

Title	Methodology in the "Job Quality" Debate
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Abstract	<p>This paper critically examines the use of the earnings distribution of net employment gains in the analysis of "new jobs." The paper explains why this measure of economic performance is not robust and why it can be misleading. Alternative analyses, based on industry and/or occupation, are more robust and may be more informative. Illustrative results show that new job growth has been concentrated in industries with generally lower wages than the industries where jobs have been lost.</p>