

MEIGS COUNTY OVERVIEW:

Between 2013 and 2017 there were a total of 1,730 crashes reported within Meigs County, Ohio. Around 633 people were injured as result of these crashes which included 23 fatalities and 92 serious injuries. Overall there has been an increase in the total number of crashes, with 20% more crashes in 2017 compared to 2013. A greater increase can be seen in the number of injury crashes as well.

CRASH TRENDS BY YEAR, 2013 TO 2015:

YEAR	CRASH STATISTICS				OCCUPANT STATISTICS			SAFETY METRICS	
	Fatal Crashes	Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes	Total Crashes	Fatalities	Serious Injuries	Minor Injuries	Injury Rate	Severity Index
2013	4	106	213	323	5	26	88	34.1%	1.79
2014	3	103	196	302	3	19	85	35.1%	1.79
2015	6	118	238	362	6	17	111	34.3%	1.83
2016	5	127	223	355	5	13	124	37.2%	1.87
2017	4	132	252	388	4	17	110	35.1%	1.79
5-Year Total	22	586	1,122	1,730	23	92	518		
Annual Average	4	117	224	346	5	18	104	35.13%	1.82
% Change '13-'17	0.00%	24.53%	18.31%	20.12%	-20.00%	-34.62%	25.00%	2.92%	0.07%

Notes:

- Shells with red text indicate the year with the highest value for each respective column
- The Severity Index is calculated by the following formula: $[(12 \times \#FatalCrashes) + (3 \times \#InjuryCrashes) + \#NoInjuryCrashes] / \#TotalCrashes$

CRASH TYPE BY FREQUENCY AND SEVERITY:

% of Crashes	CRASH TYPE	PDO	Injury Crash	Fatal Crash	Fatal and Injury %
41.7%	Fixed Object	413	296	12	42.7%
22.5%	Animal	360	29	0	7.5%
7.8%	Rear End	69	66	0	48.9%
4.4%	Angle	36	38	2	52.6%
4.3%	Left Turn	39	34	2	48.0%
3.6%	Sideswipe - Passing	40	23	0	36.5%
3.6%	Overtuning	25	36	1	59.7%
3.2%	Sideswipe - Meeting	33	20	2	40.0%
2.4%	Backing	34	7	0	17.1%
2.1%	Head On	14	21	2	62.2%
1.4%	Parked Vehicle	22	3	0	12.0%
1.0%	Right Turn	11	6	0	35.3%
0.9%	Other Object	14	1	0	6.7%
0.8%	Other Non-Collision	11	2	0	15.4%
0.2%	Pedalcycles	1	1	1	66.7%
0.2%	Pedestrian	0	3	0	100.0%

KEY FACTS:

- There's been a 20% increase in total crashes between 2013 and 2017.
- On average, there were about 4 fatal crashes per year between 2013 and 2017. That's roughly 1 fatal crash every 3 months.
- Between 2013 and 2017, there were 721 fixed object crashes (41.7% of total crashes), making this the most common crash type overall and the crash type that accounts for the largest number of fatalities.
- Pedestrian, pedalcycle, head on, angle, rear end, fixed object, and sideswipe - meeting were the most likely crash types to result in an injury or fatality.

Meigs County - Top 5 Crash Intersections 2013-2017

Rank	Location	Crashes	Highest Severity	Jurisdiction
1	SR 143/SR7	15	Fatality	Salisbury Township
1	SR 7/Bradbury Rd	15	Visible Injury	Salisbury Township
3	SR 248/SR 7/Pomeroy Pike	8	Serious Injury	Chester Township
4	US33/SR124	7	Fatality	Lebanon Township
4	SR7/Union Ave	7	PDO/No Injury	Salisbury Township

