

# Seat-belts

## Facts from the Eastern Mediterranean Region

Wearing a seat-belt reduces the risk of:

a fatal injury by up to

# 50%

for front seat occupants



death and serious injury by

# 25%

among rear seat occupants

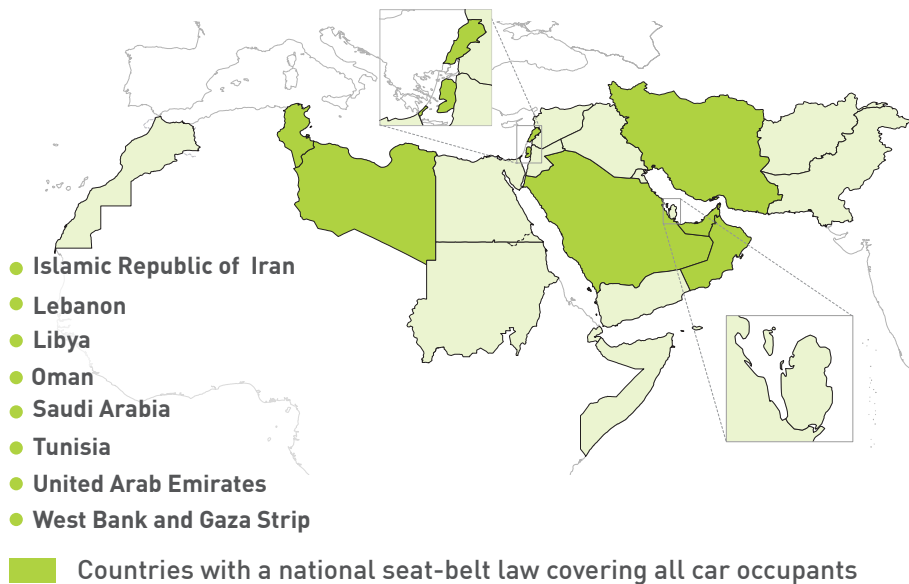
Seat-belt laws should cover both front and rear seat occupants

Best practice

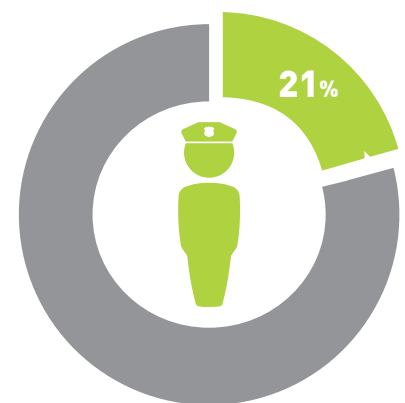
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countries have comprehensive seat-belt laws covering all car occupants



Only 21% of countries rate enforcement of their seat belt law as good



Percentages are calculated based on the 19 countries of the Region that participated in the survey for the Global status report on road safety 2018

Source: Global status report on road safety 2018

[www.who.int/violence\\_injury\\_prevention/road\\_safety\\_status/2018/en/](http://www.who.int/violence_injury_prevention/road_safety_status/2018/en/)



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