

TABLE 22.—AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS IN BOSTON OFFSHORE FLEET AND OTHER
SELECTED INDUSTRIES AND OCCUPATIONS

Industry or occupation	Average hourly earnings
<u>Boston offshore fishermen¹</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
<u>17-man vessels:</u>	
Deckhand	1.98
Cook	2.09
Mate	2.13
Engineer	2.13
Captain	5.09
<u>13 and 15 man vessels:</u>	
Deckhand	1.71
Cook	1.82
Mate	1.86
Engineer	1.86
Captain	3.76
<u>Major U.S. industry groups:</u>	
Mining	2.83
Manufacturing	2.53
Contract construction	3.55
<u>Selected industries, Boston, Massachusetts, Area:²</u>	
Durable goods manufacturing	2.68
Primary metal industries	2.64
Textile mill products	2.05
Food and kindred products	2.40
Carpenters, maintenance	3.13
Electricians, maintenance	3.24
Engineers, stationary	3.06
Firemen, stationary or boiler	2.66
Helpers, maintenance trades	2.62
Mechanics, maintenance	2.97
Oilers	2.48
Painters, maintenance	2.88
Pipefitter, maintenance	3.19
Tool and die makers	3.40
Janitors, porters, and cleaners	1.86
Laborers, material handling	2.25
Packers, shipping	2.32
Shipping and receiving clerks	2.50
Truckdrivers	2.91
Elevator operators	1.55
Guards and watchmen	1.74

¹ Does not include value of meals at sea. This would add approximately 28 cents per hour to the hourly wages of the offshore fishermen.

² Non-supervisory or production workers.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. Area wage survey, Boston, Massachusetts, metropolitan area. Washington, D.C., Oct. 1965, Bull. 1465-12: 13-16.

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