

2017/18 fatal injuries in agriculture, forestry and fishing in Great Britain

33
fatalities

10 employees killed
19 self-employed killed
4 members of the public killed



8

Killed when injured by an animal

Incidents involved cattle



6

Killed when struck by moving vehicle

Incidents included tractors, trailers, telescopic handlers, harvesters



5

Killed when trapped by something collapsing

Incidents included machinery supported by lifting equipment, trailer, logs



4

Killed when struck by an object

Incidents included bales, a tree, a log, part of a building



3

Killed by fall from height

Incidents involved a fall from bale stack, lift truck, floor edge



3

Killed by contact with electricity

Incidents involved overhead power lines, electrical equipment



2

Killed by slip, trip or fall on same level

Incident in farmyard and involving farm machinery



1

Killed by contact with machinery

Incident involved a potato harvester



1

Killed by asphyxiation/drowning

Incident in water