

Table 4. Number of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work¹ by selected injury or illness characteristics and industry division, 2002

Connecticut--state government

Characteristic	State government ²	Goods producing				Service producing					
		Agriculture, forestry, and fishing ²	Mining ³	Construction	Manufacturing	Transportation and public utilities ⁴	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Finance, insurance, and real estate	Services	Public Administration
Total	2,581	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,573	--
Nature of injury, illness:											
Sprains, strains	1,181	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	762	--
Bruises, contusions	445	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	280	--
Cuts, lacerations	61	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fractures	70	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Heat burns	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Carpal tunnel syndrome	93	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tendonitis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Chemical burns	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Amputations	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Multiple injuries	95	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	85	--
Part of body affected:											
Head	137	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	88	--
Eye	36	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Neck	30	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Trunk	820	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	555	--
Shoulder	105	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	51	--
Back	501	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	346	--
Upper extremities	567	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	308	--
Wrist	185	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	78	--
Hand, except finger	71	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Finger	198	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	145	--
Lower extremities	472	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	218	--
Knee	241	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	82	--
Foot, except toe	52	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Toe	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Body systems	57	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Multiple parts	498	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	357	--

See footnotes at end of table.

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Source of injury, illness:											
Chemicals and chemical products	41	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Containers	122	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	86	--
Furniture and fixtures	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	68	--
Machinery	28	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Parts and materials	44	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Worker motion or position	227	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	102	--
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	419	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	216	--
Tools, instruments, and equipment	74	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Vehicles	139	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	83	--
Health care patient	755	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	755	--
Event or exposure:											
Contact with objects and equipment	406	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	256	--
Struck by object	252	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	158	--
Struck against object	115	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	76	--
Caught in equipment or object	33	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to lower level	168	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	88	--
Fall to same level	243	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	123	--
Slips, trips, loss of balance--without fall	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Overexertion	487	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	364	--
Overexertion in lifting	220	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	147	--
Repetitive motion	87	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to harmful substances	112	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	83	--
Transportation accidents	92	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	49	--
Fires and explosions	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults and violent acts by person	813	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	492	--

¹ Days-away-from-work cases include those which 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 (Division B in the Standard Industrial Classification Manual, 1987 edition) include establishments not governed by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) rules and reporting, such as those in Oil and Gas Extraction. 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 OSHA made to its recordkeeping requirements effective January 1, 2002; therefore estimates for these industries are not comparable with estimates for other industries.

⁴ Data for employees in railroad transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S.

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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.