

2009 Year at a Glance

	2009	2008
Number of workers covered	1,730,758	1,830,749
Time-lost claim rate (per 100 workers) ¹	1.6	1.8
Disabling-injury rate (per 100 workers) ¹	2.8	3.4
Number of new claims reported	140,198	167,896
Number of time-lost claims ¹	27,100	32,800
Number of recurrent claims ²	34,758	16,696
New non-economic loss and permanent disability awards	2,828	2,852
Fatality claims accepted	110	166
Ineligible time-lost claims (% of all time-lost claims)	8.4%	7.5%
Number of new requests for review to the DRDRB	2,676	2,620
Return-to-work percentage	93.1%	92.7%
Claim costs (thousands)	\$704,728	\$971,635
Registered employers	137,273	140,184
Premium revenue (thousands)	\$908,456	\$993,767
Average collected premium rate (per \$100 of insurable earnings)	\$1.24	\$1.33
Investment revenue (thousands)	\$219,996	\$(421,333)
Funded position (thousands)	\$1,433,193	\$590,330
Funded ratio (per cent funded)	128.4%	111.7%

¹ Time-lost claims and the time-lost claim and disabling-injury rates are projected. This approach is taken to ensure claims for accidents occurring in 2009 but not reported by year-end are considered.

² Previously inactive claims reopened for a number of reasons including payments for medical aid or requests for further compensation benefits.