

Table 4. Cancer mortality for men working in the asbestos "trades"

Study No.	Ref. <sup>1/</sup>	Occupation	No. in cohort	No. deaths	Lung cancer No.	Lung cancer (%) <sup>3/</sup>	Mesothelioma No.	Mesothelioma (%) <sup>3/</sup>
1	(A)	Insulators, NY-NJ (1943-74)	632	451	89	(19.7)	35	(7.8)
2	(B)	Insulators, U.S., Canada (1967-76)	17800	2270	485	(21.4)	175	(7.7)
3	(A)	Factory, N.J. (1941-74)	933	483	83	(17.2)	10	(2.1)
4	(C)	Insulators, U.S. (1967-71)	7289	446	79	(17.7)	23	(5.2)
5	(B)	Factory, U.S. (1959-75)	689	274	35	(12.8)	26	(9.5)
6	(D)	Factory, England (1931-74)	1106 <sup>2/</sup>	317	51	(16.1)	10	(3.2)
7	(E)	Insulators, N.Y. (1945-65)	152	46	10	(21.7)	3	(6.5)
8	(F)	Insulators, Belfast (1940-66)	170	98	24	(24.5)	7	(7.1)
9	(G)	Textiles, London (1931-70)	6760	350	63	(18.0)	24	(6.9)
10	(H)	Factory, Cardiff (1936-62)	1165	133	11	(8.3)	1	(0.8)
11	(I)	Factory, Penn. (1938-64)	1265	330	35	(10.6)	8	(2.4)
12	(J)	Textiles (1933-74)	679	186	29	(15.6)	5	(2.7)
13	(K)	Factory, U.S.A. <sup>4/</sup> (1945-74)	264	66	4	(6.1)	0	0
Total of cohorts			38904	5450	998	(18.3)	327	(6.0)

<sup>1/</sup> References: (A) Selikoff, 1977; (B) Nicholson et al., 1978; (C) Selikoff et al., 1973; (D) Peto et al., 1977; (E) Kleinfeld et al., 1967; (F) Elmes and Simpson, 1971; (G) Newhouse, 1973; (H) Elwood and Cochrane, 1964; (I) Mancuso and El Attar, 1967; (J) Peto, 1978; (K) Weiss, 1977.

<sup>2/</sup> includes 284 women

<sup>3/</sup> percent of all deaths (proportional mortality)

<sup>4/</sup> workers were exposed only to chrysotile asbestos