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## Nationwide Agency Forward Driving Behaviors Survey Findings: Ohio Spotlight

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General Consumers U..S. adults who own cars

Ohio Consumers

Ohio adults who own cars



N=1,000



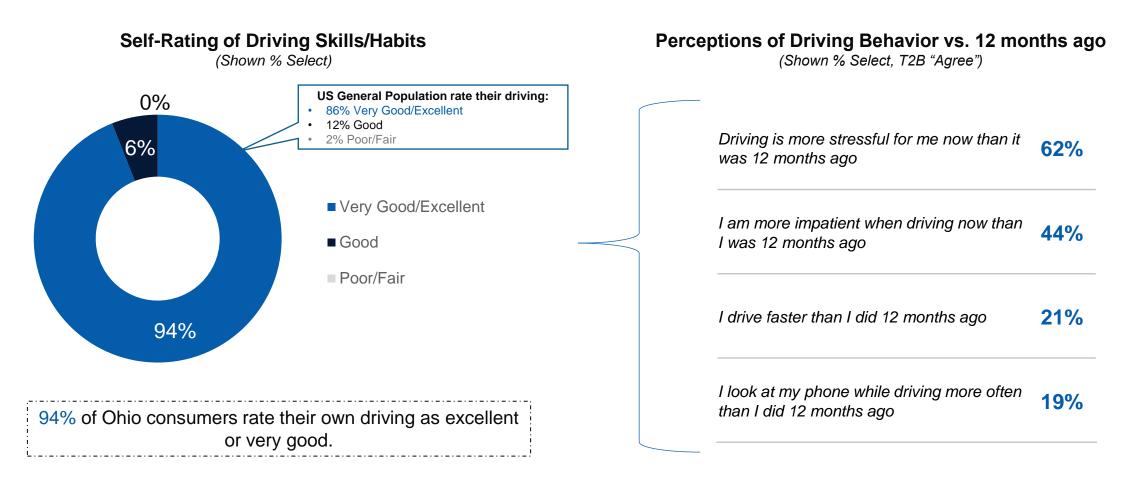
N=100

10 - Minute Online Survey

Survey fielded February 17<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> 2023

*Note: Insights presented in this report are sourced from the n=100* oversample of Ohio car-owning consumers collected as part of a broader national survey commissioned by Nationwide in February 2023.

# Ohioans overwhelmingly believe they personally are good drivers, higher than the general driving population, but more than 6 in 10 Ohioans say driving has become more stressful in the past year



## Views are much less positive of others on the road, with reports of aggression and reckless driving increasing in the past year

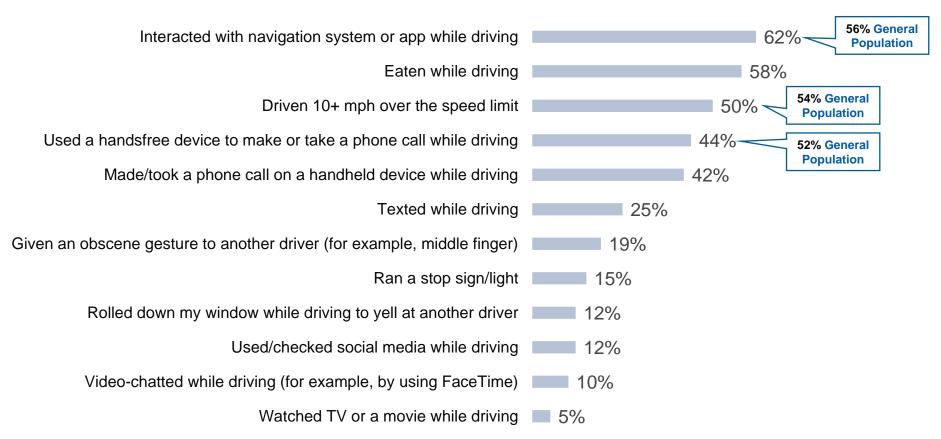
Roughly 2 in 5 (39%) would rate the driving of others on the road around them as poor or just fair. This is likely due to more dangerous behavior on the road today, as there is virtually unanimous agreement drivers are looking at their phones more often and drive faster today than they did 12 months ago.



### Over half of Ohioans admit to speeding or eating while driving, and 1 in 4 have texted while behind the wheel in the past year

#### **Actions Taken While Driving Over the Past 12 Months**

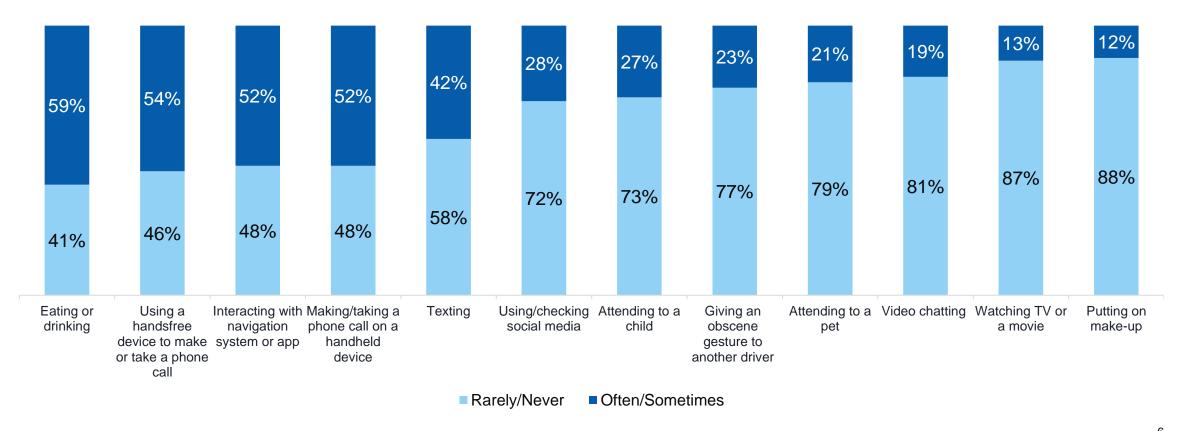
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### Passengers say drivers eating or drinking, texting, and checking social media are all common occurrences

#### **Driving Actions Consumers Have Witnessed as a Passenger Over the Past 12 Months**

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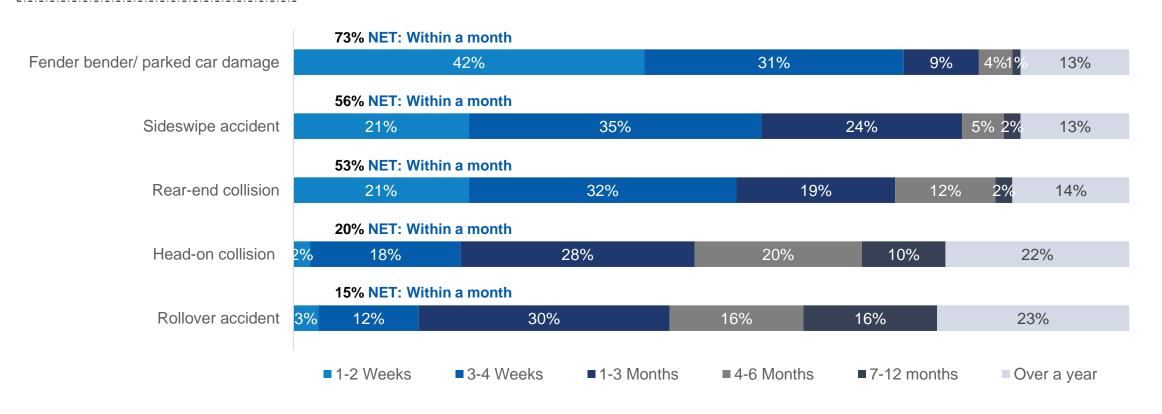


### Most Ohioans underestimate the time required to repair their vehicle after an accident

According to Nationwide claims data, the average fender bender repair takes six to eight weeks.

#### Respondents' Estimated Vehicle Repair Time by Accident Type

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### Similarly, they often underestimate the repair cost for common accident types

According to Nationwide claims data, the average cost for a fender bender repair is nearly \$4,000.

#### Respondents' Estimated Vehicle Repair Cost by Accident Type

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