

Table A-7. Fatal occupational injuries by worker characteristics and event or exposure, Florida, 2007

Worker characteristics	Total fatalities (number)	Event or exposure ¹					
		Transportation incidents ²	Assaults and violent acts ³	Contact with objects and equipment	Falls	Exposure to harmful substances or environments	Fires and explosions
Total.....	362	136	70	45	62	42	5
Employee Status							
Wage and Salary Workers ⁴	320	130	50	40	54	39	5
Self-employed ⁵	42	6	20	5	8	3	--
Gender							
Men.....	329	120	60	45	57	40	5
Women.....	33	16	10	--	5	--	--
Age							
Under 16 years.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
16 to 17 years.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
18 to 19 years.....	6	5	--	--	--	--	--
20 to 24 years.....	21	6	5	--	4	4	--
25 to 34 years.....	72	19	17	12	12	12	--
35 to 44 years.....	88	31	14	16	13	11	--
45 to 54 years.....	90	35	21	6	16	9	--
55 to 64 years.....	53	23	10	5	10	5	--
65 years and over.....	30	16	3	4	5	--	--
Race or Ethnic Origin⁶							
White, non-Hispanic.....	189	76	42	15	36	17	--
Black, non-Hispanic.....	56	23	10	10	4	6	--
Hispanic or Latino.....	111	36	14	20	21	19	--
American Indian or Alaska Native.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Asian.....	4	--	3	--	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

¹ Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

² Includes highway, nonhighway, air, water, rail fatalities, and fatalities resulting from being struck by a vehicle.

³ Includes violence by persons, self-inflicted injury, and attacks by animals.

⁴ May include volunteers and workers receiving other types of compensation.

⁵ Includes self-employed workers, owners of unincorporated businesses and farms, paid and unpaid family workers, and may include some owners of incorporated businesses or members of partnerships.

⁶ Persons identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race. The race

categories shown exclude data for Hispanics and Latinos.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Dashes indicate no data reported or data that do not meet publication criteria. Data for 2007 are preliminary.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries