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## Maryland Fatality Summary

**2023 - 92 Total Crashes, 102 Fatalities**      -      -  
**2022 - 524 Total Crashes, 554 Fatalities**      -      -  
**2021 - 524 Total Crashes, 563 Fatalities**      -      -

Breakdown	2023**		2022**		2021	
	Fatalities	% of Total	Fatalities	% of Total	Fatalities	% of Total
<b>Drivers - All</b>	58	56.9%	343	61.9%	343	60.9%
<b>Passenger - All</b>	19	18.6%	64	11.6%	83	14.7%
<b>Pedestrians - walking</b>	22	21.6%	129	23.3%	128	22.7%
<b>Other Pedestrian Types</b>	0	0.0%	6	1.1%	3	0.5%
<b>Bike or Other Pedalcycle</b>	2	2.0%	11	2.0%	6	1.1%
<b>Unknown</b>	1	1.0%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	102	100.0%	554	100.0%	563	100.0%

Other Pedestrians - wheelchairs, skateboards, worker etc.

**Data is preliminary and subject to change. 2022 & 2023 is incomplete. 2023 is subject to change until 01/01/24.**

Fatal Crashes/fatalities 'Fatal Crashes' is a count of the number of incidents where at least one fatality occurred as a result of a motor vehicle crash. 'Fatalities' is a count of the total number of persons killed in a motor vehicle crash (some fatal crashes involve more than one fatality). Fatal crash/fatality numbers as reported to the Maryland State Police (MSP) and summarized by the Maryland Department of Transportation's Highway Safety Office. Fatal crash data includes information about crashes still under investigation and is subject to change. Data excludes fatalities determined to be the result of a medical condition, suicide, homicide or non-traffic related causes determined by the MSP FARS analyst.



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### Maryland - Fatalities By Month By Person

2023							
Month	Drivers	Passengers	Pedestrian	Oth. Ped.	Bicycles	Unknown	Total
January	22	8	8	0	1	1	40
February	23	3	10	0	1	0	37
March	13	8	4	0	0	0	25
<b>Qtr. 1</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>102</b>
April						0	0
May						0	0
June						0	0
<b>Qtr. 2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
July						0	0
August						0	0
September						0	0
<b>Qtr. 3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
October							0
November							0
December							0
<b>Qtr. 4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>102</b>

2022							
Month	Drivers	Passengers	Pedestrian	Oth. Ped.	Bicycles	Unknown	Total
January	28	9	11	0	1	0	49
February	21	4	8	0	0	0	33
March	25	6	16	0	1	0	48
<b>Qtr. 1</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>130</b>
April	23	2	10	1	0	0	36
May	37	5	8	0	1	0	51
June	28	5	17	1	2	0	53
<b>Qtr. 2</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>140</b>
July	27	7	6	1	0	0	41
August	40	5	9	1	2	0	57
September	27	3	6	1	3	0	40
<b>Qtr. 3</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>138</b>
October	35	7	14	0	1	0	57
November	22	6	11	0	0	1	40
December	30	5	13	1	0	0	49
<b>Qtr. 4</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>146</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>554</b>

2021							
Month	Drivers	Passengers	Pedestrian	Oth. Ped.	Bicycles	Unknown	Total
January	18	3	13	0	0	0	34
February	15	5	9	0	0	0	29
March	28	5	13	0	0	0	46
<b>Qtr. 1</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>109</b>
April	24	10	8	1	2	0	45
May	32	13	10	0	0	0	55
June	26	3	10	1	0	0	40
<b>Qtr. 2</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>140</b>
July	29	6	10	0	1	0	46
August	44	13	11	0	0	0	68
September	36	1	11	0	2	0	50
<b>Qtr. 3</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>164</b>
October	33	6	12	1	0	0	52
November	35	6	16	0	1	0	58
December	23	12	5	0	0	0	40
<b>Qtr. 4</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>150</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>563</b>



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## Maryland - Fatalities By Month Date Comparison

Statewide			
Month	2023	2022	# DIFFERENCE
January	40	49	-9
February	37	33	4
March	25	48	-23
April		36	-36
May		51	-51
June		53	-53
July		41	-41
August		57	-57
September		40	-40
October		57	-57
November		40	-40
December		49	-49
<b>Totals</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>-452</b>
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>-28</b>
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>-140</b>
<b>Quarter 3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>-138</b>
<b>Quarter 4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>146</b>	

**-82%**

## Maryland - Fatal Crashes By Month Date Comparison

Statewide		Statewide	
Month	2023	2022	# DIFFERENCE
January	36	41	-5
February	36	33	3
March	20	48	-28
April		33	-33
May		48	-48
June		51	-51
July		39	-39
August		54	-54
September		39	-39
October		53	-53
November		36	-36
December		49	-49
<b>Totals</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>-432</b>

**-82%**

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Data from Susie Wellman's fatality counts, includes fatalities that are not yet included in the main database.



## Maryland - Fatal Crashes / Fatalities By County Date Comparison to March 17th

COUNTY	Fatal Crashes			Fatalities			
	2023	2022	#DIFFERENCE	2023	2022	#DIFFERENCE	
Allegany		2	-2		2	-2	
Anne Arundel	7	4	3	8	4	4	
Baltimore	18	16	2	19	17	2	
Calvert	3	1	2	3	1	2	
Caroline	3		3	6		6	
Carroll	1		1	1		1	
Cecil	6	3	3	9	3	6	
Charles	2	7	-5	2	9	-7	
Dorchester	1	1	0	1	1	0	
Frederick	7	4	3	7	4	3	
Garrett	1		1	1		1	
Harford	2	3	-1	2	6	-4	
Howard	2	2	0	2	2	0	
Kent	1	1	0	1	1	0	
Montgomery	9	9	0	10	11	-1	
Prince George's	16	24	-8	17	24	-7	
Queen Anne's	3	2	1	3	2	1	
St. Mary's	1	2	-1	1	2	-1	
Somerset		1	-1		1	-1	
Talbot		1	-1		1	-1	
Washington	3	4	-1	3	4	-1	
Wicomico	3	3	0	3	3	0	
Worcester		3	-3		3	-3	
Baltimore City	3	5	-2	3	5	-2	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>-4</b>	
<i>Fatal Crash</i>	<i>% Change</i>		<b>-6%</b>	<i>Fatalities</i>	<i>%Change</i>		<b>-4%</b>

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