TRANSPORTING THE ESSENTIALS

TRUCKING DRIVES THE ECONOMY

SAFETY MATTERS

COMMITMENT TO SHARING THE ROAD

The Share the Road program sends a team of professional truck drivers to communities around the country to teach car drivers about truck blind spots, stopping distances and how to merge safely around large trucks, all designed to reduce the number of car-truck crashes.

SAFETY FIRST

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COMPUTER WAGES

- Total trucking industry wages paid in New York in 2019 exceeded $16.7 billion, with an average annual trucking industry salary of $56,998.
- Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers held 63,090 jobs with an average annual salary of $53,210.

TRANSPORTING THE ESSENTIALS

Percent of manufactured tonnage transported by trucks in New York. That’s 472,400 tons per day. (2017)

Percent of New York communities that depend exclusively on trucks to move their goods. 89.2%

CAREERS

292,850
Trucking industry jobs in New York (2019)

1 in 28 jobs in the state

SMALL BUSINESS EMPHASIS

46,040
Trucking companies located in New York. Primarily small, locally owned businesses, these companies are served by a wide range of supporting businesses. (2020)

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CONTINUALLY IMPROVING

2018 U.S. fatal crash rate per 100 million Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT):

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Between 1975 and 2018, the U.S. large truck fatal crash rate has dropped 68.3%
The trucking industry in New York paid approximately $1.3 billion in federal and state roadway taxes. (2019)

The industry paid 36% of all taxes owed by New York motorists ...

... despite trucks representing only 6% of vehicle miles traveled in the state.

As of January 2021, a typical five-axle tractor-semitrailer combination paid:

- $11,793 state highway user fees and taxes
- $8,906 federal highway user fees and taxes

These taxes were over and above the typical taxes paid by businesses in New York.

Miles of public roads in New York (2019)

- 113,929

Miles driven on public roads:

- All Motorists: 124 billion
- Trucks: 7.8 billion

43% of U.S. commercial trucks are now powered by the newest-generation, near-zero emissions diesel technology.

Medium- and heavy-duty trucks contribute just 23% of all transportation-related greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in the U.S. and represent only 6% of total U.S. GHG emissions.

Through the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) SmartWay Transport Partnership, the trucking industry is working with government and businesses to quantify greenhouse gas emissions and take steps to reduce them.

The trucking industry continues to improve energy and environmental efficiency even while increasing the number of miles driven. In 2019:

- Combination trucks accounted for just 16% of the total highway transportation fuel consumed.
- Combination trucks consumed nearly 100 billion fewer gallons of fuel than passenger vehicles in the U.S.