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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 July 22nd.

The "Investors'" index of industrial common stocks was 111.1 for the week ending July 22nd, as compared with 105.8 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 1359.0 for the week ending July 22nd, as compared with 1146.1 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of domestic utility common stocks was 53.1 for the week ending July 22nd, as compared with 52.6 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 73.5 for the week ending July 22nd, as compared with 74.7 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index for all three groups of common stocks combined was 81.1 for the week ending July 22nd, as compared with 79.0 for the previous week.

Average weekly prices were higher for twenty-one and lower for four of the twenty-five stocks included in the Traders' Index. Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" rose from \$17.7 to \$27.6, Walkers from \$46.4 to \$52.7, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "B" from \$16.2 to \$26.2, Ford "A" from \$13.7 to \$17.4, Standard Steel from \$12.4 to \$16.2, Dominion Steel and Coal "B" from \$2.4 to \$4.4, Loblaw from \$16.9 to \$19.2, International Nickel from \$20.9 to \$21.5, Brewers and Distillers from \$3.0 to \$3.3 and British Columbia Packers from \$5.0 to \$6.3. Brazilian fell from \$17.3 to \$17.0 and Massey-Harris from \$10.1 to \$9.1.

Sales were higher for sixteen and lower for nine stocks. International Nickel mounted from 77,300 to 140,900, Ford "A" from 7,100 to 70,500, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from 232,600 to 266,900, Loblaw from 19,300 to 41,800, Dominion Bridge from 6,900 to 13,000, British Columbia Packers from 7,300 to 42,900, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "B" from 38,000 to 46,800, Dominion Steel and Coal "B" from 3,000 to 54,800, and McColl-Frontenac Oil from 10,700 to 16,400. Brazilian declined from 155,900 to 94,800, Walkers from 125,000 to 111,600, Brewers and Distillers from 402,900 to 279,400, Montreal Light, Heat and Power from 24,400 to 15,000 and National Breweries from 30,400 to 20,100.

TABLE OF INDEX NUMBERS

	Investors' Index Number of Common Stocks	93 Industrial Companies Located in Canada	25 Public Utility Companies Located Abroad	All Companies Located Abroad	Traders' Index Number of the twenty-five best sell- ing Industrial and Public Utility Common Stocks	Index of Price	Index of Total Value of Stocks Traded
1926	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1929 - High	311.0	163.6	213.3	235.4	1255.4	892.3	
Low	194.0	124.8	122.5	155.8	714.8	39.2	
1930 - High	222.1	142.3	151.8	178.6	1037.2	243.1	
Low	112.6	99.8	70.7	100.6	569.4	15.6	
1931 - High	127.2	113.4	84.4	115.1	726.4	99.0	
Low	68.1	53.8	42.4	58.8	330.8	3.1	
1932 - High	72.0	59.3	52.9	62.9	506.8	47.6	
Low	44.0	30.5	41.2	38.6	230.0	2.8	
1932							
May	51.4	36.9	49.4	44.6	261.2	6.2	
June	48.8	34.9	46.5	42.2	251.0	4.9	
July	56.6	41.8	49.9	48.7	306.6	9.1	
August	69.9	51.9	52.7	58.5	408.0	23.1	
September	73.8	56.9	56.5	62.8	470.6	26.7	
October	63.1	49.1	47.4	53.7	393.6	8.2	
November	62.5	46.6	48.3	52.6	377.9	7.0	
December	58.4	45.1	48.9	50.5	359.5	4.8	
1933							
January	59.6	44.6	48.9	50.8	366.2	7.1	
February	56.3	38.6	46.6	46.6	340.0	9.4	
March	57.3	38.2	45.5	46.6	352.9	9.3	
April	67.5	38.5	53.0	52.0	388.9	23.9	
May	85.8	47.2	64.2	64.7	568.4	49.8	
June	103.6	53.8	74.2	76.1	789.4	86.2	
Week ending June 1st	84.0	44.3	57.3	63.5	676.9	84.7	
" " " 8th	86.7	46.5	59.8	66.0	719.4	75.3	
" " " 15th	88.0	47.5	63.5	67.6	759.9	84.9	
" " " 22nd	86.4	46.5	65.7	67.0	745.8	58.0	
" " " 29th	96.9	48.4	71.9	73.1	932.7	136.1	
" " July 6th	102.7	50.8	73.5	76.7	1000.9	83.6	
" " " 13th	105.8	52.6	74.7	79.0	1146.1	168.9	
" " " 20th	111.1	53.1	73.5	81.1	1359.0	204.8	

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

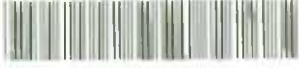
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Note: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

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	Mis- cell- aneous	Total	Trans- port- ation	Tele- phone Tele- graph	Power and Trac- tion	Total	In- dust- rial	Util- ity	Grand Total
1933	93	19	8	5	4	9	19	8	21	19	2	2	15	6	1	5	118
<u>1926</u>	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
x 1929 - 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
x 1930 - 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
x 1931 - 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
x 1932 - High	72.0	75.8	9.0	61.2	110.6	40.2	90.8	48.5	89.9	59.3	48.1	81.1	74.5	52.9	70.1	46.3	62.9
Low	44.0	36.8	1.4	34.9	78.3	24.0	66.5	27.3	39.1	30.5	20.2	52.0	37.5	41.2	50.8	28.5	38.6
<u>1932</u>																	
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	38.3	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	86.5	40.7	73.9	49.1	39.0	73.4	77.7	47.4	64.3	33.1	53.7
November	62.5	51.3	3.1	48.3	95.9	38.7	85.9	43.3	74.2	46.6	38.2	70.8	53.1	48.3	67.9	31.8	52.6
December	58.4	45.5	2.5	43.3	90.8	37.6	83.0	37.1	70.1	45.1	37.4	68.3	50.8	48.9	69.1	32.0	50.5
<u>1933</u>																	
January	59.6	49.5	3.3	41.1	93.6	36.8	82.9	34.0	71.2	44.6	35.6	70.5	51.2	48.9	69.7	31.4	50.8
February	56.3	44.4	3.6	39.7	86.5	33.6	80.2	32.6	69.7	38.6	26.8	63.6	48.3	46.6	67.8	28.7	46.6
March	57.3	44.8	2.3	37.8	86.7	32.2	78.6	36.0	73.1	38.2	25.3	64.0	48.9	45.5	66.5	27.8	46.6
April	67.5	48.6	2.7	44.3	98.1	31.2	85.3	37.8	95.2	38.5	27.9	61.1	47.4	53.0	78.4	31.5	52.0
May	85.8	65.5	3.8	60.9	122.4	45.7	105.1	63.2	116.1	47.2	36.8	69.7	56.2	64.2	90.3	42.4	64.7
June	103.6	83.0	6.4	70.3	141.6	55.2	118.2	106.4	136.5	53.8	43.7	74.5	63.0	74.2	105.1	48.3	76.1
June 8th	86.7	70.3	1.5	61.4	125.0	41.1	103.8	72.2	120.0	46.5	35.4	64.8	54.8	59.8	83.6	40.8	66.0
June 15th	88.0	70.5	1.5	59.8	125.1	42.4	102.6	71.1	124.5	47.5	36.3	65.2	56.0	63.5	86.6	45.2	67.6
June 22nd	86.4	67.4	1.2	58.1	123.9	41.8	101.5	69.9	121.8	46.5	35.9	64.7	54.3	65.7	92.8	43.9	67.0
June 29th	96.9	76.9	1.6	62.5	139.5	45.8	109.0	113.5	126.6	48.4	38.7	65.3	55.4	71.9	101.0	48.5	73.1
July 6th	102.7	82.5	1.9	63.8	147.5	47.7	113.0	118.9	134.7	50.8	40.7	69.4	57.8	73.5	103.0	49.8	76.7
July 13th	105.8	83.2	1.8	67.8	147.6	48.9	121.2	155.8	134.4	52.6	41.5	70.8	60.9	74.7	104.0	51.2	79.0
July 20th	111.1	91.2	1.9	72.8	149.5	48.5	131.9	192.7	137.3	53.1	41.2	74.1	61.6	73.5	102.4	50.4	81.1

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