

MSHA Coal Mine Injuries and Fatalities 1930-2007



Year	Total Injuries 1/	Incidence Rate	Total Fatalities	Incidence Rate
1930	71,217	*	1,619	*
1940	59,164	*	1,388	*
1950	37,907	*	643	*
1960	12,227	*	325	*
1970	11,552	*	260	*
1980	22,723	10.03	133	0.06
1990	15,825	10.18	66	0.04
1991	14,668	10.18	61	0.04
1992	13,068	9.47	55	0.04
1993	11,023	6.53	47	0.04
1994	11,378	9.27	45	0.04
1995	9,702	8.22	47	0.04
1996	8,315	7.24	39	0.03
1997	7,969	6.97	30	0.03
1998	7,934	7.15	29	0.03
1999	6,621	6.44	35	0.03
2000	6,429	6.64	38	0.04
2001	6,299	6.03	42	0.04
2002	6,039	6.03	27	0.03
2003	5,168	5.38	30	0.03
2004	5,129	5.00	28	0.03
2005	5,182	4.62	22	0.02
2006	5,249	4.46	47	0.04
2007	4,881	4.21	34	0.03

Data include operators, contractors, office workers and prep plants.

* - Incidence rates prior to 1980 were compiled per million employee hours. Incidence rates 1980 forward are per 200,000 employee-hours.

1/ All injuries, fatal and nonfatal. N/A - Not Available 2007 data may be preliminary.

SOURCE: Mine Safety & Health Administration website (www.msha.gov).

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