

2014-2018 Distracted Driving Crashes by Type of Distraction*

| Year/Type of Distraction | Sum of Crashes | Sum of Incapacitating Injuries | Sum of Fatalities |
|---|----------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| 2014 | 41,275 | 3,278 | 208 |
| Inattentive | 26,290 | 2,352 | 137 |
| Other Inside the Vehicle | 5,903 | 363 | 27 |
| External Distraction (Outside the Vehicle) | 4,192 | 263 | 27 |
| Electronic Communication Devices (Cell phone) | 3,417 | 206 | 11 |
| Other Electronic Device (navigation, DVD) | 1,275 | 85 | 6 |
| Texting | 198 | 9 | 0 |
| 2015 | 44,956 | 3,369 | 210 |
| Inattentive | 29,193 | 2,425 | 129 |
| Other Inside the Vehicle | 6,289 | 401 | 26 |
| External Distraction (Outside the Vehicle) | 4,195 | 220 | 15 |
| Electronic Communication Devices (Cell phone) | 3,663 | 215 | 30 |
| Other Electronic Device (navigation, DVD) | 1,416 | 97 | 7 |
| Texting | 200 | 11 | 3 |
| 2016 | 48,298 | 3,450 | 230 |
| Inattentive | 32,529 | 2,620 | 158 |
| Other Inside the Vehicle | 6,341 | 354 | 30 |
| External Distraction (Outside the Vehicle) | 4,008 | 213 | 21 |
| Electronic Communication Devices (Cell phone) | 3,799 | 195 | 18 |
| Other Electronic Device (navigation, DVD) | 1,429 | 60 | 3 |
| Texting | 192 | 8 | 0 |
| 2017 | 50,285 | 3,040 | 228 |
| Inattentive | 34,684 | 2,284 | 171 |
| Other Inside the Vehicle | 6,062 | 323 | 26 |
| External Distraction (Outside the Vehicle) | 4,129 | 168 | 15 |
| Electronic Communication Devices (Cell phone) | 3,825 | 196 | 12 |
| Other Electronic Device (navigation, DVD) | 1,417 | 63 | 3 |
| Texting | 168 | 6 | 1 |
| 2018 | 51,258 | 3,003 | 227 |
| Inattentive | 36,521 | 2,374 | 174 |
| Other Inside the Vehicle | 5,828 | 252 | 19 |
| External Distraction (Outside the Vehicle) | 3,753 | 157 | 16 |
| Electronic Communication Devices (Cell phone) | 3,655 | 166 | 15 |
| Other Electronic Device (navigation, DVD) | 1,330 | 49 | 3 |
| Texting | 171 | 5 | 0 |

*Preliminary data as of February 25, 2019.

NOTE: Multiple distractions can be noted in a single crash, so crashes could be counted twice.



Source: Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles