Type 20: Cyclist Overtaking Motorist

**Description:** Both parties were traveling in the same direction. The cyclist was either passing or approaching from the rear.

**Summary:** This type of crash involved mostly adult cyclists (ages 20 to 35). Resulting injuries were slightly more severe than the overall average. Drivers in their thirties may be over-represented.

**Environmental Conditions:** Weather and light conditions do not appear to have been factors in these crashes.

**Note:** The small number of cases may reduce the confidence of some statements about this type of crash.

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**Frequency:** 31 cases; 1.3% of all collisions

**Severity:** No major injuries or fatalities
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Cyclist’s Age

Cyclist’s Injuries
Driver’s Age

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