

Workplace injuries, diseases & fatalities in Alberta

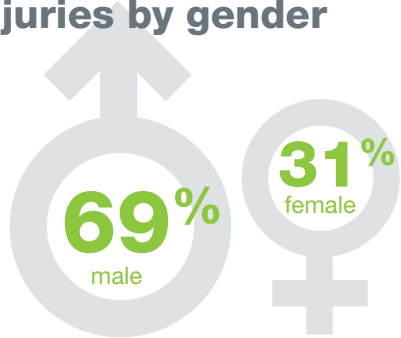
Agriculture & forestry sector overview 2019

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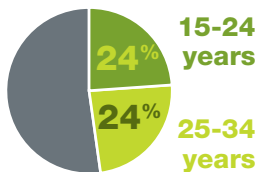
Injury claims by workers in 2019

Approximately 4 in 100 workers were injured

Injuries by gender



Age with highest injury claims



Common types of injuries

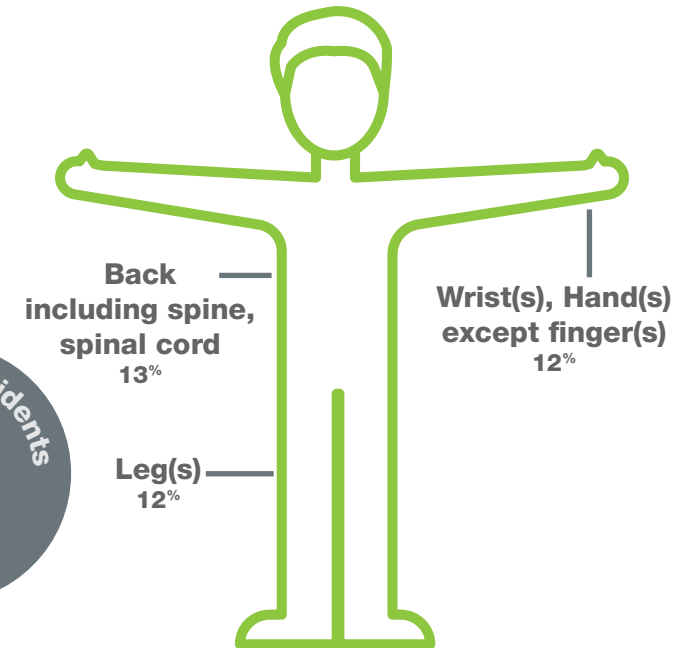
Sprains/ Strains/ Tears	39%
Fractures/ Dislocations/ Nerve damage	15%
Superficial wounds	12%

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Number of workers who died¹



Commonly injured parts of the body



Occupations with higher injuries

General farm workers
31%



Transport truck drivers
8%



Heavy equipment operators except crane
4%



Top three causes of injuries among workers

Falls	21%
Struck by object	11%
Overexertion	11%

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Data reflects 2019 injury, disease and fatality statistics as accepted and reported by the Workers' Compensation Board of Alberta.

¹All numbers are based on the year of the fatality.