

## Accident Survey Report 2019 – 2020

### Introduction

Build UK members are committed to reducing the fatal, specified and over-7 day injury incidence rates within the construction industry, and we collate information from our members every year on accidents reportable under [RIDDOR](#).

Due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, this report summarises information from Build UK Contractor members only for the period 1 April 2019 to 31 March 2020.

All 35 Build UK Contractor members provided information which covers 227,067 operatives: 35.20% (79,936) were direct employees and 64.80% (147,131) were sub-contractors.

### Accidents

	Build UK Contractor Members			Industry		
	Fatal Injuries	Specified Injuries	Over 7-Day Injuries	Fatal Injuries	Specified Injuries	Over 7-Day Injuries
Direct Employees	1	32	98	28	1,663	2,863
Sub-Contractors/ Self-employed	2	154	161	12*	676*	696*
<b>Total:</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>40*</b>	<b>2,339*</b>	<b>3,559*</b>

\*HSE includes fatal injuries to self-employed workers but excludes specified injuries and over 7-day injuries within their combined results. For consistency, we have included them all.

Build UK Contractor members also reported:

- Thirty-three (33) injuries to members of the public
- Four (4) incidents of work-related diseases
- One hundred and fifty (150) dangerous occurrences.

### Accident Incidence Rates per 100,000 workers

	Build UK Contractor Members				Industry			
	Fatal Injury Rate	Specified Injury Rate	Over 7-Day Injury Rate	Combined Injury Rate	Fatal Injury Rate	Specified Injury Rate	Over 7-Day Injury Rate	Combined Injury Rate
Direct Employees	1.25	40.03	123	<b>163.88</b>	2.04	121	209	<b>332.04</b>
Sub-Contractors/ Self employed	1.36	105	109	<b>215.45</b>	1.28	72	74	<b>147.28</b>
<b>Combined:</b>	<b>1.32</b>	<b>81.59</b>	<b>114.9</b>	<b>197.30</b>	<b>1.74</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>258.74</b>