

## Tennessee

Rank in 2009: 21

Rank in 2008: 19

Rank in 2007: 19



Tennessee's state highway system is ranked 21<sup>st</sup> in the nation in overall highway performance and efficiency in the latest *Annual Highway Report* by Reason Foundation. It is a slight decline for Tennessee, which ranked 19<sup>th</sup> in the previous two *Annual Highway Reports*.

Tennessee ranks 11<sup>th</sup> in deficient bridges, 19<sup>th</sup> in total disbursements per mile, 21<sup>st</sup> in urban interstate pavement condition, 31<sup>st</sup> in rural interstate pavement condition, 32<sup>nd</sup> in urban interstate congestion, and 39<sup>th</sup> in fatality rate.

Tennessee	State Data			State Rank			Ratio to U.S. Data		
	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009
Capital-Bridge Disbursements per Mile	65,360	61,100	71,693	25	19	<b>24</b>	0.85	0.79	0.90
Maintenance Disbursements per Mile	17,301	18,543	22,636	23	19	<b>28</b>	0.73	0.81	0.89
Administrative Disbursements per Mile	10,112	11,621	18,467	24	26	<b>35</b>	1.04	0.88	1.63
Total Disbursement per Mile	95,364	93,297	115,369	17	17	<b>19</b>	0.71	0.64	0.80
Rural Interstate Percent Poor Condition	0.29	0.15	0.87	22	25	<b>31</b>	0.15	0.08	0.52
Rural Other Principal Arterial Percent Poor	0.32	0.32	0.27	23	22	<b>20</b>	0.50	0.61	0.41
Urban Interstate Percent Poor	1.20	1.44	2.16	13	16	<b>21</b>	0.20	0.27	0.44
Urban Interstate Percent Congested	49.40	47.85	46.05	35	34	<b>32</b>	0.98	0.98	0.99
Rural Arterial Percent Narrow Lanes	24.41	23.27	18.45	42	41	<b>40</b>	2.38	2.30	1.91
Percent of Deficient Bridges	20.67	18.17	17.42	16	13	<b>11</b>	0.82	0.75	0.75
Fatality Rate	1.70	1.49	1.41	42	36	<b>39</b>	1.25	1.19	1.24
<b>Overall Performance</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.80</b>	<b>0.92</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>21</b>			