

# SURVEY OF EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS IN LARGE ESTABLISHMENTS

*March 2011 (Preliminary results)*

## 1. Introduction

Statistics Mauritius carries out, every year in March, the Survey of Employment and Earnings in 'large' establishments so as to obtain a continuous series of comparable data on the level of employment and earnings in these establishments. This issue of the Economic and Social Indicator presents the preliminary results for March 2011 and revised figures for 2010.

It is to be noted that following the promulgation of the Finance Act 2006, no distinction is made between the Export Processing Zone (EPZ) and other manufacturing enterprises. This publication has been reviewed accordingly and figures are given for Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) instead of EPZ.

## 2. Definition

**Large establishments** include:

- (a) Agricultural establishments comprising:
  - (i) sugar cane plantations of 10 hectares or more;
  - (ii) tea plantations of 2 hectares or more;
  - (iii) all 'flue-cured' tobacco establishments, irrespective of acreage;
  - (iv) other agricultural establishments employing at least 10 persons on the day of the survey.
- (b) Non-agricultural establishments employing at least 10 persons on the day of the survey. It is to be noted that "outworkers", that is, piece rate workers who are working in their own homes on materials provided by the establishment, are excluded although they are remunerated by the establishment.
- (c) All central, regional and local government departments.

**Primary sector** comprises activities related to 'Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing' and 'Mining and quarrying'.

**Secondary sector** comprises activities related to 'Manufacturing', 'Electricity, gas and water supply' and 'Construction'.

**Tertiary sector** comprises all other activities which relate to the provision of services. These include 'Wholesale & retail trade, repair of motor vehicles, motor cycles, personal & household goods', 'Hotels and restaurants', 'Transport, storage & communication', 'Financial intermediation', 'Real estate, renting and business activities', 'Public administration & defence; compulsory social security', 'Education', 'Health and social work' and 'Other community, social and personal services' .

The **General Government** sector is made up of (i) Central Government (ii) Regional Government and (iii) Local Government as defined below.

- (i.) **Central Government** covers all units that are agencies of the country's central authority. It consists of Budgetary Central Government and Extra Budgetary Units.

*Budgetary Central Government* includes all ministries and departments.

*Extra Budgetary Units* are agencies operating under the authority of the Central Government and responsible for the performance of specialized governmental functions in such fields as health, education, social welfare, construction and so on.

- (ii.) **Regional Government** comprises the Regional Assembly of Rodrigues.

- (iii.) **Local Government** consists of municipalities and district councils/village councils.

### 3. Response

The preliminary results of the survey presented below are based on responses obtained from 58% of large establishments, representing 72% of total employment in this category of establishments. Estimates have been made for non-response on the basis of previous data and observed trend.

## 4. Results

### 4.1 Employment Level, March 2010 - March 2011

Preliminary estimates show that total employment in large establishments covered by the survey was 302,592 in March 2011 compared to 301,729 in March 2010, representing an increase

of 863 (Table 1). This was the net result of employment increases mainly in the 'Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods' (+893), 'Construction (+875), 'Hotels & restaurants (+769) & 'Real estate, renting and business activities' (+732), partly offset by decreases in 'Manufacturing' (-2,397), 'Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing' (-675) and 'Transport, storage and communications' (-265).

Employment in the primary sector went down by 671 from 16,278 in March 2010 to 15,607 in March 2011. Employment in the secondary sector decreased by 1,573 from 97,476 to 95,903 whilst the tertiary sector registered an increase of 3,107 from 187,975 to 191,082.

Analysis by sex shows that male employment decreased by 1,520 from 192,094 to 190,574 whilst female employment increased by 2,383 from 109,635 to 112,018.

The total employment figure includes some 4,720 persons working in large establishments in Rodrigues, compared to 4,354 in March 2010. These were mainly government employees of Rodrigues Regional Assembly numbering 2,804 in March 2011.

Foreign workers are also included in the total employment figure and their number in March 2011 stood at 22,336 (12,784 males and 9,552 females) of whom 19,154 were engaged in the 'Manufacturing' sector (Table 4).

#### **4.2 Employment by Industry**

Between March 2010 and March 2011, increases in employment were registered in industrial groups 'Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods' (+893), 'Construction' (+875), 'Hotels and restaurants' (+769), 'Real estate, renting and business activities' (+732), 'Health and social work' (+465) and 'Financial intermediation' (+344).

Industrial groups showing fall in employment are: 'Manufacturing' (-2,397), 'Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing' (-675), 'Transport, storage and communications' (-265) and 'Public administration and defence; compulsory social security' (-216).

### **4.3 Employment by sex**

As regards distribution by sex, male employment showed a decrease of 1,520. Decreases were noted in ‘Manufacturing’ (-1,545), ‘Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing’ (-392), ‘Public administration and defence; compulsory social security’ (-572) and ‘Transport, storage and communications’ (-520).

On the other hand, increases in employment are observed in the ‘Construction’ (+732), ‘Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods’ (+514) and ‘Real estate, renting and business activities’ (+379).

Female employment increased by 2,383. The main contributors to this increase were ‘Hotels and restaurants’ (+704), ‘Education’ (+493) and ‘Health and social work’ (+424). However, some decreases showed in ‘Manufacturing’ (-852) and ‘Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing’ (-283).

### **4.4 Employment in the General Government Sector**

Employment in the General Government Sector decreased by 444 from 73,947 in March 2010 to 73,503 in March 2011 (Table 2). Male employment decreased by 1,197 from 49,219 to 48,022 whilst female employment increased by 753 from 24,728 to 25,481.

### **4.5 Employment in the large establishments of the Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) sector**

The number of persons employed by ‘large’ EOE establishments decreased by 2,008 from 56,624 (39,048 Mauritians and 17,576 foreigners) in March 2010 to 54,616 (36,372 Mauritians and 18,244 foreigners) in March 2011 (Table 3). Decreases were mainly noted in ‘Wearing apparel (except footwear)’ (-2,470), ‘Textiles’ (-492) and ‘Chemical and plastic products’ (-55), while major increases were observed in ‘Food’ (+263) and ‘Paper product, printing and publishing’ (+95).

The number of male employees decreased by 1,272 to stand at 22,316 in March 2011. Female employment stood at 32,300, a decrease of 736 from the March 2010 figure (Table 3).

## **4.6 Employment of foreign workers**

The number of foreign workers in large establishments at March 2011 (Table 4) was estimated at 22,336 (12,784 males and 9,552 females) as compared to 21,161 (12,514 males and 8,647 females) in March 2010.

Increases were mainly noted in 'Manufacturing' (+848) and 'Real estate, renting and business activities' (+82).

## **4.7 Earnings**

The level of average earnings is influenced mainly by increases in basic salaries and wages. However, fluctuations may also occur because of:

- (a) Changes in the mix of employees of various categories or with various lengths of service. For example, a large intake of professionals by, say, an architectural firm can cause a sudden jump in the average monthly earnings. On the other hand, a large intake of employees at the lower end of a wage scale has the effect of lowering the average earnings.
- (b) Changes in overtime, regular bonuses and commissions.

### **4.7.1 Earnings in all large establishments**

For the purpose of the survey, employees are classified into the following different categories according to type of pay: monthly, daily, piece and hourly rate. Table 5 presents the average earnings by industrial group for the years 2009 to 2011, where all rates have been converted to a monthly basis.

'Financial intermediation' registered the highest average earnings (Rs 36,414) followed by 'Electricity, gas and water supply' (Rs 30,978) whilst the lowest average monthly earnings (Rs 7,409) were noted in 'Mining and quarrying'.

Overall average monthly earnings in large establishments increased by about 9.9% from Rs 18,247 in March 2010 to Rs 20,050 in March 2011. A general upward trend was observed in

all industrial groups. Highest increases were registered in 'Construction' (13.6%), 'Transport, storage and communication' (13.3%), 'Real estate, renting and business activities' (12.7%), 'Public administration and defence; compulsory social security' (11.1%) and 'Hotels and restaurants' (11.0%).

#### **4.7.2 Earnings in large establishments of the EOE sector**

Earnings in the EOE sector have also been converted to monthly rate (Table 6). The average monthly earnings in this sector stood at Rs 10,286 in March 2011, an increase of 10.6% over the March 2010 figure of Rs 9,297. At March 2011, the average monthly earnings in manufacturing establishments of the EOE sector were Rs 9,899 compared to Rs 18,934 in non-manufacturing establishments. The corresponding figures for 2010 were Rs 8,994 and Rs 18,215 respectively.

### **Statistics Mauritius**

#### **Ministry of Finance and Economic Development**

**Port Louis.**

**September 2011**

Contact persons:

- (1) Ms. Salima Banon Nunhuck (Statistician)
- (2) Ms. Koonjul Priyadarshanee Devi (Senior Statistical Officer)

Labour Unit

Statistics Mauritius

LIC Building, Port Louis

Tel : 212-2316/7

Fax : 2114150

Email : [cso\\_labour@mail.gov.mu](mailto:cso_labour@mail.gov.mu)

**Table 1 - Change in employment in large establishments by industrial group and sex, March 2010 - March 2011**

Industrial group	March 2010 <sup>1</sup>			March 2011 <sup>2</sup>			Change between March 2010 and March 2011		
	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes	Male	Female	Both Sexes
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	13,052	3,091	16,143	12,660	2,808	15,468	-392	-283	-675
<i>Sugarcane</i>	7,202	1,537	8,739	7,092	1,232	8,324	-110	-305	-415
<i>Other</i>	5,850	1,554	7,404	5,568	1,576	7,144	-282	22	-260
Mining and quarrying	79	56	135	77	62	139	-2	6	4
Manufacturing	41,213	38,606	79,819	39,668	37,754	77,422	-1,545	-852	-2,397
<i>Sugar</i>	1,426	15	1,441	1,210	16	1,226	-216	1	-215
<i>Food</i>	4,793	4,402	9,195	5,042	4,468	9,510	249	66	315
<i>Textiles</i>	19,059	27,429	46,488	17,208	26,270	43,478	-1,851	-1,159	-3,010
<i>Other</i>	15,935	6,760	22,695	16,208	7,000	23,208	273	240	513
Electricity, gas and water supply	3,140	234	3,374	3,084	239	3,323	-56	5	-51
Construction	13,645	638	14,283	14,377	781	15,158	732	143	875
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	14,233	8,124	22,357	14,747	8,503	23,250	514	379	893
<i>Wholesale &amp; retail trade</i>	12,483	7,711	20,194	12,773	8,037	20,810	290	326	616
<i>Other</i>	1,750	413	2,163	1,974	466	2,440	224	53	277
Hotels and restaurants	16,847	6,464	23,311	16,912	7,168	24,080	65	704	769
Transport, storage and communications	15,535	3,664	19,199	15,015	3,919	18,934	-520	255	-265
Financial intermediation	5,790	5,597	11,387	5,820	5,911	11,731	30	314	344
<i>Insurance</i>	1,193	1,210	2,403	1,201	1,332	2,533	8	122	130
<i>Other</i>	4,597	4,387	8,984	4,619	4,579	9,198	22	192	214
Real estate, renting and business activities	14,423	9,288	23,711	14,802	9,641	24,443	379	353	732
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	29,590	9,544	39,134	29,018	9,900	38,918	-572	356	-216
Education	11,351	14,135	25,486	11,176	14,628	25,804	-175	493	318
Health and social work	7,659	7,872	15,531	7,700	8,296	15,996	41	424	465
Other community, social and personal services	5,537	2,322	7,859	5,518	2,408	7,926	-19	86	67
<b>Total</b>	<b>192,094</b>	<b>109,635</b>	<b>301,729</b>	<b>190,574</b>	<b>112,018</b>	<b>302,592</b>	<b>-1,520</b>	<b>2,383</b>	<b>863</b>
<i>Export oriented enterprises</i>	23,588	33,036	56,624	22,316	32,300	54,616	-1,272	-736	-2,008

<sup>1</sup> Revised

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 2 - Employment in the General Government sector by industrial group and sex, March 2009 - March 2011**

**Both sexes**

Industrial group	March 2009						March 2010						March 2011 <sup>2</sup>					
	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.
	Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.				Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.				Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.			
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	3,059	930	3,989	-	-	<b>3,989</b>	2,823	935	3,758	-	-	<b>3,758</b>	2,622	922	3,544	-	-	<b>3,544</b>
Manufacturing	278	-	278	-	-	<b>278</b>	282	-	282	-	-	<b>282</b>	275	-	275	-	-	<b>275</b>
Construction	1,488	334	1,822	-	-	<b>1,822</b>	1,439	392	1,831	-	-	<b>1,831</b>	1,344	388	1,732	-	-	<b>1,732</b>
Transport, storage & communication	318	-	318	-	-	<b>318</b>	327	-	327	-	-	<b>327</b>	319	-	319	-	-	<b>319</b>
Real estate, renting and business activities	193	87	280	-	-	<b>280</b>	195	92	287	-	-	<b>287</b>	224	97	321	-	-	<b>321</b>
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	26,756	3,231	29,987	2,719	6,859	<b>39,565</b>	26,355	3,381	29,736	2,630	6,740	<b>39,106</b>	26,134	3,365	29,499	2,804	6,585	<b>38,888</b>
Education	11,071	4,052	15,123	-	-	<b>15,123</b>	11,100	4,250	15,350	-	-	<b>15,350</b>	11,108	4,278	15,386	-	-	<b>15,386</b>
Health and social work	10,073	1,144	11,217	-	-	<b>11,217</b>	11,554	1,170	12,724	-	-	<b>12,724</b>	11,622	1,129	12,751	-	-	<b>12,751</b>
Other community, social and personal services	176	104	280	-	-	<b>280</b>	159	123	282	-	-	<b>282</b>	141	146	287	-	-	<b>287</b>
Total	53,412	9,882	63,294	2,719	6,859	<b>72,872</b>	54,234	10,343	64,577	2,630	6,740	<b>73,947</b>	53,789	10,325	64,114	2,804	6,585	<b>73,503</b>

<sup>1</sup> Extra Budgetary Units

<sup>2</sup> Provisional



**Table 2a - Employment in the General Government sector by industrial group and sex, March 2009 - March 2011**

**Male**

Industrial group	March 2009						March 2010						March 2011 <sup>2</sup>					
	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.
	Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.				Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.				Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.			
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	2,797	774	3,571	-	-	<b>3,571</b>	2,598	774	3,372	-	-	<b>3,372</b>	2,387	752	3,139	-	-	<b>3,139</b>
Manufacturing	244	-	244	-	-	<b>244</b>	249	-	249	-	-	<b>249</b>	245	-	245	-	-	<b>245</b>
Construction	1,321	311	1,632	-	-	<b>1,632</b>	1,252	357	1,609	-	-	<b>1,609</b>	1,139	354	1,493	-	-	<b>1,493</b>
Transport, storage & communication	252	-	252	-	-	<b>252</b>	258	-	258	-	-	<b>258</b>	247	-	247	-	-	<b>247</b>
Real estate, renting and business activities	51	50	101	-	-	<b>101</b>	53	51	104	-	-	<b>104</b>	74	55	129	-	-	<b>129</b>
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	20,243	1,892	22,135	2,102	5,757	<b>29,994</b>	19,972	1,954	21,926	2,013	5,635	<b>29,574</b>	19,499	1,915	21,414	2,097	5,491	<b>29,002</b>
Education	5,149	1,851	7,000	-	-	<b>7,000</b>	5,145	1,920	7,065	-	-	<b>7,065</b>	4,938	1,909	6,847	-	-	<b>6,847</b>
Health and social work	5,280	749	6,029	-	-	<b>6,029</b>	6,039	758	6,797	-	-	<b>6,797</b>	6,018	710	6,728	-	-	<b>6,728</b>
Other community, social and personal services	143	59	202	-	-	<b>202</b>	127	64	191	-	-	<b>191</b>	108	84	192	-	-	<b>192</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,480</b>	<b>5,686</b>	<b>41,166</b>	<b>2,102</b>	<b>5,757</b>	<b>49,025</b>	<b>35,693</b>	<b>5,878</b>	<b>41,571</b>	<b>2,013</b>	<b>5,635</b>	<b>49,219</b>	<b>34,655</b>	<b>5,779</b>	<b>40,434</b>	<b>2,097</b>	<b>5,491</b>	<b>48,022</b>

<sup>1</sup> Extra Budgetary Units

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 2b - Employment in the General Government sector by industrial group and sex, March 2009- March 2011**

**Female**

Industrial group	March 2009						March 2010						March 2011 <sup>2</sup>					
	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.	Central Government			Regional Govt.	Local Govt	Total General Govt.
	Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.				Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.				Ministries Depts.	EBUs <sup>1</sup>	Total Central Govt.			
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	262	156	418	-	-	<b>418</b>	225	161	386	-	-	<b>386</b>	235	170	405	-	-	<b>405</b>
Manufacturing	34	-	34	-	-	<b>34</b>	33	-	33	-	-	<b>33</b>	30	-	30	-	-	<b>30</b>
Construction	167	23	190	-	-	<b>190</b>	187	35	222	-	-	<b>222</b>	205	34	239	-	-	<b>239</b>
Transport, storage & communication	66	-	66	-	-	<b>66</b>	69	-	69	-	-	<b>69</b>	72	-	72	-	-	<b>72</b>
Real estate, renting and business activities	142	37	179	-	-	<b>179</b>	142	41	183	-	-	<b>183</b>	150	42	192	-	-	<b>192</b>
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	6,513	1,339	7,852	617	1,102	<b>9,571</b>	6,383	1,427	7,810	617	1,105	<b>9,532</b>	6,635	1,450	8,085	707	1,094	<b>9,886</b>
Education	5,922	2,201	8,123	-	-	<b>8,123</b>	5,955	2,330	8,285	-	-	<b>8,285</b>	6,170	2,369	8,539	-	-	<b>8,539</b>
Health and social work	4,793	395	5,188	-	-	<b>5,188</b>	5,515	412	5,927	-	-	<b>5,927</b>	5,604	419	6,023	-	-	<b>6,023</b>
Other community, social and personal services	33	45	78	-	-	<b>78</b>	32	59	91	-	-	<b>91</b>	33	62	95	-	-	<b>95</b>
Total	17,932	4,196	22,128	617	1,102	<b>23,847</b>	18,541	4,465	23,006	617	1,105	<b>24,728</b>	19,134	4,546	23,680	707	1,094	<b>25,481</b>

<sup>1</sup> Extra Budgetary Units

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 3 - Change in employment in large establishments of Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) sector by industrial group and sex, March 2010 - March 2011**

Industrial Group	March 2010			March 2011 <sup>1</sup>			Change between March 2010 and March 2011		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>22,774</b>	<b>32,595</b>	<b>55,369</b>	<b>21,181</b>	<b>31,865</b>	<b>53,046</b>	<b>-1,593</b>	<b>-730</b>	<b>-2,323</b>
Food	1,400	2,974	4,374	1,519	3,118	4,637	119	144	263
Textiles	3,336	1,388	4,724	3,163	1,069	4,232	-173	-319	-492
Wearing apparel (except footwear)	15,034	24,454	39,488	13,351	23,667	37,018	-1,683	-787	-2,470
Footwear and leather products	117	367	484	142	428	570	25	61	86
Wood and furniture	309	126	435	221	240	461	-88	114	26
Medical, optical and photographic equipment	248	473	721	377	434	811	129	-39	90
Watches and clocks	265	354	619	279	423	702	14	69	83
Jewellery & related articles	484	814	1,298	483	773	1,256	-1	-41	-42
Paper products and printing and publishing	531	260	791	597	289	886	66	29	95
Chemical and plastic products	371	234	605	345	205	550	-26	-29	-55
Other	679	1,151	1,830	704	1,219	1,923	25	68	93
<b>Non-manufacturing</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>441</b>	<b>1,255</b>	<b>1,135</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>1,570</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>315</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,588</b>	<b>33,036</b>	<b>56,624</b>	<b>22,316</b>	<b>32,300</b>	<b>54,616</b>	<b>-1,272</b>	<b>-736</b>	<b>-2,008</b>
<i>of which foreign workers</i>	<i>9,355</i>	<i>8,221</i>	<i>17,576</i>	<i>9,231</i>	<i>9,013</i>	<i>18,244</i>	<i>-124</i>	<i>792</i>	<i>668</i>

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 4 - Foreign workers employed in large establishments by industrial group and sex, March 2009 - March 2011**

Industry	2009			2010			2011 <sup>1</sup>		
	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	4	1	5	12	4	16	20	3	23
Mining & quarrying	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manufacturing	10,524	7,238	17,762	10,012	8,294	18,306	10,051	9,103	19,154
<i>of which Sugar</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Food</i>	336	869	1,205	309	940	1,249	456	1,071	1,527
<i>Textiles</i>	9,564	6,357	15,921	9,046	7,317	16,363	8,758	7,996	16,754
<i>Other</i>	624	12	636	657	37	694	837	36	873
Electricity, gas and water supply	2	-	2	3	-	3	3	1	4
Construction	947	7	954	1,521	7	1,528	1,551	11	1,562
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of m/vehicles, motorcycles, personal & household goods	109	21	130	82	14	96	117	32	149
Hotels & restaurants	140	62	202	198	80	278	235	99	334
Transport, storage & communication	194	23	217	164	29	193	151	30	181
Financial intermediation	68	9	77	84	10	94	82	12	94
Real estate, renting and business activities	187	54	241	186	66	252	270	64	334
Public administration & defence; compulsory social security	22	6	28	6	4	10	20	3	23
Education	61	60	121	66	74	140	71	80	151
Health and social work	56	19	75	108	56	164	136	100	236
Other community, social & personal services	72	16	88	72	9	81	77	14	91
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,386</b>	<b>7,516</b>	<b>19,902</b>	<b>12,514</b>	<b>8,647</b>	<b>21,161</b>	<b>12,784</b>	<b>9,552</b>	<b>22,336</b>
<i>Of which Export Oriented Enterprises</i>	<i>9,714</i>	<i>7,213</i>	<i>16,927</i>	<i>9,355</i>	<i>8,221</i>	<i>17,576</i>	<i>9,231</i>	<i>9,013</i>	<i>18,244</i>

<sup>1</sup> Provisional

**Table 5 - Average monthly earnings<sup>1</sup> in large establishments by industrial group, March 2009 - March 2011**

Industrial group	Rupees		
	March 2009	March 2010	March 2011 <sup>2</sup>
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fishing	12,757	13,841	14,736
<i>Sugarcane</i>	11,108	12,445	13,852
Mining and quarrying	6,870	6,946	7,409
Manufacturing	10,008	10,810	11,919
<i>Sugar</i>	15,703	16,023	17,703
<i>Food</i>	10,024	11,151	12,361
<i>Textiles</i>	8,275	8,647	9,479
<i>Other</i>	11,971	13,001	14,286
Electricity, gas and water supply	26,385	29,527	30,978
Construction	16,521	18,276	20,757
Wholesale & retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles, personal and household goods	16,528	17,558	19,071
<i>Wholesale &amp; retail trade</i>	16,450	17,434	18,876
Hotels and restaurants	13,317	14,297	15,875
Transport, storage and communication	20,281	21,527	24,391
Financial intermediation	29,044	33,078	36,414
<i>Insurance</i>	25,863	28,316	31,184
Real estate, renting and business activities	16,764	18,768	21,154
Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	22,039	22,078	24,533
Education	22,374	23,204	24,753
Health and social work	23,413	23,892	23,980
Other community, social and personal services	14,242	15,736	16,604
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,883</b>	<b>18,247</b>	<b>20,050</b>
<i>Of which Export oriented enterprises</i>	8,814	9,297	10,286

<sup>1</sup> Earnings of daily, hourly and piece rate workers have been converted to a monthly basis

<sup>2</sup> Provisional

**Table 6 - Average monthly earnings<sup>1</sup> in large establishments of Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) sector, March 2009 - March 2011**

Industrial group	Rupees		
	March 2009	March 2010	March 2011 <sup>2</sup>
<b><u>Manufacturing</u></b>	<b><u>8,518</u></b>	<b><u>8,994</u></b>	<b><u>9,899</u></b>
Food	7,610	8,516	9,509
Textiles	11,393	12,022	13,452
Wearing apparel (except footwear)	8,142	8,458	9,350
Footwear and leather products	9,706	10,972	11,218
Wood and furniture	8,224	9,291	10,454
Medical, optical and photographic equipment	9,842	10,953	11,239
Watches and clocks	8,853	10,062	10,350
Jewellery & related articles	8,443	9,262	9,560
Paper products and printing and publishing	11,120	11,396	12,800
Chemical and plastic products	10,764	12,149	13,281
Other	8,576	9,754	10,333
<b><u>Non-manufacturing</u></b>	<b><u>17,920</u></b>	<b><u>18,215</u></b>	<b><u>18,934</u></b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,814</b>	<b>9,297</b>	<b>10,286</b>

<sup>1</sup> Earnings of daily, hourly and piece rate workers have been converted to a monthly basis

<sup>2</sup> Provisional