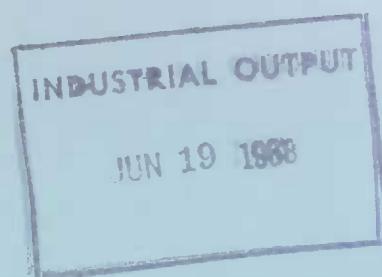


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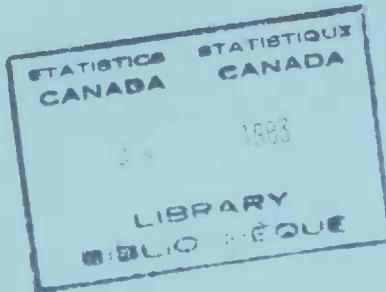
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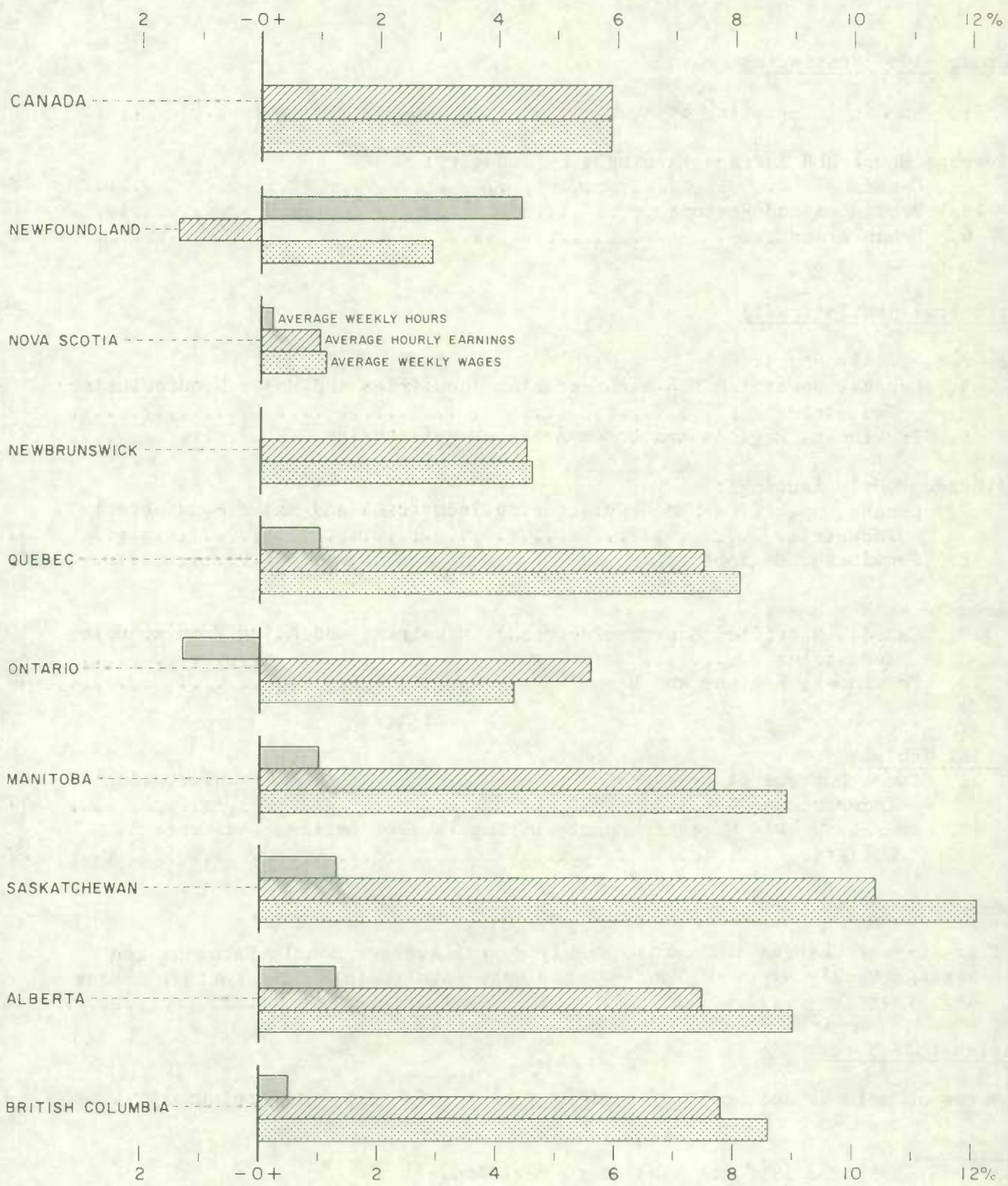
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(1) 1965, 1966 and 1967 are subject to revision.

PERCENTAGE CHANGES IN AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS, AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS
AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE EARNERS
IN MANUFACTURING — CANADA AND PROVINCES

MARCH 1967 — MARCH 1968



MAN-HOURS AND HOURLY EARNINGS

MARCH 1968

Summary

Average weekly wages in manufacturing showed little change from February, as an increase of 2 cents in average hourly earnings was offset by a 0.3 hour decline in average weekly hours. The decline in average hours occurred in the durables component (following the settlement of an industrial dispute in motor vehicles) where employees were recalled only for the latter part of the reference week. Compared with March 1967, average weekly hours showed no change and average hourly earnings were 14 cents higher.

In mining, average weekly wages declined from \$128.94 in February to \$128.20 in March as average hourly earnings were unchanged at \$3.02 and average hours were 0.3 hours lower. In the year-over-year comparison, average weekly hours were 0.3 hours higher and average hourly earnings were 22 cents higher.

In construction, average weekly wages rose from \$132.89 in February to \$133.47 in March as a 0.3 hour increase in average weekly hours more than offset a 1 cent decline in average hourly earnings. The increase in average hours occurred in the building component, while average hourly earnings were unchanged. In the engineering component, both average hours and hourly earnings were lower in March than in February. Compared with March of last year, average weekly hours in construction were 1.5 hours higher and average hourly earnings were 17 cents higher.

The footnotes to the first two tables below indicate some of the main factors underlying the large variations from last month in average weekly hours and average hourly earnings.

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

Industry	Canada	Atlantic Region	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Region	British Columbia
number						
Mining	- 0.3	- 0.2	- 0.4	- 0.5	- 0.3	0.2
Manufacturing	- 0.3	1.1	0	- 0.8	0.3	0.2
Durables	- 0.7	0.5	- 0.2	- 1.3	0.4	0.3
Wood Products	0.1	- 0.8	0.4	0	0.2	0.2
Primary Metal	0.3	- 0.7	0.6	0.1	2.4(2)	0.4
Metal Fabricating	0	1.9	0.2	- 0.3	- 0.4	1.1
Transportation Equipment	- 4.0	0.5	- 2.1(3)	- 5.3(3)	- 0.1	- 0.1
Electrical Products	0.1	--(1)	0.2	0	--(1)	--(1)
Non-Durables	0.1	0.4	0.1	- 0.2	0.2	0.2
Food and Beverages	0.4	2.9(4)	0.2	0	0.4	0
Textiles	- 0.6	--(1)	0.1	- 1.3(5)	--(1)	--(1)
Clothing	0	--(1)	0	- 0.2	0.1	--(1)
Paper Products	0.2	0.4	0.6	- 0.2	--(1)	0
Construction	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.7	0	- 0.9
Building	0.7	1.1	0.3	1.1	0.5	0.2
Engineering	- 0.9	- 1.0	0	- 0.6	- 0.6	- 3.0(6)

(1) Relatively few employees in this region.

(2) Increased activity.

(3) Partial return to work for only part of the reference week following settlement of an industrial dispute in motor vehicles.

(4) Seasonal increase in activity in fish products.

(5) Return to work for only part of the reference week following settlement of an industrial dispute.

(6) In other engineering.

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 March 1968		
	March 1968	Feb. 1968	March 1967	March 1968	Feb. 1968	March 1967	March 1968	Feb. 1968	March 1967			
number						dollars						
<u>INDUSTRY DIVISION</u>												
Mining, including milling	42.4	42.7	42.1	3.02	3.02	2.80	128.20	128.94	117.98	77,944		
Manufacturing	40.1	40.4	40.1	2.51	2.49	2.37	100.62	100.53	95.02	989,682		
Durable goods	40.2	40.9	40.6	2.70	2.67	2.54	108.53	109.21	103.10	490,993		
Non-durable goods	40.0	39.9	39.6	2.32	2.31	2.19	92.84	92.26	86.64	498,689		
Construction	40.7	40.4	39.2	3.28	3.29	3.11	133.47	132.89	122.05	153,773		
Other industries	41.0	40.8	42.7	3.09	3.11	2.86	126.75	126.91	121.85	17,834		
Urban transit	41.3	40.6	41.5	2.35	2.36	2.16	97.17	95.59	89.69	30,107		
Highway and bridge maintenance	38.9	38.3	38.7	1.47	1.46	1.39	57.20	55.74	53.73	15,086		
Laundries, cleaners and pressers	33.5	33.5	34.2	1.47	1.47	1.38	49.15	49.20	47.14	76,257		
<u>MANUFACTURING</u>												
<u>Region and Province</u>												
Atlantic Region	41.2	40.1	40.8	2.06	2.08	2.02	84.72	83.56	82.42	46,852		
Newfoundland	42.4	40.4	40.6	2.12	2.25	2.15	89.65	90.73	87.09	7,069		
Nova Scotia	40.5	39.3	40.4	2.03	2.03	2.01	81.97	79.61	81.06	21,550		
New Brunswick	41.4	40.9	41.4	2.10	2.12	2.01	86.92	86.58	83.11	17,372		
Quebec	41.2	41.2	40.8	2.28	2.25	2.12	93.66	92.65	86.65	309,496		
Ontario	39.6	40.4	40.1	2.62	2.59	2.48	103.79	104.87	99.51	497,308		
Prairie Region	39.8	39.6	39.4	2.43	2.41	2.25	96.93	95.33	88.48	61,766		
Manitoba	39.9	39.4	39.5	2.24	2.21	2.08	89.31	86.87	81.98	27,411		
Saskatchewan	39.5	39.4	39.0	2.65	2.65	2.40	104.90	104.30	93.56	7,375		
Alberta	39.9	39.8	39.4	2.57	2.55	2.39	102.67	101.61	94.19	26,475		
British Columbia	38.2	38.0	38.0	3.18	3.15	2.95	121.53	119.91	111.91	74,311		
CANADA	40.1	40.4	40.1	2.51	2.49	2.37	100.62	100.53	95.02	989,682		
<u>Urban Area(1)</u>												
St. John's	43.2	42.6	41.9	1.98	1.94	1.71	85.68	82.36	71.48	1,452		
Halifax	41.4	40.6	40.6	2.34	2.36	2.15	97.02	95.57	87.43	4,626		
Sydney	38.3	39.1	40.1	2.51	2.52	3.07	95.97	98.46	123.09	3,517		
Moncton	38.9	39.2	40.3	1.98	1.95	1.83	77.23	76.46	73.55	1,257		
Saint John	40.4	40.2	40.8	2.41	2.38	2.19	97.39	95.84	89.24	4,750		
Montreal	40.6	40.8	40.3	2.33	2.30	2.16	94.69	93.69	86.95	168,545		
Quebec	41.1	40.2	40.0	2.19	2.17	2.08	89.94	87.27	83.19	13,652		
Shawinigan	40.5	40.2	40.0	2.61	2.51	2.44	105.60	100.73	97.55	5,706		
Sherbrooke	43.0	42.7	42.0	2.03	2.01	1.90	87.34	86.05	79.92	6,832		
Trois Rivières	40.7	40.5	40.8	2.40	2.41	2.29	97.65	97.82	93.52	8,842		
Ottawa-Hull	40.3	39.0	40.2	2.66	2.65	2.44	107.13	103.42	97.96	11,315		
Belleville	40.1	39.7	40.7	2.16	2.15	2.01	86.57	85.29	81.77	4,953		
Brampton	39.7	39.9	40.5	2.56	2.55	2.39	101.59	101.70	96.87	8,983		
Brantford	39.6	39.7	40.8	2.52	2.50	2.47	99.66	99.26	100.75	9,636		
Fort William-Port Arthur	39.2	37.9	40.8	2.90	2.89	2.69	113.56	109.37	109.71	4,805		
Guelph	40.0	40.0	39.9	2.41	2.41	2.27	96.38	96.25	90.52	6,266		
Hamilton	40.2	40.3	40.4	2.88	2.89	2.77	115.83	116.34	111.98	46,823		
Kingston	40.1	40.0	42.1	2.76	2.76	2.66	110.74	110.41	111.72	5,016		
Kitchener	40.1	40.4	39.4	2.33	2.30	2.14	93.43	92.94	84.16	28,364		
London	39.8	39.6	39.7	2.46	2.45	2.32	97.97	97.06	91.94	12,929		
Niagara Falls	39.7	40.0	40.0	2.70	2.70	2.63	107.18	107.87	105.22	3,705		
Oshawa	22.5	39.7	39.4	3.27	2.75	2.95	73.66	108.87	116.10	16,953		
Peterborough	39.8	39.7	39.4	2.96	2.96	2.79	117.67	117.23	110.12	5,792		
Sarnia	41.9	41.4	40.7	3.37	3.37	3.32	141.17	139.70	134.91	6,178		
St. Catharines	33.6	40.4	40.4	2.92	2.89	2.90	98.15	116.70	117.01	11,262		
Toronto	40.4	40.5	39.8	2.52	2.51	2.40	101.76	101.91	95.34	169,876		
Welland	40.1	39.9	40.3	3.03	3.02	2.86	121.71	120.47	115.17	9,526		
Windsor	40.5	40.5	40.0	3.17	3.11	2.91	127.53	125.90	116.42	23,442		
Winnipeg	39.5	39.3	39.2	2.20	2.16	2.03	86.91	84.99	79.64	23,633		
Regina	39.9	40.2	40.0	2.73	2.74	2.52	109.07	110.25	100.96	2,585		
Saskatoon	39.3	39.1	38.6	2.68	2.66	2.41	105.29	104.15	92.90	2,479		
Calgary	39.5	39.5	38.9	2.68	2.67	2.48	105.93	105.51	96.54	7,671		
Edmonton	39.9	40.0	39.5	2.54	2.52	2.37	101.49	100.92	93.66	11,537		
Vancouver	38.0	37.5	37.7	3.07	3.03	2.82	116.55	113.54	106.55	37,555		
Victoria	39.5	38.9	38.4	3.24	3.24	3.00	127.90	126.02	115.34	4,337		

(1) For other urban areas see Table 4.

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

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

(1) Relatively few employees in this region.

(2) Mainly in metal mines.

(3) Overtime payments.

(4) Overtime payments in shipbuilding and repairing; recall of higher-paid employees in motor vehicles following settlement of industrial dispute.

(5) Recall of higher-paid employees in motor vehicles following settlement of industrial dispute.

(6) Wage increases in most component industries.

(7) Settlement of industrial dispute.

(8) In other engineering.

APRIL 1968

Preliminary estimates for April indicate a substantial increase over March in average weekly wages in manufacturing, largely as a result of wage increases and overtime payments following settlement of industrial disputes in the durables component. In construction, average weekly hours were lower; average hourly earnings slightly higher than in March. Further industry or area detail than that given in the table below is not yet available.

	Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings			Average weekly wages		
	April 1968	Mar. 1968	April 1967	April 1968	Mar. 1968	April 1967	April 1968	Mar. 1968	April 1967
	number			dollars			dollars		
Manufacturing	40.6	40.1	40.5	2.55	2.51	2.38	103.67	100.62	96.50
Durables	41.5	40.2	41.1	2.77	2.70	2.56	115.00	108.53	105.06
Non-durables	39.8	40.0	39.8	2.34	2.32	2.20	93.46	92.84	87.62
Mining	42.1	42.4	41.9	3.03	3.02	2.81	127.78	128.20	117.62
Construction	40.2	40.7	41.3	3.29	3.28	3.17	132.30	133.47	131.07
Building	39.7	39.4	40.3	3.40	3.35	3.18	134.95	132.17	128.19
Engineering	42.0	43.6	43.9	3.08	3.13	3.14	129.38	136.64	137.86

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

S.I.C. CODE	INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
050-C59	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.4	42.7	42.1	3.02	3.02	2.80	128.20	128.94	117.98	77,944
050-C59	METALS.	41.4	41.5	41.5	3.13	3.11	2.92	129.65	129.21	121.03	47,150
051-052	GOLD.	40.3	40.5	40.8	2.50	2.48	2.33	100.81	100.70	94.99	7,915
053	COPPER-GOLD-SILVER.	40.3	40.2	40.6	3.04	2.95	2.80	122.59	120.14	113.51	9,467
058	IRON.	44.3	44.5	44.5	3.39	3.40	3.21	150.52	151.23	146.87	7,226
061-C69	MINERAL FUELS.	42.6	43.7	42.3	2.55	2.58	2.30	108.66	112.53	97.14	9,572
061	COAL.	42.7	43.8	42.0	2.31	2.32	2.05	98.70	101.60	86.34	7,309
071-079	NON-METALS, EXCEPT FUELS.	42.8	43.4	42.6	2.86	2.85	2.61	122.37	123.61	111.70	9,438
071	ASBESTOS.	43.9	45.0	43.0	2.99	2.94	2.69	131.19	132.00	115.92	5,891
083-C87	QUARRIES AND SAND PITS.	45.9	44.5	44.9	2.38	2.36	2.24	109.27	105.12	100.42	2,400
092-C99	SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO MINING	46.3	46.6	43.6	3.28	3.25	3.12	151.55	153.02	136.09	9,384
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.1	40.4	40.1	2.51	2.45	2.37	100.62	100.53	95.02	989,682
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	40.9	40.6	2.70	2.67	2.54	108.53	109.21	103.10	490,993
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.0	39.9	39.6	2.32	2.31	2.19	92.84	92.26	86.64	498,689
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	39.8	39.4	40.0	2.27	2.26	2.11	90.27	89.16	84.39	110,931
100-139	FOODS	39.7	39.3	39.5	2.21	2.21	2.04	87.71	86.62	81.48	97,727
1C1	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING.	39.3	39.2	40.3	2.75	2.72	2.49	108.09	106.76	100.41	19,515
1C5-1C7	DAIRY PRODUCTS.	40.5	40.6	40.4	2.36	2.36	2.19	95.60	96.03	88.30	13,219
111	FISH PRODUCTS	41.9	37.1	39.1	1.55	1.56	1.51	64.99	57.80	59.21	8,574
112	FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERS AND PRESERVERS	38.4	39.2	38.3	1.51	1.50	1.81	73.42	74.58	69.37	9,529
123-125	GRAIN MILL PRODUCTS	41.6	41.4	42.1	2.39	2.36	2.25	99.27	97.86	94.84	5,665
128	BISCUITS.	38.4	38.4	38.9	2.02	2.02	1.84	77.65	77.42	71.64	5,150
129	BAKERIES.	39.8	39.6	40.6	2.14	2.13	1.98	85.05	84.24	80.48	13,131
131	CONFECTIIONERY	39.3	38.8	39.2	1.86	1.84	1.70	73.18	71.28	66.73	7,627
139	MISCELLANEOUS FOOD PRODUCTS	40.5	40.9	39.8	2.26	2.27	2.08	91.73	92.64	82.57	8,610
141-147	BEVERAGES	40.7	40.3	40.9	2.69	2.67	2.58	109.21	107.70	105.32	13,204
141	SOFT DRINKS	41.2	40.6	41.2	2.16	2.14	2.00	99.06	86.88	82.37	4,562
143	DISTILLERIES.	40.4	39.8	42.0	2.87	2.83	2.73	115.82	112.76	114.73	3,024
145	BREWSTERIES	40.4	40.5	40.1	3.06	3.04	3.00	123.32	122.96	120.08	5,283
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	38.4	38.6	37.9	2.51	2.43	2.39	96.28	93.64	90.40	8,756
153	TOBACCO PRODUCTS.	37.0	37.3	37.6	2.88	2.84	2.76	106.77	106.14	103.48	5,434
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	41.5	41.4	40.8	2.56	2.52	2.38	106.09	104.35	94.87	17,447
161	RUBBER FOOTWEAR	40.8	41.1	41.0	1.92	1.85	1.74	78.32	76.12	71.27	2,853
163	TIRES AND TIRES	42.0	42.2	39.5	3.03	3.00	2.92	127.06	126.55	115.17	7,340
169	OTHER RUBBER PRODUCTS	41.3	40.7	39.6	2.32	2.30	2.16	95.80	93.57	85.34	7,254
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS.	39.9	40.5	38.0	1.72	1.71	1.63	68.60	69.27	61.70	23,643
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER.	40.0	40.9	37.5	1.66	1.66	1.59	66.56	67.79	59.55	15,430
179	LUGGAGE, HANDBAG AND SMALL LEATHER GOODS	40.1	39.8	38.5	1.63	1.63	1.52	65.41	65.00	58.53	4,779
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS.	40.5	41.1	40.8	1.95	1.95	1.85	80.44	80.52	75.48	51,965
183	COTTON YARN AND CLOTH	39.3	39.3	39.7	2.02	2.02	1.88	79.34	78.72	74.82	13,021
193-197	WOOLLEN YARN AND CLOTH.	43.2	43.1	41.9	1.81	1.80	1.70	77.98	77.68	71.10	5,816
201	SYNTHETIC TEXTILES.	41.5	41.4	41.1	2.15	2.14	2.01	89.15	88.33	82.79	14,491
2011	SPUN YARN AND FABRICS	41.9	42.1	40.7	1.89	1.88	1.75	79.43	78.93	71.15	7,237
2012	FILAMENT YARN AND STAPLE FIBRES	41.1	40.8	41.9	2.52	2.53	2.40	103.81	103.00	100.37	6,102
229	MISCELLANEOUS TEXTILES.	35.9	39.8	40.0	1.96	1.81	1.67	70.19	72.06	66.88	7,009
230-239	KNITTING MILLS.	40.9	41.2	39.6	1.53	1.53	1.45	62.75	62.87	57.50	16,652
231	HOSIERY	42.3	42.4	41.5	1.51	1.51	1.46	64.14	64.06	60.60	5,170
239	OTHER KNITTING MILLS.	40.3	40.6	38.8	1.54	1.53	1.45	62.12	62.34	56.15	11,482
240-249	CLOTHING.	37.9	37.9	36.2	1.70	1.69	1.57	64.41	64.09	56.92	71,479
243	MEN'S CLOTHING.	38.7	38.7	36.7	1.67	1.66	1.54	64.72	64.29	56.51	31,053
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING.	36.7	37.0	35.3	1.81	1.75	1.67	66.44	66.35	58.85	26,502
245	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	38.2	38.4	36.8	1.48	1.48	1.38	56.37	56.69	50.81	6,144
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	40.7	40.6	40.1	2.40	2.35	2.22	97.76	97.23	98.10	55,920
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS.	40.5	40.6	39.9	2.55	2.55	2.37	103.51	103.57	94.37	31,938
252	VENeer AND PLYWOOD MILLS.	39.8	39.5	39.5	2.46	2.43	2.27	97.72	96.11	89.63	10,897
254	SASH, DOOR AND FLOORING MILLS	42.2	41.7	41.5	1.99	1.99	1.83	84.07	83.15	76.07	7,103
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.	41.7	41.7	41.4	1.99	1.98	1.87	83.06	82.45	77.47	24,940
261	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	42.2	42.2	41.6	1.91	1.89	1.78	80.68	79.79	74.07	14,472
266	OTHER FURNITURE	41.2	41.5	40.9	2.08	2.08	2.00	85.79	85.49	81.69	6,952
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.1	40.9	41.3	2.96	2.96	2.79	121.66	121.12	115.29	84,098
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS.	41.3	41.1	41.5	3.22	3.22	3.06	132.80	132.40	126.85	58,583
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS.	40.7	40.3	40.7	2.36	2.35	2.19	96.25	94.82	89.32	15,274
274	OTHER PAPER CONVERTERS.	40.8	41.2	40.8	2.32	2.31	2.13	94.55	95.26	86.79	9,009
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.5	38.1	39.1	2.99	2.97	2.86	115.10	113.27	111.68	36,142
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	39.1	38.7	39.8	2.76	2.75	2.61	108.03	106.46	104.01	19,444
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	37.5	36.9	37.9	3.29	3.24	3.18	123.13	119.54	120.24	13,385
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES.	41.1	40.8	41.0	3.01	3.01	2.95	125.95	124.20	121.02	83,392
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS.	40.4	40.2	41.2	3.18	3.17	3.10	128.43	127.11	127.90	35,593
294	IRON FOUNDRIES.	41.6	40.6	39.5	2.75	2.73	2.47	114.69	110.74	97.73	9,316
295	SMELTING AND REFINING	41.4	41.2	41.3	3.14	3.12	3.07	129.75	128.52	126.93	25,055
296-298	NON-FERROUS METAL ROLLING, CASTING AND EXTRUCING.	41.9	41.8	40.7	2.72	2.65	2.45	113.91	112.22	100.00	8,849
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES.	41.2	41.2	40.9	2.67	2.63	2.49	109.93	108.50	102.06	79,120
301	BOILERS AND PLATE WORKS	41.7	41.1	39.3	3.00	2.94	2.81	125.00	120.80	110.47	4,132
302	FABRICATED STRUCTURAL METALS.	40.9	40.1	39.8	3.04	3.00	2.89	124.48	120.62	115.11	10,085
303	ORNAMENTAL AND ARCHITECTURAL METALS	40.0	39.7	40.6	2.50	2.50	2.38	100.16	99.30	96.66	5,061
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING.	40.8	40.9	40.8	2.64	2.62	2.42	107.92	106.46	98.86	18,728

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

S.I.C. CODE	INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
					NUMBER		DOLLARS				NUMBER
305	WIRE AND WIRE PRODUCTS	41.0	41.6	41.1	2.62	2.56	2.46	107.36	107.31	101.18	10,953
306	HARDWARE, TOOLS AND CUTLERY	42.4	42.9	43.2	2.50	2.48	2.30	105.97	106.16	99.38	8,420
307	HEATING EQUIPMENT	40.5	41.1	39.2	2.52	2.46	2.35	102.04	101.08	93.30	2,887
309	MISCELLANEOUS METAL FABRICATING	40.6	40.6	40.6	2.55	2.53	2.39	103.80	102.78	96.84	12,866
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	41.0	41.3	41.6	2.81	2.81	2.66	115.48	115.87	110.72	39,610
311	AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS	39.9	40.5	41.7	2.90	2.92	2.84	115.48	118.38	118.41	9,482
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.6	41.6	41.6	2.79	2.77	2.60	116.31	115.41	108.05	25,739
318	OFFICE AND STORE MACHINERY	39.2	40.7	41.6	2.90	2.91	2.78	113.53	118.38	115.59	2,914
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	37.0	41.0	39.5	2.94	2.87	2.73	108.96	117.55	107.44	104,016
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	41.6	41.7	41.3	2.94	2.95	2.67	122.30	123.09	110.47	24,034
323-325	MOTOR VEHICLES	33.9	40.9	38.7	3.01	2.88	2.82	102.11	117.77	109.07	60,368
323	ASSEMBLING	30.0	40.5	37.8	3.36	3.22	3.01	100.98	130.71	113.48	31,516
325	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	37.8	41.2	39.6	2.77	2.67	2.72	104.62	110.04	107.41	24,380
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING	40.8	39.9	38.9	2.92	2.87	2.61	119.06	114.62	101.56	13,827
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.4	40.3	40.3	2.45	2.44	2.30	99.22	98.19	92.72	73,197
332	MAJOR APPLIANCES, INCLUDING NON-ELECTRIC	40.2	39.7	39.8	2.52	2.48	2.39	101.15	98.56	95.17	8,536
334	HOUSEHOLD RADIOS AND TELEVISIONS	38.9	38.9	37.8	1.99	1.98	1.90	77.39	77.10	71.59	4,626
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	40.1	40.0	40.4	2.37	2.35	2.23	94.92	94.09	90.17	24,533
336	ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT	40.4	40.2	40.6	2.68	2.68	2.51	108.01	107.75	101.85	13,553
338	ELECTRIC WIRE AND CABLE	42.4	41.8	42.7	2.82	2.76	2.58	119.75	115.44	109.91	5,539
339	MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.7	40.8	40.5	2.18	2.16	2.03	88.62	88.30	82.19	8,182
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	42.2	41.7	42.4	2.60	2.60	2.46	109.71	108.26	104.22	30,798
347	CONCRETE PRODUCTS	43.3	42.0	41.4	2.48	2.45	2.34	107.26	104.56	96.81	4,844
351	CLAY PRODUCTS	41.6	41.4	41.9	2.37	2.38	2.26	98.80	98.41	94.74	3,989
356	GLASS AND GLASS PRODUCTS	41.1	41.2	42.7	2.57	2.55	2.47	105.74	104.96	105.53	9,155
360-369	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	42.0	42.9	41.8	3.50	3.49	3.28	146.88	149.68	137.01	6,463
365	PETROLEUM REFINERIES	42.1	43.0	41.9	3.53	3.52	3.30	148.57	151.56	138.48	6,202
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.7	40.9	40.9	2.69	2.69	2.58	109.65	110.07	105.72	33,104
374	PHARMACEUTICALS AND MEDICINES	39.9	40.2	40.3	2.15	2.16	2.03	85.86	86.72	81.98	3,761
375	PAINTS AND VARNISHES	40.5	41.1	40.1	2.54	2.51	2.31	102.78	103.37	92.76	2,640
376	SOAP AND CLEANING COMPOUNDS	41.6	42.1	41.2	2.92	2.91	2.72	121.80	122.42	111.86	2,118
378	INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS	40.5	40.6	41.3	3.15	3.14	3.10	127.40	127.46	128.09	11,596
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.5	40.6	40.2	2.06	2.05	1.93	83.55	83.00	77.70	38,484
391	SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT	39.9	39.8	40.3	2.32	2.29	2.15	92.53	91.36	86.58	9,326
395	PLASTIC FABRICATORS, N.E.S.	40.7	41.3	40.1	2.01	2.02	1.89	82.01	83.44	75.90	9,585
393	SPORTING GOODS AND TOYS	39.9	39.6	39.3	1.79	1.80	1.71	71.36	71.18	67.16	5,114
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.7	40.4	39.2	3.28	3.29	3.11	133.47	132.89	122.05	153,773
404-421	BUILDING	39.4	38.7	37.5	3.35	3.35	3.11	132.17	129.80	116.61	108,899
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.7	39.2	37.3	3.26	3.25	3.02	129.45	127.49	112.70	48,036
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	39.2	38.3	37.6	3.42	3.44	3.18	134.32	131.58	119.75	60,863
406-409	ENGINEERING	43.6	44.5	43.2	3.13	3.16	3.12	136.64	140.37	134.95	44,874
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	43.7	44.3	43.5	2.56	2.56	2.39	111.74	113.39	103.44	18,204
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	43.5	44.6	43.1	3.53	3.55	3.58	153.63	158.21	154.39	26,670
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
509	URBAN TRANSIT	41.0	40.8	42.7	3.09	3.11	2.86	126.75	126.91	121.85	17,834
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	41.3	40.6	40.7	2.35	2.36	2.19	97.17	95.59	89.05	30,107
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	38.9	38.3	38.7	1.47	1.46	1.39	57.20	55.74	53.73	15,086
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	33.5	33.5	34.2	1.47	1.47	1.38	49.15	49.20	47.14	76,257

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TABLE 3. AVERAGE HOURS AND AVERAGE EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS, BY INDUSTRY, FOR PROVINCES AND REGIONS

S.I.C. CODE	PROVINCE, REGIONS AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS			NUMBER			
ATLANTIC REGION											
050-C99	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	44.8	45.0	44.2	2.53	2.55	2.29	113.19	114.74	101.32	12,103
050-059	METALS.	46.2	44.7	46.3	3.04	3.06	2.79	140.45	136.42	129.08	4,490
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.2	40.1	40.8	2.06	2.08	2.02	84.72	83.56	82.42	46,852
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.1	40.6	40.5	2.08	2.08	2.09	85.58	84.36	84.80	19,310
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.2	39.8	41.0	2.04	2.09	1.97	84.12	83.00	80.85	27,542
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	42.1	39.2	41.6	1.56	1.56	1.49	65.66	61.36	61.86	14,020
100-139	FOODS	42.1	39.1	41.6	1.52	1.52	1.45	64.08	59.49	60.27	13,170
111	FISH PRODUCTS	40.3	38.6	41.9	1.41	1.35	1.36	62.53	53.86	57.15	6,918
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	43.1	43.9	42.2	1.50	1.50	1.37	64.50	65.80	53.05	31,187
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS.	43.1	44.2	42.9	1.47	1.47	1.36	63.54	65.17	58.31	21,69
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.4	40.0	41.0	3.00	3.03	2.89	121.17	121.32	118.39	8,333
271	PLLP AND PAPER MILLS.	40.5	40.1	41.0	3.05	3.13	2.96	125.05	125.43	122.51	7,685
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES.	41.8	41.1	41.3	2.34	2.34	2.17	97.82	96.23	89.60	1,277
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES.	39.8	40.5	40.8	2.66	2.68	2.94	106.14	108.55	119.91	3,649
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS.	39.7	40.4	40.6	2.71	2.73	3.08	107.68	110.25	124.84	29,913
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES.	41.5	39.6	41.6	2.26	2.21	2.06	94.05	87.66	95.84	1,872
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT.	39.9	39.4	39.7	2.42	2.40	2.19	96.61	94.53	87.00	5,525
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING.	39.6	39.6	40.1	2.37	2.36	2.12	93.86	93.37	85.28	3,491
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	41.9	41.3	40.8	2.33	2.32	2.21	97.66	96.09	90.23	12,765
404-421	BUILDING.	42.6	41.5	40.5	2.33	2.32	2.26	99.27	96.36	91.62	9,425
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	42.3	42.2	39.1	2.25	2.24	2.25	97.55	94.66	88.23	5,475
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	41.8	40.5	42.4	2.43	2.44	2.27	101.66	98.66	96.21	3,950
406-409	ENGINEERING	39.9	40.9	41.9	2.33	2.33	2.01	93.12	95.26	86.49	3,340
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	40.3	43.1	44.3	1.96	1.98	1.86	79.12	85.44	82.46	1,629
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE.	38.1	42.6	46.2	1.81	1.72	1.61	68.94	73.17	74.26	3,118
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	36.9	37.9	37.1	1.16	1.17	1.04	42.81	44.22	40.80	3,699
NEWFOUNDLAND											
050-C99	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	47.3	46.5	47.2	3.06	3.06	2.80	144.62	142.07	132.09	4,148
050-059	METALS.	46.8	45.9	47.4	3.18	3.18	2.89	148.52	146.20	136.93	3,576
100-399	MANUFACTURING	42.4	40.4	40.6	2.12	2.25	2.15	89.65	90.73	87.09	7,069
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	42.3	40.2	40.3	2.13	2.25	2.18	90.13	91.90	88.09	6,082
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	44.5	39.7	40.3	1.38	1.41	1.33	61.19	55.91	53.55	3,320
111	FISH PRODUCTS	44.8	38.5	39.0	1.26	1.27	1.22	56.29	49.00	48.34	2,635
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	39.3	40.5	40.2	3.42	3.46	3.27	134.26	140.14	131.66	2,302
271	PLLP AND PAPER MILLS.	39.3	40.6	40.3	3.44	3.48	3.29	135.30	141.22	132.38	2,273
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	48.8	47.0	44.9	2.25	2.25	2.11	109.71	105.61	94.67	3,605
404-421	BUILDING.	48.3	45.9	45.9	2.24	2.24	2.14	108.08	102.53	98.04	2,801
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	48.9	47.0	41.4	2.20	2.20	2.11	107.72	103.57	87.39	2,083
406-409	ENGINEERING	50.4	52.1	42.3	2.29	2.28	2.05	115.39	118.99	86.49	804
NOVA SCOTIA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	39.3	40.4	2.03	2.03	2.01	81.97	79.61	81.06	21,550
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	40.0	40.1	2.21	2.21	2.26	88.93	88.30	90.48	10,972
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.7	38.5	40.8	1.83	1.83	1.73	74.75	70.56	70.41	10,578
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	42.3	38.0	42.0	1.60	1.57	1.53	67.73	59.76	64.27	5,912
111	FISH PRODUCTS	44.4	36.9	42.8	1.57	1.54	1.50	69.57	56.78	64.22	3,279
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES.	39.7	40.4	40.5	2.72	2.74	3.09	108.20	110.54	125.04	2,859
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS.	39.7	40.4	40.5	2.72	2.74	3.11	108.20	110.54	126.00	2,859
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT.	40.3	39.5	40.1	2.43	2.41	2.17	97.94	94.99	86.80	3,632
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING.	40.3	39.8	41.0	2.27	2.27	2.00	91.34	90.55	82.09	1,795
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	38.4	38.0	37.4	2.46	2.48	2.35	94.63	94.08	87.93	5,767
404-421	BUILDING.	39.5	39.2	37.1	2.44	2.46	2.40	96.66	96.56	88.96	3,897
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	38.5	38.3	35.1	2.35	2.34	2.35	90.48	89.76	82.22	1,984
406-409	ENGINEERING	36.0	35.3	38.7	2.51	2.51	2.14	90.38	88.49	82.71	1,871

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968
					NUMBER			DOLLARS			NUMBER
NEW BRUNSWICK											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.4	40.9	41.4	2.10	2.12	2.01	86.92	86.58	83.11	17,372
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	42.4	41.3	41.3	1.90	1.90	1.82	80.59	78.47	75.21	7,166
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.8	40.6	41.4	2.24	2.27	2.11	91.37	92.15	87.53	10,206
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.5	40.3	42.0	1.67	1.68	1.55	66.00	67.62	64.95	4,193
111	FISH PRODUCTS	42.9	44.4	46.1	1.31	1.25	1.28	56.00	57.26	58.79	996
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	43.6	44.9	44.0	1.55	1.55	1.43	69.27	71.48	62.77	1,883
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	42.1	41.1	42.0	2.92	2.56	2.80	122.96	121.50	117.50	4,201
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.6	40.6	41.7	2.29	2.27	2.20	92.89	92.05	91.81	2,908
404-421	BUILDING	41.7	40.6	41.1	2.34	2.30	2.27	97.63	93.56	93.32	2,370
QUEBEC											
050-059	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.5	42.9	42.8	2.82	2.82	2.61	119.89	120.78	111.47	17,553
050-059	METALS	41.0	41.4	42.5	2.85	2.85	2.67	116.81	117.96	113.70	10,441
053	COPPER-GOLD-SILVER	40.4	40.4	40.5	2.82	2.82	2.66	114.02	113.84	107.82	4,484
071-079	NON-METALS, EXCEPT FUELS	42.7	43.9	42.2	2.85	2.85	2.62	123.60	126.96	110.61	5,241
071	ASBESTOS	42.7	44.0	42.2	2.93	2.52	2.66	125.36	128.70	112.09	4,826
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.2	41.2	40.8	2.28	2.25	2.12	93.66	92.65	86.65	309,496
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	42.4	42.6	42.5	2.45	2.45	2.31	105.55	104.34	98.03	113,672
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.5	40.4	39.7	2.14	2.13	2.01	86.75	86.06	79.76	195,824
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	41.5	41.3	42.2	2.18	2.18	2.00	90.66	89.86	84.60	27,464
100-139	FOODS	41.4	41.2	42.0	2.05	2.08	1.50	86.56	85.80	79.60	23,147
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	40.7	39.9	41.5	2.55	2.52	2.32	103.81	100.35	96.20	4,294
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	44.4	45.4	44.3	2.23	2.26	2.06	99.17	102.71	91.15	3,192
129	BAKERIES	43.1	43.2	43.5	1.75	1.73	1.61	75.36	74.97	69.84	3,821
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	36.9	37.4	37.7	2.82	2.75	2.65	103.79	103.07	101.34	4,841
161-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	42.8	43.0	40.6	2.10	2.06	1.87	89.65	88.67	75.72	4,609
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS	40.0	40.9	37.3	1.62	1.62	1.54	64.61	66.03	57.42	12,024
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER	40.0	41.2	37.2	1.60	1.61	1.54	64.16	66.40	57.31	8,759
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	41.9	41.8	41.2	1.90	1.85	1.79	79.32	79.05	73.51	28,916
183	COTTON YARN AND CLOTH	39.7	39.4	39.5	2.13	2.13	2.00	84.71	83.78	79.10	8,493
193-197	WOOLLEN YARN AND CLOTH	46.2	45.7	44.0	1.76	1.76	1.66	81.50	80.16	72.90	3,023
201	SYNTHETIC TEXTILES	41.4	41.5	40.5	1.90	1.89	1.78	78.42	78.32	72.09	8,001
230-239	KNITTING MILLS	42.4	42.6	40.6	1.50	1.50	1.43	63.40	63.80	58.10	8,952
231	HOSIERY	43.1	44.0	42.6	1.46	1.44	1.40	62.75	63.48	59.80	3,270
239	OTHER KNITTING MILLS	42.0	41.8	36.4	1.52	1.53	1.45	63.78	63.97	57.08	5,682
240-249	CLOTHING	37.7	37.7	35.8	1.71	1.70	1.57	64.56	64.21	56.12	45,527
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	38.9	38.6	36.6	1.67	1.67	1.54	65.02	64.60	56.32	17,199
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	36.3	36.6	34.7	1.84	1.81	1.67	66.79	66.42	57.78	18,804
245	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	38.1	38.6	36.9	1.48	1.48	1.36	56.39	57.08	50.06	4,466
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	47.6	47.2	46.3	1.64	1.63	1.51	78.16	77.08	69.75	10,733
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	48.1	47.9	47.5	1.72	1.70	1.51	82.82	81.19	71.74	4,883
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	43.4	43.2	43.3	1.87	1.86	1.76	81.27	80.30	76.74	10,271
261	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	44.5	44.5	44.0	1.78	1.75	1.67	79.15	78.07	73.36	6,010
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	42.1	41.5	42.0	2.87	2.86	2.71	120.57	118.79	113.79	29,800
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	42.3	41.7	42.2	3.10	3.09	2.94	131.02	129.09	123.99	22,296
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	41.2	40.4	41.4	2.22	2.20	2.09	91.50	89.17	86.26	4,848
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	39.5	38.8	39.9	2.62	2.67	2.76	115.35	111.47	110.07	10,356
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	40.2	39.9	41.4	2.57	2.53	2.43	103.24	100.98	100.48	5,583
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	38.8	37.0	37.9	2.40	3.34	3.27	132.10	123.64	123.80	3,620
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	42.3	41.7	42.1	2.92	2.85	2.75	123.28	120.71	115.34	16,360
295	SMELTING AND REFINING	41.0	41.0	41.7	3.12	3.11	2.99	127.91	127.19	124.71	9,186
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	42.6	42.4	42.3	2.53	2.50	2.37	107.96	105.88	100.46	19,360
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	41.9	41.5	41.6	2.63	2.58	2.41	110.38	107.06	100.38	5,495
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	42.1	42.5	42.6	2.57	2.55	2.39	108.27	108.34	101.96	6,798
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	42.0	42.4	42.7	2.62	2.55	2.44	109.97	110.01	103.99	6,265
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.0	42.1	40.8	2.85	2.78	2.52	113.76	117.19	102.82	22,403
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	43.1	43.1	43.3	2.93	2.91	2.57	126.27	125.64	111.07	10,777
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING	40.8	39.5	37.7	3.01	2.95	2.56	122.79	116.47	96.65	5,685
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	41.5	41.3	41.9	2.55	2.48	2.31	105.99	102.43	96.71	19,387
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	40.9	40.9	42.0	2.77	2.70	2.49	113.50	110.42	104.45	8,137
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.5	40.8	40.9	2.57	2.56	2.38	104.02	104.69	97.48	10,852
378	INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS	38.7	39.1	40.8	3.06	3.08	2.96	118.53	120.60	120.66	2,694
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	41.4	41.4	41.3	1.87	1.87	1.75	77.68	77.37	72.34	10,782

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QUEBEC	- CONTINUED										
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.2	40.0	39.8	3.41	3.41	3.11	136.97	136.55	123.82	34,003
404-421	BUILDING	38.9	38.6	38.2	3.44	3.46	3.15	133.84	133.62	120.20	23,946
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.5	38.8	39.0	3.40	3.42	3.16	134.49	132.57	122.98	7,683
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.6	38.6	37.7	3.46	3.48	3.15	133.54	134.11	118.61	16,263
406-4C9	ENGINEERING	43.3	43.3	44.4	3.33	3.31	3.01	144.43	143.60	133.54	10,057
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	43.4	41.9	43.0	2.71	2.73	2.66	117.59	114.34	114.21	3,158
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	43.3	44.0	45.1	3.62	3.56	3.19	156.72	157.58	143.74	6,899
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	42.9	40.7	39.1	2.12	2.24	1.97	92.89	91.06	77.17	9,749
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	40.9	40.1	41.3	1.43	1.40	1.32	58.57	56.19	54.65	3,565
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	37.3	37.5	38.7	1.32	1.33	1.22	49.34	50.01	47.43	15,144
ONTARIO											
050-C59	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.1	41.6	40.8	3.08	3.07	2.89	126.82	127.81	118.05	26,240
050-C59	METALS	40.4	41.0	40.3	3.11	3.06	2.93	125.67	126.63	117.97	22,423
051-052	GOLD	39.7	39.8	39.9	2.42	2.41	2.28	95.94	95.80	90.90	5,213
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.6	40.4	40.1	2.62	2.55	2.48	103.79	104.87	99.51	497,208
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	39.5	40.8	40.3	2.78	2.74	2.63	109.71	111.96	105.88	283,948
NON-CUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.7	39.9	39.8	2.41	2.40	2.28	95.90	95.78	90.43	213,260
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.2	39.2	39.6	2.37	2.35	2.20	92.76	92.32	87.18	46,991
100-139	FOODS	39.0	39.2	39.6	2.32	2.30	2.14	90.54	90.16	84.65	39,667
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	38.7	39.5	41.1	2.71	2.69	2.44	104.95	106.13	100.47	7,581
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	38.1	37.8	38.6	2.40	2.42	2.25	91.46	90.51	86.81	5,505
112	FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERS AND PRESERVERS	39.1	38.9	37.0	2.12	2.13	2.05	83.15	82.96	75.73	5,315
129	BAKERIES	39.3	39.1	40.4	2.22	2.21	2.03	87.13	86.30	81.96	5,630
139	MISCELLANEOUS FOOD PRODUCTS	41.0	42.5	40.1	2.33	2.30	2.13	95.46	97.65	85.32	4,322
141-147	BEVERAGES	40.2	39.7	39.6	2.72	2.72	2.65	109.34	108.14	105.01	9,334
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	40.6	40.0	38.1	2.11	2.04	1.99	85.65	81.57	75.72	3,419
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	41.0	40.8	39.5	2.72	2.65	2.57	111.79	109.87	101.36	12,428
163	TIRES AND TIRES	41.8	41.9	39.5	3.06	3.03	2.94	127.95	126.78	116.06	6,547
169	OTHER RUBBER PRODUCTS	40.1	39.5	39.5	2.41	2.39	2.25	96.82	94.33	88.96	4,844
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS	40.2	40.5	38.7	1.84	1.83	1.73	73.90	74.09	66.78	10,584
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER	40.2	40.7	37.9	1.76	1.74	1.66	70.82	71.03	62.88	6,145
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	38.8	40.1	40.4	2.14	2.09	1.97	83.19	83.93	79.56	21,024
183	COTTON YARN AND CLOTH	38.3	38.7	39.7	1.85	1.81	1.68	70.71	69.96	66.64	3,859
193-197	WOOLLEN YARN AND CLOTH	39.8	40.4	40.2	1.87	1.87	1.74	74.34	75.55	70.11	2,579
201	SYNTHETIC TEXTILES	41.5	41.1	42.0	2.47	2.46	2.38	102.39	100.98	100.03	6,252
230-239	KNITTING MILLS	39.5	39.7	38.9	1.61	1.60	1.51	63.49	63.39	58.82	6,216
239	OTHER KNITTING MILLS	38.8	39.8	38.7	1.60	1.57	1.48	62.15	62.64	57.46	4,359
240-249	CLOTHING	38.3	38.5	36.9	1.75	1.74	1.67	66.91	67.09	61.51	17,218
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	38.6	39.1	38.5	1.76	1.74	1.66	68.05	68.03	60.59	8,639
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	37.9	38.2	36.6	1.81	1.84	1.76	68.65	70.12	64.53	4,999
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	42.0	42.0	41.9	2.02	2.00	1.84	84.74	84.17	77.12	10,686
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	43.5	44.2	43.3	2.01	2.00	1.81	87.57	88.31	78.52	3,810
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	41.1	41.4	40.8	2.09	2.07	1.95	86.00	85.79	79.54	11,809
261	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	41.4	41.5	40.9	2.00	1.98	1.85	82.94	82.27	75.52	6,945
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.9	41.0	41.1	2.83	2.83	2.65	115.74	115.55	109.22	31,763
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	40.9	41.1	41.3	3.16	3.17	2.99	129.46	130.20	123.57	17,084
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	40.9	40.7	40.9	2.42	2.40	2.23	98.84	97.78	91.13	8,044
274	OTHER PAPER CONVERTERS	40.7	41.2	41.0	2.46	2.45	2.25	100.20	100.92	92.35	6,173
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.0	37.8	36.8	3.06	3.07	2.95	116.08	116.07	114.67	19,566
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	38.7	38.3	39.4	2.85	2.86	2.70	110.25	109.68	106.52	11,255
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	36.3	36.4	37.3	3.39	3.36	3.33	123.05	122.30	124.46	6,386
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	40.8	40.7	40.7	3.11	3.10	3.02	127.00	125.93	122.80	53,056
291	IRON AND STEEL MILLS	40.2	40.1	41.2	3.28	3.27	3.19	131.60	130.94	131.76	21,647
294	IRON FOUNRIES	41.7	40.4	35.0	2.88	2.85	2.56	120.21	115.08	99.77	7,192
295	Smelting and Refining	41.8	42.2	40.5	3.06	3.06	3.17	128.03	129.17	128.55	9,213
296-298	NON-FERROUS METAL ROLLING, CASTING AND EXTRUDING	40.9	41.3	40.5	2.74	2.72	2.53	112.09	112.20	102.60	6,329
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.9	41.2	40.8	2.68	2.66	2.53	109.83	109.47	103.41	47,479
302	FABRICATED STRUCTURAL METALS	39.9	39.5	39.8	3.12	3.12	3.05	124.59	123.61	121.47	4,780
303	ORNAMENTAL AND ARCHITECTURAL METALS	40.5	39.7	40.9	2.48	2.45	2.42	100.54	99.02	99.15	2,940
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	40.7	41.1	40.9	2.83	2.80	2.42	106.81	106.82	98.68	10,791
305	WIRE AND WIRE PRODUCTS	40.2	41.3	40.8	2.65	2.60	2.51	106.45	107.38	102.43	7,473
306	HARDWARE, TOOLS AND CUTLERY	42.8	43.4	43.7	2.63	2.62	2.41	112.32	112.88	105.41	5,896
309	MISCELLANEOUS METAL FABRICATING	40.3	40.6	40.1	2.54	2.53	2.39	102.51	102.88	95.91	9,502
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.8	41.0	41.6	2.90	2.90	2.77	118.16	118.87	115.21	28,001
311	AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS	39.3	40.1	41.8	3.13	3.16	3.07	123.04	126.66	128.35	7,343
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.7	41.5	41.6	2.82	2.82	2.63	117.42	116.34	109.34	16,687

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ONTARIO - CONTINUED											
318	OFFICE AND STORE MACHINERY	39.1	40.6	41.6	2.92	2.94	2.88	114.44	119.31	119.74	2,824
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	35.4	40.7	39.9	3.04	2.94	2.84	107.46	119.74	110.35	68,602
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	40.2	40.5	39.8	3.02	3.02	2.81	121.26	122.07	111.59	11,214
323-325	MOTOR VEHICLES	34.0	40.9	38.6	3.07	2.95	2.88	104.36	120.73	110.95	53,378
323	ASSEMBLING	30.2	40.5	37.5	3.04	3.02	3.07	103.99	134.35	115.12	27,549
325	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES	37.6	41.2	39.5	2.79	2.69	2.74	105.12	111.04	108.22	23,407
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	39.9	39.9	39.8	2.45	2.45	2.33	99.35	95.40	92.45	47,907
332	MAJOR APPLIANCES, INCLUDING NON-ELECTRIC	39.7	39.5	39.6	2.63	2.60	2.51	104.24	102.55	99.53	5,799
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	39.2	39.3	39.6	2.28	2.28	2.09	89.48	89.74	82.91	13,746
336	ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT	40.2	40.1	40.2	2.77	2.77	2.60	111.13	111.12	104.54	11,073
339	MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	41.0	41.0	40.1	2.29	2.27	2.14	93.82	93.16	85.87	5,098
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	42.2	41.6	42.0	2.65	2.65	2.51	111.97	110.49	105.37	16,408
356	GLASS AND GLASS PRODUCTS	41.2	41.3	41.9	2.62	2.62	2.54	108.05	108.42	106.13	5,417
360-369	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	43.7	44.2	42.3	3.57	3.57	3.39	155.91	157.96	143.58	1,967
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.9	41.1	40.9	2.72	2.73	2.65	111.45	112.15	108.37	18,557
378	INDUSTRIAL CHEMICALS	41.3	41.1	41.2	3.19	3.19	3.19	131.63	131.46	131.61	6,940
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.3	40.3	39.9	2.13	2.12	2.00	86.01	85.47	79.88	25,523
381	SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT	39.9	39.9	40.2	2.37	2.34	2.18	94.46	93.47	87.86	7,318
393	SPORTING GOODS AND TOYS	39.8	39.5	38.6	1.89	1.89	1.85	75.34	75.23	71.22	3,374
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	41.1	40.4	38.8	3.32	3.34	3.15	136.22	134.84	122.02	60,606
404,421	BUILDING	39.8	38.7	37.4	3.48	3.50	3.28	138.44	135.39	122.77	43,880
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	40.1	39.7	37.4	3.28	3.31	3.11	131.75	131.38	116.45	15,997
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	39.6	38.0	37.4	3.59	3.62	3.39	142.28	137.71	126.92	27,883
406-4C9	ENGINEERING	44.4	45.0	42.7	2.93	2.67	2.81	130.38	133.44	119.92	16,726
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	45.8	46.9	44.5	2.46	2.45	2.26	112.93	114.62	101.56	8,597
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	43.0	43.2	40.8	3.46	3.51	3.43	148.84	151.51	139.77	8,129
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
509	URBAN TRANSIT	42.5	42.3	43.6	3.04	3.01	2.81	129.17	127.03	122.38	7,386
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	41.7	41.2	41.6	2.67	2.66	2.52	111.29	109.74	104.82	7,667
574	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	39.5	39.0	38.8	1.45	1.44	1.39	57.24	56.28	54.08	6,421
575	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	33.0	32.5	33.0	1.46	1.46	1.37	48.19	47.38	45.31	31,501
PRairie REGION											
050-C59	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.6	42.9	42.5	3.33	3.32	3.11	141.66	142.22	132.33	14,795
050-C59	METALS	41.2	41.0	41.2	3.55	3.44	3.18	146.26	141.06	131.09	4,728
061-069	MINERAL FUELS	41.2	41.2	41.9	3.17	3.16	2.93	130.53	130.15	122.72	2,954
092-099	SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO MINING	44.7	45.7	43.1	3.36	3.41	3.26	150.17	156.07	140.80	5,398
096	PETROLEUM CONTRACT DRILLING	43.4	45.4	42.6	3.45	3.51	3.41	149.46	159.12	145.38	4,020
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.8	39.6	39.4	2.43	2.41	2.25	96.93	95.33	88.48	61,764
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.8	40.4	40.0	2.50	2.47	2.30	102.05	99.88	91.93	27,914
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.1	38.9	38.8	2.37	2.36	2.20	92.71	91.67	85.26	33,850
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.0	38.6	38.7	2.54	2.52	2.33	99.18	97.31	90.02	15,356
100-139	FOODS	39.0	38.6	38.7	2.53	2.50	2.30	98.45	96.61	89.07	13,660
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	39.2	38.8	38.9	2.94	2.92	2.69	115.42	113.12	104.62	5,905
105-1C7	DAIRY PRODUCTS	41.3	41.9	39.7	2.29	2.30	2.06	94.50	96.16	81.78	2,042
240-249	CLOTHING	38.3	38.2	37.2	1.51	1.49	1.40	58.01	56.72	52.01	6,741
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	38.5	38.4	37.3	1.48	1.46	1.36	57.18	55.87	50.65	4,084
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	40.1	39.9	38.1	2.14	2.14	1.95	85.84	85.52	74.29	3,832
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.4	37.9	38.8	2.70	2.68	2.57	103.63	101.64	99.62	3,081
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	38.6	38.0	39.4	2.68	2.69	2.58	103.40	102.05	101.42	1,549
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	43.0	40.6	41.9	3.00	2.95	2.80	128.78	119.85	117.12	4,858
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.2	40.6	38.8	2.71	2.63	2.38	108.79	106.73	92.28	6,091
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.6	41.0	41.2	2.37	2.37	2.19	96.41	97.22	90.23	2,944
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.7	40.8	40.5	2.28	2.28	2.19	92.70	93.13	88.72	3,688
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	41.0	41.1	40.6	2.60	2.57	2.40	106.49	105.64	97.50	3,253
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	41.3	41.3	38.9	3.06	3.06	2.78	126.65	126.41	108.25	30,223
404,421	BUILDING	39.2	38.7	35.4	3.19	3.15	2.76	124.99	121.58	97.52	21,514
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.4	39.0	35.3	3.26	3.20	2.76	128.32	124.92	97.55	12,246
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.9	38.2	35.5	3.10	3.07	2.75	120.58	117.32	97.50	9,268
406-4C9	ENGINEERING	46.6	47.2	45.1	2.80	2.51	2.82	130.76	137.26	126.98	8,709
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	44.6	45.6	44.5	2.44	2.46	2.21	108.76	112.44	98.50	3,190
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	47.8	48.0	45.5	3.00	3.13	3.17	143.48	150.31	143.94	5,519
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	40.3	39.6	40.5	2.39	2.39	2.19	96.25	94.60	88.67	6,448
574	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	37.2	36.8	36.9	1.45	1.44	1.40	53.97	52.86	51.13	2,969
575	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	31.7	31.9	32.8	1.52	1.52	1.44	48.25	48.43	47.38	16,216

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S.I.C. CODE	PROVINCE, REGIONS AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED	
		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	MAR. 1968
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER	
MANITOBA												
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	43.9	43.0	42.3	3.37	3.25	2.95	147.81	141.51	124.86	4,740	
050-C59	METALS	41.9	41.5	41.5	3.50	3.40	3.13	146.73	140.98	129.71	3,740	
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.9	39.4	39.5	2.24	2.21	2.08	89.31	86.87	81.98	27,811	
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.2	40.6	40.8	2.40	2.35	2.22	98.82	95.53	90.49	12,291	
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.7	38.5	38.4	2.11	2.05	1.95	81.79	80.43	75.03	15,520	
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.1	38.4	38.8	2.45	2.44	2.27	95.80	93.42	87.98	9,508	
100-139	FOODS	39.2	38.6	39.0	2.41	2.35	2.21	94.48	92.16	86.30	4,846	
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	39.1	38.7	39.1	2.88	2.87	2.65	112.63	110.78	103.59	1,750	
240-249	CLOTHING	38.3	38.2	37.3	1.50	1.47	1.38	57.50	56.08	51.42	4,952	
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	38.8	38.8	37.7	1.45	1.42	1.32	56.40	54.96	49.84	2,702	
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.8	37.5	38.2	2.51	2.50	2.40	94.83	93.70	91.52	1,643	
300-329	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.7	41.0	38.8	2.62	2.51	2.34	106.74	102.90	91.04	2,839	
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	41.4	41.5	41.5	2.23	2.12	2.14	92.18	87.93	88.64	2,105	
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	44.1	43.1	40.7	3.08	3.01	2.46	135.63	129.63	100.26	7,921	
404-421	BUILDING	42.8	41.6	38.1	3.34	3.26	2.62	143.10	135.91	99.75	5,591	
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	44.3	43.3	39.7	3.50	3.40	2.57	154.90	147.35	101.96	3,496	
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	40.4	39.1	36.4	3.05	3.04	2.67	123.42	118.71	97.20	2,095	
406-409	ENGINEERING	47.1	46.3	44.2	2.50	2.50	2.28	117.72	115.52	100.96	2,330	
OTHER INDUSTRIES												
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	39.2	39.0	38.3	2.33	2.33	2.05	91.34	90.85	78.56	1,839	
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	29.9	29.6	30.7	1.44	1.43	1.35	43.11	42.42	41.45	5,381	
SASKATCHEWAN												
050-C99	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	40.1	40.5	43.1	3.27	3.27	3.09	131.13	132.13	133.42	3,024	
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.5	39.4	39.0	2.65	2.65	2.40	104.90	104.30	93.56	7,478	
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	39.9	39.5	2.66	2.65	2.35	106.68	105.73	92.85	2,866	
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.2	39.1	38.7	2.65	2.64	2.43	103.79	103.40	94.01	4,612	
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	38.6	38.4	38.0	2.62	2.60	2.34	101.00	100.14	89.10	2,628	
100-139	FOODS	38.3	38.2	37.8	2.61	2.60	2.34	99.91	99.29	88.21	2,265	
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	41.2	40.7	37.1	3.20	3.21	2.65	132.09	130.68	98.50	6,185	
404-421	BUILDING	39.0	38.8	36.2	3.10	3.04	2.71	121.02	117.69	98.04	4,345	
406-409	ENGINEERING	46.5	45.3	40.7	3.40	3.56	2.66	158.22	161.36	100.23	1,840	
OTHER INDUSTRIES												
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	38.1	38.9	39.9	2.43	2.43	2.23	92.65	94.48	88.89	1,541	
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	35.1	35.1	36.8	1.34	1.35	1.27	47.24	47.50	46.92	1,902	
ALBERTA												
050-C99	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.8	43.8	42.4	3.32	3.35	3.21	142.04	146.84	136.12	7,031	
092-C99	SERVICES INCIDENTAL TO MINING	43.9	45.3	42.8	3.42	3.47	3.38	149.86	157.24	144.60	4,307	
096	PETROLEUM CONTRACT DRILLING	44.0	45.8	43.1	3.45	3.51	3.42	151.88	160.78	147.57	3,731	
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.9	39.8	39.4	2.57	2.55	2.39	102.67	101.61	94.19	26,475	
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.4	40.3	39.4	2.57	2.54	2.37	104.11	102.56	93.20	12,757	
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.4	39.2	39.4	2.57	2.57	2.41	101.33	100.73	97.23	13,718	
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.0	38.8	38.9	2.59	2.56	2.36	101.09	99.34	91.89	7,220	
100-139	FOODS	39.0	38.7	38.8	2.59	2.56	2.35	100.89	99.13	91.34	6,549	
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	39.5	38.8	39.2	2.95	2.94	2.71	116.52	114.18	106.23	3,138	
105-107	DAIRY PRODUCTS	40.6	41.5	38.6	2.33	2.33	2.08	94.49	96.60	80.53	1,322	
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	39.5	39.5	36.6	2.18	2.17	2.00	85.96	85.60	76.74	2,627	
300-329	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.0	40.8	38.9	2.78	2.73	2.45	111.36	111.22	95.37	2,578	
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	39.7	40.1	39.5	2.35	2.43	2.24	93.08	97.71	87.81	1,531	
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	40.7	41.2	40.8	2.63	2.62	2.47	107.21	108.10	100.79	2,295	
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	39.6	41.1	43.1	3.07	3.04	3.01	121.78	124.99	129.83	1,387	

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
ALBERTA	- CONTINUED										
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.0	40.7	38.8	3.00	3.03	2.96	120.15	123.24	114.73	16,117
404,421	BUILDING	37.5	37.2	34.0	3.14	3.13	2.84	117.73	116.39	108.00	11,578
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	36.5	36.5	32.6	3.12	3.13	2.86	113.99	114.09	93.16	5,865
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.6	38.0	35.3	3.15	3.13	2.82	121.56	118.67	99.63	5,713
406-409	ENGINEERING	46.4	48.3	46.3	2.72	2.86	3.09	126.33	138.36	143.13	4,539
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	43.6	45.6	44.0	2.68	2.71	2.33	116.76	123.52	102.61	1,901
409	OTHER ENGINEERING	48.4	50.0	47.4	2.75	2.96	3.44	133.22	147.72	163.20	2,638
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	42.2	40.3	42.3	2.40	2.40	2.25	101.01	96.91	92.17	3,068
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	32.0	32.5	33.3	1.61	1.61	1.54	51.56	52.37	51.31	8,933
	BRITISH COLUMBIA										
050-059	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.5	41.3	40.2	3.56	3.51	3.34	147.53	144.77	134.03	5,906
050-059	METALS	41.3	41.0	40.2	3.56	3.53	3.34	147.00	145.00	134.34	4,018
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.2	38.0	38.0	3.18	3.15	2.95	121.53	119.91	111.91	74,322
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	38.4	38.1	37.9	3.18	3.16	2.93	122.14	120.47	111.17	46,149
NON-DUR.	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.1	37.9	38.1	3.17	3.14	2.97	120.54	119.00	113.23	28,173
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	35.9	35.9	35.5	2.78	2.74	2.60	99.59	98.46	92.28	9,100
100-139	FOODS	35.5	35.5	35.1	2.74	2.72	2.57	97.40	96.68	90.10	8,083
105-1C7	DAIRY PRODUCTS	39.3	38.5	39.1	3.06	3.06	2.83	120.14	117.65	110.52	1,499
111	FISH PRODUCTS	29.8	30.4	27.3	2.61	2.55	2.54	78.02	77.48	69.46	1,392
112	FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERS AND PRESERVERS	31.4	35.8	33.1	2.03	1.97	1.98	63.63	70.59	65.47	973
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	37.4	37.2	37.2	3.10	3.10	2.86	115.99	115.53	106.40	27,482
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS	37.8	37.8	37.5	3.11	3.11	2.86	117.42	117.69	107.08	19,543
252	VEENEER AND PLYWOOD MILLS	36.4	35.5	36.3	3.13	3.12	2.92	113.99	110.78	105.85	6,452
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	40.0	40.0	40.1	3.61	3.44	144.99	144.34	137.74	11,799	
271	PULP AND PAPER MILLS	40.2	40.3	40.4	3.71	3.68	3.53	149.07	148.45	142.47	10,551
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	39.7	39.3	40.1	3.36	3.33	3.12	133.40	131.16	125.21	5,669
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	39.3	38.2	37.9	3.27	3.18	3.03	128.31	121.38	114.85	4,318
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.8	40.9	39.0	3.47	3.42	3.19	141.52	139.95	124.24	3,798
327	SHIPBUILDING AND REPAIRING	41.7	42.5	39.2	3.66	3.55	3.28	152.75	152.44	128.59	2,444
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.1	38.6	39.6	3.08	3.06	2.88	123.28	118.21	114.24	1,390
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	37.4	38.3	38.3	4.15	4.11	4.19	155.19	157.52	160.67	15,822
404,421	BUILDING	36.4	36.2	36.0	3.98	3.94	3.82	144.83	142.63	137.51	9,865
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	35.9	35.8	35.2	3.99	3.94	3.76	143.23	141.09	132.37	6,366
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	37.4	36.9	37.0	3.95	3.94	3.69	147.72	145.31	144.13	3,499
406-409	ENGINEERING	39.1	42.1	41.1	4.41	4.40	4.59	172.37	185.19	188.46	5,957
406	HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND STREETS	34.9	34.5	33.6	3.80	3.80	3.81	132.60	131.15	128.13	1,630
	OTHER INDUSTRIES										
516	HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MAINTENANCE	37.7	38.0	38.1	2.81	2.81	2.68	105.90	106.71	102.17	3,127
874	LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND PRESSERS	34.5	34.1	34.6	1.92	1.86	1.73	66.17	63.46	59.92	1,439
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	30.9	31.7	31.6	1.77	1.77	1.69	54.68	56.07	53.28	10,099

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S.I.C. CODE	URBAN AREA AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED
		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
ST. JOHN'S											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	43.2	42.6	41.9	1.98	1.94	1.71	85.68	82.36	71.48	1,452
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	45.1	42.7	40.3	2.27	2.24	2.06	102.38	95.69	83.11	1,514
HALIFAX											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.4	40.6	40.6	2.34	2.36	2.15	97.02	95.57	87.43	4,626
DND-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.2	39.6	40.6	2.15	2.17	1.99	88.68	85.70	80.85	2,455
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	39.6	39.8	37.5	2.63	2.65	2.29	104.13	105.32	85.69	2,227
SYDNEY											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.3	39.1	40.1	2.51	2.52	3.07	95.97	98.46	123.09	3,517
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	38.8	39.3	40.1	2.54	2.55	3.23	98.63	100.12	129.25	3,223
MONCTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.9	39.2	40.3	1.98	1.95	1.83	77.23	76.46	73.55	1,257
SAIN T JOHN											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.4	40.2	40.8	2.41	2.38	2.19	97.39	55.84	89.24	2,750
DRUMMONDOVILLE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.3	41.4	41.3	2.01	1.99	1.87	83.24	82.41	78.28	4,762
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.4	41.2	40.6	2.02	1.99	1.88	83.40	82.10	76.14	3,904
GRANBY											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.0	41.1	41.8	1.98	1.95	1.85	81.09	80.17	77.57	4,953
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.6	40.6	41.8	1.94	1.91	1.83	78.81	77.52	76.40	4,079
MONTREAL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.6	40.8	40.3	2.33	2.30	2.16	94.69	93.69	86.95	168,545
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.6	42.2	42.1	2.63	2.57	2.38	109.51	109.35	100.38	67,912
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.9	39.9	39.0	2.12	2.11	1.99	84.69	84.15	77.52	100,633
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	41.2	41.1	41.4	2.38	2.37	2.19	98.03	97.37	90.78	17,839
100-139	FOODS	40.9	40.9	40.9	2.28	2.27	2.08	93.31	92.85	84.97	16,879
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING.	40.9	40.0	42.2	2.71	2.65	2.45	110.74	106.23	103.50	2,799
141-147	BEVERAGES	42.6	42.2	43.7	2.86	2.85	2.76	121.78	120.12	120.61	2,960
150-153	TOBACCO PROCESSING AND PRODUCTS	36.8	37.6	37.7	2.83	2.78	2.72	104.16	104.59	102.54	3,773
170-179	LEATHER PRODUCTS.	39.5	40.4	37.1	1.67	1.68	1.61	66.18	67.64	59.85	7,148
174	SHOES, EXCEPT RUBBER.	39.5	40.7	36.9	1.69	1.65	1.65	66.61	68.94	60.81	4,817
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS.	43.1	43.2	41.7	1.75	1.75	1.68	75.53	75.41	69.37	7,278
230-239	KNITTING MILLS.	43.2	42.9	41.0	1.52	1.53	1.44	65.68	65.52	59.13	4,973
240-249	CLOTHING.	37.9	38.0	36.1	1.83	1.82	1.69	69.33	68.99	60.77	32,449
243	MEN'S CLOTHING.	40.2	39.7	37.6	1.83	1.83	1.71	73.68	72.90	64.27	9,614
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING.	36.3	36.7	34.9	1.94	1.91	1.76	70.41	70.11	61.43	15,431
245	CHILDREN'S CLOTHING	38.1	38.6	37.1	1.49	1.45	1.36	56.72	57.39	50.54	4,279
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.	42.2	41.8	42.3	1.97	1.93	1.84	83.06	80.78	77.68	5,782
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.7	41.3	41.9	2.26	2.25	2.12	94.07	92.68	88.71	5,443
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS.	41.3	40.5	41.5	2.35	2.28	2.14	92.70	89.80	88.70	3,638

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S.I.C. CODE	URBAN AREA AND INDUSTRY	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES			WAGE-EARNERS REPORTED MAR. 1968
		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
MONTREAL - CONTINUED											
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	39.4	38.6	39.7	3.10	3.05	2.93	122.30	117.86	116.40	7,978
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	39.9	39.6	41.6	2.71	2.67	2.55	108.10	105.78	106.28	4,361
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	38.8	36.5	36.9	3.70	3.62	3.60	143.68	132.26	133.08	2,592
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	44.6	43.4	41.4	2.76	2.65	2.49	122.91	116.84	103.02	4,396
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	42.3	42.1	41.8	2.60	2.56	2.38	109.85	107.69	99.43	14,872
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	41.8	41.3	41.3	2.72	2.66	2.48	113.59	110.01	102.36	4,818
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	41.9	42.1	42.5	2.69	2.68	2.54	112.50	112.67	107.82	4,532
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	41.7	41.9	42.3	2.72	2.71	2.58	113.53	113.60	109.17	4,224
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	39.5	42.5	41.1	2.95	2.88	2.59	116.72	122.39	106.41	17,162
321	AIRCRAFT AND PARTS	43.1	43.1	43.3	2.94	2.92	2.57	126.59	125.80	111.02	10,642
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	41.3	41.2	42.0	2.67	2.57	2.40	110.19	105.80	100.97	14,088
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	41.0	41.0	42.0	2.79	2.71	2.51	114.41	111.29	105.74	7,988
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	42.9	42.6	44.5	2.47	2.43	2.37	105.81	103.70	106.60	5,625
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.5	41.7	41.6	2.41	2.41	2.20	97.81	100.32	91.30	4,075
374	PHARMACEUTICALS AND MEDICINES	40.0	41.0	41.5	2.23	2.22	2.08	88.98	90.89	86.40	1,384
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.0	39.8	40.1	1.93	1.92	1.83	77.15	76.27	73.55	6,543
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.2	39.2	38.5	3.54	3.54	3.25	138.68	138.56	125.19	18,819
404,421	BUILDING	38.5	38.4	38.0	3.59	3.55	3.28	137.98	137.91	124.74	15,861
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	39.3	39.2	39.5	3.55	3.55	3.38	139.57	139.24	133.55	3,786
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	38.2	38.1	37.2	3.60	3.60	3.23	137.48	137.49	120.34	12,075
406-409	ENGINEERING	43.2	43.2	41.5	3.30	3.25	3.07	142.45	141.98	127.61	2,958
QUEBEC											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.1	40.2	40.0	2.19	2.17	2.08	89.94	87.27	83.19	13,652
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	42.0	40.2	39.9	2.44	2.41	2.30	102.46	96.93	91.60	3,904
	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.7	40.3	40.1	2.09	2.08	1.98	84.93	83.59	79.34	9,748
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	39.1	39.1	38.4	2.93	2.95	2.68	114.64	115.27	102.92	2,716
404,421	BUILDING	38.5	38.2	38.1	2.95	3.00	2.70	113.65	114.46	102.75	2,321
SHAWINIGAN											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.5	40.2	40.0	2.61	2.51	2.44	105.60	100.73	97.55	5,706
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.2	39.7	39.9	2.58	2.46	2.41	103.45	97.52	96.00	4,527
SHERBROOKE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	43.0	42.7	42.0	2.03	2.01	1.90	87.34	86.05	79.92	6,832
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	42.2	41.8	41.6	1.94	1.93	1.81	82.05	80.46	75.53	5,204
SOREL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.9	40.4	41.4	2.80	2.78	2.54	114.56	112.33	105.17	4,259
ST.-HYACINTHE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.3	40.4	39.6	1.81	1.81	1.67	72.83	73.36	66.27	4,060
ST.-JEAN											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.6	42.1	41.8	2.02	2.06	1.94	83.97	86.63	81.12	4,565

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						
ST.-JEROME											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	42.0	41.2	39.9	1.97	1.96	1.86	82.75	80.55	74.08	2,190
THETFORD MINES											
050-099	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	42.4	43.8	41.7	2.85	2.85	2.63	120.65	124.88	109.48	2,885
TROIS-RIVIERES											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.7	40.5	40.8	2.40	2.41	2.29	97.65	97.82	93.52	8,842
NDN-DUR 270-274	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.3	40.4	40.6	2.47	2.45	2.37	99.58	100.67	96.20	6,439
	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.8	41.9	43.3	3.10	3.17	2.99	129.42	132.87	129.63	3,467
VALLEYFIELD											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.5	41.5	39.9	2.41	2.40	2.28	100.25	99.76	90.93	4,638
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.4	41.2	39.3	2.34	2.34	2.17	97.06	96.29	85.27	3,416
OTTAWA-HULL											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.3	39.0	40.2	2.66	2.65	2.44	107.13	103.42	97.96	11,312
DURABLE NON-DUR 270-274	DURABLE GOODS	42.3	40.5	41.7	2.39	2.37	2.13	101.07	96.08	88.68	1,788
	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.9	38.8	39.8	2.72	2.70	2.52	108.27	104.79	100.17	9,527
	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.0	39.3	40.3	3.08	3.08	2.88	126.17	120.95	116.26	3,731
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	41.3	40.1	36.7	3.17	3.20	2.66	131.02	128.23	97.43	5,626
404,421	BUILDING	41.2	40.0	36.5	3.20	3.23	2.68	131.77	129.26	97.89	5,379
BELLEVILLE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.1	39.7	40.7	2.16	2.15	2.01	86.57	85.29	81.77	4,953
BRAMPTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	39.9	40.5	2.56	2.55	2.39	101.59	101.70	96.87	8,983
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.0	39.6	40.7	2.65	2.65	2.47	106.09	104.80	100.42	5,864
BRANTFORD											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.6	39.7	40.8	2.52	2.50	2.47	99.66	99.26	100.75	9,636
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	40.2	42.0	2.79	2.78	2.77	111.93	111.79	116.62	5,299
	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.9	39.1	39.1	2.18	2.15	2.01	84.67	84.09	78.47	4,337
BROCKVILLE											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.9	41.2	40.9	2.54	2.55	2.46	103.67	105.11	100.79	4,213
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.1	41.7	40.9	2.51	2.54	2.42	103.22	106.09	99.22	2,639

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
CHATHAM											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	43.3	43.0	40.1	2.82	2.82	2.59	121.93	121.29	103.63	3,623
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	43.4	43.5	40.1	3.09	3.08	2.86	134.05	133.94	114.69	2,632
CORNWALL											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	41.9	41.9	40.6	2.48	2.48	2.32	104.10	104.03	94.34	4,898
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.7	41.8	40.5	2.50	2.50	2.32	104.14	104.33	93.77	4,702
FORT WILLIAM-PORT ARTHUR											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.2	37.9	40.8	2.90	2.89	2.69	113.56	109.37	109.71	4,805
GUELPH											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	40.0	40.0	39.9	2.41	2.41	2.27	96.38	96.25	90.52	6,266
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.4	40.4	40.9	2.54	2.54	2.41	102.53	102.82	98.73	3,871
HAMILTON											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	40.2	40.3	40.4	2.88	2.85	2.77	115.83	116.34	111.98	46,823
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	40.5	40.8	3.05	3.06	2.93	122.78	124.02	119.50	35,535
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.0	39.7	39.3	2.35	2.33	2.20	93.95	92.55	86.67	11,288
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.3	39.7	39.3	2.05	2.02	1.93	80.32	80.11	75.91	2,959
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.6	41.6	40.3	2.81	2.83	2.67	113.96	117.52	107.39	4,973
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.0	41.0	40.0	3.10	3.17	2.96	123.88	130.01	118.32	3,877
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.4	41.1	40.3	2.88	2.90	2.64	116.42	119.32	106.19	4,035
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.3	39.7	37.6	3.54	3.54	3.28	142.51	140.51	123.19	2,893
KINGSTON											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	40.1	40.0	42.1	2.76	2.76	2.66	110.74	110.41	111.72	5,016
KITCHENER											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	40.1	40.4	39.4	2.33	2.30	2.14	93.43	92.94	84.16	28,364
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.7	40.9	40.4	2.47	2.41	2.22	100.62	98.45	89.54	33,546
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.5	40.0	38.5	2.20	2.20	2.06	86.86	87.90	79.34	14,818
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.2	39.3	38.5	2.58	2.54	2.41	101.35	99.70	92.89	3,234
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	39.9	40.7	38.0	2.42	2.44	2.24	96.49	99.12	85.14	3,826
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	40.0	42.1	40.0	2.49	2.41	2.30	99.44	101.41	91.86	4,189
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.9	37.0	37.4	3.30	3.30	3.00	135.10	122.32	112.48	2,821
LONDON											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.8	39.6	39.7	2.46	2.45	2.32	97.97	97.06	91.94	12,929
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.4	40.2	40.1	2.56	2.55	2.41	103.63	102.53	96.70	6,122
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.2	39.1	39.3	2.37	2.35	2.20	92.88	92.03	86.59	6,807
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.9	39.5	39.3	2.45	2.45	2.28	97.74	96.49	89.79	2,961
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	39.4	38.1	39.0	2.45	2.43	2.32	96.35	92.61	90.45	2,937

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
LONDON	- CONTINUED	38.7	38.8	36.9	3.46	3.53	3.22	133.76	137.10	118.81	2,629
400-421	CONSTRUCTION										
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.7	40.0	40.0	2.70	2.70	2.63	107.18	107.87	105.22	3,705
OSAWA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	22.5	39.7	39.4	2.27	2.15	2.95	73.66	108.87	116.10	16,953
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	20.1	39.0	39.3	2.39	2.71	2.98	68.12	105.87	117.23	14,916
PETERBOROUGH											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.8	39.7	39.4	2.96	2.96	2.79	117.67	117.23	110.12	5,792
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.3	40.0	40.0	3.12	3.14	2.96	125.77	125.60	118.28	4,351
SARNIA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.9	41.4	40.7	3.37	3.27	3.32	141.17	139.70	134.91	6,178
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	41.9	42.5	41.1	3.48	3.48	3.44	145.95	148.11	141.04	4,229
STRATFORD											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.7	39.7	40.5	2.19	2.16	1.98	84.13	85.51	83.28	4,339
ST. CATHARINES											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	33.6	40.4	40.4	2.92	2.85	2.90	98.15	116.70	117.01	11,262
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	30.1	40.6	40.4	3.06	2.98	2.97	91.97	121.07	119.93	7,380
NON-CUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	40.2	40.2	40.3	2.74	2.76	2.71	109.90	110.76	109.01	3,882
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	25.5	40.4	40.1	3.28	3.18	3.10	83.59	128.66	124.20	5,353
ST. THOMAS											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	41.7	41.8	40.1	2.56	2.54	2.03	106.60	106.14	81.28	4,112
TIMMINS											
050-059	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	39.9	38.9	38.3	2.42	2.42	2.29	96.35	94.05	87.71	2,771
TORONTO											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	40.4	40.5	39.8	2.52	2.51	2.40	101.76	101.91	95.34	169,876
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.0	41.2	40.0	2.67	2.66	2.54	109.49	109.78	101.44	81,607
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.8	39.9	39.6	2.38	2.37	2.26	94.62	94.54	89.34	88,269
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.2	39.5	39.9	2.43	2.42	2.28	95.46	95.40	90.74	18,257
100-139	FODOS	39.2	39.4	39.9	2.40	2.38	2.22	93.98	93.93	88.61	16,491
101	SLAUGHTERING AND MEAT PROCESSING	37.4	39.2	41.2	2.82	2.80	2.57	105.40	109.74	105.79	3,829
129	BAKERIES	41.0	40.7	40.8	2.32	2.31	2.15	95.28	94.15	88.02	3,296

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
TORONTO - CONTINUED											
160-169	RUBBER PRODUCTS	41.1	40.8	40.0	2.88	2.82	2.80	118.26	114.93	111.84	4,118
180-229	TEXTILE PRODUCTS	41.3	41.1	40.7	2.02	2.03	1.84	83.54	83.28	74.93	4,076
240-249	CLOTHING	38.7	39.2	37.1	1.81	1.82	1.75	70.19	71.42	64.67	11,611
243	MEN'S CLOTHING	39.4	40.3	37.1	1.83	1.82	1.75	72.27	73.35	64.83	4,993
244	WOMEN'S CLOTHING	38.3	38.4	36.6	1.91	1.96	1.87	73.16	75.31	68.23	3,940
260-269	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	41.5	42.0	40.4	2.12	2.05	1.97	87.85	87.72	79.68	5,114
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	41.2	41.1	41.0	2.49	2.47	2.29	102.59	101.73	93.82	9,274
273	PAPER BOXES AND BAGS	41.3	41.2	41.1	2.44	2.43	2.27	100.78	95.85	93.18	4,274
274	OTHER PAPER CONVERTERS	41.0	41.1	40.9	2.48	2.46	2.25	101.63	101.00	92.07	4,392
280-289	PRINTING, PUBLISHING AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	37.9	37.7	39.0	3.23	3.25	3.15	122.27	122.38	123.04	12,646
286	COMMERCIAL PRINTING	38.6	37.9	39.3	3.01	3.03	2.88	115.51	115.07	112.97	7,281
289	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	36.0	36.1	37.8	3.66	3.61	3.64	131.96	130.19	137.43	3,677
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	41.1	42.0	39.9	2.76	2.77	2.53	113.45	116.49	101.15	3,277
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	41.4	41.5	41.2	2.63	2.62	2.51	108.98	108.82	103.29	18,779
304	METAL STAMPING, PRESSING AND COATING	41.3	42.0	40.9	2.63	2.60	2.44	108.73	105.29	99.71	5,198
309	MISCELLANEOUS METAL FABRICATING	40.2	41.1	39.9	2.45	2.44	2.29	98.48	100.53	91.42	3,377
310-318	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	40.8	41.0	41.3	2.96	2.57	2.87	120.64	122.03	118.67	10,041
315	MISCELLANEOUS MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	42.1	41.8	41.8	2.92	2.95	2.78	122.76	123.16	115.93	5,246
318	OFFICE AND STORE MACHINERY	39.1	40.7	41.9	2.93	2.94	2.52	114.79	119.92	122.31	2,637
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.7	41.3	37.4	2.97	2.97	2.80	120.83	122.68	104.87	17,599
330-339	ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS	40.2	40.2	39.7	2.45	2.44	2.33	98.38	97.98	92.44	19,899
335	COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT	39.5	39.4	38.6	2.33	2.33	2.17	91.93	91.92	83.91	4,453
336	ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT	40.3	40.0	39.8	2.58	2.57	2.46	103.72	102.98	98.02	4,003
340-359	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	43.1	42.7	43.3	2.71	2.72	2.53	116.97	116.14	109.51	5,714
360-369	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	41.0	40.8	40.8	3.44	3.43	3.25	141.05	139.99	132.32	891
370-379	CHEMICALS AND CHEMICAL PRODUCTS	40.2	41.1	40.6	2.36	2.36	2.28	94.90	96.90	92.43	6,998
380-399	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	40.5	40.5	39.7	2.10	2.08	1.99	85.16	84.46	78.88	14,727
381	SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL EQUIPMENT	39.8	40.2	40.5	2.34	2.30	2.20	93.22	92.54	89.32	4,253
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	40.0	38.6	37.6	3.50	3.50	3.38	139.95	135.41	127.03	23,683
404,421	BUILDING	39.5	38.0	37.1	3.54	3.55	3.44	139.82	134.64	127.72	18,689
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	40.5	39.3	37.0	3.35	3.32	3.28	135.70	130.74	121.53	5,241
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	39.1	37.4	37.1	3.61	3.64	3.51	141.43	136.23	130.47	13,448
406-409	ENGINEERING	41.8	41.2	39.9	3.36	3.36	3.10	140.40	138.27	123.55	4,994
WELLAND											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	40.1	39.9	40.3	3.03	3.02	2.86	121.71	120.47	115.17	9,526
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.7	40.5	40.6	3.16	3.16	3.00	128.51	128.15	121.70	7,055
290-298	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	40.9	40.6	40.5	3.18	3.18	3.02	129.90	128.91	122.50	5,566
WINDSOR											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	40.3	40.5	40.0	3.17	3.11	2.91	127.53	125.90	116.42	23,442
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	41.5	40.6	40.0	3.22	3.17	2.95	133.60	128.07	117.86	19,621
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	33.8	41.4	40.5	2.85	2.67	2.56	96.33	110.38	103.60	3,821
320-329	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	40.7	39.6	39.8	3.27	3.24	3.02	133.15	128.25	120.43	12,787
400-421	CONSTRUCTION	38.3	38.7	35.6	4.02	4.04	3.60	154.18	156.37	128.34	1,476
WOODSTOCK											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.5	39.0	39.0	2.42	2.40	2.27	95.32	93.36	88.61	5,282
WINNIPEG											
100-359	MANUFACTURING	39.5	39.3	39.2	2.20	2.16	2.03	86.91	84.99	79.64	23,635
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.5	40.5	40.2	2.32	2.27	2.14	94.05	91.94	85.96	9,857
NDN-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.8	38.5	38.5	2.11	2.09	1.95	81.81	80.39	75.04	13,778
100-147	FOOD AND BEVERAGES	39.4	38.6	39.3	2.52	2.51	2.33	99.37	96.87	91.69	4,932
100-139	FOODS	39.6	38.8	39.7	2.48	2.47	2.28	98.30	95.85	90.35	4,282
24D-249	CLOTHING	38.5	38.3	37.5	1.52	1.49	1.40	58.64	57.17	52.57	4,535

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	
		NUMBER		DOLLARS						NUMBER	
WINNIPEG	- CONTINUED										
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	41.2	40.1	39.1	2.71	2.71	2.44	111.74	108.58	95.24	4,473
404,421	BUILDING.	39.8	38.7	35.8	2.91	2.92	2.60	116.05	112.90	92.90	3,479
REGINA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.9	40.2	40.0	2.73	2.74	2.52	109.07	110.25	100.96	2,565
SASKATOON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.3	39.1	38.6	2.68	2.66	2.41	105.29	104.15	92.90	2,279
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	40.5	41.6	33.9	3.47	3.39	2.71	140.74	140.96	92.00	2,468
CALGARY											
050-C99	MINING, INCLUDING MILLING	41.4	41.5	40.5	3.33	3.30	3.17	137.89	137.25	128.31	556
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.5	39.5	38.9	2.68	2.67	2.48	105.93	105.51	96.54	7,671
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	40.2	40.1	38.4	2.59	2.55	2.40	104.04	103.94	92.34	3,696
100-147	NON-DURABLE GOODS	38.9	38.9	39.4	2.77	2.75	2.56	107.68	106.91	100.74	3,975
FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	38.8	38.4	38.5	2.68	2.66	2.44	103.73	102.26	93.95	2,008	
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	36.5	37.0	36.4	3.18	3.15	3.02	115.99	116.41	109.98	4,932
EDMONTON											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.9	40.0	39.5	2.54	2.52	2.37	101.49	100.92	93.66	11,257
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	41.0	41.6	40.3	2.62	2.62	2.45	107.57	108.83	98.99	4,108
100-147	NON-DURABLE GOODS	39.3	39.0	39.1	2.49	2.47	2.32	98.00	96.32	90.68	7,149
FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	39.0	38.5	38.9	2.67	2.62	2.40	103.96	100.85	93.43	3,632	
100-139	FOODS	38.8	38.3	38.9	2.68	2.64	2.41	104.15	101.06	93.62	3,340
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	39.8	39.6	35.8	3.19	3.18	2.99	126.79	125.99	107.07	6,206
404,421	BUILDING.	38.8	38.2	33.9	3.22	3.23	2.90	125.20	123.49	98.27	5,184
VANCOUVER											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	38.0	37.5	37.7	3.07	3.03	2.82	116.55	113.54	106.55	37,535
DURABLE NON-DUR	DURABLE GOODS	38.3	37.9	37.9	3.18	3.15	2.93	121.92	119.32	111.00	24,249
100-147	NON-DURABLE GOODS	37.4	36.7	37.4	2.85	2.81	2.63	106.74	103.08	98.28	13,286
FOOD AND BEVERAGES.	37.6	36.6	37.2	2.89	2.85	2.69	108.24	104.37	99.91	6,013	
100-139	FOODS	37.2	36.3	36.9	2.86	2.83	2.66	106.45	102.77	98.11	5,196
250-259	WOOD PRODUCTS	37.3	36.7	37.5	3.16	3.15	2.95	117.65	115.65	110.76	12,351
251	SAW, SHINGLE AND PLANING MILLS.	37.9	37.8	38.4	3.19	3.18	2.98	120.89	120.22	114.41	6,567
252	VENEER AND PLYWOOD MILLS.	36.5	35.3	36.6	3.16	3.14	2.95	115.08	110.74	107.99	4,745
270-274	PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	38.3	38.4	38.3	3.08	3.06	2.85	118.05	117.45	109.14	1,975
300-309	METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES	39.5	38.5	37.7	3.15	3.08	2.92	124.50	118.53	110.08	3,605
400-421	CONSTRUCTION.	35.5	36.2	35.6	3.99	3.95	3.82	141.60	142.90	136.10	8,052
404,421	BUILDING.	35.8	36.4	35.6	3.97	3.93	3.78	142.18	143.04	134.66	6,565
404	GENERAL CONTRACTORS	34.3	35.8	34.7	3.98	3.92	3.71	136.69	140.44	128.93	3,759
421	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	37.8	37.1	36.6	3.96	3.94	3.85	149.54	146.23	140.76	2,806
OTHER INDUSTRIES											
875	HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND TAVERNS	32.0	32.9	32.3	1.78	1.77	1.72	56.90	58.29	55.58	6,520

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		MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968	FEB. 1968	MAR. 1967	MAR. 1968
		NUMBER			DOLLARS						NUMBER
VICTORIA											
100-399	MANUFACTURING	39.5	38.9	38.4	3.24	3.24	3.00	127.90	126.02	115.34	4,232
DURABLE	DURABLE GOODS	40.0	39.5	38.6	3.33	3.32	3.06	133.17	131.07	118.14	3,431
NON-DUR	NON-DURABLE GOODS	37.3	36.6	37.4	2.82	2.88	2.72	105.34	105.24	101.49	801

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Selected Industries, Canada - Continued

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TABLE 7. Average Hourly Earnings of Hourly-rated Wage-earners, Seasonally-adjusted and Unadjusted, Selected Industries, Canada

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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	136.1	137.2										
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	133.5	135.0										
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	136.7	137.3										
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	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	127.6	127.6										

(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	110.4
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	110.2
June	90.82	122.0	81.32	109.2
July	90.46	121.5	80.66	108.3
August	91.95	123.5	81.87	110.6
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	99.52	133.7	84.20	113.1
February	100.53	135.0	84.29	113.2
March	100.62	135.2	84.36	113.3
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 become 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 experiences of broad groups of workers fairly well, their applicability to individual wage-earners depends upon a number of considerations. For example, individual earnings will differ significantly from the group average, depending upon occupation, industry, geographical location, or sex of the wage-earner. Moreover, individual spending habits differ widely, but the consumer price index which is used to adjust the earnings data refers only to the average consumption pattern of a particular income group. Group-spending patterns change over periods of time. To the extent that this occurs, the earnings data adjusted by the consumer price index (which has a "fixed" consumption pattern), will gradually be rendered less valid. Finally, some part of income may be saved, and it should be borne in mind that it is not appropriate to reduce savings to a constant dollar basis by using an index which reflects consumption patterns.

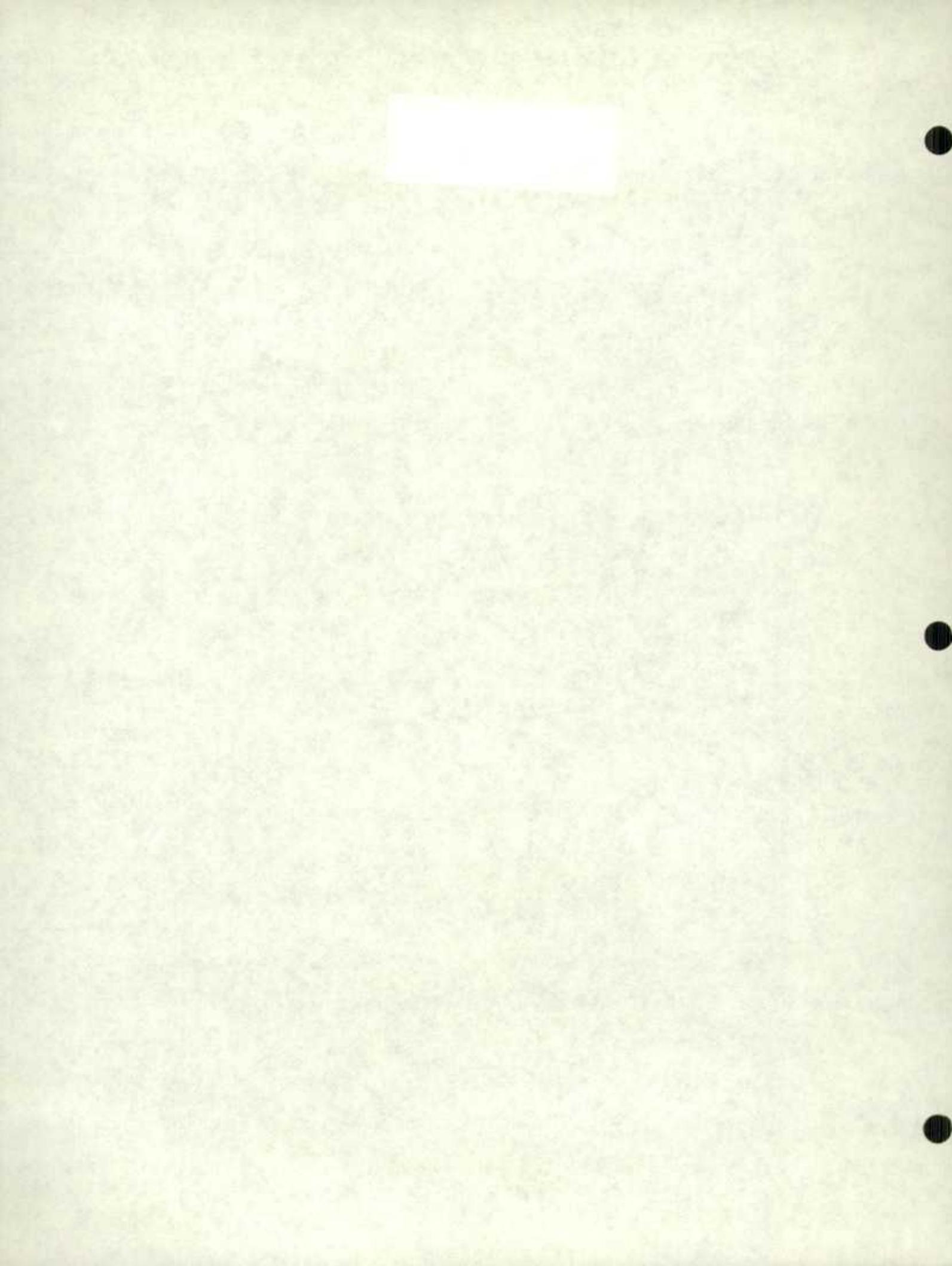
It should also be kept in mind that measures of change in real earnings calculated from averages of gross earnings may differ from changes in the purchasing power of "take-home" pay, due to such factors as changes in personal income tax, pay deductions for such things as social insurance and pension 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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