

# ① Truck crushes five to death on Epe/Ijebu-Ode expressway

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FIVE persons — four males and a female — were crushed to death on Tuesday night on the Epe/Ijebu-Ode expressway.

Spokesperson for the Traffic Compliance and Enforcement Agency (TRACE), Babatunde Akinbiyi, said an the accident was caused by a white Mack truck with no registration number.

The truck was reported to have lost control and rammed a Benz low bed JB construction vehicle and a

commercial motorcycle inbound Epe.

The remains of the victims were deposited at the morgue of the General Hospital, Ijebu-Ode, by officials of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC).

The TRACE PRO said: "An empty Mack truck caused the road accident due to excessive speed.

"The truck was traveling from Epe, crossed the median and rammed a JB truck moving inbound Epe.

"It also crushed a commercial motorcycle on the same lane."