

SAMOA

Population: **187 023**

Income group: **Middle**

Gross national income per capita: **\$2 430**



INSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK	
Lead agency Funded in national budget	Land Transport Authority Yes
National road safety strategy Measurable targets Funded	Yes No No

DATA
Reported road traffic fatalities (average year) 20^c (76% males, 24% females, 2004–2007)
Reported non-fatal road traffic injuries (2006–2007) 178^d
Costing study available No

^c Accident Compensation Corporation data, definition unknown.
^d Health data.

NATIONAL LEGISLATION	
Speed limits set nationally Local authorities can set lower limits Maximum limit urban roads Enforcement ^a	Yes No 40 km/h 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Drink-driving law BAC limit – general population BAC limit – young or novice drivers Random breath testing and/or police checkpoints Road traffic deaths involving alcohol Enforcement ^a	Yes — — Yes 50% ^b 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Motorcycle helmet law Applies to all riders Helmet standards mandated Helmet wearing rate Enforcement ^a	Yes Yes No — 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Seat-belt law Applies to all occupants Seat-belt wearing rate Enforcement ^a	Yes No — 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Child restraints law Enforcement ^a	Yes 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

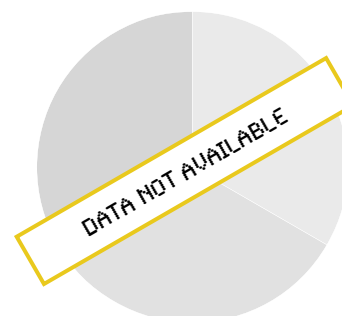
^a Enforcement score represents consensus based on professional opinion of respondents, on a scale of 0 to 10 where 0 is not effective and 10 is highly effective.

^b 2004–2007, Accident Compensation Corporation.

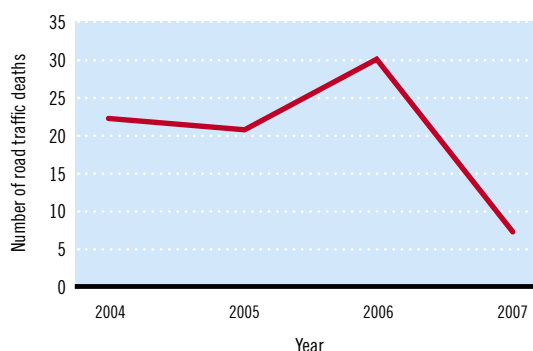
VEHICLE STANDARDS	
No car manufacturers	
ROAD SAFETY AUDITS	
Formal audits required for major new road construction projects	Yes
Regular audits of existing road infrastructure	Yes
PROMOTING ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORT	
National policies to promote walking or cycling	No
National policies to promote public transportation	No

POST-CRASH CARE	
Formal, publicly available pre-hospital care system	Yes
National universal access number	Yes

DEATHS BY ROAD USER CATEGORY



TRENDS IN ROAD TRAFFIC DEATHS



Source: Accident Compensation Corporation

REGISTERED VEHICLES
15 903 total (2008) Registered vehicle types: data not available

— Data not available.
n/a Data not required/not applicable.

Data cleared by the Ministry of Health.