

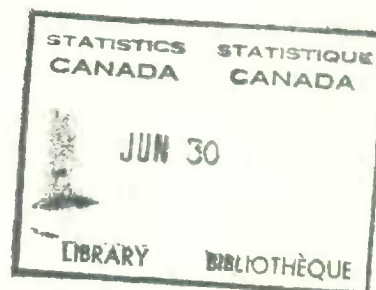
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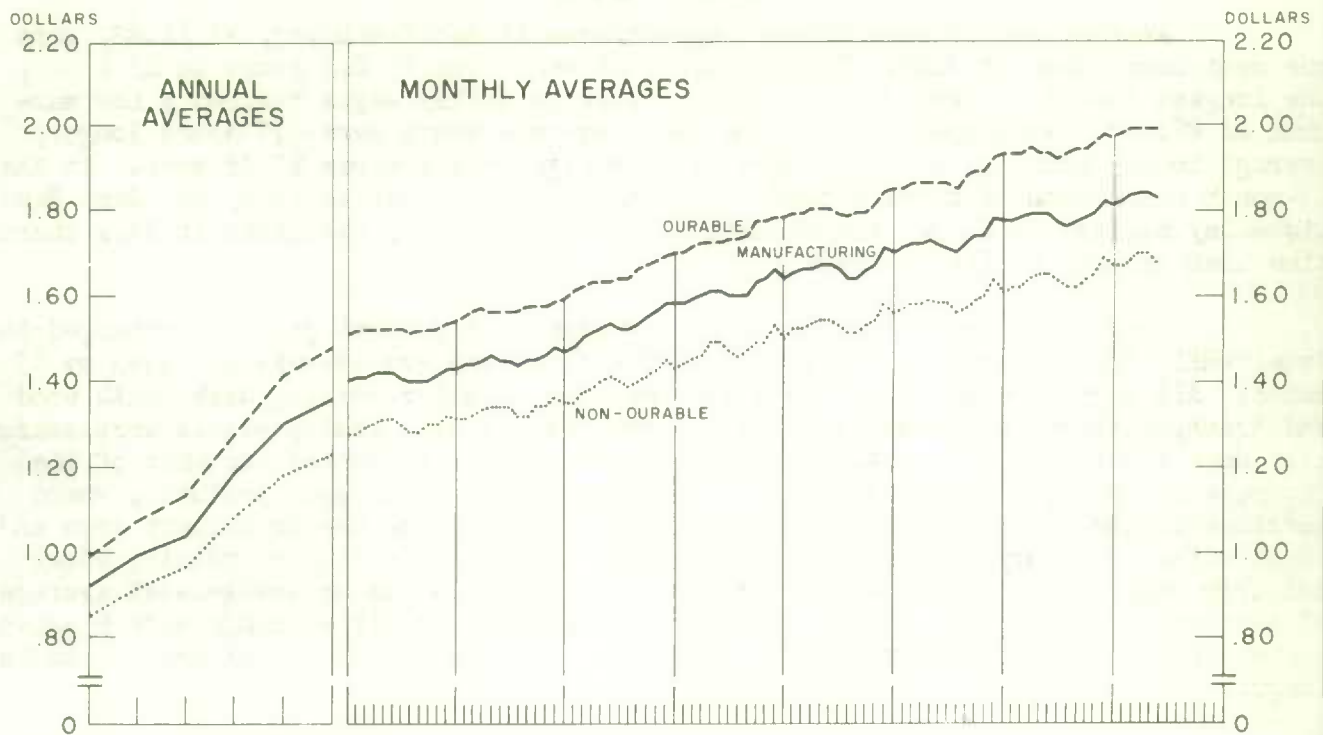
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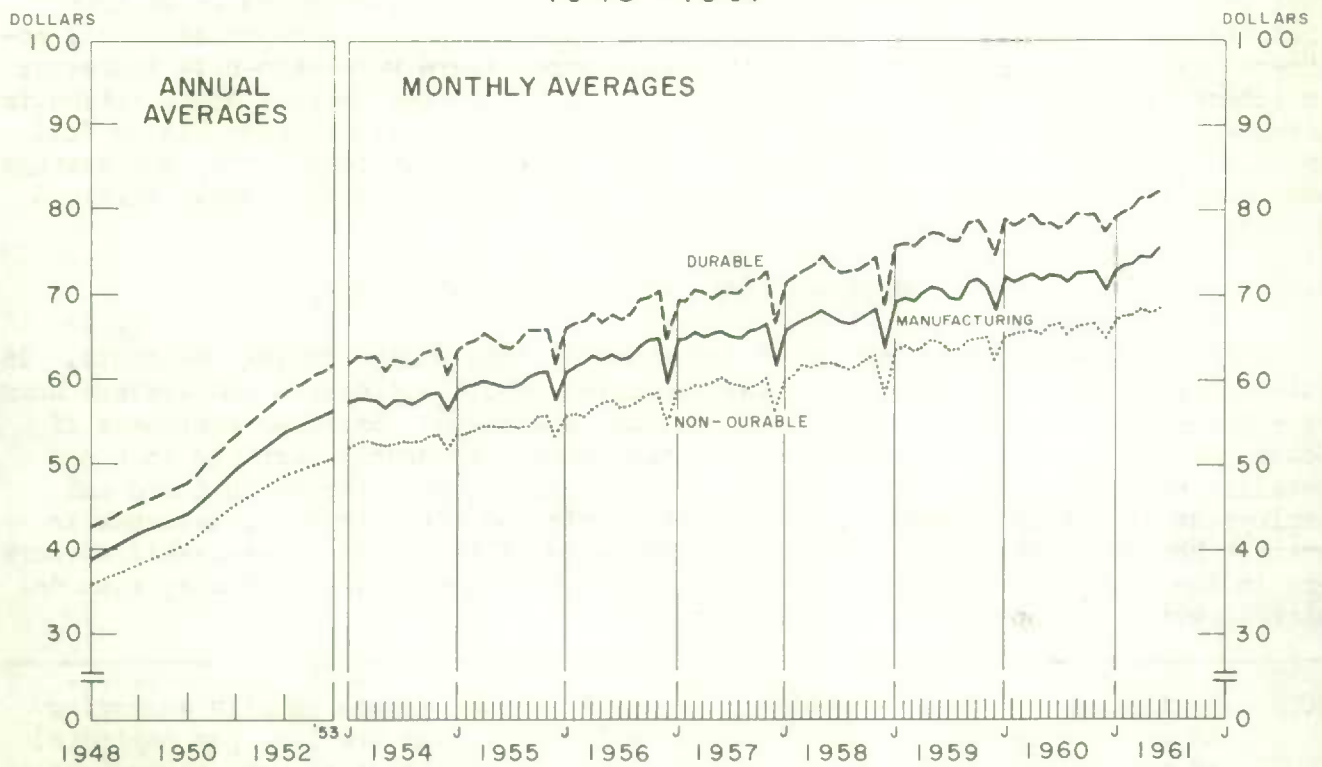
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# AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING 1948 - 1961



# AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES IN MANUFACTURING 1948 - 1961





## MAN-HOURS AND HOURLY EARNINGS, JUNE, 1961.

### Manufacturing

Average hourly earnings of wage-earners in manufacturing, at \$1.83, were one cent lower than in June. The average work week rose by 0.5 hours to 41 hours, the longest recorded since October, 1959. Average weekly wages reached a new maximum of \$75.07. As compared with June 1960, average hours were 0.7 hours longer, average hourly earnings 4 cents higher and average weekly wages \$2.88 more. In the 12-month comparison of hours worked, it should be noted that in 1961, St. Jean Baptiste Day holiday in Quebec was celebrated at the week end, resulting in less short time than in many earlier years.

In durable goods manufacturing, average hourly earnings were unchanged in June, while the average work week rose by 0.4 hours and average weekly wages by 63 cents. All major groups in the industry reported a longer working week, with wood and transportation equipment showing the greatest gains. Wood products were seasonally more active, while overtime work in motor vehicles accounted for much of the increase in transportation equipment. Increased activity in wood products, where earnings are below the general average, and reduced premium pay in primary iron and steel offset the buoyant effect that wage-rate increases in railway rolling stock and some other industries and overtime in motor vehicles had on the general averages of earnings. As compared with a year earlier, average hourly earnings were 6 cents higher and average weekly wages rose by \$3.60. The average work week was 0.5 hours longer.

Average hourly earnings in non-durable goods manufacturing were 2 cents lower than in May. With an increase of 0.7 hours in the work week, average weekly wages rose by 68 cents. Substantial gains were recorded in employment and hours in food processing, where earnings are below-average, and smaller gains in leather products and clothing and reduced overtime and premium pay were reported in oil refineries and chemical products. On the other hand, there were wage-rate increases in tobacco and rubber products and cotton goods. While the average hours worked in a number of industries were higher than in May, the greatest increase was in food processing, particularly fish packing. In the year-to-year comparison, the average work week in non-durables generally was 0.7 hours longer, average hourly earnings 3 cents more and average weekly wages \$2.59 more.

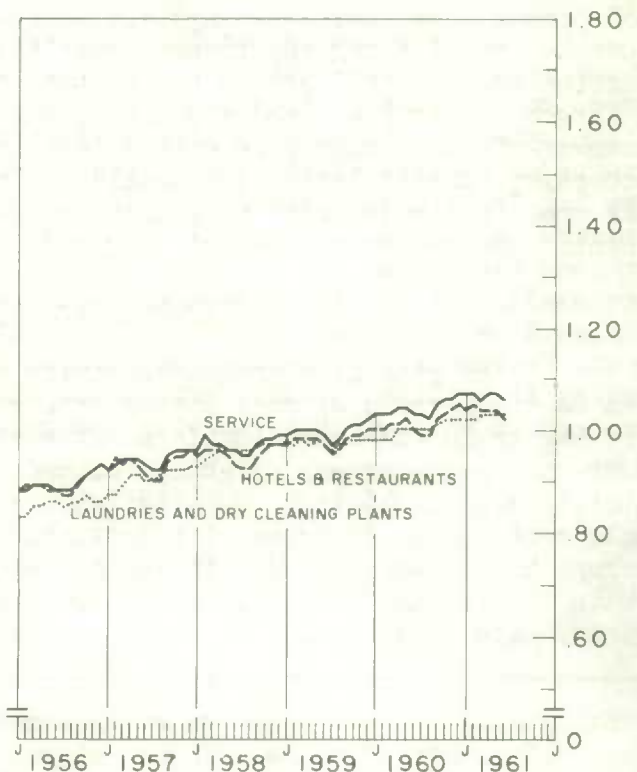
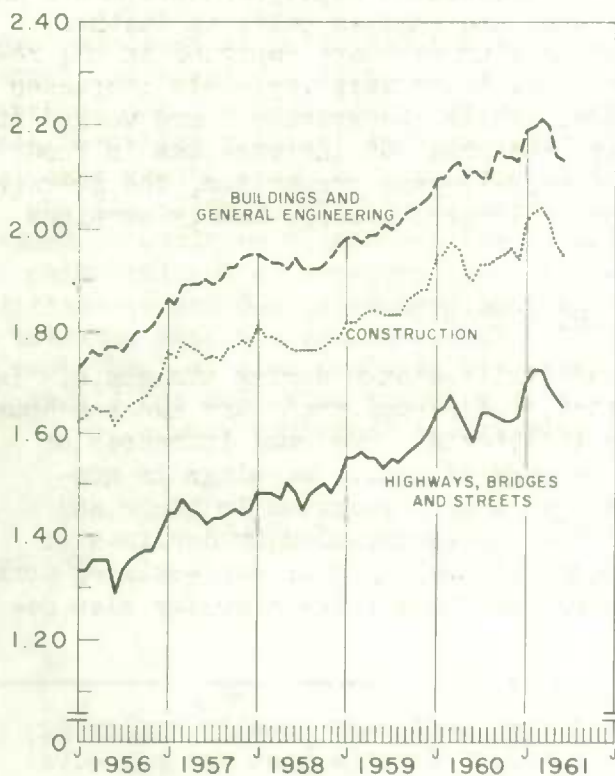
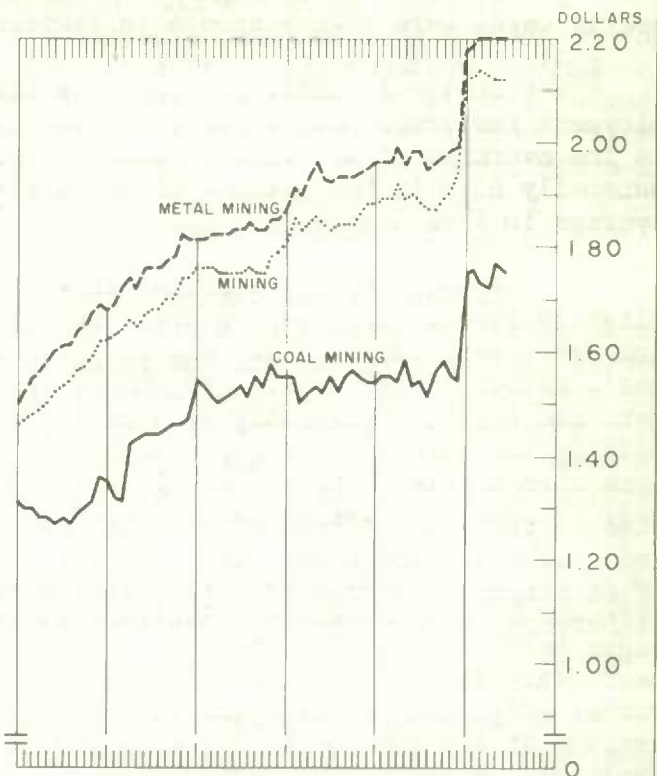
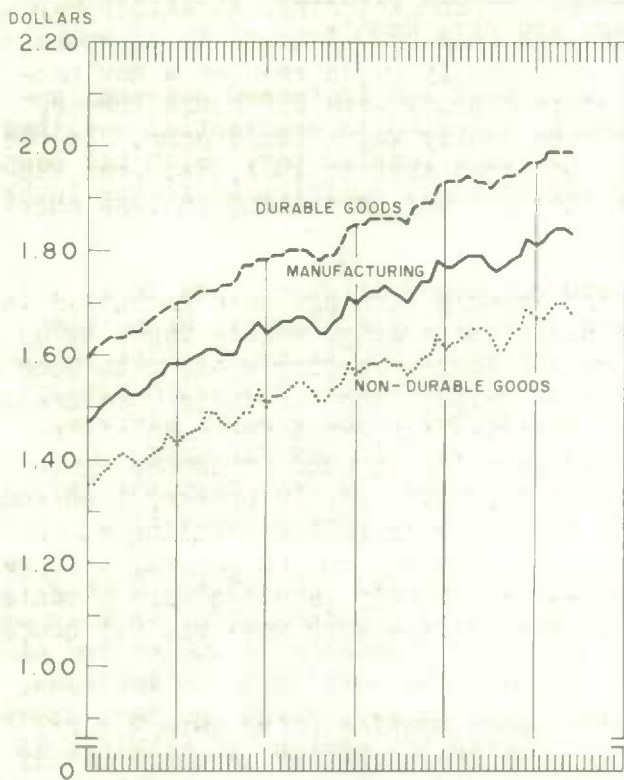
### Non-Manufacturing Industries

The general averages in mining showed little change during the month. In Nova Scotia layoffs of coal miners were reported, while employment and average hours were higher in oil and natural gas extraction in Alberta. Seasonal increases of lower-paid wage-earners slightly reduced the average of hourly earnings in non-metallic mineral mining. Substantial seasonal gains were reported in hours and employment in all branches of construction. This was accompanied by declines in average hourly earnings due to larger percentages of unskilled or semi-skilled workers in the labour force. Average hourly earnings in the service industry also declined, with the opening of summer hotels.

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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.

# AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES, CANADA





Provinces

Average hourly earnings in manufacturing were higher in June than in May in Manitoba, unchanged in Quebec, Alberta and British Columbia, and lower in the other provinces. The average work week was longer in all provinces and average weekly wages were higher except in Newfoundland and Nova Scotia.

In the Atlantic provinces, a longer work week and increased seasonal employment for lower-paid workers in fish processing resulted in substantial declines in the averages of earnings in manufacturing. Reduced premium pay, which had been unusually high in May because of the Victoria day holiday, contributed to the lower average in Nova Scotia.

Average hourly earnings in Quebec were unchanged in June. Due to a slightly longer work week, average weekly wages were a little higher. Wage-rate increases were reported in tobacco products, cotton goods and transportation equipment, although their effect on the general average was offset by increased employment and a longer work week in some industries paying below the general average, notably clothing and wood products. The average work week in manufacturing was more than an hour longer than in June 1960, partly because St. Jean Baptiste Day fell on Saturday, resulting in less short time work than in some other years.

In Ontario, there was a seasonal decline of one cent in average hourly earnings, due in large part to increased activity in food processing for workers at wages below the general average. There were wage-rate increases in rubber and aircraft factories and in some other industries, and overtime work in motor vehicles, rubber and paper products and breweries. Reduced premium pay, which had been above-average in May due to the Victoria Day holiday, lowered the average of earnings in synthetic textiles and chemicals.

Average hourly earnings of wage-earners in manufacturing in Manitoba rose by one cent to a new maximum of \$1.74 in June. Higher rates in beverages and transportation equipment, overtime work in paper and iron and steel products and increased employment in industries paying above the general average, notably meat products, were major factors in the gain. The average work week was 0.6 hours longer than in May, but fractionally lower than in June, 1960. Shorter working hours in oil refineries accounted for part of a 2-cent decline in average hourly earnings in Saskatchewan factories. In Alberta, changes in the general averages in manufacturing were small, the effect of wage-rate increases in food processing and transportation equipment being offset by reduced premium pay in chemical plants and less overtime in oil refineries. Increased employment of lower-paid seasonal help in food processing in British Columbia offset the influence of a longer work week and higher earnings in shipbuilding, leaving the general averages at their May levels.

TABLE 1. Average Hours and Average Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Canada, by Industry

Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
<b>Mining</b> .....	42.2	42.1	42.0	2.12	2.12	2.10	89.38	89.08	88.06	77,646
Metal mining .....	42.5	42.4	42.5	2.20	2.20	2.18	93.45	93.17	92.55	51,219
Gold (a) .....	43.1	43.6	43.5	1.69	1.70	1.66	72.91	74.14	72.29	14,071
Other metal (b) .....	42.3	42.0	42.1	2.39	2.39	2.38	101.23	100.38	100.38	37,148
Copper-gold-silver .....	39.8	39.9	41.0	2.18	2.20	2.08	86.78	87.76	85.04	8,193
Iron .....	47.8	46.2	45.9	2.44	2.47	2.56	116.62	114.04	117.38	5,586
Uranium .....	41.0	41.3	41.3	2.83	2.74	2.75	116.08	113.21	113.50	4,478
Fuels .....	41.4	40.4	40.4	1.99	1.96	1.97	82.20	79.48	79.74	14,252
Coal .....	41.2	41.0	40.3	1.75	1.77	1.73	71.98	72.79	69.88	8,355
Oil and natural gas (c) .....	41.6	39.3	40.5	2.32	2.35	2.36	96.68	92.26	95.46	5,897
Non-metal (d) .....	41.9	42.3	41.8	1.92	1.95	1.87	80.63	83.32	78.32	12,175
Asbestos .....	40.0	41.9	41.4	2.22	2.22	2.14	88.99	92.87	88.59	5,920
<b>Manufacturing</b> .....	41.0	40.5	40.4	1.83	1.84	1.79	75.07	74.44	72.19	843,525
Durable goods .....	41.2	40.8	40.7	1.99	1.99	1.93	81.99	81.36	78.48	403,299
Non-durable goods .....	40.8	40.1	40.1	1.68	1.70	1.65	68.72	68.04	66.13	440,226
Food and beverages .....	42.4	40.9	41.3	1.59	1.64	1.57	67.36	66.99	64.77	105,261
Meat products .....	42.5	41.4	41.2	1.91	1.91	1.85	81.24	79.20	76.12	22,521
Canned and cured fish .....	44.5	35.5	39.8	1.03	1.17	1.08	46.04	41.41	43.16	13,259
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables .....	39.4	38.9	38.5	1.38	1.41	1.33	54.42	54.82	51.19	9,102
Grain mill products .....	42.7	43.1	43.5	1.75	1.75	1.72	74.76	75.51	74.67	5,747
Bread and other bakery products .....	43.4	42.6	42.9	1.50	1.48	1.48	64.87	63.22	63.34	12,071
Biscuits and crackers .....	41.0	39.7	40.7	1.36	1.38	1.29	55.93	54.56	52.39	5,817
Distilled liquors .....	41.4	40.0	40.6	2.08	2.09	2.01	85.85	83.84	81.53	2,878
Malt liquors .....	41.1	39.4	40.0	2.35	2.34	2.24	96.61	92.13	89.44	6,611
Confectionery .....	40.0	40.8	39.6	1.33	1.31	1.30	53.11	53.60	51.69	5,631
Tobacco and tobacco products .....	40.0	40.4	40.7	1.93	1.90	1.82	77.18	76.95	74.09	6,611
Rubber products .....	41.4	40.6	40.4	1.89	1.87	1.82	78.37	75.72	73.42	14,430
Rubber footwear .....	40.3	41.5	41.0	1.39	1.38	1.34	55.82	57.28	55.00	3,850
Other rubber products (e) .....	41.8	40.3	40.1	2.07	2.03	2.02	86.58	81.80	81.12	10,580
Leather products .....	40.1	39.4	38.2	1.24	1.24	1.22	49.88	49.01	46.40	24,271
Boots and shoes (except rubber) .....	40.0	39.1	37.5	1.18	1.19	1.17	47.30	46.62	44.00	16,874
Other leather products (f) .....	40.6	39.9	39.7	1.37	1.36	1.31	55.76	54.34	52.04	7,397
Textile products (except clothing) .....	42.0	41.6	41.3	1.37	1.37	1.34	57.80	57.07	55.30	46,461
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods .....	40.5	39.3	39.2	1.41	1.39	1.34	57.21	54.82	52.71	14,563
Woollen goods .....	43.7	43.4	43.2	1.28	1.28	1.26	56.16	55.53	54.23	7,916
Synthetic textiles and silk .....	42.6	43.4	42.5	1.46	1.47	1.43	62.04	63.60	60.96	10,538
Filament yarn and staple fibres .....	40.0	41.9	41.8	1.81	1.82	1.75	72.24	76.15	72.97	4,925
Spun yarn and fabrics .....	44.9	44.7	43.2	1.18	1.18	1.14	53.10	52.50	49.37	5,613
Clothing (textile and fur) .....	37.9	37.4	36.4	1.17	1.17	1.14	44.52	43.75	41.34	75,366
Men's clothing .....	37.3	36.7	36.4	1.17	1.17	1.14	43.69	42.97	41.65	26,455
Women's clothing .....	36.2	36.3	33.4	1.24	1.23	1.19	44.91	44.64	39.77	19,725
Knit goods .....	40.8	40.1	38.6	1.10	1.09	1.07	44.91	43.89	41.23	13,653
*Wood products .....	41.6	40.8	40.6	1.60	1.61	1.57	66.67	65.71	63.75	74,008
Saw and planing mills .....	41.0	40.3	40.2	1.70	1.71	1.67	69.63	69.00	67.14	47,951
Plywood and veneer mills .....	40.1	40.1	38.3	1.70	1.69	1.71	68.06	67.79	65.64	9,641
Sash, door and planing mills .....	42.6	41.8	41.8	1.44	1.44	1.40	61.37	60.25	58.30	11,690
Sawmills .....	40.6	39.7	40.1	1.82	1.84	1.77	73.83	73.09	71.19	26,620
Furniture .....	42.7	41.8	40.8	1.47	1.46	1.44	62.68	61.20	58.95	18,551
Other wood products (g) .....	43.0	41.6	42.0	1.34	1.36	1.32	57.57	56.46	55.68	7,506
Paper products .....	41.5	40.9	41.6	2.15	2.15	2.08	89.21	88.10	86.35	75,285
Pulp and paper mills .....	41.5	40.9	41.9	2.31	2.32	2.22	95.93	95.04	92.98	55,061
Other paper products (h) .....	41.5	41.0	40.9	1.71	1.70	1.66	70.89	69.44	67.66	20,224
Paper boxes and bags .....	41.6	40.7	40.7	1.68	1.67	1.63	70.02	68.22	66.16	12,393
Printing, publishing and allied industries .....	39.2	38.7	39.2	2.22	2.22	2.16	86.92	85.98	84.71	32,535

For footnotes (a) to (h) see notes on last page. \*Durable manufactured goods industries.



TABLE 1. Average Hours and Average Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Canada, by Industry - Concluded

Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported June 1961
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
<b>Manufacturing - concluded:</b>										
*Iron and steel products .....	41.1	40.9	40.8	2.14	2.15	2.06	87.74	87.93	84.01	123,521
Agricultural implements .....	40.0	40.0	40.1	2.16	2.17	2.10	86.29	86.64	84.29	8,268
Boilers and plate work .....	41.4	40.7	41.3	2.03	2.00	1.97	83.90	81.35	81.50	4,693
Fabricated and structural steel .....	40.9	40.6	41.1	2.10	2.11	2.04	85.89	85.54	83.97	7,080
Hardware and tools .....	42.2	41.9	42.1	1.79	1.79	1.79	75.64	74.85	75.41	8,168
Heating and cooking appliances .....	40.5	40.0	40.0	1.81	1.78	1.78	73.13	71.18	71.23	5,903
Iron castings .....	41.8	40.7	40.3	2.00	2.00	1.97	83.73	81.48	79.37	13,821
Machinery (i) .....	41.6	41.3	41.2	1.98	1.98	1.92	82.27	81.88	79.17	20,803
Household, office and store .....	41.1	41.0	40.6	1.99	1.99	1.92	81.57	81.41	78.08	5,703
Industrial (j) .....	41.8	41.5	41.5	1.98	1.98	1.92	82.53	82.06	79.55	15,100
Primary iron and steel .....	40.2	41.1	39.9	2.54	2.58	2.38	101.88	106.04	94.89	30,209
Sheet metal products .....	41.7	40.7	41.6	2.10	2.12	2.06	87.41	86.18	85.97	12,668
Wire and wire products .....	42.2	41.6	41.2	2.12	2.08	2.03	89.57	86.45	83.84	6,332
*Transportation equipment .....	40.8	40.3	40.5	2.13	2.11	2.03	86.91	85.06	82.30	90,401
Aircraft and parts .....	41.7	42.1	41.3	2.11	2.10	2.00	87.83	88.62	82.57	18,592
Motor vehicles .....	41.7	40.2	41.0	2.34	2.30	2.22	97.60	92.68	91.21	21,292
Motor vehicle parts and accessories .....	40.4	40.6	40.0	2.09	2.10	2.01	84.46	85.42	80.20	13,882
Railroad and rolling stock equipment .....	39.4	39.1	39.7	2.07	2.00	1.96	81.49	78.40	77.87	18,280
Shipbuilding and repairing .....	40.2	39.1	40.0	2.03	2.03	1.97	81.73	79.36	78.72	16,719
*Non-ferrous metal products .....	40.6	40.6	40.7	2.16	2.15	2.11	87.56	87.30	85.92	39,646
Aluminum products .....	41.6	41.7	42.1	1.90	1.93	1.82	78.84	80.41	76.51	5,252
Brass and copper products .....	41.6	40.9	40.1	2.02	2.01	1.94	84.27	82.11	77.58	5,644
Smelting and refining .....	40.0	40.2	40.6	2.39	2.38	2.34	95.40	95.45	94.97	23,333
Other non-ferrous metal products (k) .....	41.2	40.8	40.4	1.59	1.58	1.52	65.69	64.27	61.59	5,417
*Electrical apparatus and supplies .....	41.0	40.5	40.6	1.88	1.89	1.84	77.21	76.32	74.52	46,179
Heavy electrical machinery and equipment* .....	41.2	40.7	40.8	2.08	2.08	2.06	85.71	84.39	84.19	10,020
Telecommunication equipment .....	40.7	40.0	40.5	1.73	1.76	1.64	70.36	70.31	66.38	10,914
Batteries .....	41.3	40.9	39.9	1.79	1.79	1.79	74.07	73.26	71.50	1,380
Refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and appliances .....	40.1	39.8	39.7	1.91	1.92	1.88	76.64	76.29	74.60	5,822
Wire and cable .....	43.4	42.0	41.8	2.08	2.08	2.02	90.49	87.27	84.15	4,413
Miscellaneous electrical products .....	40.6	40.3	40.5	1.79	1.78	1.74	72.59	71.80	70.35	13,444
*Non-metallic mineral products (l) .....	43.6	43.4	42.1	1.86	1.86	1.78	81.31	80.78	74.75	29,544
Clay products .....	43.7	42.7	41.3	1.69	1.70	1.62	74.07	72.82	67.03	4,138
Glass and glass products .....	40.7	41.2	40.5	1.88	1.86	1.75	76.59	76.76	71.00	7,833
Products of petroleum and coal .....	41.5	41.6	41.5	2.57	2.58	2.57	106.74	107.13	106.44	8,149
Petroleum refining and products .....	41.5	41.5	41.5	2.59	2.60	2.58	107.49	107.90	107.23	7,879
Chemical products .....	41.2	41.4	41.1	2.03	2.04	1.98	83.77	84.46	81.12	29,151
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations .....	40.1	40.4	40.9	1.54	1.55	1.50	61.84	62.83	61.45	3,230
Acids, alkalis and salts .....	41.2	41.0	40.7	2.33	2.39	2.27	96.07	97.94	92.27	6,463
Fertilizers .....	41.9	46.4	41.5	2.06	1.98	2.08	86.59	92.00	86.50	1,940
Paints and varnishes .....	41.3	41.0	41.5	1.89	1.89	1.82	77.96	77.38	75.44	2,852
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries .....	41.1	40.8	41.4	1.52	1.52	1.49	62.36	61.97	61.70	22,706
Professional and scientific equipment .....	40.7	40.5	40.6	1.85	1.83	1.82	75.19	74.27	74.11	5,883
<b>Construction</b> .....	41.7	39.7	40.1	1.95	1.97	1.90	81.20	78.08	76.13	196,783
Building and general engineering (m) .....	40.8	39.3	39.2	2.13	2.14	2.11	86.89	84.11	82.62	124,670
Building .....	39.9	38.4	38.0	2.13	2.14	2.13	84.93	82.14	80.80	104,200
General engineering .....	45.7	44.2	45.7	2.12	2.14	2.02	96.86	94.59	92.50	20,470
Highways, bridges and streets .....	43.2	40.4	41.6	1.65	1.67	1.58	71.36	67.54	65.87	72,113
Electric and motor transportation (n) .....	43.7	43.4	43.8	1.90	1.90	1.82	83.05	82.31	79.78	33,244
<b>Service (o)</b> .....	39.0	38.8	39.5	1.06	1.07	1.03	41.18	41.53	40.49	58,243
Hotels and restaurants .....	39.0	38.8	39.5	1.02	1.04	1.00	39.98	40.27	39.35	39,623
Laundries and dry cleaning plants .....	40.0	40.1	40.3	1.03	1.03	1.00	41.07	41.44	40.36	13,618

For footnotes (a) to (o) see notes on last page. \*Durable manufactured goods industries. †Index numbers of average hourly earnings in this industry appear in Table 8.

TABLE 2. - Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners in Specified Industries, Provinces

Province and Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
<b>Newfoundland</b>										
Mining .....	45.6	46.3	47.3	1.97	2.14	1.98	89.80	99.12	93.63	2,619
Manufacturing .....	44.1	40.7	43.7	1.53	1.71	1.46	67.39	69.66	63.66	9,321
Food and beverages .....	46.0	39.7	45.8	0.96	1.02	0.93	43.95	40.35	42.52	4,445
Canned and cured fish .....	45.7	37.5	46.1	0.87	0.89	0.85	39.97	33.47	39.33	3,608
Pulp and paper mills .....	42.9	41.2	42.4	2.57	2.57	2.31	110.11	105.66	97.87	2,612
Building and general engineering (m) .....	43.5	41.7	45.1	1.83	1.87	1.77	79.74	78.02	79.64	2,611
<b>Nova Scotia</b>										
Coal mining .....	41.9	42.2	40.6	1.69	1.73	1.68	70.88	73.15	68.09	6,190
Manufacturing .....	42.5	40.3	42.1	1.57	1.66	1.58	66.78	66.84	66.35	20,780
Food and beverages .....	47.6	42.5	43.2	1.06	1.10	1.03	50.48	46.78	44.65	4,945
Canned and cured fish .....	49.7	41.5	42.4	1.01	1.09	1.02	50.38	45.29	43.42	2,792
Wood products .....	44.9	41.7	46.6	1.00	0.99	0.97	45.07	41.20	45.24	1,526
Iron and steel products .....	40.2	39.5	41.7	2.20	2.51	2.13	88.50	98.99	89.04	4,537
Primary iron and steel .....	39.7	39.3	42.0	2.37	2.74	2.25	94.11	107.88	94.70	3,424
Transportation equipment .....	40.2	38.9	41.1	1.78	1.77	1.81	71.57	68.96	74.35	5,402
Shipbuilding and repairing .....	40.4	38.5	41.9	1.76	1.76	1.79	71.21	67.63	74.80	4,257
Building and general engineering (m) .....	41.0	40.8	40.2	1.64	1.75	1.52	67.27	71.38	60.88	4,655
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	39.6	33.8	39.3	1.47	1.45	1.34	58.29	48.94	52.55	3,181
<b>New Brunswick</b>										
Manufacturing .....	43.8	38.8	42.5	1.45	1.56	1.53	63.69	60.60	65.26	16,192
Food and beverages .....	48.9	38.8	43.0	1.03	1.20	1.15	50.30	46.66	49.54	5,483
Saw and planing mills .....	44.5	42.7	46.4	1.05	1.05	1.00	46.59	44.97	46.28	1,550
Pulp and paper mills .....	40.5	38.3	41.1	2.19	2.18	2.17	88.62	83.29	89.35	3,645
Transportation equipment .....	39.1	31.9	42.9	1.91	1.99	1.87	74.53	63.51	80.17	2,103
Building and general engineering (m) .....	38.5	34.7	40.3	1.55	1.60	1.63	59.80	55.46	65.53	2,704
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	42.2	36.2	43.5	1.28	1.25	1.19	53.81	45.06	51.81	3,264
<b>Quebec</b>										
Metal mining .....	44.4	43.8	43.4	2.02	2.00	2.02	89.43	87.56	87.54	11,549
Non-metal mining (d) .....	41.0	42.7	41.2	2.04	2.06	1.96	83.50	88.21	80.92	6,518
Manufacturing .....	41.7	41.4	40.6	1.65	1.65	1.62	68.77	68.12	65.81	277,453
Food and beverages .....	44.1	43.0	43.1	1.55	1.57	1.54	68.32	67.58	66.42	24,035
Tobacco .....	40.0	40.6	40.7	1.93	1.91	1.83	77.18	77.34	74.61	5,555
Rubber products .....	41.3	43.1	42.2	1.48	1.48	1.42	61.14	63.89	59.76	4,273
Leather products .....	39.4	39.2	35.7	1.17	1.17	1.16	46.20	46.04	41.59	12,228
Boots and shoes (except rubber) .....	39.1	38.9	35.1	1.17	1.18	1.17	45.68	45.71	41.14	9,540
Textile products (except clothing) .....	42.8	42.5	41.9	1.31	1.30	1.26	56.16	55.48	52.93	27,711
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods .....	40.9	39.8	39.4	1.44	1.42	1.36	58.82	56.56	53.44	10,190
Woollen goods .....	46.5	47.2	46.3	1.24	1.24	1.21	57.67	58.43	55.91	2,991
Synthetic textiles and silk <sup>1</sup> .....	43.4	44.4	43.1	1.24	1.24	1.20	53.72	55.01	51.56	7,017
Clothing (textile and fur) .....	37.8	37.3	35.1	1.16	1.16	1.12	43.87	43.10	39.31	46,204
Men's clothing .....	37.1	36.1	34.8	1.16	1.15	1.13	42.82	41.57	39.38	15,050
Women's clothing .....	35.9	36.3	32.2	1.24	1.23	1.18	44.51	44.83	37.92	14,311
Knit goods .....	42.0	41.0	37.7	1.08	1.07	1.05	45.39	43.76	39.68	6,436
Wood products .....	46.8	45.7	43.2	1.20	1.20	1.17	56.27	54.99	50.51	16,633
Saw and planing mills .....	48.3	47.2	44.5	1.13	1.13	1.10	54.58	53.31	48.96	7,763
Furniture .....	45.2	44.3	40.7	1.34	1.33	1.32	60.45	58.87	53.72	6,422
Paper products .....	42.4	41.7	42.7	2.06	2.08	2.02	87.41	86.93	86.32	29,098
Pulp and paper mills .....	42.5	41.9	43.3	2.20	2.23	2.14	93.54	93.33	92.81	22,896
Other paper products (h) .....	42.0	41.2	40.3	1.54	1.54	1.52	64.77	63.47	61.29	6,202
Printing, publishing and allied industries .....	39.4	39.5	39.8	2.14	2.14	2.10	84.28	84.40	83.53	8,956
Iron and steel products .....	42.7	42.3	42.0	1.89	1.88	1.85	80.69	79.55	77.68	23,861
Machinery (i) .....	42.5	42.7	42.3	1.77	1.78	1.70	75.47	75.78	71.89	5,162
Transportation equipment .....	41.7	42.4	40.8	2.05	2.02	1.93	85.29	85.89	78.74	23,410
Aircraft and parts .....	43.3	43.8	42.1	2.12	2.13	1.99	91.60	93.20	83.78	10,042
Railroad and rolling stock equipment .....	39.6	39.3	40.1	2.07	2.00	1.97	82.03	78.50	78.74	7,060
Shipbuilding and repairing .....	40.6	43.0	38.6	2.02	2.00	1.90	82.19	86.05	73.15	5,136

Footnotes (a) to (c) appear in explanatory notes at the end of this report.

<sup>1</sup> Includes synthetic filament yarn and staple fibre and spun yarn and fabric manufacturing.



TABLE 2. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners in Specified Industries, Provinces, - continued

Province and Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported June 1961
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
<b>Quebec - concluded</b>										
<b>Manufacturing - concluded</b>										
Non-ferrous metal products .....	41.5	41.3	42.0	2.16	2.16	2.17	89.67	89.18	91.38	12,710
Smelting and refining .....	40.7	40.8	42.2	2.40	2.39	2.41	97.90	97.57	101.57	8,719
Electrical apparatus and supplies .....	41.7	41.1	41.2	1.87	1.87	1.77	77.78	76.66	73.01	13,562
Chemical products .....	41.4	41.4	41.1	1.92	1.91	1.88	79.44	78.98	77.24	10,180
Building and general engineering (m) .....	41.6	40.8	38.0	1.97	1.98	1.94	81.90	80.76	73.63	37,270
Building .....	40.2	39.6	35.2	1.99	2.00	1.95	79.91	79.04	68.72	31,318
General engineering .....	48.9	46.9	51.0	1.89	1.91	1.88	92.32	89.65	96.09	5,952
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	41.5	39.7	38.4	1.50	1.52	1.41	62.14	60.17	54.18	17,526
Electric and motor transportation (n) .....	43.9	42.4	44.5	1.77	1.76	1.69	77.84	74.44	75.41	9,012
Service (o) .....	41.4	41.4	42.0	1.00	0.99	0.95	41.48	41.13	39.81	11,259
<b>Ontario</b>										
Metal mining .....	41.2	41.1	41.4	2.24	2.23	2.21	92.29	91.86	91.41	27,612
Gold (a) .....	42.4	42.7	43.0	1.67	1.69	1.64	71.04	72.17	70.43	10,035
Other metal (b) .....	40.4	40.3	40.6	2.58	2.55	2.52	104.42	102.92	102.40	17,577
Manufacturing .....	40.9	40.5	40.5	1.93	1.94	1.87	79.13	78.40	75.97	392,796
Food and beverages .....	42.0	41.5	41.4	1.66	1.66	1.59	69.65	68.94	66.04	41,268
Meat products .....	43.6	42.9	42.7	1.86	1.86	1.77	80.93	79.80	75.82	8,498
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables .....	40.3	39.4	38.9	1.45	1.48	1.39	58.56	58.37	54.14	5,879
Bread and other bakery products .....	43.3	42.1	42.0	1.45	1.44	1.40	63.03	60.74	58.75	5,130
Rubber products .....	41.4	39.6	39.6	2.07	2.03	2.01	85.74	80.34	79.44	9,877
Leather products .....	41.1	39.7	40.8	1.32	1.33	1.27	54.23	52.67	51.81	11,118
Boots and shoes (except rubber) .....	41.2	39.6	40.8	1.20	1.21	1.17	49.54	48.00	47.83	6,847
Textile products (except clothing) .....	41.0	40.3	40.6	1.50	1.50	1.47	61.48	60.49	59.75	16,783
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods .....	39.6	38.0	38.5	1.38	1.36	1.35	54.74	51.56	51.79	3,721
Woollen goods .....	42.1	41.2	41.4	1.32	1.32	1.30	55.74	54.29	53.84	4,588
Synthetic textiles and silk <sup>1</sup> .....	41.1	41.2	41.5	1.91	1.94	1.85	78.42	79.75	76.63	3,386
Clothing (textile and fur) .....	37.9	37.3	38.1	1.23	1.23	1.20	46.69	45.95	45.75	20,224
Men's clothing .....	37.3	37.2	38.1	1.27	1.27	1.23	47.29	47.17	46.77	7,153
Knit goods .....	40.0	39.4	39.5	1.14	1.14	1.12	45.66	45.09	44.08	5,789
Wood products .....	42.7	41.7	42.1	1.46	1.46	1.44	62.35	61.11	60.53	21,267
Saw and planing mills .....	44.1	43.0	43.8	1.40	1.39	1.37	61.58	59.72	60.07	8,249
Furniture .....	41.7	41.0	41.2	1.54	1.54	1.51	64.11	63.36	62.04	9,488
Paper products .....	41.2	40.9	41.0	2.12	2.11	2.04	87.12	86.28	83.54	27,774
Pulp and paper mills .....	41.0	40.8	40.8	2.33	2.33	2.23	95.58	95.08	91.19	17,113
Other paper products (h) .....	41.4	41.1	41.3	1.78	1.76	1.72	73.53	72.46	70.87	10,661
Printing, publishing and allied industries .....	39.1	38.3	38.9	2.28	2.28	2.21	89.01	87.33	86.15	18,153
Iron and steel products .....	40.8	40.8	40.5	2.22	2.22	2.13	90.41	90.65	86.17	82,219
Agricultural implements .....	39.5	39.6	39.9	2.23	2.24	2.16	88.30	88.64	86.26	7,481
Iron castings .....	40.8	39.7	39.7	2.08	2.08	2.03	84.81	82.40	80.72	7,938
Machinery (i) .....	41.3	41.0	40.9	2.05	2.06	2.00	84.94	84.37	81.82	13,926
Primary iron and steel .....	40.0	41.3	39.5	2.62	2.62	2.47	104.84	108.46	97.45	22,539
Sheet metal products .....	41.7	41.0	41.6	2.09	2.11	2.06	86.85	86.58	85.66	7,280
Transportation equipment .....	40.8	40.2	40.4	2.23	2.21	2.13	90.92	88.68	86.01	45,216
Aircraft and parts .....	40.1	40.3	40.3	2.14	2.12	2.06	85.75	85.48	83.05	6,495
Motor vehicles .....	41.6	40.0	40.9	2.38	2.35	2.25	99.13	93.94	92.11	20,095
Motor vehicle parts and accessories .....	40.3	40.6	39.8	2.12	2.13	2.03	85.56	86.61	80.93	12,955
Railroad and rolling stock equipment .....	39.2	38.7	39.5	2.12	2.06	2.04	83.12	79.83	80.73	2,887
Non-ferrous metal products .....	40.1	40.1	40.1	2.09	2.09	2.02	83.97	83.71	80.93	20,627
Brass and copper products .....	40.8	40.5	39.9	2.12	2.09	2.02	86.36	84.83	80.59	3,190
Smelting and refining .....	39.2	39.3	39.4	2.34	2.33	2.26	91.73	91.42	88.77	9,422
Electrical apparatus and supplies .....	40.7	40.1	40.2	1.89	1.90	1.87	77.07	76.19	75.22	30,671
Non-metallic mineral products (l) .....	43.5	43.1	42.2	1.91	1.91	1.85	83.10	82.41	77.99	13,917
Chemical products .....	41.1	41.3	40.9	2.09	2.11	2.02	86.02	87.26	82.62	15,726
Building and general engineering (m) .....	40.2	38.8	39.6	2.29	2.31	2.25	92.26	89.37	89.08	44,968
Building .....	39.7	38.1	39.0	2.28	2.28	2.24	90.50	86.88	87.47	39,516
General engineering .....	43.8	43.3	44.1	2.40	2.47	2.29	104.99	107.10	100.85	5,452
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	45.8	43.3	45.0	1.65	1.67	1.58	69.06	72.37	71.26	22,555
Electric and motor transportation (n) .....	44.6	44.9	44.6	1.93	1.92	1.84	86.14	86.32	82.00	16,024
Service (n) .....	38.9	38.9	39.1	1.05	1.04	1.03	40.74	40.66	40.18	21,850
Hotels and restaurants .....	38.9	38.9	38.7	0.99	0.98	0.98	38.51	38.23	38.02	14,079

Footnotes (a) to (o) appear in explanatory notes at the end of this report.

<sup>1</sup> Mainly synthetic filament yarn and staple fibre manufacturing.



TABLE 2. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners in Specified Industries, Provinces - concluded

Province and Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported June 1961
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
<b>Manitoba</b>										
Manufacturing .....	40.4	39.8	40.5	1.74	1.73	1.69	70.12	68.82	68.28	28,509
Food and beverages .....	40.8	40.2	40.4	1.88	1.88	1.82	76.55	75.54	73.69	5,873
Meat products .....	40.0	39.3	38.9	2.05	2.08	2.00	82.01	81.79	77.90	2,646
Clothing (textile and fur) .....	38.9	38.3	39.5	1.13	1.10	1.09	43.90	42.01	42.90	4,861
Iron and steel products .....	41.0	40.4	41.2	1.94	1.93	1.87	79.52	78.19	77.04	3,681
Transportation equipment .....	39.8	39.8	39.8	2.00	1.95	1.89	79.53	77.64	75.42	5,512
Building and general engineering (m) .....	41.0	40.1	43.2	1.98	1.87	2.01	81.19	75.10	86.86	5,735
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	44.1	39.8	44.7	1.59	1.58	1.55	70.03	62.91	69.57	3,476
Service (o) .....	36.6	36.9	37.9	1.06	1.08	1.04	38.88	39.71	39.52	5,092
<b>Saskatchewan</b>										
Mining .....	41.0	40.9	41.7	2.53	2.53	2.42	103.59	103.57	101.02	2,028
Manufacturing .....	40.3	39.5	39.2	1.97	1.99	1.90	79.17	78.57	74.47	6,778
Meat products .....	43.7	40.4	39.7	2.10	2.12	2.06	91.67	85.59	81.76	1,333
Building and general engineering (m) .....	45.7	41.7	37.4	1.89	1.87	1.81	86.41	77.87	67.68	5,147
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	44.4	40.2	42.9	1.60	1.62	1.60	71.31	65.28	68.68	4,151
Service (o) .....	39.3	39.0	38.5	1.10	1.09	1.06	43.12	42.47	40.98	2,089
<b>Alberta (p)</b>										
Coal mining .....	38.0	35.0	38.6	2.12	2.15	2.06	80.63	75.20	79.35	781
Oil and natural gas production (c) .....	41.5	39.1	40.1	2.34	2.36	2.39	96.92	92.17	95.69	5,336
Manufacturing .....	40.2	40.0	40.2	1.96	1.96	1.90	78.88	78.31	76.19	22,451
Food and beverages .....	40.0	39.5	39.6	1.97	1.99	1.93	78.93	78.42	76.32	6,018
Meat products .....	41.2	40.1	40.0	2.13	2.13	2.07	87.91	85.55	82.55	3,188
Transportation equipment .....	39.2	38.3	40.0	1.97	1.90	1.85	77.20	72.75	73.95	2,954
Non-metallic mineral products (e) .....	41.7	43.4	41.7	1.93	1.94	1.81	80.73	84.07	75.32	2,458
Building and general engineering (m) .....	41.3	38.8	38.9	2.24	2.21	2.15	92.48	86.01	83.78	12,783
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	44.4	39.8	40.8	1.80	1.79	1.78	79.81	71.21	72.41	7,440
Electric and motor transportation (n) .....	40.5	40.3	40.4	1.94	2.00	1.88	78.74	80.53	76.12	2,070
Service (o) .....	39.4	38.5	39.7	0.99	1.09	0.97	38.98	42.01	38.55	7,721
<b>British Columbia (p)</b>										
Forestry (logging) .....	36.4	37.9	38.0	2.76	2.78	2.71	100.41	105.33	102.89	7,098
Metal mining .....	41.8	42.5	42.2	2.39	2.36	2.34	99.85	100.60	98.59	3,874
Manufacturing .....	37.9	37.8	37.7	2.23	2.23	2.17	84.45	84.42	81.68	68,151
Food and beverages .....	34.5	34.9	34.8	2.01	2.05	1.97	69.54	71.50	68.44	9,257
Canned and cured fish .....	27.3	28.4	27.9	2.11	2.12	2.08	57.70	60.26	58.08	2,735
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables .....	33.7	32.7	32.4	1.90	1.57	1.49	50.52	51.42	48.26	1,443
Wood products .....	37.5	37.3	37.1	2.12	2.13	2.08	79.70	79.32	77.29	28,031
Saw and planing mills .....	37.5	37.3	37.2	2.13	2.14	2.09	79.98	79.77	77.80	26,534
Pulp and paper mills .....	39.6	39.7	39.6	2.61	2.59	2.51	103.26	103.09	99.38	7,177
Iron and steel products .....	39.1	38.4	38.7	2.37	2.37	2.31	92.74	91.14	89.42	4,536
Steel shipbuilding and repairing .....	39.8	37.9	38.3	2.45	2.42	2.38	97.26	91.53	91.22	4,185
Non-ferrous metal products .....	40.1	40.4	39.9	2.48	2.45	2.36	99.45	98.92	94.28	4,635
Building and general engineering (m) .....	36.7	34.8	37.4	2.71	2.70	2.75	99.41	94.03	102.80	8,420
Highways, bridges and street construction .....	38.7	38.0	38.4	2.17	2.15	2.19	83.99	81.75	84.13	9,023
Electric and motor transportation (n) .....	40.0	40.4	40.1	2.29	2.28	2.21	91.49	92.16	88.49	3,072
Service (o) .....	35.4	35.2	36.1	1.33	1.34	1.30	47.08	47.12	46.97	7,745

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TABLE 3.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners in Specified Industries, Urban Areas

Urban Area and Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported June 1961
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
Halifax - Manufacturing.....	40.7	40.0	41.3	1.75	1.73	1.68	71.10	69.18	69.44	6,980
Saint John - Manufacturing.....	42.1	39.0	43.8	1.65	1.68	1.60	69.32	65.67	69.98	4,038
Quebec - Manufacturing.....	41.7	41.9	39.6	1.57	1.58	1.57	65.62	66.24	61.94	14,762
Leather products.....	38.8	38.1	32.9	1.15	1.13	1.16	44.53	43.10	38.10	2,032
Clothing (textile and fur).....	39.0	38.5	38.1	0.96	0.96	0.93	37.37	37.14	35.49	1,827
Transportation equipment.....	41.0	45.6	37.5	1.95	1.96	1.79	79.81	89.46	67.17	1,794
Building and general engineering (m).....	40.9	40.5	33.4	1.81	1.80	1.67	74.02	72.96	55.80	3,873
Sherbrooke - Manufacturing.....	44.0	42.7	42.1	1.45	1.41	1.41	63.78	60.34	59.16	5,651
Three Rivers - Manufacturing.....	41.9	41.3	41.3	1.80	1.80	1.72	75.52	74.29	70.99	8,252
Drummondville - Manufacturing.....	40.8	42.5	42.0	1.39	1.37	1.32	56.56	58.38	55.33	4,065
Shawinigan Falls - Manufacturing.....	41.3	40.7	41.1	2.00	1.98	1.90	82.54	80.66	78.15	6,258
Granby - Manufacturing.....	43.3	42.8	43.4	1.43	1.42	1.30	62.06	60.81	56.64	4,498
St. Hyacinthe - Manufacturing.....	41.8	42.3	41.2	1.29	1.24	1.23	53.74	52.25	50.59	3,340
Sorel - Manufacturing.....	41.3	41.8	42.3	1.85	1.83	1.74	76.39	76.36	73.79	3,086
St. Jean - Manufacturing.....	42.6	42.7	41.0	1.52	1.53	1.48	64.62	65.46	60.69	3,677
Montreal - Manufacturing.....	40.9	40.5	39.7	1.70	1.70	1.67	69.71	68.97	66.40	150,124
Food and beverages.....	43.1	42.0	42.5	1.69	1.70	1.66	72.30	71.49	70.45	16,530
Tobacco and tobacco products.....	39.5	40.3	40.7	1.94	1.91	1.85	76.56	76.99	75.38	4,295
Leather products.....	39.0	39.5	35.9	1.23	1.23	1.21	47.79	48.37	43.56	6,664
Textile products (except clothing).....	42.3	41.7	40.8	1.29	1.28	1.26	54.37	53.53	51.55	6,960
Clothing (textile and fur).....	37.4	36.6	34.5	1.25	1.25	1.21	46.83	45.73	41.89	31,671
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	39.0	39.0	39.4	2.27	2.27	2.22	88.63	88.77	87.50	7,133
Iron and steel products.....	42.1	41.8	41.4	2.01	2.00	1.96	84.64	83.57	81.30	15,861
Transportation equipment.....	41.5	42.0	41.0	2.08	2.06	1.97	86.33	86.65	80.94	19,702
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	41.3	40.7	40.9	1.95	1.96	1.89	80.72	79.58	77.15	10,637
Building and general engineering (m).....	38.4	38.1	35.0	2.09	2.11	2.03	80.40	80.20	71.19	19,690
Electric and motor transportation (n).....	43.0	41.3	43.7	1.85	1.83	1.77	79.67	75.55	77.51	7,226
Service (o).....	41.2	41.1	41.7	1.01	1.00	0.95	41.74	41.16	39.77	8,889
Valleyfield - Manufacturing.....	41.9	41.8	40.4	1.53	1.54	1.53	64.01	64.27	61.86	2,678
Cornwall - Manufacturing.....	40.9	40.8	40.8	1.97	1.96	1.95	80.38	79.87	79.55	3,653
Ottawa-Hull - Manufacturing.....	40.4	39.7	40.5	1.93	1.93	1.87	77.93	76.54	75.69	10,469
Pulp and paper mills.....	39.1	38.1	40.5	2.25	2.29	2.21	87.97	87.22	89.64	3,665
Building and general engineering (m).....	40.1	38.0	38.0	1.94	1.94	1.91	77.75	73.97	72.32	3,846
Kingston - Manufacturing.....	39.8	40.6	41.2	2.05	2.07	1.96	81.75	84.08	80.86	4,369
Peterborough - Manufacturing.....	40.2	41.5	40.4	2.18	2.18	2.13	87.54	90.56	86.28	4,772
Oshawa - Manufacturing.....	40.2	39.6	39.4	2.31	2.29	2.22	93.03	90.63	87.33	13,037
Toronto - Manufacturing.....	40.8	40.2	40.4	1.86	1.85	1.81	76.06	74.47	73.07	127,252
Food and beverages.....	42.0	41.6	40.7	1.76	1.74	1.67	73.74	72.21	67.84	16,434
Rubber products.....	41.4	39.5	40.4	2.19	2.13	2.15	90.44	84.06	86.91	2,948
Clothing (textile and fur).....	37.6	36.5	38.1	1.29	1.29	1.25	48.52	46.88	47.68	11,075
Paper products.....	41.7	41.6	41.1	1.81	1.80	1.74	75.35	74.80	71.36	7,173
Printing, publishing and allied industries.....	39.0	38.1	39.0	2.42	2.43	2.34	94.34	92.37	91.34	11,691
Iron and steel products.....	41.4	40.8	41.2	2.09	2.08	2.04	86.69	84.79	84.10	21,628
Transportation equipment.....	40.1	40.0	40.3	2.08	2.05	1.97	83.23	82.03	79.36	8,758
Non-ferrous metal products.....	41.4	41.2	40.8	1.82	1.81	1.75	75.46	74.47	71.47	5,214
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	40.7	40.3	40.0	1.90	1.91	1.87	77.46	76.94	74.95	12,527
Chemical products.....	40.9	40.4	40.9	1.87	1.84	1.84	76.39	75.42	75.26	5,676
Building and general engineering (m).....	38.1	37.5	38.9	2.47	2.45	2.41	94.19	91.90	93.66	14,184
Electric and motor transportation (n).....	44.1	44.4	44.5	2.02	2.00	1.90	88.98	88.81	84.74	8,738
Service (o).....	44.0	39.8	40.0	1.10	1.10	1.08	44.22	43.88	43.30	10,182
Hamilton - Manufacturing.....	40.7	40.1	40.4	2.23	2.22	2.11	90.53	89.09	85.08	38,052
Clothing (textile and fur).....	35.4	35.1	37.2	1.15	1.17	1.16	40.60	40.92	43.10	835
Iron and steel products.....	40.0	39.6	39.8	2.52	2.52	2.37	100.76	99.85	94.20	20,960
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	41.6	40.5	40.9	2.19	2.17	2.16	90.92	87.98	88.46	3,736
Building and general engineering (m).....	41.6	40.2	39.6	2.32	2.38	2.28	96.44	95.49	90.35	3,386

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TABLE 3.— Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners in Specified Industries, Urban Areas — concluded

Urban Area and Industry	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages			Wage-Earners Reported
	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961	May 1961	June 1960	June 1961
	no.	no.	no.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	no.
<b>St. Catharines — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.4	40.4	40.3	2.25	2.25	2.15	90.88	90.75	86.66	20,140
Pulp and paper mills .....	41.1	40.0	41.3	2.32	2.32	2.22	95.47	92.94	91.90	2,872
Iron and steel products .....	41.1	41.4	40.1	2.37	2.37	2.28	97.18	98.30	91.49	5,967
Transportation equipment .....	40.6	40.3	40.2	2.41	2.39	2.28	97.58	96.24	91.40	4,966
<b>Niagara Falls — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.1	39.1	40.3	2.06	2.11	2.03	82.68	82.39	81.71	3,327
<b>Brantford — Manufacturing</b> .....	39.3	40.0	38.7	1.80	1.83	1.71	70.93	73.07	66.26	6,846
Textile products (except clothing) .....	39.5	39.1	40.7	1.61	1.61	1.55	63.38	62.98	62.95	906
Iron and steel products .....	39.3	40.2	38.1	2.16	2.18	2.04	84.98	87.50	77.74	2,456
<b>Guelph — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.5	40.4	39.8	1.71	1.71	1.67	69.16	69.22	66.55	5,095
<b>Galt — Manufacturing</b> .....	41.5	40.3	39.9	1.62	1.63	1.60	67.40	65.78	63.76	6,768
<b>Kitchener — Manufacturing</b> .....	41.8	40.9	41.1	1.68	1.69	1.66	70.13	68.94	68.21	13,976
Food and beverages .....	41.4	41.6	41.7	1.90	1.91	1.88	78.58	79.32	78.30	2,952
Rubber products .....	42.7	40.1	39.7	1.92	1.89	1.85	82.13	75.70	73.36	3,143
Wood products .....	40.1	41.3	41.9	1.53	1.55	1.51	61.20	63.82	63.10	1,697
<b>Woodstock — Manufacturing</b> .....	41.2	40.9	40.0	1.78	1.75	1.79	73.35	71.53	71.70	2,791
<b>London — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.3	39.6	40.7	1.79	1.79	1.74	72.34	70.99	70.88	12,804
Food and beverages .....	39.8	40.7	41.6	1.76	1.79	1.68	70.15	72.73	70.04	3,061
Iron and steel products .....	41.6	40.0	41.0	1.95	1.95	1.91	81.20	77.80	78.04	2,090
<b>Sarnia — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.8	41.2	40.9	2.52	2.55	2.46	102.91	105.05	100.60	5,215
<b>Windsor — Manufacturing</b> .....	41.2	40.6	41.0	2.21	2.21	2.14	90.98	89.83	87.63	14,739
Iron and steel products .....	41.9	40.8	41.1	2.23	2.20	2.13	93.27	89.72	87.70	2,577
Transportation equipment .....	40.8	40.5	40.9	2.31	2.31	2.21	94.42	93.56	90.41	9,142
Building and general engineering (m) .....	42.8	37.8	37.7	2.32	2.40	2.32	99.57	90.43	87.57	1,162
<b>Ft. William-Pt. Arthur — Manufacturing</b> .....	39.4	39.7	40.2	2.18	2.18	2.09	85.94	86.54	84.00	3,875
<b>Winnipeg — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.5	39.8	40.6	1.73	1.72	1.68	70.30	68.42	68.13	25,331
Food and beverages .....	41.5	40.6	41.1	1.94	1.94	1.87	80.56	78.64	76.72	5,206
Meat products .....	41.4	40.3	40.4	2.12	2.15	2.07	87.76	86.55	83.68	2,349
Clothing (textile and fur) .....	38.8	38.2	39.3	1.16	1.12	1.12	45.06	42.98	43.92	4,499
Transportation equipment .....	39.8	39.8	39.8	2.00	1.95	1.89	79.53	77.64	75.42	5,512
Building and general engineering (m) .....	41.1	39.7	39.3	2.05	1.88	1.99	84.02	74.84	78.13	4,261
Service (a) .....	36.3	36.7	37.7	1.07	1.09	1.05	38.84	39.84	39.75	4,676
<b>Edmonton — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.2	40.3	40.4	1.95	1.96	1.89	78.49	78.92	76.56	9,707
Food and beverages .....	40.6	40.4	40.5	2.03	2.02	1.96	82.37	81.46	79.43	2,721
Building and general engineering (m) .....	39.7	38.9	38.4	2.27	2.25	2.20	89.90	87.54	84.40	4,716
<b>Calgary — Manufacturing</b> .....	40.6	39.9	39.9	2.03	1.99	1.97	82.29	79.45	78.40	7,016
<b>Vancouver — Manufacturing</b> .....	37.8	37.5	37.3	2.16	2.17	2.12	81.67	81.59	79.12	33,102
Food and beverages .....	36.7	36.7	37.3	2.02	2.08	2.00	74.03	76.49	74.60	5,764
Wood products .....	37.4	37.4	36.3	2.15	2.15	2.14	80.42	80.47	77.48	12,979
Iron and steel products .....	39.1	38.4	38.7	2.40	2.40	2.33	93.70	92.11	89.96	4,178
Transportation equipment .....	39.2	37.5	37.6	2.40	2.35	2.31	93.82	88.07	86.72	2,254
Building and general engineering (m) .....	36.1	33.7	35.0	2.82	2.80	2.81	101.81	94.29	98.43	5,121
Electric and motor transportation (n) .....	39.9	40.3	40.5	2.30	2.30	2.23	92.02	92.73	90.26	2,062
Service (a) .....	35.2	35.2	36.2	1.35	1.36	1.33	47.70	48.01	48.29	4,919
<b>Victoria — Manufacturing</b> .....	37.8	37.2	38.8	2.32	2.31	2.26	87.80	86.01	87.69	5,024

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Table 4.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Canada

Year and Month	All Manufactures			Durable Goods			Non-Durable Goods		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	44.1	0.69	30.47	44.5	0.76	34.04	43.7	0.61	26.57
1946 - Average	42.7	0.71	30.15	42.8	0.77	33.00	41.8	0.64	26.92
1947 - Average	42.5	0.81	34.47	42.8	0.88	37.71	42.3	0.74	31.39
1948 - Average	42.3	0.92	38.96	42.5	0.99	42.24	42.1	0.85	35.70
1949 - Average	42.2	0.99	41.74	42.4	1.07	45.28	42.0	0.91	38.18
1950 - Average	42.3	1.04	44.03	42.4	1.13	47.74	42.3	0.96	40.57
1951 - Average	41.7	1.18	49.29	41.9	1.27	53.38	41.5	1.08	45.03
1952 - Average	41.5	1.30	53.83	41.6	1.41	58.49	41.3	1.18	48.65
1953 - Average	41.3	1.36	56.25	41.7	1.48	61.55	40.9	1.23	50.51
1954 - Average	40.7	1.41	57.43	40.9	1.52	62.13	40.4	1.30	52.36
1955 - Average	41.0	1.45	59.45	41.2	1.56	64.35	40.8	1.33	54.30
1956 - Average	41.0	1.52	62.40	41.1	1.64	67.45	40.7	1.39	56.74
1957 - Average	40.4	1.61	64.96	40.5	1.73	70.15	40.2	1.47	59.17
1958 - Average	40.2	1.66	66.77	40.3	1.80	72.42	40.1	1.53	61.31
1959 - Average	40.7	1.72	70.16	41.0	1.87	76.66	40.4	1.58	63.90
1960 - Average	40.4	1.78	71.96	40.7	1.94	78.70	40.1	1.64	65.67
1958 - January	39.9	1.64	65.56	39.9	1.78	71.06	39.9	1.50	59.97
February	40.0	1.65	66.12	40.1	1.79	71.70	39.9	1.52	60.49
March	40.4	1.66	66.98	40.5	1.79	72.66	40.4	1.52	61.45
April	40.4	1.66	67.23	40.7	1.80	73.14	40.1	1.53	61.23
May	40.7	1.67	68.05	41.1	1.80	74.10	40.3	1.54	61.90
June	40.5	1.67	67.47	40.7	1.80	73.06	40.3	1.54	61.90
July	40.3	1.66	66.86	40.4	1.79	72.44	40.2	1.53	61.43
August	40.6	1.64	66.58	40.7	1.78	72.57	40.5	1.51	61.16
September	40.7	1.64	66.91	40.7	1.79	72.85	40.7	1.51	61.46
October	40.8	1.66	67.52	40.9	1.79	73.21	40.6	1.53	62.12
November	40.9	1.67	68.43	40.9	1.81	74.03	40.8	1.54	62.95
*December	37.3	1.71	63.71	37.5	1.84	68.99	37.0	1.58	58.57
1959 - January	40.6	1.70	69.28	40.7	1.85	75.48	40.6	1.56	63.28
February	40.9	1.71	69.81	41.0	1.85	75.83	40.8	1.57	63.96
*March	40.3	1.72	69.40	40.5	1.86	75.65	40.1	1.58	63.25
April	40.7	1.72	70.01	41.0	1.86	76.38	40.3	1.58	63.63
May	41.1	1.73	70.90	41.4	1.86	77.12	40.7	1.59	64.63
June	41.0	1.72	70.63	41.4	1.86	77.09	40.6	1.58	64.19
July	40.8	1.71	69.90	41.2	1.86	76.57	40.4	1.58	63.69
August	41.0	1.70	69.56	41.1	1.85	76.28	40.8	1.56	63.65
September	41.2	1.72	71.13	41.7	1.88	78.38	40.8	1.57	64.27
October	41.3	1.74	71.68	41.7	1.89	78.76	40.9	1.59	64.86
November	40.9	1.74	71.08	41.2	1.89	77.62	40.7	1.60	64.95
*December	38.5	1.78	68.48	39.0	1.92	74.72	38.1	1.64	62.39
1960 - January	40.7	1.77	71.89	41.0	1.93	78.93	40.3	1.61	64.99
February	40.4	1.77	71.49	40.5	1.93	78.05	40.3	1.62	65.08
March	40.5	1.78	71.94	40.8	1.93	78.60	40.3	1.62	65.38
April	40.5	1.79	72.37	40.9	1.94	79.21	40.1	1.64	65.60
May	40.1	1.79	71.69	40.5	1.93	78.18	39.7	1.65	65.29
June	40.4	1.79	72.19	40.7	1.93	78.48	40.1	1.65	66.13
July	40.6	1.77	72.01	40.7	1.92	77.95	40.5	1.64	66.64
August	40.5	1.76	71.46	40.8	1.93	78.54	40.3	1.62	65.30
September	40.9	1.77	72.37	41.1	1.94	79.63	40.6	1.62	66.05
October	40.7	1.78	72.66	41.0	1.94	79.57	40.5	1.64	66.54
November	40.6	1.79	72.82	40.9	1.95	79.79	40.4	1.65	66.64
*December	38.7	1.82	70.60	39.3	1.97	77.47	38.1	1.69	64.39
1961 - January	40.1	1.81	72.76	40.2	1.97	79.20	40.1	1.67	66.98
February	40.4	1.82	73.40	40.4	1.98	79.86	40.5	1.67	67.57
March	40.3	1.83	73.64	40.4	1.99	80.16	40.2	1.68	67.70
April	40.6	1.84	74.56	40.8	1.99	81.26	40.4	1.70	68.43
May	40.5	1.84	74.44	40.8	1.99	81.36	40.1	1.70	68.04
June	41.0	1.83	75.07	41.2	1.99	81.99	40.8	1.68	68.72
July									
August									
September									
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\* The averages at these dates were affected by loss of working time at the year-end holidays in the case of December, and by the Easter holidays in the case of March, 1959. Monthly statistics are based on data for the last pay periods of reporting establishments in each month.

Table 5b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Industries, Canada

Year and Month	Mining			Metal Mining			Coal Mining			Oil and Natural Gas		
	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average	Average
	Hours	Hourly Earnings	Weekly Wages	Hours	Hourly Earnings	Weekly Wages	Hours	Hourly Earnings	Weekly Wages	Hours	Hourly Earnings	Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	43.9	0.85	37.40	45.7	0.85	38.85	40.8	0.94	38.23	..	..	..
1946 - Average	42.7	0.88	37.53	44.9	0.88	39.60	39.2	0.97	37.98	..	..	..
1947 - Average	42.3	0.99	41.83	44.4	1.00	44.49	37.2	1.11	41.37	..	..	..
1948 - Average	42.8	1.12	48.02	44.9	1.11	49.93	38.3	1.25	47.80	..	..	..
1949 - Average	42.7	1.18	50.22	45.4	1.16	52.75	37.7	1.28	48.37	..	..	..
1950 - Average	43.0	1.22	52.46	45.1	1.22	54.93	38.1	1.30	49.49	..	..	..
1951 - Average	43.1	1.35	58.06	44.1	1.36	60.02	39.3	1.37	54.04	43.8	1.49	65.39
1952 - Average	42.7	1.48	63.20	44.1	1.49	66.11	38.6	1.50	57.78	44.1	1.62	71.22
1953 - Average	42.6	1.54	65.69	44.4	1.57	69.75	37.9	1.50	56.93	44.1	1.66	73.16
1954 - Average	42.6	1.58	67.14	44.1	1.62	71.27	38.5	1.48	57.02	43.1	1.70	73.31
1955 - Average	43.2	1.61	69.68	44.1	1.66	73.07	39.7	1.48	58.88	44.4	1.74	77.34
1956 - Average	42.8	1.73	73.92	43.0	1.80	77.27	40.8	1.50	61.04	44.4	1.92	85.11
1957 - Average	42.3	1.88	79.35	42.9	1.95	83.70	39.3	1.62	63.51	43.5	2.07	90.13
1958 - Average	41.5	1.96	81.30	41.8	2.03	84.77	39.0	1.73	67.43	41.8	2.13	89.20
1959 - Average	41.5	2.04	84.80	41.7	2.13	88.73	38.6	1.74	67.00	41.9	2.21	92.74
1960 - Average	41.7	2.09	87.26	41.9	2.17	90.89	39.7	1.75	69.36	41.8	2.31	96.57
1958 - January	42.4	1.96	82.93	43.3	2.01	87.03	38.4	1.74	67.01	44.2	2.14	94.59
February	42.7	1.96	83.52	43.3	2.01	87.21	40.0	1.73	69.16	45.1	2.13	95.88
March	42.3	1.96	82.78	42.8	2.02	86.33	39.1	1.71	66.94	43.7	2.16	94.44
April	41.6	1.95	81.04	42.4	2.02	85.69	37.8	1.70	64.30	39.2	2.10	82.52
May	41.1	1.95	80.02	41.5	2.02	83.91	38.7	1.71	66.25	40.8	2.12	86.54
June	41.6	1.95	81.24	41.9	2.03	85.18	40.3	1.72	69.48	41.4	2.10	87.02
July	40.6	1.95	79.17	40.3	2.03	81.97	39.1	1.73	67.56	40.7	2.10	85.27
August	40.9	1.96	80.08	40.8	2.04	83.11	38.8	1.71	66.19	41.5	2.15	89.14
September	40.9	1.95	79.84	40.0	2.03	81.28	41.7	1.75	72.93	40.4	2.14	86.33
October	42.4	1.95	82.72	42.9	2.03	87.22	40.2	1.73	69.47	41.0	2.12	87.00
November	42.6	1.98	84.31	42.5	2.05	87.21	42.5	1.77	75.10	41.9	2.16	90.29
*December	38.6	1.99	76.83	40.3	2.05	82.40	31.3	1.75	54.73	41.3	2.19	90.38
1959 - January	41.7	2.01	83.84	41.9	2.07	87.01	39.0	1.75	68.31	43.9	2.18	95.45
February	42.6	2.05	87.28	42.7	2.11	90.22	39.7	1.75	69.53	45.2	2.20	99.65
*March	41.7	2.05	85.61	42.3	2.11	89.47	35.4	1.70	60.06	43.1	2.20	94.91
April	41.4	2.04	84.70	42.0	2.13	89.44	38.9	1.72	66.84	39.7	2.22	88.13
May	40.5	2.06	83.41	40.4	2.16	87.11	39.3	1.73	68.05	40.5	2.21	89.29
June	41.1	2.04	83.95	41.9	2.13	89.28	35.1	1.72	60.54	41.3	2.19	90.40
July	41.6	2.03	84.41	41.5	2.12	87.95	40.3	1.75	70.66	41.8	2.18	91.28
August	40.8	2.04	83.15	40.8	2.13	87.01	38.2	1.72	65.65	40.6	2.23	90.49
September	41.9	2.04	85.45	41.9	2.13	89.16	40.9	1.75	71.39	41.3	2.24	92.65
October	42.1	2.04	86.17	42.0	2.13	89.36	41.6	1.76	73.17	41.2	2.23	91.80
November	42.6	2.06	87.57	42.6	2.14	90.98	42.0	1.75	73.49	42.3	2.23	94.40
*December	39.5	2.08	82.05	40.8	2.15	87.72	32.3	1.74	56.37	42.1	2.24	94.41
1960 - January	41.3	2.08	85.86	41.0	2.16	88.35	41.5	1.74	72.48	45.5	2.25	102.47
February	42.1	2.09	87.90	42.0	2.16	90.75	39.9	1.75	69.81	46.4	2.25	104.54
March	42.2	2.09	88.02	42.3	2.16	91.30	40.9	1.75	71.65	43.1	2.28	98.27
April	41.2	2.12	87.37	41.4	2.19	90.78	38.1	1.74	66.36	39.5	2.33	91.92
May	41.9	2.09	87.41	42.0	2.16	91.00	40.7	1.78	72.34	39.9	2.32	92.56
June	42.0	2.10	88.06	42.5	2.18	92.55	40.3	1.73	69.88	40.5	2.36	95.46
July	41.3	2.08	86.05	41.0	2.18	89.12	40.9	1.74	71.09	41.7	2.33	97.18
August	41.5	2.07	85.90	41.7	2.15	89.76	40.2	1.71	68.78	40.6	2.29	93.16
September	42.1	2.07	87.35	42.3	2.16	91.32	41.4	1.76	72.84	39.5	2.31	91.45
October	41.9	2.09	87.53	41.6	2.17	90.23	41.3	1.78	73.47	42.0	2.34	98.11
November	41.9	2.10	88.14	42.5	2.18	92.67	38.0	1.75	66.55	40.9	2.34	95.53
*December	41.0	2.14	87.52	42.4	2.19	92.90	32.8	1.74	57.13	42.3	2.32	98.25
1961 - January	42.1	2.12	88.97	42.5	2.17	92.33	39.3	1.75	68.91	42.6	2.26	96.58
February	42.1	2.13	89.46	42.5	2.19	93.08	40.2	1.76	70.87	43.3	2.27	98.23
March	41.6	2.14	89.18	42.6	2.20	93.76	34.3	1.73	59.28	42.3	2.29	96.65
April	41.4	2.13	88.04	41.5	2.20	91.35	40.6	1.72	69.91	38.7	2.37	91.49
May	42.1	2.12	89.08	42.4	2.20	93.17	41.0	1.77	72.79	39.3	2.35	92.26
June	42.2	2.12	89.38	42.5	2.20	93.45	41.2	1.75	71.98	41.6	2.32	96.68
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Table 5b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Industries, Canada. (Continued)

Year and Month	Non-Metal Mining			Construction			Building and General Engineering			Highways, Bridges and Street Construction		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	..	..	..	38.9	0.74	28.59	40.2	0.81	32.60	36.7	0.63	23.19
1946 - Average	..	..	..	38.4	0.77	29.53	38.7	0.84	32.39	37.9	0.66	24.98
1947 - Average	..	..	..	39.3	0.85	33.25	39.3	0.92	36.12	39.1	0.72	28.00
1948 - Average	..	..	..	39.2	0.94	36.89	40.0	1.02	40.68	37.5	0.80	30.04
1949 - Average	..	..	..	39.7	1.01	40.18	40.0	1.08	43.28	39.0	0.86	33.50
1950 - Average	..	..	..	39.9	1.06	42.13	39.5	1.14	45.07	40.8	0.88	35.99
1951 - Average	46.0	1.18	54.14	40.3	1.19	47.86	39.4	1.29	50.67	42.2	0.96	40.55
1952 - Average	42.6	1.36	57.81	41.5	1.32	54.99	41.0	1.44	59.04	41.5	1.06	43.87
1953 - Average	42.8	1.43	61.29	41.7	1.44	60.26	40.7	1.58	64.31	41.3	1.13	46.83
1954 - Average	42.9	1.47	63.15	40.3	1.48	59.85	39.9	1.61	64.08	41.1	1.21	49.73
1955 - Average	43.3	1.53	66.16	39.9	1.52	60.49	39.5	1.63	64.46	41.0	1.26	51.87
1956 - Average	43.1	1.60	68.79	41.1	1.65	67.77	41.0	1.77	72.73	41.3	1.35	55.67
1957 - Average	42.5	1.68	71.57	41.2	1.76	72.55	41.3	1.90	78.47	40.8	1.44	58.83
1958 - Average	42.3	1.74	73.73	40.7	1.78	72.36	40.5	1.94	78.37	41.0	1.48	60.80
1959 - Average	42.2	1.82	76.87	40.2	1.84	74.20	39.6	2.01	79.59	41.3	1.56	64.28
1960 - Average	42.2	1.89	79.62	40.4	1.94	78.41	40.1	2.12	84.85	41.0	1.63	66.89
1958 - January	41.7	1.75	73.14	40.5	1.81	73.14	41.1	1.95	80.02	39.3	1.48	58.16
February	41.5	1.76	72.92	40.6	1.79	72.63	40.2	1.94	77.95	41.5	1.48	61.38
March	42.3	1.76	74.49	41.1	1.79	73.65	41.4	1.93	79.90	40.7	1.48	60.24
April	43.1	1.76	75.77	40.3	1.78	71.77	41.0	1.93	79.17	39.1	1.47	57.48
May	42.0	1.72	72.24	41.5	1.77	73.54	41.6	1.92	79.91	41.3	1.50	61.83
June	41.7	1.72	71.85	41.6	1.76	73.42	40.9	1.94	79.22	42.7	1.48	63.11
July	43.3	1.70	73.61	42.8	1.76	75.33	42.7	1.92	81.86	43.1	1.45	62.37
August	43.1	1.73	74.48	42.6	1.76	74.85	42.2	1.92	81.11	43.2	1.48	63.72
September	44.4	1.72	76.55	42.7	1.76	75.07	42.4	1.92	81.32	43.1	1.49	64.09
October	43.3	1.74	75.21	41.5	1.77	73.54	41.6	1.93	80.16	41.4	1.50	61.98
November	43.9	1.78	78.23	40.5	1.79	72.33	40.5	1.95	78.81	40.3	1.48	59.85
*December	37.5	1.78	66.91	32.7	1.79	58.65	30.6	1.97	60.36	36.7	1.51	55.48
1959 - January	42.0	1.81	76.25	39.8	1.82	72.75	39.1	1.98	77.34	41.2	1.55	63.91
February	42.0	1.84	77.05	40.4	1.82	73.81	40.0	1.98	79.12	41.3	1.55	63.93
*March	42.3	1.84	78.00	37.7	1.83	69.01	37.4	1.97	73.75	38.4	1.56	60.09
April	41.9	1.81	75.76	39.6	1.84	72.84	40.1	1.99	79.66	38.5	1.55	59.81
May	42.1	1.81	76.11	41.3	1.84	75.82	41.3	1.99	82.31	41.4	1.55	64.12
June	42.1	1.79	75.50	40.8	1.83	74.64	39.8	2.01	79.84	42.6	1.53	65.39
July	43.1	1.79	77.06	42.2	1.83	77.18	41.4	2.00	82.69	43.7	1.55	67.60
August	43.0	1.79	77.16	42.0	1.83	76.97	41.1	2.01	82.75	43.4	1.54	67.01
September	43.2	1.79	77.47	42.5	1.86	78.82	41.9	2.03	85.00	43.4	1.56	67.75
October	43.9	1.83	80.46	41.5	1.87	77.81	41.0	2.04	83.62	42.4	1.57	66.80
November	43.4	1.86	80.74	40.5	1.88	76.34	40.4	2.05	82.58	40.8	1.58	64.29
December	38.0	1.86	70.85	34.2	1.88	64.40	32.2	2.06	66.38	37.9	1.60	60.64
1960 - January	39.8	1.87	74.39	40.2	1.95	78.29	40.1	2.10	84.15	40.4	1.64	66.43
February	41.6	1.89	78.57	40.0	1.95	77.83	39.7	2.10	83.40	40.5	1.65	66.86
March	42.4	1.90	80.45	39.8	1.97	78.28	40.0	2.12	84.75	39.4	1.67	65.82
April	42.9	1.88	80.60	39.2	1.96	76.91	39.6	2.13	84.34	38.6	1.64	63.16
May	42.9	1.85	79.55	39.1	1.91	74.84	38.4	2.10	80.79	40.2	1.61	64.80
June	41.8	1.87	78.32	40.1	1.90	76.13	39.2	2.11	82.62	41.6	1.58	65.87
July	42.8	1.86	79.87	42.7	1.93	82.21	41.7	2.10	87.64	44.5	1.64	72.88
August	42.4	1.86	79.02	42.9	1.93	82.65	42.3	2.10	89.03	43.8	1.64	71.72
September	43.5	1.87	81.29	43.1	1.94	83.56	42.7	2.12	90.69	43.7	1.63	71.17
October	43.5	1.90	82.86	41.8	1.95	81.51	41.6	2.14	88.97	42.2	1.62	68.28
November	43.3	1.93	83.68	40.8	1.96	79.70	41.2	2.14	88.10	40.0	1.62	64.83
*December	39.4	1.95	76.83	35.4	1.93	68.47	34.1	2.13	72.69	37.6	1.63	61.37
1961 - January	41.4	1.97	81.68	39.2	2.01	78.94	38.8	2.19	84.93	39.8	1.70	67.86
February	40.7	1.98	80.45	40.1	2.03	81.26	39.8	2.20	87.61	40.6	1.72	69.76
March	41.6	1.99	82.65	38.6	2.04	78.73	38.6	2.21	85.30	38.6	1.72	66.53
April	42.6	1.97	84.10	39.3	2.02	79.58	39.4	2.20	86.81	39.1	1.69	66.18
May	42.8	1.95	83.32	39.7	1.97	78.08	39.3	2.14	84.11	40.4	1.67	67.54
June	41.9	1.92	80.63	41.7	1.95	81.20	40.8	2.13	86.89	43.2	1.65	71.36
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Table 5b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Industries, Canada. (Concluded)

Year and month	Electric and Motor Transportation			Service			Hotels and Restaurants			Laundries and Dry Cleaning Plants		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	..	..	..	43.8	0.43	18.92	45.1	0.41	18.63	41.2	0.47	19.41
1946 - Average	..	..	..	43.1	0.47	20.08	44.3	0.45	20.07	41.0	0.49	19.97
1947 - Average	..	..	..	42.5	0.53	22.70	43.4	0.52	22.79	40.8	0.55	22.52
1948 - Average	..	..	..	42.3	0.59	24.87	43.2	0.58	25.10	41.0	0.59	24.31
1949 - Average	..	..	..	42.2	0.64	26.92	43.0	0.63	27.00	40.8	0.63	25.70
1950 - Average	..	..	..	42.5	0.66	28.09	43.5	0.65	28.14	41.0	0.65	26.73
1951 - Average	45.1	1.18	53.04	42.5	0.70	29.62	43.5	0.69	30.10	40.7	0.68	27.55
1952 - Average	45.3	1.29	58.53	42.6	0.74	31.52	43.6	0.73	31.87	41.1	0.72	29.63
1953 - Average	45.0	1.35	60.89	41.9	0.79	32.93	42.6	0.78	33.36	41.3	0.75	31.14
1954 - Average	45.1	1.40	63.37	40.9	0.83	34.03	41.4	0.83	34.28	40.6	0.79	32.24
1955 - Average	44.8	1.45	64.96	40.4	0.86	34.62	40.7	0.86	34.88	40.5	0.82	33.17
1956 - Average	44.3	1.52	67.20	40.2	0.89	35.94	40.4	0.89	36.04	40.7	0.85	34.72
1957 - Average	44.3	1.59	70.61	39.8	0.94	37.37	40.0	0.93	37.24	39.9	0.90	36.07
1958 - Average	44.1	1.68	74.13	39.5	0.97	38.28	39.6	0.95	37.58	39.6	0.96	37.94
1959 - Average	44.2	1.75	77.60	39.4	1.00	39.29	39.4	0.98	38.52	40.1	0.97	38.98
1960 - Average	43.5	1.83	79.84	39.1	1.04	40.58	39.1	1.01	39.63	39.8	1.00	39.83
1958 - January	43.4	1.65	71.52	39.2	0.96	37.59	39.5	0.95	37.49	38.9	0.93	36.22
February	43.8	1.66	72.84	39.7	0.97	38.55	40.1	0.96	38.54	39.0	0.94	36.58
March	44.1	1.66	73.25	39.5	0.97	38.39	39.4	0.96	37.75	40.2	0.95	38.31
April	43.8	1.66	72.58	39.7	0.97	38.67	39.4	0.96	37.78	40.6	0.96	38.89
May	44.3	1.66	73.67	39.8	0.96	38.41	39.8	0.95	37.69	40.2	0.96	38.51
June	44.7	1.67	74.47	39.8	0.96	38.13	39.7	0.93	37.04	40.3	0.96	38.85
July	44.2	1.69	74.57	39.6	0.95	37.54	39.8	0.92	36.82	39.4	0.96	37.63
August	44.6	1.69	75.46	39.6	0.95	37.70	39.7	0.92	36.72	39.9	0.96	38.50
September	44.6	1.70	75.64	39.4	0.97	38.10	39.5	0.94	37.29	39.8	0.97	38.65
October	44.4	1.70	75.35	39.4	0.98	38.57	39.3	0.96	37.73	40.2	0.97	38.99
November	44.5	1.70	75.78	39.3	0.98	38.71	39.2	0.97	37.95	39.9	0.97	38.82
*December	42.4	1.73	73.42	38.5	0.99	38.05	39.2	0.97	38.17	36.9	0.97	36.01
1959 - January	44.6	1.72	76.81	39.0	0.99	38.53	39.2	0.97	38.07	38.8	0.98	37.45
February	44.5	1.73	76.89	39.5	1.00	39.31	39.8	0.98	39.13	39.1	0.97	38.59
*March	44.2	1.73	76.43	39.3	1.00	39.13	39.0	0.98	38.24	40.9	0.96	39.42
April	43.6	1.74	75.74	39.6	1.00	39.58	39.3	0.98	38.62	41.4	0.97	40.12
May	44.6	1.75	77.91	39.7	1.00	39.67	39.3	0.98	38.47	41.5	0.98	40.52
June	44.7	1.76	78.48	39.4	0.99	38.98	39.3	0.97	38.05	40.2	0.97	38.98
July	44.4	1.76	78.25	39.6	0.97	38.61	39.9	0.95	37.79	39.6	0.96	38.19
August	44.2	1.76	77.95	39.5	0.98	38.71	39.6	0.96	37.78	39.8	0.97	38.55
September	44.7	1.76	78.82	39.6	1.00	39.51	39.5	0.98	38.53	40.8	0.97	39.66
October	44.6	1.77	78.89	39.5	1.01	39.86	39.4	0.99	39.07	40.5	0.98	39.55
November	44.3	1.77	78.49	39.4	1.01	39.92	39.4	0.99	39.17	40.2	0.98	39.32
*December	42.5	1.80	76.52	38.7	1.02	39.65	39.2	1.00	39.29	38.4	0.98	37.54
1960 - January	43.8	1.81	79.24	38.9	1.03	39.38	38.9	1.00	39.01	39.6	0.98	38.69
February	43.6	1.81	79.16	39.1	1.03	40.37	39.2	1.01	39.73	39.5	0.97	38.53
March	43.4	1.82	78.79	38.9	1.03	39.90	38.8	1.01	39.02	39.9	0.98	39.16
April	43.6	1.82	79.28	39.6	1.04	40.99	39.2	1.01	39.65	41.6	1.00	41.51
May	43.4	1.83	79.24	39.3	1.04	40.89	39.2	1.02	39.88	40.4	1.00	40.50
June	43.8	1.82	79.78	39.5	1.03	40.49	39.5	1.00	39.35	40.3	1.00	40.36
July	44.0	1.84	80.67	39.0	1.03	39.98	39.2	0.99	38.93	39.4	1.00	39.23
August	43.7	1.83	80.13	39.2	1.02	40.09	39.6	0.99	39.16	39.3	1.00	39.29
September	43.6	1.85	80.60	39.0	1.05	40.91	39.2	1.02	39.90	39.7	1.01	40.29
October	43.4	1.85	80.43	38.9	1.06	41.19	38.7	1.03	40.09	40.1	1.02	40.73
November	43.2	1.86	80.13	39.0	1.06	41.34	39.0	1.04	40.41	39.8	1.02	40.41
*December	42.8	1.88	80.60	38.3	1.07	40.96	38.6	1.05	40.42	38.3	1.02	39.09
1961 - January	42.7	1.88	80.39	38.6	1.07	41.08	38.7	1.04	40.32	38.9	1.02	39.59
February	42.8	1.89	80.83	39.9	1.07	41.70	39.3	1.05	41.16	39.0	1.02	39.85
March	43.0	1.89	81.33	38.9	1.06	41.41	38.7	1.04	40.12	40.6	1.03	41.77
April	43.0	1.89	81.08	39.0	1.07	41.66	38.5	1.04	40.19	41.0	1.03	42.17
May	43.4	1.90	82.31	38.8	1.07	41.53	38.8	1.04	40.27	40.1	1.03	41.44
June	43.7	1.90	83.05	39.0	1.06	41.18	39.0	1.02	39.98	40.0	1.03	41.07
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Year and Month	Food and Beverages			Tobacco and Tobacco Products			Rubber Products			Leather Products		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	43.5	0.59	25.67	41.9	0.52	21.70	43.7	0.72	31.42	42.9	0.52	22.45
1946 - Average	42.4	0.62	26.50	40.4	0.54	21.94	41.8	0.73	30.51	41.8	0.56	23.49
1947 - Average	42.0	0.71	29.65	40.6	0.62	25.21	42.7	0.88	37.79	40.5	0.64	26.02
1948 - Average	42.3	0.80	33.80	41.3	0.78	32.21	41.6	1.00	41.50	39.3	0.71	28.02
1949 - Average	42.4	0.86	36.46	42.6	0.86	36.76	40.9	1.05	42.78	40.2	0.75	30.23
1950 - Average	42.6	0.90	38.25	41.4	0.95	39.45	41.3	1.11	45.88	39.4	0.79	31.09
1951 - Average	42.0	1.00	42.21	40.6	1.11	45.03	40.9	1.26	51.64	38.6	0.86	33.23
1952 - Average	41.9	1.10	46.19	40.2	1.24	49.85	41.0	1.35	55.25	40.3	0.92	37.20
1953 - Average	41.3	1.16	47.87	40.2	1.30	52.34	40.8	1.43	58.43	39.9	0.97	38.54
1954 - Average	41.1	1.21	49.65	39.8	1.35	53.81	40.7	1.46	59.30	38.8	1.00	38.61
1955 - Average	41.0	1.25	51.33	40.6	1.39	56.31	41.6	1.49	61.98	39.9	1.02	40.58
1956 - Average	40.8	1.31	53.33	40.6	1.42	57.73	41.2	1.57	64.64	40.1	1.05	42.15
1957 - Average	40.5	1.39	56.17	39.8	1.53	60.77	40.2	1.66	66.69	39.5	1.11	43.81
1958 - Average	40.6	1.45	58.99	39.9	1.58	62.88	40.0	1.71	68.48	39.7	1.14	45.38
1959 - Average	40.8	1.53	62.43	39.2	1.67	65.61	41.3	1.79	74.01	39.7	1.17	46.56
1960 - Average	40.5	1.57	63.50	40.0	1.74	69.58	40.4	1.83	73.87	39.1	1.21	47.20
1958 - January	39.9	1.46	58.21	40.5	1.47	59.45	39.9	1.67	66.67	40.7	1.13	45.99
February	40.0	1.46	58.52	40.8	1.43	58.51	39.7	1.66	65.94	40.6	1.13	45.88
March	41.1	1.46	60.21	41.2	1.43	58.96	38.6	1.67	64.35	40.0	1.14	45.44
April	40.8	1.47	59.85	38.6	1.52	58.71	39.8	1.68	66.67	38.9	1.14	44.46
May	41.3	1.46	60.09	40.2	1.65	66.17	41.3	1.71	70.66	39.4	1.15	45.27
June	41.4	1.44	59.70	39.8	1.63	64.99	41.2	1.72	70.74	39.8	1.15	45.81
July	40.9	1.43	58.53	42.6	1.68	71.48	40.3	1.72	69.11	40.1	1.14	45.75
August	40.5	1.39	56.21	40.8	1.65	67.44	40.8	1.73	70.42	41.1	1.14	46.98
September	41.8	1.39	57.93	39.4	1.64	64.46	41.3	1.73	71.41	40.8	1.14	46.72
October	40.9	1.45	59.47	39.5	1.63	64.31	41.5	1.73	71.84	39.7	1.15	45.58
November	41.3	1.48	61.12	39.4	1.63	64.22	39.3	1.76	69.09	40.8	1.15	46.84
*December	37.8	1.55	58.47	36.0	1.55	55.85	36.4	1.76	64.19	34.5	1.16	39.87
1959 - January	40.3	1.53	61.73	39.7	1.51	59.79	41.8	1.75	73.08	41.9	1.15	48.42
February	40.5	1.55	62.80	39.6	1.52	60.21	42.1	1.77	74.64	42.0	1.15	48.40
*March	40.7	1.56	63.54	37.2	1.56	58.09	41.3	1.78	73.62	39.6	1.16	46.14
April	40.9	1.56	63.83	39.6	1.62	64.03	41.3	1.79	73.94	39.6	1.17	46.13
May	41.3	1.55	63.93	40.6	1.72	69.92	41.9	1.79	74.95	39.8	1.17	46.74
June	41.6	1.51	62.88	40.5	1.75	70.95	42.1	1.81	76.21	39.5	1.18	46.42
July	41.4	1.49	61.71	40.8	1.74	71.90	40.6	1.80	72.95	39.4	1.16	45.91
August	41.6	1.46	60.68	39.4	1.74	68.54	41.2	1.78	73.59	40.1	1.17	46.84
September	40.3	1.50	60.32	39.9	1.74	69.43	42.3	1.80	76.35	40.1	1.18	47.21
October	40.7	1.53	62.33	40.4	1.74	70.54	42.2	1.82	76.53	39.5	1.19	47.07
November	40.8	1.54	62.67	37.3	1.74	64.84	41.6	1.82	75.78	39.6	1.19	47.34
*December	39.1	1.60	62.73	36.0	1.64	59.13	36.6	1.82	66.45	35.1	1.20	42.15
1960 - January	40.1	1.58	63.48	39.6	1.59	62.80	41.2	1.84	75.75	40.3	1.20	48.29
February	40.3	1.59	64.12	40.5	1.59	64.28	40.9	1.82	74.66	40.5	1.19	48.34
March	40.2	1.60	64.08	38.7	1.70	65.82	40.5	1.83	74.00	39.7	1.20	47.61
April	40.4	1.60	64.47	40.0	1.80	72.06	40.6	1.82	74.11	37.4	1.20	45.01
May	40.9	1.59	65.03	40.2	1.82	72.97	40.1	1.83	73.29	35.4	1.22	43.10
June	41.3	1.57	64.77	40.7	1.82	74.09	40.4	1.82	73.42	38.2	1.22	46.40
July	41.9	1.54	64.60	41.6	1.84	76.41	40.0	1.85	74.10	39.4	1.20	47.38
August	40.2	1.50	60.29	41.1	1.84	75.38	41.1	1.81	74.45	40.6	1.20	48.96
September	41.0	1.50	61.35	41.9	1.85	77.37	41.5	1.82	75.27	40.3	1.20	48.51
October	40.4	1.56	63.11	40.0	1.81	72.28	41.1	1.82	74.65	39.5	1.21	47.99
November	40.4	1.57	63.59	39.9	1.61	64.11	40.8	1.81	73.87	40.4	1.22	49.36
*December	38.7	1.63	63.18	35.4	1.62	57.43	37.2	1.85	68.85	36.9	1.23	45.40
1961 - January	39.5	1.63	64.52	40.6	1.56	63.15	40.8	1.83	74.48	41.3	1.22	50.61
February	40.2	1.63	65.40	39.5	1.66	65.64	40.6	1.84	74.73	42.0	1.22	51.29
March	40.6	1.65	67.12	38.4	1.78	68.48	40.5	1.85	74.96	40.1	1.23	49.28
April	40.6	1.65	67.10	39.9	1.90	75.67	41.1	1.86	76.34	39.7	1.24	49.10
May	40.9	1.64	66.99	40.4	1.90	76.95	40.6	1.87	75.72	39.4	1.24	49.01
June	42.4	1.59	67.36	40.0	1.93	77.18	41.4	1.89	78.37	40.1	1.24	49.88
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Table 6b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Manufacturing Industries, Canada. (Continued)

Year and Month	Textile Products (except clothing)			Clothing (textile and fur)			Wood Products			Paper Products		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	45.5	0.50	22.61	39.7	0.53	21.04	43.6	0.61	26.42	47.7	0.68	32.29
1946 - Average	43.9	0.54	23.57	38.7	0.56	21.75	42.9	0.65	27.80	47.6	0.74	35.27
1947 - Average	43.2	0.62	26.78	38.5	0.63	24.29	42.2	0.75	31.48	47.6	0.88	41.79
1948 - Average	42.7	0.74	31.51	37.8	0.71	26.72	41.1	0.84	34.61	47.1	1.01	47.34
1949 - Average	42.7	0.83	35.44	38.2	0.76	29.18	41.3	0.93	38.41	46.4	1.06	49.32
1950 - Average	43.3	0.86	37.24	38.3	0.79	30.37	41.5	0.96	39.67	46.9	1.11	51.97
1951 - Average	41.2	0.97	40.13	37.1	0.87	32.20	41.4	1.07	44.38	46.6	1.31	60.86
1952 - Average	41.2	1.04	42.93	38.2	0.92	34.99	41.8	1.15	48.15	44.8	1.43	63.84
1953 - Average	41.1	1.08	44.26	38.1	0.96	36.50	42.0	1.21	50.86	43.5	1.52	66.12
1954 - Average	41.3	1.10	45.55	36.9	0.99	36.38	41.3	1.26	51.91	42.6	1.61	68.42
1955 - Average	42.4	1.12	47.49	37.8	0.98	37.12	41.7	1.29	53.83	42.4	1.67	70.85
1956 - Average	42.2	1.15	48.66	38.3	1.01	38.76	41.2	1.34	55.13	42.3	1.78	75.12
1957 - Average	41.5	1.21	50.34	37.4	1.05	39.31	40.6	1.40	56.96	41.5	1.87	77.69
1958 - Average	41.3	1.25	51.67	37.6	1.08	40.68	40.8	1.46	59.61	40.8	1.94	79.03
1959 - Average	42.1	1.29	54.34	38.1	1.11	42.33	41.5	1.49	61.61	41.2	2.00	82.51
1960 - Average	41.7	1.34	55.84	37.7	1.14	43.09	40.8	1.58	64.29	41.2	2.08	85.73
1958 - January	40.8	1.23	50.35	38.0	1.08	40.93	39.9	1.44	57.66	40.6	1.89	76.86
February	40.5	1.24	50.10	38.1	1.08	41.15	41.0	1.46	59.82	40.4	1.93	78.01
March	41.0	1.24	50.80	38.7	1.08	41.99	40.9	1.46	59.92	40.8	1.94	78.95
April	41.0	1.24	50.88	37.8	1.08	40.75	40.7	1.46	59.63	40.8	1.93	78.70
May	41.3	1.25	51.46	37.4	1.08	40.21	41.6	1.46	60.69	41.2	1.93	79.60
June	41.7	1.25	52.04	36.6	1.08	39.45	41.0	1.46	59.78	41.4	1.93	79.90
July	41.2	1.25	51.46	37.7	1.08	40.75	40.9	1.45	59.39	41.0	1.94	79.38
August	41.7	1.25	52.08	38.9	1.09	42.36	42.0	1.46	61.15	41.2	1.94	79.76
September	42.2	1.26	53.26	37.7	1.08	40.83	41.9	1.46	61.30	41.2	1.94	79.72
October	42.2	1.26	53.38	38.9	1.08	42.21	42.1	1.47	61.80	41.1	1.93	79.45
November	42.6	1.27	54.10	38.4	1.08	41.47	41.8	1.47	61.57	41.6	1.96	81.62
*December	38.9	1.27	49.28	32.7	1.09	35.77	36.3	1.48	53.72	38.0	1.98	75.68
1959 - January	42.5	1.28	54.46	39.2	1.10	43.27	41.3	1.48	61.18	40.8	1.98	80.73
February	42.3	1.28	54.27	39.7	1.11	43.96	41.5	1.49	61.68	41.3	1.99	82.37
*March	41.7	1.29	53.70	38.1	1.11	42.34	40.4	1.50	60.78	40.6	1.98	80.45
April	42.0	1.29	54.04	38.1	1.10	42.00	41.3	1.50	61.93	40.7	1.99	81.00
May	41.9	1.28	53.94	38.1	1.10	42.02	42.2	1.50	63.14	41.7	2.00	83.53
June	42.0	1.29	54.27	37.1	1.11	41.03	41.2	1.49	61.23	41.8	2.00	83.43
July	41.2	1.29	53.12	37.3	1.11	41.34	42.6	1.35	57.66	41.6	2.00	83.15
August	42.3	1.29	54.45	38.7	1.11	43.16	43.0	1.37	58.84	41.5	2.00	83.12
September	42.7	1.30	55.48	39.6	1.12	44.44	42.1	1.53	64.35	41.4	2.00	83.00
October	43.1	1.30	56.05	39.0	1.11	43.49	42.6	1.53	65.39	41.7	2.01	83.64
November	43.1	1.30	55.93	38.3	1.12	42.80	41.6	1.54	64.10	41.8	2.02	84.53
*December	40.0	1.31	52.32	33.8	1.13	38.13	38.0	1.55	59.06	40.0	2.03	81.18
1960 - January	42.7	1.31	56.17	38.7	1.13	43.98	41.7	1.56	65.12	40.8	2.04	83.19
February	42.0	1.33	55.75	38.6	1.14	43.98	41.2	1.56	64.37	41.1	2.04	84.02
March	42.2	1.33	56.09	38.6	1.14	44.04	40.9	1.57	64.08	40.9	2.04	83.49
April	41.8	1.33	55.84	38.0	1.14	43.16	40.9	1.58	64.63	41.3	2.03	88.93
May	41.3	1.34	55.30	36.4	1.14	41.28	40.1	1.57	63.00	40.9	2.05	83.94
June	41.3	1.34	55.30	36.4	1.14	41.34	40.6	1.57	63.75	41.6	2.08	86.35
July	41.3	1.33	55.09	37.5	1.15	42.98	40.7	1.57	63.80	41.7	2.10	87.51
August	41.7	1.34	56.06	38.8	1.15	44.56	41.2	1.57	64.71	41.3	2.08	85.91
September	42.1	1.34	56.63	38.2	1.15	43.86	41.8	1.58	65.99	41.8	2.10	87.93
October	42.2	1.34	56.65	38.8	1.15	44.84	41.5	1.59	66.05	41.6	2.11	87.69
November	42.3	1.35	57.07	38.0	1.15	43.58	41.1	1.59	65.33	41.6	2.13	88.73
*December	40.0	1.35	54.01	33.8	1.16	39.24	37.8	1.60	60.55	39.9	2.15	85.86
1961 - January	41.9	1.36	57.08	38.5	1.18	45.25	40.3	1.59	63.95	41.0	2.15	88.13
February	41.9	1.37	57.22	39.1	1.18	46.08	40.8	1.60	65.34	41.2	2.15	88.82
March	41.9	1.37	57.44	38.4	1.18	45.37	40.7	1.62	65.88	40.7	2.15	87.53
April	41.9	1.37	57.45	38.2	1.18	45.03	41.3	1.63	67.21	41.6	2.17	90.28
May	41.6	1.37	57.07	37.4	1.17	43.75	40.8	1.61	65.71	40.9	2.15	88.10
June	42.0	1.37	57.80	37.9	1.17	44.52	41.6	1.60	66.67	41.5	2.15	89.21
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Table 6b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Manufacturing Industries, Canada. (Continued)

Year and Month	Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries			Iron and Steel Products			Transportation Equipment			Non-Ferrous Metal Products		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	41.5	0.76	31.50	45.7	0.75	34.32	44.4	0.87	38.58	44.4	0.74	32.81
1946 - Average	41.1	0.79	32.55	43.3	0.76	32.95	41.7	0.88	36.65	43.2	0.77	33.09
1947 - Average	40.8	0.89	36.35	43.6	0.89	38.72	42.1	0.98	41.22	43.2	0.88	37.93
1948 - Average	40.5	1.03	41.63	43.2	1.01	43.59	41.9	1.08	45.29	43.1	1.00	43.06
1949 - Average	40.6	1.14	46.12	42.8	1.09	46.57	42.2	1.16	48.95	43.3	1.07	46.42
1950 - Average	40.6	1.23	49.74	42.5	1.16	49.39	42.5	1.21	51.38	43.3	1.12	48.71
1951 - Average	40.1	1.33	53.49	42.0	1.32	55.31	41.7	1.35	56.42	42.4	1.30	54.95
1952 - Average	39.6	1.49	58.81	41.8	1.46	60.90	41.2	1.48	60.85	41.4	1.47	60.94
1953 - Average	39.9	1.59	63.28	41.5	1.53	63.70	41.5	1.57	65.24	41.4	1.53	63.22
1954 - Average	40.1	1.66	66.45	40.8	1.58	64.30	40.5	1.62	65.57	41.0	1.60	65.52
1955 - Average	40.1	1.73	69.21	41.4	1.64	67.77	40.2	1.67	67.01	41.3	1.66	68.60
1956 - Average	40.1	1.81	72.46	41.6	1.73	72.13	40.3	1.74	70.20	41.0	1.73	70.93
1957 - Average	39.8	1.89	75.30	40.9	1.84	75.17	39.7	1.83	72.53	40.7	1.84	75.01
1958 - Average	39.3	1.98	77.93	40.3	1.91	77.05	39.8	1.90	75.54	39.7	1.94	76.94
1959 - Average	39.6	2.08	82.18	41.0	2.01	82.40	40.5	1.99	80.54	40.5	1.99	80.72
1960 - Average	39.1	2.16	84.38	40.6	2.07	84.03	40.5	2.04	82.78	40.7	2.08	84.63
1958 - January	38.7	1.93	74.65	40.0	1.88	75.20	39.2	1.86	72.99	40.0	1.95	77.92
February	39.3	1.96	76.91	40.1	1.88	75.51	39.4	1.87	73.72	40.3	1.94	78.10
March	39.8	1.98	78.84	40.4	1.89	76.44	40.5	1.88	76.02	40.0	1.94	77.72
April	39.4	1.99	78.52	40.3	1.90	76.53	41.1	1.88	77.47	40.3	1.95	78.42
May	39.5	1.99	78.53	40.8	1.93	78.66	40.9	1.90	77.59	40.3	1.94	78.26
June	39.4	1.99	78.29	40.6	1.91	77.71	40.5	1.89	76.55	40.4	1.95	78.74
July	39.5	1.98	78.21	40.6	1.92	78.03	39.2	1.88	73.89	39.3	1.96	76.95
August	39.4	1.98	78.21	40.6	1.91	77.51	39.4	1.90	74.78	38.8	1.94	75.47
September	39.6	1.99	78.96	41.1	1.91	78.54	40.0	1.92	76.68	36.5	1.92	69.93
October	39.7	2.00	79.60	41.0	1.91	78.27	38.9	1.92	74.49	41.3	1.91	78.97
November	39.8	2.00	79.48	40.2	1.94	77.87	40.4	1.93	78.05	40.9	1.90	77.83
*December	37.5	2.01	75.43	37.4	1.96	73.13	37.9	1.95	74.07	37.9	1.96	74.16
1959 - January	39.0	2.02	78.83	40.6	1.97	80.07	40.3	1.98	79.95	40.0	1.98	79.07
February	39.4	2.04	80.40	40.9	1.98	80.94	40.8	1.96	80.18	40.3	1.97	79.33
*March	39.6	2.07	81.90	40.5	1.99	80.74	40.5	1.96	79.42	40.2	2.04	81.88
April	39.5	2.07	81.88	41.0	1.99	81.62	40.9	1.97	80.68	40.4	1.98	80.20
May	39.9	2.09	83.39	41.3	2.00	82.44	41.2	1.99	81.87	40.3	1.97	79.55
June	39.7	2.09	82.85	41.7	2.01	83.69	40.8	1.99	81.30	40.5	1.97	79.34
July	39.7	2.08	82.46	41.4	2.01	83.23	40.2	1.99	79.89	40.5	1.98	80.31
August	39.5	2.08	82.17	40.9	2.02	82.70	40.0	1.99	79.55	40.4	1.98	79.78
September	40.3	2.10	84.45	41.7	2.03	84.53	41.0	2.01	82.51	40.8	1.98	80.68
October	40.1	2.10	83.91	41.8	2.04	85.28	40.6	2.02	82.01	41.0	1.99	83.46
November	39.6	2.10	83.35	41.2	2.04	83.99	40.2	1.99	80.01	41.2	2.00	82.26
*December	38.5	2.10	80.63	39.0	2.04	79.61	39.1	2.02	79.11	40.2	2.10	84.25
1960 - January	38.9	2.13	82.93	40.8	2.05	83.92	40.5	2.05	83.04	40.8	2.05	83.43
February	39.0	2.14	83.56	40.7	2.06	83.78	39.7	2.03	80.68	40.7	2.05	83.32
March	39.6	2.17	85.88	40.7	2.06	83.95	40.7	2.04	82.84	40.5	2.05	82.92
April	39.3	2.17	85.28	40.7	2.07	84.08	41.4	2.05	84.90	40.7	2.05	83.55
May	39.2	2.17	84.87	40.3	2.06	83.15	40.9	2.04	83.68	40.0	2.05	82.13
June	39.2	2.16	84.71	40.8	2.06	84.01	40.5	2.03	82.30	40.7	2.11	85.92
July	39.2	2.16	84.45	40.9	2.06	84.37	40.0	2.01	80.27	40.7	2.10	85.19
August	38.9	2.16	84.22	40.6	2.09	84.62	40.3	2.03	81.76	40.5	2.09	84.65
September	39.3	2.18	85.56	40.8	2.09	85.18	40.7	2.06	83.78	40.8	2.08	85.01
October	39.2	2.16	84.65	40.7	2.09	85.02	40.5	2.05	82.96	40.9	2.09	85.70
November	39.1	2.17	84.71	40.6	2.09	84.78	40.6	2.07	84.14	40.9	2.09	85.21
*December	37.8	2.16	81.71	39.0	2.09	81.54	39.9	2.08	83.04	41.3	2.15	88.59
1961 - January	38.4	2.19	84.01	40.1	2.11	84.62	39.7	2.09	83.01	40.5	2.11	85.37
February	38.7	2.20	85.05	40.2	2.12	85.27	40.2	2.09	84.01	40.6	2.11	85.73
March	39.0	2.21	86.22	40.4	2.12	85.73	40.0	2.10	83.83	40.5	2.12	86.06
April	38.7	2.21	85.76	40.6	2.13	86.70	40.6	2.11	85.47	40.5	2.14	86.55
May	38.7	2.22	85.98	40.9	2.15	87.93	40.3	2.11	85.06	40.6	2.15	87.30
June	39.2	2.22	86.92	41.1	2.14	87.74	40.8	2.13	86.91	40.6	2.16	87.56
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Table 6b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Manufacturing Industries, Canada. (Concluded)

Year and Month	Electrical Apparatus and Supplies			Non-Metallic Mineral Products			Products of Petroleum and Coal			Chemical Products		
	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
1945 - Average	43.1	0.70	30.21	46.0	0.66	30.18	43.4	0.84	36.37	45.0	0.68	30.78
1946 - Average	41.6	0.72	30.08	44.3	0.68	30.12	40.5	0.88	35.48	43.3	0.70	30.31
1947 - Average	41.0	0.86	35.18	44.6	0.78	34.70	41.4	0.98	40.74	43.0	0.81	34.79
1948 - Average	40.6	1.00	40.72	44.6	0.89	39.78	41.6	1.15	47.67	43.4	0.93	40.15
1949 - Average	41.1	1.09	44.96	44.9	0.96	43.19	41.3	1.23	50.63	43.5	0.99	43.02
1950 - Average	41.1	1.15	47.39	45.2	1.02	46.10	41.5	1.30	54.07	43.3	1.05	45.25
1951 - Average	41.0	1.29	52.93	44.5	1.17	52.20	41.1	1.53	62.92	42.8	1.20	51.36
1952 - Average	41.1	1.40	57.54	44.0	1.28	56.54	41.6	1.73	71.80	41.9	1.33	55.52
1953 - Average	41.1	1.44	59.02	43.6	1.36	59.08	41.5	1.81	75.32	41.8	1.38	57.85
1954 - Average	40.2	1.50	60.30	43.2	1.42	61.30	41.6	1.89	78.54	41.5	1.45	60.22
1955 - Average	40.7	1.51	61.38	43.4	1.46	63.49	41.2	1.96	80.83	41.3	1.51	62.49
1956 - Average	40.8	1.59	64.83	43.2	1.53	66.18	40.6	2.08	84.33	41.1	1.60	65.60
1957 - Average	40.3	1.66	67.10	42.7	1.61	68.70	41.4	2.23	92.20	40.9	1.72	70.39
1958 - Average	40.0	1.72	69.00	43.0	1.68	72.20	41.0	2.30	94.34	40.7	1.82	73.99
1959 - Average	40.5	1.78	71.99	43.0	1.74	74.72	41.4	2.44	100.98	40.8	1.88	76.58
1960 - Average	40.3	1.84	74.13	42.2	1.80	75.86	41.1	2.52	103.46	40.6	1.97	80.20
1958 - January	39.9	1.70	67.79	42.2	1.65	69.67	40.1	2.25	90.31	40.5	1.79	72.54
February	39.7	1.73	68.52	41.7	1.66	69.43	41.0	2.28	93.36	40.5	1.79	72.50
March	39.9	1.73	68.91	42.6	1.66	70.63	41.4	2.28	94.52	40.7	1.79	72.93
April	40.0	1.72	69.00	42.7	1.66	71.10	40.8	2.27	92.53	41.1	1.80	74.02
May	40.4	1.72	69.61	44.1	1.67	73.69	42.1	2.32	97.63	40.8	1.80	73.64
June	39.3	1.72	67.52	43.6	1.67	72.94	41.5	2.33	96.82	41.1	1.82	74.93
July	40.6	1.74	70.48	44.3	1.66	73.54	40.1	2.29	91.91	40.5	1.82	73.75
August	40.5	1.72	69.58	44.3	1.68	74.25	41.2	2.33	95.87	40.4	1.82	73.69
September	40.7	1.73	70.33	44.3	1.68	74.65	40.4	2.30	92.72	40.8	1.83	74.75
October	40.9	1.72	70.51	44.2	1.70	74.96	40.7	2.29	93.33	41.2	1.84	75.64
November	40.9	1.73	70.72	43.6	1.71	74.43	41.4	2.30	95.18	41.0	1.85	75.73
*December	37.4	1.74	65.29	38.7	1.74	67.13	41.0	2.37	96.90	40.1	1.87	75.12
1959 - January	40.4	1.76	70.86	42.8	1.74	74.61	41.2	2.40	98.58	40.7	1.86	75.82
February	40.3	1.76	70.65	43.0	1.74	74.89	41.1	2.40	98.39	40.7	1.87	76.08
*March	40.0	1.76	70.42	42.6	1.74	74.27	41.6	2.46	102.53	40.8	1.86	75.67
April	40.4	1.78	71.83	42.7	1.73	73.78	41.2	2.43	100.12	40.8	1.84	74.97
May	40.6	1.78	72.45	43.7	1.73	75.44	42.7	2.46	105.28	40.9	1.84	75.20
June	41.1	1.79	73.53	43.6	1.73	75.34	41.3	2.44	100.63	40.9	1.85	75.53
July	40.6	1.78	72.54	43.4	1.73	74.99	40.9	2.43	99.39	40.7	1.88	76.56
August	40.5	1.77	71.80	43.5	1.73	75.14	40.7	2.42	98.28	40.5	1.89	76.73
September	41.4	1.78	73.68	44.4	1.74	77.17	40.8	2.43	99.21	41.1	1.90	78.02
October	41.1	1.78	73.06	44.2	1.74	77.03	41.1	2.45	100.68	41.1	1.90	78.23
November	41.0	1.79	73.36	43.2	1.73	74.86	42.1	2.47	103.78	40.8	1.90	77.77
*December	39.0	1.79	69.76	38.9	1.78	69.07	41.7	2.52	104.94	40.4	1.94	78.39
1960 - January	40.9	1.82	74.26	42.3	1.78	75.20	40.8	2.42	98.63	40.8	1.93	78.52
February	40.3	1.82	73.49	41.6	1.79	74.51	40.6	2.43	98.58	40.4	1.94	78.41
March	40.4	1.84	74.27	41.9	1.78	74.48	40.9	2.49	101.82	40.7	1.94	78.97
April	40.2	1.84	73.78	41.8	1.78	74.45	41.1	2.54	104.10	40.9	1.95	79.65
May	40.1	1.84	73.87	42.8	1.78	76.24	41.4	2.55	105.53	40.7	1.96	79.66
June	40.6	1.84	74.52	42.1	1.78	74.75	41.5	2.57	106.44	41.1	1.98	81.12
July	40.1	1.84	73.97	42.5	1.79	76.13	41.1	2.51	103.28	40.8	1.99	81.36
August	40.5	1.84	74.57	42.8	1.79	76.62	39.9	2.52	100.54	40.2	1.98	79.58
September	40.7	1.85	75.02	42.9	1.81	77.81	40.8	2.55	103.89	40.6	1.99	80.96
October	40.7	1.84	74.64	42.8	1.82	78.07	41.5	2.55	105.93	40.4	2.00	80.84
November	40.7	1.85	75.24	42.8	1.82	78.17	40.9	2.55	104.12	40.4	2.01	81.25
*December	38.9	1.85	71.98	40.1	1.84	73.89	42.2	2.57	108.62	40.4	2.03	82.12
1961 - January	40.4	1.87	75.45	40.7	1.86	75.81	40.9	2.53	103.59	40.5	2.02	81.69
February	40.1	1.87	75.01	40.7	1.87	75.90	41.1	2.54	104.39	40.6	2.02	81.76
March	40.1	1.87	75.08	41.3	1.87	77.20	41.0	2.55	104.71	40.8	2.03	82.77
April	40.7	1.87	76.24	41.9	1.85	77.75	40.9	2.54	103.99	40.7	2.02	82.22
May	40.5	1.89	76.32	43.4	1.86	80.78	41.6	2.58	107.13	41.4	2.04	84.46
June	41.0	1.88	77.21	43.6	1.86	81.31	41.5	2.57	106.74	41.2	2.03	83.77
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Table 7. Index Numbers of Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing, Canada, 1947-1961.

(1949=100)

Last week in	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
(a) Manufacturing															
January	77.2	87.6	98.3	102.0	111.6	128.5	135.7	142.0	144.3	148.9	159.2	166.1	172.4	178.9	183.3
February	78.0	89.0	98.7	102.5	112.6	129.2	135.9	142.2	145.1	150.2	159.4	167.1	172.6	178.9	183.6
March	78.5	90.0	99.3	102.8	114.1	130.4	136.4	142.6	145.9	152.2	160.5	167.6	174.0	179.6	184.7
April	79.2	90.4	99.7	103.6	115.4	130.8	137.0	143.4	147.0	152.8	161.8	168.2	174.1	180.6	185.8
May	80.8	92.4	100.2	104.6	117.2	131.1	137.4	143.8	147.1	153.6	162.5	169.1	174.6	180.7	185.9
June	81.7	93.3	100.2	105.1	119.7	130.0	137.7	143.2	146.6	154.4	162.8	168.4	174.3	180.6	185.0
July	82.2	93.7	99.9	105.4	120.4	130.3	137.5	142.5	146.7	154.1	162.2	167.7	173.2	179.3	
August	83.1	94.4	99.5	105.6	121.9	130.9	137.2	141.0	145.4	153.8	161.3	165.8	171.8	178.3	
September	84.3	95.6	100.4	106.5	123.3	131.3	138.1	141.2	146.4	155.0	162.3	166.2	174.4	179.1	
October	85.6	96.6	100.6	107.6	124.9	132.5	138.9	142.1	147.0	156.4	164.7	167.3	175.6	180.4	
November	86.6	97.1	101.1	109.0	125.9	133.6	139.9	142.8	147.7	157.2	165.3	169.2	175.7	181.2	
December	87.6	98.3	102.2	110.2	128.5	135.5	142.0	144.4	149.1	159.8	167.6	172.9	179.6	184.5	
Average	82.1	93.2	100.0	105.4	119.6	131.2	137.8	142.6	146.5	154.0	162.5	168.0	174.4	180.2	
(b) Durable goods															
January	78.2	87.3	98.3	102.5	111.4	128.7	136.4	141.8	144.0	148.9	159.6	166.8	173.6	180.3	184.6
February	78.8	89.0	98.6	102.8	112.3	129.6	137.0	141.9	145.1	150.4	159.5	167.4	173.2	180.3	185.2
March	79.4	89.5	99.0	103.0	113.9	130.7	137.4	142.0	145.9	151.9	160.3	168.0	174.6	180.6	185.9
April	80.0	90.1	99.4	103.6	115.1	130.6	137.4	142.6	146.7	152.5	161.0	168.3	174.4	181.3	186.4
May	80.7	92.1	99.7	104.3	115.9	130.7	137.4	142.4	146.3	152.2	160.8	168.8	174.4	180.5	186.5
June	81.3	92.9	99.9	104.7	118.9	129.5	137.6	141.9	145.8	153.0	161.4	168.1	174.5	180.4	186.1
July	82.1	93.4	99.7	105.3	120.0	130.5	137.7	141.9	145.7	153.2	161.8	167.9	173.8	179.4	
August	83.1	94.5	99.8	105.7	121.7	132.2	137.9	141.3	146.0	153.9	162.1	166.9	173.7	180.3	
September	84.8	96.1	100.9	107.0	123.7	132.8	139.0	141.9	146.7	155.6	163.0	167.6	176.0	181.5	
October	86.0	96.8	101.1	107.9	124.8	133.5	139.3	141.9	147.0	156.6	165.4	167.6	177.0	181.9	
November	86.9	97.5	101.8	109.0	126.0	134.5	140.0	142.8	147.4	157.5	166.0	169.5	176.6	182.8	
December	87.0	98.1	102.3	109.6	127.7	135.3	140.5	143.3	147.6	158.5	166.8	172.4	179.6	184.5	
Average	82.4	93.1	100.0	105.4	119.3	131.6	138.1	142.1	146.2	153.7	162.3	168.3	175.1	181.1	
(c) Non-durable goods															
January	76.3	88.1	98.2	101.9	111.3	127.3	132.9	140.7	144.3	148.4	157.6	165.3	171.6	177.3	183.7
February	76.9	88.9	98.6	102.4	112.5	127.6	132.8	141.0	144.3	148.7	158.0	166.8	172.4	177.7	183.7
March	77.6	90.3	99.3	103.0	113.8	128.6	133.4	141.9	145.0	150.8	159.4	167.3	173.5	178.7	185.1
April	78.3	90.6	99.8	103.7	115.1	129.6	134.6	142.9	146.2	151.3	161.2	168.0	173.6	179.9	186.6
May	80.7	92.8	100.7	105.1	117.9	130.2	135.4	144.6	147.2	153.6	163.5	169.0	174.6	181.1	186.5
June	82.2	93.7	100.4	105.3	120.0	129.7	135.9	143.9	147.0	154.7	163.6	169.0	174.0	181.3	185.1
July	82.3	94.2	100.2	105.4	120.4	129.3	135.8	142.9	147.2	154.0	162.0	168.1	173.5	180.9	
August	83.3	94.4	99.4	105.5	121.7	128.5	135.3	141.2	144.8	153.2	160.5	166.1	171.6	178.2	
September	83.8	95.3	100.1	105.9	122.3	128.7	136.1	140.9	145.8	153.6	161.5	166.1	173.2	178.8	
October	85.4	96.4	100.6	107.3	124.3	130.2	137.3	142.6	146.9	155.0	163.5	168.3	174.6	180.6	
November	86.1	96.5	100.7	108.9	124.9	131.2	138.7	143.0	147.6	155.7	163.7	169.7	175.7	181.5	
December	88.0	98.2	102.2	110.6	128.5	134.0	142.0	145.5	150.2	160.0	167.9	174.0	180.0	185.9	
Average	81.7	93.3	100.0	105.4	119.4	129.6	135.8	142.6	146.4	153.2	161.9	168.1	174.0	180.2	

Table 8.- Index Numbers of Average Hourly Earnings in the Heavy Electrical Machinery and Equipment Industry. (1949=100)

Month	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
January	136.0	142.1	141.8	144.4	158.2	165.0	167.8	173.3	177.3
February	136.4	141.8	141.8	146.1	157.7	165.1	167.3	175.0	177.5
March	136.3	142.9	142.0	146.8	158.0	164.9	170.1	175.3	178.1
April	134.9	143.0	144.1	148.7	157.5	165.6	170.6	177.0	179.6
May	135.1	144.3	143.5	150.4	159.4	165.1	171.9	176.4	179.0
June	136.9	144.9	143.7	151.2	160.7	165.9	172.0	177.9	179.6
July	135.8	144.3	141.2	152.1	162.3	167.8	173.5	178.8	
August	136.1	143.4	141.6	151.2	160.1	164.5	170.5	177.7	
September	137.1	143.4	142.0	153.5	161.5	166.1	171.9	178.1	
October	138.6	143.1	144.1	155.5	162.6	165.6	171.6	176.4	
November	138.7	143.2	145.2	154.2	162.9	165.7	171.6	176.9	
December	139.5	142.2	145.5	156.1	163.8	168.2	172.1	176.4	

Table 9.- Average Weekly Wages in Manufacturing in Current Dollars and Adjusted for Changes in the Consumer Price Index.

Year and Month	Weekly Wages in Current Dollars	Index Numbers of Weekly Wages in Current Dollars (1949=100)	Weekly Wages in 1949 Dollars	Index Numbers of Weekly Wages in 1949 Dollars
1945 - Average	\$ 30.47	73.0	\$ 40.63	97.3
1946 - Average	30.15	72.2	38.70	92.7
1947 - Average	34.47	82.6	40.08	96.0
1948 - Average	38.96	93.3	39.96	95.7
1949 - Average	41.74	100.0	41.74	100.0
1950 - Average	44.03	105.5	42.54	101.9
1951 - Average	49.29	118.1	43.01	103.0
1952 - Average	53.83	129.0	46.33	111.0
1953 - Average	56.25	134.8	48.70	116.7
1954 - Average	57.43	137.6	49.42	118.4
1955 - Average	59.45	142.4	51.07	122.4
1956 - Average	62.40	149.5	52.70	126.3
1957 - Average	64.96	155.6	53.20	127.4
1958 - Average	66.77	160.0	53.30	127.7
1959 - Average	70.16	168.1	55.42	132.8
1960 - Average	71.96	172.4	56.14	134.5
1960 - January	71.89	172.2	56.52	135.4
February	71.49	171.3	56.34	135.0
March	71.94	172.4	56.42	135.2
April	72.37	173.4	56.81	136.1
May	71.69	171.8	56.18	134.6
June	72.19	173.0	56.62	135.6
July	72.01	172.5	56.30	134.9
August	71.46	171.2	55.65	133.3
September	72.37	173.4	55.93	134.0
October	72.66	174.1	56.06	134.3
November	72.82	174.5	56.19	134.6
December	70.60	169.1	54.64	130.9
1961 - January	72.76	174.3	56.45	135.2
February	73.40	175.9	56.86	136.2
March	73.64	176.4	57.04	136.7
April	74.56	178.6	57.80	138.5
May	74.44	178.3	57.71	138.3
June	75.22	180.2	58.31	139.7
July				
August				
September				
October				
November				
December				

Note:- The current weekly wages relate to the last pay periods in the month, while the Consumer Price Index relates to the beginning of the month. The current average of weekly wages for any month is therefore adjusted in the above table by the Consumer Price Index for the following month, as more representative of the period in which the wages are spent. A statement of uses and limitations of the adjusted figures appears on page 11.

For Consumer Price Index statistics, construction methods and component details, see monthly report "Prices and Price Indexes".



## NOTES

**General.**—The monthly statistics of average hours, average hourly earnings and average weekly wages, like those of employment, payrolls and average weekly wages and salaries, are based on data from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The latest monthly figures are subject to revision.

**Coverage.**—Firms are asked to furnish information for the male and female wage-earners for whom they keep records of hours worked, so that the statistics relate, in the main, to hourly-rated wage-earners, or production workers, employed full time and part time. Casual workers are also included, provided that they work at least one day in the reported pay period. Data for salaried personnel are purposely excluded. In many cases, information is not available for certain classes of wage-earners, whose earnings, like those of most salaried employees, are not directly dependent on the number of hours worked; examples of wage-earners frequently excluded are route-drivers, piece-workers in many but not all establishments, truck men, etc. Numerous employers do not keep records of man-hours for any classes of employees. The number of workers for whom information is given in the present report is therefore smaller than the total number of workers (wage-earners and salaried employees) for whom statistics of employment, payrolls, average earnings, sex distribution, etc., are given in the monthly reports on employment and payrolls. These also include figures for certain industries not represented in the present report because relatively few of the wage-earners therein are paid on an hourly basis with the result that man-hour records are lacking. Such industries include public utility operation, trade, finance, insurance and real estate and some branches of transportation, storage and communication and service.

In manufacturing, the data relate to over 70 p.c. of all employees on the staffs of the firms co-operating in the monthly surveys of employment and payrolls; in 1956 the wage-earners for whom information on man-hours was obtained formed some 83 p.c. of the total number of hourly-rated and other wage-earners reported by practically all manufacturing establishments to the Annual Census of Manufactures. In mining and construction, data on man-hours and hourly earnings are provided for approximately 75 p.c. and 69 p.c. of the total employees of firms co-operating in the monthly surveys of employment and payrolls in those industries, respectively; in 1956, the monthly statistics were based on approximately 93 p.c. of the total number of wage-earners reported in the annual survey of the Mineral Statistics Section of the Industry and Merchandising Division.

**Man-hours.**—The man-hours statistics include hours worked by full-time and part-time wage-earners, including overtime hours actually worked; premium or penalty hours credited for purpose of computing overtime payment are not included. Hours

credited to wage-earners absent on leave with pay in the reported pay periods are included in the statistics as though the hours had been worked. The averages are obtained by dividing the aggregate hours reported for the week by the number of full-time and part-time wage-earners working such hours.

**Wages.**—The questionnaire calls for a statement of gross wages earned by the full-time and part-time wage-earners whose hours are reported, before deductions are made for taxes, unemployment insurance contributions, etc. Payments for overtime work, incentive or production and cost-of-living bonuses paid at regular intervals, and amounts credited to wage-earners on leave with pay in the reported pay periods are included. The value of board and lodging, which in some cases is part of the remuneration of workers, is not included. Bonuses paid at infrequent intervals and employers' contributions to welfare funds such as workmen's compensation, unemployment insurance, pension and medical plans and certain other employee benefits are also excluded.

So far as is possible the revised figures of average hourly and weekly earnings incorporate retroactive pay for one month as well as 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.

**Pay Periods.**—Statistics of man-hours and wages reported for periods exceeding one week in duration are reduced by the appropriate proportions to obtain the number of hours and the wages for one week in the stated pay period. Such data are combined with weekly figures furnished by employers whose records are maintained on a weekly basis, so that, in all cases, the tabulated statistics represent the situation in one week in each month.

**Variations in Trends** of average earnings result from many factors, such as changes in wage rates, in amounts of overtime work, short-time work, shift differentials, incentive or production bonuses and in the area, occupational and sex distributions of the reported working forces. Differences in industrial distributions, with related occupational and sex distributions, are the principal factors contributing to differences in the levels of earnings in particular areas.

**Urban Area Statistics.**—Statistics given in the present report for communities listed as "metropolitan areas" and "other major urban areas" in Tables 8 and 9 of the 1956 Census Volume 1 (Population) and in the same tables in Bulletin 1-6, cover the census areas, except those for St. Catharines, which also include establishments in Port Colborne and Welland. Statistics given for urban areas not listed in the above mentioned tables cover establishments in the incorporated cities and towns named but also include Iberville with St. Jean, Nitro with Valleyfield, and Preston with Galt.

### Measuring the Purchasing Power of Earnings.—

Changing consumer price levels affect the amounts of goods and services which a dollar will buy, and average earnings, of course, will be affected in the same way. An earnings measurement which takes the change of consumer prices into account, can be calculated by reducing actual earnings averages by the percentage amounts consumer price levels rise, or increasing them by the amount price levels fall. The adjusted averages may be used to indicate the comparative quantities of goods and services which could be purchased by average earnings if consumer price levels and consumption patterns had remained constant. The following illustration shows how this kind of an adjustment can be made.

Suppose that a series of weekly average wages rises from \$50.00 in week A to \$60.00 in week B, and that in the same interval a consumer price index advances from 100.0 to 110.0. Because of the 10 per cent rise in consumer prices, \$1.00 will not buy as much in week B as it would in week A. Likewise, a 20 per cent rise from \$50.00 to \$60.00 will overstate the increase which has occurred in the purchasing power of average weekly wages. This overstatement can be removed by reducing the figure of \$60.00 by the amount of the consumer price increase. The adjusted average is \$54.55 ( $60.00/110.0 \times 100.0$ ), which may be referred to as a weekly wage average for week B expressed in the dollars of period A, or it may be said to indicate the level of real weekly wages relative to week A.

The foregoing calculation can be carried a step further to express in index number form the relationship between the week A average of \$50.00 and the week B figure of \$54.55. Taking the week A average of \$50.00 as equal to 100.0, the week B index becomes 109.0 ( $54.55/50.00 \times 100.0$ ). Such an index may be called an index of weekly real wages. It indicates that average wages for week B will buy 9 per cent more goods and services than those received in week A, in spite of a 10 per cent rise in consumer prices. This 9 per cent increase in real wages compares with the rise of 20 per cent in money wages ( $60.00/50.00 \times 100.0$ ).

It should be noted that while the estimates of average real wages may reflect the experiences of

broad groups of workers fairly well, their applicability to individual wage-earners depends upon a number of considerations. For example, individual earnings will differ significantly from the group average, depending upon occupation, industry, geographical location, or sex of the wage-earner. Moreover, individual spending habits differ widely, but the consumer price index which is used to adjust the earnings data refers only to the average consumption pattern of a particular income group. Group-spending patterns change over periods of time. To the extent that this occurs, the earnings data adjusted by the consumer price index (which has a "fixed" consumption pattern), will gradually be rendered less valid. Finally, some part of income may be saved, and it should be borne in mind that it is not appropriate to reduce savings to a constant dollar basis by using a price index which reflects consumption patterns.

It should also be kept in mind that measures of change in real earnings calculated from averages of gross earnings may differ from changes in the purchasing power of "take-home" pay, due to such factors as changes in personal income tax, pay deductions for such things as social insurance and pension plans. Thus index numbers of real wages should not be interpreted as measuring fluctuations in the levels of consumption of wage-earners or wage-earners' families; they are intended to show only the trend in purchasing power of wages over the items covered by the price index, and in addition to the factors already mentioned, do not take into account other family income (including family allowances) or changes in the savings position of families.

In Table 6, 1949 figures are used as reference levels for indexes of both actual and real wages, since this is the year selected by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for general post-war index number comparisons. However, the adjustment made in the foregoing illustration can be applied to any reference level, and it should not be inferred that the 1949 reference period has any special validity for earnings comparisons. Percentage change between any two periods will be the same regardless of the reference period selected.





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## FOOTNOTES

The following footnotes explain the content of various industrial classes listed in the detailed tables in this bulletin. In some industries, the group breakdown is less extensive than in the Standard

Industrial Classification; in these cases, figures for certain categories not shown are contained in the group totals.

- (a) Alluvial gold and auriferous quartz mining.
- (b) Copper-gold-silver; nickel-copper; silver-cobalt; silver-lead-zinc and miscellaneous metal mining.
- (c) Oil and natural gas; oil shale and bituminous sand; contract drilling and prospecting for oil.
- (d) Non-metal mining and quarrying; clay and sand pits.
- (e) Tires, tubes and other rubber products.
- (f) Leather gloves and mittens; leather tanneries and miscellaneous leather products.
- (g) Miscellaneous wood products.
- (h) Paper boxes and bags; roofing papers; miscellaneous paper products.
- (i) Household, office and store machinery; machine tools; machinery, n.e.s.
- (j) Machine tools; machinery, n.e.s.
- (k) Jewellery and silverware; white metal alloys; miscellaneous non-ferrous metal products.
- (l) Abrasives; asbestos; hydraulic cement; clay; glass; lime and gypsum; stone; concrete and miscellaneous non-metallic mineral products.
- (m) Building includes buildings and structures, special trade contractors. General engineering includes other construction, other than highways, bridges and streets.
- (n) Interurban bus and coach and urban and suburban transportation systems; taxi-cab and truck transportation; services incidental to transportation; other transportation.
- (o) Hotels and restaurants; laundries; dyeing, cleaning and pressing plants, and recreational services.
- (p) The Northwest Territories, with the exception of Baffin Island, are included in Alberta. Baffin Island is included in Quebec. The Yukon Territory is included in British Columbia.
- (..) Figures not available.

