

**Section IX Fatal Claims**

**Table 27**

**Distribution of Fatal Claims by Gender and Claim Status**

**Date of Fatal Injury - Calendar Year 2009  
State of Colorado**

<b>Gender</b>	<b>Admission<sup>2</sup></b>		<b>Denial Only</b>		<b>Totals</b>	
	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Count</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Female	3	50	3	50.0	6	100
Male	38	55	31	44.9	69	100
<b>Totals<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>41</b>	<b>54.7%</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>45.3%</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Notes:**

- 1 The status of the claim is based on which documents have been filed with the Division of Workers' Compensation as of December 28, 2010. An "Admission" is a claim for which a document with some indicator of liability has been filed, including a Fatal Admission or Final Pay Notice. A "Denial" claim is one for which a "Notice of Contest" has been filed, but no document with evidence of liability has been filed.
- 2 "Admission" counts also include those claims first denied then later admitted.
- 3 This information is taken from death certificates and admission/denial files; six (6) cases had no death certificate.
- 4 There are four (4) "Indeterminate" fatal claims not included in the totals count.