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### Highway Statistics Series

#### State Statistical Abstracts 2008

#### Colorado

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Population / Land Area		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Total Population - (DL-1C)	4,939,456		1.6%
Total Land Area (PS-1)	103,718		2.9%

Motor Fuel Usage (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Gasoline/Gasohol (MF-33GA)	2,101,659	78.3%	1.5%
Special Fuel (MF-33SF)	582,806	21.7%	1.5%
<b>Total Fuel</b>	<b>2,684,465</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	
Off Highway Gasoline (MF-21)	39,660	1.9%	1.1%
On Highway Gasoline (MF-21)	2,040,983	98.1%	1.5%

Public Road Length (Table HM-10)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	68,921	78.1%	2.3%
Urban	19,345	21.9%	1.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>88,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>

Public Road Length by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	953	1.1%	2.0%
Other Principal Arterial	3,509	4.0%	2.2%

Public Road Length by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Minor Arterial	5,409	6.1%	2.2%
Collectors	16,263	18.4%	2.0%
Local	61,820	70.0%	2.2%
Other Freeways/ Expressways	312	0.4%	2.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>88,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>

Public Road Length (Miles) by Ownership (HM-10)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
State Highway Agencies	9,101	10.3%	1.2%
County	56,182	63.7%	3.1%
Town/Townships	15,640	17.7%	1.2%
Other Jurisdictions	663	0.8%	1.2%
Federal	6,680	7.6%	5.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>88,266</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>

Functional System Lane Length (HM-60)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	4,049	2.2%	1.9%
Other Principal Arterial	9,773	5.3%	2.0%
Minor Arterial	11,874	6.5%	2.1%
Collectors	32,853	17.9%	2.0%
Local	123,638	67.4%	2.2%
Other Freeways/ Expressways	1,311	0.7%	2.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>183,498</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>

Vehicle Miles Traveled - (Millions) - (VM-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	15,625	32.6%	1.6%
Urban	32,235	67.4%	1.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,860</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>

Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (In Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	11,721	24.5%	1.6%
Other Principal Arterial	13,382	28.0%	2.0%
Minor Arterial	8,012	16.7%	1.5%
Collectors	5,529	11.6%	1.3%
Local	4,783	10.0%	1.2%

Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (In Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Other Freeways/ Expressways	4433	9.3%	2.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,860</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>

Driver Licenses (DL-1C)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Male	1,844,973	51.17%	1.78%
Female	1,760,709	48.83%	1.68%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,605,682</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.73%</b>

Motor Fuel Tax Rates (MF-121T) (Cents)		
Gasoline		22
Diesel		20.5
Gasohol		22

Vehicle Registrations (MV-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Autos	734,665	42.30%	0.54%
Trucks/Picks/SUVs	877,761	50.54%	0.80%
Buses	5,793	0.33%	0.69%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,618,219</b>		
Motorcycles	118,391	6.82%	1.54%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,736,610</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.68%</b>

Fatally Injured in Vehicle Crashes (FI-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	296	54.01%	1.42%
Urban	252	45.99%	1.58%
Unknown	0	0.00%	0.00%
<b>Total</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1.47%</b>

### Highway Finance (\$000)

State Funding for Highways (Summary) (SF-21)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Receipts	\$2,069,686		1.50%
Disbursements	\$1,695,189		1.27%

Revenues used for Highways (All Units Government -2007) (HF-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway User Taxes	\$550,773	16.15%	1.30%

Revenues used for Highways (All Units Government -2007) (HF-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Tolls	\$1,370,414	40.19%	2.20%
General Fund	\$573,252	16.81%	1.80%
Property Taxes	\$132,152	3.88%	1.54%
Other Imposts	\$392,200	11.50%	2.94%
Misc. Receipts	\$350,787	10.29%	2.22%
Bonds	\$40,091	1.18%	0.16%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,409,669</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.69%</b>

Disbursements for Highways (All Units Government-2007) (HF-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Capital Outlay	\$753,436	29.30%	0.83%
Maintenance and Services	\$822,832	32.00%	1.85%
Administration and Misc.	\$342,406	13.32%	2.61%
Highway Law Enforcement & Safety	\$285,986	11.12%	1.94%
Interest	\$118,267	4.60%	1.42%
Bond Retirement	\$248,631	9.67%	3.12%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,571,558</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.42%</b>

Attributed Federal Trust Fund Receipts - 2008 (\$000) (FE-9)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway Account	\$476,782	86.08%	1.52%
Mass Transit Account	\$77,124	13.92%	1.53%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$553,906</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.52%</b>

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