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		Total goods producing	Natural resources and mining <sup>2,3</sup>	Construction	Manufacturing	Total service providing	Trade, transportation and utilities <sup>4</sup>	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services	Public Administration	
Total	680	--	--	--	--	680	--	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	490
Nature of injury, illness:															
Fractures	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	
Sprains, strains, tears	300	--	--	--	--	300	--	--	--	--	--	70	--	220	
Amputations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Bruise, contusions	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	60	
Chemical burns and corrosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Heat (thermal) burns	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Soreness, pain	110	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	--	--	--	40	--	60	
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Cuts, lacerations	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Punctures (except gunshot wounds)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Carpal tunnel syndrome	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Tendonitis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Multiple traumatic injuries	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	
With sprains and other injuries	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
With fractures and other injuries	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Part of body affected:															
Head	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	
Eye	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Neck	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	
Trunk	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	40	--	60	
Back	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	40	
Upper extremities	190	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	130	
Shoulder	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	80	
Arm	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Wrist	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Hand	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	
Lower extremities	190	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	--	--	--	40	--	150	
Knee	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	80	
Ankle	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	
Foot	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Toe, toenail	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Body systems	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Multiple	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	30	--	70	
Source of injury, illness:															
Chemical, chemical products	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Containers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Furniture, fixtures	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Machinery	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Parts and materials	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	80	
Person, injured or ill worker	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	80	
Worker motion or position	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	80	
Person, other than injured or ill workers	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	--	30	--	120	
Health care patient	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	30	--	30	
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	110	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	70	
Ladder	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Handtools	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	

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Vehicles	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	30	--	--
Trucks	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cart, dolly, hand truck - nonpowered	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Event or exposure:														
Violence and other injuries by persons or animal	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--
Intentional injury by other person	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40
Injury by person - unintentional or intent unknown	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	80
Animal and insect related incidents	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Transportation incidents	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--
Roadway incidents involving motorized land vehicles	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	30
Fires and explosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Falls, slips, trips	200	--	--	--	--	200	--	--	--	--	--	80	--	--
Slips, trips without fall	70	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	50
Fall on same level	110	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	70
Fall to lower level	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Contact with object, equipment	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--
Struck by object or equipment	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	20
Struck against object or equipment	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or compressed by object or equipment	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion and bodily reaction	210	--	--	--	--	210	--	--	--	--	--	40	--	--
Repetitive motion involving microtasks	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion in lifting or lowering	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

<sup>1</sup> Days-away-from-work cases include those that result in days away from work with or without job transfer or restriction.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

<sup>3</sup> Data for mining (Sector 21 in the North American Industry Classification System -- United States, 2007) include establishments not governed by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) rules and reporting, such as those in oil and gas extraction and related support activities. Data for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries. These data do not reflect the changes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration made to its recordkeeping requirements effective January 1, 2002; therefore estimates for these industries are not comparable to estimates in other industries.

<sup>4</sup> Data for employers in rail transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation. These data do not reflect the changes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration made to its recordkeeping requirements effective January 1, 2002; therefore estimates for these industries are not comparable to estimates in other industries.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that are not available. Because of rounding and data exclusion of nonclassifiable responses, data may not sum to the totals.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating state agencies, November 26, 2013