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Two people were reported dead in an accident on the Lagos-Ibadan expressway on Friday. The accident occurred at the Ajanla Farm axis of the road near Ibadan, the Oyo State capital, at about 9 am. According to an eyewitness, the accident involved a fullyloaded commercial white Toyota Hiace bus, marked Lagos XA 889 SMK and an unregistered Liberty Sport Utility Vehicle (SUV). It was learnt that the SUV, which was heading towards Abuja from Lagos, overtook the bus dangerously, thereby forcing the bus to hit it from behind. The four occupants of the SUV were said to have escaped with minor injuries. Two of the occupants of the bus died before they could get help, leaving the rest with varying degrees of injuries. The accident caused serious traffic gridlock, forcing travelers and other road users to spend several hours in holdup. The eye- witness explained that men of the Federal Road Safety Corp (FRSC) and the police later arrived the scene to rescue the injured. The two corpses were taken to State Hospital, Adeoyo, Ibadan, while the injured were taken to the University College Hospital (UCH) and a private hospital for treatment.



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