

**Maine Department of Labor
Center for Workforce Research and Information (CWRI)
PREVAILING WAGE AND PIECE RATES
FOR THE PULPWOOD AND LOGGING INDUSTRY**

The following rates are effective May 1, 2016 in the State of Maine for occupations in the pulpwood and logging industry. These rates are effective through April 30, 2017.

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(Date)


(Director, CWRI)

Classification		Wage	
41	Bookkeeper	\$ 15.00	hr.
44	Supervisor, Foreman	\$ 20.00	hr.
48	Forester	\$ 1,143.69	wk.
50	Cable Skidder	\$ 13.00	hr.
51	Grapple Skidder	\$ 15.00	hr.
53	Bulldozer Operator	\$ 16.00	hr.
54	Motor Grader Operator	\$ 16.50	hr.
55	Crane/Hydraulic Operator	\$ 16.50	hr.
57	Delimber Operator	\$ 15.00	hr.
58	Chipper Operator	\$ 15.00	hr.
59	Slasher Operator	\$ 19.00	hr.
60	Feller-Buncher Operator	\$ 16.50	hr.
61	Operating Engineer	\$ 17.25	hr.
62	Log Truck (self-loading) Driver-Tractor Trailer	\$ 18.00	hr.
63	Laborer	\$ 14.00	hr.
64	Dump Truck Driver	\$ 14.75	hr.
65	Log Truck Driver- Flatbed	\$ 19.00	hr.
66	Log Truck (self-loading) Driver-Flatbed	\$ 18.00	hr.
67	Log Truck Driver- Tractor Trailer	\$ 15.00	hr.
69	Logging Equipment Mechanic	\$ 17.32	hr.
70	Logging Equipment Mechanic Helper	\$ 13.00	hr.
75	Logger All-Around	\$ 14.00	hr.
77	Combination Slasher-Loader Operator	\$ 18.00	hr.
80	Forwarder Operator	\$ 17.00	hr.
81	Processor Operator	\$ 18.00	hr.
82	Excavator Operator	\$ 16.50	hr.

For use with an IRS Accountable Chain Saw Plan. Tools and equipment necessary for the job are to be furnished by the employer or an allowance paid for the use of a power chain saw and/or skidder and used by the worker at:

Activity	Units	2015 Chainsaw	2015 Skidder
Pulpwood - Tree-Length	per tholbs	\$1.18	\$3.67
Pulpwood - Tree-Length - Unlimbed	per tholbs	\$0.83	\$3.67
Pulpwood - Tree-Length	per cord	\$5.53	\$17.42
Pulpwood - Eight Foot	per cord	\$7.84	\$17.42
Pulpwood - Eight Foot	per tholbs	\$1.74	\$3.67
Pulpwood - Four Foot	per cord	\$8.48	\$21.34
Pulpwood - Four Foot	per tholbs	\$1.87	\$3.65
Sawlogs	per MBF	\$10.35	\$35.88