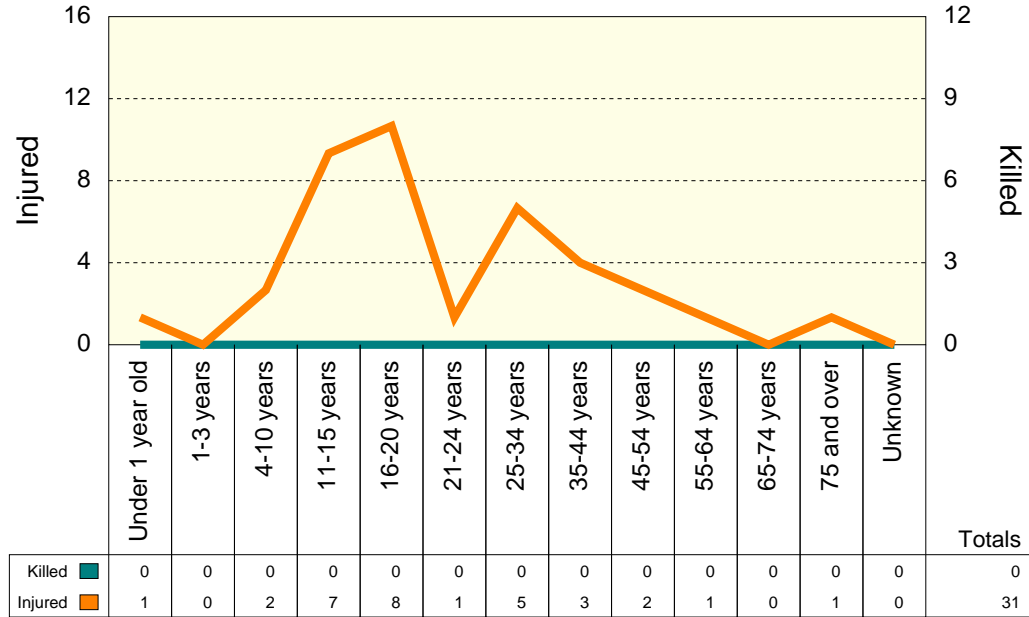




## UPPER PENINSULA BICYCLE CRASHES



### 2009 Bicycle Crash Information



### BICYCLE HELMET USE AND INJURY SEVERITY

HELMET USE	Fatality	Injury			No Injury
		A	B	C	
Worn	0	0	2	1	0
Not Worn	0	3	7	10	5
Unknown	0	0	5	3	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>

The National Center for Statistics and Analysis of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration cites a study by the Centers for Disease Control [4]: "Bicycle helmets are 85 to 88 percent effective in mitigating head and brain injuries in all types of bicycle accidents, making the use of helmets the **single most effective countermeasure** available to reduce head injuries and fatalities resulting from bicycle crashes."