Table 3-3

Union wage rates for major construction trades — Sheet metal worker, heavy equipment operator, bricklayer, painter

December 2011	Sheet metal worker		Heavy equipment operator		Bricklayer		Painter	
	Basic rate	Including supplements	Basic rate	Including supplements	Basic rate	Including supplements	Basic rate	Including supplements
Selected metropolitan areas	dollars per hour							
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	26.36	39.18	23.01	36.00	30.87	42.51	23.56	32.82
Halifax, Nova Scotia	31.97	43.87	27.15	38.23	29.94	40.91	25.89	35.28
Saint John, New Brunswick	29.75	37.24	27.44	38.12	26.69	37.24	25.17	34.72
Québec, Quebec	34.01	45.59	30.52	41.21	33.30	44.54	31.67	42.67
Saguenay, Quebec	34.01	45.59	30.52	41.21	33.30	44.54	31.67	42.67
Montréal, Quebec	34.01	45.59	30.52	41.21	33.30	44.54	31.67	42.67
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec	33.45	49.67	33.18	47.05	35.51	48.16	28.57	39.78
Toronto, Ontario	33.95	49.98	34.85	49.03	37.85	49.86	33.38	45.07
Hamilton, Ontario	34.01	49.67	33.94	48.47	34.87	48.86	31.82	43.35
St. Catharines-Niagara, Ontario	34.01	49.67	33.94	48.47	33.46	48.86	31.82	43.35
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo, Ontario	35.80	48.70	33.94	48.47	35.46	48.16	27.95	39.10
London, Ontario	35.36	48.48	33.00	46.96	39.55	48.16	30.57	41.98
Windsor, Ontario	33.77	49.72	33.11	47.04	34.46	48.16	29.07	40.33
Greater Sudbury, Ontario	36.05	49.10	33.19	47.12	35.67	47.74	28.35	39.54
Thunder Bay, Ontario	36.05	49.10	32.90	46.83	33.79	47.74	28.29	38.93
Winnipeg, Manitoba	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Regina, Saskatchewan	36.45	49.43	34.03	48.44	37.84	47.76	31.63	39.38
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	36.45	49.43	34.03	48.44	37.84	47.76	31.63	39.38
Calgary, Alberta	34.57	43.92	39.49	50.34	34.62	42.69	38.87	49.16
Edmonton, Alberta	34.57	43.92	39.49	50.34	34.62	42.69	38.87	49.16
Vancouver, British Columbia	32.23	42.75	34.56	46.79	35.08	45.46	32.74	41.99
Victoria, British Columbia	32.23	42.75	34.56	46.79	35.08	45.46	32.74	41.99

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