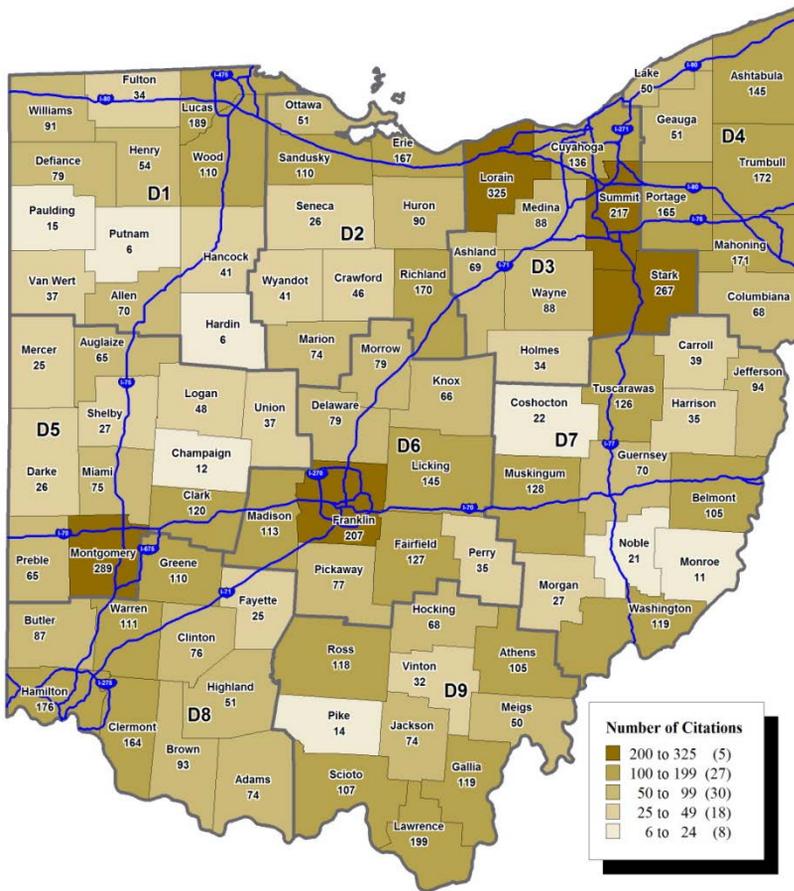


MOTORCYCLES IN OHIO



**Map and Table: 2009-2011
Motorcyclist Citations**

OSHP District	Number of Citations
District 1	732
District 2	775
District 3	1,224
District 4	822
District 5	789
District 6	928
District 7	797
District 8	967
District 9	886
TOTAL	7,920

OHIO CRASHES

• There were 167 motorcycle-related fatalities in Ohio in 2011, 4 more than the 163 killed in 2010. This is down significantly from 2008 during which 215 people died in motorcycle-related crashes.

• From 2009 to 2011 motorcycle-involved crashes resulted in a total of 503 fatalities and 11,452 injuries statewide.

• Of the 489 motorcycle-involved fatal crashes from 2009-2011, the motorcyclist was at-fault 70% of the time.

• Forty-nine percent (49%) of motorcyclists involved in fatal crashes from 2009-2011 were alcohol- or drug-impaired.

OSHP CITATIONS*

• OSHP troopers wrote 7,920 citations to motorcyclists from 2009-2011 (see map above). This is a decrease of two percent (-2%) over the previous three-year period from 2006-2008.

• Citations for driving a motorcycle without an appropriate operator license or endorsement decreased by 3% between 2006-2008 and 2009-2011. These violations accounted for one in five (20%) motorcyclist citations.

• Forty-three percent (43%) of motorcyclist citations included speeding violations during 2009-2011. Compared to 2006-2008, speed citations decreased 2%. Nine percent (9%) of motorcyclist citations included an OVI arrest.

• While overall citations are down 2% from 2006-2008 to 2009-2011, they have increased for older riders. Citations given to riders over 55 increased 19% during this period.

OHIO MOTORCYCLE REGISTRATIONS†

• The number of annual motorcycle registrations increased in every Ohio county from 2006-2008 to 2009-2011 (7% statewide). Twenty-five counties had double-digit percentage increases in registrations. The biggest increases were in Morgan (20%) and Knox counties (20%) while the smallest increase was in Jefferson county (1%).