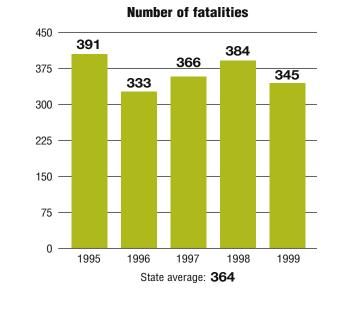
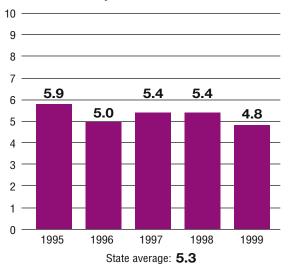
Total fatalities, 1995–99:	1,819
Average fatalities per year:	364
Five-year average fatality rate:	5.3



WORK-RELATED FATALITY NUMBERS AND RATES*



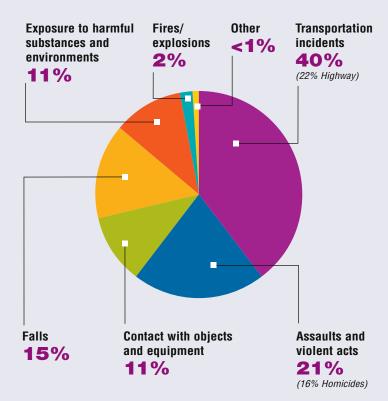


Rate per 100,000 workers

EMPLOYEE STATUS		GENDER		AGE		RACE	
Wage/Salary worker	1,667	Male	1,666	Under 20	50	White	1,136
Self-employed	152	Female	153	20 to 34	526	Black/African American	226
				35 to 54	849	Hispanic/Latino	345
				55 and older	385	Other races/Not reported	112

*Please see caveats regarding the calculation of State rates in the State Profiles section introduction page and appendix II.

WORK-RELATED FATALITIES BY EVENT



OCCUPATIONS WITH THE MOST Fatalities

OCCUPATION NU	NUMBER (%)		
Transportation and material moving occupations	330 (18%)		
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	267 (15%)		
Construction trades	222 (12%)		
Sales occupations	174 (10%)		
Other agricultural and related occupations	137 (8%)		



WORK-RELATED FATALITIES BY MAJOR INDUSTRY

