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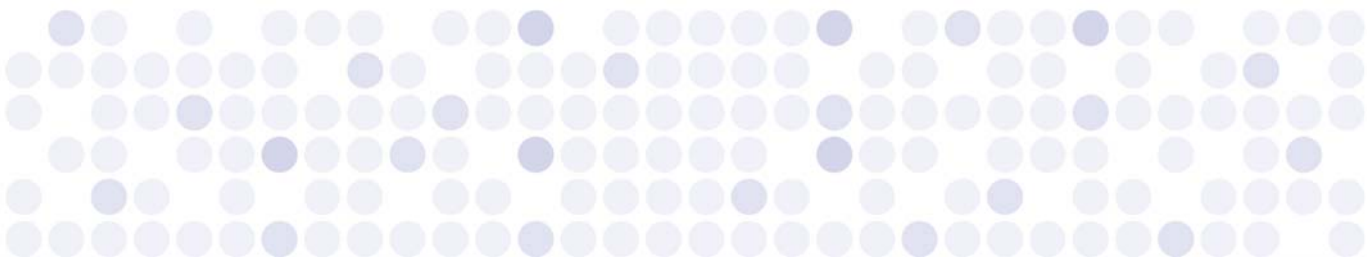


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Part 1 UPPER EXTREMITY INJURIES

Division 1 - Preliminary

Application of pt 1

1. (1) This part deals with upper extremity injuries.
- (2) Each injury listed in division 2 shows the percentage of permanent impairment that may result from the injury.

How to use this part of the table

2. (1) Division 2 lists certain upper extremity injuries.
- (2) Injuries are stated in column 2 and the maximum percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the injury is stated in column 3.
- (3) The maximum percentage of permanent impairment resulting from an injury is stated as a percentage of permanent impairment of the upper extremity.
- (4) Some injuries mentioned in division 2 are marked with an asterisk (*).
- (5) These injuries may result in the same degree of maximum percentage of permanent impairment as other injuries mentioned in the division, but, for historical reasons, give rise to different amounts of maximum lump sum compensation.
- (6) For more information on how to use the table of injuries, see sections 43 and 44 of the regulation.

Interaction between this part and the AMA guide

3. (1) The degree of permanent impairment resulting from an injury to an upper extremity is expressed in division 2 as percentage of permanent impairment of the upper extremity.
- (2) Even though an injury is not precisely described under division 2, a similar injury often will be.
- (3) If the injury is more severe than a particular similar injury, but less severe than another similar injury, the degree of permanent impairment must always be more than the less severe injury, but not as much as the more severe injury.
- (4) If an injury to an upper extremity results in permanent impairment and the injury is not mentioned in division 2, the degree of permanent impairment must be assessed under the AMA guide.
- (5) However, the processes that may be used under the AMA guide cannot result in an injury giving rise to a greater degree of permanent impairment from the injury than that specified under division 2 for a similar, more severe injury.
- (6) The percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the injury assessed under the AMA guide must be expressed as a percentage of permanent impairment of the upper extremity.
- (7) The percentage of permanent impairment so expressed is taken to be the degree of permanent impairment of the upper extremity for this part.
- (8) For section 43 of the regulation, the relevant provision of the AMA guide is chapter 3.

Division 2 - Upper Extremity Injuries

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
1100 FINGERS AND HAND		
1101	Loss of thumb	36
1102	Loss of joint of thumb	18
1103	Sensory loss to palmar surface of thumb	18
1104	Loss of sensation on either side of thumb	8

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
1105	*Loss of index finger	18
1106	*Loss of 2 joints of index finger	13
1107	*Loss of distal joint to index finger	8
1108	Sensory loss to palmar surface of index finger	8
1109	Loss of sensation on either side of index finger	5
1110	Loss of middle finger	18
1111	Loss of 2 joints of middle finger	13
1112	Loss of distal joint of middle finger	8
1113	Sensory loss to palmar surface of middle finger	8
1114	Loss of sensation on either side of middle finger	5
1115	*Loss of ring finger	8
1116	*Loss of 2 joints of ring finger	6
1117	*Loss of distal joint of ring finger	5
1118	Loss of sensation on either side of ring finger	3
1119	Sensory loss to palmar surface of ring finger	5
1120	Loss of sensation on either side of ring finger	3
1121	*Loss of little finger	8
1122	*Loss of 2 joints of little finger	6
1123	*Loss of distal joint of little finger	5
1124	Sensory loss to palmar surface of little finger	5
1125	Loss of sensation on either side of little finger	3
1126	Loss of hand or arm below the level of the elbow	90
1127	Aggravation of Dupuytren's contracture	0
1128	Crush injury to hand with multiple fractures (healed with no deformities) but resulting in mild loss of motion of all fingers with extensive scarring and soft tissue damage	40
1200 WRIST		
1201	De Quervains disease, whether operated or non-operated	0
1202	Ganglion, whether operated or non-operated, with or without residual subjective symptoms or signs e.g. swelling or tenderness	0
1203	Carpal tunnel syndrome, non-operated, with no residual subjective symptoms or signs	0
1204	Carpal tunnel syndrome, whether operated or non-operated with residual subjective symptoms or signs such as dysaesthesia or muscle wasting	2
1205	Fractured scaphoid, non-operated and healed with no residual subjective symptoms or signs	0
1206	Fractured scaphoid, operated	5
1207	Fractured scaphoid, worst possible outcome i.e. fusion of the wrist joint	60
1208	Fracture of radius or ulna or carpus bones with moderate limitation of wrist movements and mild limitation of elbow movements	16

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
1300 ELBOW		
1301	Medial or lateral epicondylitis of elbow, non-operated with no residual subjective symptoms or signs	0
1302	Medial or lateral epicondylitis of elbow, whether operated or non-operated with residual subjective symptoms or signs e.g. pain and tenderness	2
1303	Injury to elbow region resulting in moderate loss of all movements	31
1400 SHOULDER AND ARM		
1401	Injury to shoulder region resulting in mild loss of all movements	6
1402	Injury to shoulder region resulting in moderate loss of all movements	16
1403	Total loss of function of shoulder joint	60
1404	Loss of an arm	100

PART 2 – LOWER EXTREMITY INJURIES*Division 1 - Preliminary***Application of pt 2**

1. (1) This part deals with lower extremity injuries.
- (2) Each injury listed in this part shows the percentage of permanent impairment that may result from the injury.

How to use this part of the table

2. (1) Division 2 lists certain lower extremity injuries.
- (2) Injuries are stated in column 2 and the maximum percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the injury is stated in column 3.
- (3) The maximum percentage of permanent impairment resulting from an injury is stated as a percentage of permanent impairment of the lower extremity.
- (4) Some injuries mentioned in division 2 are marked with an asterisk (*).
- (5) These injuries may result in the same degree of maximum percentage of permanent impairment as other injuries mentioned in the division, but, for historical reasons, give rise to different amounts of maximum lump sum compensation.
- (6) For more information on how to use the table of injuries, see sections 43 and 44 of the regulation.

Interaction between this part and the AMA guide

3. (1) The degree of permanent impairment resulting from an injury to a lower extremity is expressed in division 2 as percentage of permanent impairment of the lower extremity.
- (2) Even though an injury is not precisely described under division 2, a similar injury often will be.
- (3) If the injury is more severe than a particular similar injury, but less severe than another similar injury, the degree of permanent impairment must always be more than the less severe injury, but not as much as the more severe injury.
- (4) If an injury to a lower extremity results in permanent impairment and the injury is not mentioned in division 2, the degree of permanent impairment must be assessed under the AMA guide.
- (5) However, the processes that may be used under the AMA guide cannot result in an injury giving rise to a greater degree of permanent impairment from the injury than that specified under division 2 for a similar, more severe injury.
- (6) The percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the injury assessed under the AMA guide must be expressed as a percentage of permanent impairment of the lower extremity.
- (7) The percentage of permanent impairment so expressed is taken to be the degree of permanent impairment of the lower extremity for this part.
- (8) For section 43 of the regulation, the relevant provision of the AMA guide is chapter 3.

Division 2 - Lower extremity injuries

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
2100	TOES AND FOOT	
2101	*Loss of any toe (other than great toe)	2
2102	*Loss of great toe	12
2103	*Loss of joint of great toe	5
2104	Fracture of any metatarsal, worst possible outcome e.g. pain or loss of weight transfer	10
2105	Mid-foot amputation	45
2106	Loss of a foot	63

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
2200	ANKLE	
2201	Ankylosis of ankle in neutral position	10
2202	Unstable ankle with ligamentous insufficiency, whether operated or non-operated	15
2203	Total loss of function of ankle joint with ankylosis in unfavourable position, worst possible outcome	62
2204	Fracture to os calcis, worst possible outcome	25
2204	Fracture of tibia and fibula resulting in shortening of the leg, gait difficulty, muscle wasting in the calf and moderate permanent stiffness of the knee and ankle joints	50
2300	KNEE	
2301	Chondromalacia patellae, non-operated	0
2302	Chondromalacia patellae, operated	2
2303	Patellar subluxation or dislocation with residual instability	7
2304	Patellar fracture, whether operated or non-operated	12
2305	Patellectomy	22
2306	Single meniscectomy	7
2307	Mild aggravation of pre-existing degenerative disease in knee with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	0
2308	Moderate to severe aggravation or acceleration of pre-existing disease in knee with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	7
2309	Injury to knee region resulting in moderate loss of all movements	20
2310	Unstable knee (cruciate or collateral ligament insufficiency), whether operated or non-operated	25
2311	Unstable knee (cruciate and collateral ligament insufficiency), whether operated or non-operated	37
2312	Total knee replacement	50
2313	Below knee amputation	80
2314	Above knee amputation	100
2400	HIP JOINT AND LEG	
2401	Mild aggravation of pre-existing degenerative disease in hip joint with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	0
2402	Moderate to severe aggravation or acceleration of pre-existing disease in hip joint with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	7
2403	Injury to hip region resulting in mild loss of all movements	12
2404	Injury to hip region resulting in moderate loss of all movements	25
2405	Healed fracture to femur with moderate angulation or deformity	45
2406	Fracture to femoral neck	50
2407	Total hip replacement	45
2408	Loss of a leg	100

PART 3 SPECIAL PROVISION INJURIES*Division 1 - Preliminary***Application of pt 3**

1. This part deals with vision and hearing injuries and injury involving loss of a breast.

How to use this part of the table

2. (1) Division 2 lists certain vision and hearing injuries and injury involving loss of a breast.
 (2) Vision and hearing injuries and injury involving loss of a breast are stated in column 2.
 (3) Some injuries mentioned in division 2 are marked with an asterisk (*).
 (4) For historical reasons the maximum lump sum compensation payable for these injuries may be higher relative to other injuries mentioned in this division.
 (5) For more information on how to use the table of injuries, see section 43 of the regulation.

Interaction between this part and the assessment guides

3. (1) If a vision or hearing injury results in permanent impairment of vision or hearing and the injury is not mentioned in division 2, the degree of permanent impairment resulting from the injury must be assessed under the relevant assessment guide.
 (2) The degree of permanent impairment must be expressed as a degree of total vision or hearing loss -
 (a) for each eye or ear; or
 (b) if the injury is to both eyes or both ears - of both eyes or both ears.
 (3) In this section -
"relevant assessment guide" means -
 (a) for a vision injury - the ophthalmologists guide; or
 (b) for a hearing injury - the hearing loss tables.

*Division 2 - Special provision injuries**Column 1**Column 2***Number****Injury****3100 VISION**

- 3101 * Loss of vision in 1 eye (corrected vision)
 3102 *Total loss of vision in 1 eye resulting from loss of an eyeball
 3103 Total loss of vision
 3104 Total loss of vision of 1 eye with serious diminution of vision in the other eye (less than 10% vision remaining)

3200 HEARING

- 3201 Loss of hearing in 1 ear
 3202 *Binaural hearing loss

3300 INJURY TO BREAST

- 3301 *Loss of breast

PART 4 OTHER INJURIES*Division 1 - Preliminary***Application of pt 4**

1. (1) This part deals with the following injuries ("**system injuries**") -
 - (a) injuries to the musculo-skeletal system;
 - (b) injuries to the nervous system;
 - (c) injuries to the respiratory system;
 - (d) injuries to the cardiovascular system;
 - (e) injuries to the alimentary system;
 - (f) injuries to the urinary or reproductive system;
 - (g) injuries to the skin.

How to use this part of the table

2. (1) Division 2 lists certain system injuries.
- (2) Injuries are stated in column 2 and the maximum percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the injury is stated in column 3.
- (3) The maximum degree of permanent impairment resulting from an injury is stated as a percentage of permanent impairment of the whole person.
- (4) Some injuries mentioned in division 2 are marked with an asterisk (*).
- (5) These injuries may result in the same degree of maximum percentage of permanent impairment as other injuries mentioned in the division, but, for historical reasons, give rise to different amounts of maximum lump sum compensation.
- (6) For more information on how to use the table of injuries, see sections 43 and 44 of the regulation

Interaction between this part and the AMA guide

3. (1) The degree of permanent impairment resulting from a system injury is expressed in division 2 as a percentage of permanent impairment of the whole person.
- (2) Even though an injury is not precisely described under division 2, a similar injury often will be.
- (3) If the injury is more severe than a particular similar injury, but less severe than another similar injury, the degree of permanent impairment must always be more than the less severe injury, but not as much as the more severe injury.
- (4) If a system injury results in permanent impairment and the injury is not mentioned in division 2, the degree of permanent impairment must be assessed under the AMA guide.
- (5) However, the processes that may be used under the AMA guide cannot result in a system injury giving rise to a greater degree of permanent impairment from the injury than that specified under division 2 for a similar, more severe injury.
- (6) The percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the injury assessed under the AMA guide must be expressed as a percentage of permanent impairment of the whole person.
- (7) The percentage of permanent impairment so expressed is taken to be the degree of permanent impairment of the whole person for this part.
- (8) For section 43 of the regulation, the relevant provisions of the AMA guide are -
 - (a) for injuries to the cervicothoracic, thoracolumbar or lumbosacral spine - chapter 3; and
 - (b) for injuries to the pelvis - chapter 3; and
 - (c) for injuries to the brain and cranial nerves - chapters 4 and 9; and
 - (d) for spinal cord injuries - chapters 3 and 4; and
 - (e) for respiratory system injuries - chapter 5; and
 - (f) for cardiovascular system injuries - chapter 6; and
 - (g) for alimentary system injuries - chapter 10; and
 - (h) for urinary or reproductive system injuries - chapter 11; and
 - (i) for skin injuries - chapter 13.

Division 2 – System Injuries

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
4100 MUSCULO-SKELETAL SYSTEM		
Cervicothoracic spine		
4101	Hyperextension musculo-ligamentous injury to cervical spine region with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings	0
4102	Mild aggravation of pre-existing degenerative disease in cervical spine with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	0
4103	Moderate to severe aggravation or acceleration of pre-existing degenerative disease in cervical spine with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	5
4104	Compression fracture of a vertebral body(s) or posterior element fracture (spinous or transverse process) without dislocation, healed with no complications, but local subjective symptoms, referred pain and mild restriction of neck movements	5
4105	Prolapsed intervertebral disc in cervical spine with referred pain, non-operated with resolution of subjective symptoms, and no loss of range of movements	10
4106	Prolapsed intervertebral disc in cervical spine with referred pain, treated surgically by discectomy and fusion with resolution of referred pain. Persisting neck pain with moderate loss of range of movements	15
4107	Vertebral fractures or dislocations to cervical spine, treated surgically by fusion with no residual neurological compromise, but severe loss of range of movements	25
Thoracolumbar spine		
4108	Mild aggravation of pre-existing degenerative disease in thoracic spine with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	0
4109	Moderate to severe aggravation or acceleration of pre-existing degenerative disease in thoracic spine with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	5
4110	Minor compression fracture of vertebral body(s) in thoracic spine, healed with subjective symptoms, but no physical signs	5
4111	Major compression fracture of vertebral body(s) in thoracic spine, healed with subjective symptoms, but no physical signs	10
Lumbrosacral spine		
4112	Musculo-ligamentous injury to lumbosacral spine region with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings	0
4113	Mild aggravation of pre-existing degenerative disease in lumbosacral spine with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	0

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
4114	Moderate to severe aggravation or acceleration of pre-existing disease in lumbosacral spine with subjective symptoms, but no significant clinical findings other than degenerative changes on X-ray	5
4115	Moderate to severe aggravation of pre-existing spondylolisthesis, treated surgically by discectomy or fusion with resolution of symptoms	10
4116	Minor compression fracture of vertebral body(s) in lumbar region, healed with subjective symptoms, but no physical signs	5
4117	Major compression fracture of vertebral body(s) in lumbar region, healed with subjective symptoms, but no physical signs	5
4118	Prolapsed intervertebral disc in lumbosacral spine with referred pain, non-operated with resolution of referred pain and back pain. No loss of range of movements.	10
4119	Prolapsed intervertebral disc in lumbosacral spine with referred pain, treated surgically by discectomy or fusion with resolution of referred pain, but persisting low back pain. Mild loss of range of movements	15
4120	Prolapsed intervertebral disc in lumbosacral spine with referred pain, treated surgically by discectomy or fusion, but with persisting referred pain and low back pain. Moderate loss of range of movements	25
Pelvis		
4121	Healed fracture to pelvis without displacement in any region (other than acetabulum, coccyx and sacrum) with subjective symptoms, but no significant signs	0
4122	Healed fracture to pelvis with displacement in any region (other than acetabulum, coccyx and sacrum) with subjective symptoms, but no significant signs	5
4123	Fracture to coccyx, whether operated or non-operated	5
4124	Healed fracture(s) to pelvis in any region (other than acetabulum, coccyx and sacrum) with displacement and deformity and subjective symptoms and signs	10
4125	Fracture to sacrum with or without involvement of the sacro-iliac joint with subjective symptoms and signs	10
4126	Fracture or dislocation of symphysis or sacro-iliac joint	10
4127	Fracture into acetabulum with displacement and deformity and residual subjective symptoms and signs in hip joint	50
4200 NERVOUS SYSTEM		
Brain and cranial nerves		
4201	Mild vertigo with subjective symptoms, but no significant signs	0
4202	Severe vertigo with subjective symptoms and signs and totally dependent	70
4203	*Loss of smell	3
4204	*Loss of smell and taste	6
4205	*Loss of speech	35
4206	Fracture to the mid third of the face with permanent nerve involvement	24
4207	Chronic organic brain syndrome i.e. diffuse brain damage following head injuries, cerebral anoxia, inhalation of toxic substances etc., worst possible outcome	100

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
Spinal cord injuries		
4208	*Cervical cord injury with or without fracture	75
4209	Thoracic cord injury with or without fracture	60
4210	Cauda equina syndrome with or without fracture	60
4211	*Complete paraplegia	75
4212	Totally dependent quadriplegia	100
4300 RESPIRATORY SYSTEM		
4301	Healed fractured rib(s) with subjective symptoms, but no significant signs	0
4302	Healed pulmonary contusion with subjective symptoms, but no significant signs	0
4303	Toxic inhalation injury, hypersensitivity pneumonitis, pneumoconioses, occupational asthma, C.O.A.D. (bronchitis or emphysema), R.A.D.S. (Reactive airways dysfunction syndrome), pulmonary embolus, all on optimal medical management:-	
	- no respiratory subjective symptoms or significant signs	0
	- mild respiratory subjective symptoms or minor signs	25
	- moderate respiratory subjective symptoms or moderate signs	50
	- severe respiratory subjective symptoms or significant signs	100
4304	Mesothelioma or lung cancer	100
4400 CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM		
Coronary Artery Disease		
4401	A history of angina with demonstrated constitutional coronary artery disease, on optimal medical treatment	0
4402	A history of myocardial infarction, with no post infarction angina, on optimal medical treatment	15
4403	A history of myocardial infarction with persisting post infarction angina, on optimal medical treatment	50
4404	A history of myocardial infarction with persisting post infarction angina and subjective symptoms and signs of congestive heart failure, on optimal medical treatment	100
4500 ALIMENTARY SYSTEM		
4501	Musculo-ligamentous injury to abdominal wall	0
4502	Splenectomy	5
4503	Subjective symptoms (e.g. local pain or dysaesthesia) following hernia repair(s)	0
4504	Subjective symptoms and signs (e.g. pain or dysaesthesia, tenderness) following hernia repair(s), but no significant signs	2
4505	Primary or recurrent hernia when surgery is an absolute contraindication	10

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
4506	Viral hepatitis -	
	- mild	25
	- moderate	50
	- severe	100
4600	URINARY AND REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEMS	
4601	Loss of 1 kidney	10
4602	Urinary incontinence	60
4603	Loss of both kidneys or only functioning kidney	100
4604	Loss of fertility	15
4605	Impotence	15
4606	Loss of sexual function (both impotency and infertility)	30
4607	Loss of genital organs	50
4700	SKIN	
4701	Contact irritant dermatitis. Removal from exposure to irritant results in resolution of signs and subjective symptoms with no ongoing treatment required	0
4702	Aggravation of constitutional dermatitis, resolved by removal from exposure to irritant	0
4703	Moderate solar induced skin disease that is non-malignant	0
4704	Chronic contact dermatitis. Signs and subjective symptoms persist intermittently on removal from exposure to the primary irritant. Intermittent treatment required.	10
4705	Chronic contact dermatitis. Signs and subjective symptoms persist almost continuously on removal from exposure to the primary irritant. Intermittent to constant treatment required.	20
4706	Solar induced skin disease that is malignant	25
4707	Persistent neurodermatitis secondary to occupational contact irritant dermatitis. Signs and subjective symptoms persist continuously on removal from exposure to the primary irritant and are exacerbated by exposure to secondary irritants. Constant treatment required.	30

PART 5 PRESCRIBED DISFIGUREMENT*Division 1 - Preliminary***Application of pt 5**

1. This part deals with prescribed disfigurement.

How to use this part of the table

2. (1) Division 2 lists prescribed disfigurements.
- (2) Prescribed disfigurements resulting from injury are stated in column 2 and the maximum percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the disfigurement is stated in column 3¹³.

Division 2 - Prescribed Disfigurement

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>
Number	Injury	Maximum % of permanent impairment
5100 PRESCRIBED DISFIGUREMENT		
5101	Mild almost invisible linear scarring following following surgery or trauma in lines of election to any part(s) of the body with minimal discolouration, normal texture and elevation	0
5102	Moderate linear scarring following surgery or trauma crossing lines of election of any part(s) of the body with minimal discolouration, normal texture and elevation	2
5103	Moderate to severe linear scarring following surgery or trauma in or crossing lines of election to any part(s) of the body. Discoloured, indurated, atrophic or hypertrophic	10
5104	Area scarring to any part(s) of the body following surgery or trauma. Atrophic or hypertrophic, markedly discoloured	20
5105	Depressed cheek, nasal or frontal bones following trauma	35
5106	Loss of or severe deformity of outer ear	40
5107	Severe, bilateral gross facial deformity following burns or other trauma	50
5108	Loss of entire nose	50
5109	Gross scarring following burns to multiple body area. Some areas healing spontaneously and some requiring grafting. Gross scarring at the burn and donor sites. Outcome resulting in fragile, dry, cracking skin at graft sites necessitating the need for wearing of special garments. Severe cases resulting in loss of sweat glands and lack of sweating leading to the necessity to be in a continuous air conditioned environment	100

¹³The actual percentage of permanent impairment resulting from the prescribed disfigurement must be assessed having regard to the severity of the prescribed disfigurement - see section 140(3) of the Act (Entitlement to additional compensation).

PART 6 PSYCHIATRIC OR PSYCHOLOGICAL INJURIES

Division 1 - Preliminary

Application of pt 6

1. This part deals with psychiatric or psychological injuries.

Interaction between this part and the AMA guide

2. (1) Permanent impairment resulting from a psychiatric or psychological injury must be assessed under the AMA guide.
 - (2) Permanent impairment resulting from an injury must be expressed as a percentage of permanent impairment of the whole person.
 - (3) The percentage of permanent impairment so expressed is taken to be the degree of permanent impairment for this part.
 - (4) For section 43 of the regulation, the relevant provision of the AMA guide is chapter 14.