

**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand		Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer		Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Total:	1,078,140	113.3	79,590	440.3	57,700	362.0	44,610	449.0
Nature of injury, illness:								
Sprains, strains	416,620	43.8	30,020	166.1	25,110	157.5	26,850	270.3
Fractures	89,650	9.4	6,450	35.7	5,840	36.7	1,150	11.6
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	99,830	10.5	8,190	45.3	2,880	18.1	480	4.8
Cuts, lacerations	87,060	9.1	7,210	39.9	2,770	17.4	380	3.8
Punctures	12,760	1.3	980	5.4	110	0.7	100	1.0
Bruises, contusions	93,650	9.8	8,710	48.2	5,270	33.0	4,040	40.6
Heat burns	15,630	1.6	670	3.7	710	4.4	70	0.7
Chemical burns	5,620	0.6	340	1.9	280	1.7	--	--
Amputations	6,230	0.7	360	2.0	200	1.2	--	--
Carpal tunnel syndrome	10,080	1.1	410	2.3	70	0.4	40	0.4
Tendonitis	4,100	0.4	180	1.0	170	1.1	130	1.3
Multiple traumatic injuries	43,960	4.6	2,540	14.1	3,610	22.6	1,030	10.4
With fractures	8,840	0.9	610	3.4	1,080	6.8	60	0.6
With sprains	16,780	1.8	870	4.8	1,470	9.3	720	7.3
Soreness, Pain	114,030	12.0	8,790	48.6	6,150	38.6	5,980	60.2
Back pain	37,140	3.9	3,060	16.9	2,320	14.5	2,470	24.8
All other	178,740	18.8	12,910	71.5	7,420	46.6	4,840	48.7
Part of body affected:								
Head	73,270	7.7	5,410	29.9	3,990	25.0	1,480	14.9
Eye	27,450	2.9	2,010	11.1	900	5.6	450	4.5
Neck	15,890	1.7	900	5.0	1,000	6.2	760	7.7
Trunk	366,710	38.5	28,670	158.6	23,070	144.7	22,720	228.8
Back	222,290	23.4	16,470	91.1	11,630	73.0	16,250	163.6
Shoulder	74,100	7.8	5,970	33.0	6,290	39.5	3,720	37.5
Upper extremities	244,150	25.7	18,050	99.9	8,210	51.5	5,830	58.7
Arm	48,420	5.1	3,640	20.1	2,870	18.0	1,720	17.3
Finger	95,080	10.0	7,420	41.1	1,920	12.0	960	9.7
Hand, except finger	41,940	4.4	3,530	19.5	1,560	9.8	700	7.0
Wrist	46,660	4.9	2,840	15.7	1,440	9.0	1,940	19.6
Lower extremities	240,760	25.3	20,350	112.6	13,180	82.7	7,340	73.9
Knee	91,830	9.7	6,030	33.3	5,000	31.4	3,680	37.0
Ankle	55,270	5.8	3,890	21.5	3,360	21.1	1,550	15.6
Foot, toe	49,390	5.2	5,960	33.0	1,940	12.2	1,090	11.0
Body systems	15,860	1.7	520	2.9	390	2.4	350	3.5
Multiple	112,200	11.8	4,960	27.4	7,290	45.7	5,750	57.9
All other	9,290	1.0	740	4.1	580	3.7	360	3.6
Source of injury, illness:								
Chemicals, chemical products	15,220	1.6	800	4.4	550	3.4	240	2.4
Containers	130,010	13.7	21,020	116.3	6,230	39.1	650	6.6
Furniture, fixtures	42,280	4.4	3,890	21.5	540	3.4	1,830	18.4
Machinery	64,170	6.7	4,660	25.8	1,490	9.4	590	5.9
Parts and materials	106,920	11.2	9,430	52.2	6,860	43.0	130	1.3
Person, injured or ill worker	156,360	16.4	9,310	51.5	8,290	52.0	4,220	42.5
Worker motion or position	149,490	15.7	8,980	49.7	7,850	49.2	4,150	41.8
Floor, ground surfaces	217,420	22.8	10,030	55.5	13,100	82.2	7,700	77.5
Handtools	50,530	5.3	2,710	15.0	960	6.0	90	0.9
Vehicles	91,320	9.6	9,040	50.0	14,620	91.7	740	7.5
Person, other than worker	61,680	6.5	180	1.0	100	0.6	24,630	247.9
Health care patient	49,180	5.2	--	--	--	--	23,970	241.2
All other	142,220	14.9	8,520	47.2	4,960	31.1	3,780	38.0

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**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand		Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer		Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Event or exposure:								
Contact with object, equipment	291,880	30.7	28,030	155.1	11,320	71.0	4,900	49.3
Struck by object	152,770	16.1	14,740	81.5	6,250	39.2	2,710	27.3
Struck against object	70,300	7.4	5,730	31.7	2,830	17.8	1,370	13.8
Caught in object, equipment, material	49,240	5.2	6,040	33.4	1,470	9.2	570	5.8
Fall to lower level	67,510	7.1	3,220	17.8	5,920	37.2	650	6.5
Fall on same level	157,680	16.6	7,100	39.3	7,890	49.5	7,350	74.0
Slips, trips	35,420	3.7	1,770	9.8	2,280	14.3	1,340	13.5
Overexertion	250,960	26.4	23,660	130.9	12,240	76.8	21,530	216.8
Overexertion in lifting	129,990	13.7	13,820	76.5	4,570	28.6	8,890	89.5
Repetitive motion	30,920	3.2	1,600	8.8	460	2.9	220	2.2
Exposed to harmful substance	45,480	4.8	1,900	10.5	1,170	7.3	1,150	11.6
Transportation accidents	48,610	5.1	3,410	18.9	8,770	55.0	330	3.4
Highway accident	29,550	3.1	560	3.1	6,460	40.5	300	3.0
Fires, explosions	2,320	0.2	370	2.1	110	0.7	--	--
Assault, violent act	22,690	2.4	220	1.2	230	1.4	2,920	29.4
by person	16,330	1.7	120	0.7	150	0.9	2,870	28.8
by other	6,360	0.7	100	0.6	80	0.5	60	0.6
by animal	6,120	0.6	90	0.5	70	0.5	40	0.4
All other	124,670	13.1	8,300	45.9	7,310	45.9	4,200	42.3

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**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Construction laborers		Truck drivers, light or delivery services		Retail salespersons	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Total:	1,078,140	113.3	31,310	383.1	28,040	323.8	28,900	90.1
Nature of injury, illness:								
Sprains, strains	416,620	43.8	9,880	120.9	12,370	142.8	11,350	35.4
Fractures	89,650	9.4	3,660	44.8	1,760	20.3	2,720	8.5
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	99,830	10.5	4,420	54.1	1,310	15.1	2,550	7.9
Cuts, lacerations	87,060	9.1	3,300	40.4	1,270	14.7	2,350	7.3
Punctures	12,760	1.3	1,120	13.7	40	0.4	190	0.6
Bruises, contusions	93,650	9.8	2,890	35.4	2,180	25.2	3,930	12.3
Heat burns	15,630	1.6	340	4.2	70	0.8	180	0.5
Chemical burns	5,620	0.6	110	1.3	--	--	50	0.2
Amputations	6,230	0.7	140	1.7	20	0.2	120	0.4
Carpal tunnel syndrome	10,080	1.1	30	0.3	40	0.5	90	0.3
Tendonitis	4,100	0.4	40	0.5	70	0.8	50	0.2
Multiple traumatic injuries	43,960	4.6	1,180	14.4	1,330	15.4	1,020	3.2
With fractures	8,840	0.9	300	3.7	130	1.5	150	0.5
With sprains	16,780	1.8	320	3.9	490	5.7	430	1.3
Soreness, Pain	114,030	12.0	2,910	35.7	4,640	53.7	2,840	8.9
Back pain	37,140	3.9	880	10.8	1,600	18.5	880	2.8
All other	178,740	18.8	5,710	69.8	4,230	48.9	4,020	12.5
Part of body affected:								
Head	73,270	7.7	2,230	27.3	1,270	14.6	2,280	7.1
Eye	27,450	2.9	990	12.1	240	2.7	480	1.5
Neck	15,890	1.7	210	2.5	710	8.2	340	1.1
Trunk	366,710	38.5	10,470	128.1	11,220	129.6	9,510	29.6
Back	222,290	23.4	6,130	75.0	6,910	79.9	5,730	17.9
Shoulder	74,100	7.8	1,560	19.1	2,210	25.6	2,400	7.5
Upper extremities	244,150	25.7	7,130	87.2	3,910	45.1	5,500	17.1
Arm	48,420	5.1	1,190	14.6	890	10.3	1,390	4.3
Finger	95,080	10.0	3,270	40.0	1,310	15.2	1,760	5.5
Hand, except finger	41,940	4.4	1,770	21.6	550	6.4	700	2.2
Wrist	46,660	4.9	630	7.7	960	11.1	1,340	4.2
Lower extremities	240,760	25.3	8,510	104.2	7,060	81.5	7,250	22.6
Knee	91,830	9.7	2,570	31.5	2,600	30.0	2,480	7.7
Ankle	55,270	5.8	2,040	24.9	1,990	22.9	1,730	5.4
Foot, toe	49,390	5.2	2,350	28.8	970	11.2	2,200	6.9
Body systems	15,860	1.7	430	5.2	190	2.2	470	1.5
Multiple	112,200	11.8	2,200	26.9	3,280	37.8	3,400	10.6
All other	9,290	1.0	140	1.7	410	4.7	160	0.5
Source of injury, illness:								
Chemicals, chemical products	15,220	1.6	300	3.7	80	1.0	210	0.7
Containers	130,010	13.7	1,650	20.2	5,790	66.9	5,820	18.1
Furniture, fixtures	42,280	4.4	210	2.6	1,060	12.2	2,580	8.0
Machinery	64,170	6.7	1,640	20.1	660	7.6	1,510	4.7
Parts and materials	106,920	11.2	7,970	97.5	2,210	25.5	1,210	3.8
Person, injured or ill worker	156,360	16.4	3,360	41.1	4,080	47.1	3,500	10.9
Worker motion or position	149,490	15.7	3,250	39.8	3,770	43.5	3,240	10.1
Floor, ground surfaces	217,420	22.8	5,540	67.8	4,960	57.3	7,490	23.4
Handtools	50,530	5.3	3,180	38.9	590	6.8	990	3.1
Vehicles	91,320	9.6	2,200	26.9	6,300	72.7	1,810	5.6
Person, other than worker	61,680	6.5	50	0.6	70	0.8	520	1.6
Health care patient	49,180	5.2	--	--	--	--	--	--
All other	142,220	14.9	5,210	63.8	2,250	26.0	3,260	10.2

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Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Construction laborers		Truck drivers, light or delivery services		Retail salespersons	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Event or exposure:								
Contact with object, equipment	291,880	30.7	12,430	152.1	5,550	64.1	7,800	24.3
Struck by object	152,770	16.1	8,140	99.6	3,480	40.2	4,690	14.6
Struck against object	70,300	7.4	2,130	26.0	1,230	14.2	2,140	6.7
Caught in object, equipment, material	49,240	5.2	1,170	14.3	540	6.2	590	1.8
Fall to lower level	67,510	7.1	3,440	42.1	1,840	21.3	1,850	5.8
Fall on same level	157,680	16.6	2,650	32.4	3,090	35.7	6,020	18.8
Slips, trips	35,420	3.7	890	10.9	1,050	12.1	650	2.0
Overexertion	250,960	26.4	5,810	71.0	8,180	94.5	7,400	23.1
Overexertion in lifting	129,990	13.7	3,000	36.7	4,350	50.2	4,090	12.8
Repetitive motion	30,920	3.2	270	3.4	450	5.2	350	1.1
Exposed to harmful substance	45,480	4.8	1,040	12.7	230	2.6	560	1.8
Transportation accidents	48,610	5.1	1,160	14.2	3,410	39.4	600	1.9
Highway accident	29,550	3.1	390	4.8	2,610	30.2	340	1.0
Fires, explosions	2,320	0.2	150	1.8	--	--	20	0.0
Assault, violent act	22,690	2.4	70	0.9	300	3.5	500	1.6
by person	16,330	1.7	20	0.3	90	1.1	430	1.3
by other	6,360	0.7	50	0.6	210	2.5	70	0.2
by animal	6,120	0.6	50	0.6	200	2.3	60	0.2
All other	124,670	13.1	3,410	41.7	3,900	45.1	3,150	9.8

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**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners		Carpenters		Maintenance and repair workers, general	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Total:	1,078,140	113.3	28,110	243.0	18,160	235.7	20,800	212.7
Nature of injury, illness:								
Sprains, strains	416,620	43.8	12,080	104.4	5,450	70.7	7,560	77.3
Fractures	89,650	9.4	1,630	14.1	1,570	20.4	1,800	18.4
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	99,830	10.5	2,390	20.6	3,850	49.9	2,450	25.0
Cuts, lacerations	87,060	9.1	2,090	18.1	2,420	31.4	1,920	19.6
Punctures	12,760	1.3	300	2.6	1,420	18.5	530	5.4
Bruises, contusions	93,650	9.8	2,210	19.1	980	12.7	1,150	11.8
Heat burns	15,630	1.6	190	1.6	--	--	290	3.0
Chemical burns	5,620	0.6	280	2.4	30	0.4	200	2.0
Amputations	6,230	0.7	120	1.0	140	1.8	270	2.8
Carpal tunnel syndrome	10,080	1.1	120	1.0	20	0.3	60	0.6
Tendonitis	4,100	0.4	50	0.4	100	1.3	50	0.6
Multiple traumatic injuries	43,960	4.6	1,400	12.1	600	7.8	840	8.6
With fractures	8,840	0.9	130	1.1	160	2.1	150	1.6
With sprains	16,780	1.8	870	7.5	190	2.5	150	1.5
Soreness, Pain	114,030	12.0	3,180	27.4	2,280	29.6	2,100	21.5
Back pain	37,140	3.9	1,250	10.8	770	10.0	570	5.8
All other	178,740	18.8	4,490	38.8	3,130	40.6	4,020	41.1
Part of body affected:								
Head	73,270	7.7	1,720	14.9	1,420	18.4	2,020	20.7
Eye	27,450	2.9	810	7.0	760	9.9	980	10.0
Neck	15,890	1.7	850	7.3	100	1.2	390	4.0
Trunk	366,710	38.5	10,850	93.8	5,430	70.5	7,170	73.3
Back	222,290	23.4	6,760	58.4	3,250	42.2	3,980	40.7
Shoulder	74,100	7.8	1,910	16.5	870	11.2	1,370	14.0
Upper extremities	244,150	25.7	5,560	48.1	4,900	63.7	5,050	51.7
Arm	48,420	5.1	1,120	9.7	820	10.7	820	8.4
Finger	95,080	10.0	2,510	21.7	2,450	31.9	2,310	23.6
Hand, except finger	41,940	4.4	860	7.5	980	12.7	850	8.6
Wrist	46,660	4.9	850	7.3	510	6.6	810	8.3
Lower extremities	240,760	25.3	5,460	47.2	4,240	55.1	4,400	45.0
Knee	91,830	9.7	2,040	17.6	1,570	20.3	2,120	21.7
Ankle	55,270	5.8	1,240	10.7	820	10.6	830	8.5
Foot, toe	49,390	5.2	1,340	11.6	1,010	13.1	1,000	10.2
Body systems	15,860	1.7	530	4.6	90	1.1	230	2.4
Multiple	112,200	11.8	2,870	24.8	1,880	24.4	1,430	14.7
All other	9,290	1.0	280	2.4	100	1.3	100	1.0
Source of injury, illness:								
Chemicals, chemical products	15,220	1.6	680	5.9	50	0.7	360	3.7
Containers	130,010	13.7	3,990	34.5	600	7.8	1,340	13.7
Furniture, fixtures	42,280	4.4	2,420	20.9	500	6.5	1,050	10.8
Machinery	64,170	6.7	1,420	12.3	860	11.2	2,730	27.9
Parts and materials	106,920	11.2	1,690	14.6	6,530	84.7	2,980	30.5
Person, injured or ill worker	156,360	16.4	3,710	32.1	2,460	31.9	2,880	29.4
Worker motion or position	149,490	15.7	3,570	30.8	2,310	29.9	2,830	28.9
Floor, ground surfaces	217,420	22.8	6,750	58.3	2,890	37.5	3,700	37.8
Handtools	50,530	5.3	1,580	13.6	1,300	16.9	1,790	18.4
Vehicles	91,320	9.6	1,580	13.6	480	6.2	1,350	13.8
Person, other than worker	61,680	6.5	150	1.3	--	--	30	0.3
Health care patient	49,180	5.2	--	--	--	--	--	--
All other	142,220	14.9	4,150	35.9	2,470	32.1	2,570	26.3

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**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners		Carpenters		Maintenance and repair workers, general	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Event or exposure:								
Contact with object, equipment	291,880	30.7	6,170	53.3	7,840	101.8	6,800	69.6
Struck by object	152,770	16.1	2,840	24.5	4,730	61.4	3,620	37.0
Struck against object	70,300	7.4	1,620	14.0	1,770	22.9	1,600	16.4
Caught in object, equipment, material	49,240	5.2	1,040	9.0	810	10.5	1,130	11.6
Fall to lower level	67,510	7.1	2,850	24.6	2,090	27.2	1,570	16.0
Fall on same level	157,680	16.6	4,110	35.5	1,050	13.6	1,990	20.4
Slips, trips	35,420	3.7	1,150	9.9	600	7.7	540	5.6
Overexertion	250,960	26.4	7,420	64.1	3,760	48.8	4,810	49.2
Overexertion in lifting	129,990	13.7	4,240	36.6	1,950	25.4	2,380	24.4
Repetitive motion	30,920	3.2	440	3.8	240	3.1	550	5.6
Exposed to harmful substance	45,480	4.8	1,620	14.0	260	3.4	1,060	10.8
Transportation accidents	48,610	5.1	970	8.4	210	2.7	890	9.1
Highway accident	29,550	3.1	760	6.6	80	1.0	610	6.2
Fires, explosions	2,320	0.2	80	0.7	--	--	50	0.5
Assault, violent act	22,690	2.4	260	2.2	20	0.2	70	0.8
by person	16,330	1.7	120	1.0	--	--	20	0.2
by other	6,360	0.7	140	1.2	20	0.2	60	0.6
by animal	6,120	0.6	130	1.2	20	0.2	60	0.6
All other	124,670	13.1	3,040	26.3	2,100	27.2	2,450	25.1

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**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Registered nurses	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Total:	1,078,140	113.3	19,070	113.8
Nature of injury, illness:				
Sprains, strains	416,620	43.8	10,650	63.5
Fractures	89,650	9.4	1,190	7.1
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	99,830	10.5	470	2.8
Cuts, lacerations	87,060	9.1	390	2.3
Punctures	12,760	1.3	80	0.5
Bruises, contusions	93,650	9.8	1,970	11.8
Heat burns	15,630	1.6	40	0.3
Chemical burns	5,620	0.6	--	--
Amputations	6,230	0.7	--	--
Carpal tunnel syndrome	10,080	1.1	20	0.1
Tendonitis	4,100	0.4	80	0.5
Multiple traumatic injuries	43,960	4.6	760	4.6
With fractures	8,840	0.9	130	0.8
With sprains	16,780	1.8	410	2.5
Soreness, Pain	114,030	12.0	1,630	9.8
Back pain	37,140	3.9	560	3.4
All other	178,740	18.8	2,250	13.4
Part of body affected:				
Head	73,270	7.7	590	3.5
Eye	27,450	2.9	120	0.7
Neck	15,890	1.7	590	3.5
Trunk	366,710	38.5	8,330	49.7
Back	222,290	23.4	6,080	36.3
Shoulder	74,100	7.8	1,350	8.1
Upper extremities	244,150	25.7	2,570	15.4
Arm	48,420	5.1	620	3.7
Finger	95,080	10.0	750	4.5
Hand, except finger	41,940	4.4	440	2.7
Wrist	46,660	4.9	580	3.4
Lower extremities	240,760	25.3	3,440	20.5
Knee	91,830	9.7	1,700	10.1
Ankle	55,270	5.8	790	4.7
Foot, toe	49,390	5.2	480	2.9
Body systems	15,860	1.7	270	1.6
Multiple	112,200	11.8	3,170	18.9
All other	9,290	1.0	110	0.7
Source of injury, illness:				
Chemicals, chemical products	15,220	1.6	190	1.1
Containers	130,010	13.7	250	1.5
Furniture, fixtures	42,280	4.4	1,160	6.9
Machinery	64,170	6.7	260	1.5
Parts and materials	106,920	11.2	130	0.8
Person, injured or ill worker	156,360	16.4	2,530	15.1
Worker motion or position	149,490	15.7	2,440	14.6
Floor, ground surfaces	217,420	22.8	4,540	27.1
Handtools	50,530	5.3	220	1.3
Vehicles	91,320	9.6	570	3.4
Person, other than worker	61,680	6.5	7,430	44.3
Health care patient	49,180	5.2	7,150	42.7
All other	142,220	14.9	1,790	10.7

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 2a. Number and incidence rate<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work<sup>2</sup> by selected worker and case characteristics and occupation, All United States, private industry, 2008**

Characteristic	Private industry <sup>3,4,5</sup>		Registered nurses	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Event or exposure:				
Contact with object, equipment	291,880	30.7	2,190	13.1
Struck by object	152,770	16.1	960	5.8
Struck against object	70,300	7.4	720	4.3
Caught in object, equipment, material	49,240	5.2	390	2.3
Fall to lower level	67,510	7.1	560	3.3
Fall on same level	157,680	16.6	3,920	23.4
Slips, trips	35,420	3.7	710	4.2
Overexertion	250,960	26.4	7,290	43.5
Overexertion in lifting	129,990	13.7	3,070	18.3
Repetitive motion	30,920	3.2	310	1.9
Exposed to harmful substance	45,480	4.8	620	3.7
Transportation accidents	48,610	5.1	370	2.2
Highway accident	29,550	3.1	310	1.9
Fires, explosions	2,320	0.2	20	0.1
Assault, violent act	22,690	2.4	960	5.7
by person	16,330	1.7	920	5.5
by other	6,360	0.7	40	0.2
by animal	6,120	0.6	40	0.2
All other	124,670	13.1	2,120	12.7

<sup>1</sup> Incidence rates represent the number of injuries and illnesses per 10,000 full-time workers and were calculated as: (N / EH) X 20,000,000 where,

N = number of injuries and illnesses,

EH = total hours worked by all employees during the calendar year,

20,000,000 = base for 10,000 full-time equivalent workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year).

<sup>2</sup> Days-away-from-work include those that result in days-away-from-work with or without job transfer or restriction.

<sup>3</sup> Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

<sup>4</sup> Data for mining (Sector 21 in the *North American Industry Classification System* -- United States, 2002) include establishments not governed by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) rules and reporting, such as those in oil and gas extraction and related support activities. Data for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries. These data do not reflect the changes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration made to its recordkeeping requirements effective January 1, 2002; therefore estimates for these industries are not comparable to estimates in other industries.

<sup>5</sup> Data for employers in railroad transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that do not meet publication guidelines or data for incidence rates less than 0.05 per 10,000 full-time workers. The scientifically selected probability sample used in each year was one of many possible samples, each of which could have produced different estimates. A measure of sampling variability for each estimate is available upon request.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, November, 2009