West Virginia Fatal Summary Report 1997-2019

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INTRODUCTION

This study is being conducted on all fatal incidents that have occurred in West Virginia between 1997 and 2019.

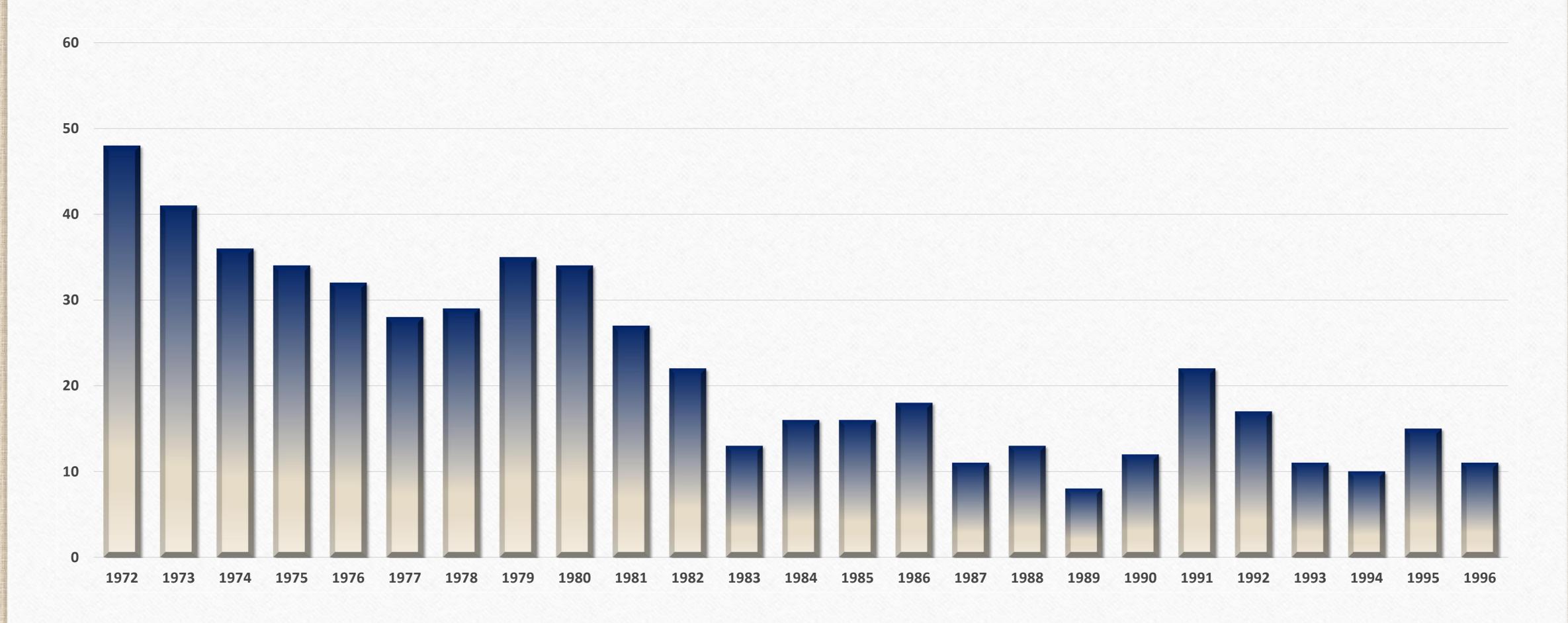
The results concluded that 199 fatalities occurred with a total of 3,209 years of mining experience lost.







FATALITIES PER YEAR (1972-1996)

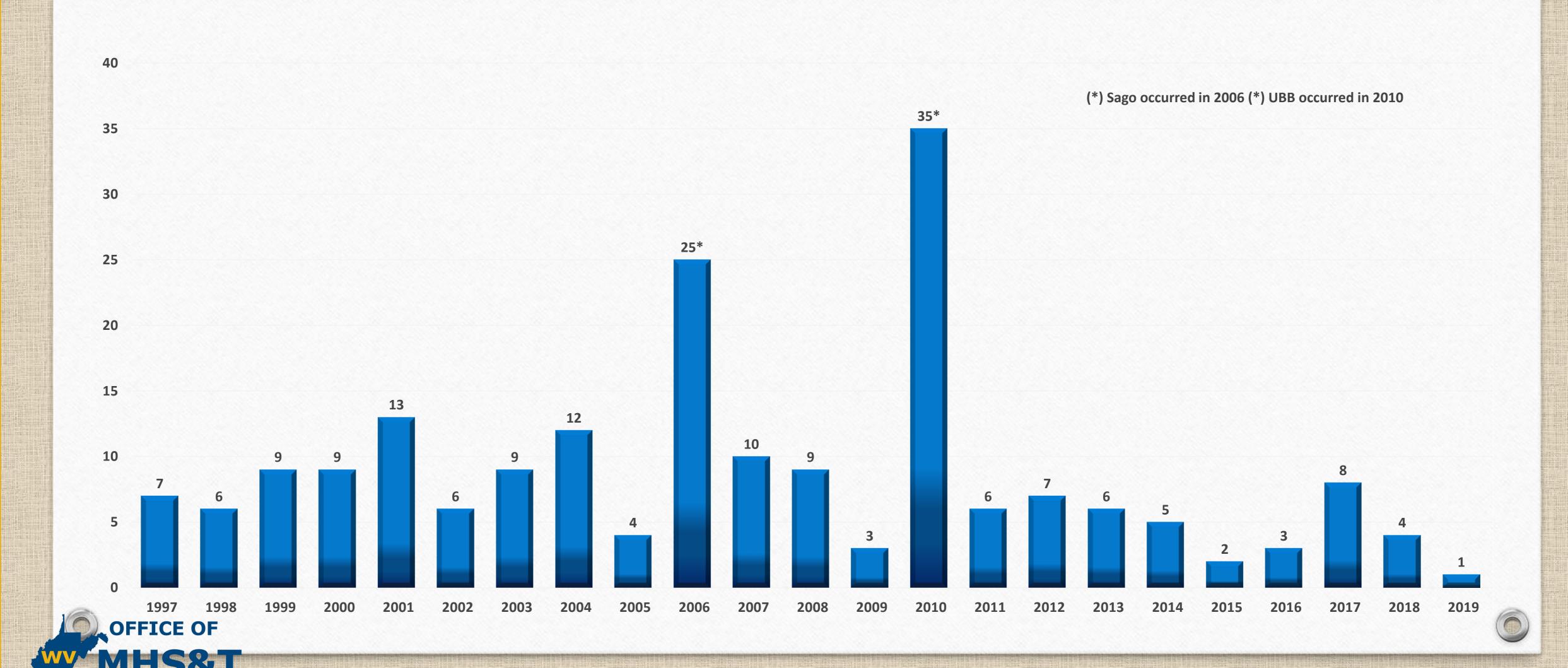








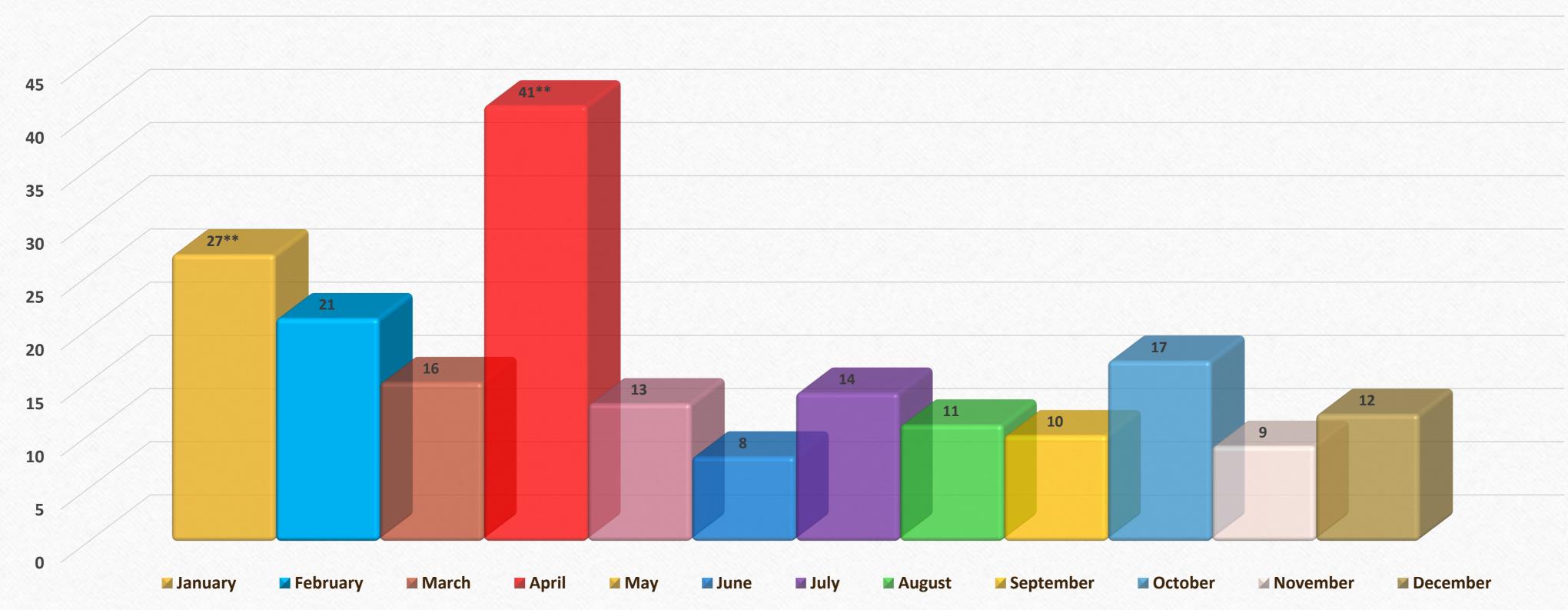
FATALITIES PER YEAR (1997-2019)







FATALITIES PER MONTH



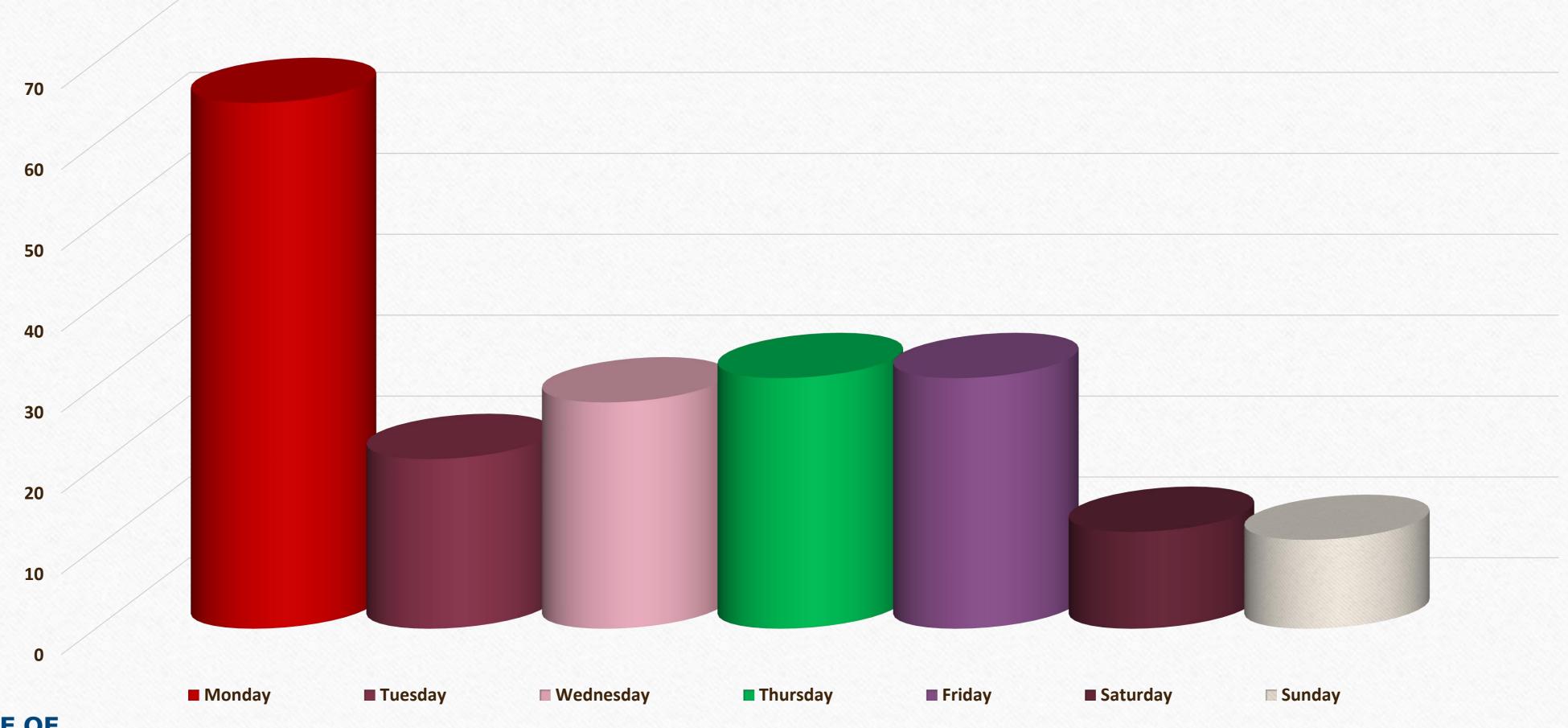








FATALITIES PER DAY OF WEEK

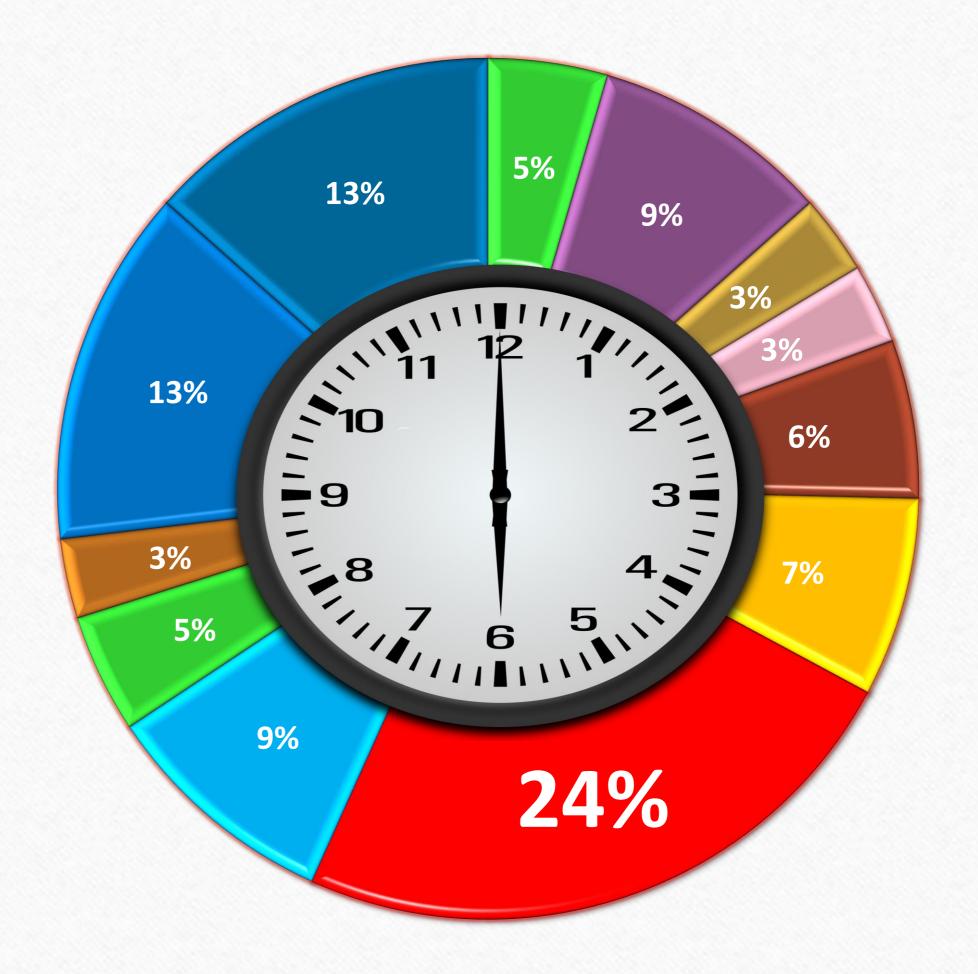






24% OF A.M. FATALITIES OCCURRED BETWEEN 6AM AND 7AM

- **12:00AM-12:59AM**
- 1:00AM 1:59AM
- **2:00AM 2:59AM**
- 3:00AM 3:59AM
- **4:00AM 4:59AM**
- **5:00AM 5:59AM**
- 6:00AM 6:59AM
- **7:00AM 7:59AM**
- **8:00AM 8:59AM**
- 9:00AM 9:59AM
- **10:00AM 10:59AM**
- 11:00AM -11:59AM





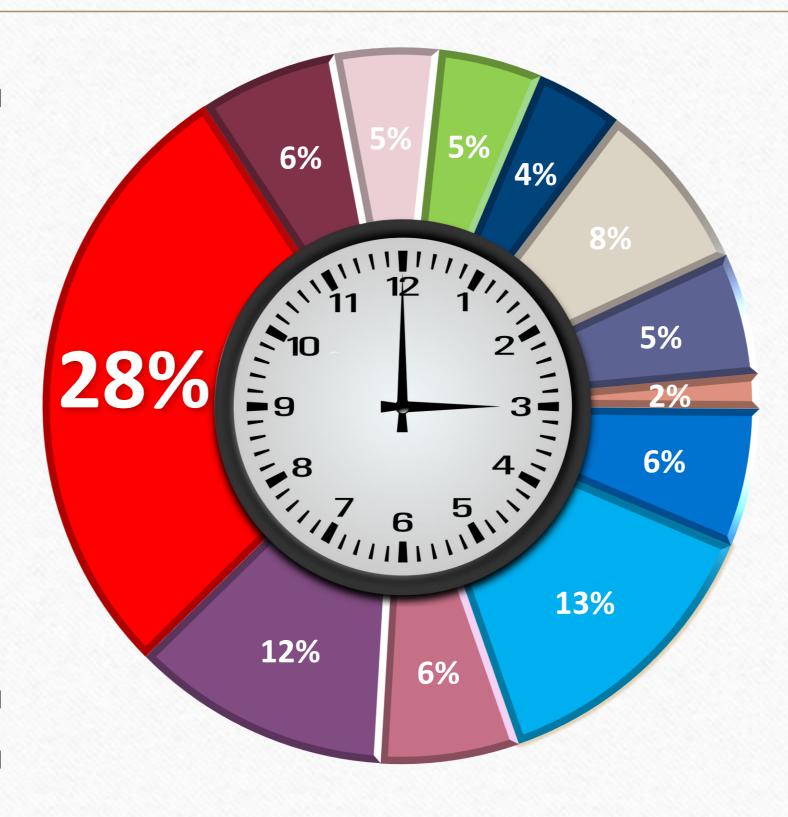






28% OF P.M. FATALITIES OCCURRED BETWEEN 3PM AND 4PM

- **12:00PM 12:59PM**
- **■** 1:00PM 1:59PM
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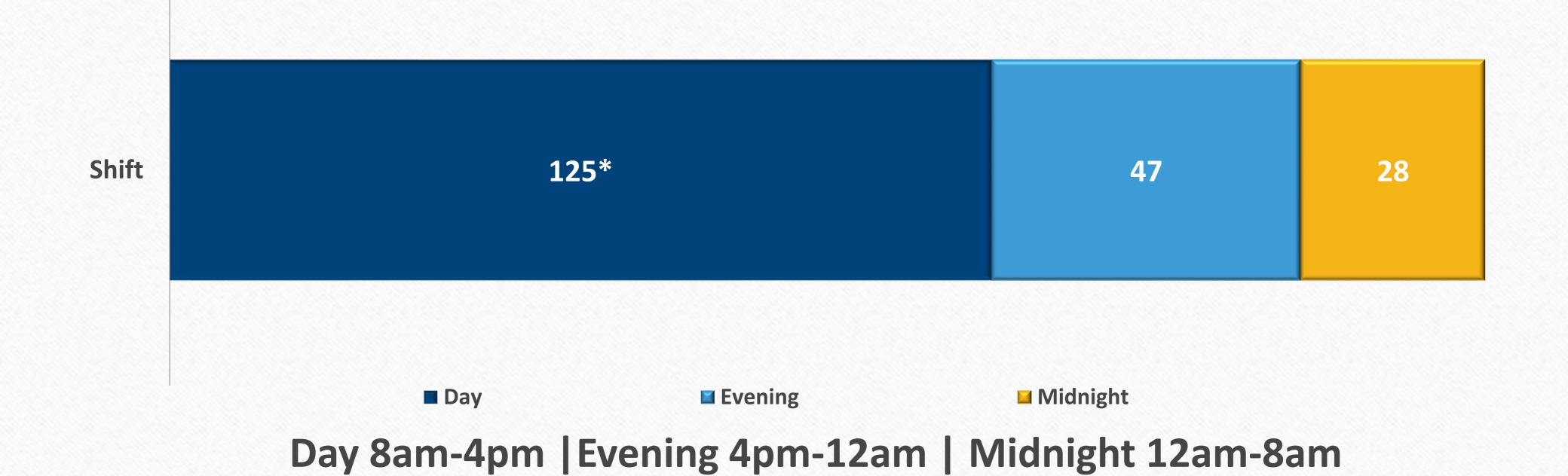








FATALITIES PER SHIFT

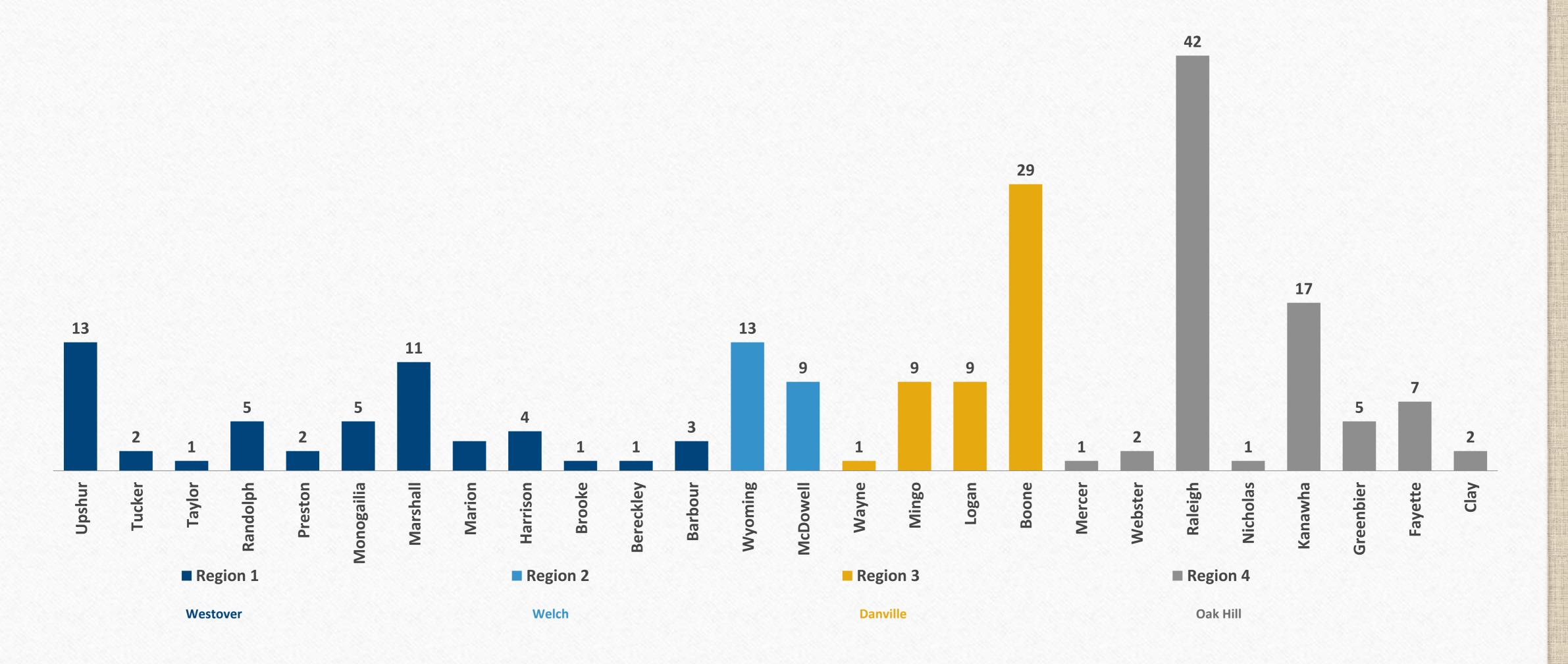


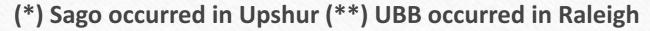




FATALITIES PER REGION AND COUNTY







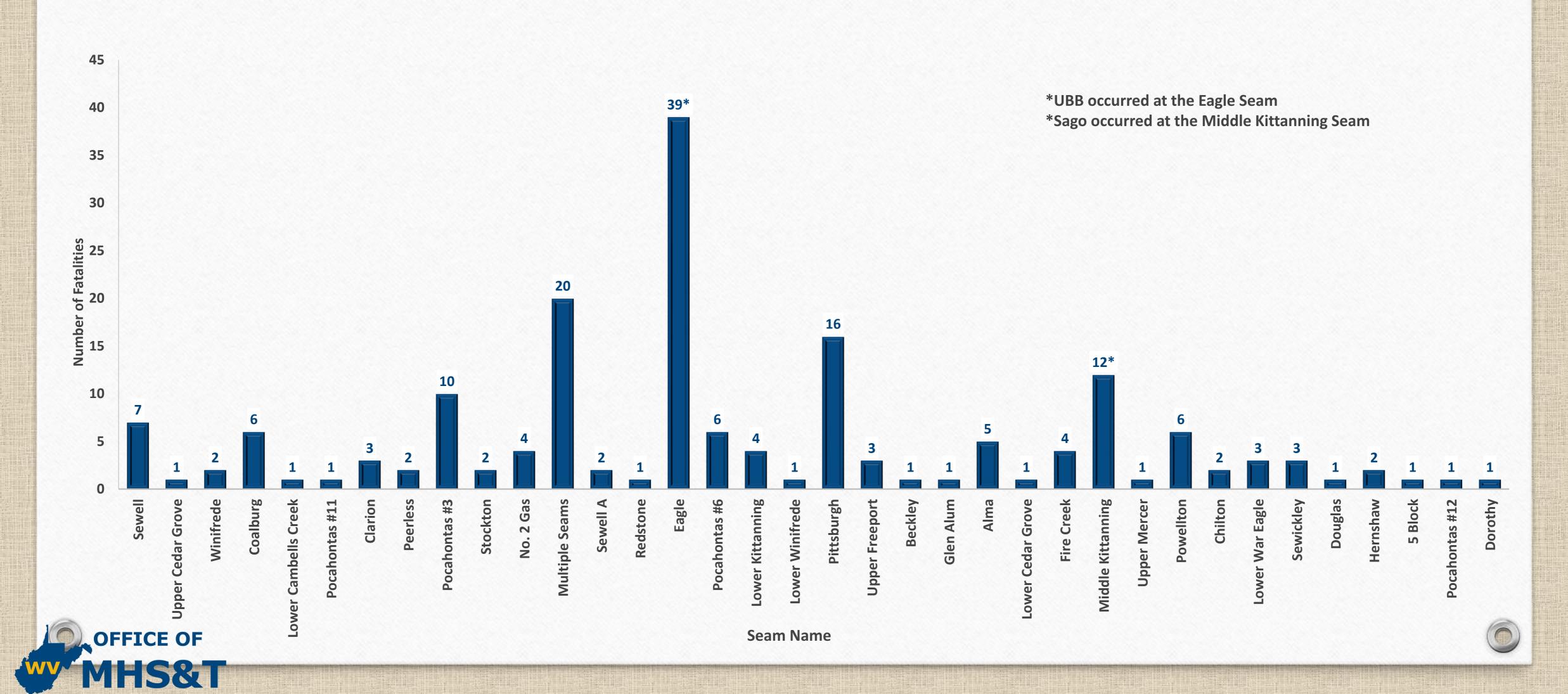








FATALITIES PER COAL SEAM

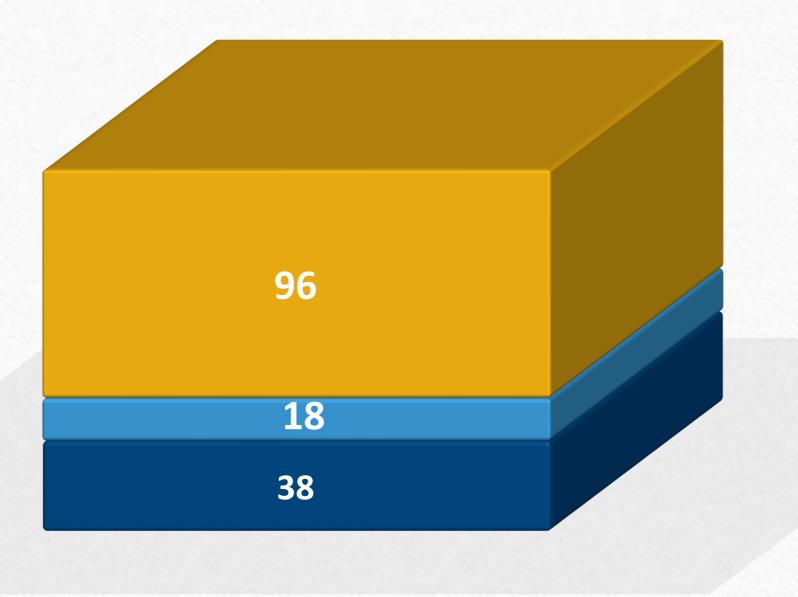
















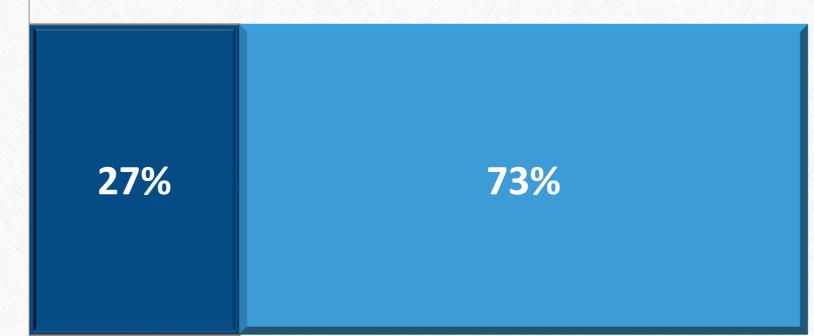




WORKER FATALITIES









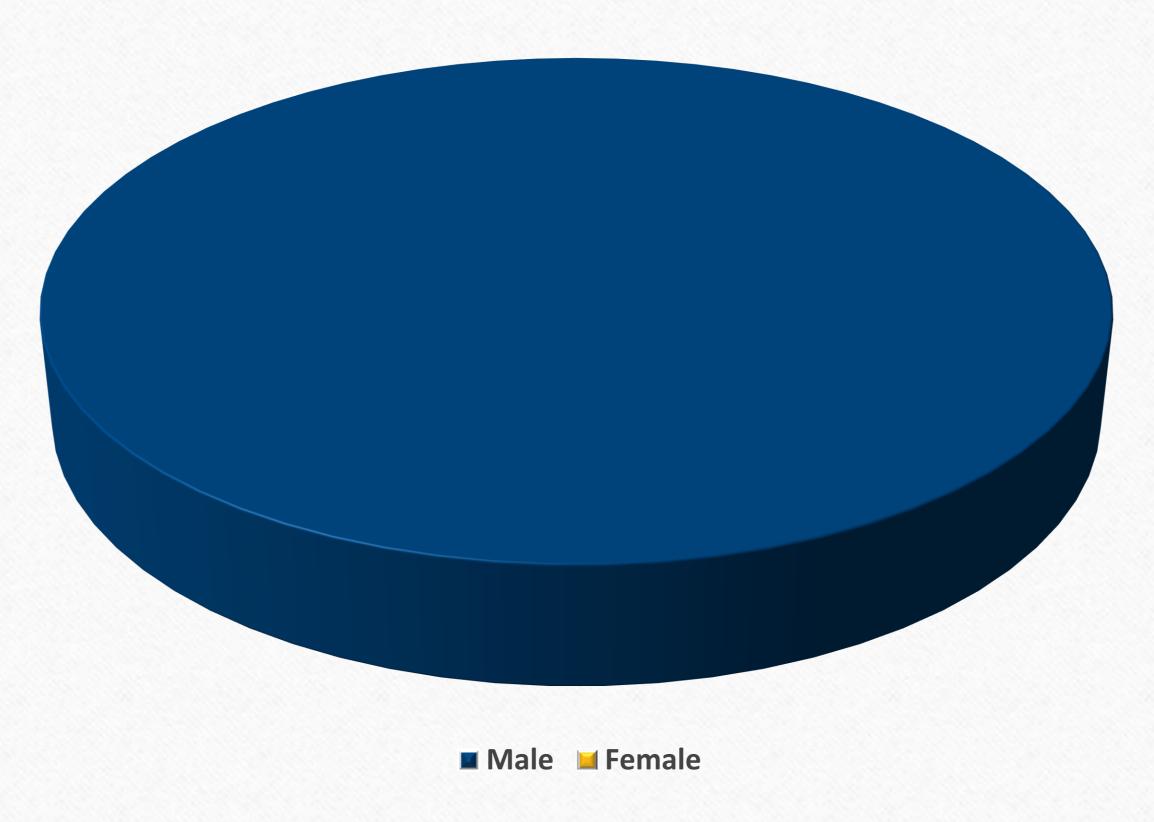






FATALITIES PER GENDER

100% are Male



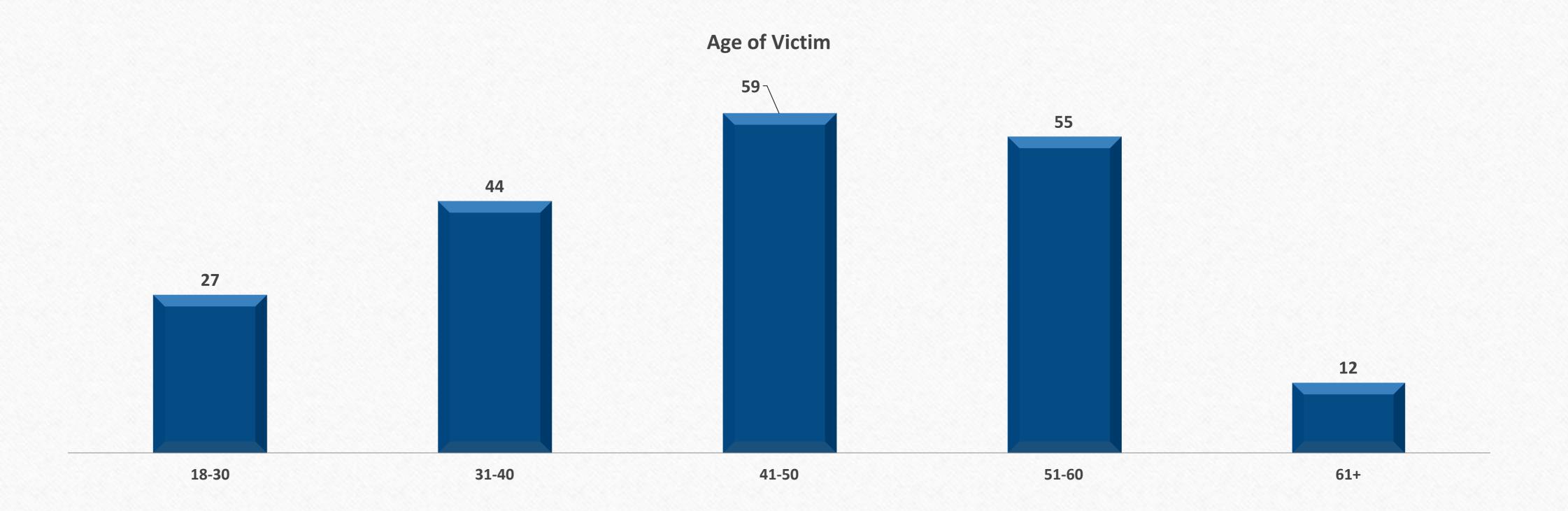








54% OF MINE FATALITY VICTIMS ARE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 41 AND 50





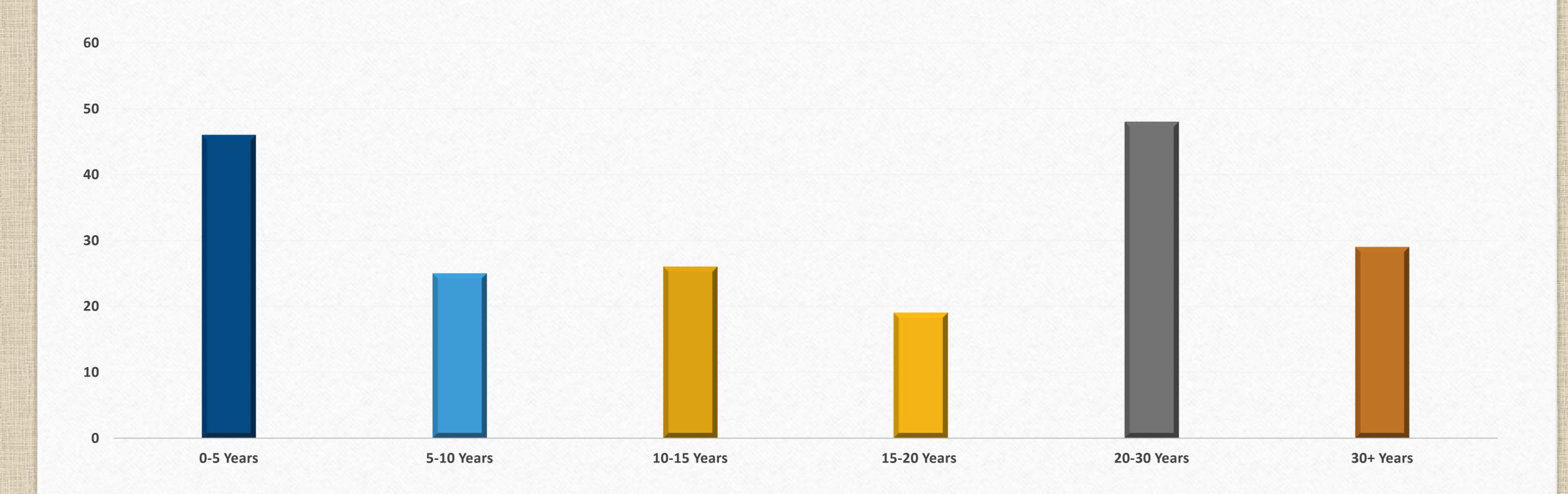






FATALITIES PER MINE EXPERIENCE

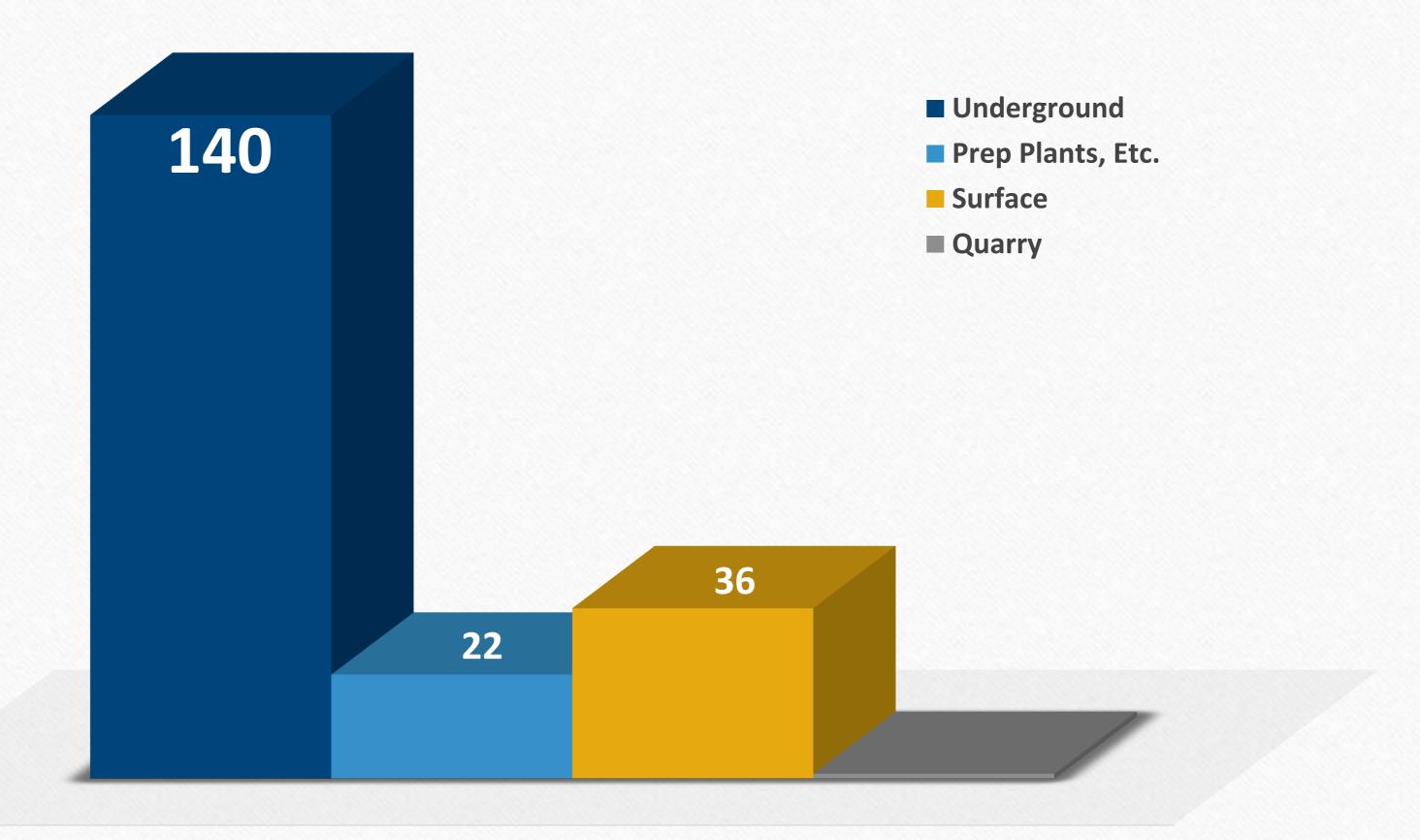
FATALITIES DO NOT DISCRIMINATE







THE MAJORITY OF MINE FATALITIES OCCUR UNDERGROUND



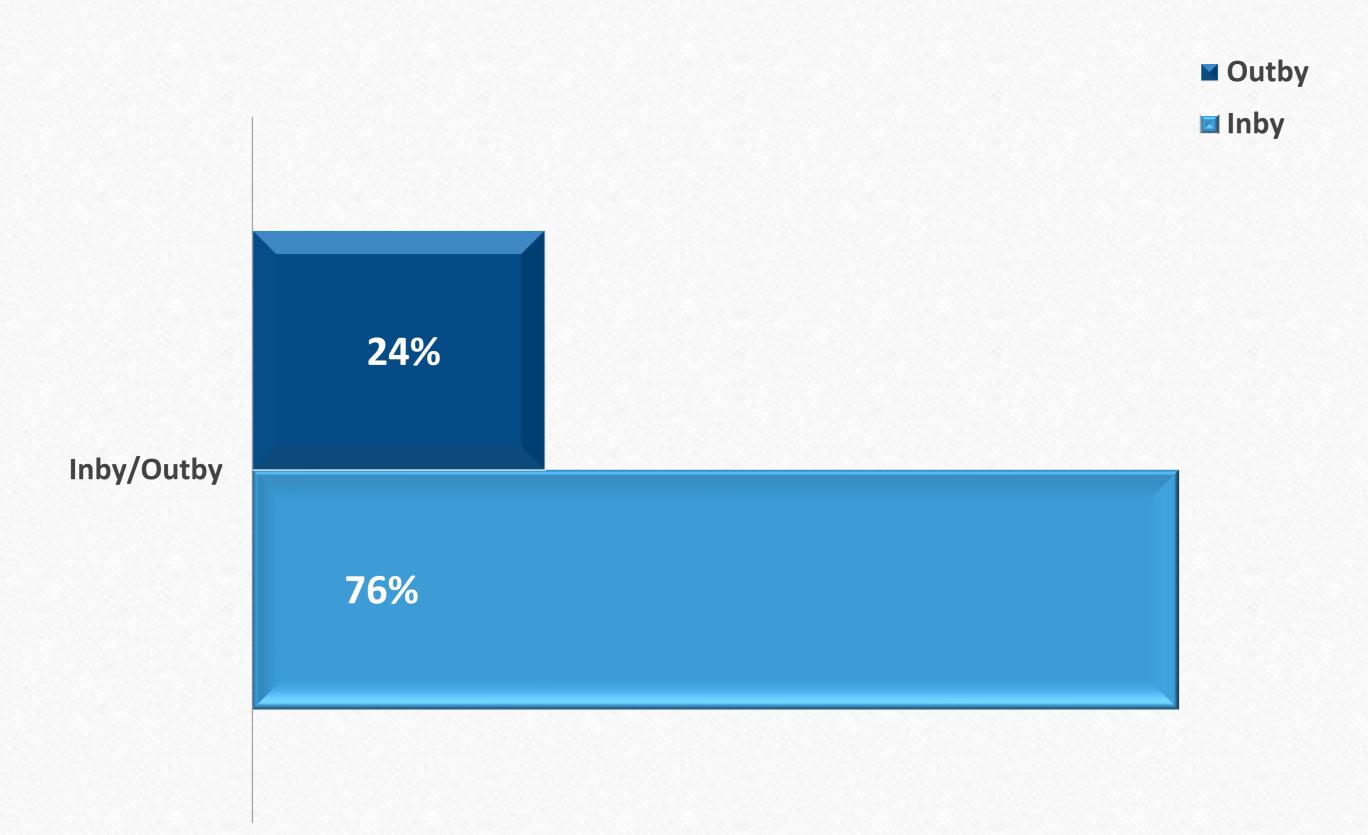








SEVENTY-SIX PERCENT OF UNDERGROUND MINE FATALITIES ARE LOCATED INBY.



Outby – Dumping point to outside Inby – Dumping point to face

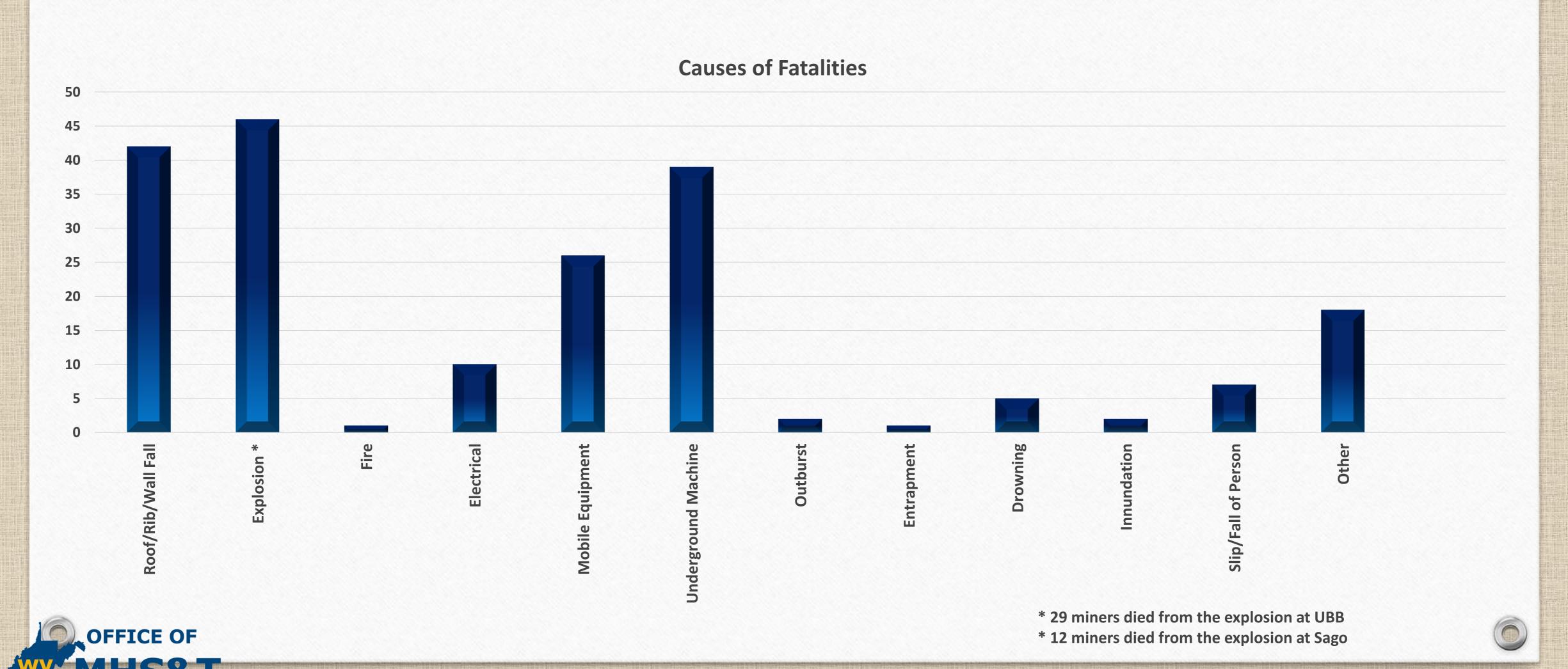








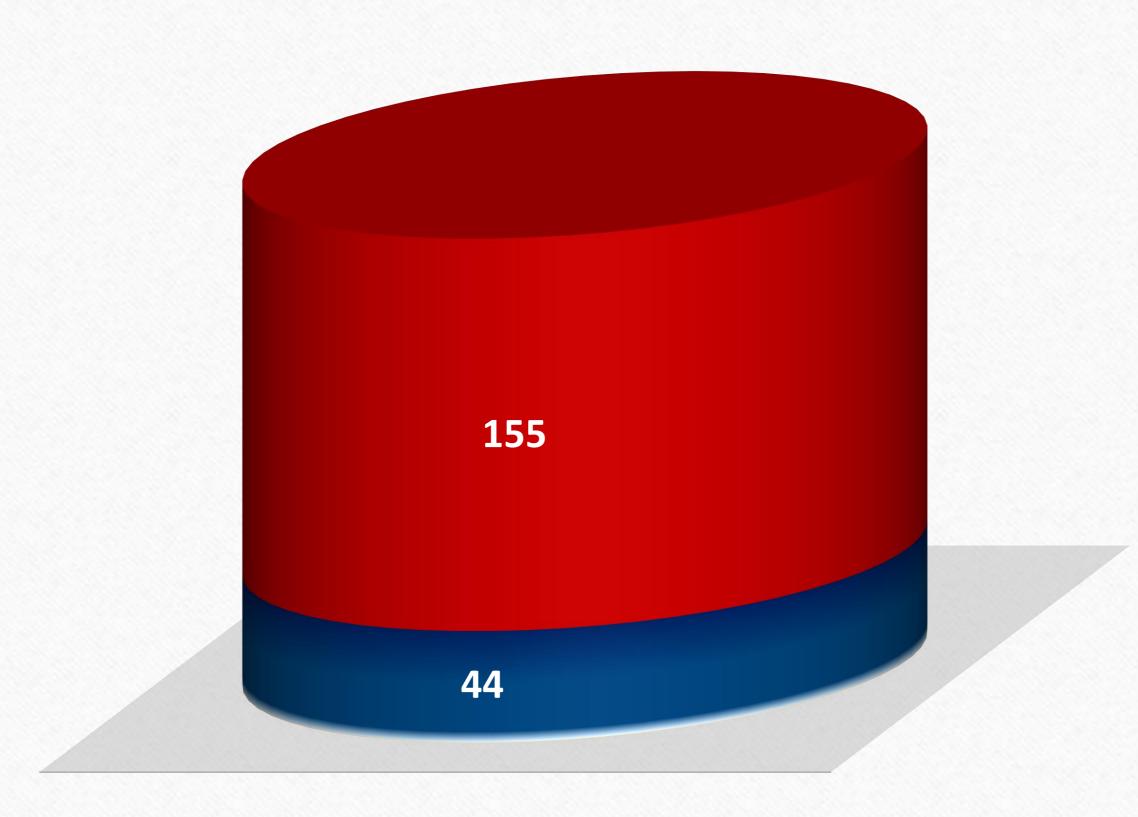
LEADING CAUSE OF MINING FATALITIES







ROOF, WALL OR RIB FALL FATALITIES



Other Factors

■ Roof, Wall or Rib Falls



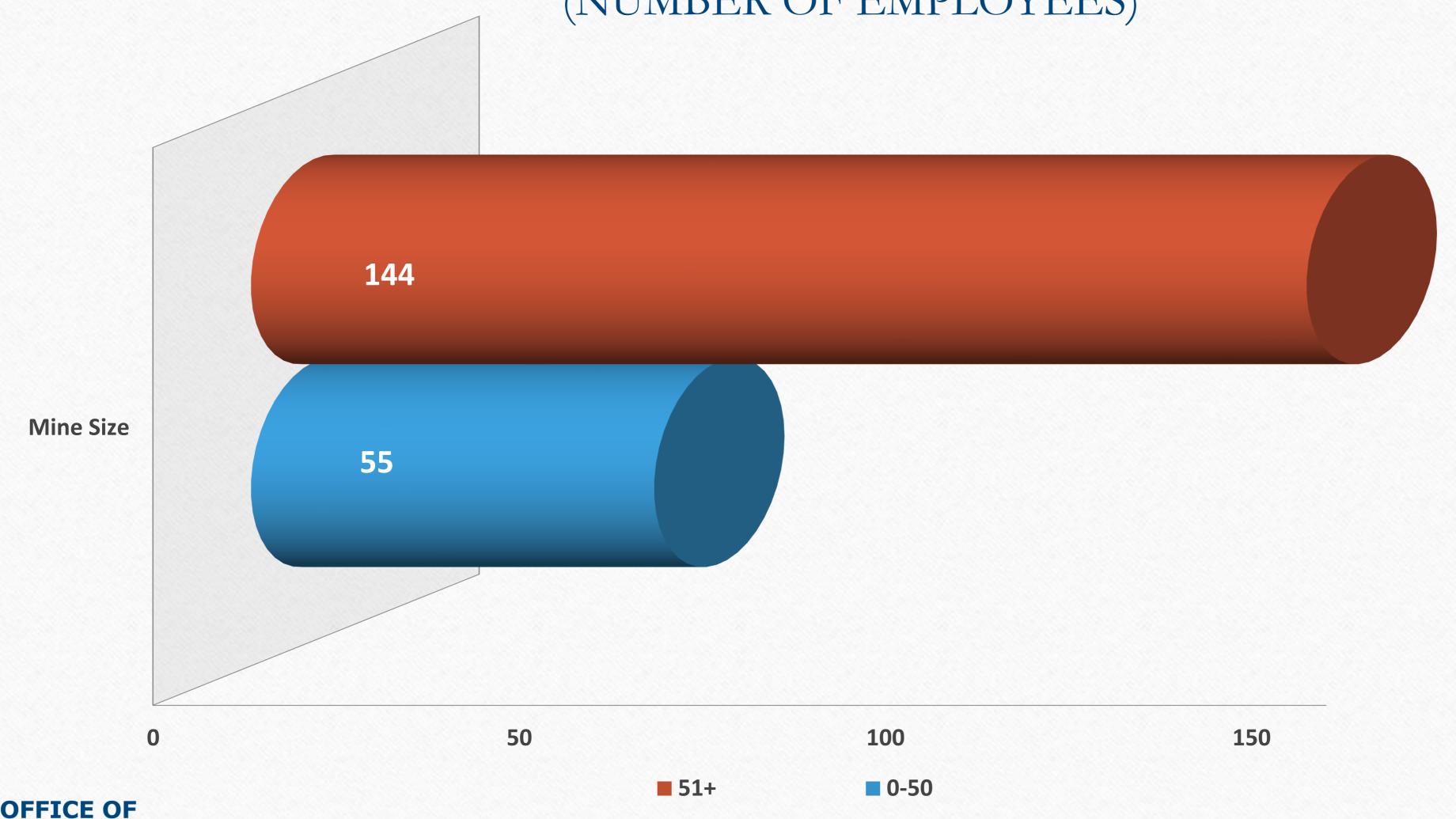




FATALITIES PER MINE SIZE





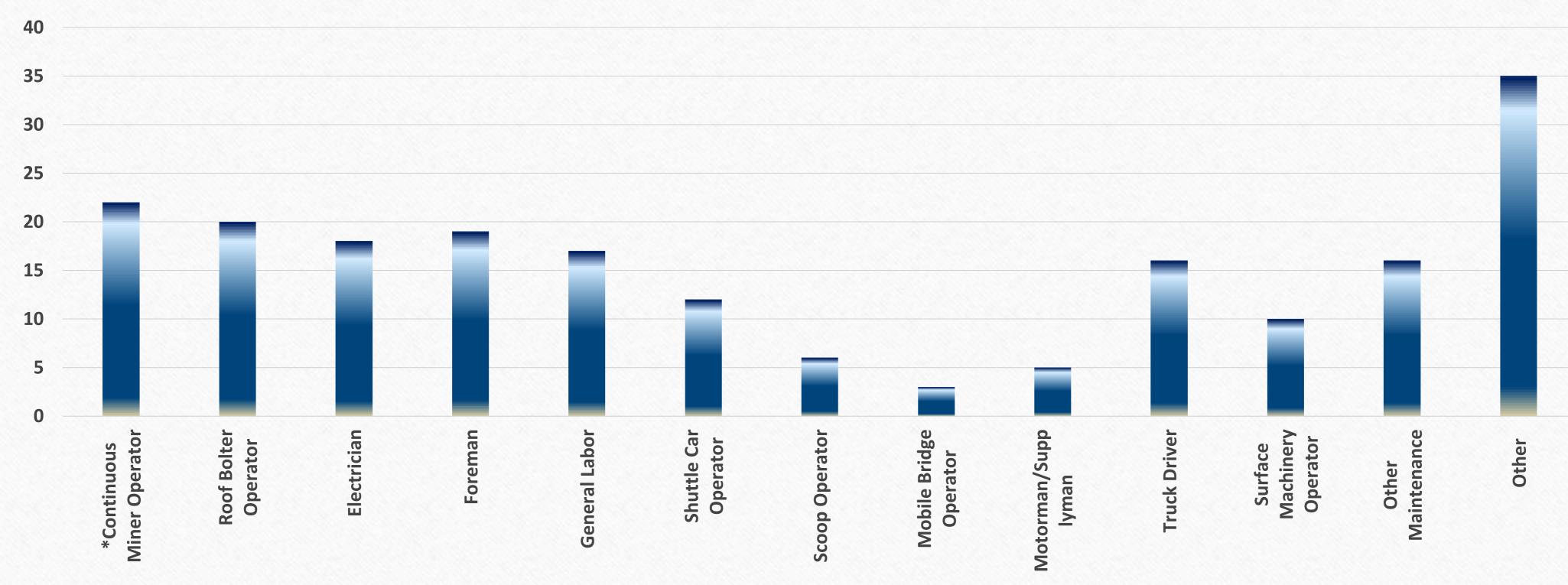






FATALITIES PER OCCUPATION

*CONTINUOUS MINER OPERATOR IS THE LEADING OCCUPATION FOR FATALITIES

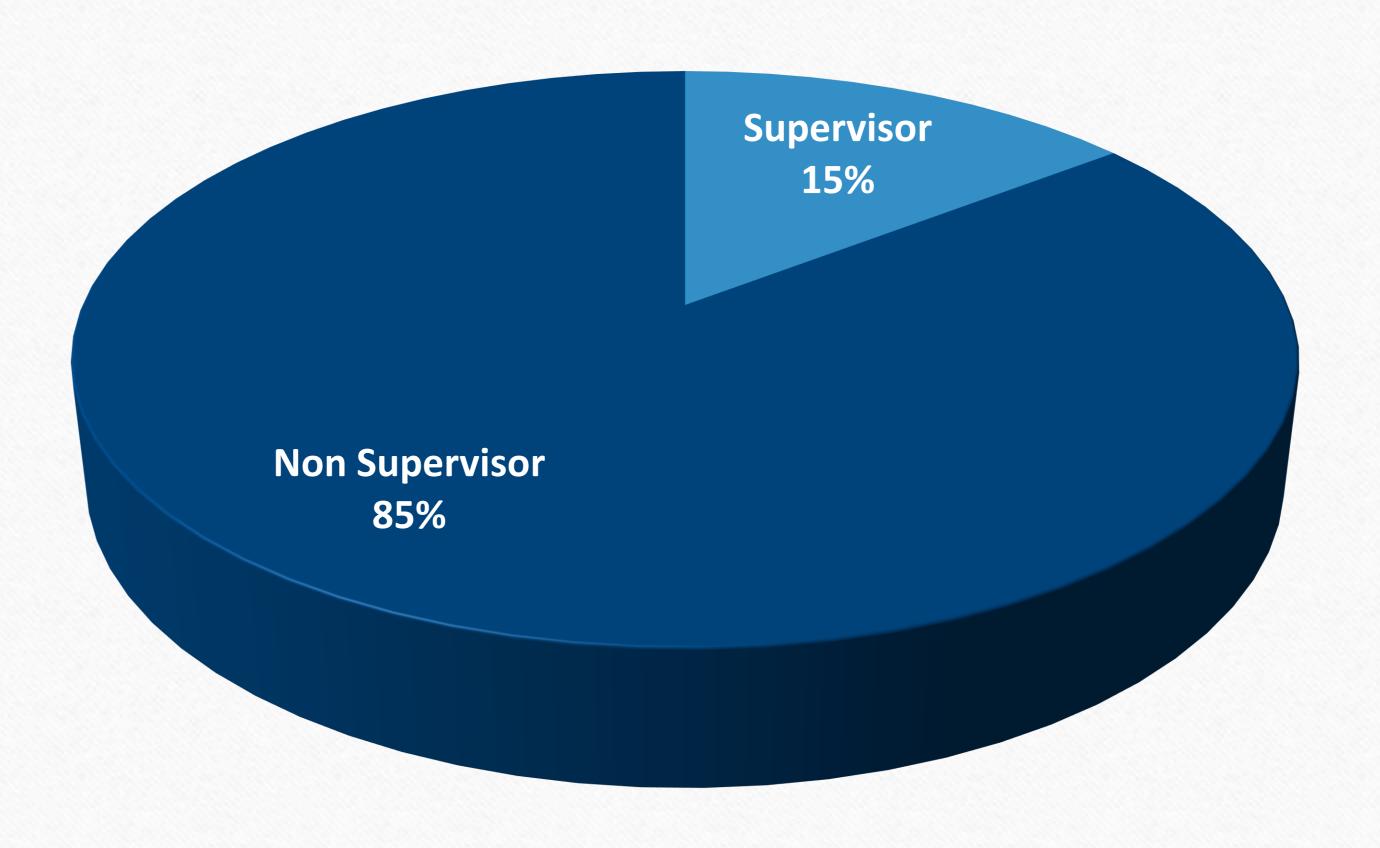








FOURTEEN PERCENT OF FATALITIES ARE SUPERVISORS





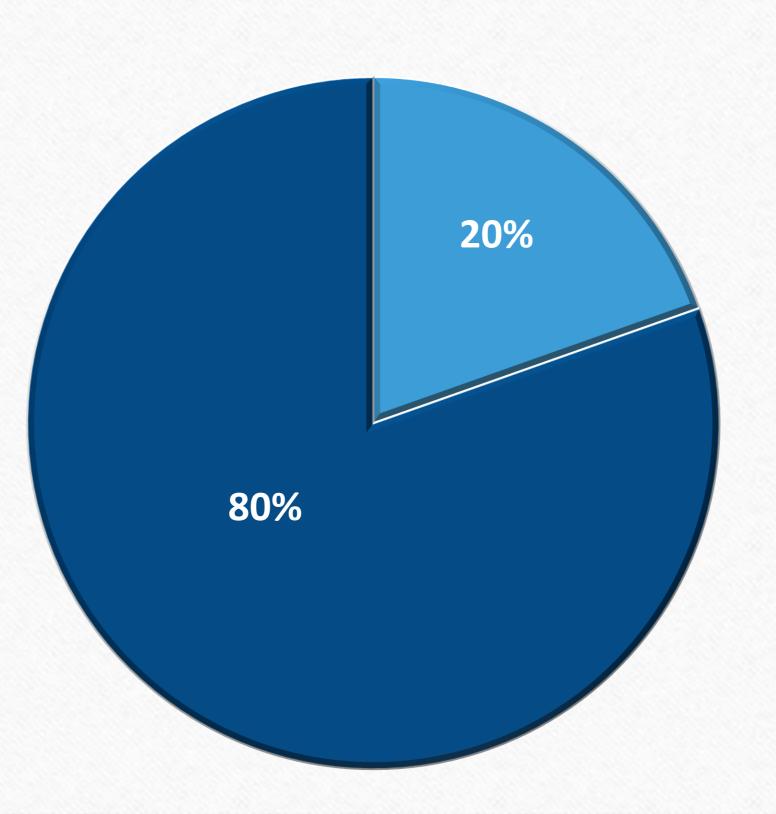






INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS ACCOUNT FOR 20% OF FATALITIES





- **Independent Contractors**
- **■** Employed by Mining Company



