



1 DIVISION 0:

Introduction and Calibration Factors, includes the following:

General introduction and retrofit and repair considerations.

Location (Calibration) Factors - International values compared to Washington D.C. (Base of 1.00). Calibrations in this application are used to adjust the unit prices \prime schedule of rates depicted in the following Divisions 1 – 17.

188 # International Cities Location / Calibration Factors.

General Conversion Values - Imperial to Metric Units.

Import Duties General Sales Tax / Value. Added Tax / Consumption Tax.

284 # USA Location (Calibration) Factors.

Detailed Design / Engineering / Architectural and CM Fees 51 # Facility Types.

Union Labor Costs.

USA and Canada State & Province Sales Tax / GST.

Inflation Cost Indexes.

(16) Calibration Tables

Examples



49 DIVISION 00:

Cost Models / Cost Benchmarks (24 Number)

includes cost and quantity data on the following:

Retrofit – Upgrade Isotope / Radiation – Chemo Therapy Formulation Suite.

Retrofit and upgrade 333 # Apartments.

UK (Scotland) Facility - Refurbish existing laboratory in existing

manufacturing campus.

Major Construction Activities.

Estimating Assessment Sheet.

Petro - Chemical Cost Model.

High Rise Apartment Building Cost Model.

Beverage / Candy Production Facility Cost Model.

Consumer Products Facility.

Crude Oil Distillation Complex.

EPCM Home Office Billing Rate Sheet

Power Station Cost Model.

Steel Production Cost Model.



Waste Water Treatment Cost Model.
78 # Engineering / Construction Cost Benchmarks.
Class A Office Building
UK Pharmaceutical Facility
Vaccine Facility Expansion and Modification
Food and Beverage Production Facilities
Refurbishment of Shopping Center
Revamp of Shale Gas Facility
Pet Food Production Facility
Office Admin. Building
Rural Highway and Bridge Upgrade

01

99 DIVISION 01:

General Requirements / General Conditions / Preliminaries:

includes cost data on the following:

Rules of thumb

Insurance Costs

Protection of Completed Work

Scaffolding

Temporary Utilities, Structures & Fences

Permits

Testing / Inspection

Surveys

Bonds

Site Staff / Field Personnel

Construction Equipment Costs / Rental

Temporary Construction Items

02

131 DIVISION 02:

Site Construction: includes schedule of rates for:

Demolition (including asbestos)

Excavation

Rock removal

Hardcore / Stone

Shoring

Planking & Strutting / Sheet Piling

Foundation Piling

Utilities

Miscellaneous Site Improvements



Paving
Concrete Curbing
Fencing
Site Lighting
Marine Work
Underground Storage Tanks

03

159 DIVISION 03

Concrete Work: includes schedule of rates for:

Concrete Formwork Reinforcement Precast Concrete Grouting

04

193 DIVISION 04

Masonry: includes schedule of rates for:

Brickwork Masonry Refractory

05

209 DIVISION 05

Metals: includes schedule of rates for:

Structural Steel Metal Joists Metal Framing Miscellaneous Iron Metal Decking

06

233 DIVISION 06

Wood and Plastics: includes schedule of rates for:

Rough Carpentry Finish Carpentry Carpentry Specialties



07

247 DIVISION 07

Thermal and Moisture Protection: includes schedule of rates for:

Damp proofing and Waterproofing Thermal Protection Roofing Systems Caulking & Sealants

80

269 DIVISION 08

Doors and Windows: includes schedule of rates for:

Wood and Plastic Doors Metal Doors and Frames Windows Glazing / Glazed Curtain Walls Hardware

09

285 DIVISION 09

Finishes: includes schedule of rates for:

Plaster and Gypsum Board

Tile

Terrazzo

Ceilings

Flooring

Wall Finishes

Acoustical Treatment

Painting and Coatings

Other items

10

305 DIVISION 10

Specialties: includes schedule of rates for:

Visual Display Boards

Compartments and Cubicles

Louvers and Vents

Wall and Corner Guards

Miscellaneous Facility Specialties



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315 DIVISION 11

Equipment: includes schedule of rates for:

Maintenance Equipment Loading Dock Equipment Industrial and Process Equipment Laboratory Equipment Material Handling Equipment

12

333 DIVISION 12

Furnishings: includes schedule of rates for:

Furniture

Manufactured Casework

13

343 DIVISION 13

Special Construction: includes schedule of rates for:

Pre-Engineered Buildings & Structures Radiation Protection Storage Tanks Security Access and Surveillance

14

357 DIVISION 14

Conveying Systems: includes schedule of rates for:

Elevators

Escalators and Moving Walks

Hoists and Cranes



15

373 DIVISION 15

Mechanical Work: includes schedule of rates for:

Building Services Piping

Plumbing Fixtures

Process Piping

Fire Protection Piping

Heating, Ventilating & Air Conditioning Equipment

Ductwork

Insulation

16

481 DIVISION 16

Electrical Work: includes schedule of rates for:

Electrical Equipment / Transformers

Cable / Control wire

Conduit

Cable tray

Communications

Instrumentation and Controls

17

533 DIVISION 17

Process Equipment / Major Equipment: includes schedule of rates for:

Agitators

Air Handlers

Boilers

Chillers

Compressors

Condensers

Conveyors

Cooling Towers

Ductwork

Heat Exchangers

Pumps

Tanks

587 ABOUT THE FIRM



Table 1

CSI DIVISION #	DESCRIPTION						
0*	Introduction and Calibration Factors						
00*	Cost Models / Cost Benchmarks						
1	General Requirements / General Conditions / Preliminaries						
2	Site Construction						
3	Concrete Work						
4	Masonry / Brickwork						
5	Structural Steel - Metals - Platforms						
6	Wood and Plastics						
7	Thermal and Moisture Protection – Roofing Systems						
8	Doors, Windows and Glazing						
9	Finishes						
10	Specialties – Louvers – Minor Facility items						
11	Equipment (Facility – Minor items)						
12	Furnishings						
13	Special Construction Pre Engineered Buildings – Storage Tanks – Security items						
14	Conveying Systems / Elevators / O-H Cranes						
15	Mechanical - Piping – HVAC Systems						
16	Electrical – Instrumentation Systems						
17*	Process Equipment – Major Equipment						
	* Not a specified / typical CSI Division:						

average less than 25 miles – adjust values for distances exceeding 25 miles), unionized labor, construction eqglobaluipment, workers compensation insurance, burdens and benefits, overhead and profit (we have utilized a value of between 5% – 10% for profit – i.e. 7.5%). The basic premise for these unit prices / schedule of rates is that the construction project is above \$0.25 million in value and a 40 hour work week is utilized, using a unionized labor force or specialized union sub-contractors.

The Retrofit, Repair or Maintenance Construction unit costs depicted in this publication are based on 100+ industrial and commercial construction projects valued between \$0.25 million – \$150 million that were completed between the period 2001 and 2022; the unit prices / schedule of rates have been calibrated to the Washington DC area and are applicable for 2023 (the mid point of 2023 to be exact).

The Retrofit, Repair or Maintenance Construction unit prices of the various division items are displayed in five columns:

- (1) Unit or Unit of Measure (UOM) Column: this column states the unit of measure the cost estimating data is based upon, i.e. Square Feet (SF), Lineal Feet (LF), or Cubic Yards (CY) see list of abbreviations for specific units of measure.
- (2) Materials Column. This column contains the material cost(s) for each item that is appropriate for each line item. They are based on what a General Contractor or / Specialty Sub-Contractor will purchase this material(s) for - delivered to the construction site. The unit cost(s) includes delivery to the site, state sale taxes were appropriate for the USA, off-loading the material at site and any temporary storage or protection, 1%- 2.75% breakage of material or damage in transit, a profit mark-up to the contractor furnished materials - we have used a value of between 4.5% and 8.5% (this is dependent on workload and market activity). We have assumed good size quantities – a full truck load of bricks, a full truck load of ready mixed concrete. We have recognized that we will have waste, typically 1.25% to 3.25%, we have



Table #4

IMPORT DUTIES GENERAL SALES TAX / VALUE ADDED TAX / CONSUMPTION TAX

COUNTRY	DUTIES ON IMPORTED EQUIPMENT & MATERIALS	GENERAL SALES TAX / VALUE ADDED TAX / CONSUMPTION TAX	GENERAL NOTES
Afghanistan	In the order of 2.5% - 35%	2% - 10% Sales tax	Refer to Government website for additional
Akrotiri	In the order of 1% - 10%	9%	information: 5% tax on fuel Refer to Government website for additional information: Cyprus / UK possession
Albania	In the order of 1% - 12% of CIF value	20%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Algeria	In the order of 1% - 15%	7% and 19%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Andorra	In the order of 1% - 10%	4.5%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Angola	In the order of 2.5% - 12%	14%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Antigua & Barbuda	In the order of 1% - 10%	15%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Argentina	In the order of 1% - 17%	21%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Armenia	In the order of 1% - 10%	20%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Ashmore & Cartier Islands	In the order of 0.5% - 10%	10%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Australia	In the order of 2.5% - 17.5%	10% GST	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Austria of CIF value	In the order of 2.5% - 20%	20%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Azerbaijan	In the order of 0% - 10%	18%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bahamas	In the order of 0% - 10%	8%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bahrain	In the order of 0% - 10%	5%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bangladesh	In the order of 0% - 10%	15%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Barbados	In the order of 0% - 10%	15%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Belarus	In the order of 10% - 50%	10% and 20%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Belgium	In the order of 2.5% - 20%	21%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Belize	In the order of 0% - 10%	12.5% VAT / GST	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Benin	In the order of 0% - 10%	18%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bermuda	In the order of 0% - 10%	zero	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bhutan	In the order of 0% - 10%	10% and 15%	Refer to Government website for additional information: Sales tax
Bolivia	In the order of 0% - 10% of CIF value	10% and 13% (14.94% effective rate)	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bosnia & Herzegovina	In the order of 0% - 10%	17%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Botswana	In the order of 0% - 10%	12%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Brazil	In the order of 0% - 35%	12% to 25%	IPI / ICMS similar to VAT:
	Aver 17.5%	1CMS / IPI Aver 17% 19% in Rio de Janerio	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Bulgaria	In the order of 2.5% - 50%	7% and 20%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Burkina Faso	In the order of 0% - 10%	18%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Burundi	In the order of 0% - 10%	17%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Cameroon	In the order of 0% - 10%	19.25%	Refer to Govt website for additional info
Cambodia	In the order of 0% - 10%	10%	Refer to Govt website for additional info



CONSTRUCTION CATEGORY	QTY	U/M	MATERIAL	HOURS \$ RATE LABOR	TOTAL
CONTINUED					
Owner travel / expenses.					87,740
Sales tax 5.5%					1,518,500
BAR Insurance / Bonds. 238,600					
Owner Start up assistance / comr	174,300				
Early Engineering studies.					570,000
Other Project Related Costs Sub	Total				4,546,840

Total Project Cost

56,744,404

NOTES:

- A. Field Labor unskilled rate = \$29.85 x 1.68% \$50.15 Laborer.
- B. Field Labor semi-skilled rates = \$35.80 x 1.68% \$60.14 Painters / Insulation workers.
- C. Field Labor skilled rates = \$41.75 x 1.68% \$70.14 Millwrights / Pipefitters / Electricians.
- 68% = Fringes, WCI, FICA, Unemployment Insurance, OH & P.
- Contingency / Escalation pro -rated and included above.

(11) HOME OFFICE - ENGINEERING, PROCURE-MENT AND CONSTRUCTION (EPC):

Typical Hourly Rates: Charged to Owners by EPC firms working on major US domestic and overseas Refinery / Chemical / Manufacturing CAPEX Projects - ranging in value from \$25 million - \$500+ million. (Note these are 2023 bill-out rates for US based staff, CAD machine costs are not included in rates. Xerox copies, express mail, long distance telephone calls are not included in rates and would be additional to the rates indicated below (this value could range between \$4.50 - \$7.50). Rates include salaries

of staff, fringe benefits, and rent or leasing costs of office accommodation, electricity, heating / air conditioning, maintaining office (cleaning); support staff such a HR department / security services, the rates include a profit margin of 7.5% - 10% (Note these rates correspond to a multiplier of 1.8 - 2.6 of W2 salaries). The day rates are based on 8 hours per day, many projects work 5 -10 hour days and 4 -10 hour days the following week, for an average of 45 hours per week; adjust day rates if this is the situation.

Table 11

#	STAFFING DESCRIPTION / CLASSIFICATION	MINIMUM MAN-HOUR HOURLY / RATE IN US \$	MINIMUM DAY RATE IN US \$	MAXIMUM MAN-HOUR HOURLY / RATE IN US \$	MAXIMUM DAY RATE IN US \$
1	Project Director / Project Manager	\$211	\$1,685	\$296	\$2,366
2	Deputy Project Director / Project Manager	\$195	\$1,564	\$266	\$2,128
3	Engineering Manager	\$195	\$1,564	\$259	\$2,070
4	Business Manager (Contracts / Procurement / Project Controls / Administration)	\$195	\$1,564	\$259	\$2,070
5	Deputy Business Manager	\$187	\$1,499	\$229	\$1,832
6	Lead Discipline Engineer*	\$168	\$1,340	\$215	\$1,717
7	Senior Discipline Engineer*	\$154	\$1,229	\$199	\$1,593
8	Discipline Engineer*	\$140	\$1,117	\$179	\$1,431
9	Project Controls Manager	\$182	\$1,452	\$223	\$1,784



(24) RURAL HIGHWAY US SOUTH EAST LO-CATION 1.98 MILES IN LENGTH - 2023 COST BASIS:& EXTEND EXISTING BRIDGE OVER NEW HIGHWAY:

- Convert existing 2 lane undivided highway 12' wide each direction complete with 60" wide paved breakdown / bike lane on each shoulder:
- New scope includes 2 # 12' wide road lanes complete with 72" wide paved breakdown / bike lanes on each shoulder & 18' wide median drainage swale:
- Scope includes: Milling & removal of exiting asphalt, augment existing stone / sub-base, stabilization, sediment barrier, clearing & grubbing, excavation, new asphalt paving, manholes, concrete catch pits, miscellaneous concrete foundations & pads, concrete pipe, corrugated pipe, fencing, turf, seeding, roadway striping painting, all necessary roadway signs & tie-into existing road system.

Table 24

#	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL \$ COST	\$ COST PER MILE	\$ COST PER KM
1	Total Construction Cost for 1.98 miles	\$9,222,235	\$4,657,694	\$2,892,978
2	Design / Engineering	\$276,667	\$139,731	\$86,789
3	Inspection Services	\$96,865	\$48,922	\$30,386
4	TOTAL COST	\$9,595,767	\$4,846,347	\$3,010,153
5	Low cost range -20%	\$7,676,614	\$3,877,078	\$2,408,123
6	High cost range + 20%	\$11,514,920	\$5,815,616	\$3,612,184



1.5 Ton Flatbed truck
10.01
1
er 12.21



71.68 89.76	71.68	71.68			71.68		СҮ	Crushed stone delivered to site and deposited in heaps (note 1 CY = 1.375 Ton - Maximum)	244
94.73		41./3		11.20	/4.54	30.51	CY	rea graver / stone 1/2" - 3/4 under concrete slab in quanties les than 100 CY	
66.83		38.69		7.90	52.65	33.85	CY	Pea gravel / stone 1/2" - 3/4"under concrete slab	
52.07		0.50		o. 15	41.02	5./4	CY	241 Backtill by nand / machine & consolidate	
43.22		6.56		5.11	34.05	5.74	CY	Backfill by machine & consolidate	240
40.21		7.08	42.63	4.75	31.68	6.19	СҮ	Isolated foundations, n/e 15' deep	239
33.44		6.06	35.60	3.95	26.34	5.31	СҮ	Isolated foundations, n/e 10' deep	238
28.03		6.06	30.70	3.31	22.08	5.31	СҮ	Isolated foundations, n/e 5' deep	237
37.86		4.31	38.07	4.47	29.83	3.77	СҮ	236 Spread footings / trenching n/e 10' deep	236
29.73		4.34	30.73	3.51	23.42	3.80	С	Spread footings / trenching n/e 5' deep	235
32.60		4.64	33.60	3.85	25.69	4.06	СХ	Ground beams n/e 15' deep	234
29.94		4.47	31.04	3.54	23.59	3.91	ΥЭ	Ground beams n/e 10' deep	233
26.64		4.10	27.72	3.15	20.99	3.59	СҮ	232 Ground beams n/e 5' deep	232
								Excavation & Backfill Foundations (remove surplus to onsite spoil heap)	
68.38			76.27	22.40	53.87		СҮ	231 Elevated beams highly reinforced (Minimum)	231
98.05			109.37	32.12	77.25		ХЭ	Elevated beams highly reinforced (Maximum)	230
49.61			54.17	15.08	39.09		СҮ	18" dia and square columns (Minimum)	229
72.92			79.61	22.16	57.45		СХ	18" dia and square columns (Maximum)	228
32.38			30.87	5.36	25.51		СУ	Slab on grade 6" thick (Minimum)	227
44.62			42.53	7.38	35.15		ΥЭ	Slab on grade 6" thick (Maximum)	226
87.60			101.26	32.24	69.02		СҮ	Elevated Pan / Waffle Concrete work with 150 - 250 pounds of rebar per CY (Minimum)	225
Factor # 2 Labor Uplift L+65 (1.65)	Fa Lat Lat	Factor # 2 Material Uplift M+20 (1.20)	Total Factor#	Factor # 1 CE Uplift	Factor # 1 Labor Uplift L+30 (1.30)	Factor # 1 Material Uplift M+5 (1.05)	Unit	2023 - Division 3 - Concrete - Union Site	



218	217	216	215		214	213	212	211	
8 Condenser - refrig / air cooled - 250 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook ups - excludes foundations and incomining piping and electrical services	7 Condenser - refrig / air cooled - 100 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook ups - excludes foundations and incomining piping and electrical services	6 Condenser - refrig / air cooled - 50 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook ups - excludes foundations and incomining piping and electrical services	Condenser - refrig / air cooled - 25 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook ups - excludes foundations and incomining piping and electrical services	Condensers	Compressor hermetic 50 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook up	3 Compressor hermetic 25 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook up	2 Compressor hermetic 10 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook up	11 Compressor hermetic 5 Ton c/w controls and electrical / piping hook up	2023 Division 17 - Major Equipment: Union
EACH	EACH	EACH	EACH		EACH	EACH	EACH	EACH	Unit
78,215.05	35,512.68	18,664.13	9,949.36		21,330.53	11,669.23	4,837.93	2,582.65	Factor # 1 Material Uplift M+5 (1.05)
9,441.01	4,286.59	2,252.87	1,200.95		2,574.72	1,408.54	79.583.97	311.74	Factor # 1 Labor Uplift L+30 (1.30)
609.10	276.56	145.35	77.48		166.11	90.87	37.68	20.11	Factor # 1 CE Uplift
88,265.16	40,075.83	21,062.35	11,227.79		24,071.36	13,168.64	5,459.57	2,914.51	Total Factor # 1
89,724.87	40,738.59	21,410.67	11,413.47		24,469.45	13,386.42	5,549.86	2,962.71	Factor # 2 Material Uplift M+20 (1.20)
11,982.83	5,440.67	2,859.41	1,524.28		3,267.91	1,787.77	741.19	395.67	Factor # 2 Labor Uplift L+65 (1.65)
773.09	351.01	184.48	98.34		210.83	115.34	47.82	25.53	Factor # 2 CE Uplift
102,480.79	46,530.27	24,454.56	13,036.09		27,948.20	15,289.53	6,338.86	3,383.91	Total Factor # 2