

Table 5. Number of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work (DAFW)¹ by selected injury or illness characteristics and major industry sector, private industry, South Carolina, 2021–2022

Characteristic	Private industry ^{2,3}	Goods producing				Service providing								
		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	24,660	5,710	390	1,020	4,310	18,950	7,760	--	930	--	5,380	1,970	270	--
Nature of injury, illness:														
Fracture	1,910	730	60	180	490	1,180	520	--	--	--	160	250	--	--
Sprains, strains, tears	6,320	1,160	--	250	890	5,160	2,500	--	440	--	950	410	50	--
Amputations	240	170	--	60	100	70	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bruise, contusions	2,060	540	--	40	470	1,530	900	--	--	--	210	190	--	--
Chemical burns and corrosions	100	40	--	--	30	60	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Heat (thermal) burns	410	130	--	--	120	280	60	--	--	--	20	180	--	--
Soreness, pain	3,890	940	250	130	560	2,950	1,480	--	110	--	590	400	--	--
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	1,690	560	--	90	470	1,130	480	--	--	--	160	180	--	--
Cuts, lacerations	1,260	480	--	70	410	780	370	--	--	--	50	140	--	--
Punctures (except gunshot wounds)	430	80	--	20	60	350	110	--	--	--	110	--	--	--
Carpal tunnel syndrome	140	30	--	--	30	110	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tendonitis	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Multiple traumatic injuries	440	90	--	--	90	350	70	--	--	--	110	60	--	--
With sprains and other injuries	280	50	--	--	50	230	30	--	--	--	80	30	--	--
With fractures and other injuries	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Part of body affected:														
Head	1,920	530	--	80	440	1,390	690	--	--	--	120	190	--	--
Eye	490	150	--	40	110	340	160	--	--	--	20	--	--	--
Neck	160	30	--	--	20	130	80	--	--	--	50	--	--	--
Trunk	3,380	630	--	130	490	2,740	1,590	--	70	--	570	150	20	--
Back	2,600	460	--	110	350	2,130	1,210	--	30	--	470	120	--	--
Upper extremities	6,530	2,370	230	380	1,750	4,170	1,860	--	200	--	550	720	30	--
Shoulder	1,540	470	--	90	360	1,070	660	--	30	--	160	120	--	--
Arm	1,030	380	--	110	270	650	360	--	--	--	70	120	--	--
Wrist	690	180	--	--	170	500	180	--	--	--	110	--	--	--
Hand	2,870	1,240	200	160	880	1,630	630	--	--	--	190	410	--	--
Lower extremities	5,390	1,070	120	220	720	4,320	2,010	--	310	--	600	660	90	--
Knee	1,960	350	--	50	260	1,610	680	--	310	--	290	80	--	--
Ankle	1,150	230	--	90	130	920	370	--	--	--	70	340	--	--
Foot	1,280	250	--	40	190	1,030	610	--	--	--	180	110	--	--
Toe, toenail	250	50	--	--	40	200	140	--	--	--	20	--	--	--
Body systems	4,960	770	--	--	640	4,200	830	--	--	--	2,780	--	--	--
Multiple	1,810	290	--	70	210	1,520	620	--	30	--	390	160	--	--
Source of injury, illness:														
Chemical, chemical products	300	70	--	--	60	220	60	--	--	--	--	60	--	--
Containers	2,270	470	--	20	430	1,800	1,470	--	--	--	100	150	--	--
Furniture, fixtures	550	60	--	--	60	490	190	--	--	--	180	110	--	--
Machinery	1,420	720	--	150	560	700	340	--	--	--	80	170	--	--
Parts and materials	1,470	700	--	140	550	770	570	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Person, injured or ill worker	2,590	640	--	100	540	1,950	910	--	--	--	150	220	--	--
Worker motion or position	2,470	630	--	100	530	1,840	860	--	--	--	130	210	--	--
Person, other than injured or ill workers	1,130	--	--	--	--	1,110	90	--	--	--	880	30	--	--
Health care patient	830	--	--	--	--	830	--	--	--	--	790	--	--	--
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	3,570	760	60	120	580	2,810	1,170	--	220	--	540	550	20	--
Ladder	620	90	--	60	20	530	90	--	290	--	--	--	--	--
Handtools	640	250	--	40	200	390	110	--	--	--	--	90	--	--
Vehicles	2,600	490	--	100	380	2,110	1,310	--	--	--	160	200	--	--
Trucks	740	200	--	80	120	550	410	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cart, dolly, hand truck - nonpowered	390	70	--	--	60	330	310	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Event or exposure:														
Violence and other injuries by persons or animal	940	40	--	30	--	900	190	--	--	--	380	80	--	--
Intentional injury by other person	420	--	--	--	--	410	80	--	--	--	280	--	--	--
Injury by person - unintentional or intent unknown	120	--	--	--	--	110	--	--	--	--	70	--	--	--
Animal and insect related incidents	400	30	--	20	--	370	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--
Transportation incidents	1,420	230	--	50	160	1,190	540	--	--	--	130	180	--	--
Roadway incidents involving motorized land vehicles	950	120	--	40	70	830	350	--	--	--	120	--	--	--
Fires and explosions	20	--	--	--	--	20	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Falls, slips, trips	5,500	1,170	80	300	800	4,330	1,680	--	510	--	710	680	30	--
Slips, trips without fall	720	130	--	30	100	590	210	--	--	--	60	90	--	--
Fall on same level	3,530	700	60	70	570	2,830	1,140	--	220	--	580	570	20	--
Fall to lower level	1,150	310	--	190	110	850	310	--	280	--	80	--	--	--
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	5,660	930	--	--	790	4,730	940	--	--	--	2,780	330	--	--
Contact with object, equipment	5,340	2,110	270	310	1,530	3,230	1,950	--	--	--	260	420	--	--
Struck by object or equipment	3,180	1,030	260	150	620	2,150	1,240	--	--	--	180	250	--	--
Struck against object or equipment	920	330	--	50	280	600	340	--	--	--	70	130	--	--
Caught in or compressed by object or equipment	960	650	--	70	570	310	230	--	--	--	20	40	--	--
Overexertion and bodily reaction	5,480	1,220	--	200	1,010	4,270	2,410	--	30	--	860	280	--	--
Repetitive motion involving microtasks	440	140	--	--	130	300	70	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion in lifting or lowering	1,540	340	--	70	270	1,200	680	--	--	--	300	60	--	--

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 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 of 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 15, 2023