

Crash statistics 2010

This leaflet gives East Sussex County Council's annual overview of road casualty statistics in the County. We hope you will find the information helpful, whether you are completing a study related to road safety or have a particular query about road casualties in your local area.

In 2010, there were 1323 crashes on the County's roads, resulting in 1797 casualties. Within this total, 319 people were either killed or seriously injured during the year. The overall number of casualties has reduced by nearly 12% compared to the previous year and the number of people killed or seriously injured has reduced by nearly 14%.

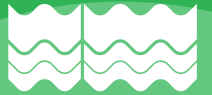
The County Council sees casualty reduction as one of its key priorities. You can find out more in the Economy, Transport and Environment pages of the Council Plan. Here you will find details of our priorities for the next three years together with clear targets for achievement. The full plan can be found on our website at www.eastsussex.gov.uk/yourcouncil/about/keydocuments/councilplan/

Further information

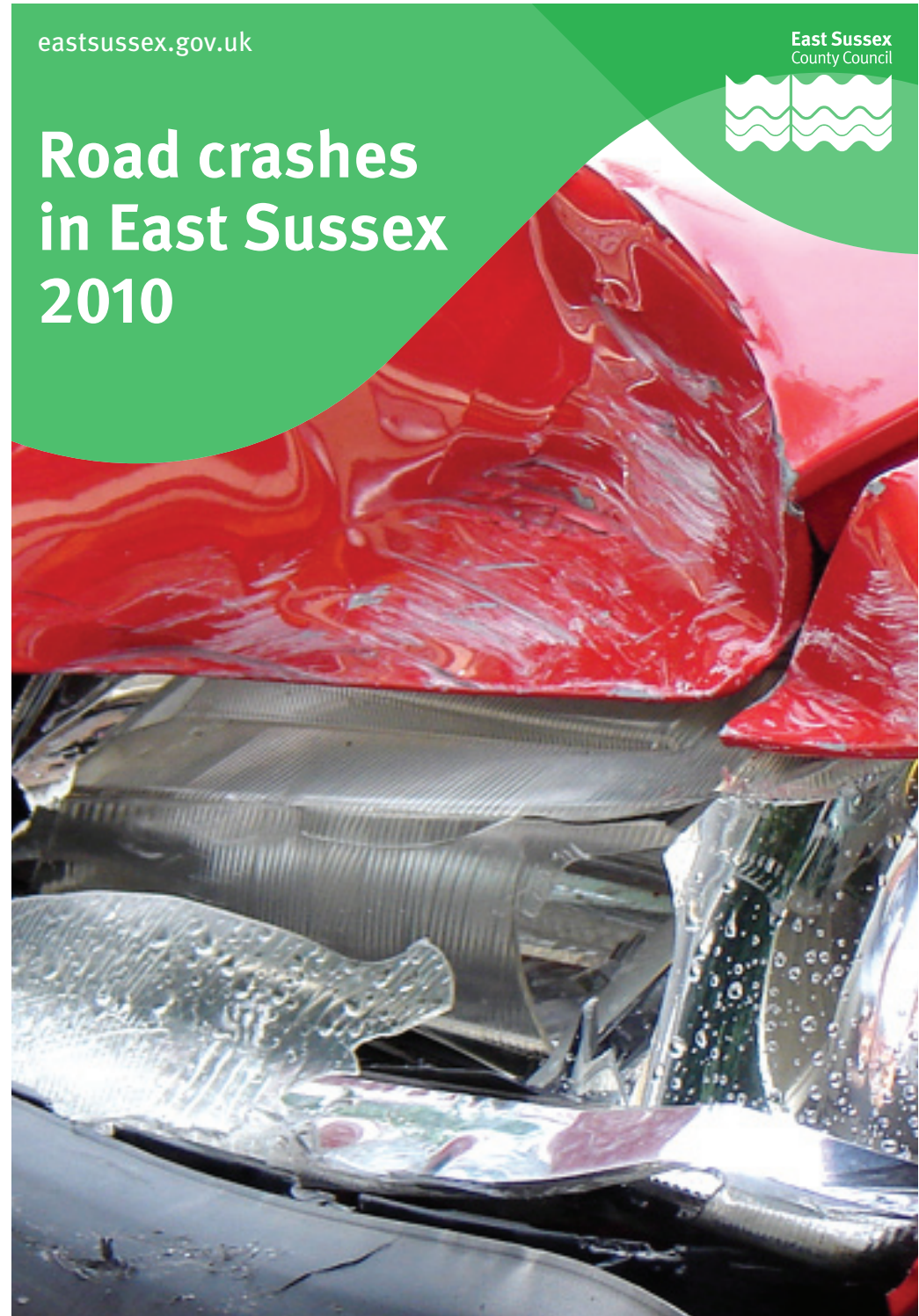
More detailed road crash information along with details of the services provided by the County Council's Road Safety Team is available from:

Road Safety Team, East Sussex County Council
Economy, Transport and Environment
County Hall, St Anne's Crescent, Lewes BN7 1UE

Email: roadsafety@eastsussex.gov.uk
or look on the County Council's website: www.eastsussex.gov.uk



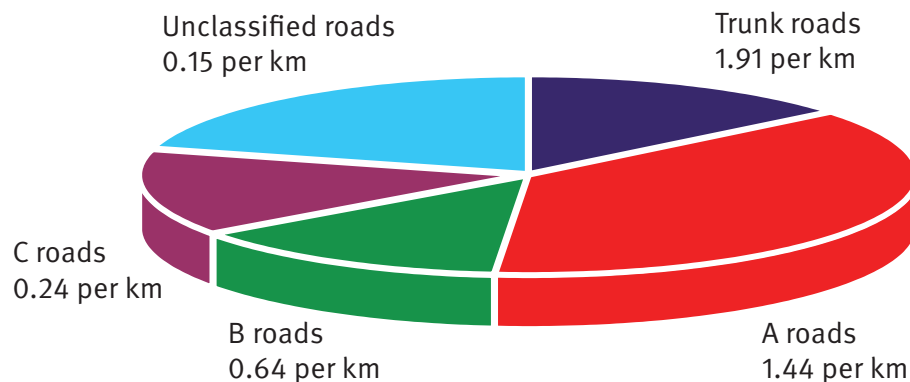
Road crashes in East Sussex 2010



Casualties by severity

			Fatal	Serious	Slight	Total
Pedestrians						
Child	0 to 4 yrs		0	2	4	6
	5 to 9 yrs		0	3	8	11
	10 to 15 yrs		0	12	43	55
Adult	16 to 59 yrs		2	28	63	93
	60+ yrs		2	21	34	57
	Unknown		0	0	0	0
Sub Total			4	66	152	222
Pedal Cyclists						
Child			0	3	15	18
Adult			1	16	61	78
Unknown			0	0	0	0
Sub Total			1	19	76	96
Powered Two Wheelers						
Drivers			6	71	102	179
Passengers			1	3	10	14
Sub Total			7	74	112	193
Car/Taxi						
Drivers			6	82	733	821
Passengers	Child		1	5	66	72
	Adult		2	33	239	274
	Unknown		0	0	0	0
Sub Total			9	120	1,038	1,167
Public Service Vehicles						
Drivers			0	0	4	4
Passengers			0	4	37	41
Sub Total			0	4	41	45
Other Vehicles						
Drivers			0	12	45	57
Passengers			0	3	14	17
Sub Total			0	15	59	74
TOTAL			21	298	1,478	1,797

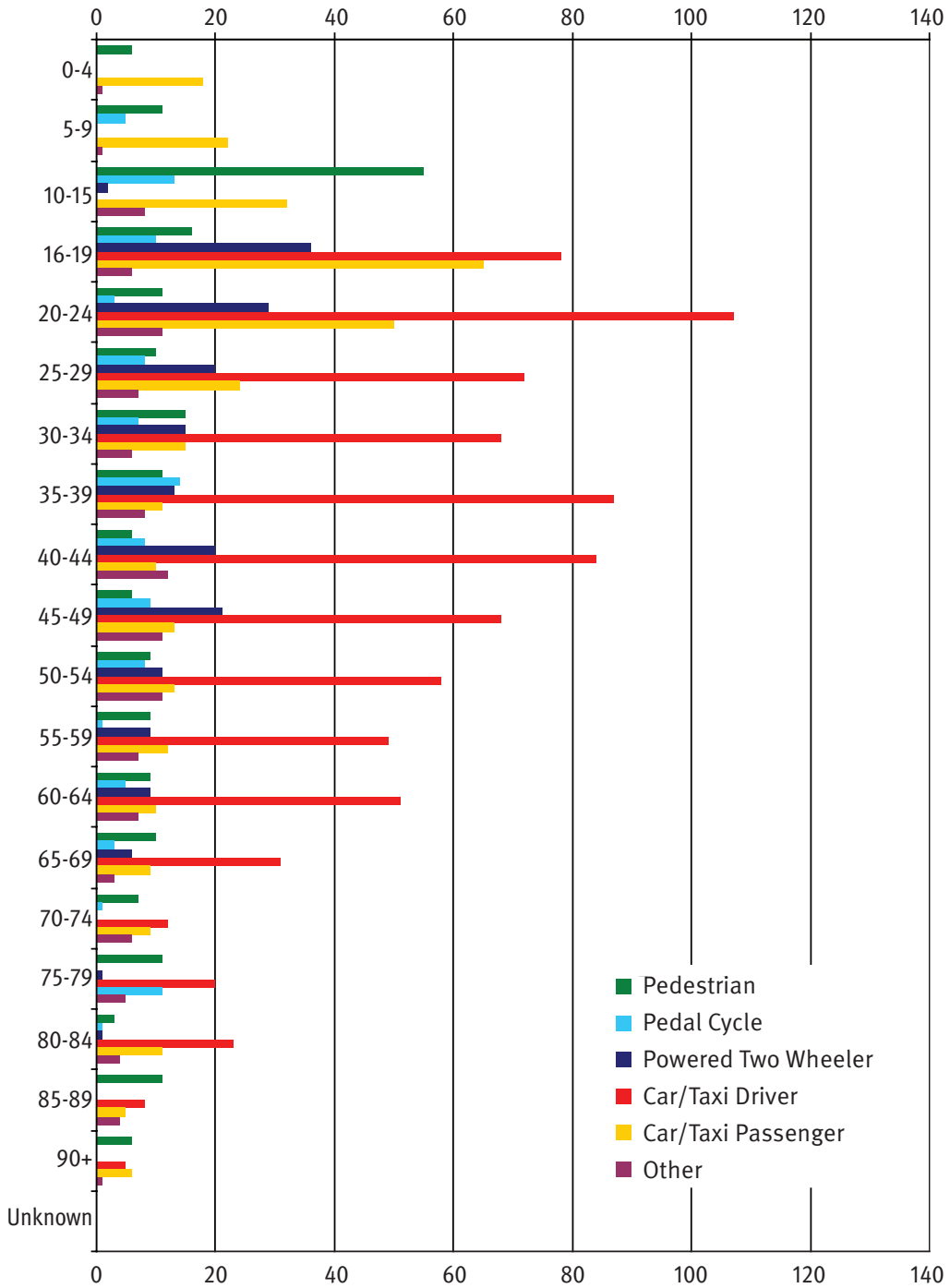
Crashes by road type



Child casualties by user and district

Age Group	Pedestrian	Pedal Cycle	Car/Taxi	Other	Total
0 to 4 years					
Eastbourne	1	0	2	1	4
Hastings	2	0	0	0	2
Lewes	2	0	3	0	5
Rother	0	0	4	0	4
Wealden	1	0	9	0	10
East Sussex	6	0	18	1	25
5 to 9 years					
Eastbourne	3	0	1	0	4
Hastings	1	0	1	0	2
Lewes	3	1	8	0	12
Rother	1	3	4	0	8
Wealden	3	1	8	1	13
East Sussex	11	5	22	1	39
10 to 15 years					
Eastbourne	7	3	7	0	17
Hastings	12	3	2	0	17
Lewes	6	1	6	3	16
Rother	18	4	28	1	51
Wealden	12	2	9	6	29
East Sussex	55	13	52	10	130
Total all age groups	72	18	92	12	194

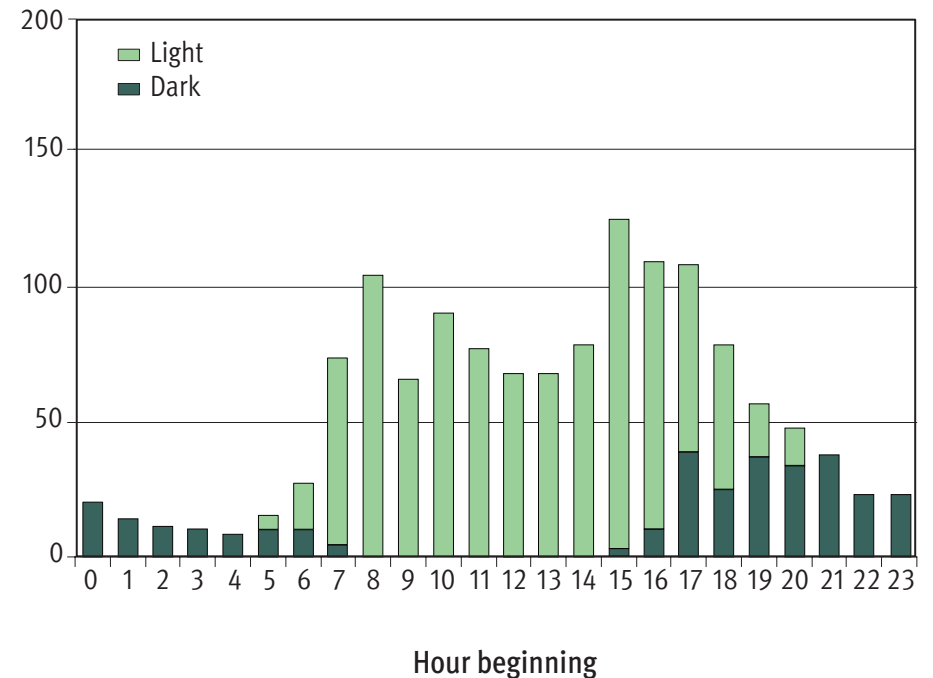
Casualties by age and road user



Manoeuvres involved in crashes

	Male	Female	Unknown	Total
Turning Right/ Waiting to Turn Right	152	85	10	247
Going Ahead on Bend	178	54	5	237
Stopping	97	68	9	174
Parked	35	9	89	133
Going ahead but held up	64	49	1	114
Starting	60	36	11	107
Overtaking	59	16	5	80
Turning Left/ Waiting to Turn Left	56	17	2	75
Reversing	29	11	3	43
U Turning	9	4	3	16
Changing Lane	4	9	2	15
Going Ahead	772	354	44	1170
Total	1,515	712	184	2,411

Crashes by time of day



Crashes by district

	Population	Fatal	Serious	Slight	Total	Crashes/ 1,000 pop
Eastbourne	96,421	1	39	157	197	2.04
Hastings	86,928	2	36	159	197	2.27
Lewes	96,429	5	46	193	244	2.53
Rother	89,222	3	55	207	265	2.97
Wealden	143,088	8	93	319	420	2.94
East Sussex	512,088	19	269	1,035	1,323	2.58

Note: Numbers may not sum due to independent rounding

Population Data Source: ESiF website

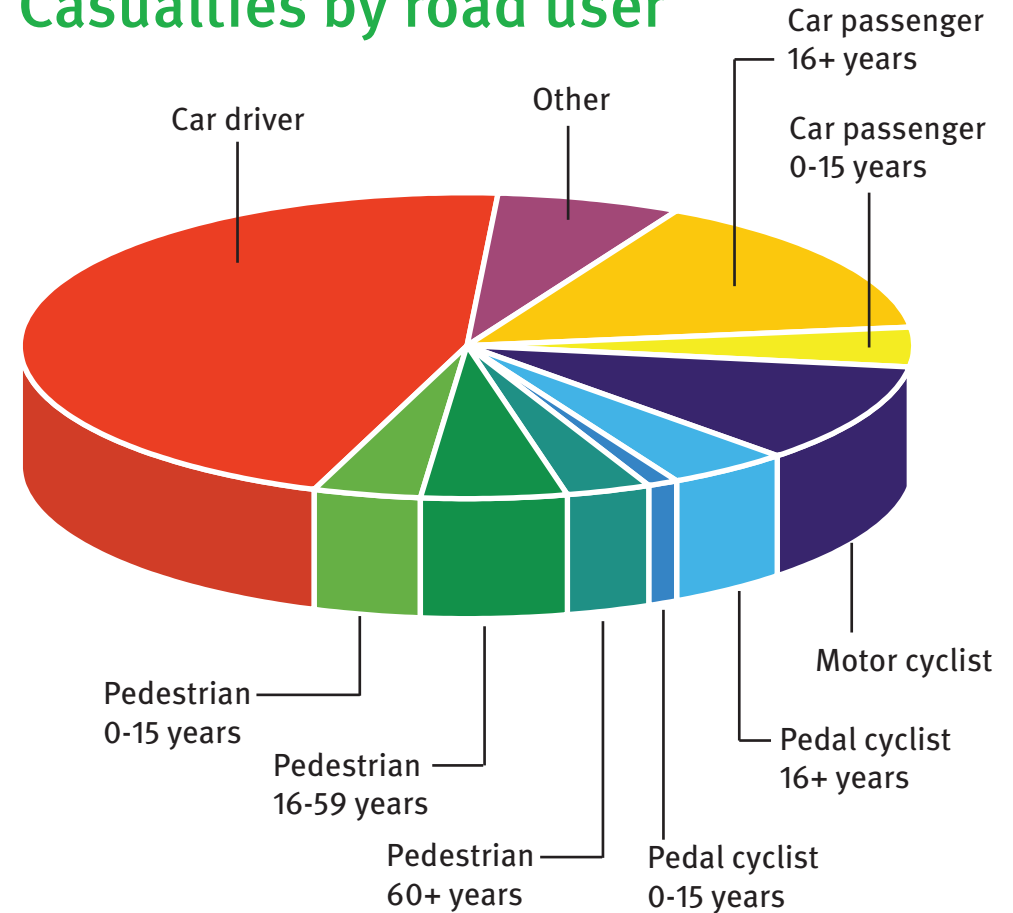
Casualty severity by road user

	Pedestrian	Pedal Cycle	Powered 2 wheeler	Car/Taxi	Other	Total
Fatal	4	1	7	9	0	21
Serious	66	19	74	120	19	298
Slight	152	76	112	1,038	100	1,478
Total	222	96	193	1,167	119	1,797

Young car drivers

Age	Male		Female		Total	
	Drivers	Casualties	Drivers	Casualties	Drivers	Casualties
0-16 years	25	0	3	0	28	0
17-19 years	123	44	65	34	189	78
20-24 years	145	44	87	60	233	104
25-29 years	125	37	63	34	189	71
Total	418	125	218	128	639	253

Casualties by road user



Casualties by road user and district

	Pedestrian	Pedal Cycle	Powered 2 wheeler	Car/Taxi	Other	Total
Eastbourne	41	21	28	161	7	258
Hastings	50	22	36	120	7	235
Lewes	38	15	35	214	37	339
Rother	52	18	41	239	21	371
Wealden	41	20	53	433	47	594
East Sussex	222	96	193	1,167	119	1,797