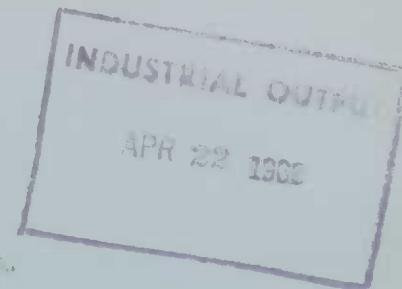


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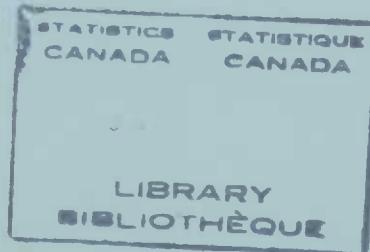
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(1) 1965 and 1966 are subject to revision.

NOTE TO USERS

Preliminary estimates of hours and earnings data for February 1968 are now available at the industry division level of detail. The table appearing at the bottom of page 7 in this publication provides data for February and January 1968 and February 1967.

The estimates are based on early returns and are subject to two further revisions as more data become available. Details of the estimating procedure may be obtained by contacting the Employment Section, Labour Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

While estimates for complete industry and area detail are not yet available, these figures should indicate movements in the main series.

MAN-HOURS AND HOURLY EARNINGS

JANUARY 1968

Summary

Average weekly wages in manufacturing were \$2.56 higher in January than in December, as a result of a 1.2 hour increase in average weekly hours, following short-time in December, which more than offset a one cent decline in average hourly earnings. Compared with January, 1967, average weekly hours were 0.2 hours lower and average hourly earnings were 16 cents higher.

In mining, average weekly wages were \$4.40 higher in January than in December, reflecting both a 1.2 hour increase in average weekly hours and a 2 cent increase in average hourly earnings. In the year-over-year comparison, average weekly hours were 0.3 hours lower and average hourly earnings were 23 cents higher.

In construction, average weekly wages were \$23.22 higher in January than in December, as both the building and engineering components recorded large increases in hours and hourly earnings following short-time last month associated with the year-end holidays. Compared with December, average weekly hours were 6.4 hours higher and average hourly earnings were 7 cents higher. In the year-over-year comparison, average weekly hours were 1.2 hours lower and average hourly earnings 14 cents higher.

The footnotes to the first two tables below indicate some of the main factors underlying the larger variations from last month in average weekly hours and average hourly earnings. The third table gives preliminary estimates for February 1968.

Changes from last month in Selected Series of Average Weekly Hours, January 1968

Industry	Canada	Atlantic Region	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Region	British Columbia
(number)						
Mining	1.2	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.5
Manufacturing	1.2	2.4	2.0	0.7	1.2	1.0
Durables	0.5	2.2	1.6	- 0.3	1.8	1.3
Wood Products	2.1	3.7(2)	2.4	2.3	2.4	1.6
Primary Metal	0.8	- 0.1	1.2	0.7	1.0	0.8
Metal Fabricating	2.2	0.9	2.4	2.3	2.2	0.9
Transportation Equipment	- 3.8	0.9	- 0.6	- 5.5(3)	1.5	1.8
Electrical Products	1.5	--(1)	1.8	1.2	--(1)	--(1)
Non-Durables	1.9	2.5	2.1	2.0	0.6	0.6
Food and Beverages	1.2	4.4(4)	1.1	0.8	0.3	0.1
Textiles	1.7	--(1)	1.3	1.9	--(1)	--(1)
Clothing	4.1	--(1)	4.0(5)	4.8(5)	2.6	--(1)
Paper Products	1.0	- 1.0	1.7	1.2	--(1)	1.0
Construction	6.4(5)	7.0	3.2	7.5	7.3	6.7
Building	7.0	8.2	4.8	8.1	7.2	5.6
Engineering	5.1	4.4	- 0.9(6)	5.9	7.7	8.4

(1) Relatively few employees in this region.

(2) In saw, shingle and planing mills; seasonal.

(3) Industrial dispute in motor vehicles assembling.

(4) Short-time last month in fish products.

(5) Increases in all components following short-time in December.

(6) Short-time in other engineering offsetting increases in other components.

Note: Statistics are based on returns from employers having 20 or more employees in any month of the year. These returns include data for the last pay period(s) of reporting establishments in each month. The latest figures throughout this publication are subject to revision.

TABLE 1. Summary Statistics of Average Hours and Average Earnings of Hourly-rated Wage-earners

Industry division and area	Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings			Average weekly wages			Wage-earners reported January 1968
	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967	Jan. 1967	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967	Jan. 1967	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967	Jan. 1967	
	number			dollars						
<u>INDUSTRY DIVISION</u>										
Mining, including milling	42.2	41.0	42.5	2.99	2.97	2.76	126.30	121.90	117.11	77,847
Manufacturing	39.9	38.7	40.1	2.49	2.50	2.33	99.34	96.78	93.26	995,890
Durable goods	40.1	39.6	40.2	2.67	2.67	2.50	107.14	105.78	100.46	499,367
Non-durable goods	39.7	37.8	40.0	2.30	2.32	2.15	91.50	87.65	85.82	496,523
Construction	39.6	33.2	40.8	3.24	3.17	3.10	128.46	105.24	126.53	153,419
Other industries	41.1	41.4	42.1	3.09	3.09	2.79	127.19	127.86	117.41	17,800
Urban transit	40.0	38.7	38.0	2.39	2.33	2.14	95.44	90.17	81.40	32,416
Highway and bridge maintenance	38.3	37.7	38.0	1.45	1.43	1.37	55.42	54.01	51.97	15,301
Laundries, cleaners and pressers	33.4	33.1	34.3	1.45	1.45	1.36	48.53	47.99	46.50	75,507
<u>MANUFACTURING</u>										
<u>Region and Province</u>										
Atlantic Region	40.3	37.9	40.4	2.07	2.12	1.97	83.40	80.37	79.48	46,251
Newfoundland	40.1	37.0	39.6	2.15	2.43	2.15	86.18	90.10	85.10	7,504
Nova Scotia	39.7	37.0	39.8	2.04	2.02	1.91	80.93	74.69	75.86	21,381
New Brunswick	41.1	39.4	41.6	2.10	2.15	1.98	86.10	84.62	82.45	16,524
Quebec	40.9	38.9	41.4	2.24	2.24	2.09	91.73	87.26	86.63	307,280
Ontario	39.7	39.0	39.7	2.60	2.62	2.44	103.17	102.02	96.66	508,083
Prairie Region	39.3	38.1	39.3	2.41	2.40	2.22	94.52	91.58	87.18	61,031
Manitoba	39.4	37.9	39.3	2.22	2.21	2.05	87.51	83.89	80.63	27,672
Saskatchewan	39.3	39.3	38.9	2.64	2.62	2.36	103.54	103.02	91.80	7,150
Alberta	39.2	38.0	39.3	2.54	2.53	2.37	99.47	96.41	93.21	26,209
British Columbia	37.7	36.7	37.9	3.15	3.15	2.92	118.77	115.33	110.59	73,211
CANADA	39.9	38.7	40.1	2.49	2.50	2.33	99.34	96.78	93.26	995,890
<u>Urban Area(1)</u>										
St. John's	41.5	40.7	42.4	1.90	1.92	1.67	78.79	78.13	70.97	1,642
Halifax	40.5	36.8	39.7	2.43	2.29	2.11	98.61	84.06	83.97	4,483
Sydney	39.7	39.3	38.6	2.46	2.48	2.69	97.43	97.44	103.66	3,518
Moncton	39.0	39.2	40.2	1.97	2.01	1.82	76.90	78.75	73.30	1,216
Saint John	41.1	41.0	40.8	2.40	2.39	2.17	98.74	97.91	88.69	4,313
Montreal	40.3	38.1	40.8	2.30	2.29	2.13	92.64	87.12	86.94	166,609
Quebec	39.8	38.9	39.3	2.12	2.15	2.05	84.44	83.71	80.62	13,145
Shawinigan	40.5	38.8	41.5	2.50	2.52	2.41	101.23	97.66	99.89	6,055
Sherbrooke	42.4	39.6	43.6	2.00	2.00	1.87	84.89	79.32	81.41	6,980
Trois Rivières	39.5	39.2	41.8	2.40	2.37	2.27	94.50	93.13	95.00	8,890
Ottawa-Hull	38.9	38.4	40.1	2.63	2.63	2.43	102.28	101.00	97.41	11,431
Bellefontaine	39.9	37.5	40.7	2.11	2.11	1.97	84.04	79.09	80.20	4,900
Brampton	40.4	38.4	40.2	2.53	2.45	2.34	102.24	93.88	94.08	9,075
Brantford	39.2	37.4	39.6	2.55	2.54	2.42	100.15	94.96	95.66	10,312
Fort William-Port Arthur	38.9	38.5	40.2	2.89	2.90	2.73	112.20	111.85	109.86	4,614
Guelph	40.0	37.3	40.2	2.40	2.39	2.19	95.90	89.06	89.19	6,414
Hamilton	40.1	38.9	39.9	2.87	2.87	2.72	115.11	111.75	108.50	46,005
Kingston	40.7	41.3	40.4	2.63	2.94	2.51	107.22	121.52	101.29	4,938
Kitchener	40.8	37.8	40.1	2.31	2.29	2.12	94.02	86.61	85.06	29,366
London	39.3	38.7	40.2	2.47	2.44	2.31	97.08	94.26	92.77	13,883
Niagara Falls	39.3	40.0	40.5	2.70	2.76	2.55	106.31	110.31	103.05	3,743
Oshawa	30.4	39.9	26.5	3.02	3.04	2.83	91.85	121.47	74.99	18,594
Peterborough	39.9	40.1	40.3	2.94	2.91	2.69	117.52	116.68	108.58	5,934
Sarnia	41.1	40.5	41.3	3.41	3.35	3.21	140.19	135.52	132.60	6,153
St. Catharines	40.4	41.5	39.9	3.01	3.09	2.88	121.80	128.07	114.77	16,001
Toronto	40.5	38.6	40.4	2.51	2.49	2.37	101.48	96.26	95.80	169,814
Welland	40.1	36.7	41.0	3.01	2.99	2.86	120.57	109.71	117.34	9,552
Windsor	33.9	44.6	38.4	3.00	3.05	2.90	101.56	136.11	111.28	25,460
Winnipeg	39.0	37.7	39.1	2.17	2.16	2.01	84.91	81.61	78.49	23,387
Regina	39.7	39.8	39.9	2.83	2.80	2.50	112.05	111.27	99.54	2,534
Saskatoon	38.6	39.1	38.5	2.64	2.61	2.32	101.75	102.02	89.34	2,242
Calgary	38.5	38.5	39.2	2.66	2.64	2.48	102.36	101.66	97.32	7,702
Edmonton	39.7	37.6	39.6	2.49	2.51	2.34	98.82	94.43	92.54	11,297
Vancouver	37.1	36.3	37.5	3.02	3.00	2.79	112.14	108.73	104.62	37,243
Victoria	37.1	36.8	40.4	3.17	3.15	3.00	117.63	115.94	121.10	4,167

(1) For other urban areas see Table 4.

Changes from last month in Selected Series of Average Hourly Earnings, January 1968

Industry	Canada	Atlantic Region	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Region	British Columbia
(cents)						
Mining	2	2	4(2)	0	0	1
Manufacturing	- 1	- 5	0	- 2	1	0
Durables	0	- 1	3	- 1	4	1
Wood Products	1	2	2	4	8(3)	- 1
Primary Metal	- 2	- 1	1	- 5(4)	0	5
Metal Fabricating	5	6	4	5	7	- 2
Transportation Equipment	- 1	6(5)	8(6)	- 3(7)	2	2
Electrical Products	2	--(1)	4	3	--(1)	--(1)
Non-Durables	- 2	- 8	- 1	- 1	- 3	1
Food and Beverages	- 1	- 3(8)	1	1	0	- 1
Textiles	- 4	--(1)	1	- 11(9)	--(1)	--(1)
Clothing	4	--(1)	4	5	1	--(1)
Paper Products	2	0	1	2	--(1)	3
Construction	7	10	4	9	13	- 6
Building	6	6	9	7	8	- 5(10)
Engineering	9	19	- 10(11)	6	21(12)	- 9(13)

- (1) Relatively few employees in this region.
- (2) Some overtime payments in metals, some wage increases in non-metals except fuels.
- (3) Some overtime payments.
- (4) Bonus payments for holidays last month in smelting and refining.
- (5) Overtime payments.
- (6) Wage increases in aircraft and parts.
- (7) Industrial dispute in motor vehicles assembling, where wages are above the industry average.
- (8) Increases in employment in fish products where wages are lower than the industry average.
- (9) Industrial dispute in miscellaneous textiles where wages are higher, increase in employment in employment in cotton yarn and cloth where wages are below the industry average.
- (10) Mainly in general contractors.
- (11) In other engineering.
- (12) Overtime payments in other engineering.
- (13) In both components.

Preliminary estimates of hours and earnings data for February 1968 are now available at the industry division level of detail. These estimates are based on early returns and are subject to two further revisions as more data become available. While complete industry and area detail is not yet available, these figures should indicate movements in the main series.

	Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings			Average Weekly Wages		
	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.	Feb.	Jan.	Feb.
	1968	1968	1967	1968	1968	1967	1968	1968	1967
	Number			dollars			dollars		
Manufacturing	40.4	39.9	40.2	2.49	2.49	2.35	100.53	99.34	94.23
Durables	40.9	40.1	40.3	2.67	2.67	2.52	109.30	107.14	101.45
Non-durables	39.9	39.7	40.0	2.31	2.30	2.17	92.14	91.50	86.74
Mining	42.3	42.2	42.7	3.01	2.99	2.78	127.65	126.30	118.87
Construction	40.1	39.6	41.1	3.28	3.24	3.12	131.67	128.46	128.16
Building	38.4	38.2	39.7	3.36	3.32	3.11	219.37	126.86	123.34
Engineering	44.3	42.9	44.4	3.10	3.08	3.15	137.55	132.26	139.91

TABLE 2. AVERAGE HOURS AND AVERAGE EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS, BY INDUSTRY, FOR CANADA

S.I.C. CODE	INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.2	41.0	42.5	2.99	2.97	2.76	126.30	121.90	117.11	77,847
050-059	METALS	41.1	40.9	41.8	3.10	3.10	2.88	127.69	126.76	120.24	46,873
051-052	GOLO	40.0	40.4	41.6	2.45	2.45	2.29	97.98	99.12	95.53	8,325
053	COPPER-GOLD-SILVER	40.2	39.5	41.7	2.94	2.92	2.75	118.24	115.37	114.85	9,222
058	IRON	43.2	42.6	43.6	3.40	3.41	3.15	146.93	144.97	137.35	7,331
061-069	MINERAL FUELS	44.5	43.0	44.0	2.50	2.48	2.28	111.37	106.65	100.18	9,594
061	COAL	45.3	42.8	44.4	2.27	2.21	2.04	102.75	94.34	90.55	7,603
071-079	NON-METALS, EXCEPT FUELS	43.0	41.6	42.0	2.81	2.76	2.60	120.85	114.92	109.14	9,367
071	ASBESTOS	44.0	42.0	43.7	2.88	2.81	2.67	126.92	117.91	116.49	9,840
083-087	QUARRIES AND SAND PITS	43.9	38.2	44.2	2.36	2.34	2.21	103.51	89.62	97.65	2,342
092-099	SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO MINING	44.2	39.2	44.4	3.30	3.31	3.02	145.53	129.71	134.14	9,571
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.9	38.7	40.1	2.49	2.50	2.33	99.34	96.78	93.26	995,890
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.1	39.6	40.2	2.67	2.67	2.50	107.14	105.78	100.46	499,367
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.7	37.8	40.0	2.30	2.32	2.15	91.50	87.65	85.82	496,523
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.6	38.4	39.7	2.25	2.26	2.07	89.02	86.85	82.36	110,237
100-139	FOODS	39.5	38.1	39.6	2.20	2.21	2.01	86.72	84.01	79.65	97,366
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	40.0	39.8	40.2	2.75	2.72	2.47	110.18	108.36	99.51	19,260
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	40.0	41.2	40.2	2.34	2.33	2.16	93.73	96.11	86.61	13,069
111	FISH PRODUCTS	38.3	30.3	37.1	1.51	1.52	1.48	57.90	46.09	54.87	8,185
112	FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERS AND PRESERVERS	38.1	34.6	39.4	1.88	1.88	1.75	71.47	64.99	69.03	9,832
123-125	GRAIN MILL PRODUCTS	41.8	40.7	41.3	2.37	2.36	2.21	98.88	96.11	91.35	9,533
128	BISCUITS	38.5	33.6	37.9	2.02	2.03	1.82	77.86	68.29	69.09	9,956
129	BAKERIES	40.0	40.7	40.6	2.13	2.11	1.96	85.09	85.67	79.47	12,901
131	CONFECTIONERY	38.4	35.1	39.8	1.85	1.84	1.67	70.87	64.56	66.33	8,201
139	MISCELLANEOUS FOOD PRODUCTS	40.4	38.8	40.0	2.23	2.22	2.05	90.18	86.22	82.75	8,500
141-147	BEVERAGES	40.3	40.5	40.9	2.64	2.63	2.52	106.38	106.65	103.01	12,871
141	SOFT DRINKS	40.9	41.8	41.4	2.12	2.11	1.95	86.59	88.08	90.91	4,545
143	DISTILLERIES	40.5	39.9	40.7	2.85	2.83	2.69	115.31	112.84	109.39	3,037
145	BREWERIES	39.8	39.9	40.6	3.00	2.95	119.43	119.67	119.88	4,960	
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	38.8	35.2	39.2	2.42	2.53	2.26	94.11	89.12	88.57	8,719
153	TOBACCO PRODUCTS	37.0	36.3	37.3	2.85	2.81	2.67	105.53	102.11	99.65	6,292
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	42.2	39.9	41.5	2.54	2.53	2.37	106.96	101.16	98.24	17,754
161	RUBBER FOOTWEAR	40.7	36.2	41.6	1.86	1.83	1.70	75.88	66.18	70.93	2,979
163	TIRES AND TIRES	43.4	40.7	41.5	3.03	3.01	2.91	131.54	122.36	120.89	7,313
169	OTHER RUBBER PRODUCTS	41.6	40.4	41.4	2.29	2.27	2.14	95.28	91.67	88.88	7,459
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS	40.0	35.3	40.2	1.70	1.70	1.60	68.16	59.82	64.44	23,845
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER	40.0	35.8	40.4	1.65	1.65	1.57	66.24	59.10	63.30	15,892
179	LUGGAGE, HANDBAG AND SMALL LEATHER GOODS	39.5	32.6	39.7	1.62	1.59	1.51	64.11	51.84	59.90	4,562
18D-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	41.0	39.3	41.6	1.95	1.99	1.81	79.91	78.24	75.11	52,815
183	COTTON-YARN AND CLOTH	39.3	37.3	40.7	1.95	1.96	1.83	76.75	72.87	74.37	14,164
193-197	WOOLLEN YARN AND CLOTH	43.0	40.9	42.5	1.78	1.75	1.69	76.62	71.57	71.68	9,872
201	SYNTHETIC TEXTILES	42.1	41.8	42.1	2.08	2.18	1.91	87.46	91.12	80.54	14,568
2011	SPUN YARN AND FABRICS	42.7	40.3	42.7	1.85	1.81	1.69	79.08	73.00	72.02	7,368
2012	FILAMENT YARN AND STAPLE FIBRES	41.5	44.1	40.9	2.42	2.65	2.25	100.24	117.16	91.84	5,986
229	MISCELLANEOUS TEXTILES	38.7	36.6	39.7	1.94	2.07	1.67	74.84	75.83	66.39	6,525
230-239	KNITTING MILLS	40.6	36.2	40.6	1.52	1.50	1.43	61.73	54.33	58.21	15,394
231	HOSIERY	42.2	37.4	42.2	1.52	1.51	1.46	64.28	56.56	61.43	5,005
239	OTHER KNITTING MILLS	39.8	35.6	39.9	1.52	1.50	1.42	60.57	53.25	56.83	10,789
240-249	CLOTHING	36.8	32.7	37.2	1.67	1.63	1.55	61.43	53.35	57.79	70,568
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	37.6	33.6	37.7	1.64	1.61	1.52	61.82	53.94	57.28	30,509
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	35.6	30.9	36.3	1.76	1.72	1.65	62.81	53.24	60.08	25,946
245	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	37.1	33.9	38.3	1.46	1.44	1.35	54.04	48.81	51.74	5,943
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	40.1	38.0	40.7	2.39	2.38	2.19	95.78	90.46	88.31	55,349
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	40.0	38.2	39.9	2.54	2.55	2.35	101.58	97.57	93.95	31,181
252	VEENEER AND PLYWOOD MILLS	39.5	36.6	39.6	2.44	2.42	2.24	96.20	88.61	88.66	10,707
254	SASH, DOOR AND FLOORING MILLS	40.8	39.1	41.8	1.98	1.92	1.80	80.97	75.26	75.14	7,334
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	41.3	38.0	41.3	1.98	1.96	1.85	81.79	74.45	76.18	25,020
261	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	41.6	39.0	41.8	1.89	1.88	1.76	78.37	73.26	73.37	14,359
266	OTHER FURNITURE	41.1	37.0	40.8	2.08	2.06	1.95	85.65	76.33	79.67	7,043
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.9	39.9	41.3	2.94	2.92	2.77	120.30	116.39	114.33	84,151
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	41.1	40.8	41.5	3.20	3.18	3.04	131.75	129.65	126.21	58,534
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	40.1	37.4	40.6	2.34	2.29	2.15	93.77	85.65	87.45	15,299
274	OTHER PAPER CONVERTERS	41.2	38.2	41.1	2.27	2.21	2.09	93.46	84.59	85.87	8,766
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.7	37.0	38.5	2.93	2.89	2.79	110.43	106.94	107.53	35,989
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	38.4	37.5	39.3	2.70	2.65	2.55	103.64	99.41	100.46	19,300
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	36.5	36.4	36.9	3.27	3.19	3.10	117.30	116.31	114.24	13,234
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	40.7	39.9	40.3	3.05	3.07	2.88	123.91	122.54	115.88	82,550
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS	40.3	39.2	38.9	3.16	3.16	3.02	127.21	124.05	117.53	35,014
294	IRON FOUNDRIES	38.9	41.1	41.0	2.71	2.74	2.47	105.59	112.50	101.45	9,380
295	Smelting and Refining	41.5	40.5	41.3	3.13	3.23	2.97	129.95	130.75	122.93	24,863
296-298	NON-FERROUS METAL ROLLING, CASTING AND EXTRUDING	41.9	39.5	42.0	2.65	2.60	2.46	111.02	102.84	103.56	8,737
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.8	38.6	41.0	2.62	2.57	2.47	106.77	99.12	101.35	80,361
301	BOILERS AND PLATE WORKS	41.4	37.9	41.1	2.93	2.94	2.71	121.11	111.27	111.46	3,969
302	FABRICATED STRUCTURAL METALS	39.8	37.3	40.0	3.02	2.94	2.92	120.24	109.85	116.67	10,548
303	ORNAMENTAL AND ARCHITECTURAL METALS	39.1	36.7	40.7	2.48	2.45	2.32	96.90	90.12	94.22	5,397
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	40.8	38.6	40.6	2.57	2.53	2.40	105.06	97.72	97.56	19,248

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TABLE 2. AVERAGE HOURS AND AVERAGE EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS, BY INDUSTRY, FOR CANADA

S.I.C. CODE	INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS			NUMBER			
305	WIRE AND WIRE PRODUCTS	40.1	39.8	41.2	2.55	2.54	2.44	102.17	101.06	100.42	11,021
306	HARDWARE, TOOLS AND CUTLERY	42.2	40.1	42.7	2.45	2.38	2.26	103.25	95.16	96.56	8,380
307	HEATING EQUIPMENT	41.3	39.4	40.1	2.45	2.37	2.28	101.12	93.45	91.54	3,010
309	MISCELLANEOUS METAL FABRICATING	40.4	37.6	40.6	2.52	2.46	2.36	101.99	92.68	96.00	12,951
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.9	39.1	41.8	2.79	2.77	2.64	114.23	108.44	110.63	39,838
313	AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS	40.7	39.0	40.9	2.89	2.88	2.83	117.67	112.14	115.75	9,801
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.0	39.2	42.1	2.76	2.73	2.57	113.08	106.97	108.42	25,542
318	OFFICE AND STORE MACHINERY	40.7	40.2	43.5	2.90	2.91	2.77	118.17	117.19	120.53	3,039
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	38.2	42.0	37.7	2.88	2.89	2.70	109.94	121.27	102.02	111,741
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	42.2	40.9	42.6	2.85	2.81	2.71	120.38	115.11	115.25	24,569
323-325	MOTOR VEHICLES	36.3	43.1	35.0	2.94	2.99	2.78	106.54	128.65	97.09	68,253
325	ASSEMBLING	30.8	44.1	31.6	3.15	3.13	2.98	96.89	137.81	94.21	32,518
327	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	41.4	42.6	37.8	2.85	2.91	2.67	117.78	124.18	101.02	31,328
330-339	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING	38.9	38.8	40.2	2.88	2.79	2.59	112.11	108.34	103.87	12,462
332	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.1	38.6	40.7	2.44	2.42	2.27	98.07	93.28	92.27	74,301
334	MAJOR APPLIANCES, INCLUDING NON-ELECTRIC	39.2	39.1	40.4	2.56	2.57	2.37	100.38	100.37	95.75	9,514
335	HOUSEHOLD RADIOS AND TELEVISIONS	37.8	36.5	37.0	1.99	1.97	1.89	75.28	71.89	69.91	4,573
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	40.3	37.9	41.1	2.36	2.32	2.20	95.04	87.86	90.37	23,953
336	ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT	39.8	40.1	40.3	2.66	2.66	2.45	105.79	106.74	98.56	14,005
338	ELECTRIC WIRE AND CABLE	43.0	41.3	43.1	2.76	2.71	2.56	118.88	111.96	110.13	5,508
339	MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.5	38.7	41.2	2.16	2.11	2.00	87.37	81.72	82.47	8,401
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	41.3	39.8	41.6	2.58	2.57	2.41	106.55	102.06	100.49	30,507
347	CONCRETE PRODUCTS	40.6	37.6	41.6	2.46	2.47	2.30	99.57	92.72	95.63	4,735
351	CLAY PRODUCTS	41.3	39.7	41.5	2.37	2.35	2.21	98.03	93.07	91.72	4,024
356	GLASS AND GLASS PRODUCTS	40.8	41.8	41.4	2.58	2.56	2.40	105.25	106.99	99.45	9,388
360-369	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	44.0	43.3	41.7	3.55	3.47	3.27	156.44	150.24	136.28	6,434
365	PETROLEUM REFINERIES	44.2	43.5	41.9	3.50	3.50	3.30	158.71	152.29	138.11	6,193
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.8	40.5	40.8	2.68	2.68	2.53	109.35	108.56	103.10	32,502
374	PHARMACEUTICALS AND MEDICINES	40.5	38.6	40.4	2.13	2.13	1.99	86.41	82.14	80.51	3,780
378	PAINTS AND VARNISHES	40.2	39.5	40.3	2.48	2.47	2.28	99.53	97.40	91.96	2,596
376	SOAP AND CLEANING COMPOUNDS	41.4	38.7	42.3	2.90	2.74	2.77	120.16	106.19	117.35	2,157
378	INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS	40.3	41.8	41.5	3.14	3.16	2.95	126.72	132.34	122.45	11,580
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.2	38.1	40.6	2.04	2.01	1.91	81.97	76.64	77.54	37,518
381	SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT	39.9	38.7	40.6	2.28	2.24	2.13	90.82	86.70	86.66	9,281
385	PLASTIC FABRICATORS, N.E.S.	41.1	38.7	40.8	2.00	1.97	1.86	81.99	76.03	76.05	9,174
393	SPORTING GOODS AND TOYS	39.2	36.4	40.1	1.79	1.78	1.67	70.07	64.77	67.03	5,078
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.6	33.2	40.8	3.24	3.17	3.10	128.46	105.24	126.53	153,419
404,421	BUILDING	38.2	31.2	39.6	3.32	3.26	3.08	126.86	101.79	121.80	107,906
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	38.7	31.2	39.7	3.20	3.13	2.96	123.89	97.64	117.33	47,540
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	37.8	31.3	39.5	3.47	3.36	3.18	129.21	105.14	125.52	60,266
426-409	ENGINEERING	42.9	37.8	43.9	3.08	2.99	3.15	132.26	113.24	138.34	45,513
429	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	44.0	38.4	43.0	2.51	2.43	2.44	110.72	93.37	104.85	19,303
	OTHER ENGINEERING	42.1	37.3	44.4	3.51	3.50	3.54	147.70	130.46	157.30	26,510
503	URBAN TRANSIT	41.1	41.4	42.1	3.09	3.09	2.79	127.19	127.86	117.41	17,800
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	40.0	38.7	38.0	2.39	2.33	2.14	95.46	90.17	81.40	32,416
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	38.3	37.7	38.0	1.45	1.43	1.37	55.42	54.01	51.97	15,301
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	38.4	33.1	34.3	1.45	1.45	1.36	48.93	47.93	46.50	75,507

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S.I.C. CODE	PROVINCE, REGIONS AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
ATLANTIC REGION											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	44.7	43.1	45.8	2.48	2.46	2.26	110.69	106.07	103.30	12,039
050-059	METALS.	42.3	43.6	47.5	3.02	3.01	2.72	127.49	130.99	129.33	4,621
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.3	37.9	40.4	2.07	2.12	1.97	83.40	80.37	79.48	46,251
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.4	38.2	40.3	2.09	2.10	2.00	84.65	80.31	80.47	18,352
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.2	37.7	40.5	2.05	2.13	1.95	82.57	80.41	78.85	27,999
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	39.5	35.1	39.7	1.53	1.56	1.43	60.40	54.62	56.79	14,134
100-139	FOODS	39.4	34.7	39.4	1.49	1.51	1.39	58.65	52.35	54.89	13,228
111	FISH PRODUCTS	39.7	31.0	38.1	1.37	1.35	1.30	54.45	41.94	49.47	6,759
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	42.8	39.1	43.5	1.46	1.44	1.35	62.65	56.39	58.83	3,121
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS.	43.2	39.2	44.0	1.45	1.43	1.35	62.58	55.89	59.27	2,180
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.0	42.0	41.9	2.97	2.97	2.86	121.91	125.00	119.61	8,568
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS.	41.1	42.4	42.0	3.07	3.06	2.94	126.05	129.85	123.51	7,394
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES.	40.1	40.4	41.6	2.31	2.27	2.13	92.67	91.62	88.50	1,248
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES.	39.7	39.8	40.0	2.66	2.67	2.60	105.49	106.29	103.94	3,535
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS.	39.8	39.4	39.5	2.70	2.70	2.68	107.46	106.47	105.94	3,054
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES.	39.5	38.6	40.1	2.26	2.20	2.05	89.20	84.76	82.10	1,720
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT.	39.9	39.0	39.5	2.44	2.38	2.17	97.33	93.04	85.43	5,213
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING.	39.5	39.4	39.0	2.40	2.37	2.11	94.75	93.31	82.39	3,182
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	40.7	33.7	43.8	2.28	2.18	2.18	92.69	73.35	95.29	12,869
404,421	BUILDING.	40.3	32.1	43.4	2.29	2.23	2.24	92.18	71.71	97.09	9,542
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	41.4	31.1	42.8	2.23	2.18	2.23	92.31	67.93	95.35	5,649
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	39.0	33.5	44.3	2.36	2.30	2.25	92.02	77.20	99.76	4,193
406-409	ENGINEERING	41.7	37.3	45.2	2.26	2.07	1.97	94.22	77.14	88.76	3,227
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	42.2	36.6	46.6	1.94	1.86	1.80	82.12	68.05	83.97	1,557
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE.	42.4	40.0	42.1	1.81	1.75	1.57	76.70	70.27	65.88	3,540
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	37.0	37.1	36.3	1.13	1.13	1.08	41.97	41.92	39.31	3,377
NEWFOUNDLAND											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	43.8	44.0	48.7	3.03	3.01	2.70	132.79	132.42	131.38	4,016
050-059	METALS.	43.0	44.1	48.8	3.16	3.14	2.77	135.79	138.21	135.21	3,439
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.1	37.0	39.6	2.15	2.43	2.15	86.18	90.10	85.10	7,504
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.9	36.5	39.2	2.17	2.52	2.20	86.64	91.98	86.12	6,536
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	40.6	30.2	37.1	1.35	1.49	1.32	56.95	45.01	48.97	3,421
111	FISH PRODUCTS	39.9	26.1	35.5	1.22	1.28	1.20	48.73	33.32	42.61	2,728
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.1	41.5	41.3	3.38	3.40	3.21	128.84	141.08	132.85	2,513
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS.	38.1	41.6	41.4	3.40	3.41	3.23	129.70	142.14	133.70	2,583
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	45.3	38.1	48.3	2.27	2.19	2.07	103.01	83.61	99.70	3,489
404,421	BUILDING.	43.0	35.0	47.9	2.24	2.25	2.07	96.34	78.61	99.21	2,740
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	43.8	33.6	45.4	2.28	2.28	2.04	99.95	76.64	92.45	1,947
406-409	ENGINEERING	53.9	46.6	49.1	2.36	2.08	2.05	127.42	97.11	100.92	749
NOVA SCOTIA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	37.0	39.8	2.04	2.02	1.91	80.93	74.69	75.86	21,381
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.1	38.4	39.7	2.22	2.17	2.12	88.91	83.53	84.19	10,873
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.3	35.6	39.9	1.85	1.83	1.68	72.67	65.12	67.07	10,508
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	38.2	34.4	39.1	1.55	1.53	1.44	59.40	52.71	56.37	5,899
111	FISH PRODUCTS	38.6	31.5	38.9	1.55	1.47	1.41	59.72	46.41	54.97	3,044
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES.	39.7	39.3	39.7	2.72	2.73	2.68	108.23	107.11	106.50	2,959
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS.	39.7	39.3	39.7	2.72	2.73	2.70	108.23	107.11	107.02	2,959
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT.	40.3	38.2	39.9	2.44	2.30	2.12	98.56	87.76	84.86	3,498
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING.	39.9	37.4	39.6	2.33	2.18	1.96	92.93	81.35	77.71	1,813
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	37.4	30.2	40.4	2.40	2.27	2.35	89.77	68.67	94.97	5,594
404,421	BUILDING.	38.0	29.0	40.3	2.39	2.34	2.43	90.79	67.78	97.98	3,871
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	38.3	27.6	38.4	2.24	2.22	2.40	85.74	61.37	92.17	1,856
406-409	ENGINEERING	36.2	32.3	40.7	2.42	2.17	2.04	87.49	70.18	83.12	1,723

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S.I.C. CODE	PROVINCE, REGIONS AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
NEW BRUNSWICK											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.1	39.4	41.6	2.10	2.15	1.98	86.10	84.62	82.45	16,524
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.9	37.4	41.4	1.90	2.00	1.80	77.75	74.77	74.56	6,329
NON-DURABLE	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.2	40.6	41.7	2.22	2.23	2.08	91.29	90.54	86.77	10,195
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	40.1	39.0	41.8	1.63	1.62	1.50	65.49	63.01	62.80	4,231
101	FISH PRODUCTS	42.4	37.9	42.5	1.27	1.21	1.20	53.97	45.74	51.02	973
200-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	44.6	40.8	44.5	1.54	1.50	1.41	68.51	61.26	62.90	1,807
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	43.1	43.2	42.1	2.90	2.89	2.77	125.05	124.89	116.49	4,176
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	41.2	34.4	44.0	2.19	2.08	2.14	90.19	71.49	94.20	3,232
404-421	BUILDING	41.4	33.3	43.8	2.26	2.16	2.22	93.54	71.71	97.48	2,505
QUEBEC											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.0	40.9	42.8	2.79	2.75	2.58	117.32	112.41	110.36	17,523
052-059	METALS	41.2	41.0	42.0	2.85	2.83	2.64	117.58	115.92	110.68	10,539
053	COPPER-GOLD-SILVER	40.6	40.0	40.7	2.80	2.79	2.60	113.93	111.59	105.80	4,453
071-079	NON-METALS, EXCEPT FUELS	42.9	41.3	42.5	2.82	2.71	2.60	120.79	111.89	110.61	5,197
071	ASBESTOS	42.8	41.1	42.6	2.85	2.74	2.64	122.12	112.41	112.47	4,783
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.9	38.9	41.4	2.24	2.24	2.09	91.73	87.26	86.63	307,280
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	42.5	40.9	43.0	2.45	2.42	2.28	104.04	98.99	98.13	111,989
NON-DURABLE	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.9	37.8	40.5	2.12	2.13	1.97	84.67	80.42	79.70	195,291
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	41.4	40.3	41.8	2.17	2.16	1.95	89.84	87.12	81.33	27,058
100-139	FOODS	41.4	40.0	41.6	2.09	2.06	1.85	86.41	82.40	76.91	23,170
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	40.1	38.6	41.3	2.56	2.54	2.24	102.54	98.16	92.39	4,239
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	44.4	44.6	44.7	2.24	2.20	2.03	99.41	98.09	90.64	3,145
129	BAKERIES	42.9	43.5	43.4	1.72	1.70	1.58	73.66	74.16	68.62	3,819
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	37.0	36.1	37.5	2.76	2.75	2.59	102.21	99.29	97.08	4,358
161-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	42.6	41.2	43.8	2.05	2.05	1.87	87.31	84.50	81.90	4,774
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS	40.1	35.5	40.4	1.62	1.60	1.52	64.95	56.83	61.32	12,249
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER	40.5	35.7	40.8	1.62	1.61	1.52	65.41	57.54	61.91	9,373
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	41.6	40.3	42.5	1.87	1.86	1.75	77.85	74.83	74.27	30,055
183	COTTON YARN AND CLOTH	39.2	39.3	40.8	2.05	2.03	1.93	80.40	79.86	78.69	9,405
193-197	WOOLLEN YARN AND CLOTH	45.9	44.1	45.2	1.73	1.71	1.67	79.56	75.15	75.63	3,076
201	SYNTHETIC TEXTILES	42.4	40.8	42.4	1.87	1.85	1.72	79.20	75.25	72.86	8,255
230-239	KNITTING MILLS	41.7	37.1	42.2	1.50	1.48	1.41	62.64	54.99	59.67	8,520
231	HOSIERY	43.8	37.6	43.9	1.67	1.66	1.40	64.11	55.08	61.46	3,087
239	OTHER KNITTING MILLS	40.5	36.8	41.3	1.52	1.49	1.42	61.82	54.94	58.66	5,533
240-249	CLOTHING	36.4	32.4	37.1	1.68	1.64	1.55	61.06	53.24	57.46	44,520
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	37.2	33.7	37.9	1.65	1.62	1.52	61.32	54.46	57.58	16,365
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	35.7	30.2	35.9	1.78	1.74	1.65	62.65	52.48	59.12	18,276
245	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	37.7	33.9	38.5	1.66	1.62	1.34	55.06	49.22	51.72	4,323
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	45.9	43.5	46.3	1.64	1.62	1.49	75.31	70.47	68.92	10,514
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANTING MILLS	47.4	44.2	47.7	1.69	1.67	1.50	80.20	73.91	71.62	4,765
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	42.6	38.4	42.9	1.87	1.84	1.74	79.75	70.87	74.64	10,142
261	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	43.8	40.0	43.7	1.76	1.75	1.64	77.02	70.02	71.79	5,934
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.6	39.9	41.6	2.84	2.83	2.70	117.92	112.93	112.20	29,754
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	41.9	41.0	42.0	3.06	3.05	2.94	128.14	124.90	123.29	22,292
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	39.9	35.7	40.7	2.23	2.19	2.02	88.80	78.12	82.20	4,887
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.0	37.7	39.2	2.83	2.80	2.73	107.48	105.98	107.17	10,422
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	39.1	38.8	40.8	2.49	2.46	2.40	97.52	95.39	97.93	5,545
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	36.2	36.2	36.5	3.32	3.29	3.24	119.86	119.06	116.49	3,574
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	42.3	41.1	42.5	2.90	2.89	2.72	122.53	118.80	115.61	16,171
293	SMELTING AND REFINING	41.8	41.4	41.7	3.12	3.13	2.96	130.37	129.52	123.69	9,087
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	42.1	39.7	42.3	2.49	2.45	2.34	104.74	97.21	98.76	19,989
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	41.5	40.3	41.5	2.55	2.50	2.37	105.75	100.52	98.44	5,733
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	41.5	39.9	44.9	2.49	2.48	2.37	103.53	98.86	106.53	6,403
319	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.2	39.8	45.1	2.54	2.53	2.42	104.87	100.52	108.98	5,863
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	42.4	43.0	42.6	2.73	2.65	2.49	115.64	113.80	106.01	21,563
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	43.7	43.8	44.6	2.75	2.72	2.60	120.08	119.37	116.03	10,844
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING	39.6	40.3	40.1	3.00	2.83	2.50	119.10	114.06	105.56	4,586
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	41.5	39.7	42.4	2.50	2.46	2.31	103.81	97.51	98.10	18,831
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	41.5	38.9	43.2	2.73	2.64	2.47	113.34	102.59	106.69	7,546
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.6	40.9	41.0	2.54	2.53	2.37	102.93	103.24	96.92	10,563
378	INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS	39.0	41.7	41.0	3.09	3.09	2.90	120.60	128.74	119.00	2,497
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.8	39.1	42.0	1.85	1.81	1.73	75.62	70.88	72.94	10,526

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QUEBEC	- CONTINUED	NUMBER						DOLLARS			
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	38.3	35.1	41.2	3.35	3.31	3.07	128.11	116.36	126.39	34,714
404,421	BUILDING	37.4	32.6	39.8	3.41	3.32	3.09	127.61	108.20	123.08	24,456
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.5	33.1	40.3	3.32	3.16	3.11	130.91	104.61	125.22	7,736
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	36.5	32.4	39.6	3.46	3.40	3.08	126.09	109.96	121.82	16,720
406-409	ENGINEERING	40.2	41.1	44.8	3.21	3.31	3.02	129.29	135.98	135.13	10,258
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	41.4	35.8	43.0	2.73	2.70	2.67	131.72	96.56	114.60	3,407
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	39.6	44.4	46.1	3.46	3.60	3.21	137.28	159.98	147.31	6,851
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	37.2	35.7	31.4	2.26	2.18	1.94	84.15	77.90	61.12	10,509
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	40.2	39.7	40.8	1.40	1.37	1.28	56.08	54.54	52.04	3,557
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	37.2	36.4	38.6	1.31	1.31	1.19	48.66	47.71	46.07	15,776
ONTARIO											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.4	40.3	40.7	3.08	3.08	2.84	127.48	124.26	115.78	26,934
050-059	METALS	40.8	40.4	40.1	3.10	3.11	2.89	126.77	125.40	115.92	22,177
051-052	GOLD	39.6	38.9	41.2	2.37	2.37	2.25	93.75	92.27	92.76	5,299
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	39.0	39.7	2.60	2.62	2.44	103.17	102.02	96.66	508,980
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	39.5	39.8	39.5	2.75	2.76	2.58	108.76	109.91	101.75	295,908
NDN-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.9	37.9	40.0	2.39	2.40	2.24	95.37	90.96	89.39	212,172
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.6	38.8	39.8	2.34	2.33	2.17	92.64	90.42	86.20	44,911
100-139	FOODS	39.6	38.7	39.7	2.29	2.28	2.11	90.65	88.28	83.77	39,557
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	41.1	41.2	40.6	2.70	2.66	2.43	110.94	109.45	98.77	7,352
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	37.6	38.7	37.8	2.39	2.38	2.23	89.76	92.04	84.19	5,519
112	FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERS AND PRESERVERS	38.2	34.9	39.1	2.12	2.14	1.98	80.94	74.85	77.26	5,572
129	BAKERIES	40.3	40.6	40.5	2.21	2.17	2.02	89.13	88.37	81.76	5,442
139	MISCELLANEOUS FOOD PRODUCTS	40.9	39.7	40.6	2.27	2.29	2.12	92.73	90.85	86.05	4,202
141-147	BEVERAGES	39.9	39.6	40.4	2.69	2.66	2.60	107.37	105.25	105.05	5,334
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	41.2	33.9	41.4	2.03	2.18	1.88	83.43	73.86	77.93	3,751
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	42.0	39.5	40.7	2.72	2.70	2.55	114.16	106.52	104.05	12,551
163	TIRES AND TIRES	43.1	40.4	41.8	3.09	3.05	2.93	132.67	122.96	122.31	6,548
169	OTHER RUBBER PRODUCTS	40.8	39.6	39.7	2.39	2.37	2.22	97.44	93.75	88.10	4,386
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS	40.3	35.1	40.2	1.81	1.81	1.71	72.75	63.46	68.65	10,540
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER	39.8	35.8	40.1	1.72	1.72	1.64	68.32	61.62	65.79	6,306
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	40.2	38.3	40.2	2.09	2.20	1.92	84.03	84.33	77.34	20,763
183	COTTON YARN AND CLOTH	39.3	33.0	40.0	1.80	1.77	1.66	70.74	58.51	66.56	4,037
193-197	WOOLLEN YARN AND CLOTH	39.9	37.6	40.0	1.85	1.81	1.71	74.04	68.14	68.41	2,597
201	SYNTHETIC TEXTILES	41.6	43.1	41.4	2.36	2.58	2.24	98.08	111.04	92.66	6,079
230-239	KNITTING MILLS	39.5	35.7	39.2	1.58	1.56	1.49	62.52	55.57	58.40	5,701
239	OTHER KNITTING MILLS	39.5	35.2	39.0	1.56	1.53	1.46	61.42	53.83	57.03	4,059
240-249	CLOTHING	37.4	32.6	37.3	1.76	1.71	1.66	66.05	55.72	61.92	17,519
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	38.4	32.5	37.4	1.76	1.72	1.64	67.50	56.04	61.56	8,551
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	36.7	32.7	37.2	1.85	1.78	1.77	67.80	58.15	65.85	5,051
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	41.4	39.1	42.0	2.00	1.96	1.82	82.94	76.59	76.33	10,853
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	43.1	41.1	43.7	1.99	1.98	1.80	85.88	81.28	78.53	3,574
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	41.2	38.0	40.8	2.05	2.04	1.92	84.69	77.50	78.24	11,926
261	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	40.8	38.5	41.1	1.97	1.97	1.83	80.42	75.82	75.27	6,810
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.7	39.5	41.4	2.80	2.78	2.63	114.21	109.67	109.01	31,560
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	40.5	40.6	41.5	3.16	3.13	2.98	128.15	126.99	123.75	16,950
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	40.8	38.2	41.2	2.38	2.32	2.20	96.89	88.40	90.35	8,040
274	OTHER PAPER CONVERTERS	41.4	38.1	41.5	2.39	2.33	2.22	99.03	88.74	91.90	6,097
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.7	36.5	38.2	3.01	2.98	2.87	113.64	108.78	109.64	19,315
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	38.3	36.9	38.9	2.79	2.74	2.63	107.06	101.22	102.26	11,700
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	36.3	36.0	36.6	3.34	3.34	3.21	121.19	120.01	117.61	6,191
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	40.4	39.7	39.7	3.09	3.14	2.94	124.77	124.57	116.51	52,441
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS	40.0	39.4	38.3	3.27	3.27	3.14	130.68	128.88	120.31	27,069
294	IRON FOUNDRIES	38.4	41.6	40.8	2.82	2.86	2.56	108.32	119.18	104.33	7,315
295	MELTING AND REFINING	41.9	39.4	41.7	3.07	3.36	2.93	128.81	132.18	122.25	9,131
296-298	NON-FERROUS METAL ROLLING, CASTING AND EXTRUDING	41.8	39.3	41.0	2.67	2.63	2.55	111.64	103.19	104.55	6,186
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.6	38.3	41.0	2.64	2.59	2.51	107.29	99.14	103.08	48,201
302	FABRICATED STRUCTURAL METALS	38.6	36.9	40.2	3.14	3.03	3.09	121.18	111.90	124.22	4,988
303	ORNAMENTAL AND ARCHITECTURAL METALS	39.3	37.5	40.8	2.48	2.48	2.35	97.51	93.03	96.10	3,091
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	40.9	38.1	40.8	2.58	2.54	2.40	105.31	96.91	98.07	11,153
305	WIRE AND WIRE PRODUCTS	39.4	39.3	40.9	2.56	2.57	2.48	101.05	101.18	101.66	7,545
306	HARDWARE, TOOLS AND CUTLERY	42.6	40.2	42.8	2.56	2.49	2.38	109.25	100.19	101.67	5,937
309	MISCELLANEOUS METAL FABRICATING	40.5	37.5	40.3	2.52	2.46	2.37	102.28	92.36	95.63	9,283
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.9	39.1	41.5	2.88	2.87	2.75	118.02	112.07	114.08	28,440
311	AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS	40.4	38.7	40.9	3.11	3.11	3.06	125.78	120.13	124.91	7,526
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.2	39.2	41.5	2.80	2.77	2.61	115.30	108.53	108.50	16,793

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		NUMBER			DOLLARS			NUMBER			
ONTARIO - CONTINUED											
318	OFFICE AND STORE MACHINERY	40.7	40.2	43.6	2.93	2.94	2.80	119.22	118.29	121.97	2,957
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	36.8	42.3	35.9	2.97	3.00	2.82	109.30	127.05	101.06	77,502
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	41.1	38.6	41.4	3.00	2.96	2.85	123.60	114.07	117.78	11,506
323-325	MOTOR VEHICLES	35.8	43.3	34.3	2.99	3.03	2.84	105.84	131.24	97.35	61,380
323	ASSEMBLING	29.4	44.2	30.2	3.22	3.17	3.08	94.66	140.02	92.99	28,507
325	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	41.4	42.7	37.7	2.87	2.94	2.69	116.16	125.53	101.55	30,372
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	39.6	38.4	40.2	2.49	2.46	2.27	98.66	94.41	91.32	49,798
332	MAJOR APPLIANCES, INCLUDING NON-ELECTRIC	38.7	38.1	40.3	2.68	2.69	2.50	103.89	102.63	100.85	6,931
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	39.6	38.2	40.1	2.27	2.22	2.05	89.83	84.74	82.20	13,382
336	ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT	39.7	40.2	40.2	2.75	2.75	2.52	109.18	110.69	101.47	11,501
339	MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.7	38.9	41.0	2.26	2.21	2.08	91.94	85.88	85.42	5,227
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	41.0	40.0	41.5	2.64	2.61	2.46	108.45	104.41	101.91	16,747
356	GLASS AND GLASS PRODUCTS	40.7	42.1	41.2	2.67	2.61	2.47	108.74	109.80	101.65	5,912
360-369	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	44.6	44.6	43.3	3.64	3.50	3.39	161.67	156.26	146.37	1,364
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	41.1	40.1	40.8	2.72	2.72	2.58	111.92	109.08	105.09	18,352
378	INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS	41.0	41.9	41.9	3.18	3.20	2.97	130.36	134.01	129.40	7,356
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.1	37.7	40.3	2.11	2.09	1.96	84.66	78.79	78.76	24,305
381	SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT	40.1	38.6	40.5	2.32	2.27	2.16	93.04	87.68	87.65	7,275
393	SPORTING GOODS AND TOYS	39.1	35.9	39.4	1.91	1.93	1.79	74.68	69.16	70.80	3,667
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.1	32.6	40.1	3.30	3.21	3.21	132.10	104.62	128.82	60,466
404-421	BUILDING	39.0	30.9	39.6	3.49	3.42	3.27	136.20	105.48	129.26	43,796
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.3	31.4	39.7	3.32	3.23	3.09	130.39	101.16	122.74	17,005
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.8	30.6	39.5	3.60	3.54	3.39	139.89	108.24	133.70	26,791
406-409	ENGINEERING	42.8	36.9	41.7	2.84	2.78	3.05	121.27	102.43	127.07	16,510
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	46.3	39.7	42.0	2.43	2.36	2.47	112.69	93.79	103.58	9,145
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	38.4	33.1	41.7	3.43	3.45	3.47	131.78	114.19	145.07	7,465
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
509	URBAN TRANSIT	43.1	43.7	43.2	2.00	2.98	2.68	129.43	129.95	115.85	7,346
514	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	43.5	42.0	41.5	2.70	2.61	2.37	117.51	109.45	98.14	7,713
824	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	38.7	37.2	38.0	1.45	1.44	1.38	55.91	53.73	52.43	6,535
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	32.5	32.2	33.4	1.45	1.45	1.35	46.93	46.75	45.02	31,671
PRAIRIE REGION											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.1	40.5	42.4	3.29	3.29	3.08	138.30	133.22	130.67	15,390
050-059	METALS	41.1	40.5	42.4	3.41	3.40	3.21	139.93	137.75	135.46	4,758
D61-069	MINERAL FUELS	40.8	41.8	41.9	3.13	3.18	2.91	127.82	132.87	121.96	3,378
D92-099	SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO MINING	43.8	39.3	42.8	3.39	3.37	3.22	148.21	132.34	137.67	5,584
D96	PETROLEUM CONTRACT DRILLING	43.4	39.9	42.4	3.50	3.48	3.37	151.92	138.89	143.04	3,810
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.3	38.1	39.3	2.41	2.40	2.22	94.52	91.58	87.18	61,031
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	38.4	40.2	2.46	2.42	2.27	98.88	92.92	91.33	27,503
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.5	37.9	38.5	2.36	2.39	2.18	90.93	90.46	83.87	33,428
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.5	38.2	38.2	2.53	2.53	2.33	97.59	96.78	88.90	15,386
100-139	FOODS	38.5	38.1	38.2	2.52	2.52	2.31	97.14	95.75	88.26	13,562
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	39.2	39.0	39.4	2.96	2.93	2.69	116.09	114.32	106.07	5,309
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	39.9	42.6	40.1	2.25	2.27	2.03	89.65	96.70	81.21	1,394
240-249	CLOTHING	37.2	34.6	37.5	1.41	1.40	1.38	52.56	48.54	51.85	6,338
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	37.4	35.5	37.2	1.40	1.38	1.35	52.30	49.00	50.12	3,355
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	38.8	36.4	40.0	2.12	2.04	1.89	82.13	74.37	75.41	3,749
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.8	37.8	37.7	2.65	2.59	2.50	99.95	97.86	94.33	3,046
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	37.7	38.0	37.8	2.65	2.61	2.49	99.90	98.89	94.24	1,546
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	41.1	40.1	40.6	3.00	3.00	2.77	123.37	120.30	112.42	4,714
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.1	37.9	39.1	2.61	2.54	2.38	104.90	96.19	93.26	6,085
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	41.2	39.0	40.3	2.37	2.33	2.19	97.81	90.91	87.97	2,978
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.4	38.9	41.3	2.24	2.22	2.15	90.54	86.26	88.69	3,760
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	40.5	37.5	40.6	2.57	2.54	2.37	103.97	95.27	96.23	2,965
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	41.0	33.7	40.6	3.02	2.89	2.85	123.81	97.21	115.78	29,652
404-421	BUILDING	37.8	30.6	37.8	3.09	3.01	2.79	116.83	92.14	105.58	20,366
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	38.1	30.6	38.1	3.10	2.98	2.74	117.98	90.96	104.33	11,298
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	37.4	30.7	37.5	3.08	3.05	2.86	115.35	93.60	107.18	8,768
406-409	ENGINEERING	47.8	40.1	45.6	2.90	2.69	2.94	138.44	108.00	133.86	9,586
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	45.2	47.9	45.2	2.36	2.30	2.16	106.99	98.41	97.66	3,353
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	49.2	38.1	45.7	3.16	3.02	3.35	155.36	114.98	153.42	6,233
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
816	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	39.9	39.9	40.5	2.32	2.33	2.15	92.50	92.99	87.25	7,386
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	36.8	37.5	36.2	1.45	1.43	1.37	53.26	53.63	49.47	2,995
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	31.9	31.8	32.3	1.51	1.48	1.40	48.14	47.10	45.32	15,256

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S.I.C. CODE	PROVINCE, REGIONS AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
MANITOBA											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.6	40.1	42.8	3.28	3.28	2.99	139.77	131.55	128.08	4,713
050-059	METALS	41.6	40.9	42.7	3.37	3.36	3.18	139.91	137.34	135.71	3,748
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.4	37.9	39.3	2.22	2.21	2.05	87.51	83.89	80.63	27,572
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.0	39.2	40.6	2.36	2.32	2.20	96.65	90.95	89.42	12,292
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.2	36.9	38.2	2.10	2.12	1.93	80.21	78.12	73.63	15,380
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.7	37.7	38.1	2.47	2.47	2.25	95.56	93.20	85.45	5,520
100-139	FOODS	38.9	37.6	38.3	2.44	2.42	2.20	94.73	91.02	84.01	4,961
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	40.0	39.0	39.3	2.93	2.86	2.62	117.36	111.53	102.80	1,850
240-249	CLOTHING	36.8	34.6	37.8	1.41	1.39	1.37	51.71	48.25	51.77	4,756
243	MEV'S CLOTHING	37.3	35.8	37.7	1.38	1.37	1.32	51.45	48.93	49.72	2,562
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.7	37.9	37.6	2.49	2.46	2.36	93.93	93.08	88.92	1,524
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	41.5	38.5	39.1	2.55	2.45	2.31	105.88	94.46	90.45	2,811
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.9	39.6	42.7	2.16	2.13	2.10	88.28	84.25	89.65	2,143
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	43.3	35.0	41.5	2.90	2.78	2.57	125.52	97.32	106.58	7,744
404,421	BUILDING	41.8	30.9	39.7	3.12	3.05	2.67	130.45	94.28	105.88	5,166
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	44.2	31.8	41.0	3.17	3.07	2.64	140.19	97.61	108.21	3,087
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.1	30.0	38.1	3.04	3.01	2.71	115.99	90.32	103.06	2,079
406-409	ENGINEERING	46.3	42.5	44.1	2.50	2.42	2.44	115.65	102.96	107.54	2,578
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
616	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	39.8	38.2	39.5	2.20	2.13	2.03	87.65	81.31	80.17	2,345
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	29.9	30.7	30.1	1.42	1.40	1.30	42.28	43.11	39.09	5,299
SASKATCHEWAN											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.3	41.0	41.7	3.22	3.25	3.03	133.08	133.31	126.21	3,418
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.3	39.3	38.9	2.64	2.62	2.36	103.54	103.02	91.80	7,150
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.1	39.0	39.3	2.69	2.63	2.32	107.89	102.66	91.37	2,700
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.7	39.5	38.6	2.60	2.61	2.39	100.90	103.24	92.06	4,450
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.2	39.4	38.4	2.57	2.60	2.34	97.88	102.33	90.01	2,613
100-139	FOODS	37.9	39.0	38.3	2.57	2.60	2.34	97.35	101.40	89.50	2,243
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.9	34.6	40.9	3.13	3.02	2.66	124.98	104.58	108.79	5,904
404,421	BUILDING	38.8	33.2	40.7	2.98	2.85	2.70	115.57	94.87	110.11	4,352
406-409	ENGINEERING	43.0	38.1	41.4	3.52	3.39	2.50	151.37	129.10	103.35	1,552
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	36.1	40.4	38.8	2.35	2.37	2.21	84.83	95.61	85.91	1,822
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	34.4	35.0	36.4	1.33	1.33	1.25	45.75	46.57	45.61	1,839
ALBERTA											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.1	40.6	42.4	3.32	3.31	3.17	139.87	134.29	134.26	6,961
092-099	SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO MINING	43.3	40.0	42.9	3.44	3.41	3.35	148.99	136.43	143.82	4,144
096	PETROLEUM CONTRACT DRILLING	44.1	40.4	43.5	3.50	3.48	3.39	154.48	140.77	147.40	3,568
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.2	38.0	39.3	2.54	2.53	2.37	99.47	96.41	93.21	26,209
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	39.5	37.5	39.9	2.51	2.47	2.34	99.13	92.75	93.37	12,611
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.9	38.5	38.8	2.57	2.59	2.40	99.79	99.77	93.08	13,598
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.5	38.2	38.2	2.57	2.56	2.38	99.08	97.51	91.11	7,153
100-139	FOODS	38.4	38.1	38.2	2.58	2.55	2.38	98.92	97.29	90.92	6,458
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	38.8	38.8	39.7	2.99	2.95	2.74	116.02	114.27	108.68	3,284
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	39.1	42.0	39.8	2.28	2.30	2.05	89.12	96.41	81.67	1,287
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	38.1	35.2	39.8	2.15	2.04	1.92	81.74	71.95	76.56	2,504
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	39.1	37.5	39.4	2.66	2.62	2.50	103.88	98.28	98.44	2,555
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	39.7	37.9	39.7	2.35	2.35	2.20	93.28	88.82	87.22	1,575
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	40.5	36.6	41.0	2.62	2.60	2.44	106.21	95.37	100.07	2,084
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.4	42.9	41.8	3.08	3.17	2.89	124.42	136.17	120.77	1,380

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		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
ALBERTA	- CONTINUED										
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.3	32.7	40.2	3.04	2.89	3.04	122.56	94.24	122.20	16,004
404,421	BUILDING	35.4	29.4	35.6	3.12	3.07	2.89	110.68	90.07	103.16	10,548
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	33.7	27.9	34.1	3.10	3.01	2.84	104.42	83.84	96.65	5,296
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	37.2	31.0	37.1	3.15	3.12	2.94	116.99	96.79	109.27	5,752
406-409	ENGINEERING	49.9	39.6	47.0	2.92	2.60	3.21	145.52	103.11	150.85	5,456
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	45.1	43.5	45.3	2.55	2.43	2.21	114.85	105.46	100.09	1,945
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	52.5	35.9	47.6	3.09	2.81	3.60	162.51	100.85	171.46	3,511
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	42.1	40.8	42.1	2.38	2.44	2.20	100.38	99.58	92.43	3,219
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	32.6	31.8	32.9	1.61	1.57	1.51	52.51	50.04	49.50	8,118
BRITISH COLUMBIA											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.4	39.9	41.5	3.47	3.46	3.22	143.45	137.83	133.66	5,797
050-059	METALS	41.0	40.5	42.6	3.46	3.46	3.23	141.67	140.05	137.57	3,888
100-399	MANUFACTURING	37.7	36.7	37.9	3.15	3.15	2.92	118.77	115.33	110.59	73,211
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	37.6	36.3	37.8	3.15	3.14	2.91	118.25	114.09	110.25	45,515
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	37.9	37.3	38.0	3.16	3.15	2.92	119.63	117.39	111.18	27,596
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	36.6	35.5	36.1	2.78	2.79	2.55	99.00	98.78	92.11	8,748
100-139	FOODS	35.2	34.9	35.7	2.76	2.77	2.52	97.16	96.61	89.75	7,749
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	38.5	39.9	39.3	3.02	3.04	2.77	116.51	121.26	108.80	1,696
111	FISH PRODUCTS	30.7	24.8	32.2	2.58	2.69	2.54	79.19	66.70	81.70	1,163
112	FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERS AND PRESERVERS	30.4	25.1	32.6	2.11	2.11	1.89	63.89	52.94	61.83	871
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	37.1	35.5	36.9	3.10	3.11	2.86	114.92	110.49	105.69	26,712
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	37.3	36.3	37.2	3.10	3.12	2.86	115.66	113.14	106.48	19,267
252	VENeer AND PLYWOOD MILLS	36.6	33.5	36.5	3.13	3.13	2.90	114.69	104.92	105.56	5,992
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.3	39.3	40.0	3.62	3.59	3.38	145.63	141.08	135.29	11,620
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	40.7	39.5	40.3	3.69	3.67	3.47	150.22	145.03	139.86	10,547
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	39.3	38.5	39.0	3.35	3.30	3.09	131.78	126.97	120.60	5,589
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	38.5	37.6	38.2	3.15	3.17	2.95	121.27	119.26	112.82	4,166
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	37.5	35.7	41.2	3.39	3.37	3.19	127.03	120.50	131.27	3,703
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING	37.0	34.7	41.9	3.55	3.54	3.29	131.33	123.00	138.05	2,416
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	38.3	39.6	39.2	3.05	3.10	2.90	116.90	123.05	113.99	1,329
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	37.1	30.4	40.1	4.12	4.18	4.09	153.06	127.15	163.72	15,484
404,421	BUILDING	35.1	29.5	37.3	3.91	3.96	3.82	137.36	117.03	142.44	9,718
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	34.4	28.8	36.9	3.93	4.01	3.67	135.24	115.67	135.43	5,924
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	36.2	30.6	37.8	3.89	3.90	3.99	140.68	119.17	151.07	3,794
406-409	ENGINEERING	40.5	32.1	43.8	4.43	4.52	4.40	179.53	144.74	192.49	5,766
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	34.7	27.9	35.0	3.86	3.94	3.75	133.95	110.02	131.19	1,441
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	38.1	37.8	37.2	2.84	2.85	2.68	108.24	107.74	99.61	3,368
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	34.6	34.0	35.1	1.78	1.77	1.71	61.67	60.12	59.92	1,497
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	31.3	31.5	32.5	1.78	1.76	1.70	55.72	55.25	55.45	9,540

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S.I.C. CODE	URBAN AREA AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
ST. JOHN S											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.5	40.7	42.4	1.90	1.92	1.67	78.79	78.13	70.97	1,542
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	41.8	36.3	45.4	2.16	2.04	2.02	90.15	74.03	91.87	1,511
HALIFAX											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	36.8	39.7	2.43	2.29	2.11	98.61	84.06	83.97	4,483
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.7	37.3	39.1	2.24	2.10	1.93	86.79	78.17	75.56	2,447
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	38.7	31.1	40.3	2.53	2.49	2.27	97.64	77.45	91.26	2,221
SYDNEY											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	39.3	38.6	2.46	2.48	2.69	97.43	97.44	103.66	3,518
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	39.8	39.7	39.1	2.52	2.52	2.76	100.12	100.24	107.98	3,205
MONCTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.0	39.2	40.2	1.97	2.01	1.82	76.90	78.75	73.30	1,216
SAIN T JOHN											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.1	41.0	40.8	2.40	2.39	2.17	98.74	97.91	88.62	4,313
DRUMMONDVILLE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	42.1	41.9	40.4	2.00	2.01	1.84	84.32	84.02	74.24	4,844
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.9	42.3	39.7	2.00	2.01	1.84	83.84	85.06	72.99	3,269
GRANBY											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.8	38.7	42.6	1.95	1.93	1.83	79.63	74.74	77.86	5,132
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.8	38.0	42.8	1.91	1.90	1.80	77.93	72.28	77.01	4,301
MONTREAL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.3	38.1	40.8	2.30	2.29	2.13	92.64	87.12	86.94	166,509
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	42.1	40.6	42.7	2.56	2.53	2.37	107.76	102.94	101.22	67,264
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.2	36.3	39.6	2.10	2.10	1.95	82.40	76.32	77.00	99,345
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	41.0	39.3	41.0	2.37	2.37	2.12	97.36	93.01	87.11	17,605
100-139	FOODS	40.8	38.7	40.6	2.29	2.26	2.01	93.44	87.46	81.78	14,964
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING.	40.7	38.5	41.8	2.69	2.68	2.35	109.59	103.30	98.12	2,761
141-147	BEVERAGES	42.0	42.2	42.9	2.82	2.85	2.69	118.62	120.13	115.29	2,741
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	37.2	36.2	37.6	2.78	2.76	2.63	103.52	100.01	99.06	3,818
170-179	LEATHER PROCESSING	39.8	35.4	39.9	1.69	1.68	1.59	67.07	59.42	63.35	7,074
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER.	40.1	35.7	40.1	1.71	1.72	1.62	68.56	61.21	64.89	4,814
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS.	42.0	39.3	42.6	1.74	1.73	1.66	73.23	67.95	70.57	7,131
230-239	KNITTING MILLS.	42.2	37.5	42.3	1.52	1.51	1.42	64.23	56.50	59.98	4,901
240-249	CLOTHING.	36.6	32.4	37.2	1.80	1.76	1.67	65.86	57.18	62.18	31,921
243	MEN'S CLOTHING.	37.9	35.2	38.3	1.85	1.80	1.70	70.07	63.24	65.22	9,371
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING.	35.4	30.0	36.1	1.87	1.82	1.74	66.03	54.74	62.94	15,132
245	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	37.7	34.2	38.7	1.47	1.46	1.35	55.35	49.78	52.18	4,195
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.	41.0	37.7	41.3	1.96	1.92	1.81	80.45	72.49	74.91	5,755
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.9	37.1	40.7	2.24	2.20	2.05	91.59	81.57	93.45	5,550
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS.	40.2	35.1	41.3	2.24	2.19	2.05	90.00	76.83	84.57	3,768

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		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
MONTREAL	- CONTINUED	NUMBER						DOLLARS			
200-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.6	37.2	38.9	3.01	2.99	2.91	113.14	111.21	113.09	8,004
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	38.7	38.4	40.7	2.63	2.61	2.54	101.85	100.19	103.35	4,311
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	35.5	35.2	35.3	3.60	3.60	3.56	127.93	127.06	125.71	2,541
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	43.3	40.9	42.5	2.67	2.64	2.44	115.85	107.83	103.50	4,220
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	42.0	39.5	42.0	2.54	2.48	2.35	106.61	98.09	98.78	15,184
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	41.3	40.3	41.2	2.62	2.56	2.43	108.17	103.27	100.30	5,057
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.7	39.2	43.6	2.66	2.66	2.55	108.19	104.41	111.28	4,501
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	40.4	38.9	43.9	2.70	2.70	2.59	108.83	105.19	113.53	4,185
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	42.6	43.6	43.3	2.81	2.78	2.57	119.52	121.07	111.21	17,045
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	43.7	43.9	44.6	2.75	2.73	2.60	120.72	119.61	116.05	10,702
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	41.5	39.7	42.6	2.61	2.56	2.42	108.48	101.77	103.08	13,502
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	41.6	38.9	43.3	2.75	2.66	2.50	114.54	103.56	108.36	7,489
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	42.8	40.5	42.9	2.42	2.46	2.34	103.74	99.50	100.32	5,454
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	41.0	39.8	41.2	2.35	2.33	2.16	96.36	92.79	89.10	4,179
374	PHARMACEUTICALS AND MEDICINES	41.3	39.4	40.7	2.19	2.17	2.05	90.30	85.50	83.20	1,535
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	39.1	37.4	40.7	1.91	1.86	1.79	74.60	69.61	72.77	6,216
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	37.9	33.0	39.6	3.50	3.45	3.18	132.91	114.10	126.24	19,448
404,421	BUILDING	37.2	32.5	39.6	3.56	3.50	3.20	132.29	113.82	127.01	16,376
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	40.0	33.7	40.7	3.50	3.42	3.32	140.05	115.09	135.06	4,200
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	36.2	32.1	39.1	3.58	3.53	3.14	129.61	113.39	122.89	12,176
406-409	ENGINEERING	42.1	35.8	39.6	3.26	3.23	3.08	136.25	115.67	121.95	3,072
QUEBEC											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.8	38.9	39.3	2.12	2.15	2.05	84.44	83.71	80.62	13,145
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	41.1	39.0	39.0	2.43	2.41	2.21	100.04	94.13	86.40	3,376
	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.4	38.8	39.5	2.01	2.06	1.98	79.05	79.93	78.10	9,769
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	38.3	31.4	39.6	2.93	2.93	2.66	112.11	91.88	105.41	3,390
404,421	BUILDING	36.4	30.2	39.0	2.96	2.95	2.69	107.56	89.24	105.11	2,467
SHAWINIGAN											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	38.8	41.5	2.50	2.52	2.41	101.23	97.66	99.89	6,055
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.3	38.7	41.6	2.45	2.48	2.37	98.93	96.16	98.40	4,930
SHERBROOKE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	42.4	39.6	43.6	2.00	2.00	1.87	84.89	79.32	81.41	6,980
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.8	39.0	42.3	1.93	1.93	1.78	80.48	75.32	75.21	5,403
SOREL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	40.0	41.9	2.76	2.71	2.50	111.82	108.46	104.81	4,004
ST.-HYACINTHE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	38.0	39.9	1.81	1.77	1.63	71.90	67.36	65.10	4,139
ST.-JEAN											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.4	38.9	41.9	2.04	2.02	1.90	84.48	78.47	79.56	4,569

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		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
ST.-JEROME											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.1	41.9	42.3	1.98	1.98	1.83	81.28	83.05	77.37	2,225
THETFORD MINES											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.9	39.4	42.5	2.84	2.69	2.64	119.06	105.69	112.28	2,918
TROIS-RIVIERES											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.5	39.2	41.8	2.40	2.37	2.27	94.50	93.13	95.00	8,890
NON-DUR 270-274	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.3	39.1	41.5	2.45	2.44	2.34	96.47	95.51	97.35	6,509
	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.6	41.3	42.8	3.12	3.05	3.05	129.56	125.91	130.48	3,423
VALLEYFIELD											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.7	42.1	41.2	2.35	2.35	2.21	98.25	98.96	91.08	4,599
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.5	41.2	41.4	2.27	2.27	2.12	94.36	93.53	87.88	3,518
OTTAWA-HULL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.9	38.4	40.1	2.63	2.63	2.63	102.28	101.00	97.41	11,431
DURABLE NON-DUR 270-274	DURABLE GOODS	39.5	37.7	41.6	2.30	2.25	2.11	91.08	84.99	87.84	1,995
	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.8	38.6	39.7	2.70	2.70	2.51	104.65	104.32	99.77	9,436
	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	39.6	38.8	39.9	3.08	3.06	2.88	122.05	118.72	114.83	3,690
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.6	31.6	38.9	3.09	2.99	2.61	122.33	94.52	101.79	5,345
404,421	BUILDING	39.6	31.5	38.9	3.11	3.02	2.64	123.02	95.03	102.67	5,125
BELLEVILLE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.9	37.5	40.7	2.11	2.11	1.97	84.04	79.09	80.20	4,900
BRAMPTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.4	38.4	40.2	2.53	2.45	2.34	102.24	93.88	94.08	9,075
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	39.8	38.8	40.1	2.63	2.51	2.46	104.44	97.44	98.51	6,325
BRANTFORD											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.2	37.4	39.6	2.55	2.54	2.42	100.15	94.96	95.66	10,312
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	39.3	38.5	40.3	2.83	2.81	2.71	111.28	108.18	109.18	5,918
	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.1	35.8	38.6	2.18	2.15	1.98	85.16	77.12	76.54	4,394
BROCKVILLE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.4	41.8	40.8	2.54	2.55	2.36	105.04	106.56	96.19	4,376
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.7	41.1	41.0	2.52	2.48	2.33	105.27	102.05	95.58	2,906

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		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
CHATHAM											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	43.2	43.2	42.1	2.84	2.77	2.52	122.49	119.69	105.94	3,854
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	44.1	43.5	41.1	3.10	3.03	2.81	136.89	132.04	115.48	2,808
CORNWALL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	39.5	40.8	2.47	2.44	2.25	99.91	96.48	91.98	4,834
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.3	39.4	40.6	2.48	2.46	2.25	99.98	96.94	91.32	4,555
FORT WILLIAM-PORT ARTHUR											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.9	38.5	40.2	2.89	2.90	2.73	112.20	111.85	109.86	4,514
GUELPH											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.0	37.3	40.2	2.40	2.39	2.19	95.90	89.06	89.19	6,414
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.4	38.1	41.1	2.55	2.48	2.35	103.01	94.58	96.48	3,843
HAMILTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.1	38.9	39.9	2.87	2.87	2.72	115.11	111.75	108.50	46,005
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	39.7	40.0	3.05	3.04	2.89	122.44	120.66	115.48	34,716
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.6	36.2	39.6	2.33	2.30	2.16	92.55	83.29	85.64	11,289
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.5	38.6	39.9	2.05	2.03	1.84	80.83	78.35	73.18	3,365
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.9	39.4	40.2	2.79	2.72	2.65	114.17	107.21	106.38	4,771
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	41.7	39.8	41.8	3.10	3.16	2.98	129.61	126.03	124.45	3,966
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	38.8	39.5	39.6	2.87	2.89	2.64	111.44	114.23	104.67	3,905
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.8	31.2	39.5	3.61	3.50	3.31	147.31	109.34	130.59	3,154
KINGSTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.7	41.3	40.4	2.63	2.94	2.51	107.22	121.52	101.29	4,938
KITCHENER											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.8	37.8	40.1	2.31	2.29	2.12	94.02	86.61	85.06	29,366
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.4	39.0	41.2	2.41	2.36	2.19	99.90	92.07	90.40	16,255
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.1	36.7	39.1	2.20	2.22	2.05	88.47	81.45	80.26	15,111
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.1	37.3	39.1	2.55	2.59	2.36	99.83	96.49	92.44	3,442
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	41.3	36.6	39.5	2.43	2.43	2.26	100.58	88.89	89.10	3,889
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	41.6	39.4	41.1	2.43	2.39	2.26	101.22	94.14	92.92	4,686
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.1	31.5	38.4	3.31	3.15	2.90	129.26	98.98	111.59	2,725
LONDON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.3	38.7	40.2	2.47	2.44	2.31	97.08	94.26	92.77	13,983
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	39.3	39.1	40.5	2.59	2.56	2.40	101.82	99.85	97.64	7,013
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.3	38.2	39.8	2.34	2.31	2.20	92.25	88.37	87.55	6,870
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	40.4	39.4	40.1	2.44	2.42	2.25	98.34	95.40	90.26	3,013
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	38.1	37.7	40.6	2.44	2.43	2.29	92.92	91.78	92.77	3,155

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		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
LONDON	- CONTINUED										
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	38.9	28.1	38.6	3.48	3.42	3.09	135.30	96.04	119.05	2,541
NIAGARA FALLS											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.3	40.0	40.5	2.70	2.76	2.55	106.31	110.31	103.05	3,743
DOSHAWA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	30.4	39.9	26.5	3.02	3.04	2.83	91.85	121.47	74.99	18,594
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	29.0	39.7	24.6	3.05	3.07	2.88	88.53	121.98	70.95	16,584
PETERBOROUGH											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.9	40.1	40.3	2.94	2.91	2.69	117.52	116.68	108.58	5,934
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.1	40.9	40.6	3.13	3.07	2.83	125.57	125.54	114.67	4,483
SARNIA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.1	40.5	41.3	3.41	3.35	3.21	140.19	135.52	132.60	6,153
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	42.0	41.9	41.9	3.52	3.45	3.30	148.02	144.57	137.98	4,295
STRATFORD											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.2	35.9	39.5	2.14	2.10	1.98	85.93	75.54	78.23	4,525
ST. CATHARINES											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.4	41.5	39.9	3.01	3.09	2.88	121.80	128.07	114.77	16,301
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.6	42.5	39.6	3.11	3.20	2.97	126.12	135.83	117.53	12,122
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.8	38.3	40.9	2.72	2.73	2.62	108.30	104.74	106.87	3,879
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.5	43.2	39.2	3.20	3.30	3.09	129.49	142.62	121.20	10,145
ST. THOMAS											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.6	38.2	40.0	2.53	2.37	1.99	105.12	90.72	79.50	4,113
TIMMINS											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	38.2	38.5	39.2	2.41	2.39	2.28	92.08	92.05	89.19	2,811
TORONTO											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	38.6	40.4	2.51	2.49	2.37	101.48	96.26	95.80	169,814
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.1	39.5	40.9	2.66	2.64	2.52	109.41	104.51	103.14	83,324
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.9	37.7	39.9	2.35	2.34	2.22	93.84	88.21	88.44	86,490
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	40.5	39.7	40.0	2.40	2.37	2.24	97.14	94.21	89.47	17,233
100-139	FOODS	40.5	39.6	39.9	2.37	2.34	2.19	96.04	92.53	87.48	16,234
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	41.5	41.8	41.1	2.82	2.78	2.56	117.13	116.12	105.16	3,502
129	BAKERIES	42.4	42.0	40.9	2.33	2.26	2.14	98.47	94.92	87.63	3,099

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		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
TORONTO											
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	42.6	41.6	41.8	2.88	2.87	2.77	122.95	119.26	115.91	4,106
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	39.9	37.8	39.7	1.89	2.05	1.88	75.49	77.38	74.72	3,553
240-249	CLOTHING	37.5	33.7	37.7	1.85	1.79	1.74	69.28	60.15	65.66	11,534
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	39.1	34.7	38.2	1.85	1.81	1.74	72.21	62.95	66.41	4,993
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	36.7	33.0	37.3	1.96	1.88	1.87	72.00	62.04	69.95	4,019
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	41.9	37.9	41.2	2.06	2.07	1.94	86.25	78.40	79.82	5,067
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.3	38.4	41.3	2.42	2.34	2.25	99.99	90.00	92.96	9,211
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	41.0	38.1	41.1	2.39	2.31	2.23	98.18	88.25	91.56	4,271
274	OTHER PAPER CONVERTERS	41.6	38.4	41.3	2.38	2.30	2.22	99.04	88.25	91.58	4,350
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.7	35.9	38.2	3.18	3.14	3.04	119.87	112.86	115.95	12,463
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	38.2	36.2	38.7	2.95	2.90	2.77	112.73	105.03	107.20	7,230
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	36.0	35.2	36.4	3.58	3.56	3.48	128.89	125.48	126.89	3,544
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	42.0	39.1	40.5	2.71	2.61	2.56	113.91	102.02	103.84	3,388
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	41.2	38.7	41.6	2.58	2.54	2.48	106.54	98.31	103.23	19,205
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	41.3	38.4	41.5	2.56	2.52	2.43	105.73	96.82	100.95	5,457
309	MISCELLANEOUS METAL FABRICATING	40.9	37.2	39.3	2.43	2.35	2.29	99.30	87.54	89.92	3,334
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	41.0	39.8	41.8	2.95	2.95	2.84	121.02	117.46	118.70	9,778
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.7	39.9	41.8	2.91	2.89	2.75	121.13	115.20	116.66	5,133
318	OFFICE AND STORE MACHINERY	41.0	40.5	43.9	2.94	2.95	2.82	120.32	119.49	126.07	2,718
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	41.5	41.8	40.3	3.00	2.98	2.86	124.37	124.64	115.02	18,065
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	39.9	38.5	40.2*	2.46	2.44	2.26	98.25	93.82	90.95	21,204
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	38.8	36.8	39.2	2.32	2.26	2.06	89.93	83.13	80.76	4,506
336	ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT	39.8	38.8	40.4	2.56	2.54	2.42	101.83	98.38	97.82	4,370
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	42.7	40.4	42.1	2.73	2.66	2.49	116.55	107.59	104.57	5,739
360-369	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	41.7	43.0	39.8	3.50	3.46	3.28	146.04	148.73	130.42	993
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	41.0	39.0	40.7	2.33	2.33	2.26	95.69	90.99	91.22	6,920
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	39.9	37.9	40.4	2.08	2.06	1.96	83.00	78.11	79.19	14,640
381	SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT	40.1	38.6	41.0	2.29	2.23	2.17	91.76	86.09	89.11	4,223
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	38.6	30.9	39.2	3.48	3.44	3.36	134.42	106.12	131.77	22,715
404,421	BUILDING	38.5	30.7	39.3	3.55	3.49	3.42	136.51	107.29	134.49	18,268
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.5	31.8	40.3	3.40	3.31	3.30	134.25	105.07	132.95	5,616
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.0	30.2	38.9	3.62	3.58	3.47	137.51	108.32	135.20	12,552
406-409	ENGINEERING	39.3	31.5	38.8	3.20	3.22	3.08	125.81	101.29	119.32	4,647
WELLAND											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.1	36.7	41.0	3.01	2.99	2.86	120.57	109.71	117.34	9,552
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.6	36.9	41.3	3.15	3.13	3.02	127.84	115.41	124.68	7,038
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	40.8	37.2	41.2	3.17	3.13	3.05	129.07	116.57	125.67	5,563
WINDSOR											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	33.9	44.6	38.4	3.00	3.05	2.90	101.56	136.11	111.28	25,460
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	32.7	45.8	38.1	3.05	3.09	2.94	99.95	141.69	112.14	21,435
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.0	38.2	41.1	2.75	2.79	2.51	110.11	106.38	103.06	4,025
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	29.7	47.5	36.7	3.08	3.13	3.02	91.72	148.73	110.84	14,251
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.0	26.9	38.6	3.94	3.84	3.59	153.58	103.08	138.53	1,505
WOODSTOCK											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.4	37.6	38.8	2.38	2.35	2.23	91.46	88.42	86.39	5,200
WINNIPEG											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.0	37.7	39.1	2.17	2.16	2.01	84.91	81.61	78.49	23,387
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.4	38.9	40.0	2.27	2.22	2.12	91.90	86.46	84.79	9,763
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.1	36.9	38.3	2.10	2.11	1.93	79.90	78.00	73.97	13,524
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.8	38.3	38.6	2.55	2.55	2.31	98.88	97.78	89.34	5,000
100-139	FOODS	39.0	38.2	38.9	2.52	2.51	2.27	98.35	95.98	88.21	4,350
240-249	CLOTHING	36.9	34.5	37.9	1.42	1.41	1.40	52.47	48.79	53.27	4,374

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		JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	JAN. 1968	DEC. 1967	JAN. 1967	
		NUMBER						DOLLARS			
WINNIPEG	- CONTINUED										NUMBER
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	39.5	33.7	40.2	2.70	2.64	2.50	106.82	89.02	100.59	4,498
404,421	BUILDING.	37.8	30.4	37.7	2.93	2.91	2.61	110.71	88.49	98.56	3,359
REGINA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	39.8	39.9	2.83	2.80	2.50	112.05	111.27	99.54	2,521
SASKATOON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.6	39.1	38.5	2.64	2.61	2.32	101.75	102.02	89.34	2,242
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	41.3	35.3	34.5	3.36	3.21	2.70	138.44	113.22	93.19	2,385
CALGARY											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.4	40.3	43.5	3.34	3.31	3.10	137.97	133.60	134.72	586
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.5	38.5	39.2	2.66	2.64	2.48	102.36	101.66	97.32	7,702
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	38.6	37.3	39.3	2.56	2.53	2.39	98.98	94.53	93.87	3,586
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.4	39.5	39.2	2.75	2.74	2.57	105.46	108.27	100.69	4,016
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.2	40.2	39.2	2.69	2.66	2.48	102.66	106.87	97.35	2,057
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	35.2	28.6	36.8	3.22	3.13	3.11	113.36	89.57	114.38	4,771
EDMONTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	37.6	39.6	2.49	2.51	2.34	98.82	94.43	92.54	11,297
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.8	37.0	40.5	2.54	2.53	2.40	103.63	93.64	97.30	4,241
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.0	37.9	39.1	2.46	2.50	2.30	95.93	94.91	89.93	7,056
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.6	38.3	39.0	2.62	2.60	2.42	100.94	99.70	94.44	3,588
100-139	FOODS	38.5	38.2	39.0	2.63	2.61	2.44	101.46	99.97	99.06	3,312
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	37.7	31.3	37.7	3.17	3.15	3.01	119.51	98.63	113.31	5,438
404,421	BUILDING.	36.5	29.7	36.2	3.20	3.17	2.94	116.86	94.11	106.57	4,516
VANCOUVER											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	37.1	36.3	37.5	3.02	3.00	2.79	112.14	108.73	104.62	37,243
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	37.5	35.9	37.8	3.13	3.10	2.89	117.26	111.33	109.10	24,010
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	36.5	36.9	37.0	2.82	2.82	2.60	102.84	103.94	96.43	13,233
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	36.5	38.2	36.9	2.88	2.86	2.66	105.28	109.33	98.39	5,398
100-139	FOODS	36.1	37.8	36.5	2.87	2.85	2.63	103.68	107.68	95.94	5,187
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	37.1	35.5	37.2	3.16	3.16	2.92	117.17	112.16	108.72	11,907
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	37.4	37.2	37.7	3.20	3.18	2.97	119.50	118.42	111.87	6,472
252	VENEER AND PLYWOOD MILLS	37.0	33.5	36.8	3.15	3.16	2.92	116.52	105.74	107.28	4,339
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.0	38.0	38.6	3.05	3.04	2.81	115.90	115.44	108.44	2,006
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	38.5	37.1	37.7	3.07	2.99	2.87	118.32	110.90	108.17	3,599
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	34.9	30.7	37.4	3.94	4.03	3.84	137.40	123.60	143.48	7,863
404,421	BUILDING.	34.9	30.4	37.5	3.94	4.01	3.83	137.22	121.85	143.69	6,429
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	33.5	29.2	36.3	3.98	4.08	3.63	133.61	119.07	131.87	3,340
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	36.3	31.9	38.7	3.89	3.93	4.00	141.13	125.23	155.03	3,089
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	32.2	32.7	33.6	1.80	1.78	1.76	58.15	58.24	59.04	6,112

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					NUMBER			DOLLARS			NUMBER
VICTORIA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	37.1	36.8	40.4	3.17	3.15	3.00	117.63	115.94	121.10	4,167
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	37.4	36.7	40.8	3.26	3.25	3.08	122.09	119.34	125.68	3,364
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	35.7	37.1	38.4	2.77	2.77	2.62	98.93	102.73	100.57	803

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Year	Average	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Saskatoon													
1965	39.5	38.8	39.1	38.7	38.7	39.4	39.3	40.9	39.0	39.3	40.8	40.0	40.1
1966	39.8	38.5	39.2	40.1	39.2	39.4	39.2	41.1	40.3	40.9	40.4	40.0	39.7
1967	39.4	38.5	39.1	38.6	39.3	40.0	39.4	39.4	40.3	39.8	39.5	39.1	39.1
1968		38.6											
Calgary													
1965	39.3	40.3	40.8	39.8	39.4	39.7	38.0	38.7	39.0	39.0	39.7	38.5	39.1
1966	39.9	38.9	40.0	39.1	39.1	39.2	41.4	40.9	39.8	40.7	41.1	40.4	38.6
1967	39.7	39.2	39.4	40.5	39.4	38.9	40.2	40.1	40.3	40.7	39.4	39.4	38.5
1968		38.5											
Edmonton													
1965	40.1	40.2	40.1	40.3	40.4	40.2	39.5	40.3	40.2	40.0	41.2	40.1	39.0
1966	39.7	39.4	40.3	39.4	39.9	40.2	40.3	40.1	39.6	40.3	39.9	39.5	37.6
1967	39.2	39.6	39.1	39.5	39.5	39.6	39.2	39.3	39.1	39.6	39.9	38.9	37.6
1968		39.7											
Vancouver													
1965	37.8	38.3	38.2	37.9	38.1	38.1	37.4	37.2	37.1	37.6	37.5	38.2	37.4
1966	37.6	38.2	38.1	37.8	37.9	37.9	37.1	37.4	37.4	37.5	37.4	37.9	36.2
1967	37.6	37.5	37.8	37.7	37.9	38.1	37.8	37.3	37.6	37.6	37.4	37.8	36.3
1968		37.1											
Victoria													
1965	38.6	39.2	38.8	37.8	38.5	38.8	40.5	39.6	38.1	38.7	38.0	38.1	36.7
1966	38.1	38.7	38.7	38.6	38.7	38.3	37.5	37.6	37.6	37.4	37.8	38.8	37.4
1967	38.4	40.4	38.8	38.4	38.6	39.0	38.5	37.6	38.0	37.9	38.3	39.2	36.8

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TABLE 9. Average Weekly Wages of Hourly-rated Wage-earners, not Adjusted for Seasonality, Selected Industries, Canada

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TABLE 11. Index Numbers (1961=100) of Average Hourly Earnings in Total Manufacturing, Durable Goods, Non-durable Goods and Electrical Industrial Equipment, for Canada, 1957-67(1)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Average
Manufacturing													
1957													
1958													
1959													
1960													
1961	98.9	99.5	100.0	100.0	100.5	100.0	99.5	99.5	99.5	100.0	100.5	102.1	100.0
1962	101.6	102.2	102.2	103.3	103.3	103.3	102.7	101.6	102.7	103.3	103.8	106.0	102.7
1963	105.5	105.5	105.5	106.6	106.6	106.6	105.5	105.5	106.6	107.1	108.2	109.8	106.6
1964	108.7	108.7	109.8	109.8	110.4	110.4	109.8	110.4	110.9	110.9	111.5	113.7	110.4
1965	113.7	113.7	115.3	115.8	115.3	115.3	114.2	114.2	116.4	117.5	118.0	119.1	115.7(2)
1966	119.7	120.2	121.3	121.9	121.9	121.9	121.8	122.4	124.0	125.1	126.2	126.2	122.7(2)
1967	127.3	128.4	129.5	130.1	130.1	130.6	131.1	131.1	132.8	133.8	134.4	136.6	131.3(2)
1968	136.1												
Durable goods													
1957													
1958													
1959													
1960													
1961	99.0	99.5	100.0	100.0	100.5	100.0	99.5	99.5	100.0	100.5	100.5	101.5	100.0
1962	101.5	101.5	102.0	102.5	103.0	102.5	102.0	102.0	103.0	103.0	104.0	104.5	102.5
1963	105.0	105.0	105.0	106.5	106.5	106.0	104.5	105.5	106.5	107.0	108.0	108.5	106.0
1964	108.5	108.5	109.0	109.5	110.0	110.0	109.5	111.0	112.0	110.5	111.0	112.0	110.0
1965	113.0	113.0	115.0	115.5	115.0	114.5	114.0	114.5	116.0	117.5	118.0	117.0	115.3(2)
1966	118.5	119.5	120.0	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	121.5	123.5	124.5	124.5	123.5	121.5(2)
1967	125.0	126.0	127.0	128.0	128.0	128.5	129.0	130.0	131.0	132.0	132.5	133.5	129.2(2)
1968	133.5												
Non-durable goods													
1957													
1958													
1959													
1960													
1961	98.8	98.8	100.0	100.6	100.6	100.0	99.4	98.8	99.4	100.0	100.6	103.0	100.0
1962	101.2	101.8	101.8	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	100.6	101.8	102.4	103.0	106.5	102.4
1963	104.1	104.7	104.7	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.3	104.7	105.3	105.9	106.5	110.7	105.9
1964	107.7	107.7	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	108.9	108.9	109.5	110.1	110.7	113.6	109.5
1965	111.8	112.4	112.4	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.0	114.8	115.4	116.0	118.9	114.1(2)
1966	118.3	118.9	120.1	120.7	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	122.5	123.7	124.9	127.2	121.8(2)
1967	127.2	128.4	129.6	130.2	130.8	130.8	131.4	130.8	132.0	133.7	133.7	137.3	131.3(2)
1968	136.1												
Electrical industrial equipment													
1957													
1958													
1959													
1960													
1961	98.6	99.0	99.5	100.0	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.0	100.5	99.0	99.0	101.4	100.0
1962	101.9	101.4	101.9	101.9	102.9	103.3	103.3	102.9	104.3	103.3	103.3	101.9	102.9
1963	103.3	103.3	103.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	104.3	104.3	106.2	106.2	106.2	104.8	
1964	105.2	106.2	106.7	107.6	108.1	108.6	110.0	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.0	110.5	108.6
1965	110.0	109.5	111.0	111.4	111.9	111.9	112.4	111.9	112.9	113.3	113.3	113.3	111.9(2)
1966	114.3	114.8	115.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.1	115.7	118.6	118.1	119.0	117.6	116.5(2)
1967	116.7	112.9	119.5	120.5	120.0	120.5	122.4	123.8	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.7	121.8(2)
1968	126.7												

(1) Table will be completed in subsequent publications as data become available.

(2) Subject to revision.

TABLE 12. Average Weekly Wages in Manufacturing in Current Dollars and Adjusted for Changes
in the Consumer Price Index, for Canada

Year and month	Weekly wages in current dollars	Index numbers of weekly wages in current dollars (1961=100)	Weekly wages in 1961 dollars	Index numbers of weekly wages in 1961 dollars
1957				
1958				
1959				
1960				
1961	74.45	100.0	74.45	100.0
1962	76.75	103.1	75.87	101.9
1963	79.51	106.8	77.24	103.7
1964	82.96	111.4	79.16	106.3
1965(1)	86.89	116.7	80.73	108.0
1966(1)	91.65	123.1	82.04	110.2
1967(1)	96.84	130.1	83.64	112.4
1965 - January	85.25	114.5	80.28	107.8
February	84.48	113.5	79.50	106.8
March	87.11	117.0	81.73	109.8
April	87.03	116.9	81.48	109.4
May	86.66	116.4	80.55	103.2
June	86.87	116.7	80.46	108.1
July	85.38	114.7	79.13	106.3
August	86.10	115.6	79.97	107.4
September	88.08	118.3	81.69	109.7
October	89.53	120.3	82.51	110.8
November	89.81	120.6	82.41	110.7
December	86.40	116.1	79.06	106.3
1966 - January	89.65	120.4	81.51	109.5
February	90.76	121.9	82.35	110.6
March	91.24	122.6	82.32	110.6
April	91.72	123.2	82.64	111.0
May	91.37	122.7	82.09	110.3
June	90.82	122.0	81.32	108.3
July	90.46	121.5	80.66	105.3
August	91.95	123.5	81.87	110.0
September	93.65	125.8	83.27	111.8
October	94.49	126.9	83.90	112.7
November	94.43	126.8	83.62	112.3
December	89.24	119.9	78.97	106.1
1967 - January	93.26	125.3	82.47	110.8
February	94.23	126.6	83.10	111.6
March	95.02	127.6	83.06	111.6
April	96.50	129.6	84.19	113.1
May	96.06	129.0	83.41	112.0
June	97.13	130.5	83.55	112.2
July	96.45	129.6	82.58	110.9
August	97.43	130.9	83.53	112.2
September	99.20	133.2	85.16	114.4
October	99.88	134.2	85.46	114.8
November	100.18	134.6	85.26	114.5
December	96.78	130.0	81.94	110.1
1968 - January	99.34	133.4	84.05	112.9
February				
March				
April				
May				
June				
July				
August				
September				
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 wages are spent. A statement of uses and limitations of the adjusted figures appears in the notes.

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

(1) Subject to revision.

NOTES

Each month the Employment Section collects from its reporting units data on the number of paid employees and their payrolls, on the number of wage-earners for whom a record of hours is kept and their hours and earnings, and on the number of female employees. The data on total numbers of employees, their average weekly wages and salaries and on female employees are released in a monthly report "Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries", Catalogue No. 72-002. The data relate to a reference period, conceptually the last seven days of the month. In a monthly tabulation, data are grouped into industry and area units.

The Reporting Unit

The reporting unit is the establishment, that is, the smallest industrial unit which is a separate operating entity capable of reporting all elements of basic industrial statistics including information on inputs and outputs needed to calculate "value added" or "gross mark-up" or "gross profit" as well as the related data on employment and payrolls. For purposes of urban area statistics, the Employment Section may request separate reports from parts of an establishment located in different urban centres.

Monthly reports are requested from establishments in the following industrial divisions: forestry; mining, including milling; manufacturing; construction; transportation, communication and other utilities; trade; finance, insurance and real estate; and service. The Employment Section does not have wage-earner data for all these divisions. In some industries there are relatively few wage-earners. In others the earnings are not related to their hours as is the case of monthly paid wage-earners or employers who do not keep a record of man-hours. For these reasons data on wage-earners are currently available for mining, manufacturing, construction and for the following industries in other divisions: urban transit, highway and bridge maintenance, laundries, cleaners and pressers and hotels, restaurants and taverns.

The survey covers larger firms, that is, firms having 20 or more employees in any month of the year. Thus all the establishments of a firm that had 20 or more employees, in total, in any month of the year would be included even though any particular establishment had only a few employees. This size criteria results in approximately the same coverage as did the "usually employing 15 or more" concept that was formerly used.

It is important to emphasize that the statistics in the report do not represent estimates of total numbers of wage-earners in specified industries or areas, but show only certain wage-earners on the staffs of co-operating employers in the reference period. In manufacturing the number of hourly-rated wage-earners on the average in 1964 was 68.1 per cent of all manufacturing employees reported in the Employment Section's survey. In mining the hourly-paid wage-earners represented 71.4 p.c. of reported employment and in construction 77.9 p.c.

Definitions

Reference Period

The figures refer to the last seven days in the specified months. In practice, few establishments keep payroll records covering precisely this period and establishments are therefore permitted to report for their last pay period or pay periods in each month.

When the reported pay period is longer than one week, the payroll data are reduced to one week's proportion of the totals. The numerators of the fractions used in calculating these weekly equivalents are 5, 6 or 7 depending on the number of days per week in which the establishment operated in the pay period. The denominators of the fractions are the number of working days in the different pay periods. When a holiday, lay-off or industrial dispute occurs in an establishment that reports a pay period other than the last week of the month an adjustment is made to the data if the holiday, lay-off or dispute affects the two periods differently.

Wage-earners

The survey covers the wage-earners of the reporting establishments for whom a record of hours is kept except for casuals working less than the equivalent of one day a week and wage-earners paid at a monthly rate. Regular part-time wage-earners are included as are certain workers whose earnings are not solely based on hours worked such as piece-workers in establishments that keep a record of hours.

Wage-earners are defined as those employees engaged in actual production and related operations, including working foremen doing work similar to that of the employees they supervise. Also included are maintenance, warehouse and delivery staffs, routemen, driver-salesmen, sales clerks in retail stores, waitresses, etc.

Wage-earners not receiving pay for anytime during the reference period are excluded. For example, workers on strike during the reported pay period, or laid off as a consequence of a strike, are not included in the data unless they work part of the week or they draw pay from their employers (e.g. vacation pay). The exclusion of persons affected by industrial dispute is one of the main sources of irregular fluctuations in the series.

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 purposes of computing overtime payments are excluded. 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.

Wages

The wages of reported wage-earners are covered. These are gross payments before deductions are made for taxes, unemployment insurance, etc. Included are straight-time wages, over-time wages, cost-of-living allowances, payments to persons absent because of holidays, vacations, sickness, etc., and regularly paid incentive, production and shift bonuses.

The wages concept does not include supplementary labour costs, operational costs or payments not related to the reference period. Thus the data do not include such items as employer's contributions to unemployment insurance, medical plans, workmen's compensation, or other welfare plans, the value of room and board, compensation in kind, travelling expenses, retirement gratuities, or bonuses paid at irregular or infrequent intervals. The treatment of vacation stamps is an exception. Although payment of vacation stamps does not relate to the reference period, these payments are included in the wages data and the employees are considered to be absent without pay during the period they are on vacation.

Organization of Data

The Tabulation

Data tabulated each month show the numbers of wage-earners, their hours and their wages for the current and preceding month. The statistics first published for each month are preliminary; retabulation of the data in the succeeding month permits incorporation of corrections, retroactive pay for one month and data received too late for inclusion in the first tabulation. Data tabulated but not published are available on request provided the secrecy requirements of the Statistics Act are met.

The data are classified by industrial and geographic units and various averages and aggregates are calculated.

Industrial Classification

All reporting establishments are assigned to an industrial class on the basis of their principal activity. If an establishment is engaged in a number of different industrial activities, its principal activity is determined by the net value added by these activities or, where this is not possible, by the gross revenue obtained from the different activities. When an establishment has very mixed activities, it is not necessarily shifted from industry to industry each time its principal activity changes.

A description of the various industries and groups of industries may be found in the "Standard Industrial Classification Manual", DBS Catalogue No. 12-501. The "S.I.C. code" columns in the main tables refer to this manual. The tables contain a few classes not found in the S.I.C. These include:

Durable-goods manufacturing - The sum of wood products, furniture and fixtures, primary metal industries, metal fabricating industries, machinery (except electrical), transportation equipment, electrical products, and non-metallic mineral products.

Non-durable goods manufacturing - The sum of the remaining manufacturing industries.

Building - The sum of general contractors and special trade contractors.

Engineering - The sum of highways, bridges and streets and other construction.

As well, the tables subdivide the synthetic textile industry into filament yarn and staple fibres and spun yarn and fabrics.

Geographic Classification

Reporting establishments are assigned to a province and, where applicable, to an urban area. Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick are added together in some tables to give a figure for the Atlantic Region. Similarly, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are added together to give a figure for the Prairie Region. Establishments in the Yukon and Northwest Territories are excluded from provincial totals but are included in the Canada totals. For urban areas the Census of Population's "Metropolitan Area" definitions were used for the seventeen urban areas where they apply. The definitions used for other urban areas are based on a labour market concept; the areas usually include a main centre and surrounding territory. A list showing the territory included in each tabulated urban area is available from the Employment Section on request.

An establishment not located in a tabulated urban area or an establishment that has no fixed location such as certain construction establishments is included in the provincial totals but is not assigned to an urban centre.

Averages

The average weekly hours figure is obtained by dividing total weekly man-hours by the total number of wage-earners who worked those hours. Average hourly earnings are obtained by dividing total weekly wages by total weekly hours. Average weekly wages are obtained by dividing total weekly wages by the total number of wage-earners. It should be noted that total hours include overtime hours actually worked and that the wage-earner total includes part-time wage-earners and casuals working more than the equivalent of one day a week. Annual statistics are calculated from the aggregate of the monthly data, not from monthly averages.

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 average weekly wages rises from \$80.00 in week A to \$100.00 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 25 per cent rise from \$80.00 to \$100.00 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 \$100.00 by the amount of the consumer price increase. The adjusted average is \$90.91 ($100.00 / 110.0 \times 100.0$), which may be referred to as a weekly wage average for week B expressed in the dollars of period A, or it may be said to indicate the level of real weekly wages relative to week A.

The foregoing calculation can be carried a step further to express in index number form the relationship between the week A average of \$80.00 and the week B figure of \$90.91. Taking the week A average of \$80.00 as equal to 100.0, the week B index becomes 113.6 ($90.91 / 80.00 \times 100.0$). Such an index may be called an index of weekly real wages. It indicates that average wages for week B will buy 13.6 per cent more goods and services than those received in week A, in spite of a 10 per cent rise in consumer prices. This 13.6 per cent increase in real wages compares with the rise of 25 per cent in money wages ($100.00 / 80.00 \times 100.0$).

It should be noted that while the estimates of average real wages may reflect the experience of broad groups of workers fairly well, their applicability to individual wage-earners depends upon 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 an 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.

The table in this report showing indexes of both actual and real wages uses 1961 as a reference year. However, the adjustment made in the foregoing illustration can be applied to any reference level; percentage change between any two periods will be the same regardless of the reference period selected.

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