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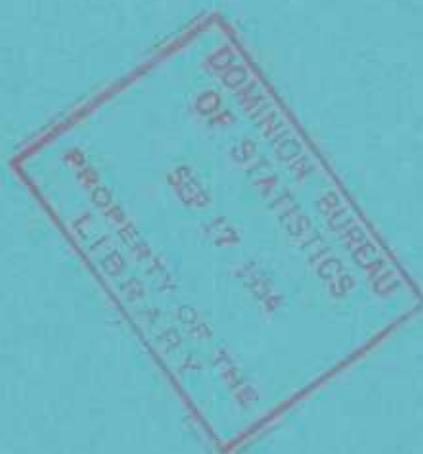


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EMPLOYMENT, PAYROLLS AND AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS,
JULY, 1954.

Summary

Industrial employment showed further seasonal expansion at the beginning of July, when the index rose by 2.3 p.c. from June 1. The gain approximated the post-war average for the time of year. The index, however, was 3.0 p.c. lower than at July 1, 1953, and was also fractionally below the July 1, 1952, figure. With these exceptions, it was the highest in the record for July. The weekly wages and salaries paid employees of the co-operating establishments on or about the date under review were greater by 3.2 p.c. than in the week of June 1, when the disbursements had been reduced by observance of the Victoria Day holiday. Although the payroll index was lower by 0.6 p.c. than at the same date in 1953, it was otherwise a maximum for the beginning of July. The average weekly earnings rose by 52 cents in the month, and were \$1.37 above the July 1, 1953, figure, being exceeded only by the per capita wages and salaries recorded from Mar. 1 to May 1 of this year.

The upward movement in employment at July 1 extended to workers of both sexes, the staffs of men reported in the major industrial divisions rising by 2.5 p.c. from June 1, and those of women, by 1.4 p.c. As compared with July 1 of last year, there were decreases of 3.0 p.c. and 2.8 p.c. among men and women, respectively. The number of employees of the latter sex was 222 per 1,000 at the date under review, differing only slightly from the proportions recorded a month and a year earlier.

There was general improvement in the situation at the beginning of July, when industrial employment was in greater volume in all provinces, in 27 of the cities for which data are published in this bulletin, in all major industrial divisions, and in most of the groups. Exceptions were clothing and transportation equipment manufacturing, in which staffs declined by 0.6 p.c. and 4.2 p.c., respectively. The losses in the former were seasonal. Within the latter, the largest reductions were reported in the motor vehicle, parts and accessories industries. The most marked expansion was in forestry, (15.8 p.c.), food and beverages, (6.9 p.c.), construction, (6.4 p.c.), transportation, storage and communication, (2.4 p.c.), and service, (5.5 p.c.). On the whole, the changes indicated at July 1 followed the seasonal pattern for the time of year.

Payrolls.- The weekly wages and salaries reported at July 1 showed the largest increase recorded in any month since Feb. 1, 1952. The gain as compared with the preceding survey was due in the main to two factors - heightened employment, and a return to more usual hours of work than in the week of June 1 which had included the Victoria Day holiday. Upward adjustment of wage rates in some establishments and considerable expansion of activity in certain industries employing large numbers and proportions of men, such as construction, also contributed to some extent. In spite of the unusually sharp rise of 3.2 p.c. in the payroll disbursements reported in the latest survey, the July 1 index was slightly below its position 12 months earlier. With that exception, it was a maximum for the time of year.

The upward movement as compared with June 1 extended to all provinces, to all but 5 of the 32 cities for which data are published, to all major industrial divisions, and to most of their component groups and sub-groups. The most important exception was transportation equipment manufacturing, in which the wages and salaries fell by 2.9 p.c., accompanying a loss of 4.2 p.c. in employment.

TABLE A. Areas and Industries Summary of Employment, Payrolls and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Area and Industries	Index Numbers (1949=100)						Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars			Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment			Payrolls							
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953		
(a) Provinces											
Newfoundland	134.0	122.2	154.7	185.2	178.0	239.5	54.70	54.69	58.12	40,405	
Prince Edward Island	113.2	111.0	119.6	150.6	148.7	157.9	44.84	45.16	44.47	4,375	
Nova Scotia	98.7	96.1	103.9	151.4	126.0	135.5	49.78	49.08	48.09	84,367	
New Brunswick	98.2	95.4	100.4	130.1	124.8	129.2	50.12	49.48	48.66	58,124	
Quebec	110.5	107.7	113.7	150.6	145.8	151.0	55.90	55.61	54.40	712,654	
Ontario	112.2	110.7	116.7	155.4	151.8	156.2	61.33	60.57	59.77	1,061,238	
Manitoba	105.6	103.2	109.3	140.5	135.4	142.4	56.64	55.82	55.49	127,478	
Saskatchewan	122.6	118.9	119.7	165.6	156.8	159.9	55.96	55.56	55.35	63,563	
Alberta	130.4	124.7	131.3	175.7	166.4	174.8	59.84	59.25	59.18	130,543	
British Columbia	108.5	106.5	111.6	155.4	151.6	156.9	65.32	65.05	64.28	226,081	
Canada	111.5	109.0	114.9	153.5	148.9	154.5	58.94	58.42	57.57	2,509,608	
(b) Metropolitan Areas											
St. John's	114.6	110.5	120.9	152.7	151.3	157.3	42.93	44.21	41.90	11,027	
Sydney	93.9	91.8	99.4	121.7	116.7	125.6	60.82	59.62	58.38	17,846	
Halifax	111.4	109.4	112.4	147.5	145.5	144.9	47.14	47.51	45.88	27,080	
Saint John	98.0	94.1	95.6	129.9	120.0	122.5	47.54	45.73	45.90	13,981	
Quebec	113.7	111.5	112.0	152.1	147.0	147.49	48.43	48.58	48.81		
Sherbrooke	99.2	97.3	105.6	126.5	124.1	130.7	45.99	45.99	44.72	10,740	
Three Rivers	107.9	102.1	106.0	148.4	137.8	138.8	56.52	55.57	53.81	12,647	
Drummondville	67.2	66.4	85.3	88.3	88.2	113.3	51.06	51.56	51.62	5,594	
Montreal	111.5	110.8	114.2	151.6	150.2	151.2	56.76	56.61	55.29	374,600	
Ottawa - Hull	112.3	110.1	108.9	155.8	151.0	144.8	54.47	53.82	51.76	44,664	
Peterborough	97.3	97.8	95.8	134.7	134.8	133.0	62.01	61.74	62.20	11,557	
Oshawa	139.2	155.4	166.5	174.5	192.4	219.3	63.85	63.06	64.07	16,535	
Niagara Falls	144.6	146.7	146.9	216.3	212.2	246.7	68.23	65.97	67.41	12,566	
St. Catharines	109.8	110.0	123.9	149.8	149.2	168.2	67.14	66.70	66.87	32,640	
Toronto	120.9	120.1	119.8	171.1	168.0	163.0	62.62	61.89	60.25	381,214	
Hamilton	104.3	104.3	111.7	142.7	141.8	147.1	63.42	63.04	61.64	75,688	
Brantford	81.7	81.8	88.1	110.3	111.0	113.3	59.19	59.50	58.39	12,864	
Galt	98.8	97.9	106.4	136.9	134.0	150.4	54.47	53.78	54.49	9,524	
Kitchener	103.7	105.3	108.6	145.2	143.0	148.5	58.98	56.29	55.68	22,480	
Sudbury	136.9	134.3	133.4	184.2	181.5	184.8	71.99	72.32	74.17	20,946	
London	112.8	111.0	117.4	156.4	152.5	159.3	56.24	55.72	55.07	31,919	
Sarnia	125.5	122.4	124.7	192.0	180.4	179.4	76.59	71.53	70.08	11,540	
Windsor	97.1	96.9	116.2	131.2	126.9	167.3	67.78	65.70	68.26	41,781	
Sault Ste. Marie	109.3	107.8	141.0	144.9	145.1	186.9	67.65	68.65	67.76	9,731	
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur	107.6	105.6	124.5	146.2	141.4	168.5	60.94	60.07	61.06	15,089	
Winnipeg	104.0	101.8	105.0	141.0	136.8	137.4	53.78	53.35	51.92	83,884	
Regina	123.9	120.1	112.4	175.7	168.3	148.8	54.21	53.57	50.61	15,719	
Saskatoon	125.7	122.9	120.4	175.4	171.5	160.7	52.09	52.09	49.82	10,571	
Edmonton	147.2	141.5	149.7	209.2	193.5	215.8	57.86	55.66	58.80	37,140	
Calgary	132.6	129.8	130.1	184.0	179.7	172.8	58.32	58.17	56.93	32,454	
Vancouver	105.5	101.9	102.4	146.2	142.3	138.3	61.84	61.14	59.22	98,202	
Victoria	111.0	108.5	109.7	156.8	151.6	151.8	58.81	58.16	57.63	16,542	
(c) Industries											
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.4	77.2	93.6	133.5	110.2	136.0	59.63	56.98	57.94	61,910	
Mining	111.3	108.7	113.7	151.5	148.6	151.0	69.85	70.38	68.23	99,835	
Manufacturing	108.7	107.7	114.7	151.5	149.0	155.0	61.00	60.54	59.16	1,131,666	
Durable Goods ¹	116.1	116.7	125.8	161.3	160.0	171.1	65.24	64.42	63.86	560,241	
Non-Durable Goods	102.3	99.9	105.0	141.8	138.1	139.0	56.84	56.64	54.25	571,615	
Construction	117.1	110.0	127.5	173.5	157.1	187.7	61.35	59.13	50.94	235,125	
Transportation, storage, communication	111.4	108.5	114.5	144.5	140.5	147.5	62.28	62.02	61.80	342,826	
Public utility operation	119.7	116.0	117.1	169.5	163.8	158.6	67.39	67.22	64.71	49,671	
Trade	114.6	115.2	112.0	157.7	155.1	147.8	50.97	50.68	48.80	364,970	
Finance, insurance and real estate	127.3	126.6	120.1	163.9	162.8	147.7	54.36	54.27	51.94	118,665	
Service ²	117.2	111.1	111.1	164.8	148.2	141.7	58.26	58.62	56.80	104,448	
Industrial composite	111.5	109.0	114.9	153.5	148.9	154.5	58.94	58.42	57.57	2,509,606	

1. Includes wood products, iron and steel products, transportation equipment, non-ferrous metal products, electrical apparatus and supplies and non-metallic mineral products. The non-durable group includes the remaining manufacturing industries.

2. Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants and business and recreational services.

Per Capita Earnings.— The July 1 industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 52 cents from June 1, when, as elsewhere stated, the earnings had been reduced by loss in working time over the Victoria Day holiday. The gains at the date under review resulting from a return to more usual working hours, were partly offset by seasonal changes in the industrial and occupational distributions of employees included in the survey, many additional casual and summer workers being taken on at rates usually below the average; in Quebec, another factor tending to lower the average earnings in some cases was a considerable falling-off in hours worked in the week owing to the observance of the St. Jean Baptiste holiday. The latest Canada figure was higher than at July 1 in any earlier year, and was exceeded only by the averages recorded in the period, Mar. 1 to May 1, 1954.

The trend in the month was upward in all provinces except Prince Edward Island, in 24 of the metropolitan areas for which data appear in this bulletin, in all principal industrial divisions except service and mining, and in a great many of the component industries. The decline of 36 cents in the service division was largely due to the employment of numerous seasonal workers in summer hotels; as has been mentioned on other occasions, the payroll and average earnings figures in this series do not include the value of board and lodging frequently provided such employees. Lower hours, on the average, were mainly responsible for a reduction of 43 cents in the weekly figure for mining, in which the latest average was the maximum in the record for July 1.

In most cases, the area and industry averages at July 1 were higher than in the same period in 1953 and preceding years.

Changes in Employment for Men and Women.— The number of men and women on the payrolls of the larger industrial establishments at the beginning of July rose by 2.5 p.c. and 1.4 p.c., respectively. Women made up 222 per 1,000 of both sexes, as compared with 223 per 1,000 a month earlier, and 221, 216, 218, 220, 221, 217, 221 and 231 per 1,000 at July 1 in 1953, 1952, 1951, 1950, 1949, 1948, 1947 and 1946, respectively. In the last 12 months, the reported number of men has fallen by 3.0 p.c., and that of women, by 2.8 p.c.

Employment for men in manufacturing showed an increase of 0.9 p.c. at the date under review as compared with June 1, since when the staffs of women had risen by 1.2 p.c. Substantial seasonal expansion in work for persons of the latter sex was indicated in fruit and vegetable preserving, with smaller gains in certain other branches of manufacturing, and in trade and service, notably hotels and restaurants. As compared with July 1, 1953, there were losses of 4.7 p.c. and 7.2 p.c. in the reported numbers of men and women, respectively, in the labour forces of manufacturing plants. The proportion of workers of the latter sex per 1,000 factory employees was 218 at the beginning of July, as compared with 217 at June 1, 1954, and 222, 218, 224 and 229 at July 1 in 1953, 1952, 1951 and 1950, respectively.

Changes in the Major Industrial Divisions.— Further and more marked improvement was indicated in manufacturing at the first of July, when the increase of 0.9 p.c. brought the index to its highest position this year. The latest figure, however, was 5.2 p.c. lower than at July 1, 1953. The weekly wages and salaries paid by the co-operating establishments on or about July 1, 1954, rose by 1.7 p.c. in the month, but were less by 2.3 p.c. than in the corresponding week a year ago. The general figure of average weekly earnings in manufacturing, at \$61.00, was 46 cents higher than at the beginning of June, and \$1.84 higher than at the same date in 1953.

Employment in the production of durable manufactured goods showed a minor decline from a month earlier; the loss of 0.5 p.c. took place largely in the transportation equipment, notably the motor vehicle group, with smaller reductions in railway equipment, aircraft and shipbuilding plants. Electrical apparatus and supply and miscellaneous

Table B.- Index Numbers of Employment, Payrolls and Wages and Salaries, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Canada, (1949=100).

Year and Month	Industrial Composite ^{1/}				Manufacturing			
	Index Numbers				Index Numbers			
	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Average Wages and Salaries	Average Weekly Wages and Salaries	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Average Wages and Salaries	Average Weekly Wages and Salaries
1947 - Average	95.7	80.7	84.2	\$36.19	97.2	80.4	82.6	\$36.34
1948 - Average	99.7	93.2	93.2	40.06	100.1	92.6	92.5	40.67
1949 - Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	42.06	100.0	100.0	100.0	43.97
1950 - Average	101.5	106.0	104.4	44.64	100.9	106.2	105.1	46.21
1951 - Average	108.5	125.6	115.5	49.61	108.0	126.1	116.6	51.25
1952 - Average	111.6	140.3	126.0	54.13	109.3	139.7	127.5	56.11
1953 - Average	113.4	151.5	133.4	57.30	113.3	152.4	134.2	59.01
1951 - Jan. 1	105.9	111.4	105.4	45.27	103.7	110.0	106.0	46.60
Feb. 1	104.1	115.7	111.4	47.87	104.9	118.5	112.9	49.64
Mar. 1	104.1	116.5	112.2	48.19	105.9	119.5	112.7	49.56
Apr. 1	104.7	117.8	112.7	48.43	107.3	122.2	113.8	50.03
May 1	106.1	121.1	114.5	49.17	108.0	124.9	115.6	50.84
June 1	108.9	124.6	114.9	49.34	109.2	126.5	115.8	50.90
July 1	110.9	129.2	116.8	50.17	110.2	129.7	117.6	51.70
Aug. 1	111.4	129.7	116.8	50.16	110.3	129.7	117.5	51.68
Sept. 1	112.0	131.8	117.9	50.66	110.3	131.5	119.1	52.37
Oct. 1	112.7	135.0	120.1	51.59	110.4	134.0	121.2	53.31
Nov. 1	112.6	136.1	121.2	52.05	108.5	133.1	122.6	53.89
Dec. 1	112.7	137.2	122.0	52.41	107.5	133.2	123.8	54.44
1952 - Jan. 1	109.4	128.0	117.4	50.42	104.4	123.2	117.9	51.82
Feb. 1	107.4	132.7	123.8	53.19	105.3	132.6	125.9	55.35
Mar. 1	107.6	134.7	125.6	53.95	106.5	135.0	126.7	55.72
Apr. 1	107.5	135.5	126.4	54.32	107.0	137.7	128.6	56.55
May 1	107.2	135.2	126.5	54.34	107.3	138.1	128.6	56.55
June 1	110.3	138.4	125.9	54.08	108.5	138.6	127.6	56.09
July 1	112.1	140.4	125.6	53.96	108.8	138.6	127.2	55.95
Aug. 1	114.1	142.7	125.4	53.89	110.3	139.9	126.7	55.70
Sept. 1	115.2	145.8	127.0	54.55	112.8	144.7	128.2	56.35
Oct. 1	116.4	148.9	128.3	55.12	114.2	148.3	129.6	57.09
Nov. 1	116.2	150.1	129.5	55.65	113.6	149.1	131.1	57.65
Dec. 1	116.1	151.3	130.8	56.12	113.5	151.0	132.0	58.46
1953 - Jan. 1	113.0	141.6	125.3	53.81	111.4	139.1	124.9	54.92
Feb. 1	110.3	145.6	132.0	56.72	111.9	149.7	133.8	58.82
Mar. 1	110.0	147.0	133.6	57.40	112.7	151.9	134.8	59.25
Apr. 1	110.0	146.7	133.4	57.33	112.9	152.6	135.2	59.43
May 1	110.9	148.2	133.9	57.52	113.1	152.9	135.2	59.43
June 1	112.4	151.5	134.4	57.72	113.4	154.0	135.2	59.43
July 1	114.9	154.5	134.0	57.57	114.7	155.0	134.5	59.16
Aug. 1	115.6	155.3	133.9	57.52	114.4	153.9	134.0	58.93
Sept. 1	116.6	157.0	134.1	57.61	115.6	155.4	133.8	58.83
Oct. 1	116.9	158.7	135.3	58.11	115.2	157.1	135.8	59.69
Nov. 1	115.9	157.4	135.3	58.14	113.1	155.0	136.4	59.98
Dec. 1	114.1	154.9	135.3	58.13	110.9	152.8	137.1	60.29
1954 - Jan. 1	109.9	145.3	131.7	56.56	108.0	143.7	132.5	58.24
Feb. 1	107.0	146.2	136.1	58.47	106.3	150.0	137.8	60.60
Mar. 1	106.6	147.6	137.8	59.22	108.3	151.2	139.0	61.13
Apr. 1	105.6	145.7	137.5	59.06	107.9	150.8	139.2	61.19
May 1	106.2	146.8	137.7	59.15	107.3	150.3	139.4	61.50
June 1	109.0	148.9	136.0	58.42	107.7	149.0	137.7	60.54
July 1	111.5	153.5	137.2	58.94	106.7	151.5	138.7	61.00
Aug. 1								
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1/Includes (1) Forestry (chiefly logging), (2) Mining (including milling), quarrying and oil wells, (3) Manufacturing, (4) Construction, (5) Transportation, storage and communication, (6) Public utility operation, (7) Trade, (8) Finance, insurance and real estate and (9) Service, (mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational service).

non-metallic mineral product plants also showed moderate curtailment. On the other hand, the working forces reported in wood products rose by 3.1 p.c., in non-metallic mineral products, by 2.6 p.c., and in iron and steel products, by 0.5 p.c. The weekly payrolls in the heavy manufactured goods industry were 0.8 p.c. higher than at June 1, but as compared with July 1, 1953, showed a decline of 5.7 p.c., accompanying a reduction of 7.8 p.c. in employment. The latest per capita earnings were higher by 2.2 p.c.

Staffs reported in the non-durable goods division generally increased by 2.4 p.c. in the month. The greatest gain, of 46.7 p.c., took place in fruit and vegetable canning and preserving, in which the advance exceeded that noted at July 1, 1953. Improvement from June 1 was also indicated in most other branches of the food and beverage group, and in leather products, textiles, (mainly woollen and synthetic textiles and silk), pulp and paper and paper products, printing and publishing, products of petroleum and coal, and chemical products. The increases were moderate, that of 3.2 p.c. in the pulp and paper group being most noteworthy. Women's clothing factories showed a decline of 0.2 p.c., largely seasonal in character. On the whole, employment in the non-durable goods group was 2.6 p.c. below its level 12 months ago, while payrolls have slightly risen in the interval.

General improvement of a seasonal character was indicated in the non-manufacturing industries for which data are obtained. Forestry showed greater activity in nearly all provinces, with Quebec showing the largest advance in employment, of 28.9 p.c. The trend was upward in mining in all provinces, notably in Nova Scotia, Quebec and Ontario. Construction firms increased their staffs by 6.4 p.c., a smaller proportion than at July 1, 1953, when the index was 8.9 p.c. above its present position. On the other hand, the gain of 2.4 p.c. from June 1 in transportation, storage and communication was rather larger. The increase in trade approximated that reported a year earlier. Employment in the service industries covered by the surveys mounted by 5.5 p.c. in the month. There was a small advance in finance, insurance and real estate. In all these divisions, and in most of their component groups, the payrolls disbursed were considerably higher than in the week of June 1. In all major industries except service and mining, the average wages and salaries were also higher.

Provincial Changes in Non-Agricultural Employment.— Accelerated industrial activity was recorded in all provinces at July 1, the increases in staffs from June 1 ranging from 1.3 p.c. in Ontario to 4.9 p.c. in Saskatchewan and 9.6 p.c. in Newfoundland. The gains in Quebec and British Columbia were 2.6 p.c. and 2.1 p.c., respectively. In most areas, the improvement was on a larger scale than at the same date last year. The general index numbers of employment in all provinces except Saskatchewan, however, were rather lower than at July 1, 1953.

The payrolls reported in all regions also showed an upward movement as compared with a month earlier. In 3 provinces, (New Brunswick, Saskatchewan and Alberta), the disbursements exceeded those indicated at July 1, 1953. Elsewhere, the indexes were rather lower. Only in Prince Edward Island were the per capita earnings at the date under review below their June 1 level. The gains elsewhere indicated ranged from a cent in Newfoundland to 82 cents in Manitoba. As compared with the week of July 1, 1953, higher averages were recorded in all provinces except Newfoundland.

There was substantial improvement in the industrial situation in the various parts of the country, the expansion in construction, manufacturing and transportation, storage and communication being particularly noteworthy in all provinces. Forestry in Quebec and Ontario, mining in Quebec and Nova Scotia, trade in Quebec and Ontario, and services, (mainly hotels and restaurants), in the Central Provinces and Alberta also reported important seasonal additions to the working forces.

TABLE C. Sex Distribution of Employees Reported, by Areas and Major Industries

Area and Industries	July 1, 1954					June 1, 1954		July 1, 1955	
	Both Sexes	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women
	No.	No.	No.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
(a) Provinces									
Newfoundland.....	40,406	36,196	4,209	89.6	10.4	89.2	10.8	91.2	8.8
Prince Edward Island.....	4,375	3,299	1,076	76.4	24.6	75.1	24.9	75.7	24.3
Nova Scotia.....	84,867	71,862	13,006	84.7	15.3	84.2	15.8	85.2	14.8
New Brunswick.....	58,124	47,891	10,238	82.4	17.6	82.5	17.5	82.1	17.9
Quebec.....	712,634	546,996	165,638	76.8	23.2	76.5	23.7	76.9	23.1
Ontario.....	1,061,236	810,132	261,104	76.3	23.7	76.3	23.7	76.6	23.4
Manitoba.....	127,478	98,428	29,050	77.2	22.8	77.2	22.8	77.4	22.6
Saskatchewan.....	63,563	50,695	12,868	79.8	20.2	78.6	21.4	79.6	20.5
Alberta.....	130,843	104,564	26,279	79.9	20.1	79.9	20.1	81.1	18.9
British Columbia.....	228,061	183,520	42,461	81.2	18.8	81.3	18.7	81.5	18.5
Canada.....	2,509,606	1,963,683	565,923	77.8	22.2	77.7	22.3	77.9	22.1
(b) Metropolitan Areas									
St. John's.....	11,027	8,681	2,346	76.7	21.3	78.4	21.6	79.0	21.0
Sydney.....	17,846	17,028	818	95.4	4.6	96.4	4.6	95.6	4.4
Halifax.....	27,080	19,794	7,286	73.1	26.9	72.3	27.7	73.3	26.7
Saint John.....	13,981	10,004	3,977	71.6	28.4	70.9	29.1	70.5	29.5
Quebec.....	40,881	28,922	11,959	70.7	29.3	70.6	29.4	70.6	29.2
Sherbrooke.....	10,740	7,783	2,957	72.5	27.5	72.2	27.8	71.5	28.5
Three Rivers.....	12,647	9,458	3,189	74.8	25.2	75.7	26.3	75.9	26.1
Drummondville.....	5,694	4,344	1,350	76.3	23.7	76.3	23.7	77.4	22.6
Montreal.....	374,600	265,853	108,747	71.0	29.0	70.7	29.3	71.3	28.7
Ottawa - Hull.....	44,664	32,048	12,616	71.8	28.2	71.3	28.7	71.3	28.7
Peterborough.....	11,557	8,819	2,738	76.3	23.7	77.4	22.6	76.0	24.0
Oshawa.....	16,535	14,065	2,470	85.1	14.9	86.2	13.8	86.5	13.5
Niagara Falls.....	12,566	9,861	2,705	78.5	21.5	79.3	20.7	81.6	18.5
St. Catharines.....	32,640	27,219	5,421	63.4	16.6	83.8	16.2	84.1	15.9
Toronto.....	581,214	266,198	116,016	69.8	30.2	69.7	30.3	69.5	30.5
Hamilton.....	75,668	67,504	18,184	76.0	24.0	76.9	24.1	75.1	24.9
Brantford.....	12,864	9,926	2,958	77.2	22.8	77.1	22.9	76.7	23.3
Galt.....	9,624	6,918	2,606	72.6	27.4	72.8	27.2	74.3	25.7
Kitchener.....	22,480	15,978	6,502	71.1	28.0	70.9	29.1	69.3	30.7
Sudbury.....	20,946	19,497	1,449	93.1	6.9	93.0	7.0	93.0	7.0
London.....	31,919	22,175	9,744	69.5	30.5	69.1	30.9	69.6	30.4
Sarnia.....	11,540	10,061	1,479	87.2	12.8	86.8	13.2	86.7	13.5
Windsor.....	41,781	34,288	7,493	82.1	17.9	81.9	18.1	83.4	18.6
Sault Ste. Marie.....	9,731	8,811	920	90.5	9.5	90.6	9.4	92.4	7.6
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur.....	13,069	10,850	2,259	82.9	17.1	82.6	17.4	86.6	14.4
Winnipeg.....	83,884	59,657	24,227	71.1	28.9	71.2	28.8	70.2	29.8
Regina.....	15,719	11,078	4,641	70.5	29.5	68.9	31.1	67.1	32.9
Saskatoon.....	10,571	7,579	2,992	71.7	28.3	70.9	29.1	71.0	29.0
Edmonton.....	57,140	27,686	9,554	74.3	25.7	73.7	26.3	76.3	23.7
Calgary.....	32,434	24,284	8,150	74.9	25.1	74.6	25.4	74.9	25.1
Vancouver.....	98,202	70,506	27,896	71.6	28.4	71.4	28.6	71.5	28.5
Victoria.....	15,542	11,860	3,692	76.2	23.8	77.1	22.9	75.8	24.2
(c) Industries									
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	61,910	60,864	1,066	98.3	1.7	98.2	1.8	98.2	1.8
Mining.....	99,935	96,594	3,341	96.7	3.3	96.7	3.3	96.9	3.1
Manufacturing.....	1,131,866	885,407	246,449	78.2	21.8	78.3	21.7	77.8	22.2
Durable Goods ¹	560,241	497,283	62,978	88.6	11.2	88.7	11.3	88.9	11.1
Non-Durable Goods.....	671,615	588,144	163,471	67.9	32.1	67.8	32.2	66.1	33.9
Construction.....	235,125	229,279	5,846	97.5	2.5	97.4	2.6	97.4	2.6
Transportation, storage, communication.....	342,826	291,366	51,460	86.0	15.0	84.9	15.1	85.5	14.6
Public utility operation.....	49,571	43,778	5,893	88.1	11.9	88.0	12.0	87.6	12.4
Trade.....	364,970	234,374	150,596	64.2	35.8	64.0	36.0	63.2	36.6
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	118,865	68,892	59,973	49.5	50.5	49.5	50.5	49.7	50.3
Service ²	104,448	53,139	51,309	60.9	49.1	50.6	49.4	50.3	49.7
Industrial composite.....	2,509,606	1,963,683	565,923	77.8	22.2	77.7	22.3	77.9	22.1

1. Includes wood products, iron and steel products, transportation equipment, non-ferrous metal products, electrical apparatus and supplies and non-metallic mineral products. The non-durable group includes the remaining manufacturing industries.

2. Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry-cleaning plants and business and recreational services.

Changes in the Metropolitan Areas.— Reduced employment was shown by the larger establishments in 5 of the 32 centres for which data are published in Tables A and C. These were Peterborough, Oshawa, Niagara Falls, St. Catharines and Brantford, where the losses varied from 0.1 p.c. in Brantford to 1.5 p.c. in Niagara Falls and 10.4 p.c. in Oshawa. Except in Niagara Falls, the most noteworthy declines in this group of cities were in manufacturing. The falling off in that industry in Oshawa, (13.3 p.c.), took place mainly in the motor vehicle and parts industries. Construction in Niagara Falls showed a reduction of 7.6 p.c. as compared with a month earlier.

The increases in the metropolitan areas reporting improvement ranged from 0.2 p.c. in Windsor and 0.3 p.c. in Kitchener, to 4.1 p.c. in Saint John and 5.6 p.c. in Three Rivers. In the 4 largest centres, there were gains amounting to 0.7 p.c. in Montreal and Toronto, 2.3 p.c. in Winnipeg, and 1.6 p.c. in Vancouver.

The trend in manufacturing was upward in 19 cities, including Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver. There was a decrease of 0.8 p.c. in that group of industries in Montreal. Construction afforded more employment in 27 of the municipalities listed, and transportation, storage and communication in 23. There was also widely distributed improvement as compared with June 1 in public utilities, trade, finance, insurance and real estate and service.

The amounts paid in weekly wages and salaries to persons employed by the larger industrial establishments were higher than in the preceding survey in 27 centres. In most of the cities showing lower disbursements, the losses accompanied slackened employment, but in Quebec, the observance of the St. Jean Baptiste holiday was a factor, the index of employment having risen by 2.0 p.c. In Sault Ste. Marie, a slightly shorter work week was mainly responsible for a small decline in payrolls, in spite of a minor increase in employment.

Among the centres in which wages and salaries advanced at the beginning of July, the most noteworthy gains were in Three Rivers, (7.8 p.c.), Edmonton, (8.1 p.c.), and Saint John, (8.3 p.c.). These cities had shown above-average increases in employment. The disbursements in Montreal rose by 0.9 p.c. in the month, in Toronto, by 1.9 p.c., in Winnipeg, by 3.1 p.c., and in Vancouver, by 2.8 p.c.; as elsewhere stated, the payrolls reported for the week ending on or about June 1 had been reduced in several centres by observance of the Victoria Day holiday.

The average weekly wages and salaries were unchanged at July 1 in Sherbrooke, and were rather lower in St. John's, Halifax, Quebec, Drummondville, Brantford, Sudbury and Sault Ste. Marie. Reduced hours in these centres contributed to the falling off, those in the Quebec cities being partly due to the celebration of a religious holiday in the survey week. A return to more usual hours, interrupted in the week of June 1 by observance of the Victoria Day holiday in many establishments, was a factor in the higher levels of per capita earnings indicated at the beginning of July in 24 of the larger centres. In most municipalities, the latest figures also exceeded the averages in the week of July 1, 1953.

CHART I.

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES
IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES

DOLLARS

80

INDUSTRIAL COMPOSITE

70

60

50

40

30

20

10

0

DOLLARS

80

MANUFACTURING

70

60

50

40

30

20

10

0

80

DURABLE
MANUFACTURED GOODS

70

60

50

40

30

20

10

0

1952

1953

1954

NON-DURABLE
MANUFACTURED GOODS

80

70

60

50

40

30

20

10

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1952

1953

1954

CHART 2.

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES

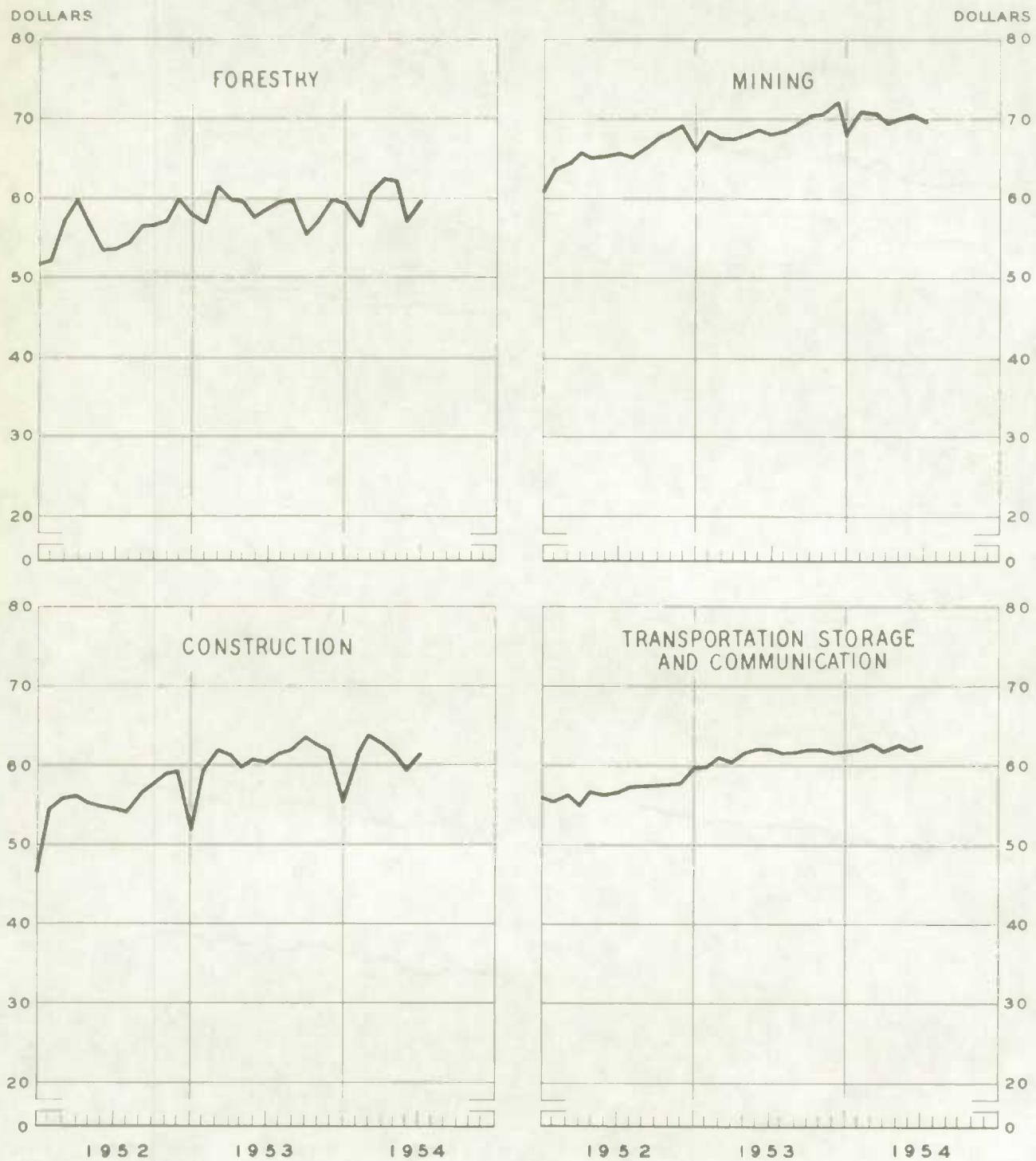
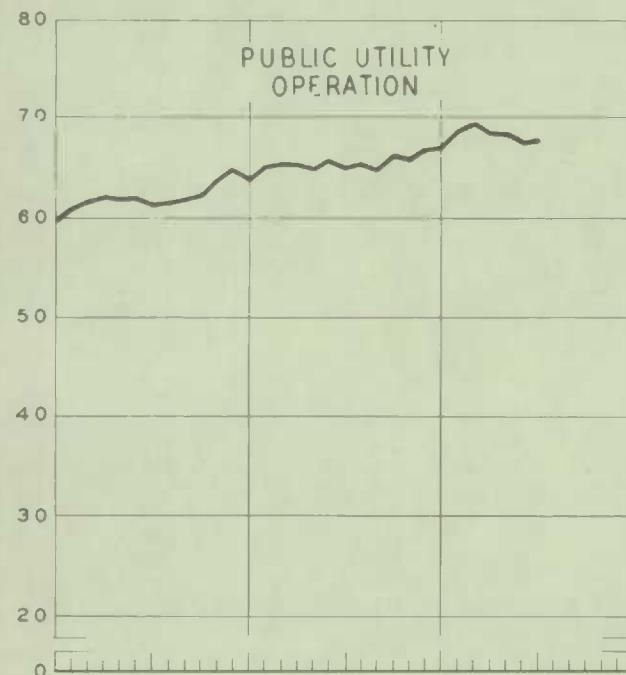


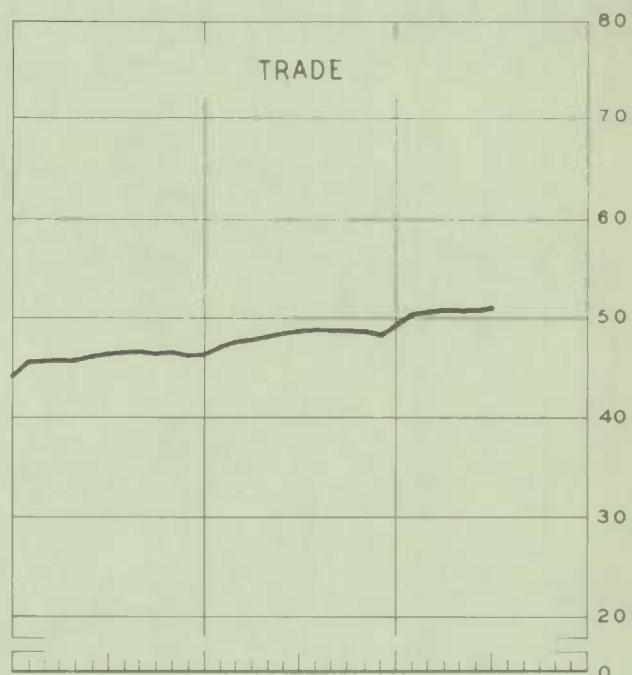
CHART 3

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES
IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES

DOLLARS



DOLLARS



80

FINANCE

70

60

50

40

30

20

10

0

1952

1953

1954

SERVICE

80

70

60

50

40

30

20

10

0

1952

1953

1954

Table 1.- Index Numbers of Employment, by Industrial Divisions, Canada, (1949=100).

Year and Month	Forestry		Mining	Manufacturing	Construction	Communication	Trans-		Finance,		Service ^{1/}
	Industrial Composite	(Chiefly Logging)					Storage & Public Utility Operation	Trade	Real Estate	Insurance,	
1947 - Average	95.7	149.6	88.6	97.2	85.6	95.4	76.7	90.2	91.5	94.6	
1948 - Average	99.7	138.4	97.2	100.1	95.4	99.0	89.0	96.3	96.0	99.1	
1949 - Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1950 - Average	101.5	100.8	105.5	100.9	102.4	99.9	101.3	103.2	105.4	101.0	
1951 - Average	108.8	138.6	110.6	108.0	110.2	106.1	103.4	107.4	115.2	103.1	
1952 - Average	111.6	123.9	116.8	109.3	122.5	110.9	107.5	109.9	121.9	106.6	
1953 - Average	113.4	100.0	111.7	113.3	118.6	111.3	112.1	113.2	122.4	108.7	
1951 - Jan.	1	105.9	161.1	108.2	103.7	98.1	100.5	99.2	113.8	108.4	98.3
Feb.	1	104.1	166.3	108.0	104.9	90.0	98.6	99.3	104.6	109.1	98.5
Mar.	1	104.1	153.6	107.8	105.9	86.7	99.0	98.5	103.8	109.7	98.1
Apr.	1	104.7	150.9	107.8	107.3	88.0	99.6	99.0	105.5	113.6	98.3
May	1	106.1	105.7	108.1	106.0	101.4	102.5	101.0	105.6	115.9	100.0
June	1	108.9	118.7	109.4	109.2	113.3	105.5	105.3	106.7	118.0	102.8
July	1	110.9	124.4	111.8	110.2	118.1	109.5	106.9	107.0	116.7	107.5
Aug.	1	111.4	113.6	112.8	110.3	125.8	111.4	108.0	105.4	117.1	109.9
Sept.	1	112.0	114.4	112.3	110.3	128.2	113.0	107.7	105.6	117.4	110.1
Oct.	1	112.7	135.1	112.9	110.4	127.9	111.6	105.8	108.3	117.6	106.8
Nov.	1	112.6	165.1	114.1	108.5	126.0	111.4	105.2	109.1	119.7	104.2
Dec.	1	112.7	184.6	114.3	107.5	120.5	110.8	105.1	113.3	121.0	102.7
1952 - Jan.	1	109.4	181.5	113.0	104.4	104.2	106.4	103.3	114.3	121.2	101.3
Feb.	1	107.4	173.6	114.3	106.3	98.1	106.3	102.3	105.2	121.0	100.9
Mar.	1	107.6	167.8	115.5	106.5	96.2	106.0	102.5	104.5	120.9	101.4
Apr.	1	107.5	126.1	114.9	107.0	100.0	108.4	103.1	106.7	120.9	102.9
May	1	107.2	77.5	115.0	107.5	110.2	108.2	103.9	106.8	121.0	104.4
June	1	110.3	98.8	117.1	108.5	122.3	111.7	107.4	107.5	121.4	107.2
July	1	112.1	93.9	118.2	108.8	133.1	113.9	111.3	109.5	122.1	111.8
Aug.	1	114.1	77.0	119.6	110.3	151.0	114.9	113.1	109.1	122.6	113.2
Sept.	1	115.2	95.1	119.5	112.8	144.3	115.1	112.9	109.6	122.5	112.5
Oct.	1	116.4	116.4	118.8	114.2	143.6	114.0	111.0	112.2	123.0	109.9
Nov.	1	116.2	136.2	118.3	113.6	137.2	112.6	110.0	114.6	123.2	107.6
Dec.	1	116.1	142.6	117.1	113.5	129.4	111.5	109.8	119.3	123.3	106.4
1953 - Jan.	1	113.0	129.5	114.9	111.4	111.3	108.9	108.2	120.4	123.1	106.1
Feb.	1	110.3	115.7	114.4	111.9	101.9	105.4	106.4	110.8	123.2	106.3
Mar.	1	110.0	103.8	113.4	112.7	93.7	105.1	105.9	110.1	123.3	105.6
Apr.	1	110.0	77.8	111.9	112.9	95.9	105.6	106.1	110.9	123.3	106.3
May	1	110.9	61.0	111.9	113.1	108.5	109.1	109.4	109.1	122.2	105.9
June	1	112.4	83.7	112.1	113.4	119.0	112.2	113.4	110.8	119.3	107.0
July	1	114.9	93.6	113.7	114.7	127.5	114.6	117.1	112.0	120.1	111.1
Aug.	1	115.6	86.7	114.7	114.4	135.4	115.9	117.8	111.8	120.6	113.1
Sept.	1	116.6	88.3	112.3	115.6	139.6	116.7	117.9	111.8	122.4	112.9
Oct.	1	116.9	110.7	108.8	115.2	135.8	116.0	115.5	114.2	123.6	112.3
Nov.	1	115.9	125.1	107.8	113.1	131.5	114.2	114.1	116.4	123.7	109.6
Dec.	1	114.1	124.6	105.1	110.9	122.7	111.5	113.2	120.3	123.7	108.4
1954 - Jan.	1	109.9	108.2	103.6	108.0	105.5	108.2	112.0	119.4	123.8	106.6
Feb.	1	107.0	97.7	105.9	108.3	91.7	105.2	110.0	111.3	124.5	105.7
Mar.	1	106.8	90.4	108.5	108.3	89.5	105.3	109.4	110.8	124.9	105.7
Apr.	1	105.6	69.5	108.2	107.9	89.2	103.1	110.1	111.1	126.0	106.5
May	1	106.2	50.8	106.7	107.3	98.2	106.2	111.2	112.4	126.3	108.1
June	1	109.0	77.2	108.7	107.7	110.0	108.8	116.0	113.2	126.6	111.1
July	1	111.5	89.4	111.3	108.7	117.1	111.4	119.7	114.5	127.3	117.2
Aug.	1										
Sept.	1										
Oct.	1										
Nov.	1										
Dec.	1										

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at July 1, 1954.

100.0	2.5	4.0	45.1	9.4	13.7	2.0	14.5	4.7	4.1
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Note:- The percentage distribution given above shows the proportions of employees in the indicated industries, to the total number of employees reported in Canada by the firms making returns at the latest date.

1/ Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants and business and recreational service.

Table 2.- Index Numbers of Employment, by Provinces, 1949=100).

Year and Month	Prince											British Columbia
	New- CANADA	New- foundland	Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Sask- atchewan	Alberta		
1947 - Average	96.7	..	93.3	92.1	104.3	97.8	94.7	93.6	97.2	88.1	97.1	
1948 - Average	99.7	..	102.6	99.6	105.2	101.2	98.9	97.2	99.5	93.7	101.3	
1949 - Average	100.0	..	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1950 - Average	101.5	..	110.3	95.6	102.6	100.5	102.7	100.8	100.8	104.5	100.8	
1951 - Average	108.8	111.7	112.6	100.3	109.0	109.2	110.4	103.9	106.0	112.4	106.1	
1952 - Average	111.6	130.2	123.2	104.0	109.5	113.4	112.0	106.0	111.4	120.8	106.7	
1953 - Average	113.4	140.9	116.4	101.2	101.4	112.8	114.7	107.2	116.0	128.5	108.4	
1951 - Jan. 1	105.9	103.6	117.3	100.1	113.2	105.2	108.0	102.7	103.4	107.4	100.6	
Feb. 1	104.1	98.2	105.3	95.4	108.3	103.6	107.2	99.3	96.6	103.4	98.7	
Mar. 1	104.1	96.1	102.0	91.1	108.1	104.3	107.3	98.6	95.4	103.5	98.7	
Apr. 1	104.7	101.0	96.8	94.2	106.9	103.9	108.2	99.1	96.9	103.7	100.9	
May 1	106.1	100.4	103.1	94.2	105.7	105.8	108.9	100.5	98.7	107.0	104.4	
June 1	108.9	112.7	113.4	100.3	103.6	108.8	110.9	103.5	107.2	112.3	107.3	
July 1	110.9	117.5	119.0	100.4	105.6	110.8	112.5	106.5	110.7	115.9	110.1	
Aug. 1	111.4	118.8	120.2	104.2	108.6	111.2	111.8	107.8	112.7	120.9	110.5	
Sept. 1	112.0	120.2	122.5	105.9	110.1	112.2	112.1	108.2	113.0	121.5	110.9	
Oct. 1	112.7	121.6	120.1	106.4	110.9	113.6	112.9	107.1	112.3	118.7	112.1	
Nov. 1	114.6	122.2	116.3	106.3	112.4	115.4	112.0	107.0	112.9	117.2	110.4	
Dec. 1	112.7	152.0	115.3	104.8	116.1	115.7	112.5	106.5	112.0	117.0	108.8	
1952 - Jan. 1	109.4	112.3	111.6	100.1	115.2	111.3	109.9	103.8	108.9	114.3	104.0	
Feb. 1	107.4	106.8	116.8	101.3	112.5	109.5	108.4	101.4	101.9	111.9	100.3	
Mar. 1	107.6	107.8	102.3	98.5	111.9	109.9	108.3	100.7	101.4	110.9	102.6	
Apr. 1	107.5	112.2	135.9	99.9	116.2	107.8	108.4	101.3	101.6	111.8	105.2	
May 1	107.2	115.0	111.8	98.1	101.1	106.4	108.8	102.5	108.4	114.8	107.5	
June 1	110.3	129.8	122.1	101.7	105.4	110.8	110.7	105.9	113.5	118.7	108.8	
July 1	112.1	133.1	127.0	107.8	107.9	114.9	113.5	107.5	116.2	123.3	95.5	
Aug. 1	114.1	149.5	132.4	107.7	104.0	118.9	113.2	109.6	118.9	128.4	102.6	
Sept. 1	115.2	149.5	133.2	109.9	110.8	116.2	114.6	109.6	117.5	130.6	112.6	
Oct. 1	116.4	151.2	130.8	109.8	112.3	118.0	115.9	109.8	116.2	128.0	115.1	
Nov. 1	116.2	150.0	127.3	107.5	106.9	118.5	115.8	109.5	117.5	128.3	114.4	
Dec. 1	116.1	144.6	126.8	106.0	109.2	118.7	115.9	110.3	117.9	128.5	112.0	
1953 - Jan. 1	113.0	132.4	116.7	99.3	107.8	113.8	114.5	106.7	113.5	125.7	108.4	
Feb. 1	110.3	125.3	110.8	101.0	100.6	110.6	113.1	104.0	106.2	121.6	101.0	
Mar. 1	110.0	117.8	103.7	97.9	98.6	109.7	112.9	102.5	105.7	122.7	102.1	
Apr. 1	110.0	122.4	104.0	96.9	96.6	108.3	113.2	102.9	105.7	121.6	104.6	
May 1	110.9	133.6	108.3	97.4	94.8	109.1	113.4	104.8	109.2	123.6	106.5	
June 1	112.4	144.1	118.8	100.7	99.6	111.8	113.7	106.7	115.1	127.7	108.1	
July 1	114.9	154.7	119.6	103.9	100.4	113.7	115.7	109.3	119.7	131.3	111.6	
Aug. 1	115.6	156.6	124.6	104.2	105.4	114.0	115.4	110.5	123.3	135.2	114.2	
Sept. 1	116.6	156.0	124.7	104.0	107.1	115.6	116.5	111.1	125.3	135.8	114.7	
Oct. 1	116.9	157.4	119.8	104.7	102.2	116.2	117.1	110.5	125.9	135.0	114.6	
Nov. 1	115.9	149.8	125.2	103.9	101.9	116.3	116.3	108.7	124.1	132.4	110.2	
Dec. 1	114.1	141.2	121.1	100.2	102.3	114.6	114.8	108.8	122.7	130.1	107.1	
1954 - Jan. 1	109.9	125.4	105.8	97.5	99.7	108.7	112.3	104.7	115.9	124.7	103.2	
Feb. 1	107.0	113.4	96.0	95.4	97.6	105.7	110.8	100.9	109.5	118.3	97.5	
Mar. 1	106.6	112.3	102.4	95.2	96.8	105.2	110.2	99.6	108.7	119.4	98.5	
Apr. 1	105.6	113.1	93.4	93.3	91.3	103.5	109.0	99.9	107.4	118.5	101.8	
May 1	106.2	117.9	97.6	92.8	90.2	104.5	109.0	100.4	110.0	119.0	103.2	
June 1	109.0	122.2	111.0	96.1	95.4	107.7	110.7	103.2	116.9	124.7	106.3	
July 1	111.5	134.0	113.2	98.7	98.2	110.5	112.2	105.6	122.6	130.4	108.5	
Aug. 1												
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Dec. 1												

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at July 1, 1954.

100.0 1.6 0.2 3.4 2.3 28.4 42.3 5.1 2.5 5.2 9.0

Note:- The percentage distribution given above shows the proportions of employees in the indicated provinces, to the total number of employees reported in Canada by the firms making returns at the latest date.

Table 3.- Index Numbers of Employment, by Metropolitan Areas, (1949=100).

Year and Month	Halifax	Saint John	Quebec	Sherbrooke	Three Rivers	Montreal
1947 - Average	96.1	102.2	93.2	97.3	99.8	94.3
1948 - Average	98.0	103.1	100.5	100.1	101.2	97.1
1949 - Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1950 - Average	100.2	95.4	98.7	101.0	101.3	101.3
1951 - Average	109.5	102.3	101.6	107.8	108.9	106.6
1952 - Average	116.6	107.7	105.2	106.2	105.1	110.9
1953 - Average	115.5	102.7	110.9	106.3	101.5	113.8
1951 - Jan. 1	107.0	104.3	97.8	102.9	100.7	103.4
Feb. 1	103.4	105.7	95.4	104.2	97.6	102.6
Mar. 1	103.5	108.4	95.5	104.9	99.8	103.1
Apr. 1	112.4	111.3	98.7	108.9	101.8	104.7
May 1	105.2	94.1	99.1	109.1	108.1	106.4
June 1	106.7	98.7	101.7	112.7	112.8	107.0
July 1	108.8	94.0	103.9	108.9	118.7	108.0
Aug. 1	107.5	100.8	108.4	109.8	116.8	107.1
Sept. 1	113.8	98.9	108.8	108.7	114.7	107.7
Oct. 1	114.1	102.7	106.1	107.2	114.7	109.1
Nov. 1	115.4	101.5	105.8	109.2	113.8	109.4
Dec. 1	116.1	109.5	104.3	108.7	107.9	110.2
1952 - Jan. 1	116.5	121.4	99.7	100.6	103.5	107.2
Feb. 1	117.7	121.0	97.1	104.4	99.8	106.1
Mar. 1	116.6	119.0	98.5	107.4	99.4	106.7
Apr. 1	118.9	119.1	100.2	105.1	99.8	107.8
May 1	112.8	101.1	102.9	106.4	104.5	108.9
June 1	108.4	101.2	104.7	108.6	109.0	110.5
July 1	109.9	99.4	107.4	106.2	110.2	112.3
Aug. 1	115.7	98.2	109.1	106.9	108.5	112.0
Sept. 1	118.1	106.3	106.4	108.2	107.9	112.7
Oct. 1	119.4	102.9	112.6	108.3	108.7	114.5
Nov. 1	122.1	100.7	112.3	108.1	108.3	115.1
Dec. 1	122.7	102.2	112.6	106.0	103.7	116.4
1953 - Jan. 1	120.0	110.2	106.8	106.4	97.4	113.2
Feb. 1	118.5	108.2	106.4	106.2	94.5	112.1
Mar. 1	115.9	106.4	106.8	107.8	96.5	112.4
Apr. 1	115.8	109.3	106.6	106.7	96.5	113.3
May 1	109.0	96.3	109.5	106.2	100.4	113.8
June 1	110.0	96.6	110.5	106.3	103.7	113.9
July 1	112.4	95.6	112.0	105.6	108.0	114.2
Aug. 1	113.6	100.9	113.7	104.1	107.4	113.3
Sept. 1	115.7	101.8	114.4	103.6	105.5	114.8
Oct. 1	118.2	100.9	114.7	103.1	103.7	114.8
Nov. 1	116.3	104.3	113.9	103.0	103.4	115.0
Dec. 1	119.1	100.4	112.3	101.0	104.2	115.0
1954 - Jan. 1	115.6	108.9	107.2	100.6	98.1	111.2
Feb. 1	116.7	108.4	104.6	98.9	95.8	109.7
Mar. 1	116.3	108.3	106.0	97.3	94.9	109.6
Apr. 1	116.3	105.1	106.5	96.8	95.3	109.4
May 1	109.8	98.7	109.7	96.5	100.8	110.9
June 1	109.4	94.1	111.5	97.3	102.1	110.8
July 1	111.4	98.0	113.7	99.2	107.9	111.5
Aug. 1						
Sept. 1						
Oct. 1						
Nov. 1						
Dec. 1						

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at July 1, 1954.

1.1 0.6 1.6 0.4 0.5 14.9

Note:- The percentage distribution given above shows the proportions of employees in the indicated cities to the total number of employees reported in Canada by the firms making returns at the latest date.

Table 2.- Index Numbers of Employment, by Metropolitan Areas, (1949=100).

Year and Month	Ottawa-Hull	St.Catharines	Toronto	Hamilton	Brantford	Kitchener	London	Windsor	Pt.William-Pt.Arthur
1947 - Average	91.4	97.7	93.2	91.6	96.8	96.7	92.6	92.2	102.3
1948 - Average	96.5	98.7	97.3	96.9	103.8	98.7	95.8	94.5	109.1
1949 - Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1950 - Average	103.1	105.7	104.1	100.8	97.5	102.0	104.4	102.2	95.4
1951 - Average	108.4	121.1	110.7	109.5	99.9	106.2	108.6	107.7	106.3
1952 - Average	108.9	124.0	113.3	109.2	99.9	102.0	108.8	107.0	118.3
1953 - Average	109.4	122.1	119.6	111.4	88.5	108.7	113.8	111.1	120.1
1951 - Jan. 1	108.0	114.1	110.0	106.1	100.3	105.9	108.0	108.9	95.6
Feb. 1	105.1	114.9	108.3	105.4	100.3	105.7	107.4	110.5	92.8
Mar. 1	104.0	115.8	108.3	105.7	101.3	107.6	107.3	112.0	91.4
Apr. 1	105.0	119.2	110.0	107.2	100.9	107.6	108.6	113.1	94.1
May 1	106.8	120.8	110.8	110.6	102.4	107.0	109.8	111.0	100.3
June 1	109.0	121.9	111.2	112.1	99.2	107.4	110.8	111.7	104.6
July 1	110.4	123.9	112.2	113.8	98.4	108.4	111.7	111.0	110.4
Aug. 1	110.2	124.0	110.2	113.1	97.9	106.7	109.8	109.2	115.4
Sept. 1	110.0	125.9	110.8	111.1	99.7	107.7	108.9	105.3	114.9
Oct. 1	110.1	125.5	111.8	111.2	100.2	106.8	109.1	99.7	118.0
Nov. 1	111.4	124.5	111.9	108.3	99.5	104.3	107.9	99.5	118.8
Dec. 1	110.5	122.3	112.8	109.0	98.5	100.6	108.8	100.0	118.9
1952 - Jan. 1	110.0	119.3	111.3	107.2	97.1	98.4	104.1	98.5	113.8
Feb. 1	106.6	120.2	109.1	105.9	98.8	97.7	103.1	98.1	113.0
Mar. 1	106.1	120.8	109.6	106.8	100.2	97.9	102.8	103.2	112.5
Apr. 1	106.1	120.8	110.3	108.1	101.0	99.0	104.4	107.8	111.8
May 1	107.1	121.5	111.1	108.8	101.0	100.0	106.2	110.2	113.9
June 1	108.1	123.9	112.1	109.7	100.3	100.2	108.2	102.7	120.8
July 1	109.3	124.9	114.4	109.5	102.9	102.4	110.9	115.2	123.3
Aug. 1	110.0	124.4	113.5	109.2	98.7	101.8	110.7	111.3	126.1
Sept. 1	110.3	127.9	114.5	109.1	101.6	103.2	112.1	109.6	119.0
Oct. 1	109.9	129.0	116.1	111.3	101.1	105.3	112.9	108.3	123.6
Nov. 1	111.1	128.3	118.0	112.4	97.2	109.1	115.6	107.5	120.4
Dec. 1	111.6	127.5	119.7	112.8	99.0	108.6	114.3	111.1	121.9
1953 - Jan. 1	111.4	124.7	119.0	111.4	98.4	106.6	113.0	111.0	114.9
Feb. 1	107.8	123.7	117.1	111.1	97.9	106.7	111.8	109.0	112.0
Mar. 1	107.0	123.6	117.5	110.0	96.2	107.2	111.9	112.4	114.1
Apr. 1	108.0	124.1	118.3	111.7	92.3	107.8	112.5	114.8	116.4
May 1	108.2	124.1	118.5	111.5	90.9	108.0	112.9	115.3	117.8
June 1	109.0	123.0	118.7	111.7	89.1	107.7	115.7	114.3	121.8
July 1	109.9	123.9	119.8	111.7	88.1	108.6	117.4	116.2	124.5
Aug. 1	109.7	122.3	118.6	111.7	85.5	107.8	113.0	113.6	126.6
Sept. 1	110.4	120.7	120.2	111.4	81.5	110.3	114.0	108.5	127.1
Oct. 1	110.2	120.5	121.5	112.2	83.1	111.8	115.4	109.4	124.8
Nov. 1	110.1	118.1	122.8	111.3	79.8	111.4	114.9	104.4	121.5
Dec. 1	110.6	117.0	123.4	110.8	79.7	110.9	113.1	104.6	120.2
1954 - Jan. 1	109.2	112.4	121.1	106.1	77.8	102.7	110.9	108.2	114.9
Feb. 1	105.2	111.8	119.0	106.1	80.5	105.2	111.4	106.8	107.8
Mar. 1	104.7	111.2	119.3	104.9	83.4	103.8	111.2	106.3	102.5
Apr. 1	105.3	110.3	119.1	103.6	83.9	102.9	111.3	104.2	98.1
May 1	106.5	109.9	119.4	103.7	82.9	104.1	111.3	101.4	102.7
June 1	110.1	110.0	120.1	104.3	81.8	103.3	111.0	96.9	106.6
July 1	112.3	109.8	120.9	104.3	81.7	103.7	112.8	97.1	107.6
Aug. 1									
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Oct. 1									
Nov. 1									
Dec. 1									

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at July 1, 1954.

1.8 1.3 15.2 3.0 0.5 0.9 1.3 1.7 0.5

Note:- The percentage distribution given above shows the proportions of employees in the indicated cities to the total number of employees reported in Canada by the firms making returns at the latest date.

Table 3.- Index Numbers of Employment, by Metropolitan Areas, (1949=100).

Year and Month	Winnipeg	Regina	Saskatoon	Edmonton	Calgary	Vancouver	Victoria
1947 - Average	93.9	93.5	99.1	82.1	90.9	96.9	103.0
1948 - Average	97.1	97.0	100.0	90.8	94.9	102.1	99.7
1949 - Average	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1950 - Average	100.1	100.5	102.4	111.0	104.7	99.0	99.4
1951 - Average	102.7	102.9	107.8	120.1	113.4	101.4	106.6
1952 - Average	104.0	106.9	113.0	129.9	121.7	100.1	106.6
1953 - Average	104.1	112.3	117.4	145.9	128.6	102.2	110.2
1951 - Jan. 1	103.3	104.9	106.2	114.3	109.7	99.5	103.7
Feb. 1	100.2	96.7	102.3	109.9	104.3	97.7	99.8
Mar. 1	99.4	95.8	101.3	111.2	104.4	98.4	98.9
Apr. 1	100.1	96.8	101.2	111.4	105.6	100.2	103.4
May 1	100.5	99.8	103.1	116.3	109.8	101.6	106.4
June 1	102.8	102.9	107.7	123.0	112.8	102.1	107.0
July 1	104.5	104.5	111.0	128.6	118.4	103.9	110.8
Aug. 1	104.0	105.0	111.6	128.0	119.9	103.4	110.3
Sept. 1	104.4	105.8	110.6	126.8	120.6	103.5	111.7
Oct. 1	103.6	106.0	111.8	126.1	120.5	103.4	110.6
Nov. 1	104.2	108.3	113.9	123.8	118.8	101.7	109.0
Dec. 1	104.8	107.9	113.1	123.6	118.2	101.3	108.1
1952 - Jan. 1	102.2	105.3	111.6	119.1	116.8	98.6	106.1
Feb. 1	100.8	98.5	103.7	115.2	114.5	96.5	107.4
Mar. 1	99.8	98.3	104.5	115.7	114.4	97.6	106.7
Apr. 1	100.6	98.7	106.4	116.5	115.3	99.8	106.7
May 1	102.1	102.2	107.9	122.5	118.7	100.9	107.7
June 1	103.6	104.4	112.3	127.8	121.3	101.5	108.2
July 1	104.6	107.0	114.6	132.1	125.4	94.7	97.3
Aug. 1	105.9	110.2	119.0	135.2	126.6	97.2	102.4
Sept. 1	105.5	109.7	117.8	143.4	127.5	102.6	106.4
Oct. 1	106.0	111.5	118.1	141.2	126.1	103.1	110.7
Nov. 1	107.4	117.6	118.8	144.4	128.6	103.5	109.8
Dec. 1	106.9	119.5	120.7	145.9	127.3	105.5	110.7
1953 - Jan. 1	105.1	116.0	114.7	142.2	126.0	103.5	110.9
Feb. 1	102.5	106.5	110.1	136.6	121.8	99.8	107.8
Mar. 1	101.3	106.8	107.2	138.6	122.2	99.9	110.8
Apr. 1	101.8	107.2	107.3	139.3	123.5	100.1	110.4
May 1	102.6	107.6	110.9	143.6	123.9	100.0	111.1
June 1	103.2	107.7	115.3	147.6	125.9	101.3	109.2
July 1	105.0	112.4	120.4	149.7	130.1	102.4	109.7
Aug. 1	105.3	113.8	124.4	152.8	132.7	103.9	109.1
Sept. 1	106.1	115.9	123.3	151.5	134.3	104.6	109.8
Oct. 1	105.9	117.5	122.4	151.0	133.9	104.3	110.1
Nov. 1	104.8	117.5	127.0	149.6	135.3	103.5	109.8
Dec. 1	106.2	119.2	125.5	148.4	133.1	103.1	113.5
1954 - Jan. 1	101.8	115.7	115.3	140.1	128.6	101.9	112.8
Feb. 1	100.1	112.4	113.1	131.3	122.3	98.0	104.8
Mar. 1	99.2	112.7	112.2	132.9	122.7	99.0	107.0
Apr. 1	100.2	112.7	112.6	132.7	123.6	100.7	104.3
May 1	100.8	116.1	116.6	136.2	124.4	100.7	105.7
June 1	101.8	120.1	122.9	141.5	129.8	101.9	108.5
July 1	104.0	123.9	125.7	147.2	132.6	103.5	111.0
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Nov. 1							
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Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at July 1, 1954.

3.3 0.5 0.4 1.5 1.3 3.9 0.6

Note:- The percentage distribution given above shows the proportions of employees in the indicated cities to the total number of employees reported in Canada by the firms making returns at the latest date.

TABLE 4. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Canada, by Industries

Industries	Index Numbers (1949=100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment				July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1955	July 1 1952		
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1955	July 1 1952						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.4	77.2	93.6	93.9	59.63	56.98	57.94	53.07	61,910	
Mining	111.3	108.7	113.7	118.2	69.95	70.38	68.23	66.48	99,935	
Metal mining	114.4	112.4	116.9	119.4	73.84	74.66	71.97	67.98	53,977	
Gold (a)	83.8	82.9	89.3	95.6	68.14	68.79	65.24	63.82	19,071	
Other metal (b)	143.0	140.0	140.3	142.3	78.96	77.80	75.92	70.76	34,906	
Fuels	86.1	96.7	102.5	106.4	66.76	65.84	64.99	64.71	31,631	
Coal	74.0	73.1	79.2	89.0	58.88	57.17	57.78	60.39	18,328	
Oil and natural gas	178.1	174.7	180.4	174.0	77.61	77.85	75.59	72.72	13,303	
Non-metal (c)	138.3	128.7	138.7	144.5	62.32	63.96	61.41	57.69	14,327	
Manufacturing	108.7	107.7	114.7	108.8	61.00	60.54	59.16	55.95	1,131,856	
Food and beverages	109.9	102.7	108.5	109.5	54.60	55.41	51.96	50.38	137,274	
Meat products	117.1	114.5	116.3	115.2	64.40	65.27	60.55	59.64	24,123	
Dairy products	117.8	112.6	114.5	112.4	49.37	49.55	46.79	45.11	10,656	
Canned and cured fish	129.7	114.5	116.8	137.9	40.59	42.39	37.50	38.92	12,870	
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	107.0	73.0	111.7	117.3	45.93	47.17	41.43	39.62	15,111	
Grain mill products	106.7	106.6	98.5	110.8	60.04	59.17	57.87	55.69	8,247	
Bread and other bakery products	106.6	105.5	108.8	106.3	55.90	53.52	51.28	48.84	17,478	
Biscuits and crackers	100.3	98.8	106.7	92.5	44.24	45.92	43.65	44.42	7,637	
Distilled and malt liquors	108.5	105.7	107.5	101.7	69.06	68.53	66.14	64.31	15,392	
Other beverages (d)	125.6	113.4	119.4	117.7	59.17	59.28	58.35	52.76	7,822	
Confectionery	81.3	80.4	85.0	82.8	42.06	42.42	41.45	38.89	7,776	
Tobacco and tobacco products	77.9	77.5	79.6	82.6	61.49	61.36	59.21	57.37	8,277	
Rubber products	102.3	101.9	110.4	95.6	62.40	61.59	62.03	57.82	19,850	
Leather products	87.9	87.4	94.8	92.6	40.86	40.25	40.09	38.98	20,232	
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	90.6	90.1	95.3	94.7	38.71	37.92	38.19	37.50	18,813	
Other leather products (f)	82.8	82.3	95.9	89.0	45.16	44.89	43.62	42.26	9,419	
Textile products (except clothing)	79.6	79.1	92.9	86.1	50.21	49.14	48.18	46.52	58,382	
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	79.8	79.7	95.9	76.0	46.76	45.42	45.31	42.82	19,626	
Woollen goods	65.6	64.5	85.4	82.8	49.76	47.08	47.27	45.49	9,741	
Synthetic textiles and silk	79.8	78.2	91.6	89.7	55.38	55.81	52.22	50.87	13,306	
Clothing (textile and fur)	89.3	89.4	99.1	98.3	38.96	38.53	39.01	37.39	90,795	
Men's clothing	94.7	94.4	106.8	105.8	37.81	36.68	38.18	36.21	51,060	
Women's clothing	88.3	90.3	93.7	100.8	38.53	38.79	38.55	37.66	22,081	
Knit goods	79.0	78.6	90.5	83.0	40.53	40.33	40.17	38.37	19,953	
Fur goods	77.5	74.7	93.3	90.3	52.77	52.65	51.52	49.15	3,751	
Hats and caps	86.5	86.2	94.2	94.5	41.97	40.53	41.43	39.77	5,691	
Wood products	105.2	102.0	109.8	82.8	54.10	52.82	52.06	47.25	90,346	
Saw and planing mills (g)	109.6	104.5	113.5	73.5	56.11	54.43	53.54	48.01	58,149	
Furniture	100.8	100.9	103.3	99.4	50.94	50.22	50.12	47.53	21,244	
Other wood products (h)	93.2	92.9	104.3	94.7	49.59	48.14	48.29	44.48	10,963	
Paper products	119.0	115.3	113.6	109.8	72.25	72.07	69.78	66.55	87,704	
Pulp and paper mills	123.2	118.0	116.0	115.8	77.45	77.57	74.97	71.66	64,376	
Other paper products (i)	108.8	106.2	107.6	100.5	57.88	57.03	56.04	52.01	23,328	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	109.2	106.3	107.4	104.8	65.51	65.63	62.84	58.89	48,604	
Iron and steel products	102.3	101.8	112.9	113.9	67.59	66.60	66.01	62.06	161,766	
Agricultural implements	76.8	76.3	84.4	111.8	68.33	68.56	64.73	63.17	13,715	
Boilers and plate work	113.6	113.1	120.9	125.8	69.21	69.26	69.97	63.70	6,177	
Fabricated and structural steel	132.9	128.3	137.0	132.4	74.13	71.56	70.97	68.57	9,534	
Hardware and tools	100.2	100.9	110.8	103.5	62.74	61.78	61.34	58.20	11,792	
Heating and cooking appliances	97.0	94.4	99.1	84.2	59.33	58.75	57.95	55.15	7,854	
Iron castings	88.6	89.5	100.1	101.8	66.33	64.56	64.89	59.96	17,869	
Machinery mfg. (j)	106.8	106.9	116.1	115.1	66.67	65.89	64.73	60.89	33,752	
Primary iron and steel	97.8	98.6	121.1	125.9	71.88	71.87	71.48	66.91	29,676	
Sheet metal products	109.1	105.9	112.0	107.6	66.89	65.77	62.69	58.37	16,983	
Wire and wire products	84.5	97.1	102.5	102.1	68.85	67.00	64.51	63.13	6,193	

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TABLE 4. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Canada, by Industries — Concluded

Industries	Index Numbers (1949=100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment				July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1955	July 1 1952		
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1955	July 1 1952						
Manufacturing — concluded:										
Transportation equipment.....	136.4	142.4	156.9	144.7	87.83	66.93	67.44	61.55	152,603	
Aircraft and parts.....	354.5	360.8	382.1	306.7	72.67	71.94	69.40	60.44	41,021	
Motor vehicles.....	107.6	118.9	124.9	117.1	71.42	68.37	75.89	68.46	29,786	
Motor vehicle parts and accessories.....	104.1	106.7	142.5	130.5	68.77	66.02	66.28	63.58	18,622	
Railroad and rolling stock equipment.....	97.0	99.8	113.6	115.5	63.87	63.74	63.31	57.89	35,560	
Shipbuilding and repairing.....	159.5	165.3	174.1	165.3	66.00	65.29	61.95	59.76	28,895	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	115.5	116.0	119.0	110.9	69.10	68.91	67.23	65.85	50,938	
Aluminum products.....	119.1	116.5	129.9	118.5	65.78	66.08	64.44	61.57	7,702	
Brass and copper products.....	102.6	102.9	107.6	100.3	65.30	65.80	65.30	60.27	9,230	
Smelting and refining.....	150.9	150.2	129.2	129.7	75.24	74.63	75.55	69.07	26,191	
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	130.7	131.5	135.0	121.4	66.35	65.88	63.83	61.36	74,285	
Non-metallic mineral products (k).....	119.0	116.0	116.4	112.8	63.58	62.52	51.09	57.37	50,303	
Clay products.....	106.1	102.0	108.1	104.5	61.41	60.83	57.26	53.85	6,850	
Glass and glass products.....	122.7	120.4	122.3	106.8	60.95	60.61	60.04	56.63	7,769	
Products of petroleum and coal.....	124.0	121.9	119.6	122.4	85.99	84.50	81.52	70.05	13,584	
Chemical products.....	125.0	122.2	117.7	115.3	66.86	66.56	63.94	60.64	55,702	
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations.....	107.8	107.2	104.9	103.2	62.47	61.87	68.45	58.11	8,525	
Acids, alkalis and salts.....	121.1	121.7	121.7	127.9	74.49	74.16	68.78	66.31	6,908	
Other chemical products (l).....	127.2	125.9	120.2	114.5	66.46	55.98	64.03	60.75	40,561	
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries.....	103.9	104.1	107.9	95.8	53.44	52.71	51.28	47.45	25,061	
Construction.....	117.1	110.0	127.5	137.1	61.35	59.13	60.94	54.68	255,125	
Building and structures (m).....	120.7	114.4	138.1	151.8	66.16	63.74	66.31	59.85	148,495	
Highways, bridges and streets.....	111.4	105.1	110.4	124.1	53.10	51.04	50.04	46.25	86,830	
Transportation, storage and communication										
Transportation.....	111.4	106.8	114.5	113.9	62.28	62.02	61.80	56.39	342,828	
Air transport and airports.....	107.8	105.0	112.6	112.5	64.05	65.82	65.51	57.96	266,508	
Steam railways.....	155.1	152.5	135.2	128.0	78.17	78.34	75.97	74.04	10,437	
Maintenance of equipment.....	105.1	102.8	113.4	112.3	65.11	64.89	64.93	57.81	171,854	
Maintenance of ways and structures.....	97.5	91.0	112.6	110.6	54.73	56.44	55.80	46.27	38,328	
Transportation — Steam railways.....	106.3	104.8	110.9	110.2	70.66	69.96	71.38	64.10	99,628	
Telegraphs.....	120.5	117.2	126.9	118.2	56.18	55.47	56.55	50.90	10,000	
Water transportation (n).....	105.8	98.9	109.2	119.0	56.35	57.85	56.72	54.61	54,128	
Electric and motor transportation (o).....	112.0	110.4	109.8	104.7	62.68	61.65	60.65	58.58	48,864	
Urban and interurban transportation (p).....	93.7	92.4	95.5	95.2	65.48	53.87	62.75	61.96	28,540	
Truck transportation.....	145.6	143.1	138.9	135.8	60.56	60.17	59.10	56.02	17,878	
Storage.....	110.9	106.4	116.9	115.7	55.95	55.59	58.51	52.12	16,493	
Grain elevators.....	108.6	106.9	118.3	115.3	55.37	54.62	59.59	51.98	12,176	
Storage and warehouse.....	118.2	116.2	118.9	110.0	57.51	58.30	54.45	52.55	4,517	
Communication.....	130.6	128.8	122.2	120.2	56.30	56.02	54.55	49.89	61,080	
Radio broadcasting.....	173.6	168.4	136.7	126.6	81.87	62.40	58.89	56.09	6,510	
Telephone.....	127.2	126.7	121.2	118.7	55.86	55.19	55.99	49.22	54,235	
Public utility operation										
Electric light and power.....	119.7	116.0	117.1	111.3	67.39	67.22	64.71	60.79	49,671	
Other public utilities (q).....	125.2	119.1	120.1	115.2	68.43	68.31	65.20	61.07	42,907	
Trade.....	101.9	99.5	92.7	83.6	60.76	60.36	59.63	56.07	6,764	
Wholesale.....	114.6	115.2	112.0	109.5	50.97	50.68	48.80	46.35	364,970	
Retail.....	117.1	116.8	115.5	113.8	59.19	58.87	56.58	53.95	126,188	
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	127.3	126.8	120.1	122.1	54.36	54.27	51.94	49.53	116,865	
Banking, investment and loan.....	131.0	130.5	123.2	125.7	49.63	49.47	47.54	45.84	75,718	
Insurance.....	120.7	119.8	114.5	115.7	62.58	62.41	59.53	55.59	44,176	
Service.....	117.2	111.1	111.1	111.6	38.26	38.62	36.80	33.69	104,448	
Hotels and restaurants.....	115.3	106.4	106.6	110.6	35.07	35.48	32.23	29.94	60,473	
Laundries and dry cleaning plants.....	107.2	104.9	102.9	104.3	37.06	36.98	35.46	33.59	23,951	
Other service (r).....	139.4	137.9	132.1	117.9	55.53	55.01	51.91	48.92	20,044	
Industrial composite.....	111.5	109.0	114.9	112.1	56.94	56.42	57.57	53.98	2,509,606	

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TABLE 5. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Provinces, by Industries

Provinces and Industries	Index Numbers (1949 = 100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment									
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952		
Newfoundland										
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	112.6	100.7	125.1	97.4	51.26	53.52	51.68	47.81	5,017	
Mining.....	112.8	110.5	114.7	113.4	64.83	69.97	68.89	58.31	3,836	
Manufacturing.....	128.6	116.9	120.9	119.2	57.58	68.40	57.26	55.31	10,981	
Food and beverages.....	127.1	101.8	102.7	107.6	37.70	56.76	36.89	34.45	3,824	
Pulp and paper mills.....	129.1	124.4	131.8	129.9	79.17	78.11	76.01	76.79	4,501	
Construction.....	493.8	419.2	1036.1	658.0	68.35	63.60	75.71	58.86	5,634	
Transportation, storage and communication.....	127.8	115.2	126.9	120.3	55.28	53.96	53.24	50.73	6,698	
Trade.....	102.8	96.0	104.8	101.3	38.20	36.40	37.06	34.47	6,356	
Industrial composite.....	134.0	122.2	154.7	133.1	54.70	54.69	58.12	50.79	40,405	
Prince Edward Island										
Manufacturing.....	145.9	146.3	160.6	150.1	38.58	42.08	42.38	40.48	985	
Transportation, storage, communication.....	105.6	105.8	124.1	123.9	61.07	62.58	56.62	49.94	1,293	
Trade.....	101.7	103.6	106.0	117.5	31.43	30.81	30.80	29.56	819	
Industrial composite.....	113.2	111.0	119.6	127.0	44.84	45.16	44.47	40.81	4,375	
Nova Scotia										
Mining.....	93.8	90.8	94.1	101.7	60.21	58.95	57.54	59.17	13,352	
Coal.....	90.5	88.4	90.8	98.4	61.12	59.27	58.18	60.38	11,991	
Manufacturing.....	113.0	111.0	120.0	123.7	51.13	50.22	50.52	48.47	26,780	
Food and beverages.....	120.8	118.8	114.5	125.6	39.01	39.67	35.51	35.59	5,678	
Iron and steel products.....	89.8	87.3	114.8	121.4	62.45	60.93	62.55	58.49	5,910	
Primary iron and steel.....	80.9	81.5	103.7	118.9	65.55	64.31	66.15	61.90	4,368	
Transportation equipment.....	170.8	168.5	166.8	151.8	56.82	55.66	55.73	55.14	7,795	
Shipbuilding and repairing.....	181.7	156.7	153.8	139.5	56.62	57.33	55.94	55.27	5,348	
Construction.....	63.5	58.7	79.6	86.3	44.88	43.81	41.35	35.68	11,273	
Building and structures (m).....	109.1	98.7	132.7	97.8	49.41	48.21	46.46	40.10	5,059	
Highways, bridges and streets.....	47.4	44.6	60.9	81.6	40.84	40.57	37.42	33.90	6,214	
Transportation, storage, communication.....	100.2	100.0	105.1	108.7	53.03	53.91	52.60	47.11	12,461	
Steam railways.....	107.5	106.1	113.8	110.5	60.07	61.04	59.80	53.23	6,914	
Water transportation (n).....	70.5	76.1	79.8	100.1	38.78	40.01	40.25	37.94	2,273	
Trade.....	115.4	113.4	114.3	112.3	42.27	41.40	39.59	38.18	12,305	
Retail.....	120.1	118.3	118.8	115.7	38.01	36.74	35.54	34.09	8,452	
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	123.0	122.8	117.5	121.8	49.76	49.33	48.28	45.41	3,186	
Industrial composite.....	98.7	96.1	103.9	107.8	49.78	49.08	48.09	45.69	84,867	
New Brunswick										
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	119.0	114.3	112.8	148.1	49.83	42.69	47.12	45.78	4,011	
Manufacturing.....	102.9	99.9	110.7	106.1	52.42	51.63	49.40	49.00	19,010	
Saw and planing mills (g).....	88.0	87.9	108.6	87.7	40.59	38.96	38.57	39.54	2,552	
Pulp and paper mills.....	129.3	120.1	118.7	115.8	71.70	74.58	68.88	69.40	4,094	
Transportation equipment.....	121.5	123.1	126.4	128.0	60.77	66.26	59.79	54.04	2,902	
Construction.....	73.5	70.4	76.8	104.2	44.81	43.99	45.80	41.65	7,226	
Building and structures (m).....	69.5	61.1	94.4	103.2	50.23	46.72	50.17	44.88	2,438	
Highways, bridges and streets.....	75.7	76.5	65.7	102.7	42.06	42.77	42.06	39.70	4,790	
Transportation, storage, communication.....	92.8	91.2	94.2	98.5	58.49	58.81	58.43	51.71	12,485	
Steam railways.....	95.2	96.6	103.8	104.6	63.71	63.76	62.37	56.71	8,558	
Water transportation (n).....	62.3	49.2	39.5	61.7	40.14	38.13	42.14	36.87	1,387	
Trade.....	107.5	106.7	107.9	106.7	41.95	41.48	39.61	37.46	8,848	
Wholesale.....	111.0	109.6	110.3	111.9	49.33	48.29	45.87	43.02	3,182	
Retail.....	105.7	105.2	106.6	107.5	37.80	37.70	36.13	34.30	5,664	
Industrial composite.....	98.2	95.4	100.4	107.9	50.12	49.48	48.66	45.76	58,124	
Quebec										
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	83.3	64.6	90.5	117.8	52.57	48.42	52.36	52.50	23,422	
Mining.....	134.7	127.4	131.2	135.6	68.60	69.58	65.46	63.65	20,627	
Gold (a).....	90.8	89.0	100.7	100.8	67.08	68.27	64.01	62.37	4,334	
Other metal (b).....	164.9	155.3	149.8	163.2	72.42	72.48	67.04	64.87	8,032	
Non-metal (c).....	145.6	135.8	140.9	143.0	65.68	67.45	64.89	63.30	8,261	
Manufacturing.....	107.7	107.2	113.2	109.9	56.65	56.20	54.85	51.98	365,502	
Tobacco.....	84.2	83.8	84.9	88.0	61.40	61.25	59.55	58.15	7,351	
Leather products.....	85.7	85.2	93.4	93.3	35.62	35.37	35.50	34.46	14,688	
Boots and shoes (except rubber).....	88.2	87.6	94.6	94.8	35.54	35.04	35.60	34.40	11,352	
Textile products (except clothing).....	80.1	78.7	92.3	79.8	47.96	47.27	46.44	44.88	52,823	
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods.....	78.8	78.5	91.5	65.2	45.59	45.91	44.12	41.89	12,832	
Synthetic textiles and silk.....	70.5	68.5	88.6	86.5	50.04	50.20	48.57	46.02	8,571	
Clothing (textile and fur).....	95.6	94.2	101.7	102.9	36.50	36.45	36.63	35.48	53,030	
Men's clothing.....	94.5	93.6	107.6	105.6	35.53	34.00	35.80	35.05	17,879	
Women's clothing.....	91.9	96.6	95.9	107.0	36.64	37.89	37.00	35.78	15,305	
Knit goods.....	87.0	86.2	93.1	86.0	37.56	37.80	37.56	35.55	8,605	

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TABLE 5. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Provinces, by Industries - Continued

Provinces and Industries	Index Number (1949=100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment									
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952		
Quebec - concluded										
Manufacturing - Concluded:										
Wood products.....	103.8	101.3	100.1	100.7	46.08	44.67	45.10	42.45	20,212	
Saw and planing mills (g).....	106.0	104.1	117.3	116.2	45.09	43.07	44.73	42.64	10,050	
Furniture.....	104.6	103.7	104.2	101.3	47.41	46.55	46.57	42.96	6,592	
Paper products.....	118.2	113.9	100.7	110.6	72.13	71.68	70.54	67.69	34,767	
Pulp and paper mills.....	122.3	117.6	111.8	113.2	76.65	76.39	75.85	72.56	28,420	
Other paper products (i).....	102.5	100.0	101.9	100.3	51.91	50.90	48.57	46.40	6,347	
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	109.9	108.4	106.2	105.6	64.68	64.15	61.90	57.61	11,997	
Iron and steel products.....	106.8	106.6	117.5	125.1	64.72	63.92	63.82	59.37	36,863	
Machinery mfg. (j).....	106.4	106.3	115.8	114.6	63.97	63.20	61.79	59.83	9,568	
Primary iron and steel.....	79.2	82.4	96.6	109.1	63.41	67.47	66.91	61.32	3,480	
Transportation equipment.....	141.0	149.3	185.9	147.9	66.20	66.09	63.78	57.00	38,804	
Aircraft and parts.....	213.1	229.4	252.9	203.0	67.83	69.60	65.52	56.88	12,866	
Railroad and rolling stock equipment.....	97.0	100.3	111.8	115.3	66.14	64.83	64.69	57.29	15,106	
Shipbuilding and repairing.....	192.6	209.5	240.2	190.0	64.78	63.66	60.50	57.97	8,695	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	125.0	123.7	124.7	119.9	68.82	68.52	63.42	62.11	17,863	
Smelting and refining.....	145.0	144.0	141.8	131.7	72.59	71.96	65.59	66.76	10,723	
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	150.4	130.7	133.5	123.7	64.28	64.42	63.69	66.09	19,101	
Chemical products.....	135.9	132.4	124.2	120.9	63.83	63.64	61.06	59.26	23,239	
Construction.....	113.9	106.8	119.4	141.6	55.46	53.77	52.73	50.11	65,177	
Building and structures (m).....	108.9	101.3	112.5	120.2	59.45	58.24	56.51	52.97	41,409	
Highways, bridges and streets.....	123.9	117.8	132.7	152.5	48.53	46.15	45.89	43.80	25,768	
Transportation, storage, communication.....	112.9	109.5	115.5	116.5	62.09	62.79	62.06	57.06	88,071	
Steam railways.....	105.5	101.8	111.2	111.3	64.53	64.86	63.55	56.67	41,484	
Water transportation (n).....	120.0	106.7	128.0	148.3	51.80	58.67	58.19	56.35	12,027	
Electric and motor transportation (o).....	111.3	109.1	106.9	105.6	59.27	57.07	58.25	58.06	13,406	
Communication.....	126.4	124.7	118.7	112.3	62.22	61.53	62.02	55.60	16,601	
Public utility operation.....	118.8	113.3	120.4	106.3	62.89	62.42	61.68	59.27	10,288	
Trade.....	116.3	114.4	112.5	106.6	49.60	49.42	47.71	44.78	82,401	
Wholesale.....	120.2	118.5	118.9	111.8	59.77	59.52	57.79	54.81	31,111	
Retail.....	114.0	112.1	110.0	106.1	43.43	43.27	41.59	38.80	51,290	
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	124.1	123.7	118.8	119.5	56.19	55.06	52.22	49.97	51,004	
Banking, investment and loan.....	128.6	126.3	121.9	121.6	51.48	51.32	48.71	46.84	19,000	
Insurance.....	119.0	118.5	113.1	115.1	61.24	61.18	57.90	54.94	11,767	
Service.....	115.3	109.7	111.6	116.1	39.15	39.17	37.55	32.61	26,062	
Hotels and restaurants.....	115.0	106.8	108.3	113.4	32.91	32.67	31.64	28.21	14,543	
Laundries and dry cleaning plants.....	105.8	103.0	103.1	107.6	36.13	35.96	34.84	32.34	6,509	
Industrial composite.....	110.5	107.7	113.7	114.9	55.99	56.61	54.40	51.41	712,634	
Ontario										
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	77.7	65.2	82.9	98.5	58.25	51.59	55.42	55.40	13,828	
Mining.....	116.3	115.0	117.2	116.2	71.73	72.10	69.20	65.71	30,035	
Gold (a).....	80.1	79.4	85.5	91.2	66.11	66.49	63.06	62.15	11,641	
Other metal (b).....	171.0	169.4	160.2	148.9	77.88	78.58	76.86	70.84	14,828	
Manufacturing.....	108.1	107.8	116.0	110.6	64.22	63.72	62.51	59.00	556,720	
Food and beverages.....	107.0	97.5	107.2	106.1	56.25	57.61	53.40	51.76	57,643	
Meat products.....	121.2	116.9	121.4	119.8	64.81	66.54	60.93	60.03	8,932	
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables.....	117.8	75.9	119.8	127.4	44.90	48.82	41.86	40.50	9,784	
Bread and other bakery products.....	99.6	96.8	103.5	102.6	55.36	54.66	52.22	49.54	8,070	
Rubber products.....	100.2	100.4	106.3	94.1	65.79	65.58	65.40	60.06	14,284	
Leather products.....	89.1	88.7	95.5	90.8	47.09	46.17	45.78	44.84	12,080	
Boots and shoes (except rubber).....	92.8	92.7	95.3	93.5	43.44	42.42	42.40	42.39	6,616	
Textile products (except clothing).....	78.8	79.7	93.8	94.4	53.23	51.94	51.00	49.15	22,572	
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods.....	90.1	90.5	101.0	95.7	49.30	45.84	47.66	44.11	6,345	
Woollen goods.....	60.4	61.1	85.3	78.6	50.39	48.95	47.51	47.12	5,846	
Clothing (textile and fur).....	83.6	84.1	95.6	90.8	43.46	42.66	43.58	41.10	29,468	
Men's clothing.....	95.9	97.0	104.9	106.5	42.75	42.39	44.21	39.24	9,413	
Women's clothing.....	84.6	88.6	93.4	92.5	43.84	41.70	42.19	43.44	5,058	
Knit goods.....	75.4	72.9	80.2	80.9	43.21	42.85	42.61	40.67	10,029	
Wood products.....	101.0	98.8	106.2	105.7	52.06	50.95	50.51	48.28	27,391	
Saw and planing mills (g).....	108.2	98.5	113.1	115.6	51.49	50.43	50.03	48.36	11,077	
Furniture.....	99.1	100.0	106.8	98.6	53.22	52.52	52.50	49.47	11,564	
Paper products.....	114.2	111.7	112.5	108.5	70.85	70.71	68.42	63.75	52,818	
Pulp and paper mills.....	110.3	115.2	115.6	116.1	77.65	78.16	74.76	69.66	19,579	
Other paper products (i).....	108.6	106.9	108.2	99.0	80.75	59.60	59.20	54.39	13,239	
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	110.3	109.6	109.3	106.1	67.64	67.92	64.90	60.62	26,471	
Iron and steel products.....	100.0	99.9	110.7	108.9	68.89	67.93	67.24	63.51	104,493	
Agricultural implements.....	75.1	74.4	81.3	110.2	69.68	69.90	66.14	64.13	12,536	
Iron castings.....	83.6	85.3	96.6	95.3	67.41	66.02	66.51	60.93	10,473	
Machinery mfg. (j).....	110.0	110.7	118.4	108.4	67.82	67.07	66.07	62.22	20,534	
Primary iron and steel.....	106.0	106.4	132.3	126.7	74.49	74.19	73.46	69.50	20,848	
Sheet metal products.....	106.0	102.9	112.4	105.1	66.58	63.94	62.46	57.88	10,041	

For footnotes (a) to (r) see page II at the end of this report.

TABLE 5. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Provinces, by Industries - Continued

Provinces and Industries	Index Numbers (1949=100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment									
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952		
Ontario - concluded										
Manufacturing (concluded)										
Transportation equipment	136.3	143.6	159.6	144.8	70.95	69.36	71.22	65.27	83,064	
Aircraft and parts	555.6	547.1	560.1	448.5	77.56	75.38	73.89	64.43	24,146	
Motor vehicles	107.6	119.2	125.0	114.6	71.69	68.54	76.43	69.21	28,597	
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	103.5	108.3	143.1	129.7	65.99	66.24	66.53	63.76	17,850	
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	96.5	101.6	114.2	118.1	64.91	66.22	64.62	61.62	7,514	
Non-ferrous metal products	114.4	114.7	118.9	112.2	68.27	68.32	68.48	64.07	27,906	
Brass and copper products	99.3	100.3	105.7	101.4	65.59	66.41	64.72	63.92	5,118	
Smelting and refining	138.3	137.3	131.3	135.3	76.45	76.13	79.36	70.20	11,476	
Electrical apparatus and supplies	131.4	132.1	136.2	120.6	67.22	66.58	64.07	62.85	53,910	
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	115.8	112.9	113.8	106.0	66.80	66.27	63.55	60.74	15,505	
Chemical products	118.0	117.5	116.2	114.7	69.48	68.58	68.46	61.84	27,584	
Construction	119.9	114.4	123.4	134.9	64.71	61.70	62.53	59.47	79,446	
Building and structures (m)	118.0	114.0	126.1	130.5	68.57	64.97	65.04	62.60	56,138	
Highways, bridges and streets	124.7	115.6	116.6	125.2	55.42	53.50	53.55	52.18	23,309	
Transportation, storage, communication	112.1	110.7	114.8	113.8	63.59	62.00	62.66	57.18	107,817	
Steam railways	105.9	104.3	114.0	112.9	64.82	64.66	64.70	57.55	50,716	
Electric and motor transportation (o)	116.6	116.3	114.5	112.0	65.94	65.83	64.34	61.17	21,457	
Communication	120.7	119.9	113.4	113.2	56.06	55.40	54.26	50.21	23,257	
Public utility operation	122.2	119.2	118.8	116.1	71.76	71.30	68.89	63.45	24,075	
Trade	119.6	118.6	118.2	113.4	52.14	51.68	49.78	47.53	150,272	
Wholesale	125.3	124.2	122.1	121.8	61.84	61.37	59.20	56.67	46,636	
Retail	117.2	116.2	112.3	109.8	47.79	47.32	45.49	43.34	103,637	
Finance, insurance and real estate	128.0	126.9	120.2	124.7	66.07	56.04	53.61	51.05	56,093	
Banking, investment and loan	130.4	129.3	121.5	127.0	51.08	50.98	48.77	47.32	31,573	
Service	118.7	114.3	110.3	112.1	39.24	39.26	37.66	34.84	43,953	
Hotels and restaurants	113.0	107.1	106.3	106.5	32.34	32.71	32.25	29.92	23,359	
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	110.2	107.3	105.2	106.8	37.40	36.89	35.47	33.51	9,640	
Other services (r)	146.3	144.7	129.9	116.7	56.88	55.92	52.62	49.18	10,374	
Industrial composite	112.2	110.7	115.7	113.5	61.33	60.67	59.77	56.37	1,061,236	
Manitoba										
Manufacturing	102.3	100.0	107.8	107.5	56.41	56.34	56.02	51.96	37,699	
Food and beverages	99.2	96.7	99.1	98.2	60.57	60.55	56.65	54.94	7,977	
Meat products	106.3	104.3	106.1	102.3	66.93	66.41	62.42	60.71	3,260	
Clothing (textile and fur)	92.8	85.5	99.7	99.0	38.15	36.10	37.97	36.04	5,057	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	100.6	101.1	100.5	99.5	57.59	57.93	55.79	54.56	2,880	
Iron and steel products	108.5	107.0	112.1	111.4	62.90	62.30	61.32	56.09	4,974	
Transportation equipment	101.9	102.4	120.3	118.4	59.76	60.74	60.53	54.98	8,114	
Construction	108.7	99.5	114.2	102.3	54.54	51.60	54.26	53.58	9,799	
Building and structures (m)	104.8	95.9	105.6	87.1	56.24	52.94	57.76	56.59	6,373	
Transportation, storage, communication	111.9	109.4	116.3	116.0	63.30	61.51	62.88	57.17	34,284	
Steam railways	106.6	104.2	118.4	118.4	67.83	64.54	67.36	60.19	21,525	
Storage	104.1	102.5	105.8	107.3	52.82	52.88	50.59	48.29	3,369	
Trade	100.6	100.0	103.2	101.0	51.66	51.39	49.80	47.06	26,596	
Wholesale	106.7	106.0	106.1	106.4	54.69	54.49	52.44	49.80	10,579	
Retail	96.9	96.5	100.1	97.7	49.54	49.34	47.74	45.27	16,017	
Finance, insurance and real estate	119.7	120.9	117.1	116.5	52.52	51.97	49.98	47.49	7,141	
Service	103.5	100.6	105.7	102.4	34.49	34.43	32.52	30.88	5,595	
Hotels and restaurants	101.9	99.9	102.5	102.7	33.04	32.86	31.01	30.13	3,219	
Industrial composite	105.6	103.2	109.3	107.5	56.64	55.82	56.49	52.09	127,478	
Saskatchewan										
Manufacturing	111.3	107.9	106.0	106.1	57.82	58.69	55.04	52.50	8,728	
Food and beverages	100.8	97.8	96.5	105.0	55.74	56.56	53.60	50.82	4,451	
Meat products	82.1	79.4	83.4	95.7	64.00	66.21	62.41	62.85	1,061	
Dairy products	107.0	105.5	107.8	107.9	46.85	46.86	44.29	41.52	1,488	
Construction	173.6	145.1	143.6	142.6	60.01	57.59	56.57	56.34	10,758	
Building and structures (m)	197.0	179.9	160.6	161.6	59.29	56.17	57.04	60.87	5,774	
Highways, bridges and streets	152.6	113.9	127.4	122.2	60.86	59.60	56.02	50.62	4,984	
Transportation, storage, communication	107.9	105.2	116.3	115.5	60.46	60.46	63.31	54.57	18,420	
Steam railways	102.4	97.2	114.7	116.0	66.22	66.20	66.38	58.26	11,193	
Storage	106.0	101.8	111.5	104.3	49.35	49.23	63.03	47.51	3,911	
Trade	116.2	116.0	115.6	106.4	50.65	50.65	49.06	46.61	15,239	
Wholesale	118.3	118.7	119.1	111.3	55.70	55.25	53.57	50.93	6,403	
Retail	114.0	114.1	111.4	102.6	46.99	47.36	45.77	43.07	8,836	
Finance, insurance and real estate	126.6	126.5	117.1	114.6	46.33	46.45	43.70	42.87	3,926	
Service	117.2	115.8	109.7	99.6	35.61	35.71	33.73	32.16	3,315	
Industrial composite	122.6	116.9	119.7	116.2	55.96	55.56	56.36	51.29	63,563	

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TABLE 5. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Provinces, by Industries — Concluded

Provinces and Industries	Index Numbers (1949 = 100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment				July 1 1954					
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952		
Alberta										
Mining	104.8	104.1	113.8	116.8	74.58	74.27	71.93	70.24	16,249	
Coal	46.7	47.3	61.3	78.9	55.26	53.80	57.12	61.36	3,772	
Oil	180.1	177.5	183.5	175.5	70.71	70.91	77.24	74.60	11,122	
Manufacturing	130.5	125.8	127.1	125.3	60.79	61.01	58.32	54.52	26,287	
Food and beverages	119.3	113.7	115.1	116.5	59.26	60.40	57.01	53.65	8,773	
Meat products	125.7	121.7	123.5	120.5	66.17	66.65	61.63	50.94	3,994	
Wood products	103.2	95.8	112.7	114.1	47.11	46.07	48.22	45.01	2,714	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	108.3	103.9	101.1	98.9	59.60	58.86	57.84	55.63	1,227	
Iron and steel products	144.1	140.1	148.7	154.7	68.73	65.83	65.09	60.36	2,622	
Transportation equipment	134.5	136.7	162.8	153.1	60.97	61.86	60.27	54.03	3,979	
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	146.0	140.4	113.9	115.6	56.04	54.82	55.11	49.99	2,297	
Products of petroleum and coal	138.1	135.1	140.6	141.8	80.72	81.19	75.40	75.57	1,323	
Construction	190.5	169.2	205.4	171.4	64.59	59.34	66.40	62.27	20,765	
Building and structures (m)	180.9	167.2	221.3	185.9	69.13	60.96	74.07	56.93	10,792	
Highways, bridges and streets	202.1	171.6	186.8	154.5	59.68	57.44	56.00	48.09	9,973	
Transportation, storage, communication	115.6	113.1	119.8	115.4	63.11	62.48	62.44	58.13	24,062	
Steam railways	102.3	99.3	110.5	107.8	66.11	66.80	67.19	60.68	13,686	
Electric and motor transportation (o)	139.3	137.2	140.2	150.1	64.81	62.49	60.10	59.23	3,580	
Storage	115.1	113.1	115.3	111.9	53.13	53.25	51.62	46.13	2,640	
Trade	126.9	126.3	124.4	117.5	52.19	51.82	50.16	47.85	25,276	
Wholesale	127.6	126.8	127.9	122.9	56.36	55.98	55.59	51.44	8,722	
Retail	126.5	128.1	123.4	114.6	49.99	49.83	48.19	46.69	16,554	
Service	150.6	124.7	139.2	122.3	36.26	39.68	35.62	33.03	8,612	
Hotels and restaurants	156.0	119.9	140.9	129.6	34.75	38.03	33.88	31.68	6,292	
Industrial composite	130.4	124.7	131.3	123.3	59.84	59.26	59.18	54.48	130,843	
British Columbia										
Forestry (chiefly logging)	106.9	103.7	105.2	26.6	80.82	81.36	78.27	74.26	14,009	
Mining	95.6	92.3	103.6	129.6	73.23	73.05	75.80	68.71	9,206	
Gold (a)	92.8	92.7	92.9	120.5	72.84	72.90	72.05	68.59	1,829	
Other metal (b)	101.1	101.4	122.1	151.5	83.87	82.61	82.61	76.50	4,769	
Coal	63.2	64.0	66.5	83.4	54.15	52.03	63.33	62.61	1,500	
Manufacturing	111.4	107.6	111.2	82.0	67.19	66.45	63.44	61.59	79,163	
Food and beverages	98.9	91.3	105.1	112.2	57.84	59.71	52.82	52.61	11,691	
Canned and cured fish	102.9	99.5	113.2	143.4	57.99	59.27	50.17	51.98	3,737	
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	91.8	65.4	114.2	101.6	40.61	45.22	39.72	36.76	1,826	
Wood products	113.5	109.1	112.2	34.1	64.80	62.83	61.65	61.76	31,347	
Saw and planing mills (g)	116.4	111.9	114.8	29.9	65.47	65.38	62.05	65.87	28,895	
Paper products	135.1	132.6	122.9	107.6	79.29	78.86	73.31	70.48	8,213	
Pulp and paper mills	141.3	139.0	125.9	111.8	86.16	84.39	77.40	74.57	6,172	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	104.5	103.8	101.0	100.7	71.44	71.85	69.12	64.22	3,268	
Iron and steel products	110.4	106.6	114.6	112.4	75.46	73.45	69.84	66.87	5,921	
Transportation equipment	151.2	147.3	158.4	149.2	69.09	68.88	68.80	65.17	7,196	
Shipbuilding and repairing	151.2	146.7	156.4	147.3	69.89	69.45	71.05	66.90	5,720	
Non-ferrous metal products	82.5	83.5	99.9	102.3	77.72	76.50	74.35	68.92	3,519	
Chemical products	97.2	95.1	90.7	95.3	71.04	70.51	68.82	63.98	2,498	
Construction	111.4	113.8	139.4	122.7	76.09	77.71	82.14	69.40	24,402	
Building and structures (m)	118.1	122.9	168.5	136.8	87.37	87.57	90.30	77.05	15,359	
Highways, bridges and streets	101.7	100.5	95.6	108.2	62.39	60.15	61.37	55.66	9,063	
Transportation, storage, communication	114.0	110.5	114.4	111.4	64.04	63.63	62.35	57.83	37,257	
Steam railways	112.4	108.7	117.0	112.8	67.02	66.34	68.21	60.30	13,451	
Electric and motor transportation (o)	89.9	86.4	88.6	91.5	69.26	67.03	61.99	59.55	4,582	
Water transportation (n)	104.8	100.3	105.3	108.9	61.89	62.84	58.72	57.58	8,545	
Communication	149.3	146.5	140.1	129.5	54.74	53.88	51.42	46.75	7,551	
Public utility operation	99.7	97.7	100.1	100.1	78.37	76.28	73.22	69.07	4,624	
Trade	99.7	98.7	100.3	100.2	55.75	55.86	53.38	50.71	36,878	
Wholesale	96.9	96.1	97.5	100.9	63.83	63.82	60.12	57.68	13,107	
Retail	101.3	100.2	102.1	99.8	51.30	51.46	49.60	46.74	23,771	
Finance, insurance and real estate	130.5	129.3	120.6	121.5	62.18	52.22	51.47	49.04	9,046	
Banking, investment and loan	134.2	133.4	123.1	126.6	47.40	47.55	46.12	45.09	6,651	
Service	104.3	100.9	100.7	99.6	40.85	40.97	39.98	37.94	11,517	
Hotels and restaurants	104.4	100.6	99.7	103.3	37.15	36.84	35.68	34.82	6,903	
Industrial composite	106.5	106.3	111.6	95.6	65.32	65.05	64.28	59.00	226,081	

For footnotes (a) to (r) see page II at the end of this report.

TABLE 6. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Metropolitan Areas, by Industries

Metropolitan Areas and Industries	Index Numbers (1949=100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment				in Dollars					
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1955	July 1 1956	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1955	July 1 1956		
St. John's:										
Manufacturing	104.4	94.5	108.7	115.7	46.16	48.19	45.80	41.35	3,378	
Food and beverages	111.9	90.9	104.1	124.2	42.57	45.77	42.13	37.54	1,594	
Trade	102.5	98.3	107.4	99.6	42.81	42.37	41.08	38.52	3,908	
Industrial composite	114.6	110.3	120.9	115.8	42.93	44.21	41.90	39.57	11,027	
Halifax:										
Manufacturing	125.6	125.7	125.3	121.0	53.51	54.16	52.06	50.74	8,959	
Food and beverages	94.8	93.7	94.9	98.1	42.40	43.12	38.85	39.60	1,939	
Transportation equipment	169.5	160.7	161.4	145.2	68.76	59.62	57.60	56.75	5,049	
Construction	98.1	84.0	112.6	76.5	46.54	49.13	47.57	43.83	2,947	
Transportation, storage, communication	92.4	84.0	97.5	110.0	42.00	42.83	40.57	39.02	4,493	
Trade	113.5	111.8	109.6	111.6	42.43	41.38	40.95	39.09	7,336	
Retail	118.7	117.2	111.7	108.4	38.93	37.43	37.67	36.69	6,182	
Industrial composite	111.4	109.4	112.4	109.9	47.14	47.31	45.88	43.72	27,080	
Saint John:										
Manufacturing	111.6	112.1	108.2	108.5	55.14	50.93	52.58	50.44	5,006	
Transportation, storage, communication	84.8	73.9	67.8	82.0	42.54	41.97	42.52	37.62	2,984	
Trade	102.7	101.9	104.5	106.5	40.48	40.17	38.22	36.60	3,037	
Industrial composite	98.0	94.1	95.6	99.4	47.54	45.73	45.90	43.25	13,981	
Quebec:										
Manufacturing	117.4	117.6	120.3	111.7	47.76	48.76	47.02	46.08	21,373	
Leather products	86.0	86.2	93.0	84.9	31.43	31.10	30.88	30.57	3,169	
Clothing (textile and fur)	102.3	99.2	103.5	109.6	31.31	33.08	31.67	32.11	2,626	
Transportation equipment	195.5	221.0	257.9	200.7	62.70	62.44	57.68	55.23	2,853	
Construction	97.1	88.6	81.9	87.3	50.95	53.27	49.17	46.81	4,697	
Trade	111.7	109.1	110.5	107.6	42.41	43.01	40.61	38.52	6,726	
Retail	113.3	109.7	110.7	101.8	38.14	38.49	36.29	34.11	4,738	
Industrial composite	113.7	111.5	112.0	107.4	47.49	48.43	46.58	44.41	40,881	
Sherbrooke:										
Manufacturing	95.7	94.9	106.0	104.7	46.31	46.44	44.59	45.39	7,327	
Textile products (except clothing)	97.2	97.7	113.7	117.9	44.08	44.14	42.26	42.60	2,250	
Clothing (textile and fur)	66.8	68.1	74.7	62.3	33.91	36.18	35.88	34.49	1,490	
Iron and steel products	81.1	90.4	105.2	136.3	55.31	55.32	54.76	53.33	1,568	
Industrial composite	99.2	97.3	105.6	106.2	45.99	46.99	44.72	44.35	10,740	
Three Rivers:										
Manufacturing	108.3	104.0	106.2	105.4	60.67	59.07	57.82	56.96	9,578	
Pulp and paper mills	117.7	109.5	109.3	108.9	82.31	79.81	81.87	77.42	4,041	
Industrial composite	107.9	102.1	106.0	110.2	56.52	55.37	53.51	51.07	12,647	
Montreal:										
Manufacturing	107.5	108.3	113.5	110.6	56.71	58.30	57.16	53.64	206,686	
Tobacco and tobacco products	87.8	88.0	88.5	88.4	63.97	63.68	62.03	60.57	5,288	
Leather products	83.3	84.0	94.3	95.5	39.26	38.36	38.15	37.15	7,972	
Textile products (except clothing)	89.5	89.6	101.0	75.6	51.11	50.66	48.03	46.95	8,768	
Clothing (textile and fur)	95.7	95.4	99.5	104.0	39.22	38.95	38.58	38.10	55,944	
Men's clothing	91.6	92.8	102.1	100.6	40.71	38.40	41.21	40.01	11,075	
Women's clothing	92.0	96.7	95.9	105.2	37.63	38.93	38.26	36.78	14,224	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	108.8	107.4	106.1	106.4	68.19	67.27	64.92	60.61	9,566	
Iron and steel products	109.3	108.2	116.3	117.8	67.68	66.75	66.64	62.87	24,961	
Transportation equipment	130.4	137.1	151.9	138.1	66.93	67.45	65.27	57.88	32,509	
Railway and rolling stock equipment	96.4	99.8	111.8	113.3	66.16	64.77	64.69	57.29	15,079	
Electrical apparatus and supplies	118.3	118.8	121.4	112.8	66.48	65.54	66.00	59.95	16,523	
Chemical products	113.4	113.2	106.6	108.4	68.85	67.81	65.40	61.71	11,312	
Construction	110.2	105.2	111.9	122.1	57.04	56.71	53.87	52.08	27,711	
Building and structures (m)	105.4	98.0	105.0	115.4	56.56	55.46	55.41	52.28	20,224	
Transportation, storage, communication	124.7	119.7	122.8	119.6	60.36	62.51	62.15	59.52	31,867	
Electric and motor transportation (o)	112.0	109.7	109.9	108.0	60.75	58.16	59.83	60.31	10,814	
Trade	115.4	113.8	111.7	107.1	51.21	50.93	49.31	46.09	60,745	
Wholesale	120.5	128.7	117.9	110.1	60.75	60.43	68.75	55.51	24,153	
Retail	112.2	110.8	107.9	104.8	44.92	44.68	43.03	40.05	36,612	
Finance, insurance and real estate	122.9	122.4	118.7	118.2	58.18	57.98	54.31	52.49	23,349	
Banking, investment and loan	123.3	123.0	120.0	118.8	56.52	56.17	52.77	51.15	13,379	
Insurance	120.5	119.6	115.1	116.4	60.63	60.67	56.59	54.38	9,771	
Service	108.0	107.4	106.5	110.6	41.93	41.23	40.24	35.62	17,778	
Hotels and restaurants	100.9	100.1	96.3	98.3	33.62	32.40	32.86	30.72	8,119	
Industrial composite	111.5	110.8	114.2	112.3	56.76	56.81	55.29	52.08	374,600	
Ottawa - Hull:										
Manufacturing	110.8	106.8	114.3	106.7	62.12	61.21	57.88	54.98	16,568	
Pulp and paper mills	126.9	124.6	118.7	107.4	73.26	71.60	69.27	69.00	6,006	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	107.8	107.2	106.6	107.9	62.79	62.62	60.25	55.00	2,560	
Iron and steel products	65.0	64.9	86.6	84.3	61.86	60.38	57.66	58.22	1,262	
Construction	129.5	120.9	111.2	117.9	54.87	51.84	52.09	50.29	6,246	
Trade	106.0	104.7	105.0	105.9	44.45	44.40	42.94	40.68	9,299	
Finance, insurance and real estate	104.4	102.5	100.9	101.2	55.02	55.89	53.60	52.28	4,505	
Service	102.4	101.5	98.9	104.0	33.53	33.94	32.16	30.18	3,463	
Industrial composite	112.3	110.1	109.9	109.3	54.47	53.82	51.76	49.26	44,664	

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TABLE 6. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Metropolitan Areas, by Industries - Continued

Metropolitan Areas and Industries	Index Numbers (1949 = 100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported July 1 1954	
	Employment									
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952		
St. Catharines:										
Manufacturing	105.7	106.4	119.3	120.3	69.96	69.63	68.81	66.80	27,450	
Pulp and paper mills	123.8	121.4	119.5	115.3	76.80	77.26	75.38	70.98	3,337	
Iron and steel products	81.0	78.6	99.7	109.9	78.20	73.26	71.92	69.97	6,799	
Transportation equipment	117.5	127.0	156.0	135.6	68.71	66.75	69.82	68.68	6,503	
Construction	160.4	150.5	205.7	203.8	62.11	59.23	70.14	66.48	1,465	
Industrial composite	109.8	110.0	123.9	124.9	67.14	66.70	66.87	64.71	32,840	
Toronto:										
Manufacturing	117.8	117.3	121.3	112.8	65.23	64.65	62.78	58.67	201,962	
Food and beverages	105.2	100.2	105.1	102.1	59.91	60.18	57.14	54.42	21,577	
Meat products	121.4	117.1	121.0	119.3	67.75	69.76	65.10	62.68	5,319	
Rubber products	103.0	101.6	105.8	98.6	69.87	69.41	69.37	65.01	5,783	
Textile products (except clothing)	82.4	84.3	97.3	94.0	52.77	51.04	50.14	48.97	4,300	
Clothing (textile and fur)	85.4	86.9	95.3	94.4	45.90	44.92	46.09	45.48	15,987	
Men's clothing	96.5	98.1	106.4	106.7	45.03	45.19	47.65	41.68	5,868	
Women's clothing	82.7	84.1	91.0	91.9	45.43	43.86	44.65	45.88	4,327	
Paper products (except pulp and paper) (i)	103.4	101.5	101.8	96.0	50.43	50.93	50.58	54.28	7,126	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	108.6	108.3	108.5	104.3	72.04	72.36	68.86	64.57	16,841	
Iron and steel products	121.6	120.1	123.7	115.4	68.89	68.02	67.75	62.83	31,908	
Transportation equipment	255.7	254.1	266.2	224.9	75.50	73.93	72.77	63.59	27,330	
Electrical apparatus and supplies	137.4	139.1	144.7	124.7	67.00	66.38	65.82	62.34	26,335	
Chemical products	109.2	108.3	110.0	105.8	65.00	64.87	62.81	59.26	12,068	
Construction	145.8	140.3	132.0	142.5	70.22	66.61	66.89	65.82	20,983	
Building and structures (m)	140.9	137.7	132.9	140.0	71.54	67.58	67.74	66.67	17,924	
Transportation, storage, communication	122.3	121.7	116.0	110.5	63.78	63.49	62.99	59.42	23,937	
Electric and motor transportation (o)	116.7	115.9	112.2	105.8	66.48	66.24	65.19	63.01	11,081	
Public utility operation	124.6	122.4	120.8	117.7	73.95	73.54	75.57	70.92	10,398	
Trade	119.0	118.7	114.2	110.5	55.03	56.66	54.47	51.96	73,549	
Wholesale	127.8	127.8	123.8	123.0	63.93	63.07	60.74	57.91	26,432	
Retail	114.6	114.1	109.4	103.4	53.89	53.34	50.94	48.59	47,117	
Finance, insurance and real estate	132.6	131.6	125.5	127.4	59.73	59.62	56.55	53.63	28,381	
Banking, investment and loan	132.4	131.4	125.2	126.2	56.78	56.40	53.99	52.14	14,461	
Insurance	130.9	129.7	123.7	124.7	63.51	63.47	59.78	55.54	13,376	
Service	121.2	119.3	110.1	107.5	44.60	43.79	42.04	39.10	21,718	
Hotels and restaurants	107.8	106.8	100.7	100.7	35.59	34.79	34.34	32.24	10,110	
Industrial composite	120.9	120.1	119.8	114.4	62.62	61.89	60.25	56.86	381,214	
Hamilton:										
Manufacturing	99.8	100.4	109.6	107.6	66.82	66.54	64.69	62.36	53,703	
Textile products (except clothing)	100.2	101.8	108.3	118.4	48.59	43.88	46.67	43.84	2,759	
Clothing (textile and fur)	71.4	69.3	85.3	77.5	43.55	42.76	42.58	40.29	3,261	
Iron and steel products	99.4	100.1	108.2	114.0	73.28	72.49	71.16	68.17	22,044	
Electrical apparatus and supplies	121.2	121.0	141.0	127.0	72.93	72.58	67.06	67.78	9,565	
Construction	122.7	119.0	110.6	114.2	64.86	62.44	63.48	62.78	4,427	
Retail trade	114.8	113.4	112.2	112.3	48.88	47.55	46.14	42.70	6,520	
Industrial composite	104.3	104.3	111.7	109.5	53.42	53.04	51.84	50.37	75,888	
Brantford:										
Manufacturing	77.3	77.6	85.5	103.0	61.82	62.03	58.29	57.40	10,182	
Textile products (except clothing)	77.5	76.0	79.2	102.9	57.05	57.48	54.67	56.70	1,153	
Iron and steel products	68.1	69.4	80.5	111.5	57.73	67.93	62.14	61.48	4,531	
Industrial composite	81.7	81.8	88.1	102.9	59.19	59.50	56.39	55.71	12,864	
Kitchener:										
Manufacturing	95.9	96.5	106.8	100.5	57.57	56.74	56.42	53.26	16,221	
Food and beverages	116.1	110.8	118.6	112.3	60.89	62.18	57.87	58.07	3,304	
Rubber products	86.9	86.0	104.4	101.5	60.75	59.81	59.55	55.89	4,290	
Leather products	79.6	79.3	93.8	89.5	53.39	51.13	52.13	48.80	1,387	
Wood products	89.5	93.4	105.7	90.6	56.40	54.20	57.14	50.58	1,962	
Industrial composite	103.7	103.5	108.6	102.4	56.98	56.28	55.68	52.42	22,480	
London:										
Manufacturing	112.7	110.8	121.9	108.1	58.40	58.07	58.01	58.88	17,551	
Food and beverages	117.0	111.5	120.3	111.4	57.88	57.59	55.44	58.37	4,567	
Clothing (textile and fur)	89.2	90.1	97.1	90.3	57.82	41.04	43.99	40.55	1,184	
Paper products	112.5	110.5	123.2	99.1	61.44	62.21	59.47	57.37	1,106	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	107.1	107.0	107.7	95.2	63.06	62.18	60.20	56.98	1,309	
Iron and steel products	97.0	93.2	108.1	91.2	62.71	65.02	65.47	59.87	2,880	
Construction	89.1	86.9	112.0	118.7	62.99	61.72	58.86	56.21	1,798	
Retail trade	113.0	113.4	106.0	107.1	45.39	44.29	43.10	41.58	3,891	
Finance, insurance and real estate	123.2	122.7	122.4	127.4	56.15	56.52	52.28	49.62	2,814	
Industrial composite	112.8	111.0	117.4	110.9	56.24	55.72	55.07	53.26	31,919	
Windsor:										
Manufacturing	91.5	91.8	118.9	114.9	72.05	69.25	72.16	64.73	30,417	
Iron and steel products	108.4	110.1	122.4	117.2	72.36	68.02	71.55	66.81	4,835	
Transportation equipment	85.2	87.7	115.1	110.9	74.67	71.57	76.34	66.35	10,067	
Trade	110.2	107.5	109.3	105.4	49.01	48.39	46.54	44.56	4,376	
Industrial composite	97.1	96.9	118.2	115.2	67.78	65.70	68.26	61.82	41,781	

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TABLE 6. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Metropolitan Areas, by Industries - Concluded

Metropolitan Areas and Industries	Index Numbers (1949=100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at July 1 1954	
	Employment				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars					
	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952	July 1 1954	June 1 1954	July 1 1953	July 1 1952		
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur:										
Manufacturing	111.6	110.2	136.8	136.7	68.21	67.40	65.38	60.94	5,751	
Pulp and paper mills	102.9	99.2	110.8	107.1	75.20	74.09	73.57	69.91	2,135	
Transportation equipment	169.4	172.6	260.0	256.5	65.37	64.99	61.59	56.36	2,158	
Transportation, storage, communication	103.7	97.8	122.6	126.8	66.35	64.38	69.58	61.32	2,324	
Trade	105.3	106.4	102.5	101.9	49.13	48.75	48.01	45.82	2,425	
Industrial composite	107.6	105.6	124.5	123.3	60.94	60.07	61.06	56.70	13,069	
Winnipeg:										
Manufacturing	101.1	98.8	106.9	105.8	55.76	55.66	54.31	51.23	33,504	
Food and beverages	95.4	93.5	95.4	95.1	61.73	61.71	57.71	56.05	7,014	
Meat products	105.9	102.4	104.4	101.0	67.51	67.05	62.95	61.32	3,040	
Clothing (textile and fur)	92.8	85.1	99.5	100.3	38.70	36.77	38.58	36.58	4,818	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	99.7	100.2	99.9	99.3	57.80	58.11	55.76	54.56	2,782	
Iron and steel products	110.0	106.3	113.8	108.3	62.08	61.15	60.19	56.83	4,060	
Transportation equipment	101.8	102.3	120.2	118.3	59.80	60.77	60.55	54.89	8,095	
Construction	116.2	101.8	97.0	91.5	53.95	50.86	52.15	54.25	6,583	
Transportation, storage, communication	118.7	116.9	106.8	102.6	58.77	58.22	57.39	54.31	9,075	
Trade	98.2	97.7	102.0	99.9	52.07	51.83	49.86	47.50	23,021	
Wholesale	105.8	104.6	106.0	107.5	54.89	56.02	52.65	49.91	8,738	
Retail	94.0	93.9	98.7	95.7	50.34	49.90	48.18	45.71	14,283	
Finance, insurance and real estate	117.5	118.8	116.0	115.9	65.10	54.37	52.16	49.76	5,635	
Service	99.9	98.2	99.4	97.3	35.11	34.81	33.21	31.42	4,904	
Industrial composite	104.0	101.8	106.0	104.6	53.78	53.35	51.82	49.40	83,884	
Regina:										
Manufacturing	126.6	120.5	118.1	104.7	61.90	62.54	57.14	54.40	2,804	
Wholesale trade	115.7	114.3	115.5	117.2	66.72	56.26	54.87	51.51	2,482	
Retail trade	97.9	101.2	100.2	89.8	48.03	47.94	46.01	42.75	3,547	
Industrial composite	123.9	120.1	112.4	107.0	54.21	53.57	50.51	48.03	15,719	
Saskatoon:										
Manufacturing	114.5	112.2	106.8	113.1	57.47	59.42	56.36	53.56	2,481	
Food and beverages	115.5	113.8	104.5	115.0	57.75	58.82	56.56	54.67	1,655	
Wholesale trade	125.4	126.6	127.4	115.8	51.48	51.36	49.56	46.61	2,010	
Retail trade	122.8	121.5	121.4	116.2	46.97	47.08	44.75	43.41	1,872	
Industrial composite	125.7	122.9	120.4	114.6	52.09	52.08	49.82	47.43	10,571	
Edmonton:										
Manufacturing	149.4	144.8	143.0	134.3	62.10	61.79	68.29	55.13	11,065	
Food and beverages	131.6	125.8	128.5	123.9	61.45	61.88	57.63	54.85	3,990	
Meat products	150.7	126.2	129.8	121.3	65.28	65.27	59.55	57.72	2,676	
Construction	172.7	152.4	219.5	176.2	67.20	58.10	77.96	54.91	6,712	
Wholesale trade	140.9	139.2	140.0	130.6	56.15	55.63	52.41	50.61	3,545	
Retail trade	129.6	129.4	126.4	115.2	50.42	49.51	48.28	45.38	7,505	
Industrial composite	147.2	141.5	149.7	132.1	57.86	55.66	58.80	51.51	37,140	
Calgary:										
Manufacturing	120.0	118.9	124.0	125.8	64.00	63.40	62.59	58.05	9,032	
Food and beverages	115.1	115.0	113.0	117.7	63.35	63.22	61.67	57.12	2,888	
Transportation equipment	125.5	127.8	154.3	145.2	63.71	64.35	61.80	54.93	2,296	
Construction	178.7	171.0	176.0	200.9	66.40	62.51	57.77	56.25	3,523	
Wholesale trade	122.8	122.0	121.8	118.9	56.34	56.25	54.82	51.66	3,822	
Retail trade	125.6	124.5	119.8	114.0	50.79	51.49	49.64	47.04	6,509	
Industrial composite	132.6	129.8	130.1	125.4	58.52	58.17	55.93	53.41	32,454	
Vancouver:										
Manufacturing	104.7	102.3	105.5	86.2	66.90	66.12	63.30	61.32	32,611	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	105.3	104.5	101.8	100.4	73.55	74.12	71.48	66.12	2,478	
Wood products	95.6	93.6	95.1	50.1	65.86	64.49	62.97	61.80	9,188	
Saw and planing mills(g)	96.7	95.3	97.2	20.0	58.06	66.29	64.32	68.02	7,452	
Iron and steel products	117.5	113.4	120.2	122.0	75.69	73.67	69.82	66.94	5,498	
Transportation equipment	126.6	123.2	114.2	137.3	69.72	68.47	68.00	66.98	3,455	
Construction	79.2	77.8	76.0	69.8	72.60	70.74	73.02	65.45	7,911	
Transportation, storage, communication	122.8	112.1	111.8	105.7	60.79	59.30	56.92	53.82	15,921	
Water transportation (n)	102.4	99.8	101.9	110.5	61.61	62.03	59.24	56.28	4,187	
Communication	151.7	148.7	140.5	128.8	54.12	55.97	51.13	46.40	6,882	
Trade	102.3	102.0	103.7	102.7	58.23	58.04	55.52	52.69	25,559	
Wholesale	109.7	108.9	100.0	114.9	65.25	65.13	61.02	59.79	10,598	
Retail	97.7	97.7	100.4	96.2	53.25	53.06	51.16	47.83	14,941	
Service	102.7	100.0	100.4	98.3	42.70	42.58	41.71	39.24	7,703	
Industrial composite	103.5	101.9	102.4	94.7	61.84	61.14	59.22	55.80	98,202	
Victoria:										
Manufacturing	137.4	134.1	133.7	98.7	66.23	65.77	65.99	62.30	6,705	
Wood products	129.4	128.3	134.3	23.1	62.87	59.93	60.10	65.36	1,716	
Transportation equipment	195.4	169.8	178.2	169.3	68.80	69.41	72.03	64.09	3,598	
Trade	98.7	94.5	100.3	98.7	49.58	51.18	48.22	46.10	3,735	
Industrial composite	111.0	106.5	109.7	97.3	58.81	58.16	57.63	53.42	15,642	

For footnotes (a) to (f) see page II at the end of this report.

Table 7.- Average Weekly Wages and Salaries by Industrial Divisions, Canada.

Year and Month	Forestry		Mining	Manu-	Con-	Trans-	Storage & Public		Finance,	Insurance,	Real	Service
	Industrial Composite	(chiefly logging)					facturing	struction	Commun-	Utility	Operation	Trade
1947 - Average	36.19	35.42	43.05	36.34	34.85	41.23	41.05	31.29	38.34	23.48		
1948 - Average	40.06	39.11	48.77	40.67	37.99	45.51	45.16	34.38	40.08	25.87		
1949 - Average	42.96	40.62	51.49	43.97	41.28	48.39	48.14	36.97	42.22	28.05		
1950 - Average	44.84	42.01	53.95	46.21	43.27	49.15	51.14	38.81	43.90	29.50		
1951 - Average	49.61	48.40	59.82	51.26	48.36	53.76	55.93	42.71	46.26	31.61		
1952 - Average	54.13	55.31	65.35	56.11	55.37	56.48	61.66	45.89	49.13	34.06		
1953 - Average	57.30	58.11	68.70	59.01	60.57	61.09	65.16	48.26	51.84	36.87		
1951 - Jan. 1	45.27	42.58	54.08	46.60	40.82	51.07	52.76	39.55	44.78	30.23		
Feb. 1	47.87	42.45	58.22	49.64	46.56	52.55	53.48	40.91	45.35	30.97		
Mar. 1	48.19	44.94	58.85	49.56	47.56	52.53	54.85	41.58	45.28	31.45		
Apr. 1	48.43	45.76	57.56	50.03	46.59	53.05	54.57	41.60	45.91	31.50		
May 1	49.17	48.74	59.20	50.84	46.99	53.03	55.36	42.51	46.16	31.79		
June 1	49.34	49.54	58.74	50.90	47.15	53.72	55.57	42.77	46.23	31.77		
July 1	50.17	51.66	60.32	51.70	48.81	54.12	56.22	43.53	46.23	31.60		
Aug. 1	50.16	47.49	60.77	51.68	49.48	54.20	56.32	43.85	46.27	31.21		
Sept. 1	50.66	48.15	60.77	52.37	50.44	54.74	56.03	43.74	46.40	31.28		
Oct. 1	51.59	50.83	63.01	53.31	51.95	55.08	57.79	44.17	47.11	32.07		
Nov. 1	52.05	54.14	62.74	53.89	51.60	55.35	58.47	44.34	47.72	32.59		
Dec. 1	52.41	54.47	63.60	54.44	52.34	55.71	59.73	43.91	47.55	32.84		
1952 - Jan. 1	50.42	51.31	60.18	51.82	46.04	55.63	58.34	44.04	47.47	32.65		
Feb. 1	53.19	52.84	63.42	55.35	54.33	55.32	60.75	45.41	47.71	33.35		
Mar. 1	53.95	56.84	64.01	55.72	55.73	56.33	61.30	45.75	48.38	33.91		
Apr. 1	54.32	59.37	65.68	56.55	55.97	55.00	61.73	45.62	49.36	33.75		
May 1	54.34	55.93	64.90	56.55	55.38	56.62	61.53	45.71	49.61	34.16		
June 1	54.08	52.73	64.84	56.09	55.01	56.32	61.62	46.23	49.58	34.01		
July 1	53.96	53.07	65.48	55.95	54.68	56.39	60.79	46.35	49.53	33.69		
Aug. 1	53.89	53.64	65.14	55.70	54.32	56.94	61.20	46.45	49.46	33.97		
Sept. 1	54.55	55.98	66.07	56.35	56.55	57.07	61.51	46.39	49.47	33.87		
Oct. 1	55.12	56.27	67.20	57.09	57.98	57.09	61.90	46.32	49.49	34.62		
Nov. 1	56.66	56.42	68.05	57.65	59.00	57.55	63.63	46.37	49.81	35.16		
Dec. 1	56.12	59.35	69.22	58.46	59.42	57.56	64.59	46.06	49.73	35.41		
1953 - Jan. 1	53.81	57.59	65.46	54.92	51.51	59.58	63.45	46.29	50.06	34.83		
Feb. 1	56.72	56.30	68.59	58.82	59.97	59.79	64.95	47.22	50.26	36.16		
Mar. 1	57.40	61.12	67.70	59.25	61.50	60.77	65.31	47.81	50.32	36.55		
Apr. 1	57.33	59.22	67.06	59.43	61.11	60.11	64.83	47.90	51.79	36.75		
May 1	57.52	58.23	68.08	59.43	59.99	61.21	64.64	48.37	52.06	37.31		
June 1	57.72	56.75	68.87	59.43	61.08	61.87	65.70	48.45	52.01	37.23		
July 1	57.57	57.94	68.23	59.16	60.94	61.80	64.71	48.80	51.94	36.80		
Aug. 1	57.52	59.21	68.54	58.93	61.34	61.35	65.01	49.05	52.07	36.76		
Sept. 1	57.61	59.45	69.28	58.83	61.93	61.45	64.80	49.03	52.16	36.66		
Oct. 1	58.11	55.08	70.23	59.69	63.32	61.93	65.98	49.03	52.09	37.38		
Nov. 1	58.14	56.86	70.30	59.98	62.29	61.92	65.73	48.90	52.44	37.86		
Dec. 1	58.13	59.58	72.01	60.29	61.81	61.31	66.76	48.27	52.50	38.11		
1954 - Jan. 1	56.56	59.38	68.04	58.24	55.34	61.40	66.97	49.24	52.69	37.83		
Feb. 1	58.47	56.15	70.91	60.60	61.48	61.86	68.61	50.06	52.76	38.27		
Mar. 1	59.22	60.52	70.71	61.13	63.81	62.51	69.24	50.51	53.20	38.80		
Apr. 1	59.06	62.39	69.43	61.19	62.85	61.91	67.99	50.68	53.53	38.65		
May 1	59.15	61.23	70.00	61.30	61.35	62.70	68.06	50.70	54.11	39.04		
June 1	58.42	56.98	70.38	60.54	59.13	62.02	67.22	50.68	54.27	38.62		
July 1	58.94	59.63	69.95	61.00	61.35	62.28	67.39	50.97	54.36	38.26		
Aug. 1												
Sept. 1												
Oct. 1												
Nov. 1												
Dec. 1												

1/Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants and business and recreational service.

TABLE 7. Sex Distribution of Employees Reported by Industries, Canada

Industries	July 1, 1954					June 1, 1954		July 1, 1953	
	Both Sexes	Men		Women		Men	Women	Men	Women
		No.	No.	No.	p.c.				
Forestry (chiefly logging)	61,910	60,854	1,056	98.3	1.7	98.2	1.8	98.2	1.8
Mining	99,935	96,594	3,341	96.7	3.3	96.7	3.3	96.9	3.1
Metal mining	53,977	52,751	1,226	97.7	2.3	97.8	2.2	97.9	2.1
Gold (a)	19,071	18,726	345	98.2	1.8	98.2	1.8	98.3	1.7
Other metal (b)	34,906	34,025	881	97.5	2.5	97.5	2.5	97.6	2.4
Fuels	31,631	29,881	1,750	94.5	5.5	94.5	5.5	95.3	4.7
Coal	18,528	18,168	160	99.1	0.9	99.1	0.9	99.1	0.9
Oil and natural gas	13,503	11,713	1,590	88.0	12.0	88.2	11.8	89.7	10.3
Non-metal (c)	14,327	13,962	365	97.5	2.5	97.5	2.5	97.5	2.5
Manufacturing	1,131,856	885,407	246,449	78.2	21.8	78.3	21.7	77.8	22.2
Food and beverages	137,274	102,067	35,207	74.4	25.6	75.3	24.7	75.5	26.5
Meat products	24,123	19,351	4,772	80.2	19.8	80.8	19.2	80.2	19.8
Dairy products	10,656	8,491	2,165	79.7	20.3	79.8	20.2	79.8	20.2
Canned and cured fish	12,870	9,438	3,452	73.5	26.7	72.3	27.7	70.0	30.0
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	15,111	7,756	5,356	59.2	40.8	64.0	36.0	58.5	41.5
Grain mill products	8,247	6,935	1,312	84.1	15.9	84.8	15.4	85.7	16.3
Bread and other bakery products	17,478	13,904	3,574	79.6	20.4	79.8	20.2	79.8	20.2
Biscuits and crackers	7,637	5,843	3,794	50.3	49.7	50.0	50.0	47.0	53.0
Distilled and malt liquors	15,392	13,233	2,159	86.0	14.0	86.3	13.7	84.8	15.2
Other beverages (d)	7,822	7,156	686	91.2	8.8	90.8	9.2	91.5	8.5
Confectionery	7,776	5,678	4,098	47.3	52.7	46.7	53.3	47.7	52.3
Tobacco and tobacco products	8,277	3,551	4,726	42.9	57.1	42.8	57.2	43.9	56.1
Rubber products	19,850	16,222	4,628	76.7	23.3	76.6	23.4	76.0	26.0
Leather products	28,232	16,526	11,706	58.5	41.5	58.8	41.2	58.0	42.0
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	18,813	10,367	8,446	55.1	44.9	55.2	44.8	54.6	45.4
Other leather products (f)	9,419	6,159	3,260	65.4	34.6	65.9	34.1	64.4	35.6
Textile products (except clothing)	58,382	38,143	20,239	65.3	34.7	65.6	34.4	64.4	35.6
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	19,628	12,806	6,820	65.3	34.7	65.7	34.3	65.0	35.0
Woollen goods	9,741	5,951	3,790	61.1	38.9	61.3	38.7	59.9	40.1
Synthetic textiles and silk	13,305	10,023	3,282	75.3	24.7	76.8	24.2	73.8	26.2
Clothing (textile and fur)	90,705	30,534	60,261	53.8	66.4	53.0	67.0	55.1	66.9
Men's clothing	51,060	10,741	20,319	34.6	65.4	34.7	65.3	32.9	67.1
Women's clothing	22,081	5,810	16,271	26.3	73.7	24.8	75.2	26.4	73.6
Knit goods	19,953	7,574	12,379	38.0	62.0	37.4	62.6	36.8	63.2
Fur goods	3,761	2,668	1,183	68.6	31.6	68.3	31.7	67.4	32.6
Hats and caps	5,691	1,613	2,178	41.0	59.0	41.2	58.8	41.2	58.8
Wood products	90,346	83,530	6,816	92.6	7.5	92.2	7.8	92.4	7.6
Saw and planing mills (g)	58,149	55,308	2,840	95.1	4.9	94.9	5.1	95.1	4.9
Furniture	21,244	18,923	2,321	89.1	10.9	89.1	10.9	88.8	11.2
Other wood products (h)	10,953	9,298	1,655	84.9	15.1	84.8	15.2	85.7	14.3
Paper products	87,704	76,670	11,034	87.4	12.6	87.1	12.9	86.4	13.6
Pulp and paper mills	64,376	61,082	3,294	94.9	5.1	94.8	5.2	95.1	4.9
Other paper products (i)	23,328	16,588	7,740	66.8	33.2	66.2	33.8	66.0	35.0
Printing, publishing and allied industries	46,664	35,364	13,310	72.6	27.4	72.8	27.2	72.3	27.7
Iron and steel products	161,766	146,076	15,690	90.3	9.7	90.5	9.7	90.7	9.3
Agricultural implements	15,715	12,926	789	94.2	5.8	94.4	5.6	93.4	6.6
Boilers and plate work	6,177	5,676	602	91.9	8.1	91.9	8.1	92.6	7.4
Fabricated and structural steel	9,534	9,079	455	95.2	4.8	95.1	4.9	95.6	4.4
Hardware and tools	11,792	9,525	2,267	80.8	19.2	80.7	19.5	80.0	20.0
Heating and cooking appliances	7,854	7,177	677	91.4	8.6	91.2	8.8	95.0	7.0
Iron castings	17,869	16,843	1,026	94.3	5.7	94.3	5.7	94.0	6.0
Machinery mfg. (j)	33,752	29,635	4,117	87.8	12.2	87.9	12.1	87.8	12.2
Primary iron and steel	29,676	26,471	1,205	95.9	4.1	95.9	4.1	96.3	3.7
Sheet metal products	16,983	14,514	2,669	84.3	15.7	84.3	15.7	84.8	15.2
Wire and wire products	5,193	4,496	697	86.6	13.4	86.6	13.4	85.9	14.1

For footnotes (a) to (r) see page II at the end of this report.

TABLE 7. Sex Distribution of Employees Reported, by Industries, Canada (Concluded)

Industries	July 1, 1954					June 1, 1954		July 1, 1953	
	Both Sexes	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women
				No.	No.				
Manufacturing — concluded:									
Transportation equipment	152,603	141,293	11,310	92.6	7.4	92.8	7.2	93.1	6.9
Aircraft and parts	41,021	36,656	4,365	89.4	10.6	89.6	10.4	90.3	9.7
Motor vehicles	29,786	27,713	2,073	95.0	7.0	95.6	6.4	95.7	6.3
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	18,622	15,651	2,971	84.0	16.0	84.0	16.0	84.8	15.2
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	35,560	35,028	532	98.5	1.5	98.6	1.4	98.8	1.2
Shipbuilding and repairing	23,895	23,023	872	96.4	3.6	96.4	3.6	97.0	3.0
Non-ferrous metal products	50,938	45,571	5,367	89.5	10.5	89.3	10.7	89.0	11.0
Aluminum products	7,702	6,370	1,332	82.7	17.3	82.3	17.7	84.9	15.1
Brass and copper products	9,230	8,166	1,064	88.5	11.5	88.4	11.6	88.3	11.7
Smelting and refining	26,191	25,517	674	97.4	2.6	97.5	2.5	97.4	2.6
Electrical apparatus and supplies	74,285	53,799	20,486	72.4	27.6	72.4	27.6	71.1	28.9
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	30,303	26,994	3,309	89.1	10.9	88.6	11.4	88.1	11.9
Clay products	5,850	5,292	558	90.6	9.5	89.5	10.5	88.3	11.7
Glass and glass products	7,769	6,348	1,421	81.7	18.3	80.8	19.2	81.0	19.0
Products of petroleum and coal	13,584	12,316	1,268	90.7	9.3	90.7	9.3	90.9	9.1
Chemical products	55,792	43,187	12,605	77.4	22.6	77.4	22.6	77.3	22.7
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	8,325	4,672	3,653	56.1	43.9	56.3	43.7	55.2	44.8
Acids, alkalis and salts	6,906	6,530	376	94.6	5.4	95.1	4.9	95.4	4.6
Other chemical products (l)	40,561	31,985	8,576	78.9	21.1	78.8	21.2	78.8	21.2
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	23,061	14,574	8,487	63.2	36.8	63.1	36.9	61.1	38.0
Construction	236,125	229,279	5,846	97.5	2.5	97.4	2.6	97.4	2.6
Building and structures (m)	148,495	144,662	3,833	97.4	2.6	97.2	2.8	97.3	2.7
Highways, bridges and streets	86,630	84,617	2,013	97.7	2.3	97.7	2.5	97.4	2.6
Transportation, storage, communication									
Transportation	342,826	291,506	51,480	85.0	15.0	84.9	15.1	85.5	14.5
Air transport and airports	265,303	250,824	14,479	94.5	5.5	94.6	5.4	94.7	5.3
Steam railways	10,437	8,447	1,990	80.9	19.1	81.5	18.7	78.6	21.4
Maintenance of equipment	171,854	165,604	6,250	95.2	4.8	95.2	4.8	95.4	4.8
Maintenance of ways and structures	23,894	23,695	199	99.2	0.8	99.2	0.8	99.3	0.7
Transportation — steam railways	38,323	38,146	177	99.5	0.5	99.5	0.5	99.6	0.4
Telegraphs	99,628	93,680	5,948	94.0	6.0	94.0	6.0	94.1	5.9
Water transportation (n)	10,009	8,083	1,926	80.8	19.2	81.5	18.5	79.0	21.0
Electric and motor transportation (o)	34,128	32,410	1,718	95.0	5.0	95.4	4.6	94.6	5.4
Urban and interurban transportation (p)	48,864	46,353	2,521	94.8	5.2	94.9	5.1	94.9	5.1
Truck transportation	26,540	25,315	1,225	95.4	4.6	95.4	4.6	95.3	4.7
Storage	17,878	16,993	885	95.0	5.0	95.2	4.8	95.2	4.8
Grain elevators	16,493	14,958	1,555	90.7	9.3	90.7	9.3	90.9	9.1
Storage and warehouse	12,176	11,094	1,062	91.1	8.9	91.1	8.9	91.2	8.8
Communication	4,317	3,864	453	89.5	10.5	89.7	10.3	90.3	9.7
Radio broadcasting	61,030	25,584	35,446	41.9	58.1	41.4	58.6	40.1	59.9
Telephone	6,310	4,407	1,903	60.8	30.2	70.0	30.0	70.0	30.0
Public utility operation	54,235	20,742	33,493	38.2	61.8	37.7	62.3	36.9	63.1
Electric light and power	49,671	43,778	5,893	88.1	11.9	88.0	12.0	87.6	12.4
Other public utilities (q)	42,907	37,534	5,575	87.0	13.0	86.9	13.1	87.2	12.6
Trade	364,970	234,374	130,596	64.2	35.8	64.0	36.0	63.2	36.8
Wholesale	126,188	97,267	28,931	77.1	22.9	76.9	23.1	76.7	23.3
Retail	238,782	137,117	101,665	57.4	42.6	57.2	42.8	56.1	43.9
Finance, insurance and real estate	118,865	58,892	59,973	49.5	50.5	49.5	50.5	49.7	50.3
Banking, investment and loan	73,718	34,616	39,102	47.0	53.0	46.9	53.1	47.5	52.5
Insurance	44,176	23,660	20,516	53.6	46.4	53.8	46.4	53.0	47.0
Service	104,448	63,139	51,309	50.9	49.1	50.6	49.4	50.3	49.7
Hotels and restaurants	60,473	31,457	29,016	52.0	48.0	51.8	48.2	51.6	48.4
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	23,931	8,638	15,283	36.1	63.9	35.6	64.4	34.4	65.6
Other service (r)	20,044	13,044	7,000	65.1	34.9	64.7	35.3	65.2	34.8
Industrial composite	2,509,606	1,953,683	555,923	77.8	22.2	77.7	22.3	77.9	22.1

For footnotes (a) to (r) see page 11 at the end of this report.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

General.- The monthly surveys of employment and weekly payrolls relate to all branches of the industries listed in the table given in the following industrial coverage statement, except services, in which the industries represented consist mainly of hotels, restaurants, laundries and dry-cleaning establishments, recreational and business services. The surveys do not cover firms usually employing less than 15 persons, the number of which is very large in relation to their employee totals; establishments reducing their staffs below this minimum are not necessarily removed from the mailing list. Data are requested from all classes of employees, irrespective of their functions in the business; statistics for the owners are excluded. Employers operating in two or more lines of business, or in different provinces or cities, are asked to furnish separate monthly returns for their establishments in the different units.

1. Coverage.- Virtual limitation of the surveys to firms with staffs of 15 and over results in a large and relatively even coverage of total employment in the included industries in the provinces and the cities for which data are segregated. The industrial representation, though large, is more uneven, the proportion of workers covered depending upon the organization of particular industries in larger or smaller units of operation. Complete information respecting the area and industry distributions of the working population is available only when the Decennial Censuses are taken. In 1951, data were not segregated for paid workers actually at work. The following estimates of coverage in the monthly surveys therefore are conservative since they relate employees of the reporting firms to all employees with jobs, including those absent from work without pay, so that they would not have been included in the monthly statistics of employment, payrolls and man-hours:

Estimated Industrial Coverage, June 1, 1951.

<u>Division</u>	<u>P.C.</u>	<u>Division</u>	<u>P.C.</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	75	Public utilities	67
Mining (includes milling, quarrying, oil wells)	96	Trade	60
Manufacturing	89	Finance, insurance and real estate	82
Transportation, storage and communication	89	Services (specified industries only)	40*
Construction	81	All industries included	78

The coverage of total wage-earners and salaried employees in all industries, including those in agriculture, government, education, health and other classes excluded from the monthly surveys, as well as paid workers in the industries that are represented, approximates 59 p.c.

It is important to note that the statistics of employees reported, as published in the monthly bulletins, do not represent estimates of total numbers of paid workers in specified areas or industries, but show only the distributions of men and women on the staffs of the co-operating employers at the indicated dates, including their full time, part-time and casual employees.

2. The Questionnaire used in the monthly surveys asks employers to state the number of wage-earners and salaried employees drawing pay in the last pay periods in the months, with their payroll disbursements in the same periods. Workers on strike during the reported pay periods are not included in the statistics unless they draw pay from their employer; for example, take paid holidays during the dispute. Workers laid off during the pay period as an indirect effect of industrial disputes are not counted as employed.

Employees and earnings are grouped according to the duration of their pay periods monthly, semi-monthly, fortnightly, weekly, etc. Gross payrolls are requested, before deductions are made for taxes, unemployment insurance contributions, etc. Overtime payments, cost-of-living allowances, commissions, incentive and production bonuses are included, as are payments for absences with pay in the reported pay periods. The statistics do not include employers' contributions to unemployment insurance, workmen's compensation and other welfare plans, nor do they include amounts paid for pensions, retirement gratuities, bonuses paid at irregular or infrequent intervals, and various other supplementary labour costs.

3. The Processing.- Statistics of wages and salaries reported for any period exceeding a week are reduced for tabulation purposes to one week's proportion of the totals, the numerators of the fractions used for this purpose being 5, 6 or 7 days, depending upon the number of days per week on which the establishments operated in the pay period; the denominators of the fractions are the numbers of working days in the different pay periods. For employees paid at annual or monthly rates, whose earnings are not affected by variations in the number of working days in the month, fixed proportions are used to reduce the earnings to a weekly basis, irrespective of the length of the calendar month. The sums resulting from these various calculations are then aggregated to give the total amounts which would be paid for services rendered in one week by the employees of the co-operating firms. The workers reported are not necessarily employed for a period of a week by any one establishment. In order to reduce duplication in the statistics of employment where individuals may appear on the payrolls of more than one employer in a period of several weeks, respondents are asked to furnish data only for the last pay period in the month for their various classes of employees.

*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry-cleaning plants, recreational and business services.

4. The Tabulation.- The material tabulated each month shows the number of workers drawing pay from the establishments furnishing returns, and the weekly earnings of such employees, with similar information for the men and women employed by the same firms a month earlier, and in the basic period (1949). The statistics of the first tabulation for each month are preliminary; the re-tabulation of the data on the succeeding month's tabulation permits incorporation of revisions in the material originally tabulated, and the inclusion of returns received too late for the preliminary tabulation.

5. The Index Numbers.- The index numbers of employment and payrolls represent the percentage relationships between the employees of the establishments currently furnishing data and their aggregate weekly earnings, and the corresponding 1949 averages of these employers. The 1949 figures of employment and payrolls for firms which have since gone out of business are continued in the basic averages; firms or branches opening for business since 1949 are tabulated with zero base figures. The basic averages of establishments which operated in 1949 but have since been added to the mailing list, have been incorporated in the base figures from the date when their co-operation was first obtained. The index numbers of average weekly wages and salaries relate the average earnings of persons employed by the reporting firms at a given date to the average earnings of their employees in 1949.

6. The Weekly Wages and Salaries.- The statistics of average weekly earnings result from the division of the aggregate weekly wages and salaries disbursed in the last pay periods in the month by the co-operating establishments, by the number of their full time and part-time employees in the same periods. The figures represent gross earnings, before deductions are made for unemployment insurance contributions, taxes, etc. In addition to basic wages and salaries, the earnings include overtime payments, shift premiums, commissions, cost-of-living, incentive and production bonuses, and other bonuses paid at frequent intervals. They also include amounts paid employees absent on leave with pay during the reported pay periods, i.e., during vacations, statutory holidays, sick leave, etc.

The earnings do not include the value of free board and lodging and other perquisites, employers' contributions to unemployment insurance, workmen's compensation and other welfare funds. Also excluded are the cost to employers of certain other employee benefits, such as bonuses paid at irregular or infrequent intervals, (e.g., annual bonuses), pensions, retirement gratuities, etc.

The revised figures of earnings in the monthly bulletins incorporate retroactive pay for one month, corrections in the material originally tabulated, and data received too late for inclusion in the first tabulation; for the most part, such adjustments are not carried back for more than one month.

7. Hourly Earnings.- Statistics of average hours and average hourly and weekly earnings of wage-earners for whom the reporting employers keep record of hours worked are contained in the monthly bulletins on man-hours and hourly earnings.

Footnotes.

The following notes explain the content of various industrial classes listed in the detailed tables in this bulletin. In some industries, the group breakdown is less extensive than in the Standard Industrial Classification; in these cases, figures for certain categories not shown are contained in the group totals.

- (a) Alluvial gold; auriferous quartz mining.
- (b) Copper-gold-silver; iron, nickel-copper; silver-cobalt; silver-lead-zinc; miscellaneous metal mining.
- (c) Non-metal mining; quarrying, clay and sand pits.
- (d) Carbonated beverages; wines.
- (e) Biscuits and crackers; miscellaneous foods.
- (f) Leather gloves and mittens; tanneries; miscellaneous leather products.
- (g) Includes plywood and veneer mills.
- (h) Miscellaneous wood products.
- (i) Paper boxes and bags; roofing papers; miscellaneous paper products.
- (j) Household, office and store machinery; machine tools; machinery, n.e.s.
- (k) Abrasive; asbestos; hydraulic cement; clay; glass; lime and gypsum; stone; concrete; miscellaneous non-metallic products.
- (l) Includes explosives, ammunitions and pyrotechnics; fertilizers; paints and varnishes; soaps, washing and cleaning compounds; toilet preparations; vegetable oil mills; primary plastics; miscellaneous chemical and allied products.
- (m) Buildings and structures; other construction; special trade contractors.
- (n) Includes services incidental to water transportation.
- (o) Interurban bus and coach and urban and suburban transportation systems; taxi-cab and truck transportation; services incidental to transportation; other transportation.
- (p) Interurban bus and coach and urban and suburban transportation systems.
- (q) Gas manufacture and distribution; water and sanitary services; other public utilities.
- (r) Chiefly recreational and business services.

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