

NSW heavy truck fatal crashes – as at 14 June 2021

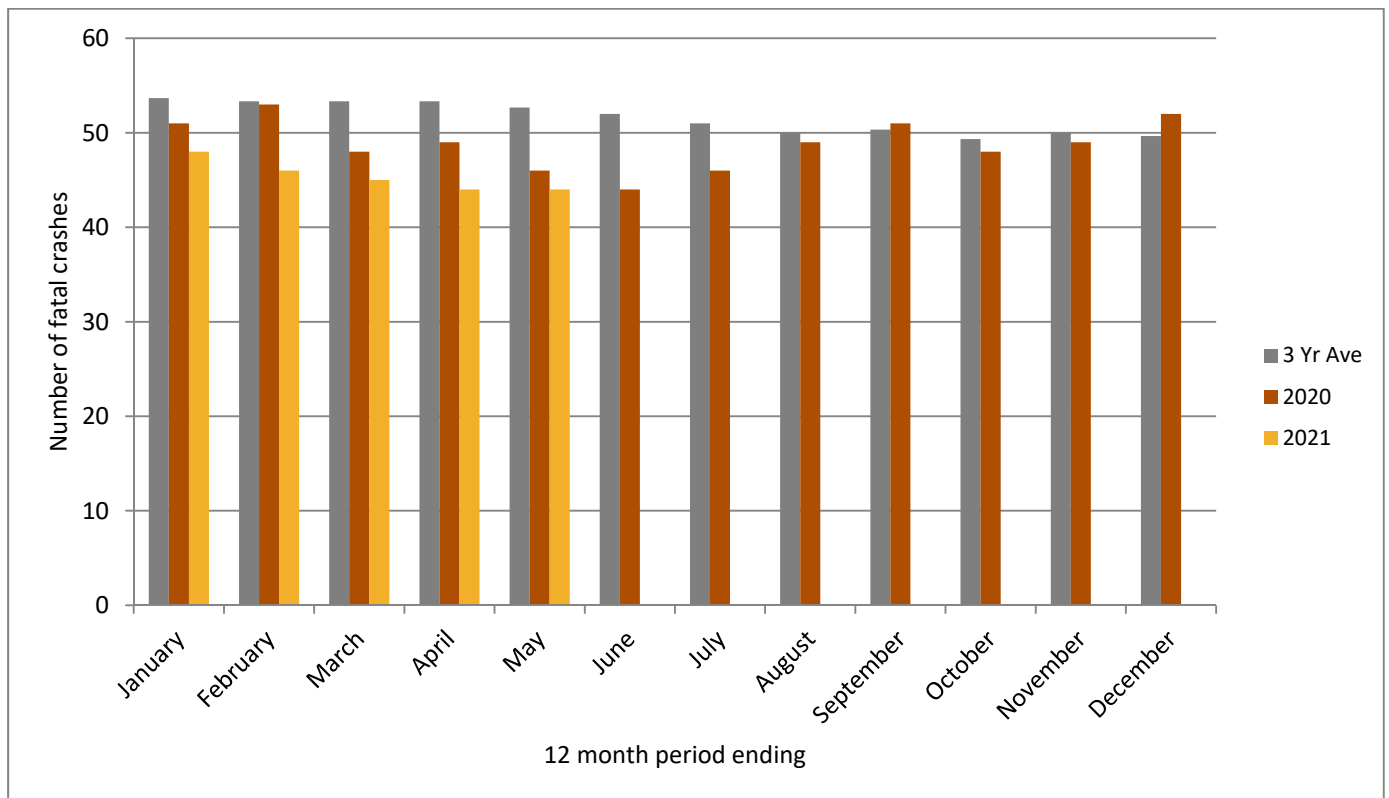
Heavy truck fatal crashes, five years 2016 to 2020

- **267** fatal crashes involving heavy trucks, on average **53** fatal crashes per year
- **300** fatalities from heavy truck crashes, on average **60** people killed per year

Heavy truck injury crashes, five years 2015 to 2019

- **5876** injuries from heavy truck crashes, on average **1175** injuries per year
- This includes **1673** serious injuries, on average **335** serious injuries per year

Fatal heavy truck crashes in 12 month periods, ending May 2021



Heavy truck fatal crashes reported in the last week








Date of crash	Location	Description

12 months ending 14 June 2021 v's 2020




- **43** heavy truck fatal crashes, **1 less** than the previous 12 months
- **45** fatalities from heavy truck crashes, **4 less** than the previous 12 months

Fatalities from heavy truck crashes: 12-month period

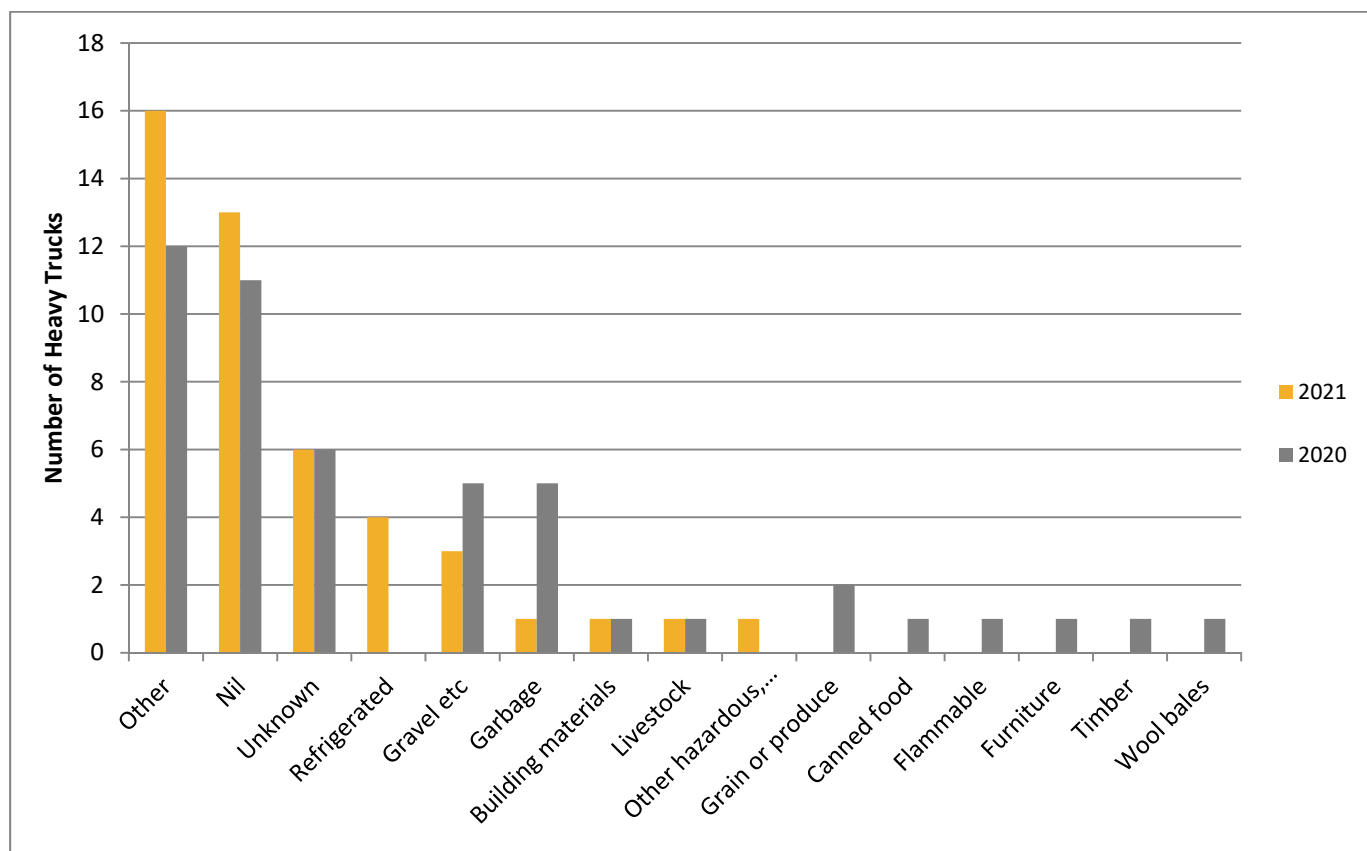
Decrease	Region	2021 v's 2020	Increase	Region	2021 v's 2020
	North	11 – Down 6		South	15 – Up 2
	West	6 – Down 1		Sydney	13 – Up 1

Road user	2021 v's 2020	Road user	2021 v's 2020
 Heavy truck driver 9 – Up 1		 5 – Down 2	
 Other vehicle driver 15 – Down 3		 10 – Up 3	
 Heavy truck passenger 1 – Up 1		 1 – Down 1	
 Other vehicle passenger 4 – Down 3			

Types of trucks involved: 12-month period

Articulated trucks in fatal crashes		2021 v's 2020	Heavy rigid trucks in fatal crashes		2021 v's 2020
 	Sydney metro	3 – Down 2		Sydney metro	9 – Up 3
	Rest NSW	18 – Down 1		Rest NSW	16 – Down 2
	Driver speeding	3 – No change		Driver speeding	2 – Up 1
	Driver fatigued	1 – Down 2		Driver fatigued	0 – No change
	Registered interstate	7 – Down 2		Registered interstate	4 – Up 1

Types of load carried



Definitions

Heavy Truck Crash

Any crash involving a Heavy Rigid Truck (rigid lorry and rigid tanker with a tare weight in excess of 4.5 tonnes) or an Articulated Truck (articulated tanker, semi-trailer, low loader, road train or B-double) on a road that results in death, injury or towed vehicle and is reported to the police.

Heavy Truck Fatality

A person who dies within 30 days from injuries received in a heavy truck crash