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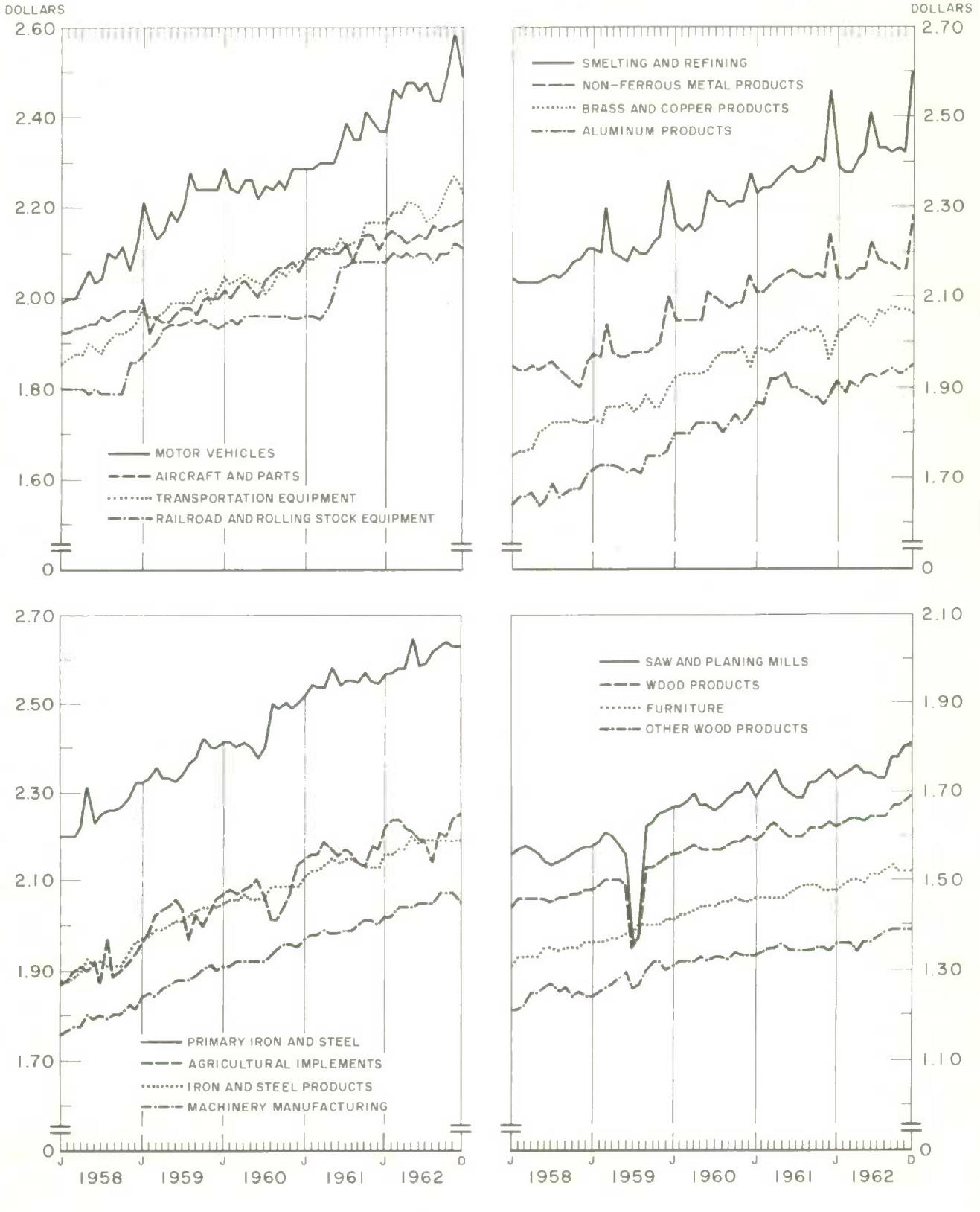


MAN-HOURS AND HOURLY EARNINGS, DECEMBER, 1962

Manufacturing

Average hourly earnings in manufacturing rose by 3 cents to a new maximum of $1.93 in December but the average of weekly wages declined by $5.56 to $72.53 owing to a contraction of 3.7 hours in the average work week during the year-end holiday season. Christmas, 1962, fell on a Tuesday with the result that many of the reported wage-earners took extra time off without pay in the holiday week, while some plants closed down for the entire week, particularly where business was quiet. Average hourly earnings in manufacturing generally are usually slightly higher in December than in either November or January, with a higher incidence of short time work or complete shutdowns in industries which employ large numbers of casual workers and women, at relatively low rates, accompanied by high premium rates for essential work performed during the holiday period in a number of industries where earnings are normally high. Compared with December, 1961, the average work week was 1.3 hours shorter, average weekly wages were 32 cents lower, but average hourly earnings were 5 cents higher.

In durable goods manufacturing, average hourly earnings were a cent higher than in the last week in November, with a loss of 3.9 hours in the work week and a decline of $7.63 in average weekly wages. Overtime work was reduced in the automotive industries and short time was general in all industry groups along with some lay-offs of lower-paid workers particulary in wood products and non-metallic mineral products. Premium pay for work during the holiday period was recorded in the non-ferrous metal group. Compared with the previous December, the work week was 1.6 hours shorter, average hourly earnings were 5 cents higher and average weekly wages were down by $1.37.

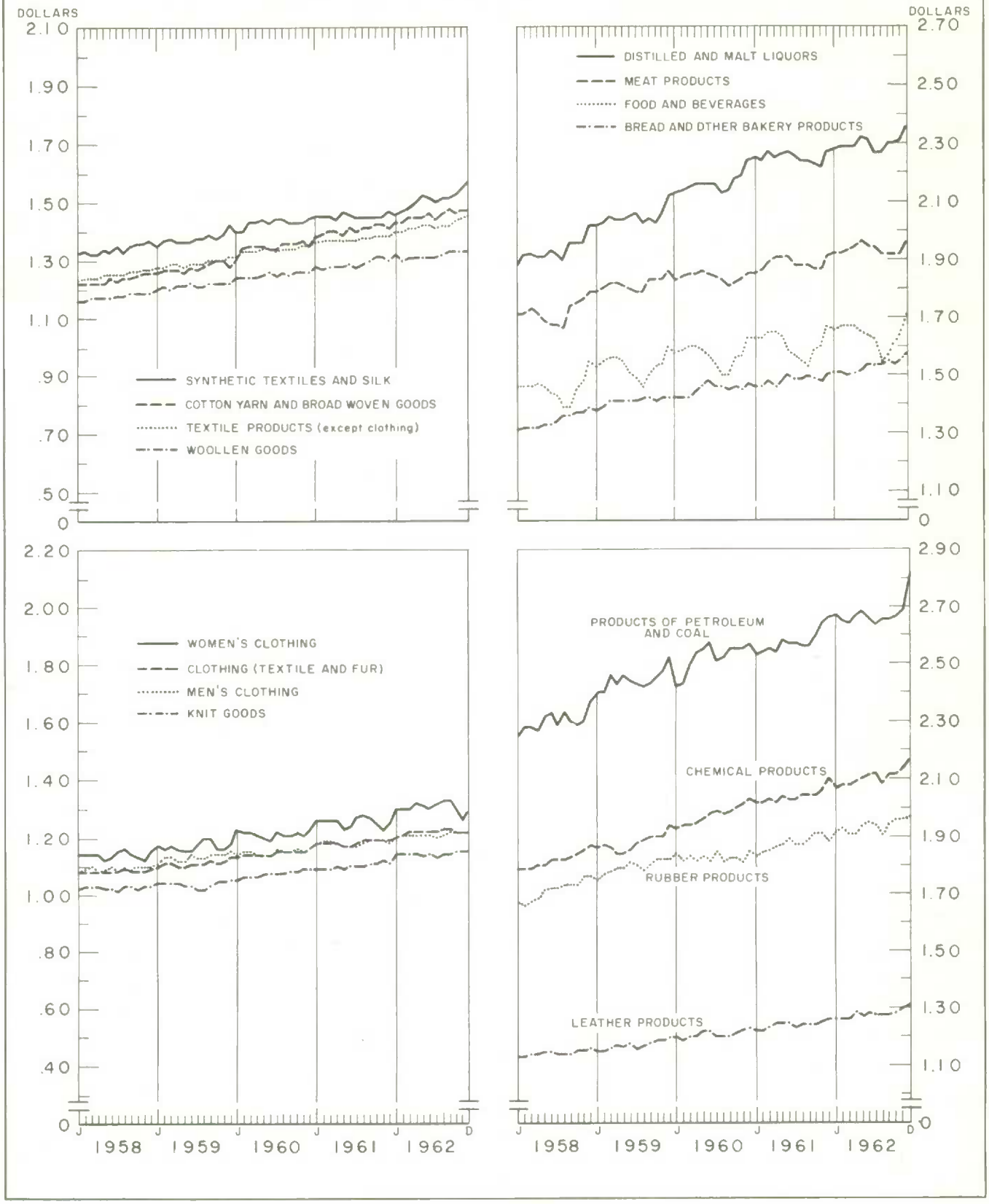
The averages of weekly hours and weekly wages were also lower in non-durable goods manufacturing, while the average hourly earnings rose by 6 cents. As in the rest of manufacturing, short time was general in December in this division. Seasonal lay-offs among lower-paid workers in industry groups such as food processing, and premium pay for work on the holiday in the paper products, chemical products and oil refineries, contributed to higher average hourly earnings in non-durables. In a comparison with December, 1961, the average work week was an hour shorter but, with a 5 cent increase in average hourly earnings, average weekly wages increased by 37 cents.

Non-Manufacturing Industries

Average hourly earnings in mining rose by 5 cents in December, accompanied by declines of 3.6 hours and $6.09 in average weekly hours and wages. The gain in average hourly earnings was mainly the result of lay-offs among lower-paid workers in metal and non-metal mining, along with a shorter work week on the part of other workers whose earnings are below the overall average in these two groups and in coal mining. More activity in the oil and natural gas group had some offsetting upward effect on average weekly hours and earnings in mining as a whole. In construction, greatly reduced hours and employment were reported in all branches.

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

AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES IN THE NON-DURABLE MANUFACTURED GOODS DIVISION



Provinces

Average hourly earnings in manufacturing were higher in December and the work week was shorter in all provinces. Average weekly wages were also lower in all provinces except Newfoundland. Most changes resulted from the effect of the holiday season.

Higher hourly earnings in manufacturing in the Atlantic Provinces resulted in large part from short time and lay-offs in fish processing where large numbers of lower-paid casual workers are employed. Premium pay for work during the Christmas holiday in paper products in Newfoundland also contributed to higher average earnings in that province. In the other provinces, a generally shorter work week in industry groups whose earnings are below the overall average for manufacturing, was not entirely outweighed by similar short time in industry groups having above-average earnings. The increase in average hourly earnings in December in all these provinces resulted largely from this factor.

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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
Mining	38.6	42.2	39.9	2.24	2.19	2.19	86.48	92.57	87.32	71,659
Metal mining	39.7	42.4	40.7	2.29	2.26	2.25	90.94	95.72	91.58	46,913
Gold (a)	40.8	43.7	41.1	1.80	1.79	1.77	73.43	78.05	72.95	12,858
Other metal (b)	39.3	41.9	40.5	2.48	2.44	2.43	97.35	102.40	98.42	34,055
Copper-gold-silver	37.0	41.2	39.5	2.25	2.23	2.18	83.23	91.74	86.21	8,276
Iron	41.8	43.1	42.8	2.71	2.64	2.48	113.23	113.81	106.06	6,463
Uranium	37.4	40.1	38.9	2.77	2.75	2.86	103.83	110.36	111.30	3,647
Fuels	35.3	40.5	37.7	2.21	2.13	2.11	78.09	86.37	79.71	14,178
Coal	30.1	40.4	35.2	1.84	1.82	1.82	55.53	73.60	64.00	8,190
Oil and natural gas (c)	42.4	40.8	41.1	2.57	2.57	2.46	108.94	104.87	100.97	5,988
Non-metal (d)	38.4	43.4	39.8	2.03	2.00	1.98	77.94	86.81	78.74	10,568
Asbestos	37.9	41.8	40.8	2.24	2.24	2.18	84.83	93.62	89.06	5,610
Manufacturing	37.5	41.2	38.8	1.93	1.90	1.88	72.33	78.09	72.85	844,718
Durable goods	38.0	41.9	39.6	2.07	2.06	2.02	78.84	86.47	80.21	415,785
Non-durable goods	37.0	40.5	38.0	1.79	1.73	1.74	66.41	70.20	66.04	428,933
Food and beverages	37.6	39.9	38.4	1.71	1.64	1.67	64.30	65.32	64.30	91,891
Meat products	38.9	40.4	39.0	1.96	1.92	1.92	76.11	77.37	74.91	20,694
Canned and cured fish	24.7	32.8	26.5	1.18	1.14	1.16	29.15	37.46	30.81	6,652
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	34.5	38.6	33.7	1.39	1.24	1.39	47.81	47.76	46.90	7,425
Grain mill products	38.0	41.4	40.5	1.82	1.84	1.78	68.99	76.06	72.13	5,186
Bread and other bakery products	40.9	40.8	41.9	1.57	1.55	1.51	64.39	63.28	63.02	11,972
Biscuits and crackers	36.2	38.7	35.9	1.49	1.45	1.41	54.05	56.22	50.57	4,891
Distilled liquors	40.1	41.6	38.4	2.24	2.17	2.09	89.89	90.36	80.38	2,522
Malt liquors	39.2	39.0	39.5	2.41	2.39	2.35	94.44	93.10	92.88	5,687
Confectionery	34.9	40.9	36.0	1.32	1.31	1.28	45.86	53.51	46.03	6,979
Tobacco and tobacco products	37.3	37.6	36.6	1.92	1.88	1.73	71.49	70.79	63.31	7,550
Rubber products	38.6	42.9	39.5	1.97	1.96	1.88	76.26	83.90	74.11	15,661
Rubber footwear	34.4	43.2	41.4	1.45	1.45	1.40	49.91	62.49	57.99	4,395
Other rubber products (e)	40.3	42.7	38.8	2.15	2.16	2.06	86.54	92.40	79.91	11,266
Leather products	34.4	41.2	36.3	1.31	1.30	1.26	45.08	53.54	45.64	24,189
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	33.4	40.8	35.7	1.25	1.25	1.20	41.75	51.14	42.86	16,803
Other leather products (f)	36.8	42.1	37.8	1.43	1.40	1.38	52.64	59.01	52.29	7,386
Textile products (except clothing)	37.9	43.1	39.5	1.45	1.44	1.40	54.95	62.14	55.21	49,078
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	35.7	41.5	37.9	1.47	1.47	1.41	52.31	61.19	53.49	15,150
Woollen goods	38.4	43.6	40.2	1.33	1.33	1.30	51.19	57.95	52.44	7,769
Synthetic textiles and silk	40.5	44.5	41.6	1.57	1.54	1.48	63.65	68.48	61.72	12,338
Filament yarn and staple fibres	40.8	42.3	40.9	1.93	1.89	1.82	78.54	80.04	74.40	5,522
Spun yarn and fabrics	40.3	46.2	42.2	1.28	1.28	1.21	51.58	59.22	51.05	6,816
Clothing (textile and fur)	32.7	38.5	33.8	1.22	1.22	1.19	40.00	46.75	40.14	75,061
Men's clothing	32.7	38.2	33.9	1.22	1.22	1.18	39.87	46.48	40.06	27,115
Women's clothing	29.9	36.3	30.8	1.29	1.26	1.25	38.55	45.83	38.61	19,100
Knit goods	35.7	42.3	36.8	1.15	1.15	1.11	40.95	48.77	40.87	13,472
*Wood products	37.5	41.7	38.9	1.69	1.68	1.63	63.52	69.89	63.45	71,011
Saw and planing mills	37.2	40.5	38.4	1.81	1.80	1.75	67.58	72.74	67.30	44,848
Plywood and veneer mills	38.1	40.5	39.3	1.80	1.78	1.75	68.72	72.03	68.88	10,013
Sash, door and planing mills	38.1	42.8	38.6	1.48	1.48	1.44	56.20	63.30	55.56	10,200
Sawmills	36.5	39.6	38.0	1.97	1.95	1.89	71.82	77.05	71.90	24,635
Furniture	37.9	44.0	39.8	1.52	1.52	1.48	57.70	67.06	58.83	19,557
Other wood products (g)	38.3	42.7	39.1	1.39	1.39	1.34	53.20	59.24	52.55	6,606
Paper products	38.8	41.2	39.7	2.32	2.26	2.25	89.81	92.82	89.29	73,686
Pulp and paper mills	39.8	41.2	40.4	2.51	2.45	2.44	99.84	100.91	98.62	53,765
Other paper products (h)	36.1	41.1	37.8	1.74	1.74	1.70	62.73	71.66	64.23	19,921
Paper boxes and bags	35.8	41.2	37.2	1.72	1.73	1.68	61.68	71.34	62.36	12,356
Printing, publishing and allied industries	36.6	38.9	37.6	2.32	2.32	2.23	84.86	90.17	84.01	32,572

For footnotes (a) to (o) 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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
Manufacturing – Concluded:										
*Iron and steel products	37.9	41.8	39.2	2.19	2.19	2.14	83.04	91.60	83.86	128,959
Agricultural implements	34.7	40.5	39.3	2.25	2.24	2.17	77.91	90.91	85.40	8,604
Boilers and plate work	38.1	42.4	37.7	2.10	2.09	2.02	80.06	88.58	76.18	5,103
Fabricated and structural steel	37.3	42.3	38.6	2.12	2.12	2.10	79.06	89.87	81.10	7,279
Hardware and tools	39.2	43.3	40.3	1.82	1.83	1.77	71.21	79.17	71.39	9,301
Heating and cooking appliances	37.5	41.7	39.2	1.85	1.85	1.81	69.17	76.99	71.03	5,799
Iron castings	37.0	41.8	39.4	2.07	2.08	2.03	76.83	86.86	80.11	14,009
Machinery (i)	38.7	42.4	39.8	2.05	2.07	2.00	79.54	87.73	79.43	23,183
Household, office and store	40.3	41.5	38.7	2.10	2.13	2.05	84.81	88.23	79.36	5,384
Industrial (j)	38.3	42.6	40.1	2.04	2.05	1.98	77.94	87.58	79.45	17,799
Primary iron and steel	39.1	41.1	39.5	2.63	2.63	2.54	102.77	107.78	100.63	30,206
Sheet metal products	36.3	41.3	38.0	2.05	2.08	2.04	74.58	86.02	77.38	12,362
Wire and wire products	37.6	42.3	38.6	2.18	2.17	2.09	81.91	91.83	80.49	7,020
*Transportation equipment	38.0	42.2	41.2	2.23	2.27	2.17	84.68	95.89	89.29	96,945
Aircraft and parts	38.0	40.7	40.7	2.17	2.16	2.11	82.28	87.94	85.75	15,776
Motor vehicles	39.4	46.0	45.1	2.49	2.58	2.37	97.83	118.81	107.18	25,089
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	36.1	43.3	40.1	2.15	2.22	2.12	77.65	96.04	85.14	17,254
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	40.6	39.1	39.5	2.11	2.12	2.08	85.77	82.81	82.39	18,595
Shipbuilding and repairing	35.1	40.2	39.2	2.17	2.17	2.08	76.31	87.39	81.45	17,961
*Non-ferrous metal products	39.5	41.3	39.7	2.28	2.16	2.24	90.20	89.05	89.10	36,987
Aluminum products	37.7	42.5	38.4	1.95	1.94	1.89	73.41	82.56	72.43	4,949
Brass and copper products	38.7	41.6	39.3	2.06	2.07	1.96	79.69	85.96	77.08	5,449
Smelting and refining	40.5	40.5	40.4	2.60	2.42	2.56	105.57	98.20	103.52	20,438
Other non-ferrous metal products (k)	38.5	42.5	38.7	1.61	1.59	1.58	61.93	67.54	61.02	6,151
*Electrical apparatus and supplies	37.4	41.3	38.7	1.91	1.91	1.89	71.18	78.71	73.09	53,082
Heavy electrical machinery and equipment[1]	38.0	42.0	39.6	2.12	2.14	2.10	80.40	89.99	83.19	11,825
Telecommunication equipment	36.6	41.0	38.3	1.72	1.71	1.75	63.05	70.16	67.08	13,365
Batteries	38.8	41.3	41.8	1.92	1.91	1.84	74.61	78.99	76.91	1,331
Refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and appliances	38.7	41.0	37.0	1.98	1.96	1.91	76.51	80.30	70.66	6,665
Wire and cable	38.3	41.7	38.4	2.11	2.14	2.09	80.70	89.29	80.32	4,496
Miscellaneous electrical products	36.5	41.0	38.9	1.80	1.80	1.78	65.48	73.81	69.38	15,233
*Non-metallic mineral products (l)	39.4	43.6	39.6	1.97	1.94	1.90	77.68	84.41	75.05	28,801
Clay products	41.1	43.1	40.5	1.76	1.74	1.73	72.32	75.20	70.22	3,718
Glass and glass products	40.1	41.6	40.4	1.97	1.96	1.88	78.82	81.60	75.98	8,331
Products of petroleum and coal	41.7	41.4	42.3	2.82	2.69	2.68	117.37	111.25	113.45	7,383
Petroleum refining and products	41.7	41.4	42.3	2.84	2.72	2.70	118.40	112.49	114.31	7,101
Chemical products	40.1	41.2	40.2	2.16	2.13	2.10	86.72	87.63	84.34	26,461
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	38.8	39.8	39.4	1.64	1.64	1.59	63.65	65.44	62.60	2,939
Acids, alkalis and salts	40.1	41.6	41.0	2.57	2.47	2.48	103.03	102.57	101.40	5,454
Fertilizers	41.8	42.3	41.6	2.20	2.17	2.13	91.85	91.60	88.51	2,074
Paints and varnishes	40.5	40.7	39.5	1.95	1.95	1.93	78.88	79.43	76.15	2,374
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	38.0	41.8	39.3	1.56	1.52	1.53	59.37	63.55	59.96	25,401
Professional and scientific equipment	38.5	40.6	40.0	1.90	1.88	1.81	73.07	76.48	72.36	6,379
Construction	33.5	40.7	34.5	2.10	2.08	1.99	70.20	84.57	68.63	162,382
Building and general engineering (m)	31.3	40.9	32.9	2.30	2.27	2.19	71.89	92.65	71.89	105,120
Building	30.6	40.4	31.6	2.31	2.28	2.22	70.78	92.12	70.04	90,346
General engineering	35.7	43.3	40.3	2.21	2.21	2.05	78.72	95.72	82.71	14,774
Highways, bridges and streets	37.5	40.5	37.6	1.79	1.72	1.67	67.09	69.72	62.63	57,262
Electric and motor transportation (n)	42.3	44.0	42.4	2.01	1.98	1.94	84.98	87.20	82.50	33,422
Service (o)	37.0	38.0	37.5	1.13	1.12	1.09	41.75	42.66	40.96	58,802
Hotels and restaurants	37.4	37.8	37.9	1.09	1.08	1.06	40.79	40.94	40.22	37,812
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	37.3	40.1	37.6	1.06	1.06	1.05	39.74	42.63	39.34	13,113

For footnotes (a) to (o) see notes on last page. *Durable manufactured goods industries. [1] 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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
Newfoundland										
Mining	44.1	47.0	41.2	2.19	2.13	1.94	96.57	99.98	79.85	2,819
Manufacturing	36.8	38.3	38.6	2.05	1.69	1.98	75.50	64.77	76.41	6,744
Food and beverages	31.1	34.1	32.6	1.16	1.06	1.17	36.12	36.05	38.27	2,274
Canned and cured fish	25.1	31.1	25.7	0.97	0.92	1.02	24.39	28.55	26.35	1,599
Pulp and paper mills	40.0	39.3	42.2	3.13	2.62	2.81	125.20	102.99	118.48	2,318
Building and general engineering (m)	39.4	46.3	33.3	1.77	1.72	1.98	69.66	79.59	66.16	2,635
Nova Scotia										
Coal mining	28.9	40.8	34.3	1.80	1.77	1.77	51.90	72.12	60.86	6,008
Manufacturing	37.2	39.9	37.8	1.68	1.64	1.65	62.54	65.50	62.24	20,243
Food and beverages	36.5	39.2	33.3	1.09	1.08	1.10	39.77	42.16	36.76	5,058
Canned and cured fish	27.6	33.1	28.1	1.16	1.13	1.11	31.96	37.61	31.07	2,269
Wood products	39.0	42.7	39.1	1.03	1.02	1.01	40.37	43.56	39.32	1,191
Iron and steel products	38.9	39.9	40.8	2.35	2.30	2.20	91.37	91.79	89.75	3,805
Primary iron and steel	40.6	39.8	41.9	2.52	2.51	2.42	102.38	99.75	101.42	2,896
Transportation equipment	38.7	39.4	39.7	1.89	1.89	1.85	73.18	74.51	73.45	5,469
Shipbuilding and repairing	38.9	40.2	39.9	1.91	1.87	1.85	74.16	75.28	73.91	3,842
Building and general engineering (m)	27.6	39.0	30.7	1.74	1.72	1.65	48.21	67.17	50.71	3,444
Highways, bridges and street construction	37.1	37.7	34.7	1.51	1.47	1.40	56.17	55.49	48.64	2,169
New Brunswick										
Manufacturing	37.4	40.9	39.2	1.72	1.60	1.71	64.29	65.49	66.87	14,934
Food and beverages	34.9	40.5	36.7	1.32	1.22	1.33	46.17	49.33	48.92	3,515
Saw and planing mills	39.5	44.5	40.1	1.10	1.08	1.05	43.24	47.96	41.98	1,337
Pulp and paper mills	39.5	40.9	40.7	2.47	2.32	2.35	97.72	94.90	95.75	3,536
Transportation equipment	36.5	39.3	38.1	1.98	1.97	1.94	72.37	77.29	74.00	2,538
Building and general engineering (m)	31.7	41.4	32.7	1.64	1.59	1.59	51.94	65.91	51.98	2,098
Highways, bridges and street construction	48.8	42.5	39.1	1.29	1.29	1.25	62.78	54.78	48.92	1,567
Quebec										
Metal mining	38.5	42.5	41.7	2.22	2.16	2.07	85.68	91.61	86.17	11,490
Non-metal mining (d)	38.8	43.3	40.9	2.10	2.07	2.04	81.42	89.51	83.37	6,236
Manufacturing	37.5	42.0	39.1	1.74	1.70	1.69	65.20	71.43	66.11	271,030
Food and beverages	39.8	42.4	40.3	1.65	1.61	1.57	65.46	68.08	63.32	23,016
Tobacco	39.5	40.3	39.7	2.03	2.02	1.90	80.16	81.38	75.21	5,112
Rubber products	37.3	44.5	43.0	1.54	1.54	1.51	57.50	68.43	64.88	4,737
Leather products	33.1	40.5	35.4	1.24	1.23	1.18	41.13	49.86	41.81	12,001
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	32.9	40.2	35.3	1.24	1.23	1.18	40.89	49.58	41.74	9,298
Textile products (except clothing)	39.0	44.3	40.4	1.40	1.39	1.34	54.37	61.55	53.88	29,071
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	36.5	41.9	38.6	1.51	1.52	1.44	55.13	63.72	55.60	10,477
Woollen goods	42.7	47.5	44.1	1.33	1.31	1.28	56.65	62.20	56.31	2,762
Synthetic textiles and silk[1]	40.9	45.4	42.2	1.37	1.35	1.27	55.83	61.22	53.60	8,273
Clothing (textile and fur)	31.9	38.1	33.5	1.22	1.21	1.18	39.00	46.15	39.35	45,682
Men's clothing	32.1	37.7	33.8	1.21	1.21	1.16	38.96	45.49	39.35	15,562
Women's clothing	28.3	35.8	30.0	1.31	1.28	1.25	37.02	45.82	37.63	13,602
Knit goods	36.6	43.2	37.5	1.15	1.15	1.10	42.21	49.84	41.20	6,390
Wood products	39.8	47.0	42.3	1.28	1.28	1.23	51.06	60.28	52.05	16,022
Saw and planing mills	41.7	47.9	43.4	1.22	1.22	1.15	50.82	58.20	49.74	7,069
Furniture	37.7	46.4	41.6	1.39	1.40	1.36	52.58	64.90	56.60	6,785
Paper products	39.7	42.3	40.8	2.25	2.20	2.20	89.30	93.26	89.90	27,455
Pulp and paper mills	41.0	42.6	41.8	2.42	2.38	2.38	99.30	101.48	99.23	21,241
Other paper products (h)	35.1	41.4	37.6	1.57	1.59	1.54	55.11	65.58	57.85	6,214
Printing, publishing and allied industries	36.6	39.4	38.1	2.25	2.25	2.18	82.30	88.37	83.21	9,150
Iron and steel products	38.5	43.5	40.6	1.92	1.93	1.87	73.89	84.13	76.10	24,888
Machinery (i)	38.4	43.6	41.9	1.85	1.88	1.80	70.87	82.05	75.58	5,640
Transportation equipment	37.3	41.5	40.7	2.10	2.11	2.06	78.47	87.42	84.04	21,179
Aircraft and parts	40.9	42.1	41.9	2.17	2.15	2.13	88.71	90.58	89.24	7,482
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	39.0	40.0	39.6	2.12	2.12	2.09	82.66	84.96	82.59	6,585
Shipbuilding and repairing	29.8	41.0	38.5	2.18	2.19	2.05	64.91	89.67	78.79	5,747

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

[1] 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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
Quebec – Concluded										
Manufacturing – Concluded:										
Non-ferrous metal products	40.1	42.0	40.3	2.34	2.21	2.27	93.87	92.90	91.36	11,674
Smelting and refining	40.9	40.9	41.1	2.67	2.51	2.57	109.15	102.55	105.68	7,435
Electrical apparatus and supplies	37.5	41.5	39.0	1.88	1.90	1.89	70.60	79.00	73.73	14,452
Chemical products	40.8	41.5	41.0	1.98	1.97	1.97	80.84	81.66	80.91	7,769
Building and general engineering (m)	32.7	42.3	36.2	2.18	2.18	2.01	71.35	92.19	72.89	32,256
Building	30.6	41.2	33.0	2.16	2.17	2.06	66.26	89.37	68.01	26,198
General engineering	41.7	47.3	50.5	2.24	2.22	1.88	93.35	104.82	94.66	6,058
Highways, bridges and street construction	35.7	37.1	36.3	1.79	1.58	1.52	63.87	58.65	55.17	15,802
Electric and motor transportation (n)	42.8	44.8	42.5	1.87	1.86	1.83	79.93	83.26	77.95	9,441
Service (o)	39.2	40.5	39.7	1.04	1.04	1.02	40.64	41.96	40.42	11,994
Ontario										
Metal mining	40.0	41.5	40.3	2.25	2.23	2.32	90.09	92.57	93.49	23,960
Gold (a)	41.0	43.4	41.1	1.78	1.78	1.77	72.97	77.13	72.73	9,241
Other metal (b)	39.3	40.3	39.8	2.57	2.53	2.64	100.85	102.18	105.12	14,719
Manufacturing	37.8	41.4	39.0	2.02	2.00	1.96	76.16	82.72	76.52	411,110
Food and beverages	37.9	40.2	39.0	1.74	1.65	1.69	65.87	66.42	65.74	37,778
Meat products	39.8	41.9	39.7	1.89	1.86	1.87	75.07	77.79	74.07	8,242
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	33.4	37.1	32.6	1.60	1.33	1.50	53.38	49.22	49.03	4,385
Bread and other bakery products	40.9	40.2	41.8	1.54	1.51	1.47	63.02	60.82	61.36	4,954
Rubber products	39.1	42.1	37.9	2.15	2.15	2.05	84.14	90.51	77.86	10,594
Leather products	35.7	42.2	37.3	1.38	1.37	1.34	49.34	57.99	49.85	11,274
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	33.9	41.7	36.2	1.26	1.28	1.22	42.68	53.25	44.28	7,020
Textile products (except clothing)	36.7	41.6	38.1	1.56	1.55	1.52	57.04	64.33	57.84	18,040
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	34.4	40.3	35.6	1.38	1.39	1.36	47.39	56.26	48.52	4,000
Woollen goods	36.3	41.5	38.0	1.34	1.35	1.33	48.66	56.01	50.42	4,701
Synthetic textiles and silk[1]	39.5	42.7	40.2	1.98	1.94	1.92	78.16	83.12	77.05	3,925
Clothing (textile and fur)	34.4	39.2	34.5	1.26	1.26	1.25	43.24	49.60	43.08	20,890
Men's clothing	33.3	38.7	33.4	1.31	1.32	1.30	43.59	51.22	43.51	7,227
Knit goods	35.9	41.4	36.6	1.16	1.18	1.14	41.84	48.86	41.76	5,710
Wood products	38.9	43.2	39.6	1.51	1.52	1.48	58.78	65.64	58.63	20,693
Saw and planing mills	40.6	43.9	40.9	1.43	1.43	1.42	58.11	62.87	58.08	7,306
Furniture	38.1	43.1	39.2	1.59	1.60	1.55	60.71	68.99	60.73	10,132
Paper products	38.5	40.9	39.1	2.22	2.20	2.17	85.72	90.19	84.79	27,644
Pulp and paper mills	39.8	40.6	39.9	2.47	2.47	2.42	98.34	100.30	96.30	16,776
Other paper products (h)	36.7	41.4	37.9	1.81	1.81	1.76	66.25	75.09	66.76	10,868
Printing, publishing and allied industries	36.2	38.7	37.1	2.38	2.38	2.28	86.32	91.99	84.50	17,886
Iron and steel products	38.0	41.7	39.0	2.27	2.27	2.22	86.38	94.80	86.43	87,146
Agricultural implements	34.0	40.2	39.0	2.35	2.35	2.24	79.83	94.57	87.31	7,507
Iron castings	37.6	41.5	38.9	2.14	2.16	2.10	80.44	89.60	81.50	8,103
Machinery (i)	39.0	42.0	39.2	2.13	2.14	2.07	83.03	90.11	81.09	15,698
Primary iron and steel	39.3	41.1	39.4	2.69	2.69	2.61	105.69	110.61	102.76	23,229
Sheet metal products	36.8	41.7	39.2	2.05	2.08	2.05	75.57	86.81	80.31	7,291
Transportation equipment	37.6	43.7	42.4	2.34	2.41	2.26	87.88	105.19	95.94	52,487
Aircraft and parts	34.8	39.3	39.5	2.21	2.22	2.12	76.98	87.20	83.84	6,396
Motor vehicles	39.3	46.1	45.2	2.52	2.62	2.42	99.25	120.89	109.35	23,837
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	35.7	43.4	40.2	2.19	2.25	2.15	78.13	97.66	86.51	16,105
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	38.8	38.7	40.1	2.19	2.21	2.12	85.14	85.59	85.04	3,437
Non-ferrous metal products	38.7	40.5	39.5	2.18	2.05	2.17	84.14	83.11	85.61	18,876
Brass and copper products	38.8	40.9	39.8	2.17	2.15	2.07	84.21	88.21	82.26	3,113
Smelting and refining	39.5	38.7	40.0	2.58	2.33	2.56	101.79	90.03	102.27	7,531
Electrical apparatus and supplies	37.3	41.2	38.4	1.93	1.93	1.89	72.05	79.38	72.76	36,099
Non-metallic mineral products (l)	39.5	43.4	39.7	2.03	2.00	1.95	80.19	86.93	77.23	14,770
Chemical products	39.6	41.0	39.7	2.22	2.19	2.14	87.89	89.68	85.13	15,682
Building and general engineering (ni)	30.4	40.7	32.0	2.47	2.44	2.37	75.00	99.23	75.83	39,651
Building	30.5	40.6	31.7	2.46	2.43	2.37	75.14	98.86	75.03	36,259
General engineering	29.2	41.1	35.0	2.52	2.50	2.39	73.60	102.83	83.72	3,392
Highways, bridges and street construction	38.6	44.2	38.4	1.77	1.76	1.68	68.42	77.78	64.60	18,650
Electric and motor transportation (n)	42.4	44.8	43.0	2.03	2.01	1.95	86.19	89.98	83.81	15,867
Service (o)	36.7	38.1	36.8	1.11	1.11	1.07	40.73	42.11	39.47	23,944
Hotels and restaurants	37.2	37.7	37.4	1.04	1.04	1.02	38.81	39.15	38.15	15,086

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

[1] 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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
Manitoba										
Manufacturing	38.0	40.0	37.9	1.80	1.77	1.77	68.47	70.64	67.23	27,171
Food and beverages	37.6	39.1	38.3	1.91	1.85	1.92	71.64	72.23	73.61	5,169
Meat products	37.2	37.5	38.0	2.08	2.01	2.09	77.57	75.56	79.54	2,074
Clothing (textile and fur)	32.6	38.1	33.2	1.13	1.11	1.11	36.96	42.40	36.82	4,308
Iron and steel products	35.1	40.5	39.5	1.92	1.94	1.93	67.21	78.48	76.33	3,560
Transportation equipment	42.6	39.4	39.1	2.04	2.03	2.01	86.81	80.01	78.49	5,444
Building and general engineering (m)	31.6	42.5	32.2	2.19	2.14	1.99	69.34	91.09	64.26	4,641
Highways, bridges and street construction	39.5	43.4	39.5	1.59	1.59	1.57	62.70	68.78	62.24	2,490
Service (o)	34.9	36.2	36.1	1.11	1.11	1.08	38.68	40.11	38.84	4,943
Saskatchewan										
Mining	39.7	41.3	40.7	2.59	2.58	2.53	102.65	106.51	102.94	2,191
Manufacturing	38.1	38.9	38.8	2.05	2.00	2.03	77.92	78.02	78.68	5,810
Meat products	37.7	37.6	39.6	2.17	2.00	2.13	81.71	75.13	84.48	946
Building and general engineering (m)	35.2	39.2	33.3	1.95	1.91	1.87	68.49	74.82	62.40	3,310
Highways, bridges and street construction	37.2	44.8	37.0	1.85	1.82	1.74	68.94	81.71	64.33	2,847
Service (o)	40.8	41.0	39.3	1.12	1.11	1.10	45.65	45.63	43.31	1,773
Alberta (p)										
Coal mining	29.7	37.0	35.8	2.15	2.17	2.14	63.74	80.30	76.63	1,024
Oil and natural gas production (c)	42.8	41.0	40.6	2.58	2.57	2.46	110.61	105.29	100.07	5,061
Manufacturing	38.6	39.7	38.5	2.04	2.00	2.04	78.86	79.46	78.46	21,794
Food and beverages	37.6	38.5	38.2	2.04	1.99	1.99	76.65	76.72	75.92	5,693
Meat products	38.1	38.9	38.4	2.19	2.17	2.13	83.46	84.44	81.59	3,004
Transportation equipment	41.3	39.8	39.5	1.98	1.98	1.99	81.93	78.90	78.72	3,148
Non-metallic mineral products (e)	38.1	40.6	38.4	1.98	1.98	1.94	75.55	80.56	74.40	2,138
Building and general engineering (m)	28.5	39.2	28.6	2.25	2.25	2.37	64.14	88.07	67.75	9,151
Highways, bridges and street construction	38.0	39.3	39.8	1.83	1.84	1.80	69.53	72.46	71.64	5,191
Electric and motor transportation (n)	39.9	40.9	39.7	2.08	2.04	2.00	82.78	83.33	79.35	2,053
Service (o)	36.0	36.7	37.6	1.21	1.19	1.16	43.53	43.80	43.60	6,125
British Columbia (p)										
Forestry (logging)	29.1	36.5	29.5	2.82	2.84	2.78	82.07	103.70	82.07	5,106
Metal mining	36.5	43.2	36.2	2.45	2.50	2.48	89.52	107.93	90.05	3,958
Manufacturing	35.7	38.1	36.8	2.35	2.32	2.28	84.05	88.25	83.81	65,261
Food and beverages	32.8	35.8	35.6	2.13	2.05	2.13	69.76	73.49	75.71	6,683
Canned and cured fish	17.2	27.0	26.5	1.99	2.19	2.29	34.25	59.21	60.68	1,202
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	26.3	33.1	28.7	1.70	1.58	1.74	44.75	52.34	49.71	645
Wood products	34.9	37.2	36.5	2.23	2.22	2.14	78.01	82.64	78.05	26,930
Saw and planing mills	34.9	37.2	36.4	2.24	2.23	2.15	78.36	83.01	78.46	25,697
Pulp and paper mills	37.4	39.4	36.7	2.76	2.72	2.62	103.10	107.12	96.39	7,743
Iron and steel products	34.8	38.6	36.0	2.42	2.44	2.40	84.27	94.34	86.28	4,922
Steel shipbuilding and repairing	38.1	39.4	39.2	2.53	2.55	2.46	96.26	100.38	96.50	4,986
Non-ferrous metal products	40.0	41.4	39.2	2.65	2.54	2.59	106.24	105.09	101.57	4,082
Building and general engineering (m)	30.3	36.1	29.6	2.93	2.90	2.75	88.93	104.67	81.55	7,559
Highways, bridges and street construction	36.1	37.1	37.1	2.16	2.20	2.10	77.95	81.47	78.16	7,212
Electric and motor transportation (n)	40.8	40.1	41.5	2.47	2.40	2.36	100.84	96.03	97.73	3,125
Service (o)	34.5	34.3	35.0	1.40	1.38	1.35	48.18	47.44	47.16	7,692

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

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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
Halifax – Manufacturing	39.3	40.1	38.6	1.83	1.80	1.80	71.92	71.97	69.60	6,706
Saint John – Manufacturing	36.9	41.0	40.5	1.76	1.75	1.69	65.12	71.71	68.57	4,241
Quebec – Manufacturing	34.3	41.5	38.7	1.69	1.67	1.61	57.78	69.20	62.43	14,748
Leather products	31.2	38.9	31.2	1.24	1.20	1.17	38.54	46.75	36.41	1,829
Clothing (textile and fur)	35.1	39.4	37.1	0.99	0.98	0.96	34.59	38.49	35.68	1,820
Transportation equipment	15.5	43.1	37.1	2.13	2.16	2.00	32.93	93.05	74.05	2,393
Building and general engineering (m)	30.4	41.3	32.8	1.94	1.95	1.89	58.96	80.65	61.79	4,490
Sherbrooke – Manufacturing	37.8	43.6	41.2	1.51	1.52	1.43	57.18	66.25	59.04	6,271
Three Rivers – Manufacturing	37.5	43.4	38.0	1.86	1.84	1.88	69.79	79.66	71.55	8,414
Drummondville – Manufacturing	41.0	43.7	41.0	1.51	1.47	1.39	61.87	64.51	56.83	4,658
Shawinigan – Manufacturing	37.8	41.7	40.6	2.00	1.96	2.01	75.52	81.79	81.54	4,499
Granby – Manufacturing	38.1	43.0	39.7	1.51	1.52	1.45	57.76	65.45	57.40	4,235
St. Hyacinthe – Manufacturing	34.4	41.7	40.0	1.33	1.35	1.30	45.72	56.10	51.83	3,369
Sorel – Manufacturing	39.2	41.9	40.8	1.96	1.96	1.94	76.85	82.11	79.33	3,220
St. Jean – Manufacturing	38.7	43.5	39.8	1.58	1.58	1.54	61.32	68.63	61.37	3,117
Montreal – Manufacturing	36.8	41.1	38.1	1.78	1.75	1.73	65.41	71.71	65.97	146,669
Food and beverages	39.2	41.8	39.6	1.80	1.78	1.72	70.38	74.23	68.01	15,452
Tobacco and tobacco products	39.4	40.5	39.6	2.04	2.03	1.92	80.48	82.14	76.08	3,921
Leather products	35.1	40.9	35.9	1.28	1.28	1.23	45.08	52.56	44.07	6,619
Textile products (except clothing)	38.5	43.1	39.0	1.34	1.34	1.31	51.74	57.58	50.98	6,978
Clothing (textile and fur)	31.9	37.9	32.9	1.31	1.29	1.27	41.84	49.00	41.72	31,638
Printing, publishing and allied industries	35.7	38.7	37.3	2.41	2.39	2.34	85.98	92.71	87.12	7,244
Iron and steel products	38.4	42.6	39.9	2.01	2.03	1.98	77.21	86.65	78.80	16,366
Transportation equipment	40.2	40.8	40.8	2.13	2.13	2.10	85.92	87.10	85.66	16,002
Electrical apparatus and supplies	36.7	41.1	38.9	1.98	1.99	1.96	72.58	82.01	76.41	11,333
Building and general engineering (m)	28.9	40.0	31.5	2.31	2.30	2.18	66.54	91.90	68.66	16,034
Electric and motor transportation (n)	42.4	44.3	41.7	1.93	1.92	1.90	81.59	84.94	79.26	7,403
Service (o)	38.6	39.8	39.4	1.05	1.06	1.03	40.51	42.04	40.52	9,524
Valleyfield (Salaberry-de-) – Manufacturing	40.9	42.0	41.1	1.64	1.63	1.55	67.16	68.35	63.85	2,662
Cornwall – Manufacturing	38.9	40.6	37.6	2.08	2.05	2.11	80.82	83.14	79.43	3,701
Ottawa-Hull – Manufacturing	39.1	40.6	39.7	2.06	2.02	1.97	80.51	82.24	78.28	10,485
Pulp and paper mills	39.4	39.8	38.7	2.45	2.41	2.41	96.52	96.18	93.09	3,593
Building and general engineering (m)	31.1	41.7	32.8	2.03	2.03	2.01	63.05	84.89	66.08	3,104
Kingston – Manufacturing	38.9	40.9	40.1	2.08	2.10	2.03	80.72	85.97	81.29	4,190
Peterborough – Manufacturing	38.0	41.7	40.4	2.30	2.30	2.27	87.34	95.99	91.75	5,200
Oshawa – Manufacturing	38.0	45.3	42.7	2.45	2.54	2.35	93.10	115.34	100.50	15,716
Toronto – Manufacturing	37.3	41.0	38.4	1.91	1.89	1.86	71.06	77.50	71.28	131,811
Food and beverages	38.1	40.4	39.3	1.81	1.78	1.76	69.00	71.77	69.22	15,525
Rubber products	40.0	41.9	36.1	2.25	2.27	2.15	90.26	95.09	77.82	3,183
Clothing (textile and fur)	34.2	39.1	35.0	1.31	1.31	1.30	44.95	51.24	45.56	11,433
Paper products	37.7	41.6	38.6	1.85	1.86	1.80	69.89	77.29	69.47	7,214
Printing, publishing and allied industries	35.5	38.3	36.8	2.55	2.53	2.41	90.65	97.04	88.95	11,254
Iron and steel products	37.7	42.1	38.4	2.14	2.14	2.08	80.43	90.30	80.00	22,441
Transportation equipment	35.5	39.4	39.6	2.13	2.14	2.09	75.63	84.14	82.64	9,026
Non-ferrous metal products	39.1	42.4	39.8	1.84	1.82	1.77	72.21	77.05	70.20	5,789
Electrical apparatus and supplies	36.6	41.5	39.0	1.92	1.90	1.89	70.36	79.08	73.53	14,737
Chemical products	38.8	40.1	38.8	1.92	1.93	1.88	74.62	77.45	72.99	5,609
Building and general engineering (m)	30.9	40.1	31.6	2.58	2.63	2.52	79.68	105.21	79.56	13,963
Electric and motor transportation (n)	43.3	44.6	43.6	2.12	2.10	2.02	91.95	93.61	88.23	8,630
Service (o)	38.0	39.1	38.1	1.18	1.17	1.12	44.75	45.85	42.82	12,656
Hamilton – Manufacturing	37.4	40.8	38.6	2.30	2.27	2.23	85.90	92.52	86.03	41,456
Clothing (textile and fur)	33.3	38.2	33.3	1.20	1.23	1.21	40.14	46.83	40.31	1,148
Iron and steel products	38.1	40.3	38.9	2.58	2.56	2.50	98.12	103.29	97.22	22,833
Electrical apparatus and supplies	36.9	41.9	37.8	2.30	2.35	2.23	84.54	98.62	84.35	4,076
Building and general engineering (m)	29.1	40.3	33.6	2.54	2.48	2.41	73.76	99.96	81.03	2,924

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

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
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	December 1962
	number			dollars						number
St. Catharines – Manufacturing	36.6	41.7	38.7	2.37	2.38	2.29	86.93	99.24	88.73	20,283
Pulp and paper mills	39.2	40.5	38.7	2.41	2.46	2.36	94.38	99.54	91.55	2,840
Iron and steel products	37.4	42.4	38.8	2.47	2.50	2.39	92.13	106.06	92.67	5,872
Transportation equipment	35.0	44.8	41.9	2.50	2.66	2.40	87.38	119.23	100.63	5,988
Niagara Falls – Manufacturing	37.6	40.8	38.8	2.22	2.10	2.16	83.58	85.66	83.77	3,732
Brantford – Manufacturing	37.7	40.3	36.4	1.92	1.87	1.84	72.31	75.24	66.78	7,235
Textile products (except clothing)	35.7	39.4	39.0	1.73	1.68	1.65	61.74	66.45	64.47	938
Iron and steel products	39.8	40.6	37.6	2.26	2.24	2.17	89.82	90.87	81.41	2,908
Guelph – Manufacturing	37.3	41.3	37.3	1.81	1.79	1.75	67.42	74.03	65.22	5,328
Galt – Manufacturing	35.8	41.8	38.1	1.69	1.67	1.63	60.49	69.85	62.19	7,323
Kitchener – Manufacturing	38.1	42.3	39.4	1.73	1.72	1.67	65.81	72.56	65.82	15,583
Food and beverages	40.5	40.5	41.0	1.95	1.91	1.83	78.83	77.44	75.10	2,719
Rubber products	35.9	41.7	38.2	2.03	1.99	1.91	73.11	82.78	72.90	3,204
Wood products	38.4	43.5	40.7	1.63	1.63	1.56	62.50	71.12	63.42	1,702
Woodstock – Manufacturing	39.6	41.3	39.0	1.83	1.83	1.78	72.53	75.72	69.58	3,171
London – Manufacturing	36.4	40.2	37.9	1.89	1.88	1.81	68.66	75.36	68.72	12,256
Food and beverages	37.1	38.5	38.7	1.88	1.86	1.83	69.86	71.70	70.73	2,543
Iron and steel products	37.3	41.6	39.2	1.96	1.99	1.97	73.05	82.82	77.29	1,758
Sarnia – Manufacturing	40.1	41.3	40.3	2.68	2.67	2.57	107.49	110.53	103.61	5,066
Windsor – Manufacturing	38.6	43.2	40.9	2.29	2.38	2.23	88.59	102.84	91.15	15,441
Iron and steel products	36.7	42.2	38.2	2.24	2.28	2.21	82.32	96.19	84.30	2,671
Transportation equipment	38.9	44.1	42.0	2.38	2.52	2.31	92.61	111.20	96.95	9,936
Building and general engineering (m)	23.2	39.0	26.0	2.61	2.49	2.44	60.43	97.21	63.62	638
Ft. William-Pt. Arthur – Manufacturing	39.0	40.8	39.5	2.32	2.31	2.24	90.50	94.32	88.32	3,703
Winnipeg – Manufacturing	37.9	39.8	37.9	1.79	1.76	1.77	67.99	70.07	67.10	23,419
Food and beverages	38.2	39.9	39.2	1.98	1.92	1.99	75.51	76.73	78.06	4,586
Meat products	38.6	39.3	40.1	2.16	2.13	2.17	83.51	83.56	86.89	1,883
Clothing (textile and fur)	32.2	38.0	33.1	1.18	1.15	1.14	37.99	43.64	37.74	3,922
Transportation equipment	42.6	39.4	39.1	2.04	2.03	2.01	86.81	80.01	78.49	5,444
Building and general engineering (m)	31.5	40.7	31.7	2.22	2.19	2.07	69.82	88.90	65.69	3,157
Service (o)	34.6	36.0	35.8	1.12	1.12	1.09	38.69	40.21	38.95	4,640
Edmonton – Manufacturing	38.6	39.4	38.2	2.05	2.01	2.04	79.02	79.10	77.89	9,283
Food and beverages	38.3	39.1	38.3	2.12	2.11	2.04	81.24	82.68	78.24	2,486
Building and general engineering (m)	26.0	39.2	26.5	2.34	2.30	2.36	60.94	90.19	62.70	3,931
Calgary – Manufacturing	39.0	39.9	38.8	2.09	2.06	2.07	81.71	82.28	80.23	6,779
Vancouver – Manufacturing	35.6	37.8	36.4	2.27	2.25	2.20	80.90	85.10	80.10	31,613
Food and beverages	36.5	37.1	37.0	2.20	2.12	2.15	80.41	78.79	79.54	4,731
Wood products	35.5	37.4	36.5	2.26	2.26	2.16	80.30	84.34	78.89	12,305
Iron and steel products	34.5	38.5	35.9	2.45	2.48	2.43	84.67	95.48	87.05	4,464
Transportation equipment	37.5	39.1	37.9	2.49	2.51	2.41	93.39	98.11	91.50	2,549
Building and general engineering (m)	27.9	35.1	29.5	2.96	2.93	2.87	82.49	102.72	84.52	4,604
Electric and motor transportation (n)	41.7	40.3	42.0	2.49	2.40	2.38	103.83	96.77	99.94	2,093
Service (o)	34.4	34.4	35.4	1.41	1.39	1.35	48.63	47.96	47.91	5,002
Victoria – Manufacturing	38.0	38.4	39.3	2.40	2.42	2.36	91.46	92.89	92.50	5,529

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

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

Year and Month	All Manufactures			Durable Goods			Non-Durable Goods		
	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	40.6	1.83	74.27	40.9	1.99	81.36	40.3	1.68	67.87
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	81.21	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	75.02	41.3	1.99	82.04	40.8	1.68	68.58
July	40.6	1.82	73.95	40.9	1.98	81.01	40.4	1.68	67.73
August	40.9	1.82	74.26	41.2	1.98	81.76	40.6	1.67	67.65
September	41.3	1.81	75.00	41.7	1.99	82.82	41.0	1.66	68.22
October	41.2	1.84	75.69	41.6	2.00	83.39	40.8	1.68	68.72
November	41.1	1.84	75.64	41.6	2.00	83.29	40.7	1.69	68.73
*December	38.8	1.88	72.85	39.6	2.02	80.21	38.0	1.74	66.04
1962 - January	40.6	1.86	75.46	40.8	2.02	82.40	40.4	1.71	69.05
February	40.8	1.86	75.99	41.1	2.03	83.30	40.4	1.71	69.21
March	41.0	1.87	76.68	41.4	2.03	83.92	40.7	1.72	69.86
*April	40.6	1.89	76.50	41.1	2.04	83.86	40.1	1.73	69.44
May	41.0	1.89	77.51	41.7	2.04	85.12	40.5	1.74	70.20
June	41.1	1.88	77.52	41.7	2.04	84.91	40.6	1.73	70.48
July	41.0	1.87	76.72	41.4	2.02	83.85	40.5	1.73	70.18
August	41.0	1.86	76.17	41.4	2.03	83.87	40.7	1.70	69.28
September	41.4	1.88	77.61	42.0	2.05	85.92	40.8	1.72	70.00
October	41.3	1.89	77.96	41.9	2.05	85.95	40.8	1.73	70.50
November	41.2	1.90	78.09	41.9	2.06	86.47	40.5	1.73	70.20
December	37.5	1.93	72.53	38.0	2.07	78.84	37.0	1.79	66.41

* 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 and April, 1962. 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 Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages
	No.	$	$	No.	$	$	No.	$	$	No.	$	$
1945 - Average	43.9	0.85	38.40	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	44.4	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
1961 - Average	41.8	2.13	89.08	42.2	2.20	92.83	39.7	1.77	70.36	40.8	2.34	95.66
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	89.39	42.5	2.20	93.47	41.2	1.75	71.98	41.6	2.32	96.68
July	41.4	2.11	87.55	41.3	2.20	90.66	41.5	1.74	72.40	40.1	2.36	94.67
August	42.1	2.10	88.66	42.2	2.19	92.34	41.1	1.75	71.90	40.6	2.33	94.61
September	41.9	2.13	89.44	42.1	2.22	93.28	38.9	1.78	69.22	40.6	2.37	96.09
October	42.7	2.13	90.90	43.0	2.20	94.56	42.1	1.84	77.29	39.2	2.38	93.60
November	42.6	2.14	90.97	42.9	2.20	94.41	41.4	1.83	75.78	40.3	2.38	96.08
*December	39.9	2.19	87.32	40.7	2.25	91.58	35.2	1.82	64.00	41.1	2.46	100.97
1962 - January	42.8	2.15	92.19	43.0	2.20	94.53	41.8	1.80	75.33	43.7	2.40	105.12
February	41.9	2.17	90.82	42.1	2.22	93.50	38.8	1.82	70.58	44.6	2.40	106.94
March	42.0	2.17	91.28	41.9	2.23	93.39	40.8	1.82	74.42	43.3	2.39	103.21
*April	41.5	2.19	90.83	41.8	2.26	94.63	40.4	1.80	72.81	39.1	2.52	98.49
May	42.2	2.17	91.72	42.4	2.25	95.46	41.5	1.84	76.25	39.1	2.51	98.26
June	42.0	2.19	92.04	41.9	2.28	95.46	42.5	1.84	78.28	40.9	2.51	102.70
July	41.8	2.19	91.57	41.7	2.28	95.04	42.7	1.84	78.76	39.2	2.51	98.43
August	41.8	2.18	91.27	42.1	2.26	95.13	39.8	1.83	73.05	39.3	2.52	98.89
September	41.6	2.19	91.34	41.1	2.28	93.82	42.4	1.84	78.05	40.0	2.53	100.97
October	42.3	2.18	92.18	42.2	2.26	95.31	42.9	1.84	79.15	39.6	2.52	99.75
November	42.2	2.19	92.57	42.4	2.26	95.72	40.4	1.82	73.60	40.8	2.57	104.87
December	38.6	2.24	86.48	39.7	2.29	90.94	30.1	1.84	55.53	42.4	2.57	108.94

* See footnote on Page 15.

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			Highway, Bridges and Street Construction		
	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	42.3	1.95	82.60	40.3	1.98	79.93	39.9	2.17	86.39	40.9	1.67	68.37
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	41.9	1.94	81.47	41.1	2.13	87.31	43.3	1.65	71.43
July	42.8	1.91	81.84	42.4	1.94	82.47	41.9	2.14	89.49	43.3	1.63	70.41
August	43.1	1.91	82.31	42.6	1.96	83.46	42.1	2.15	90.55	43.4	1.64	71.20
September	44.0	1.93	85.10	42.5	1.96	83.41	42.2	2.14	90.48	43.0	1.66	71.28
October	43.7	1.94	84.83	41.9	1.97	82.69	41.8	2.15	89.95	42.0	1.66	69.56
November	43.6	1.96	85.52	40.6	1.98	80.49	40.7	2.17	88.30	40.2	1.64	66.06
*December	39.8	1.98	78.74	34.5	1.99	68.63	32.9	2.19	71.89	37.6	1.67	62.63
1962 - January	42.1	2.01	84.51	39.3	2.06	80.88	39.1	2.23	87.35	39.5	1.72	68.14
February	41.5	2.01	83.47	40.4	2.06	83.23	39.2	2.25	88.45	42.6	1.72	73.30
March	42.3	2.00	84.89	40.4	2.10	84.83	40.5	2.27	91.95	40.0	1.76	70.53
*April	42.0	1.98	83.21	38.5	2.08	80.23	38.5	2.27	87.17	38.6	1.74	67.20
May	43.1	1.96	84.41	40.6	2.04	82.93	39.8	2.24	88.94	42.0	1.72	72.34
June	42.5	1.95	83.01	42.0	2.04	85.66	40.9	2.23	91.44	44.0	1.71	75.46
July	42.8	1.94	82.91	42.0	2.04	85.56	41.2	2.23	92.00	43.4	1.70	73.96
August	43.1	1.94	83.52	42.6	2.05	87.19	42.0	2.24	94.04	43.8	1.71	74.73
September	43.8	1.96	85.99	42.6	2.05	87.51	42.1	2.25	94.67	43.7	1.71	74.59
October	43.2	1.97	85.00	41.7	2.07	86.11	41.4	2.25	93.23	42.3	1.73	73.04
November	43.4	2.00	86.81	40.7	2.08	84.57	40.9	2.27	92.65	40.5	1.72	69.72
December	38.4	2.03	77.94	33.5	2.10	70.20	31.3	2.30	71.89	37.5	1.79	67.09

* See footnote on page 15.

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 Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	43.3	1.90	82.23	38.7	1.07	41.27	38.7	1.04	40.09	39.7	1.03	40.96
1959 - January	44.6	1.72	76.81	39.0	0.99	38.53	39.2	0.97	38.07	38.8	0.98	37.85
February	44.5	1.73	76.89	39.5	1.00	39.31	39.8	0.98	39.13	39.1	0.97	38.09
*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	39.88	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	39.0	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	43.8	1.90	83.12	39.0	1.06	41.14	39.0	1.02	39.93	40.0	1.03	41.07
July	43.3	1.89	81.96	38.9	1.04	40.58	39.1	1.01	39.31	39.7	1.02	40.74
August	44.3	1.90	84.20	38.9	1.04	40.67	39.2	1.01	39.38	39.4	1.03	40.82
September	43.6	1.90	82.63	38.6	1.07	41.36	38.4	1.04	39.82	40.3	1.04	41.83
October	43.8	1.91	83.67	38.7	1.08	41.68	38.6	1.05	40.44	40.0	1.03	41.35
November	43.3	1.91	82.68	38.4	1.08	41.44	38.0	1.05	39.90	40.1	1.04	41.57
*December	42.4	1.94	82.50	37.5	1.09	40.96	37.9	1.06	40.22	37.6	1.05	39.34
1962 - January	42.8	1.94	83.12	38.1	1.09	41.48	38.3	1.06	40.37	39.0	1.04	40.65
February	43.6	1.94	84.75	38.3	1.10	42.01	38.5	1.06	40.98	39.3	1.04	41.03
March	43.7	1.95	84.97	38.4	1.09	41.79	38.3	1.05	40.33	40.2	1.05	42.06
*April	43.4	1.97	85.55	38.2	1.10	42.11	38.0	1.07	40.63	40.3	1.05	42.30
May	43.2	1.98	85.62	38.4	1.10	42.41	38.2	1.07	40.81	40.5	1.05	42.57
June	43.5	1.98	86.34	38.6	1.09	42.04	38.2	1.05	40.07	40.5	1.05	42.47
July	43.4	1.97	85.32	38.6	1.08	41.69	38.4	1.04	39.89	40.2	1.04	41.90
August	44.4	1.97	87.59	38.4	1.09	41.89	38.2	1.04	39.82	40.2	1.05	42.32
September	44.1	1.98	87.12	37.8	1.11	42.10	37.2	1.07	39.83	40.5	1.06	43.00
October	43.9	1.98	86.90	37.9	1.12	42.37	37.6	1.08	40.53	40.3	1.06	42.78
November	44.0	1.98	87.20	38.0	1.12	42.66	37.8	1.08	40.94	40.1	1.06	42.63
December	42.3	2.01	84.98	37.0	1.13	41.75	37.4	1.09	40.79	37.3	1.06	39.74

* See footnote on page 15.

Table 6b.- Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Specified Manufacturing Industries, Canada.

Year and Month	Food and Beverages			Tobacco and Tobacco Products			Rubber Products			Leather Products		
	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	40.4	1.61	64.95	39.6	1.83	72.58	41.3	1.87	77.23	40.4	1.24	49.98
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	42.2	1.59	66.98	39.7	1.94	76.92	41.4	1.89	78.37	40.2	1.24	49.91
July	41.1	1.57	64.50	39.6	1.95	77.29	40.9	1.87	76.39	40.2	1.23	49.38
August	39.7	1.55	61.70	40.7	1.95	79.37	42.4	1.87	79.36	41.7	1.24	51.58
September	40.8	1.53	62.52	40.0	1.90	76.19	42.8	1.89	80.94	41.5	1.24	51.49
October	40.2	1.59	64.16	40.3	1.90	76.65	42.2	1.91	80.78	40.6	1.24	50.45
November	40.1	1.60	64.13	39.4	1.81	71.37	42.3	1.91	80.58	41.6	1.25	52.02
*December	38.4	1.67	64.30	36.6	1.73	63.31	39.5	1.88	74.11	36.3	1.26	45.64
1962 - January	39.9	1.66	66.19	40.7	1.62	66.10	41.7	1.91	79.84	41.9	1.26	52.74
February	39.8	1.67	66.39	40.3	1.67	67.15	41.7	1.93	80.30	41.7	1.26	52.57
March	40.4	1.67	67.33	39.9	1.69	67.38	41.9	1.91	80.22	41.2	1.26	51.87
*April	40.3	1.67	67.31	38.2	1.80	68.77	41.0	1.91	78.16	39.1	1.28	49.88
May	41.4	1.64	68.02	39.0	1.84	71.65	41.6	1.94	80.47	38.9	1.27	49.55
June	41.2	1.63	66.94	39.8	2.01	80.11	42.4	1.95	82.55	39.9	1.28	50.90
July	40.7	1.62	65.94	40.1	2.02	81.09	41.3	1.94	80.16	40.4	1.27	51.15
August	40.8	1.55	63.25	40.2	2.01	80.77	41.6	1.91	79.42	40.9	1.27	52.00
September	40.1	1.57	62.80	39.8	2.00	79.76	42.6	1.94	82.83	40.9	1.28	52.51
October	40.3	1.61	65.04	40.2	2.00	80.28	43.3	1.96	85.16	40.5	1.30	52.53
November	39.9	1.64	65.32	37.6	1.88	70.79	42.9	1.96	83.90	41.2	1.30	53.54
December	37.6	1.71	64.30	37.3	1.92	71.49	38.6	1.97	76.26	34.4	1.31	45.08

* See footnote on page 15.

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 Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	42.0	1.38	57.79	38.2	1.18	45.13	41.1	1.61	66.24	41.2	2.17	89.37
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	42.1	1.37	57.78	38.0	1.17	44.62	41.6	1.60	66.65	41.4	2.15	88.94
July	41.3	1.37	56.59	37.9	1.18	44.89	41.4	1.60	66.27	41.3	2.16	89.20
August	42.6	1.38	58.58	39.3	1.19	46.75	41.5	1.60	66.38	41.5	2.16	89.70
September	43.0	1.38	59.39	39.6	1.19	47.19	42.3	1.62	68.53	41.5	2.17	90.10
October	43.1	1.39	59.84	39.3	1.19	46.67	41.8	1.62	67.50	41.8	2.18	91.11
November	43.0	1.39	59.82	38.6	1.19	45.80	41.9	1.62	68.03	41.6	2.19	91.27
*December	39.5	1.40	55.21	33.8	1.19	40.14	38.9	1.63	63.45	39.7	2.25	89.29
1962 - January	42.8	1.40	60.05	38.7	1.20	46.62	40.7	1.62	66.07	40.8	2.21	90.34
February	42.3	1.40	59.34	39.0	1.21	47.31	41.3	1.63	67.22	40.9	2.21	90.36
March	42.6	1.41	59.96	39.5	1.22	48.16	41.4	1.64	67.92	41.1	2.21	90.72
*April	41.6	1.41	58.79	37.9	1.22	46.30	40.6	1.64	66.60	41.0	2.20	90.30
May	42.2	1.42	60.03	37.7	1.22	45.88	41.4	1.63	67.61	41.2	2.22	91.47
June	42.3	1.42	60.05	37.8	1.22	46.12	41.9	1.64	68.70	41.9	2.23	93.43
July	41.7	1.41	58.89	38.2	1.22	46.65	41.4	1.64	67.79	41.8	2.24	93.68
August	42.6	1.42	60.52	39.1	1.23	47.88	41.5	1.64	68.01	41.4	2.24	92.56
September	43.1	1.43	61.77	39.5	1.23	48.70	42.5	1.67	71.01	41.6	2.26	93.89
October	42.9	1.43	61.31	39.2	1.22	47.89	41.7	1.67	69.67	41.7	2.26	94.18
November	43.1	1.44	62.14	38.5	1.22	46.75	41.7	1.68	69.89	41.2	2.26	92.82
December	37.9	1.45	54.95	32.7	1.22	40.00	37.5	1.69	63.52	38.8	2.32	89.81

* See footnote on page 15.

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 Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	38.9	2.22	86.38	40.8	2.13	87.05	40.5	2.12	86.06	40.6	2.15	87.13
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	79.84
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	87.90	40.8	2.13	87.00	40.6	2.16	87.56
July	39.0	2.22	86.33	40.9	2.15	87.95	39.9	2.11	84.22	40.5	2.15	86.92
August	39.2	2.22	87.25	41.3	2.15	88.72	40.1	2.12	85.17	41.0	2.14	87.64
September	39.5	2.25	89.07	41.6	2.14	89.02	40.7	2.12	86.48	41.0	2.14	87.65
October	39.1	2.24	87.61	41.6	2.14	89.09	41.2	2.17	89.15	41.0	2.15	87.92
November	39.3	2.25	88.36	41.1	2.13	87.79	41.5	2.17	90.05	41.0	2.14	87.66
*December	37.6	2.23	84.01	39.2	2.14	83.86	41.2	2.17	89.29	39.7	2.24	89.10
1962 - January	38.7	2.27	87.63	40.8	2.16	88.07	40.5	2.17	87.68	40.6	2.14	87.14
February	38.9	2.28	88.69	40.9	2.16	88.46	41.4	2.19	90.75	40.5	2.14	86.61
March	39.3	2.30	90.40	41.3	2.17	89.63	41.5	2.19	90.77	40.6	2.14	87.16
*April	39.0	2.31	90.07	41.2	2.17	89.41	41.8	2.21	92.44	40.4	2.16	87.22
May	39.4	2.32	91.44	41.7	2.20	91.62	42.1	2.21	93.21	40.7	2.16	88.01
June	38.9	2.31	89.85	41.8	2.18	91.18	41.4	2.20	91.19	40.5	2.22	89.74
July	38.9	2.30	89.54	41.8	2.19	91.33	40.6	2.17	88.34	40.9	2.18	89.06
August	38.7	2.32	89.66	41.5	2.19	90.84	40.7	2.18	88.84	40.4	2.17	87.82
September	39.3	2.32	91.13	41.9	2.19	92.00	41.2	2.20	90.87	41.0	2.17	88.97
October	38.9	2.32	90.13	41.9	2.19	91.83	41.7	2.24	93.38	41.4	2.16	89.49
November	38.9	2.32	90.17	41.8	2.19	91.60	42.2	2.27	95.89	41.3	2.16	89.05
December	36.6	2.32	84.86	37.9	2.19	83.04	38.0	2.23	84.68	39.5	2.28	90.20

* See footnote on page 15.

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 Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly Hours	Average Hourly Earnings	Average Weekly Wages	Average Weekly 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
1961 - Average	40.7	1.88	76.66	42.4	1.87	79.18	41.2	2.58	106.23	40.8	2.04	83.23
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	77.18	43.7	1.86	81.38	41.5	2.57	106.69	41.2	2.03	83.64
July	40.8	1.89	77.04	42.9	1.86	79.67	41.3	2.57	105.96	40.8	2.03	82.92
August	41.1	1.88	77.35	43.5	1.87	81.48	41.1	2.56	105.27	40.6	2.04	82.92
September	42.0	1.89	79.53	43.7	1.87	81.72	40.4	2.56	103.32	41.2	2.04	84.32
October	41.6	1.88	78.44	43.8	1.89	82.60	41.3	2.59	106.93	40.9	2.04	83.63
November	41.8	1.89	79.20	43.1	1.87	80.81	41.4	2.64	109.28	40.9	2.06	84.12
*December	38.7	1.89	73.09	39.6	1.90	75.05	42.3	2.68	113.45	40.2	2.10	84.34
1962 - January	41.4	1.91	79.12	41.6	1.92	79.72	40.7	2.67	108.44	40.7	2.07	84.50
February	41.0	1.91	78.31	41.9	1.92	80.42	40.7	2.65	107.79	40.7	2.08	84.75
March	41.1	1.91	78.54	42.6	1.90	80.96	40.5	2.64	106.84	40.8	2.08	84.84
*April	40.2	1.90	76.59	42.2	1.92	80.98	41.8	2.67	111.68	41.2	2.09	86.30
May	40.7	1.90	77.43	43.6	1.91	83.30	42.0	2.68	112.29	41.3	2.10	86.68
June	41.1	1.91	78.36	43.8	1.92	84.09	41.4	2.65	109.52	41.2	2.11	86.88
July	41.0	1.91	78.09	43.6	1.92	83.65	42.0	2.63	110.56	41.1	2.12	87.03
August	41.0	1.91	78.21	43.9	1.92	84.44	41.7	2.65	110.56	40.8	2.08	84.87
September	42.1	1.93	81.11	44.3	1.93	85.62	41.2	2.65	109.05	41.2	2.11	86.73
October	41.5	1.91	79.31	43.7	1.93	84.47	41.3	2.66	110.01	41.2	2.11	87.07
November	41.3	1.91	78.71	43.6	1.94	84.41	41.4	2.69	111.25	41.2	2.13	87.63
December	37.4	1.91	71.18	39.4	1.97	77.68	41.7	2.82	117.37	40.1	2.16	86.72

* See footnote on page 15.

Table 7. Index Numbers of Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing, Canada, 1947-1962.

(1949=100)

Last week in	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
(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	187.9
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	188.6
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	189.1
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	190.6
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	190.9
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	184.9	190.5
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	184.1	189.4
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	183.8	187.8
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	183.5	189.7
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	185.7	190.8
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	186.0	191.8
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	189.9	195.4
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	185.1	
(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	189.0
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	189.7
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	189.9
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	191.0
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	191.3
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	186.2	190.8
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	185.6	189.5
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	185.9	189.9
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	186.0	191.6
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	187.5	192.1
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	187.5	193.3
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	189.4	194.1
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	186.4	
(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	187.9
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	188.3
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	189.0
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	190.6
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	190.9
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	185.0	190.8
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	184.5	190.6
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	183.5	187.1
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	182.9	188.7
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	185.3	190.1
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	185.8	190.6
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	191.2	197.4
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	185.3	

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	1962
January	136.0	142.1	141.8	144.4	158.2	165.0	167.8	173.3	177.3	182.8
February	136.4	141.8	141.8	146.1	157.7	165.1	167.3	175.0	177.5	182.1
March	136.3	142.9	142.0	146.8	158.0	164.9	170.1	175.3	178.1	183.0
April	134.9	143.0	144.1	148.7	157.5	165.6	170.6	177.0	179.6	182.9
May	135.1	144.3	143.5	150.4	159.4	165.1	171.9	176.4	179.0	184.2
June	136.9	144.9	143.7	151.2	160.7	165.9	172.0	177.9	179.6	185.2
July	135.8	144.3	141.2	152.1	162.3	167.8	173.5	178.8	179.2	184.4
August	136.1	143.4	141.6	151.2	160.1	164.5	170.5	177.7	178.9	184.6
September	137.1	143.4	142.0	153.5	161.5	166.1	171.9	178.1	179.9	186.4
October	138.6	143.1	144.1	155.5	162.6	165.6	171.6	176.4	179.7	184.6
November	138.7	143.2	145.2	154.2	162.9	165.7	171.6	176.9	182.4	184.6
December	139.5	142.2	145.5	156.1	163.8	168.2	172.1	176.4	181.2	182.7

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
1961 - Average	74.27	177.9	57.47	137.7
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	75.02	179.7	58.16	139.3
July	73.95	177.2	57.28	137.2
August	74.26	177.9	57.52	137.8
September	75.00	179.7	58.05	139.1
October	75.69	181.3	58.36	139.8
November	75.64	181.2	58.27	139.6
December	72.85	174.5	56.17	134.6
1962 - January	75.46	180.8	58.14	139.3
February	75.99	182.1	58.59	140.4
March	76.68	183.7	58.85	141.0
April	76.50	183.3	58.80	140.9
May	77.51	185.7	59.39	142.3
June	77.52	185.7	59.18	141.8
July	76.72	183.8	58.39	139.9
August	76.17	182.5	58.15	139.3
September	77.61	185.9	59.02	141.4
October	77.96	186.8	59.11	141.6
November	78.09	187.1	59.20	141.8
December	72.53	173.8	54.95	131.6

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 ii.

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 x 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 x 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 x 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 9, 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.