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Population / Land Area		Distribution	% of National
Total Population – (Census 2011)	4,602,134		1.5%
Total Land Area Square Miles (PS-1)	43,562		1.2%

Motor Fuel Usage (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Gasoline/Gasohol (Table MF-33GA)	2,247,906	76.9%	1.7%
Special Fuel (Table MF-33SF)	675,030	23.1%	1.8%
Total Fuel	2,922,936	100.0%	
Off Highway Gasoline (Table MF-21)	76,017	3.4%	2.1%
On Highway Gasoline (Table MF-21)	2,149,410	96.6%	1.6%

Public Road Length (Table HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	44,356	72.3%	1.5%
Urban	16,970	27.7%	1.5%
Total	61,326	100.0%	1.5%

Driver Licenses (DL-22)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Male	1,404,715	48.05%	1.34%
Female	1,519,029	51.95%	1.42%
Total	2,923,744	100.00%	1.38%

Motor Fuel Tax Rates (MF-121T) (\$)		Tax Rates as of Dec. 2011
Gasoline	\$0.20	
Diesel	\$0.20	
Gasohol	\$0.20	

NOTE: Tax rates do not include Federal gas tax of 18.4 cents on a liter of 24.04 cents.

Vehicle Registrations (MV-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Autos	1,499,813	38.56%	1.35%
Buses	12,517	0.32%	1.64%
Trucks	2,308,789	59.36%	1.73%
Total	3,821,119		
Motorcycles	68,297	1.76%	0.81%
Grand Total	3,889,416	100.00%	1.53%

Fatally Injured in Vehicle Crashes (FI-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	343	47.51%	1.91%
Urban	377	52.22%	2.47%
Unknown	2	0.28%	0.61%
Total	722	100%	2.15%

Public Road Length (Miles) by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	895	1.5%	1.9%
Other Freeways & Expressways	54	0.1%	0.3%
Other Principal Arterials	2,105	3.4%	1.3%
Minor Arterial	3,506	5.7%	1.4%
Major Collector	6,825	11.1%	1.3%
Minor Collector	3,146	5.1%	1.2%
Local	44795	73.0%	1.6%
Total	61,326	27.0%	2.2%

Public Road Length (Miles) by Ownership (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	3,836	3.0%	1.8%
Other Freeways & Expressways	254	0.2%	0.4%
Other Principal Arterials	7,188	5.5%	1.5%
Minor Arterial	8,409	6.5%	1.5%
Major Collector	14,189	10.9%	1.3%
Minor Collector	6,292	4.8%	1.2%
Local	89591	69.0%	1.6%
Total	129,759	100.0%	1.5%

Vehicle Miles Traveled – (Millions) – (VM-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	20,244	43.2%	2.1%
Urban	26,645	56.8%	1.3%
Total	46,889	100.0%	1.6%

Highway Finance (\$000)

State Funding for Highways (Summary) – SF-21 (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Receipts		\$2,176,796	1.44%
Disbursements		\$1,934,918	1.29%

State Revenues Used for Highways (SF-1) (\$000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway User Revenues	\$764,287	25.14%	1.15%
General Fund Appropriations	\$152,674	5.02%	2.29%
Other State Imposts	\$55,992	1.84%	0.63%
Miscellaneous	\$86,430	2.84%	0.75%
Bonds	\$996,905	32.79%	5.34%
Federal payments	\$983,924	32.36%	2.35%
Local Governments and Other	\$0	0.00%	0.00%
Total	\$3,040,212	100.00%	1.93%

State Disbursements for Highways (SF-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Capital Outlay	\$1,391,633	0.4973077	1.83%
Maintenance and Services	\$161,621	0.0577562	0.74%
Administration and Misc.	\$109,641	0.0391808	1.23%
Highway Law Enforcement & Safety	\$102,427	0.0366029	1.10%
Interest	\$140,276	0.0501284	1.77%
Bond Retirement	\$890,301	0.3181539	5.94%
Grants-in-aid to Locals	\$2,435	0.0008702	0.01%
Total	\$2,798,334	50.27%	1.79%

Attributed Federal Trust Fund Receipts – 2011 (\$000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway Account	\$642,723	87.93%	1.83%
Mass Transit Account	\$88,263	12.07%	1.76%
Total	\$730,986	100.0%	1.82%

Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (In Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	12,915	27.5%	1.8%
Other Freeways/Expressways	896	1.9%	0.1%
Other Principal Arterial	11,073	23.6%	1.7%
Minor Arterial	9,129	19.5%	1.8%
Major Collector	7,139	15.2%	1.1%
Minor Collector	1,449	3.1%	2.5%
Local	4,288	9.1%	1.1%
Total	46,889	100.0%	1.6%