

7.29 Average wage and salary rates for selected occupations for certain metropolitan areas and cities, and for Canada, Oct. 1, 1977 and 1978^a

Occupation	Halifax-Dartmouth, NS		Saint John, NB		Montreal, Que.		Ottawa-Hull, Ont., Que.		Toronto, Ont.	
	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978	1977	1978
	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>	<i>\$ an hr</i>
MAINTENANCE TRADES										
Carpenter	6.62	7.02	6.54	6.93	6.67	7.22	6.80	7.52	7.03	7.40
Electrical repairman	7.33	7.72	7.67	8.62	7.33	7.90	8.00	8.56	7.88	8.19
Machinist	7.17	7.96	7.37	7.70	7.25	7.73	7.33	8.34	7.37	7.78
Millwright	6.99	7.35	8.78	9.22	7.23	7.97	8.14	8.66	7.55	8.38
Pipefitter	7.88	8.58	8.60	8.71	7.55	8.00	8.21	8.76	7.74	8.24
Tool and die maker	—	—	—	—	7.20	7.49	7.11	—	7.73	8.44
Welder	7.02	7.67	8.29	8.85	7.09	7.74	7.55	8.50	7.12	7.32
SERVICE OCCUPATIONS										
Truck driver, light and heavy	5.35	5.98	5.63	6.04	6.10	6.71	6.27	6.72	6.32	6.75
Industrial truck operator	7.04	—	6.31	6.63	6.16	6.72	6.52	7.20	6.22	6.69
Labourer, non-production	4.97	5.63	5.37	5.83	5.39	5.86	5.40	5.87	5.75	5.83
	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>	<i>\$ a wk</i>
OFFICE OCCUPATIONS, Male employees										
Bookkeeper, senior	264	274	266	285	274	314	267	290	274	291
Clerk, general office, intermediate	174	208	215	235	209	225	194	208	204	220
Clerk, general office, senior	241	256	266	300	260	274	235	250	257	271
Clerk, order	212	227	210	229	229	249	234	242	234	248
Draughtsman, intermediate	244	280	260	—	250	280	272	283	268	290
Draughtsman, senior	303	329	316	335	323	347	311	336	339	359
OFFICE OCCUPATIONS, Female employees										
Bookkeeping, billing and calculating machine operator, senior	166	186	168	180	182	197	202	214	186	202
Clerk, general office, intermediate	162	187	175	189	186	200	192	205	188	198
Secretary, senior	197	223	209	232	219	243	220	245	222	238
Stenographer, junior	153	161	158	174	170	186	165	182	179	194
Stenographer, senior	173	181	177	200	196	212	189	207	197	211
Telephone operator	148	160	161	173	169	185	166	185	168	180
Typist, junior	135	149	148	168	150	166	159	174	156	166
Typist, senior	155	168	164	175	172	187	163	174	175	185