

## Contributing Circumstances

	Category	Contributing Circumstance (top 40)	Frequency**	% Total
1	DRIVER	INATTENTION - GENERAL	13,033	19.1%
2	ENVIRONMENT	ANIMAL - - WILD OR DOMESTIC	7,490	11.0%
3	DRIVER	RIGHT OF WAY VIOLATION	7,151	10.5%
4	DRIVER	TOO FAST FOR CONDITIONS	5,641	8.3%
5	DRIVER	FOLLOWED TOO CLOSELY	4,883	7.2%
6	DRIVER	UNDER INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL	2,746	4.0%
7	ROADWAY	ICY OR SLUSHY	1,738	2.6%
8	DRIVER	DISREGARDED SIGNS-SIGNALS-MARKINGS	1,672	2.5%
9	DRIVER	IMPROPER LANE CHANGE	1,654	2.4%
10	DRIVER	IMPROPER BACKING	1,520	2.2%
11	ROADWAY	WET	1,482	2.2%
12	DRIVER	IMPROPER TURN	1,390	2.0%
13	DRIVER	CARELESS OR RECKLESS DRIVING	1,361	2.0%
14	DRIVER	AVOIDANCE OR EVASIVE ACTION	1,339	2.0%
15	DRIVER	OTHER DISTRACTION IN OR ON VEHICLE	1,336	2.0%
16	ROADWAY	SNOW PACKED OR ACCUMULATION	1,196	1.8%
17	DRIVER	RAN RED LIGHT	1,167	1.7%
18	ENVIRONMENT	RAIN, MIST, OR DRIZZLE	1,088	1.6%
19	DRIVER	UNKNOWN	1,084	1.6%
20	DRIVER	OVERSTEERING- OVERCORRECTION	959	1.4%
21	ENVIRONMENT	FALLING OR BLOWING SNOW	922	1.4%
22	DRIVER	FELL ASLEEP OR FATIGUED	776	1.1%
23	DRIVER	EXCEEDED SPEED LIMIT	635	0.9%
24	DRIVER	MOBILE PHONE	518	0.8%
25	DRIVER	WRONG SIDE OR WAY	511	0.8%
26	DRIVER	ILL OR MEDICAL CONDITION	459	0.7%
27	ENVIRONMENT	SLEET, HAIL, FREEZING RAIN	424	0.6%
28	DRIVER	IMPROPER PASSING	411	0.6%
29	DRIVER	DISTRACTION NOT IN OR ON VEHICLE	409	0.6%
30	ENVIRONMENT	VISION OBSTR--SUN OR LIGHT GLARE	368	0.5%
31	DRIVER	OTHER	331	0.5%
32	VEHICLE	TIRES	311	0.5%
33	DRIVER	UNDER INFLUENCE OF MEDICATION	303	0.4%
34	DRIVER	DID NOT COMPLY WITH DL RESTRICTIONS	294	0.4%
35	ROADWAY	DEBRIS OR OBSTRUCTION	276	0.4%
36	DRIVER	AGGRESSIVE DRIVING	254	0.4%
37	DRIVER	EMOTIONAL CONDITION	254	0.4%
38	VEHICLE	BRAKES	245	0.4%
39	ROADWAY	OTHER	232	0.3%
40	ROADWAY	UNKNOWN	226	0.3%

\*More than one Contributing Circumstance may be recorded per accident