

**Table 14. Compensable work-related fatalities by tenure,  
Oregon, 2000-2004**

Tenure	Acceptance year					Five year	
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	Total	%
1st year	18	17	16	16	14	81	37.2
<i>One month or less</i>	9	6	7	5	5	32	14.7
<i>2nd-3rd months</i>	4	3	4	5	4	20	9.2
<i>4th-6th months</i>	4	2	3	3	4	16	7.3
<i>7th-12th months</i>	1	6	2	3	1	13	6.0
2nd year	5	1	4	5	5	20	9.2
3rd year	1	4	2	2	2	11	5.0
4th-5th years	3	4	5	1	6	19	8.7
6th-10th years	6	5	10	10	6	37	17.0
11th-25th years	3	-	8	2	6	19	8.7
26th and more	3	-	1	2	2	8	3.7
Unknown	6	3	6	3	5	23	10.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Footnotes:

Compensable fatalities are claims, accepted by insurers, arising from a fatal occupational injury or disease that entitles workers and/or their survivors to compensation. Data exclude deaths of workers not subject to Oregon Workers' Compensation coverage, such as workers who were self-employed, worked in Oregon for out-of-state employers, city of Portland police and fire employees, or federal employees. For additional information about employer coverage requirements, you may contact the Employer Compliance Program at [wcd.employerinfo@state.or.us](mailto:wcd.employerinfo@state.or.us) or call (888) 877-5670.

Tenure is the length of time that an employee had been working for the employer at the time of the fatal injury or the diagnosis of the fatal illness.

Dashes indicate no claims were received.

0.0 percent indicates that the percentage of claims calculates to less than 0.05.

Source: Information Management Division, Oregon Department of Consumer and Business Services.