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The estimates of corporation profits and other financial data contained in this report are the results of a sample survey of all companies incorporated in Canada, except Government-owned companies. Canadian unincorporated branches of foreign corporations are also included in the totals while foreign subsidiaries of Canadian corporations are excluded.

## Sources and Methods

In preparing the estimates, a stratified random sample of corporations is used together with the summary corporation statistics contained in "Taxation Statistics" published by the Department of National Revenue (Taxation Division). The figures in "Taxation Statistics" are on an annual basis and are available about two years after the year to which they refer. The sample results are used to allocate the annual totals by quarters, and current figures are obtained by projection from this base. This procedure ensures that profits are defined oonsistently for all corporations and improves the acouracy of the estimates.

Under the original design of the sample, estimates of profits would be within 3 per cent of the "true" figures 95 per cent of the time. However, since not all companies in the original sample are participating in the survey, the actual error is about 6 per cent. This error will be reduced as the number of companies in the sample increases.

## Definiticns

The definitions of items contained in the report are based mainly on accounting definitions used by corporations. The term "profits'" as used throughout this report means the total profits of all companies earning profits less the losses of all companies incurring losses.

Sales figures in "Taxation Statistics" are used as a base for projecting the estimates obtained from the survey to provide current sales estimates. These sales figures contain investment income as well as income from operations.

Net Earnings as used in this report are the total earnings, exclusive of Canadian dividends received, after all current charges except depletion, capital cost allowance, charitable donations and income tax liabilities. Canadian dividends received are excluded because earnings are computed before payment of dividends, and if receipt of these dividends were included they would be counted twice, once in the hands of the paying corporation and again in the hands of the receiving corporation.

Depletion charges are not deducted since, although these are properly a charge for individual firms, the exhaustion of natural resources should not be a charge against National Income. However, for the three groups for which depletion charges are significant-mining, wood products and paper prod-ucts-depletion charges are shown separately in the tables.

Capital cost allowance as outlined in the tables reflects the amount of depreciation claimed for income tax purposes, and, therefore, may not be comparable to the amounts as shown by corporations in their own books.

Income tax liabilities are estimated quarterly and are based on figures supplied by reporting companies. Adjustments are made to the quarterly estimates to cover losses in prior quarters.

Depletion charges are based on the amounts reported by the companies and are not related to the data contained in "Taxation Statistics".

## Interpretation of Quarterly Movements

Total corporation profits appear to follow a fairly regular pattern from quarter to quarter with total profits before taxes of the aggregate of all industries reaching a peak in the second and third quarters of each year and then declining through the next two quarters. Before two consecutive quarters can be compared, the same two quarters for previous years must be studied in an effort to determine how much of the change is due to seasonal movements and how much is due to an improvement or worsening in the general profits pattern of the industry.

Corporations with two or more establishments file only one profits return covering all establishments of the company. The forestry operations carried on by pulp and paper companies are therefore included with the paper products group in manufacturing; while mining operations carried on by companies principally engaged in smelting and refining are included in the non-ferrous metal industry. Other groups are affected to a lesser degree. The figures in this report are therefore not comparable with series in other Bureau reports, such as those covering wages and production, which are on an establishment basis.

A more comprehensive description of the methods, sources and definitions is contained in the initial publication of this serles, "Quarterly Corporation Profits, 1950-1954'', issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in March, 1955.

Profits before taxes of Canadian corporations were estimated at $\$ 816$ million for the fourth quarter of 1958 . an increase of $\$ 136$ million, or 20.0 per cent, over the 1957 fourth quarter estimate of $\$ 680$ million. Cumulative profits before taxes for the twelve months ended 31 December, 1958, decreased an estimated $\$ 101$ million, or 3.4 per cent, to $\$ 2,904$ million from $\$ 3,005$ million as estimated for the twelve months of 1957.

Income tax liabilities for the fourth quarter of 1958 amounted to $\$ 341$ million, an increase of $\$ 44$ million, or 14.8 per cent, over the fourth quarter, 1957, estimate of $\$ 297$ million. For the twelve months period ended 31 December, 1958, income tax liabilities were estimated at $\$ 1,231$ million as compared with $\$ 1,306$ million for the twelve months of 1957, a decrease of $\$ 75$ million, or 5.7 per cent.

Corporation profits after taxes in the fourth quarter of 1958 rose an estimated $\$ 92$ million, or 24.0 per cent, from $\$ 383$ million in 1957 to $\$ 475$ million in 1958. Cumulative profits after taxes for the twelve months of 1958 decreased an estimated $\$ 26$ million, or 1.5 per cent, from $\$ 1,699$ million in 1957 to $\$ 1,673$ million in 1958.

In the Manufacturing sector increases in profits before taxes from the fourth quarter of 1957 to the fourth quarter of 1958 were shown in all industry groups except one. The overall increase in the sector amounted to an estimated $\$ 52$ million, or 14.5 per cent, from $\$ 358$ million in the fourth quarter of 1957 to $\$ 410$ million in the fourth quarter of 1958. The Foods and Beverages group increased $\$ 6$ million, from $\$ 61$ million to $\$ 67$ million; the Rubber group increased $\$ 5$ million, from $\$ 4$ million
to $\$ 9$ million; the Textile group increased $\$ 9$ million, from $\$ 12$ million to $\$ 21$ million; the Wood group increased $\$ 9$ million, from $\$ 6$ million to $\$ 15$ million; the Paper group increased $\$ 10$ million, from $\$ 59$ million to $\$ 69$ million; the Printing group increase: $\$ 3$ million, from $\$ 13$ million to $\$ 16$ million; the NonFerrous Metal group increased $\$ 1$ million, from $\$ 8$ million to $\$ 9$ million; the Electrical Apparatus group increased $\$ 2$ million, from $\$ 19$ million to $\$ 21$ million; the Non-Metallic Mineral group increased $\$ 3$ million, from $\$ 14$ million to $\$ 17$ million; the Petroleum and Coal group increased $\$ 2$ million, from $\$ 29$ million to $\$ 31$ million; the Chemical group increased $\$ 5$ million, from $\$ 20$ million to $\$ 25$ million and the Other Manufacturing group increased $\$ 2$ million, from $\$ 15$ million to $\$ 17$ million. The Iron and Steel group decreased $\$ 5$ million, from $\$ 98$ million in the fourth quarter of 1957 to $\$ 93$ million in the fourth quarter of 1958.

The Non-Manufacturing sector showed an overall increase in profits before taxes of $\$ 84$ million, or 26.1 per cent, from $\$ 322$ million in the fourth quarter of 1957 to $\$ 406$ million in the fourth quarter of 1958. The Mining group increased $\$ 10$ million, from $\$ 52$ million to $\$ 62$ million; the Transportation group increased $\$ 23$ million, from $\$ 50$ million to $\$ 73$ million; the Public Utility group increased $\$ 1$ million, from $\$ 16$ million to $\$ 17$ million; the Wholesale Trade group increased $\$ 19$ million, from $\$ 57$ million to $\$ 76$ million; the Retail Trade group increased $\$ 11$ million, from $\$ 60$ million to $\$ 71$ million; the Finance group increased $\$ 18$ million, from $\$ 54$ million to $\$ 72$ million and the Service group increased $\$ 2$ million, from $\$ 10$ million to $\$ 12$ million. The Other NonManufacturing group showed no change from the fourth quarter of 1957 to the fourth quarter of 1958. Both periods were estimated at $\$ 23$ million.

TABLE 1. Summary - Quarterly Corporation Profits Before Taxes, by Industry, 1957-1958

|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 12 | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells | 71 | 74 | 76 | 52 | 273 | 44 | 43 | 64 | 62 | 213 |
| Manufacturing: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Foods and Beverages | 38 | 51 | 67 | 61 | 217 | 39 | 56 | 71 | 67 | 233 |
| Rubber Products .......................................... | 5 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 22 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 22 |
| Textile Products ........................................ | 18 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 53 | 12 | 9 | 13 | 21 | 55 |
| Wood Products ................................................ | 6 | 17 | 18 | 6 | 47 | 6 | 16 | 18 | 15 | 55 |
| Paper Products ..................................................... | 48 | 63 | 57 | 59 | 227 | 46 | 57 | 57 | 69 | 229 |
| Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries.... | 12 | 18 | 9 | 13 | 52 | 12 | 18 | 10 | 16 | 56 |
| Iron and Steel Products ................................ | 106 | 141 | 96 | 98 | 441 | 69 | 110 | 78 | 93 | 350 |
| Non-Ferrous Metal Products .......................... | 12 | 11 | 5 | 8 | 36 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 28 |
| Electrical A pparatus and Supplies ............... | 15 | 18 | 17 | 19 | 69 | 15 | 12 | 15 | 21 | 63 |
| Non-Metallic Mineral Products ..................... | 7 | 19 | 22 | 14 | 62 | 7 | 16 | 24 | 17 | 64 |
| Products of Petroleum and Coal ......no.......... | 45 | 36 | 40 | 29 | 150 | 24 | 12 | 15 | 31 | 82 |
| Chemical Products ..................................... | 18 | 28 | 26 | 20 | 92 | 17 | 28 | 29 | 25 | 99 |
| Other Manufacturing Industries ${ }^{1}$...................... | 13 | 16 | 17 | 15 | 61 | 13 | 16 | 20 | 17 | 66 |
| Total | 343 | 437 | 391 | 358 | 1,529 | 266 | 363 | 363 | 410 | 1.402 |
| Transportation, Storage and Communication .... | 37 | 65 | 70 | 50 | 222 | 37 | 50 | 75 | 73 | 235 |
| Public Utility Operation .................................. | 21 | 15 | 10 | 16 | 62 | 21 | 16 | 13 | 17 | 67 |
| Wholesale Trade. | 55 | 78 | 73 | 57 | 263 | 37 | 63 | 69 | 76 | 245 |
| Retail Trade | 33 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 214 | 34 | 64 | 57 | 71 | 226 |
| Finance, Insurance and Real Estate ................. | 78 | 86 | 64 | 54 | 282 | 86 | 99 | 91 | 72 | 348 |
| Service | 13 | 19 | 20 | 10 | 62 | 12 | 18 | 20 | 12 | 62 |
| Other Non-Manufacturing ${ }^{2}$................................. | 13 | 27 | 35 | 23 | 98 | 15 | 31 | 37 | 23 | 106 |
| Total All Lndustries .............................. | 664 | 864 | 727 | 680 | 3,005 | 552 | 747 | 789 | 816 | 2,904 |

1. Includes Tobacco, Leather and Miscellaneous Manufacturing Industries.
: Includes Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Construction.

TABLE 2. Summary - Quarterly Corporation Profits After Taxes, by Industry, 1957-1958

|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells ...................... | 45 | 50 | 50 | 34 | 179 | 30 | 35 | 46 | 44 | 155 |
| Manufacturing: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Foods and Beverages .................................. | 21 | 29 | 37 | 34 | 121 | 21 | 31 | 39 | 38 | 129 |
| Rubber Products ......................................... | 3 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 12 | - | 3 | 3 | 5 | 11 |
| Textile Products ........................................ | 12 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 35 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 13 | 34 |
| Wood Products ........................................... | 3 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 26 | 3 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 31 |
| Paper Products .......................................... | 26 | 35 | 32 | 34 | 127 | 25 | 30 | 31 | 37 | 123 |
| Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries | 6 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 28 | 7 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 31 |
| Iron and Steel Products | 60 | 79 | 51 | 52 | 242 | 39 | 60 | 43 | 48 | 190 |
| Non-Ferrous Metal Products ....................... | 6 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 20 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 16 |
| Electrical A pparatus and Supplies ............... | 8 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 37 | 8 | 6 | 8 | 11 | 33 |
| Non-Metallic Mineral Products | 4 | 10 | 12 | 7 | 33 | 4 | 9 | 13 | 9 | 35 |
| Products of Petroleum and Coal ....a.............. | 26 | 20 | 22 | 21 | 89 | 13 | 4 | 6 | 29 | 52 |
| Chemical Products .................................. | 11 | 16 | 15 | 12 | 54 | 10 | 16 | 17 | 15 | 58 |
| Other Manufacturing Industries ${ }^{1}$................... | 7 | 9 | 10 | 10 |  | 7 | 9 | 12 |  |  |
| Total ....................................................... | 193 | 246 | 217 | 204 | 860 | 147 | 198 | 199 | 237 | 781 |
| Transportation, Storage and Communication .... | 20 | 38 | 41 | 27 | 126 | 19 | 28 | 43 | 42 | 132 |
| Public Utility Operation .................................. | 11 | 9 | 5 | 9 | 34 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 37 |
| Wholesale Trade | 30 | 43 | 40 | 30 | 143 | 20 | 37 | 38 | 42 | 137 |
| Retail Trade .................................................... | 17 | 35 | 33 | 33 | 118 | 19 | 38 | 32 | 41 | 130 |
| Finance, Insurance and Real Estate ............... | 41 | 45 | 32 | 27 | 145 | 51 | 58 | 53 | 39 | 201 |
| Service | 8 | 11 | 11 | 5 | 35 | 7 | 12 | 12 | 7 | 38 |
| Ohe: Non-Manufacturing ${ }^{2}$ | 8 | 17 | 20 | 14 | 59 | 9 | 18 | 21 | 14 | 62 |
| Intal All Industries ............................. | 373 | 494. | 449 | 383 | 1.699 | 314 | 433 | 451 | 475 | 1,673 |

[^0]TABLE 3. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data, All Industries, 1957-1958

|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 32 | $4 Q$ | Total | 12 | $2 Q$ | $3 Q$ | $4 Q$ | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 1,079 | 1.306 | 1. 243 | 1,132 | 4.760 | 979 | 1,192 | 1,227 | 1. 266 | 4,664 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 415 | 442 | 446 | 452 | 1.755 | 427 | 445 | 438 | 450 | 1,760 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 664 | 864 | 797 | 680 | 3.005 | 552 | 747 | 789 | 816 | 2,904 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............ | 291 | 370 | 348 | 297 | 1.306 | 238 | 314 | 338 | 341 | 1,231 |
| Profits After Taxes ........................... | 373 | 494 | 449 | 383 | 1,699 | 314 | 433 | 451 | 475 | 1.673 |

TABLE 4. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data by Industry, 1957-1958

|  | Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 3 Q | 42 | 'Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................ | 511 | 562 | 569 | 524 | 2,169 | 475 | 499 | 577 | 501 | 2.052 |
| Net Earnings ....................................... | 111 | 118 | 124 | 96 | 449 | 96 | 92 | 114 | 101 | 403 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 40 | 44 | 48 | 44 | 176 | 52 | 49 | 50 | 39 | 190 |
| Profits Before Taxes ....................... | 71 | 74 | 76 | 52 | 273 | 44 | 43 | 64 | 62 | 213 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............ | 26 | 24 | 26 | 18 | 94 | 14 | 8 | 18 | 18 | 58 |
| Profits After Taxes ............................ | 45 | 50 | 50 | 34 | 179 | 30 | 35 | 46 | 44 | 155 |
| Depletion Charged ............................. | 9 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 34 | 8 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 32 |
|  | Foods and Beverages |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 32 | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales |  | 976 | 1.112 | 1,102 | 4,062 | 910 | 1.046 | 1.164 | 1.210 | 4,330 |
| Net Earnings | 56 | 70 | 85 | 82 | 293 | 58 | 75 | 89 | 89 | 311 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance | 18 | 19 | 18 | 21 | 76 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 22 | 78 |
| Profits Before Taxes | 38 | 51 | 67 | 61 | 217 | 39 | 56 | 71 | 67 | 233 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities | 17 | 22 | 30 | 27 | 96 | 18 | 25 | 32 | 29 | 104 |
| Profits After Taxes | $21$ | $29$ | 37 | 34 | 121 | 21 | 31 | 39 | 38 | 129 |
|  | Rubber Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12 | $2 Q$ | 3Q | 4 Q | Total | 12. | 2Q | 3 Q | 4 Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 86 | 97 | 95 | 87 | 365 | 74 | 93 | 95 | 95 | 357 |
| Net Earnings | 8 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 34 | 4 | 9 | 9 | 12 | 34 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 12 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 5 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 22 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 22 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 11 |
| Profits After Taxes ............................ | 3 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 12 | - | 3 | 3 | 5 | 11 |

Note: 1. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
2. Canadian Dividends Received are not included in profits.

TABLE 4. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data by Industry, 1957-1958-Continued

|  | Textile Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales .............................................. | 400 | 387 | 385 | 394 | 1,566 | 373 | 375 | 384 | 423 | 1,555 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 26 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 86 | 20 | 17 | 22 | 29 | 88 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 8 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 33 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 33 |
| Profits Before Taxes ........................ | 18 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 53 | 12 | 9 | 13 | 21 | 55 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 6 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 18 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 21 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 12 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 35 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 13 | 34 |
|  | Wood Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12 | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3 Q | 4 Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ............................................... | 332 | 406 | 437 | 359 | 1,534 | 329 | 417 | 460 | 420 | 1,626 |
| Net Earnings .................................... | 19 | 31 | 30 | 21 | 101 | 20 | 29 | 30 | 30 | 109 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 13 | 14 | 12 | 15 | 54 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 54 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 6 | 17 | 18 | 6 | 47 | 6 | 16 | 18 | 15 | 55 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 3 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 21 | 3 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 24 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 3 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 26 | 3 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 31 |
| Depletion Churgel ........................... | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
|  | Paper Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales .............................................. | 446 | 476 | 494 | 499 | 1,915 | 428 | 464 | 496 | 525 | 1,913 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 74 | 91 | 84 | 86 | 335 | 72 | 85 | 83 | 98 | 338 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 26 | 28 | 27 | 27 | 108 | 26 | 28 | 26 | 29 | 109 |
| Profits Before Taxes ........................ | 48 | 63 | 57 | 59 | 227 | 46 | 57 | 57 | 69 | 229 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 22 | 28 | 25 | 25 | 100 | 21 | 27 | 26 | 32 | 106 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 26 | 35 | 32 | 34 | 127 | 25 | 30 | 31 | 37 | 123 |
| Depletion Charged ............................ | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | $l$ | 4 |
|  | Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2 Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 3 Q | $4 Q$ | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................ | 167 | 184 | 169 | 182 | 702 | 172 | 190 | 179 | 192 | 733 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 17 | 23 | 14 | 19 | 73 | 17 | 24 | 15 | 23 | 79 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 21 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 23 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 12 | 18 | 9 | 13 | 52 | 12 | 18 | 10 | 16 | 56 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 6 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 24 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 25 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... |  | 10 | 5 | 7 | 28 | 7 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 31 |

Note: 1. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
2. Canadian Dividends Received are not included in profits.

TABLE 4. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data by Industry, 1957-1958-Continued

|  | Iron and Steel Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | $1 Q$ | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ............................................... | 1,371 | 1,535 | 1,408 | 1,424 | 5,738 | 1,199 | 1,454 | 1,322 | 1,415 | 5,390 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 155 | 191 | 143 | 143 | 632 | 114 | 162 | 121 | 148 | 545 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 49 | 50 | 47 | 45 | 191 | 45 | 52 | 43 | 55 | 195 |
| Profits Before Taxes .......................... | 106 | 141 | 96 | 98 | 441 | 69 | 110 | 78 | 93 | 350 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabllities ........... | 46 | 62 | 45 | 46 | 199 | 30 | 50 | 35 | 45 | 160 |
| Profits After Taxes ........................... | 60 | 79 | 51 | 52 | 242 | 39 | 60 | 43 | 48 | 190 |
|  | Non-Ferrous Metal Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | $1 Q$ | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 1 Q | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ............................................... | 202 | 190 | 175 | 191 | 758 | 170 | 182 | 187 | 183 | 722 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 33 | 29 | 17 | 28 | 107 | 21 | 20 | 25 | 19 | 85 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 21 | 18 | 12 | 20 | 71 | 16 | 13 | 18 | 10 | 57 |
| Profits Before Taxes ........................... | 12 | 11 | 5 | 8 | 36 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 28 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 6 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 12 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 6 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 20 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 16 |
|  | Electrical Apparatus and Supplies |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | $2 Q$ | 3Q | 4 Q | Total | $1 Q$ | 2Q | $3 Q$ | $4 Q$ | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales .............................................. | 322 | 343 | 331 | 360 | 1,356 | 305 | 307 | 304 | 330 | 1.246 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 22 | 25 | 24 | 26 | 97 | 22 | 19 | 22 | 27 | 90 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 28 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 27 |
| Profits Before Taxes .......................... | 15 | 18 | 17 | 19 | 69 | 15 | 12 | 15 | 21 | 63 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............ | 7 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 32 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 10 | 30 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 8 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 37 | 8 | 6 | 8 | 11 | 33 |
|  | Non-Metallic Mineral Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales .............................................. | 97 | 133 | 155 | 149 | 534 | 96 | 133 | 156 | 156 | 541 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 13 | 26 | 31 | 23 | 93 | 13 | 23 | 32 | 26 | 94 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 6 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 31 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 30 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 7 | 19 | 22 | 14 | 62 | 7 | 16 | 24 | 17 | 64 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 3 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 29 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 8 | 29 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 4 | 10 | 12 | 7 | 33 | 4 | 9 | 13 | 9 | 35 |

Note: 1. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
2. Canadian Dividends Recelved are not included in profits.

TABLE 4. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data by Industry, 1957-1958-Continued

|  | Products of Petroleum and Coal |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4 Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ............................................... | 621 | 601 | 642 | 652 | 2,516 | 593 | 590 | 628 | 692 | 2.503 |
| Net Earnings. | 68 | 58 | 64 | 54 | 244 | 48 | 34 | 41 | 54 | 177 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance........... | 23 | 22 | 24 | 25 | 94 | 24 | 22 | 26 | 23 | 95 |
| Profits Before Taxes ........................ | 45 | 36 | 40 | 29 | 150 | 24 | 12 | 15 | 31 | 82 |
| Less: Income Tax Liablities ........... | 19 | 16 | 18 | 8 | 61 | 11 | 8 | 9 | 2 | 30 |
| Profits Afler Taxes .......................... | 26 | 20 | 22 | 21 | 89 | 13 | 4 | 6 | 29 | 52 |
|  | Chemical Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12 | 2Q | $3 Q$ | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2 Q | 3 Q | 4 Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales .............................................. | 284 | 324 | 315 | 304 | 1.227 | 296 | 345 | 333 | 327 | 1.301 |
| Net Earnings.................................... | 30 | 40 | 39 | 34 | 143 | 30 | 42 | 44 | 39 | 155 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance........... | 12 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 51 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 56 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 18 | 28 | 26 | 20 | 92 | 17 | 28 | 29 | 25 | 99 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 7 | 12 | 11 | 8 | 38 | 7 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 41 |
| Profits After Taxes ........................... | 11 | 16 | 15 | 12 | 54 | 10 | 16 | 17 | 15 | 58 |
|  | Other Manufacturing Industries* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2 Q | 30 | 4Q | Total | 12 | 2Q | 32 | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................... | 216 | 228 | 229 | 218 | 891 | 223 | 234 | 239 | 236 | 932 |
| Net Earnings .................................... | 17 | 19 | 21 | 19 | 76 | 17 | 19 | 24 | 21 | 81 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance........... | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 15 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 15 |
| Profits Before Taxes........................ | 13 | 16 | 17 | 15 | 61 | 13 | 16 | 20 | 17 | 66 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 6 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 25 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 28 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 7 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 36 | 7 | 9 | 12 | 10 | 38 |
|  | Total - Manufacturing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | $1 Q$ | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales .............................................. | 5,416 | 5.880 | 5,947 | 5.921 | 23.164 | 5.168 | 5,830 | 5. 947 | 6. 204 | 23.149 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 538 | 633 | 581 | 562 | 2.314 | 456 | 558 | 557 | 615 | 2.186 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance........... | 195 | 196 | 190 | 204 | 785 | 190 | 195 | 194 | 205 | 784 |
| Profits Before Taxes........................ | 343 | 437 | 391 | 358 | 1. 529 | 266 | 363 | 363 | 410 | 1,402 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ........... | 150 | 191 | 174 | 154 | 669 | 119 | 165 | 164 | 173 | 621 |
| Profits After Taxes ............................ | 193 | 246 | 217 | 204 | 860 | 147 | 198 | 199 | 237 | 781 |

Noxe: 1. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
2. Canadian Dividends Received are not included in profits.

- Other Manufacturing Industries includes Tobacco and Leather Products in addition to the Standard Industrial Classification group entitled "Miscellaneous Manufacturing Industries".

TABLE 4. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data by Industry, 1957-1958-Continued

|  | Transportation, Storage and Communication |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................ | 504 | 640 | 662 | 646 | 2,452 | 511 | 610 | 647 | 675 | 2,443 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 114 | 155 | 163 | 139 | 571 | 110 | 133 | 152 | 158 | 553 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 77 | 90 | 93 | 89 | 349 | 73 | 83 | 77 | 85 | 318 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 37 | 65 | 70 | 50 | 222 | 37 | 50 | 75 | 73 | 235 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............. | 17 | 27 | 29 | 23 | 96 | 18 | 22 | 32 | 31 | 103 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 20 | 38 | 41 | 27 | 126 | 19 | 28 | 43 | 42 | 132 |
|  | Public Utility Operation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12 | 2Q | 3 Q | 4 Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................ | 110 | 94 | 85 | 107 | 396 | 122 | 104 | 93 | 122 | 441 |
| Net Earnings .................................... | 41 | 33 | 27 | 36 | 137 | 47 | 36 | 32 | 41 | 156 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 20 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 75 | 26 | 20 | 19 | 24 | 89 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 21 | 15 | 10 | 16 | 62 | 21 | 16 | 13 | 17 | 67 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............. | 10 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 28 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 30 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 11 | 9 | 5 | 9 | 34 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 37 |
|  | Wholesale Trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................ | 2. 288 | 2,660 | 2.586 | 2,444 | 9. 978 | 2,187 | 2. 568 | 2,516 | 2.573 | 9,844 |
| Net Earnings .................................... | 77 | 103 | 94 | 76 | 350 | 61 | 90 | 91 | 94 | 336 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ........... | 22 | 25 | 21 | 19 | 87 | 24 | 27 | 22 | 18 | 91 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 55 | 78 | 73 | 57 | 263 | 37 | 63 | 69 | 76 | 245 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............. | 25 | 35 | 33 | 27 | 120 | 17 | 26 | 31 | 34 | 108 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 30 | 43 | 40 | 30 | 143 | 20 | 37 | 38 | 42 | 137 |
|  | Retail Trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2 Q | 3Q | 4 Q | Total | $1 Q$ | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sales ................................................ | 1,814 | 2,244 | 2,105 | 2,082 | 8, 245 | 1,858 | 2,308 | 2.101 | 2,241 | 8,508 |
| Net Earnings ..................................... | 51 | 80 | 76 | 78 | 285 | 53 | 82 | 77 | 89 | 301 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 18 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 71 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 | 75 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 33 | 63 | 58 | 60 | 214 | 34 | 64 | 57 | 71 | 226 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............. | 16 | 28 | 25 | 27 | 96 | 15 | 26 | 25 | 30 | 96 |
| Profits After Taxes .......................... | 17 | 35 | 33 | 33 | 118 | 19 | 38 | 32 | 41 | 130 |

Note: 1. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
2. Canadian Dividends Received are not included in profits.

TABLE 4. Quarterly Corporation Profits and Related Data by Industry, 1957-1958-Concluded

|  | Finance, Insurance and Real Estate |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4 Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4 Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Earnings ...................................... | 95 | 104 | 82 | 74 | 355 | 104 | 120 | 110 | 95 | 429 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 17 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 73 | 18 | 21 | 19 | 23 | 81 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 78 | 86 | 64 | 54 | 282 | 86 | 99 | 91 | 72 | 348 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............. | 37 | 41 | 32 | 27 | 137 | 35 | 41 | 38 | 33 | 147 |
| Profits After Taxes ........................... | 41 | 45 | 32 | 27 | 145 | 51 | 58 | 53 | 39 | 201 |
|  | Service |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1Q | 2Q | 3 Q | 4Q | Total | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Earnings ...................................... | 25 | 33 | 34 | 24 | 116 | 24 | 32 | 33 | 26 | 115 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 12 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 54 | 12 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 53 |
| Profits Before Taxes........................... | 13 | 19 | 20 | 10 | 62 | 12 | 18 | 20 | 12 | 62 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities............. | 5 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 27 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 24 |
| Profits After Taxes ............................ | 8 |  | 11 | 5 | 35 | 7 | 12 | 12 | 7 | 38 |
|  | Other Non-Manufacturing* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1957 |  |  |  |  | 1958 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12 | 2 Q | 3Q | 4 Q | Total | 1Q | 2 Q | 3Q | 4Q | Total |
|  | millions of dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Earnings ....................................... | 27 | 47 | 62 | 47 | 183 | 28 | 49 | 61 | 47 | 185 |
| Less: Capital Cost Allowance ............ | 14 | 20 | 27 | 24 | 85 | 13 | 18 | 24 | 24 | 79 |
| Profits Before Taxes ......................... | 13 | 27 | 35 | 23 | 98 | 15 | 31 | 37 | 23 | 106 |
| Less: Income Tax Liabilities ............. | 5 | 10 | 15 | 9 | 39 | 6 | 13 | 16 | 9 | 44 |
| Profits After Taxes ........................... | 8 | 17 | 20 | 14 | 59 | 9 | 18 | 21 | 14 | 62 |

Note: 1. Depletion charges have not been deducted from profits.
2. Canadian Dividends Received are not included in profits.

* Other Non-Manufacturing includes Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Construction.


## INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION

The classification used in this report is based on the Standard Industrial Classification as printed in the Dominion Bureau of Statistics publication "Standard Industrial Classification Manual". The groups, with the Standard Industrial Classification code, are listed below:

| Published Groupings | Major Standard Industrial Classification Groupings | S.I.C. Code NO. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mining, Quarrying and Oil Wells ............................... | Metal Mining | 100-119 |
|  | Fuels | 120-129 |
|  | Non-Metal Mining | 130-149 |
|  | Quarrying, Clay and Sand Pits | 150-169 |
|  | Prospecting | 170-199 |
| Manufacturing: |  |  |
| Foods and Beverages | Foods and Beverages | 200-229 |
| Rubber Products | Rubber Products | 236-239 |
| Textile Products | Textile Products (except Clothing) | 250-269 |
|  | Clothing (Textile and Fur) ...................................... | 270-279 |
| Wood Products | Wood Products | 280-289 |
| Paper Products ......................................................... | Paper Products .......................................................... | 290-299 |
| Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries ........... | Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries ............... | 300-309 |
| Iron and Steel Products ........................................... | Iron and Steel Products ............................................ | 310-329 |
|  | Transportation Equipment | 330-339 |
| Non-Ferrous Metal Products .................................... | Non-Ferrous Metal Products ...................................... | 340-349 |
| Electrical Apparatus and Supplies ......................... | Electrical Apparatus and Supplies ............................ | 350-359 |
| Non-Metallic Mineral Products ................................. | Non-Metallic Mineral Products .................................. | 360-369 |
| Products of Petroleum and Coal ............................ | Products of Petroleum and Coal | 370-379 |
| Chemical Products | Chemical Products | 380-389 |
| Other Manufacturing Industries | Miscellaneous Manufacturing Industries ................... | 390-399 |
|  | Tobacco and Tobacco Products | 230-235 |
|  | Leather Products ...................................................... | 240-249 |
| Transportation, Storage and Communication | Transportation | 500-519 |
|  | Storage | 520-539 |
|  | Communication | 540-599 |
| Public Utility Operation ${ }^{\text { }}$ | Public Utility Operation ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$.......................................... | 600-699 |
| Wholesale Trade ......................................................... | Trade: Wholesale Trade ............................................ | $700-729$ |
| Retail Trade ................................................................ | Trade: Retail Tr ade ....................................................... | 730-799 |
| Finance, Insurance and Real Estate............................ | Finance, Insurance and Real Estate ......................... | 800-899 |
| Service ........................................................................... | Community or Public Service | 900-909 |
|  | Recreation Service | 920-929 |
|  | Business Service | 930-939 |
|  | Personal Service......................................................... | 940-949 |
| Other Non-Manufacturing .................................................. | Agriculture ............................................................................ | 000-079 |
|  | Forestry ... | 080-089 |
|  | Fishing and Trapping | 090-099 |
|  | Construction .............................................................. | 400-499 |

${ }^{\text {B }}$ Includes electric light and power, gas manufacture and distribution, water and sanitary services and other public utilities such as steam heat and power distribution.


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Includes Tobacco, Leather and Miscellaneous Manufacturing Industries.
    ${ }^{2}$ Includes Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Construction.

