

Table A-9. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure and major private industry sector, Texas, 2003

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		Total goods producing	Natural resources and mining ³	Construction	Manufacturing	Total service producing	Trade, transportation, and utilities	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services
Total	491	200	58	106	36	247	142	5	15	36	8	29	12
Contact with objects and equipment.....	70	47	17	21	9	21	13	--	--	3	--	--	3
Struck by object.....	44	31	14	14	3	12	8	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by falling object.....	29	21	10	10	--	8	4	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by flying object.....	5	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by dislodged flying object, particle.....	5	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object.....	4	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object, n.e.c.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by rolling, sliding objects on floor or ground level.....	5	--	--	--	--	3	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects.....	13	8	--	--	6	5	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in running equipment or machinery.....	5	4	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Compressed or pinched by rolling, sliding, or shifting objects.....	7	3	--	--	--	4	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or crushed in collapsing materials.....	11	8	--	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Excavation or trenching cave-in.....	3	3	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or crushed in collapsing structure.....	5	5	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or crushed in collapsing materials, n.e.c.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Falls.....	52	37	--	32	4	14	5	--	--	--	--	4	--
Fall to lower level.....	47	37	--	32	4	9	3	--	--	--	--	3	--
Fall from ladder.....	12	10	--	8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from roof.....	12	12	--	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from roof, unspecified.....	4	4	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from roof edge.....	5	5	--	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from scaffold, staging.....	5	4	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from building girders or other structural steel.....	4	4	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from nonmoving vehicle.....	6	4	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to lower level, n.e.c.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall on same level.....	4	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to floor, walkway, or other surface.....	3	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to harmful substances or environments.....	51	37	5	26	6	13	3	--	--	8	--	--	--
Contact with electric current.....	36	28	--	21	5	8	--	--	--	4	--	--	--
Contact with electric current of machine, tool, appliance, or light fixture.....	6	3	--	3	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Contact with wiring, transformers, or other electrical components.....	13	13	--	9	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

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Contact with overhead power lines.....	13	9	--	6	--	4	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Struck by lightning.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Contact with temperature extremes.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to environmental heat.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances.....	9	5	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Inhalation of substance.....	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Inhalation in open or nonconfined space.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Transportation accidents.....	201	55	24	21	10	114	88	--	3	12	5	--	--
Highway accident.....	118	28	12	7	9	74	60	--	--	6	3	--	--
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment.....	61	12	4	4	4	39	31	--	--	3	--	--	--
Moving in same direction.....	16	7	4	--	--	8	7	--	--	--	--	--	--
Moving in opposite directions, oncoming.....	32	3	--	--	--	21	15	--	--	--	--	--	--
Moving in intersection.....	9	--	--	--	--	7	6	--	--	--	--	--	--
Vehicle struck stationary object or equipment in roadway.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Vehicle struck stationary object, equipment on side of road.....	31	4	3	--	--	23	20	--	--	--	--	--	--
Noncollision accident.....	23	10	3	--	5	11	8	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jack-knifed or overturned--no collision.....	20	9	3	--	5	10	8	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nonhighway accident, except rail, air, water.....	8	5	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Noncollision accident.....	7	4	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overturned.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian, nonpassenger struck by vehicle, mobile equipment.....	32	13	--	11	--	16	12	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway.....	16	5	--	4	--	8	6	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in parking lot or non-roadway area.....	15	7	--	6	--	8	6	--	--	--	--	--	--
Railway accident.....	7	--	--	--	--	5	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Collision between railway vehicle and other vehicle.....	7	--	--	--	--	5	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water vehicle accident.....	7	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from ship, boat, n.e.c.....	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Aircraft accident.....	29	4	4	--	--	12	9	--	--	--	--	--	--
Aircraft accident, n.e.c.....	24	--	--	--	--	10	7	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fires and explosions.....	27	16	9	5	--	10	4	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fire--unintended or uncontrolled.....	19	9	4	3	--	9	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fire in residence, building, or other structure.....	11	7	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fire, n.e.c.....	8	--	--	--	--	6	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Explosion.....	8	7	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

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Explosion of pressure vessel or piping.....	7	6	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults and violent acts.....	90	8	--	--	5	75	29	--	11	8	--	19	4
Assaults and violent acts by person(s).....	69	6	--	--	4	59	22	--	8	6	--	17	3
Hitting, kicking, beating.....	7	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Shooting.....	53	3	--	--	--	48	18	--	6	6	--	14	--
Stabbing.....	5	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults and violent acts by person(s), n.e.c.....	4	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Self-inflicted injury.....	18	--	--	--	--	14	7	--	3	--	--	--	--
Suicide, attempted suicide.....	18	--	--	--	--	14	7	--	3	--	--	--	--
Assaults by animals.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults by animals, n.e.c.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

¹ Classified according to the North American Industry Classification System, 2002.

² Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

³ Includes fatalities at all establishments categorized as Mining (Sector 21) in the North American Industry Classification System, 2002, including establishments not governed by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) rules and reporting, such as those in Oil and Gas Extraction.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Dashes indicate no data reported or data that do not meet publication criteria. n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Data for 2003 are preliminary.

SOURCE: Texas Workers' Compensation Commission
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