

Section C -- Unemployment and Sickness Benefits

This section presents data on unemployment and sickness benefits paid to qualified railroad employees under the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (RUIA). Railroad unemployment and sickness benefits, by law, are based on a July-June benefit year. Therefore, railroad unemployment and sickness insurance benefit operations are presented on a benefit year basis, rather than on a fiscal year basis.

Normal benefits of each type may be paid for as many as 130 days in a period of 26 or more weeks but may not exceed the total creditable base year compensation of the beneficiary. After exhaustion of normal benefits, an employee with 10 or more years of railroad service may receive additional benefits in an extended benefit period provided he/she has not voluntarily retired, has not left work without good cause (for unemployment benefits only), and is less than 65 years old (for sickness benefits only). Extended benefits are paid in a 13-week period.

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act), enacted February 17, 2009, authorized payment of special extended unemployment benefits to railroad employees with jobless claims during the period from July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2009. Key provisions related to railroad unemployment benefits included the following:

- Railroad employees who previously were not eligible for extended unemployment benefits because they did not have 10 years of railroad service were eligible for up to 65 days within an extended period consisting of 7 consecutive 2-week registration periods.
- Railroad employees who were previously eligible for extended unemployment benefits of up to 65 days were eligible for extended benefits of up to 130 days within an extended period consisting of 13 consecutive 2-week registration periods.
- The special extended unemployment benefit periods had to begin no later than December 31, 2009.

Enacted on November 6, 2009, the Worker, Homeownership and Business Assistance Act of 2009 contained an appropriation of \$175,000,000 to extend the provisions of the Recovery Act by one year. The Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010 (enacted December 17, 2010), the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011 (enacted December 23, 2011), the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012 (enacted February 22, 2012), and the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012 (enacted January 2, 2013) each continued the special unemployment benefit provision for periods ranging from two months to one year, for a total extension of three years. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.

An employee was qualified for benefit year 2014-2015 if in the preceding calendar (base) year his(her) compensation for railroad work, excluding earnings over \$1,405 a month, was \$3,512.50 or more. Additionally, if the employee was a new entrant to the industry in the base year, he(she) must have had at least five months of service in that year. For a long-service employee (one with 10 or more years of railroad service) a benefit year could be started early if he(she) was not currently qualified but would be qualified for the next benefit year. Also, an extended benefit period could continue beyond the usual June 30 ending date of a benefit year and thus extend the duration of the employee's benefit year. Therefore, the tables in this section on payments for unemployment and sickness that occurred during the July 2014 - June 2015 period include benefits that technically were payable in extensions of the 2013-2014 benefit year or accelerations of the 2015-2016 benefit year as well as those payable for the general benefit year (2014-2015).

Table C1 shows the principal figures for operations in benefit year 2014-2015 and other recent years. Figures in this table refer to payments made and other administrative actions taken under the unemployment and sickness programs during the designated benefit year. Table C2 provides various unemployment and sickness benefit and beneficiary data for benefit years 1985-1986 through 2014-2015. Tables C3 through C7 contain benefit data for unemployment and sickness which occurred in claim periods paid during the particular benefit years stated in the table headings or to which reference is made in the footnotes. Table C8 is a graph of unemployment and sickness beneficiaries by month for benefit year 2014-2015. Table C9 shows the distribution of experience based contribution rates, by number of employers, for 2015.

Payments for maternity under a separate program were discontinued by amendments adopted in 1968. However, provision was made for payment of sickness benefits to female employees prevented from working because of pregnancy or childbirth. The sickness benefit data in this section include such payments.

The unemployment and sickness beneficiary tables for benefit year 2014-2015 include all payments made by June 30, 2015. Benefits are paid for compensable days of unemployment or sickness at a daily rate equal to 60 percent of the employee's last daily rate of pay in the base year, subject to a \$70.00 maximum and a \$12.70 minimum in benefit year 2014-2015.

In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, unemployment and sickness benefit amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

The most important qualifications of the data for each table are shown in footnotes to the table.

**Table C1.-- Principal administrative data for the unemployment and sickness benefit programs,
benefit years 2010-2011 through 2014-2015, cash basis**

| Item | 2010-2011 | 2011-2012 | 2012-2013 ¹ | 2013-2014 ¹ | 2014-2015 ¹ |
|--|-----------|-----------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Qualified employees..... | 239,100 | 235,100 | 243,800 | 247,600 | 248,200 |
| Maximum daily benefit rate..... | \$66 | \$66 | \$66 | \$68 | \$70 |
| UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS | | | | | |
| Net amount of benefits paid (thousands) | \$51,424 | \$40,691 | \$47,174 | \$39,867 | \$30,752 |
| Payments:² | | | | | |
| Number..... | 89,300 | 71,800 | 83,500 | 69,700 | 52,100 |
| Average amount per two week | | | | | |
| claim period..... | \$566 | \$573 | \$557 | \$550 | \$578 |
| Beneficiaries..... | 11,600 | 9,200 | 10,700 | 10,000 | 7,600 |
| Applications received..... | 14,500 | 12,300 | 14,500 | 13,100 | 11,500 |
| Claims received..... | 101,100 | 81,400 | 96,000 | 82,900 | 62,500 |
| Normal benefit accounts exhausted..... | 2,800 | 2,200 | 2,500 | 2,300 | 1,900 |
| Non-compensable waiting period only³.. | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) |
| SICKNESS BENEFITS | | | | | |
| Net amount of benefits paid (thousands) | \$51,161 | \$49,056 | \$43,394 | \$45,316 | \$48,428 |
| Payments:² | | | | | |
| Number..... | 117,100 | 112,200 | 102,500 | 101,100 | 102,700 |
| Average amount per two week | | | | | |
| claim period..... | \$585 | \$585 | \$571 | \$555 | \$572 |
| Beneficiaries..... | 17,400 | 16,700 | 15,800 | 15,600 | 15,500 |
| Applications received..... | 21,200 | 20,600 | 19,400 | 19,100 | 19,400 |
| Claims received..... | 137,300 | 131,700 | 121,100 | 119,900 | 121,300 |
| Normal benefit accounts exhausted..... | 3,100 | 3,000 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 2,800 |
| Non-compensable waiting period only³.. | 100 | 100 | (4) | (4) | 100 |

¹ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

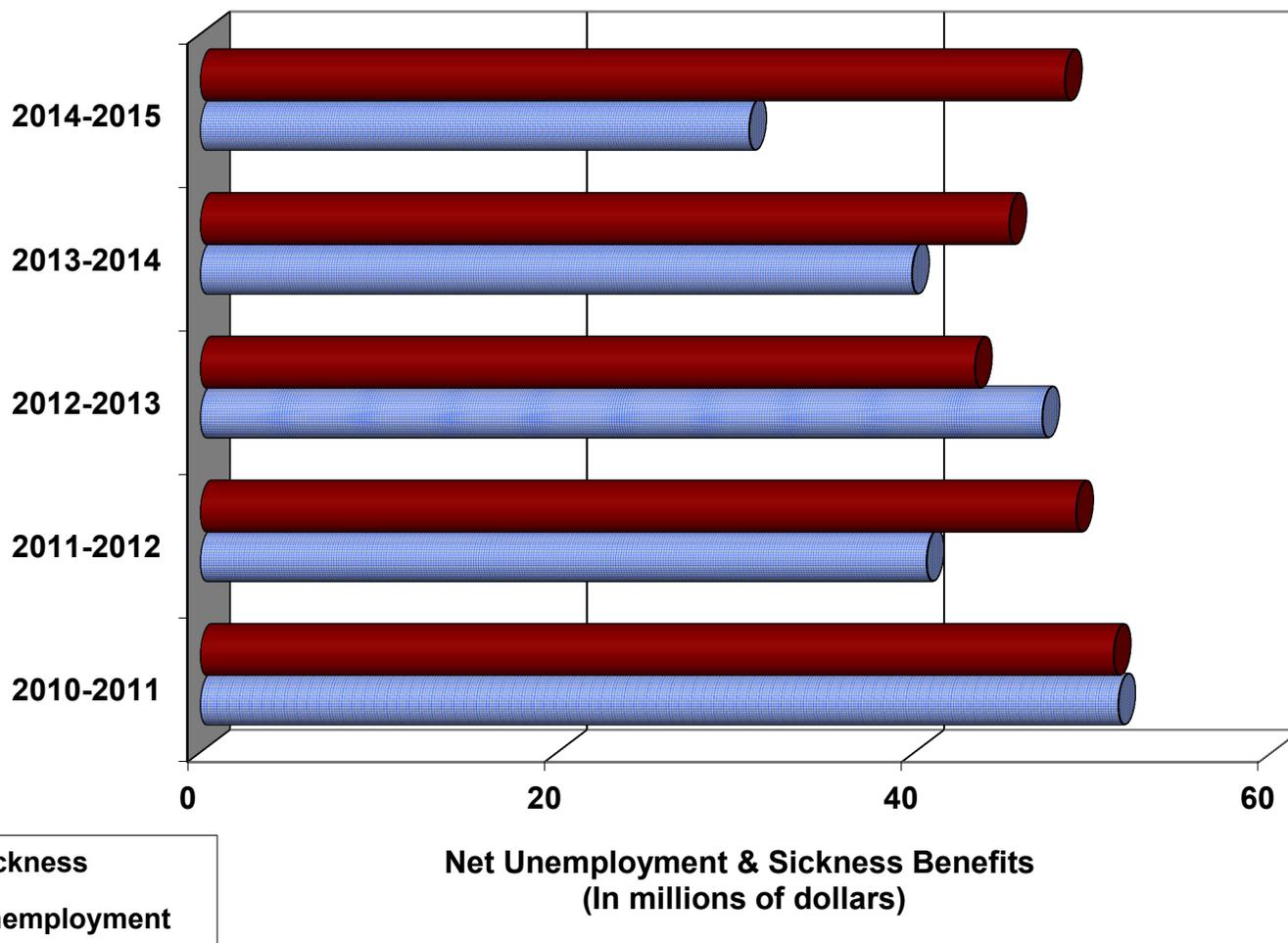
² Not adjusted for recoveries or settlements of underpayments.

³ Benefits are payable for each day of unemployment or sickness in excess of 7 during the first 14-day registration period in a benefit year.

⁴ Less than 50.

NOTE.--Data covered program activities during the year, regardless of when unemployment or sickness occurred. Starting in June 2009, includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, the Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010, the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012 and the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013. Net benefits for these temporary payments were \$9,388,000 in 2010-2011, \$7,011,000 in 2011-2012, \$6,868,000 in 2012-2013, \$2,391,000 in 2013-2014, and -\$327,000 in 2014-2015.

Table C1.--Net benefits under the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act, benefit years 2010-2011 through 2014-2015, cash basis



Starting in June 2009, includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, the Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010, the Temporary Payroll Tax Cut Continuation Act of 2011, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, and the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.

In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

Table C2.--Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries, benefit averages, and related data, by benefit year, 1985-1986 through 2014-2015

| Year | Number of beneficiaries | Amount of gross benefits (thousands) | Beneficiaries per 100 qualified employees ¹ | Benefit exhaustions per 100 beneficiaries ¹ | Average per beneficiary | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | | | Creditable registration periods | Creditable/compensable days ² | Daily benefit | Amount of benefits | |
| | | | | | | | | Total for year | Total per week ³ |
| UNEMPLOYMENT | | | | | | | | | |
| 1985-1986..... | 86,800 | \$142,795 | 19 | 19 | 8.0 | 98 | \$24.98 | \$1,645 | \$124.90 |
| 1986-1987..... | 75,200 | 127,235 | 18 | 8 | 8.2 | 68 | 24.72 | 1,693 | 123.60 |
| 1987-1988..... | 54,400 | 84,938 | 14 | 18 | 7.5 | 63 | 24.72 | 1,561 | 123.60 |
| 1988-1989..... | 35,200 | 59,047 | 10 | 15 | 7.0 | 59 | 28.29 | 1,679 | 141.45 |
| 1989-1990..... | 29,900 | 57,488 | 9 | 17 | 7.5 | 64 | 30.14 | 1,921 | 150.70 |
| 1990-1991..... | 30,500 | 63,315 | 9 | 18 | 7.9 | 67 | 30.85 | 2,078 | 154.25 |
| 1991-1992..... | 26,400 | ⁴ 62,185 | 8 | 21 | 8.7 | 76 | 30.94 | 2,353 | 154.70 |
| 1992-1993..... | 20,700 | ⁴ 51,150 | 7 | 19 | 8.5 | 75 | 32.82 | 2,466 | 164.10 |
| 1993-1994..... | 18,600 | 44,016 | 6 | 16 | 8.1 | 71 | 32.94 | 2,348 | 164.70 |
| 1994-1995..... | 18,700 | 39,670 | 6 | 15 | 6.8 | 59 | 35.73 | 2,120 | 178.65 |
| 1995-1996..... | 16,800 | 42,263 | 6 | 19 | 7.8 | 69 | 35.86 | 2,461 | 179.30 |
| 1996-1997..... | 15,300 | 40,228 | 5 | 18 | 7.2 | 63 | 40.57 | 2,564 | 202.85 |
| 1997-1998..... | 11,300 | 30,175 | 4 | 18 | 6.9 | 60 | 42.78 | 2,571 | 213.90 |
| 1998-1999..... | 12,600 | 35,354 | 5 | 16 | 7.0 | 62 | 43.81 | 2,719 | 219.05 |
| 1999-2000..... | 13,700 | 38,317 | 5 | 13 | 6.9 | 61 | 45.51 | 2,759 | 227.56 |
| 2000-2001..... | 16,700 | 46,120 | 6 | 13 | 6.6 | 57 | 47.81 | 2,736 | 239.05 |
| 2001-2002..... | 17,800 | 51,398 | 7 | 14 | 6.7 | 58 | 49.62 | 2,862 | 248.08 |
| 2002-2003..... | 15,400 | 49,563 | 6 | 17 | 7.1 | 62 | 51.45 | 3,182 | 257.27 |
| 2003-2004..... | 11,700 | 41,315 | 5 | 19 | 7.4 | 64 | 54.38 | 3,503 | 271.89 |
| 2004-2005..... | 9,300 | 34,394 | 4 | 21 | 7.4 | 66 | 55.27 | 3,633 | 276.34 |
| 2005-2006..... | 8,900 | 30,478 | 4 | 18 | 6.9 | 61 | 55.27 | 3,393 | 276.35 |
| 2006-2007..... | 9,500 | 32,529 | 4 | 17 | 6.8 | 60 | 56.29 | 3,398 | 281.47 |
| 2007-2008..... | 10,100 | 38,187 | 4 | 18 | 7.2 | 64 | 58.40 | 3,732 | 292.01 |
| 2008-2009..... | 21,400 | ⁵ 82,572 | 8 | 13 | 7.4 | 63 | 60.66 | 3,846 | 303.32 |
| 2009-2010..... | 24,800 | ⁵ 142,609 | 10 | 30 | 10.3 | 90 | 63.43 | 5,715 | 317.14 |
| 2010-2011..... | 11,600 | ⁵ 55,623 | 5 | 24 | 8.4 | 73 | 65.23 | 4,742 | 326.15 |
| 2011-2012..... | 9,200 | ⁵ 45,562 | 4 | 24 | 8.6 | 75 | 65.22 | 4,921 | 326.12 |
| 2012-2013 ⁶ | 10,700 | ⁵ 51,648 | 4 | 23 | 8.6 | 75 | 63.98 | 4,792 | 319.89 |
| 2013-2014 ⁶ | 10,000 | ⁵ 42,946 | 4 | 23 | 7.8 | 69 | 62.36 | 4,286 | 311.79 |
| 2014-2015 ⁶ | 7,600 | ⁵ 33,873 | 3 | 25 | 7.7 | 69 | 64.66 | 4,451 | 323.31 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table C2.--Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries, benefit averages, and related data, by benefit year, 1985-1986 through 2014-2015 - Continued

| Year | Number of beneficiaries | Amount of gross benefits (thousands) | Beneficiaries per 100 qualified employees ¹ | Benefit exhaustions per 100 beneficiaries ¹ | Average per beneficiary | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | | | Creditable registration periods | Creditable/compensable days ² | Daily benefit | Amount of benefits | |
| | | | | | | | | Total for year | Total per week ³ |
| SICKNESS | | | | | | | | | |
| 1985-1986..... | 46,400 | \$69,114 | 10 | 17 | 6.4 | 85 | \$24.88 | \$1,491 | \$124.40 |
| 1986-1987..... | 45,200 | 72,678 | 11 | 19 | 6.9 | 65 | 24.69 | 1,609 | 123.45 |
| 1987-1988..... | 41,700 | 66,809 | 11 | 18 | 6.9 | 65 | 24.74 | 1,602 | 123.70 |
| 1988-1989..... | 33,700 | 62,115 | 9 | 19 | 7.1 | 67 | 27.63 | 1,845 | 138.15 |
| 1989-1990..... | 28,200 | 58,337 | 8 | 20 | 7.2 | 68 | 30.24 | 2,068 | 151.20 |
| 1990-1991..... | 25,600 | 54,528 | 8 | 21 | 7.4 | 69 | 30.81 | 2,133 | 154.05 |
| 1991-1992..... | 23,600 | 52,666 | 7 | 21 | 7.7 | 72 | 30.97 | 2,232 | 154.85 |
| 1992-1993..... | 21,800 | 50,693 | 7 | 20 | 7.6 | 71 | 32.80 | 2,323 | 164.00 |
| 1993-1994..... | 21,600 | 50,613 | 7 | 16 | 7.5 | 71 | 32.98 | 2,328 | 164.90 |
| 1994-1995..... | 21,000 | 54,006 | 7 | 20 | 7.7 | 72 | 35.74 | 2,573 | 178.70 |
| 1995-1996..... | 20,400 | 55,437 | 7 | 21 | 7.9 | 74 | 35.94 | 2,652 | 179.70 |
| 1996-1997..... | 20,500 | 60,566 | 7 | 21 | 7.6 | 70 | 40.18 | 2,825 | 200.90 |
| 1997-1998..... | 20,500 | 63,356 | 7 | 18 | 7.7 | 69 | 42.90 | 2,967 | 214.50 |
| 1998-1999..... | 20,600 | 64,203 | 8 | 16 | 7.6 | 68 | 43.91 | 2,999 | 219.55 |
| 1999-2000..... | 22,000 | 69,992 | 8 | 17 | 7.8 | 69 | 45.75 | 3,152 | 228.73 |
| 2000-2001..... | 23,000 | 78,584 | 8 | 19 | 7.9 | 71 | 47.88 | 3,388 | 239.42 |
| 2001-2002..... | 23,000 | 84,125 | 9 | 21 | 8.2 | 73 | 49.85 | 3,629 | 249.25 |
| 2002-2003..... | 22,400 | 83,690 | 9 | 19 | 8.0 | 71 | 51.83 | 3,701 | 259.17 |
| 2003-2004..... | 21,600 | 83,718 | 9 | 19 | 7.9 | 70 | 54.80 | 3,848 | 274.02 |
| 2004-2005..... | 20,200 | 78,547 | 8 | 18 | 7.8 | 69 | 55.89 | 3,855 | 279.46 |
| 2005-2006..... | 19,700 | 76,041 | 8 | 17 | 7.7 | 69 | 55.93 | 3,835 | 279.63 |
| 2006-2007..... | 19,000 | 73,140 | 8 | 17 | 7.6 | 67 | 56.83 | 3,814 | 284.17 |
| 2007-2008..... | 18,400 | 72,336 | 7 | 17 | 7.5 | 66 | 58.76 | 3,896 | 293.78 |
| 2008-2009..... | 17,600 | 71,704 | 7 | 17 | 7.5 | 67 | 60.69 | 4,040 | 303.45 |
| 2009-2010..... | 17,800 | 76,991 | 7 | 17 | 7.6 | 68 | 63.62 | 4,298 | 318.11 |
| 2010-2011..... | 17,400 | 77,555 | 7 | 17 | 7.6 | 68 | 65.66 | 4,441 | 328.28 |
| 2011-2012..... | 16,700 | 74,457 | 7 | 17 | 7.5 | 67 | 65.77 | 4,413 | 328.85 |
| 2012-2013 ⁶ | 15,800 | 66,743 | 6 | 16 | 7.4 | 65 | 64.50 | 4,202 | 322.48 |
| 2013-2014 ⁶ | 15,600 | 64,075 | 6 | 16 | 7.4 | 65 | 63.09 | 4,100 | 315.46 |
| 2014-2015 ⁶ | 15,500 | 66,950 | 6 | 17 | 7.5 | 66 | 65.44 | 4,314 | 327.20 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table C2.--Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries, benefit averages, and related data, by benefit year, 1985-1986 through 2014-2015 - Continued

- ¹ Through benefit year 1985-1986, beneficiaries per 100 qualified employees based on data for current general benefit year; exhaustions per 100 beneficiaries refer to normal benefits only.
- ² Compensable days data was first used in benefit year 1986-1987. Previous years' data refers to creditable days.
- ³ Benefit for full week of unemployment or sickness.
- ⁴ Includes benefits under Title V of the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act of 1991, as amended, which provided extended unemployment benefits to claimants with less than 10 years of service and additional extended benefits to those with 10-14 years.
- ⁵ Includes benefits under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, and the Worker, Homeownership and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended, which provided extended unemployment benefits to claimants with less than 10 years of service and additional extended benefits to those with 10 or more years of service. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.
- ⁶ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

NOTE.--Data include all unemployment and sickness in claims periods begun in the year. For this reason, and because adjustments of benefit amounts have occurred after tabulating cutoff dates, the total amounts of benefits differ substantially from the figures in Tables A1 and C1. Beginning in benefit year 1986-1987 the table was compiled using different source materials than those used in previous years.

Footnote 1 and Footnote 2 expire when those years drop off. Change title in column G to Compensable days only.

Table C3.--Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries in benefit year 2014-2015 and selected data, by completed years of service

| Completed years of service | Beneficiaries | | Average per beneficiary | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | Total | Per 100 qualified employees | Compensable days on benefit rolls | Daily benefit ¹ | Amount of benefits for year ¹ |
| UNEMPLOYMENT² | | | | | |
| Under 10 | 4,581 | 4 | 65 | \$64.69 | \$4,175 |
| 10-14 | 1,213 | 4 | 78 | 64.68 | 5,065 |
| 15 and over | 1,774 | 2 | 73 | 64.60 | 4,746 |
| Total | 7,568 | 3 | 69 | \$64.66 | \$4,451 |
| SICKNESS | | | | | |
| Under 10 | 6,592 | 5 | 58 | \$65.11 | \$3,783 |
| 10-14 | 2,295 | 7 | 70 | 65.09 | 4,571 |
| 15 and over | 6,629 | 7 | 72 | 65.82 | 4,753 |
| Total | 15,516 | 6 | 66 | \$65.44 | \$4,314 |

¹ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

² Includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, and the the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.

**Table C4.--Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries, and total gross benefits for the year,
by state, benefit year 2014-2015**

| States | Unemployment benefits ¹ | | Sickness benefits | |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| | Beneficiaries | Total amount ² | Beneficiaries | Total amount ² |
| Alabama..... | 234 | \$969,000 | 249 | \$1,063,000 |
| Alaska..... | 54 | 362,000 | 1 | 5,000 |
| Arizona..... | 72 | 362,000 | 153 | 663,000 |
| Arkansas..... | 175 | 700,000 | 243 | 1,119,000 |
| California..... | 383 | 1,942,000 | 929 | 4,115,000 |
| Colorado..... | 95 | 415,000 | 183 | 758,000 |
| Connecticut..... | 31 | 174,000 | 123 | 537,000 |
| Delaware..... | 18 | 99,000 | 132 | 590,000 |
| Washington DC..... | 9 | 69,000 | 24 | 122,000 |
| Florida..... | 250 | 1,223,000 | 321 | 1,418,000 |
| Georgia..... | 384 | 1,893,000 | 460 | 1,888,000 |
| Hawaii..... | | | | |
| Idaho..... | 47 | 208,000 | 91 | 356,000 |
| Illinois..... | 610 | 3,073,000 | 1,358 | 6,071,000 |
| Indiana..... | 326 | 1,429,000 | 674 | 2,965,000 |
| Iowa..... | 98 | 327,000 | 252 | 1,011,000 |
| Kansas..... | 134 | 604,000 | 294 | 976,000 |
| Kentucky..... | 177 | 737,000 | 392 | 1,799,000 |
| Louisiana..... | 171 | 835,000 | 227 | 1,048,000 |
| Maine..... | 61 | 349,000 | 38 | 168,000 |
| Maryland..... | 129 | 635,000 | 347 | 1,483,000 |
| Massachusetts..... | 79 | 441,000 | 236 | 1,001,000 |
| Michigan..... | 196 | 859,000 | 288 | 1,340,000 |
| Minnesota..... | 155 | 574,000 | 326 | 1,445,000 |
| Mississippi..... | 70 | 309,000 | 131 | 606,000 |
| Missouri..... | 241 | 908,000 | 413 | 1,737,000 |
| Montana..... | 195 | 663,000 | 110 | 357,000 |
| Nebraska..... | 134 | 541,000 | 847 | 3,114,000 |
| Nevada..... | 19 | 89,000 | 30 | 135,000 |
| New Hampshire..... | 16 | 75,000 | 26 | 119,000 |
| New Jersey..... | 127 | 630,000 | 776 | 3,261,000 |
| New Mexico..... | 30 | 125,000 | 95 | 430,000 |

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table C4.--Unemployment and sickness beneficiaries, and total gross benefits for the year,
by state, benefit year 2014-2015 - Continued**

| States | Unemployment benefits ¹ | | Sickness benefits | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| | Beneficiaries | Total amount ² | Beneficiaries | Total amount ² |
| New York | 357 | \$1,677,000 | 671 | \$3,161,000 |
| North Carolina | 108 | 463,000 | 188 | 856,000 |
| North Dakota | 36 | 148,000 | 117 | 482,000 |
| Ohio | 347 | 1,328,000 | 628 | 2,732,000 |
| Oklahoma | 63 | 291,000 | 101 | 483,000 |
| Oregon | 67 | 329,000 | 161 | 692,000 |
| Pennsylvania | 336 | 1,451,000 | 957 | 4,253,000 |
| Rhode Island | 7 | 41,000 | 47 | 221,000 |
| South Carolina | 114 | 551,000 | 145 | 605,000 |
| South Dakota | 22 | 99,000 | 56 | 210,000 |
| Tennessee | 153 | 640,000 | 355 | 1,523,000 |
| Texas | 504 | 2,382,000 | 817 | 3,527,000 |
| Utah | 69 | 313,000 | 102 | 445,000 |
| Vermont | 8 | 24,000 | 4 | 20,000 |
| Virginia | 178 | 706,000 | 411 | 2,002,000 |
| Washington | 136 | 615,000 | 267 | 1,058,000 |
| West Virginia | 105 | 342,000 | 260 | 1,257,000 |
| Wisconsin | 162 | 650,000 | 311 | 1,156,000 |
| Wyoming | 75 | 202,000 | 143 | 545,000 |
| Total ³ | 7,568 | \$33,873,000 | 15,516 | \$66,950,000 |

¹ Includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, and the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.

² In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

³ Includes beneficiaries whose state of residence was unknown.

NOTE.--Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.

Data is partly estimated.

Table C5.--Beneficiaries and selected averages for benefit year 2014-2015 unemployment, by age and sex

| Age on birthday in 2014 | Number of beneficiaries | | | | Average per beneficiary | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|---------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | Total | Female | Qualified employees | Per 100 qualified employees | Compensable days of unemployment | Daily benefit ¹ | Amount of benefits for year ¹ |
| Under 25..... | 141 | 2 | 5,300 | 3 | 67 | \$63.70 | \$4,275 |
| 25 to 29..... | 585 | 47 | 19,200 | 3 | 62 | 64.49 | 3,971 |
| 30 to 34..... | 1,009 | 70 | 28,700 | 4 | 64 | 64.86 | 4,129 |
| 35 to 39..... | 1,177 | 74 | 32,100 | 4 | 66 | 65.10 | 4,280 |
| 40 to 44..... | 1,184 | 85 | 34,600 | 3 | 68 | 64.68 | 4,427 |
| 45 to 49..... | 1,138 | 87 | 31,000 | 4 | 71 | 64.83 | 4,628 |
| 50 to 54..... | 940 | 88 | 29,100 | 3 | 74 | 64.70 | 4,757 |
| 55 to 59..... | 821 | 74 | 36,900 | 2 | 76 | 64.10 | 4,853 |
| 60 to 64..... | 473 | 40 | 25,400 | 2 | 72 | 64.42 | 4,642 |
| 65 to 69..... | 94 | 13 | 4,700 | 2 | 64 | 63.92 | 4,108 |
| 70 and older..... | 6 | 2 | 800 | 1 | 37 | 56.26 | 2,082 |
| ALL BENEFICIARIES | | | | | | | |
| Male..... | 6,986 | | 224,900 | 3 | 67 | \$64.69 | \$4,358 |
| Female..... | 582 | 582 | 23,000 | 3 | 87 | \$64.41 | \$5,575 |
| Total²..... | 7,568 | 582 | 248,200 | 3 | 69 | \$64.66 | \$4,451 |

¹ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

² Includes employees whose sex and/or age was not reported.

NOTE.-- Beneficiary figures based on payments made in the year, regardless of the benefit year for which payment was made. Qualified employees for 2014-2015 benefit year are those qualified on the basis of 2013 compensation. Includes temporary extended unemployment benefits authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, and the Worker, Homeownership, and Business Assistance Act of 2009, as amended. Benefits had to begin by December 31, 2013.

Table C6.--Beneficiaries and selected averages for benefit year 2014-2015 sickness, by age and sex

| Age on birthday in 2014 | Number of beneficiaries | | | | Average per beneficiary | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|---------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | Total | Female | Qualified employees | Per 100 qualified employees | Compensable days of sickness | Daily benefit ¹ | Amount of benefits for year ¹ |
| Under 25 | 100 | 9 | 5,300 | 2 | 48 | \$64.73 | \$3,080 |
| 25 to 29 | 635 | 117 | 19,200 | 3 | 56 | 64.87 | 3,644 |
| 30 to 34 | 1,245 | 233 | 28,700 | 4 | 54 | 65.25 | 3,550 |
| 35 to 39 | 1,699 | 261 | 32,100 | 5 | 61 | 65.19 | 3,990 |
| 40 to 44 | 1,903 | 186 | 34,600 | 5 | 64 | 65.35 | 4,155 |
| 45 to 49 | 1,973 | 216 | 31,000 | 6 | 65 | 65.35 | 4,262 |
| 50 to 54 | 2,125 | 284 | 29,100 | 7 | 67 | 65.21 | 4,397 |
| 55 to 59 | 3,140 | 294 | 36,900 | 9 | 71 | 65.86 | 4,687 |
| 60 to 64 | 2,316 | 231 | 25,400 | 9 | 74 | 66.03 | 4,887 |
| 65 to 69 | 345 | 49 | 4,700 | 7 | 61 | 62.85 | 3,861 |
| 70 and older | 35 | 4 | 800 | 4 | 49 | 52.34 | 2,541 |
| ALL BENEFICIARIES | | | | | | | |
| Male | 13,632 | | 224,900 | 6 | 66 | \$65.51 | \$4,334 |
| Female | 1,884 | 1,884 | 23,000 | 8 | 64 | \$64.93 | \$4,171 |
| Total ² | 15,516 | 1,884 | 248,200 | 6 | 66 | \$65.44 | \$4,314 |

¹ In accordance with the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011, amounts reflect a reduction of 9.2% under sequestration for days of unemployment and sickness after February 28, 2013, a reduction of 7.2% for days after September 30, 2013, and 7.3% for days after September 30, 2014.

² Includes employees whose sex and/or age was not reported.

NOTE.-- Beneficiary figures based on payments made in the year, regardless of the benefit year for which payment was made. Qualified employees for 2014-2015 benefit year are those qualified on the basis of 2013 compensation.

Table C7.--Beneficiaries and average compensable days for benefit year 2014-2015 sickness, by type of sickness

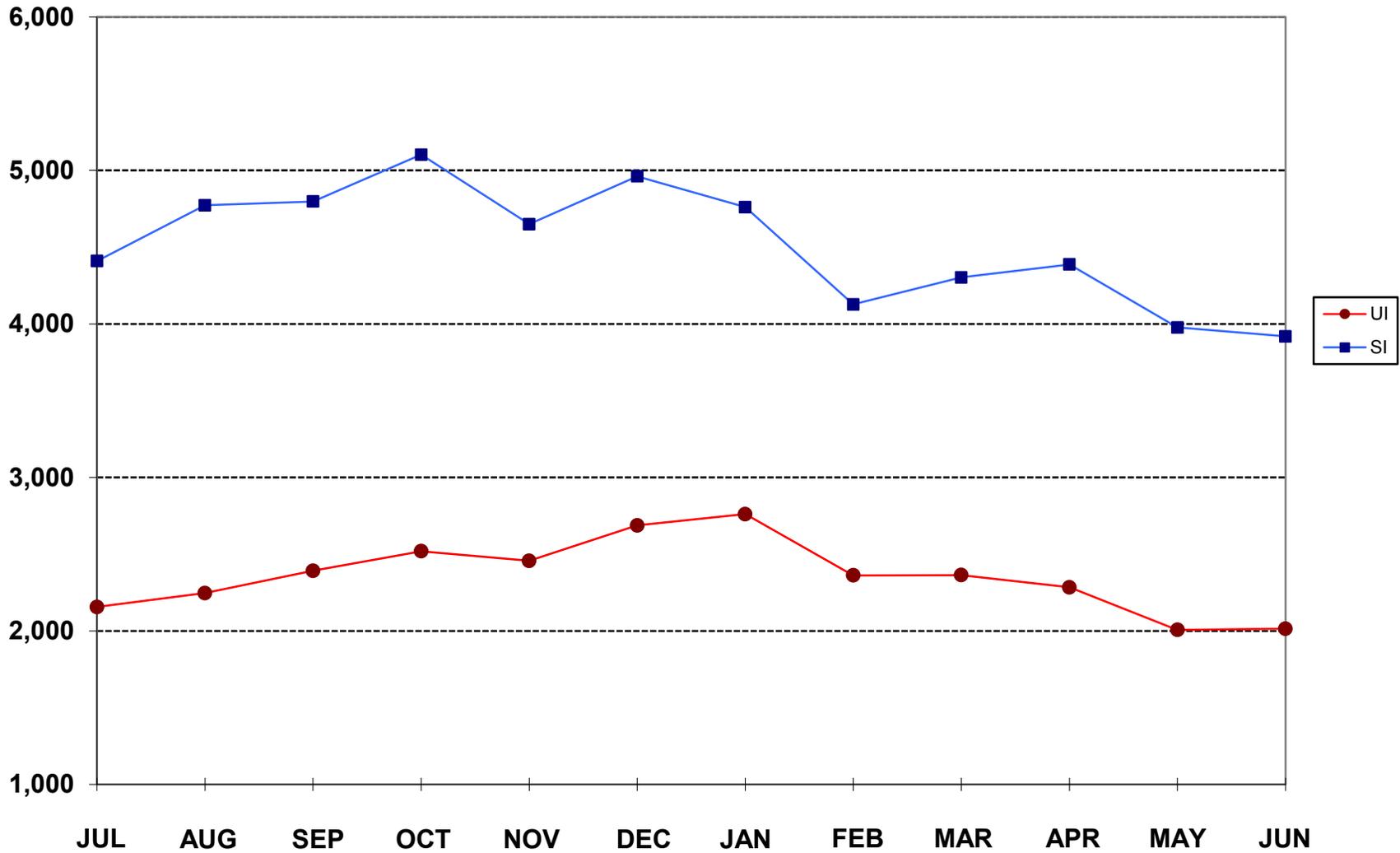
| International list no. | Type of sickness | Beneficiaries | Average compensable days of sickness |
|------------------------|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| 001-139 | Infective and parasitic diseases | 61 | 43 |
| 140-239 | Neoplasms..... | 744 | 71 |
| 240-279 | Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases and immunity disorders..... | 212 | 62 |
| 280-289 | Diseases of the blood and blood forming organs..... | 13 | 64 |
| 290-319 | Mental disorders..... | 1,791 | 69 |
| 320-389 | Diseases of the nervous system and sense organs..... | 704 | 69 |
| 390-459 | Diseases of the circulatory system..... | 1,004 | 70 |
| 460-519 | Diseases of the respiratory system..... | 361 | 52 |
| 520-579 | Diseases of the digestive system..... | 963 | 35 |
| 580-629 | Diseases of the genitourinary system..... | 166 | 54 |
| 630-679 | Pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium, total ¹ | 285 | 50 |
| 680-709 | Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue..... | 140 | 53 |
| 710-739 | Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue..... | 3,347 | 80 |
| 740-759 | Congenital anomalies..... | 126 | 53 |
| 780-799 | Symptoms and ill-defined conditions..... | 1,385 | 61 |
| 800-999 | Injury and complications of poisoning..... | 4,214 | 64 |
| Total..... | | 15,516 | 66 |

¹ Includes normal periods of pregnancy and the puerperium in addition to morbidities included in the classifications numbered 630-679.

NOTE.--Type of sickness is determined by the first sickness for which payment was made. Classification by sickness group is in accordance with The International Classification of Diseases, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM), United States Government.

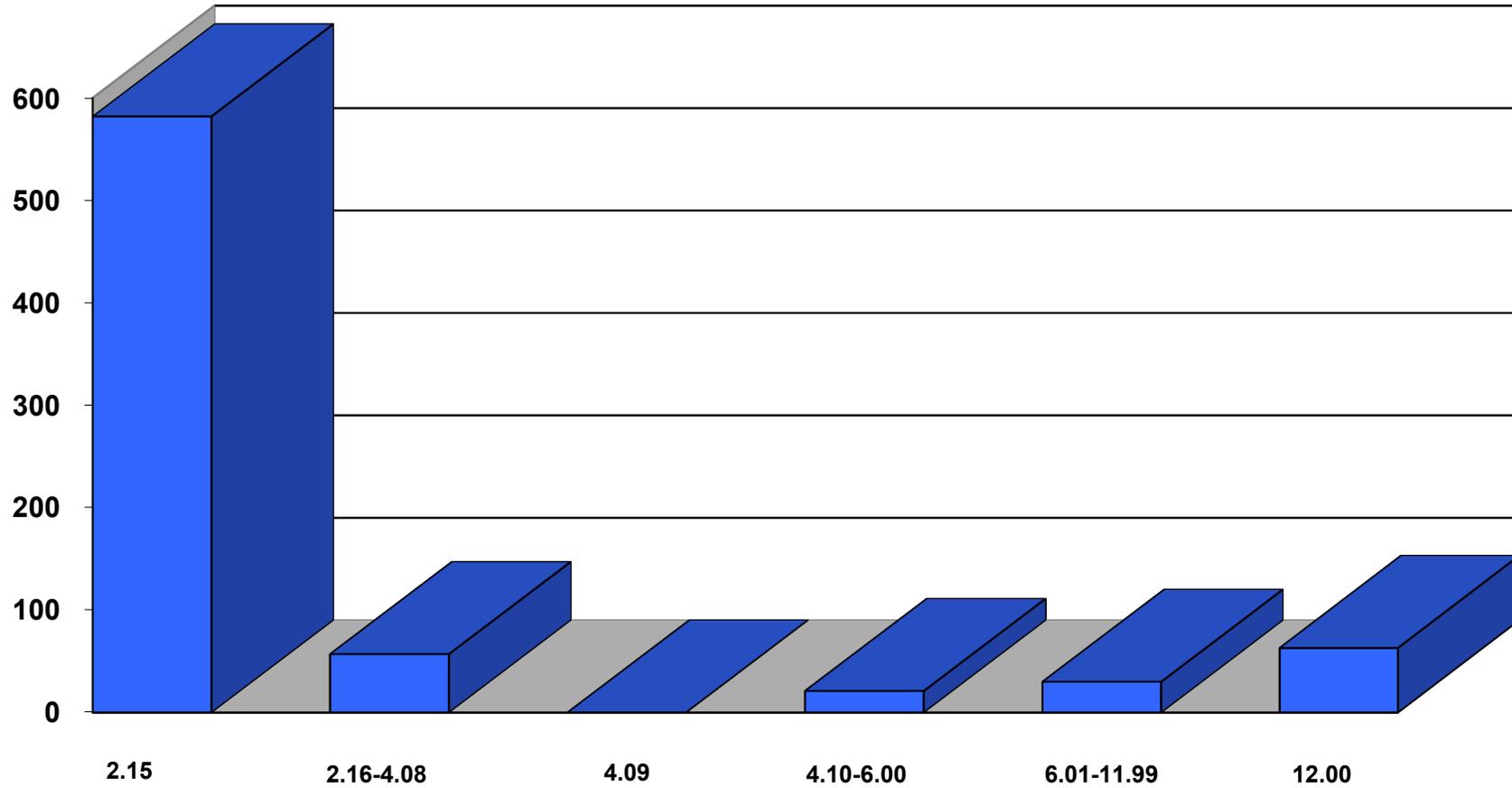
**TABLE C8. - UI & SI BENEFICIARIES
BY MONTH FOR BENEFIT YEAR 2014-2015**

Beneficiaries



**TABLE C9. - EXPERIENCE RATING DISTRIBUTION,
BY NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS, 2015**

EMPLOYERS



CONTRIBUTION RATE (percent)