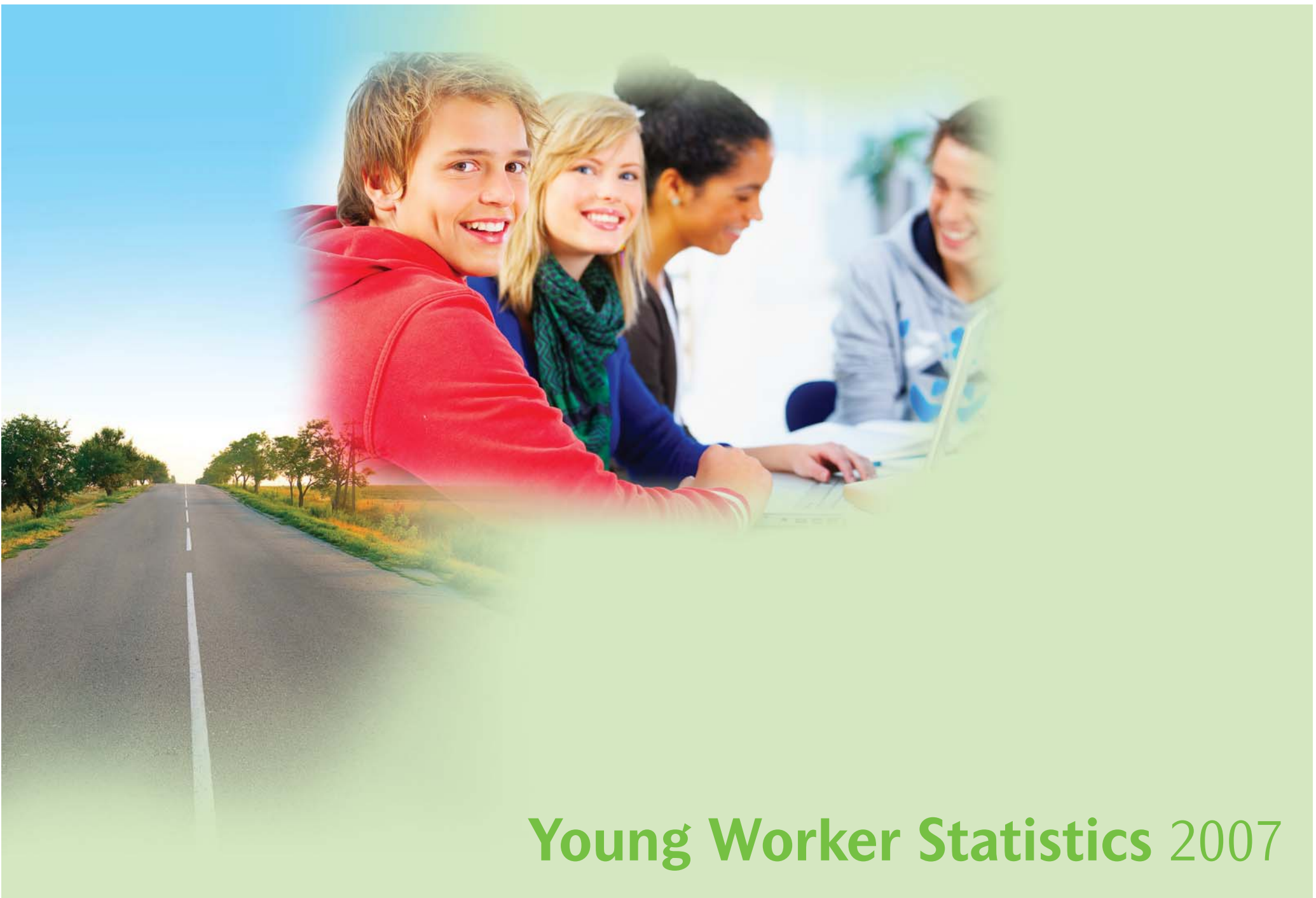




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INTRODUCTION

The young workers of today are the leaders of tomorrow. Focusing on young workers and making safety an integral part of young workers' lives is just one of the ways the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) is working to make Ontario's workplaces safer – now, and in the future. The WSIB is committed to preventing workplace injuries and illnesses, and plays a key role in the province's occupational health and safety system. By targeting young workers, the WSIB is helping to foster a workplace safety culture in Ontario workplaces.

Nine years ago, the WSIB started a public awareness campaign aimed at workers under the age of 25. Young workers often lack the experience to recognize and avoid workplace hazards. Promoting awareness of workplace safety and understanding of workplace rights and responsibilities among young workers is the first step towards preventing injuries, illnesses and fatalities on the job. Through partnerships with organizations throughout the province including the Ministry of Labour, and through its Prevention and Operations Divisions, the WSIB continues to implement effective solutions that will lead to the elimination of all workplace injuries and illnesses.

This is the fourth publication of the *Young Worker Statistics*. Allowed young worker claims information presents injuries, illnesses and fatalities covered by the WSIB of Ontario for this demographic over the five year period (2003 to 2007).

The numbers presented for each year include lost time and no lost time claims allowed as at March 31 of the following year, and match the numbers as reported in the *Statistical Supplement to the Annual Report 2007*. Two age groups (15-19 years and 20-24 years) are included for young workers under 25 years of age.

Traumatic fatalities reported in this document are allowed claims as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour. These particular numbers cannot be compared to the *Statistical Supplement* due to differences in the reporting criteria. For this harmonized data, allowed young worker fatalities include the "Youth (under 25)" category as reported on the official WSIB website.

ALLOWED CLAIMS PROFILES (2003 to 2007)

Tables 1 and 2

Table 1 presents the total number of allowed lost time and no lost time claims as reported in the *Statistical Supplement to the Annual Report 2007*. The total number of allowed lost time claims for young workers include the “15-19 years” and “20-24 years” age categories. The total number of allowed lost time claims for workers of other ages has been consolidated and reported as “Other years.”

Overall, young workers 15-24 years of age accounted for approximately 17% of Ontario’s allowed lost time and no lost time claims covered by the WSIB from 2003 to 2007. During this five year period, young worker lost time claims totalled 61,424 representing 14% of all allowed lost time claims, and young worker no lost time claims totalled 169,229 representing 19% of all allowed no lost time claims.

Table 2 presents the total number of allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour. Young workers include the “Youth (under 25)” age category as reported.

Deaths investigated by the Ministry of Labour include deaths of workers from traumatic injuries and other immediate causes. The Ministry of Labour does not investigate deaths due to traffic accidents, or deaths of workers not covered by the *Occupational Health and Safety Act*. Deaths reported by the WSIB include deaths of workers from traumatic injuries or other immediate causes whose employers have coverage under the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act (WSIA)*.

From 2003 to 2007, there were 43 traumatic fatalities for young workers under 25 years of age. This represented approximately 9% of Ontario’s traumatic fatalities covered by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

TABLE 1: Injury and illness claims by claim type and age group (2003 to 2007)

Claim type and age group	Year of injury or illness										Total	
	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%	All	%
Allowed lost time												
15-24 years	13,558	14.5%	13,354	14.8%	12,623	14.1%	11,382	13.7%	10,507	13.0%	61,424	14.0%
Other age groups	79,676	85.5%	77,043	85.2%	77,111	85.9%	71,797	86.3%	70,356	87.0%	375,983	86.0%
Subtotal	93,234	100%	90,397	100%	89,734	100%	83,179	100%	80,863	100%	437,407	100%
Allowed no lost time												
15-24 years	33,731	18.5%	35,585	19.3%	35,383	18.9%	33,091	18.6%	31,439	18.3%	169,229	18.7%
Other age groups	149,049	81.5%	148,852	80.7%	152,287	81.1%	144,490	81.4%	140,683	81.7%	735,361	81.3%
Subtotal	182,780	100%	184,437	100%	187,670	100%	177,581	100%	172,122	100%	904,590	100%
Allowed lost time and no lost time												
15-24 years	47,289	17.1%	48,939	17.8%	48,006	17.3%	44,473	17.1%	41,946	16.6%	230,653	17.2%
Other age groups	228,725	82.9%	225,895	82.2%	229,398	82.7%	216,287	82.9%	211,039	83.4%	1,111,344	82.8%
Total	276,014	100%	274,834	100%	277,404	100%	260,760	100%	252,985	100%	1,341,997	100%

This table shows allowed lost time and no lost time claims by age group for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

TABLE 2: Traumatic fatality claims by age group (2003 to 2007)

Claim type and age group	Year of traumatic accident										Total	
	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%	All	%
Allowed traumatic deaths												
Under 25 years	10	8.2%	7	7.0%	8	9.5%	10	9.9%	8	8.0%	43	8.5%
Other age groups	112	91.8%	93	93.0%	76	90.5%	91	90.1%	92	92.0%	464	91.5%
Total	122	100%	100	100%	84	100%	101	100%	100	100%	507	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

YOUNG WORKER LOST TIME CLAIMS PROFILES (2003 to 2007)

Tables 3 to 13

Tables 3 to 13 present detailed claims profiles for allowed lost time claims for young workers 15-24 years of age. Claims by workers who have lost wages as a result of a temporary or permanent impairment are lost time claims.

Summary

During the years 2003 to 2007:

- Young workers sustained 61,424 allowed lost time claims with workers 15-19 years of age accounting for 30% (18,130) and workers 20-24 years of age accounting for 70% (43,294).
- The industry sectors with the highest number of allowed lost time claims were Services and Manufacturing.
- The most common work-related injuries included Sprains and Strains, Cuts/Lacerations/Punctures, and Bruises/Contusions.
- The Finger(s)/Fingernail(s) and Lower Back were the parts of body most frequently affected.
- The majority of allowed lost time claims occurred when young workers were Struck by Objects and Equipment, or due to Overexertion.
- Containers/Boxes/Barrels/Packages, Persons, and Structures were the most frequent sources of injury.
- Young workers employed in occupations such as Sales and Service, Transport/Equipment Operators, and Labourers in Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities had the highest number of allowed lost time claims.

TABLE 3: Young worker lost time claims by age group (2003 to 2007)

Age group	Year of injury or illness										Total	
	2003	%	2004	%	2005	%	2006	%	2007	%	All	%
15-19 years	4,100	30.2%	3,897	29.2%	3,605	28.6%	3,411	30.0%	3,117	29.7%	18,130	29.5%
20-24 years	9,458	69.8%	9,457	70.8%	9,018	71.4%	7,971	70.0%	7,390	70.3%	43,294	70.5%
Total	13,558	100%	13,354	100%	12,623	100%	11,382	100%	10,507	100%	61,424	100%

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

TABLE 4: Young worker lost time claims by gender (2003 to 2007)

Gender	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Male	2,777	6,707	2,639	6,694	2,442	6,330	2,304	5,503	2,108	5,152	12,270	67.7%	30,386	70.2%	42,656	69.4%
Female	1,323	2,751	1,258	2,763	1,163	2,688	1,107	2,468	1,009	2,238	5,860	32.3%	12,908	29.8%	18,768	30.6%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

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

TABLE 5: Young worker lost time claims by business size (2003 to 2007)

Business Size	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	925	1,963	826	1,970	808	1,914	700	1,591	657	1,529	3,916	21.6%	8,967	20.7%	12,883	21.0%
Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	3,175	7,495	3,071	7,487	2,797	7,104	2,711	6,380	2,460	5,861	14,214	78.4%	34,327	79.3%	48,541	79.0%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

This table shows allowed lost time claims by 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).

TABLE 6: Young worker lost time claims by industry sector (2003 to 2007)

Industry sector	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Services	2,440	3,644	2,341	3,687	2,155	3,569	2,129	3,227	1,920	3,082	10,985	60.6%	17,209	39.7%	28,194	45.9%
Manufacturing	472	1,722	380	1,588	405	1,476	351	1,226	271	1,025	1,879	10.4%	7,037	16.3%	8,916	14.5%
Construction	239	760	282	873	242	859	204	768	202	771	1,169	6.4%	4,031	9.3%	5,200	8.5%
Transportation	220	735	237	764	191	669	173	605	167	601	988	5.4%	3,374	7.8%	4,362	7.1%
Schedule 2	151	587	133	564	143	607	140	577	137	530	704	3.9%	2,865	6.6%	3,569	5.8%
Health Care	51	467	56	494	44	476	29	427	47	434	227	1.3%	2,298	5.3%	2,525	4.1%
Agriculture	135	302	124	306	119	281	102	240	91	219	571	3.1%	1,348	3.1%	1,919	3.1%
Automotive	60	348	70	369	71	331	38	280	29	168	268	1.5%	1,496	3.5%	1,764	2.9%
Food	108	350	86	269	73	267	59	220	66	228	392	2.2%	1,334	3.1%	1,726	2.8%
Chemical/Plastics, Process Services	51	193	34	160	27	140	23	111	29	95	164	0.9%	699	1.6%	863	1.4%
Education	83	50	58	44	44	42	95	51	79	32	359	2.0%	219	0.5%	578	0.9%
Forestry	31	97	40	121	30	89	22	53	20	41	143	0.8%	401	0.9%	544	0.9%
Municipal	36	57	20	71	37	70	25	74	28	50	146	0.8%	322	0.7%	468	0.8%
Primary Metals	8	48	8	41	11	58	7	35	8	30	42	0.2%	212	0.5%	254	0.4%
Electrical	7	49	9	40	6	37	6	39	4	34	32	0.2%	199	0.5%	231	0.4%
Mining & Aggregates	6	31	12	45	4	26	6	25	14	38	42	0.2%	165	0.4%	207	0.3%
Pulp & Paper	2	18	7	21	3	21	2	13	5	12	19	0.1%	85	0.2%	104	0.2%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

This table shows allowed lost time claims by industry sector for each year as at March 31 of the following year.
Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).
The WSIB's operations are organized into 17 industry sectors with Schedule 2 as a separate industry sector.

TABLE 7: Young worker lost time claims by nature of injury or disease (2003 to 2007)

Diagnosis/description of nature of injury or disease	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Sprains and strains	962	3,274	1,108	3,664	1,083	3,837	1,029	3,385	955	3,127	5,137	28.3%	17,287	39.9%	22,424	36.5%
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	874	1,201	818	1,313	789	1,232	711	1,038	686	941	3,878	21.4%	5,725	13.2%	9,603	15.6%
Bruises, contusions	533	1,159	534	1,263	541	1,227	493	1,156	453	1,085	2,554	14.1%	5,890	13.6%	8,444	13.7%
Fractures	241	562	246	549	212	556	222	456	218	472	1,139	6.3%	2,595	6.0%	3,734	6.1%
Burn or scald (heat)	266	235	252	268	268	247	274	226	193	189	1,253	6.9%	1,165	2.7%	2,418	3.9%
Abrasions, scratches and other superficial injuries	77	289	110	300	100	324	107	272	96	251	490	2.7%	1,436	3.3%	1,926	3.1%
Multiple traumatic injuries	75	220	102	259	92	253	79	269	61	198	409	2.3%	1,199	2.8%	1,608	2.6%
Traumatic injuries, disorders, complications, unspecified, NEC	324	644	148	336	13	51	15	28	16	30	516	2.8%	1,089	2.5%	1,605	2.6%
Tendonitis*	55	187	51	171	43	156	39	130	27	116	215	1.2%	760	1.8%	975	1.6%
Dislocations	47	106	45	112	41	90	48	104	28	100	209	1.2%	512	1.2%	721	1.2%
Soreness, pain, hurt, except the back	176	337	55	103	1	3	0	1	2	3	234	1.3%	447	1.0%	681	1.1%
Crushing injuries	38	73	19	55	43	105	56	97	60	120	216	1.2%	450	1.0%	666	1.1%
Intracranial injuries, excluding concussions	30	83	42	93	37	101	39	91	37	96	185	1.0%	464	1.1%	649	1.1%
Concussions	31	86	45	90	37	87	39	74	37	78	189	1.0%	415	1.0%	604	1.0%
Avulsions	54	70	51	71	42	77	56	59	38	57	241	1.3%	334	0.8%	575	0.9%
Back pain, hurt back	87	256	31	124	0	1	1	1	1	3	120	0.7%	385	0.9%	505	0.8%
Amputations or enucleations	44	66	31	56	32	54	38	54	24	44	169	0.9%	274	0.6%	443	0.7%
Poisonings, systemic	19	55	23	59	31	72	17	44	23	46	113	0.6%	276	0.6%	389	0.6%
Burns (chemical)	30	43	30	56	36	55	27	40	27	38	150	0.8%	232	0.5%	382	0.6%
Skin & subcutaneous tissue disorders, including dermatitis	17	46	14	36	29	51	25	52	18	39	103	0.6%	224	0.5%	327	0.5%

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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.

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).

Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

Diagnoses marked with an asterisk (*) include both traumatic and repetitive motion types of injuries and diseases.

NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

TABLE 7: Young worker lost time claims by nature of injury or disease (2003 to 2007)

Diagnosis/description of nature of injury or disease	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-16	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Hernia	17	55	9	48	7	51	5	41	10	42	48	0.3%	237	0.5%	285	0.5%
Signs and symptoms, including contacts / carriers of disease	15	54	14	37	9	30	4	34	11	32	53	0.3%	187	0.4%	240	0.4%
Welder's flash	7	17	9	35	12	38	10	27	6	21	44	0.2%	138	0.3%	182	0.3%
Intervertebral, herniated, slipped disc, including disc syndrome	2	17	5	36	7	37	5	29	7	32	26	0.1%	151	0.3%	177	0.3%
Carpal tunnel syndrome*	5	39	4	39	2	27	3	21	2	16	16	0.1%	142	0.3%	158	0.3%
Infectious and parasitic diseases	4	27	4	28	5	17	5	29	6	33	24	0.1%	134	0.3%	158	0.3%
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissue diseases and disorders, unspecified, NEC	12	24	10	36	4	25	2	12	3	18	31	0.2%	115	0.3%	146	0.2%
Burns, multiple, unspecified, NEC	8	24	14	14	17	19	5	6	25	14	69	0.4%	77	0.2%	146	0.2%
Conjunctivitis	5	26	10	13	10	14	5	12	6	18	36	0.2%	83	0.2%	119	0.2%
Disorders of the eye, adnexa, vision, unspecified, NEC	1	10	5	16	10	23	10	20	8	13	34	0.2%	82	0.2%	116	0.2%
Epicondylitis*	7	19	8	23	6	19	2	20	1	9	24	0.1%	90	0.2%	114	0.2%
Tenosynovitis*	3	17	8	22	6	18	3	16	5	7	25	0.1%	80	0.2%	105	0.2%
Electrocutions, electric shock	5	11	6	15	6	13	8	22	4	11	29	0.2%	72	0.2%	101	0.2%
Mental disorders or syndromes	3	19	2	16	2	17	2	17	6	15	15	0.1%	84	0.2%	99	0.2%
Rotator cuff tear or syndrome*	8	23	4	12	2	11	4	10	2	8	20	0.1%	64	0.1%	84	0.1%
Bursitis*	3	10	3	17	1	18	1	10	1	8	9	0.0%	63	0.1%	72	0.1%
Respiratory system diseases	2	14	2	5	2	9	4	10	4	16	14	0.1%	54	0.1%	68	0.1%
Burns (electrical)	7	9	8	13	2	7	5	6	2	8	24	0.1%	43	0.1%	67	0.1%
Heat & light effects, including heat stroke, fatigue and syncope	0	5	2	1	12	13	9	15	2	7	25	0.1%	41	0.1%	66	0.1%

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	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Sciatica	1	22	0	9	3	11	0	8	1	5	5	0.0%	55	0.1%	60	0.1%
Ganglion*	1	3	2	4	3	6	0	7	0	2	6	0.0%	22	0.1%	28	0.0%
Disorders of the ear, including deafness	0	2	4	6	0	4	2	0	1	4	7	0.0%	16	0.0%	23	0.0%
Facet syndrome	2	5	0	3	0	2	1	5	1	3	4	0.0%	18	0.0%	22	0.0%
Freezing effects, including frostbite	1	4	3	6	1	2	0	0	0	4	5	0.0%	16	0.0%	21	0.0%
Nervous system and sense organs diseases	1	2	1	3	1	1	0	2	1	2	4	0.0%	10	0.0%	14	0.0%
Circulatory system diseases	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	2	0.0%	4	0.0%	6	0.0%
Synovitis*	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	5	0.0%	5	0.0%
Diseases and disorders, multiple, unspecified, NEC	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.0%	4	0.0%	5	0.0%
Capsulitis*	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	1	0.0%	4	0.0%	5	0.0%
Genitourinary system diseases and disorders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	0.0%
Myositis*	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	0.0%
Air pressure effects, including other environmental conditions	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	1	0.0%
Unknown	0	3	4	16	2	4	1	9	2	6	9	0.0%	38	0.1%	47	0.1%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

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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.

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).

Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

Diagnoses marked with an asterisk (*) include both traumatic and repetitive motion types of injuries and diseases.

NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

TABLE 8: Young worker lost time claims by part of body affected (2003 to 2007)

Part of body affected	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Upper extremities																
Finger(s), fingernail(s)	958	1,352	836	1,329	766	1,216	730	1,006	629	964	3,919	21.6%	5,867	13.6%	9,786	15.9%
Hand(s), except finger(s)	446	637	391	628	365	616	341	526	285	462	1,828	10.1%	2,869	6.6%	4,697	7.6%
Arm(s)	216	399	194	407	181	384	150	305	155	301	896	4.9%	1,796	4.1%	2,692	4.4%
Wrist(s)	188	442	182	418	130	400	147	343	144	282	791	4.4%	1,885	4.4%	2,676	4.4%
Upper extremities, unspecified, NEC	44	92	58	119	77	109	64	136	75	134	318	1.8%	590	1.4%	908	1.5%
Subtotal	1,852	2,922	1,661	2,901	1,519	2,725	1,432	2,316	1,288	2,143	7,752	42.8%	13,007	30.0%	20,759	33.8%
Back (including spine, spinal cord, neck)																
Lower (lumbar sacral, coccygeal regions)	405	1,446	404	1,567	378	1,528	359	1,332	324	1,250	1,870	10.3%	7,123	16.5%	8,993	14.6%
Upper (cervical, thoracic regions)	123	413	110	425	134	439	97	362	100	340	564	3.1%	1,979	4.6%	2,543	4.1%
Multiple back regions	58	155	57	198	48	213	56	162	44	154	263	1.5%	882	2.0%	1,145	1.9%
Back, unspecified, NEC	87	279	62	169	22	105	27	78	21	73	219	1.2%	704	1.6%	923	1.5%
Subtotal	673	2,293	633	2,359	582	2,285	539	1,934	489	1,817	2,916	16.1%	10,688	24.7%	13,604	22.1%
Lower extremities																
Leg(s)	315	758	312	706	303	674	231	638	248	596	1,409	7.8%	3,372	7.8%	4,781	7.8%
Ankle(s)	230	582	245	571	199	606	222	516	174	475	1,070	5.9%	2,750	6.4%	3,820	6.2%
Foot(feet), except toe(s)	192	372	180	404	162	369	157	308	141	299	832	4.6%	1,752	4.0%	2,584	4.2%
Toe(s), toenail(s)	51	70	37	59	39	77	39	81	50	50	216	1.2%	337	0.8%	553	0.9%
Multiple lower extremities locations	23	52	33	76	29	72	37	73	36	67	158	0.9%	340	0.8%	498	0.8%
Lower extremities, unspecified, NEC	1	4	1	2	2	2	0	1	0	1	4	0.0%	10	0.0%	14	0.0%
Subtotal	812	1,838	808	1,818	734	1,800	686	1,617	649	1,488	3,689	20.3%	8,561	19.8%	12,250	19.9%

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This table shows allowed lost time claims by part of body affected for each year as at March 31 of the following year.
Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).
NEC stands for "not elsewhere classified."

TABLE 8: Young worker lost time claims by part of body affected (2003 to 2007)

Part of body affected	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Head																
Eye(s)	135	425	162	431	148	430	139	363	123	307	707	3.9%	1,956	4.5%	2,663	4.3%
Cranial region, including skull	104	232	119	258	112	259	104	241	104	236	543	3.0%	1,226	2.8%	1,769	2.9%
Face	55	125	57	127	56	140	54	111	56	99	278	1.5%	602	1.4%	880	1.4%
Ear(s)	8	10	3	9	3	10	2	2	1	7	17	0.1%	38	0.1%	55	0.1%
Multiple head locations	4	6	3	9	0	6	0	1	1	5	8	0.0%	27	0.1%	35	0.1%
Head, unspecified, NEC	11	29	15	34	4	16	10	18	6	29	46	0.3%	126	0.3%	172	0.3%
Subtotal	317	827	359	868	323	861	309	736	291	683	1,599	8.8%	3,975	9.2%	5,574	9.1%
Trunk (excluding back)																
Shoulder	166	527	139	467	122	419	133	395	105	376	665	3.7%	2,184	5.0%	2,849	4.6%
Pelvic Region	42	176	31	148	40	142	31	131	32	95	176	1.0%	692	1.6%	868	1.4%
Chest, including ribs, internal organs	31	123	23	147	40	108	38	113	33	93	165	0.9%	584	1.3%	749	1.2%
Multiple trunk locations	23	83	32	100	31	103	36	106	19	101	141	0.8%	493	1.1%	634	1.0%
Abdomen	17	68	18	76	16	51	11	74	22	73	84	0.5%	342	0.8%	426	0.7%
Trunk, unspecified, NEC	3	3	0	4	0	2	2	4	1	1	6	0.0%	14	0.0%	20	0.0%
Subtotal	282	980	243	942	249	825	251	823	212	739	1,237	6.8%	4,309	10.0%	5,546	9.0%
Multiple body parts	142	490	158	481	157	426	164	460	152	428	773	4.3%	2,285	5.3%	3,058	5.0%
Body systems	19	92	26	69	37	84	27	72	31	82	140	0.8%	399	0.9%	539	0.9%
Other body parts, including unclassified, NEC	3	16	9	19	4	12	3	13	5	10	24	0.1%	70	0.2%	94	0.2%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

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This table shows allowed lost time claims by part of body affected for each year as at March 31 of the following year.
Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).
NEC stands for "not elsewhere classified."

TABLE 9: Young worker lost time claims by event (2003 to 2007)

Event	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Contact with objects and equipment																
Struck by	1,116	2,095	1,059	2,080	964	2,015	948	1,774	926	1,661	5,013	27.7%	9,625	22.2%	14,638	23.8%
Struck against	404	556	350	620	335	543	313	468	290	445	1,692	9.3%	2,632	6.1%	4,324	7.0%
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects or collapsing material	330	634	288	603	260	541	232	479	189	448	1,299	7.2%	2,705	6.2%	4,004	6.5%
Rubbed or abraded by friction, pressure or jarred by vibration	61	141	55	111	59	151	66	133	29	59	270	1.5%	595	1.4%	865	1.4%
Contact with objects and equipment, unspecified, NEC	30	51	16	52	21	45	25	31	10	27	102	0.6%	206	0.5%	308	0.5%
Subtotal	1,941	3,477	1,768	3,466	1,639	3,295	1,584	2,885	1,444	2,640	8,376	46.2%	15,763	36.4%	24,139	39.3%
Bodily reaction and exertion																
Overexertion	592	2,005	567	1,989	525	1,828	441	1,584	443	1,517	2,568	14.2%	8,923	20.6%	11,491	18.7%
Bodily reaction	297	866	310	915	265	935	257	822	231	788	1,360	7.5%	4,326	10.0%	5,686	9.3%
Repetitive motion	59	267	70	273	56	293	53	244	51	218	289	1.6%	1,295	3.0%	1,584	2.6%
Static posture and sustained viewing	0	8	0	7	0	1	1	0	0	4	1	0.0%	20	0.0%	21	0.0%
Bodily reaction and exertion (combined), including unspecified, NEC	98	453	99	383	99	384	93	392	83	301	472	2.6%	1,913	4.4%	2,385	3.9%
Subtotal	1,046	3,599	1,046	3,567	945	3,441	845	3,042	808	2,828	4,690	25.9%	16,477	38.1%	21,167	34.5%
Falls																
Falls on same level	355	808	315	757	308	736	270	623	266	621	1,514	8.4%	3,545	8.2%	5,059	8.2%
Falls/jump to lower level	206	488	205	531	160	467	173	426	140	400	884	4.9%	2,312	5.3%	3,196	5.2%
Falls, unspecified, NEC	4	10	3	1	2	7	4	5	1	5	14	0.1%	28	0.1%	42	0.1%
Subtotal	565	1,306	523	1,289	470	1,210	447	1,054	407	1,026	2,412	13.3%	5,885	13.6%	8,297	13.5%

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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.

Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

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TABLE 9: Young worker lost time claims by event (2003 to 2007)

Event	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Exposure to harmful substances or environments																
Contact with temperature extremes	289	276	275	269	260	239	285	238	216	207	1,325	7.3%	1,229	2.8%	2,554	4.2%
Exposure to caustic, noxious, allergenic substances	85	231	116	255	146	262	92	207	95	197	534	2.9%	1,152	2.7%	1,686	2.7%
Exposure to radiation	7	30	10	44	16	42	11	29	7	24	51	0.3%	169	0.4%	220	0.4%
Contact with electric current	7	15	12	23	8	18	10	26	4	14	41	0.2%	96	0.2%	137	0.2%
Exposure to noise	2	3	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	3	4	0.0%	10	0.0%	14	0.0%
Exposure to air pressure changes	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0.0%	3	0.0%	4	0.0%
Exposure to harmful substances or environments, unspecified, NEC	4	13	3	8	0	4	1	8	3	5	11	0.1%	38	0.1%	49	0.1%
Subtotal	394	569	418	601	430	568	399	508	326	451	1,967	10.8%	2,697	6.2%	4,664	7.6%
Transportation Accidents																
Non-highway accidents	70	137	64	155	55	153	59	149	60	149	308	1.7%	743	1.7%	1,051	1.7%
Highway accidents	23	131	28	129	15	130	26	115	13	87	105	0.6%	592	1.4%	697	1.1%
Transportation accidents, unspecified, NEC	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0.0%	6	0.0%	8	0.0%
Subtotal	94	270	92	287	70	283	85	265	74	236	415	2.3%	1,341	3.1%	1,756	2.9%
Assaults and violent acts	37	167	35	182	32	176	37	170	36	167	177	1.0%	862	2.0%	1,039	1.7%
Fires and explosions																
Fire - unintended or uncontrolled	10	19	2	20	4	24	4	16	4	16	24	0.1%	95	0.2%	119	0.2%
Explosion	2	14	3	7	4	2	2	8	5	7	16	0.1%	38	0.1%	54	0.1%
Fire or explosion, unspecified, NEC	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0.0%	3	0.0%	3	0.0%
Subtotal	12	34	5	27	8	27	6	24	9	24	40	0.2%	136	0.3%	176	0.3%
Other events or exposures unknown/unidentified	11	36	10	38	11	18	8	23	13	18	53	0.3%	133	0.3%	186	0.3%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

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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.

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TABLE 10: Young worker lost time claims by source of injury or disease (2003 to 2007)

Source of injury or disease	Year of injury or disease and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Containers, boxes, barrels, packages (pressurized, non-pressurized)	630	1,518	573	1,404	529	1,338	496	1,193	494	1,145	2,722	15.0%	6,598	15.2%	9,320	15.2%
Persons (bodily motion or condition)	417	1,549	416	1,569	362	1,584	349	1,390	334	1,331	1,878	10.4%	7,423	17.1%	9,301	15.1%
Structures (including walkways, floors and buildings)	599	1,428	577	1,356	526	1,331	489	1,109	432	1,091	2,623	14.5%	6,315	14.6%	8,938	14.6%
Parts and materials																
Building materials	203	495	187	510	166	457	148	421	126	343	830	4.6%	2,226	5.1%	3,056	5.0%
Vehicle and mobile equipment parts	61	168	53	189	60	173	51	134	45	129	270	1.5%	793	1.8%	1,063	1.7%
Fasteners, connectors, ropes, ties	69	159	53	172	73	136	56	112	44	123	295	1.6%	702	1.6%	997	1.6%
Machine tool and electric parts	46	135	61	130	40	129	30	80	29	94	206	1.1%	568	1.3%	774	1.3%
Metal materials	24	93	30	109	33	91	22	79	24	60	133	0.7%	432	1.0%	565	0.9%
Hoisting accessories	4	16	4	9	3	14	2	11	3	14	16	0.1%	64	0.1%	80	0.1%
Tars, sealants, caulking, insulating materials	2	10	0	14	1	9	5	8	4	14	12	0.1%	55	0.1%	67	0.1%
Tarps and sheeting (non-metal)	6	4	1	6	2	1	0	6	1	3	10	0.1%	20	0.0%	30	0.0%
Parts and materials, unspecified, NEC	33	77	23	89	23	79	19	89	21	66	119	0.7%	400	0.9%	519	0.8%
Subtotal	448	1,157	412	1,228	401	1,089	333	940	297	846	1,891	10.4%	5,260	12.1%	7,151	11.6%
Other tools, instruments, equipment																
Hand tools, non-powered	385	572	382	554	308	527	350	478	339	443	1,764	9.7%	2,574	5.9%	4,338	7.1%
Hand tools, powered	46	128	62	111	32	113	41	110	29	93	210	1.2%	555	1.3%	765	1.2%
Hand tools, power not determined	9	31	12	48	14	34	7	25	17	47	59	0.3%	185	0.4%	244	0.4%
Recreation and athletic equipment	10	21	13	26	12	21	14	30	18	24	67	0.4%	122	0.3%	189	0.3%
Ladders	11	23	8	36	11	27	16	24	12	19	58	0.3%	129	0.3%	187	0.3%
Medical and surgical instruments	7	7	4	13	2	8	1	14	1	14	15	0.1%	56	0.1%	71	0.1%
Protective equipment, except clothing	0	7	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	1	0	0.0%	15	0.0%	15	0.0%
Photographic equipment	0	4	1	5	1	1	0	1	1	1	3	0.0%	12	0.0%	15	0.0%
Other tools, instruments, equipment, unspecified, NEC	18	83	17	98	22	80	20	90	18	74	95	0.5%	425	1.0%	520	0.8%
Subtotal	486	876	499	891	402	813	449	777	435	716	2,271	12.5%	4,073	9.4%	6,344	10.3%

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Source of injury or disease	Year of injury or disease and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Machinery																
Special process machinery (including food slicers, paper, printing, wrapping, sewing, pumps)	216	161	158	135	164	115	138	106	113	131	789	4.4%	648	1.5%	1,437	2.3%
Metal, woodworking and plastic, rubber, concrete and other processing	77	211	80	219	82	215	76	154	50	109	365	2.0%	908	2.1%	1,273	2.1%
Heating, cooling and cleaning machinery	86	108	91	127	95	99	83	104	65	90	420	2.3%	528	1.2%	948	1.5%
Miscellaneous machinery (including audio, video, televisions, telephones, snowblowers)	36	76	33	62	28	74	29	78	19	49	145	0.8%	339	0.8%	484	0.8%
Agricultural, construction, logging and mining	31	57	19	55	27	61	21	47	23	44	121	0.7%	264	0.6%	385	0.6%
Cranes, derricks, elevators, jacks and overhead hoists (excludes hoisting accessories)	23	58	24	42	24	47	20	33	27	26	118	0.7%	206	0.5%	324	0.5%
Conveyors	26	41	27	54	19	42	14	44	15	40	101	0.6%	221	0.5%	322	0.5%
Office and business machines	6	14	7	12	4	20	2	14	2	15	21	0.1%	75	0.2%	96	0.2%
Machinery, unspecified, NEC	25	55	15	63	16	56	12	39	11	37	79	0.4%	250	0.6%	329	0.5%
Subtotal	526	781	454	769	459	729	395	619	325	541	2,159	11.9%	3,439	7.9%	5,598	9.1%
Vehicles																
Plant and industrial vehicles, tractors	144	327	120	314	129	302	127	304	111	267	631	3.5%	1,514	3.5%	2,145	3.5%
Highway vehicles	73	244	65	250	63	260	70	237	48	211	319	1.8%	1,202	2.8%	1,521	2.5%
Air, water, rail vehicles	10	14	4	15	3	14	6	19	4	19	27	0.1%	81	0.2%	108	0.2%
Vehicles, unspecified, NEC	17	17	13	8	11	18	10	13	16	23	67	0.4%	79	0.2%	146	0.2%
Subtotal	244	602	202	587	206	594	213	573	179	520	1,044	5.8%	2,876	6.6%	3,920	6.4%

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Source of injury or disease	Year of injury of disease and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Furniture and fixtures	155	352	152	385	127	357	131	339	115	284	680	3.8%	1,717	4.0%	2,397	3.9%
Scrap, waste, debris	87	245	75	228	77	246	75	206	74	177	388	2.1%	1,102	2.5%	1,490	2.4%
Food products	162	137	163	154	155	116	164	120	120	113	764	4.2%	640	1.5%	1,404	2.3%
Chemicals and chemical products	77	160	83	171	85	162	61	127	63	112	369	2.0%	732	1.7%	1,101	1.8%
Steam, vapour, liquids, NEC	57	56	74	76	71	70	60	57	44	50	306	1.7%	309	0.7%	615	1.0%
Plants, trees, vegetation	20	57	17	57	20	73	29	53	25	50	111	0.6%	290	0.7%	401	0.7%
Animals and animal products	27	48	23	50	26	61	17	52	20	40	113	0.6%	251	0.6%	364	0.6%
Infectious and parasitic agents	8	48	10	44	10	41	9	48	12	49	49	0.3%	230	0.5%	279	0.5%
Minerals, metallic and non-metallic	16	32	16	57	13	28	12	40	18	33	75	0.4%	190	0.4%	265	0.4%
Fire, flame and smoke	8	31	4	26	6	27	9	26	8	18	35	0.2%	128	0.3%	163	0.3%
Apparel and textiles	5	22	5	19	7	9	3	21	7	22	27	0.1%	93	0.2%	120	0.2%
Paper, books and magazines	1	20	4	18	2	12	5	8	4	8	16	0.1%	66	0.2%	82	0.1%
Temperature extremes (heat, cold) environmental	1	9	3	2	12	13	9	14	1	6	26	0.1%	44	0.1%	70	0.1%
Atmospheric and environmental conditions (including weather)	2	11	6	6	4	9	3	6	4	12	19	0.1%	44	0.1%	63	0.1%
Noise	2	3	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	3	4	0.0%	11	0.0%	15	0.0%
Air pressure	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	1	0.0%	5	0.0%	6	0.0%
Other sources, unclassified, NEC	88	227	93	266	76	258	71	190	79	165	407	2.2%	1,106	2.6%	1,513	2.5%
Unknown	34	89	34	90	29	54	29	63	26	56	152	0.8%	352	0.8%	504	0.8%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

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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. Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column). NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

TABLE 11: Young worker lost time claims by occupation (2003 to 2007)

Occupation	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Sales and service	1,933	2,695	1,830	2,691	1,684	2,619	1,704	2,411	1,618	2,258	8,769	48.4%	12,674	29.3%	21,443	34.9%
Transport, equipment operators and related	732	2,588	748	2,646	672	2,653	699	2,335	595	2,268	3,446	19.0%	12,490	28.8%	15,936	25.9%
Labourers in processing, manufacturing and utilities	463	1,172	450	1,188	434	1,067	328	765	271	671	1,946	10.7%	4,863	11.2%	6,809	11.1%
Processing and manufacturing machine operators and assemblers	241	891	211	844	177	788	137	673	102	488	868	4.8%	3,684	8.5%	4,552	7.4%
Clerical occupations	115	465	124	432	119	401	114	387	113	383	585	3.2%	2,068	4.8%	2,653	4.3%
Contractors, agriculture, horticulture and aquaculture	155	305	150	303	138	291	116	271	108	211	667	3.7%	1,381	3.2%	2,048	3.3%
Health services	21	286	23	328	24	290	11	293	17	307	96	0.5%	1,504	3.5%	1,600	2.6%
Social science, education, government services and religion	20	180	17	174	12	150	19	144	21	146	89	0.5%	794	1.8%	883	1.4%
Managerial, administrative and related (including legislators and senior government officials)	28	88	30	131	29	117	22	137	26	135	135	0.7%	608	1.4%	743	1.2%
Art, culture, recreation and sport	50	41	46	63	61	69	71	69	55	58	283	1.6%	300	0.7%	583	0.9%
Natural and applied sciences	15	88	22	91	25	83	20	94	17	95	99	0.5%	451	1.0%	550	0.9%
Logging and forestry	12	28	17	45	8	38	11	25	6	11	54	0.3%	147	0.3%	201	0.3%
Skilled administrative and business occupations	3	34	3	24	5	22	7	28	4	33	22	0.1%	141	0.3%	163	0.3%
Processing, manufacturing and utilities, supervisors and skilled operators	1	23	3	19	2	14	3	15	1	9	10	0.1%	80	0.2%	90	0.1%
Mining, oil and gas	2	8	3	13	0	13	4	13	3	13	12	0.1%	60	0.1%	72	0.1%
Business and finance	0	4	0	3	1	5	1	4	1	5	3	0.0%	21	0.0%	24	0.0%
Fishing, hunting and trapping	0	2	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	2	0.0%	5	0.0%	7	0.0%
Occupation not stated	309	560	220	461	213	396	143	307	159	299	1,044	5.8%	2,023	4.7%	3,067	5.0%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

This table shows allowed lost time claims by workers' occupation for each year as at March 31 of the following year.
Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).
The National Occupational Classification (NOC) is used to classify workers' occupations.

TABLE 12: Young worker lost time claims by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) (2003 to 2007)

Industry	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Retail trade	1,066	1,621	956	1,580	867	1,561	861	1,439	869	1,415	4,619	25.5%	7,616	17.6%	12,235	19.9%
Manufacturing	593	2,309	507	2,140	509	2,013	396	1,574	334	1,227	2,339	12.9%	9,263	21.4%	11,602	18.9%
Accommodation, food and beverage services	1,002	1,080	962	1,050	895	1,016	865	941	749	898	4,473	24.7%	4,985	11.5%	9,458	15.4%
Construction	278	927	312	1,010	265	955	253	907	226	899	1,334	7.4%	4,698	10.9%	6,032	9.8%
Wholesale trade	243	800	254	741	199	619	204	570	171	534	1,071	5.9%	3,264	7.5%	4,335	7.1%
Business	207	628	265	713	228	706	202	605	158	583	1,060	5.8%	3,235	7.5%	4,295	7.0%
Transportation, communication and other utilities	101	438	113	484	106	463	111	411	87	450	518	2.9%	2,246	5.2%	2,764	4.5%
Health and social services	51	493	55	516	46	486	30	450	46	440	228	1.3%	2,385	5.5%	2,613	4.3%
Other services	153	290	137	324	153	324	149	278	149	275	741	4.1%	1,491	3.4%	2,232	3.6%
Government	82	237	61	244	86	247	74	235	69	188	372	2.1%	1,151	2.7%	1,523	2.5%
Agriculture	99	174	83	165	79	159	55	130	52	99	368	2.0%	727	1.7%	1,095	1.8%
Education	87	72	60	56	46	62	101	73	88	55	382	2.1%	318	0.7%	700	1.1%
Personal and household services	7	43	7	40	19	40	7	36	7	26	47	0.3%	185	0.4%	232	0.4%
Logging and forestry	14	39	16	56	11	33	8	20	8	11	57	0.3%	159	0.4%	216	0.4%
Mining (including milling, quarrying, oil well)	7	33	11	43	4	29	8	24	12	41	42	0.2%	170	0.4%	212	0.3%
Finance, insurance and real estate	13	23	9	34	13	35	5	31	15	25	55	0.3%	148	0.3%	203	0.3%
Membership organizations	3	10	1	10	3	9	3	4	3	0	13	0.1%	33	0.1%	46	0.1%
Fishing and trapping	0	2	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	0.0%	5	0.0%	7	0.0%
Unclassified and unidentified	94	239	88	251	74	258	79	243	74	224	409	2.3%	1,215	2.8%	1,624	2.6%
Total	4,100	9,458	3,897	9,457	3,605	9,018	3,411	7,971	3,117	7,390	18,130	100%	43,294	100%	61,424	100%

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 6.

Sorted in descending order using total allowed lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

Schedule 2 employers, for whom SIC codes are unavailable, are included in the "Unclassified and unidentified" category.

**TABLE 13: Young worker lost time claims with Non-Economic Loss (NEL) awards
by percentage of permanent impairment (2003 to 2007)**

Percentage of permanent impairment	Year of award										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
0.01 - 5.00%	31	139	38	107	40	92	30	125	38	105	177	29.0%	568	24.3%	745	25.2%
5.01 - 10.00%	46	153	28	119	32	125	31	107	24	108	161	26.4%	612	26.2%	773	26.2%
10.01 - 15.00%	27	102	19	102	21	80	26	78	20	79	113	18.5%	441	18.8%	554	18.8%
15.01 - 20.00%	13	74	21	50	7	58	5	69	11	53	57	9.3%	304	13.0%	361	12.2%
20.01 - 25.00%	7	36	13	40	3	49	8	41	10	32	41	6.7%	198	8.5%	239	8.1%
25.01 - 30.00%	3	19	4	19	8	12	6	14	4	22	25	4.1%	86	3.7%	111	3.8%
30.01 - 40.00%	3	15	7	24	4	12	1	12	3	18	18	2.9%	81	3.5%	99	3.4%
40.01 - 60.00%	6	6	3	5	3	10	1	7	1	9	14	2.3%	37	1.6%	51	1.7%
60.01 - 99.99%	1	6	0	2	0	0	3	2	0	3	4	0.7%	13	0.6%	17	0.6%
100%	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%
Total	137	550	134	468	118	438	111	455	111	429	611	100%	2,340	100%	2,951	100%

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

Sorted in ascending order using percentage of permanent impairment.

YOUNG WORKER NO LOST TIME CLAIMS PROFILES (2003 to 2007)

Tables 14 to 18

Tables 14 to 18 present detailed claims profiles for allowed no lost time claims for young workers 15-24 years of age. No lost time claims are claims by workers who have not lost wages but have incurred health care expenses.

Summary

During the years 2003 to 2007:

- Young workers sustained 169,229 allowed no lost time claims with workers 15-19 years of age accounting for 31% (52,963) and workers 20-24 years of age accounting for 69% (116,266).
- The industry sectors with the highest number of allowed no lost time claims were Services and Manufacturing.

TABLE 14: Young worker no lost time claims by age group (2003 to 2007)

Age Group	Year of injury or illness										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
15-19 years	10,535	31.2%	11,233	31.6%	10,982	31.0%	10,167	30.7%	10,046	32.0%	52,963	31.3%
20-24 years	23,196	68.8%	24,352	68.4%	24,401	69.0%	22,924	69.3%	21,393	68.0%	116,266	68.7%
Total	33,731	100%	35,585	100%	35,383	100%	33,091	100%	31,439	100%	169,229	100%

This table shows allowed no lost time claims by age group for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

TABLE 15: Young worker no lost time claims by gender (2003 to 2007)

	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
Gender	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Male	7,457	17,502	7,917	18,250	7,669	18,350	7,048	17,011	6,965	15,924	37,056	70.0%	87,037	74.9%	124,093	73.3%
Female	3,077	5,693	3,315	6,102	3,313	6,050	3,119	5,912	3,079	5,464	15,903	30.0%	29,221	25.1%	45,124	26.7%
Not Available	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	5	4	0.0%	8	0.0%	12	0.0%
Total	10,535	23,196	11,233	24,352	10,982	24,401	10,167	22,924	10,046	21,393	52,963	100%	116,266	100%	169,229	100%

This table shows allowed no lost time claims by gender for each year as at March 31 of the following year.

TABLE 16: Young worker no lost time claims by business size (2003 to 2007)

Business Size	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	2,016	3,707	2,089	3,816	2,125	4,058	1,819	3,799	1,893	3,591	9,942	18.8%	18,971	16.3%	28,913	17.1%
Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	8,519	19,489	9,144	20,536	8,857	20,343	8,348	19,125	8,153	17,802	43,021	81.2%	97,295	83.7%	140,316	82.9%
Total	10,535	23,196	11,233	24,352	10,982	24,401	10,167	22,924	10,046	21,393	52,963	100%	116,266	100%	169,229	100%

This table shows allowed no lost time claims by 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).

TABLE 17: Young worker no lost time claims by industry sector (2003 to 2007)

Industry Sector	Year of injury or illness and age group										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
Services	5,899	7,793	6,403	8,615	6,125	8,481	5,944	7,980	5,898	7,493	30,269	57.2%	40,362	34.7%	70,631	41.7%
Manufacturing	1,399	4,826	1,399	4,880	1,438	4,751	1,227	4,357	1,019	3,856	6,482	12.2%	22,670	19.5%	29,152	17.2%
Construction	796	2,595	823	2,721	854	3,060	811	3,125	948	3,174	4,232	8.0%	14,675	12.6%	18,907	11.2%
Transportation	493	1,329	528	1,373	502	1,417	419	1,400	453	1,294	2,395	4.5%	6,813	5.9%	9,208	5.4%
Automotive	271	1,555	286	1,563	280	1,553	215	1,318	168	870	1,220	2.3%	6,859	5.9%	8,079	4.8%
Schedule 2	305	1,062	336	1,061	382	1,083	353	1,033	316	1,024	1,692	3.2%	5,263	4.5%	6,955	4.1%
Food	295	973	272	894	265	800	219	754	224	699	1,275	2.4%	4,120	3.5%	5,395	3.2%
Health Care	88	802	130	902	116	972	105	961	116	1,053	555	1.0%	4,690	4.0%	5,245	3.1%
Agriculture	238	482	242	510	236	469	191	484	183	441	1,090	2.1%	2,386	2.1%	3,476	2.1%
Chemical/Plastics, Process Services	162	575	117	555	117	513	96	416	80	405	572	1.1%	2,464	2.1%	3,036	1.8%
Education	268	142	361	166	355	152	296	135	347	137	1,627	3.1%	732	0.6%	2,359	1.4%
Forestry	88	345	120	344	86	362	64	239	60	157	418	0.8%	1,447	1.2%	1,865	1.1%
Primary Metals	75	274	76	292	55	290	78	202	66	221	350	0.7%	1,279	1.1%	1,629	1.0%
Municipal	75	159	72	129	92	147	84	151	90	151	413	0.8%	737	0.6%	1,150	0.7%
Mining & Aggregates	37	95	35	154	36	141	38	143	45	179	191	0.4%	712	0.6%	903	0.5%
Electrical	23	107	19	122	27	160	17	177	23	178	109	0.2%	744	0.6%	853	0.5%
Pulp & Paper	23	82	14	71	16	50	10	49	10	61	73	0.1%	313	0.3%	386	0.2%
Total	10,535	23,196	11,233	24,352	10,982	24,401	10,167	22,924	10,046	21,393	52,963	100%	116,266	100%	169,229	100%

This table shows allowed no lost time claims by industry sector for each year as at March 31 of the following year.
Sorted in descending order using total allowed no lost time claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).
The WSIB's operations are organized into 17 industry sectors with Schedule 2 as a separate industry sector.

**TABLE 18: Young worker no lost time claims with Non-Economic Loss (NEL) awards
by percentage of permanent impairment (2003 to 2007)**

Percentage of permanent impairment	Year of award										Total					
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007							
	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	20-24	15-19	%	20-24	%	All	%
0.01 - 5.00%	6	11	1	11	6	10	2	9	5	7	20	60.6%	48	45.3%	68	48.9%
5.01 - 10.00%	1	6	2	5	2	8	1	6	2	6	8	24.2%	31	29.2%	39	28.1%
10.01 - 15.00%	0	2	0	4	0	2	2	3	0	2	2	6.1%	13	12.3%	15	10.8%
15.01 - 20.00%	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	2	2	1	3	9.1%	7	6.6%	10	7.2%
20.01 - 25.00%	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0.0%	5	4.7%	5	3.6%
25.01 - 30.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	1	0.7%
30.01 - 40.00%	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	1	0.9%	1	0.7%
40.01 - 60.00%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
60.01 - 99.99%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
100%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	7	21	3	26	9	20	5	21	9	18	33	100%	106	100%	139	100%

This table shows the number of Non-Economic Loss (NEL) awards made during each year for allowed no lost time claims by percentage of permanent impairment.

Sorted in ascending order using percentage of permanent impairment.

YOUNG WORKER TRAUMATIC FATALITY CLAIMS PROFILES (2003 to 2007)

Tables 19 to 24

Tables 19 to 24 present detailed claims profiles for allowed traumatic fatality claims for young workers under 25 years of age as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Summary

During the years 2003 to 2007:

- Young workers sustained 43 allowed traumatic fatalities.
- The industry sectors with the highest number of allowed traumatic fatality claims were Construction, Agriculture, Transportation, Manufacturing, and Services.
- The majority of allowed traumatic fatality claims occurred due to Accidental Falls, Motor Vehicle Traffic Accidents, and Accidents caused by Machinery.
- Young workers employed in occupations such as Construction Trades, and Transport Equipment Operating had the highest number of allowed traumatic fatality claims.

TABLE 19: Young worker traumatic fatality claims by gender (2003 to 2007)

Gender	Year of traumatic accident										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
Male	8	80.0%	7	100.0%	8	100.0%	8	80.0%	7	87.5%	38	88.4%
Female	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	2	4.7%
Data unavailable*	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	3	7.0%
Total	10	100%	7	100%	8	100%	10	100%	8	100%	43	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Data unavailable marked with an asterisk (*) are work-related deaths as reported by the Ministry of Labour.

TABLE 20: Young worker traumatic fatality claims by business size (2003 to 2007)

Business size	Year of traumatic injury										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
Small business (employers with fewer than 20 employees)	6	60.0%	4	57.1%	2	25.0%	7	70.0%	5	62.5%	24	55.8%
Large business (employers with 20 or more employees)	3	30.0%	3	42.9%	6	75.0%	2	20.0%	2	25.0%	16	37.2%
Data unavailable*	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	3	7.0%
Total	10	100%	7	100%	8	100%	10	100%	8	100%	43	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Data unavailable marked with an asterisk (*) are work-related deaths as reported by the Ministry of Labour.

TABLE 21: Young worker traumatic fatality claims by industry sector (2003 to 2007)

Industry sector	Year of traumatic injury										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
Construction	4	40.0%	3	42.9%	1	12.5%	4	40.0%	2	25.0%	14	32.6%
Agriculture	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	2	25.0%	2	20.0%	2	25.0%	7	16.3%
Transportation	2	20.0%	1	14.3%	1	12.5%	1	10.0%	2	25.0%	7	16.3%
Manufacturing	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	1	12.5%	2	20.0%	0	0.0%	5	11.6%
Services	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	3	37.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	4	9.3%
Forestry	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Chemical/Plastics, Process Services	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Electrical	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	1	2.3%
Municipal	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Automotive	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Education	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Mining & Aggregates	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Food	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Health Care	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Pulp & Paper	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Primary Metals	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Schedule 2	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Data unavailable*	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	3	7.0%
Total	10	100%	7	100%	8	100%	10	100%	8	100%	43	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Sorted in descending order using total allowed traumatic fatality claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

Data unavailable marked with an asterisk (*) are work-related deaths as reported by the Ministry of Labour.

The WSIB's operations are organized into 17 industry sectors with Schedule 2 as a separate industry sector.

TABLE 22: Young worker traumatic fatality claims by event (2003 to 2007)

Event	Year of traumatic injury										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
Accidental falls	4	40.0%	2	28.6%	1	12.5%	3	30.0%	1	12.5%	11	25.6%
Motor vehicle traffic accidents	2	20.0%	2	28.6%	2	25.0%	2	20.0%	3	37.5%	11	25.6%
Accidents caused by machinery	1	10.0%	1	14.3%	2	25.0%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	5	11.6%
Struck accidentally by falling object	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	3	7.0%
Accidents caused by electric current	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	4.7%
Accidents due to lightning	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	2	4.7%
Accidents cause by submersion, suffocation & foreign bodies	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	2	4.7%
Motor vehicle nontraffic accidents	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Caught accidentally in or between objects	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Accidents caused by fire and flames	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Air transport accidents	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	1	2.3%
Data unavailable*	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	3	7.0%
Total	10	100%	7	100%	8	100%	10	100%	8	100%	43	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Sorted in descending order using total allowed traumatic fatality claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

The Event is recorded using the International Classification of Diseases (Supplementary Classification), 9th Version.

Data unavailable marked with an asterisk (*) are work-related deaths as reported by the Ministry of Labour.

NEC stands for “not elsewhere classified.”

TABLE 23: Young worker traumatic fatality claims by occupation (2003 to 2007)

Occupation	Year of traumatic accident										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
Construction trades	2	20.0%	2	28.6%	1	12.5%	4	40.0%	3	37.5%	12	27.9%
Transport equipment operating	2	20.0%	2	28.6%	2	25.0%	1	10.0%	3	37.5%	10	23.3%
Farming, horticultural and animal husbandry	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	2	25.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	5	11.6%
Product fabricating, assembling and repairing	1	10.0%	1	14.3%	1	12.5%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	4	9.3%
Service	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	4.7%
Processing	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Artistic, literary, recreational and related	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Managerial, administrative and related	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Material handling and related	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Natural sciences, engineering and mathematics	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Occupation, NEC	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	4.7%
Data unavailable*	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	3	7.0%
Total	10	100%	7	100%	8	100%	10	100%	8	100%	43	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Sorted in descending order using total allowed traumatic fatality claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

The Standard Occupational Classification (SOC) is used to classify workers' occupations.

Data unavailable marked with an asterisk (*) are work-related deaths as reported by the Ministry of Labour.

NEC stands for "not elsewhere classified."

TABLE 24: Young worker traumatic fatality claims by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) (2003 to 2007)

Industry	Year of traumatic accident										Total	
	2003		2004		2005		2006		2007			
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	All	%
Construction	2	20.0%	3	42.9%	1	12.5%	4	40.0%	3	37.5%	13	30.2%
Manufacturing industries	3	30.0%	1	14.3%	1	12.5%	2	20.0%	0	0.0%	7	16.3%
Transportation, communication and other utilities	2	20.0%	1	14.3%	1	12.5%	1	10.0%	2	25.0%	7	16.3%
Agriculture	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	2	25.0%	2	20.0%	2	25.0%	7	16.3%
Other services	1	10.0%	1	14.3%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	7.0%
Retail Trade	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	25.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	4.7%
Wholesale trade	0	0.0%	1	14.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	2.3%
Data unavailable*	1	10.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	10.0%	1	12.5%	3	7.0%
Total	10	100%	7	100%	8	100%	10	100%	8	100%	43	100%

This table shows allowed claims for work-related deaths caused by traumatic injuries and other immediate causes as reported by both the WSIB and the Ministry of Labour.

Sorted in descending order using total allowed traumatic fatality claims for accident years 2003 to 2007 (All column).

The industry in which the worker was employed is based on the 1980 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC).

Because these numbers are based on a different classification standard, they cannot be compared to the numbers in Table 21.

Data unavailable marked with an asterisk (*) are work-related deaths as reported by the Ministry of Labour.