

**Table 1. Compensable work-related fatalities by accident event or exposure
Oregon, 2006-2010**

Accident event or exposure	Acceptance year					Five-year total	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Total	%
Struck by or against	7	4	7	3	1	22	13.3
Caught in, under, between	5	2	6	3	2	18	10.9
Falls	4	10	2	-	3	19	11.5
Exposure to toxic substances	-	-	-	1	-	1	0.6
Highway motor vehicle accidents	12	7	12	12	7	50	30.3
Industrial vehicle accidents	4	4	5	2	1	16	9.7
Pedestrian accidents	1	5	1	3	-	10	6.1
Aircraft accidents	2	-	10	3	2	17	10.3
Fires and explosions	1	1	2	1	-	5	3.0
Homicides	1	1	-	3	1	6	3.6
Assaults by animals	-	1	-	-	-	1	0.6
Total	37	35	45	31	17	165	100.0

Compensable fatalities are claims accepted by insurers arising from a fatal occupational injury or disease that entitle workers and/or their survivors to compensation. Data exclude deaths of noncovered workers 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, contact the Employer Compliance Program at wcd.employerinfo@state.or.us or call 888-877-5670.

Claims are listed according to the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System (OIICS) and are based on the date the Department of Consumer and Business Services received notification that the fatal claim was accepted, which may be different than the date of injury or illness.

- Dashes indicate no claims were received.

Source data are continually updated to be as accurate as possible, so report results may vary over time.

Source: Information Management Division, Oregon Department of Consumer & Business Services, August 2011.