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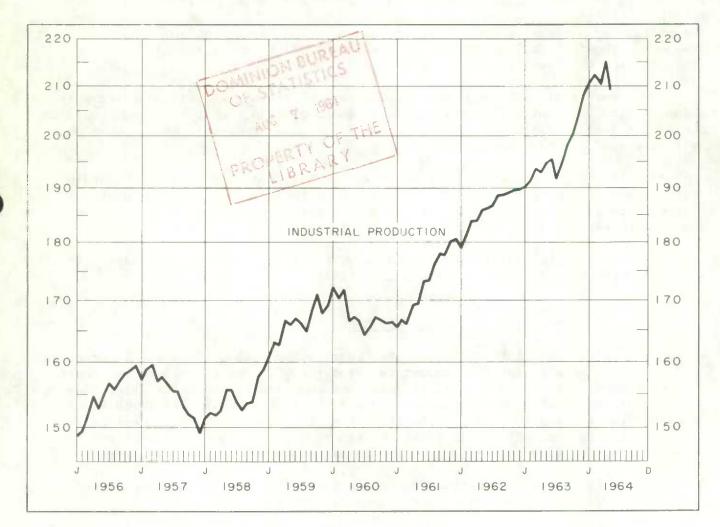
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MAY 1964

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NOTE: This issue includes indexes of non-agricultural real output for the latest available quarter (lst qtr. 1964).

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MAY INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

The seasonally adjusted index of industrial production suffered a decline in May of 2.7% to 209.3 from the revised April level of 215.2. The latest development left the index slightly lower than in March of this year, although higher by almost 10% for the year to date over the same period in 1963. In May, there was a decline of almost 3% in manufacturing production, with both durables and non-durables down by the same amount. The rest of the decline occurred in electric power and gas utilities where output fell by 6% from the high April levels. Mining production was marginally higher in May.

There were particularly large declines in most of the durable major groups, with the largest contributor being transportation equipment where motor vehicles fell by almost 10%. In addition, somewhat lower primary steel production brought total iron and steel down by more than 2%. The construction-oriented industries, nonmetallic mineral products and wood products, were lower by 7% and 4% respectively. The particular sources of these weaknesses were sawmills, cement and concrete products. Showing small gains were non-ferrous metal products and electrical apparatus and supplies.

There were similarly large declines in some of the non-durable major groups, being particularly notable in textiles and clothing (-6%), petroleum products (-7%) and rubber (-9%). There was also a drop of 4% in paper products, as pulp and paper fell from its very high April level.

Although total mining was little changed in May, both metals and non-metals registered declines of 3% while fuels advanced by the same amount. The most important contributors to the decline in metals were iron ore, zinc and lead, while crude petroleum was responsible for the rise in fuels.

In utilities, the large drop in May occurred after relatively high April levels in both components, electric power and gas utilities.

NOTES

- 1. For a detailed description of concepts, sources and methods, see D.B.S. Catalogue No 61-502, "Revised Index of Industrial Production". For a complete and continuous record of total industrial production along with component industry indexes on both a seasonally unadjusted and adjusted basis use D.B.S. Reference Paper 61-502 for the period 1935 to 1956 inclusive, the March 1963 supplement to this report for the period 1919 to 1934, the attached March 1964 supplement for the period 1957 to 1963 inclusive and the regular monthly reports thereafter.
- 2. An explanation of the discontinuity in the total Clothing index is contained in the March 1964 issue of this report, page 2, note 2.
- 3. It should be noted that the 1949 weights shown in Table 1 have been re-expressed as proportions of total Gross Domestic Product rather than of Industrial Production alone. Thus, the Index of Industrial Production represents 32.231% of total real output.
- 4. Latest revisions to March 1964 data published in Tables 1 and 2 have not been incorporated in Table 3.

TABLE 1. Index of Industrial Production

(1949=100)

				Seasonally adjusted					
Industry or industry group	1949 weights	MCD	1963	4 <u>5 Å</u>		1964		-9-0	
			Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	
INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION	32.231	1	207.7	210.8	212.3	210.2	215.2	209.3	
MINING, TOTAL	3.245	2	311.8	335.2	324.9	317.3	324.0	324.6	
Metals	1.925	2	203.7	223.7	226.7	216.8	221.7	215.6	
Gold	0.624	5	88.4	87.7	88.3	91.3	92.7	89.7	
Copper	0.356	4	170.9	189.1	181.8	184.5	185.4	187.1	
Iron ore	0.099	3	948.6		1,017.0	1,055.5	1,009.5	948.5	
Nickel	0.337	4	176.0	165.6	184.6	170.3	186.1	187.7	
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Non-metals Asbestos	0.200	5	243.9 250.9	231.5	234.8	230.9	254.2	245.7	
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Fuels	0.915	3	542.7	571.8	530.5	526.4	533.0	550.5	
Coal	0.553	6	49.7	52.3	52.8		57.3	53.4	
Natural gas	0.035	2	1,224.3	1,169.6	1,216.0	1,245.0	1,355.5	1,377.2	
Petroleum	0.327	3	1,302.0	1,384.9	1,263.6	1,241.7	1,248.1	1,301.3	
MANUFACTURING, TOTAL	27.340	3	183.5	185.2	188.6	186.3	190.6	185.1	
NON-DURABLE MANUFACTURES	14.742	3	180.1	179.7	184.2	180.1	185.8	180.4	
Foods and beverages	3.814	4	166.6	171.8	180.0	170.3	175.7	172.4	
Foods	2.896	4	163.2	168.5	173.1	166.7	171.2	167.7	
Meat products	0.523	4	175.3	180.2	178.8	163.7	180.5	171.0	
	0.450	3	169.4	169.0	168.2	168.5	169.0	177.7	
Dairy products	0.453	4	158.2	164.0	197.9	192.3	196.5		
Canning and processing	0.322	4	163.5					187.8	
Grain mill products	0.558	3	134.8	194.3	192.3	190.3	184.4	182.3	
Bakery products		4		143.1	143.2	141.9	143.6	143.9	
Miscellaneous foods	0.590	4	178.4	171.0	170.5	158.9	164.0	156.5	
Beverages	0.918	6	177.5	182.1	201.9	181.5	190.2	187.0	
Carbonated beverages	0.231	6	169.0	171.7	196.0	177.3	196.9	176.5	
Breweries	0.463	6	168.2	158.9	183,1	176.9	164.9	164.0	
Distilleries	0.203	6	213.0	248.3	257.3	200.1	245.0	255.2	
Tobacco and tobacco products	0.248	6	209.1	209.2	199.5	178.8	213.6	209.5	
Rubber products	0.430	3	207.7	201.1	226.4	209.2	229.5	209.6	
Leather products	0.508	2	128.4	125.1	132.4	125.0	131.7	134.5	
Boots and shoes	0.307	4	138.3	131.1	141.3	131.4	140.8	142.4	
Toutilos	1.623	3	172.1	168.1	167.8	167.7	191 2	169.6	
Textiles	0.507	4	172.1	117.4			181.2		
Cotton goods					121.0	108.3	132.9	116.3	
Wool goods	0.300	3	90.9	104.5	94.3	93.0	99.7	96.0	
Synthetic Textiles and Silk	0.429	3	308,2	283.3	283.7	299.3	316.2	294.8	
Clothing	1.801	3	146.6	132.3	135.4	131.2	130.8	122.9	
Paper products	2.649	3	175.4	172.8	176.3	176.4	180.9	173.7	
Pulp and paper	2.108		176.5	171.6	172.8	174.9	183.0	175.4	

TABLE 1. Index of Industrial Production - Concluded

			Seasonally adjusted							
Industry or industry group	1949 weights	MCD .	1963			1964				
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NON-DURABLE MANUFACTURES - Concluded:										
Printing, publishing and allied										
industries	1.273	4	157.4	162.0	159.7	160.0	172.5	174.0		
Products of petroleum and coal	0.513	3	308.0	299.7	308.9	298.4	305.1	283.3		
Petroleum products	0.454	3	332.2	323.0	334.2	322.6	330.3			
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Chemicals and allied products	1.359	2	263.1	269.3	273.1	275.6	268.7	269.0		
Acids, alkalies, salts and fertilizers	0.346	2	310.5	303.8	310.7	304.2	320.2	318.9		
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Miscellaneous manufactures	0.524	1	245.1	252.3	258.2	259.5	258.4	258.2		
DURABLE MANUFACTURES	12.598	3	187,6	191.6	193.8	193.6	196.1	190.5		
Wood products	2.108	2	165,6	173.1	171.3	169.2	174.2	166.8		
Saw and planing mills	1.444	3	180.4	191.1	187.5	184.1	191.7	180.9		
Veneers and plywoods	0.122	3	405.8	415.0	391.0	401.5	408.2	376.3		
Sawmills	0.994	4	166.3	178.9	176.2	170.7	181.6	170.3		
Furniture	0.460	2	156.1	156.6	158.7	159.9	159.5	159.3		
Iron and steel products	4.026	2	171.4	176.2	176.5	177.9	184.1	179.8		
Machinery	0.851	1	164.8	167.6	171.1	172.4	174.3	175.3		
Iron castings	0.387	3	161.4	177.6	170.1	157.4	186.0	198.1		
Primary iron and steel	0.845	2	245.4	240.7	233.9	241.6	255.4	235.6		
Sheet metal products	0.359	1	158.1	161.8	164.9	165.5	163.1	160.7		
Transportation equipment	2.651	4	209.2	207.4	208.2	211.8	205.6	194.7		
Aircraft and parts	0.203	1	256.7	261.7	259.7	260.4	266.9	270.7		
Motor vehicles	1,035	4	305.7	299.4	304.5	318.0	301.3	271.7		
Motor vehicle parts	0.462	2	214.9	216.9	215.4	211.9	211.6	213.0		
Railway rolling stock	0.621	1	44.7	44.7	46.1	46.9	46.6	46.3		
Shipbuilding and repairs	0.261	1	195.2	195.4	184.4	174.0	173.2	175.8		
Non-ferrous metal products	1.601	3	148.8	153.3	157.8	159.0	161.7	164.5		
Brass and copper products	0.241	1	140.4	144.0	147.6	148.3	147.4	147.7		
Smelting and refining	1.028	3	159.2	163.6	169.9	171.4	175.5	179.8		
Electrical apparatus and										
supplies	1.418	2	232.5	232.9	229.9	230.2	237.6	239.2		
Heavy electrical machinery	0.489	1	155.0	156.7	158.8	161.1	161.5	160.9		
Telecommunication equipment	0.142	3	589.2	590.9	550.7	538.9	583.2	607.9		
Refrigerators and appliances	0.227	3	235.7	218.7	220.8	216.6	233.5	238.4		
Non-motallia minoral products	0.794	2	253,7	269.3	301.6	280.8	279.2	259.3		
Non-metallic mineral products	0.098	4	783.6	890.8	998.2	819.6	832.9	740.7		
Concrete products	0.117	5	192.5	228.2	309.1	284.9	310.0	270.6		
Hydraulic cement	0.083	3	127.7	126.2	149.3	166.2	167.2	151.5		
Domestic clay products	0.000	2		144.4	17763	1.2016	201.6	*****		
ELECTRIC POWER AND GAS UTILITIES	1.646	2	403.8	391.2	384.3	396.4	409.3	384.5		
Electric power	1.480	2	374.2	360.0	360.5	367.9	370.1	351.7		
Gas	0.166	3	668.9	670.7	598.1	652.2	760.8	678.5		

TABLE 2. Index of Industrial Production

	An	nual	100	Witho	ut seasona	al adjust	ment	
Industry or industry group	av	erage		1963			1964	
	1962	1963	Mar.	Apr.	May	Mar.	Apr.	May
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INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION	186.0	195.9	192.0	189.3	197.2	209.2	212.1	212.0
MINING, TOTAL	287.4	294.4	186,4	272.6	296.2	302.9	306.3	327.0
Metals	197.7	193.8	181.2	190.4	205.7	191.4	215.6	221.2
Gold	100.1	95.5	95.6	98.0	99.0	90.8	95.9	88.8
Copper	176.7	174.0	167.4	169.0	164.9	179.5	176.9	180.9
Iron ore	632.5	670.8	437.5	540.3	831.3	614.3	736.9	1,043.3
Nickel	184.2	171.0	177.1	188.3	184.1	170.8	185.6	193.0
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Non-metals	222.5	228.1	210.1	207.1	234.9	226.5	251.0	250.2
Asbestos	234.1	239.1	228.3	223.6	242.6	246.8	272.1	264.5
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Fuels	480.8	513.6	541.0	462.1	482.5	559.8	498.5	532.0
Coal	48.8	52.0	48.5	47.8	49.3	54.2	51.6	48.8
Natural gas	1,005.7	1,179.8	1,235.8	1,149.1	1,060.5	1,456.7	1,382.6	1,232.6
Petroleum			1,298.0	1,088.0	1,152.1	1,317.4	1,158.2	1,272.7
ANUFACTURING, TOTAL	164.9	173.9	169.4	168.9	176.2	184.9	188.4	188.6
ION-DURABLE MANUFACTURES	164.8	172.2	168.4	165.8	171.4	178.5	181.9	180.6
UN-DURADED INITOTACTORES	104.0	1/212						20010
Foods and beverages	158.9	162.1	144.8	146.8	159.0	151.3	159.5	170.7
Foods	154.8	157.2	138.9	140.0	151.7	146.2	152.4	163.2
Meat products	159.2	163.6	161.8	160.6	164.7	166.3	181.0	172.7
Dairy products	159.3	163.5	147.4	158.7	172.9	152.8	166.0	190.0
Canning and processing	164.7	165.4	88.0	86.8	132.7	92.0	95.8	141.5
Crain mill - weducto	137.5	145.9	143.6	135.4	139.9	190.7	177.6	180.8
Grain mill products			129.6	135.0	139.2			
Bakery products	145.4	138.8				131.2	139.2	144.3
Miscellaneous foods	158.3	164.3	157.4	155.3	157,1	154.7	158.6	159.3
Beverages	171.9	177.6	163.5	168.3	182.0	167.2	181.9	194.4
Carbonated beverages	173.0	178.7	136.6	167.7	179.4	138.3	173.5	181.6
		159.9	160.5	168.1	173.2	176.2	179.3	185.5
Breweries	156.3		206.5	175.9		185.3		
Distilleries	210.0	220.3	200.5	1/3.9	211.5	103.3	205.1	236.6
Tobacco and tobacco products	203.7	207.7	219.0	210.6	223.7	183.6	211.5	218.3
Rubber products	167.6	190.5	204.9	183.3	193.5	218.2	227.7	213.2
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Leather products	126.7	127.0						
Boots and shoes	137.7	136.9	157.4	141.3	132.6	151.6	149.3	141.0
Textiles	146.6	159.5	162.0	155.8	159.8	176.0	183.3	171.8
Cotton goods	105.3	109.6	109.6	109.0	106.2	116.9	139.0	118.9
			84.2	72.3	93.4	88.8	100.5	93.1
Wool goods Snythetic textiles and silk	84.9 243.6	89.8 281.0	298.3	283.6	285.2	327.4	320.0	303.6
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Clothing	111.0	137.0(1)	142.6	135.0	124.3	142.3	128.7	112.6
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Paper products			163.1	159.6	167.4	177.2	183.0	178.2
Pulp and paper	158.6	163.8	10311	199.0	1.01.4	111.2	103.0	110.2

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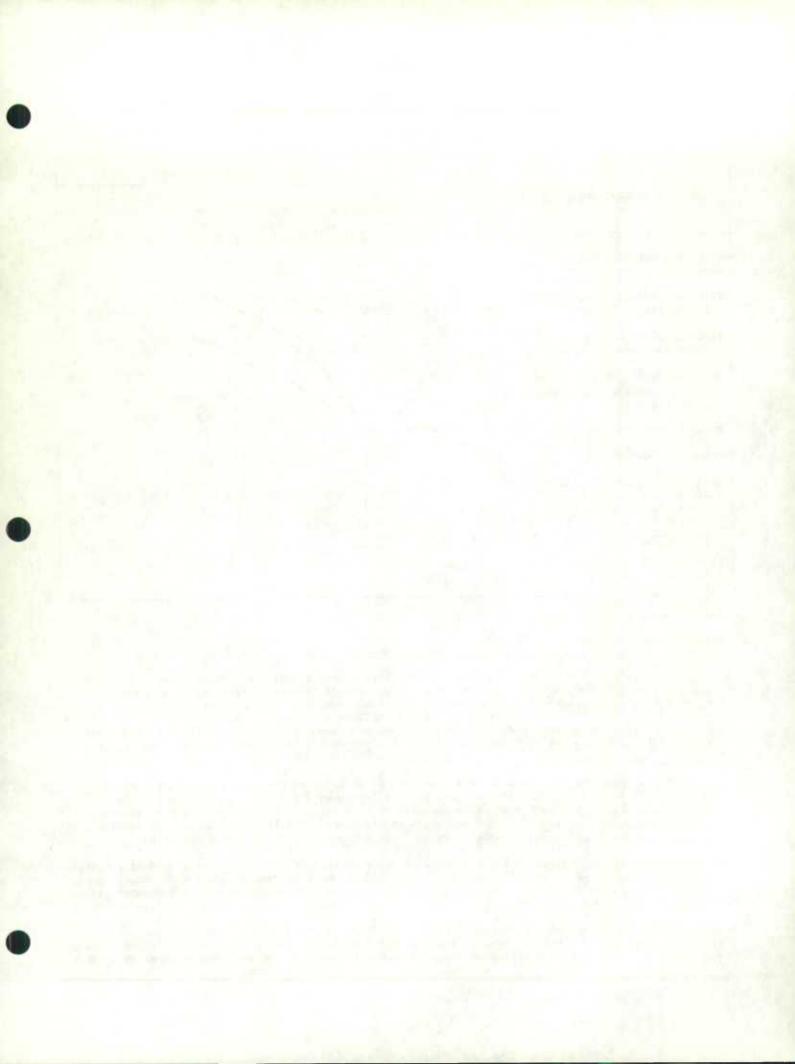
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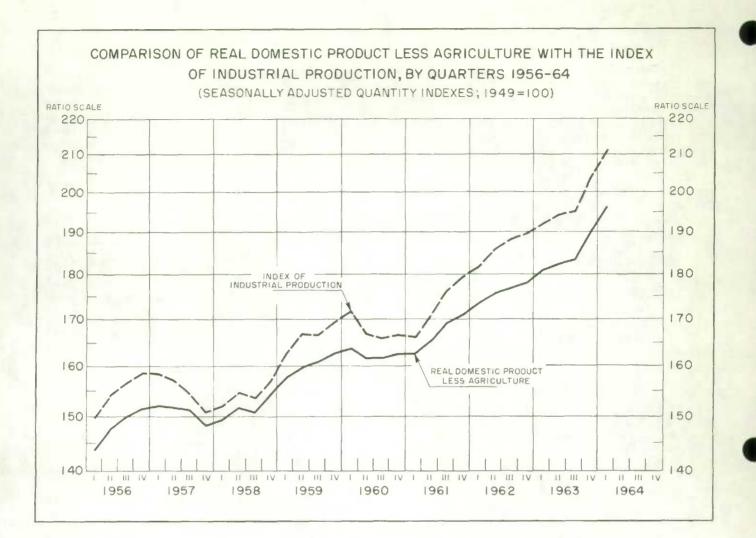
TABLE 2. Index of Industrial Production - Concluded

	Ann	ual	Without seasonal adjustment						
Industry or industry group	ave	rage		1963		1.175	1964		
	1962	1963	Mar.	Apr.	May	Mar.	Apr.	May	
ION-DURABLE MANUFACTURES -									
Concluded:									
Printing publishing and allied									
industries	154.0	156.7	157.4	157.8	160.0	163.3	174.4	179.7	
Products of petroleum and coal	272.8	296.0	297.7	275.9	273.0	296.5	283.3	267.4	
Petroleum products	294.3	319.7	321.6	296.8	293.7	320.3	305.5		
Chemicals and allied products	233.2	249.1	244.8	249.5	261.5	283.2	283.3	282.6	
Acids, alkalies, salts and									
fertilizers	266.0	302.0	299.6	311.8	325.5	340.7	356.1	349.5	
Miscellaneous manufactures	237.2	246.6	235.5	237.6	241.6	250.2	249.4	251.0	
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DURABLE MANUFACTURES	165.0	175.9	170.6	172.6	181.9	192,4	196.0	197.8	
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Wood products	151.5	159.0	161.7	142.1	157.2	174.9	159.7	166.2	
Saw and planing mills	161.1	172.1	179.3	150.4	171.5	195.8	173.4	182.1	
Veneers and plywoods	329.8	358.8	354.8	356.2	356.6	417.6	424.9	391.7	
Sawmills	149.6	162.3	176.4	135.0	164.5	189.7	155.3	172.7	
Furniture	152.5	153.0	145.1	145.2	146.5	151.1	151.2	153.3	
Iron and steel products	152.1	161.8	158.8	159.7	166.6	174.8	182.8	185.2	
Machinery	149.1	160.2	154.9	157.0	160.0	168.1	171.2	174.2	
Iron castings	135.5	151.1	175.4	165.5	165.2	173.1	198.5	217.1	
Primary iron and steel	193.0	216.9	207.2	213.5	225.5	236.0	257.2	249.7	
Sheet metal products	157.3	156.9	148.8	152.2	157.9	152.9	154.8	159.3	
Transportation equipment	156.7	181.4	180.5	197.8	203.1	227.6	233.7	221.7	
Aircraft and parts	260.0	233.8	230.0	225.9	227.6	263.8	265.0	269.3	
Motor vehicles	206.9	257.6	258.8	299.0	308.4	356.2	367.6	331.5	
Motor vehicle parts	146.6	179.5	172.8	178.6	184.8	216.6	222.2	228.1	
Railway rolling stock	41.5	41.1	39.0	38.7	39.0	45.6	45.5	45.7	
Shipbuilding and repairs	186.9	197.2	203.1	212.4	215.1	175.0	180.6	186.7	
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Non-ferrous metal products	148.9	148.8	145.6	149.7	149.8	157.9	162.7	166.2	
Brass and copper products	126.9	133.4	125.3	127.3	129.9	145.6	145.9	147.3	
Smelting and refining	164.2	161.6	160.5	165.7	164.9	171.7	178.7	183.4	
Electrical apparatus and									
supplies	212.9	223.5	216.2	212.6	212.9	225.8	227.7	227.7	
Heavy electrical machinery	149.8	154.3	151.7	150.8	151.7	155.1	155.7	156.9	
Telecommunication equipment	524.1	546.9	513.3	481.4	473.3	530.8	521.4	527.7	
Refrigerators and appliances	198.4	221.6	228.6	219.4	218.3	227.0	240.3	237.7	
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Non-metallic mineral products	240.9	243.0	189.5	208.8	263.4	220.2	243.4	276.7	
Concrete products	655.0	652.3	431.2	521.0	786.2	565.5	688.8	859.2	
Hydraulic cement	241.9	246.0	148.5	206.3	286.2	179.5	254.8	310.9	
Domestic clay products	148.1	136.7	103.9	117.7	144.1	126.3	146.0	160.4	
LECTRIC POWER AND GAS UTILITIES	337.7	367.4	380.0	363.7	351.5	427.8	419.7	374.2	
Electric power	313.1	339.2	332.4	328.5	329.1	377.8	370.5	349.2	
Gas	558.3	625.3	807.4	679.7	552.6	876.6	861.2	598.4	

(1949=100)

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Note to Users

The indexes of real domestic product at factor cost (the sum of the unduplicated output of all industries located in Canada) are an extension of the "Index of Industrial Production" to cover the whole range of domestic industries. In addition to mining, manufacturing and electric power and gas utilities, total domestic product includes the following industry groups: agriculture; forestry; fishing and trapping; construction; transportation, storage and communication; trade; finance, insurance and real estate; public administration and defence; and community, recreation, business and personal service.

The real domestic product indexes are also an elaboration of the supply side of the National Accounts. Total domestic product differs conceptually from constant dollar expenditure on Gross National Product by (1) the inclusion of income paid to non-residents (2) the exclusion of income received from non-residents, and (3) the exclusion of "indirect taxes less subsidies". In addition, of course, statistical differences may exist between these two measures of aggregate production.

The real output indexes in Table 3 serve to bring up to date the historical record of production in Canada published in DBS Occassional Paper 61-505, "Indexes of Real Domestic Product by Industry of Origin, 1935-61". This reference paper contains a detailed description of concepts and methods used as well as other relevant material.

The monthly "Index of Industrial Production" publication 61-005 will henceforth contain quarterly indexes of real domestic product, less agriculture, with component industry detail. Quarterly indexes for agriculture and for aggregate domestic production will not be available, except on a oncea-year basis; they will appear in the annual supplement to this report each spring.

REAL DOMESTIC PRODUCT LESS AGRICULTURE, FIRST QUARTER, 1964

Seasonally adjusted non-agricultural output for the first quarter of 1964 showed an increase of just over 3 per cent from the fourth quarter of 1963. It has thus increased by over 8 per cent since the first quarter of 1963 and by 21 per cent from its first quarter, 1961 cyclical trough. The industries comprising the Index of Industrial Production contributed substantially to the 1961 - 64 expansion, accounting for about 48 per cent of the increase, followed by trade with a 15 per cent contribution and transportation, storage and communication, which accounted for 11 per cent. The following is a comparison of percentage increases in non-agricultural output and the Index of Industrial Production over the course of recent cycles in real output.

Increase from trough to peak

	2Q'54 - 4Q'56	4Q'57 - 1Q'60	1Q'61 - 1Q'64(1)
	10 quarters	9 quarters	12 quarters
		per cent	
Total non-agricultural output	22.2	10.1	20.9
The Index of Industrial Production	25.4	13.7	27.1

Increase from previous peak

	3Q'53 - 4Q'56	4Q'56 - 1Q'60	1Q'60 - 1Q'64(1)
	13 quarters	13 quarters	16 quarters
		per cent	
Total non-agricultural output	20.4	7.9	20.0
The Index of Industrial Production	23.0	8.0	23.2

Some special factors affecting the economy during the fourth quarter were still at work during the opening months of 1964. The large export sales of grain, necessitating its transportation by rail and ship; the government programme for the stimulation of winter house - building which was operative during the last two quarters; the imminence of the second, and higher, stage of the tax on building materials which became effective as of April; and the high levels of automobile production, are among the most important of these special influences. Thus in many instances the strong upward movements evident in late 1963 were continued in the current year, with a slackening during March in some areas of production. The milder than average weather conditions in the first quarter may also have influenced output levels in some industries.

Among the major industry groupings, gains were widespread in the first quarter of 1964, ranging from a fractional increase in electric power and gas utilities to an almost 15 per cent gain in nonmetallic mineral products. There were only a few declines: in the tobacco, petroleum and leather products components of manufacturing and in storage.

The most notable development in the quarter was the 9 per cent increase in construction which accounted for about one-fifth of the gain in non-agricultural output. Following upon a 6 1/2 per cent increase in the fourth quarter, this current gain brought construction to a level more than 8 per cent above its previous post-war high reached during the second quarter of 1958. The expansion in construction activity also stimulated production in related industries, as shown by the large gains in the output and sales of building materials during this period.

(1) Production was still increasing during the first quarter.

Manufacturing, with a 3 1/2 per cent gain, continued to be the largest single contributor to the aggregate gain, accounting for over 30 per cent of the advance in non-agricultural output. For the second quarter in succession, durable manufacturing showed a particularly large gain (5 per cent versus 6 per cent in the preceding quarter). Increases of between 3 and 5 1/2 per cent were recorded by all major gourps except electrical apparatus and supplies (+ 1 per cent) and non-metallic mineral products (+ 14 1/2 per cent). This last group, which accounted for over one quarter of the gain in durables, advanced largely as a result of the exceptional increases in the cement and concrete products industries. It is interesting to note that other industries which produce construction materials, for instance, wood products, and some components of iron and steel in durables, as well as roofing paper and paints and varnishes in non-durables, also showed very strong gains for the quarter. In many of these industries, however, output showed some declines in March. Motor vehicle production, which has increased by more than 120 per cent since the first quarter of 1961, advanced by 4 1/2 per cent in the first quarter. While still high, this is a smaller increase than that achieved during the preceding three months. Nondurable manufacturing advanced by 2 1/2 per cent, thus accounting for about one third of the total increase in manufacturing. About half of the increase in non-durables came from the foods and beverages component, while the 5 per cent gain in chemicals contributed another 29 per cent to the advance.

Trade was the second largest contributor to the expansion in non-agricultural output during the first quarter, accounting for about 20 per cent of the total gain, followed by construction and durable manufacturing. More than half of the increase in trade came from the wholesale component, which increased by 6 1/2 per cent. Retail trade showed a 3 per cent gain. At both the retail and the wholesale levels particularly sharp increases took place in the sales of lumber, building, and construction materials and industrial and transportation equipment. Together they accounted for a major part of the total expansion in trade.

Transportation, storage and communication expanded less rapidly than during the fourth quarter, with railway transport, shipping and communication jointly accounting for about three quarters of the 2 1/2 per cent gain in the first quarter. Railways and shipping were again affected by large wheat movements. It must be remembered that the increases in the output of these two industries, although smaller than during the preceding quarter, represent an advance from very high fourth quarter levels. Storage showed a drop in the first quarter, mainly as a result of a decline in receipts and shipments at grain elevators from an exceptionally high fourth quarter.

Mining showed a strong gain of over 6 per cent in the first quarter, following a 5 1/2 per cent increase in the fourth quarter of 1963. During most of 1962 and 1963 the increases had been relatively small. The major part of the first quarter increase in mining came from the metal mining component, which advanced by 11 1/2 per cent, about half of which was due to iron ore.

Public administration and defence increased by less than 1 per cent after a pause in the fourth quarter, while finance, insurance and real estate and the community, recreation, business and personal service group exhibited a slight slowdown in their rates of advance as compared with the previous quarter.

	Gross		100 1 2.		Mini	ng		Manufacturing		
	Domestic Product, less agriculture	Forestry	Fishing and trapping	Total	Metals	Non- metals	Fuels	Total	Non-durable manu- facturing Total	
1949 Weights	89.286	2.108	0.540	3.245	1.925	0.268	0.915	27.340	14.7 42	
			S	easonal	ly adjust	ed	-		1.1.1.1	
961 - 1	162.2	128.9	141.9	250.9	195.4	210.2	369.2	147.7	153.3	
2	165.3	130.4	109.0	262.6	185.2	208.4	431.8	150.8	155.9	
3	169.2	134.7	109.5	271.9	191.7	210.3	447.4	155.4	158.6	
								158.8		
4	170.8	130.4	120.2	279.6	195.2	214.0	465.9	120.0	161.2	
962 - 1	173.5	146.9	144.1	280.4	194.2	221.8	471.8	160.5	162.8	
2	175.5	141.7	123.6	287.7	205.3	224.1	463.0	164.1	165.3	
					199.6		488.3	166.5	165.4	
3	176.8	140.4	131.4	291.1		227.4				
4	178.0	143.6	130.0	290.6	192.0	213.7	505.0	168.5	165.9	
963 - 1	180.9	148.8	122.4	290.3	194.6	215.4	503.7	170.3	168.8	
2	182.4	137.8	134.6	293.0	198.2	219.8	502.3	172.6	171.7	
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3	183.3	149.4	130.0	290.6	188.2	233.1		173.1	172.5	
4	190.0	161.4	121.1	306.6	199.3	240.5	539.2	180.4	177.1	
964 - 1	196.1	168.2	133.3	325.8	222.4	232.2	542.9	186.7	181.3	
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100		222	Witho	ut seas	onal adju	stment	25			
							100 7	150.0	157.0	
961	166.8	130.8	115.7	266.9	191.7	211.7	430.7	153.0	157.0	
962	175.8	140.5	130.4	287.4	197.7	222.5	480.8	164.9	164.8	
963	184.1	149.4	125.2	294.4	193.8	228.1	513.6	173.9	172.2	
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961 - 1	150.8	104.5	77.2	246.0	181.1	194.5	408.0	143.3	146.8	
2	167.6	120.5	112.9	260.3	186.3	212.3	416.0	153.9	156.7	
3	174.3	154.3	155.5	281.8	204.9	212.5	436.1	155.1	161.0	
4	174.7	143.8	117.1	279.7	194.4	227.6	462.8	159.7	163.4	
962 - 1	161.7	117.2	74.9	277.5	180.6	210.4	515.4	155.7	156.6	
2	177.9	126.4	127.8	283.7	204.9	228.7	444.3	168.0	166.1	
3		163.8	189.6	300.8	214.2	227.5	472.1	166.0	167.8	
	181.8									
4	181.9	154.5	129.4	287.6	191.3	223.6	491.4	169.7	168.7	
963 - 1	169.2	123.7	78.0	283.6	175.6	204.7	547.3	164.6	161.6	
2	184.9	129.1	136.9	290.9	202.4	224.5	479.5	176.4	171.8	
3	188.0	175.8	168.4	298.0	199.9		493.8	172.3	175.4	
4	194.1	169.0	117.5	304.9	197.4	250.9	533.8	182.4	180.2	
964 - 1	183.1	139.8	78.8	312.5	197.5	218.4	588.3	181.0	174.4	
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TABLE 3. Indexes of Real Domestic Product, less Agriculture1949=100



				Manufac	turing			
		14. J. H.	Non-	durable ma	nufacturin	1g		
	Foods and beverages	Tobacco and tobacco products	R <mark>ubber</mark> products	Leather products	Textiles	Clothing	Paper products	Printing, publishing and allied industries
1949 Weights	3.814	0.248	0.430	0.508	1.623	1.801	2.649	1.273
			S	Geasonally	adjusted			
1961 - 1	153.4	189.2	128.7	118.3	126.6	107.9	149.6	147.0
2					132.2	106.7	152.7	145.5
4	152.4	194.5	143.9	123.9				
3	155.3	195.2	152.7	125.0	136.6	107.9	155.1	148.5
4	156.3	198.7	159.1	128.6	142.4	112.0	156.1	152.4
1962 - 1	159.3	205.1	154.0	128.6	142.3	106.2	157.7	152.1
2	162.1	201.2	167.7	126.2	145.1	111.6	158.1	155.0
3	157.5	203.3	169.9	126.4	150.5	112.9	161.0	154.5
4		206.2	176.7	125.4	150.6	114.0	159.6	152.9
4	158.3	200.2	1/0./	123.4	10.0	114.0	109.0	1.72.9
1963 - 1	164.0	213.6	190.8	127.2	151.4	134.8	157.4	152.9
2	161.6	211.8	189.8	125.8	157.0	136.9	162.7	157.1
3	161.2		185.2	124.1	161.2	135.5	165.7	158.4
		202.9						
4	165.5	203.9	195.4	129.7	167.9	141.8	169.8	157.7
1964 - 1	174.0	195.8	212,2	127.6	167.9	133.0	175.2	160.6
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			Withou	t seasonal	adjustmen	t		
1961	154.2	193.6	145.7	123.8	1.34.6	107.1	153.4	148.2
1962	158.9	203.7	167.6	126.7	146.6	111.0	159.1	154.0
1963	162.1	207.7	190.5	127.0	159.5	137.0	164.3	156.7
		207.17	230.3		23363	2.37.10	10410	
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L961 - 1	128.4	185.8	131.9	126.4	131.1	111.7	145.9	146.2
2	152.0	207.4	149.3	125.5	135.3	102.3	155.0	147.0
3	173.2	183.6	137.9	116.6	127.4	107.8	154.8	144.5
4	163.1	197.6	163.7	126.5	144.5	106.4	157.8	155.0
962 - 1	134.3	202.3	157.5	137.2	147.7	111.3	153.5	151.4
2	160.9	215.2	173.9	128.6	148.6	106.9	160.5	156.4
3	176.0	191.8		117.3	136.4	112.9	161.3	150.0
			156.6					
4	164.6	205.6	182.4	123.7	153.5	113.0	161.1	158.1
1963 - 1	138.0	213.1	192.5	136.5	156.6	135.4	153.4	151.6
2	161.5	224.4	200.7	127.5	161.7	124.3	164.3	158.7
3	177.1	188.8	168.6	116.2	148.3	145.2	167.0	153.8
4	172.0	204.3	200.2	127.7	171.5	143.2	172.4	162.7
1964 - 1	148.6	195.6	215.8	137.4	172.1	133.6	170.0	158.5
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TABLE 3. Indexes of Real Domestic Product, less Agriculture - Continued 1949=100

	1.00			Manufact	uring			
	Non-dura	ble manufact	uring		Dura	ble manufa	cturing	
2215	Products of petroleum and coal	Chemicals and allied products	Miscel- laneous manu- facturing	Total	Wood products	Iron and steel products	Transpor- tation equipment	Non- ferrous metal product
1949 Weights	0.513	1.359	0.524	12.598	2.108	4.026	2.651	1.601
			Sea	asonally	adjusted			
.961 - 1	246.5	219.2	199.7	141.3	134.4	132.6	120.3	148.0
2	266.7	222.9	206.1	144.7	136.8	137.3	121.4	147.7
				151.8	142.7	144.9	136.6	142.5
3	259.0	224.4	216.8					
4	262.2	222.7	228.1	156.1	146.4	141.4	143.3	152.8
962 - 1	269.7	232.7	231.8	157.7	148.5	144.8	141.5	151.3
2	263.8	237.3	234.3	162.7	149.4	149.5	151.0	150.2
3	267.2	232.7	240.9	167.8	153.3	156.8	160.7	149.1
4	287.7	228.2	241.2	171.5	157.9	157.7	169.9	144.9
963 - 1	289.7	238.1	241.9	172.1	157.4	160.1	172.6	146.4
				173.6	157.1	160.6	173.6	150.3
2	293.5	249.9	249.0					
2	301.2	250.8	249.1	173.7	157.1	158.2	177.4	149.7
	306.4	259.1	246.5	184.2	165.0	168.2	202.0	149.8
964 - 1	302.4	272.7	256.8	193.0	171.3	176.8	209.1	156.
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961	258.8	222.1	213.0	148.4	139.6	139.4	129.8	147.6
962	272.8	233.2	237.2	165.0	151.5	152.1	156.7	148.9
963	296.0	249.1	246.6	175.9	159.0	161.8	181.4	148.
961 - 1	248.9	214.7	194.0	139.2	132.7	130.1	131.1	146.
2	256.4	229.3	202.2	150.8	139.7	141.5	141.9	147.
3	265.5	223.2	218.8	148.3	151.4	145.7	101.3	141.0
4	264.5	221.1	237.0	155.4	134.8	140.4	144.7	154.
962 - 1	273.1	229.0	224.8	154.8	146.8	139.1	153.9	150.
2	253.9	245.4	228.9	170.2	152.0	154.8	178.0	149.
		233.3	242.3	164.0	162.7	158.5	121.9	147.
3	275.3							
4	288.6	225.3	252.7	170.9	144.6	155.8	172.9	147.3
963 - 1	291.2	234.2	234.2	168.2	156.0	153.5	182.6	146.
2	276.8	259.3	241.6	181.7	159.5	166.6	203.1	148.9
3	309.3	250.4	251.2	168.6	167.6	161.7	129.6	147.6
4	306.7	252.7	259.4	184.9	153.1	165.2	210.3	152.
06.4 1	306 /	272.5	2/17 7	188.7	170.4	169.6	223.7	156.
964 - 1	306.4	212.3	247.7	100.1	170.4	103.0	263,1	100.
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TABLE 3. Indexes of Real Domestic Product, less Agriculture - Continued 1949=100



	Manuf	acturing				ortation, s d communica		Trade
	Durable ma	nufacturing	Con-	Electric				
	Electrical apparatus and supplies	Non-metallic mineral products	struction	and gas utilities	Total	Transpor- tation	Storage	Total
949 Weights	1.418	0.794	6.379	1.646	8.363	6.528	0.230	14.56
			Season	ally adjusted			1	
961 - 1	169.3	210.2	158.5	304.1	168.2	156.0	222.0	154.
	175.0	221.0	165.5	319.4	173.0	161.0	233.8	156.8
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3	185.8	220.2	173.2	327.8	174.1	162.4	215.5	160.
4	199.0	228.5	171.7	325.9	173.8	160.6	207.9	161.
62 - 1	206.6	227.4	172.1	335.7	179.8	167.8	202.8	164.
2	211.2	242.7	173.8	337.7	177.2	165.4	161.0	166.
3	213.1	242.6	169.8	343.4	179.8	167.3	180.1	166.
4	221.3	248.2	170.4	339.0	181.5	166.8	231.8	168.
63 - 1	220.0	236.7	172.0	352.1	188.3	175.7	217.2	171.
2	223.4	242.0	174.4	359.2	187.8	174.1	202.8	171.
					190.5	176.2	230.7	171.
3	222.1	246.5	169.8	369.8				
4	228.6	247.5	180.6	390.2	201.0	188.8	253.6	177.
64 - 1	231.0	284.0	197.2	390.6	206.5	194.8	235.0	185.
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			Without	seasonal adju	stment			
961	182.6	220.2	168.4	317.7	172.1	159.7	220,3	158.
				337.7	179.2	166.4	192.9	166.
62	212.9	240.9	171.0					173.
63	223.5	243.0	173.6	367.4	192.0	178.8	227.1	1/3.
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61 - 1	166.9	166.3	98.3	340.8	150.7	134.7		139.
2	170.5	227.7	169.1	308.6	176.7	166.1	254.1	162.
3	186.4	254.8	221.0	284.7	185.1	177.3	229.8	156.
4	206.7	232.0	185.3	336.8	175.7	160.7	217.7	174.
62 - 1	203.3	180.3	109.0	374.9	161.8	145.4	164.5	148.
2	205.3	249.3	175.8	328.5	181.4	171.5	173.1	173.
3	213.5	279.8	215.5	298.7	190.4	182.0	192.0	163.
4	229.4	254.0	183.5	348.7	183.1	166.5	241.8	182.
*******	627.4	234.0	100.0					
63 - 1	216.2	184.3	109.5	395.6	170.6	153.6	181.4	156.
2	216.5	250.1	176.7	349.2	192.4	180.9	212.6	177.
3	222.0	283.7	214.2	324.6	203.2	193.8	240.8	165.
				400.2	201.8	186.8	273.4	192.
4	239.2	253.9	194.1	400.2	201.0	100.0	213.4	1.76 .
964 - 1	227.1	213.2	127.9	439.2	187.1	170.9	197.4	168.
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TABLE 3. Indexes of Real Domestic Product, less Agriculture - Continued 1949=100

	Tra	de			Community,	Special	Industry In	ndexes
- 18	Whole- sale	Retail	Finance, insurance and real estate	Public adminis- tration and defence	recreation, business and personal service	Commercial industries, less agriculture	Non- com- mercial indus- tries(1)	Index of Industria Productio
1949 Weights	4.995	9.567	9.127	4.666	10.202	81.015	8.271	32.231
				Sea	sonally adjus	ted		
1961 - 1	154.8	155.0	173.1	182.5	149.0	160.7	176.9	166.1
2	161.3	154.5	174.5	182.6	150.8	164.0	178.5	170.6
3	167.7	156.2	176.3	184.7	153.8	168.0	181.0	176.0
4	168.5	157.3	178.0	185.9	154.9	169.7	182.5	179.5
.962 - 1	171.3	160.4	179.7	186.7	156.0	172.4	184.2	181.5
2	175.7	162.0	182.8	189.9	156.8	174.4	186.9	185.5
3	176.8	161.5	183.3	189.3	159.3	175.7	187.8	188.1
4	175.5	164.7	185.5	185.7	160.5	177.1	186.9	189.5
1062 1	102.0	165 /	100 1	106 6	160 7	100 0	107 5	101 7
1963 - 1	182.0	165.4	190.1	186.6	162.7	180.2	187.5	191.7
2	180.6	166.7	192.9	187.7	164.4	181.7	189.4	194.2
3	177.9	168.2	195.9	189.2	165.6	182.6	191.2	195.0
4	185.0	173.3	198.9	189.2	167.1	189.7	192.3	203.8
1964 - 1	197.4	17 <mark>8.</mark> 5	200.6	190.4	168.0	196.4	193.5	211.1
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1.1				Without	seasonal adju	stment		
961	162.7	155.9	175.5	183.9	152.2	165.5	179.7	172.9
962	174.9	162.6	182.9	187.9	158.2	174.8	186.5	186.0
.963	181.6	168.8	194.5	188.1	165.0	183.6	188.7	195.9
961 - 1	150.2	133.4	170.2	177.3	145.0	148.5	173.7	163.7
			175.5		151.4	166.4		172.6
2	171.7	158.3		182.5			178.6	
3	161.8	153.6	179.5	190.8	157.4	173.2	184.6	174.5
4	167.1	178.2	176.9	185.0	154.9	174.0	181.9	180.8
.962 - 1	167.0	138.7	176.7	181.5	151.8	159.7	181.0	179.2
2	187.3	166.5	183.8	189.8	157.4	177.0	187.0	187.8
3	170.7	158.9	186.7	195.5	163.2	180.8	191.5	186.4
4	174.5	186.4	184.4	184.9	160.6	181.5	186.4	190.7
.963 - 1	181.0	143.6	186.5	181.0	158.3	167.8	182.8	188.4
2	190.4	171.4	194.4	188.0	164.4	184.5	188.3	196.7
3	168.5	164.5	199.3	196.0	170.0	187.4	193.9	192.7
4	186.4	195.6	197.7	187.5	167.1	194.6	189.7	205.8
.964 - 1	196.1	154.0	196.7	184.3	163.4	182.4	1 89 .6	207.4
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TABLE 3. Indexes of Real Domestic Product, less Agriculture - Concluded 1949=100

 Includes public administration and defence; hospitals; education; welfare, religion and other community service, n.e.c.; and domestic service.

