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## ABSTRACT

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A traffic conflict is defined as a hazardous situation in which an accident is avoided by evasive action by the driver of one of the vehicles. Research on the use of conflicts as a traffic engineering tool has been focused on attempts to correlate conflicts and accidents so that conflicts, which occur more frequently than accidents, can be used as a basis for predicting future accidents. Several stratifications and/or refinements to conflict measures have been introduced to achieve better correlation, but the use of driver characteristics has not been used in these research studies.

The objectives of this study were to determine the driver characteristics that are overrepresented in conflict involved drivers when compared to all Saudi Arabian drivers; the relationship of these characteristics to types of conflict; and the interrelationships between types of conflict and traffic control at the intersection. A final objective was to determine the possibility of predicting future conflicts by knowing the mix of driver characteristics at an urban intersection.

Conflict involved drivers observed at six different locations were found to possess similar characteristics, indicating that there is a pattern which defines hazardous drivers. Age was the single variable which explained the greatest variation in conflict involvement, but nationality, occupation, past accident experience and driver training



were also significantly correlated with conflicts. Thus, predicting future conflict by knowing the mix of driver characteristics may be possible, but larger samples and more research is needed to achieve better correlation of variables in the multiple regression model.

The relationships between driver characteristics and conflicts found in this study were similar to relationships known to exist between driver characteristics and accidents. Thus, it appears that conflicts may be used to identify hazardous intersections when past accident records are not available.

Another conclusion reached in this study was that there are significant differences in the conflict rate depending on the training received by the driver. It appears that more strict driver licensing and enforcement of traffic regulations would decrease the conflict rate, and presumably the accident rate, in Saudi Arabia.

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## CHAPTER 1

### 1.1 Introduction

The prediction of intersection accidents has long been a goal of transportation research. Much of this research has been focused on attempts to develop techniques for predicting accidents as a basis for implementing safety standards to prevent or minimize these accidents.

Traditionally, accident records have been used as a measure of the hazardousness of intersections. The fact that an accident may be the result of a driver's error, a defective vehicle, an inappropriate roadway condition, inadequate or improper traffic control devices, inadequate design, or a combination of these factors, however, makes it difficult to accurately predict future accidents based on past accidents. Also, the fact that accident records may be distorted, incorrect, not readily available or not statistically reliable, adds to the difficulty of developing adequate models from these records.

Researchers have acknowledged the need for new methods to predict the number of accidents expected at any given intersection. Most of the research work in this area has attempted to use some measure of traffic exposure as a predictive variable. The most common exposure measures have been the volume, or the volume to capacity ratio. However, neither of these measures capture the influence of geometric features on accident rates.

One of the newest methods proposed as a basis for accident prediction is the Traffic Conflict Technique. A traffic conflict is defined as a hazardous situation in which an accident is avoided by evasive

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action by one or both drivers to avoid a collision. A conflict is identified by the occurrence of evasive actions (such as braking or weaving to avoid an impending accident) or a traffic violation. A traffic violation is defined in accordance with the uniform traffic code, and is considered a traffic conflict even if no other vehicle is in close proximity to the violator.

Twelve conflict types have traditionally been used at intersections and are defined as follows (53):

1. Left turn, same direction: A left turn, same direction conflict occurs when an instigating vehicle slows to make a left turn, thus placing a following, conflicted vehicle in jeopardy of a rear-end collision.

2. Right turn, same direction: A right turn, same direction conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle slows to make a right turn, thus placing a following, conflicted vehicle in jeopardy of a rear-end collision.

3. Slow vehicle, same direction: A slow vehicle, same direction conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle slows while approaching or passing through an intersection, thus placing a following vehicle in jeopardy of a rear-end collision.

4. Lane change: A lane change conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle changes from one lane to another, thus placing a following, conflicted vehicle in the new lane in jeopardy of a rear-end or side-swipe collision.

5. Opposing left turn: An opposing left turn conflict situation occurs when an oncoming vehicle makes a left turn, thus placing the conflicted vehicle in jeopardy of a head-on or broadside collision.

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traffic from right situation occurs when an instigating vehicle approaching from the right makes a right turn, thus placing the conflicted vehicle in jeopardy of a broadside or rear-end collision.

7. Left turn cross traffic, from left: A left turn cross traffic from left conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle approaching from the left makes a left turn, thus placing a conflicted vehicle in jeopardy of a broadside or rear-end collision.

8. Left turn cross traffic, from right: A left turn cross traffic from right conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle approaching from the right makes a left turn, thus placing the conflicted vehicle in jeopardy of a broadside collision.

9. Thru cross traffic, from left: A thru cross traffic from left conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle approaching from the left crosses in front of a conflicted vehicle, thus placing it in jeopardy of a broadside collision.

10. Thru cross traffic, from right: A thru cross traffic from right conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle approaching from the right crosses in front of the conflicted vehicle, thus placing it in jeopardy of a broadside collision.

11. U-Turns: A U-Turn conflict situation occurs when an instigating vehicle makes a U-Turn in the vicinity of an intersection in front of a conflicted vehicle, thus placing it in jeopardy of a collision.

12. Disobeying red light or stop sign: This traffic violation occurs when an instigating vehicle violates the uniform traffic code.

Whenever a vehicle is involved in more than one observed conflict, each type of conflict is recorded for that vehicle.

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1. Right angle conflicts: the sum of conflict counts for:
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  - c. Disobeying red light or stop sign.
2. Rear end conflicts: the sum of conflict counts for:
  - a. Left turn, same direction.
  - b. Right turn, same direction.
  - c. Slow vehicle.
3. Turning conflicts: the sum of conflict counts for:
  - a. Opposing left turn.
  - b. Right turn cross traffic, from right.
  - c. Left turn cross traffic, from left.
  - d. Left turn cross traffic, from right.
  - e. U-Turns.
4. Side swipe conflicts: the sum of conflicts counts for lane change conflicts.

Research on the use of this technique has attempted to correlate conflicts and accidents so conflicts, which occur more frequently than accidents, can be used as a basis for predicting future accidents. If this correlation can be verified, conflicts can be used to identify potential hazards and operational deficiencies, and to evaluate traffic improvements.

Although the traffic conflict technique has been studied for more than ten years, there are still many components that have not been thoroughly investigated. For example, insufficient research has been conducted on characteristics of conflict involved drivers (those who contribute heavily to conflicts). This research is directed toward

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the study of the characteristics of conflict involved drivers, and the relationships of these characteristics to the number and type of conflicts.

Although the scope of this research does not include the testing of conflict-accident relationships, an accident is simply a conflict where the evasive action was too little or too late, and accidents and conflicts should be statistically related.

Glauz and Miglez (53) argued that most attempts to find strong correlations between conflicts and accidents have been unsuccessful for one or more of the following reasons:

1. Not all intersection accidents are reported, and the reported accidents may have happened at different times than when conflicts were measured.
2. Not all intersection accidents are the types representative of the conflicts measured.
3. Not all accident data used by previous researches was statistically repeatable.
4. Conflict definitions have not been precise enough to ensure interobserver reliability, and there have been various interpretations of these definitions.

## 1.2 The Problem

The objective of all highway safety programs is to reduce the number of accidents and fatalities which occur each year. Previous accident studies examined such factors as the characteristics of the roadway, the vehicle, and the environment and how each of these contribute to the occurrence of accidents. However, insufficient attention has been given to one of the basic elements of traffic accidents, the driver.

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Recent studies have shown that there exists a 'pattern' among drivers involved in traffic accidents, and that certain driver characteristics are overrepresented in persons involved in accidents. Although several authors have looked at the possibility of predicting future accidents using individual characteristics, the literature contained little information on the potential for using characteristic 'patterns' as a basis for predicting future accidents.

In the literature review, no studies were found of the characteristics of conflict involved drivers or attempts to identify those characteristics that are overrepresented in conflicts.

### 1.3 Objectives of This Study

This study was designed to achieve the following objectives:

1. To determine driver characteristics that are overrepresented in conflict involved drivers when compared to all drivers.
2. To determine the relationship between drivers' characteristics and types of conflicts.
3. To determine the contribution of each conflict type to total conflicts at urban intersections.
4. To examine the possibility of predicting the number of conflicts and their types by knowing the mix of driver characteristics.

The importance of this research lies in the potential use of the results to establish a new basis for predicting future conflicts, and ultimately, future accidents.

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## CHAPTER 2

### LITERATURE REVIEW

The distribution of traffic accidents in time and space, factors which contribute to or are correlated with accidents, and the potential value of traffic control devices in reducing accidents have all been the subject of extensive research. A large number of accident prediction models using various surrogate measures (mostly exposure related) have been used to explain these variations in traffic accidents. In contrast, a relatively small number of published articles have discussed the use of driver characteristics in accident prediction models even though these variables generally are strongly correlated with accident frequencies.

The literature review was conducted to determine whether sufficient evidence of a relationship between accidents and conflicts, and accidents and driver characteristics, exist. The relationships discussed by other authors was then used to develop the hypothesis to be tested in this study.

#### 2.1 Exposure Measures

Intersection accidents account for more than 50 percent of the total accidents in many nations, which gives the 'intersection' a world wide priority in finding accident prediction procedures and remedial measures (3).

Traffic accidents are the most direct measure of safety deficiencies at intersections. However, postponing potential safety improvements until an accident history has evolved delays the implementation of accident reduction measures. The lack of reliable accident records, due to incomplete records or errors in coding either important accident

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facts or the precise accident location, contributes to the insufficiencies in using accidents alone as a basis for safety improvements.

Several individuals and agencies have tried to find a solution to this problem by introducing new methods to estimate the expected number of accidents at intersections. Some of the early studies like Jorgensen (4) and Hall (5) calculated the expected number of accidents on the basis of the number of vehicle-kilometers within the intersection. However, the risk per kilometer travelled at intersections was not a satisfactory measure, since the number of accidents at intersections is dependent on more factors than volume and the width of the intersection.

This lack of success led to more sophisticated methods of predicting accidents at intersections based on a combination of measures of exposure. These studies used mathematical functions based on the stream flows passing through an intersection as the measure of exposure, and compared accident occurrences with this calculated exposure. Accidents and flows were compared for many locations and regression equations derived which correlated with the observed accident occurrences.

Thorson (8), for example, defined exposure as the sum of all vehicles entering the intersection. He theorized that the number of accidents that occurred at each intersection divided by this sum would provide a basis for comparing the hazardousness of intersections of different types. However, this too was proved to be unacceptable as it does not consider all the factors that effect accidents.

Several researchers defined exposure as a probability distribution based on the number of opportunities of being involved in an accident at the intersection. Mathewson and Brenner (6) and Breuning and Bone (7) were among the first to point out the difference between exposure on a road situation, which is related to distance travelled, and

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exposure at intersections, which is related to the maneuvers through the intersection. They suggest that an exposure index at intersections should take into account the flows on each crossing, merging, or diverging path.

These studies led to several measures of exposure being used to predict collisions at intersections. The following paragraphs summarize briefly what has been accomplished with these models; the traffic conflict technique will be discussed in more detail later in this chapter.

Early research on exposure was reported by Feuchtinger (13), Raff (14), Thorson (8), and Breuning and Bone (7). Each found that the number of accidents per vehicle was lower for locations with a high measure of exposure than for locations with a low measure of exposure. In each of these studies, however, measures of exposure were found by observing traffic at different locations rather than by taking observations at one location over different time periods. Thus, this phenomenon may be explained by the fact that locations with higher flows generally are built to higher design levels than those with lower flows. Thus none of these studies can claim to have shown conclusively the effect of flow on the ratio of accidents per vehicle.

McDonald (15) and Thorson (8) found that accident risks do not vary much between heavily travelled intersections, even though the flows varied widely. For the intersections they studied, there does not seem to be a strong case for the use of the sum of entering traffic as a measure of exposure.

Grossman (10) calculated the number of locations where one traffic stream crossed another traffic stream in an intersection, added the flows for each stream, and summed this over all locations and used it as the measure of exposure. This measure was used to compare different

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intersection layouts. However, these models have not calibrated well with accident experience, indicating that not all traffic stream crossings are equally hazardous.

A second group of researchers used the product of conflicting flows as a measure of exposure. This measure takes into account the number of times vehicles from different directions wish to occupy the same area of road space simultaneously. Surti (11) proposed using this product from a number of points (depending on type of intersection) where potential collisions may take place as a basis for an accident exposure index. The essential parameters for this model are: number of conflict points, ADT, and time. Time is a measure of the period of exposure to conflict and can be arbitrary since it only has a relative value. The purpose of Surti's work was to determine an "exposure index" for each of the conflict points to develop a general equation for the entire intersection.

Surti (16) followed his initial work by using the same points concept and adding merging maneuvers to test the model. He considered, however, the same likelihood of accidents for different maneuvers.

Chapman (17) agreed with the use of the product rather than the sum of flows as an exposure measure, but added that the square root of the product may be a better predictor of accident occurrences. McDonald (15) was among the leading researchers to use the square root of the product of flows as a measure of exposure. He studied intersections between a divided highway and a cross street and obtained a relation between the number of accidents per year ' $A_v$ ', the average daily traffic entering from the divided highway ' $V_d$ ', and the cross street traffic ' $V_c$ ':

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Thrope (21), in an investigation of accident rates at signalized intersections, related the number of accidents to the square root of the product of entering traffic, but did not justify the use of such a measure for signalized intersections, where the two traffic streams are separated by time.

Webb (20) developed graphs (for urban, semi-urban, and rural sites) for signalized intersections, showing the average expected number of accidents per year according to a non-linear function of the average daily main road and minor road traffic. This study, like those of Raff (14) and others, was based on single data points from many locations rather than many data points for a single location. Thus the cause-effect relationship cannot be determined.

Gwynn (12) conducted one of the most comprehensive studies of the relationship between accident rates (or involvement) and hourly volumes. Although this was a highway (not an urban intersection) study, it demonstrated that accident rates and traffic volumes do not parallel each other. This may be related to the fact that there is a tendency for a disproportionately high accident rate to occur during the hours with the lowest volumes (early morning hours). This is followed by a decrease in accident rate with an intermediate traffic flow, an increase in accidents with an increase in volume up to a point of congestion, and then the accident rate again falls off, even though the volume of traffic continues to increase. This study illustrated the fact that a stable relationship between exposure and accidents probably does not exist unless other conditions are eliminated from the analysis

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(such as a high number of drivers under the influence of alcohol between midnight and 5:00 a.m., congested traffic). Thus, it is not surprising that attempts to develop accident predictive models based on exposure measures have not been successful.

## 2.2 Accident Patterns

Intersection accident patterns have proven to be very stable over time and in many different traffic situations. Intersection accidents account for a high and relatively constant percentage of total accidents in many nations. Smeed (3) reported that in Great Britain over 50% of all injury accidents in 1970 occurred in urban intersections. In France, intersection accidents accounted for more than 45% of total injury accidents in 1972; in Denmark 38% in 1973; in Ireland 44% in 1973; in Holland 44% in 1971; and in the United States an average of 41% of all reported accidents between 1971 and 1979 occurred at intersections.

Accident statistics published by the National Safety Council show little variation in the number of accidents when classified by type of collision over a period of ten years (see Table 1). The statistics also show a constant pattern in the type of accidents, with angle accidents having the highest frequency, followed by rear-end accidents and left turn accidents.

The effect of intersection geometry on accidents has also been studied extensively. In one two-year study to find relationships between motor vehicle accidents and the geometric and traffic features of highway intersections, Stanford Research Institute analyzed 558 intersections (57). The results were similar to the National Safety Council statistics as they found that angle accident rates are the highest for all types of intersections followed by rear-end accidents and weaving

and turning accidents. Table 2 presents the percentages of collisions by type for different geometrics and traffic control at intersections. Thus, if a particular intersection is experiencing an abnormal accident history, some other factors must be contributing to these accidents.

### 2.3 Driver Characteristics

There have been fewer studies reported on the relationship between accidents and the driver. Yet the characteristics of drivers, their capabilities and their driving skills are important factors that affect accidents. The National Safety Council concluded that an average of 88 percent of all accidents at urban intersections were a result of improper driving (58). Table 3 presents the percentages of different faulty driving techniques that caused accidents over a ten year period compiled by the National Safety Council.

In an attempt to find an easily measurable, yet reliable, surrogate measure of an accident prone driver, Spicer (26) examined the difference in car following behavior (as measured by the time gap between vehicles) between drivers with accident records and the general driving public. This study concluded that the smaller the following gap, the higher the probability of prior involvement in accidents. In the same study, Spicer also analyzed the relationship between intersection accidents and drivers age. He concluded that a crossing maneuver involving a young driver on the major road and an older driver on the minor road is more likely to result in accidents than any other combination of age groups.

Siebrecht, Schumacher, and Lauer (22) made a comparison of two samples of drivers. The first was taken in 1950 and the second three years later from the vehicle license files in Iowa. A follow-up mail survey was sent to all individuals in the samples. The survey included

Type of Accident	year	1970 <sup>1</sup>	1971 <sup>1</sup>	1972 <sup>1</sup>	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	Average $\bar{x}_n$	Variance
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TABLE 1. Two Motor Vehicle Accidents at Urban Intersections

Type of Accident	Year	1970 <sup>1</sup>	1971 <sup>1</sup>	1972 <sup>1</sup>	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	Average %	Variance
Total - Urban Intersections % of All Urban Accidents		36.5	36.5	36.5	41.9	38.2	40.0	45.7	44.1	43.1	40.8	41.3	3.1
Entering at Angle		17.4	17.4	17.4	18.3	20.2	23.1	22.5	22.3	21.2	19.7	20.6	2.1
Both Going Straight		3.0	3.0	3.0	4.1	2.7	2.4	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.8	.58
One Turn, One Straight		3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.5	.18
One Stopped		5.1	5.1	5.1	7.4	4.8	7.3	8.3	7.5	6.5	5.2	6.5	1.3
All Others		0.9	0.9	0.9	1.3	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.0	.28
Both Going Straight		1.1	1.1	1.1	2.5	1.9	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	.98	.80
One Left, One Straight		5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	4.1	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.3	4.7	.40
All Others		0.4	0.4	0.4	0.8	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.7	2.0	2.9	1.5	.76

Source: Accident Facts, National Safety Council Based on State Traffic Authorities Reports

<sup>1</sup> The figures given in 1970, 1971, 1972 show no variations which introduces the probability of being biased.  
Only one of these figures is included in the average and variance calculation which reduces the sample to 8.

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TABLE 2. Percentage Accident Rate by Type of Collision and Intersection Type

Collision Type	All Intersections	Signal	Stop	Cross	Tee
Right Angle	24	34.6	20.0	29.7	12.4
Turning	4	2.6	4.2	2.2	4.7
Rear End	15.4	22.8	14.1	14.6	17.6
Head On	2.6	2.3	1.0	2.2	1.6
Sideswipe	8.4	10.2	3.7	10.3	6.7
Others (Driveway, Pedestrian, etc.)	45.6	27.5	57	41	57

Source: Stanford Research Institute (57).  
Transferred from bar graphs.





TABLE 3. Percentages of Faulty Driving Techniques

Kind of Improper Driving	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79
Total Improper Driving	93.8	93.6	85.8	86.9	87.1	91.1	86.6	82.0	86.6	86.8
Disregarded Signal	4.6	4.0	3.7	3.9	3.8	5.8	6.1	4.6	4.3	4.5
Drove Left of Center	3.0	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	3.0	2.8	2.2	2.6	2.7
Followed Too Closely	12.8	13.2	14.3	14.0	14.0	15.0	12.1	8.8	10.3	9.3
Made Improper Turn	4.1	4.8	4.1	4.6	4.7	5.4	4.9	4.0	4.6	5.0

Source: Accident Facts, National Safety Council. Based on State Traffic Authorities Reports.

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data on the methods of learning to drive, mileage driven yearly, educational level, and other information. The authors concluded:

1. Violations and accidents are closely correlated and records of violations give a fair index of potential accidents.
2. About one person in four has an accident record and the same ratio holds true for violations.
3. A higher percentage of accidents involve men under 30 than other age groups.
4. The hypothesis that accidents are distributed equally among age groups is rejected.

Lynn (23) indicated that there is evidence to support the fact that accidents do not occur completely by chance but rather according to a demographic pattern. For example, in 1970, males between the age of 20 and 24 comprised 10.1% of all males in Virginia and 5% of the total population of the state. However, this demographic group comprised 20.7% of all male accident fatalities during the same year. Lynn gave other examples and concluded that certain demographic variables can be used to predict accident patterns.

Waller and Koch (27) evaluated accident data and types of driving exposure in terms of sociodemographic variables. They found that more highly educated individuals drive more than those with less education but there was no significant difference in the accident rate.

Plez and Schuman (28) found that among young drivers, those who were alienated from the educational system (dropouts, poor grades) had more accidents and incurred more violations.

Baker (29) found that more males and more young drivers were at fault in fatal accidents and that lower economic class drivers were also

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McGuire (59) compiled data on 2,799 drivers in an attempt to identify personal characteristics of drivers that possessed a causal relationship to accident-producing behavior. The study reported a multiple correlation between characteristics of drivers and accidents, with the highest observed simple R values corresponding to age (.38), occupation (.38), and income (.30), among 29 other tested variables.

All of these studies indicate that there are driver characteristics related to accidents which if known in advance, could be used in accident prediction models. However, many of these characteristics can only be determined through interviews with drivers involved in accidents or stopped at a survey station. Unless the distribution of these characteristics can be determined, it is not possible to determine the relative hazardness of intersections.

#### 2.4 Traffic Conflicts

Traffic conflict analysis has been proposed as a method of addressing these concerns. Because traffic conflicts are measured on-site, variations due to different driver characteristics or changing volumes can be captured in the data. The adoption of this technique, however, has been limited by the lack of research indicating that these conflicts are strongly related to accidents.

The traffic conflict technique was developed by Perkins and Harris (30) to be used as a dynamic tool in evaluating accident potential and operational deficiencies of intersections. Using this technique, it was hypothesized that intersections could be evaluated with no accident data. Instead, the safety evaluation would be based on the observed conflict frequencies at the intersection.

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Since this initial paper on the traffic conflict technique, researchers have directed their studies in two main areas:

1. Studies concerned with finding relationships between accidents and conflicts.
2. Studies using the technique to identify potential hazards and operational deficiencies at intersections, and to substantiate the value of operational traffic improvements by measuring a reduction in conflict frequency or rate.

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), in cooperation with the State Highway Departments of Washington, Ohio and Virginia, evaluated the traffic conflict technique in an effort to find statistical relationships between accidents and conflicts. Their objectives were also to field test the technique to determine if conflict data provided information advantageous to pinpointing the need for safety improvements at intersections. The studies concluded the following (31):

1. The hypothesis that conflicts and accidents are associated is accepted.
2. Safety deficiencies at intersections can be described more quickly and reliably by using the traffic conflict technique than by conventional methods.
3. The traffic conflict technique costs less than conventional methods for finding intersection deficiencies and operational problems, and is also useful in analyzing spot improvements (before/after studies).

Paddock and Spence (32) developed prediction equations to estimate the number of accidents expected over a two year period using conflicts (and additional parameters) as components of these equations. Equations (1) and (2) were developed from their data for signalized and



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non-signalized intersections respectively:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{AP2Y} = & 1.1653 + 11.6345 (\text{ADT}) - .0503 (\text{CPT}) \\ & - .0321 (\text{RROPP}) + .0387 (\text{OCP02}) \\ & + 0.285 (\text{TTOPP}) - .02255 (\text{OPOPP}) \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{AP2Y} = & 0.36 + \text{ADT} (22.3568 + 17.773 (\text{SPLIT}) \\ & - 36.7045 (\text{ADT})^{\frac{1}{2}} - 1.6785 (\text{SPLIT})^2 \\ & + 18.2544 (\text{ADT}) - .0264 (\text{OPOPP}) + .8385 (\text{OPCON}) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where

AP2Y = Accidents predicted in 2 years

ADT = Average Daily Traffic in 10,000's

SPLIT = Ratio of the sum of the cross volume to the approach volume

CPT = Total of conflicts/10 opportunities

OPOPP = Opposing conflict opportunities (opportunity is a term used to denote traffic volume)

RROPP = Rear-end conflict opportunities

OPCON = Opposing conflicts

TTOPP = Total conflict opportunities

OCP02 = Square of opposing conflicts/10 opportunities

The regression equations had a prediction error for all points (611 locations, 220 signalized, and 391 nonsignalized intersections) of  $\pm 4.2$  accidents/year at a 95% confidence level.

Glennon (33) pointed out that these equations are based more on traffic volume counts (ADT, SPLIT, OPOPP, RROPP, AND TTOPP) than the conflict counts OPCON, OCP02 and CPT). In fact, in equation (1), the number of accidents is negatively correlated with conflicts (CPT and OCP02). Thus, the use of these regression equations adds little to the exposure based models discussed earlier.

All studies of conflict rates did not reach the same conclusion. Cooper (37) and Glennon (33) found that conflicts are very much volume dependent and could not account for differences in accidents when corrected for exposure. They argued that studies which concluded strong association between accidents and conflicts are either brief and not statistically reliable, or have disregarded important parameters that may explain the association (such as site parameters).

Not all conflicts are, in fact, near accidents. Drivers vary in their response to other vehicles, some braking when it would not be necessary to avoid a collision, for example. In an attempt to gain reliability, Spicer (34,35,36) classified conflicts by severity (routine, moderate, and severe) and attempted to find relationships between severe conflicts and intersection accidents. He concluded that using only severe conflicts improves the prediction equation. However, accidents at only six intersections were included in this analysis.

Hayward (53) used Time Measured to Collision (TMTc) as another method of identifying conflicts. TMTc is defined as "the time required for two vehicle to collide if they continue at their present speeds on the same path." This too improves the reliability of prediction equations by reducing the variation due to a driver related response in the equation.

A second type of research used the Traffic Conflict Technique to identify potential hazards and operational deficiencies of highways and intersections. Findings from these studies were used to justify and substantiate the value of many types of operational traffic improvements. This use seems to have had more success with the Traffic Conflict Technique.

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Technique in practice are:

1. Before and after improvement studies (38,40,41,42),
2. Construction zones (43),
3. Freeway acceleration lanes (44),
4. Freeway lane drops (45),
5. Freeway weave areas (46),
6. Intersection improvements (42,41,39,40,47,48),
7. Interchanges (49),
8. Oversize loads (50),
9. Pedestrians (51),
10. Signing and traffic signals (38,39,48,43,40,52).

The conclusion of all these studies was that traffic conflict frequencies or rates are sensitive to changes in geometry or traffic control measures. Thus, traffic conflicts appear to possess one of the properties necessary for a valid surrogate measure - that they respond to changes in the independent variable being tested. The remaining question is whether the conflict response maps reliably into an accident response, and thus can be used to make an accurate prediction of future accidents.

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## CHAPTER 3

### METHODOLOGY

As the literature review indicated, many past studies have suggested a statistical relationship between a change in the number of conflicts and accidents. In addition, research (59) (22) has identified the existence of an overrepresentation of certain characteristics among drivers involved in accidents. Therefore, it is a reasonable hypothesis that there also exists a relationship between conflict involvement and driver characteristics. This hypothesis was tested by studying the characteristics of conflict involved drivers and comparing these with the general driving public to see if they are significantly different.

#### 3.1 Location

The experiment was conducted in the Eastern province of Saudi Arabia in the city of Dammam. Dammam is about 18 kilometers from Dhahran, the home of the University of Petroleum and Minerals.

This location was chosen based on the following considerations:

1. The University's interest in this type of research and their willingness to fund the data collection phase.
2. The cooperative attitude of the Dammam police agency.
3. The availability of facilities and students to assist in the data collection activities.

#### 3.2 Choice of Intersections

Due to the extensive construction and development program in Saudi Arabia, many of Dammam's streets were under construction. The task of

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locating suitable sites to undertake the experiment was a difficult one. One day was spent touring the city, and nineteen intersections suitable for the experiment were identified. Five of those were signalized and fourteen were controlled by stop signs.

The city was then divided into three radial sections extending from the central business district. Two intersections were chosen randomly from each of the three sections, to serve as data collection sites. One of those was disqualified after the second visit and a similar intersection in the same sector was substituted for that intersections.

The intersections chosen had no obstructions to the traffic stream for at least 300 feet from the center. They all were properly signed, paved, and painted. The signalized intersections were lighted at night, and there were no observed driver distractions.

The Average Daily Traffic (ADT) at these intersections ranged from 2000 to 26000. The two signalized intersections had ADT's of 21000 and 26000, with the unsignalized intersections carrying lower volumes.

### 3.3 Observer Training

Special attention was given to the training of conflict observers for the data collection phase. Fifteen candidates were selected as possible conflict observers, and all were required to attend four training sessions designed to provide them with an overall understanding of traffic law, traffic safety, and traffic conflict techniques. The sessions consisted of movies, slides, video tapes and lectures. At the end of the last session, the candidates were taken to different intersections and each was asked to conduct volume counting, interviewing, and conflict observations.

Three of the fifteen participants were chosen as conflict observers,

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with the others assigned to volume counts or interviews.

The choice of conflict observers was based on:

1. Their background in traffic engineering. (Two were seniors, one a graduate student, all majoring in Transportation.)
2. Their attendance and participation in all of the training sessions.
3. Their understanding of the definition of traffic conflicts, and their ability to distinguish conflicts in the field.

### 3.4 Experimental Design

Each intersection was observed for three consecutive working days during which two different samples were collected.

1. Intersection population sample (subsequently referred to as sample 1).

The first day of observation at each intersection was used to collect data to identify the characteristics of the general driver population using the intersection. Three interviewers were stationed about 200 feet upstream from intersections on each approach, and for a period of twenty minutes, every tenth vehicle was stopped and the driver interviewed. The interviewers then relocated on a second approach, and the process was repeated until samples from all intersection approaches were collected.

2. Conflict involved drivers sample (subsequently referred to as sample 2).

The second and third days were used to collect data on conflict involved drivers. Conflict observers identified those vehicles that caused a particular conflict, and then signalled conflict type and make and color of that vehicle to interviewers who

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stopped and interviewed the driver. Table 8 gives the number of samples collected at each intersection.

### 3.5 Schedule of Activities

The data collection phase of this project took three weeks. The first week was devoted to training participants and selecting adequate sites, and the following two weeks were devoted to data collection.

A total of six hours of three consecutive working days were required to collect both the data for sample 1 and sample 2 at each intersection. The first two hours of the first day were used to collect the general driving population sample of each intersection with a twenty minute period designated to collect data for each approach. The same two hour period of the following two days was used to collect data on conflict involved drivers.

A minimum of seven participants for each observation period were needed to collect the required data. The participants included one conflict observer, one volume observer, three interviewers, and the two policemen.

Data collection on conflict involved drivers was designed so that data on each traffic movement is collected one time (for twenty minutes) during the total four-hour period of two consecutive days. This was accomplished by first stationing the conflict observer on the south approach and the interviewer on the north approach. The conflict observer would record all conflicts on the south approach and identify for the interviewer the subset of those drivers traveling north. After twenty minutes, the interviewer was relocated on the west approach, where the subset of conflict involved drivers turning left from the south approach were interviewed. Finally the interviewer was moved to

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the east approach to obtain the last data set. In the second hour of observation, the conflict observer relocated to the north approach and the process was repeated. The east and west approach were then used in the data collection phase on the second day of data collection for sample 2.

This accounted for all traffic movements with the use of only two police officers. Simultaneous collection of all movements was not possible because the use of communications devices by individuals other than policemen is banned in Saudi Arabia.

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## CHAPTER 4

### DATA ANALYSIS

#### 4.1 Observer Reliability

Observer reliability is essential to this experiment, since the samples are relatively small, and some analyses required the aggregation of data from different observers. To determine whether data from the various observers could be combined, a test was designed to determine if observations made by different observers were significantly different.

Two observers simultaneously recorded conflicts on eleven different occasions. In seven cases observers one and two recorded simultaneous data, and in four cases the observers were numbers one and three (see Table 4).

The Pearson's  $\chi^2$  test for goodness of fit was used to determine whether the resulting conflict counts were observer dependent. This test is used to study data which can be grouped into multiple categories across at least two dimensions. The categorization can be either scalar or vector level (contingency tables or cross tabulations), and is used to determine whether the categories are independent or whether certain levels of categories tend to be associated.

An  $r \times c$  contingency table with columns  $\sum_{i=1}^r A$ , rows  $\sum_{j=1}^c B$ , and cell frequency  $n$  is used to test the independence of A and B by calculating the value of  $\chi^2$  (60, 61):

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{\substack{\text{all} \\ \text{rc cells}}} \frac{(n_{ij} - E_{ij})^2}{E_{ij}}$$

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$n_{ij}$  = frequency of observations in cell  $A_i B_j$

$E_{ij}$  = expected frequency of  $A_i B_j = \frac{n_{i0} \times n_{0j}}{N}$  if the characteristics are independent

$n_{i0}$  = ith row total, or frequency of  $A_i$

$n_{0j}$  = jth column total, frequency of  $B_j$

$n = \sum n_{i0} = \sum n_{0j}$

The null hypothesis of independence is rejected at a specified level of significance ( $\alpha$ ), if the calculated  $\chi^2_c$  is greater than the upper tail of a  $\chi^2_f$  distribution with degrees of freedom =  $(r-1)(c-1)$ .

The null hypothesis for observer reliability was;  $H_0$ : there is no difference in conflict counts by type of conflict between observers. The null hypothesis was accepted at the  $\alpha = .1$  level of significance, and thus data from different observers could be combined for further analysis (Tables 5 and 6).

#### 4.2 Representation of Driver Characteristics

Since data on the characteristics of conflict involved drivers (sample 2) and the data on characteristics of the general driving public (sample 1) were collected on different days, an analysis was conducted to test the assumption that "drivers passing through an intersection at a specific hour during working days possess similar characteristics to drivers passing through that intersection at the same hour of other working days."

Intersection populations were sampled for each signalized intersection on the first and third working day during the specified hours of data collection. The null hypothesis that there is no difference between characteristics of the population during these days was tested.





TABLE 5. Conflict observation, reliability test for observers 1 and 2.

Conflict Type	Total Observer Counts (Seven simultaneous counts)		Total rows
	1	2	
Right Angle	21 (20.36)	19 (19.64)	40
Rear End	46 (49.87)	52 (48.13)	98
Turning	30 (30.02)	29 (28.96)	59
Side Swipe	46 (42.75)	38 (41.25)	84
Total Columns	143	138	281

Hypothesis:

$H_0$ : The frequencies counted by observers 1 and 2 are similar for each type of conflict.  $\chi^2$  calculated:  $1.16 < \chi^2_{\text{distribution}} = 7.81$  at 3 d.f.: accept  $H_0$ .

TABLE 6. Conflict observation, reliability test for observers 1 and 3.

Conflict Type	Total Observer Counts (Four simultaneous counts)		Total rows
	1	3	
Right Angle	26 (26.20)	26 (25.80)	52
Rear End	54 (55.42)	56 (54.58)	110
Turning	23 (22.17)	21 (21.83)	44
Side Swipe	30 (29.22)	28 (28.78)	58
Total Columns	133	131	264

Hypothesis:

$H_0$ : The frequencies counted by observers 1 and 3 are similar for each type of conflict.  $\chi^2_c$  calculated = .181 < 7.81 at 3 d.f.: accept  $H_0$ .



A  $\chi^2$ -test was run to test for differences between population characteristics on the first day, and population characteristics on the third day of data collected for the same intersection. The sample sizes were ( $n_1 = 99$ ,  $n_2 = 27$ ) for population samples on the first and third day respectively. Results of this test are summarized in Table 8, which indicates that there is no significant difference between drivers of the first and third day when age, nationality, trip purpose, occupation, and income are tested. The null hypothesis for these characteristics is not rejected at  $\alpha = .1$ .

When the driver characteristics "miles driven per year" and "number of accidents in the last two years" were tested, they were found to be significantly different at the  $\alpha = .1$  level. About 58% of the drivers on the first day drove < 13000 miles per year compared to 30% of the drivers on the third day, and three times as many drivers have had two or more accidents in the past two years on the third day than on the first. This implies that there is more variance in these characteristics than in the others tested, or that a different group of drivers use the road on different days.

#### 4.3 Characteristics of Hazardous Drivers

Nineteen characteristics of both conflict involved drivers, and the general driving public were collected in the field (see Appendix A). The average driver is 29 years old, with an income of about \$1100 U.S. a month. Almost sixteen percent of the drivers did not possess a valid driver's license. One of every three drivers had been involved in at least one accident in the last two years, and one of every two drivers had been involved in at least one accident since he started driving. Sixty percent of the drivers had completed a driving training course.



TABLE 7. Chi-square test of population assumption.

Characteristics of drivers	$\chi^2_T$ $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	2.706	.122
Nationality	2.706	2.015
Trip purpose	4.605	4.278
Occupation	4.605	1.717
Miles driven/year	2.706	<u>5.562*</u>
Number of accidents in past 2 years	2.605	<u>9.349</u>
Income	4.605	2.271

\*  $H_0$  is rejected for underlined characteristic.

$H_0$ : There is no difference between characteristics of drivers on different days of observation.

TABLE 8. Sample sizes for studied intersection, number of drivers interviewed in each sample for each intersection.

Intersection	Sample 1 (Intersection population sample)	Sample 2 (Conflict involved driver sample)	Double conflict involved drivers
1 Signalized	56	66	--
2 Signalized	70	64	--
3 Unsignalized	19	41	34
4 Unsignalized	20	23	8
5 Unsignalized	24	51	28
6 Unsignalized	23	51	10
<b>Total</b>			
All intersections	212	296	--
Signalized	126	130	--
Unsignalized	86	166	80

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About 40% of all drivers were professionals, followed by students (36%) and all other occupations (24%). Two of every three drivers were Saudi Arabian nationals.

#### Determination of characteristics of conflict involved drivers

In order to identify the characteristics of conflict involved drivers, it was hypothesized that conflict involved drivers possess different characteristics from that of the general driving public. The testing of this hypothesis was done in two steps:

1. By comparing the intersection population sample to that of conflict involved drivers.
2. Statistically testing the significance of the characteristics that appeared to be different from step 1.

The following paragraphs will discuss the findings of step 1, while section 4.4 will discuss the findings of step 2.

The characteristics of conflict involved drivers (sample 2) were compared to those of the general driving public (sample 1) at both signalized and non-signalized intersections (Table 14), to determine whether hazardous drivers can be identified by these characteristics.

Driver characteristics overrepresented in the conflict sample at both signalized and non-signalized intersections include the age groups < 25, the age group > 46, Middle Eastern (but non-Saudi) nationality, occupation listed as a salesman, craftsman, student, or professional driver, has completed 9 years of schooling, drives an average of 11,000 miles per year, has had two or more accidents in the past two years, and has attended a local driver training school.

On the other hand, safe drivers (those underrepresented in the conflict samples) are of the age group (26-45), of Saudi or Western

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nationality, have a professional occupation, college education, have had no accidents in the past two years, an income of \$1800 U.S. a month, and had driving training outside the Kingdom.

Several plots (1-5) were used to show the representations of different age groups in conflict involvement, in order to determine whether a certain age group contributes more to conflicts than other age groups. The graphs show that drivers of age group ( $\leq 25$  years of age) are overrepresented in conflict involvement, and that drivers of age group ( $> 45$  years of age) were slightly overrepresented in conflict involvement.

These observations support the hypothesis that there is a positive relationship between conflicts and accidents, as young drivers and drivers with an accident history were significantly more likely to be represented in the conflict sample than in the sample of the general public (see Fig. 6).

#### 4.4 Test for Driver Characteristics that Explain Conflict Involvement

Since most characteristics of the general driving public are not significantly different across test sites and samples, these data were pooled, and  $\chi^2$  tests conducted to determine whether the differences in characteristics identified in the previous section are statistically significant.

The frequency with which characteristics occur in the general population were compared to the frequency with which these same characteristics occur in drivers involved in conflicts. This comparison was conducted for data from all intersections, data from signalized intersections only, and data from unsignalized intersections only.

The sample size for each intersection is given in Table 9, and the

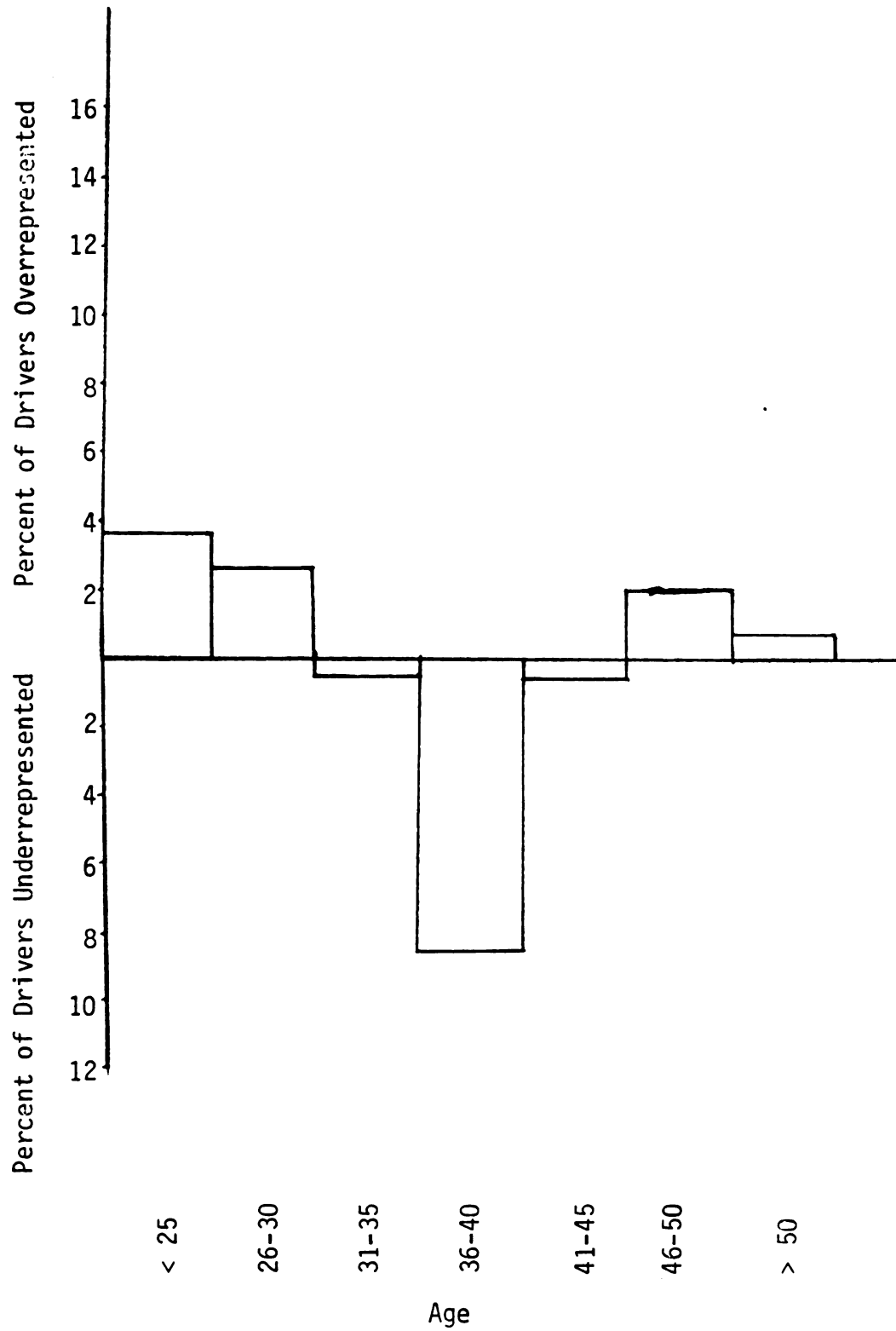


Fig. 1. Representation of driver age in conflict involvement.

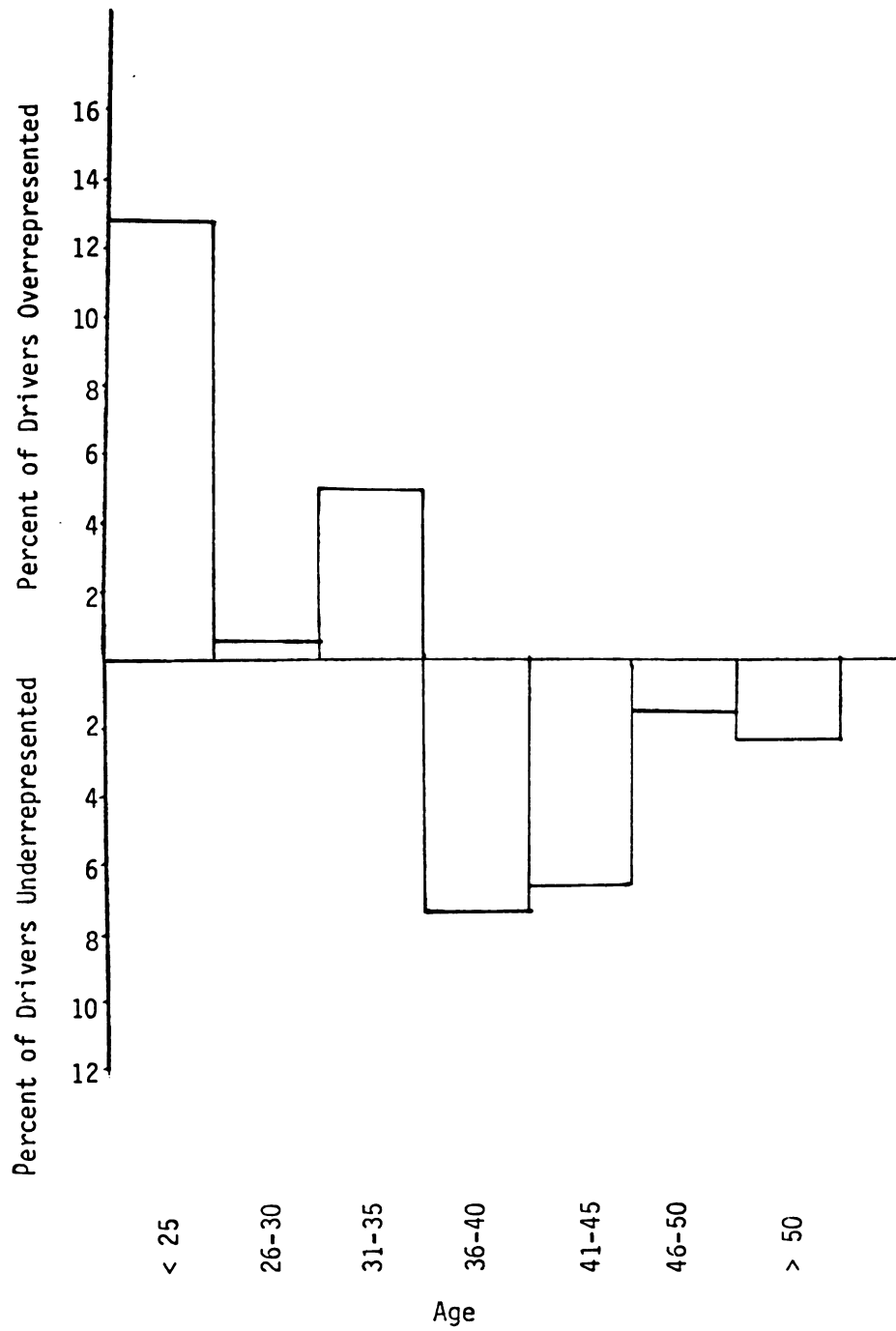


Fig. 2. Representation of driver age in turning conflict sample.

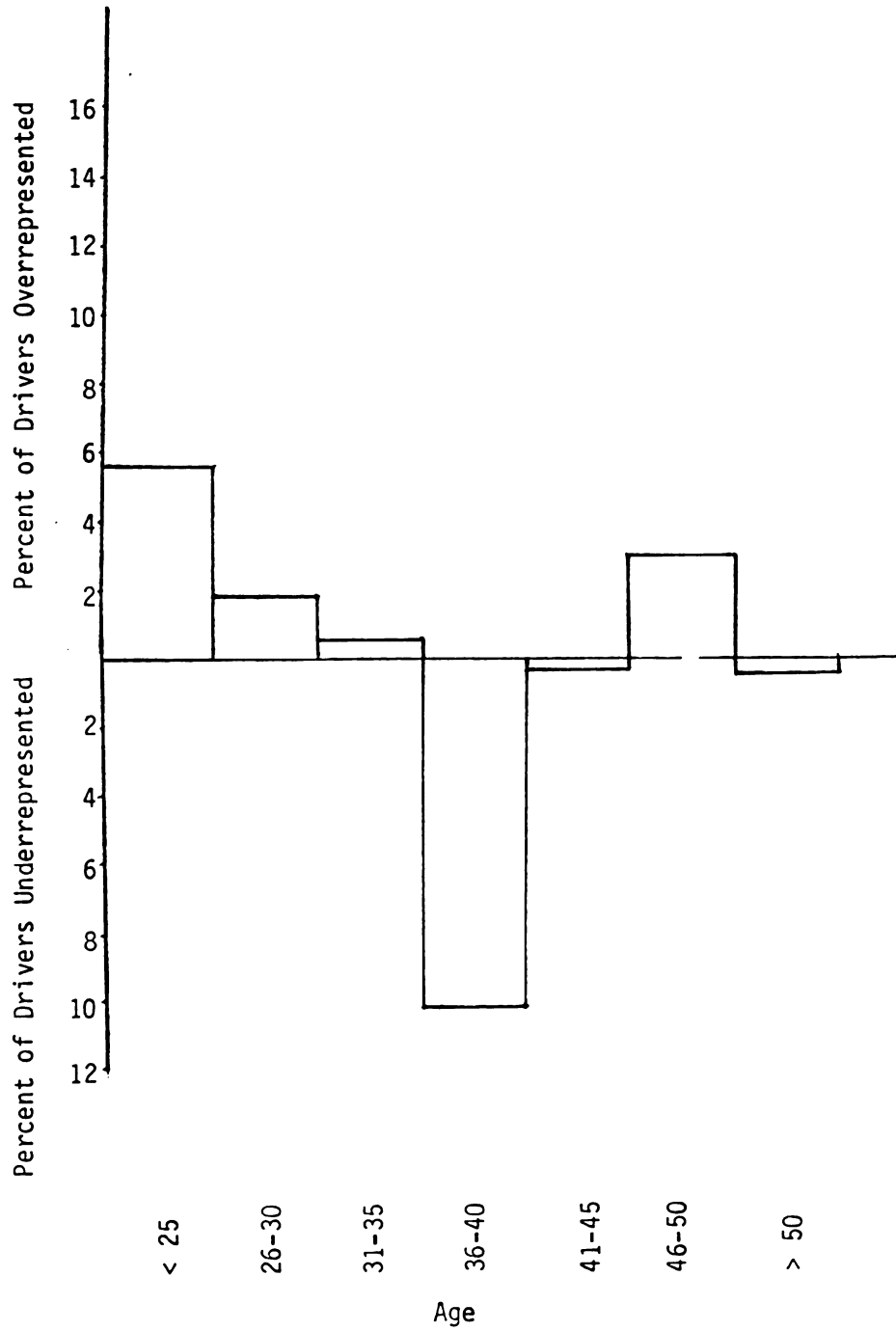


Fig. 3. Representation of driver age in right angle conflict sample.



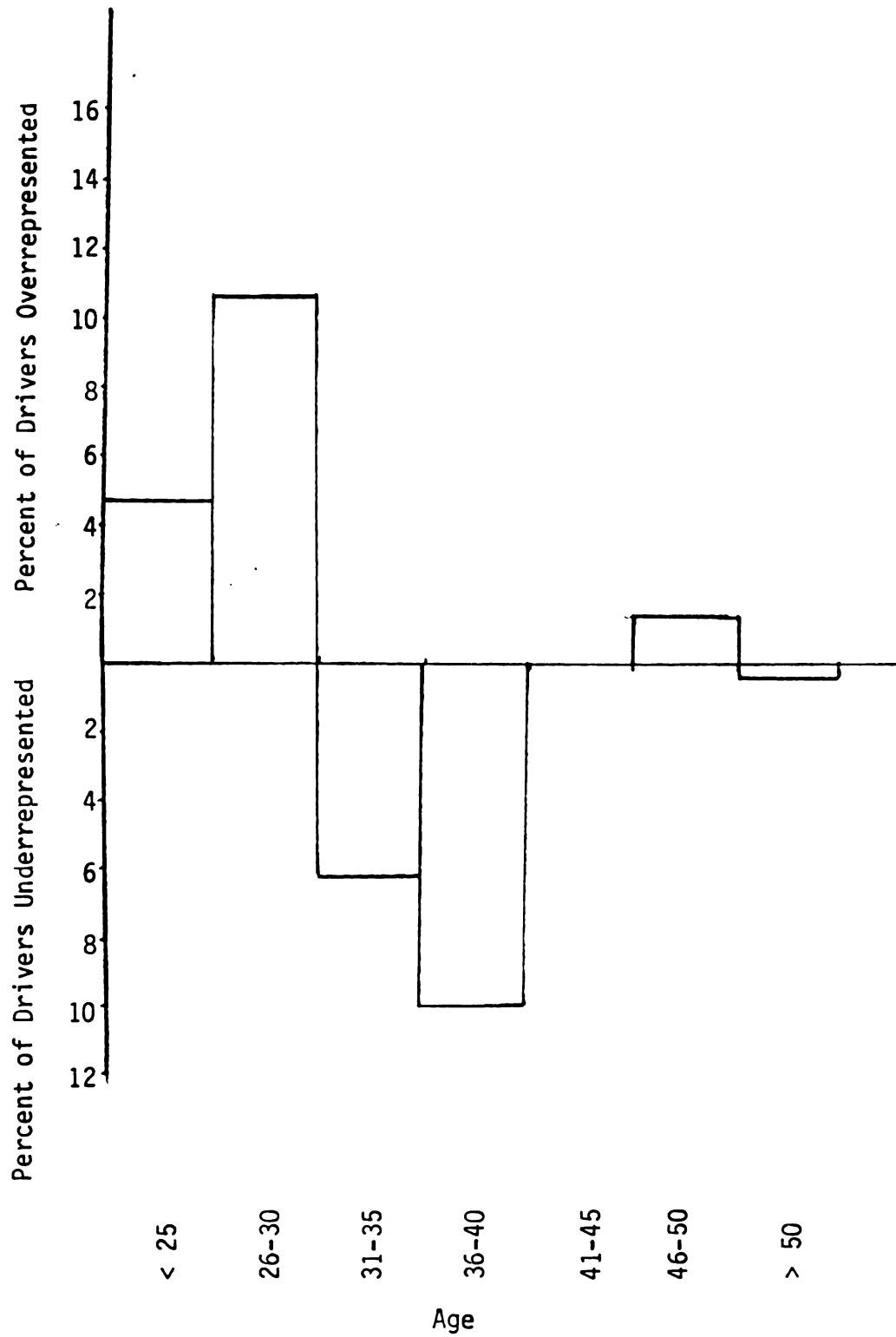


Fig. 4. Representation of driver age in side swipe conflict sample.

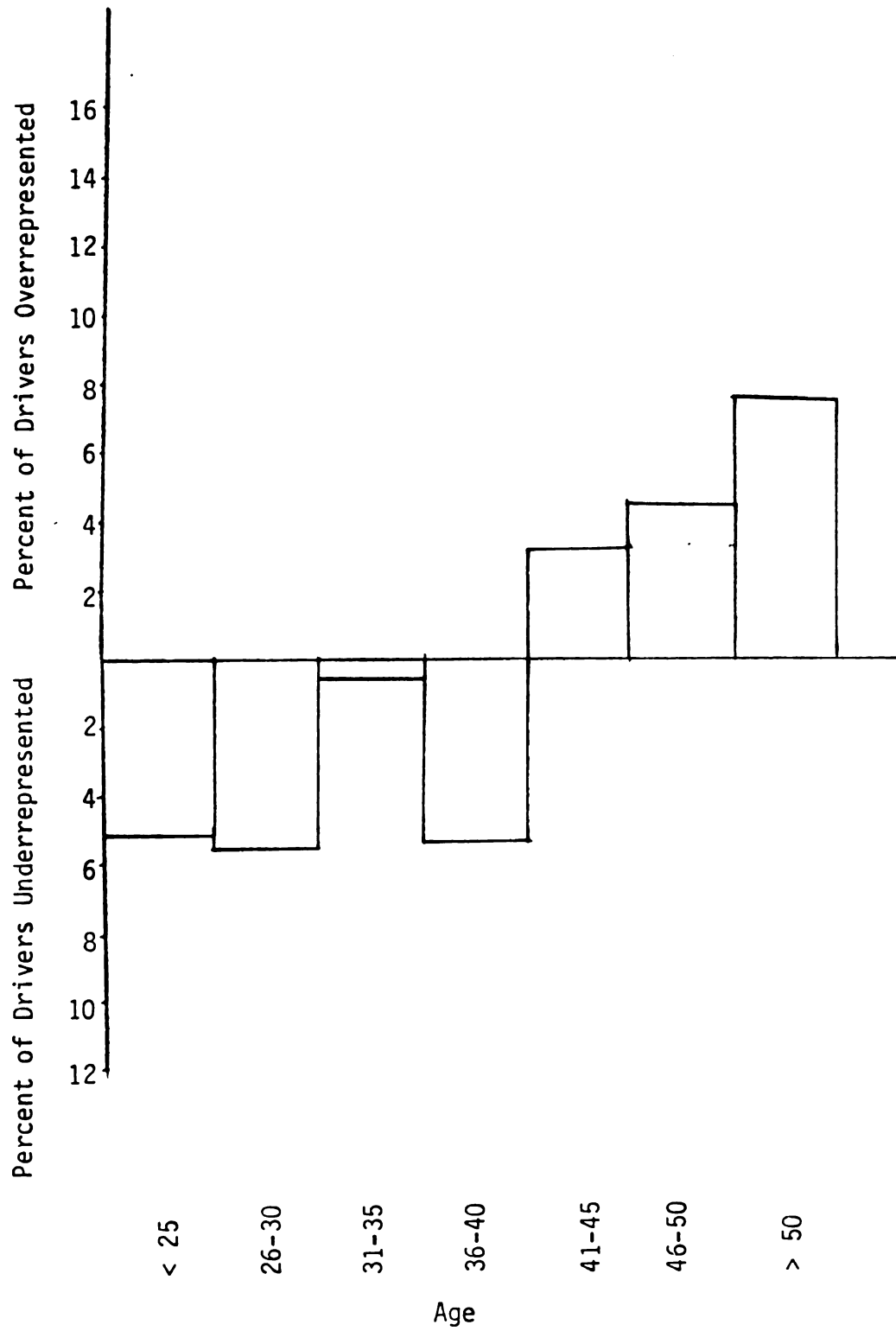


Fig. 5. Representation of driver age in rear end conflict sample.

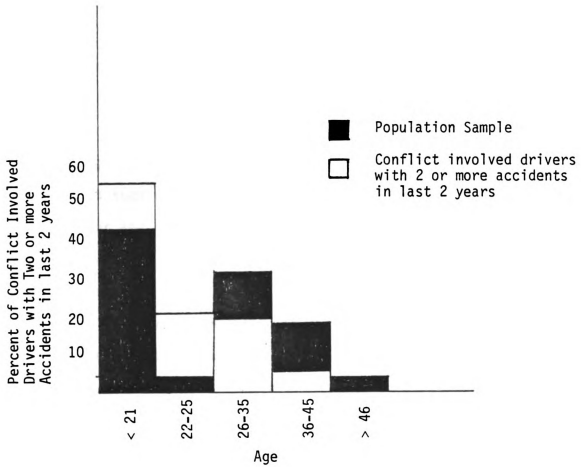


Fig. 6. Age of conflict involved drivers with 2 or more accidents.

test results are shown in Tables 9, 10 and 11.

These results indicate that there are significant differences in the characteristics of conflict involved drivers and the general driving public.

When all intersection data was combined, the null hypothesis of no difference was rejected (at  $\alpha = .1$ ) for only nationality and driving schools (Table 9). When using only signalized intersection data, the null hypothesis was rejected (at  $\alpha = .1$ ) for age, nationality, occupation, driving schools, miles driven per year and income (Table 10). These results suggest that there are differences between the general driving public and conflict involved drivers at signalized intersections. Some of these characteristics may be useful in predicting accidents at signalized intersections.

When using only unsignalized intersection data, the null hypothesis of no difference was rejected (at  $\alpha = .1$ ) only for driving schools (Table 11).

The fact that the null hypothesis is not rejected for nearly all tested characteristics at unsignalized intersection is due (in part) to the fact that nearly all drivers are conflict involved drivers. This is true because a violation of a traffic control device is considered a conflict, and nearly all drivers failed to observe the stop signs at these intersections. (An average of 80% of all conflicts observed at unsignalized intersections were right angle conflicts, which include control device violations.)

In an effort to more clearly identify conflict involvement at unsignalized intersections, the test was repeated with Sample 2 including only those drivers involved in at least two conflicts. Using these data, the null hypothesis was rejected (at  $\alpha = .1$ ) for age, occupation,

educational level, and number of accidents in the past two years (Table 12).

These results indicate that including violations as a conflict simply tends to mask real differences between hazardous drivers and the general driving public. At signalized intersections, like unsignalized intersections, those drivers involved in conflicts have significantly different characteristics than the general driving public.

The age of drivers was found to be significantly different at  $\alpha = .1$ , at both types of intersections. Thus, age appears to be the variable with the greatest explanatory power among the nineteen characteristics tested.

This result is consistent with findings by Lynn (23) in which he concluded that age is the variable which best explains differences in accident involvement, and McGuire (59) who reported that age had the highest simple R value (.38) among all characteristics correlated with accident involvement.

Drivers of age groups (< 18, 19-25, and > 46) were overrepresented in conflict involvement at both intersection types. The highest increase in representation found was for age group < 18 among all age groups. The age group (26-45) was underrepresented in conflict involvement at both types of intersections. Drivers with a middle eastern nationality (but non-Saudi), those with two or more accidents in the past two years, students with 9 years of education or less, and drivers with an occupation as salesman, craftsman, or professional driver were also overrepresented at both intersection types.

On the other hand, drivers with a professional occupation, those from a high income group, and drivers with no previous accident history were underrepresented at both intersection types.

TABLE 9. Chi-square test for driver characteristics in Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 using all intersections.

Characteristics of Drivers	$\chi^2_T$ at $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	6.251	4.605
Nationality	7.779	<u>12.013</u>
Occupation	10.645	<u>8.200</u>
Educational level	7.779	6.076
Driving schools	4.605	<u>11.938</u>
Miles driven/year	4.605	<u>1.993</u>
Number of accidents in past 2 years	6.251	1.112
Income	4.605	3.217
Drivers license availability	4.605	.649

$H_0$ : There is no difference between characteristics of population drivers and conflict involved drivers at all intersections combined.

TABLE 10. Chi-square test for driver characteristics in Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 (signalized intersections only).

Characteristics of Drivers	$\chi^2_T$ at $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	6.251	<u>7.802</u>
Nationality	6.251	<u>12.463</u>
Occupation	9.236	<u>18.109</u>
Educational level	7.779	<u>3.490</u>
Driving schools	4.605	<u>6.174</u>
Miles driven/year	4.605	<u>5.568</u>
Number of accidents in past 2 years	4.605	<u>.523</u>
Income	4.605	<u>5.450</u>
Drivers license availability	2.706	<u>2.203</u>

$H_0$ : There is no difference between characteristics of intersection population drivers and conflict involved drivers at signalized intersections.

TABLE 11. Chi-square test for driver characteristics in Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 (unsignalized intersections only).

Characteristics of Drivers	$\chi^2_T$ at $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	6.251	.750
Nationality	6.251	.384
Educational level	7.779	1.405
Driving schools	4.605	<u>12.636</u>
Miles driven/year	4.605	<u>1.590</u>
Number of accidents in past 2 years	4.605	1.619
Income	4.605	1.997

$H_0$ : There is no difference between characteristics of intersection population drivers and conflict involved drivers at unsignalized intersections.

TABLE 12. Chi-square test for driver characteristics in Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 (unsignalized intersections, drivers with two conflicts only).

Characteristics of Drivers	$\chi^2_T$ at $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	4.605	<u>6.212</u>
Nationality	4.605	<u>1.562</u>
Occupation	6.251	6.088
Educational level	6.251	<u>18.359</u>
Miles driven/year	4.605	<u>.264</u>
Number of accidents in past 2 years	4.605	<u>12.530</u>
Income	4.605	<u>2.207</u>

$H_0$ : There is no difference between characteristics of intersection population drivers and drivers involved in two conflicts at unsignalized intersections.

TABLE 13. Percentage increase or decrease in representations of conflict involved drivers over intersection population sample.

Characteristic	percent over or under in representation	
	Signalized Intersection	Unsignalized (drivers with 2 conflicts only)
Age:		
< 18	+ 23%	+ 95%
19-25	+ 28%	+ 1%
26-45	- 26%	- 21%
> 46	+150%	N.T.*
Nationality:		
Saudi	+ 1%	- 6%
Middle Eastern	+ 70%	+ 39%
Far Eastern	+ 38%	- 18%
Others	- 73%	N.T.
Occupation:		
Salesman	+ 53%	+ 43%
Teacher	- 17%	+ 43%
Professional	- 49%	0
Craftsman	+ 40%	+ 46%
Student	+ 94%	+ 50%
Professional Driver	+ 82%	N.T.
Educational level:		
None	+ 18%	- 47%
Preparatory	+ 17%	- 47%
Intermediate	+ 23%	+ 28%
High School	- 9%	+ 74%
College	- 34%	- 61%
Driving Schools:		
No	- 5%	
Dallah	+ 34%	N.T.
Others	- 51%	
Miles Driven/Year:		
< 9000 miles	- 33%	+ 2%
9000-13000 miles	+ 55%	+ 12%
> 13,000 miles	+ 6%	- 7%
Number of Accidents Past 2 Years:		
None	- 3%	- 23%
One	+ 4%	- 7%
Two or more	+ 31%	+150%
Monthly Income (\$):		
< 900	+ 45%	- 20%
900-1800	- 10%	+ 26%
> 1800	- 29%	- 13%

\* N.T. Not tested because of low frequencies of occurrences.



#### 4.5 Evidence of Patterns Among Conflict Involved Drivers

Data from conflict involved drivers were separated by intersection for each of the signalized intersections, and the distribution of these characteristics were compared with the characteristics found when data from all unsignalized intersections for drivers with two conflicts were combined.

Pearson's goodness of fit test was used to test the null hypothesis of no difference among conflict involved driver's characteristics. The results are given in Table 14 and 15, which indicate that conflict involved drivers possess similar characteristics at all intersections.

It may be concluded that a 'pattern' does exist among conflict involved drivers, and that this pattern may be useful in predicting future involvement in conflicts, and ultimately in accidents.

It is suspected that the reason certain characteristics (occupation, educational level, and income) were accepted in the first test (Table 14) and rejected in the second (Table 15) was due to the large number of young conflict involved drivers (high school students) without driver's license traveling through some of the 'back streets' away from police detection.

#### 4.6 Conflicts by Type

The literature (32,34,35) contains several articles that suggest a better correlation exists between accidents and specific types of conflicts than between accidents and total conflicts. Thus, an analysis was performed to determine whether specific conflict types are prevalent among conflict involved drivers. The null hypothesis of no difference between characteristics of drivers involved in a specific conflict type and the general driver population was tested. The result

TABLE 14. Chi-square test for conflict involved drivers (Intersection 1 vs. Intersection 2 signalized).

Characteristic	$\chi^2_T$ $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	4.605	2.453
Nationality	4.605	<u>5.161</u>
Occupation	7.779	<u>4.959</u>
Educational level	7.779	.766
Driving schools	4.605	2.039
Miles driven/year	4.605	1.810
Number of accidents in last 2 years	4.605	4.107
Income	4.605	3.286
Driver's license availability	2.706	1.431

$H_0$ : There is no difference between conflict involved driver characteristics.

TABLE 15. Chi-square test for conflict involved drivers (Intersection 1 vs. Intersection 2 vs. all unsignalized intersections with drivers of 2 conflicts).

Characteristics	$\chi^2_T$ $\alpha = .1$	$\chi^2_C$
Age	7.779	4.586
Nationality	7.779	7.192
Occupation	13.362	<u>24.656</u>
Educational level	13.362	<u>23.807</u>
Driving schools	7.779	<u>2.381</u>
Miles driven/year	7.779	7.733
Number of accidents in past 2 years	7.779	<u>13.290</u>
Income	7.779	<u>5.710</u>
Driver's license availability	4.605	<u>32.599</u>

$H_0$ : There is no difference between conflicted involved driver characteristics.

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Since no single characteristic is significantly overrepresented in drivers involved in all types of conflicts, predicting type of conflict using driver characteristics did not appear feasible. In contrast to the literature, total conflicts were more highly related to characteristics than were conflict types.

One possible explanation for these results would be that the variance between days or locations in the dependent variable (conflict type) was large, and thus combining these data masked any true relationship. To determine whether this is true, a series of chi-square tests were conducted to see if the variance by day or location was significant. The specific tests conducted were:

1.  $H_0$ : conflict type frequencies are similar at each unsignalized intersection.
2.  $H_0$ : conflict type frequencies are similar for each day of conflict observation at unsignalized intersections.
3.  $H_0$ : conflict type frequencies are similar at each signalized intersection.
4.  $H_0$ : conflict type frequencies are similar for each day of conflict observation at signalized intersections.

In tests 1 and 2 frequencies of conflict type were found to be similar on all days at all unsignalized intersections. Thus prediction of conflict type at these intersections cannot be improved by analyzing each data set separately. In tests 3 and 4 frequencies of conflict types at signalized intersections were found to differ significantly with the observation period and the intersection, indicating that separating the data may be helpful in determining the relationship between driver characteristics and conflict types.

TABLE 16. Frequencies of conflicts by type for unsignalized intersections (drivers involved in two conflicts only).

Conflict Type	Frequency	Percent of Total
Right angle	48	60
Turning	11	13.7
Rear End	9	11.2
Side Swipe	12	15.0
	<u>80</u>	<u>100</u>

TABLE 17. Frequencies of conflicts by type for signalized intersections

Conflict Type	Frequency	Percent of Total
Right angle	14	11.2
Turning	23	18.4
Rear End	40	32.0
Side Swipe	48	38.4
	<u>125</u>	<u>100</u>

TABLE 18. Characteristics of conflict involved drivers that explain types of conflict.

Conflict Type	Characteristics Found Significant at $\alpha = .1$		
	Signalized	Unsignalized	All Intersections
Right angle	Nationality	Income	Nationality, number of accidents last 2 years
Turning	Age	None	None
Rear end	Occupation, educational level	None	Educational level
Side Swipe	Occupation, miles	None	Number of accidents last 2 years, miles driven per year

A test to determine whether subsets of driver characteristics are related to the distribution of conflict involvement by type for each of the signalized intersections was conducted. Each characteristic that explained conflict involvement (as shown in Table 10) was tested using a multiplier to maintain the proportionality of the test.

$$n_{oj} = \frac{n}{n_j}$$

$n$  = total conflict frequency observed

$n_j$  = total column frequency of characteristic subset

$n_{oj}$  = new cell frequency of that subset

Several subsets of characteristics were found to have a significant relationship to type of conflict. The significant variables are drivers of age group < 20, and with a Saudi nationality. As in previous tests, age and nationality proved to be important variables in explaining the variation in conflicts.

#### 4.7 The Model

One of the principal objectives of this study was to determine whether models could be developed to predict the conflict rate at intersections, based on driver characteristics. The fact that a 'pattern' of conflict involved driver characteristics, defined in (4.5), exists indicates that some characteristics of conflict involved drivers are consistently related to the conflict rate. It is, therefore, hypothesized that the overrepresentation of these characteristics can be used in the model to predict conflicts.

Multiple linear regression was used in this study to relate

dependent variables to one or more independent variables by means of a linear relationship. One of the methods used in multiple regression is step wise regression where an independent variable is added or removed from the equation to achieve the highest coefficient of determination with the fewest number of independent variables. The model tested was of the form:

$$Y_k = a_{000} + a_{11k} X_{11k} + \dots + a_{14k} X_{14k}$$

where:

$$X_{ijk} = \frac{\% \text{ of conflict involvement (pattern) for characteristic } i \text{ subset } j \text{ intersection } k}{\% \text{ of general driving public for characteristic } i \text{ subset } j \text{ intersection } k}$$

$$Y_k = \frac{\text{conflict rate/}}{1000 \text{ vehicles}} = \left( \frac{\text{Total conflict count for each approach}}{\text{Corresponding Volume (20 min.)}} \right) (1000)$$

n

n = number of observations

corresponding volume = 20 minute volume for that approach

The driver characteristic most clearly related to conflicts, age, was used as the first independent variable in the model tested.

The multiple linear regression models developed as a result are

$$Y_k = 508.9 - 242.9 X_{12k} \quad (1)$$

$X_{13}$  corresponds to age group (19-25)

$$Y_k = 925.2 - 95.8 X_{11} - 149.3 X_{12} - 349.5 X_{13} \quad (2)$$

$X_{11}$  corresponds to age group  $\leq 18$  and  $> 46$  years of age



$X_{13}$  corresponds to age group 26-45

In all cases, the 't' test indicated that the coefficients were not significantly different from zero.

The coefficient of determination  $R^2$  was .32 (32% of variations explained by regression) with an F significance of .244 for the first model, and  $R^2 = .58$  for an F significance of .558 for the second model.

All coefficients of the independent variables were negative with the lowest coefficient (95.8) corresponding to age group (< 18 and > 46) and the highest coefficient corresponds to age group (26-45). Because the sum of the percentages of all age groups amounts to 100%, the lowest negative coefficient represent that subset of the age that makes the greatest contribution to the conflict rate.

Thus, a well defined and statistically reliable linear relationship between conflict rates and age does not exist in this data even though the  $\chi^2$  test indicated that there was a relationship between these variables. The number of data points was too small to test non-linear regression analysis, or to stratify the data into multiple regions for separate linear analysis.

To illustrate the empirical relationship between these variables, a plot of the conflict index, which is defined as the ratio of the percentage of conflict involved drivers of a certain characteristic to the percentage of the same characteristic of the general public, and driver's age is shown in Fig. 7. The graph suggests two linear relationships, with the conflict index decreasing with age for ages 16-40 and then increasing with age after age 40. More data would be required to test the statistical reliability of each of these relationships, but this explains why the  $\chi^2$  test was significant and the linear regression not

strong.

The conflict index plotted against age for both drivers who had been involved in at least one accident in the past two years, and drivers with no accident in this time period is shown in Fig. 8. Drivers with no accident history exhibited the same general pattern as all drivers. However, drivers with one or more accidents in the past two years exhibited a similar relationship for the under 40 age group, but the conflict index did not increase with age beyond this point.

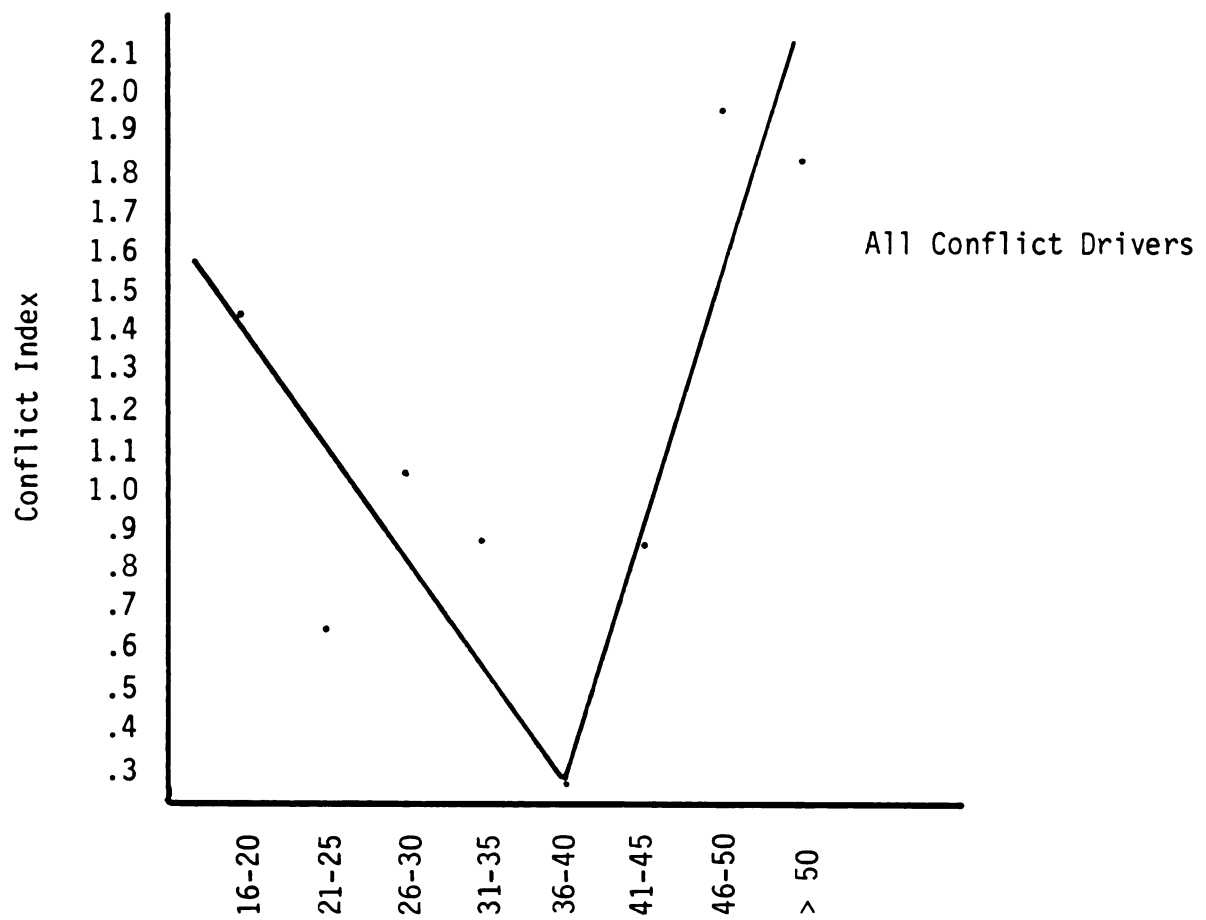


Fig. 7. Conflict index by age of all conflict involved drivers.



Fig. 8. Conflict index by age of conflict involved drivers with and without an accident history.

## CHAPTER 5

### CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

#### 5.1 Conclusions

Based on the data collected and analyzed in this study, the following conclusions were reached:

1. The most hazardous driver is in the age group 25, has not completed more than 9 years of schooling, has been involved in two or more accidents in the past two years, works as a salesman, craftsman, professional driver, or a student. His income is of a lower income group, and he drives an average of 11,000 miles per year.
2. Drivers with prior involvement in accidents were involved in more conflicts than drivers with no accident history.
3. Age was found to be the single most explanatory variable of conflict involvement. Age and occupation form the best multiple regression model among all tested characteristics.
4. Uniformity of conflict involved driver characteristics was found to improve when intersection type is considered. There was no significant difference between the characteristics of the general driving public and conflict involved driver for combined data from all intersections. However, differences were identified when the data was segregated by type of intersection control.
5. Characteristics of conflict involved drivers were found to be similar at all intersections, and the potential of using this pattern is promising in predicting future conflict occurrence and ultimately future accidents.
6. No single driver characteristic has a distribution matching the distribution of type of conflict occurrence. However, combinations

of individual characteristics (young Saudi drivers) correlates well with the occurrence of conflict types at signalized intersections.

7. Drivers licensed by local driving schools were involved in more conflicts than drivers without driving training or with training from schools outside the Kingdom.

8. The multiple regression model results indicate that a simple linear relationship between conflict rate and driver's age does not exist. However, when the relationship was presented vectorially two different relationships were observed; one for the age group 16-40 and a second one for the age group 40 and over. More data is needed to construct and test these relationships in a model.

## 5.2 Discussion and Recommendations

The traffic conflict technique was determined to be a promising technique for identifying characteristics of hazardous drivers at urban intersections in Saudi Arabia. The relationship between the characteristics of hazardous drivers and conflicts was found to be analogous to that between driver characteristics and accidents. This strengthens the arguments for using conflicts as a surrogate safety measure whenever accident history is not developed or not available, such as in the case of Saudi Arabia.

The similarities in the observed characteristics of conflict involved drivers at different locations provides the basis for the identification of a driver profile (or pattern) necessary for predicting future conflict rates. Based on the data collected in this study, it appears that the prediction process should be carried out separately for signalized and unsignalized intersections.

Young drivers were found to be overrepresented in conflict

involvement as well as drivers with one or more accidents in the past two years. One of every two drivers interviewed 18 years of age or younger, was involved in one or more accidents in the past two years. This group of drivers is considered a high risk group, and issuance of special driving permits, which is allowed for drivers below 18 years of age (the legal driving age), should be reviewed. These young drivers tended to traverse back streets away from police detection. It is recommended that local police introduce more patrol surveillance to cover remote roads, and better enforcement action be promptly and strictly applied to traffic violators to reduce the risk of accidents.

Local driving schools have not been effective in minimizing the risk of involvement in conflicts. These schools should be evaluated and upgraded to achieve greater effectiveness in driver training.

The establishment of an accident location system should be initiated in Saudi Arabia to provide a data base for research, improvement, and development programs.

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## APPENDIX A

Driver Interview Form for Both Sample 1 and 2

**كم يبلغ من العمر**

**How old are you?**

أحمد	غير سعودي	سعودي	أحمد	أحمد
(Specify)	Non-Saudi	Saudi	What is your Nationality?	ما هي جنسيتك؟
أحد	السياحة	العمل	أحد	أحد
Others	Shopping	Home	Work	Where are you going?
Salesman/Buyer	بايع / مشتري	أحد	أحد	أحد
Teacher/Professor	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Professional/Technical/Managerial	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Craftsman/Mechanic/Factory Worker	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Clerical/Secretarial/Office Worker	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Student	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Retired	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Driver	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
بدون	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
What is your educational level?	Preparatory	Intermediate	High School	College
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Do you own this car?	yes	no	من يملكها الآن؟	Who own it then?
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
How many years did you drive?	1-2 years	3-5 years	More than 5 years	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
What type of car you drive?	Passenger car	Truck	Bus	Others
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
How many years have you live in this area?	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Have you been to driving schools?	No	Dallah	Aranco	Others (specify)
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
How many kilometers you drive in a day, month, or year?	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
How many accidents did you have during last two years	None	One	Two	More than two
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
How many accidents occurred in your total driving experience.	None	One	Two	More than two
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Are you married?	No	Yes	Yes	No
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Do you have children?	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
How many cars with your family?	One	Two	More than two	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Do you have operational brakes?	Very well	All right	Weak	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
What is your monthly income	Less than SR.3000	SR.3000 - 6000	More than 6000	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد
Do you have a Saudi Arabia's driver licence?	Yes	No	I don't have with me now	أحد
أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد	أحد

## APPENDIX B

### Chi-Square Test of Population Assumption













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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
SUBFILE ONE

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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/92 )  
SUBFILE ONE

\* \* \* \* \* K I L O M E T E R S D R I V E N A D A Y C R O S S T A B U L A R  
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		COUNT		V3		ISUNDAY		WEDNESDAY		ROW TOTAL	
		ROW PCT	COL PCT								
		TOT PCT	TOT PCT								
Q11											
<13000 MI-YR		1.				57	2.1		5.1		65
						87.7		12.3			51.6
						57.2		29.5			
						45.2		6.3			
>13000 MI-YR		3.				42		19			61
						68.9		31.1			43.4
						42.4		70.4			
						33.3		15.1			
COLUMN TOTAL						99		27			126
						78.6		21.4			100.0

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 5.55212 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
RAW CHI SQUARE = 6.63391 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.



FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82)

CROSS TABULATIONS

INCOME, MONTHLY, S.R.

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RAW CHI SQUARE =	2.27051 WITH	2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.
NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS =	7	



## APPENDIX C

Chi-Square Test for Driver Characteristics In  
Sampe 1 vs. Sample 2 Using all Intersections

C-1

## SHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

Q1 AGE \*\* \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A  
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		V2									
		COUNT		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW			
		ROW PCT		FILE		LE		TOTAL			
		COL PCT		1		2					
		TOT PCT		1.1		2.1					
11	<= 18	1.		24		43		67			
				35.9		64.2		13.2			
				11.5		14.5					
19-25				4.7		8.5					
				73		114		187			
				39.0		61.0		36.9			
26-45				34.4		34.5					
				14.4		22.4					
				105		121		227			
>=46				45.7		53.3		44.7			
				50.0		40.9					
				20.9		23.8					
				9		18		27			
				33.3		66.7		5.3			
				4.2		6.1					
COLUMN	TOTAL			1.8		3.5					
				212		298		508			
				41.7		58.3		100.0			

RAW CHI SQUARE = 4.60469 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/92 )  
SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\* \*\* \* NATIONALITY \*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A B  
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		I	I	1.1	2.1	I	I
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		I	I	1.1	2.1	I	I
		I	I	1.1	2.1	I	I
FAR EASTERN	4.	I	I	1.1	2.1	I	I
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		I	I	1.1	2.1	I	I
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RAW CHI SQUARE = 12.01288 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.  
NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A T  
 Q4 OCCUPATION BY  
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		COUNT		V2		
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		I	I	35.1	64.9	I
		I	I	9.5	12.6	I
		I	I	4.0	7.3	I
	TEACHER	2.	I	6	5	I
		I	I	54.5	45.5	I
		I	I	2.8	1.7	I
		I	I	1.2	1.0	I
	PROFESSIONAL	3.	I	32	93	I
		I	I	46.9	53.1	I
		I	I	38.9	31.6	I
		I	I	15.2	18.4	I
	CRAFTSMAN	4.	I	14	23	I
		I	I	37.3	62.2	I
		I	I	6.6	7.8	I
		I	I	2.8	4.6	I
	CLERICAL	5.	I	29	27	I
		I	I	50.9	49.1	I
		I	I	13.5	9.2	I
		I	I	5.5	5.3	I
	STUDENT	6.	I	34	50	I
		I	I	36.2	53.8	I
		I	I	15.1	20.4	I
		I	I	6.7	11.9	I
	PROF. DRIVER	8.	I	27	49	I
		I	I	35.5	64.5	I
		I	I	12.8	16.7	I
		I	I	5.3	9.7	I
	COLUMN			211	294	505
	TOTAL			41.9	58.2	100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 8.19971 WITH 6 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 3



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

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SUBFILE ONE TWO

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		ROW PCT		FILE		FILE		FILE		TOTAL	
		COL PCT		1		1		2			
		TOT PCT		1		1		1			
Q10	NO	1.	1	33	1	132	1	215			
				38.5	1	61.4	1	44.7	1	42.4	
				39.2	1	26.0	1		1		
				16.4	1		1		1		
DALLAH	2.	1.	1	39	1	138	1	227			
				39.2	1	60.8	1		1	44.8	
				42.0	1	46.8	1		1		
				17.6	1	27.2	1		1		
OTHERS	4.	1.	1	40	1	25	1	55			
				61.5	1	38.5	1		1	12.8	
				18.9	1	8.5	1		1		
				7.9	1	4.9	1		1		
COLUMN TOTAL				212		295				507	
				41.8		58.2				100.0	

RAW CHI SQUARE = 11.93825 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

C-6

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* K I L O M E T E R S D R I V E N A D A Y C R O S S T A B U L A R  
 \* \* \* \* \*

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		ROW	PCT	1ST	FILE	1.	1.	2.	2.	TOTAL	
		TOT	PCT	FILE	FILE	1.	1.	2.	2.		
Q11		1.									
<9000 MI-YR		1.				45.9	98	54.1	98	191	
						39.2	1	33.1	1	35.6	
						16.3	1	19.3	1		
9001-12999		2.				38.8	60	61.2	60	98	
						17.9	1	20.3	1	19.3	
						17.3	1	11.8	1		
>13000 MI-YR		3.				91	138	138	138	229	
						39.7	1	60.3	1	45.1	
						42.9	1	46.6	1		
						17.9	1	27.2	1		
COLUMN						212	296	296	296	598	
TOTAL						41.7	58.3	58.3	58.3	109.3	

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.99289 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

C-7

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\*  
 Q12 \*\*\* NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS C R O S S T A B U L A B  
 \*\*\*

		V2							
		COUNT	11ST SAMP	2ND SAMP			ROW		
		ROW PCT	ILF	LE			TOTAL		
		TOT PCT	1.	2.					
Q12	NONE	1.	137	179			316		
			43.4	56.6			62.3		
			64.9	80.5					
			27.7	35.3					
	ONE	2.	51	68			119		
			42.3	57.1			23.5		
			24.2	23.3					
			10.1	13.4					
	2 OR MORE	3.	23	49			72		
			31.9	63.1			14.2		
			10.9	16.6					
			4.5	9.7					
COLUMN TOTAL			211	295			507		
			41.6	59.4			100.0		

RAV CHI SQUARE = 3.24032 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.  
 NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1



C-8

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* INCOME MONTHLY S.R. \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A  
 \* \* \* \* \*

Q18	COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW TOTAL
	ROW PCT	CUL PCT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	
1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.
LESS THAN 3000	41.3	40.3	17.8	25.3	115	58.7	196	43.1	196
2.	32	43.2	41.3	18.0	108	56.8	190	41.8	190
3000-6000	37	53.6	18.5	17.0	46.4	12.5	69	15.2	69
3.	18.1	18.1	18.1	17.0	46.4	12.5	15.2	15.2	15.2
MORE THAN 6000	18.1	18.1	18.1	17.0	46.4	12.5	15.2	15.2	15.2
COLUMN TOTAL	200	44.0	255	56.0	455	100.0	455	100.0	455

RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.21692 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 53

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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE Q19 (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82)  
SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\*\*\* DRIVER'S LICENCE AVAILABILITY \*\*\*\*\* C O S S T A R U L A T  
\*\*\*\*\* BY

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		ROW PCT		1ST SAMP		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		TOTAL	
		COL PCT		ILE		ILE		ILE			
		TOT PCT		1		1		2			
Q19											
WITH DRIVER'S LI		1.									
				181		1		250		431	
				42.0		1		58.0		86.2	
				85.4		1		83.8			
				35.2		1		50.0			
WITHOUT DRIVER'S		2.									
				13		1		13		26	
				50.0		1		50.0		5.2	
				6.1		1		4.5			
				2.6		1		2.6			
NOT CARRIED		3.									
				18		1		25		43	
				41.9		1		58.1		8.6	
				8.5		1		8.7			
				3.6		1		5.0			
COLUMN				212				288		500	
TOTAL				42.4				57.6		100.0	

RAW CHI SQUARE = .64893 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 3

## APPENDIX D

Chi-Square Test for Driver Characteristics In  
Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 Using Signalized Intersection Data

D-1

GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \*  
Q1 \* \* \* \* \* AGE \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A P U L A H  
\* \* \* \* \*

Q1	COUNT	V2	1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW TOTAL	
			ROW PCT	COL PCT	ILE	LE		
<= 18	1.	I	7	1.	I	2.	I	
		I	43.8	I	56.3	9	I	
		I	5.6	I	6.9	I	I	
19-25	2.	I	2.7	I	3.5	I	I	
		I	57	I	49	I	I	
		I	43.0	I	57.0	I	I	
26-45	3.	I	29.4	I	37.7	I	I	
		I	14.5	I	19.1	I	I	
		I	77	I	50	I	I	
>=46	4.	I	56.5	I	43.4	I	I	
		I	61.1	I	45.4	I	I	
		I	30.1	I	23.0	I	I	
COLUMN TOTAL	TOTAL	I	5	I	13	I	I	
		I	27.3	I	72.2	I	I	
		I	4.0	I	10.0	I	I	
RAW CHI SQUARE =	TOTAL	I	2.0	I	5.1	I	I	
		I	12.0	I	13.0	I	I	
		I	49.2	I	50.8	I	I	
							256	
							100.0	

7.80173 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.



FILE QUEST  
SUBFILE ONE

[illegible]

Q4	COUNT	V2		1ST SAMP LE	2ND SAMP LE	ROW TOTAL
		ROW PCT	COL PCT			
SALESMAN	1.	1.	1.	12	19	31
				38.7	61.3	12.2
				9.6	14.7	
TEACHER	2.	1.	1.	4.7	7.5	41
				22	19	15.1
				53.7	46.3	
PROFESSIONAL	3.	1.	1.	17.6	14.7	47
				8.7	7.5	34.3
				57	30	
CRAFTSMAN	4.	1.	1.	65.5	34.5	22
				45.6	23.3	9.7
				22.4	11.8	
STUDENT	6.	1.	1.	9	13	27
				40.9	59.1	10.6
				7.2	10.1	
PROF. DRIVER	8.	1.	1.	3.5	5.1	45
				33.3	66.7	19.1
				7.2	14.0	
COLUMN TOTAL				16	30	254
				34.8	65.2	100.0
				12.9	23.3	

RAV CHI SQUARE = 18.10911 WITH 5 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.  
NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 2

D-4

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82)  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\*\*\* EDUCATION LEVEL \*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A \*\*\*\*\*  
 Q5 \*\*\*\*\*

Q5	COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW TOTAL
	ROW PCT	COL PCT	ILE	ILE	1.	2.	1.	2.	
PREPARATORY	1.	TOT PCT	1.	1.	20	24	54.5	17.3	44
					45.3	18.6			
					15.9	9.4			
INTERMEDIATE	2.	TOT PCT	1.	1.	23	29	55.8	20.4	52
					44.2	22.5			
					18.3	11.4			
HIGH SCHOOL	3.	TOT PCT	1.	1.	28	26	49.1	21.2	54
					51.9	20.2			
					22.2	10.2			
COLLEGE	4.	TOT PCT	1.	1.	31	21	40.4	20.4	52
					59.6	16.3			
					24.6	8.2			
NONE	5.	TOT PCT	1.	1.	24	29	54.7	20.8	53
					45.3	22.5			
					19.0	11.4			
COLUMN TOTAL					126	129			255
					45.4	50.6			100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.49998 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.  
 NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

D-5

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* DRIVING SCHOOLS \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \* BY

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		POW	
		ROW PCT	COL PCT	1ST SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	TOTAL	TOTAL
		TOT PCT	TOT PCT	ILE	ILE	LE	LE	ILE	ILE		
Q10	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	2.		
				52	61						
				50.4	49.6					123	
				49.2	46.9					48.0	
NO				24.2	23.8						
				42	58						
				42.0	58.0					103	
				33.3	44.6					39.1	
DALLAH				16.4	22.7						
				22	11						
				66.7	33.3					33	
				17.5	8.5					12.9	
OTHERS				8.6	4.3						
				125	130					255	
				49.2	50.8					193.0	
COLUMN TOTAL											
TOTAL											

RAW CHI SQUARE = 6.17380 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.





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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\* Q12 \*\*\* NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS C R O S S T A H U L A T  
 \*\*\* \*

		COUNT		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		ROW	PCT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	TOTAL	
		COL	PCT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	TOTAL	
		TOT	PCT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	TOTAL	
Q12		1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.
NONE		1.	1.	85	86	85	86	171	171
				49.7	50.3	49.7	50.3	67.1	67.1
				69.0	66.2	69.0	66.2		
				33.3	33.7	33.3	33.7		
ONE		2.	2.	29	29	29	29	58	58
				50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	22.7	22.7
				23.2	22.3	23.2	22.3		
				11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4		
2 OR MORE		3.	3.	11	15	11	15	26	26
				42.3	57.7	42.3	57.7	10.2	10.2
				8.8	11.5	8.8	11.5		
				4.3	5.9	4.3	5.9		
TOTAL				125	130	125	130	255	255
				49.3	51.6	49.3	51.6	100.0	100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = .52339 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM. :

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

D-8

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* INCOME, MONTHLY, S.R. C R O S S T A B U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \*

Q18	COUNT	V2		1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	ROW TOTAL
		1	2	1	2	
	ROW PCT	1	1	1	1	
	COL PCT	1	1	1	1	
	TOT PCT	1	1	1	1	
1.		37	51			88
LESS THAN 3000		42.0	58.9			37.6
		31.1	44.3			
		15.3	21.8			
2.		55	48			103
3000-6000		53.4	46.6			44.0
		46.2	41.7			
		23.5	20.5			
3.		27	16			43
MORE THAN 6000		62.8	37.2			19.4
		22.7	13.9			
		11.5	6.8			
COLUMN TOTAL		119	115			234
		50.9	49.1			100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 5.45017 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 22

D-9

GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* DRIVER'S LICENCE AVAILABILITY C R O S S T A B U L A T  
\* \* \* \* \* Q19 BY

		V2							
COUNT		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW			
ROW PCT		ILE		LE		TOTAL			
COL PCT		1.		2.					
TOT PCT		1.1		2.1					
WITH DRIVER'S LI									
1.	113	47.9	123	52.1	19	236			
	89.7	95.3	48.2	7.5		92.5			
	44.3								
WITHOUT DRIVER'S									
2.	13	58.4	31.6	6					
	10.3	4.7	2.4						
	5.1								
COLUMN									
TOTAL	126	49.4	129	50.6		255			

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 2.20297 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.96779 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

## APPENDIX E

Chi-Square Test for Driver Characteristics in  
Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 Using Unsignalized Intersection Data

E-1

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
SURFILE ONE TWO

Q1 \* \* \* \* \* AGE \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A B  
\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

Q1	COUNT	V2		1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	ROW TOTAL
		ROW PCT	COL PCT	LE	LE	
<= 18	1.	17	33.3	1.1	2.1	51
		33.3	19.8	1.1	34	20.2
		19.8	6.7	1.1	20.5	
19-25	2.	36	35.5	1.1	65	101
		35.5	41.9	1.1	64.4	40.1
		41.9	14.3	1.1	39.2	
26-45	3.	29	31.9	1.1	62	91
		31.9	33.7	1.1	68.1	36.1
		33.7	11.5	1.1	37.3	
>=46	4.	4	44.4	1.1	5	9
		44.4	4.7	1.1	55.6	3.6
		4.7	1.6	1.1	3.0	
COLUMN TOTAL		85	34.1	1.1	166	252
				1.1	65.9	100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = .75034 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

E-2

GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
SURFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* NATIONALITY \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T  
\* \* \* \* \* Q2 \* \* \* \* \* BY

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		ROW PCT		COL PCT		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		TOTAL	
		TOT PCT		TOT PCT		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP			
		1.		1.		1.		2.			
Q2	SAUDI	1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
	MIDDLE EASTERN	1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
	FAR EASTERN	1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
	ALL OTHERS	1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
COLUMN TOTAL		86		34.1		166		65.9		252	
TOTAL		100.0		100.0		100.0		100.0		100.0	

RAV CHI SQUARE = .38370 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\*\*\*  
 Q4 \*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N  
 \*\*\*\*\* BY \*\*\*\*\*

		COUNT		V2		ROW TOTAL	
		ROW	COL	11ST	2ND	SAMP	
		PCT	PCT	FILE	LE		
		TOT	PCT	I	I	I	I
Q4	SALESMAN	1.	1.	1.	1.	2.	1
		30.9	3	18	18	26	10.4
		9.3	1	69.2	10.9	10.4	
	TEACHER	2.	2.	12	13	25	16.0
		48.0	1	52.0	7.9	16.0	
		14.0	1	5.2			
	PROFESSIONAL	3.	3.	25	63	88	35.1
		28.4	1	71.6	38.2	35.1	
		10.7	1	25.1			
	CRAFTSMAN	4.	4.	5	10	15	6.0
		33.3	1	56.7	6.1	6.0	
		5.8	1	4.0			
	STUDENT	6.	6.	23	42	67	26.7
		37.3	1	62.7	25.5	26.7	
		10.0	1	16.7			
	PROF. DRIVER	8.	8.	11	19	30	12.3
		36.7	1	63.3	11.5	12.3	
		12.8	1	17.6			
COLUMN TOTAL		36	36	165	65.7	251	100.0
		34.3	34.3	65.7			

RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.93333 WITH 5 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1





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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\*\*\*\*\*  
 Q5 \*\*\*\*\* EDUCATION LEVEL \*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A B  
 \*\*\*\*\*

Q5	COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW TOTAL
	ROW PCT	COL PCT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	
	TOT PCT	TOT PCT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	
1. PREPARATORY	1.	1.	12	12	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	35
			34.3	65.7					13.9
			14.0	13.9					
			4.8	9.1					
2. INTERMEDIATE	2.	2.	23	42	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	65
			35.4	64.6					25.8
			26.7	25.3					
			9.1	16.7					
3. HIGH SCHOOL	3.	3.	27	61	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	49
			30.7	69.3					34.9
			31.4	36.7					
			10.7	24.2					
4. COLLEGE	4.	4.	10	13	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	23
			43.5	56.5					9.1
			11.6	7.8					
			4.0	5.2					
5. NONE	5.	5.	14	27	1.1	2.1	1.1	2.1	41
			34.1	65.9					16.3
			16.3	16.3					
			5.6	10.7					
COLUMN TOTAL			85	165					252
			34.1	65.9					106.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.43542 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.



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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/92 )  
SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* K I L O M E T E R S D R I V E N A D A Y C R O S S T A B U L A T  
\* \* \* \* \* BY

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		ROW PCT	COL PCT	1ST SAMP	1ST SAMP	1ST SAMP	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP	2ND SAMP	TOTAL	TOTAL
		TOT PCT	TOT PCT	1.	2.	1.	2.	1.	2.		
Q11	<9000 MI-YR	1.	1.	38	67	1.	1.	1.	1.	105	41.7
				36.2	63.8	1.	1.	1.	1.		
				44.2	46.4	1.	1.	1.	1.		
9001-12999	2.	1.	1.	15.1	26.6	1.	1.	1.	1.	46	18.3
				13	28	1.	1.	1.	1.		
				39.1	60.9	1.	1.	1.	1.		
>13000 MI-YR	3.	1.	1.	20.9	16.9	1.	1.	1.	1.	101	40.1
				7.1	11.1	1.	1.	1.	1.		
				30	71	1.	1.	1.	1.		
COLUMN TOTAL		1.	1.	29.7	70.3	1.	1.	1.	1.	252	100.0
				34.3	42.8	1.	1.	1.	1.		
				11.9	28.2	1.	1.	1.	1.		
				86	166	34.1	65.9	1.	1.	101.0	40.1

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.59046 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \*  
 Q12 \* \* \* \* \* NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T \* \* \* \* \* BY

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		PCT		I		ILE		LE		TOTAL	
		TOT		I		I		I		I	
		PCT		I		I		I		I	
		1.		1.		1.		2.		2.	
Q12	NONE	1.		1.		52		93		145	
		35.9		60.5		54.1		56.0		57.5	
		20.6		20.6		36.9		36.9			
	ONE	2.		1.		22		39		61	
		36.1		25.6		63.9		23.5		24.2	
		8.7		8.7		15.5		15.5			
	2 OR MORE	3.		1.		12		34		46	
		26.1		14.0		73.9		20.5		18.3	
		4.8		4.8		13.5		13.5			
		COLUMN		TOTAL		96		166		252	
		34.1		34.1		65.9		65.9		100.0	

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.61887 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 02/12/82 )  
 SUBFILE ONE TWO

\* \* \* \* \* DRIVER'S LICENCE AVAILABILITY C R O S S T A B U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \* BY

		COUNT		V2		1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		ROW	
		ROW PCT		COL PCT		ILE		LE		TOTAL	
		TOT PCT		I		I		I		I	
Q19		1.		1.		1.		1.		2.	
WITH DRIVER'S LI		1.		1.		1.		1.		1.	
		68		127		127		127		127	
		34.9		65.1		65.1		65.1		65.1	
		79.1		79.9		79.9		79.9		79.9	
		27.8		51.8		51.8		51.8		51.8	
WITHOUT DRIVER'S		2.		2.		2.		2.		2.	
		18		32		32		32		32	
		36.0		64.0		64.0		64.0		64.0	
		23.9		20.1		20.1		20.1		20.1	
		7.3		13.1		13.1		13.1		13.1	
COLUMN		46		159		159		159		159	
TOTAL		35.1		64.9		64.9		64.9		64.9	
		245		100.0		100.0		100.0		100.0	

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE =  
 RAW CHI SQUARE =

0 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 0.32224 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS =

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## APPENDIX F

Chi-Square Test for Driver Characteristics  
In Sample 1 vs. Sample 2 Using Unsignalized  
Intersection Data for Drivers with a Double Conflict



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

Q1 \* \* \* \* \* C K O S S T A M U L A 1  
 \* \* \* \* \* AGE \* \* \* \* \* H)

		V2											
		COUNT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP									
		ROW PCT	FILE	LE									
		TOT PCT	1.	2.									
Q1	<= 18	1.	24	14									
			57.1	42.9									
			11.8	23.1									
19-25			4.5	6.4									
		2.	73	24									
			72.3	27.7									
26-45			36.0	35.0									
			26.0	10.0									
		3.	106	32									
COLUMN TOTAL			76.8	23.2									
			52.2	41.0									
			37.7	11.4									
			203	78									
			72.2	27.8									

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \* NATIONALITY \* \* \* \* \* C H O S S T : R U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \* Q2 \* \* \* \* \* BY

		V2							
		CCOUNT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP					TOTAL
		ROW PCT	FILE	LE					
		COL PCT	FILE	LE					
		TOT PCT	FILE	LE					
Q2	SAUDI	1.	13.1	1.1	2.1			19.4	
			71.1	28.9	56			73.2	
			74.6	70.0					
			52.1	21.1					
	MIDDLE EASTERN	3.	30	1.1	1.1			4.1	
			62.5	37.5	14			14.1	
			16.2	22.8					
			11.3	6.8					
	FAR EASTERN	4.	17	1.1	6			23	
			73.9	26.1	1			8.7	
			9.2	7.5					
			6.4	2.3					
COLUMN TOTAL			185	10					265
			69.8	30.2					100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.56214 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 27





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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE  
 FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)  
 \* \* \* \* \* KILOMETERS DRIVEN A DAY C R O S S T A B U L A  
 \* \* \* \* \*

Q11	COUNT	V2	1ST SAMP		2ND SAMP		FO4 TOTAL
			RC4 PCT TOT	ILF PCT PCT	LC	LC	
<9000 MI-YR	1.		83	1.1	32	2.1	115
			72.2		27.8		39.4
			35.2		40.0		
9001-12999	2.		26.4	1.1	11.0		
							54
			70.4		29.6		18.5
>13000 MI-YR	3.		17.9	1.1	20.0		
			13.0		5.5		
			91	1.1	32		123
		74.0		26.0		42.1	
		42.9		40.0			
		31.2		11.0			
COLUMN TOTAL			212		30		392
			72.6		27.4		100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = .26385 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

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## GHANI DRIVEP CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

012 NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS C R O S S T A B U L A

		V2								
		COUNT	1ST SAMP	2ND SAMP					POR	
		ROW PCT	FILE	FILE					TOTAL	
		CUL PCT	1.	2.						
		TOT PCT	1.	2.						
012	NONE	1.	137	40					177	
			77.4	22.6					67.8	
			64.9	50.0						
			47.1	13.7						
	ONE	2.	51	18					69	
			73.9	26.1					23.7	
			24.2	22.5						
			17.5	5.2						
	TWO OR MORE	3.	23	22					45	
			51.1	48.9					15.5	
			19.3	27.5						
			7.9	7.6						
		COLUMN	211	30					241	
		TOTAL	72.5	27.5					100.0	

RAW CHI SQUARE = 12.52572 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1



## APPENDIX G

Chi-Square Test for Conflict Involved Drivers

Intersection 1 vs. Intersection 2 (Signalized)



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \* AGE \* \* \* \* \* C H O S S T A B U L  
 \*

		COUNT		V1					
		ROW PCT		COL PCT		TOT PCT			
Q1		1.		2.		1.		2.	
<=18	>45	11	50.0	11	50.0	11	50.0	11	50.0
		16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7	16.7
		2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
19-25		29	59.2	29	59.2	29	59.2	29	59.2
		43.9	43.9	43.9	43.9	43.9	43.9	43.9	43.9
		22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.3
26-45		26	44.1	26	44.1	26	44.1	26	44.1
		39.4	39.4	39.4	39.4	39.4	39.4	39.4	39.4
		20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0
COLUMN TOTAL		66	50.8	66	50.8	66	50.8	66	50.8
TOTAL		130	100.0	130	100.0	130	100.0	130	100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.45339 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM

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# GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

C O S T A R I C A N  
N A T I O N A L I T Y

U2

Q2	Q1	COUNT	ROW PCT	COL PCT	TOT PCT	POW	TOTAL
	SAUDI	1.	---	---	---	47	64.6
			---	---	---	56.0	84
			---	---	---	71.2	44.0
			---	---	---	36.2	57.8
			---	---	---	2.1	28.5
	MIDDLE EASTERN	3.	---	---	---	15	15
			---	---	---	50.0	50.0
			---	---	---	22.7	23.4
			---	---	---	11.5	11.5
	ALL OTHERS	5.	---	---	---	4	12
			---	---	---	25.0	75.0
			---	---	---	6.1	18.3
			---	---	---	3.1	9.2
	COLUMN TOTAL		---	---	---	66	64
			---	---	---	50.2	49.2
			---	---	---		130
			---	---	---		100.0







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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \*  
 \* \* \* \* \* DRIVING SCHOOLS \* \* \* \* \* C F O S S T A B U L A  
 \* \* \* \* \*

		COUNT		ROW		TOTAL	
		ROW	PCT	COL	PCT	TOT	PCT
		TOT	PCT	TOT	PCT	TOT	PCT
Q10	1.	29	47.5	1.1	32	61	46.9
		47.5	52.5		50.0		
		43.9	50.0		24.6		
DALLAH	2.	33	56.9	1.1	25	58	44.6
		56.9	43.1		39.1		
		53.0	19.2				
OTHERS	4.	4	36.4	1.1	7	11	8.5
		6.1	63.6		10.9		
		3.1	5.4				
COLUMN TOTAL		66	50.8	64	49.2	130	100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.03888 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \* K I L O M E T E R S D R I V E N A D A Y C K O S S T A F U L A R  
 \* \* \* \* \*

		COUNT		V1		ROW PCT		COL PCT		TOT PCT		FOW TOTAL	
Q11		1.		19		61.3		24.8		14.6		31	
<9000 MI-YR												23.0	
9001-12999		2.		15		46.9		22.7		11.5		32	
												24.6	
>13000 MI-YR		3.		32		47.8		44.5		24.6		67	
												51.5	
COLUMN TOTAL				66		50.8						130	
												100.0	

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.80963 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

Q12 NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS

		COUNT		V1		ROW TOTAL	
		ROW PCT	COL PCT	1.	2.	1.	2.
		TOT PCT					
Q12	NONE	1.	1.	47	39	86	66.2
				54.7	45.3		
				71.2	60.9		
ONE		2.	1.	36.2	30.0	29	22.3
				10	19		
				34.5	65.5		
TWO OR MORE		3.	1.	15.2	29.7	15	11.5
				17.7	14.6		
				9	6		
COLUMN TOTAL				60.0	40.0	130	100.0
				12.6	9.4		
				6.9	4.6		
				50.3	49.2		
				66	64		

RAW CHI SQUARE = 4.10749 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \* INCOME MONTHLY \* \* \* \* \* C K O S S T A B U L A R  
 \*

		COUNT		ROW PCT		COL PCT		TOT PCT		ROW TOTAL	

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONS

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

Q19 DRIVER'S LICENCE AVAILABILITY CROSSTABULATION

		V1							
		COUNT	ROW PCT	COL PCT	TOT PCT	1	2	ROW TOTAL	
Q19	WITH DRIVER'S LI	1	1.0	61	1.1	1.1	2.1	123	
				49.6	1	1	62	95.3	
				92.4	1	1	50.4		
WITHOUT DRIVER'S				47.3	1	1	93.4		
				5	1	1	48.1	6	
				63.3	1	1	16.7	4.7	
COLUMN TOTAL				7.6	1	1	1.6		
				3.9	1	1	.8		
				66	1	1	63	129	
		TOTAL	51.2	66	48.8			100.0	

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 1.43101 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 RAW CHI SQUARE = 2.60644 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

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## GRAPH DRIVEN CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

01 \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A

		V1				ROW TOTAL
		1.1	2.1	3.1		
Q1	COUNT					
	ROW PCT					
01	TOT PCT					
	1.	11	11	20	42	20.0
		26.7	26.2	47.0		
19-25	2.	16.2	17.2	23.9	57	20.0
		36.4	37.2	53.9		
		5.2	5.2	3.9		
26-45	3.	26	20	24	70	20.0
		17.7	26.0	30.4		
		13.0	31.3	35.3		
TOTAL	4.	26	33	32	91	20.0
		28.0	36.3	35.3		
		12.4	51.6	42.3		
TOTAL		66	64	13	143	20.0
		31.4	30.5	33.1		

RAW CHI SQUARE = 4.58624 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/92 )

\* \* \* \* \* C R C S S T A B U L A F  
 Q4 OCCUPATION \* \* \* \* \*

		V1				ROW TOTAL
		1.	2.	3.	4.	
Q4	COUNT					
	ROW PCT					
	CCL FCT					
	TGT PCT					
1. ALL OTHERS		25	26	20		71
		35.2	36.6	28.2		34.3
		38.5	46.6	25.6		
		12.1	12.6	5.7		
2. STUD & PROF DRIV		23	25	26		74
		31.1	33.1	35.1		35.7
		35.4	39.1	33.6		
		11.1	12.1	12.6		
3. PROFESSIONAL		17	17	13		62
		27.4	21.0	11.6		30.0
		26.2	20.3	41.0		
		8.2	6.3	15.5		
COLUMN TOTAL		65	64	76		207
		31.4	30.9	37.7		100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 8.59799 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 3





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## GHANT DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE GUEST (CREATION DATE = 33/15/82)

011 KILOMETERS DRIVEN A DAY C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N BY

COUNT	ROW PCT	COL PCT	V1				TOTAL
			1.	2.	3.	4.	
011							
<9000 HI-YR	1.		19.2	12.0	32.1		63.3
			30.8	19.0	50.0		99.8
			20.0	18.0	40.0		78.0
			9.0	5.7	15.2		30.0
9001-1299	2.		15.3	17.0	16.0		48.3
			31.7	35.4	30.0		97.1
			22.7	26.6	20.0		69.3
			7.1	8.1	7.0		22.2
>13000 HI-YR	3.		32.0	35.0	32.0		99.0
			48.5	35.4	32.0		115.9
			48.5	54.7	40.0		143.2
			15.2	16.7	15.2		47.1
COLUMN TOTAL			66	64	80		210
			31.4	30.5	38.1		100.0

RAW CH2 SQUARE = 7.73339 WITH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.



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## GHANI DRIVE: CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \*  
 Q12 \* \* \* \* \* NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS \* \* \* \* \*  
 \* \* \* \* \*

Q12	COUNT	V1				ROW TOTAL
		1.	2.	3.	4.	
NONE	ROW PCT					
	COL PCT					
	TOT PCT					
ONE	ROW PCT	47	39	41	3.1	126
	COL PCT	37.5	31.0	31.7	4.1	126
	TOT PCT	71.2	69.9	59.6	19.2	22.4
TWO OR MORE	ROW PCT	22.4	19.6	19.1	1.1	47
	COL PCT	19.3	19.4	30.3	22.5	22.4
	TOT PCT	21.2	29.7	22.5	3.0	57
COLUMNS TOTAL	ROW PCT	66	64	31	3.1	210
	COL PCT	31.4	30.5	30.3	3.1	210
	TOT PCT	13.24991	14TH	4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM		

ROW PCT SQUARE = 13.24991 4TH 4 DEGREES OF FREEDOM







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## GHANT DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

019 DRIVER'S LICENCE AVAILABILITY C L O S S T A B U L A

		V1				TOTAL
		1	2	3	4	
COUNT	ROW PCT	1	2	3	4	
COL PCT	TOT PCT	1	2	3	4	
019		1 <td>2<td>3<td>4</td><td></td></td></td>	2 <td>3<td>4</td><td></td></td>	3 <td>4</td> <td></td>	4	
WITH DRIVER'S LI		64	62	50	173	
		35.3	35.3	24.9	14.4	
		92.4	93.4	65.3		
		29.6	30.2	24.4		
WITHOUT DRIVER'S		1 <td>1<td>2<td>32</td><td></td></td></td>	1 <td>2<td>32</td><td></td></td>	2 <td>32</td> <td></td>	32	
		15.6	3.1	81.3	15.6	
		7.6	1.6	34.2		
		2.4	.5	12.7		
COLUMN		66	63	75	205	
TOTAL		32.2	30.7	37.1	100.0	

RAW CHI SQUARE = 32.53030 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 5

## APPENDIX I

### Cross Tabulation of Conflict Type and Characteristics of Drivers







GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE C

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

Q2 NATIONALITY

CONTROLLING FOR: C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N O F

INT INTERSECTION TYPE BY RQ20

VALUE

Q2	SAUDI	MIDDLE EASTERN	COLUMN TOTAL	ROW TOTAL
1.	160	22.7	207	100.0
3.	47	22.7	207	100.0
5.	47	22.7	207	100.0
7.	47	22.7	207	100.0
9.	47	22.7	207	100.0
11.	47	22.7	207	100.0
13.	47	22.7	207	100.0
15.	47	22.7	207	100.0
17.	47	22.7	207	100.0
19.	47	22.7	207	100.0
21.	47	22.7	207	100.0
23.	47	22.7	207	100.0
25.	47	22.7	207	100.0
27.	47	22.7	207	100.0
29.	47	22.7	207	100.0
31.	47	22.7	207	100.0
33.	47	22.7	207	100.0
35.	47	22.7	207	100.0
37.	47	22.7	207	100.0
39.	47	22.7	207	100.0
41.	47	22.7	207	100.0
43.	47	22.7	207	100.0
45.	47	22.7	207	100.0
47.	47	22.7	207	100.0
49.	47	22.7	207	100.0
51.	47	22.7	207	100.0
53.	47	22.7	207	100.0
55.	47	22.7	207	100.0
57.	47	22.7	207	100.0
59.	47	22.7	207	100.0
61.	47	22.7	207	100.0
63.	47	22.7	207	100.0
65.	47	22.7	207	100.0
67.	47	22.7	207	100.0
69.	47	22.7	207	100.0
71.	47	22.7	207	100.0
73.	47	22.7	207	100.0
75.	47	22.7	207	100.0
77.	47	22.7	207	100.0
79.	47	22.7	207	100.0
81.	47	22.7	207	100.0
83.	47	22.7	207	100.0
85.	47	22.7	207	100.0
87.	47	22.7	207	100.0
89.	47	22.7	207	100.0
91.	47	22.7	207	100.0
93.	47	22.7	207	100.0
95.	47	22.7	207	100.0
97.	47	22.7	207	100.0
99.	47	22.7	207	100.0
101.	47	22.7	207	100.0
103.	47	22.7	207	100.0
105.	47	22.7	207	100.0
107.	47	22.7	207	100.0
109.	47	22.7	207	100.0
111.	47	22.7	207	100.0
113.	47	22.7	207	100.0
115.	47	22.7	207	100.0
117.	47	22.7	207	100.0
119.	47	22.7	207	100.0
121.	47	22.7	207	100.0
123.	47	22.7	207	100.0
125.	47	22.7	207	100.0
127.	47	22.7	207	100.0
129.	47	22.7	207	100.0
131.	47	22.7	207	100.0
133.	47	22.7	207	100.0
135.	47	22.7	207	100.0
137.	47	22.7	207	100.0
139.	47	22.7	207	100.0
141.	47	22.7	207	100.0
143.	47	22.7	207	100.0
145.	47	22.7	207	100.0
147.	47	22.7	207	100.0
149.	47	22.7	207	100.0
151.	47	22.7	207	100.0
153.	47	22.7	207	100.0
155.	47	22.7	207	100.0
157.	47	22.7	207	100.0
159.	47	22.7	207	100.0
161.	47	22.7	207	100.0
163.	47	22.7	207	100.0
165.	47	22.7	207	100.0
167.	47	22.7	207	100.0
169.	47	22.7	207	100.0
171.	47	22.7	207	100.0
173.	47	22.7	207	100.0
175.	47	22.7	207	100.0
177.	47	22.7	207	100.0
179.	47	22.7	207	100.0
181.	47	22.7	207	100.0
183.	47	22.7	207	100.0
185.	47	22.7	207	100.0
187.	47	22.7	207	100.0
189.	47	22.7	207	100.0
191.	47	22.7	207	100.0
193.	47	22.7	207	100.0
195.	47	22.7	207	100.0
197.	47	22.7	207	100.0
199.	47	22.7	207	100.0
201.	47	22.7	207	100.0
203.	47	22.7	207	100.0
205.	47	22.7	207	100.0
207.	47	22.7	207	100.0
209.	47	22.7	207	100.0
211.	47	22.7	207	100.0
213.	47	22.7	207	100.0
215.	47	22.7	207	100.0
217.	47	22.7	207	100.0
219.	47	22.7	207	100.0
221.	47	22.7	207	100.0
223.	47	22.7	207	100.0
225.	47	22.7	207	100.0
227.	47	22.7	207	100.0
229.	47	22.7	207	100.0
231.	47	22.7	207	100.0
233.	47	22.7	207	100.0
235.	47	22.7	207	100.0
237.	47	22.7	207	100.0
239.	47	22.7	207	100.0
241.	47	22.7	207	100.0
243.	47	22.7	207	100.0
245.	47	22.7	207	100.0
247.	47	22.7	207	100.0
249.	47	22.7	207	100.0
251.	47	22.7	207	100.0
253.	47	22.7	207	100.0
255.	47	22.7	207	100.0
257.	47	22.7	207	100.0
259.	47	22.7	207	100.0
261.	47	22.7	207	100.0
263.	47	22.7	207	100.0
265.	47	22.7	207	100.0
267.	47	22.7	207	100.0
269.	47	22.7	207	100.0
271.	47	22.7	207	100.0
273.	47	22.7	207	100.0
275.	47	22.7	207	100.0
277.	47	22.7	207	100.0
279.	47	22.7	207	100.0
281.	47	22.7	207	100.0
283.	47	22.7	207	100.0
285.	47	22.7	207	100.0
287.	47	22.7	207	100.0
289.	47	22.7	207	100.0
291.	47	22.7	207	100.0
293.	47	22.7	207	100.0
295.	47	22.7	207	100.0
297.	47	22.7	207	100.0
299.	47	22.7	207	100.0
301.	47	22.7	207	100.0
303.	47	22.7	207	100.0
305.	47	22.7	207	100.0
307.	47	22.7	207	100.0
309.	47	22.7	207	100.0
311.	47	22.7	207	100.0
313.	47	22.7	207	100.0
315.	47	22.7	207	100.0
317.	47	22.7	207	100.0
319.	47	22.7	207	100.0
321.	47	22.7	207	100.0
323.	47	22.7	207	100.0
325.	47	22.7	207	100.0
327.	47	22.7	207	100.0
329.	47	22.7	207	100.0
331.	47	22.7	207	100.0
333.	47	22.7	207	100.0
335.	47	22.7	207	100.0
337.	47	22.7	207	100.0
339.	47	22.7	207	100.0
341.	47	22.7	207	100.0
343.	47	22.7	207	100.0
345.	47	22.7	207	100.0
347.	47	22.7	207	100.0
349.	47	22.7	207	100.0
351.	47	22.7	207	100.0
353.	47	22.7	207	100.0
355.	47	22.7	207	100.0
357.	47	22.7	207	100.0
359.	47	22.7	207	100.0
361.	47	22.7	207	100.0
363.	47	22.7	207	100.0
365.	47	22.7	207	100.0
367.	47	22.7	207	100.0
369.	47	22.7	207	100.0
371.	47	22.7	207	100.0
373.	47	22.7	207	100.0
375.	47	22.7	207	100.0
377.	47	22.7	207	100.0
379.	47	22.7	207	100.0
381.	47	22.7	207	100.0
383.	47	22.7	207	100.0
385.	47	22.7	207	100.0
387.	47	22.7	207	100.0
389.	47	22.7	207	100.0
391.	47	22.7	207	100.0
393.	47	22.7	207	100.0
395.	47	22.7	207	100.0
397.	47	22.7	207	100.0
399.	47	22.7	207	100.0
401.	47	22.7	207	100.0
403.	47	22.7	207	100.0
405.	47	22.7	207	100.0
407.	47	22.7	207	100.0
409.	47	22.7	207	100.0
411.	47	22.7	207	100.0
413.	47	22.7	207	100.0
415.	47	22.7	207	100.0
417.	47	22.7	207	100.0
419.	47	22.7	207	100.0
421.	47	22.7	207	100.0
423.	47	22.7	207	100.0
425.	47	22.7	207	100.0
427.	47	22.7	207	100.0
429.	47	22.7	207	100.0
431.	47	22.7	207	100.0
433.	47	22.7	207	100.0
435.	47	22.7	207	100.0
437.	47	22.7	207	100.0
439.	47	22.7	207	100.0
441.	47	22.7	207	100.0
443.	47	22.7	207	100.0
445.	47	22.7	207	100.0
447.	47	22.7	207	100.0
449.	47	22.7	207	100.0



## FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

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## FILE. QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

Q4 CONTROLLING FOR:	OCCUPATION	CROSS TABULATION BY RQ20	OF		
INT	INTERSECTION TYPE	VALUE	*	*	*

RQ20									
COUNT	RIGHT AN	TURNING	REAR END	SIDE	ROW				
ROW PCT	GLE		PE	SWI	TOTAL				
TOT PCT									
1.	0	1.	2.	3.	4.				
SALES	35	23	4	7	73				
TEACH	47.9	31.5	5.5	9.6	44.5				
PROF	40.7	50.0	4.4	58.3					
	21.3	14.0	2.4	4.3					
4.	51	23	7	5	91				
OTHER	56.0	25.3	7.7	5.5	55.5				
	59.3	50.0	6.6	41.7					
	31.1	14.0	4.3	3.0					
COLUMN	86	46	11	12	164				
TOTAL	52.4	28.0	6.7	7.3	100.0				



## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\* \* \* \* \* EDUCATION LEVEL \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N O F  
 Q5 CONTROLLING FOR \* \* \* \* \*  
 INT \* \* \* \* \* INTERSECTION TYPE \* \* \* \* \* VALUE \* \* \* \* \*

		RQ20										ROW TOTAL	
COUNT		I											
ROW PCT		I											
COL PCT		I											
TOT PCT		I											
1.		0											
< HIGH SCHOOL		1											
		49	22	1	2	3	4	5	7	4	4	4	87
		56.3	25.3	1.1	8.0	4.6	5.7	5.7	63.6	4.6	5.7	5.7	52.4
		57.0	45.8	1.1	63.6	4.4	41.7	41.7	44.4	4.4	41.7	41.7	
		29.5	13.3	1.1	4.2	2.4	3.0	3.0					
3.		1											
>= HIGH SCHOOL		1											
		37	26	4	5	6	7	8	4	5	6	7	79
		46.8	32.9	5.1	6.3	5.6	8.9	8.9	5.1	6.3	5.6	8.9	47.6
		43.0	54.2	36.4	55.6	5.0	58.3	58.3	36.4	55.6	5.0	58.3	
		22.3	15.7	2.4	3.0	3.0	4.2	4.2					
COLUMN TOTAL		I											
		86	48	11	3	5	12	12	11	3	7	12	166
		51.8	28.9	6.6	5.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	6.6	5.4	7.2	7.2	100.0

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\*\*\*\*\*  
 Q11 KILOMETERS DRIVEN A DAY C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N O F  
 CONTROLLING FOR. BY RQ20  
 INT \*\*\*\*\*  
 INTERSECTION TYPE VALUE \*\*\*\*\*

RQ20									
COUNT	RIGHT AN TURNING	REAR END	SIDE	SWI	ROW				
ROW PCT	GLE	PE	PE	PE	TOTAL				
TOT PCT	1.	2.	3.	4.					
011	0	1	1	1	1				
1.	45	6	12	7	75				
<9000 MI-YR	60.0	8.0	16.0	9.3	29.9				
	35.7	26.1	30.0	14.6					
	17.9	2.4	4.8	2.9					
2.	20	6	12	10	51				
9001-12999	39.2	11.8	23.5	19.6	20.3				
	15.9	26.1	30.0	20.8					
	8.0	2.4	4.8	4.0					
3.	61	11	16	31	125				
>13000 MI-YR	48.8	8.8	12.8	24.3	49.8				
	48.4	47.8	40.8	64.6					
	24.3	4.4	6.4	12.4					
COLUMN	126	23	40	48	251				
TOTAL	50.2	9.2	15.9	19.1	100.0				





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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE CUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/02 )

\* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N O F  
 Q12 NUMBER CF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS BY RQ20  
 CONTROLLING FOR  
 INT INTERSECTION TYPE VALUE \* \* \* \* \*

RQ20									
COUNT		RIGHT AN		TURNING		REAR END		SIDE SWI	
ROW	PCT	GLE				PE			TOTAL
COL	PCT								
TOT	PCT								
1.		1.1	2.1	3.1	4.1				
Q12		114	22	36	38		224		
NONE	ONE	50.9	9.8	16.1	17.4		89.6		
		91.2	95.7	90.0	81.3				
		45.6	8.8	14.4	15.6				
3.		1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1		26		
TWO	OF MORE	42.3	3.8	4	34.6		10.4		
		8.8	4.3	15.4	18.8				
		4.4	.4	1.6	3.6				
COLUMN	TOTAL	125	23	40	48		250		
		50.0	9.2	16.0	19.2		100.0		

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE GUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/02 )

\* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N O F  
 Q12 NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS BY RQ20  
 CONTROLLING FOR:

\* \* \* \* \* INTERSECTION TYPE VALUE \* \* \* \* \*  
 \* \* \* \* \*

RQ20

COUNT	ROW PCT	COL PCT	TOT PCT	RIGHT AN TURNING	REAR END	SIDE PE	SHI	POW
				GLE	GLE	GLE	GLE	TOTAL
Q12	1.	NONE ONE	I	1.1	2.1	3.1	4.1	132
				35	7	8	8	79.5
				26.5	5.3	6.1	6.1	
				72.9	77.8	66.7	66.7	
	3.	TWO OR MORE	I	21.1	4.2	4.8	4.8	34
				13	2	4	4	20.5
				38.2	5.9	11.8	11.8	
				27.1	22.2	33.3	33.3	
COLUMN	TOTAL		I	27.8	1.2	2.4	2.4	166
				48	3	12	12	100.0
				20.9	5.4	7.2	7.2	
				11	6.6	7.2	7.2	



## FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/02 )

Q18		INCOME, MONTHLY, S.R.		CROSS TABULATION BY RQ20	
CONTROLLING INT	INTERSECTION TYPE	VALUE	VALUE	VALUE	VALUE
1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9	9	9
10	10	10	10	10	10
11	11	11	11	11	11
12	12	12	12	12	12
13	13	13	13	13	13
14	14	14	14	14	14
15	15	15	15	15	15
16	16	16	16	16	16
17	17	17	17	17	17
18	18	18	18	18	18
19	19	19	19	19	19
20	20	20	20	20	20
21	21	21	21	21	21
22	22	22	22	22	22
23	23	23	23	23	23
24	24	24	24	24	24
25	25	25	25	25	25
26	26	26	26	26	26
27	27	27	27	27	27
28	28	28	28	28	28
29	29	29	29	29	29
30	30	30	30	30	30
31	31	31	31	31	31
32	32	32	32	32	32
33	33	33	33	33	33
34	34	34	34	34	34
35	35	35	35	35	35
36	36	36	36	36	36
37	37	37	37	37	37
38	38	38	38	38	38
39	39	39	39	39	39
40	40	40	40	40	40
41	41	41	41	41	41
42	42	42	42	42	42
43	43	43	43	43	43
44	44	44	44	44	44
45	45	45	45	45	45
46	46	46	46	46	46
47	47	47	47	47	47
48	48	48	48	48	48
49	49	49	49	49	49
50	50	50	50	50	50
51	51	51	51	51	51
52	52	52	52	52	52
53	53	53	53	53	53
54	54	54	54	54	54
55	55	55	55	55	55
56	56	56	56	56	56
57	57	57	57	57	57
58	58	58	58	58	58
59	59	59	59	59	59
60	60	60	60	60	60
61	61	61	61	61	61
62	62	62	62	62	62
63	63	63	63	63	63
64	64	64	64	64	64
65	65	65	65	65	65
66	66	66	66	66	66
67	67	67	67	67	67
68	68	68	68	68	68
69	69	69	69	69	69
70	70	70	70	70	70
71	71	71	71	71	71
72	72	72	72	72	72
73	73	73	73	73	73
74					

COUNT		ROW PCT		COL PCT		TOT PCT		R020		RIGHT AN TURNING		REAR END		SIDE SWI		ROW TOTAL	
Q10	1.	37	43.0	31.1	16.1	0	1	1	1	1	2.	1	3.	1	4.	1	86
	LESS THAN 3000																37.4
	2.	55	53.9	46.2	23.9	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	13	1	1	1	102
	3000-6000																44.3
	3.	27	64.3	22.7	11.7	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	1	1	1	42
	MORE THAN 6000																16.3
	COLUMN TOTAL	119	51.7	12	5.2	1	1	1	1	1	21	1	32	1	46	1	230
											9.1		13.9		20.0		100.0





## APPENDIX J

### Chi-Square for Conflict Type by Intersection

J-1

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE    Q20    (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A \*\*\*\*\*  
 RQ20 B

		COUNT		INTTYP1			
ROW	PCT	COL	PCT	1.	2.	ROW	TOTAL
TOT	PCT						
RQ20							
RIGHT ANGLE	1.			9	5		14
				64.3	35.7		11.2
				13.8	8.3		
				7.2	4.0		
TURNING	2.			18	5		23
				78.3	21.7		18.4
				27.7	8.3		
				14.4	4.0		
REAR END	3.			15	25		40
				37.5	62.5		32.0
				23.1	41.7		
				12.0	20.0		
SIDE SWIPE.	4.			23	25		48
				47.9	52.1		38.4
				35.4	41.7		
				18.4	20.0		
COLUMN				55	60		125
TOTAL				52.0	48.0		100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 10.89144 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 5

Signalized Intersections



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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A  
 RQ20  
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		COUNT		INTTYP1							
		ROW	PCT	I				4	5	6	ROW
		COL	PCT	I							TOTAL
		TOT	PCT	I							
RQ20		-----			3. I			4. I			
RIGHT ANGLE		1.		I	1.0		I		3.0		4.8
				I	37.5		I		62.5		60.0
				I	52.9		I		65.2		
				I	22.5		I		37.5		
		2.		I	-----			-----			
TURNING				I	5		I		6		11
				I	45.5		I		54.5		13.7
				I	14.7		I		13.0		
				I	6.3		I		7.5		
		3.		I	-----			-----			
REAR END				I	5		I		4		9
				I	55.6		I		44.4		11.2
				I	14.7		I		8.7		
				I	6.3		I		5.0		
		4.		I	-----			-----			
SIDE SWIPE				I	5		I		6		12
				I	50.0		I		50.0		15.0
				I	17.6		I		13.0		
				I	7.5		I		7.5		
		-----			-----			-----			
COLUMN					34			46			80
TOTAL					42.5			57.5			100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 1.43429 WITH 3 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

Unsignalized Intersections

## APPENDIX K

Chi-Square Test for Conflict Type  
vs. Sample 1 For Each Driver Characteristic



K-2

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\* \* \* \* \* NATIONALITY \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \* BY

		COUNT		RIGHT AN		ROW	
		ROW PCT		GLE		TOTAL	
		COL PCT					
		TOT PCT					
Q2	SAUDI	1.	138	01	1.1	179	
			77.1		41	79.2	
			82.1		22.9		
			61.1		70.7		
	MIDDLE EASTERN	3.	30	1	17	47	
			63.8		36.2	20.8	
			17.9		29.3		
			13.3		7.5		
COLUMN TOTAL			168		58	226	
			74.3		25.7	100.0	

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 2.77346 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.43359 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 48

K-3

GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

Q12 NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS LAST TWO YEARS C R O S S T A B U L A T BY

		COUNT		RIGHT AN		ROW	
		ROW PCT	COL PCT	GLE	GLE	TOTAL	TOTAL
		TOT PCT	TOT PCT	01	10		
Q12	NONE ONE	1.	188	1	48	1	236
			79.7	1	20.3	1	86.4
			89.1	1	77.4	1	
			68.9	1	17.6	1	
	TWO OR MORE	3.	23	1	14	1	37
			62.2	1	37.8	1	13.6
			10.9	1	22.6	1	
			9.4	1	5.1	1	
COLUMN			211	1	62	273	
TOTAL			77.3		22.7	100.0	

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 4.62744 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 RAW CHI SQUARE = 5.57984 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

K-4

## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \* INCOME, MONTHLY, S.R. C R O S S T A B U L A  
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COUNT		RIGHT ANGLE		POLY TOTAL
ROW PCT	COL PCT	RIGHT ANGLE	POLY TOTAL	
1.	1.	1.	1.	1.
LESS THAN 3000	44	11	11	55
	80.0	20.0	20.0	47.0
	54.0	30.0	30.0	
	37.6	9.4	9.4	
2.	27	23	23	48
3000-6000	56.3	43.3	43.3	41.2
	33.3	56.3	56.3	
	23.1	17.6	17.6	
3.	10	4	4	14
MORE THAN 6000	71.4	20.0	20.0	12.0
	12.3	11.1	11.1	
	6.6	3.4	3.4	
COLUMN TOTAL	81	36	36	117
	69.2	30.8	30.8	100.0

RAW CHI SQUARE = 6.82397 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 17

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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

\* \* \* \* \* AGE \* \* \* \* \* C F C S S T A R U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \* BY \* \* \* \* \*

		COUNT		ROW PCT		COL PCT		TURNING		RCU TOTAL	
		R020									
01	<=25 >=46	1.	49	76.6	38.9	32.9	15	23.4	65.2	10.1	43.0
			77	90.6	61.1	51.7	9.4	34.8	5.4	85	57.0
26-45		3.	126	84.6	23	15.4	149	100.0			
		COLUMN TOTAL									

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 4.48919 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 RAW CHI SQUARE = 5.50222 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.







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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/92 )

\* \* \* \* \* EDUCATION LEVEL \* \* \* \* \* C R O S S T A B U L A T  
 \* \* \* \* \* BY

		RQ20					
		COUNT	REAR	END		ROW	
		ROW PCT	COL PCT	TOT PCT		TOTAL	
Q5		1.	3.	01		3.	
< HIGH SCHOOL		77.9	116	1	1	22.1	149
		54.7	33	1	1	68.8	57.3
		44.6	12.7	1	1	15	
>= HIGH SCHOOL		96	15	1	1	13.5	111
		86.5	31.3	1	1	35.8	42.7
		45.3	5.8	1	1		
COLUMN TOTAL		212	48	18.5		260	
		81.5		100.0			

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 2.60277 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 RAW CHI SQUARE = 3.15024 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

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GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82)

04 \*\*\*\*\* OCCUPATION \*\*\*\*\* C R O S S T A B U L A T I O N BY \*\*\*\*\*

		COUNT		SIDE		ROW	
		ROW PCT		PE		TOTAL	
		COL PCT		CI			
		TOT PCT					
Q4	SALES TEACH PROF	1.	73	17	4.	52.0	93
		91.1	13.9				
		58.4	35.4				
		42.2	39.8				
OTHER		52	31			44.0	93
		62.7	37.3				
		41.6	64.9				
		30.1	17.9				
COLUMN TOTAL		125	48	27.7		173	
		72.3				100.0	

CORRECTED CHI SQUARE = 5.44815 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.  
 RAW CHI SQUARE = 7.34011 WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

## FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

Q12	NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS	LAST TWO YEARS	CROSS TAB BY
1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9
10	10	10	10
11	11	11	11
12	12	12	12
13	13	13	13
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27	27	27	27
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29	29	29	29
30	30	30	30
31	31	31	31
32	32	32	32
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91	91	91	91
92	92	92	92
93	93	93	93
94	94	94	94
95	95	95	95
96	96	96	96
97	97	97	97
98	98	98	98
99	99	99	99
100	100	100	100

	COUNT	RG20	SIDE PE	SWI	ROW TOTAL
	ROW PCT	I	---	---	
	COL PCT	I	---	---	
	TOT PCT	I	---	---	
Q12	1.	I	01	4.	235
NONE ONE		I	198	47	86.7
		I	80.0	20.0	
		I	89.1	78.3	
		I	69.4	17.3	
		I	---	---	
TWO OR MORE	3.	I	23	13	36
		I	63.9	36.1	13.3
		I	10.9	21.7	
		I	8.5	4.9	
		I	---	---	
COLUMN TOTAL		I	211	60	271
		I	77.9	22.1	100.0

CORRECTED	CHI SQUARE	=	3.91249	WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.
RAW	CHI SQUARE	=	4.70764	WITH 1 DEGREE OF FREEDOM.

NUMBER OF MISSING OBSERVATIONS = 1

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\* \* \* \* \* K I L O M E T E R S D R I V E N A D A Y C R O S S T A B U L A  
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		RQ20							
		COUNT	I	SIDE SWI		ROW			
		ROW PCT	I	PE		TOTAL			
		COL PCT	I						
		TOT PCT	I						
				01	4.1				
Q11									
<9000 MI-YR		1.		83	11		94		
				88.3	11.7		34.6		
				39.2	18.3				
				30.5	4.0				
9001-12999		2.		38	14		52		
				73.1	26.9		19.1		
				17.9	23.3				
				14.0	5.1				
>13000 MI-YR		3.		91	35		126		
				72.2	27.8		46.3		
				42.9	58.3				
				33.5	12.9				
COLUMN TOTAL				212	60		272		
				77.9	22.1		100.0		

RAW CHI SQUARE = 8.97692 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

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## GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE

FILE QUEST (CREATION DATE = 03/15/82 )

\* \* \* \* \* K I L O M E T E R S D R I V E N A D A Y C R O S S T A B U L A T

Q11	COUNT	ROW PCT	COL PCT	TOT PCT	SIDE PE	SIDE SHI	ROW TOTAL
<9000 MI-YR	1.					4.1	
		45				7	52
		65.3				13.5	29.9
		35.7				14.6	
9001-12999	2.					10	39
		23				33.3	17.2
		65.7				20.7	
		15.9				31	92
>13000 MI-YR	3.					31	52.9
		61				33.7	
		66.3				54.6	
		48.4				17.8	
COLUMNS TOTAL		125				48	174
		72.4				27.6	103.9

RAW CHI SQUARE = 7.40838 WITH 2 DEGREES OF FREEDOM.

## APPENDIX L

### THE MODEL

## VARIABLE(S) ENTERED ON STEP NUMBER 2.. Q1R1

MULTIPLE R .71290  
 R SQUARE .50409  
 ADJUSTED R SQUARE .48115  
 STD DEVIATION 135.40211

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE  
 REGRESSION 2.  
 RESIDUAL 1.  
 COEFF OF VARIABILITY 52.5 PCT

SUM OF SQUARES  
 57151.70923  
 55331.53050

MEAN SQUARE  
 28575.85431  
 19443.84350

F 1.54934  
 SIGNIFICANCE .345

----- VARIABLES IN THE EQUATION -----

VARIABLE	B	STD ERROR B	F SIGNIFICANCE	BETA ELASTICITY	VARIABLE	PARTIAL TOLERANCE	F SIGNIFICANCE
Q1P2	-218.81945	175.91188	1.5473249	-.5079153	Q1R3	-.39220	.29694
Q1R1	-61.692369	57.259539	1.1608262	-.67197			.34212940
(CONSTANT)	570.70399	196.71311	8.4169520	-.4378449			.618
			.336	-.33466			
			.062				

----- VARIABLES NOT IN THE EQUATION -----



GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE  
REGRESSION  
FILE NAME (CREATION DATE = 04/13/P2 )

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\*\*\*\*\* MULTIPLE REGRESSION \*\*\*\*\*

DEPENDENT VARIABLE.. RATE

MEAN RESPONSE 258.63123 STD. DEV. 149.98883

VARIABLE(S) ENTERED ON STEP NUMBER 1.. Q1R2

MULTIPLE R	ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE	OF	SUM OF SQUARES	MEAN SQUARE	F	SIGNIFICANCE
R SQUARE .53369	REGRESSION 1.		35741.61150	35741.61150	1.86296	.244
ADJUSTED R SQUARE .31775	RESIDUAL 4.		76741.62764	19185.40691		
STD DEVIATION 138.51143	COEFF OF VARIABILITY 53.6 PCT					

----- VARIABLES IN THE EQUATION -----

VARIABLE	B	STD ERROR B	F	SIGNIFICANCE
Q1R2	-242.89763	177.95972	1.8629582	.244
(CONSTANT)	508.96654	131.92016	7.0323538	.0137

----- BETA ELASTICITY -----

VARIABLE	BETA ELASTICITY
Q1R1	-.5636937
Q1R3	-.96792

----- VARIABLES NOT IN THE EQUATION -----

VARIABLE	PARTIAL TOLERANCE	F	SIGNIFICANCE
Q1R1	-.52819	.98346	1.1608262
Q1R3	.11249	.53805	.360
			.38448561E-01
			.857

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 REGRESSION (CREATION DATE = 04/13/82) SPSS V8.0 .13.27.33. PAGE 5  
 FILE NAME  
 \* \* \* \* \* M U L T I P L E R E G R E S S I O N \* \* \* \* \*  
 DEPENDENT VARIABLE.. RATE  
 VARIABLE(S) ENTERED ON STEP NUMBER 3.. Q1R3

ANALYSIS OF VARIANCE				SUM OF SQUARES		MEAN SQUARE		F		SIGNIFICANCE	
				3.	65234.32919	21744.77640	.92044				
REGRESSION				2.	47248.90984	23624.45497					
RESIDUAL				59.4	PCT						
COEFF OF VARIABILITY											
MULTIPLE R	.76154										
R SQUARE	.57995										
ADJUSTED R SQUARE	153.70249										
STD DEVIATION											

VARIABLES IN THE EQUATION				VARIABLES NOT IN THE EQUATION			
VARIABLE	B	STD ERROR B	F SIGNIFICANCE	BETA ELASTICITY	VARIABLE	PARTIAL TOLERANCE	F SIGNIFICANCE
Q1R2	-349.558F2	299.32756	1.3637888	-.8112229			
Q1R1	-95.848847	87.232980	1.2072921	-1.39296			
Q1R3	-149.20741	255.22780	.34212840	-.51994			
(CONSTANT)	925.20914	645.67312	2.0533095	-.4919240			
			.288	-.56443			

ALL VARIABLES ARE IN THE EQUATION.

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 GHANI DRIVER CHARACTERISTICS QUESTIONNAIRE  
 REGRESSION  
 FILE NONAME (CREATION DATE = 04/13/82 )  
 \* \* \* \* \* MULTIPLE REGRESSION \* \* \* \* \*  
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DEPENDENT VARIABLE.. RATE

SUMMARY TABLE

STEP	ENTERED	VARIABLE REMOVED	F TO ENTER OR REMOVE	SIGNIFICANCE	MULTIPLE R	R SQUARE	R SQUARE CHANGE	SIMPLE R	OVERALL F	SIGNIFICANCE
1	Q1R2		1.86296	.244	.56369	.31775	.31775	-.56369	1.86296	.244
2	Q1R1		1.16693	.302	.71280	.20809	.19034	-.50436	1.58934	.345
3	Q1R3		.34213	.618	.76154	.57995	.07186	.45128	.92044	.550

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