

# ROAD TRAFFIC INJURIES: THE FACTS

## 1.25 million

road traffic deaths occur every year

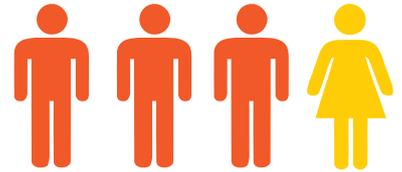
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cause of death among those aged 15-29 years

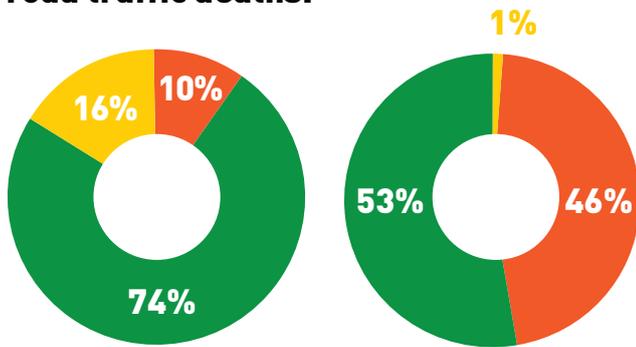


## 3 out of 4

road deaths are among men



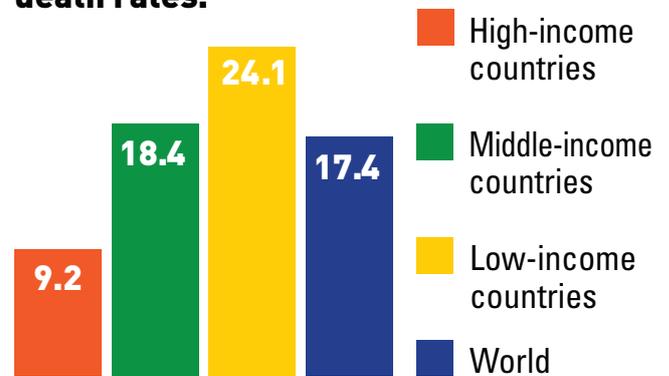
Although low- and middle-income countries have only half of the world's vehicles, they have 90% of the world's road traffic deaths.



DEATHS

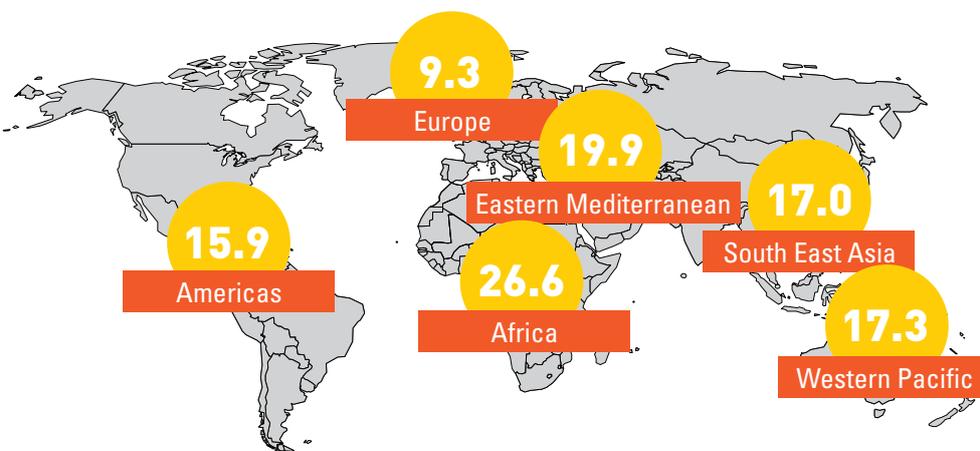
VEHICLES

Low-income countries have the highest road traffic death rates.



Road traffic fatalities per 100 000 population

The chance of dying in a road traffic crash depends on where you live



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## 49%

of all road traffic deaths are among pedestrians, cyclists and motorcycles.



World Health Organization

Global status report on road safety 2015

[www.who.int/violence\\_injury\\_prevention/road\\_safety\\_status/2015/en/](http://www.who.int/violence_injury_prevention/road_safety_status/2015/en/)

