The average fine and highest fine for the common categories of offences

Offence		Failure to provide and maintain safe plant and system of work (Maximum statutory fine: \$500,000)	Failure to take adequate steps to prevent person from falling from a height (Maximum statutory fine: \$200,000)
2008	Average fine	\$13,271	\$14,335
	Highest fine	\$66,000	\$65,000
2009	Average fine	\$12,538	\$13,166
	Highest fine	\$45,000	\$70,000
2010	Average fine	\$14,920	\$14,387
	Highest fine	\$120,000	\$50,000
2011	Average fine	\$14,368	\$14,230
	Highest fine	\$50,000	\$56,000
2012 (Jan - Nov)	Average fine	\$14,333	\$14,109
	Highest fine	\$60,000	\$50,000