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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES

1926-100

The "Investors!" weighted index numbers of security prices, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1926-100, were as follows for the week ending September 7th.

The "Investors!" index of industrial common stocks was 102.3 for the week ending September 7th, as compared with 103.6 for the previous week.

The "Investors!" index of domestic utility common stocks was 47.2 for the week ending September 7th, as compared with 47.4 for the previous week.

The "Investors" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 69.6 for the week ending September 7th. as compared with 68.6 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index for all three groups of common stocks combined was 74.0 for the week ending September 7th, as compared with 74.4 for the previous pack.

Average weekly prices were lower for sixteen and higher for nine of the twenty-five best selling stocks on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges. Walkers fell from \$47.9 to \$46.2, International Nickel from \$21.7 to \$21.1, Ford "A" from \$16.6 to \$15.0, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from \$18.9 to \$17.8, Brazilian from \$14.7 to \$14.2, Dominion Bridge from \$31.6 to \$30.5, Montreal Light, Heat and Power from \$37.8 to \$37.4 and Shawinigan from \$19.2 to \$18.7. Bruck Silk rose from \$19.7 to \$21.6. Weston Ltd. from \$44.4 to \$46.9, Dryden Paper Co. from \$6.3 to \$7.5 and St.Lawrence Corporation from \$4.0 to \$4.3.

Sales were lower for twenty-three and higher for two stocks. Walkers declined from 26,300 to 10,500, International Nickel from 44,500 to 19,000, Bruck Silk from 20,000 to 3,900, Brazilian from 18,400 to 9,100, Consolidated Mining and Smelting from 1,900 to 900, National Breweries from 5,200 to 1,800, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from 9,100 to 4,500, C.P.R. from 8,000 to 4,500, Ford "A" from 6,300 to 4,100 and Dominion Bridge from 2,400 to 1,400. Steel of Canada mounted from 600 to 1,000 and Dryden Paper Co. from 2,900 to 4,200.



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	Investors' Index Number of Common Stocks 93 Industrial 25 Public Utility									
	Companies Lo Canada	All								
	Industrial	Public : Utility :	Abroad							
1926	100	100	100	100						
/1929 - High	311.0	163.6	213.3	235.4						
Low	194:0	124.8	122.5	155.8						
/1930 - High	222.1	142.3	151.8	178.6						
Low	112.6	99,8	70.7	100.6						
/1931 - High	127.2	113.4	84. 4	115.1						
Low	68, 1	53, 8	42.4	58.8						
/1932 - High	72.0	59.3	52.9	62.9						
Low	44.0	30,5	41.2	38.6						
1932										
May	51.4	36.9	49.4	44.6						
June	48.8	34.9	46.5	42.2						
July	56.6	41.8	49.9	48.7						
August	69.9	51.9	52.7	58, 5						
September	73.8	56,9	56.5	62.8						
October	63.1	49.1	47.4	53.7						
November	62.5	46.6	48.3	52.6						
December	58.4	45.1	48. 9	50, 5						
1933										
January	59.6	44.6	48.9	50.8						
February	56.3	3 8. 6	46.6	46.6						
March	57.3	38.2	45.5	46.6						
April	67.5	38.5	53.0	52.0						
May	85.8	47.2	64.2	64.7						
June	103.6	53.8	74. 2	76.1						
July	118.3	58. 5	81.6	85.0						
August	113.3	53.9	77.1	80.3						
Week ending Aug. 3rd	96.7	47.1	65.4	71.2						
" " 10th	98.9	47.3	65.6	72.1						
11 11 17 17 17 17 18 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	99.1	46.4	64, 5	71.5						
11 11 24th	102.8	47.0	67.2	73.7						
" " 3lst	103:6	47.4	68: 6	74.4						
" Sept. 7th	102.3	47.2	69.6	74.0						
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Purpose of 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.

[/] Weekly figures.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
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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
x 1929 - High	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
Low	194.0	196.1	73.1	191.9	248.3	74.5	131.8	89.1	247.0	124.8	117.1	108.3	131.1	122.5	117.4	138.1	155.8
x 1930 - High	222.1	231.3	73.4	192.5	296.6	77.2	144.8	95.7	328.8	142.3	138.1	113.7	163.3	151.8	136.4	185.3	178.6
Low	112.6	134.5	22.3	97.9	167.5	56.7	100.2	59.9	133.2	99.8	91.0	99.5	108.4	70.7	72.4	72.7	100.6
x 1931 - High	127.2	146.3	24.6	107.9	186.8	60.6	132.6	77.6	167.2	113.4	106.9	105.6	128.4	84.4	86.7	95.7	115.1
x 1932 - High	68.1	71.5	9.0	47.8	98.0	40.2	89.9	40.6	80.3	53.8	31.7	81.3	74.6	42.4	51.0	33.6	58.8
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1932	44.0	36.8	1.4	34.9	78.3	24.0	66.5	27.3	39.1	30.5	20.2	52.0	37.5	41.2	50.8	28.5	38.6
August	69.9	63.5	8.8	47.4	110.0	38.5	89.7	44.1	78.7	51.9	42.7	71.6	60.4	52.7	72.8		
September	73.8	69.1	4.4	53.0	113.0	42.3	90.8	44.1	89.2	56.9	47.6	76.3	65.9	56.5	77.6	35.7 38.7	58.5 62.8
October	63.1	55.9	3.5	49.8	97.4	38.0	86.5	40.7	73.9	49.1	39.0	73.4	57.7	47.4	64.3	33.1	
November	62.5	51.3	3.1	48.3	95.9	38.7	85.9	43.3	74.2	46.6	38.2	70.8	53.1	48.3	67.9	31.8	53.7 52.6 W
December 1933	58,4	45.5	2.5	43.3	90.8	37.6	83.0	37.1	70.1	45.1	37.4	68.3	50.8	48.9	69.1	32.0	50.5
January	59.6	49.5	2 2	41.1	03.	2/ 0	00.0	24.0							- , , ,	25.00	20.7
February	56.3	44.4	3.3	41.1	93.6	36.8	82.9	34.0	71.2	44.6	35.6	70.5	51.2	48.9	69.7	31.4	50.8
March	57.3	44.8	2.3	39.7 37.8	86.7	33.6	80.2	32.6	69.7	38.6	26.8	63.6	48.3	46.6	67.8	28.7	46.6
April	67.5	48.6	2.7	44.3	98.1	32.2	78.6	36.0	73.1	38.2	25.3	64.0	48.9	45.5	66.5	27.8	46.6
May	85.8	65.5	3.8	60.9	122.4	45.7	85.3 105.1	37.8	95.2	38.5	27.9	61.1	47.4	53.0	78.4	31.5	52.0
June	103.6	83.0	6.4	70.3	141.6	55.2	118.2	63.2	116.1	47.2	36.8	69.7	56.2	64.2	90.3	42.4	64.7
July	118.3	98.1	8.4	79.1	156.6	60.0	139.1	164.3	146.4	53.8 58.5	43.7	74.5	63.0	74.2	105.1	48.3	76.1
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July 13th	105.8	83.2	1.8	67.8	147.5	47.7	113.0	118.9	134.7	50.8	40.7	69.4	57.8	73.5	103.0	49.8	76.7
July 20th	111.1	91.2	1.9	72.8	147.6	48.9	121.2	155.8	134.4	52.6	41.5	70.8	60.9	74.7	104.0	51.2	79.0
July 27th	95.5	79.7	1.7	66.9	149.5	48.5	131.9	192.7	137.3	53.1	41.2	74.1	61.6	73.5	102.4	50.4	81.1
					133.2	44.0	116.5	126.6	121.9	47.2	34.1	70.8	56.6	64.7	91.0	43.6	70.7
August 3rd	96.7	79.8	1.5	68.4	131.0	45.0		139.8	124.8	47.1	33.8	71.1	56.5	65.4	92.0	44.0	71.2
August 10th	98.9	80.9	1.4	66.6	131.9	44.4		149.8	129.4	47.3	34.0	70.5	57.0	65.6	92.5	44.0	72.1
August 17th	99.1	79.0	1.4	65.8	135.1	44.2		147.7	128.6	46.4	32.8	70.9	56.3	64.5	91.4	42.8	71.5
August 24th	102:8	80.9	1.3	66.2	141.4	45.1		157.3	132.7	47.0	33.7	71.3	56.5	67.2	97.0	43.0	73.7
August 31st	103.6	83.7	1.3	66.1	139.9	47.6	114.1	154.9	135.7	47.4	34.6	71.7	56.2	68.6	98.0	44.8	74.4
September 7th	102.3	80.1	1.3	64.9	141.2	47.6	112.1	149.4	132.8	47.2	34.8	71.2	55.6	69.6	101.6	43.6	7.4.0
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