

**State of California, Department of Industrial Relations
Division of Workers' Compensation
Workers' Compensation Information System (WCIS)**

Table 7. Claims by Geographic Region of Injury Site and Year of Injury, 2000 - 2013

REGION	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	TOTAL 2000 - 2013
BAY AREA	176,637	214,267	191,879	177,783	161,178	146,147	142,959	138,420	129,146	116,074	112,410	109,760	114,929	111,247	2,042,836
CENTRAL COAST	40,870	56,743	54,355	50,775	47,697	44,628	43,245	40,748	37,964	33,512	33,923	33,657	35,688	36,459	590,264
CENTRAL VALLEY	70,393	91,804	90,342	90,821	87,855	82,820	79,503	76,548	71,874	62,682	59,698	58,510	59,517	60,556	1,042,923
EASTERN SIERRA FOOTHILLS	13,381	17,985	17,748	17,041	15,466	14,626	13,696	13,631	12,345	10,298	9,741	9,379	9,547	9,926	184,810
INLAND EMPIRE	107,835	147,513	144,603	143,268	141,882	137,396	133,631	125,024	113,356	97,338	98,579	98,516	103,408	103,819	1,696,168
LOS ANGELES	174,553	224,165	218,265	212,282	200,723	186,558	179,920	175,590	164,077	148,366	150,861	150,005	152,386	152,627	2,490,378
N. SACRAMENTO VALLEY	9,029	12,442	11,766	10,647	10,095	9,546	8,815	8,554	7,832	6,641	6,283	6,056	6,385	6,421	120,512
NORTH STATE-SHASTA	14,107	19,483	18,899	17,534	15,368	13,764	12,986	12,469	11,384	10,010	9,365	8,984	8,812	8,089	181,254
SACRAMENTO VALLEY	48,986	52,905	49,760	47,351	44,709	40,932	38,022	33,948	31,783	29,295	29,294	27,824	29,295	28,462	532,566
SAN DIEGO	48,653	63,331	62,401	61,803	59,225	56,284	55,196	54,248	51,182	44,819	47,010	45,883	46,042	45,770	741,847
SUBTOTAL	704,444	900,638	860,018	829,305	784,198	732,701	707,973	679,180	630,943	559,035	557,164	548,574	566,009	563,376	9,623,558
Out-of-State	14,061	21,703	22,993	21,318	18,203	14,767	9,685	9,056	7,329	6,459	6,946	7,268	6,889	6,441	173,118
Unknown	48,738	55,515	53,881	48,040	41,776	38,769	33,607	32,600	29,911	24,566	25,078	21,401	14,671	12,679	481,232
TOTAL REPORTED INJURIES	753,182	956,153	913,899	877,345	825,974	771,470	741,580	711,780	660,854	583,601	582,242	569,975	580,680	576,055	10,104,790

Percentage (%) Distribution Claims by Geographic Region of Injury Site and Year of Injury,

REGION	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	TOTAL 2000 - 2013
BAY AREA	25.1%	23.8%	22.3%	21.4%	20.6%	19.9%	20.2%	20.4%	20.5%	20.8%	20.2%	20.0%	20.3%	19.7%	21.2%
CENTRAL COAST	5.8%	6.3%	6.3%	6.1%	6.1%	6.1%	6.1%	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%	6.1%	6.1%	6.3%	6.5%	6.1%
CENTRAL VALLEY	10.0%	10.2%	10.5%	11.0%	11.2%	11.3%	11.2%	11.3%	11.4%	11.2%	10.7%	10.7%	10.5%	10.7%	10.8%
EASTERN SIERRA FOOTHILLS	1.9%	2.0%	2.1%	2.1%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	1.8%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%	1.8%	1.9%
INLAND EMPIRE	15.3%	16.4%	16.8%	17.3%	18.1%	18.8%	18.9%	18.4%	18.0%	17.4%	17.7%	18.0%	18.3%	18.4%	17.6%
LOS ANGELES	24.8%	24.9%	25.4%	25.6%	25.6%	25.5%	25.4%	25.9%	26.0%	26.5%	27.1%	27.3%	26.9%	27.1%	25.9%
N. SACRAMENTO VALLEY	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%	1.3%	1.2%	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.3%
NORTH STATE-SHASTA	2.0%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	2.0%	1.9%	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%	1.7%	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.9%
SACRAMENTO VALLEY	7.0%	5.9%	5.8%	5.7%	5.7%	5.6%	5.4%	5.0%	5.0%	5.2%	5.3%	5.1%	5.2%	5.1%	5.5%

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SAN DIEGO	6.9%	7.0%	7.3%	7.5%	7.6%	7.7%	7.8%	8.0%	8.1%	8.0%	8.4%	8.4%	8.1%	8.1%	7.7%
TOTAL (%)	100%	100.0%													

Note: Totals and percentages may not always add up due to rounding.

Source: WCIS database A significant amount of variation across years results from noncompliance and late reporting of claims. Data are based upon calendar year of injury. DWC believes that its database is representative of claims in California's workers' compensation (WC) industry.

Total claims by year of injury based upon reported location of injury using DN 33 (postal code of injury site). Counties included in each region are listed in Table 7a.