

Table 6. Incidence rates¹ of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses by industry and selected case types, 2000

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All Industries including State and local government⁷		1,012.0	4.7	3.5	3.5	1.1	4.1	3.1	3.1	1.0
Private Industry⁷		743.6	4.2	3.3	3.2	0.9	3.7	2.9	2.8	0.8
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing⁷		13.7	3.2	3.1	3.1	--	3.2	3.1	3.1	--
Agricultural production ⁷	01-02	12.1	2.5	2.3	2.3	--	--	2.3	2.3	--
Agricultural production - livestock ⁷	02	3.4	7.2	7.2	7.2	(⁹)	7.2	7.2	7.2	(⁹)
Mining⁸		1.4	4.8	4.7	4.7	0.1	4.7	4.6	4.6	0.1
Construction		71.6	4.0	3.4	2.9	0.6	3.9	3.4	2.9	0.6
General building contractors	15	39.5	3.7	3.0	2.2	0.7	3.7	3.0	2.2	0.7
Residential building construction	152	24.2	3.3	2.4	2.4	0.9	3.3	2.4	2.4	0.9
Special trade contractors	17	22.2	4.9	4.5	4.4	--	4.8	4.5	4.3	--
Plumbing, heating, air-conditioning	171	4.4	5.7	4.9	4.7	0.7	5.4	4.7	4.5	0.7
Electrical work	173	8.7	5.5	5.0	4.8	--	5.4	5.0	4.7	--
Manufacturing		142.9	4.9	3.8	3.8	1.1	3.9	3.2	3.1	0.7
Durable goods		57.1	5.4	4.2	4.2	1.2	4.2	3.5	3.5	0.7
Lumber and wood products	24	1.3	5.5	5.4	5.1	0.1	5.5	5.4	5.1	0.1
Household furniture	251	1.8	9.6	9.6	9.6	(⁹)	9.3	9.3	9.3	(⁹)
Stone, clay, and glass products	32	5.2	10.2	7.6	7.5	2.6	9.7	7.4	7.4	2.3
Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products	327	3.6	11.5	8.5	8.4	3.0	11.5	8.5	8.4	3.0
Ready-mixed concrete	3273	1.9	13.5	8.7	8.6	4.8	13.5	8.7	8.6	4.8
Fabricated metal products	34	6.9	9.0	7.6	7.6	1.5	7.9	6.5	6.5	1.4
Industrial machinery and equipment	35	3.5	8.3	7.1	7.1	1.2	6.0	5.2	5.2	0.8
Computer and office equipment	357	--	2.2	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.8	1.0	1.0	0.9
Transportation equipment	37	1.3	7.8	4.5	4.5	3.3	4.4	3.5	3.5	--
Medical instruments and supplies	384	10.2	4.0	2.4	2.2	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.6	--
Nondurable goods		85.8	4.5	3.5	3.5	1.0	3.7	2.9	2.9	0.8
Food and kindred products	20	16.2	6.1	5.3	5.3	0.8	5.0	4.3	4.3	--
Meat products	201	2.1	8.4	7.3	7.3	1.1	7.4	6.3	6.3	1.1
Preserved fruits and vegetables	203	1.6	5.4	5.2	5.2	--	5.0	4.9	4.9	--
Grain mill products	204	1.0	4.4	3.4	3.4	1.1	3.7	2.6	2.6	1.1
Textile mill products	22	1.0	16.5	12.4	12.4	4.1	15.0	11.0	11.0	4.0
Knitting mills	225	--	22.1	16.6	16.6	5.5	20.1	14.8	14.8	5.3
Men's and boys' suits and coats	231	2.5	12.4	10.0	10.0	--	8.0	7.1	7.1	--
Paper and allied products	26	2.5	10.3	9.9	9.9	--	8.3	8.0	8.0	--
Paperboard containers and boxes	265	1.5	6.4	5.7	5.7	--	5.5	5.0	5.0	--
Printing and publishing	27	7.0	2.6	2.5	2.5	--	2.4	2.3	2.3	--
Commercial printing	275	2.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	(⁹)	3.2	3.2	3.2	(⁹)
Chemicals and allied products	28	29.2	1.6	0.8	0.7	0.7	1.4	0.7	0.6	0.7
Drugs	283	24.2	1.4	0.6	0.5	0.8	1.2	0.5	0.4	0.7
Pharmaceutical preparations	2834	21.7	1.3	0.5	0.5	0.8	1.2	0.4	0.4	0.8
Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods	284	2.9	3.9	3.0	2.5	0.9	3.7	2.9	2.4	0.9
Toilet preparations	2844	2.6	3.9	2.9	2.3	1.0	3.9	2.9	2.3	1.0

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Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	30	4.6	7.3	7.3	7.3	(⁹)	6.8	6.8	6.8	(⁹)
Miscellaneous plastics products, n.e.c.	308	3.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	(⁹)	6.9	6.9	6.9	(⁹)
Leather and leather products	31	3.7	12.9	10.0	10.0	3.0	9.9	7.9	7.9	--
Transportation and public utilities⁸		34.5	4.4	3.7	3.7	--	4.2	3.7	3.7	--
Trucking and warehousing	42	5.4	2.4	2.1	2.1	--	1.9	1.9	1.9	(⁹)
Trucking and courier services, except air	421	4.3	2.3	1.9	1.9	0.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	(⁹)
Water transportation	44	4.2	8.4	6.4	6.4	--	8.4	6.3	6.3	--
Water transportation services	449	3.0	9.8	7.0	7.0	--	--	7.0	7.0	--
Transportation by air	45	6.0	6.2	4.3	4.3	--	--	4.2	4.2	--
Transportation services	47	2.7	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3
Wholesale and retail trade		220.3	4.2	3.5	3.5	0.7	3.7	3.2	3.2	0.5
Wholesale trade		43.8	3.6	3.3	3.3	--	3.4	3.2	3.2	--
Wholesale trade--durable goods	50	19.7	4.3	3.8	3.8	0.4	4.3	3.8	3.8	0.4
Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	507	1.8	2.7	2.4	2.3	0.3	2.7	2.4	2.3	0.3
Wholesale trade--nondurable goods	51	24.1	3.0	2.8	2.8	--	2.7	2.6	2.6	--
Groceries and related products	514	9.7	5.2	5.2	5.2	(⁹)	4.7	4.7	4.7	(⁹)
Retail trade		176.6	4.4	3.6	3.6	0.8	3.8	3.2	3.2	0.6
Building materials and garden supplies	52	8.7	2.3	2.0	2.0	0.2	2.2	1.9	1.9	0.2
Hardware stores	525	5.9	2.1	1.8	1.8	0.4	2.0	1.7	1.7	0.4
General merchandise stores	53	22.7	7.1	5.8	5.8	1.3	5.6	4.3	4.3	1.3
Department stores	531	13.0	8.3	6.5	6.5	1.8	6.7	4.9	4.9	1.8
Variety stores	533	--	7.9	6.7	6.7	1.2	5.4	4.2	4.2	1.2
Miscellaneous general merchandise stores	539	--	2.9	2.8	2.8	0.1	2.9	2.8	2.8	0.1
Food stores	54	28.2	4.1	3.0	3.0	1.1	3.6	2.5	2.5	1.1
Grocery stores	541	22.5	4.8	3.4	3.4	1.4	4.1	2.7	2.7	1.4
Automotive dealers and service stations	55	19.2	4.1	3.8	3.8	0.3	4.1	3.7	3.7	0.3
Auto and home supply stores	553	7.4	6.6	6.6	6.6	(⁹)	6.5	6.5	6.5	(⁹)
Gasoline service stations	554	5.7	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.4
Apparel and accessory stores	56	19.6	3.0	2.8	2.8	0.2	2.5	2.4	2.4	0.1
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	57	8.3	1.9	1.4	1.4	0.5	1.9	1.4	1.3	0.5
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	571	3.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	(⁹)	1.8	1.8	1.7	(⁹)
Eating and drinking places	58	47.6	6.2	4.8	4.8	1.5	5.2	4.4	4.4	0.8
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Finance, insurance, and real estate		49.8	2.5	2.0	2.0	0.5	1.7	1.3	1.3	0.4
Depository institutions	60	17.4	3.7	3.1	3.1	0.6	2.4	1.9	1.9	0.6
Insurance carriers	63	8.0	2.0	1.5	1.5	0.5	1.5	1.1	1.1	0.4
Real estate	65	12.1	1.9	1.2	1.2	--	1.7	1.0	1.0	--
Services		206.6	4.2	2.8	2.8	1.4	3.7	2.4	2.4	1.3
Hotels and other lodging places	70	13.9	5.9	3.1	3.1	2.8	5.9	3.1	3.1	2.8
Personal services	72	4.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	0.1	3.3	3.2	3.2	0.1

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Business services	73	62.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	0.1	2.7	2.6	2.6	0.1
Personnel supply services	736	18.5	(⁹)	(⁹)	(⁹)	(⁹)	(⁹)	(⁹)	(⁹)	(⁹)
Miscellaneous repair services	76	2.7	3.6	3.4	3.4	0.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	0.2
Amusement and recreation services	79	3.7	2.2	2.0	2.0	0.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	0.2
Health services	80	52.0	6.7	3.6	3.6	3.1	6.2	3.2	3.2	3.0
Hospitals	806	26.7	10.9	5.2	5.2	5.7	10.1	4.7	4.7	5.4
Legal services	81	5.5	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3
Educational services	82	19.7	2.7	1.3	1.3	1.4	2.3	1.2	1.2	1.2
Elementary and secondary schools	821	5.2	1.2	0.8	0.8	0.4	1.2	0.8	0.8	0.4
Colleges and universities	822	11.3	3.6	1.3	1.3	2.2	3.0	1.2	1.2	1.9
Social services	83	11.6	1.9	1.7	1.7	--	--	1.4	1.4	--
Engineering and management services	87	15.6	3.2	2.5	2.5	0.7	2.8	2.2	2.2	0.6
State and local government		268.3	6.2	4.3	4.3	1.8	5.4	3.8	3.8	1.6
State government		209.1	5.6	3.6	3.5	2.1	4.8	3.0	3.0	1.7
Transportation and public utilities		--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	49	15.1	8.4	7.5	7.5	0.8	8.1	7.3	7.3	0.8
Services		62.0	4.2	2.1	2.1	--	3.5	1.5	1.5	--
Health services	80	--	4.5	2.7	2.7	1.8	3.3	2.1	2.1	1.3
Hospitals	806	--	4.5	2.7	2.7	1.8	3.3	2.1	2.1	1.3
Educational services	82	58.5	4.1	2.0	2.0	--	--	1.4	1.4	--
Public administration		127.4	6.5	4.1	3.9	2.4	5.3	3.4	3.3	1.8
Executive, legislative, and general	91	6.3	9.5	8.9	8.9	0.6	8.9	8.4	8.4	0.6
Justice, public order, and safety	92	43.5	5.2	3.1	2.9	2.1	4.6	2.9	2.6	1.8
Public order and safety	922	34.4	5.6	3.2	3.0	2.3	5.0	3.1	2.8	2.0
Administration of human resources	94	48.9	13.7	7.5	7.5	6.2	9.8	5.7	5.7	4.1
Environmental quality and housing	95	7.2	3.8	2.4	2.4	1.4	3.4	2.0	2.0	1.4
Administration of economic programs	96	14.6	3.7	3.4	3.4	--	3.3	3.0	3.0	--

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Local government		59.2	8.1	7.2	7.2	--	7.7	6.9	6.9	--
Public administration		56.8	8.1	7.2	7.2	--	7.7	6.9	6.9	--
Executive, legislative, and general	91	56.8	8.1	7.2	7.2	--	7.7	6.9	6.9	--

¹ Incidence rates represent the number of injuries and illnesses per 100 full-time workers and were calculated as: (N/EH) x 200,000 where

N = number of injuries and illnesses
 EH = total hours worked by all employees during the calendar year
 200,000 = base for 100 equivalent full-time workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year).

² Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

³ *Standard Industrial Classification Manual*, 1987 Edition.

⁴ Employment is expressed as an annual average and is derived primarily from the BLS-State Covered Employment and Wages program.

⁵ Total lost workday cases involve days away from work, or days of restricted work activity, or both.

⁶ Days-away-from-work cases include those which result in days away from work with or without restricted work activity.

⁷ Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

⁸ Data conforming to OSHA definitions for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining and for employers in railroad transportation are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor; and the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries.

⁹ Incidence rate less than 0.05.

NOTE: Because of rounding, components may not add to totals.

n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified.

-- Indicates data not available.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses, in cooperation with participating State agencies.