

**Table 6. Incidence rates<sup>1</sup> of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses, by industry and case type, 1996**

**Nebraska**

Industry <sup>2</sup>	SIC code <sup>3</sup>	1996 Annual average employment <sup>4</sup> (000's)	Injuries and illnesses				Injuries			
			Total cases	Lost workday cases		Cases without lost workdays	Total cases	Lost workday cases		Cases without lost workdays
				Total <sup>5</sup>	With days away from work <sup>6</sup>			Total <sup>5</sup>	With days away from work <sup>6</sup>	
Private industry <sup>7</sup> .....		666.8	9.7	3.8	2.4	5.9	8.8	3.4	2.3	5.4
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing <sup>7</sup> .....		11.5	12.8	5.7	4.5	7.1	12.6	5.7	4.5	6.9
Agricultural production <sup>7</sup> .....	01-02	6.4	14.4	5.0	3.7	9.3	13.9	5.0	3.7	8.9
Construction .....		36.7	13.4	6.4	4.6	7.0	13.2	6.2	4.5	7.0
General building contractors .....	15	9.0	18.0	9.5	5.8	8.4	18.0	9.5	5.7	8.4
Nonresidential building construction .....	154	4.5	21.3	10.0	7.8	11.3	21.2	9.9	7.8	11.3
Heavy construction, except building .....	16	5.8	13.6	5.7	3.5	7.9	13.6	5.7	3.5	7.9
Highway and street construction .....	161	2.4	7.3	2.0	1.4	5.3	7.3	2.0	1.4	5.3
Special trade contractors .....	17	22.0	11.4	5.2	4.4	6.2	11.0	5.0	4.2	6.1
Plumbing, heating, air-conditioning .....	171	5.5	11.4	4.2	3.3	7.3	11.3	4.2	3.3	7.1
Electrical work .....	173	3.8	8.2	3.4	2.8	4.8	8.2	3.4	2.8	4.8
Masonry, stonework, and plastering .....	174	3.0	11.0	6.4	5.4	4.6	10.7	6.1	5.2	4.5
Miscellaneous special trade contractors .....	179	3.1	14.2	6.5	5.6	7.7	13.9	6.5	5.6	7.4
Manufacturing .....		113.7	15.5	6.9	3.7	8.6	12.2	5.4	3.2	6.7
Durable goods .....		54.3	12.9	5.4	3.5	7.5	10.8	4.7	3.2	6.1
Lumber and wood products .....	24	2.4	20.0	9.0	7.7	10.9	19.7	9.0	7.7	10.7
Furniture and fixtures .....	25	3.3	8.9	3.2	2.6	5.7	7.9	2.9	2.5	5.0
Stone, clay, and glass products .....	32	2.9	17.6	7.2	6.9	10.4	17.4	7.2	6.9	10.2
Fabricated metal products .....	34	8.1	13.3	7.5	4.1	5.9	12.2	6.8	3.7	5.4
Fabricated structural metal products .....	344	4.2	12.7	6.9	3.8	5.7	12.4	6.8	3.7	5.6
Industrial machinery and equipment .....	35	13.0	13.3	5.7	4.0	7.6	11.7	5.2	3.8	6.6
Farm and garden machinery .....	352	5.8	14.7	6.2	3.3	8.5	12.1	5.3	3.0	6.7
Transportation equipment .....	37	6.2	19.8	6.4	4.0	13.5	16.2	4.9	3.2	11.3
Motor vehicles and equipment .....	371	3.7	18.7	5.6	2.4	13.1	15.7	4.6	2.3	11.1
Instruments and related products .....	38	5.3	6.1	2.4	1.5	3.7	4.6	1.9	1.2	2.6
Nondurable goods .....		59.4	17.9	8.3	3.8	9.6	13.4	6.1	3.2	7.2
Food and kindred products .....	20	36.1	22.9	10.6	4.2	12.3	16.8	7.8	3.7	9.0
Meat products .....	201	24.0	26.3	13.1	4.6	13.2	18.4	9.3	3.9	9.2
Meat packing plants .....	2011	17.5	28.1	14.0	5.2	14.1	19.7	10.1	4.5	9.6
Apparel and other textile products .....	23	1.7	12.0	4.8	2.6	7.2	5.4	2.3	1.6	3.1
Printing and publishing .....	27	9.7	6.3	2.6	2.2	3.7	5.0	2.2	1.8	2.9
Newspapers .....	271	3.8	3.7	1.4	1.4	2.3	3.4	1.4	1.4	2.0
Commercial printing .....	275	4.5	8.7	3.5	2.9	5.2	6.5	2.8	2.2	3.7
Chemicals and allied products .....	28	2.7	6.8	3.5	2.2	3.3	5.6	2.9	2.0	2.7
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products .....	30	6.5	13.2	6.1	3.7	7.1	10.9	4.6	2.6	6.3
Transportation and public utilities <sup>8,9</sup> .....										
Local and interurban passenger transit .....	41	1.9	7.6	4.7	4.0	3.0	7.3	4.7	4.0	2.6
Trucking and warehousing <sup>9</sup> .....	42	20.4	10.0	5.3	5.0	4.7	9.8	5.2	4.9	4.6
Trucking and courier services, except air <sup>9</sup> .....	421	19.4	9.9	5.1	4.9	4.8	9.7	5.0	4.8	4.7
Communications .....	48	8.8	3.8	1.5	1.4	2.3	3.5	1.4	1.3	2.1
Electric, gas, and sanitary services .....	49	2.7	12.2	7.3	6.9	4.9	12.2	7.3	6.9	4.9
Wholesale and retail trade .....		208.5	9.7	3.2	1.9	6.6	9.5	3.1	1.9	6.4
Wholesale trade .....		53.2	9.2	3.5	2.5	5.7	8.7	3.4	2.5	5.3
Wholesale trade--durable goods .....	50	24.3	7.3	1.8	1.5	5.5	6.7	1.8	1.4	5.0
Machinery, equipment, and supplies .....	508	8.6	7.2	.9	.8	6.3	6.2	.9	.8	5.4
Wholesale trade--nondurable goods .....	51	28.9	10.8	5.0	3.5	5.8	10.5	4.9	3.5	5.7
Farm-product raw materials .....	515	6.0	4.6	2.6	2.5	2.0	4.6	2.6	2.5	2.0

See footnotes at end of table.

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Retail trade .....		155.3	10.0	3.0	1.6	7.0	9.8	3.0	1.6	6.8
Food stores .....	54	24.5	9.5	3.6	2.2	5.9	9.3	3.5	2.2	5.8
Grocery stores .....	541	22.1	10.1	3.7	2.2	6.3	9.9	3.7	2.2	6.2
Automotive dealers and service stations .....	55	18.3	6.5	2.7	2.4	3.7	6.2	2.7	2.4	3.5
New and used car dealers .....	551	7.1	6.1	2.4	2.3	3.6	6.1	2.4	2.3	3.6
Gasoline service stations .....	554	7.3	7.2	3.2	2.5	4.0	6.5	3.2	2.5	3.3
Apparel and accessory stores .....	56	6.3	3.3	.7	.7	2.6	3.3	.7	.7	2.6
Furniture and home furnishings stores .....	57	6.7	4.2	2.4	1.1	1.9	4.2	2.4	1.1	1.9
Eating and drinking places .....	58	53.5	14.8	1.2	.9	13.7	14.8	1.2	.9	13.7
Miscellaneous retail .....	59	19.4	8.9	6.3	1.7	2.5	8.7	6.3	1.7	2.4
Finance, insurance, and real estate .....		51.0	1.8	.6	.4	1.2	1.6	.5	.4	1.1
Real estate .....	65	6.4	3.1	1.2	.8	1.9	3.1	1.2	.8	1.8
Services .....		204.4	7.4	2.3	1.7	5.2	7.1	2.1	1.5	4.9
Hotels and other lodging places .....	70	7.2	11.2	4.3	3.0	6.9	11.1	4.2	2.9	6.9
Personal services .....	72	8.0	3.1	1.8	1.5	1.3	2.5	1.5	1.3	1.0
Personnel supply services .....	736	11.2	3.2	1.6	1.3	1.6	3.2	1.6	1.3	1.6
Miscellaneous business services .....	738	24.0	3.5	1.4	1.1	2.1	3.3	1.3	1.0	2.0
Auto repair, services, and parking .....	75	7.0	12.7	5.4	3.5	7.2	12.6	5.3	3.4	7.2
Health services .....	80	62.9	14.8	3.7	2.6	11.1	14.3	3.6	2.6	10.6
Nursing and personal care facilities .....	805	17.5	23.4	6.9	4.9	16.6	23.1	6.9	4.9	16.3
Social services .....	83	13.3	3.9	1.0	.5	3.0	3.9	.9	.5	2.9
Membership organizations .....	86	6.3	3.8	1.0	1.0	2.8	3.8	1.0	1.0	2.8
Engineering and management services .....	87	13.6	1.3	.5	.5	.8	.9	.2	.2	.8

<sup>1</sup> 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).

<sup>2</sup> Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> *Standard Industrial Classification Manual*, 1987 Edition.

<sup>4</sup> Employment is expressed as an annual average and is derived primarily from the BLS-State Covered Employment and Wages program. Employment for private households (SIC 88) is excluded.

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

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

<sup>7</sup> Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

<sup>8</sup> 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.

<sup>9</sup> In 1996, air courier operations previously classified in Industry Groups 421, 422, 423, 452, 473, and 478 were reclassified to Industry Group 451. As a result, the 1996 estimates for these SIC's and Major Industry Groups 42, 45, and 47 are not comparable to those for prior years. In addition, the 1996 estimates for transportation and public utilities may have more variability than those for prior years.

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

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