

TABLE A-8. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure and age, California, 2003

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		Under 16 years	16-17 years	18-19 years	20-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45-54 years	55-64 years	65 years and over
Total.....	459	--	--	6	49	103	110	112	56	21
Contact with objects and equipment.....	77	--	--	--	8	20	22	14	11	--
Struck by object or equipment.....	46	--	--	--	3	14	12	10	5	--
Struck by falling object or equipment.....	23	--	--	--	--	9	5	4	--	--
Struck by flying object.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by discharged object or substance.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object, n.e.c.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by rolling, sliding objects or equipment on floor or ground level.....	8	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by object or equipment, n.e.c.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects.....	20	--	--	--	--	4	9	3	--	--
Caught in running equipment or machinery.....	12	--	--	--	--	3	5	--	--	--
Compressed or pinched by rolling, sliding, or shifting objects.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects, n.e.c.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Caught in or crushed in collapsing materials.....	10	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--
Excavation or trenching cave-in.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Falls.....	71	--	--	--	5	12	14	21	12	7
Fall, unspecified.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to lower level.....	62	--	--	--	5	9	13	20	11	4
Fall from floor, dock, or ground level.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from ladder.....	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	--
Fall from roof.....	16	--	--	--	--	3	--	7	--	--
Fall through existing roof opening.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall from roof edge.....	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	--
Fall from scaffold, staging.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Fall from nonmoving vehicle.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to lower level, n.e.c.....	16	--	--	--	--	4	4	5	--	--
Fall on same level.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fall to floor, walkway, or other surface.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to harmful substances or environments.....	36	--	--	--	5	8	7	8	7	--
Contact with electric current.....	17	--	--	--	3	6	--	4	3	--
Contact with electric current of machine, tool, appliance, or light fixture.....	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Contact with wiring, transformers, or other electrical components.....	6	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--
Contact with overhead power lines.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances.....	11	--	--	--	--	--	5	3	--	--

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Ingestion of substance.....	9	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	--	--
Oxygen deficiency, n.e.c.....	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	--
Drowning, submersion.....	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	--
Transportation accidents.....	175	--	--	4	15	42	42	46	17	8
Highway accident.....	90	--	--	--	7	20	24	29	6	--
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment.....	48	--	--	--	4	10	14	16	--	--
Moving in same direction.....	15	--	--	--	--	--	7	5	--	--
Moving in opposite directions, oncoming.....	10	--	--	--	--	--	3	3	--	--
Moving in intersection.....	13	--	--	--	--	6	--	4	--	--
Moving and standing vehicle, mobile equipment--in roadway.....	3	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--
Vehicle struck object on side of road.....	17	--	--	--	--	4	3	7	--	--
Noncollision accident.....	23	--	--	--	--	5	7	5	3	--
Jack-knifed or overturned--no collision.....	18	--	--	--	--	5	5	3	--	--
Ran off highway--no collision.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Nonhighway accident, except rail, air, water.....	23	--	--	--	5	5	4	3	4	--
Vehicle, mobile equipment struck stationary object.....	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Noncollision accident.....	15	--	--	--	3	3	--	--	3	--
Overturned.....	12	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian, nonpassenger struck by vehicle, mobile equipment.....	33	--	--	--	--	14	8	--	3	4
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway.....	7	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment on side of road.....	5	--	--	--	--	4	--	--	--	--
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in parking lot or non-roadway area.....	21	--	--	--	--	10	4	--	3	--
Railway accident.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Collision between railway vehicle and other vehicle.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Aircraft accident.....	23	--	--	--	--	--	4	10	3	--
Aircraft accident, n.e.c.....	19	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	--
Fires and explosions.....	13	--	--	--	--	3	5	--	--	--
Fire--unintended or uncontrolled.....	9	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--
Fire in residence, building, or other structure.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Fire, n.e.c.....	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Explosion.....	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Explosion, n.e.c.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults and violent acts.....	83	--	--	--	14	17	19	21	7	4
Assaults and violent acts by person(s).....	63	--	--	--	9	17	10	18	5	3
Hitting, kicking, beating.....	7	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Shooting.....	46	--	--	--	5	16	9	14	--	--

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Stabbing.....	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults and violent acts by person(s), n.e.c.....	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Self-inflicted injury.....	20	--	--	--	5	--	9	3	--	--
Suicide, attempted suicide.....	20	--	--	--	5	--	9	3	--	--

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

elsewhere classified." Data for years prior to 2008 are revised and final.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Dashes indicate no data reported or data that do not meet publication criteria. n.e.c. means "not

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