## Turkey mining accidents More than 3,000 miners have been

killed and over 100,000 injured in accidents in Turkey since 1941, mostly from methane gas blasts, pit collapses and fires

Soma: Power unit blast claims at least 282 lives in country's worst ever mine disaster



INCIDENTS

1 2010, Zonguldak: 30 miners killed

2 2009, Mustafakemalpasa: 19

4 2004, Kure: **19** 

5 2003, Ermenek: **10** 

3 2006, Dursunbey: **17** 

6 1995, Sorgun: **37** 

7 1992, Kozlu: 2638 1990, Amasya: Two separate

accidents kill 73 miners 9 1983, Armutcuk: 103

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