



Highway Safety Improvement Program
Data Driven Decisions

Utah
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23 U.S.C. 148(h)(4) states “Notwithstanding any other provision of law, reports, surveys, schedules, lists, or data compiled or collected for any purpose relating to this section [HSIP], shall not be subject to discovery or admitted into evidence in a Federal or State court proceeding or considered for other purposes in any action for damages arising from any occurrence at a location identified or addressed in the reports, surveys, schedules, lists, or other data.”

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Executive Summary

The State of Utah has experienced an increase in traffic fatalities the past two years. We are hopeful that our efforts to prioritize safety projects that have the greatest potential to reduce fatalities will result in a resumption of our downward trend. We continue to use both crash analysis and systemic modeling to identify the projects most likely to reduce fatalities and serious injuries.

The recent FAST Act approved by Congress removes our ability to fund education and enforcement efforts with HSIP funds. We have been working on other ways to continue these programs. Education and enforcement are an important parts of our comprehensive safety strategy to reduce fatalities.

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

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

Local roads are eligible for HSIP funds if projects meet program requirements. UDOT currently lacks comprehensive roadway data for local roads (non-State and non-Federal Aid) that would make it easier

to compare relative safety needs on State roads and local roads, especially for systemic treatments. However, efforts are underway to work with other State agencies, local governments, and emergency dispatch centers to develop more complete roadway inventory data on local roads. In the mean time we will continue to perform hot-spot analysis on all public roads, including locals.

UDOT does perform crash analysis on non-State Federal Aid routes and accepts applications from local agencies for HSIP funding consideration on all public roads. We have also begun the process of applying the usRAP safety protocol to select non-State Federal Aid and local routes. We are currently working with Cache County and will then apply it to other counties in the future.

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

Design
Planning
Maintenance
Operations

Briefly describe coordination with internal partners.

Planning

UDOT uses two methods to plan HSIP projects. For the first method, each UDOT region sends an annual submittal to the Traffic & Safety Division that identifies their priority projects for HSIP funding consideration. The Traffic & Safety Division then screens the crash data, traffic data, and input from the region offices. A meeting is then held with each region office to identify safety projects based on the screened data and the region submittals. Although the annual submittal is the primary mechanism by which the regions request HSIP funding, the regions may request other projects mid-year and the same process is conducted to analyze, prioritize, program, and implement them. For the second method, the Traffic & Safety Division employs a systemic approach to identify projects. This is done by looking at crash and roadway attribute data from a statewide perspective. UDOT has several efforts underway to identify projects systemically, including the usRAP model and BYU crash prediction model.

Design

After projects are programmed, project managers from the applicable UDOT region offices are assigned to each project. These project managers then shepherd the projects through UDOT's standard federal environmental, design, and construction processes. Project managers generally invite Traffic & Safety staff to attend scoping and design review meetings to make sure that the safety elements are properly incorporated into the project.

Maintenance & Operations

Each region office works with their maintenance and operations staff to give them an opportunity to suggest safety projects based on their experience maintaining the state roadway network every day. Periodic meetings are held between region traffic and safety engineers and maintenance crews. Their

round of meetings in the fall is where engineers specifically solicit safety project ideas from maintenance staff. Following these meetings, region traffic and safety engineers submit safety project applications for projects they believe merit funding. These applications are then reviewed by Central Traffic & Safety as described above.

Access to Data

In order to assist each of our internal partners in this process, we have developed an online crash reporting and analysis tool so everyone has equal access to safety data.

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

Metropolitan Planning Organizations
Governors Highway Safety Office
Other-SHSP Partners

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

Other-None

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

UDOT focuses its infrastructure improvements primarily on the Roadway Departure Crashes, Drowsy Driving, Distracted Driving, and Intersection Safety emphasis areas. The other emphasis areas (Public Outreach and Education, Use of Safety Restraints, Impaired Driving, Aggressive Driving, Pedestrian Safety, Teen Driving Safety, Motorcycle Safety, and Speed Management) are addressed primarily through non-infrastructure efforts such as education, media, and enforcement campaigns. UDOT partners with other state, local, and federal agencies to implement the non-infrastructure components of the SHSP. The recent FAST Act approved by Congress removed UDOT's ability to fund education and enforcement efforts with HSIP, so we have been working on ways to find state funds to continue those programs.

A "Zero Fatalities" goal (ut.zerofatalities.com) is also part of the SHSP. UDOT began displaying weekly safety messages on variable message signs during the summer of 2015 to encourage safe driving behaviors such as seat belt use.

Program Methodology

Select the programs that are administered under the HSIP.

Low-Cost Spot Improvements Other-Reduce Serious & Fatal Injuries

Program: Low-Cost Spot Improvements
Date of Program Methodology: 3/5/2014

What data types were used in the program methodology?

<i>Crashes</i>	<i>Exposure</i>	<i>Roadway</i>
All crashes	Traffic	Median width
	Volume	Horizontal curvature
Fatal and serious injury crashes only	Lane miles	Functional classification
		Roadside features

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency
 Relative severity index
 Crash rate
 Critical rate
 Excess proportions of specific crash types
 Other-Hierarchical Bayesian Model

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

Yes
 If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?
 No
 If no, describe the methodology used to identify local road projects as part of this program.
 We accept safety project applications from local government agencies that submit them through their respective region offices.

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process

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

Ranking based on B/C	20
Available funding	20
Ranking based on net benefit	20
Time to Completion	20
Coordination with other Projects	20

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- Other-Hierarchical Bayesian
- Other-usRAP model

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We accept safety project applications from local government agencies that submit them through their respective region offices. We are also working on applying the usRAP systemic model to federal aid routes in counties across the state.

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

- Competitive application process
- Other-usRAP model outputs

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Ranking based on B/C	20
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Ranking based on net benefit	20
Timeline to completion	20
Coordination with other projects	20

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

27%

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

Cable Median Barriers
 Rumble Strips
 Pavement/Shoulder Widening
 Install/Improve Signing
 Upgrade Guard Rails
 Add/Upgrade/Modify/Remove Traffic Signal
 Other-Structure Protection on Interstate Freeways

What process is used to identify potential countermeasures?

Engineering Study
 Road Safety Assessment
 Other-Systemic modeling

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

Other-use of usRAP model on non-State network

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

Non-Infrastructure Projects

UDOT uses some of its HSIP funding for eligible non-infrastructure projects that aid roadway safety efforts. Such projects include:

Integrating Safety Into Planning

UDOT Traffic & Safety Division personnel work internally with other UDOT divisions to integrate safety planning into their core processes. UDOT also works with MPOs and other safety partners across the state to supply them with needed data and tools so they can better integrate safety into their internal planning processes. UDOT continues to partner with the MPOs in order to provide them with tools to incorporate safety into their transportation planning efforts. Integrating safety into UDOT and MPO planning processes helps all agencies proactively address safety.

Improving Crash Data Analysis

HSIP funding is also used to improve UDOT's crash database. The ability to accurately locate crashes and understand crash characteristics is vital to programming HSIP funds.

University & Consultant Support

The Traffic & Safety Division uses HSIP funding to contract with universities and consultants who assist with various HSIP functions. The functions include items such as program management, project management, crash data mapping, statistical analysis, safety modeling, report preparation, SPF/CMF development, training, and HSM analysis.

UDOT previously used HSIP funding for education and enforcement efforts that fall within the State's Zero Fatalities effort umbrella. With passage of the FAST Act and the recent ineligibility of those activities, UDOT has been working to identify State funds to continue those efforts.

Progress in Implementing Projects

Funds Programmed

Reporting period for Highway Safety Improvement Program funding.

Federal Fiscal Year

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

Funding Category	Programmed*		Obligated	
HSIP (Section 148)	\$22,149,150.00	77 %	\$15,861,789.00	80 %
HRRRP (SAFETEA-LU)	\$1,175,000.00	4 %	\$804,267.00	4 %
Penalty Transfer – Section 164	\$732,171.00	3 %	\$0.00	0 %
State and Local Funds	\$4,564,907.00	16 %	\$3,206,654.00	16 %
Totals	\$28,621,228.00	100%	\$19,872,710.00	100%

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

\$3,510,607.00

How much funding is obligated to local safety projects?

\$2,862,664.00

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

\$1,387,776.00

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

\$1,387,776.00

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

\$0.00

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

\$0.00

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

A specific challenge we face is the FAST Act language that made education and enforcement ineligible activities for HSIP funds. We had been counting on using approximately 10-15% of our HSIP allocation on education and enforcement efforts so we had to regroup and find other projects to obligate the money towards.

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

Project delivery is administered through the UDOT region offices. We are working closely with our region counterparts to make sure safety projects are addressed in a timely manner. After projects are programmed, project managers from the applicable UDOT region offices are assigned to each project. These project managers then shepherd the projects through UDOT's standard federal environmental, design, and construction processes.

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
SR-71/Ellerby Ave Intersection Imps (PIN 11391)	Intersection geometry Splitter island - install on one or more approaches	1 Numbers	500000	513743	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other	25625	45	State Highway Agency	Intersections	Intersection Geometry
SR-111; SR-209 to 3500 S (PIN 11498)	Shoulder treatments Widen shoulder - paved or other	9 Miles	200000	740000	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other	13000	60	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Shoulder Widening
US-191; Mormon Tank Wash to Kanab Spring (PIN 1152)	Shoulder treatments Shoulder grading	2 Miles	500000	364500	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Other	4505	65	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Shoulder flattening
SR-20; MP 6.83-13.66, Roadside Improvements (PIN 1)	Roadside Barrier- metal	6.8 Miles	450000	450000	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Other	2035	65	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Guardrail & Friction Pvmnt
I-15, I-215, I-80;	Roadside Barrier - concrete	117 Miles	300000	300000	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal	140000	70	State Highway	Roadway Departure	Roadside Barrier

Interstate Structure Protection					n 148)	Arterial - Interstate			Agency		
I-15; Scipio to Juab County Line (PIN 13331)	Shoulder treatments Shoulder treatments - other	6 Miles	50000 0	17500 00	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Interstate	9720	80	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Shoulder Stabilization
US-91; SR-13 to Mantua (PIN 13441)	Roadside Barrier - concrete	4.6 Miles	35000 00	50500 00	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Other Freeways and Expressways	2948 5	60	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Roadside Barrier
SR-35; MP 17.30-20.75, Motorcycle-Safe Guardrail (Roadside Barrier- metal	3 Miles	60000 0	60000 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Major Collector	445	40	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Guardrail
SR-20; MP 0.50-2.00, Runaway Truck Ramp (PIN 13491)	Speed management Speed management - other	1 Numbers	40000 0	40000 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Other	2035	65	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Runaway Truck Ramp
Various Routes; No-Pass Pennant Signing (PIN 13492)	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs and traffic control - other	1 Numbers	25000 0	25000 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Various	4000	60	State Highway Agency	Lane Departure	No-Pass Pennants

SR-95; MP 16-117, Curve Signage (PIN 13493)	Roadway signs and traffic control Curve-related warning signs and flashers	101 Miles	250000	250000	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Minor Arterial	500	65	State Highway Agency	Lane Departure	Curve signs
US-191; MP 356.6-359.4, Motorcycle-Safe Guardrail	Roadside Barrier- metal	2.8 Miles	200000	200000	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Minor Arterial	1750	65	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Guardrail
BYU Safety Modeling FY17 (PIN 13572)	Non-infrastructure Transportation safety planning	1 Numbers	120000	120000	HSIP (Section 148)	n/a	0	0	State Highway Agency	Safety Modeling	Crash Mapping & Analysis
usRAP Model Development (PIN 13574)	Non-infrastructure Transportation safety planning	1 Numbers	150000	150000	HSIP (Section 148)	n/a	0	0	State Highway Agency	Safety Modeling	Crash Mapping & Analysis
FY 2016 Research Work Program (PIN 13702)	Non-infrastructure Transportation safety planning	1 Numbers	90000	255550	HSIP (Section 148)	n/a	0	0	State Highway Agency	Pedestrians	Safety Study
US-40; Daniels Canyon Shoulder Repair (PIN 13721)	Shoulder treatments Widen shoulder - paved or other	8.3 Miles	200000	800000	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Other	5815	60	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Shoulder Widening
SR-128; Jct US-191 to	Roadside Barrier- metal	34 Miles	500000	364500	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Major	640	50	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Guardrail

Dewey Bridge (PIN 13782)					n 148)	Collector			Agency		
Bike Improvements on SR-113 & SR-114 (PIN 13900)	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add left-turn lane	1 Numbers	40000 0	64700 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Minor Arterial	7700	35	State Highway Agency	Intersecti ons	Left Turn Striping
2016 Statewide Pavement Condition Data Collection	Non-infrastructure Data/traffic records	1 Numbers	43000 0	14650 00	HSIP (Section 148)	n/a	0	0	State Highway Agency	Data	Roadway Data Collection
Protected Bike Lanes & Raised Medians Bulldog Blvd	Access management Raised island - install new	0.7 Miles	15000 00	45000 00	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other	2100 0	35	City of Municipal Highway Agency	Intersecti ons	Raised Medians
SR-21; SR-130 & Flat Rd Intersection Study (PIN 14)	Intersection geometry Intersection geometrics - miscellaneous/other/unsp ecified	2 Numbers	50000	50000	Penalt y Transf er – Sectio n 164	Rural Minor Arterial	1685	65	State Highway Agency	Intersecti ons	Safety Study
US-91; MP 28.44-28.70, Medians, Turn Lanes, & Sign	Intersection traffic control Systemic improvements - signal-controlled	1 Numbers	10650 00	10650 00	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other	1853 0	45	State Highway Agency	Intersecti ons	Intersecti on Signalizati on

SR-201; MP 2.8-3.5, Barrier Extension (PIN 14455)	Roadside Barrier - concrete	0.74 Miles	90000 0	90000 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Rural Principal Arterial - Other Freeways and Expressways	1725 0	60	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Roadside Barrier
SR-201; MP 11.2-12.7, Shoulder Cable Barrier (PIN	Roadside Barrier - cable	3 Miles	10000 00	10000 00	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other Freeways and Expressways	6289 5	65	State Highway Agency	Roadway Departure	Roadside Barrier
4100 S/3200 W Signal Upgrade (PIN 14457)	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - add flashing yellow arrow	1 Numbers	85000 0	85000 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Minor Arterial	2655 5	40	City of Municipal Highway Agency	Intersections	Signal Control
US-89; Orem Raised Medians Univ. Pkwy to Center St	Access management Raised island - install new	4.38 Miles	22000 00	37000 00	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other	4550 0	40	State Highway Agency	Intersections	Raised Medians
SR-173; MP 9.29-9.41, Signal Improvements (PIN 149	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - add additional signal heads	1 Numbers	60000 0	60000 0	HSIP (Section 148)	Urban Principal Arterial - Other	2682 0	40	State Highway Agency	Intersections	Signal Control

Progress in Achieving Safety Performance Targets

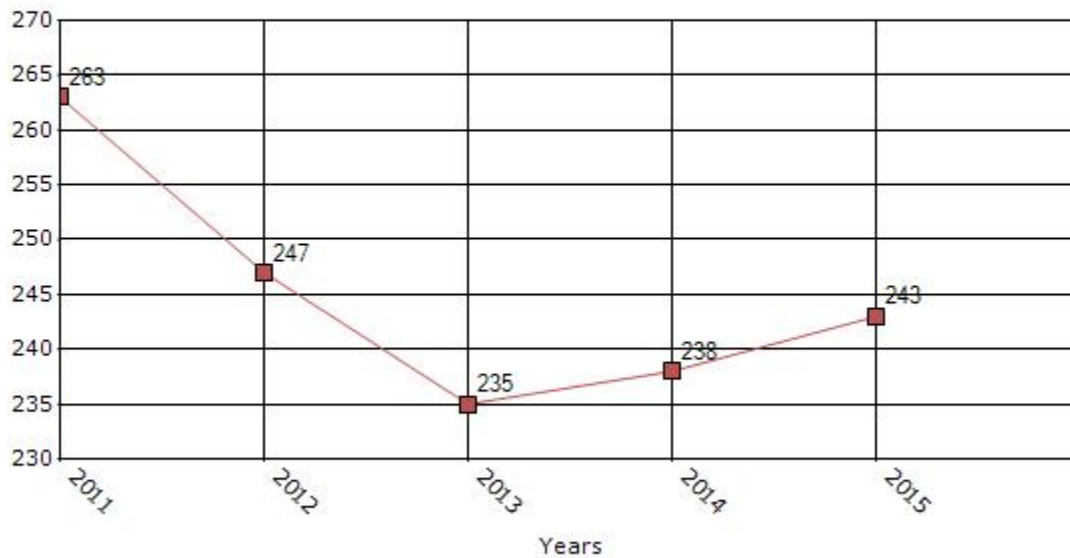
Overview of General Safety Trends

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

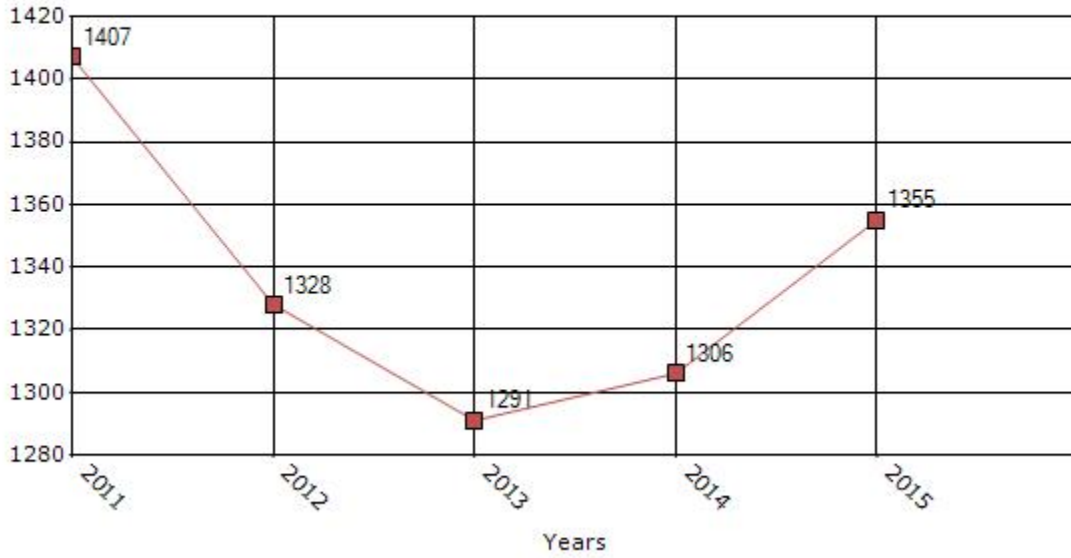
Performance Measures*	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Number of fatalities	263	247	235	238	243
Number of serious injuries	1407	1328	1291	1306	1355
Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	1	0.94	0.89	0.89	0.88
Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	5.33	5.04	4.86	4.86	4.93

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

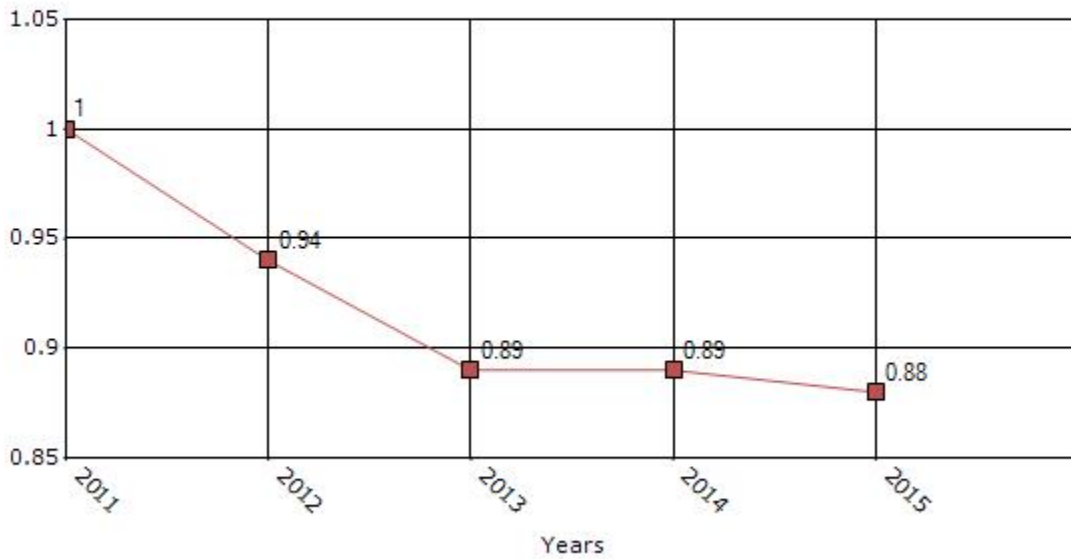
Number of Fatalities for the Last Five Years
5-yr Average Measure Data



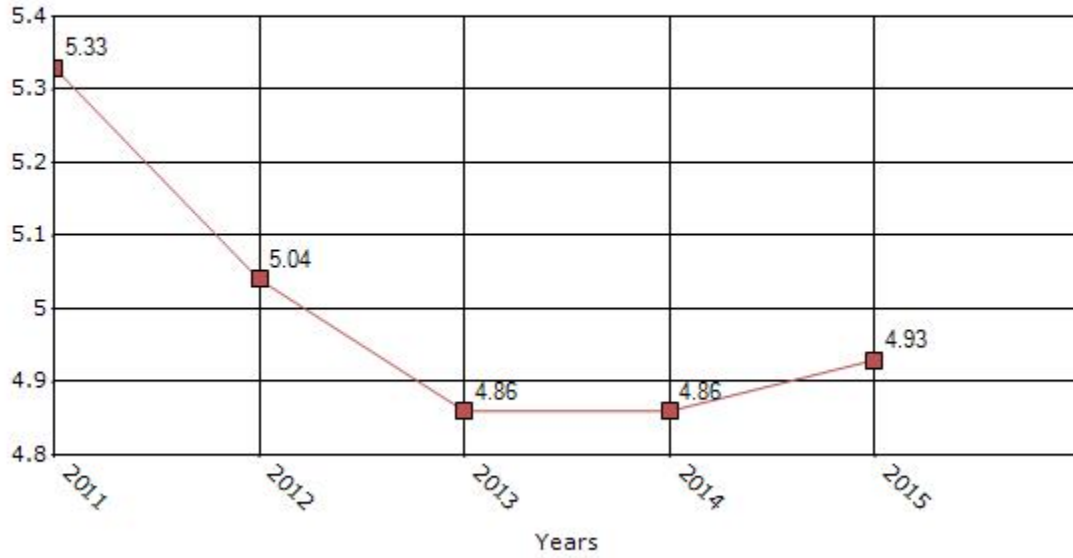
Number of Serious Injuries for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



Rate of Fatalities for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



Rate of Serious Injuries for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



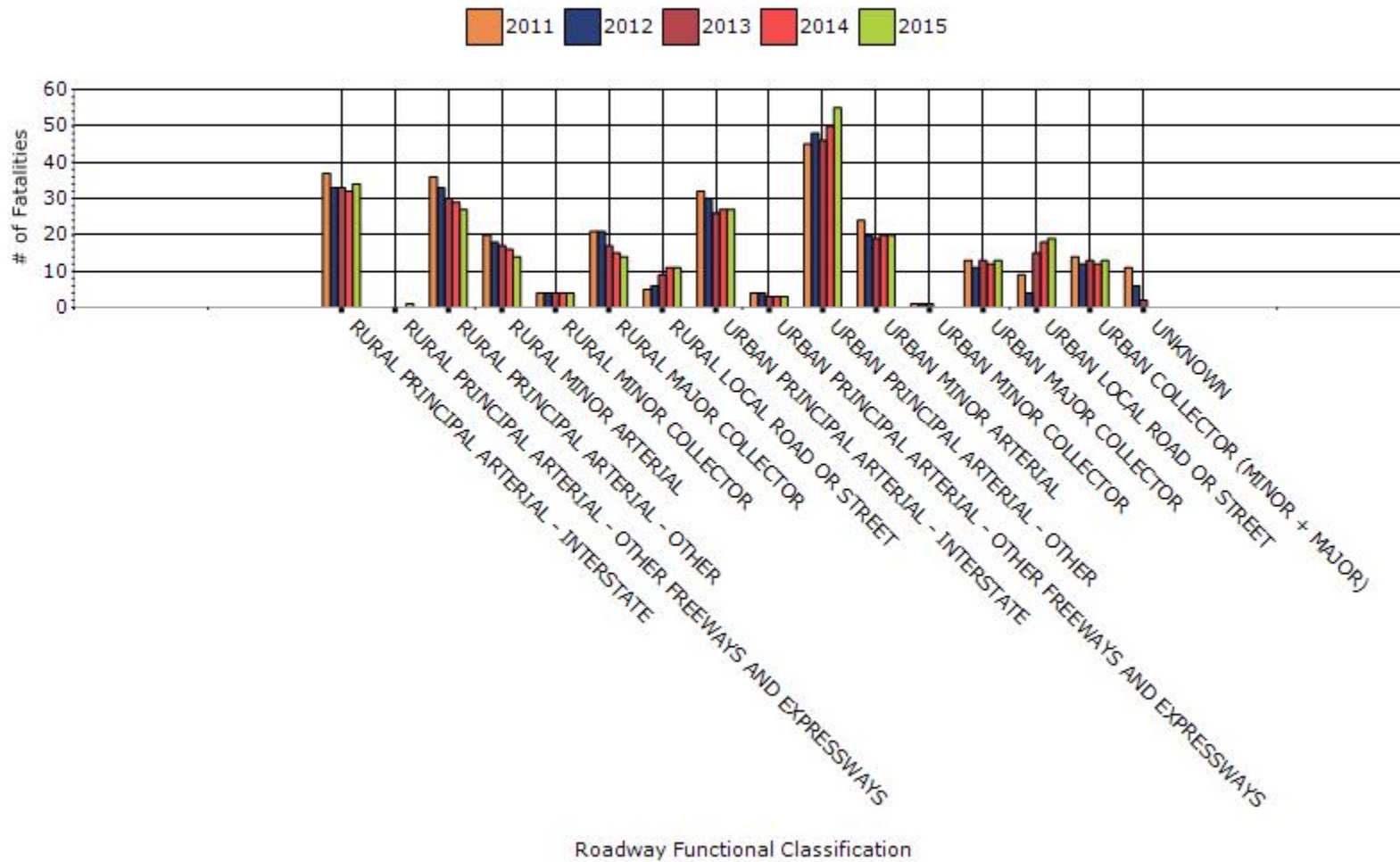
To the maximum extent possible, present performance measure* data by functional classification and ownership.

Year - 2015

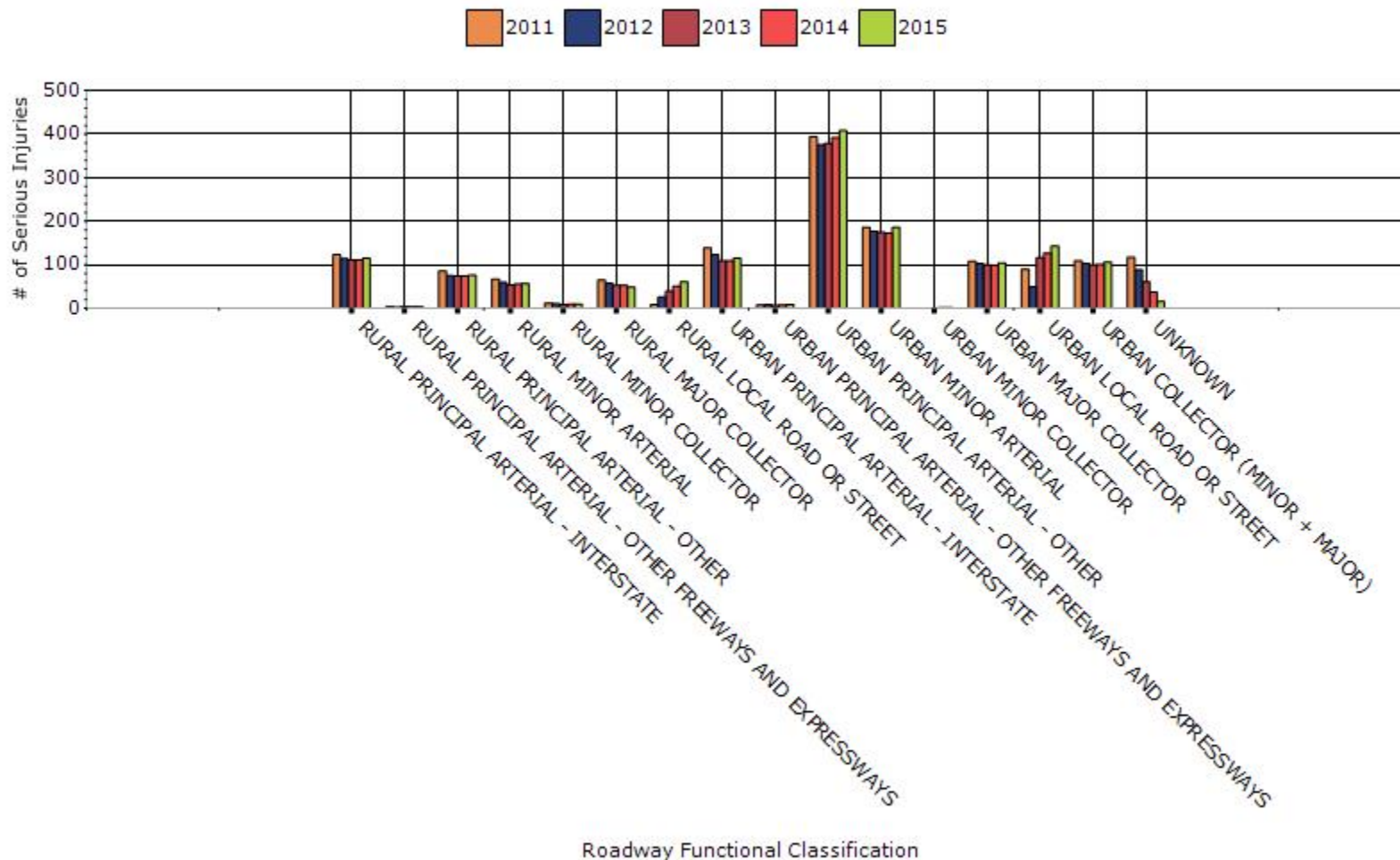
Function Classification	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - INTERSTATE	34	115	1.12	3.8
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS	1	4		
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER	27	76	1.57	4.42
RURAL MINOR ARTERIAL	14	57	1.93	7.63
RURAL MINOR COLLECTOR	4	10	1.58	4.11
RURAL MAJOR COLLECTOR	14	49	1.58	5.6
RURAL LOCAL ROAD OR STREET	11	61	1	5.55
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - INTERSTATE	27	115	0.4	1.72

URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS	3	9	1.08	2.99
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER	55	408	1.23	9.12
URBAN MINOR ARTERIAL	20	186	0.79	7.26
URBAN MINOR COLLECTOR		2		3.71
URBAN MAJOR COLLECTOR	13	104	0.83	6.63
URBAN LOCAL ROAD OR STREET	19	143	0.5	3.66
URBAN COLLECTOR (MINOR + MAJOR)	13	106	0.8	6.51
UNKNOWN		16		

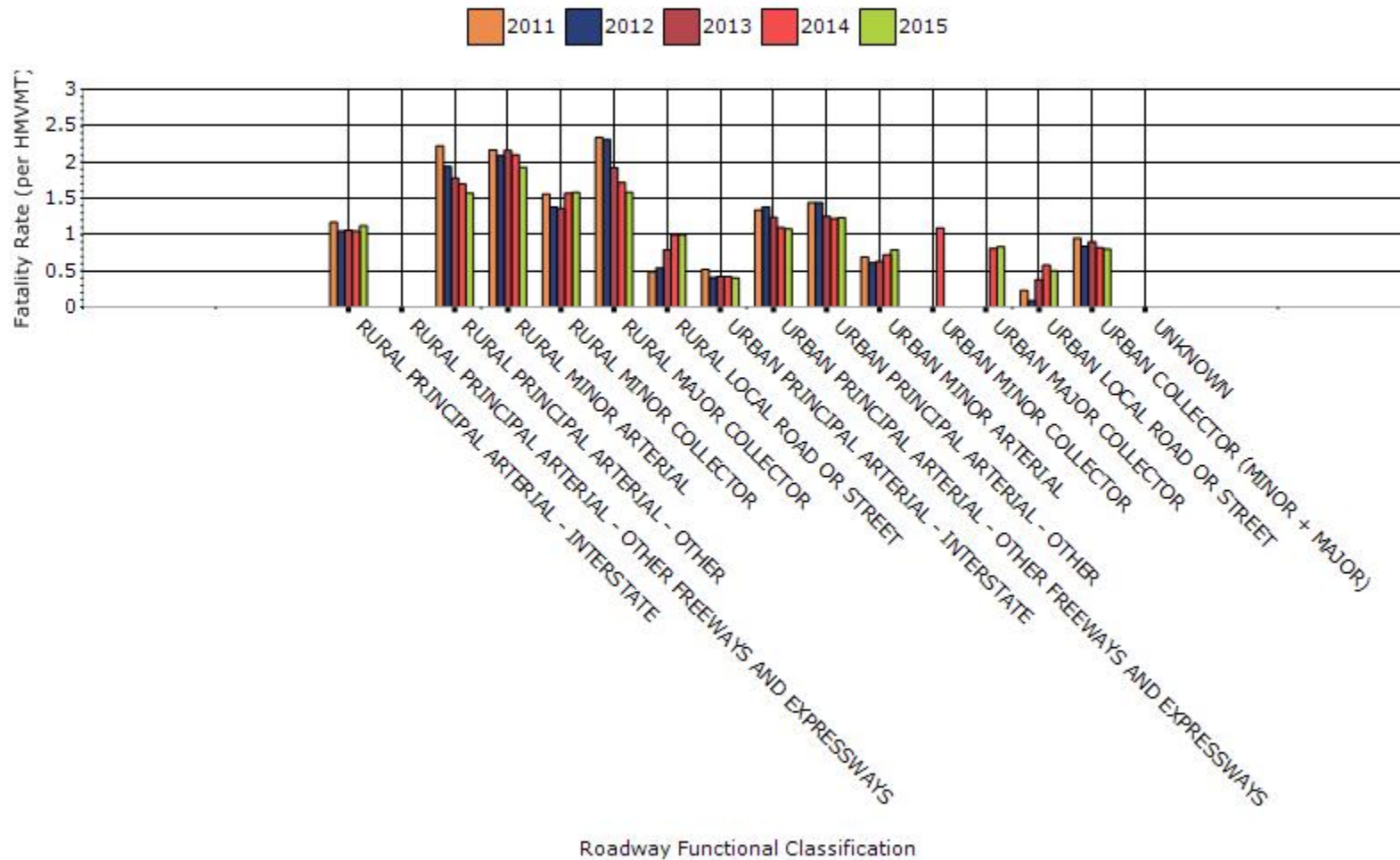
Fatalities by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



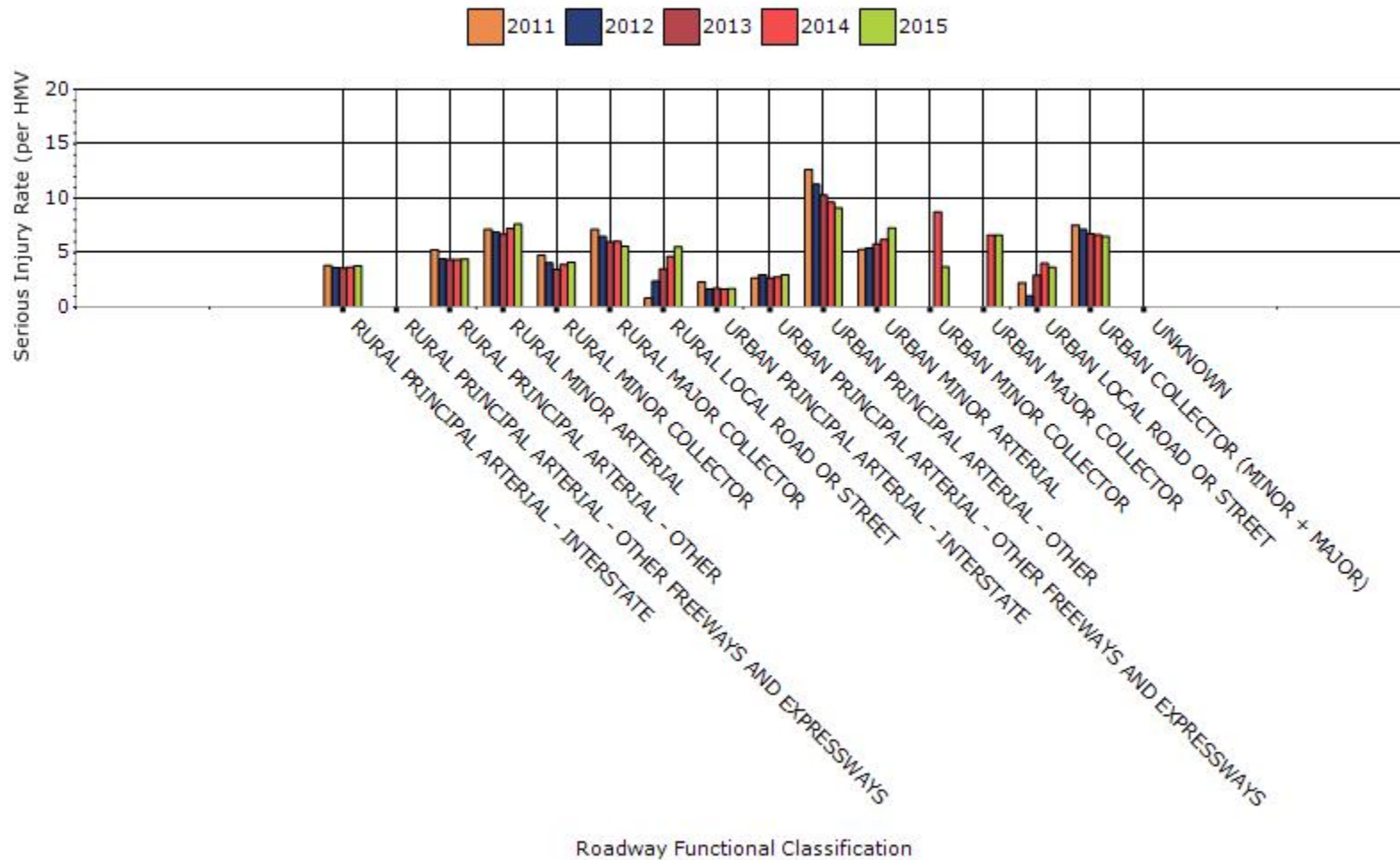
Serious Injuries by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



Fatality Rate by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



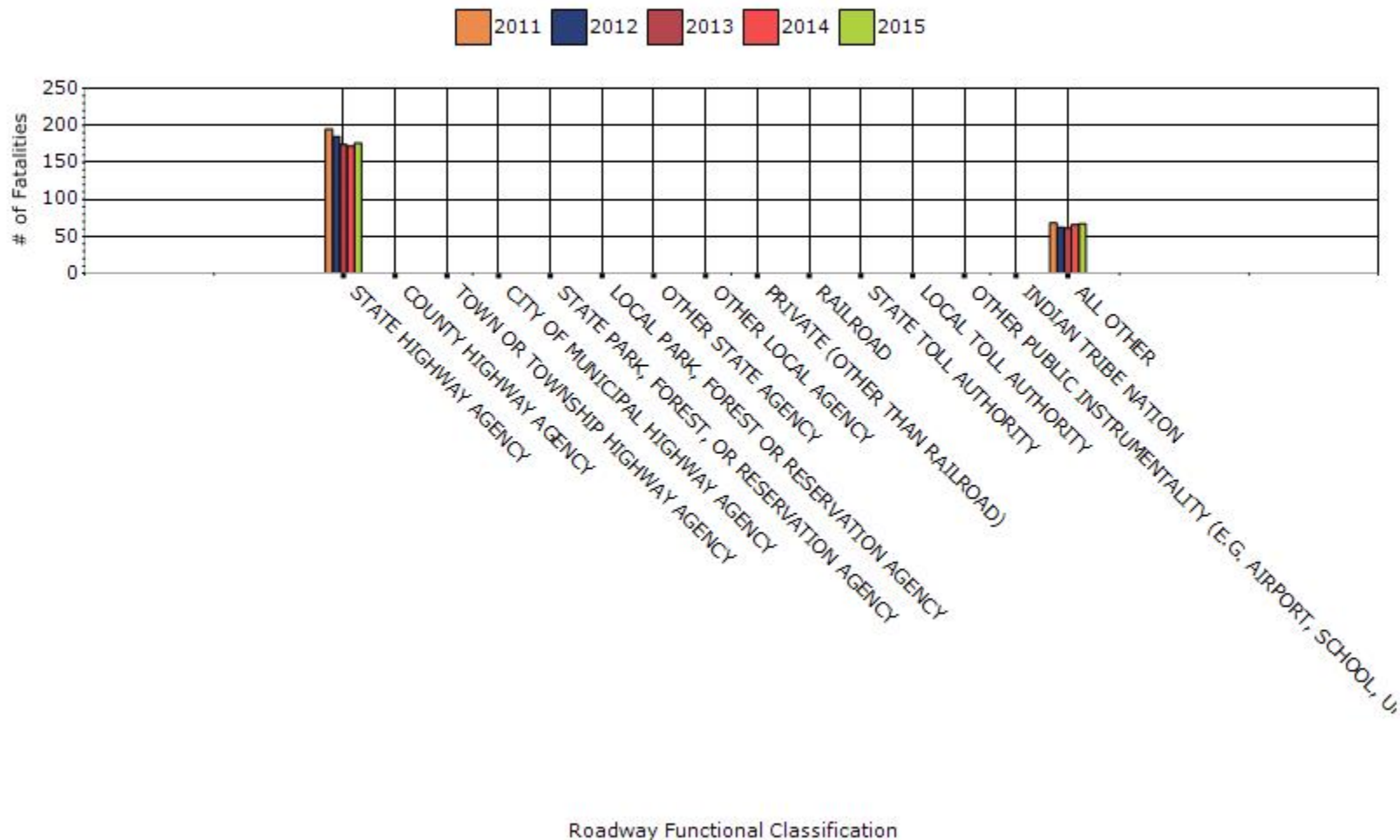
Serious Injury Rate by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



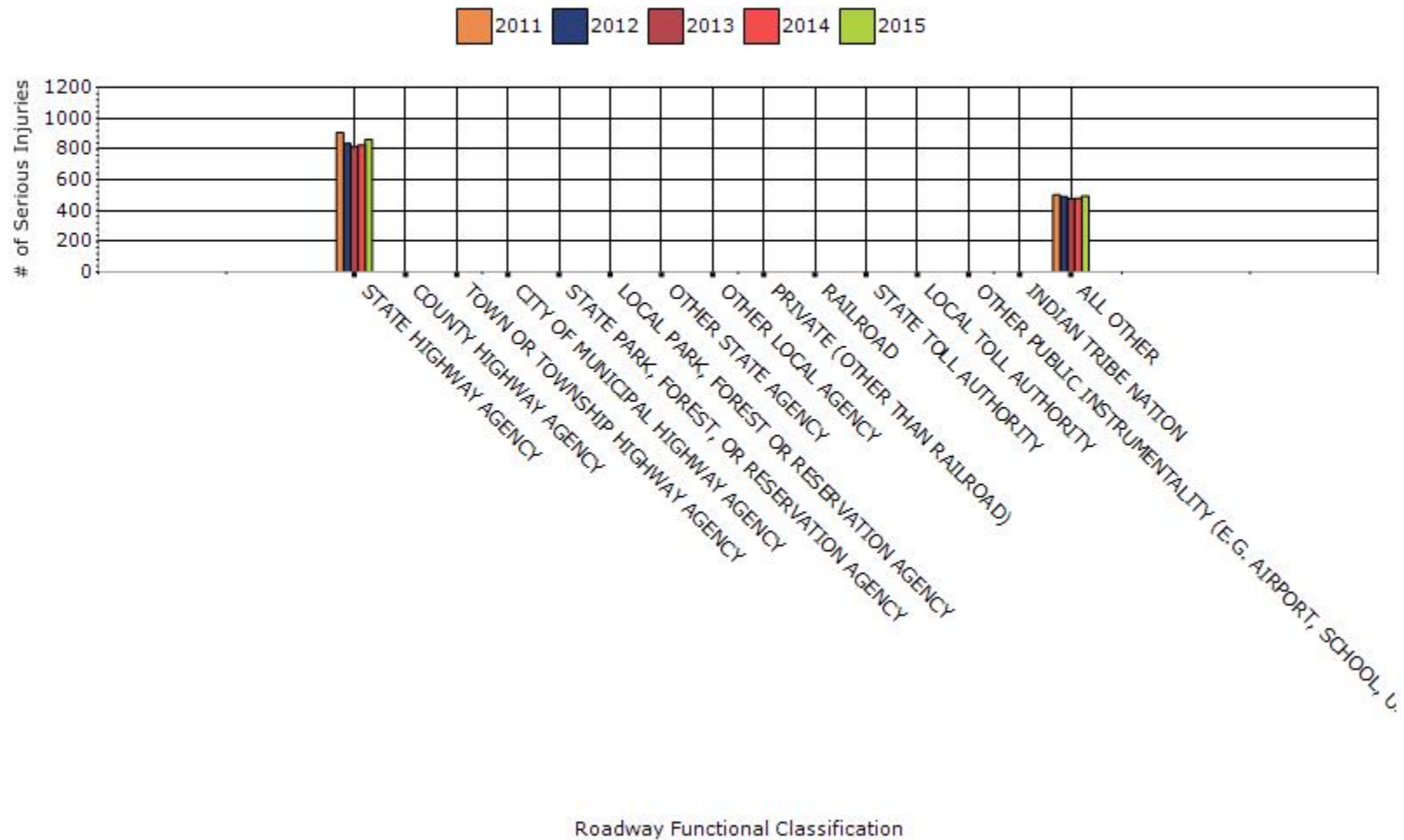
Year - 2015

Roadway Ownership	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)
STATE HIGHWAY AGENCY	176	861	0.96	4.71
ALL OTHER	67	495	0.73	5.35

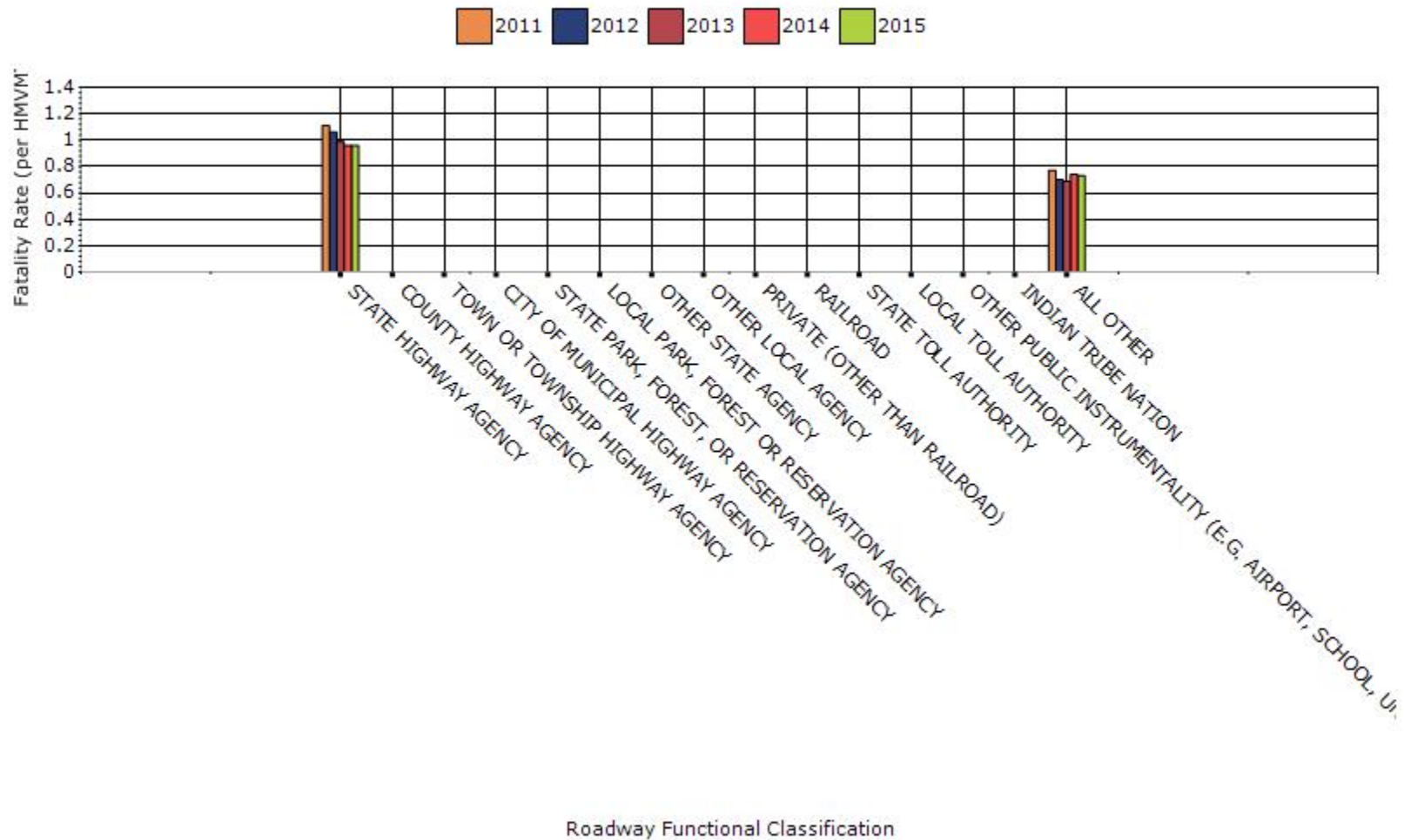
Number of Fatalities by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



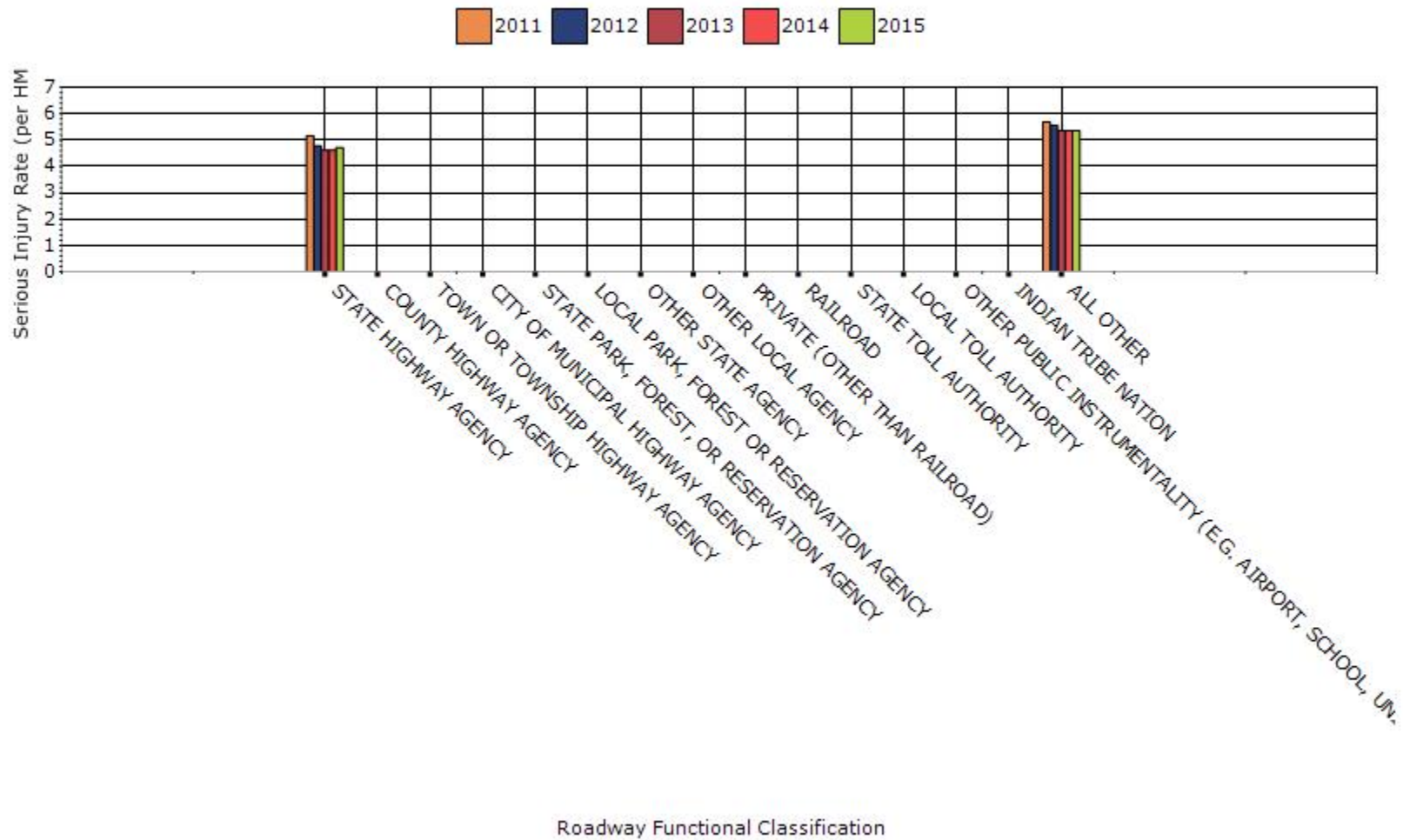
Number of Serious Injuries by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



Fatality Rate by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



Serious Injury Rate by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



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

The number of fatalities and serious injuries in Utah have increased for the past two years. We will continue to install low-cost safety improvements and other proven safety countermeasures to reverse this recent trend.

Application of Special Rules

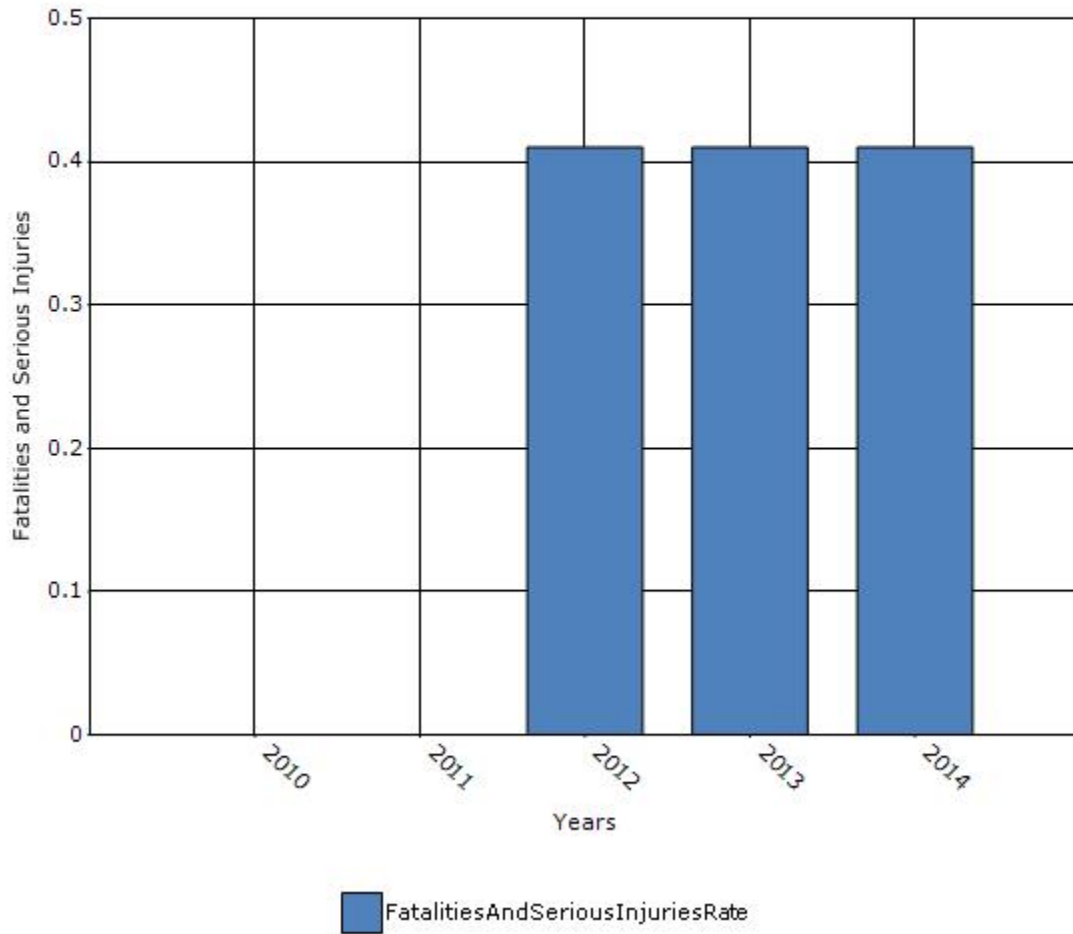
Present the rate of traffic fatalities and serious injuries per capita for drivers and pedestrians over the age of 65.

Older Driver Performance Measures	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Fatality rate (per capita)			0.11	0.11	0.11
Serious injury rate (per capita)			0.3	0.3	0.3
Fatality and serious injury rate (per capita)			0.41	0.41	0.41

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

We followed the guidance on the FHWA website for the older driver special rule. Each year's fatalities and serious injuries were divided by the "Number of People 65 Years of Age and Older (per 1,000 total population)" figures for each of the respective years, as instructed in the guidance. Those are the values we entered in the spreadsheet above.

Rate of Fatalities and Serious injuries for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



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?

Benefit/cost

If 'benefit/cost', indicate the overall Highway Safety Improvement Program benefit/cost ratio.

2.05

Other-Reduction of fatalities and serious injuries

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

None

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

None.

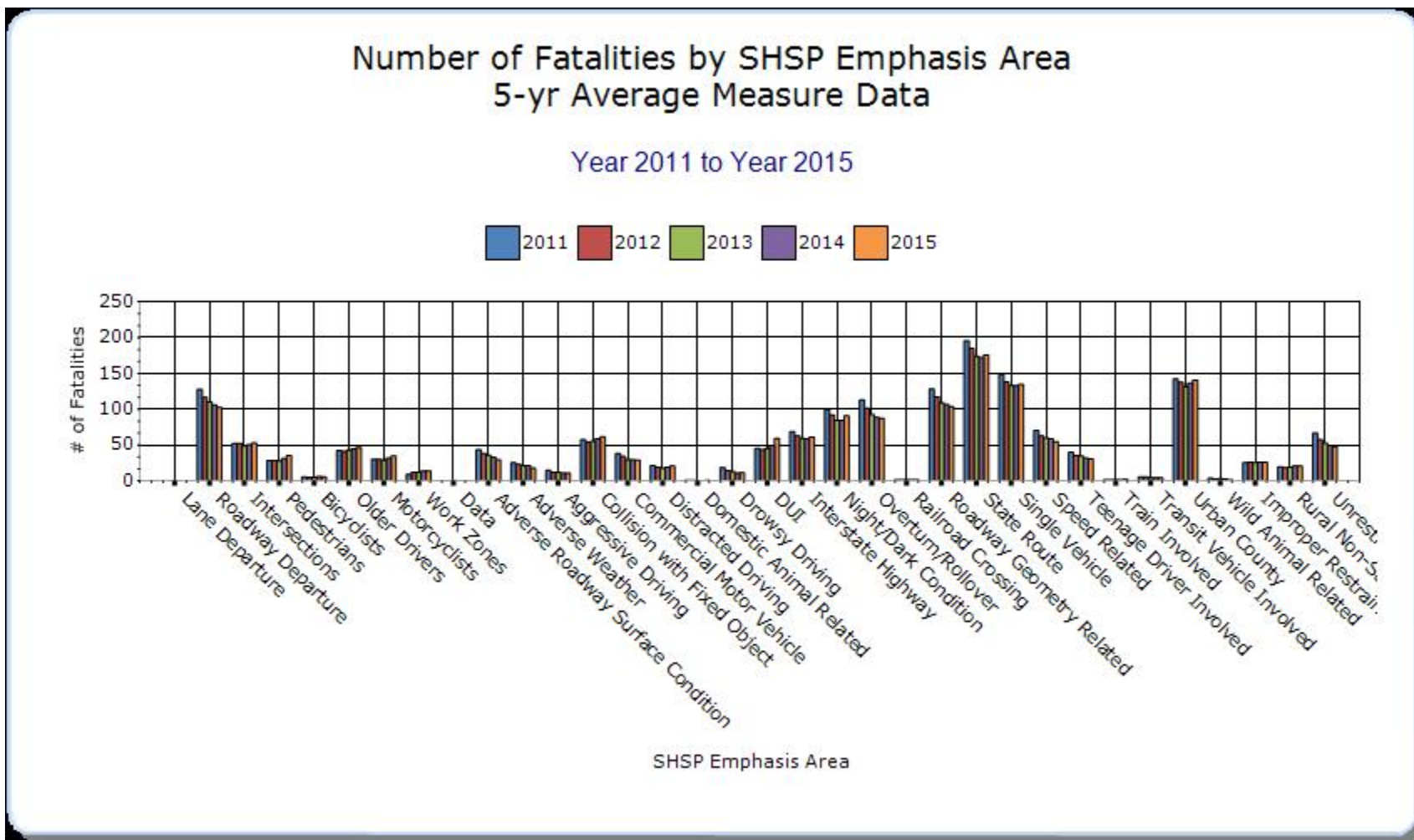
SHSP Emphasis Areas

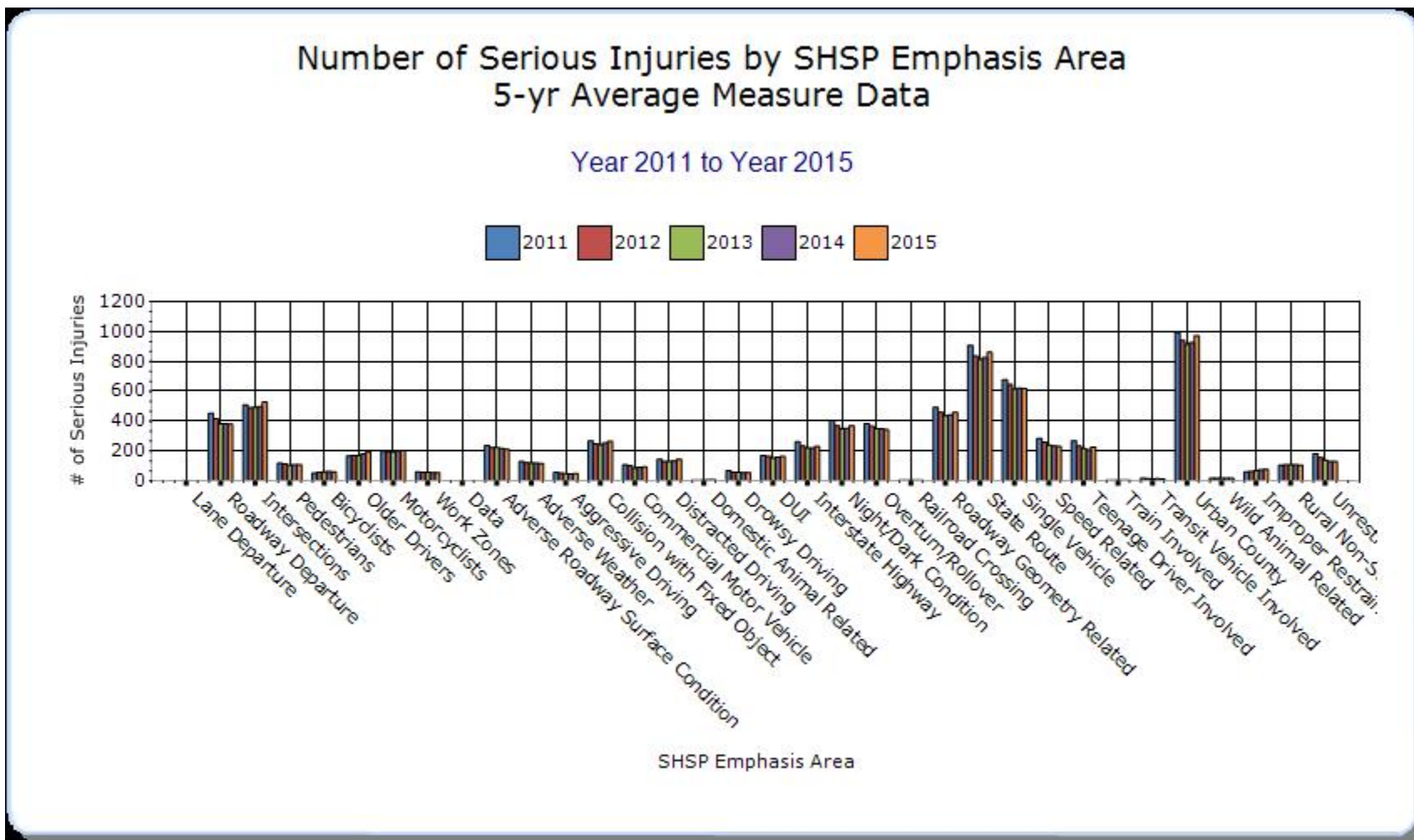
For each SHSP emphasis area that relates to the HSIP, present trends in emphasis area performance measures.

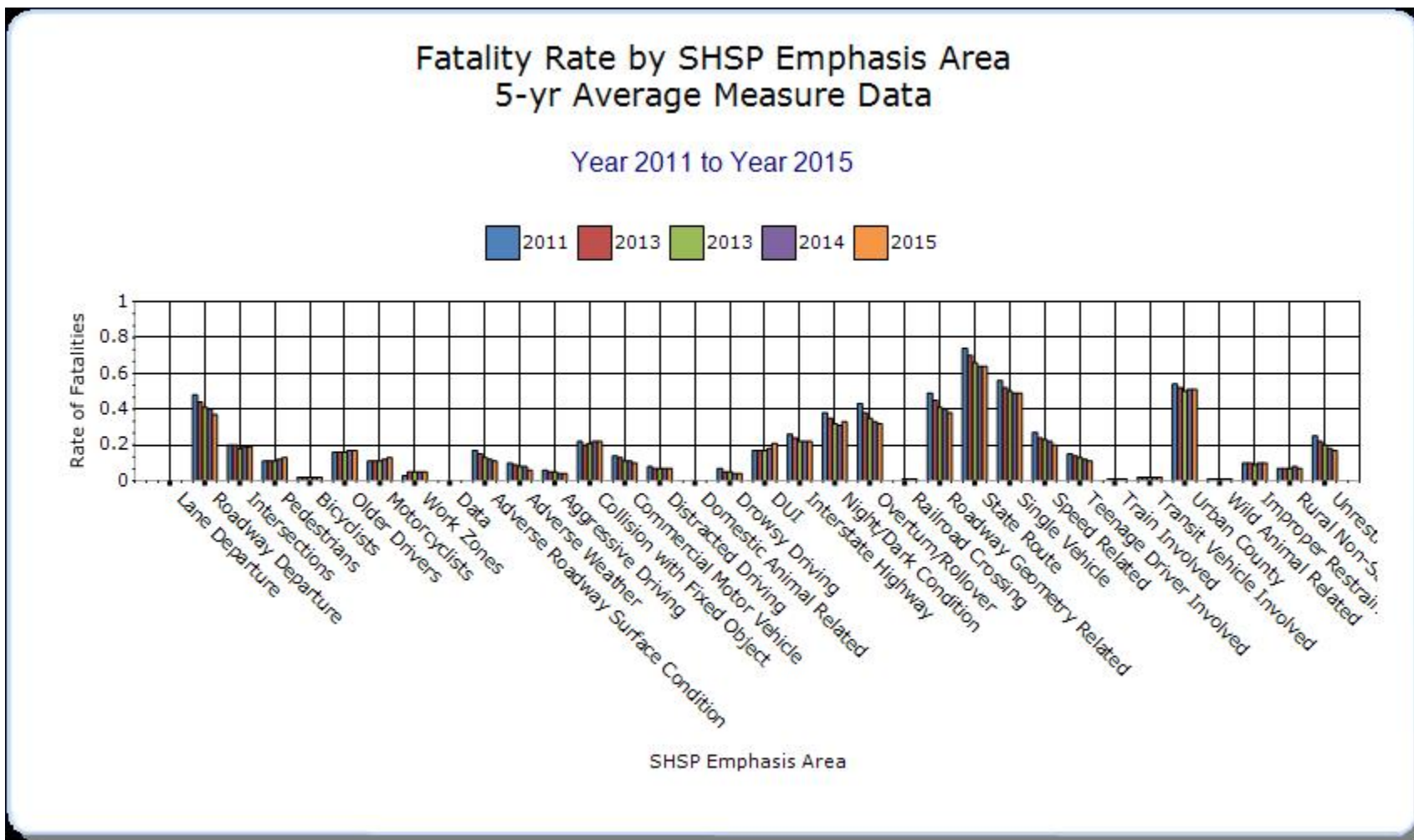
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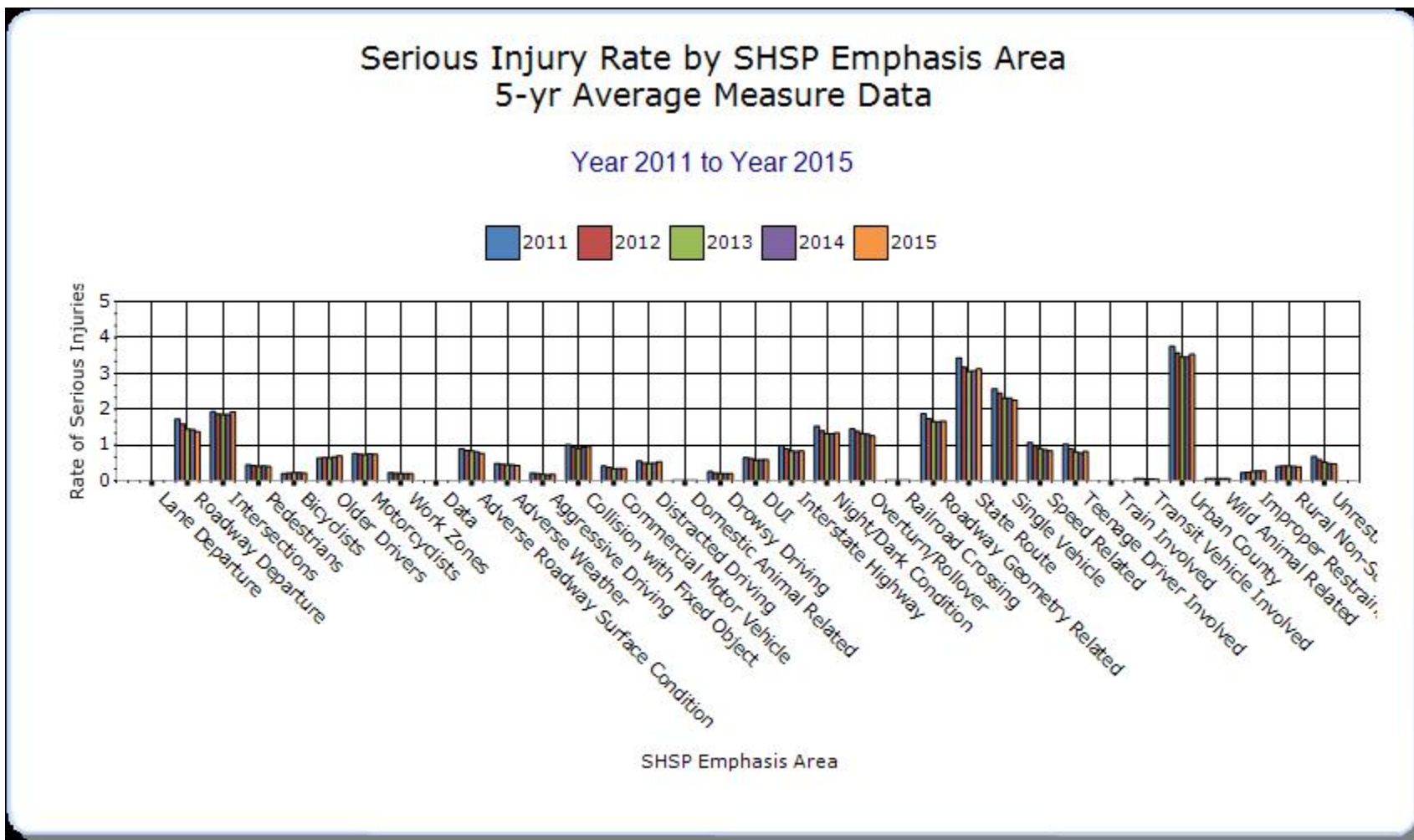
HSIP-related SHSP Emphasis Areas	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	Other-1	Other-2	Other-3
Roadway Departure		102.6	378.6	0.37	1.37			
Intersections		52.8	527.4	0.19	1.92			
Pedestrians		35.6	109.2	0.13	0.4			
Bicyclists		5.6	59.8	0.02	0.22			
Older Drivers		46.6	194.4	0.17	0.7			
Motorcyclists		34.6	203.6	0.13	0.74			
Work Zones		14	55.6	0.05	0.2			
Adverse Roadway Surface Condition		29.4	212	0.11	0.77			
Adverse Weather		17.8	117.6	0.06	0.43			
Aggressive Driving		11	49.8	0.04	0.18			
Collision with Fixed Object		61.4	265.6	0.22	0.96			
Commercial Motor Vehicle		28.8	93.2	0.1	0.34			
Distracted Driving		20.6	145.2	0.07	0.53			
Domestic Animal Related		0.6	5.8		0.02			
Drowsy Driving		11.2	55	0.04	0.2			
DUI		59.2	162.8	0.21	0.59			
Interstate Highway		61	230.2	0.22	0.83			
Night/Dark Condition		90.6	369.6	0.33	1.34			

Overturn/Rollover		87.4	343.2	0.32	1.25			
Railroad Crossing		1.6	4.4	0.01	0.02			
Roadway Geometry Related		103.8	459.2	0.38	1.67			
State Route		175.6	860.8	0.64	3.12			
Single Vehicle		134.4	618.4	0.49	2.25			
Speed Related		54.8	230.4	0.2	0.84			
Teenage Driver Involved		30.6	226.4	0.11	0.82			
Train Involved		2	3.6	0.01	0.01			
Transit Vehicle Involved		4.2	12.2	0.02	0.04			
Urban County		140.4	972	0.51	3.53			
Wild Animal Related		1.6	18.6	0.01	0.07			
Improper Restraint		26.2	75.8	0.1	0.28			
Rural Non-State		20.6	106.4	0.07	0.39			
Unrestrained		47.6	129.2	0.17	0.47			







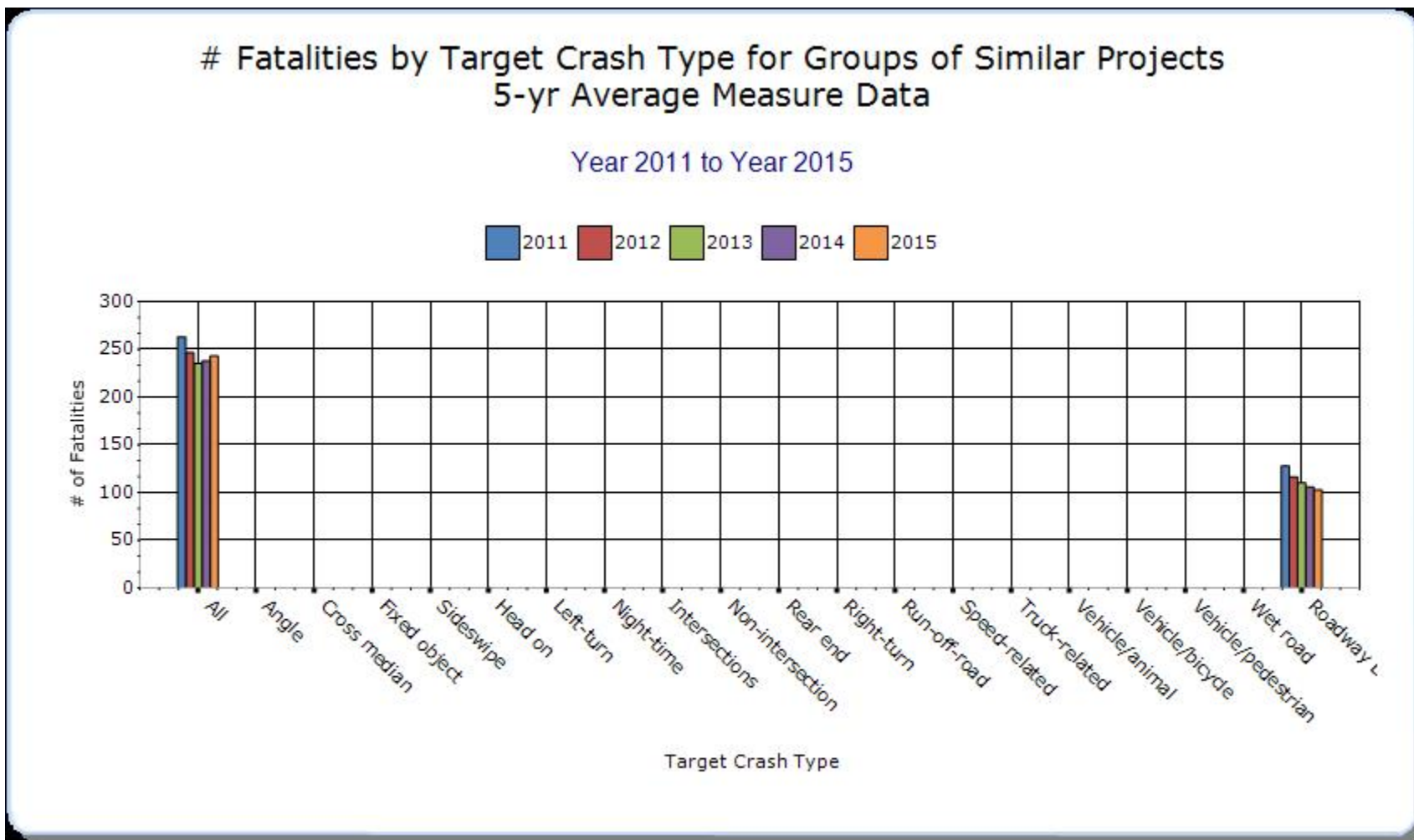


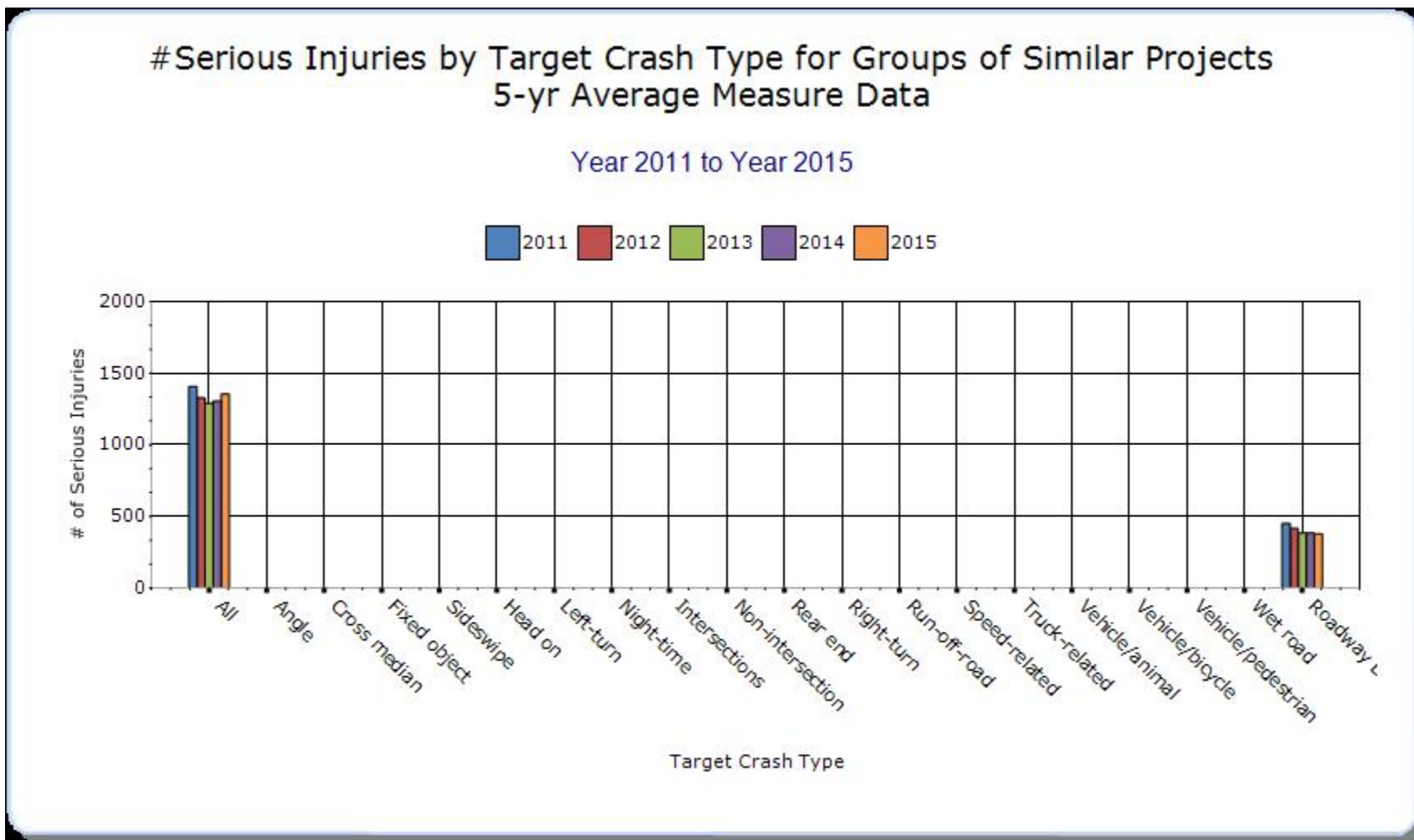
Groups of similar project types

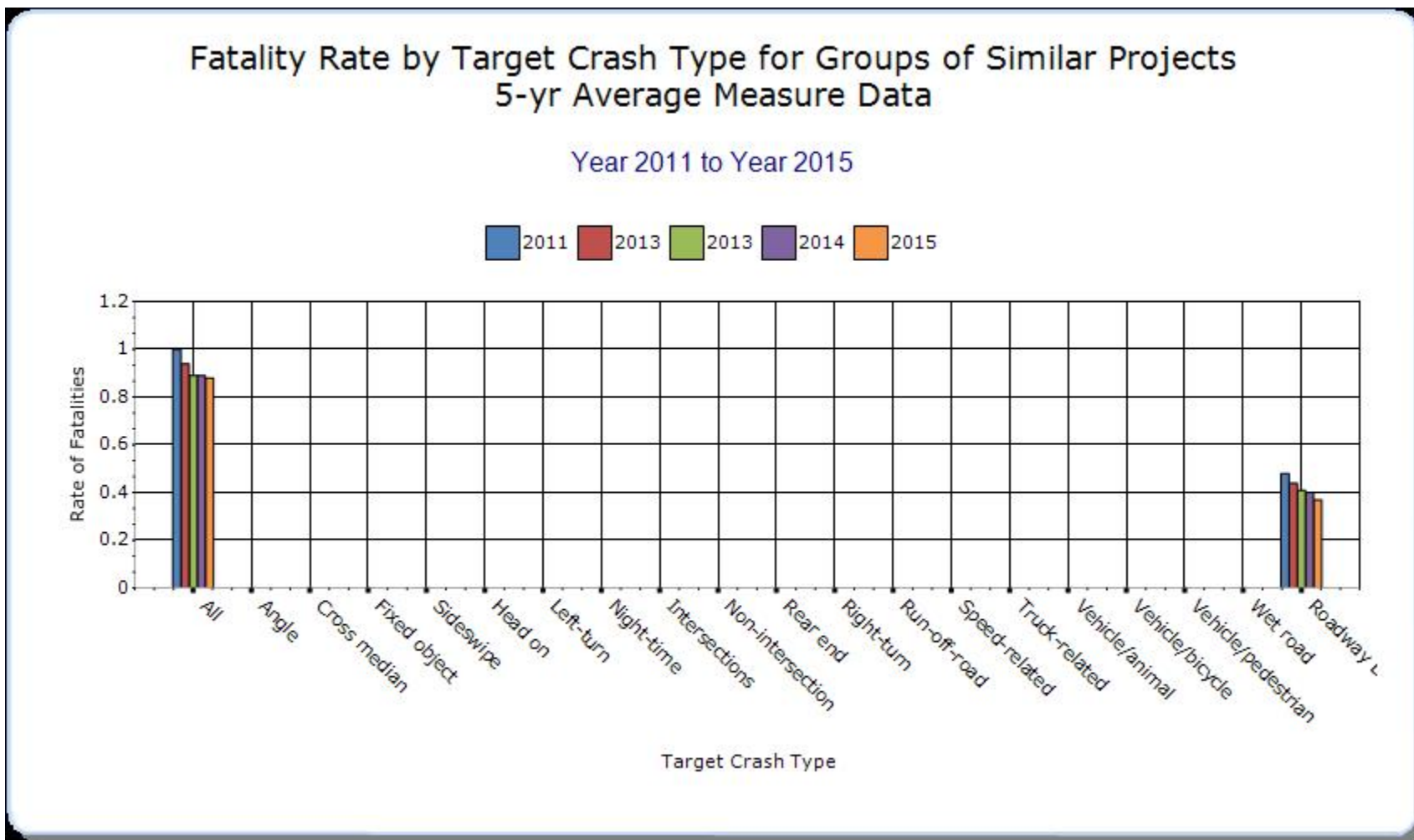
Present the overall effectiveness of groups of similar types of projects.

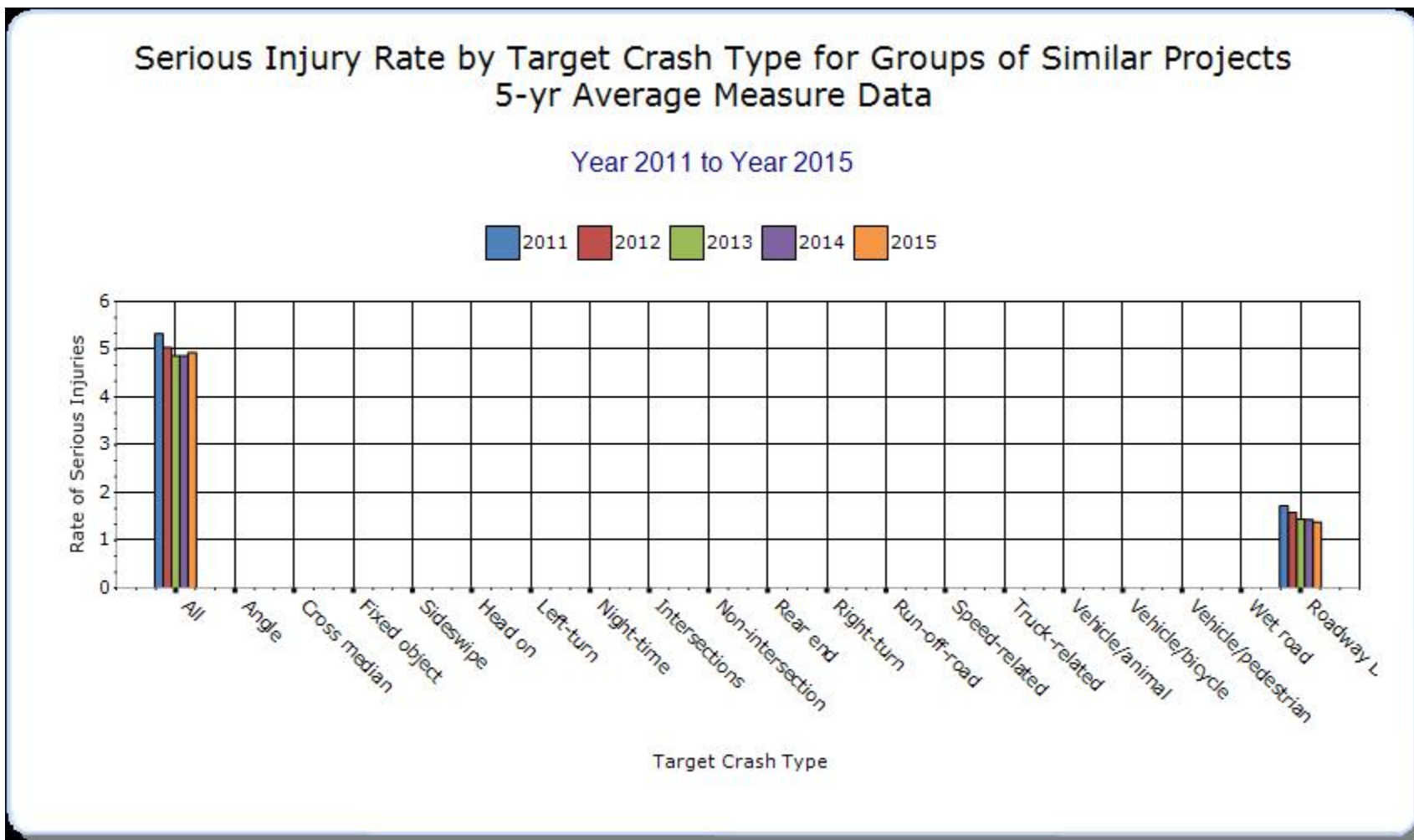
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HSIP Sub-program Types	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	Other-1	Other-2	Other-3
Low-Cost Spot Improvements	Roadway Departure	103	379	0.37	1.38			
Other-Reduce Serious & Fatal Injuries	All	243	1355	0.88	4.93			







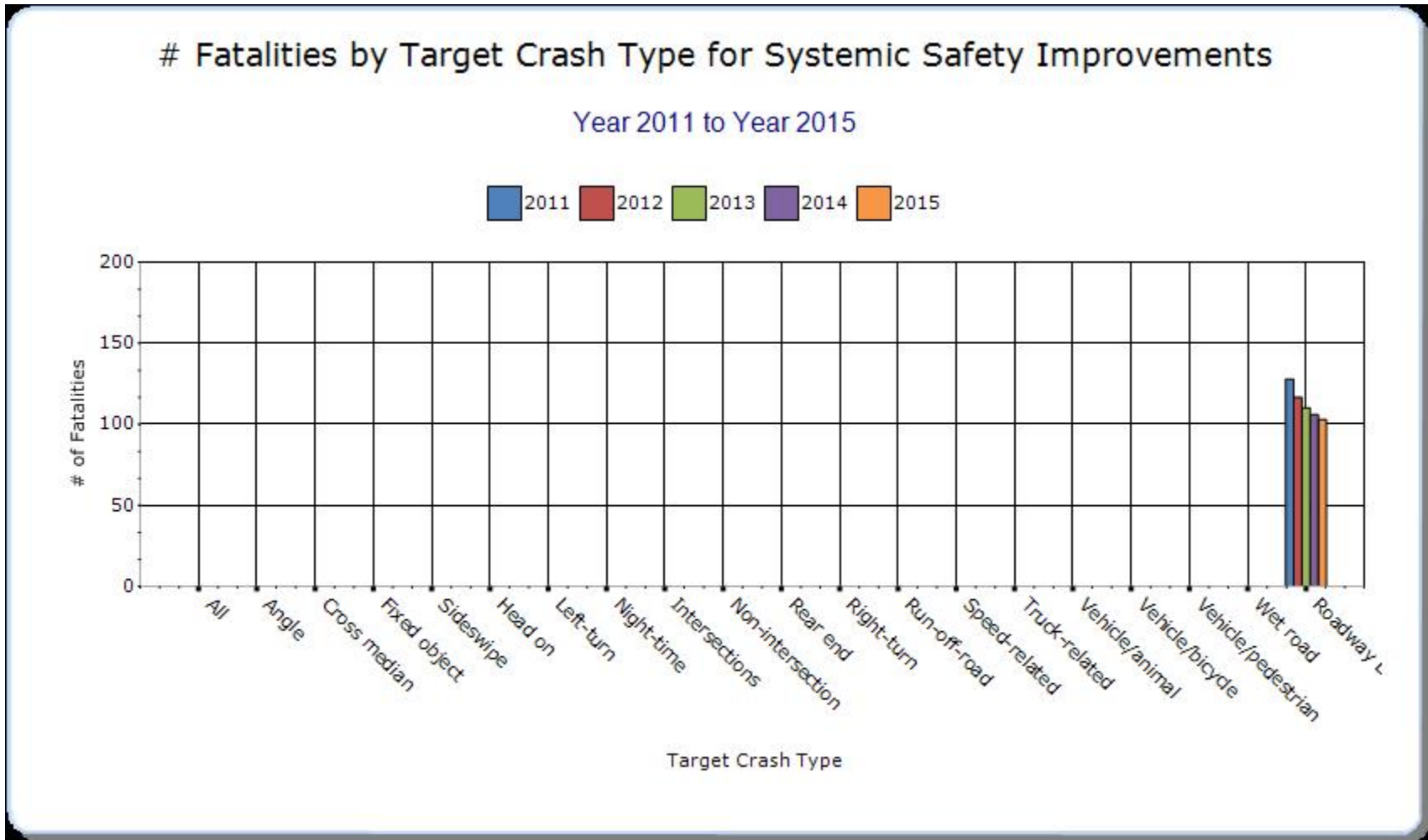


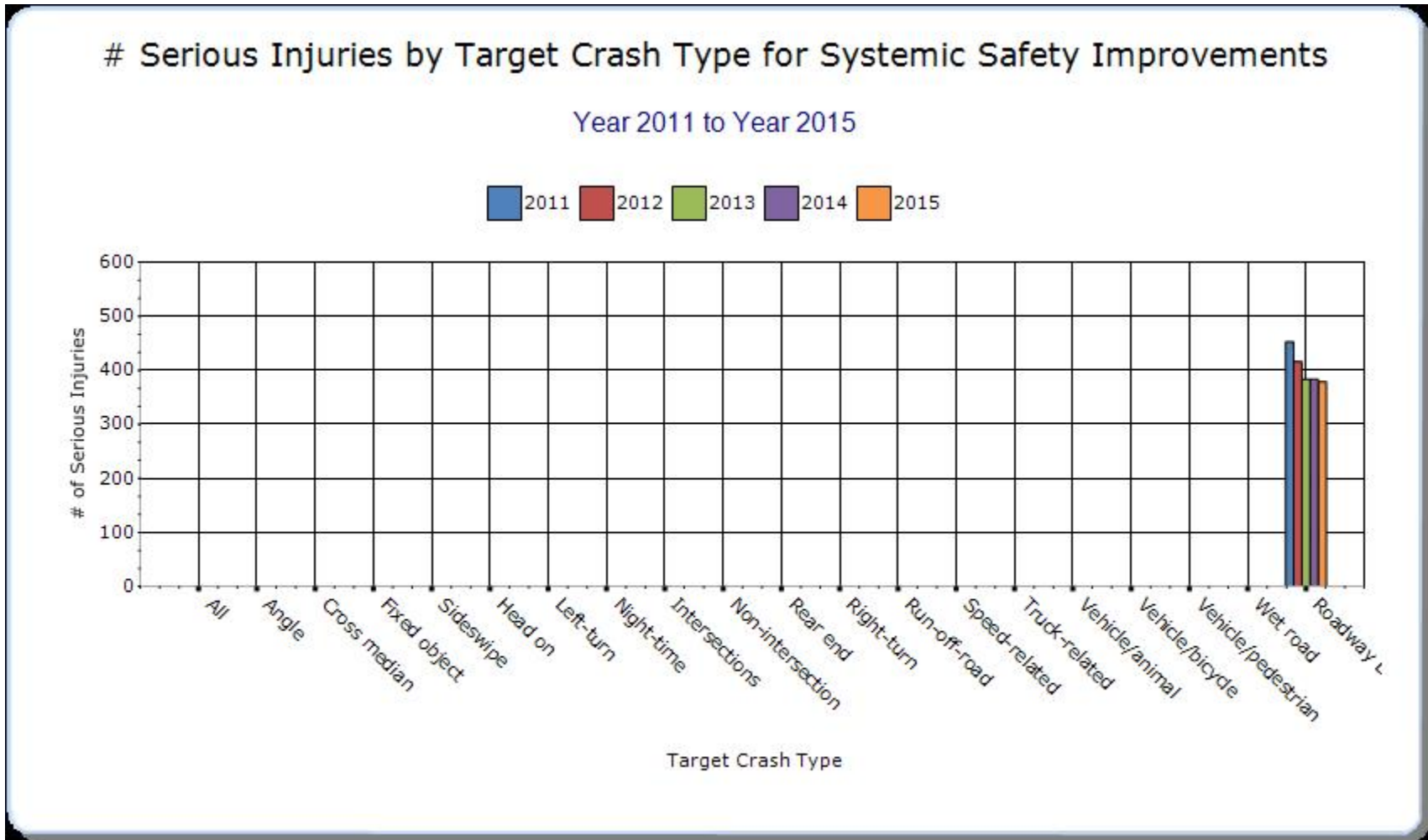
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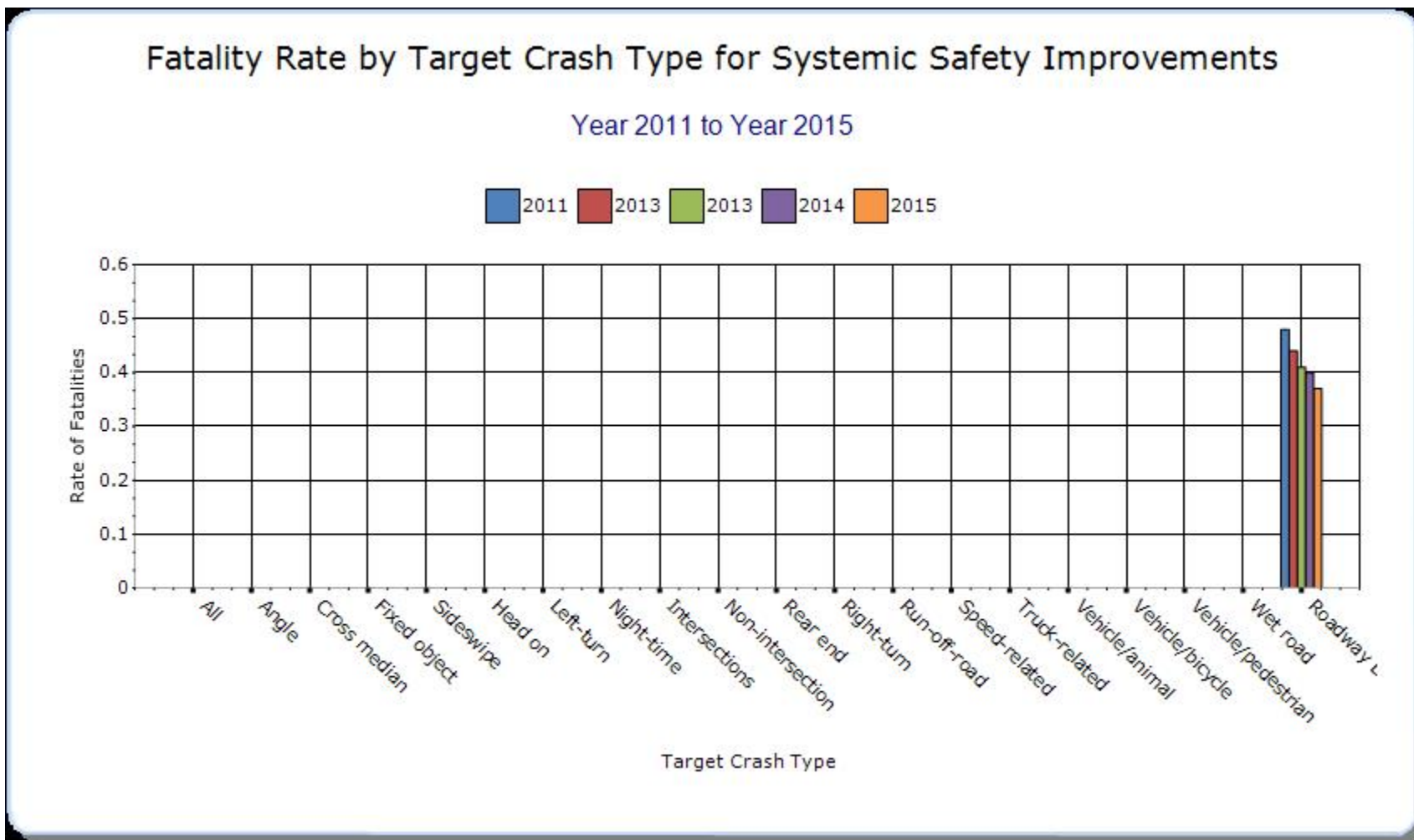
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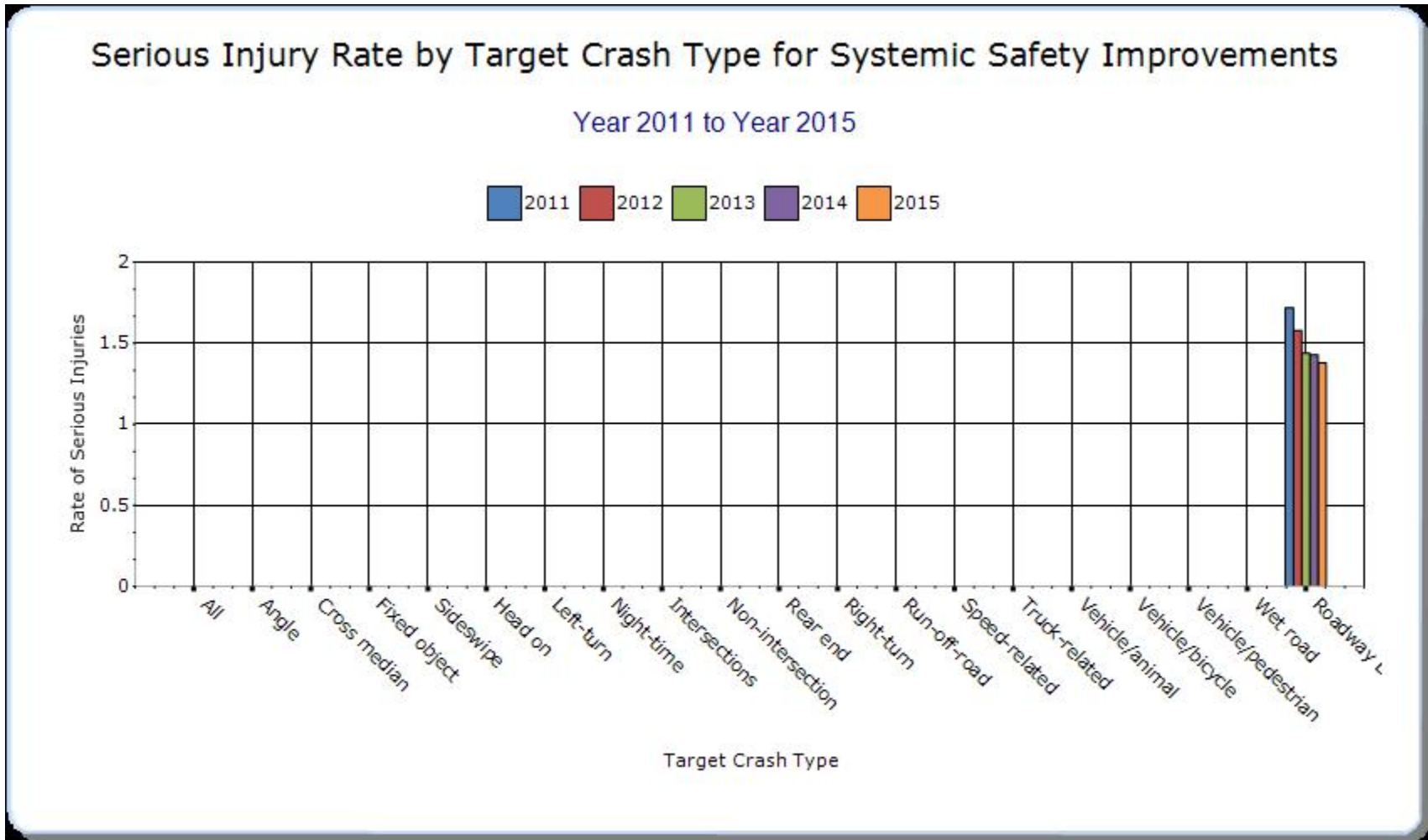
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Systemic improvement	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities	Number of serious injuries	Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	Other-1	Other-2	Other-3
Median Barriers, Rumble Strips, Guardrails	Roadway Departure	103	379	0.37	1.38			









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

None.

Project Evaluation

Provide project evaluation data for completed projects (optional).

Location	Functional Class	Improvement Category	Improvement Type	Bef-Fatal	Bef-Serious Injury	Bef-All Injuries	Bef-PDO	Bef-Total	Aft-Fatal	Aft-Serious Injury	Aft-All Injuries	Aft-PDO	Aft-Total	Evaluation Results (Benefit/ Cost Ratio)
Dummy Project	Rural Minor Collector													

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.

Systematic refers to an approach where an agency deploys countermeasures at all locations across a system.

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.