



Motor Carrier Safety Progress Report

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

(as of December 31, 2002)



SAFETY OUTCOMES	2000	2001	2002
• Large Truck Fatalities	5,282	5,082	*
• Large Truck Fatality Rate (per 100 million truck vehicle miles traveled)	2.6	2.4	*
• Intercity Bus Fatalities	47	46	*
• Large Truck Injuries	140,000	131,000	*
• Large Truck Injury Rate (per 100 million truck vehicle miles traveled)	68.0	62.9	*

Sources: NHTSA (fatalities and injuries), FHWA (truck vehicle miles traveled).

*Data not available.

DATA QUALITY	2001	2002
ACCURACY		
• Percentage of FMCSA reported crashes matched to a carrier	88%	70%
• Percentage of FMCSA reported inspections matched to a carrier	94%	82%
TIMELINESS		
• Average time to upload a crash to FMCSA	191 days	90 days
• Average time to upload an inspection to FMCSA	32 days	29 days
COMPLETENESS		
• Percentage of fatal crashes reported to FMCSA	79%	*

*Data not available.

PROGRAM OUTPUTS	FY 2001 Total	FY 2002 Total	FY 2003 (Oct-Dec 2002)
INCREASING ENFORCEMENT			
• Number of Federal Compliance Reviews	10,086	7,537*	2,445
• Number of State Compliance Reviews	3,402	2,832	718
• Number of enforcement cases initiated	5,413	4,013	1,381
- Unsat/Unfit out-of-service orders	174	191	70
- Operations out-of-service orders	2	0	0
• Roadside inspections, trucks	2,627,605	2,808,062	554,475
• Roadside inspections, buses	35,786	36,233	6,856
• States participating in PRISM	20	25	25

*Decrease in FY 2002 resulted from a shift of resources to HM security visits (see below).

INCREASING SAFETY AND SECURITY AWARENESS			
• ITS-CVO: Number of Federal, State, and industry attendees at briefings	2,653	1,342	663
• Web sites visits to Analysis and Information (A&I) Online	372,504	584,926	188,015
• HM Security Sensitivity Visits (SSVs)	-	30,893	*
• Federal/State personnel training:			
- For Compliance Reviews	123	102	15
- For roadside inspections	3,972	3,993	595
- For hazardous materials	1,933	1,380	408
- For in-service	361	256	65

*SSV data for FY 2003 not yet available.

IMPROVING SAFETY INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY			
• States participating in CVISN (In Planning, Design, Deployment)	17, 4, 30	10, 7, 34	10, 7, 34

FINAL RULEMAKINGS, FY 2003 (Oct-Dec 2002)			
• Development of a North American Standard for Protection Against Shifting and Falling Cargo (December 26, 2002).			
• Registration Enforcement Interim Final Rule (October 28, 2002, comments due).			
• Federal Motor Carriers Safety Regulations Technical Amendments (October 2, 2002).			
• Revision to Periodic Tire Check Requirement for Motor Carriers Transporting Hazardous Materials (October 4, 2002).			