

Oregon workplace fatalities, by year and industry

These tables enumerate Oregon workplace fatalities reported to Oregon OSHA, sorted by year and cause of fatality. They distinguish between “program-related” and other workplace fatalities.

Program-related workplace fatalities are those that are both compensable under the Oregon workers’ compensation system and investigated by OR-OSHA. Compensable workplace fatalities are those covered by Oregon workers’ compensation law.

Oregon Workplace Fatalities, by year and industry (total)

Industry	2000 (10/99-9/00)	2001 (10/00-9/01)	2002 (10/01-9/02)	2003 ³ (10/02-9/03)	2004 (10/03-9/04)	2005 ⁴ (10/99-9/00)	2006 first two quarters (10/05-3/06)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	2	6	7	3	5	1	0
Construction	10	6	8	9	9	8	2
Logging	7	4	5	9	8	4	3
Manufacturing (excluding logging)	9	8	11	10	11	6	5
Transportation and public utilities	11	8	6	3	4	8	2
Wholesale and retail trade	7	7	13	6	10	10	3
Finance, insurance, and real estate	2		2	1	0	0	2
Services	6	5	13	3	4	8	5
Public administration	1	6	5	9	4	1	0
Total reported fatalities for year	55 ¹	50	70 ²	54	55	47	22

Oregon Workplace Fatalities, by year and industry (program-related⁵)

Industry	2000 ¹ (10/99-9/00)	2001 (10/00-9/01)	2002 ² (10/01-9/02)	2003 ³ (10/02-9/03)	2004 (10/03-9/04)	2005 ⁴ (10/99-9/00)	2006 first two quarters (10/05-3/06)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	2	5	4	2	4	1	0
Construction	8	5	2	4	5	3	1
Logging	6	3	4	7	5	4	3
Manufacturing (excluding logging)	5	5	7	1	6	2	4
Transportation and public utilities	4	2	0	1	1	4	1
Wholesale and retail trade	3	3	4	1	5	5	1
Finance, insurance, and real estate	1		1	1	0	0	0
Services	3	2	6	1	1	1	2
Public administration	1	2	2	3	1	0	0
Total program-related (investigated) fatalities for year	33	27	32	21	28	21	12

Notes:

1. One nonjurisdictional fatality was reported in 2000.
2. Five nonjurisdictional fatalities were reported in 2002.
3. In 2003 one fatality was reported at a nonclassifiable workplace.
4. In 2005 one fatality was reported as the result of a catastrophe (manufacturing) and one fatality was reported at an unclassified workplace.
5. Compensable under Oregon workers’ compensation law and investigated by Oregon OSHA.