

Table I-26. National estimates of injuries to **hired youth** (< 20 years) on US farms by injury characteristics, 2001, 2004, 2006, 2009, 2012 (all years combined)

Injury Characteristics	Hired Youth Injury Estimates 2001, 2004, 2006, 2009, 2012
<b>Nature of Injury</b>	
Bruise	987
Sprain/strain	1,091
Fracture	354
Cut	1,179
Puncture/stab/jab	330
Burn/blister/scald	235
Traumatic brain injury	383
Multiple injuries	280
Other injuries (1)	513
<b>Body Part</b>	
Head/skull/face	260
Torso	544
Upper extremities	1,933
Lower extremities	1,777
Multiple body parts	244
Other body parts (2)	592
<b>Source of Injury</b>	
Machinery	857
Parts/materials	284
Persons/plants/animals/minerals	1,406
Structures/surfaces	770
Tools/instruments/equipment	715
Vehicles	484
Other sources (3)	835
<b>Injury Event</b>	
Contact with objects	2,546
Falls	624
Exposure to substances/environments	628
Transportation	560
Assaults (4)	373
Other events (5)	622
<b>Total (6)</b>	<b>5,353</b>

(1) Includes scrape/abrasion, dislocation, traumatic rupture, crush/mangle, amputation, nerve injury, and other/unknown injuries

(2) Includes internal injuries and other/unknown body parts

(3) Includes chemicals, containers, furniture/fixtures, and other/unknown sources

(4) On-farm assaults are predominantly assaults by animals

(5) Includes bodily reaction/exertion, fires/explosions, and other/unknown events

(6) Estimates may not sum due to rounding

Source: Childhood Agricultural Injury Survey, 2001, 2004, 2006, 2009 and 2012.