

In another statement on Wednesday by the spokesperson for the Federal Road Safety Corps, Ogun State Command, Afolabi Odunsi, two people were killed when two trucks collided along the Ibafo area of the Lagos-Ibadan Expressway on Wednesday.

Odunsi blamed the accident on brake failure and speed violation.

He noted that four people were involved, while two people died.

“Four people were involved; nobody was injured, but two people were killed. The vehicles involved are two unregistered Mack trailers.

“The team arrived and rushed the injured victim to AZ Hospital, Magboro. The hospital eventually called to say that the victim had passed.

“The FRSC operatives and men of the Nigeria Police were on the ground, and the traffic situation was managed till the vehicles got removed from the road and custody taken by the men of Ibafo Police Division,” Odunsi stated.

With the yuletide season approaching, the growing wave of fatal accidents across states has heightened concerns over road safety measures.

PUNCH Metro reported that no fewer than 87 people have lost their lives in 1,006 accidents across different parts of Lagos State between January and September 2025.

*Road safety and traffic officials have repeatedly warned that the “Ember Months” often record higher fatality rates due to motorists’ disregard for safety rules, use of intoxicants, and night driving hazards.*