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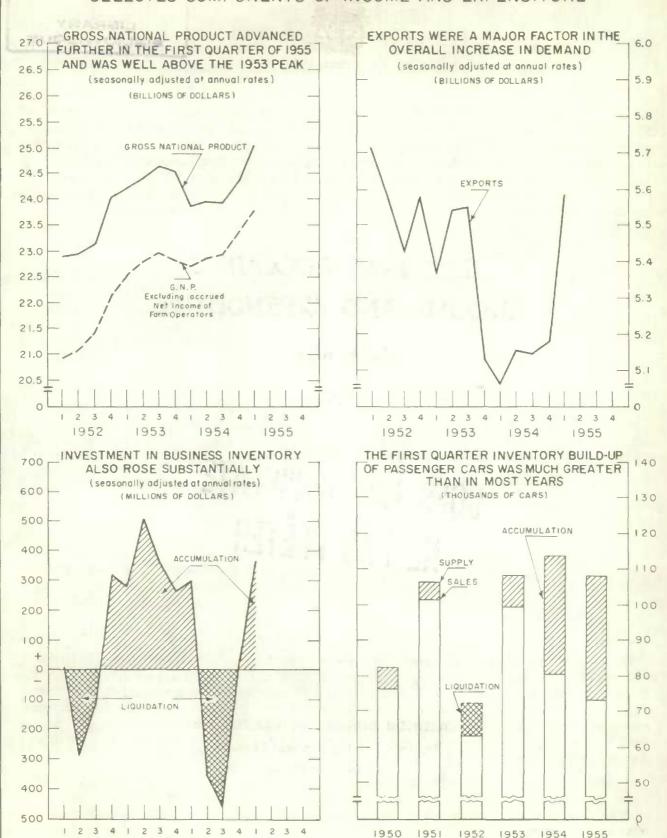
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INTRODUCTORY REVIEW

This report includes revised quarterly and annual data for the years 1952, 1953 and 1954

Gross National Product showed a further advance in the first quarter of 1955, as the upturn in business activity which began in the second half of last year continued. Seasonally adjusted at annual rates, the value of the nation's total production of goods and services is estimated to have amounted to \$25.0 billion, an increase of 3 per cent over the fourth quarter of 1954, and 4 per cent above the average of \$24.0 billion for the year 1954 as a whole. These gains over last year include an allowance for an estimated higher crop production in 1955 and are thus subject to partial qualification. About 1 percentage point of the above noted increases, or \$200 million is attributable to this factor.

In the non-farm sector of the economy, the expansion in activity which began last year brought the level of non-farm production in the first quarter to a point about 2 per cent above last year's peak fourth quarter level. Seasonally adjusted at annual rates, the increase in Gross National Product excluding accrued net income of farm operators amounted to about \$400 million². Related indicators suggest that, after allowing for seasonal factors, about one-half of the production gain in the first quarter occurred in manufacturing, with the major increases in transportation equipment, iron and steel products and wood products. Non-durable manufacturing production also rose from the fourth to the first quarter, as major gains occurred in foods and beverages and in rubber products. Among the primary industries, mining and forestry output expanded further, while production in the service industries showed a continuation of previous gains.

It will be recalled that the decline in total non-farm output between 1953 and 1954 was concentrated in manufacturing production. While the upturn in manufacturing output from the fourth quarter of 1954 to the first quarter of this year was of major importance in the total production increase, it should be noted that the level of manufacturing output was still only 2 per cent above that of the first quarter of 1954. However, production in the primary industries group has shown a relatively much larger increase, with the gain in mining, quarrying and oil wells amounting to approximately 16 per cent over a year ago. Gains in

^{1.} In the seasonally adjusted figures of Gross National Product given in this report, the estimated value of crop production is distributed evenly across the four calendar quarters of the year. The estimate of crop production for the first quarter of 1955 is made on the basis of ten year average yields, current acreage intentions, and initial prices. The figure is therefore subject to revision as later information on the crop outlook becomes available, and when the actual yield is first determined.

^{2.} It may be noted that these figures are only approximately representative of movements in the non-farm sector since they include a number of small and stable components of Gross National Product originating in agriculture e.g. wages, interest, rents and depreciation.

the service industries, while less substantial than those in the primary group, were nevertheless higher than in manufacturing production.

The combined effect of these gains over a year ago has been to bring the level of non-agricultural output to a point more than 3 per cent above the third quarter of 1953, which was the high point prior to the recent downturn in industrial activity. It is interesting to note that in the United States, Gross National Product has expanded sharply in recent quarters, although the first quarter of 1955 was just at the level of the previous peak in the second quarter of 1953.

National Income and Gross National Product

Wages, salaries and supplementary labour income, seasonally adjusted, amounted to \$12.5 billion in the first quarter of 1955, nearly 1 per cent higher than the last quarter of 1954. The largest increase from the fourth to the first quarter occurred in the manufacturing group. The remainder of the gain was almost entirely attributable to increases in the service industries. Taking labour income as a whole, the gains in the first quarter of 1955 brought the total of labour income to a point about 4.5 per cent above the first quarter of the year 1954. Accompanying this increase over a year ago, paid workers with jobs were up by nearly 1.5 per cent, and average weekly earnings in the main non-agricultural industries were up by approximately 3 per cent. Average hours worked per week in manufacturing showed an increase of about 1 per cent in the first quarter of 1955 compared with the same period of 1954.

Investment income, seasonally adjusted, rose moderately in the first quarter over the last quarter of 1954. Corporation profits before taxes, after having remained comparatively level throughout most of 1954, showed a moderate gain. The largest increases were in the mining and durable manufacturing groups. Net residential rents was the other major component of investment income to show a gain in the first quarter. The increases in these two important components of investment income, however, were partially offset by the payment of higher dividends to non-residents, which are deducted from investment income.

Compared with the first quarter of 1954, total investment income was about 7 per cent higher in the first quarter of this year.

Accrued net income of farm operators from farm production, seasonally adjusted, is computed on the basis of a normal yield estimate of crop production (see footnote 1, page 1) and this accounts for the major part of the increase shown from the fourth to first quarter.

Indirect taxes less subsidies, seasonally adjusted, showed a substantial gain in the first quarter of 1955 over the fourth quarter of last year, as federal excise tax collections and customs import duties rose sharply. These increases were related to higher production of durable goods, a moderate increase in consumer outlays for durables, a build-up of business inventories (especially automobiles), and a higher level of imports. Relative to the first quarter of 1954, indirect taxes less subsidies were higher by about 5 per cent.

Gross National Expenditure

The expansion of business activity from the fourth to the first quarter was accompanied by a build-up of business inventories and a sharp rise in merchandise exports, on the seasonally adjusted basis. Apart from these two expenditure categories, other major components of demand in the first quarter were relatively stable. Approximately half of the inventory build-up (seasonally adjusted) in the first quarter appears to have been in automobiles, production of which was a major factor in the upturn in mamufacturing activity. The gains in merchandise exports in the first quarter were generally widespread and affected most of the major categories in the export group. In particular, exports of agricultural products, wood and wood products, iron and its products, non-ferrous metals and chemicals showed major gains from the fourth to the first quarter, after allowing for seasonal factors. As has been noted, this rise in export demand was accompanied by gains in production in durable manufacturing, forestry and mining.

Personal expenditure on consumer goods and services showed little change in total from the fourth to the first quarter (seasonally adjusted), but was at an annual rate approximately 2 per cent above the average for the year 1954 as a whole. Purable goods purchases, which had been declining throughout most of 1954, rose by 5 per cent from the fourth to the first quarter, and were at a level only slightly below the first quarter of a year ago. The recent pick-up in durable goods sales was concentrated in automobiles, but purchases of major appliances (including television sets) were also higher in the first quarter. It may be noted that the value of factory shipments of television sets was 25 per cent above that of a year earlier in the first quarter of 1955.

Consumer outlays for non-durable goods dropped fractionally from the fourth to the first quarter, reflecting some decline in purchases of clothing and foot-wear. Outlays for services, which have grown steadily in recent quarters, continued to move upward.

The price components of personal expenditure on consumer goods and services have shown mixed trends since the first quarter of last year, with the prices of services rising by about 4 per cent, and prices of durable and non-durable goods declining by about 1 per cent. Thus, the volume of non-durable goods purchases was up by about 3 per cent over a year ago, with the volume of durable goods purchases showing no change, and the volume of services showing a gain of 4 per cent.

Government expenditure on goods and services was approximately unchanged from the fourth quarter of last year, at an annual rate of \$4.5 billion. This constitutes a gain of about 4 per cent over the first quarter of 1954; in the year-over-year comparison, defence expenditures have remained level (on the National Accounts basis), while federal non-defence expenditures and the total of provincial and municipal expenditures have increased.

Investment in new residential construction in the first quarter was at an annual rate of \$1.3 billion, unchanged from the high fourth quarter level, and ll per cent above the 1954 annual average. Housing starts and completions in the first quarter were well above any previous first quarter level. Investment in new non-residential construction showed little change from the fourth quarter of last year, and remained below the level of a year ago. Investment in new machinery and equipment showed a modest rise over the fourth quarter.

As previously noted, the build-up of business inventories was a major factor in the increase in output from the fourth to the first quarter. Seasonally adjusted at annual rates, the accumulation of business inventories in the first quarter amounted to about \$0.4 billion. It may be recalled that during the second and third quarters of 1954, a substantial part of final demand was being met through the drawing down of existing inventory stocks, and this development tended to have a restraining effect upon production. The turn-around in business inventories from the third quarter of 1954, to the first quarter of 1955 has amounted to approximately \$0.8 billion (seasonally adjusted at annual rates), or somewhat more than 3 per cent of Gross National Product.

The build-up of business inventories in the first quarter occurred almost wholly at the manufacturing and retail trade levels, with small additions in wholesale trade. The major item in the total build-up was automobile inventories, which accounted for a large share of the accumulation at both the manufacturing and retail trade levels. It is of interest to note that production of passenger vehicles in March, 1955, exceeded shipments from manufacturers by 17,000 units. (Of the total business inventory accumulation of \$0.4 billion at annual rates, it appears that approximately one-half can be attributed to automobiles).

Substantial increases were experienced in both exports and imports of goods and services in the first quarter of 1955. Seasonally adjusted at annual rates, exports rose by 8 per cent over the fourth quarter, while imports showed a gain of 4 per cent.

The gains in exports over the fourth quarter were widespread in the goods group, but little change occurred in services. Sharp increases occurred in exports of wood products, as well as in the major base metals; in the latter case both volume and price gains were contributing factors. It was previously noted that activity in forestry, mining and manufactured wood products was rising in the first quarter of this year. Exports of chemicals were also up significantly. To a considerable extent, the gains in merchandise exports in the first quarter were a reflection of the high levels of economic activity in the United Kingdom and the United States.

On the import side, iron and its products was the only commodity group to show any significant change from the fourth to first quarter. This appears to be related to the increase in automobile production and to the improvement in investment in machinery and equipment. Freight and shipping payments increased in response to the higher volume of imports. Interest and dividend payments also rose sharply.

It is of interest to note the greater volatility in imports of goods in relation to changes in manufacturing activity. From the third quarter of 1953 to the third quarter of 1954, imports of goods declined by 11 per cent, while manufacturing production declined by 5 per cent. From the first quarter of 1954 to the first quarter of this year, imports of goods increased by 4 per cent, while manufacturing activity was 2 per cent higher.

Personal Income and Expenditure

Personal income in the first quarter of 1955 was 5 per cent over the corresponding period of a year ago. This gain is approximately the same as that which occurred in total Gross National Product from the first quarter of last year. Higher labour income, government transfer payments, and interest, dividends and net rental income of persons accounted for the major share of this increase; net income of non-farm unincorporated business also showed a small gain relative to last year. As was noted previously, the increase in labour income is attributable to the rise in average weekly earnings and the small increase in employment over a year ago; higher Unemployment Insurance benefits and payments under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act accounted for the major part of the increase in government transfer payments.

Personal direct taxes were approximately 6 per cent above the first quarter of last year, a reflection of higher levels of personal income. As previously noted, personal expenditure on consumer goods and services was approximately 4 per cent above a year ago. The net effect of these various changes was to leave the total of personal saving somewhat higher than a year ago.

As a proportion of personal income, personal saving was about 5 per cent in the first quarter of 1955, only slightly higher than the first quarter of last year.

TABLE 1. NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL (millions

7		I	II	1952 III	IV I	Year
1. 2. 3.	Wages, Salaries and Supplementary Labour Income Military Pay and Allowances	2,567 60 842	2,641 67 959	2,782 69 1,022	2,878 74 940	10,868 270 3,763
4.	Net Income of Unincorporated Business: Accrued Net Income of Farm Operators from Farm Production Net Income of Non-Farm Unincorporated Business ² .	110	109 418	1,414	218 427	1,851
6.	NET NATIONAL INCOME AT FACTOR COST	3,885	4,194	5,710	4,537	18,326
7. 8. 9.	Indirect Taxes less Subsidies Depreciation Allowances and Similar Business Costs Residual Error of Estimate	646 487 28	651 527 29	692 532 3	725 574 35	2,714 2,120 95
10.	GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT AT MARKET PRICES	5,046	5,401	6,937	5,871	23,255
n.	(Gross National Product at Market Prices excluding Accrued Net Income of Farm Operators)	(4,936)	(5,292)	(5,523)	(5,653)	(21,404)

Footnotes:
1. This item includes the undistributed earnings of the Canadian Wheat Board, and an inventory valuation adjustment for grain in Wheat Board channels.

2. Includes net income of independent professional practitioners.

TABLE 2. GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE,

				1952									
		Į	Ц	III	IV	Year							
1.	Personal Expenditure on Consumer Goods												
	and Services	3,230	3,577	3,512	4,047	14,366							
2.	Government Expenditure on Goods and Services 1,4	1,104	860	1,096	1,185	4,245							
	Gross Domestic Investment:2												
3.	New Residential Construction	126	200	223	237	786							
4.	New Non-Residential Construction	303	381	450	420	1,554							
5.	New Machinery and Equipment	438	564	466	448	1,916							
6.	Change in Inventories	-158	-193	1,116	-455	310							
7.	(Business Inventories only)3	(23)	(14)	(14)	(-69)	(-18)							
8.	Exports of Goods and Services	1,234	1,409	1,430	1,500	5,573							
9.	Deduct: Imports of Goods and Services	-1,202	-1,368	-1,353	-1,477	-5,400							
10.	Residual Error of Estimate	-29	-29	-3	-34	-95							
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11.	GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE AT MARKET PRICES	5,046	5,401	6,937	5,871	23,255							

Footnotes:

1. Includes outlay on new durable assets such as building and highway construction by governments, other than government business enterprises. Also includes the change in inventories of government

Commodity agencies.

2. Includes capital expenditures by private and government business enterprises, private non-commercial institutions, and outlays on new residential construction by individuals.

3. Excluding grain in commercial channels and change in farm inventories.

4. Includes defence expenditures of:

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1952	1953	1954	1955
I II III IV Year	I II III IV Year	I II III IV Year	I
511 382 409 498 1,800	590 401 452 464 1,907	528 360 399 440 1,727	522

PRODUCT, BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 of dollars)

		1953					1954			1955
I	П	III	IV	Year	I	II	III	IV	Year	I
2,792 70 885	2,902 77 1,024	3,003 79 1,018	3,009 83 873	11,706 309 3,800	2,855 83 843	2,947 92 965	3,074 95 1,002	3,113 97 905	11,989 367 3,715	2,981 93 901
18 348	83 453	1,386	166 440	1,653 1,688	42 334	119 426	734 445	163 440	1,058 1,645	21 350
4,113	4,539	5,933	4,571	19,156	4,157	4,549	5,350	4,718	18,774	4,346
691 543 -8	732 601 -88	742 603 10	736 664 67	2,901 2,411 -19	716 575 -42	734 639 -100	728 630 -46	736 667 30	2,914 2,511 -158	749 613 -52
5,339	5,784	7,288	6,038	24,449	5,406	5,822	6,662	6,151	24,041	5,656
(5,321)	(5,701)	(5,902)	(5,872)	(22,796)	(5,364)	(5,703)	(5,928)	(5,988)	(22,983)	(5,635)

BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 of dollars)

		1953					1954			1955
1	II	III	IV	Year	I	II	III	IA	Year	I
3,475 1,162	3,786	3,659	4,205 1,132	15,125 4,359	3,593 1,121	3,925 874	3,801	4,357 1,183	15,676 4,361	3,736 1,161
190 311 522 -149 (96)	273 412 592 -48 (215)	302 523 520 1,126 (132)	296 460 439 -380 (-90)	1,061 1,706 2,073 549 (353)	206 335 429 -136 (104)	283 414 508 -118 (-1)	334 491 402 394 (-75)	343 436 372 -420 (-148)	1,166 1,676 1,711 -280 (-120)	246 327 410 -124 (141)
1,154 -1,335 9	1,399 -1,597 88	1,478 -1,496 -10	1,369 -1,415 -68	5,400 -5,843 19	1,089 -1,272 41	1,278 -1,442 100	1,397 -1,386 46	1,372 -1,462 -30	5, 136 -5, 562 157	1,205 -1,357 52
5,339	5,784	7,288	6,038	24,449	5,406	5,822	6,662	6,151	24,041	5,656
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				1952		
		I	п	III	IA	Year
1.	Wages, Salaries and Supplementary Labour Income	2,567	2,641	2,782	2,878	10,868
2.	Deduct: Employer and Employee Contributions to					
	Social Insurance and Government Pension Runds	-87	-88	-89	-94	-358
3.	Military Pay and Allowances	60	67	69	74	270
40	Net Income Received by Farm Operators from					
	Farm Production	111	78	1.377	316	1.882
5.	Net Income of Non-Farm Unincorporated Business	306	418	423	427	1,574
6.	Interest, Dividends and Net Rental Income of	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		4-2	1	-,,,,
0.	Persons ²	357	401	384	424	1.566
	2020000		4-1	204	n-a-	2,500
	Transfer Payments to Persons:					
7.	From Government (Excluding Interest)	379	321	331	329	1,360
8.	Charitable Contributions by Corporations	6	7	7	7	27
9.	Net Bad Debt Losses of Corporations	6	6	6	7	25
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10.	PERSONAL INCOME.	3,705	3,851	5,290	4.368	17,214
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Footnotes:

This item differs from line 4 of Table 1 in that it excludes the undistributed earnings (and the inventory valuation adjustment) of the Canadian Wheat Board.
 Includes all government debt interest paid to persons.

TABLE 4. DISPOSITION OF PERSONAL (millions

				1952		
		I	Ц	III	IA	Tear
	Personal Mirect Taxes:					
	Income Taxes	266	332	279	300	1,177
	Succession Duties	21	18	15	19	73
•	Miscellaneous	27	18	12	16	73
•	Total Personal Direct Taxes	314	368	306	335	1,323
	Personal Expenditure on Consumer Goods					
	and Services:					
4	Non-Durable Goods	1,831	2,006	2,078	2,459	8,37
	Durable Goods	319	453	381	435	1,58
	Services 1	1,080	1,118	1,053	1,153	4,40
	Total Personal Expenditure on Consumer					
	Goods and Services	3,230	3,577	3,512	4,047	14,360
	Personal Saving:					
•	Personal Saving Excluding Farm Inventory Change.	329	105	433	421	1,28
	Farm Inventory Change	-168	-199	1,039	-435	23
•	Total Personal Saving	161	-94	1,472	-14	1,52
,	PERSONAL INCOME	3,705	3,851	5,290	4,368	17,21
	(Personal Disposable Income)2	(3,391)	(3,483)	(4,984)	(4.033)	(15,89)

Pootnotes:

Includes net expenditure abroad.
 Personal Income less Total Personal Direct Taxes.

INCOME, BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 of dollars)

		1953				1954					
I	II	III	IA	Year	I	II	III	IA	Year	1955 I	
2,792	2,902	3,003	3,009	11,706	2,855	2,947	3,074	3,113	11,989	2,981	
-9 4 70	-97	-9 9	-100 83	-390 309	-96 83	-99 92	-99 95	-101 97	-395 367	-102 93	
-2 348	120 453	1,308	232 440	1,658 1,688	48 334	130 426	709 445	198 440	1,085 1,645	-1 350	
391	430	418	430	1,669	422	474	454	475	1,825	467	
423 7 6	343 8 7	344 7 7	350 6 8	1,460 28 28	473 6 6	381 8 7	37 <u>1</u> 7 7	376 7 8	1,601 28 28	522 6 6	
3,941	4,243	5,514	4,458	18,156	4,131	4,366	5,063	4,613	18,173	4,322	

INCOME, BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 of dollars)

		1953					1954			1955
I	Ш	1953 III	IA	Year	Ī	II	Ш	IV	Year	I
312 19 26	381 17 18	291 20 11	303 17 16	1,287 73 71	298 17 23	356 17 15	313 19 9	323 24 12	1,290 77 59	310 21 28
357	416	322	336	1,431	338	388	341	359	1,426	359
1,883 425 1,167	2,078 512 1,196	2,105 412 1,142	2,512 444 1,249	8,578 1,793 4,754	1,953 394 1,246	2,160 474 1,291	2,167 397 1,237	2,600 417 1,340	8,880 1,682 5,114	2,004 389 1,343
3,475	3,786	3,659	4,205	15,125	3,593	3,925	3,801	4,357	15,676	3,736
378 -269 109	225 -184 41	652 881 1,533	295 -378 -83	1,550 50 1,600	396 -196 200	137 -84 53	469 452 921	214 -317 -103	1,216 -145 1,071	434 -207 227
3,941	4,243	5,514	4,458	18,156	4,131	4,366	5,063	4,613	18,173	4,322
(3,584)	(3,827)	(5,192)	(4,122)	(16,725)	(3,793)	(3,978)	(4,722)	(4,254)	(16,747)	(3,963)

TABLE 5. NATIONAL INCOME AND GROSS NATIONAL SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (millions

				1952		
		I	П	III	IV	Year
1. 2. 3.	Wages, Salaries and Supplementary Labour Income Military Pay and Allowances	10,572 240 3,700	10,700 268 3,632	10,900 276 3,736	11,300 296 3,984	10,868 270 3,763
4.	Net Income of Unincorporated Business: Accrued Net Income of Farm Operators from Farm Production 1	1,964	1,856 1,584	1,700 1,588	1,884	1,851
6.	NET NATIONAL INCOME AT FACTOR COST	17,940	18,040	18,200	19,124	18,326
7. 8. 9.	Indirect Taxes less Subsidies Depreciation Allowances and Similar Business Costs. Residual Error of Estimate	2,668 2,056 252	2,640 2,096 176	2,752 2,136 36	2,7% 2,192 -84	2,714 2,120 95
10.	GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT AT MARKET PRICES	22,916	22,952	23,124	24,028	23,255
11.	(Gross National Product at Market Prices excluding Accrued Net Income of Farm Operators)	(20,952)	(21,0%)	(21,424)	(22,144)	(21,404)

Footnotes:

 Includes an arbitrary smoothing of crop production, standard seasonal adjustments for livestock items, and a seasonal adjustment for earnings of the Canadian Wheat Board. Because of the arbitrary elements, too precise an interpretation should not be given the seasonally adjusted figures of accrued net income of farm operators.

2. Includes net income of independent professional practitioners.

TABLE 6. GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (millions

				1952		
		I	П	III	IV	Year
1.	Personal Expenditure on Consumer Goods and Services Government Expenditure on Goods and Services	13,876 4,164	14,244	14,560	14,784	14,366
3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Gross Domestic Investment: ² New Residential Construction New Non-Residential Construction New Machinery and Equipment Change in Inventories (Business Inventories only) ³	672 1,500 1,800 608 (8)	776 1,516 1,940 52 (-292)	804 1,576 1,956 72 (-108)	892 1,624 1,968 508 (320)	786 1,554 1,916 310 (-18)
8. 9. 10.	Exports of Goods and Services Deduct: Imports of Goods and Services Residual Error of Estimate	5,712 -5,168 -248	5,572 -5,152 -180	5,428 -5,416 -36	5,580 -5,864 84	5,573 -5,400 -95
11.	GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE AT MARKET PRICES	22,916	22,952	23,124	24,028	23,255

Footnotes:

1. Includes outlay on new durable assets such as building and highway construction by governments, other than government business enterprises. Also includes the change in inventories of government commodity agencies.

Includes capital expenditures by private and government business enterprises, private non-commercial institutions, and outlays on new residential construction by individuals.
 Excludes grain in commercial channels and farm inventories.

PRODUCT, BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 AT ANNUAL RATES of dollars)

1955			1954					1953		
I	Year	IA	III	II	I	Year	IA	III	II	I
12,280 372 3,912	11,989 367 3,715	12,172 388 3,828	12,080 380 3,656	11,936 368 3,708	11,768 332 3,668	11,706 309 3,800	11,804 332 3,672	11,776 316 3,728	11,736 308 3,884	11,508 280 3,916
1,248	1,058	1,008	1,008	1,068	1,148	1,653	1,724	1,640	1,596	1,652
19,500	18,774	19,084	18,776	18,704	18,532	19,156	19,224	19,124	19,224	19,052
3,048 2,580 -88	2,914 2,511 -158	2,884 2,544 –128	2,884 2,536 -248	2,984 2,544 -272	2,904 2,420 16	2,901 2,411 -19	2,832 2,540 -48	2,940 2,424 144	2,964 2,392 -184	2,868 2,288 12
25,040	24,041	24,384	23,948	23,960	23,872	24,449	24,548	24,632	24,396	24,220
(23,792)	(22,983)	(23,376)	(22,940)	(22,892)	(22,724)	(22,796)	(22,824)	(22,992)	(22,800)	(22,568)

BY CUARTERS, 1952-1955 AT ANNUAL RATES of dollars)

1955			1954					1953		
I	Year	IV	III	II	I	Year	IA	III	II	Ī
15,976 4,452	15,676	15,916 4,436	15,812	15,600 4,312	15,376	15,125 4,359	15,348 4,236	15,228 4,540	14,988 4,400	4,260
1,288 1,636 1,692 336 (364)	1,166 1,676 1,711 -280 (-120)	1,288 1,672 1,608 -56 (36)	1,200 1,716 1,708 -808 (-460)	1,092 1,640 1,756 -428 (-356)	1,084 1,676 1,772 172 (300)	1,061 1,706 2,073 549 (353)	1,108 1,776 1,820 720 (264)	1,080 1,840 2,220 308 (360)	1,052 1,640 2,104 496 (508)	1,004 1,568 2,148 672 (280)
5,588 -6,020 92	5,136 -5,562 157	5,180 -5,788 128	5,148 -5,548 248	5,156 -5,440 272	5,060 -5,472 -20	5,400 -5,843 19	5,132 -5,640 48	5,552 -5,992 -144	5,548 -6,012 180	5,368 -5,728 -8
25,040	24,041	24,384	23,948	23,960	23,872	24,449	24,548	24,632	24,396	24,220

TABLE 7. SOURCES OF PERSONAL SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (millions

			1952		
	I	II	III	IA	Year
L. Wages, Salaries and Supplementary Labour Income L. Deduct: Employer and Employee Contributions to	10,572	10,700	10,900	11,300	10,868
Social Insurance and Government Pension Funds Military Pay and Allowances	-348 240	-352 268	-356 276	-376 296	-358 270
Farm Production 1	1,924	1,704	1,528	2,372 1,660	1,88
Persons 2 Transfer Payments to Persons:	1,508	1,540	1,568	1,648	1,56
7. From Government (Excluding Interest)	1,280	1,352	1,392	1,416	1,36
Charitable Contributions by Corporations	24	28	28	28	2,00
Net Bed Debt Losses of Corporations	24	24	24	28	2
PERSONAL INCOME	16,688	16,848	16,948	18,372	17,21

Footnotes:

This item differs from line 4, Table 5, in that it excludes undistributed earnings (and the inventory valuation adjustment) of the Canadian Wheat Board.

Includes all government debt interest paid to persons.

TABLE 8. DISPOSITION OF PERSONAL SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (millions

				1952		
_		I	П	III	IV	Year
	Personal Direct Taxes:					
1.	Income Taxes	1,052	1,172	1,236	1,248	1,177
2.	Succession Duties	84	72	60	76	73
3.	Miscellaneous	84 76	72	72	72	73
4.	Total Personal Direct Taxes	1,212	1,316	1,368	1,396	1,323
	Personal Expenditure on Consumer Goods and Services:					
5.	Non-Durable Goods	8,220	8,264	8,468	8,544	8,374
5.	Durable Goods	1,392	1,588	1,656	1,716	1,588
7.	Services 1	4,264	4,392	4,436	4,524	4,404
g.	Total Personal Expenditure on Consumer					
	Goods and Services	13,876	14,244	14,560	14,784	14,366
	Personal Saving:					
9.	Personal Saving Excluding Farm Inventory Change.	1,216	1,184	784	1,968	1,288
0.	Farm Inventory Change	384	104	236	224	237
l.	Total Personal Saving	1,600	1,288	1,020	2,192	1,525
2.	PERSONAL INCOME	16,688	16,848	16,948	18,372	17,214
3.	(Personal Disposable Income) 2	(15,476)	(15,532)	(15,580)	(16,976)	(15, 891

Pootnotes:

Includes net expenditure abroad.
 Personal Income less Total Personal Direct Taxes.

INCOME BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 AT ANNUAL RATES of dollars)

		1953					1954			1955
I	II	III	IA	Year	Ī	II	III	IV	Year	I
11,508	11,736	11,776	11,804	11,706	11,768	11,936	12,080	12,172	11,989	12,280
-372 280	-388 308	-396 316	-404 332	-390 309	-376 332	-396 368	-404 380	-404 388	-395 367	-400 372
1,500 1,696	1,720 1,700	1,508 1,664	1,904	1,658	1,172 1,616	1,112	908 1,652	1,148	1,085 1,645	1,164
1,640	1,644	1,696	1,696	1,669	1,760	1,812	1,840	1,888	1,825	1,952
1,436 28 28	1,444 32 28	1,448 28 28	1,512 24 28	1,460 28 28	1,608 28 28	1,608 28 28	1,564 28 28	1,624 28 28	1,601 28 28	1,776 24 28
17,744	18,224	18,068	18,588	18,156	17,936	18,120	18,076	18,560	18,173	18,884

INCOME, BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 AT ANNUAL RATES of dollars)

		1953					1954			1955
I	II	III	IV	Year	I	П	III	IV	Year	Ï
1,236 76 72	1,352 68 72	1,296 80 68	1,264 68 72	1,287 73 71	1,264 68 64	1,228 68 60	1,352 76 56	1,316 96 56	1,290 77 59	1,316 84 76
1,384	1,492	1,444	1,404	1,431	1,396	1,356	1,484	1,468	1,426	1,476
8,460 1,856 4,620	8,508 1,780 4,700	8,656 1,788 4,784	8,688 1,748 4,912	8,578 1,793 4,754	8,720 1,728 4,928	8,860 1,656 5,084	8,912 1,728 5,172	9,028 1,616 5,272	8,880 1,682 5,114	8,964 1,696 5,316
14,936	14,988	15,228	15,348	15,125	15,376	15,600	15,812	15,916	15,676	15,976
1,396 28 1,424	1,712 32 1,744	1,592 -196 1,396	1,500 336 1,836	1,550 50 1,600	1,384 -220 1,164	1,376 -212 1,164	888 -108 780	1,216 -40 1,176	1,216 -145 1,071	1,496 -64 1,432
17,744	18,224	18,068	18,588	18,156	17,936	18,120	18,076	18,560	18,173	18,884
16,360)	(16,732)	(16,624)	(17,184)	(16,725)	(16,540)	(16,764)	(16,592)	(17,092)	(16,747)	(17,408)

TABLE 9. GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE IN (1949)
UNADJUSTED FOR
(millions

		 I	1007	П	III	IA	Year
1.	Personal Expenditure on Consumer Goods						
	and Services	2,725		3,056	2,995	3,461	12,237
2.	Non-Durable Goods	1,567		1,755	1,821	2,165	7,308
3.	Durable Goods	268		391	335	384	1,378
4.	Services	890		910	839	912	3,551
5.	Government Expenditure on Goods and Services	901		706	897	958	3,462
	Gross Domestic Investment:						
5.	New Residential Construction	102		162	181	190	635
7.	New Non-Residential Construction	241		302	356	324	1,223
₿.	New Machinery and Equipment	367		476	399	384	1,626
9.	Change in Inventories	-225		-226	1,400	-466	483
).	(Business Inventories only)	(9)		(73)	(50)	(-50)	(82
L.	Exports of Goods and Services	1,048		1,224	1,266	1,334	4,872
5.	Deduct: Imports of Goods and Services	-1,045		-1,231	-1,249	-1.349	-4.874
3.	Residual Error of Estimate	-24		-24	-2	-29	-79
	GROSS NATIONAL EXPENDITURE	4,090		4,445	6,243	4, 807	19,585

Footnotes

^{1.} See footnotes, Table 2.

CONSTANT DOLLARS, BY QUARTERS, 1952-1955 SEASONALITY 1 of dollars)

1955			1954						1953		
I	Year	IA	III	Щ	I	Year		IA	Ш	Ц	I
3,139 1,811 348 980	13,262 7,974 1,491 3,797	3,689 2,337 373 979	3,199 1,938 353 908	3,327 1,946 418 963	3,047 1,753 347 947	12,927 7,677 1,576 3,674	8344	3,585 2,242 393 950	3,110 1,878 362 870	3,257 1,875 449 933	2,975 1,682 372 921
868	3,324	898	907	660	859	3,443	=	883	934	698	928
190 243 339 -218 (91)	910 1,272 1,426 -285 (-51)	266 333 307 -517 (-137)	260 376 337 545 (-40)	222 313 423 -154 (11)	162 250 359 -159 (115)	832 1,291 1,730 555 (295)		231 346 363 -426 (-50)	236 397 431 1,289 (81)	215 312 496 -132 (174)	150 236 440 -176 (90)
1,088 -1,223 42	4,665 -5,038 129	1,260 -1,331 -25	1,264 -1,250 38	1,151 -1,298 82	990 -1,159 34	4,856 -5,297 16		1,247 -1,283 -56	1,337 -1,352 -8	1,255 -1,442 73	1,017 -1,220 7
4,468	19,665	4,880	5,676	4,726	4,383	20,353	E1	4,890	6,374	4,732	4,357





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