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After 01/01/2003, permanent total disability (PTD) and life pension (LP) payments will be increased on 01/01/2004 and every January 1 thereafter. The increase will be based on the changes in the California state average weekly wage (SAWW): the AWW paid by employers to employees covered by UI as reported by the US Department of Labor for California for the 12 months ending March 31 of the calendar year proceeding the year in which the injury occurred.

State Average Weekly Wage% Percentages Table 2004 - to - 2022		
Year	SAWW	% Increase
1/1/2004	\$790.50	0.0000% (None)
1/1/2005	\$806.11	1.974700%
1/1/2006	\$838.42	4.008138%
1/1/2007	\$880.00	4.959328%
1/1/2008	\$914.60	3.931818%
1/1/2009	\$956.20	4.548436%
1/1/2010	\$984.83	2.994144%
1/1/2011	\$979.90	0.000000% (None)
1/1/2012	\$1003.55	2.413512%
1/1/2013	\$1059.38	5.563250%
1/1/2014	\$1067.25	0.742887%
1/1/2015	\$1095.70	2.665730%
1/1/2016	\$1120.67	2.278908%
1/1/2017	\$1,164.51	3.911946%
1/1/2018	\$1,206.92	3.64187%
1/1/2019	\$1,242.78	2.97119%
1/1/2020	\$1,325.00	3.84013%
1/1/2021	\$1,383.00	4.377%
1/1/2022	\$1,570.00	13.5213%

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2008 to 2022 Permanent Disability Indemnity Table at Maximum Rates.

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