

Average SDI Contributions				
Year	Net Worker Contributions*	State Plan (SP) DI Covered Employment	Average Contribution per (SP) Covered Worker	SDI Contribution Rate
2009	\$5,158,833,781	11,724,158	\$440.02	1.1%
2010	\$5,500,500,000	11,583,554	\$474.85	1.1%
2011	\$6,039,300,000	11,801,128	\$511.76	1.2%
2012	\$5,376,400,000	12,132,798	\$443.13	1.0%

Bolded numbers are estimates.

*This amount represents total worker contributions, less refunds. For example, in 2010, total worker contributions are the amount collected as a result of employers withholding 1.1 percent of all wages for each employee, up to a maximum of \$1,026.489 (1.1 percent of \$93,316, the taxable wage ceiling). However, if an employee worked for more than one employer, the total withheld in 2010 may exceed \$1,026.48. The employee would then be eligible for a refund of the amount exceeding \$1,026.48. Refunds are claimed as a credit on the California personal income tax return. Individuals not required to file personal income tax returns may file for refunds with the Employment Development Department.

The information noted above does not include contributions from workers who are covered for SDI but whose employer administers a Voluntary Plan in lieu of the State Plan.