



## OPERATION LIFESAVER, INC. STATISTICS WORKSHEET

1. Most collisions occur with trains traveling under **30** mph.
2. Approximately **55%** of Kansas collisions occur in daylight hours.
3. Most collisions occur within **25** miles of the driver's home.
4. About every **3 hours** (some place in the United States) a collisions occurs between a train and a vehicle or a train and a pedestrian.
5. At 55 mph, it may take a train up to a **mile** or more to stop.
6. Nearly **50%** of all collisions occur at crossings equipped with active warning devices. *In Kansas, 60%.*
7. You are **20** times more likely to die in a collision with a train than in a collision involving another motor vehicle.
8. Nearly **25%** of all collisions occur when the vehicle runs into the side of the train.
9. In Kansas, there are **5,132** public, and **2,489** private at-grade crossings = **7,621 total**
10. In Kansas, **76%** of the drivers involved in a collision with a train have been male.
11. In Kansas, **35%** of the collisions involve a semi or other large vehicle requiring a CDL.
12. In Kansas for the last 5 years, 100% of the collisions were attributed to driver action.

### National Crossing Collisions

	2013	2014	2015
Collisions	2,102	2,291	2,059
Injuries	975	860	980
Fatalities	232	264	240

### National Trespasser Incidents

	2013	2014	2015
Injuries	434	421	407
Fatalities	425	472	486

**Kansas** Crossing Collisions  
Collisions  
Injuries  
Fatalities

<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>
<b>46</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>

**Kansas** Trespasser Incidents  
Injuries  
Fatalities

<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>

*Source: Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) Data is subject to change as updated information impacts records.*

Source: Federal Railroad Administration [www.fra.dot.gov](http://www.fra.dot.gov)

Statistics are available at Operation Lifesaver, Inc (national) [www.oli.org](http://www.oli.org) or call 800-537-6224.

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