

Table 15. Number and percentage of accepted disabling claims<sup>1</sup> by occupation,  
Oregon, 2001-2005

Occupation of claimant <sup>2</sup>	ACCEPTANCE YEAR									
	2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
TOTAL	24,645	100.0	23,482	100.0	21,832	100.0	22,325	100.0	22,114	100.0
Professional and managerial	1,740	7.1	1,654	7.0	1,620	7.4	1,690	7.6	1,626	7.4
Executive and administrative	695	2.8	672	2.9	726	3.3	694	3.1	645	2.9
Food serv., lodging manager	92	0.4	101	0.4	89	0.4	95	0.4	65	0.3
Properties manager	43	0.2	42	0.2	41	0.2	42	0.2	42	0.2
Service organization manager	27	0.1	25	0.1	44	0.2	35	0.2	18	0.1
Other management occupations	533	2.2	504	2.1	552	2.5	522	2.3	520	2.4
Engineers, archit., surveyors	40	0.2	24	0.1	35	0.2	36	0.2	40	0.2
Math and computer scientists	25	0.1	17	0.1	24	0.1	17	0.1	12	0.1
Natural scientists	22	0.1	18	0.1	16	0.1	22	0.1	28	0.1
Health diagnosing occupation	12	0.0	5	0.0	21	0.1	17	0.1	17	0.1
Health assessing and treating	376	1.5	381	1.6	322	1.5	371	1.7	388	1.8
Registered nurse	317	1.3	319	1.4	268	1.2	308	1.4	322	1.5
Other health assessor, treat.	59	0.2	62	0.3	54	0.2	63	0.3	66	0.3
Teachers, postsecondary	19	0.1	23	0.1	21	0.1	28	0.1	23	0.1
Teachers, except postsecondary	269	1.1	252	1.1	226	1.0	244	1.1	209	0.9
Preschool, elementary teacher	64	0.3	76	0.3	62	0.3	69	0.3	63	0.3
Secondary teacher	61	0.2	51	0.2	30	0.1	40	0.2	35	0.2
Other teachers	144	0.6	125	0.5	134	0.6	135	0.6	111	0.5
Counselors, educ. and vocation	21	0.1	28	0.1	24	0.1	46	0.2	45	0.2
Librarians, archivists	6	0.0	7	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0	4	0.0
Social scientists	21	0.1	16	0.1	10	0.0	15	0.1	10	0.0
Social, rec., relig. workers	126	0.5	126	0.5	103	0.5	109	0.5	109	0.5
Lawyers and judges	5	0.0	2	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	6	0.0
Artists, entertainers, athletes	103	0.4	83	0.4	83	0.4	81	0.4	90	0.4
Tech., sales, admin. support	3,316	13.5	3,180	13.5	2,893	13.3	2,835	12.7	2,642	11.9
Technical support workers	638	2.6	559	2.4	559	2.6	544	2.4	523	2.4
Health technologists	223	0.9	230	1.0	281	1.3	268	1.2	231	1.0
Clinical lab technician	42	0.2	42	0.2	37	0.2	41	0.2	36	0.2
Radiology technician	13	0.1	18	0.1	25	0.1	18	0.1	16	0.1
Licensed practical nurse	38	0.2	33	0.1	53	0.2	48	0.2	28	0.1
Other health technologists	130	0.5	137	0.6	166	0.8	161	0.7	151	0.7
Engineering technicians	100	0.4	78	0.3	85	0.4	66	0.3	89	0.4
Science technicians	34	0.1	47	0.2	32	0.1	37	0.2	33	0.1
Technicians, NEC	281	1.1	204	0.9	161	0.7	173	0.8	170	0.8
Airplane pilot	13	0.1	8	0.0	12	0.1	8	0.0	11	0.0
Other technician, NEC	268	1.1	196	0.8	149	0.7	165	0.7	159	0.7
Sales occupations	1,316	5.3	1,315	5.6	1,224	5.6	1,261	5.6	1,142	5.2
Supervisors, sales	318	1.3	275	1.2	257	1.2	312	1.4	217	1.0
Sales representatives	103	0.4	87	0.4	96	0.4	82	0.4	94	0.4
Retail sales workers	879	3.6	935	4.0	848	3.9	845	3.8	815	3.7
Sales related occupations	16	0.1	18	0.1	23	0.1	22	0.1	16	0.1
Administrative support occup.	1,362	5.5	1,306	5.6	1,110	5.1	1,030	4.6	977	4.4
Supervisors, admin. support	27	0.1	41	0.2	28	0.1	11	0.0	18	0.1
Computer equipmt. operators	8	0.0	6	0.0	4	0.0	10	0.0	5	0.0

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	2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Secretaries and typists	85	0.3	79	0.3	63	0.3	51	0.2	53	0.2
Information clerks	115	0.5	96	0.4	70	0.3	84	0.4	111	0.5
Record process, except finance	59	0.2	60	0.3	55	0.3	57	0.3	64	0.3
Finance record processors	87	0.4	80	0.3	60	0.3	63	0.3	59	0.3
Office machine operators	8	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0	6	0.0	-	-
Communications equip. oper.	8	0.0	5	0.0	8	0.0	8	0.0	2	0.0
Mail distributors	55	0.2	52	0.2	39	0.2	39	0.2	32	0.1
Schedulers, distributors, NEC	376	1.5	415	1.8	354	1.6	297	1.3	291	1.3
Shipping clerk	143	0.6	155	0.7	152	0.7	131	0.6	110	0.5
Stock clerk	98	0.4	133	0.6	108	0.5	76	0.3	80	0.4
Meter reader	20	0.1	21	0.1	14	0.1	23	0.1	19	0.1
Other distributing clerks	115	0.5	106	0.5	80	0.4	67	0.3	82	0.4
Adjustors, investigators	94	0.4	77	0.3	75	0.3	83	0.4	58	0.3
Misc. admin. support occup.	440	1.8	388	1.7	348	1.6	321	1.4	284	1.3
General office clerk	139	0.6	107	0.5	80	0.4	98	0.4	86	0.4
Bank teller	27	0.1	16	0.1	20	0.1	22	0.1	15	0.1
Data entry keyer	29	0.1	25	0.1	15	0.1	6	0.0	6	0.0
Teacher's Aide	85	0.3	93	0.4	81	0.4	52	0.2	61	0.3
Other admin. support, NEC	160	0.6	147	0.6	152	0.7	143	0.6	116	0.5
<b>Service occupations</b>	<b>4,227</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>4,254</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>3,984</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>3,760</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>3,658</b>	<b>16.5</b>
Private household workers	77	0.3	43	0.2	25	0.1	38	0.2	27	0.1
Protective service workers	620	2.5	699	3.0	655	3.0	603	2.7	601	2.7
Firefighting and prevention	228	0.9	250	1.1	208	1.0	162	0.7	187	0.8
Police and detectives	221	0.9	299	1.3	280	1.3	279	1.2	283	1.3
Guards	171	0.7	150	0.6	167	0.8	162	0.7	131	0.6
<b>Food preparation services</b>	<b>1,336</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>1,191</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>1,141</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>1,124</b>	<b>5.1</b>
Supervisor, food prep.	51	0.2	62	0.3	64	0.3	49	0.2	60	0.3
Bartender	82	0.3	68	0.3	56	0.3	58	0.3	53	0.2
Waiter, waitress	194	0.8	183	0.8	136	0.6	139	0.6	147	0.7
Cook	401	1.6	349	1.5	396	1.8	384	1.7	358	1.6
Food counter worker	69	0.3	56	0.2	64	0.3	52	0.2	42	0.2
Kitchen worker, food	244	1.0	255	1.1	211	1.0	196	0.9	198	0.9
Waiter's assistant	73	0.3	65	0.3	58	0.3	49	0.2	59	0.3
Other food prep. worker	222	0.9	267	1.1	206	0.9	214	1.0	207	0.9
<b>Health service occupations</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>3.8</b>
Health aide, except nursing	150	0.6	138	0.6	141	0.6	198	0.9	154	0.7
Nursing aide	694	2.8	733	3.1	705	3.2	672	3.0	681	3.1
<b>Cleaning, building service occup</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>986</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>4.0</b>
Maid, houseman	240	1.0	300	1.3	260	1.2	253	1.1	237	1.1
Janitor, cleaner	726	2.9	676	2.9	661	3.0	609	2.7	621	2.8
Other building service workers	50	0.2	63	0.3	65	0.3	50	0.2	31	0.1
<b>Personal service occupations</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Barber, hairdresser, cosm.	39	0.2	28	0.1	34	0.2	30	0.1	24	0.1
Recreation attendant	44	0.2	28	0.1	33	0.2	16	0.1	17	0.1
Public Trans. attendants	72	0.3	90	0.4	83	0.4	43	0.2	44	0.2
Welfare service aide	8	0.0	4	0.0	6	0.0	3	0.0	6	0.0
Child care, except private	50	0.2	32	0.1	28	0.1	31	0.1	22	0.1
Other personal service occup.	121	0.5	115	0.5	97	0.4	73	0.3	69	0.3

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	2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Farming, forestry, fishing	1,336	5.4	1,382	5.9	1,318	6.0	1,308	5.9	1,271	5.7
Agricultural occupations	787	3.2	843	3.6	775	3.5	796	3.6	796	3.6
Farm operators, managers	12	0.0	14	0.1	17	0.1	20	0.1	22	0.1
Farm occup., except managers	448	1.8	482	2.1	466	2.1	433	1.9	442	2.0
Supervisor, farm workers	28	0.1	27	0.1	33	0.2	23	0.1	14	0.1
Farm worker	331	1.3	359	1.5	354	1.6	328	1.5	330	1.5
Marine life cultiv. worker	1	0.0	4	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0	4	0.0
Nursery worker	88	0.4	92	0.4	77	0.4	81	0.4	94	0.4
Related agricultural occup.	327	1.3	347	1.5	292	1.3	343	1.5	332	1.5
Supervisor, rel. Agric. occ.	27	0.1	30	0.1	26	0.1	44	0.2	29	0.1
Gardener, except farm	259	1.1	253	1.1	216	1.0	250	1.1	246	1.1
Animal care, except farm	33	0.1	50	0.2	42	0.2	33	0.1	46	0.2
Sorter, agricultural prod.	8	0.0	13	0.1	7	0.0	15	0.1	11	0.0
Inspector, agric. products	-	-	1	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	-	-
Forestry occup. (except logging)	95	0.4	115	0.5	76	0.3	94	0.4	87	0.4
Logging occupations	452	1.8	424	1.8	467	2.1	417	1.9	388	1.8
Bucker, cutter, faller	105	0.4	95	0.4	95	0.4	106	0.5	91	0.4
Chaser, bumper, landingman	51	0.2	44	0.2	46	0.2	47	0.2	38	0.2
Chokerman, choker setter	82	0.3	55	0.2	82	0.4	63	0.3	59	0.3
Grader, scaler (log)	6	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0	6	0.0	10	0.0
Hooker, hook tender	36	0.1	42	0.2	35	0.2	25	0.1	30	0.1
Loader, log stacker	6	0.0	11	0.0	15	0.1	4	0.0	3	0.0
Log truck driver	58	0.2	63	0.3	48	0.2	46	0.2	39	0.2
Rigger, rigging slinger	35	0.1	32	0.1	42	0.2	35	0.2	34	0.2
Skidder, yarder	16	0.1	10	0.0	13	0.1	14	0.1	8	0.0
Logging laborer, NEC	57	0.2	65	0.3	85	0.4	71	0.3	76	0.3
Fishers, hunters, trappers	2	0.0	-	-	-	-	1	0.0	-	-
Production, craft, repair occ.	3,862	15.7	3,655	15.6	3,286	15.1	3,175	14.2	3,372	15.2
Mechanics and repairers	1,335	5.4	1,250	5.3	1,120	5.1	1,064	4.8	1,083	4.9
Supervisors, mechanics	47	0.2	48	0.2	44	0.2	35	0.2	28	0.1
Machinery repairers	623	2.5	577	2.5	535	2.5	492	2.2	488	2.2
Automobile mechanic	186	0.8	180	0.8	165	0.8	158	0.7	139	0.6
Bus, truck mechanic	153	0.6	134	0.6	122	0.6	142	0.6	117	0.5
Auto body repairer	55	0.2	48	0.2	50	0.2	29	0.1	46	0.2
Heavy equipment mechanic	79	0.3	64	0.3	57	0.3	49	0.2	59	0.3
Farm equipment mechanic	14	0.1	18	0.1	24	0.1	15	0.1	13	0.1
Indust. machinery repairer	39	0.2	32	0.1	38	0.2	35	0.2	51	0.2
Other mach. maint. workers	97	0.4	101	0.4	79	0.4	64	0.3	63	0.3
Electronics repairers	250	1.0	250	1.1	221	1.0	208	0.9	234	1.1
Comm., data proc. eqp. rep.	58	0.2	68	0.3	43	0.2	45	0.2	47	0.2
Appliance repairer	33	0.1	23	0.1	23	0.1	14	0.1	15	0.1
Telephone, line installer	42	0.2	47	0.2	39	0.2	50	0.2	41	0.2
Misc. electrical repairer	17	0.1	12	0.1	10	0.0	8	0.0	13	0.1
Heat, AC, refrig. mechanic	100	0.4	100	0.4	106	0.5	91	0.4	118	0.5
Misc. mechanics, repairers	415	1.7	375	1.6	320	1.5	329	1.5	333	1.5
Millwright	114	0.5	109	0.5	110	0.5	98	0.4	104	0.5
Other misc. mech., repairer	301	1.2	266	1.1	210	1.0	231	1.0	229	1.0

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	2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Construction trades	1,867	7.6	1,738	7.4	1,626	7.4	1,605	7.2	1,789	8.1
Supervisor, construction	103	0.4	100	0.4	91	0.4	101	0.5	72	0.3
Brick, stone mason	30	0.1	28	0.1	34	0.2	21	0.1	29	0.1
Carpet installer	26	0.1	23	0.1	16	0.1	27	0.1	33	0.1
Carpenter	600	2.4	508	2.2	550	2.5	546	2.4	655	3.0
Drywall installer	75	0.3	64	0.3	63	0.3	58	0.3	72	0.3
Electrician	280	1.1	266	1.1	227	1.0	218	1.0	212	1.0
Painter, construction	119	0.5	107	0.5	93	0.4	138	0.6	153	0.7
Plasterer	14	0.1	14	0.1	8	0.0	8	0.0	9	0.0
Plumber, pipefitter	170	0.7	135	0.6	149	0.7	117	0.5	124	0.6
Concrete finisher	49	0.2	29	0.1	41	0.2	21	0.1	33	0.1
Glazier	27	0.1	19	0.1	20	0.1	15	0.1	28	0.1
Insulation worker	25	0.1	26	0.1	23	0.1	24	0.1	24	0.1
Roofer	109	0.4	119	0.5	100	0.5	107	0.5	144	0.7
Metal duct installer	24	0.1	25	0.1	16	0.1	11	0.0	10	0.0
Structural metal worker	48	0.2	53	0.2	30	0.1	33	0.1	33	0.1
Other construction workers	168	0.7	222	0.9	165	0.8	160	0.7	158	0.7
Mining, extraction workers	6	0.0	7	0.0	3	0.0	5	0.0	9	0.0
Precision production occup.	654	2.7	660	2.8	537	2.5	501	2.2	491	2.2
Supervisors, precision prod.	127	0.5	131	0.6	91	0.4	107	0.5	88	0.4
Precision metalworkers	195	0.8	169	0.7	152	0.7	138	0.6	158	0.7
Tool and die maker	11	0.0	7	0.0	6	0.0	7	0.0	4	0.0
Machinist	82	0.3	80	0.3	80	0.4	69	0.3	79	0.4
Sheet metal worker	71	0.3	52	0.2	43	0.2	44	0.2	48	0.2
Other prec. metal workers	31	0.1	30	0.1	23	0.1	18	0.1	27	0.1
Precision woodworkers	38	0.2	39	0.2	47	0.2	31	0.1	33	0.1
Cabinetmaker	35	0.1	34	0.1	43	0.2	29	0.1	30	0.1
Other Precision woodworker	3	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0	2	0.0	3	0.0
Precision textile workers	13	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.0	5	0.0	7	0.0
Precision workers, assorted	54	0.2	73	0.3	41	0.2	32	0.1	31	0.1
Electric equipmt. assembler	32	0.1	28	0.1	21	0.1	22	0.1	13	0.1
Other asst. precision worker	22	0.1	45	0.2	20	0.1	10	0.0	18	0.1
Precision food production	161	0.7	162	0.7	142	0.7	132	0.6	129	0.6
Butcher	89	0.4	86	0.4	72	0.3	83	0.4	69	0.3
Baker	41	0.2	50	0.2	50	0.2	31	0.1	45	0.2
Food batchmaker	31	0.1	26	0.1	20	0.1	18	0.1	15	0.1
Precision inspector, tester	19	0.1	20	0.1	11	0.1	8	0.0	7	0.0
Plant and system operators	47	0.2	53	0.2	43	0.2	48	0.2	38	0.2
Operators, assemblers, laborers	9,642	39.1	8,717	37.1	7,773	35.6	8,004	35.9	7,726	34.9
Operatives, except transport	2,786	11.3	2,196	9.4	2,037	9.3	2,018	9.0	2,148	9.7
Metal, plastic mach. operator	219	0.9	148	0.6	136	0.6	128	0.6	161	0.7
Lathe operator	3	0.0	5	0.0	4	0.0	7	0.0	5	0.0
Press machine operator	25	0.1	7	0.0	13	0.1	12	0.1	16	0.1
Grinding machine operator	78	0.3	56	0.2	37	0.2	42	0.2	54	0.2
Casting machine operator	35	0.1	28	0.1	23	0.1	30	0.1	29	0.1
Metal plate machine operator	15	0.1	7	0.0	9	0.0	8	0.0	9	0.0
Other metal, plastic operator	63	0.3	45	0.2	50	0.2	29	0.1	48	0.2

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Woodworking machine operator	223	0.9	176	0.7	198	0.9	205	0.9	162	0.7
Router, lathe operator	16	0.1	13	0.1	12	0.1	19	0.1	20	0.1
Sawing machine operator	121	0.5	92	0.4	110	0.5	121	0.5	81	0.4
Joining machine operator	14	0.1	7	0.0	9	0.0	21	0.1	22	0.1
Other woodwork mach. operator	72	0.3	64	0.3	67	0.3	44	0.2	39	0.2
Printing machine operators	87	0.4	75	0.3	69	0.3	57	0.3	48	0.2
Textile machine operators	110	0.4	109	0.5	87	0.4	60	0.3	57	0.3
Textile sewing operator	21	0.1	26	0.1	16	0.1	15	0.1	22	0.1
Laundry machine operator	67	0.3	69	0.3	49	0.2	32	0.1	25	0.1
Other textile machine operator	22	0.1	14	0.1	22	0.1	13	0.1	10	0.0
Machine operators, assorted	1,193	4.8	929	4.0	862	3.9	906	4.1	995	4.5
Gluing machine operator	16	0.1	5	0.0	7	0.0	5	0.0	6	0.0
Packaging machine operator	103	0.4	67	0.3	61	0.3	71	0.3	64	0.3
Forming machine operator	8	0.0	14	0.1	8	0.0	20	0.1	14	0.1
Mixing machine operator	36	0.1	32	0.1	25	0.1	30	0.1	28	0.1
Separating machine operator	14	0.1	21	0.1	13	0.1	17	0.1	19	0.1
Compressing machine operator	20	0.1	18	0.1	10	0.0	7	0.0	16	0.1
Painting machine operator	45	0.2	51	0.2	46	0.2	40	0.2	49	0.2
Oven operator, exc. food	57	0.2	26	0.1	29	0.1	31	0.1	39	0.2
Crush, grind machine operator	21	0.1	11	0.0	20	0.1	18	0.1	22	0.1
Cutting machine operator	54	0.2	47	0.2	38	0.2	55	0.2	47	0.2
Other assorted mach. operator	819	3.3	637	2.7	605	2.8	612	2.7	691	3.1
Fabricators, assemblers	797	3.2	627	2.7	542	2.5	554	2.5	603	2.7
Welder, cutter	246	1.0	205	0.9	197	0.9	209	0.9	237	1.1
Assembler	490	2.0	384	1.6	313	1.4	312	1.4	337	1.5
Other fabricator, assembler	61	0.2	38	0.2	32	0.1	33	0.1	29	0.1
Production inspectors	157	0.6	132	0.6	143	0.7	108	0.5	122	0.6
Sorter, exc. agriculture	76	0.3	63	0.3	64	0.3	58	0.3	71	0.3
Other tester, sampler	81	0.3	69	0.3	79	0.4	50	0.2	51	0.2
Transport equipmt. operators	2,902	11.8	2,853	12.1	2,572	11.8	2,703	12.1	2,460	11.1
Motor vehicle operators	2,549	10.3	2,553	10.9	2,267	10.4	2,437	10.9	2,121	9.6
Truck driver, exc. logging	2,181	8.8	2,154	9.2	1,873	8.6	2,049	9.2	1,801	8.1
Driver, sales worker	99	0.4	87	0.4	128	0.6	89	0.4	64	0.3
Bus driver	221	0.9	267	1.1	210	1.0	246	1.1	213	1.0
Taxicab driver	13	0.1	15	0.1	16	0.1	11	0.0	8	0.0
Other motor vehicle operator	35	0.1	30	0.1	40	0.2	42	0.2	35	0.2
Rail transport occupations	11	0.0	8	0.0	9	0.0	9	0.0	11	0.0
Water transport occupations	2	0.0	1	0.0	7	0.0	1	0.0	5	0.0
Material moving equip. operator	340	1.4	291	1.2	289	1.3	256	1.1	323	1.5
Operating engineer	33	0.1	38	0.2	42	0.2	36	0.2	46	0.2
Crane and tower operator	30	0.1	15	0.1	10	0.0	9	0.0	11	0.0
Excav, loading mach. operator	30	0.1	31	0.1	25	0.1	24	0.1	43	0.2
Grader, bulldozer operator	8	0.0	11	0.0	8	0.0	9	0.0	11	0.0
Indust. truck, tractor operator	141	0.6	123	0.5	134	0.6	106	0.5	131	0.6
Other matl. move equip. operator	98	0.4	73	0.3	70	0.3	72	0.3	81	0.4
Helpers, laborers, matl. movers	3,954	16.0	3,668	15.6	3,164	14.5	3,283	14.7	3,118	14.1
Supervisors, laborers	19	0.1	29	0.1	21	0.1	19	0.1	7	0.0
Helpers, mech. and repairers	7	0.0	12	0.1	4	0.0	6	0.0	6	0.0

See footnotes at end of table  
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Table 15. Number and percentage of accepted disabling claims<sup>1</sup> by occupation, Oregon, 2001-2005, continued

Occupation of claimant <sup>2</sup>	ACCEPTANCE YEAR									
	2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Construct, mining, prod. help	587	2.4	610	2.6	583	2.7	574	2.6	634	2.9
Construct. laborer, help	517	2.1	539	2.3	535	2.5	529	2.4	592	2.7
Flaggers, construction	16	0.1	17	0.1	18	0.1	15	0.1	17	0.1
Surveying, mining helper	4	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0	2	0.0	4	0.0
Production helper	50	0.2	52	0.2	29	0.1	28	0.1	21	0.1
Freight and material handlers	1,113	4.5	1,095	4.7	929	4.3	798	3.6	719	3.3
Garbage collector	26	0.1	18	0.1	9	0.0	9	0.0	19	0.1
Stock handler, stevedore	400	1.6	307	1.3	274	1.3	236	1.1	169	0.8
Machine feeder, offbearer	139	0.6	192	0.8	122	0.6	78	0.3	89	0.4
Material handler, NEC	548	2.2	578	2.5	524	2.4	475	2.1	442	2.0
Other laborers	2,228	9.0	1,922	8.2	1,627	7.5	1,886	8.4	1,752	7.9
Service station worker	177	0.7	205	0.9	147	0.7	187	0.8	158	0.7
Vehicle washer	95	0.4	97	0.4	84	0.4	66	0.3	73	0.3
Hand packer	91	0.4	72	0.3	86	0.4	75	0.3	87	0.4
Laborer, exc. construction	1,865	7.6	1,548	6.6	1,310	6.0	1,558	7.0	1,434	6.5
State military occupations	1	0.0	5	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	-	-
Occupation not reported	521	2.1	635	2.7	957	4.4	1,552	7.0	1,819	8.2

Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> Accepted disabling claims are claims, accepted by insurers, arising from occupational injuries or diseases that entitle workers to compensation for disability or death.

<sup>2</sup> Bureau of Labor & Statistics [Occupational Coding Manual](#), May 2000 edition.

- Dashes indicate no claims were received.

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

Note: NEC = Not elsewhere classified.

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