

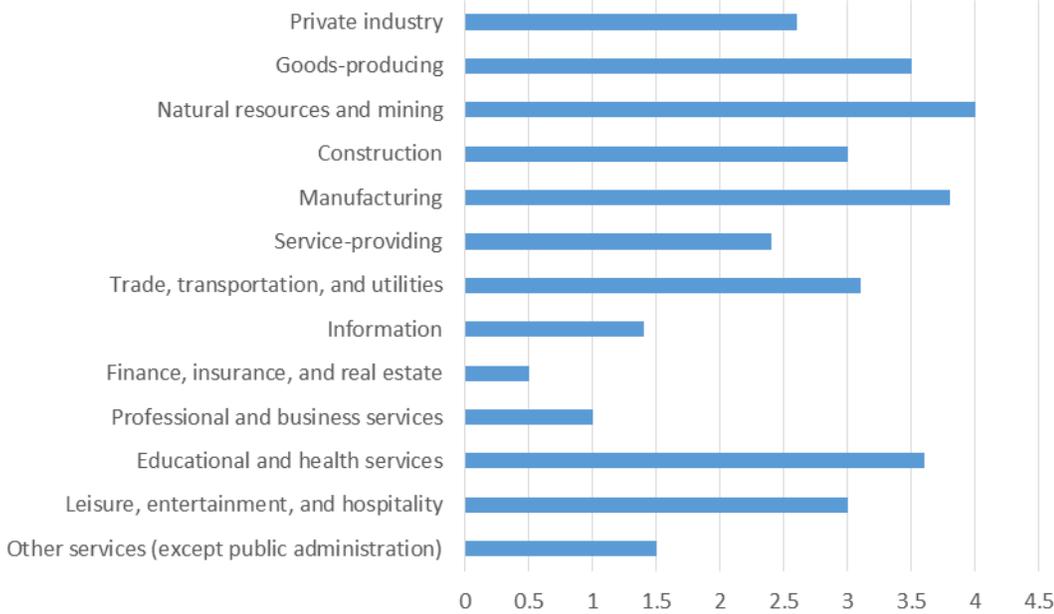
# 2017 OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND ILLNESSES IN MISSOURI

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Incidence rates per 100 full-time workers



- 50,600 nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses in private industry
- 11,270 cases with lost work time
- Nine median days away from work



Male  
63.3%



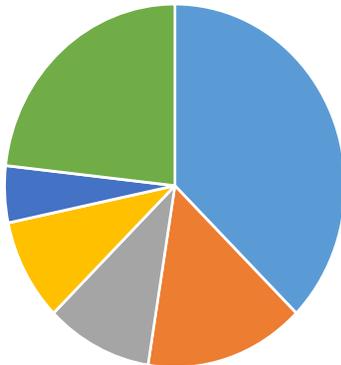
Female  
36.5%

## Occupations with the most injuries and illnesses

- Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand—830
- Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers—770
- Construction laborers—660
- Retail salespersons—450
- Maintenance and repair workers, general—330

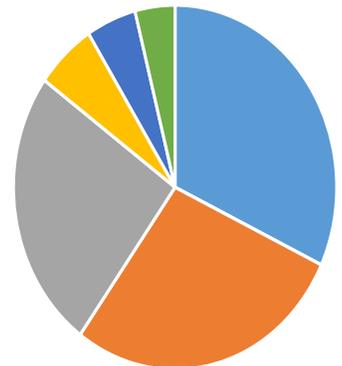
Distribution by Nature

- Sprains, strains, tears (37%)
- Fractures (15%)
- Bruise, contusions (10%)
- Cuts, lacerations, punctures (9%)
- Soreness, pain (5%)
- All other (23%)



Distribution by Event or Exposure

- Overexertion and bodily reaction (32%)
- Falls, slips, trips (28%)
- Contact with object, equipment (25%)
- Transportation incidents (6%)
- Violence and other injuries by persons or animal (5%)
- All other (4%)



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