

TABLE 6. Incidence rates¹ of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses by industry and selected case types, 1997

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All industries including State and local government⁷		1,669.4	6.0	2.6	1.7	3.4	5.7	2.5	1.6	3.2
Private industry⁷		1,409.5	5.9	2.5	1.6	3.4	5.7	2.5	1.6	3.2
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing⁷		18.3	6.8	3.2	2.1	3.6	6.6	3.2	2.1	3.4
Agricultural production ⁷	01-02	6.6	7.5	3.8	1.9	3.7	7.4	3.8	1.9	3.7
Agricultural production—livestock ⁷	02	1.5	15.5	8.5	3.6	7.1	14.8	8.2	3.6	6.6
Agricultural services	07	10.1	6.5	2.8	2.1	3.7	6.3	2.8	2.1	3.5
Landscape and horticultural services	078	6.6	5.1	2.4	2.0	2.7	4.7	2.4	2.0	2.3
Mining⁸		1.8	3.1	1.9	1.0	1.2	2.9	1.8	1.0	1.1
Construction		99.8	5.8	2.5	2.1	3.3	5.7	2.5	2.1	3.3
General building contractors	15	27.8	4.6	1.9	1.4	2.8	4.5	1.8	1.4	2.7
Residential building construction	152	10.9	3.6	1.2	1.2	2.4	3.6	1.2	1.2	2.4
Nonresidential building construction	154	16.8	5.2	2.2	1.6	3.0	5.0	2.1	1.5	2.9
Heavy construction, except building	16	12.2	5.5	3.5	3.2	2.0	5.5	3.5	3.2	2.0
Highway and street construction	161	3.3	4.3	2.8	2.5	1.4	4.3	2.8	2.5	1.4
Heavy construction, except highway	162	8.9	6.0	3.8	3.5	2.2	6.0	3.8	3.5	2.2
Special trade contractors	17	59.7	6.4	2.7	2.2	3.8	6.4	2.6	2.1	3.8
Plumbing, heating, air-conditioning	171	14.8	5.0	1.6	1.1	3.4	4.9	1.4	.9	3.4
Painting and paper hanging	172	3.6	5.4	2.1	1.7	3.3	5.4	2.1	1.7	3.3
Electrical work	173	12.2	8.0	4.3	3.6	3.7	7.9	4.2	3.6	3.7
Masonry, stonework, and plastering	174	8.3	4.3	1.2	1.0	3.1	4.3	1.2	1.0	3.1
Carpentry and floor work	175	4.1	7.5	3.8	3.5	3.8	7.5	3.8	3.5	3.7
Roofing, siding, and sheet metal work	176	3.9	8.1	4.2	3.9	3.8	8.1	4.2	3.9	3.8
Concrete work	177	3.9	3.0	1.9	1.0	1.1	2.8	1.7	.8	1.1
Miscellaneous special trade contractors	179	8.7	10.4	3.6	3.1	6.8	10.4	3.5	3.1	6.8
Manufacturing		363.0	6.8	3.0	1.2	3.8	6.1	2.8	1.1	3.3
Durable goods		146.9	8.7	3.7	1.7	5.0	7.9	3.4	1.6	4.5
Lumber and wood products	24	15.5	8.9	4.3	2.3	4.6	8.7	4.3	2.2	4.4
Logging	241	3.9	2.0	1.3	1.3	.7	2.0	1.3	1.3	.7
Sawmills and planing mills	242	4.4	14.2	8.5	4.3	5.7	13.5	8.5	4.3	5.1
Furniture and fixtures	25	4.8	9.1	4.0	1.5	5.1	8.4	3.8	1.5	4.6
Household furniture	251	3.3	8.1	3.3	1.1	4.8	7.2	3.1	1.1	4.1
Wood household furniture	2511	2.0	7.5	3.0	—	4.5	6.5	3.0	—	3.5
Stone, clay, and glass products	32	9.3	9.1	5.3	2.9	3.8	9.0	5.3	2.8	3.8
Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products	327	2.6	7.2	4.0	4.0	3.2	7.2	4.0	4.0	3.2
Primary metal industries	33	8.8	9.9	3.4	1.6	6.6	9.0	3.3	1.6	5.7
Blast furnace and basic steel products	331	2.9	11.0	5.3	1.2	5.7	9.7	5.3	1.2	4.4
Fabricated metal products	34	18.6	9.1	3.2	2.1	5.9	8.3	3.1	2.0	5.1
Cutlery, handtools, and hardware	342	2.1	5.8	2.1	.9	3.6	4.5	1.9	.9	2.6
Fabricated structural metal products	344	6.1	10.3	3.6	2.6	6.7	9.0	3.5	2.5	5.5
Fabricated structural metal	3441	2.4	9.7	3.7	2.0	6.0	8.0	3.7	2.0	4.3
Industrial machinery and equipment	35	39.2	7.4	2.2	1.2	5.2	6.6	2.1	1.1	4.6
Metalworking machinery	354	7.2	8.5	1.8	1.5	6.7	7.8	1.6	1.3	6.2
Special industry machinery	355	5.2	12.2	3.4	2.1	8.7	11.4	3.4	2.0	8.0
Textile machinery	3552	4.0	11.8	4.2	2.4	7.7	11.1	4.1	2.3	6.9

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General industrial machinery	356	10.2	7.6	1.9	0.7	5.7	6.2	1.9	0.7	4.3
Ball and roller bearings	3562	6.5	10.1	2.6	.9	7.5	7.9	2.5	.9	5.4
Refrigeration and service machinery	358	2.9	7.8	4.1	1.4	3.8	7.1	3.6	1.2	3.6
Industrial machinery, n.e.c.	359	5.4	8.0	2.8	1.7	5.2	7.3	2.5	1.4	4.8
Electronic and other electric equipment	36	23.8	5.3	2.3	.8	3.0	4.8	2.1	.7	2.6
Electrical industrial apparatus	362	3.3	4.3	1.9	.7	2.4	4.2	1.9	.7	2.3
Household appliances	363	3.3	7.1	2.9	.6	4.2	5.7	2.6	.5	3.1
Electric lighting and wiring equipment	364	2.8	6.6	2.9	.9	3.7	6.2	2.8	.9	3.3
Electronic components and accessories	367	8.7	4.0	1.6	.6	2.5	3.8	1.5	.5	2.3
Miscellaneous electrical equipment and supplies	369	2.7	5.7	3.9	1.9	1.9	4.6	3.3	1.3	1.3
Transportation equipment	37	18.6	16.3	9.0	3.5	7.3	14.1	7.5	3.1	6.6
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	39	3.6	5.8	1.9	.4	4.0	5.6	1.9	.4	3.8
Nondurable goods		216.1	5.6	2.5	.9	3.1	4.9	2.3	.8	2.6
Food and kindred products	20	17.7	8.7	5.2	1.8	3.5	7.9	4.5	1.7	3.3
Meat products	201	9.2	10.0	6.5	1.2	3.4	8.7	5.5	1.2	3.2
Poultry slaughtering and processing	2015	7.6	10.0	7.0	.8	3.0	8.5	5.8	.8	2.7
Textile mill products	22	80.0	5.4	2.3	.6	3.1	4.5	2.3	.6	2.3
Broadwoven fabric mills, cotton	221	18.5	5.7	2.2	.4	3.5	3.7	2.2	.4	1.5
Broadwoven fabric mills, manmade	222	18.1	4.3	2.3	.6	2.0	4.2	2.2	.5	2.0
Knitting mills	225	6.8	6.3	3.2	1.5	3.1	5.2	3.0	1.5	2.2
Women's hosiery, except socks	2251	1.8	3.6	1.9	—	1.7	1.9	1.5	—	.4
Textile finishing, except wool	226	14.6	5.6	2.4	.4	3.3	5.0	2.3	.4	2.7
Finishing plants, cotton	2261	9.6	6.6	2.9	.6	3.8	5.7	2.7	.5	3.0
Finishing plants, manmade	2262	4.2	4.6	1.7	.2	2.9	4.3	1.7	.2	2.6
Carpets and rugs	227	3.6	8.4	3.2	1.2	5.3	8.2	3.2	1.2	5.1
Yarn and thread mills	228	9.7	4.7	1.7	.9	3.0	4.0	1.7	.9	2.3
Miscellaneous textile goods	229	5.1	5.2	1.6	.4	3.6	4.6	1.6	.4	3.0
Textile goods, n.e.c.	2299	2.8	5.4	1.4	.5	4.0	4.7	1.4	.5	3.3
Apparel and other textile products	23	25.8	5.7	2.4	1.2	3.3	5.3	2.3	1.1	3.0
Men's and boys' furnishings	232	5.4	5.9	1.6	.9	4.2	5.5	1.4	.9	4.1
Women's and misses' outerwear	233	5.6	6.9	4.2	1.2	2.7	6.9	4.2	1.1	2.7
Women's and misses' outerwear, n.e.c.	2339	3.2	5.3	1.1	.9	4.3	5.2	1.0	.9	4.2
Miscellaneous fabricated textile products	239	10.9	4.4	1.5	.5	2.9	3.7	1.2	.5	2.4
Housefurnishings, n.e.c.	2392	6.7	3.4	1.1	.2	2.2	2.8	1.0	.2	1.7
Paper and allied products	26	17.9	5.3	2.2	.9	3.1	4.9	2.2	.9	2.7
Paperboard mills	263	3.6	2.8	.7	—	2.1	2.4	.7	.3	1.7
Paperboard containers and boxes	265	5.9	5.7	2.3	1.1	3.4	5.3	2.3	1.1	3.0
Miscellaneous converted paper products	267	4.7	5.9	2.7	.8	3.3	5.7	2.6	.8	3.1
Bags: plastics, laminated, and coated	2673	—	5.4	1.9	.6	3.5	5.0	1.9	.6	3.0
Printing and publishing	27	13.5	5.4	2.2	1.3	3.2	5.1	2.2	1.3	3.0
Newspapers	271	4.5	4.9	2.3	1.6	2.6	4.7	2.3	1.6	2.5
Commercial printing	275	5.9	6.7	2.4	1.7	4.3	6.5	2.3	1.7	4.2
Commercial printing, lithographic	2752	4.0	6.6	2.1	1.6	4.4	6.5	2.1	1.6	4.3
Chemicals and allied products	28	37.7	2.7	1.4	.6	1.3	2.3	1.2	.5	1.1
Industrial inorganic chemicals	281	—	1.1	.4	—	.8	.9	.4	—	.5
Plastics materials and synthetics	282	14.8	2.3	1.3	.5	1.0	2.1	1.2	.5	.9
Organic fibers, noncellulosic	2824	10.8	2.1	1.3	.6	.8	1.9	1.2	.6	.7
Industrial organic chemicals	286	3.5	4.1	1.7	.4	2.4	3.9	1.7	.4	2.3

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Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	30	23.2	8.8	3.5	1.2	5.3	8.4	3.3	1.1	5.1
Tires and inner tubes	301	7.9	8.9	4.5	1.1	4.4	7.9	4.0	.9	3.9
Hose and belting and gaskets and packing	305	2.6	9.9	6.2	1.7	3.6	9.6	6.2	1.7	3.4
Fabricated rubber products, n.e.c.	306	1.6	5.6	2.5	1.8	3.1	5.5	2.5	1.8	3.1
Miscellaneous plastics products, n.e.c.	308	11.1	8.9	2.1	1.0	6.8	8.8	2.1	1.0	6.7
Plastics products, n.e.c.	3089	5.9	12.3	2.4	.9	9.9	12.2	2.4	.9	9.7
Transportation and public utilities⁸		73.8	6.8	3.6	2.8	3.2	6.6	3.5	2.7	3.1
Railroad transportation ⁸	40	—	3.4	2.6	2.5	.8	3.4	2.6	2.5	.8
Trucking and warehousing	42	25.8	8.2	4.3	3.4	3.9	8.0	4.2	3.2	3.8
Water transportation	44	3.2	14.5	7.3	7.3	7.2	14.5	7.3	7.3	7.2
Transportation by air	45	7.8	26.1	15.6	11.3	10.5	26.1	15.6	11.3	10.5
Transportation services	47	5.0	2.6	1.5	1.5	1.1	2.6	1.5	1.5	1.1
Communications	48	15.1	1.1	.5	.4	.6	.7	.4	.3	.4
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	49	14.3	4.2	1.1	.7	3.1	3.8	1.1	.7	2.7
Electric services	491	7.5	3.1	.8	.5	2.3	2.9	.8	.5	2.1
Wholesale and retail trade		416.0	6.7	2.7	2.1	4.0	6.6	2.7	2.1	3.9
Wholesale trade		71.8	6.3	2.8	1.9	3.5	6.0	2.8	1.9	3.3
Wholesale trade—durable goods	50	42.0	5.7	3.1	2.4	2.7	5.5	3.0	2.4	2.5
Wholesale trade—nondurable goods	51	29.8	7.1	2.4	1.3	4.6	6.7	2.4	1.2	4.3
Retail trade		344.2	6.8	2.7	2.1	4.1	6.8	2.7	2.1	4.1
Building materials and garden supplies	52	16.2	10.9	5.4	4.6	5.4	10.7	5.4	4.5	5.3
Lumber and other building materials	521	9.0	15.9	7.6	6.1	8.3	15.7	7.6	6.1	8.0
General merchandise stores	53	39.5	9.3	4.7	3.3	4.6	9.3	4.7	3.3	4.6
Department stores	531	34.0	9.8	4.9	3.5	4.8	9.8	4.9	3.5	4.8
Variety stores	533	3.2	6.5	3.2	1.7	3.3	6.5	3.2	1.7	3.3
Miscellaneous general merchandise stores	539	2.2	6.6	2.8	2.8	3.9	6.6	2.8	2.8	3.9
Food stores	54	64.9	8.3	3.4	2.5	4.9	8.3	3.4	2.5	4.9
Automotive dealers and service stations	55	33.4	4.4	1.7	1.6	2.7	4.2	1.7	1.6	2.4
Apparel and accessory stores	56	16.4	3.6	1.0	.8	2.6	3.6	1.0	.8	2.6
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	57	15.1	2.5	1.6	1.1	.9	2.5	1.6	1.1	.9
Eating and drinking places	58	122.6	7.5	2.3	2.1	5.2	7.5	2.3	2.1	5.2
Miscellaneous retail	59	36.2	4.0	2.0	1.2	2.0	3.9	1.9	1.2	2.0
Finance, insurance, and real estate		72.1	2.5	.7	.5	1.8	2.5	.7	.5	1.8
Services		361.1	4.6	2.0	1.3	2.6	4.5	1.9	1.2	2.6
Hotels and other lodging places	70	25.9	4.6	2.0	1.8	2.6	4.6	2.0	1.8	2.6
Personal services	72	15.7	3.5	1.8	1.3	1.8	3.4	1.7	1.2	1.7
Laundry, cleaning, and garment services	721	7.5	5.3	2.1	1.1	3.1	5.1	2.0	1.0	3.1
Beauty shops	723	3.3	1.2	.7	.7	.5	1.1	.7	.7	.4
Business services	73	101.5	4.1	2.3	1.3	1.9	4.1	2.3	1.3	1.9
Auto repair, services, and parking	75	13.6	4.4	2.0	.9	2.4	4.2	1.9	.9	2.3
Miscellaneous repair services	76	7.7	5.3	2.2	2.0	3.1	5.3	2.2	2.0	3.1
Amusement and recreation services	79	21.1	4.8	1.3	1.1	3.5	4.8	1.3	1.0	3.5
Health services	80	81.0	6.8	2.6	1.6	4.2	6.5	2.5	1.5	4.0
Nursing and personal care facilities	805	15.1	14.7	6.7	4.2	8.1	14.7	6.6	4.1	8.1
Hospitals	806	24.5	7.5	2.9	1.4	4.6	7.1	2.9	1.3	4.3
Educational services	82	13.0	4.9	.9	.7	4.0	4.7	.9	.7	3.8

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Social services	83	27.8	4.9	2.5	1.7	2.4	4.6	2.5	1.7	2.1
Engineering and management services	87	29.8	2.4	.6	.5	1.8	2.3	.6	.5	1.7
State and local government		259.9	6.3	2.7	2.2	3.6	6.1	2.7	2.2	3.5
State government		89.7	5.6	3.0	2.5	2.6	5.4	3.0	2.5	2.4
Construction		—	13.9	8.6	7.6	5.3	13.1	8.3	7.3	4.8
Services		43.9	6.7	3.8	3.1	2.9	6.4	3.8	3.0	2.7
Health services	80	10.4	12.6	9.3	9.1	3.3	12.2	9.2	9.0	3.0
Nursing and personal care facilities	805	—	17.4	9.1	8.4	8.2	17.2	9.1	8.4	8.0
Hospitals	806	—	10.5	9.4	9.4	1.1	10.1	9.3	9.3	.8
Educational services	82	28.3	4.4	2.1	1.1	2.3	4.1	2.0	1.0	2.1
Colleges and universities	822	27.1	4.3	2.0	1.0	2.3	4.0	1.9	.9	2.0
Social services	83	4.4	9.7	4.3	4.3	5.3	9.5	4.3	4.3	5.2
Public administration		43.5	3.9	1.8	1.6	2.1	3.8	1.7	1.6	2.0
Executive, legislative, and general	91	2.2	2.9	.9	.6	2.0	2.9	.9	.6	2.0
Justice, public order, and safety	92	8.2	6.9	3.7	3.4	3.3	6.7	3.7	3.4	3.0
Administration of human resources	94	19.8	2.5	1.1	1.0	1.4	2.5	1.1	1.0	1.4
Local government		170.2	6.8	2.5	2.0	4.3	6.6	2.5	2.0	4.1
Transportation and public utilities		3.8	8.2	4.1	2.7	4.1	8.0	4.0	2.7	4.0
Services		124.4	5.5	1.8	1.5	3.7	5.4	1.8	1.5	3.6
Health services	80	31.5	6.5	3.2	2.2	3.4	6.2	3.1	2.1	3.1
Educational services	82	89.2	5.3	1.5	1.3	3.7	5.2	1.5	1.3	3.7
Public administration		41.1	9.7	4.0	3.3	5.7	9.4	4.0	3.2	5.5
Executive, legislative, and general	91	37.5	9.7	4.0	3.3	5.7	9.4	4.0	3.2	5.4

¹ The 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. Employment in private households (SIC 88) is excluded.

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.

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