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**DMR REGIONAL TRIPARTITE PRESENTATIO**

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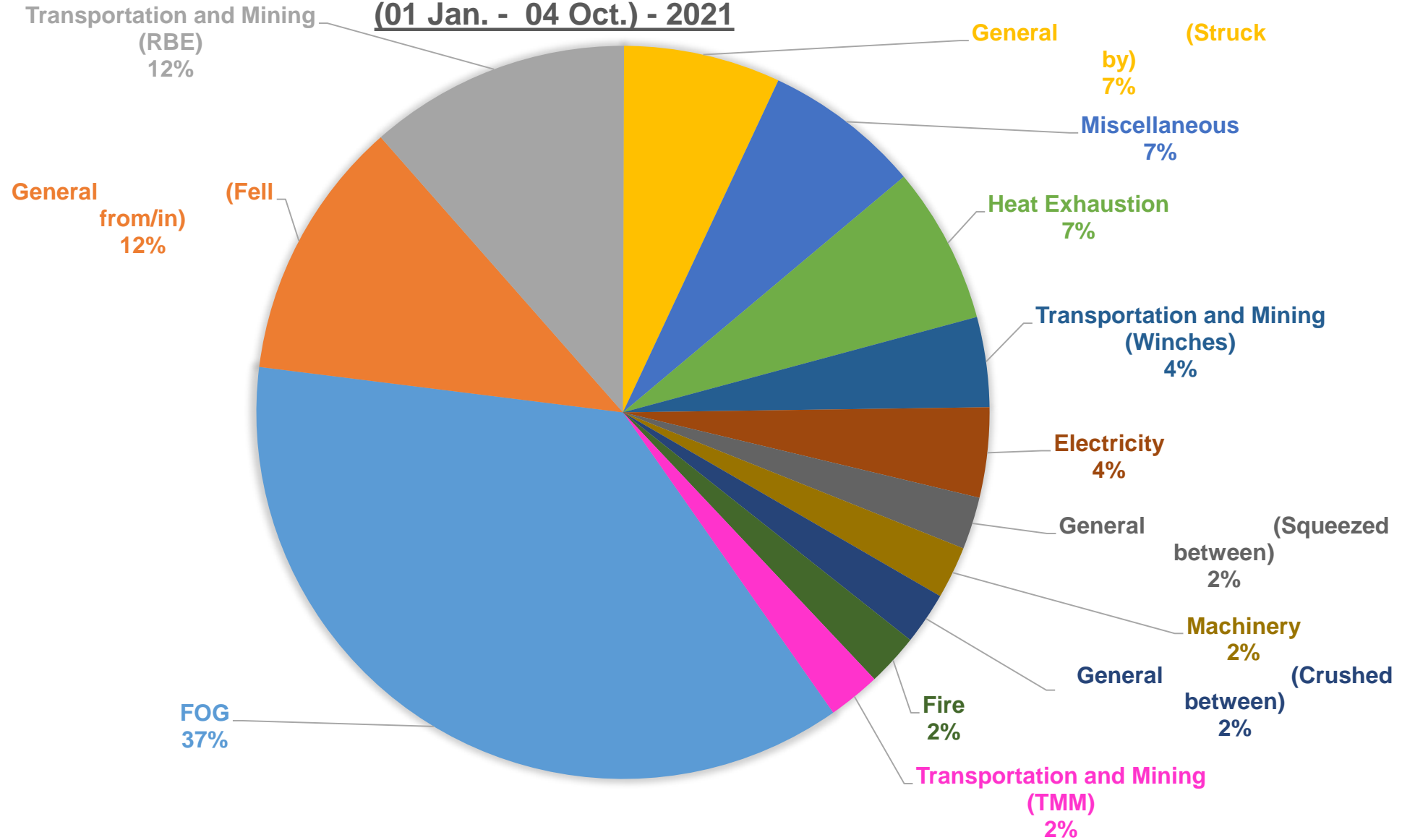
	Fatalities*						Injuries*		
	Actual						Actual		
	01/01/2020 - 04/10/2020	01/01/2021 - 04/10/2021	% change	Total fatal accidents ** 2020	Total fatal accidents** 2021	% change	01/01/2020 - 04/10/2020	01/01/2021 - 04/10/2021	% change
<b>Total</b>	37	43	16	34	38	12	1280	1084	-15
<b>Gold</b>	17	20	18	17	16	-6	447	371	-17
<b>Coal</b>	6	7	17	6	6	0	105	74	-30
<b>Platinum</b>	12	11	-8	9	11	22	532	523	-2
<b>Other</b>	2	5	150	2	5	150	196	116	-41

\* Provisional figures

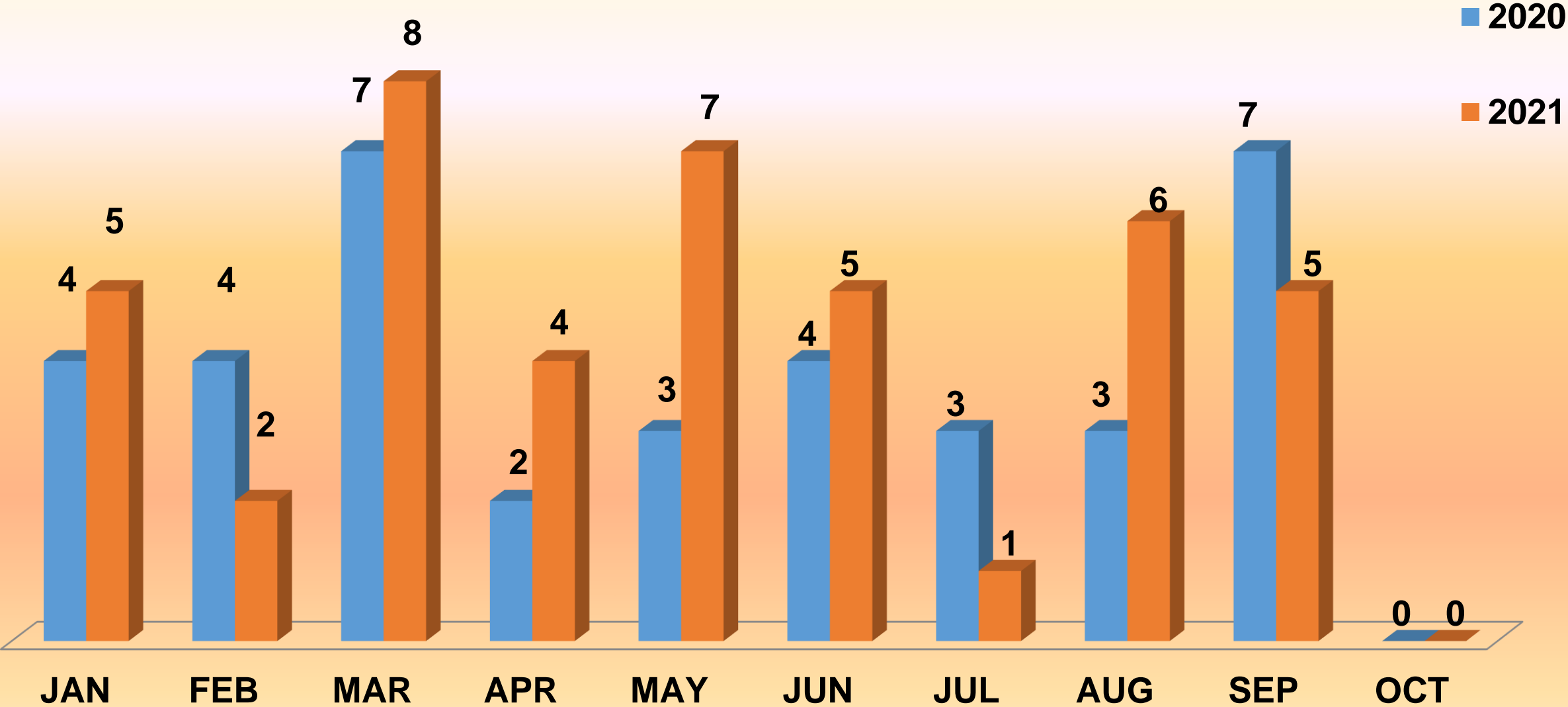
Region	Fatalities*						Injuries*		
	Actual						Actual		
	01/01/2020 - 04/10/2020	01/01/2021 - 04/10/2021	% change	Total fatal accidents	Total fatal accidents	% change	01/01/2020 - 04/10/2020	01/01/2021 - 04/10/2021	% Change
<b>Total</b>	37	43	16	34	38	12	1233	1084	-12
<b>Western C</b>	0	1	100	0	1	100	10	3	-70
<b>Northern C</b>	1	3	200	1	3	200	70	32	-54
<b>Free State</b>	2	6	200	2	6	200	143	111	-22
<b>Eastern Ca</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	-300
<b>KwaZulu/N</b>	1	0	-100	1	0	-100	12	3	-75
<b>Mpumalang</b>	6	7	17	6	7	17	101	85	-16
<b>Limpopo</b>	5	2	-60	2	2	0	67	82	22
<b>Gauteng</b>	12	11	-8	12	6	-50	242	212	-12
<b>Klerksdorp</b>	2	3	50	2	3	50	69	61	-12
<b>Rustenburg</b>	8	10	25	8	10	25	516	495	-4

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**All Mines**  
**Percentage Fatalities by classification (Provisional)**  
**(01 Jan. - 04 Oct.) - 2021**



# Fatalities per Month 2020 and 2021



## Gold Mines Fatalities per Classification

<b>Classification</b>	<b>01/01/2020 04/10/2020</b>	<b>01/01/2021- 04/10/2021</b>	<b>% Change</b>
<b>FALL OF GROUND/rockfall</b>	7	7	0
<b>MACHINERY</b>	1	0	-100
<b>TRANSPORTATION AND MINING</b>	2	3	50
<b>GENERAL</b>	5	4	-20
<b>CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)</b>	0	0	0
<b>ELECTRICITY</b>	1	0	-100
<b>FIRES</b>	0	1	100
<b>EXPLOSIVES</b>	0	0	0
<b>SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING</b>	0	0	0
<b>HEAT SICKNESS</b>	1	3	200
<b>DIVING SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES</b>	0	0	0
<b>MISCELLANEOUS (specify)</b>	0	2	200
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>18</b>

## Coal Mines Fatalities per Classification

<b>Classification</b>	<b>01/01/2020 04/10/2020</b>	<b>01/01/2021- 04/10/2021</b>	<b>% Change</b>
<b>FALL OF GROUND/rockfall</b>	3	0	-300
<b>MACHINERY</b>	1	1	0
<b>TRANSPORTATION AND MINING</b>	2	1	-50
<b>GENERAL</b>	0	3	300
<b>CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)</b>	0	1	100
<b>ELECTRICITY</b>	0	0	0
<b>FIRES</b>	0	0	0
<b>EXPLOSIVES</b>	0	0	0
<b>SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING</b>	0	0	0
<b>HEAT SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>DIVING SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES</b>	0	0	0
<b>MISCELLANEOUS (specify)</b>	0	1	100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>

## Other Mines Fatalities per Classification

<b>Classification</b>	<b>01/01/2020 04/10/2020</b>	<b>01/01/2021- 04/10/2021</b>	<b>% Change</b>
<b>FALL OF GROUND/rockfall</b>	1	1	0
<b>MACHINERY</b>	0	0	0
<b>TRANSPORTATION AND MINING</b>	1	0	-100
<b>GENERAL</b>	0	4	400
<b>CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)</b>	0	0	0
<b>ELECTRICITY</b>	0	0	0
<b>FIRES</b>	0	0	0
<b>EXPLOSIVES</b>	0	0	0
<b>SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING</b>	0	0	0
<b>HEAT SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>DIVING SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES</b>	0	0	0
<b>MISCELLANEOUS (specify)</b>	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>150</b>

## All Mines Injuries per Classification

Classification	01/01/2020- 04/10/2020	01/01/2021- 04/10/2021	% Change
FALL OF GROUND/rockfall	212	199	-6
MACHINERY	75	88	17
TRANSPORTATION AND MINING	233	163	-30
GENERAL	729	570	-22
CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)	16	18	13
ELECTRICITY (Not causing fire)	7	5	-29
FIRES	0	3	300
EXPLOSIVES	2	5	150
SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING	0	0	0
HEAT SICKNESS	2	4	100
DIVING SICKNESS	0	1	100
OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS (specify)	4	28	600
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1280</b>	<b>1084</b>	<b>-15</b>



## Gold Mines Injuries per Classification

Classification	01/01/2020- 04/10/2020	01/01/2021- 04/10/2021	% Change
FALL OF GROUND/rockfall	106	106	0
MACHINERY	21	29	38
TRANSPORTATION AND MINING	81	54	-33
GENERAL	235	164	-30
CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)	3	3	0
ELECTRICITY (Not causing fire)	1	2	100
FIRES	0	0	0
EXPLOSIVES	0	5	500
SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING	0	0	0
HEAT SICKNESS	0	4	400
DIVING SICKNESS	0	0	0
OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS (specify)	0	4	400
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>-17</b>

## Coal Mines Injuries per Classification

<b>Classification</b>	<b>01/01/2020- 04/10/2020</b>	<b>01/01/2021- 04/10/2021</b>	<b>% Change</b>
<b>FALL OF GROUND/rockfall</b>	14	4	-71
<b>MACHINERY</b>	10	9	-10
<b>TRANSPORTATION AND MINING</b>	21	13	-38
<b>GENERAL</b>	58	44	-24
<b>CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)</b>	0	0	0
<b>ELECTRICITY (Not causing fire)</b>	1	1	0
<b>FIRES</b>	0	0	0
<b>EXPLOSIVES</b>	0	0	0
<b>SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING</b>	0	0	0
<b>HEAT SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>DIVING SICKNESS</b>	0	0	0
<b>OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES</b>	0	0	0
<b>MISCELLANEOUS (specify)</b>	1	3	200
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>-30</b>

## Other Mines Injuries per Classification

Classification	01/01/2020- 04/10/2020	01/01/2021- 04/10/2021	% Change
FALL OF GROUND/rockfall	8	6	-25
MACHINERY	18	21	17
TRANSPORTATION AND MINING	38	11	-71
GENERAL	124	64	-48
CONVEYANCE ACCIDENTS (SHAFT/WINZE)	1	1	0
ELECTRICITY (Not causing fire)	3	1	67
FIRES	0	3	300
EXPLOSIVES	1	0	-100
SUBSIDENCE OR CAVING	0	0	0
HEAT SICKNESS	1	0	-100
DIVING SICKNESS	0	1	100
OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS (specify)	2	8	300
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>-41</b>