

MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES : ADULT MALES, AUSTRALIA

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL WAGE RATE - INDUSTRY GROUPS(a)

Weighted averages of minimum weekly rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime), as prescribed in awards, determinations and agreements.

Industry Group	31st March, 1953				30th June, 1953			
	Basic Wage	Margin	Load-ing	Total Wage	Basic Wage	Margin	Load-ing	Total Wage
Mining and Quarrying (b)	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Manufacturing -	234 6	43 6	58 6	336 6	237 3	44 1	51 5	332 9
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc.	231 10	37 11	2 4	272 1	234 9	39 1	1 9	275 7
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	231 6	35 6	2 7	269 7	234 1	35 7	2 7	272 3
Food, Drink and Tobacco	230 0	40 8	2 3	272 11	232 10	40 10	2 3	275 11
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	230 6	34 6	1 3	266 3	233 6	34 6	1 3	269 3
Paper, Printing, etc.	231 2	59 3	0 2	290 7	234 2	59 8	0 2	294 0
Other Manufacturing	232 2	33 11	3 9	269 10	235 2	34 1	3 9	273 0
All Manufacturing Groups	(c)	(c)	(c)	272 2	(c)	(c)	(c)	275 6
Building and Construction	230 7	35 4	3 7	269 6	233 8	36 1	3 5	273 2
Railway Services	229 1	33 4	2 2	264 7	231 4	33 4	2 2	266 10
Road and Air Transport	231 2	36 9	1 6	269 5	234 1	37 2	1 5	272 8
Shipping and Stevedoring	(c)	(c)	(c)	266 11	(c)	(c)	(c)	270 1
Communication	230 0	56 10	0 1	286 11	235 0	56 10	..	291 10
Wholesale and Retail Trade	231 1	40 9	1 5	273 3	234 1	40 11	1 5	276 5
Public Authority (n.e.i.) and Community and Business Services	230 6	36 5	0 10	267 9	234 0	36 10	0 10	271 8
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	(c)	(c)	(c)	264 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	267 0
All Industry Groups (a)	231 2	38 6	4 1	273 9	234 2	38 11	3 8	276 9

Industry Group	30th September, 1953				31st December, 1953			
	Basic Wage	Margin	Load-ing	Total Wage	Basic Wage	Margin	Load-ing	Total Wage
Mining and Quarrying (b)	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Manufacturing -	239 4	44 1	56 10	340 3	240 1	44 1	57 1	341 3
Engineering, Metals, Vehicles, etc.	237 3	39 1	1 9	278 1	237 7	39 1	1 9	278 5
Textiles, Clothing and Footwear	236 8	35 7	2 7	274 10	236 10	35 7	2 7	275 0
Food, Drink and Tobacco	235 1	41 3	2 3	278 7	236 0	41 11	2 3	280 2
Sawmilling, Furniture, etc.	235 10	34 6	1 3	271 7	236 6	34 6	1 3	272 3
Paper, Printing, etc.	236 9	59 11	0 2	296 10	237 2	60 1	0 4	297 7
Other Manufacturing	237 9	34 1	3 9	275 7	238 3	34 2	3 9	276 2
All Manufacturing Groups	(c)	(c)	(c)	278 0	(c)	(c)	(c)	278 7
Building and Construction	236 1	36 3	3 5	275 9	237 0	36 3	3 5	276 8
Railway Services	233 10	33 8	2 0	269 6	235 0	33 10	1 10	270 8
Road and Air Transport	236 6	37 2	1 5	275 1	237 3	37 2	1 5	275 10
Shipping and Stevedoring	(c)	(c)	(c)	272 2	(c)	(c)	(c)	272 4
Communication	236 11	56 10	..	293 9	236 11	56 10	..	293 9
Wholesale and Retail Trade	236 6	40 11	1 5	278 10	237 5	40 11	1 5	279 9
Public Authority (n.e.i.) and Community and Business Services	236 3	36 11	0 10	274 0	237 0	36 11	0 10	274 9
Amusement, Hotels, Personal Service, etc.	(c)	(c)	(c)	270 3	(c)	(c)	(c)	270 10
All Industry Groups (a)	236 7	39 1	3 10	279 6	237 2	39 2	3 10	280 2

(a) Excludes rural. (b) For mining, the wage rates include lead bonuses, etc.

(c) Components of total wage rate are not available.

NOTE: For definitions of components and other explanations see monthly bulletin, Wage Rates and Earnings.