

# 4 die in Edo auto crash

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**F**our persons on Sunday night died in an accident that happened on the Benin-Sapele road in Edo State.

The accident at Uholor, Benin-Warri bypass, happened

when a Mercedes Benz and a Toyota Corolla on top speed had a head-on collision.

Daily Trust learnt that the four persons died on the spot while one other who sustained injuries was rushed to the hospital.

The state Sector

Commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC), Henry Benamaisia, confirmed the accident.

He attributed the accident to overspeeding on the part of the drivers, saying that four persons died while one other sustained injuries.

Benamaisia said the vehicles burst into flame due to the impact of the accident on the vehicles.

He advised motorists to always maintain minimal speed so as to reduce the impact in case of any accident and be able to maneuver to safety.