

50-State Summary of UI Benefit Rates

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State	UI Benefit Rate	Minimum	Maximum	Max % of SAWW	Dependent Benefit?
VT	1/45 of wages in two high quarters of base period	\$81.00	\$583.00	57%	N/A
AL	1/26 of average wages paid to individual during two high quarters of base period § 25-4-72(b)	\$45.00. Individuals with WBA amount below \$45.00 are not entitled to receive benefits. § 25-4-72(b)(2)	\$275.00 § 25-4-72(b)(5)	N/A	N/A
AK		\$56.00	\$370.00	N/A	\$24.00/dependent; \$72.00 max for 3 dependents
AZ	1/25 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$190.00	\$240.00	N/A	N/A
AR	1/26 of average wages paid to individual during four quarters of base period	\$81.00	\$451.00	66.67%	N/A
CA	1/23-1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$40.00	\$450.00	N/A	N/A
CO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 60% of wages in high quarter of base period; or • 50% of wages in high quarter of base period 	\$25.00	\$590.00 or \$649.00	50-55% of SAWW depending on benefit formula	N/A
CT	1/26 of average wages during two high quarters of base	\$15.00	\$667.00	60%	\$15.00/dependent; \$75.00 max for 5 dependents

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	period plus dependent allowance				
DE	1/46 of wage in two high quarters of base period	\$20.00	\$400.00	N/A	N/A
DC	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$50.00	\$444.00	50%	N/A
FL	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$32.00	\$275.00	N/A	N/A
GA	1/42 of wages in two high quarters of base period	\$55.00	\$365.00	N/A	N/A
HI	1/21 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$5.00	\$639.00	70%	N/A
ID	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$72.00	\$463.00	55%	N/A
IL	47% x wages in 2 high quarters of base period divided by 26	\$51.00	\$505.00	64.7%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 17.6% of AWW or \$26.00, whichever is greater, for dependent child up to \$185.00 • 9% of AWW or \$15.00, whichever is greater, for dependent spouse up to \$93.00
IN	47% of AWW in base period	\$37.00	\$390.00	N/A	N/A
IA	1/19-1/23 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$73.00	\$493.00	53-65% depending on # of dependents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$4.00-\$30.00/dependent depending on WBA and number of dependents; max of 4 dependents • Formula for WBA amount changes depending on number of dependents from 1/23 of HQW for 0

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					dependents to 1/19 of HQW for 4 dependents. • Max WBA also increases depending on # of dependents from 53% of SAWW for 0 dependents to 65% of SAWW for 4 dependents
KS	4.25% of wages in high quarter of base period	\$125.00	\$503.00	55%	N/A
KY	1.1923% of base period wages	\$39.00	\$569.00	62%	N/A
LA	1/25 of average wages of four quarters	\$10.00	\$247.00	66.67%	N/A
ME	1/22 of average wages in two high quarters of base period	\$80.00	\$511.00	52%	\$10.00/dependent; max of \$255/week or 50% of WBA, whichever is less
MD	1/24 of wages in high quarter of base period plus dependent allowance	\$50.00	\$430.00	N/A	\$8.00/dependent; max of \$40.00 for 5 dependents
MA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1/13 of wages in high quarter of base period • 1/21-1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period 	\$103.00	\$855.00	57.5%	\$25.00/dependent; capped at 50% of WBA (\$427.00)
MI	4.1% of wages in high quarter of base period	\$150.00	\$362.00	N/A	\$6.00/ dependent; max of \$30 for 5 dependents

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MN	Greater of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50% of 1/13 of wages in high quarter of base period up to 42% of SAWW; or 50% of base period wages up to 66.67% of SAWW 	\$29.00	\$491.00 or \$762.00	66.67%	N/A
MS	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$30.00	\$235.00	N/A	N/A
MO	4.0% of wages in high quarter of base period	\$35.00	\$320.00	N/A	N/A
MT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.9% of wages in two high quarters of base period; or 1.0% of total base period wages 	\$169.00	\$572.00	66.5%-67.5% depending on tax schedule.	N/A
NE	50% of average weekly wage of high quarter of base period	\$70.00	\$456.00	50%	N/A
NV	1/25 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$16.00	\$483.00	50%	N/A
NH	0.8-1.1% of annual wages	\$100.00	\$427.00	N/A	N/A
NJ	60% of AWW during base period	\$132.00	\$731.00	56.67%	7% of WBA for 1 st dependent; 4% for each additional dependent; max of \$93.00; WBA + dependency allowance cannot exceed max WBA

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NM	53.5% of AWW in high quarter of base period	\$90.00	\$484.00	53.5%	\$25.00/dependent; max of \$50.00 for 2 dependents
NY	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$108.00	\$504.00	N/A	N/A
NC	Last 2 quarters of base period divided by 52	\$15.00	\$350.00	N/A	N/A
ND	1/65 of wages in two high quarters of base period	\$43.00	\$640.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 62%; or • if avg. contribution rate paid by employers is below national avg., 65% 	N/A
OH	50% of AWW during base period plus dependent allowance	\$140.00	\$498.00	50-66.67% depending on # of dependents	Dependents increase max WBA. (50% of AWW for 0; 60% of AWW for 1-2; and 66.67% for 3+); max dependent allowance is \$174.00.
OK	1/23 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$16.00	\$461.00	Depending on condition of fund: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$520; or • 50-60% 	N/A
OR	1.25% of base period wages	\$157.00	\$673.00	64%	N/A
PA	1/24-1/25 of wages in high quarter of base period plus dependent allowance	\$68.00	\$583.00	66.67%	\$5.00 for 1 st dependent, \$3.00 for up to 1 additional dependent; max of \$8.00
RI	3.85% of the average of the total wages in	\$59.00	\$661.00	57.5%	Greater of \$15.00 or 5% of WBA for each child; max of \$165.00 for 5 children

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SC	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$42.00	\$326.00	66.67%	N/A
SD	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$28.00	\$428.00	50%	N/A
TN	1/52 of wages in two high quarters of base period	\$30.00	\$275.00	N/A	N/A
TX	1/25 of wages in high quarter of base period	\$70.00	\$535.00	47.6%	N/A
UT	1/26 of wages in high quarter of base period minus \$5.00	\$35.00	\$617.00	62.5% ⁱ -\$5.00	N/A
VA	1/50 of wages in two high quarters of base period	\$60.00	\$378.00	N/A	N/A
WA	3.85% of wages in two high quarters of base period	\$201.00	\$844.00	63%	N/A
WV	55% of 1/52 of median wages in worker's wage class	\$24.00	\$424.00	66.67%	N/A
WI	4.0% of wages in high quarter of base period	\$54.00	\$370.00	N/A	N/A
WY	4.0% of wages in high quarter of base period	\$38.00	\$526.00	55%	N/A

ⁱ Percentage of insured average weekly wages.