

Table D. Percent distribution of job-related electrocutions by selected characteristics, 1994.

		Total electrocutions:	
		Number	346
		Percent	100
Worker traits		Major occupation	
Wage and salary workers	86%	Precision prod., craft, repair...	53%
Self-employed	14	Construction trades	40
		Electricians and apprentices.	15
Men	97	Electrical power installers	
Women	3	and repairers.....	7
		Carpenters and apprentices ..	4
Under 20 years	3	Painters	3
20 to 24 years	16	Mechanics and repairers	10
25 to 34 years	35	Vehicle and mobile equipment.	3
35 to 44 years	23	Electrical and electronic	
45 to 54 years	14	equipment.....	3
55 to 64 years	8	Operators, fabricators, laborers.	23
65 years and over	1	Handlers, helpers, and laborers	12
		Construction laborers	6
White	89	Nonconstruction laborers	4
Black	6	Machine operators, assemblers .	6
		Transportation and material	
Other or unspecified.....	5	movers.....	5
		Farming, forestry, and fishing ..	14
Hispanic origin	11	Managerial and professional spec.	5
		Service	3
		Technical, sales, admin. support.	3
		Other	2
Type of electric current		Major industry	
Overhead powerlines	38%	Agriculture, forestry, fishing .	13%
Wiring, transformers, or		Agricultural production-crops.	5
other electrical component..	28	Agricultural production-	
Machine, tool, appliance,		livestock.....	2
light fixture	18	Agricultural services.....	5
Lightning	4	Landscape and horticultural.	3
Underground or buried power		Mining	3
lines	2	Construction	40
Other or unspecified	10	General building contractors .	5
		Heavy construction, except	
		building	11
		Special trades contractors ...	24
		Electrical work.....	10
		Roofing, siding, and sheet	
		metal.....	3
		Plumbing, heating, air con-	
		ditioning.....	2
		Manufacturing	12
		Transportation and public	
		utilities	8
		Electric, gas, and sanitary	
		services.....	6
		Wholesale trade	3
		Retail trade	3
		Services	11
		Business services	4
		Miscellaneous repair	2
		Government	5
Location of incident			
Industrial place or premises.	38%		
Construction site.....	16		
Public building.....	12		
Private residence.....	12		
Farm.....	10		
Street or highway.....	8		
Recreational, sports areas...	2		
Mine, quarry.....	2		
Other or unspecified.....	15		

NOTE: Data may not sum to totals because of the omission of miscellaneous categories and because of rounding.