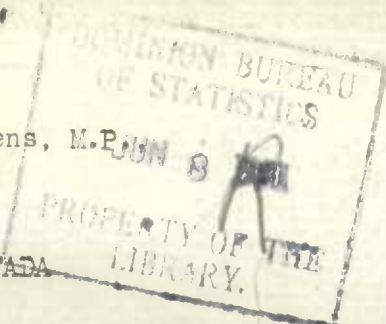


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INVESTORS' AND TRADERS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES

1926 = 100

"Investors'" and "Traders'" weighted index numbers of security prices, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base of 1926=100, were as follows for the week ending June 4th.

The "Investors'" index of industrial common stocks was 75.9 for the week ending June 4th, as compared with 77.3 for the previous week.

The "Traders'" index of prices of the twenty-five best selling industrial and public utility common stocks, on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges was 421.5 for the week ending June 4th, as compared with 432.8 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of domestic utility common stocks was 74.1 for the week ending June 4th, as compared with 76.3 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 49.2 for the week ending June 4th, as compared with 52.2 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index for all three groups of common stocks combined was 71.1 for the week ending June 4th, as compared with 73.1 for the previous week.

Average weekly prices were lower for sixteen, unchanged for two and higher for seven of the twenty-five stocks included in the Traders' Index. Montreal Light, Heat and Power fell from \$43.2 to \$41.9, International Nickel from \$11.0 to \$10.3, Brazilian from \$13.8 to \$13.5, Shawinigan from \$37.6 to \$36.3, C.P.R. from \$26.7 to \$25.7, Power Corporation from \$43.5 to \$41.5 and Dominion Bridge from \$29.9 to \$28.8.

Sales were lower for eighteen and higher for seven stocks. Montreal Light, Heat and Power declined from 93,300 to 58,800, Shawinigan from 19,900 to 12,200, Bell Telephone from 2,300 to 1,300, Dominion Bridge from 7,900 to 3,800, Consolidated Mining and Smelting from 4,600 to 3,100, Power Corporation from 4,900 to 3,100 and National Breweries from 11,200 to 8,200. Brazilian mounted from 29,500 to 33,700, International Nickel from 39,200 to 42,600 and Steel of Canada from 4,400 to 5,500.

TABLE OF INDEX NUMBERS

	:Investors' Index Number of : Common Stocks : 98 Industrial 26 Public Utility : Companies Loca- : ted in Canada : Companies: : Indust-:Public : Located : All : rial : Utility:Abroad : : : : : :				:Traders' Index number of : the twenty-five best sell- : ing Industrial and Public : Utility Common Stocks : Index of : Index of : Price : Total Value : : of Stocks : : Traded	
1926	100	100	100	100	100	100
1929						
Highest Weekly Figures	311.0	163.6	213.3	235.4	1255.4	724.9
December	210.0	131.6	137.9	104.0	186.7	55.8
1930						
January	209.1	133.3	130.3	162.8	828.9	56.4
February	205.5	141.0	120.0	162.4	864.3	51.9
March	210.2	137.4	133.2	165.3	898.6	56.1
April	220.9	143.7	150.7	175.5	1010.9	93.1
May	196.3	133.3	139.8	159.3	921.2	53.3
June	165.4	124.2	123.8	140.0	921.3	52.7
July	162.2	122.3	119.5	137.2	768.6	10.2
August	153.1	116.0	110.4	129.2	731.3	13.7
September	160.1	123.1	112.2	135.2	778.4	20.3
October	129.2	112.7	86.6	113.5	618.1	25.4
November	129.0	109.5	85.8	112.0	612.7	7.4
December	120.3	104.7	76.1	104.7	596.5	5.6
1931						
January	124.7	107.3	83.6	108.8	609.8	3.4
February	129.3	114.9	84.9	114.0	660.2	5.8
March	127.8	116.1	79.3	110.9	714.3	4.1
April	106.8	104.8	67.8	97.7	621.5	.7
May	89.0	85.2	58.7	80.9	495.2	.4
Week ending Apr. 2nd.	118.1	108.7	70.1	106.6	682.2	2.7
" " " 9th	115.5	106.6	69.4	104.5	663.1	.6
" " " 16th	113.1	104.0	69.1	102.5	647.2	.6
" " " 23rd	101.6	98.9	65.0	94.6	600.5	1.2
" " " 30th	96.5	96.2	63.0	91.3	575.1	.5
" " May 7th	96.0	88.3	61.4	87.5	536.0	.5
" " " 14th	94.9	86.1	61.5	86.1	526.7	.2
" " " 21st	85.8	80.7	56.8	79.2	485.5	.4
" " " 28th	77.3	76.3	52.2	73.1	432.8	.4
" " June 4th	75.9	74.1	49.2	71.1	421.5	.2

Purpose of Traders' and Investors' Index Numbers

The Investors' Index Numbers measure the trend of values for the investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

The Traders' Index measures the trend of gains or losses for a trader on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges, who buys and sells the leading common stocks in the same proportion as they are traded in the market as a whole, at the mathematical average price of the week and who turns over his investments every week.

x Revised index figures.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
1926=100

NOTE: The Investors' Index measures the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

INDUSTRIAL										UTILITY				COMPANIES ABROAD			
Number of Securities	Total	Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Mill- ing	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Mis- cell- aneous	Total	Trans- porta- tion	Tele- phone Tele- graph	Power and Trac- tion	Total	In- dust- rial	Util- ity	Grand Total
	98	19	9	5	4	9	22	9	21	18	2	2	14	8	1	7	124
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1929																	
Highest Weekly Figures	311.0	383.8	118.2	267.4	416.8	110.1	193.8	201.4	507.2	163.6	160.6	125.6	192.7	213.3	191.5	258.0	235.4
1930																	
January	209.1	232.5	63.4	174.7	286.6	78.9	140.0	85.8	287.7	133.3	123.0	115.7	151.6	130.3	131.4	136.9	162.8
February	205.5	224.8	63.3	171.9	263.0	76.0	136.9	79.2	305.2	141.0	139.9	117.5	151.6	121.0	117.8	131.6	162.4
March	210.2	221.8	64.9	156.2	270.8	72.4	132.5	77.5	317.4	137.4	132.4	115.8	151.2	133.2	128.8	145.8	165.3
April	220.9	233.5	69.9	163.6	296.5	72.3	145.3	87.4	316.4	143.7	132.7	115.3	164.9	140.7	139.8	171.4	175.5
May	196.3	221.1	62.2	158.8	265.0	72.0	142.6	88.5	266.7	133.3	127.9	113.3	147.0	139.8	128.1	160.7	159.3
June	165.4	192.1	56.1	149.7	222.0	67.3	132.9	77.9	215.4	124.2	122.5	111.6	132.3	123.8	114.6	141.2	140.0
July	162.2	193.0	52.9	138.3	217.1	68.0	125.0	77.1	213.0	122.3	117.8	111.3	132.6	119.5	113.3	133.4	137.2
August	153.1	189.1	49.4	129.3	208.6	68.2	123.1	73.3	193.8	116.0	109.2	112.6	127.0	110.4	112.0	115.2	129.2
September	160.1	186.8	45.3	128.7	226.3	72.9	122.3	72.1	204.2	123.1	112.4	114.2	139.3	112.2	110.2	121.1	135.2
October	129.2	146.8	30.6	109.0	185.1	64.5	108.8	63.3	161.7	112.7	107.6	111.3	121.6	86.6	89.3	88.8	113.5
November	129.0	145.9	27.2	107.3	190.0	62.7	104.9	61.1	160.0	109.5	105.7	110.1	116.6	85.8	88.6	87.7	112.0
December	120.3	142.2	25.0	112.3	178.9	65.0	105.0	59.2	141.2	104.7	96.7	108.2	115.6	76.1	80.6	75.6	104.7
1931																	
January	124.7	143.7	23.8	107.6	190.8	65.9	112.0	69.3	141.0	107.3	102.2	106.7	115.6	83.6	90.9	80.5	108.8
February	129.3	149.5	22.8	102.1	184.5	65.5	123.4	75.1	159.6	114.9	109.4	111.6	124.2	84.9	85.3	89.2	114.0
March	127.8	151.8	21.8	102.8	169.0	62.5	128.7	74.9	169.1	116.1	105.1	110.2	132.6	79.3	76.7	86.6	112.9
April	106.8	126.7	18.1	86.2	137.0	59.3	122.6	67.2	140.5	104.8	92.0	108.4	121.3	67.8	70.0	69.1	97.7
May	89.0	103.2	14.4	56.2	119.6	49.9	109.8	57.0	112.8	85.2	71.0	100.5	100.8	58.7	65.1	55.1	80.9
May 7th	96.0	107.0	15.1	69.3	132.3	49.8	112.8	63.7	122.4	88.3	71.8	98.1	105.4	61.4	66.9	59.4	87.5
May 14th	94.9	105.0	14.7	69.0	132.1	47.8	111.7	62.9	120.1	86.1	68.9	97.6	103.8	61.5	67.4	59.0	86.1
May 21st	85.8	98.8	13.6	56.9	118.2	45.2	104.7	58.8	107.3	80.7	63.2	94.5	98.5	56.8	63.4	53.3	79.2
May 28th	77.3	89.9	12.5	53.5	105.7	43.7	99.8	53.2	95.1	76.3	63.2	89.6	88.9	52.2	56.5	51.1	73.1
June 4th	75.9	89.1	12.4	47.8	105.4	43.4	97.6	54.0	91.2	74.1	60.7	89.5	86.6	49.2	53.6	47.7	71.1

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