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EMPLOYMENT, PAYROLLS AND AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS,
JUNE, 1956.

Summary

Further expansion in industrial employment at the beginning of June raised the index by 3.5 p.c. to a new peak of 119.3, on the 1949 base. With a similar advance, the index a year ago was 111.7. The previous June 1 maximum was 112.4 in 1953. The improvement recorded in the latest survey extended to workers of both sexes. The number of men on the payrolls of the co-operating establishments increased by 4.3 p.c. from May 1, and the number of women by 0.9 p.c. Relatively larger gains in industries employing high proportions of men were chiefly responsible for the seasonal disparity in the percentages. The index for men was 120.0, and for women 116.7. As compared with June 1, 1955, there were advances of 7.0 p.c. and 5.6 p.c. among men and women, respectively.

The weekly disbursements in wages and salaries reported by the co-operating employers rose by 3.4 p.c. in the month. The latest index was 178.1, a new all-time high, 12.2 p.c. above the June 1, 1955, figure. Payrolls showed widely distributed increases, both industrially and regionally.

Average weekly earnings declined seasonally by 10 cents from the May 1 maximum, to \$63.83. This was \$3.07 higher than in the week of June 1, 1955. The small reduction as compared with the preceding survey was due in part to the addition of many seasonal workers at rates below the springtime average in their industries, and in part to some loss of working time on the Victoria Day holiday. A further factor was a shortened schedule of hours in a few industries.

Industrial activity quickened at the date under review in all provinces, in 27 of the larger cities, and in most industries. As usual at the time of year, the most noteworthy increases in employment were in construction and forestry; those in the latter were mainly due to river driving, notably in Quebec. There was also important expansion in operations in manufacturing and transportation, communication and storage, with smaller though considerable advances in the remaining industries surveyed. The improvement in manufacturing was largely in the production of durable goods, firms in the non-durable goods class as a whole showing only a slight gain. Employment in nearly all areas and industries was at a higher level than at June 1, 1955.

Payrolls.- Disbursements in weekly wages and salaries of industrial workers throughout Canada showed an important advance from a month earlier, rising by 3.4 p.c. On the 1949 base, the payroll index was 178.1, a new all-time high, 12.2 p.c. above the June 1, 1955, figure. A general upsurge of employment, largely seasonal in character, and numerous increases in pay rates were chiefly responsible for the gain from May 1.

Industrial payrolls were higher in all provinces, in nearly all the larger communities, and in each of the major industrial divisions. The trend was also upward in a large majority of their component industries. Important exceptions were the cotton and motor vehicle groups of manufacturing. A decline of 24.7 p.c. in the former largely resulted from industrial disputes, while that of 14.4 p.c. in the latter was caused in the main by reduced employment and hours, with lessened overtime work. In almost all industries and areas, the payroll indexes were higher than at June 1 in 1955 and earlier years.

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
	Employment			Payrolls						
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1956
(a) Provinces										
Newfoundland	132.0	119.4	129.7	196.9	174.8	183.9	55.95	54.94	53.22	39,890
Prince Edward Island	111.9	102.3	117.4	163.4	143.3	164.2	49.24	47.24	47.11	4,324
Nova Scotia	101.3	93.7	96.5	141.7	133.1	130.5	52.38	53.14	50.63	87,109
New Brunswick	105.7	99.0	100.4	146.5	141.2	136.5	52.36	53.89	51.41	63,344
Quebec	117.1	113.3	110.6	175.0	169.0	156.1	61.35	61.21	57.93	761,382
Ontario	120.9	118.3	113.0	181.4	178.2	162.5	66.38	66.63	63.61	1,151,127
Manitoba	106.9	103.8	104.8	151.2	147.3	143.1	60.17	60.32	58.05	129,501
Saskatchewan	121.9	111.9	117.4	176.4	162.2	164.2	59.84	59.96	57.85	63,889
Alberta (including Northwest Territories)	147.7	136.7	129.8	218.9	199.2	179.1	65.82	64.72	61.26	149,552
British Columbia (including Yukon)	121.3	117.5	110.4	185.3	179.1	159.5	69.68	69.57	65.90	253,681
Canada	119.3	115.2	111.7	178.1	172.3	158.8	63.83	63.93	60.76	2,703,799
(b) Metropolitan Areas										
St. John's	122.1	113.5	112.6	172.8	161.8	156.5	45.60	45.92	44.80	11,799
Sydney	92.1	88.9	92.5	124.7	121.8	120.9	63.72	64.49	61.32	16,314
Halifax	114.9	114.1	108.5	166.2	163.0	151.3	51.45	50.80	49.61	27,966
Saint John	95.3	96.0	99.3	131.2	135.1	142.2	49.45	50.53	51.48	14,084
Quebec	108.7	107.9	107.5	167.6	160.1	154.4	54.71	52.67	50.96	39,883
Sherbrooke	100.7	102.3	103.5	148.1	153.1	142.6	53.00	53.93	49.70	11,003
Three Rivers	119.5	115.5	105.9	173.3	165.1	147.1	59.60	58.70	57.08	14,089
Drummondville	61.3	77.0	74.8	89.5	107.7	100.5	56.62	54.35	52.12	5,229
Montreal	119.3	117.7	113.0	179.2	177.1	160.3	62.65	62.73	59.21	404,760
Ottawa - Hull	119.0	116.0	113.9	177.8	171.2	161.9	58.75	58.02	55.91	48,625
Peterborough	104.0	101.4	95.0	158.7	156.0	134.9	68.34	68.88	63.58	12,398
Oshawa	180.2	177.4	161.1	278.9	293.9	223.4	78.32	83.86	70.54	21,679
Niagara Falls	122.3	119.5	122.4	192.2	190.4	179.4	71.45	72.47	66.75	10,761
St. Catharines	126.9	124.7	116.1	195.3	193.4	168.4	75.53	76.10	71.20	37,995
Toronto	127.2	125.9	120.7	193.9	192.1	175.5	67.47	67.53	64.33	402,805
Hamilton	114.6	112.6	104.9	172.9	168.0	148.3	69.99	69.20	65.50	83,260
Brantford	91.5	93.3	83.5	130.4	132.7	114.9	62.42	62.31	60.28	14,455
Galt	109.8	108.8	97.4	162.5	160.2	134.9	58.11	57.82	54.40	10,704
Kitchener	111.5	108.9	103.6	170.0	165.0	151.6	62.04	61.65	59.59	24,439
Sudbury	135.7	132.8	129.3	198.4	192.8	179.8	78.08	77.53	74.33	20,953
London	117.8	115.4	113.4	178.3	175.2	164.9	61.31	61.46	58.96	33,357
Sarnia	139.3	134.2	122.5	232.1	218.7	186.8	80.80	79.01	73.98	13,140
Windsor	106.7	109.9	107.4	139.8	157.9	161.4	65.93	72.34	75.68	46,141
Sault Ste. Marie	130.6	125.5	116.8	200.0	190.1	162.9	77.93	77.11	70.96	11,710
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur	114.5	111.6	109.3	168.4	162.6	156.5	65.87	65.22	64.18	14,012
Winnipeg	105.4	103.6	104.3	152.3	150.7	146.2	57.32	57.66	55.60	85,226
Regina	120.9	114.5	117.3	182.4	172.6	170.0	57.54	57.52	55.28	15,584
Saskatoon	121.6	112.3	118.4	182.9	167.6	172.5	56.22	55.76	54.39	10,365
Edmonton	177.7	165.1	156.2	269.8	242.7	229.7	61.87	59.90	59.94	45,375
Calgary	151.9	147.5	139.1	225.2	216.7	194.9	62.27	61.74	58.87	37,222
Vancouver	117.1	114.6	106.4	179.8	175.9	154.0	67.30	67.22	63.34	113,570
Victoria	119.4	116.6	115.0	175.8	172.5	164.2	61.25	61.52	59.44	16,891
(c) Industries										
Forestry (chiefly logging)	92.3	66.6	81.5	139.8	106.5	119.6	60.48	63.88	58.61	64,206
Mining	122.9	116.9	111.9	184.1	174.0	156.9	76.98	76.54	72.06	110,529
Manufacturing	115.2	114.1	109.3	175.3	174.2	158.9	66.46	66.70	63.54	1,202,139
Durable Goods ¹	127.7	125.9	118.2	192.2	192.2	171.3	70.60	71.61	68.00	616,457
Non-Durable Goods	104.5	104.0	101.6	158.5	156.4	146.6	62.11	61.59	59.08	585,682
Construction	131.7	115.0	115.2	215.0	187.4	168.0	67.70	67.58	60.47	266,578
Transportation, storage, communication	117.9	114.3	111.4	161.0	155.6	149.0	65.51	65.34	64.18	365,613
Public utility operation	124.7	121.4	119.1	190.6	185.9	177.7	72.75	72.91	70.99	52,022
Trade	123.9	122.0	116.9	182.3	179.0	164.6	54.71	54.53	52.30	399,112
Finance, insurance and real estate	135.7	135.1	132.3	194.4	194.8	177.0	60.56	60.96	56.51	127,406
Service ²	124.0	120.1	113.7	181.8	176.8	159.0	42.75	42.91	40.68	116,194
Industrial composite	119.3	115.2	111.7	178.1	172.3	158.8	63.83	63.93	60.76	2,703,799

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 per capita weekly wages and salaries of men and women on the staffs of the co-operating industrial establishments were \$63.83 in the week of June 1, 10 cents lower than at May 1. As already stated, seasonal influences contributed importantly to the moderate decline, the tenth recorded at June 1 in the years since 1941. Expanding activity provided jobs for many workers at rates below the general average in their industries in the earlier months of the year. The observance of the Victoria Day holiday in the pay periods reported by some establishments also lowered earnings in a number of cases, and a shorter work week was reported in a few industries, notably the motor vehicle group. On the other hand, staffs in several of the industries in which pay rates usually exceed the average rose substantially, and the increase in employment among men was much greater than that among women. There were upward adjustments in wage rates in many establishments. The June 1 industrial composite figure was 5.1 p.c. above its level 12 months earlier, previously a maximum for the time of year.

The average earnings were rather higher than in the week of May 1 in half the provinces, with Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan showing declines. The trend was upward in 18 of the 32 metropolitan areas for which data are given in Tables A and C, and in rather more than half of the industries and industrial groups listed for Canada in Table 4. As compared with the week of June 1, 1955, there were widespread increases in the per capita figures, both geographically and industrially.

Changes in Employment for Men and Women.- There were increases of 4.3 p.c. and 0.9 p.c. in the staffs of men and women reported by the co-operating establishments at June 1, raising the index numbers to 120.0 and 116.7, respectively. In the last 12 months, employment for men has risen by 7 p.c., and for women by 5.6 p.c. The number of employees of the latter sex was 220 per 1,000 persons on the working force, as compared with 226 at May 1. The seasonal decline was largely due to greatly accelerated activity in industries mainly employing men, such as construction, transportation and logging, but labour-management disputes in textile mills employing many women were also a factor. The number of women per 1,000 at June 1, 1955, was 223. The maximum June 1 figure in the years for which statistics are available was 234 in 1946, while the minimum was 215 in 1952.

Factory employment for men advanced by 1.5 p.c. at the date under review, when the number of women fell by 0.6 p.c. as compared with a month earlier, largely due to the industrial disputes already mentioned. The index numbers were 118.4 and 105.2 for men and women, respectively. In the last year, the reported numbers of men and of women have increased by 5.5 p.c. and 5.4 p.c., respectively. The ratio of the latter workers per 1,000 of both sexes declined from 220 at May 1 to 217 at June 1. This was the same as at June 1, 1955. At that date in preceding years, the proportions were as follows: 1954, 217; 1953, 222; 1952, 216; 1951, 227 and 1950, 231.

Changes in the Major Industrial Divisions.- Employment in manufacturing continued the moderately upward movement indicated since the beginning of January. At 115.2, the latest index was the highest since the latter part of 1953, 0.9 p.c. above the May 1 figure, and 5.4 p.c. higher than at June 1, 1955. Most of the increase in the month took place among men. The expansion reported in the working force was accompanied by a rise of 0.6 p.c. in factory payrolls, bringing the index to a new all-time peak of 175.3 in the week of June 1, 10.4 p.c. higher than a year earlier. Due in part to greater seasonal employment for workers taken on at the lower rates of pay, and in part to the observance of the Victoria Day holiday, the average weekly wages and salaries fell by 24 cents from the May 1 peak to \$66.46, as compared with \$63.54 at June 1, 1955.

Improvement was indicated at the date under review in plants producing durable and non-durable manufactured goods, in which employment mounted by 1.5 p.c. and 0.5 p.c.,

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			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries	Index Numbers			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries
	Employment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Average Wages and Salaries		Employment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Average 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	42.96	100.0	100.0	100.0	43.97
1950 - Average	101.5	106.0	104.4	44.84	100.9	106.2	105.1	46.21
1951 - Average	108.8	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	127.6	56.11
1953 - Average	113.4	151.5	133.4	57.30	113.3	152.4	134.2	59.01
1954 - Average	109.9	151.3	137.1	58.88	107.7	150.0	138.6	60.94
1955 - Average	112.5	160.1	141.7	60.87	109.3	158.4	144.1	63.34
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	108.3	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	61.30
June 1	109.0	148.9	136.0	58.42	107.7	149.0	137.7	60.54
July 1	111.7	153.9	137.3	58.98	108.8	151.7	138.7	60.99
Aug. 1	112.3	155.4	137.7	59.17	108.0	150.9	138.9	61.07
Sept. 1	112.9	155.5	137.2	58.93	108.3	150.8	138.4	60.87
Oct. 1	113.4	157.1	137.9	59.25	108.1	151.8	139.6	61.39
Nov. 1	112.5	157.2	139.2	59.78	106.3	150.5	140.8	61.89
Dec. 1	112.1	156.2	138.7	59.59	105.4	149.7	141.2	62.07
1955 - Jan. 1	109.1	149.2	136.1	58.49	103.2	143.5	138.3	60.80
Feb. 1	105.8	148.8	140.0	60.15	103.6	148.2	142.2	62.53
Mar. 1	105.6	150.3	141.7	60.86	105.7	152.5	143.5	63.11
Apr. 1	105.7	150.0	141.2	60.68	106.5	154.2	143.9	63.28
May 1	107.4	153.1	141.9	60.96	107.3	156.6	145.1	63.81
June 1	111.7	158.8	141.4	60.76	109.3	158.9	144.5	63.54
July 1	115.3	164.1	141.7	60.87	111.6	161.5	143.9	63.28
Aug. 1	116.1	166.0	142.3	61.13	111.4	161.0	143.7	63.18
Sept. 1	118.3	169.0	142.2	61.11	114.0	164.9	143.8	63.24
Oct. 1	118.5	170.4	143.1	61.49	113.4	166.2	145.6	64.04
Nov. 1	118.2	171.4	144.3	61.97	112.8	166.5	146.8	64.54
Dec. 1	117.9	170.9	144.4	62.02	112.3	166.3	147.2	64.71
1956 - Jan. 1	114.6	162.2	140.9	60.54	109.8	156.9	142.1	62.47
Feb. 1	112.3	164.0	145.3	62.43	110.2	164.0	147.9	65.05
Mar. 1	113.2	167.3	147.1	63.20	112.3	168.5	149.1	65.57
Apr. 1	113.5	168.4	147.6	63.43	113.4	171.2	150.1	66.02
May 1	115.2	172.3	148.8	63.93	114.1	174.2	151.7	66.70
June 1	119.3	178.1	148.6	63.83	115.2	175.3	151.1	66.46
July 1								
Aug. 1								
Sept. 1								
Oct. 1								
Nov. 1								
Dec. 1								

^{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).

respectively. The advance in the latter group was reduced by important labour-management disputes in textiles. The index of employment in the light manufacturing industries was nevertheless higher by 2.9 p.c. than at June 1, 1955, since when the durable goods figure has risen by 8.0 p.c. There were moderate gains as compared with May 1 in most main branches of this category, with the largest in wood products. There were also fairly widely distributed additions to staffs in factories producing non-durable manufactured goods, in which the food and beverage and pulp and paper industries reported the greatest advances, of 4.1 p.c. and 3.1 p.c., respectively.

The trend was seasonally upward in almost all of the non-manufacturing classes surveyed. The most important additions to the working forces were in construction, (14.5 p.c.), forestry, (38.6 p.c.), and transportation, storage and communication, (3.2 p.c.). The trend was upward in all branches of mining, notably in the oil and natural gas component, which had been seasonally affected by poor road conditions a month earlier. The June 1 mining index was the highest on record. The increases in employment in trade, finance, insurance and real estate and the service industries surveyed were somewhat above-average for the time of year, while that in the public utilities group was rather smaller than usual.

Provincial Changes in Non-Agricultural Employment.- A higher level of activity was noted in all provinces at June 1, when the gains recorded in employment ranged between 2.1 p.c. in Ontario and 10.6 p.c. in Newfoundland. Quebec and British Columbia each reported an increase of 3.3 p.c. Industrially, the trends in most provinces were upward. There were general advances in employment in mining, manufacturing, public utility operation, construction, trade and in the service industries surveyed. Forestry showed greater activity in all provinces except Manitoba. Seasonal curtailment was indicated in transportation in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. In Quebec, the most important increases took place in forestry, (largely due to river drives), and in construction and transportation. The gains in Ontario and British Columbia were rather more evenly distributed, but those in the industries just mentioned and in manufacturing were most noteworthy.

Establishments in all provinces reported higher payroll disbursements for the week of June 1 than a month earlier. Wages and salaries advanced by proportions ranging from 1.8 p.c. in Ontario to 12.6 p.c. in Newfoundland and 14 p.c. in Prince Edward Island. The rise in Quebec was 3.6 p.c. and in British Columbia, 3.4 p.c. The general payroll indexes in all provinces except in Prince Edward Island were higher than at June 1, 1955.

Partly owing to the observance of the Victoria Day holiday in the period under review, and partly a result of expanding employment for workers taken on at rates below their industry level, the general figures of per capita earnings were lower in five provinces than in the week of May 1. The trend was upward in Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Alberta and British Columbia. In all cases, the industrial composite averages were above those at June 1, 1955, previously the high for the time of year.

Changes in the Metropolitan Areas.- Industrial employment was in greater volume in most of the 32 cities for which figures appear in this report. The increases in the working forces ranged from 0.7 p.c. in Halifax to 7.6 p.c. in St. John's and Edmonton and 8.3 p.c. in Saskatoon. The trend continued upward in the four largest metropolitan areas, bringing the Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver indexes to new highs. The Winnipeg figure was a maximum for June 1, but was exceeded by indexes for later months of several years. The losses of 20.3 p.c. in employment in Drummondville and 1.6 p.c. in Sherbrooke were largely due to industrial disputes. Seasonal curtailment in shipping affected the situation in Saint John, where the decline was moderate. The reduction in Windsor,

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

Area and Industries	June 1, 1956					May 1, 1956		June 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.....	39,890	35,156	4,734	88.1	11.9	87.5	12.5	88.8	11.2
Prince Edward Island	4,324	3,294	1,030	76.2	23.8	74.7	25.3	74.9	25.1
Nova Scotia	87,109	73,597	13,512	84.5	15.5	83.6	16.4	84.6	15.4
New Brunswick	63,344	52,840	10,504	83.4	16.6	82.9	17.1	83.5	16.5
Quebec	761,382	585,314	176,068	76.9	23.1	76.0	24.0	76.1	23.9
Ontario	1,151,127	878,412	272,715	76.3	23.7	76.0	24.0	76.3	23.7
Manitoba	129,501	99,795	29,706	77.0	23.0	76.4	23.6	77.3	22.7
Saskatchewan	63,889	50,928	12,961	79.7	20.3	78.7	21.3	79.4	20.6
Alberta (including Northwest Territories)	149,552	120,437	29,115	80.5	19.5	79.7	20.3	80.5	19.5
British Columbia (including Yukon)	253,681	207,989	45,692	82.0	18.0	81.8	18.2	81.5	18.5
Canada.....	2,703,799	2,107,762	596,037	78.0	22.0	77.4	22.6	77.7	22.3
(b) Metropolitan Areas									
St. John's.....	11,799	9,096	2,703	77.1	22.9	76.0	24.0	77.2	22.8
Sydney	16,314	15,546	768	95.3	4.7	95.2	4.8	95.6	4.4
Halifax	27,966	20,456	7,510	73.1	26.9	73.1	26.9	73.3	26.7
Saint John	14,084	9,882	4,202	70.2	29.8	70.6	29.4	72.9	27.1
Quebec	39,883	29,110	10,773	73.0	27.0	71.9	28.1	72.0	28.0
Sherbrooke.....	11,003	7,959	3,044	72.3	27.7	72.1	27.9	69.8	30.2
Three Rivers	14,089	10,287	3,802	73.0	27.0	72.5	27.5	75.0	25.0
Drummondville	5,229	4,003	1,226	76.6	23.4	77.0	23.0	76.8	23.2
Montreal	404,760	288,050	116,710	71.2	28.8	70.7	29.3	70.3	29.7
Ottawa - Hull	48,625	34,516	14,109	71.0	29.0	70.6	29.4	71.2	28.8
Peterborough	12,398	9,329	3,069	75.2	24.8	75.3	24.7	75.5	24.5
Oshawa	21,679	18,656	3,023	86.1	13.9	86.0	14.0	86.1	13.9
Niagara Falls	10,761	8,491	2,270	78.9	21.1	78.9	21.1	78.0	22.0
St. Catharines	37,995	32,184	5,811	84.7	15.3	84.7	15.3	84.2	15.8
Toronto	402,805	279,346	123,459	69.4	30.6	69.3	30.7	69.8	30.2
Hamilton	83,260	63,265	19,995	76.0	24.0	75.6	24.4	75.4	24.6
Brantford	14,455	11,005	3,450	76.1	23.9	75.9	24.1	75.9	24.1
Galt	10,704	7,724	2,980	72.2	27.8	71.0	29.0	71.2	28.8
Kitchener.....	24,439	17,149	7,290	70.2	29.8	70.3	29.7	70.8	29.2
Sudbury	20,953	19,386	1,567	92.5	7.5	92.4	7.6	92.5	7.5
London	33,357	23,409	9,948	70.2	29.8	69.6	30.4	69.1	30.9
Samia	13,140	11,323	1,817	86.2	13.8	85.2	14.8	84.7	15.3
Windsor	46,141	38,312	7,829	83.0	17.0	83.1	16.9	83.3	16.7
Sault Ste. Marie	11,710	10,629	1,081	90.8	9.2	91.4	8.6	90.5	9.5
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur	14,012	11,695	2,317	83.5	16.5	82.8	17.2	83.6	16.4
Winnipeg	85,226	60,303	24,923	70.8	29.2	70.3	29.7	71.2	28.8
Regina	15,584	10,720	4,864	68.8	31.2	67.6	32.4	68.6	31.4
Saskatoon	10,365	7,432	2,933	71.7	28.3	70.1	29.9	71.7	28.3
Edmonton	45,375	34,326	11,049	75.6	24.4	74.2	25.8	75.8	24.2
Calgary	37,222	27,862	9,360	74.9	25.1	74.7	25.3	75.5	24.5
Vancouver	113,570	83,559	30,011	73.6	26.4	73.4	26.6	72.6	27.4
Victoria	16,891	12,885	4,006	76.3	23.7	77.2	22.8	76.5	23.5
(c) Industries									
Forestry (chiefly logging)	64,206	63,128	1,078	98.3	1.7	98.1	1.9	98.3	1.7
Mining.....	110,529	106,417	4,112	96.3	3.7	96.3	3.7	96.6	3.4
Manufacturing.....	1,202,139	941,461	260,678	78.3	21.7	78.0	22.0	78.3	21.7
Durable Goods ¹	616,457	546,483	69,974	88.6	11.4	88.4	11.6	88.8	11.2
Non-Durable Goods.....	585,682	394,978	190,704	67.4	32.6	67.1	32.9	67.8	32.2
Construction	266,578	259,487	7,091	97.3	2.7	97.1	2.9	97.4	2.6
Transportation, storage, communication	365,613	310,217	55,396	84.8	15.2	84.8	15.2	85.1	14.9
Public utility operation	52,022	45,871	6,151	88.2	11.8	88.0	12.0	88.0	12.0
Trade	399,112	256,055	143,057	64.2	35.8	64.2	35.8	64.2	35.8
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	127,406	63,991	63,415	50.2	49.8	50.3	49.7	49.3	50.7
Service ²	116,194	61,135	55,059	52.6	47.4	52.5	47.5	51.8	48.2
Industrial composite	2,703,799	2,107,762	596,037	78.0	22.0	77.4	22.6	77.7	22.3

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.

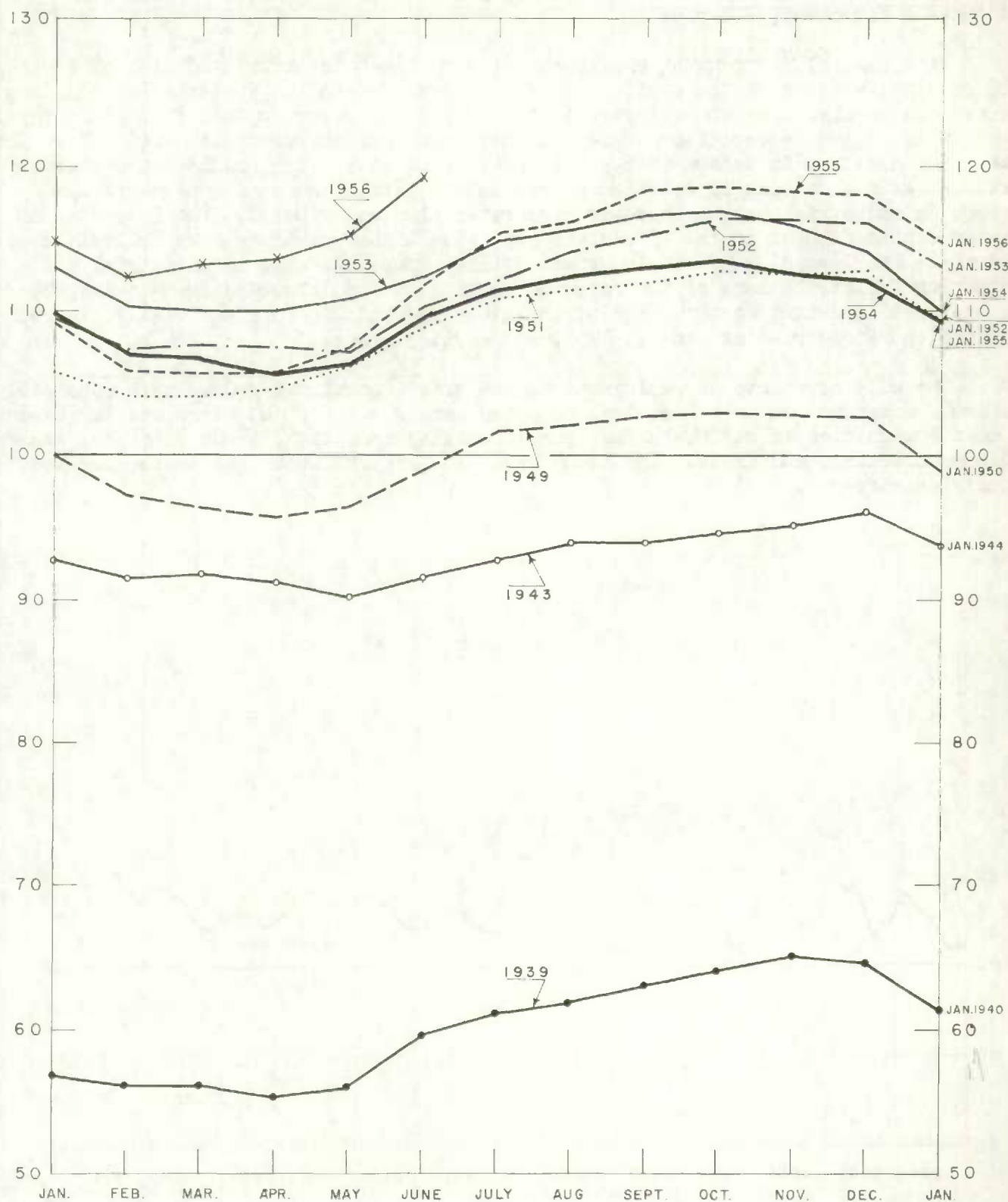
2. Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry-cleaning plants and business and recreational services.

(2.9 p.c.), was caused in the main by curtailed activity in the motor vehicle group of manufacturing.

The weekly disbursements were higher than at May 1 in 26 of the more important centres. The increases varied from 0.9 p.c. in Toronto and Niagara Falls to 11.1 p.c. in Edmonton. The gains in Montreal and Winnipeg at June 1 were just over one p.c., and that in Vancouver, 2.3 p.c.

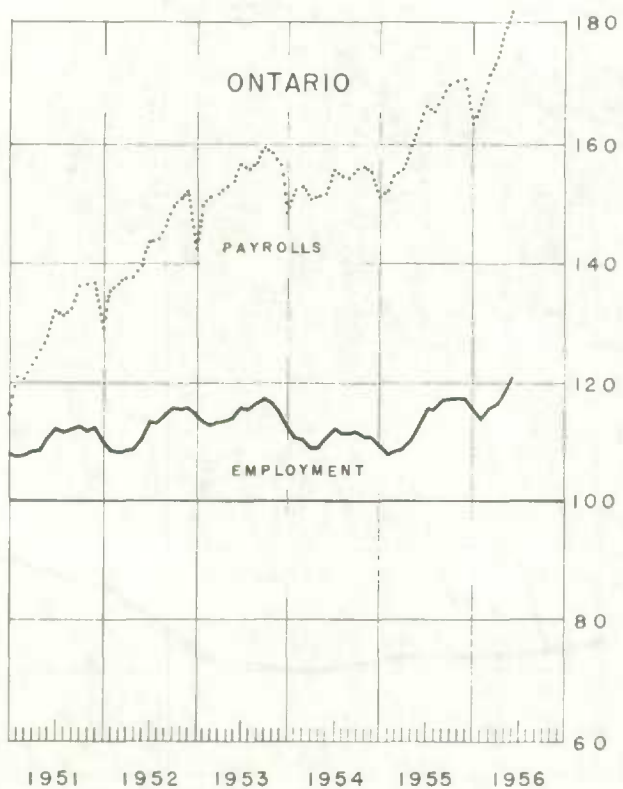
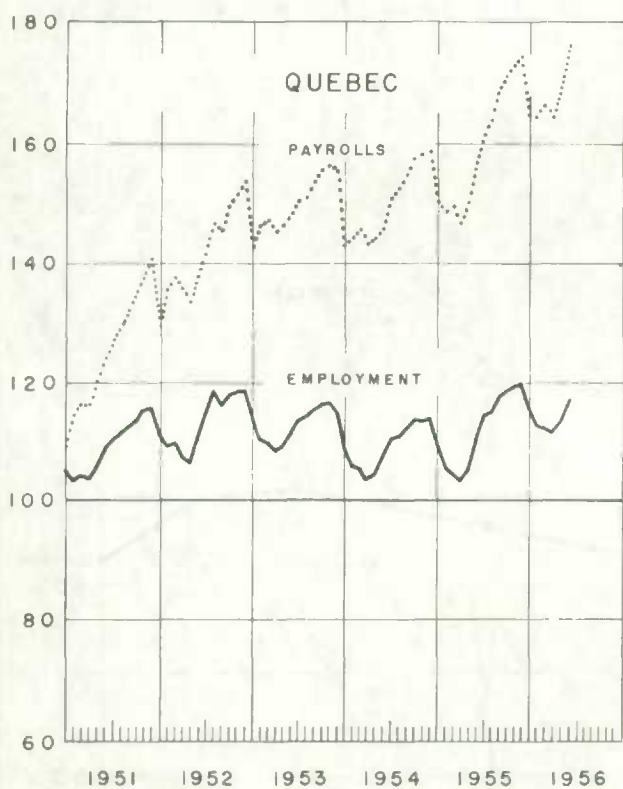
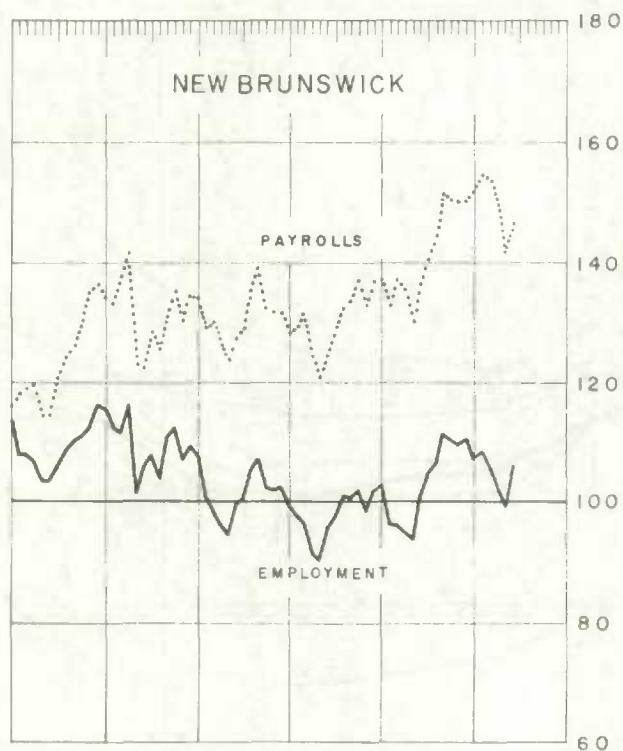
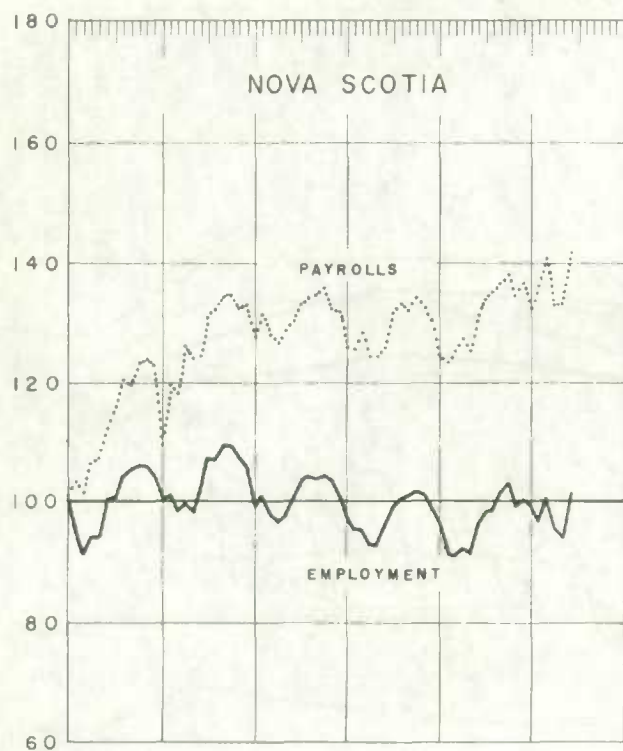
With generally expanding employment, in many cases involving addition of lower-paid seasonal workers to the staffs, and some losses due to the Victoria Day holiday, the average weekly wages and salaries in the period under review fell from their May 1 level in 14 of the metropolitan areas. In most centres, the reduction was small. The noteworthy declines in Oshawa (6.6 p.c.) and Windsor (8.9 p.c.) reflected a shorter work week with a cutback in overtime hours; in the latter, reduced employment for workers in industries paying above-average rates also contributed. The increases in the per capita figures in the 18 centres reporting higher earnings were in most cases moderate. The largest rise was in Drummondville, where a change in industrial and occupational distributions of the reported workers due to labour-management disputes was the most important factor. Except in Saint John and Windsor, the weekly figures exceeded those recorded at June 1, 1955, and earlier years.

The city movements of employment in the broad industrial groups were reasonably uniform. Construction in all centres reported larger staffs, and there was improvement in most communities in manufacturing, public utility operation, transportation, storage and communication, and trade. The trend was also largely favourable in the service industries surveyed.



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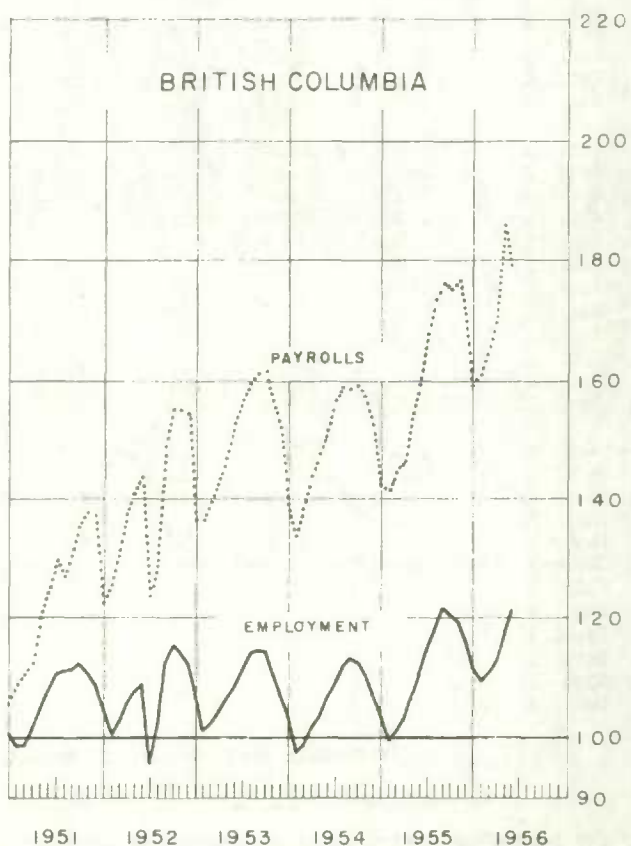
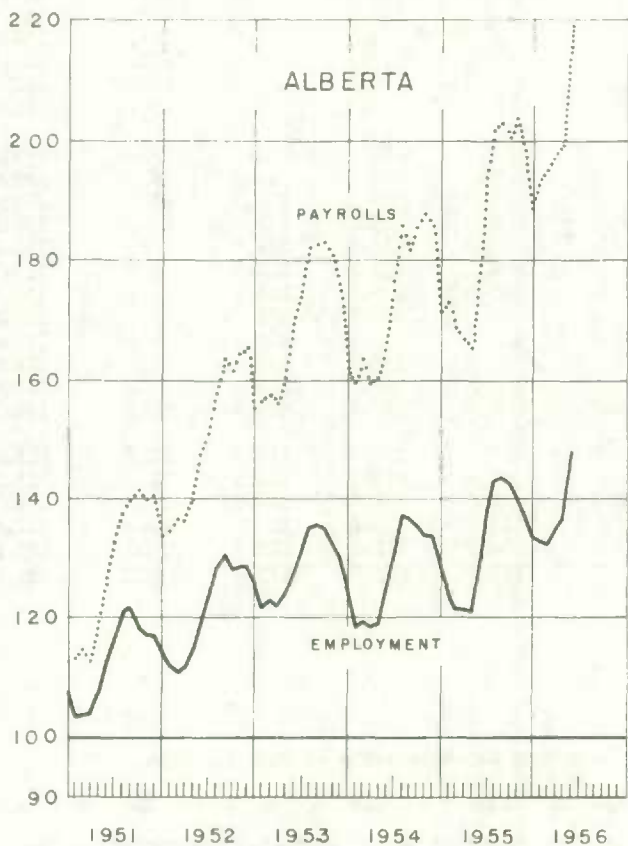
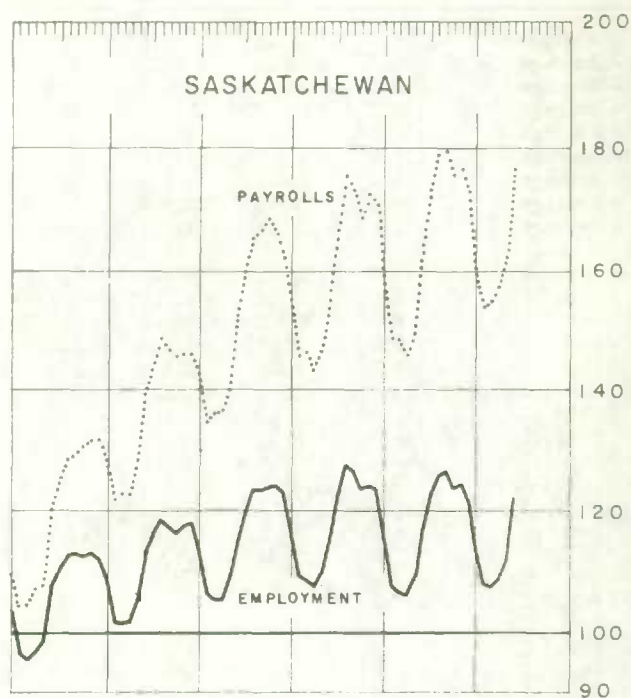
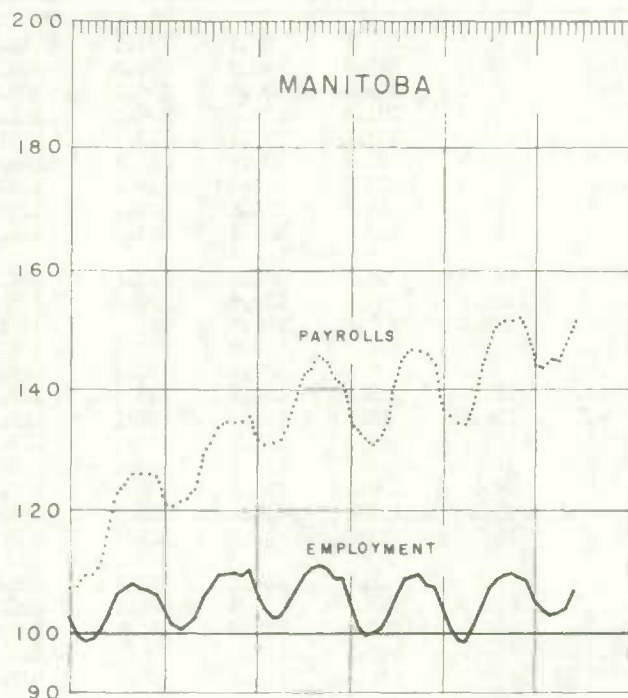


Table 1.- Index Numbers of Employment, by Industrial Divisions, Canada, (1949=100).

Year and Month	Industrial Composite	Forestry (Chiefly Logging)	Mining	Manu- facturing	Con- struction	Trans- portation, Storage & Communi- cation	Public Utility Operation	Trade	Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	Service ^{1/}
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
1954 - Average	109.9	95.1	109.8	107.7	110.7	109.0	115.7	114.6	127.4	111.4
1955 - Average	112.5	101.8	113.4	109.3	114.9	110.5	118.9	118.1	132.0	114.5
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	114.5	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	106.6	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	111.7	90.6	111.5	108.8	118.0	111.5	119.4	114.7	127.3	117.0
Aug. 1	112.3	90.4	113.6	108.0	125.4	113.4	121.7	113.9	127.8	118.9
Sept. 1	112.9	93.1	112.8	108.3	129.0	113.3	121.9	114.0	129.7	118.9
Oct. 1	113.4	115.3	112.6	108.1	127.7	112.3	119.6	116.2	130.7	116.1
Nov. 1	112.5	127.3	112.9	106.3	124.0	110.8	119.0	117.4	130.8	112.0
Dec. 1	112.1	130.9	112.7	105.4	119.7	109.9	118.3	121.1	130.9	110.6
1955 - Jan. 1	109.1	122.2	110.8	103.2	104.2	107.7	116.5	121.9	130.9	109.3
Feb. 1	105.8	106.6	110.2	103.6	91.1	104.3	113.2	112.7	131.2	108.6
Mar. 1	105.6	92.5	110.0	105.7	87.0	103.6	113.4	111.7	131.2	108.0
Apr. 1	105.7	68.3	110.0	106.5	88.3	104.3	113.4	112.8	131.6	108.6
May 1	107.4	54.0	109.0	107.3	99.2	107.7	114.8	114.8	131.7	111.0
June 1	111.7	81.5	111.9	109.3	115.2	111.4	119.1	116.9	132.3	113.7
July 1	115.3	101.3	115.5	111.6	125.8	113.9	123.3	118.1	132.7	118.6
Aug. 1	116.1	98.3	116.5	111.4	132.2	115.9	124.5	117.7	133.6	121.2
Sept. 1	118.3	104.5	117.4	114.0	138.9	116.0	125.8	118.2	133.8	121.6
Oct. 1	118.5	119.7	116.5	113.4	138.2	115.1	121.9	121.5	131.7	119.6
Nov. 1	118.2	133.8	116.6	112.8	134.0	113.6	120.5	123.5	131.9	117.9
Dec. 1	117.9	139.5	116.5	112.3	125.2	112.7	120.1	127.8	132.0	116.3
1956 - Jan. 1	114.6	134.4	114.4	109.8	105.1	111.3	119.8	129.0	132.0	115.4
Feb. 1	112.3	115.6	114.4	110.2	102.9	109.4	119.3	119.1	132.3	115.2
Mar. 1	113.2	109.5	115.9	112.3	101.9	110.0	118.6	118.7	133.9	115.9
Apr. 1	113.5	84.2	117.3	113.4	101.4	111.2	118.4	121.1	134.6	117.8
May 1	115.2	66.6	116.9	114.1	115.0	114.3	121.4	122.0	135.1	120.1
June 1	119.3	92.3	122.9	115.2	131.7	117.9	124.7	123.9	135.7	124.0
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Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at June 1, 1956.

100.0 2.4 4.1 44.5 9.8 13.5 1.9 14.8 4.7 4.3

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	CANADA	New- foundland	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Sask- atchewan	Alberta/	British Columbia2/
1947 - Average	95.7	..	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
1954 - Average	109.9	128.2	110.1	97.7	97.8	109.2	110.9	104.8	118.0	127.6	106.2
1955 - Average	112.5	131.0	113.3	96.8	103.1	112.0	113.0	105.0	117.2	132.6	111.3
1953 - Jan. 1	113.0	132.4	116.7	99.3	107.8	113.8	114.5	106.7	113.5	125.7	106.4
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	123.3	135.6	114.7
Oct. 1	116.9	157.4	119.8	104.7	102.2	116.2	117.1	110.5	123.9	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	111.7	134.9	115.1	99.2	97.8	110.6	112.2	106.2	123.0	130.9	109.2
Aug. 1	112.3	139.1	119.4	100.2	101.0	110.9	111.3	108.5	127.7	137.0	112.0
Sept. 1	112.9	139.2	121.2	101.0	100.5	112.2	111.6	109.1	126.5	136.4	113.1
Oct. 1	113.4	143.5	120.6	101.5	102.0	113.8	111.8	109.2	123.6	135.5	112.6
Nov. 1	112.5	141.1	121.5	101.2	98.9	113.5	110.8	107.9	123.9	133.6	110.3
Dec. 1	112.1	136.4	117.8	98.5	101.9	113.7	110.8	107.6	123.5	133.7	107.1
1955 - Jan. 1	109.1	123.5	103.2	96.8	102.9	109.7	109.2	103.5	115.8	128.5	103.9
Feb. 1	105.8	113.9	96.7	91.7	96.3	105.7	107.4	100.7	107.8	123.7	99.8
Mar. 1	105.6	110.3	101.4	91.4	96.2	104.6	108.2	98.8	106.7	121.4	101.0
Apr. 1	105.7	113.4	97.6	92.3	95.0	103.4	108.8	98.5	106.1	121.2	103.1
May 1	107.4	118.8	107.6	91.6	93.9	105.3	110.3	101.2	108.7	121.0	106.2
June 1	111.7	129.7	117.4	96.5	100.4	110.6	113.0	104.8	117.4	129.8	110.4
July 1	115.3	138.4	118.2	98.6	104.7	114.2	115.7	107.4	122.7	138.1	115.1
Aug. 1	116.1	143.6	119.3	98.7	106.5	115.0	115.3	108.6	125.7	143.0	118.0
Sept. 1	118.3	144.1	123.6	101.6	111.4	117.6	117.0	109.6	126.3	143.8	121.8
Oct. 1	118.5	147.5	124.2	103.2	110.7	118.8	117.1	109.7	123.9	142.7	120.4
Nov. 1	118.2	147.9	129.9	99.1	109.6	119.4	117.1	109.1	124.2	140.0	119.2
Dec. 1	117.9	140.9	120.9	100.5	110.2	119.7	117.1	108.5	121.6	137.5	116.6
1956 - Jan. 1	114.6	125.1	113.4	99.5	107.4	115.6	115.3	105.2	113.3	133.6	111.4
Feb. 1	112.3	122.7	108.4	96.9	108.2	112.5	113.5	103.2	107.9	132.2	109.1
Mar. 1	113.2	119.5	125.7	100.4	105.4	112.1	115.5	102.8	107.1	132.0	110.9
Apr. 1	113.5	117.7	105.7	95.2	102.0	111.4	116.7	102.9	108.3	134.4	113.2
May 1	115.2	119.4	102.3	93.7	99.0	113.3	118.3	103.8	111.9	136.7	117.5
June 1	119.3	132.0	111.9	101.3	105.7	117.1	120.9	106.9	121.9	147.7	121.3
July 1											
Aug. 1											
Sept. 1											
Oct. 1											
Nov. 1											
Dec. 1											

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at June 1, 1956.

100.0 1.5 0.2 3.2 2.3 28.2 42.6 4.8 2.4 5.5 9.4

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.

1/Including Northwest Territories. 2/Including Yukon.

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	105.3	101.5	113.8
1954 - Average	113.5	100.3	110.7	99.5	102.6	110.8
1955 - Average	112.9	101.4	107.9	102.4	104.3	112.8
1953 - Jan. 1	120.0	110.2	108.8	108.4	97.4	113.2
Feb. 1	118.5	108.2	106.4	108.2	94.5	112.1
Mar. 1	115.9	108.4	106.6	107.8	95.5	112.4
Apr. 1	115.8	109.3	108.6	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	106.0	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	105.3	114.8
Oct. 1	118.2	100.9	114.7	103.1	103.7	114.8
Nov. 1	118.3	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	105.0	97.3	94.9	109.6
Apr. 1	116.3	105.1	106.5	96.8	95.6	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	111.9	98.3	113.8	99.3	107.5	111.5
Aug. 1	112.9	97.6	114.1	99.6	110.0	110.5
Sept. 1	110.9	95.3	115.0	98.8	109.0	111.4
Oct. 1	114.0	95.8	115.5	100.6	108.6	111.9
Nov. 1	113.4	97.2	114.0	104.0	106.1	110.7
Dec. 1	114.4	95.4	111.7	104.3	102.7	112.4
1955 - Jan. 1	114.3	107.6	104.9	102.6	95.2	109.9
Feb. 1	110.6	104.6	102.0	100.0	93.2	107.1
Mar. 1	114.4	108.3	101.3	98.7	94.7	107.7
Apr. 1	118.0	108.8	102.8	98.2	96.9	108.4
May 1	108.7	103.3	106.1	99.8	102.8	110.7
June 1	108.5	99.3	107.5	103.5	105.9	113.0
July 1	109.8	97.8	108.9	101.9	109.6	114.2
Aug. 1	111.3	98.0	111.4	101.8	108.8	113.6
Sept. 1	113.0	96.5	112.5	104.6	111.2	115.8
Oct. 1	115.4	98.3	112.9	105.6	110.4	117.3
Nov. 1	113.6	98.3	112.3	106.4	112.0	117.7
Dec. 1	117.2	95.6	111.9	106.3	111.5	118.7
1956 - Jan. 1	119.5	106.5	106.2	104.9	108.4	116.0
Feb. 1	115.7	111.8	103.7	103.7	105.5	114.2
Mar. 1	117.0	106.1	103.7	104.3	106.7	114.0
Apr. 1	117.6	109.5	104.0	106.2	108.8	115.3
May 1	114.1	96.0	107.9	102.3	115.5	117.7
June 1	114.9	95.3	108.7	100.7	119.5	119.3
July 1						
Aug. 1						
Sept. 1						
Oct. 1						
Nov. 1						
Dec. 1						

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at June 1, 1956.

1.0 0.5 1.5 0.4 0.5 15.0

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	Ottawa-Hull	St. Catharines	Toronto	Hamilton	Brantford	Kitchener	London	Windsor	Ft. 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	108.8	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
1954 - Average	109.7	110.9	120.1	104.3	82.1	103.4	110.9	93.9	107.8
1955 - Average	113.6	112.5	121.2	105.6	84.3	105.1	111.4	101.1	107.5
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	117.9
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	107.6	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	104.5	120.2
1954 - Jan. 1	109.2	112.4	121.1	108.1	77.8	102.7	110.9	108.2	114.9
Feb. 1	105.2	111.8	119.0	106.1	80.6	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	105.6
July 1	112.1	109.7	120.9	104.2	85.0	103.7	112.7	97.1	108.6
Aug. 1	112.6	109.1	119.3	103.1	80.9	102.6	109.1	89.5	112.5
Sept. 1	113.2	109.4	120.4	102.7	81.6	102.6	109.4	80.9	113.9
Oct. 1	112.0	111.2	120.5	104.3	83.7	102.9	111.2	83.0	109.9
Nov. 1	112.8	113.1	120.7	103.8	82.1	103.9	111.3	74.6	108.5
Dec. 1	113.1	113.1	121.5	102.4	81.4	103.4	110.4	77.4	108.3
1955 - Jan. 1	111.1	111.1	120.7	100.2	81.1	101.7	107.2	79.6	105.3
Feb. 1	109.4	112.4	118.2	99.3	82.3	100.3	106.4	81.2	96.4
Mar. 1	107.4	112.1	118.0	99.6	83.3	101.2	106.4	100.4	96.1
Apr. 1	108.5	111.7	118.4	101.0	83.4	101.0	108.6	103.7	97.6
May 1	110.3	114.7	119.5	102.3	82.8	102.4	110.5	105.5	105.1
June 1	113.9	116.1	120.7	104.9	83.5	103.6	113.4	107.4	109.3
July 1	115.7	117.8	121.6	107.4	84.9	105.1	115.2	110.5	111.8
Aug. 1	116.5	117.6	120.2	107.5	83.6	105.4	114.2	106.4	113.7
Sept. 1	117.1	119.7	122.3	110.3	84.4	109.4	114.6	92.5	114.5
Oct. 1	117.8	106.3	124.2	111.7	87.4	109.7	114.0	105.6	112.9
Nov. 1	117.5	106.2	124.6	111.0	87.4	110.6	113.6	109.7	113.7
Dec. 1	117.6	104.8	126.2	111.6	88.1	110.6	113.1	110.2	114.1
1956 - Jan. 1	115.7	102.9	125.5	110.1	88.3	106.9	110.5	108.1	108.5
Feb. 1	112.7	102.5	123.2	109.1	88.8	105.4	110.5	105.6	104.8
Mar. 1	113.4	115.9	124.0	108.8	90.4	105.5	113.8	107.9	103.6
Apr. 1	114.5	123.3	125.1	110.0	92.8	107.3	115.3	109.2	103.0
May 1	116.0	124.7	125.9	112.6	93.3	108.9	115.4	109.9	111.6
June 1	119.0	126.9	127.2	114.6	91.5	111.5	117.8	106.7	114.5
July 1									
Aug. 1									
Sept. 1									
Oct. 1									
Nov. 1									
Dec. 1									

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at June 1, 1956.

1.8 1.4 14.9 3.1 0.5 0.9 1.2 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	100.6	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
1954 - Average	103.3	119.2	120.6	144.4	131.5	102.5	110.5
1955 - Average	104.4	115.6	118.4	154.3	140.6	107.2	115.6
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	99.6	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	149.5	135.3	103.5	109.8
Dec. 1	106.2	119.2	125.6	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	104.6	124.6	126.6	148.1	133.3	103.2	111.0
Aug. 1	105.4	127.5	129.5	150.0	140.1	104.6	112.8
Sept. 1	105.9	123.7	127.3	154.1	137.4	105.7	115.6
Oct. 1	107.0	119.6	125.5	155.6	138.3	104.8	117.2
Nov. 1	106.1	121.3	123.1	155.2	137.8	105.0	113.0
Dec. 1	106.9	124.0	122.3	155.2	139.6	104.0	113.4
1955 - Jan. 1	103.4	116.0	116.5	149.0	135.5	103.4	113.7
Feb. 1	100.8	109.8	111.4	141.7	131.3	100.0	108.5
Mar. 1	99.2	109.4	110.3	138.3	130.2	100.5	112.3
Apr. 1	99.2	108.9	109.5	137.5	132.0	102.1	110.7
May 1	102.5	113.6	113.4	143.1	132.9	104.2	113.2
June 1	104.3	117.3	118.4	156.2	139.1	106.4	115.0
July 1	105.7	118.2	122.0	161.8	145.9	109.5	117.0
Aug. 1	106.4	119.0	123.6	163.0	152.3	111.0	118.4
Sept. 1	107.2	119.1	124.3	165.5	148.8	113.6	120.0
Oct. 1	107.6	118.7	124.6	165.5	147.0	111.9	121.0
Nov. 1	108.4	118.6	124.8	166.8	147.6	112.1	119.3
Dec. 1	108.7	118.1	122.5	163.3	144.3	112.3	118.2
1956 - Jan. 1	105.5	112.9	114.9	159.5	142.9	110.7	120.3
Feb. 1	103.0	109.2	111.4	155.5	139.6	108.4	114.9
Mar. 1	102.1	108.2	108.4	153.8	139.9	109.3	113.1
Apr. 1	102.3	110.2	107.7	156.7	143.2	111.8	116.0
May 1	103.6	114.5	112.3	165.1	147.5	114.6	116.6
June 1	105.4	120.9	121.6	177.7	151.9	117.1	119.4
July 1							
Aug. 1							
Sept. 1							
Oct. 1							
Nov. 1							
Dec. 1							

Percentage Distribution of Employees of Reporting Establishments at June 1, 1956.

3.2 0.6 0.4 1.7 1.4 4.2 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 June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
Forestry (chiefly logging)	92.3	66.6	81.5	77.2	60.48	63.88	58.61	56.98	64,206
Mining	122.9	116.9	111.9	108.7	76.98	76.54	72.06	70.38	110,529
Metal mining	125.8	122.7	116.5	112.4	80.12	79.87	75.04	74.66	59,475
Gold (a)	77.1	76.9	82.0	82.9	71.39	70.64	68.46	68.79	17,560
Other metal (b)	171.1	165.3	148.8	140.0	83.78	83.87	78.42	77.90	41,915
Fuels	110.3	102.1	99.5	96.7	74.52	73.18	69.04	65.84	35,659
Coal	67.6	67.2	68.3	73.1	60.12	60.63	59.66	57.17	16,736
Oil and natural gas	250.2	216.3	202.4	174.7	87.26	85.94	79.50	77.85	18,923
Non-metal (c)	149.0	136.5	129.0	128.7	70.50	70.70	67.05	63.96	15,395
Manufacturing	115.2	114.1	109.3	107.7	66.46	66.70	63.54	60.54	1,202,139
Food and beverages	105.3	101.2	103.9	102.7	59.25	58.96	57.15	55.41	132,494
Meat products	124.9	119.1	118.0	114.5	68.44	67.97	67.13	65.27	25,671
Dairy products	111.8	105.1	110.3	112.6	53.60	53.77	51.79	49.55	10,281
Canned and cured fish	111.7	97.7	125.4	114.5	41.27	40.67	41.70	42.39	10,825
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	79.7	75.6	75.6	73.0	52.21	53.88	50.27	47.17	9,907
Grain mill products	103.8	103.5	106.6	106.6	63.24	62.80	60.89	59.17	8,570
Bread and other bakery products	107.6	106.6	107.2	103.5	56.73	55.67	53.63	53.32	18,149
Biscuits and crackers	91.4	92.4	94.0	93.8	50.02	48.06	46.94	45.92	6,952
Distilled and malt liquors	106.3	103.6	102.9	105.7	75.00	74.52	71.94	68.53	15,083
Other beverages (d)	124.2	114.7	112.0	113.4	61.55	60.89	60.43	59.29	7,839
Confectionery	78.4	78.6	76.5	80.4	47.25	46.00	45.30	42.42	7,442
Tobacco and tobacco products	79.2	77.3	79.5	77.5	67.55	66.96	64.50	61.36	8,417
Rubber products	113.6	112.0	107.8	101.9	68.78	69.40	65.16	61.59	22,086
Leather products	88.8	90.0	84.5	87.4	44.73	44.65	42.83	40.25	28,544
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	91.1	93.3	87.4	90.1	42.76	42.46	40.37	37.92	18,881
Other leather products (f)	84.6	84.1	79.1	82.3	48.58	49.05	47.79	44.89	9,663
Textile products (except clothing)	80.2	87.0	85.0	79.1	53.42	53.17	51.42	49.14	59,216
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	67.3	89.8	85.9	79.7	51.07	50.87	47.84	45.42	16,570
Woollen goods	73.9	73.7	69.3	64.5	51.08	50.74	49.70	47.08	11,153
Synthetic textiles and silk	86.8	84.0	87.3	78.2	58.80	59.22	57.83	55.81	14,472
Clothing (textile and fur)	93.4	95.0	89.8	89.4	42.48	43.23	40.55	38.53	95,351
Men's clothing	100.6	100.8	96.0	94.4	41.87	42.82	38.86	36.69	33,048
Women's clothing	90.9	95.2	89.0	90.3	43.05	43.95	40.80	38.79	22,804
Knit goods	81.6	82.0	76.9	78.6	42.85	43.51	42.44	40.33	20,610
Fur goods	67.7	67.4	76.7	74.7	58.60	57.63	53.83	52.65	3,329
Hats and caps	81.3	84.8	86.5	86.2	44.55	45.38	40.96	40.53	3,502
Wood products	111.6	106.6	107.4	102.0	57.25	57.45	55.32	52.62	96,254
Saw and planing mills (g)	114.8	107.0	112.5	104.5	58.57	59.19	57.05	54.43	61,068
Furniture	109.9	110.4	102.1	100.9	55.81	55.54	52.58	50.22	23,441
Other wood products (h)	100.2	97.5	94.0	92.9	53.20	52.69	51.37	48.14	11,745
Paper products	124.6	120.9	118.0	115.3	79.14	77.27	74.30	72.07	91,861
Pulp and paper mills	127.3	123.1	122.1	119.0	85.12	82.69	79.19	77.57	66,620
Other paper products (i)	117.9	115.5	107.7	106.2	63.33	63.12	60.76	57.03	25,241
Printing, publishing and allied industries	114.5	114.4	111.3	108.3	71.61	71.27	68.44	65.63	50,806
Iron and steel products	112.9	111.7	102.2	101.8	74.82	74.67	69.91	66.60	178,409
Agricultural implements	64.2	69.2	70.5	76.3	71.98	73.92	69.49	68.55	11,513
Boilers and plate work	116.9	114.6	107.0	113.1	75.13	75.62	72.59	69.26	6,571
Fabricated and structural steel	154.5	149.7	126.9	128.3	80.23	78.50	73.71	71.56	10,737
Hardware and tools	109.1	109.7	101.3	100.9	70.43	70.95	65.62	61.78	12,738
Heating and cooking appliances	104.3	103.4	98.2	94.4	64.10	64.32	61.07	58.75	8,533
Iron castings	107.9	108.1	93.2	89.5	73.72	73.88	69.68	64.55	22,009
Machinery mfg. (j)	120.9	118.4	107.3	108.9	72.50	73.23	68.04	65.89	37,517
Primary iron and steel	123.8	120.8	109.4	98.6	83.34	81.09	75.48	71.87	37,597
Sheet metal products	113.5	110.6	105.7	105.9	70.42	71.13	66.98	63.77	17,145
Wire and wire products	115.1	114.7	99.3	97.1	77.11	76.89	72.98	67.00	6,325

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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
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956
Manufacturing - concluded:									
Transportation equipment.....	146.1	146.4	138.5	142.4	71.74	75.31	72.38	66.93	164,680
Aircraft and parts	353.7	352.7	333.2	360.8	77.39	77.58	73.94	71.94	40,937
Motor vehicles	144.6	148.9	140.9	118.9	73.09	82.62	83.05	68.37	40,019
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	128.8	130.3	125.0	108.7	73.63	76.13	72.13	66.02	23,055
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	93.9	91.9	83.0	99.8	64.98	68.68	63.58	63.74	34,721
Shipbuilding and repairing	151.0	150.1	140.1	165.3	69.07	68.91	64.55	53.29	22,651
Non-ferrous metal products.....	132.2	128.8	123.7	115.0	75.01	74.74	71.75	68.91	57,674
Aluminum products	146.0	135.7	125.3	116.5	68.65	69.64	67.15	66.09	9,861
Brass and copper products	115.6	114.8	104.7	102.9	71.47	72.43	68.92	65.80	10,372
Smelting and refining	154.8	149.4	147.4	130.2	81.20	80.26	77.20	74.63	30,962
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	149.9	149.2	133.1	131.3	72.16	72.38	68.31	65.88	84,229
Non-metallic mineral products (k).....	136.5	131.4	122.5	116.0	69.47	69.02	66.56	62.52	35,211
Clay products	114.6	109.5	109.5	102.0	66.24	65.61	62.77	60.83	6,358
Glass and glass products.....	137.5	134.0	123.8	120.4	66.19	67.68	65.01	60.61	8,726
Products of petroleum and coal	134.7	129.6	125.1	121.9	95.36	96.18	90.54	84.50	14,654
Chemical products	128.5	126.5	122.4	122.2	73.47	73.19	69.54	66.36	58,433
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	116.4	114.4	110.0	107.2	67.43	67.45	64.14	61.67	9,096
Acids, alkalis and salts	131.3	129.3	126.1	121.7	81.53	80.73	78.53	74.16	7,962
Other chemical products (l)	131.0	129.0	124.8	125.9	73.24	73.00	68.96	65.98	41,375
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	107.9	107.8	101.0	104.1	56.60	56.90	54.60	52.71	23,820
Construction	131.7	115.0	115.2	110.0	67.70	67.58	60.47	59.13	266,578
Building and structures (m)	137.8	125.3	116.4	114.4	73.71	73.01	64.95	63.74	171,789
Building	142.5	130.0	117.4	109.0	73.39	72.80	63.93	60.88	144,426
Engineering work.....	117.2	104.8	111.7	131.2	75.44	74.13	69.72	75.14	27,363
Highways, bridges and streets	122.0	98.5	113.2	103.1	56.80	56.49	53.13	51.04	94,789
Transportation, storage and communication.....	117.9	114.3	111.4	108.8	65.51	65.34	64.18	62.02	365,613
Transportation	111.7	107.9	106.8	105.0	67.01	67.06	65.73	63.82	277,136
Air transport and airports	186.1	180.6	172.0	152.5	83.10	87.88	80.07	78.34	12,670
Steam railways	107.5	104.2	103.1	102.8	66.56	66.91	65.86	64.69	175,690
Maintenance of equipment	110.6	112.0	106.2	110.6	62.89	62.26	61.58	60.72	24,437
Maintenance of ways and structures	100.0	86.4	92.6	91.0	54.13	56.20	56.53	55.44	39,301
Transportation - Steam railways	109.2	109.0	105.6	104.6	73.04	72.55	71.23	69.96	102,276
Telegraphs	116.5	113.8	115.5	117.2	57.90	56.56	56.20	55.47	9,676
Water transportation (n)	110.1	101.0	104.8	98.9	63.68	61.19	61.83	57.85	36,896
Electric and motor transportation (o)	116.8	115.6	112.5	110.4	66.98	66.44	64.71	61.65	51,880
Urban and interurban transportation (p)	86.4	86.5	88.8	92.4	68.97	68.62	66.09	63.87	24,668
Truck transportation.....	171.6	168.0	156.7	143.1	67.02	65.96	65.23	60.17	21,727
Storage	118.6	116.4	109.2	108.4	59.83	59.25	58.03	55.59	17,715
Grain elevators.....	111.0	108.4	106.8	105.9	58.92	57.90	57.76	54.62	12,468
Storage and warehouse.....	141.3	140.6	116.5	116.2	62.00	62.40	58.80	58.30	5,247
Communication	150.6	147.5	136.3	128.8	61.04	60.24	59.29	56.02	70,762
Radio broadcasting	261.8	256.4	210.6	168.4	66.99	66.73	65.87	62.40	10,102
Telephone	141.1	138.1	130.2	125.7	59.93	59.03	58.29	55.19	60,209
Public utility operation	124.7	121.4	119.1	116.0	72.75	72.91	70.99	67.22	52,022
Electric light and power	126.7	123.5	121.8	119.1	74.25	74.51	72.30	68.31	44,315
Other public utilities (q)	114.5	110.3	104.9	99.5	64.12	63.58	63.08	60.36	7,707
Trade	123.9	122.0	116.9	113.2	54.71	54.53	52.30	50.68	399,112
Wholesale	126.0	124.6	118.4	115.8	65.22	65.25	61.74	58.87	135,572
Retail	122.8	120.7	116.1	111.9	49.30	48.98	47.44	46.35	263,540
Food	150.9	147.4	142.7	..	46.18	45.31	44.86	..	60,697
Department stores	107.4	106.1	101.6	..	49.40	49.08	47.96	..	81,080
Variety stores	115.0	112.5	108.8	..	27.92	28.21	23.99	..	21,218
Automotive products	156.0	153.6	146.3	..	64.90	64.80	62.66	..	37,927
Finance, insurance and real estate	135.7	135.1	132.3	126.6	60.56	60.96	56.51	54.27	127,406
Banking, investment and loan	138.8	138.4	137.4	130.5	55.32	55.98	51.62	49.47	78,323
Insurance	128.4	127.8	123.4	119.8	69.01	69.12	65.07	62.41	47,247
Service	124.0	120.1	113.7	111.1	42.75	42.91	40.68	38.62	116,194
Hotels and restaurants.....	118.8	113.8	108.7	106.4	35.93	36.19	35.20	33.48	64,328
Laundries and dry cleaning plants.....	111.3	108.4	106.5	104.9	40.09	39.85	38.08	36.98	25,591
Other service (r)	158.5	156.5	141.9	137.9	62.05	61.81	58.24	55.01	26,275
Industrial composite	119.3	115.2	111.7	109.0	63.83	63.93	60.76	58.42	2,703,799

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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 June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
Newfoundland									
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	96.9	90.5	113.4	100.7	51.09	50.44	50.43	53.52	4,314
Mining.....	114.8	108.7	110.5	110.5	70.14	69.98	58.26	69.97	3,903
Manufacturing.....	121.7	114.4	125.6	116.9	61.15	58.70	57.78	58.40	10,259
Food and beverages.....	114.5	105.7	121.8	101.8	40.43	35.83	37.03	36.76	3,384
Pulp and paper mills.....	123.0	115.7	124.7	124.4	85.83	83.32	80.66	78.11	4,118
Construction.....	474.3	345.4	433.9	419.2	63.87	63.08	65.15	63.60	4,999
Transportation, storage and communication.....	138.4	122.5	121.9	115.2	55.13	54.17	53.07	53.96	7,427
Trade.....	110.9	103.6	106.3	96.0	42.02	43.15	40.45	38.40	6,841
Industrial composite.....	132.0	119.4	129.7	122.2	55.95	54.94	53.22	54.69	39,890
Prince Edward Island									
Manufacturing.....	124.4	114.2	159.2	146.3	45.29	43.92	41.07	42.08	841
Transportation, storage, communication.....	119.7	107.3	115.9	105.8	63.17	58.69	64.90	62.58	1,465
Trade.....	108.2	104.1	112.4	103.6	35.37	34.49	33.17	30.81	871
Industrial composite.....	111.9	102.3	117.4	111.0	49.24	47.24	47.11	45.16	4,324
Nova Scotia									
Mining.....	91.0	88.2	89.5	90.8	60.07	60.67	60.20	58.95	12,942
Coal.....	85.8	84.7	86.2	88.4	60.28	61.08	60.90	59.27	11,369
Manufacturing.....	117.7	111.9	108.0	111.0	54.98	55.47	52.26	50.22	27,824
Food and beverages.....	120.0	112.1	117.0	118.8	42.00	42.09	42.01	39.67	5,629
Iron and steel products.....	98.0	92.8	88.2	87.3	67.68	70.36	63.23	60.93	6,450
Primary iron and steel.....	91.5	86.8	84.3	81.5	71.77	73.80	65.99	64.31	4,940
Transportation equipment.....	171.5	161.4	147.1	168.5	57.75	58.17	57.68	55.66	7,843
Shipbuilding and repairing.....	162.5	162.5	157.8	156.7	58.00	57.82	57.31	57.33	5,395
Construction.....	70.6	45.6	63.5	58.7	46.05	47.68	44.10	43.81	12,506
Building and structures (m).....	100.4	84.0	94.3	98.7	50.38	52.53	49.97	48.21	4,617
Highways, bridges and streets.....	60.2	32.2	52.6	44.6	43.52	43.24	40.37	40.37	7,889
Transportation, storage, communication.....	101.5	104.9	102.7	100.0	56.53	55.81	56.11	53.91	12,717
Steam railways.....	106.0	108.7	108.4	106.1	62.79	62.04	63.31	61.04	6,821
Water transportation (n).....	74.2	84.4	78.1	76.1	42.20	40.44	42.21	40.01	2,428
Trade.....	121.9	119.7	115.9	113.4	44.73	45.12	42.82	41.40	13,045
Retail.....	125.4	122.4	119.2	118.3	39.61	39.89	37.93	36.74	9,135
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	121.9	121.5	122.7	122.8	55.37	55.18	51.69	49.33	3,163
Industrial composite.....	101.3	93.7	96.5	96.1	52.38	53.14	50.63	49.08	87,109
New Brunswick									
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	119.3	57.4	119.3	114.3	44.39	48.40	42.65	42.69	4,020
Manufacturing.....	97.3	92.6	96.7	99.9	55.89	57.69	53.27	51.63	17,997
Saw and planing mills (g).....	85.2	74.5	78.2	87.9	41.00	39.90	38.12	38.96	2,481
Pulp and paper mills.....	130.1	125.8	123.9	120.1	79.73	77.60	74.13	74.58	4,118
Transportation equipment.....	91.0	94.7	101.9	123.1	63.18	71.84	61.99	56.26	2,173
Construction.....	111.8	92.2	97.3	70.4	49.51	49.12	47.01	43.99	11,055
Building and structures (m).....	131.7	118.0	120.3	61.1	51.59	53.77	47.27	46.72	4,691
Highways, bridges and streets.....	100.6	77.6	84.3	75.5	47.97	45.15	46.80	42.77	6,364
Transportation, storage, communication.....	93.3	103.2	92.4	91.2	60.36	62.02	63.42	58.81	12,919
Steam railways.....	100.4	111.3	90.7	96.6	64.43	67.20	66.48	63.76	9,023
Water transportation (n).....	49.2	67.7	83.2	49.2	46.25	49.82	64.31	38.13	1,213
Trade.....	117.9	116.3	108.2	106.7	43.52	43.68	42.59	41.48	9,859
Wholesale.....	122.7	121.6	111.0	109.6	50.77	51.04	49.98	48.29	3,441
Retail.....	115.2	113.7	106.8	105.2	39.64	39.72	38.67	37.70	6,418
Industrial composite.....	105.7	99.0	100.4	95.4	52.36	53.89	51.41	49.48	63,344
Quebec									
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	93.1	57.3	66.6	64.6	51.67	54.87	48.20	48.42	26,253
Mining.....	143.7	139.5	134.3	127.4	76.69	76.53	71.83	69.58	21,850
Gold (a).....	77.1	79.4	88.7	89.0	72.25	71.88	67.91	68.27	3,693
Other metal (b).....	202.8	193.4	180.0	155.3	79.02	79.43	73.73	72.48	9,847
Non-metal (c).....	149.4	144.3	133.4	135.8	75.90	75.35	71.84	67.45	8,310
Manufacturing.....	111.4	111.2	107.1	107.2	62.28	61.89	58.84	56.20	379,391
Tobacco.....	85.6	83.4	86.1	83.8	67.80	66.88	64.49	61.25	7,473
Leather products.....	84.9	86.3	80.0	85.2	40.99	40.29	38.89	35.37	14,598
Boots and shoes (except rubber).....	87.2	89.6	82.7	87.6	40.92	40.04	38.75	35.04	11,225
Textile products (except clothing).....	73.3	85.8	85.6	78.7	52.01	51.37	50.05	47.27	30,126
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods.....	53.9	88.1	85.0	78.5	53.37	50.85	49.49	45.91	8,771
Synthetic textiles and silk.....	74.7	71.5	76.1	68.5	52.23	52.89	51.50	50.20	9,077
Clothing (textile and fur).....	100.4	101.7	96.1	94.2	41.17	41.80	39.23	36.45	57,022
Men's clothing.....	101.6	101.3	97.8	93.6	40.04	41.14	37.47	34.00	19,234
Women's clothing.....	96.5	99.7	94.8	96.6	42.41	42.68	40.62	37.89	16,060
Knit goods.....	95.6	95.7	84.8	86.2	42.09	42.72	40.69	37.80	9,455

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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 June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
Quebec - concluded									
Manufacturing - Concluded:									
Wood products.....	112.1	107.4	106.4	101.3	49.94	49.50	47.56	44.67	22,006
Saw and planing mills (g).....	114.6	102.8	108.1	104.1	48.21	47.42	46.09	43.07	10,547
Furniture.....	117.0	118.8	110.4	103.7	52.15	51.82	49.05	46.55	7,579
Paper products.....	125.1	120.9	118.0	113.9	78.54	76.84	73.89	71.68	36,885
Pulp and paper mills.....	128.8	124.2	121.7	117.6	83.37	81.36	78.29	76.39	30,088
Other paper products (i).....	111.0	108.1	104.0	100.0	57.14	56.99	54.28	50.90	6,797
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	114.4	114.1	110.1	108.4	70.55	69.64	67.34	64.15	12,477
Iron and steel products.....	114.1	112.2	102.8	106.6	72.03	72.30	67.13	63.92	38,667
Machinery mfg. (j).....	114.9	112.5	104.2	106.3	71.78	73.20	64.76	63.20	10,315
Primary iron and steel.....	96.9	95.3	86.6	82.4	72.20	71.97	68.12	67.47	4,259
Transportation equipment.....	129.8	127.1	120.2	149.3	70.18	72.05	67.01	66.09	35,719
Aircraft and parts.....	219.3	219.0	192.9	229.4	76.29	76.67	73.86	69.60	13,240
Railroad and rolling stock equipment.....	84.4	82.5	78.4	100.3	64.07	68.94	62.46	64.83	13,199
Shipbuilding and repairing.....	165.7	156.1	153.8	209.5	71.55	71.11	64.12	63.66	7,483
Non-ferrous metal products.....	137.6	129.8	131.3	123.7	74.00	73.07	71.26	68.52	19,077
Smelting and refining.....	155.3	141.8	155.5	144.0	77.26	76.08	75.01	71.96	11,486
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	156.3	155.9	136.1	130.7	73.23	74.10	69.21	64.42	23,592
Chemical products.....	133.1	131.4	131.2	132.4	72.58	72.34	68.21	63.64	23,079
Construction.....	127.9	115.1	119.9	106.8	64.93	64.91	56.74	53.77	73,541
Building and structures (m).....	128.5	120.2	113.7	101.3	70.18	70.25	60.95	58.24	49,084
Highways, bridges and streets.....	126.5	104.9	132.2	117.8	54.38	52.83	49.61	46.15	24,457
Transportation, storage, communication.....	123.5	117.8	115.5	109.5	66.36	66.12	65.00	62.79	97,738
Steam railways.....	106.8	102.8	102.1	101.6	65.54	65.49	65.87	64.86	42,777
Water transportation (n).....	136.9	116.5	125.9	106.7	67.47	63.74	63.36	58.67	14,446
Electric and motor transportation (o).....	116.9	114.5	113.5	109.1	61.63	62.88	60.27	57.07	14,551
Communication.....	150.3	146.4	135.4	124.7	66.52	66.28	64.68	61.53	19,919
Public utility operation.....	122.0	121.7	116.9	113.3	69.40	69.49	66.05	62.42	10,567
Trade.....	124.5	123.1	119.1	114.4	53.23	52.61	50.76	49.42	89,449
Wholesale.....	131.6	130.5	124.3	118.5	65.39	65.26	62.22	59.52	34,463
Retail.....	120.4	118.8	116.2	112.1	45.60	44.64	43.75	43.27	54,986
Finance, insurance and real estate.....	134.0	133.4	130.0	123.7	60.52	60.93	56.39	55.06	33,710
Banking, investment and loan.....	137.8	137.2	134.8	126.3	55.91	56.73	52.50	51.32	20,699
Insurance.....	125.2	124.9	120.9	118.5	68.47	68.27	63.07	61.18	12,473
Service.....	120.2	118.7	110.2	109.7	43.55	43.62	41.61	39.17	28,883
Hotels and restaurants.....	112.8	110.4	105.3	105.8	34.94	35.31	34.70	32.67	14,807
Laundries and dry cleaning plants.....	104.9	103.7	103.4	103.0	39.57	39.13	37.87	35.96	6,774
Industrial composite.....	117.1	113.3	110.6	107.7	61.35	61.21	57.93	55.61	761,382
Ontario									
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	74.9	54.0	73.3	65.2	62.77	63.15	59.36	51.59	13,357
Mining.....	126.2	123.5	115.0	115.0	77.40	77.40	73.32	72.10	32,544
Gold (a).....	77.9	77.6	79.7	79.4	68.71	68.37	66.45	66.49	11,209
Other metal (b).....	200.5	195.2	167.8	169.4	84.88	85.26	80.53	78.58	17,506
Manufacturing.....	116.5	115.7	110.0	107.8	69.82	70.45	67.18	63.72	599,668
Food and beverages.....	102.3	99.8	98.9	97.5	61.39	61.13	59.37	57.61	55,385
Meat products.....	128.6	124.8	121.8	116.9	69.61	68.54	68.63	66.54	9,402
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables.....	84.9	80.8	80.9	75.9	53.51	55.81	51.58	48.82	7,053
Bread and other bakery products.....	100.1	99.4	101.9	96.8	56.91	56.10	53.53	54.56	8,518
Rubber products.....	111.1	108.6	101.6	100.4	73.39	74.56	70.01	65.58	15,877
Leather products.....	90.9	92.1	87.1	88.7	49.55	50.23	47.62	46.17	12,281
Boots and shoes (except rubber).....	95.5	97.3	92.5	92.7	45.83	46.43	42.78	42.42	6,761
Textile products (except clothing).....	91.0	90.6	84.2	79.7	55.67	56.19	53.39	51.94	26,169
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods.....	103.6	103.1	96.8	90.3	48.79	51.24	45.10	45.84	7,336
Woollen goods.....	68.9	69.9	63.5	61.1	51.45	51.01	50.71	48.95	6,716
Clothing (textile and fur).....	83.4	84.3	81.6	84.1	46.03	46.95	43.72	42.66	29,522
Men's clothing.....	96.7	97.2	92.5	97.0	47.17	48.04	42.91	42.39	9,506
Women's clothing.....	87.0	90.1	82.8	86.6	45.80	48.04	42.18	41.70	5,215
Knit goods.....	70.3	70.9	71.6	72.9	44.33	44.95	44.34	42.85	9,607
Wood products.....	106.8	100.1	100.2	98.8	55.85	56.10	53.14	50.95	29,003
Saw and planing mills (g).....	104.3	88.7	102.2	98.5	53.74	54.45	51.57	50.43	10,875
Furniture.....	107.7	107.4	100.2	100.0	58.54	58.38	54.89	52.52	12,657
Paper products.....	119.2	116.4	112.7	111.7	78.71	75.97	73.43	70.71	34,433
Pulp and paper mills.....	121.2	117.2	117.7	115.2	87.94	83.60	80.08	78.16	20,192
Other paper products (i).....	116.5	115.2	105.8	106.9	65.62	65.37	63.41	59.80	14,241
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	116.0	116.3	113.6	109.6	74.30	74.34	70.99	67.92	27,654
Iron and steel products.....	110.4	110.0	101.1	99.9	76.51	76.11	71.48	67.93	114,820
Agricultural implements.....	62.6	67.9	69.9	74.4	73.39	75.37	70.59	69.90	10,480
Iron castings.....	102.3	102.9	87.0	85.3	75.44	75.99	71.06	65.02	12,962
Machinery mfg. (j).....	122.8	120.3	109.5	110.7	73.16	73.35	69.65	67.07	22,863
Primary iron and steel.....	136.9	133.9	121.0	106.4	87.33	84.02	78.63	74.19	26,945
Sheet metal products.....	110.7	110.0	103.4	102.9	69.97	71.09	65.46	63.94	9,950

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 June 1 1956
	Employment				June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954					
Ontario — concluded									
Manufacturing (concluded)									
Transportation equipment	156.9	159.0	153.7	143.6	74.86	79.41	77.20	69.36	97,045
Aircraft and parts	531.4	529.4	526.6	547.1	80.44	80.47	75.70	75.38	23,093
Motor vehicles	144.7	149.2	142.1	119.2	73.31	83.20	83.65	68.54	38,450
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	128.4	129.9	124.6	108.3	73.76	76.39	72.49	66.24	22,157
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	106.3	106.1	92.5	101.6	72.84	72.90	69.04	66.22	8,616
Non-ferrous metal products	121.1	120.2	115.6	114.7	73.93	73.92	70.61	68.32	29,403
Brass and copper products	113.3	113.6	103.6	100.3	72.85	73.82	70.74	66.41	5,810
Smelting and refining	141.6	142.5	140.3	137.3	83.39	81.71	77.71	76.13	11,752
Electrical apparatus and supplies	147.2	146.5	132.2	132.1	72.09	72.00	68.19	66.58	58,695
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	131.2	128.2	120.0	112.9	72.09	72.02	69.13	66.27	17,741
Chemical products	126.0	123.8	118.6	117.5	74.46	74.08	70.99	68.58	29,496
Construction	131.0	119.5	111.0	114.4	71.30	70.91	64.30	61.70	88,277
Building and structures (m)	126.0	116.5	103.9	114.0	77.06	76.85	68.39	64.97	61,336
Highways, bridges and streets	144.2	127.4	129.5	115.6	58.20	56.76	55.80	53.50	26,941
Transportation, storage, communication	120.9	117.7	113.4	110.7	66.31	65.81	65.68	63.00	116,499
Steam railways	108.9	104.4	103.4	104.3	65.84	66.19	65.26	64.65	52,082
Electric and motor transportation (o)	124.1	124.1	117.9	116.3	71.60	69.64	69.33	65.83	22,914
Communication	145.5	144.0	128.3	119.9	60.25	59.13	59.31	55.40	28,064
Public utility operation	122.4	120.0	121.8	119.2	77.50	76.91	76.01	71.30	24,304
Trade	130.5	128.9	122.9	118.6	56.13	55.84	53.62	51.68	166,933
Wholesale	135.6	134.8	126.5	124.2	68.70	68.74	64.87	61.37	51,101
Retail	128.3	126.5	121.4	116.2	50.58	50.10	48.71	47.32	115,832
Finance, insurance and real estate	138.2	137.5	133.5	126.9	62.86	63.44	58.87	56.04	59,933
Banking, investment and loan	140.7	140.0	137.4	129.3	57.66	58.70	54.02	50.98	34,203
Service	126.5	122.4	116.4	114.3	43.38	43.54	41.32	39.26	49,612
Hotels and restaurants	117.4	113.4	108.3	107.1	34.68	34.81	34.07	32.71	25,867
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	114.6	110.1	108.6	107.3	39.93	39.93	37.92	36.89	10,388
Other services (r)	164.4	160.5	148.0	144.7	62.92	63.04	58.85	55.92	13,357
Industrial composite	120.9	118.3	113.0	110.7	66.38	66.63	63.61	60.67	1,151,127
Manitoba									
Manufacturing	104.0	103.2	98.2	100.0	60.13	60.55	57.96	56.34	38,651
Food and beverages	97.5	92.8	96.3	96.7	63.71	63.75	62.36	60.55	7,918
Meat products	109.3	101.4	107.9	104.3	69.77	69.79	67.71	66.41	3,350
Clothing (textile and fur)	85.4	93.6	85.4	85.5	39.31	40.50	38.04	36.10	4,697
Printing, publishing and allied industries	100.5	99.7	99.7	101.1	62.16	61.70	59.06	57.93	2,875
Iron and steel products	112.4	111.1	103.5	107.0	67.27	66.53	63.40	62.30	5,069
Transportation equipment	101.8	102.0	93.6	102.4	61.91	64.59	60.77	60.74	8,106
Construction	103.9	92.8	123.4	99.5	59.96	58.04	57.56	51.60	9,435
Building and structures (m)	101.1	94.1	125.0	95.9	63.96	61.51	60.27	52.94	6,206
Transportation, storage, communication	112.4	107.1	110.9	109.4	65.68	66.09	63.61	61.31	34,472
Steam railways	109.9	103.1	106.2	104.2	69.48	69.52	67.70	64.54	22,183
Storage	101.6	101.5	100.8	102.5	56.00	56.27	53.34	52.88	3,288
Trade	101.7	100.1	98.4	100.0	55.02	55.62	53.74	51.39	26,604
Wholesale	108.2	106.4	104.2	106.0	59.04	59.53	56.89	54.49	10,461
Retail	97.9	96.4	95.1	96.3	52.42	53.08	51.75	49.34	16,143
Finance, insurance and real estate	119.3	119.1	121.6	120.9	58.19	58.44	54.39	51.97	7,138
Service	106.3	103.7	100.0	100.8	37.21	37.04	36.06	34.43	6,034
Hotels and restaurants	103.3	100.9	95.7	99.9	34.83	35.19	34.39	32.86	3,457
Industrial composite	106.9	103.8	104.8	103.2	60.17	60.32	58.05	55.82	129,501
Saskatchewan									
Manufacturing	108.7	101.9	108.7	107.9	62.24	63.12	60.70	58.69	8,604
Food and beverages	96.4	89.0	94.7	97.8	60.00	60.29	58.17	56.56	4,257
Meat products	79.7	70.4	75.0	79.4	72.89	72.18	68.09	66.21	1,031
Dairy products	104.5	94.5	102.7	103.5	48.70	50.12	47.76	46.86	1,454
Construction	152.5	107.6	144.5	145.1	60.55	62.26	58.58	57.59	9,645
Building and structures (m)	162.8	127.2	154.3	179.9	57.65	58.47	56.96	56.17	4,901
Highways, bridges and streets	143.2	89.7	135.4	113.9	63.55	67.14	60.28	59.60	4,744
Transportation, storage, communication	111.5	106.9	106.1	103.2	62.97	62.64	63.10	60.46	19,049
Steam railways	104.3	99.6	101.4	97.2	68.49	69.29	69.45	66.20	11,402
Storage	111.4	106.9	100.1	101.8	49.28	48.16	49.60	49.23	4,108
Trade	115.8	112.3	111.7	116.0	55.10	54.86	52.37	50.66	15,561
Wholesale	113.8	109.4	111.6	118.7	61.83	62.18	59.39	55.25	6,084
Retail	117.2	114.3	111.7	114.1	50.78	50.23	47.78	47.36	9,477
Finance, insurance and real estate	120.7	120.5	126.6	126.5	52.50	52.63	47.29	46.45	3,743
Service	106.8	105.4	111.8	113.8	37.93	37.61	36.56	35.71	3,111
Industrial composite	121.9	111.9	117.4	116.9	59.84	59.96	57.85	55.56	63,889

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 - Concluded

Provinces and Industries	Index Numbers (1949 = 100)				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, in Dollars				Employees Reported at June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
Alberta 1/									
Mining	132.7	117.6	110.1	104.1	85.05	83.35	77.94	74.27	20,857
Coal	34.4	34.5	36.6	47.3	58.91	57.09	58.78	53.80	2,773
Oil	260.3	224.1	207.1	177.5	89.04	87.90	81.39	79.91	16,545
Manufacturing	145.9	140.6	130.3	125.8	65.94	65.44	63.57	61.01	29,476
Food and beverages	119.8	114.3	115.5	113.7	64.64	63.68	61.62	60.40	8,800
Meat products	134.7	127.6	129.5	121.7	70.61	70.45	68.08	66.65	4,279
Wood products	106.4	103.6	98.2	93.8	51.07	52.40	48.52	46.97	2,862
Printing, publishing and allied industries	116.1	116.7	107.3	103.9	64.37	62.85	61.60	58.86	1,295
Iron and steel products	181.6	171.9	152.9	140.1	71.61	69.65	69.49	65.83	3,236
Transportation equipment	156.5	157.2	131.1	136.7	62.00	64.41	62.21	61.86	4,628
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	163.5	152.9	134.9	140.4	64.08	62.01	61.60	54.82	2,572
Products of petroleum and coal	190.9	173.3	153.2	135.1	87.46	88.22	88.51	81.19	1,773
Construction	222.5	177.7	181.8	169.2	74.33	70.33	63.68	59.34	24,950
Building and structures (m)	264.0	210.7	206.0	167.2	80.11	74.05	66.70	60.96	16,447
Highways, bridges and streets	170.6	136.4	151.6	171.6	63.14	63.14	58.56	57.44	8,503
Transportation, storage, communication	121.1	116.2	113.9	113.1	65.87	66.64	62.97	62.48	25,269
Steam railways	100.9	96.7	98.6	99.6	67.07	69.46	65.10	65.80	13,502
Electric and motor transportation (o)	153.6	150.0	139.7	137.2	72.81	70.82	66.58	62.49	3,977
Storage	111.3	112.5	110.1	113.1	55.63	54.74	53.86	53.25	2,598
Trade	147.3	145.1	129.7	126.3	54.92	55.08	52.80	51.82	29,360
Wholesale	143.2	142.0	129.1	126.8	62.12	62.12	58.32	55.98	9,695
Retail	149.5	146.6	130.1	126.1	51.38	51.57	49.95	49.63	19,665
Service	156.3	141.2	134.9	124.7	41.77	42.80	40.19	39.68	9,306
Hotels and restaurants	153.7	132.5	131.2	119.9	39.74	40.92	39.21	38.03	6,305
Industrial composite	147.7	136.7	129.8	124.7	65.82	64.72	61.26	59.25	149,552
British Columbia 2/									
Forestry (chiefly logging)	107.6	98.6	106.3	103.7	84.50	84.50	82.20	81.36	14,380
Mining	104.0	97.4	95.8	92.6	79.92	81.22	76.31	73.05	10,265
Gold (a)	71.1	67.1	86.7	92.7	79.55	71.27	74.04	72.90	1,402
Other metal (b)	120.6	117.8	107.3	101.4	87.50	88.19	85.07	82.61	5,728
Coal	60.9	62.1	63.3	64.0	62.58	64.85	54.07	52.03	1,447
Manufacturing	125.1	122.5	116.8	107.6	71.55	71.78	68.83	66.45	89,428
Food and beverages	87.8	82.3	91.7	91.3	62.74	61.84	61.68	59.71	10,605
Canned and cured fish	86.7	75.0	101.8	99.5	55.76	53.02	59.35	59.27	3,011
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	63.4	58.0	65.6	65.4	53.56	54.94	51.68	45.22	1,266
Wood products	122.0	119.1	119.8	109.1	66.91	67.25	65.79	62.83	33,748
Saw and planing mills (g)	126.4	123.2	124.7	111.9	67.45	67.89	66.25	63.38	31,478
Paper products	144.7	142.1	139.9	132.6	83.83	84.11	79.71	78.86	8,769
Pulp and paper mills	146.6	145.1	142.5	139.0	88.78	88.48	84.87	84.39	6,374
Printing, publishing and allied industries	116.1	114.5	108.7	103.8	75.85	74.99	72.73	71.83	3,630
Iron and steel products	151.2	148.0	117.4	106.6	79.87	79.65	74.38	73.43	8,177
Transportation equipment	176.2	179.7	146.3	147.3	73.37	74.32	70.25	68.88	8,384
Shipbuilding and repairing	175.2	180.4	143.6	146.7	73.60	74.34	70.23	69.45	6,628
Non-ferrous metal products	162.3	160.6	130.7	83.5	82.82	82.98	79.15	75.50	6,924
Chemical products	98.5	97.5	97.3	95.1	74.34	74.13	71.58	70.51	2,522
Construction	146.2	136.9	105.1	113.8	79.13	78.42	71.61	77.71	31,683
Building and structures (m)	155.0	147.8	102.1	122.9	86.06	84.03	79.33	87.57	20,232
Highways, bridges and streets	132.9	120.4	109.6	100.5	66.90	67.97	61.14	60.15	11,451
Transportation, storage, communication	115.6	112.5	110.2	110.5	68.63	68.63	64.58	63.63	38,058
Steam railways	110.6	109.5	107.5	108.7	71.17	70.23	66.01	66.34	13,244
Electric and motor transportation (o)	88.9	87.7	86.7	86.4	70.11	70.58	68.76	67.03	4,745
Water transportation (n)	104.9	99.3	98.9	100.3	65.86	66.97	61.22	62.84	8,668
Communication	150.1	146.2	144.0	146.5	61.77	60.18	58.69	53.88	7,590
Public utility operation	118.6	113.5	98.8	97.7	80.19	81.73	81.15	76.28	5,499
Trade	110.1	107.9	103.9	98.7	60.12	60.04	56.75	55.86	40,589
Wholesale	104.8	103.2	99.1	96.1	70.27	69.32	64.97	63.82	13,778
Retail	112.9	110.5	106.7	100.2	54.90	55.24	52.33	51.46	26,811
Finance, insurance and real estate	141.7	141.1	134.9	129.3	58.90	59.01	55.13	52.22	9,874
Banking, investment and loan	141.4	141.6	140.0	133.4	53.35	53.36	49.98	47.55	7,014
Service	123.0	121.1	110.4	100.9	47.58	46.90	44.09	40.97	13,905
Hotels and restaurants	126.5	124.0	112.1	100.6	42.35	41.82	39.90	36.84	8,540
Industrial composite	121.3	117.5	110.4	106.3	69.68	69.57	65.90	65.05	253,681

For footnotes (a) to (r) see page II at the end of this report. 1/Including Northwest Territories. 2/Including Yukon.

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 June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
St. John's:									
Manufacturing	97.8	94.9	94.0	94.5	48.95	47.88	48.06	48.19	3,248
Food and beverages	90.5	87.6	86.9	90.9	46.63	45.20	46.93	45.77	1,287
Trade	117.2	114.7	112.2	98.3	46.34	46.63	44.24	42.37	4,414
Industrial composite	122.1	113.5	112.6	110.3	45.60	45.92	44.80	44.21	11,799
Halifax:									
Manufacturing	131.5	131.8	122.3	125.7	58.13	56.95	56.65	54.16	9,391
Food and beverages	91.9	93.9	86.3	93.7	43.93	40.47	45.57	43.12	1,872
Transportation equipment	177.0	177.0	166.7	169.7	60.46	60.24	59.83	59.62	5,298
Construction	89.0	79.0	75.5	84.0	55.41	55.03	53.09	49.13	2,682
Transportation, storage, communication	95.7	100.6	96.9	94.0	46.58	45.70	45.69	42.93	4,667
Trade	120.1	118.3	111.7	111.8	45.38	45.42	43.50	41.36	7,721
Retail	121.2	118.9	112.6	117.2	41.13	41.50	39.73	37.43	5,560
Industrial composite	114.9	114.1	108.5	109.4	51.45	50.80	49.61	47.31	27,966
Saint John:									
Manufacturing	98.8	98.9	105.1	112.1	56.31	58.81	56.36	50.93	4,454
Transportation, storage, communication	78.3	88.7	96.1	73.9	47.97	47.40	57.08	41.97	2,996
Trade	108.6	108.0	101.3	101.9	42.16	42.53	41.01	40.17	3,290
Industrial composite	95.3	96.0	99.3	94.1	49.45	50.53	51.48	45.73	14,084
Quebec:									
Manufacturing	103.9	108.0	105.1	117.5	56.93	53.36	51.75	48.76	18,942
Leather products	71.6	74.6	70.2	86.2	36.33	34.02	35.44	31.10	2,650
Clothing (textile and fur)	98.7	97.7	94.3	99.2	36.96	36.67	34.99	33.08	2,533
Transportation equipment	200.0	170.7	139.1	221.0	67.09	63.39	63.26	62.44	2,918
Construction	100.4	88.2	97.5	89.6	58.38	58.97	56.20	53.27	5,315
Trade	114.0	111.1	110.4	109.1	46.77	46.88	44.76	43.01	6,974
Retail	113.1	109.9	111.5	109.7	40.66	41.39	40.02	38.49	4,797
Industrial composite	108.7	107.9	107.5	111.5	54.71	52.67	50.96	48.43	39,883
Sherbrooke:									
Manufacturing	96.4	100.9	99.6	94.9	54.78	55.96	51.37	46.44	7,381
Textile products (except clothing)	76.1	93.0	116.9	97.7	46.65	50.46	47.56	44.14	1,762
Clothing (textile and fur)	63.9	63.3	61.4	69.1	42.97	42.95	41.90	36.18	1,425
Iron and steel products	118.2	117.3	92.3	90.4	67.24	68.05	60.16	55.32	2,034
Industrial composite	100.7	102.3	103.5	97.3	53.00	53.93	49.70	45.99	11,003
Three Rivers:									
Manufacturing	120.7	117.5	105.4	104.0	62.98	62.33	61.57	59.07	10,679
Pulp and paper mills	119.4	115.8	115.0	109.5	86.61	84.15	81.75	79.81	4,102
Industrial composite	119.5	115.5	105.9	102.1	59.60	58.70	57.08	55.37	14,089
Montreal:									
Manufacturing	111.5	110.9	106.1	108.3	64.72	64.93	60.99	58.30	217,636
Tobacco and tobacco products	93.1	90.6	92.2	88.0	70.23	70.33	67.16	63.68	5,610
Leather products	84.9	85.0	81.3	84.0	44.62	44.46	41.96	38.36	8,154
Textile products (except clothing)	92.8	93.1	92.8	89.6	55.07	54.76	52.77	50.66	9,241
Clothing (textile and fur)	97.4	99.4	95.8	95.4	44.31	44.91	41.74	38.95	37,582
Men's clothing	88.8	89.7	89.9	92.8	46.17	47.20	42.07	38.40	10,756
Women's clothing	96.0	99.5	95.0	96.7	43.79	44.05	41.60	38.93	14,837
Printing, publishing and allied industries	114.2	114.2	109.5	107.4	74.25	73.24	70.80	67.27	10,012
Iron and steel products	115.4	113.5	104.6	109.2	75.18	75.56	70.19	66.75	26,695
Transportation equipment	119.2	118.1	113.6	137.1	70.99	73.33	67.80	67.45	29,669
Railway and rolling stock equipment	83.8	81.9	78.3	99.8	64.06	68.96	62.43	64.77	13,109
Electrical apparatus and supplies	143.5	143.5	122.8	118.9	75.86	76.61	71.41	66.54	20,076
Chemical products	121.2	119.3	114.7	113.2	76.20	76.14	72.55	67.81	12,066
Construction	133.3	127.3	123.8	103.2	66.15	67.54	60.82	56.71	33,531
Building and structures (m)	136.7	128.6	124.4	98.0	66.87	68.75	60.48	55.46	26,063
Transportation, storage, communication	139.5	131.7	129.4	119.7	68.64	68.61	66.47	62.51	36,820
Electric and motor transportation (o)	115.2	113.2	111.3	109.7	63.01	64.30	62.17	58.16	11,461
Trade	124.4	123.7	119.9	113.8	54.86	54.10	52.27	50.93	66,105
Wholesale	132.8	132.1	125.9	118.7	66.45	66.24	63.32	60.43	26,928
Retail	119.3	118.6	116.2	110.8	46.90	45.75	44.93	44.68	39,177
Finance, insurance and real estate	133.5	132.9	127.7	122.4	63.03	63.59	59.38	57.98	25,532
Banking, investment and loan	137.0	136.3	131.6	123.0	60.18	61.34	57.32	56.17	14,882
Insurance	124.9	124.5	119.9	119.6	67.70	67.45	62.74	60.67	10,221
Service	117.4	116.8	107.0	107.4	46.77	46.43	44.06	41.23	20,527
Hotels and restaurants	105.8	104.6	99.5	100.1	35.58	35.53	34.54	32.40	8,744
Industrial composite	119.3	117.7	113.0	110.8	62.65	62.73	59.21	56.61	404,760
Ottawa - Hull:									
Manufacturing	116.8	113.4	112.1	108.8	67.17	65.75	63.83	61.21	17,457
Pulp and paper mills	130.5	123.6	120.9	124.6	81.26	77.66	77.06	71.60	5,189
Printing, publishing and allied industries	110.8	111.2	110.9	107.2	67.37	68.95	65.16	62.52	2,652
Iron and steel products	57.7	60.5	62.3	64.9	64.50	65.77	61.66	60.38	1,120
Construction	121.7	113.1	118.9	120.9	59.58	59.62	56.12	51.84	6,123
Trade	114.9	114.1	110.2	104.7	47.64	47.65	44.67	44.40	10,482
Finance, insurance and real estate	110.6	110.2	107.0	102.5	61.08	61.13	57.47	55.89	4,770
Service	112.6	108.7	106.2	101.5	40.04	40.53	38.77	33.94	4,517
Industrial composite	119.0	116.0	113.9	110.1	58.75	58.02	55.91	53.82	48,625

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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 at June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
St. Catharines:									
Manufacturing	121.4	119.5	110.6	106.4	78.76	79.37	74.32	69.63	30,971
Pulp and paper mills	127.9	125.9	120.8	121.4	86.21	82.49	80.12	77.25	3,447
Iron and steel products	111.4	108.4	90.2	78.6	84.37	83.91	76.83	73.26	9,336
Transportation equipment	149.8	150.3	147.7	127.0	79.42	82.95	76.63	66.75	8,295
Construction	204.6	192.6	180.1	150.5	77.74	79.72	71.21	59.23	2,801
Industrial composite	126.9	124.7	116.1	110.0	75.53	76.10	71.20	66.70	37,995
Toronto:									
Manufacturing	120.3	120.1	115.7	117.3	70.16	70.42	66.86	64.63	205,341
Food and beverages	107.2	104.8	101.9	100.2	64.14	64.08	61.03	60.16	22,638
Meat products	123.3	120.5	120.3	117.1	73.02	72.14	70.90	69.76	5,315
Rubber products	98.2	95.8	100.5	101.6	76.36	77.67	71.39	69.41	5,492
Textile products (except clothing)	82.7	83.0	84.8	84.3	56.05	55.66	53.91	51.64	4,310
Clothing (textile and fur)	84.2	85.6	83.5	86.9	48.82	49.99	45.71	44.92	15,783
Men's clothing	95.0	96.3	92.7	98.1	50.50	51.12	45.89	45.19	5,739
Women's clothing	81.2	83.8	78.4	84.1	49.00	51.60	44.63	43.85	4,245
Paper products (except pulp and paper) (i)	112.3	112.1	99.7	101.5	66.75	65.76	64.48	59.93	7,797
Printing, publishing and allied industries	115.6	115.8	112.5	108.3	79.66	79.29	75.96	72.36	17,529
Iron and steel products	118.6	119.5	117.1	120.1	74.39	74.78	70.69	68.02	31,338
Transportation equipment	244.4	248.2	244.0	254.1	78.95	80.35	74.41	73.93	26,577
Electrical apparatus and supplies	143.4	146.1	136.0	139.1	71.77	71.93	68.41	66.38	25,817
Chemical products	115.2	113.7	107.5	108.3	70.37	70.05	67.45	64.87	12,551
Construction	154.0	143.9	135.7	140.3	76.79	77.27	69.34	66.61	22,794
Building and structures (m)	146.8	138.5	126.2	137.7	78.39	79.11	70.71	67.58	19,063
Transportation, storage, communication	135.9	134.2	127.5	121.7	69.15	67.55	66.69	63.49	26,644
Electric and motor transportation (o)	123.4	122.2	118.6	115.9	72.32	70.27	69.65	66.24	11,685
Public utility operation	125.0	122.4	123.7	122.4	79.21	79.38	77.23	73.54	10,429
Trade	127.7	126.3	118.6	118.7	61.94	61.59	59.72	56.85	80,020
Wholesale	140.2	140.1	131.1	127.8	70.56	70.00	66.35	63.07	28,901
Retail	121.5	119.5	114.8	114.1	57.06	56.75	55.98	53.34	51,119
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.1	147.2	140.4	131.6	66.53	67.51	62.74	59.52	31,962
Banking, investment and loan	152.5	151.8	144.8	131.4	63.50	65.41	60.32	56.40	16,733
Insurance	138.9	138.0	133.7	129.7	69.67	69.76	66.36	63.47	14,243
Service	134.1	131.8	124.0	119.3	48.19	48.21	45.68	43.79	25,182
Hotels and restaurants	113.0	111.7	109.0	105.9	37.35	37.41	36.68	34.79	11,045
Industrial composite	127.2	125.9	120.7	120.1	67.47	67.53	64.33	61.89	402,805
Hamilton:									
Manufacturing	108.6	107.0	99.7	100.4	74.59	73.58	69.34	66.64	58,596
Textile products (except clothing)	114.0	113.1	108.0	101.8	48.10	50.89	45.49	43.68	3,139
Clothing (textile and fur)	57.7	57.0	65.1	69.3	42.61	43.67	41.45	42.76	2,662
Iron and steel products	116.2	114.6	104.3	100.1	83.68	81.59	77.30	72.49	25,751
Electrical apparatus and supplies	125.9	125.1	119.4	121.0	78.56	77.10	71.80	72.93	9,566
Construction	125.4	116.0	106.8	119.0	73.13	73.95	69.33	62.44	4,539
Retail trade	141.4	139.8	126.7	113.4	49.82	49.14	47.28	47.55	7,761
Industrial composite	114.6	112.6	104.9	104.3	69.99	69.20	65.50	63.04	83,260
Brentford:									
Manufacturing	87.9	90.9	79.5	77.6	64.53	64.42	62.63	62.03	11,572
Textile products (except clothing)	100.5	101.5	100.7	75.0	59.37	59.93	57.12	57.48	1,500
Iron and steel products	72.1	78.6	63.6	69.4	72.27	71.29	68.78	67.93	4,806
Industrial composite	91.5	93.3	83.5	81.8	62.42	62.31	60.28	59.50	14,455
Kitchener:									
Manufacturing	104.1	101.5	96.5	96.5	63.85	63.64	61.09	56.74	17,695
Food and beverages	119.6	116.4	116.7	110.8	68.96	65.71	67.92	62.18	3,405
Rubber products	92.8	88.6	88.2	88.0	69.60	71.19	66.53	59.81	4,581
Leather products	64.2	63.7	63.2	79.3	54.18	54.33	50.58	51.13	1,119
Wood products	120.3	120.0	98.0	93.4	61.83	61.10	57.92	54.20	2,690
Industrial composite	111.5	108.9	103.6	103.3	62.04	61.65	59.59	56.29	24,439
London:									
Manufacturing	115.3	112.5	110.1	110.6	64.26	65.00	62.92	58.07	17,883
Food and beverages	107.2	102.1	107.6	111.3	62.28	63.24	59.78	57.59	4,207
Clothing (textile and fur)	81.6	81.7	84.9	90.1	44.48	47.17	46.94	41.04	1,080
Paper products	117.1	112.7	107.5	110.5	69.65	68.83	64.68	62.21	1,151
Printing, publishing and allied industries	105.7	106.0	102.5	107.0	70.33	69.91	64.49	62.18	1,288
Iron and steel products	99.4	94.1	95.3	93.2	68.47	68.62	65.09	63.02	2,903
Construction	99.0	90.7	90.0	86.9	69.30	68.24	62.77	61.72	2,022
Retail trade	116.6	117.6	116.3	113.4	47.01	46.95	44.65	44.29	4,034
Finance, insurance and real estate	131.1	130.8	131.5	122.7	62.19	62.03	57.70	55.52	2,788
Industrial composite	117.8	115.4	113.4	111.0	61.31	61.46	58.96	55.72	33,357
Windsor:									
Manufacturing	106.1	109.9	106.6	91.8	68.15	76.50	80.98	69.25	35,323
Iron and steel products	122.3	121.1	111.5	110.1	79.55	79.62	74.98	66.02	5,453
Transportation equipment	105.1	111.4	109.4	87.7	65.72	77.77	85.27	71.57	23,525
Trade	107.8	108.6	107.8	107.5	50.71	50.13	48.54	48.39	4,382
Industrial composite	106.7	109.9	107.4	96.9	65.93	72.34	75.68	65.70	46,141

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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 June 1 1956
	Employment								
	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	June 1 1956	May 1 1956	June 1 1955	June 1 1954	
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur:									
Manufacturing	119.2	117.7	115.1	110.2	73.57	72.30	69.65	67.40	6,141
Pulp and paper mills	110.9	108.1	108.9	99.2	84.31	79.48	77.13	74.09	2,300
Transportation equipment	177.9	182.7	177.5	172.6	68.76	69.38	64.59	64.99	2,266
Transportation, storage, communication	123.3	118.8	112.6	97.8	69.12	70.76	75.24	64.38	2,764
Trade	109.9	108.9	101.4	106.4	52.56	51.70	49.94	48.75	2,583
Industrial composite	114.5	111.6	109.3	105.6	65.87	65.22	64.18	60.07	14,012
Winnipeg:									
Manufacturing	101.9	101.4	96.7	98.8	58.80	59.14	56.98	55.66	34,049
Food and beverages	93.3	89.0	92.5	93.5	65.30	65.23	63.69	61.71	6,917
Meat products	106.2	98.3	104.5	102.4	70.68	70.80	68.64	67.05	3,105
Clothing (textile and fur)	86.3	94.7	87.6	85.1	39.81	41.00	38.28	36.77	4,519
Printing, publishing and allied industries	99.2	98.9	98.8	100.2	62.54	62.23	59.22	58.11	2,770
Iron and steel products	109.7	107.6	101.9	108.3	63.87	64.36	62.83	61.15	3,986
Transportation equipment	101.7	101.9	93.4	102.3	61.95	64.63	60.80	60.77	8,088
Construction	129.3	115.7	160.1	101.8	61.43	59.96	58.04	50.86	6,294
Transportation, storage, communication	113.3	112.9	117.8	116.9	61.51	63.10	60.04	58.22	8,708
Trade	98.8	97.4	96.2	97.7	55.72	56.29	54.36	51.83	22,838
Wholesale	105.1	103.9	102.1	104.6	60.25	60.33	57.75	55.02	8,426
Retail	95.4	94.0	93.1	93.9	53.07	53.92	52.42	49.90	14,412
Finance, insurance and real estate	119.6	119.4	120.1	118.8	60.33	60.66	57.24	54.37	5,755
Service	104.5	101.8	98.9	98.2	37.54	37.32	36.38	34.81	5,356
Industrial composite	105.4	103.6	104.3	101.8	57.32	57.66	55.60	53.35	85,226
Regina:									
Manufacturing	127.2	121.0	120.8	120.5	67.64	67.92	64.23	62.54	2,816
Wholesale trade	113.4	110.8	109.1	114.3	61.13	61.28	59.48	56.26	2,500
Retail trade	104.2	103.4	98.9	101.2	52.07	51.32	49.26	47.94	3,876
Industrial composite	120.9	114.5	117.3	120.1	57.54	57.52	55.28	53.57	15,584
Saskatoon:									
Manufacturing	114.9	109.0	112.6	112.2	63.54	62.95	60.84	59.42	2,489
Food and beverages	113.6	105.6	109.4	113.8	63.03	62.37	60.39	58.82	1,609
Wholesale trade	114.6	110.4	115.6	126.5	58.89	59.17	56.36	51.36	1,750
Retail trade	125.4	119.7	118.9	121.5	48.55	46.96	46.74	47.08	2,105
Industrial composite	121.6	112.3	118.4	122.9	56.22	55.76	54.39	52.08	10,365
Edmonton:									
Manufacturing	168.9	163.1	150.8	144.8	66.65	66.19	64.69	61.79	12,719
Food and beverages	134.7	127.3	129.5	125.8	65.40	64.62	63.11	61.88	4,083
Meat products	136.9	128.0	135.1	126.2	68.56	68.65	65.77	65.27	2,802
Construction	237.9	183.1	213.9	152.4	72.85	66.67	70.30	58.10	9,494
Wholesale trade	171.5	170.5	145.6	139.2	62.56	62.35	57.65	55.63	4,192
Retail trade	159.7	156.8	132.5	129.4	49.17	49.34	50.01	49.51	9,290
Industrial composite	177.7	165.1	156.2	141.5	61.87	59.90	59.94	55.66	45,375
Calgary:									
Manufacturing	136.8	134.6	124.6	118.9	67.11	66.25	64.67	63.40	10,149
Food and beverages	121.3	119.6	117.7	113.0	68.46	66.59	64.42	63.22	3,044
Transportation equipment	148.1	149.1	122.2	127.8	60.75	63.42	61.73	64.35	2,708
Construction	198.5	188.3	194.1	171.0	68.08	66.10	62.05	62.61	3,938
Wholesale trade	133.0	132.3	123.1	122.0	61.50	61.64	59.14	56.26	4,141
Retail trade	146.4	143.6	132.5	124.5	54.76	55.03	50.65	51.49	7,392
Industrial composite	151.9	147.5	139.1	129.8	62.27	61.74	58.87	58.17	37,222
Vancouver:									
Manufacturing	118.6	117.2	107.0	102.3	71.43	71.21	67.80	66.12	38,558
Printing, publishing and allied industries	118.1	116.4	109.3	104.5	77.60	76.70	74.38	74.12	2,779
Wood products	102.6	102.1	102.6	93.6	69.62	68.58	66.92	64.49	10,576
Saw and planing mills(g)	105.7	104.6	108.1	95.3	71.86	70.69	68.33	66.29	8,876
Iron and steel products	160.2	157.0	122.1	113.4	79.99	79.71	74.10	73.67	7,516
Transportation equipment	152.4	155.5	110.8	123.2	75.87	77.95	71.60	68.47	4,160
Construction	109.4	103.7	91.3	77.8	78.66	77.88	73.25	70.74	11,558
Transportation, storage, communication	118.1	115.0	110.4	112.1	66.21	66.53	62.30	59.30	16,696
Water transportation (n)	107.7	102.8	98.5	99.8	68.08	70.25	62.56	62.03	4,524
Communication	151.0	147.3	145.9	148.7	61.07	59.13	57.82	53.07	6,817
Trade	113.2	111.6	106.5	102.0	63.17	63.14	59.30	58.04	28,012
Wholesale	120.4	118.7	111.0	108.9	72.14	71.35	66.84	65.13	11,194
Retail	108.8	107.3	103.6	97.7	57.20	57.68	54.15	53.06	16,818
Service	118.0	116.8	104.4	100.0	49.32	48.47	45.62	42.58	9,003
Industrial composite	117.1	114.6	106.4	101.9	67.30	67.22	63.34	61.14	113,570
Victoria:									
Manufacturing	147.5	148.0	142.6	134.1	69.78	70.06	68.22	65.77	7,195
Wood products	121.9	119.4	128.7	128.3	64.89	66.94	66.46	59.93	1,617
Transportation equipment	228.9	233.4	210.0	189.8	70.93	70.88	69.10	69.41	3,980
Trade	109.5	102.4	102.5	94.5	52.48	51.94	49.76	51.18	4,179
Industrial composite	119.4	116.6	115.0	108.5	61.25	61.52	59.44	58.16	16,891

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Table 7.- Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Metropolitan Areas in Atlantic Provinces and Quebec, 1939 - 1956.

Year and Month	St. John's	Sydney	Halifax	Saint John	Quebec	Sherbrooke	Three Rivers	Drummond- ville	Montreal
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1939 - Average	..	22.35	23.42	21.41	18.62	19.40	20.28	19.11	22.82
1940 - Average	..	..	..	..	20.88	..	..	..	24.27
1941 - Average	..	..	..	..	21.74	..	..	..	26.39
1942 - Average	..	..	..	..	23.62	..	..	..	28.21
1943 - Average	..	..	..	..	26.69	..	..	..	31.00
1944 - Average	..	..	..	..	29.44	..	..	..	31.82
1945 - Average	..	..	..	..	28.83	..	..	..	32.20
1946 - Average	..	..	..	..	27.96	..	..	..	32.24
1947 - Average	..	..	32.23	31.34	30.98	29.96	34.94	..	35.14
1948 - Average	..	..	33.49	33.47	33.51	32.88	39.85	..	38.83
1949 - Average	32.23	46.94	35.44	35.83	35.67	35.92	41.70	38.85	41.82
1950 - Average	33.10	..	36.35	37.22	37.40	37.90	42.87	..	43.58
1951 - Average	35.86	..	39.61	40.29	40.48	41.58	48.35	..	47.69
1952 - Average	39.36	56.76	44.10	43.16	43.95	45.10	50.69	48.95	52.24
1953 - Average	42.08	59.98	45.96	45.01	46.86	46.61	53.30	51.55	55.39
1954 - Average	43.62	59.73	47.68	47.07	48.33	47.79	55.50	52.04	57.21
1955 - Average	44.97	61.36	49.60	49.35	50.76	50.47	57.76	53.16	59.49
1953 - Jan. 1	39.24	58.90	43.02	41.96	44.30	42.42	50.46	50.01	51.85
Feb. 1	40.67	59.88	45.60	44.94	46.14	47.34	53.59	52.71	54.80
Mar. 1	42.14	60.23	46.23	45.18	46.30	47.58	52.92	51.60	55.36
Apr. 1	42.86	56.31	47.90	44.30	46.74	47.95	53.65	52.97	55.51
May 1	43.32	59.54	47.20	44.95	47.04	47.15	52.82	52.37	55.71
June 1	42.78	58.38	46.44	45.67	46.87	47.52	52.81	51.76	55.82
July 1	41.90	59.38	45.88	45.90	46.58	44.72	53.81	51.62	55.29
Aug. 1	42.14	61.27	46.05	44.69	47.19	46.65	53.45	51.50	55.21
Sept. 1	42.16	60.16	46.16	45.24	47.59	45.88	53.88	51.17	55.53
Oct. 1	42.52	62.28	45.49	46.07	47.75	46.44	53.98	51.48	56.37
Nov. 1	42.77	59.89	45.40	45.66	47.49	47.60	54.27	50.20	56.56
Dec. 1	42.52	63.55	46.15	45.56	48.33	48.08	53.97	51.22	56.67
1954 - Jan. 1	40.76	59.58	45.82	44.42	45.85	44.26	52.47	51.53	54.34
Feb. 1	42.64	57.85	47.85	47.30	47.67	47.61	55.34	52.21	56.98
Mar. 1	43.54	60.42	48.87	48.30	47.80	47.92	55.72	52.18	57.59
Apr. 1	43.02	58.63	48.05	47.55	48.11	47.76	55.94	52.92	57.39
May 1	43.25	59.52	48.29	47.83	49.16	47.53	55.18	52.27	57.45
June 1	44.21	59.62	47.31	45.73	48.43	45.99	55.37	51.56	56.61
July 1	43.25	60.82	47.27	47.54	47.49	46.04	56.59	51.06	57.00
Aug. 1	43.53	61.34	47.81	46.70	48.36	47.80	55.65	51.33	57.50
Sept. 1	44.36	58.33	48.02	47.18	48.99	48.76	56.86	51.07	57.63

TABLE 8. Sex Distribution of Employees Reported by Industries, Canada

Industries	June 1, 1956					May 1, 1956		June 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.
Forestry (chiefly logging)	64,206	63,128	1,078	98.3	1.7	98.1	1.9	98.3	1.7
Mining	110,529	106,417	4,112	96.3	3.7	96.3	3.7	96.6	3.4
Metal mining	59,475	58,126	1,349	97.7	2.3	97.7	2.3	97.8	2.2
Gold (a)	17,560	17,233	327	98.1	1.9	98.1	1.9	98.3	1.7
Other metal (b)	41,915	40,893	1,022	97.6	2.4	97.5	2.5	97.5	2.5
Fuels	35,659	33,374	2,285	93.6	6.4	93.3	6.7	94.3	5.7
Coal	16,736	16,600	136	99.2	0.8	99.2	0.8	99.1	0.9
Oil and natural gas	18,923	16,774	2,149	88.6	11.4	87.4	12.6	88.9	11.1
Non-metal (c)	15,395	14,917	478	96.9	3.1	97.6	2.4	97.5	2.5
Manufacturing	1,202,139	941,461	260,678	78.3	21.7	78.0	22.0	78.3	21.7
Food and beverages	132,494	99,241	33,253	74.9	25.1	74.8	25.2	75.3	24.7
Meat products	25,671	20,250	5,421	78.9	21.1	79.5	20.5	79.9	20.1
Dairy products	10,281	8,232	2,049	80.1	19.9	80.9	19.1	80.0	20.0
Canned and cured fish	10,825	7,844	2,981	72.5	27.5	72.8	27.2	74.8	25.2
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	9,907	6,313	3,594	63.7	36.3	64.4	35.6	65.0	35.0
Grain mill products	8,570	7,102	1,468	82.9	17.1	82.7	17.3	83.5	16.5
Bread and other bakery products	18,149	14,499	3,650	79.9	20.1	80.0	20.0	79.0	21.0
Biscuits and crackers	6,952	3,336	3,616	48.0	52.0	47.0	53.0	48.8	51.2
Distilled and malt liquors	15,083	12,837	2,246	85.1	14.9	84.1	15.9	84.9	15.1
Other beverages (d)	7,839	7,163	676	91.4	8.6	91.0	9.0	91.0	9.0
Confectionery	7,442	3,544	3,898	47.6	52.4	46.1	53.9	48.1	51.9
Tobacco and tobacco products	8,417	3,631	4,786	43.1	56.9	43.7	56.3	42.2	57.8
Rubber products	22,086	17,083	5,003	77.3	22.7	77.4	22.6	76.1	23.9
Leather products	28,544	16,514	12,030	57.9	42.1	57.4	42.6	58.3	41.7
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	18,881	10,193	8,688	54.0	46.0	53.4	46.6	54.8	45.2
Other leather products (f)	9,663	6,321	3,342	65.4	34.6	65.5	34.5	65.3	34.7
Textile products (except clothing)	59,216	38,028	21,188	64.2	35.8	65.1	34.9	65.0	35.0
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	16,570	10,356	6,214	62.5	37.5	65.8	34.2	65.1	34.9
Woollen goods	11,153	6,749	4,404	60.5	39.5	60.5	39.5	59.0	41.0
Synthetic textiles and silk	14,472	11,074	3,398	76.5	23.5	76.3	23.7	76.0	24.0
Clothing (textile and fur)	95,351	29,670	65,681	31.1	68.9	31.0	69.0	32.6	67.4
Men's clothing	33,048	10,669	22,379	32.3	67.7	32.2	67.8	33.4	66.6
Women's clothing	22,804	5,420	17,384	23.8	76.2	24.1	75.9	25.0	75.0
Knit goods	20,610	7,166	13,444	34.8	65.2	34.6	65.4	36.5	63.5
Fur goods	3,329	2,290	1,039	68.8	31.2	69.3	30.7	69.1	30.9
Hats and caps	3,502	1,459	2,043	41.7	58.3	41.2	58.8	41.1	58.9
Wood products	96,254	88,442	7,812	91.9	8.1	91.7	8.3	92.3	7.7
Saw and planing mills (g)	61,068	57,855	3,213	94.7	5.3	94.4	5.6	94.9	5.1
Furniture	23,441	20,654	2,787	88.1	11.9	88.6	11.4	89.1	10.9
Other wood products (h)	11,745	9,933	1,812	84.6	15.4	84.5	15.5	84.8	15.2
Paper products	91,861	80,298	11,563	87.4	12.6	87.2	12.8	87.6	12.4
Pulp and paper mills	66,620	63,235	3,385	94.9	5.1	94.8	5.2	94.9	5.1
Other paper products (i)	25,241	17,063	8,178	67.6	32.4	67.3	32.7	67.6	32.4
Printing, publishing and allied industries	50,806	37,031	13,775	72.9	27.1	72.9	27.1	73.0	27.0
Iron and steel products	178,409	161,990	16,419	90.8	9.2	90.7	9.3	90.5	9.5
Agricultural implements	11,513	10,788	725	93.7	6.3	93.8	6.2	94.3	5.7
Boilers and plate work	6,571	6,076	495	92.5	7.5	92.3	7.7	91.7	8.3
Fabricated and structural steel	10,737	10,197	540	95.0	5.0	95.0	5.0	94.9	5.1
Hardware and tools	12,738	10,319	2,419	81.0	19.0	80.7	19.3	81.0	19.0
Heating and cooking appliances	8,533	7,666	867	89.8	10.2	90.0	10.0	90.7	9.3
Iron castings	22,009	20,771	1,238	94.4	5.6	94.2	5.8	94.2	5.8
Machinery mfg. (j)	37,517	32,964	4,553	87.9	12.1	87.6	12.4	87.5	12.5
Primary iron and steel	37,597	36,241	1,356	96.4	3.6	96.6	3.4	96.2	3.8
Sheet metal products	17,145	14,475	2,670	84.4	15.6	84.1	15.9	84.2	15.8
Wire and wire products	6,325	5,477	848	86.6	13.4	86.9	13.1	87.0	13.0

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TABLE 8. Sex Distribution of Employees Reported, by Industries, Canada Concluded

Industries	June 1, 1956					May 1, 1956		June 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.
Manufacturing - concluded:									
Transportation equipment	164,680	152,547	12,133	92.6	7.4	92.5	7.5	92.6	7.4
Aircraft and parts	40,937	36,724	4,213	89.7	10.3	89.7	10.3	89.9	10.1
Motor vehicles	40,019	37,505	2,514	93.7	6.3	93.9	6.1	94.2	5.8
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	23,055	19,486	3,569	84.5	15.5	83.7	16.3	83.5	16.5
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	34,721	34,182	539	98.4	1.6	98.4	1.6	98.5	1.5
Shipbuilding and repairing	22,651	21,797	854	96.2	3.8	96.3	3.7	96.2	3.8
Non-ferrous metal products	57,674	51,879	5,795	90.0	10.0	89.7	10.3	90.1	9.9
Aluminum products	8,861	7,401	1,460	83.5	16.5	82.8	17.2	83.4	16.6
Brass and copper products	10,372	9,184	1,188	88.5	11.5	88.8	11.2	88.4	11.6
Smelting and refining	30,962	30,188	774	97.5	2.5	97.4	2.6	97.4	2.6
Electrical apparatus and supplies	84,229	60,060	24,169	71.3	28.7	70.6	29.4	71.5	28.5
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	35,211	31,565	3,646	89.6	10.4	89.6	10.4	89.5	10.5
Clay products	6,358	5,817	541	91.5	8.5	91.1	8.9	90.2	9.8
Glass and glass products	8,726	7,074	1,652	81.1	18.9	81.3	18.7	81.9	18.1
Products of petroleum and coal	14,654	13,275	1,379	90.6	9.4	90.2	9.8	90.7	9.3
Chemical products	58,433	45,362	13,071	77.6	22.4	77.5	22.5	77.6	22.4
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	9,096	5,167	3,929	56.8	43.2	57.3	42.7	56.9	43.1
Acids, alkalis and salts	7,962	7,489	473	94.1	5.9	94.1	5.9	93.6	6.4
Other chemical products (l)	41,375	32,706	8,669	79.0	21.0	78.7	21.3	78.9	21.1
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	23,820	14,845	8,975	62.3	37.7	61.9	38.1	63.0	37.0
Construction	266,578	259,437	7,091	97.3	2.7	97.1	2.9	97.4	2.6
Building and structures (m)	171,789	167,169	4,620	97.3	2.7	97.1	2.9	97.2	2.8
Building	144,426	140,498	3,928	97.3	2.7	97.1	2.9	97.2	2.8
Engineering work	27,363	26,671	692	97.5	2.5	97.3	2.7	97.4	2.6
Highways, bridges and streets	94,789	92,318	2,471	97.4	2.6	97.0	3.0	97.5	2.5
Transportation, storage, communication	365,613	310,217	55,396	84.8	15.2	84.8	15.2	85.1	14.9
Transportation	277,136	262,128	15,008	94.6	5.4	94.5	5.5	94.7	5.3
Air transport and airports	12,670	10,141	2,529	80.0	20.0	80.0	20.0	81.0	19.0
Steam railways	175,690	167,464	8,226	95.3	4.7	95.2	4.8	95.3	4.7
Maintenance of equipment	24,437	24,239	198	99.2	0.8	99.3	0.7	99.2	0.8
Maintenance of ways and structures	39,301	39,122	179	99.5	0.5	99.5	0.5	99.5	0.5
Transportation - steam railways	102,276	96,561	5,715	94.4	5.6	94.4	5.6	94.3	5.7
Telegraphs	9,676	7,542	2,134	77.9	22.1	78.0	22.0	80.2	19.8
Water transportation (n)	36,896	35,303	1,593	95.7	4.3	95.5	4.5	95.6	4.4
Electric and motor transportation (o)	51,880	49,220	2,660	94.9	5.1	94.9	5.1	94.9	5.1
Urban and interurban transportation (p)	24,668	23,542	1,126	95.4	4.6	95.6	4.4	95.5	4.5
Truck transportation	21,727	20,628	1,099	94.9	5.1	95.0	5.0	95.0	5.0
Storage	17,715	16,195	1,520	91.4	8.6	91.2	8.8	90.8	9.2
Grain elevators	12,468	11,469	999	92.0	8.0	91.7	8.3	91.3	8.7
Storage and warehouse	5,247	4,726	521	90.1	9.9	90.1	9.9	89.5	10.5
Communication	70,762	31,894	38,868	45.1	54.9	45.6	54.4	43.9	56.1
Radio broadcasting	10,102	7,217	2,885	71.4	28.6	71.4	28.6	70.6	29.4
Telephone	60,209	24,276	35,933	40.3	59.7	41.0	59.0	39.7	60.3
Public utility operation	52,022	45,871	6,151	88.2	11.8	88.0	12.0	88.0	12.0
Electric light and power	44,315	38,597	5,718	87.1	12.9	86.9	13.1	87.0	13.0
Other public utilities (q)	7,707	7,274	433	94.4	5.6	94.3	5.7	94.1	5.9
Trade	399,112	256,055	143,057	64.2	35.8	64.2	35.8	64.2	35.8
Wholesale	135,572	104,556	31,016	77.1	22.9	77.1	22.9	77.2	22.8
Retail	263,540	151,499	112,041	57.5	42.5	57.5	42.5	57.6	42.4
Food	60,697	42,664	18,033	70.3	29.7	70.1	29.9	70.5	29.5
Department stores	81,080	30,995	50,085	38.2	61.8	38.4	61.6	38.6	61.4
Variety stores	21,218	2,668	18,550	12.6	87.4	13.5	86.5	11.8	88.2
Automotive products	37,927	34,488	3,439	90.9	9.1	90.9	9.1	91.1	8.9
Finance, insurance and real estate	127,406	63,991	63,415	50.2	49.8	50.3	49.7	49.3	50.7
Banking, investment and loan	78,323	37,215	41,108	47.5	52.5	47.6	52.4	47.5	52.5
Insurance	47,247	25,582	21,665	54.1	45.9	54.2	45.8	52.1	47.9
Service	116,194	61,135	55,059	52.6	47.4	52.5	47.5	51.8	48.2
Hotels and restaurants	64,328	35,229	29,099	54.8	45.2	54.4	45.6	53.2	46.8
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	25,591	9,054	16,537	35.4	64.6	36.2	63.8	36.6	63.4
Other service (r)	26,275	16,852	9,423	64.1	35.9	63.9	36.1	65.0	35.0
Industrial composite	2,703,799	2,107,762	596,037	78.0	22.0	77.4	22.6	77.7	22.3

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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

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

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

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.

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 construction.
- (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.
- (s) Data for the Northwest Territories and Yukon are included in Alberta and British Columbia respectively.

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