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Edo auto crash daims three, injures seven



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A tleast three people died while seven others were injured when their vehicle crashed at Ewu town on the Benin-Auchi-Okene Expressway in Esan Central Local Government Area of

Edo State.

The incident, which occurred on Wednesday, involved a Toyota Camry car marked CF 404 AKD, a truck laden with fuel with registration number MUA 308 XA, 18-seater commercial bus and a black Totoya Prado Jeep with registration number AKD 902 AS.

Both the dead and injured were taken to Irrua Specialist Hospital in the state.

The state Sector Commander of the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC), Mr. Anthony Oko, confirmed the incident yesterday and attributed it to over-speeding.

Oko said efforts were on by a team of FRSC drafted to the scene of the crash to remove the debris and to control traffic.