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		Total goods producing	Natural resources and mining ^{2,3}	Construction	Manufacturing	Total service providing	Trade, transportation and utilities ⁴	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services	Public Administration	
Total	770	--	--	--	--	770	--	--	--	--	230	--	--	530	
Nature of injury, illness:															
Fractures	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	
Sprains, strains, tears	230	--	--	--	--	230	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	160	
Amputations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Bruise, contusions	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	120	
Chemical burns and corrosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Heat (thermal) burns	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Soreness, pain	190	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	140	
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	
Cuts, lacerations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Punctures (except gunshot wounds)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Carpal tunnel syndrome	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Tendonitis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Multiple traumatic injuries	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
With sprains and other injuries	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
With fractures and other injuries	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Part of body affected:															
Head	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	30	
Eye	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Neck	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Trunk	120	--	--	--	--	120	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	90	
Back	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	50	
Upper extremities	190	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	130	
Shoulder	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	
Arm	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Wrist	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Hand	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	40	
Lower extremities	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	120	
Knee	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	40	
Ankle	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	
Foot	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Toe, toenail	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Body systems	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Multiple	200	--	--	--	--	200	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	160	
Source of injury, illness:															
Chemical, chemical products	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Containers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Furniture, fixtures	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	
Machinery	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	
Parts and materials	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Person, injured or ill worker	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	70	
Worker motion or position	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	70	
Person, other than injured or ill workers	220	--	--	--	--	220	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	160	
Health care patient	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	50	
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	100	
Ladder	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Handtools	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Vehicles	130	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	110	
Trucks	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	

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Cart, dolly, hand truck - nonpowered	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Event or exposure:														
Violence and other injuries by persons or animal	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	130
Intentional injury by other person	140	--	--	--	--	140	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	110
Injury by person - unintentional or intent unknown	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	20
Animal and insect related incidents	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Transportation incidents	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	80
Roadway incidents involving motorized land vehicles	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	70
Fires and explosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Falls, slips, trips	220	--	--	--	--	220	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	140
Slips, trips without fall	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall on same level	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	100
Fall to lower level	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Contact with object, equipment	120	--	--	--	--	120	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	70
Struck by object or equipment	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	50
Struck against object or equipment	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or compressed by object or equipment	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion and bodily reaction	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	100
Repetitive motion involving microtasks	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion in lifting or lowering	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

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

² Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

³ Data for mining (Sector 21 in the North American Industry Classification System) 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.

⁴ 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: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating state agencies, November 19, 2015