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South Australian Road Fatality Update

Lives Lost to midnight 5 March 2024

| | | Lives lost Year to Date | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|------|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|-------------------|------|--|--|--|
| Period | Days | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Avg 2019- 2023 | 2024 | | | |
| Month to date | 5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 2 | | | |
| Year to date | 65 | 19 | 16 | 18 | 13 | 29 | 19 | 17 | | | |

| Lives lost year to date by Road User Type | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Avg 2019- 2023 | 2024 |
|--|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------|------|
| Driver - Light Vehicle | 4 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 17 | 8 | 9 |
| Driver - Heavy Vehicle | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Passenger | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Motorcyclist | 7 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 4 |
| Pillion Passenger | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cyclist | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Pedestrian | 5 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Gopher/Wheelchair | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Railway Vehicle | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 19 | 16 | 18 | 13 | 29 | 19 | 17 |

| Lives lost year to date by Area | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Avg 2019- 2023 | 2024 |
|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------|------|
| Greater Adelaide | 14 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 12 | 9 | 6 |
| Rural SA | 5 | 13 | 8 | 7 | 17 | 10 | 11 |

| Lives lost year to date by Gender | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Avg 2019- 2023 | 2024 |
|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------|------|
| Male | 13 | 12 | 16 | 10 | 19 | 14 | 13 |
| Female | 6 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 5 | 4 |

| Lives lost year to date by Age Group | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | Avg 2019- 2023 | 2024 |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------|------|
| 0-15 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 16-19 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 20-24 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| 25-29 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 30-39 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 4 |
| 40-49 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| 50-59 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 60-69 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| 70-79 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 3 |
| 80-89 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 90+ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Number of lives lost per month

| Period | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | June | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | TOTAL |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Avg 2019-2023 | 9 | 8 | 13 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 10 | 10 | 97 |
| 2023 | 11 | 13 | 17 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 8 | 10 | 13 | 117 |
| 2024 | 4 | 11 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | 17 |

Please Note: Average results may not match due to rounding. All data for 2023/24 is preliminary and updates may occur in the future.

Data Sources: The information provided is by the Department and an initial police report from South Australia Police.

Definitions: Heavy vehicle includes the following vehicle types: Rigid truck, Semi-Trailer, Bus, B Double.

Light vehicles include all other cars and car derivatives including 4WDs, vans, light truck, and station wagons.



