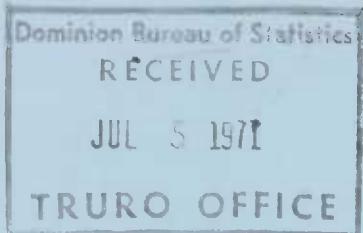


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NOTES ON PRICES AND PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

Industry Selling Price Indexes (1961=100)

Industry selling price indexes were higher in April than in March for 49 manufacturing industries, lower for 22 and unchanged for 29.

In terms of the relative importance of industries within manufacturing, the more notable changes in April were increases recorded in the petroleum and coal products group, mainly due to higher prices in the petroleum refining industry. Advances registered for the paper and allied products group, and the wood products group reflected higher prices in the pulp and paper mills and the sawmills industries respectively. The primary metals group moved higher on the strength of price increases recorded in the smelting and refining industry and in the iron and steel mills industry. Moderate declines occurred in the chemical products group.

The arithmetic average of the 100 industry indexes increased in April to 121.9 from 121.3 in March. The average increase for those industries showing higher price movements was 1.1%, while the comparable figure for those showing decreases was 0.6%.

March to April Changes in Industry Indexes

	April/March			Major group indexes		
	Number of industries			April 1971	March 1971	April 1970
	Increases	Decreases	Unchanged			
All industries	49	22	29	(1)	(1)	(1)
Foods and beverages	9	9	5	125.7	125.8	124.6
Tobacco and tobacco products	-	-	1	(1)	(1)	(1)
Rubber products	2	-	-	108.6	107.7	104.3
Leather products	2	1	-	129.6	128.8	125.5
Textile industries	2	2	5	102.9	103.0	104.7
Knitting mills	-	-	2	99.1	99.2	100.2
Clothing industries	1	-	-	(1)	(1)	(1)
Wood industries	6	-	-	142.0	140.3	131.1
Furniture and fixture industries	2	1	-	122.7	122.1	120.4
Paper and allied industries	3	2	1	118.4	116.2	118.5
Primary metal industries	5	-	2	133.0	131.5	142.0
Metal fabricating industries	3	-	-	(1)	(1)	(1)
Machinery industries	1	-	-	(1)	(1)	(1)
Transportation equipment industries ..	1	-	2	(1)	(1)	(1)
Electrical products industries	4	1	2	(1)	(1)	(1)
Non-metallic products industries	3	2	4	127.0	126.5	124.8
Petroleum and coal products industries	2	-	-	115.3	109.7	102.6
Chemical and chemical products industries	1	4	2	102.5	103.2	101.2
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	2	-	3	(1)	(1)	(1)

(1) Indexes not available at this level of aggregation.

General Wholesale Index (1935-39=100)

The General Wholesale Index moved up 0.6% in April to 288.4 from the revised March index of 286.7. It was slightly lower than the April 1970 index of 288.5. Five of the eight major group indexes were higher while three declined.

The chemical products group index advanced 2.4% in April to 235.8 from 230.2 on higher prices for fertilizer materials and drugs and pharmaceuticals. A rise of 2.2% to 388.0 from 379.6 in the wood products group index was mainly attributable to price increases for newsprint, cedar and fir. An increase of 1.2% to 263.5 from 260.3 in the non-ferrous metal products group index reflected higher prices for copper and its products, silver and zinc. The non-metallic mineral products group index moved up 0.9% to 225.7 from 223.6 on higher prices for petroleum products. The iron products group index advanced 0.5% to 314.1 from 312.5.

The textile products group index moved down 0.7% in April to 259.5 from 261.2 in response to lower prices for raw cotton. A decline of 0.3% to 319.7 from 320.8 in the animal products group index reflected price decreases for fishery products, cured meats and livestock. The vegetable products group index moved 0.3% lower to 240.2 from 240.9.

The following table shows some of the more noteworthy changes:

Commodity group and sub-group	Percentage changes		
	April 1971 March 1971	April 1970 March 1970	April 1971 April 1970
Chemical products group	+ 2.4	- 0.2	+ 5.3
Fertilizer materials	+ 5.0	-	+ 5.6
Industrial gases	+ 0.5	- 0.5	+ 3.9
Soaps and detergents	- 3.2	- 0.9	+ 0.1
Wood products group	+ 2.2	- 1.5	+ 3.0
Newsprint	+ 5.0	-	+ 1.2
Cedar	+ 2.7	- 1.2	+ 23.8
Pine	+ 2.2	- 1.3	+ 0.2
Fir	+ 0.6	- 8.1	+ 0.9
Spruce	- 1.9	+ 1.5	+ 13.3
Non-ferrous metal products group	+ 1.2	+ 0.1	- 10.6
Silver	+ 3.8	- 0.3	- 12.8
Zinc	+ 3.3	-	-
Copper and its products	+ 2.6	--	- 18.8
Non-metallic mineral products group	+ 0.9	+ 0.3	+ 5.3
Window glass	+ 5.7	-	+ 5.7
Petroleum products	+ 3.1	-	+ 8.6
Animal products group	- 0.3	- 1.7	- 3.6
Meats, cured	- 3.0	- 4.1	- 17.1
Fishery products	- 1.6	+ 0.2	+ 4.9
Livestock	- 0.8	- 3.8	- 8.5
Hides and skins	+ 9.9	- 8.6	- 6.6
Eggs	+ 8.4	- 6.9	- 8.1

Thirty Industrial Materials Price Index (1935-39=100)

The price index of Thirty Industrial Materials, calculated as an unweighted geometric average, advanced 0.5% to 267.6 in April from the March index of 266.4. Prices were higher for eleven commodities, lower for five and unchanged for fourteen. Principal changes included increases for beef hides, raw wool, linseed oil, domestic copper, fir timber, domestic zinc, sisal and tin, while decreases were recorded for oats, spruce lumber, and hogs.

Canadian Farm Products Price Index (1935-39=100)

The price index of Canadian Farm Products at terminal markets declined 0.2% to 265.7 in April from the revised March index of 266.2. A decrease of 0.6% to 185.4 from 186.6 in the field products index reflected lower prices for barley, potatoes, corn, hay and oats on the Eastern market and for rye in the West. Higher prices were shown for tobacco in the East and for flax and hay in the West. The animal products index advanced 0.1% to 346.0 from 345.8 on higher prices for eggs and raw wool on both Eastern and Western markets, for lambs in the East and calves in the West. Lower prices were shown for hogs on both markets and for lambs in the West.

Consumer Price Movements

The Consumer Price Index for Canada (1961=100) increased by 0.7% to 132.2 in April from 131.3 in March. This increase compares with one of 0.6% in the same month last year and is close to the five year average March to April increase. For the twelve-month period April 1970 to April 1971, the Index advanced by 1.9%; however, within the past four months the all-items index has increased by 1.8%. All major components registered advances in the latest month except Tobacco and Alcohol which remained unchanged. Both the Housing and Clothing indexes increased 0.9%, the former mainly as a result of higher home-ownership and household operation prices; the latter mainly because of the removal of sale prices. A 0.7% increase in the Food index was attributable to higher prices for food consumed at home with the major exception of meats. Higher gasoline prices was the main factor in a 0.5% rise in the Transportation component. Newspaper subscription rate increases advanced the Recreation and Reading index 0.2%, while a 0.3% rise in the Health and Personal Care index was attributable to increased dentists' fees.

In the supplementary classification, the index for non-durable commodities excluding food increased 0.9% mainly as a result of higher prices for clothing, gasoline, fuel oil and newspapers; durable commodities rose 0.4% because of increased homefurnishings prices; and services rose 0.5% reflecting increases in dentists' fees and the home-ownership and train fare components.

The Food index increased 0.7% to 129.1 in April from 128.2 in March in response to a 0.7% rise in prices of food consumed at home and 0.1% in restaurant meals. This latest advance in the Food index compares with a rise of 0.8% in the corresponding month in 1970. The overall food increase was partly attributable to seasonal advances particularly among fresh produce items. Fruit prices moved up 5.2% since the preceding month while vegetables rose 3.6% in the same period. Egg prices advanced 2.4% to register their largest increase since August 1970 but were still almost 18% below their level of April 1970. Price advances for cheeses, ice cream, and powdered milks moved the dairy products index up 0.4%. Among miscellaneous grocery items, higher prices were registered for pickles (2.2%), cakes (1.5%), tea (0.7%), instant coffee (0.6%); while lower prices were recorded for catsup (1.5%). The meat, fish and poultry component moved down 0.5%, as the retail price for pork decreased 1.6% as wholesale prices fell; beef and poultry each declined 0.5% while fish prices advanced 0.7%. In the first four months of 1971 the Food index has advanced 2.8%, however, over the twelve-month period ending April 1971 it fell 1.8%.

The Housing index increased 0.9% to 136.0 in April from 134.8 in March, because of increases in the shelter component of 0.7%, and in household operation of 1.1%. Within shelter, the rent index edged up 0.1% to an April 1971 level 2.3% above that of April 1970, while the home-ownership index advanced 1.1% between March and April to a level 8.5% above that of twelve months previous. The advance in the latter index in the latest month was a result of rises in new houses prices, home-owner repair charges and mortgage interest costs. Among household operation items, fuel oil rose in price by 7.6%, the latest increases being associated with higher imported crude oil prices in eastern Canada. Furniture prices advanced 1.0%, mainly as a result of higher prices recorded for living room and kitchen suites, and floor coverings rose 0.9%. The utensils and equipment index rose 0.7% mainly as a result of the removal of last month's sale prices on dishes and glassware in some cities. The return to regular from sale prices for cotton sheets and blankets in some stores, moderated by sales of curtains in Toronto and Ottawa resulted in a 0.3% rise in the textiles component, while continuing increases in bleach, foodwrap and toilet paper were the main cause of a 0.4% rise in the household supplies index in the latest month. Between April 1970 and April 1971, the Housing index advanced 4.8%.

The Clothing index moved up 0.9% to 127.9 in April from 126.8 in March, equalling its largest March to April increase in a decade to regain its December 1970 level. All clothing components, with the exception of piece goods and clothing services, recorded increases in the latest month. The women's wear component registered an increase of 1.7% in the latest month, partially as a result of the removal of sale prices on skirts, street dresses and gridles, while spring coats rose in price. Higher prices for men's suits in eastern Canada together with the removal of sale prices on work shirts in Toronto and sweaters in Ottawa, were the main causes of a 0.5% advance in the men's wear index. On the other hand, topcoat and work trouser prices declined because of sales in Montreal and Vancouver respectively. The children's wear index rose 0.3%, while the footwear index increased 1.1%, mainly as a result of the removal of sale prices on women's shoes in Halifax and children's shoes in Toronto. Jewellery prices advanced 2.3% as increases in Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg were moderated by decreases in Vancouver. On the other hand, piece goods prices declined 0.7% because of sales on cotton and rayon dress material in Toronto. In the twelve months to April 1971, the Clothing index rose 0.9%.

The Transportation index increased 0.5% to 129.4 in April from 128.8 in March. The main factor in this rise was a 2.2% increase in gasoline prices; the price increases being concentrated in eastern Canada and associated with higher imported crude oil prices. Among other automobile operation items, new passenger car prices edged up 0.2% and motor oil increased 0.8%. A seasonal increase in train fares advanced the inter-city travel component 0.4%. In April 1971 the Transportation index stood 3.9% above its level of twelve months previous.

The Health and Personal Care index rose 0.3% to 141.4 in April from 141.0 in March. The dentists' fees index increased 1.7%, reflecting increased fees for all services surveyed. On the other hand, personal care supplies prices declined 0.3% with reductions for toilet soap and toothpaste partially offset by higher razor blade prices. In the twelve months to April 1971, the Health and Personal Care index advanced 1.5%.

The Recreation and Reading index advanced 0.2% to 135.3 in April from 135.0 in March, solely because of increased newspaper subscription rates in Toronto, Brantford and Halifax. Between April 1970 and April 1971 the Recreation and Reading index rose 4.4%.

In April, the Tobacco and Alcohol index remained unchanged from its March level of 127.6, and stood 0.9% above its level of April 1970.

Security Price Indexes (1961=100)

The Investors Index of common stock prices rose 2.4 per cent to 153.1 over last month. Indexes for the three major groups increased with industrials up 2.0 per cent to 157.1, utilities up 2.8 per cent to 152.5 and finance rising 3.6 per cent to its all time high of 137.3. Within the thirteen industrial sub groups, increases ranged to a high of 6.5 per cent for chemicals. Non-metallic minerals rose to 144.8, its highest point since May 1967 and petroleum rose to an all time high of 198.3. Decreases were limited to one per cent or less in four of the sub groups. In utilities all sub groups registered increases with electric power at 122.2, up 6.0 per cent, reaching its highest point since 1968. In finance, with both banks, up 2.8 per cent to 157.0 and investment and loan, up 6.1 per cent to 103.5, this index reached its highest point since the first half of 1969.

In the same period, the index of Mining stock prices rose 4.5 per cent to 120.4 in response to increases in Golds and Base Metals of 2.2 per cent and 5.7 per cent respectively.

Of the two supplementary price indexes, Uranium continued its upward trend rising to 187.1 and Primary Oils and Gas reached its highest point since July 1969 at 438.9.

The Preferred stock index edged 0.7 per cent to 70.5.

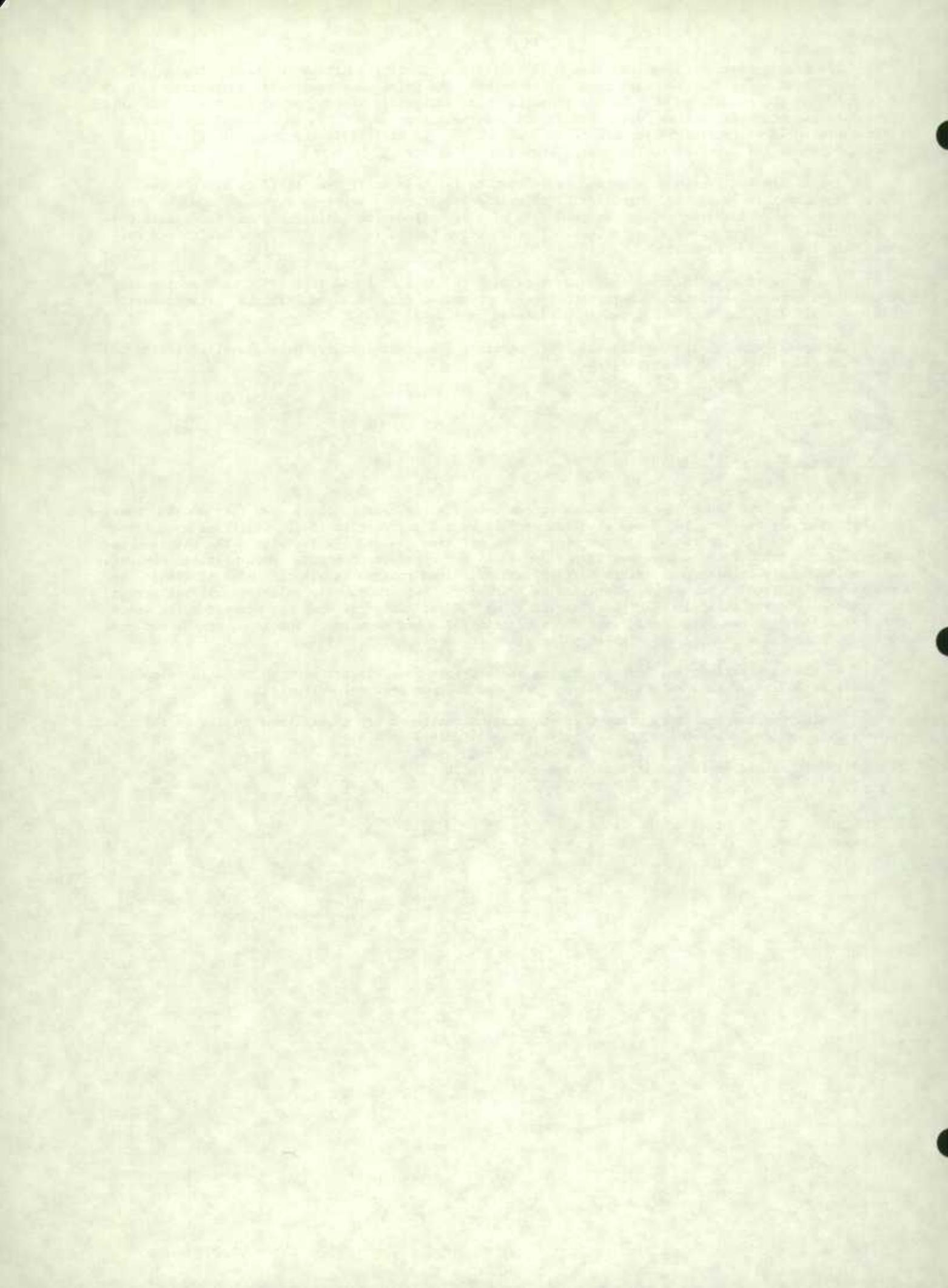


TABLE 1. Summary of Current Price Indexes

	Indexes				Percentage changes		
	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	Apr. 1971 Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970 Mar. 1970	Apr. 1971 Apr. 1970
Wholesale price indexes:							
Industry selling price indexes (1961=100) (See textual table page iv)							
General wholesale index (1935-39=100):(1) ..	288.4	286.7 ^x	288.5	289.9	+ 0.6	- 0.5	--
Vegetable products	240.2	240.9	238.5	237.8	- 0.3	+ 0.3	+ 0.7
Animal products	319.7	320.8 ^x	331.5	337.4	- 0.3	- 1.7	- 3.6
Textile products	259.5	261.2	257.4	257.1	- 0.7	+ 0.1	+ 0.8
Wood products	388.0	379.6	376.7	382.4	+ 2.2	- 1.5	+ 3.0
Iron products	314.1	312.5	305.4	304.7	+ 0.5	+ 0.2	+ 2.8
Non-ferrous metals	263.5	260.3	294.8	294.5	+ 1.2	+ 0.1	- 10.6
Non-metallic minerals	225.7	223.6	214.4	213.7	+ 0.9	+ 0.3	+ 5.3
Chemical products	235.8	230.2	224.0	224.4	+ 2.4	- 0.2	+ 5.3
Canadian farm products (1935-39=100):(2)	265.7	266.2 ^x	274.7	280.3	- 0.2	- 2.0	(2)
Eastern total	288.4	288.8 ^x	297.5	304.7	- 0.1	- 2.4	- 3.1
Western total	242.9	243.6	251.8	255.9	- 0.3	- 1.6	(2)
Field	185.4	186.6	188.6	189.4	- 0.6	- 0.4	(2)
Animal	346.0	345.8 ^x	360.7	371.2	+ 0.1	- 2.8	- 4.1
Selected price indexes:(1)							
Thirty industrial materials (1935-39=100) ..	267.6	266.4	271.6	272.3	+ 0.5	- 0.3	- 1.5
Residential building materials (1961=100) ..	141.8	141.2	136.7	137.0	+ 0.4	- 0.2	+ 3.7
Non-residential building materials (1961=100)	132.5	132.0	129.4	129.4	+ 0.4	-	+ 2.4
Consumer price indexes (1961=100):							
All-items index	132.2	131.3	129.7	128.9	+ 0.7	+ 0.6	+ 1.9
Food	129.1	128.2	131.5	130.5	+ 0.7	+ 0.8	- 1.8
Housing	136.0	134.8	129.8	129.2	+ 0.9	+ 0.5	+ 4.8
Clothing	127.9	126.8	126.8	126.0	+ 0.9	+ 0.6	+ 0.9
Transportation	129.4	128.8	124.6	124.0	+ 0.5	+ 0.5	+ 3.9
Health and personal care	141.4	141.0	139.3	137.7	+ 0.3	+ 1.2	+ 1.5
Recreation and reading	135.3	135.0	129.6	129.5	+ 0.2	+ 0.1	+ 4.4
Tobacco and alcohol	127.6	127.6	126.5	126.5	-	-	+ 0.9
Security price indexes (1961=100):							
Total investors index	153.1	149.5	146.1	150.3	+ 2.4	- 2.8	+ 4.8
Total industrials	157.1	154.0	158.2	162.6	+ 2.0	- 2.7	- 0.7
Industrial mines	156.9	157.1	169.8	175.3	- 0.1	- 3.1	- 7.6
Foods	140.1	140.3	148.3	150.4	- 0.1	- 1.4	- 5.5
Beverages	189.7	187.3	202.9	206.0	+ 1.3	- 1.5	- 6.5
Textiles and clothing	106.1	102.4	87.1	95.6	+ 3.6	- 8.9	+ 21.8
Pulp and paper	99.8	100.8	129.4	133.5	- 1.0	- 3.1	- 22.9
Printing and publishing	254.7	247.4	250.2	257.8	+ 3.0	- 2.9	+ 1.8
Primary metals	101.5	101.7	99.5	101.1	- 0.2	- 1.6	+ 2.0
Metal fabricating	160.7	153.4	133.0	137.1	+ 4.8	- 3.0	+ 20.8
Non-metallic minerals	144.8	138.4	118.5	116.4	+ 4.6	+ 1.8	+ 22.2
Petroleum	198.3	187.1	169.5	174.7	+ 6.0	- 3.0	+ 17.0
Chemicals	91.6	86.0	91.5	98.7	+ 6.5	- 7.3	+ 0.1
Construction	62.0	59.3	50.7	54.7	+ 4.6	- 7.3	+ 22.3
Retail trade	122.0	120.5	124.2	129.2	+ 1.2	- 3.9	- 1.8
Total utilities	152.5	148.4	124.0	125.7	+ 2.8	- 1.4	+ 23.0
Pipeline	169.1	163.9	130.1	130.6	+ 3.2	- 0.4	+ 30.0
Transportation	264.9	261.5	237.4	248.3	+ 1.3	- 4.4	+ 11.6
Telephone	99.9	98.4	87.9	87.2	+ 1.5	+ 0.8	+ 13.7
Electric power	122.2	115.3	92.0	92.5	+ 6.0	- 0.5	+ 32.8
Gas distribution	226.2	219.8	178.0	183.0	+ 2.9	- 2.7	+ 27.1
Total finance	137.3	132.5	121.1	127.2	+ 3.6	- 4.8	+ 13.4
Banks	157.0	152.7	140.2	149.0	+ 2.8	- 5.9	+ 12.0
Investment and loan	108.5	102.3	91.4	93.4	+ 6.1	- 2.1	+ 18.7
Mining stocks:							
General index	120.4	115.2	124.1	124.3	+ 4.5	- 0.2	- 3.0
Golds	113.7	111.3	110.0	109.6	+ 2.2	+ 0.4	+ 3.4
Base metals	125.1	118.4	133.5	134.1	+ 5.7	- 0.4	- 6.3
Supplementary indexes:							
Uraniums	187.1	173.6	197.4	214.3	+ 7.8	- 7.9	- 5.2
Primary oils and gas	438.9	427.3	351.1	372.3	+ 2.7	- 5.7	+ 25.0

(1) Indexes for 1971 are subject to revision.

(2) Year to year percentage change not shown since these indexes are not comparable. Indexes subsequent to July 1969 are subject to revision. See notes page 71 for details of Western grain prices.

TABLE 1. INDUSTRY-LEVEL PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961-10

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual	
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
FOODS AND BEVERAGES INDUSTRIES	1967	113.4	113.4	113.2	113.1	114.0	114.7	114.3	114.3	114.5	114.1	113.7	114.0	113.9
01	1968	114.1	113.8	113.3	113.5	114.1	115.4	115.8	116.7	117.2	117.0	117.0	117.7	115.5
Slaughtering and meat packing plants	1967	117.2	116.0	114.6	112.6	114.3	117.6	116.1	115.9	116.3	115.6	112.8	112.7	115.1
01 1010	1968	111.6	110.3	108.9	108.8	111.8	116.3	116.8	120.0	120.9	119.3	118.2	119.6	115.2
Beef, fresh or frozen	1967	121.2	119.9	120.0	118.8	118.9	124.2	126.0	127.4	129.4	125.8	125.0	123.7	123.4
01 1010 001	1968	121.5	118.7	114.8	117.5	121.3	126.2	127.1	129.2	129.1	127.0	124.9	123.4	123.4
Mutton and lamb, fresh or frozen	1967	122.8	122.7	128.1	138.2	148.9	156.9	151.6	142.1	135.8	127.1	127.1	130.6	136.0
01 1010 003	1969	137.6	143.1	145.7	147.8	140.0	140.6	140.3	135.5	138.2	135.9	137.6	138.3	140.4
Pork, fresh or frozen	1967	112.2	111.7	108.9	105.4	113.2	117.7	109.6	108.6	109.1	114.5	106.6	109.8	110.6
01 1010 004	1968	107.8	107.2	105.5	99.3	105.1	116.2	117.8	125.8	132.3	129.5	126.4	132.0	117.1
Veal, fresh or frozen	1967	136.6	135.8	135.3	131.5	131.3	133.2	131.3	130.4	128.5	128.0	127.6	128.7	131.5
01 1010 005	1968	139.6	136.8	137.9	134.3	131.5	134.7	131.5	127.8	127.8	128.0	131.1	136.2	133.1
Total cured or smoked meats	1967	143.7	146.7	145.2	144.6	150.4	158.1	155.3	150.2	150.0	150.2	152.1	159.4	154.5
01 1010 024	1969	166.3	166.7	168.6	168.0	163.9	166.7	166.1	161.1	160.3	162.6	161.6	166.5	144.7
Sausage, fresh, pure pork	1967	119.1	113.8	115.5	115.7	115.5	116.4	115.7	115.9	114.8	112.9	111.4	110.1	114.7
01 1010 025	1968	109.2	109.2	109.7	110.7	110.1	111.2	111.6	112.7	112.9	113.5	113.1	111.6	111.3
Sausage, fresh, other than pure pork	1967	125.2	120.9	119.9	120.5	119.8	120.5	113.4	114.3	113.4	112.5	115.8	114.3	117.5
01 1010 026	1968	114.9	115.4	115.2	114.2	113.1	114.6	114.8	115.0	115.2	115.9	115.1	115.1	114.9
Bologna	1969	114.6	118.7	120.9	119.9	123.5	136.2	137.7	138.7	134.8	134.2	131.3	131.3	128.4
01 1010 027	1970	132.3	132.1	131.6	130.4	128.4	127.8	126.7	126.7	123.4	120.4	118.9	117.2	126.3
Salumi	1971	116.6	117.6	121.1	121.3									
Wieners	1967	115.5	113.4	111.4	113.4	109.7	115.1	115.8	114.5	113.1	113.1	112.1	112.1	113.3
01 1010 028	1968	108.6	107.2	106.6	106.9	106.6	108.0	109.3	111.0	111.4	110.7	109.0	108.6	108.7
Boiled hams, ready-to-serve	1967	118.7	116.5	115.9	112.2	112.5	116.4	115.9	115.3	114.0	112.5	108.3	110.3	114.0
01 1010 035	1968	108.7	107.3	108.0	107.5	107.8	109.9	109.9	110.5	110.2	110.7	110.7	120.1	114.4
Canned luncheon meats (other than pork)	1967	119.4	119.7	120.9	116.4	117.2	115.7	115.9	113.3	113.3	110.3	111.2	111.4	115.4
01 1010 052	1968	106.8	107.8	108.8	104.3	105.4	106.9	105.2	107.4	110.7	110.7	109.6	113.1	107.8
Margarine	1969	112.2	112.4	122.4	120.2	120.2	120.2	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.2
01 1010 070	1970	126.1	124.9	124.6	123.6	124.8	129.5	131.1	132.3	132.5	133.4	141.5	129.8	124.5
1971	113.5	113.5	113.5	116.6	116.6	119.6	128.4	130.1	130.3	131.1	112.9	112.1	121.1	124.5

TABLE II. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDIVIDUAL SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY RETAILING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 1. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2 INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMPONENTS

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TABLE 2. GROWTH SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED CONDITIONS

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 1. MONTHLY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
Rubber footwear manufacturers	1967	108.5	110.3	110.9	110.9	110.8	110.8	111.1	111.1	111.4	111.4	111.4	110.8
1968	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	113.1	113.1	113.1	113.1	113.1	113.1	113.1	113.1	112.7
03 1610	112.9	112.9	112.9	113.0	113.4	113.4	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	114.2	113.6
1969	115.3	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.6	117.9	118.5	118.9	119.0	119.0	119.0	117.5
1970	118.9	120.2	120.5	121.5									
1971													
Boots, all rubber, knee high and hip	1967												
1968													
03 1610 030	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1
1969													
1970													
1971	118.1	119.8	119.8	119.8									
Overshoes and galoshes, cloth upper	1967												
1968													
03 1610 034	121.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	124.7	124.7	124.7	123.6
1969													
1970													
1971	124.7	126.0	126.0	126.0									
Overshoes and galoshes, all rubber, lined and unlined	1967	108.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.6
1968	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	111.9
03 1610 035	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	114.9	115.4
1969													
1970													
1971	119.7	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.3
Light and heavy rubbers	1967												
1968	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	108.1
03 1610 036	109.9	109.9	109.9	109.9	111.5	111.5	111.5	111.5	113.5	113.5	113.5	114.2	112.2
1969													
1970													
1971	119.3	121.9	121.9	121.9	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3					
Tire and tube manufacturers	1967	92.9	93.8	93.8	94.5	93.3	93.1	93.2	93.8	94.0	94.7	94.9	93.5
1968	91.7	92.0	92.0	94.4	94.6	94.6	95.9	96.4	97.1	96.8	97.8	97.8	95.1
03 1630	97.6	97.4	96.7	98.7	99.6	99.6	99.6	99.3	99.3	101.0	101.7	101.7	99.3
1969													
1970													
1971	101.2	101.2	101.2	102.0	102.3	102.6	102.6	103.4	104.4	104.4	104.5	104.5	102.8
Pneumatic tires (incl. tubeless), passenger car - 4 ply rating.	1967	93.4	94.2	94.6	94.4	92.3	92.3	92.5	93.5	93.5	94.2	94.7	94.9
03 1630 001	93.3	93.9	93.9	95.7	95.8	95.8	98.0	98.3	99.5	99.0	99.8	99.8	96.9
1969													
1970													
1971	102.5	102.5	102.6	103.8	104.2	104.6	104.6	105.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	104.6
Pneumatic tires (incl. tubeless) truck, bus, etc., sizes smaller than 1200-22.	1967	89.3	90.6	90.0	92.3	92.3	91.7	91.8	91.8	92.3	92.9	92.5	87.5
1968	85.3	84.9	84.9	88.0	87.9	87.9	88.3	89.1	89.7	89.9	91.0	91.0	88.2
03 1630 004	91.3	91.3	90.8	94.0	95.3	95.3	95.4	95.4	95.4	96.5	97.1	97.1	94.6
1969													
1970													
1971	96.6	99.3	99.3	100.6									
Pneumatic tires (incl. tubeless), truck, bus, etc., sizes 1200-22 and larger.	1967	89.3	90.6	90.1	92.0	92.0	90.9	90.9	90.9	91.9	91.9	91.6	91.1
1968	89.3	89.9	89.9	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	93.9	91.5	92.0	92.0	92.4
03 1630 007	92.9	90.8	90.8	92.8	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	96.4	96.8	96.8	93.7
1969													
1970													
1971	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.9	96.5	96.5	96.5	97.2	98.4	98.5	98.5	98.5	96.9
Pneumatic tires (incl. tubeless) tractor and implement	1967	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.3	110.3	110.3	112.0	112.2	112.8
1968	113.5	113.5	113.5	115.5	115.7	115.7	116.1	117.0	114.9	115.5	117.8	117.8	115.5
03 1630 008	117.9	115.9	115.9	116.7	118.9	118.9	119.2	119.1	119.1	120.0	119.9	119.9	118.4
1969													
1970													
1971	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.9	120.3	120.3	120.3	122.2	123.4	123.4	123.5	123.5	121.6
Tubes, passenger car	1967	85.4	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.0
1968	84.3	84.3	84.3	90.8	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.3	94.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	91.6
03 1630 018	90.4	90.4	90.4	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	91.7	94.0	94.0	91.0
1969													
1970													
1971	96.4	96.4	96.4	97.0									
Tubes, truck or bus, sizes smaller than 1200-22	1967	97.6	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	100.3	100.3	99.1
1968	97.5	97.5	97.5	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	99.9
03 1630 019	97.0	97.0	97.0	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	101.5	101.5	99.7
1969													
1970													
1971	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	102.3	102.3	101.6
LEATHER INDUSTRIES	1967	116.6	116.4	116.4	116.5	116.3	116.2	116.0	115.8	115.4	115.1	114.8	114.5
1968	115.6	115.8	115.9	116.5	116.6	118.6	118.7	119.3	119.3	120.0	120.0	120.7	118.1
04													
1969	122.0	122.0	122.3	123.6	123.7	124.3	124.3	124.3	124.8	125.5	125.4	125.4	124.0
1970	125.5	125.4	125.5	125.5	125.6	125.6	127.1	126.8	127.7	127.8	128.1	128.0	126.6
1971	128.8	128.8	128.8	129.6									
Leather tanneries	1967	113.2	112.6	112.6	111.5	110.7	110.1	109.6	108.6	105.8	104.6	103.3	102.3
1968	103.8	103.4	104.4	106.3	106.8	108.2	109.2	110.3	112.0	111.7	114.0	108.4	
04 1720	115.2	114.9	115.9	119.6	120.0	122.6	122.0	121.9	122.8	122.0	122.0	121.6	
1969													
1970													
1971	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.5									
Upper leather, cattle hides	1967	107.9	108.1	108.1	106.6	106.5	105.9	104.3	102.0	100.0	98.9	97.3	104.8
1968	99.3	98.8	99.6	102.9	103.6	105.6	106.5	107.9	106.2	108.8	108.0	109.9	104.8
04 1720 007	112.2	111.4	112.2	117.9	117.6	121.6	121.2	120.9	121.9	122.0	122.0	122.4	118.6
1969													
1970													
1971	122.5	121.8	122.5	121.4	121.4	120.0	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.4	118.1	118.1	120.0

TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2 INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES AT INVENTORY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
Towels, terry	1967	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.5
	1968	109.4	109.4	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.2
	1969	111.0	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	116.8	118.0	113.8
	1970	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4
	1971	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	118.4
Yarn spun for sale (all cotton), grey knitting	1967	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4
	1968	103.4	103.4	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.3	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6
	1969	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.5
	1970	101.5	101.5	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.4	99.7	99.4	93.7	93.0	92.8	98.7
	1971	92.8	93.5	93.1	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3
Yarn spun for sale (all cotton), grey, other singles ..	1967	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	106.0
	1968	106.1	106.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	105.7
	1969	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0
	1970	104.3	104.3	103.4	103.4	103.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	101.2	99.4	98.8	98.0
	1971	98.0	99.1	99.1	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9
Wool yarn mills	1967	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.1	106.0	105.9	105.4
	1968	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.7	106.2
	1969	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7
	1970	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1
	1971	103.3	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	104.1
Wool yarn (90% wool content and over), machine knitting	1967	107.9	107.9	107.9	107.9	107.9	108.9	108.9	108.9	107.8	107.4	107.1	105.6
	1968	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.5	107.3	106.1
	1969	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2
	1970	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9
	1971	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8
Wool cloth mills	1967	117.1	117.1	117.1	117.1	117.1	117.2	117.2	117.2	117.0	116.7	116.9	116.6
	1968	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.2	118.2	118.1
	1969	118.3	118.3	120.1	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7
	1970	122.4	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.4	122.4	122.4
	1971	122.4	122.9	124.3	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5
Woven apparel fabrics, worsted, all wool	1967	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	112.4	112.4	112.0	111.1	111.7	111.6	110.8
	1968	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	113.0	113.0	112.8
	1969	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.3
	1970	113.5	113.5	113.5	113.5	113.5	113.5	113.5	113.3	113.3	113.1	113.1	113.1
	1971	113.1	113.1	112.9	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1
Woven apparel fabrics, all wool, woollen	1967	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8
	1968	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8	134.8
	1969	136.8	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2
	1970	137.2	137.2	137.2	138.1	138.1	138.1	138.1	138.1	138.1	138.1	138.1	138.1
	1971	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2
Woven apparel fabrics, wool and polyester mixtures	1967												
	1968												
	1969												
	1970												
	1971	112.2	112.2	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0
Fabrics other than apparel, papermakers felts	1967	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3
	1968	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9	112.9
	1969	112.9	112.9	119.3	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	122.4
	1970	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8
	1971	124.8	126.8	133.6	135.7	135.7	135.7	135.7	135.7	135.7	135.7	135.7	135.7
Synthetic textile mills	1967	95.2	95.1	94.8	94.8	94.6	94.6	94.5	94.5	94.4	94.3	94.3	94.6
	1968	94.3	94.4	92.8	92.7	92.8	92.8	92.8	92.9	92.9	93.0	93.0	93.1
	1969	93.6	93.6	93.8	93.9	93.7	93.6	93.4	93.4	93.3	93.3	92.8	93.5
	1970	93.4	93.5	92.9	92.6	92.6	92.5	91.0	90.9	90.0	89.6	89.1	91.4
	1971	89.1	88.6	88.3	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2
Woven apparel fabrics (excl. pile fabrics) wholly of filament yarns, fabrics over 85% viscose and/or acetate	1967	99.9	99.3	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.1	98.1	98.3
	1968	98.3	98.3	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.8
	1969	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2
	1970	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.5	107.5	107.3	106.3	106.7	106.2	107.1
	1971	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.6
Apparel fabrics (excl. pile fabrics) wholly of spun yarns, filament yarn and cotton mixture fabrics	1967	107.7	107.6	107.6	107.7	107.6	107.6	107.6	107.6	107.6	106.8	106.8	107.4
	1968	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4
	1969	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	107.8
	1970	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.2	107.3	106.7	107.8
	1971	107.4	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	106.9	107.8
Staple fibre and tow	1967	93.9	93.7	93.7	93.7	89.5	89.5	89.5	89.5	89.5	89.5	89.5	90.9
	1968	90.2	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	90.9	90.9	90.9	90.9	91.1	91.1	91.0
	1969	89.4	89.4	89.4	89.3	89.1	89.1	88.5	87.6	87.5	87.5	87.5	88.6
	1970	87.5	86.7	85.4	84.0	84.0	83.8	83.8	83.7	81.6	81.0	81.0	85.3
	1971	81.0	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5
Yarn synthetic, thrown, nylon (incl. stretch and textured)	1967	94.0	93.2	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	92.8	92.8	92.8	92.8
	1968	91.0	91.0	91.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	93.7	94.2	91.6	92.6
	1969	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	90.7	90.4	88.0	90.0
	1970	89.7	89.7	89.0	87.9	87.0	85.9	85.9	85.2	85.7	85.5	85.2	86.8
	1971	84.6	84.2	84.2	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	84.8	84.8	84.8	85.3

TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SPILLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COUNTRIES

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TABLE 2. COMMUNITY BUILDING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRIES AND SELECTED COMMUNITIES

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TABLE 7. INDUSTRY-WEIGHTED PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 1. INDUSTRIAL SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY-SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961-100

TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
Office desks, metal	1967												
1968													
09 2640 006	117.3	121.7	119.9	119.9	119.0	119.0	118.0	118.0	117.4	117.4	117.4	117.4	121.1
1969	117.3	117.3	118.7	119.3	119.4	122.1	122.1	122.7	122.0	122.7	125.0	125.0	130.1
1970	126.4	127.5	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7	130.7
1971	130.9	133.6	133.5										
Metal visible record equipment (filing cabinets, boxes, etc.).	1967												
1968													
09 2640 007	112.0	112.0	111.7	112.2	113.1	114.3	114.3	117.2	118.2	118.2	120.2	120.2	115.3
1969	122.1	122.1	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.9	124.4
1970	124.3	127.1	127.1										
1971													
Office chairs, metal	1967												
1968													
09 2640 008	107.5	107.5	108.9	109.1	109.9	109.9	109.9	109.4	109.4	109.9	114.0	114.0	110.0
1969	118.7	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.2
1970	119.2	121.9	121.9										
1971													
Lockers and shelving, metal	1967												
1968													
09 2640 035	115.9	113.7	115.9	115.9	113.7	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.5
1969	114.9	116.5	114.9	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	117.2	117.8	120.2	120.2	116.8
1970	119.8	124.5	124.5	126.8	126.8	126.8	127.9	127.9	127.9	127.9	129.7	129.7	126.7
1971	129.7	132.3	132.2										
Miscellaneous furniture industries	1967												
1968													
09 2660	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.7	108.8	108.9	108.9	108.9	109.1	109.0	109.0	108.7
1969	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.0	111.0	111.1	111.3	111.6	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.3
1970	113.0	113.0	113.0	113.2	113.3	113.9	114.2	114.7	116.1	116.0	116.4	116.8	114.5
1971	118.2	118.3	118.3	118.3	118.6	118.5	118.5	119.1	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.6	118.8
Dual purpose or convertible furniture, living-room upholstered.	1967												
1968													
09 2660 024	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	111.2	114.2	114.2	114.7	114.7	114.7	112.1
1969	114.2	114.2	114.2	114.2	114.2	114.2	114.2	115.8	115.8	115.8	116.0	114.9	114.9
1970	120.4	120.9	120.9	120.9	120.9	120.9	120.9	120.9	123.1	123.1	123.1	123.1	121.6
1971	123.1	125.0	125.0										
Box springs, quill-filled bases	1967												
1968													
09 2660 063	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8
1969	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	100.8
1970	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.1
1971	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3
Mattresses, slat fabric	1967												
1968													
09 2660 066	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7
1969	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7	115.7
1970	118.6	118.6	118.6	118.6	118.6	118.6	118.6	118.6	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	120.2
1971	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	137.4	137.4	137.4	137.4	135.9
Mattresses, spring filled	1967												
1968													
09 2660 068	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9
1969	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.0
1970	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.3
1971	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.6
Drapery, hardware	1967												
1968													
09 2660 076	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	105.1
1969	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2
1970	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	109.4	106.6
1971	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4								
PAPER AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	1967												
1968													
10	109.2	109.3	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.6	110.4	110.2	110.1	109.7	110.0	110.4	109.8
1969	110.5	110.6	110.6	110.3	110.2	110.4	110.2	110.2	110.4	110.4	110.4	110.4	110.4
1970	112.4	112.6	112.9	113.3	113.4	114.0	114.7	114.7	114.8	114.9	114.6	114.5	113.9
1971	118.0	118.1	118.4	118.5	118.6	116.7	117.0	116.3	115.8	116.5	116.6	116.1	117.2
Pulp and paper mills	1967												
1968													
10 2710	109.8	109.9	109.9	109.9	109.9	110.0	110.0	110.8	110.5	110.1	110.3	110.8	110.2
1969	110.6	110.7	110.6	110.2	110.1	110.1	109.8	109.7	109.8	109.7	109.9	110.1	
1970	112.3	112.4	112.7	113.2	113.3	113.6	114.5	114.3	114.4	114.6	114.1	113.9	113.6
1971	118.2	118.4	118.6	118.7	118.7	118.6	116.2	116.6	115.6	114.9	115.7	115.1	116.9
Wood-pulp, for chemical conversion	1967												
1968													
10 2710 101	113.9	114.0	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.7	111.5	111.4	111.1	111.1	110.8	110.0	111.7
1969	111.7	111.9	111.9	112.6	112.3	113.4	112.8	112.6	112.6	111.9	111.6	111.6	112.2
1970	111.6	111.7	111.9	111.8	111.3	114.3	114.8	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.2	114.4	113.5
1971	118.9	119.0	118.9	118.9	118.9	115.6	114.4	113.2	112.5	113.2	113.0	111.7	115.7
Wood-pulp, sulphite, paper grades, bleached, domestic market	1967												
1968													
10 2710 121	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	103.1
1969	102.7	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	101.8
1970	103.6	103.6	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	105.7	105.7	105.7	106.8	107.6	107.6	105.2
1971	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	121.4	121.4	121.4	126.5	126.5	126.5	122.4
Wood-pulp, sulphite, paper grades, bleached, export	1967												
1968													
10 2710 122	112.5	112.6	112.7	112.7	112.7	112.5	112.2	111.9	111.8	111.5	111.5	112.4	112.2
1969	112.7	113.1	112.6	111.6	111.4	111.3	111.1	110.8	110.9	110.9	110.9	110.7	111.5
1970	111.9	112.0	112.3	113.1	113.2	113.4	116.1	115.7	115.7	116.6	116.3	115.7	114.3
1971	126.2	126.3	126.1	126.2	127.4	123.2	123.2	124.6	124.6	124.6	125.8	124.4	125.4

TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE I INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2 INDUSTRY WHOLESALE PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual	
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Other paper converters 10 2740	1967	110.4	110.8	111.3	111.4	111.3	111.3	111.4	111.9	112.1	112.4	113.6	113.8	111.8
	1968	114.4	114.5	114.6	114.3	114.3	114.5	114.5	114.6	114.7	114.7	114.9	114.6	114.6
	1969	115.8	116.4	116.9	117.0	117.0	117.0	117.7	118.2	118.3	118.5	118.8	119.0	117.6
	1970	121.3	121.4	121.5	122.1	122.3	122.2	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.3	122.3	122.4	122.0
	1971	123.6	124.5	124.8	126.0									
Blue print and other reproduction paper 10 2740 001	1967	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3	109.3
	1968	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2
	1969	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1
	1970	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	116.9
	1971	125.5	125.5	125.5										
Clay coated and enamelled paper and board 10 2740 005	1967	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6
	1968	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.8
	1969	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.6
	1970	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8	122.8
	1971	122.8	122.8	125.7	125.7									
Gummed tape, kraft 10 2740 010	1967	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6
	1968	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6
	1969	97.8	101.6	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	103.3
	1970	103.4	103.4	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	105.1	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.6
	1971	104.7	104.7	104.7										
Printed or plain, waxed paper for bread baking industry 10 2740 020	1967	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.8	108.8	110.7	110.7	110.7	110.7	109.2
	1968	110.9	110.9	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.3	111.3	111.3	111.3	111.4
	1969	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	115.1	114.2
	1970	117.9	117.9	118.5	119.6	119.6	118.7	117.6	118.2	118.2	118.4	118.4	120.0	118.6
	1971	120.0	120.3	120.3										
Printed or plain, waxed paper, for household 10 2740 021	1967	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3
	1968	104.2	105.0	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.2
	1969	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3
	1970	106.2	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.0
	1971	110.1	111.5	111.5										
Facial tissues 10 2740 034	1967	106.7	106.7	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	110.1	110.1	107.1
	1968	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8
	1969	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	112.9	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	117.7	113.0
	1970	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.5
	1971	123.0	128.4	128.4	128.4									
Writing pads and tablets 10 2740 042	1967	125.7	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5	128.3	
	1968	122.7	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.0	121.1
	1969	125.1	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.6	126.5
	1970	127.3	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.4
	1971	131.8	136.2	136.2	136.2									
Packaged toilet paper, for household use 10 2740 048	1967	104.1	104.1	104.0	104.2	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.9	104.1	104.1	104.3	104.3	104.5
	1968	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.4	109.7	109.7	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.4
	1969	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	110.3	112.0	113.5	113.5	113.5	110.6
	1970	119.8	119.5	119.5	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.8
	1971	121.8	127.8	127.8	130.7									
Paper towels, for household use 10 2740 050	1967	112.2	112.2	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	114.3	119.3	119.3	119.8	119.8	114.7
	1968	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	122.7	125.2	126.0	128.2	128.2	122.1
	1969	127.7	127.7	127.7	127.7	127.7	127.7	128.7	128.7	128.7	128.7	128.7	128.2	
	1970	128.7	130.8	133.5	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	134.2
	1971	135.2	137.3	137.3	138.2									
Paper napkins 10 2740 059	1967	115.0	115.0	115.0	115.1	115.1	115.3	115.3	115.9	118.3	118.3	120.9	120.9	116.7
	1968	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	120.0	120.0	121.4	123.6	123.6	123.6	123.6	123.6	121.5
	1969	124.1	124.1	124.1	124.1	124.1	124.1	124.1	125.0	128.4	128.4	128.4	128.4	125.8
	1970	135.6	135.9	136.9	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.6	137.2
	1971	137.6	140.0	140.4	142.3									
Envelopes (plain or printed) 10 2740 118	1967	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	122.2	124.0	119.6
	1968	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0	124.0
	1969	123.8	126.1	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	130.3	130.3	128.2
	1970	130.2	129.5	129.5	132.8	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	133.2
	1971	134.5	134.5	138.2										
Scribblers, note books and exercise books 10 2740 137	1967	115.5	120.0	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	125.9	124.5
	1968	132.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.0
	1969	135.2	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.7	138.4
	1970	148.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	151.7
	1971	162.8	167.5	167.5	168.6									
PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES 12	1967	116.7	118.4	118.5	118.5	118.4	118.3	118.4	118.3	119.8	119.8	120.0	122.2	118.9
	1968	121.9	123.8	124.5	121.7	120.2	121.1	118.7	118.5	118.9	118.5	118.8	119.7	120.5
	1969	123.4	124.0	124.9	126.0	126.6	128.1	128.0	130.6	131.4	131.8	133.5	139.3	129.0
	1970	139.4	140.0	141.7	142.0	140.4	137.8	135.8	134.2	133.5	133.1	132.6	131.8	136.9
	1971	131.1	130.2	131.5	133.0									
Iron and steel mills 12 2910	1967	102.3	103.2	103.2	103.8	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.7	103.5	103.5	103.5	103.3	103.4
	1968	103.1	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.2	103.3
	1969	103.6	103.7	105.4	105.8	106.4	106.5	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.5	110.0	111.2	105.1
	1970	111.9	111.9	112.0	112.4	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.6	115.2	113.4
	1971	115.3	115.4	115.8	116.4									

TABLE 2. INDIRECT SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 3. INDUSTRY-LEVEL PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1967=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
Cast iron soil pipes and fittings	1967	116.7	116.7	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	115.1
1968	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	117.0
12 2940 059	118.0	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	119.2	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	117.7
1969													
1970(1)													
1971													
Cast iron water pipes and fittings all sizes	1967	116.9	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	120.1	120.6	120.6	120.6	120.6	120.6	119.3
1968	120.6	121.5	121.5	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	122.3
12 2940 060	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	125.6
1969													
1970	128.8	128.8	128.8	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.1
1971	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9									
Smelting and refining	1967	125.8	128.3	128.5	128.6	128.5	128.7	128.5	128.4	132.0	131.9	132.0	136.1
1968	135.9	139.9	141.3	141.3	139.1	132.0	134.1	130.3	129.9	131.1	130.1	130.5	133.6
12 2950	138.6	139.6	140.4	142.2	143.0	145.6	144.9	149.5	150.0	149.7	151.4	162.8	146.5
1969													
1970	162.0	163.0	165.9	165.8	162.1	156.9	152.9	149.7	148.7	148.3	147.2	144.6	155.6
1971	143.3	141.7	143.6	146.3									
Refined copper	1967	154.4	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.1	162.5
1968	175.1	189.4	189.0	188.8	187.4	182.3	184.8	182.8	182.5	182.5	180.7	180.6	162.7
12 2950 030	167.8	170.1	172.0	178.9	180.6	190.4	185.5	204.4	204.2	201.0	205.8	202.5	189.4
1969													
1970	206.8	210.0	221.6	221.0	208.4	193.9	185.0	177.8	176.7	170.2	163.2	154.6	190.8
1971	152.4	148.0	155.7	165.2									
Refined silver	1967	148.9	148.9	148.9	148.9	148.9	177.8	186.0	186.4	193.2	208.9	216.8	233.6
1968	228.1	210.5	276.1	243.6	274.0	283.5	265.0	250.5	252.1	223.5	242.0	224.7	247.8
12 2950 039	228.7	201.7	208.5	203.7	199.5	191.5	191.5	194.9	201.1	207.5	220.2	206.0	204.6
1969													
1970	214.0	216.2	214.4	211.9	188.5	181.7	182.1	191.9	192.8	190.7	192.9	177.3	196.2
1971	182.1	171.3	179.0	186.6									
Refined zinc	1967												
1968													
12 2950 046	108.8	111.5	111.7	111.7	116.4	116.5	116.7	116.4	124.7	123.4	124.0	124.3	117.4
1969	124.3	124.4	124.4	124.6	124.6	121.6	120.4	119.2	115.3	116.3	116.2	116.0	124.4
1970	115.4	114.4	114.2	115.1									
1971													
Aluminum rolling, casting and extruding	1967	105.8	106.0	106.0	106.1	106.1	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.3	106.2	106.3	106.4
1968	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.1	105.0	105.0	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.4
12 2960	106.7	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.0	107.3	106.9	107.5	107.7	107.7	107.4
1969													
1970	109.7	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.7	109.7	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.9	109.7	109.7
1971	109.9	110.0	109.9	109.9									
Aluminum, sheets and strips (less than 0.250" thickness).	1967	109.7	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	106.2
1968	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	101.5	101.5	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.0
12 2960 016	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.7	104.7	103.7
1969													
1970	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.7
1971	104.7	171.2	104.7	104.7									
Copper and alloy, rolling, casting and extruding	1967	143.2	148.8	148.5	148.3	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.3	148.3	150.4	148.8
1968	157.0	157.2	157.3	157.3	157.6	158.0	144.6	144.6	144.3	144.3	144.3	144.4	150.9
12 2970	153.9	154.3	154.3	154.3	154.1	159.7	160.7	167.4	177.6	179.5	180.5	179.8	164.7
1969													
1970	178.8	178.8	183.3	183.8	183.7	183.6	183.1	182.7	182.3	182.3	178.8	171.3	181.0
1971	171.2	156.3	165.4	170.0									
Copper unalloyed, pipe and tubing	1967												
1968	147.2	147.2	147.2	147.2	148.3	149.1	136.3	136.3	136.3	136.3	136.3	136.3	142.0
12 2970 007	146.4	146.4	146.4	146.4	149.4	151.1	151.1	157.3	167.6	172.6	174.6	169.5	156.6
1969													
1970	168.4	168.4	172.4	172.4	172.4	172.4	172.4	172.4	172.4	172.4	169.0	161.9	170.6
1971	161.9	165.1	156.3	160.4									
Copper unalloyed, plates, sheets, strip and flat products.	1967	139.7	145.3	145.3	145.3	145.1	145.1	145.1	145.1	145.1	148.1	153.7	145.7
1968	153.7	153.7	153.7	153.7	154.4	154.4	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8	148.4
12 2970 008	154.2	154.2	154.2	154.2	156.2	156.8	158.4	163.2	172.2	175.7	177.2	162.7	
1969													
1970	177.2	177.2	181.4	181.4	181.4	181.4	181.4	181.4	181.4	178.2	170.8	179.6	
1971	170.8	165.1	165.1	169.3									
Copper unalloyed, wire rods	1967												
1968													
12 2970 009	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	165.3	165.3	165.3	174.0	185.6	185.6	186.3	186.3	171.1
1969	185.1	185.1	190.5	190.5	190.5	190.5	190.5	190.5	190.5	190.5	186.0	186.0	188.1
1970	176.7	169.0	169.0	174.5									
1971													
Copper alloyed, castings	1967	171.0	171.0	164.3	164.3	155.1	155.1	155.1	155.1	155.1	155.1	163.2	167.6
1968	167.3	167.3	170.6	169.5	162.8	162.8	157.7	158.0	158.0	158.0	158.0	158.0	162.3
12 2970 012	165.4	175.4	175.4	189.6	196.0	196.0	197.7	204.3	204.3	204.3	208.2	214.8	193.6
1969													
1970	214.8	214.8	217.0	219.2	218.1	214.8	202.9	195.1	185.5	184.2	182.5	177.0	202.2
1971	173.6	172.1	174.3	182.6									
Copper alloyed, pipe and tubing	1967												
1968													
12 2970 014	148.6	148.6	148.6	148.6	151.6	152.9	152.9	159.2	168.1	171.2	172.7	170.1	157.6
1969	169.8	169.8	172.9	172.9	172.9	172.9	172.9	172.9	172.9	172.9	170.3	165.1	171.3
1970	181.0	161.0	161.0	164.1									
1971													
Copper alloyed, plates, sheets, strip and flat products.	1967	136.0	138.8	138.8	138.8	138.4	138.4	138.4	141.4	141.4	141.4	143.9	139.9
1968	145.9	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.7	148.7	148.7	142.9	142.9	142.9	144.0	144.0	148.4
12 2970 015	148.1	148.1	148.1	148.1	150.8	150.8	150.8	162.2	165.6	171.8	171.8	175.7	159.4
1969													
1970	172.6	172.6	177.9	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	180.4	176.7	179.6
1971	176.7	173.9	173.9	176.1									

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TABLE 2. COUNTRY MILLION PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 1. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
Bolts and nuts, headed or threaded rods, all metals ...	1967	108.7	108.7	108.7	108.7	106.7	106.7	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.3	104.3	106.1
	1968	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.1
	1969	101.9	104.6	106.8	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	108.9	115.6	115.6
	1970	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3
	1971	121.3	123.7	123.7	123.7								
Screws, capscrews, all metals	1967	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	100.7	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	99.6
	1968	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.1
	1969	97.4	99.4	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	106.0	110.1	110.1
	1970	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.1	116.0
	1971	114.0	117.1	117.1	117.1								
Machine and sheet metal screws and stove bolts, all metals.	1967	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5	127.5
	1968	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6
	1969	129.6	129.6	130.2	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	131.9	132.0
	1970	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2
	1971	144.2	146.8	149.5	149.5								
Hardware, tool and cutlery manufacturers	1967	108.9	109.3	110.0	110.4	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.7	110.9	110.4
	1968	114.2	114.2	115.2	115.7	115.8	115.8	116.1	116.2	116.3	116.3	116.3	115.7
	1969	118.4	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	120.2	120.2	120.8	123.2	123.2	124.3	121.0
	1970	126.2	126.3	126.0	126.4	126.6	126.8	125.7	125.9	126.1	127.8	126.7	126.5
	1971	128.9	128.9	129.1	129.6								
Hardware, other builders' and shelf hardware	1967	114.4	114.4	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.8	116.8	115.9
	1968	118.4	118.4	118.8	118.8	117.4	117.4	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	118.6
	1969	119.5	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	125.6	125.6	127.1
	1970	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8
	1971	130.7	130.7	130.7									
Hardware, furniture and cabinet	1967	110.5	110.5	112.8	114.2	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.5	115.5	116.9	116.9	114.7
	1968	119.3	119.3	120.0	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	120.6
	1969	123.0	123.0	123.0	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	137.9	139.4	128.8
	1970	143.7	143.7	143.7	142.6	142.6	142.6	142.6	142.6	142.6	142.6	142.6	142.6
	1971	145.1	145.1	145.1									
Miscellaneous allied products, all metal inc. but not restricted to cross arm pins, pole steps, peavy and drive hooks.	1967	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.5	110.2	109.8	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	109.5
	1968	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.0	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.4	108.0
	1969	107.1	108.2	110.2	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.8	110.8	110.8	112.0	116.1	111.5
	1970	125.6	125.6	125.6	125.6	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.3
	1971	128.5	130.2	130.2									
Other cutting tools, drills, taps, bits, reamers, punches and threading dies.	1967	112.6	112.6	112.6	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.0
	1968	115.8	115.8	115.8	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	119.8
	1969	121.1	121.1	121.1	126.0	126.0	126.0	126.0	126.0	126.0	126.0	126.0	124.8
	1970	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	132.5	132.5
	1971	135.5	135.5	135.5									
Carpenters' and mechanics' hand tools, hammers	1967	109.1	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.7
	1968	110.7	110.7	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	116.5	115.5
	1969	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	121.3	121.3	121.3	127.3	127.3	123.0
	1970	128.5	130.5	130.5	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	131.6
	1971	133.8	133.8	133.8									
Other carpenters' and mechanics' hand tools	1967	106.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.6
	1968	108.6	108.6	113.9	113.9	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.4	113.4
	1969	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	119.9	120.3	120.3	120.3	125.1	125.1	122.1
	1970	128.2	130.0	130.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	132.4	131.6
	1971	134.2	134.2	134.2									
Saws for wood-cutting only, power driven, circular, inc. inserted tooth (blades only).	1967	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.6	111.1	119.2	110.5
	1968	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1	120.1
	1969	121.1	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	126.2	125.8
	1970	124.1	124.1	124.1	126.2	128.6	130.4	130.4	130.4	130.4	130.4	130.4	128.3
	1971	130.4	130.4	134.7									
Heating equipment manufacturers	1967	100.5	100.5	100.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	102.0	101.9	101.9	100.9
	1968	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.8	104.8	104.5
	1969	106.9	107.5	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.4	107.4	107.6
	1970	110.1	110.3	110.5	110.5	110.5	111.6	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.5	111.5	111.1
	1971	111.6	112.0	113.2	113.3								
Furnaces warm air, designed exclusively for oil burning	1967	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	94.2	94.2	94.2	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	96.7
	1968	96.6	96.6	96.6	94.7	97.4	97.3	97.3	97.3	97.3	97.3	97.3	96.9
	1969	97.8	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4
	1970	104.4	104.4	104.9	104.9	104.9	104.9	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.3
	1971	106.1	106.1	106.2	106.2								
Burners for furnaces and boilers, oil (power type) residential.	1967	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0
	1968	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3
	1969	111.3	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8
	1970	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6
	1971	117.6	118.2	118.2	118.2								
MACHINERY INDUSTRIES (except electrical)													

TABLE 1. DENSITY RELATIVE PRICE INDEXES AT TANZANIA AND SELECTED COUNTRIES

1961-100

TABLE 2. INDUSTRY-SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961-1960

TABLE 1. INDEX OF SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1967=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
Vacuum cleaners, electric, domestic, cylinder type 1967	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4
1968	92.7	93.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	93.8
16 3310 066	94.1	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.6	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.2
1969	92.9	92.9	92.9	92.9	92.9	92.9	92.9	94.6	93.6	93.6	93.6	93.6	93.3
1970	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.6	93.6	93.6	93.6	93.6	93.3
1971	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	93.3
Foodmixers, juicers, blenders, electric, domestic 1967	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	96.8	96.8	96.9	98.8	98.8	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.8
1968	101.2	102.7	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	105.3	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	104.5
16 3310 140	107.6	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.5	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	105.7
1969	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8
1970	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3
1971	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3	104.3
Manufacturers of major appliances	97.6	97.5	97.8	98.0	97.9	98.1	98.1	98.3	98.4	98.7	98.7	98.5	98.1
1967	98.5	98.6	98.9	98.7	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.9	98.9	99.1	99.2	99.0	98.8
1968	99.6	99.8	100.1	100.2	100.0	99.8	100.2	100.2	100.3	100.3	100.7	99.8	100.1
16 3320	101.8	102.1	102.1	101.9	101.7	101.8	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.1	101.2	98.3	101.4
1969	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1
1970	101.8	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1
1971	101.8	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1
Dryers, mechanical, electric	102.3	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.7	102.7	102.2
1967	100.0	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	101.6	101.6	100.7
16 3320 016	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.5	102.9	102.9	103.2
1969	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	102.0	102.0	102.3
1970	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	102.0	102.0	103.1
1971	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	103.1
Washing machines, domestic, electric, automatic type . 1967	103.9	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.2	103.9	103.9	103.9	104.2	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.1
1968	104.2	104.3	104.6	104.6	104.6	104.7	104.7	104.9	105.0	105.4	105.4	105.4	104.8
16 3320 020	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	105.5	105.5	106.2	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.9	106.9	106.2
1969	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	107.1
1970	103.7	103.7	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	107.1
1971	103.7	103.7	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	107.1
Washing machines, domestic, electric, conventional type.	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.3	104.3	104.6	104.6	104.0
1967	105.8	105.8	106.5	106.5	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.7	107.2	107.2	106.4
16 3320 022	109.6	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.1
1969	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.0	110.0	110.4
1970	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3
1971	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2
Blow and farm tractors, crawler	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.1
1967	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	83.9	84.3
16 3320 028	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.3
1969	84.9	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.7	85.3
1970	82.4	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8
1971	82.4	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8
Household refrigerators, electric	92.9	92.9	94.0	94.8	94.8	94.8	94.8	94.8	94.8	95.6	95.6	95.6	94.6
1967	95.3	95.5	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.6	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.6
16 3320 029	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.8
1969	97.7	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	96.9	96.9	96.9	97.0	97.0	97.0	96.9
1970	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	96.9
1971	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	96.9
Gas cooking stoves and ranges, domestic	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.6
1967	102.1	102.1	102.2	102.2	102.2	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.2
16 3320 043	101.5	102.8	103.9	103.9	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.3	104.3	104.3	103.6
1969	107.1	106.1	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.3
1970	107.7	107.8	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1
1971	107.7	107.8	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1	108.1
Electric cooking stoves and ranges, domestic, over 35 amperes, less than 28" wide.	93.5	93.5	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.1
1967	94.9	94.9	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	96.6
16 3320 049	97.6	98.7	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.9	99.9	99.1
1969	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	102.9	102.9	101.9
1970	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1
1971	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1
Electric cooking stoves and ranges, domestic, over 35 amperes, 28"-32" wide.	98.5	97.8	98.1	98.1	98.2	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	99.0	99.3	99.3	98.5
1967	98.6	98.8	99.0	99.0	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.2
16 3320 050	99.8	100.5	101.3	101.3	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.4	102.5	102.5	100.9
1969	102.4	103.5	103.5	103.5	102.6	102.7	103.6	103.6	103.6	102.0	102.3	102.3	102.5
1970	98.7	98.7	97.4	97.4	96.8	96.7	96.7	96.0	95.5	95.0	95.1	95.1	96.3
1971	98.7	98.7	97.4	97.4	96.8	96.7	96.7	96.0	95.5	95.0	95.1	95.1	96.3
Fuel oil (distillate) heating stoves and space heaters.	112.4	112.4	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	116.5	116.5	116.5	114.8
1967	116.9	118.0	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.3
16 3320 057	120.2	120.4	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.0
1969	123.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.0	122.5	122.5	122.5
1970	129.0	129.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	122.5
1971	129.0	129.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	122.5
Manufacturers of household radio and television receivers.	98.9	98.9	99.2	98.6	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.6	98.6	98.6
1967	99.4	99.2	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.1	98.7	98.5	98.5	99.0
16 3340	99.6	99.6	99.6	99.6	99.6	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.4
1970	97.0(2)	99.0	99.0	96.8	96.7	96.7	96.0	95.5	95.0	95.1	95.1	95.1	96.3
1971	95.2												

TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXED BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1961=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
T.V. receiving sets, portables, over 19"	1967	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.8	95.8	95.9	95.9	95.9	95.9	95.9	95.9	95.8
	1968	96.0	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.0	94.8	94.8	94.8	95.3
16 3340 019	1969	95.1	95.1	95.1	95.1	95.1	95.1	96.7	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	95.2
	1970	94.3	93.5	93.5	92.9	92.9	92.9	91.2	91.2	91.1	91.1	91.1	92.2
	1971	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.2	91.2	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1
T.V. receiving sets, table models, 23" and over	1967	98.8	98.8	98.8	99.1	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	98.0
	1968	88.4	97.9	97.9	98.0	98.0	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.8
16 3340 022	1969(2)	95.8 ^r	95.7 ^r	95.7 ^r	95.7 ^r	95.7 ^r	95.8 ^r						
	1970(2)	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.4	95.2	95.2	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	95.3
	1971	94.6	94.6	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9
T.V. receiving sets, consoles 21", 23" and over	1967	92.8	92.8	93.5	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.6	93.3
	1968	95.8	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.4	94.4	94.4	94.4	94.4	94.4	95.0
16 3340 076	1969	93.2	93.2	93.2	92.6	92.6	93.9	93.8	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.3	93.2
	1970(2)	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	91.0	89.8	89.2	89.2	89.5	89.5	90.8
	1971	89.6	89.6	89.6	89.6	89.6	89.6	89.6	89.5	89.5	89.5	89.5	90.8
Manufacturers of electrical industrial equipment	1967	102.7	103.0	103.7	104.0	104.2	103.7	103.6	103.3	102.6	102.4	102.7	102.4
	1968	102.1	101.5	100.9	101.1	100.3	100.7	99.5	99.8	100.1	100.4	100.7	100.3
16 3360	1969	100.5	99.7	100.4	100.1	101.2	102.1	102.8	103.1	102.9	103.9	104.5	102.1
	1970	106.2	106.3	107.5	108.2	108.5	108.2	108.9	108.7	109.7	109.7	110.1	108.5
	1971	110.2	110.6	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5
Watthour meters	1967	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.2
	1968	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	100.8	101.0
16 3360 170	1969	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	101.7
	1970	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3
	1971	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3
Distribution and power transformers	1967	107.9	108.8	110.3	110.3	110.8	109.2	108.7	108.1	106.4	105.7	106.9	108.3
	1968	106.9	105.0	104.6	104.8	103.1	103.0	100.9	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	102.6
16 3360 210	1969	98.9	95.8	96.6	95.6	98.3	100.2	103.2	104.6	104.4	105.3	107.1	101.4
	1970	109.9	109.9	112.2	113.8	115.2	114.0	116.7	115.6	117.0	116.3	118.3	118.7
	1971	119.7	118.4	118.3	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4
Current, up to and including 15 Kv.	1967	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2
	1968	105.2	106.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.2	109.4
16 3360 082	1969	109.5	109.5	114.0	117.0	117.0	117.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	115.0
	1970	116.0	120.0	123.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	125.2
	1971	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	125.2
Potential, up to and including 15 Kv.	1967	115.3	115.3	115.7	115.7	116.7	116.7	116.0	116.7	117.3	117.3	117.3	116.4
	1968	115.7	117.3	119.0	118.3	117.3	117.0	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	121.3	119.4
16 3360 084	1969	121.3	121.3	123.3	123.3	121.0	120.7	122.7	122.7	122.7	124.3	124.3	122.5
	1970	124.3	131.3	130.0	133.7	132.3	131.3	130.0	130.0	130.3	129.7	129.7	130.2
	1971	129.7	129.7	129.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7	133.7
Industrial control equipment	1967	99.3	99.0	98.6	98.6	98.5	98.7	98.5	98.4	96.6	97.9	97.8	98.3
	1968	95.9	94.8	94.5	94.7	94.1	94.0	92.9	92.6	92.7	94.1	94.2	94.1
16 3360 208	1969	93.1	92.7	96.6	97.1	98.5	98.4	97.9	98.0	98.6	99.6	99.4	97.4
	1970	98.9	99.3	98.9	98.7	98.7	98.8	98.9	98.6	99.2	99.4	98.9	99.0
	1971	99.4	101.0	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8	102.8
Switchgear and protective equipment assemblies	1967	112.0	111.8	112.7	113.7	114.1	113.2	113.6	112.9	113.1	112.0	111.6	110.4
	1968	109.8	110.2	107.9	108.3	107.1	109.0	107.8	107.4	109.2	109.6	110.8	109.0
16 3360 213	1969	112.0	112.0	110.4	110.1	111.1	112.5	112.1	111.6	110.6	112.1	112.9	111.5
	1970	111.1	110.9	113.9	115.2	115.2	114.6	114.6	115.1	117.7	118.3	117.7	114.9
	1971	115.0	116.1	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3
Line materials excluding wire and insulators	1967	102.1	102.9	106.8	106.8	106.6	106.6	106.7	106.7	106.6	106.6	106.6	106.0
	1968	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	106.3	108.9	106.6
16 3360 214	1969	113.9	113.8	117.2	117.2	117.2	117.2	117.2	117.2	117.0	117.0	119.8	116.8
	1970	133.1	133.1	132.9	132.9	132.9	132.9	132.9	132.9	132.5	132.5	132.7	132.8
	1971	132.5	132.5	132.6	132.6	132.6	132.6	132.6	132.6	132.6	132.6	132.7	132.8
Total A.C. motors	1967	89.3	89.5	89.7	90.6	90.6	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.3
	1968	89.1	89.1	89.1	89.1	89.1	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.3	89.2
16 3360 209	1969	89.8	89.9	90.2	90.2	90.2	91.0	91.0	91.0	91.0	91.0	91.0	90.6
	1970	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	94.4	94.4	94.5	94.5	94.6	94.6	94.3
	1971	95.5	97.2	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
A.C. motor, single phase induction, 1/3 h.p. and under	1967	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6
	1968	91.8	91.8	91.8	91.8	91.8	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.1
16 3360 038	1969	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	93.3
	1970	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.8	98.9
	1971	99.1	102.2	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3	102.3
A.C. motor, single phase induction, 1/2 h.p. and 3/4 h.p.	1967	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
	1968	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9	100.9
16 3360 039	1969	107.1	109.0	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	110.6
	1970	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.6
	1971	106.2	106.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2
A.C. motor, polyphase induction, 1 to 5 h.p. inclusive, open type.	1967	85.5	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	86.0
	1968	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5
16 3360 044	1969	85.9	85.7	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.8
	1970	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	92.1	92.7	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.0
	1971	91.6	91.7	91.7	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.0

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TABLE 2. INDIVIDUAL SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMITTEES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED CONSTITUTIONS

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TABLE 2 INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

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TABLE 2. INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES BY INDUSTRY AND SELECTED COMMODITIES

1962=100

Industries and selected commodities	Month												Annual
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES													
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Clocks and watch manufacturers industry	1967	112.2	113.1	113.1	113.1	112.9	112.9	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.6	113.6	113.6
1968	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.4	114.7	114.7	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	115.4
20 3812	116.9	117.9	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	119.7	120.2	120.2	120.2	120.2	118.8
1969	120.0	120.6	120.6	120.6	120.9	120.9	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	120.9
1970	121.2	121.2	121.3	123.6									
1971													
Watches, wrist, all types	1967	107.1	107.9	107.9	107.9	107.9	107.9	108.6	108.6	108.6	108.6	108.6	108.2
1968	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	110.6
20 3812 052	111.8	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	114.3
1970	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	116.3	116.3	116.3	116.3	116.3	116.3	116.0
1971	116.3	116.3	116.5	116.5									
Jewellery and silverware manufacturers	1967	123.9	123.9	123.6	123.6	123.6	127.2	130.7	131.3	132.3	133.5	134.6	137.1
1968	136.7	135.9	140.7	139.1	141.9	144.4	145.9	144.1	146.3	143.5	145.4	144.1	142.3
20 3820	144.6	142.1	142.9	142.6	143.1	143.4	143.5	143.8	144.3	144.9	147.2	145.5	144.0
1969	147.1	147.3	150.3	150.2	148.7	147.6	148.0	148.7	148.8	148.8	148.9	147.7	148.5
1970	148.0	144.6	145.3	146.2									
1971													
Gold alloys	1967	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.3	110.3	114.2	115.8	115.6	114.4	114.4	115.6	118.3
1968	119.7	119.9	120.9	126.4	129.2	130.2	127.5	127.2	128.6	127.1	128.5	129.9	126.3
20 3820 002	132.2	132.5	134.0	133.9	134.6	131.0	132.0	130.5	130.2	129.9	123.4	117.6	130.2
1969	117.9	118.1	116.7	118.3	118.7	115.9	114.8	114.3	115.1	118.5	118.6	118.5	117.1
1970	118.8	120.6	120.6	120.5									
1971													
Flatware and cutlery, silver plated	1967	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	127.4	132.7	137.6	137.6	137.6	129.2
1968	140.7	140.7	143.4	145.3	145.3	145.3	150.7	150.7	150.7	150.7	150.7	150.7	147.1
20 3820 029	157.4	157.4	157.4	157.4	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	162.8	161.0
1969	162.8	162.8	178.1	178.1	178.1	178.1	182.3	182.3	182.3	182.3	182.3	182.3	177.0
1970	182.3	182.3	187.6	187.6									
1971													
Buttons, buckles and fasteners manufacturers	1967	98.2	98.2	98.2	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	98.0
1968	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9
20 3981	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.7	99.2	99.2	99.2
1969	97.9	97.9	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2
1970	100.6	100.6	100.0	100.0									
1971													
Typewriter supplies manufacturers	1967	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	103.0	101.7	101.7
1968	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7
20 3988	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4
1969	101.1	101.1	101.1	101.1	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	101.4	102.1	102.1	102.1	101.6
1970	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1									
1971													
Fountain pen and pencil manufacturers	1967	101.1	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.9	101.8
1968	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9	102.9
20 3989	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	105.2	106.3	106.3	106.3	108.4	104.6
1969	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7	111.5	111.5	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.0
1970	111.7	111.7	111.7	111.7									
1971													
Complete fountain pens	1967	103.1	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.5	106.2
1968	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0
20 3989 001	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0
1969	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0
1970	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0									
1971													
Complete ball point pens	1967	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5	96.5
1968	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0
20 3989 005	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8
1969	97.9	97.9	97.9	97.9	102.0	102.0	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5	100.9
1970	102.5	102.5	102.5	102.5									
1971													
Replacement cartridges	1967	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2
1968	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7	97.7
20 3989 006	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6
1969	98.1	98.1	98.1	98.1	100.1	100.1	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	99.6
1970	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5									
1971													
Black lead, non-mechanical pencils	1967	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7
1968	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	110.4
20 3989 009	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0
1969	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2
1970	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2									
1971													

(1) Indexes available on request.

(2) Revised, includes coloured and black and white sets.

TABLE 2A. SPECIFIED INDUSTRY SELLING PRICE INDEXES(1)

$$100 \times 3 = 100$$

(1) Indexes for 1971 are subject to revision.

TABLE 3. Selected Price Indicators (1935-39=100)

General Wholesale Index and Principal Component

Date	General whole-sale index	Veg-table products	Animal products	Textile products	Wood products	Iron products	Non-ferrous metals products(1)	Non-metallic minerals products	Chemical products
1961	233.3	203.1	254.7	234.5	305.1	258.1	181.6	185.2	188.7
1962	240.0	211.6	262.5	241.2	315.9	256.2	192.1	189.1	190.5
1963	244.6	227.8	255.6	248.0	323.4	253.6	197.5	189.5	189.3
1964	245.4	223.3	250.8	248.4	330.9	256.4	205.9	190.9	191.2
1965	250.4	218.4	270.7	246.6	334.0	264.5	217.6	191.6	200.2
1966	259.5	225.9	296.2	251.5	337.8	268.0	229.9	193.7	207.1
1967	264.1	230.9	293.1	252.7	346.3	274.4	240.2	199.2	212.6
1968	269.9	230.8	294.6	256.5	367.9	276.8	250.8	206.0	213.7
1969	282.4	237.9	322.4	256.7	389.4	285.8	264.0	210.0	219.7
1970	286.4	238.4	326.0	257.0	377.5	305.1	281.0	215.8	225.7
1969 - Jan.	278.0	239.3	306.6	256.6	388.9	278.6	255.6	209.7	215.5
Feb.	279.0	240.2	308.5	256.5	393.2	278.9	253.7	209.7	215.2
Mar.	280.5	237.9	309.3	256.5	402.4	281.6	254.4	209.8	217.0
Apr.	281.8	238.4	316.0	256.4	401.8	282.5	254.4	209.4	219.5
May	283.1	238.4	326.7	257.0	394.2	284.0	258.7	210.4	218.6
June	284.7	238.9	338.6	257.1	390.8	284.4	258.4	210.1	216.9
July	282.7	238.5	333.1	256.8	383.0	285.1	258.8	209.9	215.7
Aug.	282.8	236.6	328.8	256.9	387.1	285.3	264.0	210.4	221.3
Sept.	283.4	236.1	327.9	256.8	386.5	285.8	272.6	210.2	222.4
Oct.	283.4	236.0	324.4	256.7	384.3	291.2	273.7	210.2	223.4
Nov.	283.0	237.9	322.2	256.7	378.1	294.1	274.8	210.1	221.6
Dec.	286.2	236.6	327.3	256.6	382.9	297.7	288.7	210.3	223.7
1970 - Jan.	287.7	236.7	332.9	256.9	380.0	301.3	290.9	213.6	223.2
Feb.	288.9	237.6	338.1	256.7	379.2	303.3	291.1	213.7	223.7
Mar.	289.9	237.8	337.4	257.1	382.4	304.7	294.5	213.7	224.4
Apr.	288.5	238.5	331.5	257.4	376.7	305.4	294.8	214.4	224.0
May	288.4	238.8	329.9	257.7	380.0	305.8	289.1	214.4	225.4
June	287.0	237.6	326.3	257.3	382.2	305.4	282.1	214.4	225.1
July	286.0	238.7	324.6	256.9	378.9	304.8	278.3	214.4	224.7
Aug.	284.1	237.0	322.2	257.0	372.8	304.9	275.6	214.6	225.1
Sept.	284.4	237.9	321.2	256.9	375.6	304.7	274.3	214.7	224.8
Oct.	284.6	239.9	317.2	256.7	376.2	304.6	271.5	220.1	228.7
Nov.	283.9	239.7	316.3	257.0	374.5	305.0	268.1	220.1	229.8
Dec.	283.9	240.9	314.9	257.0	371.9	311.5	261.7	221.3	229.3
1971(2) - Jan.	285.0 ^r	242.9	315.8 ^r	258.1	374.2	311.9	260.0	223.1	229.1
Feb.	286.2 ^r	240.9	322.9 ^r	260.5	377.8	312.4 ^r	256.5	223.5	229.2
Mar.	286.7 ^r	240.9	320.8 ^r	261.2	379.6	312.5	260.3	223.6	230.2
Apr.	288.4	240.2	319.7	259.5	388.0	314.1	263.5	225.7	235.8
June									
July									
Sept.									
Oct.									
Nov.									
Dec.									

(1) Includes gold.

(2) Indexes for 1971 are subject to revision.

TABLE 3. Selected Price Indicators (1935-39=100) — Continued

Special Groupings of Components of General Wholesale Index

Date	Non-farm products(1)	Combined iron, and non-ferrous metals groups(2)	Raw and partly mfg. goods(3)	Fully and chiefly manufactured goods			
				Total(3)	Iron and non-ferrous metals(4)	Iron	Non-ferrous metals(4)
1961	239.1	253.3	212.6	244.5	254.4	253.4	270.0
1962	244.8	258.2	223.8	249.0	254.3	253.0	275.8
1963	248.0	260.4	226.9	254.2	253.9	252.3	280.2
1964	252.2	268.3	225.7	256.4	255.8	254.0	294.5
1965	257.2	281.8	231.2	261.3	264.0	261.5	319.6
1966	262.5	281.8	231.2	261.3	264.0	261.5	336.6
1967	269.0	304.5	246.1	274.2	277.2	274.1	343.6
1968	278.2	313.9	249.1	281.6	281.1	277.6	355.6
1969	288.7	329.0	260.0	294.9	291.9	287.6	385.1
1970	294.2	354.2	265.0	298.4	308.8	304.0	412.0
1969 — Jan.	285.2	318.7	255.7	290.6	284.2	280.2	369.5
Feb.	286.0	317.4	255.8	292.1	284.5	280.5	369.9
Mar.	289.1	319.4	255.0	294.9	287.4	283.5	369.9
Apr.	289.2	320.0	256.8	295.9	288.2	284.4	368.8
May	288.6	324.0	260.3	296.0	290.0	285.9	378.4
June	287.8	324.0	263.2	296.6	290.4	286.3	378.6
July	286.1	324.6	262.2	294.1	290.8	286.6	381.2
Aug.	288.2	328.7	261.7	294.6	291.1	286.8	384.0
Sept.	289.6	335.4	262.0	295.3	292.2	287.2	400.2
Oct.	290.5	339.4	260.8	296.0	298.3	293.4	405.1
Nov.	289.7	342.0	261.2	295.1	301.6	296.7	405.5
Dec.	294.1	354.6	265.0	298.1	304.4	299.5	410.0
1970 — Jan.	295.0	358.5	268.9	298.1	306.8	302.1	408.8
Feb.	295.4	359.8	271.6	298.5	307.1	302.4	407.7
Mar.	297.1	363.3	273.0	299.3	307.4	302.5	412.6
Apr.	296.1	363.8	271.0	298.2	308.2	303.3	413.7
May	296.2	359.8	269.4	298.9	309.1	304.2	413.7
June	295.4	355.2	265.3	299.2	308.5	303.6	412.6
July	293.7	352.4	264.2	298.2	308.9	303.9	416.3
Aug.	291.9	350.8	261.6	296.7	308.7	303.8	415.2
Sept.	292.3	350.0	260.9	297.6	308.5	303.5	415.2
Oct.	292.9	347.5	259.2	298.9	308.4	303.4	415.0
Nov.	292.1	345.2	258.3	298.3	308.7	303.9	411.2
Dec.	292.0	344.2	256.9	299.2	315.1	311.1	402.4
1971(5) — Jan.	292.8	343.4	257.3 ^r	300.6	315.5	311.5	400.9
Feb.	293.6	340.9	257.5 ^r	302.3	315.3	311.6	393.5
Mar.	295.0	344.2 ^r	257.1 ^r	303.3	316.3	312.7	394.2
Apr.	298.3	347.6	257.4	305.8	318.5	314.8	399.1
July							
Aug.							
Sept.							
Oct.							
Nov.							
Dec.							

(1) Consists of General Wholesale Index less Animal products and Vegetable products component groups (see preceding page).

(2) Consists of Iron products, and Non-ferrous metals products component groups less gold (see preceding page). (3) These two series comprise the General Wholesale Index. (4) Excludes golds. (5) Indexes for 1971 are subject to revision.

TABLE 3. Selected Price Indicators - Concluded

Other Wholesale Price Indexes

Thirty industrial materials		Canadian farm products(1)				
		Total	Commodity indexes		Regional indexes	
			Field	Animal	Eastern	Western
(1935-39=100)						
1961	243.2	230.9	191.7	270.0	235.5	226.2
1962	248.0	240.8	195.5	286.0	242.9	238.7
1963	253.5	236.3	197.2	275.4	239.2	233.4
1964	258.3	232.7	198.2	267.3	234.1	231.4
1965	258.7	249.8	210.3	289.3	258.1	241.5
1966	261.4	265.6	209.7	321.5	275.5	255.6
1967	253.1	263.9	202.5	325.3	275.3	252.5
1968	254.0	257.8	186.3	329.3	276.2	239.4
1969	267.7	271.0	184.0	357.9	291.2	250.8
1970	268.8	271.3	190.3	352.3	294.6	248.1
1969 - July	269.0	278.8	186.0	371.6	300.2	257.4
Aug.	269.2	275.0	188.2	361.7	296.1	253.9
Sept.	270.4	271.4	182.6	360.2	290.2	252.6
Oct.	266.6	266.8	181.3	352.3	285.2	248.5
Nov.	267.8	267.7	183.4	352.1	288.4	247.1
Dec.	269.6	270.4	182.9	357.9	293.0	247.8
1970 - Jan.	271.9	275.2	185.4	364.9	295.4	254.6
Feb.	270.8	281.8	189.2	374.5	305.5	258.1
Mar.	272.3	280.3	189.4	371.2	304.7	255.9
Apr.	271.6	274.7	188.6	360.7	297.5	251.8
May	272.3	278.3	193.3	363.3	301.0	255.8
June	270.2	274.4	196.1	352.7	300.1	248.7
July	268.7	275.0	201.3	348.8	303.2	246.9
Aug.	267.3	270.2	197.5	342.9	297.3	243.1
Sept.	265.8	263.6	184.7	342.5	283.3	243.9
Oct.	265.1	260.4	185.7	335.1	282.2	238.6
Nov.	265.5	261.4	185.4	337.4	281.8	241.0
Dec.	264.4	260.8	187.5	334.0	282.8	238.8
1971(2) - Jan.	264.2	263.1	188.9	337.4	284.8	241.5
Feb.	266.0	267.3	187.0	347.6	290.0	244.6
Mar.	266.4	266.2 ^r	186.6	345.8 ^r	288.8 ^r	243.6
Apr.	267.6	265.7	185.4	346.0	288.4	242.9
May						
June						
July						
Aug.						
Sept.						
Oct.						
Nov.						
Dec.						
<u>Weekly index</u>						
April 2	270.9	263.7	185.5	341.9	287.1	240.3
April 9	270.9	264.7	186.7	342.7	288.3	241.0
April 16	271.0	265.5	185.4	345.6	288.0	242.9
April 23	270.5	265.2	186.6	343.9	289.1	241.4
April 30	270.3	265.1	187.9	342.4	288.7	241.6

(1) Final to July 1969. See page 71 for details on western grain prices and specific publications wherein final indexes for earlier years may be found.

(2) Indexes for 1971 are subject to revision.

TABLE 4. Wholesale Price Indexes of Selected Primary Commodities (1)
(1935-39=100)

Primary commodities	Months				Annual averages		
	April 1971	March 1971	April 1970	March 1970	1970	1969	1968
Asbestos, crude	411.6	411.6	411.6	411.6	411.6	399.7	377.6
Beans, cocoa	634.7	605.5	760.0	776.7	752.7	1,032.8	788.2
Beans, coffee	311.7	320.9	394.8	395.0	391.7	302.6	285.0
Coal	210.3	210.3	210.3	210.3	210.3	210.3	208.8
Copper, electrolytic	494.1	475.5	550.1	550.1	541.6	483.6	447.5
Cotton, raw	278.5	284.0	285.8	282.5	282.0	276.3	308.2
Eggs	125.9	116.1	137.0	147.2	139.6	161.7	143.0
Fruits, fresh	265.9	255.4	232.4	242.5	229.6	225.8	257.1
Grains	198.0	200.3	192.9	194.2	193.7	200.4	210.2
Hides and skins	169.2	154.0	181.1	198.1	171.4	185.6	159.4
Lead, electrolytic	283.0	283.0	345.9	345.9	331.0	318.8	281.2
Livestock	377.0	380.0	411.8	428.1	396.2	400.3	354.8
Nickel	474.1	474.1	475.9	475.9	474.8	390.6	351.7
Oil, crude .....	..	..	195.8	195.8	195.7	191.0	191.6
Onions	143.1	144.7	386.4	316.0	261.6	221.9	276.2
Potatoes	182.6	177.8	230.8	231.3	247.2	170.5	184.3
Rubber, raw	123.0	118.6	149.4	154.4	140.8	179.3	137.2
Scrap iron and steel	299.7	309.3	351.2	352.2	328.9	250.0	252.7
Silver	451.9	435.4	518.3	519.6	478.1	497.5	602.8
Steers	547.8	543.6	540.9	530.5	510.8	496.6	453.5
Sugar, raw	181.0	184.1	157.1	155.5	160.9	144.1	102.4
Tin	328.8	323.7	380.6	362.2	349.6	338.0	305.8
Wool, raw domestic	146.8	143.7	150.4	152.5	152.4	169.1	156.4
Wool, raw, imported	134.8	134.7	156.2	154.7	149.3	163.0	158.8
Tin, prime, western	344.7	333.6	344.7	344.7	341.0	326.1	300.2

(1) Indexes for 1971 are subject to revision.

TABLE IV. PURCHASE PRICES INDEXES OF SECONDHAND METALS(1)

1969=100

Total groupings and selected commodities	Month											Annual	
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N		
Ferrous metals scrap total	1969	90.6	91.9	91.4	91.9	93.8	95.5	103.6	105.3	108.4	108.9	108.3	110.3
	1970	115.6	130.2	142.2	141.8	136.1	137.3	130.2	131.6	132.5	132.4	131.9	131.8
	1971	131.6	129.8	124.9	121.0								132.8
No. 1 Heavy melting	1969	93.5	97.8	96.6	97.1	96.5	97.9	103.2	103.2	103.5	103.3	103.6	100.0
	1970	116.8	127.2	140.5	143.8	134.4	132.6	128.0	129.8	131.9	133.7	133.8	132.1
	1971	133.1	131.9	131.9	128.5								
No. 2 Heavy melting	1969	92.8	92.9	93.8	93.2	93.2	101.2	103.0	98.1	100.5	108.9	111.2	100.0
	1970	109.1	134.3	137.8	137.0	129.8	127.7	123.2	124.5	127.9	128.6	127.8	128.0
No's 1 and 2 bundles	1969	88.9	88.9	88.9	90.1	97.2	97.3	110.1	110.5	110.6	104.8	100.1	112.5
	1970	125.7	144.0	163.7	163.3	157.1	156.9	149.1	149.1	149.5	149.5	149.5	150.6
	1971	149.1	147.3 ^r	136.0	134.4								
Steel turnings	1969	86.7	86.7	86.7	86.7	87.1	91.1	112.2	112.2	112.0	112.0	112.0	114.8
	1970	125.0	133.2	150.2	140.5	138.2	141.5	132.0	132.0	132.2	132.2	132.2	135.2
	1971	133.0	133.0	126.6	121.3								
Prepared and unprepared bushellings	1969	88.3	89.4	87.6	88.4	92.5	95.9	109.6	109.6	109.6	109.8	109.8	100.0
	1970	120.7	137.6	155.1	155.6	148.3	147.0	138.3	142.8	141.6	141.6	141.2	142.6
	1971	140.7	138.4	129.3	127.4								
Plate and structural and special foundry	1969	94.0	94.4	94.1	94.8	96.7	97.7	102.0	105.5	105.0	104.6	104.5	106.6
	1970	117.9	133.7	141.4	140.8	136.9	136.1	128.1	127.4	130.4	133.0	129.9	129.8
	1971	130.5	128.3 ^r	123.2	113.6								132.1
Cast iron	1969	99.0	100.5	101.3	101.4	98.2	97.9	99.3	95.6	100.2	101.1	101.7	103.8
	1970	107.8	117.1	122.1	121.7	119.7	108.7	105.2	108.9	107.6	105.7	106.2	106.0
	1971	106.8	105.7 ^r	104.9	104.4								111.4
Shredded	1969												
	1970												
	1971	137.2	129.5	120.3									
Non-ferrous metals scrap total	1969	89.0	92.2	92.9	97.0	98.9	101.1	102.5	103.4	105.6	105.4	104.7	107.3
	1970	107.8	109.7	109.7	110.1	108.9	102.2	96.9	91.3	88.2	82.7	80.3	78.1
	1971	74.6	75.6	78.2	81.2								57.1
No. 1 Copper metals scrap	1969	83.7	88.9	90.9	96.9	97.8	98.2	101.5	102.5	108.1	108.6	107.8	115.1
	1970	111.3	111.8	114.8	119.0	115.0	106.4	94.7	91.2	86.9	82.2	77.4	72.4
	1971	69.5	71.8	74.4	81.6								98.6
Red brass metal scrap	1969	96.6	90.6	92.0	97.7	98.8	101.8	101.1	102.7	105.9	105.3	106.3	111.3
	1970	110.2	111.0	113.3	116.4	113.8	103.4	95.2	88.6	84.7	80.9	80.5	78.6
	1971	75.5	75.9	80.3	85.2								98.0
Yellow brass metal scrap	1969	89.9	91.9	92.6	95.5	97.0	98.7	99.7	103.6	107.1	105.1	107.9	110.9
	1970	110.8	110.2	113.8	115.3	112.6	108.2	102.8	98.4	92.1	91.3	90.1	84.3
	1971	79.4	79.1	83.4	88.7								102.5
Copper metal scrap group total	1969	86.6	90.4	91.9	96.7	98.1	99.6	101.0	102.8	106.9	106.3	107.4	112.3
	1970	111.1	111.5	114.2	116.7	114.6	106.3	97.1	92.3	87.6	84.1	81.9	77.9
	1971	74.6	75.3	78.9	84.8								99.6
Aluminum turnings, skimmings, dross and irony	1969	93.8	94.3	94.7	96.0	97.2	105.0	107.4	105.5	104.2	104.7	98.4	99.0
	1970	107.1	110.6	109.7	110.8	110.8	98.9	98.7	84.6	72.2	71.6	71.1	93.1
	1971	70.5	70.5	71.8	71.8								
New aluminum clips (low copper and dural)	1969	92.9	96.2	96.9	99.3	101.7	103.4	103.2	103.1	103.0	102.7	99.6	98.0
	1970	96.3	98.2	97.9	97.9	97.8	94.9	94.5	90.8	84.1	81.6	79.4	91.1
	1971	77.3	76.7	79.2	78.7								
Clean aluminum wire and sheets (1's and 2's)	1969	94.2	96.7	96.7	99.4	101.0	102.4	101.9	102.1	103.3	102.9	100.9	98.3
	1970	97.1	96.6	98.5	100.0	99.3	96.7	95.9	93.7	87.5	85.4	82.6	93.0
	1971	86.6	86.1	87.7	87.7								
Aluminum metal scrap group total	1969	93.4	95.6	96.0	97.8	99.9	104.2	105.0	104.0	103.5	103.5	99.2	98.3
	1970	100.8	103.1	102.8	103.3	103.2	96.5	96.2	88.1	79.4	79.0	75.7	91.8
	1971	74.0	73.9	75.8	75.6								
Zinc metal scrap group total	1969	97.2	98.4	98.6	100.8	103.1	99.8	95.2	94.6	98.1	102.7	106.1	105.5
	1970	102.8	104.1	111.6	107.8	104.2	103.7	100.6	97.2	92.3	90.5	89.3	99.5
	1971	88.9	89.3	94.3	93.9								
Battery plates, lugs and lead dross	1969	88.0	91.6	88.5	95.9	99.2	99.9	102.8	105.2	105.4	105.5	107.0	108.7
	1970	111.7	115.0	108.1	99.3	98.9	98.6	96.8	93.7	92.8	85.0	84.9	83.7
	1971	73.9	79.0	77.4	78.4								97.4
Scrap lead including cable lead	1969	88.9	93.1	95.1	95.5	100.4	100.8	102.8	105.1	105.8	105.8	107.9	107.4
	1970	108.2	108.2	104.7	97.2	96.5	98.3	96.2	95.6	91.1	85.0	81.7	88.9
	1971	84.5	86.1	77.0	78.0								96.0
Lead metal scrap group total	1969	88.0	91.7	89.0	95.9	99.3	100.0	102.8	105.2	105.4	105.5	107.1	108.6
	1970	112.0	115.1	108.2	99.7	99.2	99.1	97.3	94.4	93.0	85.5	85.1	84.4
	1971	75.2	80.0	79.9	78.9								100.0

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TABLE 3. Wholesale Prices of Selected Commodities
 (All prices given in Canadian funds)

TABLE 6. Price Index Numbers of Residential (T) Building Materials
(1961=100)

Date	Principal components									
	Total index	Concrete products	Bricks	Lumber and lumber products	Wall board and insulation	Roofing materials	Paint and glass	Plumbing and heating equipment	Electrical equipment and fixtures	Metal products
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	100.7	99.9	99.2	101.5	100.9	93.4	101.4	99.9	97.4	99.6
1963	104.1	102.9	102.2	105.5	101.2	99.5	107.7	101.9	96.2	102.4
1964	109.5	106.2	107.6	111.5	106.8	97.5	113.3	107.5	97.0	108.7
1965	115.8	110.9	112.7	118.5	112.0	89.2	119.5	114.6	98.6	115.4
1966	120.5	116.1	115.8	123.1	114.9	90.0	122.8	120.6	110.2	117.4
1967	125.3	120.5	118.0	129.1	118.1	96.5	127.9	123.7	116.4	115.4
1968	132.1	122.0	121.8	138.7	122.0	108.7	134.1	126.8	106.1	115.1
1969	139.2	125.4	126.7	147.8	127.8	112.9	138.2	128.5	116.7	121.8
1970	137.6	129.0	128.7	141.7	130.5	117.2	141.2	134.4	130.1	128.9
1969 - Jan.	136.6	123.5	126.2	145.9	122.9	109.6	134.2	124.2	112.2	117.5
Feb.	139.9	123.6	126.2	150.9	123.6	111.3	138.4	124.6	113.4	117.8
Mar.	142.1	124.1	126.8	154.2	123.6	114.0	138.4	125.2	113.4	119.6
Apr.	143.5	123.8	126.8	156.2	125.8	114.0	138.4	125.6	113.4	120.5
May	142.7	124.5	126.8	154.2	129.6	110.8	138.4	126.5	113.8	121.0
June	139.8	124.6	126.8	149.3	129.6	110.8	138.4	126.8	114.6	120.9
July	138.9	124.8	126.8	147.5	129.5	110.8	138.4	128.1	114.6	120.7
Aug.	138.4	126.3	126.8	145.9	129.5	114.2	138.4	129.7	116.1	120.3
Sept.	137.3	127.3	126.8	143.3	129.5	114.2	138.4	131.8	120.9	122.4
Oct.	136.5	127.2	126.8	141.2	129.5	113.1	138.4	133.2	122.6	126.0
Nov.	137.0	127.4	126.8	141.9	130.1	113.1	138.5	133.8	122.6	126.5
Dec.	137.5	127.3	126.8	142.5	130.1	118.4	139.8	132.9	122.6	127.9
1970 - Jan.	137.4	128.1	127.9	142.1	130.1	114.2	140.8	133.5	124.4	128.7
Feb.	137.7	128.9	127.9	142.3	130.4	117.7	140.8	133.9	126.0	128.7
Mar.	137.0	129.0	127.9	140.8	130.4	120.3	140.8	134.5	126.9	128.7
Apr.	136.7	129.4	128.6	140.1	130.4	119.6	140.8	134.4	131.7	128.7
May	137.0	129.3	128.6	140.6	130.4	118.4	140.8	134.7	131.7	128.7
June	137.4	129.3	128.6	141.1	130.4	118.4	140.8	134.8	131.7	128.7
July	137.4	129.4	128.6	141.2	130.4	118.4	141.6	134.8	131.7	128.7
Aug.	138.0	129.2	128.6	142.2	130.4	117.6	141.6	134.8	131.7	128.7
Sept.	138.1	129.1	128.6	142.4	130.4	115.6	141.6	134.9	131.7	128.7
Oct.	138.1	129.1	128.6	142.4	130.4	115.6	141.6	135.1	131.7	128.5
Nov.	138.3	129.0	130.1	142.7	130.9	115.6	141.6	134.5	130.9	128.5
Dec.	138.4	128.6	130.1	143.0	130.9	115.6	141.6	133.2	130.7	131.0
1971(1) - Jan.	139.0	129.4	130.1	143.9	131.0	115.6	142.4	133.6	130.7	131.2
Feb.	140.0	130.3	130.1	145.5	131.3	114.1	142.5	133.2	132.5	131.4
Mar.	141.2	130.4	130.1	147.4	131.3	114.1	142.5	133.5	132.7	131.6
Apr.	141.8	131.1	130.1	148.1	131.2	114.0	145.5	134.0	134.0	131.6
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(2) For further detailed explanation see Prices and Price Indexes - May 1970.

TABLE 7. Price Index numbers of Non-Residential(2) Building Materials
(1961=100)

Date	Principal components						
	Total index	Concrete products	Blocks, bricks, and building stone	Tile	Lumber and lumber products	Plumbing, heating, and other equipment	Electrical equipment and fixtures
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	99.1	100.2	94.5	103.3	101.3	99.0	96.6
1963	101.8	103.8	99.5	106.7	105.8	101.7	93.5
1964	106.6	107.0	104.9	109.8	113.4	107.6	94.7
1965	111.5	112.0	108.4	113.4	120.4	114.7	94.8
1966	115.4	117.5	112.2	114.9	128.1	119.0	101.7
1967	117.8	121.7	115.2	119.3	133.4	123.5	104.0
1968	120.7	124.0	118.9	121.4	146.7	127.2	100.0
1969	126.1	126.5	122.8	127.8	162.7	132.5	100.8
1970	129.5	130.2	124.3	133.0	147.6	138.1	106.3
1969 - Jan.	123.1	124.4	122.7	124.5	162.8	129.1	98.6
Feb.	123.9	124.5	123.0	124.8	168.2	129.2	98.8
Mar.	125.5	125.1	122.6	125.0	173.8	129.9	98.3
Apr.	126.3	124.8	122.7	125.1	177.8	130.1	98.1
May .	126.8	125.4	122.4	125.8	174.4	131.4	99.9
June	126.5	125.5	123.2	125.9	167.4	132.4	100.6
July	126.0	125.8	122.6	125.9	162.5	132.9	100.2
Aug.	126.4	127.5	122.7	126.6	157.8	133.6	101.2
Sept.	126.6	128.6	123.4	127.2	153.3	134.3	102.6
Oct.	127.0	128.5	122.9	134.4	150.4	135.1	103.4
Nov.	127.7	128.8	123.3	134.4	152.0	136.0	103.7
Dec.	127.9	128.7	122.4	134.3	151.8	136.5	103.9
1970 - Jan.	129.4	129.7	124.6	132.4	150.1	137.3	103.8
Feb.	128.7	130.0	124.9	132.7	148.4	137.3	104.8
Mar.	129.4	130.1	124.9	133.5	146.8	137.7	105.7
Apr.	129.4	130.6	125.3	133.3	145.8	137.2	106.6
May .	129.6	130.5	125.3	132.9	146.7	137.7	106.8
June	129.6	130.5	125.3	133.2	146.8	138.0	106.8
July	129.6	130.8	123.4	132.7	146.9	138.6	106.8
Aug.	129.7	130.3	123.4	132.5	148.2	138.6	106.8
Sept.	129.7	130.2	123.4	132.8	148.7	138.6	106.8
Oct.	129.7	130.2	123.4	132.4	148.3	138.9	106.9
Nov.	129.6	130.3	124.1	133.7	147.2	138.6	106.7
Dec.	130.1	129.7	124.1	133.7	146.9	138.2	106.6
1971(1) - Jan.	130.5	130.6	124.3	134.0	148.2	138.6	107.1
Feb.	131.0	131.3	123.7	134.7	152.2	139.2	107.2
Mar.	132.0	131.4	123.7	134.2	156.6	139.5	106.4
Apr.	132.5	132.2	123.0	134.2	158.5	139.7	106.9
July							
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Sept.							
Nov.							
Dec.							

See footnote(s) at end of table.

TABLE 7. Price Index Numbers of Non-Residential(1) Building Materials - Continued

(1961=100)

Date	Principal components					
	Steel and metal work	Hard- ware	Wall- board and insulation	Roofing materials	Paint and glass	Miscel- laneous materials
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	100.1	98.4	102.7	93.8	101.3	97.8
1963	102.5	98.9	102.5	101.5	110.7	102.8
1964	108.0	104.6	108.5	98.1	117.0	108.0
1965	114.7	106.4	113.7	90.9	124.1	107.7
1966	116.1	110.0	115.2	90.1	129.9	104.1
1967	114.4	108.8	117.7	98.1	134.1	99.9
1968	114.5	111.2	121.7	108.6	137.7	97.0
1969	120.2	117.6	127.4	113.3	131.6	100.4
1970	127.0	129.6	131.2	118.2	137.3	100.8
1969 - Jan.	114.8	113.0	123.4	109.5	128.2	97.0
Feb.	114.8	113.8	124.3	112.2	129.3	98.8
Mar.	118.1	113.8	124.3	114.8	132.1	98.8
Apr.	119.4	114.2	124.2	115.1	132.1	101.2
May	120.5	116.2	129.4	112.3	132.1	101.2
June	120.4	116.2	129.4	112.3	132.1	101.2
July	120.4	116.2	129.3	112.3	132.1	101.2
Aug.	121.8	116.2	129.3	115.4	132.1	101.2
Sept.	122.3	117.2	129.3	115.4	132.1	101.2
Oct.	122.4	123.8	129.3	113.4	132.1	101.2
Nov.	123.6	123.8	128.5	113.4	132.2	101.2
Dec.	124.0	126.6	128.5	113.4	132.9	101.2
1970 - Jan.	125.3	127.6	130.8	114.2	133.5	100.7
Feb.	125.3	129.6	131.2	115.1	133.5	100.7
Mar.	126.9	129.6	131.2	121.2	137.8	100.7
Apr.	127.3	129.6	131.2	119.8	137.8	100.7
May	127.3	129.6	131.2	119.0	137.8	100.7
June	127.3	129.6	131.2	119.0	137.8	100.7
July	127.3	129.6	131.2	118.8	138.3	100.7
Aug.	127.3	129.6	131.2	118.6	138.3	100.7
Sept.	127.3	129.6	131.2	118.2	138.3	100.7
Oct.	126.9	129.8	131.2	118.2	138.3	100.7
Nov.	126.9	129.8	131.7	118.2	138.3	101.6
Dec.	129.4	131.8	131.7	118.2	138.3	101.6
1971(1) - Jan.	129.3	131.8	131.9	118.2	139.9	102.9
Feb.	129.3	131.8	132.2	113.1	139.9	102.9
Mar.	131.1	134.3	132.4	113.0	139.9	103.8
Apr.	131.9	136.0	132.3	112.9	140.7	103.8
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(2) For further detailed explanation see Prices and Price Indexes - May 1970.

TABLE 8. Consumer Price Indexes, Canada, 1962-71
(1961=100)

	All-items	Food	Housing	Clothing	Trans- portation	Health and personal care	Recre- ation and reading	Tobacco and alcohol
1962	101.2	101.8	101.2	100.9	99.9	102.0	100.8	101.3
1963	103.0	105.1	102.3	103.4	99.9	104.6	102.2	101.5
1964	104.8	106.8	103.9	106.0	101.0	108.0	103.9	103.4
1965	107.4	109.6	105.8	107.9	104.8	113.0	105.6	105.1
1966	111.4	116.6	108.7	112.0	107.3	116.5	108.6	107.6
1967	115.4	118.1	113.4	117.6	111.8	122.5	114.1	110.4
1968	120.1	122.0	118.6	121.1	114.7	127.4	119.7	120.4
1969	125.5	127.1	124.7	124.5	120.0	133.6	126.8	125.0
1970	129.7	130.0	130.9	126.8	124.8	139.5	131.2	126.5
1969 - Jan.	122.6	125.1	121.9	121.5	116.3	129.5	124.2	121.3
Feb.	122.6	123.9	122.3	121.8	117.3	129.6	124.7	121.9
Mar.	123.2	123.8	122.8	123.8	118.3	129.5	125.1	121.9
Apr.	124.6	125.0	123.7	124.3	119.9	133.7	125.4	125.5
May	124.9	125.1	124.2	123.8	120.4	134.2	127.4	125.8
June	125.9	127.8	124.7	124.9	120.6	134.2	127.4	125.8
July	126.4	128.8	125.2	124.8	120.7	134.2	127.4	126.3
Aug.	126.9	130.6	125.4	125.0	120.5	134.2	127.6	126.4
Sept.	126.6	128.5	125.7	125.2	120.9	135.0	128.0	126.4
Oct.	126.8	127.8	126.4	126.1	120.9	136.1	128.1	126.4
Nov.	127.4	128.8	126.9	126.3	121.8	136.4	128.5	126.3
Dec.	127.9	129.8	127.6	126.4	122.0	136.8	128.1	126.3
1970 - Jan.	128.2	130.1	128.1	125.5	122.7	136.8	128.0	126.5
Feb.	128.7	131.3	128.3	125.1	123.5	137.7	129.0	126.5
Mar.	128.9	130.5	129.2	126.0	124.0	137.7	129.5	126.5
Apr.	129.7	131.5	129.8	126.8	124.6	139.3	129.6	126.5
May	129.6	130.3	130.4	126.8	124.8	139.8	130.1	126.5
June	129.9	130.9	130.7	126.9	125.1	139.8	130.3	126.5
July	130.5	131.6	131.5	126.9	125.2	139.8	132.4	126.5
Aug.	130.5	131.9	131.5	126.2	125.3	140.2	132.5	126.4
Sept.	130.2	130.0	131.8	127.0	125.3	140.1	133.0	126.4
Oct.	130.3	128.5	132.8	128.2	125.2	141.2	133.1	126.4
Nov.	130.3	127.5	133.3	128.4	125.8	140.8	133.7	126.4
Dec.	129.8	125.6	133.4	127.9	126.1	140.7	133.6	126.4
1971 - Jan.	130.3	126.5	134.1	127.0	126.4	140.7	134.2	127.0
Feb.	130.9	127.5	134.5	125.9	128.3	140.7	134.8	127.6
Mar.	131.3	128.2	134.8	126.8	128.8	141.0	135.0	127.6
Apr.	132.2	129.1	136.0	127.9	129.4	141.4	135.3	127.6
May								
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Dec.								

TABLE 9. Consumer Price Indexes - Main Groups, Selected Components and Supplementary Classifications
(1961=100)

	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	1970	1969	1968
All-items index	132.2	131.3	129.7	128.9	129.7	125.5	120.1
Food	129.1	128.2	131.5	130.5	130.0	127.1	122.0
Food at home	125.1	124.2	128.8	127.8	126.8	124.7	119.9
Dairy products	138.0	137.5	134.1	134.4	134.7	133.1	127.8
Cereal products	125.8	125.5	124.3	124.2	124.1	121.5	120.0
Miscellaneous groceries	124.5	124.1	122.5	122.4	122.1	118.2	114.3
Beef	141.7	142.4	143.0	141.9	140.7	136.7	126.3
Pork	107.6	109.4	136.3	137.6	128.1	130.6	116.8
Fresh pork	113.6	116.2	137.5	136.8	132.3	136.0	119.8
Cured pork	102.4	103.6	135.2	138.3	124.4	126.0	114.1
Other meats	132.2	132.5	138.4	137.2	135.6	128.6	121.5
Fish	153.9	152.9	150.6	150.0	150.6	136.0	127.0
Poultry	103.6	104.1	110.8	110.3	105.8	109.2	109.6
Eggs	82.7	80.8	100.7	101.2	99.0	109.9	98.9
Dairy products including butter	129.4	129.0	126.5	126.9	127.0	125.9	121.5
Fats and oils including butter	104.5	104.3	104.3	104.1	104.4	103.7	102.8
Fats and oils excluding butter	112.8	111.8	109.2	107.9	110.6	105.6	107.0
Total fruit	123.5	117.4	117.5	112.7	118.1	119.3	123.3
Fresh fruit	127.3	118.0	114.3	107.0	116.0	117.4	127.2
Canned fruit	115.5	115.3	121.7	120.9	120.5	121.4	116.4
Total vegetables	129.7	125.2	142.3	138.6	133.9	129.9	130.5
Fresh vegetables	134.7	127.9	150.7	145.3	138.4	133.0	134.6
Canned vegetables	120.4	120.7	127.6	127.4	126.8	125.4	124.2
Direct imports(1)	121.0	116.6	115.6	111.5	115.8	112.3	118.2
Restaurant meals	159.0	158.8	152.3	151.1	154.1	144.9	136.9
Housing	136.0	134.8	129.8	129.2	130.9	124.7	118.6
Shelter	148.5	147.4	140.1	139.3	141.8	133.1	124.6
Tenant costs	122.1	122.0	119.4	119.3	120.3	116.3	111.8
Home-ownership costs	172.3	170.4	158.8	157.4	161.3	148.3	136.1
Property taxes	158.4	158.4	153.2	153.2	154.3	143.9	132.2
Mortgage interest	196.8	191.5	173.9	168.1	177.0	156.0	136.6
Repairs	157.0	155.7	144.1	144.4	147.7	135.7	130.5
New houses	170.6	169.2	158.7	158.5	161.4	151.6	140.8
Personal property insurance	185.4	185.4	158.2	158.2	160.8	152.3	142.6
Household operation	119.1	117.8	115.9	115.4	116.1	113.5	110.6
Fuel	114.9	110.0	104.9	104.9	105.5	103.1	100.8
Coal	144.7	144.2	132.1	131.9	134.1	126.0	120.3
Fuel oil	111.2	103.3	98.9	98.9	99.2	97.2	95.0
Domestic gas	101.8	101.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	102.0	102.2
Electricity	125.5	125.5	122.1	119.4	121.9	112.2	109.6
Home furnishings	116.2	115.5	115.3	114.9	115.6	114.0	112.2
Appliances	96.5	96.5	96.8	96.9	96.6	97.4	97.3
Furniture	126.9	125.6	125.6	124.2	126.2	123.1	120.3
Floor coverings	105.4	104.5	106.0	106.5	105.5	106.0	106.0
Textiles	119.7	119.3	119.0	118.5	118.9	117.2	116.5
Utensils and equipment	137.2	136.2	133.7	133.8	135.1	130.7	127.1

See footnote(s) at end of table.

TABLE 9. Consumer Price Indexes — Main Groups, Selected Components and Supplementary Classifications — Continued
(1961=100)

	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	1970	1969	1968
Housing — Concluded:							
Supplies and services	123.8	123.6	122.0	121.9	122.0	119.8	115.1
Supplies	118.7	118.2	120.1	119.6	119.8	117.0	113.9
Services	127.6	127.6	123.6	123.6	123.7	122.0	115.9
Telephone rates	108.6	108.6	106.2	106.2	106.2	105.6	105.4
Postage	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	142.4	113.2
Household help	175.1	175.1	166.5	166.5	167.0	161.4	146.1
Household effects insurance	148.9	148.9	136.4	136.4	136.4	134.7	133.0
Clothing	127.9	126.8	126.8	126.0	126.8	124.5	121.1
Men's wear	127.8	127.2	127.6	126.2	127.4	125.3	122.2
Suit	136.8	135.0	137.9	136.7	136.9	133.4	129.7
Business shirt	121.3	121.2	122.1	124.3	122.4	124.1	120.2
Hat	129.2	129.2	131.2	131.0	131.8	128.0	126.4
Women's wear	122.6	120.6	123.6	123.0	123.0	122.3	119.4
Winter coat .....	..	..	..	..	135.0	133.8	132.0
Spring coat	137.4	128.8	133.6	133.3	131.3	128.0	122.6
Cotton street dress	121.4	117.2	120.9	120.6	120.2	118.4	116.0
Slip	105.0	104.6	103.7	103.7	103.8	103.4	103.3
Hosiery	92.3	94.9	99.3	96.9	97.4	98.9	98.9
Children's wear	118.9	118.5	117.4	117.6	118.0	115.5	112.3
Boys:							
Slacks	117.0	117.6	112.8	114.7	114.5	114.9	112.4
T-Shirt .....	..	..	..	..	103.6	103.4	100.6
Sweater	132.0	131.0	132.4	132.3	133.0	131.5	130.1
Parka .....	..	..	..	..	109.9	105.6	103.4
Girls:							
Spring coat	117.5	117.0	118.7	119.5	116.8	114.0	112.3
Cotton dress	130.5	127.9	128.6	128.6	128.5	123.7	116.6
Snow suit .....	..	..	..	..	123.4	121.9	108.2
Infants:							
Diapers	120.5	120.6	119.9	119.9	120.3	117.7	113.4
Overalls	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	101.6	101.1
Footwear	140.6	139.1	135.6	134.3	136.7	132.4	127.7
Men's oxfords	143.2	142.9	138.1	136.0	139.0	135.3	131.8
Women's street shoes	135.7	134.1	130.5	129.8	131.8	127.8	122.7
Children's shoes	152.5	149.6	146.2	144.6	147.5	140.2	134.5
Women's overshoes .....	..	..	..	..	123.7	123.4	119.9
Piece goods	120.6	121.5	120.9	120.9	121.0	119.9	118.2
Cotton dress print	125.7	126.9	126.1	126.1	126.6	124.3	121.5
Wool dress material	107.3	107.3	104.1	104.1	104.6	106.3	105.1
Clothing services	133.9	133.9	130.5	130.5	131.2	126.9	123.5
Laundry	135.5	135.5	133.4	133.4	133.5	129.8	126.4
Dry cleaning	130.5	130.5	127.0	127.0	128.0	124.0	121.3
Shoe repairs	150.4	150.4	145.0	145.0	146.0	138.1	130.6
Jewellery	140.0	136.9	136.3	133.6	135.8	131.9	127.2

TABLE 9. Consumer Price Indexes — Main Groups, Selected Components and Supplementary Classifications — Continued
(1961=100)

	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	1970	1969	1968
Transportation	129.4	128.8	124.6	124.0	124.8	120.0	114.7
Automobile operation	122.4	121.7	117.9	117.8	117.9	113.8	110.7
New passenger car	103.0	102.8	98.7	98.7	98.8	97.1	96.5
Gasoline	126.1	123.4	120.8	120.8	120.8	118.2	115.3
Tires	117.7	117.7	123.1	123.1	121.6	121.0	116.2
Automobile insurance	176.8	176.8	171.4	170.9	170.9	156.3	152.4
Fender replacement	176.6	176.6	166.5	166.5	166.3	156.2	141.3
Brake relining	158.4	158.4	147.4	147.4	147.9	135.8	128.4
Battery	120.9	120.9	120.8	120.8	120.9	117.3	114.0
Local transportation	172.7	172.7	171.0	167.7	170.0	160.9	142.4
Street car and bus fares	178.3	178.3	176.6	172.9	175.5	165.9	145.3
Taxi fare	136.7	136.7	134.8	134.8	135.1	129.1	123.3
Travel	140.4	139.9	121.9	120.6	130.0	123.4	114.8
Train fare	140.6	139.4	119.5	116.8	131.8	122.9	110.9
Bus fare	123.9	123.9	115.2	115.2	118.7	114.9	109.6
Plane fare	153.8	153.8	131.6	131.6	135.9	131.1	125.9
Health and personal care	141.4	141.0	139.3	137.7	139.5	133.6	127.4
Health care	143.0	141.6	139.6	137.1	139.5	133.6	126.8
Doctor's fees(3) .....	..	140.6	139.0	134.1	138.2	132.0	127.8
Office call(3) .....	..	151.8	149.6	143.5	148.6	141.1	136.2
Confinement(3) .....	..	148.1	143.1	137.8	143.0	135.0	128.8
Appendectomy(3) .....	..	108.3	108.2	104.0	107.2	103.9	103.6
Dentists' fees	170.7	167.9	162.3	158.0	162.5	152.5	142.7
Filling	177.5	174.8	167.4	161.3	167.6	155.4	144.3
Dentures	152.6	149.5	146.5	144.8	146.8	140.9	133.4
Extraction	180.8	178.6	173.7	169.1	173.6	162.2	152.3
Optical care(3) .....	..	152.5	149.7	143.4	148.8	138.6	132.0
Prepaid medical care(3) .....	..	153.1	153.1	153.1	153.1	149.5	137.7
Pharmaceuticals	97.6	97.6	98.2	98.2	98.2	97.4	96.5
Headache tablets	92.5	92.5	96.4	96.4	96.2	97.0	96.8
Vitamins	82.1	82.1	82.2	82.2	81.6	82.2	83.4
Bandages	108.2	108.2	109.2	109.2	108.6	107.7	101.0
Prescriptions	94.8	94.8	95.8	95.8	95.8	95.5	94.7
Personal care	141.0	141.2	139.7	139.1	140.3	134.1	128.7
Supplies	122.4	122.8	121.6	120.4	122.0	117.2	115.0
Toilet soap	132.6	133.7	130.5	127.6	131.1	125.6	124.6
Toothpaste	112.6	113.3	116.6	115.3	114.6	111.7	109.0
Face powder	147.4	147.4	134.1	134.1	138.4	127.2	116.6
Razor blades	108.1	106.7	110.4	109.9	108.8	108.8	109.5
Cleansing tissues	115.5	115.9	118.7	117.5	117.9	111.1	110.8
Services	160.4	160.4	158.7	158.7	159.4	151.8	143.0
Men's haircuts	172.3	172.3	170.7	170.7	171.1	161.4	149.6
Women's hairdressing	147.5	147.5	145.6	145.6	146.7	141.5	135.8

TABLE 9. Consumer Price Indexes — Main Groups, Selected Components and Supplementary Classifications — Concluded

(1961=100)

	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	1970	1969	1968
Recreation and reading	135.3	135.0	129.6	129.5	131.2	126.8	119.7
Recreation	128.6	128.6	126.8	126.7	127.0	124.3	118.0
Theatre admission	205.5	205.5	197.8	197.8	199.1	189.0	164.4
Admission to sporting events	145.1	145.1	140.3	140.3	142.0	138.7	129.8
Radio	93.1	93.1	95.6	95.6	94.8	94.5	96.4
Television, console	90.0	90.0	89.8	89.9	89.9	91.4	92.1
Camera film and processing	120.6	120.6	119.2	119.2	119.5	118.3	114.7
Phonograph record	112.0	112.0	115.2	114.4	112.9	115.3	115.1
Bicycle	123.0	123.0	125.4	125.4	123.6	124.4	121.8
Sports equipment	147.6	147.6	139.5	139.5	142.5	135.2	127.6
Toys	125.4	125.4	124.2	124.2	124.9	123.5	119.4
Television repairs	133.3	133.3	129.5	129.5	129.3	120.5	115.0
Reading	155.3	153.9	137.8	137.8	144.0	134.3	125.0
Newspapers	175.1	172.9	148.4	148.4	158.3	146.5	138.0
Magazines	124.6	124.6	121.5	121.5	121.8	115.4	105.2
Tobacco and alcohol	127.6	127.6	126.5	126.5	126.5	125.0	120.4
Tobacco	137.4	137.4	134.9	134.9	134.7	132.7	126.8
Cigarettes	138.5	138.5	136.0	136.0	135.8	133.9	127.7
Cigarette tobacco	124.5	124.5	122.6	122.6	122.5	119.9	117.1
Alcohol	120.9	120.9	121.0	121.0	120.9	119.9	116.2
Beer	117.3	117.3	117.3	117.3	117.3	116.1	112.2
Liquor	128.2	128.2	128.3	128.3	128.2	127.3	123.9
<u>Supplementary classifications</u>							
Commodities:							
Total	124.2	123.3	123.4	122.7	122.9	120.3	116.4
Total excluding food	120.9	120.0	118.4	117.9	118.6	116.2	113.2
Durable	108.1	107.7	106.2	106.0	106.2	104.9	103.8
Household equipment	111.4	110.8	110.9	110.6	111.1	110.1	108.6
Appliances(2)	94.0	94.0	94.9	94.9	94.5	95.6	95.8
Other	127.0	125.8	125.3	124.6	125.9	123.0	120.2
Transportation equipment	104.5	104.3	101.0	101.0	100.9	99.3	98.4
Non-durable	127.5	126.5	126.9	126.2	126.4	123.6	119.0
Non-durable excluding food	125.8	124.7	123.0	122.5	123.4	120.5	116.9
Textiles (use classification)	123.2	122.2	123.3	122.6	123.1	121.5	118.8
Garments	123.7	122.5	123.8	123.1	123.6	122.0	119.1
Household furnishings and piece goods	120.0	120.1	119.7	119.4	119.7	118.2	117.2
Textiles (chief component material classification)	123.2	122.2	123.3	122.6	123.1	121.5	118.8
Wool	128.4	126.5	127.5	126.6	127.4	125.2	122.1
Cotton	123.3	122.6	121.4	121.0	121.9	120.0	117.6
Synthetic	111.6	112.0	113.0	112.3	112.5	111.7	109.9
Fur	133.2	131.2	140.6	140.0	138.8	139.4	133.9
Footwear	140.6	139.1	135.6	134.3	136.7	132.4	127.7
Leather	142.6	141.0	137.1	135.7	138.2	133.5	128.6
Rubber and plastic	123.8	122.5	123.6	122.3	123.7	123.4	119.9
Other non-durable	125.4	124.2	121.5	121.1	122.0	118.7	114.9
Services:							
Total	142.6	142.4	137.8	137.1	138.7	132.3	125.0
Total excluding shelter	153.3	153.1	148.3	147.3	148.9	141.8	132.6

(1) Includes oranges and orange juice, grapefruit, bananas, grapes, canned pineapple, raisins, tea and coffee.

(2) Includes television and radio.

(3) Series terminated as of April 1971.

TABLE 10. Average Retail Prices for Canada - Selected Food Items(1)

	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	1970	1969	April 1971 price relative 1961=100
Dairy products							
Milk, fresh, qt.	33.7	33.7	32.4	32.4	32.7	32.2	142.9
Milk, evaporated, 16 oz.	18.8	18.3	18.0	18.1	18.1	18.2	116.9
Powdered skim milk, pkg., 3 lb.	143.7	138.0	139.8	139.2	138.9	135.8	134.7
Butter, creamery, first grade, 1b.	71.7	71.7	72.3	72.4	72.0	72.2	101.8
Cheese, plain, processed, 1/2 lb.	47.1	46.6	47.9	48.0	47.6	46.7	129.5
Poultry and eggs							
Chicken, grade A evisc. (1 1/2 - 4 lb.). 1b.	47.4	47.7	50.7	50.3	48.4	48.0	105.5
Turkey, grade A evisc. (8 - 16 lb.), 1b.	46.2	46.2	49.1	49.6	47.4	48.6	96.5
Eggs, fresh, grade A large, doz.	46.4	45.3	56.3	56.6	55.4	61.8	82.7
Eggs, fresh, grade A medium, doz.	40.9	40.1	49.9	52.0	48.6	56.4	82.7
Beef							
Sirloin steak, 1b.	130.2	129.6	131.9	128.8	132.4	135.4	137.7
Round steak, 1b.	130.2	132.7	131.0	129.3	127.4	119.8	146.6
Prime rib roast, 1b.(2)	115.3	116.6	116.8	115.3	114.1	117.8	135.9
Blade roast, 1b.(3)	84.5	83.7	87.2	89.3	83.3	81.0	135.6
Stewing beef, 1b.	94.9	94.1	94.2	94.3	92.5	90.7	145.8
Hamburg, 1b.	67.9	67.8	67.8	68.3	67.4	64.2	145.8
Liver, sliced, 1b.	64.8	64.8	78.0	74.1	72.1	63.8	118.8
Pork							
Rib chops, fresh, 1b.	82.4	84.3	101.4	100.5	98.3	102.4	114.3
Shoulder roast, Boston butt, fresh, 1b.	55.0	57.3	72.1	74.2	67.2	73.5	98.7
Sausage, pure pork, 1b.	68.3	69.0	75.7	74.7	72.9	73.4	119.2
Bacon, side, fancy, sliced, rind off, 1 lb.	73.2	75.2	102.7	106.8	97.4	96.4	76.0(7)
Ham, smoked, boneless,(4)	112.5	111.1	148.6	149.2	132.2	135.4	115.0
Other meats							
Lamb, leg roast, 1b.	82.0	80.6	84.9	85.6	83.3	80.1	113.0
Veal, loin chops, rib end, 1b.	144.5	146.8	144.9	144.2	143.8	137.4	163.2
Wieners or frankfurters, 1b.	64.4	64.1	67.7	67.4	66.4	65.1	118.1
Meat loaf, canned, mainly pork, 12 oz.	57.2	56.8	61.1	60.9	60.1	57.1	124.5
Fish							
Cod fillets, frozen, 1b.(6)	56.2	55.9	53.8	53.8	53.8	50.8	149.9
Salmon, canned, fancy pink, 7 3/4 oz.	50.2	50.2	51.8	51.6	51.7	46.6	140.0
Fats and Oils							
Margarine, 1b.	36.3	35.9	34.0	33.5	34.7	32.7	117.2
Lard, pure, 1b.	25.8	25.7	28.2	27.6	27.6	24.0	110.6
Shortening, 1b.	41.8	41.2	39.9	39.2	40.5	38.8	118.0
Salad dressing, jar, 16 oz.	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.3	44.6	43.2	104.2
Cereals and bakery products							
Flour, white, all purpose, 1b.	12.1	12.1	12.6	12.5	12.2	12.1	131.2
Corn flakes, pkg., 12 oz.	35.6	35.5	36.2	36.3	36.2	35.8	115.5(8)
Macaroni, dry, pkg., 1b.	24.7	25.0	25.5	25.2	25.2	23.6	123.3
Cake mix, white, pkg., 16 oz.	37.2	37.4	40.3	40.3	39.6	39.9	115.0
Bread, plain, white, wrapped, sliced, 1b.	20.8	20.8	20.1	20.1	20.1	19.8	129.8
Soda crackers, pkg., 1b.	42.2	42.2	45.4	45.7	44.8	44.0	111.1
Sugar and sweets							
Sugar, granulated, 1b.	12.6	12.5	11.4	11.3	11.5	10.9	128.2
Jam, strawberry, 2 lb. jar, 1b.(5)	33.4	33.5	35.0	34.9	34.8	32.7	121.3
Honey, No. 1, white, 2 lb.	75.3	78.2	78.5	78.4	78.2	76.1	115.1

See footnote(s) at end of table.

TABLE 10. Average Retail Prices for Canada - Selected Food Items(1) - Concluded

	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Mar. 1970	1970	1969	April 1971 price relative
					\$		1961=100
Fruits							
Oranges, California, medium size (138), doz.	67.4	65.9	59.6	60.0	59.9	58.5	115.4
Grapefruit, white, 48's, 1/2 doz.	72.4	67.0	71.4	62.0	76.1	65.9	133.9
Bananas, yellow, lb.	15.0	15.4	17.9	19.0	16.7	17.1	77.0
Apples, volume seller, lb.	22.0	20.0	20.2	19.3	21.0	22.8	118.2
Strawberries, frozen, fancy, pkg., 15 oz.	51.6	51.5	54.9	55.6	54.5	52.7	120.6
Orange juice, conc., frozen, fancy, 6 oz.	24.7	24.2	27.1	27.3	26.5	27.7	94.3
Apple juice, choice, 48 oz.	39.0	39.1	41.4	41.6	41.9	44.0	100.1(9)
Orange juice, unsweetened, 19 oz.	23.6	23.3	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.4	105.5
Pears, canned, choice, 14 oz.	25.1	25.1	26.6	26.2	26.2	26.3	119.3
Peaches, canned, choice, halves, 14 oz.	32.0	32.2	34.2	33.9	33.6	33.5	132.7
Pineapple, Hawaiian, sliced, 19 oz.	40.9	40.7	42.7	42.7	42.6	41.9	96.4
Raisins, California and Australian, lb.	44.6	44.6	45.4	45.3	45.3	44.3	150.1
Vegetables							
Potatoes, No. 1 table, 10 lb.	53.1	53.4	65.9	64.8	65.4	58.8	108.4
Onions, No. 1, cooking, lb.	12.4	12.6	20.8	19.5	17.6	15.1	111.0
Carrots, lb.	14.4	13.3	16.2	17.0	14.8	14.6	106.0
Turnips, Canada No. 1, lb.	9.2	9.2	14.6	13.7	13.4	11.1	116.8
Cabbage, lb.	15.8	15.1	20.7	18.8	14.8	12.8	178.5
Tomatoes, fresh, lb.	51.6	44.8	42.6	38.0	36.7	35.3	202.5
Celery stalks, green, lb.	20.9	19.6	22.9	25.7	23.5	22.7	133.3
Lettuce, head, fresh, lb.	28.2	27.5	27.4	23.6	25.2	28.4	157.7
Green peas, frozen, fancy, pkg., 12 oz.	27.9	27.9	27.4	27.4	27.5	27.0	117.6
Green beans, fr. cut, frozen, pkg., 10 oz.	27.4	27.3	27.5	27.4	27.6	27.4	101.3
Tomatoes, canned, choice, 28 oz.	34.2	34.2	35.5	35.2	35.5	34.1	126.8
Peas, canned, choice, 14 oz.	20.7	20.7	23.3	23.3	22.9	22.4	113.7
Corn, canned, cream, choice, 19 oz.	26.6	27.1	28.2	28.3	28.1	27.2	117.9
Infants' food, vegetable, tin, 4 3/4 oz.	13.4	13.4	13.0	13.0	12.9	13.0	123.2
Beans, with pork and tomato sauce, 14 oz.	24.7	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.7	24.0	129.6
Soup, vegetable, 10 oz.	15.0	14.9	15.0	15.0	15.0	14.6	99.3
Tomato juice, fancy, 48 oz.	39.8	39.7	41.2	41.0	40.9	40.4	97.6(9)
Beverages							
Tea bags, orange pekoe, pkg., 60-bag	82.0	81.4	85.5	85.1	83.8	83.6	99.8
Coffee, medium quality, pkg., 1b.	99.9	100.1	97.2	95.5	99.1	85.6	133.5
Coffee, instant, dried, jar, 6 oz.	114.8	114.1	113.8	115.0	114.9	108.0	112.7
Miscellaneous groceries							
Tomato catsup, bottle, 11 oz.	26.4	26.8	26.6	26.7	26.7	26.4	111.5
Peanut butter, plain, jar, 16 oz.	55.1	55.5	57.2	56.9	56.7	50.0	136.3
Pickles, sweet, mixed, jar, 16 oz.	44.7	43.7	43.7	43.7	44.1	42.2	127.2
Jelly powders, flavoured, pkg., 3 oz.	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.4	11.9	11.8	120.6

(1) For detailed explanations on methods of pricing, calculation techniques, coverage and price collection, refer to Prices and Price Indexes, October 1957. Tear sheets of this material are available on request.

(2) Includes cuts with bone-in and boned and rolled.

(3) Includes cuts with blade-in and blade removed.

(4) Average prices based on chain store prices in 7 cities.

(5) Prices for pectin and pure jam combined.

(6) Average prices based on prices in 16 cities.

(7) 1965=100.

(8) 1963=100.

(9) June 1968=100.

TABLE 11. Consumer Price Indexes, Regional Cities, 1962-71

Note: These indexes measure within each city the percentage change in consumer prices from the base period to the subsequent time periods. They cannot be used to compare levels of prices between cities. (1) For inter-city indexes of retail price differentials refer to Table 13.

	St. John's New- foundland	Halifax	Saint John	Montreal	Ottawa	Toronto	Winnipeg	Saska- toon Regina	Edmonton Calgary	Van- couver
1961=100										
<u>All-items</u>										
1962	100.8	101.3	100.9	101.2	101.2	100.9	101.3	101.7	101.0	100.3
1963	102.8	102.3	102.5	102.9	102.9	102.6	102.2	102.5	102.1	101.9
1964	103.9	102.7	103.5	104.5	104.5	104.3	103.8	103.5	102.6	102.6
1965	105.5	104.6	105.1	106.7	106.3	106.9	106.1	105.2	104.1	104.5
1966	108.0	107.4	107.8	109.9	110.4	111.6	109.3	108.3	107.5	107.0
1967	110.9	109.9	111.1	114.2	113.1	114.9	113.3	111.3	111.8	111.0
1968	115.9	114.2	115.1	118.1	118.4	119.3	118.2	115.8	116.7	115.1
1969	119.3	119.5	119.8	121.8	123.1	124.1	123.1	119.7	121.5	119.0
1970	121.6	124.4	123.4	124.3	127.4	127.3	127.0	122.2	125.1	123.0
1969 - Jan.	117.2	115.8	116.6	120.1	120.3	121.3	120.4	117.8	119.1	116.8
Feb.	117.8	115.5	116.3	120.4	120.1	121.2	120.4	117.7	119.2	117.3
Mar.	118.2	115.9	117.1	120.0	120.8	121.9	120.9	117.7	119.6	117.6
Apr.	118.7	119.0	119.3	121.0	121.9	123.2	121.9	118.3	120.3	118.3
May	119.0	119.3	119.5	121.4	122.7	123.3	122.2	118.9	120.8	118.3
June	119.9	120.0	120.3	122.5	123.5	124.5	123.6	120.1	122.1	119.9
July	120.0	120.4	121.0	122.7	123.8	124.9	123.7	120.5	122.2	120.0
Aug.	120.6	121.4	121.6	123.2	124.3	125.8	123.9	120.7	122.4	120.1
Sept.	120.3	121.2	121.5	122.1	123.9	125.5	124.7	121.2	123.0	119.3
Oct.	119.9	121.1	121.1	122.0	124.7	125.3	124.2	120.5	122.5	119.2
Nov.	120.0	122.0	121.5	122.8	125.4	126.1	125.4	121.3	123.2	120.1
Dec.	120.5	122.6	122.0	123.1	125.8	126.6	126.2	121.6	123.5	121.0
1970 - Jan.	120.9	123.2	122.4	123.5	125.7	126.8	126.2	121.7	123.5	121.0
Feb.	121.9	123.6	123.2	124.2	126.5	127.2	126.7	122.1	123.7	121.4
Mar.	122.0	123.8	123.1	124.2	127.0	127.2	126.2	122.1	124.0	121.8
Apr.	122.4	124.5	123.5	124.7	127.6	127.5	127.1	122.1	124.7	123.1
May	121.8	125.2	123.6	124.4	127.4	127.5	127.3	122.2	124.7	123.4
June	122.2	125.3	124.1	125.0	128.4	127.8	127.6	122.5	125.2	123.8
July	122.3	125.2	123.8	125.3	128.5	127.8	127.3	122.4	125.5	123.6
Aug.	122.6	125.3	124.0	124.8	128.0	127.7	127.4	122.4	125.7	123.4
Sept.	121.3	124.1	123.8	124.3	127.7	127.3	127.6	122.8	126.1	123.5
Oct.	121.2	124.3	123.4	123.6	127.5	127.1	127.1	122.1	125.7	123.3
Nov.	121.0	124.8	123.9	124.1	127.6	127.3	126.9	121.8	126.1	123.9
Dec.	120.1	124.0	122.6	123.8	127.2	126.1	126.3	121.6	126.2	124.1
1971 - Jan.	120.5	123.6	122.6	124.4	127.5	126.7	126.8	121.6	126.4	124.5
Feb.	121.6	123.8	123.0	124.7	128.3	127.2	126.8	122.0	127.3	125.5
Mar.	121.8	124.4	123.5	125.3	129.0	127.7	127.2	122.0	127.3	125.7
Apr.	123.1	125.8	124.7	125.9	129.7	128.3	127.5	122.4	127.3	126.1
May										
June										
July										
Aug.										
Sept.										
Oct.										
Nov.										
Dec.										

(1) For explanation see page 75.

TABLE 11. Consumer Price Indexes, Regional Cities - Continued

TABLE II. Consumer Price Indexes, Regional Cities - Continued

TABLE 11. Consumer Price Indexes, Regional Cities - Continued

TABLE 11. Consumer Price Indexes, Regional Cities - Concluded

TABLE 12. Average Weekly Wages in Manufacturing in Current Dollars and Adjusted for Changes in the Consumer Price Index, Canada(1)
1962-71

	Weekly wages in current dollars	Index numbers of weekly wages in current dollars	Weekly wages in 1961 dollars	Index numbers of weekly wages in 1961 dollars
	\$	(1961=100)	\$	
1962 - Average	76.75	103.1	75.87	101.9
1963 "	79.51	106.8	77.24	103.7
1964 "	82.96	111.4	79.16	106.3
1965 "	86.94	116.8	80.99	108.8
1966 "	91.65	123.1	82.29	110.5
1967 "	96.84	130.1	83.97	112.8
1968 "	104.00	139.7	86.51	116.2
1969 "	111.72	150.1	89.02	119.6
1970 "	119.69 ^P	160.8 ^P	92.28 ^P	104.0 ^P
1970 - Jan.	116.30	156.2	90.37	121.4
Feb.	117.36	157.6	91.05	122.3
Mar.	117.14	157.3	90.32	121.3
Apr.	118.84	159.6	91.70	123.2
May	119.69	160.8	92.14	123.8
June	120.65	162.1	92.45	124.2
July	118.06	158.6	90.47	121.5
Aug.	120.57	161.9	92.62	124.4
Sept.	121.16	162.7	92.99	124.9
Oct.	122.67	164.8	94.14	126.4
Nov.	123.30	165.6	99.99	127.6
Dec.	120.53	161.9	92.50	124.2
1971 - Jan.	124.09 ^P	166.7 ^P	94.80 ^P	127.3 ^P
Feb.				
Mar.				
Apr.				
May				
June				
July				
Aug.				
Sept.				
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				

(1) For detailed explanation, see page 74.

TABLE 13. Inter-City Indexes of Retail Price Differentials, as at May 1969(1)
Selected Groupings of Commodities and Services Winnipeg May 1969

	St. John's	Char- lotte- town	Halifax	Saint John	Mont- real	Ottawa	Toronto	Winni- peg	Regina	Edmon- ton	Van- couver
Food at home	108	101	102	102	95	100	96	100	101	99	101
Household operation(2)		113	112		110	106	106	100	100	100	112
Clothing		102	100		99	99	96	100	102	98	101
Transportation			103		109	101	102	100	100	99	101
Health and personal care		90	98		91	101	100	100	101	106	107
Recreation and reading		105	105		108	107	105	100	98	100	106
Tobacco and alcohol	123	105	109		100	95	95	100	100	89	94

(1) For detailed explanation, see page 75.

(2) Excludes fuel and lighting.

TABLE 14. Price Index Numbers of Commodities and Services Used by Farmers
(1935-39=100)

	Composite index exclusive of living component(1)	Farm machinery	Equipment and materials	Taxes and interest rates(1)	Farm wage rates	Farm family living	Composite index inclusive of living component(1)
All Canada							
1949	204.1	158.3	180.3	138.7	373.3	173.2	191.7
1961	282.1	260.7	226.5	220.6	566.0	224.2	259.0
1968	387.3	313.7	271.3	306.3	920.9	266.1	338.9
1969	408.4	324.1	278.1	330.7	1,001.2	272.4	354.0
1968 - January	371.4	313.0	268.6	306.3	835.7	265.0	328.8
April	392.6	313.5	272.3	306.3	948.8	266.5	342.2
August	398.0	314.5	273.1	306.3	978.3	266.8	345.6
1969 - January	398.7	320.2	276.3	330.7	939.5	269.8	347.1
April	411.1	325.9	280.9	330.7	1,026.9	271.5	355.3
August	415.5	326.3	277.1	330.7	1,037.2	275.9	359.7
1970 - January	412.6	337.9	279.2	330.7	1,012.4	275.6	357.8
Eastern Canada							
1949	208.9	157.9	183.3	126.1	368.5	171.5	193.9
1961	286.5	262.9	221.5	223.6	550.2	223.7	261.4
1968	400.6	310.4	265.0	309.4	912.1	267.9	347.3
1969	425.9	320.4	269.0	339.4	998.7	275.6	365.7
1968 - January	385.8	310.1	262.7	309.4	843.7	267.0	338.3
April	404.7	310.4	266.8	309.4	927.4	267.9	350.0
August	411.4	310.6	265.4	309.4	965.1	268.7	354.3
1969 - January	417.1	315.3	266.8	339.4	961.0	271.7	358.9
April	429.7	322.7	272.2	339.4	1,008.4	275.2	367.9
August	430.8	323.1	268.1	339.4	1,026.6	279.8	370.4
1970 - January	434.4	333.7	270.6	339.4	1,037.2	278.5	372.1
Western Canada							
1949	199.2	158.4	177.4	149.4	380.1	174.9	189.5
1961	277.8	259.8	231.3	218.0	588.5	224.7	256.5
1968	374.0	375.0	277.4	303.6	933.5	264.3	330.2
1969	392.9	325.6	286.9	323.4	1,004.8	269.2	344.3
1968 - January	356.9	314.1	274.2	303.6	824.4	263.1	319.4
April	380.5	314.7	277.7	303.6	979.2	265.1	334.4
August	384.7	316.1	280.4	303.6	997.0	264.8	336.7
1969 - January	380.2	322.2	285.5	323.4	909.0	267.8	335.3
April	398.2	327.2	289.3	323.4	1,053.2	267.8	348.7
August	400.3	327.5	285.8	323.4	1,052.3	272.0	349.0
1970 - January	390.8	339.6	287.4	323.4	977.2	272.6	343.5

(1) 1970 indexes are subject to revision, since tax and interest figures are preliminary.

TABLE 15. Average Retail Feed Prices for Canada and Five Geographical Areas
First of the Month Prices — Dollars per cwt

Item	Canada			Maritimes			Quebec		
	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970
dollars									
Corn, cracked	4.09	4.13	3.89	4.39	4.46	4.26	4.11	4.12	3.82
Oats, unground	3.30	3.35	3.08	3.58	3.55	3.23	3.51	3.51	3.09
Barley, ground	3.40	3.42	3.09	3.76	3.75	3.32	3.63	3.62	3.15
Wheat, unground	3.59	3.60	3.46	3.99	3.92	3.76	3.69	3.67	3.49
Bran	3.57	3.72	3.51	3.78	3.84	3.73	3.65	3.64	4.07
Shorts	3.66	3.64	3.40	3.89	3.97	3.56	3.72	3.71	3.37
Middlings	3.77	3.78	3.48	4.01	4.08	3.65	3.83	3.83	3.47
Linseed oil meal	6.04	6.01	6.01	6.42	6.41	6.68	5.95	5.93	5.91
Soybean oil meal	6.51	6.55	6.66	7.26	7.38	7.86	6.61	6.61	6.71
Calf starter (20-24%)	5.65	5.60	5.55	5.64	5.63	5.44	5.53	5.29	5.23
Dairy ration (16%)	4.05	4.29	3.87	4.22	4.21	3.96	4.16	4.15	3.94
Dairy supplement (24%) (East)	4.98	4.92	4.78	5.29	4.99	4.66	5.09	5.05	4.97
Dairy supplement (32%) (West)	5.44	5.42	5.45	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig starter mash	5.37	5.36	5.23	5.42	5.38	5.18	5.47	5.45	5.28
Hog concentrate (35%)	7.21	7.19	7.02	7.38	7.31	7.39	7.23	7.21	7.23
Hog grower mash	4.24	4.23	4.06	4.62	4.56	4.32	4.33	4.30	4.07
Chick starter mash (18-20%)	5.50	5.48	5.38	5.77	5.70	5.62	5.44	5.39	5.35
Growing mash	4.73	4.72	4.61	4.95	4.94	4.66	4.92	4.86	4.76
Laying mash (17-20%)	4.79	4.78	4.73	5.23	5.18	5.15	5.00	4.94	4.90
Broiler starter mash (20-23%)	5.56	5.57	5.49	..	..	..	5.81	5.80	5.68
Turkey growing mash	5.23	5.24	5.03	..	..	..	5.69	5.74	5.71
Ontario									
Prairies									
British Columbia									
Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	Apr. 1971	Mar. 1971	Apr. 1970	
dollars									
Corn, cracked	3.66	3.67	3.55	4.80	5.44	4.97	5.18	5.10	4.81
Oats, unground	3.28	3.35	3.13	2.20	2.21	2.12	3.75	3.78	3.45
Barley, ground	3.49	3.50	3.13	2.28	2.31	2.15	3.67	3.68	3.41
Wheat, unground	3.62	3.63	3.49	2.57	2.60	2.52	4.04	4.02	3.84
Bran	3.48	3.90	3.21	3.59	3.55	3.53	3.46	3.45	3.21
Shorts	3.58	3.52	3.32	3.63	3.61	3.62	3.60	3.62	3.34
Middlings	3.67	3.66	3.45	3.29	3.31	3.51	3.74	3.69	3.16
Linseed oil meal	5.88	5.86	5.86	6.10	6.00	6.05	6.72	6.72	6.38
Soybean oil meal	6.03	6.05	6.12	6.93	7.05	7.62	7.49	7.46	7.21
Calf starter (20-24%)	5.85	5.92	5.89	5.45	5.43	5.33	5.84	5.84	5.69
Dairy ration (16%)	4.06	4.70	3.92	3.40	3.37	3.18	4.29	4.32	4.12
Dairy supplement (24%) (East)	4.80	4.80	4.67	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dairy supplement (32%) (West) .....	..	..	..	5.41	5.38	5.38	5.62	5.64	5.87
Pig starter mash	5.45	5.46	5.40	5.08	5.02	4.78	5.30	5.32	5.24
Hog concentrate (35%)	7.31	7.31	6.87	6.96	6.83	6.88	..	..	..
Hog grower mash	4.28	4.30	4.13	3.34	3.34	3.24	4.54	4.56	4.44
Chick starter mash (18-20%)	5.91	5.87	5.78	4.82	4.80	4.71	5.70	5.70	5.60
Growing mash	4.87	4.88	4.79	3.78	3.77	3.78	5.12	5.08	4.91
Laying mash (17-20%)	4.83	4.83	4.78	3.87	3.87	3.89	5.04	5.07	4.89
Broiler starter mash (20-23%)	5.74	5.70	5.58	4.88	4.89	5.13	5.66	5.68	5.50
Turkey growing mash	5.55	5.53	5.36	4.38	4.36	4.34	5.44	5.39	5.10

Note: Mash includes pellets, crumbles, cubes, etc.

TABLE 16. Index Numbers of Common and Preferred Stock Prices
(1961=100)

	Investors index									
	Inves-tors (1) total	Total indus-trials	Indus-trial mines	Foods	Bever-ages	Textiles and clothing	Pulp and paper	Printing and publish-ing	Primary metals	Metal fabri-cating
	(114)	(80)	(4)	(10)	(7)	(5)	(7)	(4)	(8)	(9)
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	96.4	96.6	93.7	93.2	109.3	114.4	101.4	92.1	87.8	98.5
1963	103.1	103.4	95.3	99.0	119.9	157.9	111.0	95.7	98.0	114.2
1964	120.8	125.9	122.6	108.7	137.7	217.2	138.4	100.0	120.5	145.6
1965	132.8	139.8	140.8	122.9	153.7	263.1	134.0	127.7	128.6	154.3
1966	125.3	132.9	137.5	118.4	130.6	230.0	118.4	143.3	122.1	144.3
1967	131.3	140.4	142.7	119.6	148.7	170.8	113.0	197.3	110.3	123.2
1968	135.2	143.7	146.0	123.2	169.4	116.7	92.2	206.6	96.8	131.6
1969	149.8	157.7	152.6	135.6	200.4	114.8	131.3	236.3	108.1	155.8
1970	137.7	145.5	155.1	139.4	187.0	85.7	110.3	226.7	91.5	125.1
1969 - July	142.8	149.9	140.5	132.6	190.7	110.2	120.1	227.3	100.7	149.4
Aug.	141.9	149.4	140.7	136.4	191.8	103.9	123.4	229.0	101.1	144.2
Sept.	146.8	154.7	149.4	139.0	200.7	104.0	127.7	240.2	104.1	144.7
Oct.	146.9	154.7	150.6	136.6	202.1	99.3	129.3	245.3	105.9	145.4
Nov.	152.2	160.9	165.3	147.5	210.7	101.9	137.5	254.3	102.5	152.3
Dec.	150.2	160.4	168.1	147.9	210.2	98.5	134.9	255.1	99.4	141.4
1970 - Jan.	150.0	162.2	169.7	146.6	203.3	102.8	132.5	257.8	95.2	142.9
Feb.	147.1	159.4	168.9	144.7	202.3	100.2	130.3	248.4	95.1	135.8
Mar.	150.3	162.6	175.3	150.4	206.0	95.6	133.5	257.8	101.1	137.1
Apr.	146.1	158.2	169.8	148.3	202.9	87.1	129.4	250.2	99.5	133.0
May	128.3	136.8	146.7	130.3	177.9	77.6	112.1	213.4	87.2	119.7
June	126.1	132.1	141.3	134.2	174.5	70.8	96.0	203.3	85.5	112.6
July	125.4	131.2	140.0	133.4	175.7	77.3	94.2	200.3	85.1	111.3
Aug.	129.0	134.3	142.4	137.2	176.5	82.3	97.9	205.6	86.1	113.7
Sept.	134.6	139.4	144.1	140.4	182.2	88.0	101.8	217.4	88.8	122.4
Oct.	137.2	142.3	151.6	143.0	183.1	83.9	98.3	219.4	88.8	126.6
Nov.	135.5	140.1	154.3	132.2	176.0	79.0	94.1	212.9	89.0	121.4
Dec.	142.5	147.0	157.2	132.5	183.5	83.9	103.8	233.6	97.0	124.7
1971 - Jan.	146.2	151.6	157.7	136.1	187.6	95.3	107.2	236.3	101.4	139.0
Feb.	146.7	151.8	155.8	137.0	187.0	100.7	105.7	242.6	100.0	150.1
Mar.	149.5	154.0	157.1	140.3	187.3	102.4	100.8	247.4	101.7	153.4
Apr.	153.1	157.1	156.9	140.1	189.7	106.1	99.8	254.7	101.5	160.7
May										
June										
July										
Aug.										
Sept.										
Oct.										
Nov.										
Dec.										
<u>Weekly index</u>										
Apr. 1	152.6	156.8	159.5	141.1	186.5	101.7	100.5	255.0	103.3	156.9
Apr. 7	152.9	157.3	160.1	140.3	189.0	104.8	99.1	254.9	101.2	158.2
Apr. 15	155.2	159.5	162.8	142.8	189.1	109.1	103.0	256.3	102.4	165.4
Apr. 22	153.3	157.1	153.2	140.3	192.3	105.9	100.9	256.6	100.5	160.3
Apr. 29	151.4	154.9	148.8	136.2	191.8	109.0	95.4	250.7	99.9	153.0

See footnote(s) at end of table.

TABLE 16. Index Numbers of Common and Preferred Stock Prices — Continued
(1961=100)

Current number of stocks	Investors index									
	Non-metallic minerals	Petro-leum	Chemicals	Construction	Retail trade	Total utilities	Pipe-line	Transportation	Telephone	Electric-power
	(4)	(7)	(4)	(4)	(7)	(20)	(5)	(4)	(3)	(3)
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	106.2	99.1	114.8	79.7	88.7	97.9	103.4	99.4	100.8	86.0
1963	133.6	96.7	145.4	64.0	99.3	108.1	111.9	121.5	106.1	98.0
1964	156.8	112.1	187.2	62.3	129.1	122.2	130.9	178.0	111.8	102.9
1965	174.5	117.5	204.4	76.8	155.0	136.3	134.2	247.4	119.6	108.2
1966	143.9	119.6	165.6	71.4	146.2	129.4	117.2	229.7	104.8	115.4
1967	128.2	151.9	144.0	57.7	144.1	133.4	135.1	249.2	98.1	106.8
1968	109.8	171.3	124.2	72.9	162.2	131.8	131.8	236.0	90.7	100.3
1969	130.4	173.0	131.5	90.7	149.2	142.0	140.3	293.4	94.0	105.7
1970	115.5	162.8	82.9	47.7	116.6	126.3	136.3	231.5	87.6	94.8
1969 — July	128.0	172.7	125.3	87.5	144.3	141.0	133.7	289.6	95.3	107.1
Aug.	123.7	168.4	122.6	81.3	139.7	136.9	133.8	273.6	91.8	102.3
Sept.	123.1	168.7	124.2	75.2	142.0	140.7	138.2	280.9	94.3	106.2
Oct.	120.4	160.7	116.9	70.0	142.8	138.6	140.3	278.3	89.2	106.3
Nov.	120.2	160.3	113.8	70.5	153.7	136.2	141.7	276.0	90.1	100.3
Dec.	124.0	155.3	111.8	64.9	146.5	130.7	140.5	260.2	88.6	95.2
1970 — Jan.	123.0	179.4	102.8	61.4	145.3	127.4	136.6	255.3	86.0	92.9
Feb.	111.4	178.8	97.9	54.3	135.5	122.9	130.6	241.3	84.4	89.0
Mar.	116.4	174.7	98.7	54.7	129.2	125.7	130.6	248.3	87.2	92.5
Apr.	118.5	169.5	91.5	50.7	124.2	124.0	130.1	237.4	87.9	92.0
May	108.7	141.8	82.3	42.7	108.2	114.3	119.8	212.4	83.4	87.3
June	107.0	141.0	74.7	43.2	111.1	115.8	120.3	209.1	85.6	87.9
July	109.8	142.4	72.4	43.1	106.4	117.6	127.3	199.6	86.0	87.9
Aug.	111.2	152.5	74.8	43.7	107.2	123.8	137.9	210.8	86.3	92.6
Sept.	115.1	161.8	79.4	44.9	112.5	130.6	144.4	228.8	88.7	98.4
Oct.	115.1	169.6	72.1	45.4	110.1	134.2	148.4	238.1	89.0	102.4
Nov.	119.4	167.4	70.2	42.3	102.7	135.6	149.4	238.7	91.2	104.1
Dec.	130.0	175.0	77.7	45.6	106.7	144.2	159.7	257.7	94.9	110.8
1971(1) — Jan.	135.7	179.4	88.8	53.6	114.4	147.0	160.5	264.9	96.4	114.1
Feb.	138.1	179.7	83.6	57.7	114.9	146.8	160.5	268.1	96.2	111.4
Mar.	138.4	187.1	86.0	59.3	120.5	148.4	163.9	261.5	98.4	115.3
Apr.	144.8	198.3	91.6	62.0	122.0	152.5	169.1	264.9	99.9	122.2
July										
Aug.										
Sept.										
Oct.										
Nov.										
Dec.										
<u>Weekly index</u>										
April 1	145.2	193.2	88.7	60.1	124.1	151.4	167.0	260.9	99.3	122.1
April 7	145.6	197.4	89.1	61.4	121.8	152.0	166.7	264.3	100.1	121.5
April 15	145.5	197.6	93.4	62.4	121.1	155.0	171.6	271.8	101.6	123.2
April 22	144.6	202.2	94.2	62.9	120.7	152.8	169.4	262.3	100.3	123.3
April 29	143.2	200.9	92.8	63.1	122.2	151.4	170.8	265.2	98.2	120.9

See footnote(s) at end of table.

TABLE 16. Index Numbers of Common and Preferred Stock Prices — Concluded

(1961=100)

Current number of stocks	Investors index				Mining index				Supplementary indexes	
	Gas dis- tri- bution	Total fi- nance	Banks	Invest- ment and loan	Total mining	Golds	Base metals	Ura- niums	Primary oils and gas	Pre- ferred stocks
	(5)	(14)	(6)	(8)	(24)	(6)	(18)	(4)	(6)	(24)
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	99.8	94.3	95.8	92.2	103.7	107.6	101.0	106.9	107.4	101.5
1963	113.9	96.4	99.3	92.1	98.3	102.8	95.4	127.2	110.8	104.6
1964	127.6	98.9	101.0	95.5	109.3	110.0	108.8	117.1	136.6	105.8
1965	152.0	100.7	100.7	100.6	122.5	127.2	119.3	178.8	168.4	105.1
1966	164.5	89.9	92.9	85.2	121.1	127.9	116.5	251.8	195.3	94.1
1967	182.4	92.4	99.6	81.2	110.9	125.8	100.9	340.2	312.0	89.9
1968	211.4	104.1	119.3	80.6	119.5	152.3	97.6	359.6	369.8	79.9
1969	219.1	126.4	143.6	99.7	127.3	139.9	118.8	259.0	440.6	77.5
1970	184.1	118.1	138.1	87.2	113.5	104.5	119.7	168.3	348.4	66.5
1969 — July	219.1	116.4	130.9	94.0	119.0	132.9	109.7	211.2	443.9	76.2
Aug.	215.4	117.4	131.7	95.2	112.5	117.8	109.0	212.7	424.3	75.5
Sept.	218.9	121.2	135.8	98.6	119.2	124.3	115.9	244.7	422.2	77.1
Oct.	214.6	124.6	139.8	101.0	118.7	118.2	119.1	238.7	369.6	75.5
Nov.	204.1	134.3	152.6	105.9	124.9	114.7	131.7	231.9	376.7	75.3
Dec.	188.0	130.6	150.4	100.1	118.9	99.9	131.5	207.4	351.8	73.5
1970 — Jan.	183.7	124.8	144.2	94.9	124.8	105.7	137.4	190.4	403.4	71.2
Feb.	179.9	123.6	142.5	94.4	121.5	99.9	135.7	193.7	394.1	71.1
Mar.	183.0	127.2	149.0	93.4	124.3	109.6	134.1	214.3	372.3	70.2
Apr.	178.0	121.1	140.2	91.4	124.1	110.0	133.5	197.4	351.1	69.3
May	158.6	108.8	128.0	79.1	110.8	100.6	117.6	163.0	257.5	63.5
June	164.8	113.4	133.8	81.9	107.0	97.7	113.2	158.9	265.5	63.2
July	171.7	110.4	130.0	80.0	107.0	99.8	111.8	160.4	271.9	62.2
Aug.	183.2	112.7	133.6	79.9	107.4	100.1	112.3	165.3	337.2	63.5
Sept.	193.8	119.4	141.2	85.2	108.5	102.9	112.5	153.2	369.4	65.2
Oct.	199.5	118.8	139.2	87.2	113.1	111.5	114.9	142.0	384.4	64.8
Nov.	200.1	115.7	135.0	86.1	108.7	112.7	107.4	136.2	382.9	63.9
Dec.	212.4	121.4	140.2	93.1	104.4	103.3	106.0	144.5	391.1	67.8
1971 — Jan.	217.4	122.2	138.9	97.9	107.7	105.3	110.0	156.7	402.4	71.3
Feb.	218.0	124.4	142.2	98.2	111.3	111.8	112.0	169.5	425.1	70.9
Mar.	219.8	132.5	152.7	102.3	115.2	111.3	118.4	173.6	427.3	70.0
Apr.	226.2	137.3	157.0	108.5	120.4	113.7	125.1	187.1	438.9	70.5
May										
June										
July										
Aug.										
Sept.										
Oct.										
Nov.										
Dec.										
Weekly index										
April 1	227.5	136.9	157.3	106.5	122.0	117.5	125.5	182.7	425.0	..
April 7	227.5	135.9	155.9	106.3	122.4	115.7	127.1	195.4	435.6	..
April 15	228.3	137.8	156.7	110.5	121.8	113.1	127.7	196.5	437.7	..
April 22	228.1	138.7	158.6	109.4	118.7	110.7	124.1	181.0	443.8	..
April 29	219.5	137.4	156.5	109.8	117.2	111.7	121.3	179.8	452.3	..

(1) Mining stocks are not included in Investors index.

TABLE 17. Base-weighted Highway Construction Price Indexes All-items and Major Components, Combined Annually, 1956-69
(1961=100)*

	All-items	Major components		
		Grading	Granular base courses	Surface courses
1956(1)	131.6	139.1	126.1	126.1
1957	122.1	123.2	117.6	127.5
1958	111.1	114.3	105.2	114.8
1959	112.2	113.7	109.5	113.7
1960	110.6	113.1	104.5	116.1
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	103.7	107.6	97.6	106.2
1963	110.6	118.1	103.7	107.4
1964	113.5	118.6	109.6	109.8
1965	130.9	137.3	131.3	117.6
1966	140.1	147.3	140.1	126.0
1967	135.1	141.6	133.7	124.8
1968	132.9	140.6	129.5	123.4
1969	138.0	146.4	136.5	123.9

(1) The years referred to are fiscal years. For example, 1956 represents the period April 1, 1956 to March 31, 1957.

* To assist comparison with other published series the indexes presented below have been arithmetically converted from 1956=100 to 1961=100. The 1956=100 indexes are available on request.

TABLE 18. Provincial Base-weighted Highway Construction All-items Price Indexes, Annually, 1956-69(1)
(1961=100)*

	Newfoundland	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Ontario(3)	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	British Columbia
1956(2)	136.2	115.1	99.9	134.2	133.1	152.5	142.4
1957	114.6	104.5	97.1	117.5	149.1	156.7	132.6
1958	130.3	103.7	103.2	109.2	111.5	121.5	111.6
1959	118.9	110.0	102.5	113.8	109.7	111.0	114.1
1960	124.7	118.4	96.8	107.2	116.4	105.3	113.7
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	109.1	98.2	99.3	110.2	108.0	98.4	95.2
1963	101.1	95.9	102.2	126.5	120.2	102.7	96.9
1964	108.4	96.4	103.7	123.7	123.7	116.8	106.1
1965	119.5	116.8	103.2	144.0	133.3	144.4	127.7
1966	129.6	116.1	103.6	157.4	152.9	168.1	129.7
1967	115.2	122.7	103.0	156.3	153.8	137.6	119.4
1968	120.8	119.9	101.8	151.5	140.8	124.9	126.6
1969	116.5	123.1	102.2	154.0	144.6	132.1	143.2

(1) Major components for the provincial indexes were presented in the November 1970 issue of Prices and Price Indexes. (2) The years referred to are fiscal years. For example, 1956 represents the period April 1, 1956 to March 31, 1957. (3) Direct comparisons should not be made between this index and the highway index published by the Ontario Department of Highways. The item content of the two indexes is substantially different. * To assist comparison with other published series the indexes presented below have been arithmetically converted from 1956=100 to 1961=100. The 1956=100 indexes are available on request.

TABLE 19. Price Indexes of Electric Utility Distribution Systems, Transmission Lines and Transformer Stations, Canada, Annually 1956-69
(1961=100)

	Distribution systems			Transmission lines	Transformer Stations		
	Total	Construction	Equipment		Total	Structures and Improvements	Equipment
1956	95.1	92.7	100.4	92.1	115.2	110.1	127.9
1957	96.5	91.9	106.6	94.4	118.1	105.6	132.6
1958	93.2	93.5	92.5	95.7	109.0	101.3	118.4
1959	96.8	96.3	97.9	97.0	113.5	102.6	123.2
1960	100.3	98.5	104.3	98.9	109.8	103.3	115.7
1961	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1962	101.8	102.5	100.4	100.9	105.1	102.6	105.9
1963	102.5	105.2	96.4	102.3	107.6	108.9	107.3
1964	104.6	107.7	97.6	102.7	112.0	112.9	111.9
1965	107.1	112.3	95.4	108.5	118.3	124.0	117.4
1966	112.4	118.4	99.0	113.0	122.5	131.0	120.4
1967	116.1	125.3	95.7	118.7	121.2	127.2	115.1
1968	115.6	126.3	91.8	121.9	117.1	123.5	106.7
1969P	120.5	133.3	91.7	128.7	119.9	129.9	105.9
1970							

TABLE 20. Building Construction Price Indexes*

1961=100

	Input indexes					Implicit indexes for business gross fixed capital formation	
	Building materials price indexes		Index of wage rates	Fixed-weighted composite indexes			
	Residential	Non-residential		Residential (columns 1 & 3)	Non-residential (columns 2 & 3)	Residential construction	Non-residential construction
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1962	100.7	99.1	104.4	102.5	101.5	100.0	100.9
1963	104.1	101.8	108.1	106.0	104.6	102.2	103.1
1964	109.5	106.6	113.1	111.3	109.5	106.9	104.3
1965	115.8	111.5	118.6	117.1	114.7	112.3	110.4
1966	120.5	115.4	128.1	124.2	121.1	119.2	117.6
1967	125.3	117.8	140.8	132.8	128.2	126.6	118.2
1968	132.1	120.7	152.8	142.0	135.1	129.2	120.1
1969	139.2	126.1	164.5	151.4	143.3	136.0	127.7
1970	137.6	129.5	188.7	162.2	156.1	140.5	133.1
1970 - January	137.4	129.4	174.6	155.3	149.7		
February	137.7	128.7	175.4	155.8	149.7		
March	137.0	129.4	180.6	158.0	152.4	137.7	132.1
April	136.7	129.4	182.7	158.8	153.3		
May	137.0	129.6	189.1	162.1	156.3		
June	137.4	129.6	189.6	162.5	156.5	139.5	132.5
July	137.4	129.6	190.3	162.8	156.9		
August	138.0	129.7	190.8	163.4	157.1		
September	138.1	129.7	191.7	163.9	157.5	141.1	133.1
October	138.1	129.7	197.1	166.5	160.0		
November	138.3	129.6	201.2	168.6	161.7		
December	138.4	130.1	201.5	168.8	162.2	143.5	135.0
Average	137.6	129.5	188.7	162.2	156.1	140.5	133.1
1971 - January	139.0	130.5	203.4	170.0	163.2		
February	140.0	131.0	205.6	171.6	164.5		
March	141.2	132.0	205.6	172.2	165.0		
April	141.8	132.5	207.3	173.3	166.1		
May							
June							
July							
August							
September							
October							
November							
December							
Average							

(1 & 2) From Tables 6 and 7.

(3) Weights used to combine wage rate series: (Source: Dept. of Labour):

Labourer	46
Carpenter	30
Painter	7
Electrician	5
Plumber	5
Bricklayer and Mason	3
Sheet Metal Worker	2
Truck Driver	2
Total	100

(4) Materials weighted 62.5, wage rates 37.5.

(5) Materials weighted 65.0, wage rates 35.0.

(6 & 7) National Income and Expenditure Accounts, Catalogue 13-001, quarterly.

(7) This series contains an engineering component as well as a building component, and is therefore not precisely comparable in coverage with the non-residential composite index. The implicit price indexes are adjusted for changes in contractors profit and productivity.

* For further detailed explanation see Prices and Price Indexes - May 1970.

Explanation of Methods Used and Additional Sources for Price Series

Industrial Price Indexes

Industry Selling Price Indexes (1961=100)

Industry selling price indexes are published for approximately 100 industries within manufacturing. Also published are approximately 425 commodity price indexes for the products of these industries. The Classification system is that of the 1960 standard industrial classification, thus permitting the joint use of price statistics with other data such as production and employment similarly classified.

The data upon which both the initial selection of commodities to be priced and responding firms are made are contained in the Census of Manufacturers, a series of annual surveys collecting statistics on shipments of commodities, employment and materials used. Prices are collected on the 15th of each month or the nearest transaction date for the commodity being priced; sales and excise taxes are excluded.

The industry classified price indexes are useful for analysis of price movements, for estimation of the constant dollar value of shipments, and for purposes of contract escalations.

A complete description of these indexes is contained in: Industry Selling Price Indexes 1956-68, Catalogue No. 62-528.

General Wholesale Index (1935-39=100)

The General Wholesale Index is a commodity classified index of prices. The index is "general" inasmuch as it incorporates a diverse selection of both primary and processed commodities. It is called "wholesale" because its ingredient prices relate to that broad and heterogeneous area of commodity distribution which excludes only retail trade. In fact, the term "wholesale" has more of a connotation of bulk trading than of any homogeneous level of distribution. Thus, though the index mainly includes prices of producers, it also covers transactions of "middle men" who trade in commodities of a type or in quantities characteristic of primary marketing functions.

Though general wholesale price indexes have been calculated by many countries for years there is no precise answer to the question of what such an index measures. This is so because the index cannot be associated with any adequately definable value aggregate. Unlike a consumer price index which can be identified with expenditures of household consumers, a general wholesale index covers a host of overlapping transactions sometimes involving the same ingredient in as many as three different stages of processing. Yet, conceptually, it is not a measure of the purchasing power of money because it omits significant areas of monetary transactions such as prices of land, labour, securities and services, except in so far as prices of these things are implicit in commodity prices. As a conventional summary figure, its use has tended towards a reference level against which to observe the behaviour of particular price groups such as farm products, industrial materials, building materials and the various other groupings for which indexes are published. And as an indicator of general business conditions it is usually included in the group which is regarded as approximately coincident with the business cycle. However, its main attribute now lies in its long historical continuity.

For further details about the General Wholesale Index please consult: Wholesale Price Indexes 1913-50 (Reference Paper No. 24) Prices and Price Indexes 1949-52 (Vol. 23) (Catalogue No. 62-501)

Price Index Numbers of Commodities and Services Used by Farmers

The Index of Commodities and Services used by Farmers is designed to measure the change in retail prices of farm operating costs and farm living costs. It is calculated thrice yearly, viz.: January, April and August, and is on the base 1935-39=100. For an explanation of method of construction and an historical record, please refer to "Price Index Numbers of Commodities and Services Used by Farmers, 1913 to 1948 (Revised 1948)." A special bulletin giving total and group index detail is released subsequent to each pricing date.

Canadian Farm Products Price Index (1935-39=100)

Wheat prices used in the index are buying prices of the Canadian Wheat Board for Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Manitoba Northern at Thunder Bay. Prices for western oats and barley are also supplied by the Wheat Board and quotations relating to No. 2 C.W., No. 3 C.W. and No. 1 Feed Oats and to Nos. 1 and 2 feed barley are included in the price index. Initial payments are first used in the index calculation and are revised as further payments are announced.

No final payments for the crop year August 1968 - July 1969 were announced on March 5, 1970, for wheat, oats and barley.

Unit	Initial and total participation payments 1968-69 and 1969-70			
	August 1968 - July 1969		August 1969 - July 1970	
	Initial payment(1)	Total participation payment(2)	Initial payment(3)	Total participation payment(4)
dollars				
<u>Wheat</u>				
No. 1 Manitoba Northern bushel	1.70	1.70	1.70	
No. 2 Manitoba Northern	" 1.66	1.66	1.66	
No. 3 Manitoba Northern	" 1.62	1.62	1.62	
<u>Oats</u>				
No. 2 C.W. bushel	.65	.65	.65	
No. 3 C.W.	" .62	.62	.62	
No. 1 Feed Oats	" .60	.60	.60	
<u>Barley</u>				
No. 1 Feed bushel	.97	.97	.97	
No. 2 Feed	" .94	.94	.94	

(1) Used in original indexes from August 1968 to July 1969. (2) No final payments for crop year August 1968 to July 1969.

(3) Used in indexes August 1968 to present. (4) Not yet announced by Wheat Board.

Residential and Non-Residential Building Construction Price Indexes

The fixed-weighted input price indexes of materials and wage rates for residential and non-residential building construction are being published here for the convenience of users (Table 20). A more complete description of the characteristics of the indexes appeared in the May 1970 issue of Prices and Price Indexes, and this explanation is available on request from the Prices Division, as is historical monthly data for the series.

Because the indexes measure the impact of price change on the materials and labour inputs to construction, and not the effects of changes in profit margins or productivity, there is thought to be an upward bias in these indexes as indicators of price change for the output of building construction, or buildings in place. Users are therefore warned to exercise caution in making use of the series, for this purpose. A comparison of these series with the implicit price deflators(1) providing an estimate of price change for the output of the industry), derived from the measurement of gross fixed capital formation in constant dollars, will provide some insight into the effects on the price movement of adjusting the fixed-weighted input indexes for changes in productivity and profit margins.

During the period from 1926-1966 a special sample of respondents supplied materials prices for the index. As of 1961 this sample has been replaced with prices from the ISPI system(2). The latter are published monthly in Table 2 of this publication.

The Construction wage rate series is based on wage rate material supplied by the Labour Standards Branch, Dept. of Labour, and relates to minimum wages paid on government contracts for construction in a variety of trades and cities.

Users are reminded that the indexes were arithmetically rebased to the year 1961=100 and therefore combining the components with the weights as shown will not provide the composite index provided. Users able to provide their own weights for the components can recombine the components to suit their particular needs.

- (1) National Income and Expenditure Division, DBS.
(2) Industry Selling Price Indexes 1956-1968 Cat. 62-528

Security Price Indexes

Security price indexes measure through time the effect of price change on the value of a portfolio of stocks bought and held by a hypothetical investor (as opposed to the more speculative trader). The portfolio represents stocks of Canadian companies listed on Toronto, Montreal and Canadian stock exchanges. The number of shares held for each issue is in proportion to the total number of shares outstanding. Prices in the common and mining stock indexes are Thursday's closing quotations as reported in the Globe and Mail and the Montreal Gazette. For preferred stocks, prices are monthly weighted averages of the daily closing prices in which weights are daily total sales. The price reference base for the indexes is the year 1956 which has been adopted as an interim base for recently developed DBS indexes. The indexes express prices as a percentage of prices in 1956 and arithmetically converted to the 1961=100 base.

Revised indexes on the base 1956=100 were first presented in the June 1962 issue of this publication. The most important change in the revision of the index, apart from the shift in the price reference base, is the classification of stocks according to the Standard Industrial Classification. In the continuing major group Industrials 4 sub-groups (Milling and Grains, Food and Allied Products, Machinery and Equipment, and Building Materials) have been replaced by 8 new sub-groups (Foods, Printing and Publishing, Primary Metals, Metal Fabricating, Non-Metallic Minerals, Chemicals, Construction and Retail Trade). The remaining 5 sub-groups of the former index, viz., Industrial Mines, Beverages, Textile and Clothing, Pulp and Paper, and Oils (renamed Petroleum) have been continued. The major group Utilities is continued but the Pipelines index has been added as a sub-group and the previous Power and Traction sub-group has been replaced by two new sub-groups, viz., Electric Power and Gas Distribution. A new major group Finance is composed of the former major group Banks and the former supplementary index Investment and Loan. Constant weights, which were previously limited to major groups, have been extended to sub-groups. Weights in the index continue to be based on shares outstanding.

The annual revision of the stocks and weights in the Investors Stock Index is effective March 11, 1971. Weights for individual stocks continue to be based on shares outstanding (December 1970) in 10,000's for Industrials and Preferred, and 100,000's for Mining. The revision of the Preferred Index is effective March 1971. The current list of stocks and weights is as follows:

Highway Construction Price Indexes (1961=100) (1)

The Price Indexes of Highway Construction in Canada express prices paid by provincial governments in contracts awarded for highway construction each year, as a percentage of prices paid in 1961. The arithmetic conversion of the indexes to a 1961 time base does not change their percentage movements as compared to the previously published indexes to a 1956=100 time base. Users are warned that an aggregation of the converted major group indexes with the published weights will not yield the published 1961=100 all items indexes. The conversion does not create this problem for a user wishing to reweight the converted major group indexes using weights appropriate to his own purpose.

(1) The years refer to fiscal years. Thus 1968 refers to the period April 1, 1968 to March 31, 1969.

Base-weighted indexes are published annually and measure, for the period 1956 to 1968, the effect of price change on the cost of specific programmes of highway construction in Canada represented by highway construction contracts of approximately \$50,000 or more awarded by specified provincial governments during the weight-base period. Weights of items in the index, representing the relative importance of units of construction in the year 1956 are held constant. Only the estimates of prices change from year to year, and the indexes thus measure the movement of prices through time. For a more complete statement of the problems of estimating price change for highway construction see pages vi & vii of the December 1967 issue of Prices and Price Indexes, DBS publication 62-002 and pages 9 & 10 of the reference paper Price Indexes of Highway Construction in Canada DBS publication 62-520. The all-items index or its components are useful for planning and budgeting for highway construction programmes, in escalating or up-dating previously costed roadwork, in estimating replacement cost of previously completed roadwork, and as historical measurements of price trends in highway construction.

The indexes do not necessarily reflect the price movements of non-contract construction or maintenance work. The indexes are designed to measure price changes for a fixed programme of highway construction, in each of the seven provinces. Because price levels in the time base-period (1961) varied from province to province the indexes cannot be used to compare price differences between provinces, but only to compare differences in the rate at which prices are changing in the provinces.

Prices contained in the index are not for units of labour and materials as is usually the case in construction price indexes but rather for units of construction work put in place such as an acre of clearing, a cubic yard of earth excavation or a ton of bituminous hot-mix paving. In addition, the index contains prices of some materials, such as culvert pipe, usually supplied to the contractor by the highway departments. Prices of highway construction work are annual weighted averages of bid prices of units of construction in groups of contracts awarded, classified by price-determining characteristics of the contracts and the bid items such as volume of the bid item, type of contract and geographic location. Prices of material items of supply are prices paid by government departments to suppliers.

Price Indexes of Electric Utility Construction

In electric utility terms, the index is designed to provide an estimate of the impact of price change on the cost of materials, labour and equipment used in constructing and equipping electric utilities in a specified base period. The index provides an estimate of how much more, or less it would cost to reproduce the base-period programme of construction in another period, using the same construction technology as in the base period and assuming rates of profit and productivity in construction are the same in both periods.

As the market does not yield comparable selling prices for such unique transactions as, for example, the sale of a transmission line, it was not possible to produce an index of the prices of completed structures. Completed structure indexes would be appropriate for users wishing either to estimate reproduction costs or to deflate capital formation. For such uses the indexes introduced in this publication have specific shortcomings. Nonetheless, they may be helpful for such purposes provided the users understand the deficiencies. Thus the reader is asked to make particular note of Section III, of DBS Occasional Paper 62-526 Price Indexes of Electrical Utility Construction - The Necessity for Compromise and Section XI, (of the same paper) Uses and Limitations. In addition, because particular construction projects are unique, the aggregate indexes will not likely be appropriate to specific projects since they relate to an average mix of materials, labour and equipment derived from a variety of projects in a specific base period. Thus, if the component price indexes and their weights included in the aggregate index presented herein are inappropriate for a particular purpose the user should consider selecting appropriate component indexes from among those published herein. These indexes could then be combined into an aggregate index by utilizing weights derived from the projects or assets to be costed or deflated.

Prices used in the indexes are for the most part selling prices reported monthly by manufacturers for materials or equipment. The price reported is for units and terms of sale representative of the volume sales of the manufacturer. Where sales to electric utilities form a small share of the total sales of the manufacturer, the price reported may not adequately represent the price to the construction trade and others directly involved in constructing and equipping electric utility facilities. In such cases, prices charged other manufacturers or wholesalers have been included in the index. Federal sales tax changes are reflected in the index but no adjustments have been made for provincial tax changes. Until December 1964 wage rate data were supplied by the Federal Department of Labour and represented minimum hourly rates paid to construction workers in major cities employed on federal government contracts. In 1965 union basic wage rates reported by major utilities and some contractors were incorporated into the index. The sample selected provides an estimate of wage rate change for urban own account and contract electric utility construction. Some further improvements will be made to improve the coverage relating to rural non-union work for transmission lines.

Construction has been defined as new construction or major reconstruction for distribution systems, transmission lines and transformation or switching stations. Maintenance and operating costs are excluded. Cost data were supplied by major utilities, relating to own account and to contract construction erected during the last half of the 1950's. Weights were derived from these data which indicated the relative importance of the major inputs to the construction. The components of cost relating to distribution and transmission facilities encompass such items as poles, hardware, conductors, insulators, meters, distribution transformers and expenditures for labour, e.g. - linemen and groundmen. Costs relating to construction equipment such as trucks, and components of equipment operating costs such as tires, gasoline and repairs were also included. Transformation and switching stations encompass some of the items listed above but the most important elements of cost relate to transformers and switching equipment. Expenditures for land and rights-of-way have been excluded.

The term Canadian electric utility has been defined to include municipal as well as non-municipal utilities but the majority of the cost data tabulated was derived from the major nonmunicipal utilities. Manufacturers who produce electricity for their own use and who may also sell electricity have been excluded from the cost survey.

Purchase Price Indexes of Secondary Metals (1969=100)

Ferrous and non-ferrous indexes are compiled from a series of input prices, inclusive of transportation and brokerage fees, submitted by a wide variety of purchasers from selected industries. Indexes for certain categories of metals cannot be published because of the confidentiality of the data under the Statistics Act.

Retail Price Indexes

Consumer Price Index for Canada (1961=100)

The Consumer Price Index measures the percentage change through time in the cost of purchasing a constant "basket" of goods and services representing the purchases by a particular population group in a specified time period. The "basket" is an unchanging or equivalent quantity and quality of goods and services of items for which there is a continually measurable market price over time, corresponding to a specific quantity of the item.

The index relates to a broad but specific group of urban families and reflects the price changes experienced by that "target group". The index is unlikely to represent closely the experience of any one family within the group nor should it be expected to reflect price change for other population groups for which income, family size and place of residence are characteristically different. The target group to which the current index relates is composed of families - (a) living in cities with over 30,000 population, (b) ranging in size from two adults to two adults with four children, and (c) with annual incomes during 1957 ranging from \$2,500 to \$7,000. To measure the influences of price change on the cost of goods and services purchased by such families, the Consumer Price Index reflects movements of some 300 items.

The history of consumer price indexes in Canada extends back to the early 1900's and encompasses periodic revisions of index base reference periods and weighting patterns. In 1952, the time base was updated to 1949=100 from 1935-39=100 and, at the same time, weights were revised to reflect family expenditure patterns in 1947-48. A subsequent revision of weights based on 1957 expenditures was introduced at the beginning of 1961 and the time base was revised from 1949=100 to 1961=100 at the beginning of 1969.

Full details on the latest weighting patterns and time base revisions are available in the occasional paper "The Consumer Price Index for Canada (1949=100) — Revision based on 1957 Expenditures", DBS Catalogue No. 62-518 and in the January, 1969 issue of the monthly bulletin, Prices and Price Indexes, DBS Catalogue No. 62-002.

Consumer Price Indexes for Regional Cities (1961=100)

Consumer Price Indexes for Regional Cities are published monthly in this bulletin (Table 11). The regional indexes are similar in concept and item coverage to the Consumer Price Index for Canada except for their individual weighting systems.

Each index is designed to measure the influence of changes in retail prices taking place in the localities specified, upon the cost of a fixed basket of goods and services representing the level of consumption of a representative group of families in those particular areas.

In using the city indexes, it should be remembered that they are not indicators of comparative levels of prices as between the cities. That is, they do not in any way indicate whether prices are higher or lower in one city than in another.

For comparisons of retail price differentials between cities see Table 13 of this publication and the relevant explanatory note on page 63.

Consumer Price Indexes (1969=100) for "Thunder Bay" and "Quebec City" are now available on request from Retail Prices Section, Prices Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Measuring the Purchasing Power of Earnings

Changing consumer price levels affect the amounts of goods and services which a dollar will buy, and average earnings, of course, will be affected in the same way. An earnings measurement which takes the change of consumer prices into account, can be calculated by reducing actual earnings averages by the percentage amounts consumer price levels rise, or increasing them by the amount price levels fall. The adjusted averages may be used to indicate the comparative quantities of goods and services which could be purchased by average earnings if consumer price levels and consumption patterns had remained constant. The following illustration shows how this kind of an adjustment can be made.

Suppose that a series of average weekly wages rises from \$80.00 in week A to \$100.00 in week B, and that in the same interval a consumer price index advances from 100.00 to 110.0. Because of the 10 per cent rise in consumer prices, \$1.00 will not buy as much in week B as it would in week A. Likewise, a 25 per cent rise from \$80.00 to \$100.00 will overstate the increase which has occurred in the purchasing power of average weekly wages. This overstatement can be removed by reducing the figure of \$100.00 by the amount of the consumer price increase. The adjusted average is \$90.91 ($100.00/110.0$), which may be referred to as a weekly wage average for week B expressed in the dollars of period A, or it may be said to indicate the level of real weekly wages relative to week A.

The foregoing calculation can be carried a step further to express in index number form the relationship between the week A average of \$80.00 and the week B figure of \$90.91. Taking the week A average of \$80.00 as equal to 100.0, the week B index becomes 113.6 ($90.91/80.00 \times 100.0$). Such an index may be called an index of weekly real wages. It indicates that average wages for week B will buy 13.6 per cent more goods and services than those received in week A, in spite of a 10 per cent rise in consumer prices. This 13.6 per cent increase in real wages compares with the rise of 25 per cent in money wages ($100.00/80.00 \times 100.0$).

It should be noted that while the estimates of average real wages may reflect the experiences of broad groups of workers fairly well, their applicability to individual wage-earners depends upon a number of considerations. For example, individual earnings will differ significantly from the group average, depending upon occupation, industry, geographical location, or sex of the wage-earner. Moreover, individual spending habits differ widely, but the consumer price index which is used to adjust the earnings data refers only to the average consumption pattern of a particular income group. Group-spending patterns change over periods of time. To the extent that this occurs, the earnings data adjusted by the consumer price index (which has a "fixed" consumption pattern), will gradually be rendered less valid. Finally, some part of income may be saved, and it should be borne in mind that it is not appropriate to reduce savings to a constant dollar basis by using index which reflects consumption patterns.

It should also be kept in mind that measures of change in real earnings calculated from averages of gross earnings* may differ from changes in the purchasing power of "take-home" pay, due to such factors as changes in personal income tax, tax deductions for such things as social insurance and pension plans. Thus index numbers of real wages should not be interpreted as measuring fluctuations in the levels of consumption of wage-earners or wage-earners' families; they are intended to show only the trend in purchasing power of wages over the items covered by the price index, and in addition to the factors already mentioned, do not take into account other family income (including family allowances) or changes in the savings position of families.

The table in this report showing indexes of both actual and real wages uses 1961 as a reference year. However, the adjustment made in the foregoing illustration can be applied to any reference level; percentage change between any two periods will be the same regardless of the reference period selected.

Indexes of Retail Price Differentials

Statistics previously published relating to differences in retail prices between Canadian cities had been limited to indexes measuring comparative food price levels. Table 13 summarizes the results of a detailed revision of earlier urban place-to-place food indexes and expands the scope of spatial retail price measurements to take in other elements of the family budget. A fuller explanation of the study from which this table is derived, including more details of these inter-city price comparisons, are contained in the November 1968 and November 1969 issues of Prices and Price Indexes (DBS Catalogue Number 62-002). In all, inter-city price comparisons were drawn for commodities and services comprising nearly three-quarters of the budget on which the Consumer Price Index for Canada is currently based. Major omissions are shelter (both rented and owned), domestic utilities (fuel, light and water), and restaurant meals. While recognizing the importance of shelter differentials in any overall comparison of the general price level being encountered by consumers in different urban centres, the problems inherent in drawing valid comparisons between cities are such as to require a good deal more research. Meanwhile, it is considered that, despite the absence of shelter differentials at this time, publication of retail price comparisons for other elements of the budget will go some distance towards serving the varied needs of users.

The original data base of this study was the wide range of retail price quotations collected in the course of production of the national and urban Consumer Price Indexes. In developing these spatial price comparisons efforts were made to achieve comparability by equating qualities of goods and services and by matching types of retail outlets, as far as possible. Price relationships between pairs of cities were derived and subsequently converted to a common base of Winnipeg prices equaling 100 to facilitate comparisons over the whole range of cities. The up-dating of these measurements of inter-city retail price differentials was accomplished by application of the relative movement of prices, at the item level in each city, over the intervening period as derived from the relevant city consumer price indexes. These price relationships at the item level were aggregated on the basis of the Canada urban consumer spending pattern, rather than the patterns applicable to individual cities. While differences in spending patterns exist among cities, the magnitude of these differences in the cities covered is not such as to affect most of the spatial comparisons significantly. Because of the previously mentioned absence of shelter price relationships, which may be of considerable significance in any overall comparison of inter-urban retail price differentials, aggregative indexes beyond major budget groupings are not shown.

It should be noted that the retail prices used in this comparison, being those faced by consumers, include sales and excise taxes as applicable. Variations between provinces in the scale of sales taxes imposed on a wide range of non-food commodities can be of significance in explaining inter-city price differentials for these items.

While these indexes have been expressed in terms of Winnipeg = 100, the selection of Winnipeg as the base city has no special significance, and the indexes may be expressed on the base of any of the individual cities included.

Reference Papers and Special Publications

	<u>Price</u>
The Consumer Price Index for Canada (1949=100) - Revision Based on 1957 Expenditures (Catalogue No. 62-518)	\$.75
Urban Retail Food Prices, 1914-59 (Catalogue No. 62-514)	1.00
Industry Selling Price Indexes, 1956-59 (Reference Paper, Catalogue No. 62-515)	1.50
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Conversion of the Consumer Price Index to a 1961 Time Base - Prices and Price Indexes January 1969 (Catalogue No. 62-002)40
Urban Family Expenditure 1967 (Catalogue No. 62-530)	1.50

* A comprehensive statistical report on wholesale, farm, consumer and security prices and price indexes covering intensively the period 1949-52 and more broadly earlier periods, in some cases from 1913; brief text is included.



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