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1 Dies, 4 Injured In Niger Auto Crash

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An auto crash has claimed one life and injured four others along Minna-Suleja Road in Niger State.

LEADERSHIP Friday gathered that the accident occurred in the morning around Farin Doki in Paikoro local government area of the state.

The accident, it was learnt, involved a Mitsubishi car coming from Lagos to Abuja and a Peugeot J5 coming from Zaria to Minna.

It was gathered that the accident was caused by over-speeding and wrongful overtaking on the ever-busy road.

Confirming this to LEADERSHIP Friday, the state sector commander of Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC) Kumar Tsukwam said all those involved in the accident were male.

He said the injuries sustained by those who survived the accident was severe and that within 15 minutes of the accident occurring his men were on the ground to rescue the injured victims and evacuate the dead body.