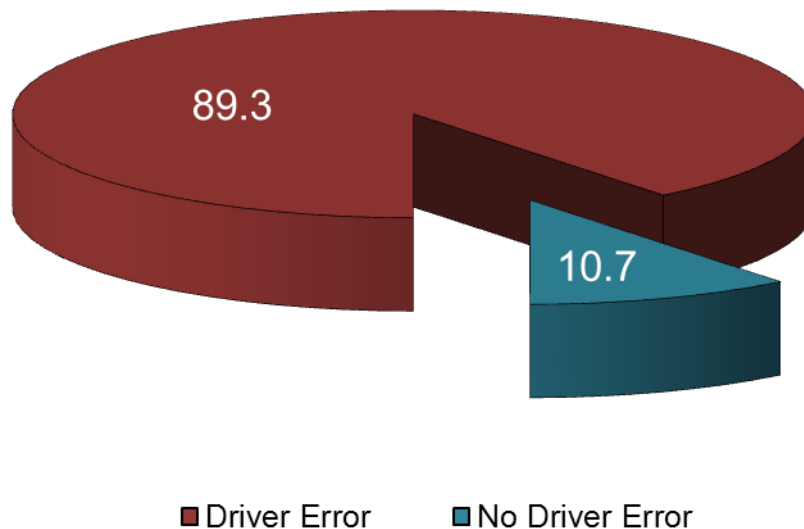


Alberta Traffic Collisions - Driver Error 2011



In 2011, 89.3% of total collisions involved one or more drivers identified as committing a driver error.

Other factors which contributed to the 139,179 reported collisions in 2011 were:

Driver condition – 3.7 per cent of total collisions involved one or more drivers identified as having a physical condition that contributed to the collision. 28.4 per cent of fatal collisions involved one or more drivers with a physical condition, which contributed to the collision.

Speed – 6.7 per cent of total collisions involved one or more drivers indicated by the police as having been travelling at a speed too great for the given conditions. However, 26.7 per cent of fatal collisions involved unsafe speed.

Vehicle condition – Only 0.6 per cent of total collisions involved one or more vehicles identified as having a vehicle defect which contributed to the collision.

Driver Condition includes: had been drinking, impaired by alcohol/drugs, fatigued/asleep or medical defect.

Note: *Does not include counter reported property damage only collisions.