

Table 1. Fatal occupational injuries for the United States and states in the Southeast, 2002-2006

State	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 (p)
United States	5,534	5,575	5,764	5,734	5,703
Alabama	102	124	133	128	100
Florida	354	347	422	406	355
Georgia	197	199	232	200	192
Kentucky	146	145	143	122	147
Mississippi	94	102	88	112	96
North Carolina	169	182	183	165	167
South Carolina	107	115	113	132	93
Tennessee	140	137	145	139	153

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Table 2. Fatal occupational injuries by detailed event or exposure in the United States and the Southeast, 2006 (p)

Event or exposure ^{1/}	Fatalities							
	United States		Alabama		Florida		Georgia	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	5,703	100	100	100	355	100	192	100
Transportation incidents	2,413	42	42	42	141	40	80	42
Highway	1,329	23	26	26	74	21	51	27
Nonhighway	342	6	-	-	21	6	7	4
Aircraft	215	4	-	-	13	4	-	-
Assaults and violent acts	754	13	8	8	54	15	27	14
Homicides	516	9	8	8	41	12	21	11
Self-inflicted injuries	199	3	-	-	13	4	5	3
Contact with objects and equipment	983	17	26	26	36	10	31	16
Struck by object	583	10	14	14	22	6	20	10
Caught in equipment or objects	281	5	8	8	8	2	10	5
Falls	809	14	14	14	63	18	33	17
Fall to lower level	728	13	13	13	56	16	26	14
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	525	9	5	5	48	14	15	8
Contact with electric current	247	4	3	3	23	6	9	5
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	153	3	-	-	12	3	4	2
Oxygen deficiency	64	1	-	-	10	3	-	-
Fires and explosions	201	4	5	5	11	3	4	2

See footnotes at end of table.

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Event or exposure ^{1/}	Fatalities							
	Kentucky		Mississippi		North Carolina		South Carolina	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	147	100	96	100	167	100	93	100
Transportation incidents	77	52	45	47	66	40	34	37
Highway	32	22	32	33	27	16	23	25
Nonhighway	14	10	4	4	17	10	4	4
Aircraft	24	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assaults and violent acts	15	10	8	8	22	13	19	20
Homicides	6	4	7	7	15	9	16	17
Self-inflicted injuries	7	5	-	-	7	4	3	3
Contact with objects and equipment	27	18	20	21	30	18	9	10
Struck by object	12	8	12	13	19	11	4	4
Caught in equipment or objects	7	5	7	7	6	4	5	5
Falls	13	9	9	9	25	15	19	20
Fall to lower level	13	9	8	8	24	14	16	17
Exposure to harmful substances or Environment	6	4	10	10	16	10	10	11
Contact with electric current	4	3	3	3	4	2	3	3
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	-	-	-	-	4	2	5	5
Oxygen deficiency	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-
Fires and explosions	9	6	-	-	8	5	-	-

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Event or exposure ^{1/}	Fatalities	
	Tennessee	
	Number	Percent
Total	153	100
Transportation incidents	59	39
Highway	40	26
Nonhighway	16	10
Aircraft	-	-
Assaults and violent acts	37	24
Homicides	26	17
Self-inflicted injuries	6	4
Contact with objects and equipment	29	19
Struck by object	20	13
Caught in equipment or objects	6	4
Falls	14	9
Fall to lower level	12	8
Exposure to harmful substances or Environment	9	6
Contact with electric current	6	4
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	-	-
Oxygen deficiency	3	2
Fires and explosions	5	3

^{1/} Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Structure.

NOTE: Totals may include categories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

Dashes indicate less than 0.5 percent or data that are not available or that do not meet criteria.

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