



Highway Safety Improvement Program
Data Driven Decisions

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Executive Summary

Maine has a data driven approach for HSIP project selection, assessing various aspects of crash performance. Before and After crash results comparison have consistently shown performance improvement over the years. HSIP selection process is re-evaluated each year to see if there opportunities for enhancement and for improved alignment for the state's SHSP.

Introduction

The Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) is a core Federal-aid program with the purpose of achieving a significant reduction in fatalities and serious injuries on all public roads. As per 23 U.S.C. 148(h) and 23 CFR 924.15, States are required to report annually on the progress being made to advance HSIP implementation and evaluation efforts. The format of this report is consistent with the HSIP MAP-21 Reporting Guidance dated February 13, 2013 and consists of four sections: program structure, progress in implementing HSIP projects, progress in achieving safety performance targets, and assessment of the effectiveness of the improvements.

Program Structure

Program Administration

How are Highway Safety Improvement Program funds allocated in a State?

Central

District

Other

Describe how local roads are addressed as part of Highway Safety Improvement Program.

Local roads are included with the state-wide project candidates. Maine does capture crash and roadway data for Local roads and so is able to evaluate all locations within the state. Local requests are also received based on crash concerns and are reviewed as part of the candidate screening process.

Identify which internal partners are involved with Highway Safety Improvement Program planning.

Design

- Planning
- Maintenance
- Operations
- Governors Highway Safety Office
- Other:

Briefly describe coordination with internal partners.

Executive, Planning, Traffic Engineering, Project Development all play a part in safety planning. MaineDOT is currently enhancing its Work Plan approach to integrate safety into the planning process, looking to get safety in the planning thought process early on to consider not just stand-alone safety needs, but also opportunities that would complement upcoming paving and construction projects.

Identify which external partners are involved with Highway Safety Improvement Program planning.

- Metropolitan Planning Organizations
- Governors Highway Safety Office
- Local Government Association
- Other:

Identify any program administration practices used to implement the HSIP that have changed since the last reporting period.

- Multi-disciplinary HSIP steering committee
- Other: Other-Ongoing tweaks made to enhance HSIP approach

Describe any other aspects of Highway Safety Improvement Program Administration on which you would like to elaborate.

None

Program Methodology

Select the programs that are administered under the HSIP.

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Median Barrier | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intersection | <input type="checkbox"/> Safe Corridor |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Horizontal Curve | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bicycle Safety | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rural State Highways |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Skid Hazard | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crash Data | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Red Light Running Prevention |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roadway Departure | <input type="checkbox"/> Low-Cost Spot Improvements | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sign Replacement And Improvement |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Safety | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pedestrian Safety | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Right Angle Crash |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Left Turn Crash | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shoulder Improvement | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Segments |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Other-Median Barriers addressed through capital program | | |

Program:

Intersection

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

- All crashes
- Fatal crashes only
- Fatal and serious injury crashes only
- Other

Exposure

- Traffic
- Volume
- Population
- Lane miles
- Other

Roadway

- Median width
- Horizontal curvature
- Functional classification
- Roadside features
- Other-Maine Highway Corridor Priorities

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types

Other-HSM to be implemented, Maine working on calibration factors (this applies to all program areas)

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

Yes

No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

Yes

No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process

selection committee

Other-BC

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C 1

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Horizontal Curve

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

- All crashes
- Fatal crashes only
- Fatal and serious injury crashes only
- Other

Exposure

- Traffic
- Volume
- Population
- Lane miles
- Other

Roadway

- Median width
- Horizontal curvature
- Functional classification
- Roadside features
- Other-MaineDOT's Highway Corridor Priorities (same for all program areas)

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)

- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other-Highway Safety Manual to be used, Maine calibration factors being developed (same for other program areas)

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Benefit to Cost ranking, then submitted to MaineDOT Work Plan, selected projects go out to contract bid (same for other program areas)

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

- Relative Weight in Scoring
- Rank of Priority Consideration

- Ranking based on B/C 1
- Available funding 2
- Incremental B/C
- Ranking based on net benefit
- Cost Effectiveness

Program: Bicycle Safety

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

<i>Crashes</i>	<i>Exposure</i>	<i>Roadway</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All crashes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traffic	<input type="checkbox"/> Median width
<input type="checkbox"/> Fatal crashes only	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Volume	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizontal curvature
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fatal and serious injury crashes only	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Population	<input type="checkbox"/> Functional classification
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Lane miles	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roadside features
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment

- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit 1

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Rural State Highways

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

All crashes

Fatal crashes only

Fatal and serious injury crashes only

Other

Exposure

Traffic

Volume

Population

Lane miles

Other

Roadway

Median width

Horizontal curvature

Functional classification

Roadside features

Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Benefit to Cost prioritization

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C 1

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit

Cost Effectiveness

Program: **Skid Hazard**

Date of Program Methodology: **7/1/2013**

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

All crashes

Fatal crashes only

Fatal and serious injury
crashes only

Other

Exposure

Traffic

Volume

Population

Lane miles

Roadway

Median width

Horizontal curvature

Functional classification

Roadside features

Other Other**What project identification methodology was used for this program?**

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program? Yes No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

 Yes No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Benefit to Cost prioritization

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

- Relative Weight in Scoring
- Rank of Priority Consideration

- Ranking based on B/C 1
- Available funding 2
- Incremental B/C
- Ranking based on net benefit
- Cost Effectiveness

Program: **Crash Data**

Date of Program Methodology: **7/1/2013**

What data types were used in the program methodology?*Crashes**Exposure**Roadway* All crashes Traffic Median width

- | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fatal crashes only | <input type="checkbox"/> Volume | <input type="checkbox"/> Horizontal curvature |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fatal and serious injury crashes only | <input type="checkbox"/> Population | <input type="checkbox"/> Functional classification |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Lane miles | <input type="checkbox"/> Roadside features |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other-Quality & Completeness of data, reporting and data management features

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

Yes

No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process

selection committee

Other

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit 1

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Red Light Running Prevention

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?*Crashes*

- All crashes
- Fatal crashes only
- Fatal and serious injury crashes only
- Other

Exposure

- Traffic
- Volume
- Population
- Lane miles
- Other

Roadway

- Median width
- Horizontal curvature
- Functional classification
- Roadside features
- Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

Yes No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

 Yes No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

 Competitive application process selection committee Other-Benefit to Cost prioritization

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

 Relative Weight in Scoring Rank of Priority Consideration Ranking based on B/C 1 Available funding 2 Incremental B/C Ranking based on net benefit Cost Effectiveness

Program: Roadway Departure

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

- All crashes
- Fatal crashes only
- Fatal and serious injury crashes only
- Other

Exposure

- Traffic
- Volume
- Population
- Lane miles
- Other

Roadway

- Median width
- Horizontal curvature
- Functional classification
- Roadside features
- Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types

Excess proportions of specific crash types

Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

Yes

No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

Yes

No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process

selection committee

Other-Benefit to Cost selection & systemic improvements

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C 1

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit 3

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Sign Replacement And Improvement

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

All crashes

Fatal crashes only

Fatal and serious injury crashes only

Other

Exposure

Traffic

Volume

Population

Lane miles

Other

Roadway

Median width

Horizontal curvature

Functional classification

Roadside features

Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment

Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)

EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment

Relative severity index

Crash rate

Critical rate

Level of service of safety (LOSS)

- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Both Benefit to Cost and Systemic improvements

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

- Relative Weight in Scoring
- Rank of Priority Consideration

- Ranking based on B/C
- Available funding 2
- Incremental B/C
- Ranking based on net benefit 1
- Cost Effectiveness

Program: Local Safety

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

<i>Crashes</i>	<i>Exposure</i>	<i>Roadway</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All crashes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traffic	<input type="checkbox"/> Median width
<input type="checkbox"/> Fatal crashes only	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Volume	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Horizontal curvature
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fatal and serious injury crashes only	<input type="checkbox"/> Population	<input type="checkbox"/> Functional classification
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Lane miles	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roadside features
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment

- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Often work with MaineDOT's Local Road unit

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit 1

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Pedestrian Safety

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

All crashes

Fatal crashes only

Fatal and serious injury crashes only

Other

Exposure

Traffic

Volume

Population

Lane miles

Other

Roadway

Median width

Horizontal curvature

Functional classification

Roadside features

Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-These projects are normally coordinated through MaineDOT's Bike/Ped coordinator

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit 1

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Right Angle Crash

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

All crashes

Fatal crashes only

Fatal and serious injury crashes only

Other

Exposure

Traffic

Volume

Population

Lane miles

Roadway

Median width

Horizontal curvature

Functional classification

Roadside features

Other Other**What project identification methodology was used for this program?**

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Benefit to Cost Prioritization

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

- Relative Weight in Scoring
- Rank of Priority Consideration

- Ranking based on B/C 1
- Available funding 2
- Incremental B/C
- Ranking based on net benefit
- Cost Effectiveness

Program: **Left Turn Crash**

Date of Program Methodology: **7/1/2013**

What data types were used in the program methodology?*Crashes**Exposure**Roadway* All crashes Traffic Median width

- | | | |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fatal crashes only | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Volume | <input type="checkbox"/> Horizontal curvature |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fatal and serious injury crashes only | <input type="checkbox"/> Population | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Functional classification |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Lane miles | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roadside features |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

Yes

No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process

selection committee

Other-Benefit to Cost prioritization

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C 1

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit

Cost Effectiveness

Program: **Shoulder Improvement**

Date of Program Methodology: **7/1/2013**

What data types were used in the program methodology?*Crashes* All crashes Fatal crashes only Fatal and serious injury crashes only Other*Exposure* Traffic Volume Population Lane miles Other*Roadway* Median width Horizontal curvature Functional classification Roadside features Other**What project identification methodology was used for this program?** Crash frequency Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency) EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment Relative severity index Crash rate Critical rate Level of service of safety (LOSS) Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments Probability of specific crash types Excess proportions of specific crash types Other**Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?**

Yes No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

 Yes No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

 Competitive application process selection committee Other-Benefit to Cost prioritization

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

 Relative Weight in Scoring Rank of Priority Consideration Ranking based on B/C 1 Available funding 2 Incremental B/C Ranking based on net benefit Cost Effectiveness

Program: Segments

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2013

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

- All crashes
- Fatal crashes only
- Fatal and serious injury crashes only
- Other

Exposure

- Traffic
- Volume
- Population
- Lane miles
- Other

Roadway

- Median width
- Horizontal curvature
- Functional classification
- Roadside features
- Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

- Crash frequency
- Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)
- EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment
- Relative severity index
- Crash rate
- Critical rate
- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types

Excess proportions of specific crash types

Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

Yes

No

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

Yes

No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process

selection committee

Other-Benefit to Cost or systemic handling

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Relative Weight in Scoring

Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C 1

Available funding 2

Incremental B/C

Ranking based on net benefit

Cost Effectiveness

Program: Other-Median Barriers addressed through capital program

Date of Program Methodology: 2/1/2010

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes

All crashes

Fatal crashes only

Fatal and serious injury crashes only

Other

Exposure

Traffic

Volume

Population

Lane miles

Other-Divided limited access Highways - mostly interstate

Roadway

Median width

Horizontal curvature

Functional classification

Roadside features

Other

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

Expected crash frequency with EB adjustment

Equivalent property damage only (EPDO Crash frequency)

EPDO crash frequency with EB adjustment

Relative severity index

Crash rate

Critical rate

- Level of service of safety (LOSS)
- Excess expected crash frequency using SPFs
- Excess expected crash frequency with the EB adjustment
- Excess expected crash frequency using method of moments
- Probability of specific crash types
- Excess proportions of specific crash types
- Other

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

- Yes
- No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- selection committee
- Other-Systemic, phased over several years, medians <50' wide

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

- Relative Weight in Scoring
- Rank of Priority Consideration

Ranking based on B/C

Available funding 2

- Incremental B/C
- Ranking based on net benefit 1
- Cost Effectiveness

What proportion of highway safety improvement program funds address systemic improvements?

10

Highway safety improvement program funds are used to address which of the following systemic improvements?

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cable Median Barriers | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rumble Strips |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Control Device Rehabilitation | <input type="checkbox"/> Pavement/Shoulder Widening |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Install/Improve Signing | <input type="checkbox"/> Install/Improve Pavement Marking and/or Delineation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Upgrade Guard Rails | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clear Zone Improvements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Safety Edge | <input type="checkbox"/> Install/Improve Lighting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Add/Upgrade/Modify/Remove Traffic Signal | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Other-Possibly Wrong Way Driver alerts on interstate, Rapid Flashing Beacons(pedestrian) - systemic is probably less than 10% currently |

What process is used to identify potential countermeasures?

Engineering Study Road Safety Assessment Other:

Identify any program methodology practices used to implement the HSIP that have changed since the last reporting period.

 Highway Safety Manual Road Safety audits Systemic Approach Other: Other-HSM is planned for future use - currently developing calibration factors.

Describe any other aspects of the Highway Safety Improvement Program methodology on which you would like to elaborate.

Discussions with MaineDOT front office on targeted funding allocation and improved integration of safety into regular Work Plan paving and construction projects.

Progress in Implementing Projects

Funds Programmed

Reporting period for Highway Safety Improvement Program funding.

 Calendar Year State Fiscal Year

Federal Fiscal Year

Enter the programmed and obligated funding for each applicable funding category.

Funding Category	Programmed*		Obligated	
HSIP (Section 148)	10087339	99 %	18728175	100 %
HRRRP (SAFETEA-LU)	49585	0 %	0	0 %
HRRR Special Rule				
Penalty Transfer - Section 154	45260	0 %	0	0 %
Penalty Transfer – Section 164				
Incentive Grants - Section 163				
Incentive Grants (Section 406)				
Other Federal-aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)				
State and Local Funds				
Totals	10182184	100%	18728175	100%

How much funding is programmed to local (non-state owned and maintained) safety projects?

0 %

How much funding is obligated to local safety projects?

0 %

How much funding is programmed to non-infrastructure safety projects?

5 %

How much funding is obligated to non-infrastructure safety projects?

5 %

How much funding was transferred in to the HSIP from other core program areas during the reporting period?

0 %

How much funding was transferred out of the HSIP to other core program areas during the reporting period?

0 %

Discuss impediments to obligating Highway Safety Improvement Program funds and plans to overcome this in the future.

No impediments seen. Safety Office is working with Exec and Planning to improve safety planning coordination/integration.

Describe any other aspects of the general Highway Safety Improvement Program implementation progress on which you would like to elaborate.

Looking to get more oriented to Lane Departure needs (Maine experiences 70% of fatalities) in this category. Looking to achieve a better funding balance that is reflective of SHSP priorities.

General Listing of Projects

List each highway safety improvement project obligated during the reporting period.

Project	Improvement Category	Output	HSIP Cost	Total Cost	Funding Category	Functional Classification	AADT	Speed	Roadway Ownership	Relationship to SHSP	
										Emphasis Area	Strategy
59043	Intersection geometry Intersection geometrics - modify skew angle	0	510000	510000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	13280	35	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59062	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	70000	70000	HSIP	Rural Minor Collector	6574	40	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59070	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	35000	35000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	11984	25	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	

										ns	
59066	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - modernization/replacement	0	195000	195000	HSIP	Urban Major Collector	1189 4	25	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersectio ns	
59067	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	139500 0	139500 0	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	7084	50	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersectio ns	
59065	Roadway Roadway - other	0	145000	145000	HSIP	Urban Principal Arterial - Other Freeways and Expressway s	2150 0	25	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersectio ns	
59071	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	123500 0	123500 0	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	1076 6	50	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation	

										of highway intersections	
59072	Intersection geometry Intersection geometrics - modify skew angle	0	366000	366000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	1326 5	35	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59073	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - miscellaneous/other/unspecified	0	735000	735000	HSIP	Rural Principal Arterial - Other	1349 5	35	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59075	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	595000	595000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	1618 7	55	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59097	Intersection geometry Intersection geometrics -	0	195000	195000	HSIP	Rural Principal Arterial -	1551 4	35	State Highway	Improving the design and	

	modify skew angle					Other			Agency	operation of highway intersections	
59098	Intersection geometry Intersection geometrics - modify skew angle	0	575000	575000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	8326	50	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
58567	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - miscellaneous/other/unspecified	0	560000	560000	HSIP	Rural Minor Collector	18219	25	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59100	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	2325000	2325000	HSIP	Rural Principal Arterial - Other	17504	35	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59101	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry -	0	775000	775000	HSIP	Urban Major	8816	40	State Highway	Improving the design	

	other					Collector			Agency	and operation of highway intersections	
59096	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - miscellaneous/other/unspecified	0	195000	195000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	15051	35	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
29202	Intersection geometry Intersection geometrics - miscellaneous/other/unspecified	0	335000	335000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	17897	35	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	
59092	Intersection geometry Intersection geometry - other	0	240000	240000	HSIP	Rural Minor Arterial	11894	50	State Highway Agency	Improving the design and operation of highway intersections	

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Progress in Achieving Safety Performance Targets

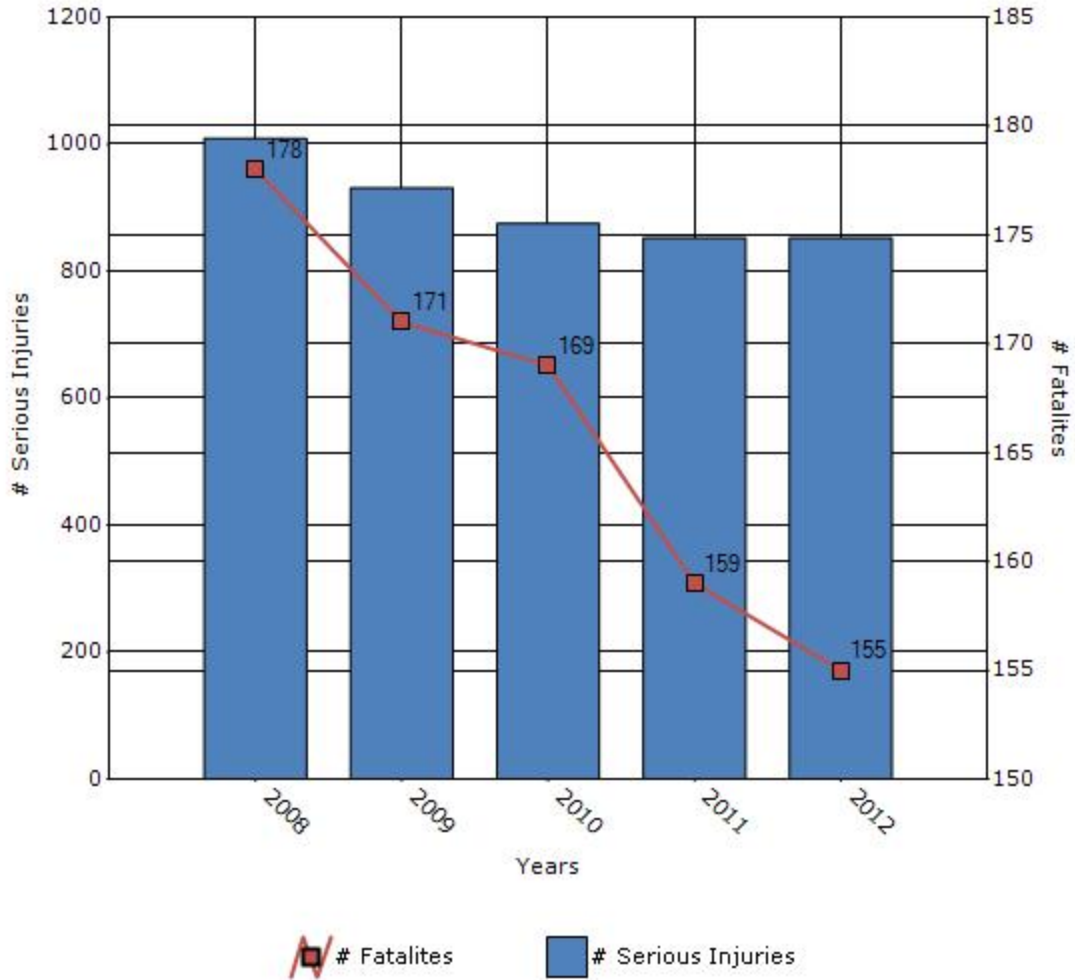
Overview of General Safety Trends

Present data showing the general highway safety trends in the state for the past five years.

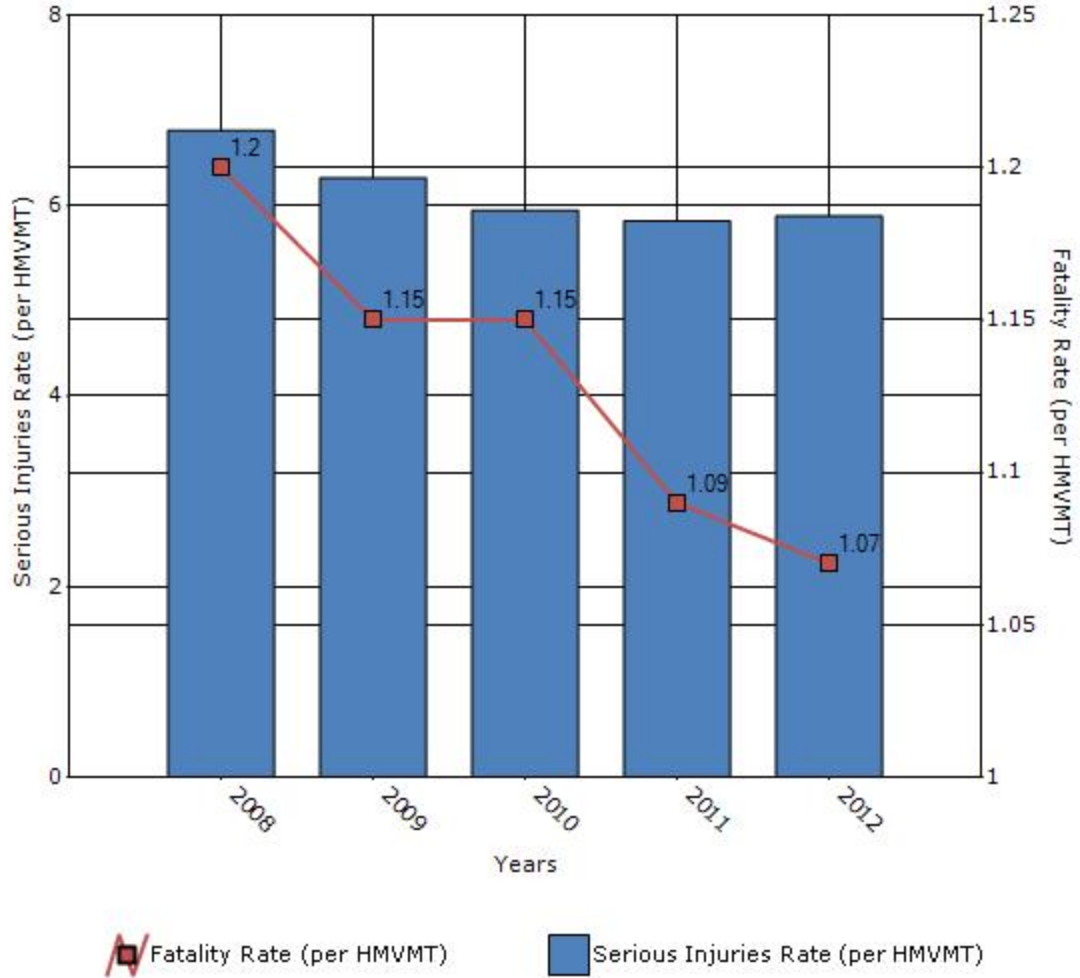
Performance Measures*	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Number of fatalities	178	171	169	159	155
Number of serious injuries	1009	931	875	852	852
Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	1.2	1.15	1.15	1.09	1.07
Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	6.79	6.29	5.95	5.84	5.89

*Performance measure data is presented using a five-year rolling average.

Number of Fatalities and Serious injuries for the Last Five Years



Rate of Fatalities and Serious injuries for the Last Five Years



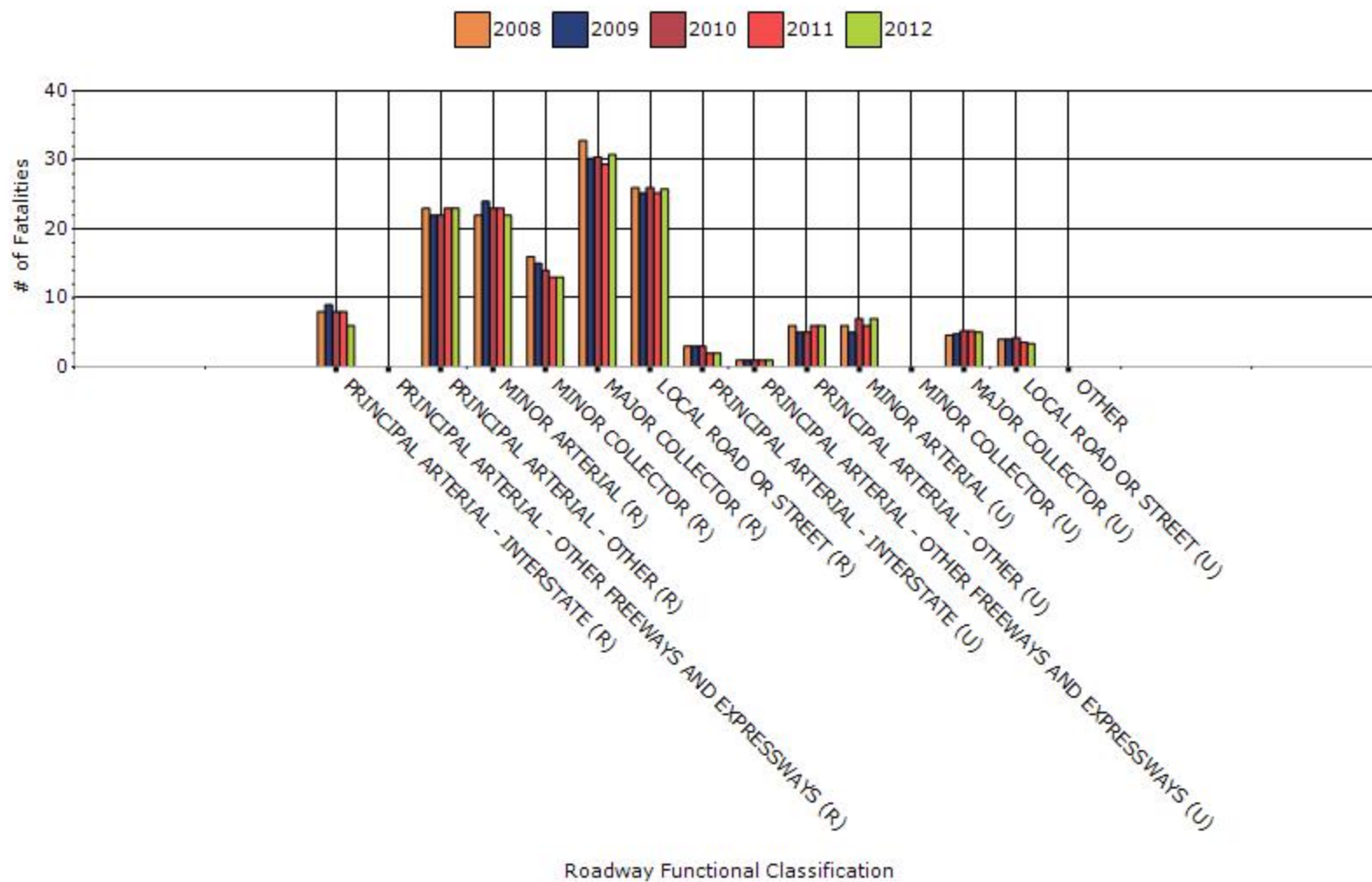
To the maximum extent possible, present performance measure* data by functional classification and ownership.

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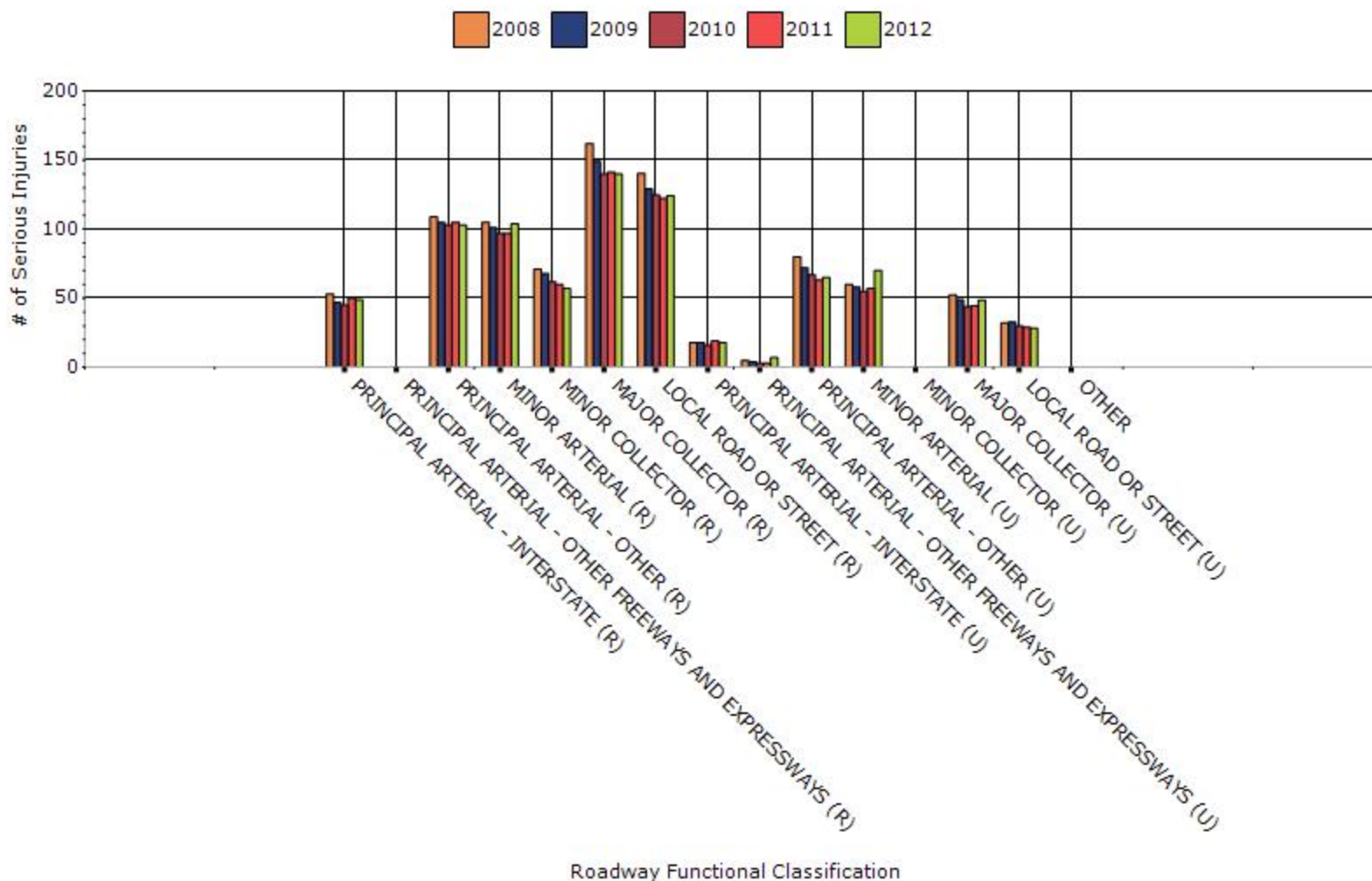
Function Classification	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - INTERSTATE	6	49	0.29	2.26
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS	0	0	0	0
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER	23	103	1.33	5.87
RURAL MINOR ARTERIAL	22	104	1.33	6.24
RURAL MINOR COLLECTOR	13	57	1.73	7.42
RURAL MAJOR COLLECTOR	30.8	140	1.47	6.68
RURAL LOCAL ROAD OR STREET	25.8	124.2	1.81	8.71
URBAN PRINCIPAL	2	18	0.19	2.13

ARTERIAL - INTERSTATE				
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS	1	7	0.39	4.34
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER	6	65	0.82	9.18
URBAN MINOR ARTERIAL	7	70	0.74	7.76
URBAN MINOR COLLECTOR	0	0	0	0
URBAN MAJOR COLLECTOR	5	48.6	0.56	5.42
URBAN LOCAL ROAD OR STREET	3.4	28.4	0.8	6.66
OTHER	0	0	0	0
OTHER	0	0	0	0

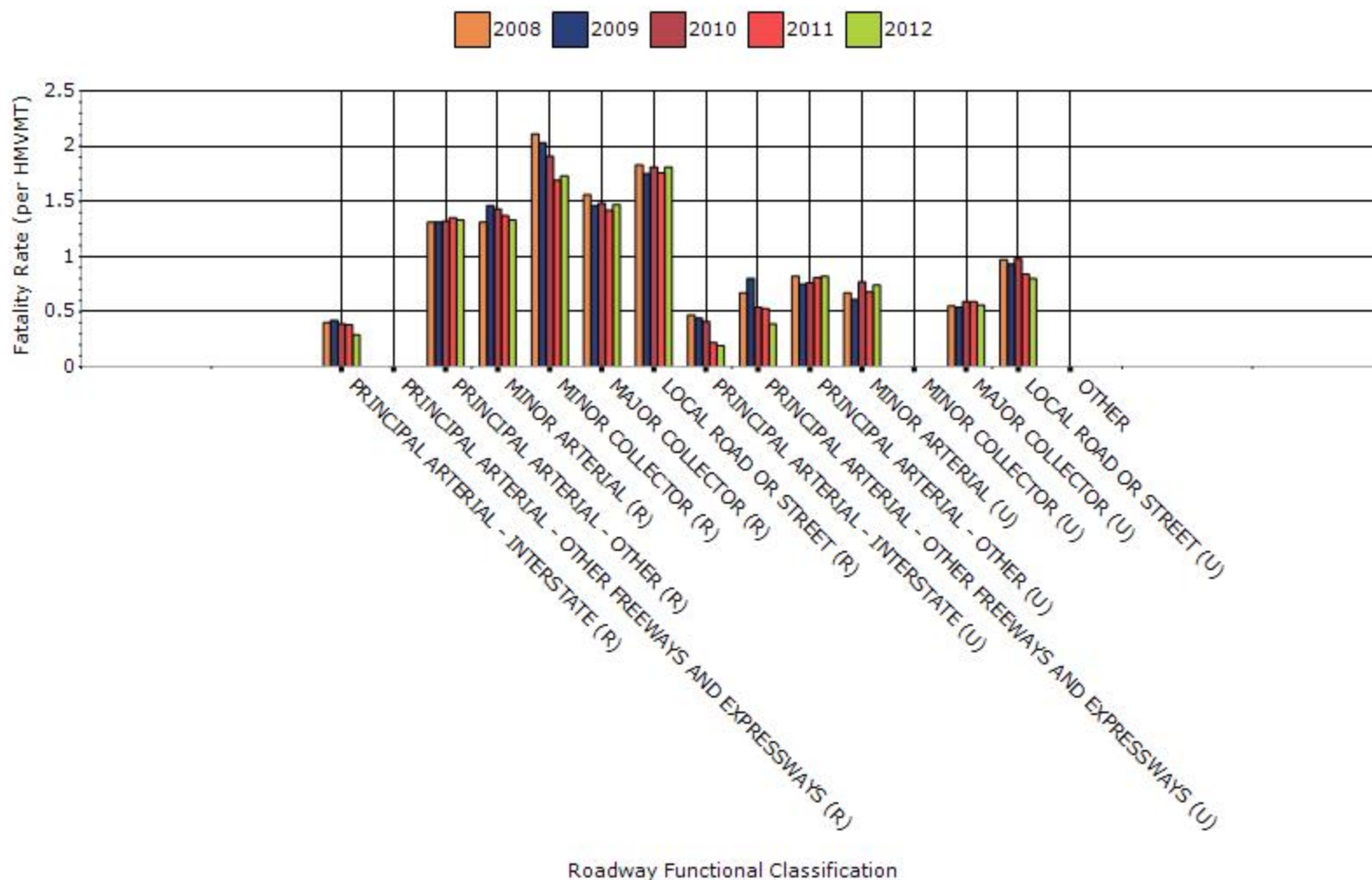
Fatalities by Roadway Functional Classification



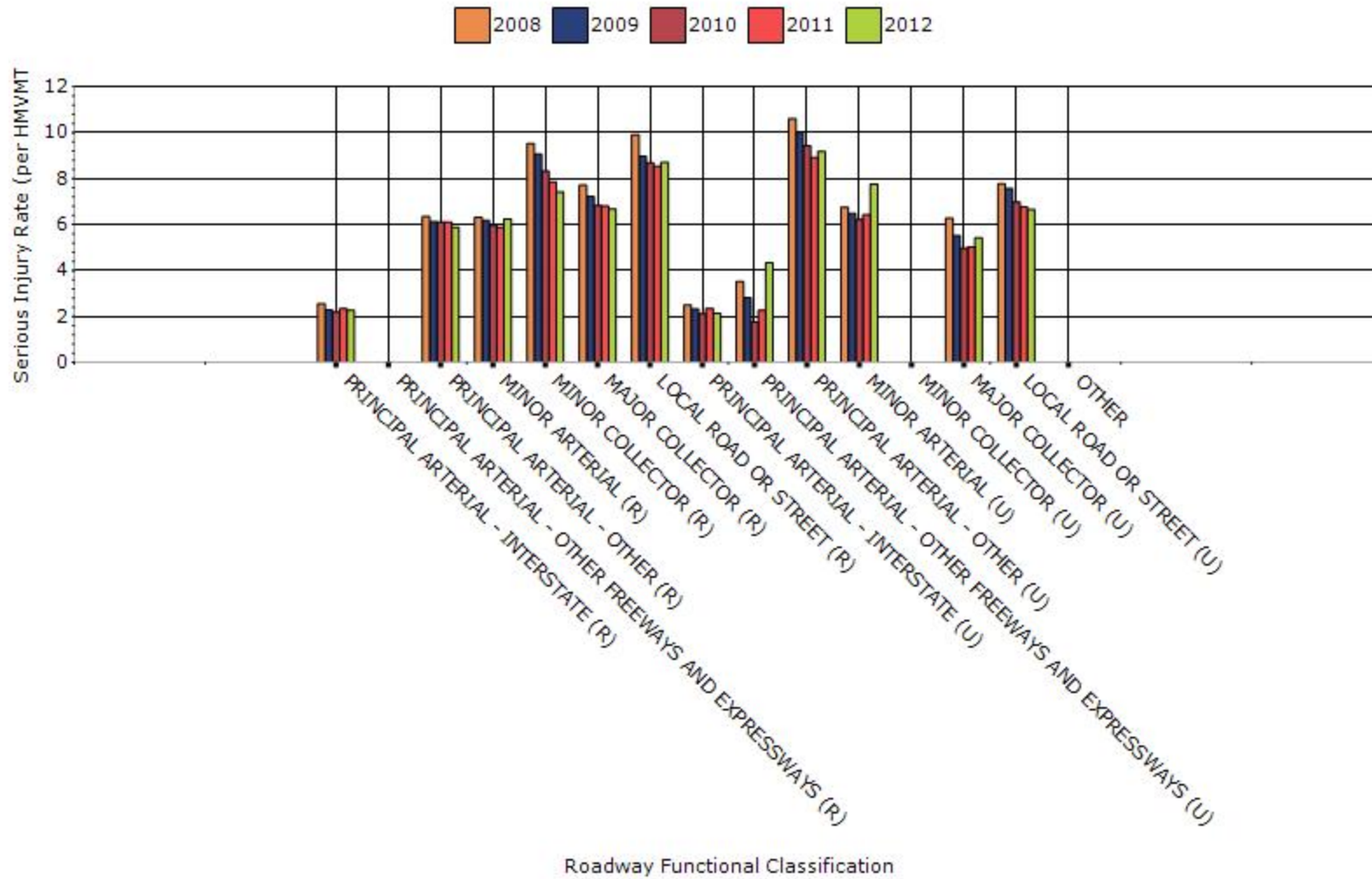
Serious Injuries by Roadway Functional Classification



Fatality Rate by Roadway Functional Classification



Serious Injury Rate by Roadway Functional Classification

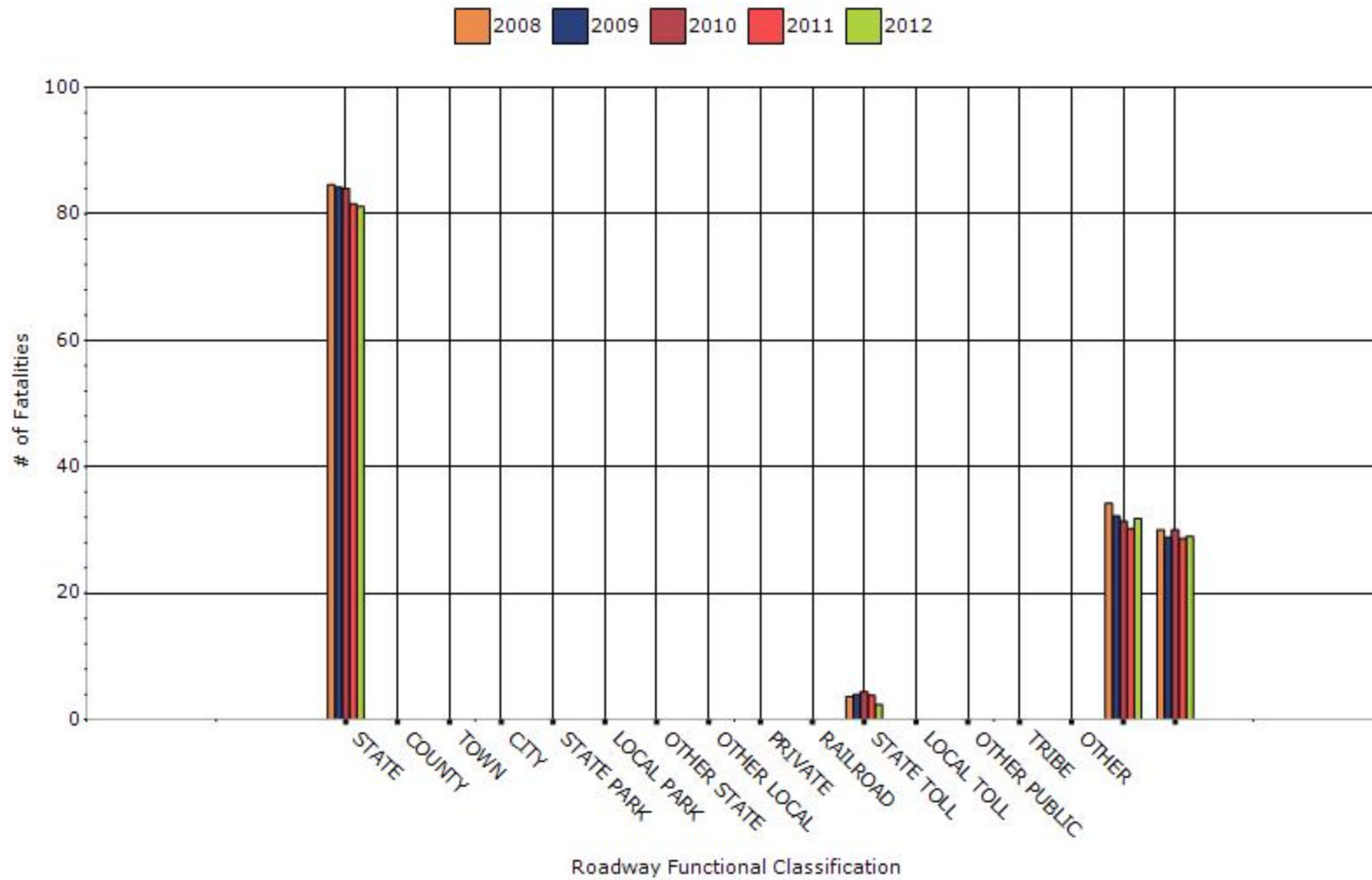


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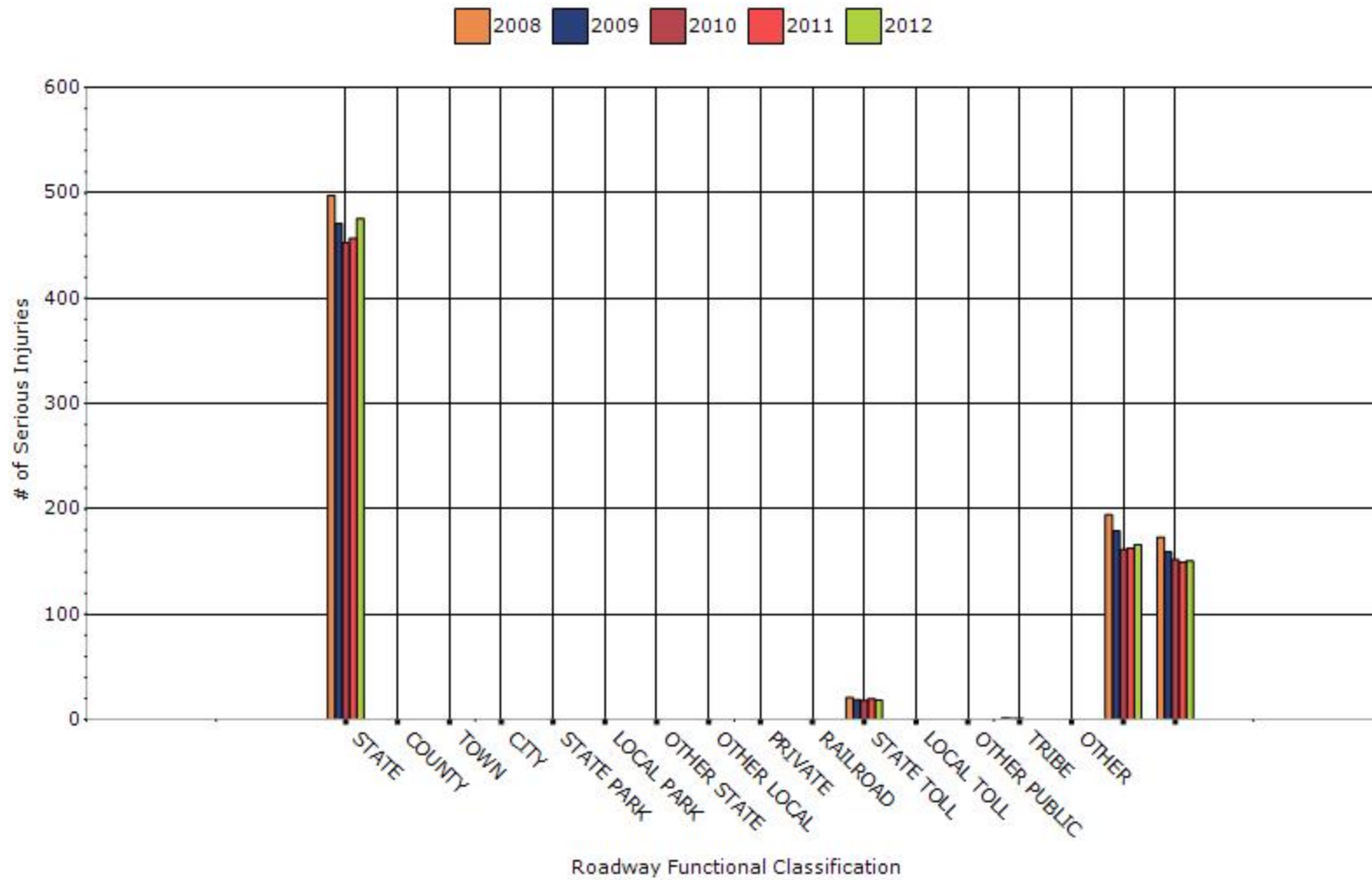
Roadway Ownership	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)
STATE HIGHWAY AGENCY	81.2	475.6	1.01	5.89
COUNTY HIGHWAY AGENCY	0	0	0	0
TOWN OR TOWNSHIP HIGHWAY AGENCY	0	0	0	0
CITY OF MUNICIPAL HIGHWAY AGENCY	0	0	0	0
STATE PARK, FOREST, OR RESERVATION AGENCY	0	0	0	0
LOCAL PARK, FOREST OR RESERVATION AGENCY	0	0	0	0
OTHER STATE AGENCY	0	0	0	0
OTHER LOCAL AGENCY	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE (OTHER THAN RAILROAD)	0	0	0	0

RAILROAD	0	0	0	0
STATE TOLL AUTHORITY	2.4	18.4	0.19	1.47
LOCAL TOLL AUTHORITY	0	0	0	0
OTHER PUBLIC INSTRUMENTALITY (E.G. AIRPORT, SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY)	0	0	0	0
INDIAN TRIBE NATION	0	0.2	0	0.52
OTHER	0	0	0	0
STATE AID	31.8	166	1.22	6.34
TOWNWAY	29	150.6	1.62	8.42
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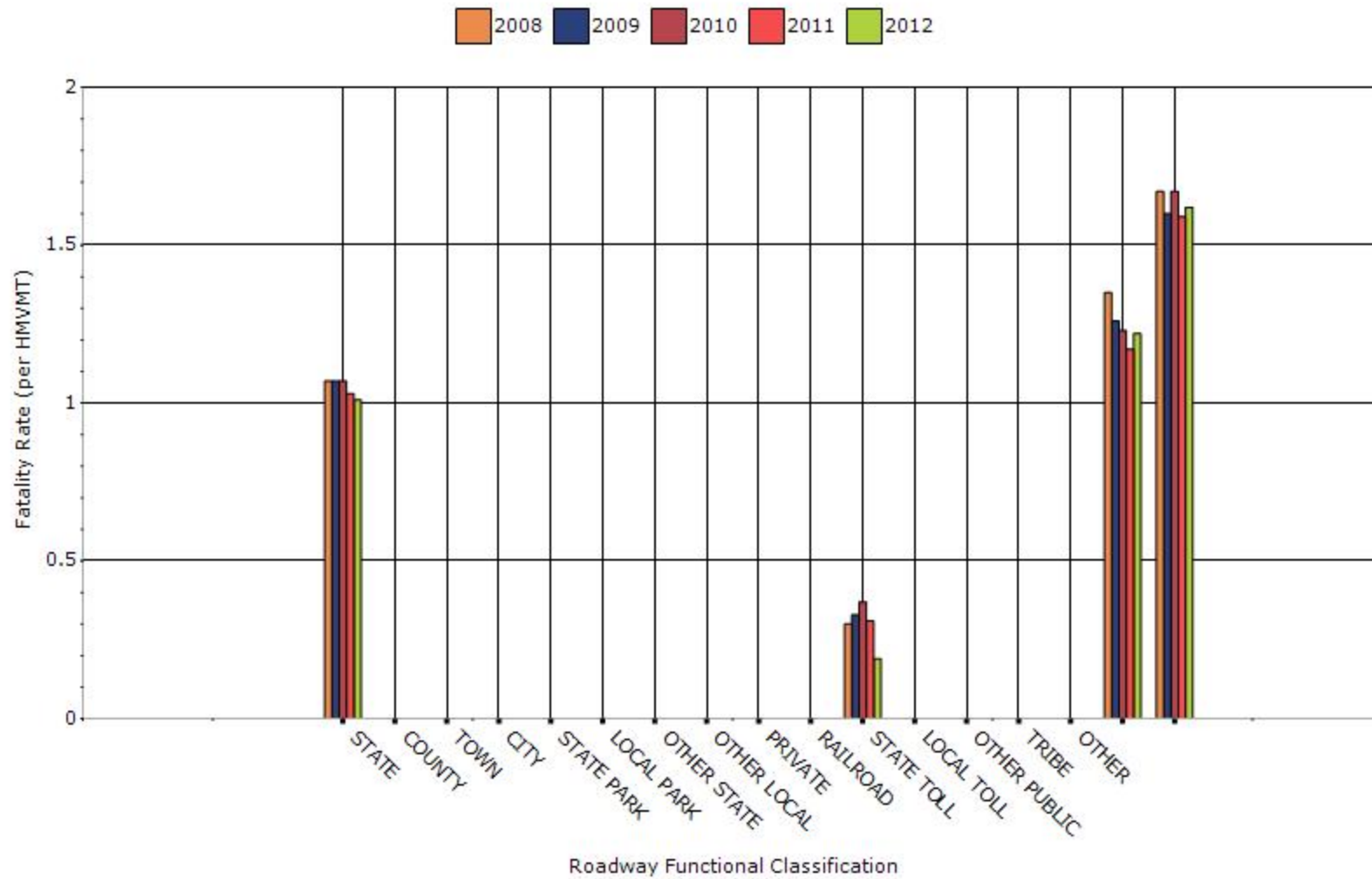
Number of Fatalities by Roadway Ownership



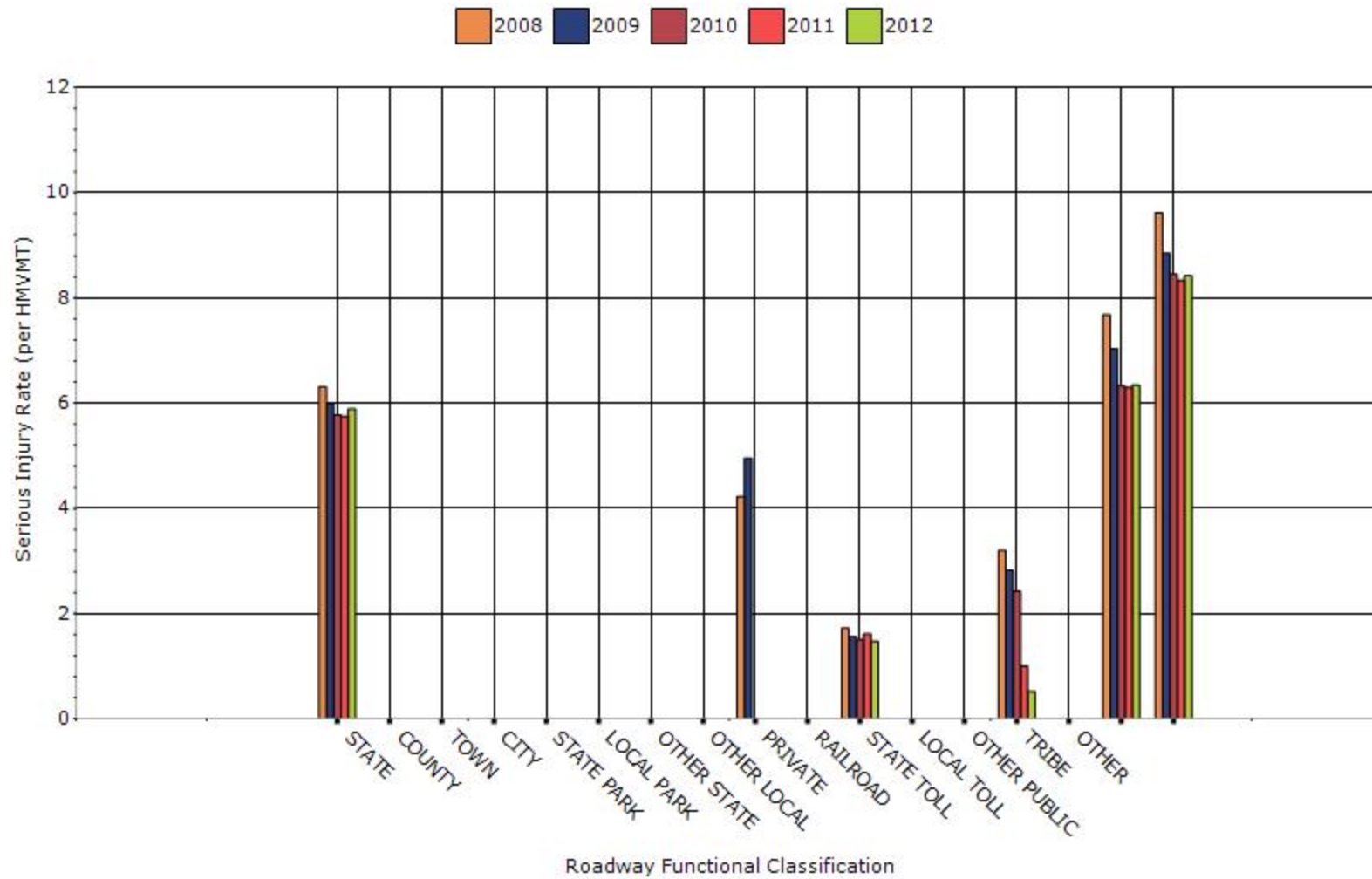
Number of Serious Injuries by Roadway Ownership



Fatality Rate by Roadway Ownership



Serious Injury Rate by Roadway Ownership



Describe any other aspects of the general highway safety trends on which you would like to elaborate.

On a long term trend analysis, Maine Crash and Fatality rates have been improving. The state's #1 fatality exposure is lane departure which also relates to driver behaviors of alcohol, speed and driver distraction.

Application of Special Rules

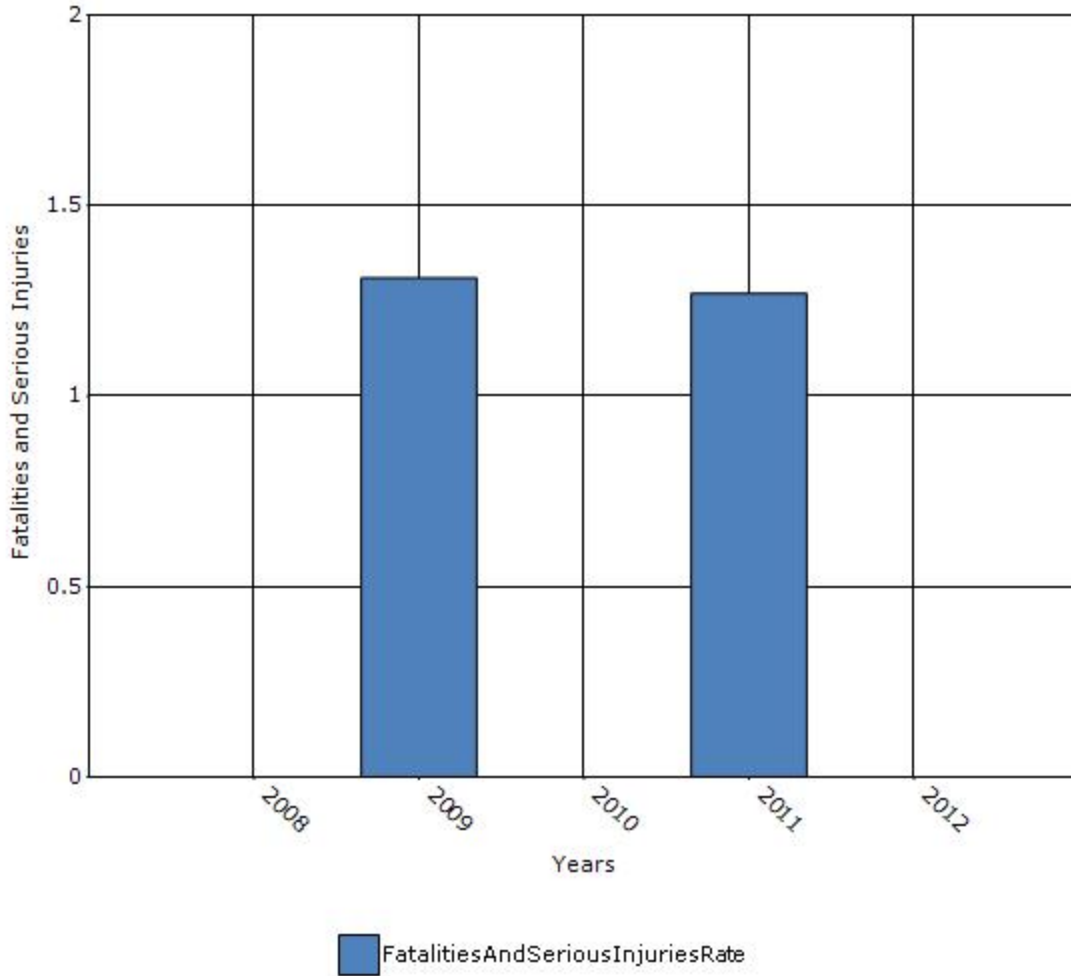
Present the rate of traffic fatalities and serious injuries per capita for drivers and pedestrians over the age of 65.

Older Driver	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Performance Measures					
Fatality rate (per capita)	0	0.25	0	0.23	0
Serious injury rate (per capita)	0	1.06	0	1.05	0
Fatality and serious injury rate (per capita)	0	1.31	0	1.27	0

*Performance measure data is presented using a five-year rolling average.

Per capita is based on provided mature population from FHWA. Fatalities or Serious are those that occur to any driver, occupant, pedestrian or bicyclist when a mature driver is involved in a crash event.

Rate of Fatalities and Serious injuries for the Last Five Years



Does the older driver special rule apply to your state?

No

Assessment of the Effectiveness of the Improvements (Program Evaluation)

What indicators of success can you use to demonstrate effectiveness and success in the Highway Safety Improvement Program?

- None
- Benefit/cost
- Policy change
- Other:

What significant programmatic changes have occurred since the last reporting period?

Shift Focus to Fatalities and Serious Injuries

Include Local Roads in Highway Safety Improvement Program

Organizational Changes

None

Other:

Briefly describe significant program changes that have occurred since the last reporting period.

None

Median cable barrier installations on interstate highways is nearly complete.

Looking to step up centerline rumble strip installations on selected roads. 3 to 4 locations scheduled during the next year.

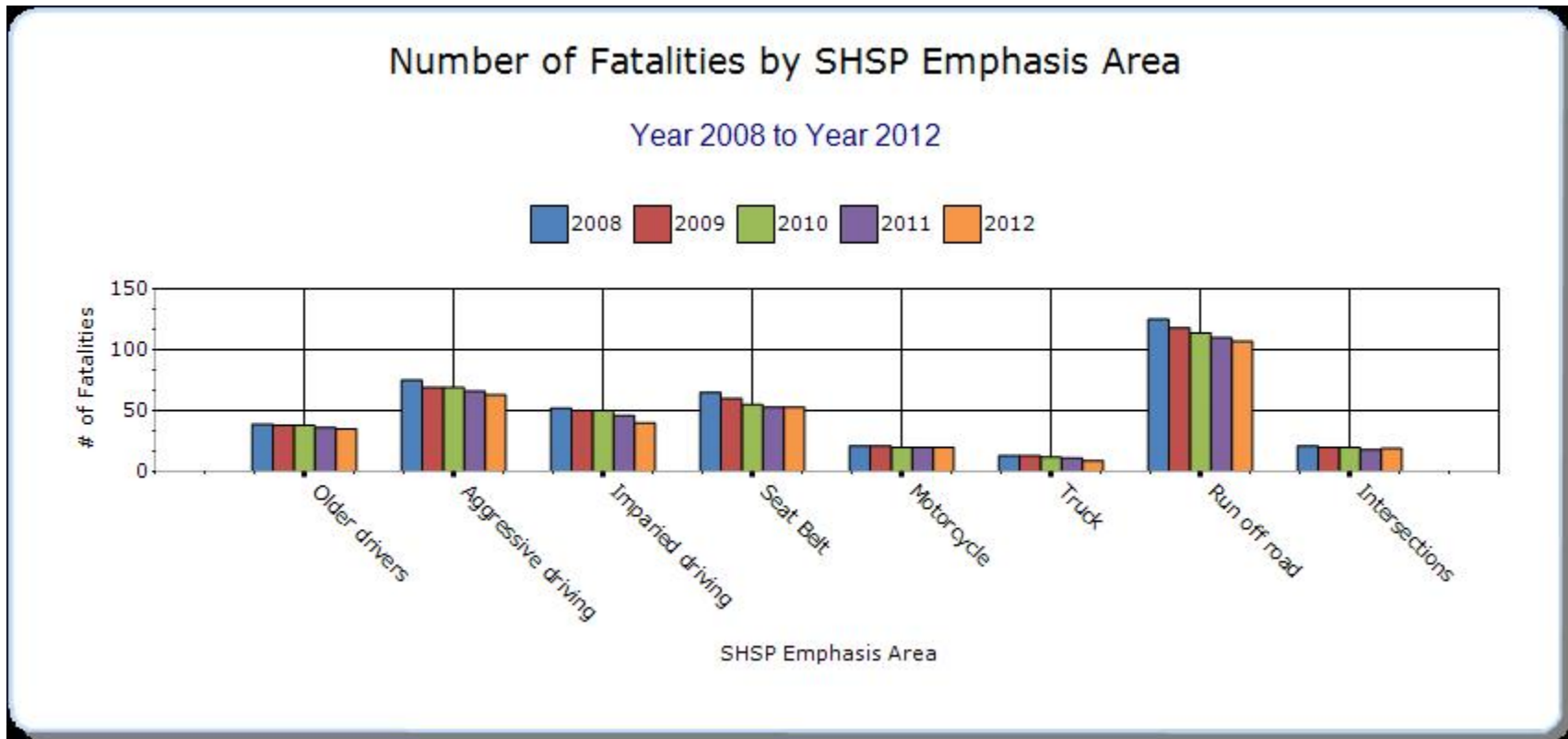
SHSP Emphasis Areas

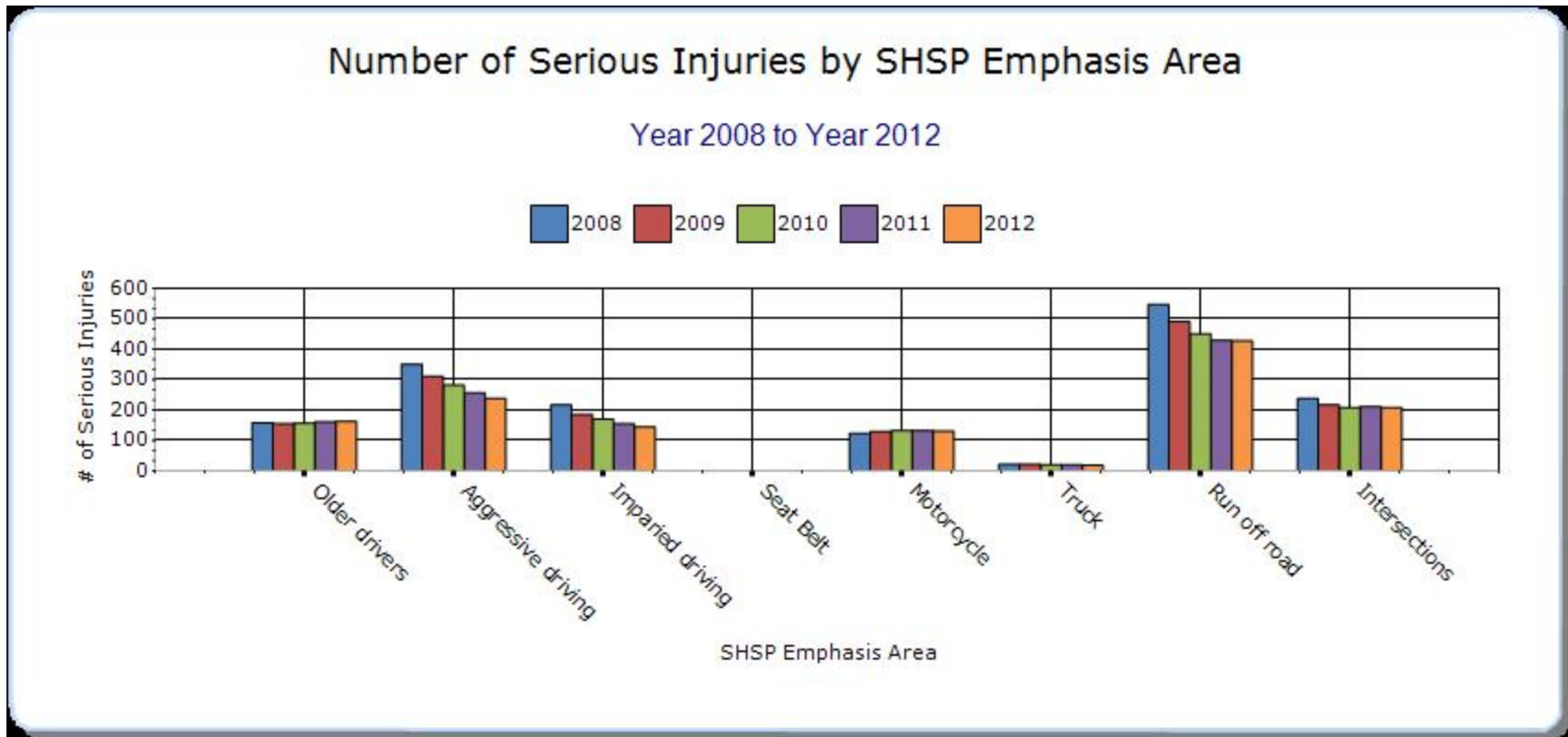
For each SHSP emphasis area that relates to the HSIP, present trends in emphasis area performance measures.

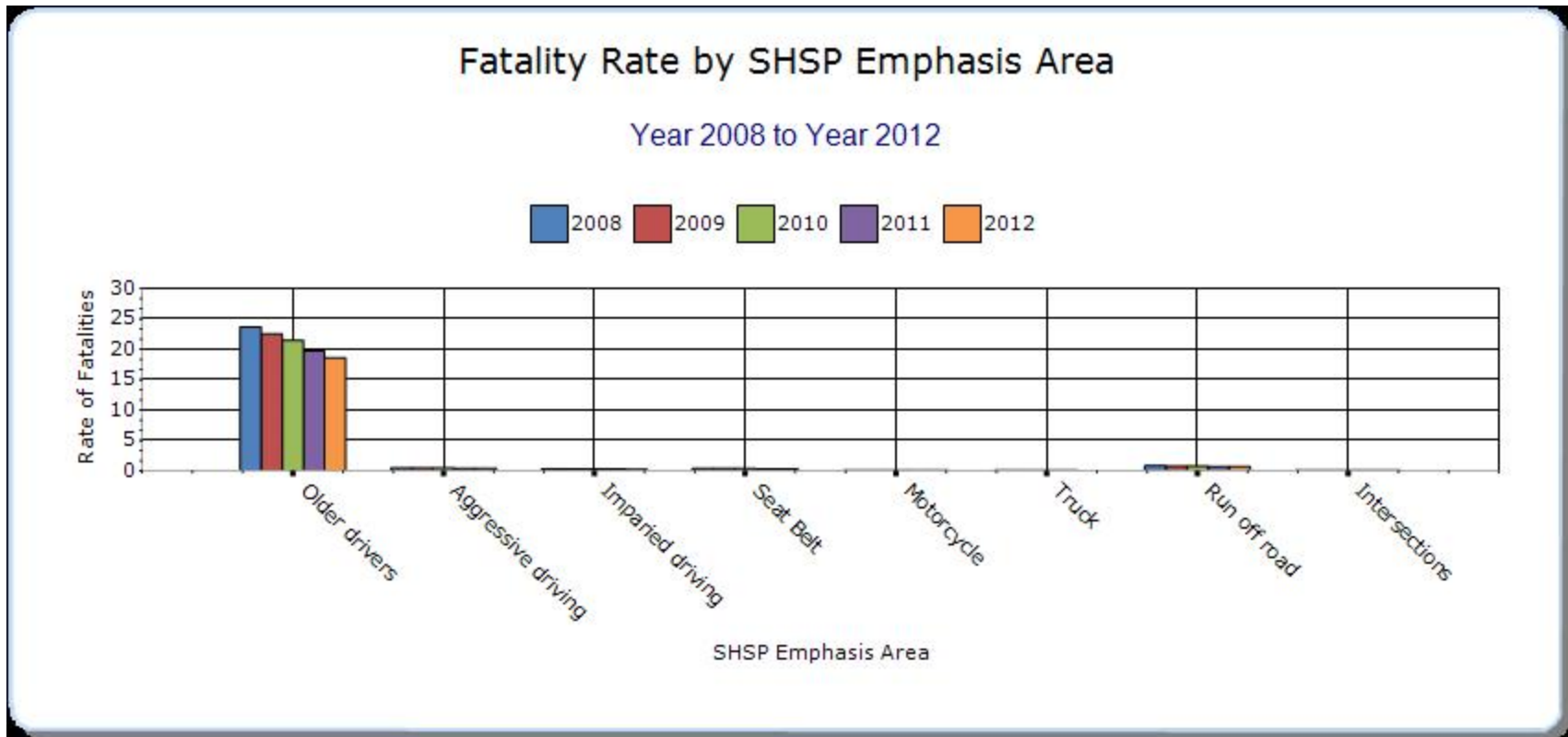
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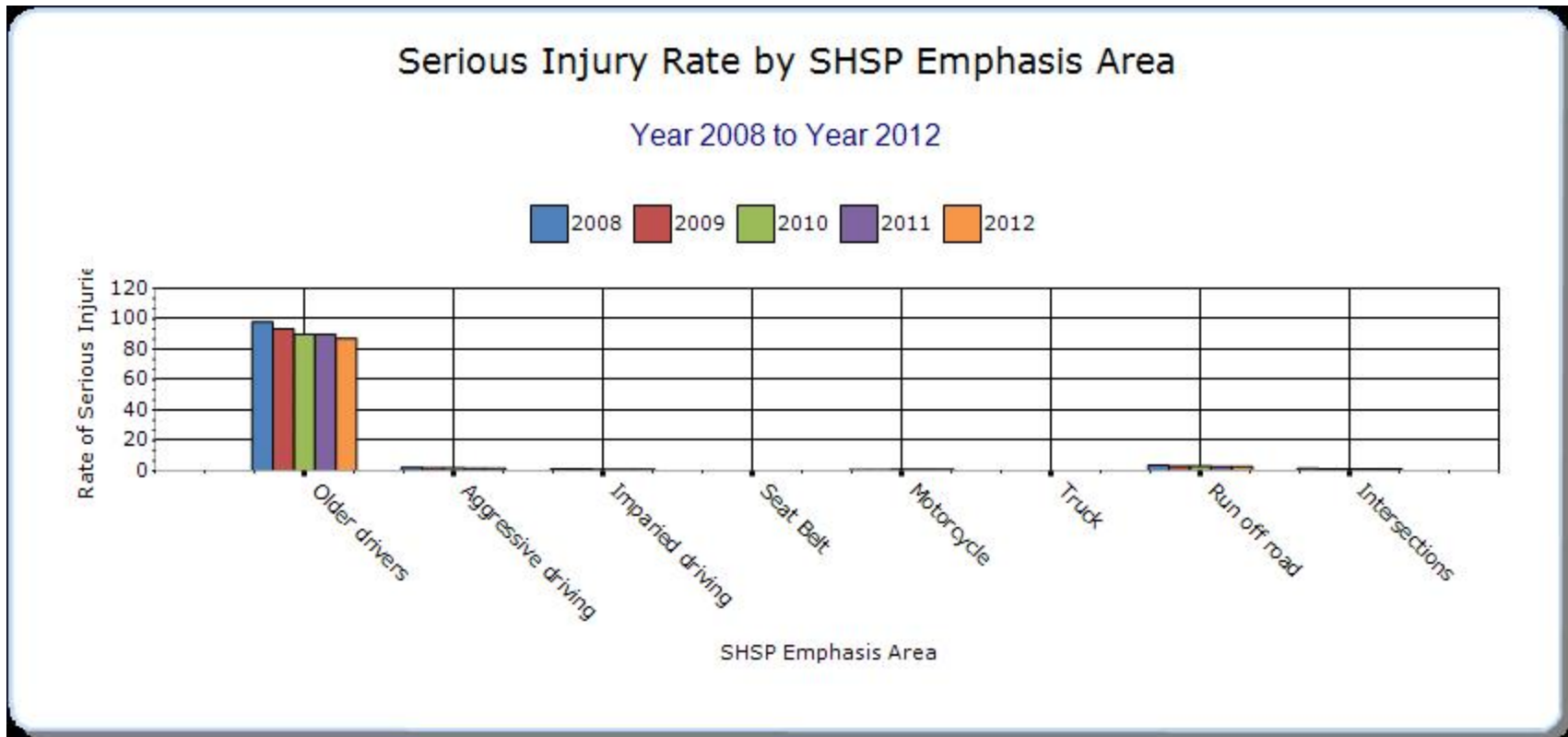
HSIP-related SHSP Emphasis Areas	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	Other-1	Other-2	Other-3
Sustaining proficiency in older drivers	All	35	163	18.6	87.2	0	0	0
Curbing aggressive driving	Speed-related	63	238	0.44	1.65	0	0	0
Reducing impaired driving	All	40	145	0.28	1	0	0	0
Increasing seat belt use and improving airbag effectiveness	All	53	0	0.37	0	0	0	0
Improving motorcycle safety and increasing motorcycle awareness	All	20	131	0.14	0.91	0	0	0
Making truck travel safer	All	9	19	0.06	0.13	0	0	0
Keeping vehicles in the roadway	All	107	428	0.74	2.97	0	0	0
Improving the design and operation of	All	19	209	0.13	1.44	0	0	0

highway intersections								







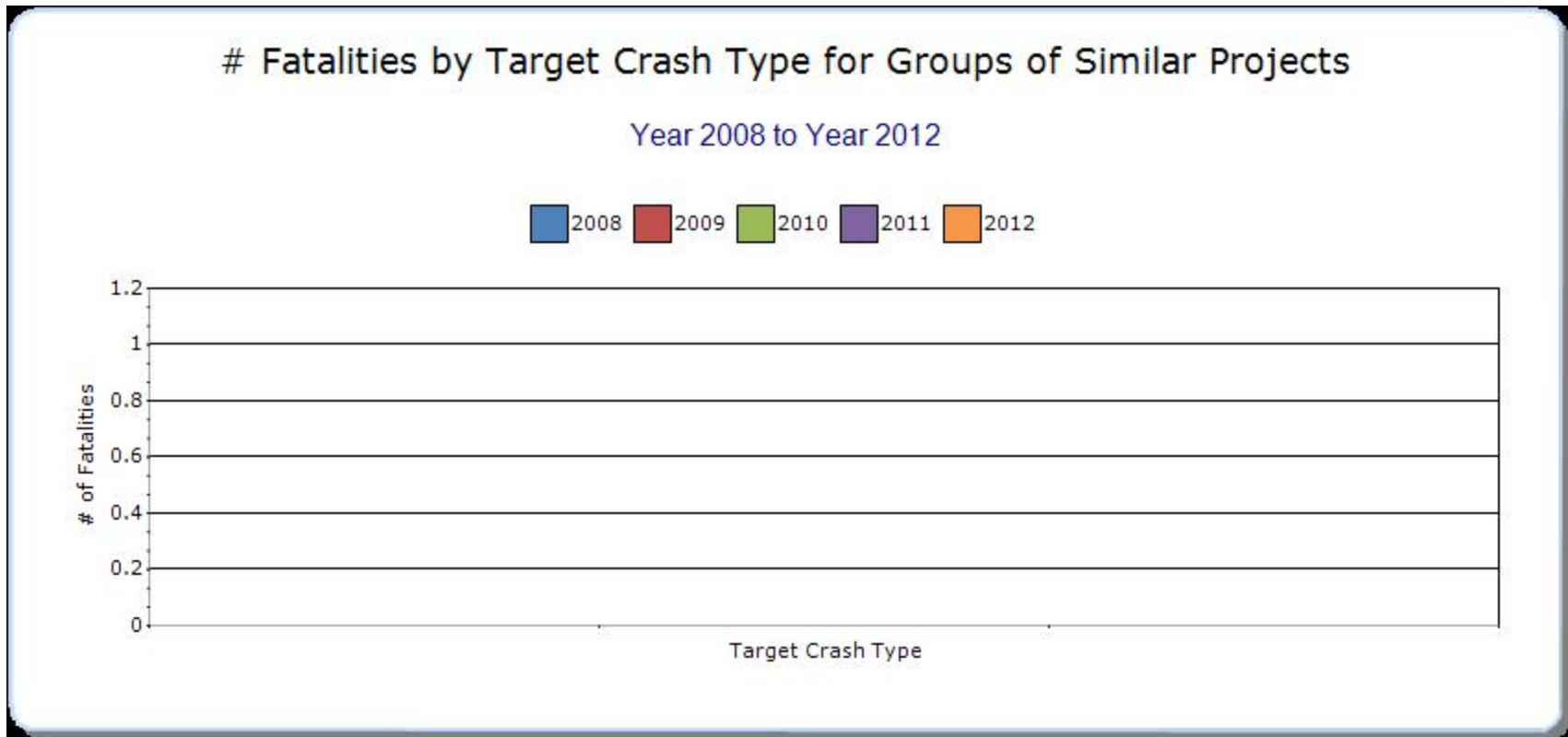


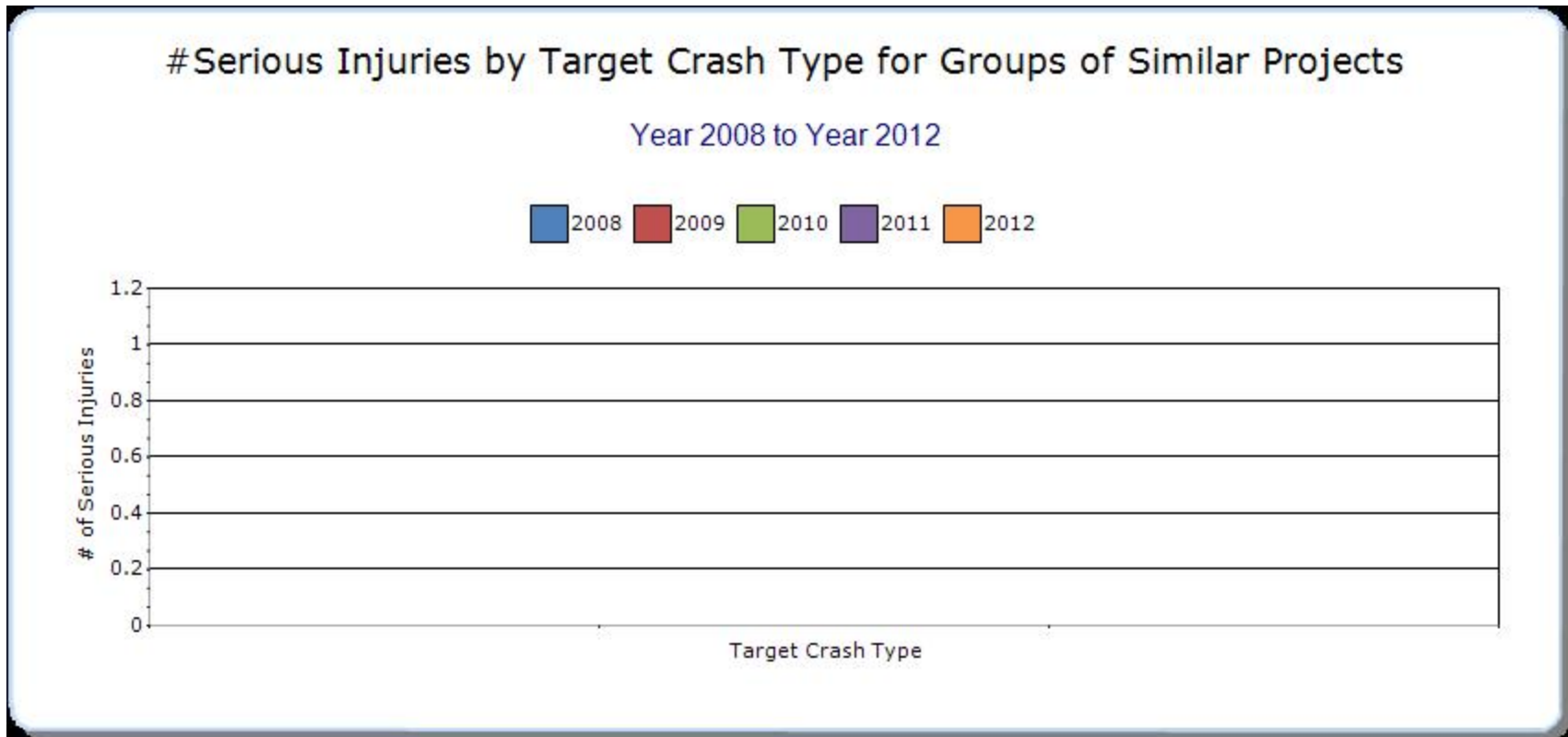
Groups of similar project types

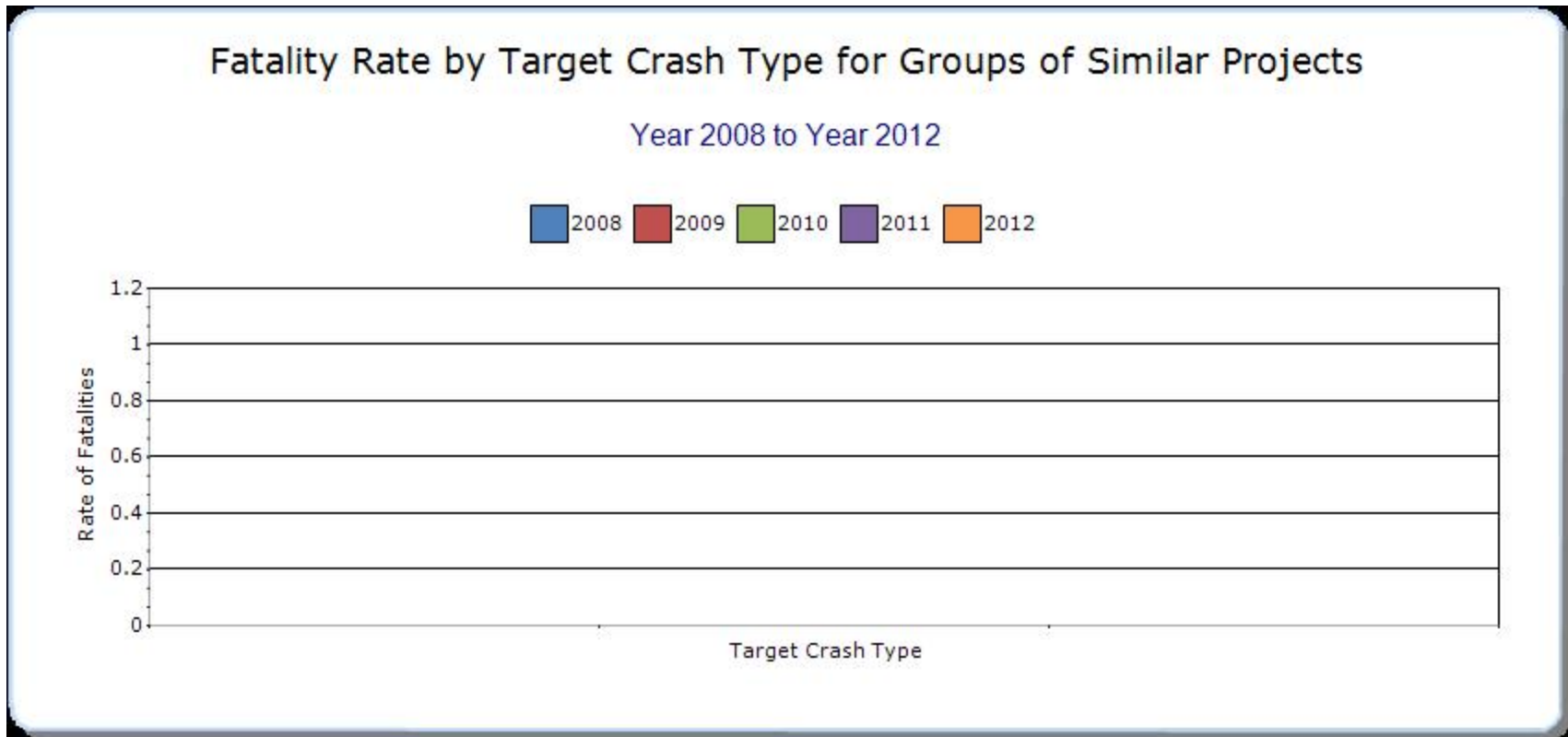
Present the overall effectiveness of groups of similar types of projects.

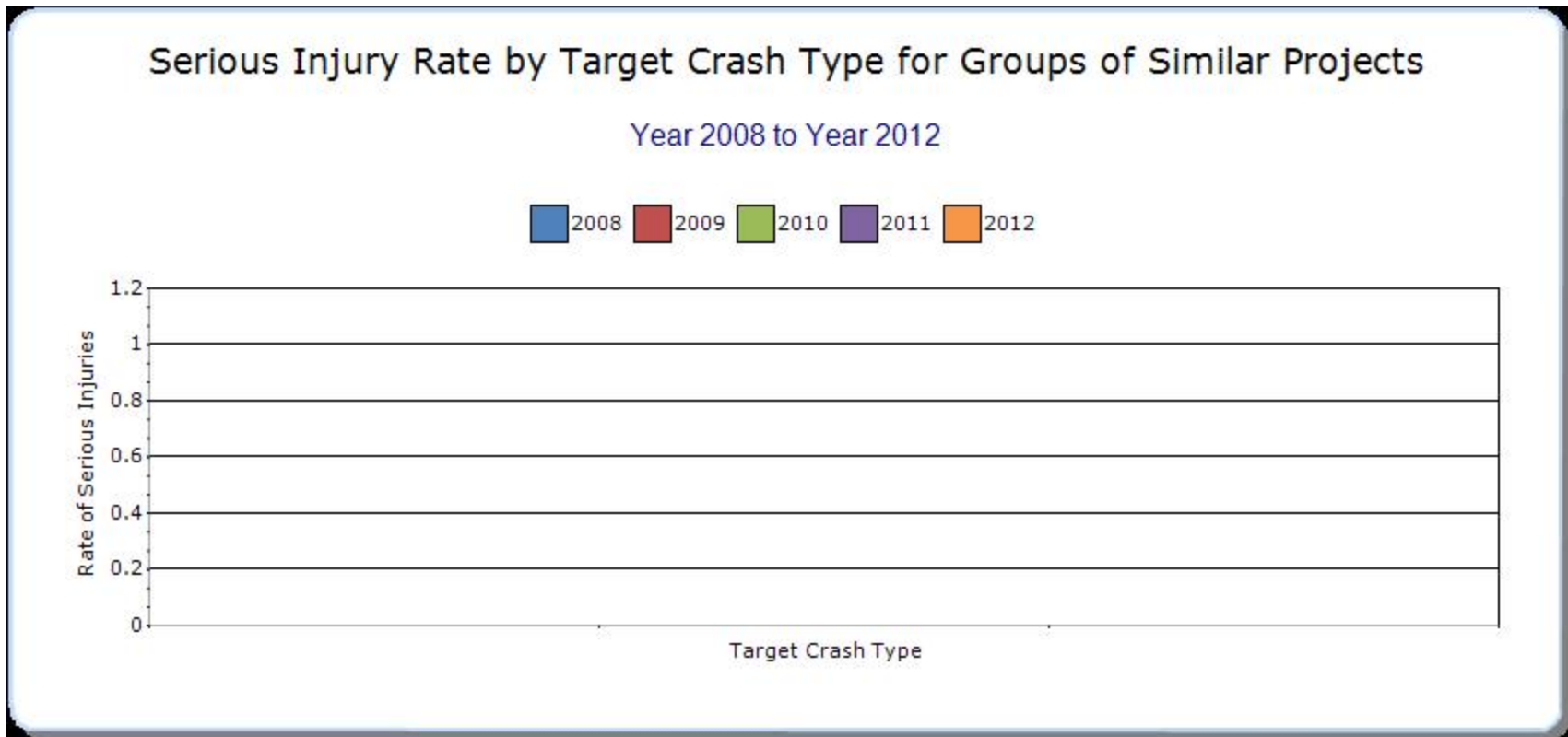
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HSIP Sub-program Types	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	Other-1	Other-2	Other-3
Core areas identified above are already reported on in Question 32.		0	0	0	0	0	0	0







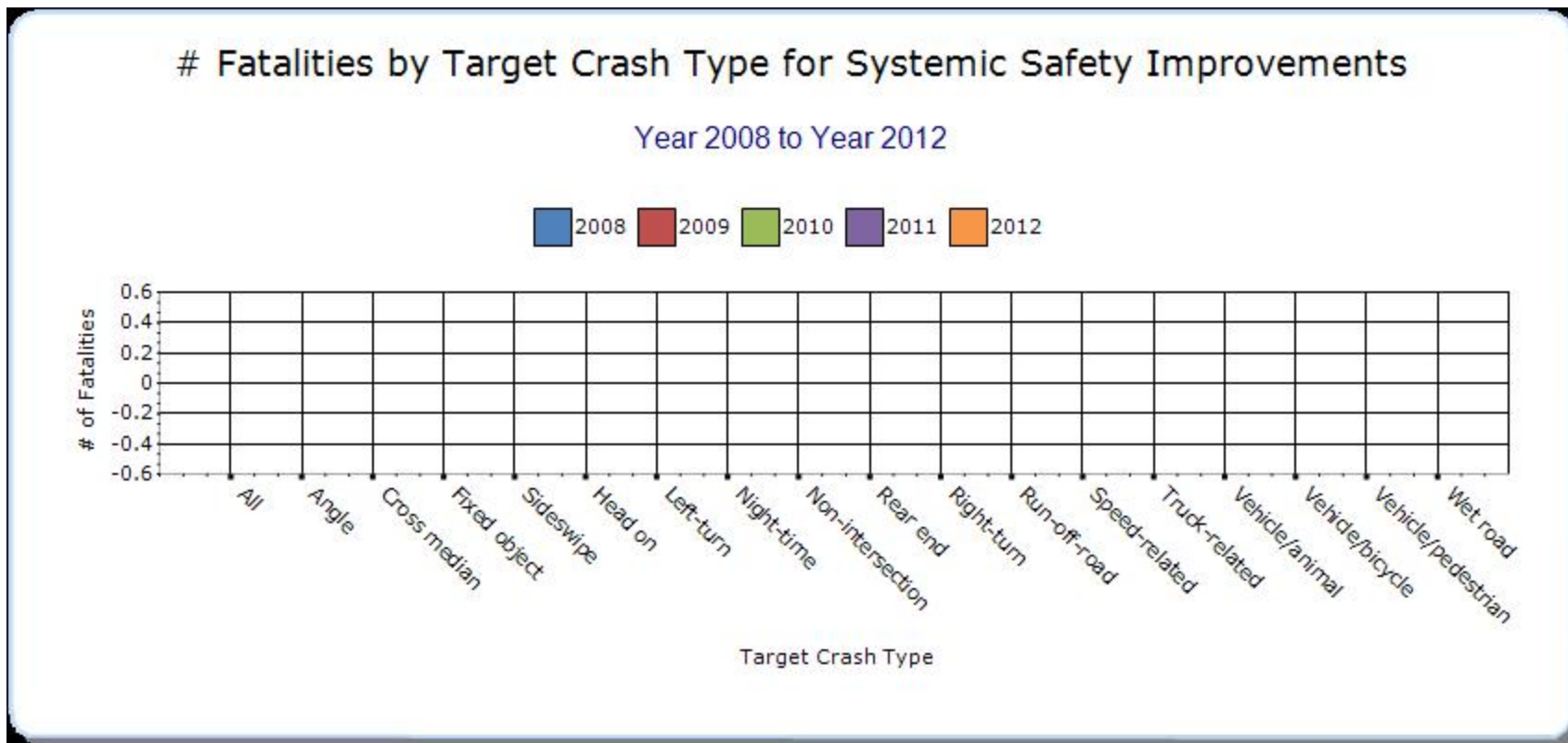


Systemic Treatments

Present the overall effectiveness of systemic treatments..

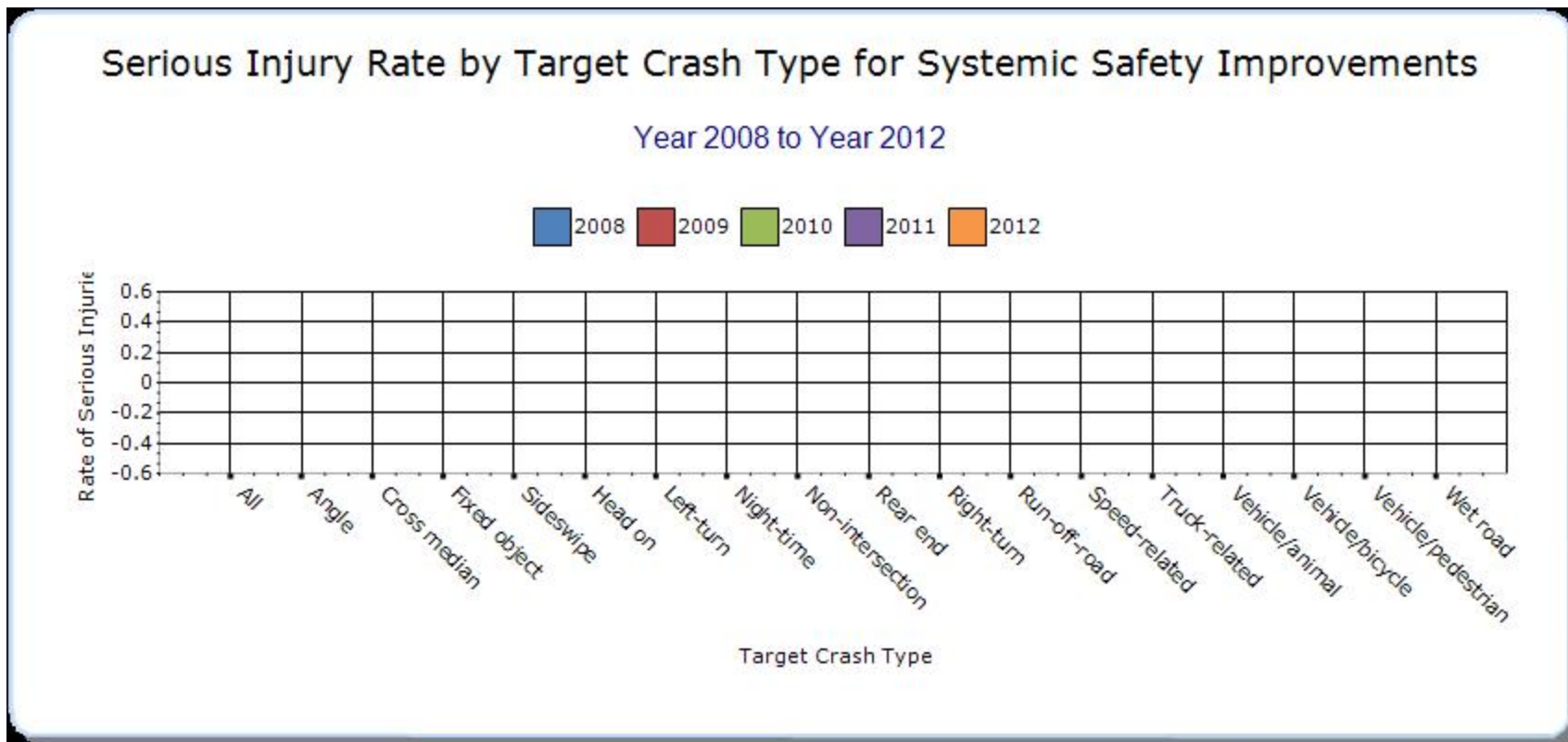
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Systemic improvement	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	Other-1	Other-2	Other-3
Rumble Strips	Head On & Went Off Road (select corridors)	1	3	1.19	4.04	0	0	0









Describe any other aspects of the overall Highway Safety Improvement Program effectiveness on which you would like to elaborate.

Maine has provided median cable barrier installations on almost all narrow (<50-60' wide) interstate medians. We anticipate automating that inventory to be able easier monitoring of performance in the future. Hopefully that will be reported on next year.

Centerline Rumble strips are planned for three or four more selected corridors in the next 12 months. Performance is summarized in prior question for all affected corridors, and routes where installed are identified in the next question.

Provide project evaluation data for completed projects (optional).

Location	Functional Class	Improvement Category	Improvement Type	Bef-Fatal	Bef-Serious Injury	Bef-Other Injury	Bef-PDO	Bef-Total	Aft-Fatal	Aft-Serious Injury	Aft-Other Injury	Aft-PDO	Aft-Total	Evaluation Results (Benefit/Cost Ratio)
Various - Route 1, Woolwich; Route 4, Turner; Route 1A, Dedham; Route 9 (several towns); Route 3, Trenton	Urban Minor Arterial	Miscellaneous	Rumble Strips											

Optional Attachments

Sections

Files Attached

Glossary

5 year rolling average means the average of five individual, consecutive annual points of data (e.g. annual fatality rate).

Emphasis area means a highway safety priority in a State's SHSP, identified through a data-driven, collaborative process.

Highway safety improvement project means strategies, activities and projects on a public road that are consistent with a State strategic highway safety plan and corrects or improves a hazardous road location or feature or addresses a highway safety problem.

HMVMT means hundred million vehicle miles traveled.

Non-infrastructure projects are projects that do not result in construction. Examples of non-infrastructure projects include road safety audits, transportation safety planning activities, improvements in the collection and analysis of data, education and outreach, and enforcement activities.

Older driver special rule applies if traffic fatalities and serious injuries per capita for drivers and pedestrians over the age of 65 in a State increases during the most recent 2-year period for which data are available, as defined in the Older Driver and Pedestrian Special Rule Interim Guidance dated February 13, 2013.

Performance measure means indicators that enable decision-makers and other stakeholders to monitor changes in system condition and performance against established visions, goals, and objectives.

Programmed funds mean those funds that have been programmed in the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to be expended on highway safety improvement projects.

Roadway Functional Classification means the process by which streets and highways are grouped into classes, or systems, according to the character of service they are intended to provide.

Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP) means a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary plan, based on safety data developed by a State Department of Transportation in accordance with 23 U.S.C. 148.

Systemic safety improvement means an improvement that is widely implemented based on high risk roadway features that are correlated with specific severe crash types.

Transfer means, in accordance with provisions of 23 U.S.C. 126, a State may transfer from an apportionment under section 104(b) not to exceed 50 percent of the amount apportioned for the fiscal year to any other apportionment of the State under that section.