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**Occupational dust diseases of the lungs: Estimated rate (based on cases reported by employers, per 10,000 full-time workers) by industry, U.S. private sector, 1973–2001**


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Year	Agriculture	Mining	Construction	Manufacturing	Transportation & Public Utilities	Wholesale & Retail Trade	Finance	Services	Overall
1973	1.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3
1974	0.8	4.8	0.3	0.4	-	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.3
1975	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	0.2
1976	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.2	-	-	-	0.2
1977	1.3	2.0	2.5	0.4	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	0.3
1978	0.3	4.0	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.1	-	-	0.3
1979	0.1	3.4	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.3
1980	0.4	3.3	0.6	0.7	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.4
1981	0.3	2.5	0.5	0.8	0.1	-	-	0.1	0.3
1982	0.4	3.2	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.1	-	0.1	0.3
1983	0.4	1.9	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.3
1984	0.4	1.7	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.1	-	0.1	0.3
1985	0.5	2.7	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.1	-	0.1	0.2
1986	1.0	8.4	0.3	0.9	-	-	-	0.1	0.5
1987	0.5	12.9	1.2	0.6	0.3	-	-	0.2	0.5
1988	-	10.2	0.5	0.6	0.6	-	-	0.1	0.4
1989	0.2	7.5	0.5	0.7	0.2	-	-	0.1	0.3
1990	0.6	4.4	0.6	0.9	0.7	-	-	0.1	0.4
1991	0.5	7.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	-	-	0.1	0.3
1992	0.2	9.0	0.3	0.6	-	0.1	-	0.2	0.3
1993	0.5	8.7	0.4	0.5	0.5	-	-	0.3	0.3
1994	0.3	6.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3
1995	0.1	3.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.3
1996	0.1	1.6	0.1	1.4	0.3	-	0.1	0.2	0.4
1997	0.3	1.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.3
1998	0.2	4.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
1999	0.2	2.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
2000	0.2	1.7	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
2001	0.1	1.7	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	-	0.1	0.1

- indicates no data reported or data that do not meet BLS publication guidelines.

NOTE: BLS stopped using the 'dust diseases of the lung' category in 2001. Since 2002, BLS has been aggregating these diseases with other occupational lung diseases in a new 'respiratory conditions' category for its annual surveys. See appendices for source description.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics annual reports of occupational injuries and illnesses.