Auto crash claims eight lives, five cows in Ondo

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To fewer than eight person lost their lives in an auto-crash along Ondo-Ore highway, weekend.

Sunday Vanguard learnt that a commercial bus and a truck loaded with cows were involved in the collision that occurred at the Aiue axis of the route in the Odigbo council area of the state.

The bus was traveling from the Akure when it collided with the truck.

According to reports, the truck driver drove into the bus travelling in the opposite direction while attempting to avoid a pothole on the road.

Seven cows were also said to have died in the accident.

A source attributed the high rate of accidents in the area to the deplorable condition of roads.

Contacted, the state police spokesperson, Funmi Odunlami, confirmed the crash but said only two person died while five others were injured.