

**Table 3.44: Traffic deaths for two groups of young males, 1970 and 1994
(deaths per 100,000)**

	5 to 14 year olds		15 to 24 years olds	
	1970	1994	1970	1994
Austria	16.5	5.0	85.2	56.4
Belgium	17.1	5.5	62.9	57.4
Denmark	19.5	4.2	45.4	25.1
Finland	20.3	6.4	41.9	23.2
France	9.6	4.0	47.0	42.5
Germany	21.7	3.6	84.9	39.8
Greece	4.9	5.0	22.4	54.1
Ireland	10.6	5.2	26.4	37.2
Italy	12.8	4.4	47.1	48.6
Luxembourg	19.2	4.2	135.8	40.0
Netherlands	18.3	4.1	51.7	19.0
Portugal	12.4	9.3	41.2	55.0
Spain	6.7	5.0	22.9	43.7
Sweden	12.3	1.7	36.5	16.7
United Kingdom	9.6	3.8	37.0	18.0
United States ¹	...	5.21	...	29.2

Source: Background Statistics to Innocenti Paper 69: *Is child welfare converging in the European Union?*. Adapted from WHO reports.

Notes: 1994 data are for 1989 for Belgium; 1992 for Spain, Italy and Ireland; and 1993 for Denmark, France and Sweden. Data for Germany are for FRG for 1970 and in 1994 are for the united Germany.

¹ Office of Statistics and Programming, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, CDC. Database used: NCHS Vital Statistics System for number of deaths. Bureau of Census for population estimates.