Island
74	1.6	45.	South Carolina
20	0.4	46.	South Dakota
129	2.7	47.	Tennessee
527	11.2	48.	Texas
39	0.8	49.	Utah
9	0.2	50.	Vermont
85	1.8	51.	Virginia
58	1.2	53.	Washington
43	0.9	54.	West Virginia
81	1.7	55.	Wisconsin
31	0.7	56.	Wyoming

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Variable	2	<b>CASE NUMBER</b>	MD1: None	Field Width: 4
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	CASE NUMBER ASSIGNED WITHIN STATES
6	0.1	0001. - . Case number
0	0.0	9999.

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Variable	5	<b>CITY</b>	MD1: 9999	Field Width: 4
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	CITY -GSA GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION CODE
3156	66.9	0000. Not applicable
0	0.0	0001. - . GSA code
0	0.0	9996.
48	1.0	9997. Other
1	0.0	9999. Unknown

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Variable	6	<b>COUNTY</b>	MD1: 999	Field Width: 3
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	COUNTY -GSA GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION CODE
87	1.8	001. - . GSA code
0	0.0	996.
0	0.0	997. Other
0	0.0	999. Unknown

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Variable	7	<u>ACCIDENT DATE - MONTH</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt    ACCIDENT DATE - MONTH

357	7.6	01. January
344	7.3	02. February
391	8.3	03. March
382	8.1	04. April
360	7.6	05. May
376	8.0	06. June
433	9.2	07. July
442	9.4	08. August
420	8.9	09. September
434	9.2	10. October
400	8.5	11. November
379	8.0	12. December

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Variable	8	<u>ACCIDENT DATE - DAY</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt    ACCIDENT DATE - DAY

168	3.6	01.
		- . Day of month
66	1.4	31.

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Variable	9	<u>ACCIDENT DATE - YEAR</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt    ACCIDENT DATE - YEAR

4718	100.0	82. 1982
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Variable	10	<u>ACCIDENT TIME - HOUR</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt    ACCIDENT TIME - HOUR

177	3.8	00. 12:01 am - 12:59 am
159	3.4	01. 1:00 am - 1:59 am
179	3.8	02. 2:00 am - 2:59 am
133	2.8	03. 3:00 am - 3:59 am
135	2.9	04. 4:00 am - 4:59 am
156	3.3	05. 5:00 am - 5:59 am
171	3.6	06. 6:00 am - 6:59 am
188	4.0	07. 7:00 am - 7:59 am

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 10	ACCIDENT TIME - HOUR
170	3.6	08.	8:00 am - 8:59 am
238	5.0	09.	9:00 am - 9:59 am
244	5.2	10.	10:00 am - 10:59 am
246	5.2	11.	11:00 am - 11:59 am
250	5.3	12.	12:00 pm - 12:59 pm
266	5.6	13.	1:00 pm - 1:59 pm
290	6.1	14.	2:00 pm - 2:59 pm
291	6.2	15.	3:00 pm - 3:59 pm
232	4.9	16.	4:00 pm - 4:59 pm
222	4.7	17.	5:00 pm - 5:59 pm
198	4.2	18.	6:00 pm - 6:59 pm
151	3.2	19.	7:00 pm - 7:59 pm
142	3.0	20.	8:00 pm - 8:59 pm
157	3.3	21.	9:00 pm - 9:59 pm
161	3.4	22.	10:00 pm - 10:59 pm
147	3.1	23.	11:00 pm - 11:59 pm
8	0.2	24.	12:00 midnight
7	0.1	99.	Unknown

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Variable	11	<b>ACCIDENT TIME - MINUTE</b>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	ACCIDENT TIME - MINUTE
494	10.5	00. - . Minute
12	0.3	59.
229	4.9	99. Unknown

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Variable	12	<b>NO OF VEHICLE FORMS</b>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF VEHICLE FORMS SUBMITTED
1033	21.9	01. 1 form
3104	65.8	02. 2 forms
430	9.1	03. 3 forms
91	1.9	04. 4 forms
32	0.7	05. 5 forms
2	0.0	06. 6 forms
9	0.2	07. 7 forms
3	0.1	09. 9 forms
7	0.1	11. 11 forms
3	0.1	12. 12 forms
4	0.1	16. 16 forms

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Variable 13 NO OF PERSON FORMS MD1: None Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt NO OF PERSON FORMS SUBMITTED

426 9.0 01.  
- . Number submitted  
0 0.0 99.

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Variable 14 LAND USE MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt LAND USE - FHWA CLASSIFICATION

1419 30.1 1. Urban area  
3249 68.9 2. Rural area  
50 1.1 9. Unknown

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Variable 15 ROADWAY FUNCTION CLASS MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt ROADWAY FUNCTION CLASS

957 20.3 1. Principal arterial - interstate  
120 2.5 2. Principal arterial - other urban freeway or  
expressway  
1639 34.7 3. Principal arterial - other  
967 20.5 4. Minor arterial  
90 1.9 5. Urban collector  
540 11.4 6. Major rural collector  
84 1.8 7. Minor rural collector  
261 5.5 8. Local road or street  
60 1.3 9. Unknown

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Variable 16 FEDERAL AID SYSTEM MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt TA-1 CLASS - FHWA CLASSIFICATION

956 20.3 1. Interstate  
2322 49.2 2. Other Federal Aid primary  
493 10.4 3. Federal Aid secondary  
347 7.4 4. Federal Aid urban arterial  
78 1.7 5. Federal Aid urban collector  
54 1.1 6. Non-Federal Aid arterial  
154 3.3 7. Non-Federal Aid collector  
261 5.5 8. Non-Federal Aid local

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FREQ Prcnt Var 16 FEDERAL AID SYSTEM

53 1.1 9. Unknown

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Variable 17 CLASS TRAFFICWAY MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt CLASS TRAFFICWAY

971	20.6	1. Interstate
1343	28.5	2. Other U.S. route
1579	33.5	3. Other state route
362	7.7	4. County road
386	8.2	5. Local street
1	0.0	6.
70	1.5	8. Other
6	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable 18 TRAFFICWAY IDENTIFIER MD1: None Field Width: 10  
MD2: None Type: Alphabetic

FREQ Prcnt TRAFFICWAY IDENTIFIER

999999999. Unknown

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Variable 19 MILEPOINT MD1: 99999 Field Width: 5  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt MILEPOINT

00000. None  
00001.  
- . Actual to nearest .1 mile  
99998.  
99999. Unknown

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Variable 20 SPECIAL JURISDICTION MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt SPECIAL JURISDICTION

4682	99.2	0. No special jurisdiction
4	0.1	1. National Park Service
1	0.0	2. Military
25	0.5	3. Indian reservation



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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 20 SPECIAL JURISDICTION
2	0.0	4. College/university campus
3	0.1	5. Other federal properties
1	0.0	8. Other
0	0.0	9. Unknown

Variable	21	FIRST HARMFUL EVENT	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt FIRST EVENT CAUSING INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE

Non-Collision Event

242	5.1	01. Overturn
2	0.0	02. Fire/explosion
0	0.0	03. Immersion
0	0.0	04. Gas inhalation
25	0.5	05. Fell from vehicle
1	0.0	06. Injured in vehicle
16	0.3	07. Other non-collision

Collision With Object Not Fixed

385	8.2	08. Pedestrian
66	1.4	09. Pedalcycle
29	0.6	10. Railway train
17	0.4	11. Animal
3459	73.3	12. Motor vehicle in transport
44	0.9	13. Motor vehicle in transport in other roadway
52	1.1	14. Parked motor vehicle
1	0.0	15. Other type non-motorist
2	0.0	16. Thrown or falling object
2	0.0	17. Boulder
8	0.2	18. Other object (not fixed)

Collision With Fixed Object

4	0.1	19. Building
2	0.0	20. Impact attenuator/crash cushion
16	0.3	21. Bridge pier or abutment
3	0.1	22. Bridge parapet end
32	0.7	23. Bridge rail
122	2.6	24. Guardrail
5	0.1	25. Concrete traffic barrier
10	0.2	26. Other longitudinal barrier type
9	0.2	27. Highway/traffic sign post
0	0.0	28. Overhead sign support
1	0.0	29. Luminaire/light support
13	0.3	30. Utility pole
11	0.2	31. Other post, pole or supports

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 21	FIRST HARMFUL EVENT
12	0.3	32.	Culvert
8	0.2	33.	Curb
24	0.5	34.	Ditch
16	0.3	35.	Embankment - earth
8	0.2	36.	Embankment - rock, stone or concrete
16	0.3	37.	Embankment - material type unknown
9	0.2	38.	Fence
7	0.1	39.	Wall
1	0.0	40.	Fire hydrant
1	0.0	41.	Shrubbery
27	0.6	42.	Tree
10	0.2	43.	Other fixed object
0	0.0	44.	Pavement surface irregularity (pothole, grooved, grates)
0	0.0	99.	Unknown

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Variable	22	MANNER OF COLLISION	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	MANNER OF COLLISION
1220	25.9	0. Not a collision with a vehicle in transport
804	17.0	1. Rear-end
937	19.9	2. Head-on
4	0.1	3. Rear-to-rear
1498	31.8	4. Angle
123	2.6	5. Sideswipe - same direction
125	2.6	6. Sideswipe - opposite direction
7	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable	23	RELATION TO JUNCTION	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	RELATION TO JUNCTION
3078	65.2	1. Non-junction
1151	24.4	2. Intersection
107	2.3	3. Intersection related
62	1.3	4. Interchange area
223	4.7	5. Driveway, alley, access, etc.
45	1.0	6. Entrance/exit ramp
31	0.7	7. Rail grade crossing
16	0.3	8. In crossover
5	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable	24	<b>RELATION TO ROADWAY</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	RELATION TO ROADWAY
4033	85.5	1. On roadway
171	3.6	2. Shoulder
72	1.5	3. Median
300	6.4	4. Roadside
57	1.2	5. Outside right-of-way
76	1.6	6. Off roadway - location unknown
3	0.1	7. In parking lane
3	0.1	8. Gore
3	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable	25	<b>TRAFFICWAY FLOW</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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A trafficway may include several roadways if it is a physically divided highway. Trafficways are not physically divided unless the divider is a median, barrier or other constructed device. Pavement markings do not qualify.

FREQ	Prcnt	TRAFFICWAY FLOW
2984	63.2	1. Not physically divided (two way trafficway)
1268	26.9	2. Divided highway, median strip (without traffic barrier)
360	7.6	3. Divided highway, median strip (with traffic barrier)
81	1.7	4. One way trafficway
25	0.5	9. Unknown

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Variable	26	<b>NO OF TRAVEL LANES</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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A roadway is one part of a divided trafficway or, if undivided, the same as the trafficway. It refers to the roadway on which the vehicle precipitating the accident was traveling. Only lanes open for travel are counted. Turn lanes are therefore excluded.

FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF TRAVEL LANES
27	0.6	1. 1 lane
3611	76.5	2. 2 lanes
303	6.4	3. 3 lanes
602	12.8	4. 4 lanes
94	2.0	5. 5 lanes
39	0.8	6. 6 lanes

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FREQ Prcnt    Var 26    NO OF TRAVEL LANES

7	0.1	7. 7 or more lanes
35	0.7	9. Unknown

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Variable	27	<b>SPEED LIMIT</b>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	SPEED LIMIT
7	0.1	00. No statutory limit
0	0.0	05. 5 mph
0	0.0	10. 10 mph
7	0.1	15. 15 mph
12	0.3	20. 20 mph
120	2.5	25. 25 mph
172	3.6	30. 30 mph
231	4.9	35. 35 mph
191	4.0	40. 40 mph
323	6.8	45. 45 mph
298	6.3	50. 50 mph
3169	67.2	55. 55 mph
0	0.0	65. 65 mph
188	4.0	99. Unknown

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Variable	28	<b>ROADWAY ALIGNMENT</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	ROADWAY ALIGNMENT
3795	80.4	1. Straight
915	19.4	2. Curve
8	0.2	9. Unknown

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Variable	29	<b>ROADWAY PROFILE</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	ROADWAY PROFILE
3329	70.6	1. Level
1241	26.3	2. Grade
78	1.7	3. Hillcrest
10	0.2	4. Sag
60	1.3	9. Unknown

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Variable 30 ROADWAY SURFACE TYPE MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt ROADWAY SURFACE TYPE

832	17.6	1. Concrete
3697	78.4	2. Blacktop or bituminous
4	0.1	3. Brick or block
34	0.7	4. Slag, gravel or stone
15	0.3	5. Dirt
7	0.1	8. Other
129	2.7	9. Unknown

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Variable 31 ROADWAY SURFACE CONDITION MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt ROADWAY SURFACE CONDITION

3671	77.8	1. Dry
756	16.0	2. Wet
156	3.3	3. Snow or slush
123	2.6	4. Ice
1	0.0	5. Sand, dirt, oil
2	0.0	8. Other
9	0.2	9. Unknown

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Variable 32 TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE

3514	74.5	00. No controls
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\*\*\*Not At Railroad Grade Crossing\*\*\*

Highway traffic signals

42	0.9	01. Traffic control signal (on colors) without pedestrian signal
17	0.4	02. Traffic control (on colors) with pedestrian signal
241	5.1	03. Traffic control signal (on colors) not known whether or not pedestrian signal
55	1.2	04. Flashing traffic control signal
11	0.2	05. Flashing beacon
16	0.3	06. Flashing highway traffic signal, type unknown or other than traffic control or beacon
8	0.2	07. Lane use control signal
2	0.0	08. Other highway traffic signal
10	0.2	09. Unknown highway traffic signal

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 32 TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE
		Regulatory signs
548	11.6	20. Stop sign
42	0.9	21. Yield sign
48	1.0	28. Other regulatory sign
4	0.1	29. Unknown type regulatory sign
		School zone signs
0	0.0	30. School speed limit sign
0	0.0	31. School advance or crossing sign
0	0.0	38. Other school related sign
0	0.0	39. Unknown type school zone sign
		Warning signs
97	2.1	40. Warning sign
		Miscellaneous
11	0.2	50. Officer, crossing guard, flagman, etc.
		***At Railroad Grade Crossing***
		Active devices
0	0.0	60. Gates
10	0.2	61. Flashing lights
1	0.0	62. Traffic control signal
0	0.0	63. Wigwags
0	0.0	64. Bells
0	0.0	68. Other train activated device
1	0.0	69. Active device, type unknown
		Passive devices
11	0.2	70. Cross bucks
4	0.1	71. Stop sign
1	0.0	72. Other railroad crossing sign
0	0.0	73. Special warning device - watchman, flagged by crew
0	0.0	78. Other passive device
0	0.0	79. Passive device, type unknown
		Miscellaneous devices
3	0.1	80. Grade crossing controlled, type unknown
		***Whether Or Not At Railroad Grade Crossing***
15	0.3	98. Other
6	0.1	99. Unknown

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Variable	33	<b>TRAFFIC CONT FUNCTIONING</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	TRAFFIC CONTROL FUNCTIONING
3640	77.2	0. No controls
6	0.1	1. Device not functioning
8	0.2	2. Device functioning - functioning improperly
1027	21.8	3. Device functioning properly
37	0.8	9. Unknown

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Variable	34	<b>HIT AND RUN</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	HIT AND RUN
4668	98.9	0. No hit and run
30	0.6	1. Hit motor vehicle in transport
19	0.4	2. Hit pedestrian or non-motorist
1	0.0	3. Hit parked vehicle or object

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Variable	35	<b>LIGHT CONDITION</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	LIGHT CONDITION
2733	57.9	1. Daylight
1438	30.5	2. Dark
368	7.8	3. Dark but lighted
112	2.4	4. Dawn
64	1.4	5. Dusk
3	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable	36	<b>ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS
3852	81.6	1. No adverse atmospheric conditions
518	11.0	2. Rain
24	0.5	3. Sleet
144	3.1	4. Snow
118	2.5	5. Fog
22	0.5	6. Rain and fog
2	0.0	7. Sleet and fog
30	0.6	8. Other (smog, smoke, blowing sand, or dust)
8	0.2	9. Unknown

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Variable	37	<u>CONSTRUCTION/MAINT ZONE</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Identifies accidents that occurred in a construction or maintenance zone. Use of this code does not imply that the accident was caused by the construction/maintenance activity or zone.

FREQ Prcnt CONSTRUCTION OR MAINTENANCE ZONE

4599	97.5	0. None
83	1.8	1. Construction
25	0.5	2. Maintenance
2	0.0	3. Utility
9	0.2	4. Work zone, type unknown

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Variable	38	<u>EMS NOTIFIED - HOUR</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt EMS NOTIFIED - HOUR

406	8.6	00. Not notified or 12:01-12:59 am
74	1.6	01.
		- . Hour
6	0.1	24.
2324	49.3	99. Unknown

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Variable	39	<u>EMS NOTIFIED - MINUTE</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt EMS NOTIFIED - MINUTE

417	8.8	00. Not notified or on hour
18	0.4	01.
		- . Minute
18	0.4	59.
2324	49.3	99. Unknown

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Variable	40	<u>EMS ARRIVAL - HOUR</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt EMS ARRIVAL - HOUR

407	8.6	00. Not notified or 12:01-12:59 am
78	1.7	01.
		- . Hour
3	0.1	24.



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FREQ Prcnt Var 40 EMS ARRIVAL - HOUR

2129 45.1 99. Unknown

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Variable 41 EMS ARRIVAL - MINUTE MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt EMS ARRIVAL - MINUTE

426 9.0 00. Not notified or on hour  
 10 0.2 01.  
 - . Minute  
 22 0.5 59.  
 2162 45.8 99. Unknown

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Variable 42 SCHOOL BUS RELATED MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

Identifies accidents in which a school bus was directly or indirectly involved, such as an accident involving children alighting from a school bus. The school bus does not have to be a traffic unit in the accident.

FREQ Prcnt SCHOOL BUS RELATED

4705 99.7 0. No  
 13 0.3 1. Yes

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Variable 43 ACCIDENT RELATED FACTORS MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric  
 Multiple Responses: 3

FREQ Prcnt RELATED FACTORS AT ACCIDENT LEVEL

14036 99.2 00. None  
 10 0.1 01. Inadequate warning of exits, lanes narrowing,  
 traffic controls, etc.  
 12 0.1 02. Shoulder related  
 6 0.0 03. Other construction created condition  
 5 0.0 04. No (or obscured) pavement marking  
 6 0.0 05. Surface underwater  
 15 0.1 06. Inadequate construction or poor design of roadway,  
 bridge, etc.  
 1 0.0 07. Surface washed out (caved in, road slippage)

Special circumstances

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FREQ Prcnt    Var 43    ACCIDENT RELATED FACTORS

0	0.0	15. Nonoccupant struck by falling cargo or something that came loose from or was set in motion by a vehicle
0	0.0	16. Nonoccupant struck vehicle
0	0.0	17. Vehicle set in motion by nondriver
63	0.4	99. Unknown

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Variable	44	<u>RAIL GRADE CROSSING ID</u>	MD1:	None	Field Width:	7
			MD2:	None	Type:	Alphabetic

FREQ Prcnt    RAIL GRADE CROSSING ID - FRA CODE

0000000. Not Applicable  
000000A.  
-            . FRA code  
999999Z.  
9999999. Unknown

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Variable	45	<u>NO OF FATALITIES IN ACC</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt    NO OF FATALITIES IN ACC

0	0.0	00. 0 killed
4061	86.1	01. 1 killed
503	10.7	02. 2 killed
101	2.1	03. 3 killed
32	0.7	04. 4 killed
13	0.3	05. 5 killed
3	0.1	06. 6 killed
4	0.1	07. 7 killed
0	0.0	08. 8 killed
0	0.0	09. 9 killed
1	0.0	10. 10 killed

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Variable	46	<u>DAY OF WEEK</u>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt    DAY OF WEEK

286	6.1	1. Sunday
711	15.1	2. Monday
810	17.2	3. Tuesday
783	16.6	4. Wednesday
814	17.3	5. Thursday

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FREQ Prcnt Var 46 DAY OF WEEK

847 18.0 6. Friday  
 467 9.9 7. Saturday

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Variable 47 NO OF DRINKING DRIVERS MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt NO OF DRINKING DRIVERS

3998 84.7 0. 0 drivers  
 685 14.5 1. 1 driver  
 32 0.7 2. 2 drivers  
 3 0.1 3. 3 drivers  
 0 0.0 4. 4 drivers

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The VEHICLE Variables

Variables 104 through 223 are the FARS variables that describe the vehicle (i.e., the truck). FARS includes some variables that are descriptive of the driver among the vehicle variables. These are variables 206 through 223.

Variable 104	VEHICLE NUMBER	MD1: None	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE NUMBER
0	0.0	00. Dummy vehicle record (non-motorist)
2555	54.2	01. Vehicle #1
1952	41.4	02. Vehicle #2
165	3.5	03. Vehicle #3
28	0.6	04. Vehicle #4
5	0.1	05. Vehicle #5
		- .
0	0.0	99. Vehicle #99

Variable 106	VEHICLE MAKE	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE MAKE
4	0.1	03. AM General
27	0.6	07. Dodge
606	12.8	12. Ford
247	5.2	20. Chevrolet
452	9.6	23. GMC
15	0.3	42. Mercedes Benz
4	0.1	51. Volvo
16	0.3	80. Brockway
25	0.5	81. Diamond Reo
385	8.2	82. Freightliner
2	0.0	83. FWD
934	19.8	84. International
465	9.9	85. Kenworth
577	12.2	86. Mack
337	7.1	87. Peterbilt
286	6.1	88. White
84	1.8	95. Other truck or bus
252	5.3	99. Unknown

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Variable 107	<b>VEHICLE MAKE-MODEL</b>	MD1: 9900	Field Width: 4
		MD2: 9900	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE MAKE-MODEL
2	0.0	0388. AM General other (truck)
2	0.0	0389. AM General unknown (truck)
1	0.0	0773. Dodge D, W-Series Pickup
10	0.2	0781. Dodge medium/heavy: CBE
8	0.2	0782. Dodge medium/heavy: COE low entry
1	0.0	0783. Dodge medium/heavy: COE high entry
3	0.1	0784. Dodge medium/heavy: unknown engine location
4	0.1	0789. Dodge unknown (truck)
1	0.0	1273. Ford F-Series Pickup
2	0.0	1274. Ford Van
4	0.1	1275. Ford Van derivative
424	9.0	1281. Ford medium/heavy: CBE
37	0.8	1282. Ford medium/heavy: COE low entry
83	1.8	1283. Ford medium/heavy: COE high entry
37	0.8	1284. Ford medium/heavy: unknown engine location
2	0.0	1288. Ford other (truck)
13	0.3	1289. Ford unknown (truck)
3	0.1	1290. Ford medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
3	0.1	2073. Chevrolet C, K-Series pickup
5	0.1	2075. Chevrolet Van derivative
193	4.1	2081. Chevrolet medium/heavy: CBE
4	0.1	2082. Chevrolet medium/heavy: COE low entry
6	0.1	2083. Chevrolet medium/heavy: COE high entry
25	0.5	2084. Chevrolet medium/heavy: unknown engine location
2	0.0	2088. Chevrolet other (truck)
9	0.2	2089. Chevrolet unknown (truck)
1	0.0	2373. GMC C, K-Series Pickup
1	0.0	2375. GMC Van derivatives
232	4.9	2381. GMC medium/heavy: CBE
6	0.1	2382. GMC medium/heavy: COE low entry
151	3.2	2383. GMC medium/heavy: COE high entry
43	0.9	2384. GMC medium/heavy: unknown engine location
1	0.0	2388. GMC other (truck)
14	0.3	2389. GMC unknown (truck)
3	0.1	2390. GMC medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
2	0.0	4284. Mercedes Benz medium/heavy: unknown engine location
13	0.3	4299. Mercedes Benz unknown (automobile)
2	0.0	5184. Volvo medium/heavy: unknown engine location
2	0.0	5189. Volvo unknown (truck)
1	0.0	8080. Brockway motor home
1	0.0	8083. Brockway medium/heavy: COE high entry
11	0.2	8084. Brockway medium/heavy: unknown engine location
3	0.1	8089. Brockway unknown (truck)
14	0.3	8181. Diamond Reo medium/heavy: CBE
1	0.0	8183. Diamond Reo medium/heavy: COE high entry
8	0.2	8184. Diamond Reo medium/heavy: unknown engine location
1	0.0	8188. Diamond Reo other (truck)

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 107	VEHICLE MAKE-MODEL
1	0.0	8189.	Diamond Reo unknown (truck)
32	0.7	8281.	Freightliner medium/heavy: CBE
9	0.2	8282.	Freightliner medium/heavy: COE low entry
43	0.9	8283.	Freightliner medium/heavy: COE high entry
176	3.7	8284.	Freightliner medium/heavy: unknown engine location
3	0.1	8288.	Freightliner other (truck)
95	2.0	8289.	Freightliner unknown (truck)
27	0.6	8290.	Freightliner medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
1	0.0	8383.	FWD medium heavy: COE high entry
1	0.0	8384.	FWD medium heavy: unknown engine location
1	0.0	8473.	International Pickup/Panel
1	0.0	8475.	International Multistop
1	0.0	8478.	International other (light truck)
22	0.5	8481.	International medium/heavy: CBE
2	0.0	8482.	International medium/heavy: COE low entry
3	0.1	8483.	International medium/heavy: COE high entry
97	2.1	8484.	International medium/heavy: unknown engine location
2	0.0	8488.	International other (truck)
43	0.9	8489.	International unknown (truck)
762	16.2	8499.	
31	0.7	8581.	Kenworth medium/heavy: CBE
3	0.1	8582.	Kenworth medium/heavy: COE low entry
11	0.2	8583.	Kenworth medium/heavy: COE high entry
251	5.3	8584.	Kenworth medium/heavy: unknown engine location
1	0.0	8585.	Kenworth bus
7	0.1	8588.	Kenworth other (truck)
94	2.0	8589.	Kenworth unknown (truck)
15	0.3	8590.	Kenworth medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
52	1.1	8599.	
1	0.0	8680.	Mack motor home
27	0.6	8681.	Mack medium/heavy: CBE
1	0.0	8682.	Mack medium/heavy: COE low entry
8	0.2	8683.	Mack medium/heavy: COE high entry
363	7.7	8684.	Mack medium/heavy: unknown engine location
3	0.1	8686.	Mack bus: flat front, front engine
4	0.1	8688.	Mack other (truck)
96	2.0	8689.	Mack unknown (truck)
11	0.2	8690.	Mack medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
63	1.3	8699.	
13	0.3	8781.	Peterbilt medium/heavy: CBE
1	0.0	8782.	Peterbilt medium/heavy: COE low entry
7	0.1	8783.	Peterbilt medium/heavy: COE high entry
174	3.7	8784.	Peterbilt medium/heavy: unknown engine location
4	0.1	8788.	Peterbilt other (truck)
91	1.9	8789.	Peterbilt unknown (truck)
9	0.2	8790.	Peterbilt medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
38	0.8	8799.	

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 107	VEHICLE MAKE-MODEL
4	0.1	8881.	White medium/heavy: CBE
3	0.1	8882.	White medium/heavy: COE low entry
7	0.1	8883.	White medium/heavy: COE high entry
173	3.7	8884.	White medium/heavy: unknown engine location
1	0.0	8887.	White bus: flat front, rear engine
1	0.0	8888.	White other (truck)
78	1.7	8889.	White unknown (truck)
6	0.1	8890.	White medium/heavy: COE, entry position unknown
13	0.3	8899.	
38	0.8	9501.	Other (truck or bus) Autocar
1	0.0	9502.	Other (truck or bus) Auto-Union-DKW
1	0.0	9503.	Other (truck or bus) Divco
13	0.3	9504.	Other (truck or bus) Western Star
26	0.6	9588.	Other (truck or bus) other (truck)
5	0.1	9597.	Other (truck or bus) other vehicle
252	5.3	9989.	Unknown make, unknown truck

Variable	108	BODY TYPE	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	BODY TYPE
Van Based Light Trucks (GVWR<10,001 lbs)		
21	0.4	40. Van (includes VW bus, Vanagon, Kombi, Beauville, Chateau, Club Wagon, Sportsman; excludes moving van)
12	0.3	41. Van-commercial cutaway (includes box van, multi-stop, parcel, van pickups, GVWR < 10,001 step-van)
1	0.0	48. Other van type
2	0.0	49. Unknown van type
Light Conventional Truck (GVWR <10,001 lbs)		
70	1.5	50. Pickup (includes open box and caps)
3	0.1	51. Pickup with slide-in camper
28	0.6	53. Cab chassis based (includes light stake, light dump, light tow, rescue vehicles)
2	0.0	54. Truck based panel
1	0.0	58. Other light conventional truck (includes stretched suburban limousine)
9	0.2	59. Unknown light conventional truck
10	0.2	69. Unknown light truck (van based or conventional)
Medium/Heavy Truck (GVWR >10,000lbs)		
188	4.0	70. Single unit straight truck (10,000<GVWR<19,500) (includes step vans)
149	3.2	71. Single unit straight truck (19,500<GVWR<26,001)
267	5.7	72. Single unit straight truck (GVWR>26,000)
3524	74.7	74. Truck-tractor



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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 108	BODY TYPE
41	0.9	75.	Unknown medium truck (10,000<GVWR<26,001)
75	1.6	76.	Unknown heavy truck (GVWR>26,000)
198	4.2	78.	Single unit straight truck (GVWR unknown)
111	2.4	79.	Unknown truck type (light, medium, or heavy)
6	0.1	99.	Unknown body type

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Variable 109	<b>MODEL YEAR</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	MODEL YEAR
0	0.0	00.
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48	1.0	66. 1966
43	0.9	67. 1967
56	1.2	68. 1968
89	1.9	69. 1969
112	2.4	70. 1970
100	2.1	71. 1971
217	4.6	72. 1972
318	6.7	73. 1973
307	6.5	74. 1974
263	5.6	75. 1975
241	5.1	76. 1976
472	10.0	77. 1977
524	11.1	78. 1978
686	14.5	79. 1979
523	11.1	80. 1980
386	8.2	81. 1981
180	3.8	82. 1982
5	0.1	83. 1983
42	0.9	99. Unknown

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Variable 110	<b>VIN</b>	MD1: None	Field Width: 10
		MD2: None	Type: Alphabetic

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Variable	121	REGISTRATION STATE	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcent	REGISTRATION STATE
4	0.1	00. Not applicable
116	2.5	01. Alabama
0	0.0	02. Alaska
40	0.8	04. Arizona
96	2.0	05. Arkansas
311	6.6	06. California
43	0.9	08. Colorado
27	0.6	09. Connecticut
31	0.7	10. Delaware
3	0.1	11. District of Columbia
247	5.2	12. Florida
158	3.3	13. Georgia
0	0.0	15. Hawaii
20	0.4	16. Idaho
143	3.0	17. Illinois
130	2.8	18. Indiana
84	1.8	19. Iowa
77	1.6	20. Kansas
52	1.1	21. Kentucky
123	2.6	22. Louisiana
21	0.4	23. Maine
50	1.1	24. Maryland
35	0.7	25. Massachusetts
103	2.2	26. Michigan
85	1.8	27. Minnesota
71	1.5	28. Mississippi
66	1.4	29. Missouri
43	0.9	30. Montana
66	1.4	31. Nebraska
28	0.6	32. Nevada
17	0.4	33. New Hampshire
129	2.7	34. New Jersey
38	0.8	35. New Mexico
152	3.2	36. New York
168	3.6	37. North Carolina
23	0.5	38. North Dakota
168	3.6	39. Ohio
175	3.7	40. Oklahoma
62	1.3	41. Oregon
161	3.4	42. Pennsylvania
0	0.0	43. Puerto Rico
2	0.0	44. Rhode Island
73	1.5	45. South Carolina
27	0.6	46. South Dakota
83	1.8	47. Tennessee
468	9.9	48. Texas
46	1.0	49. Utah
14	0.3	50. Vermont

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 121 REGISTRATION STATE
79	1.7	51. Virginia
52	1.1	53. Washington
34	0.7	54. West Virginia
71	1.5	55. Wisconsin
24	0.5	56. Wyoming
40	0.8	92. No registration
85	1.8	93. Multiple state registration - in state
97	2.1	94. Multiple state registration - out-of-state
5	0.1	95. U.S. government tag
7	0.1	96. Military vehicle
35	0.7	97. Foreign country
0	0.0	98. Other registration
110	2.3	99. Unknown

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Variable 122	<b>ROLLOVER</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	ROLLOVER
3940	83.5	0. No rollover
253	5.4	1. First event
525	11.1	2. Subsequent event

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Variable 123	<b>JACKKNIFE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Identifies the loss of control of a truck in motion where the trailer yaws more than 15 degrees from its normal straight line path behind the cab.

FREQ	Prcnt	JACKKNIFE
1440	30.5	0. Not an articulated vehicle
2931	62.1	1. No
100	2.1	2. First event
247	5.2	3. Subsequent event

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Variable	124	<b>TRAVEL SPEED</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
<hr/>			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prct	TRAVEL SPEED
221	4.7	00. Stopped vehicle
3	0.1	01.
		- . Actual miles per hour
0	0.0	96.
1	0.0	97. 97 mph or greater
2448	51.9	99. Unknown

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Variable	125	<b>HAZARDOUS CARGO</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
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FREQ	Prct	HAZARDOUS CARGO
4248	90.0	0. No
146	3.1	1. Yes
324	6.9	9. Unknown

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Variable	126	<b>VEHICLE TRAILERING</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
<hr/>			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Trailing unit applies to any device connected to a motor vehicle by a hitch, including tractor-trailer combinations, boat hitched onto a motor vehicle, etc. This does not include towed vehicles, such as a tow truck pulling a vehicle.

FREQ	Prct	VEHICLE TRAILERING
1243	26.3	0. No
3269	69.3	1. Yes, one trailing unit
133	2.8	2. Yes, two or more trailing units
11	0.2	3. Yes, number of trailing units unknown
62	1.3	9. Unknown

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Variable	127	<b>SPECIAL USE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
<hr/>			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Indicates that the vehicle was used for a function other than the primary function for which it was designed.

FREQ	Prct	SPECIAL USE
4488	95.1	0. No special use
0	0.0	1. Taxi

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 127	SPECIAL USE
0	0.0		2. Vehicle used as school bus
0	0.0		3. Vehicle used as other bus
5	0.1		4. Military
0	0.0		5. Police
0	0.0		6. Ambulance
0	0.0		7. Firetruck
225	4.8		9. Unknown

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Variable 128	<b>EMERGENCY USE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Refers to a vehicle travelling with physical emergency signals in use, such as red light blinking, siren sounding, etc.

FREQ	Prcnt	EMERGENCY USE
4718	100.0	0. No
0	0.0	1. Yes

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Variable 129	<b>IMPACT POINT - INITIAL</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	IMPACT POINT - INITIAL
229	4.9	00. Non-collision
385	8.2	01. 1 o'clock
92	1.9	02. 2 o'clock
147	3.1	03. 3 o'clock
48	1.0	04. 4 o'clock
80	1.7	05. 5 o'clock
418	8.9	06. 6 o'clock
130	2.8	07. 7 o'clock
131	2.8	08. 8 o'clock
185	3.9	09. 9 o'clock
111	2.4	10. 10 o'clock
522	11.1	11. 11 o'clock
2058	43.6	12. 12 o'clock
15	0.3	13. Top
106	2.2	14. Undercarriage
0	0.0	15. Underride
7	0.1	16. Override
54	1.1	99. Unknown

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Variable 130	<b>IMPACT POINT - PRINCIPAL</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	IMPACT POINT - PRINCIPAL
229	4.9	00. Non-collision
317	6.7	01. 1 o'clock
79	1.7	02. 2 o'clock
176	3.7	03. 3 o'clock
46	1.0	04. 4 o'clock
74	1.6	05. 5 o'clock
373	7.9	06. 6 o'clock
135	2.9	07. 7 o'clock
125	2.6	08. 8 o'clock
205	4.3	09. 9 o'clock
96	2.0	10. 10 o'clock
455	9.6	11. 11 o'clock
1839	39.0	12. 12 o'clock
104	2.2	13. Top
155	3.3	14. Undercarriage
0	0.0	15. Underride
45	1.0	16. Override
265	5.6	99. Unknown

Variable 131	<b>EXTENT OF DEFORMATION</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	EXTENT OF DEFORMATION
364	7.7	0. None
863	18.3	2. Other (minor)
1073	22.7	4. Functional (moderate)
2370	50.2	6. Disabling (severe)
48	1.0	9. Unknown

Variable 132	<b>VEHICLE ROLE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE ROLE
312	6.6	0. Non-collision
3135	66.4	1. Striking
1204	25.5	2. Struck
64	1.4	3. Both
3	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable 133 MANNER OF LEAVING SCENE MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt MANNER OF LEAVING SCENE

1384	29.3	1. Driven
3193	67.7	2. Towed away
34	0.7	3. Abandoned
107	2.3	9. Unknown

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Variable 134 FIRE OCCURRENCE MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt FIRE OCCURRENCE

4491	95.2	0. No fire
227	4.8	1. Fire occurred in vehicle during accident

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Variable 135 NO OF OCCUPANTS MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
MD2: 97 Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt NO OF OCCUPANTS

54	1.1	00. 0 occupants
3770	79.9	01. 1 occupant
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0	0.0	95. 95 occupants
0	0.0	96. 96 or more occupants
35	0.7	97. Unknown - only injured reported
67	1.4	99. Unknown

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Variable 136 NO OF DEATHS IN VEH MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt NO OF DEATHS IN VEH

3845	81.5	00. 0 deaths
818	17.3	01. 1 death
53	1.1	02. 2 deaths
2	0.0	03. 3 deaths
0	0.0	04. 4 deaths
0	0.0	05. 5 deaths
0	0.0	06. 6 deaths
0	0.0	07. 7 deaths
0	0.0	08. 8 deaths
0	0.0	09. 9 deaths

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Variable 137	<b>VEHICLE RELATED FACTORS</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric
		Multiple Responses: 2	

FREQ Prcnt      RELATED FACTORS AT VEHICLE LEVEL

8748	92.7	00. None
		Defective
94	1.0	01. Tires
111	1.2	02. Brake system
11	0.1	03. Steering system -tie rod, kingpin, ball joint, etc.
3	0.0	04. Suspension - springs, shock absorbers, MacPherson struts, control arms, etc.
21	0.2	05. Power train - universal joint, drive shaft, transmission, etc.
2	0.0	06. Exhaust system
9	0.1	07. Headlights
8	0.1	08. Signal lights
29	0.3	09. Other lights
4	0.0	10. Horn
2	0.0	11. Mirrors
2	0.0	12. Wipers
0	0.0	13. Driver seating and control
0	0.0	14. Body, doors, other
8	0.1	15. Trailer hitch
8	0.1	16. Wheels
34	0.4	18. Other vehicle defects
36	0.4	31. Hit-and-run vehicle
0	0.0	32. Vehicle registration for handicapped
306	3.2	99. Unknown

Variable 138	<b>VEHICLE MANEUVER</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      VEHICLE MANEUVER

3174	67.3	01. Going straight
112	2.4	02. Slowing or stopping in traffic lane
42	0.9	03. Starting in traffic lane
175	3.7	04. Stopped in traffic lane
116	2.5	05. Passing or overtaking another vehicle
15	0.3	06. Leaving a parked position
25	0.5	07. Parked
2	0.0	08. Entering a parked position
194	4.1	09. Maneuvering to avoid an animal, pedestrian, object, another vehicle, etc.
3	0.1	10. Turning right: right turn on red (RTOR) permitted
0	0.0	11. Turning right: RTOR not permitted
63	1.3	12. Turning right: RTOR not known if permitted or n/a



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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 138	VEHICLE MANEUVER
177	3.8	13.	Turning left
22	0.5	14.	Making a U-turn
66	1.4	15.	Backing up (other than for parking purposes)
67	1.4	16.	Changing lanes or merging
423	9.0	17.	Negotiating a curve
37	0.8	98.	Other
5	0.1	99.	Unknown

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Variable 139	<b>MOST HARMFUL EVENT</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	MOST HARMFUL EVENT
Non-Collision Event		
421	8.9	01. Overturn
89	1.9	02. Fire/explosion
5	0.1	03. Immersion
0	0.0	04. Gas inhalation
22	0.5	05. Fell from vehicle
1	0.0	06. Injured in vehicle
11	0.2	07. Other non-collision
Collision with object not fixed		
391	8.3	08. Pedestrian
65	1.4	09. Pedalcycle
28	0.6	10. Railway train
2	0.0	11. Animal
3212	68.1	12. Motor vehicle in transport
33	0.7	13. Motor vehicle in transport in other roadway
34	0.7	14. Parked motor vehicle
1	0.0	15. Other type non-motorist
3	0.1	16. Thrown or falling object
1	0.0	17. Boulder
3	0.1	18. Other object (not fixed)
Collision with fixed object		
9	0.2	19. Building
1	0.0	20. Impact attenuator/crash cushion
24	0.5	21. Bridge pier or abutment
4	0.1	22. Bridge parapet end
10	0.2	23. Bridge rail
23	0.5	24. Guardrail
1	0.0	25. Concrete traffic barrier
1	0.0	26. Other longitudinal barrier type
1	0.0	27. Highway/traffic sign post
0	0.0	28. Overhead sign support

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 139 MOST HARMFUL EVENT
3	0.1	29. Luminaire/light support
10	0.2	30. Utility pole
3	0.1	31. Other post, pole or supports
4	0.1	32. Culvert
0	0.0	33. Curb
8	0.2	34. Ditch
12	0.3	35. Embankment - earth
8	0.2	36. Embankment - rock, stone, or concrete
6	0.1	37. Embankment - material type unknown
5	0.1	38. Fence
7	0.1	39. Wall
0	0.0	40. Fire hydrant
1	0.0	41. Shrubbery
30	0.6	42. Tree
3	0.1	43. Other fixed object
0	0.0	44. Pavement surface irregularity (potholes, grooved, grates)
222	4.7	99. Unknown

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Variable	145	VIN TRUCK FUEL CODE	MD1:	None	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VIN TRUCK FUEL CODE
0	0.0	1. (E) Electric operated
610	12.9	2. (G) Gas
1532	32.5	3. (D) Diesel
0	0.0	4. (P) Propane
0	0.0	7. (*) Not available from VIN
28	0.6	8. (b)
2548	54.0	9. (9) No VIN information

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Variable	146	VIN TRUCK WEIGHT CODE	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VIN TRUCK WEIGHT CODE
22	0.5	0.
3	0.1	1. 6,000 or less
7	0.1	2. 6,001 - 10,000
4	0.1	3. 10,001 - 14,000
5	0.1	4. 14,001 - 16,000
51	1.1	5. 16,001 - 19,500
454	9.6	6. 19,501 - 26,000
227	4.8	7. 26,001 - 33,000
1397	29.6	8. 33,001 or more

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FREQ Prcnt Var 146 VIN TRUCK WEIGHT CODE

2548 54.0 9. Unknown

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Variable 147 VIN TRUCK SERIES MD1: None Field Width: 3  
MD2: None Type: Alphabetic

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Variable 149 LENGTH OF VIN MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt LENGTH OF VIN

0 0.0 01.  
- . Actual value

449 9.5 17.

584 12.4 99. Unknown VIN length

Variables 150 through 155 are counter variables added by UMTRI to indicate the number of persons in the vehicle with injury severities of level zero through five, respectively, for person variable V318 (INJURY SEVERITY). These counter variables have the value zero for the vehicle segment of non-occupant records. Note that the number of K-injured (V154) does not always equal the number of deaths in the vehicle (V136).

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Variable 150 NO OF UNINJURED IN VEH MD1: None Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt NO OF UNINJURED IN VEH

2067 43.8 00. 0 uninjured

2365 50.1 01. 1 uninjured

250 5.3 02. 2 uninjured

28 0.6 03. 3 uninjured

6 0.1 04. 4 uninjured

1 0.0 05. 5 uninjured

1 0.0 09. 9 uninjured

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Variable	151	<u>NO OF C-INJURED IN VEH</u>	MD1: None	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF C-INJURED IN VEH
4182	88.6	00. 0 C-injured
490	10.4	01. 1 C-injured
36	0.8	02. 2 C-injured
9	0.2	03. 3 C-injured
1	0.0	04. 4 C-injured

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Variable	152	<u>NO OF B-INJURED IN VEH</u>	MD1: None	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF B-INJURED IN VEH
4164	88.3	00. 0 B-injured
498	10.6	01. 1 B-injured
52	1.1	02. 2 B-injured
2	0.0	03. 3 B-injured
1	0.0	04. 4 B-injured
1	0.0	05. 5 B-injured

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Variable	153	<u>NO OF A-INJURED IN VEH</u>	MD1: None	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF A-INJURED IN VEH
4357	92.3	00. 0 A-injured
334	7.1	01. 1 A-injured
23	0.5	02. 2 A-injured
3	0.1	03. 3 A-injured
1	0.0	04. 4 A-injured

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Variable	154	<u>NO OF K-INJURED IN VEH</u>	MD1: None	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF K-INJURED IN VEH
3847	81.5	00. 0 killed
818	17.3	01. 1 killed
51	1.1	02. 2 killed
2	0.0	03. 3 killed

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Variable	155	<u>NO OF UNK INJURED IN VEH</u>	MD1:	None	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF UNK INJURED IN VEH
4708	99.8	00. 0 unknown injured
10	0.2	01. 1 unknown injured

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Variable	206	<b>DRIVER PRESENCE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	DRIVER PRESENCE
4652	98.6	1. Driver operated vehicle
64	1.4	2. Driverless
2	0.0	3. Driver left scene
0	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable	207	<b>DRIVER DRINKING</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	DRIVER DRINKING
4555	96.5	0. No drinking reported
105	2.2	1. Drinking reported
58	1.2	9. Unknown

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Variable	208	<b>LICENSE STATE</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	LICENSE STATE
128	2.7	01. Alabama
0	0.0	02. Alaska
53	1.1	04. Arizona
96	2.0	05. Arkansas
302	6.4	06. California
52	1.1	08. Colorado
33	0.7	09. Connecticut
17	0.4	10. Delaware
3	0.1	11. District of Columbia
242	5.1	12. Florida
162	3.4	13. Georgia
0	0.0	15. Hawaii
27	0.6	16. Idaho
157	3.3	17. Illinois
117	2.5	18. Indiana
81	1.7	19. Iowa
64	1.4	20. Kansas
94	2.0	21. Kentucky
128	2.7	22. Louisiana
17	0.4	23. Maine
65	1.4	24. Maryland
46	1.0	25. Massachusetts
113	2.4	26. Michigan
77	1.6	27. Minnesota
85	1.8	28. Mississippi

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 208	LICENSE STATE
145	3.1	29.	Missouri
39	0.8	30.	Montana
49	1.0	31.	Nebraska
21	0.4	32.	Nevada
15	0.3	33.	New Hampshire
94	2.0	34.	New Jersey
48	1.0	35.	New Mexico
174	3.7	36.	New York
158	3.3	37.	North Carolina
23	0.5	38.	North Dakota
193	4.1	39.	Ohio
169	3.6	40.	Oklahoma
51	1.1	41.	Oregon
193	4.1	42.	Pennsylvania
0	0.0	43.	Puerto Rico
2	0.0	44.	Rhode Island
77	1.6	45.	South Carolina
28	0.6	46.	South Dakota
124	2.6	47.	Tennessee
478	10.1	48.	Texas
36	0.8	49.	Utah
12	0.3	50.	Vermont
91	1.9	51.	Virginia
65	1.4	53.	Washington
35	0.7	54.	West Virginia
83	1.8	55.	Wisconsin
19	0.4	56.	Wyoming
2	0.0	94.	Military
26	0.6	95.	Canada
3	0.1	96.	Mexico
8	0.2	97.	Other foreign country
98	2.1	99.	Unknown

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Variable 209	<b>LICENSE CLASS COMPLIANCE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	LICENSE CLASS COMPLIANCE
0	0.0	0. No license required
149	3.2	1. No license, license required
714	15.1	2. Valid license for this class only
89	1.9	3. One valid class license, but not for this class vehicle
3469	73.5	4. Multiple class licenses, valid for this class vehicle
29	0.6	5. Multiple class licenses, no valid license for this class vehicle
268	5.7	9. Unknown

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Variable	210	<b>LICENSE STATUS</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	LICENSE STATUS
2	0.0	0. None required
121	2.6	1. None
4214	89.3	2. Valid
97	2.1	3. Suspended
14	0.3	4. Revoked
31	0.7	5. Expired
2	0.0	6. Cancelled or denied
2	0.0	7. Learner's permit
1	0.0	8. Temporary
234	5.0	9. Unknown

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Variable	211	<b>LICENSE RESTRICTIONS MET</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	COMPLIANCE WITH LICENSE RESTRICTIONS
3771	79.9	0. No restrictions or not applicable
241	5.1	1. Restrictions complied with
8	0.2	2. Restrictions not complied with
429	9.1	3. Restrictions, compliance unknown
269	5.7	9. Unknown

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Variable	212	<b>DRIVER TRAINING</b>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	DRIVER TRAINING
1166	24.7	0. None
348	7.4	1. High school
57	1.2	2. Commercial
0	0.0	3. School bus
50	1.1	4. Traffic school
7	0.1	5. Two or more types
74	1.6	6. Training, type unknown
3016	63.9	9. Unknown



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Variable 213 VIOLATIONS CHARGED MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	VIOLATIONS CHARGED
3702	78.5	0. None
23	0.5	1. Alcohol or drugs
66	1.4	2. Speeding
9	0.2	3. Alcohol or drugs and speeding
117	2.5	4. Reckless driving
13	0.3	5. Driving with a suspended or revoked license
308	6.5	6. Other moving violation
76	1.6	7. Non-moving violation
55	1.2	8. Violation, type unknown or other violation
349	7.4	9. Unknown

Variable 214 NO OF PREV ACCIDENTS MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF PREVIOUS RECORDED ACCIDENTS
3389	71.8	00. 0 accidents
810	17.2	01. 1 accident
191	4.0	02. 2 accidents
53	1.1	03. 3 accidents
15	0.3	04. 4 accidents
4	0.1	05. 5 accidents
2	0.0	06. 6 accidents
254	5.4	99. Unknown

Variable 215 NO OF PREV SUSPENSIONS MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	NO OF PREVIOUS SUSPENSIONS AND REVOCATIONS
4086	86.6	00. 0 suspensions
259	5.5	01. 1 suspension
70	1.5	02. 2 suspensions
31	0.7	03. 3 suspensions
13	0.3	04. 4 suspensions
2	0.0	05. 5 suspensions
1	0.0	06. 6 suspensions
1	0.0	07. 7 suspensions
1	0.0	11. 11 suspensions
254	5.4	99. Unknown

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Variable	216	<u>NO OF PREV DWI CONVICTNS</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      NO OF PREVIOUS DWI CONVICTIONS

4362	92.5	00.	0 DWI convictions
85	1.8	01.	1 DWI conviction
14	0.3	02.	2 DWI convictions
1	0.0	03.	3 DWI convictions
1	0.0	05.	5 DWI convictions
255	5.4	99.	Unknown

Variable	217	<u>NO OF PREV SPEEDING CONV</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      NO OF PREVIOUS SPEEDING CONVICTIONS

2426	51.4	00.	0 speed convictions
964	20.4	01.	1 speed conviction
505	10.7	02.	2 speed convictions
249	5.3	03.	3 speed convictions
139	2.9	04.	4 speed convictions
83	1.8	05.	5 speed convictions
40	0.8	06.	6 speed convictions
23	0.5	07.	7 speed convictions
11	0.2	08.	8 speed convictions
6	0.1	09.	9 speed convictions
7	0.1	10.	10 speed convictions
4	0.1	11.	11 speed convictions
3	0.1	12.	12 speed convictions
2	0.0	13.	13 speed convictions
1	0.0	15.	15 speed convictions
1	0.0	20.	20 speed convictions
254	5.4	99.	Unknown

Variable	218	<u>NO OF PREV OTHER MV CONV</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      NO OF PREVIOUS OTHER HARMFUL MV CONVICTIONS

3253	68.9	00.	0 other convictions
788	16.7	01.	1 other conviction
254	5.4	02.	2 other convictions
90	1.9	03.	3 other convictions
28	0.6	04.	4 other convictions
16	0.3	05.	5 other convictions
11	0.2	06.	6 other convictions
9	0.2	07.	7 other convictions
7	0.1	08.	8 other convictions

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 218	NO OF PREV OTHER MV CONV
2	0.0	09.	9 other convictions
1	0.0	10.	10 other convictions
1	0.0	11.	11 other convictions
3	0.1	12.	12 other convictions
255	5.4	99.	Unknown

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Variable 219	<u>LAST ACC/SUSPNSN - MONTH</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	LAST ACCIDENT/SUSPENSION/CONVICTION - MONTH
1577	33.4	00. No record
226	4.8	01. January
247	5.2	02. February
268	5.7	03. March
240	5.1	04. April
250	5.3	05. May
222	4.7	06. June
229	4.9	07. July
230	4.9	08. August
250	5.3	09. September
261	5.5	10. October
235	5.0	11. November
229	4.9	12. December
254	5.4	99. Unknown

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Variable 220	<u>LAST ACC/SUSPNSN - YEAR</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	LAST ACCIDENT/SUSPENSION/CONVICTION - YEAR
1577	33.4	00. No record
0	0.0	78. 1978
186	3.9	79. 1979
625	13.2	80. 1980
1238	26.2	81. 1981
838	17.8	82. 1982
0	0.0	83. 1983
254	5.4	99. Unknown

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Variable	221	<u>1ST ACC/SUSPENSN - MONTH</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	1ST ACCIDENT/SUSPENSION/CONVICTION - MONTH
1577	33.4	00. No record
251	5.3	01. January
254	5.4	02. February
263	5.6	03. March
240	5.1	04. April
256	5.4	05. May
229	4.9	06. June
217	4.6	07. July
248	5.3	08. August
230	4.9	09. September
263	5.6	10. October
228	4.8	11. November
207	4.4	12. December
255	5.4	99. Unknown

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Variable	222	<u>1ST ACC/SUSPENSN - YEAR</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	1ST ACCIDENT/SUSPENSION/CONVICTION - YEAR
1577	33.4	00. No record
0	0.0	78. 1978
920	19.5	79. 1979
1105	23.4	80. 1980
636	13.5	81. 1981
225	4.8	82. 1982
0	0.0	83. 1983
255	5.4	99. Unknown

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Variable	223	<u>DRIVER RELATED FACTORS</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
			MD2: None	Type: Numeric
			Multiple Responses: 3	

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FREQ	Prcnt	RELATED FACTORS AT DRIVER LEVEL
11175	79.0	00. None

Physical/Mental Condition

103	0.7	01. Drowsy, sleepy, asleep, fatigued
4	0.0	02. Ill, blackout
0	0.0	03. Emotional (e.g., depression, angry, disturbed)
2	0.0	04. Drugs - medication
4	0.0	05. Other drugs

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FREQ Prcnt Var 223 DRIVER RELATED FACTORS

200	1.4	06. Inattentive (talking, eating, etc.)
0	0.0	07. Restricted to wheelchair
1	0.0	08. Paraplegic
1	0.0	09. Impaired due to previous injury
0	0.0	10. Deaf
11	0.1	11. Other physical impairment
0	0.0	12. Mother of dead fetus

Miscellaneous Causes

2	0.0	19. Legally driving on suspended or revoked license
44	0.3	20. Leaving vehicle unattended with engine running, leaving vehicle unattended in roadway
46	0.3	21. Overloading or improper loading of vehicle with passengers or cargo
5	0.0	22. Towing or pushing vehicle improperly
5	0.0	23. Failing to dim or to have lights on when required
46	0.3	24. Operating without required equipment
1	0.0	25. Creating unlawful noise or using equipment prohibited by law
76	0.5	26. Following improperly
23	0.2	27. Improper or erratic lane changing
425	3.0	28. Failure to keep in proper lane or running off road
2	0.0	29. Illegal driving on road shoulder, in ditch, on sidewalk or on median
9	0.1	30. Making improper entry to or exit from trafficway
29	0.2	31. Starting or backing improperly
0	0.0	32. Opening vehicle closure into moving traffic or while vehicle is in motion
16	0.1	33. Passing where prohibited by signs, markings, hill or curve, or school bus displaying warning not to pass
3	0.0	34. Passing on wrong side
42	0.3	35. Passing with insufficient distance or inadequate visibility, or failing to yield to overtaking vehicle
211	1.5	36. Operating the vehicle in an erratic, reckless, careless or negligent manner
2	0.0	37. High speed chase - police in pursuit
220	1.6	38. Failure to yield right-of-way
133	0.9	39. Failure to obey traffic signs, control devices or traffic officers, or failure to observe safety zone
2	0.0	40. Passing through or around barrier
10	0.1	41. Failure to observe warnings or instructions on vehicles displaying them
3	0.0	42. Failure to signal intentions
0	0.0	43. Giving wrong signal
548	3.9	44. Driving too fast for conditions or in excess of posted maximum
7	0.0	45. Driving less than posted minimum
0	0.0	46. Operating at erratic or suddenly changing speeds

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 223 DRIVER RELATED FACTORS
5	0.0	47. Making right turn from left turn lane, making left turn from right turn lane
36	0.3	48. Making other improper turn
0	0.0	49. Failure to comply with physical restrictions of license
2	0.0	50. Driving wrong way on one-way trafficway
116	0.8	51. Driving on wrong side of road
5	0.0	52. Operator inexperience
6	0.0	53. Unfamiliar with roadway
50	0.4	54. Stopping in roadway (vehicle not abandoned)
0	0.0	55. Underriding a parked truck
2	0.0	56. Low tire pressure
7	0.0	57. Locked wheel
16	0.1	58. Over correcting
3	0.0	59. Getting off/out of or on/in to moving vehicle
4	0.0	60. Getting off/out of or on/in to non-moving vehicle

Vision obscured by

76	0.5	61. Rain, snow, fog, smoke, sand, dust
6	0.0	62. Reflected glare, bright sunlight, headlights
15	0.1	63. Curve, hill, or other design features (including traffic signs, embankment)
3	0.0	64. Building, billboard, etc.
9	0.1	65. Trees, crops, vegetation
13	0.1	66. Moving vehicle (including load)
4	0.0	67. Parked vehicle
3	0.0	68. Splash or spray of passing vehicle
0	0.0	69. Inadequate defrost or defog system
1	0.0	70. Inadequate lighting system
7	0.0	71. Obstructing angles on vehicle
0	0.0	72. Mirrors - rear view
1	0.0	73. Mirrors - other
0	0.0	74. Head restraints
1	0.0	75. Broken or improperly cleaned windshield
3	0.0	76. Other obstruction

Avoiding of swerving due to

7	0.0	77. Severe crosswind
0	0.0	78. Wind from passing truck
61	0.4	79. Slippery or loose surface
14	0.1	80. Tire blow-out or flat
3	0.0	81. Debris or objects in road
1	0.0	82. Ruts, holes, bumps in road
4	0.0	83. Animals in road
79	0.6	84. Vehicle in road
4	0.0	85. Phantom vehicle
20	0.1	86. Pedestrian, pedalcyclist, or other non-motorist in road
17	0.1	87. Water, snow, oilslick on road

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FREQ	Prct	Var	223 DRIVER RELATED FACTORS
34	0.2	90.	Hit-and-run vehicle driver
0	0.0	91.	Non-traffic violation charged - manslaughter or other homicide (offense committed without malice)
105	0.7	99.	Unknown

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The PERSON Variables

Variables 305 through 326 describe the occupant of the truck (i.e. the driver) and are obtained from the FARS person file.

Variable 305 PERSON NUMBER MD1: 0 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	PERSON NUMBER
65	1.4	00.
4647	98.5	01. Person #1
5	0.1	02. Person #2
0	0.0	03. Person #3
0	0.0	04. Person #4
1	0.0	05. Person #5
		- .
0	0.0	99. Person #99

Variable 307 PERSON AGE MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	PERSON AGE
0	0.0	00. Up to one year
0	0.0	01.
		- . Age in years
0	0.0	96.
0	0.0	97. 97 years or older
94	2.0	99. Unknown

Variable 308 PERSON SEX MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	PERSON SEX
4582	97.1	1. Male
46	1.0	2. Female
90	1.9	9. Unknown

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Variable	309	<b>PERSON TYPE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
<hr/>			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      PERSON TYPE

4653	98.6	1. Driver of a motor vehicle in transport
65	1.4	9. Unknown occupant type in a motor vehicle in transport

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Variable	310	<b>SEATING POSITION</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
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FREQ Prcnt      SEATING POSITION

4652	98.6	11. Front seat - left side (driver's side)
66	1.4	99. Unknown

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Variable	311	<b>MANUAL RESTRAINT SYS</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
<hr/>			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      MANUAL (ACTIVE) RESTRAINT SYSTEM

3445	73.0	0. None used (vehicle occupant) or not applicable (non-motorist or passive system)
7	0.1	1. Shoulder belt
176	3.7	2. Lap belt
30	0.6	3. Lap and shoulder belt
0	0.0	4. Child safety seat
0	0.0	5. Motorcycle helmet
29	0.6	8. Restraint used - type unknown or other (including other helmet)
1031	21.9	9. Unknown

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Variable	312	<b>AUTOMATIC RESTRAINT SYS</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
<hr/>			MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt      AUTOMATIC (PASSIVE) RESTRAINT SYSTEM

4489	95.1	0. Not equipped or non-motorist
0	0.0	1. Automatic belt in use
0	0.0	2. Automatic belt not in use
0	0.0	3. Deployed air bag
0	0.0	4. Non-deployed air bag
229	4.9	9. Unknown

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Variable 314 **EJECTION** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt EJECTION

4286	90.8	0. Not ejected; not applicable
277	5.9	1. Totally ejected
57	1.2	2. Partially ejected
98	2.1	9. Unknown

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Variable 315 **EXTRICATION** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt EXTRICATION

4363	92.5	0. Not extricated; not applicable
208	4.4	1. Extricated
147	3.1	9. Unknown

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Variable 316 **ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt ALCOHOL INVOLVEMENT

3175	67.3	0. No (alcohol not involved)
159	3.4	1. Yes (alcohol involved)
1034	21.9	8. Not reported
350	7.4	9. Unknown (Police Reported)

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Variable 317 **ALCOHOL TEST RESULT** MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric  
Implied Dec Places: 2

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FREQ Prcnt ALCOHOL TEST RESULT

571	12.1	00.
		- . Result value (grams/100 ml%)
0	0.0	94.
2	0.0	95. Test refused
3589	76.1	96. None given
139	2.9	97. AC test performed, results unknown
274	5.8	99. Unknown

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Variable 318	<b>INJURY SEVERITY</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	INJURY SEVERITY
2597	55.0	0. 0 - no injury
491	10.4	1. C - possible injury
485	10.3	2. B - nonincapacitating evident injury
286	6.1	3. A - incapacitating injury
758	16.1	4. K - fatal injury
9	0.2	5. Injured, severity unknown
0	0.0	6. Died prior to accident
92	1.9	9. Unknown

Variable 319	<b>TAKEN TO HOSPITAL</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	TAKEN TO HOSPITAL OR TREATMENT FACILITY
3234	68.5	0. No
1323	28.0	1. Yes
161	3.4	9. Unknown

Variable 320	<b>DEATH DATE - MONTH</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	DEATH DATE - MONTH
3895	82.6	00. Not applicable
58	1.2	01. January
60	1.3	02. February
59	1.3	03. March
57	1.2	04. April
67	1.4	05. May
48	1.0	06. June
77	1.6	07. July
68	1.4	08. August
72	1.5	09. September
80	1.7	10. October
62	1.3	11. November
47	1.0	12. December
68	1.4	99. Unknown

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Variable 321 DEATH DATE - DAY MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt DEATH DATE - DAY

3895	82.6	00. Not applicable
30	0.6	01.
		- . Day of month
11	0.2	31.
68	1.4	99. Unknown

Variable 322 DEATH DATE - YEAR MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt DEATH DATE - YEAR

3895	82.6	00. Not applicable
755	16.0	82. 1982
0	0.0	83. 1983
68	1.4	99. Unknown

Variable 323 DEATH TIME - HOURS MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

FREQ Prcnt DEATH TIME - HOURS

3914	83.0	00. 12:01 am - 12:59 am
31	0.7	01. 1:00 am - 1:59 am
16	0.3	02. 2:00 am - 2:59 am
23	0.5	03. 3:00 am - 3:59 am
32	0.7	04. 4:00 am - 4:59 am
23	0.5	05. 5:00 am - 5:59 am
42	0.9	06. 6:00 am - 6:59 am
33	0.7	07. 7:00 am - 7:59 am
26	0.6	08. 8:00 am - 8:59 am
34	0.7	09. 9:00 am - 9:59 am
24	0.5	10. 10:00 am - 10:59 am
28	0.6	11. 11:00 am - 11:59 am
26	0.6	12. 12:00 pm - 12:59 pm
30	0.6	13. 1:00 pm - 1:59 pm
40	0.8	14. 2:00 pm - 2:59 pm
39	0.8	15. 3:00 pm - 3:59 pm
23	0.5	16. 4:00 pm - 4:59 pm
11	0.2	17. 5:00 pm - 5:59 pm
27	0.6	18. 6:00 pm - 6:59 pm
24	0.5	19. 7:00 pm - 7:59 pm
26	0.6	20. 8:00 pm - 8:59 pm
25	0.5	21. 9:00 pm - 9:59 pm
21	0.4	22. 10:00 pm - 10:59 pm

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FREQ Prcnt    Var 323    DEATH TIME - HOURS

28	0.6	23. 11:00 pm - 11:59 pm
2	0.0	24. 12:00 midnight
170	3.6	99. Unknown

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Variable	324	<u>DEATH TIME - MINUTES</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt    DEATH TIME - MINUTES

3977	84.3	00.
		- . Minute
4	0.1	59.
170	3.6	99. Unknown

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Variable	325	<u>LAG TIME ACC/DEATH - HRS</u>	MD1:	999	Field Width:	3
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt    LAG TIME ACC/DEATH - HRS

405	8.6	000.
		- . Actual time in hours
0	0.0	998.
4069	86.2	999. Unknown

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Variable	326	<u>LAG TIME ACC/DEATH - MIN</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
			MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

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FREQ Prcnt    LAG TIME ACC/DEATH - MIN

649	13.8	00.
		- . Minute
0	0.0	59.
4069	86.2	99. Unknown

The BMCS and SURVEY Variables

Variables 1001 through 1097 are derived by two methods:  
 initially a match was made with BMCS fatal cases and  
 subsequently a survey was conducted for those cases not  
 matched.

Variable 1001	<b>BMCS ID</b>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 5
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

FREQ	Prcnt	BMCS ID
3403	64.5	00000. Unknown
1	0.0	00001.
		- . BMCS case ID
1	0.0	32614.

Variable 1002	<b>STATE OF CARRIER</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	STATE OF CARRIER
40	0.8	01. Alabama
0	0.0	02. Alaska
18	0.4	04. Arizona
50	1.1	05. Arkansas
86	1.8	06. California
36	0.8	08. Colorado
10	0.2	09. Connecticut
6	0.1	10. Delaware
1	0.0	11. District of Columbia
62	1.3	12. Florida
64	1.4	13. Georgia
13	0.3	16. Idaho
65	1.4	17. Illinois
59	1.3	18. Indiana
41	0.9	19. Iowa
59	1.3	20. Kansas
21	0.4	21. Kentucky
20	0.4	22. Louisiana
5	0.1	23. Maine
19	0.4	24. Maryland
18	0.4	25. Massachusetts
59	1.3	26. Michigan
43	0.9	27. Minnesota

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1002	STATE OF CARRIER
15	0.3	28.	Mississippi
62	1.3	29.	Missouri
12	0.3	30.	Montana
28	0.6	31.	Nebraska
3	0.1	32.	Nevada
2	0.0	33.	New Hampshire
51	1.1	34.	New Jersey
6	0.1	35.	New Mexico
45	1.0	36.	New York
62	1.3	37.	North Carolina
5	0.1	38.	North Dakota
75	1.6	39.	Ohio
70	1.5	40.	Oklahoma
17	0.4	41.	Oregon
78	1.7	42.	Pennsylvania
2	0.0	44.	Rhode Island
21	0.4	45.	South Carolina
8	0.2	46.	South Dakota
46	1.0	47.	Tennessee
134	2.8	48.	Texas
20	0.4	49.	Utah
4	0.1	50.	Vermont
25	0.5	51.	Virginia
16	0.3	53.	Washington
9	0.2	54.	West Virginia
51	1.1	55.	Wisconsin
4	0.1	56.	Wyoming
3043	64.5	98.	Not applicable (Survey case)
9	0.2	99.	Unknown

Variable 1003	AREA OF OPERATION	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
		MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	AREA OF OPERATION
3332	70.6	1. Interstate
1108	23.5	2. Intrastate
138	2.9	6. Government owned
20	0.4	7. Daily rental
120	2.5	9. Unknown



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Variable 1004 **OPERATING AUTHORITY** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	OPERATING AUTHORITY
2024	42.9	1. Private
2416	51.2	2. For hire
138	2.9	6. Government owned
20	0.4	7. Daily rental
120	2.5	9. Unknown

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Variable 1005 **CARRIER TYPE** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	CARRIER TYPE
1239	26.3	1. Interstate private
1814	38.4	2. Interstate authorized
227	4.8	3. Interstate exempt
765	16.2	4. Intrastate private
342	7.2	5. Intrastate for hire
138	2.9	6. Government owned
20	0.4	7. Daily rental
173	3.7	9. Unknown

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Variable 1006 **OWNER OPERATOR** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	OWNER OPERATOR
274	5.8	1. Yes
874	18.5	2. No
1675	35.5	7. Not applicable (BMCS)
1889	40.0	8. Not applicable (Not for hire)
6	0.1	9. Unknown

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Variable 1007	<b>TRIP TYPE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	TRIP TYPE
1444	30.6	1. OTR, (over-the-road) (BMCS)
1755	37.2	2. Local delivery
632	13.4	3. OTR, under 200 miles (Survey)
729	15.5	4. OTR, 200 miles and over (Survey)
33	0.7	5. OTR, unknown distance (Survey)
125	2.6	9. Unknown

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Variable 1009	<b>DISTRICT TYPE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prct	DISTRICT TYPE
86	1.8	1. Residential
1190	25.2	2. Rural
371	7.9	3. Business
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
28	0.6	9. Unknown

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Variable 1010	<b>MONTH</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prct	MONTH
138	2.9	01. January
112	2.4	02. February
137	2.9	03. March
133	2.8	04. April
137	2.9	05. May
132	2.8	06. June
143	3.0	07. July
172	3.6	08. August
152	3.2	09. September
142	3.0	10. October
135	2.9	11. November
142	3.0	12. December
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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Variable 1011	DAY	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	DAY
59	1.3	01.
		- . Day of month
24	0.5	31.
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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Variable 1012	HOUR	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	HOUR
53	1.1	00. Midnight
88	1.9	01. 1 am
76	1.6	02. 2 am
90	1.9	03. 3 am
75	1.6	04. 4 am
59	1.3	05. 5 am
85	1.8	06. 6 am
59	1.3	07. 7 am
59	1.3	08. 8 am
55	1.2	09. 9 am
69	1.5	10. 10 am
69	1.5	11. 11 am
74	1.6	12. Noon
64	1.4	13. 1 pm
83	1.8	14. 2 pm
78	1.7	15. 3 pm
73	1.5	16. 4 pm
70	1.5	17. 5 pm
64	1.4	18. 6 pm
67	1.4	19. 7 pm
66	1.4	20. 8 pm
69	1.5	21. 9 pm
56	1.2	22. 10 pm
74	1.6	23. 11 pm
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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<b>Variable 1013</b>	<b>MINUTE</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	MINUTE
1675	35.5	00.
		- . Minute
0	0.0	59.
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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<b>Variable 1014</b>	<b>ACCIDENT TYPE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	ACCIDENT TYPE
120	2.5	1. Non-collision
1349	28.6	2. Collision with moving object
206	4.4	3. Collision with fixed or parked object
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	9. Unknown

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<b>Variable 1015</b>	<b>OTHER OBJECT INVOLVED</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	OTHER OBJECT INVOLVED
114	2.4	01. Not applicable (non-collision)
161	3.4	02. Commercial truck
117	2.5	03. Fixed object
948	20.1	04. Automobile
116	2.5	05. Pedestrian
8	0.2	06. Bus
6	0.1	07. Train
14	0.3	08. Bicycle
9	0.2	09. Animal
59	1.3	10. Motorcycle
123	2.6	11. Other
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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<u>Variable 1016</u>	<u>VEHICLE #1 ACTION</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE #1 ACTION
72	1.5	01. Slowing/stopping
51	1.1	02. Stopped
21	0.4	03. Parked
34	0.7	04. Rear-end
8	0.2	05. Backing
16	0.3	06. Making right turn
41	0.9	07. Making left turn
5	0.1	08. Making U-turn
860	18.2	09. Proceeding straight
2	0.0	10. Merging
13	0.3	11. Entering traffic
32	0.7	12. Intersection
26	0.6	13. Passing
17	0.4	14. Changing lanes
10	0.2	15. Sideswipe--opposite direction
45	1.0	16. Head-on--crossed into opposing lane
18	0.4	17. Skidding
33	0.7	18. Vehicle out of control
1	0.0	19. Roll-away
1	0.0	20. Controlled railroad crossing
1	0.0	21. Uncontrolled railroad crossing
10	0.2	22. Other
3043	64.5	97. Not applicable (Survey case)
331	7.0	98. Not applicable (non-collision)
27	0.6	99. Unknown

<u>Variable 1017</u>	<u>VEHICLE #2 ACTION</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE #2 ACTION
34	0.7	01. Slowing/stopping
52	1.1	02. Stopped
14	0.3	03. Parked
114	2.4	04. Rear-end
0	0.0	05. Backing
9	0.2	06. Making right turn
65	1.4	07. Making left turn
16	0.3	08. Making U-turn
289	6.1	09. Proceeding straight
6	0.1	10. Merging
42	0.9	11. Entering traffic

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1017	VEHICLE #2 ACTION
101	2.1		12. Intersection
27	0.6		13. Passing
18	0.4		14. Changing lanes
42	0.9		15. Sideswipe--opposite direction
310	6.6		16. Head-on--crossed into opposing lane
20	0.4		17. Skidding
92	1.9		18. Vehicle out of control
0	0.0		19. Roll-away
2	0.0		20. Controlled railroad crossing
0	0.0		21. Uncontrolled railroad crossing
29	0.6		22. Other
3043	64.5		97. Not applicable (Survey case)
331	7.0		98. Not applicable (non-collision)
62	1.3		99. Unknown

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Variable 1018	<u>VEHICLE #3 ACTION</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE #3 ACTION
12	0.3	01. Slowing/stopping
24	0.5	02. Stopped
13	0.3	03. Parked
15	0.3	04. Rear-end
1	0.0	05. Backing
1	0.0	06. Making right turn
6	0.1	07. Making left turn
0	0.0	08. Making U-turn
81	1.7	09. Proceeding straight
0	0.0	10. Merging
1	0.0	11. Entering traffic
0	0.0	12. Intersection
2	0.0	13. Passing
2	0.0	14. Changing lanes
7	0.1	15. Sideswipe--opposite direction
9	0.2	16. Head-on--crossed into opposing lane
1	0.0	17. Skidding
6	0.1	18. Vehicle out of control
0	0.0	19. Roll-away
0	0.0	20. Controlled railroad crossing
0	0.0	21. Uncontrolled railroad crossing
8	0.2	22. Other
3043	64.5	97. Not applicable (Survey case)
332	7.0	98. Not applicable (non-collision)
1154	24.5	99. Unknown

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Variable 1019 PRIMARY EVENT MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	PRIMARY EVENT OTHER THAN COLLISION
4	0.1	0. Ran off road
2	0.0	1. Jackknife
240	5.1	2. Overturn
14	0.3	3. Separation of units
2	0.0	4. Fire
16	0.3	5. Loss or spillage of cargo
4	0.1	6. Cargo shift
5	0.1	7. Other
4430	93.9	8. Not applicable (collision)
1	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1020 ASSOC. ACCIDENT EVENT MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	ASSOCIATED ACCIDENT EVENT
3441	72.9	1. None
57	1.2	2. Spillage of hazardous cargo
292	6.2	3. Fire
558	11.8	4. Spillage of non-hazardous cargo
79	1.7	5. Explosion
291	6.2	9. Unknown

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Variable 1021 DRIVER AGE MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	DRIVER AGE
1	0.0	13. 13 years
1	0.0	15. 15 years
2	0.0	16. 16 years
11	0.2	17. 17 years
26	0.6	18. 18 years
46	1.0	19. 19 years
58	1.2	20. 20 years
92	1.9	21. 21 years
115	2.4	22. 22 years
118	2.5	23. 23 years

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1021	DRIVER AGE
139	2.9	24.	24 years
165	3.5	25.	25 years
163	3.5	26.	26 years
166	3.5	27.	27 years
159	3.4	28.	28 years
158	3.3	29.	29 years
125	2.6	30.	30 years
154	3.3	31.	31 years
160	3.4	32.	32 years
119	2.5	33.	33 years
151	3.2	34.	34 years
159	3.4	35.	35 years
127	2.7	36.	36 years
132	2.8	37.	37 years
123	2.6	38.	38 years
143	3.0	39.	39 years
133	2.8	40.	40 years
119	2.5	41.	41 years
106	2.2	42.	42 years
109	2.3	43.	43 years
75	1.6	44.	44 years
97	2.1	45.	45 years
96	2.0	46.	46 years
86	1.8	47.	47 years
97	2.1	48.	48 years
70	1.5	49.	49 years
71	1.5	50.	50 years
78	1.7	51.	51 years
74	1.6	52.	52 years
83	1.8	53.	53 years
76	1.6	54.	54 years
63	1.3	55.	55 years
54	1.1	56.	56 years
58	1.2	57.	57 years
46	1.0	58.	58 years
42	0.9	59.	59 years
33	0.7	60.	60 years
29	0.6	61.	61 years
26	0.6	62.	62 years
24	0.5	63.	63 years
10	0.2	64.	64 years
10	0.2	65.	65 years
9	0.2	66.	66 years
7	0.1	67.	67 years
9	0.2	68.	68 years
6	0.1	69.	69 years
4	0.1	70.	70 years
5	0.1	71.	71 years
5	0.1	73.	73 years
2	0.0	74.	74 years
3	0.1	75.	75 years



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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1021	DRIVER AGE
1	0.0	76.	76 years
1	0.0	77.	77 years
1	0.0	79.	79 years
87	1.8	99.	Unknown

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Variable 1022	<u>YEARS DRIVER EMPLOYED</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	YEARS	DRIVER EMPLOYED
99	2.1	00.	0 years
681	14.4	01.	1 year
179	3.8	02.	2 years
128	2.7	03.	3 years
92	1.9	04.	4 years
70	1.5	05.	5 years
43	0.9	06.	6 years
33	0.7	07.	7 years
28	0.6	08.	8 years
42	0.9	09.	9 years
40	0.8	10.	10 years
14	0.3	11.	11 years
20	0.4	12.	12 years
15	0.3	13.	13 years
19	0.4	14.	14 years
12	0.3	15.	15 years
18	0.4	16.	16 years
10	0.2	17.	17 years
6	0.1	18.	18 years
8	0.2	19.	19 years
13	0.3	20.	20 years
4	0.1	21.	21 years
10	0.2	22.	22 years
8	0.2	23.	23 years
7	0.1	24.	24 years
12	0.3	25.	25 years
6	0.1	26.	26 years
1	0.0	27.	27 years
6	0.1	28.	28 years
4	0.1	29.	29 years
4	0.1	30.	30 years
3	0.1	31.	31 years
1	0.0	32.	32 years
4	0.1	36.	36 years
1	0.0	38.	38 years
1	0.0	42.	42 years
3043	64.5	98.	Not applicable (Survey case)

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FREQ Prcnt    Var 1022    YEARS DRIVER EMPLOYED

33    0.7        99. Unknown

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Variable 1023    HOURS DRIVING                    MD1:        99    Field Width:    2  
   MD2:        None    Type:        Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	HOURS	DRIVING
1072	22.7	01.	1 hour
561	11.9	02.	2 hours
486	10.3	03.	3 hours
512	10.9	04.	4 hours
359	7.6	05.	5 hours
370	7.8	06.	6 hours
239	5.1	07.	7 hours
192	4.1	08.	8 hours
91	1.9	09.	9 hours
47	1.0	10.	10 hours
17	0.4	11.	11 hours
6	0.1	12.	12 hours
2	0.0	13.	13 hours
3	0.1	14.	14 hours
3	0.1	16.	16 hours
146	3.1	98.	Not applicable
612	13.0	99.	Unknown

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Variable 1024    SCHEDULED HOURS                    MD1:        99    Field Width:    2  
   MD2:        None    Type:        Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	SCHEDULED	HOURS
166	3.5	01.	1 hour
118	2.5	02.	2 hours
107	2.3	03.	3 hours
129	2.7	04.	4 hours
120	2.5	05.	5 hours
135	2.9	06.	6 hours
118	2.5	07.	7 hours
187	4.0	08.	8 hours
130	2.8	09.	9 hours
235	5.0	10.	10 hours
32	0.7	11.	11 hours
121	2.6	12.	Not applicable (BMCS code)
3043	64.5	98.	Not applicable (Survey case)

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FREQ Prcnt Var 1024 SCHEDULED HOURS

77 1.6 99. Unknown

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Variable 1025 DRIVER CONDITION MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ Prcnt DRIVER CONDITION

1609	34.1	1. Apparently normal
1	0.0	2. Sick
8	0.2	3. Had been drinking
34	0.7	4. Dozed at wheel
0	0.0	5. Medical waiver
15	0.3	6. Other
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
8	0.2	9. Unknown

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Variable 1026 POWER UNIT TYPE MD1: 0 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ Prcnt POWER UNIT TYPE

19	0.4	0. Unknown
1265	26.8	1. Straight truck
3434	72.8	8. Tractor

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Variable 1027 STRT. TRUCK BODY STYLE MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ Prcnt STRAIGHT TRUCK BODY STYLE

3434	72.8	0. Not applicable (tractor)
309	6.5	1. Van
124	2.6	2. Flat
124	2.6	3. Tank
343	7.3	6. Dump
99	2.1	7. Refuse
262	5.6	8. Other
23	0.5	9. Unknown

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Variable 1028	<b>CAB STYLE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	CAB STYLE
2594	55.0	1. Conventional
2023	42.9	2. Cabover or cab-forward
101	2.1	9. Unknown

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Variable 1029	<b>POWER UNIT YEAR</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	POWER UNIT YEAR
2	0.0	47. 1947
1	0.0	49. 1949
1	0.0	51. 1951
1	0.0	52. 1952
4	0.1	53. 1953
2	0.0	55. 1955
3	0.1	56. 1956
4	0.1	57. 1957
2	0.0	58. 1958
7	0.1	59. 1959
7	0.1	60. 1960
5	0.1	61. 1961
10	0.2	62. 1962
10	0.2	63. 1963
22	0.5	64. 1964
24	0.5	65. 1965
50	1.1	66. 1966
43	0.9	67. 1967
55	1.2	68. 1968
89	1.9	69. 1969
110	2.3	70. 1970
103	2.2	71. 1971
221	4.7	72. 1972
309	6.5	73. 1973
299	6.3	74. 1974
273	5.8	75. 1975
239	5.1	76. 1976
473	10.0	77. 1977
538	11.4	78. 1978
672	14.2	79. 1979
531	11.3	80. 1980
392	8.3	81. 1981
181	3.8	82. 1982

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FREQ Prcnt Var 1029 POWER UNIT YEAR

7	0.1	83. 1983
28	0.6	99. Unknown

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Variable 1030	<u>POWER UNIT NO. OF AXLES</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ Prcnt POWER UNIT NO. OF AXLES

1241	26.3	2. 2 axles
3386	71.8	3. 3 axles
48	1.0	4. 4 or more axles
43	0.9	9. Unknown

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Variable 1031	<u>POWER UNIT MAKE</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ Prcnt POWER UNIT MAKE

45	1.0	01. Autocar
16	0.3	02. Brockway
250	5.3	03. Chevrolet
27	0.6	04. Diamond Reo
26	0.6	05. Dodge
632	13.4	06. Ford
461	9.8	07. Freightliner
477	10.1	08. GMC
3	0.1	09. Hendrickson
977	20.7	10. International Harvester
482	10.2	11. Kenworth
637	13.5	12. Mack
11	0.2	13. Marmon
353	7.5	14. Peterbilt
221	4.7	15. White
16	0.3	16. Mercedes Benz
5	0.1	17. Volvo
32	0.7	18. Western Star
24	0.5	97. Other (Survey)
1	0.0	98. Other (BMCS)
22	0.5	99. Unknown

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Variable 1032	<b>POWER UNIT LENGTH</b>	MD1: 999	Field Width: 3
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	POWER UNIT LENGTH
1	0.0	013. 13 feet
6	0.1	014. 14 feet
30	0.6	015. 15 feet
61	1.3	016. 16 feet
86	1.8	017. 17 feet
193	4.1	018. 18 feet
341	7.2	019. 19 feet
385	8.2	020. 20 feet
222	4.7	021. 21 feet
294	6.2	022. 22 feet
329	7.0	023. 23 feet
182	3.9	024. 24 feet
205	4.3	025. 25 feet
140	3.0	026. 26 feet
102	2.2	027. 27 feet
137	2.9	028. 28 feet
58	1.2	029. 29 feet
109	2.3	030. 30 feet
19	0.4	031. 31 feet
30	0.6	032. 32 feet
22	0.5	033. 33 feet
4	0.1	034. 34 feet
36	0.8	035. 35 feet
5	0.1	036. 36 feet
2	0.0	037. 37 feet
6	0.1	038. 38 feet
3	0.1	040. 40 feet
2	0.0	042. 42 feet
1	0.0	085. 85 feet
1675	35.5	998. Not applicable (BMCS case)
32	0.7	999. Unknown

Variable 1033	<b>STRAIGHT TRUCK CARGO</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	STRAIGHT TRUCK CARGO
124	2.6	01. General freight
22	0.5	02. Household goods
11	0.2	03. Metal: coils, sheets, etc
34	0.7	04. Heavy machinery
4	0.1	05. Motor vehicles

FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1033	STRAIGHT TRUCK CARGO
14	0.3	06.	Driveaway/towaway
6	0.1	07.	Gases in bulk
296	6.3	08.	Solids in bulk
72	1.5	09.	Liquids in bulk
0	0.0	10.	Explosives
26	0.6	11.	Logs/poles/lumber
395	8.4	12.	None (empty)
50	1.1	13.	Refrigerated food
0	0.0	14.	Mobile home
63	1.3	15.	Farm products
30	0.6	16.	Other
1675	35.5	97.	Not Applicable (BMCS case)
1845	39.1	98.	Not applicable (not a straight truck)
51	1.1	99.	Unknown

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Variable 1034    STRT. TRUCK HAZ. CARGO    MD1:        9    Field Width:    1  
 MD2:    None    Type:        Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	STRAIGHT TRUCK HAZARDOUS CARGO
52	1.1	1. Hazardous cargo
1097	23.3	2. Non-hazardous cargo
1675	35.5	7. Not applicable (BMCS case)
1845	39.1	8. Not applicable (not a straight truck)
49	1.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1035    STRT. TRUCK CARGO WEIGHT    MD1: 999999    Field Width:    6  
 MD2:    None    Type:        Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	STRAIGHT TRUCK CARGO WEIGHT
395	8.4	000000.
		-        . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999994.
1675	35.5	999995. Not applicable (BMCS case)
1852	39.3	999996. Not applicable (not a straight truck)
36	0.8	999997. Some Cargo (weight unknown)
10	0.2	999998. Full (weight unknown)
58	1.2	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1036	<u>POWER UNIT EMPTY WEIGHT</u>	MD1: 999999	Field Width: 6
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	POWER UNIT EMPTY WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999997.
1675	35.5	999998. Not applicable (BMCS case)
50	1.1	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1037	<u>1ST TRAILER TYPE</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	1ST TRAILER TYPE
3275	69.4	1. Semi-trailer
86	1.8	2. Full trailer
75	1.6	3. Other
1259	26.7	4. None
23	0.5	9. Unknown

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Variable 1038	<u>1ST TRAILER YEAR</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prct	1ST TRAILER YEAR
1	0.0	41. 1941
1	0.0	55. 1955
1	0.0	57. 1957
4	0.1	58. 1958
5	0.1	59. 1959
3	0.1	60. 1960
2	0.0	61. 1961
2	0.0	62. 1962
3	0.1	63. 1963
7	0.1	64. 1964
10	0.2	65. 1965
6	0.1	66. 1966
17	0.4	67. 1967
22	0.5	68. 1968
31	0.7	69. 1969
37	0.8	70. 1970



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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1038	1ST TRAILER YEAR
51	1.1	71.	1971
79	1.7	72.	1972
107	2.3	73.	1973
101	2.1	74.	1974
68	1.4	75.	1975
86	1.8	76.	1976
110	2.3	77.	1977
162	3.4	78.	1978
190	4.0	79.	1979
145	3.1	80.	1980
126	2.7	81.	1981
74	1.6	82.	1982
1	0.0	83.	1983
0	0.0	96.	Unknown if had 1st trailer
3043	64.5	97.	Not applicable (Survey case)
122	2.6	98.	Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
101	2.1	99.	Unknown

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Variable 1039	<u>1ST TRAILER NO. OF AXLES</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER NO. OF AXLES
212	4.5	01. 1 axle
3097	65.6	02. 2 axles
75	1.6	03. 3 axles
11	0.2	04. 4 or more axles
23	0.5	97. Unknown if had 1st trailer
1259	26.7	98. Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
41	0.9	99. Unknown

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Variable 1040	<u>1ST TRAILER BODY</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER BODY
1285	27.2	0. None or unknown if had 1st trailer
1429	30.3	1. Van
735	15.6	2. Flat
385	8.2	3. Tank
32	0.7	4. Auto carrier
275	5.8	6. Dump
0	0.0	7. Dolly

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1040	1ST TRAILER BODY
530	11.2		8. Other
47	1.0		9. Unknown

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Variable 1041	<u>1ST TRAILER CARGO</u>	MD1:	99	Field Width:	2
		MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER CARGO
245	5.2	01. General freight
3	0.1	02. Household goods
64	1.4	03. Metal: coils, sheets, etc
111	2.4	04. Heavy machinery
4	0.1	05. Motor vehicles
0	0.0	06. Driveaway/towaway
11	0.2	07. Gases in bulk
240	5.1	08. Solids in bulk
108	2.3	09. Liquids in bulk
0	0.0	10. Explosives
129	2.7	11. Logs/poles/lumber
605	12.8	12. None (empty)
121	2.6	13. Refrigerated food
8	0.2	14. Mobile home
167	3.5	15. Farm products
8	0.2	16. Other
23	0.5	96. Unknown if had 1st trailer
1675	35.5	97. Not applicable (BMCS case)
1137	24.1	98. Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
59	1.3	99. Unknown

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Variable 1042	<u>1ST TRAILER HAZ. CARGO</u>	MD1:	9	Field Width:	1
		MD2:	None	Type:	Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER HAZ. CARGO
76	1.6	1. Hazardous cargo
1748	37.0	2. Non-hazardous cargo
23	0.5	6. Unknown if had 1st trailer
1675	35.5	7. Not applicable (BMCS case)
1137	24.1	8. Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
59	1.3	9. Unknown

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Variable 1043 1ST TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT MD1: 999999 Field Width: 6  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT
605	12.8	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999993.
23	0.5	999994. Unknown if had 1st trailer
1675	35.5	999995. Not applicable (BMCS case)
1137	24.1	999996. Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
43	0.9	999997. Some Cargo (weight unknown)
26	0.6	999998. Full (weight unknown)
54	1.1	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1044 1ST TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT MD1: 999999 Field Width: 6  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999995.
23	0.5	999996. Unknown if had 1st trailer
0	0.0	999997. Not applicable (BMCS case)
1259	26.7	999998. Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
1599	33.9	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1045 1ST TRAILER LENGTH MD1: 999 Field Width: 3  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	1ST TRAILER LENGTH
3	0.1	005. 5 feet
1	0.0	006. 6 feet
2	0.0	007. 7 feet
5	0.1	008. 8 feet
2	0.0	009. 9 feet
3	0.1	010. 10 feet
2	0.0	011. 11 feet
6	0.1	012. 12 feet
1	0.0	013. 13 feet
4	0.1	014. 14 feet

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FREQ	Prcent	Var 1045	1ST TRAILER LENGTH
10	0.2	015.	15 feet
7	0.1	016.	16 feet
2	0.0	017.	17 feet
8	0.2	018.	18 feet
4	0.1	019.	19 feet
32	0.7	020.	20 feet
2	0.0	021.	21 feet
17	0.4	022.	22 feet
5	0.1	023.	23 feet
62	1.3	024.	24 feet
20	0.4	025.	25 feet
26	0.6	026.	26 feet
29	0.6	027.	27 feet
40	0.8	028.	28 feet
12	0.3	029.	29 feet
84	1.8	030.	30 feet
4	0.1	031.	31 feet
35	0.7	032.	32 feet
16	0.3	033.	33 feet
18	0.4	034.	34 feet
72	1.5	035.	35 feet
28	0.6	036.	36 feet
11	0.2	037.	37 feet
48	1.0	038.	38 feet
18	0.4	039.	39 feet
557	11.8	040.	40 feet
12	0.3	041.	41 feet
205	4.3	042.	42 feet
59	1.3	043.	43 feet
43	0.9	044.	44 feet
258	5.5	045.	45 feet
9	0.2	046.	46 feet
5	0.1	047.	47 feet
8	0.2	048.	48 feet
8	0.2	050.	50 feet
1	0.0	052.	52 feet
4	0.1	055.	55 feet
1	0.0	058.	58 feet
1	0.0	060.	60 feet
1	0.0	064.	64 feet
1	0.0	070.	70 feet
1	0.0	075.	75 feet
1	0.0	076.	76 feet
23	0.5	994.	Unknown if had 1st trailer
1675	35.5	995.	Not applicable (BMCS case)
1137	24.1	996.	Not applicable (no 1st trailer)
12	0.3	997.	Short (estimated under 35 feet)
15	0.3	998.	Long (estimated 35 feet and over)
42	0.9	999.	Unknown

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Variable 1046	<b>2ND TRAILER TYPE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	2ND TRAILER TYPE
0	0.0	1. Semi-trailer
131	2.8	2. Full trailer
5	0.1	3. Other
4571	96.9	4. None
11	0.2	9. Unknown

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Variable 1047	<b>2ND TRAILER YEAR</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	2ND TRAILER YEAR
1	0.0	47. 1947
1	0.0	56. 1956
1	0.0	58. 1958
1	0.0	66. 1966
1	0.0	67. 1967
1	0.0	68. 1968
1	0.0	69. 1969
3	0.1	70. 1970
4	0.1	71. 1971
1	0.0	72. 1972
3	0.1	73. 1973
5	0.1	74. 1974
4	0.1	75. 1975
2	0.0	76. 1976
3	0.1	77. 1977
4	0.1	78. 1978
5	0.1	79. 1979
5	0.1	80. 1980
5	0.1	81. 1981
2	0.0	82. 1982
0	0.0	96. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
3043	64.5	97. Not applicable (Survey case)
1619	34.3	98. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
3	0.1	99. Unknown

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Variable 1048	2ND TRAILER NO. OF AXLES	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	2ND TRAILER NO. OF AXLES
2	0.0	01. 1 axle
121	2.6	02. 2 axles
9	0.2	03. 3 axles
2	0.0	04. 4 or more axles
11	0.2	97. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
4571	96.9	98. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
2	0.0	99. Unknown

Variable 1049	2ND TRAILER BODY	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	2ND TRAILER BODY
4583	97.1	0. None or unknown if had 2nd trailer
51	1.1	1. Van
27	0.6	2. Flat
11	0.2	3. Tank
0	0.0	4. Auto carrier
8	0.2	6. Dump
0	0.0	7. Dolly
37	0.8	8. Other
1	0.0	9. Unknown

Variable 1050	2ND TRAILER CARGO	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	2ND TRAILER CARGO
6	0.1	01. General freight
0	0.0	02. Household goods
2	0.0	03. Metal: coils, sheets, etc
12	0.3	04. Heavy machinery
0	0.0	05. Motor vehicles
0	0.0	06. Driveaway/towaway
0	0.0	07. Gases in bulk
16	0.3	08. Solids in bulk
3	0.1	09. Liquids in bulk
0	0.0	10. Explosives

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FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1050	2ND TRAILER CARGO
0	0.0		11. Logs/poles/lumber
30	0.6		12. None (empty)
0	0.0		13. Refrigerated food
0	0.0		14. Mobile home
10	0.2		15. Farm products
0	0.0		16. Other
11	0.2		96. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
1675	35.5		97. Not applicable (BMCS case)
2952	62.6		98. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
1	0.0		99. Unknown

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Variable 1051	<u>2ND TRAILER HAZ. CARGO</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	2ND TRAILER HAZ. CARGO
1	0.0	1. Hazardous cargo
78	1.7	2. Non-hazardous cargo
11	0.2	6. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
1675	35.5	7. Not applicable (BMCS case)
2952	62.6	8. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
1	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1052	<u>2ND TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT</u>	MD1: 999999	Field Width: 6
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	2ND TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT
30	0.6	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999993.
11	0.2	999994. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
1675	35.5	999995. Not applicable (BMCS case)
2952	62.6	999996. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
3	0.1	999997. Some Cargo (weight unknown)
4	0.1	999998. Full (weight unknown)
0	0.0	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1053	2ND TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT	MD1: 999999	Field Width: 6
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	2ND TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999995.
11	0.2	999996. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
0	0.0	999997. Not applicable (BMCS case)
4571	96.9	999998. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
59	1.3	999999. Unknown

Variable 1054	2ND TRAILER LENGTH	MD1: 999	Field Width: 3
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	2ND TRAILER LENGTH
1	0.0	010. 10 feet
1	0.0	011. 11 feet
1	0.0	012. 12 feet
2	0.0	015. 15 feet
1	0.0	016. 16 feet
4	0.1	018. 18 feet
1	0.0	019. 19 feet
6	0.1	020. 20 feet
3	0.1	021. 21 feet
5	0.1	022. 22 feet
1	0.0	023. 23 feet
29	0.6	024. 24 feet
3	0.1	025. 25 feet
4	0.1	026. 26 feet
6	0.1	027. 27 feet
8	0.2	028. 28 feet
11	0.2	994. Unknown if had 2nd trailer
1675	35.5	995. Not applicable (BMCS case)
2952	62.6	996. Not applicable (no 2nd trailer)
4	0.1	997. Short (estimated under 35 feet)
0	0.0	998. Long (estimated 35 feet and over)
0	0.0	999. Unknown



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Variable 1055	<u>3RD TRAILER TYPE</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER TYPE
0	0.0	1. Semi-trailer
0	0.0	2. Full trailer
0	0.0	3. Other
3049	64.6	4. None
1669	35.4	9. Unknown

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Variable 1056	<u>3RD TRAILER NO. OF AXLES</u>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER NO. OF AXLES
3	0.1	96. Unknown if had 3rd trailer
1675	35.5	97. Not applicable (BMCS case)
3040	64.4	98. Not applicable (no 3rd trailer)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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Variable 1057	<u>3RD TRAILER BODY</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER BODY
4718	100.0	0. None or unknown if had 3rd trailer
0	0.0	1. Van
0	0.0	2. Flat
0	0.0	3. Tank
0	0.0	4. Auto carrier
0	0.0	6. Dump
0	0.0	7. Dolly
0	0.0	8. Other
0	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1058	<b>3RD TRAILER CARGO</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER CARGO
0	0.0	01. General freight
0	0.0	02. Household goods
0	0.0	03. Metal: coils, sheets, etc
0	0.0	04. Heavy machinery
0	0.0	05. Motor vehicles
0	0.0	06. Driveaway/towaway
0	0.0	07. Gases in bulk
0	0.0	08. Solids in bulk
0	0.0	09. Liquids in bulk
0	0.0	10. Explosives
0	0.0	11. Logs/poles/lumber
0	0.0	12. None (empty)
0	0.0	13. Refrigerated food
0	0.0	14. Mobile home
0	0.0	15. Farm products
0	0.0	16. Other
3	0.1	96. Unknown if had 3rd trailer
1675	35.5	97. Not applicable (BMCS case)
3040	64.4	98. Not applicable (no 3rd trailer)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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Variable 1059	<b>3RD TRAILER HAZ. CARGO</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER HAZ. CARGO
0	0.0	1. Hazardous cargo
0	0.0	2. Non-hazardous cargo
3	0.1	6. Unknown if had 3rd trailer
1675	35.5	7. Not applicable (BMCS case)
3040	64.4	8. Not applicable (no 3rd trailer)
0	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1060    **3RD TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT**    MD1: 999999    Field Width: 6  
 MD2: None    Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER CARGO WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999993.
3	0.1	999994. Unknown if had 3rd trailer
1675	35.5	999995. Not applicable (BMCS case)
3040	64.4	999996. Not applicable (no 3rd trailer)
0	0.0	999997. Some Cargo (weight unknown)
0	0.0	999998. Full (weight unknown)
0	0.0	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1061    **3RD TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT**    MD1: 999999    Field Width: 6  
 MD2: None    Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER EMPTY WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999995.
3	0.1	999996. Unknown if had 3rd trailer
1675	35.5	999997. Not applicable (BMCS case)
3040	64.4	999998. Not applicable (no 3rd trailer)
0	0.0	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1062    **3RD TRAILER LENGTH**    MD1: 999    Field Width: 3  
 MD2: None    Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	3RD TRAILER LENGTH
3	0.1	994. Unknown if had 3rd trailer
1675	35.5	995. Not applicable (BMCS case)
3040	64.4	996. Not applicable (no 3rd trailer)
0	0.0	997. Short (estimated under 35 feet)
0	0.0	998. Long (estimated 35 feet and over)
0	0.0	999. Unknown

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Variable 1063 VEHICLE COMBINATION CODE MD1: 0 Field Width: 2  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	VEHICLE COMBINATION CODE
24	0.5	00. Unknown
1110	23.5	01. Straight truck only
134	2.8	02. Bobtail tractor
85	1.8	03. Straight truck & full trailer
59	1.3	04. Straight truck & other (non-full trailer)
3140	66.6	05. Tractor & semi-trailer
17	0.4	06. Tractor & other (non-semi trailer)
130	2.8	07. Tractor & semi & full
3	0.1	08. Tractor & semi & other
16	0.3	11. Other (i.e., piggybacks, towing vehicles)

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Variable 1064 NO. OF TRAILERS MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	NO. OF TRAILERS
1259	26.7	0. No trailer
3299	69.9	1. 1 trailer
88	1.9	2. 2 trailers
0	0.0	3. 3 trailers
72	1.5	9. Unknown

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Variable 1065 TOTAL LENGTH MD1: 999 Field Width: 3  
MD2: None Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	TOTAL LENGTH
0	0.0	000. - . Length in feet
0	0.0	998.
107	2.3	999. Unknown

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Variable 1066	<b>TOTAL WIDTH</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	TOTAL WIDTH
52	1.1	07. 7 feet
4014	85.1	08. 8 feet
33	0.7	09. 9 feet
22	0.5	10. 10 feet
6	0.1	11. 11 feet
15	0.3	12. 12 feet
1	0.0	13. 13 feet
8	0.2	14. 14 feet
2	0.0	16. 16 feet
1	0.0	27. 27 feet
1	0.0	40. 40 feet
563	11.9	99. Unknown

Variable 1067	<b>TOTAL CARGO WEIGHT</b>	MD1: 999999	Field Width: 6
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	TOTAL CARGO WEIGHT
396	8.4	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999997.
3043	64.5	999998. Not applicable (Survey case)
17	0.4	999999. Unknown

Variable 1068	<b>GROSS WEIGHT</b>	MD1: 999999	Field Width: 6
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prcnt	GROSS WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999998.
248	5.3	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1069	<u>EMPTY COMBINATION WEIGHT</u>	MD1: 999999	Field Width: 6
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prct	EMPTY COMBINATION WEIGHT
0	0.0	000000.
		- . Weight in pounds
0	0.0	999998.
1216	25.8	999999. Unknown

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Variable 1070	<u>FUEL TYPE</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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Both SURVEY and BMCS cases

FREQ	Prct	FUEL TYPE
653	13.8	1. Gasoline
3771	79.9	2. Diesel
8	0.2	3. L.P.G.
13	0.3	4. Other
273	5.8	9. Unknown

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Variable 1071	<u>HAZ. MAT. IN CARGO</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prct	HAZ. MAT. IN CARGO
137	2.9	1. Hazardous cargo
1536	32.6	2. Non-hazardous cargo
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
2	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1072	<u>DRIVER KILLED</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prct	DRIVER KILLED
341	7.2	1. Yes
1333	28.3	2. No
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
1	0.0	9. Unknown

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Variable 1073 DRIVER INJURED MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	DRIVER INJURED
419	8.9	1. Yes
1234	26.2	2. No
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
22	0.5	9. Unknown

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Variable 1074 TOTAL KILLED IN VEHICLE MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	TOTAL KILLED IN VEHICLE
1306	27.7	00. 0 killed
327	6.9	01. 1 killed
40	0.8	02. 2 killed
1	0.0	03. 3 killed
1	0.0	04. 4 killed
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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Variable 1075 TOTAL INJURED IN VEHICLE MD1: 99 Field Width: 2  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	TOTAL INJURED IN VEHICLE
1210	25.6	00. 0 injured
426	9.0	01. 1 injured
37	0.8	02. 2 injured
1	0.0	03. 3 injured
1	0.0	04. 4 injured
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

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Variable 1076	<b>TOTAL KILLED IN ACCIDENT</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	TOTAL KILLED IN ACCIDENT
1349	28.6	01. 1 killed
240	5.1	02. 2 killed
56	1.2	03. 3 killed
19	0.4	04. 4 killed
7	0.1	05. 5 killed
2	0.0	06. 6 killed
2	0.0	07. 7 killed
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown

Variable 1077	<b>TOT. INJURED IN ACCIDENT</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	TOT. INJURED IN ACCIDENT
892	18.9	00. 0 injured
436	9.2	01. 1 injured
183	3.9	02. 2 injured
83	1.8	03. 3 injured
38	0.8	04. 4 injured
13	0.3	05. 5 injured
12	0.3	06. 6 injured
8	0.2	07. 7 injured
3	0.1	08. 8 injured
1	0.0	09. 9 injured
2	0.0	10. 10 injured
1	0.0	12. 12 injured
1	0.0	15. 15 injured
1	0.0	16. 16 injured
1	0.0	27. 27 injured
3043	64.5	98. Not applicable (Survey case)
0	0.0	99. Unknown



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Variable 1078 **WEATHER** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	WEATHER
201	4.3	1. Rain
1145	24.3	2. Clear
59	1.3	3. Snow
48	1.0	4. Fog/smog
180	3.8	5. Cloudy/overcast
12	0.3	6. Sleet
16	0.3	7. Other
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
14	0.3	9. Unknown

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Variable 1079 **LIGHT CONDITION** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	LIGHT CONDITION
755	16.0	1. Daylight
55	1.2	2. Artificial lights
78	1.7	3. Dawn
2	0.0	4. Other
56	1.2	5. Dusk
707	15.0	6. Dark
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
22	0.5	9. Unknown

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Variable 1080 **ROAD SURFACE CONDITION** MD1: 9 Field Width: 1  
 MD2: None Type: Numeric

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BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	ROAD SURFACE CONDITION
1259	26.7	1. Dry
275	5.8	2. Wet
48	1.0	3. Snowy
70	1.5	4. Icy
6	0.1	5. Other
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
17	0.4	9. Unknown

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Variable 1081	<b>NUMBER OF LANES</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prct	NUMBER OF LANES
35	0.7	1. 1 lane
862	18.3	2. 2 lanes
66	1.4	3. 3 lanes
678	14.4	4. 4 or more lanes
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
34	0.7	9. Unknown

Variable 1082	<b>HIGHWAY TYPE</b>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prct	HIGHWAY TYPE
719	15.2	1. Divided
909	19.3	2. Undivided
3043	64.5	8. Not applicable (Survey case)
47	1.0	9. Unknown

Variable 1083	<b>CARGO (BMCS)</b>	MD1: 99	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

BMCS cases only

FREQ	Prct	CARGO (BMCS)
509	10.8	01. General freight
37	0.8	02. Household goods
106	2.2	03. Metal: coils, sheets, etc
57	1.2	04. Heavy machinery
15	0.3	05. Motor vehicles
2	0.0	06. Driveaway/towaway
16	0.3	07. Gases in bulk
110	2.3	08. Solids in bulk
126	2.7	09. Liquids in bulk
5	0.1	10. Explosives
54	1.1	11. Logs/poles/lumber
401	8.5	12. None (empty)
146	3.1	13. Refrigerated food
5	0.1	14. Mobile home
73	1.5	15. Farm products
10	0.2	16. Other

FREQ	Prcnt	Var 1083	CARGO (BMCS)
3043	64.5		98. Not applicable (Survey case)
3	0.1		99. Unknown

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Variable 1084	<u>INTERVIEW STATUS</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	INTERVIEW STATUS
2866	60.7	1. Completed
19	0.4	2. Refusal
124	2.6	3. Partial
34	0.7	4. Unable to contact
1675	35.5	9. No interview

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Variable 1085	<u>SOURCE OF INFORMATION</u>	MD1: 9	Field Width: 1
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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FREQ	Prcnt	SOURCE OF INFORMATION
53	1.1	1. Police report
2720	57.7	2. Interview
1675	35.5	4. Match with BMCS
270	5.7	5. Mail Survey
0	0.0	9. None

The remaining variables indicate modifications to responses received from the interview. Also indicated here are deductions made by the editors to fill in missing data elements. The numbers coded in these variables are the question numbers on the interview form (see Appendix).

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Variable 1088	<u>1ST QUESTION DERIVED</u>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcent	1ST QUESTION DERIVED
1227	26.0	00. None
129	2.7	07. Question 7
49	1.0	08. Question 8
90	1.9	13. Question 13
2	0.0	14. Question 14
12	0.3	15. Question 15
6	0.1	16. Question 16
637	13.5	17. Question 17
70	1.5	18. Question 18
554	11.7	19. Question 19
215	4.6	20. Question 20
20	0.4	21. Question 21
7	0.1	23. Question 23
25	0.5	27. Question 27
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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Variable 1089	<u>2ND QUESTION DERIVED</u>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcent	2ND QUESTION DERIVED
1824	38.7	00. None
11	0.2	07. Question 7
14	0.3	08. Question 8
22	0.5	13. Question 13
1	0.0	15. Question 15
102	2.2	17. Question 17
154	3.3	18. Question 18
623	13.2	19. Question 19
148	3.1	20. Question 20
126	2.7	21. Question 21
4	0.1	23. Question 23
1	0.0	24. Question 24
13	0.3	27. Question 27
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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Variable 1090    3RD QUESTION DERIVED            MD1:        0    Field Width:    2  
 MD2:       None    Type:        Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	3RD QUESTION DERIVED
2537	53.8	00. None
11	0.2	07. Question 7
2	0.0	08. Question 8
9	0.2	13. Question 13
2	0.0	15. Question 15
2	0.0	16. Question 16
20	0.4	17. Question 17
32	0.7	18. Question 18
183	3.9	19. Question 19
172	3.6	20. Question 20
52	1.1	21. Question 21
8	0.2	23. Question 23
13	0.3	27. Question 27
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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Variable 1091    4TH QUESTION DERIVED            MD1:        0    Field Width:    2  
 MD2:       None    Type:        Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	4TH QUESTION DERIVED
2824	59.9	00. None
7	0.1	07. Question 7
2	0.0	08. Question 8
2	0.0	13. Question 13
1	0.0	14. Question 14
2	0.0	16. Question 16
1	0.0	17. Question 17
8	0.2	18. Question 18
32	0.7	19. Question 19
56	1.2	20. Question 20
103	2.2	21. Question 21
1	0.0	23. Question 23
4	0.1	27. Question 27
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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<u>Variable 1092</u>	<u>5TH QUESTION DERIVED</u>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	5TH QUESTION DERIVED
2978	63.1	00. None
6	0.1	07. Question 7
4	0.1	08. Question 8
4	0.1	13. Question 13
3	0.1	19. Question 19
10	0.2	20. Question 20
32	0.7	21. Question 21
1	0.0	23. Question 23
5	0.1	27. Question 27
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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<u>Variable 1093</u>	<u>6TH QUESTION DERIVED</u>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	6TH QUESTION DERIVED
3030	64.2	00. None
1	0.0	07. Question 7
3	0.1	13. Question 13
1	0.0	15. Question 15
2	0.0	20. Question 20
5	0.1	21. Question 21
1	0.0	27. Question 27
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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<u>Variable 1094</u>	<u>7TH QUESTION DERIVED</u>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prcnt	7TH QUESTION DERIVED
3041	64.5	00. None
2	0.0	21. Question 21
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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Variable 1095	<b>8TH QUESTION DERIVED</b>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	8TH QUESTION DERIVED
3043	64.5	00. None
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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Variable 1096	<b>9TH QUESTION DERIVED</b>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	9TH QUESTION DERIVED
3043	64.5	00. None
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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Variable 1097	<b>10TH QUESTION DERIVED</b>	MD1: 0	Field Width: 2
		MD2: None	Type: Numeric

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SURVEY cases only

FREQ	Prct	10TH QUESTION DERIVED
3043	64.5	00. None
1675	35.5	99. Not applicable (BMCS case)

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APPENDIX





## POWER UNIT

## 9. Power Unit Make

Autocar	[ ]	01
Brockway	[ ]	02
Chevrolet	[ ]	03
Diamond Reo	[ ]	04
Dodge	[ ]	05
Ford	[ ]	06
Freightliner	[ ]	07
GMC	[ ]	08
Hendrick	[ ]	09
Intl. Harvester	[ ]	10
Kenworth	[ ]	11
Mack	[ ]	12
Marmon	[ ]	13
Mercedes	[ ]	16
Peterbilt	[ ]	14
Volvo	[ ]	17
Western Star	[ ]	18
White*	[ ]	15
Other _____	[ ]	97

(Specify)

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## 10. Power Unit Model \_\_\_\_\_

(Name or No.)

## 11. Power Unit Model Year: 19 \_\_\_\_\_

(from registration)

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## 12. Power Unit Cab Style

Conventional	[ ]	1
Cab-Over-Engine/Cab Forward	[ ]	2

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## 13. Fuel

Gas	[ ]	1
Diesel	[ ]	2
Other _____	[ ]	4

(Specify)

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\*If response is WHITE, ask whether it is Autocar, Frtliner, Wstrm Star.

## VEHICLE CONFIGURATION

	POWER UNIT	FIRST TRAILER	SECOND TRAILER	THIRD TRAILER
14. TYPE:	Tractor [ ]8 St. Trk. [ ]1 <sub>20</sub>	Semi [ ]1 Full [ ]2 Other [ ]3 None [ ]4 <sub>23</sub>	Full [ ]2 Other [ ]3 None [ ]4 <sub>26</sub>	Full [ ]2 Other [ ]3 None [ ]4 <sub>29</sub>
15. BODY STYLE:	Tractor [ ]0 Van [ ]1 Flatbed [ ]2 Tanker [ ]3 Dump [ ]6 Refuse [ ]7 Other [ ]8 <sub>21</sub>	Van [ ]1 Flatbed [ ]2 Tank [ ]3 Auto C. [ ]4 Dump [ ]6 Other [ ]9 <sub>24</sub>	Van [ ]1 Flatbed [ ]2 Tank [ ]3 Auto C. [ ]4 Dump [ ]6 Other [ ]9 <sub>27</sub>	Van [ ]1 Flatbed [ ]2 Tank [ ]3 Auto C. [ ]4 Dump [ ]6 Other [ ]9 <sub>30</sub>
	(Specify)	(Specify)	(Specify)	(Specify)
16. NO. OF AXLES:	Two [ ]2 Three [ ]3 Four + [ ]4 <sub>22</sub>	One [ ]1 Two [ ]2 Three [ ]3 Four + [ ]4 <sub>25</sub>	One [ ] Two [ ]2 Three [ ]3 Four + [ ]4 <sub>28</sub>	One [ ]1 Two [ ]2 Three [ ]3 Four + [ ]4 <sub>31</sub>

LENGTH AND WEIGHT

17. What was the TOTAL WEIGHT of the truck and any cargo at the time of the accident?  $\frac{\quad}{32} \frac{\quad}{33} \frac{\quad}{34} \frac{\quad}{35} \frac{\quad}{36} \frac{\quad}{37}$  Lbs.

18. What was the CARGO WEIGHT?  
ST. TRK.  $\frac{\quad}{38} \frac{\quad}{39} \frac{\quad}{40} \frac{\quad}{41} \frac{\quad}{42} \frac{\quad}{43}$  Lbs.  
(% Full:  $\frac{\quad}{\quad} \frac{\quad}{\quad}$ )

1ST TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{44} \frac{\quad}{45} \frac{\quad}{46} \frac{\quad}{47} \frac{\quad}{48} \frac{\quad}{49}$  Lbs.  
(% Full:  $\frac{\quad}{\quad} \frac{\quad}{\quad}$ )

2ND TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{50} \frac{\quad}{51} \frac{\quad}{52} \frac{\quad}{53} \frac{\quad}{54} \frac{\quad}{55}$  Lbs.  
(% Full:  $\frac{\quad}{\quad} \frac{\quad}{\quad}$ )

3RD TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{56} \frac{\quad}{57} \frac{\quad}{58} \frac{\quad}{59} \frac{\quad}{60} \frac{\quad}{61}$  Lbs.  
(% Full:  $\frac{\quad}{\quad} \frac{\quad}{\quad}$ )

19. What are the EMPTY WEIGHTS of the units?  
TRAC/ST TRK.  $\frac{\quad}{62} \frac{\quad}{63} \frac{\quad}{64} \frac{\quad}{65} \frac{\quad}{66} \frac{\quad}{67}$  Lbs.

1ST TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{68} \frac{\quad}{69} \frac{\quad}{70} \frac{\quad}{71} \frac{\quad}{72} \frac{\quad}{73}$  Lbs.

2ND TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{74} \frac{\quad}{75} \frac{\quad}{76} \frac{\quad}{77} \frac{\quad}{78} \frac{\quad}{79}$  Lbs. [1]

3RD TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{9} \frac{\quad}{10} \frac{\quad}{11} \frac{\quad}{12} \frac{\quad}{13} \frac{\quad}{14}$  Lbs.

(OR Empty Combination Weight:  $\frac{\quad}{15} \frac{\quad}{16} \frac{\quad}{17} \frac{\quad}{18} \frac{\quad}{19} \frac{\quad}{20}$  Lbs.)

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20. What was the TOTAL LENGTH of the truck and any trailers at the time of the accident?  $\frac{\quad}{21} \frac{\quad}{22} \frac{\quad}{23}$  Ft.

21. What were the LENGTHS of each unit?→(OR Cargo Body Length for Straight Truck)  
TRAC/ST TRK.  $\frac{\quad}{24} \frac{\quad}{25} \frac{\quad}{26}$  Ft.

1ST TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{27} \frac{\quad}{28} \frac{\quad}{29}$  Ft.

2ND TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{30} \frac{\quad}{31} \frac{\quad}{32}$  Ft.

3RD TRLR.  $\frac{\quad}{33} \frac{\quad}{34} \frac{\quad}{35}$  Ft.

22. What was the WIDTH of the truck or cargo at the time of the accident?  
 $\frac{\quad}{\quad} \frac{\quad}{\quad} \frac{\quad}{\quad}$  Ft.

23. Cargo  $\frac{\quad}{\quad}$   
(Specify and code below)

	ST. TRUCK	1ST TRAILER	2ND TRAILER	3RD TRAILER
Empty	[ ]12	[ ]12	[ ]12	[ ]12
General freight (LTL)	[ ]01	[ ]01	[ ]01	[ ]01
Household goods, uncrated furniture/fixtures	[ ]02	[ ]02	[ ]02	[ ]02
Metal (coils, sheets, rods)	[ ]03	[ ]03	[ ]03	[ ]03
Heavy machinery/large objects	[ ]04	[ ]04	[ ]04	[ ]04
Motor vehicles	[ ]05	[ ]05	[ ]05	[ ]05
Driveaway/Towaway/Piggyback	[ ]06	[ ]06	[ ]06	[ ]06
Gases in bulk (LPG, Propane)	[ ]07	[ ]07	[ ]07	[ ]07
Solids in bulk (not packaged)	[ ]08	[ ]08	[ ]08	[ ]08
Liquids in bulk (milk, gasoline)	[ ]09	[ ]09	[ ]09	[ ]09
Explosives	[ ]10	[ ]10	[ ]10	[ ]10
Logs, Poles, Lumber	[ ]11	[ ]11	[ ]11	[ ]11
Refrigerated foods	[ ]13	[ ]13	[ ]13	[ ]13
Mobile home	[ ]14	[ ]14	[ ]14	[ ]14
Farm products (including animals)	[ ]15	[ ]15	[ ]15	[ ]15
Other	[ ]16	[ ]16	[ ]16	[ ]16
	38-39	41-42	44-45	47-48

24. Hazardous Cargo

Yes	[ ] 1	[ ] 1	[ ] 1	[ ] 1
No	[ ] 2	[ ] 2	[ ] 2	[ ] 2
	40	43	46	49

25. Were any of the following the primary accident event?

Ran-off-road	[ ]	0
Jackknife	[ ]	1
Overturn	[ ]	2
Separation of units	[ ]	3
Fire	[ ]	4
Loss or spillage of cargo	[ ]	5
Cargo shift	[ ]	6
None	[ ]	8

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26. Did any of the following result from the accident (not the primary event)?

Spillage of non-hazardous cargo	[ ]	4
Spillage of hazardous cargo	[ ]	2
Fire (in any vehicle)	[ ]	3
Explosion	[ ]	5
None	[ ]	1

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27. At the time of the accident how many hours had the driver been driving?           Hrs.  
52 53

\*\*\* END OF INTERVIEW \*\*\*

Thank you for your cooperation.

28. Driver Age (*from FARS*)           Years  
54 55

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*REMAINDER TO BE COMPLETED BY EDITOR.*

29. Interview Status

Complete	[ ]	1
Refusal	[ ]	2
Partial	[ ]	3
Unable to contact	[ ]	4

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30. Source

Police Report	[ ]	1
Interview	[ ]	2
BMCS	[ ]	4
Mail	[ ]	5

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DERIVED INFORMATION (*Insert question numbers.*)

           
58 59

           
68 69

           
60 61

           
70 71

           
62 63

           
72 73

           
64 65

           
74 75

           
66 67

           
76 77

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