VM - Union of Marine Engineers and Metal Technicians

Wage table. VM's general agreement with SA (Confederation of Icelandic Enterprise)

Minimum wage in metal industry in Iceland

Weekly working hours are 36 active hours, and the denominator of hourly wages is 156.

Specialised assistants with professional experience

		Hourly pay			
Length of service	Monthly wages	Daywork	Overtime 1	Overtime 2	Major holiday
Basic pay	465.615	2.985	4.656	5.355	6.402
After 1 year	470.271	3.015	4.703	5.408	6.466
After 3 year	477.325	3.060	4.773	5.489	6.563
After 5 years in company	486.871	3.121	4.869	5.599	6.694

Tradesmen with less vocational training than 3 years and no journeyman certificate

		Hourly pay			
	Monthly wages	Daywork	Overtime 1	Overtime 2	Major holiday
Basic pay	537.957	3.448	5.380	6.187	7.397
Aftre 1 years	543.336	3.483	5.433	6.248	7.471

Tradesmen with journeyman certificate.

Welders with certification.

Tradesmen with 3 yrs' vocational training and 3 yrs' work experience.

	_	Hourly pay				
	Monthly wages	Daywork	Overtime 1	Overtime 2	Major holiday	
Basic pay	597.731	3.832	5.977	6.874	8.219	
After 1 year	603.708	3.870	6.037	6.943	8.301	
After 3 years	609.745	3.909	6.097	7.012	8.384	
After 5 years	615.842	3.948	6.158	7.082	8.468	



December supplement Year 2025 ISK. 110.000 Vacation supplement

Year 2025 ISK. 60.000

Overtime 1 and 2

Overtime 1 is paid with an hourly rate equivalent to 1.00% of the monthly salary for daytime work and is paid for all overtime until overtime 2 takes over.

Overtime 2 is paid for effective working hours in excess of 39,5 working hours on week on average per pay period / month (171.17 working hours). Overtime 2 is also paid for night work, on the period from 00:00

From april 1st, 2025