

Table 6. Fatal occupational injuries by part of body affected, 1994

Part of body ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	6,588	100.0
Head	1,648	25.0
Trunk	1,344	20.4
Chest, including ribs, internal organs	629	9.5
Back, including spine, spinal cord	88	1.3
Abdomen	102	1.5
Pelvic region	33	.5
Multiple trunk locations	329	5.0
Neck, including throat	131	2.0
Lower extremities	69	1.0
Upper extremities	17	.3
Body systems	1,072	16.3
Multiple body parts	2,223	33.7
Nonclassifiable	84	1.3

¹ Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Structures. The part of body affected identifies the part affected by the nature of injury.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown

separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, 1994.