



# FACT SHEET #4

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## Driver Only – No Riders!

Runovers of an extra rider on farm machinery are a significant cause of farm fatalities. Between 1990-1996, 25 deaths resulted from the runover of a passenger who had fallen from a machine. Over half (56%) of these cases involved children under age 15.

If you are tempted to have a child ride on the tractor with you, remember - runovers by farm machinery are the most common cause of fatalities among farm children. Choose to set aside some other time to spend with your children.

The Canadian Federation of Agriculture along with Farm Credit Canada, the Canadian Agricultural Safety Association, and Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada want to encourage Canadian farmers to practice *Driver Only – No Riders!*

*Farm Safety Means Farm Safely*

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