

**Table 5. Compensable work-related fatalities by occupation (SOC)  
Oregon, 2008-2012**

Occupation (SOC)	Acceptance year					Five-year total	
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Total	%
Management (11)	1	1	-	2	-	4	2.6
Computers and math (15)	-	-	-	1	-	1	0.7
Computer specialists	-	-	-	1	-	1	0.7
Life, physical, and social sciences (19)	2	-	1	-	-	3	2.0
Life scientists	1	-	1	-	-	2	1.3
Life, physical and social science techs	1	-	-	-	-	1	0.7
Community and social services (21)	-	-	-	1	2	3	2.0
Counselors and social workers	-	-	-	1	1	2	1.3
Religious workers	-	-	-	-	1	1	0.7
Legal occupations (23)	-	1	-	-	-	1	0.7
Lawyers, judges, and related	-	1	-	-	-	1	0.7
Education, training, and library (25)	-	1	-	1	-	2	1.3
Post-secondary teachers	-	1	-	1	-	2	1.3
Protective services (33)	7	2	1	2	2	14	9.3
First-line managers, protective services	-	1	-	1	-	2	1.3
Firefighting and prevention	7	-	-	-	-	7	4.6
Law enforcement workers	-	1	-	1	1	3	2.0
Other protective services	-	-	1	-	1	2	1.3
Food preparation and serving (35)	-	1	-	-	2	3	2.0
Food and beverage servers	-	1	-	-	1	2	1.3
Other food-related occupations	-	-	-	-	1	1	0.7
Building and grounds maintenance (37)	1	-	-	1	-	2	1.3
Grounds maintenance	1	-	-	1	-	2	1.3
Sales	2	-	1	-	-	3	2.0
Supervisors, sales workers (41)	-	-	1	-	-	1	0.7
Sales representatives, services	1	-	-	-	-	1	0.7
Other sales and related workers	1	-	-	-	-	1	0.7
Farming, fishing, and forestry (45)	5	4	3	6	5	23	15.2
Agricultural workers	-	1	1	1	-	3	2.0
Forest and conservation workers	-	-	-	-	2	2	1.3
Logging workers	5	3	2	5	3	18	11.9
Construction and extraction (47)	8	5	2	2	8	25	16.6

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Supervisors, construction and extraction	-	1	1	-	-	2	1.3
Construction trade workers	7	2	-	2	6	17	11.3
Flaggers, construction	-	1	-	-	-	1	0.7
Other construction	1	1	1	-	2	5	3.3
Installation, repair (49)	5	4	2	4	4	19	12.6
Electronic equipment mechanics	-	-	1	-	-	1	0.7
Vehicle and mobile equipment mechanics	2	2	-	1	3	8	5.3
Other install., maint., and repair occupations	3	2	1	3	1	10	6.6
Production occupations (51)	4	3	1	2	1	11	7.3
Supervisors, production	-	-	1	1	-	2	1.3
Metal and plastic workers	1	2	-	-	1	4	2.6
Woodworkers	-	-	-	1	-	1	0.7
Other production occupations	3	1	-	-	-	4	2.6
Transportation, material (53)	10	9	6	6	6	37	24.5
Air transportation workers	2	1	2	-	-	5	3.3
Motor vehicle operators	8	8	3	5	6	30	19.9
Material moving workers	-	-	1	1	-	2	1.3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Compensable fatalities are claims accepted by insurers arising from a fatal occupational injury or disease that entitle workers or their survivors to compensation.

Data exclude deaths of exempt 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 more information about employer coverage requirements, contact the Employer Compliance Program at [wcd.employerinfo@state.or.us](mailto:wcd.employerinfo@state.or.us) or call 888-877-5670 (toll-free).

Data 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 or the date of death. Dashes indicate no claims were received.

Occupation is classified according to the Standard Occupational Coding Manual (SOC), May 2000 edition.

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

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