

Table 1-6 : Claims accepted for fatal benefits in 2009¹

Subsector ²	Description ³	Year of death	Occupation	Age ⁴	What happened
7010	Agriculture	2009	Nursery labourer	29	Worker was operating an ATV and collided with a parked semi-trailer
7010	Agriculture	2009	Herdsmen	18	Tractor overturned
7010	Agriculture	2009	Farm worker	43	Farm tractor overturned
7020	Fishing	2008	Shellfish farmer	59	Fishing vessel capsized and sank. Worker missing, presumed drowned
7030	Forestry	2009	Log loader operator	55	Log loader fell from barge into ocean
7030	Forestry	2009	Falling contractor	46	Worker was crushed by roots while bucking a windfall
7030	Forestry	2009	Faller	59	Struck by a large slab that fell from a tree
7030	Forestry	2009	Feller-buncher operator	44	Motor vehicle incident. Pickup truck ran off road
7040	Oil, Gas And Mining	2009	Maintenance foreman	75	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7040	Oil, Gas And Mining	2008	Crew truck foreman	23	Isolation valve under pressure blew off pipe, striking worker in face
7040	Oil, Gas And Mining	2009	Bulldozer operator	63	Worker backed a bulldozer over a 10 foot embankment, and was ejected from the machine
7040	Oil, Gas And Mining	2008	Truck driver	46	Motor vehicle incident resulting in quadriplegia. Cause of death: pneumonia
7040	Oil, Gas And Mining	2009	Miner	89	Exposure to dust in mines: silicosis
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Electrician	84	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Machinist	83	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Motor mechanic	75	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Electrical engineer	88	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2008	Pipefitter	84	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Machinist	74	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Machinist	74	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Yardman — scrap yard	33	A winch dislodged from a bulldozer and fell onto the worker
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Shipbuilding labour	87	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma.

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7120	Mineral Products	2009	Cement truck driver	57	Motor vehicle incident. Worker was struck by a motor vehicle while putting tire chains on his truck
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Shipbuilder	78	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Shipbuilder-welder	91	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7120	Mineral Products	2008	Pipefitter	77	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
7120	Mineral Products	2007	Potman	81	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis
7120	Mineral Products	2009	Smelterman	69	Exposure to polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons: lung cancer
7130	Chemical Products	2008	Fibreglasser	69	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
7130	Chemical Products	2008	Gas plant operator	64	Worker was involved in an ATV incident
7130	Chemical Products	2008	Paint maker	70	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7130	Chemical Products	2009	Labourer — fibreglass	44	Worker was welding on a barrel when the barrel blew up
7130	Chemical Products	2009	Floor worker	32	Worker climbed into a feed hopper of an energized waste materials baler and was crushed when the machine cycled automatically
7140	Wood And Paper	2008	Shift engineer	77	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis
7140	Wood And Paper	2008	Heavy duty mechanic	71	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
7140	Wood And Paper	2009	Millwright	53	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7140	Wood And Paper	2009	Furniture maker	60	Worker slipped and fell on ice, striking head on ground
7140	Wood And Paper	2009	Caterpillar operator	76	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7140	Wood And Paper	2008	Pipefitter	75	Exposure to chlorine gas: asthma
7140	Wood And Paper	2008	Millwright	85	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis
7210	General Construction	2008	Framer	41	Worker fell 10 feet through plywood sheeting
7210	General Construction	2009	Floor layer	64	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2008	Construction worker	67	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Construction foreman	64	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer

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7210	General Construction	2009	Construction labour	76	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Pipe — steamfitter	70	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Welder	80	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2008	Instrument technician	83	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Construction worker	76	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2008	Project engineer	34	Plane crash
7210	General Construction	2008	Carpenter	31	Involved in a motor vehicle incident
7210	General Construction	2009	Log home builder	57	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Shipwright	64	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2008	Construction labour	60	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Electrician	81	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Contractor's helper	47	Worker died of post surgical complications (pulmonary embolus or deep venous thrombophlebitis) after sustaining a work-related accident (fell down stairs)
7210	General Construction	2009	Pipefitter — welder	66	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7210	General Construction	2009	Scaler — driller	24	Worker was struck by a rock
7210	General Construction	2009	Tree faller	40	Worker was struck by a falling tree
7210	General Construction	2009	Electrician	62	Worker fell 6 feet through a hatch
7210	General Construction	2009	Framer	28	Motor vehicle incident. Worker fell from the back of a moving pickup truck
7210	General Construction	2009	Electrician	78	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma

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7210	General Construction	2009	Deckhand	38	Worker was crushed by a flat valve counterweight assembly
7210	General Construction	2009	Field technician	43	Worker fell 14 feet from a ladder
7210	General Construction	2009	Owner — painter	56	Scaffold tipped and worker fell 11 feet to ground
7210	General Construction	2009	Industrial engineer	41	Worker's head was caught under the gooseneck of a trailer
7210	General Construction	2008	Electrician	81	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
7210	General Construction	2002	Owner-operator	51	Rock flew through windshield, striking worker in head and causing serious head injuries. Worker later died in a boating accident
7210	General Construction	2008	Pipefitter	70	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis
7230	Road Construction	2009	Road maintenance	18	Motor vehicle incident. Worker was a passenger in a vehicle that rear-ended a van at an intersection
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2008	Taxi driver	53	Worker took own life due to a previous compensable incident
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Marine engineer	75	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Painter	72	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck mechanic	66	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2008	Log loader	61	Plane crash
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2008	Pilot	36	Plane crash
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2008	Mate — barge	56	Plane crash
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Locomotive engineer	58	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Longshoreman	50	Worker was crushed by a load of pipes
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	56	Motor vehicle incident. Truck ran off road

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7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Bus driver	67	Involved in a motor vehicle incident with another vehicle
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	36	Involved in a motor vehicle incident with two other trucks
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Longshoreman	77	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Helicopter pilot	53	Helicopter crashed into river. Worker was missing and presumed drowned
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	47	Motor vehicle incident. Truck ran off road and rolled into ditch
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Pilot	28	Plane crash
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Equipment operator	25	Single motor vehicle accident. Vehicle ran off road
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	28	Multi vehicle motor vehicle incident
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	41	Single motor vehicle accident. Truck ran off road and rolled down an embankment
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	42	Motor vehicle incident. Head-on collision with another vehicle
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Truck driver	78	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2009	Pilot	23	Plane crash
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2008	Tree faller	86	Worker was struck by a falling snag, resulting in paraplegia. Cause of death: urosepsis
7320	Transportation & Rltd	2006	Truck driver	39	Worker appeared to have taken own life due to pain and other complications arising from a work-related injury
7410	Retail	2009	Sales clerk	67	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7410	Retail	2009	Fireplace labourer	54	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
7410	Retail	2009	Service technician	43	Motor vehicle incident. Collided with another vehicle
7410	Retail	2009	Transfer driver	73	Motor vehicle incident. Vehicle ran off road
7420	Wholesale	2009	Warehouse worker	65	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis

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7420	Wholesale	2009	Warehouseman	60	Worker was struck by a forklift, resulting in quadriplegia. Cause of death: urosepsis
7420	Wholesale	2008	Operations manager	40	Murdered. Shot by a former employee
7420	Wholesale	2009	Supervisor	25	Involved in a motor vehicle incident with another vehicle
7420	Wholesale	2009	Wholesale sales representative	40	A piece of steel came off of a machine and struck worker
7530	Public Administration	2008	Firefighter	81	Exposure to smoke and gases: leukemia
7530	Public Administration	2008	Firefighter	58	Exposure to toxic fumes and gases: colon cancer
7630	Technical Services	2009	Constable	44	Motor vehicle incident. Head-on collision with another vehicle
7640	Other Services	2008	Equip operator — mines	67	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
7640	Other Services	2009	Auto wrecker worker	38	Worker was crushed by a truck that slipped off blocks
7640	Other Services	2009	Service engineer	47	Helicopter crash
7640	Other Services	2009	Gutter installer	23	Worker was carrying a 52 foot length of gutter pipe which contacted an overhead power line. Electrocutation
7650	Education	2009	Gardener	56	Slipped and fell while carrying a bag of salt up an icy driveway. Cause of death: embolism
7660	Health Care	2009	Child care advisor	41	Motor vehicle incident. Worker lost control of vehicle and ran off the road
7660	Health Care	2009	Community health worker	50	Motor vehicle incident. Worker's vehicle ran off the road and struck a tree
7670	Utilities	2008	Senior storeman	80	Exposure to asbestos: colorectal cancer
7670	Utilities	2009	Steamplant operator	85	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
8108	Cp Ltd & Associates	2009	Mechanic	86	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
8108	Cp Ltd & Associates	2009	Production worker	84	Exposure to asbestos: asbestosis
8108	Cp Ltd & Associates	2009	Maintenance worker	73	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma

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8108	Cp Ltd & Associates	2007	Electrician	65	Exposure to asbestos: mesothelioma
8108	Cp Ltd & Associates	2009	Ironworker	84	Exposure to asbestos: lung cancer
8411	Provincial Government	2008	Ambulance attendant	54	Worker contacted hepatitis B from a needlestick injury

- 1 Fatal benefits were first paid or awarded in 2009.
- 2 The number of fatal claims by subsector that can be derived from the preceding table differs slightly from the count of fatal claims by subsector in Table 2-5. Table 2-5 reflects +1 and -1 counts with respect to some claims accepted in years prior to 2009 and transferred between subsectors in 2009.
- 3 For a complete listing of the subsector numbers, see the Classes of industry section, starting on page xx.
- 4 Age of worker at time of death.

Number of accepted fatal claims in 2009 by age at time of death and category of disease or injury

