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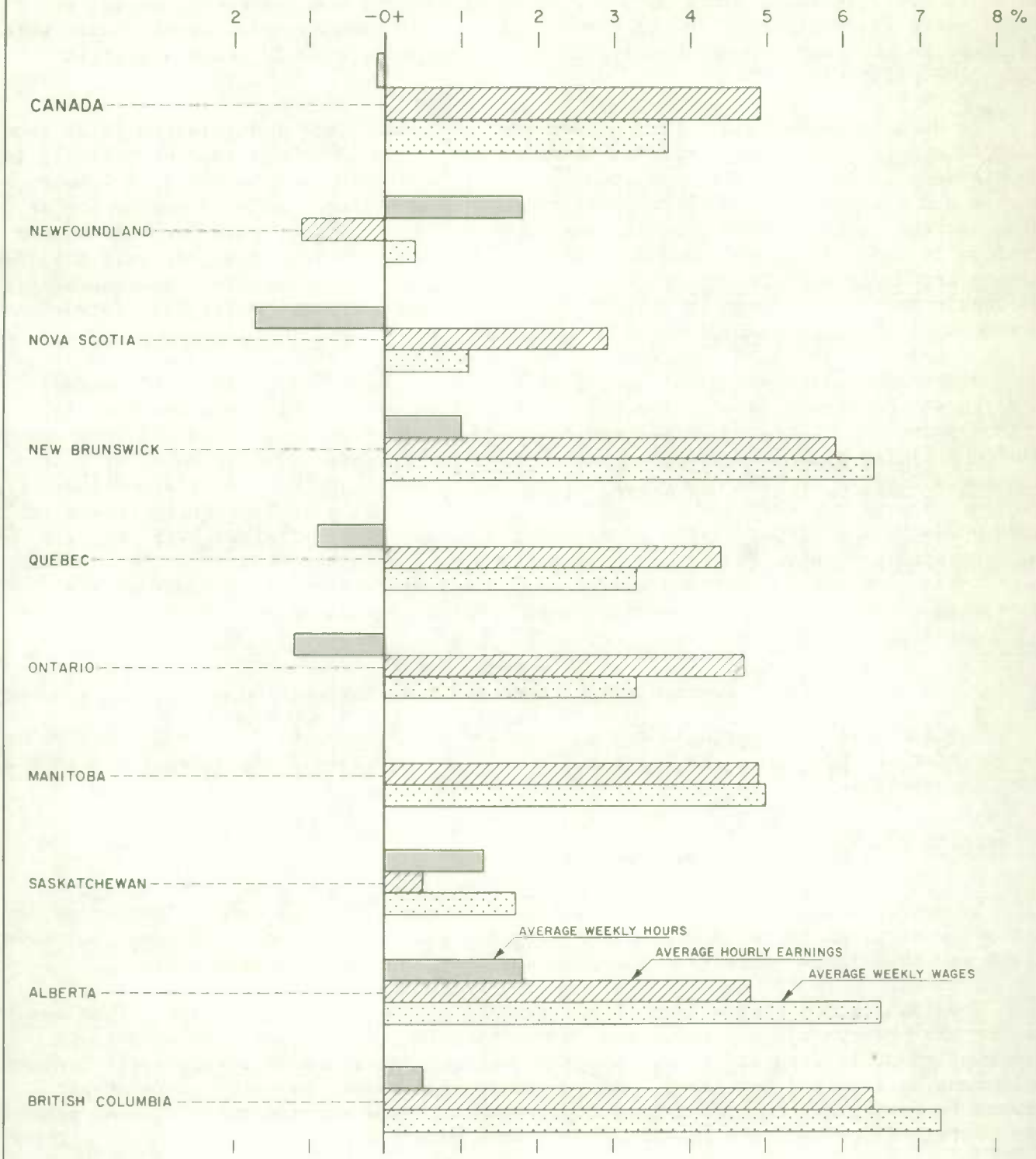

MAN-HOURS AND HOURLY EARNINGS - SEPTEMBER 1965

Manufacturing

Average hourly earnings in manufacturing in September were $2.13, a rise of 4 cents from the August level. The number of reported wage-earners increased by 0.9 per cent, average weekly hours were 0.2 hours longer and average weekly wages, at $87.93, were $1.92 higher. In the year-to-year comparison, average weekly hours were 0.4 hours shorter and average hourly and weekly earnings were 10 cents and $3.16 higher, respectively.

In durable goods manufacturing, average hourly earnings increased to $2.31 from $2.27 in August. To a large extent, this was due to considerably greater activity in the higher-paid transportation equipment industry following settlement of a labour dispute and resumption of full production in motor vehicles. Reduced employment at below-average rates in wood products and non-metallic minerals, together with higher earnings in those industries and in iron and steel, and increased higher-paid activity in non-ferrous metals also contributed. Compared with September 1964, average hourly and weekly earnings were up by 8 cents and $2.67, respectively, while the average work week was 0.4 hours shorter.

Average hourly earnings in non-durable goods manufacturing, at $1.93, were 2 cents above the August level. The principal factors responsible were seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid workers, reinforced by some wage increases, in food and beverages, reduced activity at below-average rates in leather products, shorter hours of lower-paid employment in textiles and less activity in clothing, where rates are below-average. The effect of these factors was further strengthened by wage increases in paper products and higher levels of activity at above-average rates, together with some overtime payments, in printing and publishing and in chemical products. In the year-to-year comparison, average hourly earnings rose by 9 cents, average weekly hours dropped by 0.3 hours and average weekly wages were $3.20 higher.

Non-Manufacturing Industries

The increase of 5 cents in average hourly earnings reported for construction was due, for the most part, to seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid employees and scattered overtime payments.

Manufacturing - Provinces

In Newfoundland, average hourly earnings decreased by one cent. Short-time in fish processing, where rates are below-average, tended to increase earnings, but this effect was outweighed by less higher-paid activity in pulp and paper mills.

Nova Scotia reported a drop of one cent in average hourly earnings. This was due for the most part, to a reduction of overtime in transportation equipment and less employment in iron and steel, where prevailing rates are above-average. Reduced employment in food and beverages, caused mainly by seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid workers in fish processing, and less employment at below-average rates in wood products curtailed the decrease in earnings to some extent.

Average hourly earnings were 7 cents higher in New Brunswick. Seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid employees in food and beverages and wage increases, together with more activity at above-average rates, in pulp and paper mills, accounted for a con-

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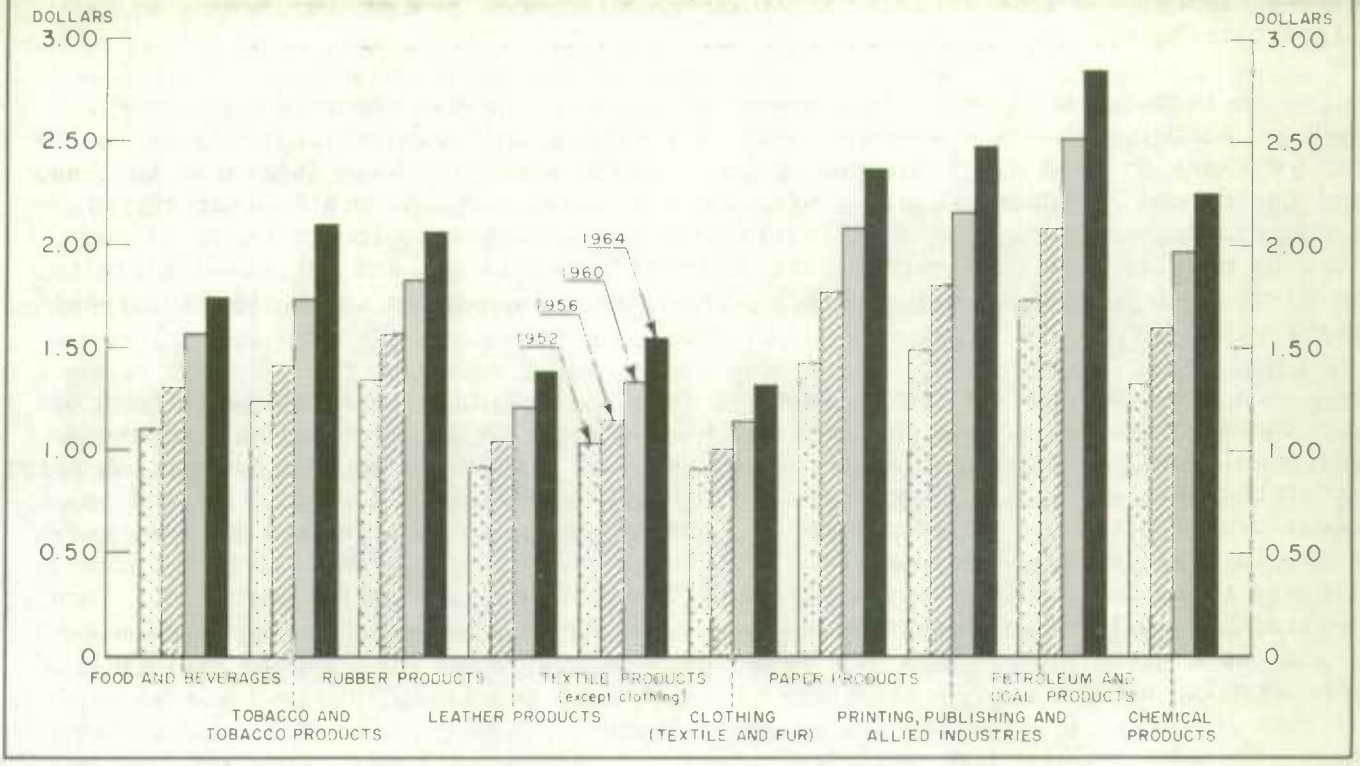

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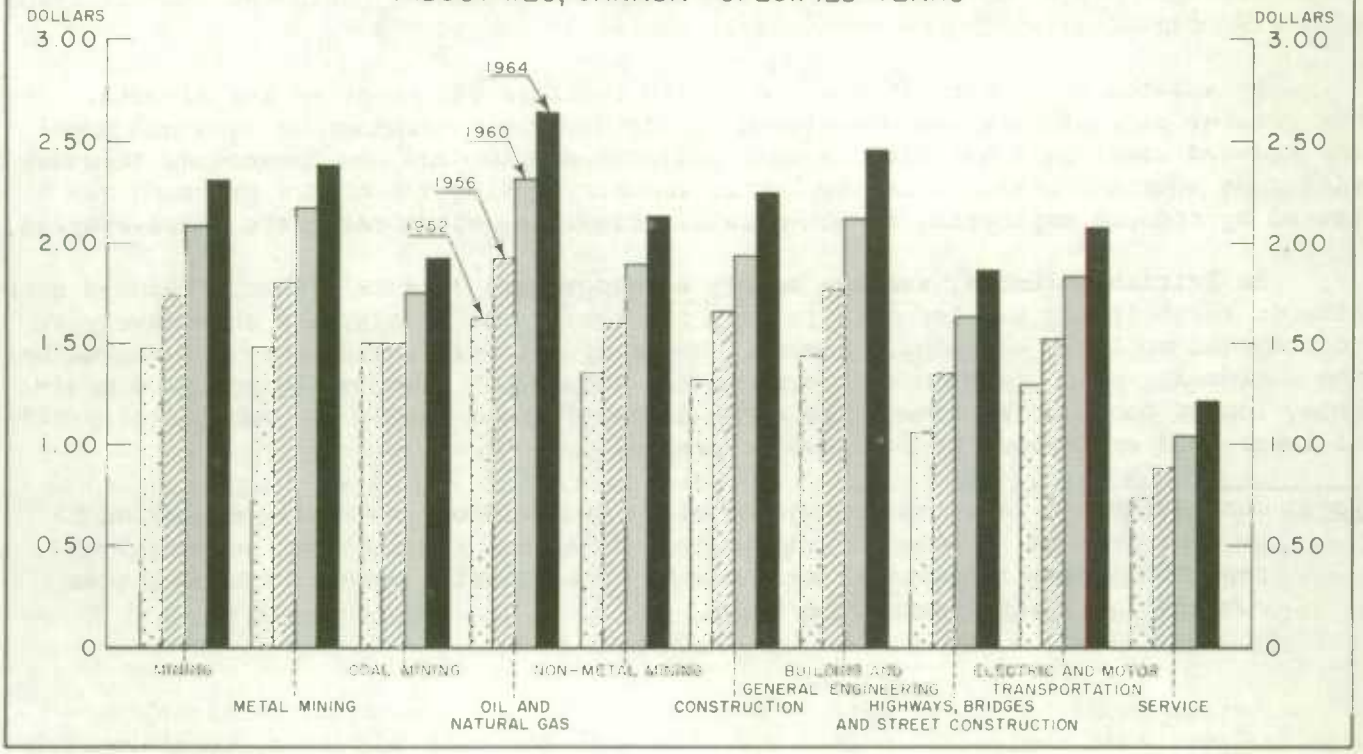

siderable part of the increase. Longer hours of higher-paid workers in transportation equipment and less activity at below-average rates in saw and planing mills also contributed.

An increase of 2 cents in average hourly earnings was reported for Quebec. Reduced activity at below-average rates in clothing and seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid workers in food and beverages, together with scattered wage increases in these industries and in paper products, were major expansionary factors. Other such factors were higher hourly earnings in printing and publishing, longer hours in non-ferrous metals, more employment in transportation equipment and increased activity in electrical apparatus, all of which industries report rates above the divisional average.

In Ontario, average hourly earnings rose by 4 cents. An appreciable part of the increase was due to the higher level of activity in transportation equipment which followed settlement of a labour dispute and resumption of full production after model change-over in motor vehicles. Overtime in printing and publishing and in chemicals, scattered wage increases in paper products and non-ferrous metals, seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid workers in wood products and shorter hours at below-average rates in clothing were other factors which tended to raise earnings. Some restraining influence was exerted by more activity in food and beverages and electrical apparatus, where rates are below-average, and fewer higher-paid employees in non-metallic minerals.

Manitoba reported an advance of one cent in average hourly earnings, due mainly to reduced activity in clothing, where rates are below-average, longer hours of higher-paid workers in meat products and higher hourly earnings in printing and publishing and in wood products. Reduced overtime in transportation equipment tended to minimize the increase.

Average hourly earnings were unchanged in Saskatchewan. This was the net result of small counter-balancing movements in a number of industries.

An advance of 3 cents in average hourly earnings was reported for Alberta. The greater part of this was occasioned by higher hourly earnings in iron and steel and reduced lower-paid activity in wood products and in food and beverages, together with some overtime payments in the latter industry. Slight contrary pressure was caused by reduced employment in non-metallic minerals, where rates are above-average.

In British Columbia, average hourly earnings were 3 cents higher. Reduced overtime in shipbuilding and lay-offs in iron and steel, where rates are above-average, contributed to lower earnings. However, their effect was considerably outweighed by the increasing pressure of overtime payments in pulp and paper mills and wood products, longer hours at above-average rates in non-ferrous metals and seasonal lay-offs of lower-paid employment in food and beverages.

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 this publication are subject to revision.

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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
Mining	42.0	42.2	42.7	2.45	2.42	2.31	102.63	102.17	98.64	78,425
Metal mining	42.6	42.1	42.3	2.54	2.52	2.40	108.12	105.90	101.55	51,872
Gold (a)	42.9	42.3	42.8	2.04	2.01	1.88	87.64	84.85	80.55	10,336
Other metal (b)	42.5	42.1	42.2	2.66	2.65	2.56	113.22	111.31	108.09	41,536
Copper-gold-silver	40.5	39.8	39.2	2.47	2.42	2.33	100.02	96.16	91.14	9,321
Iron	46.3	45.7	46.4	2.86	2.87	2.83	132.31	131.23	131.39	8,634
Uranium	39.7	39.8	41.8	3.07	3.01	3.14	121.73	119.85	131.29	1,603
Fuels	37.3	41.5	42.3	2.31	2.30	2.18	86.16	95.56	92.25	13,547
Coal	35.5	41.9	43.8	1.97	1.97	1.92	70.09	82.66	84.05	7,811
Oil and natural gas (c)	39.8	41.0	39.6	2.72	2.74	2.70	108.03	112.55	106.93	5,736
Non-metal (d)	44.3	43.2	44.2	2.21	2.18	2.11	97.89	94.25	93.36	13,006
Asbestos	42.3	40.7	42.5	2.48	2.44	2.41	104.80	99.26	102.31	5,431
Manufacturing	41.3	41.1	41.7	2.13	2.09	2.03	87.93	86.01	84.77	1,038,074
Durable goods	41.9	41.6	42.3	2.31	2.27	2.23	96.83	94.46	94.16	521,322
Non-durable goods	40.8	40.7	41.1	1.93	1.91	1.84	78.95	77.74	75.75	516,813
Food and beverages	40.9	40.5	40.8	1.78	1.76	1.69	72.98	71.12	68.92	128,506
Meat products	41.2	40.5	41.3	2.10	2.08	2.03	86.42	84.33	83.59	24,769
Canned and cured fish	37.1	36.2	35.2	1.29	1.31	1.20	47.97	47.50	42.24	13,820
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	42.0	40.6	41.9	1.43	1.39	1.28	60.16	56.41	53.67	24,214
Grain mill products	42.5	42.9	43.5	2.04	2.03	1.96	86.51	87.18	85.36	5,611
Bread and other bakery products	41.1	41.0	41.1	1.80	1.81	1.74	73.79	73.97	71.38	13,143
Biscuits and crackers	39.8	39.6	40.0	1.67	1.64	1.59	66.61	65.16	63.77	5,924
Distilled liquors	42.0	41.9	40.3	2.49	2.45	2.35	104.32	102.87	94.87	3,298
Malt liquors	39.8	40.1	39.7	2.67	2.62	2.56	106.19	105.24	101.70	5,233
Confectionery	41.0	40.3	40.8	1.54	1.54	1.44	63.09	61.95	58.82	8,816
Tobacco and tobacco products	36.4	37.2	38.6	2.38	2.36	2.31	86.52	87.66	89.30	6,658
Rubber products	42.8	42.0	43.7	2.22	2.19	2.12	94.82	91.85	92.58	18,446
Rubber footwear	41.7	41.9	43.4	1.65	1.63	1.57	68.76	68.39	68.26	5,113
Other rubber products (e)	43.2	42.1	43.9	2.42	2.40	2.33	104.82	100.82	102.29	13,333
Leather products	39.6	40.1	40.6	1.48	1.46	1.41	58.49	58.74	57.30	24,811
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	39.6	40.2	40.4	1.44	1.43	1.37	57.06	57.58	55.46	16,373
Other leather products (f)	39.7	40.0	41.1	1.54	1.53	1.48	61.28	61.03	60.98	8,438
Textile products (except clothing)	42.3	42.4	42.9	1.65	1.64	1.57	69.70	69.39	67.46	55,465
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	41.3	41.7	42.3	1.68	1.67	1.62	69.45	69.52	68.65	15,759
Woollen goods	43.4	43.2	42.3	1.50	1.49	1.43	64.96	64.40	60.39	8,386
Synthetic textiles and silk	42.5	42.6	43.7	1.78	1.77	1.68	75.60	75.65	73.20	15,351
Filament yarn and staple fibres	40.8	41.1	42.6	2.14	2.13	2.01	87.27	87.68	85.76	7,120
Spun yarn and fabrics	43.9	44.0	44.6	1.49	1.48	1.40	65.51	65.11	62.67	8,231
Clothing (textile and fur)	38.4	38.9	39.4	1.40	1.39	1.34	53.75	54.22	52.86	92,230
Men's clothing	38.2	38.6	39.4	1.39	1.37	1.33	53.16	52.91	52.32	32,622
Women's clothing	36.4	37.6	38.0	1.50	1.51	1.44	54.68	56.89	54.82	25,716
Knit goods	41.9	41.9	42.1	1.30	1.29	1.25	54.45	54.11	52.66	16,987
*Wood products	41.6	41.4	41.7	1.89	1.87	1.81	78.75	77.39	75.66	92,095
Saw and planing mills	40.4	40.5	40.6	2.01	1.98	1.94	81.39	80.03	78.67	59,324
Plywood and veneer mills	39.2	40.1	39.5	2.03	2.04	1.94	79.72	81.82	76.64	12,152
Sash, door and planing mills	43.2	43.2	42.7	1.68	1.65	1.58	72.35	71.42	67.29	11,847
Sawmills	39.9	39.7	40.1	2.13	2.08	2.09	84.99	82.38	84.05	35,325
Furniture	44.1	43.6	43.9	1.72	1.71	1.64	75.89	74.32	71.96	24,968
Other wood products (g)	42.7	42.3	43.4	1.59	1.57	1.51	67.90	66.40	65.47	7,803
Paper products	42.4	42.1	42.0	2.50	2.47	2.38	106.21	103.77	99.99	84,793
Pulp and paper mills	42.3	41.9	41.9	2.71	2.66	2.56	114.72	111.51	107.41	60,208
Other paper products (h)	42.7	42.4	42.3	2.00	1.99	1.90	85.37	84.24	80.39	24,585
Paper boxes and bags	43.0	42.8	42.5	2.01	2.00	1.89	86.45	85.71	80.32	14,837
Printing, publishing and allied industries	39.7	39.4	39.6	2.61	2.58	2.50	103.61	101.75	99.08	35,248

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* 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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
Manufacturing – Concluded:										
*Iron and steel products	41.9	41.8	42.3	2.45	2.44	2.34	102.58	101.88	98.93	163,755
Agricultural implements	40.5	40.2	40.8	2.57	2.46	2.43	104.19	98.94	99.37	9,987
Boilers and plate work	43.6	42.8	43.4	2.33	2.33	2.26	101.63	99.79	98.01	5,449
Fabricated and structural steel	42.8	43.1	43.0	2.36	2.38	2.26	101.18	102.63	97.03	10,277
Hardware and tools	42.8	42.1	43.4	2.06	2.04	1.95	88.35	86.07	84.37	11,521
Heating and cooking appliances	42.2	41.5	41.8	2.09	2.08	2.00	88.10	86.13	83.34	7,146
Iron castings	43.3	42.6	42.7	2.40	2.38	2.27	104.07	101.35	97.00	18,325
Machinery (i)	42.8	42.5	42.9	2.36	2.32	2.21	100.83	98.41	95.01	29,793
Household, office and store	42.4	41.0	42.5	2.32	2.30	2.24	98.31	94.20	95.35	5,774
Industrial (j)	42.9	42.9	43.0	2.37	2.32	2.21	101.44	99.40	94.91	24,019
Primary iron and steel	39.8	40.5	41.3	2.88	2.88	2.74	114.86	116.61	113.13	38,391
Sheet metal products	42.4	42.0	42.2	2.32	2.35	2.23	98.30	98.62	94.02	16,010
Wire and wire products	42.0	42.5	43.3	2.32	2.33	2.28	97.27	98.87	98.57	9,152
*Transportation equipment	41.5	40.8	42.8	2.55	2.50	2.46	106.03	102.08	105.31	121,569
Aircraft and parts	39.2	41.7	41.6	2.48	2.40	2.36	97.25	100.07	98.21	16,699
Motor vehicles	43.9	39.6	45.9	2.82	2.79	2.76	123.69	110.62	126.61	34,712
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	41.7	41.4	42.8	2.48	2.45	2.41	103.67	101.53	103.15	26,907
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	39.9	40.7	40.4	2.42	2.43	2.27	96.63	98.83	91.92	21,468
Shipbuilding and repairing	40.6	41.0	40.9	2.45	2.47	2.34	99.50	101.18	95.64	18,775
*Non-ferrous metal products	41.7	41.3	41.2	2.39	2.36	2.30	99.56	97.54	94.62	45,204
Aluminum products	42.5	42.5	42.1	2.13	2.11	2.04	90.27	89.87	85.88	5,708
Brass and copper products	42.2	42.4	43.1	2.29	2.19	2.22	96.65	92.81	95.55	7,386
Smelting and refining	41.4	40.7	40.2	2.67	2.66	2.57	110.46	108.04	103.25	23,970
Other non-ferrous metal products (k)	41.9	41.6	42.0	1.83	1.80	1.72	76.62	74.80	72.26	8,140
*Electrical apparatus and supplies	41.7	40.9	41.7	2.12	2.09	2.05	88.23	85.67	85.49	63,087
Heavy electrical machinery and equipment[1]	42.2	41.2	41.9	2.35	2.33	2.29	99.14	95.94	96.07	13,600
Telecommunication equipment	40.2	39.6	40.0	1.89	1.86	1.83	75.92	73.67	73.04	15,401
Batteries	42.5	41.6	42.7	2.03	2.02	2.01	86.09	84.01	85.68	1,629
Refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and appliances	40.7	38.5	41.8	2.22	2.17	2.13	90.44	83.63	89.26	8,226
Wire and cable	44.2	44.2	43.7	2.38	2.37	2.30	105.15	104.75	100.59	5,611
Miscellaneous electrical products	42.1	41.8	42.2	2.00	1.99	1.94	84.39	83.34	81.77	18,418
*Non-metallic mineral products (l)	44.2	44.2	44.6	2.21	2.19	2.10	97.55	96.84	93.47	35,612
Clay products	42.6	42.4	42.8	1.97	1.96	1.88	83.86	82.93	80.42	4,588
Glass and glass products	40.9	41.4	41.7	2.17	2.17	2.13	88.74	89.65	88.61	8,936
Products of petroleum and coal	42.9	41.5	41.9	2.96	2.92	2.85	126.87	121.32	119.46	6,270
Petroleum refining and products	42.9	41.6	42.0	3.00	2.95	2.88	128.54	122.94	121.05	5,965
Chemical products	41.4	41.0	41.3	2.33	2.31	2.26	96.39	94.86	93.42	32,443
Medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations	40.2	39.5	39.8	1.82	1.81	1.76	73.39	71.62	70.14	3,409
Acids, alkalis and salts	41.3	41.4	41.5	2.71	2.69	2.63	111.92	111.34	109.22	6,650
Fertilizers	41.6	40.7	41.0	2.43	2.43	2.30	101.09	98.93	94.46	2,185
Paints and varnishes	41.6	41.6	40.7	2.14	2.10	2.06	88.95	87.54	84.12	2,672
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	41.6	41.3	42.0	1.69	1.67	1.65	70.11	68.95	69.15	31,943
Professional and scientific equipment	40.4	40.7	40.9	1.97	1.95	1.95	79.55	79.27	79.70	7,933
Construction	42.8	43.0	43.1	2.47	2.42	2.26	105.77	104.21	97.55	256,750
Building and general engineering (m)	41.9	41.9	42.2	2.70	2.66	2.48	113.12	111.28	104.61	175,056
Building	41.2	40.9	41.2	2.68	2.63	2.49	110.48	107.81	102.65	145,008
General engineering	44.9	46.5	48.1	2.80	2.75	2.41	125.88	127.99	115.85	30,048
Highways, bridges and streets	45.0	45.4	44.8	2.00	1.97	1.88	90.01	89.48	84.26	81,694
Electric and motor transportation (n)	44.6	44.2	45.4	2.19	2.20	2.09	97.79	97.14	94.99	47,896
Service (o)	36.6	37.0	37.3	1.29	1.27	1.22	47.07	46.95	45.35	97,483
Hotels and restaurants	36.0	36.8	36.8	1.23	1.21	1.18	44.39	44.58	43.21	64,285
Laundries and dry cleaning plants	39.7	39.1	40.1	1.25	1.23	1.17	49.43	48.26	47.05	15,491

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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
Newfoundland										
Mining	48.6	48.0	47.4	2.35	2.34	2.31	114.22	112.46	109.17	4,900
Manufacturing	40.6	43.5	39.9	1.75	1.76	1.77	71.00	76.33	70.70	9,219
Food and beverages	37.0	41.9	35.8	1.13	1.12	1.10	41.70	46.84	39.23	4,352
Canned and cured fish	36.0	41.6	34.1	1.02	1.01	0.99	36.64	42.06	33.82	3,659
Pulp and paper mills	41.2	44.6	43.6	2.77	2.78	2.76	114.24	124.02	120.50	2,506
Building and general engineering (m)	51.2	50.2	46.6	1.78	1.74	1.79	91.05	87.36	83.55	6,349
Nova Scotia										
Coal mining	33.9	43.1	45.4	1.90	1.92	1.88	64.40	82.83	85.42	5,702
Manufacturing	40.7	40.5	41.4	1.79	1.80	1.74	72.65	72.80	71.89	24,717
Food and beverages	40.2	39.1	42.0	1.25	1.29	1.14	50.30	50.57	47.79	6,175
Canned and cured fish	40.1	37.6	41.8	1.22	1.26	1.12	48.72	47.44	46.99	3,431
Wood products	43.6	42.5	45.4	1.18	1.18	1.11	51.34	50.14	50.20	1,696
Iron and steel products	40.4	40.3	41.5	2.33	2.34	2.31	94.30	94.03	96.11	5,002
Primary iron and steel	39.4	39.8	41.5	2.51	2.51	2.46	99.01	100.05	102.15	3,603
Transportation equipment	39.6	41.5	40.8	2.08	2.11	2.01	82.62	87.55	82.03	6,260
Shipbuilding and repairing	39.9	42.1	41.9	2.08	2.14	2.03	82.99	90.30	85.05	4,094
Building and general engineering (m)	41.0	40.0	39.5	1.87	1.88	1.82	76.93	75.22	72.13	5,676
Highways, bridges and street construction	45.6	44.4	42.8	1.59	1.58	1.48	72.74	70.24	63.10	3,690
New Brunswick										
Manufacturing	41.2	40.5	40.8	1.79	1.72	1.69	73.50	69.46	69.10	18,972
Food and beverages	38.8	38.4	38.5	1.27	1.22	1.18	49.13	46.84	45.51	5,935
Saw and planing mills	44.8	45.7	46.0	1.30	1.27	1.24	57.98	57.88	56.98	2,111
Pulp and paper mills	42.3	41.0	40.9	2.53	2.50	2.43	107.08	102.39	99.26	4,548
Transportation equipment	39.6	38.7	41.4	2.23	2.23	2.18	88.13	86.17	90.19	2,258
Building and general engineering (m)	43.6	42.3	39.9	1.89	1.82	1.79	82.32	77.03	71.19	4,933
Highways, bridges and street construction	47.4	47.0	46.7	1.52	1.50	1.37	72.23	70.49	64.19	2,997
Quebec										
Metal mining	43.5	42.2	43.3	2.41	2.40	2.28	105.11	101.22	98.88	13,339
Non-metal mining (d)	43.2	41.4	43.8	2.33	2.29	2.23	100.46	94.73	97.73	6,244
Manufacturing	42.2	42.3	42.6	1.90	1.88	1.82	80.25	79.59	77.69	323,160
Food and beverages	43.0	43.0	42.8	1.73	1.66	1.67	74.44	71.57	71.18	29,028
Tobacco	36.2	37.0	38.4	2.38	2.36	2.30	86.01	87.50	88.43	5,231
Rubber products	43.9	43.5	44.9	1.76	1.74	1.66	77.39	75.64	74.43	5,191
Leather products	39.7	40.2	40.6	1.40	1.40	1.35	55.67	56.16	54.69	12,212
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	39.9	40.1	40.6	1.41	1.41	1.35	56.34	56.68	54.92	9,130
Textile products (except clothing)	43.2	43.3	44.0	1.59	1.58	1.52	68.67	68.32	66.81	32,647
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	41.6	41.9	43.1	1.75	1.74	1.70	72.72	72.85	73.08	10,901
Woollen goods	47.0	46.5	44.8	1.48	1.47	1.41	69.31	68.58	63.34	3,310
Synthetic textiles and silk[1]	43.1	43.1	44.2	1.57	1.56	1.45	67.76	67.45	64.25	9,701
Clothing (textile and fur)	37.9	38.6	39.1	1.39	1.38	1.35	52.74	53.34	52.57	56,828
Men's clothing	38.0	38.6	39.5	1.39	1.36	1.33	52.86	52.47	52.53	17,919
Women's clothing	35.5	36.7	37.3	1.49	1.50	1.45	52.76	54.96	54.10	18,429
Knit goods	43.1	43.3	42.9	1.28	1.26	1.24	54.92	54.61	53.15	8,975
Wood products	46.3	46.1	46.4	1.44	1.42	1.37	66.59	65.65	63.55	22,777
Saw and planing mills	47.1	47.4	47.3	1.35	1.33	1.29	63.66	63.21	61.03	11,150
Furniture	45.4	44.9	45.1	1.58	1.57	1.51	71.65	70.53	67.89	9,382
Paper products	44.0	43.5	43.5	2.43	2.39	2.30	106.85	103.98	99.89	30,607
Pulp and paper mills	44.1	43.6	43.7	2.61	2.56	2.46	114.95	111.42	107.70	23,196
Other paper products (h)	43.7	43.0	42.8	1.87	1.85	1.71	81.49	79.66	73.00	7,411
Printing, publishing and allied industries	40.2	40.4	40.5	2.54	2.52	2.38	102.04	102.00	96.24	10,160
Iron and steel products	44.4	44.4	45.0	2.17	2.18	2.09	96.48	96.56	93.91	31,152
Machinery (i)	44.6	44.7	45.0	2.11	2.10	1.99	94.24	94.00	89.64	6,960
Transportation equipment	41.5	41.6	41.8	2.37	2.38	2.26	98.56	98.75	94.36	22,985
Aircraft and parts	43.4	43.2	42.3	2.45	2.43	2.30	106.18	105.08	97.35	6,913
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	39.1	39.5	40.6	2.41	2.41	2.28	94.30	95.21	92.73	7,289
Shipbuilding and repairing	41.0	41.0	41.0	2.50	2.52	2.41	102.55	103.07	98.98	6,549

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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
Quebec – Concluded										
Manufacturing – Concluded:										
Non-ferrous metal products	42.8	42.4	41.9	2.38	2.38	2.31	101.70	101.20	96.53	14,406
Smelting and refining	41.7	41.1	40.6	2.67	2.68	2.58	111.11	110.16	104.81	9,028
Electrical apparatus and supplies	43.2	42.9	43.1	2.11	2.10	2.03	91.18	90.09	87.67	16,438
Chemical products	40.4	40.8	41.3	2.21	2.21	2.16	89.22	90.11	89.48	10,642
Building and general engineering (m)	41.2	41.7	43.3	2.58	2.57	2.41	106.43	106.95	104.40	51,442
Building	40.3	39.8	41.3	2.59	2.57	2.42	104.30	102.55	99.90	41,698
General engineering	45.2	49.4	52.8	2.56	2.55	2.39	115.55	125.89	125.87	9,744
Highways, bridges and street construction	44.8	43.8	44.6	1.97	1.95	1.85	88.12	85.27	82.63	21,922
Electric and motor transportation (n)	46.6	46.5	48.1	2.10	2.11	1.92	98.05	98.03	92.49	13,628
Service (o)	40.7	39.7	39.9	1.16	1.16	1.13	47.35	45.91	45.17	20,528
Ontario										
Metal mining	41.3	41.1	41.3	2.52	2.48	2.38	103.93	101.81	98.25	23,020
Gold (a)	42.1	41.9	42.6	1.98	1.94	1.85	83.22	81.52	78.70	6,859
Other metal (b)	40.9	40.7	40.5	2.75	2.72	2.67	112.72	110.72	108.37	16,161
Manufacturing	41.5	41.1	42.0	2.24	2.20	2.14	93.14	90.54	90.15	511,091
Food and beverages	42.0	41.4	42.1	1.82	1.83	1.71	76.57	75.66	72.08	55,582
Meat products	40.9	41.0	42.1	2.09	2.07	1.99	85.28	85.02	83.68	9,462
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	44.8	42.2	43.6	1.51	1.53	1.35	67.51	64.64	58.98	15,990
Bread and other bakery products	40.8	41.1	41.2	1.80	1.80	1.73	73.38	74.06	71.38	5,651
Rubber products	42.4	41.4	43.2	2.40	2.37	2.33	101.57	98.31	100.54	12,850
Leather products	39.8	40.3	40.7	1.56	1.54	1.49	62.06	62.29	60.53	11,507
Boots and shoes (except rubber)	39.2	40.6	40.0	1.49	1.47	1.42	58.48	59.68	56.66	6,631
Textile products (except clothing)	41.0	41.2	41.3	1.76	1.75	1.68	72.22	72.14	69.62	20,761
Cotton yarn and broad woven goods	40.3	40.8	40.5	1.56	1.55	1.48	62.85	63.08	59.97	4,146
Woollen goods	41.1	41.6	40.9	1.53	1.51	1.45	62.80	62.77	59.27	4,694
Synthetic textiles and silk[1]	41.2	41.6	42.5	2.16	2.15	2.13	88.89	89.46	90.39	5,432
Clothing (textile and fur)	39.4	39.8	40.1	1.48	1.48	1.40	58.45	59.03	56.25	24,278
Men's clothing	38.6	38.9	39.8	1.51	1.50	1.44	58.23	58.44	57.38	8,715
Knit goods	41.0	41.5	41.8	1.37	1.36	1.30	56.05	56.47	54.27	6,387
Wood products	43.3	43.3	43.5	1.72	1.69	1.63	74.52	73.21	70.68	26,488
Saw and planing mills	43.2	43.8	43.6	1.61	1.59	1.54	69.65	69.62	66.99	9,975
Furniture	43.8	43.3	43.7	1.82	1.80	1.71	79.87	77.74	74.94	12,587
Paper products	41.9	41.7	41.6	2.41	2.36	2.30	100.70	98.33	95.91	31,986
Pulp and paper mills	41.2	41.1	41.0	2.67	2.59	2.53	110.16	106.56	103.52	18,356
Other paper products (h)	42.7	42.5	42.6	2.06	2.04	1.99	87.96	86.96	84.67	13,630
Printing, publishing and allied industries	39.4	39.0	39.3	2.69	2.65	2.59	105.95	103.39	101.96	19,111
Iron and steel products	41.4	41.5	42.0	2.55	2.54	2.43	105.86	105.26	101.80	108,816
Agricultural implements	40.0	39.6	40.5	2.76	2.64	2.57	110.22	104.40	104.22	8,223
Iron castings	42.8	41.9	41.9	2.49	2.48	2.35	106.60	104.09	98.42	11,038
Machinery (i)	42.4	42.1	42.4	2.44	2.39	2.29	103.53	100.65	97.20	20,087
Primary iron and steel	39.4	40.2	41.1	3.01	2.99	2.83	118.51	120.45	116.24	29,056
Sheet metal products	42.6	42.4	42.2	2.34	2.37	2.22	99.67	100.32	93.75	9,199
Transportation equipment	42.2	40.6	44.1	2.68	2.63	2.60	113.05	106.49	114.65	73,259
Aircraft and parts	35.9	40.7	41.5	2.60	2.45	2.47	93.24	99.63	102.76	7,914
Motor vehicles	44.1	39.3	46.2	2.88	2.91	2.81	127.02	114.29	129.99	32,059
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	41.7	41.3	42.7	2.52	2.49	2.45	105.04	102.89	104.60	25,259
Railroad and rolling stock equipment	41.9	41.8	41.2	2.62	2.60	2.36	109.57	108.80	97.34	4,418
Non-ferrous metal products	41.0	40.9	41.0	2.29	2.24	2.20	93.89	91.76	90.15	23,048
Brass and copper products	41.1	40.0	42.4	2.41	2.23	2.35	98.92	89.34	99.86	4,116
Smelting and refining	40.3	40.3	39.6	2.58	2.56	2.47	104.07	103.13	97.83	8,690
Electrical apparatus and supplies	41.1	40.2	41.2	2.14	2.11	2.07	88.00	84.88	85.33	43,789
Non-metallic mineral products (1)	43.1	43.0	44.1	2.27	2.26	2.15	98.00	97.01	95.02	17,299
Chemical products	41.9	41.2	41.4	2.38	2.35	2.31	99.64	96.96	95.54	18,225
Building and general engineering (m)	42.3	42.4	42.5	2.91	2.85	2.67	123.20	120.63	113.49	60,070
Building	42.0	42.0	42.1	2.89	2.82	2.67	121.54	118.60	112.40	54,087
General engineering	45.0	45.1	46.6	3.07	3.06	2.69	138.21	138.20	125.31	5,983
Highways, bridges and street construction	46.3	46.8	46.7	2.06	2.02	1.91	95.56	94.73	89.28	24,312
Electric and motor transportation (n)	44.8	44.1	45.5	2.22	2.23	2.16	99.54	98.52	98.21	21,595
Service (o)	35.8	36.4	37.1	1.31	1.30	1.23	46.88	47.21	45.49	40,188
Hotels and restaurants	35.1	36.1	36.2	1.25	1.23	1.17	43.75	44.20	42.47	27,041

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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
Manitoba										
Manufacturing	40.6	40.6	40.6	1.93	1.92	1.84	78.35	78.09	74.59	32,774
Food and beverages	39.1	38.9	39.6	2.02	2.01	1.95	78.84	78.12	77.36	6,295
Meat products	41.6	39.2	40.6	2.16	2.17	2.10	89.69	84.91	85.04	2,593
Clothing (textile and fur)	39.2	39.5	39.7	1.28	1.27	1.21	50.22	50.34	48.00	5,511
Iron and steel products	42.2	41.3	41.9	2.07	2.04	2.00	87.51	84.44	84.02	4,881
Transportation equipment	40.0	41.7	40.2	2.24	2.28	2.16	89.43	95.11	86.79	6,351
Building and general engineering (m)	39.9	40.7	40.6	2.35	2.29	2.16	93.65	93.42	87.52	6,517
Highways, bridges and street construction	45.3	48.8	45.0	1.77	1.78	1.78	80.17	86.80	79.88	5,354
Service (o)	34.8	35.2	35.6	1.21	1.20	1.16	42.06	42.24	41.41	7,471
Saskatchewan										
Mining	40.1	39.9	40.1	2.76	2.73	2.73	110.69	109.16	109.33	3,079
Manufacturing	40.0	40.0	39.5	2.11	2.11	2.10	84.30	84.39	82.87	7,739
Meat products	38.0	37.6	38.9	2.15	2.17	2.15	81.62	81.68	83.66	1,395
Building and general engineering (m)	41.2	39.8	39.6	2.30	2.17	2.04	94.64	86.30	80.85	6,930
Highways, bridges and street construction	44.1	47.0	46.6	1.90	1.84	1.83	83.74	86.36	85.03	4,738
Service (o)	37.3	37.3	38.8	1.24	1.22	1.19	46.09	45.64	46.27	2,466
Alberta (p)										
Coal mining	39.2	36.2	40.3	2.42	2.39	2.28	94.84	86.27	92.06	849
Oil and natural gas production (c)	40.0	41.6	39.4	2.72	2.74	2.70	108.69	114.17	106.54	4,774
Manufacturing	40.3	40.3	39.6	2.18	2.15	2.08	87.75	86.67	82.43	27,509
Food and beverages	39.8	39.9	38.5	2.12	2.08	2.00	84.53	82.86	76.83	7,167
Meat products	40.7	39.4	39.7	2.39	2.36	2.28	96.96	93.04	90.58	3,466
Transportation equipment	39.3	40.6	39.7	2.20	2.17	2.10	86.41	88.20	83.59	3,619
Non-metallic mineral products (e)	41.8	40.9	40.2	2.23	2.24	2.14	93.27	91.79	86.11	2,453
Building and general engineering (m)	42.2	42.6	41.7	2.69	2.66	2.41	113.59	113.11	100.70	14,920
Highways, bridges and street construction	42.5	44.5	41.6	2.01	1.98	1.94	85.35	87.95	80.45	9,437
Electric and motor transportation (n)	41.7	41.8	41.2	2.22	2.23	2.12	92.59	93.12	87.58	3,639
Service (o)	35.0	36.9	36.3	1.30	1.23	1.18	45.33	45.36	42.79	10,803
British Columbia (p)										
Forestry (logging)	40.0	37.7	38.9	3.32	3.25	3.15	132.92	122.53	122.43	10,867
Metal mining	42.1	40.8	41.8	2.86	2.87	2.68	120.39	116.97	112.01	4,874
Manufacturing	37.9	37.0	37.7	2.65	2.62	2.49	100.55	96.96	93.75	81,411
Food and beverages	34.8	33.0	34.7	2.27	2.18	2.03	78.81	71.83	70.58	9,805
Canned and cured fish	32.3	28.2	26.8	2.48	2.43	2.32	79.88	68.42	62.18	2,423
Canned and preserved fruits and vegetables	29.2	30.7	34.3	1.53	1.48	1.41	44.79	45.30	48.32	2,138
Wood products	36.9	36.4	37.2	2.58	2.57	2.45	95.15	93.61	91.03	33,330
Saw and planing mills	36.8	36.3	37.2	2.60	2.59	2.46	95.69	94.02	91.35	31,608
Pulp and paper mills	40.3	39.2	39.1	3.23	3.21	3.02	129.97	125.49	118.11	9,277
Iron and steel products	38.8	38.0	38.6	2.74	2.74	2.59	106.19	104.06	100.11	7,183
Steel shipbuilding and repairing	40.1	40.2	39.1	2.87	2.89	2.71	114.80	116.45	105.79	4,459
Non-ferrous metal products	41.8	39.3	40.2	2.83	2.82	2.75	118.24	110.98	110.59	5,007
Building and general engineering (m)	39.3	39.1	39.4	3.61	3.56	3.19	141.79	139.14	125.67	17,743
Highways, bridges and street construction	39.6	39.9	39.1	2.86	2.77	2.57	113.33	110.37	100.41	7,072
Electric and motor transportation (n)	41.5	40.9	40.5	2.66	2.63	2.55	110.15	107.78	103.16	4,100
Service (o)	33.2	33.7	35.1	1.60	1.60	1.49	53.18	54.00	52.23	11,860

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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
Halifax – Manufacturing	40.3	41.4	40.5	2.05	2.10	1.99	82.70	86.92	80.53	6,833
Saint John – Manufacturing	42.3	41.4	42.4	2.02	2.00	1.88	85.24	82.70	79.83	4,512
Quebec – Manufacturing	41.3	41.3	41.1	1.90	1.90	1.82	78.55	78.42	74.61	15,396
Leather products	38.6	38.9	39.4	1.36	1.37	1.32	52.47	53.44	51.85	1,616
Clothing (textile and fur)	40.0	40.3	36.4	1.14	1.14	1.15	45.48	45.91	41.70	1,961
Transportation equipment	40.6	38.8	38.8	2.56	2.49	2.33	103.73	96.57	90.44	2,173
Building and general engineering (m)	40.4	38.9	39.2	2.41	2.39	2.30	97.28	92.94	90.24	4,829
Sherbrooke – Manufacturing	44.7	44.3	45.2	1.70	1.70	1.61	75.85	75.05	72.81	7,408
Three Rivers – Manufacturing	42.4	42.8	43.1	2.00	1.98	1.93	84.83	84.70	83.21	9,659
Drummondville – Manufacturing	41.7	42.0	43.8	1.70	1.70	1.59	71.03	71.41	69.47	5,515
Shawinigan – Manufacturing	41.4	41.2	41.6	2.21	2.18	2.16	91.31	90.06	89.62	6,244
Granby – Manufacturing	42.3	42.7	43.2	1.68	1.68	1.65	71.19	71.60	71.22	5,162
St. Hyacinthe – Manufacturing	42.7	41.4	43.2	1.54	1.47	1.46	65.64	60.86	62.88	4,139
Sorel – Manufacturing	41.2	40.9	41.4	2.39	2.39	2.25	98.64	97.57	92.90	4,301
St. Jean – Manufacturing	42.5	42.6	43.1	1.68	1.66	1.62	71.33	70.61	69.87	5,004
Montreal – Manufacturing	41.5	41.7	42.1	1.97	1.96	1.88	81.53	81.59	79.26	169,813
Food and beverages	42.5	42.1	42.0	1.94	1.92	1.88	82.54	80.99	78.98	17,434
Tobacco and tobacco products	35.8	37.3	37.7	2.39	2.36	2.29	85.42	88.09	86.31	4,068
Leather products	39.3	39.8	40.3	1.46	1.45	1.40	57.36	57.91	56.32	6,917
Textile products (except clothing)	43.3	43.0	44.3	1.52	1.50	1.48	65.85	64.72	65.38	7,689
Clothing (textile and fur)	37.5	38.4	39.1	1.50	1.49	1.44	56.23	57.27	56.34	38,636
Printing, publishing and allied industries	39.8	40.2	40.0	2.72	2.70	2.52	108.32	108.31	100.91	7,783
Iron and steel products	44.0	44.2	44.9	2.27	2.29	2.18	100.01	101.01	98.07	20,336
Transportation equipment	41.3	41.6	42.0	2.42	2.42	2.30	100.03	100.72	96.44	17,321
Electrical apparatus and supplies	43.5	43.3	43.2	2.19	2.17	2.13	95.16	94.14	91.89	12,974
Building and general engineering (m)	40.6	40.2	40.6	2.65	2.65	2.46	107.55	106.52	99.94	28,431
Electric and motor transportation (n)	45.4	45.4	47.5	2.22	2.23	1.99	101.00	101.33	94.70	10,354
Service (o)	40.7	39.4	39.4	1.19	1.18	1.15	48.38	46.60	45.46	16,198
Valleyfield (Salaberry-de-) – Manufacturing	43.2	43.2	44.3	1.87	1.86	1.78	80.66	80.29	78.86	3,360
Cornwall – Manufacturing	41.5	41.9	41.3	2.21	2.22	2.13	91.59	93.19	87.95	4,692
Ottawa-Hull – Manufacturing	40.6	40.2	40.6	2.28	2.27	2.16	92.85	91.21	87.64	11,251
Pulp and paper mills	40.6	40.3	40.0	2.70	2.69	2.53	109.64	108.33	101.16	3,980
Building and general engineering (m)	41.3	41.1	41.6	2.40	2.37	2.24	99.01	97.40	93.37	5,716
Kingston – Manufacturing	40.7	41.3	41.3	2.30	2.29	2.22	93.66	94.75	91.76	4,774
Peterborough – Manufacturing	41.9	41.0	41.5	2.56	2.51	2.47	107.07	103.16	102.49	6,435
Oshawa – Manufacturing	40.8	42.8	44.0	2.77	2.81	2.66	113.01	120.26	117.04	18,735
Toronto – Manufacturing	41.2	41.3	41.7	2.14	2.10	2.06	88.07	86.61	85.64	155,265
Food and beverages	41.0	40.9	41.4	2.02	2.00	1.93	82.87	81.89	79.72	18,354
Rubber products	43.6	43.4	44.6	2.55	2.59	2.51	111.26	112.19	111.97	3,882
Clothing (textile and fur)	39.6	40.2	40.5	1.56	1.56	1.48	61.64	62.88	60.16	14,231
Paper products	42.5	42.3	42.0	2.12	2.10	2.04	89.96	88.94	85.44	9,194
Printing, publishing and allied industries	39.5	39.0	39.2	2.85	2.81	2.76	112.56	109.77	108.02	12,017
Iron and steel products	42.7	42.7	42.6	2.43	2.36	2.30	103.96	100.95	97.84	25,270
Transportation equipment	36.7	40.6	40.8	2.48	2.35	2.38	90.96	95.22	97.07	10,460
Non-ferrous metal products	42.3	41.9	42.7	2.08	1.91	2.02	87.87	79.98	86.18	7,116
Electrical apparatus and supplies	40.8	40.1	41.4	2.12	2.11	2.06	86.44	84.49	85.14	18,294
Chemical products	41.8	40.7	41.0	2.10	2.09	2.05	87.88	84.89	84.01	6,531
Building and general engineering (m)	41.9	42.3	42.9	3.03	2.98	2.79	126.75	125.86	119.57	21,199
Electric and motor transportation (n)	45.7	44.6	45.7	2.26	2.29	2.21	103.10	102.04	101.16	10,950
Service (o)	37.3	37.7	38.5	1.38	1.36	1.31	51.38	51.39	50.40	19,712
Hamilton – Manufacturing	40.0	40.2	41.3	2.55	2.54	2.43	101.89	101.97	100.27	50,314
Clothing (textile and fur)	38.1	38.4	39.3	1.43	1.45	1.38	54.62	55.75	54.20	1,184
Iron and steel products	39.7	40.2	41.4	2.86	2.85	2.72	113.50	114.38	112.62	27,177
Electrical apparatus and supplies	41.3	39.6	40.2	2.58	2.55	2.46	106.27	101.03	98.66	4,291
Building and general engineering (m)	43.7	43.3	42.5	3.10	3.16	2.83	135.36	136.76	120.42	4,601

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 September 1965
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	
	number			dollars						number
St. Catharines – Manufacturing	41.7	40.8	41.9	2.62	2.63	2.50	109.45	107.28	104.49	27,211
Pulp and paper mills	41.7	41.2	40.5	2.70	2.61	2.51	112.38	107.36	101.69	2,978
Iron and steel products	42.5	42.7	42.4	2.72	2.72	2.68	115.68	116.15	113.64	7,570
Transportation equipment	42.4	41.4	42.8	2.99	3.01	2.78	126.74	124.55	119.18	9,104
Niagara Falls – Manufacturing	40.0	36.9	39.7	2.23	2.25	2.19	89.18	82.79	86.92	4,332
Brantford – Manufacturing	39.8	40.2	41.2	2.19	2.17	1.99	87.13	86.93	82.01	10,250
Textile products (except clothing)	37.4	38.4	38.8	1.95	1.97	1.82	72.99	75.68	70.68	988
Iron and steel products	39.9	39.9	41.6	2.60	2.59	2.45	103.47	103.45	101.61	4,643
Guelph – Manufacturing	41.3	41.4	41.8	2.06	2.02	1.93	85.13	83.71	80.57	6,388
Galt – Manufacturing	41.3	41.5	40.6	1.93	1.90	1.82	79.96	78.86	74.13	8,938
Kitchener – Manufacturing	41.8	41.7	41.9	1.95	1.91	1.85	81.66	79.92	77.56	18,631
Food and beverages	40.9	41.4	41.2	2.17	2.16	2.03	88.64	89.52	83.53	3,214
Rubber products	41.4	41.2	42.4	2.19	2.12	2.12	90.61	87.14	89.74	4,152
Wood products	44.1	43.6	43.9	1.88	1.85	1.73	82.74	80.80	76.10	1,951
Woodstock – Manufacturing	40.5	40.6	40.8	2.07	2.03	1.96	83.64	82.39	80.04	3,953
London – Manufacturing	41.0	40.5	41.1	2.13	2.11	2.04	87.31	85.51	83.75	14,579
Food and beverages	40.0	40.2	40.2	2.02	2.02	1.98	80.95	81.25	79.49	3,108
Iron and steel products	40.7	41.6	42.1	2.20	2.20	2.13	89.69	91.47	89.66	2,512
Sarnia – Manufacturing	42.3	40.5	40.2	2.99	2.94	2.81	126.53	118.95	113.21	5,620
Windsor – Manufacturing	45.9	41.1	45.7	2.69	2.65	2.63	123.46	108.73	120.00	24,169
Iron and steel products	41.6	42.1	43.7	2.62	2.70	2.40	109.06	113.51	104.93	4,753
Transportation equipment	47.8	40.0	47.4	2.82	2.77	2.81	134.76	110.99	133.17	15,249
Building and general engineering (m)	45.0	44.1	41.7	3.06	2.93	2.75	137.77	129.30	114.49	1,896
Ft. William-Pt. Arthur – Manufacturing	40.5	39.6	40.3	2.44	2.38	2.36	98.68	94.43	94.90	4,823
Winnipeg – Manufacturing	40.4	40.8	40.6	1.93	1.93	1.84	78.03	78.50	74.63	28,078
Food and beverages	39.2	39.9	39.3	2.12	2.10	2.04	83.24	83.71	80.18	5,432
Meat products	41.7	40.4	40.4	2.35	2.30	2.26	98.13	93.10	91.05	2,207
Clothing (textile and fur)	38.8	39.4	39.8	1.33	1.32	1.26	51.52	51.84	50.09	4,812
Transportation equipment	40.0	41.7	40.2	2.24	2.28	2.16	89.43	95.11	86.79	6,351
Building and general engineering (m)	39.0	40.0	39.8	2.40	2.37	2.21	93.86	94.74	87.95	4,889
Service (o)	34.5	35.0	35.3	1.23	1.22	1.18	42.48	42.68	41.69	6,676
Edmonton – Manufacturing	40.4	40.3	40.0	2.15	2.13	2.08	86.86	85.71	83.25	11,614
Food and beverages	39.9	39.8	39.2	2.24	2.22	2.19	89.43	88.63	85.76	3,030
Building and general engineering (m)	40.1	39.1	39.2	2.62	2.59	2.41	104.98	101.45	94.57	5,127
Calgary – Manufacturing	40.8	40.2	40.6	2.31	2.30	2.19	94.11	92.66	89.16	8,597
Vancouver – Manufacturing	37.9	37.2	37.8	2.57	2.55	2.43	97.32	94.84	91.93	38,643
Food and beverages	36.6	34.2	35.9	2.38	2.28	2.29	87.06	78.12	82.16	5,732
Wood products	37.2	37.4	37.5	2.64	2.66	2.51	98.11	99.35	93.95	13,756
Iron and steel products	38.6	38.0	38.7	2.75	2.75	2.60	106.22	104.47	100.73	6,650
Transportation equipment	39.8	39.3	38.4	2.83	2.81	2.61	112.63	110.30	100.35	2,844
Building and general engineering (m)	37.8	37.0	37.2	3.46	3.36	3.22	130.94	124.44	119.58	7,879
Electric and motor transportation (n)	40.7	39.3	40.3	2.73	2.71	2.58	111.38	106.61	103.82	2,322
Service (o)	33.1	33.3	34.9	1.65	1.66	1.50	54.68	55.24	52.54	7,510
Victoria – Manufacturing	38.7	38.2	37.3	2.71	2.75	2.60	105.03	105.10	97.05	5,356

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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	44.1	0.69	30.47	44.5	0.76	34.04	43.7	0.61	26.57
1946	42.7	0.71	30.15	42.8	0.77	33.00	41.8	0.64	26.92
1947	42.5	0.81	34.47	42.8	0.88	37.71	42.3	0.74	31.39
1948	42.3	0.92	38.96	42.5	0.99	42.24	42.1	0.85	35.70
1949	42.2	0.99	41.74	42.4	1.07	45.28	42.0	0.91	38.18
1950	42.3	1.04	44.03	42.4	1.13	47.74	42.3	0.96	40.57
1951	41.7	1.18	49.29	41.9	1.27	53.38	41.5	1.08	45.03
1952	41.5	1.30	53.83	41.6	1.41	58.49	41.3	1.18	48.65
1953	41.3	1.36	56.25	41.7	1.48	61.55	40.9	1.23	50.51
1954	40.7	1.41	57.43	40.9	1.52	62.13	40.4	1.30	52.36
1955	41.0	1.45	59.45	41.2	1.56	64.35	40.8	1.33	54.30
1956	41.0	1.52	62.40	41.1	1.64	67.45	40.7	1.39	56.74
1957	40.4	1.61	64.96	40.5	1.73	70.15	40.2	1.47	59.17
1958	40.2	1.66	66.77	40.3	1.80	72.42	40.1	1.53	61.31
1959	40.7	1.72	70.16	41.0	1.87	76.66	40.4	1.58	63.90
1960	40.4	1.78	71.96	40.7	1.94	78.70	40.1	1.64	65.67
1961	40.6	1.83	74.27	40.9	1.99	81.36	40.3	1.68	67.87
1962	40.7	1.88	76.55	41.2	2.04	84.02	40.2	1.73	69.55
1963	40.8	1.95	79.40	41.3	2.11	87.25	40.3	1.79	71.90
1964	41.0	2.02	82.90	41.6	2.19	91.08	40.5	1.85	74.91
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(1)	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(1)	37.3	1.94	72.34	37.9	2.08	78.62	36.8	1.80	66.24
1963 - January	40.7	1.92	78.26	41.2	2.09	86.01	40.2	1.76	70.78
February	40.7	1.93	78.45	41.2	2.09	85.90	40.3	1.77	71.24
March	40.9	1.93	79.01	41.3	2.10	86.43	40.6	1.77	71.83
April	41.0	1.95	80.05	41.6	2.12	88.12	40.4	1.79	72.18
May	41.2	1.95	80.25	41.7	2.11	88.19	40.6	1.79	72.50
June	40.9	1.94	79.64	41.4	2.11	87.30	40.5	1.79	72.29
July	40.7	1.93	78.38	41.2	2.08	85.86	40.2	1.78	71.59
August	40.9	1.93	78.82	41.3	2.10	86.48	40.6	1.77	71.83
September	41.3	1.94	80.29	41.8	2.12	88.71	40.8	1.78	72.44
October	41.4	1.96	80.93	41.8	2.13	88.96	40.9	1.79	73.26
November	41.5	1.98	81.91	42.2	2.15	90.87	40.7	1.80	73.31
December(1)	38.0	2.02	76.53	38.8	2.16	83.87	37.2	1.87	69.31
1964 - January	41.2	1.99	81.99	41.7	2.16	90.10	40.6	1.82	74.04
February	41.2	1.99	82.03	41.7	2.16	89.84	40.8	1.82	74.34
March(1)	40.7	2.01	81.84	41.2	2.17	89.26	40.3	1.85	74.49
April	41.1	2.01	82.75	41.7	2.17	90.69	40.6	1.85	74.86
May	41.4	2.02	83.55	42.1	2.18	91.95	40.8	1.84	75.23
June	41.2	2.02	83.22	41.9	2.19	91.58	40.6	1.85	74.99
July	40.9	2.00	82.05	41.3	2.18	89.94	40.6	1.84	74.71
August	41.3	2.02	83.31	41.9	2.21	92.39	40.7	1.84	74.73
September	41.7	2.03	84.77	42.3	2.23	94.16	41.1	1.84	75.75
October	41.6	2.03	84.35	42.2	2.20	92.93	41.0	1.86	76.13
November	41.2	2.04	84.04	41.7	2.21	92.04	40.8	1.86	76.04
December(1)	38.8	2.08	80.65	39.3	2.23	87.77	38.2	1.92	73.36
1965 - January	41.0	2.08	85.34	41.5	2.26	93.89	40.4	1.89	76.45
February	40.6	2.08	84.48	41.0	2.26	92.57	40.2	1.89	76.16
March	41.3	2.11	87.07	42.2	2.29	96.75	40.4	1.90	76.89
April	41.1	2.11	86.96	42.0	2.30	96.45	40.2	1.92	77.03
May	41.1	2.11	86.63	41.7	2.29	95.52	40.3	1.92	77.35
June	41.2	2.11	86.89	42.0	2.28	95.90	40.5	1.92	77.51
July	40.8	2.09	85.36	41.2	2.27	93.33	40.4	1.92	77.40
August	41.1	2.09	86.01	41.6	2.27	94.46	40.7	1.91	77.74
September	41.3	2.13	87.93	41.9	2.31	96.83	40.8	1.93	78.95
October									
November									
December									

(1) 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 April 1962 and March 1964. Monthly statistics are based on data for the last pay periods of reporting establishments in each month.

TABLE 5A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Provinces

Year and month	Newfoundland			Nova Scotia			New Brunswick		
	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
	number	dollar		number	dollar		number	dollar	
1945	..	..	..	45.8	0.71	32.38	45.6	0.63	28.58
1946	..	..	..	43.4	0.69	29.86	45.2	0.65	29.19
1947	..	..	..	44.0	0.76	33.35	45.0	0.74	33.26
1948	..	..	..	43.8	0.84	36.70	44.9	0.83	37.30
1949	..	..	..	43.2	0.90	38.79	44.5	0.89	39.42
1950	44.4	1.01	44.96	43.1	0.92	39.65	44.6	0.92	40.88
1951	43.9	1.15	50.35	42.2	1.02	43.21	43.6	1.05	45.82
1952	43.3	1.25	54.23	41.6	1.15	47.80	43.0	1.13	48.68
1953	41.6	1.34	55.62	41.2	1.21	49.85	42.0	1.20	50.23
1954	42.3	1.37	58.04	40.7	1.23	50.14	41.7	1.25	52.00
1955	41.4	1.37	56.92	40.9	1.27	51.94	42.0	1.29	54.10
1956	41.5	1.42	59.01	40.9	1.34	54.72	41.8	1.36	56.74
1957	42.7	1.57	67.17	40.9	1.44	58.98	41.2	1.42	58.46
1958	39.2	1.54	60.37	40.4	1.48	59.87	41.4	1.45	59.99
1959	39.7	1.59	63.00	40.9	1.52	62.40	41.6	1.50	62.33
1960	40.3	1.64	65.94	40.8	1.57	64.13	41.4	1.55	64.21
1961	40.1	1.71	68.39	40.4	1.60	64.48	40.8	1.58	64.56
1962	39.8	1.71	67.77	40.4	1.64	66.20	40.9	1.62	66.09
1963	40.4	1.69	68.19	40.5	1.69	68.30	41.0	1.65	67.65
1964	40.3	1.76	70.78	41.1	1.75	71.97	41.3	1.71	70.52
1962 - January	39.7	1.74	69.14	40.4	1.62	65.41	40.6	1.65	67.08
February	39.5	1.75	69.07	39.1	1.65	64.49	41.6	1.68	69.62
March	42.3	1.74	73.50	40.6	1.64	66.59	41.6	1.69	70.24
April(1)	42.3	1.70	71.74	41.2	1.65	68.06	40.8	1.66	67.93
May	40.8	1.70	69.28	41.9	1.65	69.12	41.9	1.53	64.08
June	42.4	1.55	65.68	41.5	1.63	67.64	41.3	1.57	65.07
July	39.8	1.57	62.40	41.4	1.61	66.75	42.1	1.61	67.73
August	39.7	1.61	63.79	41.0	1.60	65.86	41.7	1.53	63.70
September	38.4	1.68	64.44	39.9	1.64	65.34	40.1	1.55	62.23
October	38.1	1.69	64.17	40.9	1.64	67.12	41.0	1.60	65.65
November	38.3	1.69	64.77	39.9	1.64	65.50	40.9	1.60	65.49
December(1)	36.6	2.06	75.30	37.2	1.68	62.55	37.4	1.72	64.33
1963 - January	37.9	1.79	67.87	40.1	1.69	67.75	40.6	1.65	66.93
February	36.0	1.77	63.76	39.9	1.69	67.64	40.7	1.69	68.89
March	42.0	1.67	69.93	40.7	1.69	68.99	41.6	1.70	70.71
April	42.5	1.69	71.90	41.2	1.72	70.80	41.2	1.73	71.30
May	42.9	1.60	68.74	41.6	1.67	69.60	41.7	1.59	66.27
June	46.1	1.48	68.27	41.8	1.65	69.11	41.2	1.59	65.67
July	41.2	1.54	63.28	41.2	1.65	67.93	42.0	1.60	67.10
August	39.7	1.72	68.41	40.7	1.63	66.47	40.6	1.56	63.13
September	39.8	1.70	67.76	40.9	1.67	68.45	40.6	1.62	66.05
October	39.3	1.73	67.81	41.0	1.69	69.27	41.2	1.64	67.66
November	38.3	1.75	67.03	40.8	1.70	69.30	41.8	1.68	70.18
December(1)	36.1	2.10	75.90	36.2	1.78	64.40	38.0	1.85	70.23
1964 - January	38.0	1.82	69.29	40.0	1.74	69.59	41.5	1.75	72.76
February	40.8	1.77	72.39	40.8	1.73	70.36	41.0	1.69	69.33
March(1)	42.4	1.80	76.40	40.8	1.80	73.59	40.3	1.69	68.38
April	41.8	1.74	72.93	41.4	1.74	71.83	41.6	1.72	71.60
May	39.6	1.74	68.95	41.9	1.73	72.58	41.9	1.59	66.73
June	42.4	1.55	65.81	41.5	1.72	71.32	41.7	1.68	70.03
July	42.1	1.62	68.21	41.5	1.74	72.23	43.0	1.70	72.97
August	39.6	1.73	68.24	41.7	1.73	72.03	40.2	1.64	66.07
September	39.9	1.77	70.70	41.4	1.74	71.89	40.8	1.69	69.10
October	40.3	1.76	70.98	41.4	1.76	72.98	42.5	1.74	73.90
November	38.9	1.83	71.13	41.6	1.78	74.07	41.8	1.77	74.12
December(1)	37.1	2.11	78.35	38.9	1.83	71.04	38.5	1.88	72.56
1965 - January	37.7	1.92	72.44	39.1	1.83	71.63	41.6	1.78	74.04
February	40.7	1.80	73.54	40.7	1.83	74.55	41.9	1.80	75.49
March	40.3	1.82	73.23	41.5	1.85	76.82	42.8	1.80	76.99
April	42.2	1.80	76.14	40.6	1.82	73.90	41.6	1.81	75.19
May	42.6	1.74	74.01	40.8	1.76	71.76	42.1	1.69	71.18
June	45.6	1.56	70.98	41.2	1.76	72.35	42.5	1.69	72.03
July	43.0	1.63	69.88	41.4	1.76	72.78	41.6	1.75	72.79
August	43.5	1.76	76.33	40.5	1.80	72.80	40.5	1.72	69.46
September	40.6	1.75	71.00	40.7	1.79	72.65	41.2	1.79	73.50
October									
November									
December									

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TABLE 5A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Provinces - Continued

Year and month	Quebec			Ontario			Manitoba		
	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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	45.8	0.64	29.27	43.3	0.71	30.74	43.2	0.68	29.46
1946	44.6	0.65	28.95	41.7	0.73	30.52	42.2	0.72	30.17
1947	44.2	0.74	32.53	41.8	0.85	35.53	42.1	0.80	33.60
1948	44.0	0.84	36.81	41.7	0.97	40.34	42.4	0.90	37.95
1949	43.6	0.90	39.13	41.8	1.04	43.35	42.2	0.96	40.43
1950	44.0	0.93	41.05	41.9	1.10	46.13	41.8	1.00	41.76
1951	43.3	1.06	45.81	41.1	1.25	51.54	41.3	1.14	47.08
1952	43.1	1.16	50.08	40.9	1.38	56.34	40.8	1.24	50.49
1953	42.6	1.22	52.14	40.9	1.44	58.81	40.3	1.32	53.12
1954	41.7	1.28	53.21	40.4	1.48	59.89	40.2	1.35	54.35
1955	42.2	1.30	54.94	40.7	1.53	62.15	40.2	1.38	55.36
1956	42.2	1.37	57.85	40.7	1.60	65.28	40.5	1.44	58.22
1957	41.4	1.44	59.78	40.1	1.69	67.87	40.0	1.50	59.96
1958	41.0	1.50	61.38	40.0	1.74	69.70	40.1	1.56	62.66
1959	41.5	1.54	63.97	40.6	1.82	73.79	40.4	1.65	66.52
1960	41.2	1.60	66.10	40.3	1.87	75.52	39.9	1.67	66.67
1961	41.5	1.65	68.25	40.5	1.93	78.09	39.7	1.72	68.43
1962	41.5	1.70	70.39	40.8	1.98	80.62	39.8	1.76	70.01
1963	41.5	1.75	72.69	40.9	2.05	83.84	40.0	1.80	72.23
1964	41.8	1.81	75.81	41.2	2.13	87.61	40.3	1.83	73.96
1962 - January	41.8	1.67	69.83	40.5	1.95	79.11	39.4	1.74	68.60
February	41.9	1.67	70.11	40.6	1.96	79.72	39.6	1.75	69.14
March	42.0	1.68	70.58	41.0	1.97	80.57	39.7	1.75	69.30
April(1)	41.1	1.69	69.57	40.7	1.98	80.77	39.9	1.76	70.31
May	41.7	1.70	71.03	41.2	1.99	81.97	39.6	1.76	69.51
June	41.8	1.72	71.77	41.3	1.97	81.45	40.1	1.75	70.26
July	41.6	1.70	70.70	41.1	1.96	80.78	40.2	1.78	71.45
August	42.0	1.68	70.84	41.1	1.95	80.09	40.2	1.75	70.37
September	42.5	1.69	71.98	41.6	1.97	81.92	40.6	1.76	71.48
October	42.3	1.70	71.85	41.5	1.99	82.41	40.2	1.76	70.75
November	42.0	1.70	71.43	41.4	2.00	82.72	40.0	1.77	70.64
December(1)	37.3	1.74	65.01	37.6	2.02	75.91	37.8	1.81	68.30
1963 - January	41.6	1.71	71.16	40.9	2.03	83.00	39.6	1.77	70.22
February	41.5	1.72	71.55	40.8	2.02	82.57	39.9	1.78	71.24
March	41.7	1.73	71.93	40.9	2.03	83.12	40.0	1.70	71.66
April	41.7	1.75	72.80	41.2	2.06	84.57	40.4	1.81	73.10
May	41.8	1.75	73.23	41.3	2.06	85.17	40.2	1.81	72.72
June	41.3	1.77	72.93	41.1	2.04	83.96	40.5	1.81	73.28
July	41.3	1.75	72.32	40.9	2.02	82.52	40.2	1.82	72.95
August	42.0	1.75	73.34	40.9	2.03	82.88	40.3	1.80	72.45
September	42.4	1.76	74.52	41.5	2.04	84.63	40.6	1.80	73.31
October	42.3	1.77	74.68	41.5	2.06	85.35	40.6	1.80	73.21
November	42.1	1.77	74.60	41.8	2.08	86.97	40.3	1.81	73.04
December(1)	38.0	1.81	68.95	38.4	2.11	81.00	37.6	1.84	69.21
1964 - January	42.1	1.78	74.69	41.4	2.10	86.99	40.3	1.81	73.02
February	42.1	1.78	74.91	41.2	2.10	86.73	40.7	1.81	73.89
March(1)	41.2	1.80	74.22	40.9	2.12	86.59	40.0	1.83	73.28
April	41.8	1.81	75.53	41.3	2.12	87.63	40.1	1.82	72.95
May	42.2	1.81	76.37	41.5	2.13	88.60	40.3	1.84	74.03
June	41.6	1.83	76.34	41.5	2.13	88.22	40.4	1.83	73.95
July	41.7	1.81	75.56	41.0	2.11	86.41	40.7	1.83	74.58
August	42.4	1.81	76.90	41.4	2.13	88.27	40.5	1.81	73.38
September	42.6	1.82	77.69	42.0	2.14	90.15	40.6	1.84	74.59
October	42.4	1.82	77.36	41.7	2.13	88.72	40.7	1.85	75.26
November	42.3	1.83	77.62	41.1	2.13	87.73	40.6	1.86	75.36
December(1)	38.8	1.86	72.20	39.1	2.17	85.04	38.9	1.88	73.01
1965 - January	41.9	1.85	77.23	40.9	2.20	90.19	40.3	1.87	75.39
February	41.7	1.85	77.27	40.2	2.20	88.32	40.3	1.87	75.20
March	42.0	1.86	77.92	41.6	2.24	93.16	40.2	1.88	75.49
April	41.6	1.86	77.45	41.5	2.25	93.24	40.0	1.89	75.46
May	41.6	1.87	77.92	41.3	2.24	92.48	40.6	1.90	77.39
June	41.4	1.89	78.13	41.6	2.23	92.84	40.8	1.91	77.86
July	41.5	1.87	77.61	40.8	2.21	90.21	40.6	1.92	77.80
August	42.3	1.88	79.59	41.1	2.20	90.54	40.6	1.92	78.09
September	42.2	1.90	80.25	41.5	2.24	93.14	40.6	1.93	78.35
October									
November									
December									

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TABLE 5A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Provinces - Concluded

Year and month	Saskatchewan			Alberta(p)			British Columbia(p)		
	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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	43.0	0.68	29.07	43.2	0.72	30.93	41.7	0.83	34.53
1946	41.9	0.70	29.54	42.1	0.72	30.52	40.3	0.85	34.30
1947	41.6	0.82	33.99	42.1	0.80	33.85	38.9	0.98	38.00
1948	41.5	0.93	38.64	42.2	0.92	39.04	37.9	1.10	41.73
1949	41.6	1.00	41.81	42.1	1.00	42.21	37.6	1.19	44.71
1950	41.5	1.06	43.87	41.7	1.04	43.58	37.9	1.25	47.49
1951	40.9	1.18	48.47	40.9	1.18	48.26	37.6	1.43	53.76
1952	41.2	1.30	53.64	40.4	1.31	52.96	38.0	1.58	60.15
1953	40.7	1.37	55.84	40.2	1.40	56.40	38.1	1.64	62.67
1954	40.3	1.45	58.54	40.0	1.46	58.54	38.0	1.69	64.33
1955	40.4	1.51	60.90	40.0	1.51	60.48	38.3	1.74	66.55
1956	40.0	1.57	62.92	40.1	1.57	62.96	38.0	1.81	68.88
1957	39.8	1.68	66.82	40.0	1.68	67.16	37.7	1.91	72.10
1958	39.3	1.78	70.15	40.0	1.75	70.16	37.6	2.02	75.95
1959	39.6	1.86	73.68	39.9	1.83	72.90	37.9	2.09	79.39
1960	38.9	1.90	74.02	39.5	1.89	74.76	37.6	2.17	81.69
1961	38.9	1.97	76.67	39.7	1.96	77.89	37.7	2.23	84.17
1962	38.8	2.00	77.70	39.8	1.99	79.29	37.7	2.28	86.04
1963	38.8	2.04	78.99	39.7	2.02	80.28	37.8	2.37	89.69
1964	39.2	2.09	82.07	40.1	2.08	83.30	37.9	2.47	93.68
1962 - January	38.4	2.00	76.97	39.4	1.98	78.03	37.5	2.26	84.77
February	38.4	2.00	76.90	39.7	1.98	76.62	38.1	2.26	86.23
March	39.0	2.01	78.62	39.3	1.97	77.31	38.1	2.27	86.58
April(l)	39.0	2.01	78.53	40.2	2.00	80.50	37.5	2.28	85.55
May	39.6	2.02	80.07	40.1	2.00	80.38	38.1	2.27	86.61
June	39.9	2.00	79.75	40.8	2.00	81.73	38.2	2.27	86.82
July	38.9	1.98	76.98	40.2	1.98	79.52	37.8	2.27	85.87
August	38.4	1.96	75.26	40.2	1.96	78.56	37.3	2.27	84.65
September	38.6	1.97	76.24	39.8	1.97	78.76	38.0	2.27	86.37
October	38.9	1.98	77.18	40.0	1.99	79.57	37.9	2.29	86.79
November	38.9	2.00	78.02	39.7	2.00	79.46	38.1	2.32	88.39
December(l)	38.1	2.04	77.86	38.6	2.04	78.86	35.7	2.35	84.00
1963 - January	37.6	2.05	76.84	39.2	2.00	78.50	37.7	2.34	88.38
February	38.2	2.05	78.20	39.8	2.01	80.12	38.6	2.35	90.62
March	38.7	2.03	78.59	39.5	2.02	79.62	38.8	2.35	90.39
April	38.7	2.04	78.99	39.4	2.04	80.27	38.0	2.37	90.06
May	39.1	2.02	79.17	39.6	2.03	80.22	38.2	2.35	89.92
June	39.7	2.02	80.11	40.4	2.04	82.25	38.4	2.36	90.59
July	39.2	2.03	79.48	39.5	2.02	79.93	37.7	2.36	89.07
August	39.0	2.03	79.11	40.2	2.00	80.42	37.5	2.34	87.65
September	38.7	2.02	78.22	39.4	2.01	79.28	37.5	2.37	89.03
October	39.3	2.03	79.64	40.4	2.02	81.74	38.0	2.39	90.76
November	39.5	2.03	80.42	39.9	2.04	81.27	38.4	2.42	92.69
December(l)	37.6	2.08	78.47	38.6	2.06	79.52	35.4	2.43	86.31
1964 - January	38.6	2.07	79.94	39.8	2.04	81.20	37.8	2.42	91.59
February	38.8	2.07	80.34	39.9	2.04	81.29	38.5	2.42	93.11
March(l)	39.3	2.08	81.79	39.8	2.06	82.05	38.2	2.43	92.95
April	39.3	2.09	82.05	40.1	2.08	83.16	38.0	2.43	92.37
May	39.6	2.08	82.57	40.6	2.10	85.15	38.8	2.43	94.41
June	40.1	2.09	83.79	40.0	2.08	83.08	38.1	2.45	93.49
July	38.8	2.09	80.95	40.0	2.06	82.41	37.3	2.47	92.18
August	39.1	2.07	80.99	40.5	2.08	84.07	37.2	2.47	91.80
September	39.5	2.10	82.87	39.6	2.08	82.43	37.7	2.49	93.75
October	39.8	2.09	83.26	40.8	2.10	85.90	38.5	2.52	97.13
November	38.8	2.11	82.02	40.7	2.11	85.75	38.2	2.54	96.95
December(l)	38.8	2.17	84.08	38.9	2.13	82.82	36.5	2.58	94.36
1965 - January	39.1	2.14	83.64	40.4	2.12	85.57	38.7	2.58	99.73
February	39.0	2.13	83.12	40.5	2.10	85.07	38.7	2.57	99.58
March	38.8	2.13	82.83	40.0	2.11	84.23	38.1	2.58	98.24
April	39.4	2.16	84.97	40.0	2.14	85.51	37.9	2.59	98.24
May	39.9	2.16	86.26	39.9	2.16	86.24	37.8	2.59	98.12
June	40.3	2.13	85.71	40.3	2.16	87.17	38.1	2.60	98.88
July	40.2	2.12	85.20	40.1	2.17	86.80	37.7	2.60	98.04
August	40.0	2.11	84.39	40.3	2.15	86.67	37.0	2.62	96.95
September	40.0	2.11	84.30	40.3	2.18	87.75	37.9	2.65	100.38
October									
November									
December									

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TABLE 6A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Urban Areas

Year and month	Halifax			Quebec			Three Rivers			Montreal		
	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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	45.6	0.76	34.75	46.5	0.64	29.81	47.8	0.62	29.73	44.3	0.69	30.61
1946	41.8	0.76	31.94	46.0	0.60	27.78	46.8	0.68	31.73	42.7	0.70	29.72
1947	42.9	0.82	35.09	45.5	0.68	30.94	46.9	0.78	36.46	42.1	0.78	32.75
1948	42.7	0.87	37.28	44.3	0.75	33.36	46.4	0.89	41.39	42.3	0.88	37.18
1949	42.2	0.91	38.44	43.9	0.78	34.11	46.0	0.92	42.55	42.1	0.95	39.91
1950	42.6	0.92	39.15	43.4	0.83	36.11	46.2	0.96	44.49	42.2	0.98	41.52
1951	42.9	1.04	44.40	42.1	0.94	39.57	45.6	1.12	51.16	41.8	1.11	46.23
1952	42.9	1.17	50.15	42.8	1.02	43.48	45.2	1.17	52.84	41.9	1.22	50.91
1953	42.1	1.24	52.12	42.8	1.09	46.78	44.3	1.24	55.02	41.6	1.29	53.58
1954	41.5	1.30	53.78	41.1	1.14	46.81	43.7	1.32	57.73	40.6	1.33	54.16
1955	41.3	1.35	55.67	41.1	1.19	49.03	43.5	1.37	59.73	41.1	1.36	55.85
1956	41.4	1.38	57.09	41.4	1.26	52.00	42.4	1.45	61.35	41.3	1.43	58.96
1957	41.4	1.46	60.65	40.6	1.33	54.10	41.4	1.54	63.55	40.6	1.50	61.06
1958	41.0	1.53	62.69	40.5	1.38	55.77	40.2	1.58	63.48	40.3	1.55	62.42
1959	41.1	1.61	66.24	40.7	1.44	58.72	41.3	1.63	67.55	40.7	1.60	65.06
1960	40.7	1.67	68.25	40.4	1.52	61.37	41.2	1.71	70.60	40.3	1.65	66.78
1961	40.4	1.73	70.00	40.9	1.57	64.08	41.5	1.80	74.65	40.6	1.70	69.04
1962	40.4	1.82	73.52	40.2	1.64	66.02	42.0	1.82	76.49	40.7	1.75	71.35
1963	40.4	1.89	76.49	40.9	1.74	71.01	41.8	1.86	77.73	40.6	1.81	73.33
1964	40.8	1.98	80.80	40.7	1.80	73.06	42.0	1.92	80.55	41.0	1.87	76.64
1962 - Jan.....	41.0	1.80	73.95	40.5	1.59	64.28	42.1	1.78	74.81	40.9	1.73	70.87
Feb. ...	39.3	1.83	72.02	40.5	1.59	64.51	42.1	1.77	74.61	41.2	1.73	71.52
Mar. ...	40.8	1.81	73.99	40.6	1.61	65.32	43.0	1.79	76,87	41.4	1.74	71.90
Apr.(1)	40.9	1.84	75.54	40.4	1.63	66.00	41.8	1.78	74.39	40.4	1.75	70.51
May	41.2	1.82	75.22	40.6	1.64	66.53	41.7	1.82	76.15	41.0	1.76	72.26
June ...	40.2	1.83	73.76	40.8	1.66	67.74	42.3	1.85	78.34	40.9	1.77	72.31
July ...	40.5	1.83	73.89	40.1	1.64	65.90	41.8	1.84	76.75	40.8	1.76	71.82
Aug. ...	40.3	1.81	73.05	41.0	1.65	67.54	42.1	1.83	76.81	41.3	1.75	72.38
Sept. ..	40.2	1.81	72.48	41.2	1.65	68.10	42.8	1.84	78.91	41.8	1.75	73.32
Oct. ...	40.7	1.83	74.41	41.5	1.68	69.73	43.7	1.85	80.77	41.5	1.75	72.51
Nov. ...	40.1	1.80	71.97	41.5	1.67	69.20	43.4	1.84	79.66	41.1	1.75	71.71
Dec.(1)	39.3	1.83	71.92	34.1	1.68	57.43	37.5	1.86	69.79	36.5	1.78	65.12
1963 - Jan. ...	39.9	1.86	74.21	40.2	1.68	67.49	41.2	1.81	74.55	40.9	1.77	72.33
Feb. ...	39.6	1.87	74.28	40.1	1.69	67.91	40.9	1.82	74.50	40.9	1.78	72.74
Mar. ...	40.3	1.88	75.53	40.3	1.71	68.81	41.4	1.82	75.40	41.0	1.78	72.99
Apr. ...	41.6	1.89	78.64	41.1	1.74	71.63	41.1	1.87	76.78	40.9	1.79	73.27
May	41.0	1,89	77.30	41.9	1.77	74.19	41.5	1.87	77.74	40.9	1.80	73.81
June ...	41.1	1.88	77.36	40.7	1.76	71.73	42.7	1.88	80.25	40.2	1.82	73.15
July ...	40.6	1.89	76.58	41.2	1.76	72.60	41.7	1.87	77.89	40.3	1.81	73.07
Aug. ...	40.3	1.88	75.86	41.9	1.74	72.68	42.9	1.86	79.98	41.2	1.80	74.18
Sept. ..	40.8	1.89	76.99	42.0	1.74	72.90	43.1	1.85	79.87	41.4	1.81	75.07
Oct. ...	40.9	1.91	78.23	41.6	1.73	71.98	43.3	1.85	80.37	41.5	1.82	75.54
Nov. ...	40.9	1.92	78.69	41.8	1.74	72.54	43.6	1.85	80.95	41.2	1.82	75.12
Dec.(1)	37.9	1.96	74.32	37.8	1.77	66.97	37.4	1.97	73.82	37.0	1.85	68.43
1964 - Jan. ...	39.7	1.93	76.75	41.1	1.72	70.80	42.2	1.85	78.06	41.2	1.83	75.40
Feb. ...	40.8	1.95	79.28	41.1	1.72	70.84	42.7	1.86	79.41	41.3	1.84	75.80
Mar.(1)	41.8	1.97	82.22	39.9	1.74	69.50	41.8	1.88	78.69	40.4	1.85	74.84
Apr. ...	40.3	1.92	77.50	40.9	1.80	73.38	43.5	1.91	83.08	40.9	1.86	75.96
May	41.0	1.98	81.31	40.8	1.78	72.75	43.6	1.92	83.74	41.3	1.87	77.23
June ...	40.2	1.95	78.23	40.9	1.85	75.54	42.2	1.96	82.71	40.8	1.88	76.79
July ...	41.4	2.02	83.59	40.4	1.80	72.92	42.3	1.91	80.77	40.9	1.88	76.64
Aug. ...	40.7	2.01	81.61	41.1	1.81	74.22	42.5	1.92	81.38	41.8	1.88	78.43
Sept. ..	40.5	1.99	80.53	41.1	1.82	74.61	43.1	1.93	83.21	42.1	1.88	79.26
Oct. ...	41.2	2.00	82.39	41.2	1.82	74.89	41.6	1.93	80.34	42.0	1.88	78.70
Nov. ...	41.8	2.06	85.91	40.9	1.82	74.63	41.9	1.93	80.88	41.7	1.88	78.41
Dec.(1)	39.8	2.03	80.69	38.5	1.87	72.05	37.3	1.98	73.83	37.8	1.90	71.89
1965 - Jan. ...	40.4	2.04	82.19	40.4	1.82	73.46	42.4	1.90	80.40	41.1	1.91	78.43
Feb. ...	40.2	2.01	80.60	39.4	1.85	72.81	41.1	1.90	78.19	41.3	1.91	78.86
Mar. ...	40.6	2.06	83.47	40.9	1.87	76.45	41.0	1.89	77.37	41.5	1.92	79.48
Apr. ...	41.0	2.08	85.00	40.2	1.90	76.43	41.6	1.91	79.41	41.0	1.92	78.72
May	41.3	2.03	83.59	40.4	1.93	77.96	41.9	1.93	80.73	40.8	1.93	78.82
June ...	40.7	2.03	82.79	40.5	1.90	77.06	42.1	1.95	82.13	40.5	1.95	79.14
July ...	41.2	2.06	84.60	39.2	1.84	72.11	41.6	1.94	80.89	40.8	1.94	79.09
Aug. ...	41.4	2.10	86.92	41.3	1.90	78.42	42.8	1.98	84.70	41.7	1.96	81.59
Sept. ..	40.3	2.05	82.70	41.3	1.90	78.55	42.4	2.00	84.83	41.5	1.97	81.53
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TABLE 6A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Urban Areas - Continued

Year and month	Ottawa-Hull			Toronto			Hamilton			St. Catharines		
	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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	..	..	..	41.7	0.72	30.23	43.5	0.74	31.97	..	..	..
1946	..	..	..	40.5	0.73	29.65	41.6	0.74	30.95	..	..	..
1947	..	..	..	40.4	0.85	34.26	41.9	0.88	36.91	..	..	..
1948	..	..	..	40.5	0.96	39.00	41.6	1.02	42.64	..	..	..
1949	..	..	..	40.7	1.02	41.68	41.8	1.12	46.90	..	..	..
1950	..	..	..	40.9	1.08	44.38	40.7	1.22	49.61	43.5	1.22	53.11
1951	44.5	1.11	49.51	40.5	1.24	50.18	40.0	1.38	55.20	42.8	1.42	60.86
1952	43.5	1.22	52.96	40.5	1.36	55.24	39.8	1.51	59.98	41.5	1.56	64.70
1953	42.0	1.32	55.52	40.7	1.44	58.57	39.7	1.56	62.01	40.5	1.62	65.69
1954	41.2	1.41	57.97	40.2	1.50	60.18	39.6	1.59	63.12	40.0	1.67	66.76
1955	41.3	1.46	60.42	40.4	1.52	61.51	40.3	1.64	65.99	40.8	1.74	70.83
1956	41.1	1.56	64.12	40.4	1.58	63.95	40.4	1.76	71.02	40.6	1.84	74.66
1957	40.1	1.66	66.45	40.0	1.66	66.28	40.0	1.89	75.70	39.9	1.94	77.33
1958	40.4	1.72	69.41	40.1	1.72	68.89	39.7	1.93	76.50	39.1	1.99	77.73
1959	40.9	1.79	73.31	40.5	1.75	70.74	40.6	2.06	83.66	40.4	2.08	84.00
1960	40.5	1.86	75.42	40.1	1.80	72.06	40.1	2.14	85.70	40.2	2.14	86.01
1961	40.4	1.94	78.40	40.4	1.85	74.67	40.3	2.22	89.41	40.0	2.23	89.29
1962	40.4	1.99	80.42	40.5	1.89	76.56	40.3	2.27	91.29	40.8	2.32	94.49
1963	40.4	2.06	83.41	40.6	1.96	79.60	40.2	2.32	93.22	41.0	2.41	98.64
1964	40.8	2.13	87.12	41.0	2.04	83.49	40.6	2.40	97.49	41.7	2.52	105.22
1962 - Jan. ...	40.4	1.97	79.39	40.3	1.87	75.38	40.2	2.25	90.47	40.4	2.27	91.85
Feb. ...	40.2	1.96	78.67	40.1	1.88	75.37	40.4	2.25	91.07	40.4	2.30	92.81
Mar. ...	40.6	1.96	79.61	40.6	1.89	76.68	40.5	2.25	91.40	41.3	2.31	95.18
Apr.(1)	39.9	1.96	78.34	40.2	1.89	76.03	40.1	2.26	90.60	41.8	2.32	97.10
May	40.9	1.98	80.96	40.6	1.90	77.15	41.1	2.27	93.13	41.9	2.34	98.12
June ...	40.7	1.98	80.52	41.0	1.90	77.74	40.6	2.26	91.52	41.2	2.31	95.14
July ...	40.2	1.97	79.42	41.2	1.90	78.25	40.9	2.26	92.54	40.9	2.32	94.75
Aug. ...	40.2	2.00	80.24	41.0	1.89	77.50	40.1	2.26	90.72	41.4	2.25	93.23
Sept. ..	40.6	2.02	82.08	41.6	1.90	79.14	40.7	2.27	92.34	41.1	2.30	94.38
Oct. ...	41.0	2.02	82.99	41.5	1.90	78.59	40.7	2.29	93.14	40.9	2.34	95.55
Nov. ...	40.6	2.02	82.24	41.0	1.89	77.50	40.8	2.27	92.62	41.7	2.38	99.24
Dec.(1)	39.1	2.06	80.55	36.9	1.91	70.52	37.3	2.30	85.91	36.4	2.38	86.51
1963 - Jan. ...	39.9	2.02	80.78	40.5	1.94	78.57	40.3	2.30	92.75	40.9	2.42	98.78
Feb. ...	40.1	2.03	81.52	40.5	1.94	78.61	40.1	2.30	92.34	41.2	2.40	98.86
Mar. ...	39.8	2.04	81.33	40.6	1.94	78.90	39.9	2.31	91.93	40.8	2.41	98.09
Apr. ...	40.1	2.04	81.73	40.4	1.95	78.98	40.8	2.33	95.33	41.3	2.42	99.83
May	40.4	2.04	82.58	40.9	1.97	80.33	40.8	2.33	95.24	41.9	2.43	101.86
June ...	40.7	2.06	83.97	40.9	1.96	80.05	40.3	2.31	93.04	41.2	2.41	99.16
July ...	40.4	2.05	82.71	40.7	1.97	80.00	40.4	2.30	92.99	41.7	2.38	99.25
Aug. ...	40.6	2.07	84.04	41.0	1.96	80.42	40.1	2.33	93.46	41.0	2.31	94.90
Sept. ..	41.1	2.08	85.51	41.4	1.96	81.21	40.3	2.33	93.94	41.5	2.35	97.44
Oct. ...	40.9	2.08	84.98	41.5	1.97	81.86	39.8	2.31	92.06	41.0	2.40	98.43
Nov. ...	41.4	2.10	87.02	41.2	1.97	81.10	40.3	2.33	93.76	42.0	2.47	103.89
Dec.(1)	39.3	2.15	84.36	37.7	1.99	74.88	38.7	2.37	91.71	37.5	2.49	93.48
1964 - Jan. ...	40.7	2.10	85.62	40.9	2.01	82.10	40.8	2.37	96.71	42.4	2.50	106.05
Feb. ...	40.8	2.11	85.89	41.0	2.01	82.63	40.8	2.37	96.93	41.9	2.50	104.77
Mar.(1)	40.5	2.10	85.08	40.7	2.02	82.48	40.7	2.39	96.96	40.9	2.49	102.13
Apr. ...	40.8	2.11	86.29	40.8	2.03	82.72	40.4	2.39	96.42	41.9	2.51	105.12
May	41.0	2.10	86.23	41.1	2.04	83.83	41.2	2.41	99.21	42.0	2.52	105.87
June ...	40.9	2.11	86.07	41.3	2.05	84.63	40.8	2.39	97.56	41.3	2.50	103.32
July ...	41.0	2.11	86.56	41.1	2.05	84.14	40.4	2.40	97.14	41.0	2.56	104.74
Aug. ...	40.5	2.15	87.23	41.5	2.05	85.10	40.4	2.40	97.28	42.7	2.48	105.99
Sept. ..	40.6	2.16	87.64	41.7	2.06	85.64	41.3	2.43	100.27	41.9	2.50	104.49
Oct. ...	41.4	2.18	90.08	41.6	2.04	84.92	40.8	2.41	98.37	41.0	2.47	101.37
Nov. ...	41.2	2.19	90.19	41.2	2.05	84.38	41.0	2.42	99.17	41.4	2.53	104.85
Dec.(1)	40.2	2.20	88.28	38.5	2.05	78.93	38.5	2.43	93.60	42.3	2.68	113.64
1965 - Jan. ...	40.3	2.18	87.59	40.8	2.08	84.86	40.5	2.48	100.61	42.5	2.68	113.78
Feb. ...	40.3	2.17	87.61	39.9	2.08	83.10	40.0	2.48	99.41	42.4	2.68	113.66
Mar. ...	40.9	2.17	88.95	40.7	2.10	85.43	40.4	2.49	100.88	43.0	2.69	115.89
Apr. ...	40.1	2.18	87.23	40.8	2.11	85.87	40.9	2.52	103.16	42.9	2.69	115.59
May	40.3	2.20	88.53	40.6	2.11	85.84	40.7	2.51	102.27	43.1	2.70	116.40
June ...	40.8	2.21	90.01	41.2	2.10	86.46	40.8	2.51	102.23	41.8	2.67	111.43
July ...	40.7	2.21	89.71	40.6	2.10	85.45	40.2	2.52	101.12	41.3	2.60	107.51
Aug. ...	40.2	2.27	91.21	41.3	2.10	86.61	40.2	2.54	101.97	40.8	2.63	107.28
Sept. ..	40.6	2.28	92.85	41.2	2.14	88.07	40.0	2.55	101.89	41.7	2.62	109.45
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TABLE 6A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Urban Areas - Continued

Year and month	Brantford			Kitchener			London			Windsor		
	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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	..	..	..	43.0	0.65	27.99	43.1	0.64	27.67	42.0	0.92	38.77
1946	..	..	..	40.1	0.69	27.57	41.5	0.68	28.22	38.2	0.96	36.48
1947	..	..	..	41.9	0.82	34.44	40.9	0.79	32.23	39.5	1.07	42.42
1948	..	..	..	40.8	0.91	37.01	40.9	0.91	37.10	39.6	1.20	47.36
1949	..	..	..	41.1	0.94	36.68	40.8	0.97	39.74	39.6	1.26	49.70
1950	41.1	1.10	45.37	41.2	0.99	40.87	41.1	1.05	43.11	41.4	1.33	55.02
1951	39.9	1.29	51.31	40.2	1.12	44.94	40.7	1.20	48.94	39.6	1.45	57.26
1952	40.5	1.41	57.02	41.5	1.22	50.51	40.2	1.30	52.14	38.9	1.60	62.24
1953	39.9	1.38	55.18	41.3	1.27	52.41	40.5	1.35	54.51	40.8	1.66	67.52
1954	40.2	1.42	57.16	40.6	1.31	53.29	39.7	1.38	54.67	39.8	1.68	66.96
1955	40.7	1.44	58.53	41.8	1.36	56.93	39.9	1.42	56.70	39.6	1.76	69.74
1956	40.3	1.49	59.93	42.1	1.41	59.19	40.2	1.49	59.80	38.5	1.81	69.72
1957	39.9	1.52	60.77	41.0	1.48	60.56	39.6	1.56	61.97	37.2	1.89	70.27
1958	39.6	1.61	63.84	40.7	1.51	61.50	39.5	1.63	64.35	38.2	1.94	73.99
1959	39.8	1.71	68.11	41.8	1.58	66.25	39.6	1.69	67.03	39.8	2.09	83.15
1960	39.0	1.74	67.92	40.7	1.65	67.23	39.8	1.73	68.62	39.7	2.14	84.83
1961	39.6	1.80	71.22	41.1	1.68	69.13	39.9	1.80	71.70	40.0	2.21	88.38
1962	39.8	1.83	72.68	41.4	1.71	70.87	39.9	1.86	74.14	41.2	2.29	94.14
1963	40.3	1.95	78.74	41.2	1.76	72.71	40.0	1.93	77.17	42.6	2.39	102.04
1964	40.2	2.02	81.28	41.4	1.83	75.83	40.6	2.01	81.62	42.8	2.52	107.74
1962 - Jan. ...	38.8	1.82	70.57	41.2	1.68	69.48	39.9	1.83	72.97	40.6	2.24	91.18
Feb. ...	39.4	1.81	71.46	41.0	1.70	69.45	40.0	1.83	73.33	41.0	2.22	90.84
Mar. ...	40.2	1.82	73.14	41.4	1.70	70.37	40.2	1.84	73.99	41.7	2.24	93.49
Apr.(1)	40.1	1.82	73.10	40.9	1.70	69.62	39.3	1.84	72.14	41.2	2.29	94.60
May	40.0	1.83	73.40	41.7	1.72	71.64	40.2	1.87	75.02	42.2	2.29	96.87
June ...	40.6	1.78	72.32	42.5	1.73	73.50	40.4	1.87	75.67	42.2	2.27	95.90
July ...	40.2	1.82	73.10	41.0	1.72	70.55	39.9	1.87	74.37	40.2	2.28	91.63
Aug. ...	40.2	1.75	70.33	41.8	1.70	71.23	40.2	1.87	75.20	40.9	2.30	94.12
Sept. ..	40.1	1.82	72.92	42.4	1.73	73.21	41.2	1.87	77.26	40.1	2.28	91.39
Oct. ...	40.7	1.84	74.93	42.5	1.73	73.29	40.4	1.87	75.65	42.4	2.32	98.37
Nov. ...	40.3	1.87	75.24	42.3	1.72	72.56	40.2	1.88	75.36	43.2	2.38	102.84
Dec.(1)	37.2	1.92	71.64	38.0	1.73	65.57	36.4	1.89	68.66	38.3	2.31	88.47
1963 - Jan. ...	40.0	1.93	77.18	41.6	1.74	72.19	39.6	1.89	74.90	40.6	2.33	94.61
Feb. ...	41.6	2.00	82.94	41.3	1.74	71.68	39.9	1.90	76.02	40.3	2.33	93.84
Mar. ...	40.1	1.97	79.16	41.8	1.75	73.29	40.0	1.92	76.85	42.4	2.36	99.98
Apr. ...	40.6	2.00	81.21	42.0	1.76	74.05	39.8	1.92	76.37	43.3	2.41	104.33
May	40.1	1.97	79.10	41.7	1.77	73.79	40.3	1.94	78.02	43.6	2.39	104.23
June ...	40.7	1.94	79.14	41.5	1.76	73.07	40.9	1.93	79.07	41.9	2.32	97.32
July ...	40.7	1.96	79.51	40.9	1.76	71.96	40.4	1.94	78.22	42.4	2.26	95.74
Aug. ...	41.3	1.85	76.62	41.3	1.75	72.19	40.3	1.94	78.09	42.0	2.35	98.50
Sept. ..	40.0	1.92	76.71	41.9	1.78	74.55	40.6	1.95	79.05	42.6	2.38	101.22
Oct. ...	40.5	1.95	79.16	41.8	1.79	74.77	40.9	1.95	79.67	44.4	2.45	108.75
Nov. ...	40.3	1.96	79.03	42.1	1.80	75.80	40.8	1.95	79.56	45.5	2.52	114.66
Dec.(1)	37.6	2.00	75.22	37.0	1.76	65.06	35.9	1.94	69.64	42.2	2.53	106.83
1964 - Jan. ...	40.4	2.02	81.86	41.8	1.81	75.57	40.2	1.98	79.49	42.6	2.45	104.45
Feb. ...	40.3	2.02	81.29	41.7	1.81	74.45	40.2	1.98	79.68	41.3	2.43	100.11
Mar.(1)	39.9	2.02	80.50	41.5	1.82	75.48	39.8	1.98	78.82	41.8	2.44	102.10
Apr. ...	40.5	2.03	82.19	41.5	1.83	75.89	40.7	2.01	82.04	43.7	2.49	108.95
May	40.8	2.04	83.29	41.3	1.83	75.69	41.2	2.02	83.41	44.3	2.53	111.97
June ...	40.3	2.02	81.32	41.6	1.84	76.56	41.8	2.03	84.57	43.5	2.51	109.08
July ...	40.5	1.98	80.01	41.2	1.84	75.83	41.1	2.01	82.60	40.9	2.55	104.23
Aug. ...	40.0	1.97	78.78	41.9	1.83	76.70	41.0	2.03	83.11	44.5	2.57	114.45
Sept. ..	41.2	1.99	82.01	41.9	1.85	77.56	41.1	2.04	83.75	45.7	2.63	120.00
Oct. ...	41.2	2.04	84.02	41.8	1.84	76.78	40.9	2.04	83.20	45.3	2.61	118.34
Nov. ...	40.4	2.05	82.80	41.8	1.85	77.26	40.5	2.02	81.90	41.0	2.49	102.26
Dec.(1)	37.3	2.07	77.24	38.4	1.85	71.18	37.9	2.01	76.00	38.4	2.47	94.98
1965 - Jan. ...	39.9	2.10	83.85	41.5	1.87	77.44	39.2	2.03	79.84	34.4	2.56	88.14
Feb. ...	40.1	2.23	89.24	41.1	1.89	77.65	38.8	2.05	79.68	35.3	2.54	89.59
Mar. ...	40.9	2.27	92.87	41.5	1.90	78.60	40.1	2.07	82.90	46.9	2.81	131.84
Apr. ...	40.6	2.23	90.68	41.5	1.90	79.10	39.8	2.07	82.41	45.9	2.69	123.56
May	40.3	2.24	90.13	41.3	1.90	78.66	40.4	2.07	83.76	43.6	2.67	116.67
June ...	40.8	2.23	91.03	42.4	1.91	80.80	40.5	2.08	84.10	45.3	2.68	121.19
July ...	40.6	2.23	90.59	41.7	1.92	79.93	40.1	2.10	84.02	39.4	2.65	104.53
Aug. ...	40.2	2.17	86.93	41.7	1.91	79.92	40.5	2.11	85.51	41.1	2.65	108.73
Sept. ..	39.8	2.19	87.13	41.8	1.95	81.66	41.0	2.13	87.31	45.9	2.69	123.46
Oct. ...												
Nov. ...												
Dec. ...												

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TABLE 6A. Average Hours and Earnings of Hourly-Rated Wage-Earners, Manufacturing, Urban Areas - Concluded

Year and month	Winnipeg			Edmonton			Calgary			Vancouver		
	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
	number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars		number	dollars	
1945	43.0	0.68	29.33	42.7	0.69	29.42	43.8	0.76	33.11	41.1	0.85	34.77
1946	41.9	0.71	29.92	41.6	0.73	30.33	42.4	0.76	32.44	39.4	0.85	33.41
1947	41.7	0.79	33.11	41.2	0.80	33.12	41.9	0.86	36.03	38.6	0.96	37.21
1948	42.1	0.89	37.47	41.4	0.92	38.17	41.9	0.98	41.06	37.6	1.08	40.61
1949	42.0	0.96	40.03	41.7	1.00	41.78	42.1	1.06	44.54	37.1	1.17	43.33
1950	41.5	0.99	41.19	41.5	1.05	43.66	41.3	1.10	45.47	37.3	1.23	46.03
1951	40.9	1.13	46.11	40.3	1.18	47.47	40.6	1.26	51.07	37.2	1.40	52.19
1952	40.4	1.22	49.39	40.4	1.31	53.02	39.8	1.40	55.92	37.6	1.56	58.47
1953	40.0	1.30	52.12	40.0	1.41	56.52	39.9	1.50	59.89	37.8	1.62	61.20
1954	40.0	1.34	53.40	40.2	1.47	59.21	39.7	1.54	61.14	37.8	1.67	63.09
1955	39.9	1.36	54.06	40.5	1.52	61.36	39.2	1.58	61.74	38.0	1.70	64.50
1956	40.3	1.41	56.82	40.7	1.57	63.90	39.6	1.63	64.67	37.9	1.77	67.23
1957	39.8	1.48	58.82	40.2	1.68	67.54	39.3	1.73	67.95	37.5	1.88	70.59
1958	40.1	1.54	61.91	40.1	1.75	70.30	39.8	1.79	71.20	37.4	1.97	73.72
1959	40.5	1.63	65.93	40.2	1.82	73.46	39.8	1.89	75.43	37.9	2.04	77.36
1960	40.0	1.66	66.51	39.9	1.89	75.46	39.0	1.96	76.63	37.2	2.12	78.93
1961	39.8	1.72	68.36	40.0	1.96	78.35	39.7	2.02	80.12	37.4	2.17	81.30
1962	39.7	1.76	69.79	39.8	2.00	79.87	39.9	2.06	82.22	37.4	2.23	83.31
1963	39.9	1.80	71.73	39.6	2.02	79.91	39.5	2.12	83.80	37.7	2.31	87.28
1964	40.3	1.83	73.77	40.0	2.06	82.47	40.1	2.19	87.68	37.7	2.41	90.76
1962 - Jan. ...	39.5	1.74	68.49	39.9	1.98	78.84	38.5	2.06	77.46	37.2	2.20	81.75
Feb. ...	39.6	1.74	69.09	39.9	1.98	78.83	39.0	2.05	80.10	37.8	2.20	83.09
Mar. ...	39.9	1.74	69.52	39.9	1.98	79.04	39.4	2.05	80.91	38.0	2.21	83.86
Apr.(1)	40.0	1.76	70.35	40.2	2.01	80.75	40.1	2.06	82.50	37.6	2.21	83.16
May	39.6	1.76	69.61	40.4	2.01	81.02	40.0	2.06	82.59	38.2	2.22	84.93
June ...	40.1	1.75	70.43	40.7	2.01	81.77	41.1	2.06	84.56	38.0	2.23	84.63
July ...	40.2	1.77	71.29	40.2	2.01	80.89	40.5	2.06	83.50	37.1	2.23	82.90
Aug. ...	40.1	1.75	70.12	39.8	1.99	79.48	40.6	2.05	83.37	36.7	2.22	81.56
Sept. ..	40.5	1.75	70.70	40.0	2.01	80.38	40.5	2.05	83.19	37.8	2.23	84.35
Oct. ...	39.9	1.76	69.98	39.7	2.00	79.31	40.2	2.06	82.74	37.4	2.23	83.54
Nov. ...	39.8	1.76	70.07	39.4	2.01	79.10	39.9	2.06	82.28	37.8	2.25	85.10
Dec.(1)	37.7	1.80	67.79	38.6	2.05	79.08	39.0	2.10	81.67	35.6	2.27	80.90
1963 - Jan. ...	39.4	1.77	69.76	39.6	1.99	78.66	38.4	2.08	79.65	37.6	2.28	85.90
Feb. ...	39.8	1.77	70.60	39.7	2.00	79.67	39.3	2.10	82.51	38.2	2.30	87.72
Mar. ...	39.9	1.78	70.97	39.5	2.02	79.65	39.0	2.10	82.02	38.7	2.29	88.61
Apr. ...	40.0	1.79	71.87	39.8	2.02	80.18	38.3	2.13	81.48	38.0	2.30	87.62
May	40.1	1.79	72.01	39.5	2.01	79.26	39.4	2.12	83.56	38.3	2.31	88.39
June ...	40.4	1.80	72.71	40.0	2.03	81.35	40.7	2.13	86.62	38.3	2.33	89.14
July ...	39.9	1.82	72.49	39.6	2.02	79.87	39.0	2.13	83.14	37.4	2.32	86.85
Aug. ...	40.2	1.80	72.23	40.3	2.00	80.77	39.9	2.12	84.60	37.3	2.30	85.92
Sept. ..	40.7	1.79	72.98	39.8	2.02	80.29	40.6	2.12	86.20	37.1	2.33	86.33
Oct. ...	40.6	1.80	73.01	39.9	2.03	81.11	40.7	2.12	86.29	37.7	2.33	87.96
Nov. ...	40.4	1.81	73.03	39.7	2.03	80.65	40.0	2.13	85.05	38.2	2.35	89.65
Dec.(1)	37.6	1.83	68.74	37.6	2.05	77.18	38.9	2.16	84.05	35.4	2.35	83.12
1964 - Jan. ...	40.3	1.81	72.88	39.8	2.02	80.56	39.5	2.15	85.09	37.6	2.35	88.36
Feb. ...	40.8	1.81	73.81	39.7	2.03	80.70	39.4	2.14	84.34	38.1	2.34	89.24
Mar.(1)	40.0	1.83	72.94	39.8	2.05	81.60	39.6	2.16	85.61	38.2	2.36	90.20
Apr. ...	40.1	1.81	72.54	40.4	2.04	82.43	39.8	2.18	86.77	38.1	2.37	90.35
May	40.2	1.83	73.60	40.3	2.06	83.14	40.9	2.19	89.36	38.7	2.38	92.03
June ...	40.3	1.83	73.65	40.0	2.06	82.41	40.4	2.15	86.95	38.4	2.40	92.36
July ...	40.7	1.84	74.76	40.2	2.05	82.62	39.3	2.17	85.41	36.7	2.41	88.44
Aug. ...	40.6	1.82	74.15	40.5	2.07	83.92	40.6	2.20	89.19	37.0	2.42	89.51
Sept. ..	40.6	1.84	74.63	40.0	2.08	83.25	40.6	2.19	89.16	37.8	2.43	91.93
Oct. ...	40.5	1.85	74.81	40.5	2.08	84.38	41.0	2.22	90.98	38.1	2.46	93.61
Nov. ...	40.3	1.86	74.86	40.5	2.08	84.06	41.0	2.23	91.49	38.0	2.46	93.47
Dec.(1)	38.9	1.86	72.44	38.5	2.08	80.15	38.9	2.25	87.46	36.1	2.48	89.34
1965 - Jan. ...	40.1	1.87	74.81	40.3	2.08	83.84	40.4	2.25	90.64	38.3	2.49	95.26
Feb. ...	40.1	1.86	74.82	40.2	2.07	83.15	40.3	2.24	90.31	38.1	2.49	95.09
Mar. ...	40.0	1.88	75.10	40.2	2.07	83.18	39.7	2.24	88.85	37.8	2.50	94.46
Apr. ...	39.9	1.88	75.18	40.3	2.09	83.95	39.6	2.26	89.39	38.0	2.50	95.08
May	40.6	1.90	77.04	40.3	2.11	85.29	39.8	2.28	90.74	38.1	2.52	96.23
June ...	40.7	1.91	77.48	40.4	2.13	85.86	40.3	2.26	91.25	38.3	2.53	96.83
July ...	40.5	1.92	77.79	40.6	2.14	86.66	39.8	2.31	91.87	37.4	2.54	94.98
Aug. ...	40.8	1.93	78.50	40.3	2.13	85.71	40.2	2.30	92.66	37.2	2.55	94.86
Sept. ..	40.4	1.93	78.03	40.4	2.15	86.86	40.8	2.31	94.11	37.9	2.57	97.32
Oct. ...												
Nov. ...												
Dec. ...												

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TABLE 7. Index Numbers of Average Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing, Canada, 1950-65

(1949=100)

Last week in	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
	Manufacturing															
January	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	194.4	201.4	210.7
February	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	194.7	201.1	210.3
March	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	195.3	203.0	213.0
April	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	197.4	203.3	213.8
May	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	197.2	203.8	213.3
June	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	196.6	204.2	213.0
July	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	194.7	202.7	211.6
August	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	194.8	204.0	211.5
September ...	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	196.7	205.7	215.0
October	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	197.9	205.0	
November	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	199.7	206.2	
December	110.2	128.5	135.5	142.0	144.4	149.1	159.8	167.6	172.9	179.6	184.5	189.9	195.9	203.7	210.1	
Average ...	105.4	119.6	131.2	137.8	142.6	146.5	154.0	162.5	168.0	174.4	180.2	185.1	190.2	197.0	204.2	
	Durable goods															
January	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	195.6	202.3	211.8
February	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	195.4	201.9	211.3
March	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	196.2	202.9	214.9
April	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	198.3	203.6	214.9
May	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	197.9	204.5	214.3
June	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	197.2	204.9	214.0
July	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	195.0	203.8	212.2
August	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	196.3	206.6	212.8
September ...	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	198.5	208.3	216.5
October	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	199.2	206.1	
November	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	201.5	206.9	
December	109.6	127.7	135.3	140.5	143.3	147.6	158.5	166.8	172.4	179.6	184.5	189.4	194.3	202.3	208.9	
Average ...	105.4	119.3	131.6	138.1	142.1	146.2	153.7	162.3	168.3	175.1	181.1	186.4	191.0	197.8	205.1	
	Non-durable goods															
January	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	193.5	200.4	208.3
February	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	194.4	200.6	208.4
March	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	194.8	203.3	209.1
April	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	196.4	203.0	210.8
May	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	196.5	202.9	210.9
June	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	196.5	203.4	210.7
July	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	195.7	202.6	210.8
August	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	194.8	202.0	210.2
September ...	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	195.5	202.9	212.8
October	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	197.0	204.2	
November	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	197.9	205.1	
December	110.6	128.5	134.0	142.0	145.5	150.2	160.0	167.9	174.0	180.0	185.9	191.2	197.9	205.2	210.9	
Average ...	105.4	119.4	129.6	135.8	142.6	146.4	153.2	161.9	168.1	174.0	180.2	185.3	190.2	196.5	203.4	

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

Month	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
January	144.4	158.2	165.0	167.8	173.3	177.3	182.8	185.8	189.2	197.8
February	146.1	157.7	165.1	167.3	175.0	177.5	182.1	185.4	190.7	197.3
March	146.8	158.0	164.9	170.1	175.3	178.1	183.0	186.1	190.9	199.2
April	148.7	157.5	165.6	170.6	177.0	179.6	182.9	187.1	193.7	200.4
May	150.4	159.4	165.1	171.9	176.4	179.0	184.2	188.8	194.2	201.0
June	151.2	160.7	165.9	172.0	177.9	179.6	185.2	188.6	195.5	201.3
July	152.1	162.3	167.8	173.5	178.8	179.2	184.4	188.2	198.4	202.1
August	151.2	160.1	164.5	170.5	177.7	178.9	184.6	188.4	197.2	200.9
September	153.5	161.5	166.1	171.9	178.1	179.9	186.4	191.8	198.0	202.7
October	155.5	162.6	165.6	171.6	176.4	179.7	184.6	191.6	197.5	
November	154.2	162.9	165.7	171.6	176.9	182.4	184.6	191.2	196.2	
December	156.1	163.8	168.2	172.1	176.4	181.2	182.5	190.1	198.5	

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	30.47	73.0	40.63	97.3
1946	30.15	72.2	38.70	92.7
1947	34.47	82.6	40.08	96.0
1948	38.96	93.3	39.96	95.7
1949	41.74	100.0	41.74	100.0
1950	44.03	105.5	42.54	101.9
1951	49.29	118.1	43.01	103.0
1952	53.83	129.0	46.33	111.0
1953	56.25	134.8	48.70	116.7
1954	57.43	137.6	49.42	118.4
1955	59.45	142.4	51.07	122.4
1956	62.40	149.5	52.70	126.3
1957	64.96	155.6	53.20	127.4
1958	66.77	160.0	53.30	127.7
1959	70.16	168.1	55.42	132.8
1960	71.96	172.4	56.14	134.5
1961	74.27	177.9	57.47	137.7
1962	76.55	183.4	58.47	140.1
1963	79.40	190.2	59.61	142.8
1964	82.90	198.6	61.14	146.5
1964 - January	81.99	196.4	60.96	146.0
February	82.03	196.5	60.94	146.0
March	81.84	196.1	60.62	145.2
April	82.75	198.3	61.30	146.9
May	83.55	200.2	61.75	147.9
June	83.22	199.4	61.10	146.4
July	82.05	196.6	60.29	144.4
August	83.31	199.6	61.44	147.2
September	84.77	203.1	62.51	149.8
October	84.35	202.1	62.07	148.7
November	84.04	201.3	61.43	147.2
December	80.65	193.2	58.91	141.1
1965 - January	85.34	204.5	62.20	149.0
February	84.48	202.4	61.53	147.4
March	87.07	208.6	63.23	151.5
April	86.96	208.3	63.01	151.0
May	86.63	207.5	62.32	149.3
June	86.89	208.2	62.29	149.2
July	85.36	204.5	61.23	146.7
August	86.01	206.1	61.86	148.2
September	87.93	210.7	63.15	151.3
October				
November				
December				

Notes: 1. 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.

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

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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 cooperating 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 forgoing 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.