

SAFETY BULLETIN

WINTER ADVISORY

Fortunately or unfortunately, depending upon your life style, fall has arrived and winter is fast approaching or depending on your location, winter conditions may have already arrived.

It is this time of year when the weather turns nasty and with it comes cold temperatures, snow, ice, poorer visibility and slippery walking and driving surfaces.



Picture taken Sept. 18, 2004 by K. LaBoucane
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Petro-Canada Production Operations statistics show that Oct. & Nov. are the 2 highest months of the year for the reporting of motor vehicle accidents. Use of proper tires and ensuring they are in good condition will help you control your vehicle during adverse road conditions. Stay focused when operating a vehicle and *drive to the conditions of the road*. Analysis of events shows us that inappropriate speed is a major factor in many of our vehicle events. Remember sometimes slower is faster.

We are entering the time of year when Slips, Trips and Falls are most prevalent. Ensure you wear proper footwear and they are in good condition. Have you checked the soles of your shoes lately? These are your last line of defense.

SLIPS, TRIPS, FALLS and MVA's



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