

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND TRAINING
MANUFACTURING EMPLOYMENT IN RHODE ISLAND - UNADJUSTED
2009**

	EMPLOYMENT					PRODUCTION WORKER AVERAGES					
	(in thousands)			NET CHANGE FROM		WEEKLY HOURS			HOURLY EARNINGS		
	OCT 2009	SEPT 2009	OCT 2008	SEPT 2009	OCT 2008	OCT 2009	SEPT 2009	OCT 2008	OCT 2009	SEPT 2009	OCT 2008
Manufacturing	42.5	42.6	47.4	-100	-4,900	37.6	37.6	38.3	14.31	14.23	13.91
Durable Goods	27.7	27.5	30.7	200	-3,000	37.6	37.4	37.8	14.22	14.12	13.92
Fabricated Metal Product Mfg.	6.0	6.0	6.5	0	-500						
* Computer & Electronic Product Mfg.	4.0	4.1	4.1	-100	-100						
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	7.7	7.6	8.4	100	-700						
Jewelry and Silverware	5.1	5.0	5.6	100	-500						
Non-Durable Goods	14.8	15.1	16.7	-300	-1,900	37.6	38.0	39.3	14.47	14.41	13.89
* Chemical Manufacturing	3.6	3.6	3.6	0	0						

* Hours and earnings are not Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) approved.
Some subcategories are not additive.
Current month figures are preliminary and subject to revision.