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REGISTERED ROAD VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS, 2025

Increase in the number of registered and first-time registered road vehicles in the Republic of Croatia

The number of registered road vehicles amounted to 2 768 475 in 2025, which was 3.9% more than in 2024. The number of registered passenger cars amounted to 2 058 313 in 2025, which was an increase of 3.6% compared to 2024.

The number of first registrations of road vehicles amounted to 219 402, which was 2.8% more than in 2024. The number of first registrations increased for buses (by 29.0%), trailers (by 10.0%), agricultural tractors (by 6.2%), passenger cars (by 3.1%), motorcycles (by 3.0%), and lorries (by 0.3%), whereas it decreased for mopeds (by 10.0%), special purpose vehicles (by 4.7%), semi-trailers (by 1.0%), and road tractors (by 0.8%).

The number of first registrations of passenger cars amounted to 159 093 in 2025, which was 3.1% more than in 2024.

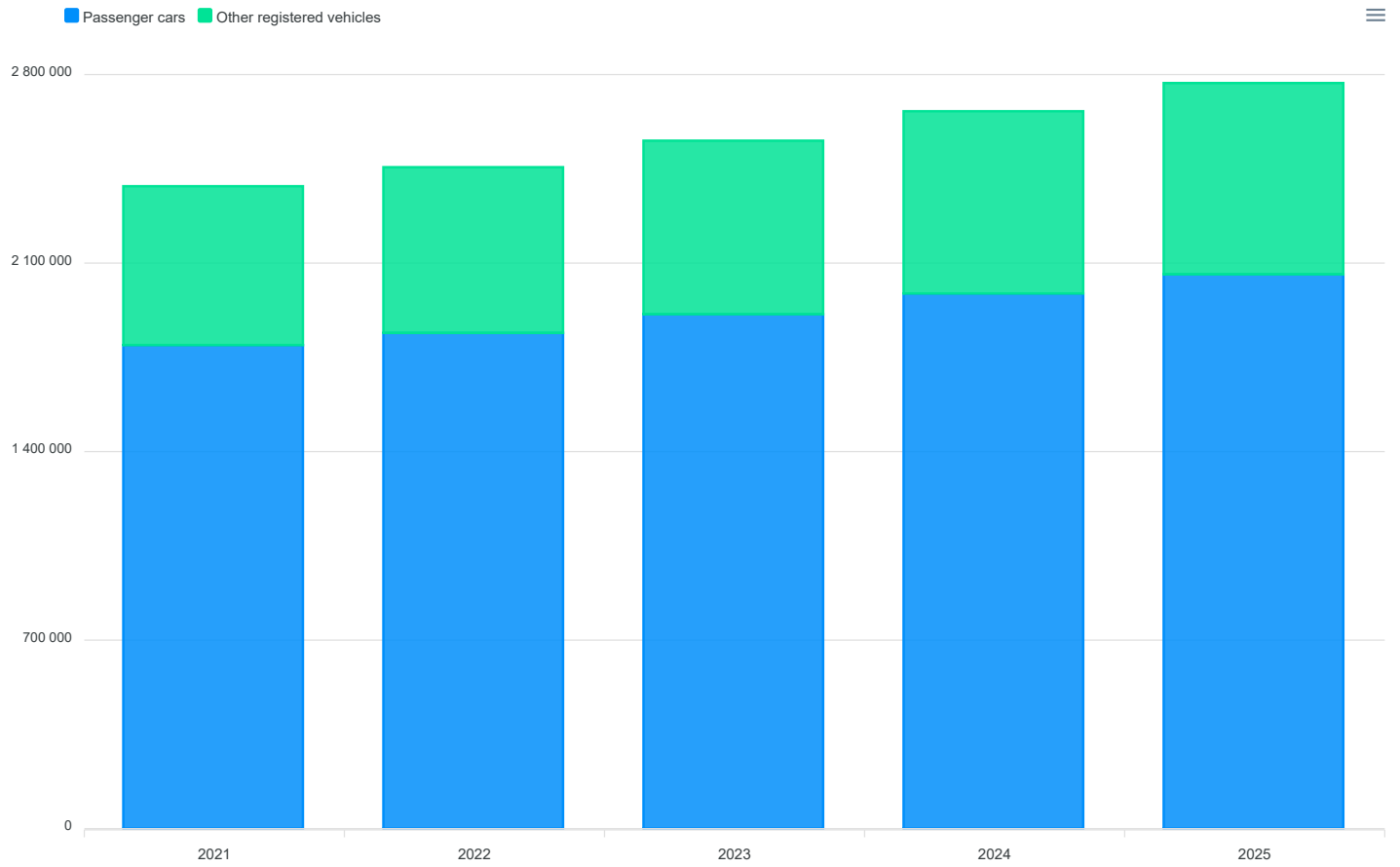
Increase in the number of deaths in road traffic accidents in the Republic of Croatia

In 2025, there were 11 057 road traffic accidents with casualties, which was 3.0% more than in 2024.

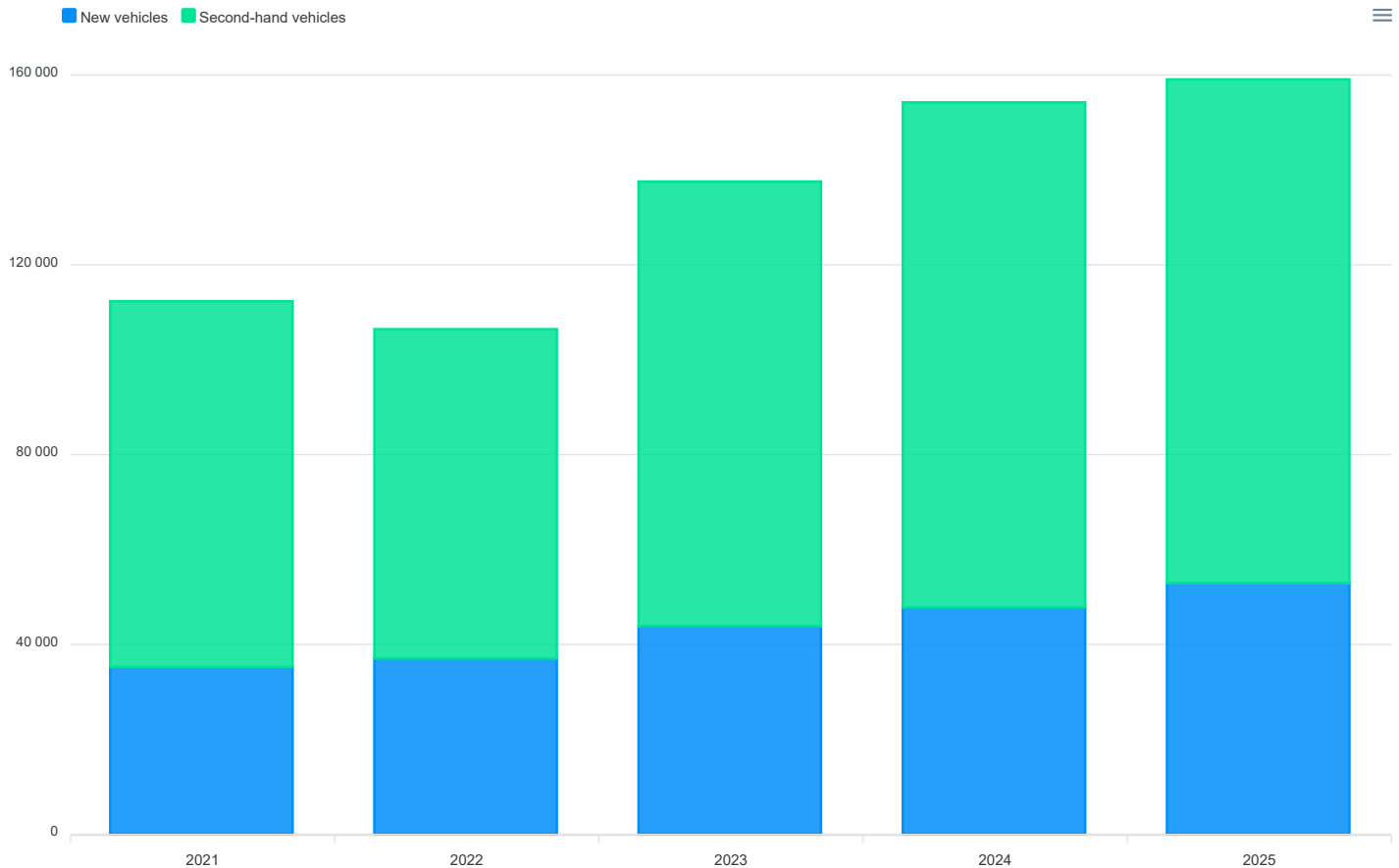
A total of **261 persons** were killed in road traffic accidents in 2025, which was **9.2% more** than in 2024.

The number of injured persons amounted to 14 422, which was 0.9% more than in 2024.

G-1 REGISTERED ROAD VEHICLES, 2021 – 2025



G-2 FIRST REGISTRATION OF PASSENGER CARS, 2021 – 2025



1 REGISTERED ROAD VEHICLES, SITUATION AS ON 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Total		Natural persons		Legal entities	
	All	First registration	All	First registration	All	First registration
Mopeds	70 310	3 228	63 809	2 310	6 501	918
Motorcycles	122 559	14 857	113 244	12 793	9 315	2 064
Passenger cars	2 058 313	159 093	1 784 890	95 348	273 423	63 745
Buses	6 245	908	76	4	6 169	904
Lorries	250 689	23 361	77 718	5 593	172 971	17 768
Road tractors	18 047	2 555	142	3	17 905	2 552
Special purpose vehicles	19 602	1 499	4 221	228	15 381	1 271
Agricultural tractors	156 452	7 967	128 271	4 784	28 181	3 183
Trailers	46 754	4 075	24 646	1 870	22 108	2 205
Semi-trailers	19 504	1 859	804	18	18 700	1 841

Source: Ministry of the Interior

2 ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS, 2025

	2024	2025	Indices <u>2025</u> 2024
Road traffic accidents with casualties, number	10 734	11 057	103,0
Persons killed, number	239	261	109,2
Persons injured, number	14 297	14 422	100,9

Source: Ministry of the Interior

NOTES ON METHODOLOGY

Sources and methods of data collection

Data on the number of registered motor vehicles and trailers and road traffic accidents are supplied by the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Croatia.

Coverage

Data on vehicles registered for the first time include brand new vehicles as well as second-hand vehicles registered in the Republic of Croatia.

Data on the number of killed and injured persons in traffic accidents cover all participants in traffic accidents on the territory of the Republic of Croatia, irrespective of their citizenship. A person killed in a traffic accident is any person who died at the scene of the accident or from the effects of the accident on the territory of the Republic of Croatia within 30 days, irrespective of citizenship.

Definitions

Motor vehicle is a vehicle that drives by using its own means of propulsion, except for vehicles on rails.

Moped is a two-, three- or four-wheeled road vehicle, which is fitted with an engine having a cylinder capacity of less than 50 cc and a maximum authorised speed of not more than 50 km/hour on a flat road.

Motorcycle is a two-wheeled road motor vehicle with or without a sidecar, or a three- or four-wheeled motor vehicle not exceeding 400 kg.

Passenger car is a road motor vehicle intended for the carriage of passengers, which has, except the seat for the driver, a maximum of eight seats.

Bus is a road motor vehicle intended for the carriage of passengers, which has, except the seat for the driver, more than eight seats.

Lorry is a road motor vehicle intended primarily to carry goods.

Road tractor is a road motor vehicle intended primarily to haul other road vehicles which are not power-driven (mainly semi-trailers).

Special purpose vehicle is a road motor vehicle designed for purposes other than the carriage of passengers or goods.

Agricultural tractor is a motor vehicle designed for hauling, pushing or carrying exchangeable tools, or for running these tools, or for hauling trailers.

Trailer is a towed vehicle designed in such a way that its total loaded weight is transferred to the road through its axles.

Abbreviations

cc	cubic centimetre
kg	kilogram
km	kilometre

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