

# Colorado State Patrol

## Instructions for completing a counter crash report

This reporting procedure cannot be used for any crash involving loss of human life, injuries, or drug or alcohol use.

Print the information using blue or black ink. You have been provided with a template and a blank report. Fill in the information on the blank form (you may make as many copies as you need); do not fill in the shaded areas -- complete only those numbered areas indicated below:

1. Date and time of your crash.
2. City (if applicable) and County in which the crash occurred.
3. Today's date.
4. Total vehicles involved in the crash, including your vehicle.
5. Place an "X" in this box if public property (a road sign, utility pole, etc.) was involved or if the accident occurred at a railroad crossing, in a construction zone, or on a bridge.
6. Enter the road on which the crash occurred, approximated distance (feet or miles) *from* the nearest town, intersection, road, street, or milepost. If it occurred at an intersection, first enter the road you were traveling on, then the intersecting road.
7. You are vehicle #1, the other driver is vehicle #2, 3, etc. If any of the vehicles were parked or a bicycle or pedestrian was involved, place an "X" by the word "Parked", "Bicycle", or "Pedestrian", as appropriate.
8. Fill out as much information as you have for all parties involved.
9. Vehicle information. Year, make, model, etc. If you are the driver as well as the owner, leave this portion blank for the vehicle owner.
10. The front of the vehicle points to the left of the page. Using the damage severity codes (1=slight, 2=moderate, 3=extreme), enter a 1, 2, or 3 in the area of the car diagram that corresponds to the damage each vehicle received as a result of this crash.
11. Provide complete insurance information for your vehicle and provide all the insurance information available to you on the other vehicle(s) involved.
12. Enter the owner of any property, other than a vehicle, that was damaged in the crash (e.g., lawn, fence, mailbox, horse, etc.).
13. Describe the crash in your own words. Refer to yourself as Vehicle #1, and the other party/parties as Vehicle #2, Vehicle #3, etc. You may draw a diagram if you wish, but it is not necessary.
14. Sign the report and send it in to the address at the top right of the form or drop it off at your nearest Colorado State Patrol office.

# STATE OF COLORADO TRAFFIC ACCIDENT REPORT

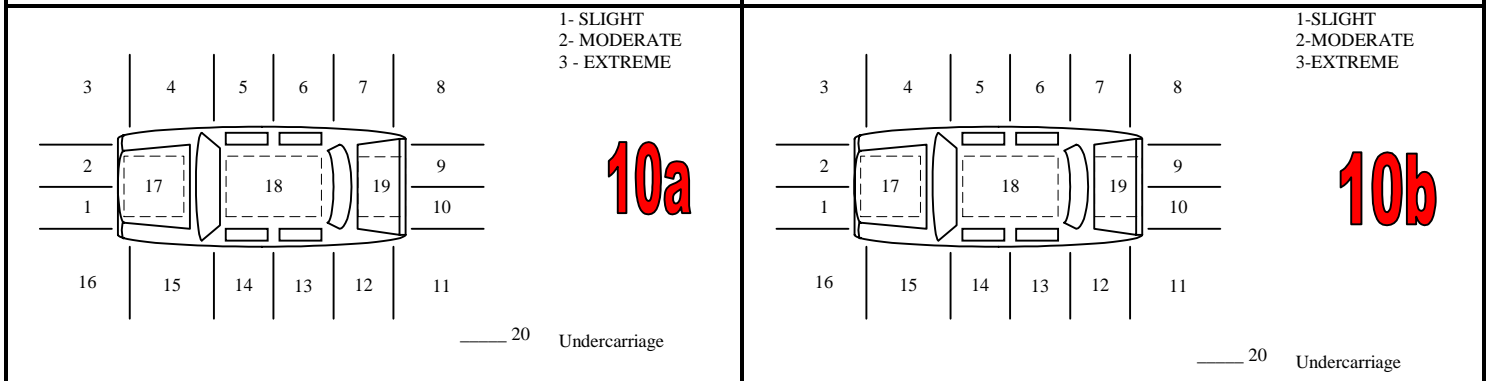
MAIL TO: State of Colorado  
 Motor Vehicle Division  
 Traffic Records  
 Denver, CO 80261-0016

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DATE /TIME OF ACCIDENT <b>1</b>	CITY <b>2</b>	COUNTY <b>2</b>	DATE OF REPORT <b>3</b>
TOTAL VEHICLES <b>4</b>	PUBLIC PROPERTY RAILROAD CROSSING CONSTRUCTION ZONE BRIDGE <b>5</b>	LOCATION ROUTE, STREET ROAD _____ MILES _____ FEET <b>6</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> W OF <input type="checkbox"/> AT

VEH #1 OR BICYCLE# <b>7a</b> PEDESTRIAN# _____ PARKED _____ LAST NAME <b>8a</b> FIRST MI	VEH #1 OR BICYCLE# <b>7b</b> PEDESTRIAN# _____ PARKED _____ LAST NAME <b>8b</b> FIRST MI
STREET ADDRESS <b>8a</b>	RES. PHONE
CITY STATE ZIP	BUS. PHONE
DRIVERS LIC. NUMBER STATE SEX DOB	DRIVERS LIC. NUMBER STATE SEX DOB
YEAR MAKE MODEL BODY TYPE	YEAR MAKE MODEL BODY TYPE
LIC. PLATE NO. STATE COLOR	LIC. PLATE NO. STATE COLOR
VEHICLE ID NO <b>9a</b>	VEHICLE ID NO <b>9b</b>
VEHICLE OWNER LAST NAME FIRST MI	VEHICLE OWNER LAST NAME FIRST MI
ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP	ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP



INSURANCE CO. <b>11a</b>	EXP. DATE
POLICY NO. <b>11a</b>	POLICY NO. <b>11b</b>
OWNER DAMAGED PROP. LAST NAME FIRST MI <b>12a</b>	OWNER DAMAGED PROP LAST NAME FIRST MI <b>12b</b>
ADDRESS <b>12a</b>	ADDRESS <b>12b</b>

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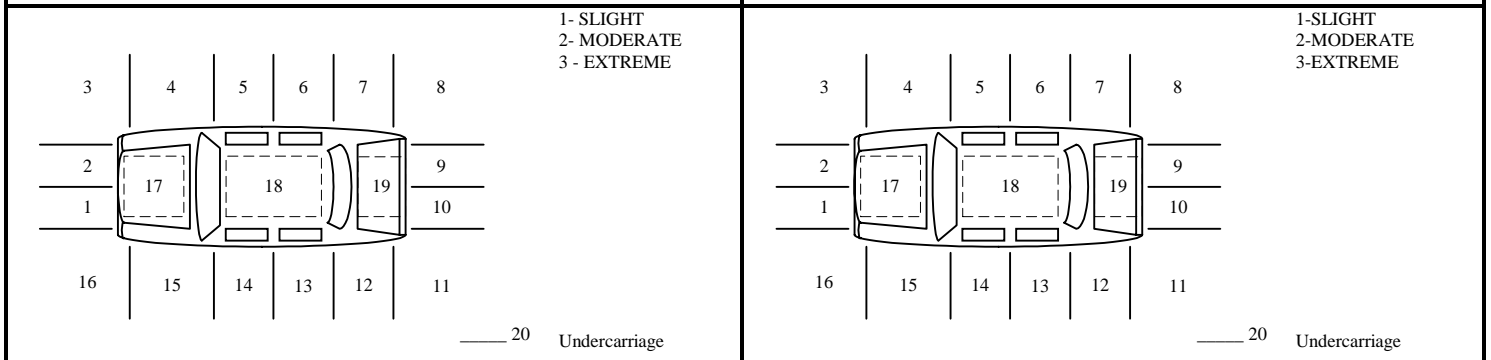
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ADDRESS				CITY		STATE		ZIP		ADDRESS				CITY		STATE		ZIP	



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