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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	870	--	--	--	--	870	--	--	--	--	280	--	--	580
Nature of injury, illness:														
Fractures	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--
Sprains, strains, tears	230	--	--	--	--	230	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	130
Amputations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bruise, contusions	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	50
Chemical burns and corrosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Heat (thermal) burns	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soreness, pain	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	100
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cuts, lacerations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Punctures (except gunshot wounds)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Carpal tunnel syndrome	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tendonitis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Multiple traumatic injuries	170	--	--	--	--	170	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	140
With sprains and other injuries	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50
With fractures and other injuries	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20
Part of body affected:														
Head	100	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	80
Eye	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Neck	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20
Trunk	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	70
Back	130	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	70
Upper extremities	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	100
Shoulder	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40
Arm	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Wrist	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hand	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--
Lower extremities	140	--	--	--	--	140	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	80
Knee	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	30
Ankle	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40
Foot	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Toe, toenail	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Body systems	120	--	--	--	--	120	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	110
Multiple	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	130
Source of injury, illness:														
Chemical, chemical products	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Containers	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Furniture, fixtures	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--
Machinery	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Parts and materials	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Person, injured or ill worker	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	60
Worker motion or position	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	30
Person, other than injured or ill workers	320	--	--	--	--	320	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	230
Health care patient	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	80
Ladder	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Handtools	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Vehicles	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	70
Trucks	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30

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Cart, dolly, hand truck - nonpowered	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Event or exposure:														
Violence and other injuries by persons or animal	300	--	--	--	--	300	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	230
Intentional injury by other person	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	50	--	--	120	
Injury by person - unintentional or intent unknown	120	--	--	--	--	120	--	--	--	--	--	--	110	
Animal and insect related incidents	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Transportation incidents	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	
Roadway incidents involving motorized land vehicles	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	
Fires and explosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Falls, slips, trips	230	--	--	--	--	230	--	--	--	110	--	--	110	
Slips, trips without fall	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	
Fall on same level	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	70	--	--	90	
Fall to lower level	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	30	--	--	20	
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	--	--	90	
Contact with object, equipment	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	20	--	--	30	
Struck by object or equipment	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Struck against object or equipment	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Caught in or compressed by object or equipment	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Overexertion and bodily reaction	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	60	--	--	80	
Repetitive motion involving microtasks	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Overexertion in lifting or lowering	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	

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 04, 2016