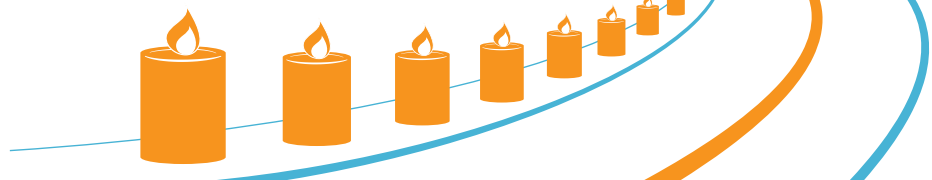


# Road traffic injuries : Facts

## in the Eastern Mediterranean Region

Almost **10%** of global road traffic deaths in 2013 were in the Region

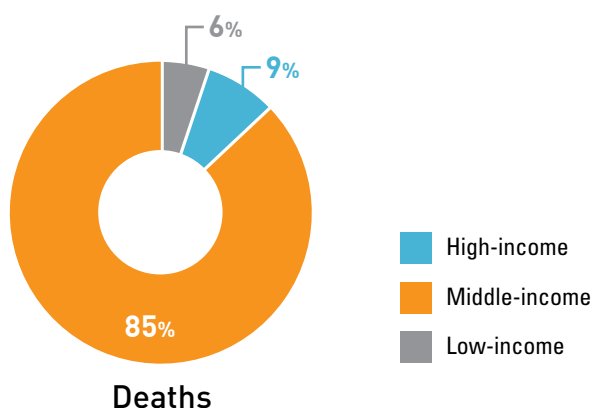


**4 out of 5** road deaths are among men



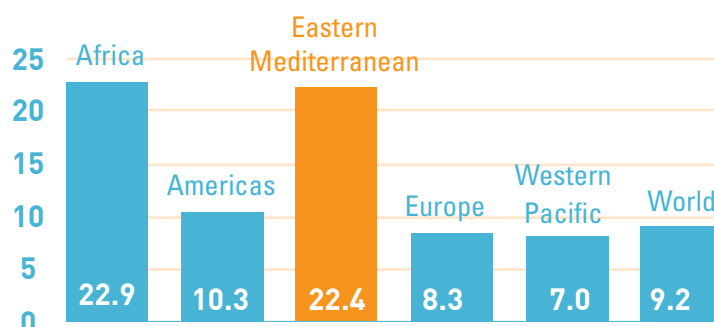
A leading cause of death among those aged **15-29 years**

**85%** of the Region's road traffic deaths occur in middle-income countries



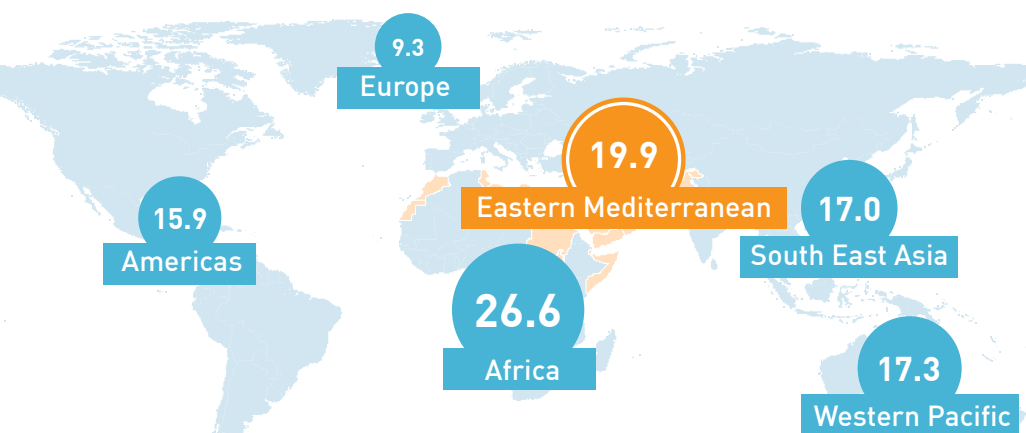
Road traffic deaths by country income status

High-income countries in the Region have a road traffic fatality rate that is more than double the average rate of high-income countries globally

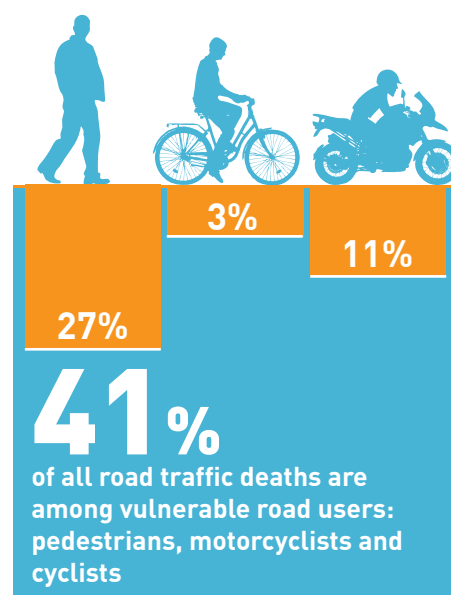


Road traffic fatality rates per 100 000 population in high-income countries

The Region has the second highest road traffic fatality rate in the world, after the African Region



Road traffic fatality per 100 000 population



of all road traffic deaths are among vulnerable road users: pedestrians, motorcyclists and cyclists

