

### 14.—Index Numbers of Average Wage Rates for Certain Main Industrial Groups, 1954-63 (1949=100)

NOTE.—Indexes back to 1901 may be obtained from the Department of Labour publication *Wage Rates, Salaries and Hours of Labour 1962*.

Year	Log- ging	Coal Mining	Metal Mining	Manufacturing			Con- struc- tion	Rail- ways	Tele- phone	Per- sonal Service	General Average
				Dur- able Goods	Non- durable Goods	All Manu- factur- ing					
1954.....	138.0	123.5	136.7	140.0	136.9	138.5	140.0	137.8	147.6	128.6	137.9
1955.....	138.2	122.8	140.3	143.7	140.7	142.2	145.4	137.8	152.8	132.3	141.7
1956.....	160.8	123.6	150.8	151.2	148.3	149.8	150.7	146.8	157.6	136.1	148.7
1957.....	168.4	137.4	156.2	160.7	156.3	158.6	160.7	153.3	165.9	138.9	156.5
1958.....	172.0	147.6	160.8	166.1	162.2	164.2	171.0	153.3	175.4	143.5	162.5
1959.....	176.2	147.3	164.3	170.8	167.0	168.9	180.7	165.7	175.3	146.1	168.8
1960.....	184.3	148.2	169.4	176.6	173.2	175.0	192.6	166.4	178.0	156.8	175.5
1961.....	190.8	154.5	173.9	180.3	178.7	179.5	196.3	176.5	188.0	158.8	180.0
1962.....	199.4	161.1	177.2	184.7	184.3	184.5	206.2	180.5	195.3	162.2	185.9
1963.....	208.2	155.6	192.3	190.6	190.4	190.5	214.1	185.9	200.2	171.1	192.5

### 15.—Average Wage and Salary Rates for Selected Occupations in Certain Cities Across Canada, Oct. 1, 1963

Industry and Occupation	Halifax, N.S.	Saint John, N.B.	Sher- brooke, Que.	Montreal, Que.	Toronto, Ont.	Hamilton, Ont.
	\$ per hr.	\$ per hr.	\$ per hr.	\$ per hr.	\$ per hr.	\$ per hr.
<b>Construction (building and structures only)—</b>						
Bricklayer and mason.....	2.49	2.35	2.45	2.80	3.35	3.20
Carpenter.....	2.22	2.09	2.25	2.60	3.25	2.98
Electrician.....	2.43	2.20	2.20	2.70	3.78	3.60
Painter.....	1.96	1.85	2.15	2.50	2.90	2.60
Plasterer.....	2.50	2.20	2.45	2.80	3.25	3.05
Plumber.....	2.46	2.15	2.30	2.87	3.59	3.30
Sheet metal worker.....	2.20	1.70	2.30	2.60	3.64	3.25
Labourer.....	1.65	1.15	1.85	2.00	2.25	2.10
Truck driver.....	1.65	1.20	1.85	2.00	2.25	2.10
<b>Manufacturing and Other Industries—</b>						
General labourer, male.....	1.54	1.55	1.51	1.64	1.78	1.89
<b>Maintenance Trades—</b>						
Carpenter.....	2.09	1.95	1.76	2.19	2.33	2.51
Electrician.....	2.18	2.11	1.87	2.36	2.53	2.75
Machinist.....	2.19	2.04	1.86	2.35	2.47	2.79
Mechanic.....	1.99	2.02	1.95	2.27	2.40	2.64
Millwright.....	—	2.12	1.81	2.35	2.41	2.44
Pipefitter.....	2.43	2.08	1.75	2.40	2.44	2.62
Tool and die maker.....	2.26	2.06	—	2.47	2.59	2.58
Welder.....	2.19	2.03	1.80	2.27	2.31	2.63
<b>Service Occupations—</b>						
Truck driver, light and heavy.....	1.58	1.48	1.62	1.81	1.95	1.94
Trucker, power.....	1.55	1.76	1.36	1.96	2.04	2.14
<b>Office Occupations, Male—</b>						
Bookkeeper, senior.....	90.69	87.73	92.85	103.54	105.79	105.11
Clerk, intermediate.....	62.38	69.08	70.79	73.42	74.90	83.98
Clerk, senior.....	89.54	93.85	100.28	99.41	98.60	107.36
Order clerk.....	71.06	72.77	67.69	83.08	85.86	93.49
Draughtsman, intermediate.....	81.35	96.16	79.24	100.39	94.33	98.09
Draughtsman, senior.....	101.81	122.18	120.93	121.60	114.36	117.69
<b>Office Occupations, Female—</b>						
Clerk, intermediate.....	48.27	51.85	49.08	60.35	63.76	60.01
<b>Machine Operator—</b>						
Bookkeeping.....	47.97	45.79	43.75	55.03	58.38	54.53
Calculating.....	51.50	42.96	40.80	61.16	61.73	60.63

For footnote, see end of table.