

# Labor Day Holiday 2010

## Highway Safety Fact Sheet

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### Labor Day Holiday Fatalities 2005 - 2010



- ❑ Fatalities increased from nine in 2009 to ten in 2010
- ❑ Alcohol-related fatalities decreased from six in 2009 to five in 2010
- ❑ Two motorcycle operator fatalities were not wearing helmets.

### Crashes & Fatalities

The 2010 Labor Day Holiday was a total of 78 hours which began at 6 p.m. on Friday, September 3 and ended at midnight on Monday, September 6. During this time period, there were ten persons killed in ten fatal crashes. Five of the ten fatalities occurred in alcohol-related crashes.

Two fatalities were occupants of pickup trucks, three were occupants in a 4-door passenger vehicle, one was an occupant of an SUV, two were motorcycle operators, one was a driver of a truck-tractor/semi-trailer and one was a pedestrian.

### Restraint Use Among Fatalities

Three driver fatalities and three passenger fatalities were occupants of passenger vehicles/pickup trucks. Two driver fatalities and two passenger fatalities were not using restraints.

Two motorcycle operator fatalities were not wearing helmets.



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78 Hours

Friday, September 3, 2010 (6 p.m.) through Monday, September 6, 2010 (Midnight)

Injury Severity	All Crashes		Alcohol-Related Crashes		Restraint Use Among Fatality Victims				
	Crashes	Persons	Crashes	Persons	Person Type	Unknown	In Use	Not in Use	Total
Fatal	10	10	5	5	Driver		1	2	3
Injury	197	319	27	50	Passenger		1	2	3
Total	489	1059	60	105	Total		2	4	6

Injury includes incapacitating, non-incapacitating and possible.

Excludes one pedestrian, two motorcyclists, and one driver of a truck-tractor/semi-trailer.