

**Table 17. Listing of compensable fatalities by industry (SIC),  
Oregon, 2004**

Event of injury	Program related	Injury description	Age	Sex	Ten-ure	Injury mo/yr	County	Occupation	NAICS	SIC
<b>Agriculture, forestry, and fishing</b>										
Industrial accident	+	Forklift ran into utility pole	24	M	0	03/04	Marion	Equipment operator	111421	0181
Highway motor vehicle (HMV) accident	+	Truck overturned into canal of water	20	M	1	10/03	Klamath	Farm worker	111998	0191
Industrial accident	+	Riding all terrain vehicle (ATV) in field; ATV hit a dip and victim was thrown off	16	M	2	08/04	Columbia	Laborer	812910	0752
<b>Mining</b>										
Caught in		Caught in collapsing rocks and materials in a hopper	33	M	39	06/04	Columbia	Line maintenance worker	212319	1429
Fall		Fell 12 feet to floor from elevated conveyor	63	M	329	08/04	Clackamas	Mining superintendent	212321	1442
<b>Construction</b>										
Inhalation		Inhalation of asbestos while working with asbestos flooring and insulation	54	M	*	10/81	Multnomah	Asbestos worker	238310	1742
Fall	+	Fell through opening in roof	45	M	94	06/04	Multnomah	Journeyman roofer	238160	1761
HMV accident		Pickup truck flipped in the path of an oncoming car	22	M	14	01/04	Out-of-state	Construction worker	238160	1761
Caught in	+	Crushed between drill machine and concrete wall	47	M	224	03/04	Multnomah	Construction foreman	238910	1794
Industrial accident		Forklift overturned, worker attempted to jump free and was struck on head	23	M	25	10/04	Out-of-state	Forklift operator	238390	1799
<b>Other manufacturing</b>										
Fall	+	Fell 12 feet to concrete floor when a guardrail dislodged	39	F	38	09/04	Coos	Shrimp catcher	311712	2092
Inhalation		Inhalation of asbestos while cleaning out brake drums	60	M	*	04/02	Multnomah	Corrugator supervisor	322211	2653
Struck by	+	Struck by a falling sack of raw polymer materials	39	M	2	06/04	Clackamas	Pre-expander operator	326140	3086
HMV accident		Cement truck overturned on curve in road	44	M	1	08/04	Lane	Concrete mixer driver	327320	3273
Inhalation		Inhalation of asbestos while cleaning up at foundry	29	M	23	12/64	Washington	Cleanup worker	331511	3321
Inhalation		Inhalation of silica while working in silica sand and coal dust	48	M	25	02/82	Washington	Laborer	331511	3321
Inhalation		Inhalation of asbestos working with and around gaskets and other materials	61	M	474	07/01	Linn	Crane operator/ Boom truck driver	331419	3339
<b>Logging</b>										
Struck by	+	Struck by falling tree	58	M	60	09/04	Tillamook	Timber faller	113310	2411
Struck by	+	Struck by tree being yarded	47	M	5	11/04	Douglas	Choker setter	113310	2411
Caught in	+	Crushed beneath rolling pickup	28	M	15	09/04	Clatsop	Hook tender	113310	2411
HMV accident		Dump truck ran off road, overturned, and ran into a tree	67	M	0	07/04	Jackson	Truck driver	113310	2411
HMV accident		Pickup truck collided with a tree	22	M	5	07/04	Josephine	Chaser	113310	2411
HMV accident		Semi truck rolled down a steep embankment when the road gave way	42	M	61	09/04	Lane	Truck driver	113310	2411
Industrial accident		Water truck lost control on hill at work site and overturned	51	M	14	07/04	Out-of-state	Water truck driver	113310	2411
Aircraft accident		Helicopter crashed	41	M	12	05/04	Douglas	Helicopter pilot	113310	2411
<b>Sawmill</b>										
Caught in	+	Caught in debarker	24	M	41	02/04	Washington	Assistant millwright	321113	2421
<b>Other wood products</b>										
Pedestrian	+	Pedestrian struck by forklift	29	F	5	11/04	Jefferson	Grader/feeder	321918	2431
Caught in	+	Caught between forklift and semi trailer	42	M	72	02/04	Hood River	Forklift operator	321219	2493
Contact with electric current	+	Electrocution from coming in contact with power box of conveyor	34	M	216	01/04	Linn	Packaging operator	321999	2499

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Event of injury	Program related	Injury description	Age	Sex	Ten-ure	Injury mo/yr	County	Occupation	NAICS	SIC
<b>Transportation and public utilities</b>										
HMV accident		Semi truck overturned and ran into trees	71	M	136	12/03	Lincoln	Log truck driver	484110	4212
Fall		Fell off top of trailer onto head	62	M	108	10/04	Out-of-state	Truck driver	484121	4213
Struck by		Struck by load of falling glass	63	M	48	03/04	Out-of-state	Truck driver	484121	4213
Pedestrian		Pedestrian struck by semi truck that slid on ice	24	M	2	11/04	Out-of-state	Truck driver	484121	4213
HMV accident		Pickup truck rear-ended by flatbed truck	49	F	*	03/04	Jackson	Travel agent	561510	4724
<b>Wholesale trade</b>										
Inhalation	+	Inhalation of carbon monoxide from propane-powered refinisher	50	M	1	11/04	Deschutes	Janitor	423850	5087
Pedestrian		Pedestrian struck by pickup while on side of road	57	M	50	10/04	Washington	Delivery driver/route manager	424410	5142
HMV accident		Semi truck overturned and collided with a power pole	38	M	4	11/03	Josephine	Truck driver	424430	5143
Pedestrian		Pedestrian struck by flatbed pickup that was backing up	48	M	297	02/01	Umatilla	Assistant manager	424510	5153
HMV accident		Collided with oncoming delivery truck	34	F	106	02/04	Washington	Inventory assistant	424930	5193
<b>Retail trade</b>										
Fall	+	Fall against ladder down to floor	68	F	170	01/04	Multnomah	Service deli worker	452910	5311
Inhalation	+	Exposure to chemical during thermal spraying demonstration	43	M	24	10/03	Out-of-state	Sales representative	454390	5963
<b>Services</b>										
HMV accident		Van crashed into rock-wall embankment	54	M	*	11/03	Wasco	President of company	524210	6411
HMV accident		Car was passing vehicle and struck oncoming pickup truck	49	F	3	07/04	Out-of-state	Locational case manager	524210	6411
HMV accident		Vehicle collided with pole	22	M	*	02/04	Multnomah	Sales driver	541810	7311
<b>Government</b>										
Caught in		Crushed between bus and pole	56	F	265	11/04	Washington	Bus operator	485113	4111
Drowning	+	Drowned rescuing person	51	M	66	12/03	Coos	Reserve police officer	922120	9221

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 or 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.

Program-related fatalities are a subset of compensable fatalities that resulted from incidents the DCBS Occupational Safety and Health Division (Oregon OSHA) determined may have been prevented by complying with safety and health standards and/or implementing a safety and health management program. Please contact Oregon OSHA at (503) 378-3272 for information about Oregon OSHA fatality investigations.  
+ Indicates the fatality was program-related

Industries are grouped and classified according to the [Standard Industrial Classification Manual](#) (SIC), 1987 Edition.

Industry classification codes are also provided according to the [North American Industry Classification System](#) (NAICS), 2002 edition.

During 2004, the Oregon Workers' Compensation Division began converting claims data from the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system to the new North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). This conversion will allow the United States to make data comparisons with Canada and Mexico. This year, tables are available for fatalities by SIC and NAICS codes. Previous years' tables were presented using SIC codes only.

Employees of client leasing firms are reported by the industry in which they were working at the time of injury.

Injury events are classified according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics' [Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System](#) (OIICS).

Injury age is the age of the employee at the time of the fatal injury or the diagnosis of the fatal illness which may be different than the age at death.

Tenure is the length of time, in months, that an employee had been working for the employer at the time of the fatal injury or the diagnosis of the fatal illness.  
\* Indicates the tenure is unknown

Eight fatalities occurred outside of Oregon: four in Washington, two in California, one in Alabama, and one in Idaho.

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