

16.—Hourly Wage Rates for Selected Occupations in Manufacturing by Province, October 1956

(Time Work)

Industry and Occupation	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Industrial Machinery—								
Machinist.....			1.52	1.78	1.68	..	..	2.03
Bench.....			1.34	1.67	..	..	..	..
Moulder—								
Floor.....			1.68	1.77	..	..	..	..
Machine.....			1.15	1.59	..	..	..	..
Newsprint—								
Machine tender.....	3.38 ¹		3.30	3.25	..	..	..	3.32
Roll-finisher.....	1.75 ¹	..	1.73	1.72	..	..	..	1.76
Sawmills—								
Edgerman.....	0.99	1.05	1.12	1.31	..	..	1.32	1.84
Lumber grader.....		1.06	1.02	1.32	..	..	1.14	1.77
Slaughtering and Meat Packing—								
Butcher.....	..	..	1.70	1.52	1.78	1.63	1.78	1.84
Truck driver.....	1.39 ²	..	1.66	1.63	1.73	1.67	1.69	1.79
Woolen and Worsted Woven Goods and Yarn—								
Woolen spinner, male.....	..	..	0.96	1.06	..	..	..	..
Weaver, female.....	..	..	..	1.07	..	..	..	..

¹ Atlantic Provinces.² Maritime Provinces.

17.—Hourly Wage Rates for Selected Occupations in Certain Cities, Oct. 1, 1956

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Industry and Occupation	Halifax	Montreal	Toronto	Winnipeg	Vancouver
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Construction (buildings and structures only)					
Bricklayer and mason.....	2.02	2.10	2.61	2.25	2.50
Carpenter.....	1.77	1.90	2.40	2.05	2.25
Electrician.....	1.87	2.00	2.65	2.20	2.42
Painter.....	1.53	1.80	2.05	1.80	2.19
Plasterer.....	1.91	2.12	2.45	2.25	2.35
Plumber.....	1.86	2.12	2.44	2.25	2.55
Sheet metal worker.....	1.63	1.90	2.40	2.00	2.35
Labourer.....	1.26	1.30	1.45	1.20	1.66
Manufacturing—					
Labourer, male.....	1.18	1.31	1.45	1.30	1.61
Urban and Suburban Transportation Systems—					
Operator, bus, streetcar, and trolley bus ¹	1.49	1.55 ²	1.71	1.63	1.82
Body repairman streetcar and bus.....	—	1.67	1.86	1.73	1.97
Repairman streetcar and trolley bus.....	1.57	1.62	1.80	1.68	1.91
Electrician.....	1.68	1.66	1.83	1.73	1.96
Labourer.....	1.38	1.29	1.50	1.30	1.62
Printing, Publishing and Allied Trades—					
Daily Newspapers—					
Compositor, hand and linotype operator.....	2.40	2.81	3.01	1.99	2.63
Pressman.....	2.27	2.70	3.01	1.94	2.63
Other than Daily Newspapers—					
Bindery worker, hand, female.....	0.67	1.03	1.12	0.96	1.36
Compositor, hand.....	1.52	2.18	2.33	1.91	2.31
Linotype operator.....	—	2.25	2.32	1.93	2.30
Pressman, cylinder.....	1.32	2.08	2.22	1.89	2.30
Pressman, platen.....	1.27	1.91	2.12	1.85	2.15
Pressman offset.....	—	2.46	2.52	2.00	2.44

¹ Maximum rates based on length of service.² Operators of two-man streetcars excluded.