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Highway Statistics Series

State Statistical Abstracts 2009

Delaware

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Population / Land Area		Distri-bution	% of National
Total Population – (Table DL-1C)	885,122		0.3%
Total Land Area Square Miles (PS-1)	1,954		0.1%

Motor Fuel Usage (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Gasoline/Gasohol (Table MF-33GA)	448,330	86.7%	0.3%
Special Fuel (Table MF-33SF)	68,518	13.3%	0.2%
Total Fuel	516,848	100.0%	
Off Highway Gasoline (Table MF-21)	24,659	5.5%	0.6%
On Highway Gasoline (Table MF-21)	420,681	94.5%	0.3%

Public Road Length (Table HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	3,309	52.5%	0.1%
Urban	2,993	47.5%	0.3%
Total	6,302	100.0%	0.2%

Public Road Length (Miles) by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	41	0.7%	0.1%

Public Road Length (Miles) by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Other Principal Arterial	341	5.4%	0.2%
Minor Arterial	302	4.8%	0.1%
Collectors	1,046	16.6%	0.1%
Local	4,542	72.1%	0.2%
Other Freeways/Expressways	30	0.5%	0.2%
Total	6,302	100.0%	0.2%

Functional System Lane Length (HM-60)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	261	1.9%	0.1%
Other Principal Arterial	1,283	9.4%	0.3%
Minor Arterial	772	5.7%	0.1%
Collectors	2,124	15.6%	0.1%
Local	9,083	66.5%	0.2%
Other Freeways/Expressways	133	1.0%	0.2%
Total	13,656	100.0%	0.2%

Vehicle Miles Traveled – (Rural/Urban in Millions)) - (VM-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	2,742	30.2%	0.3%
Urban	6,338	69.8%	0.3%
Total	9,080	100.0%	0.3%

Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (In Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	1,230	13.5%	0.2%
Other Principal Arterial	3,131	34.5%	0.5%
Minor Arterial	1,238	13.6%	0.2%
Collectors	1,478	16.3%	0.4%
Local	1,560	17.2%	0.4%
Other Freeways/Expressways	443	4.9%	0.2%
Total	9,080	100.0%	0.3%

Driver Licenses (DL-1C)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Male	341,926	48.86%	0.33%
Female	357,819	51.14%	0.34%
Total	699,745	100.00%	0.33%

Motor Fuel Tax Rates (MF-121T) (Cents)		Tax Rates as of Dec. 2009
Gasoline	\$0.23	
Diesel	\$0.22	
Gasohol	\$0.23	

NOTE: Tax rates do not include Federal gas tax of 18.4 cents or diesel of 24.4 cents

Vehicle Registrations (MV-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Autos	463,779	53.37%	0.34%
Trucks/Picks/SUVs	377,324	43.42%	0.34%
Buses	2,254	0.26%	0.27%
Total	843,357		
Motorcycles	25,629	2.95%	0.33%
Grand Total	868,986	100.00%	0.34%

Fatally Injured in Vehicle Crashes (FI-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	66	56.90%	0.35%
Urban	47	40.52%	0.33%
Unknown	3	2.59%	0.78%
Total	116	100%	0.34%

Highway Finance (\$000)

State Funding for Highways (Summary) – SF-21 (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Receipts	\$889,646		0.63%
Disbursements	\$711,126		0.50%

State Revenues Used for Highways (SF-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway User Revenues	\$387,759	43.59%	0.64%
General Fund Appropriations	\$57,427	6.46%	0.79%
Other State Imposts	\$24,861	2.79%	0.48%
Miscellaneous	\$237,261	26.67%	2.76%
Bonds	\$182,338	20.50%	0.87%
Federal payments		0.00%	0.00%
Local payments		0.00%	0.00%
Total	\$889,646	100.00%	0.62%

State Disbursements for Highways (SF-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Capital Outlay	\$334,746	0.4707267	0.47%
Maintenance and Services	\$108,347	0.1523598	0.50%
Administration and Misc.	\$93,621	0.1316518	0.99%
Highway Law Enforcement & Safety	\$78,641	0.1105866	0.95%
Interest	\$13,884	0.019524	0.22%
Bond Retirement	\$81,887	0.1151512	1.01%
Grants-in-aid to Locals		0	0.00%
Total	\$711,126	52.93%	0.49%

Attributed Federal Trust Fund Receipts - 2009 (\$000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway Account	\$83,461	85.62%	0.28%
Mass Transit Account	\$14,014	14.38%	0.29%
Total	\$97,475	100.00%	0.28%

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