

REPORTABLE INCIDENTS | WHS MINES LEGISLATION

Weekly incident summary

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Note: While the majority of incidents are reported and recorded within a week of the event, some are notified outside this time period. The incidents in this report therefore have not necessarily occurred in a one week period. All newly recorded incidents, whatever the incident date, are reviewed by the Chief Inspector and senior staff each week and summarised in this report. For more comprehensive statistical data refer to our [Annual Performance Measures Reports](#).

Reportable incidents total

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| Level 1 incidents | → | Level 2 incidents | → | Level 3 incidents |
| 24 | | 5 | | 0 |

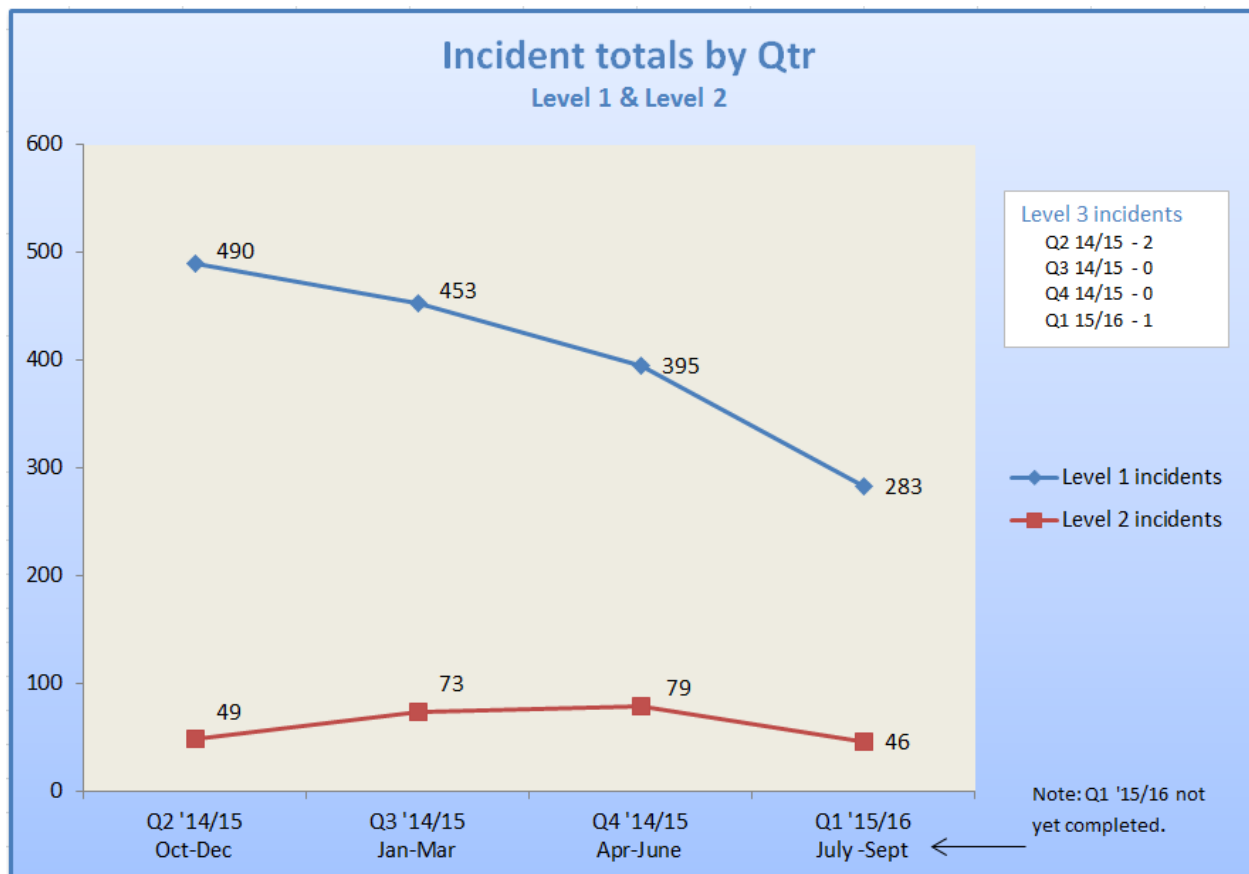
Note: Incidents are categorised as Level 1, 2 or 3 according to the seriousness of the incident, with 3 being the most serious.

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| Injuries | Fatalities |
| 7 | 0 |

Reportable incidents overview

Note: While all incidents are investigated, only level 2&3 incidents are summarised below.

| Level | Incident type | Summary | Comment |
|-------|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| 2 | Strata control 317654635001 | Strata failure resulting in 4000t of waste rock to enter a stope from the stope above. | Fall caused windblast and area remains off limits pending further investigation. |
| 2 | Electrical 317654681001 | Electrical fire on a water cart. Possible crushing of an electrical harness during installation of a new cab. | Fault in assembly, wiring pinched by putting cab on top. Full investigation being conducted offsite. |
| 2 | Electrical 317654669001 | Fire in the cooler room of an excavator. Preliminary visual inspection suggests starter motor terminal block as the source. | Auto electrical audit of the mines mobile fleet commenced. |
| 2 | Transport Management 31764695001 | A drilling machine made contact with 22kV overhead power lines while being driven. The mask on the drill rig was upright at the time. | Driver sustained mild electric shock. |
| 2 | Mobile equipment 317654703001 | A stockpiler slipped from ramps and rolled onto its side during unloading from a low-loader. | Lack of traction on ramps of low-loader and stockpiler. |



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| Safety Bulletin | 0 | www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/miners-and-explorers/safety-and-health/incidents/safety-bulletins |
| Information Release | 1 | www.resourcesandenergy.nsw.gov.au/miners-and-explorers/safety-and-health/incidents/incident-updates |
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