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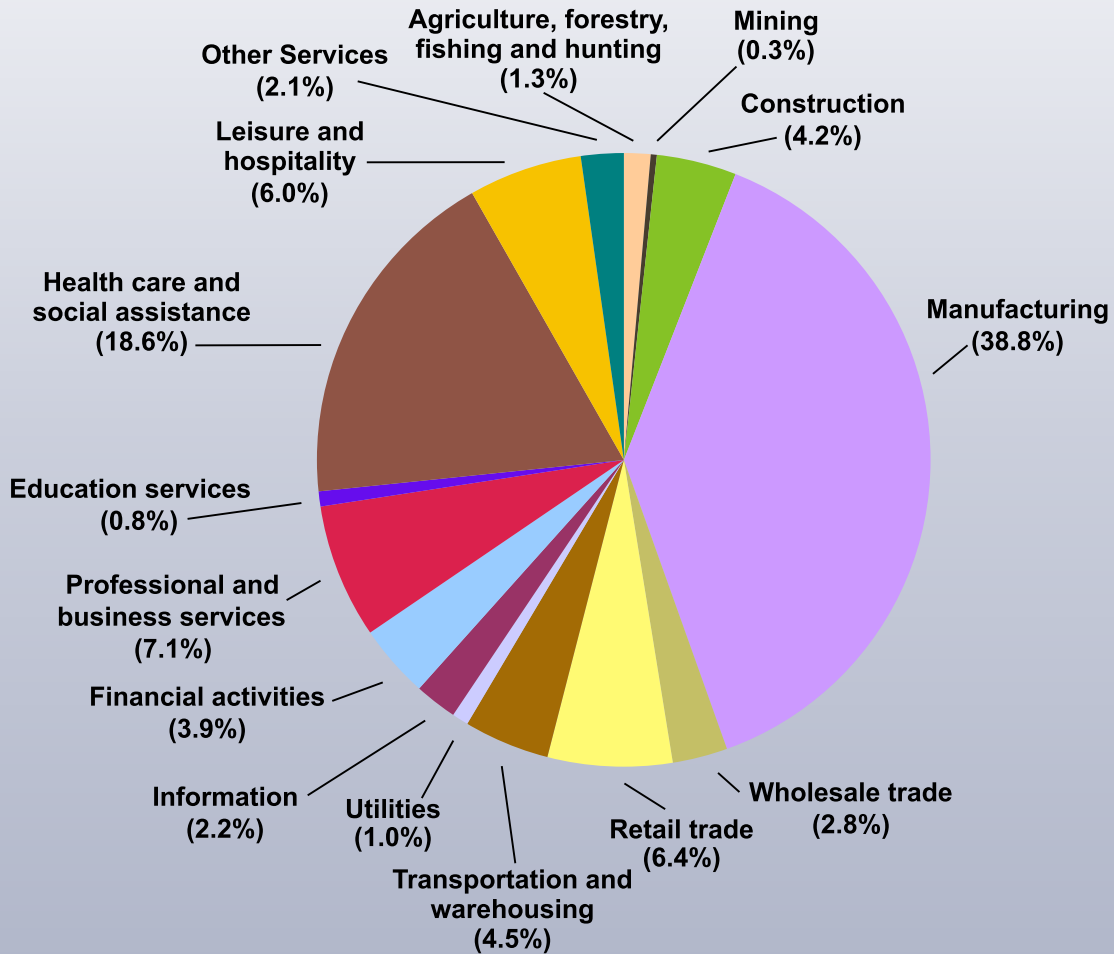
The manufacturing and the health care and social assistance industries together accounted for more than 57 percent of all reported occupational illnesses in private industry in 2005.

The manufacturing industry accounted for nearly 39 percent of all newly reported cases of occupational illness.

The rate of illnesses experienced by workers in hospitals was 66.2 cases per 10,000 full-time workers, compared with 26.7 cases for all private industry in 2005.



Percent of nonfatal occupational illnesses, by industry, 2005



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, October, 2006