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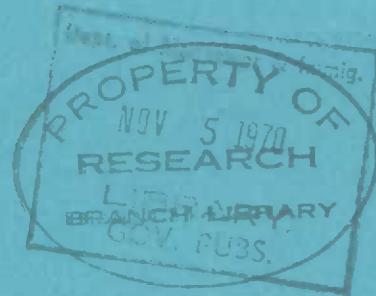
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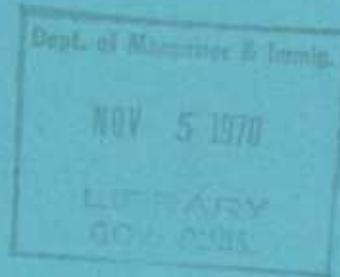


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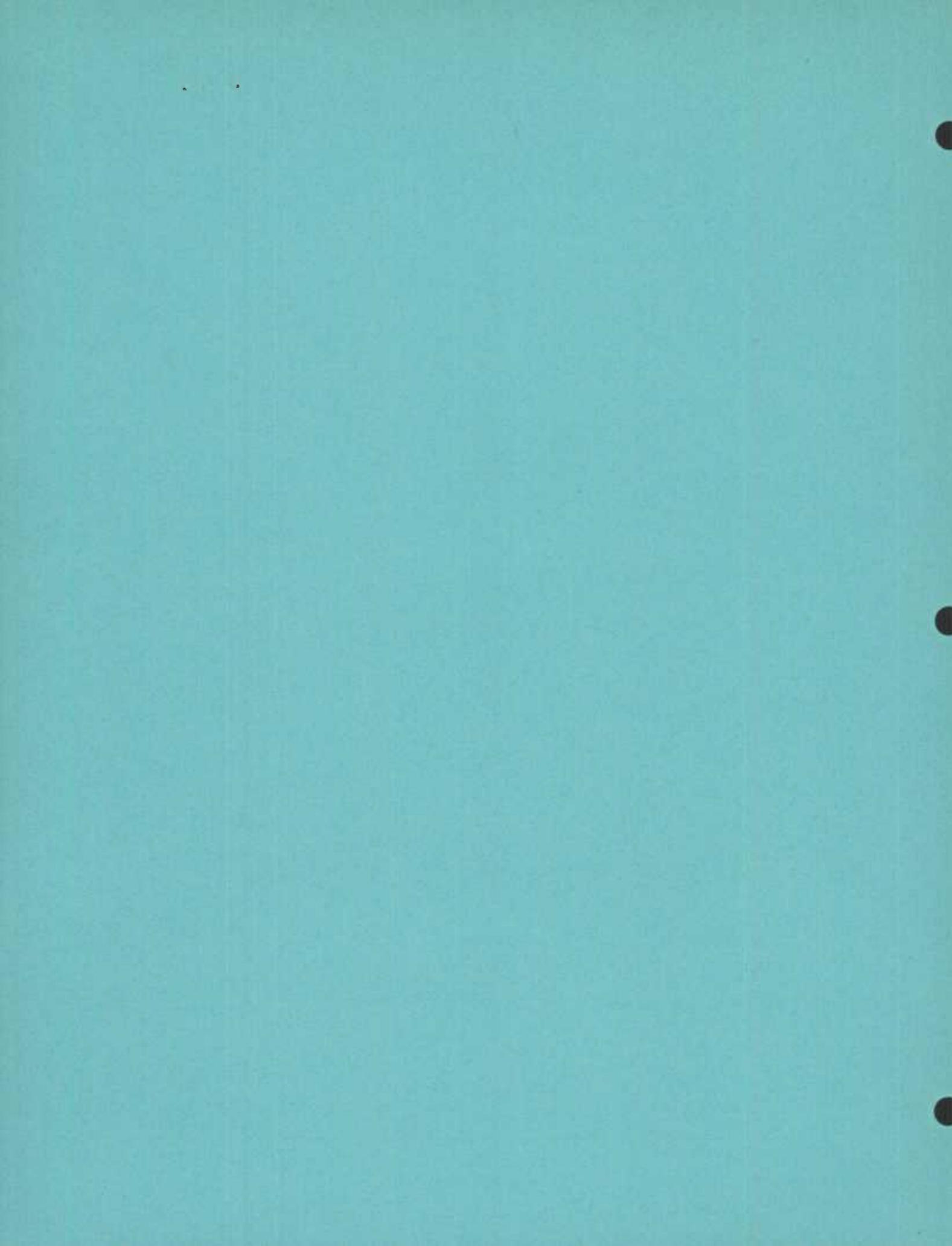


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SPECIAL NOTICES

CHANGES IN PRACTICE IN DATING MONTHLY STATISTICS OF INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYMENT, PAYROLLS AND AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS

Statistics published in the January 1959 and subsequent issues of Employment and Payrolls have been identified by labelling the figures for the last pay periods in each month as statistics for that particular month. The new system conforms with usual Bureau practices. In the past, the approach followed was to identify statistics based on data for the last pay periods in each month with the first day of the following month. For example, the May statistics in this issue would have been labelled as June 1 data under the system used until the end of 1958.

Annual Averages

Annual averages printed in the 1959 issues of Employment and Payrolls are based on statistics for the latter parts of January to December in each year. Annual averages printed in issues for 1958 and earlier years were based on statistics for reported pay periods preceding January 1 to December 1. The newly-calculated averages in most cases differ little from those published in the past. Averages for 1952 and earlier years have not been revised. The 1958 issue of the annual Review of Employment and Payrolls will be the first number of that publication in which averages calculated on the new basis will appear.

EMPLOYMENT, PAYROLLS AND AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS,
MAY 1959

Summary

The industrial composite index number of employment for May was 119.3 (1949 = 100). Seasonally-adjusted, the index declined from 119.5 in April to 119.1 in May. The decline is fully explained by a less-than-seasonal increase in the highways, bridges and streets component of the construction industry. During the winter, activity in road work was very high for the time of year, with special programs for promoting winter employment a factor in the situation.

The seasonally-adjusted employment composite for May was up 0.6 p.c. from the figure for January, largely owing to strengthening of the employment situation in durable goods manufacturing and in building and general engineering. The adjusted index for durables rose 1.2 p.c. over the early months of the year, in spite of a sharp drop between January and February which reflected major layoffs in the aircraft industry. Iron and steel products and non-ferrous metal products strengthened more than the remaining industry groups in the durable sector. The seasonally-adjusted index for building and general engineering for May was 3.9 p.c. higher than the January figure. Employment in construction as a whole therefore advanced more than seasonally, although the increase in highways, bridges and streets was smaller than usual.

Average weekly earnings advanced to \$73.84 in May 1959. The increase from May 1958 was about \$3, indicating a rise of 25 cents from month to month, on the average. This is in line with increases recorded in the last few years. Provincially, average earnings rose by more than \$3 over the year in New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia, while somewhat smaller increases were recorded for the remaining provinces.

Employment

Manufacturing. - The unadjusted employment index for manufacturing for May 1959 was 111.5. The figure was up 1 p.c. from that recorded for May 1958, but down 4 p.c. from the May 1957 index and 3 p.c. from that for May 1956.

Manufacturing employment tended to rise through the early months of 1959. The seasonally-adjusted index for durable goods manufacturing industries for May was 116.2, up 1.2 p.c. from the figure for January. The most notable increases were in iron and steel products and non-ferrous metals products, in which employment increased from January-May by 6.0 p.c. and 4.4 p.c. respectively. Seasonal factors played little part in these increases. Employment also showed definite upward trends in electrical apparatus and non-metallic mineral products during the early months of 1959. In wood products and transportation equipment, most of the movements were in line with seasonal influences. However, there was a sharp drop in transportation equipment between January and February owing to major layoffs in the aircraft industry. During the early part of 1959, employment indexes for motor vehicles and motor vehicle parts and accessories ran a little higher than in the early months of 1958, but well below figures for other recent years.

The employment situation in non-durable goods manufacturing industries improved slightly in the first few months of 1959, but most changes can be attributed to

NOTE: Statistics are based on returns received from employers usually employing 15 or more persons. These returns include data for the last pay period(s) of reporting establishments in each month. The latest figures throughout this publication are subject to revision.

TABLE 1. Summary Statistics of Employment, Payrolls and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Areas and Industrial Divisions	Index Numbers						Average Weekly Wages & Salaries			Employees Reported					
	Employment			Payrolls			May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958						
	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958									
1949 = 100															
Provinces															
Newfoundland	117.6	107.2	123.3	197.3	184.9	206.3	63.51	65.13	63.10	36,632					
Prince Edward Island	127.4	108.7	112.9	215.5	133.9	179.5	55.50	55.63	53.39	5,224					
Nova Scotia	95.9	94.0	96.3	154.9	150.0	148.3	60.55	59.38	57.93	84,015					
New Brunswick	97.4	91.2	96.7	154.0	144.8	145.2	59.31	60.05	56.77	59,353					
Quebec	117.5	113.7	117.3	202.2	195.9	194.0	70.74	70.55	68.03	769,996					
Ontario	121.1	118.5	120.7	209.9	203.3	201.1	76.76	75.93	73.71	1,162,085					
Manitoba	111.5	107.6	109.0	185.5	176.2	172.7	70.52	69.38	67.11	134,366					
Saskatchewan	132.9	124.0	129.5	221.3	205.7	210.7	69.64	69.22	67.97	71,025					
Alberta (including Northwest Territories)	153.9	146.2	150.6	263.0	246.5	245.2	75.93	75.00	72.45	157,177					
British Columbia (including Yukon)	117.6	114.5	116.6	209.4	200.7	194.9	81.26	80.02	76.32	246,523					
Canada	119.3	115.7	118.7	205.9	198.0	196.3	73.34	73.26	70.76	2,725,496					
Urban Areas															
St. John's	131.0	119.5	123.4	217.6	205.6	197.6	53.52	55.41	51.53	12,301					
Sydney	88.6	86.5	90.2	138.9	135.2	138.2	73.63	73.42	73.19	15,911					
Halifax	115.3	115.0	111.9	194.1	191.3	177.9	60.13	59.33	56.68	29,262					
Moncton	98.2	96.1	96.9	155.2	150.3	147.0	57.32	56.76	56.45	7,904					
Saint John	95.4	92.2	91.2	151.5	145.5	136.4	57.01	56.65	53.77	14,294					
Chicoutimi-Jonquiere	110.1	105.2	..	193.3	182.3	..	83.22	87.05	..	13,680					
Quebec	110.3	109.1	111.7	193.9	190.2	184.3	62.06	61.32	58.78	41,169					
Sherbrooke	100.7	99.9	97.1	165.7	163.6	152.3	59.75	59.41	57.11	11,266					
Shawinigan Falls	97.4	94.2	102.4	169.4	159.9	171.6	81.09	79.03	78.16	8,987					
Three Rivers	117.3	112.4	115.3	194.2	184.3	182.0	67.65	67.49	64.52	14,008					
Drummondville	75.3	76.1	71.9	117.3	119.0	107.2	60.51	60.67	57.76	6,439					
Montreal	123.3	122.6	122.2	213.3	210.0	202.3	72.38	71.65	69.48	422,332					
Ottawa-Hull	124.6	121.0	120.7	215.4	207.6	197.3	63.14	67.64	64.61	51,259					
Kingston	111.4	110.2	115.6	192.9	193.0	195.0	69.02	69.30	67.33	9,277					
Peterborough	102.2	100.2	99.5	189.0	183.1	174.1	82.30	81.29	78.17	12,416					
Oshawa	182.2	179.5	174.1	315.4	298.9	293.0	86.93	83.62	84.73	22,740					
Toronto	130.5	127.1	131.0	227.5	223.0	219.5	77.26	76.49	74.26	417,113					
Hamilton	112.3	110.5	108.0	197.3	192.3	180.8	81.87	81.12	77.31	81,918					
St. Catharines	113.1	110.8	112.2	194.3	189.1	183.2	84.00	83.39	81.96	34,379					
Niagara Falls	102.9	97.1	111.2	172.2	166.7	133.4	75.36	77.28	74.71	9,284					
Brantford	91.2	92.4	87.0	147.0	149.1	133.3	70.55	70.61	57.35	14,409					
Guelph	127.7	124.1	116.5	216.3	209.5	193.0	63.28	67.39	66.32	8,794					
Galt	112.3	111.6	107.5	191.2	187.3	173.0	66.31	65.69	62.86	10,971					
Kitchener	119.5	117.8	112.1	205.7	193.9	182.1	69.99	68.68	66.17	26,083					
Sudbury	138.8	136.1	139.0	227.7	224.5	225.4	86.53	87.04	86.18	22,343					
Timmins	93.3	91.7	86.7	123.7	129.6	125.7	65.24	66.31	63.35	7,739					
London	125.2	121.3	121.0	216.1	208.1	199.0	69.91	69.24	66.74	35,404					
Sarnia	109.9	107.3	134.5	219.3	211.6	257.4	96.03	94.91	93.13	10,528					
Windsor	82.1	80.7	80.7	138.5	132.9	126.7	84.39	82.95	78.98	35,643					
Sault Ste. Marie	144.0	138.0	138.9	262.2	245.5	250.6	92.23	90.13	91.41	13,124					
Ft. William-Pt. Arthur	117.0	109.9	119.4	198.3	175.9	194.4	75.30	71.51	72.91	14,525					
Winnipeg	119.5	108.2	107.0	187.6	181.5	172.1	67.33	66.53	63.82	89,932					
Regina	137.1	130.3	124.9	233.5	226.1	210.5	66.62	66.37	64.51	17,931					
Saskatoon	136.2	130.0	133.7	241.6	228.2	225.9	66.36	66.16	63.72	11,489					
Edmonton	138.2	130.4	131.3	329.6	311.3	301.3	71.47	70.43	67.89	48,474					
Calgary	167.8	163.3	155.3	234.9	271.4	252.5	71.64	70.12	68.46	41,341					
Vancouver	117.9	116.2	115.4	214.3	209.2	196.7	79.62	78.33	74.50	127,677					
Victoria	114.8	115.2	116.3	200.3	201.1	197.3	72.69	72.73	70.38	16,132					
Industrial Divisions															
Forestry (chiefly logging)	61.2	42.6	65.5	108.2	33.4	113.4	70.50	78.20	69.16	42,740					
Mining	123.3	120.6	126.2	214.1	212.7	209.3	89.31	90.70	85.33	109,261					
Manufacturing	111.5	109.5	110.4	195.0	189.9	185.6	76.27	75.69	73.42	1,161,170					
Durable goods (u)	117.7	114.9	117.4	204.9	199.2	197.2	81.72	81.32	78.84	564,716					
Non-durable goods (u)	106.3	104.8	104.5	185.2	130.3	174.3	71.11	70.41	68.21	596,454					
Construction	131.6	120.1	133.3	247.0	218.4	241.6	77.36	75.45	75.18	268,414					
Transportation, storage, communication	116.0	112.3	117.5	192.0	182.6	182.7	79.66	78.27	74.60	363,065					
Public utility operation	139.7	135.3	139.3	256.9	250.3	243.7	87.34	87.56	83.13	60,132					
Trade	133.1	131.5	130.4	224.8	221.0	210.1	63.49	63.20	60.19	443,688					
Finance, insurance and real estate	151.8	151.5	148.1	247.0	246.3	231.6	69.33	69.38	66.55	144,783					
Service (v)	138.4	134.5	136.4	235.3	229.1	223.5	50.24	50.34	48.34	132,243					
Industrial composite	119.3	115.7	118.7	205.9	198.3	196.3	73.34	73.26	70.76	2,725,496					

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seasonal factors. Industrial disputes affected employment in the chemical industry from March to May.

Non-Manufacturing Industries. - Employment in the building and general engineering component of construction tended to move upward between January and May, with the seasonally-adjusted index for the latter month 3.9 p.c. higher than that for January. In May 1959, the index was 1.1 p.c. lower than in the corresponding month in 1958, and down 12.6 p.c. from the figure for May 1957. Employment in highways, bridges and streets has been at the highest levels in history in the last year or two. During the winter of 1958-59, special inducements were offered for winter work, and employment in the industry was at very high levels for the time of year. The spring rise in employment was not as large as usual, but employment in May 1959 was close to the peak for May reached in 1958.

The seasonally-adjusted index for mining dropped in February and March owing to temporary layoffs in coal mining. Metal mining has strengthened slightly since the early part of the year, while oil and natural gas production has been quiet.

Forestry employment rose during May after reaching a seasonal low in April. The rise was not large for the time of year, and the May figure was the lowest recorded for the post-war period. However, indexes for forestry in British Columbia ran well ahead of 1958 levels during the early months of 1959.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 53 cents from April to May. The increase was the largest recorded between the two months since the end of World War II. From 1946 to 1956, declines were recorded over the period in most years. In 1957 and 1958, on the other hand, there were increases of 45 cents and 41 cents, respectively. A similar pattern applies to manufacturing, with declines in May general until 1956, followed by increases in 1957, 1958 and 1959. The rise in manufacturing between April and May in 1959 was 58 cents, the same as the rise in the composite figure. Increases for non-durables have been recorded since 1956, while in durables rises occurred only in 1958 and 1959. These changes in the pattern of April to May earnings movements for manufacturing are largely a reflection of changes in the movements in average hours worked. Average hours in manufacturing tended to dip during the spring through most of the post-war period. Increases were recorded between April and May only in 1958 and 1959, both in durables and non-durables. These increases may in part reflect a change in the seasonal pattern, but it appears that upswings in the level of activity were also a factor in the April - May 1959 rise.

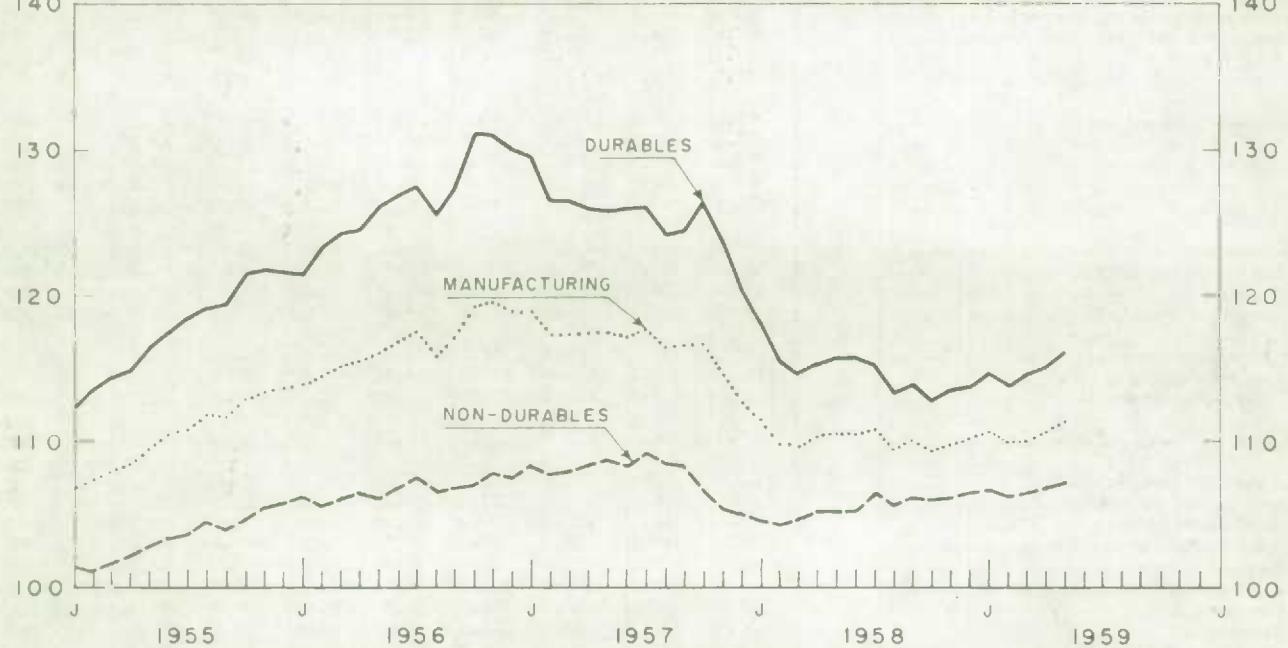
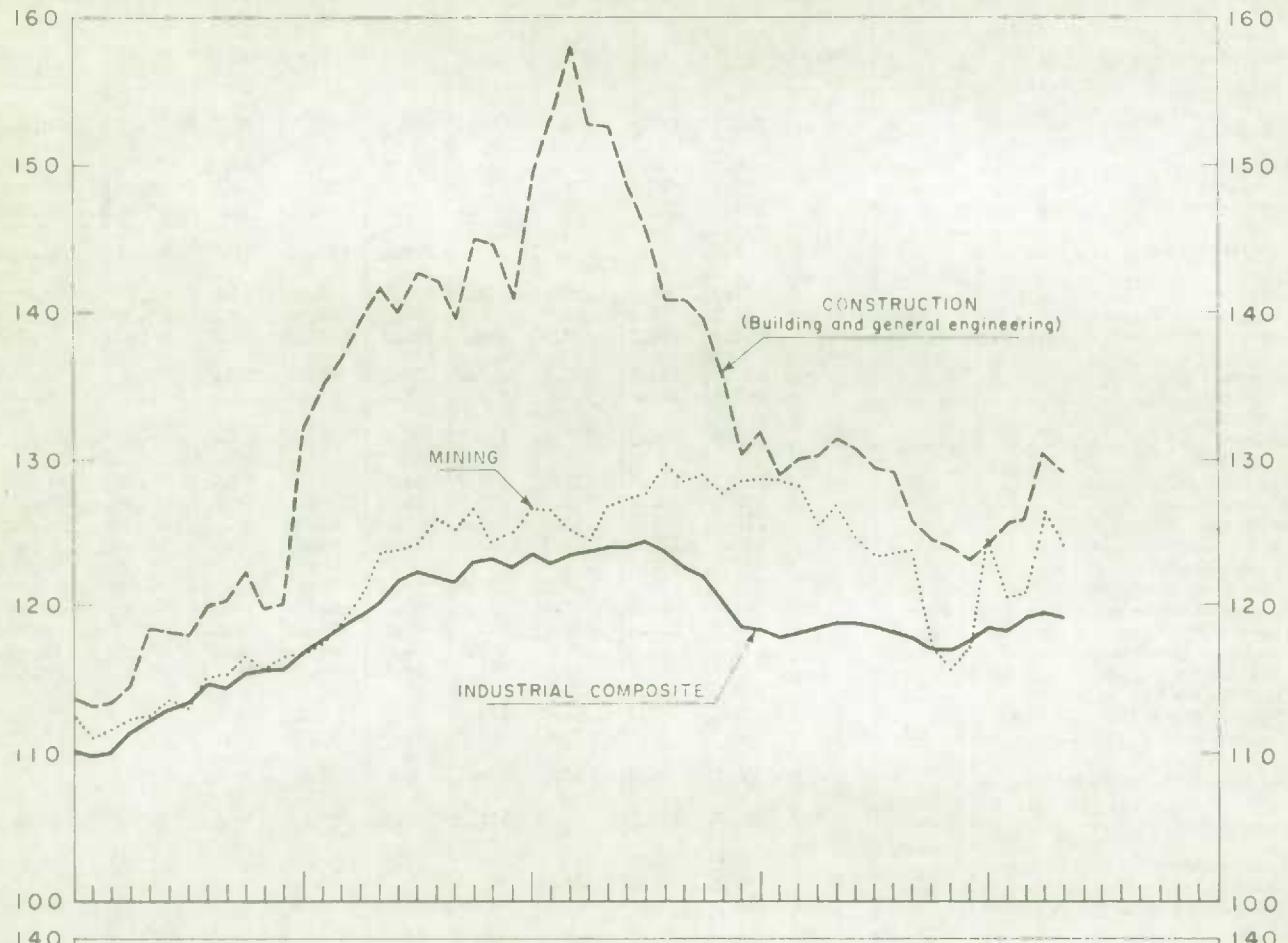
Table 2.- Seasonally-Adjusted Index Numbers of Employment (1949=100), with Unadjusted Index Numbers,
Canada, Specified Industries

Month	Industrial Composite		Mining		Manufacturing						Construction (building and general engineering)		
					All Manufactures		Durable Goods		Non- durable Goods				
	Season- ally Un- adjusted	adjusted	Season- ally Un- adjusted	adjusted									
1955													
January	110.1	105.8	112.3	110.2	106.7	103.6	112.2	100.5	101.3	98.6	113.5	97.2	
February	109.9	105.6	111.0	110.0	107.3	105.7	113.6	113.3	101.1	99.1	113.0	93.1	
March	110.0	105.7	111.6	110.0	107.9	106.5	114.3	114.9	101.5	99.3	113.2	93.3	
April	111.2	107.4	112.2	109.0	108.3	107.3	114.6	116.0	102.0	99.8	114.5	103.1	
May	112.1	111.7	112.3	111.9	109.4	109.3	116.2	118.2	102.8	101.6	113.2	116.4	
June	112.9	115.3	113.5	115.5	110.2	111.6	117.2	119.8	103.2	104.5	118.1	125.9	
July	113.2	116.1	113.0	116.5	110.7	111.4	118.2	119.5	103.3	104.4	117.9	132.3	
August	114.7	118.3	115.0	117.4	111.7	114.0	119.0	120.2	104.4	103.6	119.9	138.6	
September	114.4	118.5	115.2	116.5	111.5	113.4	119.2	119.5	103.9	103.1	120.1	138.9	
October	115.2	118.2	116.5	116.6	112.9	112.8	121.3	119.6	104.5	106.9	122.1	136.9	
November	115.5	117.9	115.5	116.5	113.4	112.3	121.6	119.9	105.3	105.8	119.8	127.7	
December	115.5	114.6	116.5	114.4	113.4	109.3	121.4	118.5	105.5	102.3	120.0	110.3	
1956													
January	116.7	112.3	116.5	114.4	113.6	110.2	121.3	118.4	106.0	103.1	132.0	113.0	
February	117.7	113.2	117.4	115.9	114.3	112.3	123.1	122.7	105.5	103.4	134.9	111.2	
March	118.6	113.5	118.8	117.3	115.0	113.4	124.1	124.7	105.9	103.6	136.8	112.7	
April	119.1	115.2	120.3	116.9	115.3	114.1	124.4	125.9	106.3	104.0	139.4	125.3	
May	120.1	119.7	123.4	123.0	115.9	115.4	125.9	128.0	105.9	104.6	141.5	139.4	
June	121.5	124.2	123.7	126.1	116.7	113.0	126.7	129.5	106.7	103.1	140.0	149.8	
July	122.1	125.4	124.2	128.2	117.3	117.9	127.2	128.6	107.5	108.7	142.2	160.7	
August	121.8	125.7	125.8	128.6	115.3	118.0	125.3	126.6	106.4	117.7	142.0	164.2	
September	121.4	125.9	125.0	126.5	116.9	118.6	127.1	127.4	106.7	111.0	139.4	161.2	
October	122.9	126.2	126.6	126.9	119.0	118.6	131.1	129.3	106.9	109.4	144.9	162.3	
November	123.0	125.7	124.2	125.4	119.4	118.0	131.0	129.2	107.3	103.3	144.4	153.4	
December	122.4	121.4	124.9	122.7	118.7	114.3	130.0	126.9	107.5	104.3	140.7	129.3	
1957													
January	123.3	118.6	126.4	124.1	118.2	115.1	120.5	126.4	103.2	105.3	142.7	127.3	
February	122.3	118.1	126.3	124.7	117.1	115.0	126.4	126.0	107.3	105.6	153.0	126.1	
March	123.3	118.0	125.0	123.4	117.1	115.4	126.3	126.9	107.9	105.5	153.0	131.1	
April	123.5	119.4	124.3	120.8	117.1	115.3	125.8	127.3	108.3	105.9	152.3	137.4	
May	123.9	123.5	126.7	126.3	117.1	116.7	125.6	127.7	108.6	107.3	152.6	150.3	
June	123.9	126.6	127.1	129.5	117.0	118.4	125.3	123.6	108.2	109.6	143.2	153.6	
July	124.2	127.6	127.6	131.7	117.5	118.1	125.9	127.3	109.1	110.3	145.4	163.6	
August	123.6	127.6	129.6	132.5	116.2	118.5	124.0	125.2	103.4	112.7	140.7	162.7	
September	122.4	126.9	128.5	130.0	116.3	118.1	124.3	124.5	103.3	112.6	140.8	160.6	
October	121.9	125.2	128.9	129.2	116.4	116.2	126.3	124.5	106.5	109.0	139.5	156.2	
November	120.1	122.5	127.8	128.1	114.5	113.3	123.8	122.1	105.3	105.8	135.7	143.3	
December	118.4	117.5	128.4	126.1	112.6	109.0	120.3	117.4	104.9	101.8	130.3	116.1	
1958													
January	118.2	113.7	128.5	126.2	111.3	107.9	118.0	115.2	104.5	101.7	131.9	112.9	
February	117.8	113.0	123.5	126.8	109.9	108.2	115.4	115.1	104.3	102.2	133.9	107.6	
March	118.0	112.9	123.1	125.5	109.7	108.3	114.6	115.2	104.6	102.3	130.0	108.3	
April	118.4	114.6	125.4	121.9	110.2	108.2	115.2	115.5	105.1	103.0	130.1	119.1	
May	118.7	118.7	126.7	126.2	110.4	110.4	115.7	117.4	105.1	104.5	131.4	132.7	
June	118.8	121.3	124.6	126.3	110.4	112.0	115.6	113.3	105.1	106.6	130.7	133.6	
July	118.4	122.0	123.3	127.2	110.3	111.3	115.2	116.5	106.4	107.9	129.5	145.7	
August	118.0	121.8	123.4	127.1	109.4	111.5	113.2	113.0	105.5	110.2	120.1	147.2	
September	117.6	121.9	123.6	125.1	110.0	112.4	113.9	114.1	106.1	110.9	124.6	142.2	
October	116.9	120.1	117.0	118.2	109.2	110.1	112.6	112.4	105.3	103.2	124.5	136.9	
November	116.9	119.2	115.7	115.7	109.7	109.6	113.4	113.2	106.0	106.5	124.0	130.9	
December	117.6	115.8	117.2	115.4	110.1	106.8	113.7	111.4	106.5	102.1	123.0	108.0	
1959													
January	118.4	113.7	124.6	122.4	110.7	107.5	114.3	112.0	106.6	103.7	124.2	106.3	
February	118.2	113.0	120.4	118.8	110.0	107.5	113.9	111.6	106.1	104.0	125.7	105.0	
March	119.1	113.7	120.8	118.4	110.2	108.4	114.6*	113.3	106.5	104.2	125.8*	107.9	
April	119.5	115.7	126.3	120.6	110.7	109.5	115.2	114.9	106.9	104.8	130.3	120.0	
May	119.1	119.3	124.2	123.3	111.3	111.5	116.2	117.7	107.2	106.3	129.0	131.3	
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May

TABLE 3. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Canada, by Industries

Industries	Estimated coverage (w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages & Salaries				Employees Reported May, 1959
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
	p.c.	1949 = 100				\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Forestry (chiefly logging)	76	61.2	42.6	65.5	93.6	70.50	78.20	69.16	66.28	42,740
Mining	96	123.3	120.6	126.2	126.3	89.31	90.70	85.33	82.97	109,261
Metal mining		141.3	139.3	140.2	134.1	91.38	93.39	87.53	85.59	66,695
Gold (a)		73.9	72.6	75.2	77.6	72.30	74.13	72.16	72.57	16,331
Other metal (b)		204.2	201.5	200.9	186.9	97.82	99.84	92.96	90.64	49,864
Iron		223.7	229.6	223.6	213.9	102.91	100.77	96.51	98.81	7,436
Uranium .....		..	..	..	..	103.45	108.11	97.52	94.45	14,135
Fuels		91.9	90.7	100.3	107.4	89.99	89.35	85.69	82.57	28,498
Coal		48.0	48.5	54.5	59.5	69.18	69.96	68.25	64.99	11,369
Oil and natural gas		264.4	256.7	282.0	283.3	104.84	105.38	98.39	96.12	16,629
Non-metal (c)		135.0	125.1	138.2	147.3	78.15	78.95	74.16	73.01	14,268
Asbestos		167.6	161.2	..	..	87.64	88.18	..	..	6,307
Manufacturing	92	111.5	109.5	110.4	116.7	76.27	75.59	73.42	69.92	1,161,170
Durable goods (u)		117.7	114.9	117.4	127.7	81.72	81.32	78.34	74.27	564,716
Non-durable goods (u)		106.3	104.3	104.5	107.3	71.11	70.41	68.21	65.48	596,454
Food and beverages		112.3	106.0	110.3	108.6	68.38	68.96	65.42	62.54	145,775
Meat products		140.6	134.7	128.9	126.0	78.92	78.29	73.66	71.12	30,161
Dairy products		130.9	122.3	125.7	118.5	62.52	61.11	58.97	55.93	14,688
Canned and cured fish		120.5	96.0	123.3	125.9	50.31	53.62	46.32	48.03	12,174
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables		82.4	72.3	83.6	83.0	60.42	64.13	59.21	54.88	10,626
Grain mill products		103.3	103.4	104.0	103.7	72.61	70.83	71.83	65.97	8,669
Bread and other bakery products		108.6	106.9	109.4	109.7	66.92	66.23	64.07	60.80	18,600
Biscuits and crackers		91.1	87.7	93.1	91.8	56.51	55.73	55.83	52.40	6,842
Distilled and malt liquors		107.4	101.0	107.5	104.7	88.59	87.89	82.83	80.35	15,113
Other beverages (d)		139.4	130.2	132.3	129.4	70.36	69.28	68.56	64.26	8,347
Confectionery		82.3	81.3	83.5	82.7	55.01	54.28	53.60	49.75	7,792
Tobacco and tobacco products		86.2	99.7	90.1	85.4	75.68	69.97	71.08	68.17	8,792
Rubber products		105.9	103.3	99.6	112.3	79.35	79.15	75.62	73.04	20,963
Leather products		88.6	88.5	84.4	87.9	50.81	50.11	49.20	47.25	28,339
Boots and shoes (except rubber)		95.4	95.6	89.4	91.3	48.14	47.48	46.51	44.45	19,670
Other leather products (f)		76.3	75.6	75.3	80.3	56.36	56.16	55.00	53.04	8,669
Textile products (except clothing)		80.0	79.5	76.2	85.3	60.20	60.26	58.06	55.15	59,670
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods		75.6	76.1	74.3	83.2	54.99	55.55	53.30	51.30	18,603
Woollen goods		59.3	57.5	57.2	72.3	58.18	57.31	55.22	52.64	9,012
Synthetic textiles and silk (t)		81.9	81.7	77.6	86.2	66.63	66.52	64.76	61.17	13,755
Clothing (textile and fur)		91.0	92.4	88.6	93.4	47.04	47.97	45.47	43.31	92,603
Men's clothing		93.3	93.3	92.9	101.0	45.97	45.93	44.45	42.27	30,705
Women's clothing		93.4	97.1	91.7	91.4	48.67	49.38	47.17	44.67	23,388
Knit goods		78.0	78.9	74.2	80.6	46.03	46.22	44.85	43.13	19,647
Fur goods		70.1	67.4	67.1	69.1	66.57	63.26	60.65	59.41	3,297
Wood products		109.3	102.4	104.3	108.5	65.74	64.91	62.95	59.69	93,720
Saw and planing mills (g)		112.3	102.9	105.6	109.9	67.71	66.92	64.91	61.19	59,820
Furniture		111.5	110.5	108.8	110.6	63.45	62.52	60.67	58.51	23,847
Other wood products (h)		89.0	84.5	89.5	98.2	59.45	59.27	57.31	54.37	10,053
Paper products		123.0	120.5	121.8	126.1	88.85	86.35	84.91	84.07	90,370
Pulp and paper mills		124.6	121.3	122.2	128.2	95.34	92.88	90.76	90.54	65,520
Other paper products (i)		119.0	118.5	120.9	121.0	71.74	71.32	70.32	67.02	24,850
Printing, publishing and allied industries		120.4	120.1	118.7	119.3	82.74	81.90	78.48	75.67	53,649
Iron and steel products		110.2	107.9	104.1	115.5	86.21	85.71	82.64	79.24	173,952
Agriculture implements		82.0	80.8	65.4	57.6	39.40	38.78	31.20	25.80	14,477
Boilers and plate work		116.1	116.2	121.0	130.3	82.93	83.86	30.62	75.98	6,678
Fabricated and structural steel		168.3	160.1	158.3	175.6	87.53	86.61	83.09	80.98	12,092
Hardware and tools		93.9	97.6	89.5	98.9	77.64	77.40	73.16	72.38	10,416
Heating and cooking appliances		104.7	102.0	97.6	102.1	74.04	73.44	71.75	67.32	8,840
Iron castings		100.0	98.6	93.7	108.5	51.92	51.92	77.76	76.14	19,173
Machinery (j)		106.9	105.3	109.7	127.8	82.67	81.62	78.82	75.99	32,428
Industrial machinery (r)		116.2	114.2	117.2	138.3	83.31	82.67	79.64	77.79	24,037
Primary iron and steel		119.1	115.1	109.4	128.7	97.81	97.71	97.66	91.53	36,921
Sheet metal products		112.1	109.7	101.8	112.3	84.57	83.91	79.95	75.63	16,353
Wire and wire products		119.4	117.9	113.9	120.6	87.43	86.61	83.36	82.23	8,512

TABLE 3. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Canada, by Industries - Concluded

Industries	Estimated coverage(w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May, 1959
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
	p.c.		1949 = 100			\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Manufacturing - concluded:										
Transportation equipment		116.3	116.3	130.7	149.2	86.52	85.57	82.50	75.65	131,212
Aircraft and parts		261.5	262.0	369.5	393.0	86.34	83.32	87.24	81.98	30,172
Motor vehicles		111.7	111.2	136.3	139.7	93.18	94.08	91.81	75.53	30,927
Motor vehicles parts and accessories		115.6	115.0	105.9	119.1	84.96	84.61	83.39	77.74	20,397
Railroad and rolling stock equipment		70.3	69.5	80.5	95.1	73.96	73.15	72.42	70.72	26,204
Shipbuilding and repairing		133.4	138.1	156.4	160.7	79.67	81.37	75.84	72.14	20,016
Non-ferrous metal products		126.8	124.2	126.2	119.1	84.82	85.71	84.50	79.02	54,471
Aluminum products		137.0	133.9	124.5	136.6	81.68	82.20	80.17	74.22	8,349
Brass and copper products		112.2	111.4	103.3	107.6	79.70	79.67	77.06	74.59	9,619
Smelting and refining		142.4	138.5	153.5	132.0	92.65	94.38	91.95	86.39	28,510
Electrical apparatus and supplies		134.2	132.8	135.0	151.6	81.81	81.41	78.34	74.64	74,065
Heavy electrical machinery		111.8	110.9	122.6	141.2	88.52	87.56	85.44	80.55	19,294
Telecommunication equipment		207.1	203.6	214.4	223.3	79.10	79.18	75.53	73.61	16,710
Non-metallic mineral products (k)		146.0	140.0	132.7	135.4	79.34	78.34	77.33	72.47	37,296
Clay products		104.1	101.9	104.3	106.9	73.62	72.66	70.32	68.44	5,649
Glass and glass products		152.3	144.4	123.2	134.8	73.19	75.69	73.80	68.26	9,461
Concrete Products		290.1	272.9	..	..	81.23	77.24	..	..	7,375
Products of petroleum and coal		141.2	139.4	141.6	143.2	114.10	111.23	105.37	103.34	15,531
Petroleum refining		143.2	142.1	143.6	..	115.12	112.08	106.20	..	14,925
Chemical products		127.3	126.6	132.4	133.3	85.68	85.55	82.87	78.56	52,393
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations		119.3	118.7	119.4	116.7	75.35	75.32	73.27	70.31	8,096
Acids, alkalies and salts		142.6	140.7	150.1	145.3	97.49	97.97	93.28	90.45	8,677
Other chemical products (l)		126.0	125.5	131.9	135.2	85.04	84.89	82.51	77.64	35,620
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries		123.5	125.5	119.8	113.7	67.32	67.23	65.37	59.81	28,369
Construction	82	131.6	120.1	133.3	143.2	77.36	75.45	75.18	73.82	268,414
Building and general engineering (m)		131.3	120.0	132.7	150.3	84.98	82.31	82.13	81.09	165,274
Building		138.8	127.3	133.6	154.0	83.70	81.61	80.55	79.39	141,244
General engineering		99.8	89.3	128.9	135.0	92.50	90.38	88.99	86.52	24,030
Highways, bridges and streets		132.1	120.2	134.2	131.9	66.45	63.61	64.16	60.58	103,140
Transportation, storage and communication	89	116.0	112.3	117.5	121.3	79.66	78.27	74.60	70.29	363,065
Transportation		106.4	101.9	107.4	113.6	81.68	80.13	76.19	72.34	266,964
Air transport and airports		192.6	190.0	186.6	192.0	107.74	108.95	106.41	97.24	14,893
Steam railways		96.8	92.9	98.9	103.6	81.26	79.93	75.08	71.62	153,185
Maintenance of equipment		88.6	89.9	94.7	107.2	78.44	77.44	71.90	69.26	19,578
Maintenance of ways and structures		98.3	82.2	98.7	105.4	67.98	68.19	62.69	60.47	38,650
Transportation - Steam railways		96.0	95.7	98.0	108.9	88.41	85.56	82.04	77.59	89,921
Telegraphs		120.8	118.5	121.1	124.9	73.88	72.13	66.03	63.07	19,036
Water transportation (n)		103.4	93.2	107.9	108.0	78.39	74.70	72.44	72.72	36,324
Electric and motor transportation (o)		129.0	126.5	125.0	123.3	77.86	76.32	74.20	70.35	57,557
Urban and interurban transportation		83.0	81.9	85.8	86.7	81.54	79.35	76.12	72.93	23,701
Truck transportation		209.9	203.7	190.9	189.9	76.47	75.25	73.70	70.79	26,877
Storage		117.42	112.6	116.6	117.7	69.27	67.24	68.32	63.15	17,597
Grain elevators		106.5	101.2	107.9	106.6	69.93	66.49	69.24	63.32	11,973
Storage and warehouse		148.7	146.2	142.6	150.8	67.38	68.78	66.21	62.79	5,624
Communication		166.8	167.7	171.5	166.6	75.10	74.62	70.70	64.53	73,504
Radio broadcasting		321.6	321.1	302.6	294.3	79.15	79.17	76.76	70.91	12,437
Telephone		149.0	149.2	155.4	155.8	71.97	71.11	67.34	63.30	63,648
Public utility operation	72	139.7	135.8	139.3	134.7	87.34	87.56	83.13	78.05	60,132
Electric light and power		136.4	132.9	138.4	135.3	89.61	89.73	85.28	79.86	47,747
Other public utilities (q)		154.3	143.7	142.9	132.2	78.62	79.10	74.02	69.49	12,385
Trade	57	133.1	131.5	130.4	130.6	63.49	63.20	60.19	57.81	443,688
Wholesale		133.4	131.8	131.1	132.0	77.89	77.50	73.50	69.83	152,535
Retail		133.0	131.3	130.1	129.9	55.96	55.71	53.35	51.73	291,153
Food		176.5	175.0	172.2	166.5	52.08	51.59	49.32	48.83	73,570
Department stores		111.8	110.6	110.4	110.2	55.65	55.36	52.58	51.34	84,033
Variety stores		127.5	124.4	123.0	128.1	34.14	34.31	33.60	30.22	23,748
Automotive products		166.2	165.1	163.2	168.6	73.67	73.14	70.50	68.40	41,757
Finance, insurance and real estate	81	151.8	151.5	148.1	143.4	69.33	69.38	66.55	64.01	144,783
Banking, investment and loan		151.3	151.2	148.6	146.3	63.54	63.69	60.94	58.42	86,586
Insurance		149.3	149.0	144.4	136.0	78.03	78.03	75.31	73.21	56,160
Service (v)	45	138.4	134.5	136.4	132.1	50.24	50.34	48.34	45.87	132,243
Hotels and restaurants		127.5	123.0	127.3	125.4	39.91	39.97	38.70	37.75	68,339
Laundries and drycleaning plants		114.8	113.0	117.6	116.5	46.11	45.75	43.52	41.95	26,384
Business service		247.0	240.7	..	..	77.93	78.35	..	..	29,737
Industrial composite	79	119.3	115.7	118.7	123.5	73.84	73.26	70.76	67.82	2,725,496

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Provinces

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

Provinces and Industries	Estimated coverage (w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages & Salaries				Employees Reported May 1959 no.
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
	p.c.			1949 = 100		\$	\$	\$	\$	
Newfoundland										
Forestry (chiefly logging)	59	45.1	50.2	99.3	114.6	59.22	62.63	70.91	67.43	2,023
Mining	99	86.2	96.1	109.9	114.6	73.51	77.73	79.19	74.70	2,930
Manufacturing	75	107.5	101.9	109.4	114.7	67.10	67.16	65.34	70.30	9,183
Food and beverages		111.0	100.5	117.1	106.8	41.67	42.06	42.64	41.71	3,422
Canned and cured fish		108.0	94.7	116.2	101.3	35.19	35.42	37.99	35.59	2,339
Pulp and paper mills		96.3	97.8	98.1	118.5	99.49	94.67	95.52	101.25	3,225
Construction	33	404.9	253.2	306.7	402.2	69.86	67.51	66.01	70.41	4,430
Building and general engineering (m)		346.1	229.1	264.5	420.0	72.63	68.77	67.62	72.50	2,963
Transportation, storage and communication	71	143.6	122.6	138.5	125.4	69.03	75.31	64.08	59.78	8,704
Trade	55	108.9	104.1	108.8	110.1	48.50	49.33	47.31	46.10	6,739
Retail		123.1	116.9	118.6	118.5	43.97	44.52	42.85	42.63	4,596
Industrial composite	64	117.6	107.2	123.8	128.5	63.51	65.13	63.10	62.84	36,632
Prince Edward Island										
Manufacturing	30	161.0	128.6	150.5	148.4	49.32	49.62	48.52	46.91	1,317
Transportation, storage, communication	74	116.0	109.0	106.0	120.8	78.63	75.21	72.25	69.33	1,420
Trade	27	112.7	108.4	100.0	112.9	39.75	38.89	36.61	36.07	1,003
Industrial composite	42	127.4	108.7	112.9	117.1	55.59	55.63	53.39	52.17	5,224
Nova Scotia										
Mining	93	68.1	67.6	74.3	79.4	69.66	69.74	71.10	66.26	9,681
Coal		64.4	64.5	73.6	76.6	69.88	70.14	71.62	67.11	8,524
Manufacturing	79	108.8	104.1	110.8	120.3	64.09	65.01	60.90	59.65	26,063
Food and beverages		126.7	115.1	131.8	135.3	49.68	52.84	46.23	47.00	6,283
Iron and steel products		79.3	79.7	81.4	101.0	84.21	84.27	80.50	76.13	5,196
Primary iron and steel		76.7	75.9	78.2	95.0	89.06	89.22	84.13	80.56	3,962
Transportation equipment		148.2	145.1	157.9	164.5	68.78	69.38	65.16	62.65	6,778
Shipbuilding and repairing		156.7	160.2	154.5	163.8	68.05	69.19	63.15	63.39	5,195
Construction	w	71.1	70.4	71.0	76.2	54.42	50.22	49.11	49.16	12,660
Building and general engineering (m)		111.4	94.4	86.4	93.0	59.93	57.92	57.03	56.65	5,225
Highways, bridges and streets		56.7	61.8	65.5	70.2	50.55	46.00	45.37	45.65	7,435
Transportation, storage, communication	80	96.3	98.4	95.5	106.6	67.14	65.07	61.90	59.50	12,306
Steam railways		91.3	94.3	94.3	106.8	75.71	71.82	69.57	65.38	5,876
Water transportation (n)		67.8	73.1	66.3	83.6	52.65	51.96	43.84	48.01	2,320
Trade	44	127.3	124.8	122.9	124.0	51.26	51.14	49.03	46.56	14,533
Retail		134.5	131.4	127.9	129.6	45.44	45.13	42.79	40.72	10,612
Finance, insurance and real estate	87	131.1	131.1	129.4	125.9	64.43	64.69	62.31	59.04	3,435
Industrial composite	73	95.9	94.0	96.3	102.4	60.55	59.88	57.93	56.01	84,015
New Brunswick										
Forestry (chiefly logging)	39	85.1	42.7	96.9	128.9	48.85	58.41	54.10	50.83	2,899
Manufacturing	73	94.1	86.3	93.0	95.4	63.42	64.90	58.81	58.44	17,633
Food and beverages		105.2	86.6	113.7	105.4	50.43	53.30	46.14	48.02	4,966
Saw and planing mills (g)		82.4	69.7	66.9	76.8	46.28	45.59	45.15	44.59	2,400
Pulp and paper mills		121.2	121.6	112.3	126.9	92.09	92.02	82.15	81.59	3,968
Transportation equipment		77.9	79.0	99.2	79.5	74.96	73.71	67.53	69.69	1,853
Construction	w	89.2	76.3	88.8	100.3	54.43	54.12	51.52	51.70	8,932
Building and general engineering (m)		103.8	93.5	86.9	128.3	62.50	64.06	57.14	55.77	3,686
Highways, bridges and streets		81.2	66.8	89.9	84.8	48.76	46.49	48.50	48.28	5,246
Transportation, storage, communication	91	83.6	88.2	85.8	91.7	73.44	69.62	67.58	65.45	11,635
Steam railways		92.7	101.3	92.6	99.8	78.93	72.32	72.52	70.15	8,333
Water transportation (n)		24.7	20.7	31.2	32.6	54.14	66.54	50.13	52.06	624
Trade	45	127.1	125.2	119.1	123.4	49.96	49.49	47.91	45.44	11,237
Wholesale		133.4	129.6	126.7	127.3	59.78	59.88	57.16	54.00	3,813
Retail		124.1	123.1	115.3	121.4	44.91	44.26	42.91	40.95	7,424
Industrial composite	68	97.4	91.2	96.7	104.2	59.81	60.05	56.77	55.64	59,353

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

Provinces and Industries	Esti- mated cov- erage (w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May 1959
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
Quebec	p.c.			1949 = 100		\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Forestry (chiefly logging)	81	56.1	29.2	56.6	84.3	51.02	62.79	55.50	55.63	15,869
Mining	96	140.3	132.6	136.0	142.4	84.14	86.61	82.36	82.37	21,357
Gold (a)		64.9	62.8	65.8	71.4	73.85	76.17	72.00	74.69	3,112
Other metal (b)		213.2	205.7	195.4	199.4	91.06	93.43	88.78	90.00	10,382
Non-metal (c)		140.2	127.7	144.1	153.7	79.00	81.41	78.71	76.82	7,800
Manufacturing	90	109.8	107.8	109.2	113.6	70.78	70.36	68.36	65.07	374,252
Food and beverages		127.3	119.8	121.2	118.1	68.47	69.20	65.72	62.09	36,100
Tobacco		85.3	82.9	91.0	91.3	75.96	73.70	71.01	68.27	7,170
Leather products		82.3	82.3	77.0	81.8	46.76	45.76	44.79	42.51	14,058
Boots and shoes (except rubber)		88.7	88.6	82.0	85.6	46.22	45.13	44.43	41.80	11,326
Textile products (except clothing)		81.7	80.9	77.0	84.8	57.95	58.03	55.74	52.88	34,181
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods		76.1	75.9	74.1	83.4	55.82	56.66	53.35	50.66	12,396
Synthetic textiles and silk (t)		70.4	70.4	68.6	74.6	58.83	58.64	56.63	54.05	8,645
Clothing (textile and fur)		99.5	101.1	96.5	100.2	46.14	46.02	44.59	41.85	56,167
Men's clothing		92.0	92.8	92.4	99.8	44.61	44.76	42.97	39.93	17,469
Women's clothing		102.1	105.0	99.6	97.2	48.42	48.62	47.03	44.79	16,698
Knit goods		97.8	98.6	89.3	95.5	45.22	45.29	44.56	41.62	9,696
Wood products		111.4	102.6	106.2	110.3	56.15	55.44	54.70	51.32	21,663
Saw and planing mills (g)		109.7	94.8	107.0	112.2	53.42	52.43	52.53	49.58	10,238
Furniture		123.0	121.3	116.0	117.3	60.73	59.56	58.37	54.40	8,194
Paper products		117.9	115.5	118.2	124.4	88.34	86.04	84.25	84.35	34,679
Pulp and paper mills		119.9	117.2	121.2	127.6	93.94	91.22	89.12	89.83	27,679
Other paper products (i)		110.3	109.1	107.2	112.4	66.19	65.85	64.02	60.94	7,000
Printing, publishing and allied industries		118.1	117.7	116.2	117.1	80.69	80.67	77.86	74.82	12,966
Iron and steel products		102.4	101.2	101.6	118.6	81.22	79.97	77.31	75.82	35,185
Machinery mfg. (j)		97.5	96.7	101.7	127.9	76.76	74.99	73.96	74.47	8,615
Primary iron and steel		81.6	80.4	81.8	104.1	85.48	84.06	80.98	78.67	3,697
Transportation equipment		118.1	116.6	134.2	149.1	83.97	84.92	78.85	74.66	32,542
Aircraft and parts		234.1	230.6	254.4	280.5	90.68	91.24	85.27	80.61	14,179
Railroad and rolling stock equipment		66.8	65.6	73.8	88.0	78.86	78.07	72.50	72.78	10,484
Shipbuilding and repairing		140.5	140.8	181.1	186.1	80.50	85.83	78.17	68.33	6,343
Non-ferrous metal products		123.0	119.4	130.5	93.8	87.47	88.20	84.94	78.54	16,975
Smelting and refining		137.7	131.9	155.6	82.4	93.93	94.84	89.09	83.66	10,185
Electrical apparatus and supplies		157.2	156.9	157.5	171.3	82.36	81.96	78.88	73.26	22,999
Non-metallic mineral products (k)		143.7	137.5	136.5	133.3	76.91	75.79	75.41	70.71	11,417
Chemical products		129.2	128.9	132.2	134.3	85.75	85.76	82.57	78.20	20,422
Construction	74	134.6	122.4	139.3	143.8	75.85	74.65	73.23	70.68	77,845
Building and general engineering (m)		132.1	122.5	137.5	148.4	82.20	81.18	78.74	76.76	50,617
Building		139.5	128.3	..	..	80.48	79.50	..	..	43,384
General engineering		100.0	97.3	..	..	92.55	90.73	..	..	7,233
Highways, bridges and streets		139.6	122.2	142.8	134.6	64.04	61.78	62.81	57.52	27,228
Transportation, storage, communication	88	120.2	119.2	122.4	126.0	81.19	80.05	75.81	72.19	95,494
Steam railways		93.9	91.7	96.6	105.8	83.09	81.12	75.32	72.29	37,639
Water transportation (n)		130.0	127.3	137.0	132.7	78.41	75.56	74.08	75.12	13,723
Electric and motor transportation (o)		122.8	120.9	116.9	117.4	72.24	72.29	68.55	66.94	15,422
Communication		166.5	170.9	174.6	170.1	78.70	78.84	74.89	70.11	22,106
Public utility operation	68	134.4	130.6	131.6	132.6	79.03	79.72	77.16	73.88	11,644
Electric light and power		120.1	117.5	118.7	127.3	79.34	79.78	76.58	73.81	9,857
Trade	52	135.8	134.5	133.7	132.2	63.01	62.36	59.28	56.50	100,015
Wholesale		141.0	139.3	137.8	137.2	78.15	77.58	73.47	69.58	38,751
Retail		132.8	131.6	131.4	129.3	53.44	52.76	50.74	48.78	61,264
Finance, insurance and real estate	77	150.7	150.8	147.7	142.9	70.38	70.39	67.63	63.13	39,243
Insurance		148.2	148.1	144.0	134.2	77.20	76.97	73.90	71.12	15,307
Service	42	137.8	134.9	135.0	127.8	49.98	50.11	48.43	48.42	33,377
Hotels and restaurants		128.2	125.6	128.6	119.1	40.36	40.29	38.40	37.37	16,876
Laundries and dry cleaning plants		99.6	98.1	103.5	104.0	46.72	46.98	43.43	42.02	6,446
Industrial composite	78	117.5	113.7	117.3	121.1	70.74	70.55	68.03	65.12	769,096

TABLE 4. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Provinces, by Industries - Continued

Provinces and Industries	Estimated coverage (w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages & Salaries				Employees Reported May 1959
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
	p.c.					\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Ontario										
Forestry (chiefly logging)	99	47.8	29.6	58.1	90.6	79.12	79.29	71.85	70.54	8,554
Mining	93	167.2	164.6	163.8	143.1	91.45	93.42	86.50	83.23	41,638
Gold (a)		81.4	80.6	81.3	80.6	69.56	71.83	69.62	69.97	11,699
Other metal (b)		312.4	308.2	302.2	244.6	101.85	104.03	95.12	91.74	26,992
Uranium .....		..	..	..	..	102.50	107.65	96.06	93.06	11,809
Manufacturing	97	110.3	109.1	109.7	117.2	80.20	79.42	77.44	73.49	564,968
Food and beverages		108.3	104.3	106.8	103.9	70.98	70.20	68.08	66.86	60,099
Meat products		145.8	140.9	137.5	131.6	78.98	77.32	74.70	71.31	11,344
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables		90.0	79.3	93.3	89.4	64.33	68.25	61.92	57.20	7,718
Bread and other bakery products		101.6	100.5	103.4	100.5	66.43	65.66	63.82	60.77	8,848
Rubber products		106.9	106.3	99.1	113.0	83.50	82.95	79.47	77.32	15,227
Leather products		95.1	94.8	91.6	92.9	55.75	55.16	54.37	52.98	12,809
Boots and shoes (except rubber)		106.5	107.0	101.3	100.8	51.43	51.01	49.65	48.58	7,534
Textile products (except clothing)		80.2	80.2	77.7	88.5	64.23	64.21	61.84	59.06	23,177
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods		78.3	80.7	79.5	90.5	54.39	54.34	53.55	52.91	5,532
Woollen goods		53.2	52.3	53.7	71.1	58.25	58.27	55.50	52.95	5,233
Clothing (textile and fur)		77.7	78.8	77.3	82.7	50.29	50.54	48.02	46.97	27,442
Men's clothing		90.2	90.6	90.5	100.5	50.81	50.29	48.53	47.44	8,806
Women's clothing		84.6	89.6	83.3	85.0	50.38	52.98	48.27	45.48	5,257
Knit goods		60.2	61.1	62.1	67.9	48.39	48.69	46.10	45.54	8,154
Wood products		102.6	97.1	101.2	106.8	63.04	62.44	60.54	57.93	27,604
Saw and planing mills (g)		104.2	92.1	100.9	105.1	61.73	60.63	59.64	55.40	10,656
Furniture		104.7	104.0	103.1	109.1	65.11	64.49	62.30	61.15	12,192
Paper products		121.4	118.6	120.0	122.9	86.28	85.47	83.55	81.42	34,613
Pulp and paper mills		126.6	119.2	120.4	124.0	94.03	93.84	91.09	89.71	20,785
Other paper products (i)		118.3	117.8	119.3	121.4	74.62	73.28	72.69	69.35	13,828
Printing, publishing and allied industries		122.8	122.4	120.9	121.5	85.66	84.70	80.70	78.48	29,522
Iron and steel products		112.1	109.5	104.0	112.0	88.58	88.17	85.21	81.27	116,470
Agricultural implements		80.6	79.5	64.3	54.5	91.48	90.63	82.82	77.96	13,455
Iron castings		97.0	95.9	92.2	102.8	82.39	82.26	77.84	76.77	11,191
Machinery mfg. (j)		119.6	117.6	117.9	128.5	84.96	84.25	80.72	76.47	21,958
Primary iron and steel		137.0	131.7	123.0	140.8	100.93	101.17	103.05	96.15	26,945
Sheet metal products		109.0	106.6	98.5	108.7	84.90	84.30	79.09	76.00	9,709
Transportation equipment		113.3	114.2	130.2	152.6	91.19	89.06	87.73	78.13	70,173
Aircraft and parts		262.7	267.9	521.4	537.4	89.19	89.18	91.30	84.61	11,419
Motor vehicles		111.5	111.2	105.6	139.5	99.24	94.91	92.91	75.87	29,641
Motor vehicle parts and accessories		111.8	111.5	103.4	117.4	85.56	85.32	84.08	78.12	19,479
Railroad and rolling stock equipment		65.5	66.5	83.9	107.8	84.18	82.15	76.16	74.23	5,302
Non-ferrous metal products		121.2	118.7	115.6	120.6	81.75	82.06	82.38	78.15	28,757
Smelting and refining		137.3	132.6	140.1	144.5	91.06	91.99	94.02	88.86	11,409
Electrical apparatus and supplies		122.9	121.4	125.8	143.3	81.74	81.28	79.11	75.62	48,358
Non-metallic mineral products (k)		138.8	139.9	125.2	131.8	81.27	81.15	79.66	75.17	18,594
Chemical products		125.2	124.3	132.8	133.6	86.06	85.77	83.76	79.22	26,298
Construction	84	133.6	125.7	138.8	146.9	83.07	79.81	80.16	78.12	90,833
Building and general engineering (m)		121.9	113.4	131.0	142.8	90.23	86.90	86.12	84.52	60,063
Building		133.7	124.0	..	..	88.70	85.07	..	..	52,866
General engineering		74.0	70.4	..	..	101.42	100.07	..	..	7,197
Highways, bridges and streets		164.5	157.8	159.2	157.6	69.10	66.39	67.37	63.08	30,770
Transportation, storage, communication	87	117.5	113.1	119.2	124.8	80.40	78.52	75.84	71.16	114,856
Steam railways		95.6	91.5	97.6	107.6	81.20	80.69	74.87	71.63	45,695
Electric and motor transportation (o)		137.7	135.6	133.3	133.2	82.22	79.46	78.24	74.11	25,666
Communication		149.8	151.2	155.8	158.6	72.25	73.32	69.52	63.80	28,896
Public utility operation	72	134.9	131.4	135.3	128.1	92.22	92.69	88.44	82.83	27,928
Electric light and power		131.4	127.6	135.0	128.8	97.50	97.88	93.63	86.81	20,535
Trade	62	139.5	138.0	138.0	138.6	64.86	64.65	61.32	59.09	187,423
Wholesale		144.8	143.4	143.0	143.7	81.87	81.54	77.19	73.34	59,726
Retail		137.2	135.6	135.9	136.5	56.90	56.74	54.18	52.92	127,697
Finance, insurance and real estate	90	153.9	153.5	149.3	145.4	71.20	71.28	68.38	66.75	67,143
Service (v)	50	144.6	140.5	142.2	137.9	53.06	53.06	50.90	46.33	58,742
Hotels and restaurants		127.5	123.6	126.6	127.7	38.76	38.60	37.69	35.89	27,734
Laundries and dry cleaning plants		123.8	120.6	125.5	124.6	46.00	45.40	43.69	42.67	11,118
Business service		252.9	248.3	..	..	82.75	82.80	..	..	16,518
Industrial composite	85	121.1	118.5	120.7	125.5	76.76	75.98	73.71	70.38	1,162,085

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TABLE 4. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Provinces, by Industries - Continued

Provinces and Industries	Estimated coverage (w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May 1959
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
		p.c.	1949 = 100			\$	\$	\$	\$	
Manitoba										
Mining	73	101.6	97.9	105.5	108.7	94.88	97.25	90.14	88.15	3,268
Manufacturing	90	105.2	103.0	101.2	105.7	70.10	69.12	65.93	62.61	38,573
Food and beverages		102.2	98.6	98.6	98.3	74.31	73.47	70.08	66.69	8,457
Meat products		117.3	111.9	105.5	103.8	80.67	81.36	75.13	74.21	3,668
Clothing (textile and fur)		86.1	85.7	83.6	89.2	43.95	44.09	42.67	40.66	4,773
Printing, publishing and allied industries		104.4	105.1	106.2	104.1	69.34	68.59	66.11	64.11	2,968
Iron and steel products		124.1	120.1	107.4	116.8	76.02	76.18	72.42	69.07	5,264
Transportation equipment		90.7	90.2	94.0	104.7	75.70	74.92	70.03	66.43	7,254
Construction	77	140.1	130.6	127.3	122.8	79.26	74.70	77.64	65.77	12,637
Building and general engineering (m)		139.0	125.8	125.8	118.0	87.04	84.11	84.32	70.50	8,445
Transportation, storage, communication	w	106.8	99.6	107.9	116.2	78.18	76.90	74.26	69.29	32,746
Steam railways		95.6	87.1	98.3	111.6	82.80	82.18	78.55	72.25	19,293
Storage		99.0	98.0	102.2	101.1	63.96	64.12	62.32	58.97	3,196
Public utility operation	73	133.7	129.0	131.8	129.0	77.24	77.69	71.06	66.51	2,990
Trade	62	109.1	107.1	106.0	106.4	63.50	63.32	60.78	57.74	28,900
Wholesale		111.2	110.2	110.4	108.9	69.50	68.90	65.77	63.85	11,235
Retail		107.8	105.2	103.3	104.9	59.68	59.72	57.52	54.00	17,665
Finance, insurance and real estate	79	129.7	128.8	129.8	123.6	66.29	66.65	63.16	61.16	8,022
Service (v)	49	122.3	119.9	122.6	112.6	41.34	41.11	39.76	37.77	7,039
Hotels and restaurants		122.8	121.0	122.2	109.2	37.83	37.76	36.74	35.20	4,044
Industrial composite	82	111.5	107.6	109.0	111.7	70.52	69.38	67.11	63.19	134,366
Saskatchewan										
Mining	95	302.1	298.6	305.1	..	99.25	101.16	97.44	..	3,973
Manufacturing	75	127.2	118.6	122.8	117.2	74.80	73.70	70.16	66.25	10,421
Food and beverages		112.6	104.6	110.4	106.6	72.71	70.85	66.30	61.95	5,173
Meat products		124.3	112.0	106.7	102.7	85.56	85.23	73.81	73.74	1,694
Dairy products		112.6	106.7	114.3	107.8	60.29	55.96	55.37	51.14	1,692
Products of petroleum and coal		179.6	169.0	183.8	190.3	101.40	98.51	93.41	96.60	1,171
Construction	86	181.5	146.9	169.4	153.3	66.83	65.23	72.68	70.01	11,631
Building and general engineering (m)		183.2	160.0	187.0	166.5	73.19	70.09	76.58	71.88	5,611
Highways, bridges and streets		179.9	135.2	153.3	141.5	60.91	59.98	68.31	68.02	6,020
Transportation, storage, communication	83	106.2	98.2	107.3	113.8	74.57	74.26	70.45	66.97	18,248
Steam railways		92.9	83.6	94.8	107.2	79.88	79.79	75.96	71.87	10,152
Storage		101.8	94.9	101.3	103.7	61.65	60.49	59.52	55.48	3,814
Public utility operation	62	334.4	329.8	296.3	230.2	81.17	80.99	76.40	71.70	3,016
Trade	46	123.4	120.9	118.9	118.1	61.24	61.24	59.59	57.60	16,393
Wholesale		113.5	110.4	113.4	115.1	70.31	69.98	68.11	65.35	5,935
Retail		129.8	127.6	122.4	120.0	56.09	56.32	54.56	52.91	10,458
Finance, insurance and real estate	81	131.8	131.1	128.5	122.7	61.01	61.09	58.35	55.53	4,094
Service (v)	33	112.9	112.9	117.0	118.8	41.67	41.21	40.69	38.29	3,222
Industrial composite	64	132.9	124.0	129.5	126.7	69.64	69.22	67.97	64.38	71,025
Alberta (s)										
Mining	98	117.3	114.6	126.9	135.8	103.87	103.99	95.92	93.17	17,923
Coal		14.4	15.1	19.0	25.2	78.50	75.62	56.01	58.42	1,160
Oil		260.7	252.8	278.2	288.5	105.97	106.49	99.64	97.13	15,401
Manufacturing	81	158.4	152.9	149.1	156.7	78.46	77.24	74.69	70.54	31,854
Food and beverages		122.8	116.7	119.4	121.3	75.99	75.75	71.91	67.91	9,028
Meat products		147.1	139.6	138.7	136.6	83.98	83.10	77.31	74.11	4,650
Wood products		112.6	99.8	102.0	110.4	61.21	58.59	56.97	54.67	3,055
Printing, publishing and allied industries		136.3	134.9	135.4	126.0	74.01	72.85	69.47	68.50	1,488
Iron and steel products		222.0	213.7	175.6	212.0	80.88	80.84	77.51	74.61	3,696
Transportation equipment		145.9	144.9	149.5	172.3	76.22	75.43	70.94	64.88	4,251
Non-metallic mineral products (k)		185.4	176.9	154.1	160.8	78.41	74.40	74.77	68.12	2,924
Products of petroleum and coal		199.6	199.0	192.7	202.5	111.64	106.80	104.79	100.52	2,022
Chemical products		295.9	300.2	306.0	316.7	94.19	93.03	90.65	86.40	1,855

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

Provinces and Industries	Esti- mated cov- erage (w)	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May 1959
		May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
	p.c.			1949 = 100		\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Alberta — concluded										
Construction	90	206.0	179.1	206.9	202.7	79.44	77.24	76.79	72.72	23,406
Building and general engineering (m)		221.4	196.1	204.9	216.1	82.87	79.78	82.80	77.66	14,280
Highways, bridges and streets		185.8	156.9	209.5	185.8	74.09	73.07	69.33	65.49	9,126
Transportation, storage, communication		127.3	119.3	127.1	126.7	80.88	78.55	75.16	69.46	26,586
Steam railways		90.7	83.1	93.6	104.5	79.10	77.90	73.55	70.70	12,186
Electric and motor transportation (o)		170.1	164.7	174.0	174.3	81.97	80.71	79.44	75.67	4,352
Storage		114.0	114.7	113.9	110.9	63.04	63.11	62.19	59.71	2,601
Public utility operation	92	161.8	152.5	153.0	150.5	85.56	85.08	80.56	72.22	4,190
Trade		166.2	163.6	157.5	154.8	63.27	62.76	60.43	58.97	34,394
Wholesale		160.4	158.4	153.5	155.6	73.91	73.03	70.39	66.64	11,901
Retail		169.4	166.5	159.7	154.4	57.63	57.29	55.28	54.86	22,493
Finance, insurance and real estate	72	182.5	182.7	180.8	168.8	66.25	65.88	63.12	60.13	7,856
Service (v)	37	176.0	164.4	167.8	158.3	47.14	48.52	45.46	44.63	10,459
Hotels and restaurants		159.6	142.0	152.4	149.7	41.87	43.61	41.16	42.59	6,422
Industrial composite	73	153.9	146.2	150.6	151.9	75.98	75.00	72.45	69.33	157,177
British Columbia (s)										
Forestry (chiefly logging)	85	89.3	85.4	76.6	100.6	100.72	97.82	94.52	88.42	11,899
Mining	87	72.8	69.7	79.8	97.2	86.39	84.97	79.95	81.84	7,177
Gold (a)		56.8	53.8	61.8	70.3	80.64	76.16	80.14	75.56	1,120
Other metal (b)		80.1	75.0	80.4	111.0	97.00	97.50	89.54	90.71	3,804
Coal		44.4	45.5	48.5	60.3	59.56	54.34	64.77	62.09	1,047
Manufacturing	86	122.2	118.6	118.6	126.8	84.12	83.22	80.34	75.96	86,906
Food and beverages		91.7	85.2	90.0	96.9	75.97	75.15	70.31	66.88	11,441
Canned and cured fish		97.4	86.2	90.7	109.6	76.02	71.27	67.64	63.39	3,380
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables		56.3	44.4	51.3	62.6	56.37	63.52	58.19	55.05	1,123
Wood products		120.0	114.9	112.5	115.4	78.18	76.51	74.42	70.44	33,135
Saw and planing mills (g)		124.4	118.9	115.3	119.2	78.50	76.77	74.96	70.82	30,988
Paper products		157.9	153.0	153.1	150.9	99.82	95.16	94.57	91.00	9,541
Pulp and paper mills		167.7	158.4	153.3	155.4	105.01	98.11	100.52	95.79	7,723
Printing, publishing and allied industries		123.0	121.9	119.2	123.7	94.71	92.55	88.73	80.02	3,628
Iron and steel products		117.3	112.5	121.5	153.3	89.78	90.52	85.60	83.12	6,190
Transportation equipment		159.9	161.6	161.3	191.6	90.22	89.14	86.07	81.33	7,589
Shipbuilding and repairing		145.1	148.9	154.3	186.9	91.34	90.56	87.69	82.89	5,505
Non-ferrous metal products		153.3	153.4	158.3	177.9	91.99	97.16	92.77	83.47	6,455
Chemical products		97.3	99.0	101.5	95.6	84.63	84.89	81.18	79.99	2,399
Construction	93	115.8	108.9	117.7	168.8	90.49	86.50	84.24	89.18	25,257
Building and general engineering (m)		105.8	98.8	103.1	175.4	97.28	94.10	93.28	100.06	13,919
Highways, bridges and streets		131.0	124.4	139.7	158.3	82.15	77.33	74.18	70.91	11,338
Transportation, storage, communication	91	124.5	121.5	127.7	126.7	84.48	83.37	78.00	73.04	41,070
Steam railways		118.3	115.0	122.3	125.1	83.63	82.75	77.83	75.18	14,157
Electric and motor transportation (o)		103.9	100.9	103.0	94.6	85.66	84.44	82.44	76.92	5,454
Water transportation (n)		96.6	91.6	100.1	103.7	84.76	84.10	73.64	72.01	8,117
Communication		170.8	173.3	185.3	174.2	77.27	74.64	71.45	63.28	8,712
Public utility operation	w	130.2	128.3	141.7	150.0	102.72	102.40	92.36	86.20	6,025
Trade	61	114.8	114.2	112.9	115.7	70.29	70.10	65.95	63.32	43,051
Wholesale		108.1	106.8	106.8	112.8	84.27	83.96	79.14	75.30	15,001
Retail		118.7	118.5	116.5	117.4	62.82	62.76	58.92	56.74	28,050
Finance, insurance and real estate	63	162.8	162.4	157.3	152.6	66.41	66.45	64.15	62.59	11,520
Service (v)	47	120.7	117.5	124.4	127.5	54.17	53.85	50.95	49.87	13,618
Hotels and restaurants		118.0	114.5	125.6	131.7	46.49	46.31	44.62	45.29	7,721
Industrial composite	78	117.6	114.5	116.6	127.5	81.26	80.02	76.32	74.47	246,523

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

Urban Areas and Industries	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May, 1959
	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
1949 = 100									
St. John's:					\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Manufacturing	94.8	90.0	95.7	97.8	58.45	58.76	55.94	54.94	3,105
Food and beverages	94.7	91.8	103.6	92.9	54.49	52.18	52.84	51.54	1,324
Construction	346.1	274.9	215.1	265.0	61.39	61.77	59.79	60.57	1,630
Trade	118.5	114.9	117.3	118.1	52.08	53.13	51.97	50.36	4,491
Retail	126.5	121.4	121.6	122.0	45.93	47.11	45.70	44.92	2,911
Industrial composite	131.0	119.5	123.4	123.8	53.52	55.41	51.58	50.54	12,801
Halifax:									
Manufacturing	126.7	127.1	125.2	131.6	68.38	68.45	63.75	62.48	9,037
Food and beverages	93.8	94.8	95.8	96.6	51.58	52.72	48.04	46.43	1,909
Transportation equipment	165.9	168.0	161.3	169.8	71.90	72.30	66.88	65.59	4,964
Construction	86.0	77.1	77.8	94.8	66.52	65.00	62.87	59.62	2,568
Transportation, storage, communication	100.1	103.5	97.2	108.8	56.36	56.08	50.73	51.03	5,059
Trade	119.1	117.6	115.8	122.4	53.04	52.56	50.70	46.41	8,472
Retail	126.0	123.7	121.1	126.6	47.46	46.86	44.54	41.94	6,228
Industrial composite	115.8	115.0	111.9	119.2	60.13	59.83	56.68	54.67	29,262
Saint John:									
Manufacturing	90.4	88.2	97.1	91.3	64.13	62.13	61.18	58.82	4,152
Construction	138.5	125.6	93.8	109.7	66.72	68.84	55.71	55.19	2,132
Transportation, storage, communication	66.9	62.2	69.5	73.5	55.60	58.05	53.34	52.55	2,582
Trade	111.0	109.8	100.6	105.8	46.64	46.08	44.96	43.44	3,512
Industrial composite	95.4	92.2	91.2	93.1	57.01	56.65	53.77	52.25	14,294
Quebec:									
Manufacturing	109.3	108.8	108.6	113.5	64.22	63.19	61.22	56.68	19,920
Leather products	73.1	74.4	68.8	72.5	40.65	41.08	40.43	37.08	2,643
Clothing (textile and fur)	89.8	90.3	91.9	95.2	41.33	40.18	39.41	35.96	2,339
Transportation equipment	199.0	204.8	210.6	218.2	77.16	76.17	71.03	64.02	2,904
Construction	90.8	84.7	100.2	91.0	67.56	65.40	64.12	60.39	4,885
Transportation, storage, communication	122.6	122.4	131.4	125.7	68.54	75.25	59.31	62.51	3,376
Trade	117.3	115.3	111.9	114.3	54.67	54.57	52.74	49.25	7,476
Retail	116.0	112.5	111.1	113.1	46.69	46.58	45.51	42.92	4,930
Service	118.9	115.1	122.3	115.2	40.15	40.45	38.31	35.22	2,530
Industrial composite	110.8	109.1	111.7	112.2	62.06	61.82	58.78	55.53	41,169
Sherbrooke:									
Manufacturing	99.2	99.7	95.5	108.7	60.73	59.91	57.73	56.01	7,907
Textile products (except clothing)	106.8	106.7	101.8	110.8	53.90	55.21	49.72	46.22	2,488
Clothing (textile and fur)	47.2	50.5	48.8	56.3	43.82	42.75	40.43	40.63	1,052
Iron and steel products	88.3	89.0	93.0	126.6	71.26	69.38	68.25	68.31	1,520
Industrial composite	100.7	99.9	97.1	108.5	59.75	59.41	57.11	55.44	11,266
Three Rivers:									
Manufacturing	114.7	111.9	113.6	122.6	70.72	70.24	68.25	66.26	10,215
Pulp and paper mills	101.8	99.3	109.5	120.5	98.24	95.57	95.00	94.50	3,498
Industrial composite	117.8	112.4	115.8	123.1	67.65	67.49	64.52	62.93	14,008
Montreal:									
Manufacturing	110.3	109.3	109.9	116.0	73.91	73.56	71.40	68.30	215,322
Food and beverages	119.0	115.1	114.6	112.9	72.29	72.80	69.48	65.26	25,797
Tobacco and tobacco products	95.2	93.9	96.2	98.5	76.69	74.35	73.83	70.82	5,516
Leather products	79.5	79.6	76.0	81.7	50.96	49.48	48.19	47.29	7,599
Textile products (except clothing)	91.5	90.2	85.0	91.1	63.12	63.03	61.76	58.41	9,776
Clothing (textile and fur)	100.1	101.8	97.4	99.5	49.43	49.35	47.95	45.48	38,337
Men's clothing	84.0	84.7	85.3	89.0	50.20	50.54	49.62	46.48	10,291
Women's clothing	98.3	100.6	96.4	95.5	50.77	50.98	49.09	46.60	14,908
Printing, publishing and allied industries	117.6	117.7	116.4	116.7	84.39	84.37	81.57	78.92	10,369
Iron and steel products	104.7	103.1	104.2	119.9	85.24	84.06	80.83	79.36	24,743
Transportation equipment	108.6	106.9	121.4	136.9	85.95	86.74	80.41	77.31	27,070
Railway and rolling stock equipment	65.6	65.1	72.6	86.9	78.97	78.10	72.49	72.87	10,293
Electrical apparatus and supplies	135.3	134.7	135.8	151.6	85.09	85.07	81.68	76.10	18,894
Chemical products	126.8	125.1	125.2	127.7	89.56	90.07	86.43	81.32	11,021
Construction	150.2	143.7	136.0	150.8	80.40	77.92	77.28	72.31	37,909
Building and general engineering (m)	149.6	141.6	130.0	150.5	82.16	80.75	78.69	74.80	28,669
Transportation, storage, communication	143.6	144.8	144.4	144.2	79.82	78.26	76.57	74.31	38,015
Electric and motor transportation (o)	118.2	116.5	114.7	115.6	74.07	74.04	69.80	68.42	11,778
Trade	133.1	132.1	132.2	132.2	65.79	64.78	61.45	58.40	71,308
Wholesale	139.3	137.7	137.9	137.5	79.97	79.27	75.21	71.06	29,070
Retail	129.1	128.5	128.8	129.0	56.04	54.89	52.50	50.42	42,238
Finance, insurance and real estate	147.9	148.2	145.4	141.9	72.82	72.81	70.20	66.04	29,432
Insurance	144.1	144.0	140.5	133.2	75.96	75.61	72.88	71.22	12,228
Service (v)	140.7	139.4	138.1	126.3	52.07	51.99	50.52	51.26	24,732
Hotels and restaurants	129.5	129.8	132.0	112.8	41.21	40.95	38.97	37.03	10,828
Industrial composite	123.8	122.6	122.2	125.9	72.38	71.65	69.48	66.66	422,382

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

Urban Areas and Industries	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May, 1959
	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
1949 = 100					\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Ottawa - Hull:									
Manufacturing	103.7	101.7	104.0	112.4	78.71	77.31	73.42	70.21	15,355
Pulp and paper mills	114.3	111.1	111.1	121.9	91.75	89.25	84.32	82.18	4,543
Printing, publishing and allied industries	109.3	109.6	112.8	115.6	80.85	79.14	75.38	73.22	2,478
Iron and steel products	57.0	56.0	58.2	55.3	74.89	73.43	74.21	70.11	1,105
Construction	157.4	143.4	142.2	141.5	71.04	70.37	67.68	63.61	7,970
Trade	127.8	124.4	122.5	123.8	54.97	55.41	52.20	49.24	12,061
Retail	120.7	118.0	116.8	119.2	48.40	49.33	47.10	44.61	8,903
Finance, insurance and real estate	120.6	120.5	116.4	112.7	69.57	69.90	67.79	65.83	5,251
Service (v)	126.9	123.4	124.5	104.9	49.87	50.20	48.27	39.40	5,158
Industrial composite	124.6	121.0	120.7	121.6	68.14	67.64	64.61	61.38	51,259
Toronto:									
Manufacturing	115.1	114.6	118.7	122.4	79.49	78.73	77.40	73.53	194,842
Food and beverages	110.6	109.9	110.4	107.7	75.47	73.96	72.15	67.64	23,761
Meat products	132.8	128.9	126.9	123.2	84.04	83.30	80.44	74.81	6,057
Rubber products	93.2	92.5	87.9	99.2	86.92	86.88	83.43	80.04	5,161
Textile products (except clothing)	86.3	85.3	84.8	88.5	63.98	63.49	60.73	58.27	4,679
Clothing (textile and fur)	83.0	84.4	82.8	85.5	52.71	53.26	50.51	49.43	15,483
Men's clothing	84.5	84.8	88.8	99.0	54.40	53.37	51.64	50.28	5,043
Women's clothing	78.6	82.9	80.9	79.5	53.36	56.85	50.93	48.37	4,170
Paper products (except pulp and paper) (i)	125.2	122.8	122.7	121.6	75.02	73.78	72.88	69.35	8,172
Printing, publishing and allied industries	122.0	121.5	120.9	122.7	90.85	90.20	84.81	83.51	18,927
Iron and steel products	128.7	126.4	123.5	126.9	86.99	85.83	81.80	77.45	33,824
Transportation equipment	133.2	134.6	236.7	249.2	87.56	87.34	90.41	83.47	14,238
Non-ferrous metal products	113.8	112.6	100.0	104.2	77.42	76.69	75.10	73.39	8,392
Electrical apparatus and supplies	113.3	112.7	111.4	137.4	81.59	81.18	79.82	75.20	19,687
Chemical products	122.1	121.3	119.6	117.3	81.72	81.76	79.91	74.79	12,187
Construction	174.7	166.9	166.9	165.1	93.18	89.09	85.79	84.21	26,527
Building and general engineering (m)	163.6	157.9	157.6	158.9	95.98	91.29	87.79	86.22	21,539
Transportation, storage, communication	148.1	142.7	145.1	148.3	79.99	79.55	75.77	71.21	29,179
Electric and motor transportation (o)	134.3	132.5	128.9	132.3	83.62	79.83	79.22	75.29	12,865
Public utility operation	128.0	126.2	137.2	131.6	96.11	96.38	92.69	85.13	12,430
Trade	136.4	135.3	134.7	135.6	71.26	70.95	67.49	65.33	88,551
Wholesale	150.7	149.5	150.4	150.1	83.78	83.09	79.22	75.88	33,240
Retail	129.0	128.0	126.8	128.7	63.73	63.66	60.59	59.44	55,311
Finance, insurance and real estate	165.5	165.1	160.4	157.9	75.02	75.18	72.03	70.40	36,180
Insurance	158.7	158.1	155.6	148.5	78.72	78.73	76.18	73.78	16,563
Service (v)	152.6	152.2	148.3	145.1	57.15	56.63	54.62	51.76	28,977
Hotels and restaurants	123.9	124.9	122.1	119.2	42.30	41.80	40.92	38.91	11,927
Industrial composite	130.5	129.1	131.0	132.7	77.26	76.49	74.26	71.02	417,113
Hamilton:									
Manufacturing	100.8	99.8	97.1	104.9	87.96	87.80	84.50	81.90	54,207
Textile products (except clothing)	82.3	84.1	90.1	96.4	55.08	55.03	53.59	52.87	2,248
Clothing (textile and fur)	28.7	29.6	40.9	48.2	48.29	47.42	43.48	42.77	1,327
Iron and steel products	120.9	116.5	108.2	111.9	97.29	98.59	97.00	94.65	26,824
Electrical apparatus and supplies	99.2	99.7	106.9	121.1	91.95	89.82	86.60	84.70	7,580
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	102.9	101.8	65.8	100.1	76.20	75.54	75.02	72.30	2,188
Construction	147.0	135.4	126.0	143.2	94.03	85.62	79.92	74.95	5,238
Transportation, storage, communication	129.6	128.0	133.3	129.4	77.62	77.23	74.10	69.30	3,464
Retail trade	147.9	144.9	146.0	144.6	56.11	55.07	53.92	51.50	8,200
Industrial composite	112.3	110.5	108.0	113.9	81.87	81.12	77.81	75.48	81,918
St. Catharines:									
Manufacturing	106.8	105.1	104.4	119.4	88.52	88.04	85.95	81.65	27,001
Pulp and paper mills	126.8	124.5	126.4	127.1	95.00	95.57	90.98	91.46	3,416
Iron and steel products	101.0	96.2	93.2	120.0	93.20	94.17	89.42	85.90	8,317
Transportation equipment	124.1	126.8	122.3	130.3	93.56	92.45	91.32	81.84	6,864
Construction	142.4	130.8	182.7	222.8	84.53	81.67	86.85	81.84	1,947
Industrial composite	113.1	110.8	112.2	126.6	84.00	83.39	81.96	78.35	34,399

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

Urban Areas and Industries	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May, 1959
	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	
	1949 = 100				\$	\$	\$	\$	
Brantford:									
Manufacturing	86.6	88.5	81.6	81.6	73.20	73.54	70.37	65.76	11,286
Textile products (except clothing)	72.6	73.4	85.3	97.5	67.96	69.40	66.11	65.10	1,093
Iron and steel products	74.1	76.9	62.2	58.0	81.77	82.91	80.78	73.39	4,920
Industrial composite	91.2	92.4	87.0	86.9	70.55	70.61	67.35	63.33	14,409
Kitchener:									
Manufacturing	106.2	105.1	101.6	107.3	71.37	69.88	67.24	66.48	17,980
Food and beverages	131.2	125.7	125.7	126.5	78.74	77.06	73.02	72.41	3,626
Rubber products	86.4	85.7	79.6	94.8	76.66	73.55	71.36	72.62	4,267
Leather products	71.5	70.8	67.8	65.6	61.52	62.12	60.71	58.79	1,238
Wood products	98.4	98.6	100.7	115.0	66.34	65.15	61.44	61.35	2,009
Electrical apparatus and supplies	250.0	247.4	258.3	202.2	64.17	63.52	60.25	54.48	1,835
Construction	208.5	192.5	158.1	154.6	79.34	78.53	76.72	69.17	2,027
Industrial composite	119.5	117.8	112.1	115.1	69.99	68.68	66.17	64.65	26,083
London:									
Manufacturing	118.0	113.9	115.1	116.1	73.56	73.35	70.28	66.95	18,209
Food and beverages	108.1	103.7	108.0	105.4	70.64	69.87	67.99	65.17	4,177
Clothing (textile and fur)	77.2	79.6	78.8	81.8	52.04	51.39	48.81	42.89	1,011
Paper products	94.6	91.3	90.4	106.8	81.66	79.21	77.14	73.11	930
Printing, publishing and allied industries	109.7	111.3	104.9	102.1	81.89	81.03	80.50	73.05	1,340
Iron and steel products	97.9	92.7	87.0	101.7	78.19	78.03	74.61	71.09	2,834
Electrical apparatus and supplies	157.2	139.6	140.6	122.9	71.19	75.21	70.34	66.81	1,907
Construction	117.0	107.8	100.7	98.8	79.51	76.90	73.31	71.02	2,384
Transportation, storage, communication	114.1	118.2	127.1	127.7	74.88	72.55	71.64	65.26	2,245
Retail trade	127.2	124.4	122.0	122.7	54.90	54.40	51.70	50.21	4,404
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.1	147.9	143.4	136.5	67.95	67.82	64.57	63.31	3,151
Industrial composite	125.2	121.8	121.0	120.9	69.91	69.24	66.74	63.70	35,404
Windsor:									
Manufacturing	74.5	72.8	72.9	99.5	92.29	90.58	85.25	73.06	24,769
Food and beverages	117.6	113.4	117.1	108.1	79.70	78.47	76.60	73.97	2,533
Iron and steel products	81.4	80.9	83.1	120.5	87.02	86.86	83.58	80.52	3,580
Transportation equipment	70.3	68.7	66.0	97.3	97.75	95.06	88.87	71.13	15,755
Trade	99.2	100.8	100.9	106.6	58.70	56.38	56.19	53.74	4,053
Industrial composite	82.1	80.7	80.7	102.4	84.89	82.95	78.98	70.26	35,643
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur:									
Manufacturing	109.1	106.3	118.4	118.0	82.63	80.95	77.29	77.05	5,641
Pulp and paper mills	116.1	111.2	113.7	112.8	89.38	88.88	85.34	87.16	2,408
Transportation equipment	124.6	133.9	170.9	161.7	77.93	76.46	71.70	72.68	1,587
Transportation, storage, communication	121.5	99.2	118.1	119.9	84.56	67.80	88.55	77.31	2,927
Trade	114.4	113.8	120.7	122.8	59.52	59.94	56.90	55.13	2,671
Industrial composite	117.0	109.9	119.4	121.3	75.80	71.51	72.91	70.26	14,525
Winnipeg:									
Manufacturing	103.7	101.7	99.6	103.6	70.01	69.09	65.71	61.83	34,514
Food and beverages	97.1	93.1	92.6	93.5	77.26	76.62	72.67	68.99	7,276
Meat products	112.8	107.1	102.3	100.2	83.19	83.97	76.32	75.82	3,370
Clothing (textile and fur)	86.6	86.0	84.3	90.0	44.58	44.77	43.28	41.15	4,577
Printing, publishing and allied industries	102.9	103.8	104.8	103.2	69.47	68.55	66.08	64.18	2,853
Iron and steel products	124.6	121.3	108.7	112.6	73.94	74.85	71.84	67.16	4,276
Transportation equipment	90.6	90.1	94.0	104.6	75.76	74.99	70.08	66.46	7,239
Construction	129.5	122.8	113.1	124.6	72.78	69.88	72.39	66.28	6,240
Building and general engineering (m)	122.1	111.7	109.7	121.3	77.05	77.24	73.87	69.66	4,521
Transportation, storage, communication	125.3	122.2	121.5	117.7	74.83	73.24	70.71	66.47	9,635
Trade	105.6	103.7	103.2	103.7	64.17	63.88	61.37	58.15	24,793
Wholesale	111.9	110.4	109.5	108.1	69.02	68.29	66.10	64.05	9,491
Retail	102.0	100.0	99.8	101.3	61.17	61.13	58.53	54.81	15,302
Finance, insurance and real estate	130.6	129.5	129.8	123.8	68.36	68.81	65.46	63.78	6,553
Service (v)	115.9	114.0	118.0	111.5	41.96	41.61	40.12	37.97	6,022
Industrial composite	110.5	108.2	107.0	108.5	67.33	66.53	63.82	60.31	89,932

TABLE 5. Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Urban Areas, by Industries - Concluded

Urban Areas and Industries	Employment Indexes				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries				Employees Reported May, 1959	
	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957	May 1959	Apr. 1959	May 1958	May 1957		
1949 = 100										
\$ \$ \$ \$										
Regina:										
Manufacturing	153.0	142.4	151.2	136.2	79.46	79.10	74.36	73.58	3,374	
Construction	199.1	169.5	145.2	152.3	65.91	65.57	73.89	74.28	2,935	
Wholesale trade	109.5	108.1	111.0	111.9	71.36	70.10	66.96	65.75	2,475	
Retail trade	110.8	106.9	102.5	103.2	55.88	55.66	55.33	53.96	4,097	
Industrial composite	137.1	130.3	124.9	123.6	66.62	66.37	64.51	63.18	17,931	
Saskatoon:										
Manufacturing	138.0	130.4	126.2	120.6	77.27	75.33	71.65	65.42	2,989	
Food and beverages	129.9	120.7	122.0	118.9	79.75	75.97	70.69	65.04	1,840	
Construction	161.6	140.6	177.9	152.7	72.42	71.41	71.98	69.12	1,810	
Wholesale trade	123.2	117.4	115.5	116.8	66.80	67.16	65.58	61.60	1,866	
Retail trade	134.6	134.6	134.3	129.5	58.11	58.76	55.10	52.97	2,045	
Industrial composite	136.2	130.0	133.7	126.5	66.86	66.16	63.72	59.80	11,489	
Edmonton:										
Manufacturing	187.4	182.5	177.2	185.5	78.68	77.57	74.57	70.71	14,144	
Food and beverages	139.6	132.4	133.5	134.3	78.76	77.92	74.02	70.04	4,264	
Meat products	147.2	138.2	139.0	139.0	82.86	82.14	76.22	72.74	2,990	
Construction	203.7	174.7	193.1	202.4	81.92	81.44	78.60	72.09	8,104	
Building and general engineering (m)	183.9	166.0	170.9	194.9	83.98	83.12	81.01	76.01	5,279	
Wholesale trade	185.4	184.4	182.5	184.5	72.99	71.67	69.87	66.51	4,912	
Retail trade	172.7	169.1	170.8	158.6	57.99	58.32	54.54	55.20	9,979	
Service (v)	211.2	209.8	205.1	186.9	45.91	45.60	44.47	43.10	3,817	
Industrial composite	188.2	180.4	181.3	180.8	71.47	70.43	67.89	65.02	48,474	
Calgary:										
Manufacturing	145.2	140.6	133.7	140.0	81.42	79.45	76.07	70.73	10,648	
Food and beverages	128.3	123.9	122.4	126.3	79.53	78.56	75.50	71.61	3,195	
Transportation equipment	133.1	131.1	134.9	148.9	79.60	77.67	72.76	66.87	2,434	
Construction	245.9	227.0	226.2	222.1	77.60	76.22	78.09	71.58	5,172	
Wholesale trade	145.1	142.7	132.7	138.4	75.04	73.78	70.27	66.22	4,959	
Retail trade	166.0	163.6	155.9	157.3	58.98	58.00	57.33	55.76	8,308	
Industrial composite	167.8	163.3	155.8	159.4	71.64	70.12	68.46	65.36	41,341	
Vancouver:										
Manufacturing	113.6	111.1	109.9	118.8	83.08	82.37	79.24	75.12	45,269	
Food and beverages	94.6	91.2	94.6	99.0	79.74	78.78	73.66	71.39	7,548	
Printing, publishing and allied industries	121.3	120.8	116.5	123.5	99.08	95.79	92.91	82.25	2,797	
Wood products	101.7	99.7	96.8	100.1	80.11	79.51	76.99	71.13	15,615	
Saw and planing mills (g)	103.9	101.7	99.3	103.2	80.91	80.34	78.18	71.84	13,672	
Iron and steel products	119.7	114.8	124.9	158.2	89.98	90.71	85.69	83.27	5,905	
Transportation equipment	147.8	142.6	140.8	175.0	90.08	88.90	86.40	82.94	4,178	
Construction	104.8	103.0	94.2	120.0	95.17	92.88	90.11	87.14	11,592	
Building and general engineering (m)	97.6	96.5	86.1	107.0	97.58	96.14	94.77	90.31	8,453	
Transportation, storage, communication	124.0	122.7	127.5	123.6	81.94	80.21	74.66	70.95	18,565	
Water transportation (n)	99.6	96.0	97.1	102.1	83.55	81.49	73.78	73.91	4,751	
Communication	170.7	173.6	187.6	173.9	77.26	74.42	71.22	62.58	7,833	
Public utility operation	138.4	136.0	136.5	141.9	107.66	107.63	97.84	90.18	3,882	
Trade	116.6	116.3	114.0	118.0	73.44	73.51	68.78	66.10	31,011	
Wholesale	123.0	121.9	120.9	128.7	85.46	85.26	80.32	76.07	12,562	
Retail	112.6	112.8	109.8	111.6	65.26	65.59	60.94	59.15	18,449	
Service (v)	119.2	117.3	122.2	121.9	57.02	56.41	52.91	50.70	9,764	
Industrial composite	117.9	116.2	115.4	121.7	79.62	78.83	74.50	71.62	127,677	
Victoria:										
Manufacturing	130.8	134.2	135.5	148.5	85.06	84.75	81.40	75.93	6,268	
Wood products	107.9	105.6	104.3	112.1	74.38	73.58	74.28	66.74	1,413	
Transportation equipment	189.1	201.7	204.0	233.5	90.14	89.09	85.74	79.45	3,289	
Trade	110.4	112.0	111.5	113.3	59.06	58.07	56.75	53.52	4,221	
Industrial composite	114.8	115.2	116.8	122.3	72.69	72.73	70.38	65.61	16,132	

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TABLE 6. Sex Distribution of Employees Reported, by Areas and Major Industries

Areas and Industries	May 1959					April 1959		May 1958	
	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.
Provinces									
Newfoundland	36,632	31,776	4,856	86.7	13.3	86.1	13.9	87.5	12.5
Prince Edward Island	5,224	3,934	1,290	75.3	24.7	75.4	24.6	74.5	25.5
Nova Scotia	84,015	69,324	14,691	82.5	17.5	82.5	17.5	82.9	17.1
New Brunswick	59,353	48,198	11,155	81.2	18.8	80.8	19.2	81.2	18.4
Quebec	769,296	584,876	184,220	76.0	24.0	75.3	24.7	76.3	23.7
Ontario	1,162,085	878,812	283,273	75.6	24.4	75.3	24.7	75.8	24.2
Manitoba	134,366	101,947	32,419	75.9	24.1	75.4	24.6	75.8	24.2
Saskatchewan	71,025	57,162	13,563	80.5	19.5	79.7	20.3	80.5	19.5
Alberta (including Northwest Territories)	157,177	123,904	33,273	78.8	21.2	78.3	21.7	79.2	20.8
British Columbia (including Yukon)	246,523	198,673	47,850	80.6	19.4	80.3	19.7	80.1	19.9
Canada	2,725,496	2,098,606	626,890	77.0	23.0	76.5	23.5	77.1	22.9
Urban Areas									
St. John's	12,301	9,925	2,876	77.5	22.5	75.7	24.3	76.8	23.2
Sydney	15,911	14,880	1,031	93.5	6.5	93.5	6.5	94.5	5.5
Halifax	29,262	21,096	8,166	72.1	27.9	72.3	27.7	71.8	28.2
Moncton	7,904	5,466	2,438	69.2	30.8	68.5	31.5	69.3	30.7
Saint John	14,294	10,139	4,155	70.9	29.1	69.3	30.7	70.1	29.9
Chicoutimi - Jonquiere	13,680	12,552	1,128	91.8	8.2	92.3	7.7	..	..
Quebec	41,169	30,244	10,925	73.5	26.5	73.0	27.0	72.9	27.1
Sherbrooke	11,266	8,157	3,109	72.4	27.6	71.3	28.2	72.7	27.3
Shawinigan Falls	8,087	6,674	1,413	82.5	17.5	83.0	17.0	81.7	18.3
Three Rivers	14,008	10,401	3,607	74.3	25.7	73.7	26.3	73.9	26.1
Drummondville	6,439	4,301	1,638	74.6	25.4	74.3	25.7	74.2	25.8
Montreal	422,382	299,722	122,660	71.0	29.0	70.6	29.4	70.9	29.1
Ottawa - Hull	51,259	36,667	14,592	71.5	28.5	71.1	28.9	71.5	28.5
Kingston	9,277	7,455	1,322	80.4	19.6	80.0	20.0	80.5	19.5
Peterborough	12,416	9,543	2,373	76.9	23.1	76.7	23.3	76.6	23.4
Oshawa	22,740	19,345	3,395	85.1	14.9	85.0	15.0	84.3	15.2
Toronto	417,113	286,932	130,181	68.8	31.2	68.6	31.4	69.1	30.9
Hamilton	81,918	63,469	18,449	77.5	22.5	77.3	22.7	76.2	23.8
St. Catharines	34,399	28,905	5,494	84.0	16.0	83.8	16.2	83.3	16.2
Niagara Falls	9,284	6,808	2,476	73.3	26.7	74.7	25.3	74.4	25.6
Brantford	14,409	10,938	3,471	75.9	24.1	75.9	24.1	74.3	25.7
Guelph	8,794	6,393	2,396	72.3	27.2	72.5	27.5	74.3	25.7
Galt	10,971	7,682	3,289	70.0	30.0	70.4	29.6	71.2	28.8
Kitchener	26,083	17,957	8,126	68.8	31.2	68.5	31.5	69.1	30.9
Sudbury	22,343	20,099	2,244	90.0	10.0	90.1	9.9	90.5	9.5
Timmins	7,739	7,121	618	92.0	8.0	92.1	7.9	..	..
London	35,404	24,521	10,883	69.3	30.7	69.0	31.0	69.1	30.9
Sarnia	10,528	8,619	1,909	81.9	18.1	81.2	18.8	84.9	15.1
Windsor	35,643	29,149	6,494	81.8	18.2	81.2	18.3	80.5	19.5
Sault Ste. Marie	13,124	11,728	1,396	89.4	10.6	89.0	11.0	89.6	10.4
Ft. William - Pt. Arthur	14,525	11,883	2,642	81.3	18.2	81.2	18.8	81.3	18.7
Winnipeg	89,932	62,758	27,174	69.3	30.2	69.6	30.4	69.3	30.7
Regina	17,931	12,569	5,362	70.1	29.9	69.6	30.4	69.9	30.1
Saskatoon	11,489	8,491	2,998	73.9	26.1	73.3	26.7	73.6	26.4
Edmonton	48,474	36,094	12,380	74.5	25.5	73.7	26.3	74.0	26.0
Calgary	41,341	30,340	11,001	73.4	26.6	72.9	27.1	73.1	26.9
Vancouver	127,677	94,580	33,997	74.1	25.9	73.7	26.3	72.5	27.5
Victoria	16,132	12,014	4,118	74.5	25.5	75.3	24.7	75.2	24.8
Industrial Divisions									
Forestry (chiefly logging)	42,740	41,838	902	97.9	2.1	97.6	2.4	97.9	2.1
Mining	109,261	105,042	4,219	96.1	3.9	96.2	3.8	96.1	3.9
Manufacturing	1,161,170	903,756	257,414	77.3	22.2	77.6	22.4	78.0	22.0
Durable goods (u)	564,716	500,612	64,104	88.6	11.4	88.4	11.6	88.7	11.3
Non-durable goods	596,454	403,144	193,310	67.6	32.4	67.5	32.5	67.3	32.2
Construction	268,414	261,124	7,290	97.3	2.7	97.1	2.9	97.3	2.7
Transportation, storage, communication	363,065	306,206	56,359	84.3	15.7	83.8	16.2	83.9	16.1
Public utility operation	60,132	52,360	7,772	87.1	12.9	87.0	13.0	87.1	12.9
Trade	443,688	284,377	159,311	64.1	35.9	64.0	36.0	63.9	36.1
Finance, insurance and real estate	144,783	72,897	71,886	50.3	49.7	50.3	49.7	49.6	50.4
Service (v)	132,243	71,006	61,237	53.7	46.3	53.6	46.4	53.3	46.7
Industrial composite	2,725,496	2,098,606	626,890	77.0	23.0	76.5	23.5	77.1	22.9

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

Industries	May 1959					April 1959		May 1958	
	Both Sexes	Men		Women		Men	Women	Men	Women
		No.	No.	No.	p.c.				
Forestry (chiefly logging)	42,740	41,838	902	97.9	2.1	97.6	2.4	97.9	2.1
Mining	109,261	105,042	4,219	96.1	3.9	96.2	3.8	96.1	3.9
Metal mining	66,695	65,182	1,513	97.7	2.3	97.7	2.3	97.9	2.1
Gold (a)	16,831	16,548	283	98.3	1.7	98.4	1.6	98.3	1.7
Other metal (b)	49,864	48,634	1,230	97.5	2.5	97.5	2.5	97.7	2.3
Iron	7,436	7,100	336	95.5	4.5	95.7	4.3	96.7	3.3
Uranium	14,135	13,852	283	98.0	2.0	98.0	2.0	98.0	2.0
Fuels	28,498	26,272	2,226	92.2	7.8	92.1	7.9	92.1	7.9
Coal	11,869	11,732	137	98.8	1.2	98.8	1.2	99.0	1.0
Oil and natural gas	16,629	14,540	2,089	87.4	12.6	87.1	12.9	86.9	13.1
Non-metal (c)	14,068	13,588	480	96.6	3.4	97.1	2.9	97.0	3.0
Asbestos	6,307	6,046	261	95.9	4.1	97.5	2.5	..	..
Manufacturing	1,161,170	903,756	257,414	77.8	22.2	77.6	22.4	78.0	22.0
Durable goods (u)	564,716	500,612	64,104	88.6	11.4	88.4	11.6	88.7	11.3
Non-Durable goods	596,454	403,144	193,310	67.6	32.4	67.5	32.5	67.8	32.2
Food and beverages	145,775	109,476	36,299	75.1	24.9	75.9	24.1	74.9	25.1
Meat products	30,161	23,519	6,642	78.0	22.0	78.8	21.2	78.4	21.6
Dairy products	14,688	12,038	2,650	82.0	18.0	82.3	17.7	80.6	19.4
Canned and cured fish	12,174	8,772	3,402	72.1	27.9	74.2	25.8	71.5	28.5
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	10,626	6,681	3,945	62.9	37.1	67.2	32.3	64.0	36.0
Grain mill products	8,669	7,224	1,445	83.3	16.7	83.3	16.7	84.5	15.5
Bread and other bakery products	18,600	14,924	3,676	80.2	19.8	80.9	19.1	79.6	20.4
Biscuits and crackers	6,842	3,335	3,507	48.7	51.3	48.7	51.3	46.9	53.1
Distilled and malt liquors	15,103	12,853	2,250	85.1	14.9	85.9	14.1	85.4	14.6
Other beverages (d)	8,847	8,094	753	91.5	8.5	91.0	9.0	90.9	9.1
Confectionery	7,792	3,767	4,025	48.3	51.7	48.5	51.5	48.2	51.8
Tobacco and tobacco products	8,792	3,991	4,801	45.4	54.6	48.5	51.5	42.5	57.5
Rubber products	20,963	16,258	4,705	77.6	22.4	78.4	21.6	77.8	22.2
Leather products	28,339	15,824	12,515	55.8	44.2	55.3	44.7	56.6	43.4
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	19,670	10,301	9,369	52.4	47.6	52.1	47.9	52.9	47.1
Other leather products (f)	8,669	5,523	3,146	63.7	36.3	62.6	37.4	64.6	35.4
Textile products (except clothing)	59,670	39,867	19,803	66.8	33.2	66.7	33.3	66.0	34.0
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	18,603	12,425	6,178	66.8	33.2	66.4	33.6	66.1	33.9
Woollen goods	9,012	5,710	3,302	63.4	36.6	63.1	36.9	62.7	37.3
Synthetic textiles and silk (t)	13,755	10,625	3,130	77.2	22.8	77.2	22.8	77.1	22.9
Clothing (textile and fur)	92,603	27,146	65,457	29.3	70.7	29.5	70.5	29.6	70.4
Men's clothing	30,705	9,752	20,953	31.8	68.2	31.6	68.4	32.2	67.8
Women's clothing	23,388	4,920	18,468	21.0	79.0	21.9	78.1	21.3	78.7
Knit goods	19,647	6,203	13,444	31.6	68.4	32.0	68.0	31.5	68.5
Fur goods	3,297	2,256	1,041	68.4	31.6	69.3	30.7	68.4	31.6
Wood products	93,720	85,769	7,951	91.5	8.5	91.1	8.9	91.6	8.4
Saw and planing mills (g)	59,820	56,338	3,482	94.2	5.8	93.8	6.2	94.4	5.6
Furniture	23,847	20,859	2,988	87.5	12.5	87.5	12.5	87.9	12.1
Other wood products (h)	10,053	8,572	1,481	85.3	14.7	84.8	15.2	85.1	14.9
Paper products	90,370	78,668	11,702	87.1	12.9	87.0	13.0	87.2	12.8
Pulp and paper mills	65,520	61,808	3,712	94.3	5.7	94.4	5.6	94.8	5.2
Other paper products (i)	24,850	16,860	7,990	67.8	32.2	67.9	32.1	68.3	31.7
Printing, publishing and allied industries	53,649	39,085	14,564	72.9	27.1	72.7	27.3	72.9	27.1
Iron and steel products	173,952	158,130	15,822	90.9	9.1	90.8	9.2	90.4	9.6
Agricultural implements	14,477	13,707	770	94.7	5.3	94.6	5.4	93.6	6.4
Boilers and plate work	6,678	6,209	469	93.0	7.0	93.2	6.8	92.6	7.4
Fabricated and structural steel	12,092	11,396	696	94.2	5.8	94.3	5.7	94.5	5.5
Hardware and tools	10,416	8,475	1,941	81.4	18.6	81.2	18.8	80.3	19.7
Heating and cooking appliances	8,840	7,904	936	89.4	10.6	89.3	10.7	88.2	11.3
Iron castings	19,173	17,981	1,192	93.8	6.2	93.7	6.3	93.7	6.3
Machinery mfg. (j)	32,428	28,359	4,069	87.5	12.5	87.1	12.9	87.3	12.7
Industrial machinery (r)	24,037	21,309	2,728	88.7	11.3	88.5	11.5	88.5	11.5
Primary iron and steel	36,021	34,625	1,396	96.1	3.9	96.1	3.9	95.9	4.1
Sheet metal products	16,853	14,343	2,510	85.1	14.9	84.9	15.2	84.9	15.1
Wire and wire products	8,512	7,526	986	88.4	11.6	88.3	11.7	87.7	12.3

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

Industries	May 1959					April 1959		May 1958	
	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	131,212	121,291	9,921	92.4	7.6	92.4	7.6	92.5	7.5
Aircraft and parts	30,172	27,165	3,007	90.0	10.0	89.9	10.1	90.1	9.9
Motor vehicles	30,927	28,932	1,995	93.5	6.5	93.4	6.6	93.1	6.9
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	20,897	17,540	3,357	83.9	16.1	83.7	16.3	84.6	15.4
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	26,204	25,787	417	98.4	1.6	98.4	1.6	98.2	1.8
Shipbuilding and repairing	20,016	19,256	760	96.2	3.8	96.3	3.7	96.2	3.8
Non-ferrous metal products	54,471	48,842	5,629	89.7	10.3	89.3	10.7	90.0	10.0
Aluminum products	8,349	7,012	1,337	84.0	16.0	84.2	15.8	83.0	17.0
Brass and copper products	9,619	8,412	1,207	87.5	12.5	87.7	12.3	88.3	11.7
Smelting and refining	28,510	27,638	872	96.9	3.1	96.9	3.1	96.8	3.2
Electrical apparatus and supplies	74,065	53,037	21,028	71.6	28.4	71.4	28.6	72.0	28.0
Heavy electrical machinery	19,294	15,383	3,911	79.7	20.3	79.4	20.6	80.5	19.5
Telecommunication equipment	16,710	10,308	6,402	61.7	38.3	61.5	38.5	60.1	39.9
Non-metallic mineral products (k)	37,296	33,543	3,753	89.9	10.1	89.7	10.3	90.3	9.7
Clay products	5,649	5,097	552	90.2	9.8	90.9	9.1	89.7	10.3
Glass and glass products	9,461	7,667	1,794	81.0	19.0	80.1	19.9	82.8	17.2
Concrete products	7,375	7,146	229	96.9	3.1	96.5	3.5	..	..
Products of petroleum and coal	15,531	13,984	1,547	90.0	10.0	89.9	10.1	90.1	9.9
Petroleum refining	14,925	13,417	1,508	89.9	10.1	89.8	10.2	90.0	10.0
Chemical products	52,393	40,619	11,774	77.5	22.5	77.5	22.5	78.6	21.4
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	8,096	4,386	3,710	54.2	45.8	54.1	45.9	56.4	43.6
Acids, alkalis and salts	8,677	8,156	521	94.0	6.0	93.8	6.2	93.6	6.4
Other chemical products (l)	35,620	28,077	7,543	78.8	21.2	78.8	21.2	79.8	20.2
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	28,369	18,426	9,943	65.0	35.0	65.5	34.5	64.5	35.5
Construction									
Building and general engineering (m)	268,414	261,124	7,290	97.3	2.7	97.1	2.9	97.3	2.7
Building	165,274	160,565	4,709	97.2	2.8	96.9	3.1	97.2	2.8
General engineering	141,244	137,259	3,985	97.2	2.8	97.0	3.0	97.1	2.9
Highways, bridges and streets	24,030	23,306	724	97.0	3.0	96.7	3.3	97.7	2.3
103,140	100,559	2,581	97.5	2.5	97.3	2.7	97.5	2.5	
Transportation, storage, communication									
Transportation	363,065	306,206	56,859	84.3	15.7	83.8	16.2	83.9	16.1
Air transport and airports	266,964	251,012	15,952	94.0	6.0	93.8	6.2	94.0	6.0
Steam railways	14,898	11,780	3,118	79.1	20.9	79.4	20.6	79.0	21.0
Maintenance of equipment	158,185	150,106	8,071	94.9	5.1	94.7	5.3	94.8	5.2
Maintenance of ways and structures	19,578	19,382	196	99.0	1.0	99.0	1.0	99.1	0.9
Transportation - steam railways	38,650	38,455	195	99.5	0.5	99.4	0.6	99.5	0.5
Telegraphs	89,921	84,198	5,723	93.6	6.4	93.6	6.4	93.6	6.4
Water transportation (n)	10,036	8,071	1,965	80.4	19.6	80.1	19.9	78.1	21.9
Electric and motor transportation (o)	36,324	34,736	1,588	95.6	4.4	95.4	4.6	95.4	4.6
Urban and interurban transportation (p)	57,557	54,390	3,167	94.5	5.5	94.4	5.6	94.5	5.5
Truck transportation	23,701	22,653	1,048	95.6	4.4	95.6	4.4	95.5	4.5
26,877	25,407	1,470	94.5	5.5	94.4	5.6	94.6	5.4	
Storage									
Grain elevators	17,597	15,920	1,677	90.5	9.5	90.1	9.9	90.5	9.5
Storage and warehouse	11,973	10,941	1,032	91.4	8.6	91.1	8.9	91.3	8.7
Communication	5,624	4,979	645	88.5	11.5	88.1	11.9	88.9	11.1
Radio broadcasting	78,504	39,274	39,230	50.0	50.0	50.2	49.8	48.9	51.1
Telephone	12,437	9,005	3,432	72.4	27.6	72.4	27.6	71.8	28.2
63,648	27,953	35,695	43.9	56.1	43.8	56.2	43.2	56.8	
Public utility operation									
Electric light and power	60,132	52,360	7,772	87.1	12.9	87.0	13.0	87.1	12.9
Other public utilities (q)	47,747	41,118	6,629	86.1	13.9	86.0	14.0	86.2	13.8
12,385	11,242	1,143	90.8	9.2	90.7	9.3	91.3	8.7	
Trade									
Wholesale	443,688	284,377	159,311	64.1	35.9	64.0	36.0	63.9	36.1
Retail	152,535	118,808	33,727	77.9	22.1	77.7	22.3	77.4	22.6
Food	291,153	165,569	125,584	56.9	43.1	56.8	43.2	57.0	43.0
Department stores	73,570	50,231	23,339	68.3	31.7	68.1	31.9	68.6	31.4
Variety stores	84,033	30,284	53,749	36.0	64.0	35.9	64.1	36.8	63.2
Automotive products	23,748	3,497	20,251	14.7	85.3	14.9	85.1	14.6	85.4
41,757	37,844	3,913	90.6	9.4	90.7	9.3	90.5	9.5	
Finance, insurance and real estate									
Banking, investment and loan	144,783	72,897	71,886	50.3	49.7	50.3	49.7	49.6	50.4
Insurance	86,586	41,071	45,515	47.4	52.6	47.5	52.5	46.6	53.4
56,160	30,507	25,653	54.3	45.7	54.3	45.7	53.8	46.2	
Service (v)									
Hotels and restaurants	132,243	71,006	61,237	53.7	46.3	53.6	46.4	53.3	46.7
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	68,339	36,460	31,879	53.4	46.6	53.2	46.8	52.9	47.1
Business service	26,384	9,789	16,595	37.1	62.9	37.1	62.9	38.1	61.9
29,737	20,176	9,561	67.8	32.2	67.7	32.3	68.6	31.4	
Industrial composite	2,725,496	2,098,606	626,890	77.0	23.0	76.5	23.5	77.1	22.9

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Table 3.- Index Numbers of Employment (1949=100), Canada, by Industrial Divisions

Year and Month	Industrial Composite	Forestry (chiefly logging)	Mining	Manufacturing			Con- struction	Trans- portation, Storage & Commun- ication	Public Utility Operation	Trade	Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate	Service/ Other
				All Manu- factures	Durable Goods	Non- durable Goods						
Averages												
1947	95.7	149.6	88.6	97.2	98.6	96.7	85.6	95.4	76.7	90.2	91.5	94.6
1948	99.7	133.4	97.2	100.1	101.2	99.3	95.4	99.0	89.0	96.3	96.0	99.1
1949	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1950	101.5	100.3	105.5	100.9	100.9	100.9	102.4	99.9	101.3	103.2	105.4	101.0
1951	108.8	138.6	110.6	108.0	112.8	103.8	110.2	106.1	103.4	107.4	115.2	103.1
1952	111.6	123.9	116.3	109.3	117.2	102.5	122.5	110.9	107.5	109.9	121.9	106.6
1953	113.1	98.3	110.8	113.0	123.5	103.9	118.1	111.2	112.4	113.1	122.4	108.8
1954	109.9	96.3	110.4	107.3	114.2	101.4	110.6	109.0	116.1	114.8	128.0	111.7
1955	112.9	102.9	113.7	109.8	117.4	103.2	115.0	110.8	119.2	113.7	132.1	115.0
1956	120.7	113.2	122.7	115.8	126.4	106.6	131.3	118.3	126.3	126.3	137.1	125.1
1957	122.6	99.3	127.2	115.8	125.3	107.6	135.7	120.4	133.6	131.8	145.0	131.9
1958	117.9	75.9	123.5	109.3	114.8	105.6	126.2	115.5	137.6	131.6	149.3	135.1
1956												
January	112.3	115.6	114.4	110.2	118.4	103.1	102.9	109.4	119.3	119.1	132.3	115.2
February	113.2	109.5	115.9	112.3	122.7	103.4	101.9	110.0	118.6	113.7	133.9	115.9
March	113.5	84.2	117.3	113.4	124.7	103.6	101.4	111.2	118.4	121.1	134.6	117.8
April	115.2	66.6	116.9	114.1	125.9	104.0	115.0	114.3	121.4	122.0	135.1	120.1
May	119.7	95.2	123.0	115.4	123.0	104.6	133.1	118.5	125.2	124.0	135.6	124.7
June	124.2	112.2	126.1	118.0	129.5	108.1	151.5	121.3	128.8	126.0	136.8	130.9
July	125.4	114.0	128.2	117.9	128.6	108.7	156.3	124.9	132.0	125.2	137.5	134.4
August	125.7	116.8	128.6	118.0	126.6	110.7	156.6	124.7	134.4	125.8	137.7	134.4
September	125.9	127.2	126.5	118.6	127.4	111.0	152.2	123.2	131.3	129.4	140.5	129.0
October	126.2	137.9	126.9	118.6	129.3	109.4	151.5	121.9	129.9	131.1	140.4	127.8
November	125.7	145.8	125.4	118.0	129.2	108.3	142.5	121.5	129.2	135.0	140.5	126.8
December	121.4	133.5	122.7	114.8	126.9	104.3	117.1	118.6	126.8	138.0	140.2	124.7
1957												
January	118.6	116.8	124.1	115.1	126.4	105.3	113.9	114.7	125.4	126.5	140.2	124.9
February	118.1	108.4	124.7	115.0	126.0	105.6	112.7	113.8	124.0	126.1	141.3	125.1
March	118.0	82.4	123.4	115.4	126.9	105.5	115.3	114.0	125.1	127.4	142.1	126.7
April	119.4	62.0	120.8	115.8	127.3	105.9	125.4	118.3	129.5	129.4	143.8	127.9
May	123.5	93.6	126.3	116.7	127.7	107.3	143.2	121.8	134.7	130.6	143.4	132.1
June	126.6	115.4	129.5	118.4	128.6	109.6	151.7	124.4	136.3	132.0	144.1	137.3
July	127.6	113.0	131.7	118.1	127.3	110.3	158.4	127.4	139.9	130.9	144.9	140.8
August	127.6	103.0	132.5	118.5	125.2	112.7	158.0	127.2	142.0	131.0	147.7	140.8
September	126.9	109.6	130.0	118.1	124.5	112.6	153.5	124.4	139.3	133.3	148.6	136.3
October	125.2	107.2	129.2	116.2	124.5	109.0	148.6	122.7	137.9	134.6	148.3	132.7
November	122.5	93.9	128.1	113.3	122.1	105.8	136.9	119.9	135.8	138.9	148.3	130.4
December	117.5	86.8	126.1	109.0	117.4	101.8	111.3	116.1	133.8	140.5	147.9	127.5
1958												
January	113.7	76.3	126.2	107.9	115.2	101.7	105.9	111.0	132.3	127.7	147.5	128.3
February	113.0	71.4	126.8	108.2	115.1	102.2	101.9	110.7	131.8	126.5	147.0	128.5
March	112.9	54.8	125.5	108.3	115.2	102.3	102.4	110.5	132.9	128.4	147.6	129.5
April	114.6	42.1	121.9	108.3	115.5	103.0	115.9	114.0	136.3	129.0	148.3	130.6
May	118.7	65.5	126.2	110.4	117.4	104.5	133.3	117.5	139.3	130.4	148.1	136.4
June	121.3	83.1	126.8	112.0	118.3	106.6	140.1	119.2	141.4	131.5	148.6	141.3
July	122.0	81.3	127.2	111.8	116.5	107.9	147.6	120.6	143.5	130.2	149.3	142.7
August	121.8	76.4	127.1	111.5	113.0	110.2	148.8	120.4	142.9	129.8	150.5	144.0
September	121.9	84.9	125.1	112.4	114.1	110.9	144.2	118.3	140.5	133.0	150.9	139.1
October	120.1	92.1	118.2	110.1	112.4	108.2	137.5	116.9	138.5	134.3	151.4	135.6
November	119.2	93.3	115.7	109.6	113.2	106.5	129.5	114.5	137.0	138.3	151.5	133.3
December	115.8	89.5	115.4	106.8	111.4	102.8	108.0	112.5	134.7	140.7	151.4	131.8
1959												
January	113.7	77.5	122.4	107.5	112.0	103.7	105.0	109.3	132.0	129.6	151.3	131.6
February	113.0	70.1	118.8	107.5	111.6	104.0	104.0	108.5	132.5	129.0	150.8	131.7
March	113.7	52.9	118.4	108.4	113.3	104.2	107.1	109.7	133.1	131.1	151.0	132.6
April	115.7	42.6	120.6	109.5	114.9	104.8	120.1	112.3	135.8	131.5	151.5	134.5
May	119.3	61.2	123.3	111.5	117.7	106.3	131.6	116.0	139.7	133.1	151.8	138.4
June												
July												
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December												

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

Monthly statistics are based on data for the last pay periods of reporting establishments in each month. Annual data are simple means of the monthly statistics.

Table 9.- Index Numbers of Employment, Payrolls and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries in Dollars, Canada, Industrial Composite and Manufacturing

Year and Month	Industrial Composite				Manufacturing				Average Weekly Wages and Salaries	
	Index Numbers (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries	Index Numbers (1949=100)					
	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Av. Weekly Wages and Salaries		Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Av. Weekly Wages and Salaries			
Averages										
1947	95.7	80.7	84.2	\$36.19	97.2	80.4	82.6	\$36.34		
1948	99.7	93.2	93.2	40.06	100.1	92.6	92.5	40.67		
1949	100.0	100.0	100.0	42.96	100.0	100.0	100.0	43.97		
1950	101.5	106.0	104.4	44.84	100.9	106.2	105.1	46.21		
1951	108.8	125.6	115.5	49.61	108.0	126.1	116.6	51.25		
1952	111.6	140.3	126.0	54.13	109.3	139.7	127.6	56.11		
1953	113.1	151.8	133.9	57.53	113.0	152.8	134.8	59.29		
1954	109.9	151.6	137.4	59.04	107.3	150.0	139.1	61.15		
1955	112.9	161.2	142.1	61.05	109.3	159.5	144.4	63.43		
1956	120.7	182.0	150.0	64.44	115.8	176.8	151.7	66.71		
1957	122.6	194.7	158.1	67.93	115.8	185.3	159.1	69.94		
1958	117.9	194.1	163.9	70.43	109.8	182.7	165.3	72.67		
1956										
January	112.3	164.0	145.3	62.43	110.2	164.0	147.9	65.05		
February	113.2	167.3	147.1	63.20	112.3	168.5	149.1	65.57		
March	113.5	168.4	147.6	63.43	113.4	171.2	150.1	66.02		
April	115.2	172.3	148.8	63.93	114.1	174.2	151.7	66.70		
May	119.7	179.0	148.8	63.93	115.4	175.6	151.1	66.46		
June	124.2	187.6	150.3	64.56	118.0	180.6	152.1	66.89		
July	125.4	189.9	150.8	64.77	117.9	179.2	151.1	66.44		
August	125.7	191.0	151.3	65.01	118.0	180.1	151.7	66.71		
September	125.9	194.5	153.3	66.07	118.6	184.4	154.6	67.97		
October	126.2	195.4	154.2	66.24	118.6	185.9	155.9	68.53		
November	125.7	194.3	153.9	66.11	118.0	185.6	156.4	68.78		
December	121.4	180.3	148.0	63.58	114.8	171.7	148.3	65.44		
1957										
January	118.6	184.7	155.2	66.66	115.1	182.0	157.3	69.17		
February	118.1	185.8	156.8	67.36	115.0	182.3	157.6	69.29		
March	118.0	186.1	157.3	67.56	115.4	184.4	158.9	69.37		
April	119.4	187.9	156.8	67.37	115.8	184.8	158.7	69.78		
May	123.5	195.7	157.9	67.82	116.7	186.7	159.0	69.92		
June	126.6	202.2	159.1	68.33	118.4	190.1	159.6	70.19		
July	127.6	204.0	159.2	68.41	118.1	189.1	159.1	69.95		
August	127.6	204.2	159.4	68.43	118.5	189.2	158.7	69.77		
September	126.9	204.1	160.2	68.84	118.1	189.9	159.9	70.29		
October	125.2	201.3	160.1	68.79	116.2	188.4	161.2	70.86		
November	122.5	198.2	161.2	69.24	113.3	185.9	163.0	71.69		
December	117.5	182.2	154.4	66.35	109.0	170.8	155.7	68.47		
1958										
January	113.7	183.9	161.2	69.25	107.9	176.9	162.9	71.61		
February	113.0	185.0	163.0	70.02	108.2	178.5	163.9	72.08		
March	112.9	185.3	163.4	70.20	108.3	180.4	165.6	72.80		
April	114.6	188.3	163.8	70.35	108.8	181.6	165.8	72.92		
May	118.7	196.3	164.7	70.76	110.4	185.6	167.0	73.42		
June	121.3	200.3	164.6	70.70	112.0	187.4	166.2	73.06		
July	122.0	201.6	164.7	70.76	111.8	186.0	165.2	72.62		
August	121.8	201.1	164.5	70.67	111.5	184.9	164.7	72.40		
September	121.9	201.8	164.9	70.85	112.4	187.2	165.4	72.73		
October	120.1	199.5	165.6	71.13	110.1	185.0	166.8	73.36		
November	119.2	199.4	166.7	71.60	109.6	186.0	168.5	74.11		
December	115.8	186.5	160.4	68.91	106.8	173.4	161.3	70.91		
1959										
January	113.7	192.2	168.4	72.34	107.5	185.1	170.9	75.16		
February	113.0	193.1	170.2	73.11	107.5	186.2	171.9	75.59		
March	113.7	193.0	169.0	72.60	108.4	186.8	172.0	75.22		
April	115.7	198.0	170.5	73.26	109.5	189.9	172.1	75.69		
May	119.3	205.9	171.9	73.84	111.5	195.0	173.5	76.27		
June										
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Table 10B.- Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Canada and Provinces, Industrial Composite

Year and Month	CANADA	New- foundland	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Sask- atchewan	Alberta ¹	British Columbia ²
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Averages											
1947	36.19	..	29.14	32.60	33.35	34.74	37.16	36.15	35.35	37.19	38.67
1948	40.06	..	31.77	35.97	36.21	38.46	41.26	39.93	38.76	41.48	42.47
1949	42.96	..	33.56	37.65	38.08	41.19	44.36	42.68	41.50	44.40	45.65
1950	44.84	40.10	34.44	39.40	38.76	42.89	46.58	43.84	42.86	45.61	47.70
1951	49.61	44.51	37.52	42.51	43.02	47.37	51.69	48.37	46.68	50.37	52.93
1952	54.13	51.00	40.08	45.88	46.04	51.66	56.36	51.73	50.90	54.90	59.46
1953	57.53	55.74	44.56	48.61	49.09	54.74	59.66	55.05	54.77	59.04	63.61
1954	59.04	54.30	44.41	49.56	50.49	56.58	61.36	56.54	56.21	60.19	64.42
1955	61.05	54.32	45.76	50.83	52.17	58.62	63.55	58.30	58.02	62.30	66.00
1956	64.44	57.57	47.50	52.90	55.10	61.86	66.86	60.88	61.66	66.93	70.15
1957	67.93	61.99	50.68	56.36	57.33	65.18	70.56	63.73	65.26	69.62	73.80
1958	70.43	62.36	51.15	58.33	58.14	67.69	73.20	66.85	68.14	72.88	75.88
1956											
January	62.43	54.20	47.74	52.68	54.07	59.94	64.94	59.05	58.96	64.92	67.33
February	63.20	55.58	44.40	52.43	55.01	60.83	65.67	59.79	59.67	65.53	68.13
March	63.43	55.96	46.43	52.19	54.97	60.58	66.14	59.67	60.01	65.33	68.65
April	63.93	54.94	47.24	53.14	53.89	61.21	66.63	60.32	59.96	64.72	69.57
May	63.93	56.00	49.24	52.25	52.52	61.57	66.41	60.21	60.05	66.06	69.74
June	64.56	58.88	47.49	53.03	53.49	61.52	67.06	61.57	61.12	67.06	71.75
July	64.77	59.24	48.03	53.42	55.25	61.95	67.15	61.82	62.48	67.16	70.94
August	65.01	58.34	46.92	53.25	55.91	62.51	67.17	61.84	63.79	68.22	70.83
September	66.07	59.75	47.93	53.88	56.08	63.49	68.22	62.37	63.98	69.93	72.46
October	66.24	59.88	48.48	52.84	56.86	63.80	68.63	62.10	63.56	69.86	72.02
November	66.11	60.27	48.29	53.04	56.09	63.76	68.62	61.36	63.40	68.29	72.34
December	63.58	57.79	47.79	52.71	57.07	61.16	65.70	60.51	62.97	66.10	68.05
1957											
January	66.66	59.44	46.74	55.40	57.51	64.16	69.39	62.46	63.84	68.80	71.09
February	67.36	60.83	51.65	56.35	59.03	64.96	69.64	62.78	64.68	69.79	72.84
March	67.56	61.36	52.02	56.56	58.97	64.97	69.97	62.52	64.03	69.36	73.37
April	67.37	63.27	51.98	56.12	56.18	64.68	69.94	62.67	63.45	68.01	73.46
May	67.82	62.84	52.17	56.01	55.64	65.12	70.38	63.19	64.38	69.33	74.47
June	68.33	64.43	50.70	56.52	56.33	64.95	70.92	64.66	66.04	70.42	76.00
July	68.41	63.31	50.92	56.50	57.36	65.58	71.22	65.22	66.10	69.18	73.93
August	68.48	62.16	49.54	56.44	57.66	65.62	71.04	65.43	66.15	69.76	74.38
September	68.84	62.12	52.24	57.27	57.99	65.76	71.47	65.14	66.31	70.48	75.62
October	68.79	61.42	49.32	56.79	57.65	65.83	71.78	64.38	66.37	70.19	74.62
November	69.24	62.00	50.29	56.92	56.79	66.56	72.24	64.22	66.36	70.87	74.80
December	66.35	60.65	50.55	55.48	56.84	63.92	68.79	62.08	65.37	69.24	70.55
1958											
January	69.25	61.67	52.71	58.44	57.63	66.64	72.08	64.87	66.48	71.56	73.59
February	70.02	62.77	50.23	59.44	59.35	67.42	72.43	65.73	67.49	73.07	75.52
March	70.20	63.74	50.86	59.52	58.60	67.66	72.73	65.72	66.78	72.52	75.58
April	70.35	63.29	52.72	58.38	57.25	67.98	72.94	65.70	66.75	71.45	76.45
May	70.76	63.10	53.39	57.93	56.77	68.03	73.71	67.11	67.97	72.45	76.32
June	70.70	62.28	52.11	59.13	56.82	67.29	73.96	67.87	68.99	73.32	75.51
July	70.76	61.86	50.50	58.35	58.77	68.11	73.89	67.51	69.37	72.43	74.75
August	70.67	61.57	50.14	58.18	57.88	67.70	73.62	67.96	69.55	73.58	75.65
September	70.35	63.02	50.78	58.65	58.84	68.18	73.41	67.69	69.29	73.83	76.47
October	71.13	61.97	50.41	57.90	58.37	68.23	73.85	67.88	68.57	74.20	78.08
November	71.60	62.24	48.78	59.15	58.47	68.96	74.31	67.92	68.24	74.21	78.26
December	68.91	60.80	51.16	54.93	58.88	66.10	71.47	66.24	68.25	71.99	74.35
1959											
January	72.34	60.73	54.62	59.26	59.47	69.65	75.46	68.01	68.34	74.78	77.90
February	73.11	64.26	55.70	60.27	60.55	70.21	75.83	69.38	69.24	76.71	79.02
March	72.63	64.65	54.88	59.75	61.14	69.50	75.39	68.92	69.04	75.27	73.70
April	73.26	65.13	55.63	59.88	60.05	70.55	75.98	69.38	69.22	75.00	80.02
May	73.93	63.51	55.59	60.55	59.81	70.74	76.94	70.52	69.64	75.98	81.26
June											
July											
August											
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December											

1/Including Northwest Territories. 2/Including Yukon.

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AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES, URBAN AREAS
INDUSTRIAL COMPOSITE

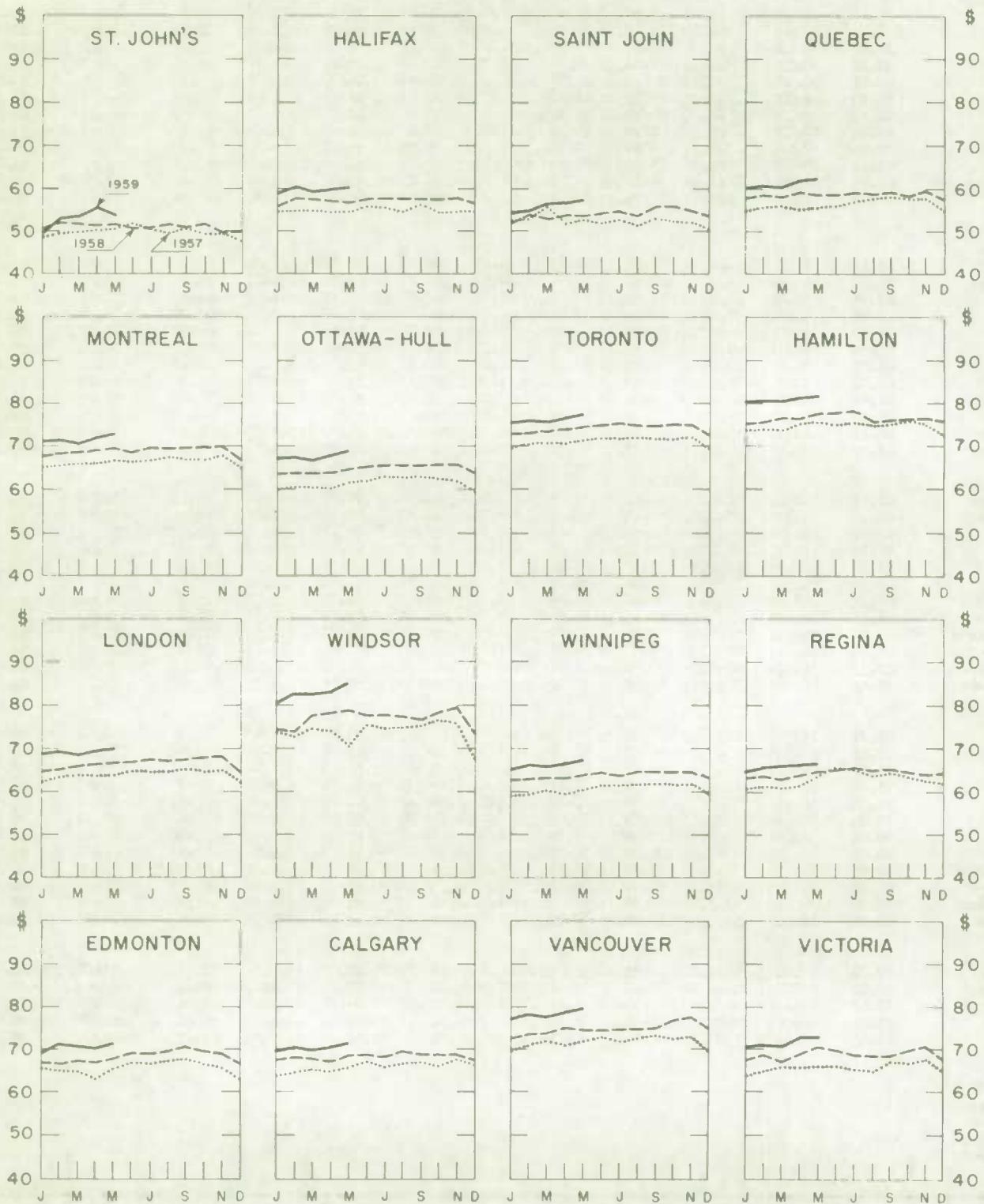


Table 11B.- Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Urban Areas, Industrial Composite

Year and Month	St. John's	Halifax	Saint John	Quebec	Sher- brooke	Three Rivers	Montreal	Ottawa- Hull	Toronto	Hamilton	St. Catharines	Brantford
Averages	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1947	..	32.23	31.34	30.98	29.96	34.94	35.14	33.36	37.02	37.42	41.28	35.95
1948	..	33.49	33.47	33.51	32.88	39.85	38.83	36.38	41.00	42.50	45.90	40.77
1949	32.23	35.44	35.83	35.67	35.92	41.70	41.82	39.23	44.04	46.65	49.40	43.69
1950	33.10	36.35	37.22	37.40	37.90	42.87	43.58	40.81	46.49	48.91	52.85	45.67
1951	35.86	39.61	40.29	40.48	41.58	48.35	47.69	45.01	51.68	54.11	60.07	51.01
1952	39.36	44.10	43.16	43.95	45.10	50.69	52.24	48.75	56.65	58.94	64.38	56.58
1953	42.21	46.19	45.22	46.99	46.76	53.47	55.60	51.75	60.23	61.52	66.20	56.70
1954	43.72	47.79	47.33	48.58	48.11	55.80	57.40	54.41	62.43	63.20	67.63	58.80
1955	45.21	49.68	49.54	50.84	50.67	57.82	59.68	56.40	64.54	65.77	70.92	60.00
1956	47.34	51.73	50.42	53.64	53.70	60.14	62.80	58.60	67.61	69.97	74.76	61.76
1957	49.82	54.80	52.26	56.22	55.71	62.97	66.11	61.24	70.88	74.44	77.76	63.63
1958	50.98	57.19	54.00	58.64	57.13	64.07	68.87	64.50	73.96	76.41	79.12	66.68
1956												
January	45.59	52.30	51.10	52.38	52.53	58.29	61.25	57.70	65.96	67.39	72.87	61.19
February	46.27	52.26	51.99	52.40	53.96	58.57	61.60	58.13	66.44	67.91	71.73	62.71
March	47.06	51.76	51.93	51.60	52.31	58.06	61.82	57.32	66.92	68.85	75.14	64.03
April	45.92	50.80	50.53	52.67	53.93	58.70	62.73	58.02	67.53	69.20	76.10	62.31
May	45.63	51.47	49.47	54.70	53.03	59.59	62.71	58.80	67.48	69.98	75.47	62.41
June	47.63	52.31	49.69	54.10	52.31	61.70	62.61	59.07	67.86	69.34	74.55	62.01
July	49.32	52.48	49.96	53.71	51.48	61.03	63.12	59.34	68.05	70.28	74.64	62.85
August	47.34	52.07	49.40	54.04	54.02	61.56	63.65	59.81	68.09	70.72	74.13	58.85
September	48.81	51.91	50.39	54.69	56.22	61.42	64.38	59.75	68.84	71.90	75.68	61.15
October	48.43	51.45	50.70	55.31	56.13	61.59	64.62	59.71	69.38	72.31	76.84	62.29
November	48.29	51.25	50.22	55.74	56.75	61.81	64.21	58.76	68.77	72.57	76.31	62.17
December	47.83	50.66	49.68	52.38	51.76	59.38	60.92	56.76	65.99	69.21	73.69	59.20
1957												
January	48.51	54.40	52.11	54.61	57.89	63.08	64.96	59.90	69.63	73.41	78.38	63.69
February	49.45	54.83	52.80	55.41	57.64	63.00	65.21	60.34	70.18	73.92	77.37	63.60
March	49.72	54.97	55.67	55.66	56.81	62.79	65.65	60.17	70.41	73.68	77.82	64.38
April	50.10	54.22	51.57	55.01	54.86	62.29	65.87	60.06	70.40	75.11	77.69	63.59
May	50.54	54.67	52.25	55.53	55.44	62.93	66.66	61.38	71.02	75.48	78.35	63.33
June	51.88	55.63	51.80	55.94	55.05	65.19	66.09	61.70	71.52	74.64	77.93	62.75
July	50.47	55.31	52.38	56.88	55.92	63.38	66.64	62.73	71.53	75.19	78.60	64.18
August	49.74	54.52	51.19	57.51	54.85	62.73	67.00	62.50	71.58	74.55	75.63	63.07
September	50.54	56.01	52.88	58.16	56.00	64.05	66.68	62.71	71.51	75.00	77.96	64.11
October	49.53	54.15	52.01	57.43	56.16	63.26	66.77	62.04	71.53	75.62	78.40	64.32
November	49.53	54.53	51.95	57.84	56.89	62.81	67.21	61.73	71.93	74.71	78.50	65.11
December	47.85	54.36	50.48	54.68	51.00	60.12	64.59	59.58	69.33	72.01	76.50	61.46
1958												
January	50.79	55.87	51.96	57.86	56.30	64.02	67.68	63.20	72.67	74.90	79.12	65.48
February	51.93	57.64	53.72	58.41	55.89	62.56	68.22	63.30	72.82	75.68	78.90	65.70
March	51.80	57.48	52.59	58.09	57.19	63.41	68.57	63.50	73.31	76.45	79.92	67.04
April	51.19	57.09	53.87	59.12	57.82	62.67	68.94	63.76	73.70	76.59	80.63	67.12
May	51.58	56.68	53.77	58.78	57.11	64.52	69.48	64.61	74.26	77.81	81.96	67.35
June	50.74	57.51	54.04	58.71	57.29	64.02	68.34	65.09	74.65	77.65	80.51	66.98
July	50.62	57.70	54.72	59.09	57.76	64.96	69.63	65.40	75.04	78.28	79.22	66.13
August	51.46	57.59	53.76	58.90	57.55	64.76	69.27	65.33	74.61	75.57	79.01	65.50
September	50.60	57.58	55.44	59.47	57.69	66.04	69.67	65.40	74.51	75.93	77.39	67.25
October	51.48	57.22	55.91	58.39	58.45	66.08	69.84	65.55	74.87	76.03	78.30	68.99
November	49.77	57.69	54.55	59.57	58.34	67.11	69.99	65.56	74.85	76.26	79.81	68.04
December	49.84	56.28	53.63	57.25	54.18	58.70	66.76	63.24	72.25	75.81	74.63	64.64
1959												
January	49.72	58.90	54.16	60.31	58.78	66.60	71.07	67.00	75.79	80.11	83.22	69.21
February	52.83	60.19	54.83	60.63	58.89	67.16	71.30	67.24	75.80	80.48	83.44	69.68
March	53.22	59.32	56.51	60.30	57.81	65.86	70.48	66.56	75.69	80.45	82.51	69.72
April	55.41	59.83	56.65	61.82	59.41	67.49	71.65	67.04	76.49	81.12	83.39	70.61
May	53.52	60.13	57.01	62.06	59.75	67.65	72.38	68.14	77.26	81.87	84.00	70.55
June												
July												
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Table 11B.- Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, Urban Areas, Industrial Composite - Concluded

Year and Month	Ft. William-Victoria										
	Kitchener	London	Windsor	Pt. Arthur	Winnipeg	Regina	Saskatoon	Edmonton	Calgary	Vancouver ^{1/}	Victoria
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Averages											
1947	35.25	33.86	43.49	39.09	33.37	32.00	32.25	32.97	34.48	36.40	35.29
1948	38.63	38.16	47.33	43.07	36.85	35.57	34.89	37.58	38.52	40.20	38.34
1949	40.64	40.76	50.75	45.43	39.31	38.26	37.43	40.59	41.97	43.76	41.81
1950	42.84	43.48	54.60	46.71	40.94	39.98	38.87	42.35	43.48	45.68	43.93
1951	47.20	48.42	58.22	52.86	45.27	43.62	42.35	47.03	47.99	50.12	49.03
1952	51.87	52.01	63.03	57.37	49.06	48.08	46.88	52.05	52.82	55.77	53.77
1953	55.01	54.78	67.63	60.02	51.89	50.76	50.16	57.93	55.94	59.23	56.90
1954	56.65	56.34	68.26	60.59	53.84	53.87	52.80	57.36	58.14	61.41	58.06
1955	59.44	58.45	71.23	62.69	55.74	55.69	54.52	59.39	59.62	63.62	59.84
1956	61.36	61.24	71.33	66.04	57.84	58.59	56.80	63.10	62.40	67.41	61.53
1957	63.64	63.76	73.58	70.38	60.58	62.69	59.91	65.36	65.56	71.46	65.37
1958	65.64	66.52	77.04	71.57	63.71	64.23	63.81	68.19	68.11	74.64	68.73
1956											
January	59.84	59.26	72.34	63.80	56.38	56.88	55.13	60.00	61.21	64.73	60.93
February	60.04	60.75	72.39	64.13	56.56	57.39	56.21	60.27	61.45	65.30	61.44
March	60.60	60.81	72.68	63.74	56.96	57.57	56.56	60.84	61.37	66.14	61.22
April	61.65	61.46	72.34	65.22	57.66	57.52	55.76	59.90	61.74	67.23	61.52
May	62.04	61.39	65.96	65.67	57.39	57.63	56.22	62.14	62.43	67.36	61.25
June	61.75	61.91	71.92	66.78	58.63	57.72	57.25	63.68	63.37	68.61	62.19
July	60.26	61.18	71.03	67.14	58.30	59.86	56.79	64.26	62.05	67.79	61.70
August	61.78	61.87	71.53	66.71	58.40	60.31	57.13	66.30	62.61	67.95	60.91
September	62.78	62.39	73.55	67.53	59.06	59.58	57.45	67.75	63.90	69.42	61.32
October	63.17	62.40	69.58	68.41	58.91	59.74	57.69	66.60	63.23	69.08	61.90
November	62.93	62.07	74.67	68.10	58.27	59.41	58.19	65.15	63.00	69.21	63.01
December	59.52	59.38	68.02	65.21	57.43	59.49	57.18	60.33	62.43	66.14	60.94
1957											
January	62.38	62.11	73.53	66.33	59.02	60.46	57.47	65.20	63.62	69.60	63.35
February	63.58	63.11	72.57	67.57	59.70	61.18	59.15	64.99	64.34	70.53	64.55
March	63.27	63.69	74.22	68.48	60.16	60.96	58.02	64.83	64.81	71.36	65.67
April	63.70	63.59	73.84	68.15	59.77	61.19	58.47	62.92	64.52	70.82	65.47
May	64.65	63.70	70.26	70.26	60.31	63.18	59.80	65.02	65.36	71.62	65.61
June	64.15	64.45	75.10	72.99	61.21	65.58	61.06	66.49	66.78	72.50	65.86
July	63.95	64.23	74.20	72.64	61.21	65.23	60.91	66.21	65.57	71.60	64.97
August	63.96	64.26	74.38	72.77	61.35	63.31	60.15	66.91	66.24	72.34	64.63
September	64.94	65.00	75.03	72.10	61.69	64.05	61.40	67.37	66.52	72.95	66.82
October	64.42	64.26	76.31	71.85	61.29	63.06	60.80	66.14	65.62	72.17	66.34
November	64.82	64.86	75.76	72.79	61.74	62.31	61.43	65.27	67.37	72.58	67.00
December	59.91	61.89	67.82	68.66	59.46	61.80	60.31	62.91	66.01	69.47	64.15
1958											
January	63.99	64.79	74.03	70.36	62.34	62.95	61.63	66.73	67.21	72.28	67.24
February	64.09	65.00	73.87	70.36	62.75	63.18	61.97	66.89	68.08	73.48	68.57
March	64.67	65.93	77.43	69.52	63.04	62.73	62.62	67.05	67.58	73.53	66.95
April	64.59	66.30	78.22	70.42	62.97	63.81	62.59	66.89	66.96	74.95	68.39
May	66.17	66.74	78.98	72.91	63.82	64.51	63.72	67.89	68.46	74.50	70.38
June	66.88	66.94	77.96	72.37	64.34	65.38	63.87	69.03	68.61	74.38	69.63
July	66.97	67.25	77.99	70.98	63.67	65.34	64.57	69.01	68.02	74.38	68.72
August	66.40	66.90	77.48	72.78	64.72	65.04	65.36	69.44	69.25	74.54	68.44
September	66.94	67.36	76.69	72.33	64.56	65.15	65.92	70.26	68.73	74.97	68.20
October	67.84	68.04	78.58	72.73	64.77	64.59	65.59	69.51	68.47	76.72	69.66
November	67.71	68.23	79.84	73.46	64.64	63.99	64.29	69.13	68.80	77.25	70.57
December	62.40	64.76	73.37	70.65	62.95	64.06	63.55	66.40	67.11	74.64	67.53
1959											
January	68.51	68.71	80.24	72.53	65.38	64.31	64.40	69.12	69.33	77.22	70.45
February	68.92	69.01	82.77	73.16	66.34	65.85	64.77	71.14	70.20	78.05	70.94
March	68.52	68.45	82.35	72.31	65.99	66.08	65.15	70.72	69.98	77.71	70.55
April	68.63	69.24	82.95	71.51	66.53	66.37	66.16	70.43	70.12	78.83	72.73
May	69.99	69.91	84.89	75.80	67.33	66.62	66.86	71.47	71.64	79.62	72.69
June											
July											
August											
September											
October											
November											
December											

1/Commencing with Jan. 1, 1956 Vancouver includes New Westminster.

Monthly statistics are based on data for the last pay periods of reporting establishments in each month. Annual data are simple means of the monthly statistics.

NOTES

General.—The monthly surveys of employment and weekly payrolls relate to all branches of the following industrial divisions: forestry, mining, manufacturing, transportation, storage and communication, construction, public utilities, trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and to certain groups of the service industry, mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries and dry cleaning plants, recreational and business services. The surveys do not cover firms usually employing less than 15 persons, of which the number is very large in relation to their employment 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 most of the provinces and in the metropolitan areas. The industrial representation, though large, is more uneven, the proportion of employees 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, at place of residence. In 1951, data were not segregated for paid workers actually at work. Estimates of coverage that can be made are therefore conservative because they relate employees of reporting firms to all paid workers with jobs, including those absent from work without pay who would not be included in the monthly statistics of employment and payrolls. Estimates of coverage according to industrial divisions for Canada and the provinces are given in the first columns of Tables 4 and 5.

In these estimates, the Census figures for automobile repair have been moved from manufacturing to trade, since a large proportion of such work is carried on in retail establishments which do not furnish separate data for their sales and repair staffs.

In three industries (construction in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, transportation in Manitoba and public utility operation in British Columbia) the provincial proportions exceed 100 p.c., due to classification differences between the Census and the monthly surveys of establishments. This situation in construction in two provinces is probably due to short-term employment afforded by reporting highway construction establishments to workers whose main occupation is farming, in which they would be enumerated by the Census. Inclusion of some railway employees reported monthly in Manitoba who were elsewhere enumerated in the

Census results in a proportion of over 100 p.c. in the transportation, storage and communication group in that province. The high figure in public utility operation in British Columbia is likely a result of inclusion of employees in that industry who would be shown in either construction or transportation by the Census.

The following table contains provincial estimates of 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 included. The general estimate for Canada was 62 p.c.

**Estimated Provincial Coverage of all paid workers,
June 1, 1951**

Province	p.c.
Newfoundland	47
Prince Edward Island	24
Nova Scotia	51
New Brunswick	50
Quebec	62
Ontario	68
Manitoba	61
Saskatchewan	39
Alberta	51
British Columbia	61

It is important to note that the statistics of employees covered, as published in the monthly and annual reports, 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 in the indicated periods, 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. The request for statistics for the last pay period in the month only is designed to prevent duplication in the employment count where individuals may appear on the payrolls of more than one employer in a period of several weeks. The workers reported are not necessarily employed for a period of a week, by any one establishment or by more than one. 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 without pay 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 pay-

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

3. The Processing.— Statistics of wages and salaries reported for any period exceeding a week are reduced for tabulation purposes to one week's proportion of the totals, the numerators of the fractions used for this purpose being 5, 6 or 7 days, depending upon the number of days per week on which the establishment 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.

4. The Tabulation.— Data tabulated each month show the numbers of women and of workers of both sexes drawing pay from the establishments furnishing returns and their weekly payrolls, with similar information for employees of the same firms a month earlier, and in the base period (1949). The statistics first published for each month are preliminary; re-tabulation of the data on the succeeding month's tabulation permits incorporation of revisions in the material originally tabulated and 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 employees of 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, are 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 welfare funds such as workmen's compensation, pension, and unemployment insurance funds and supplementary unemployment benefits. 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), and retirement gratuities.

The revised figures of earnings in the monthly reports 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 co-operating employers keep record of hours worked are contained in the monthly reports "Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings".

8. Metropolitan Area Statistics.— Urban statistics in the present report include data for establishments situated in the metropolitan areas as defined by the 1956 Census Bulletin 1-6, "Population—Incorporated Cities, Towns and Villages", except that the St. Catharines Metropolitan Area includes Welland as well as Merriton, Port Dalhousie and Thorold, and parts of Grantham and Thorold Townships.

FOOTNOTES

Most of the footnotes are lists of names of industries that appear in the Standard Industrial Classification Manual which are grouped under special titles in employment and payroll publications. In some industries, the group breakdown shown in the tables is less extensive than in the Standard Industrial Classification; figures for the omitted categories however, are contained in the group totals.

- (a) **Gold mining** includes alluvial gold mining; auriferous quartz mining.
- (b) **Other metal mining** includes copper-gold-silver mining; iron mining; nickel-copper mining; silver-cobalt mining; silver-lead-zinc mining; miscellaneous metal mining.
- (c) **Non-metal mining** includes non-metal mining; quarrying, clay and sand pits.
- (d) **Other beverages** includes carbonated beverages; wines.
- (f) **Other leather products** includes leather gloves and mittens; leather tanneries; miscellaneous leather products.
- (g) **Saw and planing mills** includes plywood and veneer mills; sash, door and planing mills; sawmills.
- (h) **Other wood products** includes boxes and baskets (wood); morticians' goods; miscellaneous wood products.
- (i) **Other paper products** includes paper boxes and bags; roofing papers; miscellaneous paper products.
- (j) **Machinery manufacturing** includes household, office and store machinery; machine tools; machinery, n.e.c.
- (k) **Non-metallic mineral products** includes abrasive products; asbestos products; cement, hydraulic; clay products; glass and glass products; lime and gypsum products; stone products; concrete products; miscellaneous non-metallic mineral products.
- (l) **Other chemical products** includes explosives, ammunition and pyrotechnics; fertilizers; paints and varnishes; soaps, washing and cleaning compounds; toilet preparations; vegetable oil mills; primary plastics; miscellaneous chemical and allied products.
- (m) **Building** includes buildings and structures; special trade contractors. **General engineering** includes other construction, other than highways, bridges and streets.
- (n) **Water transportation** includes water transportation; services incidental to water transportation.
- (o) **Electric and motor transportation** includes bus and coach transportation-interurban; urban and suburban transportation systems; taxicab; truck transportation; services incidental to transportation; other transportation.
- (p) **Urban and interurban transportation** includes bus and coach transportation-interurban; urban and suburban transportation systems.
- (q) **Other public utilities** includes gas manufacture and distribution; water and sanitary services; other public utilities.
- (r) **Industrial Machinery** includes machine tools; macbinery, n.e.c.
- (s) The Northwest Territories with the exception of Baffin Island are included in Alberta. Baffin Island is included in Quebec. The Yukon Territories is included in British Columbia.
- (t) **Synthetic textiles and silk** includes synthetic filament yarn and staple fibre; spun yarn and fabric.
- (u) **Durable goods manufacturing** includes wood, iron and steel, transportation equipment, non-ferrous metal, electrical apparatus and supplies and non-metallic minerals. The **non-durable group** includes the remaining manufacturing industries.
- (v) **Service** includes hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business, recreational services and miscellaneous services. Government, community and health services are not covered.
- (w) Estimates of coverage are based on comparisons of data for 1951 with Population Census Statistics. For details, see notes on page 1.



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