

LEGCO QUESTION No. 20

Annex

**Number of Industrial Accidents involving Renovation and Maintenance Works
from 2009 to mid 2013**

Category of Accidents \ Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	1st half of 2013
Trapped in or between objects	30	29	31	21	9
Injured whilst lifting or carrying	298	253	253	164	63
Slip, trip or fall on same level	206	208	230	201	90
Fall of person from height	217 (3)	249 (3)	224 (6)	212 (6)	100 (2)
Striking against fixed or stationary object	115	176	149	130	58
Striking against or struck by moving object	209 (1)	211	214	198	87
Stepping on object	6	12	12	10	1
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance	5	3	13	8	1
Contact with electricity or electric discharge	5	4 (1)	4 (1)	6 (3)	2
Trapped by collapsing or overturning object	0	0	1	2	1
Struck by falling object	37 (1)	41	24	27	14
Struck by moving vehicle	7	1	6	5	3
Contact with moving machinery or object being machined	117	154 (2)	128	116	45
Drowning	1 (1)	0	1 (1)	0	0
Exposure to fire	5	4	6	2	1
Exposure to explosion	1	0	4	0	3
Injured by hand tool	93	58	65	49	15
Injured by fall of ground	0	0	1	0	0
Contact with hot surface or substance	11	5	4	9	1
Others	16	14	20	13	10 (1)
Total	1 379 (6)	1 422 (6)	1 390 (8)	1 173 (9)	504 (3)

Notes:

1. Industrial accidents refer to injuries and deaths arising from industrial activities in industrial undertakings as defined under the Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance (Cap. 59).
2. Figures in brackets denote the number of fatalities.