

In 2023, industry data reports were updated to go by date of injury vs. date reported to the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations. As such, prior versions of this form should not be compared to this current version as the data sets are not the same.

ANALYZING WORKPLACE INJURIES IN THE Manufacturing Industry

To eliminate workplace injuries and fatalities, we must understand when, why and how they happen. Having these specific analytics on hand will allow businesses in hazardous industries to target problem areas and initiate solutions that will lower the number of workplace accidents.

The Manufacturing sector is comprised of establishments engaged in the mechanical, physical or chemical transformation of materials, substances or components into new products.

The highest number of injury incidents in the Manufacturing industry occurred:



at Noon



on Thursday



in June



Multiple
Body Parts



on Males



within 30-39 Age Group



in St. Louis County

Ranked #4 in Workplace Fatalities

8 out of 87 Fatalities are in Manufacturing > 9.20%



RANKED #2 IN HIGHEST NUMBER OF INJURY INCIDENTS

Total Incidents in Top 5 Industries ▶ 53,262

Total Incidents in All Industries ▶ 88,295

60% of All Incidents are in Top 5 Industries

RANKED #1
IN THE MOST LOST TIME
INJURY INCIDENTS

Total Lost Time Incidents in Top 5 Industries ▶ 4,321

Total Lost Time Incidents in All Industries ▶ 6,934

62% of Lost Time Incidents are in Top 5 Industries

Top Industries in Number of Injury Incidents

Health Care & Social Assistance 16,285

Manufacturing 13,041

Retail Trade 9,813

Public Administration 8,300

Trans. & Warehousing 5,823

Top Industries in Lost Time Injury Incidents

Manufacturing 1,089

Health Care & Social Assistance 1,018

Public Administration 809

627

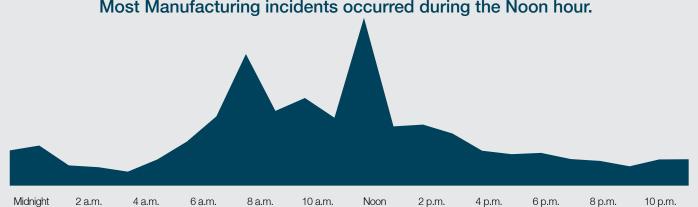
Trans. & Warehousing 778

Retail Trade



Injury Incidents by Time of Day

Most Manufacturing incidents occurred during the Noon hour.





Injury Incidents by Day of the Week **Most Manufacturing incidents** occurred on a Thursday.

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448	2,432	2,425	2,529	2,586	1,963	658



Top 10 Injury Incidents by Body Part Multiple body parts were the most injured body part in Manufacturing.



Multiple Body Parts	2,091
Finger(s)/Thumb(s)	. 1,857
Wrist(s)/Hand(s)	.1,716
Upper Arm(s)/Shoulder(s)	1,161
Knee(s)/Lower Leg(s)	966
Back	960
Ankle(s)/Foot/Feet	770
Elbow(s)/Lower Arm(s)	762
Eye(s)	583
Abdomen/Groin/Buttocks	260

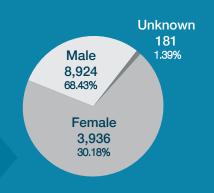


Injury Incidents by Gender In Manufacturing, males had over two times more incidents than females.



Injury Incidents by Month The highest number of Manufacturing incidents occurred in June.

JAN	FEB	MAR
1,061	1,101	1,265
APR	MAY	JUN
1,027	1,172	1,305
JUL	AUG	SEP
1,114	1,238	1,046
1,114 OCT	1,238	1,046 DEC





Incidents by Age Group

The 30-39 age group had the highest number of injury incidents in Manufacturing.

Age Group	Manufacturing	All Industries Total
10-15	2	61
16-19	352	3,864
20-29	2,668	21,893 Highest Total
30-39	2,976	19,360
40-49	2,755	16,435
50-59	2,732	16,146
60-69	1,437	8,990
70-79	111	1,391
80-89	8	148
Unknown	0	7

Incidents by County St. Louis County had the most Manufacturing incidents.



Top 5 Counties with the Most Incidents

St. Louis County	1,753	
Clay	1,146	Jackson 938
St. Charles	1,095	Greene 839

Injury Incidents by Cause

Most Manufacturing incidents occur due to lifting

Lifting	1,101
Strain or Injury by, NOC	874
Repetitive Motion	874
Pushing or Pulling	677
On Same Level	560

Iniury Incidents by Nature

The highest number of Manufacturing injury incidents are strain and tears

Strain or Tear	3,525
Contusion	1,917
Laceration	1,805
Sprain or Tear	1,219
All Other Specific Injuries NOC	200

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