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Trailer crushes woman to death in Osogbo

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A trailer loaded with goods has killed an aged woman and injured several others when it lost control near Oke-Fia area of Osogbo, capital of Osun State on Wednesday night.

Our correspondent learnt that the trailer driver lost the control

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of the vehicle owing to break failure while ascending a hilly part of the road near the Osun State Government House Annex. An eyewitness account said "The trailer was ascending the hilly part of the road before it developed some faults. We just discovered that the driver of the trailer could no longer move forward. Eventually, the trailer started descending and the drivers of the vehicles behind him quickly reversed their vehicles".

However, in spite of the efforts of the driver of the trailer, many vehicles were damaged and occupants of the affected vehicles sustained injuries. One of the passengers jumped out of a commercial bus to escape death but the trailer crushed her head where she landed on the road. She died on the spot as her brain was smashed.

The Police Public Relations Officer in the state, DSP Folasade Odoro described the incident as very unfortunate. She confirmed that the police had deposited the corpse of the woman in the mortuary.

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