

# Traffic

This section contains information relating to traffic accidents, speed, red light camera notices and random breath tests within Queensland.

All random breath test data was provided by the State Traffic Support Group of the Queensland Police Service and is current as at 22 July 2005. All traffic accident data was provided by the Road Use Data Analysis Branch of the Land Transport and Safety Division of the Queensland Department of Transport and is current as at 3 August 2005.

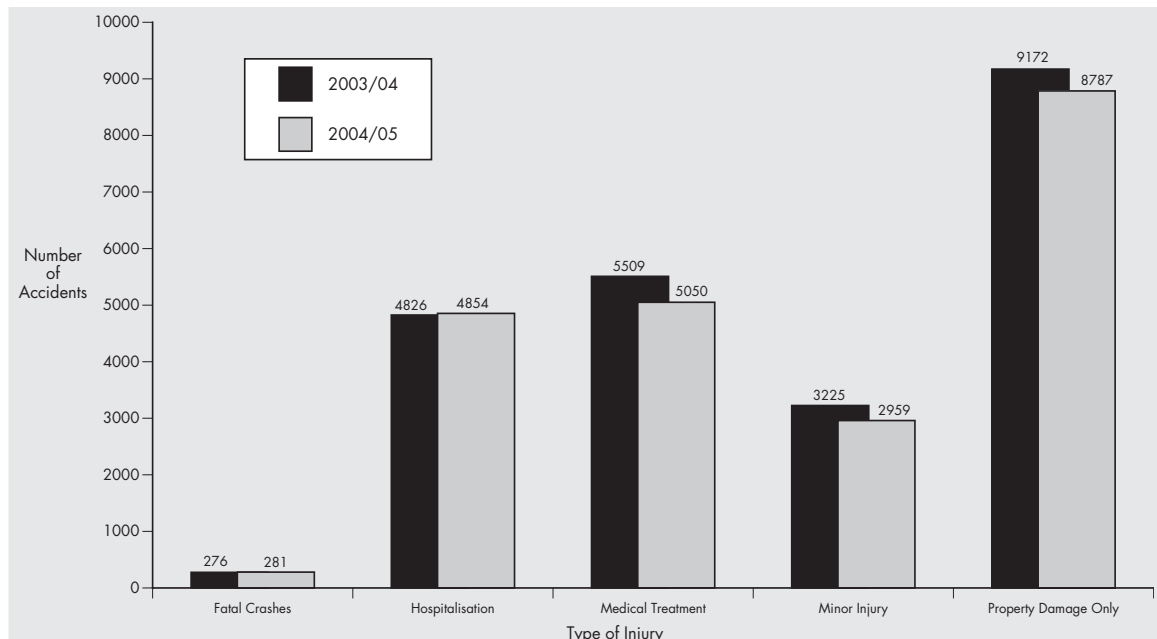
District statistics for Metropolitan North Region have been presented according to the current Statistical Districts of Brisbane Central, Brisbane West, North Brisbane and Pine Rivers for the first time in this publication.

It should be noted that, to qualify as valid, crashes must meet the following criteria:

- the crash occurs on a public road;
- a person is injured, or the value of the property damage is:
  - a. \$2500 to property other than vehicles (after 1 December 1999)
  - b. \$2500 damage to vehicle and property (after 1 December 1991 & prior to 1 December 1999)
  - c. value of property damage is greater than \$1000 (prior to December 1991)
- at least one vehicle was towed away.

Crashes resulting from medical conditions or deliberate acts are excluded.

## Accidents by Type of Injury\*^



\* Please note information held in the Road Crash Database on events occurring within the last twelve months are considered preliminary as investigations into crashes can take up to one year to finalise.  
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## Accidents by Type of Injury\* +

| Region/District                              | 2003/04       |                 |                   |              |                      | 2004/05       |                 |                   |              |                      |
|--|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|----------------------|
|  | Fatal Crashes | Hospitalisation | Medical Treatment | Minor Injury | Property Damage Only | Fatal Crashes | Hospitalisation | Medical Treatment | Minor Injury | Property Damage Only |
| <b>Far Northern Region</b>                   | <b>11</b>     | <b>324</b>      | <b>266</b>        | <b>203</b>   | <b>627</b>           | <b>22</b>     | <b>371</b>      | <b>224</b>        | <b>199</b>   | <b>638</b>           |
| Cairns                                       | 4             | 209             | 192               | 144          | 428                  | 7             | 260             | 144               | 149          | 464                  |
| Innisfail                                    | 2             | 45              | 33                | 33           | 98                   | 6             | 38              | 49                | 25           | 80                   |
| Mareeba                                      | 5             | 70              | 41                | 26           | 101                  | 9             | 73              | 31                | 25           | 94                   |
| <b>Northern Region</b>                       | <b>11</b>     | <b>300</b>      | <b>278</b>        | <b>166</b>   | <b>567</b>           | <b>25</b>     | <b>327</b>      | <b>279</b>        | <b>147</b>   | <b>512</b>           |
| Mount Isa                                    | 6             | 44              | 30                | 22           | 73                   | 7             | 63              | 28                | 25           | 66                   |
| Townsville                                   | 5             | 256             | 248               | 144          | 494                  | 18            | 264             | 251               | 122          | 446                  |
| <b>Central Region</b>                        | <b>31</b>     | <b>416</b>      | <b>386</b>        | <b>227</b>   | <b>861</b>           | <b>35</b>     | <b>453</b>      | <b>377</b>        | <b>248</b>   | <b>823</b>           |
| Gladstone                                    | 4             | 93              | 82                | 37           | 155                  | 8             | 80              | 76                | 46           | 147                  |
| Longreach                                    | 2             | 21              | 17                | 3            | 31                   | 0             | 23              | 8                 | 7            | 20                   |
| Mackay                                       | 14            | 162             | 141               | 107          | 313                  | 18            | 192             | 174               | 104          | 298                  |
| Rockhampton                                  | 11            | 140             | 146               | 80           | 362                  | 9             | 158             | 119               | 91           | 358                  |
| <b>North Coast Region</b>                    | <b>78</b>     | <b>887</b>      | <b>958</b>        | <b>559</b>   | <b>1811</b>          | <b>70</b>     | <b>913</b>      | <b>901</b>        | <b>503</b>   | <b>1783</b>          |
| Bundaberg                                    | 13            | 129             | 119               | 75           | 247                  | 10            | 114             | 143               | 63           | 219                  |
| Gympie                                       | 12            | 116             | 85                | 49           | 198                  | 13            | 106             | 83                | 56           | 190                  |
| Maryborough                                  | 11            | 102             | 134               | 71           | 215                  | 12            | 136             | 107               | 51           | 219                  |
| Redcliffe                                    | 16            | 239             | 231               | 124          | 417                  | 12            | 221             | 196               | 118          | 438                  |
| Sunshine Coast                               | 26            | 301             | 389               | 240          | 734                  | 23            | 336             | 372               | 215          | 717                  |
| <b>Southern Region</b>                       | <b>44</b>     | <b>553</b>      | <b>523</b>        | <b>332</b>   | <b>1304</b>          | <b>46</b>     | <b>538</b>      | <b>500</b>        | <b>304</b>   | <b>1255</b>          |
| Charleville                                  | 2             | 11              | 8                 | 5            | 20                   | 0             | 10              | 13                | 2            | 16                   |
| Dalby  | 5             | 43              | 25                | 22           | 63                   | 4             | 41              | 32                | 19           | 61                   |
| Ipswich                                      | 14            | 212             | 218               | 150          | 531                  | 13            | 190             | 188               | 127          | 488                  |
| Roma   | 2             | 30              | 32                | 10           | 46                   | 2             | 42              | 15                | 15           | 58                   |
| Toowoomba                                    | 10            | 191             | 196               | 115          | 549                  | 18            | 191             | 203               | 117          | 530                  |
| Warwick                                      | 11            | 66              | 44                | 30           | 95                   | 9             | 64              | 49                | 24           | 102                  |
| <b>South Eastern Region</b>                  | <b>51</b>     | <b>937</b>      | <b>972</b>        | <b>547</b>   | <b>1398</b>          | <b>37</b>     | <b>827</b>      | <b>887</b>        | <b>505</b>   | <b>1242</b>          |
| Logan  | 26            | 371             | 391               | 209          | 587                  | 17            | 331             | 338               | 202          | 524                  |
| Gold Coast                                   | 25            | 566             | 581               | 338          | 811                  | 20            | 496             | 549               | 303          | 718                  |
| <b>Metropolitan North Region<sup>^</sup></b> | <b>14</b>     | <b>708</b>      | <b>1000</b>       | <b>605</b>   | <b>1243</b>          | <b>11</b>     | <b>673</b>      | <b>924</b>        | <b>551</b>   | <b>1222</b>          |
| Brisbane Central                             | 1             | 168             | 190               | 152          | 301                  | 1             | 168             | 208               | 146          | 254                  |
| Brisbane West                                | 7             | 175             | 234               | 162          | 314                  | 4             | 166             | 238               | 129          | 310                  |
| North Brisbane                               | 4             | 278             | 444               | 217          | 472                  | 3             | 243             | 362               | 211          | 508                  |
| Pine Rivers                                  | 2             | 87              | 132               | 74           | 156                  | 3             | 96              | 116               | 65           | 150                  |
| <b>Metropolitan South Region</b>             | <b>36</b>     | <b>701</b>      | <b>1126</b>       | <b>586</b>   | <b>1361</b>          | <b>35</b>     | <b>752</b>      | <b>958</b>        | <b>502</b>   | <b>1312</b>          |
| Oxley  | 10            | 228             | 311               | 152          | 436                  | 7             | 238             | 276               | 185          | 395                  |
| South Brisbane                               | 10            | 308             | 576               | 319          | 633                  | 17            | 324             | 468               | 239          | 628                  |
| Wynnum                                       | 16            | 165             | 239               | 115          | 292                  | 11            | 190             | 214               | 78           | 289                  |
| <b>Queensland</b>                            | <b>276</b>    | <b>4826</b>     | <b>5509</b>       | <b>3225</b>  | <b>9172</b>          | <b>281</b>    | <b>4854</b>     | <b>5050</b>       | <b>2959</b>  | <b>8787</b>          |

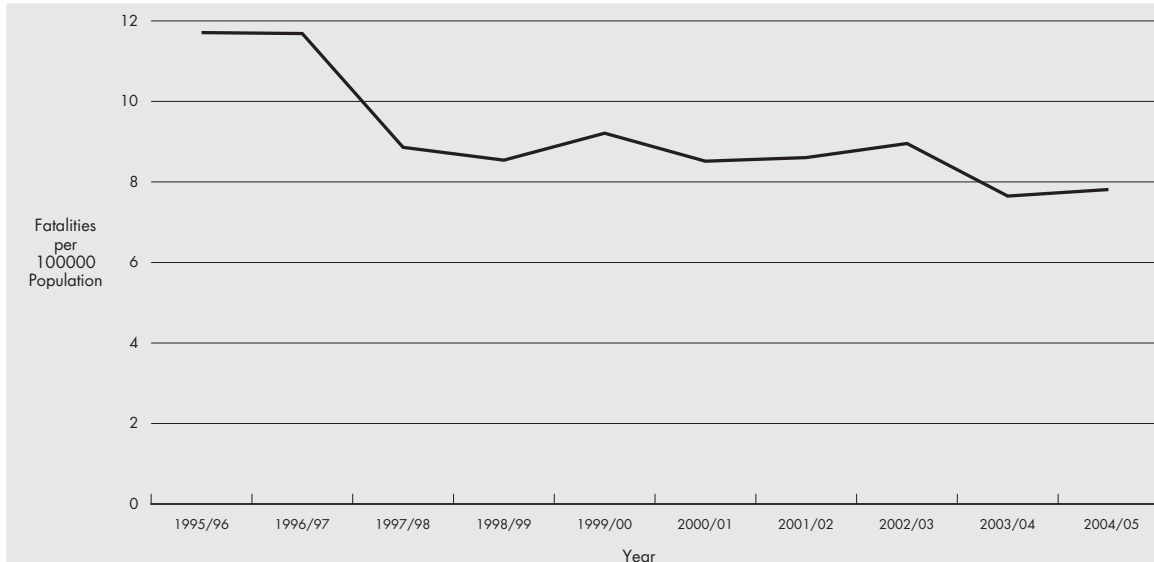
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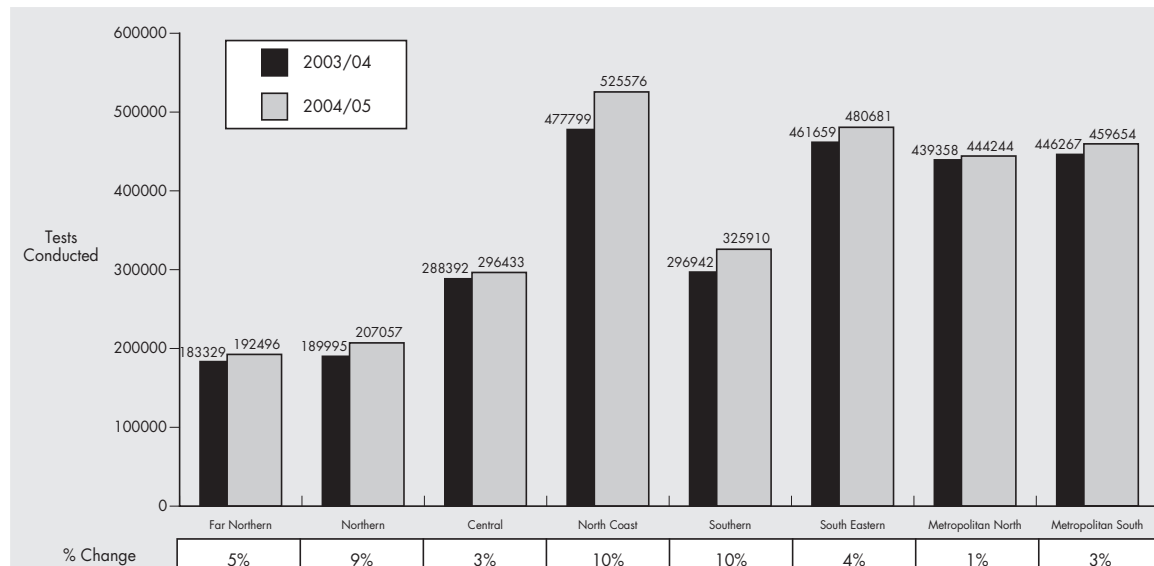
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## Rate of Road Fatalities - Queensland



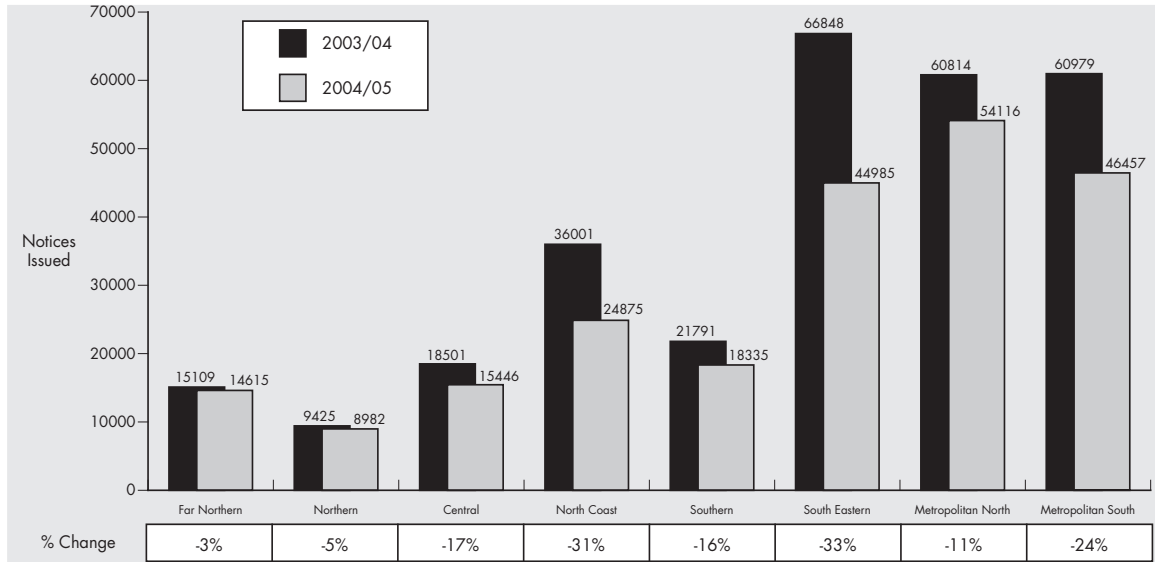
## Random Breath Tests by Region^ - Queensland



^ The aggregate of region totals do not equate to the number of tests conducted statewide.

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## *Speed Camera Notices by Region - Queensland*



## *Red Light Camera Notices by Region - Queensland*

