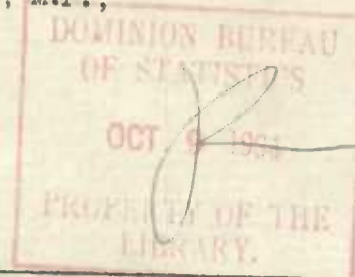


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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1926=100)

The "Investors'" 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 October 4th.

The "Investors'" index for all three groups of common stocks combined was 91.7 for the week ending October 4th, as compared with 91.1 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of industrial common stocks was 121.5 for the week ending October 4th, as compared with 121.3 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of domestic utility common stocks was 50.2 for the week ending October 4th, as compared with 50.4 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 110.8 for the week ending October 4th, as compared with 107.8 for the previous week.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS

	x Prices			x Sales		
	1934 Oct. 4 \$	1934 Sept. 27 \$	1933 Oct. 5 \$	1934 Oct. 4	1934 Sept. 27	1933 Oct. 5
Bell Telephone	120.7	119.9	109.5	664	873	852
Brazilian	11.7	11.5	14.0	19,505	22,569	15,866
B.C. Power "A"	27.2	27.1	24.8	510	475	290
Bruck Silk	14.4	13.3	21.4	490	930	1,730
Canada Cement	6.9	6.2	6.9	3,053	1,515	988
Can. Dredge & Dry Dock	22.4	21.0	18.9	740	165	290
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	7.8	8.2	18.4	2,321	3,375	11,747
C.P.R.	13.3	13.4	14.3	3,211	7,757	5,693
Cons. Smelters	128.7	131.1	135.2	785	513	2,993
Consumers Gas	189.8	188.8	182.8	191	88	56
Dominion Bridge	32.0	30.9	27.5	1,160	925	1,217
Dominion Textile	79.2	82.8	64.5	221	30	116
Ford "A"	21.3	20.2	12.3	6,775	4,627	3,842
Hinde & Dauch	8.8	8.5	-	775	160	-
Eollinger	20.2	20.9	10.6	6,260	4,378	4,995
International Nickel	24.1	24.1	20.4	11,973	13,347	36,828
Loblaws	17.0	16.9	14.7	1,318	1,173	1,170
McCull-Fontenac Oil	13.3	13.2	11.9	1,135	1,772	785
Montreal Light, Heat and Power	32.3	32.6	35.0	4,056	2,945	3,983
National Breweries	28.1	27.9	26.1	1,843	1,547	1,470
Page-Hersey	69.7	66.1	63.9	644	45	85
Shawinigan	18.2	18.2	17.1	2,217	1,801	4,197
Steel of Canada	37.2	35.4	27.6	2,400	1,639	460
Walkers	25.0	25.6	45.2	1,565	4,383	23,137
Weston Ltd.	45.9	46.0	55.8	210	416	895

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

TABLE OF INDEX NUMBERS

		Investors' Index Number of Common Stocks			
		87 Industrial		26 Public Utility	
		Companies Located in Canada		Companies Located Abroad	
		Industrial	Public Utility		All
1926		100	100	100	100
1929	High	311.0	163.6	213.3	235.4
	Low	194.0	124.8	122.5	155.8
1930	High	222.1	142.3	151.8	178.6
	Low	112.6	99.8	70.7	100.6
1931	High	127.2	113.4	84.4	115.1
	Low	68.1	53.8	42.4	58.8
1932	High	72.0	59.3	52.9	62.9
	Low	44.0	30.5	41.2	38.6
1933	High	131.4	64.5	92.0	97.7
	Low	56.9	37.3	47.9	49.0
1933					
	May	88.6	49.5	67.3	67.1
	June	107.1	56.4	77.9	79.0
	July	122.3	61.5	85.8	88.4
	August	117.2	56.8	81.0	83.6
	September	119.1	53.5	84.0	83.5
	October	103.6	48.5	78.6	74.5
	November	113.4	47.8	83.0	78.8
	December	111.4	47.8	80.2	77.5
1934					
	January	118.6	53.5	86.4	83.8
	February	123.8	58.0	91.9	88.7
	March	128.5	58.8	89.2	90.3
	April	133.0	58.1	98.3	93.4
	May	128.0	56.7	99.3	91.1
	June	126.1	54.5	101.1	89.8
	July	116.6	50.6	93.7	83.1
	August	120.1	51.2	100.5	85.9
	September	118.8	50.1	104.8	85.7
	Week ending Sept. 6th	122.1	50.8	105.4	91.1
	" " " 13th	118.8	49.9	103.8	89.1
	" " " 20th	118.5	49.5	102.8	88.6
	" " " 27th	121.3	50.4	107.8	91.1
	" " Oct. 4th	121.5	50.2	110.8	91.7

Purpose of 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.

~~+~~ 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.

INDUSTRIALS

UTILITIES

COMPANIES ABROAD

Number of Securities	INDUSTRIALS										UTILITIES			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
1934	87	17	6	4	4	10	18	8	20	20	2	2	16	6	1	5	113
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
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	221.1	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
x 1933 - High	131.4	106.2	12.4	87.6	168.4	75.1	157.5	241.9	158.6	64.5	53.4	88.5	74.4	92.0	137.1	64.6	97.7
Low	56.9	44.1	2.5	38.0	87.7	30.7	82.3	39.8	66.9	37.3	23.7	62.3	47.7	47.9	67.6	30.3	49.0
1933																	
August	117.2	95.2	11.2	79.3	153.2	62.5	130.8	160.9	150.5	56.8	43.2	85.3	67.7	81.0	115.5	50.9	83.6
September	119.1	88.6	10.8	75.8	156.1	65.2	124.9	168.6	155.1	53.5	39.4	84.9	64.3	84.0	122.9	49.9	83.5
October	103.6	75.7	8.9	73.6	133.6	61.6	115.1	134.8	139.0	48.5	32.5	83.0	60.4	78.6	115.5	46.3	74.5
November	113.4	78.6	8.5	72.9	155.7	60.8	118.1	135.1	151.3	47.8	31.5	84.2	59.7	83.0	129.1	42.3	78.8
December	111.4	79.3	7.8	68.4	143.9	58.6	117.1	148.5	152.9	47.8	32.5	86.4	58.1	80.2	124.8	41.0	77.5
1934																	
January	118.6	98.1	11.4	74.9	147.0	66.6	122.6	163.6	160.9	53.5	38.6	86.2	64.8	86.4	133.5	45.0	83.8
February	123.8	114.6	13.6	77.1	153.7	73.3	128.2	148.5	169.0	58.0	42.1	88.8	70.9	91.9	141.6	48.3	88.7
March	128.5	113.6	13.2	77.1	153.2	76.3	129.4	141.8	189.2	58.8	43.3	90.0	71.1	89.2	140.3	44.3	90.3
April	133.0	114.9	13.2	75.2	159.4	76.8	134.3	138.0	198.4	58.1	42.0	90.9	70.7	98.3	161.4	42.6	93.4
May	128.0	106.9	13.8	74.3	159.0	79.1	129.9	113.8	190.5	56.7	40.2	90.0	69.7	99.3	166.4	40.0	91.1
June	126.1	104.7	12.5	74.1	161.9	77.7	128.1	113.5	182.5	54.5	37.9	90.2	67.0	101.1	175.1	35.5	89.8
July	116.6	97.8	10.5	72.4	153.8	72.7	123.3	86.7	168.9	50.6	32.9	89.6	63.4	93.7	161.4	33.6	83.1
August	120.1	100.7	9.9	73.2	158.0	73.1	125.5	91.3	174.7	51.2	33.4	89.4	64.4	100.5	171.3	37.6	85.9
September	118.8	98.8	9.6	72.6	160.2	71.9	123.4	93.8	168.4	50.1	33.1	90.6	61.7	104.8	176.3	41.4	85.7
1933																	
October 5th	114.6	80.7	9.1	75.0	148.1	64.0	124.8	183.0	148.5	51.6	36.8	83.4	63.0	85.2	120.4	55.0	84.4
1934																	
September 6th	122.1	98.7	8.9	74.1	159.5	72.8	131.8	115.7	172.3	50.8	34.4	89.3	63.8	105.4	174.6	42.4	91.1
September 13th	118.8	96.2	8.9	72.5	155.5	72.3	129.6	109.6	167.6	49.9	33.1	89.2	63.0	103.8	172.1	41.6	89.1
September 20th	118.5	96.7	9.0	72.4	157.4	71.2	127.0	107.4	165.7	49.5	32.8	89.8	62.2	102.8	169.0	42.7	88.6
September 27th	121.3	98.9	9.2	72.2	162.4	71.9	127.6	109.3	169.3	50.4	34.3	91.1	62.3	107.8	176.4	45.6	91.1
October 4th	121.5	102.8	9.1	72.0	162.4	71.1	128.2	108.3	169.1	50.2	34.0	91.6	62.0	110.8	182.0	46.2	91.7

x Weekly figures.

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