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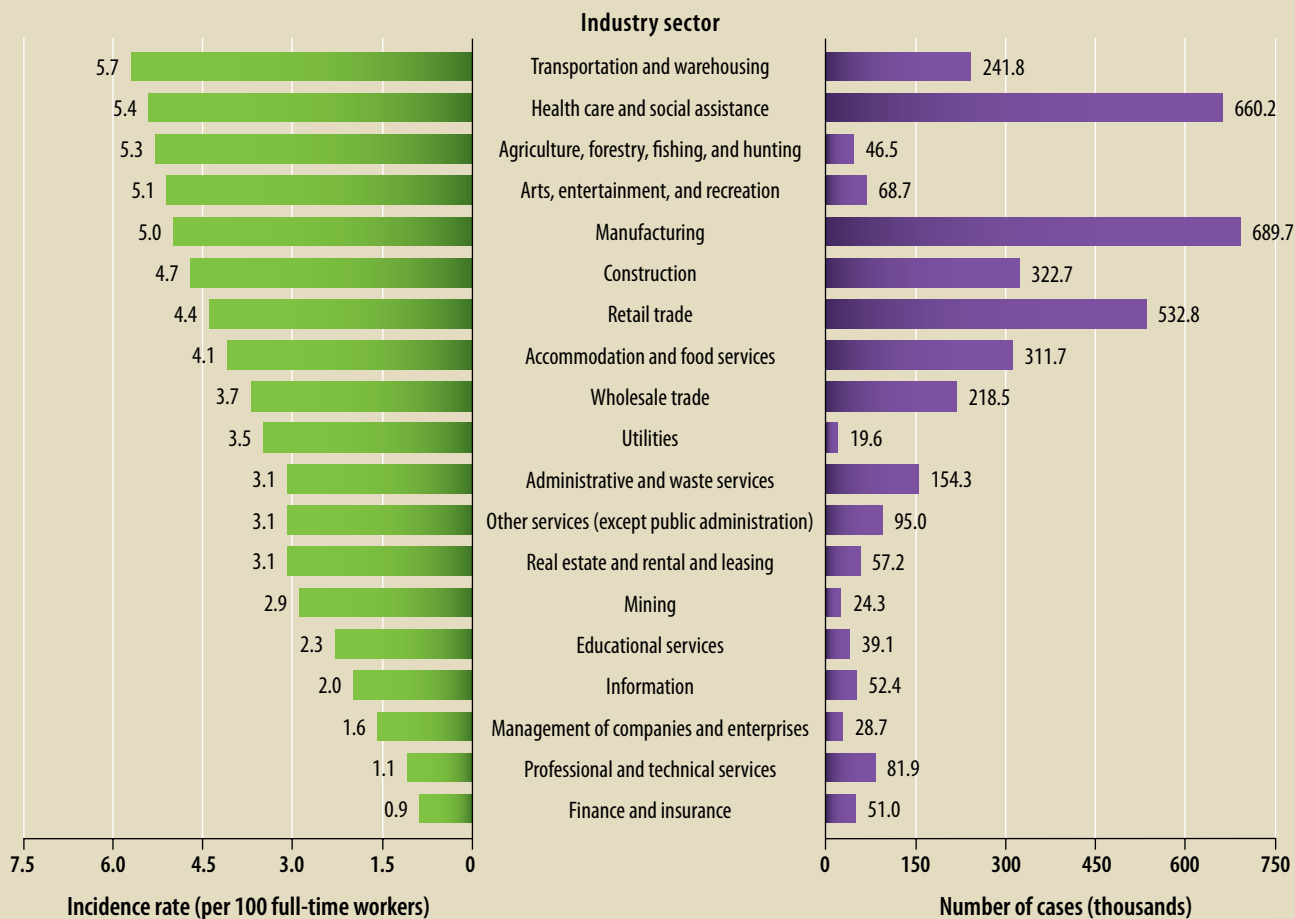
Three sectors alone—manufacturing, health care and social assistance, and retail trade—combined to account for about half of recordable cases reported among all private industry establishments in 2008.

The rate of nonfatal injuries and illnesses among private industry sectors in 2008 ranged from 5.7 cases per 100 workers in transportation and warehousing down to 0.9 case in finance and insurance. Manufacturing had the highest number of nonfatal cases, 689,700.

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Incidence rate and number of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses, by private industry sector, 2008



SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, October 2009.

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