

DATA COLLECTION AND MANAGEMENT Presenter: Senior Superintendent Linden Isles 'Traffic Chief' Guyana Police Force

Introduction

It is the responsibility of The Guyana Police Force's Traffic Department to collect and analyse road safety data, make recommendations to various stakeholders and to enhance our Education Enforcement and Engineering capability.

GUYANA IS DIVIDED INTO SEVEN POLICE DIVISIONS

- 'A' Division-Georgetown to Dora
- 'B' Division-West Coast Berbice to Moleson Creek
- 'C' Division-Upper Demerara to Lower Demerara
- 'D' Division-West Coast Demerara to East Bank Essequibo
- 'E' Division-Dora to Wismar Linden
- 'F' Division-Bartica to Interior Location
- 'G' Division-Essequibo Coast and Islands

Each Division has a Traffic Department which fulfils the outlined objectives.

• Each Division has an Officer or Inspector who is in charge. The rank of the person incharge depends on the size of the division. In Each Division there is Data Analysis that is done on a **daily** basis and sent to Divisional Head Quarters and then to the Traffic Head Quarters.

Categories of Accidents

Accidents are classified into four Categories.Fatal Accidents-

Serious Accidents-

Minor Accidents-

Damage Accidents

INFORMATION RECORDED FROM DIFFERENT TYPES OF ACCIDENTS

- Place accident occurred
- •Date accident occurred
- •Time accident occurred
- Class of vehicles involved
- •Causes of accident
- •Categories of road user killed
- •Ages of persons involved
- •Days accident occurred
- •Gender of persons involved

CAUSES OF FATAL ACCIDENTS FROM

1st JANUARY TO 29th JULY 2018/2019

Speeding/DUI	32	50
Inattentiveness	8	4
Pedestrians Crossing in the path of Approaching Vehicles	5	3
Fail to Confirm to Sign	1	0
<u>Total</u>	46	57

CATEGORIES OF ROAD USERS KILLED FROM 1st JANUARY TO 29th JULY 2018/2019

Pedal Cyclist	12	12
Motor Cyclist	6	12
Pillion Rider	1	3
Pedestrians	20	16
Occupants in Car	10	7
Drivers	1	7
Passengers in Minibus	2	4
Towed on Bicycle	1	0
Occupants in Lorry/Van	0	0
Total	53	61

<u>ACCIDENTS FROM 1st JANUARY TO 29th JULY</u> <u>2018/2019</u>

Motor Pickup	0	1
Private Car	18	20
Motorcycles	5	17
Hire Cars	9	7
Minibuses	11	4
Motor Lorry	5	8
<u>Total</u>	48	57

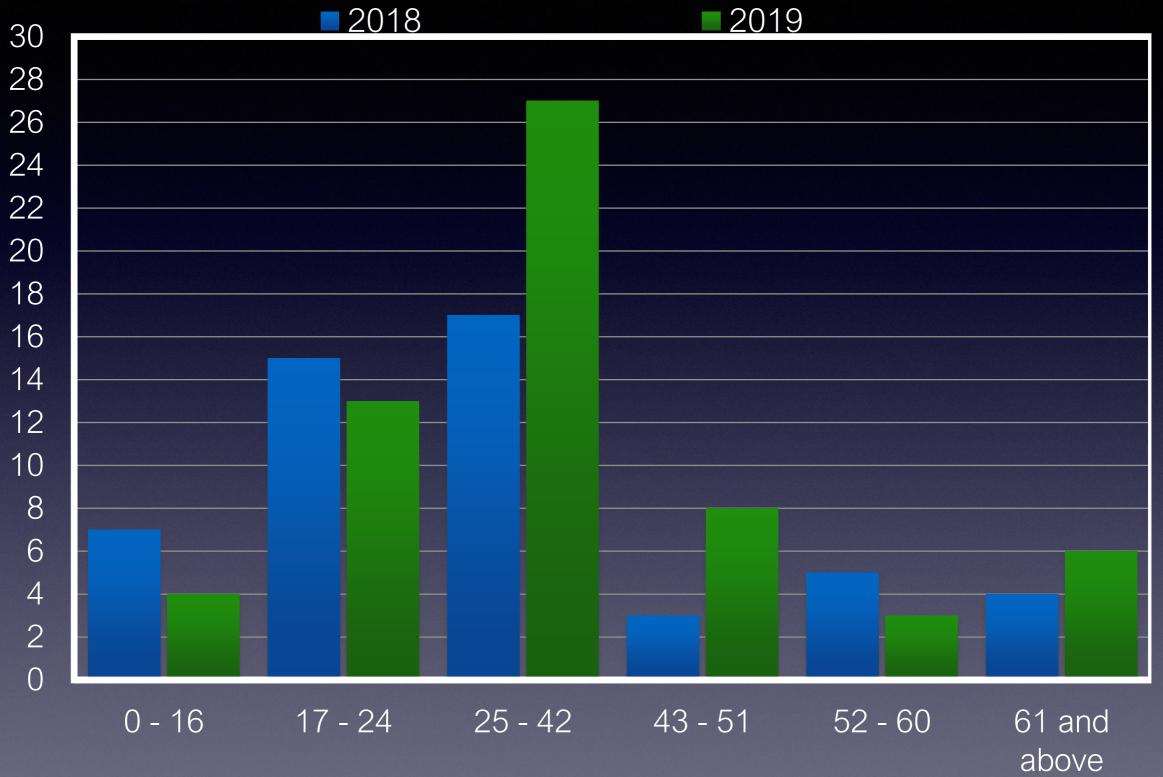
TIMINGS WHEN FATAL ACCIDENTS OCCURRED FROM1st JANUARY TO 29th JULY 2018/2019

06:00hrs - 11:59hrs	11	10
12:00hrs - 17:59hrs	10	15
18:00hrs - 23:00hrs	18	21
00:00hrs - 05:59hrs	7	11
Total	46	57

AGES OF PERSONS INVOLVED IN FATAL ACCIDENTS 1st JANUARY TO 29th JULY 2018/2019

01 - 16	7	4
17 - 24	15	13
25 - 42	17	27
43 - 51	3	8
52 - 60	5	3
61 and over	4	6
Total	51	61

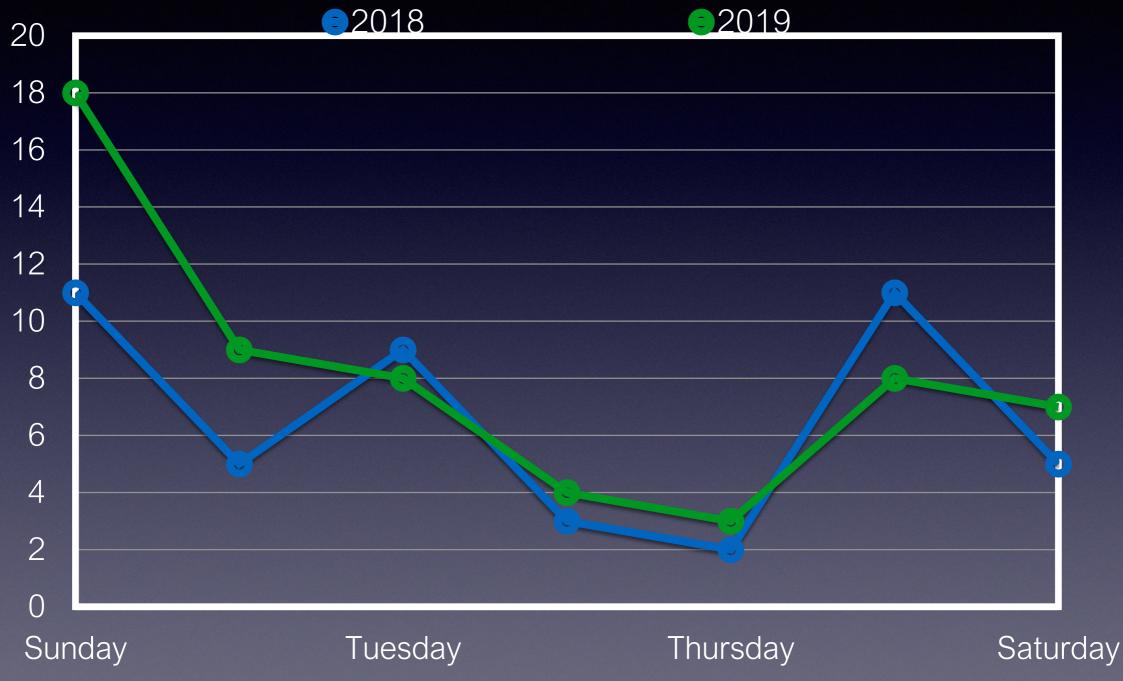
Graph Showing Ages of Persons Involved in Fatal Accidents 1st January to 29th July 2019



DAYS OF WEEK WHEN FATAL ACCIDENTS OCCURRED 1st JANUARY TO 29th JULY 2018/2019

Sunday	11	18
Monday	5	9
Tuesday	9	8
Wednesday	3	4
Thursday	2	3
Friday	11	8
Saturday	5	7
Total	46	57

Graph Showing Comparative Figures for Days of the Week Accidents Occurred in 2018 and 2019



The End.