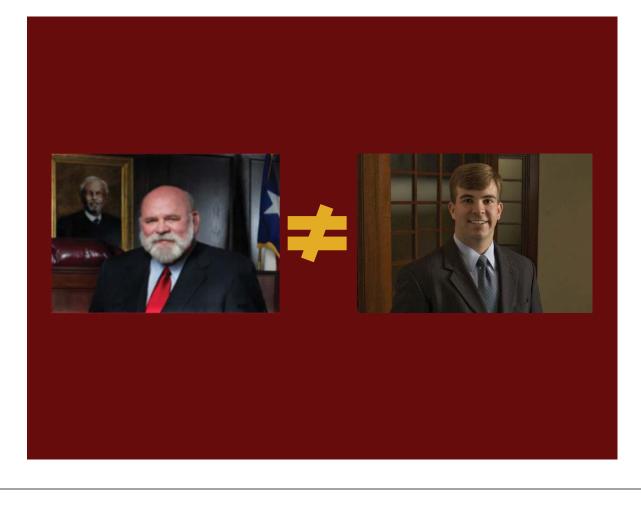




Truck Wrecks Deconstructed: From Impact to Deposition

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18-Wheelers Are Very Big

Unloaded = 16 Tons32,000 lbs.

• Loaded = 40 Tons • 80,000 lbs.





Weight Comparison

Fully-Loaded 18-Wheeler • 40 Tons or 80,000 lbs.

M4 Sherman Tank30 Tons or 60,000 lbs.







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Fully-Loaded 18-Wheeler
• 40 Tons or 80,000 lbs.

Boeing 737
• 35 Tons or 70,000 lbs.

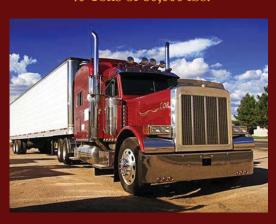






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Smart Car0.9 Ton or 1,800 lbs.









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