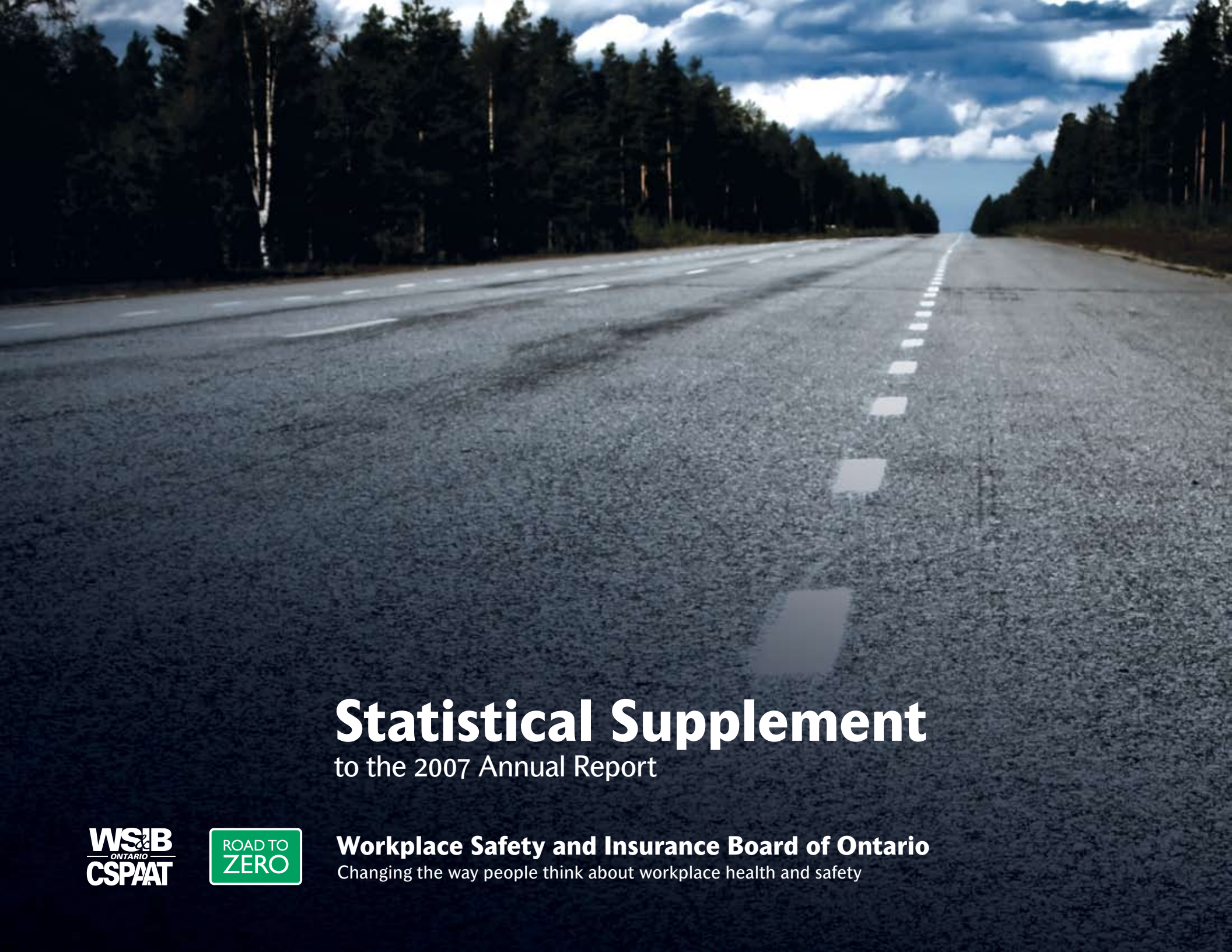




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INTRODUCTION

This publication is a supplement to the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) 2007 Annual Report*. It contains aggregate work-related injury and illness claims and benefits data for 2007. Tables contain data for previous years for comparison where such data are available and appropriate.

The WSIB helps workers deal with the consequences of workplace injuries and illnesses – providing insurance benefits and helping them recover and return to work. The WSIB is committed to the prevention of workplace injuries and illnesses, playing a key role in Ontario's occupational health and safety system. The WSIB:

- Administers no-fault workplace insurance for employers and their workers
- Provides benefits for injured and ill workers, and benefits for dependants of workers who have died as a result of a workplace injury or illness
- Monitors the quality of health care
- Assists in early and safe return to work

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CLAIM VOLUMES: TABLES 1 – 4

These tables show the claims for benefits that resulted from workplace injuries and illnesses covered by the WSIB.

Delays in reporting and processing times for some complex claims affect the reporting of claims data for any given year. Data continues to be revised after the year has concluded as additional claims are reported and decisions on complex claims are made. The revision of data after the year has concluded is called “maturing.”

Table 1 lists total numbers of claims by the year they are registered.

Tables 2, 3, and 4 present total numbers of claims according to the year in which the injuries and illnesses occurred. Table 2 also provides a snapshot of the number of injuries and illnesses by industry sector and business size for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

Table 3 provides a snapshot of claims by claim status for each year as at March 31 of the following year. Table 4 presents injury and illness data for each year as at 15 months after the end of each year, when data are likely to be fully mature. 2007 numbers in Table 4 are estimates.

Employers covered by the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act* are categorized as either Schedule 1 or Schedule 2 employers. Schedule 1 employers pay premiums into an insurance fund administered by the WSIB. Benefits for injured and ill workers under the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act* are paid for by this fund. The majority of Ontario’s employers are Schedule 1 employers. Schedule 2 employers are directly liable for the cost of benefits for their injured and ill workers. Schedule 2 employers include municipal, provincial and federal governments, railways, airlines, and telephone companies.

Note: In some tables, percentages may not add up to 100%. This is due to rounding.

**TABLE 1: CLAIMS REGISTERED
BY YEAR OF REGISTRATION
(1998 – 2007)**

This table shows the total number of claims registered with the WSIB by year. Some claims are registered with the WSIB after the year in which the injury, illness or fatality occurred. This table shows prior-year and current-year injury or illness claim registrations, as well as total registrations for each year.

Numbers include all claims reported to the WSIB for each year: claims allowed, claims denied, claims abandoned and claims pending.

	Year of registration																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Injuries and illnesses in current year	326,405	95%	346,639	95%	363,380	96%	352,775	95%	345,879	96%	339,377	96%	339,159	96%	339,733	96%	322,254	96%	314,313	96%
Injuries and illnesses in prior years	16,282	5%	17,430	5%	15,717	4%	18,292	5%	15,300	4%	15,549	4%	13,315	4%	13,263	4%	14,597	4%	14,848	5%
Total registrations	342,687	100%	364,069	100%	379,097	100%	371,067	100%	361,179	100%	354,926	100%	352,474	100%	352,996	100%	336,851	100%	329,161	100%

**TABLE 2: CLAIMS REGISTERED
BY YEAR OF INJURY OR ILLNESS,
INDUSTRY SECTOR AND
BUSINESS SIZE (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows injury and illness numbers by industry sector and business size for each year as at March 31 of the following year. All Schedule 2 employers have been included under “large business” in this table (number-of-employees data are not available for Schedule 2 employers).

Industry Sector	Year of injury or illness																			
	1998				1999				2000				2001				2002			
	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%
Agriculture	2,739	2,084	4,823	1.4%	2,616	2,165	4,781	1.3%	2,572	2,345	4,917	1.3%	2,685	2,408	5,093	1.4%	2,551	2,368	4,919	1.4%
Automotive	345	27,715	28,060	8.2%	398	32,129	32,527	9.1%	385	38,933	39,318	10.4%	429	35,445	35,874	9.9%	375	33,840	34,215	9.6%
Chemical/ Process	629	8,631	9,260	2.7%	659	9,217	9,876	2.8%	626	9,820	10,446	2.8%	589	9,544	10,133	2.8%	538	9,141	9,679	2.7%
Construction	10,554	11,265	21,819	6.4%	10,771	12,590	23,361	6.5%	11,372	14,242	25,614	6.8%	11,409	15,157	26,566	7.3%	11,428	16,392	27,820	7.8%
Education	83	3,815	3,898	1.1%	100	3,389	3,489	1.0%	89	3,023	3,112	0.8%	80	2,910	2,990	0.8%	91	2,866	2,957	0.8%
Electrical Utilities	389	1,178	1,567	0.5%	324	1,207	1,531	0.4%	277	1,345	1,622	0.4%	279	1,562	1,841	0.5%	878	1,862	2,740	0.8%
Food	823	10,819	11,642	3.4%	772	12,043	12,815	3.6%	735	12,859	13,594	3.6%	701	13,073	13,774	3.8%	632	13,266	13,898	3.9%
Forestry	576	3,221	3,797	1.1%	609	3,532	4,141	1.2%	703	4,045	4,748	1.3%	653	3,458	4,111	1.1%	617	3,852	4,469	1.3%
Health Care	642	19,639	20,281	6.0%	529	21,091	21,620	6.0%	572	23,500	24,072	6.4%	611	24,184	24,795	6.8%	651	25,603	26,254	7.3%
Manufacturing	10,894	66,768	77,662	22.8%	10,467	69,647	80,114	22.4%	10,937	72,139	83,076	22.0%	9,854	64,110	73,964	20.3%	9,353	58,373	67,726	18.9%
Mining	374	2,744	3,118	0.9%	325	2,683	3,008	0.8%	377	2,448	2,825	0.7%	328	2,536	2,864	0.8%	302	2,349	2,651	0.7%
Municipal	309	3,313	3,622	1.1%	256	3,076	3,332	0.9%	237	3,073	3,310	0.9%	196	3,028	3,224	0.9%	220	2,979	3,199	0.9%
Primary Metals	251	9,931	10,182	3.0%	282	9,858	10,140	2.8%	225	8,920	9,145	2.4%	210	8,325	8,535	2.3%	157	8,020	8,177	2.3%
Pulp and Paper	60	2,734	2,794	0.8%	52	2,694	2,746	0.8%	57	2,785	2,842	0.8%	63	2,678	2,741	0.8%	53	2,530	2,583	0.7%
Services	14,200	63,217	77,417	22.8%	13,245	66,674	79,919	22.3%	13,623	69,067	82,690	21.9%	13,061	67,745	80,806	22.2%	13,078	68,855	81,933	22.9%
Transportation	3,543	18,436	21,979	6.5%	3,487	20,487	23,974	6.7%	3,753	21,218	24,971	6.6%	3,488	20,744	24,232	6.7%	3,579	20,186	23,765	6.6%
Subtotal	46,411	255,510	301,921	88.7%	44,892	272,482	317,374	88.7%	46,540	289,762	336,302	89.1%	44,636	276,907	321,543	88.4%	44,503	272,482	316,985	88.7%
Schedule 2	NA	38,283	38,283	11.3%	NA	40,530	40,530	11.3%	NA	41,216	41,216	10.9%	NA	42,161	42,161	11.6%	NA	40,434	40,434	11.3%
Total	46,411	293,793	340,204	100%	44,892	313,012	357,904	100%	46,540	330,978	377,518	100%	44,636	319,068	363,704	100%	44,503	312,916	357,419	100%

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Year of injury or illness

Industry Sector	2003				2004				2005				2006				2007			
	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%	Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	Total	%
Agriculture	2,408	2,415	4,823	1.4%	2,458	2,435	4,893	1.4%	2,490	2,473	4,963	1.4%	2,244	2,355	4,599	1.4%	2,173	2,269	4,442	1.4%
Automotive	395	31,907	32,302	9.3%	367	32,187	32,554	9.3%	427	30,522	30,949	8.8%	342	27,249	27,591	8.3%	319	22,933	23,252	7.1%
Chemical/ Process	541	8,944	9,485	2.7%	484	8,331	8,815	2.5%	473	8,096	8,569	2.4%	461	7,235	7,696	2.3%	449	6,616	7,065	2.2%
Construction	11,447	16,983	28,430	8.2%	11,492	16,678	28,170	8.1%	11,726	17,747	29,473	8.4%	11,180	18,120	29,300	8.8%	11,185	18,805	29,990	9.2%
Education	91	2,763	2,854	0.8%	117	2,899	3,016	0.9%	87	2,992	3,079	0.9%	76	2,766	2,842	0.9%	83	2,857	2,940	0.9%
Electrical Utilities	238	2,388	2,626	0.8%	257	2,352	2,609	0.7%	236	2,551	2,787	0.8%	195	2,621	2,816	0.8%	214	2,965	3,179	1.0%
Food	645	12,873	13,518	3.9%	628	12,239	12,867	3.7%	567	11,840	12,407	3.5%	573	11,243	11,816	3.5%	544	11,108	11,652	3.6%
Forestry	599	3,149	3,748	1.1%	588	3,075	3,663	1.1%	524	3,125	3,649	1.0%	414	2,522	2,936	0.9%	393	2,003	2,396	0.7%
Health Care	681	26,381	27,062	7.8%	661	27,090	27,751	8.0%	689	28,153	28,842	8.2%	629	28,011	28,640	8.6%	691	28,678	29,369	9.0%
Manufacturing	8,939	55,705	64,644	18.5%	8,533	54,645	63,178	18.1%	8,671	54,120	62,791	17.9%	7,972	50,532	58,504	17.6%	7,570	46,066	53,636	16.5%
Mining	322	2,277	2,599	0.7%	399	2,510	2,909	0.8%	268	2,546	2,814	0.8%	314	2,257	2,571	0.8%	371	2,414	2,785	0.9%
Municipal	215	3,043	3,258	0.9%	205	2,779	2,984	0.9%	194	2,976	3,170	0.9%	174	3,023	3,197	1.0%	180	3,157	3,337	1.0%
Primary Metals	138	7,112	7,250	2.1%	158	6,427	6,585	1.9%	143	6,178	6,321	1.8%	114	5,291	5,405	1.6%	110	4,519	4,629	1.4%
Pulp and Paper	57	2,565	2,622	0.8%	42	2,346	2,388	0.7%	36	1,938	1,974	0.6%	52	1,725	1,777	0.5%	61	1,450	1,511	0.5%
Services	12,233	66,000	78,233	22.4%	12,040	68,619	80,659	23.2%	12,364	68,979	81,343	23.2%	11,428	66,405	77,833	23.3%	11,297	66,002	77,299	23.7%
Transportation	3,350	20,299	23,649	6.8%	3,300	19,980	23,280	6.7%	3,480	20,149	23,629	6.7%	2,941	19,409	22,350	6.7%	3,222	19,760	22,982	7.1%
Subtotal	42,299	264,804	307,103	88.1%	41,729	264,592	306,321	88.0%	42,375	264,385	306,760	87.5%	39,109	250,764	289,873	87.0%	38,862	241,602	280,464	86.1%
Schedule 2	NA	41,640	41,640	11.9%	NA	41,926	41,926	12.0%	NA	44,003	44,003	12.5%	NA	43,465	43,465	13.0%	NA	45,352	45,352	13.9%
Total	42,299	306,444	348,743	100%	41,729	306,518	348,247	100%	42,375	308,388	350,763	100%	39,109	294,229	333,338	100%	38,862	286,954	325,816	100%

**TABLE 3: CLAIMS REGISTERED
BY YEAR OF INJURY OR ILLNESS
AND CLAIM STATUS (1998
– 2007)**

This table shows injury and illness numbers by claim status for each year. Claim status is as at March 31 of the following year.

Lost time claims are claims by workers who have lost wages as a result of temporary or permanent impairment. No lost time claims are claims by workers who have not lost wages, but who have incurred health care expenses. Denied claims are claims for injuries or illnesses that were determined not to be work-

related, or claims by workers who were not covered under the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act*. Abandoned claims are claims that have been withdrawn by the worker and claims for which the WSIB could not gather sufficient information to make an entitlement decision. Pending claims are claims about which a decision has not yet been made.

Status as at March 31 of the following year	Year of injury or illness															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
SCHEDULE 1																
Allowed lost time	83,365	28%	85,778	27%	88,949	26%	83,250	26%	80,989	26%	77,952	25%	75,532	25%	73,884	24%
Allowed no lost time	150,829	50%	162,188	51%	173,379	52%	167,623	52%	168,268	53%	165,494	54%	166,864	54%	169,284	55%
Denied	9,245	3%	9,932	3%	11,310	3%	11,275	4%	11,380	4%	12,216	4%	12,340	4%	12,224	4%
Abandoned	54,134	18%	55,783	18%	58,816	18%	55,890	17%	53,337	17%	48,837	16%	48,769	16%	48,402	17%
Pending	3,991	1%	3,457	1%	3,532	1%	3,297	1%	2,925	1%	2,565	1%	2,782	1%	2,898	1%
Subtotal	301,564	100%	317,138	100%	335,986	100%	321,335	100%	316,899	100%	307,064	100%	306,287	100%	306,692	100%
SCHEDULE 2																
Allowed lost time	13,825	36%	14,948	37%	15,205	37%	15,109	36%	14,579	36%	15,282	37%	14,865	35%	15,850	36%
Allowed no lost time	16,004	41%	16,598	41%	17,170	41%	17,376	41%	16,893	42%	17,286	42%	17,573	42%	18,386	42%
Denied	1,523	4%	1,558	4%	1,744	4%	1,930	5%	1,822	4%	1,927	5%	2,072	5%	2,125	5%
Abandoned	6,570	17%	6,959	17%	6,632	16%	7,140	17%	6,627	16%	6,562	16%	6,795	16%	7,132	16%
Pending	718	2%	703	2%	781	2%	814	2%	599	1%	622	2%	655	2%	578	1%
Subtotal	38,640	100%	40,766	100%	41,532	100%	42,369	100%	40,520	100%	41,679	100%	41,960	100%	44,071	100%
SCHEDULES 1 & 2																
Allowed lost time	97,190	29%	100,726	28%	104,154	28%	98,359	27%	95,568	27%	93,234	27%	90,397	26%	89,734	26%
Allowed no lost time	166,833	49%	178,786	50%	190,549	51%	184,999	51%	185,161	52%	182,780	52%	184,437	53%	187,670	54%
Denied	10,768	3%	11,490	3%	13,054	4%	13,205	4%	13,202	4%	14,143	4%	14,412	4%	14,349	4%
Abandoned	60,704	18%	62,742	18%	65,448	17%	63,030	17%	59,964	17%	55,399	16%	55,564	16%	55,534	16%
Pending	4,709	1%	4,160	1%	4,313	1%	4,111	1%	3,524	1%	3,187	1%	3,437	1%	3,476	1%
Total	340,204	100%	357,904	100%	377,518	100%	363,704	100%	357,419	100%	348,743	100%	348,247	100%	350,763	100%

**TABLE 4: CLAIMS REGISTERED
BY YEAR OF INJURY OR ILLNESS
AND CLAIM STATUS – MATURED
DATA (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows injury and illness numbers by claim status for each year. Claim status is as at 15 months after the end of the year in which the injury or illness occurred. 2007 data have been estimated based on prior experience and the probable disposition of new and pending claims.

Status as at March 31 of the second year after year of injury or illness	Year of injury or illness																			
	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006		2007	
SCHEDULE 1																				
Allowed lost time	85,683	28%	88,161	28%	91,544	27%	85,710	27%	83,318	26%	80,346	26%	78,059	25%	76,302	25%	69,667	24%	66,747	24%
Allowed no lost time	152,286	50%	163,425	51%	174,131	52%	168,336	52%	168,782	53%	165,881	54%	167,496	54%	169,681	55%	160,253	55%	154,295	55%
Denied	10,390	3%	10,998	3%	11,772	3%	12,116	4%	12,195	4%	12,979	4%	13,169	4%	13,046	4%	12,716	4%	13,154	5%
Abandoned	54,586	18%	56,192	18%	59,848	18%	56,452	18%	53,806	17%	49,152	16%	49,094	16%	48,665	16%	48,478	17%	47,551	17%
SCHEDULE 2																				
Allowed lost time	14,374	37%	15,497	38%	15,863	38%	15,797	37%	15,198	37%	15,793	38%	15,488	37%	16,432	37%	16,291	37%	16,902	37%
Allowed no lost time	16,288	42%	16,759	41%	17,309	41%	17,597	41%	16,961	42%	17,387	41%	17,618	42%	18,434	42%	17,995	41%	18,368	40%
Denied	1,730	4%	1,786	4%	1,928	5%	2,151	5%	2,025	5%	2,161	5%	2,296	5%	2,384	5%	2,566	6%	2,604	6%
Abandoned	6,567	17%	6,926	17%	6,680	16%	7,154	17%	6,612	16%	6,561	16%	6,777	16%	7,065	16%	6,952	16%	7,829	17%
SCHEDULES 1 & 2																				
Allowed lost time	100,057	29%	103,658	29%	107,407	28%	101,507	28%	98,516	27%	96,139	27%	93,547	27%	92,734	26%	85,958	26%	83,649	26%
Allowed no lost time	168,574	49%	180,184	50%	191,440	51%	185,933	51%	185,743	52%	183,268	52%	185,114	53%	188,115	53%	178,248	53%	172,663	53%
Denied	12,120	4%	12,784	4%	13,700	4%	14,267	4%	14,220	4%	15,140	4%	15,465	4%	15,430	4%	15,282	5%	15,758	5%
Abandoned	61,153	18%	63,118	18%	66,528	18%	63,606	17%	60,418	17%	55,713	16%	55,871	16%	55,730	16%	55,430	17%	55,380	17%

DETAILED CLAIMS PROFILES: TABLES 5 – 13

These tables include detailed analysis of allowed lost time injury and illness claims by year of injury or illness. Delays in reporting, and processing times for some complex claims, affect the reporting of claims data for any given year. Data continues to be revised after the year has concluded as additional claims are reported and decisions on complex claims are made. The revision of data after the year has concluded is called “maturing.” The numbers presented for each year include all lost time claims allowed as at March 31 of the following year.

Note: In some tables, percentages may not add up to 100%. This is due to rounding.

**TABLE 5: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY AGE GROUP (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by age group for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

Age Group	Year of injury or illness																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
15 – 19 years	4,157	4.3%	4,623	4.6%	5,356	5.1%	4,689	4.8%	4,544	4.8%	4,100	4.4%	3,897	4.3%	3,605	4.0%	3,411	4.1%	3,117	3.9%
20 – 24 years	10,963	11.3%	11,214	11.1%	11,733	11.3%	10,424	10.6%	9,940	10.4%	9,458	10.1%	9,457	10.5%	9,018	10.0%	7,971	9.6%	7,390	9.1%
25 – 29 years	12,099	12.4%	12,210	12.1%	12,266	11.8%	11,120	11.3%	10,379	10.9%	9,918	10.6%	9,694	10.7%	9,209	10.3%	8,383	10.1%	8,050	10.0%
30 – 34 years	14,884	15.3%	14,110	14.0%	13,886	13.3%	12,655	12.9%	11,724	12.3%	11,345	12.2%	10,539	11.7%	10,181	11.3%	9,022	10.8%	8,500	10.5%
35 – 39 years	15,669	16.1%	16,577	16.5%	16,807	16.1%	15,504	15.8%	14,394	15.1%	13,359	14.3%	12,235	13.5%	11,575	12.9%	10,168	12.2%	9,617	11.9%
40 – 44 years	13,249	13.6%	13,965	13.9%	14,538	14.0%	14,663	14.9%	14,464	15.1%	14,410	15.5%	13,740	15.2%	14,087	15.7%	12,753	15.3%	11,751	14.5%
45 – 49 years	10,470	10.8%	11,219	11.1%	11,735	11.3%	11,606	11.8%	11,803	12.4%	11,833	12.7%	11,955	13.2%	12,163	13.6%	11,846	14.2%	12,042	14.9%
50 – 54 years	8,020	8.3%	8,722	8.7%	9,228	8.9%	9,266	9.4%	9,135	9.6%	9,266	9.9%	9,233	10.2%	9,634	10.7%	9,429	11.3%	9,670	12.0%
55 – 59 years	4,931	5.1%	5,135	5.1%	5,488	5.3%	5,389	5.5%	5,970	6.2%	6,137	6.6%	6,276	6.9%	6,688	7.5%	6,610	7.9%	6,714	8.3%
60 – 64 years	2,369	2.4%	2,508	2.5%	2,653	2.5%	2,532	2.6%	2,677	2.8%	2,841	3.0%	2,804	3.1%	2,919	3.3%	2,954	3.6%	3,257	4.0%
65 years and over	318	0.3%	388	0.4%	398	0.4%	415	0.4%	449	0.5%	493	0.5%	496	0.5%	581	0.6%	578	0.7%	707	0.9%
Not available	61	0.1%	55	0.1%	66	0.1%	96	0.1%	89	0.1%	74	0.1%	71	0.1%	74	0.1%	54	0.1%	48	0.1%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 6: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY GENDER (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by gender for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

	Year of injury or illness																			
Gender	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Male	67,434	69.4%	69,182	68.7%	69,959	67.2%	65,271	66.4%	62,374	65.3%	60,092	64.5%	57,782	63.9%	56,615	63.1%	51,554	62.0%	49,661	61.4%
Female	29,707	30.6%	31,523	31.3%	34,176	32.8%	33,039	33.6%	33,180	34.7%	33,142	35.5%	32,615	36.1%	33,119	36.9%	31,625	38.0%	31,202	38.6%
Not available	49	0.1%	21	0.0%	19	0.0%	49	0.0%	14	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 7: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY INDUSTRY SECTOR
(1998 – 2007)**

The WSIB's operations are organized into 17 industry sectors (Schedule 2 is a separate industry sector). This table shows allowed lost time claims by industry sector for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

	Year of injury or illness																			
Industry Sector	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Agriculture	1,626	1.7%	1,574	1.6%	1,517	1.5%	1,621	1.6%	1,597	1.7%	1,509	1.6%	1,536	1.7%	1,515	1.7%	1,258	1.5%	1,222	1.5%
Automotive	6,338	6.5%	6,753	6.7%	6,862	6.6%	6,186	6.3%	5,859	6.1%	5,353	5.7%	5,646	6.2%	5,337	5.9%	4,858	5.8%	4,040	5.0%
Chemical/process	2,296	2.4%	2,417	2.4%	2,611	2.5%	2,443	2.5%	2,250	2.4%	2,098	2.3%	1,849	2.0%	1,649	1.8%	1,425	1.7%	1,340	1.7%
Construction	4,869	5.0%	4,990	5.0%	5,543	5.3%	5,700	5.8%	5,509	5.8%	5,440	5.8%	5,768	6.4%	5,579	6.2%	5,215	6.3%	5,081	6.3%
Education	1,127	1.2%	961	1.0%	828	0.8%	776	0.8%	781	0.8%	750	0.8%	721	0.8%	657	0.7%	693	0.8%	649	0.8%
Electrical utilities	455	0.5%	390	0.4%	400	0.4%	523	0.5%	653	0.7%	503	0.5%	468	0.5%	515	0.6%	468	0.6%	463	0.6%
Food	3,283	3.4%	3,224	3.2%	3,300	3.2%	3,300	3.4%	3,145	3.3%	3,247	3.5%	2,854	3.2%	2,860	3.2%	2,428	2.9%	2,376	2.9%
Forestry	835	0.9%	954	0.9%	996	1.0%	869	0.9%	913	1.0%	747	0.8%	748	0.8%	621	0.7%	523	0.6%	479	0.6%
Health care	7,066	7.3%	7,033	7.0%	7,635	7.3%	7,600	7.7%	8,302	8.7%	8,729	9.4%	8,574	9.5%	8,654	9.6%	8,400	10.1%	8,503	10.5%
Manufacturing	20,038	20.6%	21,156	21.0%	21,742	20.9%	19,301	19.6%	17,368	18.2%	16,599	17.8%	15,032	16.6%	14,655	16.3%	12,777	15.4%	11,392	14.1%
Mining	524	0.5%	508	0.5%	483	0.5%	445	0.5%	434	0.5%	425	0.5%	434	0.5%	361	0.4%	305	0.4%	362	0.4%
Municipal	1,088	1.1%	1,033	1.0%	966	0.9%	900	0.9%	875	0.9%	919	1.0%	867	1.0%	858	1.0%	876	1.1%	812	1.0%
Primary Metals	1,499	1.5%	1,522	1.5%	1,352	1.3%	1,216	1.2%	1,123	1.2%	1,017	1.1%	891	1.0%	897	1.0%	704	0.8%	618	0.8%
Pulp and paper	330	0.3%	362	0.4%	408	0.4%	385	0.4%	305	0.3%	282	0.3%	313	0.3%	273	0.3%	262	0.3%	205	0.3%
Services	24,144	24.8%	24,613	24.4%	25,992	25.0%	24,412	24.8%	24,281	25.4%	22,946	24.6%	22,635	25.0%	22,470	25.0%	20,803	25.0%	20,246	25.0%
Transportation	7,906	8.1%	8,320	8.3%	8,390	8.1%	7,671	7.8%	7,602	8.0%	7,392	7.9%	7,193	8.0%	6,988	7.8%	6,420	7.7%	6,751	8.3%
Schedule 2	13,766	14.2%	14,916	14.8%	15,129	14.5%	15,011	15.3%	14,571	15.2%	15,278	16.4%	14,868	16.4%	15,845	17.7%	15,764	19.0%	16,324	20.2%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 8: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY NATURE OF INJURY OR
DISEASE (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by diagnoses of nature of injury or disease for each year as at March 31 of the following year. Diagnoses marked with an asterisk (*) include both traumatic and repetitive motion types of injuries and diseases. NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

Note: Since 2004, to more accurately identify the nature of injuries, an effort has been made to reduce the number of claims coded as “unspecified” (primarily soreness, pain, unspecified) and “NEC.” Claims that were coded in this way in the past are now being coded with more specific codes (primarily sprains and strains, bruises, contusions).

Diagnosis/description of nature of injury or disease	Year of injury or disease															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
Sprains and strains	39,100	40.2%	40,564	40.3%	41,550	39.9%	38,911	39.6%	37,475	39.2%	36,451	39.1%	40,059	44.3%	43,172	48.1%
Bruises, contusions	11,327	11.7%	11,762	11.7%	12,143	11.7%	10,838	11.0%	10,730	11.2%	10,053	10.8%	9,804	10.8%	10,828	12.1%
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	8,847	9.1%	9,297	9.2%	9,485	9.1%	8,594	8.7%	8,196	8.6%	7,445	8.0%	7,602	8.4%	7,534	8.4%
Fractures	6,342	6.5%	6,795	6.7%	6,818	6.5%	6,567	6.7%	6,487	6.8%	6,627	7.1%	6,362	7.0%	6,284	7.0%
Multiple traumatic injuries	3,267	3.4%	3,057	3.0%	3,182	3.1%	2,896	2.9%	2,751	2.9%	2,768	3.0%	3,263	3.6%	3,148	3.5%
Tendonitis *	2,134	2.2%	2,375	2.4%	2,558	2.5%	2,420	2.5%	2,249	2.4%	2,259	2.4%	2,193	2.4%	2,126	2.4%
Abrasions, scratches and other superficial injuries	2,925	3.0%	2,721	2.7%	2,773	2.7%	2,415	2.5%	2,255	2.4%	2,008	2.2%	2,229	2.5%	2,332	2.6%
Burn or Scald (heat)	1,639	1.7%	1,700	1.7%	1,766	1.7%	1,650	1.7%	1,578	1.7%	1,340	1.4%	1,388	1.5%	1,411	1.6%
Intervertebral herniated, slipped disc including disc syndrome	482	0.5%	489	0.5%	532	0.5%	538	0.5%	547	0.6%	604	0.6%	1,003	1.1%	906	1.0%
Intracranial injuries excluding concussions	179	0.2%	267	0.3%	461	0.4%	418	0.4%	573	0.6%	680	0.7%	758	0.8%	883	1.0%
Dislocations	907	0.9%	1,104	1.1%	1,049	1.0%	968	1.0%	981	1.0%	910	1.0%	936	1.0%	797	0.9%
Concussions	466	0.5%	498	0.5%	563	0.5%	609	0.6%	581	0.6%	665	0.7%	742	0.8%	768	0.9%
Hernia	946	1.0%	946	0.9%	976	0.9%	882	0.9%	885	0.9%	876	0.9%	858	0.9%	882	1.0%
Crushing injuries	313	0.3%	416	0.4%	461	0.4%	396	0.4%	426	0.4%	434	0.5%	331	0.4%	582	0.6%
Carpal Tunnel Syndrome *	683	0.7%	819	0.8%	879	0.8%	825	0.8%	867	0.9%	945	1.0%	867	1.0%	859	1.0%
Epicondylitis *	708	0.7%	798	0.8%	840	0.8%	773	0.8%	750	0.8%	744	0.8%	700	0.8%	690	0.8%
Poisonings, systemic	391	0.4%	411	0.4%	513	0.5%	448	0.5%	482	0.5%	460	0.5%	534	0.6%	632	0.7%
Infectious and parasitic diseases	161	0.2%	155	0.2%	149	0.1%	149	0.2%	544	0.6%	359	0.4%	308	0.3%	241	0.3%
Traumatic injuries, disorders, complications, unspecified, NEC	5,803	6.0%	5,843	5.8%	5,574	5.4%	5,397	5.5%	4,985	5.2%	5,263	5.6%	2,669	3.0%	413	0.5%
Mental disorders or syndromes	210	0.2%	265	0.3%	266	0.3%	289	0.3%	333	0.3%	314	0.3%	334	0.4%	419	0.5%
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue, diseases and disorders unspecified, NEC	608	0.6%	653	0.6%	683	0.7%	681	0.7%	609	0.6%	582	0.6%	589	0.7%	417	0.5%
Amputations or enucleations	723	0.7%	808	0.8%	716	0.7%	692	0.7%	522	0.5%	510	0.5%	513	0.6%	429	0.5%
Burns (chemical)	337	0.3%	336	0.3%	361	0.3%	311	0.3%	328	0.3%	295	0.3%	321	0.4%	380	0.4%
Avulsions	369	0.4%	339	0.3%	405	0.4%	394	0.4%	440	0.5%	415	0.4%	461	0.5%	432	0.5%
Skin and subcutaneous tissue disorders, including Dermatitis	338	0.3%	339	0.3%	395	0.4%	376	0.4%	399	0.4%	384	0.4%	330	0.4%	359	0.4%
Rotator cuff tear or syndrome *	266	0.3%	249	0.2%	322	0.3%	320	0.3%	318	0.3%	376	0.4%	309	0.3%	261	0.3%
Signs and symptoms including contacts/carriers of disease	473	0.5%	511	0.5%	583	0.6%	662	0.7%	578	0.6%	584	0.6%	367	0.4%	293	0.3%
Respiratory system diseases	87	0.1%	110	0.1%	129	0.1%	202	0.2%	163	0.2%	325	0.3%	134	0.1%	269	0.3%
Bursitis *	347	0.4%	333	0.3%	355	0.3%	307	0.3%	330	0.3%	294	0.3%	254	0.3%	222	0.2%

Diagnosis/description of nature of injury or disease	Year of injury or disease																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Tenosynovitis *	273	0.3%	265	0.3%	313	0.3%	278	0.3%	268	0.3%	271	0.3%	253	0.3%	209	0.2%	210	0.3%	173	0.2%
Sciatica	366	0.4%	379	0.4%	433	0.4%	489	0.5%	563	0.6%	478	0.5%	261	0.3%	216	0.2%	152	0.2%	151	0.2%
Welder's flash	370	0.4%	314	0.3%	328	0.3%	197	0.2%	176	0.2%	162	0.2%	203	0.2%	193	0.2%	172	0.2%	148	0.2%
Burns multiple, unspecified, NEC	175	0.2%	135	0.1%	127	0.1%	100	0.1%	83	0.1%	95	0.1%	115	0.1%	96	0.1%	50	0.1%	119	0.1%
Conjunctivitis	214	0.2%	199	0.2%	234	0.2%	236	0.2%	189	0.2%	187	0.2%	146	0.2%	143	0.2%	124	0.1%	117	0.1%
Disorders of the eye, adnexa, vision, unspecified, NEC	89	0.1%	87	0.1%	131	0.1%	118	0.1%	112	0.1%	124	0.1%	129	0.1%	128	0.1%	136	0.2%	101	0.1%
Electrocutions, electric shock	77	0.1%	95	0.1%	76	0.1%	86	0.1%	91	0.1%	72	0.1%	82	0.1%	72	0.1%	116	0.1%	79	0.1%
Heat and light effects including heat stroke, fatigue and syncope	13	0.0%	23	0.0%	5	0.0%	84	0.1%	98	0.1%	30	0.0%	21	0.0%	132	0.1%	108	0.1%	79	0.1%
Soreness, pain, hurt, except the back	1,627	1.7%	1,851	1.8%	2,318	2.2%	2,916	3.0%	2,820	3.0%	3,027	3.2%	1,115	1.2%	32	0.0%	19	0.0%	55	0.1%
Ganglion *	60	0.1%	58	0.1%	55	0.1%	71	0.1%	42	0.0%	51	0.1%	49	0.1%	53	0.1%	49	0.1%	49	0.1%
Burns (electrical)	118	0.1%	115	0.1%	99	0.1%	101	0.1%	74	0.1%	80	0.1%	92	0.1%	79	0.1%	57	0.1%	47	0.1%
Mesothelioma	23	0.0%	24	0.0%	19	0.0%	22	0.0%	28	0.0%	31	0.0%	42	0.0%	50	0.1%	41	0.0%	47	0.1%
Circulatory system diseases	30	0.0%	40	0.0%	33	0.0%	41	0.0%	41	0.0%	41	0.0%	33	0.0%	32	0.0%	40	0.0%	46	0.1%
Facet syndrome	156	0.2%	131	0.1%	162	0.2%	97	0.1%	125	0.1%	109	0.1%	49	0.1%	53	0.1%	67	0.1%	37	0.0%
Disorders of ear including deafness	49	0.1%	61	0.1%	53	0.1%	59	0.1%	49	0.1%	36	0.0%	50	0.1%	42	0.0%	49	0.1%	36	0.0%
Neoplasms, tumors and cancer, excluding Mesothelioma	14	0.0%	9	0.0%	12	0.0%	7	0.0%	23	0.0%	27	0.0%	19	0.0%	27	0.0%	25	0.0%	31	0.0%
Nervous system and sense organs diseases	26	0.0%	22	0.0%	35	0.0%	28	0.0%	38	0.0%	35	0.0%	44	0.0%	29	0.0%	23	0.0%	26	0.0%
Back pain, hurt back	2,609	2.7%	2,592	2.6%	2,843	2.7%	3,163	3.2%	3,105	3.2%	3,184	3.4%	1,207	1.3%	23	0.0%	8	0.0%	26	0.0%
Capsulitis *	15	0.0%	18	0.0%	21	0.0%	28	0.0%	38	0.0%	43	0.0%	29	0.0%	33	0.0%	28	0.0%	20	0.0%
Synovitis *	44	0.0%	35	0.0%	24	0.0%	33	0.0%	27	0.0%	21	0.0%	18	0.0%	10	0.0%	19	0.0%	14	0.0%
Freezing effects including frostbite	8	0.0%	31	0.0%	16	0.0%	5	0.0%	10	0.0%	27	0.0%	44	0.0%	18	0.0%	10	0.0%	11	0.0%
Genitourinary system diseases and disorders	6	0.0%	12	0.0%	8	0.0%	15	0.0%	14	0.0%	19	0.0%	14	0.0%	12	0.0%	7	0.0%	9	0.0%
Non-personal damage	9	0.0%	6	0.0%	7	0.0%	7	0.0%	6	0.0%	5	0.0%	8	0.0%	7	0.0%	10	0.0%	8	0.0%
Air pressure effects including other environmental conditions	3	0.0%	6	0.0%	8	0.0%	9	0.0%	10	0.0%	4	0.0%	10	0.0%	7	0.0%	5	0.0%	7	0.0%
Diseases and disorders multiple, unspecified, NEC	50	0.1%	19	0.0%	20	0.0%	42	0.0%	21	0.0%	15	0.0%	19	0.0%	7	0.0%	8	0.0%	6	0.0%
Myositis *	42	0.0%	32	0.0%	34	0.0%	37	0.0%	28	0.0%	19	0.0%	5	0.0%	7	0.0%	8	0.0%	5	0.0%
Digestive system diseases	3	0.0%	7	0.0%	8	0.0%	5	0.0%	3	0.0%	1	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	0.0%	1	0.0%	2	0.0%
Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	7	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	1	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Unknown	343	0.4%	198	0.2%	238	0.2%	157	0.2%	121	0.1%	69	0.1%	117	0.1%	50	0.1%	75	0.1%	88	0.1%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 9: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY PART OF BODY AFFECTED
(1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by part of body affected for each year as at March 31 of the following year. NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

Part of body affected	Year of injury or illness																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Back (including spine, spinal cord, neck)																				
Lower (lumbar, sacral, coccygeal regions)	18,788	19.3%	19,767	19.6%	19,820	19.0%	19,394	19.7%	18,980	19.9%	18,665	20.0%	19,095	21.1%	18,974	21.1%	17,507	21.0%	17,216	21.3%
Upper (cervical, thoracic regions)	3,878	4.0%	4,382	4.4%	4,315	4.1%	4,149	4.2%	4,282	4.5%	4,164	4.5%	4,143	4.6%	4,072	4.5%	3,769	4.5%	3,690	4.6%
Multiple back regions	1,468	1.5%	1,535	1.5%	1,678	1.6%	1,573	1.6%	1,516	1.6%	1,640	1.8%	1,817	2.0%	1,886	2.1%	1,701	2.0%	1,652	2.0%
Back, unspecified, NEC	5,040	5.2%	4,587	4.6%	4,703	4.5%	4,182	4.3%	3,486	3.6%	2,767	3.0%	1,534	1.7%	984	1.1%	824	1.0%	704	0.9%
Subtotal	29,174	30.0%	30,271	30.1%	30,516	29.3%	29,298	29.8%	28,264	29.6%	27,236	29.2%	26,589	29.4%	25,916	28.9%	23,801	28.6%	23,262	28.8%
Upper extremities																				
Finger(s), fingernail(s)	10,270	10.6%	10,585	10.5%	10,799	10.4%	9,706	9.9%	9,340	9.8%	8,641	9.3%	8,298	9.2%	7,809	8.7%	6,982	8.4%	6,331	7.8%
Arm(s)	4,482	4.6%	4,753	4.7%	5,013	4.8%	4,822	4.9%	4,556	4.8%	4,539	4.9%	4,180	4.6%	4,096	4.6%	3,730	4.5%	3,543	4.4%
Wrist(s)	3,714	3.8%	4,184	4.2%	4,286	4.1%	4,046	4.1%	4,063	4.3%	4,013	4.3%	3,814	4.2%	3,688	4.1%	3,512	4.2%	3,261	4.0%
Hand(s), except finger(s)	4,430	4.6%	4,831	4.8%	5,063	4.9%	4,661	4.7%	4,545	4.8%	4,120	4.4%	3,771	4.2%	3,722	4.1%	3,335	4.0%	2,953	3.7%
Upper extremities, unspecified, NEC	766	0.8%	746	0.7%	809	0.8%	722	0.7%	714	0.7%	737	0.8%	961	1.1%	1,016	1.1%	1,099	1.3%	1,249	1.5%
Subtotal	23,662	24.3%	25,099	24.9%	25,970	24.9%	23,957	24.4%	23,218	24.3%	22,050	23.7%	21,024	23.3%	20,331	22.7%	18,658	22.4%	17,337	21.4%
Lower extremities																				
Leg(s)	8,050	8.3%	8,527	8.5%	8,619	8.3%	8,510	8.7%	8,110	8.5%	8,004	8.6%	7,839	8.7%	7,883	8.8%	7,190	8.6%	7,388	9.1%
Ankle(s)	5,050	5.2%	5,367	5.3%	5,448	5.2%	5,206	5.3%	5,108	5.3%	5,120	5.5%	4,926	5.4%	4,999	5.6%	4,410	5.3%	4,566	5.6%
Foot(feet), except toe(s)	3,496	3.6%	3,568	3.5%	3,676	3.5%	3,354	3.4%	3,163	3.3%	2,860	3.1%	2,791	3.1%	2,671	3.0%	2,479	3.0%	2,259	2.8%
Multiple lower extremities locations	481	0.5%	491	0.5%	547	0.5%	491	0.5%	465	0.5%	497	0.5%	629	0.7%	673	0.7%	717	0.9%	701	0.9%
Toe(s), toenail(s)	798	0.8%	747	0.7%	671	0.6%	618	0.6%	634	0.7%	601	0.6%	522	0.6%	540	0.6%	537	0.6%	485	0.6%
Lower extremities, unspecified, NEC	7	0.0%	19	0.0%	19	0.0%	10	0.0%	27	0.0%	31	0.0%	9	0.0%	19	0.0%	7	0.0%	4	0.0%
Subtotal	17,882	18.4%	18,719	18.6%	18,980	18.2%	18,189	18.5%	17,507	18.3%	17,113	18.4%	16,716	18.5%	16,785	18.7%	15,340	18.4%	15,403	19.1%
Trunk (excluding back)																				
Shoulder	5,464	5.6%	5,828	5.8%	6,470	6.2%	5,837	5.9%	5,786	6.1%	5,946	6.4%	5,439	6.0%	5,505	6.1%	5,172	6.2%	5,192	6.4%
Pelvic region	2,449	2.5%	2,481	2.5%	2,550	2.4%	2,283	2.3%	2,187	2.3%	2,202	2.4%	1,973	2.2%	1,948	2.2%	1,720	2.1%	1,651	2.0%
Chest, including ribs, internal organs	1,835	1.9%	1,995	2.0%	2,085	2.0%	1,958	2.0%	1,945	2.0%	1,897	2.0%	1,698	1.9%	1,786	2.0%	1,604	1.9%	1,640	2.0%
Multiple trunk locations	987	1.0%	996	1.0%	1,069	1.0%	974	1.0%	931	1.0%	1,107	1.2%	1,318	1.5%	1,593	1.8%	1,589	1.9%	1,432	1.8%
Abdomen	471	0.5%	609	0.6%	612	0.6%	533	0.5%	844	0.9%	724	0.8%	697	0.8%	660	0.7%	933	1.1%	933	1.2%
Trunk, unspecified, NEC	78	0.1%	54	0.1%	52	0.0%	30	0.0%	38	0.0%	38	0.0%	22	0.0%	24	0.0%	20	0.0%	22	0.0%
Subtotal	11,284	11.6%	11,963	11.9%	12,838	12.3%	11,615	11.8%	11,731	12.3%	11,914	12.8%	11,147	12.3%	11,516	12.8%	11,038	13.3%	10,870	13.4%
Head																				
Eye(s)	4,127	4.2%	3,815	3.8%	4,006	3.8%	3,525	3.6%	3,165	3.3%	3,028	3.2%	3,064	3.4%	2,964	3.3%	2,582	3.1%	2,290	2.8%
Cranial region, including skull	1,317	1.4%	1,714	1.7%	1,884	1.8%	1,865	1.9%	1,847	1.9%	2,014	2.2%	2,182	2.4%	2,319	2.6%	2,255	2.7%	2,150	2.7%
Face	1,107	1.1%	1,174	1.2%	1,263	1.2%	1,168	1.2%	1,115	1.2%	1,077	1.2%	1,053	1.2%	1,110	1.2%	926	1.1%	906	1.1%
Ear(s)	110	0.1%	117	0.1%	113	0.1%	97	0.1%	113	0.1%	108	0.1%	97	0.1%	83	0.1%	92	0.1%	75	0.1%
Multiple head locations	51	0.1%	38	0.0%	46	0.0%	42	0.0%	53	0.1%	50	0.1%	38	0.0%	45	0.1%	30	0.0%	55	0.1%
Head, unspecified, NEC	501	0.5%	237	0.2%	251	0.2%	262	0.3%	245	0.3%	238	0.3%	235	0.3%	167	0.2%	120	0.1%	227	0.3%
Subtotal	7,213	7.4%	7,095	7.0%	7,563	7.3%	6,959	7.1%	6,538	6.8%	6,515	7.0%	6,669	7.4%	6,688	7.5%	6,005	7.2%	5,703	7.1%
Multiple body parts	6,752	6.9%	6,405	6.4%	7,033	6.8%	6,940	7.1%	6,873	7.2%	7,109	7.6%	7,070	7.8%	7,076	7.9%	6,869	8.3%	6,881	8.5%
Body systems	722	0.7%	821	0.8%	929	0.9%	1,116	1.1%	1,193	1.2%	1,120	1.2%	980	1.1%	1,299	1.4%	1,340	1.6%	1,248	1.5%
Other body parts including unclassified, NEC	501	0.5%	353	0.4%	325	0.3%	285	0.3%	244	0.3%	177	0.2%	202	0.2%	123	0.1%	128	0.2%	159	0.2%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 10: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY EVENT (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by event (the way in which the injury or illness occurred) for each year as at March 31 of the following year. NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

Event	Year of injury or illness																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Bodily reaction and exertion																				
Overexertion	24,567	25.3%	24,813	24.6%	25,657	24.6%	23,828	24.2%	22,373	23.4%	21,179	22.7%	20,927	23.2%	20,401	22.7%	18,586	22.3%	18,277	22.6%
Bodily reaction	11,571	11.9%	12,127	12.0%	12,710	12.2%	12,633	12.8%	11,315	11.8%	10,949	11.7%	11,454	12.7%	11,521	12.8%	10,543	12.7%	11,109	13.7%
Repetitive motion	3,663	3.8%	3,895	3.9%	4,447	4.3%	4,229	4.3%	3,996	4.2%	4,207	4.5%	4,307	4.8%	4,438	4.9%	4,324	5.2%	4,057	5.0%
Static posture and sustained viewing	80	0.1%	99	0.1%	80	0.1%	73	0.1%	82	0.1%	83	0.1%	75	0.1%	44	0.0%	69	0.1%	40	0.0%
Bodily reaction and exertion (combined), including unspecified, NEC	4,180	4.3%	4,526	4.5%	4,354	4.2%	4,246	4.3%	5,334	5.6%	5,252	5.6%	4,282	4.7%	4,310	4.8%	4,575	5.5%	3,897	4.8%
Subtotal	44,061	45.3%	45,460	45.1%	47,248	45.4%	45,009	45.8%	43,100	45.1%	41,670	44.7%	41,045	45.4%	40,714	45.4%	38,097	45.8%	37,380	44.9%
Contact with objects and equipment																				
Struck by	15,312	15.8%	15,984	15.9%	16,366	15.7%	15,216	15.5%	14,349	15.0%	13,719	14.7%	13,174	14.6%	12,958	14.4%	11,782	14.2%	11,379	14.1%
Struck against	5,370	5.5%	5,558	5.5%	5,722	5.5%	5,242	5.3%	4,825	5.1%	4,533	4.9%	4,576	5.1%	4,318	4.8%	4,017	4.8%	3,949	4.9%
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects or collapsing material	5,525	5.7%	5,638	5.6%	5,693	5.5%	5,129	5.2%	4,747	5.0%	4,456	4.8%	4,233	4.7%	3,869	4.3%	3,615	4.3%	3,204	4.0%
Rubbed or abraded by friction, pressure or jarred by vibration	1,057	1.1%	806	0.8%	901	0.9%	794	0.8%	970	1.0%	1,054	1.1%	936	1.0%	1,066	1.2%	1,042	1.3%	617	0.8%
Contact with objects and equipment, unspecified, NEC	511	0.5%	589	0.6%	620	0.6%	487	0.5%	514	0.5%	311	0.3%	295	0.3%	258	0.3%	195	0.2%	133	0.2%
Subtotal	27,775	28.6%	28,575	28.4%	29,302	28.1%	26,868	27.3%	25,405	26.6%	24,073	25.8%	23,214	25.7%	22,469	25.0%	20,651	24.8%	19,282	23.2%
Falls																				
Falls on same level	9,939	10.2%	11,140	11.1%	11,025	10.6%	10,945	11.1%	10,864	11.4%	11,821	12.7%	10,694	11.8%	11,493	12.8%	9,891	11.9%	10,431	12.9%
Falls/jump to lower level	5,663	5.8%	5,787	5.7%	6,002	5.8%	5,644	5.7%	5,678	5.9%	5,647	6.1%	5,460	6.0%	5,019	5.6%	4,579	5.5%	4,385	5.4%
Falls, unspecified, NEC	128	0.1%	86	0.1%	119	0.1%	131	0.1%	105	0.1%	113	0.1%	62	0.1%	57	0.1%	67	0.1%	44	0.1%
Subtotal	15,730	16.2%	17,013	16.9%	17,146	16.5%	16,720	17.0%	16,647	17.4%	17,581	18.9%	16,216	17.9%	16,569	18.5%	14,537	17.5%	14,860	18.4%
Exposure to harmful substances or environments																				
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	1,784	1.8%	1,807	1.8%	2,097	2.0%	1,945	2.0%	2,504	2.6%	2,164	2.3%	2,060	2.3%	2,271	2.5%	2,318	2.8%	2,210	2.7%
Contact with temperature extremes	1,726	1.8%	1,833	1.8%	1,822	1.7%	1,888	1.9%	1,676	1.8%	1,499	1.6%	1,481	1.6%	1,409	1.6%	1,446	1.7%	1,235	1.5%
Exposure to radiation	481	0.5%	406	0.4%	428	0.4%	299	0.3%	259	0.3%	261	0.3%	268	0.3%	238	0.3%	200	0.2%	181	0.2%
Contact with electric current	182	0.2%	180	0.2%	179	0.2%	161	0.2%	157	0.2%	145	0.2%	160	0.2%	135	0.2%	159	0.2%	113	0.1%
Exposure to noise	42	0.0%	49	0.0%	34	0.0%	38	0.0%	36	0.0%	35	0.0%	30	0.0%	25	0.0%	24	0.0%	22	0.0%
Exposure to air pressure changes	7	0.0%	17	0.0%	21	0.0%	24	0.0%	16	0.0%	9	0.0%	11	0.0%	13	0.0%	14	0.0%	14	0.0%
Exposure to harmful substances or environments, unspecified, NEC	115	0.1%	140	0.1%	151	0.1%	160	0.2%	177	0.2%	163	0.2%	158	0.2%	183	0.2%	177	0.2%	152	0.2%
Subtotal	4,337	4.5%	4,432	4.4%	4,732	4.5%	4,515	4.6%	4,825	5.0%	4,276	4.6%	4,168	4.6%	4,274	4.8%	4,338	5.2%	3,927	4.9%
Transportation accidents																				
Highway accidents	1,434	1.5%	1,569	1.6%	1,664	1.6%	1,539	1.6%	1,698	1.8%	1,630	1.7%	1,600	1.8%	1,621	1.8%	1,511	1.8%	1,513	1.9%
Non-highway accidents	1,259	1.3%	1,267	1.3%	1,342	1.3%	1,343	1.4%	1,376	1.4%	1,304	1.4%	1,403	1.6%	1,317	1.5%	1,343	1.6%	1,170	1.4%
Transportation accidents, unspecified, NEC	22	0.0%	34	0.0%	39	0.0%	22	0.0%	6	0.0%	15	0.0%	7	0.0%	5	0.0%	4	0.0%	10	0.0%
Subtotal	2,715	2.8%	2,870	2.8%	3,045	2.9%	2,904	3.0%	3,080	3.2%	2,949	3.2%	3,010	3.3%	2,943	3.3%	2,858	3.4%	2,693	3.3%
Assaults, violent acts, harassment and acts of war or terrorism																				
1,530	1.6%	1,476	1.5%	1,523	1.5%	1,553	1.6%	1,747	1.8%	1,926	2.1%	2,089	2.3%	2,149	2.4%	2,157	2.6%	2,150	2.7%	
Fires and explosions																				
Fire – unintended or uncontrolled	135	0.1%	133	0.1%	191	0.2%	235	0.2%	237	0.2%	290	0.3%	268	0.3%	325	0.4%	271	0.3%	281	0.3%
Explosion	124	0.1%	123	0.1%	121	0.1%	129	0.1%	129	0.1%	104	0.1%	88	0.1%	69	0.1%	73	0.1%	59	0.1%
Fire or explosion, unspecified, NEC	3	0.0%	5	0.0%	6	0.0%	8	0.0%	11	0.0%	11	0.0%	3	0.0%	6	0.0%	2	0.0%	3	0.0%
Subtotal	262	0.3%	261	0.3%	318	0.3%	372	0.4%	377	0.4%	405	0.4%	359	0.4%	400	0.4%	346	0.4%	343	0.4%
Other events or exposures unknown / unidentified																				
780	0.8%	639	0.6%	840	0.8%	418	0.4%	387	0.4%	354	0.4%	296	0.3%	216	0.2%	195	0.2%	228	0.3%	
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 11: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY SOURCE OF INJURY OR
DISEASE (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by source of injury or disease (the object, substance, exposure or bodily motion that brought about the injury or disease) for each year as at March 31 of the following year. NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

Source of Injury or disease	Year of injury or disease															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
Persons (bodily motion or condition)	22,837	23.5%	23,884	23.7%	25,503	24.5%	24,572	25.0%	21,658	22.7%	21,048	22.6%	21,332	23.6%	21,558	24.0%
Structures (including walkways, floors and buildings)	14,523	14.9%	14,896	14.8%	17,101	16.4%	17,401	17.7%	17,504	18.3%	18,314	19.6%	16,998	18.8%	17,349	19.3%
Containers, boxes, barrels, packages (pressurized, non pressurized)	12,965	13.3%	13,421	13.3%	13,368	12.8%	12,644	12.9%	13,043	13.6%	12,431	13.3%	11,740	13.0%	11,516	12.8%
Parts and materials																
Building materials	4,297	4.4%	4,427	4.4%	4,514	4.3%	4,148	4.2%	4,029	4.2%	3,989	4.3%	3,528	3.9%	3,329	3.7%
Vehicle and mobile equipment parts	1,697	1.7%	1,686	1.7%	1,756	1.7%	1,549	1.6%	1,560	1.6%	1,511	1.6%	1,802	2.0%	1,661	1.9%
Machine tool and electric parts	1,273	1.3%	1,409	1.4%	1,533	1.5%	1,459	1.5%	1,411	1.5%	1,410	1.5%	1,347	1.5%	1,186	1.3%
Fasteners, connectors, ropes, ties	1,017	1.0%	1,033	1.0%	1,107	1.1%	1,009	1.0%	1,048	1.1%	959	1.0%	929	1.0%	903	1.0%
Metal materials	1,410	1.5%	1,212	1.2%	1,118	1.1%	800	0.8%	746	0.8%	692	0.7%	720	0.8%	700	0.8%
Hoisting accessories	95	0.1%	115	0.1%	126	0.1%	91	0.1%	105	0.1%	102	0.1%	97	0.1%	97	0.1%
Tars, sealants, caulking, insulating materials	84	0.1%	83	0.1%	76	0.0%	88	0.1%	80	0.1%	59	0.1%	72	0.1%	65	0.1%
Tarps and sheeting (non-metal)	51	0.1%	67	0.1%	50	0.1%	54	0.1%	64	0.1%	65	0.1%	60	0.1%	65	0.1%
Parts and materials unspecified, NEC	566	0.6%	785	0.8%	977	0.9%	931	0.9%	870	0.9%	843	0.9%	769	0.9%	742	0.8%
Subtotal	10,490	10.8%	10,817	10.7%	11,257	10.8%	10,129	10.3%	9,913	10.4%	9,630	10.3%	9,324	10.3%	8,748	9.7%
Vehicles																
Highway vehicle	3,169	3.3%	3,302	3.3%	3,455	3.3%	3,171	3.2%	3,320	3.5%	3,294	3.5%	3,140	3.5%	3,284	3.7%
Plant and industrial vehicles, tractors	2,721	2.8%	2,919	2.9%	3,026	2.9%	2,883	2.9%	2,693	2.8%	2,782	3.0%	2,824	3.1%	2,664	3.0%
Air, water, rail vehicles	190	0.2%	206	0.2%	254	0.2%	243	0.2%	228	0.2%	220	0.2%	204	0.2%	219	0.2%
Vehicles, unspecified, NEC	102	0.1%	129	0.1%	109	0.1%	96	0.1%	104	0.1%	118	0.1%	110	0.1%	107	0.1%
Subtotal	6,182	6.4%	6,556	6.5%	6,844	6.6%	6,393	6.5%	6,345	6.6%	6,414	6.9%	6,278	6.9%	6,274	7.0%
Other tools, instruments, equipment																
Hand tools, non-powered	3,674	3.8%	3,915	3.9%	4,033	3.9%	3,693	3.8%	3,541	3.7%	3,442	3.7%	3,256	3.6%	3,146	3.5%
Hand tools, powered	930	1.0%	945	0.9%	993	1.0%	895	0.9%	947	1.0%	911	1.0%	882	1.0%	879	1.0%
Recreation and athletic equipment	231	0.2%	206	0.2%	238	0.2%	221	0.2%	252	0.3%	231	0.2%	273	0.3%	271	0.3%
Hand tools, power not determined	301	0.3%	232	0.2%	208	0.2%	223	0.2%	284	0.3%	241	0.3%	307	0.3%	247	0.3%
Ladders	233	0.2%	236	0.2%	207	0.2%	239	0.2%	252	0.3%	249	0.3%	261	0.3%	249	0.3%
Medical and surgical instruments	69	0.1%	81	0.1%	113	0.1%	112	0.1%	126	0.1%	126	0.1%	123	0.1%	134	0.1%
Protective equipment, except clothing	21	0.0%	29	0.0%	26	0.0%	23	0.0%	40	0.0%	60	0.1%	15	0.0%	32	0.0%
Photographic equipment	34	0.0%	25	0.0%	28	0.0%	16	0.0%	28	0.0%	26	0.0%	23	0.0%	20	0.0%
Other tools, instruments, equipment, unspecified, NEC	873	0.9%	824	0.8%	895	0.9%	973	1.0%	1,039	1.1%	1,076	1.2%	1,111	1.2%	1,209	1.3%
Subtotal	6,366	6.6%	6,493	6.4%	6,741	6.5%	6,395	6.5%	6,509	6.8%	6,362	6.8%	6,251	6.9%	6,187	6.9%
Subtotal	6,366	6.6%	6,493	6.4%	6,741	6.5%	6,395	6.5%	6,509	6.8%	6,362	6.8%	6,251	6.9%	6,187	6.9%

Source of Injury or disease	Year of injury or disease															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
Machinery																
Metal woodworking and plastic, rubber concrete and other processing	2,364	2.4%	2,301	2.3%	2,204	2.1%	1,766	1.8%	1,664	1.7%	1,543	1.7%	1,478	1.6%	1,376	1.5%
Special process machinery (including food slicers, paper, printing, wrapping, sewing, pumps)	1,246	1.3%	1,317	1.3%	1,324	1.3%	1,186	1.2%	1,159	1.2%	1,121	1.2%	1,010	1.1%	961	1.1%
Heating, cooling and cleaning machinery	860	0.9%	854	0.8%	854	0.8%	853	0.9%	864	0.9%	803	0.9%	870	1.0%	870	1.0%
Miscellaneous machinery (including audio, video, televisions, telephones, snowblowers)	951	1.0%	998	1.0%	909	0.9%	1,016	1.0%	947	1.0%	750	0.8%	735	0.8%	741	0.8%
Agricultural, construction, logging and mining	425	0.4%	435	0.4%	387	0.4%	422	0.4%	424	0.4%	385	0.4%	396	0.4%	359	0.4%
Cranes, derricks, elevators, jacks and overhead hoists (excludes hoisting accessories)	407	0.4%	425	0.4%	466	0.4%	466	0.5%	459	0.5%	438	0.5%	367	0.4%	398	0.4%
Conveyors	431	0.4%	472	0.5%	475	0.5%	445	0.5%	457	0.5%	362	0.4%	366	0.4%	301	0.3%
Office and business machines	190	0.2%	173	0.2%	183	0.2%	168	0.2%	194	0.2%	180	0.2%	199	0.2%	191	0.2%
Machinery, unspecified, NEC	637	0.7%	696	0.7%	762	0.7%	562	0.6%	547	0.6%	482	0.5%	458	0.5%	464	0.5%
Subtotal	7,511	7.7%	7,671	7.6%	7,564	7.3%	6,884	7.0%	6,715	7.0%	6,064	6.5%	5,879	6.5%	5,661	6.3%
Furniture and fixtures	3,321	3.4%	3,356	3.3%	3,693	3.5%	3,312	3.4%	3,418	3.6%	3,369	3.6%	3,234	3.6%	3,204	3.6%
Scrap, waste, debris	2,410	2.5%	2,217	2.2%	2,264	2.2%	2,186	2.2%	1,823	1.9%	1,726	1.9%	1,725	1.9%	1,654	1.8%
Chemicals and chemical products	1,330	1.4%	1,320	1.3%	1,561	1.5%	1,346	1.4%	1,387	1.5%	1,267	1.4%	1,311	1.5%	1,314	1.5%
Infectious and parasitic agents	143	0.1%	153	0.2%	175	0.2%	156	0.2%	653	0.7%	604	0.6%	376	0.4%	450	0.5%
Food products	777	0.8%	859	0.9%	940	0.9%	856	0.9%	857	0.9%	791	0.8%	734	0.8%	699	0.8%
Steam, vapour, liquids, NEC	506	0.5%	500	0.5%	474	0.5%	501	0.5%	454	0.5%	390	0.4%	426	0.5%	427	0.5%
Animals and animal products	344	0.4%	338	0.3%	364	0.3%	330	0.3%	405	0.4%	392	0.4%	415	0.5%	391	0.4%
Plants, trees, vegetation	482	0.5%	438	0.4%	380	0.4%	399	0.4%	361	0.4%	347	0.4%	327	0.4%	332	0.4%
Minerals, metallic and non-metallic	289	0.3%	308	0.3%	313	0.3%	317	0.3%	322	0.3%	285	0.3%	354	0.4%	290	0.3%
Apparel and textiles	218	0.2%	181	0.2%	212	0.2%	198	0.2%	273	0.3%	258	0.3%	252	0.3%	238	0.3%
Paper, books and magazines	194	0.2%	185	0.2%	194	0.2%	177	0.2%	224	0.2%	202	0.2%	204	0.2%	192	0.2%
Fire, flame and smoke	286	0.3%	267	0.3%	294	0.3%	248	0.3%	230	0.2%	236	0.3%	223	0.2%	206	0.2%
Atmospheric and environmental conditions (including weather)	66	0.1%	95	0.1%	68	0.1%	99	0.1%	60	0.1%	109	0.1%	84	0.1%	137	0.2%
Temperature extremes (heat, cold) environmental	27	0.0%	44	0.0%	22	0.0%	88	0.1%	109	0.1%	63	0.1%	59	0.1%	141	0.2%
Noise	42	0.0%	50	0.0%	35	0.0%	36	0.0%	36	0.0%	34	0.0%	31	0.0%	25	0.0%
Air pressure	9	0.0%	10	0.0%	14	0.0%	16	0.0%	11	0.0%	6	0.0%	10	0.0%	11	0.0%
Other sources, unclassified, NEC	2,818	2.9%	2,947	2.9%	2,636	2.5%	2,745	2.8%	2,357	2.5%	2,109	2.3%	2,186	2.4%	2,180	2.4%
Unknown	3,054	3.1%	3,720	3.7%	2,137	2.1%	931	0.9%	901	0.9%	783	0.8%	644	0.7%	550	0.6%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%

**TABLE 12: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY OCCUPATION (1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by worker's occupation for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

Occupation	Year of injury or illness																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Transport, equipment operators and related	28,774	29.6%	29,490	29.3%	29,960	28.8%	28,710	29.2%	27,669	29.0%	27,031	29.0%	26,210	29.0%	25,781	28.7%	23,912	28.7%	23,501	29.1%
Sales and service	21,702	22.3%	22,450	22.3%	24,009	23.1%	23,428	23.8%	23,347	24.4%	23,035	24.7%	22,789	25.2%	22,874	25.5%	22,018	26.5%	21,296	26.3%
Processing and manufacturing machine operators and assemblers	12,216	12.6%	12,998	12.9%	13,378	12.8%	11,687	11.9%	10,872	11.4%	10,470	11.2%	10,128	11.2%	9,834	11.0%	8,748	10.5%	7,316	9.0%
Health services	5,545	5.7%	5,407	5.4%	5,593	5.4%	5,511	5.6%	6,015	6.3%	6,161	6.6%	6,015	6.7%	6,117	6.8%	6,379	7.7%	6,695	8.3%
Clerical occupations	5,498	5.7%	6,134	6.1%	6,257	6.0%	5,767	5.9%	5,764	6.0%	5,713	6.1%	5,381	6.0%	5,699	6.4%	5,463	6.6%	5,648	7.0%
Labourers in processing, manufacturing and utilities	9,313	9.6%	9,990	9.9%	10,305	9.9%	9,269	9.4%	7,848	8.2%	7,473	8.0%	7,189	8.0%	6,810	7.6%	5,305	6.4%	4,927	6.1%
Social science, education, government services and religion	2,471	2.5%	2,512	2.5%	2,588	2.5%	2,794	2.8%	2,865	3.0%	2,978	3.2%	2,921	3.2%	3,237	3.6%	3,061	3.7%	3,116	3.9%
Managerial, administrative and related (including legislators and senior government officials)	1,341	1.4%	1,363	1.4%	1,369	1.3%	1,341	1.4%	1,362	1.4%	1,375	1.5%	1,444	1.6%	1,570	1.7%	1,489	1.8%	1,580	2.0%
Contractors, agriculture, horticulture and aquaculture	1,528	1.6%	1,473	1.5%	1,477	1.4%	1,456	1.5%	1,525	1.6%	1,475	1.6%	1,482	1.6%	1,496	1.7%	1,302	1.6%	1,212	1.5%
Natural and applied sciences	1,213	1.2%	1,250	1.2%	1,269	1.2%	1,098	1.1%	1,249	1.3%	1,204	1.3%	1,242	1.4%	1,261	1.4%	1,170	1.4%	1,171	1.4%
Skilled administrative and business occupations	662	0.7%	682	0.7%	723	0.7%	735	0.7%	668	0.7%	820	0.9%	781	0.9%	734	0.8%	741	0.9%	762	0.9%
Art, culture, recreation and sport	466	0.5%	525	0.5%	463	0.4%	444	0.5%	458	0.5%	418	0.4%	414	0.5%	433	0.5%	469	0.6%	431	0.5%
Processing, manufacturing and utilities, supervisors and skilled operators	423	0.4%	427	0.4%	463	0.4%	434	0.4%	470	0.5%	468	0.5%	440	0.5%	407	0.5%	406	0.5%	344	0.4%
Mining, oil and gas	267	0.3%	243	0.2%	216	0.2%	185	0.2%	186	0.2%	179	0.2%	189	0.2%	167	0.2%	166	0.2%	170	0.2%
Business and finance	100	0.1%	106	0.1%	109	0.1%	117	0.1%	125	0.1%	130	0.1%	122	0.1%	151	0.2%	145	0.2%	132	0.2%
Logging and forestry	281	0.3%	262	0.3%	262	0.3%	237	0.2%	221	0.2%	177	0.2%	205	0.2%	186	0.2%	151	0.2%	97	0.1%
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	16	0.0%	22	0.0%	14	0.0%	13	0.0%	12	0.0%	17	0.0%	15	0.0%	14	0.0%	7	0.0%	11	0.0%
Occupation not stated	5,374	5.5%	5,392	5.4%	5,699	5.5%	5,133	5.2%	4,912	5.1%	4,110	4.4%	3,430	3.8%	2,963	3.3%	2,247	2.7%	2,454	3.0%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%

**TABLE 13: LOST TIME CLAIMS
BY STANDARD INDUSTRIAL
CLASSIFICATION (SIC)
(1998 – 2007)**

This table shows allowed lost time claims by the industry in which the worker was employed, based on the 1980 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC), for each year as at March 31 of the following year. Because these numbers are based on a different classification standard, they cannot be compared to the numbers in Table 7. Schedule 2 employers, for whom SIC codes are unavailable, are included in the “unclassified and unidentified” category.

Occupation	Year of injury or illness															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
Manufacturing	30,653	31.5%	32,383	32.1%	33,295	32.0%	29,728	30.2%	27,060	28.3%	25,360	27.2%	23,455	25.9%	22,614	25.2%
Retail trade	10,759	11.1%	10,932	10.9%	11,554	11.1%	11,340	11.5%	11,160	11.7%	11,118	11.9%	10,722	11.9%	10,587	11.8%
Health and social services	7,308	7.5%	7,090	7.0%	7,840	7.5%	7,742	7.9%	8,502	8.9%	9,013	9.7%	8,803	9.7%	8,826	9.8%
Wholesale trade	8,062	8.3%	8,700	8.6%	8,809	8.5%	8,440	8.6%	8,224	8.6%	8,248	8.8%	7,699	8.5%	7,559	8.4%
Transportation, communication and other utilities	6,810	7.0%	7,070	7.0%	7,061	6.8%	6,265	6.4%	6,307	6.6%	5,891	6.3%	5,840	6.5%	5,922	6.6%
Construction	5,526	5.7%	5,610	5.6%	6,198	6.0%	6,391	6.5%	6,187	6.5%	6,169	6.6%	6,513	7.2%	6,237	7.0%
Accommodation, food and beverage services	6,264	6.4%	6,478	6.4%	7,237	6.9%	6,804	6.9%	6,708	7.0%	5,871	6.3%	5,656	6.3%	5,547	6.2%
Government	7,398	7.6%	5,613	5.6%	5,403	5.2%	4,907	5.0%	4,866	5.1%	5,013	5.4%	4,805	5.3%	4,919	5.5%
Business	3,748	3.9%	3,795	3.8%	3,813	3.7%	3,332	3.4%	3,554	3.7%	3,507	3.8%	3,812	4.2%	3,877	4.3%
Other services	1,991	2.0%	2,150	2.1%	2,322	2.2%	2,454	2.5%	2,425	2.5%	2,363	2.5%	2,468	2.7%	2,523	2.8%
Education	3,133	3.2%	2,739	2.7%	2,356	2.3%	1,950	2.0%	1,866	2.0%	1,884	2.0%	1,777	2.0%	1,941	2.2%
Agriculture	1,148	1.2%	1,059	1.1%	1,052	1.0%	1,121	1.1%	1,174	1.2%	1,088	1.2%	1,022	1.1%	1,061	1.2%
Finance, insurance and real estate	596	0.6%	601	0.6%	573	0.6%	543	0.6%	528	0.6%	559	0.6%	514	0.6%	526	0.6%
Mining (including milling, quarrying, oil well)	457	0.5%	442	0.4%	425	0.4%	404	0.4%	370	0.4%	367	0.4%	388	0.4%	316	0.4%
Personal and household services	915	0.9%	901	0.9%	526	0.5%	508	0.5%	432	0.5%	412	0.4%	430	0.5%	431	0.5%
Logging and forestry	272	0.3%	305	0.3%	280	0.3%	249	0.3%	266	0.3%	233	0.2%	252	0.3%	196	0.2%
Membership organizations	132	0.1%	128	0.1%	153	0.1%	140	0.1%	155	0.2%	125	0.1%	112	0.1%	110	0.1%
Fishing and trapping	19	0.0%	33	0.0%	20	0.0%	12	0.0%	17	0.0%	15	0.0%	17	0.0%	17	0.0%
Unclassified and unidentified	1,999	2.1%	4,697	4.7%	5,237	5.0%	6,029	6.1%	5,767	6.0%	5,998	6.4%	6,112	6.8%	6,525	7.3%
Total	97,190	100%	100,726	100%	104,154	100%	98,359	100%	95,568	100%	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%

FATALITY CLAIMS: TABLES 14 – 15

These tables show claims for fatalities. They show numbers based on the year in which claims were registered and the year in which claims were allowed. These tables do not indicate the year in which the fatalities occurred.

Fatality claims are divided into the following mutually exclusive categories:

- Fatalities due to disease
- Fatalities due to traumatic injuries (an injury at work resulted in the worker's death)
- Fatalities that occurred while the person was receiving a pre-1990, 100% permanent disability pension from the WSIB.

Note: In some tables, percentages may not add up to 100%. This is due to rounding.

**TABLE 14: FATALITY CLAIMS
BY YEAR OF REGISTRATION
(1998 – 2007)**

This table shows fatality claims registered in each year.

	Year Registered																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Diseases	218	55%	239	58%	285	62%	262	58%	387	65%	352	64%	381	67%	397	70%	367	70%	375	67%
Traumatic injuries	114	29%	105	26%	125	27%	136	30%	136	23%	140	26%	126	22%	104	18%	108	21%	111	20%
Pre-1990 100% permanent disability pensions	66	17%	65	16%	51	11%	55	12%	73	12%	56	10%	65	11%	63	11%	53	10%	71	13%
Total	398	100%	409	100%	461	100%	453	100%	596	100%	548	100%	572	100%	564	100%	528	100%	557	100%

Registered fatality claims



2007 registered fatality claims by category

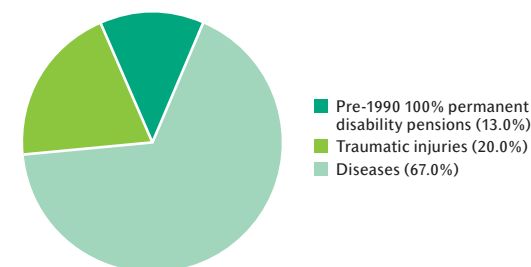
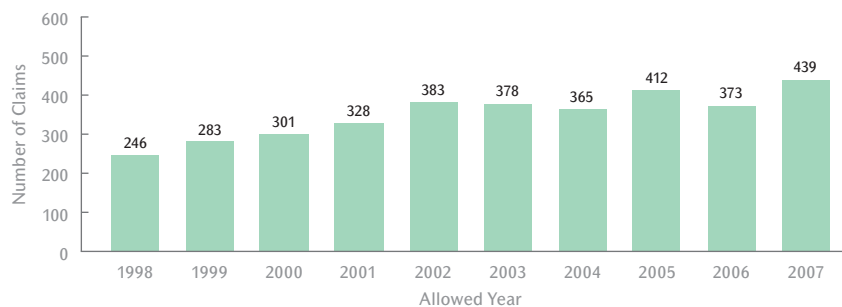


TABLE 15: OCCUPATIONAL FATALITY CLAIMS BY YEAR ALLOWED (1998 – 2007)

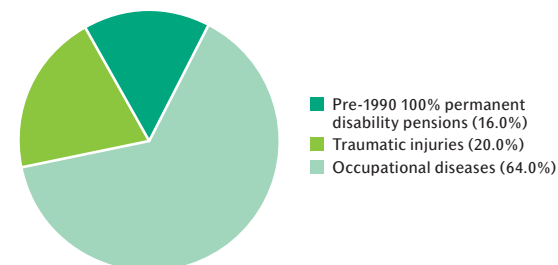
This table shows occupational fatality claims allowed in each year.

	Year allowed																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Occupational diseases	91	37%	134	47%	143	48%	166	51%	205	54%	202	53%	196	54%	259	63%	230	62%	279	64%
Traumatic injuries	88	36%	85	30%	107	36%	105	32%	110	29%	119	31%	104	28%	90	22%	93	25%	87	20%
Pre-1990 100% permanent disability pensions	67	27%	64	23%	51	17%	57	17%	68	18%	57	15%	65	18%	63	15%	50	13%	73	17%
Total	246	100%	283	100%	301	100%	328	100%	383	100%	378	100%	365	100%	412	100%	373	100%	439	100%

Allowed occupational fatality claims



2007 allowed occupational fatality claims by category



AVERAGE DURATION OF WAGE LOSS BENEFITS: TABLE 16

This table shows the average duration of Loss of Earnings (LOE) benefits (1998 to 2007). The average only includes days for which wage loss benefits were paid in the first 12 weeks after injury or illness.

The average number of days for which wage loss benefits were paid is shown by year of injury or illness. Numbers are as at March 31 of the following year.

TABLE 16: AVERAGE DURATION OF WAGE LOSS BENEFITS BY YEAR OF INJURY OR ILLNESS (1998 – 2007)

This table shows the average duration of Loss of Earnings (LOE) benefits (1998 to 2007). The average only includes days for which wage loss benefits were paid in the first 12 weeks after injury or illness.

	Year of injury or illness									
	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Benefit days	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.3	14.2	13.8	13.8	13.5	14.0

Average duration of wage loss benefits



FUTURE ECONOMIC LOSS (FEL) AWARDS: TABLE 17

This table shows active Future Economic Loss (FEL) awards by percentage of wage loss, and active supplements. Benefits for FEL are awarded under Section 43 of the *Workers' Compensation Act*. These benefits relate to injuries and illnesses that occurred between January 2, 1990 and December 31, 1997. Workers who receive short-term benefits for 12 months and workers who are permanently impaired are entitled to FEL benefits.

FEL benefits are based on 90% of the difference between the worker's net average pre-injury-or-illness earnings and the net average earnings that the worker is earning, or is considered likely to be able to earn in the future. Workers who are co-operating in Early and Safe Return to Work (ESRTW) or Labour Market Re-entry (LMR) activities, or in medical rehabilitation programs, are also entitled to FEL supplements.

Note: In some tables, percentages may not add up to 100%. This is due to rounding.

TABLE 17: ACTIVE FUTURE ECONOMIC LOSS (FEL) AWARDS BY PERCENTAGE OF WAGE LOSS AND ACTIVE SUPPLEMENTS (1998 – 2007)

This table shows Future Economic Loss (FEL) awards active at the end of each year by percentage of wage loss, and supplements active at the end of each year.

FEL Awards																				
Percentage of wage loss	Year																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
0.01 – 9.99%	1,959	6.7%	1,690	6.0%	1,520	5.5%	1,335	4.9%	1,174	4.4%	958	3.7%	837	3.3%	732	3.0%	701	2.9%	668	2.8%
10.00 – 19.99%	4,532	15.5%	4,466	15.9%	4,537	16.3%	4,492	16.5%	4,334	16.3%	4,144	16.1%	4,068	16.1%	3,766	15.2%	3,689	15.3%	3,610	15.4%
20.00 – 29.99%	5,558	19.0%	5,395	19.2%	5,276	19.0%	5,179	19.0%	5,041	18.9%	4,896	19.0%	4,802	19.0%	4,498	18.2%	4,398	18.3%	4,293	18.3%
30.00 – 39.99%	5,439	18.6%	5,147	18.3%	4,964	17.9%	4,769	17.5%	4,653	17.4%	4,529	17.6%	4,390	17.4%	4,211	17.0%	4,071	16.9%	3,922	16.7%
40.00 – 49.99%	4,144	14.1%	3,787	13.4%	3,607	13.0%	3,424	12.6%	3,302	12.4%	3,147	12.2%	3,038	12.0%	3,108	12.5%	2,998	12.5%	2,848	12.1%
50.00 – 99.99%	2,796	9.5%	2,604	9.2%	2,449	8.8%	2,296	8.4%	2,214	8.3%	2,064	8.0%	1,976	7.8%	2,386	9.6%	2,191	9.1%	2,081	8.9%
100%	4,872	16.6%	5,077	18.0%	5,408	19.5%	5,753	21.1%	5,949	22.3%	6,016	23.4%	6,106	24.2%	6,068	24.5%	6,020	25.0%	6,038	25.7%
Total	29,300	100%	28,166	100%	27,761	100%	27,248	100%	26,667	100%	25,754	100%	25,217	100%	24,769	100%	24,068	100%	23,460	100%

	Supplements																			
	Year																			
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%
Total	4,274	100%	2,959	100%	2,254	100%	1,768	100%	1,312	100%	932	100%	682	100%	465	100%	377	100%	326	100%

NON-ECONOMIC LOSS (NEL) AWARDS: TABLE 18

This table shows the number of Non-Economic Loss (NEL) awards by percentage of permanent impairment. Benefits for non-economic loss are paid under Section 42 of the *Workers' Compensation Act* and Section 46 of the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act*. NEL benefits relate to injuries and illnesses that occurred after January 1, 1990. Workers who suffer permanent impairment due to workplace injuries or illnesses are entitled to NEL benefits.

Workers are eligible for NEL benefits if they reach maximum medical rehabilitation and permanent impairment is considered likely. A worker reaches maximum medical rehabilitation when there is unlikely to be any further significant improvement in his or her medical condition. A medical assessment is then conducted to determine the level of impairment, which is expressed as a percentage. To determine the amount of the NEL benefit, the percentage is then multiplied by a number that varies according to the year of the injury and the worker's age.

The first NEL benefits were paid in April 1992.

Note: In some tables, the percentages may not add up to 100%. This is due to rounding.

TABLE 18: NON-ECONOMIC LOSS (NEL) AWARDS BY PERCENTAGE OF PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT (1998 – 2007)

This table shows the number of Non-Economic Loss (NEL) awards made during each year by percentage of permanent impairment.

Percentage of permanent impairment	NEL Awards																			
	Year of award																			
	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2006		2007	
	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%	Number of NEL awards	%
0.01 – 5.00%	2,611	25.4%	2,320	23.5%	2,855	26.5%	2,616	23.3%	3,328	20.7%	3,304	21.2%	2,987	21.1%	2,890	20.9%	2,862	20.7%	2,824	20.5%
5.01 – 10.00%	2,359	23.0%	2,391	24.3%	2,651	24.6%	2,702	24.1%	3,842	23.9%	3,705	23.8%	3,528	25.0%	3,454	25.0%	3,417	24.8%	3,383	24.6%
10.01 – 15.00%	1,817	17.7%	1,780	18.1%	1,832	17.0%	2,206	19.6%	3,259	20.3%	3,122	20.1%	2,782	19.7%	2,774	20.1%	2,752	19.9%	2,712	19.7%
15.01 – 20.00%	1,332	13.0%	1,268	12.9%	1,281	11.9%	1,421	12.7%	2,077	12.9%	2,128	13.7%	1,776	12.6%	1,752	12.7%	1,750	12.7%	1,747	12.7%
20.01 – 25.00%	981	9.6%	965	9.8%	932	8.7%	982	8.7%	1,503	9.4%	1,437	9.2%	1,298	9.2%	1,276	9.2%	1,266	9.2%	1,248	9.1%
25.01 – 30.00%	551	5.4%	504	5.1%	533	4.9%	547	4.9%	870	5.4%	851	5.5%	720	5.1%	751	5.4%	745	5.4%	763	5.5%
30.01 – 40.00%	344	3.4%	363	3.7%	380	3.5%	393	3.5%	678	4.2%	567	3.6%	583	4.1%	445	3.2%	479	3.5%	520	3.8%
40.01 – 60.00%	147	1.4%	160	1.6%	151	1.4%	163	1.5%	262	1.6%	219	1.4%	250	1.8%	219	1.6%	244	1.8%	280	2.0%
60.01 – 99.99%	53	0.5%	44	0.4%	58	0.5%	83	0.7%	82	0.5%	86	0.6%	78	0.6%	115	0.8%	126	0.9%	139	1.0%
100%	71	0.7%	63	0.6%	99	0.9%	116	1.0%	153	1.0%	139	0.9%	134	0.9%	158	1.1%	161	1.2%	160	1.2%
Total	10,266	100%	9,858	100%	10,772	100%	11,229	100%	16,054	100%	15,558	100%	14,136	100%	13,834	100%	13,802	100%	13,776	100%

PERIODIC PENSIONS AND SUPPLEMENTS: TABLE 19 – 20

Pensions and supplements are payable to injured workers who have a permanent impairment resulting from an injury that occurred prior to January 2, 1990. They are paid under the *Workers' Compensation Act*. These tables show pension awards and active pensions by percentage of permanent disability; and supplement awards and active supplements. Supplementary payments shown are broken down as follows:

- Section 147(4): supplements awarded to workers who are not likely to benefit from a Labour Market Re-entry (LMR) plan; or whose earning capacity has not increased sufficiently after an LMR program. The supplement is paid until the worker is eligible for Canada Pension Plan benefits.
- Section 147(2): supplements awarded to workers who are likely to benefit from an LMR plan (which would enable them to approximate their pre-injury-or-illness earnings).
- Section 147(14): additional payments awarded to workers who have been awarded a supplement under Section 147(4); or who would have been receiving the supplement had they not become eligible for Canada Pension Plan benefits.

Figures exclude lump sum awards and reassessments. These tables do not indicate the number of workers receiving pensions and/or supplements because pensioners can receive more than one award, or have more than one pension active, in a single year.

Note: In some tables, percentages may not add up to 100%. This is due to rounding.

TABLE 19: PERIODIC PENSIONS AWARDED BY PERCENTAGE OF PERMANENT DISABILITY AND SUPPLEMENTS AWARDED (1998 – 2007)

This table shows the number of periodic pensions awarded in each year by percentage of permanent disability. It also shows supplements awarded by year.

Life and provisional periodic pension awards

Percentage of disability	Year of award															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
10.0% or less	421	63%	386	62%	306	58%	260	55%	232	55%	232	57%	161	61%	146	53%
10.1 – 20.0%	192	29%	174	28%	158	30%	163	34%	132	31%	135	33%	70	27%	88	32%
20.1 – 50.0%	46	7%	49	8%	57	11%	47	10%	54	13%	33	8%	30	11%	33	12%
50.1 – 99.9%	4	1%	3	0%	5	1%	3	1%	2	0%	2	0%	3	1%	2	1%
100%	1	0%	6	1%	3	1%	1	0%	2	0%	2	1%	0	0%	4	1%
Total	664	100%	618	100%	529	100%	474	100%	422	100%	404	100%	264	100%	273	100%

Supplements

	Year of award															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
Section 147(4)	849	42%	573	42%	567	42%	467	42%	468	42%	428	43%	354	43%	312	45%
Section 147(2)	156	8%	106	8%	111	8%	100	9%	94	9%	79	8%	67	8%	45	6%
Section 147(14)	1,019	50%	699	51%	667	50%	547	49%	542	49%	489	49%	404	49%	343	49%
Total	2,024	100%	1,378	100%	1,345	100%	1,114	100%	1,104	100%	996	100%	825	100%	700	100%

TABLE 20: ACTIVE PERIODIC PENSIONS BY PERCENTAGE OF PERMANENT DISABILITY AND ACTIVE SUPPLEMENTS (1998 – 2007)

This table shows the number of periodic pension awards active at the end of each year by percentage of permanent disability. It also shows active supplements by year.

Life and provisional periodic pension awards

Percentage of disability	Year															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
10.0% or less	68,227	42%	66,623	42%	64,715	41%	63,343	41%	61,634	41%	59,919	40%	58,294	40%	56,478	40%
10.1 – 20.0%	63,889	39%	62,863	39%	61,461	39%	60,486	39%	59,345	39%	58,092	39%	56,764	39%	55,351	39%
20.1 – 30.0%	17,945	11%	17,846	11%	17,797	11%	17,824	12%	17,753	12%	17,663	12%	17,520	12%	17,377	12%
30.1 – 50.0%	8,237	5%	8,267	5%	8,261	5%	8,282	5%	8,312	6%	8,258	6%	8,197	6%	8,106	6%
50.1% or more	4,702	3%	4,662	3%	4,622	3%	4,593	3%	4,519	3%	4,479	3%	4,413	3%	4,353	3%
Total	163,000	100%	160,261	100%	156,856	100%	154,528	100%	151,563	100%	148,411	100%	145,188	100%	141,665	100%

Supplements

	Year															
	1998	%	1999	%	2000	%	2001	%	2002	%	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%
Section 147(4)	27,859	36%	26,218	35%	24,825	34%	23,182	33%	21,756	32%	20,050	30%	18,678	29%	17,711	29%
Section 147(2)	673	1%	410	1%	284	0%	248	0%	202	0%	140	0%	126	0%	97	0%
Section 147(14)	49,597	63%	49,020	65%	48,362	66%	47,777	67%	46,994	68%	45,818	69%	45,027	71%	44,406	71%
Total	78,129	100%	75,648	100%	73,471	100%	71,207	100%	68,952	100%	66,008	100%	63,831	100%	62,214	100%

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