

39.—Average Standard or Normal Hours of Labour per week for Male Workers in selected Industries, by Provinces, 1947, 1948 and 1949

Industry	Atlantic Provinces ¹	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
	hrs.	hrs.	hrs.	hrs.	hrs.	hrs.	hrs.
Work clothing.....	1947 43·6	45·7	42·5	40·9	—	40·3	40·7
	1948 41·5	45·9	41·4	40·2	2	40·0	40·1
	1949 43·5	45·2	41·4	41·2	2	40·0	41·7
Newsprint.....	1947 48·0	48·0	48·0	—	—	—	44·0
	1948 48·0	48·0	48·0	—	—	—	44·0
	1949 48·0	48·0	48·0	—	—	—	44·0
Wood products.....	1947 ..	54·3	47·0	46·3	49·6	47·9	40·6
	1948 53·1	53·7	46·4	46·1	46·3	47·5	40·7
	1949 51·6	53·4	46·5	46·5	45·7	46·5	40·6
Meat products.....	1947 44·0	48·0	45·4	44·8	44·2	44·6	43·9
	1948 44·2	45·6	45·1	44·1	44·2	44·0	44·1
	1949 44·0	45·8	44·4	44·4	44·0	44·4	44·0
Iron and its products....	1947 ..	47·0	44·7	45·5	44·0	42·5	40·2
	1948 47·1	46·8	44·5	45·1	44·1	42·8	40·1
	1949 44·8	44·9	43·3	45·3	44·1	41·8	40·1
Woollen yarn and cloth....	1947 ..	49·7	47·0	43·6	—	—	43·2
	1948 49·3	48·5	46·8			45·3	
	1949 47·5	47·9	45·7			45·0	

¹ Exclusive of Newfoundland.² Insufficient data.

40.—Average Hourly Wage Rates for selected Occupations in certain Cities, 1949

Industry and Occupation	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Construction—					
Bricklayers and masons.....	1·44	1·60-1·75	1·80	1·60	1·80
Carpenters.....	1·23	1·25	1·60	1·40	1·60
Electricians.....	1·33	1·35	1·75	1·40	1·70
Painters.....	1·07	1·25	1·35	1·20	1·40
Plasterers.....	1·35	1·50	1·90	1·60	1·75
Plumbers.....	1·30	1·55	1·75	1·55	1·70
Sheet-metal workers.....	1·13	1·25	1·65	1·10	1·65
Labourers.....	0·81	0·80	0·95	0·75	1·00
Manufacturing—					
Unskilled factory labour, male.....	0·86	0·81	0·91	0·83	1·07
Transportation—					
Electric Street Railway—					
One-man car and bus operators ¹	1·07	1·00	1·19	1·05	1·21
Linemen.....	1·18	0·96	1·33	1·32	1·68
Shop and barnmen.....	1·06	0·87	1·22	1·08	1·16
Electricians.....	1·26	1·09	1·34	1·16	1·32
Trackmen and labourers.....	0·87	0·77	1·07	0·84	1·07
Printing and Publishing—					
Compositors—					
News.....	1·38	1·71	1·77	1·37	1·67
Job.....	1·05	1·50	1·52	1·35	1·56
Pressmen—					
News.....	1·30	1·59	1·77	1·37	1·67
Job.....	1·05	1·47	1·50	1·30	1·52
Bookbinders.....	1·06	1·46	1·45	1·21	1·57
Bindery girls.....	0·46	0·71	0·74	0·63	0·89

¹ Maximum rates based on length of service. Two-man car operators receive 7 cents less at Montreal, 6 cents less at Vancouver and 5 cents less at Toronto and Winnipeg.