

Table A-7. Fatal occupational injuries by worker characteristics and event or exposure, Florida, 2004

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 sub- stances or environ- ments	Fires and explosions
Total.....	422	198	58	44	75	35	12
Employee Status							
Wage and Salary Workers ⁴	390	188	50	39	69	33	11
Self-employed ⁵	32	10	8	5	6	--	--
Sex							
Men.....	390	182	44	44	74	35	11
Women.....	32	16	14	--	--	--	--
Age							
Under 16 years.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
16 to 17 years.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
18 to 19 years.....	9	3	--	--	3	--	--
20 to 24 years.....	42	21	3	5	8	5	--
25 to 34 years.....	71	35	11	9	7	7	--
35 to 44 years.....	93	49	17	5	16	5	--
45 to 54 years.....	105	43	15	20	11	10	6
55 to 64 years.....	66	30	7	4	18	5	--
65 years and over.....	35	16	4	--	12	--	--
Race or Ethnic Origin⁶							
White, non-Hispanic.....	234	106	30	24	47	21	6
Black, non-Hispanic.....	58	30	13	6	5	4	--
Hispanic or Latino.....	119	59	9	14	21	10	6
American Indian or Alaska Native.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Asian.....	6	--	5	--	--	--	--
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 2004 are preliminary.

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