

2007 QUICK FACTS



Number of workers covered by the <i>Workers' Compensation Act</i>	301,600*	Appeals resolved	648
Number of workers covered by the <i>Occupational Health and Safety Act</i> (excludes workers covered by federal legislation)	344,300*	Current year claims costs incurred (000s)	\$114,080
Number of New Brunswickers working	362,600**	Claims payments made for current and prior years' injuries (000s)	\$127,001
Number of assessed employers	13,718	Claims costs incurred for current and prior years' injuries	\$203,483
Maximum assessable / insurable earnings	\$53,200	Total benefits liabilities – assessed employers (000s)	\$856,983
Provisional average assessment rate	\$2.10	Total benefits liabilities – self-insured employers	\$140,472
Actual assessment rate	\$2.08*	Administration costs – excludes self-insured and Occupational Health and Safety (000s)	\$19,868
Total claims created (can include claims with no application for benefits)	25,899	Administration costs – Occupational Health and Safety (000s)	\$8,115
Claims recorded, no benefits paid	13,966	Assessment revenue (000s)	\$148,690
Total claims adjudicated	12,987*	Total premium revenue (000s)	\$194,168
Lost-time claims	6,134	Assessable payroll (000s)	\$7,257,752
No lost-time claims	5,674*	Market rate of return on portfolio	-0.4%
Work-related fatalities occurring	8*	Percentage funded	105.4%
Average days lost per lost-time claim	70		
Average payment per claim	\$4,448		
Average calendar days from injury to first payment issued (all claims)	38.7*		
Number of workplace health and safety inspections	6,838		
Number of orders (violations of the <i>Occupational Health and Safety Act</i> written)	5,193		
Number of serious accident investigations	176 [†]		
Appeals received:	675		
- initiated by workers (or their representative)	624		
- initiated by employers (or their representative)	51		

* Projected, pending receipt of final figures for 2007

**Source: Statistics Canada

[†]Includes fatalities, crushing injuries, loss of vision in at least one eye, fractures (excluding fingers and toes) and any injury requiring hospital admission as an in-patient (amputations, burns, etc.).

Note: Certain figures have been restated from previous publications to reflect more up-to-date information.

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