

Minnesota OSHA Serious Injury Investigation Summary (updated January 5, 2024)

FFY 2020 (Oct. 1, 2019 – Sept. 30, 2020)

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318143617 9/26/19 Delano	Siding Contractors 238170 8	Employee fell from a scaffold.	Citations Issued
318143757 10/1/19 Kimball	Sheet Metal Work Manufacturing 332322 16	Employee's fingers were caught in a press brake.	Citations Issued
318144052 10/3/19 Garvin	Siding Contractors 238170 5	Employee was shocked while working from an elevated platform.	Citations Issued
318144649 10/1/19 Marshal	Limited-Service Restaurants 722513 10,000	Employee received a burn to the left wrist.	No Citations

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318145422 10/23/19 Bloomington	Residential Remodelers 236118 50	Employee fell from a roof.	Citation Issued
318144961 10/25/19 St Paul	Water and Sewer Line and Related Structures Construction 237110 48	Employee was struck by a pipe.	Citation Issued
318144995 10/15/19 Rochester	Elementary and Secondary Schools 611110 321	Employee was in a lift that tipped over.	Citations Issued
318145620 11/6/19 Browerville	All Other Telecommunications 517919 6	Employee fell from a roof.	Citation Issued

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318146297 11/22/19 Minneapolis	Iron and Steel Pipe and Tube Manufacturing from Purchased Steel 331210 500	Employee's thumb was caught in a hoisted load.	Citation Issued
318146826 11/30/19 Norwood	Cheese Manufacturing 311513 500	Employee was struck by a robot.	Citations Issued
318147469 12/16/19 Winona	Plastic Material and Resin Manufacturing 325211 400	Employee's hand was in a machine when it cycled.	Citations Issued
318147683 12/18/19 Plymouth	Surgical Appliance and Supplies Manufacturing 339113 1,229	Employee's hand was caught between a chain and sprocket.	Citation Issued

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318148095 318148087 12/12/19 Red Wing	Drywall and Insulation Contractors 238310 75 All Other Specialty Trade Contractors 238990 1	Employee fell through an opening to the basement floor.	Citations Issued for both Employers.
318147931 12/29/19 Minneapolis	Other Electric Power Generation 221118 52	Employees were burned by a release of steam.	Citations Issued
318147956 12/29/19 Owatonna	Glass Product Manufacturing Made of Purchased Glass 327215 1,950	Employee's hand was caught between rollers.	Citation Issued
318148160 12/31/19 Baudette	Pharmaceutical Preparation Manufacturing 325412 245	A mixer fell off a forklift and struck an employee.	Citation Issued

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318148764 12/30/19 Waseca	Wood Container and Pallet Manufacturing 321920 55	Employee's hand was caught between a chain and sprocket.	Citations Issued
318148384 1/2/20 Verndale	Community Food Services 624210 9	A lift gate came down on an employee's hand.	No Citations
318148517 1/7/20 Jackson	Farm Machinery and Equipment Manufacturing 333111 1,500	Employee's finger was caught between a transmission and a cart.	No Citations
318148699 1/4/20 Kensington	Skiing Facilities 713920 90	An employee broke his leg after having contact with another employee.	Citation Issued
318148863 1/15/20 North Oaks	Siding Contractors 238170 30	Employee fell off a ladder.	No Citations

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318148897 1/15/20 New Ulm	Gasket, Packing, and Sealing Device Manufacturing 339991 750	Employee's finger was amputated while clearing a jam.	Citations Issued
318149101 1/22/20 Golden Valley	Car Washes 811192 55	Two employees were struck by a vehicle.	Citation Issued
318149051 1/8/20 Sanborn	Other Services to Buildings and Dwellings 561790 3	Employee's hand was caught in a belt and pulley.	Citations Issued
318149275 1/27/20 Winona	Other Fabricated Wire Product Manufacturing 332618 320	Employee's hand was crushed by dies.	Citations Issued

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318149432 1/24/20 Thief River Falls	Grain and Field Bean Merchant Wholesalers 424510 22	Employee fell from a locomotive.	Citations Issued
318149762 2/1/20 St Paul	Fire Protection 922160 5,000	Employee was pinned between two vehicles.	Citation Issued
318150158 2/9/20 Minneapolis	Retail Bakeries 311811 600	Employee was struck by the lid of a mixer.	Citations Issued
318150273 318150323 2/17/20 Bloomington	Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 54 Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 200	Employee was burned by an arc flash.	Citations issued for first employer; No citations issued for the other employer

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318150489 2/13/20 Fergus Falls	Institutional Furniture Manufacturing 337127 490	Employee's hand was caught between rollers.	Citations Issued
318150414 2/20/20 White Bear Lake	Nonferrous Metal Die- Casting Foundries 331523 325	Employee's foot was burnt when slipping into a lead pot.	Citation Issued
318150711 318150729 2/20/20 Minneapolis	Drywall and Insulation Contractors 238310 264 New Multifamily Housing Construction (except Operative Builders) 236116 10	Anchor wire wrapped around employee's fingers.	Citation issued for drywall contractor; No citation for other employer
318150968 2/21/20 Moorhead	Executive Offices 921110 685	Employee's fingers were caught between a belt and pulley.	Citations Issued

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318151016 2/16/20 Blaine	Supermarkets and Other Grocery (except Convenient) Stores 445110 251	Employee's hand was caught between rollers.	Citations Issued
318151602 3/5/20 Park Rapids	Frozen Fruit, Juice and Vegetable Manufacturing 311411 428	Employee's hand was caught between a belt and pulley.	Citation Issued
318151693 318151685 3/7/20 Remer	Plumbing, Heating and Air- Conditioning Contractors 238220 11 Elementary and Secondary Schools 611110 90	Employee was burned.	Citations issued for the first employer; No citations for the second employer
318151636 3/5/20 Albert Lea	Fabricated Structural Metal Manufacturing 332312 29	Employee was struck by a beam.	Citations Issued

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318151784 3/13/20 Farmington	Fabricated Structural Metal Manufacturing 332312 29	Employee's hand was crushed by a punch press.	Citations Issued
318151800 2/28/20 International Falls	Logging 113310 8	Employee was crushed between a wood loader and a stump.	Citations Issued
318151834 318151842 3/16/20 Duluth	Plumbing, Heating and Air- Conditioning Contractors 238220 24 New Single-Family Housing Construction (except Operative Builders) 236115 1	Employee fell as a stairway collapsed.	No citations for the plumbing contractor: Citations issued for the other contractor
318151974 3/12/20 Faribault	Poultry Processing 311615 65,000	Employee's hand was caught in a machine.	Citation Issued

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318151982 3/13/20 Burnsville	Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 200	Employee's head struck a wall while in a scissor lift.	Citations Issued
318152170 4/17/20 Albertville	Siding Contractors 238170 4	Employee fell from a residential roof.	No Inspection due to Byron Exemption
318153020 318153012 4/14/20 Rochester	Temporary Help Services 561320 9,000 Cheese Manufacturing 311513 8,000	Employee's hand was caught in a machine.	No citations for the temp employer; Citations issued for the host employer
318153301 5/9/20 St Cloud	Roofing Contractors 238160 15	Employee fell from the roof.	Citation Issued

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318153392 5/14/20 Duluth	Power and Communication Line and Related Structures Construction 237130 400	Employee received arc burns when an underground cable was struck.	No Citations
318153764 318153756 5/20/20 New Brighton	General Freight Trucking, Long-Distance, Truckload 484121 14,926 Power and Communication Line and Related Structures Construction 237130 515	Employee was struck by a forklift.	No citations issued for the Freight employer; Citation issued for the other employer
318154051 5/28/20 St Paul	Landscaping Services 561730 1	Employee struck an overhead powerline.	Citations Issued
318154069 5/29/20 Hastings	Fiber, Yarn, and Thread Mills 313110 4	Employee's hand was pulled into a machine.	Citations Issued

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318154382 6/15/20 Grand Meadow	Construction Machinery Manufacturing 333120 15	Forklift overturned while an employee was operating it.	Citations Issued
318154556 6/11/20 Winona	All Other Miscellaneous Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing 332999 14	Employee amputated a finger while operating a band saw.	Citation Issued
318156148 7/28/20 St Francis	Siding Contractors 238170 3	Elevated work basket came detached from the mast of an all-terrain forklift.	No Citations
318156171 318156213 7/31/20 Lake City	Roofing Contractors 238160 7 Roofing Contractors 238160 2	Employee fell from the roof.	Citations issued for 1 st employer; No citations for the other employer

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318157096 8/28/20 Wayzata	Landscaping Services 561730 24	Employee struck an underground electrical line.	No Citations
318157302 318157294 8/25/20 St Louis Park	Framing Contractors 238130 14 Commercial and Institutional Building Construction 236220 45	Employee fell while setting trusses.	Citations issued for framing contractor; No citations issued other employer
318157336 318157344 8/26/20 North Branch	Employment Placement Agencies 561311 100 Metal Crown, Closure, and Other Metal Stamping (except Automotive) 332119 50	Employee was struck by a block ejected from a press.	No citations issued for the employment agencies; Citations issued for the host employer

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318157773 318160512 9/11/20 Victoria	Framing Contractors 238130 10 Roofing Contractors 238160 1,000	Employee fell while installing anchor points.	Citations issued for 1 st employer; No citations for the other employer
318158078 318157799 7/10/20 Victoria	Siding Contractors 238170 5 New Housing Operative Builders 236117 250	Employee's fingers were struck by a table saw blade.	No citations issued for both contractors
318157922 318157948 9/11/20 Minneapolis	Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors 238210 254 Commercial and Institutional Building Construction 236220 1,200	Employee struck a joist while riding a scissors lift.	Citation issued for 318157922. No citations issued for other employer.

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318157930 9/14/20 Hector	Corn Farming 111150 3	Employee's leg was caught in a grain auger.	No inspection due to Farming Appropriation Rider exemption
318158029 9/10/20 St Paul	Paper Bag and Coated and Treated Paper Manufacturing 322220 70,000	Employee was crushed in a conveyor.	Citations Issued
318158391 9/23/20 Sauk Rapids	Wood Kitchen Cabinet and Countertop Manufacturing 337110 25	Employee was struck by a saw blade.	Citations Issued

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