

Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development
 Research and Analysis Section ~ Unemployment Insurance Research

Alaska Unemployment Insurance Tax System

Total and Taxable Wages in SFY 2011
 and UI Tax Base Calculation for 2012

Year - Qtr	(1) Total Wages Paid By Contributing Employers	(2) Taxable Wages	(3) Total Wages Paid By Covered Employers	(4) Average Monthly Covered Employment
2010 - 3	\$2,985,923,407	\$1,612,850,001	\$3,695,283,674	314,791
2010 - 4	2,839,328,001	960,752,724	3,687,596,018	294,703
2011 - 1	2,581,972,652	2,346,764,471	3,360,117,702	290,168
2011 - 2	2,753,399,082	1,974,424,646	3,648,104,430	307,944
Total	11,160,623,142	6,894,791,842	14,391,101,824	301,902

(a)	Average Annual Wage = (3)/(4)	=	\$47,668.12
(b)	75% of Average Annual Wage = (a) X .75	=	\$35,751.09
(c)	Taxable Wage Base = (b) rounded to nearest \$100	=	\$35,800
(d)	Ratio of Taxable To Total Wages = (2)/(1)	=	0.61777839
(e)	Average Weekly Wage = (a) / 52	=	\$916.69

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section:
 Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) report to the U.S. Department of Labor

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