

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

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Private industry⁷		6,998.2	5.6	2.9	1.9	2.7	5.2	2.7	1.8	2.5		
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing⁷		110.3	5.4	3.1	2.3	2.3	5.2	3.1	2.3	2.1		
Agricultural production ⁷	01-02	49.4	7.5	4.5	3.3	3.0	7.3	4.5	3.2	2.8		
Agricultural production—crops ⁷	01	28.2	7.2	4.3	3.1	2.9	6.9	4.3	3.0	2.6		
Agricultural services	07	59.6	4.5	2.5	1.9	2.0	4.3	2.5	1.9	1.8		
Crop services	072	8.7	8.1	5.6	5.3	2.5	8.1	5.6	5.3	2.5		
Landscape and horticultural services	078	29.6	3.3	2.2	1.3	1.2	3.0	2.1	1.2	.9		
Mining ⁸		166.4	5.4	3.1	2.3	2.3	5.3	3.0	2.3	2.3		
Oil and gas extraction	13	157.9	5.5	3.1	2.4	2.4	5.4	3.1	2.4	2.4		
Crude petroleum and natural gas	131	72.4	1.1	.6	.5	.5	1.0	.6	.5	.5		
Oil and gas field services	138	81.6	9.0	5.1	3.9	3.9	8.9	5.1	3.9	3.9		
Construction		460.4	5.3	3.0	2.6	2.3	5.2	3.0	2.5	2.3		
General building contractors	15	84.1	3.5	2.0	1.6	1.5	3.5	2.0	1.5	1.5		
Heavy construction, except building	16	111.5	4.1	2.2	1.8	1.9	4.0	2.2	1.8	1.8		
Special trade contractors	17	264.8	6.4	3.7	3.2	2.7	6.3	3.6	3.2	2.7		
Manufacturing		1,082.2	8.5	4.4	2.0	4.1	7.4	3.8	1.8	3.6		
Durable goods		643.3	8.2	4.0	2.0	4.2	7.5	3.6	1.8	3.8		
Lumber and wood products	24	44.9	9.0	4.2	2.3	4.9	8.8	4.0	2.2	4.8		
Millwork, plywood and structural members	243	20.7	8.5	4.0	2.0	4.5	8.3	3.9	2.0	4.5		
Furniture and fixtures	25	19.2	13.2	5.8	3.4	7.4	12.7	5.5	3.2	7.1		
Household furniture	251	7.1	15.7	6.4	2.8	9.3	15.5	6.2	2.8	9.3		
Stone, clay, and glass products	32	41.3	9.6	4.3	2.2	5.3	9.0	4.1	2.1	4.9		
Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products	327	19.0	10.5	4.3	2.5	6.2	9.9	4.2	2.3	5.7		
Miscellaneous nonmetallic mineral products	329	6.7	3.9	2.4	.7	1.6	3.6	2.3	.7	1.3		
Primary metal industries	33	30.6	17.0	8.7	3.4	8.3	15.8	8.0	3.1	7.7		
Fabricated metal products	34	99.4	9.6	5.3	2.9	4.3	9.1	5.0	2.8	4.1		
Fabricated structural metal products	344	50.8	8.5	4.8	3.4	3.8	8.2	4.5	3.1	3.7		
Metal services, n.e.c.	347	6.9	12.3	5.2	2.9	7.1	11.9	5.1	2.9	6.9		
Miscellaneous fabricated metal products	349	21.9	10.1	5.9	2.6	4.2	9.8	5.7	2.5	4.1		
Industrial machinery and equipment	35	143.1	8.5	4.0	1.8	4.5	8.0	3.7	1.6	4.4		
Construction and related machinery	353	39.7	10.4	4.4	2.5	6.0	10.1	4.2	2.3	5.9		
Oil and gas field machinery	3533	30.0	9.4	4.8	2.5	4.6	9.2	4.6	2.4	4.6		
General industrial machinery	356	10.9	8.4	4.6	2.7	3.8	8.0	4.4	2.5	3.6		
Computer and office equipment	357	35.1	2.6	1.4	.6	1.2	2.1	1.1	.5	1.0		
Electronic computers	3571	31.2	2.5	1.3	.4	1.1	1.8	1.0	.3	.9		
Refrigeration and service machinery	358	18.6	14.7	9.4	2.9	5.3	13.5	8.3	2.3	5.1		
Industrial machinery, n.e.c.	359	22.6	6.9	3.0	1.4	4.0	6.8	3.0	1.4	3.8		
Electronic and other electric equipment	36	126.0	3.9	1.9	1.1	2.0	3.2	1.5	.9	1.7		
Communications equipment	366	31.2	1.9	1.4	.8	—	—	1.1	.5	—		
Telephone and telegraph apparatus	3661	18.6	1.4	.7	.5	.6	1.0	.6	.4	.4		
Electronic components and accessories	367	70.2	3.0	1.4	.9	1.7	2.4	1.1	.7	1.3		
Miscellaneous electrical equipment and supplies	369	6.1	7.6	5.2	3.1	2.4	5.5	3.7	2.2	1.8		

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Transportation equipment	37	78.1	8.7	4.5	2.3	4.3	7.8	4.0	2.0	3.7		
Motor vehicles and equipment	371	17.3	12.0	5.8	3.6	6.2	11.1	5.4	3.2	5.8		
Motor vehicles and car bodies	3711	5.8	13.8	8.0	4.5	5.8	12.2	7.1	4.0	5.1		
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	3714	6.8	9.2	2.6	2.2	6.6	8.8	2.4	2.0	6.4		
Aircraft and parts	372	43.6	7.1	3.8	1.8	3.3	5.8	3.2	1.6	2.6		
Aircraft	3721	27.2	5.9	3.0	1.4	—	4.5	2.6	1.2	—		
Instruments and related products	38	41.0	4.4	2.1	1.2	2.2	2.8	1.4	.8	1.4		
Measuring and controlling devices	382	13.9	3.3	1.5	.9	1.8	2.9	1.4	.8	1.5		
Medical instruments and supplies	384	13.9	7.6	4.5	2.7	3.0	4.0	2.4	1.4	1.6		
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	39	19.6	5.7	1.9	1.0	3.8	4.7	1.6	.8	3.2		
Nondurable goods		438.9	9.0	4.9	2.0	4.0	7.2	4.0	1.8	3.2		
Food and kindred products	20	99.6	16.9	9.9	3.4	7.0	12.7	7.6	3.1	5.1		
Meat products	201	33.7	30.1	16.7	3.4	13.4	18.9	10.3	2.8	8.5		
Meat packing plants	2011	14.3	38.6	23.8	4.2	14.8	23.1	14.0	3.7	9.1		
Sausages and other prepared meats	2013	7.6	16.2	11.0	4.8	5.2	12.7	9.2	4.0	3.4		
Poultry slaughtering and processing	2015	11.7	27.9	11.0	1.5	16.9	17.3	6.3	1.0	11.0		
Preserved fruits and vegetables	203	9.6	9.1	5.5	2.2	3.6	8.6	5.2	2.1	3.4		
Grain mill products	204	6.9	7.6	4.3	2.0	3.3	7.5	4.2	1.9	3.3		
Apparel and other textile products	23	58.1	8.8	4.1	1.9	4.7	6.3	3.1	1.4	3.2		
Men's and boys' furnishings	232	25.9	9.6	4.3	1.6	5.2	6.4	3.1	1.1	3.3		
Paper and allied products	26	29.8	7.9	4.7	2.3	3.2	7.5	4.4	2.1	3.0		
Printing and publishing	27	75.3	4.5	2.3	1.4	2.2	4.2	2.1	1.2	2.1		
Newspapers	271	21.7	3.7	1.4	1.0	2.3	3.2	1.2	.9	2.0		
Commercial printing	275	32.4	5.6	3.1	1.6	2.5	5.3	2.9	1.5	2.4		
Chemicals and allied products	28	84.8	3.6	2.1	.7	1.6	3.0	1.8	.6	1.2		
Industrial inorganic chemicals	281	6.8	8.3	4.0	1.0	4.3	6.0	3.7	1.0	2.3		
Plastics materials and synthetics	282	12.1	4.4	2.8	1.3	1.6	4.0	2.7	1.2	1.2		
Drugs	283	7.2	4.7	2.7	.9	1.9	3.6	1.8	.6	1.7		
Industrial organic chemicals	286	37.5	1.9	1.0	.4	.9	1.6	.9	.4	.7		
Miscellaneous chemical products	289	8.5	5.1	3.0	.5	2.0	4.2	2.3	.4	1.8		
Petroleum and coal products	29	26.5	2.3	1.0	.5	1.2	2.1	1.0	.4	1.1		
Petroleum refining	291	23.0	2.0	.9	.3	1.2	1.9	.8	.3	1.1		
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	30	53.5	12.0	6.4	3.2	5.5	11.3	5.9	2.9	5.3		
Transportation and public utilities⁸		499.6	7.3	4.4	3.4	2.9	6.9	4.3	3.2	2.6		
Local and interurban passenger transit	41	20.4	6.4	4.7	2.6	1.7	6.4	4.7	2.5	1.7		
Water transportation	44	16.5	12.0	7.7	7.0	4.3	12.0	7.7	7.0	4.3		
Transportation by air	45	105.5	14.6	11.2	8.6	3.4	13.9	10.8	8.2	3.1		
Transportation services	47	36.0	4.0	1.4	1.0	—	3.6	1.3	.9	2.3		
Freight transportation arrangement	473	18.0	3.4	2.0	1.4	1.4	3.3	2.0	1.4	1.4		
Communications	48	122.5	2.5	1.5	1.2	1.0	2.1	1.3	1.1	.8		
Telephone communications	481	93.4	2.3	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.9	1.1	.9	.8		
Cable and other pay television services	484	11.0	7.7	5.6	4.8	2.1	7.3	5.6	4.8	1.7		

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Electric, gas, and sanitary services	49	71.2	5.2	2.9	1.8	2.2	4.8	2.8	1.7	2.0
Electric services	491	31.2	3.7	1.8	.8	1.8	3.3	1.7	.8	1.6
Sanitary services	495	12.5	10.0	5.6	3.7	4.4	9.8	5.5	3.6	4.4
Wholesale and retail trade		2,048.1	6.0	3.0	1.9	3.0	5.9	2.9	1.8	3.0
Wholesale trade		497.2	5.4	3.0	1.6	2.5	5.3	2.9	1.6	2.4
Wholesale trade—durable goods	50	312.3	4.6	2.3	1.4	2.3	4.5	2.2	1.4	2.2
Motor vehicles, parts, and supplies	501	32.9	7.1	3.5	2.0	3.5	6.8	3.4	1.9	3.5
Lumber and construction materials	503	18.9	8.7	4.4	2.0	4.3	8.6	4.4	1.9	4.3
Professional and commercial equipment	504	67.9	2.8	1.3	.7	1.5	2.7	1.3	.7	1.4
Metals and minerals, except petroleum	505	13.1	6.6	4.0	2.2	2.6	6.5	4.0	2.2	2.6
Electrical goods	506	43.7	2.9	1.5	1.1	1.5	2.8	1.4	1.0	1.5
Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	507	23.2	3.3	1.8	1.3	1.5	3.3	1.8	1.3	1.5
Machinery, equipment, and supplies	508	76.6	4.3	1.9	1.3	2.4	4.1	1.9	1.3	2.2
Miscellaneous durable goods	509	23.3	6.2	3.5	2.4	2.7	5.8	3.2	2.2	2.6
Wholesale trade—nondurable goods	51	184.9	6.9	4.1	2.0	2.8	6.7	4.0	2.0	2.7
Paper and paper products	511	15.8	6.7	4.1	2.4	2.6	6.5	4.0	2.4	2.4
Groceries and related products	514	64.6	10.2	6.9	2.7	3.4	10.2	6.8	2.7	3.4
Chemicals and allied products	516	15.0	5.5	2.9	2.0	2.6	5.1	2.7	1.8	2.5
Petroleum and petroleum products	517	16.6	2.6	1.4	.9	1.2	2.6	1.4	.9	1.2
Beer, wine, and distilled beverages	518	12.5	14.2	6.6	3.9	7.6	14.1	6.6	3.9	7.5
Retail trade		1,551.0	6.3	3.0	2.0	3.3	6.1	2.9	2.0	3.2
Building materials and garden supplies	52	57.9	7.4	3.9	1.8	3.5	7.3	3.9	1.8	3.4
Lumber and other building materials	521	33.2	8.0	3.9	2.0	4.1	8.0	3.9	2.0	4.1
Hardware stores	525	9.6	10.5	7.0	2.0	3.5	10.3	6.8	1.8	3.5
Retail nurseries and garden stores	526	6.3	5.4	3.2	1.3	2.2	4.5	3.2	1.3	1.3
General merchandise stores	53	203.8	9.2	4.6	2.5	4.6	9.1	4.5	2.4	4.6
Department stores	531	182.2	9.6	4.8	2.6	4.8	9.5	4.7	2.6	4.8
Food stores	54	248.5	8.6	4.4	2.9	4.2	8.4	4.3	2.8	4.1
Grocery stores	541	231.1	9.1	4.7	3.1	4.4	8.9	4.6	3.1	4.3
Automotive dealers and service stations	55	163.1	6.4	2.7	1.7	3.6	6.3	2.7	1.7	3.6
New and used car dealers	551	77.9	7.2	2.8	1.3	4.4	7.2	2.8	1.3	4.4
Used car dealers	552	9.4	2.0	.1	—	2.0	2.0	.1	—	2.0
Auto and home supply stores	553	34.1	6.3	3.4	2.9	2.9	6.3	3.4	2.9	2.9
Gasoline service stations	554	35.0	5.5	2.8	1.9	2.8	5.5	2.8	1.9	2.8
Women's clothing stores	562	15.8	.1	.1	.1	(⁹)	.1	.1	.1	(⁹)
Family clothing stores	565	29.4	3.1	1.1	.4	2.0	3.0	1.1	.4	2.0
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	57	68.4	5.4	2.9	1.7	2.6	5.3	2.8	1.7	2.6
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	571	33.4	7.1	3.6	2.4	3.5	7.0	3.6	2.3	3.5
Radio, television, and computer stores	573	32.0	3.6	1.9	.9	1.7	3.6	1.9	.9	1.7
Eating and drinking places	58	563.9	4.9	2.2	1.9	2.8	4.8	2.1	1.9	2.7
Miscellaneous retail	59	168.6	4.3	2.1	1.4	2.3	4.1	1.9	1.2	2.1
Drug stores and proprietary stores	591	33.0	2.5	1.4	1.1	1.1	2.5	1.4	1.1	1.1
Miscellaneous shopping goods stores	594	62.8	3.4	1.1	1.0	2.3	3.3	1.1	1.0	2.2
Finance, insurance, and real estate		452.2	2.0	.9	.7	1.2	1.8	.8	.6	1.0
Depository institutions	60	119.9	1.6	.5	.4	1.2	1.5	.4	.4	1.0
Commercial banks	602	91.4	1.8	.5	.5	1.3	1.6	.5	.5	1.2

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Insurance carriers	63	82.3	2.2	0.7	0.5	1.5	1.9	0.6	0.5	1.3
Insurance agents, brokers, and service	64	55.6	1.2	.3	.2	—	—	—	—	—
Real estate	65	110.0	3.4	2.2	1.7	1.1	3.3	2.2	1.7	1.1
Services		2,171.3	3.9	1.9	1.3	2.0	3.7	1.9	1.3	1.9
Hotels and other lodging places	70	89.2	5.2	2.0	1.4	3.1	5.0	2.0	1.4	3.1
Hotels and motels	701	86.4	5.2	2.0	1.4	3.1	5.1	2.0	1.4	3.1
Personal services	72	88.4	2.7	1.5	.9	1.2	2.7	1.5	.9	1.2
Laundry, cleaning, and garment services	721	38.4	4.5	2.3	1.2	2.1	4.4	2.3	1.1	2.1
Services to buildings	734	67.5	4.6	2.5	1.9	2.2	4.6	2.5	1.9	2.2
Computer and data processing services	737	105.1	.6	.2	.2	.3	.5	.2	.2	.3
Auto repair, services, and parking	75	81.8	3.8	1.8	1.4	2.0	3.7	1.7	1.4	2.0
Automotive rentals, no drivers	751	13.5	5.0	2.4	2.1	2.6	4.7	2.2	2.1	2.6
Automotive repair shops	753	43.2	3.5	1.4	1.1	2.1	3.5	1.4	1.1	2.1
Miscellaneous repair services	76	30.6	5.2	2.4	1.5	2.7	5.1	2.4	1.5	2.7
Motion pictures	78	30.4	3.3	.7	.4	2.6	2.9	.6	.4	2.3
Amusement and recreation services	79	84.2	5.0	2.0	1.1	3.0	4.8	2.0	1.1	2.8
Health services	80	669.8	5.9	3.0	2.2	2.9	5.5	2.9	2.1	2.6
Nursing and personal care facilities	805	100.0	9.0	4.9	2.7	4.1	9.0	4.8	2.6	4.1
Hospitals	806	224.5	7.9	4.2	3.2	3.8	7.3	4.1	3.1	3.3
Home health care services	808	134.1	7.4	3.8	—	3.6	7.3	3.8	—	—
Legal services	81	65.8	.7	.2	.2	.5	.6	.1	.1	.4
Educational services	82	57.0	2.3	.9	.6	1.5	2.1	.8	.6	1.3
Elementary and secondary schools	821	11.5	2.3	.5	.5	1.7	2.2	.5	.5	1.7
Colleges and universities	822	29.1	3.5	1.3	1.0	2.1	3.1	.9	.9	1.8
Social services	83	120.6	4.6	2.7	1.8	2.0	4.5	2.6	1.8	1.9
Individual and family services	832	28.1	4.9	3.2	2.3	1.7	4.8	3.2	2.3	1.6
Child day care services	835	48.8	2.8	1.4	1.1	1.4	2.8	1.4	1.1	1.4
Membership organizations	86	42.5	3.6	.9	.8	2.7	3.5	.9	.8	2.6
Engineering and management services	87	212.3	1.7	.7	.5	1.0	1.5	.6	.5	.9
Engineering and architectural services	871	77.7	2.2	1.1	.9	1.1	2.0	1.1	—	1.0
Accounting, auditing, and bookkeeping	872	41.1	.3	(⁹)	(⁹)	.3	.3	(⁹)	(⁹)	.3
Research and testing services	873	31.9	1.5	.7	.4	.8	1.0	.4	.3	.7
Management and public relations	874	61.7	2.0	.6	.5	1.4	1.8	.6	.5	1.2

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.

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.

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