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## DATA SOURCES

Table 1, **Total Wages and Taxable Wages**, is based on Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW) data summarized in the Vermont Unemployment Insurance publication, Wages, Benefits, Contributions and Employment by Industry (WBCEI). Wage Base is from the annual Taxable Wage Base Determination.

Table 2, **Average Weekly Wages**, is from the WBCEI except for Production Workers in Mfg. which is provided by the Current Employment Statistics program.

Table 3, **Employment and Number of Employers**, is from the WBCEI except that the source for the Quarterly Average of Number of Covered Employers is based on the federal ETA 581 - Contribution Operations report.

Table 4, **Contributions and Interest**, Employer Contributions Amount Due On Wages Paid is based on WBCEI publication. Data for the rest of the table is based on the federal ETA 2112 - UI Financial Transaction Summary report.

Table 5, **Trust Fund and Federal Loans**, the UI Trust Fund and the Unpaid Balance of U.S. Treasury Advances are based on the federal ETA 2112 report. The Current Fund Ratio, Highest Benefit Cost Rate Ten Year Period and the Current Fund Ratio as a Multiple of Highest Benefit Cost Rate are based on the Annual Tax Rate Schedule Determination.

Table 6, **Number of Benefit Payments**, are based on computerized data from the federal ETA 5159 - Claims and Payment Activities report and include Combined Wage Claim payments, where indicated, from the Vermont Department of Labor's Account Activity Detail report.

Table 7, **Dollar Amount of Benefit Payments**, are based on computerized data from the federal ETA 5159 and include Combined Wage Claim payments. Net Amount of Benefits paid is based on the federal ETA 2112.

Table 8, **Maximum and Average Benefit Payments**, is based on the Annual Maximum Weekly Benefit Amount Determination. The remainder of the table is based on computerized data from the federal ETA 5159.

Table 9, **Tax Paying and Noncharged Benefits**, uses data from the federal ETA 5159 for Gross Benefit Costs. The Benefits Not Charged to Employer Accounts are based on the federal ETA 204 - Experience Rating report.

Table 10, **Duration of Benefits and Exhaustion Percentage**, is based on computerized data from the federal ETA 5159 except the Maximum Duration of Benefits in Weeks is based on Vermont statute and the level of claims activity.

Table 11, **Monetary Determinations**, are based on computerized data from the federal ETA 218 - Benefit Rights and Experience report.

Table 12, **Nonmonetary Determination and Redeterminations**, are based on computerized data from the federal ETA 207 - Nonmonetary Determinations Activities report.

Table 13, **Benefit Administrative Law Judges (ALJ) and Board Appeals**, are based on computerized data from the federal ETA 5130 - Benefit Appeals report.

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TABLE 1  
TOTAL WAGES AND TAXABLE WAGES

Year	Total Wages All Covered Employers	TAX PAYING EMPLOYERS				REIMBURSING EMPLOYERS	
		Total Wages	Taxable Wages Amount	Percent of Total	Wage Base	Total Wages	Percent of All Emp.
1999	\$7,730,812,236	\$5,885,769,707	\$1,899,592,038	32.3%	\$8,000	\$1,845,042,529	23.9%
2000	\$8,323,506,050	\$6,354,750,930	\$1,986,307,351	31.3%	\$8,000	\$1,968,755,120	23.7%
2001	\$8,754,071,513	\$6,641,437,257	\$1,994,362,522	30.0%	\$8,000	\$2,112,634,256	24.1%
2002	\$8,889,286,256	\$6,624,186,512	\$1,950,861,268	29.5%	\$8,000	\$2,265,099,744	25.5%
2003	\$9,146,029,404	\$6,752,053,756	\$1,914,344,412	28.4%	\$8,000	\$2,393,975,648	26.2%
2004	\$9,612,177,462	\$7,083,946,051	\$1,977,528,336	27.9%	\$8,000	\$2,528,231,411	26.3%
2005	\$9,963,563,263	\$7,303,704,648	\$1,993,262,287	27.3%	\$8,000	\$2,659,858,615	26.7%
2006	\$10,444,718,237	\$7,597,812,301	\$2,004,914,082	26.4%	\$8,000	\$2,846,905,936	27.3%
2007	\$10,861,889,213	\$7,851,875,631	\$2,016,911,522	25.7%	\$8,000	\$3,010,013,582	27.7%
2008	\$11,220,421,432	\$8,006,338,506	\$1,987,760,584	24.8%	\$8,000	\$3,214,082,926	28.6%
2009	\$10,940,266,604	\$7,629,314,943	\$1,863,547,754	24.4%	\$8,000	\$3,310,951,661	30.3%
2010	\$11,139,505,916	\$7,775,010,285	\$2,231,681,555	28.7%	\$10,000	\$3,364,495,631	30.2%
2011	\$11,479,504,731	\$8,060,861,538	\$2,795,022,102	34.7%	\$13,000	\$3,418,643,193	29.8%
2012	\$11,836,236,740	\$8,309,175,158	\$3,287,664,080	39.6%	\$16,000	\$3,527,061,581	29.8%
2013	\$12,232,160,896	\$8,541,512,268	\$3,360,887,047	39.3%	\$16,000	\$3,690,648,628	30.2%
2014	\$12,634,299,374	\$8,821,209,080	\$3,416,825,136	38.7%	\$16,000	\$3,813,090,294	30.2%
2015	\$13,097,812,128	\$9,145,512,362	\$3,615,733,900	39.5%	\$16,400	\$3,952,299,766	30.2%
2016	\$13,366,412,071	\$9,299,687,544	\$3,614,407,399	38.9%	\$16,800	\$4,066,724,527	30.4%
2017	\$13,744,050,136	\$9,512,049,418	\$3,724,438,068	39.2%	\$17,300	\$4,232,000,718	30.8%
2018	\$14,223,961,470	\$9,847,604,762	\$3,822,723,655	38.8%	\$17,600	\$4,376,356,708	30.8%

TABLE 2  
AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES

Year	All Covered Employment <sup>1/</sup>	Tax Paying Employers <sup>1/</sup>	Reimbursing Employers <sup>1/</sup>	Production Workers In Mfg. <sup>2/</sup>
1999	\$524.44	\$517.55	\$547.69	\$539.18
2000	\$549.77	\$545.98	\$562.41	\$573.47
2001	\$576.40	\$572.94	\$587.56	\$561.53
2002	\$590.35	\$585.20	\$605.98	\$573.20
2003	\$610.63	\$605.70	\$624.96	\$581.60
2004	\$632.52	\$627.48	\$647.09	\$586.92
2005	\$649.82	\$643.66	\$667.38	\$590.35
2006	\$675.80	\$667.38	\$699.34	\$625.28
2007	\$702.55	\$693.10	\$728.48	\$649.71
2008	\$728.07	\$714.48	\$764.26	\$650.49
2009	\$736.08	\$683.71	\$779.89	\$628.50
2010	\$748.51	\$730.55	\$793.59	\$645.24
2011	\$763.87	\$748.37	\$803.08	\$674.08
2012	\$776.93	\$760.46	\$818.68	\$685.07
2013	\$797.96	\$778.66	\$846.51	\$704.72
2014	\$815.83	\$795.73	\$866.43	\$708.48
2015	\$838.64	\$818.04	\$890.51	\$730.30
2016	\$853.86	\$828.85	\$917.15	\$787.87
2017	\$874.08	\$851.21	\$930.26	\$839.38
2018	\$902.29	\$877.99	\$962.20	\$855.27

<sup>1/</sup> Average weekly wages calculation includes full and part-time jobs averaged for 52 weeks. Presented for historical comparison only.

<sup>2/</sup> Data based on NAICS starting with 2001, prior data based on SIC.

TABLE 3  
EMPLOYMENT AND NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS

Year	COVERED EMPLOYMENT ALL EMPLOYERS				COVERED EMPLOYMENT TAX PAYING EMPLOYERS				COVERED EMPLOYMENT REIMBURSING EMPLOYERS		NUMBER COVERED EMPLOYERS
	Total	Mfg.	Non-Mfg.	Percent Mfg.	Total	Mfg.	Non-Mfg.	Percent Mfg.	Amount	Percent Total Employment	Quarterly Average
1999	283,482	47,932	235,550	16.9%	218,698	47,932	170,766	21.9%	64,784	22.9%	20,134
2000	291,151	48,903	242,248	16.8%	223,832	48,903	174,929	21.8%	67,319	23.1%	20,805
2001	292,066	45,009	247,057	15.4%	222,920	45,009	177,911	20.2%	69,146	23.7%	21,140
2002	289,568	40,697	248,871	14.1%	217,685	40,697	176,988	18.7%	71,883	24.8%	20,647
2003	288,039	37,486	250,553	13.0%	214,374	37,486	176,888	17.5%	73,665	25.6%	20,858
2004	292,243	36,978	255,265	12.7%	217,107	36,978	180,129	17.0%	75,136	25.7%	21,158
2005	294,861	36,840	258,021	12.5%	218,216	36,840	181,376	16.9%	76,645	26.0%	21,428
2006	297,220	36,243	260,977	12.2%	218,934	36,243	182,691	16.6%	78,286	26.3%	21,581
2007	297,319	35,890	261,429	12.1%	217,858	35,890	181,968	16.5%	79,460	26.7%	21,870
2008	296,370	34,995	261,375	11.8%	215,496	34,995	180,501	16.2%	80,875	27.3%	22,063
2009	285,825	31,215	254,610	10.9%	204,184	31,215	172,969	15.3%	81,642	28.6%	22,075
2010	286,198	30,799	255,399	10.8%	204,666	30,799	173,867	15.0%	81,531	28.5%	21,593
2011	289,002	30,902	258,100	10.7%	207,138	30,902	176,236	14.9%	81,864	28.3%	21,415
2012	292,975	31,908	261,067	10.9%	210,124	31,908	178,216	15.2%	82,851	28.3%	21,648
2013	294,795	31,710	263,085	10.8%	210,952	31,710	179,242	15.0%	83,843	28.4%	21,394
2014	297,817	31,200	266,617	10.5%	213,185	31,200	181,985	14.6%	84,633	28.4%	21,624
2015	300,346	30,931	269,415	10.3%	214,995	30,931	184,064	14.4%	85,351	28.4%	21,908
2016	301,039	29,980	271,059	10.0%	215,768	29,980	185,788	13.9%	85,271	28.3%	22,213
2017	302,384	29,536	272,848	9.8%	214,898	29,536	185,362	13.7%	87,486	28.9%	22,706
2018	303,160	29,826	273,334	9.8%	215,693	29,826	185,867	13.8%	87,467	28.9%	22,878

TABLE 4  
CONTRIBUTIONS AND INTEREST

Year	EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS AMOUNT DUE ON WAGES PAID				EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS ACTUALLY COLLECTED - NET				INTEREST EARNINGS
	Amount	Percent Taxable Wages	Percent Total Wages Taxpaying Employers	Per Covered Job	Amount	Percent Taxable Wages	Percent Total Wages Taxpaying Employers	Per Covered Job	
1999	\$48,318,432	2.5%	0.8%	\$220.94	\$48,513,554	2.6%	0.8%	\$221.83	\$17,184,979
2000	\$47,921,865	2.4%	0.8%	\$214.10	\$48,983,110	2.5%	0.8%	\$218.84	\$18,700,014
2001	\$40,387,680	2.0%	0.6%	\$181.18	\$41,566,717	2.1%	0.6%	\$186.46	\$19,838,163
2002	\$38,327,561	2.0%	0.6%	\$176.07	\$38,733,923	2.0%	0.6%	\$177.94	\$19,408,673
2003	\$38,350,740	2.0%	0.6%	\$178.90	\$38,749,359	2.0%	0.6%	\$180.76	\$16,672,278
2004	\$40,815,412	2.1%	0.6%	\$188.00	\$40,078,057	2.0%	0.6%	\$184.60	\$13,897,463
2005	\$48,089,321	2.4%	0.7%	\$220.37	\$48,413,844	2.4%	0.7%	\$221.86	\$11,759,137
2006	\$50,504,799	2.5%	0.7%	\$230.69	\$48,558,219	2.4%	0.6%	\$221.79	\$9,614,460
2007	\$57,955,713	2.9%	0.7%	\$266.03	\$57,951,950	2.9%	0.7%	\$266.01	\$8,958,042
2008	\$58,075,667	2.9%	0.7%	\$269.50	\$57,990,982	2.9%	0.7%	\$269.10	\$8,023,246
2009	\$60,952,936	3.3%	0.8%	\$298.52	\$61,606,511	3.3%	0.8%	\$301.72	\$4,700,905
2010	\$77,184,747	3.5%	1.0%	\$377.13	\$74,810,712	3.4%	1.0%	\$365.53	\$488,783
2011	\$111,222,456	4.0%	1.4%	\$536.95	\$109,173,213	3.9%	1.4%	\$527.06	\$0
2012	\$132,851,280	4.0%	1.6%	\$632.25	\$132,212,999	4.0%	1.6%	\$629.21	\$251,392
2013	\$136,183,482	4.1%	1.6%	\$645.57	\$136,417,960	4.1%	1.6%	\$646.68	\$1,324,928
2014	\$135,728,955	4.0%	1.5%	\$636.67	\$136,055,221	4.0%	1.5%	\$638.20	\$2,867,331
2015	\$138,309,212	3.8%	1.5%	\$643.31	\$137,900,139	3.8%	1.5%	\$641.41	\$4,386,169
2016	\$135,555,088	3.8%	1.5%	\$628.24	\$136,150,663	3.8%	1.5%	\$631.00	\$6,078,697
2017	\$134,458,642	3.6%	1.4%	\$625.69	\$134,922,404	3.6%	1.4%	\$627.84	\$7,843,251
2018	\$120,578,050	3.2%	1.2%	\$559.03	\$122,806,793	3.2%	1.2%	\$569.36	\$9,809,067



TABLE 5  
TRUST FUND AND FEDERAL LOANS

Year	UI TRUST FUND <sup>1/</sup>			COMPARATIVE METRICS <sup>2/</sup>					COMPARATIVE METRICS <sup>3/</sup>		
	Balance December 31	Unpaid Balance US Treasury Advances Dec. 31	Trust Fund Net Balance	Percent Tot Wages All Employers	Percent Tot Wages Tax Paying Employers	Percent Taxable Wages	Per All Covered Workers	Per Covered Workers Tax Paying Employers	Current Fund Ratio <sup>2/</sup>	Highest Benefit Cost Rate Ten Year Period	Current Fund Ratio as a Multiple of Highest Benefit Cost Rate
1999	\$273,261,052	\$0	\$273,261,052	3.53%	4.64%	14.39%	\$964	\$1,249	4.655	1.851	2.515
2000	\$299,775,723	\$0	\$299,775,723	3.60%	4.72%	15.09%	\$1,030	\$1,339	4.734	1.851	2.557
2001	\$300,397,204	\$0	\$300,397,204	3.43%	4.52%	15.06%	\$1,029	\$1,348	4.588	1.835	2.500
2002	\$278,812,131	\$0	\$278,812,131	3.14%	4.21%	14.29%	\$963	\$1,281	4.307	1.500	2.871
2003	\$241,925,274	\$0	\$241,925,274	2.65%	3.58%	12.64%	\$840	\$1,129	3.613	1.489	2.426
2004	\$222,973,329	\$0	\$222,973,329	2.32%	3.15%	11.28%	\$763	\$1,027	3.159	1.489	2.122
2005	\$209,529,156	\$0	\$209,529,156	2.10%	2.87%	10.51%	\$711	\$960	2.871	1.489	1.928
2006	\$180,364,216	\$0	\$180,364,216	1.73%	2.37%	9.00%	\$607	\$824	2.527	1.489	1.697
2007	\$162,295,759	\$0	\$162,295,759	1.49%	2.07%	8.05%	\$546	\$745	2.209	1.489	1.484
2008	\$121,891,288	\$0	\$121,891,288	1.09%	1.52%	6.13%	\$411	\$566	1.673	1.489	1.234
2009	\$1,638,624	\$0	\$1,638,624	0.01%	0.02%	0.09%	\$6	\$8	0.242	2.437	0.099
2010	(\$2,074,882)	\$38,475,192	(\$40,550,074)	-0.36%	-0.52%	-1.82%	-\$142	-\$198	-0.495	2.437	-0.203
2011	\$42,327,978	\$77,731,861	(\$35,403,883)	-0.31%	-0.44%	-1.27%	-\$123	-\$171	-0.423	2.437	-0.174
2012	\$67,183,498	\$57,731,861	\$9,451,637	0.08%	0.11%	0.29%	\$32	\$45	0.129	2.437	0.053
2013	\$73,834,391	\$0	\$73,834,391	0.60%	0.86%	2.20%	\$250	\$350	1.442	2.437	0.592
2014	\$141,558,346	\$0	\$141,558,346	1.12%	1.60%	4.14%	\$475	\$664	1.605	2.437	0.659
2015	\$219,898,207	\$0	\$219,898,207	1.68%	2.40%	6.08%	\$732	\$1,023	2.404	2.437	0.987
2016	\$299,427,728	\$0	\$299,427,728	2.24%	3.22%	8.28%	\$995	\$1,388	3.220	2.437	1.321
2017	\$381,676,573	\$0	\$381,676,573	2.78%	4.01%	10.25%	\$1,262	\$1,776	4.098	2.437	1.680
2018	\$456,611,263	\$0	\$456,611,263	3.21%	4.64%	11.94%	\$1,506	\$2,117	4.637	2.437	1.900

<sup>1/</sup> Trust Fund Balance Available to Pay Benefits

<sup>2/</sup> Based on Trust Fund Net Balance

<sup>3/</sup> Based on Annual Determination of Rate Schedule

TABLE 6  
NUMBER OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS

Year	NUMBER OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS REGULAR BENEFITS					NUMBER OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS STATE EXTENDED BENEFITS				
	<u>WEEKS COMPENSATED</u>					<u>WEEKS COMPENSATED</u>				
	First Payments	Total Payments <sup>1/</sup>	All Weeks	Total Unemployment	Last Payments	First Payments	Total Payments <sup>1/</sup>	All Weeks	Total Unemployment	Last Payments
1999	17,707	232,261	237,114	208,884	2,442	—	—	—	—	—
2000	17,481	212,504	220,060	195,476	2,192	—	—	—	—	—
2001	25,131	272,425	291,500	260,344	2,913	—	—	—	—	—
2002	27,607	376,840	400,182	356,153	6,059	—	—	—	—	—
2003	28,091	380,553	405,990	358,589	7,084	—	—	—	—	—
2004	22,498	309,121	326,968	290,865	4,687	—	—	—	—	—
2005	22,727	295,674	309,382	277,911	3,832	—	—	—	—	—
2006	22,090	304,612	317,325	285,867	4,050	—	—	—	—	—
2007	22,818	318,235	330,138	296,667	4,128	—	—	—	—	—
2008	27,480	379,949	392,839	351,530	4,930	—	—	—	—	—
2009	38,081	635,290	661,336	583,749	12,950	1,249	13,511	13,912	13,250	656
2010	28,781	502,287	522,088	448,293	10,225	2,158	11,737	12,151	11,517	353
2011	25,209	392,763	410,901	356,465	6,923	—	—	—	—	—
2012	23,377	323,299	337,139	292,276	5,463	—	—	—	—	—
2013	21,218	285,942	295,435	248,463	4,301	—	—	—	—	—
2014	19,374	255,779	265,189	220,161	3,548	—	—	—	—	—
2015	16,798	226,973	234,638	187,773	2,951	—	—	—	—	—
2016	17,026	214,366	222,298	174,643	2,558	—	—	—	—	—
2017	15,190	196,659	204,817	162,831	2,254	—	—	—	—	—
2018	14,261	178,664	192,894	152,889	2,068	—	—	—	—	—

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Adjustment Payments and Combined Wage Claims (CWC) Payments

Notes:

State Extended Benefits (EB) activity May 2009 through July 2010 were 100% federally funded, resulting in no impact to Vermont's Unemployment Trust Fund.

None of the State Extended Benefits (EB) reflected in this publication include Federal Emergency Unemployment Compensation (EUC08) benefits.

TABLE 7  
DOLLAR AMOUNT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS

Year	GROSS AMOUNT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS REGULAR BENEFITS			GROSS AMOUNT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS STATE EXTENDED BENEFITS			NET AMOUNT OF BENEFITS PAID IMPACTING VERMONT'S UNEMPLOYMENT TRUST FUND (INCLUDING REIMBURSABLES)		
	Total Amount <sup>1/</sup>	All Weeks <sup>2/</sup>	Total Unemployment <sup>3/</sup>	Total Amount <sup>1/</sup>	All Weeks <sup>2/</sup>	Total Unemployment <sup>3/</sup>	Total	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits <sup>4/</sup>
1999	47,148,732	46,025,018	42,492,572	0	0	0	45,421,577	45,421,660	(83)
2000	46,988,194	45,366,042	42,147,754	0	0	0	44,274,514	44,274,420	94
2001	65,548,533	65,023,038	60,665,624	0	0	0	64,087,159	64,087,192	(33)
2002	98,114,637	95,901,418	89,138,194	0	0	0	97,770,028	97,769,971	57
2003	101,315,901	98,898,715	91,495,568	0	0	0	101,011,771	101,011,771	0
2004	82,474,543	80,254,290	74,545,234	0	0	0	79,138,223	79,138,223	0
2005	82,190,787	79,601,587	74,259,529	0	0	0	79,253,469	79,253,469	0
2006	86,550,135	84,352,729	78,736,474	0	0	0	83,673,736	83,673,736	0
2007	94,154,584	91,584,401	85,213,085	0	0	0	91,440,286	91,440,286	0
2008	115,602,737	111,242,929	103,350,701	0	0	0	112,298,957	112,298,957	0
2009	199,039,917	193,666,790	178,952,703	4,190,878	4,190,878	4,028,984	196,270,636	195,842,746	427,890
2010	150,967,634	146,493,756	132,996,844	3,760,718	3,760,718	3,611,405	146,364,620	146,037,337	327,283
2011	121,005,768	116,351,888	105,958,119	0	0	0	116,075,416	116,077,268	(1,852)
2012	101,646,441	98,455,229	89,589,959	0	0	0	96,455,354	96,455,287	67
2013	90,023,636	87,269,833	77,840,226	0	0	0	85,333,106	85,333,194	(88)
2014	82,870,645	80,010,653	70,589,242	0	0	0	78,441,175	78,442,135	(960)
2015	74,022,277	72,179,069	61,714,586	0	0	0	70,490,206	70,490,219	(13)
2016	72,160,617	70,207,519	59,644,841	0	0	0	68,920,144	68,920,259	(115)
2017	69,288,856	67,530,307	57,844,358	0	0	0	66,185,288	66,185,288	0
2018	66,413,658	65,089,064	55,681,288	0	0	0	63,409,539	63,409,539	0

<sup>1/</sup> Includes IntraState, Liable State, Adjustment Payments and Combined Wage Claims Payments.

<sup>2/</sup> Includes Intrastate and Liable State.

<sup>3/</sup> Includes IntraState only

<sup>4/</sup> State Share of Extended Benefits only.

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TABLE 8  
MAXIMUM AND AVERAGE BENEFIT PAYMENTS

Year	MAXIMUM WEEKLY BENEFIT AMOUNT		AVERAGE BENEFIT PAYMENT REGULAR BENEFITS				AVERAGE BENEFIT PAYMENT STATE EXTENDED BENEFITS			
	Amount Effective July 1 <sup>1/</sup>	Percent Average Weekly Wage	TOTAL & PARTIAL UNEMPLOYMENT		TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT		TOTAL & PARTIAL UNEMPLOYMENT		TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT	
			Amount	Percent Average Weekly Wage	Amount	Percent Average Weekly Wage	Amount	Percent Average Weekly Wage	Amount	Percent Average Weekly Wage
1999	\$287.00	56.8%	\$194.11	37.0%	\$203.43	38.8%	—	—	—	—
2000	\$298.00	54.2%	\$206.15	37.5%	\$215.62	39.2%	—	—	—	—
2001	\$312.00	54.1%	\$223.06	38.7%	\$233.02	40.4%	—	—	—	—
2002	\$351.00	59.5%	\$239.64	40.6%	\$250.28	42.4%	—	—	—	—
2003	\$359.00	58.8%	\$243.60	39.9%	\$255.15	41.8%	—	—	—	—
2004	\$371.00	58.7%	\$245.45	38.8%	\$256.29	40.5%	—	—	—	—
2005	\$385.00	59.2%	\$257.29	39.6%	\$267.21	41.1%	—	—	—	—
2006	\$394.00	58.3%	\$265.82	39.3%	\$275.43	40.8%	—	—	—	—
2007	\$409.00	58.2%	\$277.41	39.5%	\$287.23	40.9%	—	—	—	—
2008	\$425.00	58.4%	\$283.18	38.9%	\$294.00	40.4%	—	—	—	—
2009	\$425.00	57.7%	\$292.84	39.8%	\$306.56	41.6%	\$301.24	40.9%	\$316.29	43.0%
2010	\$425.00	56.8%	\$280.59	37.5%	\$296.67	39.6%	\$309.50	41.3%	\$326.54	43.6%
2011	\$425.00	55.6%	\$283.16	37.1%	\$297.25	38.9%	—	—	—	—
2012	\$425.00	54.7%	\$292.03	37.6%	\$306.53	39.5%	—	—	—	—
2013	\$425.00	53.3%	\$295.39	37.0%	\$313.29	39.3%	—	—	—	—
2014	\$436.00	53.4%	\$301.71	37.0%	\$320.63	39.3%	—	—	—	—
2015	\$446.00	53.2%	\$307.62	36.7%	\$328.67	39.2%	—	—	—	—
2016	\$458.00	53.6%	\$315.83	37.0%	\$341.52	40.0%	—	—	—	—
2017	\$466.00	53.3%	\$329.71	37.7%	\$355.24	40.6%	—	—	—	—
2018	\$498.00	55.2%	\$337.43	37.4%	\$364.19	40.4%	—	—	—	—

<sup>1/</sup> Maximum Weekly Benefit Amount was legislatively frozen in 2009, and remained frozen in 2010-2013 due to an unpaid balance of U.S. Treasury Advances (as of December 31<sup>st</sup> of the previous year).

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TABLE 9  
TAX PAYING AND  
NONCHARGED BENEFITS

Year	GROSS BENEFIT COSTS REGULAR & STATE EXTENDED BENEFITS SHARE				BENEFITS NOT CHARGED TO EMPLOYER ACCOUNTS	
	Tax Paying Employers	Per Covered Worker	As Percent Total Wages	As Percent Taxable Wages	Amount	Percent Net Benefit Costs
1999	\$43,005,310	\$151.70	0.6%	2.3%	\$10,331,611	22.7%
2000	\$42,000,152	\$144.26	0.5%	2.1%	\$10,142,097	22.9%
2001	\$58,864,540	\$201.55	0.7%	3.0%	\$13,562,623	21.2%
2002	\$90,243,331	\$311.65	1.0%	4.6%	\$17,818,624	18.2%
2003	\$92,298,666	\$320.44	1.0%	4.8%	\$18,430,670	18.2%
2004	\$73,603,520	\$251.86	0.8%	3.7%	\$15,666,425	19.8%
2005	\$74,171,208	\$251.55	0.7%	3.7%	\$16,013,904	20.2%
2006	\$78,242,718	\$263.25	0.7%	3.9%	\$16,514,920	19.7%
2007	\$85,311,732	\$286.94	0.8%	4.2%	\$16,626,672	18.2%
2008	\$105,245,194	\$355.11	0.9%	5.3%	\$19,626,637	17.5%
2009	\$185,894,324	\$650.38	1.7%	10.0%	\$30,384,598	15.5%
2010	\$134,338,337	\$469.39	1.2%	6.0%	\$23,068,351	15.8%
2011	\$106,108,886	\$367.16	0.9%	3.8%	\$18,343,441	15.8%
2012	\$87,526,819	\$298.75	0.7%	2.7%	\$16,303,398	16.9%
2013	\$77,841,364	\$264.05	0.6%	2.3%	\$14,670,478	17.2%
2014	\$72,344,973	\$242.92	0.6%	2.1%	\$10,129,374	12.9%
2015	\$64,474,552	\$214.67	0.5%	1.8%	\$8,424,077	12.0%
2016	\$64,745,462	\$215.07	0.5%	1.8%	\$8,496,481	12.3%
2017	\$61,135,610	\$202.18	0.4%	1.6%	\$7,449,738	11.3%
2018	\$57,308,150	\$189.04	0.4%	1.5%	\$7,212,926	11.4%

TABLE 10

## DURATION OF BENEFITS AND EXHAUSTION PERCENTAGE

Year	AVERAGE DURATION OF BENEFITS IN WEEKS <sup>1/</sup>			MAXIMUM DURATION OF BENEFITS IN WEEKS			EXHAUSTIONS AS A PERCENT OF FIRST PAYMENTS <sup>2/</sup>		
	Regular And State Extended Benefits	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits	Regular And State Extended Benefits	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits	Regular And State Extended Benefits	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits
1999	13.9	13.9	—	26	26	—	14.3%	14.3%	—
2000	13.2	13.2	—	26	26	—	13.2%	13.2%	—
2001	12.3	12.3	—	26	26	—	12.3%	12.3%	—
2002	15.5	15.5	—	26	26	—	23.5%	23.5%	—
2003	15.3	15.3	—	26	26	—	26.7%	26.7%	—
2004	15.6	15.6	—	26	26	—	22.4%	22.4%	—
2005	14.7	14.7	—	26	26	—	18.1%	18.1%	—
2006	15.4	15.4	—	26	26	—	19.7%	19.7%	—
2007	15.6	15.6	—	26	26	—	19.5%	19.5%	—
2008	15.4	15.4	—	26	26	—	19.3%	19.3%	—
2009	18.6	18.8	12.4	39	26	13	37.5%	36.9%	58.5%
2010	18.8	19.7	6.3	39	26	13	37.2%	38.6%	18.4%
2011	17.7	17.7	—	26	26	—	29.8%	29.8%	—
2012	15.7	15.7	—	26	26	—	25.5%	25.5%	—
2013	15.2	15.2	—	26	26	—	22.1%	22.1%	—
2014	14.9	14.9	—	26	26	—	20.0%	20.0%	—
2015	15.1	15.1	—	26	26	—	19.0%	19.0%	—
2016	14.1	14.1	—	26	26	—	16.2%	16.2%	—
2017	14.6	14.6	—	26	26	—	16.0%	16.0%	—
2018	14.5	14.5	—	26	26	—	15.6%	15.6%	—

<sup>1/</sup> Weeks Compensated Divided By First Payments.

<sup>2/</sup> Weeks Compensated Divided By Last Payments

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TABLE 11  
MONETARY DETERMINATIONS

Year	Total	SUFFICIENT WAGE CREDITS		ENTITLED TO MAXIMUM WBA		First Benefit Payments Percent Sufficient Wage Monetary Determinations
		Number	Percent Of All Determinations	Number	Percent Sufficient Wage Determinations	
1999	22,827	21,947	96.1%	5,955	27.1%	77.7%
2000	23,423	22,264	95.1%	6,508	29.2%	74.8%
2001	30,818	29,680	96.3%	9,758	32.9%	84.7%
2002	34,649	32,519	93.9%	10,132	31.2%	79.5%
2003	35,037	33,061	94.4%	9,660	29.2%	80.2%
2004	28,067	26,564	94.6%	5,922	22.3%	78.8%
2005	28,546	27,200	95.3%	6,182	22.7%	77.6%
2006	28,220	27,155	96.2%	5,832	21.5%	75.7%
2007	29,016	27,550	94.9%	6,274	22.8%	77.0%
2008	34,839	33,136	95.1%	7,628	23.0%	77.1%
2009	43,692	41,763	95.6%	11,014	26.4%	84.1%
2010	36,110	34,074	94.4%	7,568	22.2%	77.8%
2011	32,659	30,772	94.2%	6,984	22.7%	75.6%
2012	31,106	29,508	94.9%	7,468	25.3%	72.7%
2013	28,348	26,750	94.4%	7,141	26.7%	72.8%
2014	25,301	23,988	94.8%	6,512	27.1%	74.0%
2015	22,497	21,234	94.4%	5,985	28.2%	73.0%
2016	22,128	21,056	95.2%	6,103	29.0%	75.0%
2017	19,860	18,737	94.3%	5,440	29.0%	75.1%
2018	18,305	17,335	94.7%	2,005	11.6%	76.6%

TABLE 12

## NONMONETARY DETERMINATIONS AND REDETERMINATIONS

Year	DETERMINATIONS			DISQUALIFICATIONS AND POSTPONEMENT OF BENEFITS			PERCENT OF DETERMINATIONS		
	Total	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits	Total	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits	Total	Regular Benefits	State Extended Benefits
1999	11,413	11,413	—	7,109	7,109	—	62.3%	62.3%	—
2000	12,658	12,658	—	8,324	8,324	—	65.8%	65.8%	—
2001	16,311	16,311	—	11,457	11,457	—	70.2%	70.2%	—
2002	17,585	17,585	—	12,285	12,285	—	69.9%	69.9%	—
2003	15,729	15,729	—	11,318	11,318	—	72.0%	72.0%	—
2004	14,762	14,762	—	9,932	9,932	—	67.3%	67.3%	—
2005	13,765	13,765	—	9,280	9,280	—	67.4%	67.4%	—
2006	13,959	13,959	—	9,372	9,372	—	67.1%	67.1%	—
2007	13,704	13,704	—	9,163	9,163	—	66.9%	66.9%	—
2008	15,445	15,445	—	10,480	10,480	—	67.9%	67.9%	—
2009	20,850	20,569	281	13,263	13,018	245	63.6%	63.3%	87.2%
2010	17,643	17,317	326	11,591	11,334	257	65.7%	65.5%	78.8%
2011	16,058	16,058	—	10,691	10,691	—	66.6%	66.6%	—
2012	15,404	15,404	—	10,239	10,239	—	66.5%	66.5%	—
2013	14,881	14,881	—	9,933	9,933	—	66.7%	66.7%	—
2014	13,382	13,382	—	8,595	8,595	—	64.2%	64.2%	—
2015	12,166	12,166	—	7,751	7,751	—	63.7%	63.7%	—
2016	11,174	11,174	—	7,252	7,252	—	64.9%	64.9%	—
2017	10,510	10,510	—	6,721	6,721	—	63.9%	63.9%	—
2018	9,263	9,263	—	6,041	6,041	—	65.2%	65.2%	—

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TABLE 13

## BENEFIT ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES (ALJ) AND BOARD APPEALS

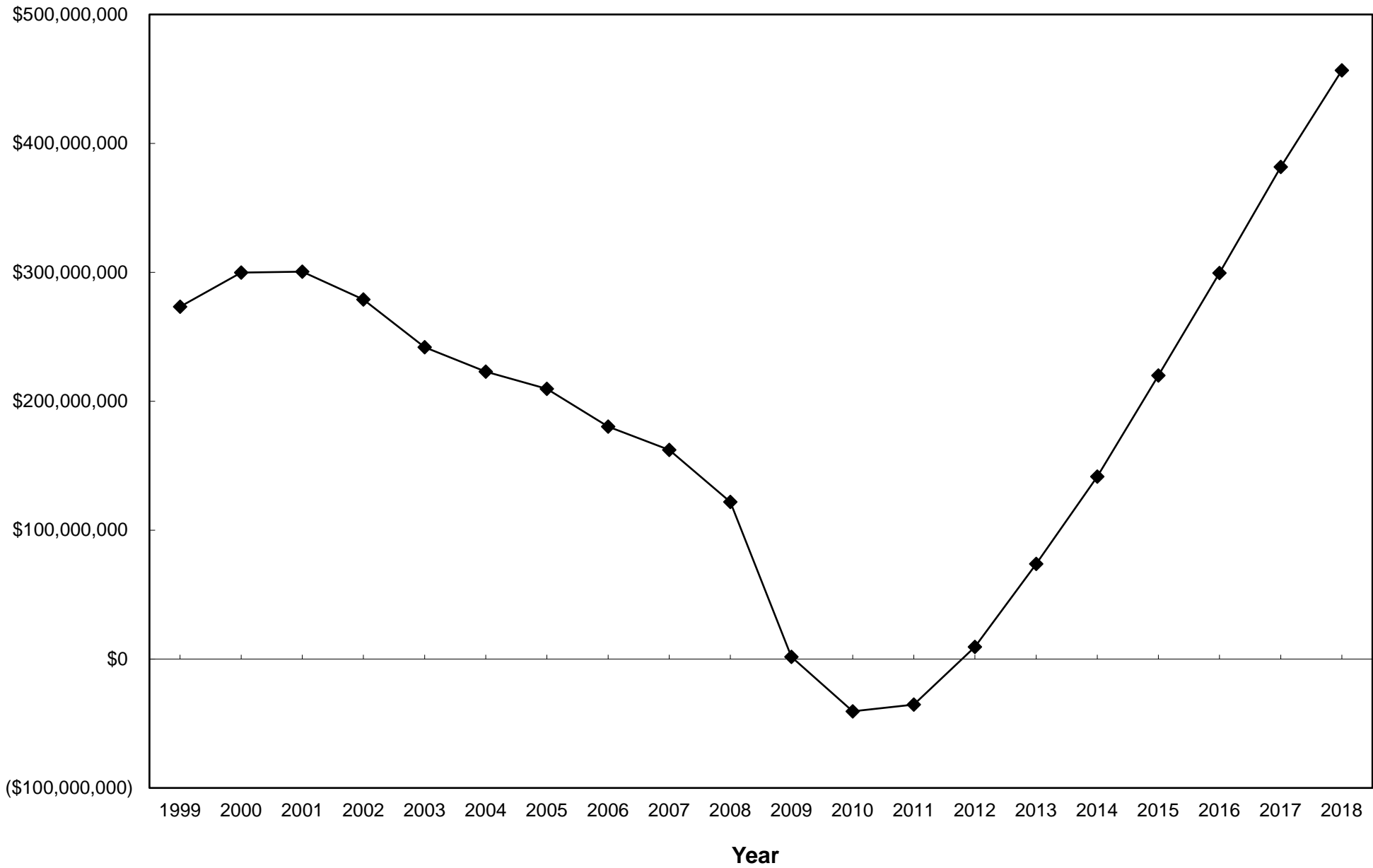
Year	ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES (ALJ) APPEALS DISPOSITIONS - STATE UI				BOARD APPEALS DISPOSITIONS - STATE UI					
	Total		Appeal Disposition		Total		Regular Benefits		State Extended Benefits	
	Number	Percent Non Mon	Regular Benefit <sup>1/</sup>	State Extended Benefit	Number	Percent ALJ Appeals	Number <sup>1/</sup>	Percent ALJ Appeals	Number	Percent ALJ Appeals
1999	1,363	11.9%	1,363	—	192	14.1%	192	14.1%	—	—
2000	1,423	11.2%	1,423	—	154	10.8%	154	10.8%	—	—
2001	1,412	8.7%	1,412	—	191	13.5%	191	13.5%	—	—
2002	1,696	9.6%	1,696	—	230	13.6%	230	13.6%	—	—
2003	1,895	12.0%	1,895	—	287	15.1%	287	15.1%	—	—
2004	1,922	13.0%	1,922	—	341	17.7%	341	17.7%	—	—
2005	1,669	12.1%	1,669	—	226	13.5%	226	13.5%	—	—
2006	1,626	11.6%	1,626	—	216	13.3%	216	13.3%	—	—
2007	1,638	12.0%	1,638	—	198	12.1%	198	12.1%	—	—
2008	1,886	12.2%	1,886	—	254	13.5%	254	13.5%	—	—
2009	2,555	12.3%	2,508	47	294	11.5%	293	11.7%	1	2.1%
2010	2,606	14.8%	2,535	71	376	14.4%	373	14.7%	3	4.2%
2011	2,204	13.7%	2,200	4	282	12.8%	281	12.8%	1	25.0%
2012	1,941	12.6%	1,938	3	258	13.3%	258	13.3%	—	—
2013	1,832	12.3%	1,832	—	241	13.2%	241	13.2%	—	—
2014	1,654	12.4%	1,654	—	205	12.4%	205	12.4%	—	—
2015	1,473	12.1%	1,473	—	193	13.1%	193	13.1%	—	—
2016	1,337	12.0%	1,337	—	153	11.4%	153	11.4%	—	—
2017	1,150	10.9%	1,150	—	155	13.5%	155	13.5%	—	—
2018	1,075	11.6%	1,075	—	110	10.2%	110	10.2%	—	—

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Cases Disposed Other Than by Decision.

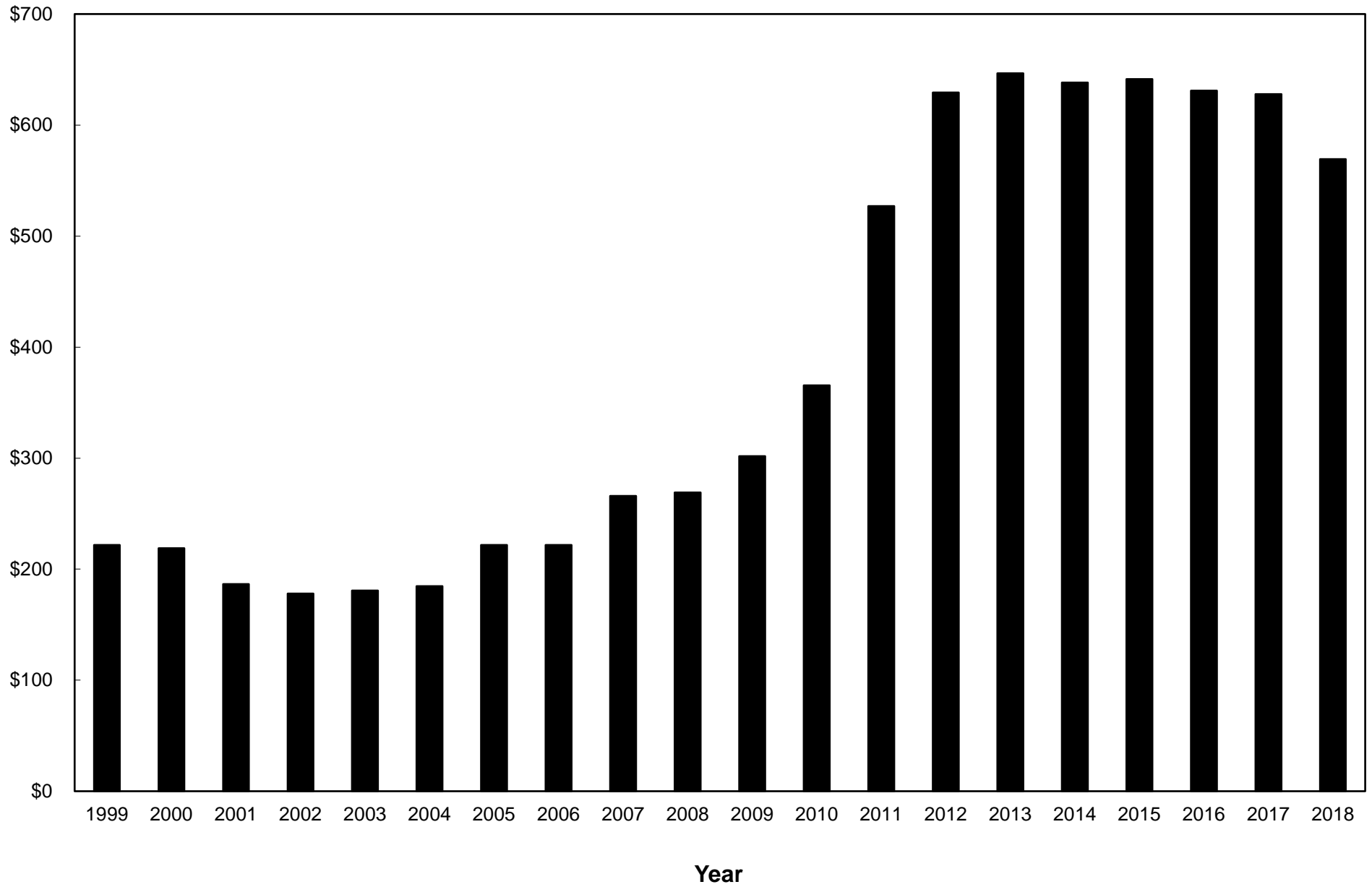
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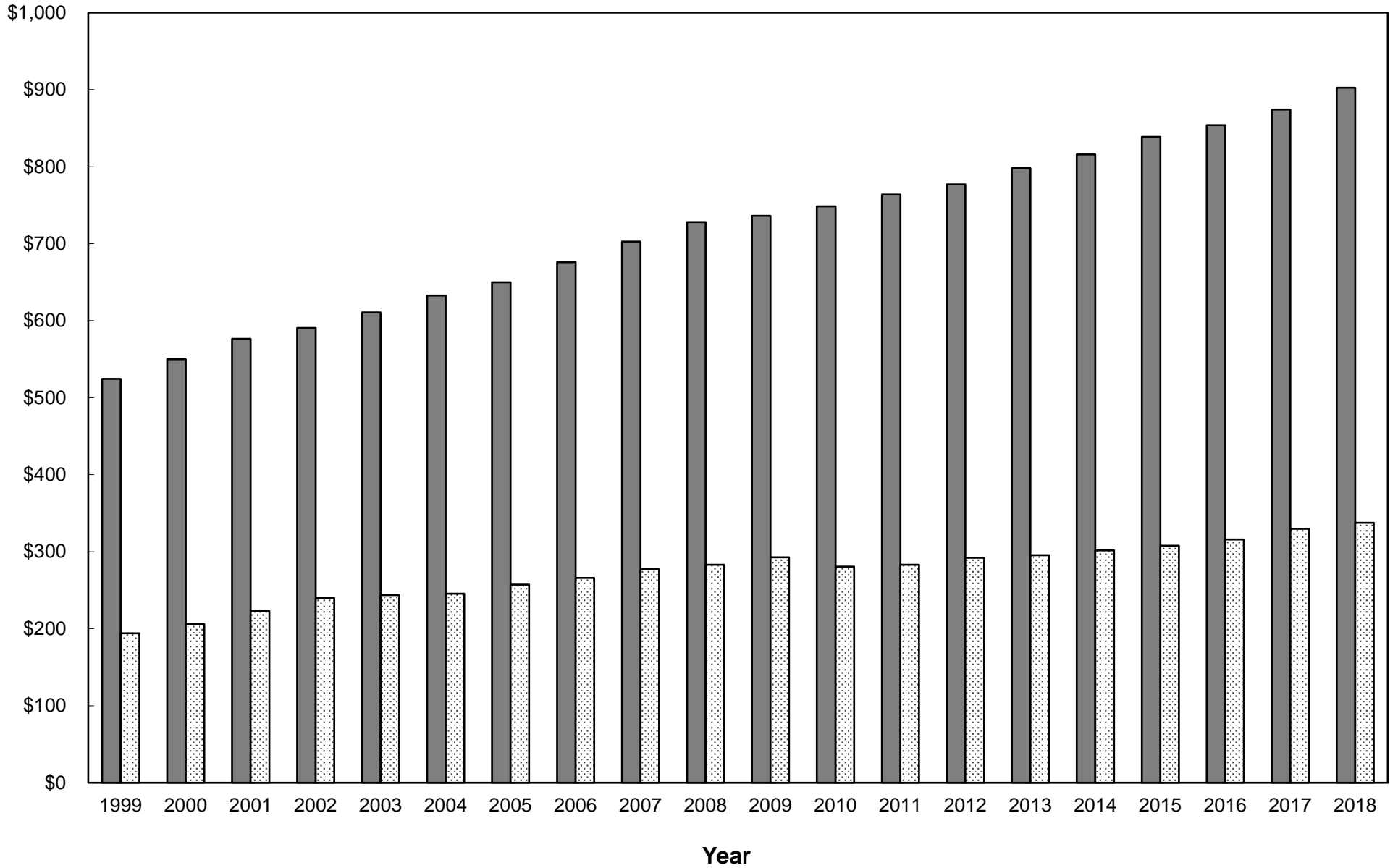
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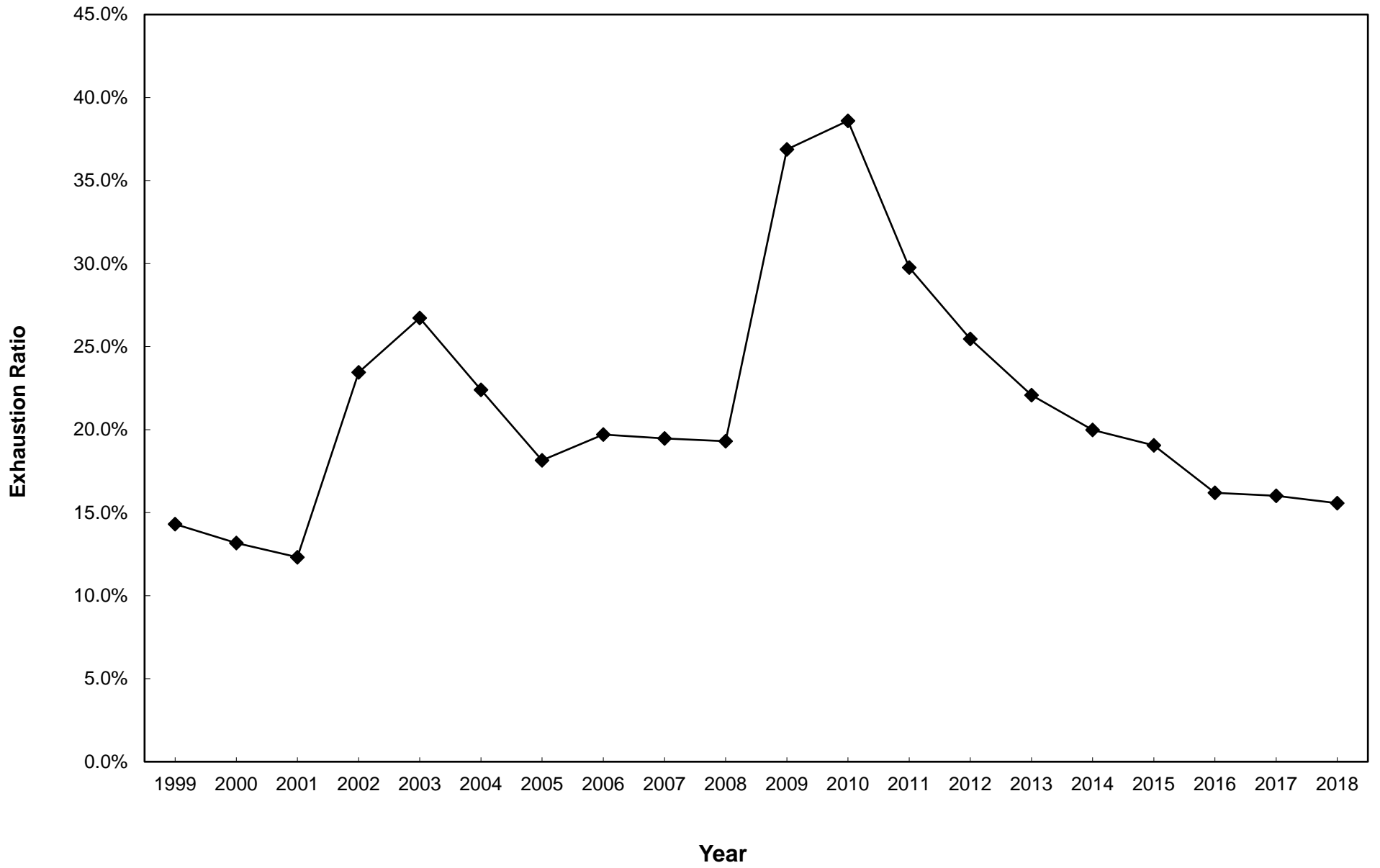


# COVERED WAGES VS. BENEFIT PAYMENTS WEEKLY AVERAGES



■ Covered Wages   ■ Benefit Payments

# UI EXHAUSTIONS PER FIRST PAYMENT REGULAR BENEFITS



**AVERAGE DURATION  
IN WEEKS  
REGULAR BENEFITS**

