

Table 2: Declining Industries Report for First Quarter 2012 in NAICS

<i>NAICS Sector (1)</i>	<i>Sector</i>	<i>Subsector</i>	<i>AWW (2)</i>	<i>Emp. 2012Q1</i>	<i>Emp. 2011Q1</i>	<i>Emp. Chg</i>	<i>Pct. Chg</i>	<i>Emp. 2011Q4</i>	<i>Emp. 2010Q4</i>	<i>Emp. Chg</i>	<i>Pct. Chg</i>	<i>Avg. Chg (3)</i>
326	Manufacturing	Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	\$850.96	271	365	-94	-25.7%	355	377	-23	-6.0%	-15.7%
518	Information	ISPs, search portals, and data processing	\$983.45	153	167	-14	-8.6%	160	175	-15	-8.4%	-8.5%
337	Manufacturing	Furniture and related product manufacturing	\$569.31	170	179	-9	-5.0%	170	190	-20	-10.5%	-7.9%
Total			\$804.64	594	711	-117	-16.5%	685	742	-57	-7.7%	-12.0%

1. Includes both public and privately owned firms.

2. The Average Weekly Wage (AWW) is calculated by dividing the total wage for the industry group by the total number of jobs for the industry group and the number of weeks in the observed quarter. The reader should also be aware that AWW's at the industry Group Level are susceptible to wage bias due to sample size, occupational distributions, seasonal pay and bonuses, and keying error. The AWW for all declining industries in 2012Q1 was \$804.64.

3. The percentage for Average Change is the employment-weighted average percentage change of the current and prior quarters. $(\text{employment change current quarter} + \text{employment change prior quarter}) / (\text{employment current quarter} + \text{employment prior quarter})$