DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Population: 10 403 761 • Income group: Middle • Gross national income per capita: US$ 5 770

INSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK

Lead agency
Funded in national budget
National road safety strategy
Funding to implement strategy
Fatality reduction target

SAFER ROADS AND MOBILITY

Formal audits required for new road construction projects
Regular inspections of existing road infrastructure
Policies to promote walking or cycling
Policies to encourage investment in public transport
Policies to separate road users and protect VRUs

SAFER VEHICLES

Total registered vehicles for 2013
Cars and 4-wheeled light vehicles
Motorized 2- and 3-wheelers
Heavy trucks
Buses
Other
Vehicle standards applied:
Frontal impact standard
Electronic stability control
Pedestrian protection

POST-CRASH CARE

Emergency room injury surveillance system
Emergency access telephone numbers
Permanently disabled due to road traffic crash

DATA

Reported road traffic fatalities (2012)
WHO estimated road traffic fatalities
WHO estimated rate per 100 000 population
Estimated GDP lost due to road traffic crashes

DEATHS BY ROAD USER CATEGORY

Drivers/passengers
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buses (1%)
Drivers/passengers
heavy trucks (2%)
Pedestrians (20%)
Cyclists (1%)
Riders motorized 2- or 3-wheelers (83%)
Occupants 4-wheeled cars and light vehicles (13%)
Other (<1%)

TRENDS IN REPORTED ROAD TRAFFIC DEATHS

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Source: Metropolitan Transportation Authority (AMET).