

## Noncommunicable Disease (NCD) Statistics

## Trends of seat belt use, 2008–2020

Median value for the proportion of rear seat passengers who wear seat belts increased by 25.3%p from 7.8% in 2014 to 33.1% in 2020, but it is still very low compared to the value for drivers wearing seat belts (Figure 1).

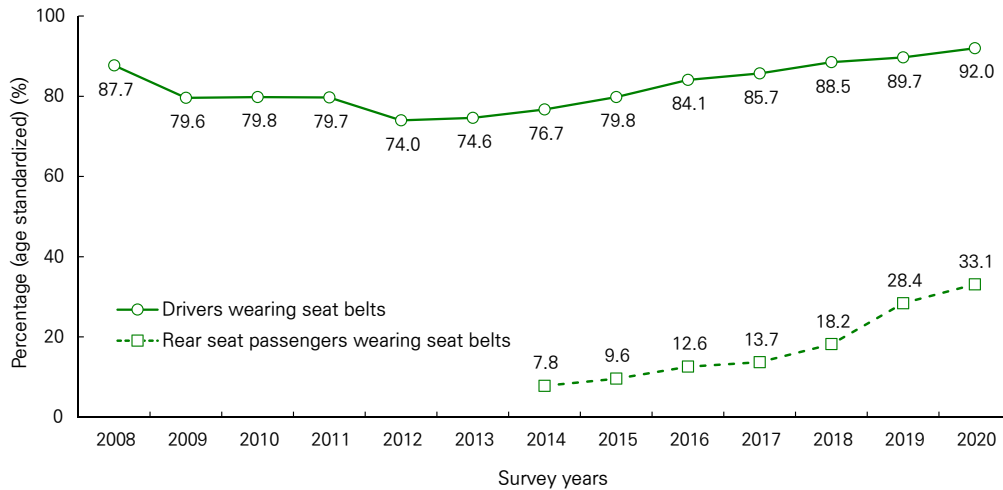


Figure 1. Trends of seat belt use, 2008–2020

\* Provided statistical value is the median calculated from 255 regional units (Si · Gun · Gu)

† Proportion of drivers wearing seat belts: Proportion of drivers who always wear seat belts when driving, among all drivers aged 19 years and over.

‡ Proportion of rear seat passengers wearing seat belts: Proportion of rear seat passengers who always wear seat belts when riding cars or taxis, among all rear seat passengers aged 19 years and over.

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