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### Highway Statistics Series

#### State Statistical Abstracts 2008

#### South Carolina

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Population / Land Area		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Total Population – (DL-1C)	4,479,800		1.5%
Total Land Area (PS-1)	30,110		0.9%

Motor Fuel Usage (000)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Gasoline/Gasohol (MF-33GA)	2,577,736	79.2%	1.9%
Special Fuel (MF-33SF)	677,961	20.8%	1.8%
<b>Total Fuel</b>	<b>3,255,697</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	
Off Highway Gasoline (MF-21)	78,046	3.0%	2.1%
On Highway Gasoline (MF-21)	2,497,091	97.0%	1.9%

Public Road Length (Table HM-10)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	49,833	75.2%	1.7%
Urban	16,421	24.8%	1.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>66,254</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>

Public Road Length by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	843	1.3%	1.8%
Other Principal Arterial	2,339	3.5%	1.5%

Public Road Length by Functional System (HM-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Minor Arterial	4,807	7.3%	2.0%
Collectors	15,088	22.8%	1.9%
Local	43,094	65.0%	1.5%
Other Freeways/ Expressways	84	0.1%	0.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>66,255</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>

Public Road Length (Miles) by Ownership (HM-10)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
State Highway Agencies	41,429	62.5%	5.3%
County	20,261	30.6%	1.1%
Town/Townships	2,203	3.3%	0.2%
Other Jurisdictions	191	0.3%	0.3%
Federal	2,171	3.3%	1.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>66,255</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>

Functional System Lane Length (HM-60)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	3,736	2.7%	1.7%
Other Principal Arterial	7,682	5.5%	1.6%
Minor Arterial	11,232	8.0%	2.0%
Collectors	30,524	21.9%	1.9%
Local	86,188	61.7%	1.5%
Other Freeways/ Expressways	328	0.2%	0.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>139,690</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.6%</b>

Vehicle Miles Traveled - (Millions) - (VM-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	24,188	48.8%	2.4%
Urban	25,409	51.2%	1.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>49,597</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>

Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (In Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Interstate	13,399	27.0%	1.9%
Other Principal Arterial	11,000	22.2%	1.6%
Minor Arterial	10,573	21.3%	2.0%
Collectors	9,367	18.9%	2.2%
Local	4,423	8.9%	1.1%

Vehicle Miles Traveled by Functional System (In Millions)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Other Freeways/ Expressways	835	1.7%	0.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>49,597</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>

Driver Licenses (DL-1C)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Male	1,528,587	47.99%	1.48%
Female	1,656,821	52.01%	1.58%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,185,408</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.53%</b>

Motor Fuel Tax Rates (MF-121T) (Cents)	
Gasoline	16
Diesel	16
Gasohol	16

Vehicle Registrations (MV-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Autos	1,996,617	53.86%	1.46%
Trucks/Picks/SUVs	1,588,355	42.85%	1.44%
Buses	18,988	0.51%	2.25%
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,603,960</b>		
Motorcycles	102,760	2.77%	1.33%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,706,720</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.45%</b>

Fatally Injured in Vehicle Crashes (FI-20)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Rural	866	94.13%	4.16%
Urban	43	4.67%	0.27%
Unknown	11	1.20%	2.21%
<b>Total</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2.47%</b>

### Highway Finance (\$000)

State Funding for Highways (Summary) (SF-21)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Receipts	\$1,430,676		1.04%
Disbursements	\$1,470,375		1.11%

Revenues used for Highways (All Units Government -2007) (HF-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway User Taxes	\$556,680	35.63%	1.32%

Revenues used for Highways (All Units Government -2007) (HF-1)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Tolls	\$584,653	37.42%	0.94%
General Fund	\$290,846	18.61%	0.92%
Property Taxes	\$60,223	3.85%	0.70%
Other Imposts	\$33,378	2.14%	0.25%
Misc. Receipts	\$22,237	1.42%	0.14%
Bonds	\$14,454	0.93%	0.06%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,562,471</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>0.78%</b>

Disbursements for Highways (All Units Government-2007) (HF-2)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Capital Outlay	\$787,724	42.51%	0.87%
Maintenance and Services	\$684,741	36.95%	1.54%
Administration and Misc.	\$138,692	7.48%	1.06%
Highway Law Enforcement & Safety	\$154,897	8.36%	1.05%
Interest	\$40,587	2.19%	0.49%
Bond Retirement	\$46,430	2.51%	0.58%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,853,071</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.02%</b>

Attributed Federal Trust Fund Receipts - 2008 (\$000) (FE-9)		% Dist.	% Nat'l.
Highway Account	\$565,074	86.12%	1.80%
Mass Transit Account	\$91,041	13.88%	1.81%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$656,115</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>1.80%</b>

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