

Special OCSF Wage Tables: Deep Sea Freighters, November 1993

Table 1. Occupational earnings of unlicensed workers on deep sea freighters, November 1993

Occupation	Number of workers	Monthly earnings (in dollars)(1)				Percent of workers receiving straight-time monthly earnings (in dollars) of\$																					
		Mean	Median	Middle range	1000 and under 1100	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700	1800	1900	2000	2100	2200	2300	2400	2500	2600	2800	3000	3200	3400		
						1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700	1800	1900	2000	2100	2200	2300	2400	2500	2600	2800	3000	3200	3400	3600		
Deck Department																											
Able seamen.....	896	\$1,839	\$1,781	\$1,582 - \$1,969	-	-	-	7	15	5	5	37	1	13	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Able seamen, maintenance/deck utility.....	67	2,054	1,989	1,727 - 2,429	-	-	-	-	6	9	7	6	-	27	-	6	-	-	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Boatswains (Bosuns).....	179	2,622	2,645	2,233 - 2,859	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	9	11	3	3	8	31	12	-	16	-		
Ordinary seamen.....	100	1,442	1,467	1,392 - 1,537	12	4	1	33	-	42	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Engine Department																											
Chief electricians.....	108	2,787	2,830	2,788 - 2,883	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	3	10	-	-	10	54	18	-	2		
Electricians/Second electricians..	69	2,808	2,867	2,808 - 2,875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	3	4	-	12	54	22	-	-	-		
Oilers/Diesel oilers.....	105	1,929	1,996	1,790 - 2,056	-	-	-	-	4	3	9	17	-	20	48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Unlicensed junior engineers/ Qualified members of the engine department (QMED)/Deck engine mechanics.....	301	2,332	2,293	2,200 - 2,616	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	(2)	4	5	6	5	25	3	18	1	25	4	-	-	-		
Utility workers.....	21	2,017	1,996	1,996 - 2,056	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Wipers.....	77	1,652	1,789	1,470 - 1,829	3	1	13	1	8	1	14	23	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Steward Department																											
Cooks.....	242	2,066	2,080	1,848 - 2,241	-	-	-	1	2	3	7	11	2	3	33	12	13	-	2	12	-	-	-	-	-		
Stewards.....	179	2,559	2,645	2,233 - 2,859	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	2	9	11	2	3	8	33	27	-	-	-		
Steward assistants.....	329	1,400	1,382	1,158 - 1,526	6	19	2	38	(2)	22	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Multiple Departments																											
General vessel assistants.....	107	1,556	1,655	1,386 - 1,655	-	-	6	23	5	1	64	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

1 Premium, overtime, and penalty pay are excluded from the rates reported. See Scope and Method of Survey for definitions and methods used to compute means, medians, and middle ranges.
2 Less than 0.5 percent.