

500,000 Hours- No Lost Time Injuries



Q'Max Canada has achieved a safety record of 500, 000 hours - 2,012 days - 5.51 years without an injury causing lost time on February 15, 2014.

This impressive milestone is attributable to companywide diligence and dedication to safety. Each employee's personal commitment towards safety allowed the business unit to operate over such a long duration with no lost time injuries.

In 2008 we had an alarming Lost Time Injury Rate of 4; this meant that if we didn't act promptly, for every 200,000 hours worked we were likely to have 4 lost time injuries in the coming year. We made the commitment; every day we participate, we make conscious decisions regarding our health and safety, we care about the safety of others; the result no lost time injuries since August 14, 2008.

The most important thing about this achievement is that for more than 5 years every one of us has been able to go home to our families without injury that causes suffering for more than just the injured person.

There is no one thing that makes a workplace safe—combined efforts from responsible employees with quality training and skills, a company that recognizes the importance of workplace safety and continued growth, and quality safety programs and procedures collectively help keep us safe each day.

It is time to celebrate but also time to emphasize that we cannot let our guard down, and, in fact, there needs to be more awareness of the different hazards we face every day.