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Introduction

CII has collected annual corporate safety performance data from its member organizations since 1990 as part of its long-term commitment to improving safety in the construction industry. This 2022 report summarizes safety rates of 2021 calendar year **reported by CII members only**.

Survey Instrument

The CII safety survey gathers data by organization type, industry group, and project location. The main data entry fields include:

- Total Work Hours
- Total Recordable Incident Cases
- Days Away and Restricted or Transferred (DART) Cases
- Total Number of Days Associated with Days Away (DA) Cases
- Total Number of Days Associated with Restricted or Transferred (RT) Cases
- Number of Fatalities

In addition, the survey includes questions regarding near misses, first aid cases, and fatalities. All the rates presented in this report follow OSHA's definitions, which are available in the OSHA 300 form¹.

Survey Scope and Potential Limitations

Respondents (both owners and contractors) were asked to provide safety data for both their direct-hire employees and their contractors' employees. However, because contractors were not uniquely identified in the owner responses, some double reporting of contractor data is possible. This overlap often presents itself in the following two ways:

- Owners reporting on their contractors' employees
- Contractors reporting on their direct-hire employees

¹ <https://www.osha.gov/recordkeeping/RKforms.html>

Readers should use caution when comparing results across different industry groups, since **some groups have relatively small sample sizes** (reflected in the number of companies and work hours associated with each group reported in the charts).

CII uses definitions for its industry groups that differ from both the system OSHA currently uses – the 2002 North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) – and the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system that OSHA used prior to 2003. The construction industry divisions of the NAICS and the SIC system consist of three major groups:

1. General Building (NAICS 236 and SIC 15)
2. Heavy Construction except for Buildings (NAICS 237 and SIC 16)
3. Special Trade Contractors (NAICS 238 and SIC 17)

CII data do not include residential construction, which is included in OSHA’s “General Building” category.

CII collects safety data related (only) to capital projects, excluding operations and maintenance. This is particularly important for owners reporting their safety data.

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Summary of 2021 Safety Data

For the 2021 calendar year, 51 organizations submitted their corporate safety statistics. These data represent a total of 1.02 billion work hours. Figure 1 summarizes the reported work hours by organization type and project location. The Global responses are those that did not break down the data into U.S. and international hours. Table 1 below summarizes the data by severity of incidents.

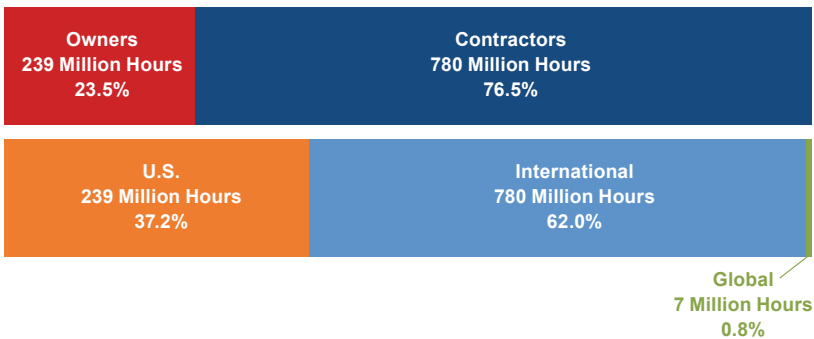


Figure 1. Summary of Work Hours by Organization Type and Project Location

Table 1. Summary of Incident Cases and Work Hours by Organization Type

		Owners	Contractors	Total
TRIR	Cases	399	1,002	1,401
	Work Hours	239,451,295	780,302,116	1,019,753,411
DART Rate	Cases	122	397	519
	Work Hours	221,192,647	780,302,116	1,001,494,763
Fatality Rate	Cases	1	4	5
	Work Hours	239,451,295	780,302,116	1,019,753,411

Some respondents did not provide all of the requested data or details for all categories. For instance, an organization may report the total recordable incidents but not report the DART cases, in which case the aggregated amount of work hours for DART cases will be smaller. For this reason, the total overall work hours reported differs from many of the categories presented in Table 1. In particular, some owners had difficulty reporting information related to RT cases due to short durations of the work tasks involved.

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Historical TRIR and DART Rates

Table 2 shows the TRIR and DART rates of CII member organizations from 2017 to 2021.

Table 2. CII Members' TRIR and DART Rates (2017-2021)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
TRIR	0.22	0.39	0.22	0.28	0.27
DART Rate	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.12	0.10

On the following pages, Figures 2 and 3 show the trends of CII members' TRIR and DART rates and work hours for survey respondents as well as for the U.S. construction industry as reported by OSHA. The CII rates have been relatively low and steady since 2016.

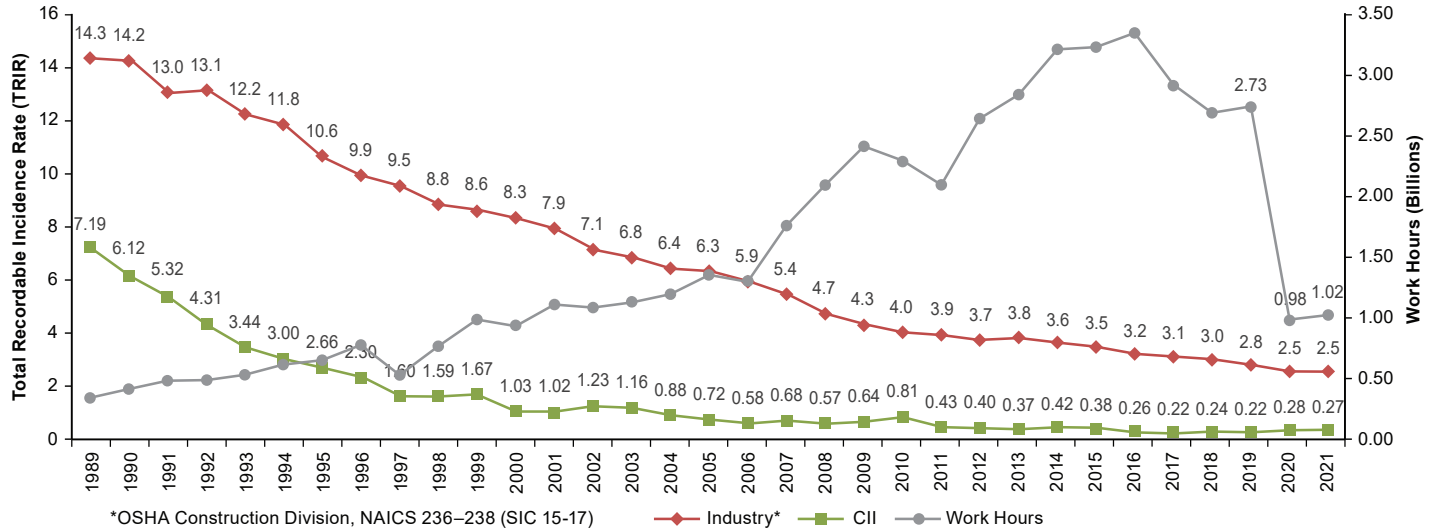


Figure 2. CII Members' Reported TRIR (RIR) Rates, 1989-2021

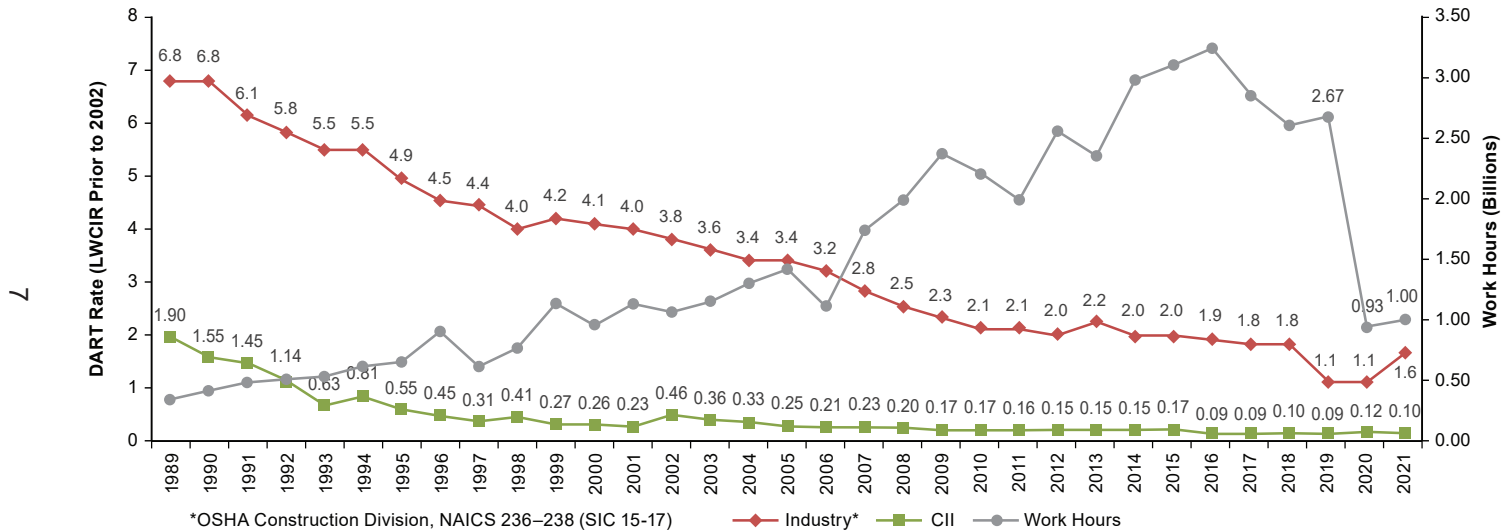


Figure 3. CII Members' Reported DART (LWCIR) Rates, 1989-2021

Safety Data and Rates by Industry Group

The safety survey collects data from four industry groups: Heavy Industrial, Light Industrial, Buildings, and Infrastructure. The figures below summarize the TRIR (Figure 4) and DART (Figure 5) rates for each group and by respondent type. The N values indicate the number of companies that submitted data, and the “Total” (green) bars represent the combined data from owners and contractors.

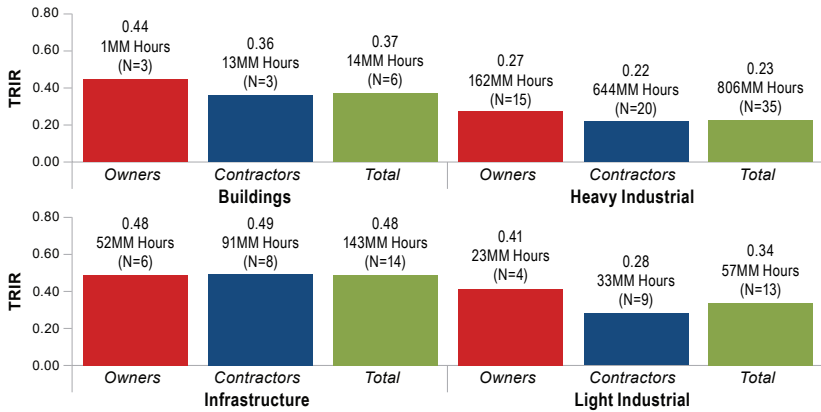


Figure 4. 2021 TRIR by Industry Group

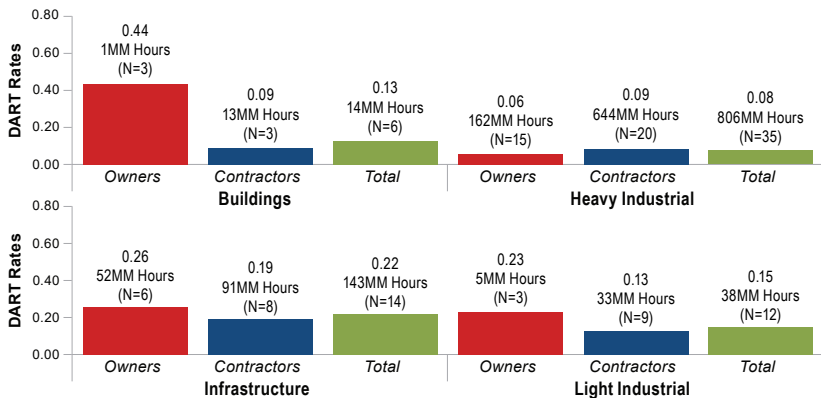


Figure 5. 2021 DART Rates by Industry Group

Safety Data and Rates by Project Location

Survey respondents are involved in capital projects around the world. This chapter summarizes data from U.S. and non-U.S. projects. Note that, ideally, the non-U.S. data would be further broken down by geographic region, but most regions offered limited data. Therefore, this report aggregated all non-U.S. data into one group. As shown in Figures 6 and 7, the N values indicate the number of companies that submitted data, and the “Total” (green) bars represent the combined data from owners and contractors.

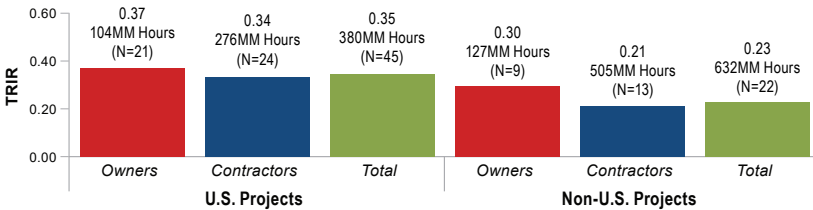


Figure 6. 2021 TRIR by Project Location

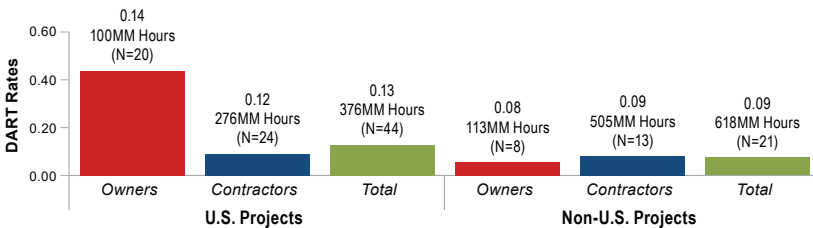


Figure 7. 2021 DART Rates by Project Location

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Fatalities

As shown in Figure 8, the overall fatality rate of CII members dropped in 2021 to 0.99 from the 1.43 reported in 2020. The three-year moving average for 2019 to 2021 is 1.27. For reference, the overall industry fatality rate was 9.4 in 2021 as per the Bureau of Labor Statistics².

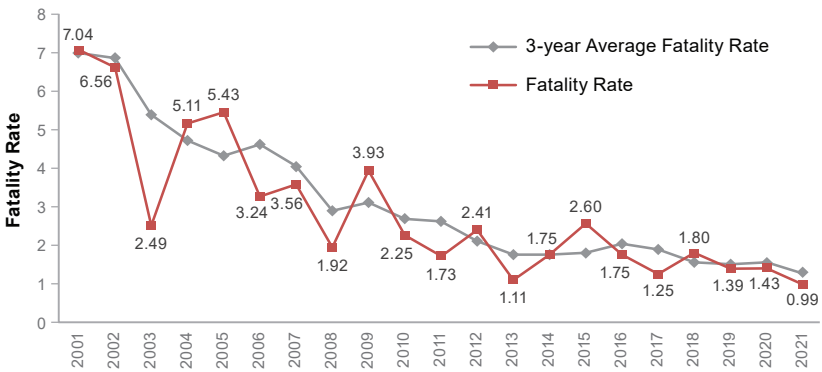


Figure 8. Yearly and Three-year Average Fatality Rates (2001–2021)

In 2021, CII members reported five fatalities. Figure 9 shows that the cause in all five cases was Contact with Objects and Equipment. No fatalities were reported in other categories.

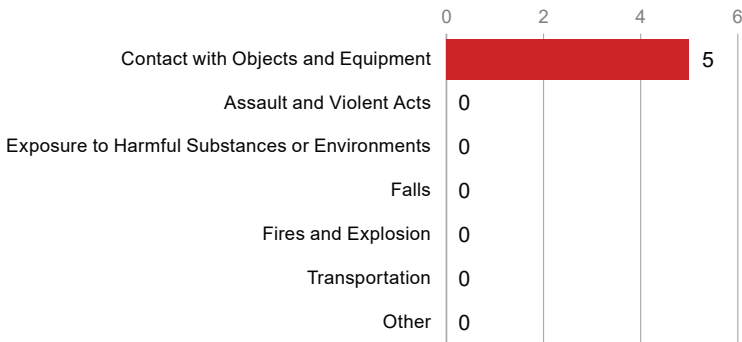


Figure 9. Fatality Causes in 2021

² <https://www.bls.gov/iif/home.htm>

Corporate Safety Benchmarks

This chapter uses individual organizations' safety rates to analyze the safety data. The information presented in this section allows organizations to determine more precisely where they stand relative to other organizations, as organizations can benchmark their corporate safety performance against others.

On the next page, Table 4 presents 2021 corporate-level descriptive statistics, including percentile, mean, standard deviation (S.D.), and sample size (n) based on TRIR, DART, DA (Days Away), and Fatality Rate of individual companies. For instance, if an organization had a TRIR of 0.45 in 2021, its safety performance would fall in the third quartile, between 0.27 and 0.54. This means that the organization's TRIR is worse than at least 50% of the responding organizations but better than at least 25% of them.

Table 4. 2021 Corporate Safety Statistics for Benchmarking

	All				Owners				Contractors			
Percentile	TRIR	DART Rate	DA Rate	Fatality Rate	TRIR	DART Rate	DA Rate	Fatality Rate	TRIR	DART Rate	DA Rate	Fatality Rate
100th	1.80	1.17	0.65	5.98	1.01	0.65	0.65	5.98	1.80	1.17	0.54	5.31
75th	0.54	0.17	0.08	0.00	0.60	0.17	0.08	0.00	0.44	0.22	0.07	0.00
50th	0.27	0.06	0.01	0.00	0.36	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.07	0.02	0.00
25th	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.02	0.00	0.00
0th	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mean	0.37	0.16	0.08	0.26	0.38	0.14	0.08	0.24	0.37	0.18	0.07	0.29
S.D.	0.39	0.25	0.14	1.13	0.27	0.19	0.15	1.17	0.48	0.29	0.14	1.09
n	51	50	50	51	25	24	25	25	24	24	24	24

Figures 10 through 12 show percentile charts for organizations' TRIR, DART rate, and DA rate. For example, if a contractor had an overall corporate TRIR rate of 0.40, Figure 10 indicates that approximately 70% of contractors participating in the survey achieved a better TRIR.

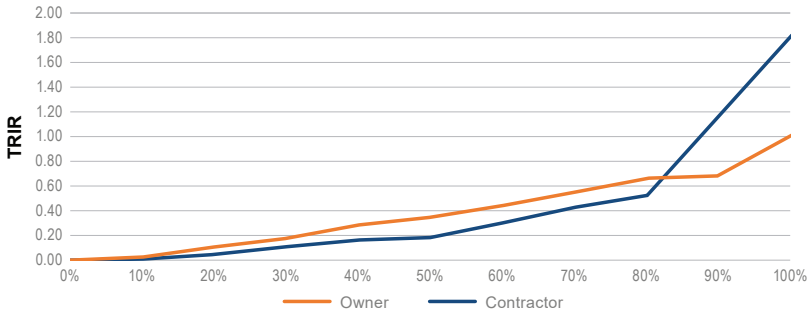


Figure 10. Corporate Safety Statistics – TRIR

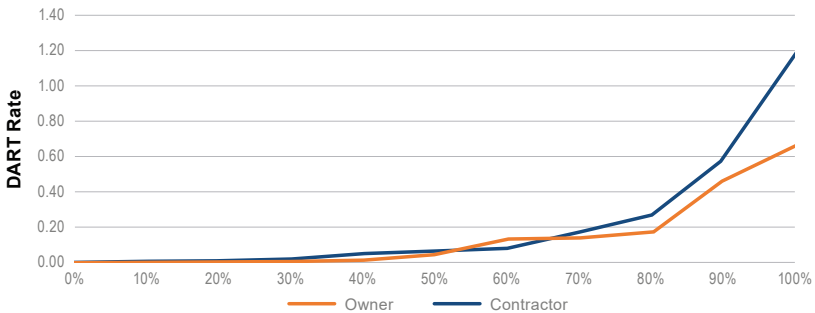


Figure 11. Corporate Safety Statistics – DART Rate

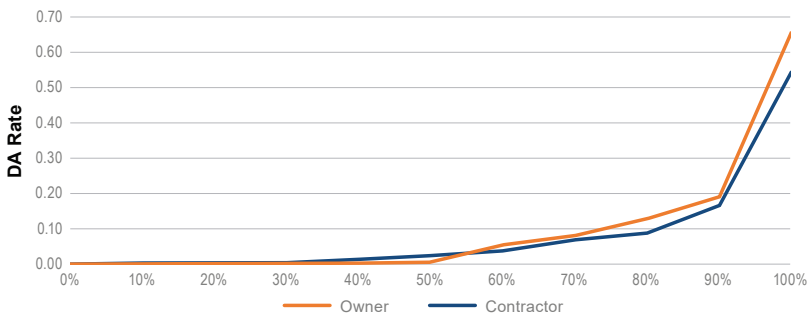


Figure 12. Corporate Safety Statistics – DA Rate

Appendix

Glossary of Terms

DA Days Away – The DA rate is the number of DA cases occurring annually among 100 full-time workers (i.e., 2,000 hours per worker per year).

$$\text{DA Rate} = \frac{(\# \text{ of DA Cases}) \times 200,000}{(\text{Total Work Hours by All Employees})}$$

DART Days Away and Restricted or Transferred – The DART rate represents the number of DART cases occurring annually among 100 full-time workers (i.e., 2,000 hours per worker per year). DART replaced LWCIR in 2002.

$$\text{DART Rate} = \frac{(\# \text{ of DART Cases}) \times 200,000}{(\text{Total Work Hours by All Employees})}$$

FR Fatality Rate – The FR is the number of fatal work injuries occurring annually among 100,000 full-time workers (i.e., each worker works 40 hours per week for 50 weeks per year, or 200,000,000 hours per year for 100,000 full-time workers).

$$\text{Fatality Rate} = \frac{(\# \text{ of Fatalities}) \times 200,000,000}{(\text{Total Work Hours by All Employees})}$$

LWCIR Lost Workday Case Incident Rate – Replaced by DART in 2002.

RIR Recordable Incident Rate – Replaced by TRIR in 2002.

TRIR Total Recordable Incident Rate – TRIR is the number of recordable injuries occurring annually among 100 full-time workers (i.e., 2,000 hours per worker per year). TRIR replaced RIR in 2002.

$$\text{TRIR} = \frac{(\# \text{ of Recordable Cases}) \times 200,000}{(\text{Total Work Hours by All Employees})}$$

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