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Population / Land Area		Distribution	% of National
Total Population – (Census 2011)	37,999,878		12.1%
Total Land Area Square Miles (PS-1)	155,959		4.4%

Driver Licenses (DL-22)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Male	12,274,575	50.72%	11.69%
Female	11,926,422	49.28%	11.16%
Total	24,200,997	100.00%	11.43%

Motor Fuel Tax Rates (MF-121T) (\$)		Tax Rates as of Dec. 2011
Gasoline	Â \$0.36	
Diesel	\$0.13	
Gasohol	\$0.36	

Motor Fuel Usage (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Gasoline/Gasohol (Table MF-33GA)	14,525,691	84.1%	10.8%
Special Fuel (Table MF-33SF)	2,748,351	15.9%	7.3%
Total Fuel	17,274,042	100.0%	
Off Highway Gasoline (Table MF-21)	304,493	2.1%	8.3%
On Highway Gasoline (Table MF-21)	14,221,198	97.9%	10.9%

18.4 NOTE: Tax rates do not include Federal gas tax of 18.4 cents on a liter of 24.4 cents.

Vehicle Registrations (MV-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Autos	13,223,822	47.74%	11.88%
Buses	93,305	0.34%	12.20%
Trucks	13,597,502	49.08%	10.21%
Total	26,914,629		
Motorcycles	787,521	2.84%	9.31%
Grand Total	27,702,150	100.00%	10.92%

Public Road Length (Table HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	80,870	46.1%	2.7%
Urban	94,629	53.9%	8.5%

Fatally Injured in Vehicle Crashes (FI-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	1180	41.29%	6.57%
Urban	1676	58.64%	10.99%
Unknown	2	0.07%	0.61%
Total	2858	100%	8.52%

Public Road Length (Table HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Total	175,499	100.0%	4.3%

Public Road Length (Miles) by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	2,453	1.4%	5.2%
Other Freeways & Expressways	1,498	0.9%	9.4%
Other Principal Arterials	10,216	5.8%	6.5%
Minor Arterial	17,661	10.1%	7.3%
Major Collector	24,311	13.9%	4.5%
Minor Collector	7,865	4.5%	3.0%
Local	111,495	63.5%	3.9%
Total	175,499	36.5%	6.2%

Public Road Length (Miles) by Ownerhip (HM-10) NOT PUBLISHED IN 2009			
State Highway Agencies			
County			
Town/Townships			
Other Jurisdictions			
Federal			
Total			

Functional System Lane Length (HM-60)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	14,623	3.7%	6.7%
Other Freeways/Expressways	8,471	2.1%	12.0%
Other Principal Arterials	36,963	9.4%	7.8%
Minor Arterial	44,830	11.4%	8.0%
Major Collector	50,834	12.9%	4.7%
Minor Collector	15,730	4.0%	3.0%
Local	222,990	56.5%	3.9%
Total	394,441	100.0%	4.6%

Vehicle Miles Traveled – (Millions) - (VM-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	57,520	17.6%	5.9%
Urban	268,752	82.4%	13.5%

Highway Finance (\$000)

State Funding for Highways (Summary) – SF-21 (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Receipts		\$19,102,508	12.63%
Disbursements		\$17,155,462	11.40%

State Revenues Used for Highways (SF-1) (\$000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway User Revenues	\$10,564,438	55.30%	15.83%
General Fund Appropriations	\$1,985,217	10.39%	29.82%
Other State Imposts	\$588,857	3.08%	6.60%
Miscellaneous	\$304,893	1.60%	2.63%
Bonds	\$975,109	5.10%	5.23%
Federal payments	\$3,840,763	20.11%	9.16%
Local Governments and Other	\$843,231	4.41%	27.69%
Total	\$19,102,508	100.00%	12.13%

State Disbursements for Highways (SF-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Capital Outlay	\$4,080,132	0.2378328	5.37%
Maintenance and Services	\$2,004,736	0.116857	9.18%
Administration and Misc.	\$889,508	0.0518498	10.00%
Highway Law Enforcement & Safety	\$1,786,612	0.1041425	19.25%
Interest	\$452,585	0.0263814	5.72%
Bond Retirement	\$126,985	0.007402	0.85%
Grants-in-aid to Locals	\$7,814,904	0.4555345	43.89%
Total	\$17,155,462	76.22%	10.95%

Attributed Federal Trust Fund Receipts - 2011 (\$000) (Table FE-9)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway Account	\$3,343,484	86.82%	9.51%
Mass Transit Account	\$507,532	13.18%	10.14%
Total	\$3,851,016	100.00%	9.59%

Vehicle Miles Traveled – (Millions) - (VM-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Total	326,272	100.0%	11.0%

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Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	86,362	26.5%	11.8%
Other Freeways/Expressways	54,130	16.6%	7.4%
Other Principal Arterial	75,881	23.3%	11.5%
Minor Arterial	58,356	17.9%	11.1%
Major Collector	28,377	8.7%	4.3%
Minor Collector	2,627	0.8%	4.6%
Local	20,539	6.3%	5.1%
Total	326,272	100.0%	11.0%