



How many overweight citations are issued for a specific period of time, excluding weigh stations on the interstates?

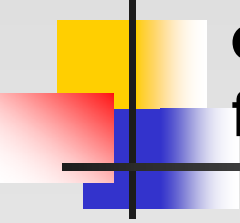
- Varies significantly by location and time of year.
- Annually the State Patrol weighs approximately 1,200 vehicles utilizing its portable scales and/or private static scales.
 - 1,476 weight violations noted.
 - 221 overweight citations issued (5%).



What information is available about the results of negotiations with the district attorney or the court after an overweight citation is issued?

- Overweight citations are very rarely (if ever) contested.
- Dane County Example:
 - 100% of the citations issued between February and April were paid in full

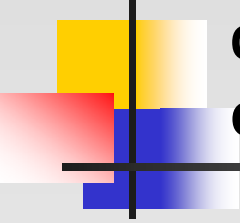




How does the Minnesota system of paper enforcement work, and where does the revenue from citations get distributed in Minnesota?

- Minnesota has had a civil weight program for the past 20 years.
- Seasonal Program.
- 30 officers trained.
 - approximately 25% of each officer's time
- All revenue goes to the general transportation fund.
 - highway maintenance and repair





How does the number of overweight citations issued for agricultural product overloads compare to the number of citations issued for all other overweight violations?

- In calendar year 2005, the State Patrol issued 3,313 citations for overweight violations.
 - 8% were issued to agricultural-related products
 - However, there this is not all-inclusive.
 - Ex. Food for human consumption

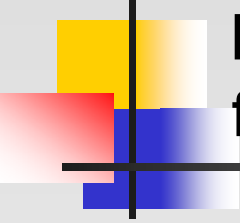




Provide information on the exercise of enforcement discretion by law enforcement officers for overweight violations.

- State Patrol Policy 14-1.
- Statutory Guidance.
 - S.348.21





Provide a general summary of the data resulting from Act 167.

- Kaukauna Site (Outagamie Co.):
 - 20-23% > 98,000 pounds
 - 65-71% > 90,000 pounds
- Caution!
 - Domtar example

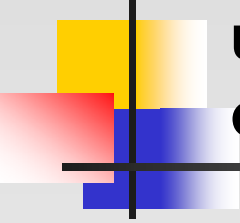




What is the scale data from locations other than Hayward?

- All data collected to date has been provided.
- Several concerns identified:
 - Record retention requirement
 - Record format
 - Data elements





Is there any evidence in the records collected under Act 167 that violations drop after enforcement is undertaken?

- Too soon to tell.
- The plan was to collect data for a period of 1-year.
- No enforcement action taken to date.





What are the number of violations associated with 5-axle versus 6-axle combinations?

- The preliminary information would suggest that there are fewer violations involving 6-axle combinations.
- 15% of the 6-axle vehicles were found to be in violation.
- 61% of the 5 axle vehicles were in violation.
- Caution!
 - Permit verification issue
 - Example: Scott Olsen Trucking

