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In this paper we analyze the spatial distribution of traffic accidents with personal injury in Frankfurt am Main. Understanding these patterns can help identify high-risk areas and inform targeted interventions to improve road safety.

Background

Traffic accidents are a major public health concern. Every year in Germany there is an average of 2,500,000 traffic accidents.[1] Of those accidents, roughly 11\% or, one in nine, results in personal injury. [1,2] In which parts of a city are there hotspots for traffic accidents involving personal injury? Are these hotspots consistent when considering different categories of participants e.g. pedestrians, cyclists, or motor vehicle occupants? Understanding the spatial distribution of traffic accidents with personal injury in Frankfurt am Main can help identify high-risk areas and inform targeted interventions to improve road safety. This analysis aims to map and analyze the distribution of such accidents in Frankfurt am Main.



Results

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