

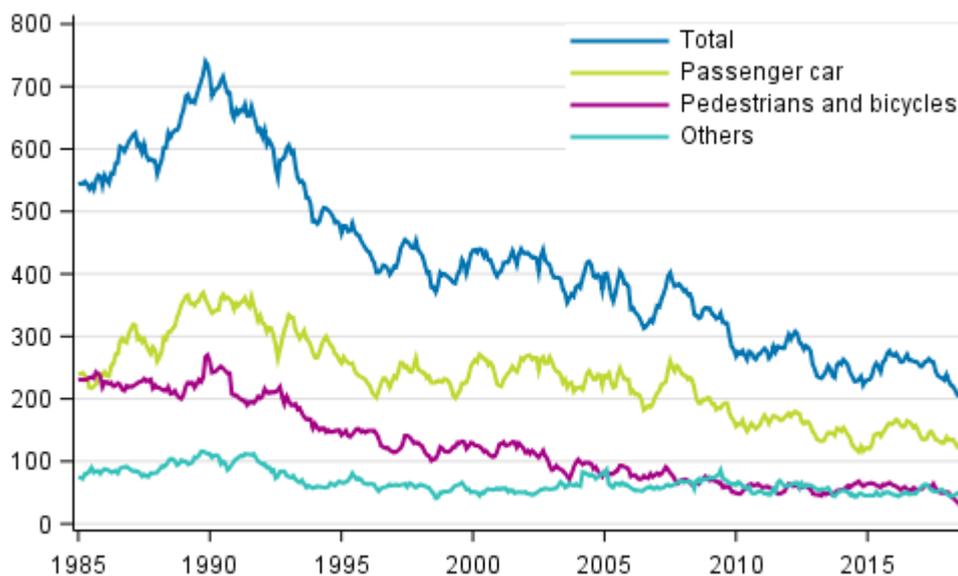
Statistics on road traffic accidents

2018, August

Road traffic accidents claimed 21 lives in August

According to preliminary data of Statistics Finland, 436 accidents involving personal injury happened in road traffic in August. In them, 21 persons were killed and 543 persons injured. The number of persons killed was six higher and that of persons injured six lower than in August 2017.

Persons killed in road traffic accidents 1/1985 - 8/2018. Deaths in the past 12 months by month



Of the persons who were killed, 13 travelled by passenger car, two by motorcycle and four by bus. Cyclists killed in road traffic accidents numbered two. Among those who died, 14 were men and seven were women.

A total of 2,831 road traffic accidents involving personal injury happened in January to August period. In them, 139 persons were killed and 3,581 persons injured. The number of persons killed was seven lower and that of persons injured 35 lower than in the corresponding period of 2017. Of the persons who were killed, 90 travelled by passenger car, two by van, three by moped, 21 by motorcycle, one by lorry and four by bus. Pedestrians killed numbered eight and cyclists six. In addition, four other road users were killed.

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