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INVESTORS' AND TRADERS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES

1926 = 100

"Investors'" and "Traders'" weighted index numbers of security prices, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1926=100, were as follows for the week ending November 10th.

The "Investors'" index of industrial common stocks was 57.8 for the week ending November 10th, as compared with 55.6 for the previous week.

The "Traders'" index of prices of the twenty-five best selling industrial and public utility common stocks on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges was 389.8 for the week ending November 10th, as compared with 365.9 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of domestic utility common stocks was 43.5 for the week ending November 10th, as compared with 41.7 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 42.5 for the week ending November 10th, as compared with 41.4 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index for all three groups of common stocks combined was 49.8 for the week ending November 10th, as compared with 48.0 for the previous week.

Average weekly prices were higher for twenty and lower for five of the twenty-five stocks included in the Traders' Index. International Nickel rose from \$8.4 to \$9.6, C.P.R. from \$14.8 to \$16.2, Brazilian from \$8.5 to \$9.5, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from \$2.0 to \$3.0, Montreal Light, Heat and Power from \$32.0 to \$32.7, Walkers from \$6.7 to \$7.0, National Breweries from \$15.9 to \$17.5, Consolidated Mining and Smelting from \$66.2 to \$69.7, Shawinigan from \$11.6 to \$12.0 and Steel of Canada from \$15.6 to \$17.9.

Sales were higher for nineteen and lower for six stocks. International Nickel mounted from 7,800 to 24,600, Montreal Light, Heat and Power from 4,700 to 8,400, C.P.R. from 8,100 to 14,400, Brazilian from 4,000 to 10,400, Walkers from 12,800 to 19,500, National Breweries from 700 to 3,200, Bell Telephone from 300 to 600, Consolidated Mining and Smelting from 800 to 1,300, Shawinigan from 2,700 to 5,500, and Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from 900 to 9,800.

TABLE OF INDEX NUMBERS

		Investors' Index Number of Common Stocks			Traders' Index Number of the twenty-five best sell- ing Industrial and Public Utility Common Stocks	
		96 Industrial Companies Located: in Canada	26 Public Companies: Located	Utility Companies: All	Index of Price	
		rial	Utility	Abroad		
1926		100	100	100	100	100
/1929 -	High	311.0	163.6	213.3	235.4	1255.4
	Low	194.0	124.8	122.5	155.8	714.8
/1930 -	High	222.1	142.3	151.8	178.6	1037.2
	Low	112.6	99.8	70.7	100.6	569.4
/1931 -	High	127.2	113.4	84.4	115.1	726.4
	Low	68.1	53.8	42.4	58.8	330.8
1932						
January		73.7	59.1	54.3	63.2	402.8
February		71.1	59.1	54.5	62.2	400.8
March		71.5	59.8	55.8	62.9	413.6
April		58.2	48.9	47.4	51.7	304.2
May		51.4	36.9	49.4	44.6	261.2
June		48.8	34.9	46.5	42.2	251.0
July		56.6	41.8	49.9	48.7	306.6
August		69.9	51.9	52.7	58.5	408.0
September		73.8	56.9	56.5	62.8	470.6
October		63.1	49.1	47.4	53.7	393.6
Week ending Sept. 1st		68.2	50.7	48.7	58.6	457.6
"	" " 8th	72.0	53.8	52.7	62.2	506.8
"	" " 15th	66.5	50.4	50.4	58.0	457.7
"	" " 22nd	64.5	50.8	48.0	56.8	458.4
"	" " 29th	64.5	51.1	46.8	56.7	459.6
"	" Oct. 6th	61.1	47.8	45.1	53.6	429.7
"	" " 13th	57.0	44.5	42.8	50.1	389.5
"	" " 20th	57.6	44.3	41.7	50.1	386.9
"	" " 27th	55.9	42.3	41.2	48.4	368.4
"	" Nov. 3rd	55.6	41.7	41.4	48.0	x365.9
"	" " 10th	57.8	43.5	42.5	49.8	389.8

Purpose of Traders' and Investors' Index Numbers

The Investors' Index numbers measure the trend of values for the investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

The Traders' Index measures the trend of gains or losses for a trader on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges, who buys and sells the leading common stocks in the same proportion as they are traded in the market as a whole at the mathematical average price of the week and who turns over his investments every week.

x Revised index figures.

/ Weekly figures.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926=100

Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period

Number of Securities	INDUSTRIAL									UTILITY				COMPANIES ABROAD			
	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Mill- ing	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Miscell- aneous	Total	Trans- portation	Tele- phone Tele- graph	Power and Trac- tion	Total	In- dust- rial	Util- ity	Grand Total
	96	19	9	5	4	9	21	8	21	18	2	2	14	8	1	7	122
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x1929 - High	311.0	383.8	118.2	267.4	416.8	110.1	193.8	201.4	507.2	163.6	160.6	125.6	192.7	213.3	191.5	258.0	235.4
Low	194.0	196.1	73.1	191.9	248.3	74.5	131.8	89.1	247.0	124.8	117.1	108.3	131.1	122.5	117.4	138.1	155.8
x1930 - High	222.1	231.3	73.4	192.5	296.6	77.2	144.8	95.7	328.8	142.3	138.1	113.7	163.3	151.8	136.4	185.3	178.6
Low	112.6	134.5	22.3	97.9	167.5	56.7	100.2	59.9	133.2	99.8	91.0	99.5	108.4	70.7	72.4	72.7	100.6
x1931 - High	127.2	146.3	24.6	107.9	186.8	60.6	132.6	77.6	167.2	113.4	106.9	105.6	128.4	84.4	86.7	95.7	115.1
Low	68.1	71.5	9.0	47.8	98.0	40.2	89.9	40.6	80.3	53.8	31.7	81.3	74.6	42.4	51.0	33.6	58.8
1932																	
January	73.7	77.2	10.5	66.5	107.8	44.9	94.7	42.5	86.9	59.1	40.9	88.3	76.8	54.3	67.1	42.9	63.2
February	71.1	76.5	9.9	64.9	106.3	39.6	89.6	40.6	81.7	59.1	43.3	82.0	75.3	54.5	65.2	44.8	62.2
March	71.5	79.2	10.1	65.5	106.8	38.3	87.8	40.3	82.4	59.8	46.2	81.1	73.6	55.8	67.0	45.7	62.9
April	58.2	62.5	9.2	63.7	87.7	32.5	83.2	36.1	62.2	48.9	34.4	68.8	63.7	47.4	59.1	37.1	51.7
May	51.4	44.9	8.6	63.1	90.1	29.1	76.5	26.3	47.1	36.9	26.0	63.8	45.0	49.4	66.3	34.9	44.6
June	48.8	40.5	8.4	62.6	84.8	28.3	73.0	30.2	43.3	34.9	24.7	59.6	42.7	46.5	59.6	35.1	42.2
July	56.6	51.1	7.9	33.3	97.0	28.9	81.2	35.6	55.2	41.8	31.5	59.9	51.6	49.9	65.6	36.4	48.7
August	69.9	63.5	8.8	47.4	110.0	38.5	89.7	44.1	78.7	51.9	42.7	71.6	60.4	52.7	72.8	35.7	58.5
September	73.8	69.1	4.4	53.0	113.0	42.3	90.8	44.1	89.2	56.9	47.6	76.3	65.9	56.5	77.6	38.7	62.8
October	63.1	55.9	3.5	49.8	97.4	38.0	66.5	40.7	73.9	49.1	39.0	73.4	57.7	47.4	64.3	33.1	53.7
September 1st	68.2	63.1	6.6	45.2	107.7	34.3	84.8	47.8	81.5	50.7	40.5	70.2	58.1	48.7	65.3	34.8	58.6
September 8th	72.0	67.6	6.5	48.8	110.6	36.6	87.2	47.8	89.9	53.8	43.9	69.6	61.8	52.7	70.1	38.3	62.2
September 15th	66.5	61.7	6.3	47.9	105.7	35.5	83.9	44.6	78.3	50.4	39.8	68.4	58.7	50.4	67.4	36.3	58.0
September 22nd	64.5	58.4	6.0	46.2	99.7	34.8	81.8	44.1	78.4	50.8	41.7	67.9	57.5	46.0	63.0	35.6	56.8
September 29th	64.5	59.5	2.7	44.8	101.3	34.7	81.8	43.7	79.4	51.1	41.4	67.6	58.7	46.8	61.9	34.4	56.7
October 6th	61.1	55.8	2.5	45.2	96.2	33.8	80.0	43.3	73.7	47.8	37.5	66.9	55.6	45.1	58.6	33.9	53.6
October 13th	57.0	51.5	2.2	44.7	89.7	31.9	79.2	41.7	67.5	44.5	33.6	65.5	52.5	42.8	57.0	31.0	50.1
October 20th	57.6	51.6	2.3	45.2	91.2	31.4	79.5	42.4	68.1	44.3	33.8	65.1	51.9	41.7	55.9	29.9	50.1
October 27th	55.9	49.4	2.2	44.2	90.1	30.8	79.3	41.6	64.5	42.3	31.4	65.1	49.8	41.2	56.4	28.5	48.4
November 3rd	55.6	47.2	2.2	44.5	89.1	31.8	79.2	43.7	63.9	41.7	31.4	65.1	48.3	41.4	56.9	28.5	48.0
November 10th	57.8	48.7	2.1	43.5	89.9	32.5	80.7	45.8	69.5	43.5	34.3	65.0	49.1	42.5	56.9	30.6	49.8

x Weekly figures.
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