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by Census Tract and ZIP Code  
Tabulation Area, United States,  
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## ICPSR PROCESSING NOTES FOR #38584

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DS 1: Traffic Volume by Census Tract Data*

1. **Missing Values:** Missing values for the variables **MEAN\_HW\_TRAFFIC**, **MIN\_HW\_TRAFFIC**, and **MAX\_HW\_TRAFFIC** are due to no highways present in the tract (**COUNT\_HW\_TRAFFIC** = 0). Similarly, missing values for the variables **MEAN\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC**, **MIN\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC**, and **MAX\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC** are due to no non-highway roads present in the tract (**COUNT\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC** = 0).
2. **Additional Information:** For additional information on the National Neighborhood Data Archive (NaNDA), please visit the [NaNDA](#) website.

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### **Variable Description and Frequencies**

**Note:** Frequencies displayed for the variables are not weighted. They are purely descriptive and may not be representative of the study population. Please review any sampling or weighting information available with the study.

Summary statistics (minimum, maximum, arithmetic mean, median, mode, and standard deviation) may not be available for every variable in the codebook. Conversely, a listing of frequencies in table format may not be present for every variable in the codebook either. However, all variables in the dataset are present and display sufficient information about each variable. These decisions are made intentionally and are at the discretion of the archive producing this codebook.

# Traffic Volume by Census Tract Data

## TRACT\_FIPS10: Census tract FIPS code (2010 TIGER/Line shapefiles)

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

*Location:* 1-11 (width: 11; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* character

## YEAR: Traffic count year

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1963	-	1	0.0 %
1964	-	3	0.0 %
1965	-	5	0.0 %
1966	-	20	0.0 %
1967	-	7	0.0 %
1968	-	2	0.0 %
1969	-	11	0.0 %
1970	-	5	0.0 %
1971	-	8	0.0 %
1972	-	46	0.0 %
1973	-	111	0.0 %
1974	-	15	0.0 %
1975	-	41	0.0 %
1976	-	54	0.0 %
1977	-	106	0.0 %
1978	-	158	0.0 %
1979	-	68	0.0 %
1980	-	196	0.0 %
1981	-	252	0.0 %
1982	-	368	0.1 %
1983	-	339	0.1 %
1984	-	560	0.1 %
1985	-	896	0.1 %
1986	-	1384	0.2 %
1987	-	1657	0.2 %
1988	-	2069	0.3 %
1989	-	2831	0.4 %
1990	-	3626	0.5 %
1991	-	4396	0.7 %
1992	-	7114	1.1 %
1993	-	8041	1.2 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1994	-	12532	1.9 %
1995	-	14669	2.2 %
1996	-	18659	2.8 %
1997	-	32465	4.8 %
1998	-	28306	4.2 %
1999	-	20380	3.0 %
2000	-	17596	2.6 %
2001	-	19912	3.0 %
2002	-	28855	4.3 %
2003	-	25436	3.8 %
2004	-	24818	3.7 %
2005	-	26983	4.0 %
2006	-	23003	3.4 %
2007	-	21477	3.2 %
2008	-	24770	3.7 %
2009	-	25889	3.9 %
2010	-	30517	4.5 %
2011	-	28197	4.2 %
2012	-	28645	4.3 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>671,735</b>	<b>100%</b>

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Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 2006.38
- Median: 2007.00
- Mode: 2018.00
- Minimum: 1963.00
- Maximum: 2019.00
- Standard Deviation: 8.10

*Location:* 12-15 (width: 4; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## MEAN\_TRAFFIC: Mean of average daily traffic counts in tract

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 15167.43454420
- Minimum: 1.00000000
- Maximum: 429000.00000000
- Standard Deviation: 23742.35141459

*Location:* 16-30 (width: 15; decimal: 8)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## MIN\_TRAFFIC: Lowest average daily traffic count in tract

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 9686.80
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 429000.00
- Standard Deviation: 22093.56

*Location:* 31-36 (width: 6; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## MAX\_TRAFFIC: Highest average daily traffic count in tract

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 25161.82
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 1785989.00
- Standard Deviation: 35322.11

*Location:* 37-43 (width: 7; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## COUNT\_TRAFFIC: # traffic measurements in tract

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	-	184249	27.4 %
2	-	108123	16.1 %
3	-	71676	10.7 %
4	-	52704	7.8 %
5	-	39260	5.8 %
6	-	30931	4.6 %
7	-	24345	3.6 %
8	-	20149	3.0 %
9	-	16141	2.4 %
10	-	14164	2.1 %
11	-	11903	1.8 %
12	-	10221	1.5 %
13	-	8536	1.3 %
14	-	7802	1.2 %
15	-	6644	1.0 %
16	-	5943	0.9 %
17	-	5160	0.8 %
18	-	4761	0.7 %
19	-	3892	0.6 %
20	-	3679	0.5 %



Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
21	-	3141	0.5 %
22	-	2963	0.4 %
23	-	2540	0.4 %
24	-	2494	0.4 %
25	-	2147	0.3 %
26	-	1999	0.3 %
27	-	1756	0.3 %
28	-	1694	0.3 %
29	-	1441	0.2 %
30	-	1347	0.2 %
31	-	1204	0.2 %
32	-	1225	0.2 %
33	-	1056	0.2 %
34	-	1089	0.2 %
35	-	873	0.1 %
36	-	873	0.1 %
37	-	750	0.1 %
38	-	718	0.1 %
39	-	654	0.1 %
40	-	690	0.1 %
41	-	571	0.1 %
42	-	567	0.1 %
43	-	504	0.1 %
44	-	482	0.1 %
45	-	413	0.1 %
46	-	409	0.1 %
47	-	381	0.1 %
48	-	403	0.1 %
49	-	333	0.0 %
50	-	341	0.1 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>671,735</b>	<b>100%</b>

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Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 6.66
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 608.00
- Standard Deviation: 13.04

*Location:* 44-46 (width: 3; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

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## TOTAL\_TRAFFIC: Sum of average daily traffic counts in tract

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 62120.73
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 7010088.00
- Standard Deviation: 101587.71

Location: 47-53 (width: 7; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

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## MEAN\_HW\_TRAFFIC: Mean of average daily highway traffic counts in tract

Based upon 117,859 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 51491.51866009
- Minimum: 4.00000000
- Maximum: 674123.00000000
- Standard Deviation: 58351.52802276

Location: 54-68 (width: 15; decimal: 8)

Variable Type: numeric

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## MIN\_HW\_TRAFFIC: Lowest average daily highway traffic count in tract

Based upon 117,859 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 45806.72
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 674123.00
- Standard Deviation: 58639.03

Location: 69-74 (width: 6; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

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## MAX\_HW\_TRAFFIC: Highest average daily highway traffic count in tract

Based upon 117,859 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 58310.76
- Minimum: 4.00
- Maximum: 674123.00
- Standard Deviation: 62173.03

Location: 75-80 (width: 6; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

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## COUNT\_HW\_TRAFFIC: # highway traffic measurements in tract

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	553876	82.5 %
1	-	61821	9.2 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
2	-	25005	3.7 %
3	-	11745	1.7 %
4	-	6775	1.0 %
5	-	3994	0.6 %
6	-	2640	0.4 %
7	-	1632	0.2 %
8	-	1160	0.2 %
9	-	777	0.1 %
10	-	569	0.1 %
11	-	412	0.1 %
12	-	311	0.0 %
13	-	234	0.0 %
14	-	169	0.0 %
15	-	125	0.0 %
16	-	85	0.0 %
17	-	53	0.0 %
18	-	57	0.0 %
19	-	36	0.0 %
20	-	43	0.0 %
21	-	28	0.0 %
22	-	30	0.0 %
23	-	19	0.0 %
24	-	18	0.0 %
25	-	10	0.0 %
26	-	12	0.0 %
27	-	11	0.0 %
28	-	11	0.0 %
29	-	12	0.0 %
30	-	5	0.0 %
31	-	8	0.0 %
32	-	2	0.0 %
33	-	2	0.0 %
34	-	9	0.0 %
35	-	6	0.0 %
36	-	7	0.0 %
37	-	6	0.0 %
38	-	3	0.0 %
39	-	4	0.0 %
40	-	4	0.0 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
42	-	2	0.0 %
44	-	1	0.0 %
45	-	2	0.0 %
47	-	1	0.0 %
49	-	1	0.0 %
69	-	1	0.0 %
94	-	1	0.0 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>671,735</b>	<b>100%</b>

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 0.40
- Median: 0.00
- Mode: 0.00
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 94.00
- Standard Deviation: 1.34

*Location:* 81-82 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## **TOTAL\_HW\_TRAFFIC: Sum of average daily highway traffic counts in tract**

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 15868.75
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 6405830.00
- Standard Deviation: 64434.63

*Location:* 83-89 (width: 7; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## **MEAN\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC: Mean of average daily non-highway traffic counts in tract**

Based upon 650,400 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 11517.49512399
- Minimum: 1.00000000
- Maximum: 429000.00000000
- Standard Deviation: 14199.69320715

*Location:* 90-104 (width: 15; decimal: 8)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## **MIN\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC: Lowest average daily non-highway traffic count in tract**

Based upon 650,400 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 7501.61
- Minimum: 1.00

- Maximum: 429000.00
- Standard Deviation: 13512.67

*Location:* 105-110 (width: 6; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## MAX\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC: Highest average daily non-highway traffic count in tract

Based upon 650,400 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 17877.48
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 1785989.00
- Standard Deviation: 20288.19

*Location:* 111-117 (width: 7; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## COUNT\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC: # non-highway traffic measurements in tract

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	21335	3.2 %
1	-	180924	26.9 %
2	-	106109	15.8 %
3	-	70199	10.5 %
4	-	51537	7.7 %
5	-	38266	5.7 %
6	-	30042	4.5 %
7	-	23387	3.5 %
8	-	19415	2.9 %
9	-	15575	2.3 %
10	-	13458	2.0 %
11	-	11138	1.7 %
12	-	9621	1.4 %
13	-	8066	1.2 %
14	-	7264	1.1 %
15	-	6191	0.9 %
16	-	5668	0.8 %
17	-	4768	0.7 %
18	-	4357	0.6 %
19	-	3651	0.5 %
20	-	3378	0.5 %
21	-	2883	0.4 %
22	-	2724	0.4 %
23	-	2380	0.4 %
24	-	2249	0.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
25	-	1920	0.3 %
26	-	1866	0.3 %
27	-	1567	0.2 %
28	-	1518	0.2 %
29	-	1339	0.2 %
30	-	1232	0.2 %
31	-	1031	0.2 %
32	-	1117	0.2 %
33	-	944	0.1 %
34	-	980	0.1 %
35	-	834	0.1 %
36	-	762	0.1 %
37	-	656	0.1 %
38	-	675	0.1 %
39	-	495	0.1 %
40	-	634	0.1 %
41	-	501	0.1 %
42	-	499	0.1 %
43	-	439	0.1 %
44	-	409	0.1 %
45	-	374	0.1 %
46	-	362	0.1 %
47	-	309	0.0 %
48	-	360	0.1 %
49	-	267	0.0 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>671,735</b>	<b>100%</b>

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Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 6.26
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 608.00
- Standard Deviation: 12.71

*Location:* 118-120 (width: 3; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## TOTAL\_NONHW\_TRAFFIC: Sum of average daily non-highway traffic counts in tract

Based upon 671,735 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 46251.99
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 6443664.00
- Standard Deviation: 69747.49

Location: 121-127 (width: 7; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

## COUNT\_INTERSECTIONS: # intersections in tract

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	177	0.0 %
1	-	58	0.0 %
2	-	99	0.0 %
3	-	70	0.0 %
4	-	107	0.0 %
5	-	118	0.0 %
6	-	201	0.0 %
7	-	162	0.0 %
8	-	509	0.1 %
9	-	308	0.0 %
10	-	427	0.1 %
11	-	1105	0.2 %
12	-	718	0.1 %
13	-	607	0.1 %
14	-	833	0.1 %
15	-	690	0.1 %
16	-	1248	0.2 %
17	-	723	0.1 %
18	-	970	0.1 %
19	-	722	0.1 %
20	-	1155	0.2 %
21	-	739	0.1 %
22	-	809	0.1 %
23	-	859	0.1 %
24	-	850	0.1 %
25	-	892	0.1 %
26	-	924	0.1 %
27	-	926	0.1 %
28	-	829	0.1 %
29	-	808	0.1 %
30	-	959	0.1 %
31	-	1007	0.1 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
32	-	1017	0.2 %
33	-	1162	0.2 %
34	-	961	0.1 %
35	-	1106	0.2 %
36	-	1242	0.2 %
37	-	1284	0.2 %
38	-	1396	0.2 %
39	-	1281	0.2 %
40	-	1500	0.2 %
41	-	1303	0.2 %
42	-	1538	0.2 %
43	-	1258	0.2 %
44	-	1608	0.2 %
45	-	1418	0.2 %
46	-	1710	0.3 %
47	-	1817	0.3 %
48	-	1507	0.2 %
49	-	1561	0.2 %
	<b>Missing Data</b>		
.	-	3128	0.5 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>671,735</b>	<b>100%</b>

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Based upon 668,607 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 248.61
- Minimum: 0.00
- Maximum: 15966.00
- Standard Deviation: 353.50

*Location:* 128-132 (width: 5; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## MEAN\_TRAFFIC\_PER\_INTERSECTION: Avg daily traffic per intersection (mean\_traffic/count\_intersections)

Based upon 668,430 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 163.850022075
- Minimum: 0.001742160
- Maximum: 55500.000000000
- Standard Deviation: 504.752613786

*Location:* 133-147 (width: 15; decimal: 9)

*Variable Type:* numeric



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### **MEAN\_HW\_TRAFFIC\_PER\_INTERSECTION: Avg daily highway traffic per intersection (mean\_hw\_traffic/count\_intersections)**

Based upon 117,121 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 428.809583790
- Minimum: 0.004199160
- Maximum: 55500.000000000
- Standard Deviation: 1001.450299471

*Location:* 148-162 (width: 15; decimal: 9)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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### **MEAN\_NH\_TRAFFIC\_PER\_INTERSECTION: Avg daily non-highway traffic per intxn (mean\_nonhw\_traffic/count\_intersections)**

Based upon 647,307 valid cases out of 671,735 total cases.

- Mean: 128.568659693
- Minimum: 0.001742160
- Maximum: 38750.000000000
- Standard Deviation: 365.117270602

*Location:* 163-177 (width: 15; decimal: 9)

*Variable Type:* numeric