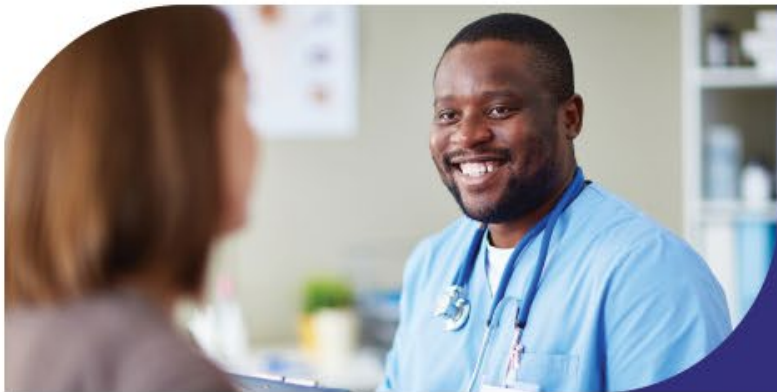




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# May 2024 Management of Contractors



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DATE 19th April 2024

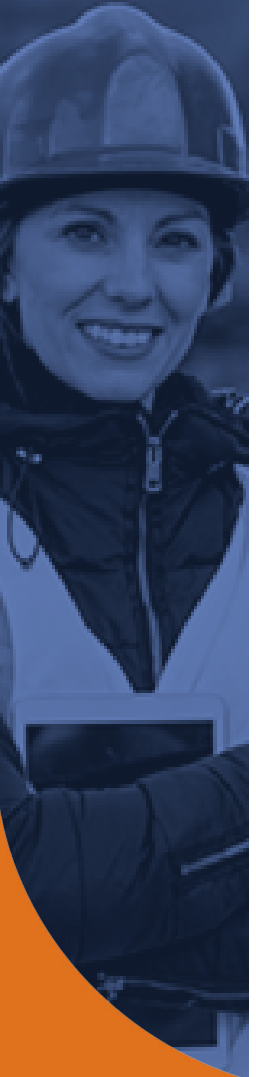
# Quarry Campaign

**Contractor Management**

**13<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> May**

# Why?

1. 2 out of 3 last fatalities have involved Contractors
2. A number of incidents and Dangerous Occurrences involving Contractors
3. Over last 2 years, Quarry Inspectors observed some potential issues involving Management of Contractors



# Accident Statistics

2014-2023

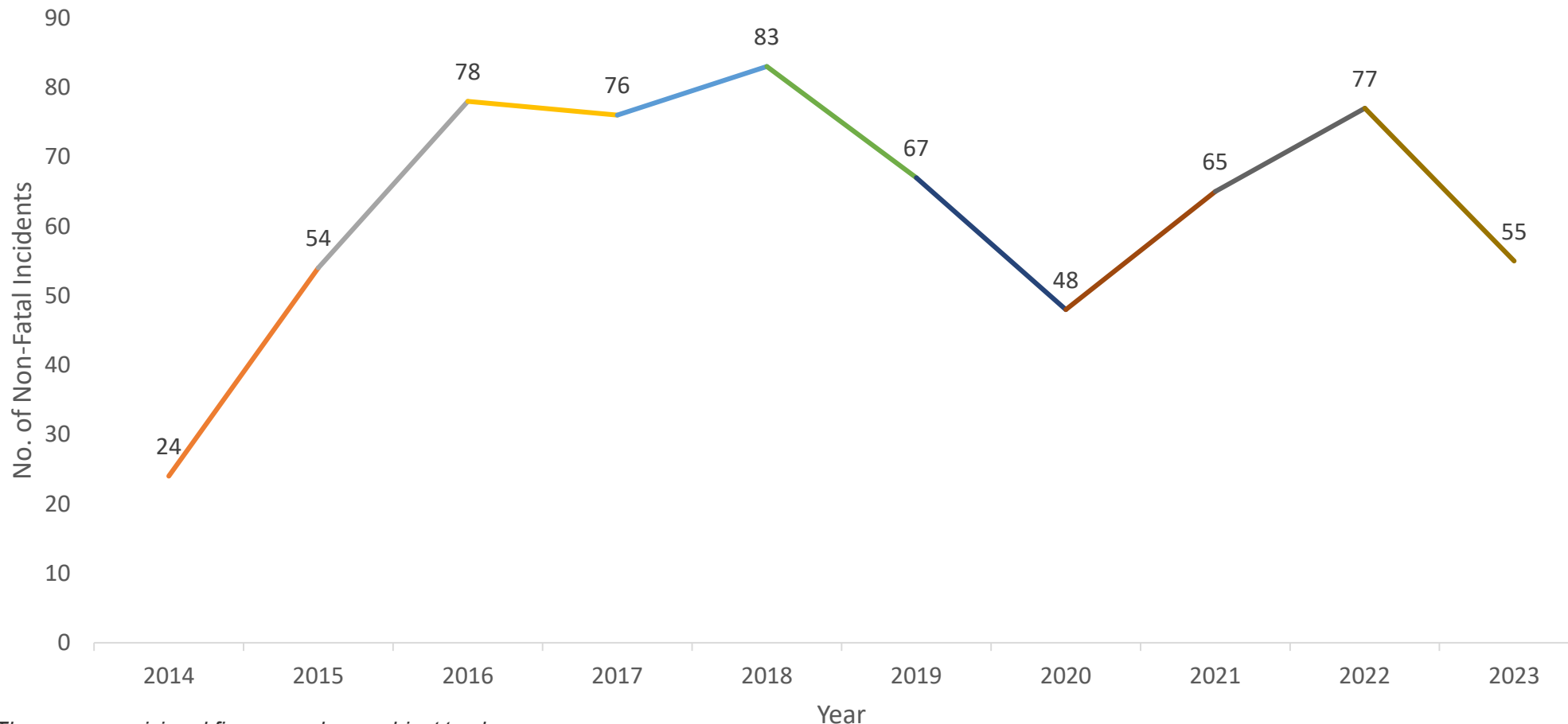
By NACE SECTOR & 4 Digit

NACE Sector	NACE 4 digit
<b>B - MINING AND QUARRYING</b>	<b>Total</b>
	0811-Quarrying of ornamental and building stone, limestone, gypsum, chalk and slate
	0812-Operation of gravel and sand pits; mining of clays and kaolin
	0899-Other mining and quarrying n.e.c.
<b>C - MANUFACTURING</b>	<b>Total</b>
	2332-Manufacture of bricks, tiles and construction products, in baked clay
	2351-Manufacture of cement
	2361-Manufacture of concrete products for construction purposes
	2363-Manufacture of ready-mixed concrete
	2369-Manufacture of other articles of concrete, plaster and cement
	2370-Cutting, shaping and finishing of stone
	2399-Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products n.e.c.
<b>Total</b>	

# Non-fatal Incidents 2014 - 2023

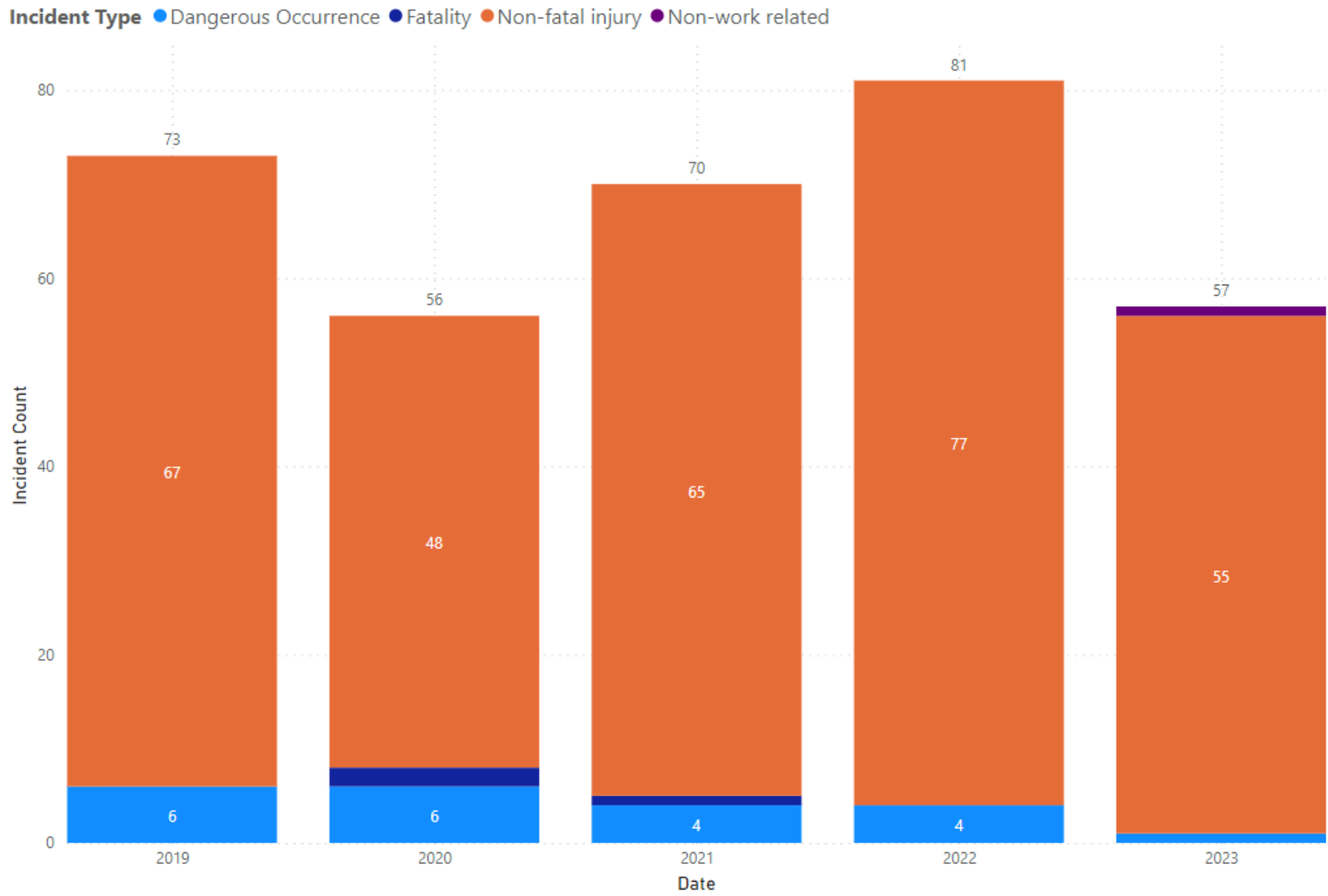
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By Year



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# Injury Types 2019 - 2023



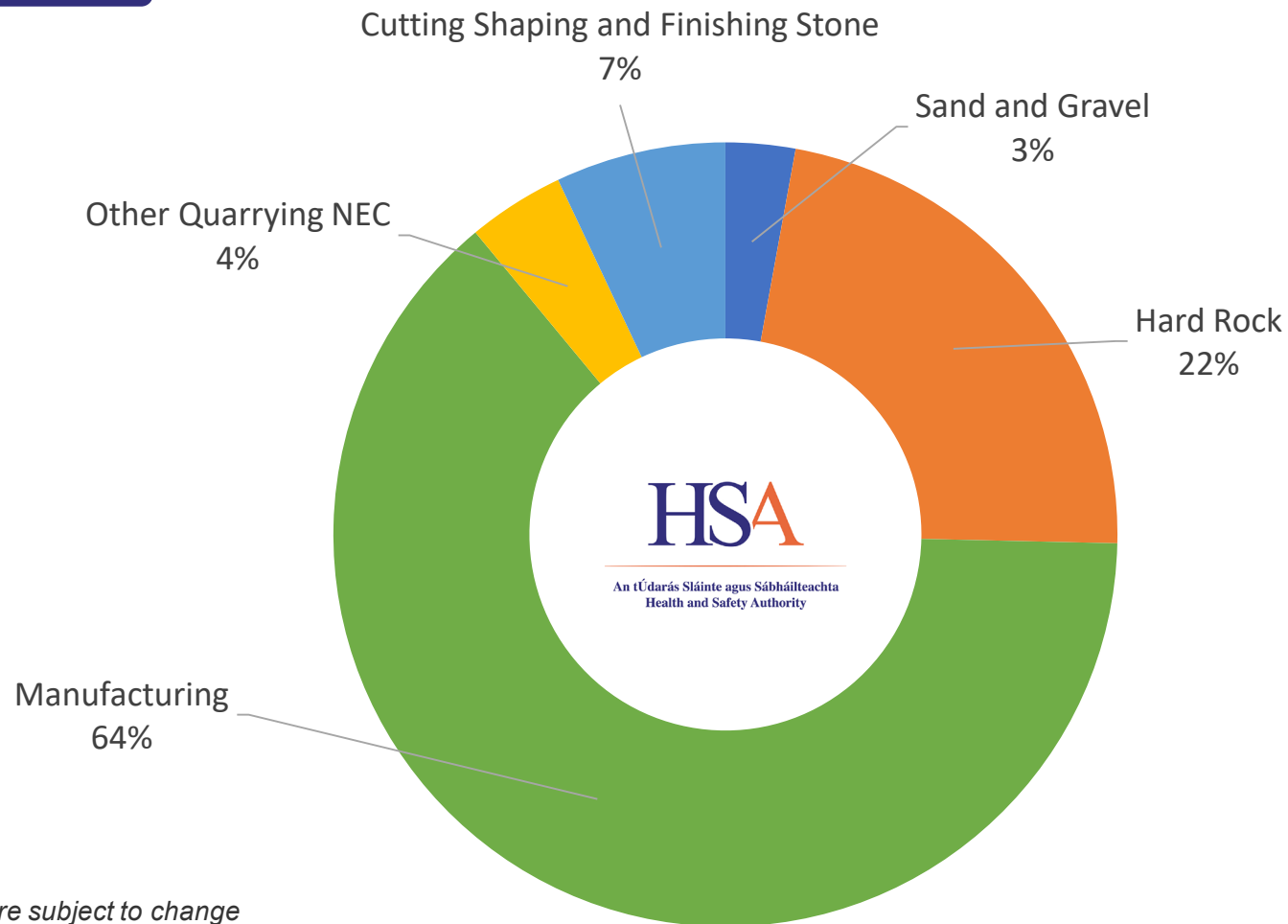
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By Type



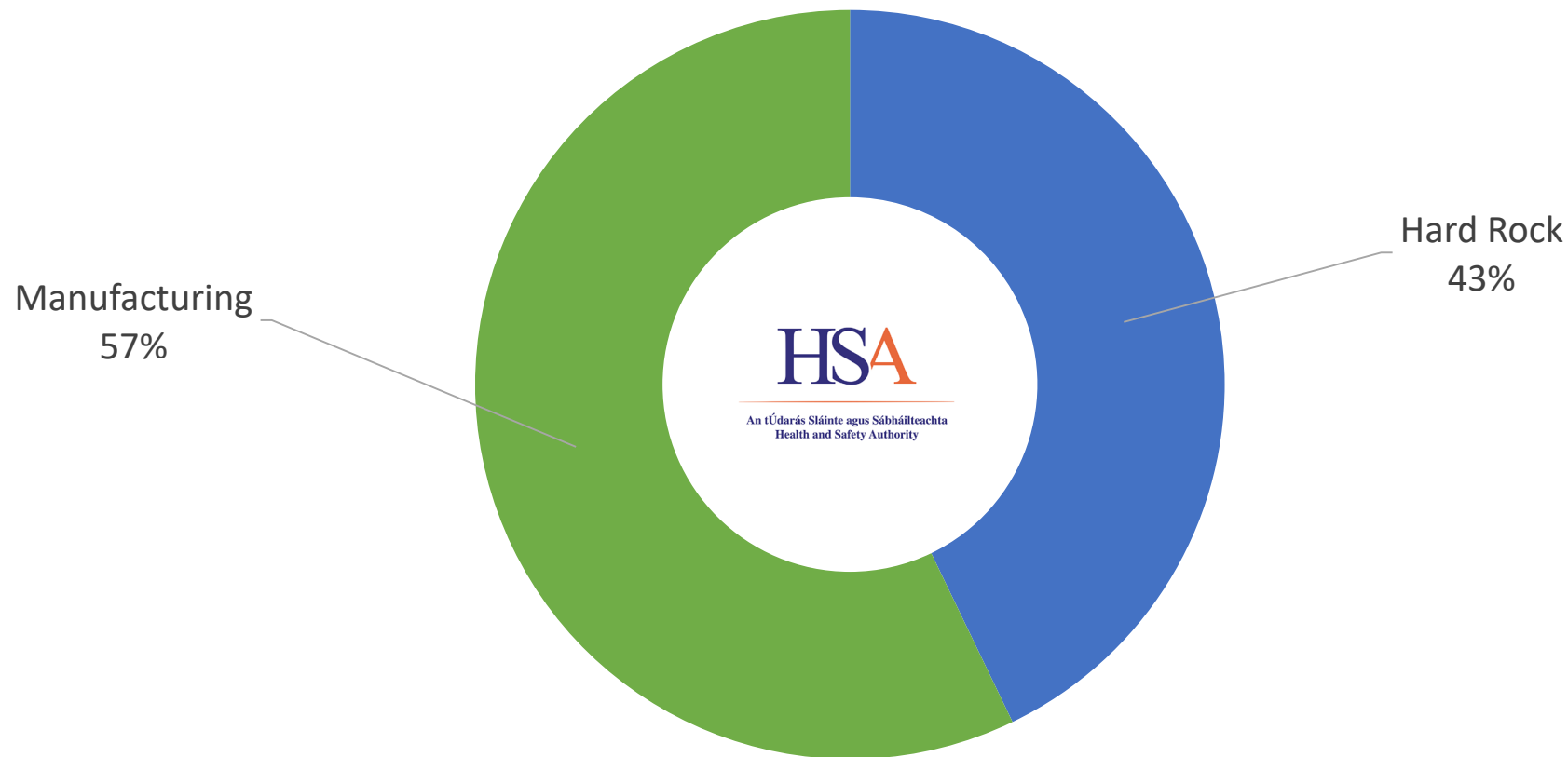
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# Fatalities 2014 - 2023

Total Fatalities: 7

By Type

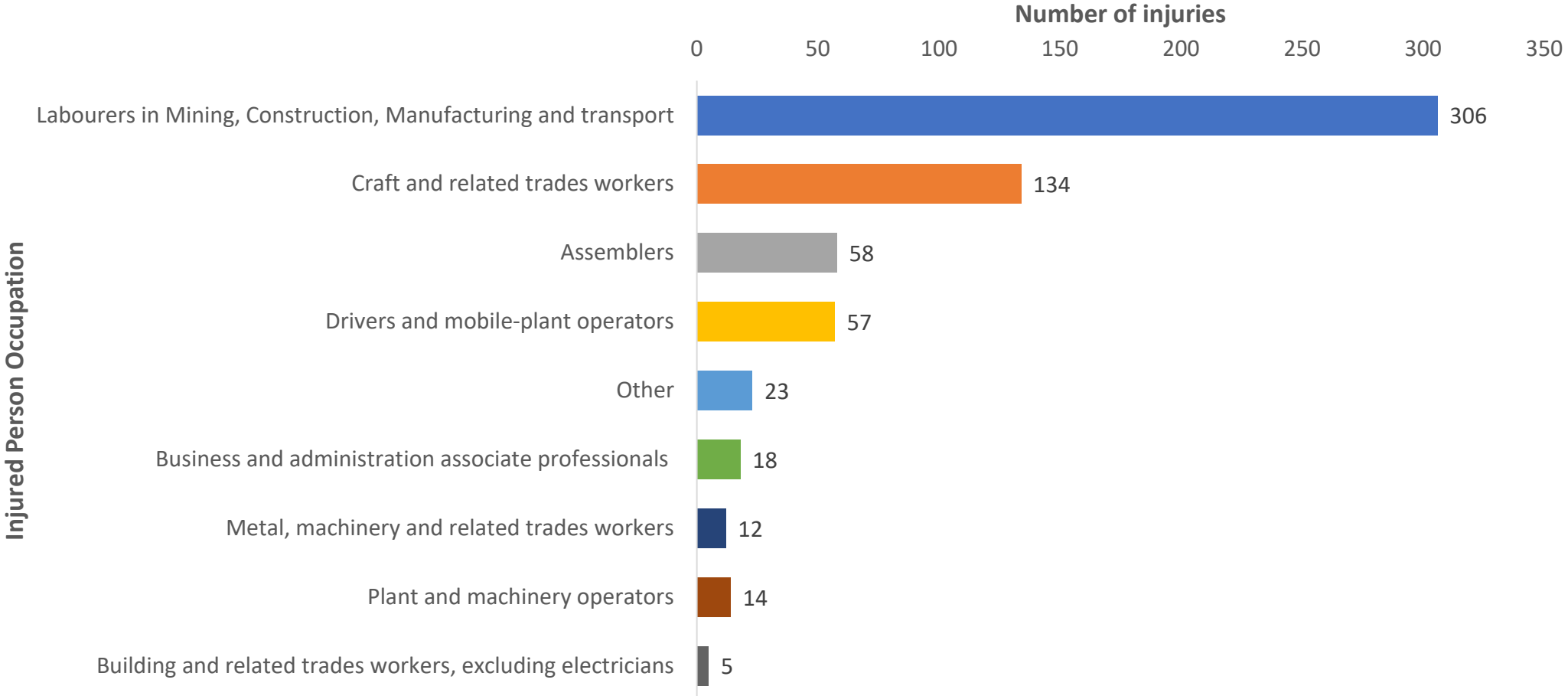


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# Non-fatal Injuries by Injured Person Occupation 2014 - 2023



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# Management of Contractors Question set

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# Pre-Employment Questions

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1. Do you have contractors on site?
2. Do you have a contractor pre-employment Safety & Health questionnaire?
3. Do you have a contractor approval list for your site?





# Pre-Employment Questions

7. Do you obtain a list of contractor employee's that will work on site?
8. Do you obtain relevant statutory certification for equipment used by the contractor?
9. Do you check that the equipment is in a safe condition and suitable for use?



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# Working on site



# Working on Site Questions

1. Are contractors inducted on site specific Health & Safety Rules and signed off?
2. Have contractors been made aware of Traffic Management Plans for the site?
3. Have contractors been made aware of Isolation Procedures for the site?



# Working on Site Questions

4. Has the manager nominated a person to communicate with contractor's on site daily?
5. Do contractors have to sign in and out of the site on a daily basis?
6. Are contractors visited or inspected on a daily basis on site?



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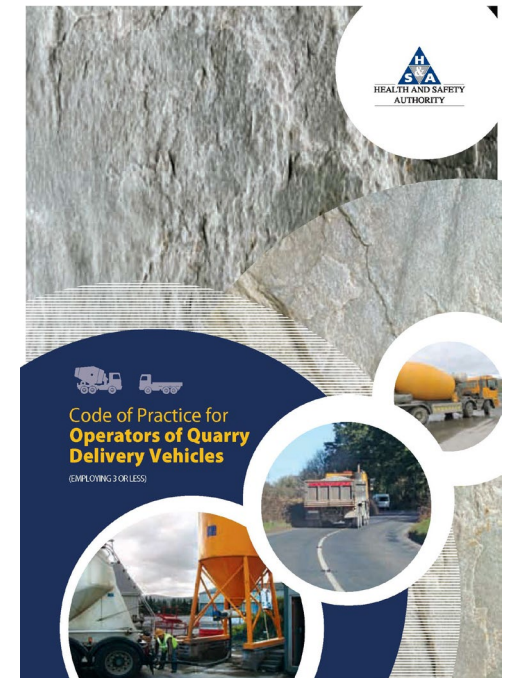
7. Do contractors have an area to organise work and store material and equipment?
8. Do contractors have access to welfare facilities on site?
9. Have contractors been made aware of the emergency plans for the site?
10. Do you check contractors' safety documentation to reflect how work is carried out on site?



# Miscellaneous Questions

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1. Do you have quarry delivery contractors with three or less employed on site?
2. Do you have CoP Risk Assessment and sign off sheet for the delivery contractor?
3. Do you provide artificial lighting to contractors outside day light hours?



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4. Do you provide adequate edge protection for contractors on quarry benches?
5. Do you allow contractor's employees to drive your quarry mobile plant?
6. If 'Yes' Have you communicated the quarry risk assessments and procedures to the person?





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