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Event Date	Age	Fatal-ity?	Hospit-alized?	Nature	Part	Source	Environ-mental Factor	Human Factor	Fall Ht:	OR-OSHA Investigation Key Words and Description
12/21/2006	42	NO	YES	Amputation	Arms(s) - multiple	Hoisting apparatus	Shear point action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	AMPUTATION IN MACHINE: An iron worker's left arm was severed in an unguarded shear point on a hydraulic lifting mechanism.
12/21/2006	50	YES	NO	Fracture	Head	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Other	0	FALL FROM BRIDGE CRANE: An electrician fell forty feet to a concrete floor from the platform on a bridge crane when one of the wood floor planks failed.
12/21/2006	30	No	Yes	Fracture	Lower leg(s)	Hand tool (powered)	Flying object action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	GRINDING DISK BROKE IMPACTING VICTIM'S LEG AND BRAKING BONE: The worker was using an unguarded angle grinder to remove excess welding off a sheet of metal. The grinding disk broke apart. A section of the disk impacted the worker's left leg, braking the
12/21/2006	42	No	Yes	Amputation	Arms(s) - multiple	Hoisting apparatus	Shear point action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	AMPUTATION IN MACHINE: An iron worker's left arm was severed in an unguarded shear point on a hydraulic lifting mechanism.
12/20/2006	39	NO	YES	Fracture	Elbow(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	0	22	FALL FROM ELEVATION: A worker on the edge of a roof surface was cutting off the tails attached to the fascia fell 14 feet 2 inches to a lower surface, rolled and fell another 8 feet 2 inches to the ground level, sustaining fractures to the arm and contusions.
12/18/2006	60	NO	YES	Dermatitis	Hand(s)	Machine	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	CUT HAND BY MEAT CUTTING BANDSAW: The employee operating the meat cutting vertical bandsaw ran his hand into the saw blade lacerating his hand and severing tendons.
12/13/2006	19	No	Yes	Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Leg(s)	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	TRACTOR PINNED EMPLOYEE: Employee was moving manure to a composting area, using a JX75 Case Tractor, equipped with a front-end loader. The tractor was equipped with ROPS and the operator was apparently not using a seat belt. He was thrown from the tract
12/13/2006	63	No	Yes	Other	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Squeeze point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	LASER CUTTER OPERATOR'S ARM CAUGHT IN MOVING PARTS OF MACHINE: The CO2 laser operator opened a access door into the laser to break free a finished head saw blade. The operator reached over to break the finished saw loose from the index arm which holds it
12/7/2006	48	NO	YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Motor vehicle (highway)	Working surface or facility layout condition	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	SRTUCK BY VEHICLE: On or about December 7, 2006 at approximately 8:15 am, the victim was in the process of walking back to his pickup truck on the job site. At the same time a service truck had deposited some tools in the same vicinity, then backed his truck along the road. As the victim walked with his back to the service truck the driver did not notice him. Subsequently the driver backed over the victim. When the driver felt a bump he immediately stopped and found the victim beneath the front axle. The victim was not ran over by the tires
12/5/2006	49	NO	YES	Fracture	Back	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Other	0	THE VICTIM FELL THROUGH THE FALSE CEILING PANELS: The victim was located on an upper level storage area removing items in preparation for the store to move to a new location. The victim attempted to crawl out on to the ceiling panels to retrieve some of these items and fell to the concrete floor below.

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11/24/2006	48	YES	NO	Fracture	Body system	Materials handling equipment	Flying object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	STRUCK-BY: On or about November 24, 2006 at approximately 8:30 am, the victim was in the process of repairing a logging road. He positioned his backhoe on the road and started to work on the drainage ditch to in the inside of the road with the bucket. The road had water running over it and was saturated with earlier rains. The ground at this time had been water logged. As he worked the bucket of the backhoe, the ground gave way and created a landslide. The backhoe slid down the landslide, ending up in a creek bed approximately 250 feet below. It appears that the operator jumped out but was unable to clear the vehicle. He was found expired in the creek bed.
11/18/2006	30	NO	YES	Concussion	Head	Ladder	Other	Other	0	FALL FROM LADDER/HEAD INJURY: At approximately 3:45 pm on November 18, 2006, the employee was installing a wireless receiver. He was working from an 8 foot, stepladder and apparently fell to the concrete floor. He suffered multiple head injuries and lost consciousness. Transported to Hospital.
11/16/2006	68	NO	YES	Fracture	Multiple	Motor vehicle (highway)	Flying object action	Other	0	CEMENT TRUCK TIPPED OVER: A cement mixer truck operator sustained serious injuries when the rear wheels of the truck he was driving sank in soft fill material next to a driveway he was backing down and overturned. He was struck by an inadequately secured storage box in the cab.
11/14/2006	47	Yes	No	Concussion	Head	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Safety devices removed or inoperative	17	FALL TO BELOW: On 11-14-06, about 11: 30 am, an employee fell from a 5: 12 pitch shake roof about 17 feet striking a wooden patio table with his back/side torso and then his head impacted the wooden deck. The victim suffered severe head trauma. The wooden
11/13/2006	51	NO	YES	Other	Other body system	Gases	Gas, vapor,mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Other	0	AN AMMONIA RELEASE OCCURRED,ONE WORKER ADMITTED & RELEASED.: On 11/03/06 a release of ammonia was witnessed by an employee at about 1:30 pm. The employee executed the evacuation alarm. During the evacuation, another employee experienced light-headiness, shortness of breath, pressure in throat, head and chest. This employee soon fainted. The employee and a co-worker were transported by ambulance to a medical facility. Later the same evening this worker was released.
11/9/2006	40	NO	YES	Puncture	Lung	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition		12	FALL FROM ROOF: The employee was working on a flat roof installing a new membrane roof when he slipped and while trying to catch his balance stumbled and fell approximately 12 feet to the ground breaking some ribs and puncturing his lung. The employee was working with the construction company owner, the owner says they were not using any form of fall protection when the accident occurred.
11/8/2006	45	NO	YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Bodily motion	Working surface or facility layout condition	Other	0	FRACTURES TO LEG FROM A FALL DOWN STAIRS: At approximately 6:40 am on November 8, 2006, an employee who drives school bus fell down the stairway. The victim stated her foot either twisted or slipped on the carpeted stairs. The employee sustained a broken Tibia and Fibula along with torn ligaments.
11/8/2006	51	NO	YES	Fracture	Face	Working surface	Illumination	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	FALL FROM SAME LEVEL: Fire fighter was walking across train tracks in the dark to get back to his engine when he tripped striking his face on the tracks.
11/7/2006	46	NO	YES	Fracture	Head	Working surface	Other	Other	0	EMPLOYEE FELL 25 FEET 3 INCHES TO LOWER LEVELS.: The employee was standing on some open web joist 25 feet 3 inches above lower levels, grabbed a piece of metal decking, slipped and fell.

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11/7/2006	61	NO	YES	Fracture	Hand(s)	Motor vehicle (highway)	Weather, earthquake, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	BROKEN BONES - VEHICLE ACCIDENT: Employee was driving a Ford Mini Bus in very rainy, windy weather and rolled it down a hill. The bus went off the right side of the road and then across the road and over the hill on the left side of the road. It was stopped by a couple of trees, which kept it from going into the water. The driver was not restrained during the roll and suffered broken hand, bruised pelvis and ribs.
11/6/2006	18	YES	NO	Other	Chest	Materials handling equipment	Materials handling equipment or method	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	EMPLOYEE WAS PINNED TO FREIGHT RACK BY FORKLIFT: The operator of a stand up forklift pick up a load of product and backed up. At the same time the victim/co-worker walked up the isle toward the forklift and operator. As the operator backed up he struck the victim pinning him to a product rack. This fatally injured the victim by crushing his heart/chest. First aid/cpr was performed and EMS was contacted. The victim was transported to hospital and pronounced DOA.
11/3/2006	46	No	Yes	Fracture	Finger(s)	Machine	Flying object action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	PLYWOOD KICKED BACK AT OPERATOR WHILE RIPPING WITH TABLE SAW: On November 3, 2006, the injured employee was cutting a plywood "jig" using a table saw that had no anti kickback prevention devices and/or hood guard. The piece of plywood got caught on the r
11/1/2006	46	YES	NO	Fracture	Multiple	Other	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	FALL FROM TREE: A tree removal employee was fatally injured when the tree he was cutting the top out of broke below him causing a fall of approximately 70 feet to an asphalt driveway below.
10/25/2006	19	YES	NO	Other	Body system	Motor vehicle (highway)	Weather, earthquake, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT VEHICLE SLID ON ICE: At approximately 1:00 PM, October 25, 2006 the victim was the passenger in a pickup truck traveling East on Highway 140. The pickup slid on ice into the path of a West bound tanker truck, colliding with it. The victim was ejected from the vehicle and was pronounced dead at the scene by responding Emergency Medical Services.
10/25/2006	58	No	Yes	Fracture	Hand(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out	0	HAND & ARM CAUGHT IN DRIVE ROLL: On or about 1: 30 AM on 10-25-06, an employee was injured when his right hand was caught in a drive roll on an algae dryer. The employee was sanding the roll with a piece of sand paper and was caught between the roll and t
10/24/2006	45	NO	YES	Fracture	Multiple	Other	Other	Other	0	THE VICTIM WAS STRUCK BY A LOG: The victim was using a motorized carriage to pull a turn of logs. As the logs were moving towards the carriage, a tree length log became hung-up behind a standing tree. The victim continued to use the drop line to try and pull the log around the tree but it was now in a bind and bowing hard from the pressure. The victim decided to move the motorized carriage ahead, as the carriage moved ahead the tree length log that was choked on the small end broke. The log that was approximately 70 feet long fell towards the victim who was only 41 feet away. The log stuck the victim in the back as he turned to run. The victim received multiple serious injuries.

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10/24/2006	48	YES	NO	Other	Body system	Motor vehicle (highway)	Catch point or puncture action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	STRUCK BY: On or about October 24, 2006 at approximately 8:30 am, the victim (employer) instructed the truck driver to drive a dump truck to the shop and adjust the brakes prior to using it over the road. The driver parked the truck outside the shop and went inside the shop for a wrench. Just prior to this time the victim informed the driver he was going into the office to continue with paperwork. The driver came out of the shop, adjusted two sets of brakes then proceeded to back the truck onto a concrete apron in front of the shop. After several movements the driver parked. He lifted the hood to get to the front brakes when he noticed the victim curled up beneath the front axle, with a wrench in his hand. The victim was believed to have helped adjust the back brakes without the knowledge of the driver. The driver immediately started CPR, then called the office and informed them to call the emergency services. He expired at the scene.
10/23/2006	24	NO	YES	Fracture	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	0	0	EMPLOYEE FELL FROM ROOF WHILE INSTALLING METAL ROOFING: On or about 10/23/06 at approximately 08:00 am an employee was injured while attempting to install corrugated roofing material to the roof deck of an existing barn. The employee was standing near the peak of the roof and was instructed to stay on the South side of the roof which had previously been sheathed. The employee crossed over to the North side of the roof, stepped on the metal roof which had an existing layer of frost and slid from the peak to the eave edge where he fell approximately 22 feet to the lower level. No type of fall protection system was in use on the North side of the roof structure. The victim who sustained a crushed heel and lacerations to his arm was transported by helicopter to a local hospital.
10/23/2006	51	No	Yes	Burn or scald (heat)	Multiple	Fire or smoke	Temperature above or below tolerance level	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	EMPLOYEES INJURED FROM NATURAL GAS LEAK EXPLOSION: While responding to a natural gas leak, approximately two employees were exposed to an explosive environment. The employees began mitigation attempt while in close proximity to the structure. While digg
10/20/2006	40	NO	YES	Fracture	Neck	Hoisting apparatus	Materials handling equipment or method	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	EMPLOYEE STRUCK BY CABLE RELEASED FROM TENSION: Employees were rigging a lift line for a "shortening splice". While attempting to re-torque the bolts on a plate clamp on the line that was under a tensioned load, the plate clamp failed. The line was released striking three employees and a fourth was struck by fragments. The accident victim that was hospitalized with critical injuries was struck by the line and thrown into the air. The victim struck the ground with serious injuries received from the line and received additional serious injuries when he struck the ground. The other two employees received serious injuries when they were struck by the line. On site emergency medical care was provided by paramedics which are members of the ski team. Emergency transport was requested. Two accident victims were transported by life flight to the hospital in Bend. The third accident victim was transported by ambulance to the hospital. The fourth was transported by company vehicle to Immediate Care
10/19/2006	40		YES	Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Leg(s)	Machine	Squeeze point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out	0	LEGS CAUGHT IN MACHINE: On 11/19/06 at approximately 5:20 pm, the employee was instructed to move a aluminum log (called a billet) by rolling it from the log ramp and onto the forks of an awaiting forklift to be removed. Two other employees assisted in this process. The victim was leaning on the log ramp while performing this task. As they were attempting to roll the "log" onto the forks of the forklift, the "log" tripped a sensor that caused the return log pusher to come back. This action pinned both legs of the victim between the log pusher and the rubber cushion metal frame. The victim suffered disabling injuries to both legs.

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10/19/2006	57	No	Yes	Amputation	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation	0	VICTIMS LEFT ARM CAUGHT BETWEEN MOVING PARTS OF A STRAPPER: On 10-19-06, about noon, the victim, an electrician was called to a strapper that was malfunctioning. He was adjusting the sensor eye and asked the supervisor, who had assumed control of the oper
10/18/2006	56	NO	YES	Electric shock	Body system	Electrical apparatus or wiring	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		VICTIM WAS SHOCKED WHILE CLEANING THE FURNACE DUCT SYSTEM: The victim was attempting to replace the filter and vacuum the duct system of a heating and cooling unit. After removing the furnace access doors, he inserted the vacuum intake handle and came into contact with an electrical current causing an electro convulsive response.
10/17/2006	49	YES	NO	Other	Multiple	Motor vehicle (highway)	Other	Other		LOG TRUCK DRIVER DROVE OFF ROAD, HITTING A TREE HEAD ON: The victim was driving a log truck which was empty and drove off the road into a 20 foot ditch, hitting a tree head on.
10/13/2006	38	YES	NO	Fracture	Head	Buildings	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		CRUSHED UNDER CONCRETE SLAB: A crew of two construction workers had removed a portion of a foundation under a house and were in the process of building forms for the new foundation when a concrete slab fell from the floor above crushing one of the workers.
10/12/2006	43	NO	YES	Fracture	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls	0	VICTIM REACHED INTO A NIP POINT & BROKE INDEX FINGER: The victim was operating a wood molding machine when a small piece of wood jammed up in the feed belt. The victim stopped the machine, then reversed the direction and hit the jog button. He reached into the danger area of the feed belt to push down on the piece of wood with his index finger so it would come out. When he did this his finger tip went into the gap of the feed belt breaking the tip of his finger.
10/12/2006	43	NO	YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Squeeze point action	Malfunction of perception system with respect to task environment		CAUGHT IN PRESS/FINGER AMPUTATION: On 10/12/06 Emp #1 was engaged in operating a rubber compression press. The press opens and closes only when hydraulic controls are activated by the operator, as the machine does not cycle on its own. At approximately 9:30 am, Emp #1 was unloading finished parts from the open press. At some point, the high pressure control was pulled back and activated slow upward movement of the press plate which normally has an opening of approximately 6". It takes about 3-4 seconds for the plates to make contact. Apparently, Emp #1 did not notice the press closing and reached in for a finished part. As she did so, the press closed on her left hand and amputated four fingers. A nearby employee came to her aid and opened the press. She was then transported to the hospital where she remained for treatment and was released.
10/10/2006	25	NO	YES	Electric shock	Multiple	Electrical apparatus or wiring	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		ELECTROCUTION: Three workers were moving a fully extended 40 foot metal extension ladder along the front of a building they were painting when the ladder made contact with an overhead high voltage power line.
10/9/2006	38	NO	YES	Puncture	Body system	Ladder	Working surface or facility layout condition	Operational position not appropriate for task	17	FELL FROM ELEVATION: On or about October 9, 12006 at approximately 11:15 am, the victim was in the process of using a ladder to install a metal covering to the fascia board beneath the gutter on the second floor deck of this residential home. The ladder was not secure, he leaned to one side and the ladder and victim fell from the deck approximately 17 feet to the ground below. The victim landed on a concrete pile, which had a metal post bracket attached to the top. He impaled his right side on the bracket causing a deep laceration.

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10/9/2006	30	No	Yes	Fracture	Body system	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Equipment inuse not appropriate for operation or process	20	FELL FROM ELEVATION: On or about October 9, 2006 at approximately 1: 30 pm, there victim was in the process of dry walling a skylight in a third floor ceiling a height of approximately 32 feet. This was above an open stairwell. The victim and a co-worker
10/9/2006	38	No	Yes	Puncture	Body system	Ladder	Working surface or facility layout condition	Operational position not appropriate for task	17	FELL FROM ELEVATION: On or about October 9, 12006 at approximately 11: 15 am, the victim was in the process of using a ladder to access the roof from the second floor deck of this residential home. The ladder was not secure. While ascending the victim
10/5/2006	53	NO	YES	Fracture	Chest	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls		THE VICTIM FELL APPROXIMATELY 12 FEET FROM ROOF AREA: The victim was working on the roof surface of a structure approximately 12 feet in height. While attempting to wrap a water line with an electrical heat cable he pulled on the end of the cable, lost his balance, tripped and fell to the ground breaking six ribs.
10/4/2006	18	NO	YES	Cut or laceration	Finger(s)	Hand tool (manual)	Materials handling equipment or method	Malfunction of perception system with respect to task environment	0	LACERATION ON FINGER BECAME INFECTED: Employee lacerated right middle finger on saran wrap blade on or about 09/30/2006 at restaurant. The finger became infected on 10/04/2006 after cleaning grease trap of fryer. The infection became inflamed and swollen on 10/6/2006 at which time the employee was hospitalized by doctor to cure the infection and administer further medical care.
10/3/2006	48	NO	YES	Fracture	Body system	Machine	Flying object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	19	FELL FROM ELEVATION: On or about October 3, 2006 at approximately 9:30 am, the victim was in the process of installing a sprinkler system in a warehouse. The victim, using a scissor lift was at a platform height of approximately nineteen (19) feet when he moved the lift forward to another location. He did not notice an open dock close by. He drove the lift off the edge of the dock, a height of approximately four (4) feet. The lift threw him from the platform basket, he hit the concrete and was rendered unconscious. He sustained fractures to his left Hip and tibular, and right heel.
10/2/2006	48	NO	YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Operational position not appropriate for task		AMPUTATED FINGERS LEFT HAND: On or about October 2, 2006 at approximately 8:45 am, the victim was in the process of placing a sheet of plywood lumber on a panel saw. The panel saw is specifically built at a 7 degree angle to hold sheets of board. The victim, placed the board on the track then while holding it with his left hand, hit a button to activate the saw. The saw has an automatic bar that holds the piece of lumber while it is being cut. The victim, caught his hand behind the bar and was held as the saw activated and cut off three fingers and a thumb.
10/2/2006	52	NO	YES	Asphyxia	Chest	Machine	Other	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out		BAKER PINNED BETWEEN LEDGE AND MOVING BREAD TROUGH: A baker punching down rising bread dough contained in a large mobile trough was pinned between the trough and a exit window ledge, forcing him face down on top of the rising dough. The victim was trapped in this oxygen deficient position for ten to fifteen minutes and was unconscious when released. The victim was given CPR until emergency services arrived and was transported to the hospital. He is in intensive care in a medically created coma.
9/25/2006	19	NO	YES	Fracture	Wrist(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Operational position not appropriate for task	8	FELL FROM ROOF: On or about September 25, 2006 at approximately 11: 45 am, the victim was in the process of rolling out roofing felt on a residential one story house. He dropped his tacking hammer, went to pick it up and over balanced. He subsequently fell off the roof landing on a concrete pathway approximately 8 feet 6 inches below. He lost consciousness for a few seconds also sustained a fracture to his left wrist.

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9/25/2006	40	NO	YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock out tag-out	0	RIGHT FOREFINGER AMPUTATED IN ROTATING GEARS: On or about 09/25/06 at approximately 9: 15 A.M. the victim was wiping grease onto the drive gears of the #4 Ironer. He had turned the machine off using control circuitry, but had not locked out the energy source. Another unidentified employee unexpectedly reenergized the machine drive, which pulled the victim's right hand into the rotating nip point, amputating a portion of his right forefinger.
9/25/2006	40	NO	NO	Burn (chemical)	Arms(s) - multiple	Chemical (liquids or vapors)	Gas, vapor, mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Distracting actions by others	0	CHEMICAL RELEASE: A forklift driver punctured 55 gal drum of HF which was then spilled into the trailer and in the diked loading dock. The employer called a Haz Mat Contractor. The company's employees and the contractor cleaned up the spill.
9/22/2006	41	NO	YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Squeeze point action	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process	0	FINGER AMPUTATION: The victim was operating a press brake, that was set up to work as a punch press, when her thumb caught in the die set.
9/21/2006	34	NO	YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Flying object action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	STRUCK BY LUMBER: A piece of lumber shot out of an edger and struck an employee.
9/14/2006	24	NO	YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls	0	EMPLOYEE GOT TWO FINGERS OF LEFT HAND CAUGHT IN PIPE BENDER: The machine operator's index and middle fingers of the left hand were crushed between the rollers and a pipe while operating a pipe bending machine.
9/13/2006	27	NO	YES	Fracture	Face	Other	Flying object action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task	0	STRUCK BY TOTE: On or about September 13, 2006 at approximately 3: 00pm the victim was in the process of decanting liquid soap from a 275 gallon poly tote into a 55 gallon plastic barrel. The victim took the tote with a forklift and raised it approximately five feet above four plastic barrels placed on a wooden pallet. He dismounted the forklift and started to attach a hose from the tote to the barrel. The tote started to slide on the forks of the forklift. He tried to get away. However, the tote struck him in the back of his head. Subsequently he hit his face on a storage shelf. He sustained eight (8) fractures to his upper jaw and two (2) fractures to his lower jaw.
9/11/2006	37	NO	YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Metal products	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task	0	STORAGE RACK FELL ON EMPLOYEE: On 09/11/06 at approximately 09: 30 am the victim with the assistance of a helper cut a bundle of structural racking. The racking was unstable and fell onto the employees' leg, breaking the leg.
9/8/2006	48	NO	YES	Cut or laceration	Hand(s)	Machine	Catch point or puncture action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	VICTIM WAS CAUGHT IN A BAND SAW, CUTTING HIS HAND: The victim was cutting a pipe on a power band saw. The pipe was clamped in a vise and the cut was complete. He loosened the vice and reached in to remove the pipe and his glove got caught by the blade pulling his hand into the point of operation and partially severing his hand.

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9/1/2006	41	YES	NO	Asphyxia	Back	Materials handling equipment	Squeeze point action	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process	0	CRUSHED BETWEEN STORAGE RACK AND FORKLIFT: A warehouse worker was crushed between a storage rack directly behind him and the forklift he was operating when he was backing the forklift up to line up with the rack in front of him to remove stored material from the rack.
8/29/2006	50		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out	0	CAUGHT IN MIXER:A plant foreman was attempting to grease a cement mixer bearing when his hand got caught between the mixing drum and a roller bearing.
8/28/2006	52	NO	YES	Fracture	Head	Ladder	Other	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process	9	FALL FROM LADDER TO CONCRETE SEVERE HEAD INJURIES: There were no witnesses to this accident. The victim was found by employees from another firm who were working around on another side of the residence. The victim had been applying roofing material to about a 9 inch wide decorative roof above the garage doors. The eave height was about 9 feet above the concrete driveway. The victim was found laying on the concrete with the 28 foot extension ladder laying along side him. The victim had severe head injuries and was bleeding. Emergency medical help was called. The victim was transported to the local hospital. Due to the severity of the injuries the victim was transferred by life flight to a Portland, Oregon hospital.
8/16/2006	28	NO	YES	Fracture	Body system	Machine	Pinch point action	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process	0	FORK LIFT TIPPED OVER: On or about August 16, 2006 at approximately 10:00 am, the victim was in the process of operating a 2000 Lbs., Forklift. He used the forklift to carry pallets of scrap paper to the dumpster. On his approximately sixth trip he was returning to the warehouse with the forks raised approximately two feet in the air and no pallet, in the parking lot. He remembered he needed to return for something. He spun the forklift around on a 5 degree down slope and turned the forklift on it's side. He tried to jump out, however, the fall over protection caught him across the abdomen. He survived, sustaining fractures to his ribs, sternum and vertebrae. Employees lifted the forklift off him. He was transported to a local Hospital.
8/14/2006	32		YES	Fracture	Body system	Materials handling equipment	Flying object action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task	0	CRUSHED BY FALLING LOAD: The victim was in the process of unstrapping a load of building material on a 40 foot trailer he had driven to the work site. He started the unstrapping from the front left side and worked to the rear of the trailer. After taking off the fourth of five straps a bundle of 15 rib boards measuring, approximately 16 feet long, 11 7/8 inches wide, and banded together to make approximately 18.75 inches high. The load fell from approximately 6 feet above the bed of the trailer. It struck the victim in the torso, however, as he fell to the ground he hit his head on the concrete curb alongside the truck and trailer. He was rendered unconscious and received multiple fractures, including but not limited to: skull, clavicle, ribs, vertabrae and ankle.

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8/8/2006	24	NO	YES	Other	Lung	Other	Other	Other	0	HOUSEKEEPER HAD ALLERGIC REACTION: On August 2, 2006 the employee experienced an allergic reaction while doing housekeeping at the hospital. She was treated in the emergency room and released. The next day the employee was at a doctor's office for an appointment for an unrelated concern when she experienced another allergic reaction at the doctor's office. She was admitted to the hospital overnight. She returned to work on August 7th. On August 8th at work she experienced another reaction and was admitted to the hospital. The employee noted that she had had a reaction to a TB test a few months ago. The employer has not allowed her to return to work until a medical determination has been made as to whether she can safely return to her normal job.
8/8/2006	28	NO	YES	Fracture	Neck	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Safety devices removed or inoperative	10	WORKER STEPPED BACK INTO UNGUARDED FLOOR HOLE AND FELL 10 FT: The victim reported to work about 7:30 in the morning. The construction company owner had a short conversation with the victim explaining what process they were doing at that time and where the victim could work. The victim put on his tool belt, picked up the glue gun and went up the stairs to where the second floor sheeting/decking was being applied. At that time there were no covers or guardrails over or around the floor hole openings. The fall distance from the second floor to the first floor is 10 feet. The victim went to work applying glue to the tops of the floor joists so the second floor sheeting panels could be laid down on the glue/joists and nailed in place. The victim was working in a narrow areas, about 57 inches wide, (like a bridge) between the front room floor hole opening and the front door floor hole opening, as he stepped backward from applying glue to the floor joists in the narrow area he stepped back into the unguarded floor opening above the front door foyer. The worker fell 10 feet.
8/6/2006	19		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Squeeze point action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	ARM CAUGHT IN NIP POINT:A worker was attempting to clean an inclined food conveyor while it was running. The worker was attempting to blow off the inside of the conveyor runs with an air hose when his sleeve was caught at the ingoing nip point where the idler roll meets the conveyor belt.His right arm and hand were drawn into the idler roll area and went completely around to the top of the conveyor where he was able to free his arm. He was taken to the hospital and treated for soft tissue damage and a fracture to the lower arm near the elbow.
8/3/2006	45	NO	YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Other	Flying object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	A LONG POLE THAT WAS NOT PART OF THE TURN STRUCK THE VICTIM: The victim and another employee were cable logging piles of logs that the feller buncher had stacked into decks out in the unit. As the turn started to leave the bed and move towards the motorized carriage, the ends of the tree length logs caught a pole that was laying loose and swung it in the direction of the two employees. The victim was struck in the leg, the other employee dove on to the ground and was narrowly missed by the log. The victim was transported to the hospital and was treated for a broken leg.
8/2/2006	48		YES	Puncture	Arms(s) - multiple	Other	Flying object action	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process	0	EMPLOYEE WAS INJURED BY FLYING MATERIAL CAUSE BY KICKBACK.:The injured employee had walked up to a shelf/bin to get material. At his left, approximately 20 feet away, an employee was operating a table saw ripping a 4 inch wide by 3/4 inch thick by 12 foot long board, at a 20 degree angle. The saw kicked back a piece of wood sending it into and through the injured employee's arm and approximately 1 inch into his side.

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8/1/2006	56	NO	YES	Fracture	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Buildings	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	8	THE BASE OF THE LADDER SLIPPED. EMPLOYEE FELL 8 FEET: The employee had started work about 8 am. He set his ladder up on the back side of the house. on a "plastic" Treck deck. This side of the house is heavily shaded by trees and shrubs, there is a lawn around the deck. The employee was caulking around the windows in preparation of the painting of the house. The employee had used and repositioned the ladder a couple of time before the accident. Based on interviews the employee had set the ladder up at the correct angle and then climbed the ladder to caulk around a window when the bottom of the ladder slid out . The victim fell about 8 feet to the deck breaking his foot.
7/31/2006	23		YES	Other	Arms(s) - multiple	Materials handling equipment	Squeeze point action	Other	0	EMPLOYEE GOT FOREARM CAUGHT BETWEEN MOVING PARTS: The victim was sweeping up fallen hay on the floor. He was next to the follower on the slicer when he observed a piece of twine on the small guard on the intake; as the follower plate was coming back or closed he reached his left hand in between the moving follower and the stationary plate to get the twine and it caught his forearm about midway between his wrist and elbow and closed to approximately 3/4 inch. It crushed blood veins and tendons.
7/29/2006	55		YES	Amputation	Hand(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	EMPLOYEE GOT FINGERS CAUGHT BETWEEN TWO ROLLERS: The victim was cleaning print rollers on #47 napkin folder. While wearing gloves he was using an approximate 4 inch putty knife to clean the ink and debris off of the rollers when the gloves little finger was pulled into the rollers. The rollers pulled in his little finger, ring finger and half of his middle finger before the machine was shut down. He lost two and a half fingers.
7/28/2006	20		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Other	Squeeze point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	12 SHEETS OF GLASS 7X10 FEET FELL ON AN EMPLOYEE: Three employees were removing a sheet of mirror plate glass from a storage crate containing a total of 12 plates.
7/26/2006	56		YES	Fracture	Body system	Machine	Pinch point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	CRUSHED BY MACHINE: The victim was in the process of removing a set block from in between a track hoe undercarriage and the superstructure when the superstructure struck, crushed and pinned him on the track. When the superstructure hit the track it rebounded and allowed the victim to roll off and onto the floor. He subsequently sustained fractured ribs and a punctured lung.
7/21/2006	60		YES	Concussion	Head	Hoisting apparatus	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	3	FELL FROM SCISSOR LIFT: The victim had finished adjusting a 14 feet high overhead door, using a rented scissor lift. When the victim reached the ground he turned around and stepped out of the scissor lift backward. He either mis-stepped or slipped from the built-in ladder and fell to the concrete floor approximately 32 inches below. He fell backward, striking the back of his head on the concrete floor. He was rendered unconscious and lacerated his skull.
7/14/2006	26		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out	0	THUMB CAUGHT BETWEEN LIVE ROLLS AND GAUGE: As the victim was attempting to check the clearance between two roll shafts his right thumb was amputated. The victim was using a hand held steel gauge to check the final clearance of the live roll shafts. As the victim placed the gauge between the rolls his thumb was on top of the gauge which got caught, pulling the gauge and the victims thumb between the shafts. The victim pulled his hand out and yelled for help as he headed for the office. First aid was administered and 911 was called. The victim was transported to a local hospital where his thumb was reattached.

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7/14/2006	45	YES		Fracture	Head	Hoisting apparatus	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task	0	STRUCK BY:A choker setter was fatally injured when the sky car fell while he was attempting to reach for chokers under the car.
7/13/2006	27			Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Head	Other	Flying object action	0	0	EMPLOYEE STRUCK BY OBJECT:The employee was standing alongside of a waste wood chipper. He was standing next to the vibrating chute that feed into the chipper opening. He was picking up pieces of wood that had been thrown out of the chipper. As he raised up a piece of wood was thrown out of the chipper feed area and struck him between the eyes.
7/13/2006	62		YES	Fracture	Back	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation	0	THE VICTIM STEPPED ON UNSECURED METAL DECKING AND FELL: The victim was erecting metal stairs and landings in a new stick framed apartment complex. Metal decking had been laid down on one of the stair landings and was not secured. As the victim came down from the upper section of the stairs he stepped on the unsecured decking and fell through the hole as the decking became displaced. The victim fell from the third floor, to the second floor, and then onto the ground, fracturing vertebrae.
7/12/2006	19	NO	YES	Cut or laceration	Chest	Hand tool (powered)	Flying object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	VICTIM WAS CUTTING PIPE WITH CUTOFF SAW THAT KICKBACK: The victim was cutting a 12" plastic pipe with a gas powered cutoff saw. After cutting through half the pipe, he attempted to roll the pipe forward to cut the rest. The blade bound and kicked back because the back part of teh blade was jammed. The saw kicked backwards and up into the pectoral muscle, causing serious lacerations.
7/12/2006	51		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	EMPLOYEES ARM CRUSHED IN BAILER.: A lamination department employee was cleaning up around machinery and had picked up excess lamination skin trimmings. He took the trimmings to the freeman baler and placed them inside compaction chamber. He started the baler with the ram door open and as it was slowly going down he reached into the chamber to push the skin trimmings back down. The ram caught his right hand/arm and slowly pulled his appendage in, crushing and fracturing arm and hand bones. Co-workers saw what was occurring and came to his aid. He was removed from the baler and EMS was called. EMS stabilized and transported the victim to local emergency room. After diagnosis and treatment the victim was transported to a regional trauma center for further medical care.
7/8/2006	45		YES	Amputation	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Materials handling equipment	Squeeze point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out	0	WORKER CLEARING MANURE SPREADER GOT LEG CRUSHED IN ROLLERS:A farm worker was clearing a jammed manure separator with a pitchfork. The separator was not locked out and during the clearing process the worker's left foot became caught in between two rollers, crushing the foot. The victim was extracted by the Rural Fire Department and co workers and was transported to local hospital for treatment. The victim's left foot was subsequently amputated due to extensive muscle and tissue damage and infection.
7/7/2006	38		YES	Fracture	Back	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Other	0	FALL TO SAME SURFACE:On or about 7/7/06 at approximately 11:00 AM an employee was inspecting an asphalt crusher in preparation for start up when he fell to the surface on which he was standing and sustained fractures to his vertebra.
7/6/2006	20		YES	Fracture	Lower leg(s)	Materials handling equipment	Materials handling equipment or method	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	ANKLE/LEG CRUSHED BETWEEN TWO MOTORIZED PALLET JACKS:This accident occurred at t approximately 7:00 pm at the beginning of the warehouse swing shift. The victim had just started his shift and the other I

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7/6/2006	40		YES	Cut or laceration	Arms(s) - multiple	Vegetation	Flying object action	Other	0	STRUCK BY WOOD:On 7/6/06, Emp #1 was engaged in the operation of a resaw/edger at a cut stock wood plant that manufactures pallet stock and lathe out of 3" cores. At approximately 2:30 pm, the plant manager was summoned to determine if the saw blades needed to be changed out due to a loss of temper. He was observing the saw when a core got stuck and a piece of lathe was thrown back through two sets of kickback fingers, down a covered 30' conveyor and struck the victim in the bicep. The piece of lathe that struck the victim measured 8"x2"x1/2" and was thrown through two sets of kickback fingers that had openings of 9/16" to 2". The victim was transported to a local hospital and later released.
7/4/2006	42	YES		Cut or laceration	Eye(s)	Water	Overpressure or underpressure condition	Malfunction of perception system with respect to task environment	0	STRUCK BY:Victim was resetting an irrigation wheel line. While attempting to remove the lateral valve from the top of the riser the shut off valve of the riser failed. The release of the four inch column of water was restricted momentarily and created a high pressure release. The victim was struck in the right eye causing lacerations around the eye as well as severing the artery behind the eye. The victim was found unconscious in a large pool of water in the field. First aid was performed and 911 was called.. The ambulance arrived and it was determined that the victim needed to be transported by Life Flight. The Life Flight helicopter arrived and the victim was transported to hospital. The victim passed away five days later from bleeding into the brain from the severed artery behind the eye.
6/30/2006	21		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Hoisting apparatus	Pinch point action	Operational position not appropriate for task	0	AMPUTATED LEFT THUMB:On or about June 30, 2006 at approximately 7:30 am, the victim was in the process of removing a spring from a garage door. He had the garage door raised approximately 12 inches. He attempted to remove the spring when it moved, pinched and amputated his left thumb.
6/30/2006	27		YES	Cut or laceration	Upper Arm(s)	Metal products	Catch point or puncture action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	THE VICTIM TRIPPED AND FELL WHILE CARRYING A SAW BLADE.:The victim and another employee had removed the band saw from a mill and proceeded to carry it to the saw filing room the victim tripped and fell landing on the blade. His right bicep was lacerated when he fell on the saw.
6/29/2006	27	NO	YES	Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Back	Other	Flying object action	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls	0	LOGGER WAS STRUCK BY A DEAD TREE TOP: On or about 6/29/06, at approximately 8:45 am, a hook tender was struck by a dead top which fell out of a tree he was falling.
6/29/2006	58		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Shear point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	RIGHT INDEX FINGER PARTIALLY AMPUTATED ON BANDSAW:The victim was standing near the bandsaw with it running wiping his hands with a rag. As he tossed to rag toward a bench, the exposed portion of the bandsaw blade caught the rag and pulled his hand toward it, cutting the end of his index finger.
6/26/2006	40		YES	Burn or scald (heat)	Multiple	Fire or smoke	Flammable liquid or solid exposure	Other	0	LOADING LP GAS FOR DELIVERY. EXPLOSION AND FIRE:Victim was filling a delivery truck from a bulk storage tank. A high pressure line at approximately 180 psi pressure burst at the compressor. The rupture in the line occurred just as the victim was shutting off the compressor pump. The building exploded into a fireball. The victim was thrown approximately 10 feet. Victim received burns on approximately 16to 19 of his body. Emergency services arrived and the victim was stabilized. Life flight was brought in and the victim was transported to burn center.

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6/22/2006	49		YES	Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Abdomen	Machine	Pinch point action	Operational position not appropriate for task		CAUGHT IN CONVEYOR: A machine operator was pinched between the side of a conveyor and lumber moving on the conveyor when he attempted to remove a piece of debris from the conveyor.
6/21/2006	62	YES		Fracture	Neck	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Working surface or facility layout condition	Malfunction of perception system with respect to task environment	0	FALL TO SAME LEVEL: On or about 06/21/06 at 10:30 am the cattle manager (victim) and two other employees were driving cattle back to holding pens for separation and maintenance. The victim drove head first into a irrigation ditch. He was ejected over the passenger he had in front of him and landed on his head/neck. The other workers looked back and rode to his assistance. After determining the extent of his injuries they called 911. The employee expired prior to EMS arriving on site.
6/19/2006	20		YES	Fracture	Elbow(s)	Working surface	Other	0	17	FALL FROM ROOF: On or about 6/19/06 an employee, while applying treatment, on an approximately 4:12 pitched, shake roof, fell approximately 17 feet 6 inches to the concrete below.
6/14/2006	55		YES	Electric shock	Finger(s)	Electrical apparatus or wiring	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	ELECTRICAL SHOCK: A meter relay technician received an electrical shock and burn to a finger while attempting to install an insulated jumper wire on a damaged terminal block in a current transformer circuit at an electrical utility substation.
6/7/2006	43	NO	YES	Fracture	Back	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	12	WORKER FELL 18 FEET FROM AN UNGUARDED WALL OPENING: A worker fell approximately 18 feet out an unguarded wall/window opening during a window installation process.
6/7/2006	43		YES	Fracture	Back	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	12	WORKER FELL OUT OF A WINDOW: While two employees were setting a window, one in a forklift bucket and one inside of the building on the second floor they were having trouble getting the window to fit so the forklift driver ran upstairs to help. While both of the other workers were looking away the forklift driver fell out of the window upside down onto a concrete wall, breaking four vertebrae. Paramedic were there in 8 minutes and transported him to hospital, from where he was transported to the regional trauma center.
6/2/2006	43		YES	Amputation	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Squeeze point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		EMPLOYEE AMPUTATED ARMS IN HAY COMPRESS OPERATIONS: An employee operating a hay compressor became entangled with the hay operations and amputated both arms.
6/2/2006	49		YES	Fracture	Multiple	Ladder	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	6	FALL FROM ROOF: The victim was repairing a vent cover on a residential house roof, which was approximately 8 feet from ground to eave. The victim pitched his ladder to gain access to the roof. Because of the wet conditions, the ladder slid along the gutter while the victim was approximately 6 feet from the ground. The ladder fell over onto the concrete sidewalk. The victim struck the concrete and sustained a fractured pelvis, fractured left femur and dislodged bladder.
6/1/2006	24		YES	Amputation	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Working surface or facility layout condition	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	AMPUTATION OF LEFT ARM: On or about June 1, 2006 at approximately 1:45 pm, the victim was in the process of removing a piece of metal from a laser cutting table. The victim reached over the table as the computer generated laser cutter moved position while in the cutting cycle. The victim could not move fast enough, subsequently the laser cutting head amputated his left arm.

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5/30/2006	17		YES	Burn (chemical)	Leg(s)	Chemical (liquids or vapors)	Gas, vapor,mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Other	0	HYDROFLUORIC ACID BURN WASHING TRUCK:Employee was engaged in truck washing duties at a commercial truck washing facility using a diluted hydrofluoric acid solution. The employee was using a pressure sprayer wand to dispense the solution on a truck parked in the wash bay. The solution saturated his clothing when the pressure sprayer valve was not turned off before hanging it up on the wall. The employee suffered first degree burns to the upper thigh area of about 15 square inches. Appropriate first aid procedures were not followed as the employee did not rinse the area before applying calcium gluconate, and did not remove the contaminated clothing after the exposure. The employee did not receive hazard communication training prior to beginning work using chemicals.
5/30/2006	24		YES	Fracture	Finger(s)	Machine	Shear point action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task	0	CRUSHED FINGER ON PRESS BRAKE:On or about May 30, 2006 at 10:30 am, an employee crushed his fingers in a press brake while assisting the operator bending metal roofing material.
5/29/2006	40		YES	Other	Lung	Chemical (liquids or vapors)	Gas, vapor,mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	HEATED PENETRATING OIL HOSPITALIZES 2 EMPLOYEES:Five employees were performing non-routine maintenance (fan repair) in a deactivated steam heated drying oven. For the purpose of loosening metal parts, a penetrating oil (BD-7-77) was applied to the fan components and heated with a torch. The work occurred on May 29, 2006. Severe onset of respiratory distress occurred the evening of May 29, 2006 and persisted until three affected employees requested medical care on May 31, 2006. Two employees remained hospitalized for more than 24 hours.
5/29/2006	57		YES	Other	Lung	Chemical (liquids or vapors)	Gas, vapor,mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	HEATED PENETRATING OIL HOSPITALIZES 2 EMPLOYEES:Five employees were performing non-routine maintenance (fan repair) in a deactivated steam heated drying oven. For the purpose of loosening metal parts, a penetrating oil (BD-7-77) was applied to the fan components and heated with a torch. The work occurred on May 29, 2006. Severe onset of respiratory distress occurred the evening of May 29, 2006 and persisted until three affected employees requested medical care on May 31, 2006. Two employees remained hospitalized for more than 24 hours.
5/25/2006	48		YES	Fracture	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Other	15	EMPLOYEE STEPPED ONTO PLYWOOD HOLE COVER THAT FAILED: The employee was installing fire sprinkler components while standing on a conveyor after a fire. When he stepped off the conveyor he stepped onto a 1/2-inch plywood hole cover; the cover failed and he fell through the hole approximately 15 feet, breaking his ankle.
5/24/2006	22		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Operational position not appropriate for task		EMPLOYEE RUN OVER BY FORKLIFT: An employee, after restacking pallets of chicken, was moving toward the lift he was operating and was struck from behind by a forklift and sustained a broken leg.

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5/22/2006	19		YES	Fracture	Chest	Dirt, sand, stone	Weather, earthquake, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		A 7.25 FOOT DEEP TRENCH CAVED IN ON TWO EMPLOYEES: On a Monday morning after heavy rain the previous night, two employees were working in an unshored trench about 36 inches wide and 7.25 feet deep, installing a 10-inch-diameter sewer line. The two employees had just completed installing the first section of pipe and had tamped it with a mechanical tamper. They then had the excavator dig out for the next length and put bedding rock down. They put the second section of pipe in the trench and were using a laser tool to make sure it was on grade when a co-worker standing near the open trench saw the northwall of the trench moving and shouted. The north wall caved in on them, completely burying one worker and burying the other up to his waist. Both workers were successfully extracted. One worker suffered a cracked rib and bruised shoulder where a large clod of the clay dirt had struck him. The worker who was completely covered suffered a cracked rib and a small puncture to the lung. Both workers returned to the job within seven days. The trench was in clay soil; however, a natural gas line had been installed 16-18 inches to the north and
5/19/2006	22		YES	Fracture	Multiple	Other	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	VICTIM WAS ROLLED OVER BY THE LOG HE WAS BUCKING.:The victim was bucking a large old growth log on steep ground, when his saw became pinched (hung up). The victim placed 2 wedges between the butt cut and the second cut. His cutting partner was just up the hill and threw his ax down to the victim so he could drive the wedges in and separate the logs. The victim struck one of the wedge with the ax, the butt cut fell free and started rolling down the hill. The victim was attempting to get away from the log, when it appears that the strap on his chaps (leg protection) got caught by a large limb from the under side of the log. The log hooked the victim and rolled over him, taking him down the hill. The victim was eventually thrown free from the log. The victim received multiple broken bones to his face and a broken pelvis.
5/19/2006	41	YES		Asphyxia	Chest	Motor vehicle (highway)	Squeeze point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative		CAUGHT-BETWEEN: An employee working on a wheel alignment on a small truck was crushed by the vehicle while standing in the pit below when the vehicle moved forward and pinned him between the forward pit wall and the vehicle.
5/19/2006	47		YES	Concussion	Head	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		EMPLOYEE CAUGHT UNDER A GRADER: An employee was struck in the head when he released a broken driveline shaft from the under carriage of a grader, the driveline was dislodged, and the vehicle moved, dragging the employee approximately 10 feet.
5/18/2006	22		YES	Fracture	Multiple	Other	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	THE TREE THE VICTIM WAS FALLING CAME BACK AND STRUCK HIM.:The victim was attempting to fall an 84 foot tall hemlock tree that was just above the road. As the tree was falling it struck a maple tree that was leaning out into the area that the hemlock needed to fall. This caused the hemlock tree to jump back and strike the victim, lifting him up and throwing him back past the stump of the tree he was falling. The victim received a lacerated liver, broken ribs and a broken pelvis.
5/17/2006	25		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative	0	THE VICTIMS RIGHT LEG WAS CAUGHT IN THE CONVEYOR TAIL SPOOL:~The employee was just starting his graveyard work shift with the swing shift concrete block splitter operator assisting. They were running the blocks left over from swing shift back through the splitter machine. The were on the second block when a jam up occurred on the out feed side of the splitter. The victim stepped up on the side beam of the waste conveyor to access/release the jam when he felt a tug on his pants/leg, then his leg was jerked into the waste conveyor belt and around under the tail spool,between the conveyor bely and tail spool breaking both bones in the leg.

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5/16/2006	24		YES	Burn or scald (heat)	Arms(s) - multiple	Food	Gas, vapor,mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out	0	FIRE DURING CHANGEOUT OF BAG FILTER OF POWDERCOAT OPERATION:Employee was changing out the bag filter on a powdercoating line for office furniture. Line had initially been stopped/turned off to change out the filter. Another employee turned the line back on unbeknowst and prior to the employee changing the bag filter. As the filter came off, dust spread and flashed, causing the victim to receive 2nd and 3rd degree burns to his hands and arms.
5/12/2006	61		YES	Concussion	Head	Vegetation	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Other		TREE LIMB STRUCK VICTIM IN THE HEAD: The victim felled a 24 inch diameter cedar tree and moved away from the stump as it fell to the ground. The victim was struck in the head by a alder chunk 8 inches in diameter and 42 inches long.
5/11/2006	55		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task		AMPUTATION OF LEFT THUMB: The victim was in the process of drilling a piece of aluminum with a drill press. The vicitm, wearing leather gloves, placed the piece of aluminum under the drill bit and started to drill the hole. His loose-fitting glove became entangled in the drill bit. The drill bit subsequently caught the left thumb of the glove. The victim sustained an amputated left thumb.
5/8/2006	39		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process		VICTIM WAS OPERATING A JOINTER AND FINGERS HIT THE BLADE: The victim was attempting to plane down a piece of high-density polyethylene plastic on a jointer. When he pushed into the blade, the plastic kicked back and his fingers contacted the blade, amputating two fingers.
5/6/2006	39		YES	Cut or laceration	Arms(s) - multiple	Vegetation	Flying object action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		STRUCK BY LOG: The victim was working on a helicopter log landing with several other crew members. A helicopter was approaching the landing with a turn of logs that had three chokers strung or tagged out. The pilot radioed ahead to the landing crew and said they had a long turn coming in and to watch out. The bottom choker with logs in it was landed just off the landing on the slope below. As the other logs in the turn drifted forward, the last choker tensioned and a small top in the turn swung around towards the victim and another employee. As they retreated, the top struck the victim in the arm. He was transported to a local hospital where he received stitches and was hospitalized overnight for observation.
5/5/2006	25		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Ladder	Working surface or facility layout condition	Operational position not appropriate for task		EMPLOYEE FELL OFF LADDER: The victim was working on a midspan drop for cable TV when he fell from his ladder. The victim had hooked his ladder to an aerial strand (wire rope) with his back to the house, which created tension on anchor wire and TV cable. He climbed the ladder and began his work. He noticed a kink in the wire rope going to the house and started to descend the ladder when it "popped" and released the kink in the anchor line. This caused the ladder to bounce away from the victim and he fell. He sustained a compound fracture on his left arm and smaller fractures in wrist and elbow. His co-worker came to his assistance and called 911. The ambulance arrived, assessed the victim, and transported him to the emergency room for medical treatment.
5/4/2006	51		YES	Fracture	Head	Motor vehicle (highway)	Working surface or facility layout condition	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task		EMPLOYEE FELL FROM TRUCK TRAILER: Employee fell while tarping a chip truck trailer, receiving multiple injuries.
5/2/2006	24	YES	NO	Asphyxia	Chest	Machine	Other	Other	0	STRUCK-BY: The chaser was in the process of spooling the guy-lines, when the yarder wen over backwards, crushing the chaser.

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4/26/2006	45		YES	Strain or sprain	Back	Other	Other	Other	0	COFFEE BEAN INTERNATATIONAL DID NOT FILE AN ACCIDENT REPORT: On April 26, 2006 the victim, a temporary employee was working the afternoon shift. His job was to take gray barrels, full of coffee beans, and dump them into hoppers which would feed the beans through tubes to processing and grinding points. The barrels were lifted with the used of a mechanical winching system to a point where the lower portion of the barrel was lifted causing it to dump the contents into the hopper. The victim claimed the barrel came loose and struck him causing a strain to his back. He then left the worksite and told another employee he was going either home or to the hospital. That employee told the supervisor at about 09:00PM about the incident. On April 29th the temp agency called the employer and told them that they had a report of an injured worker (form 801) that was kept in the hospital overnight on April 26,
4/26/2006	52		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Metal products	Materials handling equipment or method	Operational position not appropriate for task		STRUCK BY METAL FRAME: The victim was in the process of scarfing out and re-welding a steel framework approximately 40 feet long by 3 feet wide and 14 inches high, weighing approximately 3,000 lbs. He placed the frame on two sawhorses with an overhead crane, then clamped the 14-inch edge with two C-clamps onto the sawhorses. He removed the crane, came back to the frame and attempted re-tightened the C-clamps. The frame fell onto the victim. It trapped his legs, causing severe trauma to both legs. He was transported to hospital and on the way to the operating room he suffered a massive heart attack.
4/24/2006	24		YES	Fracture	Wrist(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		IMPROPER SET UP OF LADDER RESULTED IN A FALL OF 12-15 FEET: Two employees involved in a siding operation set two extension ladders on a single-stage mason-type tubular welded-frame scaffold. Because of the pressure from the ladders the scaffold rolled, causing both employees to fall 12-15 feet. One employee suffered a broken wrist.
4/20/2006	53	YES		Other	Chest	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Catch point or puncture action	Operational position not appropriate for task		WORKER RUN OVER BY BRUSH-CUTTING TRACTOR: A county worker on a work party cutting brush from highway right-of-way was attempting to pull a county pickup truck out of a ditch by towing it with the tractor/brush cutter. As the tractor was backing up to the pickup, it failed to stop and struck and ran over the victim, killing him. The tractor continued on and did not stop until it struck the pickup truck.
4/19/2006	42	YES		Other	Multiple	Motor vehicle (highway)	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Defective equipment: Knowingly used	0	STRUCK BY LOG TRUCK: A log truck driver with one year experience was ran over by the truck he was driving when he jumped from the loaded vehicle as it was traveling down a steep logging road.
4/7/2006	21		YES	Cut or laceration	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Pinch point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		WORKER'S ARM WAS CAUGHT IN BLADES OF A HORIZONTAL FOOD MIXER: A worker was operating a horizontal food mixer and was in the process of scraping dough from the inside of the mixing bowl with a 10-inch spatula. During the process, as the blades of the mixer were revolving, the spatula and the victim's right arm were caught in the rotating blades. The victim became entrapped and was extracted approximately 45 minutes later by the local fire department rescue personnel. The victim was hospitalized for a severed nerve and artery damage and a crushed elbow joint.
4/7/2006	38		YES	Fracture	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Hoisting apparatus	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Operational position not appropriate for task		STRUCK BY LOAD FALLING FROM CRANE: A machine operator's foot was crushed when a fork attachment on a bridge crane fell from the crane's hook assembly.

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4/5/2006	34		YES	Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out		WORKER CAUGHT ARM AND HAND BETWEEN CONVEYOR AND ROLLS: A worker attempted to assemble a machine that crimps dough with the conveyor running and the guard off the machine. The worker leaned on the running conveyor and her arm was moved into the dough-crimper rolls and pinched between the rolls and the conveyor belt. A sanitation lead person used the emergency button to shut down the system and assisted in extracting her arm from the machine. She was transported to hospital.
4/3/2006	51	YES		Fracture	Multiple	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		LOGGING TRUCK ACCIDENT: An employee was driving a fully loaded log truck downhill and failed to negotiate a sharp corner on the road, sending it over the steep bank. The truck cab was crushed, fatally injuring the operator. He was pronounced dead at the site.
4/2/2006	28		YES	Electric shock	Face	Electrical apparatus or wiring	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		WORKERS CLEANING ELECTRICAL PANEL BURNED BY FLASH: Two workers were attempting to clean an electrical panel supplying power to a booster pump for a well in a remote ranch location. One of the workers attempted to scrape debris from the contact points and shorted the screwdriver on the knife-switch bar, causing a flash and energizing the panel. Both workers suffered burns to face and hands. They drove themselves to a town where they transferred to an ambulance that took them to hospital and were then transferred to a burn center.
3/31/2006	35	NO	YES	Other	Lung	Fire or smoke	Gas, vapor, mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	OVERCOME BY SMOKE: Victim was fighting fire when his SCBA low air alarm went off. Victim exited the area into the perceived "safe zone", took SCBA face piece off, inhaled smoke and was overcome due to smoke inhalation.
3/31/2006	35		YES	Other	Lung	Fire or smoke	Gas, vapor, mist, fume, dust, etc. condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	0	
3/30/2006	38		YES	Concussion	Head	Machine	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		INJURED IN MACHINE: A set-up employee was adjusting a mold from inside of a flatbed thermo-former oven. He was found with a head injury lying in the machine.
3/25/2006	28		YES	Fracture	Lower leg(s)	Hoisting apparatus	Working surface or facility layout condition	Safety devices removed or inoperative		EMPLOYEE FELL FROM LIFT, FRACTURED LEG: An employee was in a boom lift removing siding from the third story of a residential home when he fell and fractured his leg. The guardrails on the side facing the home had been removed by the employer and foreman. The employee moved the lift platform 180 degrees to get the cantilevered end of the lift over the west stairs. This opened the north side of the lift to a fall hazard. As the employee continued to remove old siding, it piled up on the floor of the lift. This caused him to trip and fall off the open north side of the lift. The employee suffered a compound fracture of the lower left leg (tibia and fibula). The employee was laying on the ground below the lift and was able to call 911, the EMS system, and his employer. He was taken by ambulance to hospital.
3/23/2006	20		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Other	Equipment in use not appropriate for operation or process		SEVERE LACERATION TO THREE FINGERS WHILE USING CHOP SAW: The employee was utilizing a compound saw to perform cuts for customers buying lumber at the location. The employee attempted to cut a large piece of lumber, the lumber bucked and shattered the saw guard. When this happened, the employee made contact with the rotating blade. This resulted in a 3/4 amputation of the ring and index fingers, and a full amputation of the middle finger on the left hand.

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3/23/2006	20		YES	Fracture	Hand(s)	Machine	Materials handling equipment or method	Safety devices removed or inoperative		CRUSHED RIGHT HAND: The operator of a sticker sorter machine had left the machine running and was cleaning up. The victim was attempting to place stickers and debris from the floor onto the sticker conveyor; he felt the material push back and his right hand was caught in the inrunning nip point of the rotating tail chain and sprocket of the sticker sorting table. The hand traveled around the sprocket to the top of the sorting table, where the victim was able to extract it from under the conveyor chain. The victim suffered the amputation and loss of the middle finger, other broken finger and hand bones, and lacerations.
3/22/2006	28		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Operational position not appropriate for task		WORKER STUCK HAND INTO IMPELLER: The victim was attempting to get dust to drop through an airlock with an impeller on a dust bag collection system. He had taken the top off the dust cart below and allowed the dust accumulated in the bottom of the airlock area to fall into the cart. He put his hand up the bottom of the airlock area to check if all the dust was free to fall. His fingers became pinched between the impellers and the inside wall of the airlock area, amputating the ends of the index and middle fingers.
3/22/2006	45		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Materials handling equipment	Materials handling equipment or method	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation		EMPLOYEE STRUCK BY THE DROP LINE OF A CARRIAGE: A hook tender was on the landing working as the chaser. The company was using a standing skyline with a radio controlled motorized carriage. The carriage was sent out to the rigging crew so a turn of logs could be set on the drop line. As the carriage picked up the turn of logs, it slipped on the skyline. The rigging slinger called the yard engineer and told him the carriage had slipped. The yarder engineer brought the turn near the landing and tested the carriage clamp to see if it would slip; it did not. The yarder engineer then brought the turn to the landing and lowered the drop line to release the logs. The hook tender went in to release the chokers and the carriage slipped on the skyline again. The drop line hit the hook tender as the carriage slid down the line and he was knocked into the power head on the delimeter.
3/21/2006	21	YES		Other	Abdomen	Other	Other	Other		THE VICTIM WAS IMPALED BY A SMALL POLE LOG: The victim and two other employees were standing on the hillside, watching a turn of logs move toward the motorized carriage. As the turn got to within about 5 feet of the carriage, the rigging slinger saw something out of the corner of his eye, leaned forward and was narrowly missed by a pole that was sliding down the hill behind them. The victim, standing next to the rigging slinger, was impaled by the small end of the 41-foot pole and taken 27 feet down the hill, where the pole stuck in the ground with the victim still impaled. The rigging slinger (supervisor) called over the radio to inform the yarder operator that a man had been hurt, and also blew seven long whistles so other crew members would know a man was injured. The rigging slinger sent the other crew member up the hill to meet the crew with the stretcher and first-aid supplies. The pole was cut away from the victim and he was carried up the hill. As it was too foggy to attempt a helicopter evacuation, the victim was transported by ambulance. He died en route to the hospital.

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3/21/2006	40		YES	Fracture	Upper leg(s)	Vegetation	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		STRUCK BY LOG: The victim was engaged in setting chokers in a clearcut unit of second-growth tree-length timber. The crew was pre-setting chokers on both sides of the standing skyline system with motorized carriage. A turn of three logs had been set near the skyline on the north side. The rigging slinger and hooktender retreated to the north side of the lines after the turn had been hooked up while the victim and another choker setter worked on the south side of the lines. The go-ahead signal was given by the hook tender, and as the lines tensioned, one of the logs in the turn swung toward the victim. A stop signal was given, but momentum carried the log on to strike the victim as he attempted to reach a safe area. His femur was fractured, and he was taken to a local hospital.
3/15/2006	24		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls	16	WORKER FELL 16 FEET 7 INCHES FROM ROOF: A worker fell 16 feet 7 inches of a 4:12 pitch roof during roofing activities. No fall protection was used.
3/14/2006	59		YES	Burn or scald (heat)	Chest	Heat (environmen-tal or mechanical)	Other	0		BURNS TO UPPER LEFT ARMPIT AND SIDE: An employee was attempting to straighten a bent metal stop-sign post, using an oxygen/acetylene torch set to heat the metal. The employee recalls reaching over the heated pipe to pick up the wrench that he was going to attach to the pipe for leverage to straighten the pipe. About that time the employee noted that his shirt on the left side was on fire. He then traveled approximately 50 feet to an outside water hose which he used to douse himself. He then went next door to the local fire epartment to seek medical assistance.
3/11/2006	46		YES	Fracture	Hip(s)	Other	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		A TREE THE VICTIM WAS FALLING SET BACK AND THEN STRUCK HIM: The victim was attempting to hand fall a fir tree that was 15 inches on the stump. The victim made the face 11 inches deep, causing the tree to set back on his bar and chain. The victim's cutting partner came to help him take the motor off the bar. The two employees attempted to drive a wedge in each corner of the tree. They stated that it appeared that the tree was starting to lif off the bar and chain, so the victim stayed at the stump and continued to try to drive the wedges while the other cutter stepped out of the way. The tree started to go over the wrong way. The victim tried to run out of the way as the tree started splitting ("barber-chairing"). The tree split, struck a log, and then struck the victim, cracking his pelvis.
3/9/2006	41		YES	Burn (chemical)	Hand(s)	Fire or smoke	Flammable liquid or solid exposure	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task		WORKER BURNED WHILE BURNING WEEDS: The victim and co-worker were assigned to burn weeds along and in irrigation ditches. The victim pumped approximately 27 gallons of gasoline into a spillway area below the access road. The wind blowing toward him carried the vapors through a culvert under the road; the vapor was ignited by smoldering tumbleweeds or the pilot light on the propane torch. This caused the gasoline to ignite and flare up burning the victim on the face and hands.

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3/7/2006	53		YES	Electric shock	Head	Electrical apparatus or wiring	Other	Safety devices removed or inoperative		ELECTRICAL CONTACT: As the victim was changing out low voltage equipment, he made contact with 227 volts. The victim was changing out backup battery equipment when he dropped a bolt into the UPS system. The victim removed the lower guard exposing live electrical connectors. As the victim was reaching into the unit he slipped, striking his head against one leg of a 480 volt breaker. A co-worker pulled the victim away from the unit and started CPR and calling for help. Assistance was rendered until the paramedics arrived. The victim was transported to a local hospital and it was determined that he had suffered burns, cuts, and some brain injuries.
3/6/2006	36			Fracture	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Operational position not appropriate for task	8	FALL INTO MECHANICAL PIT: An employee attempting to remove and re-install a mechanical pit temporary cover fell approximately 8 feet, hitting the pit bottom and sustaining serious injuries to his left ankle.
3/3/2006	48		YES	Fracture	Body system	Materials handling equipment	Squeeze point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		STRUCK BY FORKLIFT: The victim was standing watching his semi-trailer being loaded with glass products. He stepped in front of the forklift operator as she took a load into the trailer. He was struck and sustained fractured ribs and a fractured clavicle.
2/25/2006	25		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task		EMPLOYEE FELL INTO A RETURN CONVEYOR: Employee fell into an unguarded conveyor chain while transferring trim ends. The mill's chipper was out of service for approximately four hours, and in those circumstances at that mill, it is the practice to keep the mill operational. Trim ends are unloaded from the conveyer chain and tossed onto the floor, then loaded back into the conveyer when the chipper is restarted. The employee was clearing a path along the conveyer when he slipped and fell into the conveyer. His right leg became entangled in the tail drum, resulting in serious injuries. Other injuries the employee suffered included multiple broken bones in his right foot, and compressed fourth and fifth discs in his spine, which caused his forearms and hands to go numb.
2/24/2006	30		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Misjudgment of hazardous situation	12	FELL FROM WINDOW: The victim was working in a second-story room at a residential home construction site. While working on clearing an area on the floor he slipped and lost his balance. He reached out for the guardrail and lower part of the newly installed window opening. He fell against the railing. It gave way under his weight, sending him through the opening to the ground approximately 12 feet 7 inches below. He sustained a fractured right femur and two fractures to the lower right leg plus approximately six puncture wounds to his left leg when he fell on the piece of lumber that gave way.
2/23/2006	62	YES		Fracture	Chest	Materials handling equipment	Squeeze point action	Malfunction of procedure for lock-out tag-out		CRUSHED: An employee was fatally injured when he was caught between a lift arm of a tote dump and the side of a hopper. Evidence indicates the victim was standing on a catwalk located adjacent to the tote dump machine that dumped large boxes of french fries into a hopper. He leaned over the side of the hopper to retrieve a box liner that may have dropped into the hopper. His right coat pocket contacted the lever controlling the tote dump and pushed the lever downward, causing the lift arm to move downward in the dumping position. The lift arm contacted his back and crushed his chest against the side of the hopper.
2/22/2006	58		YES	Fracture	Hip(s)	Working surface	Working surface or facility layout condition	Insufficient or lack of housekeeping program		EMPLOYEE TRIPPED, FRACTURING HIP: The employee was walking in the warehouse and tripped on a plastic freight strap, fell to the concrete floor, and fractured his left hip.

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2/21/2006	45		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Other	Operational position not appropriate for task		CAUGHT IN MACHINERY: The victim was working as a green chain operator, sorting 8-foot and 9-foot lumber to the unscramblers/stackers. Some lumber crossed up on the camelback conveyor and the worker crossed over a bridge to a nearby platform to fix the problem. As he leaned over the edge of the conveyor his t-shirt was caught by a 3-inch diameter smooth shaft that extended out approximately 3 inches from the table. The employee was twisted on the shaft and flipped over a couple of times before nearby employees shut the conveyor off. He sustained multiple fractures to his right arm.
2/21/2006	46		YES	Burn or scald (heat)	Body system	Hand tool (manual)	Flammable liquid or solid exposure	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task		BURNED BY SCRAP METAL: The victim was in the process of cutting up scrap metal with an oxyacetylene burning torch. A piece of slag got under the victim's armpit and set him on fire. He was not wearing a burn coat. He sustained second degree burns to his torso.
2/21/2006	47		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		FINGERS CRUSHED IN LATHE: A machinist was removing a newly made part on a metal lathe. He inserted a chuck key into the lathe chuck to loosen it. He placed a "cheater bar" over the chuck to gain leverage and was attempting to break the chuck free when the machine started up, causing the cheater bar to move and crushing his fingers between the bar and the lathe bed.
2/19/2006	58	YES		Fracture	Leg(s)	Working surface	Other	Other		PULMONARY EDEMA: The victim struck the leg of an office chair at her workplace, causing a hairline fracture to her left femur. She was transported to the hospital. Due to complications of the her health conditions, she died.
2/17/2006	23		YES	Amputation	Hand(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		FINGERS CAUGHT IN A CHAIN AND SPROCKET: An employee retrieving his glove reached around a guarded conveyor belt drive motor and came in contact with the chain and sprocket that was a part of the drive motor, amputating the employee's fingers.
2/17/2006	37		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		STRUCK BY FORKLIFT: The victim was in the process of assisting a forklift operator load a crate of glass onto a truck by holding it steady. The forklift operator had the load spin in a high wind while suspended from a boom attachment on the forks. This put the victim on the blind side of the operator. As the forklift moved forward it struck the victim's right ankle, knocked him down and ran over the lower part of his leg. The victim sustained multiple fractures.
2/14/2006	54		YES	Burn (chemical)	Body system	Chemical (liquids or vapors)	Chemical action/reaction exposure	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		WORKER WAS EXPOSED TO POSSIBLE SULFURIC ACID FUMES: A worker worked within an environment that contained possible sulfuric acid fumes for approximately 7 hours. The worker suffered chemical burns to the upper and middle respiratory tract. The worker was admitted into the intensive care unit at a local hospital.
2/14/2006			YES	Fracture	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Materials handling equipment	Working surface or facility layout condition	Safety devices removed or inoperative		WORKER FELL FROM 11-FOOT HEIGHT: An employee was controlling a pump truck hose to place concrete on an elevated 7 by 16.5-foot porch that did not have a guard rail system installed. The pump equipment became plugged, causing pressure to build in the boom/hose line. The plug shot free, causing the hose to jerk back towards the edge of the porch. The employee lost his balance and jumped to the frozen-hard ground 11 feet below and injured his left heel.

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2/9/2006	33	YES		Fracture	Head	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Catch point or puncture action	Operational position not appropriate for task		CAUGHT BETWEEN: An employee reported to a service call for a water truck at a construction site. The employee received the keys to the water truck from the driver and began his diagnostic work, which included crawling under the operating truck. The collars of the victim's work shirt and coveralls were caught in a projecting set screw on the rotating pump shaft. The set screw pulled him into the pump collar/shaft, fatally wounding him. The water truck driver and construction supervisor heard the accident and ran to help the victim. They turned off the truck and called 911. The victim died in the ambulance on the way to hospital.
2/8/2006	30		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Machine	Pinch point action	Safety devices removed or inoperative		WORKER CAUGHT IN ROTATING SHAFT: The victim was off-loading product from a double pointer saw and walked over to speak to another worker on the opposite side of the machine. As he bent over his sweatshirt became entangled in the slow-rotating horizontal shaft. He attempted to pull his shirt free and both hands became entangled. The machine pulled both forearms around the shaft, breaking both in two places and breaking his right hand. Fellow workers cut him free from the machine, called 911 and rendered first aid. The victim was evacuated to a local hospital for treatment and surgery.
2/8/2006	39		YES	Cut or laceration	Head	Motor vehicle (highway)	Other	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		EMPLOYEE STRUCK BY A MOVING VEHICLE: Employee was crossing in the middle of a T intersection when he was struck by a moving vehicle that was making a left turn.
2/7/2006	27		YES	Fracture	Multiple	Vegetation	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Other		STRUCK BY FALLING TREE: As the victim was looking at a tree to fall he was struck by a small fir snag. The victim had just felled a medium-sized alder tree, and after watching the lay and knowing that the tree hadn't brushed anything, he turned to look at the next tree to be felled. The victim had his back to the small fir that was sitting on the ground surface, 3 inches of root holding it; the vibration caused it to fall. The snag struck the victim on the head and shoulders. The victim was discovered by his cutting partner who summoned help as well as rendered first aid. The victim was taken to a local hospital where it was discovered he had a concussion, broken clavicle, ribs, and tail bone.
2/6/2006	41		YES	Fracture	Face	Bodily motion	Other	Other	19	EMPLOYEE FELL FROM THIRD FLOOR OF TOWNHOUSE UNDER CONSTRUCTION: The victim was in the process of placing sheet rock on an exterior wall prior to the wall being stood up. The victim fell through the wall opening, taking the guardrail with him. He fell approximately 19 feet to the concrete garage slab below.
2/3/2006	25		YES	Fracture	Leg(s)	Bodily motion	Other	Operational position not appropriate for task	8	FALL FROM TOP PLATE: An employee was preparing to receive trusses. He was nailing a support member to the braces that would eventually hold trusses when he lost his balance and fell approximately 8 feet to the floor below.
2/3/2006	27		YES	Bruise, contusion, abrasion	Head	Other	Flying object action	Other		CHASER WAS STRUCK BY A LOG: The chaser was struck by a log as the turn was landing.
2/3/2006	27		YES	Other	Chest	Other	Flying object action	Other		CHASER WAS STRUCK BY A LOG: The chaser was struck by a log as the turn was landing.

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2/3/2006	36		YES	Concussion	Head	Motor vehicle (industrial)	Flying object action	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation		EMPLOYEE STRUCK IN HEAD BY LASER POST WHILE BUILDING ROAD: An employee was injured while engaged in the process of clearing a existing trail into a roadway for a private homeowner. Having completed approximately four hours of brush clearing and road building activity with a Caterpillar D-6 crawler, the employee was leaving the wooded area of the activity. At this time an approximately 5-feet-by-1/2-inch square-boxed tube pipe secured to the back of the operator cab screen came loose and slid about 11 inches outside the operator cab between the rear screen and a vertical member of the rollover protection system. The boxed tube pipe struck a laurel tree and was thrust into the back of the operator's head, knocking him unconscious. The landowner came to assist the operator, who was then transported to a local hospital.
2/1/2006	22	YES		Fracture	Head	Other	Other	Other	7	FALL FROM MOBILE SCAFFOLD: While working from a mobile scaffold the victim fell and sustained fatal head injuries. The employee was working with at least one other employee hanging sheet rock on the shop wall at a private residence.
2/1/2006	59		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Procedure for handling materials not appropriate for task		AMPUTATION OF EIGHT FINGERS: The victim was on one end of cylinder, guiding it with his fingers on the shaft. The shaft had a machined groove where he was holding it. The cylinder tipped during movement and the rod retracted into its barrel, cutting/pinching off eight of the victim's fingers.
1/27/2006	35		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls		VICTIM REACHED UNDER A MACHINE GUARD TO GRAB A DROPPED ITEM: The victim dropped a tamping device onto the feed plate of a machine. The victim reached down to retrieve the dropped item and in the process apparently reached under a machine guard close to a steel knurled roller. The roller pulled the employee's hand into the pinch point, severing two fingers of his hand.
1/24/2006	61		YES	Fracture	Lower leg(s)	Motor vehicle (highway)	Illumination	Other		BUS DRIVER WALKING TO THE BUS WAS STRUCK BY ANOTHER BUS: The employee was walking across the parking lot to her bus when she was struck and run over by another bus that was headed to the shop for a replacement of a clearance light. The victim was wearing dark-colored clothes and carrying an umbrella due to heavy rains.
1/23/2006	34		YES	Electric shock	Multiple	Electrical apparatus or wiring	Other	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation		ELECTRICAL SHOCK: The victim was working with crew members installing a power pole. The pole was set and the victim was making a ground-wire connection to a ground rod at the base of the pole. At the same time, a co-worker was installing an insulated cover on the high voltage phase at the tip of the pole. He pushed the line against the pole, causing a voltage flow from the high voltage line to the ground wire. This action resulted in a shock to the victim.
1/23/2006	36		YES	Fracture	Arms(s) - multiple	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		CRUSHED BETWEEN FORKLIFT AND STATIONARY OBJECT: A forklift operator sustained a fractured arm while operating a rough-terrain forklift. His arm was extended outside of the cab of the machine and resting on a steel post. When he moved the forklift forward his arm was caught between the cab of the forklift and the steel post.
1/21/2006	39		YES	Cut or laceration	Multiple	Machine	Catch point or puncture action	Insufficient or lack of engineering controls		EMPLOYEE WAS CAUGHT IN ROTATING FISH TRAP: While the victim was preparing to collect fish from the fish well on the pontoon type fish trap, her left arm was caught in the small end of the rotating screw near the well.

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1/19/2006	25		YES	Burn (chemical)	Arms(s) - multiple	Heat (environmental or mechanical)	Materials handling equipment or method	Other		VICTIM TRIPPED WHILE CARRYING A CONTAINER OF HEATED ASPHALT: The victim was carrying a container of hot asphalt when he tripped and spilled the asphalt on his right arm.
1/19/2006	36	YES		Burn or scald (heat)	Multiple	Fire or smoke	Flammable liquid or solid exposure	Misjudgment of hazardous situation		BLUNT THERMAL TRAUMA: The victim and a co-worker began performing maintenance on a log loader. A warming fire had been started due to the cold rainy weather that day. At approximately 8 a.m. the co-worker left the area to make a cell phone call to check on parts. When he returned at approximately 8:15 a.m. he discovered the victim lying in the log deck engulfed in flames, approximately 35 feet from the warming fire. There was another fire approximately 20 feet away from the warming fire, which was determined to be a 5-gallon plastic gasoline container that had previously held about a half gallon of gasoline. It is believed that the fire may have been going out and the deceased poured gas on it to start it back up and the gas can exploded, killing him immediately.
1/13/2006	63		YES	Fracture	Head	Materials handling equipment	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation		STRUCK BY LOAD OF WOOD PALLETS: The victim was in the process of strapping down the load of wood pallets on his truck when the load fell on him. The forklift driver was attempting to straighten the load. When he went to straighten the load with the mast of the forklift, the mast knocked the pallets on the victim, striking him in the face and chest and knocking him backwards; he hit his head on the pavement and was knocked out. He was transported to hospital, where a CT scan which showed a fractured skull and swelling on the brain. The victim was sent to a trauma center for observation.
1/11/2006	61		YES	Fracture	Hip(s)	Vegetation	Overhead moving and/or falling object action	Other		CUTTER WAS STRUCK BY A FALLING TREE: The victim felled a Douglas fir tree, and as he was moving to the next tree, a tree up the hill fell and struck the victim.
1/10/2006	30		YES	Amputation	Foot, feet, toes or ankle(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Other		FORKLIFT AMPUTATED VICTIM'S TOES: The victim retrieved a stand-up forklift from the battery recharging bay. He logged onto the on board computer, then started to reverse out of the designated battery station when another stand-up forklift bumped into his machine. He felt pain in his left foot, subsequently finding he had severely injured his toes. He subsequently had three toes surgically removed.
1/9/2006	33		YES	Fracture	Face	Person	Other	Other		LOADER MOVING A GUYLINE STUB STRUCK THE VICTIM: The log loader was moving a guyline stub from one area of the landing to another. The loader was boomed out to get under the skyline with the guyline stub in the grapples. As the loader operator rotated, the processor operator observed the victim and another employee on the ground in the path of the swinging boom and guyline stub. He yelled over the CB radio for the loader operator to stop swinging. As the loader operator attempted to stop the swing of the boom, the end of the guyline swung around the victim's neck and struck him in the face, breaking multiple bones in his face.

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1/5/2006	38		YES	Amputation	Leg(s)	Materials handling equipment	Pinch point action	Malfunction of procedure for securing operation or warning of hazardous situation		EMPLOYEE CAUGHT IN CHAIN, CAUSING AMPUTATION: The employee walked out to the core chain that transfers peeler cores to the storage chain and whole log chipper and attempted to straighten a cross-up of the cores that had just been peeled by the veneer lathe. During the process, his right leg slipped down through the moving box chain into a hole in the metal pan below the chain. The chain dragged his leg over a pinch point (metal edge) and severed his leg below the knee. The victim was dragged back to the core stop. The victim got up off the chain and hopped to the core operator station. From there he moved to the lathe operator station. The supervisors and co-workers were contacted, and they called 911 and activated the EMS system. The ambulance arrived, and paramedics stabilized the victim and had co-workers find and retrieve the severed leg. The victim was transported to an emergency center.
1/5/2006	55		YES	Amputation	Finger(s)	Machine	Pinch point action	Operational position not appropriate for task		FINGERS CRUSHED IN TUBING BENDER: A machine operator's fingers were crushed in a tube-bending machine while he was preparing a piece of pipe for a bend.