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Injury and illness rates declined significantly in 2005 for the manufacturing; trade, transportation, and utilities; and education and health services major industry sectors.

No major industry sector experienced a significant increase in the rate of total recordable occupational injuries and illnesses in 2005.

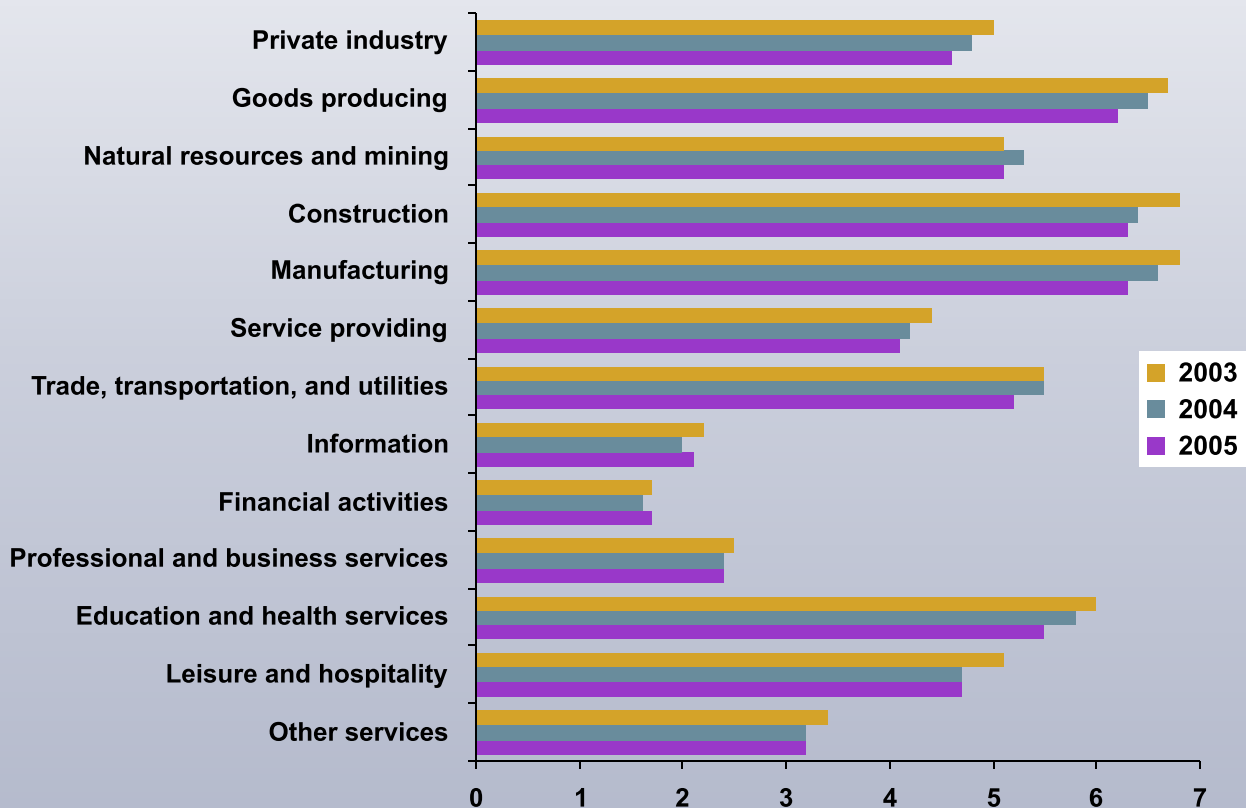
Goods-producing industries as a whole had an injury and illness rate of 6.2 cases per 100 full-time workers, while service-providing industries had a rate of 4.1 cases per 100 full-time workers.

The rate for goods-producing industries declined by 0.3 case per 100 full-time workers, and the rate for service-providing industries fell by 0.1 case per 100 full-time workers, from the rates reported for 2004.



Total recordable nonfatal occupational injury and illness incidence rates, by major industries, 2003–05

(per 100 full-time workers)



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