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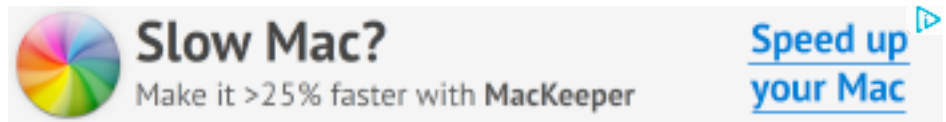
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5 killed, 7 injured in Jigawa auto crash

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Tragedy struck yesterday in Dutse, the Jigawa State capital when a bus conveying passenger goods from Kano to Dutse had a burst tyre and somersaulted, killing five passengers and inju seven others in Zango-Buji village along Dutse-Gaya road in Dutse local government area of 1 state.

The Jigawa State Sector Commander of Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC), Umar Lima confirmed the incident told Weekly Trust that the accident involved 16 persons in a Mazc colour bus with registration number XC307DUT.

He said the bus coming from Kano was overloaded with goods hence one of the tyres buste somersaulted to the other lane.

He said the corpses were deposited at the Dutse General Hospital while those injured admitted at the Rasheed Shekoni Specialist Hospital in Dutse.

Liman said four male and one female passengers died in the

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