



# An Enhanced Systemic Approach to Safety

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# Where does a systemic safety approach fit in?

*Reactive*  *Proactive*

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## Spot approach:

Improvement at a specific location in response to a higher-than-expected crash rate at a site

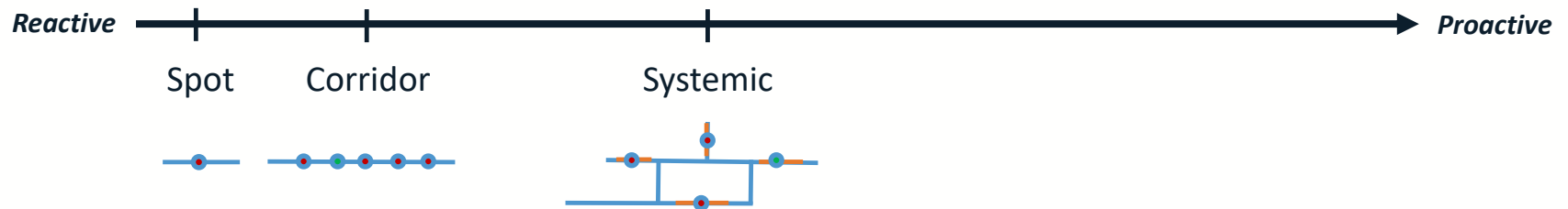
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## Corridor approach:

Improvement across a corridor in response to a-higher-than-expected crash rate, or recurring safety concerns along a corridor

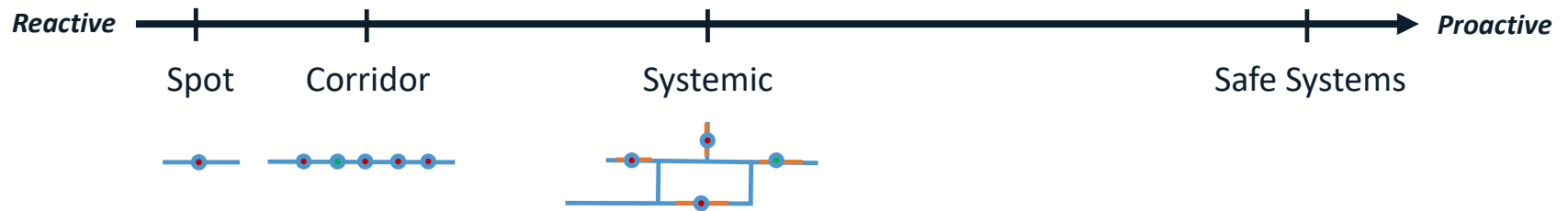
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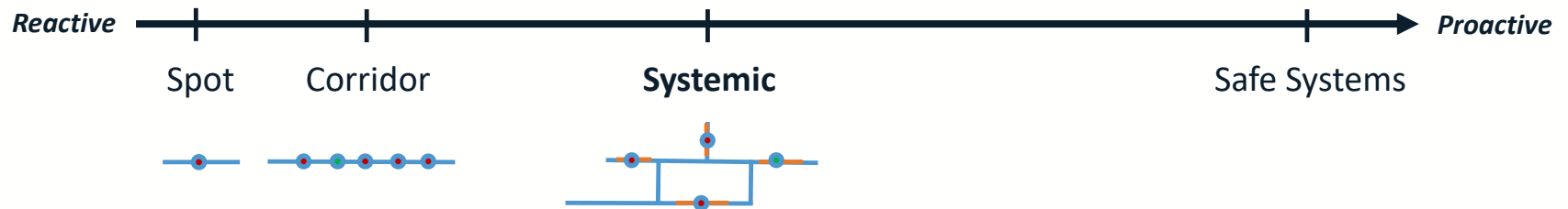
“An improvement that is widely implemented based on high-risk roadway features that are correlated with particular crash types” *FHWA*

# Where does a systemic safety approach fit in?



Safe Systems approach:  
“Building a system in which people cannot be fatally or severely injured on despite human error” *Soames Job*

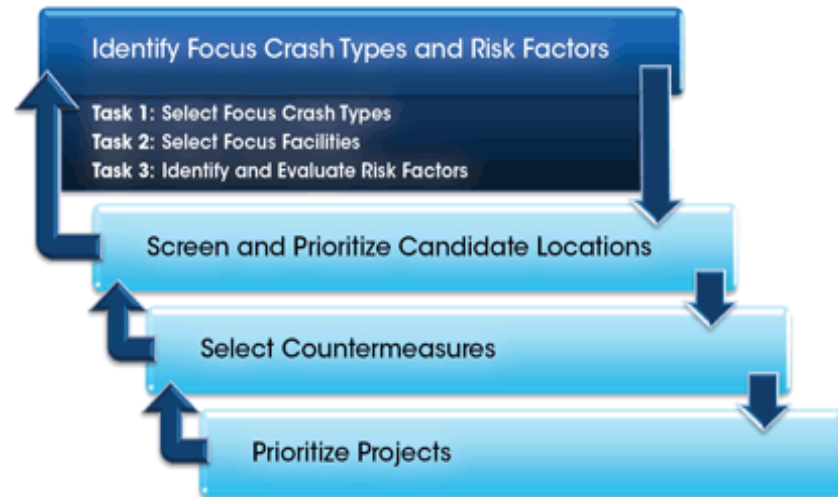
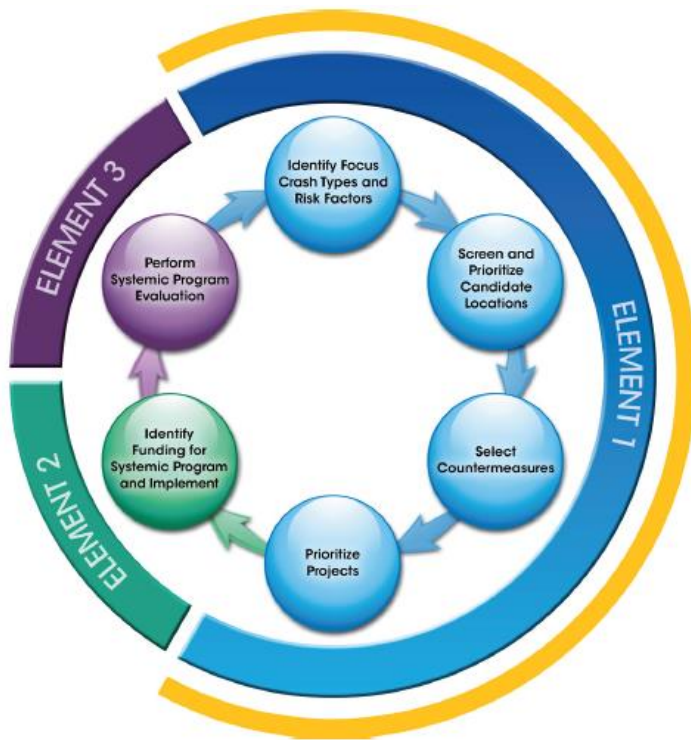
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## Systemic approach:

- reactive - it uses historical crash data to identify priorities
- proactive - make improvements also at low or non-crash sites

# FHWA's Systemic Safety Program





# A systemic matrix approach

## Example of a pedestrian safety matrix

Urban and Urbanized, Conventional Highway and City One-Way Street, 2009-2013	Control Type	STEP 2 FILL IN MATR	Unsignalized					STEP 3 MIC					Signalized					Total		
	# of Lanes - Main		<=3		>3			<=3		>3			< 50,000		>= 50,000					
	# of Lanes - Cross		<=3	>3	<=3	>3	<=3	>3	<=3	>3	<=3	>3	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000		>= 50,000	
AADT - Main			<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000	<50,000	>=50,000		
AADT - Cross			<12,000					<12,000					>=12,000							
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Rate (crashes/intersection)																				

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# A systemic matrix approach

What type of crashes are happening on what type of facilities?

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	AADT - Main		<50,000	>=50,000	<5,000	>=5,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000		>=12,000	
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	Following too close			1															1	
	Failure to Yield	45	1	67	5	2	34	3	1	3	94	4	12	1	28	28	4	16	348	
	Improper Turn			6							2					2			1	11
	Speeding	1		2							2		1							6
Xing - Not Xwalk	Other Violations	12		36	1		12		4	2	35	3	9	2	14	14	4	8	156	
	Failure to Yield			2	1			1											2	6
	Improper Turn			1															1	1
	Other Violations			1						1										2
	Influence of Alcohol			1																1
Roadway - Include Shoulder	Failure to Yield	6		10	2					3					1				22	
	Improper Turn			1								1	1					1	4	
	Speeding	4		2						1						1			8	
	Other Violations	31		51	1	2	3	2	1		22	1	4		16	3	1	4	142	
	Influence of Alcohol	3									1				1				6	
Not in Roadway	Failure to Yield	1		1	1								1			2			6	
	Improper Turn	4		3						1									8	
	Speeding	5		4						1									10	
	Other Violations	11	1	9	1				1		5		1		2	3			35	
	Influence of Alcohol												1			1			2	
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	Improper Turn	2		1	1									3					7	
	Speeding	2		4			1								2				9	
	Other Violations			2			1				6	1	2		1	1			14	
Rate (crashes/intersection)	0.11	0.13	0.09	0.04	1.33	0.31	0.27	0.35	0.29	0.20	0.19	0.22	0.20	0.25	0.28	0.18	0.54	0.14		

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	Speeding	1		2						2			1						6	
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	Speeding	5		4						1									10	
Not in Roadway	Other Violations	11	1	9	1			1		5				2	3			1	35	
	Influence of Alcohol												1		1				2	
	Failure to Yield	3		1	1					7				1	2			3	18	
	Improper Turn	2		1	1									3					7	
Total	Speeding	2		4										2					9	
	Other Violations			2			1			6	1	2		1	1				14	
	Total	131	2	207	14	4	51	6	8	6	180	10	32	3	68	59	10	36	827	
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Facility Types

Crash Types

Systemic hotspots

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# A systemic matrix approach

What are the relevant countermeasures for each matrix cell?

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	Influence of Alcohol	30	30	31	31	30	30	33	33	30	30	33	33	28	28	31	31	30	30	31	31	30	30	32	32	30	30	32	32	28	28	31	31
	Following too close	27	27	27	27	27	27	29	29	27	27	29	29	25	25	27	27	22	22	22	22	22	22	23	23	22	22	22	22	20	20	22	22
	Failure to Yield	16	16	16	16	16	17	17	17	16	17	17	14	14	16	16	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	13	13	14	14	11	11	13	13
	Improper Turn	19	19	19	19	19	21	21	21	19	21	21	17	17	19	19	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	13	13	14	14	11	11	13	13
	Speeding	30	30	31	31	30	30	33	33	30	30	33	33	28	28	31	31	30	30	31	31	30	30	32	32	30	30	32	32	28	28	31	31
	Other Violations	25	25	25	25	25	26	26	25	25	26	26	24	24	25	25	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	22	22	23	23	
	Failure to Yield	23	23	22	22	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	22	22	22	22	16	16	15	15	16	16	15	15	16	16	15	15	15	15	15	15	
	Improper Turn	12	12	11	11	12	12	11	11	12	12	11	11	11	11	11	7	7	6	6	7	7	6	6	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	
	Other Violations	16	16	15	15	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	15	15	15	10	10	9	9	10	10	9	9	10	10	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	
Xing - Not Xwalk	Primary Collision Factors	Counter Measures																															
	Influence of Alcohol	25	25	25	25	25	28	28	25	25	28	28	24	24	25	25	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	22	22	23	23	
	Following too close	23	23	23	23	23	24	24	23	23	24	24	22	22	23	23	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	21	21	22	22	
	Failure to Yield	20	20	19	19	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	18	18	19	19	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	
	Improper Turn	9	9	8	8	9	8	8	9	8	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	
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	Roadway - Include Shoulder	Primary Collision Factors	Counter Measures																														
Influence of Alcohol		2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Following too close		5	5	4	4	5	5	4	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Failure to Yield		14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	13	13	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	13	13	14	14	
Improper Turn		33	33	34	34	33	33	36	36	33	33	36	36	31	31	34	34	33	33	34	34	33	33	35	35	33	33	35	35	31	31	34	34
Speeding		33	33	34	34	33	33	36	36	33	33	36	36	31	31	34	34	33	33	34	34	33	33	35	35	33	33	35	35	31	31	34	34
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Failure to Yield		16	16	16	16	16	17	17	16	16	17	17	14	14	16	16	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	13	13	14	14	11	11	13	13	
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	Following too close	33	33	34	34	33	33	36	36	33	33	36	36	31	31	34	34	33	33	34	34	33	33	35	35	33	33	35	35	31	31	34	34
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	Speeding	27	27	27	27	27	29	29	27	27	29	29	25	25	27	27	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	23	23	22	22	23	23	20	20	22	22
	Other Violations	16	16	16	16	16	17	17	16	16	17	17	14	14	16	16	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	13	13	14	14	11	11	13	13	
	Failure to Yield	19	19	19	19	19	21	21	19	19	21	21	17	17	19	19	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14	13	13	14	14	11	11	13	13
	Improper Turn	33	33	34	34	33	33	36	36	33	33	36	36	31	31	34	34	33	33	34	34	33	33	35	35	33	33	35	35	31	31	34	34
	Total	33	33	34	34	33	33	36	36	33	33	36	36	31	31	34	34	33	33	34	34	33	33	35	35	33	33	35	35	31	31	34	34
Rate (crashes/intersection)																																	

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# An Enhanced Systemic Approach to Safety

Three overarching objectives:

1

Enhance methods to identify systemic safety concerns

2

Enhance countermeasure scope to include engineering and non-engineering improvements

3

Enhance process to determine high priority locations

# Project goals and activities

# 1

## Enhance methods to identify systemic safety concerns

Develop method to determine crash types and the facility types that need to be included in a matrix for a specific mode

Urban and Urbanized Conventional Highways and City One Way Streets, 400-500 ft	General Type of Facility of Facility of Facility of Facility of Facility	STEP 1 Unsignalized	STEP 2 Facility Types										STEP 3 Signalized	Total																																																																													
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# Matrix Structure

populate mode-specific crash matrices using the data from multiple states

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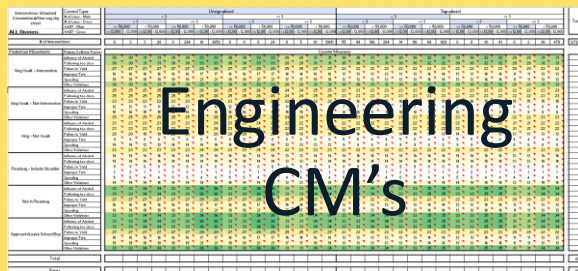
# System snapshot

# Project goals and activities

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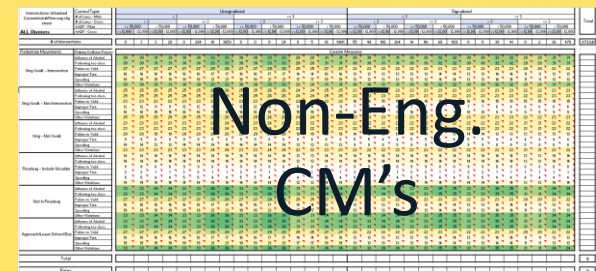
Enhance countermeasure scope to include engineering and non-engineering improvements

develop a list of engineering safety countermeasures to address crash profiles identified for the different matrices



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# Project goals and activities

## 3

### Enhance process to determine high priority locations

explore the advantages and disadvantages of different methods to identify systemic hotspots

Control Type	STEP 1 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 2 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 3 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 4 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 5 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 6 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 7 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 8 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 9 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	STEP 10 of Statewide and City-Only Plans	Total
Urban and Suburban Commercial/Industrial and City-Only Main Street	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suburban	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Production Method	Systemic priorities
Urban and Suburban Commercial/Industrial and City-Only Main Street	1
Suburban	1
Rural	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>

define guidelines for determining upper and lower thresholds for systemic projects



# Expected outcomes

1

Guidelines for determining matrix structure across different modes

Modal matrices

2

Basic toolbox for engineering and non-engineering improvements

CM matrices

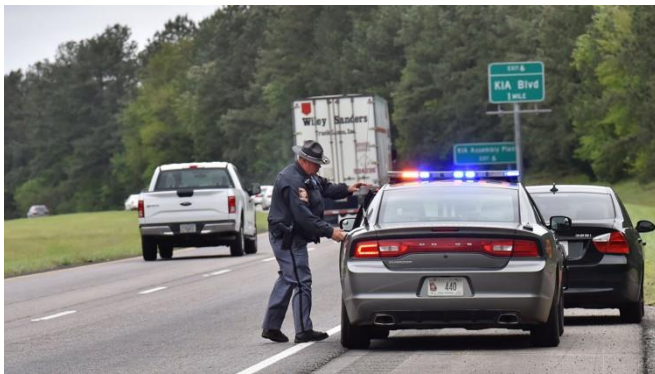
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Considerations for screening criteria for systemic projects

Priorities

# Enforcement countermeasures

- How can it be used?
  - Police enforcement targeted at the identified problematic facilities
- What is the promise?
  - Filling the gaps in the driving code
- What are the limitations?
  - Burdensome state by state legislative analysis
- Guidelines for future considerations



# Education countermeasures

- How can it be used?
  - Elaborating an educational countermeasures matrix
- What are the limitations?
  - Multitude of entities involved in road safety trainings
- What is the promise?
  - Lead the development of learning modules
- Guidelines for future considerations



# Data requirements

- Three categories of data
    - Crash data (rows)
    - Roadway data (columns)
    - Operations data (columns or risk)
  - Source: HSIS (Highway Safety Information System) files
    - accident subfile
    - vehicle/occupant subfiles
    - roadway file
    - intersection file
- } Challenge: linking the data

# Data collection

## HSIS Data for 5 years across 7 states:

- California 2010 - 2014
- North Carolina 2010 - 2014
- Ohio 2011 - 2015
- Washington 2011 - 2015
- Illinois 2006 - 2010
- Minnesota 2006- 2010
- Maine 2011 - 2015

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ca14acc	2014	acc	150587	56	'ACC_DATE'	'ACCTYPE'	'ACCYR'	'ALCH_FLG'	'BIKE_FLG'	'CASENO'	'CAUSE1'
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ca11int	2011	int	17484	38	'cntyrte'	'county'	'district'	'hwy_grp'	'int_dte'	'int_popgrp'	'int_prf'
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ca13int	2013	int	0	0							
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ca10road	2010	road	47399	54	'aadt'	'acc_dte'	'access'	'begmp'	'city'	'cntyrte'	'county'
ca11road	2011	road	49523	54	'aadt'	'acc_dte'	'access'	'begmp'	'city'	'cntyrte'	'county'
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ca14road	2014	road	55196	54	'AADT'	'ACC_DTE'	'ACCESS'	'BEGMP'	'CITY'	'cntyrte'	'COUNTY'
ca10veh	2010	veh	308297	29	'accyr'	'caseno'	'cause'	'contrib1'	'contrib2'	'defect'	'dir_trvl'
ca11veh	2011	veh	304266	29	'accyr'	'caseno'	'cause'	'contrib1'	'contrib2'	'defect'	'dir_trvl'
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ca13veh	2013	veh	301104	29	'ACCYR'	'CASENO'	'CAUSE'	'CONTRIB1'	'CONTRIB2'	'DEFECT'	'DIR_TRVL'
ca14veh	2014	veh	307395	29	'ACCYR'	'CASENO'	'CAUSE'	'CONTRIB1'	'CONTRIB2'	'DEFECT'	'DIR_TRVL'

## Data cleaning in Python

# Choosing the Rows and Columns

## Facilities

Intersections: Urbanized Conventional/One-way city street	Control Type # of Lanes - Main # of Lanes - Cross	Unsignalized												Signalized												Total							
		> 3				≤ 3				> 3				≤ 3																			
		≥ 50,000	< 50,000	≥ 50,000	< 50,000	≥ 50,000	< 50,000	≥ 50,000	< 50,000	≥ 50,000	< 50,000	≥ 50,000	< 50,000	≥ 50,000	< 50,000																		
<b>ALL Districts</b>	<b>AAADT - Main</b>	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	≥ 12,000	< 12,000	17114							
# of Intersections		0	3	3	28	0	284	10	3859	0	0	0	24	0	5	18	10611	55	49	186	264	14	116	69	1129	0	0	30	41	0	2	36	478
Crash Types	<b>Pedestrian Movements</b>	Primary Collision Factors																															
	Xing Xwalk - Intersection	Influence of Alcohol																															
		Following too close																															
		Fails to Yield																															
		Improper Turn																															
		Speeding																															
	Xing Xwalk - Not Intersection	Other Violations																															
		Influence of Alcohol																															
		Following too close																															
		Fails to Yield																															
Improper Turn																																	
Xing - Not Xwalk	Speeding																																
	Other Violations																																
	Influence of Alcohol																																
	Following too close																																
	Fails to Yield																																
Roadway - Include Shoulder	Improper Turn																																
	Speeding																																
	Other Violations																																
	Influence of Alcohol																																
	Following too close																																
Not in Roadway	Fails to Yield																																
	Improper Turn																																
	Speeding																																
	Other Violations																																
	Influence of Alcohol																																
Approach/Leave School Bus	Following too close																																
	Fails to Yield																																
	Improper Turn																																
	Speeding																																
	Other Violations																																
Total																																	
Rates																																	

Iterative, data-driven process to determine:

- **ROWS: representation of the crash dynamics**
  - collision factors, violations, collision type, movements, etc.
- **COLUMNS: built-environment conditions**
  - traffic controls, volume, speed, number of lanes, median presence, parking, crosswalk, etc.

Decision-making factors: road safety expertise, share of blank cells, kurtosis, table size, etc.

# The Countermeasure Matrix

Intersections, Zone: All, Road: Conventional/One-way city street	Control Type # of Lanes - Main # of Lanes - Cross AADT - Main AADT - Cross	Unsignalized												Signalized																			
		> 3				<= 3				> 3				<= 3				> 3				<= 3											
		>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000	>= 50,000	< 50,000												
ALL Districts	AADT - Cross	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000	>=12,000	<12,000												
# of Intersections		0	3	3	28	0	284	10	3659	0	0	0	24	0	5	18	10611	55	49	186	264	14	116	69	1129	0	0	30	41	0	2	36	428
Primary Collision Factors																																	
Xing Xwalk - Intersection	Influence of Alcohol																																
	Following too close																																
Xing Xwalk - Not Intersection	Failure to Yield																																
	Improper Turn																																
Xing - Not Xwalk	Speeding																																
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	Improper Turn																																
Approach/Leave School Bus	Speeding																																
	Other Violations																																
SUMMARY																																	
District # or All	ALL																																
Total # of crashes in district	1302																																
# of Null crashes (not counted)	125																																

Countermeasures	Locations													
	Urban	Rural	Intersect	Midblock Crossings	Along roadways	Expressway/Freeway	Conventional/One-way city street	Signalized	Unsignalized	High design speed	Low design speed	High volume	Low volume	
1 Install sidewalks and walkways	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
14 Widen sidewalks	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
59 Maintain a sidewalk level across the	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
18 install bike lanes	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
2 Curb ramps	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
11 Curb-extensions	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
23 Curb radius reduction	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
3 Marked crosswalks at signalized	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
6 Marked crosswalks at unsignalized	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
12 marked crosswalks at midblock crossings	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
4 Non-motorist guiding signs	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
5 warning signs for motorists (school zones, speed)	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
53 Adult Crossing Guards	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
52 School zone signals	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
54 Safe routes to school	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
7 Advanced "STOP" markings	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
44 Advanced stop line	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
45 Sign "Stop here for pedestrians"	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

# Creating Systemic Matrices

		Divided Highway Paved shoulder up to 4ft				Paved shoulder 5ft or more				L/R Independent Alignment Paved shoulder u Paved shoulder 5ft or more				Undivided Highway Paved shoulder up to 4ft				Paved shoulder 5ft or more				
		2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes		
Single vehicle	<b>Improper Turn</b>																					
	Hit Object	14	2	386	48	1		593	471	11			20	17	11	1315	37	5		218	17	6
	Overturned	7	1	333	18	2	1	552	198	11			21	8	7	786	20			118	13	2
	OtherAccType			4	1	1		14	8	1						25	3			5	1	
	<b>Speeding</b>																					
	Hit Object	1		118	22			177	149	1			10	7	1	602	33	3		60	8	4
	Overturned	4	2	53	3	1		89	65	2			7	7	1	453	18	3		56	13	2
	OtherAccType	1		6				10	2							1	19	1		4	1	
	<b>Alcohol</b>																					
	Hit Object	6		124	14	1	1	121	98				3	2	5	513	13			72	8	2
Overturned	4		48	3		1	70	40	1			3			184	4			38	2	1	
OtherAccType			4		1		4	2							7				1			
<b>OtherFactors</b>																						
Hit Object	6		50	9	1		93	58	1			2	3	2	328	12	1		52	8	3	
Overturned	2		29	10			76	20	1			3	2		167	2	2		30	3	1	
OtherAccType	2		14	1			24	7				3		3	77	3	1		28	3		
Two vehicles	<b>Alcohol</b>																					
	OtherCrashType	3	2	22	2			24	13				2			92	4	4		37	5	4
	Sideswipe	1	1	12	1			14	22							23				12	2	3
	Rear End	11		30	11	1		50	58			4	1	1		37	1			25	1	3
	<b>OtherFactors</b>																					
	OtherCrashType	32	5	66	2	3	1	51	21			4		1	494	20	9		215	13	15	
	Sideswipe	10	1	12	5	1		20	16				1		176	4	1		45	2	1	
	Rear End	8	1	35	12	3		42	39			1		1	60				33	4	4	
	<b>Improper Turn</b>																					
	OtherCrashType	8		67	12	1		80	76			6		6		181	1			85	1	3
Sideswipe	3		35	10	1		55	71			2	3	2		62	2			20	1		
Rear End	4		13	4			24	35			1	1	2		19	3	1		7			
<b>Lane Change</b>																						
OtherCrashType		1	24	17	1		50	55			5		3		1				5	3		
Sideswipe	1		71	9	1		91	127			10	2	11		5				3	1		
Rear End			15	10			37	31	1		2		2		1		1		2		1	
3 or more vehicles	<b>Speeding</b>																					
	OtherCrashType	4		49	3			63	49			3	1	5		222	9	1		35	8	4
	Sideswipe	11		11	2			23	30			1	3	2		46	1			10	2	3
	Rear End	71	5	325	76	16	1	485	482	1		26	8	41	2	580	18	15	1	337	20	13
	<b>Speeding</b>																					
	Rear-end	95	5	914	4261	10	3	791	6610	22	15	37	23	309	5	49	10	218	8	46	4	
	Sideswipe	2		17	105			19	197	1	1	3	1	12		1		8		1		
	OtherAccType	2		25	84		1	15	186				1	31	2			5				
	<b>OtherFactors</b>																					
	Rear-end	19	1	177	340	2		100	600	7	3	3		48	2	13	2	26	7	7	1	
Sideswipe	5		60	242	1	1	34	360	2		5	1	69	2	3	1	32		9	1		
OtherAccType	8		78	186			44	315			3	1	107	5	3		67	4	3			
<b>Lane Change</b>																						
Sideswipe			27	485	1	1	51	820	2		6	5				1	3	1	2	1		
Rear-end			11	123			10	227			1	2	1			1						
OtherAccType			14	77			9	140	1													



# Creating Systemic Matrices

	Divided Highway				L/R Independent Alignment				Undivided Highway											
	Paved shoulder up to 4ft		Paved shoulder 5ft or more		Paved shoulder up to 4ft		Paved shoulder 5ft or more		Paved shoulder up to 4ft			Paved shoulder 5ft or more								
	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes or r 2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes or r 2 lanes	4 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes					
<b>Improper Turn</b>																				
Hit Object	14	2	386	48	1		599	471	11		20	17	11	1315	37	5		218	17	6
Overturned	7	1	333	18	2	1	552	198	11		21	8	7	786	20			118	13	2
OtherAccType			4	1	1		14	8	1					25	3			5		1
<b>Speeding</b>																				
Hit Object	1		118	22			177	149	1		10	7	1	602	33	3		60	8	4
Overturned	4	2	53	3	1		89	65	2		7	7	1	459	18	3		56	13	2
OtherAccType	1		6				10	2					1	19		1		4		1
<b>Alcohol</b>																				
Hit Object	6		124	14	1	1	121	98			3	2	5	513	13			72	8	2
Overturned	4		48	3		1	70	40	1		3			184	4			38	2	1
OtherAccType			4		1		4	2						7						1
<b>OtherFactors</b>																				
Hit Object	6		50	9	1		93	58	1		2	3	2	328	12	1		52	8	3
Overturned	2		29	10			76	20	1		3	2		167	2	2		30	3	1
OtherAccType	2		14	1			24	7			3		3	77	3	1		28		3

# Creating Systemic Matrices

	Divided Highway				L/R Independent Alignment				Undivided Highway									
	Paved shoulder up to 4ft			Paved shoulder 5ft or more			Paved shoulder up to 4		Paved shoulder 5ft or more		Paved shoulder up to 4ft		Paved shoulder 5ft or more					
	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes or r 2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes or r 2 lanes	4 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes
<b>Alcohol</b>																		
OtherCrashType	3	2	22	2		24	13				2	92	4	4		37	5	4
Sideswipe	1	1	12	1		14	22					23				12	2	3
Rear End	11		30	11	1	50	56	4	1	1		37	1		25	1	3	
<b>OtherFactors</b>																		
OtherCrashType	32	5	66	2	3	1	51	21	4		1	494	20	9	215	13	15	
Sideswipe	10	1	12	5	1		20	16			1	176	4	1	45	2	1	
Rear End	8	1	35	12	3		42	39	1	1		60		1	33	4	4	
<b>Improper Turn</b>																		
OtherCrashType	8		67	12	1		80	76	6		6	181	1		85	1	3	
Sideswipe	3		35	10	1		55	71	2	3	2	62	2		20	1		
Rear End	4		13	4			24	35	1	1	2	19	3	1	7			
<b>Lane Change</b>																		
OtherCrashType		1	24	17	1		50	55	5		3	1			5	3		
Sideswipe	1		71	9	1		91	127	10	2	11	5		1	3	1		
Rear End			15	10			37	31	1	2	2	1		1	2		1	

Two vehicles

# Creating Systemic Matrices

	Divided Highway				L/R Independent Alignment								Undivided Highway							
	Paved shoulder up to 4ft		Paved shoulder 5ft or more		Paved shoulder up to 4		Paved shoulder 5ft or more		Paved shoulder up to 4ft		Paved shoulder 5ft or more									
	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes or r 2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes or r 2 lanes	4 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes	5 lanes	2 lanes	3 lanes	4 lanes		
<b>Speeding</b>																				
OtherCrashType	4		49	3			63	49		3	1	5		222	9	1		35	8	4
Sideswipe			11	2			23	30		1	3	2		46	1			10	2	3
Rear End	71	5	325	76	16	1	485	482	1	26	8	41	2	580	18	15	1	337	20	13
<b>Speeding</b>																				
Rear-end	95	5	914	4261	10	3	791	6610	22	15	37	23	309	5	49	10	218	8	46	4
Sideswipe	2		17	105			19	197	1	1	3	1	12		1		8		1	
OtherAccType	2		25	84		1	15	186				1	31	2			5			1
<b>OtherFactors</b>																				
Rear-end	19	1	177	340	2		100	600	7	3	3		48	2	13	2	26	7	7	1
Sideswipe	5		60	242	1	1	34	360	2		5	1	69	2	3	1	32		9	1
OtherAccType	8		78	186			44	315			3	1	107	5	3		67	4	3	
<b>Lane Change</b>																				
Sideswipe			27	485	1	1	51	820	2		6	5				1	3	1	2	1
Rear-end			11	123			10	227		1	2	1			1					
OtherAccType			14	77			9	140	1											

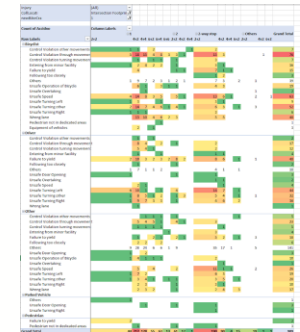
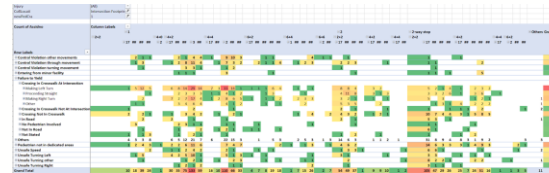
# Different Matrices Reveal Different Insights

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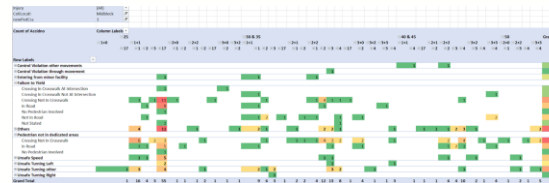
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INTERSECTION



SEGMENT



# Bicycle-involved matrix for intersection crashes in California (2010-2011)

CALIFORNIA		INFRASTRUCTURE																				Grand Total							
Collision	Timed Signals										4 way Stop signs				2 way Stop signs				No controls		Others	Grand Total							
	2+2	3+2	3+3	4+2	4+3	4+4	5+2	5+4	6+2	6+3	6+4	6+5	6+6	8+2	8+3	8+4	2+2	4+2	2+2	3+2	4+2		4+4	5+2	6+2	6+3	8+2	4+1	
<b>B</b>																													
Alcohol		1			2					2									5		3		1		1				
Control Violation	1		1		12			9	1	1	4	2	3						4	1	5								
Failure to yield	1				12			4			1		3			4			4	1	14		6			1			
Improper Turn				1	5			1				3					1		9		5								
Other Improper Driving	5		1		29	1		16			12	1	11	3		1	1	1	13	4	33	1	3	12	1	2			
Other than driving								1			1								3		2								
Pedestrian Violation					1			1																					
Speeding	1				4						2	1	1						2		4								
Others					3			1					1			1			1		5		1						
<b>Other</b>																													
Control Violation	1				1			1			1								1										
Failure to yield					2	1															1		1						
Improper Turn	1				1			1											3		1		1						
Other Improper Driving					1			2			2		1								1								
Other than driving																			4		1								
Speeding					1			2			1		1								1				1				
Others	1				5	1		2	1	1			1		1				3		8		1						
<b>V</b>																													
Alcohol					1			1																					
Control Violation					2						2		1						2		1		1	1					
Failure to yield		3		1		10		3	1	1	3		5						21		2	33		2					
Following too closely						1																							
Improper Turn	1		3			9			9			1		4					1	1	2		4		1				
Other Improper Driving	1					5			2		1	3	1							1	1		1			1			
Pedestrian Violation											1																		
Speeding														1						1									
Others													1											1					
<b>Grand Total</b>		17	6	1	107	3	58	3	5	33	5	35	4	8	1	1	6	3	2	78	9	122	1	8	27	1	4	3	552

# Pedestrian-involved matrix for intersection crashes in California (2010-2011)

CALIFORNIA	INFRAST															
	Timed Signals															
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Alcohol					1											
Control Violation							1		1	1	1	2	1			
Failure to yield	6	2	2	1	28		2	16	3	2	7		2	8	5	3
Improper Turn					3			1					1			
Other Improper Driving					2			2					1	1		
Other than driving								1								
Pedestrian Violation	1				17	2	1	4	2	1		1	6	1	3	6
Speeding					2						1		1			
Others		1				3			3					1		2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>19</b>

	4 way Sto 2 way Stop signs												Yield signs			No controls		Grand Total									
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			3				3																				13
			2	1			2	1																			19
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# Left portion of the non-PDO auto-only matrix for intersection crashes in California (2010-2011)

CALIFORNIA		INFRASTRUCTURE																													
		Timed Signals		2+0		2+1		2+2		3+0		3+2		3+3		4+1		4+2		4+3		4+4		5+2		5+3		5+4			
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# Right portion of the non-PDO auto-only matrix for intersection crashes in California (2010-2011)

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# Considerations for Screening

Trade-offs when setting safety screening priorities:

<b>Inclusive approach</b>	<b>Restrictive approach</b>
Capturing all potential systemic safety challenges	Higher cost-effectiveness
Lower cost-effectiveness	Potentially missing valuable safety-improving opportunities

# Summary

- Data-driven methodology to identify recurring safety concerns within a road network, by identifying the crash profiles that are associated with certain roadway features
- Flexible enough to allow agencies with varying degrees of data availability to implement it—regardless of the level of performance their data management systems
- Provide aggregate information on the crashes that occurred to identify systemic hotspots, which then allows to target blanket improvements across an entire facility type.
- Support transition from existing practices in road safety to approaches such as safe systems



Comments

Questions

Discussion