# E-2 Employees on Payrolls & Earnings of Manufacturing

| | Employees on Payrolls (Thousand Persons) | Annual Rate of Change (%) | Annual Change in Overtime (%) | Average Monthly Earning (NT$) | Nominal Change Rate (%) | Real Change Rate (%) | Annual Change in Labor Productivity Index (%) | Annual Change in Unit Labor Cost (%) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2015 | 2 753 | 1.41 | -3.70 | 49 374 | 35 903 | 1.50 | -0.77 | 6.64 |
| 2016 | 2 768 | 0.53 | 2.56 | 49 969 | 36 464 | 1.56 | 6.25 | -1.08 |
| 2017 | 2 815 | 1.69 | -5.63 | 51 853 | 37 282 | 2.24 | 3.35 | 0.20 |
| 2018 | 2 860 | 1.61 | 0.00 | 54 567 | 38 208 | 2.48 | 1.73 | 3.25 |
| 2019 | 2 880 | 0.70 | -5.30 | 55 816 | 38 994 | 2.06 | 0.88 | 1.97 |
| 2020 | 2 877 | -0.12 | -5.59 | 56 538 | 39 498 | 1.29 | 9.85 | -7.43 |
| 2021 | 2 904 | 0.95 | 14.81 | 60 545 | 40 700 | 3.04 | 13.69 | -6.51 |
| 2022 | 2 919 | 0.51 | -3.23 | 63 324 | 42 024 | 3.25 | -1.88 | 7.24 |
| 2023 | 2 889 | -1.02 | 1.33 | 62 492 | 42 995 | 2.31 | -11.89 | 12.09 |
| 2024 | 2 862 | -0.94 | 6.58 | 65 622 | 44 306 | 3.05 | 11.42 | -7.31 |
| 2025 | 2 869 | 0.25 | 6.17 | 69 390 | 45 850 | 3.48 | 19.88 | -11.47 |
| Aug. | 2 872 | 0.36 | 2.37 | 71 203 | 46 054 | 3.26 | 22.28 | -9.02 |
| Sep. | 2 875 | 0.53 | 5.00 | 62 545 | 46 088 | 3.31 | 15.17 | -13.59 |
| Oct. | 2 874 | 0.46 | 2.86 | 60 688 | 46 193 | 4.01 | 14.79 | -7.11 |
| Nov. | 2 874 | 0.33 | -1.15 | 67 264 | 46 064 | 3.09 | 27.65 | -10.15 |
| Dec. | 2 876 | 0.25 | 5.36 | 66 575 | 46 334 | 3.17 | 25.72 | -17.09 |
| 2026 Jan. | 2 880 | 0.60 | 13.21 | 78 144 | 46 820 | 3.15 | 9.24 | -48.20 |
| Feb. | 2 871 | 0.37 | -1.86 | 111 317 | 46 467 | 2.65 | 58.12 | 46.32 |
| Mar. | 2 879 | 0.62 | 5.88 | 57 536 | 46 784 | 2.75 | 24.40 | -18.28 |
| Apr. | 2 881 | 0.61 | 3.93 | 58 805 | 47 065 | 2.91 | 17.39 | -9.91 |
| May | 2 884 | 0.69 | 2.23 | 69 497 | 47 210 | 3.03 | 14.03 | -7.48 |
| June | 2 889 | 0.78 | 2.86 | 63 576 | 47 189 | 2.99 | 25.76 | -10.77 |
| July | 2 901 | 0.91 | 5.29 | 98 165 | 47 305 | 3.06 | 20.58 | -8.04 |
| Aug. | 2 904 | 1.09 | 2.31 | 80 288 | 47 405 | 2.93 | 23.08 | -8.54 |
| Cumulative Change from the Same Period of Last Year (%) | 0.71 | -- | 4.18 | 7.24 | 2.94 | -- | 23.08 | -8.54 |

Source: DGBAS Executive Yuan.