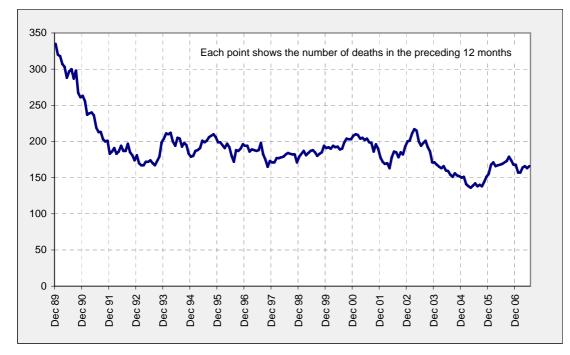


### Deaths from crashes involving articulated trucks, Australia, 12 month rolling total



### **Key figures**

In Australia during the 12 months to the end of June 2007, there were:

- 166 deaths from crashes involving articulated trucks, down 1.8% on the 12 months to the end of June 2006
- 62 deaths from crashes involving heavy rigid trucks <sup>b</sup>
- 17 deaths from crashes involving buses, down 45.2% on the 12 months to the end of June 2006.

<sup>b</sup> Excludes deaths in Victoria due to the unavailability of data.

Inquiries	Data Sources
For further information about data in this bulletin, contact:	The data presented here are obtained from the following sources:
Road Safety Research and Statistics	<ul> <li>Roads and Traffic Authority, New South Wales</li> </ul>
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PO Box 967 Civic Square ACT 2608	Queensland Transport
Email: research@atsb.gov.au	<ul> <li>Department for Transport, Energy and Infrastructure, South Australia</li> </ul>
Internet: www.atsb.gov.au	Western Australia Police
	<ul> <li>Department of Infrastructure, Energy and Resources, Tasmania</li> </ul>
About the Australian Transport Safety Bureau	<ul> <li>Department of Planning and Infrastructure, Northern Territory</li> </ul>
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## Articulated Trucks - Fatal Crashes

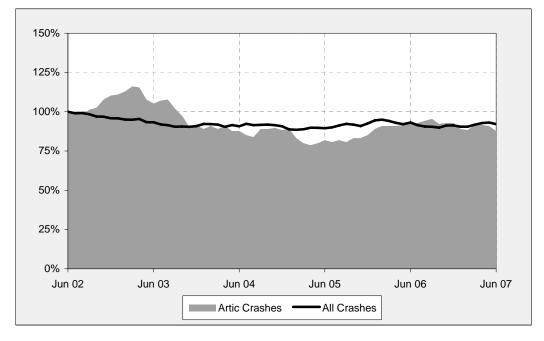
### Fatal crashes involving articulated trucks by State/Territory by quarter -

Five years to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Jul - Sep 2002	18	4	4	6	0	1	0	0	33
Oct - Dec 2002	22	12	8	1	6	0	2	0	51
Jan - Mar 2003	12	12	8	7	5	0	1	0	45
Apr - Jun 2003	13	8	9	2	1	1	0	0	34
Jul - Sep 2003	11	6	6	3	2	0	0	0	28
Oct - Dec 2003	14	7	8	1	5	0	0	0	35
Jan - Mar 2004	16	13	3	1	6	2	0	0	41
Apr - Jun 2004	12	9	2	5	2	1	1	0	32
Jul - Sep 2004	11	5	5	2	5	1	1	0	30
Oct - Dec 2004	18	8	3	2	3	0	0	0	34
Jan - Mar 2005	10	7	4	5	1	1	0	0	28
Apr - Jun 2005	15	6	7	0	5	2	0	0	35
Jul - Sep 2005	7	5	7	7	2	0	0	0	28
Oct - Dec 2005	13	10	9	3	3	2	1	0	41
Jan - Mar 2006	18	5	6	3	1	3	1	0	37
Apr - Jun 2006	14	7	8	2	5	0	1	0	37
Jul - Sep 2006	8	8	12	1	1	3	0	0	33
Oct - Dec 2006	17	6	8	3	3	0	0	0	37
Jan - Mar 2007	16	9	4	0	4	1	1	0	35
Apr - Jun 2007	10	5	11	2	2	0	1	0	31
12 month periods to the	he end of June	e 2007 a	nd June	e 2006					
Jul 2006 - Jun 2007	51	28	35	6	10	4	2	0	136
Jul 2005 - Jun 2006	52	27	30	15	11	5	3	0	143
% change	-1.9	3.7	16.7	-60.0	-9.1	-20.0	-33.3	-	-4.9

# Annual count of fatal crashes involving articulated trucks in Australia - Five years to the end of June 2007

Each point shows the number of fatal crashes in the preceding 12 months expressed as a percentage of the number of fatal crashes in the 12 months to the end of June 2002.



## Articulated Trucks - Deaths

### Deaths from crashes involving articulated trucks by State/Territory by quarter -

Five years to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Jul - Sep 2002	21	5	5	6	0	1	0	0	38
Oct - Dec 2002	22	16	10	2	6	0	6	0	62
Jan - Mar 2003	13	17	9	7	7	0	1	0	54
Apr - Jun 2003	17	9	10	2	1	1	0	0	40
Jul - Sep 2003	16	8	7	3	2	0	0	0	36
Oct - Dec 2003	17	7	9	1	7	0	0	0	41
Jan - Mar 2004	19	14	3	1	7	2	0	0	46
Apr - Jun 2004	15	9	2	6	2	1	1	0	36
Jul - Sep 2004	12	5	5	4	5	1	1	0	33
Oct - Dec 2004	18	9	3	2	3	0	0	0	35
Jan - Mar 2005	11	9	5	7	1	1	0	0	34
Apr - Jun 2005	18	6	7	0	7	2	0	0	40
Jul - Sep 2005	7	5	8	7	2	0	0	0	29
Oct - Dec 2005	16	12	15	3	3	2	1	0	52
Jan - Mar 2006	25	6	6	3	1	3	1	0	45
Apr - Jun 2006	16	9	9	2	6	0	1	0	43
Jul - Sep 2006	9	9	14	1	1	5	0	0	39
Oct - Dec 2006	19	7	8	4	3	0	0	0	41
Jan - Mar 2007	16	13	5	0	4	2	1	0	41
Apr - Jun 2007	11	16	12	3	2	0	1	0	45
12 month periods to th	ne end of June	e 2007 a	nd June	2006					
Jul 2006 - Jun 2007	55	45	39	8	10	7	2	0	166
Jul 2005 - Jun 2006	64	32	38	15	12	5	3	0	169
% change	-14.1	40.6	2.6	-46.7	-16.7	40.0	-33.3	-	-1.8

# Deaths from crashes involving articulated trucks by State/Territory by road user - 12 months to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Drivers <sup>a</sup>	38	25	26	2	5	4	1	0	101
Passengers <sup>a</sup>	6	17	8	3	2	3	1	0	40
Pedestrians	9	3	2	2	3	0	0	0	19
Motor cyclists <sup>b</sup>	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Cyclists	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4
All road users <sup>c</sup>	55	45	39	8	10	7	2	0	166

<sup>a</sup> Includes drivers/passengers of light vehicles

<sup>b</sup> Includes pillion passengers

<sup>c</sup> Includes road users not separately specified

# Deaths from crashes involving articulated trucks by State/Territory by crash type - 12 months to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Pedestrian crashes	9	3	2	2	3	0	0	0	19
Other single vehicle crashes	12	7	10	0	0	0	0	0	29
Multiple vehicle crashes	34	35	27	6	7	7	2	0	118
All crash types	55	45	39	8	10	7	2	0	166

## Heavy Rigid Trucks - Fatal Crashes

Fatal crashes involving heavy rigid trucks by State/Territory by quarter -

Five years to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Jul - Sep 2002	11	N/A	5	4	N/A	N/A	0	0	N/A
Oct - Dec 2002	10	N/A	2	2	N/A	N/A	3	1	N/A
Jan - Mar 2003	2	N/A	4	2	N/A	N/A	0	1	N/A
Apr - Jun 2003	4	N/A	6	3	N/A	N/A	1	0	N/A
Jul - Sep 2003	3	N/A	2	2	N/A	N/A	1	0	N/A
Oct - Dec 2003	10	N/A	5	1	N/A	N/A	0	1	N/A
Jan - Mar 2004	8	6	5	2	3	3	0	0	27
Apr - Jun 2004	6	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	16
Jul - Sep 2004	6	3	6	3	2	1	0	0	21
Oct - Dec 2004	10	4	5	1	2	0	0	0	22
Jan - Mar 2005	5	11	1	1	N/A	0	1	0	N/A
Apr - Jun 2005	8	7	4	0	N/A	2	0	0	N/A
Jul - Sep 2005	7	4	3	2	N/A	0	0	1	N/A
Oct - Dec 2005	6	2	2	0	N/A	0	0	0	N/A
Jan - Mar 2006	5	N/A	3	1	1	1	0	0	N/A
Apr - Jun 2006	5	N/A	3	2	2	0	1	0	N/A
Jul - Sep 2006	4	N/A	5	2	2	1	0	0	N/A
Oct - Dec 2006	10	N/A	4	0	3	1	0	0	N/A
Jan - Mar 2007	2	N/A	2	3	3	0	0	0	N/A
Apr - Jun 2007	7	N/A	5	0	1	2	0	0	N/A
12 month periods to th	he end of Jun	e 2007 a	nd June	2006					
Jul 2006 - Jun 2007	23	N/A	16	5	9	4	0	0	N/A
Jul 2005 - Jun 2006	23	N/A	11	5	N/A	1	1	1	N/A
% change	0.0	N/A	45.5	0.0	N/A	300.0	-100.0	-100.0	N/A

## Heavy Rigid Trucks - Deaths

### Deaths from crashes involving heavy rigid trucks by State/Territory by quarter -

Five years to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Jul - Sep 2002	12	N/A	5	4	N/A	N/A	0	0	N/A
Oct - Dec 2002	11	N/A	2	2	N/A	N/A	3	1	N/A
Jan - Mar 2003	3	N/A	4	2	N/A	N/A	0	1	N/A
Apr - Jun 2003	4	N/A	6	3	N/A	N/A	1	0	N/A
Jul - Sep 2003	3	N/A	2	2	N/A	N/A	1	0	N/A
Oct - Dec 2003	13	N/A	6	1	N/A	N/A	0	1	N/A
Jan - Mar 2004	10	6	5	2	3	3	0	0	29
Apr - Jun 2004	8	6	4	1	0	0	0	0	19
Jul - Sep 2004	10	3	7	3	2	1	0	0	26
Oct - Dec 2004	10	4	6	1	2	0	0	0	23
Jan - Mar 2005	5	13	1	1	N/A	0	1	0	N/A
Apr - Jun 2005	9	7	5	0	N/A	2	0	0	N/A
Jul - Sep 2005	7	5	4	2	N/A	0	0	1	N/A
Oct - Dec 2005	7	2	3	0	N/A	0	0	0	N/A
Jan - Mar 2006	7	N/A	3	1	1	1	0	0	N/A
Apr - Jun 2006	7	N/A	3	2	2	0	1	0	N/A
Jul - Sep 2006	4	N/A	5	2	3	1	0	0	N/A
Oct - Dec 2006	12	N/A	5	0	3	1	0	0	N/A
Jan - Mar 2007	2	N/A	2	3	3	0	0	0	N/A
Apr - Jun 2007	8	N/A	5	0	1	2	0	0	N/A
12 month periods to th	ne end of June	e 2007 a	nd June	2006					
Jul 2006 - Jun 2007	26	N/A	17	5	10	4	0	0	N/A
Jul 2005 - Jun 2006	28	N/A	13	5	N/A	1	1	1	N/A
% change	-7.1	N/A	30.8	0.0	N/A	300.0	-100.0	-100.0	N/A

# Deaths from crashes involving heavy rigid trucks by State/Territory by road user - 12 months to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Drivers <sup>a</sup>	10	N/A	12	2	6	2	0	0	N/A
Passengers <sup>a</sup>	8	N/A	2	0	1	2	0	0	N/A
Pedestrians	4	N/A	1	0	1	0	0	0	N/A
Motor cyclists <sup>b</sup>	2	N/A	1	1	2	0	0	0	N/A
Cyclists	2	N/A	1	2	0	0	0	0	N/A
All road users <sup>c</sup>	26	N/A	17	5	10	4	0	0	N/A

<sup>a</sup> Includes drivers/passengers of light vehicles

<sup>b</sup> Includes pillion passengers

<sup>c</sup> Includes road users not separately specified

# Deaths from crashes involving heavy rigid trucks by State/Territory by crash type - 12 months to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Pedestrian crashes	4	N/A	1	0	1	0	0	0	N/A
Other single vehicle crashes	2	N/A	4	1	0	1	0	0	N/A
Multiple vehicle crashes	20	N/A	12	4	9	3	0	0	N/A
All crash types	26	N/A	17	5	10	4	0	0	N/A

## **Buses - Fatal Crashes**

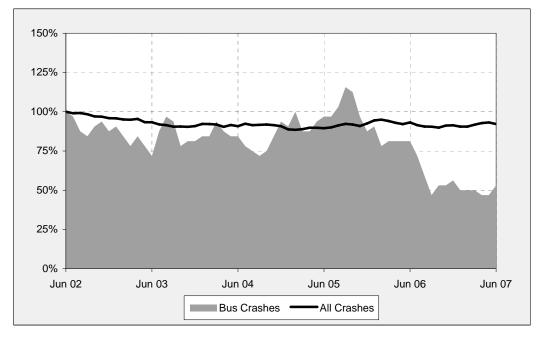
#### Fatal crashes involving buses by State/Territory by quarter -

Five years to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Jul - Sep 2002	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Oct - Dec 2002	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	8
Jan - Mar 2003	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Apr - Jun 2003	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	7
Jul - Sep 2003	3	1	1	2	2	0	1	0	10
Oct - Dec 2003	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Jan - Mar 2004	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	9
Apr - Jun 2004	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
Jul - Sep 2004	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	6
Oct - Dec 2004	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	11
Jan - Mar 2005	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Apr - Jun 2005	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	7
Jul - Sep 2005	4	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	12
Oct - Dec 2005	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Jan - Mar 2006	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Apr - Jun 2006	3	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	7
Jul - Sep 2006	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Oct - Dec 2006	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	5
Jan - Mar 2007	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Apr - Jun 2007	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
12 month periods to th	e end of Jun	e 2007 a	and Jun	e 2006					
Jul 2006 - Jun 2007	6	3	7	0	1	0	0	0	17
Jul 2005 - Jun 2006	10	5	8	2	0	1	0	0	26
% change	-40.0	-40.0	-12.5	-100.0	-	-100.0	-	-	-34.6

#### Annual count of fatal crashes involving buses in Australia -Five years to the end of June 2007

Each point shows the number of fatal crashes in the preceding 12 months expressed as a percentage of the number of fatal crashes in the 12 months to the end of June 2002.



### **Buses - Deaths**

### Deaths from crashes involving buses by State/Territory by quarter -

Five years to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Jul - Sep 2002	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Oct - Dec 2002	2	2	2	4	2	0	0	0	12
Jan - Mar 2003	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
Apr - Jun 2003	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	7
Jul - Sep 2003	4	1	1	3	2	0	1	0	12
Oct - Dec 2003	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Jan - Mar 2004	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	9
Apr - Jun 2004	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
Jul - Sep 2004	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	6
Oct - Dec 2004	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	11
Jan - Mar 2005	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Apr - Jun 2005	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	11
Jul - Sep 2005	6	2	7	1	0	0	0	0	16
Oct - Dec 2005	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Jan - Mar 2006	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Apr - Jun 2006	3	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	7
Jul - Sep 2006	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Oct - Dec 2006	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	5
Jan - Mar 2007	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Apr - Jun 2007	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
12 month periods to the	end of Jun	e 2007 á	and Jun	e 2006					
Jul 2006 - Jun 2007	6	3	7	0	1	0	0	0	17
Jul 2005 - Jun 2006	12	6	10	2	0	1	0	0	31
% change	-50.0	-50.0	-30.0	-100.0	-	-100.0	-	-	-45.2

# Deaths from crashes involving buses by State/Territory by road user - 12 months to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Drivers <sup>a</sup>	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Passengers <sup>a</sup>	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Pedestrians	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	6
Motor cyclists <sup>b</sup>	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Cyclists	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
All road users <sup>c</sup>	6	3	7	0	1	0	0	0	17

<sup>a</sup> Includes drivers/passengers of light vehicles

<sup>b</sup> Includes pillion passengers

<sup>c</sup> Includes road users not separately specified

# Deaths from crashes involving buses by State/Territory by crash type - 12 months to the end of June 2007

	NSW	Vic	Qld	SA	WA	Tas	NT	ACT	Australia
Pedestrian crashes	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	6
Other single vehicle crashes	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Multiple vehicle crashes	4	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	10
All crash types	6	3	7	0	1	0	0	0	17