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Total	2,130	--	--	--	--	2,130	50	--	--	--	850	--	--	1,180
Nature of injury, illness:														
Fractures	130	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	80
Sprains, strains, tears	780	--	--	--	--	780	20	--	--	--	230	--	--	520
Amputations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bruise, contusions	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	50
Chemical burns and corrosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Heat (thermal) burns	110	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	20
Soreness, pain	540	--	--	--	--	540	--	--	--	--	230	--	--	280
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	110	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	70
Cuts, lacerations	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	60
Punctures (except gunshot wounds)	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Carpal tunnel syndrome	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tendonitis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Multiple traumatic injuries	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	40
With sprains and other injuries	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20
With fractures and other injuries	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Part of body affected:														
Head	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	60
Eye	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--
Neck	20	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20
Trunk	390	--	--	--	--	390	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	190
Back	220	--	--	--	--	220	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	130
Upper extremities	500	--	--	--	--	500	--	--	--	--	200	--	--	290
Shoulder	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	60
Arm	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	30
Wrist	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	40
Hand	160	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	130
Lower extremities	670	--	--	--	--	670	20	--	--	--	210	--	--	420
Knee	290	--	--	--	--	290	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	190
Ankle	130	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	80
Foot	70	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50
Toe, toenail	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Body systems	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50
Multiple	300	--	--	--	--	300	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	150
Source of injury, illness:														
Chemical, chemical products	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Containers	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	20
Furniture, fixtures	50	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--
Machinery	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	20
Parts and materials	50	--	--	--	--	50	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	20
Person, injured or ill worker	410	--	--	--	--	410	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	300
Worker motion or position	400	--	--	--	--	400	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	290
Person, other than injured or ill workers	500	--	--	--	--	500	--	--	--	--	300	--	--	200
Health care patient	90	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	30
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	320	--	--	--	--	320	--	--	--	--	170	--	--	130
Ladder	40	--	--	--	--	40	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	20
Handtools	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50
Vehicles	240	--	--	--	--	240	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	170
Trucks	30	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30

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Cart, dolly, hand truck - nonpowered	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Event or exposure:														
Violence and other injuries by persons or animal	410	--	--	--	--	410	--	--	--	--	230	--	--	180
Intentional injury by other person	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	40
Injury by person - unintentional or intent unknown	260	--	--	--	--	260	--	--	--	--	120	--	--	140
Animal and insect related incidents	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Transportation incidents	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	120
Roadway incidents involving motorized land vehicles	130	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	110
Fires and explosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Falls, slips, trips	620	--	--	--	--	620	--	--	--	--	240	--	--	340
Slips, trips without fall	170	--	--	--	--	170	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	140
Fall on same level	290	--	--	--	--	290	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	120
Fall to lower level	150	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	90
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	70
Contact with object, equipment	280	--	--	--	--	280	--	--	--	--	100	--	--	160
Struck by object or equipment	180	--	--	--	--	180	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	100
Struck against object or equipment	80	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	50
Caught in or compressed by object or equipment	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion and bodily reaction	460	--	--	--	--	460	20	--	--	--	150	--	--	270
Repetitive motion involving microtasks	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion in lifting or lowering	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	40

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 02, 2017