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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 November 22nd.

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The "Investors'" index for all/groups of common stocks combined was 92.1 for the week ending November 22nd, as compared with 94.4 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of industrial common stocks was 126.8 for the week ending November 22nd, as compared with 128.8 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of domestic utility common stocks was 45.4 for the week ending November 22nd, as compared with 47.0 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 112.9 for the week ending November 22nd, as compared with 117.0 for the previous week.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS

	x Prices			x Sales		
	1934 Nov. 22	1934 Nov. 15	1934 Nov. 23	1934 Nov. 22	1934 Nov. 15	1933 Nov. 23
	\$	\$	\$			
Bell Telephone	121.1	123.3	110.2	1,659	484	737
Brazilian	10.1	11.1	11.1	18,390	15,165	11,382
Canadian Bronze	25.6	24.9	-	540	255	-
Canadian Car & Foundry	7.0	7.6	4.7	2,790	2,395	577
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	8.1	8.9	14.7	5,786	4,914	11,010
C.P.R.	11.1	11.7	12.0	10,948	7,993	8,023
Cockshutt Plow Co.	6.8	6.1	7.8	3,395	415	505
Cons. Bakeries	11.6	11.0	7.7	6,526	2,554	274
Cons. Smelters	135.0	137.9	134.2	570	1,241	2,758
Consumers Gas	189.0	190.0	182.2	159	634	230
Dominion Bridge	31.9	32.8	25.7	1,427	3,401	662
Dominion Textile	83.2	83.8	64.7	272	455	455
Ford "A"	24.2	24.7	12.8	4,016	12,728	10,833
Hollinger	18.6	20.2	10.6	2,425	2,515	2,975
International Nickel	22.3	23.1	21.8	15,670	11,344	55,393
Loblaws	17.0	17.4	14.9	2,330	2,125	1,416
Massey-Harris	3.7	3.8	4.6	4,395	14,930	1,440
Montreal, Light, Heat and Power	29.0	29.9	33.3	31,275	14,162	2,841
Montreal Tramways	75.8	81.8	110.0	426	171	160
National Breweries	30.4	30.3	24.5	4,159	5,992	2,687
Page-Hersey	69.8	71.3	59.9	210	75	185
Shawinigan	16.0	16.7	16.9	5,448	2,779	3,027
Steel of Canada	39.0	39.9	28.5	1,940	1,706	535
Walkers	25.2	26.6	35.6	5,298	3,315	15,058
Weston Ltd.	44.4	44.3	50.0	2,077	1,835	640

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		
Industrial	Public	Abroad		All
	Utility			
<u>1926</u>	100	100	100	100
<u>1929</u> - High	311.0	163.6	213.3	235.4
Low	194.0	124.8	122.5	155.8
<u>1930</u> - High	222.1	142.3	151.8	178.6
Low	112.6	99.8	70.7	100.6
<u>1931</u> - High	127.2	113.4	84.4	115.1
Low	68.1	53.8	42.4	58.8
<u>1932</u> - High	72.0	59.3	52.9	62.9
Low	44.0	30.5	41.2	38.6
<u>1933</u> - High	131.4	64.5	92.0	97.7
Low	56.9	37.3	47.9	49.0
<u>1933</u>				
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	82.0	78.8
December	111.4	47.8	80.2	77.5
<u>1934</u>				
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
October	122.0	49.0	108.6	87.1
Week ending October 4th	121.5	50.2	110.8	91.7
" " " 11th	122.6	49.6	112.0	92.1
" " " 18th	125.6	48.9	112.4	93.1
" " " 25th	125.2	49.0	110.5	92.6
" " November 1st	121.9	47.9	107.2	90.2
" " " 8th	124.1	47.7	112.1	91.9
" " " 15th	128.8	47.0	117.0	94.4
" " " 22nd	126.8	45.4	112.9	92.1

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.

Number of Securities	Total	INDUSTRIALS								UTILITIES			COMPANIES ABROAD				
		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
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
x1932 - 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
x1933 - 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																	
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
October	122.0	107.7	9.8	68.4	169.0	74.4	126.6	89.2	168.8	49.0	31.1	92.7	60.8	108.6	183.1	42.4	87.1
1933																	
November 23rd	117.3	77.7	8.2	72.6	162.6	60.8	123.9	146.8	154.8	47.8	30.9	83.9	60.6	89.0	137.1	46.2	84.5
1934																	
October 11th	122.6	106.0	9.2	72.2	164.3	71.9	129.4	110.6	169.0	49.6	33.0	92.2	61.6	112.0	184.5	46.3	92.1
October 18th	125.6	108.8	9.6	71.2	171.4	74.9	132.2	111.5	170.4	48.9	31.7	91.4	61.6	112.4	185.1	46.5	93.1
October 25th	125.2	109.2	9.5	67.9	172.4	74.8	133.0	107.2	169.1	49.0	31.2	92.5	62.2	110.5	182.0	45.6	92.6
November 1st	121.9	105.4	9.0	66.0	171.0	73.0	130.8	101.6	162.3	47.9	30.2	92.6	60.8	107.2	176.4	44.4	90.2
November 4 8th	124.1	109.0	9.2	63.9	174.3	74.1	131.1	112.4	162.6	47.7	29.7	94.4	60.5	112.1	186.3	44.7	91.9
November 15th	128.8	112.0	10.6	66.7	184.3	74.0	132.8	115.6	166.6	47.0	30.0	93.5	58.8	117.0	196.8	44.4	94.4
November 22nd	126.8	109.7	10.4	68.7	183.1	73.2	132.4	114.2	161.8	45.4	28.5	91.9	57.1	112.9	191.2	41.5	92.1

x Weekly figures.



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