

EI (Employment Insurance) Contributions – Rates

Calendar year	Maximum Insurable Earnings	Employee - Rate	Employee - Maximum Contribution	Employer - Rate ⁽¹⁹⁾	Employer - Maximum Contribution
2019	\$53,100	1.62%	\$860.22	2.27%	\$1,204.31
2018	\$51,700	1.66%	\$858.22	2.32%	\$1,201.51
2017	\$51,300	1.63%	\$836.19	2.28%	\$1,170.67
2016	\$50,800	1.88%	\$955.04	2.63%	\$1,337.06
2015	\$49,500	1.88%	\$930.60	2.63%	\$1,302.84
2014	\$48,600	1.88%	\$913.68	2.63%	\$1,279.15
2013	\$47,400	1.88%	\$891.12	2.63%	\$1,247.57
2012	\$45,900	1.83%	\$839.97	2.56%	\$1,175.96
2011	\$44,200	1.78%	\$786.76	2.49%	\$1,101.46
2010	\$43,200	1.73%	\$747.36	2.42%	\$1,046.30
2009	\$42,300	1.73%	\$731.79	2.42%	\$1,024.51
2008	\$41,100	1.73%	\$711.03	2.42%	\$995.44
2007	\$40,000	1.80%	\$720.00	2.52%	\$1,008.00
2006	\$39,000	1.87%	\$729.30	2.62%	\$1,021.02
2005	\$39,000	1.95%	\$760.50	2.73%	\$1,064.70
2004	\$39,000	1.98%	\$772.20	2.77%	\$1,081.08
2003	\$39,000	2.10%	\$819.00	2.94%	\$1,146.60

(19) The employer rate is 1.4 times the employee rate

(20) Self-employed individuals are not subject to EI