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Workers Compensation and Unemployment Insurance Benefits

Workers Compensation

Average Cost for all Manufacturing per \$100 payroll	Range \$8-14/\$100 payroll dependent on type of manufacturing
Average Rate of Office Works (0953)	\$.051/\$100 payroll (PA does not have a 8810 classification)
Maximum Weekly Benefit	66 2/3% of gross weekly payroll
For 2009:	\$836 per week based on weekly wages of \$627.01 - \$1,254.00
	\$418 per week based on weekly wages of \$464.44 - \$627.00
	90% of weekly wages of \$464.43 or less

Unemployment Insurance

Taxable Base Rate % For Employers:	
Standard Rate for Positive Reverse Account 2008-2009	5.9632%
Standard Rate for Negative Reserve Account Balance 2008-2009	9.9836%

Contributory employers who have a sporadic employment history may be assigned a standard contribution rate after they no longer qualify for a new employer status. One standard rate is assigned to employers with zero or positive reserve account balances, while a higher standard rate is assigned to employers with negative reserve account balances. The solvency measures in effect are added to the standard rates in accordance with the Law. The rates shown above identify the total rate assigned by Law.

Average New Employers 2008-2009 New Non-Construction	3.7030%
Average New Employers 2008-2009 Construction	10.2626%

Maximum Weekly Benefit For Employees	\$558.00
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Source: PA Department of Labor and Industry www.dli.state.pa.us

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