

Council of Petroleum Accountants Societies

2011 Workers' Compensation Insurance Manual Rates

Many Operators are self-insured, making it difficult to determine the amount the Operator should charge for this assumption of risk, and difficult for auditors to verify. COPAS enlisted the services of an actuarial firm to provide manual rates, which form the upper limit for self-insurance.

Model Form Interpretation #31 states that COPAS will publish, on an annual basis, Workers' Compensation Insurance Manual Rates for certain job classifications. The following rates were calculated by a third party on behalf of COPAS. COPAS believes these rates were compiled in accordance with MFI-31, and are published only as a convenience to the industry. However, COPAS or its agents accept no responsibility for the accuracy of the rates or how the rates are actually utilized by various companies in their billing practices.

April 1, 2011 **CLASS CODES USL&HW** Rates are per \$100 of payroll* 6235¹ 8227 FACTOR 1320 8810 Alabama \$ 4.55 \$ 15.70 \$ 8.93 \$ 0.37 2.15 Alaska \$ 2.30 \$ 6.57 \$ 5.61 \$ 0.58 1.30 Arizona \$ 3.14 \$ 9.97 \$10.81 \$ 0.23 1.15 Arkansas \$ 2.30 \$ 9.82 \$ 3.13 \$ 0.19 1.74 California \$ 4.56 \$ 8.22 \$ 8.07 \$ 0.49 N/A Colorado \$ 3.89 \$ 9.55 \$ 4.42 \$ 0.22 1.47 Florida \$ 2.58 \$ 6.22 \$ 0.25 2.23 \$ 8.83 Georgia \$ 5.12 \$ 24.13 \$ 9.86 \$ 0.32 1.48 Idaho \$ 2.79 \$ 8.99 \$ 5.56 \$ 0.26 1.21 \$ 0.29 1.20 Illinois \$14.61 \$ 53.38 \$13.29 Indiana \$ 5.49 \$ 6.46 \$ 4.61 \$ 0.17 1.64 lowa \$ 5.49 \$ 12.64 \$ 5.70 \$ 0.31 2.02 Kansas \$ 4.88 \$ 24.92 \$ 4.55 \$ 0.23 1.61 Kentuckv \$ 9.01 \$ 30.47 \$ 6.71 \$ 0.29 1.36 Louisiana \$ 3.90 \$ 16.40 \$ 6.96 \$ 0.32 2.13 Maryland \$ 11.83 \$ 6.26 \$ 0.25 1.54 \$10.25 \$ 16.99 Michigan \$ 2.87 \$ 5.18 \$ 0.20 1.69 \$ 14.97 \$ 7.02 \$ 0.38 1.95 Mississippi \$ 2.76

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¹ Comparable classification code for Pennsylvania is class 607

		CLASS	CODES		
	Rates are per \$100 of payroll*				USL&HW
	1320	6235 ¹	8227	8810	FACTOR
Missouri	\$ 7.69	\$ 14.15	\$ 5.30	\$ 0.26	1.55
Montana	\$ 6.63	\$ 20.35	\$ 9.50	\$ 0.90	1.83
Nebraska	\$ 5.29	\$ 18.27	\$ 6.86	\$ 0.29	1.78
Nevada	\$ 4.40	\$ 9.18	\$ 6.60	\$ 0.54	1.29
New Jersey	\$ 3.70	\$ 9.97	\$ 7.35	\$ 0.29	1.50
New Mexico	\$ 2.18	\$ 8.69	\$ 8.67	\$ 0.36	1.74
New York	\$ 8.70	\$ 14.11	\$15.31	\$ 0.26	1.746
North Carolina	\$ 5.02	\$ 14.80	\$ 7.16	\$ 0.31	1.88
North Dakota +	• \$ 5.93	\$ 10.27	\$ 5.52	\$ 0.47	N/A
Ohio -	⊦ \$3.59	\$ 23.34	\$ 4.73	\$ 0.30	N/A
Oklahoma	\$ 5.45	\$ 15.25	\$ 7.18	\$ 0.53	1.65
Oregon	\$ 4.06	\$ 22.46	\$ 5.49	\$ 0.23	2.03
Pennsylvania	\$ 5.64	\$ 11.72	\$ 5.64	\$ 0.40	1.803
South Carolina	\$ 4.20	\$ 15.46	\$ 6.01	\$ 0.43	1.70
South Dakota	\$ 5.60	\$ 11.96	\$ 8.64	\$ 0.34	1.48
Tennessee	\$ 4.90	\$ 13.62	\$ 5.97	\$ 0.34	2.35
Texas	\$ 3.32	\$ 12.83	\$ 3.79	\$ 0.32	N/A
Utah	\$ 3.06	\$ 8.50	\$ 4.70	\$ 0.18	1.69
Virginia	\$ 3.40	\$ 15.40	\$ 4.73	\$ 0.16	1.77
Washington +	\$ 1.8926	\$3.7664	\$ 1.8926	\$ 0.1658	N/A
West Virginia	\$ 4.87	\$ 15.49	\$ 6.01	\$ 0.31	1.89
Wyoming +	\$ 1.34	\$ 5.87	\$ 3.50	\$ 0.38	N/A

+ Indicates Monopolistic State

*Rates include the following employer's liability coverage:

Bodily Injury by Accident:	\$100,000 - each accident
Bodily Injury by Disease:	\$100,000 - each employee
Bodily Injury by Disease:	\$500,000 - policy limit

Remarks:

A - California does not promulgate a USL&H percentage, but rather leaves that to the discretion of each insurer.

B - Kentucky rates include a 6.5% provision for the assessment for the Special Fund, which is outside of the manual rate.

C - Maryland rates include assessment of 2.05 cents per \$100 of payroll.

D - North Dakota – Cap of \$24,700 on wages applies.

E - Ohio rates include Disabled Workers' Relief Fund assessment of 10 cents per \$100 of payroll.

F - Texas last promulgated a USL&HW factor of 1.61 in 1990. Since open rating was introduced on 1/1/91, the selection of a USL&H factor is left to the discretion of each insurer.

G - Washington rates are per man hour. Private insurance is required for USL&H coverage.

H - Georgia, Ohio & Tennessee added back to rate schedule effective for 2011 report, due to unconventional gas (shale) activity in those states. Delaware not included since comparable classifications were not available.