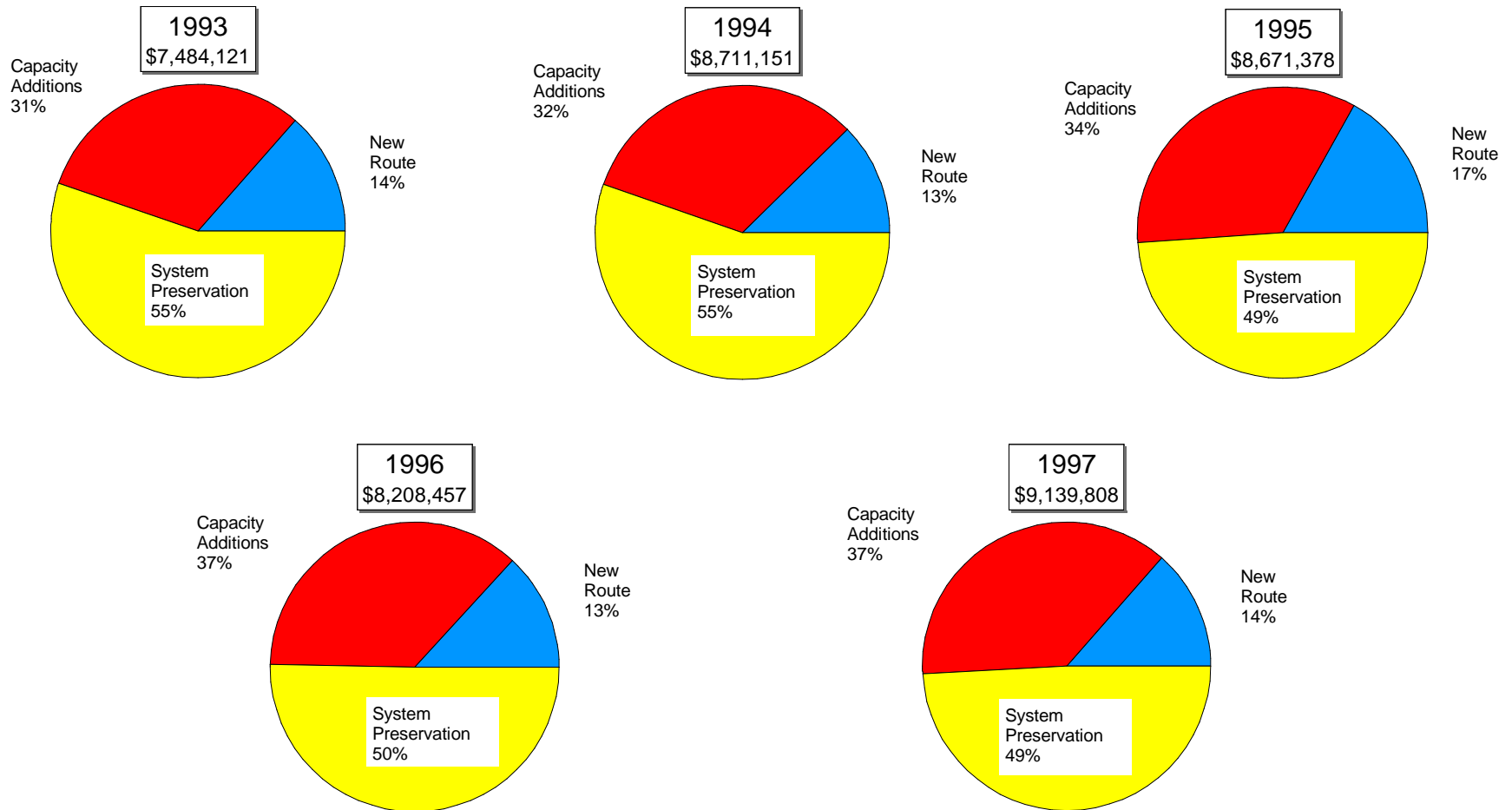


OBLIGATION OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR ROADWAY PROJECTS UNDERWAY 1/

(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

Obligation of Federal funds for roadway projects underway averaged \$8.4 billion per year from 1993 to 1997.



1/ Data source is the Fiscal Management Information System. Capacity addition improvements include Relocation, some Reconstruction, Major Widening, and Reconstruction-added capacity. The portion of reconstruction miles resulting in capacity improvements is estimated for 1993-1994-based on new detail available beginning with the 1995 data. System preservation improvements include some Reconstruction, Minor Widening, Restoration and Rehabilitation, Resurfacing, and Reconstruction-no added capacity. Excludes certain improvement types such as Safety/Traffic/Traffic System Management, Environmentally-related projects, Special Programs, and Other projects.

SOURCE: Federal Highway Administration, Office of Highway Policy Information, "Highway Statistics 1997"