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

Year Catagory of Agaidants	2009		2010		2011		2012		1 st half of 2013	
Category of Accidents										
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.