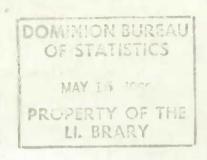
CATALOGUE No.
63-205

ANNUAL





LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND DYERS 1960

Published by Authority of
The Honourable George Hees, Minister of Trade and Commerce

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

Industry and Merchandising Division

PUBLICATIONS RELATING TO THE WHOLESALE AND SERVICES TRADES

Catalogue number	Title	Price
	(a) Monthly	
63-008	Wholesale Trade per year \$	1.00
	(b) Annual	
63-201	Advertising Agencies	.25
63-204	Hotels	.50
63-205	Laundries, Cleaners and Dyers	.50
63-206 63-207	Motion Picture Production	.25
	(c) Biennial	
	Note: This biennial series was discontinued with the 1957 issue.	
	(It is planned to issue reports on wholesale operating results in the "Occasional" series following the 1961 census.)	
63-416	Operating Results of Automotive Parts and Accessories Wholesalers	.25
63-417	Operating Results of Drug Wholesalers	.50
63-418 63-419	Operating Results of Dry Goods, Piece Goods and Footwear Wholesalers Operating Results of Food Wholesalers (Grocery, Fruit and Vegetable, Tobacco	.50
63-421	and Confectionery)	.50
63-422	Operating Results of Household Appliances and Electrical Supply Wholesalers	.25
63-423	Operating Results of Plumbing and Heating Supplies Wholesalers	.50
	(d) Occasional	
63-501	Advertising Expenditures, 1954	.50
	Census of Canada, 1951, Volume VIII (Report of the 1951 census of wholesale	0.00
63-502	and services trades) Funeral Directors, 1956	3,00
63-502	Agents and Brokers, 1957-59	.50
63-508	Wholesale Trade Proper, 1958-59	.75

A complete list of publications of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics is available on request from the Information Services Division, D.B.S., or from the Queen's Printer, Ottawa.

TABLE OF CONTENTS

	Page
SECTION I. GENERAL SUMMARY	
This section presents a general review of the combined operations of power laundries and dry cleaning and dyeing plants.	
Text, Tables 1 to 4 and charts	5
SECTION II. POWER LAUNDRIES	
Power laundries are so classified because the greater part of their revenue was derived from laundry work. This section presents principal statistics of power laundries by provinces, by size of business, and for selected cities.	
Text and Tables 5 to 12	9
SECTION III. DRY CLEANING AND DYEING PLANTS	
Dry cleaning plants were so classified because the greater portion of their revenue was derived from dry cleaning work. This survey does not include dyeing plants doing work on a commercial or industrial scale for textile plants, etc. This section presents principal statistics of cleaning and dyeing plants by provinces, by size of business, and for selected cities.	
Text and Tables 13 to 20	13

SYMBOLS

The interpretation of the symbols used in the tables throughout this publication is as follows:

.. figures not available.

- nil or zero.

LAUNDRIES, CLEANERS AND DYERS

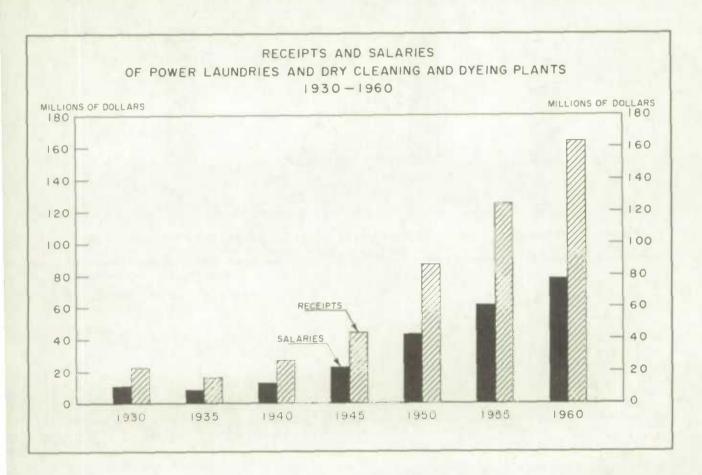
SECTION 1-GENERAL SUMMARY

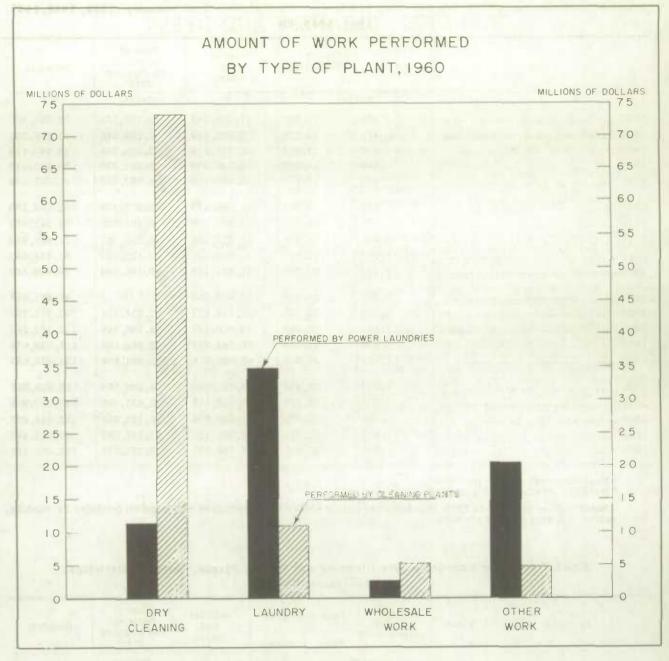
This report deals with the business activities of power operated laundries and dry cleaning and dyeing plants. Plants are classified as power laundries if the greater part of their revenue was derived from laundry work, and as dry cleaners and dyers if the greater part was from dry cleaning and dyeing.

The combined operations of laundries and dry cleaning and dyeing plants increased slightly in 1960. Receipts reached \$163,465,304, a 2.0 per cent increase from \$160,307,442 for 1959. The average number of employees reported decreased about 2.0 per cent but salaries and wages increased significantly from \$76,208,129 for 1959 to \$77,780,997 for 1960. Throughout this report, salaries and wages include those paid to working executives of incorporated companies but do not include salaries or withdrawals of proprietors of unincorporated businesses. The number of establishments rose to 1,843 for 1960 from 1,813 in 1959. The cost of materials and supplies used remained practically unchanged at \$17,278,174.

In 1960, revenue from laundry totalled \$48,792,093, a small increase from \$48,535,322 reported for the previous year. About 2.0 per cent more of the total was reported by dry cleaning plants than in 1959. Revenue from dry cleaning was \$89,467,712 for 1960 compared with \$88,804,594 for 1959. Eighty-seven per cent of this was reported by dry cleaning plants, practically the same proportion as in the previous year. (See Table 3).

Exclusive of the receipts for cleaning reported by power laundries which had no facilities for dry cleaning and cleaning plants using both petroleum and synthetic solvents, the combined revenue from dry cleaning work performed by power laundries and dry cleaning and dyeing plants was \$82,368,065. Of this amount \$47,549,062 was the receipts of 902 plants using petroleum solvents and \$34,819,003 of 720 plants using synthetic solvents. A small shift to synthetic solvents is indicated (Table 4).





Percentage Changes in Number and Receipts of Power Laundries, Dry Cleaners and Dyers, by Provinces, 1960/1959

Province	Percentage chan	ige 1960/1959
Floatings	Number of plants	Receipts
	per c	ent
Canada	+ 1.7	+ 2,0
Newfoundland Prince Edward Island	+ 12.5	1
Nova Scotia	+ 1.6	- 3.6
New Brunswick Quebec Ontario	+ 4.8	+ 2.5
Manitoba	- 5.6	+ 2.0
Saskatchewan		+ 0.6 + 4.5
British Columbia ²	+ 6.3	+ 0.3

¹ Unchanged. ¹ Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 1. Power Laundries, Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, Historical Summary, 1930, 1933, 1937, 1941, 1945 - 60

Year	Plants	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials and supplies used ¹	Receipts
	num	ber			
1930	368	11,885	11, 249, 945	2, 196, 139	22, 695, 880
1933	411	10, 528	7, 882, 389	1, 399, 646	15, 239, 981
1937	418	12, 551	10, 171, 710	2, 259, 265	20, 343, 152
1941	600	18, 398	16, 246, 296	3, 782, 530	32, 495, 470
1945	602	21, 379	22, 499, 459	4, 668, 779	44,081,170
1946	690	23, 554	26, 260, 679	5, 577, 433	51, 148, 159
1947	774	24, 856	30, 501, 536	6, 601, 626	59, 043, 678
1948	1,081	25, 876	35, 877, 556	8, 538, 717	71, 981, 944
19492	1, 237	27, 126	40, 515, 431	9, 425, 121	81, 234, 045
1950	1,242	27, 760	42, 681, 128	10, 190, 246	86, 836, 564
1951	1, 298	28, 012	46, 098, 636		96, 851, 857
1952	1,298	28, 738	51, 644, 977	12, 854, 124	105, 331, 139
1953	1,339	29, 398	55, 700, 197	13, 766, 346	113, 150, 240
1954	1,406	29, 239	58, 148, 357	12, 201, 103	117, 736, 073
1955	1,511	29, 900	60, 951, 914	12, 924, 524	124, 933, 593
1956	1,646	31, 453	65, 711, 730	14,895,305	137, 400, 931
1957	1,701	31,258	70, 156, 111	15, 457, 685	147, 387, 895
1958	1,739	30, 979	72, 280, 096	16, 175, 650	152, 544, 693
1959	1,813	31, 187	76, 208, 129	17, 246, 692	160, 307, 442
1960	1.843	30, 598	77, 780, 997	17, 278, 174	163, 465, 304

Excluding cost of linen from 1954.
 Including Newfoundland from 1949.

Note: Figures previous to 1941 included linen supply houses and distributors which had no facilities for washing, dry cleaning or dyeing on their premises.

TABLE 2. Power Laundries, Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, Summary Statistics, by Provinces, 1960

Province	Plants	Total working	Paid em	ployees	Salaries	Cost of materials	Receipts			
		proprietors1	Male Female		wages	and supplies used	recorpts			
		numbe	er		dollars					
Canada	1,843	1,500	11, 597	19,001	77, 780, 997	17, 278, 174	163, 465, 304			
Newfoundland	18	10	4.04							
Prince Edward Island	12	16	171	215	876,702	212, 964	1,887,837			
Nova Scotia	62	33	425	562	1,944,627	483, 674	4, 175, 428			
New Brunswick	49	36	244	539	1,408,604	380, 926	3, 175, 531			
Quebec	373	295	3,480	4,022	18, 837, 733	4,344,805	38,823,975			
Ontario	788	686	4, 527	7, 935	31, 407, 307	7, 162, 046	67, 306, 239			
Manitoba	67	47	575	1,231	4,627,514	916, 942	9,014,041			
Saskatchewan	100	100	300	615	2,340,455	567, 887	5, 248, 649			
Alberta	171	157	799	1,701	6, 298, 898	1,365,183	13, 605, 500			
British Columbia ²	203	130	1,076	2, 181	10,039,157	1, 843, 747	20, 228, 104			

Unincorporated firms only.
 Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 3. Percentage Distribution of Laundry and Dry Cleaning Receipts, by Type of Establishment and by Provinces, 1960

	Lau	indry receipt	5	Dry cleaning receipts						
Province	Total	Per receiv		Total	Per cent received by					
	receipts			receipts	Power laundries	Dry cleaning plants				
	\$	per	cent	\$	per cent					
Canada	48, 792, 093	76.3	23.7	89, 467, 712	13.0	87. 0				
Newfoundland	§ 557,594	72.0	28.0	1,305,688	8.5	91.5				
Nova Scotia	1,493,994	72.1	27.9	2, 500, 758	6.6	93.4				
New Brunswick	1,170,086	83.8	16. 2	1,974,425	22.1	77.9				
Quebec	13,645,739	84.9	15. 1	19, 246, 665	16.7	83.3				
Ontario	17, 174, 703	73.4	26.6	38, 132, 476	9.5	90.5				
Manitoba	2,957,945	46.3	53.7	4,789,039	4.4	95.6				
Saskatchewan	1,557,765	73.6	26. 4	3,596,868	7.7	92.3				
Alberta	3,430,434	65.8	34.2	8, 166, 078	12.8	87. 2				
British Columbia ¹	6,803,833	85. 2	14.8	9, 755, 715	25.8	74.2				

¹ Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 4. Revenue from Dry Cleaning Work Performed by Power Laundries and Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, classified by Type of Process Used and by Provinces, 1960

		Petroleum only		Synthetic only						
Province	Number	Dry cleaning	receipts	Number	Dry cleaning receipts					
	of plants	Amount Per ce of tot		of plants	Amount	Per cent of total				
		\$			\$					
Canada	902	47, 549, 062	53.3	720	34, 819, 003	39. 0				
Newfoundland	6	203,846	21.1	8	544,730	56.3				
Prince Edward Island	7	167, 946	49.6	4	170,796	50.4				
Nova Scotia	35	1,094,083	43.9	19	1, 101, 879	44.2				
New Brunswick	32	1, 154, 646	58.5	9	280, 716	14.2				
Quebec	162	9,535,710	49.6	158	8,618,460	44.8				
Ontario	323	19, 143, 296	50.4	366	16,702,188	43.9				
Manitoba	31	1,999,681	42. 1	26	948, 131	19.9				
Saskatchewan	69	2,598,955	72.3	27	914, 737	25.4				
Alberta	118	4,926,094	60.4	43	2,922,915	35.8				
British Columbia ¹	119	6,724,805	69.1	60	2, 614, 451	26. 8				

¹ Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

Note: The receipts shown in this table do not agree with receipts shown in Table 3 because the receipts of plants using both types of solvents and the receipts of power laundries that have cleaning work done by cleaning plants are omitted. The percentage distribution of receipts between petroleum using plants and synthetic using plants does not add to 100% because the receipts of plants using both types of solvents are included in the total on which the distribution is calculated.

SECTION II - POWER LAUNDRIES

reported receipts totalling \$69,251,345, an increase reported by 330 plants. Average receipts per plant, at \$210,490, were 2.0 per cent above the 1959 figure. Receipts per capita decreased to \$3.88 from \$3.90 for 1959 while the number of plants per 100,000 population remained practically unchanged.

Four provinces indicated decreased receipts. the greatest being 10.3 per cent for Nova Scotia. Six provinces (Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island considered together) indicated increased receipts, the largest being 7.4 per cent for New Brunswick.

The number of persons employed in power laundries totalled 13,537, a small decrease from 13,954 reported for 1959. Salaries and wages amounted to \$34,433,177, an increase of 1.7 per cent from 1959. The average salary, or wage, was \$2,544, an increase of 4.6 per cent over \$2,431 calculated for 1959.

Of their total revenue, power laundries obtained 50.3 per cent from laundry work (52.2 per cent in 1959), 16.5 per cent from cleaning (16.6 per cent),

The 329 power laundries operating in 1960 3.7 per cent from wholesale laundry and dry cleaning (3.6 per cent), 28.0 per cent from rental services of 1.7 per cent over the 1959 total of \$68,095,503 and 1.5 per cent from other services. Coat and towel rentals have now been brought together with diaper and other rentals to form a "rental services" category. Rental services and the residual item formed 29.5 per cent of total receipts for 1960 and the comparable figure for 1959 was 27.6 per cent.

> A classification of power laundries by size of receipts in Table 9 shows that 102 plants with an annual volume of \$200,000 or more accounted for 78.2 per cent of total receipts, 60 plants with a volume ranging from \$100,000 to \$199,999 accounted for 12.4 per cent, 61 plants with a volume ranging from \$50,000 to \$99,999 accounted for 6.0 per cent, and 106 plants with a volume of less than \$50,000 for 3.4 per cent.

> Operating expenses of power laundries amounted to \$64,074,995, an increase of 1.4 per cent from 1959. This represented 92.5 per cent of receipts compared with 92.8 per cent for the previous year. Ratios of the various expense items to receipts were very similar to those for 1959 (Table 6).

Percentage Changes in Number and Receipts of Power Laundries, by Provinces, 1960/1959

	Percentage change 1960/1959							
Province	Number of plants	Receipts						
	per cent							
Canada	- 0.3	+ 1.7						
lewfoundland	+ 33.3	. 0.4						
Prince Edward Island	1	+ 2.4						
Iova Scotia	- 15.4	- 10.3						
lew Brunswick	2	+ 7.4						
quebec	+ 1.3	+ 3,4						
ntario	+ 1.5	+ 3.0						
anitoba	1	+ 4.1						
askatchewan	1	- 1,3						
lberta	- 8.0	- 0.1						
ritish Columbia ²	- 2.2	- 1.9						

¹ Unchanged.

² Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 5. Power Laundries, Historical Summary, 1930-60

Year	Plants	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials and supplies used	Receipts	
	num	ber				
1930 1931 1932 1933 1934 1935	242 250 243 239 236 237	9, 100 8, 807 8, 292 7, 616 7, 393 7, 644	8, 140, 177 7, 709, 856 6, 482, 339 5, 501, 305 5, 387, 274 5, 667, 658	1,571,747 1,350,015 1,065,906 896,954 945,620 1,118,401	16, 283, 555 14, 879, 919 12, 297, 061 10, 373, 890 10, 588, 505 10, 983, 378	
1936 1937 1938 1939 1940 1941	229 225 232 234 230 237	7, 925 8, 576 8, 981 9, 217 10, 034 11, 844	5,997,096 6,678,998 7,029,171 7,465,732 8,156,441 10,120,662	1, 274, 941 1, 403, 073 1, 542, 216 1, 617, 367 1, 808, 671 2, 348, 740	12,023,808 13,163,778 13,734,707 14,267,745 16,719,106 19,816,895	
1942 1943 1944 1945 1946 1947	238 225 227 217 238 244	12,848 13,209 13,259 13,232 13,674 13,950	11, 678, 625 12, 338, 829 12, 780, 585 13, 651, 511 14, 647, 668 16, 357, 072	2,533,216 2,530,464 2,491,258 2,717,027 3,073,671 3,560,120	22, 396, 324 23, 436, 392 24, 559, 144 25, 463, 096 27, 427, 219 30, 459, 393	
1948 1949 ² 1950 1951 1952 1953	294 332 323 317 307 310	13, 923 14, 240 14, 310 14, 079 13, 922 14, 164	18,737,302 20,408,336 20,976,430 22,248,517 24,496,053 25,801,841	4,138,029 4,485,436 4,811,682 6,143,769 6,511,296	35, 360, 996 38, 659, 596 40, 586, 942 44, 053, 442 46, 852, 690 49, 120, 933	
1954 1955 1956 1957 1958 1959	299 306 308 320 322 330 329	13,754 13,991 14,514 14,557 14,258 13,954 13,537	26, 635, 646 28, 078, 112 30, 090, 800 31, 869, 671 32, 761, 909 33, 864, 341 34, 433, 177	4,665,671 4,994,234 5,738,133 5,746,805 6,048,982 6,658,212 6,455,974	50, 513, 242 54, 199, 647 58, 873, 728 63, 106, 386 65, 350, 103 68, 095, 503 69, 251, 345	

TABLE 6. Power Laundries, Operating Results, 1959 and 1960

Item	1959	1960	Percentage change 1960/1959
Plants reporting	330	329	- 0.
Total receipts\$	68,095,503	69, 251, 345	+ 1.
Average receipts per plant\$	206, 350	210, 490	+ 2.
Estimated population of Canada ¹ No.	17, 442, 000	17, 814, 000	+ 2.
Receipts per capita\$	3, 90	3, 88	- 0.
Plants per 100,000 population	1.9	1.8	~ *
Paid employees:			
Total	13, 954	13,537	- 3.
Male	4, 645	4,612	- 0.
Female "	9, 309	8,925	- 4,
otal salaries and wages\$	33, 864, 341	34, 433, 177	+ 1.
Percentage of total receipts %	49.8	49.7	
Average salary or wage per employee\$	2, 431	2,544	+ 4.
otal cost of fuel and electricity\$	2, 629, 725	2,558,078	- 2.
ercentage of total receipts %	3.8	3, 7	
Cost of materials and supplies used\$	6,658,212	6, 455, 974	- 3,
Percentage of total receipts %	9.8	9.3	
All other operating expenses\$	20, 038, 109	20,627,766	+ 2.
Percentage of total receipts %	29. 4	29.8	
Total expenses	63, 190, 387	64,074,995	+ 1.
Percentage of total receipts %	92.8	92.5	

¹ As at June 1st.

¹ Excluding linen cost from 1954. ² Including Newfoundland from 1949.

TABLE 7. Power Laundries, Summary Statistics by Provinces, 1960

Prevince	Plants	WC	otal orking pro- etors ¹	Paid em	ployees Female	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials and supplies used	Receipts		
		P10 T	num	ber		dollars				
Canada	329		186	4,612	8, 925	34, 433, 177	6, 455, 974	69, 251, 345		
Newfoundland	4 2	}	-	36	82	204, 279	51, 341	512, 398		
ova Scotia	11		5	133 103	222 259	667, 140 687, 630	141,140 172,362	1,317,21 1,428,05		
Ouebec	78 138		98	1,590 1,594 139	2, 540 3, 409 328	10, 104, 088 12, 379, 108 1, 109, 346	2,090,716 2,295,114 205,745	20, 022, 71 25, 206, 65 2, 345, 84		
fanitoba askatchewan Uberta	8 23		3	65	200	732,786	157, 697 427, 130	1, 426, 61 5, 055, 35		
British Columbia ²	45		18	650	1, 223	6, 155, 296	914,729	11, 936, 50		

¹ Unincorporated firms only. ² Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 8. Power Laundries, Receipts by Type of Service Performed, by Provinces, 1960

Province	Laundry ¹					Cleaning ²				Wholesale laundry and dry cleaning			Rental services				All other ³			Total receipts					
	Amount %		A		int %		Amount		1	Amou	nt	%	Amou	nt	%	А	mou	nt	%	Amo	unt	%	1	Amou	nt
					\$			\$			\$				\$			\$							
Canada	34	865,	836	50.3	11	402,	080	16.5	2,555	900	3.7	19,	420,	910	28.0	1,006	, 619	1.5	69	251	345	100.			
Newfoundland Prince Edward Island	}	401,	531	78:4		110,	867	21.6		-	-			-	-		-	_		512,	, 398	100.			
lova Scotia				71.8		4		12.5		_	4			-	_	4 4		4	1.	, 428	,054	100. 100.			
ntario fanitoba	11,	999,	006	51. 4 47. 6 58. 4	3		526	14. 1	1,370, 685,	057 257					24.5 34.7				25,	206	651	100. 100. 100.			
askatchewan	1,	146. 186,	578 451	80.4	1.	004.	174	19.9		-	4		4	-	4-	- 4		4	1,	426, 055,	613	100.			
british Columbia'	5,	539,	602	46.4	2	510,	647	21.0	256,	181	2.1	3,	278,	920	27. 5	353	, 185	3.0	11,	936,	, 506	100			

1 Includes unfinished and finished, commercial and industrial.
2 Includes fur, commercial and industrial.
3 Includes dyeing, storage, etc.
4 Indicates figures are withheld to avoid disclosing individual operations but these are included in the totals.

Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

Note: The percentages indicate the proportions which receipts for each type of work bear to the total receipts for each province.

TABLE 9. Power Laundries, classified by Size of Business, 1959 and 1960

		19	59		1960						
Size of business			Receipts			Receipts					
	Plants	Amount	Per cent of total	Average per plant	Plants	Amount	Per cent of total	Average per plant			
	number	\$	%	\$	number	\$	%	\$			
All plants	330	68, 095, 503	100.0	206, 350	329	69, 251, 345	100.0	210, 490			
Less than \$20,000 \$ 20,000 to \$ 29,999 30,000 '' 49,999 50,000 '' 99,999 100,000 '' 199,999 200,000 and over	58 21 31 60 60 100	627, 430 496, 401 1, 250, 010 4, 215, 152 8, 797, 611 52, 708, 899	0.9 0.7 1.9 6.2 12.9 77.4	10,818 23,638 40,323 70,253 146,627 527,089	58 21 27 61 60 102	688, 305 523, 614 1, 115, 141 4, 169, 674 8, 602, 462 54, 152, 149	1. 0 0. 8 1. 6 6. 0 12. 4 78. 2	11,867 24,934 41,302 68,355 143,374 530,903			

TABLE 10. Power Laundries - Operating Costs by Form of Organization and Size of Business, 1960

		Average	Opera	ting expense	as per cent	t of total re-	ceipts
Form of organization and size of business	Plants	receipts per plant	Salaries and wages	Fuel and electricity	Materials and supplies	All other operating expenses	Total expenses
	number	\$			per cent		
Incorporated companies							Tella,
All plants	192	327, 622	50.3	3, 4	9, 1	30, 1	92, 9
Less than \$20,000 \$ 20,000 to \$ 29,999 30,000 '4 49,999 50,000 '99,999 100,000 '199,999 200,000 '299,999 300,000 and over	4 6 5 32 45 42 58	12,801 25,901 43,651 70,497 145,388 249,692 744,708	52.1 49.0 54.0 52.7 53.2 55.1 48.6	6. 1 7. 4 4. 3 7. 8 5. 0 4. 4 2. 7	7.9 11.6 10.2 9.4 10.8 10.0 8.6	36. 5 24. 7 26. 6 23. 5 26. 6 25. 5 32. 1	102.6 92.7 95.1 93.4 95.6 95.0
Unincorporated companies							
All plants	137	46, 335	43. 9	6. 7	11.2	26. 6	88. 4
Less than \$10,000 \$ 10,000 to \$ 19,999 20,000 " 29,999 30,000 " 49,999 50,000 " 99,999	18 36 15 22 29	6,037 14,679 24,547 40,767 65,992	23.3 31.9 36.7 40.9 43.2	12.3 9.8 9.5 6.8 6.7	10.7 11.2 10.1 11.6 12.1	25. 7 30. 3 26. 1 28. 6 27. 6	72.0 83.2 82.4 87.9 89.6
100,000 '' 199,999	15	} 148,941	50.1	5. 3	10.5	24.5	90.4

TABLE 11. Power Laundries - Operating Costs by Form of Organization, by Provinces, 1960

		Average	Opera	ting expense	as per cen	t of total re	ceipts
Form of organization and province	Plants	receipts per plant	Salaries and wages	Fuel and electricity	Materials and supplies	All other operating expenses	Total expenses
	number	\$			per cent		
Incorporated companies				1		1	
Canada	192	327, 622	50.3	3.4	9.1	30. 1	92. 9
Newfoundland Prince Edward Island	4 2	85,400	39.8	7.5	10.0	32.4	89.7
Nova Scotia New Brunswick	9 6	162,087	50.3	5. 2	11.4	26.2	93, 1
Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatche wan Alberta British Columbia ¹	43 73 5 5 15 30	421, 311 300, 529 459, 831 267, 994 320, 460 381, 956	50.9 49.9 47.9 52.3 47.8 51.9	3. 5 3. 5 3. 5 3. 4 2. 9 2. 7	10. 2 8. 9 8. 7 11. 1 8. 3 7. 5	29.8 31.3 29.0 22.2 27.5 31.3	94. 4 93. 6 89. 1 89. 0 86. 5 93. 4
Unincorporated companies							
Canada	137	46, 335	43, 9	6. 7	11, 2	26. 6	88, 4
Newfoundland Prince Edward Island	_	_		===	=	=	1 1 1 1
Nova Scotia	2 5	44, 851	42.4	8. 2	11.3	24.5	86.4
Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia ¹	35 65 4 3 8 15	54, 467 50, 277 11, 672 28, 881 31, 056 31, 855	46. 7 43. 7 18. 3 37. 0 38. 7 42. 4	6.6 6.5 5.5 5.3 7.3 7.0	12.4 10.5 11.3 10.2 10.9	25. 5 27. 9 37. 4 30. 1 26. 7 21. 7	91. 2 88. 6 72. 5 82. 6 83. 6 81. 9

¹ Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 12. Power Laundries - Principal Statistics for Selected Cities. 1960

				Receipts				aid oyees	Salaries
City	Plants	Laundry ²	Cleaning ³	Rental services	All other	Total	Male	Female	and wages
	number		nur	nber	\$				
Halifax	4	755, 491	5	mus	8	844, 507	87	120	425, 788
Montreal	37	8,698,030	2, 254, 392	4, 709, 848	242, 715	15,904,985	1, 316	1,913	8, 309, 074
Quebec	7	1,016,339	365, 535	3	8	1,496,977	86	267	585, 450
Hamilton	8	946, 821	251, 951	5	5	3, 146, 553	212	254	1, 316, 401
London	3	\$	8	- 8	60, 276	2,043,386	120	193	919, 176
Ottawa	10	1, 193, 808	514, 895	460,097	-	2, 168, 800	131	322	1,012,565
Toronto	44	5, 589, 914	834, 700	4, 177, 524	62, 666	10,664,804	646	1,482	5, 437, 941
Windsor	5	413, 631	\$	538, 883	5	1, 143, 477	79	125	535, 507
Winnipeg	6	1, 337, 091	\$	S	5	2, 313, 154	138	324	1, 103, 809
Calgary	5	711, 472	416, 797	5	S	1, 962, 423	112	197	830, 442
Edmonton	7	958, 142	256,015	5	5	2, 107, 363	127	294	1,062,591
Vancouver	13	3, 649, 422	1,412,118	2, 794, 740	321, 214	8, 177, 494	453	788	4, 108, 299
Victoria	4	809, 151	263, 112	s	5	1, 408, 372	95	167	866, 859

1 Metropolitan areas.

Includes unfinished and finished, wholesale, commercial and industrial.

'Includes fur, wholesale, commercial and industrial.

4 Includes dyeing, storage, etc.
5 Withheld to avoid disclosing individual operations.

SECTION III - DRY CLEANING AND DYEING PLANTS

An increase of 31 plants in 1960 over 1959 brought the number of plants to 1,514. Receipts totalled \$94,213,959, an increase of 2.2 per cent over the 1959 figure. The average receipts per plant increased fractionally to \$62,229. On a per capita basis, receipts averaged \$5.29 with no change from the previous year. There were 8.5 plants per 100,000 population, also unchanged.

Receipts increased in all provinces except Nova Scotia where a decrease of 0.2 per cent was calculated. The largest provincial increase occurred in Alberta, 7.4 per cent.

Receipts by source, expressed as percentages of total, were as follows: dry cleaning 77.8 per cent, laundry 11.6 per cent, wholesale laundry and dry cleaning 5.5 per cent; rental services, identified for the first time in the annual report, 2.4 per cent; all other 2.7 per cent. In 1959 these percentages were very similar, i.e., 78.8, 10.9, 5.8, and 4.5 respectively, the last item being the sum of rental services and other revenue which was not sub-divided for 1959.

Of the 1,514 dry cleaning and dyeing plants operating in 1960, 199 plants whose volume of business was \$100,000 or more obtained 46.8 per cent of total receipts, 372 plants whose volume ranged from \$50,000 to \$99,999 obtained 27.7 per cent, and 359 plants whose volume ranged from \$30,000 to \$49,999 obtained 14.9 per cent. The remaining 10.6 per cent was obtained by 584 plants with a volume of less than \$30,000.

The number of people employed in 1960 totalled 17,061, down slightly from 17,233 for 1959. Salaries and wages paid were \$43,347,820, an increase of 2.4 per cent from 1959.

Operating expenses of dry cleaning and dyeing plants in 1960 amounted to \$85,668,804 an increase of 2.2 per cent over 1959. The ratio of operating expenses to receipts remained unchanged at 90.9 per cent. The average wage per employee increased by 3.4 per cent from \$2,457 in 1959 to \$2,541 for 1960. Little change occurred from 1959 in the ratios of the individual expense items to receipts as will be noted from Table 14.

Percentage Changes in Number and Receipts of Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, by Provinces, 1960/1959

Province	Percentage change 1960/195								
Floatuce	Number of plants	Receipts							
DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF	per	cent							
Canada	+ 2,1	+ 2.2							
Jewfoundland	+ 7.7	+ 1.4							
Prince Edward Island	1	+ 0.5							
Jova Scotia	+ 6.3	- 0.2							
Vew Brunswick	+ 2.7	+ 5.2							
QuebecQuebec	+ 5.7	+ 1.6							
Ontario	+ 0.2	+ 1.4							
fanitoba	- 6.5	+ 1.5							
Saskatchewan	1	+ 1.3							
Alberta	1	+ 7.4							
British Columbia ²	+ 9.0	+ 3.7							

TABLE 13. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, Historical Summary, 1930-60

Year	Plants	Employees	Salaries and wages	Cost of materials and supplies used	Receipts				
	num	ber	dollars						
1930	126 157 166 172 175	2,785 2,965 2,878 2,912 2,983	3,109,768 2,961,759 2,538,102 2,381,084 2,526,815	624,392 618,014 521,680 502,692 517,812	6,412,325 6,144,765 5,005,718 4,866,091 5,014,107				
1935		3,108 3,643 3,976 4,320 4,995	2,671,476 3,112,452 3,492,712 3,890,227 4,284,126	620,535 709,793 856,192 999,999 1,034,952	5,327,883 6,304,537 7,179,374 7,994,123 8,658,729				
1940	300 363 365 362 399	5,474 6,554 6,990 7,388 7,732	4,956,024 6,125,635 6,969,167 7,865,795 8,212,917	1,156,454 1,433,790 1,453,234 1,518,897 1,697,284	10,056,735 12,678,275 14,353,064 15,218,369 16,886,713				
1945 1946 1947 1948 1949 ²	385 452 530 787 905	8,147 9,880 10,906 11,953 12,886	8,847,948 11,613,011 14,144,464 17,140,254 20,107,095	1,951,752 2,503,762 3,041,506 4,400,688 4,939,685	18,618,074 23,720,940 28,584,285 36,620,948 42,574,449				
1950	991 1, 029	13,450 13,933 14,816 15,234 15,485	21,704,698 23,850,119 27,148,924 29,898,356 31,512,711	5,378,564 6,710,355 7,255,050 7,535,432	46,249,622 52,798,415 58,478,449 64,029,307 67,222,831				
1955 1956 1957 1958 1959	1,338 1,381	15,909 16,939 16,701 16,721 17,233 17,061	32,873,802 35,620,930 38,286,440 39,518,157 42,343,788 43,347,820	7,930,290 9,157,172 9,710,880 10,126,668 10,588,480 10,822,200	70,733,946 78,527,203 84,281,509 87,194,590 92,211,939 94,213,959				

Excluding cost of linen from 1954.
 Including Newfoundland from 1949.

Unchanged.
 Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 14. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, Operating Results, 1959 and 1960

Item		1959	1960	Percentage changes 1960/59
Plants reporting	No.	1,483	1,514	+ 2.1
Total receipts	\$	92,211,939	94, 213, 959	+ 2.2
Average receipts per plant	\$	62,179	62,229	+ 0.1
Estimated population of Canada ¹	No.	17,442,000	17,814,000	+ 2.1
Receipts per capita	\$	5. 29	5.29	2
Plants per 100,000 population	No.	8.5	8.5	2
Paid employees:				
Total	41	17, 233	17,061	- 1.0
Male		6,957	6,985	+ 0.4
Female		10,276	10,076	- 1.9
Total salaries and wages	\$	42, 343, 788	43, 347, 820	+ 2.4
Percentage of total receipts	%	45.9	46.0	
Average salary or wage per employee	\$	2,457	2,541	+ 3. 4
Total cost of fuel and electricity	\$	3,745,096	3,805,198	+ 1.6
Percentage of total receipts	%	4.1	4.0	
Cost of materials and supplies used	\$	10, 588, 480	10,822,200	+ 2.2
Percentage of total receipts	%	11.5	11.5	
All other operating expenses	\$	27, 149, 921	27,693,586	+ 2.0
Percentage of total receipts	%	29.4	29.4	
Total expenses	\$	83, 827, 285	85, 668, 804	+ 2.2
Percentage of total receipts	%	90.9	90.9	

As at June 1st.
Unchanged.

TABLE 15. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, Summary Statistics by Provinces, 1960

Province	721	Total	Paid en	ployees	Salaries	Cost of materials				
Province	Plants	working proprietors ¹	Male	Female	and wages	and supplies used	Receipts			
		numb	er		dollars					
Canada	1,514	1,314	6, 985	10, 076	43,347,820	10, 822, 200	94,213,959			
Newfoundland	14	6	97	105	542,861	113, 217	1,028,678			
Prince Edward Island	10	10	38	28	129,562	48,406	346,761			
Nova Scotia	51	31	292	340	1,277,487	342,534	2, 858, 217			
New Brunswick	38	31	141	280	720,974	208, 564	1,747,477			
Quebec	295	251	1,890	1,482	8,733,645	2, 254, 089	18,801,257			
Ontario	650	588	2,933	4,526	19,028,199	4,866,932	42,099,588			
Manitoba	58	42	436	903	3,518,168	711, 197	6,668,199			
Saskatchewan	92	97	235	415	1,607,669	410, 190	3,822,036			
Alberta	148	146	497	1,039	3,905,394	938,053	8,550,148			
British Columbia ²	158	112	426	958	3,883,861	929,018	8, 291, 598			

¹ Unincorporated firms only.
² Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 16.	Dry	Cleaning	and	Dyeing	Plants -	Receipts	by	Type	of	Service	Performe	d,
				by I	Province	s. 1960						

Province	C	lean	ing	,1	Laundry ²			Laundry ² Wholesale laundry and dry cleaning Rental services All other ³						Laundry ²			All other ³			l other ³		Total receipt			
	Am	ount		%	1	Amou	int	9%	5	Aı	nou	nt	%	Ап	nou	nt	%	Am	ount		%	A	mou	.nt	%
		\$				\$					\$				\$				\$				\$		
Canada	73, 3	12, 7	27	77.8	10,	929	124	11.	6	5, 1	64,	138	5.5	2, 2	21,	, 111	2.4	2, 55	6, 85	9 2	. 7	94,	213	959	100. (
Newfoundland Prince Edward	80	51,36	63	83.7		4		4			4		4		4		4	1	1,34	0 1	. 1	1,	028	678	100.0
Island	3:	32. 9	58	96.0		4		4				_	_			_	_				4		346	761	100.0
Nova Scotia				81.7			838				4		4		4		4	9	5,71	2 3	. 3				100.0
New Brunswick				88.0			789					-	-				-	2	0,24	7 1	. 1				100.
Quebec				77.2			596								4		4		l .		4	18,	801	257	100.0
Ontario	32, 0						850			2,8	51,	845	6.8	1,9	59,	,717	4.6	1,07	9,48	1 2	. 6	42,	099	588	100.0
Manitoba				67.2	1,	448,	666	21.	7			800			4		4		1		4	6.	668	199	100.0
Saskatchewan				85, 1			677				83,	933	2.2		4		4		1		4	3,	822	036	100.0
Alberta				83.0			380					555		1	05,	051	1.2	15	1,76	8 1	. 8				100.0
British Columbia ⁵	6, 88	30, 29	92	83.0		983,	265	11.	8	3	89,	561	4.7		4		4	4			4	8,	291	598	100.0

¹ Includes fur, commercial and industrial.

Note: The percentages indicate the proportions which receipts for each type of work bear to the total receipts for each province.

TABLE 17. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, classified by Size of Business, 1959 and 1960

		195	59		1960						
Size of business			Receipts				Receipts				
	Plants	Amount	Per cent of total	Average per plant	Plants	Amount	Per cent of total	Average per plant			
	number	\$	%	\$	number	\$	%	\$			
All plants	1,483	92, 211, 939	100.0	62,179	1,514	94, 213, 959	100.0	62, 229			
Less than \$15,000	211 131 235 358 345 203	2,008,706 2,291,339 5,829,247 13,947,328 23,684,689 44,450,630	2. 2 2. 5 6. 3 15. 1 25. 7 48. 2	9,520 17,491 24,805 38,959 68,651 218,969	231 141 212 359 372 199	2, 297, 988 2, 478, 722 5, 271, 146 14, 070, 341 26, 041, 392 44, 054, 370	2. 4 2. 6 5. 6 14. 9 27. 7 46. 8	9, 948 17, 580 24, 864 39, 193 70, 004 221, 379			

TABLE 18. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants - Operating Costs by Form of Organization and Size of Business, 1960

		A	Opera	ting expenses	s as per cen	t of total re	ceipts
Form of organization and size of business	Plants	Average receipts per plant	Salaries and wages	Fuel and electricity	Materials and supplies	All other operating expenses	Total expenses
	number	\$			per cent		
Incorporated companies							
All plants	534	110, 536	50.7	3.5	11.2	29.5	94. 9
Less than \$15,000 \$ 15,000 to \$ 19,999 20,000 '' 29,999 30,000 '' 49,999 50,000 '' 99,999 100,000 '' 199,999 200,000 '' 299,999 300,000 and over	14 15 29 103 211 102 31 29	9, 150 18, 035 24, 655 39, 788 72, 076 136, 031 237, 383 599, 045	48. 1 43. 8 47. 1 48. 0 48. 2 50. 6 53. 5 52. 7	7.6 6.2 6.0 4.3 4.0 3.6 3.2	13. 4 13. 3 10. 9 11. 3 11. 5 11. 3 10. 7	29.5 31.7 30.2 30.0 29.8 28.3 28.1 30.8	98.6 95.0 94.2 93.6 93.5 93.8 95.5

² Includes unfinished and finished, commercial and industrial.

Includes duffinished and finished, commercial includes dyeing, storage, etc.

Includes dyeing, storage, etc.

Includes figures are withheld to avoid disclosing individual operations but these are included in the totals.

Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 18. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants - Operating Costs by Form of Organization and Size of Business, 1960 - Concluded

	Plants	Average receipts per plant	Operating expenses as per cent of total receipts					
Form of organization and size of business			Salaries and wages	Fuel and electricity	Materials and supplies	All other operating expenses	Total expenses	
	number	\$			per cent			
Unincorporated companies								
All plants	980	35,906	38. 1	5.0	11.9	29. 2	84. 2	
ess than \$7,500	53 39 125	5,360 8,727 12,364	18.7 24.3 25.2	11. 4 9. 7 8. 2	11. 9 11. 2 13. 1	32. 3 33. 9 30. 9	74. 3 79. 1 77. 4	
15,000 '' 19,999 20,000 '' 29,999	126 183	17, 525 24, 897	30. 5 33. 9	7. 0 6. 0	12.3 11.6	30. 8 29. 4	80. 6 80. 9	
30,000 ' 49,999	256 161 37	38, 954 67, 288 147, 245	37. 5 41. 0 45. 9	5. 1 4. 0 3. 5	12. 4 11. 7 11. 4	20. 6 28. 0 28. 8	84. 6 84. 7 89. 6	

TABLE 19. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants - Operating Costs by Form of Organization, by Provinces, 1960

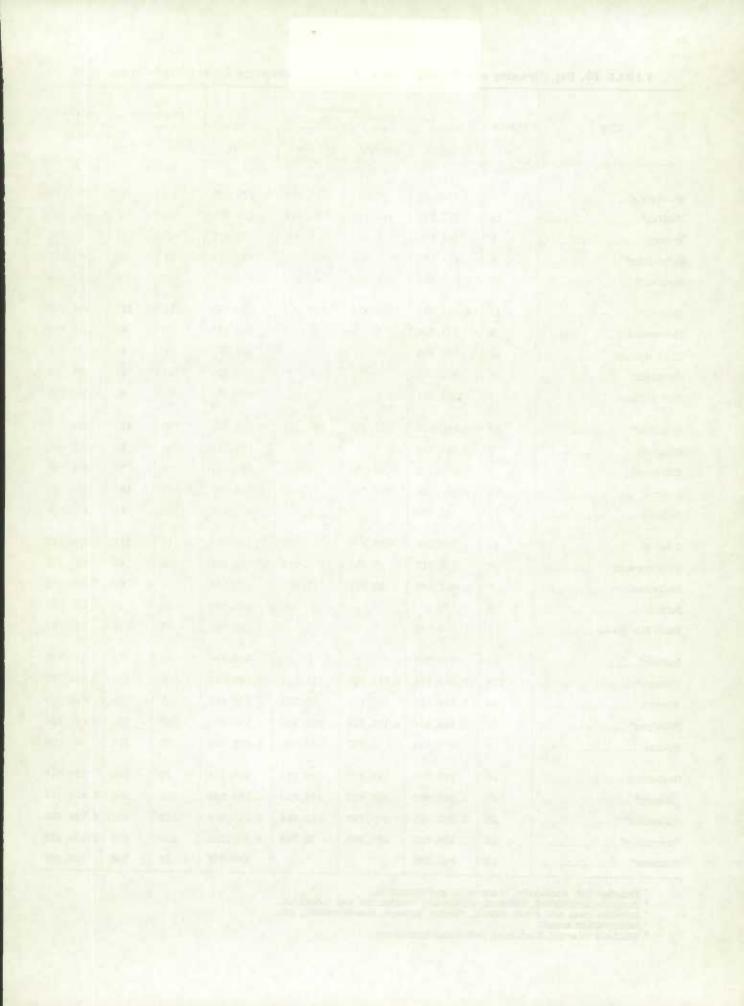
Form of organization and province	Plants	Average receipts per plant	Operating expenses as per cent of total receipts					
			Salaries and wages	Fuel and electricity	Materials and supplies	All other operating expenses	Total expenses	
The same of the sa	number	\$	per cent					
Incorporated companies							1	
Canada	534	110,536	50. 7	3.5	11. 2	29.5	94. 9	
Newfoundland	10	99,075	54.0	4. 6	10.9	30.8	100. 3	
Prince Edward Island	3	51,944	45.7	5. 5	15.9	26.8	93. 9	
Nova Scotia	26	79, 163	47.4	4. 4	11.6	26.8	90. 2	
New Brunswick	12	81,664	44.6	5. 3	12.7	32.4	95.0	
Quebec	94	115,060	50.8	4. 1	11.4	29. 9	96. 2	
Ontario	219	112,800	50. 3	3. 4	11.3	31. 3	96. 3	
Manitoba	27	217,773	55.5	2. 2	10.7	24. 2	92. 6	
Saskatchewan	21	93, 093	48. 3	3. 2	10.4	29.3	91. 2	
Alberta	53	107, 942	49. 1	2. 4	10.8	29.0	91. 3	
British Columbia ¹	69	83, 577	51.8	4.0	11. 1	27.7	94. 6	
Unincorporated companies								
Canada	980	35, 908	38. 1	5.0	11.9	29. 2	84. 2	
Newfoundland	4	9, 483	21.5	7. 0	12.5	26.5	67. 5	
Prince Edward Island	7	27, 276	30.6	6.0	12.4	20. 1	69. 1	
Nova Scotia	25	31,999	37. 7	6.0	12.9	26. 7	83. 3	
New Brunswick	26	29,519	37.0	7. 1	10.9	30.2	85. 2	
Quebec	201	39,729	40.6	5. 4	12.8	28.8	87.6	
Ontario	431	40, 363	38.0	4.6	11.9	29.9	84. 4	
Manitoba	31	25, 430	32.7	6.3	10.6	30.5	80. 1	
Saskatchewan	71	26, 297	35. 5	4.8	11.1	28.7	80. 1	
Alberta	95	29, 781	38.6	4.3	11.3	27. 2	81. 4	
British Columbia ¹	89	28, 368	35.7	5.8	11.3	28. 8	81.6	

¹ Including Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 20. Dry Cleaning and Dyeing Plants, Principal Statistics for Selected Cities, 1960

City	Plants	Receipts					Paid employees	
		Cleaning ¹	Laundry ²	All other	Total	Male	Female	and wages
	number	dollars				number		\$
St. John's ⁴	7	570,436	97,914	11,099	679, 449	68	72	396, 244
Halifax4	13	877,690	147,139	91,464	1,116,293	100	121	526, 807
Sydney	6	403,670	5	s	476, 255	45	77	220,672
Saint-John ⁴	6	411, 234	s	5	455, 417	26	80	202, 261
Montreal ⁴	94	7,349,405	988, 997	391,859	8,730,261	810	658	4, 203, 899
Quebec4	19	1,451,863	260, 116	136,064	1,848,043	165	161	951, 370
herbrooke	9	327, 628	5	5	458, 971	41	45	216,863
Three-Rivers	7	440, 348	8	5	516, 307	61	48	238,718
Brantford	6	514,011	5	5	709,237	62	97	393,505
Fort William	7	470,683	5	5	507,082	33	65	260,730
[amilton4	32	2,840,419	295, 507	160, 127	3, 296, 053	196	427	1,542,607
ingston	6	543,715	5	S	660,475	36	80	288,768
Litchener	9	590,736	60, 204	13, 611	664, 551	38	70	319, 409
ondon4	13	1,265,039	227,058	22,628	1,514,725	110	186	710,013
shawa	12	447,954	5	5	495, 989	27	85	221, 199
Ottawa4	41	2, 338, 885	476, 366	395,663	3,210,914	213	319	1,354,732
eterborough	8	346,917	35,450	892	383, 259	18	49	151,036
t-Catharines	9	451, 647	52,911	15, 802	520, 360	55	53	266, 933
arnia	5	5	5	_	349,869	20	43	158, 162
ault Ste. Marie	7	406, 119	5	s	457, 419	25	58	208,737
udbury	11	543,996	_	-	543,996	40	67	239, 996
Coronto ⁴	172	12,065,914	1,974,066	2, 141, 113	16, 181, 093	1,109	1,621	7, 628, 523
Indsor'	24	1, 246, 184	150, 101	30, 203	1,426,488	123	156	659, 299
/innipeg4	31	3,546,361	1, 273, 674	329,976	5, 150, 011	357	741	2,891,946
Regina	14	973, 744	70, 357	32, 101	1,076,202	77	108	509, 828
askatoon	10	715, 024	116,877	13, 213	845, 114	59	102	391,041
Calgary4	40	2, 245, 655	528, 412	115, 616	2, 889, 683	162	398	1, 425, 313
Edmonton4	39	3,023,985	519, 323	132,696	3,676,004	222	411	1,704,206
ancouver4	63	3,883,867	560, 660	18,796	4, 463, 323	213	518	2, 134, 503
/ictoria4	13	841,768	5	5	889,016	51	126	506, 455

Includes fur, wholesale, commercial and industrial.
 Includes unfinished, finished, wholesale, commercial and industrial.
 Includes coat and towel rentals, dyeing, storage, diaper rentals, etc.
 Metropolitan areas.
 Withheld to avoid disclosing individual operations.



STATISTICS CANADA LIBRARY
BIBLIOTREQUE STATISTICUS CANADA

1010731807