

Construction

Industry Snapshot 2024



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The workforce

This industry covers a wide range of activities, separated into eight groups. The three largest employing groups are:

1. Building Installation Services
2. Building Completion Services
3. Residential Building Construction



The people

Land development and site preparation services



had the highest serious injury frequency rate with **34.7 serious injuries per million hours worked**.

Occupations with the highest percentage of serious injuries:



26%

Bricklayers,
Carpenters and Joiners

17%

Miscellaneous
Labourers



The injuries

796

Injuries across the industry in 2024
483 were serious injuries

14.4

Serious injuries per million hours worked
27% higher than the state average

50%

Higher serious injury frequency rate in 2024 than 10 years ago

8

Work-related worker deaths in the past ten years

The causes



1. Falls, slips and trips



2. Body Stressing



3. Being hit by moving objects



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