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ESTIMATED VALUES OF SHIPMENTS, INVENTORY OWNED, AND UNFILLED ORDERS IN ALL MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES;

RATIOS OF INVENTORY TO SHIPMENTS; AND RATIOS OF UNFILLED ORDERS TO SHIPMENTS


## TREND SUMMARY

Preliminary January estimates show no change in shipments value from the December level (although shipments values normally decline slightly during January), and small increases in Inventory and Unfllled orders values. The increase in Unfllled Orders was largely due to annual contracts in the Pulp and Paper industry.

SHIPMENTS - Value of Shipments, which in the four previous years, showed declines of between 4 and $6 \%$ in January as compared with December, this year showed almost no change. The January value was $\$ 1,753$ million, as compared with $\$ 1,752.5$ million in December, $\$ 1,855$ million in November, and $\$ 1,539$ million in January, 1956. The January figure was 14\% higher than that for January, 1956.

Decreases during the month were general in the Poods and Beverages group of industries, and Tobacco Products also declined. Increases were general in the Iron and Steel Products group, and the Chemical Products group; the Petroleum Products industry, the Brass and Copper Products industry, Men's and Women's Clothing, and Sawmilis also showed substantial increases during the month.

Industry groups (Standard Industrial Classification) in which the January shipments were substantially above the January 1956 level Included Transportation Equipment (51\%), Iron and Steel Froducts (22\%), Electrical Apparatus (24\%), and Petroleum Products (17\%). Three groups were below last year's level by approximately $5 \%$ - Leather Products, Textiles, and Wood Products.

INVENTORY - Value of Inventory owned continued to increase during January, but by a smaller amount than in most months of 1956 . The value at the end of the month was $\$ 4,117$ million, $\$ 17$ million ( $0.4 \%$ ) higher than the revised December value of $\$ 4,100$ million. (The November estimate has also been revised upward, to $\$ 4,052$ million). The January level was $\$ 418$ million, or $11.3 \%$, higher than the January, 1956 value of $\$ 3,699$ million.

Inventory held under progress payments arrangements was practically unchanged during January. Total inventory held (including both inventory owned, and inventory held under progress payments arrangements) stood at $\$ 4,617$ million at the end of January, as compared with $\$ 4,597$ at the end of December, $\$ 4,540$ million in November, and $\$ 4,131$ million at the end of January, 1956. The January level was $0.4 \%$ higher than at the end of December and $11.8 \%$ higher than at the end of January, 1956.

The increase of $\$ 19$ milion in total inventory held during January came largely from the finished products component, which rose by $\$ 13.5$ miliion ( $1 \%$ ). Goods in process increased by $\$ 10$ million ( $0.8 \%$ ), while raw materials declined $\$ 3.5$ millon $(0.2 \%)$. Bach of the three components was $12 \%$ higher than at the end of January, 1956.

The only large changes in individual industries during January were increases of $\$ 11$ and $\$ 4 \mathrm{millin}$, respectively, in the Tobacco, and Cement and Cement Products industries, and decreases of $\$ 10$ and $\$ 6$ million, respectively, in the Primary Iron and Steel, and Petroleum Products industries.

The January ratio of total inventory owned to shipments, at 2.35 , was practically unchanged from the revised ratio for December (2.32). This ratio was lower than the January ratio in any of the four previous years - the 1953 January ratio was 2.58 ; January, 1954 was 2.81 ; Jamary, 1955 was 2.52; and January, 1956 was 2.40. The ratio of finished products inventory to shipments, at 0.79 , was slightly above the December ratio of 0.78 . Again, however, the Jamary ratio was slightly below that of the immediately preceding years. In 1953, the January ratio was also 0.79 , but in 1954 it was 0.92 , in 1955 it was 0.85 , and in 1956 it was 0.80 .

ORDERS - Unfilled orders rose by $\$ 86$ million ( $2.7 \%$ ) during January to reach $\$ 3,219$ million, as compared with the revised December level of $\$ 3,133 \mathrm{millin}$, and the revised November value of $\$ 2,889$. The January level was $\$ 222$ million (7.4\%) higher than the January, 1956 value of $\$ 2,997$ million.

The bulk of the increase was accounted for by annual contracts in the Pulp and paper industry. This industry's unfilled orders rose by $\$ 60$ million during the month. Smaller increases occurred in the primary Iron and Steel, and Shipbuilding industries, while Railroad Rolling Stock and Aircraft showed slight declines.

Table 1. - BSTMMTED VALUE O SKIPTBETS, ORDERS ARD INVERTORY IN ALL MANU ACTURIRG INDUSTRIES, by monthe. (1)
(in thoueande of dollars)
(For definitions, see Page 44. )

| Dete | SHIPmowts (2) | ORDER 8 |  | arned | INVENTORY |  | END OFMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Nev Order: Received During Month | Unfilled <br> Ordere <br> at end <br> of Month |  | Held but not Owned | Ali Inve |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | rotal | Rav Meterisle | Goods in Procese | Finished Product: |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1,347,187 | 1,329,042 | 3,227,053 | 3,481,162 | 418,514 | 3,899,676 | 1,837,693 | 997, 373 | 1,064,610 |
| Februery | 1,390,021 | 1,394,019 | 3,231,051 | 3,503,227 | 430,044 | 3,933,271 | 1,831,242 | 1,021,018 | 1,081,011 |
| March | 1,554,699 | 1,509,531 | 3,185,883 | 3,500,588 | 441,195 | 3,941,783 | 1,804,048 | 1,044,148 | 1,093,587 |
| April | 1,545, 309 | 1,407,646 | 3,048,220 | 3,499,766 | 454,998 | 3,954,764 | 1,793,752 | 1,069,920 | 1,091,092 |
| May | 1,556,442 | 1,372,386 | 2,864,164 | 3,527,994 | 460,222 | 3,988,216 | 1,807,975 | 1,071,831 | 1,108,410 |
| June | 1,586,835 | 1,531,391 | 2,808,720 | 3,576,400 | 459,274 | 4,035,674 | 1,819,775 | 1,083,591 | 1,132,308 |
| July | 1,489,175 | 1,356,955 | 2,676,500 | 3,598,206 | 465,210 | 4,063,416 | 2,842,752 | 1,087,069 | 1,133,595 |
| Auguse | 1,422,636 | 1,362,820 | 2,61.6,686 | 3,650,095 | 483, 264 | 4,133,359 | 1,874,082 | 1,116,551 | 1,142,726 |
| September | 1,538,289 | 1,456,022 | 2,534,417 | 3,620,754 | 490, 580 | 4,111,334 | 1,849,281 | 1,112,517 | 1,149,536 |
| October | 1,528,088 | 1,458,566 | 2,464,895 | 3,632,505 | 485,692 | 4,118,197 | 1,848,636 | 1,099,017 | 1,170,544 |
| Noveruber | 1,407,783 | 1, 568,737 | 2,625,849 | 3,627,646 | 501,182 | 4,128,828 | 1,841,289 | 1,114,284 | 1,173,255 |
| December | 1,395,140 | 1,428,894 | 2,659,603 | 3,661,069 | 466,188 | 4,127,257 | 1,867,375 | 1,074,962 | 1,184,920 |
| 1954 Total 17,761,604 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1,310,862 | 1,465,914 | 2,813,067 | 3,679,545 | 469,322 | 4,148,867 | 1,835,324 | 1,105,556 | 1,207,987 |
| February | 1,393,905 | 1,526,603 | 2,944,745 | 3,678, 151 | 454,621 | 4,132,712 | 1,812,977 | 1,104,308 | 1,215,487 |
| March | 1,560,936 | 1,462,539 | 2,845,857 | 3,638,972 | 450,673 | 4,089,645 | 1,792,214 | 1,092,028 | 1,205,403 |
| April | 1,488,964 | 1,389,092 | 2,745,697 | 3,560,900 | 463,630 | 4,024,530 | 1,740,766 | 1,093,261 | 1,190,503 |
| Mry | 1,499,003 | 1,462,924 | 2,709,127 | 3,559,144 | 461,442 | 4,020,586 | 1,736,839 | 1,080, 535 | 1,203,212 |
| June | 1,546,122 | 1,542,798 | 2,705,718 | 3,567,760 | 469,570 | 4,037,330 | 1,738,983 | 1,080,027 | 1,218,320 |
| Jaly | 1,416,548 | 1,405,322 | 2,694,530 | 3,525,188 | 464,960 | 3,990,148 | 1,727,146 | 1,058,191 | 1,204,811 |
| August | 1,426,303 | 1,370, 107 | 2,638,330 | 3,505,597 | 470,271 | 3,975,868 | 1,710,617 | 1,058,241 | 1,207,010 |
| September | 1,514,038 | 1,548,434 | 2,673,495 | 3,484,113 | 490,329 | 3,974,442 | 1,691,653 | 1,081,046 | 1,201,743 |
| October | 1,449,393 | 1,330,460 | 2,555,777 | 3,474,187 | 482,986 | 3,957, 173 | 1,681,860 | 1,079,414 | 1,195,899 |
| Movemer | 1,476,929 | 1,440,633 | 2,520,941 | 3,486,010 | 481,523 | 3,967,533 | 1,685,051 | 1,081,902 | 1,200,580 |
| December | $1,456,109$ | 1,449,424 | 2,514,740 | 3,483,904 | 463,325 | 3,947,229 | 1,683,483 | 1,068,212 | 1,195,534 |
| 1955 Total | 17,539,112 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 1,392,377 | $1,495,981$ 1,491990 | 2,618,344 | 3,512,025 | 462,735 | 3,974,760 | 1,703,181 | 1,087,599 | 1,183,980 |
| Tebruary | $1,447,141$ $1,603,209$ | $1,491,990$ $1,565,734$ | $2,663,193$ 2,625,718 | 3,540,052 | 474,771 470,046 | $4,014,822$ $4,055,219$ | $1,702,988$ $1,701,289$ | $1,113,134$ $1,109,193$ | $1,198,700$ $1,244,737$ |
| April | 1,586,804 | 1,571,725 | 2,610,639 | 3,518,299 | 466,480 | 3,984,779 | 1,683,177 | 1,101,299 | 1,200, 303 |
| May | 1,688,178 | 1,757,174 | 2,679,635 | 3,516,056 | 465,030 | 3,981,086 | 1,679,068 | 1,099,702 | 1,202,316 |
| June | 1,732,886 | 1,711,451 | 2,658,200 | 3,514,064 | 470, 257 | 3,984, 221 | 1,666,212 | 1,110,243 | 1,207,766 |
| July | 1,576,399 | 1,608,065 | 2,689,866 | 3,496,792 | 456,425 | 3,953,217 | 1,692,711 | 1,086,445 | 1,174,061 |
| Auguex | 1,669,352 | 1,723,232 | 2,743,746 | 3,481,876 | 464,842 | 3,946,718 | 1,671,259 | 1,105,075 | 1,170,384 |
| soptemer | 1,746,697 | 1,732,513 | 2,729,562 | 3,498,562 | 472,612 | 3,971,174 | 1,674,717 | 1,109,330 | 1,187,127 |
| October | 1,702,216 | 1,674,298 | 2,701,644 | 3,526,688 | 486,549 | 4,013,237 | 1,711,881 | 1,135,381 | 1,165,975 |
| Movenber | 1,694,775 | 1,736,959 | 2,743,828 | 3,552,492 | 475,494 | 4,027,986 | 1,736,741 | 1,110,071 | 1,181,174 |
| Decenber Total | $\begin{array}{r} 1,643,507 \\ 19,483,541 \end{array}$ | 1,683,973 | 2,784,294 | 3,635,901 | 433,641 | 4,069,542 | 1,765,876 | 1,104,645 | 1,199,021 |
| 1956. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janoary | 1,538,771 | 1,751,784 | 2,997,307 | 3,699,445 | 432,142 | 4,131,587 | 1,788,115 | 1.106,253 | 1,237,219 |
| Vebruary | 1,620,863 | 1,671,896 | 3,048,340 | 3,776,404 | 443,696 | 4,220,100 | 1,815,847 | 1,142,034 | 1,262,219 |
| March | 1,761,204 | 1,758,838 | 3,045,974 | 3,828,984 | 428,366 | 4,257,350 | 1,822,902 | 1,149,965 | 1,284,483 |
| aprid | 1,751,850 | 1,779,393 | 3,073,517 | 3,841,626 | 436,366 | 4,277,992 | 1,816,856 | 1,158,956 | 1,302,180 |
| May | 1,888,464 | 1,852,075 | 3,037,128 | 3,880,842 | 459,024 | 4,339,866 | 1,838,063 | 1,184,743 | 1,317,060 |
| June | $1,867,099$ $1,763,858$ | 1,760,154 | 2,930,183 | 3,931,547 | 463,484 | 4,395,031 | 1,854,247 | 1,193,047 | 1,367,737 |
| July | $1,763,858$ $1,810,041$ | $1,734,067$ $1,829,321$ | 2,900,392 | 3,933,521 | 454,359 | 4,387,880 | 1,882,120 | 1,165,666 | 1,340,094 |
| Augret | 1,810,041 | 1,829,321 | 2,919,672 | 3,931,323 | 460,378 | 4,391,701 | 1,896,877 | 1,172,237 | 1,322,587 |
| Septexber | 1,798,005 | 1,816,546 | 2.938.213 | 3,962,288 | 471,422 | 4,433,710 | 1,903,422 | 1,190,687 | 1,339,601 |
| October | 1,917,203 | 1,869,338 | 2,892,042 | 3,984,639 | 476,385 | 4,461,024 | 1,927,542 | 1,207,093 | 1,326,389 |
| Hovemer (3) | 1,855,129 | 1,851,861 | 2,888,774 | 4,052,119 | 487,993 | 4,540,112 | 1,959,441 | 1,224,628 | 1,356,043 |
| Decemer (3) | 1,752,505 | 1,996,557 | 3,132,826 | 4,100,405 | 496,402 | 4,596,807 | 1,998,515 | 1,229,583 | 1,368,709 |
| 1957 - Totel | 21,324,992 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January (3) | 1,753,297 | 1,839,302 | 3,228,831 | 4,116,964 | 499,606 | 4,626,570 | 1,994,962 | 1,239,399 | 1,382,209 |
| February <br> March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jaly |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Angrest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| september |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movember |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) Table 1 includes estimetes for all Ltem in all induseriew; in Tables 2 and 3 following. which represent two different breakdoms of the all-industry totals, some items were oitted as noted, and SIC group 9 (Printing and publifhing) ha been onitted from Table 2. (2) Annul shipente velee differ glightly frempubliehed ceneus of induetry totala, due to inventory adjustments for certain induteries where Censu of Industry data repreaent production rather than shipments values.
(3) Prelifinary.
 CBDUFIE AOCIJRDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION, by months. (1) (in thousande of dollars)
(a) B.A.C. Group 1 = FOONS AND BEVERAGES, (For definitions, see Page 44.)
Thes industries included, see Page 42.)




Table 2 (CORE'd.) - ESTIMATED VALUE OF SHIPHENTS, ORDERS AND INVEMTORY TA MANUPACTUREMG IMDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION, by mOnths. (1) (in thousands of dollars)
(b) S.I.C. Group 2 - TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS
(For definitions, sae Page 44 .)
(For industries included, see page 42 .)

| D.te | SHIPMESMES(2) | OR DER 8 |  | Omed | INVENTOXY A |  | END OF MONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | ```Mive Order: Received During Month``` | Unfllled Order: at and of Month |  | Held but not Omed | A11 Inventory Held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Rav Materials | Goods in Proces: | Findshed Produck |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janoary | 16,704 | (3) | (3) | 117,423 | - | 117,423 | 104, 253 | 1,788 | 11,382 |
| Pebruary | 13,027 |  |  | 128,967 |  | 128,967 | 114,505 | 2,722 | 11,740 |
| March | 18,910 |  |  | 133,117 | - | 133,117 | 118,870 | 2,304 | 11,943 |
| April | 17,071 |  |  | 131,263 | - | 131,263 | 114,864 | 2,383 | 14,016 |
| May | 16,196 |  |  | 122,536 | - | 122,536 | 104,145 | 2.420 | 15,971 |
| June | 22,797 |  |  | 115,772 | - | 115,772 | 98,024 | 2,496 | 15,252 |
| July | 15,653 |  |  | 108,035 | - | 108,035 | 94,663 | 2,400 | 10,972 |
| Aogrust | 18,420 |  |  | 104,234 | - | 104,234 | 89,371 | 2,658 | 12,205 |
| September | 19, 348 |  |  | 99,201 | - | 99,201 | 84,998 | 2,610 | 11,593 |
| October | 16,704 |  |  | 95,718 | - | 95,718 | 80.349 | 2,579 | 12,790 |
| November | 17,667 |  |  | 94,565 101,710 | - | 94,565 101,710 | 79,747 89,456 | 2,546 2,400 | 12,272 9,854 |
| December Total | 22,535 215,032 |  |  | 101,710 | - | 101,710 | 89,456 | 2,400 | 9,854 |
| 1954-- 215 , 032 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janumey | 15,833 |  |  | 112,593 | - | 112,593 | 99,304 | 2,606 | 10,683 |
| Pebruery | 17,231 |  |  | 123,120 | - | 123, 120 | 108,421 | 2,656 | 12,043 |
| Merch | 15,776 | * |  | 130,283 | - | 130,283 | 112.422 | 2,623 | 15,238 |
| April | 19,050 |  |  | 123,812 | - | 123,812 | 106,736 | 2,648 | 14,428 |
| May | 19,318 |  |  | 119,363 | - | 119,363 | 102,330 | 2, 630 | 14,403 |
| June | 22,898 |  |  | 113,584 | - | 113,584 | 97,649 | 2,560 | 13,375 |
| Joly | 16,752 |  |  | 104,920 | - | 104,920 | 94,522 | 2,160 | 8,238 |
| Aagust | 20,467 |  |  | 101,167 | - | 101,167 | 90, 207 | 2,643 | 8,317 |
| September | 18,054 |  |  | 97,543 | - | 97,543 | 85.618 | 2,502 | 9,423 |
| October | 17,710 |  |  | 92,865 | - | 92,865 | 80,206 | 2,522 | 10.137 |
| Novecter | 19,184 |  |  | 92,507 | - | 92,507 | 80.826 | 2,377 | 9.304 |
| December | 23,683 |  |  | 101,887 | - | 101,887 | 91,767 | 2,136 | 7.984 |
| 1955 - Total 225,956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 18,296 |  |  | 114, 193 | - | 114, 193 | 102,624 | 2.247 | 9,322 |
| Pebruery | 19,104 |  |  | 124,448 | - | 124,448 | 112,607 | 2,339 | 9,502 |
| Mareb | 18,872 |  |  | 130,262 | - | 130,262 | 114,928 | 2,275 | 13,059 |
| April | 22,264 |  |  | 128,402 | - | 128,402 | 114,168 | 2,355 | 11,879 |
| May | 21,495 |  |  | 124,095 | - | 124,095 | 109,605 | 2,417 | 12,073 |
| June | 24,324 |  |  | 119.654 | - | 119,654 | 103,480 | 2,378 | 13,796 |
| July | 19,328 |  |  | 111,171 | - | 111,171 | 100,280 | 2,298 | 8,593 |
| August | 20,726 |  |  | 106,648 | - | 106,648 | 95,698 | 2,321 | 8,629 |
| September | 21,990 |  |  | 102,178 | - | 102,178 | 90, 156 | 2,400 | 9,622 |
| October | 19,460 |  |  | 99,457 | - | 99,457 | 86,593 | 2,395 | 10,469 |
| Movember | 20,323 |  |  | 103,853 | - | 103,853 | 90,808 | 2,458 | 10,587 |
| December | 24,754 |  |  | 113,293 | - | 113,293 | 101,397 | 2,123 | 9,773 |
| 1956 - Totel $\quad 250,936$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janaery | 18,863 |  |  | 121,986 | - | 121,986 | 109,208 | 2,317 |  |
| Februery | 18,797 |  |  | 127,620 | - | 127,620 | 113,489 | 2,332 2,225 | 11,799 13,736 |
| march | 20,554 |  |  | 130,530 | - | 130,530 | 114,569 | 2,225 | 13,736 14,682 15,287 |
| April | 20,988 |  |  | 127,969 | - | 127,969 123,569 | 110,910 105,864 | 2,377 | 14,682 15,287 |
| May June | 21,679 26,379 |  |  | 123,569 118,267 | - | 123,569 118,267 | 105,864 100,397 | 2,418 2,458 | 15,412 |
| July | 21,412 |  |  | 111,638 | - | 111,638 | 98,755 | 2,242 | 10,641 |
| August | 23,693 |  |  | 103,614 | - | 103,614 | 91,633 | 2,468 | 9,513 |
| Septembr | 21,738 |  |  | 99,484 | - | 99,484 | 86,486 | 2,506 | 10,492 |
| October | 21,447 |  |  | 95,439 | - | 95,439 | 82,260 | 2,475 | 10,704 |
| Movember (4) | 22,626 |  |  | 97,292 | - | 97,292 | 84,217 | 2,368 | 10,707 |
| Deceuber (4) | 25,168 |  |  | 100,327 | - | 100,327 | 88,313 | 2,255 | 9,759 |
| 1957 $\mathrm{T}^{\text {Total }}$ 263,344 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jemuery (4) | 20,623 |  |  | 111,392 | - | 111,392 | 99,695 | 2.413 | 9,284 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maxch |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jaly |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Aagat |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October Movember |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Decesber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of thafilled ordere for induatries in this group is mall, and semple coverage is not adequate to provide eeparate eatimen for the group. (4) Prelimionry.

Table 2 (Cont'd.) - ESTDAATED VALUE OF SHIPAENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPRD ACCORDING TO THE STAMDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION, by montha. (1)
(c) S.I.C. Group 3-RUBEER PRODucts
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42)

| Dete | SHIPMEATEX (2) | OR DEE 8 |  | avaed | INVEMTORY |  | END OFMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Order: Recelved Daring Monct | Unfilled orders at end of Month |  | Held but not Owned | A11 Inventory Held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | $\begin{gathered} \text { Raw } \\ \text { Materdsls } \end{gathered}$ | Goods in Process | Finished <br> Producte |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 19,532 | (3) | (3) | 63,396 | 12 | 63,396 | 15,379 | 7,133 | 40,884 |
| Febreary |  |  |  | 65,177 |  | 65,177 | 15,018 | 7,131 | 43,028 |
| March | 25,232 |  |  | 66,685 |  | 66,685 | 15,299 | 7,089 | 44,297 |
| April | 25,496 |  |  | 66,835 |  | 66,835 | 15,478 | 6,921 | 44,436 |
| Mny | 24,933 |  |  | 67,223 |  | 67,223 | 15,297 | 6,861 | 45,065 |
| June | 26,003 |  |  | 67,335 | - | 67,335 | 15,109 | 6,713 | 45,513 |
| July | 23,606 |  |  | 65,611 | - | 65,611 | 15,070 | 6,394 | 44, 147 |
| Auguat | 23,912 |  |  | 63,967 | - | 63,967 | 15,490 | 7,009 | 41,468 |
| September | 25,720 |  |  | 63,494 | - | 63,494 | 16,004 | 6,959 | 40,531 |
| October | 25,082 |  |  | 62,982 | - | 62,982 | 15,541 | 6,446 | 40,995 |
| Novester |  |  |  | 65,320 | - | 65,320 | 15,305 | 6,180 | 43,835 |
| December |  |  |  | 68,173 | - | 68, 173 | 16,023 | 6,422 | 45,728 |
| $1954{ }^{\text {Total }}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20,227 \\ 283,545 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 19,451 |  |  | 67,669 | - | 67,669 | 14,728 | 6,581 | 46,360 |
| February | 21,792 |  |  | 68,764 | - | 68,764 | 14,518 | 6,497 | 47,749 |
| Merch | 21,771 |  |  | 69,600 | - | 69,600 | 13,950 | 6,551 | 49,099 |
| April | 23,263 |  |  | 68,252 | - | 68,252 | 13,497 | 6,391 | 48,364 |
| Nay | 22,433 |  |  | 69,072 | - | 69,072 | 13,593 | 6,342 | 49,137 |
| June | 21, 698 |  |  | 70,346 | - | 70,346 | 13,449 | 6,204 | 50,693 |
| July | 20,094 |  |  | 69, 171 | - | 69,171 | 13,373 | 6,357 | 49,441 |
| Augat | 22,587 |  |  | 65,695 63,607 | - | 65,695 63,607 | 13,007 12,769 | 6,698 6,815 | 45,990 |
| October | 23,527 |  |  | 63,105 | - | 63,105 | 13,040 | 6,813 | 43,252 |
| November | 21,285 |  |  | 65,846 | - | 65,846 | 12,681 | 6,941 | 46,224 |
| Decenber | 21,372 264,188 |  |  | 67,784 | - | 67,784 | 15,537 | 6,783 | 45,464 |
| $1955^{\text {Total }}$ | 264,188 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Innuery | 25,817 |  |  | 62, 233 | - | 62,233 | 14,273 | 6,942 | 41,018 |
| Tebruary | 24,196 |  |  | 63,540 | - | 63, 540 | 14,477 | 7,105 | 41,958 |
| March | 23,935 |  |  | 66,498 | - | 66,498 | 15,280 | 7,268 | 43,950 |
| April | 23,859 |  |  | 69,304 | - | 69,304 | 16,158 | 7,368 | 45,778 |
| May | 26,885 |  |  | 69,954 | - | 69,954 | 16,195 | 7,346 | 46,413 |
| June | 28,729 |  |  | 69,479 | - | 69,479 | 15, 376 | 7,076 | 47,027 |
| July | 28,847 |  |  | 66,717 | - | 66,717 | 15,932 | 6,901 | 43,884 |
| Anguat | 27,389 |  |  | 65,818 | - | 65,818 | 17,269 | 7,459 | 41,090 |
| September | 29,379 |  |  | 67,259 | - | 67,259 | 18,397 | 7,800 | 41,062 |
| October | 29,882 |  |  | 67,807 | - | 67,807 | 18,957 | 7,744 | 41,106 |
| Movember | 28,239 |  |  | 72,710 | - | 72,710 | 19,492 | 8,075 | 45,143 |
| December Total | 25,256 322,413 |  |  | 80,174 | - | 80,174 | 23,461 | 8,554 | 48,159 |
| 1956 - Total | 322,413 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jemeary |  |  |  |  | - | 83,118 | 22,504 | 8,821 | 51,793 |
| February | 24,651 |  |  | 86,374 | - | 86,374 | 21,879 | 8,855 | 55,640 |
| March | 27,332 |  |  | 88,590 | - | 88,590 | 22,524 | 8,883 | 57,183 |
| April | 31,523 |  |  | 87.743 | - | 87,743 | 20.685 | 8,857 | 58,201 |
| Mey | 33,966 |  |  | 85,696 | - | 85,696 | 19,019 | 8,907 | 57,770 |
| Juve | 32,636 |  |  | 85,011 | - | 85,011 | 18,959 | 8,983 | 57,069 |
| July | 30,354 |  |  | 82,774 | - | 82,774 | 18,481 | 8,559 | 55,734 |
| August | 29,546 |  |  | 81,964 | - | 81,964 | 18,691 | 9,180 | 54,093 |
| September | 30,476 |  |  | 83,340 | - | 83,340 | 19.192 | 9,385 | 54,763 |
| October | 33,958 |  |  | 85,317 | - | 85,317 | 19,064 | 9,286 | 56,967 |
| November(4) | 28,797 |  |  | 85,627 | - | 85,627 | 18,355 | 9,397 | 57,875 |
| December (4) | 25,014 351,807 |  |  | 90,010 | - | 90,010 | 21,013 | 9,303 | 59,694 |
| 1957 - Total | 351,807 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January (4) | 26,012 |  |  | 90,699 | - | 90,699 | 18,754 | 9,343 | 62,602 |
| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Augast September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movember |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of Unfilled ordera for induptries in thia group is small, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate estimates for the group. (4) preliminary.

Tmble 2 (Cont'd.) - ESTIMATED VALUE OR SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDLNG TO THE STAKDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION, by mOnths. (1) (In thousanda of dollers)
(d) S.I.C. Group 4 - Leather Products
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42 )

| Dete | S41814atc (2) | ORDES |  | INVENTORY |  |  | ENDOFMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Orders <br> Received <br> During <br> Month | Unfilled Orders et end of Month | Owned | Held but not Owned | Ast Inventory Held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Rav Meterials | Goods in Frocese | Finished Producte |
| 1953. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3anumit | 18,477 | 19,734 | 28,801 | 55,033 | - | 55,033 | 25,678 | 14.498 | 14,857 |
| Pebruary | 20,730 | 17,119 | 25,290 | 54,562 |  | 54,562 | 25,125 | 14,619 | 14,818 |
| March | 23,451 | 21,395 | 23,134 | 53,359 |  | 53,359 | 24,603 | 14,498 | 14,258 |
| April | 21,464 | 19,060 | 20,730 | 52,124 |  | 52,124 | 23,776 | 13,909 | 14,439 |
| May | 19,277 | 28, 105 | 19,558 | 52,699 |  | 52,699 52,987 | 24,006 23,827 | 13,518 13,339 | 15,175 15,821 |
| June | 16,841 | 16,158 | 18,875 | 52,987 53 | - | 52,987 53,084 | 23,827 24,287 | 13,339 13,059 | 15,821 15,738 |
| July August | 14,912 20,366 | 15,578 20,684 | 19,541 19,859 | 53,084 52,772 | - | 53,084 52,772 | 24,287 23,734 | 13,059 13,584 | 15,738 15,454 |
| August September | 20,366 19,942 | 20,684 15,280 | 19,859 15,197 | 52,772 51,690 | - | 52,772 51,690 | 23,734 23,033 | 13,584 13,202 | 15,454 15,455 |
| October | 18,086 | 19,675 | 16,786 | 51,504 | - | 51,504 | 22,685 | 13,122 | 15,697 |
| November | 14,991 | 18,704 | 20,499 | 51,319 |  | 51,319 | 21,293 | 13,362 | 16,664 |
| December | 13, 873 | 17,801 | 24,427 | 53,370 | - | 53,370 | 23,340 | 12,087 | 17,943 |
| 1954 - Total 222,410 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 17,740 | 11, 372 | 18,059 | 52,799 | - | 52,799 | 22,472 | 12,893 | 17,434 |
| Pebruary | 19,656 | 25,440 | 23,843 | 50,763 | - | 50,763 | 21,775 | 12,482 | 16,506 |
| Merch | 21,150 | 17, 103 | 19,796 | 48,756 | - | 48,756 | 20,977 | 11,749 | 16,030 |
| Apsill | 18,552 | 17,331 | 18, 575 | 47,603 | - | 47,603 | 20,027 | 21, 447 | 16, 129 |
| May | 16,146 | 17,868 | 20,297 | 47,457 | - | 47,457 | 20,107 | 10,788 | 16,562 |
| June | 15,169 | 13,888 | 19,016 | 48,581 | - | 48,581 | 19,966 | 10,454 | 18,161 |
| July | 14,875 | 13,540 | 17,781 | 48,232 | - | 48,232 | 20,927 | 10,091 | 17,214 |
| Augunt | 18,989 | 18,539 | 17, 331 | 46,450 | - | 46,450 | 20,313 | 10,081 | 16,056 |
| September | 19,148 | 17,238 | 15,421 | 44,665 | - | 44,665 | 19,974 | 9,604 | 15,087 |
| October | 16,507 | 16,143 | 15,057 | 43,511 | - | 43,511 | 19,449 | 9,504 | 14,558 |
| Movelber | 14,026 | 18,640 | 19,671 | 44,704 | - | 44,704 | 19,471 | 9.675 | 15,558 17,121 |
| Decemer | 14,551 | 16,259 | 21,379 | 46,376 | - | 46,376 | 20,314 | 8,941 | 17,121 |
| 1955 - - $^{\text {Total }}$ 206,509 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jonuary | 17,138 | 19,100 | 23,341 | 47,385 | - | 47,385 | 20, 195 | 9,785 | 17,405 |
| Februery | 18,019 | 18,151 | 23,473 | 47,914 | - | 47,914 | 20,630 | 10,307 | 16,977 |
| March | 21,010 | 16,945 | 19,408 | 48,247 | - | 48,247 | 21,263 | 10,541 | 16,443 |
| April | 18,897 | 16,999 | 17,510 | 47,042 | - | 47,042 | 20,930 | 10,233 | 15,879 |
| May | 17,480 | 19,764 | 19,794 | 47,396 | - | 47,396 | 21,306 | 10,301 | 15,789 |
| June | 16,063 | 18,046 | 21,717 | 49,120 | - | 49,120 | 21,451 | 10,903 | 16,766 |
| Jaly | 13,829 | 14,054 | 22,012 | 49,106 | - | 49,106 | 21,848 | 11,064 | 16,194 |
| August | 20,663 | 19,055 | 20,404 | 47,040 | - | 47,040 | 20,918 | 11,224 | 14,898 |
| September | 21,006 | 18,425 | 17,823 | 46,182 | - | 46,182 | 21,211 | 10,688 | 14, 283 |
| October | 18,538 | 22,452 | 21,737 | 45,937 | - | 45,937 | 21, 258 | 10,671 | 14,008 |
| Noveaber | 17,780 | 23,729 | 27,686 | 47,331 | - | 47,331 | 21,615 | 10,767 | 14,949 |
| Deceeber | 16,402 | 14,775 | 26,059 | 50,172 | - | 50,172 | 22,563 | 11,430 | 16,179 |
| 1956 - ${ }^{\text {Total }}$ 216,825 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janosry | 18,301 | 20,047 | 27,805 | 51,755 | - | 51,755 | 24,079 | 11,212 | 16,464 |
| February | 20,673 | 18,406 | 25,538 | 52,580 | - | 52,580 | 24,883 | 11,436 | 16,261 |
| Merch | 21,062 | 17,468 | 21,944 | 52,237 | - | 52,237 | 24,930 | 11,319 | 15,988 |
| April | 19,222 | 17,907 | 20,629 | 52,827 | - | 52,827 | 25,359 | 11,115 | 16,353 |
| Mey | 19,171 | 19,888 | 21,346 | 52,940 | - | 52,940 | 24,954 | 10,849 | 17,137 |
| June | 16,377 | 18,150 | 23,119 | 54, 333 | - | 54,333 | 25,169 | 10,774 | 18,390 |
| Joly | 14,753 | 13,526 | 21,892 | 54,434 | - | 54,434 | 25,335 | 10,926 | 18,173 |
| Augrast | 21,086 | 20,295 | 21,101 | 52,016 | - | 52,016 | 24,685 | 10,675 | 16,656 |
| September | 19,827 | 20,372 | 21,646 | 51,244 | - | 51,244 | 24,386 24,675 | 11,009 10,931 | 15,849 16,919 |
| October ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 20,115 | 22,619 | 21,714 | 52,525 |  | 52,525 | 24,673 24,388 | 10,931 11,442 | 16,919 17,079 |
| Noveser (3) | 17,093 | 21.755 | 26,376 | 52,909 | - | 52,909 | 24,388 25,042 | 11,442 11,126 | 17,079 18,125 |
| Deceaber ( 3 ) | 15,010 | 16,465 | 27,831 | 54,293 | - | 54,293 | 25,042 | 11.126 | 18,125 |
| 1957 - Total 222,690 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery (3) | 17,519 | 16,466 | 26,778 | 55,019 | - | 55,019 | 24,549 | 11,492 | 18,978 |
| February |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Auguet |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Saptember October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footoote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) Prelifinary.

Table 2 (COnt'd.) - ESTIMATED VALUE OF SHIPNBNTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MNUFACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLLASSIFICATION, by wonthe. (1) (in thousands of dollars)
(e) S.I.C. Group 5 - TEXTILE PRODUCTS (except Cloching)
(For definitions, see Page 44 4
(For industrieg imcluded, see Page + $+\angle$ )

| Date |  | ORders |  | Owned | INVENTORY |  | BND OF MONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Orders Recelved During Month | Unfilled Orders at end of Month |  | Held but not Owned | A 11 Inventory |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | Raw Meterials | Goods in Process | Pinished Products |
| 1953. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery | 65,839 | 62,333 | 105,476 | 198,808 | - | 198, 808 | 85,443 | 50,342 | 63,023 |
| February | 66,065 | 62,947 | 102,357 | 198,908 | - | 198,908 | 86,741 | 48,700 | 63,467 |
| March | 67, 303 | 63,489 | 98,543 | 199,294 |  | 199,294 | 85,590 | 48,832 | 64, 872 |
| April | 61,307 | 55,791 | 93,027 | 204, 140 | - | 204,140 | 84,306 | 49,036 | 70,798 |
| May | 58,272 | 48,578 | 83, 333 | 206,265 | - | 206, 265 | 84,270 | 49,493 | 72,502 |
| June | 60,099 | 58,911 | 82,145 | 207,328 | - | 207, 328 | 83,664 | 48,646 | 75,018 |
| July | 53,670 | 52,319 | 80,794 | 206,207 |  | 206, 207 | 85, 035 | 49,703 | 71,469 |
| August | 53,094 | 48,291 | 75,991 | 204,890 | - | 204,890 | 85, 143 | 48,893 | 70,854 |
| September | 58,399 | 45,939 | 63,531 | 202, 160 | - | 202,160 | 81, 229 | 49,022 | 71,909 |
| Detober | 57,305 | 59, 102 | 65,328 | 199,453 | - | 199,453 | 78,846 | 47,765 | 72,842 |
| November | 52,001 | 51,692 | 65,019 | 199,235 | - | 199,235 | 78,899 | 47,349 | 72,987 |
| December Total | 47, 700,695 | 46,534 | 64,218 | 197,947 | - | 197,947 | 77, 171 | 47,191 | 73,585 |
| 2954 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 52,495 | 48,505 | 60,228 | 196,082 | - | 196,082 | 74,795 | 47,839 |  |
| February | 51,092 | 48,882 | 58,018 | 192,644 | - | 192,644 | 72,317 | 47,523 | 72,804 |
| Merch | 57,690 | 58,809 | 59,137 | 189,550 | - | 189,550 | 71,668 | 47,249 | 70,633 |
| April | 51,584 | 51,094 | 58,647 | 186,507 | - | 186,507 | 70,175 | 45,743 | 70,589 |
| May | 51,670 | 51,756 | 58,733 | 184,844 | - | 184, 844 | 69,444 | 44,155 | 71,245 |
| June | 54,361 | 55,514 | 59,886 | 182,381 | - | 182, 381 | 69,614 | 42,789 | 69,978 |
| July | 45,808 | 42,504 | 56,582 | 178,232 | - | 178,232 | 71,327 | 41,433 | 65,472 |
| August | 51,868 | 56,206 | 60,920 | 173,991 | - | 173,991 | 69,608 | 42,235 | 62,148 |
| September | 58,123 | 58,822 | 61,619 | 173,156 | - | 173,156 | 67,370 | 44,204 | 61;582 |
| October | 55,480 | 59,837 | 65,976 | 171,190 | - | 171,190 | 66,362 | 43,582 | 61,246 |
| Novenber | 56,728 | 60,590 | 69,838 | 169,548 | - | 169,548 | 65,985 | 42,206 | 61,357 |
| December Total | $\begin{array}{r} 53,963 \\ 640,862 \end{array}$ | 58,325 | 74,200 | 173,776 | - | 173,776 | 68,992 | 40,867 | 63,918 |
| 1955 - Total 640,862 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 54,720 | 57,758 | 77,238 | 178,540 | - | 178,540 | 71,663 |  |  |
| Tebruary | 58,504 | 60,733 | 79,467 | 178,633 | - | 178,633 | 71,504 | 42,328 | 64,801 |
| March | 62,870 | 58,091 | 74,688 | 178,969 | - | 178,969 | 71,072 | 42,696 | 65,201 |
| April | 54,263 | 51,792 | 72,217 | 183,723 | - | 183,723 | 72,032 | 44,764 | 66,927 |
| May | 57,339 62,426 | 53,234 60,973 | 68,112 66,659 | 187,919 189,584 | - | 187,919 | 72,692 | 45,749 | 68,478 |
| June | 62,426 51,282 | 60,973 55,721 | 66,659 71,098 | 189,584 185,075 | - | 189,584 | 70,351 70,829 | 48,606 46,395 | 70,627 67,851 |
| August | 57,014 | 62,844 | 76,928 | 183,250 | - | 183,250 | 70,610 | 46,676 | 65,964 |
| September | 66,402 | 73,609 | 84,135 | 182,119 | - | 182,119 | 70,720 | 44,975 | 66,424 |
| October | 65,906 | 69,258 | 87,487 | 183,418 | - | 183,418 | 72,145 | 45,478 | 65,795 |
| November | 64,768 | 67,297 | 90,016 | 183,175 | - | 183,175 | 70,592 | 45,110 | 67,473 |
| December | 61,719 717,213 | 62,171 | 90,468 | 184,392 | - | 184,392 | 70,909 | 44,499 | 68,984 |
| 1956 - 717,213 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 65,062 | 81,869 | 107,275 | 188,731 | - | 188,731 | 72,919 | 46,457 | 69,355 |
| Pebruary | 67,895 | 71,193 | 110,573 | 190, 320 | - | 190,320 | 74,372 | 47,623 | 68,325 |
| March | 69,614 | 58,785 | 99,744 | 189,879 | - | 189,879 | 76,522 | 46,074 | 67,283 |
| April | 58,470 | 54,837 | 96,111 | 192,267 | - | 192, 267 | 76,116 | 44, 127 | 72,024 |
| May | 59,584 | 59,476 | 96,003 | 197,123 | - | 197,123 | 77,283 | 42,636 | 77,204 |
| June | 60,609 | 51,536 | 86,930 | 196,170 | - | 196,170 | 75,186 | 44,573 | 76,411 |
| July | 51,302 | 51,400 | 87,028 | 193,173 | - | 193,173 | 75,040 | 44, 199 | 73,934 |
| Angast | 55,386 | 58,077 | 89, 719 | 192,090 | - | 192,090 | 76,497 | 44,130 | 71,463 |
| September | 62,674 | 62,199 | 89,244 | 189,789 | - | 189,789 | 75,477 | 42,899 | 72,413 |
| October | 66,852 | 79,621 | 102,013 | 191,293 | - | 191,293 | 75,052 | 42,188 | 74,053 |
| November (3) | 64,101 | 70,253 | 108,165 | 192,237 | - | 192,237 | 74,246 | 42,868 | 75,123 |
| December (3) | 61,597 743,146 | 61,209 | 107,777 | 194,913 | - | 194,913 | 75,239 | 42,210 | $77,464$ |
| 1957 - Total 743,146 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January (3) | 62,187 | 63,602 | 109,192 | 194,573 | - | 194,573 | 75,078 | 42,455 | 77,040 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^0](f) S.I.C. Group 6 - CLOTHING (TEXTILE AND FUR) (For definitions, see Page 44)

| D.t. | 8HIPTEMTE (2) | OR DER 5 |  | Owned | INYEMTORY A |  | 8 ND OT MONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Now Orders Received Buring Month | Unfilled Orders at and of Month |  | Held but not Orned | A11 Inventory yeld |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | - TOTAL | Raw Materisis | Goods in Process | Findshed Product: |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 62,122 | 73,285 | 111,746 | 185,724 | - | 185,724 | 101,726 | 30,489 | 53,509 |
| Tebruary | 77,359 | 71,860 | 106,24? | 189,336 | - | 189,336 | 102, 836 | 31,551 | 54, 949 |
| March | 89,704 | 6!, 107 | 77,650 | 188,595 | - | 188,595 | 102,736 | 31,836 | 54,023 |
| Apr 11 | 76,884 | 66,849 | 67,615 | 189,836 | - | 189, 836 | 103,349 | 31,590 | 54, 897 |
| Mey | 65,425 | 85,709 | 87,899 | 192,030 | - | 192,030 | 103,988 | 31,828 | 56,214 |
| June | 55,962 | 72,451 | 104, 388 | 200, 794 | - | 200,794 | 103, 878 | 33,474 | 63,442 |
| Jaly | 56,345 | 56,236 | 104,279 | 204, 702 | - | 204,702 | 108,581 | 33,504 | 62,617 59 |
| August | 79,533 | 68,521 | 93.267 | 202,598 | - | 202,598 | 108,039 | 34,674 | 59,885 |
| September | 90,248 | 75,141 | 78,160 58,737 | 191,963 | - | 191,963 | 104,349 <br> 100 <br> 588 | 33,436 30,586 | 54,178 50,303 |
| October | 85,513 67,897 | 66,090 77,586 | 58,737 68,426 | 181,447 179,368 | - | 181,447 179,368 | 100,558 99,064 | 30,586 29,493 | 50,303 50,811 |
| November | 67,897 50,989 | 77,586 53,883 | 68,426 71,320 | 179,368 188,369 | - | 188,369 | 100,873 | 26,850 | 60,646 |
| Total | 857,981 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | + |
| 1954 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery | 54,578 | 56,260 | 73,002 | 193,003 | - | 193,003 | 103,080 | 29,489 | 60,434 |
| Yebruary | 69,433 | 64,771 | 68,340 | 188,468 | - | 188,468 | 100,032 | 28,969 | 59,467 |
| Merch | 87,598 | 68,587 | 49,329 | 181,192 | - | 181, 192 | 95,562 | 28,108 | 57,522 |
| April | 71,460 | 67,463 | 45,332 | 178,621 | - | 178,621 | 93,471 | 27,259 | 57,891 |
| May | 64,893 | 82,253 | 62,692 | 183,370 | - | 183, 370 | 94,447 | 28,270 | 60,653 |
| June | 54,277 | 64,752 | 73,167 | 187,458 | - | 187,458 | 95, 285 | 30,648 | 61,625 |
| July | 46,367 | 48,755 | 75,555 | 190,281 | - | 190,281 | 98, 817 | 30,058 | 61,406 |
| Aagust | 69,310 | 58,460 | 64,645 | 183,769 | - | 183,769 | 95,353 | 29,517 | 58,899 |
| September | 86,051 | 76,271 | 54, 965 | 171,532 | - | 171,532 | 90,343 | 28,218 | 52,971 |
| October | 74,476 | 61,513 | 41,902 | 166,724 | - | 266,724 | 89,428 | 26,891 | 50,405 |
| November | 68,130 | 76,256 | 50,028 | 163,618 | - | 163,618 | 86,532 | 26, 138 | 50,948 |
| December | 54, 893 | 63,944 | 59,079 | 163,810 | - | 163,810 | 83,736 | 24,576 | 55,498 |
| 1955 - Totel 801,526 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jamuaxy | 52,580 | 56,947 | 63,446 | 170,010 | - | 170,010 | 87,993 | 25,626 | 56,391 |
| Tebruary | 69,749 | 65,897 | 59,594 | 174, 184 | - | 174,184 | 86,218 | 26,400 | 61,566 |
| March | 79,067 | 73,092 | 53,619 | 169,297 | - | 169,297 | 83, 157 | 26,211 | 59,929 |
| April | 67,407 | 63,667 | 49,879 | 162,543 | - | 162,543 | 77,586 | 24,946 | 60,011 |
| May | 59,736 | 76,711 | 66,914 | 165,927 | - | 165,927 | 79,095 | 27,121 | 59,711 |
| June | 54,617 | 64,541 | 76, 838 | 171,601 | - | 171,601 | 81,093 | 27.192 | 63,316 |
| July | 48,305 | 47,330 | 75,863 | 183,230 | - | 183, 230 | 88,629 | 30,122 | 64,479 |
| Aagust | 78,639 | 17,647 | 74, 871 | 181,264 | - | 181,264 | 86,731 | 30,200 | 64, 333 |
| Septemer | 92, 107 | 82, 114 | 64,878 | 173,540 | - | 173,540 | 84,371 | 29,134 | 60,029 |
| October | 84,839 | 82,562 | 62,601 | 164, 131 | - | 164,131 | 80, 731 | 27,423 | 55,977 |
| Movember | 80,282 | 86,661 | 68,980 | 159,655 | - | 159,655 | 79,272 | 25,994 | 54,389 |
| December Total | 63,605 830,993 | 64,476 | 69,851 | 163,808 | - | 163,808 | 78,883 | 26,587 | 58,338 |
| 1956 - Total 830,993 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Junpery |  |  |  |  | - | 165,084 | 78,197 | 28,189 | 58,698 |
| Tebreary | 76,275 | 73,088 | 72,259 | 172,335 | - | 172,335 | 82,853 | 29,313 | 60, 169 |
| $\mathrm{M}=$ ret | 79,645 | 70,855 | 63,469 | 172,559 | - | 172,559 | 81,411 | 29,250 | 61,898 |
| April | 71,079 | 74,820 | 67,210 | 170,309 | - | 170,309 | 78,672 | 29.161 | 62,476 |
| May | 67,355 | 79,353 | 79,208 | 176,359 | - | 176,359 | 80,561 | 31,249 | 64,549 |
| June | 58,944 | 59,110 | 79,374 | 184,237 | - | 184,237 | 84,089 | 32,411 | 67,737 |
| Inly | 56.874 | 60,225 | 82,725 | 188,210 | - | 188,210 | 88,308 | 32,769 | 67,133 |
| Aogast | 82,913 | 72,854 | 72,666 | 183,243 | - | 183,243 | 85,279 | 32,583 | 65,381 |
| September | 86,253 | 77,837 | 64,250 | 176,761 | - | 176,761 | 82,419 | 32,097 | 62,245 |
| October | 91,650 | 93,341 | 65,941 | 168,435 | - | 168,435 | 79,691 | 30,416 | 58,328 |
| November (3) | 84,118 | 86,617 | 68,440 | 162,284 | - | 162,284 | 76,134 | 28,691 | 57,459 |
| Decmeter (3) | 61,098 | 68,011 | 75,353 | 168,226 | - | 168,226 | 78,205 | 29,221 | 60,794 |
| 1957 - Total 874,028 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Auguet |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| september October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) Preliminary.

Fwie 2 (COnt'S. - MSIMADES VALE OF SHIFMESES, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURIMG INDUSTRIES a W!let: MOMRDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIPICATION, by montha. (1)

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { (1n thousands of dollars) } \\
& \text { (B) S.I.C. Group } 7 \text { - Hood PRoDUCTS } \\
& \text { (For definitions, Bee Rage } 44 \text { ) }
\end{aligned}
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(For industries included, see Page 42, )

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) Sample coverage is not adequate to provide seprrate estinten


Table 2 (Cont'd.) - ESTIMATED VALUE of SAIPRENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MNUFACIURING IRDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIPICATION, by monthe. (I) (in thousands of dollars)
(h) S.I.C. Group 8 - PAPER PRODUCTS
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For induetries included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of Unfilled Orderz for industries in this groug is small and sample coverage is not adequate co provide aeparate atmates for the group. (4) The value of Inventory Held but Not omed in chis group is very mill, and sample coverege ia not adequete to provide mepmate data. $\mathcal{E}$ atinaten for this type of inventory are included with Total Inventory Held; for all practical purpones this can be conaldered the equivalent of Inventory omad as well. (5) Prelininery.

Table 2 (Cont'd) - estImated value or shymennts, orders and mnventory in manuracturing industries GROUFED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFYCATLON, by months. (1)
(in thousands of dollaxs)
(i) S.I.C. GToup 10 - IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS
(For definitions, see Page $4 / 4$ )
(For industries included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote 1, page 1.
(2) See footnote 2, page 1,
(3) Preliminary.

TEble 2 (COAT'd) - BSTTMTED VALJE OF SAIPMENTS, ORTERS AND INVENTORY IIN MANUPAGTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUS TRIAL CIASSIPICATION, by months. (l) (in thousands of dollars)
(1) S.I.C. Group 11 - TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For induetries Included, see Page 42)

| Date | SALPNEMTS (2) | ORDER |  | Owned | INVENTORY |  | END OFMONIH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Order <br> Received <br> Daring <br> Month | Uafilled <br> Orders <br> et and <br> of Month |  | Held bet not Onned | A1t Inventory Held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Raw Meteriala | Good: in Frocess | Finished Product: |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jantery | 155,441 | 117,270 | 1,121,681 | 270,345 | 249,583 | 519,928 | 169,175 | 304,007 | 46,746 |
| Februery | 173,653 | 165,426 | 1,113,454 | 278,647 | 253,704 | 532,351 | 168,973 | 314,724 | 48,654 |
| Merch | 200,577 | 150,142 | 1,063,019 | 279,529 | 264,268 | 543,797 | 171,200 | 325,345 | 47,252 |
| April | 216,472 | 163,265 | 1,009,812 | 276,399 | 280,628 | 557,027 | 172,060 | 336,253 | 48,714 |
| May | 199,606 | 60,000 | 870,206 | 278,412 | 289,267 | 567,679 | 172,801 | 345,914 | 48,964 |
| June | 206. 242 | 178.693 | 842,657 | 281,769 | 293,813 | 575,582 | 171,890 | 353,509 | 50,183 |
| July | 199.173 | 133,297 | 776,781 | 273,460 | 294,070 | 567,530 | 167,745 | 349,083 | 50,702 |
| August | 123,034 | 96,369 | 750,116 | 278,691 | 305,041 | 583,732 | 170,223 | 363,543 | 49,966 |
| september | 157.182 | 125,361 | 718,295 | 279,702 | 304,143 | 583,845 | 169,335 | 362,748 | 51,762 |
| Occober | 152,376 | 126,275 | 692,194 | 280,843 | 294,489 | 575,332 | 169,159 | 355,877 | S0, 296 |
| November | 134,146 | 79,472 | 637,520 | 285,902 | 307,938 | 593,840 | 170,508 | 370,955 | 52,377 |
| December | $\begin{array}{r} 171.534 \\ 2.089 .436 \end{array}$ | 231,464 | 697,450 | 297,670 | 300,995 | 598,665 | 171,069 | 374,71.3 | 52,883 |
| 1954 - Total | 2,089,436 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 158,332 | 233,862 | 772,980 | 299,300 | 309,446 | 608,746 | 164,245 | 389.206 | 55,295 |
| Yebruery | 176,926 | 351,135 | 947, 189 | 307,025 | 308,965 | 615,990 | 161,691 | 398,877 | 55,422 |
| March | 203,423 | 147160 | 890,926 | 292,764 | 305,877 | 598,641 | 156, 855 | 388, 507 | 53,279 |
| April | 180,827 | 130,070 | 840, 169 | 279,768 768,539 | 317.941 316,758 | 597,709 585 | 152,466 | 392,924 | 52,319 |
| May | 163,111 | 160,613 | 837.671 | 268,539 | 316.758 | 585,297 | 150,930 | 383,502 | 50,865 |
| Jane | 151,283 | 141,070 | 827,458 | 254,995 | 320,582 | 575,577 | 146,008 | 380, 110 | 49,459 |
| 3 try | 132,939 | 151,829 | 84,6, 348 | 236,751 | 318,355 | 555,106 | 144, 385 | 362,686 | 48.035 |
| August | 89,014 | 51,216 | 808, 550 | 227,281 | 320, 276 | 547,557 | 144,502 | 359,651 | 43,404 |
| September | 105,174 | 120,977 | 824,353 | 222,629 | 330,662 | 553,291 | 137,452 | 375,468 | 40,371 |
| October | 90,899 | 35,294 | 768,748 | 232,936 | 330,269 | 563,205 | 141,789 | 380,313 | 41,103 |
| Movter | 114,583 | 92,322 | 746,487 | 237,202 | 324,925 | 562,127 | 138,617 | 384,649 | 38,861 |
| December Iotal | $\begin{array}{r} 146,322 \\ 1,712,833 \end{array}$ | 142,667 | 742,832 | 239,163 | 309.532 | 548,695 | 138,107 | 370,473 | 40,115 |
| 1955 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenamey | 145,881. | 150.325 | 747,276 | 246,755 | 301,598 | 548,353 | 134,969 | 368,190 | 45,194 |
| February | 155,641 | 126,033 | 717.668 | 261,240 | 307,549 | 568,789 | 136.250 | 383,890 | 48,649 |
| March | 165,566 | 136.732 | 688,834 | 294,683 | 299, 842 | 594,525 | 136.038 | 383,201 | 75,288 |
| April | 218,044 | 209.152 | 679,942 | 264,911 | 297,543 | 562,454 | 134,142 | 376,513 | 51,799 |
| Mey | 208,620 | 231.543 | 702,865 | 258.052 | 297,306 | 555,358 | 135,832 | 370,744 | 48,782 |
| June | 202,674 | 185.455 | 685.646 | 246,290 | 298,013 | 544,303 | 132,431 | 369,110 | 42,762 |
| July | 278,443 | 189,544 | 696.747 | 233,518 | 285,613 | 519,131 | 129,249 | 347,109 | 42,773 |
| Auguet | 117,115 | 124,032 | 703,664 | 238,287 | 287,638 | 525,925 | 128,824 | 349,239 | 47,862 |
| September | 123,704 | 118,519 | 698,479 | 245,470 | 287,895 | 533,365 | 132,211 | 352,459 | 48,695 |
| October | 132,410 | 108,794 | 674,863 | 250,073 | 301,059 | 551,132 | 137.638 | 367,862 | 45,632 |
| November | 136,922 | 173,423 | 711, 364 | 261,887 | 288,590 | 550,477 | 142,102 | 361,359 | 48,016 |
| December | $\begin{array}{r}156,144 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 157,361 | 712,581 | 274,014 | 255,616 | 529,630 | 138,726 | 344,619 | 46,285 |
| 56 - $^{\text {Total }}$ | 1,941,164 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jensery | 135,890 | 136,172 | 712,863 | 283,814 | 256,199 | 540.013 | 142,950 | 343.384 | 53.679 |
| February | 154,644 | 156,319 | 714,538 | 311,121 | 255,873 | 566,994 | 147,722 | 355,962 | 63,310 |
| Merch | 194,700 | 226.427 | 746,265 | 325,426 | 232,907 | 558, 333 | 144,546 | 351, 297 | 62,490 |
| April | 224,384 | 267,453 | 789,334 | 316,406 | 234,003 | 550,409 | 145,808 | 341,369 | 63,232 |
| Mey | 233,217 | 225,176 | 781,293 | 310,794 | 243,469 | 554, 263 | 143,316 | 348,060 | 62,887 |
| June | 218,355 | 130.180 | 693, 118 | 301,217 | 239,167 | 540,384 | 138,958 | 338,314 | 63,112 |
| Jaly | 198,747 | 200,883 | 695,254 | 285,835 | 242,135 | 527,970 | 139,684 | 321,326 | 66,960 |
| August | 128,892 | 148,971 | 715,333 | 269,544 | 244,275 | 513, 819 | 140, 180 | 321,572 | 52,067 |
| September | 126,469 | $\begin{aligned} & 162,457 \\ & 156,470 \\ & 172,548 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 751,321 \\ & 746,298 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 283,279 \\ & 309,620 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 250,638 \\ & 260,758 \end{aligned}$ | 533,917 | 145,248 150,070 |  |  |
| October | 161,493 |  |  |  |  | 570,378 | 150,070 | 359,173 | $61,135$ |
| November(3) | 196,990 |  | 721,856 | 324,730 | 263,464 | 588,194 | 153,291 | 367,598 | 67,305 |
| Deceaber(3) Totel | 2,181,444 | 431,750 | 945,943 | 320,589 | 272,565 | 593,154 | 1.53,995 | 377,615 | 61,544 |
| 1957 - Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery (3) | 205,573 | 201,462 | 941,832 | 324.754 | 274,956 | 599,710 | 154,011 | 383,293 | 62,406 |
| Mebrch |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jund |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| augret |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Povember |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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[^1]Table 2 (Cont'd) - BSTMMATED VALUB OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORX IN MANUPACIURIMG IMDUSTRIES GROUPRD ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRLAL CLASSIPICATION, by monthe. (1) (in thousands of dollars)
(k) S.I.C. Group 12 - won-perrous metal products
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of Unfilled Orders for this group cannot be published separstely, since less than 3 firms predorinate, (4) The value of Inventory Held but Not Gmed in this group is very small, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate deta. Estimates for this type of inventory are included wich (5) Preliminary

Table 2 (Cont'd) - ESTIDMATED VALUE OF SRIPTENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUPACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUFED ACCORDDNG TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRLAL CLASSIPTCATION, by montha. (1)
(in thousands of dollers)
(L) S.I.C. GEOUP 13 - EIGGTRICAL APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries Included, see Page 42)

| D. 5 | SHIPriears ( 2 ) | ORDERS |  | Oved | INVENTORY |  | END OTMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Order Recelved During Month | Unfilled <br> Order: <br> at end <br> of Month |  | Held but not Omed | Alı Inventory H |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | Raw Mecerials | Goods in Proceas | Finished Producta |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Samuery | 56,252 | 59,818 | 308,609 | 205, 244 | 72,397 | 277.641 | 81,377 | 109,270 | 86,994 |
| Februmy | 69,358 | 66,436 | 305,687 | 208,940 | 74,090 | 283,030 | 83,465 | 110,465 | 89,100 |
| March | 78,877 | 127,710 | 354,520 | 211,269 | 72,742 | 284,011 | 78,176 | 212,900 | 92,935 |
| April | 75,237 | 61,728 | 351,011 | 215,469 | 73,217 | 288,686 | 79,504 | 114,461 | 94,721 |
| May | 72,397 | 102,070 | 370.684 | 222,150 | 69,541 | 291,691 | 84,156 | 109,147 | 98,388 |
| June | 73,214 | 70,136 | 367.606 | 235,019 | 66,083 | 301,102 | 80,094 | 115,471 | 105,537 |
| Jaly | 60.695 | 42.413 | 349,324 | 233,714 | 67,954 | 301,668 | 80,580 | 117,248 | 103, 840 |
| August | 59,767 | 69,091 | 358,648 | 237,343 | 70.442 | 307,785 | 79,562 | 118,309 | 109,914 |
| September | 75.565 | 73,339 | 356,422 | 242,522 | 66,479 | 309,001 | 80,127 | 119,166 | 109,708 |
| Octuber | 75,660 | 77,537 | 358,299 | 243,913 | 66,210 | 310,123 | 79,228 | 118,944 | 111,951 |
| November | 72,864 | 76.908 | 362,343 | 242,775 | 64,364 | 307.139 | 77,706 | 118,544 | 110,889 |
| Decumber Total | 78,304 848,190 | 62,324 | 346,363 | 248,165 | 64,345 | 312,510 | 80,210 | 123,652 | 108,648 |
| 1954 - ${ }^{\text {cotal }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janaury | 60,946 | 49,450 | 334,067 | 249,238 | 65,517 | 314,753 | 77,348 | 121.283 | 116.124 |
| February | 62,818 | 60,508 | 332,557 | 260,361 | 61,614 | 321,975 | 79.218 | 121,674 | 121.083 |
| March | 78,050 | 69.736 | 324,243 | 261,812 | 62,765 | 324,577 | 79,236 | 121,573 | 123,768 |
| April | 74,671 | 62.793 | 312,365 | 262,917 | 58,519 | 321,436 | 78,317 | 119,842 | 123,277 |
| My | 68,601 | 71,594 | 315.358 | 264,052 | 52,344 | 316,396 | 77,549 | 114,647 | 126,200 |
| June | 70,277 | 61,077 | 306. 158 | 263,280 | 52,815 | 316,095 | 76,663 | 111,619 | 127,813 |
| July | 56,152 | 55,119 | 305,125 | 256,936 | 51,605 | 308,541 | 75,770 | 107,727 | 125,044 |
| Anguer | 66,588 | 71.223 | 309, 760 | 248,727 | 48,723 | 297,650 | 72.601 | 103,613 | 121,436 |
| September | 78,158 | 80,775 | 312,377 | 245,327 | 51,022 | 296,349 | 74,658 | 107,872 | 113,809 |
| October | 77.210 | 70,987 | 306,154 | 238,407 | 53,015 | 291,422 | 73,726 | 108,353 | 109,343 |
| November | 87,076 | 83,885 | 302,963 | 238,372 | 55,514 | 293,886 | 72,514 | 110,412 | 110,960 |
| Decenber Total | $\begin{array}{r} 83,335 \\ 863,882 \end{array}$ | 78,083 | 297.711 | 240,578 | 59,701 | 300,279 | 60,556 | 127,015 | 112,708 |
| 1955 - Total 83,882 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 68,638 | 40,710 | 269.783 273 | 240,049 | 64,779 69,242 | 304,828 | 61.190 | 130,265 | 113,373 |
| February | 75,427 | 78,864 | 273,220 | 238,302 | 69,242 | 307,544 | 61,693 | 131,011 | 114,840 |
| March | 86,134 | 94,148 | 281, 234 | 242.467 | 74,602 | 317,069 | 61,413 | 133,207 | 122,449 |
| April | 68,018 | 79,041 | 292,257 | 247.530 | 72,974 | 320,504 | 66,470 | 136,046 | 117,988 |
| May | 69,871 | 81,076 | 303,462 | 251.855 | 73,021 | 324,876 | 67,923 | 136,855 | 120,098 |
| June | 72,805 | 78,578 | 309,235 | 252,688 | 74,740 | 327,428 | 66,668 | 138, 146 | 122,614 |
| July | 61.057 | 58,303 | 306.481 | 246.171 | 74,969 | 321,140 | 68,400 | 139,813 | 112,927 |
| Angest | 78,335 | 86,099 | 314.245 | 242,897 | 80,528 | 323,425 | 66,548 | 146,620 | 110,257 |
| September | 97,569 | 117,143 | 333, 819 | 241,371 | 84,955 | 326,326 | 68,521 | 149,916 | 107,889 |
| October | 89,691 | 90,071 | 334,199 | 241,250 | 89,529 | 330,779 | 73,039 | 152,586 | 105,154 |
| November | 95,248 | 85,831 | 324,782 | 244,584 | 92,597 | 337,181 | 73,078 | 156,587 | 107,516 |
| Decader Totel | $\begin{array}{r} 88,515 \\ 951,308 \end{array}$ | 81,420 | 317,687 | 254,702 | 85,206 | 339,908 | 72,940 | 156,564 | 110,404 |
| 1956 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jamary | 70,327 | 83,875 | 331.235 | 258,181 | 86,748 | 344,929 | 71,369 |  |  |
| February | 78,324 | 85,118 | 338.029 | 266,621 | 92,949 | 359,570 | 75,057 | 164,284 | 120,229 |
| March | 88,266 | 81,972 | 331, 735 | 278,344 | - 93,874 | 372,218 | 76,156 | 165,431 | 130,631 |
| April | 83,495 82,697 | 86,669 | 334,909 | 289,430 | 92,535 | 381,965 | 81,625 | 165,851 | 134,489 |
| May | 82,657 | 91,596 | 343,848 | 299,674 | 100,032 | 399,706 | 87,806 | 170,191 | 141,709 |
| June | 90,543 | 97.545 | 350.850 | 309,993 | 103,456 | 413,449 | 88,697 | 175,709 | 149,043 |
| July | 73,531 | 74,282 | 351,601 | 304,455 | 88,911 | 393,366 | 90,815 | 157,025 | 145,526 |
| Augast | 77,360 | 72,987 | 347, 228 | 303,543 | 91,802 | 395,345 | 91,896 | 159,842 | 143,607 |
| Septeeber | 96,572 | 87,655 | 338,311 | 298,391 | 91,866 | 390, 25 ? | 90,586 | 160,961 | 138,720 |
| October | 94,909 | 80,624 | 324,026 | 293,593 | 96,221 | 389,814 | 90,041 | 163,682 | 136,091 |
| Rovecber (3) | 93,952 | 89,629 | 319,703 | 298,043 | 98,682 | 396,727 | 89,490 | 165,254 | 141,983 |
| December (3) | 87,832 $1,017,768$ | 90,699 | 322,570 | 300,383 | 97,487 | 397,870 | 89,767 | 166,328 | 141,775 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jamuary (3)$\begin{aligned} & \text { February } \\ & \text { March }\end{aligned}$ |  | 86,377 | 321,936 | 300,122 | 98,463 | 398,585 | 90.077 | 166,890 | 141,618 |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MayJune |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Noveuber <br> Decemer |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. () See footnote 2, page 1. (3) Prelimiaury.

Table 2 (Cont'd) - ESTIMATED VALUE OF SHIPNENTS, ORDERS AND LNVENTORY IN MANUFACTURUNG INDUSTREES GROUPED ACCORDING TO THE SIANDARD INDUSTRLAL CLASSIFICATLON, by months. (1) (In chousands of dollars)
(m) S.I.C. Group 14 - NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote l, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page l. (3) The value of unfilled orders for industries in this group is small, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate estimates for the group. (4) The value of Inventory Held but Not Owned in this group is very small, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate data. Estimates for this type of inventory are included with Total Inventory Meld; for all practical purposes this can be considered the equivalent of Inventory Owned as well. (5) Preliminary.

Table 2 (Cont'd) - ESTDMATED VALIE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURIRG INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDTNG TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRLAL CLASSIFICATYON, by months. (1)

> (In thousands of dollars)
(n) S.1.C. Group 15 - PRODUCTS OF PETROLEUM AND COAL
(Por definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42)

| Date | SHLPMENTS(2) | ORDERS |  | amed | INVENTORY |  | END OF MONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Orders leceived Daring Month | Unfilled Orders et end of Month |  | Held but not Owned | Ali Inventory held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | $\begin{gathered} \text { Raw } \\ \text { Meterials } \end{gathered}$ | Goods in Process | Finished Praduct |
| 1953. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 62,814 | (3) | (3) | 198,844 | - | 198,844 | 63,802 | 13,888 | 121,154 |
| Pebrusry | 57.190 60.580 |  |  | 192,479 | - | 192,479 | 54,784 | 14,810 | 122,885 |
| March | 60.580 |  |  | 183,910 | - | 183,910 | 45,248 | 14,186 | 124,476 |
| April | 59,314 |  |  | 193,274 | - | 193,274 | 52,156 | 15,640 | 125,478 |
| May | 65,801 68,540 |  |  | 197,225 | - | 197,225 | 54,892 | 16,684 | 125,649 |
| June | 68,540 |  |  | 201,413 | - | 201,413 | 61,339 | 15.692 | 124,382 |
| Jaly | 70,326 71,028 |  |  | 210,919 222.749 | - | 210,919 | 65,910 | 14,082 | 130.927 |
| Septruber | 76,476 |  |  | 222,749 231,078 | - | 222,749 231,078 | 72,389 77,198 | 14,746 13,998 | 135,614 |
| October | 74,853 |  |  | 232,215 | - | 232,215 | 75,198 75,754 | 13,998 16,230 | 139,882 140.231 |
| November | 70,005 |  |  | 233,850 |  | 233,850 | 71,973 | 16,564 | 145,313 |
| December Tota! | $\begin{array}{r} 71,403 \\ 808,330 \end{array}$ |  |  | 223,610 | - | 223,610 | 63.607 | 14,503 | 145,500 |
| 1954 - Total 808.330 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jemuary | 81,197 |  |  | 225,598 | - | 225,598 | 63,153 | 16,241 | 146, 204 |
| Pebruary | 77,671 |  |  | 218,920 | - | 218,920 | 55.108 | 15,452 | 148,360 |
| March | 81,398 |  |  | 215.018 | - | 215,018 | 54,758 | 15.467 | 144,793 |
| April | 76,308 |  |  | 215,905 | - | 215,905 | 57,491 | 17.759 | 140.655 |
| May | 81,912 |  |  | 220,711 | - | 220, 711 | 56,203 | 17,554 | 146,954 |
| June | 82,989 |  |  | 226,247 | - | 226,247 | 56,806 | 15,890 | 153.551 |
| July | 85,533 84,994 |  |  | 228,281 | - | 228,28! | 57.296 | 14,948 | 156.037 |
| August | 84,994 87.725 |  |  | 233,435 | - | 233,435 | 60,150 | 15,006 | 158,279 |
| September | 87,725 88,041 |  |  | 233,104 239,977 | - | 233,104 | 61,735 | 13.704 | 157,665 |
| November | 90,556 |  |  | 239,977 236,782 | : | 239,977 236,782 | 62,997 62,282 | 15.856 | 161,124 |
| December | 94.749 |  |  | 226,669 | - | 226,669 | 58,967 | 17,762 | $\begin{aligned} & 157,365 \\ & 149,940 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1955 - (4) ${ }^{\text {Tota }}$ (1,013,073 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 85,546 |  |  | 224,222 |  | 224,222 |  | 17.726 | 149.957 |
| Tebruary | 84,983 |  |  | 218,936 | - | 218,936 | 53,379 | 17.735 | 147,822 |
| March | 91.465 |  |  | 213,090 | - | 213.090 | 53,304 | 15,462 | 144,324 |
| April | 79, 787 |  |  | 217,465 | - | 217,465 | 54,693 | 15,276 | 147,496 |
| Mey | 91.534 |  |  | 220,728 | - | 220,728 | 58,283 | 15,246 | 147,199 |
| June | 95.701 |  |  | 227,975 | - | 227,975 | 59.205 | 17,779 | 150,991 |
| Joly | 92,976 |  |  | 237,133 | - | 237.133 | 60,416 | 18,011 | 158,706 |
| Aaguet | 105.265 |  |  | 239, 210 | - | 239,210 | 60,690 | 17,266 | 161,254 |
| Septemer | 104,058 |  |  | 246,132 | - | 246,132 | 62,589 | 16,744 | 166,799 |
| October | 98.835 106.930 |  |  | 253,788 254,203 | - | 253,788 | 69,947 | 16,110 | 167,731 |
| November | 106.930 110.216 |  |  | 254,203 249,081 | - | 254,203 249,081 | 71,971 | 15,942 | 166,290 |
| 1956 - Totel $1,147.296$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jentary | 102,154 |  |  | 247,784 | - | 247,784 | 63.632 |  |  |
| Tebroary | 95.610 |  |  | 246,859 | - | 246,859 | 62,136 | 17.447 | 167,276 |
| March | 99,620 |  |  | 237,248 | - | 237,248 | 57,964 | 16,980 | 162,304 |
| April | 91,356 |  |  | 240,826 | - | 240,826 | 57.872 | 19,784 | 163,170 |
| May | 107,290 |  |  | 241,304 | - | 241,304 | 62,711 | 17,409 | 161,184 |
| June | 102,886 |  |  | 249,520 | - | 249,520 | 68,214 | 16,585 | 164,721 |
| Jaly | 104,639 |  |  | 265,162 | - | 265,162 | 74.178 | 17,288 | 173.696 |
| August | 109, 333 |  |  | 273,631 | - | 273,631 | 77.917 | 18,201 | 177,513 |
| Septemer | 106,730 |  |  | 283,060 | - | 283,060 | 77,632 | 18,357 | 187.071 |
| October | 118,608 |  |  | 287,121 | - | 287, 121 | 80,136 | 18,291 | 188,694 |
| Hovereber (5) Deceuber (5) | 111,022 |  |  | 290,169 | - | 290,169 | 79,530 | 20,102 | 190,537 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { March } \\ & \text { April } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Augast |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Decenber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnoce 1, page i. (2) Sce footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of Unfilled orders for industries in this group is amall, Products industry for 1954 arequace to provide separate estimntes for the eroup. (4) Shipments values in the petroleum accounted for an increase of approximately $\$ 140$ milling for thon of valoation for Census of Industry purposes. This change accounted for an increase of approximately $\$ 140$ mililion for the year. (5) Preliminary.

Table 2 (COAL'd) - ESTIMATED VALUE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUFED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRZAL CLASSIFICATION, by months. (1)
(in thousands of dollars)
(o) S.I.C. Group 16 - CREMICAL PRODUCTS
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(Por Industries included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of Unfilled orders in this group cannot be published separately, aince less than 3 finas predominate. (4) The value of Inventory Held but Nor owned in this group is very small, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate data. Estimates for this type of inventory are included with Total Invencory Held; for all practical purposes this can be considered the equivalent of Inventory Owned as well. (5) Preliminary.

Table 2 (Concl'd) - ESTMATED VALUE OF SMIPGRNTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IM MNUPACTURING INDUSTRLES GROUFED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRLAL CLASSIFICATION, by monthe. (1)

> (In thousande of dollars)
(p) S.1.C. GTOUP 17 - MTSCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
(For deflaitions, see Page 44 )
(For industries included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) The value of Unfilled orders for industrien in thin group is mall, and sample covorage in not adequate to provide separate eatimates for the group. (4) The value of Inventory Held but Not Owned in this group in very zall, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate data. Estimates for this type of tnventory are included with Total Inventory held; for all practical purposen, this can be considered the equivalent of Inventory arned as well. (5) Preliminary.

Table 3 - ESTMMATED VALUE OF SHXPMEKTS, ORDRES AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIFICATION, by months.
(in thousande of dollare)
CONSURER GOODS INDUSTRIBS
(al) - Total Consumer Goods Induscries (1)
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42 )

(1) This table is mexb-total for Tebles 3, a $2 ; 3,3$; and 3, 4 . (2) Preliminary.

Table 3 . (Cont'd.) - ESTMMATED VALUE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUR ACTURING MNDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIFICATION, by monthe. (1)
(in thousands of dollars)
CONSUNER GOODS INDUSTRIES
(a2) - Perishable Consumer Goodi Induntries. (For definitions, see Page 44)

| Dete | Salplemes | ORDERS |  | Ormed | INVENTORY A |  | END OEMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mew Ordert <br> Recelved <br> Dusing <br> Month | Unfilled Order at end of Month |  | Held but not owned | A11 Inventosy Held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | Raw Meterials | coods in Proces: | Finished Producte |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janomery | 232,883 | 231,594 | 7,854 | 552,701 | - | 552,701 | 280,517 | 112,386 | 159,798 |
| February | 228,738 | 228,869 | 7,985 | 561,189 | - | 561,189 | 295,097 | 115,549 | 150,543 |
| March | 251,685 | 252,492 | 8,792 | 562,301 | - | 562,301 | 299,739 | 117,499 | 145,063 |
| April | 251,498 | 251,112 | 8,406 | 564,940 | - | 564,940 | 301,972 | 119,456 | 143,512 |
| May | 262, 182 | 260,491 | 6,715 6,188 | 566,271 |  | 568,271 569,651 | 299,022 298,403 | 121,226 121,584 | 146,029 149,664 |
| June | 279,964 273,161 | 279,437 277,501 | 6,188 10,528 | 569,651 566,862 | - | 569,651 566,662 | 298,403 291,362 | 121,584 119,952 | 149,664 155,348 |
| Joly | 273,161 270,660 | 277,501 273,026 | 10,528 12,894 | 566,662 565,221 | - | 565,221 | 281,657 | 119,305 | 164, 259 |
| September | 276, 305 | 278,725 | 15,314 | 572,635 | - | 572,635 | 272,785 | 117,521 | 182,329 |
| October | 289, 303 | 287,680 | 13,691 | 579,618 | - | 579,618 | 275,753 | 117,333 | 186,532 |
| Noverber | 277,571 | 275,584 | 11,704 | 576,017 | - | 576,017 | 279,127 | 117,406 | 179,484 |
| December | 283,073 | 280,365 | 8,996 | 572,123 | - | 572,123 | 293,207 | 114,857 | 164,059 |
| 5 Total | 3,177,023 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuary | 237,960 | 237,864 | 8,900 | 577,104 | - | 577,104 580,842 | 303,526 314,266 | 118,555 119,472 | 155,023 |
| Pebraery | 244, 918 | 264,701 268,730 | 8,683 8,601 | 580,842 592,780 | - | 580,842 592,780 | 314,266 327,238 316, |  |  |
| March | 268,812 | 268,730 260,114 | 8,601 7,354 | 592,780 577,011 | - | 592,780 577,011 | 327,238 316,454 | 122,696 125,551 | 142,846 135,006 |
| May | 271,931 | 270,695 | 6,118 | 583,401 | - | 583,401 | 319,106 | 128,081 | 136,214 |
| June | 302,245 | 308,101 | 11,974 | 587, 821 | - | 587,821 | 320,490 | 129,155 | 138,176 |
| July | 274,104 | 276,663 | 14,533 | 570, 137 | - | 570,137 | 300,180 | 127,643 | 142, 314 |
| Aaguat | 263, 819 | 265,868 | 16,522 | 571,543 | - | 571,543 | 285,690 | 128,879 <br> 129 | 156,974 170,337 |
| September | 284,273 | 286,669 | 18,918 16,826 | 579,619 563,557 | - | 579,619 563,557 | 279,516 260,638 | 129,766 130,059 | 170,337 172,860 |
| October | 272,403 278,299 | 270,311 275,521 | 16,826 14,048 | 563,557 567,247 | - | 563,557 567,247 | 260,638 266,899 | 130,059 130,984 | 172,860 169,364 |
| Noverber | 278,299 296,195 | 275,521 295,094 | 14,048 12,947 | 567,247 560,063 | - | 567,247 560,063 | 266,899 277,098 | 128,216 | 154.749 |
| 1955 - Total 3,256, ${ }^{\text {- }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 246,156 | 245,923 | 12,714 | 566.043 | - | 566,043 | 289,371 | 130,416 | 146,256 |
| Februery | 241,280 | 237, 260 | 8,694 | 571,044 | - | 571,044 | 300,675 | 131,565 | 138,804 |
| Mercb | 260,976 | 258,833 | 6,551 | 576,371 | - | 576,371 | 305,629 | 132,618 | 138,124 128,663 |
| April | 265,884 | 266,986 | 7,653 | 567,580 | - | 567,580 | 307,019 | 131,898 | 128,663 132,831 |
| May | 284,401 | 283,852 | 7,104 | 568, 357 |  | 568, 357 | 302,368 | 133,158 | 132,831 145,699 |
| June | 302,552 | 302,656 | 7,208 | 568,898 | - | 568,898 | 290, 794 | 132,405 | 145,699 |
| Joly | 292,786 | 298,099 | 12,521 | 559,745 | - | 559,745 | 286,568 | 129,849 | 143,328 |
| August | 302,191 | 306, 298 | 16,628 | 567,632 | - | 567,632 | 280,835 | 128,749 | 158,048 |
| September | 304,172 | 301,735 | 14,191 | 571,529 |  | 571,529 | 265,504 | 127,574 | 178,451 |
| October | 293,448 | 295,418 | 16, 161 | 588,580 | - | 588,580 | 267,008 | 145,043 | 176,529 |
| Noveder | 294,226 | 291,933 | 13,868 | 578,881 | - | 578,881 | 275,809 283,962 | 128,925 128,531 | 174,147 165,922 |
| Deceeber | 296,815 | 293,794 | 10,847 | 578,415 | - | 578,415 | 283,962 | 128,531 | 165,922 |
| 1956 Total 3, 384,887 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Junuery | 260,119 | 260,745 | 11,473 | 593,285 | - | 593,285 | 304,888 | 128,864 | 159,533 |
| Pebraery | 261,915 | 262,332 | 11,890 | 586, 893 | - | 586,893 | 308,541 | 130,247 | 148,105 |
| March | 275,889 | 277,678 | 13.679 | 584,569 | - | 584,569 | 309,187 | 131,232 | 144,150 |
| April | 277,921 | 277,668 | 13,426 | 586,077 | - | 586,017 | 307,687 | 133.473 | 144,917 |
| Mey | 306,119 | 304,240 | 11,547 | 583, 187 |  | 583,187 | 306, 227 | 134,178 | 142, 782 |
| Jane | 318,009 | 318,980 | 12,518 | 592,001 | - | 592,001 | 302,453 | 134,999 | 154,549 |
| July | 312,959 | 315,782 | 15,341 | 593,022 | - | 593,022 | 300,800 | 135,017 | 157,205 |
| Aogrest | 324,630 | 326,592 | 17,303 | 587,955 | - | 587,955 | 293,571 | 131,745 | 162,639 |
| September | 315,724 | 316,538 | 18,117 | 603,077 | - | 603,077 | 282,630 | 132.274 | 188.173 |
| Octobey | 336,248 | 335,265 | 21,264 | 595,289 | - | 595,289 | 280,369 | 133,980 | 180,940 |
| Noverbex (2) | 320,405 | 316,982 | 17,841 | 598,773 | - | 598,773 | 288,764 | 134.371 | 175,638 |
| Decemer ( 2) | 315,036 | 311,026 | 13,831 | 587,055 | - | 587,055 | 289,411 | 129,242 | 168,402 |
| 1957 - Totel 3,624,974 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuary (2) | 294,302 | 294,877 | 14,406 | 599,666 | - | 599,666 | 304, 825 | 129,802 | 165,039 |
| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| AprilMay |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Decesber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(2) Preliminary.

Table 3 ( (Cont'd.) - EStDMATED VALLE OP SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURIMG INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIFICATION, by monthe, (1)
(in thousands of dollars)
COUSUMER GOODS INDUSTRTES
(a3) - Sem1-Durable Consumer Goods Industzies
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page42)

| Dete | SHIPNENT8 | OEDER |  | Orned | INVENTORY A |  | END OFMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Hew Onders <br> Received <br> Daring <br> Month | Unfilled Oxders at end of Month |  | Held but not Owned | A 11 Inve |  | -ry Held |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Rex Meterials | Goods in Proces: | Finished produces |
| 1953. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janaery | 91.453 | 104, 360 | 146.887 | 273,995 | - | 273,995 | 146,821 | 44,983 | 82,191 |
| Pebruary | 110,902 | 101,507 | 137.492 | 277.965 | - | 277,965 | 147, 972 | 46,303 | 83,690 |
| Merch | 127,511 | 96,471 | 106,452 | 276,861 |  | 276,861 | 147,099 | 46,857 | 82,905 |
| Apt 11 | 111,305 | 98,102 | 93,249 | 277.927 | - | 277,927 | 146,918 | 46,485 | 84,524 |
| May | 95,686 | 114,784 | 112,347 | 282,830 | - | 282,830 | 247,957 | 46,395 | 88,478 |
| June | 83,963 | 100,514 | 128,898 | 293,141 | - | 293,141 | 147, 388 | 47,927 | 97.826 |
| July | 82,743 | 83,314 | 129,469 | 297,668 | - | 297,668 | 152,523 | 48,258 | 96,887 |
| August | 111,799 | 100,769 | 118,439 | 292,508 | - | 292, 508 | 151,362 | 49,384 | 91,762 |
| Septexber | 125,099 | 105,003 | 98,343 | 278,795 | - | 278,795 | 146, 150 | 47,814 | 84, 831 |
| October | 118, 199 | 100,418 | 80,562 | 266,407 | - | 266,407 | 141,689 | 44,057 | 80,661 |
| Moveruser | 94,208 | 108,445 | 94.799 | 265, 205 | - | 265,205 | 139,414 | 42,850 | 82,941 |
| December Total | $\begin{array}{r} 74,312 \\ 1,227,180 \end{array}$ | 82,291 | 102,778 | 278,638 | - | 278,638 | 142,914 | 39,141 | 96,583 |
| 1954 - $1,227,180$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 85, 140 | 80,799 | 98,437 | 283.980 | - | 283,980 | 144,657 | 43,432 | 95,891 |
| February | 101,586 | 103,115 | 99,966 | 277.825 | - | 277, 825 | 140, 897 | 42,713 | 94, 215 |
| March | 122,796 | 99,196 | 76,366 | 268,974 | - | 268,974 | 135,614 | 41,445 | 91,915 |
| April | 102,913 | 97,245 | 70,698 | 264,691 | - | 264,691 | 132,298 | 40,071 | 92,322 |
| May | 92,735 | 111,352 | 89,315 | 270,976 | - | - 270,976 | 133,096 | 40,925 | 96,955 |
| June | 81,539 | 91,045 | 98,821 | 277, 113 | - | 277,113 | 133,393 | 43,547 | 100, 173 |
| July | 71,441 | 73,052 | 100,432 | 279,352 | - | 279,352 | 138,761 | 42,346 | 98,245 |
| Augast | 100, 406 | 89,070 | 89,096 | 269,820 | - | 269,820 | 134,265 | 42,331 | 93,224 |
| September | 218,628 | 106, 739 | 77,207 | 254,781 | - | 254,781 | 129,368 | 40,378 | 85,035 |
| October | 103,651 | 89,752 107,254 | 63,308 | 248,089 | - | 248,089 | 128, 361 | 38,874 | 80,854 |
| Noveaber | 93,997 | 107,254 | 76,565 | 246,217 | - | 246,217 | 125,102 | 38,434 | 82,681 |
| Decenter | 79,148 $1,153,980$ | 90,213 | 87,630 | 249,837 | - | 249,837 | 123,423 | 35,742 | 90,673 |
| 1955. Total 1,153,980 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenusry | 80,008 | 86,168 | 93,790 | 256,967 | - | 256.967 | 127.258 | 37, 623 | 92,086 |
| Fabruary | 100, 346 | 96,669 | 90,113 | 261,274 | - | 261,274 | 125,130 | 38,948 | 97. 196 |
| Mexch | 114,329 | 104,827 | 80,611 | 255,937 | - | 255,937 | 122,297 | 39,170 | 94,470 |
| April | 98,967 | 91,879 | 73,523 | 249,570 | - | 249,570 | 126,667 | 37,594 | 95, 309 |
| May | 91,008 | 109,226 | 91,741 | 253,939 | - | 253,939 | 117,881 | 39,954 | 96,104 |
| June | 84,751 | 95,825 | 102,815 | 261,503 | - | 261,503 | 119,189 | 40,362 | 101,952 |
| July | 74,778 | 73,157 | 101,194 | 271,843 | - | 271,843 | 127,401 | 42,345 | 102,097 |
| Anguat | 111,235 | 110,231 | 100, 190 | 269,380 | - | 269,380 | 126,641 | 43,249 | 99,490 |
| September | 128,772 | 115,517 | 86,935 | 261,493 | - | 261,493 | 125,762 | 41,834 | 93,897 |
| October | 118,810 | 118,812 | 86,937 | 251,349 | - | 251,349 | 122,927 | 40,027 | 88,395 |
| Moveaber Decreber | 112,658 | 125,914 | 100, 193 | 248,574 | - | 248,574 | 121,764 | 38,304 | 88,506 |
| Decenber Total | 90,883 $1,206,545$ | 91,273 | 100,583 | 256,486 | - | 256,486 | 122,737 | 39,489 | 94. 260 |
| 1956 Total $1,206,545$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jancery | 87,737 | 94,879 | 107,725 | 260,263 | - | 260,263 | 123,263 | 41,098 |  |
| February | 109,941 | 106,063 | 103, 847 | 267,715 | - | 267,715 | 128,224 | 43,019 | 96,472 |
| Merch | 114,270 | 101, 023 | 90,600 | 267,395 | - | 267,395 | 126,455 | 42,984 | 97,956 |
| Aprsi | 103,901 | 105,392 | 92,091 | 266,936 | - | 266,936 | 124,395 | 42,386 | 100,155 |
| May | 99,359 | 111,360 | 104,092 | 274,404 | - | 274,404 | 125,206 | 44,612 | 104,686 |
| June | 87,820 | 90, 133 | 106,405 | 284,320 | - | 284,320 | 128,004 | 46,091 | 110,225 |
| July | 83,585 | 86,340 | 109,160 | 287,936 | - | 287,936 | 132,804 | 46,503 | 108,629 |
| Aagust | 117,157 | 105,474 | 97,477 | 280,734 | - | 280,734 | 129,459 | 46,889 | 104,386 |
| Septenber | 119.937 | 111,694 | 89,234 | 272,694 | - | 272,694 | 127,232 | 46,184 | 99,278 |
| Occober (2) | 126,363 114,672 | 131,736 122,404 | 92,171 99,903 | 265,558 259,345 | - | 265,558 259,345 | 124,963 | 44,590 | 96,005 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { November (2) } \\ & \text { December } 2 \text { ? } \\ & \text { Tot: } \end{aligned}$ | 114,672 86,208 $1,250,950$ | 122,404 94,783 | 99,903 108,478 | 259,345 268,498 | - | 259,345 268,498 | 120,840 123,802 | 43,768 43,113 | 94,737 101,583 |
| 1957. 1.250,950 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May <br> June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| september |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) Preliminary.

Table 3 (Cont"d) - ESTLMATED VALJE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUPACTURING TNDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONONTC USE CLASSIFICATION, by monche. (1)
(10 thousands of dollars)
CONSLAERER GOODS INDUSTRIES
(14) - Dureble Consumer Goode Industries. (For deflatctons, 8e0 Page 44)
(For industrles Lacluded, see Page 42 )

| Date | shipmerts | ORDERS |  | Owned | INVENTORY A |  | END OFMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Hew Orders <br> Rece1ved <br> During <br> Month | Unfilled Orders at end of Month |  | Held but not Omed | A11 Inyentory |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Raw Materiala | Goods in Process | Finighed Producte |
| 1953 = |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jemery | 41,880 | 48,729 | 160,040 | 134,850 | 26,184 | 161,034 | 61,700 | 60,180 | 39,154 |
| Yebruery | 50,051 | 42,923 | 152,912 | 137,684 | 28,530 | 166,214 | 61,586 | 63,497 | 41,131 |
| March | 55,284 | 55,532 | 153,160 | 140,697 | 30,251 | 170,848 | 63,796 | 65,925 | 41,127 |
| Apeil | 56,252 | 47,364 | 144,273 | 143,259 | 31, 762 | 175,021 | 65,700 | 66,648 | 42,673 |
| May | 54,095 | 88,625 | 178,803 | 147,218 | 32,238 | 179,456 | 70,061 | 64,060 | 45,335 |
| June | 54,642 | 56,480 | 180,641 | 153,668 | 33,175 | 186,843 | 67,321 | 69,308 | 50,214 |
| July | 43,756 | 26,971 | 163,856 | 156,806 | 34,283 | 191,089 | 66,196 | 71,001 | 53,892 |
| Auguet | 44,549 | 52,051 | 171,358 | 161,314 | 36,153 | 197,467 | 67,263 | 72,451 | 57.733 |
| september | 58,915 | 59,826 | 172,269 | 161,698 | 35,665 | 197,363 | 68,926 | 71,854 | 36,583 |
| October | 59,638 | 64,477 | 177,108 | 160,968 | 37,449 | 198,417 | 69,748 | 71,858 | 56,811 |
| november | 58,029 | 60,426 | 179,505 | 158,017 | 37,519 | 195,536 | 67,074 | 71,775 | 56,687 |
| December TOTAL | $\begin{array}{r} 56,750 \\ 633,840 \end{array}$ | 48,288 | 171,043 | 160,810 | 37,236 | 198,046 | 67,925 | 74,632 | 55,489 |
| 1954 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Samuary | 45,874 | 40,917 | 166,086 | 164,243 | 37,177 | 201,420 | -67,970 | 73,139 | 60,311 |
| Yebreary | 49,481 | 50,747 | 167,352 | 167.138 | 36,836 | 203,974 | 66,916 | 74,912 | 62,146 |
| Merch | 63,092 | 56,251 | 160,511 | 166,405 | 38,029 | 204,434 | 65,688 | 74,998 | 63,748 |
| April | 55,696 | 45,676 | 150,491 | 165,582 | 38,773 | 204,355 | 63,995 | 75,278 | 65,082 |
| May | 54,410 | 61,025 | 157,106 | 167.155 | 32,459 | 199,614 | 63,208 | 69,650 | 66,756 |
| June | 54,682 | 50,780 | 153,204 | 165,099 | 32,424 | 197,523 | 60,076 | 66,790 | 70,657 |
| July | 43,729 | 45,897 | 155,372 | 163,451 | 33,051 | 196.502 | 58,156 | 66,793 | 71,353 |
| Alagust | 54,524 | 63,042 | 163,890 | 157,923 | 28,672 | 186,595 | 57,751 | 60,997 | 67,847 |
| Septembar | 62,984 | 64,810 | 165,716 | 154,354 | 29,998 | 184,352 | 59,080 | 63,296 | 61,976 |
| October | 60,179 | 57,605 | 163,142 | 153,689 | 27, 824 | 181,513 | 58,558 | 63,047 | 59,908 |
| Noveaber | 68,367 | 68,540 | 163,315 | 152,967 | 27,742 | 180,709 | 57,024 | 61,901 | 61,784 |
| December TOTAL | 61,178 674,196 | 51,381 | 153,518 | 157,682 | 30,777 | 188,459 | 58,686 | 67,985 | 61,788 |
| 1955 - TOLAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jeneary | 53,1.18 | 22,616 | 122,996 | 155,934 | 34,531 | 190,465 | 60,537 | 67,964 | 61,964 |
| Pebruery | 55,595 | 59,492 | 126,893 | 157,250 | 35,000 | 192,250 | 59,274 | 68,777 | 64,199 |
| March | 64,209 | 52,026 | 114,710 | 162,563 | 36,274 | 198,837 | 59,601 | 68,892 | 70,344 |
| April | 52,856 | 54,744 | 116,598 | 165,025 | 33,405 | 198.430 | 57,063 | 70,419 | 70,948 |
| May | 53,531 | 62,069 | 125,136 | 168,654 | 32,565 | 201,219 | 59,935 | 68,619 | 72,665 |
| June | 56,776 | 58,394 | 126,754 | 169,879 | 33,141 | 203,020 | 58,687 | 70,040 | 74,293 |
| July | 47,190 | 45,675 | 125,239 | 168,054 | 32,827 | 200,881 | 60,165 | 71,497 | 69,219 |
| August | 61,386 | 66,442 | 130,295 | 167,567 | 33,119 | 200,686 | 58,686 | 74,972 | 67,028 |
| Septesber | 79,210 | 93,150 | 144,235 | 160,946 | 35,380 | 196,326 | 58,715 | 75,813 | 61,798 |
| October | 73,648 | 73,678 | 144,265 | 159,700 | 37,759 | 197.459 | 60,301 | 76,873 | 60,285 |
| Novenber | 75,263 | 57,342 | 126,344 | 162,937 | 37,247 | 200,184 | 61,886 | 77.773 | 60,525 |
| December TOTAL | $\begin{array}{r} 68,454 \\ 741,256 \end{array}$ | 52,313 | 110,203 | 167,847 | 30,889 | 198,736 | 64,079 | 71,333 | 63,324 |
| 1956. TOTAL 761,256 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janeary | 51.072 | 61,079 | 119,828 | 170,797 |  |  |  |  | 66,841 |
| Tobruary | 55,028 | 37,431 | 122,231 | 176,964 | 32,300 | 209,264 | 66,834 | 72,714 | 69,716 |
| March | 57,351 55,093 | 48,928 | 113,808 | 182,549 185 | 30,457 26,208 | 213,006 211,852 | 66,454 66,942 | 71,730 67 | 74,822 77,764 |
| April | 55,093 | 44,490 | 103,205 | 185,644 188,641 | 26,208 | 211.852 218.636 | 66,942 69,028 | 67,146 67,815 | 77,764 |
| May | 57,033 | 61,827 | 107,999 | 188,641 190,615 | 29,995 31,789 | 218,636 222,404 | 69,028 67,865 | 67,815 67,804 | 81,793 86,735 |
| Jone | 60,346 | 61,478 49849 | 109,131 106,107 | 190,615 187,466 | 31,789 15,033 | 222,404 202,499 | 67,865 67,765 | 67,804 49,122 | 86,735 85,612 |
| Jaly | 52,873 | 49,849 | 106,107 99 | 187,466 <br> 187 <br> 171 | 15,033 14,910 | 202,499 202,681 | 67,765 69,283 | 49,122 49,376 | 85,612 84,022 |
| Angust | 56,843 | 50,242 | 99,506 | 187,771 | 14,910 | 202,681 191,604 | 69,283 67.865 | 49,376 | 84,022 75,408 |
| September | 69,560 | 73,299 | 103,245 | 179,290 | 12,314 | 191,604 | 67,865 | 48,331 | 75,408 |
| October | 70,700 | 69,915 | 102,460 | 176,368 | 14,299 | 190,667 | 66,718 | 48,613 | 75,336 |
| Hovemer (3) | 65,128 | 61,229 | 98,561 | 181,482 | 14, 366 | 195,848 | 66,462 | 49,854 | 79,532 |
| Deceuber ( 3 ) ToTal | $\begin{array}{r} 57,344 \\ 708,371 \end{array}$ | 58,198 | 99,415 | 183,610 | 13,868 | 197,478 | 67,687 | 50,764 | 79,027 |
| 1957 - TOTAL 708,371 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & \text { May } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Moveaber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) Ste footnote 1, page 1.
(2) This grouping doen not include the Connmer portion of Motor Vehicles, nos of Beating tud Cooking Apparatul:

It does inciude the Electronic equipment portion of Radios and Parts, and the office and store equipaent portion of Furniture.
(3) Preliminary
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Table 3 (Cont'd) - ESTIMATED VALUE OP SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IM MANUPACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIFICATION, by months.
(in thousands of dollars)
CAPITAL GOODS INDUSTRIES
(b1) - Total Capital Goods Industries. (1)
(Por Defintitions, see Page 44)
(For Industries included, see Page 42)

| Dete | SHIPMENTS | ORDERS |  | INVENTORY AT END OFMONTH |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Orders Received During Month | Unfilled | Owned | Held but not Owned | Ali Inventory Held |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | at end <br> of Month |  |  | TOTAL | Raw Materials | Goods in Process | Finished Product: |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sanuary | 138,847 | 99.098 | 1,278,963 | 423,405 | 318,494 | 741,899 | 241,324 | 378,35D | 122,225 |
| Februaty | 158,610 | 148,476 | 1,268,829 | 425,117 | 322,937 | 748,054 | 239,663 | 385,223 | 123,168 |
| March | 167,852 | 169,989 | 1,270,966 | 420,737 | 331,090 | 751,827 | 235,239 | 393,269 | 123,319 |
| April | 180,263 | 117,538 | 1,208,241 | 416,580 | 348,040 | 764,620 | 233,826 | 408,573 | 122,221 |
| May | 164,414 | 12,706 | 1,056,533 | 417,998 | 350,441 | 768,439 | 232,789 | 412,009 | 123,641 |
| June | 167,902 | 140,663 | 1,029,294 | 418,187 | 349,662 | 767,849 | 224,323 | 419,473 | 124,053 |
| July | 156,927 | 94,174 | 966,541 | 414,576 | 351,424 | 766,000 | 222,380 | 423,586 | 120,034 |
| August | 127,051 | 97,280 | 936,770 | 412,799 | 363,180 | 775,979 | 222,763 | 435,142 | 118,074 |
| Septenber | 140,344 | 110,478 | 906,904 | 417,009 | 359,439 | 776,448 | 222,797 | 436,859 | 116,792 |
| October | 134,525 | 120,574 | 892,953 | 428,066 | 346,908 | 774,974 | 223,070 | 427,933 | 123,971 |
| November | 138,751 | 95,801 | 850,003 | 423,769 | 359,368 | 783,137 | 222,514 | 434,077 | 126,546 |
| December total | $\begin{array}{r} 151,279 \\ 1,826,765 \end{array}$ | 213,899 | 912,623 | 430,724 | 347,675 | 778,399 | 221,713 | 429,341 | 127,345 |
| 1954 - TOTAL 1,826, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 119,527 | 186.913 | 980,009 | 430,938 | 358,032 | 788,970 | 214,871 | 441,532 | 132,567 |
| Februery | 137.721 | 305,581 | 1,147,869 | 447,543 | 355,497 | 803,040 | 215,865 | 450,458 | 136,717 |
| Merch | 266.824 | 110.014 | 1,091,059 | 436,446 | 353,375 | 789,821 | 211,028 | 442,946 | 135,847 |
| April | 147.835 | 89.485 | 1,032,709 | 431,860 | 361,185 | 793,045 | 205,788 | 450,604 | 136,653 |
| May | 143.488 | 133,423 | 1,022,644 | 420,287 | 361,552 | 781,839 | 201,646 | 445,027 | 135,166 |
| June | 147,138 | 130,699 | 1,006,205 | 408,443 | 366,202 | 774,645 | 199,383 | 441,770 | 133,492 |
| July | 130,686 | 150,95? | 1,026,476 | 395,462 | 361,459 | 756,921 | 198,375 | 429,766 | 128,780 |
| Aagust | 102,998 | 79,651 | 1,003,129 | 392,596 | 364,481 | 757,077 | 197,692 | 435,490 | 123,895 |
| October | 125,419 110,232 | 125,629 42,897 | $1,003,339$ 936,004 | 387,693 388,676 | 377,944 377,893 | 765,637 | 190, 117 | 451,162 | 124,358 |
| Noverber | 121,009 | 90,741 | 905,736 | 392,048 | 374,868 | 766,916 | 191,159 | 452,062 | 123,695 |
| December | 131,098 | 124,454 | 899,092 | 398,152 | 355,565 | 753,717 | 189,455 | 439,898 | 124,364 |
| 1955 - TOTAL 1,583,975 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 111,925 | 111,331 | 898,498 | 401,421 | 350,031 | 751,452 | 185,196 | 435,436 | 130,820 |
| Pebruaty | 130,039 | 116,483 | 884,942 | 396,998 | 361,936 | 758,934 | 185,202 | 438,856 | 134,876 |
|  | 144,635 | 131,322 | 871,629 | 399,300 | 356,627 | 755,927 | 184,423 | 433,039 | 138,465 |
| April | 130,087 | 124,647 | 866,189 | 394,580 | 357,209 | 751,789 | 188,419 | 430,982 | 132,388 |
| May | 133,531 | 180,201 | 912,859 | 391,727 | 356,064 | 747,791 | 186,614 | 430,008 | 131,169 |
| June | 133,882. | 133,207 | 912.184 | 381,434 | 358,529 | 739,963 | 182,277 | 432,742 | 124,944 |
| Aaguet | 126,928 117,282 | 140,967 | 926.225 | 365,829 | 346,785 | 712,614 | 179,998 | 414,581 | 118,035 |
| September | 117,282 131,682 | 120,011 | 928,954 938,446 | 359,364 361,533 | 352,522 356,534 | 711,886 | 178,526 | 420,956 | 112,404 |
| November | 125,021 | 111,652 | 925.077 | 368,488 | 356,534 373,700 | 718,067 742,188 | 180, 183,307 | 425,907 443,761 | 111,803 115,120 |
|  | 128,694 | 176,706 | 973,089 | 373,235 | 365,506 | 738,741 | 183,702 | 433,703 | 121,336 |
| December | 147,957 561,661 | 174,340 | 999,472 | 397,643 | 324,613 | 722,256 | 182,069 | 412,813 | 127,374 |
| 1956 . TOTAL | ,561,661 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jennery | 128,221 | 122.634 | 993,885 | 408,105 | 327,998 | 736,103 | 186,953 | 415,502 |  |
| Pebruary | 149.030 | 141,946 | 986,801 | 418,014 | 332,955 | 750,969 | 193,595 | 418,929 | 138,445 |
| March | 155,040 | 185,096 | 1,016,857 | 430,865 | 314,642 | 745,507 | 193,624 | 413,701 | 138,182 |
| Mey | 156,760 | 216,382 171,905 | 1,079,479 | 439,409 | 321,169 | 760,578 | 199,304 | 422,358 | 138,916 |
| June | 165,851 | 171,905 105,328 | $1,083,753$ $1,023,230$ | 433,679 437,362 | 336,264 334,165 | 769,943 771,527 | 201,000 | 432,417 | 136,526 |
| Joly | 158,285 | 161,940 | 1,026,885 | 429,721 | 334,165 340,436 | 770,157 | 200,917 202,291 | 433,986 435,420 | $\begin{aligned} & 136,624 \\ & 132,446 \end{aligned}$ |
| Augost | 137,157 | 141,591 | 1,031,319 | 426,385 | 345,218 | 771,603 | 202,446 | 442,382 | 126,775 |
| September | 161,468 | 189,387 | 1,059,238 | 420,037 | 356,345 | 776,382 | 205,477 | 447,222 | 123,683 |
| October | 162,633 160,532 | 139,593 147,376 | 1,036,198 | 423,110 | 370,606 | 793,716 | 210,139 | 461,380 | 122,197 |
| Novenber (2) | 160,532 160,670 | 147,376 378,086 | $1,023,042$ $1,240,458$ | 438,996 439,129 | 377,055 384,659 | 816,051 | 214,127 | 474,455 | 127,469 |
| 1957 - TOTAL | 1,860,278 | 378,086 |  | 439.129 | 384,659 | 823,788 | 214,657 | 479,298 | 129,833 |
| Jenuary (2) | 158,423 | 149,971 | 1,232,006 | 446.178 | 386,664 | 832,842 | 215,313 | 485,283 | 132.246 |
| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mey |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Augant |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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(1) This teble is a sub-total for Tables 3, b2 and 3, b3
(2) Preliminary.

Table 3 (ConE'd) - ESTMMATED VALUE OF SHIPNEATS, CNDERS AND IMVENTORY IN MANUPACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONONLC USE CLASSIFICATION, by months. (1)
(In thousands of dollars)
CAPITAL GOOD INDUSTRIES
(b2) Heavy Trapsportation Rquipment Indugeriee, (2) (Por definitions, see Page 44)
(For induatriea includad, aee Page42)

| D.te |  | ORDERS |  | Oresed | 1HVENTORY A |  | END OF MONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | New Otder: Racelved Detring Month | Unfilled Orders at end of Nonch |  | Held but not Orned | A11 Invontory lield |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Rev Materials | Goode in Process | Findshed Produce |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jamumy | 68,137 | 27.547 | 1,014,894 | 123,135 | 248,816 | 371,951 | 124,957 | 241,830 | 5,164 |
| Februery | 72,882 | 65,680 | 1,007,692 | 129,230 | 252,921 | 382,151 | 124,932 | 250,949 | 6,270 |
| Warch | 77,343 | 29,727 | 960,076 | 127,887 | 263,840 | 391,727 | 128,132 | 258,959 | 4,636 |
| April | 89,289 | 37,129 | 907,916 | 126,239 | 280,372 | 406,611 | 129,523 | 272,243 | 4,845 |
| May | 77,045 | -62,498 | 768,373 | 126,291 | 288,941 | 415,232 | 129,531 | 280,508 | 5,193 |
| June | 84,736 | 63,971 | 747,608 | 126.687 | 293,559 | 420,246 | 126,453 | 288,287 | 5,506 |
| July | 86,475 | 29,578 | 690,711 | 126,512 | 293,995 | 420,507 | 124,071 | 290,750 | 5,686 |
| Auguet | 62,949 | 35,718 | 663,480 | 128,216 | 304,955 | 433,171 | 125,407 | 301,941 | 5,823 |
| September | 70,948 | 40,141 | 632,673 | 130,764 | 304,048 | 434,812 | 126,386 | 301,595 | 6,832 |
| October | 67,214 | 45,757 | 611,216 | 139,884 | 294,401 | 434,285 | 127,159 | 301,486 | 5,640 |
| November | 76,803 | 26,673 | 561, 086 | 130,292 | 307,841 | 438,133 | 125,395 | 307,046 | 5,692 |
| December TOEAL | $\begin{array}{r} 85,957 \\ 919,778 \end{array}$ | 150,215 | 625,344 | 134,353 | 300,884 | 435,237 | 125,627 | 304,757 | 4,853 |
| 1954 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 62,216 | 137,646 | 700,774 | 136,227 | 309,354 | 445,581 | 119,548 | 320,262 | 5,771 |
| Februery | 71,410 | 246,136 | 875,500 | 143,258 | 308,881 | 452,139 | 117,682 | 328,202 | 6,255 |
| Merch | 90,247 | 44,225 | 829,478 | 134,551 | 305,801 | 440,352 | 114,736 | 320,146 | 5,470 |
| April | 73,083 | 29,438 | 785,833 | 131,584 | 317,873 | 449,457 | 112,898 | 331,173 | 5,386 |
| May | 70,415 | 74,237 | 789,655 | 126,911 | 316,698 | 443,609 | 112,933 | 325,214 | 5,462 |
| June | 72,570 | 65,672 | 782,757 | 120,098 | 320,530 | 440,628 | 111,081 | 324,172 | 5,375 |
| July | 65,277 | 88,811 | 806,291 | 115,108 | 318,311 | 433,419 | 111,811 | 316,369 | 5,239 |
| Augast | 42,847 | -705 | 762,739 | 120,287 | 320,240 | 440,527 | 113,192 | 321,813 | 5,522 |
| Septeber | 63,890 | 71,236 | 770,085 | 115,645 | 330,634 | 446,279 | 107,018 | 333,494 | 5,767 |
| October | 49,467 | -15,333 | 705,285 | 117.718 | 330,249 | 447,967 | 110,156 | 331,726 | 6,085 |
| Novenber | 55,902 |  | 677,380 | 117,460 | 324,913 | 442,373 | 206,547 | 331,894 | 3,932 |
| December TOTAL | 64,571 781,895 | 53,001 | 665,810 | 118,864 | 309,532 | 428,396 | 105,096 | 317,284 | 6,016 |
| 1955 TOTAL 781,895 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Junoary | 57.924 | 57,260 | 665,146 | 122,250 | 301,598 | 423,848 | 101,120 | 313,390 | 9,338 |
| Pebruary | 62,012 | 36,040 | 639,174 | 120,104 | 307,549 | 427,653 | 100,521 | 316,135 | 10,997 |
| March | 70,713 | 39,926 | 608,387 | 123,295 | 299,842 | 423,137 | 99,955 | 311,178 | 12,004 |
| April | 58,083 | 54,635 | 604,939 | 120,492 | 297,543 | 418,035 | 98,918 | 307,828 | 11.289 |
| My | 59,172 | 94, 810 | 640,577 | 121,272 | 297,306 | 418,578 | 99,983 | 306,859 | 11,736 |
| June | 59,834 | 50,462 | 631,205 | 115,925 | 298,013 | 413,938 | 98,123 | 308,669 | 7.146 |
| July | 60,339 | 74,276 | 645.142 | 113,070 | 285,613 | 398,683 | 96,957 | 295,393 | 6,333 |
| August | 49,918 | 48,987 | 644,211 | 115,350 | 287,638 | 402,988 | 96,767 | 297,884 | 8,337 |
| September | 60,702 | 58,756 | 642,265 | 114,913 | 287,895 | 402,808 | 97.570 | 296,080 | 9,158 |
| October | 54,870 | 28,129 | 615,524 | 116,088 | 301,059 | 417.147 | 98,031 | 309,332 | 9.784 |
| November Decebor | 56,427 77,846 | 91, 302 | 650,399 648,958 | 119,389 | 288,590 | 407,979 | 95,537 | 301,967 | 10,475 |
| Decesber | 77,846 727,840 | 76,405 | 648.958 | 122,087 | 255,616 | 377,703 | 92,384 | 274,450 | 10,869 |
| 1956 - TOTAL 727,840 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Janoary | 62, 315 | 46,028 | 632,671 | 124,736 | 256,199 | 380,935 | 94,233 | 274,702 |  |
| Tebruary | 72,310 64,261 | 55,506 99,588 | 615,867 | 128,205 | 255,873 | 384, 078 | 97,558 | 273,579 | 12,941 |
| March | 64, 261 | 99,588 | 651, 194 | 134, 595 | 232,907 | 367,502 | 94,390 | 262,286 | 10,826 |
| April | 62, 196 | 108,409 | 697,407 | 138,144 | 234,003 | 372,147 | 96,219 | 265,986 | 9,942 |
| May | 77,510 | 89,894 | 709,791 | 131,956 | 243,469 | 375,425 | 95,389 | 270,284 | 9,752 |
| June | 73,974 | -663 | 635,154 | 130,881 | 239,167 | 370,048 | 93,989 | 267,282 | 8,777 |
| Juily | 74,944 | 75,464 | 635,674 | 129,275 | 242,135 | 371,410 | 96,311 | 265,973 | 9,126 |
| August | 56,184 | 64,173 | 643,663 | 129,077 | 244,275 | 373,352 | 96,387 | 268,407 | 8,558 |
| September | 76,696 | 99,253 | 666,220 | 129, 128 | 250,638 | 379,766 | 99.555 | 271.771 | 8.440 |
| October | 71,364 | 62,954 | 657,830 | 127,777 | 260,758 | 388,535 | 102,755 | 276,939 | 8,842 |
| Noverber (3) | 71,690 | 50,848 289,685 | 636,988 | 139,189 | 263,464 | 402,653 | 106,276 | 287,294 | 9,083 |
| December (3) | 76,226 | 289,685 | 850,447 | 138,538 | 272,565 | 411.103 | 106,257 | 294,330 | 10,516 |
| 1957 - TOTAL 839,650 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MayJupe |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Atrgut |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Soptraber October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1 , pege 1
(2) Excludes trucke and buese, which are Included in Table 3, d2.
(3) Prelfainary.

Table 3 （COnt＇d）－ESTLMATED VALUE OF SHIPAEMTS，ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIFICATION，by monchs ．（1）
（in thousands of dollars）
CAPITAL GOODS INDUSIRIES
（b3）Other Capital Goods Industries．
（For definitions，see Page 44）
（For Induetries included，see Page 42）

| Date | SHIPNEMTS | ORDERS |  | Omed | INVENTORY AT END OFM MONT |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Hew Order： <br> Received Daring <br> Month | Unfliled Oxders at end of Month |  | Held but not Cuned | A 1 | 1ロven | ary H | d |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | 思䦠 Materials | Gooda in Process | Finiebed Producte |
| 1953 － |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tenoury | 70，710 | 71，551 | 264，069 | 300，270 | 69，678 | 369，948 | 116，367 | 136，520 | 117，061 |
| Pebrasy | 85，728 | 82，796 | 261，137 | 295，887 | 70，016 | 365，903 | 114，731 | 134，274 | 116，898 |
| March | 90，509 | 140，262 | 310，890 | 292，850 | 67.250 | 360，100 | 107，107 | 134，310 | 118，883 |
| April | 90，974 | 80，409 | 300，325 | 290，341 | 67． 668 | 358，009 | 104，303 | 136，330 | 117，376 |
| May | 87，369 | 75，204 | 288，160 | 291，707 | 61，500 | 353，207 | 103，258 | 131，501 | 118，448 |
| June | 83，166 | 76，692 | 281，686 | 291，500 | 56，103 | 347，603 | 97，870 | 131，186 | 118，547 |
| July | 70，452 | 64，596 | 275，830 | 288，064 | 57，429 | 345，493 | 98，309 | 132，836 | 114，348 |
| August | 64，102 | 61，562 | 273，290 | 284，583 | 58，225 | 342，808 | 97，356 | 133，201 | 112，251 |
| Septerber | 69，396 | 70，337 | 274，231 | 286，245 | 55，391 | 341，636 | 96，411 | 135，264 | 109，961 |
| October | 67，311 | 74，817 | 281，737 | 288，182 | 52，507 | 340，689 | 95，911 | 126，447 | 118，331 |
| November | 61，948 | 69，128 | 288，917 | 293，477 | 51，527 | 345，004 | 97，119 | 127，031 | 120，854 |
| December Total | $\begin{array}{r} 65,322 \\ 906,987 \end{array}$ | 63，684 | 287，279 | 296，371 | 46，791 | 343，162 | 96，086 | 124，584 | 122，492 |
| $1954{ }^{\text {Total }}$ 906，987 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 57，311 | 49，267 | 279，235 | 294，711 | 48，678 | 343，389 | 95，323 | 121，270 | 126，796 |
| Pebruary | 66，311 | 59，445 | 272，369 | 304，285 | 46，616 | 350，901 | 98，183 | 122，256 | 130，462 |
| Merch | 76，577 | 65，789 | 261，581 | 301，895 | 47，574 | 349，469 | 96，292 | 122，800 | 130，377 |
| April | 74，752 | 60，047 | 246，87€ | 300，276 | 43，312 | 343，588 | 92，890 | 119，431 | 131，267 |
| May | 73，073 | 59，186 | 232，989 | 293，376 | 44，854 | 338，230 | 88，713 | 119，813 | 129，704 |
| June | 74，568 | 65,027 | 223，448 | 288，345 | 45，672 | 334，017 | 88， 302 | 117，598 | 128，117 |
| July | 65，409 | 62，146 | 220，185 | 280，354 | 43，148 | 323，502 | 86，564 | 113，397 | 123，541 |
| Angust <br> September | 60，151 | 80，356 | 240，390 | 272，309 | 44，241 | 316，550 | 84,500 | 113，677 | 118，373 |
| October | 61,529 60,765 | 54,393 58,230 | 233,254 230,719 | 272,048 270,958 | 47，310 | 319,358 318,602 | 83，099 | 117，668 | 118，591 |
| Noverber | 65，107 | 62，744 | 228，356 | 274，588 | 49，955 | 318，602 | 83,854 84,612 | 117,426 120,168 | 117,322 119,769 |
| December | 66，527 | 71，453 | 233,282 | 279，288 | 46，033 | 325，321 | 84， 359 | 122，614 | 118，348 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 54，001 | 54.071 | 233.352 | 279，171 | 48，433 | 327，604 | 84，076 | 122，046 | 121，482 |
| February | 68，027 | 80，443 | 245，768 | 276，894 | 54，387 | 331，281 | 84，681 | 122，721 | 123，879 |
| March | 73，922 | 91，396 | 263，242 | 276，005 | 56，785 | 332，790 | 84，468 | 121，861 | 126，461 |
| April | 72，004 | 70，012 | 261，250 | 274，088 | 59，666 | 333，754 | 89，501 | 123，154 | 121．099 |
| May | 74，359 | 85，391 | 272．282 | 270，455 | 58，758 | 329，213 | 86，631 | 123，149 | 119，433 |
| June | 74，048 | 82，745 | 280，979 | 265，509 | 60，516 | 326，025 | 84，154 | 124，073 | 117，798 |
| July | 66，587 | 66，691 | 281，083 | 252，759 | 61，172 | 313，931 | 83，041 | 119，188 | 111，702 |
| August | 67，364 | 71，024 | 284，743 | 244，014 | 64， 884 | 308，898 | 81，759 | 123，072 | 104，067 |
| September | 70，980 | 82,418 | 296，181 | 246，620 | 68，639 | 315，259 | 82，787 | 129，827 | 102，645 |
| October | 70，151 | 83，523 | 309，553 | 252，400 | 72，641 | 325，041 | 85，276 | 134，429 | 105，336 |
| Novemer | 72，267 | 85,404 97 | 322，690 | 253，846 | 76，916 | 330，762 | 88，165 | 131，736 | 110，861 |
| Decmber Total | $\begin{array}{r} 70,111 \\ 833,821 \end{array}$ | 97，935 | 350，514 | 275，556 | 68，997 | 344，553 | 89，685 | 138，363 | 116，505 |
| 1956 － |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery |  |  | 361，214 | 283，369 | 71，799 | 355，168 | 92，820 | 140，800 |  |
| Pebruary | 76，720 | 86,440 85,508 | 370，934 | 289，809 | 77，082 | 366，891 | 96，037 | 145，350 | 125，504 |
| April | 90,779 91,564 | 85,508 107 | 365，663 | 296，270 | 81，735 | 378，005 | 99，234 | 151，615 | 127，356 |
| mey | 90， 121 | 107,971 82,011 | 382,072 373,962 | 301,265 301,723 | 87,166 92,795 | 388,431 394,518 | 103,085 105611 | 156， 372 | 128，974 |
| June | 91，877 | 105，991 | 388，076 | 306，481 | 94，998 | 401，479 | 106，928 | 162，733 | $\begin{aligned} & 126,774 \\ & 127,847 \end{aligned}$ |
| July | 83，341 | 86，476 | 391，211 | 300，446 | 98，301 | 398，747 | 105，980 | 169，447 | 123，320 |
| Augast | 80，973 | 77，418 | 387，656 | 297，308 | 100，943 | 398，251 |  | 173，975 | 118，217 |
| September | 84，772 | 90，134 | 393，018 | 290．909 | 105，707 | 396，616 | 105．922 | 175.451 | 115，243 |
| October | 91，289 | 76，639 | 378，368 | 295，333 | 109，848 | 405，181 | 107，384 | 184，441 | 113，356 |
| Noverber（2） December（2） | 88， 842 | 96，528 | 386，054 | 299，807 | 113，591 | 413，398 | 107，851 | 187，161 | 118，386 |
| December（2） Total | 84,444 $1,020,628$ | 88，401 | 390，011 | 300，591 | 112，094 | 412，685 | 108，400 | 184，968 | 119，317 |
| 1957 －1，020，628 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January（2） Pebruary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MarchApril |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| JuneJoly |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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Table 3 (COnt'd) - ESTMMATED VALUE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS AND INVENTORY IN MANUPACTURING INDUSTRLES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIPICATION, by months. (1)
(In thousands of dollars)
(C) CONSTRUCTION GOODS INDUSTRIES
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries Included, see Page 42)

| Date | SHLPAETTE | ORDE 8 |  | aned | INVENTORY |  | END OEMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Hew Ordexs Received Daring Month | Unfilled Orders at end of Month |  | Held but not Owned | A 112 in |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | Rav Materiale | Goods in Proceses | Finished <br> Prodacta |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenoary | 86.668 | 101,615 | 267,226 | 264,985 | 57,815 | 322,800 | 141,802 | 109,907 | 71,091 |
| February | 89,090 | 89.478 | 267,614 | 273,939 | 60,478 | 334,417 | 146,066 | 113,507 | $74,844$ |
| March | 109,028 | 101,656 | 260,242 | 286,238 | 60,268 | 346,506 | 147,883 | 116,729 | 81,894 |
| April | 108.356 | 100,364 | 252,250 | 293,187 | 54,994 | 348,181 | 151,553 | 116,453 | 80,175 |
| May | 111,590 | 100,255 | 240,915 | 292,310 | 57,198 | 349,508 | 148,270 | 122,641 | 78,597 |
| June | 118,710 | 117,252 | 239,457 | 297,766 | 56,094 | 353,860 | 150,193 | 123, 364 | 80,303 |
| July | 112,383 | 106,315 | 233,389 | 290,316 | 59,626 | 349,932 | 147.055 | 126,774 | 76,103 |
| August | 112,036 | 110,607 | 231,960 | 290,970 | 64,408 | 355,378 | 146,888 | 233,686 | 74,804 |
| September | 119.845 | 117,865 | 229,980 | 281,895 | 75,400 | 357,295 | 144,588 | 136,716 | 75,991 |
| October | 124,153 | 127,136 | 232,963 | 280,007 | 80,679 | 360,686 | 141,248 | 140,850 | 78,588 |
| November | 104,823 | 85,903 | 214,043 | 275,895 | 83,040 | 358,935 | 142.244 | 140,609 | 76,082 |
| Decumber Total | $\begin{array}{r} 99,377 \\ 1,296,059 \end{array}$ | 79,574 | 194,240 | 291,235 | 59,374 | 350,509 | 158,167 | 109,421 | 82,921 |
| 1954 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 83,319 | 75,543 | 186,464 | 312,769 | 51,710 | 364,479 | 159,217 | 114.513 | 90,749 |
| Pebrasy | 89,743 | 80,649 | 177,370 | 324,266 | 37,606 | 361,932 | 162,410 | 103,431 | 96,091 |
| March | 100,825 | 113,122 | 189,667 | 335,954 | 32,444 | 368,398 | 168,828 | 98,635 | 100,935 |
| Aptil | 103,295 | 104,116 | 190,488 | 329,009 | 35,473 | 364,482 | 165,093 | 98,774 | 100,615 |
| May | 106,631 | 102,597 | 186,454 | 324,909 | 38,552 | 363,461 | 161,034 | 100,987 | 101,440 |
| June | 120,895 | 130,608 | 196,167 | 321,851 | 44.639 | 366,490 | 159,318 | 106,446 | 100,726 |
| July | 121,045 | 123,112 | 198,234 | 317,061 | 44,138 | 361,199 | 156,638 | 109,931 | 94,630 |
| Aagast | 119,888 | 112,340 | 190,686 | 304,049 | 50,401 | 354,450 | 148,107 | 114,317 | 92,026 |
| September | 123,153 | 125,532 | 193,065 | 295,959 | 55,064 | 351,023 | 145,549 | 116,822 | 88,652 |
| October | 125,095 | 119,012 | 186,982 | 289,191 | 49,341 | 338,532 | 141,288 | 109,758 | 87,486 |
| November | 115,186 100,357 | 128,919 95,959 | 200,715 196,317 | 279,903 279,921 | 49,880 46,853 | 329,783 326,774 | 138,986 127,276 | 102.999 | 87,798 |
| $1955 \mathrm{~s}^{\text {Total }}$ 1,309,432 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery | 86,773 | 92,981 | 202,525 | 293.911 | 48.544 | 342,455 | 129,547 | 116,858 | 96,050 |
| Februery | 90,698 | 131,791 | 243,618 | 303,030 | 48,706 | 351,736 | 131,180 | 119,428 | 101,128 |
| March | 107,336 | 124,406 | 260,688 | 313,284 | 48,516 | 361,800 | 135,333 | 127,955 | 108,512 |
| April | 112,936 | 132,233 | 279,985 | 315,908 | 47,737 | 363,645 | 135,774 | 117,757 | 110,114 |
| May | 141,333 | 171,725 | 310,377 | 314,098 | 48,772 | 362,870 | 131,594 | 121,050 | 110,226 |
| June | 148,888 | 131,029 | 292,518 | 308, 324 | 51,358 | 359,682 | 130,325 | 125,531 | 103,826 |
| July | 125,588 | 137,400 | 304,330 | 305,138 | 50,184 | 355,322 | 132,713 | 125,643 | 96,966 |
| Auguat | 144,691 | 159,901 | 319,540 | 300,231 | 53,072 | 353,303 | 132,261 | 131,573 | 89,469 |
| Septeaber | 146,380 | 140, 891 | 314.051 | 298,405 | 54,718 | 353,123 | 130,722 | 132,340 | 90,061 |
| October | 143,031 | 150.138 | 321,158 | 297,701 | 49,791 | 347,492 | 136,476 | 124,083 | 86,933 |
| Slovener | 129,667 | 133,465 | 324.956 | 304,169 | 48,941 | 353,110 | 135,858 | 126,939 | 90,313 |
| December Total | $\begin{array}{r} 120,148 \\ 1,497,469 \end{array}$ | 140,061 | 344,869 | 317,538 | 52,165 | 369,703 | 137,973 | 135,697 | 96,033 |
| 1956 - $1,497,469$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jamery | 108,531 | 134,775 | 371,113 | 328, 170 | 46,090 | 374,260 | 141,713 |  |  |
| Mebruery | 115,708 | 144,135 | 399,540 | 345,794 | 50,833 | 396,627 | 147,177 | 139,311 | $\begin{aligned} & 102,236 \\ & 109,514 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 134,729 | 159,545 | 424,356 | 364,111 | 54,900 | 419,011 | 157,872 | 139,936 146,277 | $\begin{aligned} & 109,514 \\ & 119,862 \end{aligned}$ |
| April | 141,751 157,876 | 150,000 158,195 | 432,605 432 | 373,644 | 59,927 | 433,571 | 157,039 | 153,969 | 122,563 |
| Mey | 157,876 169,007 | 158,195 173,314 | 432,924 4371 | 389,047 | 63,922 | 452,969 | 161,819 | 164,333 | 126,817 |
| Junly | 169,007 150,804 | 273, 314 | 437,231 | 390,965 | 68,086 | 459,051 | 162,724 | 171,431 | 124,896 |
| Aaguet | 150,804 158,770 | 145,096 163,032 | 431,523 435,785 | 383,834 374,716 | 68,971 69,836 | 452,805 | 165,063 | 172,590 | 115,152 |
| September | 161,194 | 155,333 | 429,924 | 371,830 | 71,598 | 444,550 443,428 | 165,150 162,532 | 169,613 170,482 | 109.787 110.414 |
| October | 170,229 | 153,403 | 413,098 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Noveler (2) | 148,554 | 155,526 | 420,070 | 367,360 374,368 | 65,248 | 427,495 439,616 | 165,519 168,489 | $\begin{aligned} & 154,937 \\ & 163,011 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107,039 \\ & 108,116 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Deceaber (2) } \\ \text { Total } \end{gathered}$ | 128,250 $1.745,403$ | 144,208 | 436,028 | 393,506 | 65,332 | 458,838 | 177,052 | $166,837$ | $114,949$ |
| 1957 - | 1,745,403 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jonadry(2) <br> Tebruery <br> March <br> April | 124,560 | 124,153 | 435,621 | 402,238 | 65,650 | 467,888 | 178,623 | 168,037 | 121,228 |
| May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & \text { July } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deceuber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1 , page 1 .
(2) Preiliminary

Table 3 (COnt'd) - ESTMMATED VALUE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDRRS AND INUENTORY IN MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMLC USE CLASSIFLCATLON, by months. (1)
(in thousands of dollars)
MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIES
(d1) - Industries Producing Largely For Export
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries included, see Page 42)
This group comprises anly the 6 industries which cannot be fitted trito any of the other groups because of the high proportion of total production exported. Shipments are not to be taken as total exports

| D * te | SHIPMENTS | ORDERS |  | Owned | INVENTORY |  | END OFMONTH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Ney Order <br> Received During Month | Unfilled Ordera at end of Month |  | Held bot not Owned | Alı Inventory He |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | total | Raw Materials | Goods in Process | Finiahed Producte |
| 1953 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Isanuary | 239,319 | 247,889 | 489,783 | (2) | (2) | 598,374 | 411,467 | 41,710 | 145,197 |
| Pebruary | 238,272 | 246,107 | 497.618 |  |  | 596,094 | 401,177 | 43,766 | 151,151 |
| March | 264,152 | 267,095 | 500,561 |  |  | 589,878 | 384,825 | 44,998 | 160,055 |
| Apr 11 | 251,119 | 226,115 | 475,557 |  |  | 561,120 | 367,839 | 44,836 | 148,445 |
| May | 278,900 | 236,248 | 432,905 |  |  | 572,887 | 371,823 | 44,214 | 156,850 |
| June | 286,895 | 265,665 | 411,675 |  |  | 583,280 | 379,042 | 42,919 | 161,319 |
| July | 267,163 | 242,677 | 387,189 |  |  | 603,250 | 392,231 | 45,692 | 165,327 |
| August | 260,657 | 247, 172 | 373,704 |  |  | 627,679 | 405,543 | 46,520 | 175,616 |
| September | 257,191 | 237,201 | 353,714 |  |  | 611,965 | 398,481 | 43,800 | 169,684 |
| October | 255,921 | 240,255 | 338,048 |  |  | 612,606 | 401,698 | 42,418 | 168,490 |
| November | 237,404 | 479,902 | 580,546 |  |  | 599,090 | 399,809 | 41,032 | 158,249 |
| December Total | $\begin{array}{r} 235,756 \\ 3,072,749 \end{array}$ | 222,099 | 566,889 |  |  | 597,529 | 403,423 | 38,968 | 155,138 |
| 1954 - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Januery | 221,321 | 296,349 | 641,917 |  |  | 587,945 | 390,677 | 39,805 | 157,463 |
| February | 235,492 | 217,706 | 624,131 |  |  | 581,736 | 383,042 | 40,763 | 157,971 |
| March | 267, 567 | 263, 146 | 629,710 |  |  | 568,046 | 370,001 | 41,475 | 156,570 |
| April | 262,481 | 233,613 | 590,842 |  |  | 541,974 | 352,025 | 40,345 | 149,604 |
| May | 268,268 | 247,606 | 570,180 |  |  | 544,736 | 353,277 | 39,876 | 151,583 |
| June | 285,854 | 286,460 | 570,786 |  |  | 557,602 | 360,460 | 40,614 | 156,528 |
| July | 270,051 | 249,352 | 550,087 |  |  | 566,368 | 361,191 | 41,677 | 163,500 |
| August | 276,765 | 252,002 | 525,324 |  |  | 593,682 | 368,870 | 43,100 | 181,703 |
| September | 228,148 | 294,214 | 541,390 |  |  | 604,265 | 371,682 | 42,428 | 190,155 |
| October | 272, 741 | 253,606 | 522,255 |  |  | 609,473 | 381,407 | 41,352 | 186,714 |
| November | 271,760 | 243,260 | 493,755 |  |  | 607,640 | 387,090 | 40,394 | 180,156 |
| December Total | 267,168 $3,157,616$ | 250,138 | 496,725 |  |  | 600,451 | 389,222 | 37,587 | 173,642 |
| 1955 - Total 3,157,616 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January | 272,064 | 361,382 | 586,043 | 60n,682 | * | 600,682 | 395,707 | 41,548 | 163,427 |
| February | 265,071 | 238,094 | 559,066 | 607,938 | - | 607,938 | 397,300 | 42,669 | 167,969 |
| March | 303,933 | 281,655 | 536,788 | 608,689 | - | 608,689 | 389,486 | 44.279 | 174,924 |
| April | 281,291 | 266,595 | 522,092 | 573,397 | - | 573,397 | 372,791 | 42,096 | 158,510 |
| Msy | 303, 386. | 279,492 | 498,198 | 573,657 | - | 573,657 | 371,605 | 42,576 | 159,476 |
| June | 318,874 | 308,659 | 487,983 | 575,796 | - | 575,796 | 373,299 | 42,864 | 155,633 |
| July | 298,955 | 275,193 | 464,221 | 582,875 | - | 582,875 | 384,930 | 45,219 | 152,726 |
| Autust | 317,815 | 312,713 | 459,119 | 579,517 | - | 579,517 | 378,633 | 46,433 | 156,451 |
| September | 321,359 | 312,547 | 450,307 | 595,347 | - | 595,747 | 385,927 | 44,621 | 165,199 |
| October | 317,292 | 285,386 | 418,401 | 576,927 | - | 576,927 | 385,331 | 41,885 | 149,711 |
| Novenber | 313,382 | 303,720 | 408,739 | 571,865 | - | 571,865 | 389,314 | 40,969 | 141,582 |
| December Total | $\begin{array}{r} 303,095 \\ 3,616,517 \end{array}$ | 298,485 | 404,129 | 575,775 | - | 575,775 | 402,905 | 38,629 | 134,241 |
| 1956 - Total 3,616,517 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jamasary | 299,552 | 410,670 | 515,247 |  | - |  |  |  | 135,639 |
| Pebruary | 303,028 | 306,696 | 518,915 | 579,253 | - | 579,253 | 401,742 | 38,275 | 139,236 |
| March | 317,600 | 294, 138 | 495,453 | 589,434 | - | 589,434 | 400,440 | 39,882 | 149, 112 |
| April | 298, 122 | 286,173 | 483,504 | 581,431 | - | 581,431 | 395,568 | 40,530 | 145,333 |
| May | 333,535 | 308,432 | 458,401 | 594,301 | - | 594, 301 | 404,080 | 41,208 | 149,013 |
| June | 336,862 | 337,118 | 458,657 | 604,156 | - | 604,156 | 408,896 | 41,557 | 153,703 |
| July | 324,283 | 297,459 | 431,833 | 622, 360 | - | 622,360 | 414,710 | 43,252 | 164,398 |
| August | 357,001 | 353,977 | 428,809 | 645,857 | - | 645,857 | 425,179 | 44,191 | 176,487 |
| September | 326,465 | 328,678 | 431,022 | 669,517 | - | 669,517 | 443,627 | 46,173 | 179,717 |
| October | 336,412 | 318,928 | 413,538 | 657,234 | - | 657,234 | 446,636 | 44,636 | 165,962 |
| November (3) | 319,894 | 311,013 | 404,657 | 670,117 | - | 670,117 | 456,579 | 44,547 | 168,991 |
| December (3) | 320,146 $3,872,900$ | 326,536 | 411,047 | 686,383 | - | 686,383 | 475,957 | 42,514 | 167,912 |
| 1957- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1 , page 1.
(2) The value of Inventory Held but Not Owned in this group is very amali, and coverage is not adequate to provide separate deta, Estimates for this type of inventory are included with Total Inventory Held; for all proctical purposes, this can be considered the equivalent of Inventory Owned as well.
(3) Preliminary.

Table 3 (COME'd) - ESTTMATED VATUE OF SHTPIENTS, ORDERS ARD INVENTORY M MANEACTURIMG INDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMLC USE CLASSLFICATION, by monchs ( (1)
(in chousand of dollars)
HISCEHLNTEOUS INBUSTRTES
(d2) - Motor Vehicles and Related Industries
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industries Included, see Page 42)

(1) See footnote 1 , page 1 .
(2) The value of Inventory Held but Not Omed for chis group is very mall, and coverage is not adequate to provide separate deca Etelmates for this type of inventory are included with Tocsl Inventory \&eld; for all practical purpoaes, this can be considered the equivalent of Inventory Owned arell.
(3) Prelimiasty.

Table 3 (Cont'd) - ESTIMATED VALUE OP SHIPMENTS, ORNERS AND IMVENTORY IM MANUPACTURENG INDUSTRLES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMIC USE CLASSIFICATION, by months. (1)
(in thousands of dollars)
MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIES
(d3) - Intermediate Goods and Supplies
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(Por industries included, see Page 42)


[^3]Table 3 (Conc ${ }^{1}$ d) - ESTDMATED VALUE OF SHIPMENTS, ORDERS ADD DYVATOMY MH MANFACTURING MDUSTRIES GROUPED ACCORDING TO AN ECCMCHIC USE CLASSIFICATION, by months, (1)
(1n thousands of dollars)
MISCELLANEOUS LNDOSTRIES
(d4) - Unclassifiable Industries
(For definitions, see Page 44)
(For industríes included, see Page 42)

| Dete |  | ORDER8 |  | INVENTOEX AT END OFMONT |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mev Order <br> leceived <br> Daxing <br> Month | Dafilled Orders at end of Monch | Owned | Reld bat not Onned | A11 In |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | TOTAL | Rav Materiale | Goods in Proceen | Finished Products |
| 1953. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery | 196,962 | 194,903 | 461,732 | 487,805 | 14,607 | 502,412 | 216,854 | 81,932 | 103,626 |
| Yebruexy | 193,068 | 196,879 | 465,543 | 495,829 | 15,298 | 511,127 | 216,658 | 84,671 | 209,798 |
| March | 212,803 | 211,271 | 464,011 | 503,824 | 15,864 | 519,688 | 215,462 | 89,885 | 214,341 |
| April | 213,242 | 205,118 | 455,887 | 528,381 | 16,524 | 544,905 | 222,194 | 102,230 | 220,481 |
| May | 221,334 | 210,566 | 445,119 | 532,790 | 17,028 | 549,818 | 228,994 | 100,110 | 220,314 |
| June | 227,386 | 207,944 | 425,677 | 538,779 | 17,542 | 556,321 | 236,071 | 98,927 | 221,323 |
| Jaly | 223,084 | 216,364 | 418,957 | 546,784 | 18,192 | 564,976 | 240,791 | 97,512 | 227,373 |
| Auguet | 223,221 | 227,340 | 423,076 | 556,314 | 18,750 | 575,064 | 244,570 | 100,635 | 229,859 |
| September | 243,871 | 245,900 | 425,105 | 554,636 | 19,414 | 574,050 | 247,714 | 98,503 | 227,833 |
| October | 233,478 | 236,857 | 428.484 | 552,507 | 20,016 | 572,525 | 244,629 | 101,421 | 226,475 |
| Noverber | 222,089 | 216,219 | 422.614 | 557,539 | 20,632 | 598,171 | 240,993 | 103,727 | 233,451 |
| December | 212,073 | 222,049 | 432,590 | 559,447 | 21,279 | 580,726 | 242,967 | 100,897 | 236,862 |
| 1954 - Totel 2,622,611 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuary | 213.951 | 209,677 | 426,728 | 567,873 | 22,223 | 590,096 | 241,466 | 106,872 | 241.758 |
| Pebruary | 218,524 | 215,314 | 422.498 | 561,989 | 22,937 | 584,926 | 233,037 | 105,017 | 246,872 |
| Merch | 234,624 | 227,282 | 414,665 | 558,706 | 23,600 | 582,306 | 232,556 | 106,489 | 243,261 |
| April | 227,546 | 235,906 | 422.737 | 566,634 | 24,218 | 590,852 | 235,797 | 109,655 | 245,400 |
| Mey | 238,005 | 225,413 | 409,654 | 579,648 | 24,789 | 604,437 | 241,203 | 111,384 | 251,850 |
| June | 248,526 | 246,847 | 407,890 | 582,944 | 25,404 | 608,348 | 237,351 | 112,660 | 258,337 |
| July | 237,483 | 235,893 | 406,338 | 579,438 | 26,060 | 605,498 | 236,417 | 112,387 | 256,694 |
| Aagunt | 247,628 | 244,251 | 402,957 | 574,953 | 26,675 | 601,628 | 234,096 | 112,285 | 255,24 ? |
| September | 256,763 | 270,437 | 417,400 | 562,228 | 27,291 | 589,519 | 231,831 | 108,318 | 249,370 |
| October | 248,538 | 245,203 | 415,280 | 558,141 | 27,906 | 586,047 | 226,081 | 111,505 | 248,461 |
| Noverber | 247,711 | 233,789 | 402,818 | 549,718 | 29,021 | 578,739 | 221,199 | 113,672 | 243,868 |
| Totel (2) 2,861,130 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jenuery | 232,100 | 231,743 | 376,695 | 548,557 | 29,629 | 578,186 | 227,395 | 111,809 | 238,982 |
| Pebruary | 233,966 | 258,021 | 400,750 | 554,077 | 29,129 | 583,206 | 233,691 | 110,941 | 238,574 |
| March | 257,098 | 262,760 | 406,412 | 559,724 | 28,629 | 588,353 | 240,329 | 107,017 | 241,007 |
| April | 240,584 | 240,312 | 406, 140 | 569,331 | 28,129 | 597,460 | 243,198 | 107,431 | 246,831 |
| May | 267,233 | 260,735 | 399,642 | 572,764 | 27,629 | 600,393 | 244,184 | 109,284 | 246,925 |
| June | 282,069 | 265, 45? | 383,030 | 578,484 | 27,129 | 605,613 | 242,877 | 110,977 | 251,759 |
| July | 258,084 | 266,887 | 391,833 | 585,829 | 26,629 | 612,458 | 247,369 | 111,134 | 253,955 |
| August | 288,998 | 296,024 | 398,859 | 582,354 | 26,129 | 608,483 | 241,963 | 112,749 | 253,771 |
| september | 293,764 | 291,031 | 396,126 | 578,676 | 25,980 | 604,656 | 239,063 | 108,396 | 257,197 |
| October | 279,610 | 282,947 | 399,463 | 583,889 | 25,299 | 609,188 | 245,363 | 106,382 | 257,443 |
| November | 286,602 | 288,184 | 401,045 | 581.517 | 23,800 | 605,317 | 242,986 | 104,152 | 258,179 |
| Decesber | $277,482$ | 281,302 | 404,865 | 577,694 | 25,974 | 603,668 | 238,575 | 105,560 | 259,533 |
| 1956- Totel 3,197,590 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sanuary | 269,872 | 291,375 | 426,750 | 598,444 | 27,096 | 625,540 | 245,230 | 106,513 | 273,797 |
| February | 268,873 | 267,508 | 425,385 | 616,398 | 27,608 | 644,006 | 255,845 | 109,551 | 278,510 |
| Merch | 286,134 | 296,247 | 435,498 | 625,278 | 28,367 | 653,645 | 265,022 | 110,360 | 278,263 |
| April | 276,549 | 260,666 | 419,615 | 636,282 | 29,062 | 665,344 | 264, 714 | 118,396 | 282,234 |
| Mey | 308,019 | 294,585 | 406,181 | 635.818 | 28,843 | 664,661 | 264,222 | 117,706 | 282,733 |
| June | 297,168 | 282,945 | 391,958 | 644,731 | 29,444 | 674,175 | 265, 142 | 120,551 | 288,482 |
| Joly | 288, 296 | 282,558 | 386,220 | 657,846 | 29,919 | 687,765 | 273,792 | 121,456 | 292,517 |
| Angust | 303,660 | 305,003 | 387.563 | 662,139 | 30,416 | 692,555 | 273,281 | 125,766 | 293,508 |
| Septemer | 305,431 321,635 | 303.709 318.159 | 385.841 | 662,400 | 31, 165 | 693,565 | 268,977 | 126,042 | 298,546 |
| October Novemer | 321,635 301,286 | 318,159 299,031 | 382,365 380,110 | 656,553 | 31,345 | 687,898 | 266,219 | 126,449 |  |
| Novesbes (3) | 301,286 281,786 | 299,031 272,293 | 380,110 370,617 | 658,179 653,642 | 31,324 | 689,501 | 263,868 | 126,779 | 298,854 |
| Total | 3, 508,709 | 272,293 | 370,617 | 653,642 | 32,543 | 685,185 | 261,833 | 123,484 | 300,868 |
| $1957=1$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mey |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Joly |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Movaraber Deceeber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See footnote 1 , page 1.
(2) Shipments velues in the Petroleum Producte industry for 1954 were affected by a change in methad of veluation for Census of Industry purposes. This chenge sccounted for sincrese of approximately $\$ 140$ million for the fear,
(3) Pralisinaxy.

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Im. | Yeb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. (3) | Dec. (3) | Jan. (3) |
| FOODS AND BEVERAGES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\frac{\text { Slaughtering and meat Packing (1) }}{\text { Shipments }}$ | 68,225 | 64,044 | 69,043 | 68,893 | 77,108 | 76,966 | 76,844 | 78,548 | 77,556 | 81,819 | 79,375 | 75,833 | 74,761 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 49,132 | 49,440 | 51,664 | 52,632 | 53,716 | 52,000 | 48,414 | 43,411 | 40,645 | 43,604 | 48,163 | 45,799 | 49,319 |
| Daity Producte (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 39,966 | 39,100 | 4s,642 | 45,123 | 52,583 | 55,947 | 57,733 | 58,113 | 54,555 | 56,691 | 50,968 | 45,678 | 46,676 |
| Total Inventory orned | 35,519 | 28,826 | 27,3,9 | 28,842 | 32,094 | 44,618 | 52,730 | 50,566 | 53,134 | 43,257 | 37,690 | 35,926 | 33,297 |
| Rab Materials | 13,255 | 12,830 | 12,792 | 13,095 | 12,967 | 14,143 | 15,100 | 14,839 | 15,195 | 13,825 | 13,719 | 13,535 | 13,952 |
| Producte | 22,264 | 15,996 | 14,547 | 15,347 | 19,127 | 30,475 | 37,630 | 35,727 | 37,939 | 29,432 | 23,971 | 22,391 | 19,345 |
| Pruit and Vegetable Preparations |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stippents | 19,908 | 21,658 | 18,620 | 19,564 | 21,435 | 20,462 | 20,508 | 20,460 | 23,493 | 30,088 | 24,908 | 19.270 | 20,217 |
| Total Inventory Ouned | 88,931 | 81,093 | 74,682 | 70,888 | 64,710 | 61,192 | 67,378 | 17,152 | 101,508 | 106,049 | 104:170 | 100,313 | 98,325 |
| Rew Materials and Goods in Process | 22,269 | 21,392 | 21,685 | 21,767 | 21,516 | 21,888 | 24,774 | 26,628 | 27.458 | 29,416 | 29,325 | 27,643 | 27,164 |
| Finished Products | 66,662 | 59,701 | 52,997 | 49,121 | 43,194 | 39,304 | 42,604 | 50,524 | 74,050 | 76,633 | 74,845 | 72,670 | 71,161 |
| Plour mills |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 15,802 | 17,188 | 18,592 | 16,852 | 18,504 | 18,959 | 18, 502 | 17,477 | 15,882 | 19,667 | 17,317 | 16,072 | 16,090 |
| New Orders | 15,585 | 25,243 | 18,736 | 13,697 | 17,227 | 18,509 | 16,907 | 20,615 | 18,593 | 15,851 | 24,528 | 18,164 | 12,543 |
| Unfilled Orders | 5,786 | 15,841 | 13,985 | 10,830 | 9,553 | 9,103 | 7,508 | 10,646 | 13,357 | 9,541 | 16,752 | 18,844 | 15,315 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 45,059 | 42,429 | 39,083 | 40,714 | 41,428 | 38,809 | 35,562 | 37,630 | 40,851 | 44,770 | 51,471 | 52,558 | 51,564 |
| Raw Materials | 33,306 | 30,848 | 27,715 | 28,786 | 29,392 | 27,639 | 25,241 | 27,444 | 29,857 | 34,065 | 39,390 | 42,043 | 40,886 |
| Biscuite and Crackers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 5,146 | 6,080 | 5,875 | 5,832 | 6,674 | 6,339 | 6,199 | 6,379 | 6,253 | 7,225 | 7,196 | 5,913 | 5,363 |
| Total Inventory Oraed | 8,227 | 8,676 |  |  |  |  | 7,836 | 7,972 | 8,594 | 9,025 | 9,059 | 8,639 | 9,382 |
| Rew Materials | 4,004 | 4,473 | 4,115 | 4,136 | 4,050 | 4,021 | 3,930 | 3,876 | 3,944 | 4,223 | 4,299 | 4,314 | 4,775 |
| Goods in Process | 265 | . 271 | - 270 | 4 286 | - 277 | , 260 | 264 | 302 | . 326 | 306 | 270 | 230 | 278 |
| Finished Products | 3,958 | 3,932 | 4,180 | 4,407 | 4,227 | 4,060 | 3,642 | 3,794 | 4,324 | 4,496 | 4,490 | 4,095 | 4,329 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shiperent |  | 12,750 | 14,825 | 15,278 | 18,319 | 21,569 | 21,129 | 21,450 | 16,350 | 16,818 | 15,513 | 19,013 | 11,973 |
| Total Inventory Orred | 28,857 | 30,939 | 30,990 | 14,000 | 35,706 | 34,534 | 34,988 | 32,830 | 31,577 | 29,912 | 32,175 | 25,438 | 26,387 |
| Raw Materiala | 12,573 | 12,923 | 12,406 | 12,411 | 12,848 | 12,329 | 12,572 | 11,779 | 11,495 | 11,326 | 12,040 | 11,232 | 11,683 |
| Goods in Procesa | 9,388 | 10,669 | 11,673 | 12,935 | 13,726 | 13,321 | 12,898 | 11,593 | 11,120 | 10,383 | 10,478 | 8,369 | 8,789 |
| Finlshed Products | 6,896 | 7,347 | 6,911 | 8,654 | 9,132 | 8,884 | 9,518 | 9,458 | 8,962 | 8,203 | 9,657 | 5,837 | 5,915 |
| Wines |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 861 | 931 | 901 | 1,114 | 1,097 | 1,034 | 864 | 1,078 | 1,588 | 1,382 | 1,546 | 1,566 | 1,034 |
| Totel Inventory Owned | 8,254 | 8,205 | 8,043 | 8.031 | 7,982 | 7,930 | 7,427 | 7,291 | 7,005 | 8,250 | 8,737 | 8,404 | 8,752 |
| Rew Mreeriels | 727 | 655 | 631 | 736 | 946 | 1,177 | 955 | 1,153 | 1.126 | 1,149 | 1,088 | 1,014 | 779 |
| Goods in Process | 6,877 | 6,923 | 6,707 | 6,597 | 6,380 | 6,113 | 5,868 | 5,531 | 5,299 | 6,441 | 6,846 | 6,694 | 7,279 |
| Finished Products | 660 | 627 | 705 | 698 | 656 | 640 | 604 | 607 | 580 | 660 | 803 | 696 | 694 |

(2) Lncludes Sausages ano Casings.
(3) Preliminary
(in chousands of dollare)

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1957 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. (2) | Dec. ${ }^{(2)}$ | Jen. (2) |
| ROODS AND BEVERAGES - Concl'd. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Confectionery |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 8,128 | 8,884 | 8,715 | 7,546 | 8,057 | 7,663 | 7,257 | 8,259 | 10,426 | 11.764 | 11,961 | 8,351 |  |
| Total Inventory Omed | 21,471 | 21,239 | 21,051 | 21,321 | 21,454 | 22,696 | 22,737 | 23,520 | 22,477 | 21.175 | 19,896 | 19,063 | 19,095 |
| R Ww Materials Goods in Proces: | 11,968 | 11,982 | 11,551 | 11,406 | 11,328 | 11,642 | 11,792 | 12,888 | 11,879 | 10,918 | 10,328 | 10,023 | 9,956 |
| Finished Products | 4,116 | 3,859 | 3,855 | 4,106 | 4,170 | 4,387 | 4,474 | 4,403 | 4,186 | 4,070 | 3,647 | 3,076 | 2,991 |
| Pinished Products | 5,387 | 5,398 | 5,645 | 5,809 | 5,956 | 6,667 | 6,471 | 6,229 | 6,412 | 6,187 | 5,921 | 5,964 | 6,148 |
| Sugar Refineries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 7,383 | 7,572 | 8,313 | 8,090 | 9,588 | 10,569 | 12,217 | 11,065 | 10,410 | 11,113 |  |  |  |
| Total Inventory Omed | 31,666 10,310 | 27,105 | 23,625 | 23,499 | 23,063 | 23,490 | 20,260 | 19,244 | 20,587 | 26;368 | 12,580 | 40,650 | 41,720 |
| Goods in Process | 10,360 | 7,018 297 | $\begin{array}{r}6,988 \\ \hline 277\end{array}$ | 7,834 281 | 7,571 | 9,047 | 10,064 | 9,332 | 10,815 | 12,723 | 17,892 | 18,141 | 19.223 |
| Pinished Products | 21,059 | 19.790 | 16,377 | 15,384 | 15,290 | 14,280 | 9,912 | 9,611 | 9,452 | 13,337 | 19,309 | 18,107 22,202 | $\begin{array}{r} 294 \\ 22,203 \end{array}$ |
| Macell aneous Foods (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 23,315 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 28,513 | 29,258 |  |  |
| Total Inventory Ounad | 55,426 | 54,011 | 53,556 | $54,177$ | 54,486 | 57,337 | 54,495 | 55,342 | 54,664 | 60,102 | 61,193 | - 61,735 | $62,423$ |
| RUBBER PRODUCTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rubber Footweas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 1,919 | 2,589 | 2,908 | 2,606 | 1,962 | 1,927 | 2,191 | 4,631 | 4,805 | 4,546 | 4,011 | 2,146 |  |
| Total Inventory Owned Rew Materials |  | 10,550 | 10,846 | 11,416 | 12,771 | 14,462 | 14,315 | 13,481 | 12,625 | 12,511 | 12,628 | 13,201 | 13,876 |
| Rew Materials <br> Goods in Procese | 2,598 | 2,349 745 | 2,380 762 | 2,318 | 2,201 | 2,099 | 2,127 | 2,025 | 2,136 | 2,229 834 | 2,262 | 2,330 816 | 1,306 $\mathbf{2 , 7 8 3}$ |
| Vinished Produces | 7,085 | 745 7,456 | 762 7,704 |  | 736 9,834 | 807 11,556 | 799 11,389 | 835 10,621 | 832 9,657 | 834 9,448 | 840 9,526 | 816 10,055 | $\begin{array}{r} 783 \\ 10,787 \end{array}$ |
| Tlires, Tubes and Other Rubber Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments <br> Total Inventory Onned |  |  |  | 28,917 | 32,004 | 30,709 | 28,163 | 24,915 | 25,671 | 29,412 | 24,786 | 22,868 |  |
| Total Inventory owned Raw Materinls | 72,701 19,906 | 75,824 | 77,744 | 76,327 | 72,925 | 70,549 | 68,459 | 68,483 | 70,715 | 72,806 | 72,999 | 76,809 | 76,823 |
| Ray Materinls <br> Goods in Process | 19,906 | 19,530 | 20,144 | 18,367 | 16,818 | 16,860 | 16,354 | 16,666 | 17,056 | 16,835 | 16,093 | 18,683 | 16,448 |
| Finished Producta | 8,087 | 8,110 | 8,121 | 8,143 | 8,171 | 8,176 | 7,760 | 8,345 | 8,553 | 8,452 | 8,557 | 8,487 | 8,560 |
|  | 44,708 | 48,184 | 49,479 | 49,817 | 47,936 | 45,513 | 44, 345 | 43,472 | 45,106 | 47,519 | 48,349 | 49,639 | 51,815 |
| Leather Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boots, and Shoes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Total Inventory Owned | 10,123 28,813 | 12,588 28,935 | $\begin{aligned} & 12,955 \\ & 28,572 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,261 \\ & 29,080 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,225 \\ & 28,737 \end{aligned}$ | $8,708$ | $8,117$ | 13,338 | 12,118 | 11,782 |  |  |  |
| Totsl unveatoty owned | 28,813 | 28,935 | 28,572 | $29,080$ | $28,737$ | 29,968 | $30,184$ | 28,082 | 27,409 | 28,797 | $28,891$ | 30,162 | $\begin{aligned} & 9,736 \\ & 30,490 \end{aligned}$ |

(1) Includes alce Mills, Starch and Glucose, Malt Products and Miscellaneous Food Preparations
(2) Preliminary


(1) Includes the followiag: Autombile Accesoories, Fabricn, Emboideries, Plearing, Hemstithing, etc.
(2) End Miecelleneous Tent1les, m.e.t.
(2) Iaciudes Men's Clothing Contractors.

(1) Includes Homen's Clothing Contractors.
(2) Preliminary

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1957 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jun. | Feb. | Mas. | Apr. | Mey | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Mov. (1) | Dec. (1) | Jan. (1) |
| Paptr products - Coac ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pulp and Paper Mills |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stippent: | 112,486 | 114,947 | 120,204 | 115,742 | 125,823 | 120,256 | 117,701 | 126,748 | 116,948 | 126,816 | 119,702 | 122,079 | 121,734 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 234,477 | 239,445 | 241,632 | 236,514 | 235,748 | 236,949 | 244,501 | 250,181 | 253,369 | 260,718 | 267,156 | 280,419 | 282,157 |
| Row Materials and Goods in Proces: | 208,536 | 211,845 | 207,950 | 203,012 | 202,141 | 202,797 | 207,517 | 211,423 | 217,246 | 224,308 | 228,871 | 244,416 | 240,936 |
| Finished Product | 25,941 | 27,600 | 33,682 | 33,502 | 33,607 | 34,152 | 36,984 | 38,758 | 36,123 | 36,410 | 38,285 | 36,003 | 41,221 |
| Roofting Paper |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 2,745 | 2,089 | 2,537 | 2,694 | 3,953 | 4,993 | 4,583 | 4,953 | 4,619 | 3,972 | 2,946 | 2,146 | 2,113 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 5,241 | 5,589 | 5,959 | 6,149 | 6,254 | 5.975 | 6,129 | 5,809 | 5,569 | 5,693 | 5,906 | 5,154 | 5,192 |
| IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Total Inventory owned | 8,019 79,675 | 11,749 82,518 | 11,349 85,027 | 14,004 85,586 | 12,256 82,073 | 11,709 78,630 | 15,240 70,248 | 11,614 64,690 | 7,575 60,500 | 7,390 60,011 | 3,412 61,458 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,492 \\ 62,180 \end{array}$ |  |
| Botlers and Plate Works |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 7,296 | 8,443 | 9,716 | 8,676 | 11,090 | 12,339 | 8,704 | 10,181 | 11,475 | 11,196 | 11,429 | 13,479 | 13,725 |
| New Orders | 5,368 | 13,836 | 14,090 | 8,694 | 12,379 | 15,248 | 9,059 | 17,741 | 13,545 | 10,640 | 12,756 | 19,275 | 13,273 |
| Unfilled Orders | 74,100 | 79,493 | 83,867 | 83,885 | 85,174 | 88,083 | 88,438 | 95,998 | 98,068 | 97,512 | 98,839 | 104.535 | 104, 183 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 21,836 | 24,013 | 25,794 | 26,320 | 30,048 | 28,702 | 28,030 | 26,831 | 26,263 | 27,327 | 26,681 | 29,344 | 29,253 |
| Total Inventory held | 30,849 | 34,072 | 37,257 | 38,216 | 41,851 | 41,213 | 40,858 | 40,813 | 41,049 | 42,212 | 42,028 | 42,718 | 42,644 |
| Pabricated and Structural Steel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 10,178 | 11,025 | 14,130 | 16,875 | 19,244 | 16,978 | 14,622 | 14,052 | 25,253 | 24,979 | 17,035 | 14,949 | 12,482 |
| Total Inventory Omed | 54,347 | 57,728 | 60,425 | 62,382 | 65,005 | 67,594 | 71,326 | 69,685 | 69,867 | 67,364 | 69,666 | 72,534 | 73,026 |
| Totel Inventory held | 90,380 | 96,481 | 102,589 | 109,182 | 115,829 | 121,821 | 126,104 | 123,533 | 124,510 | 110, 103 | 116,535 | 122,334 | 123,131 |
| Harduare, Tools and Cutlery |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 11,752 | 13,267 | 13,995 | 13,341 | 13,160 | 12,128 | 10,887 | 12,102 | 12,693 | 13,752 | 13,282 | 11,493 | 13,371 |
| Total Inventory Ovaed | 33,991 | 34,756 | 34,719 | 35,465 | 35,378 | 37,444 | 37,695 | 37,542 | 37,414 | 37,602 | 38,335 | 37,252 | 38,992 |
| law meterials | 11,899 | 12,209 | 12,408 | 12,470 | 13,264 | 13,696 | 13,898 | 13,709 | 13,638 | 13,547 | 13,427 | 13,776 | 13,585 |
|  | 8,829 | 12,984 | 8,866 | 8,811 | 8,991 | 8,786 | 8,790 | 9,027 | 8,924 | 8,962 | 9,171 | 9,161 | 9,273 |
| Finimhes Fruluets | 13,263 | 13,563 | 13,445 | 14,184 | 13,123 | 14,962 | 15,007 | 14,806 | 14,852 | 15,093 | 15,737 | 14,315 | 16,134 |

(1) Preliminary
M.A. - Mot Avillable.
(In thousands of dollart)

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jan. | Feb. | March | Apt. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | How. ${ }^{(3)}$ | Dec. (3) | Jsm. ${ }^{\text {(3) }}$ |
| IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS - Cont 'd. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Office, Household and Store Machinery |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Total Inventory amed | 9,076 37,368 | 9,388 38,234 | 10,162 39,698 | 10,161 39,987 | 9,681 40,811 | 10,346 41,488 | 4,062 | 8,486 42,290 | 41,027 | 11,555 | 43,464 | 10,780 | 43,952 |
| Raw Materials | 12,347 | 11,929 | 12,360 | 12,310 | 12,660 | 12,115 | 11,956 | 11,935 | 12,228 | 11,472 | 12,040 | 12,083 | 12,017 |
| Goods in Process | 9,805 | 10,918 | 11,363 | 11,593 | 11,551 | 12,418 | 13,775 | 13,486 | 12,217 | 14,267 | 14,169 | 14,221 | 14,426 |
| Fin1shed Products | 15,216 | 15,387 | 15,975 | 16,084 | 16,600 | 16,955 | 17,056 | 16,869 | 16,582 | 16,662 | 16,955 | 17,356 | 17,509 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Total Inventory Held (2) | 15,811 42,314 | 17,235 44,266 | 19,980 45,841 | 18,361 47,737 | 20,920 51,226 | 21,402 52,137 | 23,104 50,383 | 22,242 48,449 | 20,504 45,843 | 21,996 47,131 | 21,137 50,304 | $\begin{aligned} & 17,791 \\ & 52,942 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,643 \\ & 52,394 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipment: New Orders | 712 888 | 383 1,417 | 1,107 655 | 1,177 | 1,661 | 1,633 3,104 | 1,531 473 | 1,175 +299 | 1,077 1,093 | 1,231 | 1,634 2,759 | 1,293 1,899 | 983 1,122 |
| Unfliled Orders | 5,932 | 6,966 | 6,514 | 7,655 | 7,805 | 9,276 | 8,218 | 7,342 | 7.358 | 7,589 | 8,714 | 9,320 | 9,459 |
| Total Inventory held (2) | 4,113 | 4,210 | 4,074 | 4,258 | 4,424 | 4,735 | 4,455 | 4,861 | 4.833 | 5,269 | 4.714 | 4,112 | 4,383 |
| Rew Materisis | 1,024 | 1,001 | 1,002 | 1,102 | 1,061 | 1,441 | 1,021 | 1,231 | 1,061 | 1,074 | 1,144 | 1.173 | 1,185 |
| Goods in Process | 1,859 | 1,969 | 1,814 | 1,958 | 2,263 | 2,142 | 2,294 | 2,604 | 2,605 | 3,075 | 2,519 | 2,176 | 2,463 |
| Finished Products | 1,230 | 1,240 | 1,258 | 1,198 | 1,100 | 1,152 | 1,140 | 1,026 | 1,167 | 1,120 | 1,051 | 763 | 735 |
| Industrial Machinery |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shiprents | 20,356 | 23,077 | 30,241 | 31,286 | 31,580 | 33,083 | 27,007 | 27,281 | 29,101 | 33,133 | 32,840 | 31,759 | 31,324 |
| New Orders | 35,825 | 30,270 | 30,438 | 37,192 | 22,605 | 36,929 | 24,196 | 25,512 | 36,744 182,874 | 29,454 | 37,595 | 32,616 | 32,761 |
| Unfilled Orders | 171,644 | 178,837 | 179,034 | 184,940 | 175,965 | 179,811 | 177,000 | 175,231 | 182,874 | 179,195 | 183,950 | 184,807 | 186,244 |
| Total Inventory anned | 66,036 | 67,107 | 69,466 | 70,039 | 72,568 | 75,072 | 74,791 | 78,560 | $\begin{array}{r}78,592 \\ \hline 106,182\end{array}$ | 81,203 | 83,087 | 83,547 | 85,729 |
| Total Inventory held | 82,594 | 85, 011 | 88,693 | 91,775 | 96,154 | 99,281 | 99,976 | 103,908 | 106,182 33,595 | 110,881 | 114,634 | 113,757 | 115,425 |
| Raw Materials | 26,882 | 27,772 | 29,158 | 30,882 | 31,462 | 32,301 | 33,130 | 33,416 | 33,595 | 34,299 | 33,974 | 33,894 | 34,779 |
| Good in Process | 36,027 | 37,212 | 39,886 | 41,638 | 44,679 | 46,742 | 46,617 | 49,990 20, 502 | 51,517 21,070 | 54,749 | 57,609 | 55,678 | 55,852 |
| Pinlshed Products | 19,685 | 20,028 | 19,649 | 19,255 | 20,013 | 20,238 | 20,229 | 20,502 | 21,070 | 21,833 | 23,051 | 24,185 | 24,794 |
| Primary Iron and Steel (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 47,345 | 53,795 | 57,545 | 49,335 | 57,200 | 54,149 | 56,022 | 56,662 | 57,230 | 58,796 | 63,493 | 56,488 | 59,105 |
| New Orders | 47,115 | 58,200 | 50,129 | 45,464 | 57,474 | 39,073 | 31,505 | 74,076 | 50,280 | 56,629 | 80,965 | 53,694 | 69,526 |
| Unfilled Orders | 156,803 | 161,208 | 153,792 | 149,921 | 150,195 | 135,119 | 130,602 | 148,016 | 141,066 | 138,899 | 156, 371 | 153,577 | 163,998 |
| Total lnventory orned | 100,039 | 94,712 | 88,321 | 88,171 | 92,450 | 102, 764 | 107,124 | 118,727 | 119,279 | 131,940 | 130,221 | 136,562 | 126,201 |
| Raw Materials | 48,065 | 44,902 | 40,382 | 34,309 | 38,695 | 47,757 | 51,844 | 61,656 | 62,876 | 72,175 | 71,846 | 74,818 | 64,002 |
| Goods in Process | 28,575 | 28,064 | 26,785 | 28,701 | 31,415 | 31,280 | 33,116 | 33,287 | 33,718 | 35,621 | 31, 121 | 34,477 | 34,022 |
| Finished Products | 23,399 | 21,746 | 21,154 | 25,161 | 22,340 | 23,727 | 22.164 | 23,784 | 22,685 | 24, 144 | 27,254 | 27,267 | 28,177 |
| Sheet Metal Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 16,076 | 18,503 | 22,207 | 18,683 | 22,759 | 24,252 | 25.239 | 29,026 | 30,122 | 27,353 | 22,883 | 20,681 | 18,934 |
| New Orders | 30,928 | 19,352 | 22,756 | 17,693 | 22,377 | 24,429 | 23,575 | 32,979 | 25,583 | 23,616 | 22,911 | 17,504 | 20,320 |
| Unfilled Orders | 47,249 | 48,098 | 48,647 | 47,657 | 47,275 | 47,452 | 45,788 | 49,741 | 45,202 | 41,465 | 41,493 | 38,316 | 39,702 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 60,251 | 71,045 | 76,900 | 79,888 | 80,287 | 83,656 | 81,144 | 80,907 | 75,369 | 70,295 | 68,005 | 66,192 | 66,640 |

(1) Includes Pig Iron, Steel Ingot andesstings, Rolled Iron and Steel Products and perro-Alioys.
(2) The value of Inventory held but not owned in inis industry is very small, and sample coverage is not adequate to provide separate data.

Estimates for this type of inventory are included with Total Inventory Held; for all practical purposes this can be considered the equivalent of Inventory owned as well.
(3) Prelíminary

| Industry | 19561957 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jen. | Peb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aus. | Sept. | Oce. | Nov. (1) | Dec. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Jen. ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| IRON AND STESL PRODUCTS - Concl'd. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hive and Hire Goods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 11,838 | 12,687 | 13,449 | 13,797 | 14,023 | 13,098 | 12,614 | 12,239 | 12,338 | 13,096 | 12,684 | 9,436 | 11,617 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 28,147 | 27,792 | 28,530 | 29,215 | 30,532 | 31,896 | 31,315 | 31,660 | 32,039 | 33,261 | 34,726 | 37,483 | 37,970 |
| Rew Materials | 13,818 | 13,852 | 14,102 | 15,139 | 15,872 | 16,715 | 17,548 | 17,583 | 17,420 | 17,924 | 18,476 | 19,395 | 19,343 |
| coods in Process | 2,663 | 2,603 | 2,747 | 2,678 | 2,846 | 2.814 | 2,554 | 2,810 | 2,844 | 2,921 | 2,879 | 3,107 | 3,186 |
| Finished Products | 11,666 | 11,337 | 11,681 | 11,398 | 11,814 | 12,367 | 11,213 | 11,26? | 11,775 | 12,416 | 13,371 | 14,981 | 15,441 |
| Miecellaneous Iron and Steel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 11,396 | 9,944 | 10,930 | 11,003 | 11,968 | 11,532 | 10,775 | 10,624 | 12,091 | 13,619 | 13,156 | 13,358 | 14,293 |
| New Orders | 11,823 | 13,301 | 12,604 | 10,832 | 10,623 | 11,160 | 12,619 | 11,961 | 16,409 | 15,244 | 11,083 | 18,179 | 13,643 |
| Unfilled Orders | 38,678 | 42,035 | 48,709 | 48,538 | 47,593 | 47,221 | 49,065 | 50,402 | 54,720 | 56,345 | 54,272 | 59,093 | 58,443 |
| Total Inventory owned | 23,362 | 24,620 | 26,357 | 26,796 | 27,478 | 27,887 | 28,495 | 28,473 | 29,543 | 29.057 | 30,282 | 31,058 | 30,934 |
| Total Inventory held | 41,452 | 42,980 | 45,455 | 46,568 | 47,794 | 48,676 | 49.651 | 49,981 | 51,473 | 51,389 | 52,970 | 55,203 | 55,079 |
| Rew Materiala | 12,500 | 13,477 | 14,249 | 14,152 | 14,310 | 14,352 | 15,033 | 14,951 | 15,642 | 15,787 30,179 | 16,649 30,801 | 16,895 32,398 | 16,637 |
| Goods in Process | 24,350 | 24,562 | 25,600 | 26,470 | 27,317 | 27,958 | 28,487 | 29,146 | 29,967 | 30,179 | 30,801 | 32,398 | 32,412 |
| Findshed Product | 4,602 | 4,941 | 5,606 | 5,946 | 6,167 | 6,366 | 6,131 | 5,884 | 5,864 | 5,423 | 5,520 | 5,910 | 6,030 |
| TRANSPORTATION EQULPMENT |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mocor Vehicles |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 54,755 | 61,347 | 98,444 | 126,071 | 119,823 | 111,554 | 96,371 | 55,741 | 30,115 | 60,961 | 93,677 | 102,763 | 102,192 |
| Total Inventory ouned | 98,115 | 119,252 | 125,772 | 115,223 | 117, 743 | 111,655 | 101,843 | 85,359 | 95,150 | 119,652 | 122,499 | 115,991 | 117,253 |
| Raw Materials | 13,804 | 14,259 | 14,690 | 15,027 | 14,603 | 13,382 | 13,287 | 12,188 | 12,684 | 13,138 | 14,577 | 13,695 | 13,603 |
| coods in Process | 55,311 | 67,895 | 73,430 | 60,159 | 63,350 | 57,820 | 43,170 | 41,297 | 52,422 | 67,284 | 63,499 | 65,573 | 66,275 |
| Finished Producte | 29,000 | 37,098 | 37,652 | 40,037 | 39,790 | 40,453 | 45,386 | 31,874 | 30,044 | 39,230 | 44,423 | 36,723 | 37,375 |
| Motor Vehicle Parts |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipwent | 17,043 |  | 29,992 | 33,861 | 33,558 | 30,675 | 25,193 | 14,741 | 17,548 | 27,031 | 29,692 | 26,747 | 28,928 |
| New Orders | 18,858 | 38,501 | 26,389 | 33,067 | 14,945 | 18,438 | 27,680 | 27,059 | 30,690 | 30,226 | 26,375 | 27,954 | 32,697 |
| Uafilled Orders | 67,944 | 87,218 | 83,615 | 82,821 | 64,208 | 51,971 | 54,458 | 66,776 | 79,918 | 83,123 | 79,796 | 81,003 | 84,772 |
| Totel Inventory Owned | 53,518 | 56,029 | 57,086 | 55,132 | 53,222 | 50,797 | 47,021 | 47,439 | 51,628 | 54,865 | 55,483 | 58,490 | 59,246 |
| Rew Materials Goods in process | 32,239 | 33,106 | 32,602 | 31,626 | 30,392 | 28,655 | 27,093 | 28,610 9,792 | 30,075 11,380 | 31,254 | 29,439 | 31,084 | 31,387 |
| Goods in process Pinithed Product | 11,438 | 12,468 | 13,506 | 13,100 | 12,258 | 11,016 | 10,047 9,881 | 9,792 9,037 | 11,380 10,173 | 12,884 | 14,699 | 15,613 | $15,695$ |
|  | 9,841 | 20,455 | 10,978 | 10,406 | 10,572 | 11,126 | 9,881 | 9,037 | 10,173 | 10,727 | 11,345 | 11,793 | 12,164 |
| Railzosd and Rolling Stock Equipment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stipmenta | 24,210 | 20.267 |  |  |  |  | 28,138 | 27.352 | 30,044 | 30,814 | 28,168 | 33,773 |  |
| New Orders | 29,260 | 40,344 | 54,881 | 11,575 | 33,475 | 19,475 | 60,180 | 21,118 | 35,295 | 30,843 | 30,587 | 36,122 | $24,556$ |
| Tofilled Orders | 132,476 | \% 52,553 | 186,787 | 175,206 | 174,330 | 161,880 | 193,922 62,445 | 187,688 62,060 | 192,939 62,233 | 192,968 64,445 | 195,387 69,176 | 197,736 71,037 | 288,380 70,985 |
| Total Inventory Held | 49,266 | 52,643 54,181 | 57,654 58,720 | 63,921 64,123 | 60,657 60,938 | 59,494 59,775 | 62,445 62,726 | 62,060 62,341 | 62,233 62,514 | 64,445 64,768 | 69,176 70,418 | 71,037 71,037 | 70,985 70,985 |
| Raw Materials | 51,260 35,207 | 54,181 38,830 | 58,720 41,818 | 64,123 45,717 | 60,938 44,124 | 59,775 43,481 | 62,726 47,319 | 62,341 46,510 | 62,514 46,458 | 64,768 48,395 | 51,002 | 50,318 | 49,671 |
| Products | 16,053 | 15,351 | 16,902 | 18,406 | 16,814 | 16,294 | 15,407 | 15,831 | 16,056 | 16,373 | 19,416 | 20,719 | 21,314 |

(1) Preliminery

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1957 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Dec. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Jen, ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |
| NON-FERROUS METAL PRODUCTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Brass and Copper Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 21,587 | 21,564 | 24,570 | 24,678 | 24,960 | 21,847 | 16,611 | 18,158 | 19,229 |  | 18,265 | 13,800 | 16,071 |
| New Orders Unfilled Orders | 15,576 | 17,847 | 30,460 | 22,142 | 19,161 | 14,932 | 14,002 | 18,152 | 14,126 | 17.022 | 17.658 | 10,355 | 15,321 |
| Unfilled Orders Total Inventory orned | 55,019 27,378 | 51,302 28,547 | 57,192 | 54,656 | 48,857 | 41,942 | 39,333 | 39,327 | 34,224 | 32,524 | 31,917 | 28,472 | 27,722 |
| Total Inventory orned |  | 28,547 | 29,742 |  | 30,882 | 31,995 |  |  | 30,226 | 30,984 | 29,402 | 29,782 | 29,213 |
| Jewellery and Silverware |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Total Inventory Ouned | 3,736 | 4,176 | 4,714 | 4,135 | 4,023 | 4,716 | 2,909 | 4,340 | 4,858 | 5,137 | 5,027 | 3,934 |  |
| Total Inventory Owned | 16,097 | 16,164 | 16,634 | 16,362 | 16,476 | 16,129 | 16,419 | 15,963 | 15,386 | 15,068 | 14,828 | 15,001 | 15,272 |
| Non-Ferrous Metal Smelting and |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Inventory Owned Raw Materisis | 146,498 | 149,393 | 152,028 | 153,961 | 159,700 | 166,040 | 174,228 | 175,919 | 182,367 | 183,361 | 179,262 | 179,232 | N.A. W.A. |
| Goods in Process | 106,988 21,390 | +10,228 | 128,562 22,718 | 109,138 22,299 | 114,229 22,038 | 119,089 21,262 | 123,543 21,585 | 125,952 22,279 | 132,048 | 133,573 | 130,796 | 130,339 | N,A. |
| Finished Products |  | 19,252 | 21,748 | 22,59 22,524 | 22,433 | 21,262 25,689 | 21,585 29,100 | 22,279 27,688 | 23,121 27,198 | 22,898 26,890 | 23,201 25,265 | $\begin{aligned} & 22,044 \\ & 26,749 \end{aligned}$ | W.A. |
| ELECTRICAL APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Betterles |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipment | 3,132 | 2,625 |  |  |  | 3,044 | 2,725 | 3,674 | 4,264 | 4,677 |  |  |  |
| New Orders Unfilled Orders | 3,199 | 2,507 | 2,585 | 3,603 | 3,294 | 3,035 | 2,374 | 4,291 | 3,901 | 4,531 | 3,653 | 3,521 | 4,035 |
| Unfilled Orders Total Inventory Owned | 3,074 | 2,956 | 2,540 | 3,166 | 3,235 | 3,226 | 2,875 | 3,492 | 3,129 | 2,983 | 2,846 | 3,077 | 2,756 |
| Total Inventory Owned Raw Materials | 8,792 | 9,570 | 9,773 | 9,732 | 9,813 | 9,840 | 9,153 | 8,608 | 9,244 | 8,366 | 8,154 | 8,255 | 8,222 |
| Raw Materials Goods in Process | 3,195 2,618 | 3,448 | 3,411 | 3,428 | 3,471 | 3,291 | 3,628 | 3,172 | 3,215 | 3,216 | 3,176 | 3,385 | 3,471 |
| Finished Products | 2,618 2,979 | 2,680 3,442 | 2,756 | 2,873 | 2,786 | 2,858 | 2,761 | 2,629 | 2,676 | 2,488 | 2,463 | 2,586 | 2,640 |
| Finished Products | 2,979 | 3,442 | 3,606 | 3,431 | 3,556 | 3,691 | 2,764 | 2,807 | 3,353 | 2,662 | 2,515 | 2,284 | 2,111 |
| Heavy Electrical Machinery and |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipmeats |  | 16,797 |  |  |  | 20,919 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Orders Unfilled Orders | 7,980 | 17,189 | 17,242 | 29,145 | 23,089 | 29,884 | 22,530 | 16,381 | 20,481 | 22,169 9,495 | 24,151 18,516 |  |  |
| Unfilled Orders Total Inventory anmed | 129,229 | 129,621 | 124,997 | 134,606 | 137,971 | 146,936 | 151,911 | 150,036 | 148,942 | 9,495 136,268 | 18,516 130,633 | 23,986 130,051 | $\begin{array}{r} 23,510 \\ 129,993 \end{array}$ |
| Total Total Inventory Onmed Inventory Held | 60,630 | 61,452 | 61,635 | 64,267 | 64,812 | 67,408 | 68,971 | 67,948 | 67,138 | 136,268 67,588 | 130,633 67,662 | 130,051 68,123 |  |
| Total Inventory held Raw Materials | 115,621 | 120,356 | 123,988 | 129,554 | 133,872 | 138,095 | 141,780 | 143,154 | 144,854 | 147,211 | 67,662 149.287 | 68,123 149,918 | $\begin{array}{r} 88,148 \\ 150,071 \end{array}$ |
| Raw Materials Goods in Process | 21,144 | 22,127 | 22,895 | 24,977 | 26,356 | 27,195 | 28,233 | 29,016 | 28,730 | 29,553 | 149,687 | 29,949 |  |
| Goods in Process | 69,416 | 71,865 | 74,509 | 77,602 | 79,893 | 82,456 | 85,610 | 87,400 | 88,906 | 90,846 | 91,337 | 91,495 | 29,914 91,714 |
| Finished Products | 25,061 | 26,364 | 26,584 | 26,975 | 27,623 | 28,444 | 27,937 | 26,738 | 27,218 | 26,812 | 28,273 | 28,474 | 28,443 |

(1) Preliminary
N.A. - Not Aveilable.

TASLE 4. - ESTMATRD VALUE OE SHIPRENTS, ORDERS, AND INVENTORLES DH SELECTED INDIVIDUAL EMDUSTRIES
(in thousands of dollars)

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jan. | Feb. | Max. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Dec. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Jan. ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| ELECTRICAL APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES Concl'd. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Orders | 22,545 | 16,859 | 11,953 | 4,459 | 13,048 | 12,099 | 10,231 | 7,933 | 28,523 | 21,963 | 19,361 | 22,074 | 17,174 |
| Unfliled Orders | 79,089 | 79,799 | 77,603 | 69,851 | 71, 267 | 69,765 | 65,706 | 57,902 | 61,564 | 60,488 | 58,960 | 62,077 | 62,010 |
| Total Inventory Ouned | 61,721 | 63,589 | 70,315 | 69,614 | 71,687 | 72,969 | 70,665 | 72,016 | 66,253 | 64,260 | 65,799 | 65,355 | 64,554 |
| Total Inventory held | 92,679 | 95,889 | 100,772 | 95,822 | 101,682 | 104,758 | 85,698 | 86,926 | 78,567 | 78,559 | 80,165 | 79,223 | 79,270 |
| Raw Materimis | 15,804 | 16,111 | 16,166 | 16,967 | 17,976 | 18,126 | 17,270 | 19,516 | 19,011 23,520 | 19,132 23,358 | 18,100 24,350 | 17.878 25,346 | 17,571 25,356 |
| Goods in Process | 47,609 29,266 | 48,884 30,894 | 48,495 36,111 | 41,372 37,483 | 42,954 40,752 | 43,260 43,372 | 25,002 43,426 | 24,349 43,061 | 23,520 36,036 | 23,358 36,069 | 24,350 37,715 |  | 25,356 36,343 |
| Refrigerators, Vacuum Cleaners and |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 8,287 10,618 | 11,403 12,007 | 14,490 11,453 | 14,825 13,891 | 15,328 15,478 | 16,899 18,065 | 13,607 13,167 | 9,960 9,755 | 12,542 12,555 | 11,144 10,954 | 10,307 10,203 | 10,194 10,186 | 10,876 11,103 |
| Unfilled Orders | 7,356 | 7,960 | 4,923 | 3,989 | 4,139 | 5,305 | 4,865 | 4,660 | 4,673 | 4,483 | 4,379 | 4,371 | 4,598 |
| Total liventory Omed | 34,799 | 37,534 | 35,177 | 41,550 | 42,423 | 43,404 | 42,541 | 42,488 | 41,085 | 40,818 | 43,346 | 44,916 | 45,482 |
| Raw Materials | 8,298 | 9,722 | 8,913 | 9,455 | 10,861 | 10,250 | 10,474 | 10,320 | 9,962 | 8,873 | 9,044 | 9,236 | 10,115 |
| Goods in Process | 9,052 | 9,014 | 7,713 | 10,274 | 9,269 | 8,873 | 8,363 | 9,179 | 9,298 | 9,446 | 9,360 | 9,507 | 9,603 |
| Finishen Products | 17,449 | 18,798 | 19,151 | 21,821 | 22,293 | 24,281 | 23,704 | 22,989 | 21,825 | 22,499 | 24,942 | 26,173 | 25,764 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipmente New Orders | 12,991 17,805 | 15,200 15,510 | 16,683 20,465 | 16,530 19,936 | 15,855 20,263 | 17,323 16,764 | 12,882 14,243 | 14,858 21,153 | 17,531 7,962 | 17,659 15,933 | 19.128 23.841 | 17,538 17,750 | 17,474 17,064 |
| Unfilled Ordere | 17,8080 | 76,390 | 80,172 | 83,578 | 87,986 | 87,427 | 88,788 | 95,083 | 85,514 | 83,788 | 88,501 | 88,693 | 88,283 |
| Totel 1 nventory Ormed | 57,500 | 58,693 | 63,461 | 64,457 | 66,417 | 72,362 | 69,337 | 69,652 | 70,637 | 69,989 | 71,112 | 71,015 | 70,921 |
| Total Inventory Held | 58,299 | 60,438 | 64,525 | 65,497 | 67,394 | 73,342 | 70,406 | 71,338 | 72,473 | 72,288 | 73,803 | 72,839 | 72,745 |
| Rew Materials | 13,582 | 14,516 | 15,124 | 16,091 | 16,951 | 17,270 | 17,867 | 17,862 | 17,076 | 16,683 | 17,019 | 16,959 | 16,636 |
| coode in Procens | 20,345 | 20,879 | 21,659 | 22,677 | 23,262 | 26,742 | 24,592 | 25,415 28,061 | 25,581 29,816 | 26,998 | 27,489 | 27,096 | 27,352 |
| Finiehed Product | 24,372 | 25,043 | 27,742 | 26,729 | 27,181 | 29,330 | 27,947 | 28,061 | 29,816 | 28,607 | 29,295 | 28,784 | 28,757 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Orders | 21, 728 | 21,046 | 18,274 | 15,635 | 16,424 | 17,698 | 11,737 | 13,474 | 14,233 | 17,748 | 14,055 | 14,182 | 14,012 |
| Uaftlled Orders | 36,407 | 41,303 35,783 | 41,500 | 39,719 | 39,250 | 38,191 | 37,456 | 36,055 | 34,489 | 36,016 | 34,384 | 34,301 | 34,296 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 34,739 | 35,783 | $\begin{array}{r}37,383 \\ \hline 9647\end{array}$ | 39,808 | 4, 522 | 44,010 | 43,788 | 42,831 12,010 | 44,034 12,592 | 42,572 | 41,972 | 42,719 | 42,795 |
| Rev Materials | 9,346 | 9,133 | 9,647 | 10,706 | 12,191 | 12,565 | 13,343 | 12,010 | 12,592 | 12,584 | 12,474 | 12, 360 | 12,370 |
| Goods in Procese | 10,499 | 10,962 15,688 | 10,299 | 11,052 | 12,027 | 11,520 | 10,697 19,748 | 10,870 | 10,980 20,462 | 10,546 | 10,255 | 10,298 | 10,225 |
| Finished Products | 14,894 | 15,688 | 17,437 | 18,050 | 20,304 | 19,925 | 19,748 | 19,951 | 20,462 | 19,442 | 19,243 | 20,061 | 20,200 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Artificlal Abratives and Abrasive |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hew Orders | 3,515 | 4,516 | 3,591 | 3,950 | 3,623 | 3,955 | 2,719 | 3,597 | 3,387 | 4,951 | 5,320 | 3,746 | 4,435 |
| Onfilled Ordere | 3,210 | 4,169 | 3,754 | 3,815 | 3,574 | 3,628 | 3,406 | 3,756 | 3.511 | 4,528 | 4,887 | 4,255 | 4,584 |
| Total Inventory Owned | 7,797 | 7,985 | 8,456 | 8,439 | 8,424 | 8,477 | 9,069 | 9,135 | 9,769 | 9,525 | 8,976 | 8,870 6,252 | 8,114 5,443 |
| Raw materials and Goods in Procese | 5,321 | 5,476 | 5,742 | 5,852 2,587 | 5,755 3,669 | 3,546 2,931 | 6,033 3,036 | 6,371 2,764 | 7,070 2,699 | 6,751 2,774 | 6,449 | 6,252 2,618 | 5,443 2,671 |
| Fintshed Products | 2,476 | 2,509 | 2,714 | 2,587 | 2,669 | 2,931 | 3,036 | 2,764 | 2,699 | 2,774 | 2,527 | 2,618 | 2,671 |

(1) Prelisidiary

| Industry | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1957 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Hov. (2) | Dec. (2) | Jan. (2) |
| NON-METALIIC MLIERAL PRODUCTS - Concled. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Asbeatos Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipoents |  | 2,085 | 2,551 | 2,695 | 3,225 | 3,716 | 3,402 | 3,243 | 3,117 | 3,567 | 2,845 | 2,146 | 2,209 |
| Totel Inventory owaed | 6,381 | 6,885 | 7,433 | 7,740 | 7,773 | 7,595 | 7,387 | 7,218 | 7,427 | 7,388 | 7,006 | 7,036 | 7,325 |
| Cement and Concrete Products (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 9,440 | 10,157 | 14,015 | 17,817 | 24,734 | 24,474 | 23,374 | 23,740 | 19,949 | 23,803 | 16,783 | 9,668 |  |
| Total Iaventory Owned | 22,987 | 24,552 | 24,741 | 24,276 | 22,009 | 20,517 | 20,632 | 21,403 | 19,279 | 18,744 | 21,016 | 23,990 | 28,055 |
| Raw Materials and Goods ta Process Pinished Products | 14,311 | 14,122 | 13,550 | 13,129 | 12,66? | 12,871 | 14,672 | 16,766 | 15,056 | 15,170 | 16,662 | 16,494 | 16,389 |
| Finished Products |  | 10,430 | 11,191 | 11,147 | 9,342 | 7.646 |  |  |  |  | 4,354 | 7,496 | 11,666 |
| PRODUCTS OP PETROLSUS AND COAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Petroleum Refining and Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Totel Inventory owned | 92,554 227,084 |  |  |  |  |  | 94,561 | 97,979 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Totel Inventory Owned | 227,084 46,842 | 227,548 | 219,947 | 224,289 | 220,818 | 226,921 | 241,308 | 248,851 | 257,176 | 259,825 | 263,308 | 258,886 | $252,123$ |
| Goods in Process | 46,842 17,041 | 47,219 17,447 | 45,402 16,980 | 45,715 | 47,485 | 50,420 | 55, 390 | 57,343 | 56,340 | 57,154 | 56,244 | 55,697 | 55,497 |
|  | 163,201 | 162,882 | 157,565 | 158,790 | 155,924 | 159,916 | 168,630 | 173,307 | 182,479 | 184,380 | 186,962 | 186,099 | 179,889 |
| CHMOLCAL PRODOCTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Acide, Alkelis and Selte |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shippent: <br> Total Inventory Oned | 13,269 | 14,290 | 14.164 | 15,741 | 17,904 | 15,660 | 13,850 | 17,211 | 17,677 | 16,739 | 15,441 |  |  |
| Total Inventory owned | 27,349 | 27,902 | 28,868 | 29,934 | 30,055 | 31,489 | 32,740 | 32,286 | 31,792 | 32,603 | 33,637 | 34,798 | 35,424 |
| Pertilizers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments Total Iaventory amed | 7,553 | 8,918 | 8,519 | 11,159 | 11.723 | 6,228 | 3,236 | 4,975 | 5,156 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Iaventory Omed | 16,955 | 15,669 | 15,688 | 13,735 | 11,120 | 10,869 | 11,905 | 13,370 | 13,456 | $15,904$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,690 \\ 17,041 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,807 \\ 17,631 \end{array}$ | 17,523 |
| Medicimal and Pharanceutical Preparations |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Inventory Owned | 9,174 28,632 | 8,775 29,514 | 9,531 29,773 | 9,504 30,555 | 9,523 30,813 | 8,772 31,095 | 8,258 31,161 | 10,358 30,301 | 11,266 29,385 | 12,093 28,870 | 10,394 29,351 | 8,899 29,581 | 10,244 29,855 |
| Raw Materisis Good in Process | 9,896 | 9,973 | 29,916 | 10,159 | 10,233 | 10,240 | 10,517 | 10,760 | 10,468 | 10,048 | 10,658 | 9,978 | 2,990 |
| Finlshed Products | 7,388 | 7,286 | 7,372 | 7,454 | 7,456 | 7,530 | 7,487 | 6,274 | 6,546 | 6,718 | 7,085 | 7,390 | 7,069 |
| Pralaned Product | 11,348 | 12,255 | 12,485 | 12,942 | 13,124 | 13,325 | 13,157 | 13,267 | 12,371 | 12,104 | 11,608 | 12,213 | 12,796 |
| Paints sad Varalshen |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 8,858 | 8,576 | 10,252 | 12,353 | 13,719 |  |  |  | 9,328 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Inventory Omed | 28,424 | 29,943 | 30,785 | 29,842 | 29,443 | 28,535 | 28,028 | 26,980 | 26,886 | 10,147 | 28,381 | 6,709 27,526 | 27,822 |
| Raw Materisls | 10,524 | 10,768 | 11,006 | 10,645 | 10,447 | 10,563 | 10,674 | 10,264 | 10,029 | 9,786 | 10,231 | 27,526 9,758 | 10,018 |
|  | 1,704 | 1,754 | 1,770 | 1,799 | 1,836 | 1,715 | 1,792 | 1,768 | 1,729 | 1,623 | 1,554 | 1,249 | 1,270 |
| Finlshed Product: | 16,196 | 17,421 | 18,009 | 17,398 | 17,160 | 16,257 | 15,562 | 14,948 | 15,128 | 15,596 | 16,345 | 16,519 | 15,818 |

[^4](in thousands of dollers)

| Industry |  | 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1957 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jen. | Peb. | Mar. | Apr | May | June | July | Aug. | sept. | Oct. | Nov. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Dec. ${ }^{(1)}$ | Jen. ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| CHEMICAL PRODUCTS - Conclid. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Soaps, weshing and Cleaning Conpounds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipment: | 8,566 | 8,717 | 8,058 | 8,953 | 9,842 | 9,820 | 8,755 | 9,023 | 9,744 | 9,992 | 9,163 | 8,363 | 9,285 |
| Total Inventory Owad | 17,332 | 17.019 | 16,693 | 16,769 | 17,346 | 18,377 | 17,183 | 16,902 | 16,764 | 16,880 | 17,928 | 19,786 | 19,530 |
| Raw materials | 6,692 | 6,776 | 6,297 | 5,851 | 6,231 | 6,598 | 6,772 | 7,198 | 6,440 | 6,166 | 6,869 | 8,255 | 8,310 |
| Good in Procese | 1,474 | 1.482 | 1,462 | 1,489 | 1,375 | 1,552 | 1,504 | 1,451 | 1,373 | 1,429 | 1.359 | 1,303 | 1,347 |
| Finished Product | 9,166 | 8,761 | 8,934 | 9,429 | 9,740 | 10,227 | 8,907 | 8,253 | B,951 | 9,285 | 9,700 | 10,228 | 9,873 |
| Toslet Preparations |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 2,209 | 2,673 | 3,107 | 3,380 | 3,518 | 3,192 | 2,912 | 2,979 | 3,533 | 4,301 | 4,188 | 3,412 | 3,727 |
| Totel Inventory Omed | 8,695 | 8,854 | 8,944 | 8,776 | 8,702 | 9,061 | 9,381 | 10,015 | 9,997 | 9,413 | 9,047 | 9,219 | 9,094 |
| Rom Materisis and Goods in Process | 5,479 | 5,499 | 5,666 | 5,589 | 5,225 | 5,444 | 5,868 | 6,258 | 6,155 | 5,808 | 5,725 | 5,869 | 5,792 |
| Finished Products | 3,216 | 3,355 | 3,278 | 3,187 | 3,477 | 3,617 | 3,513 | 3,757 | 3,842 | 3,605 | 3,322 | 3,350 | 3,302 |
| Primary Plastics |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipmenta | 6,335 | 6,858 | 7,285 | 7,188 | 8,509 | 6,942 | 6,310 | 7,591 | 7,584 | 6,984 | 7,145 | 6,366 | 6,625 |
| Total Inventary ouned | 11,625 | 12,196 | 12,368 | 12,002 | 11,864 | 11,791 | 12,035 | 11,957 | 11,996 | 11,933 | 12,757 | 13,156 | 12,830 |
| Adhesives |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 820 |  |  |  | 817 | 839 | 701 | 734 | 797 | 890 | 821 | 709 | 825 |
| Totel Inventory Owned | 2,094 | 1,953 | 1,966 | 1,932 | 2,047 | 2,093 | 2.054 | 2,023 | 2.027 | 2,095 | 2,075 | 2.121 | 2,092 |
| Raw Materials and Goods in Proces: | 948 | -859 |  |  | 1,007 | 1,090 | 1,108 | 1,095 | 1,107 | 1,202 | 1,119 | 1,158 | 1,079 |
| Finished Products | 1,146 | 1,0\%4 | 1,070 | 1,024 | 1,040 | 1,003 | 1,1946 | +928 | +920 | -893 | -956 | +965 | 1,013 |
| MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTUETNG TNDUSTEIES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Broons, Brushes and Mops |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments |  |  |  | 1,565 | 1,677 | 1,588 | 1,213 | 1,411 | 1,445 | 1,873 | 1,444 | 1,266 |  |
| Total Inventory Omed | 5,940 | 5,670 | 5,512 | 5,451 | 5,401 | 5,189 | 5,269 | 5,385 | 5,450 | 5,423 | 5,569 | 5,764 | 5,773 |
| Raw Materials | 3,015 | 2,859 | 2,730 | 2,661 | 2,639 | 2,554 | 2,643 | 2,769 | 2,846 | 2,745 | 2,753 | 2,781 | 2,830 |
| Goods in Process | 562 | 523 | 523 | 502 | 477 | 480 | 504 | 509 | 510 | 530 | 547 | 574 | 580 |
| Finished Products | 2,363 | 2,288 | 2,259 | 2,288 | 2,285 | 2,155 | 2,122 | 2,107 | 2,094 | 2,148 | 2,269 | 2,409 | 2,363 |
| Professional and 5cientific |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Instruments and Equipment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Shipments | 4,568 | 5,477 | 5,789 | 5,517 | 5,967 | 5,933 | 5,941 | 6,320 | 6,399 | 8,046 | 7,452 | 6,428 | 6,415 |
| Total Inventory Oned | 20,593 | 20,580 | 21,787 | 18,900 | 20,050 | 20,233 | 19,810 | 19,275 | 18,828 | 17,436 | 17,842 | 18,283 | 18,474 |
| Total Inventory held | 29,599 | 29,828 | 31,056 | 28,092 | 28,462 | 28,791 | 28,453 | 28,049 | 27,900 | 26,279 | 26,301 | 26,593 | 26,798 |

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## INDUSTRIES INCLUDBD IN EACH ECONOMTC USE GROUPING IN TABLE 3

The bracketed numbers following each industry title indicate the Standard Industrial Classification Grouping (Table 2) to which the industry belongs.

The bracketed letters following the individual industry titles indicate the series in which the industry is included on the basis of monthly reports from firms or from special estimates (8) means that the industry is covered for the shipments series; (i) for the inventory series; (0) for the orders series. Industries for which monthly coverage is not indicated are included in the all-industry and group total estimates as described on page 44.

A single asterick preceding the individual industry title indicates that the data for the industry are shown separately in Table 4. A double asterick indicates that the data for the industry are shown in Table 4 combined with data for one or more similar industries as indicated in the footnotes for that table.

## PERISHABLE CONSUMER GOODS INDUSTRIES

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** Slaughtering and Meat Packing (1)(s)(1)
** Sausages and Casings (1)
** Butter and Cheese Pactories (1)(s)(1)
** Concentrated Milk (1)(s)(i)(a)
** Processed Cheese (1)(s)(1)
** Other Dairy Products (1)(s)(i)
    * Fruit and Vegetable Preparations (1) (8) (1) (0)
        Breakfast Foods (1)(s) (1) (o)
    * Biscuits and Crackers (I)(s)(1)(0)
        Bread and Other Bakery Products (1)(s)
        Aerated Waters (1) (s)
        Distilled Liquors (1)(s)(i)
    * Breweries (1)(s)(1)
    * Wines (1) (8) (1) (0)
    * Confectionery (1)(s) (i) (0)
        Macaroni (1) (s)(1)
** Miscellaneous Food Preparations (1) (s) (i) (o)
        Tobacco Processing and Packing (2) ?(s) (i)
        Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes (2) )(s)(1)
        Salt (14)(s)(i)
    * Medicinal and Pharmaceutical
        Preparations (16)(s)(i)(o)
    * Soaps, Washing and Cleaning
        Compounds (16)(s) (1) (0)
    * Totlet Preparations (16)(s)(1)
        Polishes and Dressings (16)(s)(i)(0)
        Candles (17)
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SEMI-DURABLE CONSUMER GOODS INDUSTRIES
* Rubber Footwear (3) (s) (i)
* Leather Footwear (4) (s) (i) (0)
Leather Gloves and Mittens (4)
Miscellaneous Leather Products (4)
* Carpets, Mats and Rugs (5) (s) (i) (0)
* Oilcloth, Linoleum and Other Coated
Fabrics (5) (s) (i) (o)
** Automobile Accessories, Fabric (5)
** Embroideries etc. (5)
** Miscellaneous Textiles, n.e.s. (5) (s) (i) (o)
** Men's Clothing ( 6 ) ( s ) ( 1 ) (o)
** Men's Clothing Contractors (6)
** Children's Clothing (6) (s) (i) (o)
** Women's Clothing (6)(s) (i) (0)
** Women's Clothing Contractors (6)
* Hosiery (6) (s) (1) (0)
* Other Knit Goods (6) (s) (i) (o)
* Corsets and Foundation Garments (6)(8)(1) (0)

## SEMI-DURABLE CONSUMER GOODS INDUSTRIES (Cont'd)

Pur Goods (6) (s) (1)
Hats and Caps (6)(s)(i)(o)
Oiled and waterproof Clothing (6)
Fabric Gloves and Mittens (6)
Miscellaneous Clothing, n.e.s. (6) (s) (i) (o)

* Brooms, Brushes and Mops (17)(s)(1)(o)

Fountain Pens and Pencils (17) (s) (i) (o)
Sporting Goods (17)
Toys and Games (17)
Lamps, electric, and lamp shades (17)
Pipes, ilghters and smokers ${ }^{1}$ s-pplies (17)
Umbrellas (17)

## DURABLE CONSUMER GOODS INDUSTRIES

* Furniture (7) (s) (1) (0)

Bicycles and Parts (11) (s) (i) (o)
Boat Building (11)

* Jewellery and Silverware (12)(s) (1) (0)
* Radios and Parts (13) (s) (1) (o)
* Refrigerators and Appliances (13) (s) (i) (o)

Musical Instruments (17)(s)(i)(0)
Clocks and Watches (17)
HEAVY TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT INDUSTRIES

## Aircraft (11) (s) (i) (o)

* Railroad and Rolling Stock Equipment (1I) ( s ) (i) (o) Shipbuilding and Repairing (11)(s)(i)(o)


## OTHER CAPITAL COODS INDUSTRIES

* Agricultural Implements (10)(s)(i)(o)
* Herdware and Tools (10)(s) (i) (0)
* Household, Office and Store Machinery (10) (8) (1) (0)
* Machine Tools (10) (s) (i) (0)
* Industrial Machinery n.e.c. (10) (s) (i) (o)
* Heavy Electrical Equipment and

Machinery (13) (s) (1) (0)
Signs (17)
CONSTRUCTION GOODS INDUSTRIES

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## CONSTRUCTION GOODS INDUSTRIBS (COnt ${ }^{\text { }}$ d)

* Iron Castings (10) (s) (i) (0)

Aluminum Products (12) (s) (1) (o)

* Miscellaneous Electrical Products (13) (s) (1) (0)
* Wire and Cable (13) (s) (1) (0)
* Asbestos Products (14) (s) (1) (0)
** Cement Hydraulic (14) (8) (i)
** Concrete Products (14)(s) (i) (0)
Clay Products from Imported Clay (14)(s) (1) (0)
Gypsum Products (14)
Stone products (14)(s)(1) (0)
Brick and Tile (14)
Sand-11me Brick (14)
Clay Products from Domestic Clay (14)
Miscellaneous Non-Metallic Mineral Products (14) (s) (i)
Miscellaneous Products of Pecroleum and Coal (15)(8)(1)
Coal Tax Distillation (16) (s) (i)


## MIS CELLANEOUS TNDUSTRIES

(a) INDUSTRIES PRODUCING LARGELY FOR EXPORT

Canned and Cured Fish (1) (8) (1) (0)

* Flour Mills (1) (s) (1) (0)

Sawnills (7)(s)(1)(0)

* Pulp and Paper Mills (8) (3) (1) (0)
* Non-Ferrous Metal Smelting and Refining (12) ( s ) ( 1 ) ( 0 )
* Abrasives and Abrasive Products (14)(s)(1)(o)
(b) MOTOR VEHICLES AND RELATED INDUSTRIES
* Tires, Tubes and Other Rubber Products
(except Footwear) (3) ( 8 ) (1) (0)
* Motor Vehicles (11) (s) (1)
* Motor Vehicle parts and

Accessories (11)(s) (1) (0)

* Batteries (13) (8) (1) (0)
(c) INDUSTRIES PRODUCING INTERMEDLATE GOODS AND SUPFLIES

Prepared Stock and Poultry Feeds (1) (8) (0)

* Sugar Refineries (1) (s) (i)
** Malt Products (1)(8) (1)
Animal Oils and Fats (1)
Feed and Chopping Mills (1)
* Lesther Tanneries (4)(s) (1) (0) Belting Leather (4) Boot and Shoe Findings (4) Cotton Thread (5)(s)(1)
* Cotton Yarn and Cloth (5)(s)(1)(0) Miscellaneous Cotton Goods (5)
* Woollen Cloth (5) (s) (i) (o)
* Woollen Yarn (5)(8)(1)(0) Macellaneous Woollen Goods (5) (s)(1) (o) Rayon, Nylon, and Silk Textiles (5) (8) (1) (0) Dyeing and Finishing of Textiles (5) (s) (1) (0) Laces, Tapes and Bindings (5) (s) (1) (0)
* Cordage, Rope and Twine (5) (s) (i)
* Cotton and Jute Bags (5) (s) (1) (0)
(c) INDUSIRIES PRODUCING INTERNEDLATE GOODS AND SUPPLIBS (Cont ${ }^{\prime} d$ )

Fur Dressing and Dyeing (6)

* Paper Boxes and Bags (8) (s) (1) (0) Miscellaneous Paper Products (8) (8) (1) (0)
* Primary Iron and Steel (10) (s) (1) (0)
* Wire and Wire Goods (10) (s) (1) (0) White Metal Alloys (12)(s) (i) (0) Lime (14) Coke and Gas Products (15)(s)(1) (0)
* Acids, Alkalis and Salts (16)(s) (i) (0)
* Fertilizers (16)(s)(1)(o)

Vegetable 01I M111s (16) (s) (1) (0)

* Primary Plastics (16) (8) (1) (0) Compressed Gases (16) (8) (1) (0)
* Adhesives (16) (8) (i) (o)

Printing Inks (16)
Writing Inks (16)
Typewriter Supplies (17)
Buttons, Buckles and Fasteners (17)
Artificial Flowers and Feathers (17)
Hair Goods (17)
Stamps and Stencils (17)
Miscellaneous Industries n.e.c. (17) (8) (i) (0)
(d) UNCLASSIFIABLE INDUS TRIES
** Starch and Glucose (1)

* Cazvas Products (5) (s) (1) (0)
* Plywood and Veneer Mills (7) (8) (1) (0) Miscellaneous Wood Products (7) (s) (1) (0) Comercial Priating (9)(s) Engraving, Stereotyping and Allied Industries (9) (s)
Printing and Publishing (9) (s)
Heating and Cooking Apparatus (10)(s)(1)(0)
* Sheet Metal Products (10) (s) (1) (0)
* Miscellaneous Iron and Steel Products (10) (s) (i) (o) Machine Shop Products (10) Miscellaneous Transportation Equipmen: (11)
* Brass and Copper Products (12) (s) (1) (0) Mscellaneous Non-Ferrous Metal Products (12) Glass and Glass Products (14) (s) (1) (0)
* Petroleum Refining and Products (15) (s) (1)
* Paints and Varnishes (16)(s)(1)(0) Explosives, Ammunitions and Pyrotechnics (16)(s)(i)(0) Wiscellaneous Chemical Products (16) (s) (i) (0) Fabricated Plastic Products (17) (s) (1)
* Professional and Scientific

Equipment (17) (s) (i) (o)
Statuaty and Art Goods (17)
Artificial Ice (17)

For further detail, and for description of Methods Used, see December, 1955 report, page 74.
CONCEPTS

Shipments - represent an estimated projection, on a monthly basis, of the latest available Census of Industry values.

> New Orders - This series is designed to indicate the rate at which new business is being received. It is defined as all New Orders Received during the period, at estimated selling values. Thus it covers total new orders, net of cancellations, regardless of whether the orders will be filled from stock or as a result of activity during the same month (and, therefore, will also be reported as shipments in the month received) or whether they will be added to existing backlogs.

> Unfilled Orders - are defined as estimated selling value, at the end of the period stated, of orders received but not yet shipped (or treated as a sale), irrespective of work done on them or of stocks from which they can be filled.

Total Inventory Owned - represents the estimated book value of inventory owned by manufacturers in connection with manufacturing operations, whether held at plant or not, at the end of the period stated. It is made up of:
(a) raw matexials;
(b) goods in process;
(c) finished goods of own manufacture at plant and warehouse;
(d) goods of own manufacture at manufacturers' sales offices, wholesale outlets and retall stores;
less (e) value of inventory held but not owned which cannot be assigned to specific components.

Since the serles relates to manufacturing inventory only, value of goods purchased for re-sale is not included.

Inventory Held but Not Owned - represents, as far as possible, the portion of manufacturers' total inventory holdings which are no longer owned by the reporting manufacturers because of payments made on long-term contracts as work on these progresses. This item is applicable only to the relatively few industries where long-term contracts are comon, although because of the nature of the item, the value per industry is high.

Because of variations in accounting methods, there are a few cases where it is not possible to obtain values for this type of inventory. The estimated value shown for this item must therefore be considered, to some extent, incomplete.

Total Inventory Held - represents the estimated total value of manufacturers 'inventory holdings in connection with manufacturing operations, regardless of ownership; it differs from inventory owned by the inclusion of progress payments inventory. It includes items (a) to (d) as shown above under total inventory owned.

Inventory Components - (Raw Materials, Goods in Process, and Finished Products) are reported and compiled as on the books of each manufacturer, i.e. there has been no attempt to make definitions of components appropriate for each industry as a whole.

The inventory components are always a breakdown of total inventory held, not of total inventory owned. In industries where these two items differ, due to the inclusion of inventory held but not owned (see above), it is not possible to obtain value of inventory owned by components since, where separate progress accounts are maintained, firms concerned can only state that, of total holdings, a certain amount is no longer owned by them. It is fairly obvious that the bulk of such payments apply to goods in process holdings, but due to time lags in shipments and to prepayments some of the total value of inventory held but not owned would be applicable to finished products or raw materials.

Any comparisons of shipments/inventory ratios ahould be made using total inventory owned, not total inventory held, since the latter includes values which have already been written off to sales. If shipments/ inventory ratios are desired using inventory components, rather than total inventory, a reasonable approximation to total inventory owned by components would be obtained by assuming that all inventory held but not owned had been included with goods in process.

Industries and Groupings - All individual industries (Table 4) and the Standard Industrial Classification groupings of industries used in Table 2, are defined according to the Standard Industrial Classification Manual. A description of the Economic-Use groupings of industries (Table 3) will be found in the December 1955 report, Page 5.

## SOURCES

Monthly (or, in a few cases, quarterly) reports covering value of inventories and shipments are now submitted on a voluntary basis by 2,700 plants in 118 industries; in addition, 2,400 small plants in 21 of these industries and one additional industry report monthly shipments only. of the first group, 1,034 plants in 95 industries also report new and unfilled orders. Four industries are included in the total shipments estimates by usimg data available from other Bureau series, and two of these are also included in the total inventory estimates.


[^0]:    (1) See footnote 1, page 1. (2) See footnote 2, page 1. (3) Preliminary.

[^1]:    (1) See footnote 1 , page 1.
    (2) See Eootnote 2, page 1.
    (3) Preliminary.

[^2]:    （1）See footnote 1，page 1．（2）Preliminary．

[^3]:    (1) See footnote 1 , page 1.
    (2) Preliminary.

[^4]:    (1) Includes Cement, Portland and Cement Products.
    (2) Preliminary

[^5]:    Sash, Door and Planing Mills (7) (s) (1) (0) Hardwood Flooring (7) (s) (i) (0)

    * Roofing Paper (8) (s) (i) (o)
    * Boilers and Plate Work (10) (8) (1) (0)
    * Fabricated and Structural Steel (10)(8)(1) (0)

