

NORA manufacturing sector and asbestosis: Most frequently recorded industries and occupations on death certificate, U.S. residents age 15 and over, selected states and years, 1990–1999

Bureau of Census Industry/Occupation		Number of Deaths*	Percent
CIC	Industry		
360	Ship and boat building and repairing	171	16.5
192	Industrial and miscellaneous chemicals	124	12.0
262	Miscellaneous nonmetallic mineral and stone products	75	7.2
270	Blast furnaces, steelworks, rolling and finishing mills	67	6.5
392	Not specified manufacturing industries	61	5.9
142	Yarn, thread, and fabric mills	47	4.5
211	Other rubber products, and plastics footwear and belting	40	3.9
200	Petroleum refining	31	3.0
250	Glass and glass products	30	2.9
160	Pulp, paper, and paperboard mills	29	2.8
	All other industries within this sector	360	34.8
	TOTAL	1,035	100.0
COC	Occupation		
585	Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	69	6.7
633	Supervisors, production occupations	64	6.2
889	Laborers, except construction	63	6.1
783	Welders and cutters	55	5.3
637	Machinists	44	4.3
779	Machine operators, not specified	41	4.0
575	Electricians	38	3.7
777	Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	34	3.3
518	Industrial machinery repairers	33	3.2
019	Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	31	3.0
	All other occupations within this sector	553	53.4
	Occupation not reported within this sector	10	1.0
	TOTAL	1,035	100.0

NORA - National Occupational Research Agenda CIC - Census Industry Code COC - Census Occupation Code n.e.c. - not elsewhere classified

* The total number of asbestosis deaths was 2,859 in these same selected states and years, and the comparable number of asbestosis deaths in the entire United States for this same time period was 10,914.

NOTE: Percentages may not total to 100% due to rounding. See appendices for source description, methods, ICD codes, industry and occupation codes, industrial sector groupings, and list of selected states and years.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics multiple cause-of-death data.