

**Table A-7. Fatal occupational injuries by worker characteristics and event or exposure, California, 2016**

Worker characteristics	Total fatal injuries (number)	Event or exposure <sup>1</sup>					
		Transportation incidents <sup>2</sup>	Violence and other injuries by persons or animals <sup>3</sup>	Contact with objects and equipment	Falls, slips, trips	Exposure to harmful substances or environments	Fires and explosions
Total	376	145	77	58	64	20	9
<b>Employee status</b>							
Wage and salary <sup>4</sup>	309	132	54	46	55	16	3
Self-employed <sup>5</sup>	67	13	23	12	9	4	6
<b>Gender</b>							
Women	27	11	9	1	4	--	--
Men	349	134	68	57	60	19	8
<b>Age</b>							
Under 16 years	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
16 to 17 years	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
18 to 19 years	4	--	--	--	--	--	--
20 to 24 years	27	16	5	3	--	3	--
25 to 34 years	65	22	17	11	6	4	--
35 to 44 years	70	27	15	13	11	--	--
45 to 54 years	80	28	22	7	17	5	--
55 to 64 years	82	34	11	13	18	4	--
65 years and over	46	15	6	10	12	--	--
<b>Race or ethnic origin<sup>6</sup></b>							
White (non-Hispanic)	160	68	21	31	23	11	5
Black or African-American (non-Hispanic)	25	6	13	--	--	--	--
Hispanic or Latino	148	56	26	21	36	6	--
American Indian or Alaska Native (non-Hispanic)	4	--	--	--	--	--	--
Asian (non-Hispanic)	33	12	13	--	--	--	--
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	3	--	--	--	--	--	--

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<sup>1</sup> Based on the BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System (OIICS) 2.01 implemented for 2011 data forward.

<sup>2</sup> Includes roadway, nonroadway, air, water, rail fatal occupational injuries, and fatal occupational injuries resulting from being struck by a vehicle.

<sup>3</sup> Includes violence by persons, self-inflicted injury, and attacks by animals.

<sup>4</sup> May include volunteers and workers receiving other types of compensation.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

<sup>6</sup> Persons identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race. The race categories shown exclude data for Hispanics and Latinos.

Note: Data for all years are revised and final. Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Dashes indicate no data reported or data that do not meet publication criteria. CFOI fatal injury counts exclude illness-related deaths unless precipitated by an injury event.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with state, New York City, District of Columbia, and federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, December 11, 2017