

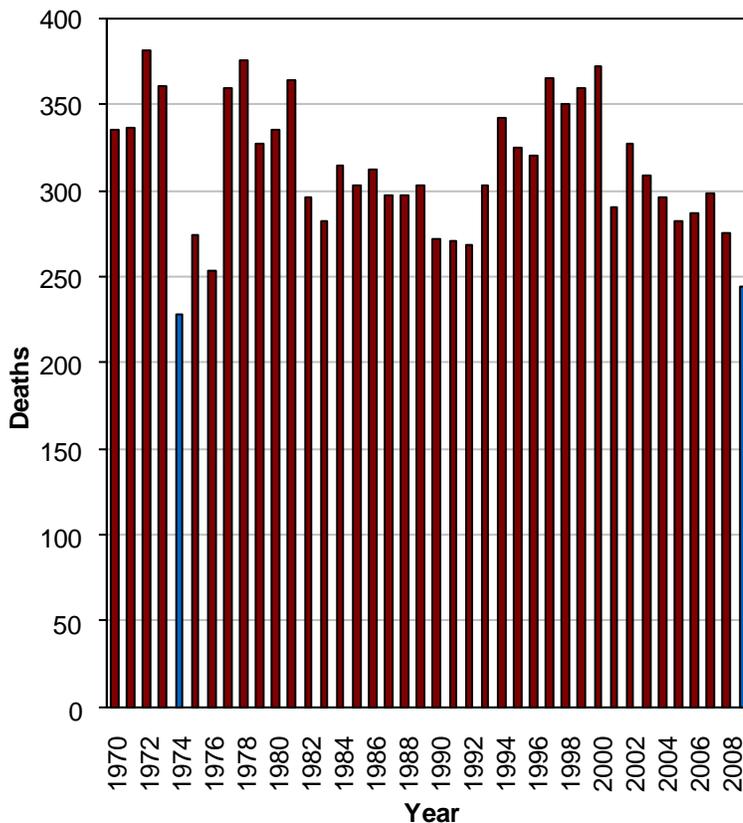
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Did you know in 2009:

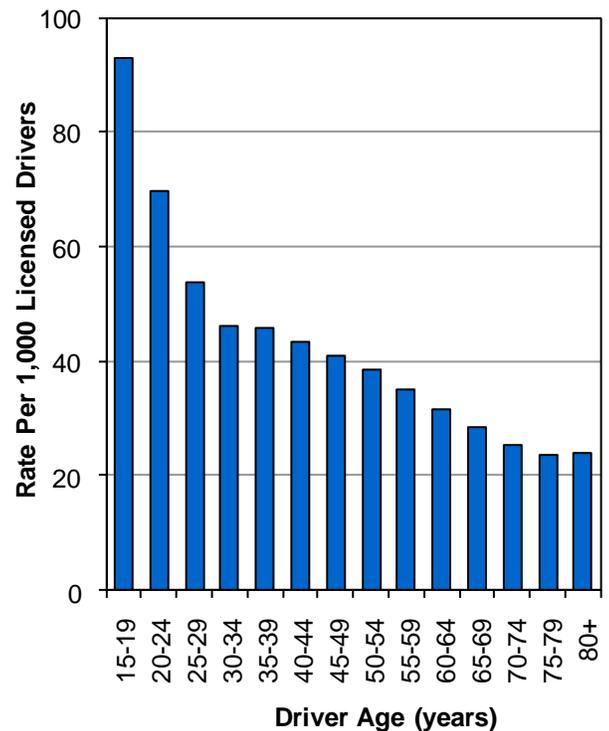
- 51,367 motor vehicle crashes occurred in Utah which resulted in 22,847 injured persons and 244 deaths.
- The Utah death rate per mile traveled was lower than the U.S. rate.
- A motor vehicle crash occurred in Utah every 10 minutes, a person was injured in a crash every 23 minutes, and a person died in a crash every 35 hours.

Deaths by Year (Utah 1970-2009)



- 2009 had the lowest deaths in Utah since 1974.

Crash Rates per Licensed Drivers by Age (Utah 2009)



- Drivers aged 15-19 years had the highest crash rates per licensed driver.

Crash Summary (Utah 2009)

Leading Crash Types

1. Inclement Weather Crashes (24%)
2. Speed Crashes (22%)
3. Teen Driver Crashes (21%)
4. Senior Driver (Age 65+) Crashes (11%)
5. Distracted Driver Crashes (9%)

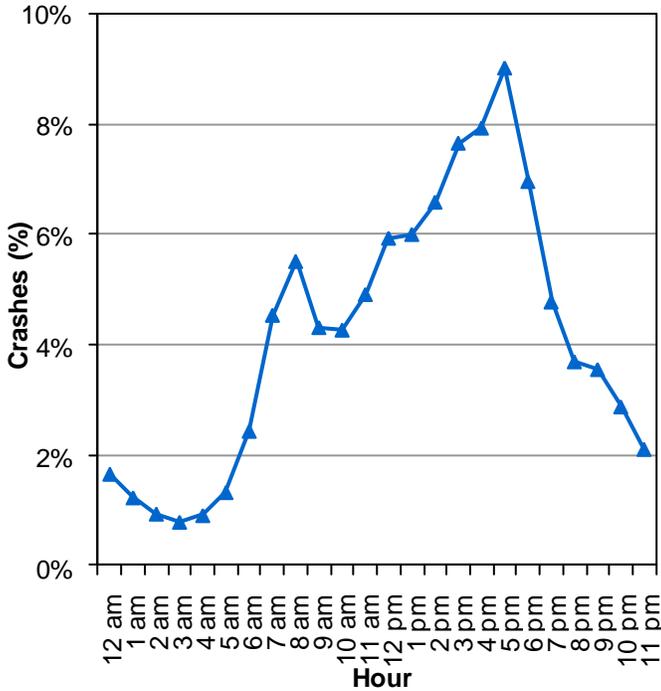
Leading Causes of Death

1. Speed (50%)
2. Unrestrained Occupants (37%)
3. Drunk Driving (13%)
4. Red Light/Stop Sign Running (11%)
5. Drowsy Driving (9%)

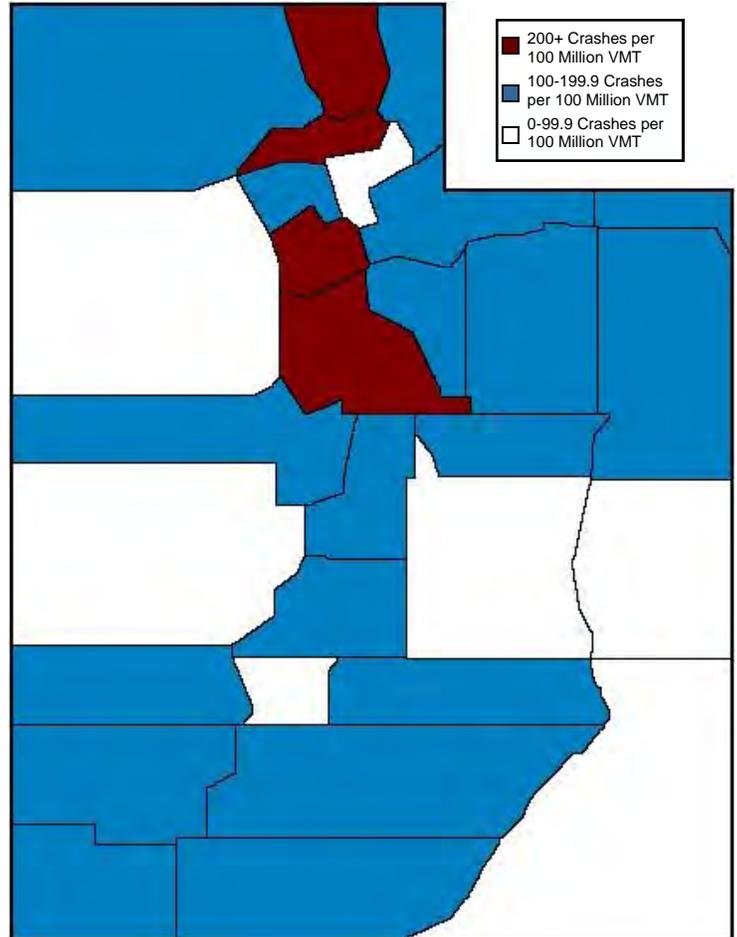
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Motor Vehicle Crashes by Hour (Utah 2009)



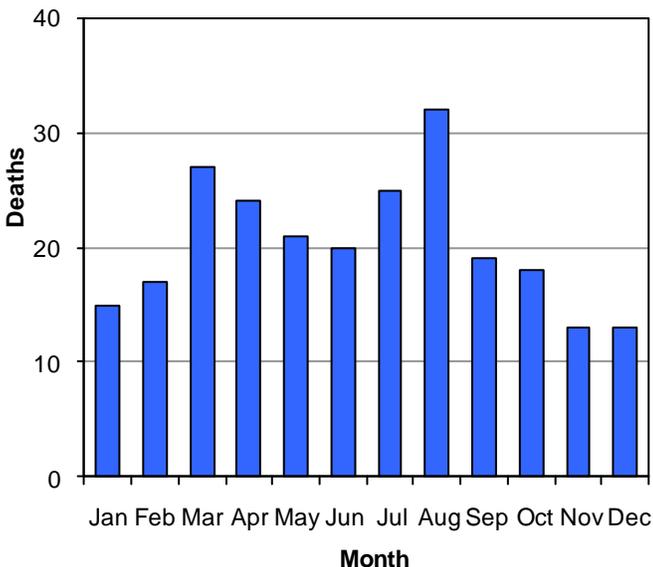
County Crash Rates by Miles Traveled (Utah 2009)



- Crashes were highest between 3:00 p.m. and 6:59 p.m.

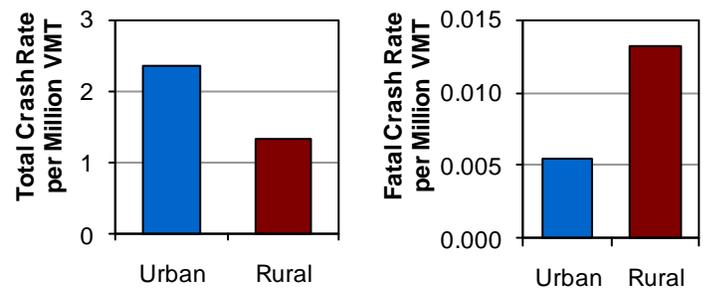
Vehicle rollovers were the most deadly event, being 10 times more likely to result in a death than other crashes.

Deaths by Month (Utah 2009)



- Salt Lake, Weber, Cache, and Utah Counties had the highest crash rates per miles traveled.

Urban/Rural Location (Utah 2009)



- August and March had the most deaths.

- Urban areas had a higher rate of total crashes per vehicle mile traveled while rural areas had a higher fatal crash rate.
- Rural crashes were 4.4 times more likely to be fatal than urban crashes.