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Employee Earnings, Benefits and Trade Union Membership: Customised Report Table 1: Count of employees and average weekly earnings for selected groups of employees Reference period: August 2008

| Persons | Employees '000 | Mean weekly earnings \$ |
|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| employees earning less than \$450 a month | 369.2 | 68 |
| employees aged 15 to 18 years (inc) | 493.3 | 224 |
| employees aged 75 years and over | 6.7* | 577* |
| emplyoees aged 70 years and over | 27.6 | 837 |

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| Males | Employees | Mean weekly earnings |
|---|-----------|----------------------|
| | '000 | \$ |
| employees earning less than \$450 a month | 140.3 | 65 |
| employees aged 15 to 18 years (inc) | 246.1 | 267 |
| emplyoees aged 70 years and over | 22.1 | 924 |

| Females | Employees '000 | Mean weekly earnings \$ |
|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| employees earning less than \$450 a month | 228.9 | 70 |
| employees aged 15 to 18 years (inc) | 247.2 | 181 |
| emplyoees aged 70 years and over | 5.5 | 488 |

Notes:

employees aged 75 and over is available only at the person level employees excluding owner managers of incorporated enterprises

earnings less than \$450 per month are those employees

earnings \$105 or less per week

** estimate has a relative standard error of 25% to 50% and should be used with caution

Source:

Employee Earnings, Benefits and Trade Union Membership, Australia, 2008 (cat. No. 6310.0)

