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## I. Introductory Notes

This Digest, which is published monthly, has been prepared by the Central Statistical Office in collaboration with the Statistics Divisions of Government Departments. The Departments and organisations responsible for providing each series of statistics are stated underneath each table.
2. The scope of the Digest is revised from time to time to include new statistical information as it becomes available. Many of the series appearing in the Digest are given in greater detail in other official publications. In particular, reference should be made to the Board of Trade Journal, the Ministry of Labour Gazette, the Trade Accounts and the Annual Abstract of Statistics. The Annual Abstract gives annual figures (and in many cases in greater detail) for nearly all the series included in the Digest.

## II. General Notes

3. A Supplement was published with the March 1949 issue of the Digest giving in detail the definitions of the items and units employed. Copies of this Supplement can be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office (price 6d.). There are, however, a number of points of general importance which should be borne in mind.
4. Consumption. Figures of consumption particularly should be used with caution. Changes in consumption from month to month may be explained by seasonal factors. Figures given under the headings of "consumption " or "total disposals" are usually derived from statistics of releases from stocks by Controls or manufacturers, and include the amount delivered for export or re-export. Where exports form a significant proportion of total disposals, however, the amount made available for consumption within the United Kingdom is shown separately in the tables.
5. Stocks. Figures of stocks should also be used with caution, since changes in stocks from month to month may likewise be explained by seasonal factors. Moreover, figures of stocks often relate to only part of the total stocks in the country. The definitions of figures of stocks are given either in footnotes to each table, or in more detail in the Supplement to the Digest.
6. Figures of stocks relate either to the end of a calendar month or to the end of a four or five weekly period. Where the information for this date cannot be obtained the figures relate to the date nearest to the end of the month for which figures are available. If this date is more than seven days from the end of the month the day of the month is stated in a footnote.
7. Imports and exports. Figures of imports and exports are taken from the Trade Accounts. Owing to differences in timing and, in some cases, in coverage, these figures are not completely comparable with those for production, consumption and stocks.
8. Area covered. Except where otherwise stated, all statistics relate to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
9. Revisions. Some of the figures included in this Digest are regarded by Departments as provisional only and may be revised in later issues. Each issue contains all the revisions made in the figures up to the date of publication of the Digest.
10. Symbols employed. The following symbols have been used throughout the Digest :-

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\begin{aligned}
& \cdots=\text { not available } \\
& \hdashline=\text { nil or less than half the final digit shown } \\
& *=\text { average of five weeks }
\end{aligned}
$$

II. Where necessary, each figure has been rounded off to the nearest final digit. For this reason there may be in some tables an apparent slight discrepancy between the sum of the constituent items and the total as shown.
12. A line drawn across a column between two consecutive figures indicates that the figures above and below the line have been compiled on different bases and are not strictly comparable. In each case a footnote is added indicating the nature of the difference.

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## Million linear yards

| 1947 | 21.9 | 13.3 | 14.4 | 17.2 | 19.7 | 20.0 | 21.2 | 17.1 | 21.9 | 23.9 | 21.0 | 20.2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1948 | 23.0 | 22.2 | 20.5 | 22.9 | 19.1 | 22.6 | 21.6 | 19.7 | 24.6 | 24.0 | 24.1 | 23.2 |
| 1949 | 23.4 | 23.7 | 24.6 | 21.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |



Thousands

| 1947 | 3.29 | 1.45 | 2.27 | 3.08 | 3.58 | 2.97 | 2.99 | 2.68 | 3.33 | 3.52 | 3.43 | 3.15 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1948 | 3.43 | 2.97 | 3.02 | 2.89 | 3.16 | 3.49 | 3.29 | 2.44 | 3.45 | 3.90 | 3.84 | 3.48 |
| 1949 | 3.89 | 3.86 | 4.14 | 3.73 | 4.37 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Thousands

| 1947 | 8.82 | 4.43 | 6.73 | 9.71 | 11.74 | 11.92 | 12.43 | 11.26 | 14.20 | 15.40 | $15 \cdot 27$ | 17.65 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1948 | 15.04 | 15.73 | 20.01 | 18.63 | 19.20 | 20.00 | 18.77 | 15.76 | 19.16 | 18.61 | 17.79 | $18 \cdot 18$ |
| 1949 | 14.98 | 15.61 | 19.33 | 14.24 | 16.31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Year | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apl. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |



## EXTERNAL TRADE

## VALUE OF IMPORTS (Table II3)

| 47 | 121.5 | 112.8 | 129.9 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 48 | 161.9 | 148.1 | 178.1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| 49 | 187.2 | 162.0 | 189.9 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

$\begin{array}{llll}147.2 & 153.1 & 154.2\end{array}$
$185.1 \quad 175.8$ : 177.1
$\begin{array}{lll}179.5 & 172.9 & 161.0\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lll}185.6 & 173.8 & 169.4\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{ll}187.5 & 194.8\end{array}$
VALUE OF IMPORTS FROM WESTERN HEMISPHERE (Table II5)

| 47 | 51.6 | 53.2 | 63.7 | 66.4 | 72.0 | 70.0 | 83.1 | 78.4 | 75.2 | 73.7 | $63 \cdot 3$ | 59.9 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 48 | 63.1 | 54.0 | 57.5 | 53.9 | 57.0 | 61.9 | $64 \cdot 3$ | 57.5 | $60 \cdot 2$ | 58.3 | 56.1 | $56 \cdot 3$ |
| 49 | 56.4 | $51 \cdot 3$ | 51.5 | 46.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

VALUE OF BRITISH EXPORTS (Table II3)

| 47 |
| :--- |
| 48 |
| 49 |



VALUE OF EXPORTS TO WESTERN HEMISPHERE (Table II7)

| 47 | 13.4 | 11.1 | 12.8 | 12.4 | 15.4 | 13.8 | 16.4 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 16.3 | 15.9 | 19.4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 48 | 20.0 | 19.9 | 21.7 | 19.3 | 23.8 | 18.4 | 24.8 | 20.2 | 20.8 | 25.7 | 25.7 | 24.1 |
| 49 | 26.5 | 21.8 | 25.5 | 17.6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

VOLUME OF BRITISH EXPORTS (Table II3)


## FINANCE



## I. POPULATION

TABLE I
Estimated total population of the United Kingdom ( ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1939 | June 30 | 47,762 | 22,962 | 24,800 | 41,460 | 19,920 | 21,540 | 5,007 | 2,412 | 2,595 | 1,295 | 630 | 665 |
| 1940 | June 30 ... | 48,188 | 23,266 | 24,922 | 41,862 | 20,216 | 21,646 | 5,027 | 2,416 | 2,611 | 1,299 | 634 | 665 |
| 1941 | June 30 ... | 48,183 | 23,233 | 24,950 | 41,748 | 20,141 | 21,607 | 5,127 | 2,459 | 2,668 | 1,308 | 633 | 675 |
| 1942 | June 30 ... | 48,368 | 23.304 | 25,064 | 41,897 | 20,180 | 21,717 | 5,142 | 2,476 | 2,666 | 1,329 | 648 | 681 |
| 1943 | June 30 ... | 48,757 | 23,542 | 25,215 | 42,259 | 20,397 | 21,862. | 5,157 | 2,489 | 2,668 | 1,341 | 656 | 685 |
| 1944 | June 30 ... | 48,984 | 23,640 | 25,344 | 42,449 | 20,473 | 21,976 | 5,178 | 2,502 | 2,676 | 1,357 | 665 | 692 |
| 1945 | June 30 ... | 49,150 | 23,691 | 25,459 | 42,636 | 20,549 | 22,087 | 5,155 | 2,476 | 2,679 | 1,359 | 666 | 693 |
| 1946 | June 30 ... | 49,185 | 23,750 | 25,435 | 42,700 | 20,611 | 22,089 | 5,135 | 2,477 | 2,658 | 1,350 | 662 | 688 |
| 1947 | June 30. | 49,539 | 23,965 | 25,573 | 43,050 | 20,822 | 22,228 | 5,139 | 2,482 | 2,656 | 1,350 | 661 | 689 |
| 1948 | June 30. | 50,033 | 24,260 | 25,773 | 43,502 | 21,091 | 22,411 | 5,169 | 2,502 | 2,667 | 1,362 | 667 | 695 |
|  | December 31 | 50,213 | 24,363 | 25,851 | 43,676 | 21,187 | 22,489 | 5,172 | 2,507 | 2,666 | 1,365 | 669 | 696 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Estimates refer to the total population including members of the forces serving overseas and
Source : Registrars-General merchant seamen at sea. These categories are omitted from the 1939 figures which relate to the
estimated population actually in the country at that date : the number thus excluded is estimated at about
a quarter of a million.
TABLE 2 Estimated total population of the United Kingdom at 31 December 1948
Thousands

| Age |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| Total, all ages | ... | 50,213 | 24,363 | 25,851 | 43,676 | 21,187 | 22,489 | 5,172 | 2,507 | 2,666 | 1,365 | 669 | 696 |
| 0-4 | ... | 4,306 | 2,207 | 2,099 | 3,699 | 1,897 | 1,802 | 467 | 238 | 229 | 140 | 72 | 68 |
| 5-9 | ... | 3,442 | 1,754 | 1,688 | 2,909 | 1,484 | 1,425 | 405 | 204 | 201 | 128 | 66 | 62 |
| $10-14$ | ... | 3,319 | 1,688 | 1,631 | 2,808 | 1,428 | 1,380 | 400 | 203 | 197 | III | 57 | 54 |
| 15-19 | .. | 3,358 | 1,697 | 1,661 | 2,852 | 1,441 | 1,411 | 395 | 200 | 195 | 111 | 56 | 55 |
| 20-24 | ... | 3,624 | 1,835 | 1,789 | 3,101 | 1,571 | 1,530 | 403 | 203 | 200 | 120 | 61 | 59 |
| 25-29 | ... | 3,994 | 2,012 | 1,982 | 3,498 | 1,754 | I,744 | 382 | 201 | 181 | 114 | 57 | 57 |
| 30-34 | ... | 3,482 | 1,734 | 1,748 | 3,059 | 1,524 | 1,535 | 324 | 163 | 161 | 99 | 47 | 52 |
| 35-39 | ... | 3,916 | 1,944 | 1,972 | 3,447 | 1,715 | 1,732 | 380 | 186 | 194 | 89 | 43 | 46 |
| 40-44 | ... | 3,810 | 1,880 | 1,930 | 3,361 | 1,669 | 1,692 | 367 | 173 | 194 | 82 | 38 | 44 |
| 45-49 | $\ldots$ | 3,487 | 1,676 | 1,810 | 3,068 | 1,481 | 1,587 | 348 | 163 | 184 | 71 | 32 | 39 |
| 50-54 | ... | 3,031 | 1,392 | 1,639 | 2,672 | 1,232 | 1,440 | 296 | 131 | 165 | 63 | 29 | 34 |
| 55-59 | $\ldots$ | 2,709 | 1,226 | 1,482 | 2,386 | 1,081 | 1,305 | 265 | 118 | 146 | 58 | 27 | 31 |
| 60-64 | ... | 2,400 | 1,070 | 1,330 | 2,114 | 942 | 1,172 | 230 | 101 | 129 | 56 | 27 | 29 |
| 65-69 | ... | 2,040 | 894 | 1,146 | 1,799 | 784 | 1,015 | 192 | 86 | 106 | 49 | 24 | 25 |
| 70 and over | ... | 3,296 | 1,353 | 1,944 | 2,903 | 1,184 | 1,719 | 319 | 136 | 184 | 74 | 33 | 41 |

## Births, marriages and deaths registered in the United Kingdom

|  | Live births |  |  |  |  | Marriages |  |  |  |  | Deaths |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland | Total <br> United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland | Total United Kingdom ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | England and Wales |  | Scotland$\left(^{1}\right)$ | Northe Ireland (1) |
|  |  | Total | Wales |  |  |  | Total | Wales |  |  |  | Total ${ }^{(1)}$ | Wales ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |
| 1935/8( ${ }^{3}$ ) | 722.7 | 609.0 | 38.0 | 88.3 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $403 \cdot 3$ | $356 \cdot 3$ | 20.5 | 38.2 | 8.8 | 574.9 | $490 \cdot 4$ | 32.5 | $66 \cdot 0$ | 18.5 |
| 1939 | $731 \cdot 5$ | 619.4 | 37.4 | 86.9 | $25 \cdot 3$ | 495.1 | 439.7 | 23.4 | 46.2 | 9.2 | 581.9 | 499.9 | 33.4 | 64.4 | 17.5 |
| 1940 | 718.8 | $607 \cdot 0$ | 39.3 | 86.4 | 25.4 | 533.9 | $470 \cdot 5$ | 26.3 | 53.5 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 673.3 | 581. 5 | $35 \cdot 6$ | 72.8 | 18.9 |
| 1941 | 703.9 | 587.2 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 89.7 | 26.9 | 448.5 | 388.9 | 24.7 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 12.0 | $627 \cdot 7$ | 535.2 | 35.8 | $72 \cdot 6$ | 18.9 20.0 |
| 1942 . | 774.4 | 654.0 | 43.4 | 90.7 | 29.6 | 428.8 | 369.7 | 23.7 | 47.4 | 11.7 | $562 \cdot 7$ | $480 \cdot 1$ | 31.4 | $65 \cdot 0$ | 17.6 |
| 1943 ... | 809.4 | $683 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | 94.7 | 31.5 | 344.8 | 296.4 | 19.3 | $38 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 585.9 | 501.4 | 31.5 | 66.7 | 17.7 |
| 1944 | 871.7 | 744.8 | 46.2 | 95.9 | 30.9 | 349.2 | 302.7 | 18.4 | 37.0 | 9.5 | 573.8 | $492 \cdot 2$ | 31.0 | 64.6 | 17.0 |
| 1945 | 801.1 | 685.3 | 42.0 | 86.9 | 29.0 | 456.7 | 397.6 | $23 \cdot 8$ | 48.6 | 10.4 | 567.1 | 488.1 | 31.9 | 62.7 | 16.4 |
| 1946 | 954.4 | 819.9 | 47.6 | 104.4 | 30.1 | 441.1 | $385 \cdot 6$ | 23.3 | $45 \cdot 8$ | 9.7 | 573.4 | 492.1 | 31.5 | $64 \cdot 6$ | 16.4 16.7 |
| 1947 .. | 1,031.1 | 886.8 | 51.4 | 113.1 | 31.2 | 455.1 | $401 \cdot 2$ | 23.5 | 44.4 | 9.5 | 600.7 | 517.6 | 33.3 | 66.2 | 16.7 16.9 |
| 1948 ... | 907.6 | $777 \cdot 6$ | 47.4 | $100 \cdot 3$ | 29.5 | $446 \cdot 3$ | 393.1 | 22.4 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 9.4 | 546.4 | $470 \cdot 3$ | 29.9 | $66 \cdot 2$ 61.0 | 16.9 15.1 |
| 1935/8(3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | 177.1 | 148.7 | 9.4 | 22.1 | 6.3 | 65.6 | 56.0 | 3.5 | 7.9 | 1.7 | 172.5 | 147.0 | 9.6 | 19.7 | 5.8 |
| 2nd Quarter | 190.8 | $160 \cdot 4$ | 9.9 | $23 \cdot 7$ | 6.8 | 107.0 | 95.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $140 \cdot 3$ | 119.8 | 8.0 | 16.0 | 4.5 |
| 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | 185.0 | 156.9 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 21.6 | 6.5 | $130 \cdot 2$ | 116.0 | 6.1 | 11.5 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 118.1 | 100.7 | 6.8 | 13.6 | 3.7 |
| 4th Quarter | 169.8 | 142.9 | 8.9 | 21.0 | 5.9 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 88.9 | 5.6 | 9.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 144.1 | 123.0 | 8.1 | 16.7 | 4.4 |
| 1944 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | 214.8 | 184.0 | 11.1 | 23.2 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 73.9 | 62.9 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 9.0 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 169.1 | 146.0 | 9.1 | 18.0 | $5 \cdot 2$ |
| 2nd Quarter | 233.0 | 199.0 | 12.0 | 25.6 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 94.4 | 82.6 | 4.9 | 9.2 | 2.6 | 134.9 | 115.5 | 7.2 | 15.3 | 5.21 |
| 3 rd Quarter | 214.5 | 183.6 | 11.6 | 23.4 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 94.8 | $82 \cdot 3$ | 5.0 | 9.8 | 2.7 | 125.5 | 107.3 | 7.8 | 14.7 | 4.1 3.5 |
| 4th Quarter | 209.4 | 178.2 | 11.5 | 23.7 | 7.5 | 86.1 | 74.9 | 4.7 | 8.9 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 144.0 | 123.3 | 7.9 | $16 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | 206.8 | $177 \cdot 9$ | 10.9 | 21.6 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 88.9 | 77.0 | 4.6 | 9.7 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 181.8 | 157.7 | 10.1 | 18.7 |  |
| 2nd Quarter | 205.3 | 175.2 | 10.9 | $22 \cdot 6$ | 7.5 | 114.9 | 99.7 | 5.8 | 12.4 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 130.3 | 111.0 | 10.1 7.4 | 18.7 | 5.3 4.0 |
| 3 rd Quarter | 196.3 | 167.8 | 10.1 | 21.3 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 136.0 | 119.4 | 7.0 | 13.6 | 3.0 | 113.7 | 17.0 | 7.4 6.4 | 18.4 13.1 | 3.4 |
| 4th Quarter | 192.7 | 164.3 | 10.0 | 21.4 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 116.9 | 101.5 | 6.4 | 12.9 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 141.5 | 122.2 | 8.0 | 15.5 | 3.7 3.7 |
| 1946 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | 211.4 | 181.2 | 10.7 | 22.9 | 7.3 | 90.4 | 78.2 | 4.6 | 10.0 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 180.5 | 155.2 | 9.7 |  |  |
| 2nd Quarter | 237.6 | $203 \cdot 8$ | 11.8 | 25.9 | 7.9 | 115.2 | 101.2 | 5.9 | 11.5 | 2.5 | 133.1 | 113.9 | 7.5 | 15.2 | 4.0 |
| 3rd Quarter | 247.7 | 213.1 | $12 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 125.4 | 109.8 | 6.7 | 12.8 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 117.3 | 100.4 | 6.5 | 13.6 | 3.3 |
| 4th Quarter | 257.7 | 221.8 | 12.8 | 28.6 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 110.1 | 96.4 | 6.0 | 11.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 142.6 | 122.6 | 7.9 | 16.1 | 3.9 |
| 1947 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | $280 \cdot 3$ | 241.5 | 13.8 | 30.5 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 86.5 | 75.2 | 4.4 | 9.5 | 1.8 | 208.8 | 181.7 | 11.6 |  |  |
| 2nd Quarter | 274.0 | $235 \cdot 2$ | 13.6 | $30 \cdot 4$ | 8.5 | 122.9 | 109.1 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 11.3 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 137.6 | 118.0 | 7.8 | 15.7 | 4.0 |
| 3rd Quarter | 251.0 | 216.5 | 12.6 | $27 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 135.1 | 119.4 | 7.1 | 12.8 | 2.9 | 113.8 | 97.1 | 6.4 | 13.4 | 3.3 |
| 4th Quarter | 225.8 | 193.6 | 11.4 | $25 \cdot 3$ | 6.9 | 110.6 | 97.4 | 5.7 | 10.9 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 140.4 | 120.8 | 7.5 | 15.9 | 3.7 |
| 1948 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | 234.9 | 202.2 | $12 \cdot 3$ | 25.3 | 7.4 | 106.4 | 94.2 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 10.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2nd Quarter | 238.3 | 203.7 | 12.4 | $26 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | 104.7 | 92.0 | 4.8 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 128.9 | 132.7 110.4 | 8.1 | 16.8 14.7 | 4.3 3.8 |
| 3rd Quarter 4 4th Quarter | 223.8 | 192.1 | 11.7 | 24.4 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 138.7 | 122.2 | 7.1 | 13.5 | 3.0 | 118.7 |  |  | 16.7 | $3 \cdot 8$ $3 \cdot 3$ |
| 4th Quarter | 210.6 | 179.7 | 11.0 | 24.1 | 6.8 | 138.6 | 12.2 84.7 | 5.2 | 13.5 9.8 | 3.0 | 185.7 | 125.6 | 6.6 7.7 | 13.7 15.8 | 3.3 3.7 |
| 1949 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ist Quarter | $218 \cdot 3$ | $186 \cdot 6$ | 1t-2 | $24 \cdot 3$ | 7.4 | 94.0 | 81.4 | 5.1 | 10.6 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $185 \cdot 3$ | 161-3 | 9.4 | 19.2 | $4 \cdot 8$ |

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## II. EMPLOYMENT

## Distribution of total manpower in Great Britain



[^1]EMPLOYMENT

## Estimated numbers employed in all manufacturing industries ${ }^{(1)}$

TABLE 5
Thousands

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Estimated numbers employed in all manufacturing industries ${ }^{1}$ )

## TABLE 6

Analysis by regions
Thousands

(1) Great Britain.

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## EMPLOYMENT

## Estimated numbers employed in all manufacturing industries $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$

TABLE 7
Analysis by industry groups( ${ }^{2}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Treatment of non-metalliferous mining products other than coal | Chemicals and allied trades | Metal manufacture | Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods | Vehicles | Metal goods not elsewhere specified | Precision instruments, jewellery, etc. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1948 | June | ... | $\cdots$ | 306.9 | $420 \cdot 9$ | $496 \cdot 0$ | 1,820-2 | $878 \cdot 9$ | 491.4 | $124 \cdot 3$ |
|  | September | ... | $\cdots$ | 309.0 | 425.2 | $495 \cdot 8$ | 1,824.4 | $887 \cdot 8$ | $486 \cdot 2$ | 124.8 |
|  | December | ... | $\cdots$ | 308.0 | $428 \cdot 3$ | $497 \cdot 5$ | 1,824-8 | $891 \cdot 1$ | $488 \cdot 4$ | 127.0 |
| 1949 | January |  |  | $308 \cdot 7$ | $429 \cdot 6$ | $498 \cdot 7$ | 1,829.6 | 896.0 | $487 \cdot 7$ | 127.8 |
|  | February ... |  |  | $309 \cdot 3$ | $431 \cdot 1$ | $498 \cdot 8$ | 1,826-8 | 895.0 | $486 \cdot 4$ | 128.1 |
|  | March |  | ... | $309 \cdot 7$ | $432 \cdot 0$ | $497 \cdot 9$ | 1,823-9 | $893 \cdot 4$ | $485 \cdot 0$ | $128 \cdot 3$ |
|  | April |  |  | $310 \cdot 9$ | $431 \cdot 6$ | $497 \cdot 4$ | 1,819.6 | $895 \cdot 6$ | $484 \cdot 6$ | 128.4 |

TABLE 7 (continued)
Thousands


(1) Great Britain.
${ }^{(2)}$ Analysed according to Orders III to XVI inclusive, in the Standard Industrial Classification.

## Estimated numbers employed in treatment of certain non-metalliferous mining products other than coal ${ }^{(1)}$

TABLE 8
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Bricks and fireclay goods |  |  | China and earthenware (including glazed tiles) |  |  | Glass and glass containers ${ }^{(2)}$ ) |  |  | Cement |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Female |
| 1948 | June |  | ... | 76.7 | $69 \cdot 3$ | 7.4 | 76.3 | $34 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 1$ | 66.7 | 49.5 | 17.2 | 14.3 | 12.9 |  |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 76.9 | 69.5 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 77.8 | 35.0 | 42.8 | $67 \cdot 0$ | 49.8 | 17.2 | 14.7 | 13.3 | 1.4 |
|  | December |  | ... | $76 \cdot 3$ | $68 \cdot 9$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17.0 | 14.7 | 13.4 | 1.4 1.3 |
| 1949 |  |  | $\ldots$ | 76.7 | 69.2 | 7.5 | 79.3 | $35 \cdot 7$ | $43 \cdot 6$ | 67.5 | 50.2 |  |  |  |  |
|  | February |  | ... | 76.9 | 69.4 | 7.5 | 79.4 | $35 \cdot 7$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | $67 \cdot 4$ | 50.1 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 14.5 | 13.2 | 1.3 1.3 |
|  | March . |  | ... | $77 \cdot 5$ | 69.9 | $7 \cdot 6$ |  |  | $43 \cdot 5$ | $67 \cdot 3$ | $50 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 14.4 | 13.1 | 1.3 |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 78.0 | $70 \cdot 4$ | 7.6 | 79.7 | 35.9 | 43.8 | 67.4 | $50 \cdot 0$ | 17.4 | 14.4 | 13.1 | $1 \cdot 3$ |

(1) Great Britain.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Industries 22 and 23 of Standard Industrial Classification.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service
Estimated numbers employed in chemicals and allied trades ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands
TABLE 9

|  |  |  |  | Coke ovens, chemicals and dyes, explosives and fireworks( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Pharmaceutical and toilet preparations, perfumery, and soap, etc. ${ }^{(3}$ ) |  |  | Paint and varnish |  |  | Mineral oil refining, other oils, greases, glue, etc. ${ }^{( }$) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June |  | ... | 246.6 | 181.8 | 64.8 | 77.7 | 39.8 | 37.9 | $37 \cdot 0$ | 25.9 |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  | ... | 247.9 | 183.4 | 64.5 | 78.6 | 40.1 | 38.5 | $37 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 51.6 | 48.7 | 12.3 12.8 |
|  | December |  |  | 248.9 | 183.3 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 79.2 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 39.0 |  |  |  |  |  | 12.8 13.2 |
| 1949 | January |  |  |  | 183.2 | 66.2 | 79.6 | 40.4 | 39.2 | $37 \cdot 1$ | 26.3 |  |  |  |  |
|  | February |  | $\ldots$ | $250 \cdot 4$ | 183.9 | $66 \cdot 5$ | 79.8 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 39.3 | $37 \cdot 1$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | 10.8 10.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 63.5 \\ & 63.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 184.3 | 66.9 | 79.6 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 38.9 | 37-2 | 26.2 | 11.0 | $64 \cdot 0$ | $50 \cdot 6$ 50.8 | 13.2 13.2 |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 250.9 | 184.1 | 66.8 | 79.4 | $40 \cdot 6$ | 38.8 | 37.3 | 26.2 | 11.1 | 64.0 | 51.0 | 13.0 |

[^2]Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

Estimated numbers employed in certain metal manufacturing industries $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$
TABLE 10

|  | , |  |  | Blast steel | rnaces, melting, etc. ${ }^{(2)}$ | on and lling, |  | found |  |  | s and tis | plate | No | errous g, rolli | metals <br> g, etc. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 |  | ... | ... | 214.7 | 198.1 | 16.6 | 106.4 | 91.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | ... | ... | 216.8 | 200.5 | 16.3 | 106.6 | 91.5 | 15.1 | $35 \cdot 5$ $35 \cdot 6$ | 31.6 31.7 | 3.9 3.9 | 100.1 97.8 | 84.6 82.7 | 15.5 15.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 201.9 | $16 \cdot 2$ | $107 \cdot 2$ | $92 \cdot 2$ | 15.0 | 36.0 | $32 \cdot 0$ | 4.0 | 97.1 | 82.4 | 14.7 |
| 1949 | January | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February ... <br> March |  | ... | 218.8 218.6 | 202.6 | 16.2 | 107.2 | 92.6 92.3 | 15.0 14.9 | $36 \cdot 1$ $36 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 1$ $32 \cdot 2$ | 4.0 4.0 | 97.0 97.3 | 82.3 82.5 | 14.7 14.8 |
|  |  |  |  | $218 \cdot 6$ | $202 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | $106 \cdot 8$ | $92 \cdot 0$ | 14.8 | $36 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | 4.1 |  |  | 14.8 14.8 |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 218.7 | $202 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | $106 \cdot 5$ | 91.7 | 14.8 | $36 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $96 \cdot 2$ | 81.4 | 14.8 |
| (1) Great Britain. <br> ${ }^{(2)}$ Industries 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

# Estimated numbers employed in the engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods industries $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ 

Thousands


TABLE II (continued)
Thousands


TABLE II (continued)
Thousands


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## Estimated numbers employed in certain vehicle manufacturing industries ${ }^{(1)}$

TABLE 12

${ }^{(2)}$ Industries 84,85 and 86 of Standard Industrial Classification.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Estimated numbers employed in certain metal goods industries( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 13


TABLE 13 (continued)
Thousands


[^4]Great Britain

## Estimated numbers employed in the textile and leather industries ( ${ }^{1}$ )

Thousands


ABLE 14 (continued)
Thousands

|  |  |  | Hosiery and other knitted goods |  |  | Textile finishing |  |  | All other textiles ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | Leather and leather goods ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 948 | June <br> September <br> December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 108.1 \\ & 110.8 \\ & 112.8 \end{aligned}$ | 27.3 27.9 28.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 8 \\ & 82 \cdot 9 \\ & 84 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \cdot 8 \\ & 80 \cdot 8 \\ & 82 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 54.3 55.0 56.1 | 25.5 25.8 26.0 | 153.5 153.5 151.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \cdot 9 \\ & 62 \cdot 1 \\ & 61 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91.6 \\ & 91.4 \\ & 90.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 7 \\ & 69 \cdot 0 \\ & 69 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $44 \cdot 2$ $43 \cdot 8$ $44 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 5 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \\ & 25 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 949 | January February March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 114.3 \\ & 115.0 \\ & 115.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28.8 \\ & 29 \cdot 0 \\ & 29.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 5 \\ & 86 \cdot 0 \\ & 86 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 0 \\ & 83.6 \\ & 83.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \cdot 8 \\ & 57 \cdot 2 \\ & 57 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 26.2 $26 \cdot 4$ $26 \cdot 3$ | 152.4 152.8 152.4 | $62 \cdot 2$ $62 \cdot 4$ $62 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70.2 \\ & 90.4 \\ & 90 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 0 \\ & 69 \cdot 0 \\ & 69 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $44 \cdot 2$ $44 \cdot 1$ $44 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 24.9 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April |  | 117.3 | 29.6 | 87.7 | 83.9 | 57.5 | $26 \cdot 4$ | 152.7 | $62 \cdot 2$ | $90 \cdot 5$ | 69.5 | 44.2 | $25 \cdot 3$ |
| ${ }^{2}$ ) Great Britain. <br> (2) Industries 113 and 114 of Standard Industrial Classification. <br> (3) Industries 115-117, 119-122 and 129 of Standard Industrial Classification. <br> (4) Industries I30 and I3I of Standard Industrial Classification. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Estimated numbers employed in certain clothing industries ( ${ }^{1}$ )

Thousands


[^5]Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

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## Estimated numbers employed in the food, drink and tobacco industries( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 16
Thousands


Estimated numbers employed in the paper and printing industries $\left({ }^{1}\right)$
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Paper and board and wallpaper ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Printing and publishing of newspapers and periodicals and other printing, publishing, etc. ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | Cardboard boxes, cartons and fibre-board packing cases |  |  | Other manufactures of paper, etc. ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Female |
| 194 | June .. |  |  |  |  | 19.5 |  | $205 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  | 79.7 | 59.8 | 19.9 | 317.1 | 207.9 | 109.2 | $36 \cdot 3$ $36 \cdot 3$ | 12.8 | $23 \cdot 7$ $23 \cdot 5$ | $36 \cdot 4$ 36.5 | 15.0 | 21.4 21.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 20.1 | 315.5 | 207.4 | 108.1 | $36 \cdot 4$ | 12.8 | $23 \cdot 6$ | 37.0 | 15.5 | 21.5 |
| 194 |  |  |  |  |  | 20.3 | 317.1 |  |  | 36.4 |  | 23.6 | 37.4 | 15.6 | 21.8 |
|  | February ... <br> March |  |  | 81.1 81.1 | $60 \cdot 8$ $60 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 3$ $20 \cdot 3$ | 318.1 318.8 | 209.1 | 109.0 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 12.9 | $23 \cdot 7$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | 15.8 | 22.0 |
|  |  |  |  | 81.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 13.1 | 23.7 | 37.9 | 15.9 | 22.0 |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 81.4 | 61.0 | 20.4 | 322.0 | 211.5 | $110 \cdot 5$ | $37 \cdot 2$ | 13.2 | 24.0 | 38.2 | 16.0 | 22.2 |

[^6]Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service
${ }^{(4)}$ Industry 183 of Standard Industrial Classification.

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Estimated numbers employed in certain non-manufacturing industries ${ }^{1}$ )

Thousands
ABLE 19

## ABLE 19 (continued)

|  |  |  |  | Wholesale distribution ( ${ }^{(5)}$ |  |  | Retail distribution (excluding catering) $\left(^{6}\right.$ ) |  |  | Catering, hotels, etc. |  |  | Laundries, dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc. ( ${ }^{7}$ ) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | ${ }_{\text {a }}$ Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 948 | June . |  |  | 391.2 | 249.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  | 396.0 | $250 \cdot 7$ | $145.3$ | $1,539 \cdot 1$ | 726.6 | 812.5 | 729.8 | 227.9 | 501.9 | 190.8 | 43.9 | 148.8 |
|  | December |  |  | 397.4 |  |  |  | 727.4 | 827.7 | 686.5 | 214.4 | $472 \cdot 1$ | 187.2 | $43 \cdot 3$ | 143.9 |
| 945 | January |  |  |  | 253.1 | 146.6 | 1,547.8 | 729.2 | 818.6 | $681 \cdot 1$ | 211.8 |  |  |  |  |
|  | February |  | $\ldots$ | $400 \cdot 4$ | 254.0 | 146.4 | 1,546.3 | 729.1 | 817.2 | 678.7 | 211.8 212.1 | 469.3 466.6 | 189.5 190.5 | 43.7 43.9 | 145.8 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | 254.3 | 145.8 | 1,548-3 | $730 \cdot 0$ | 818.3 | $680 \cdot 6$ | 212.4 | 466.6 468.2 | 190.5 191.2 | $43 \cdot 9$ 44.2 | 148.6 147.0 |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | $401 \cdot 8$ | $255 \cdot 3$ | 146.5 | 1,566.4 | 733.9 | 832.5 | 696.1 | $217 \cdot 0$ | 479.1 | 191.7 | 44.7 | 147.0 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain.
(2) Industries 210-212 of Standard Industrial Classification.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Industries 221 and 222 of Standard Industrial Classification.
${ }^{(4)}$ Industries 240 and 241 of Standard Industria! Classification.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) Industries 242 and 244 of Standard Industrial Classification.
${ }^{(6)}$ ) Industries 243, 245 and 246 of Standard Industrial Classification.
${ }^{(7)}$ Industries 286 and 287 of Standard Industrial Classification.

TABLE 20
Numbers employed in agriculture
Thousands

|  |  |  |  |  |  | reat Brita |  |  |  |  | ern Ir |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | worker |  | Regular | orkers( ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | worker |  | Regula | workers | Land |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Males | Females |  |
| 1939 | June | ... | $\ldots$ | $711 \cdot 3$ | 618.0 | 93.2 | 546.1 | 54.7 | $92 \cdot 3$ | $64 \cdot 0$ | 28.2 | $45 \cdot 7$ | 16.6 | - |
| 1940 1941 | June June | $\ldots$ |  | 712.1 759.2 | 602.2 618.7 | 109.9 140.5 | 530.4 531.0 | 57.9 $71 \cdot 1$ | 94.3 90.4 | $66 \cdot 9$ $65 \cdot 6$ | $27 \cdot 4$ 24.8 | $47 \cdot 6$ 46.8 | 20.0 17.7 | 8.8 15.9 |
| $1942$ | June |  | $\ldots$ | 823.6 | $626 \cdot 8$ | 196.9 | $530 \cdot 3$ | 110.1 | 91.7 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 26.1 | 47.4 | $20 \cdot 2$ |  |
| 1943 1944 | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 843.1 863.0 | $620 \cdot 5$ 647.0 | 222.6 216.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 516.8 \\ & 522.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 127.7 \\ 95.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.4 \\ & 112.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 0 \\ & 69.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 3 \\ & 42.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.3 \\ & 30.1 \end{aligned}$ | 77.7 78.0 |
| 1945 | June |  | $\ldots$ | 886.7 | 683.1 | $203 \cdot 6$ | 521.4 | 89.7 | 94.7 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | 51.0 | 19.2 | $65 \cdot 3$ |
| 1946 | June December |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 888 \cdot 9 \\ & 859 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 731 \cdot 9 \\ & 733 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 156.9 \\ & 126.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 550 \cdot 7 \\ & 554 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76.4 \\ & 68.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 4 \\ & 71 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63.9 \\ & 53.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.5 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 0 \\ & 42 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.7 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $33 \cdot 8$ $30 \cdot 2$ |
| 1947 | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 891.5 \\ & 800.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 745 \cdot 8 \\ & 687 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145.7 \\ & 113.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 564 \cdot 4 \\ & 551 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 2 \\ & 63 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88.6 \\ & 66.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 6 \\ & 49.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.0 \\ & 17.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 4 \\ & 40 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.0 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ | 26.9 26.4 |
| 1948 | June ... December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 849 \cdot 5 \\ & 823 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 702.5 694.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 146.9 \\ & 128.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 580 \cdot 8 \\ & 586.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72.4 \\ & 66.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 2 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 61.1 49.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 19.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 9 \\ & 36 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 15.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 4 \\ & 20 \cdot 1(9) \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Before 1945 figures for Northern Ireland exclude the occupier but include all adult members of his family.
$\left(^{( }\right.$) Including before June 1944 (December 1945, in the case of Scotland) prisoners of war and members of the Women's Land Army employed as regular workers but not then returned separately. For subsequent dates they are included only in the figures for "all workers".
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Great Britain. The figures include all those in full-time employment in agricultural, horticultural and timber work.
(9) The strength of the Women's Land Army in May 1949 was 16,668.

## Number of full-time teachers employed by local education authorities <br> England and Wales

TABLE 21

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& ousands <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& \& Men \& \& \& \& \& Women \& \& <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& Total \& Primary and secondary schools \& Special schools \& Furcher education \& Training colleges \& Total \& $$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { Primary } \\
& \text { and } \\
& \text { secondary } \\
& \text { schools }\left({ }^{( }\right)
\end{aligned}
$$ \& Special schools \& Further education \& Training colleges <br>
\hline 1946 \& January $1 . \therefore$ \& $\ldots$ \& \& 182.2 \& $49 \cdot 3$ \& 45.5 \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline \& April I \& $\ldots$ \& $\ldots$ \& 186.7 \& 55.8 \& 51.7 \& 0.4 \& \& \& $\begin{array}{r}132.9 \\ 130.9 \\ \hline\end{array}$ \& $130 \cdot 5$ \& 1.3
1.3 \& 0.8 \& 0.3 <br>
\hline \& July I \& ... \& ... \& 190.5 \& 60.7 \& $56 \cdot 3$ \& 0.5 \& 3.5
3.7 \& 0.2
0.3 \& 130.9
129.8 \& 128.3 \& 1.3 \& 0.9 \& 0.5 <br>
\hline \& October 1. \& ... \& ... \& 194.7 \& 64.8 \& \& 0.5 \& \& 0.4 \& 129.8
129.9 \& $127 \cdot 2$
$127 \cdot 1$ \& 1.3
1.4 \& 0.8
0.9 \& 0.5
0.6 <br>
\hline 1947 \& January I \& \& $\cdots$ \& 196.5 \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline \& April I July I \& \& $\ldots$ \& 198.4 \& 69.4 \& $62 \cdot 3$
$63 \cdot 8$ \& 0.5
0.5 \& 4.2
4.4 \& 0.6
0.7 \& 129.0
129.0 \& 126.1 \& $1 \cdot 3$ \& 0.9 \& <br>
\hline \& July 1 October \& ... \& ... \& $200 \cdot 0$ \& $70 \cdot 9$ \& $65 \cdot 2$ \& 0.5 \& 4.4
4.4 \& 0.7
0.7 \& 129.0
129.1 \& 126.0 \& 1.4 1.4 \& 0.9
1.0 \& 0.7
0.7 <br>
\hline \& October 1 \& ... \& ... \& $204 \cdot 5$ \& $72 \cdot 7$ \& $66 \cdot 6$ \& 0.5 \& 4.6 \& 0.9 \& 131.9 \& 126.1
128.7 \& 1.4
1.4 \& 1.0
1.0 \& 0.7
0.8 <br>
\hline 1948 \& January I
June I

l \& $\ldots$ \& $\ldots$ \& 206.1 \& 74.8 \& 68.3 \& 0.5 \& $4 \cdot 9$ \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline \& October 1 ... \& \& $\ldots$ \& 211.0
215.2 \& 78.5
80.6 \& 71.9 \& 0.6 \& $5 \cdot 0$ \& 1.0 \& 131.4
132.5 \& 128.1
129.1 \& 1.4 \& 1.1
1.1 \& 0.8
0.9 <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& \& 0.6 \& $5 \cdot 5$ \& 0.9 \& 134.6 \& $130 \cdot 9$ \& 1.6 \& $1 \cdot 2$ \& 0.9 <br>
\hline \& February 1... \& ... \& ... \& 216.6 \& 81.2 \& 73.9 \& 0.7 \& $5 \cdot 8$ \& 0.9 \& $135 \cdot 4$ \& 131.7 \& 1.6 \& 1.2 \& 0.9 <br>
\hline \& uding \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

Non-industrial staff employed in the Civil Service ${ }^{1}$ )

|  |  |  | Total |  |  | Males |  |  | Females |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) | Whole-time | Part-time | Total ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Whole-time | Part-time | Total( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Whole-time | Part-time |
| 9 | April I | . | $387 \cdot 7$ | $374 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | $289 \cdot 3$ | 279.4 | $19 \cdot 8$ | 98.4 | 94.9 | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| 3 | July | $\ldots$ | 719.1 | 692.6 | 53.0 | 366.0 | $357 \cdot 9$ | 16.1 | $353 \cdot 1$ | $334 \cdot 7$ | $36 \cdot 8$ |
| 4 | July ! | ... | 712.7 | 677. 2 | $70 \cdot 9$ 73.7 | $359 \cdot 5$ | $352 \cdot 0$ | 15.0 | $353 \cdot 2$ | $334 \cdot 7$ $325 \cdot 2$ | 36.8 56.0 |
| 5 | July ! | $\ldots$ | 703.8 697.9 | 667.0 670.8 | $73 \cdot 7$ $54 \cdot 2$ | $354 \cdot 7$ 399.5 | 347.1 | 15.3 | 349.1 | 319.9 | 58.4 |
| 6 | July I | $\ldots$ | $697 \cdot 9$ | $670 \cdot 8$ | $54 \cdot 2$ | $399 \cdot 5$ | $391 \cdot 9$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 298.4 | 278.9 | 39.0 |
| 7 | January 1 |  | 710.8 | 687.7 | $46 \cdot 3$ | $430 \cdot 5$ | $423 \cdot 5$ | 14.0 | $280 \cdot 3$ | $264 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April 1 | $\ldots$ | $705 \cdot 6$ | 684.0 | $43 \cdot 1$ | $434 \cdot 5$ | $427 \cdot 6$ | 13.8 | $271 \cdot 1$ | $256 \cdot 4$ | 29.4 |
|  | July I | $\ldots$ | $700 \cdot 1$ 679.1 | $678 \cdot 5$ $658 \cdot 8$ | $43 \cdot 2$ $40 \cdot 6$ | $430 \cdot 5$ 425.5 | 423.7 418.7 | 13.7 13.7 | 269.6 | 254.8 | 29.6 |
|  | October I | ... | $679 \cdot 1$ | $658 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 6$ | $425 \cdot 5$ | $418 \cdot 7$ | 13.7 | $253 \cdot 6$ | $240 \cdot 1$ | 27.0 |
| 8 | January 1 | $\ldots$ | $680 \cdot 1$ | $660 \cdot 3$ | 39.7 | 427.7 | $421 \cdot 3$ | 12.9 | 252.4 | $239 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 8$ |
|  | April I | ... | $693 \cdot 4$ | $673 \cdot 4$ | $39 \cdot 9$ | $435 \cdot 8$ | $429 \cdot 2$ | 13.1 | 257.6 | $244 \cdot 2$ | 26.8 |
|  | July I |  | $715 \cdot 3$ | $694 \cdot 9$ | $40 \cdot 8$ | $447 \cdot 3$ | $440 \cdot 7$ | 13.2 | 268.0 | $254 \cdot 2$ | $27 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October 1 | ... | $711 \cdot 1$ | $691 \cdot 5$ | 39.1 | $451 \cdot 6$ | $445 \cdot 2$ | 12.9 | 259.4 | $246 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 2$ |
| 9 | January 1 |  | $707 \cdot 0$ | 685-2 | $43 \cdot 7$ | $453 \cdot 4$ | $447 \cdot 1$ | $12 \cdot 6$ | $253 \cdot 6$ | 238.0 | 31.1 |
|  | April I |  | $706 \cdot 2$ | $683 \cdot 7$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | $451 \cdot 8$ | $445 \cdot 4$ | 12.7 | 254.4 | $238 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 3$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) Established and unestablished staff in all Departments, including Reserved and Agency Services, Northern Ireland.
Source : Treasury

## 2)

Non-industrial staff employed in the Civil Service ${ }^{1}$ )
Analysis by Departments
Thousands
ABLE 23

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \& \& Service and Supply Departments \(\left({ }^{( }\right)\) \& Post Office \& \begin{tabular}{l}
Inland \\
Revenue
\end{tabular} \& Customs and Excise \& Ministry
of
Food \& Ministry of Labour and National Service \& Ministry of Works \& Board
Trade \& \[
\begin{aligned}
\& \text { Ministry } \\
\& \text { of } \\
\& \text { Pensions }
\end{aligned}
\] \& Ministry of National Insurance \& Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries \& \begin{tabular}{l}
Other \\
Departments
\end{tabular} \\
\hline 9 \& April I \& 52.4 \& 196.6 \& 24.9 \& 15.0 \& - \& 28.3 \& 6.3 \& 4.8 \& 3.0 \& - \& \(2 \cdot 6\) \& 53.8 \\
\hline 5 \& July 1 \& \(232 \cdot 5\) \& \(210 \cdot 5\) \& \(37 \cdot 9\) \& 9.5 \& 43.0 \& 36.6 \& 15.1 \& 8.0 \& 12.0 \& 6.1 \& 3.7 \& 88.9 \\
\hline 6 \& July ! \& 165.8 \& \(238 \cdot 1\) \& 44.0 \& 11.4 \& 48.9 \& 40.8 \& 19.1 \& \(\left.15.1{ }^{3}\right)\) \& 12.6 \& 12.0 \& 4.1 \& 86.0 \\
\hline 7 \& January 1 \& 151.9 \& 250.8 \& \& \& \& \& \& \& 12.6
12.3 \& 13.2
14.0 \& 6.0
6.2 \& 93.6
93.9 \\
\hline \& April 1
July

d \& 146.7
143.3 \& $250 \cdot 9$
$244 \cdot 2$ \& $48 \cdot 5$
47.7 \& 12.4
12.3 \& $43 \cdot 0$
53.6 \& $41 \cdot 7$
$39 \cdot 0$ \& $20 \cdot 8$
20.2 \& $15 \cdot 2$
14.7 \& 12.3
12.0
12.0 \& 13.0
14.4 \& 6.2
6.4
6.7 \& 93.6
92.3
92.8 <br>
\hline \& July October ${ }^{\text {a }}$ \& 143.3
136.7 \& 2442
242 \& $48 \cdot 5$ \& 12.5 \& $41 \cdot 2$ \& $36 \cdot 2$ \& 20.2 \& 14.6 \& 12.0 \& 15.7 \& $6 \cdot 7$ \& 92.8 <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{4}{*}{18} \& January 1 \& 134.0 \& $244 \cdot 3$ \& 48.9 \& $12 \cdot 7$ \& $40 \cdot 3$ \& 34.3 \& $20 \cdot 3$ \& 14.2 \& 11.9 \& 17.6 \& 7.1 \& 94.5 <br>
\hline \& April I ... \& 115.2 \& $246 \cdot 8$ \& $48 \cdot 5$ \& 13.1 \& 39.7 \& $34 \cdot 7$ \& $20 \cdot 2$ \& 14.4 \& 11.7 \& 23.1 \& $17.4{ }^{4}$ ) \& 108.6 <br>
\hline \& July 1 ... \& 112.5 \& $247 \cdot 2$ \& $48 \cdot 7$ \& $13 \cdot 5$ \& $50 \cdot 2$ \& $36 \cdot 2$ \& 20.1 \& 14.1 \& 11.8 \& 33.9 \& \& 109.4 <br>
\hline \& October I \& 112.5 \& $248 \cdot 2$ \& $49 \cdot 2$ \& 13.8 \& 39.5 \& $33 \cdot 5$ \& 19.9 \& 13.7 \& 11.8 \& 39.6 \& \& <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{2}{*}{19} \& \& \& $247 \cdot 4$ \& $49 \cdot 0$ \& 14.0 \& 38.9 \& $32 \cdot 8$ \& 19.3 \& 13.1 \& 11.8 \& $38 \cdot 6{ }^{(5)}$ \& 18.2 \& 111.0 <br>
\hline \& April I ... \& 112.0 \& $246 \cdot 6$ \& $48 \cdot 0$ \& 14.0 \& $42 \cdot 3$ \& $32 \cdot 6$ \& 18.7 \& 12.5 \& 11.8 \& $38 \cdot 5$ \& \& <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

${ }^{1}$ ) Established and unestablished. Two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.
${ }^{2}$ ) Admirs Included prior to its amalgamation with the Ministry of Supply). The figure for April 1939 relates to the three Service Departments only. The figure for April 1948 excludes Ministry of Supply staff not employed on Defence work ( 40 per cent. of all staff in Department). These are included under "Other Departments."
(3) The increase compared with earlier years is mainly due to the absorption of the Department of Overseas Trade and the transfer of the Raw Materials Department from the Ministry of Supply.
${ }^{(4)}$ Including 10,190 staff formerly of the County Agriculture Executive Committees now transferred to the Civil Service.
${ }^{(5)}$ Including 11,500 staff of Approved Societies, etc., absorbed as a result of the National Insurance Acts, 1946.

Number of persons registered as unemployed

$\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ From July 1940, excluding men in attendance at Government Training Centres. The number so excluded at July 1940 was $7,000$.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Men and women in Great Britain classified as unsuitable for ordinary employment and disabled persons requiring employment under sheltered conditions have been excluded from July 1941 to December 1947. The numbers so excluded in July 1941 were 29,965 males and 2,683 females. The figures for January 1948 include about 8,000 males who had previously been excluded.
${ }^{(3)}$ Up to June 1948 inclusive the figures relate only to unemployed persons insured under the Unemployment Insurance Acts. From July 1948 onwards, when the National Insurance Act came into force, the figures include all unemployed persons on the registers of Employment Exchanges, with the exception of registered disabled persons who require employment under sheltered conditions. The effect of this change was to increase the figures for July 1948 by about 4,000 males and 7,000 females.

Analysis of persons registered as unemployed in Great Britain
TABLE 25
Thousands

(1) Men and women in Great Britain classified as unsuitable for ordinary employment and disabled persons requiring employment under sheltered conditions have been excluded from July 1941 to December 1947. The numbers so excluded in July 1941 were 29,965 males and 2,683 females. The figures for January 1948 include about 8,000 males who had previously been excluded.
$\left(^{( }\right)$See footnote $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ to Table 24.

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

Persons registered as unemployed in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 26
Analysis by regions
Thousands

|  |  | London and South Eastern | Eastern | Southern | South Western | Midand | North Midland | East and West Ridings( ${ }^{2}$ ) | North Western | Northern | Scotland | Wales | Northern Ireland |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1939 | July 10 ... | 184.9 | $35 \cdot 9$ | 18.7 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 80.8 | 68.9 | 116.0 | $259 \cdot 3$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | $171 \cdot 8$ | 98.6 | 66.4 |
| 1944 | July 17 ... | 6.2 | 1.8 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.9 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 1.4 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | 14.0 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 14.0 |
| 1945 | July 16 ... | 11.6 | 2.1 | 1.7 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 8.1 | 2.0 | 6.6 | 13.1 | 11.7 | 22.0 | $21 \cdot 3$ | 17.0 |
| 1946 | July 15 ... | 34.7 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 9.2 | 16.5 | $\left.8 \cdot 0{ }^{3}\right)$ | 20.0 | $66 \cdot 1\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | 50.7( ${ }^{(3)}$ | 73.9 | 61.1 | 32.6 |
| 1947 | January 13 | $48 \cdot 6$ | 15.4 | 9.1 | 12.4 | 15.1 | 13.6 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 70.8 | 50.8 | $84 \cdot 3$ | $53 \cdot 6$ | $36 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April $14 .$. | $51 \cdot 6$ | 15.2 | 8.4 | 12.0 | 23.9 | 14.1 | 39.8 | $77 \cdot 4$ | 49.4 | 76.9 | $55 \cdot 1$ | 33.2 |
|  | July $14 \ldots$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | 5.7 | 4.6 | 8.1 | 9.8 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 13.9 | $48 \cdot 5$ | $31 \cdot 3$ | $54 \cdot 3$ | 41-3 | $25 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October 13 | $36 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 7.0 | 9.5 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 5.7 | 13.9 | $47 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 5$ | 51.7 | $37 \cdot 9$ | $21 \cdot 3$ |
| 1948 | January 12 February 16 March 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 0 \\ & 50 \cdot 8 \\ & 47.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.6 \\ & 14.5 \\ & 12.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.6 \\ & 10.6 \\ & 10.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 13.1 \\ & 12.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.1 \\ 10.6 \\ 8.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 16.2 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ | $53 \cdot 8$ $53 \cdot 2$ 53.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 1 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 0 \\ & 57 \cdot 2 \\ & 54 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 41.6 41.8 40.3 | 32.2 32.7 29.0 |
|  | April 12 May 10 June 14 | 48.1 45.9 44.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 11.7 \\ 9.5 \\ 7.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.1 \\ 9.2 \\ 8.9 \end{array}$ | 13.1 12.4 10.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.0 \\ & 11.0 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | 7.1 6.8 6.0 | 15.7 14.5 13.8 | 53.4 53.0 51.0 | 32.3 31.4 29.7 | 54.5 53.9 49.5 | 41.2 40.9 39.2 | 26.9 25.9 24.9 |
|  | July 12 <br> August 16... <br> September 13 | 46.3 50.6 47.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | 9.1 10.1 10.4 | 11.6 12.9 13.2 | 12.0 13.6 12.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 6.0 \\ & 6.7 \\ & 6.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 15.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 0 \\ & 52 \cdot 7 \\ & 52 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 7 \\ & 31 \cdot 5 \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | 53.8 56.6 58.4 | 40.0 40.7 38.8 | $25 \cdot 6$ $26 \cdot 2$ $26 \cdot 5$ |
|  | October 11 <br> November 15 <br> December 6 | $\begin{aligned} & 56.0 \\ & 58.2 \\ & 57.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.9 \\ 10.6 \\ 11.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.1 \\ & 13.9 \\ & 14.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 16.9 \\ & 16.5 \end{aligned}$ | 12.8 11.7 10.6 | 6.5 6.9 8.5 | 15.5 16.3 16.6 | $55 \cdot 9$ $58 \cdot 2$ $56 \cdot 5$ | 32.0 33.4 33.1 | 58.1 $62 \cdot 0$ $63 \cdot 3$ | 39.7 39.9 39.1 | 24.5 26.7 31.8 |
| 1949 | January 10... February 14 March 14 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 2 \\ & 66 \cdot 5 \\ & 62 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 18.0 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | 15.6 15.2 14.1 | 18.5 18.0 16.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 12.7 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | 10.9 10.9 9.5 | 19.1 17.8 17.0 | 60.2 56.9 52.3 | $37 \cdot 2$ $35 \cdot 8$ $34 \cdot 6$ | $73 \cdot 0$ $68 \cdot 3$ $67 \cdot 5$ | 42.2 $40 \cdot 2$ 38.5 | 37.2 36.4 34.9 |
|  | April II May 9 | $\begin{aligned} & 59.2 \\ & 53.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 10.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.2 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 14.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.7 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.4 \\ & 6.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49.0 \\ & 49.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33 \cdot 1 \\ 31.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 7 \\ & 61 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 2 \\ & 35 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 0 \\ & 29 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| Perce May | ntage rate of mployment at $y 9\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 1.1 | 1.0 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.8 | $1 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 2.9 | $3 \cdot 9$ | .. |

(1) See footnotes to Table 24. The figures up to June 1948 exclude claimants for benefit under the special schemes for the banking and insurance industries who could not be allocated to regions.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) Formerly called the North Eastern Region.
${ }^{(3)}$ The boundaries of some Regions were altered on I April 1946 and the figures from 15 July 1946 onwards and also those for July 1939 relate to the Regions as now constituted. For the North Midland, North Western and Northern Regions (the only Regions for which the changes affected the unemployment totals) the figures for 15 July 1946 on the old basis were $8 \cdot 1,69 \cdot 8$ and $46 \cdot 9$ respectively.
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees insured under the national insurance schemes. For Great Britain as a whole the figure was 1.5 per cent.

## Persons registered as unemployed in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )

|  | 27 |  | Analysis by industries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousands |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Agriculture and fishing | Mining and quarrying $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Metals, engineering and vehicles | Textiles and clothing | Food, drink and tobacco | Other manufacturing industries | Building and civil engineering | Transport communi cations and public utilities | Distributive trades | Miscellaneous services ${ }^{(3)}$ |
| 1947 | January 13 |  | ... | 401.2 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $15 \cdot 7$ | 81.7 | 12.7 | 10.9 | 38.3 | 39.6 | $32 \cdot 2$ | 31.3 | 121.2 |
|  | April 14 July 14 .. October 13 |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 427 \cdot 0 \\ & 255 \cdot 5 \\ & 259 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.6 \\ 3.9 \\ 5.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.3 \\ & 2.8 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95.5 \\ & 58.7 \\ & 55.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.5 \\ & 11.2 \\ & 10.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.3 \\ 7.1 \\ 7.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 5 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \\ & 23 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 23 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 3 \\ & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 22 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 114.6 \\ 69.1 \\ 75.8 \end{array}$ |
| 1948 | January 12 <br> February 16 <br> March 15 |  | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 318.3 \\ & 315.4 \\ & 299.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.8 \\ & 18.3 \\ & 13.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.9 \\ & 3.2 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 7 \\ & 62 \cdot 2 \\ & 61 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.4 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 9.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 25 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 6 \\ & 36 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \\ & 26 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 3 \\ & 25 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88.5 \\ & 88.6 \\ & 84.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 12 May 10 June 14 |  | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | $300 \cdot 8$ $290 \cdot 0$ $274 \cdot 1$ | 10.1 7.8 5.7 | 2.8 2.8 2.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 7 \\ & 63 \cdot 4 \\ & 61 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.0 \\ & 14.3 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 6 \\ & 8 \cdot 8 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 8 \\ & 26 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 8 \\ & 30 \cdot 7 \\ & 30 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.1 \\ & 24.7 \\ & 23.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 4 \\ & 22 \cdot 1 \\ & 20 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 85.6 80.8 72.6 |
|  | July $12\left({ }^{4}\right)$ <br> August 16 <br> September 13 |  | . $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $282 \cdot 2$ $298 \cdot 8$ 294.3 | 7.2 7.7 9.2 | 2.5 2.9 2.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 59.7 \\ & 61.4 \\ & 59.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 12.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.8 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 9.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 25 \cdot 1 \\ & 23 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 2 \\ & 36 \cdot 1 \\ & 35 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 8 \\ & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 7 \\ & 21 \cdot 3 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 1 \\ & 72 \cdot 2 \\ & 73 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 11 <br> November 15 <br> December 6 |  | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | $314 \cdot 5$ $328 \cdot 0$ $327 \cdot 2$ | 8.7 11.6 17.1 | 2.8 2.8 2.8 | 59.0 57.4 56.1 | 12.3 13.1 13.0 | 10.1 10.1 10.0 | $24 \cdot 6$ 24.6 24.4 | 36.5 39.4 41.2 | 29.2 30.5 29.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 24.7 \\ & 25.6 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88.7 \\ & 96 \cdot 0 \\ & 92 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | January 10 February 14 March 14 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 375 \cdot 7 \\ 360 \cdot 3 \\ 340 \cdot 4 \end{array}$ | $25 \cdot 6$ 24.2 22.6 | 2.9 2.7 2.5 | $62 \cdot 3$ $62 \cdot 0$ $58 \cdot 6$ | 14.3 13.6 12.6 | 11.7 12.4 12.4 | 28.5 27.1 25.8 | $52 \cdot 2$ $46 \cdot 5$ $42 \cdot 0$ | 32.7 31.5 30.2 | 29.5 29.6 28.3 | 95.1 93.4 90.3 |
|  | April II <br> May 9 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \cdot 9 \\ & 304 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 2 \\ & 13.6 \end{aligned}$ | 2.5 2.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 56.9 \\ & 57.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.9 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 7 \\ & 24 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $37 \cdot 3$ $35 \cdot 0$ | 27.8 26.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 7 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 4 \\ & 79 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnotes to Table 24.
${ }^{(2}$ ) From April 1947 the figures for mining and quarrying exclude unemployed coalminers found to be medically unfit for employment in that industry. They are, however, included in the total.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ Including ex-Service men and women not yet classified to a particular industry, but excluding all other unemployed persons not classified to an industry.
${ }^{(4)}$ Owing to changes in industrial classification, the figures from July 1948 are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates.

# III. INTERIM INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION Interim Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{(1)}$ 

Average $1946=100$
Monthly averages or calendar months

( ${ }^{1}$ ) This index provides a general measure of monthly changes in total industrial production (including supplies and equipment for the Armed Forces). Adjustments have been made for variations in the number of days (excluding Sundays) in each month. As some of the figures on which the index is based are only available with considerable delay, the index numbers for the last few months are liable to subsequent revision. Industries are grouped according to the Standard Industrial Classification (H.M.S.O. 1948). For further notes on the index, see The Interim Index of Industrial Production, Studies in Official Statistics, No. I (published by His Majesty's Stationery Office in May 1949).
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The index numbers for this group were revised in June 1948.

## Interim Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ ) <br> Average $1946=100$

Monthly averages or calendar months

$\left(^{1}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ See footnotes on page 18.
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Coal : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 29
Production and consumption: weekly averages Stocks: end of period
Thousand tons

${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britaln
(2) Including shipments to Northern Ireland.

Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
${ }^{3}$ ) Computed from figures for calendar months. The figures include bunkers for fishing vessels proceeding outside territorial waters, but exclude coastwise bunkers.
${ }^{(4)}$ A large proportion of the coal held by collieries in recent years is of very inferior quality. ${ }^{5}$ ) To maintain comparability with the corresponding period in earlier years the week ended 31 January 1948 has been omitted in arriving at the weekly averages. Production in this week was 3,965 thousand tons deep-mined coal and 175 thousand tons opencast coal. Total consumption (including exports) was 4,300 thousand tons.

- Average of five weeks.

FUEL AND POWER
Coal: Inland consumption
TABLE 30
Weekly averages
Thousand tons

(1) $^{1}$ Excluding consumption of coal at waterworks amounting on an average to 8,000 tons per week,

Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power which is included under "Miscellaneous".
${ }^{(2}$ ) Undertakings with an annual consumption of 100 tons or more of coal and/or coke. Owing to a reclassification of the firms included, the figures since January 1947 are not strictly comparable with those for earlier periods, except for Industry as a whole.
${ }^{(3)}$ Authorised electricity undertakings and railway and transport authorities only.
(4) Including disposals to shops, offices and other establishments, partly or entirely non-residential, with an annual consumption of less than 100 tons of coal and/or coke.
$\left(^{5}\right)$ See footnote $\left(^{(5)}\right.$ to Table 29.
*Average of five weeks.

FUEL AND POWER
Coal : Distributed stocks
TABLE 31
End of period
Thousind tons

|  |  | Public utility undertakings |  |  |  | Coke ovens | Industrial consumers(1) |  |  | Marchants' stocks |  | Government dumps | Miscel. laneous |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Gas | Electricity | Water | Rallways |  | Iron and steel | EngIneering and other meta! trades | Other Industries | House coa! | Anthracite and bolies fuel |  |  |
| 1940 | ... ... | 3.467 | 3.477 | 147 | 1,634 | 476 | 587 | 751 | 3.312 |  |  | 788 | 1,130 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1941 \\ & 1942 \\ & 1943 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$.... | 3.079 | 3.367 | 170 | 1,765 | 537 | 734 | 912 | 3,688 | 1,671 | 185 | 1,625 | 946 |
|  | $\cdots$ | 2.887 2.188 | 3,712 3,305 | 154 134 | 1,021 1,401 | 596 454 | 737 650 | 1,067 706 | 3,475 3,171 | 1,808 1664 | 248 | 1.772 | 1,148 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1944 \\ & 1945 \\ & 1946 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | 2,391 | 3.247 | 136 | 898 | 484 | 701 | 736 | 3,184 | 1,073 | 114 |  |  |
|  | ... ... | 1,838 | 2,839 | 117 | 614 | 422 | 471 | 501 | 2.493 | 1,324 | 153 | 2.217 848 | 850 694 |
|  | ... ... | 1,392 | 1,571 | 76 | 372 | 457 | 328 | 247 | 1,525 | 1,622 | 144 | 344 | 201 |
| 1947 | April ... | 1.195 | 2.006 | 68 | 255 | 404 | 228 | 221 | 1,116 | 246 | 59 | 67 | 191 |
|  | May | 1.548 | 2,412 | 72 | 373 | 496 | 257 | 347 | 1,515 | 380 | 68 | 36 | 227 |
|  | June | 2,021 | 3,020 | 82 | 522 | 549 | 355 | 454 | 2,014 | 773 | 89 | 13 | 262 |
|  | July ... | 2,303 | 3,404 | 92 | 600 | 620 | 465 | 508 | 2,377 |  | 99 | 9 | 284 |
|  | August ... | 2,268 | 3,668 | 91 | 508 | 489 | 516 | 577 | 2,616 | 1.353 | 110 | 5 | 299 |
|  | September | 2,509 | 4,035 | 96 | 543 | 620 | 639 | 688 | 3,197 | 1,677 | 124 | 3 | 312 |
|  | October | 2.723 | 4,210 | 108 | 645 | 740 | 739 | 746 | 3,730 | 2,040 | 137 |  |  |
|  | November | 2,782 | 4,138 | 116 | 737 | 852 | 841 | 769 | 3.967 | 2,200 | 154 | 14 | 310 |
|  | December... | 2,636 | 3,792 | 116 | 833 | 833 | 944 | 750 | 4,012 | 2,004 | 162 | 14 | 261 |
| 1948 | January ( ${ }^{3}$ ) .. | 2,349 | 3.491 | 109 | 846 | 805 |  |  | 3,925 | 1,765 |  | 14 | 226 |
|  | February ... | 2,048 | 3,251 | 107 | 841 | 818 | 901 | 670 | 3,815 | 1,233 | 149 | 14 | 206 |
|  | March ... | 1,819 | 3,317 | 103 | 746 | 740 |  |  | 3,712 | 794 | 146 | 13 | 191 |
|  | April ... | 1,785 | 3,484 | 102 | 725 | 801 | 827 | 683 | 3,726 | 639 | 137 |  | 180 |
|  | May ... | 1.784 | 3,589 | 101 | 743 | 830 | 794 | 684 | 3,737 | 680 | 140 | 12 | 195 |
|  |  | 2,111 | 3,832 | 98 | 821 | 970 | 775 | 701 | 3,889 | 1,039 | 155 | 12 | 205 |
|  | July ... | 2,299 | 4,096 | 101 | 785 | 815 | 770 | 722 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 2,232 | 4,078 | 99 | 632 | 670 | 730 | 718 | 3,844 | 1,552 | 163 | 12 | 240 |
|  | September | 2,458 | 4,352 | 105 | 619 | 709 | 716 | 737 | 3,961 | 1,901 | 170 |  |  |
|  | October ... | 2,605 | 4,471 | 107 | 605 | 767 | 711 | 708 | 3,943 | 2,190 | 169 |  |  |
|  | November | 2,553 | 4,395 | 105 | 634 | 802 | 692 | 649 | 3,765 | 2,128 | 176 | 12 | 239 |
|  | December | 2,260 | 3,956 | 96 | 613 | 768 | 652 | 562 | 3,482 | 1,782 | 155 | 12 | 229 |
| 1949 | January ... | 1,915 | 3,471 | 93 | 518 | 722 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February ... | 1.764 | 3,388 | 94 | 493 | 773 | 572 | 437 | 3,055 | 1,274 | 113 | 6 | 197 |
|  | March ... | 1,675 | 3,249 | 93 | 478 | 831 | 541 | 403 | 2,905 | 337 | 98 |  | 172 |
|  | April | 1,693 | 3.219 |  |  | 761 |  | 424 | 2.830 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May June | 1,834 | 3,378 | 97 | 519 | 843 | 497 | 476 | 2,856 | 402 | $110$ | - | 170 |

[^7]Weekly averages

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Excluding those wage-earners who were absent for the whole of any week from whatever cause.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The introduction of a revised form of return in 1943 resulted in a net increase of about 1,250 in the total wage-earners in that year. This had the effect of reducing shifts worked by 0.12 and shifts possible by 0.11 and of increasing absenteeism percentage by 0.36 .
${ }^{(3)}$ From the end of 1942 certain additional categories were included as workers at the coal-face. The effect of this in 1943 was to reduce the average output per manshift by 0.11 tons.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Owing to the varying practice by collieries in recording men on colliery books, a standard method of recording wage-earners was adopted as from the beginning of 1946. The effect of this was to reduce the number on colliery books by approximately 2,500 and absenteeism by 0.30 per cent. The effect of the change on the average number of shifts worked and possible was very small, while the effect on figures relating to work at the coal face is not available.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{5}$ ) to Table 29.

* Average of five weeks.


## FUEL AND POWER

## Intake and outflow of man-power in coal-mining

TABLE 33
Number

|  | Intake |  |  |  |  |  | Outflow |  |  |  |  |  | Net intake (+) or outflow (-) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | Juveniles (under 18) |  | Exminers from H.M. Forces | From residential training centres | From other sources | Total | Net compensation and long sickness cases, ( ${ }^{1}$ ) deaths, retirements | Released by <br> Ministry of <br> Labour and <br> National <br> Service $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Releases on completion of national service obligations ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Other |  |
|  |  | Direct from school | From other occupations |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | youths under 18, men over 50 and women ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |
| $1942\left({ }^{3}\right) \quad$..... | 40,120 | 12,945 |  | 14,069 | 13,106 |  | 32,441 | 25,887 |  |  |  | 6,554 | + 7,67 |
| 1943 (52 weeks)... | 29,155 | 12,139 |  | 3,585 | 13,431 |  | 37,998 | 30,103 |  |  |  | 7,895 | - 8,84 |
| 1944 (52 weeks)... | 56,761 | 10,389 |  | 6,432 | 31,307 | 8,633 | 44,715 | 33,133 |  |  |  | 11,582 | + 12,04 |
| 1945 (53 weeks)... | 48,668 | 9,571 |  | 11,675 | 17,731 | 9,691 | 66,019 | 47,632 |  |  |  | 18,387 | - 17,351 |
| 1946 (52 weeks)... | 72,820 | 12,691 |  | 27,862 | 4,835 | 27,432 | 77,018 | 34,229 | 7,444 | 3,115 | 3,046 | 29,184 | - 4,198 |
| 1947 (53 weeks)... | 94,190 | 5,621 | 9,033 | 12,255 | 15,865 | 51,416 | 68,025 | 17,273 | 19,990 | 12,994 | 8,356 | 9,412 | + 26,165 |
| 1948 (52 weeks)... | 73,725 | 4,637 | 6,365 | 4,443 | 17,957 | 40,323 | 65,962 | 17,369 | 23,911 | 6,992 | 7,480 | 10,210 | + 7,763 |
| 13 weeks ended: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1945 March 24 ... June 23 September 22 Dec. 29(4)... | 15,304 9,646 7,655 16,063 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,552 \\ & 2,147 \\ & 2,399 \\ & 2,473 \end{aligned}$ |  | 1,420 829 1,452 7,974 | 9,545 5,261 1,869 1,056 | 1,787 1,409 1,935 4,560 | 12,064 14,800 18,686 20,469 | 9,346 10,422 13,260 14,604 |  |  |  | 2,718 4,378 5,426 5,865 | + 3,240 $-5,154$ $-11,031$ $-4,406$ |
| 1946 March 30 ... <br> June 29 <br> September 28 <br> December 28 | 20,977 | 2,997 |  | 11,144 | 999 | 5,837 | 16,670 | 9,896 |  |  |  | 6,774 | + 4,307 |
|  | 17,562 16,198 18,083 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,924 \\ & 2,049 \\ & 1,202 \end{aligned}$ | 1,350 1,442 1,727 | 8,069 5,507 3,142 | 774 927 2,135 | 5,445 6,273 9,877 | 16,553 21,711 22,084 | 3,779 8,331 7,223 | 7,444 | 3,115 | 3,046 | $\begin{gathered} 7,774 \\ 13,380\left({ }^{5}\right) \\ 1,256 \end{gathered}$ | $+1,009$ $=5,513$ $-4,001$ |
| 1947 March 29 .. <br> July $5\left({ }^{4}\right)$ October 4... <br> 1948 January 3 ... | 26,882 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,215 \\ 2,159 \\ 761 \\ 486 \end{array}$ | 3,1902,4731,6671,703 | 1,973 | 2,570 | 16,934 | 12,478 | 4,865 | 3,497 | 1,556 | 1,838 | 722 |  |
|  | 26,768 |  |  | 4,427 | 5,153 | 12,556 | 15,503 | 4,220 | 4,937 | 1,805 | 1,770 | 2,771 | + $+11,265$ |
|  |  |  |  | 3,463 | 4,677 | 9,331 | 23,557 | 4,452 | 6,387 | 4,176 | 2,839 | 5,703 | - 3,658 |
|  | 20,641 |  |  | 2,392 | 3,465 | 12,595 | 16,487 | 3,736 | 5,169 | 5,457 | 1,909 | , 216 | + $\mathbf{+}, 154$ |
| April 3 July 3 October 2.... 1949 January 1 ... | 22,827 17,605 | 427 1,992 <br> 390 1,378 <br> 2,751 1,539 <br> 1,069 1,456 |  | 1,896 | 5,402 | 13,110 | 17,599 | 4,017 | 5,116 | 4,089 | 1,735 | 2,642 | + 5,228 |
|  | 17,605 17,065 |  |  | 1,224 861 | 5,139 3,716 | 9,474 8,198 | 15,998 | 4,042 | 6,165 | 1,380 | 1,738 | 2,673 | + 1,607 |
|  | 16,228 |  |  | 462 | 3,700 | 8,541 | 15,054 | 4,353 4,957 | 6,265 6,365 | 1,146 377 | 1,176 1,831 | 1,371 | $\begin{array}{r}1,646 \\ \hline+\quad 1,174\end{array}$ |
| April 2 | 18,520 | 3,850 |  | 520 | 3,820 | 10,330 | 18,720 | 4,110 | 7,190 | 380 | 7,040 |  | - 200 |
| 4 weeks ended : April 30 May 28 | 4,930 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,170 \\ 940 \end{array}$ |  | 110 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3,780 |  |  | 90 | 690 560 | 1,960 2,190 | 5,230 6,080 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,420 \\ & 1,050 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,260 \\ & 2,350 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,470 \\ & 2,630 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & =\quad 300 \\ & -\quad 2,300 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) Excess of new compensation and medical cases over recovered compensation and medical cases.
Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
${ }^{(3)}$ Not applicable before 4th Quarter 1946.
${ }^{(3)}$ Estimate for twelve months, based on returns for the last nine months of the year.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right) 14$ weeks.
${ }^{(5)}$ Due to the lifting of the Essential Work Order at the beginning of September.

Coke : Production, consumption and stocks
Production and consumption : weekly averages Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

(1) Great Britain.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Computed from figures for calendar months. Quantities of coke breeze are included in the figures of overseas shipments prior to January 1947.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$To maintain comparability with the corresponding period in earlier years, the week ended 31 January 1948 has been omitted in arriving at the weekly averages. Production in this week at coke ovens amounted to 297 thousand tons, at gas works to 301 thousand tons. Total consumption (including exports) was 609 thousand tons.

- Average of five weeks.

Gas: Production( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 35
Weekly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
${ }^{2}$ ) The figures relate to all gas undertakings whether or not vested under the Gas Act, 1948.
${ }^{3}$ ) Including other gas (producer gas, oil gas, etc.) in addition to coal and water gas
(4) To maintain comparability with the corresponding period in earlier years, the week ended 31 January 1948 has been omitted in arriving at the weekly averages. Total gas available in this week was $11 \cdot 21$ thousand million cubic feet, of which 10.01 were made at gasworks and 1.20 bought from coke ovens.

- Average of five weeks.

Electricity : Generation ${ }^{1}$ )

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. Excluding railway and transport generating stations.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Figures in respect of two non-statutory stations, the staffs of which are employed by the British Electricity Authority, have been included as from April 1948.
${ }^{\left({ }^{3}\right)}$ Figures from November 1948 are based on a different definition of installed capacity. The effect of this change is to reduce the installed capacity by approximately 7 megawatts.

## V. RAW MATERIALS

Iron and steel : Production, consumption and stocks
Production and consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

(1) The iron content of home produced Iron ore is about 30 per cent.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Total United Kingdom production less deliveries to other steel firms for further conversion.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Deliveries.
(d) At steelworks and steel foundries.
(5) In addition there were 28,000 tons at end of 1944 in British Iron and Steel Corporation stockyards.
$\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ Stocks held at producers' works and at, and in transit to, British Iron and Steel Corporation stockyards, but excluding stocks held by consumers.

* Average of five weeks.

Finished steel : Production

${ }^{(1)}$ Figures exclude armour plate, except from 1935 to 1938 when it is included.
${ }^{(2)}$ Deliveries.
(3) Partly estimated.

- Average of five weeks.

Non-ferrous metals : Production and consumption
TABLE 39
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

${ }^{(1)}$ Including the pure content of virgin alloys.
${ }^{2}$ ) Including scrap recovery.
(2) Despatches to consumers.
(4) From 1944, includes consumption other than for zinc production.

Non-ferrous metals : Consumption and stocks

|  |  | Consumption |  |  |  |  | Stocks ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Refined lead ( ${ }^{\text {( }}$ |  | Virgin tin |  | Virgin copper | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Virgin } \\ & \text { zinc } \end{aligned}$ | Zinc concentrates | Refined lead | Tin |
|  |  |  | Total disposals | Home consumption | Total disposals | Home consumption |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \ldots . . \\ & 1936 . . \\ & 1937 \ldots \\ & 1938 \ldots . \end{aligned}$ | ... $\quad$. | .. | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 4 \\ & 31 \cdot 7 \\ & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 29.5 \\ & 28.8 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.29 \\ & 3.72 \\ & 4.46 \\ & 2.92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.79 \\ & 1.82 \\ & 2.16 \\ & 1.52 \end{aligned}$ | . | . | . | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ |
|  | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  | . |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 18.4 \\ & 21.5 \\ & 18.2 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 17.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.4 \\ & 19.7 \\ & 18.2 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 17.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 74 \\ & 2 \cdot 29 \\ & 3.56 \\ & 2.51 \\ & 2.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 54 \\ & 1 \cdot 37 \\ & 2 \cdot 13 \\ & 2 \cdot 28 \\ & 2 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 282.4 \\ 123.1 \\ 92.3 \\ 110.2 \\ 120.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 169.4 \\ 138.3 \\ 40.7 \\ 32.1 \\ 46.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 109 \\ 114 \\ 108 \\ 52 \\ 30 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 135.7 \\ 65.3 \\ 24.3 \\ 40.0 \\ 20.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32.6 \\ & 33.3 \\ & 20.4 \\ & 15.6 \\ & 19.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1944... $1945 .$. | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1945 .$. $1946 .$. | .... $\quad .$. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946... | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948... | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947 | April May June | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 15.3 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 15.3 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 64 \\ & 2 \cdot 70 \\ & 2 \cdot 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 34 \\ & 2 \cdot 34 \\ & 2 \cdot 18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97.5 \\ 90.8 \\ 102.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 8 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 75 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.8 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 22.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 15.5 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... ... |  | 16.116.919.4 | 16.116.919.4 | 2.371.89 | 2.301.672.38 | $\begin{array}{r} 96.5 \\ 102.3 \\ 96.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 4 \\ & 34 \cdot 4 \\ & 33.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 69 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 42 \cdot 2 \\ & 39 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.8 \\ & 17.0 \\ & 15.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September ... |  |  |  | 2.45 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November ... <br> December ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 18.2 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 18.2 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 88 \\ & 2.62 \\ & 2 \cdot 47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.66 \\ & 2.51 \\ & 2.35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.4 \\ & 104.4 \\ & 110.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 7 \\ & 35 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 60 \\ & 52 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 3 \\ & 35 \cdot 9 \\ & 40 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 15.9 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | January <br> February <br> March | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.7 \\ & 18.0 \\ & 17.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.7 \\ & 18.0 \\ & 17.4 \end{aligned}$ | 2.602.472.46 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.46 \\ & 2.35 \\ & 2.35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \cdot 2 \\ & 97 \cdot 3 \\ & 97 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 2 \\ & 33.7 \\ & 34.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 65 \\ & 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 40 \cdot 3 \\ & 40 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.3 \\ & 14.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May... <br> June... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 16.3 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 16.3 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 30 \\ & 2 \cdot 15 \\ & 2 \cdot 26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.17 \\ & 2.05 \\ & 2.21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \cdot 3 \\ & 90 \cdot 1 \\ & 84 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38.8 \\ & 47.6 \\ & 51.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 63 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 1 \\ & 32.4 \\ & 28 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 13.2 \\ & 15.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 14.9 \\ & 21.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 14.7 \\ & 21.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.16 \\ & 1.69 \\ & 2.30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.04 \\ & 1.61 \\ & 2.12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.9 \\ 115.1 \\ 123.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52.4 \\ & 61.3 \\ & 55.7 \end{aligned}$ | 474131 | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 18 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 \\ & 17.2 \\ & 16.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October <br> November ... <br> December ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 19.0 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 19.0 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 01 \\ & 2 \cdot 10 \\ & 2 \cdot 11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.88 \\ & 1.99 \\ & 2.02 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.8 \\ & 115.7 \\ & 120.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55.4 \\ & 49.9 \\ & 46.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 24 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 21.4 \\ & 20 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.8 \\ & 17.1 \\ & 19.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> March | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.2 \\ & 17.4 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.1 \\ & 17.4 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.94 \\ & 1.82 \\ & 2.17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.86 \\ & 1.78 \\ & 2.02 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 115.3 \\ 105.1 \\ 99.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39.9 \\ & 39.8 \\ & 41.6 \end{aligned}$ | 292831 | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 4 \\ & 21 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.1 \\ & 18.8 \\ & 21.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 13.7 | 13.7 | 1.62 | 1. 53 | 115.4 | $50 \cdot 6$ | 28 | 33.9 | $20 \cdot 5$ |
|  | April May... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) In addition His Majesty's Government held the following stocks abroad at the end of
${ }^{( }{ }^{2}$ ) Pre-war figures exclude English refined lead.

## RAW MATERIALS

TABLE 41

## Softwood and hardwood : Production, consumption and stocks

Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

|  | Consumption |  | Stocks |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Imported | Home grown | Imported (4) | Home grown |


(1) Excluding pitwood, boxboards, pulpwood (see Tables 55 and 56), poles and sleepers and crossings of all kinds.
${ }^{2}$ ) Excluding pitwood, logs for veneer production, staves and sleepers and crossings of all kinds.
${ }^{3}$ ) Figures before 1942 include sleepers and crossings.
(4) Including the estimated sawn content of imported round logs.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) Standards of 165 cubic feet.
${ }^{(6)}$ From April 1949 figures exclude quantities awaiting discharge at port and certain stocks held by British Railways. The quantity in these categories included in the figure for March was 33.6 thousand standards.

Pitwood and plywood: Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 42
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period

|  |  | Production of pitwood |  |  |  |  | Consumption of sawn and round pitwood $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Stocks of sawn and round pitwood $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Constructional plywood |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Sawn |  | Round |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Trade | Home Timber Production Department | Trade | Home Timber Production Department |  |  | Production | Consumption | Stocks ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |
|  |  | Thousand standards ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  | Million square feet |  |  |
| 940 | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 49.79 \\ & 47.81 \\ & 53.06 \\ & 60.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.03 \\ & 11.57 \\ & 11.78 \\ & 12.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \cdot 35 \\ & 2 \cdot 47 \\ & 4 \cdot 15 \\ & 3 \cdot 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25.46 \\ & 18.47 \\ & 19.13 \\ & 20.26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.95 \\ & 15.30 \\ & 18.00 \\ & 23.58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74.67 \\ & 69.46 \\ & 66.97 \\ & 60.04 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 658.9 \\ & 450.4 \\ & 286.7 \\ & 332.6 \end{aligned}$ | - ${ }^{-}$ | 13.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 141.0 \\ & 110.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 941 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 942 | . ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.61 | 14.0 | 43.0 |
| 943 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.35 | 10.1 | 192.0 |
| 344 | $\cdots$ | $50 \cdot 20$$42 \cdot 02$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.77 \\ & 11.90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.29 \\ & 3.44 \\ & 0.81 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \cdot 35 \\ 11 \cdot 44 \\ 8 \cdot 29 \\ 6 \cdot 64 \\ 7 \cdot 70 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17.79 \\ 15.24 \\ 8.52 \\ 0.34 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \cdot 44 \\ & 56 \cdot 94 \\ & 58 \cdot 80 \\ & 64.42 \\ & 65 \cdot 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 251 \cdot 1 \\ & 268 \cdot 6 \\ & 436 \cdot 7 \\ & 590 \cdot 0 \\ & 622 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.35 \\ & 3.59 \\ & 5.44 \\ & 5.06 \\ & 5.01 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 4 \\ & 31 \cdot 5 \\ & 34 \cdot 1 \\ & 29 \cdot 1 \\ & 25 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190.9 \\ & 166.3 \\ & 115.3 \\ & 238.8 \\ & 246.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 345 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 346 | ... ... | 28.15 | 10.43 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 347 | ... ... | 13.77 | $6 \cdot 78$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 348 | ... | 16.26 | $8 \cdot 56$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 347 | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 12.92 \\ & 14.57 \\ & 14.96 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 76 \\ & 7 \cdot 84 \\ & 7 \cdot 20 \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 21 \\ & 6.05 \\ & 7.56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.95 \\ & 0.68 \\ & 0.20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61.54 \\ & 61.57 \\ & 66.74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 318.4 \\ & 301 \cdot 7 \\ & 320.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 17 \\ & 5 \cdot 74 \\ & 4.98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 3 \\ & 27 \cdot 9 \\ & 32 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.5 \\ & 129.2 \\ & 151.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... | $\begin{aligned} & 15.05 \\ & 14.91 \\ & 15.82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 61 \\ & 6 \cdot 58 \\ & 7 \cdot 26 \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 22 \\ & 8 \cdot 27 \\ & 8 \cdot 54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.22 \\ & 0.06 \\ & 0.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56.73 \\ & 63.49 \\ & 58.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 391 \cdot 3 \\ & 496 \cdot 7 \\ & 560 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.99 \\ & 4.63 \\ & 5.97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 31 \cdot 8 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160.0 \\ & 160.3 \\ & 185.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | 15.74 | 7.53 | - | $8 \cdot 22$ | - | $77 \cdot 22$ | 586.0 | 5.73 | 28.6 | $201 \cdot 9$ |
|  | November | 13.02 | 6.78 | - | $6 \cdot 24$ | - | $64 \cdot 39$ | 594.5 | 5.79 | $25 \cdot 7$ | 223.0 |
|  | December | 16.39 | 7.05 | - | $9 \cdot 34$ | - | $66 \cdot 57$ | $590 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 14$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | $238 \cdot 8$ |
| 348 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 73 \\ & 13 \cdot 56 \\ & 15 \cdot 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.17 \\ & 7.09 \\ & 7.93 \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 7.56 \\ & 6.47 \\ & 7.91 \end{aligned}$ | Z | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \cdot 70 \\ & 60 \cdot 50 \\ & 65 \cdot 58 \end{aligned}$ | $551 \cdot 9$ 522.8 $483 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.01 \\ & 5.54 \\ & 4.91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 25 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 260 \cdot 2 \\ & 268 \cdot 9 \\ & 270.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 16.33 \\ & 17.46 \\ & 16.90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.62 \\ & 9.07 \\ & 8.86 \end{aligned}$ | — | $\begin{aligned} & 7.71 \\ & 8.39 \\ & 8.04 \end{aligned}$ | - | $65 \cdot 64$ $62 \cdot 52$ <br> 64:08 | $\begin{aligned} & 456.5 \\ & 439.8 \\ & 431.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.89 \\ & 4.38 \\ & 6.78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 0 \\ & 23 \cdot 2 \\ & 23 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 261 \cdot 3 \\ & 260 \cdot 8 \\ & 267 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... | $\begin{aligned} & 17.48 \\ & 17.45 \\ & 16.93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 90 \\ & 8 \cdot 55 \\ & 8 \cdot 97 \end{aligned}$ | — | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 58 \\ & 8 \cdot 90 \\ & 7.96 \end{aligned}$ | — | $\begin{aligned} & 62.11 \\ & 57.90 \\ & 68 \cdot 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 459.5 \\ & 522.9 \\ & 576.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.86 \\ & 4.05 \\ & 3.52 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 9 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \\ & 23 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 267 \cdot 4 \\ & 263 \cdot 1 \\ & 265 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | 16.88 | 9.35 | - | $7 \cdot 53$ | - | $69 \cdot 23$ | 610.4 | 4.41 | $24 \cdot 1$ | 264.7 |
|  | November December | 16.32 | $9 \cdot 55$ | - | $6 \cdot 77$ | - | $71 \cdot 78$ | 627.9 | $3 \cdot 85$ | 29.4 | $250 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  | $15 \cdot 28$ | $8 \cdot 64$ | - | $6 \cdot 64$ | - | $71 \cdot 18$ | $622 \cdot 6$ | 4.96 | $25 \cdot 4$ | $246 \cdot 1$ |
| 949 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 15.19 \\ & 15.07 \\ & 17.08 \\ & 15.77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 35 \\ & 8 \cdot 76 \\ & 9 \cdot 23 \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 84 \\ & 6.31 \\ & 7.85 \end{aligned}$ | — | $65 \cdot 36$ $64 \cdot 59$ $70 \cdot 39$ | $611 \cdot 6$ $590 \cdot 7$ <br> $570 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 12 \\ & 3 \cdot 26 \\ & 3 \cdot 64 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 4 \\ & 21 \cdot 9 \\ & 23 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 237.4 \\ & 234 \cdot 7 \\ & 237 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May |  | $8 \cdot 73$ | - | 7.04 | - | 61.99 | $530 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 79$ | $18 \cdot 2$ | $247 \cdot 9$ |
|  | June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries to mines, adjusted for changes in stocks at mines. Source: Board of Trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{2}$ ) Stocks held by the Timber Control and mines. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(4)}$ ( Imported and home-produced plywood held by the Timber Control. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Gothenburg | ndards |  | c feet. | - | - |  |  |  |  |  |



[^8]Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{3}$ ) Mule equivalent. Spindles running on cotton, spun rayon and mixtures.
${ }^{(3)}$ Before July 1948 the figures relate to the number of looms running at the end of the period. Annual figures for years 1944-1948 are monthly averages.
${ }^{4}$ ) Million square yards.
Average of five weeks.

## Wool : Production

Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ For pre-war years estimated production of United Kingdom wool. Later figures show the actual weight of wool taken up by the Ministry of Supply, the Board of Trade or the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.
${ }^{(2)}$ Deliveries.
${ }^{(3)}$ These figures relate to yarn wholly or mainly of wool and are thus not fully comparable with those for subsequent years. (The admixtures, however, amounted to less than 5 per cent. of the total weight.)
${ }^{(4)}$ Year ended August.
(5) Average for 11 months.

Cotton, wool and silk : Consumption
TABLE 45

|  |  | Raw cotton |  |  | Cotton waste | Cotton linters( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Cotton yarn $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Rayon yarn ${ }^{2}$ ) | Raw wool(Estimated clean weight) |  |  |  | Raw si |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Home |  |
|  |  | Total disposals | Cotton spinning | Other users in U.K. |  |  |  |  | Total | Reexports | Exports | con-sumption ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |
|  |  | Weekly averages |  |  |  |  | Weekly averages |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  | Million lb. |  | Million lb. |  |  |  | Thousand lb . |
| 1935 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 12.80 \\ 9.91 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.0 \\ 11.7 \\ 12.0 \\ 9.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.29 \\ & 0.23 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . |
| 1936 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1937 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1944 | ... ... | 6.90 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 0.25 | 1.29 | 0.64 | 10.68 | 1.46 | 21.5 | 40 | $0 \cdot 1$ | 21.4 | 28.7 |  |
| 1945 | ... ... | 6.49 | $5 \cdot 9$ | $0 \cdot 23$ | 1.45 | 0.70 | 9.69 | 1.59 | $27 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | 0.9 | 22.6 | $27 \cdot 7$ |  |
| 1946 | ... ... | $7 \cdot 25$ | 6.6 | 0.36 | 1.81 | 0.73 | 9.96 | 1.89 | $38 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | $66 \cdot 6$ |  |
| 1947 | ... ... | 7.31 8.30 | 6.6 7.9 | 0.41 | 1.52 | 0.58 | 10.37 | $2 \cdot 22$ | 44.8 | 7.7 8.9 | 1.9 | 35.2 | 109.4 |  |
| 1948 | $\cdots$... | $8 \cdot 30$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $0 \cdot 35$ | 1.70 | 0.69 | $12 \cdot 38$ | $2 \cdot 84$ | $51 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 9$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | $41 \cdot 1$ | 105.7 |  |
| 1947 | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 43 * \\ & 8 \cdot 35 \\ & 7 \cdot 36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 7 * \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \\ & 6 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.40^{*} \\ & 0.46 \\ & 0.46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.48^{*} \\ & 1.64 \\ & 1.70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.54 \\ & 0.62 \\ & 0.63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 10^{*} \\ & 11.16 \\ & 11.38 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.07 * \\ & 2.33 \\ & 2.39 \end{aligned}$ | $44 \cdot 9$ <br> 51.0 <br> $41 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.4 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 5.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.6 \\ & 1.9 \\ & 1.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 9 \\ & 40 \cdot 4 \\ & 34 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95.5 \\ 107.4 \\ 114.7 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July $\qquad$ August $\qquad$ September | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 36 \\ & 7 \cdot 17 \\ & 7 \cdot 56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 6 \cdot 5 \\ & 6 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.38^{*} \\ & 0.36 \\ & 0.41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.42^{*} \\ & 1.49 \\ & 1.57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.51 \\ & 0.57 \\ & 0.66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.57^{*} \\ & 11.03 \\ & 10.73 \end{aligned}$ | $2 \cdot 02^{*}$ <br> 2.24 <br> $2 \cdot 35$ | $49 \cdot 7$ <br> $41 \cdot 9$ <br> $46 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.8 \\ & 8.6 \\ & 6.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.4 \\ & 1.5 \\ & 1.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 5 \\ & 31 \cdot 8 \\ & 39 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131.9 \\ & 122.4 \\ & 128.2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December... | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 25^{*} \\ & 8 \cdot 12 \\ & 7 \cdot 46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 7 \cdot 6 \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.42^{*} \\ & 0.45 \\ & 0.43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.68^{*} \\ & 1.77 \\ & 1.66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.83 \\ & 0.67 \\ & 0.52 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.71^{*} \\ & 12.58 \\ & 11.28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 62^{*} \\ & 2.82 \\ & 2 \cdot 55 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 3 \\ & 48 \cdot 2 \\ & 51 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.4 \\ & 5.9 \\ & 7.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 2 \\ & 1 \cdot 8 \\ & 1 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 7 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \cdot 2 \\ & 127.2 \\ & 103.7 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | January ... February ... March | $\begin{aligned} & 7.91 * \\ & 8.69 \\ & 8.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 8 \cdot 1 \\ & 7 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.41^{\text {\# }} \\ & 0.45 \\ & 0.45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.60^{*} \\ & 1.81 \\ & 1.67 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.68 \\ & 0.67 \\ & 0.68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.48^{*} \\ & 12.63 \\ & 12.31 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 65^{*} \\ & 2 \cdot 88 \\ & 2 \cdot 82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \cdot 3 \\ & 47 \cdot 4 \\ & 53 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.0 \\ 5.6 \\ 9.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.2 \\ & 1.4 \\ & 1.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 1 \\ & 40 \cdot 4 \\ & 43 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 121.6 $115 \cdot 0$ 105.2 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 8.53 \text { * } \\ & 8.08 \\ & 8.49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 1 \neq \\ & 7 \cdot 7 \\ & 8 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.39 * \\ & 0.36 \\ & 0.37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.66 * \\ & 1.69 \\ & 1.89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.73 \\ & 0.62 \\ & 0.73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.32^{*} \\ & 12.44 \\ & 13.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.76^{*} \\ & 2.87 \\ & 3.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \cdot 5 \\ & 50 \cdot 1 \\ & 52 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.2 \\ 9.7 \\ 8.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 7 \\ & 2 \cdot 1 \\ & 1 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 6 \\ & 38 \cdot 3 \\ & 42 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98.8 \\ 101.5 \\ 97.2 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 8.08^{*} \\ & 7.67 \\ & 8.58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 8 * \\ & 7 \cdot 4 \\ & 7 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.28^{*} \\ & 0.27 \\ & 0.32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.49 * \\ & 1.68 \\ & 1.77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.62 \\ & 0.66 \\ & 0.70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 89 * \\ & 12.37 \\ & 12.41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.53 * \\ & 2.74 \\ & 2.78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 3 \\ & 44 \cdot 9 \\ & 50 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.9 \\ 8.5 \\ 6.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.6 \\ & 1.6 \\ & 1.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 8 \\ & 34 \cdot 8 \\ & 42 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 89.4 \\ 94.2 \\ 129.9 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October .. November December | 8.74* <br> $8 \cdot 83$ <br> 7•90* | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 8 \cdot 5 \\ & 7 \cdot 6^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.32^{*} \\ & 0.33 \\ & 0.28^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1.70* } \\ & \text { 1.98 } \\ & \text { 1.59* } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.73 \\ & 0.79 \\ & 0.68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \cdot 30^{*} \\ & 13.62 \\ & 12 \cdot 00^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 3.11* <br> 3.15 <br> 2.83* | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 0 \\ & 51 \cdot 9 \\ & 51 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.0 \\ 7.9 \\ 9.8 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1.1 1.5 | $39 \cdot 9$ $42 \cdot 5$ | 109.7 116.2 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1.3 | $42 \cdot 5$ $40 \cdot 3$ | 116.2 89.8 |  |
| 1949 | January <br> ... <br> February <br> ... <br> March <br> ... | $\begin{aligned} & 8.41 \\ & 8.76 \\ & 8.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 1 \\ & 8 \cdot 4 \\ & 8 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \cdot 31 \\ & 0 \cdot 29 \\ & 0 \cdot 26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.81 \\ & 1.86 \\ & 1.83^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.74 \\ & 0.83 \\ & 0.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.98 \\ & 13.30 \\ & 12.94^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.05 \\ & 3 \cdot 23 \\ & 3 \cdot 19^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 7 \\ & 48 \cdot 1 \\ & 58 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.0 \\ 7.7 \\ 11.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.9 \\ & 2.2 \\ & 1.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 8 \\ & 38.2 \\ & 45 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \cdot 7 \\ & 113 \cdot 4 \\ & 155 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | 8.08* | 7•* | 0.25* | 1.76 | 0.75 | 12.47 | 3.03 | $48 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | 1.9 | $37 \cdot 5$ |  |  |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Computed from figures relating to calendar months. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Consumption of yarn in the manufacture of woven fabrics |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Source: Board of Trade |  |  |  |
|  | cotton and rayon). |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Home consumption in the production of tops and in woollen spinning, etc. Including exports of low-grade silk amounting to |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

# Jute, flax and hemps : Consumption 

## TABLE 46


${ }^{(1)}$ Figures include home produced goods from Control stocks.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Figures include sales of flax tow to the paper and other trades.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) From January 1949 the figures relate to sisal line and Philippine manila hemp only.

* Average of five weeks.


## Textiles: Stocks

TABLE 47
End of period


[^9]Hides, skins and finished leather: Production and consumption

${ }^{(2)}$ Arrivals, plus deliveries by producers, adjusted by changes in certain stocks.
Source: Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Pelts and, up to November 1946, skins woolled for dressing.
${ }^{(3)}$ Leather sold by weight.
( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Leather sold by area.

|  |  |  |  | Hides and skins |  |  |  |  |  | Finished leather |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Raw |  |  |  | Rough tanned |  | Heavy ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | Light( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Hides ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Kips and calfskins | Goatskins | Sheepskins ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Hides ( ${ }^{6}$ ) | Skins | Sole | Other | Upper | Lining | Other |
| 1942 |  | ... | ... | $20 \cdot 57$ |  | $7 \cdot 6$ |  | 1.39 | 0.84 | $18 \cdot 66$ |  | $6 \cdot 42$ |  |  |
| 1943 | ... | ... | ... | 17-31 |  | $7 \cdot 1$ |  | 1.08 | 0.93 | 17.84 |  | $6 \cdot 10$ |  |  |
| 1944 |  | ... | ... | 21.54 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 1.0 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 0.85 | 0.69 | $21 \cdot 60$ | 0.77 | 4.41 | 1.41 | 0.38 |
| 1945 |  | ... | ... | $26 \cdot 22$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | 0.5 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 0.74 | 1.02 | $19 \cdot 50$ | 0.69 | 3.96 | $1 \cdot 26$ | 0.35 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 16.56 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 0.8 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 2.47 | 0.93 | 13.96 | 0.68 | $4 \cdot 45$ | $1 \cdot 32$ | 0.41 |
| 1947 | April ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 15.57 | $4 \cdot 1$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 10.9 | 2.24 | 1.31 | $13 \cdot 21$ | 0.70 | 4.88 | 1.55 | 0.38 |
|  | May ... | ... | $\cdots$ | 14.13 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 1.5 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 2.07 | 1.47 | 13.71 | 0.69 | $4 \cdot 90$ | 1.49 | 0.45 |
|  | June |  | ... | 13.34 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 1.7 | 10.4 | $2 \cdot 34$ | 1.52 | 14.51 | 0.68 | $5 \cdot 20$ | 1.62 | 0.45 |
|  | July ... | ... | ... | 19.04 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 1.8 | 11.0 | $2 \cdot 65$ | 1.53 | 14.61 |  |  |  | 0.43 |
|  | August |  | ... | 21.78 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | 11.7 | $3 \cdot 42$ | 1.51 | 15.31 | 0.67 | $5 \cdot 28$ | 1.62 | 0.47 |
|  | September |  | ... | 24.02 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 11.6 | $3 \cdot 69$ | 1.46 | 15.61 | 0.69 | 5.44 | 1.73 | 0.48 |
|  | October | ... | $\cdots$ | 26.93 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 11.8 | $3 \cdot 33$ | 1.41 | 15.30 | $0 \cdot 70$ | 5.43 | 1.71 |  |
|  | November | ... | $\ldots$ | 28.84 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 2.1 | 11.3 | $3 \cdot 21$ | $1 \cdot 34$ | 15.20 | 0.69 | 5.32 | 1.67 | 0.47 |
|  | December | ... | ... | $28 \cdot 68$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 2.0 | 11.4 | $3 \cdot 17$ | $1 \cdot 25$ | 16.90 | 0.69 | 5.73 | 1.82 | 0.55 |
| 1948 | January | $\ldots$ | ... | 22.42 | 3.7 | 1.8 | 11.3 | 2.72 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | ... | ... | 18.46 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 1.6 | 11.1 | 1.85 | 1.11 | $16 \cdot 26$ $17 \cdot 16$ | 0.69 0.67 | 5.55 5.35 | 1.77 1.70 | 0.52 0.54 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  | 1.6 | $10 \cdot 2$ |  |  | $17 \cdot 66$ | 0.71 | $5 \cdot 55$ | 1.75 | 0.58 |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 12.36 |  |  |  | $1 \cdot 37$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | ... | ... | 16.65 | $2 \cdot 9$ | 1.4 | 9.5 | 1.20 | 1.17 | 18.76 | 0.75 0.82 | 5.40 5.27 | 1.67 | 0.60 0.68 |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | 12.96 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 9.4 | 0.85 | 1.25 | 19.96 | 0.85 | 5.29 | 1.67 | 0.68 0.76 |
|  | July ... | ... | ... | 13.62 | 2.0 | 1.1 | $9 \cdot 5$ | 0.98 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | ... | ... | 14.44 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 9.7 | 0.85 | 1.26 | 20.29 | 0.85 0.88 | 5.18 5.04 | 1.60 1.58 | 0.75 0.70 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 15.83 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 9.6 | 0.71 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | ... | 15.85 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | ... | $\ldots$ | 17.54 | 1.9 | 0.9 | 10.4 | 1.09 | 0.97 1.00 | 20.90 20.80 | 0.87 0.85 | 4.94 4.72 | 1.54 1.48 | 0.71 0.70 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  | $0 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | 0.73 | 1.16 | 22.22 | 0.85 0.86 | 4.72 4.83 | 1.51 | 0.71 0.73 |
| 1949 | January |  |  | 14.74 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February <br> March | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 16.03 | 2.4 | 0.7 0.7 | 10.2 9.8 | 0.74 0.70 | 1.14 1.25 | 21.82 21.82 2 | 0.86 0.87 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $2 \cdot 2$ | 0.7 | 9.1 | 0.70 0.65 | 1.22 | 21.82 23.02 | 0.86 0.89 | 4.64 4.86 | 1.41 1.45 | 0.70 0.70 |
|  | April May Mune Jut | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 15.03 | $2 \cdot 8$ | $0 \cdot 6$ | 9.0 | 0.70 | 1.22 | $23 \cdot 12$ | 0.92 | 4.92 | 1.46 | $0 \cdot 68$ |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Leather sold by weight. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(2)}$ Leather sold by area. Source : Board of Trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(3)}$ Wet, dry and dry salted cattle and buffalo hides |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Pelts and skins woolled for dressing. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(5)}$ East Indian kips, calfskins and buffalo hides. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Rubber: Production, consumption and stocks
Thousand tons

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Stocks held by H.M. Government and manufacturers. Importers' and dealers' stocks at London and Liverpool are also included except for the period January 1942 to May 1947 for natural rubber, and before June 1948 for synthetic rubber. Stocks in transit are excluded before 1942 and after December 1946.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding Government lend-lease stocks.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Figures after July 1948 exclude Government stocks.
Average of five weeks.

## Molasses and industrial alcohol : Production, consumption and stocks

Production and consumption: monthly averages or calendar months


Sulphur, sulphuric acid and ammonia : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 52
Thousand tons

${ }^{1}$ ) As 100 per cent. acid.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Used in the manufacture of sulphuric acid.
${ }^{3}$ ) Including recovered sulphur.
(6) Includes exports.
(5) Excluding ammonia produced in by-product factories and converted
directly into ammonium sulphate.

* Average of five weeks.


RAW MATERIALS
Fertilizers: Consumption. Phosphate rock: Consumption and stocks

${ }^{(1)}$ Ammonium sulphate, nitro-chalk, concentrated compound fertilizers and nitrate of soda (synthetic and Chilean).
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Organic fertilizers, treated phosphate rock, concentrated compound fertilizers, ammonium phosphate and triple superphosphate. Figures for 1943 and 1944 also include calcium metaphos, and that for year ended 30 June 1946 includes silico-phosphate.
${ }^{(3)}$ Figures relate to agricultural potash.
(4) Deliveries to farms.
(5) Actual weight. Excluding concentrated compound fertilizers. The $\mathrm{N}, \mathrm{P}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ and $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ content are included under the appropriate headings in the preceding columns.
${ }^{(6)}$ For agricultural and industrial purposes.
(7) Year ended 30 June, except for nitrogenous fertilizers, liming materials and phosphate rock.

## Paper-making materials, wood-pulp, newsprint and paper and board Production and consumption

TABLE 55
Weekly averages
Thousand tona

|  |  |  | Consumption |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Production |  |  | Consumption |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Paper-making materials other than wood-pulp |  |  |  |  |  | Industrial woodpulp | Woodpulp for papermaking ${ }^{(2)}$ | Newsprint | Bullding boards | Other paper and board | Newsprint | Buildinboardandotherpaperandboard |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pulp- } \\ & \text { wood }{ }^{1} \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | Straw for papermaking | Rags, waste ropes, etc. | Waste paper | Esparto | Total (paper equivalent) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1939 \\ & 1940 \\ & 1941 \\ & 1942 \\ & 1943 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3.72 \\ & 3.07 \\ & 2.45 \\ & 2.97 \\ & 3.77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.71 \\ & 4.76 \\ & 5.81 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.80 \\ & 2.07 \\ & 2.85 \\ & 2.51 \\ & 2.21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.8 \\ & 14.5 \\ & 16.6 \\ & 15.7 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.99 \\ & 1.97 \\ & 0.35 \\ & 0.05 \\ & 0.01 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.14 \\ & 17.91 \\ & 16.57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.17 \\ & 0.78 \\ & 0.76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29.13 \\ 17.15 \\ 8.73 \\ 7.18 \\ 6.16 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15.38 \\ 5.69 \\ 2.88 \\ 2.69 \\ 2.49 \end{array}$ |  |  | 23.19.7 |  |
|  | ... $\quad .$. | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $0.62{ }^{35 \cdot 19} 28.2$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.60 | 23.1 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 6 \\ & 27 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.47 | 21.6 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 23.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 19.3 | $4 \cdot 9$ | $21 \cdot 2$ |
| 1944 |  |  | 3.202.59 | 6.306.66 | 2.242.22 | 13.011.8 | 0.02 | 15.9314.54 | 0.961.02 | 7.709.93 | 2.853.11 | 0.420.40 | 20.221.1 | 5.45.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 22.5 \\ & 24.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 |  |  | 2.01 | 5.65 3.53 | 2.57 | 11.9 12.2 | 1.77 | $15 \cdot 35$ | 1.481.76 | 17.40 | $5 \cdot 67$ | 0.53 | 27.2 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $31 \cdot 1$ |
| 1947 |  |  | $3 \cdot 22$ | 3.53 3.23 | 2.97 | 14.5 | 4.76 6.42 | 18.90 |  | 15.72 | 4.86 | 0.53 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 8.1 | $34 \cdot 2$ |
| 1948 |  |  |  | 3.23 |  |  | 6.42 |  | 2.08 | 15.81 | 5.74 | 0.64 | 30.1 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 36.7 |
| 1947 | April May June |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1.43^{*} \\ & 1.61 \\ & 1.69^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.86^{*} \\ & 3.17 \\ & 3.77^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.49 * * \\ & 2.82 \\ & 2.75^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 12.3 \\ & 13.4^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 05^{*} \\ & 5 \cdot 27 \\ & 5 \cdot 17^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.19 * \\ & 16.41 \\ & 17.53^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.64^{*} \\ & 1.74 \\ & 1.63^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.01^{*} \\ & 16.70 \\ & 18.96^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.41^{*} \\ & 4.71^{*} \\ & 5.87^{\prime} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.44^{*} \\ & 0.55 \\ & 0.53^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \\ & 30 \cdot 4^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 8 \cdot 9^{*} \\ & 9 \cdot 0^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 36 \\ & 2 \cdot 25^{*} \\ & 2 \cdot 43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.21 \\ & 3.51 * \\ & 3.78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.49 \\ & 2.50^{*} \\ & 2.95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.0 \\ & 11.8^{*} \\ & 14.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.93 \\ & 4.96^{*} \\ & 5.07 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.47 \\ & 16.04^{*} \\ & 18.45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.93 \\ & 1.53^{*} \\ & 1.79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \cdot 16 \\ & 16 \cdot 19^{*} \\ & 16 \cdot 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.21 \\ & 5.14^{*} \\ & 5.48 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.60 \\ & 0.52^{*} \\ & 0.67 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 27 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 5 \\ & 7.5^{*} \\ & 7 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 3 \\ & 34 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 81 * \\ & 3 \cdot 32 \\ & 2 \cdot 87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.95^{*} \\ & 4.39 \\ & 3.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.94^{*} \\ & 3.07 \\ & 2.47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.2^{*} \\ & 14.0 \\ & 12.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 29^{*} \\ & 5 \cdot 15 \\ & 4 \cdot 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.94^{*} \\ & 18.48 \\ & 16.23 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.00^{*} \\ & 2.13 \\ & 1.83 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 83^{*} \\ & 15.77 \\ & 14.12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.94^{*} \\ & 5.65 \\ & 4.73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.73^{*} \\ & 0.62 \\ & 0.61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 29.8 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 6 * \\ & 7 \cdot 7 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 6 \\ & 45 \cdot 5 \\ & 21.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | January <br> February <br> March .. | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.27^{*} \\ & 3.38 \\ & 2.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 46 * \\ & 4 \cdot 33 \\ & 4 \cdot 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 10^{*} \\ & 3.03 \\ & 2.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 14.2 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.27^{*} \\ & 5.88 \\ & 5.26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.09 * \\ & 18.96 \\ & 17.96 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.26^{*} \\ & 2.25 \\ & 2.02 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 27^{*} \\ & 15 \cdot 20 \\ & 12 \cdot 62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.95^{*} \\ & 4.09 \\ & 4.28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.66^{*} \\ & 0.62 \\ & 0.56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 27 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 7.4 \\ & 7 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33.94 \\ & 38.7 \\ & 37.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... <br> May <br> June | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 70^{*} \\ & 3.08 \\ & 2.32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.30^{*} \\ & 3.67 \\ & 3.42 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 07 * \\ & 3 \cdot 00 \\ & 3 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 * \\ & 14.9 \\ & 15.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.54^{*} \\ & 6.06 \\ & 6.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.76^{*} \\ & 19.17 \\ & 19.59 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.25^{*} \\ & 1.95 \\ & 1.95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 36 * \\ & 14.36 \\ & 15 \cdot 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.37 * \\ & 4.82 \\ & 4.66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.73^{*} \\ & 0.66 \\ & 0.64 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 9 * \\ & 29.4 \\ & 31 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 6 * \\ & 7 \cdot 4 \\ & 7 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40.10 \\ & 32.9 \\ & 34.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... August... September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.89 * \\ & 3.55 \\ & 3.43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.01 \\ & 2.41 \\ & 2.59 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.38^{*} \\ & 2.96 \\ & 3.20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8^{*} \\ & 14.0 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 84^{*} \\ & 7 \cdot 48 \\ & 7 \cdot 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.41^{*} \\ & 18.69 \\ & 20.30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 88^{*} \\ & 2.02 \\ & 2.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.22^{*} \\ & 15.75 \\ & 17.51 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 03^{*} \\ & 6 \cdot 32 \\ & 6.89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.52^{*} \\ & 0.48 \\ & 0.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 1 * \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 7 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 2 \\ & 38 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3.55 * \\ & 3.90 \\ & 3.79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.39 * \\ & 2.61 \\ & 2.31 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.066^{*} \\ & 3.22 \\ & 2.74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6^{*} \\ & 15.4 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.57 * \\ & 7.61 \\ & 6.47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 04^{*} \\ & 20 \cdot 23 \\ & 17 \cdot 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.18^{*} \\ & 2.26 \\ & 1.83 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.53^{*} \\ & 20.33 \\ & 17.86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 29 * \\ & 8.93 \\ & 7.53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.71 * \\ & 0.69 \\ & 0.62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 33 \cdot 0 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 9 * \\ & 8 \cdot 0 \\ & 9 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 1 * \\ & 41 \cdot 3 \\ & 38 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 194 | January <br> February <br> March | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 78^{*} \\ & 3 \cdot 38 \\ & 3.98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.71 * \\ & 2.16 \\ & 2.17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 10^{*} \\ & 2 \cdot 92 \\ & 2 \cdot 80 \end{aligned}$ | 14.7* | 7.48* | 19.57* | 2.51* | 20.90* |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 15.7 | 8.04 | 20.06 | 2.46 | 22.33 | 9.06 | $0.7{ }^{\text {a }}$ 0.70 | $32.6 *$ 34.7 | $11.0 *$ 9.9 | $37.8 *$ 39.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7.86 | $20 \cdot 28$ | 2.77 | 22.03 | 8.87 | 0.71 | 35.0 | 11.8 | $44 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April May June | $\ldots$ | 3.82 | 1.71 | $2 \cdot 83$ | 14.2 | $7 \cdot 62$ | 18.65 | $2 \cdot 36$ | $20 \cdot 10$ | $7 \cdot 73$ | 0.71 | $32 \cdot 6$ | 11.2 | 38.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Paper-making materials, wood-pulp, newsprint and paper and board : Stocks
TABLE 56
End of period
Thousand tons

${ }^{(1)}$ Including wood waste, chippings and, from July 1946, rejected pit-props.
(2) Held at mills.
${ }^{3}$ ) Held by manufacturers of rayon and for cellulose film.
(4) Including cellulose wadding.
(5) Held by paper-makers, paper-merchants and certain large converters and consumers (other than publishers). Excludes national stocks of building boards before January 1945.
(6) As at May 8.
(7) From February 1949 the figures include stocks (amounting to $108 \cdot 2$ thousand tons at the end of that month) held by certain converters, manufacturing stationers and consumers from whom stock returns were not previously obtained.

## VI. MANUFACTURED GOODS

Railway rolling stock( ${ }^{1}$ ) and other equipment: Production
TABLE 57


MANUFACTURED GOODS
Passenger cars( ${ }^{1}$ ) : Production for home market and for export
TABLE 58

${ }^{(1)}$ Including chassis delivered as such by motor manufacturers.
(2) The figures for 1944 and 1945 include production for export.
${ }^{(3)}$ The value figures relate to deliveries and include spares produced by motor manufacturers.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Up to the end of 1947 passenger cars produced were classified according to horse-power. For the purpose of this table the categories "Not exceeding 12 h.p.", "Over 12 h.p. and not over 16 h.p." and 600 ver 16 h.p." have been assumed to be equivalent to the categories "Up to 1,600 c.c.". "Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 c.c." and "Over 2,200 c.c." respectively.
(5) Actual exports.
${ }^{(6)}$ Estimated.

* Five week period.


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Commercial motor vehicles $\left({ }^{(1)}\right.$ : Production for home market and for export
TABLE 59

|  |  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Value } \left.{ }^{3}\right) \\ £ 000 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total |  | Production for home market ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  | Production for export |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | Under 15 cwt. | From 15 cwt. to 6 tons | Over <br> 6 tons | Public service vehicles (4) | Total | Under 15 cwt. | From 15 cwt . to 6 tons | Over 6 tons | Public service vehicles $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | Total | For export |  |  |
|  |  |  | Weekly averages | Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,768 \\ & 2,000(6) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,662 \\ & 8,667\left({ }^{6}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} . . \\ . . \\ 10,904 \\ 10,206 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,481 \\ & 1,753 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,663 \\ & 7,574 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 592 \\ & 636 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 243 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,136(5) \\ & 1,189(5) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\cdots$ |  | . |  |
| 1944 |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,516 \\ & 2,355 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,904 \\ & 10,206 \end{aligned}$ | . | . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . | . |  |
| 1946 |  |  | 2,810 | 12,177 | 8,159 | 2,915 | 4,409 | 300 | 535 | 4,018 | 1,131 | 2,537 | 84 | 266 |  |  |
| 1947 | $\ldots$ | ... | 2,974 | 12,889 | 8,689 | 3,315 | 4,422 | 234 | 718 | 4,200 | 1,511 | 2,246 | 100 | 343 | 7,271 | 1,902 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ |  | 3,270 | 14,169 | 7,186 | 2,343 | 3,896 | 303 | 645 | 6,983 | 2,804 | 3,562 | 193 | 424 | 9,125 | 3,460 |
| 1947 | April <br> May <br> *June | $\ldots$$\ldots$$\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,080 \\ & 3,575 \\ & 2,965 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,320 \\ & 14,301 \\ & 14,826 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,601 \\ 9,926 \\ 10,269 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,349 \\ & 4,307 \\ & 3,665 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,485 \\ & 4,740 \\ & 5,272 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \\ & 266 \\ & 282 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 617 \\ 613 \\ 1,050 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,719 \\ & 4,375 \\ & 4,557 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,391 \\ & 1,496 \\ & 1,620 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,937 \\ & 2,456 \\ & 2,321 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 95 \\ 107 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 303 \\ & 328 \\ & 509 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,771 \\ & 7,569 \\ & 7,841 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,588 \\ & 2,003 \\ & 2,144 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> - September |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,994 \\ & 2,683 \\ & 3,330 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,975 \\ & 10,733 \\ & 16,650 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,340 \\ 7,379 \\ 10,961 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,106 \\ & 2,685 \\ & 4,381 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,275 \\ & 3,823 \\ & 5,288 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207 \\ & 297 \\ & 361 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 752 \\ & 574 \\ & 931 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,635 \\ & 3,354 \\ & 5,689 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,502 \\ & 1,194 \\ & 2,165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,792 \\ & 1,789 \\ & 3,035 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 42 \\ 60 \\ 101 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 299 \\ -3 i 1 \\ 388 \end{array}$ | 7,145 6,725 8,331 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,836 \\ & 1,747 \\ & 2,043 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November <br> *December | ... | 3,523 3,433 | 14,092 13,734 | 9,071 8,632 | 3,526 3,492 | 4,574 4,119 | 229 215 | 742 806 | 5,021 5,102 | 2,089 1,930 | 2,459 2,558 | 124 183 | 349 431 | 8,393 | 2,331 |
|  |  |  | 3,433 3,150 | 13,734 15,749 | 8,632 9,803 | 3,492 3,423 | 4,119 5,220 | 215 263 | 806 897 | 5,102 $\mathbf{5 , 9 4 6}$ | 1,930 1,597 | 2,558 3,610 | 183 200 | 431 539 | 8,087 9,353 | 2,410 2,614 |
| 1948 | January February †March ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,431 \\ & 2,968 \\ & 3,016 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,724 \\ & 11,873 \\ & 15,081 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,721 \\ & 2,247 \\ & 2,192 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,882 \\ & 2,934 \\ & 4,316 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 263 \\ & 293 \\ & 294 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 714 \\ & 707 \\ & 791 \end{aligned}$ | $6,144$ <br> 5,692 <br> 7,488 | $2,023$ <br> 1,614 <br> 2,905 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,459 \\ & 3,432 \\ & 3,763 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \\ & 184 \\ & 268 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 439 \\ & 462 \\ & 552 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,225 \\ & 7,925 \\ & 9,354 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,429 \\ & 3,035 \\ & 3,420 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| April May *June |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,889 \\ & 3,159 \\ & 3,493 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,554 \\ & 12,634 \\ & 17,463 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,418 \\ & 6,660 \\ & 8,654 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,859 \\ & 1,923 \\ & 2,658 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,820 \\ & 4,025 \\ & 4,955 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187 \\ & 250 \\ & 331 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 552 \\ & 462 \\ & 710 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,136 \\ & 5,974 \end{aligned}$ <br> 8,809 | $2,152$ <br> -2,788 <br> 3,735 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,413 \\ & 2,621 \\ & 4,269 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102 \\ 114 \\ 225 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 469 \\ & 451 \\ & 580 \end{aligned}$ | 9,202 <br> 8,600 <br> 9,999 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,145 \\ & 3,116 \\ & 4,330 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July ... <br> *August <br> *September |  | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,288 \\ & 2,440 \\ & 3,451 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,150 \\ & 12,199 \\ & 17,256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,639 \\ & 5,937 \\ & 7,336 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,325 \\ & 1,944 \\ & 2,238 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,712 \\ & 2,859 \\ & 4,038 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 209 \\ & 387 \\ & 339 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 393 \\ & 747 \\ & 721 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,511 \\ & 6,262 \\ & 9,920 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,820 \\ & 2,160 \\ & 4,359 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,174 \\ & 3,451 \\ & 4,985 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 164 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 370 \\ & 487 \\ & 418 \end{aligned}$ | 8,294 <br> 8,050 <br> 9,624 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,209 \\ & 3,235 \\ & 4,248 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October November <br> *December |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,904 \\ & 3,840 \\ & 3,478 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,616 \\ .15,362 \\ 17,390 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,878 \\ & 8,336 \\ & 8,683 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,626 \\ & 2,593 \\ & 3,311 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,250 \\ & 4,654 \\ & 4,211 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 380 \\ 372 \\ 406 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 622 \\ & 717 \\ & 755 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,738 \\ & 7,026 \\ & 8,707 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,476 \\ & 3,152 \\ & 3,107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,751 \\ & 3,279 \\ & 4,976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 314 \\ & 322 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 375 \\ & 281 \\ & 302 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,523 \\ & 3,913 \\ & 3,914 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> *March ... |  | 3,892 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,569 \\ & 15,453 \\ & 20,686 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,971 \\ 7,530 \\ 10,039 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,643 \\ & 2,253 \end{aligned}$ <br> 3,587 | 4,1434,1095,061 | $\begin{aligned} & 351 \\ & 317 \\ & 325 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 834 \\ 851 \\ 1,066 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,598 \\ 7,923 \\ 10,647 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,514 \\ & 4,272 \\ & 5,462 \end{aligned}$ | 3,650 | 227 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 10,021 \\ 9,789 \\ 11,516 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,597 \\ & 3,512 \\ & 4,196 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | 3,863 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3,650 3,125 | 227 259 | 267 |  |  |
|  |  |  | 4,139 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4,451 | 353 | 381 |  |  |
|  | April | ... | 3,725 4,367 | $\begin{aligned} & 14,900 \\ & 17,466 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,790 \\ 9,335 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,467 \\ & 4,070 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,150 \\ & 4,013 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 327 \\ & 347 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 846 \\ & 905 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,110 \\ & 8,131 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,010 \\ & 3,676 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,522 \\ & 3,952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 239 \\ 292 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 339 \\ & 211 \end{aligned}$ | 9,552 | 3,271 |
|  | June | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Including chassis delivered as such by motor manufacturers. Battery-driven electric road vehicles
Source : Ministry of Supply are excluded and shown in Table 60.
${ }^{(2}$ ) The figures for 1944 and 1945 include production for export,
${ }^{(3}$ ) The value figures relate to deliveries and include spares produced by motor manufacturers.
(a) Including trolley-buses, but excluding trams. Figures refer to production of chassis.
(5) Actual exports.
(g) Estimated.

* Five week period.

Battery-driven electric road vehicles, cycles and aircraft : Production
TABLE 60
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures for individual months are totals for periods of four and five weeks. The
Source : Ministry of Supply five-week periods are marked with an asterisk.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Deliveries. The figures exclude aircraft of military type except those produced for export.
Figures for the period June 1948 to February 1949 inclusive have been revised.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Value figures relate to deliveries for calendar months and (except for 1935) include parts and accessories.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) For this index, the monthly average of deliveries (for home and export combined) in the three months January to March 1946 is taken as 100.
$\left.{ }^{5}\right)$ Actual exports.
Mechanical handling equipment: Production
TABLE 61


[^10]Source : Ministry of Supply

## Agricultural machinery : Production

TABLE 62


Coal mining machinery: Deliveries
TABLE 63
Monthly averages or calendar months


[^11]Source: Ministry of Supply and
Ministry of Fuel and Power

Textile, printing and tobacco machinery: Deliveries
TABLE 64
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value $\mathbf{1 0 0 0}$

|  |  |  |  | Hosiery, lace and embroidery machinery and accessories |  | Other textile machinery and accessories ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Hosiery and knitting machine needles |  | Printing and bookbinding machinery |  | Tobacco and cigarette-making machinery |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
| 1935 |  |  | ... | 77 | $40\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 950 | 536(2) | .. |  | 283 | 95( ${ }^{2}$ ) | 49 | 16() |
| 1946 | .. ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 178 245 | 77 120 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,081 \\ & 2,997 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,059 \\ & 1,700 \end{aligned}$ | .. | .. | $\begin{aligned} & 461 \\ & 717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 303 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169- \\ & 248 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 174 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 |  |  |  | 418 | 220 | 4,275 | 2,433 | $47 \cdot 9$ | 13.5 | 951 | 547 | 327 | 265 |
| 1948 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & . . \\ \text { May } & . . \\ \text { June } & \text {... }\end{array}$ | ... $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 416 368 473 | 216 187 239 | 4,100 4,200 4,300 | 2,400 2,400 2,300 | 49.1 42.6 50.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 12.7 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 811 \\ & 866 \\ & 992 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 490 \\ & 448 \\ & 608 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 313 \\ & 370 \\ & 338 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 260 \\ & 301 \\ & 266 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August... <br> September |  | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 405 342 431 | 215 177 256 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,200 \\ & 4,100 \\ & 4,300 \end{aligned}$ | 2,300 2,300 2,400 | $46 \cdot 6$ $46 \cdot 3$ 50.4 | 13.8 12.6 16.8 | 817 908 988 | 510 541 542 | $\begin{aligned} & 320 \\ & 318 \\ & 320 \end{aligned}$ | 245 235 231 |
|  | October <br> November <br> December |  | $\ldots$ | 425 500 487 | 234 280 258 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,600 \\ & 4,900 \\ & 4,800 \end{aligned}$ | 2,600 2,800 2,800 | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \cdot 0 \\ & 57.3 \\ & 55 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16.3 \\ 15.7 \\ 9.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,005 \\ & 1,026 \\ & 1,440 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 563 \\ & 656 \\ & 873 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 331 \\ & 347 \\ & 338 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 236 \\ & 239 \\ & 267 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> March ... | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 437 \\ & 431 \\ & 510 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 213 \\ & 217 \\ & 248 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,900 \\ & 5,100 \end{aligned}$ | 2,800 $\mathbf{2 , 9 0 0}$ | $53 \cdot 6$ $56 \cdot 9$ $66 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 \\ & 14.9 \\ & 18.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,056 \\ & 1,056 \\ & 1,288 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 644 \\ & 577 \\ & 665 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 336 \\ & 327 \\ & 316 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 240 \\ & 201 \\ & 181 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { April } & . . \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \end{array}$ | $\cdots$ |  | 401 | 226 |  |  | $57 \cdot 3$ | 13.9 | 716 | 313 | 301 | 175 |

${ }^{( }$) Figures from December 1947 are partly estimated.
Source : Ministry of Supply $\left(^{2}\right)$ Actual exports.

## Brick and tile, pottery, stone-working and mattress-making machinery : Deliveries

TABLE 65 Monthly averages

Value $£ 000$

|  |  |  |  | making | d tile hinery ${ }^{1}$ ) | Pott ma | making ry( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Sto | orking nery | Mat | -making nery |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
| 1946 | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | ... | 67 | 11 | 33 | 2 | $17 \cdot 4$ | 9.4 |  | - |
| 1947 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 106 | 21 | 46 | 5 | 12.2 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 5$ |
| 1948 | ... ... .. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 141 | 35 | 106 | 11 | 13.6 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 8$ |
| 1947 | Ist Quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | 78 | 14 | 31 | 2 | 19.6 | $8 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | 0.9 |
|  | 2nd Quarter ... | ... | . | 117 | 28 | 46 | 5 | 9.4 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | 1.0 |
|  | 3rd Quarter ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 104 | 16 | $45^{\circ}$ | 3 | 7.9 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | 1.0 |
|  | 4th Quarter . | $\ldots$ | ... | 127 | 29 | 60 | 8 | 12.0 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 0$ |
| 1948 | Ist Quarter ... |  |  | 119 | 27 | 80 | 5 | 9.8 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 3$ |
|  | 2nd Quarter ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 131 | 29 | 92 | 5 | 16.0 | $4 \cdot 5$ | 4.8 | $3 \cdot 0$ |
|  | 3rd Quarter ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 127 | 32 | 80 | 8 | 13.9 | 2.9 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 2.9 |
|  | 4th Quarter ... |  | $\ldots$ | 188 | 52 | 173 | 27 | 14.8 | 3.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | $6 \cdot 4$ | $1 \cdot 7$ |

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Machine tools, small tools and welding sets : Deliveries

TABLE 66
Monthly averages or calendar months

(1) Excluding machine tools of low value.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Measuring instruments and machines are included only from 1947 onwards. During the third quarter of 1947, deliveries of these were at the rate of $£ 96,000$ per month, of which $£ 36,500$ was for export.
${ }^{3}$ ) This figure relates to arc sets only. In 1947 and 1948 deliveries of arc sets were at the rate
of $£ 116,000$ and $£ 140,000$ per month respectively.

Stationary engines, pumps and industrial valves: Deliveries
TABLE 67 Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ Excludes internal combustion engines for aeroplanes, tanks and road vehicles and
Source : Ministry of Supply Internal combustion engines of over 1,500 brake horse-power for marine propulsion.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Actual exports.

## Boilers, boiler-house plant and industrial furnaces: Deliveries

TABLE 68
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value 1000

(1) Excluding blast and open hearth furnaces and soaking pits.

Source : Ministry of Supply
$\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ For 1935 and 1946 oil fuel burning equipment is included under "other " but is shown
separately thereafter.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Actual exports.

## Electricity generating plant, rotating electrical machines and electrical control gear: Deliveries

TABLE 69
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Electricity generating plant |  |  |  |  |  | Rotating electrical machines ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Electrical control gear( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Hydraulic turbines |  | Steam turboalternators $10,000 \mathrm{~kW}$. and over |  | Steam turbines less than $10,000 \mathrm{~kW}$. |  | 1-250 horse-power kVA. or kW. |  |  |  | Fractional horse-power ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | A.C. motors | Other |  |  | A.C. motors | Other |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export |  |  | Total | For export | Total |  | For export |  | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  | Thousand B.H.P. | Thousand kW. |  |  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 |  | $\ldots$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 5 \\ & 86 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.0 \\ & 38.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \\ & 13.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.4 \\ 8.6 \end{array}$ |  |  |  | $7{ }^{4}$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & 345\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 392 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67(4) \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | 596 712 |  |
| 1948 |  | ... | $6 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 112.0 | 39.0 | 24.8 | 18.1 | 1,141 | 574 | 203 | 108 | 617 | 109 | 994 |  |
| 1948 | January <br> February March | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | - $3 \cdot 7$ $23 \cdot 7$ | 7 3.7 23.7 | $80 \cdot 0$ $80 \cdot 3$ $35 \cdot 0$ | $50 \cdot 0$ 48.8 $20 \cdot 0$ | $\} 42 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 3\{$ | 1,036 967 1,082 | 528 626 596 | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 138 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | 52 79 98 | $\begin{aligned} & 577 \\ & 563 \\ & 624 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 64 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | 870 832 907 |  |
|  | April <br> May .. <br> June... | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 7.5 8.5 | 7.5 <br> 8.5 | 52.0 102.5 86.5 | 50.0 $25 \cdot 0$ | $\} 24 \cdot 3$ | $18.2\{$ | 1,168 | 540 543 575 | 157 153 179 | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 164 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 692 \\ & 614 \\ & 657 \end{aligned}$ | 92 90 120 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,046 \\ & 944 \\ & 1,027 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 309 \\ & 337 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | 0.6 34.4 | $\frac{0.6}{9.0}$ | 165.0 132.3 198.4 | 40.0 18.8 78.4 | $\} 16.4$ | $12.4\{$ | 1,085 1,011 1,205 | 543 461 568 | 175 170 250 | 157 83 149 | $\begin{aligned} & 588 \\ & 530 \\ & 665 \end{aligned}$ | 102 111 151 | $\begin{array}{r} 976 \\ 912 \\ \mathrm{I}, 104 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 205 \\ & 176 \\ & 253 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.7 \\ & 0.4 \end{aligned}$ | 二 | $\begin{aligned} & 160.0 \\ & 135.0 \\ & 116.5 \end{aligned}$ | 27.5 $55 \cdot 0$ $55 \cdot 0$ | $\} 16.1$ | $8 \cdot 4\{$ | 1,247 1,350 1,281 | 635 677 595 | $\begin{aligned} & 285 \\ & 338 \\ & 275 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 101 \\ 76 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 598 \\ & 656 \\ & 643 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 133 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,028 \\ & 1,126 \\ & 1,159 \end{aligned}$ | 236 272 268 |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> March | $\cdots$ | 158.5 82.6 - | 67.5 37.1 | $120 \cdot 0$ $80 \cdot 0$ $160 \cdot 0$ | $\frac{22.5}{50 \cdot 0}$ | $\} 28.9$ | $19.9\{$ | 1,233 1,207 1,363 | 666 655 756 | $\begin{aligned} & 315 \\ & 297 \\ & 339 \end{aligned}$ | 144 144 148 | $\begin{aligned} & 541 \\ & 565 \\ & 626 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 124 \\ & 153 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,085 \\ & 1,048 \\ & 1,218 \end{aligned}$ | 254 244 276 |
|  | April ... | ... | - | - | 322.5 | 130.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Includes electric motors and generators.
(2) Includes rotary converters also.
${ }^{3}$ ) Production. Comprises starting and control gear for electric motors up to 300 H.P.
(4) Average for six months July to December.

Miscellaneous industrial and domestic equipment : Deliveries
TABLE 70
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value $£ 000$

|  |  |  |  |  |  | Mon | $y$ aver | or | ndar m |  |  |  |  |  | ue $£ 000$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Refrige | ating m | hinery | parts |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Do } \\ \text { refri } \end{array}$ | estic rators | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Com } \\ & \text { refris } \end{aligned}$ | ercial rators | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ind } \\ & \text { refri } \end{aligned}$ | trial rators |  | ment |  | inkler ment |  | ooks |
|  |  |  |  | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1947 \\ & 1948 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 249 \\ & 450 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 69 \\ 235 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 503 \\ & 576 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 96 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 137 \\ & 161 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186 \\ & 244 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \\ & 75 \end{aligned}$ | 308 | 105 | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | April <br> May <br> June |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 396 \\ & 399 \\ & 435 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 225 \\ & 227 \\ & 204 \end{aligned}$ | 662 640 623 | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 132 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 164 \\ & 111 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \\ & 52 \\ & 63 \end{aligned}$ | 267 233 219 | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 78 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 276 \\ & 294 \\ & 298 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 106 \\ 88 \end{array}$ | 139 146 135 | $\begin{array}{r} 102 \\ 114 \\ 97 \end{array}$ |
|  | July August September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 434 461 470 | 259 243 237 | 629 529 609 | 88 102 102 | 150 113 176 | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 76 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 197 \\ & 206 \\ & 237 \end{aligned}$ | 52 51 76 | 277 <br> 321 <br> 318 | 90 119 100 | 143 85 126 | 107 60 89 |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 588 \\ & 593 \\ & 591 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 313 \\ & 317 \\ & 334 \end{aligned}$ | 543 586 496 | 61 88 109 | $\begin{aligned} & 232 \\ & 184 \\ & 228 \end{aligned}$ | 61 107 84 | 220 274 292 | 63 81 89 | $\begin{aligned} & 300 \\ & 397 \\ & 404 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \\ & 132 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133 \\ & 145 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 109 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | January February March | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 740 \\ & 635 \\ & 584 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 408 \\ & 367 \\ & 417 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 437 \\ & 505 \\ & 715 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108 \\ 98 \\ 136 \end{array}$ | 243 350 287 | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 112 \\ 104 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 224 \\ & 258 \\ & 256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 84 \\ 103 \\ 78 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 285 \\ & 266 \\ & 347 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 81 \\ 120 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 139 \\ & 137 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 104 \\ 100 \end{array}$ |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 629 | 380 | 643 | 78 | 275 | 120 | 245 | 74 | 308 | 86 | 135 | 98 |

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Electrical equipment and appliances (i) : Production
TABLE 71
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  |  | Domestic radio sets |  | Televisionsets $\|$ | Dry cells |  | Accumulators( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | Electric lamp bulbs (complete) |  | Insulated wire and cable |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  |  | Thousands |  | Number | Millions of unit cells |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 |  | ... | ... | 154 | $4 \cdot 7\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | .. | . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 115 165 | 28 34 | 530 2,350 | $75 \cdot 0$ 86.5 | 3.8 | 901 1,045 | 204 262 | 774 865 | 92 97 | 3,332 4,659 | 820 1,230 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 136 | 27 | 7,557 | 72.2 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 1,250 | 357 | 931 | 144 | 4,659 5,824 | 1,230 |
| 1948 | April | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 175 | 27 | 4,514 | 54.85 | 4.65 | 1,129 | 346 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,034 \\ 761 \\ 810 \end{array}$ | 148137168 | $\} 5,505$ | 1,967 |
|  | May June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 146 143 | 29 25 | 5,174 5,721 | 46.17 62.73 | 4.45 4.30 | 1,051 1,292 | 337 433 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 115 | 32 | 6,029 | 74.93 | 5.46 | 1,122 |  |  |  | $\} 5,637$ | 2,048 |
|  | August .... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 80 | 26 | 6,301 | 64.73 | 3.44 | 1,112 | 381 | 703 | 122 |  |  |
|  | September |  | ... | 109 | 30 | 11,876 | 85.02 | $6 \cdot 77$ | 1,338 | 369 | 869 |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  | ... | 109 | 24 | 12,039 | 81.46 | $6 \cdot 26$ | 1,476 | 351 | 990 | 166 | \}6,778 | 2,386 |
|  |  | ... | ... | 126 | 33 | 12,835 | 76.99 | 7.58 | 1,457 | 344 | 1,012 | 144 |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... | 120 | 27 | 13,625 | 76.82 | $7 \cdot 51$ | 1,571 | 446 | 962 | 132 |  |  |
| 1949 | January ... <br> February <br> March |  | $\ldots$ | 11196106 | 222645 | $\begin{aligned} & 10,720 \\ & 10,815 \\ & 10,661 \end{aligned}$ | 74.3763.83 | 6.287.05 | 1,3211,2841,568 | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \\ & 444 \end{aligned}$ | 918834 | 156114 |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April |  |  | 93 | 25 | 9,463 |  | $y$ | 1,180 | 428 |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { May } \\ \text { June } & \text {... }\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries.
Source : Ministry of Supply
${ }^{2}$ (2) Except for 1935, the figures relate to export sales.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Actual exports, excluding radiograms.
Electrical equipment and appliances (ii) : Production
TABLE 72
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousands

(1) Estimated.
${ }_{(2)}^{2}$ Actual exports.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Average of May and June.

## Office machinery: Deliveries

TABLE 73
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  |  |  | Typewriters |  |  |  | Accounting and similar machinery |  | Other office machinery |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total |  | For export |  | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  |  |  | Number ${ }^{1}$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value }\left({ }^{2}\right) \\ & E 000 \end{aligned}$ | Number ${ }^{1}$ ) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Value }{ }^{2} \text { ) } \\ £ 000 \end{gathered}$ | Value $\mathbf{6 0 0 0}\left({ }^{\mathbf{2}}\right.$ ) |  |  |  |
| 1935 | ... ... | ... | ... | ... |  | 34.0 |  | $13.8{ }^{(3)}$ | 49.0 | $7 \cdot 0\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | $47 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 2{ }^{(3)}$ |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3,274 3,814 | 66.5 81.9 | 1,135 1,565 | 20.3 28.9 | 191.3 .312 .6 | 65.1 83.7 | 137.2 206.5 | 40.1 50.6 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 5,154 | 171.7 | 2,100 | 54.1 | 554.6 | $161 \cdot 4$ | 351.9 | 119.5 |
| 1948 |  | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,303 | 148.0 | 2,111 | 55.1 | 481.2 | 122.3 | 402.3 | 122.9 |
|  | May ... |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,431 | 151.1 163.4 | 1,944 | $50 \cdot 2$ $46 \cdot 3$ | $470 \cdot 0$ 616.0 | 125.6 137.6 | 337.9 363.6 | 101.6 |
|  | June ... |  |  | ... | 4,819 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 121.4 |
|  | July ... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 5,058 | 172.9 | 1,471 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 583.1 | 228.7 | 341.8 | $107 \cdot 4$ |
|  | August |  |  | ... | 5,049 | 152.8 | 2,037 | 48.9 | $539 \cdot 0$ 646.2 | 139.1 | 324.9 | 121.1 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 5,336 | 172.7 | 2,025 |  |  |  | 332.9 |  |
|  | October | ... |  | $\ldots$ | 5,636 | 192.5 | 1,935 | $50 \cdot 6$ | 549.4 | 198.6 | 313.5 | 106.5 |
|  | November |  |  | ... | 6,993 | 229.2 | 2,776 | $66 \cdot 7$ | $705 \cdot 0$ | 228.1 | 357.4 | 142.2 |
|  | December |  |  | $\ldots$ | 6,207 | 227.6 | 1,942 | 61.2 | $780 \cdot 6$ | $242 \cdot 0$ | $336 \cdot 3$ | 122.1 |
| 1949 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 5,996 | 222.6 | 1,527 | $43 \cdot 3$ | $603 \cdot 3$ | $133 \cdot 3$ | 327.5 | 113.8 |
|  | February |  |  | ... | 5,792 | 209.4 | 1,732 | $46 \cdot 8$ | 592.5 | 158.5 | 329.0 | 97.0 |
|  | March... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 8,129 | $270 \cdot 9$ | 4,211 | 119.7 | $772 \cdot 6$ | $252 \cdot 8$ | 371.9 | 116.4 |
|  | April ... | ... | ... | ... | 6,142 | $208 \cdot 2$ | 2,752 | $78 \cdot 6$ | 719.3 | $200 \cdot 0$ | 320.5 | 113.7 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Complete machines.
(3) Including parts.
(8) Actual exports.

## Clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms : Production

TABLE 74
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{1}$ ) Including mechanical and electrical types.
(2) Average for six months, July-December. Figures for earlier dates were negligible.

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## Woven cloth and knitting yarn: Supplies for home civilian clothing

Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ Includes all supplies by manufacturers or merchant converters except those for direct orders by a Government Department or for export. Deliveries for certain civilian uniforms (e.g., railway uniforms) are excluded in the case of woven wool cloth, but Included for woven non-wool cloth.
${ }^{(2)}$ Actual production.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ These figures are somewhat inflated owing to a change in the method of coliection of the figures.
(i) Men's and women's outerwear and underwear

| TABLE 76 |  | Monthly averages |  |  |  |  |  | Millions |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Men's and youths' |  |  |  |  |  | Women's and maids' |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Pullovers and cardigans |  | Vests |  | Pants and trunks |  | Jumpers and cardigans |  | Vests |  | Knickers and pantees |  |
|  |  | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for hom civilian market |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.76 | 0.52 | 0.50 | 1.45 | 1.32 | 1.70 | 1.63 |
| 1944 |  | 0.25 0.36 | 0.19 0.23 | 1.41 | 0.73 | 1.18 | 0.80 | 0.53 | 0.52 | 1.53 | 1.43 | 1.90 | 1.81 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | 0.51 | 0.36 | 1.57 | 0.84 | 1.13 | 0.85 | 0.75 1.00 | 0.68 | 1.90 | 1.68 | 2.17 | 1.87 |
| 1947 | $\ldots$ | 0.57 | 0.42 | 1.51 | 1.08 | 1.28 | 1.09 | 1.00 | 0.88 0.97 | 2.21 | 1.91 | 2.54 | $2 \cdot 11$ |
| 1948 | ... ... ... | 0.72 | 0.53 | $2 \cdot 11$ | $1 \cdot 22$ | 1.52 | 1.23 | 1.14 | 0.97 |  | $2 \cdot 26$ | $2 \cdot 92$ | $2 \cdot 46$ |
| 1947 |  |  |  | 1.44 | 1.14 | 1.24 | 1.09 | 0.98 | 0.88 | $2 \cdot 19$ | 1.96 | 2.46 | $2 \cdot 20$ |
|  |  | 0.57 | 0.39 | 1.35 | 1.05 | 1.21 | 1.07 | 1.07 | 0.93 | $2 \cdot 17$ | 1.93 | 2.49 | 1.83 |
|  |  | 0.56 | 0.45 | 1.47 | $1 \cdot 20$ | 1.30 | $1 \cdot 19$ | 0.96 | 0.84 | 2.23 | 2.01 | 2.58 | 2.26 |
|  | September to October | 0.69 | 0.52 | 1.72 | 1.27 | 1.58 | 1.34 | 1.16 | 0.98 | 2.59 | 2.25 | $3 \cdot 12$ | $2 \cdot 68$ |
|  | NovembertoDecember | 0.64 | 0.48 | 1.99 | 1.27 | 1.43 | 1.14 | 1.04 | 0.84 | 2.44 | 1.97 | 2.81 | $2 \cdot 29$ |
| 1948 | January to February... | 0.62 | 0.42 | 2.01 | $1 \cdot 17$ | 1.43 | 1.17 | 1.05 | 0.85 | 2.44 | 1.99 | 2.91 | 2.39 |
|  | March to April ... | 0.65 | 0.45 | 2.32 | 1.29 | 1.55 | 1.28 | 1.15 | 0.96 | 2.57 | 2.16 | 3.05 | 2.55 |
|  | May to June ... ... | 0.63 | 0.50 | 2.08 | 1.11 | 1.43 | 1.14 | 1.07 | 0.96 | $2 \cdot 31$ | 1.94 | 2.76 | $2 \cdot 24$ |
|  | July to August ... | 0.72 | 0.53 | 2.04 | $1 \cdot 23$ | 1.45 | $1 \cdot 17$ | 1.01 | 0.86 | 2.42 | 2.11 | $2 \cdot 68$ | $2 \cdot 27$ |
|  | September to October | 0.83 | 0.63 | 2.14 | 1.27 | 1.65 | 1.29 | 1.29 | 1.11 | 2.97 | 2.65 | 3.19 | $2 \cdot 78$ |
|  | NovembertoDecember | 0.86 | 0.63 | 2.05 | $1 \cdot 23$ | 1.59 | $1 \cdot 32$ | $1 \cdot 30$ | 1.09 | 2.97 | 2.71 | $2 \cdot 92$ | 2.53 |
| 1949 | January to February... March to April | 0.89 | 0.66 | $2 \cdot 15$ | 1.33 | 1.62 | $1 \cdot 37$ | 1.38 | $1 \cdot 15$ | 2.89 | $2 \cdot 40$ | 3.09 | $2 \cdot 67$ |

(ii) Children's outerwear and underwear; socks and stockings

TABLE 77
Monthly averages
Millions

|  |  | Children's and infants' |  |  |  | Socks and stockings (pairs) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Outerwear ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Underwear |  | Men's socks and stockings |  | Women's stockings |  | Children's stockings |  | Women's and children's socks |  |
|  |  | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market | Production | Supplies for home civilian market |
| 1937 | (approximate) | . | . | .. | .. | 8.5 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 20.0 | 23.0 | $8 \cdot 0\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | $7 \cdot 5\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | .. |  |
| 1944 1945 | .. | 1.38 1.51 | 1.38 1.50 | 2.36 2.30 | 2.24 2.23 | 3.83 4.42 | 1.67 1.99 | 10.23 10.74 | 10.02 10.37 | 2.25 2.08 | 2.20 1.99 | 4.18 4.15 | 4.05 3.97 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | 1.72 | 1.62 | 2.36 2.70 | 2.23 2.41 | 4.42 5.83 | 1.99 4.45 | 10.74 14.00 | 10.37 12.51 | 2.08 2.12 | 1.99 1.95 | 4.15 4.68 | 3.97 4.35 |
| 1947 | $\ldots$ | 1.80 | 1.65 | $3 \cdot 17$ | $2 \cdot 88$ | 6.37 | 4.91 | 15.40 | 14.04 | $2 \cdot 23$ | 2.05 | 4.65 | $4 \cdot 34$ |
| 1948 |  | 2.06 | 1.85 | $3 \cdot 74$ | $3 \cdot 22$ | $7 \cdot 68$ | 5.69 | 17.57 | 15.63 | 2.67 | 2.34 | $5 \cdot 58$ | $4 \cdot 57$ |
| 1947 | March to April | 1.77 1.75 | $1.68$ | 2.96 | 2.79 | 6.56 | 5.54 | 15.49 | 14.23 | 2.43 | $2 \cdot 31$ |  | 4.70 4.46 |
|  | May to June ... ... | $1.75$ | $1.61$ | 2.96 | $2 \cdot 67$ | $5 \cdot 83$ | 4.48 | 15.02 | 13.71 | 2.24 | 2.09 | $4.49$ | 4.46 |
|  | July to August <br> September to October | 1.73 2.18 | 1.62 1.98 | 3.26 4.10 | 3.03 3.76 3.19 | 6.41 7.34 | 5.23 5.42 | 15.75 18.37 | 14.75 | 2.17 2.47 |  |  |  |
|  | Septemberto October | 1.73 1.98 | 1.98 1.77 | $4 \cdot 10$ $3 \cdot 58$ | 3.03 3.19 | 7.34 7.29 | 5.42 5.44 | 18.37 17.34 | 17.03 15.62 | 2.47 2.37 | 2.086 2.07 | $5 \cdot 43$ 5.08 | 4.87 4.52 |
| 1948 | January to February... |  |  |  | 2.96 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4.33 |
|  | March to April ... | $2 \cdot 22$ | 2.02 | $3 \cdot 92$ | 3.31 | 7.87 | 5.91 | 18.20 | 16.27 | 2.71 | 2.43 | 5.56 | 4.76 |
|  | May to June ... ... |  |  | $3 \cdot 50$ | 2.89 | $7 \cdot 20$ | $5 \cdot 35$ | 15.78 | 13.92 | 2.54 | 2.26 | 5.14 | 4.23 |
|  | July to August ... | 1.96 | 1.78 | 3.53 | 3.03 | $7 \cdot 13$ | $5 \cdot 19$ | 16.74 |  |  | $2 \cdot 14$ |  |  |
|  | September to October | $2 \cdot 14$ | 1.90 | 4.13 | 3.65 | 8.38 | 6.05 | 19.37 | 17.06 | 2.96 | $2 \cdot 58$ | 6.22 | 4.87 |
|  | NovembertoDecember | 1.92 | 1.70 | 3.94 | $3 \cdot 51$ | $8 \cdot 17$ | $6 \cdot 31$ | 18.33 | 16.25 | 2.91 | 2.58 | 6.08 | 4.91 |
| 1949 | January to February... March to April | 1.93 | 1.70 | $3 \cdot 84$ | 3.28 | $7 \cdot 92$ | $6 \cdot 19$ | $17 \cdot 48$ | $15 \cdot 67$ | $2 \cdot 67$ | $2 \cdot 47$ | 6.00 | 5.01 |

(1) Garments made-up from knitted fabrics in the
${ }^{2}$ ) Excluding Infantees, industry are excluded.
${ }_{(3)}^{2}$ ) Excluding Infantees, bootees, hoods, etc.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including women's and children's socks.

Footwear( ${ }^{1}$ ): Supplies
Monthly averages or calendar months


(1) Excluding rubber footwear.

Source : Board of Trade
(2) Number of pairs transferred to warehouse stock.

Household textiles : Production and supplies for the home civilian market
TABLE 79
Monthly averages or calendar months

(1) Including cot size.
${ }^{(2)}$ Year commencing February.
(3) 10 months ended November.
$\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ Year commencing December 1947.

## MANUFACTURED GOODS

Floor coverings : Production and supplies for the home civilian market
TABLE 80
Monthly averages
Thousand square yards


Pottery: Production and supplies for the home civilian market (')
TABLE 81
Monthly averages
Million pleces


MANUFACTURED GOODS
Sewing machines, prams, pens and matches : Production and supplies for the homa civilian market

${ }^{(1)}$ Annual figures relate to periods of twelve months beginning with February.
Source : Board of Trade and Ministry of Suoply
${ }^{2}$ ) Including push chairs.
Cutlery and brushes : Production and supplies for the home civilian market
TABLE 83
Monthly averages
Thousands

( $^{1}$ ) From October 1947 figures include the production of certain firms not hitherto included. The production of these additional firms amounts to about 7 per cent. of the total.

## Utility furniture: Supplies(')

Monthly averages or caiendar months

|  |  |  |  | Wardrobes | Dressing chests and tallboys $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ | Single bedsteads ${ }^{(3)}$ | Double bedsteads ${ }^{(3)}$ | Sideboards | Dining tables | Kitchan tables | Easy chairs and fireside chairs (4) | Dining chalrs | Index of wooden furniture production ${ }^{(5}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1943 | 4th Quarter |  | ... | 4,772 | 8,642 | 5,587 | 7,151 | 5.346 | 5,618 | 1,245 |  |  |  |
| 1944 | ... |  | ... | 5,916 | 10,478 | 7,822 | 10,104 | 6,366 | 7,271 | 1,245 | 8,571 12,173 | 26,879 39,590 |  |
| 1945 |  |  | ... | 14,731 | 26,352 | 23,873 | 31,840 | 13,444 | 16,094 | 2,357 | 31,640 | 82,544 |  |
| 1946 |  |  |  | 47,232 | 86,372 | 33,489 | 55,898 | 32,861 | 38,948 | 4,803 | 128,089 | 227,692 | 00 |
| 1947 | ... - | ... | ... | 42,007 | 79,880 | 20,861 | 43,951 | 28,992 | 38,572 | 4,687 | 160,954 | 184,081 | 110 |
| 1948 |  |  |  | 39,195 | 72,475 | 29,124 | 54,623 | 28,076 | 37,517 | 5,565 | 171,486 | 171,175 | 121 |
| 1947 | January <br> February <br> March ... |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51,463 \\ & 28,815 \\ & 45,866 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103,542 \\ 56,913 \\ 87,570 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,614 \\ & 14,936 \\ & 20,151 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41,849 \\ & 27,395 \\ & 40,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33,365 \\ & 18,273 \\ & 29,335 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42,638 \\ & 23,833 \\ & 39,740 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,723 \\ & 3,111 \\ & 4,156 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160,126 \\ & 115,627 \\ & 157,469 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 258,743 \\ & 136,146 \\ & 201,017 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 115 \\ 73 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 45,914 \\ & 45,704 \\ & 43,094 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89,487 \\ & 88,289 \\ & 82,263 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,804 \\ & 21,691 \\ & 19,636 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40,762 \\ & 45,684 \\ & 40,828 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,650 \\ & 31,804 \\ & 28,713 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44,978 \\ & 43,493 \\ & 40,729 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,085 \\ & 4,470 \\ & 3,924 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165,531 \\ & 172,813 \\ & 166,886 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 201,917 \\ & 203,320 \\ & 182,447 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 112 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 41,818 \\ & 29,962 \\ & 40,121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80,257 \\ & 60,407 \\ & 75,492 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,704 \\ & 17,333 \\ & 22,050 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44,060 \\ & 38,861 \\ & 48,966 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,133 \\ & 21,924 \\ & 29,089 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43,407 \\ & 29,195 \\ & 37,143 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,521 \\ & 3,752 \\ & 4,816 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170,373 \\ & 141,002 \\ & 170,044 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187,350 \\ & 138,332 \\ & 164,769 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 94 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October <br> November <br> December |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 43,050 \\ & 49,180 \\ & 39,100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83,343 \\ & 76,993 \\ & 74,005 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,747 \\ & 22,534 \\ & 22,126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55,946 \\ & 49,185 \\ & 53,876 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,734 \\ & 29,418 \\ & 28,463 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41,588 \\ & 38,956 \\ & 37,159 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,956 \\ & 5,369 \\ & 5,366 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186,541 \\ & 161,554 \end{aligned}$$163,476$ | $\begin{aligned} & 184,656 \\ & 176,498 \\ & 173,473 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 123 \\ & 118 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | January <br> February <br> March.. |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41,526 \\ & 37,483 \\ & 34,608 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79,604 \\ & 70,933 \\ & 64,136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,250 \\ & 21,057 \\ & 23,475 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51,305 \\ & 47,721 \\ & 46,863 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31,628 \\ & 28,045 \\ & 27,127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39,023 \\ & 37,163 \\ & 38.262 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,815 \\ & 4,423 \\ & 3,573 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165,100 \\ & 151,402 \\ & 148543 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 178,309 \\ & 163,185 \\ & 155,850 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 125 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May <br> June | $\cdots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 33,814 \\ & 30,122 \\ & 35,719 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60,630 \\ & 57,932 \\ & 68,186 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23,316 \\ & 22,351 \\ & 27,780 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44,566 \\ & 41,154 \\ & 50,568 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,243 \\ & 21,115 \\ & 26,060 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36,093 \\ & 31,515 \\ & 35,594 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,803 \\ & 4,730 \\ & 6,491 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147,036 \\ & 133,817 \\ & 165,889 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 149,897 \\ & 131,366 \\ & 160,339 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108 \\ 95 \\ 95 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... August... September |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39,687 \\ & 37,665 \\ & 47,138 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73,216 \\ & 70,649 \\ & 87,244 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,195 \\ & 29,122 \\ & 37,638 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55,787 \\ & 56,901 \\ & 69,49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27,868 \\ & 23,611 \\ & 30,936 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36,092 \\ & 31,625 \\ & 39,064 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,149 \\ & 5,257 \\ & 7,181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 164,430 \\ & 156,302 \\ & 192,600 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 167,051 \\ & 154,704 \\ & 193,349 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 111 \\ & 138 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 47,671 \\ & 44,771 \\ & 40,134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85,286 \\ & 81,041 \\ & 70,838 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41,181 \\ & 39,060 \\ & 33,066 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68,444 \\ & 68,558 \\ & 55,171 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31,074 \\ & 32,990 \\ & 32,215 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39,118 \\ & 44,218 \\ & 42,432 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,498 \\ & 7,325 \\ & 6,531 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 197,699 \\ 217,840 \\ 217,178 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 200,441 \\ & 200,558 \\ & 199,056 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 153 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> March ... |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 34,357 \\ & 40,649 \\ & 51,180 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60,446 \\ & 71,363 \\ & 82,600 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27,034 \\ & 25,359 \\ & 32,020 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46,447 \\ & 47,650 \\ & 56,559 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,380 \\ & 28,814 \\ & 35,385 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,604 \\ & 36,182 \\ & 43,735 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,872 \\ & 6,397 \\ & 5,946 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 192,087 \\ & 181,128 \\ & 212,899 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169,311 \\ & 173,009 \\ & 205,109 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 125 \\ & 134 \\ & 145 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Sales by manufacturers in Great Britain. <br> $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Including dressing tables from August 1946, and chests of drawers from November <br> ( ${ }^{3}$ ) Bedstead ends only from November 1948. <br> ${ }^{(4)}$ Easy and fireside chairs (singles), easy chairs of 3 -piece suites and woven fibre chairs. <br> ${ }^{(5)}$ Based on the average monthly production of wooden furniture during 1946. Includes nursery and school furniture. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1948. |  | Source: Board of Trade |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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Accommodation made available in Great Britain ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 65

( $^{1}$ ) In addition, 1,913 emergency huts were erected before April 1945, and a further 3,480
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding aluminium houses.
${ }^{(3)}$ Accommodation provlded by Government departments for police, prison staffs, Defence Services, etc.
${ }^{4}$ ) From January 1947, the figures are totals for periods of four and five weeks. The periods of five weeks are marked with an asterisk. The programme was completed in March 1949.
(5) England and Wales only. Repairs completed by private builders under licence are included only from April 1946.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Conversions and adaptations completed by private builders under licence in England and Wales are Included only from April 1946.
${ }^{( }{ }^{\text {I }}$ ) Figures for England and Wales relate only to the period April to December.

All permanent houses in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 86

| TABLE 86 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

${ }^{(1)}$ New and war-destroyed houses built by local authorities, by private builders, by housing
Source : Health Departments
Aloations and by Government departments. Aluminium houses are excluded.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Allowance has been made for tenders notified as withdrawn and for licences issued to private builders notified as having lapsed. In England and Wales this allowance is made in the cumulative total, and at the end of March 1949 amounted to 18,456. In Scotland an allowance is made in the figure for each month.
${ }^{(3)}$ Total to end of May.
TABLE 87


| Scotland |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| January 1945 to December 1946 | 59,238 | 24,558 | 34,680 | 29,619 | 5,061 | 3,687 | 870 | 2,817 | 2,182 | 635 |
| 1947 January to June ... July to December ... | 10,097 6,505 | $\begin{aligned} & 25,171 \\ & 17,096 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,484 \\ 14,580 \end{array}$ | 35,342 43,132 | 3,761 6,790 | 832 | 676 633 | 1,026 810 | 2,644 2,689 | $\begin{aligned} & 564 \\ & 765 \end{aligned}$ |
| $1948 \begin{aligned} & \text { January to March ... } \\ & \text { April to June } \\ & \text { July to September } \\ & \text { October to December }\end{aligned}$ | 21 921 852 1,424 | 13,694 11,581 10,525 10,189 | 3,423 3,034 1,908 1,760 | 43,215 41,769 39,595 35,484 | 3,340 4,480 4,082 5,871 | 70 154 178 155 | 519 496 535 562 | 184 177 139 128 | 2,532 2,263 1,999 1,803 | 341 446 403 324 |
| 1949 January to March | 2,564 | 9,807 | 2,946 | 32,756 | 5,674 | 165 | 575 | 152 | 1,541 | 414 |
| April <br> May ... | $\cdots$ | . | . |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,854 \\ & 1,973 \end{aligned}$ |  | . | .. |  | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total to end of March ... | 81,622 | 9,807 | 71,815 | 32,756 | 42,886(4) | 6,008 | 575 | 5,433 | 1,541 | 4,066(4) |

[^12]Source: Health Departments

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## Houses : Repair of war damage in Great Britain

## TABLE 88

|  | Re-building of war-destroyed houses |  |  |  |  | Repair of unoccupied war-damaged houses(1) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Re-building approved or licences issued | Approved but re-building not begun (end of period) | Re-building begun | Under construction (end of period) | Houses completed | Contracts let or licences issued | Work begun ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Under repair (end of period) | Completed ${ }^{(2)}$ |
|  | Houses or flats |  |  |  |  | Family units of accommodation |  |  |  |
| $1945$ <br> 1946 January to June | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} 12,912 \\ 10,670 \end{array}\right.$ | 2,655 | 10,257 | 8,278 $\{$ | $\begin{array}{r} 181 \\ 1,798 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41,098 \\ & 23,904 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 104,370$15,929 | 18,143 | 86,227 |
| July to December ... |  | 2,891 | 10,434 | 14,821 | 3,891 |  |  | 13,062 | 21,010 |
| 1947 January to March ... | 3,725 | 3,203 | 3,413 | 16,060 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,174 \\ & 3,141 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 12,773$ | 9,063 | 10,049 | 12,076 |
| April to June ... | 3,590 | 2,865 | 3,928 | 16,847 |  |  |  |  |  |
| July to September .. | 2,986 | 2,972 | 2,879 | 16,325 | 3,401 | 3,790 | 2,480 | 8,529 | 4,000 |
| October to December | 1,822 | 2,287 | 2,507 | 14,905 | 3,927 | 3,570 | 3,834 | 8,665 | 3,698 |
| 1948 January to March ... | 1,551 | 1,744 | 2,094 | 12,944 | 4,055 | 3,009 | 1,716 | 7,324 | 3,057 |
| April to June ... | 1,543 | 1,510 | 1,777 | 10,670 | 4,051 | 3,058 | 1,945 | 6,705 | 2,564 |
| July to September ... | 1,228 | 1,416 | 1,322 | 8,566 | 3,426 | 1,577 | 1,225 | 5,541 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,389 \\ & 1,789 \end{aligned}$ |
| October to December... | 791 | 1,074 | 1,133 | 6,738 | 2,961 | 1,405 | 1,139 | 4,889 |  |
| 1949 January to March ... | 735 | 1,029 | 780 | 5,549 | 1,969 | 1,104 | 740 | 3,864 | 1,767 |
| April |  |  |  | .. | 681 |  |  |  | 470 |
| May |  |  |  |  | 584 |  |  |  | 453 |
| Total to end of March | 41,553 | 1,029 | 40,524 | 5,549 | 36,240(3) | . | 142,441 | 3,864 | 139,500( ${ }^{3}$ ) |

${ }^{(1)}$ England and Wales only. All war-damaged houses in Scotland were repaired before the
Source : Health Departments end of the war. In addition, it is estimated that 775,000 occupied war-damaged dwellings have been repaired by local authorities in England and Wales.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Repairs by private builders included only from April 1946.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Total to end of May.

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## Value of building and civil engineering work authorised and licensed in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 89

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding annual maintenance licences, work below licensing limits and maintenance work authorised by local authorities and public utility undertakings. No adjustment has been made for tenders notified as withdrawn or for licences notified as having lapsed.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Before August 1945, these figures include all housing work. Thereafter, until 31 January 1947, such work is included only in respect of occupied houses. From February 1947, onwards, the responsibility for issuing licences for all housing work was transferred to local authorities.
${ }^{(3)}$ From I July 1948, the amount of work which may be carried out without a licence was raised from $£ 10$ in six months to $£ 100$ in twelve months.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ From I November 1948, work may be done without a licence on certain special classes of building if the cost of that work, together with the cost of any previous work done on the property since I July 1948, does not exceed $£ 1,000$.

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## Estimated value of output of building and civil engineering work in Great Britain

TABLE 90
$£$ million

|  | 1946 | 1947 | 1948 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Ist Quarter | 2nd Quarter | 3rd Quarter | 4th Quarter |
| Total output | 885 | 1,047 | 283 | 300 | 299 | 297 |
| Work done by building and civil engineering industry-Total | 546 | 675 | 186 | 203 | 206 | 204 |
| Factories and industrial premises Storage, warehouses and docks | 46 4 | 76 6 | 21 | 23 | 23 |  |
| Public utilities | 20 | 23 | 6 | 8 | 2 | 1 |
| Coal mining and open-cast coal $\ldots \ldots . \ldots$ | 13 | 13 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 4 |
| Construction of permanent houses (including site preparation) | 148 | 202 | 57 | 58 | 54 | 53 |
| Erection of temporary houses. <br> Repair and maintenance of houses (including conversion | 26 | 8 | 1 | I | - |  |
| and adaptation) ... ... ... ... ... ... | 80 | 104 | 30 | 35 | 37 | 37 |
| War damage clearance and repairs( ${ }^{1}$ )... ... ... ... | 110 | 82 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 19 |
| Shops and commercial premises ... ... ... ... | 15 | 21 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| Agricultural work ... ... ... ... ... ... | 8 | 9 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 5 |
| Hospitals, schools and universities ... ... ... ... | 11 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 7 |
| Other work ... ... ... ... ... | 50 | 97 | 29 | 28 | 30 | 34 |
| Work done by firms without operatives ... ... ... | 15 | 20 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 34 6 |
| Work done by specialist trades ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | 74 | 93 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 29 |
| Work done by employees of local authorities | 65 | 88 | 24 | 24 | 25 | 25 |
| Work done by employees of public utilities | 56 | 70 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 21 |
| Work done by employees of Government departments | 13 | 15 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 |
| Work done by employees of private firms | 45 | 45 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 12 |
| Work done by prisoners of war | 16 | 8 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Prefabrication ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | 70 | 53 | 10 | 8 | 3 | 1 |
| (1) These figures may include some ordinary maintenance carried out at the same time as war damage repairs. <br> $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Constructional engineers, reinforced concrete specialists, heating and ventilating engineers, electrical contractors, asphalt and tar spraying contractors, plant hiring contractors and flooring contractors. <br> $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ The value of those hulls, components and fittings for permanent non-traditional houses and for temporary houses which were fabricated in factories, the cost of which is not included in the figures above. |  |  |  | Source : Ministry of Works |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Educational building
TABLE 91

## Hutting Operation for Raising the School Age: Great Britain



[^13]|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ \text { all } \\ \text { categories } \end{gathered}$ | Primary and secondary schools |  |  |  | School meals projects carried out by |  | Further education ${ }^{(2)}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Training } \\ & \text { of } \\ & \text { teachers } \end{aligned}$ | Special schools and school health | Civil building licence $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Projects £5,000 and over | Projects under £5,000 | HORSA ${ }^{(1)}$ | Local education authorities | Ministry of Works |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 | ... | 20,491(4) | 13,444 | 3,641 | 1,651 | 8,152 | 793 | 1,382 | 714 | 174 | .. ${ }^{(5)}$ | 2,852 |
| 1947 | .. ... | 31,710 | 23,607 | 19,274 | 1,941 | 2,392 | 1,960 | 2,145 | 553 | 446 | . . ${ }^{(5)}$ | 2,999 |
| 1948 | .. ... | 23,918 | 14,657 | 11,369 | 2,718 | 570 | 1,666 | 1,998 | 1,718 | 725 | 246 | 2,908 |
| 1948 | Ist Quarter | 4,893 | 3,022 | 2,249 | 488 | 285 | 316 | 549 | 267 | 148 | 43 | 548 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | 7,297 | 4,729 | 3,937 | 667 | 125 | 178 | 437 | 586 | 444 | 33 | 890 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | 6,502 | 3,713 | 2,805 | 853 | 55 | 675 | 499 | 510 | 38 | 24 | 1,043 |
|  | 4th Quarter | 5,226 | 3,193 | 2,378 | 710 | 105 | 497 | 513 | 355 | 95 | 146 | 427 |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter | 8,050 | 5,668 | 4,892 | 776 | - | 464 | 635 | 480 | 134 | 236 | 433 |

(1) Hutting operation for raising the school age.

Source : Ministry of Education
(2) Includes projects for youth and adult welfare.
${ }^{(3)}$ Projects mainly for independent and direct-grant schools, licensed by the Ministry of Works on the recommendation of the Ministry of Education.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Includes work on emergency training colleges, estimated to cost $£ 1,132,000$, not included under "Training of teachers". This work, undertaken by the Ministry of Works as an agency service, was started mainly in 1946, without formal approval of estimates.
${ }^{(5)}$ Included in "Primary and secondary schools".
(ii) Progress of educational building programmes

TABLE 93
Value $£$ thousand

|  | All educational building( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Operational programme $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ <br> (Estimated cost $£ 26$ million) |  |  | Short term programme ${ }^{(3)}$ (Estimated cost £ $13 \cdot 5$ million) |  |  | 1949 programme ${ }^{4}$ ) (Estimated cost E45.5 million) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Projects approved | Under <br> construc- <br> tion <br> (end of <br> period) | Contracts completed | Projects approved | Under construction (end of period) | Contracts completed | Projects approved | Under <br> construc- <br> tion <br> (end of <br> period) | $\begin{array}{\|c} \text { Contracts } \\ \text { com- } \\ \text { pleted } \end{array}$ | Projects approved | Under <br> construc- <br> tion <br> (end of <br> (period) | Contracts completed |
| Up to 31st Dec., 1947 | 52,201 ${ }^{5}$ ) | 21,377 | 16,995(5) | 21,893 | 7,980 | 47 | 2,932 | 1,630 | 132 | - | - | - |
| 1948 | 23,918 | 33,398 | 15,831 | 6,300 | 16,679 | 1,182 | 10,041 | 7,451 | 825 | - | - | - |
| 1949 January $\qquad$ February March $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,591 \\ & 3,118 \\ & 3,341 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,223 \\ & 34,741 \\ & 36,807 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,558 \\ & 1,929 \\ & 1,500 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} -3,775\left({ }^{6}\right) \\ 33 \\ 367 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,382 \\ & 17,819 \\ & 18,010 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \\ & 371 \\ & 267 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} -2,775\left({ }^{6}\right) \\ 1,050 \\ 595 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,618 \\ & 8,224 \\ & 9,055 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \\ & 178 \\ & 248 \end{aligned}$ | 4,007 1,291 1,255 | $\begin{array}{r} 322 \\ 600 \\ 1,445 \end{array}$ | 8 |
| April | 1,952 | 36,104 | 1,907 | 19 | 18,186 | 355 | 123 | 9,150 | 193 | 1,340 | 2,162 | 5 |
| Total to end of April | 86,121 | 36,104 | 39,720 | 24,837 | 18,186 | 2,461 | 11,966 | 9,150 | 1,721 | 7,893 | 2,162 | 19 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Projects in operational, short term and 1949 programmes together with projects
Source : Ministry of Education not included in a programme. Excludes university building and certain other educational building not sponsored by the Ministry of Education (e.g. approved schools).
(2) Projects required in connection with new housing developments in 1947 and with the raising of the school leaving age.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Projects costing $£ 5,000$ and over, other than those for school meals or in the "operational programme" on which work was planned to start in 1947 and 1948.
${ }^{4}$ ) Projects costing $\pm 5,000$ and over, other than those for school meals or in the "operational" or "short term" programmes, on which work should be started in 1949.
${ }^{(5)}$ Since 31 December 1945. The value of work approved before 31 December 1945, but completed after that date is negligible.
${ }^{(6)}$ Projects previously approved and now withdrawn or transferred to the 1949 programme exceeded new projects approved.

# New factory buildings in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Approved from December 1944 up to 30 April 1949 

TABLE 94

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The figures relate to schemes approved by the Distribution of Industry Panel (Panel A) and the Regional Distribution of Industry Panels up to 30 June 1948, for new factories and extensions to existing factories of 5,000 square feet and over, and since then to schemes with an area exceeding 5,000 square feet for which Industrial Development Certificates have been granted under the Town and Country Planning Acts, 1947. Before building can start it is also necessary to obtain a licence from the Ministry of Works and in all cases, except those below a certain minimum value, for a starting date to be allotted. Merseyside has now been included in "Development Areas".
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including 56 unallocated "Advance" and "Grenfell" factories, value $\varepsilon 2,531,000$.

## New factory building in Development Areas( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Position at 30 April 1949

TABLE 95

| Area |  | Approved ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Licensed ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Building under construction at end of period $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | Completed ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Number | Value 6000 | Number | Value $£ 000$ | Number | Value $£ 000$ | Number | Value 1000 |
| Total | ... | 1,475 | 104,939 | 1,216 | 83,407 | 359 | 47,707 | 769 | 29,973 |
| North Eastern ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| West Cumberland | $\ldots$ | 40 | 1,469 | 37 | $\begin{array}{r}1,440 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 8 | 12,707 | 234 27 | 1,026 |
| South Wales Wrexham | $\ldots$ | 320 25 | 38,677 | 273 | 35,932 | 89 | 25,394 | 163 | 9,253 |
| South Lancashire... | $\ldots$ | 25 65 | 2,278 | 12 | 212 | 4 | 127 | 6 | 47 |
| Merseyside ... | ... | 117 | 2,506 | 50 68 | 2,047 | 20 | 1,435 | 28 | 480 |
| Scotland ... ... | ... | 501 | 21,841 | +68 | 4,003 15,947 | 13 128 | 655 6,912 | +501 | 1,109 7,959 |

( ${ }^{1}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{( }$) to Table 94.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 94.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including some cases where the firm is in occupation although building is not
complete.

## Estimated number of male employees in the building and civil engineering industries in Great Britain (1)

TABLE 96

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Employed operatives aged 16 and over. These figures exclude clerical and administrative workers.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) Preparation of sites and building of permanent and temporary houses. Up to the end of 1945, the figures exclude private enterprise housing under Local Authorities' licences.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including private enterprise housing under Local Authorities' licences up to the end of 1945. From March 1947 these figures relate only to work resulting in additional accommodation but not necessarily in new family units.
( ${ }^{4}$ ) New work and maintenance of factories and storage, shops and commercial premises, docks, public utilities, farms and agricultural premises, and open-cast coal production.
$\left.{ }^{(5}\right)$ Including new construction and maintenance of buildings not included elsewhere.
${ }^{(5)}$ The figures from March 1947 are based on returns made from building sites and may be incomplete. As a result the estimates shown under "Other work " are possibly too high.

## Building materials and components : Production( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$and stocks( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$

TABLE 97

|  |  |  |  | Bullding bricks ${ }^{\left({ }^{3}\right)}$ |  | Cement |  | Asbestos cement sheeting ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | $\text { slates } \left.\left({ }^{3}\right){ }^{4}\right)$ |  | Slates (damp proof course) ( ${ }^{3}$ ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  | Roofing felt(5) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks |
|  |  |  |  | Millions |  | Thousand tons |  |  | Thousand squares |  | Thousands |  | Thousand rolls |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 650( ${ }^{6}$ ) |  | 643( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ |  | 9.9(\%) | $55.1{ }^{(9)}$ |  | 834( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) |  | 200(7) | . |
| 1945 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | ... | $102\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | 990 | $338\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | 262 | $20.4{ }^{\circ}$ ) | $19.6{ }^{\circ}{ }^{\circ}$ | 55.1 | . | 5,088 | 152( ${ }^{6}$ ) | 146 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1946 \\ & 1947 \\ & 1948 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 287\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & 378\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & 383\left({ }^{6}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 270 \\ & 348 \\ & 515 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 548\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & 580\left({ }^{6}\right) \\ & 710\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 244 \\ & 230 \\ & 207 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 9\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & \left.25 \cdot 8{ }^{6}\right) \\ & 26 \cdot 88^{(6)} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 0{ }^{(6)} \\ & 21 \cdot 0{ }^{(6)} \\ & 27 \cdot 3\left({ }^{6}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 749\left({ }^{6}\right) \\ & 550\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & 677\left({ }^{6}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,000 \\ 1,050 \\ 877 \\ 427 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 203\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & 228\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \\ & 260\left({ }^{\circ}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 225 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947 | April ... | ... | ... | 349 | 378 | 601* | 178 | 30.0* | 23.8 | 27.1 | 599 | 912 | 232* | 99 |
|  | May ... June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 395 \\ & 400 \end{aligned}$ | 340307 | 534586 | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \\ & 191 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 8 \\ & 29 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 695 \\ & 759 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 915 \\ & 994 \end{aligned}$ | 193244 | 98110 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 411 \\ & 372 \\ & 438 \end{aligned}$ | 290269259 | $\begin{aligned} & 787 * \\ & 613 \\ & 628 \end{aligned}$ | 214218211 | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 21 \cdot 7 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.3 \\ & 20.8 \\ & 23.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 9 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 24 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 643478 | 1,0441,020 | 243220 | 128 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 796 | 941 | 246 |  |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 467 \\ & 410 \\ & 388 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 260 \\ & 289 \\ & 348 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 817 * \\ & 632 \\ & 654\left({ }^{8}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 201 \\ & 192 \\ & 230 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 26 \cdot 4 \\ & 22 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 2 \\ & 22 \cdot 0 \\ & 22 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 24 \cdot 4 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 581 \\ & 583 \\ & 578 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 936 \\ & 926 \\ & 877 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r}276 \\ -\quad 279 \\ \hline 256\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 201 \\ & 225 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | January <br> February <br> March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 385 \\ & 364 \\ & 397 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 427 \\ & 497 \\ & 541 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 693\left({ }^{9}\right) \\ & 559 \\ & 654 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 273 \\ & 269 \\ & 244 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 25 \cdot 1 \\ & 24 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 7 \\ & 23 \cdot 9 \\ & 24 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 1 \\ & 25 \cdot 1 \\ & 25 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 628 \\ & 630 \\ & 608 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 873 \\ & 886 \\ & 852 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2777 \\ & 253 \\ & 282 \end{aligned}$ | 244213183 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 388 \\ & 362 \\ & 384 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 545 \\ & 540 \\ & 542 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 821 * \\ & 665 \\ & 675 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 219 \\ & 209 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.6 * \\ & 23.4 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 4 \\ & 27 \cdot 8 \\ & 29 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 2 \\ & 25 \cdot 4 \\ & 26 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 562 \\ & 624 \\ & 711 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 692 \\ & 514 \\ & 521 \end{aligned}$ | 298253255 | $\begin{aligned} & 157 \\ & 144 \\ & 146 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | ... | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 365 \\ & 362 \\ & 404 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 539 \\ & 546 \\ & 539 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 850 * \\ & 661 \\ & 658 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 222 \\ & 242 \\ & 215 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 9 \\ & 25 \cdot 4 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 692 \\ & 700 \\ & 745 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 506 \\ & 470 \\ & 480 \end{aligned}$ | 243268274 | 135161155 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | October November December | $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 396 \\ & 407 \\ & 386 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 513 \\ & 507 \\ & 515 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 856^{*} \\ & 668 \\ & 720\left({ }^{10}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207 \\ & 198 \\ & 207 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 0 * \\ & 28 \cdot 6 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.0 \\ & 31.6 \\ & 29.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 726 \\ & 719 \\ & 663 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 485 \\ & 505 \\ & 427 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 231 \\ & 248 \\ & 241 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 155 \\ & 138 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | January February March .. | $\ldots$ | . | $\begin{aligned} & 375 \\ & 377 \\ & 435 \end{aligned}$ | 515487448 | $\begin{aligned} & 658\left({ }^{11}\right) \\ & 675 \\ & 722 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 245 \\ & 227 \\ & 241 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 9 * \\ & 27 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 6 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \\ & 28 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 5 \\ & 26.7 \\ & 25.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 567 \\ & 706 \\ & 716 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 458 \\ & 406 \\ & 433 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 264 \\ & 227 \\ & 253 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 175 \\ & 157 \\ & 173 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 386 \\ & 451 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 399 \\ & 342 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 897 * \\ & 738 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 246 \\ & 206 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 25 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.9 \\ & 23.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 585 \\ & 718 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 404 \\ & 331 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206 \\ & 236 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | isum |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ ) Production figures are for calendar months except those for cement, asbestos cement sheeting and roofing felt (before May 1947), which relate to periods of four
${ }^{2}$ ) End of period. The five-week periods are marked with an asterisk.
${ }^{2}$ ) End of period
${ }^{3}$ ) Great Britaln.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Figures for October 1947 to March 1948 inclusive are partly estimated.
${ }^{6}$ (s) Mp to and including January 1946 figures include felt (damp proof course)
(8) Monthly average.
() Monthly average for 1939
$\left.{ }^{8}\right)$ Four weeks and three days.
(1) Four weeks and four days.
$\left.{ }^{10}\right)$ Four weeks and five days. Four weeks and two days.

Building materials and components: Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) and stocks $\left({ }^{2}\right)$
TABLE 98

${ }^{(1)}$ Production figures are for calendar months except those for gypseous plaster (other than
Source : Ministry of Works April, May and June 1947), and plasterboard, which relate to periods of four and five weeks. The five-week periods are marked with an asterisk.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ End of period.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Figures for 1945 are for deliveries.
(4) Monthly average.
(5) Monthly average for 1939.

Building materials and components: Production( ${ }^{1}$ )


Building materials and components : Production


## VIII. AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

Acreage of crops and grass and estimated quantity harvested( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 101


[^14]
${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding livestock on holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain and less than one quarter of an acre In Northern Ireland.

Source : Agricultural Departments
Number of pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings(')


[^15]AGRICULTURE AND FOOD
Movement off farms of cereals, potatoes and milk and purchases of animals for slaughter


## ( ${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain.

(2) Receipts by flour millers.
(3) Receipts by maltsters, distillers, pot and pearl barley manufacturers and the Ministry of Food.
${ }^{4}$ (5) Receipts by oatmeal millers, brewers and the Ministry of Food.
(5) Excluding milk sold outside the Milk Marketing Schemes.
${ }^{\circ}$ ( Excluding fat animals imported from the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland.
(7) Average of period from 1936/7 to 1938/9.

Average of five weeks.

## Processing of wheat, oats, oilseeds and oils

TABLE 105
Weokly averages
Thousand tons
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Figures for 1944 include small quantities produced from barley, rye and oats.
Source : Ministry of Food
( ${ }^{2}$ ) 1934 to 1938 used by millers only. Later figures include oats used by millers, flakers and maltsters.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Excluding castor meal.
${ }^{( }{ }^{\circ}$ As crude oil.

- Average of five weeks.

Meat, bacon and milk products : Production

${ }^{(1)}$ Including fresh meat, offal and the production from fat cattle, imported from the Irish Republic.
Source: Ministry of Food
${ }^{( }{ }^{2}$ ) Excluding farm production.
${ }^{(3)}$ Whole and skimmed. Computed from figures for calendar months.
${ }^{4}$ ) Years ended August 31 .

* Average of five weeks.


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Fish, sugar, glucose, margarine, cooking fat, jam, biscuits, chocolate, beer and spirits Production

TABLE 107


[^16]
## Cereal products, sugar and chocolate: Consumption



[^17]
## AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

Meat, fish and eggs: Consumption
TABLE 109
Weekly averages
Thousand tons

${ }^{(1)}$ Pre-war figures relate to canned corned beef only. Subsequent figures include canned
${ }^{(2)}$ Computed from figures for calendar months.
Average of five weeks.

## Milk : Consumption

Monthly averages or calendar months
Million gatlons

(1) Excluding milk sold outside the Milk Marketing Schemes.

Source : Minlstry of Food
2) Manufacture into milk products together with the quantity used on farms for cheese-making.

Milk products, fats, fruit, tea, cocoa and coffee: Consumption

(1) Computed from figures for calendar months.

Source : Ministry of Food
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding beans transferred to oilseed stocks.

- Average of five weeks.


## Vegetables and animal feeding stuffs: Consumption

Weekly averages
Thousand tons

|  | Potatoes |  | Canned vegetables | Dried peas, beans and lentils | Barley |  | Maize |  | Oilcake and meal |  | Milling offals |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Tota! disposals ${ }^{(1)}$ | For food |  |  | Brewing and food | Animal feed ${ }^{2}$ ) | Total disposals | Animal feed | High and medium protein | Low protein |  |
| 934 to 1938 ... | $62 \cdot 8$ | $62 \cdot 8$ | - | $3 \cdot 38$ | $15 \cdot 8\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | . | $65 \cdot 3$ | 57.4 | $28 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $45 \cdot 1$ |
| 944 ... | 123.5 | 118.3 | 4.06 | 3.00 | 17.9 | $5 \cdot 90$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 23 \\ & 7 \cdot 81 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.12 \\ & 5.65 \end{aligned}$ | 10.512.0 | 4.63.9 |  |
| 945 ... $\ldots$ | $117 \cdot 5$ | 111.9 | 4.70 | 3.02 | $20 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 38$ |  |  |  |  | 21.3 |
| 946 | 125.8 | $120 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 14$ | 2.65 | 20.4 | 14.13 | 4.90 | $2 \cdot 52$ | 11.3 | 5.0 | 14.1 |
| 947 | 122.3 | 121.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 5.87 \\ & 6.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 33 \\ & 2 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 0 \\ & 20 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 8.65 | 7.13 | 4.17 | 11.0 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 16.6 |
| 948 | 112.1 | $102 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  | 10.09 | 21.95 | 16.34 | 12.7 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 4$ |
| 947 *April | 153.4 118.5 103.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 152.4 \\ & 117.5 \\ & 102.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 82 \\ & 6 \cdot 13 \\ & 5 \cdot 35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.98 \\ & 3.40 \\ & 3.50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 18 \cdot 8 \\ & 13.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.00 \\ & 6.00 \\ & 6.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.70 \\ & 7.33 \\ & 8.83 \end{aligned}$ | 4.18 5.05 <br> 4.90 | $\begin{array}{r} 12.2 \\ 7.5 \\ 5.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 3 \\ & 4 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 13.0 \\ & 12.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *July $\qquad$ August September | $\begin{array}{r} 100.6 \\ 87.3 \\ 134.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.6 \\ 87.3 \\ 134.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 94 \\ & 3 \cdot 58 \\ & 4 \cdot 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.08 \\ & 3.50 \\ & 4.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5.8 \\ 7.0 \\ 14.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4.60 \\ 7.75 \\ 10.75 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.66 \\ & 4.40 \\ & 7.95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 38 \\ & 2 \cdot 63 \\ & 4 \cdot 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.8 \\ & 7.0 \\ & 9.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 3 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *October ... November December | $\begin{aligned} & 155.0 \\ & 127.5 \\ & 101.0 \end{aligned}$ | 154.8 $127 \cdot 3$ $101 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.34 \\ & 5.68 \\ & 7.70 \end{aligned}$ | 3. 52 | $23 \cdot 8$ | 12.80 | $9 \cdot 10$ | 5.72 | 12.6 | 7.0 | 18.2 |
|  |  |  |  | 3.13 | 31.5 | 12.50 | 13.48 | $10 \cdot 20$ | 15.5 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 18.0 |
|  |  |  |  | $2 \cdot 38$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | 12.50 | 13.43 | 9.80 | $15 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 0$ |
| 1948 *January $\begin{aligned} & \text { February } \\ & \begin{array}{l}\text { March } \\ \\ \text { M }\end{array}\end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95.6 \\ 118.0 \\ 102.3 \end{array}$ | $95 \cdot 6$ <br> 118.0 <br> 102.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 22 \\ & 5.65 \\ & 9.85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.26 \\ & 2.65 \\ & 2.23 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 2 \\ & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.00 \\ 11.50 \\ 8.25 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.58 \\ & 17.95 \\ & 29.95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.96 \\ & 14.43 \\ & 19.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 8 \\ & 16.3 \\ & 16.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.4 \\ & 6.0 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.4 \\ & 17.5 \\ & 15.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| AprilMayJune | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 4 \\ & 86 \cdot 5 \\ & 99 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \cdot 2 \\ & 74 \cdot 5 \\ & 84 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 36 \\ & 4 \cdot 78 \\ & 5 \cdot 85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.68 \\ & 1.33 \\ & 1.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 11 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.60 \\ & 5.50 \\ & 5.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 22 \\ & 22 \cdot 78 \\ & 21 \cdot 25 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.36 \\ & 18.80 \\ & 18.23 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.0 \\ 8.5 \\ 8.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.2 \\ & 5 \cdot 5 \\ & 4.0 \end{aligned}$ | 15.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14.8 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 16.5 |
| *July $\qquad$ August ... September | $\begin{array}{r} 97.2 \\ 97.8 \\ 135.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96.4 \\ 91.8 \\ 121.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.08 \\ & 6.00 \\ & 5.83 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.80 \\ & 1.40 \\ & 2.65 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 6.80 | 18.26 | 11.98 | 7.0 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 17.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 7.0 | 11.75 | 16.55 | 13.95 | 10.0 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 18.8 |
|  |  |  |  |  | $18 \cdot 3$ | 14.25 | $17 \cdot 48$ | 14.55 | 11.0 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 19.3 |
| *October ... November *December | $\begin{aligned} & 130.0 \\ & 144.0 \\ & 144.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111.4 \\ & 118.3 \\ & 117.6 \end{aligned}$ | $6 \cdot 16$ | $3 \cdot 24$ | 25.0 | 14.40 | $23 \cdot 58$ | 13.24 | 12.6 | $4 \cdot 0$ | 19.2 |
|  |  |  | 6.60 | $3 \cdot 28$ | 29.8 | 13.25 | $23 \cdot 85$ | 19.48 | $16 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 19.8 |
|  |  |  | $5 \cdot 72$ | 2.60 | 24.4 | 9.60 | $28 \cdot 24$ | 20.96 | 16.6 | 3.4 | 19.0 |
| 1949 *January ... February March | 158.4 <br> 171.8 <br> $185 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.2 \\ & 116.8 \\ & 114.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 12 \\ & 5 \cdot 85 \\ & 6.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 38 \\ & 3 \cdot 15 \\ & 2 \cdot 85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 4 \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.20 \\ 11.75 \\ 16.00 \end{array}$ | $30.94$ <br> $34 \cdot 30$ <br> $34 \cdot 35$ | 25.44 <br> 25.68 <br> 29.33 | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 4 \\ & 18 \cdot 3 \\ & 22 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 7 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 19.0 \\ & 21.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { *April } \\ \text { May } & \text {... }\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 178.4 \\ & 156.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.6 \\ & 106.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 94 \\ & 5 \cdot 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.68 \\ & 2.68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 0 \\ & 23 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.40 \\ & 14.25 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.02 \\ & 20 \cdot 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.98 \\ & 10.65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.2 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 4 \\ & 3 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 3 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding damaged ware potatoes fed to livestock on farms.
Source : Ministry of Food
${ }^{(2)}$ Barley meal and imported barley.
${ }^{(3)}$ Average of period from July 1936 to June 1939.

* Average of five weeks.


# IX. EXTERNAL TRADE <br> Value and volume of the external trade of the United Kingdom(') 

Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  |  |  |  | impo |  |  | Export | United | ingdom p | duce( ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | Volume | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Index }{ }^{3} \text { ) } \\ & =100 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Food, drink and tobacco | Raw materials | Manufactures | Total | Metal goods | Textiles | Other manufactures | exports $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Retained imports | Exports |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £ milio |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | . | ... | ... |  | 63.0 | $29 \cdot 6$ |  |  | $35 \cdot 5$ | 11.1 | 9.7 |  |  |  |  |
| 1936 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $70 \cdot 6$ | $31 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | 17.7 | 36.7 | 11.4 | 10.2 | 6.6 6.8 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 92.6 99.0 | 103.2 |
| 1937 | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $85 \cdot 7$ | $35 \cdot 9$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | 22.9 | 43.4 | 14.4 | 11.3 | 8.0 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 105.0 | 113.0 |
| 1938 | ... |  | ... | ... | $76 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 8$ | 20.7 | $19 \cdot 5$ | 39.2 | 14.6 | 8.4 | 7.4 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | 100.0 |
| 1944 |  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 108.9 | $43 \cdot 3$ | 23.4 | 39.7 | 22.2 | 7.2 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 80.0 |  |
| 1945 | ... |  |  |  | 92.0 | $40 \cdot 8$ | 24.5 | 25.0 | $33 \cdot 3$ | 10.1 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 7.2 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 81.9 | 31.0 45.8 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ |  | ... | ... | 108.4 | 53.1 | 32.5 | $20 \cdot 4$ | $76 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 7$ | 15.5 | 16.6 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 68.3 | 45.8 99.3 |
| 1947 |  |  |  |  | 149.5 | $67 \cdot 0$ | 47.2 | $33 \cdot 3$ | 94.9 | $45 \cdot 8$ | 18.8 | 18.7 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 77.7 | 108.7 |
| 1948 | ... |  | ... | ... | $173 \cdot 3$ | $74 \cdot 0$ | $57 \cdot 0$ | $40 \cdot 3$ | 131.9 | $63 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 1$ | 24.2 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 80.8 | 136.3 |
| 1947 | April |  | $\ldots$ |  | 147.2 | 71.0 | $46 \cdot 7$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | 82.4 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 15.5 | $16 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  |
|  | May | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 153.1 | 74.9 | 44.0 | 32.3 34 | 89.7 | 42.6 | 18.9 | 17.8 | 7.1 | \} $77 \cdot 5$ | 101.9 |
|  |  | ... | ... | ... | 154.2 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $46 \cdot 1$ | $34 \cdot 8$ | 93.0 | 44.6 |  |  | $4 \cdot 1$ | $\int \pi 7.5$ | 101.9 |
|  | July |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 179.5 | 82.0 | $56 \cdot 4$ | $39 \cdot 2$ | 110.1 | $54 \cdot 3$ | 19.2 | 23.4 | $4 \cdot 3$ |  |  |
|  | Augu |  |  |  | 172.9 | $75 \cdot 6$ | $56 \cdot 6$ | 38.3 | 93.7 | 45.4 | 18.4 | 18.4 | 3.6 |  | 114.0 |
|  | Septe | mber |  | ... | 161.0 | 71.5 | $48 \cdot 2$ | 39.0 | 99.2 | 49.9 | 19.6 | 19.7 | $3 \cdot 4$ | \} 80.6 | 14.0 |
|  | Octo |  | .. |  | 161.8 | 68.6 | $48 \cdot 9$ | 41.8 | 108.4 | 55.5 | 20.7 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Nove | mber |  |  | 138.7 | 51.8 | $46 \cdot 2$ | $38 \cdot 5$ | 102.4 | 50.0 | 20.2 | 19.7 | 4.0 | > 77.9 | $118 \cdot 3$ |
|  | Dece | mber |  | ... | 153.8 | $62 \cdot 4$ | $50 \cdot 5$ | 39.1 |  |  | 21.4 | 19.6 | 4.0 | $\}^{77.9}$ | 118.3 |
| 1948 | Janua |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 161.9 | 68.9 | 51.5 | 39.0 | 119.5 | 58.1 | 23.4 | $22 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 4$ |  |  |
|  | Febru |  |  | $\ldots$ | 148.1 | 57.8 | 51.8 | $35 \cdot 8$ | 112.9 | 55.1 | $23 \cdot 0$ | 19.6 | 3.9 | \% $80 \cdot 4$ | 125.6 |
|  | March |  |  | ... | 178.1 | $80 \cdot 7$ | $53 \cdot 3$ | 41.8 | 121.0 | $60 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 3$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | 6.1 | $\int 80.4$ |  |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 185.1 | 75.6 | $63 \cdot 6$ | 44.1 | 126.4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May |  |  | ... | $175 \cdot 8$ | 73.7 | 58.9 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 129.9 | 61.5 | $26 \cdot 8$ | $24 \cdot 2$ | 5.6 | \} $81 \cdot 0$ | $134 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June |  |  | ... | 177.1 | 71.8 | $60 \cdot 7$ | $42 \cdot 6$ | 134.0 | 63.5 | $26 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 5$ |  | \} 81.0 |  |
|  | July |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 185.6 | 80.4 | 54.9 | 48.4 | 145.6 | 70.0 | 31.1 | $26 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 3$ |  |  |
|  | Augus |  |  |  | 173.8 | 73.7 | $58 \cdot 2$ | $40 \cdot 1$ | $130 \cdot 5$ | 62.8 | 28.1 | $24 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | ¢ $81 \cdot 9$ | 138.2 |
|  | Septe | mber |  | . | 169.4 | 68.7 | $56 \cdot 3$ | $42 \cdot 5$ | 131.0 | $61 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | 25.1 | $5 \cdot 3$ | ¢ 81. |  |
|  | Octob |  |  | ... | 174.5 | 77.3 | 53.6 | 41.9 | 140.1 | 67.7 | 28.5 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Nove | ber | ... | ... | 181.0 | $83 \cdot 4$ | $60 \cdot 0$ | 35.9 | 147.1 | $70 \cdot 0$ | 31.6 | $25 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | \} 80.0 | $147 \cdot 1$ |
|  | Decem | ber | ... | ... | 178.7 | 81.7 | 58.9 | $36 \cdot 3$ | 145.7 | 69.4 | $30 \cdot 8$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 4$ |  |  |
| 1949 | January February March ... |  |  |  | 187.2 | $85 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\} 81 \cdot 8$ | $155 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 162.0 | $66 \cdot 9$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | 36.5 | 140.7 | 69.0 | 30.3 | 24.4 | 4.4 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | ... | 189.9 | 75.1 | $65 \cdot 8$ | $47 \cdot 2$ | 160.0 | 78.7 | $34 \cdot 7$ | 27.2 | $5 \cdot 9$ |  |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187.5 \\ & 194.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 8 \\ & 80 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 7 \\ & 67 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 8 \\ & 45 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 137.4 \\ & 151.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 6 \\ & 75 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.2 \\ & 31.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.5 \\ & 5.6 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 140\left({ }^{(4}\right) \\ & +53(4) \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) The figures for 1944/45 exclude munitions imported or exported by

## Government Departments.

(2) Including relief and rehabilitation supplies to liberated countries.
${ }^{(8)}$ Quantities revalued at 1938 prices and expressed as a percentage of the average in 1938. The figures for 1936/37 and 1944 are approximate only.
${ }^{(4)}$ Provisional monthly estimate. Similar monthly estimate for retained imports is not available. Exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

Monthly averages or calendar months

|  | Value as recorded $£$ thousand |  |  |  |  |  | $\text { Volume index }{ }^{1} \text { ) }$$1938=100$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1938 | 1948 |  | 1949 |  |  | 1948 |  |  |  | $\frac{1949}{$ Ist  <br>  Quarter } |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { 3rd } \\ \text { Quarter } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \text { 4th } \\ \text { Quarter } \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Ist } \\ \text { Quarter } \end{gathered}$ | April | May | Ist Quarter | 2nd Quarter | $\begin{gathered} 3 \text { rd } \\ \text { Quarter } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 4 \text { th } \\ \text { Quarter } \end{gathered}$ |  |
| I. Food, drink and tobacco |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 2,991 | 7,209 | 8,290 | 8,126 | 6,686 | 7,496 | 104 | 104 | 96 | 114 | 110 |
| G. Beverages and cocoa preparations I. Tobacco | 1,152 410 | 2,264 1,348 3,58 | 2,677 1,521 | 2,600 1,616 | 2,121 1,515 | 2,800 1,685 | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 142 \end{aligned}$ | 109 140 | 108 140 | 126 153 | 121 164 |
| I. Fobacco $\ldots$... $\ldots$... $\ldots$... $\ldots$ | 1,429 | 3,597 | 4,092 | 3,910 | 3,050 | 3,011 | 88 | 89 | 75 | 92 | 86 |
| II. Raw materials and articles mainly unmanufactured |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 4,751 | 6,131 | 6,591 | 6,488 | 5,423 | 5,959 | 27 | 40 | 41 | 44 | 44 |
| A. Coal... | 3,117 | 4,088 | 4,177 | 3,611 | 3,125 | 3,702 | 12 | 30 | 36 | 36 | 31 |
| D. Non-ferrous metailiferous ores and scrap | 192 | 254 | 219 | 168 | 172 | 137 | 49 | 70 | 43 | 39 | 44 |
| G. Wool, raw and waste, and woollen rags Other Class II | 522 920 | 731 1,058 | 746 1,449 | 911 1,798 | $\begin{array}{r} 807 \\ 1,319 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 757 \\ 1,363 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | 68 44 | 75 53 | 85 63 |
| III. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 30,429 | 118,996 | 125,285 | 134,998 | 121,754 | 134,729 | 143 | 152 | 158 | 166 | 178 |
| A. Coke and manufactured fuel <br> B. Pottery, glass abrasives, etc. | 274 801 | 541 3,721 | 708 3,917 | 781 4,357 | 640 3,689 | $\begin{array}{r} 682 \\ 4,471 \end{array}$ | 195 | 32 206 | 63 201 | 84 210 | 91 233 |
| B. Pottery, glass abrasives, etc. <br> C. Iron and steel and manufactures thereof ... | 801 3,474 | 3,721 8,723 | 3,917 10,082 | 4,357 10,333 | 3,689 9,898 | 4,471 10,605 | 109 | 114 | 114 | 134 | 133 |
| D. Non-ferrous metals and manufactures thereof | 1,028 | 4,336 | 5,392 | 5,795 | 5,211 | 5,366 | 241 | 171 | 230 | 284 | 291 |
| E. Cutlery, hardware, implements, and instruments... | 752 | 3,565 | 3,750 | 4,018 | 3,606 | 4,012 | 200 | 211 | 217 | 225 | 269 |
| F. Electrical goods and apparatus ... | 1,134 | 6,181 | 6,552 | 6,859 | 6,360 | 7,005 | 198 | 221 | 218 | 231 | 244 |
| G. Machinery ... ... ... | 4,771 | 19,925 | 20,941 | 23,901 | 22,082 | 22,813 | 170 | 188 | 185 | 192 | 220 |
| H. Manufactures of wood and timber | 97 | 183 | 175 | 182 | 131 | 159 | 41 | 46 | 54 | 54 | 56 |
| I. Cotton yarns and manufactures ... | 4,140 | 12,223 | 13,068 | 14,345 | 13,418 | 14,575 | 52 | 58 | 68 | 70 | 77 |
| J. Woollen and worsted yarns and manufactures | 2,234 | 8,336 | 8,655 | 9,061 | 8,111 | 8,648 | 116 | 123 | 132 | 134 | 139 |
| K. Silk and artificial silk yarns and manufactures | 2,234 459 | 3,586 | 3,368 | 3,876 | 3,394 | 3,972 | 171 | 199 | 223 | 213 | 248 |
| L. Manufactures of other textile materials... | 888 | 2,186 | 2,315 | 2,335 | 1,928 | 2,194 | 70 | 78 | 73 | 74 | 72 |
| M. Apparel $\ldots$... $\ldots$... $\ldots$... $\ldots$ | 710 | 2,802 | 2,853 | 2,705 | 2,311 | 2,256 | 110 | 122 | 136 | 133 | 127 |
| N. Footwear ... ... ... ... | 164 | ,607 | 606 | 203 | 405 | 460 | 158 | 126 | 128 | 128 | 112 |
| O. Chemicals, drugs, dyes and colours | 1,849 | 7,369 | 7,144 | 7,507 | 6,892 | 8,092 | 149 | 156 | 162 | 157 | 165 |
| P. Oils, fats and resins manufactured | 447 | 897 | 980 | 983 | 1,299 | 1,079 | 48 | 79 | 72 | 78 | 80 |
| Q. Leather and manufactures thereof | 329 | 703 | 755 | 796 | 807 | 768 | 71 | 69 |  |  |  |
| R. Paper, cardboard, etc. ... ... | 578 | 1,836 | 1,968 | 2,002 | 1,736 | 2,032 | 121 | 114 | 122 | 124 |  |
| S. Vehicles (including locomotives, ships and aircraft) | 3,759 | 23,047 | 23,703 | 26,438 | 22,432 | 27,245 | 252 | $\begin{aligned} & 274 \\ & 186 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 286 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \\ & 182 \end{aligned}$ |
| T. Rubber manufactures | 137 | 514 | 536 | 550 | 456 | 526 | 171 | 186 | $170$ | $175$ | $182$ |
| mainly manufactured $\ldots$... $\quad$. | 2,404 | 7,715 | 7,817 | 7,671 | 6,948 | 7,769 | 118 | 136 | 133 | 138 | 135 |
| IV. Animals, not for food ... ... | 57 | 332 | 363 | 433 | 219 | 287 | 164 | 136 | 139 | 166 | 161 |
| V. Parcel post ... ... ... ... | 1,002 | 2,860 | 3,869 | 3,247 | 3,313 | 2,935 | 140 | 127 | 114 | 154 | 129 |

(1) Quantities revalued at 1938 prices and expressed as a

## Imports into the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )

(i) Analysis by area

TABLE 115
Monthly averages or calendar months
$£$ million

|  |  |  | Sterling countries $\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ | Non-sterling countries |  | British countries and the Irish Republic | Foreign countries | Europe | Africa | Asia |  | Oceania | North America | South and Central America and West Indies |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Western hemisphere $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ | Other |  |  |  |  | India, Pakistan and Western Asia | Rest of Asia |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | ... | 23.9 | 25.0 | 27.7 | $30 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | 25.7 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | 3.7 | 10.0 | 16.6 | 8.7 |
| 1945 |  | $\ldots$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | 54.4 | 11.3 | $43 \cdot 3$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | 10.8 | 8.5 | 7.5 | $0 \cdot 3$ | 9.3 | 43.9 |  |
| 1946 |  | ... | $35 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 8$ | 22.1 | $52 \cdot 3$ | $56 \cdot 1$ | 19.4 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 10.9 | 2.6 | 11.9 | 43.9 35.9 | 17.7 |
| 1947 |  | ... | $46 \cdot 5$ | 68.3 | 34.7 | $66 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | 14.5 | 12.9 | 4.4 | 15.8 | $44 \cdot 7$ | 26.4 |
| 1948 |  |  | $62 \cdot 4$ | 58.1 | $52 \cdot 8$ | 81.0 | $92 \cdot 3$ | $42 \cdot 9$ | $23 \cdot 2$ | 16.9 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | 33.9 | $27 \cdot 6$ |
| 1948 | April | $\ldots$ | 71.3 63.7 | 53.9 | 59.9 | 86.9 | 98.2 | 42.5 | 31.2 | 21.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | ... | 63.7 | 57.0 | $55 \cdot 3$ | 87.1 | 88.9 | 39.6 | 28.0 | 14.4 | 4.3 | 22.5 | 31.1 $35 \cdot 2$ | 29.3 $32 \cdot 0$ |
|  | June... |  | $57 \cdot 7$ | 61.9 | $57 \cdot 5$ | $82 \cdot 0$ | 95.1 | $45 \cdot 8$ | 25.4 | 15.4 | $4 \cdot 3$ |  |  | $33 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 98.8 |  |  | 19.9 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 26.5 | $36 \cdot 9$ |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | $65 \cdot 9$ | 57.5 | $50 \cdot 4$ | $82 \cdot 4$ | 91.4 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 22.7 | 15.5 | $6 \cdot 9$ | 24.7 | 31.5 | 28.8 |
|  | September |  |  |  | $50 \cdot 8$ | 74.6 | 94.8 |  |  | 13.6 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 21.9 | 33.0 | 28.7 |
|  | October |  | $62 \cdot 7$ | $58 \cdot 3$ | 53.5 | $82 \cdot 3$ | 92.2 | $46 \cdot 4$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | 16.4 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 23.2 | 35.1 | 23.7 |
|  | November |  | 65.9 | 56.1 | 59.0 | 81.5 | 99.5 | $49 \cdot 6$ | 22.8 | 17.4 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 29.6 | 30.8 | $26 \cdot 6$ |
|  | December |  | 59.2 | $56 \cdot 3$ | $63 \cdot 2$ | $75 \cdot 6$ | 103.1 | 52.9 | 23.7 | 15.8 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 23.5 | 28.3 | 29.3 |
| 1949 | January | $\ldots$ | 72.8 | 56.4 | 58.0 | 85.7 | 101.5 | 47.1 | 29.3 | 16.2 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 33.2 |  |  |
|  | February | ... | $62 \cdot 7$ | 51.3 | 48.0 | $77 \cdot 9$ | 84.1 | 39.9 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 18.2 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 24.2 | 33.0 | 26.6 21.1 |
|  | March |  | 74.4 | $51 \cdot 5$ | 64.0 | 91.4 | 98.5 | $50 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 4$ | 19.5 | $6 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | 34.7 | 22.9 |
|  | April May | $\cdots$ | 79.4 | 46.9 | $61 \cdot 2$ | 98.4 | 89.1 | $45 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 1$ | 16.1 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $36 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 7$ | 19.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) See foornote ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 113.

Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{2}$ ) All British countries (except Canada and Anglo-Egyptian Sudan), together with the Irish Republic, Burma, Iraq and Iceland.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Including Japan and the Philippines.
TABLE 116
(ii) Analysis by principal countries

Monthly averages or calendar months
$\varepsilon$ million

|  |  | Irish Republic | Sweden | Denmark | France | British West Africa | India, Pakistan, etc. | Ceylon | Australia | New Zealand | Canada (1) | U.S.A. | Argentina |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1938 | ... | 1.9 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 0.8 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 1.0 | 6.0 | $3 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 9.8 | $3 \cdot 2$ |
| 1945 | $\cdots$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | 1.9 | 0.6 | 0.2 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | 4.0 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$... | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 3.0 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 16.7 | 19.1 | $5 \cdot 6$ |
| 1947 | $\ldots$... | $2 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 4.4 | 7.9 | 1.9 | $8 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 19.9 | $24 \cdot 8$ | 10.9 |
| 1948 | ... ... | $3 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 3.9 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 9.0 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 14.1 | 9.1 | 18.6 | 15.4 | $10 \cdot 2$ |
| 1948 | January February March | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 2.6 \\ & 3.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.9 \\ & 2.5 \\ & 2.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 8 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 5 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 5 \\ & 3 \cdot 3 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.4 \\ & 7.3 \\ & 9.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.0 \\ 8.2 \\ 10.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.2 \\ & 2.5 \\ & 1.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 11.1 \\ & 12.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.6 \\ 4.4 \\ 16.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 3 \\ & 16.4 \\ & 20 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.6 \\ & 17.8 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14.4 \\ 10.0 \\ 9.2 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May... June.. | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 3 \\ & 2 \cdot 9 \\ & 3 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.9 \\ & 3.7 \\ & 5.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.1 \\ & 4.1 \\ & 4.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.6 \\ & 2.8 \\ & 3.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 9 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 4 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.9 \\ 6.9 \\ 8.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 3 \\ & 1 \cdot 3 \\ & 2 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.3 \\ & 11.4 \\ & 11.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.9 \\ 10.4 \\ 8.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 22.4 \\ & 20.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.8 \\ & 7.1 \\ & 9.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... August September | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 3 \\ & 3 \cdot 2 \\ & 3 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.7 \\ & 5.1 \\ & 5.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.3 \\ & 2.9 \\ & 2.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 7 \\ & 3 \cdot 6 \\ & 3 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 2 \\ & 7 \cdot 3 \\ & 4 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.0 \\ 7.1 \\ 6.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.9 \\ & 3.3 \\ & 1.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 17.2 \\ & 11.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.3 \\ 6.6 \\ 9.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.9 \\ & 17.1 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 14.4 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ | 11.510.09.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $4 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 6.1 | 8.4 | 1.9 | 17.0 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 19.4 | $15 \cdot 7$ | 8.4 |
|  |  | $4 \cdot 3$ | 6.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 10.6 | 1.5 | 20.0 | 9.1 | 16.4 | 14.4 | 12.9 |
|  |  | $4 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 10.5 | $1 \cdot 1$ | 16.1 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 16.5 | 11.8 | 12.8 |
| 1949 | January <br> February ... <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 3.4 \\ & 3.9 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.9 \\ & 3.1 \\ & 3.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.9 \\ & 3.8 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.1 \\ & 5.1 \\ & 6.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.9 \\ & 6.6 \\ & 8.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.6 \\ 9.7 \\ 10.9 \end{array}$ | 1.02.2 | 22.0 | 11.18.8 | 14.115.7 | 17.417.3 | 14.09.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15.4 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1 \cdot 1$ | 15.2 | 10.6 | 15.4 | 19.3 | $4 \cdot 4$ |
|  | April ... | $4 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 8.5 | $1 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 7$ | $12 \cdot 5$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | 17.4 | $3 \cdot 2$ |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ Figures have been revised to include Newfoundland, hitherto recorded separately.

## United Kingdom exports( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> (i) Analysis by area


$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including relief and rehabilitation supplies to liberated countries. See foot-
Source : Board of Trade note ( ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table 113 .
$\left(^{2}\right)$ All British countries (except Canada and Anglo-Egyptian Sudan) together with the Irish Republic, Burma, Iraq and Iceland.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including Japan and the Philippines.
(ii) Analysis by principal countries

TABLE 118
Monthly averages or calendar months
c. million

|  |  | Irish Republic | Denmark | Netherlands | Belgium | France | South Africa | India, Pakistan, etc. | Australia | New Zealand | Canada $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | U.S.A. | Argentine |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1938 | ... ... | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 0.7 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 1.6 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 1.6 |
| 1945 | ... ... | 1.6 | 0.2 | 0.5 | $2 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | 3.0 | 2.8 | $2 \cdot 9$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.5 | 0.5 |
| 1946 | ... ... | 3.3 | 3.9 | 2.6 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 2.9 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 6.6 | 4.6 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 2.8 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 1.7 |
| 1947 | $\ldots$ | 4.7 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 2.8 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 6.0 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 3.7 | 4.0 | 2.9 |
| 1948 | ... ... | $6 \cdot 3$ | 2.6 | 3.8 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 2.8 | 10.1 | 9.6 | 12.1 | 4.4 | $6 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 4$ |
| 1948 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } & \text {... } \\ \text { February } \\ \text { March } & . . \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.8 \\ & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 7.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.6 \\ & 1.1 \\ & 1.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.3 \\ & 2.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.8 \\ & 3.0 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | 2.73.2 | 9.19.7 | 8.95.6 | 9.412.2 | 5.05.1 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 5.7 | $3 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4.8 5.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 5.6 \\ & 5.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 4.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 2.7 | $8 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 9.5 | 3.9 |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May | 6.1 | 1.8 | 3.1 | 3.33.5 | 3.42.6 | 9.88.4 | 7.57.3 | 13.211.2 | 2.94.2 | 4.47.15.7 | 4.9 | 2.63.92.8 |
|  |  | 5.6 | 2.0 | 3.7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5.15.3 |  |
|  | June | 6.1 | 2.2 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 4.8 | $12 \cdot 2$ | 9.1 | 12.0 | $4 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |
|  | JulyAugustSeptember | $\begin{aligned} & 6.7 \\ & 5.1 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | 3.42.7 | 4.13.9 | 3.52.5 | 2.42.2 | 11.39.4 | 12.79.7 | 13.913.8 | 3.82.92.9 | 7.55.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 6.3 \\ & 5.2 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | 5.14.34.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 3.1 | 3.7 | 2.9 | $2 \cdot 9$ | 9.7 | 10.7 | 12.5 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 6.1 |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 6.47.05.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.0 \\ & 3.8 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.9 \\ & 4.2 \\ & 4.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.9 \\ & 2.9 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 7 \\ & 2 \cdot 4 \\ & 2 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 2 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.7 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.8 \\ & 5.5 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.4 \\ & 7.5 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.5 \\ & 5.8 \\ & 5.4 \end{aligned}$ | 7.75.55.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January February ... March | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 6 \cdot 5 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ | 4.43.24.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 1 \\ & 4.7 \\ & 5.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 2.6 \\ & 3.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.2 \\ & 3.4 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.1 \\ & 11.2 \\ & 13.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 14.6 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | 15.512.714.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 5.2 \\ & 4.4 \\ & 4.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.8 \\ & 5.9 \\ & 8.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.9 \\ & 4.5 \\ & 5.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.5 \\ & 4.8 \\ & 4.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $6 \cdot 3$ | 3.4 | 3.7 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 11.8 | 14.9 | 13.2 | 3.8 | 6.1 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 1.3 |

[^18]Imports of principal items of food
TABLE 119
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Wheat | Flour | Barley | Malze | Ollcake and meal | Oil- <br> seeds and nuts | Vegetable oils | Whale and fish olls ${ }^{1}$ ) | Lard | Butter | Cheese | Condensed milk | Milik powder |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1935 | ... ... | ... | $421 \cdot 8$ | $33 \cdot 3$ | $71 \cdot 2$ | $247 \cdot 7$ | $47 \cdot 7$ | $131 \cdot 3$ | $18 \cdot 6$ | 11.8 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $40 \cdot 0$ | 11.3 |  |  |
| 1936 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 419.9 | 34.9 | $76 \cdot 2$ | 305.4 | 45.4 | 122.8 | 17.7 | $13 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 4$ $6 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 6$ | 11.3 11.2 | 7.4 7.0 | 0.9 1.0 |
| 1937 | ... ... | ... | $403 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 6$ | $75 \cdot 7$ | 298.6 | 53.0 | $135 \cdot 2$ | 17.8 | 14.5 | 6.1 | 39.2 | 12.2 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 1.0 1.2 |
| 1938 | ... ... | ... | $423 \cdot 4$ | $32 \cdot 0$ | $82 \cdot 8$ | 239.9 | $55 \cdot 3$ | 135.8 | 19.0 | 20.5 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 39.7 | $12 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 1.5 |
| 1944 | ... ... | ... | $235 \cdot 3$ | 66.0 | - 5 | 9.8 | 5.7 | 122.3 | 16.8 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 15.8 | $12 \cdot 8$ | 21.0 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 6.9 |
| 1945 |  | $\ldots$ | $296 \cdot 0$ | $45 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 42.5 | $15 \cdot 8$ | 87.9 | $12 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 15.8 | 15.9 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 5$ |
| 1946 |  | ... | 281.0 | $44 \cdot 6$ | 9.1 | 9.9 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $87 \cdot 6$ | 18.2 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | 17.6 | 17.0 | 7.6 | $3 \cdot 1$ |
| 1947 |  | $\ldots$ | 349.5 | 74.5 | 9.4 | 39.8 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 79.5 | 31.5 | 13.9 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 18.0 | 15.9 | $5 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ |
| 1948 | ... $\quad$. | $\cdots$ | 352.7 | $67 \cdot 6$ | 65.1 | 111.0 | $46 \cdot 3$ | $84 \cdot 1$ | $34 \cdot 8$ | 12.3 | 0.8 | 22.7 | 13.1 | 2.6 | 1.7 |
| 1947 | April May June | $\ldots$ | $210 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{array}{r} 92.0 \\ 157.7 \\ 68.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.4 \\ & 1.0 \\ & 4.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.6 \\ & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 30 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23.5 \\ 5.4 \\ 4.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \cdot 4 \\ & 65 \cdot 0 \\ & 83 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 4 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 27.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 37 \cdot 7 \\ & 29 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 1.7 \\ & 0.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 23.6 \\ & 19.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.4 \\ & 12.3 \\ & 12.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.4 \\ & 5 \cdot 0 \\ & 8.3 \end{aligned}$ | 4.9$5 \cdot 0$4.8 |
|  |  |  | $456 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 581.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | 549.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 128.1 \\ 86.6 \\ 40.5 \end{array}$ | $0.3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 3 \\ & 37 \cdot 1 \\ & 48 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 2 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \\ & 27 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.9 \\ 76.0 \\ 99.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 52 \cdot 6 \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \cdot 0 \\ 3 \cdot 5 \\ 4 \cdot 4 \end{array}$ | 0.8 | 20.6 | 28.6 | 14.5 | 8.75.6 |
|  |  | ... | 380.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 19.0 | 15.8 | 13.3 |  |
|  |  | ... | $287 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - | 17.0 | 18.0 | 7.8 | $4 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October November December | ... | $324 \cdot 3$ | 67.8 | -7 | 49.0 | 24.2 | $79 \cdot 3$ | 42.4 | 1.7 | - | 14.5 | 15.0 | $4 \cdot 7$ | $1 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 218.6 | $55 \cdot 6$ | 45.7 | $43 \cdot 5$ | 19.5 | $77 \cdot 2$ | $37 \cdot 7$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 0.1 | 7.5 | 11.6 | 1.8 | 0.4 |
|  |  | ... | $296 \cdot 2$ | 86.7 | 47.6 | $53 \cdot 6$ | 41.6 | 82.1 | $38 \cdot 8$ | 0.9 | 0.1 | 14.4 | 9.1 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 1.5 |
| 1948 | January February March ... | $\ldots$ | $302 \cdot 6$ | $55 \cdot 2$ | 15.2 | 147.7 | 77.1 | $75 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | -7 | - | $23 \cdot 8$ | 17.1 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 0.8 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 283.9 | $42 \cdot 3$ | 18.1 | 42.7 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 91.7 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 9.7 | - | 18.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 1.1 | $2 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | ... | $407 \cdot 5$ | $57 \cdot 7$ | $58 \cdot 5$ | $130 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | 85.7 | 41.9 | 20.4 | - | $40 \cdot 8$ | 26.6 | 1.7 | 2.6 |
|  | April May June | ... | $306 \cdot 7$ | 84.6 | 79.4 | 202. 2 | 15.3 | 105.4 | 32.9 | $24 \cdot 2$ | 0.7 | 27.8 | 7.9 | $2 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  | ... | 327. I | 88.8 | 109.4 | 82.0 | $23 \cdot 8$ | 87.6 | 31.9 | $53 \cdot 8$ | 0.7 | $22 \cdot 7$ | 14.6 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  | ... | 411.4 | 66.4 | 93.8 | 60.7 | $49 \cdot 6$ | $62 \cdot 3$ | 21.9 | $30 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 29.3 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 3.1 | $2 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July ... August Sepiember | $\ldots$ | $465 \cdot 4$ | $81 \cdot 5$ | 68.7 | 91.7 | 62.5 | $76 \cdot 2$ | $41 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 0.9 | 29.6 | 10.1 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  | ... | $386 \cdot 8$ | $72 \cdot 9$ | 91.1 | 50.4 | $49 \cdot 2$ | 105.1 | 47.0 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 7.2 | 8.0 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 0.7 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $303 \cdot 7$ | $34 \cdot 9$ | $136 \cdot 2$ | 51.9 | $46 \cdot 1$ | $88 \cdot 8$ | 29.0 | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 18.0 | 18.7 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 0.7 |
|  | October November December | .. | $348 \cdot 0$ | 86.9 | 110.0 | $113 \cdot 3$ | 36.9 | 85.2 | 27.0 | $2 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | 13.4 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 1.0 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 344.4 | 79.0 | 0.8 | 168.7 | $51 \cdot 3$ | 89.3 | $32 \cdot 5$ | 1.0 | 2.9 | $20 \cdot 8$ | 15.4 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 1.6 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $354 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 9$ | - | 195.0 | $54 \cdot 3$ | 63.7 | $25 \cdot 6$ | 1 | 0.4 | 24.7 | 10.4 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.6 |
| 1949 | January February March ... | $\ldots$ | $328 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | - | $363 \cdot 2$ | $13 \cdot 2$ | $96 \cdot 3$ | 32.6 | - | 0.1 | 41.0 | $21 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | $1 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 401.0 | 39.6 | $8 \cdot 6$ | 169.4 | 16.1 | 91.7 | 25.6 | 11.6 | - | 20.9 | 15.5 | 1.6 | $3 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | ... | $375 \cdot 8$ | 50.1 |  | $80 \cdot 5$ | 11.0 | 98.4 | 26.9 | $40 \cdot 2$ | - | 27.9 | 18.3 | $4 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 1$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \\ \text { May } \\ \text { June } & . . \\ & \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $453 \cdot 4$ | $65 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | 15.1 | 19.8 | 114.8 | $23 \cdot 2$ | $21 \cdot 7$ | - | $26 \cdot 6$ | 18.5 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $418 \cdot 1$ | $62 \cdot 7$ | $52 \cdot 3$ | $67 \cdot 7$ | 21.9 | 113.7 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $35 \cdot 7$ | 2.3 | $33 \cdot 8$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 6$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Unrefined, excluding liver oils.

## Imports of principal items of food

Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Eggs in shell | Dried $\operatorname{egg}\left({ }^{1}\right)$ | Meat ( ${ }^{(2)}$ | Canned meat | Bacon and ham | Fresh or frozen fish | Canned fish | Dried fruit | Oranges | Sugar, unrefined | Tea | Cocoa |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1935 |  | 11.4 | - | 82.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 31.7 | $7 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 13.0 | $42 \cdot 9$ | 159.6 | $17 \cdot 7$ | 8.0 |
| 1936 | $\cdots$ | 14.1 | - | $82 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 30.2 | 6.9 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 12.5 | $39 \cdot 7$ | 184.4 | $17 \cdot 9$ | 9.4 |
| 1937 | ... | 14.2 | - | $87 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $31 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | 12.1 | $51 \cdot 9$ | 184.7 | 18.1 | $7 \cdot 9$ |
| 1938 | ... | $15 \cdot 9$ | - | $88 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $31 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | $13 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 9$ | 197.4 | 19.6 | 11.0 |
| 1944 |  | 1.9 | 6.7 | 95.2 | 17.8 | $33 \cdot 3$ | 17.4 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 17.7 | $13 \cdot 8$ | $96 \cdot 1$ | 16.1 | $12 \cdot 1$ |
| 1945 |  | 4.0 | 3.0 | 66.8 | 8.1 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 19.1 | $3 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $25 \cdot 5$ | 88.5 | $14 \cdot 8$ | 7.9 |
| 1946 |  | 4.7 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $78 \cdot 2$ | 15.5 | 14.9 | 16.9 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 10.7 | $22 \cdot 2$ | 122.4 | 14.8 | 10.4 |
| 1947 |  | 6.6 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 84.0 | $15 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 17.9 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 11.9 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 156.0 | 14.5 | 8.9 |
| 1948 |  | 8.9 | 0.5 | 69.6 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 11.2 | $17 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $9 \cdot 7$ | $40 \cdot 3$ | 159.4 | $15 \cdot 4$ | $9 \cdot 0$ |
| 1947 | April | $9 \cdot 5$ | 1.6 | $90 \cdot 5$ | 18.6 | $12 \cdot 3$ | 16.7 | $8 \cdot 7$ | 19.0 | $40 \cdot 1$ | 200.4 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 24.6 |
|  | May | $8 \cdot 1$ | 1.9 | $79 \cdot 2$ | 12.1 | 16.9 | 19.1 | 14.9 | $17 \cdot 7$ | 27.4 | $217 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 16.6 |
|  | June | $5 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $77 \cdot 6$ | 8.1 | 16.1 | $13 \cdot 2$ | $11 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $13 \cdot 8$ | $268 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 0$ |
|  |  | $2 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 116.6 | $16 \cdot 0$ | 16.3 | $15 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 25.7 | 224.5 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August | 1.9 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $87 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 6$ | 14.1 | $2 \cdot 4$ | 15.0 | $10 \cdot 8$ | $253 \cdot 0$ | 12.6 | $7 \cdot 1$ |
|  | September | $4 \cdot 3$ | 6.4 | 89.6 | $24 \cdot 1$ | 11.7 | 13.4 | $3 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | 18.8 | $202 \cdot 5$ | $2.5 \cdot 2$ | 0.1 |
|  | October | 6.4 | 1.4 | 99.7 | 11.0 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | 11.9 | 138.0 | $31 \cdot 8$ | 0.2 |
|  | November | 9.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | $62 \cdot 5$ | 11.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 19.1 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 0.1 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $64 \cdot 4$ | $13 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |
|  | December | 9.0 | 0.8 | $98 \cdot 1$ | 13.1 | $8 \cdot 0$ | 19.7 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | $72 \cdot 6$ | $72 \cdot 9$ | $18 \cdot 6$ | - |
| 1948 | January | 9.5 | 0.9 | 99.1 | 9.5 | $17 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $12 \cdot 5$ | $63 \cdot 7$ | 39.9 | $22 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 3$ |
|  | February | 12.8 | 0.4 | $62 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | 1.7 | 11.6 | $103 \cdot 2$ | 77.2 | 11.1 | $15 \cdot 8$ |
|  | March | 14.9 | 0.1 | $74 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $22 \cdot 7$ | $28 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $71 \cdot 2$ | $138 \cdot 7$ | $15 \cdot 4$ | $22 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April | 10.7 | 0.1 | $68 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | 24.0 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 49.0 | 209.4 | 13.9 | 25.1 |
|  | May | 9.9 | 1.4 | 57.7 | 2.9 | 30.1 | $18 \cdot 9$ | 4.0 | $12 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 9$ | 219.4 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 8.4 |
|  | June | $7 \cdot 4$ | 0.6 | 69.4 | $3 \cdot 9$ | 14.8 | $15 \cdot 3$ | 0.6 | 4.8 | $21 \cdot 7$ | $252 \cdot 9$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | 5.7 | 0.7 | $93 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 9.7 | 0.7 | 13.2 | 11.8 | 193.5 | 11.1 | $2 \cdot 9$ |
|  | August | $4 \cdot 7$ | 0.6 | $95 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | 0.4 | 12.6 | $24 \cdot 6$ | 186.4 | $16 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 0$ |
|  | September | $5 \cdot 3$ | 0.3 | 59.4 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 10.9 | $1 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | $149 \cdot 3$ | 13.9 | 4.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 5.4 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 0.4 | 6.0 | 31.2 | 116.9 | 19.1 | $1 \cdot 7$ |
|  | October | 9.8 8.9 | 0.3 0.3 | 67.3 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 3.6 | 15.2 | 1.1 | 13.6 | $28 \cdot 2$ | 144.1 | $23 \cdot 8$ | 3.9 |
|  | December | 7.2 | 0.1 | $35 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | 15.4 | 1.0 | 11.7 | $35 \cdot 1$ | 192.6 | $20 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 9$ |
| 1949 |  | $13 \cdot 6$ |  | $34 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 17.1 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 9.7 | $51 \cdot 9$ | $120 \cdot 1$ | 19.9 | $30 \cdot 6$ |
|  | February | 14.9 | 0.1 | 62.1 | $4 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 7$ | 5.1 | 0.7 | $58 \cdot 5$ | 92.3 | 17.5 | $8 \cdot 4$ |
|  | March | 16.4 | - | . 49.6 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | $39 \cdot 1$ | $132 \cdot 2$ | $18 \cdot 2$ | $24 \cdot 1$ |
|  | April | 11.7 | 0.1 | $77 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | 19.0 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 13.0 | $244 \cdot 6$ | 13.6 | 14.2 |
|  | May | 11.8 | 0.4 | $72 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | 9.0 | $22 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | 19.0 | 188.6 | 11.0 | 19.4 |

[^19]Source : Board of Trade

Imports of ores and metals
TABLE 121
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

|  |  | Bauxite | AlumInium | Unwrought copper | Lead | Tin ore and concentrates | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Iron } \\ & \text { ore }\left({ }^{1}\right) \end{aligned}$ | Plgiron | Iron and steel scrap $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Steel ingots | Semifinished steel $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Finished steel ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1935 |  | 16.2 | 1.50 | 25.1 | 26.4 | 3.8 | $375 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 36.5 | 0.5 | 30.1 |  |
| 1936 | ... ... | 19.3 | 1.81 | 24.0 | 29.6 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $493 \cdot 3$ | 20.6 | 90.6 | 0.5 | 45.7 | 46.7 41.0 |
| 1937 | ... | 18.3 | $2 \cdot 63$ | 32.6 | 31.1 | 4.2 | 579.4 | $53 \cdot 2$ | 79.6 | 2.7 | 49.0 | 51.8 |
| 1938 | ... ... | 20.8 | 3.85 | 29.6 | 33.9 | 4.6 | $425 \cdot 2$ | 32.9 | 52.7 | 1.9 | 29.2 | 35.8 |
| 1944 | ... ... | 14.3 | 12.64 | 38.4 | 18.7 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 181.0 | 23.8 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 24.8 | 59.5 | $30 \cdot 0$ |
| 1945 | ... ... | 13.5 | 1.78 | 16.1 | 14.7 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $339-0$ | 9.0 | 14.9 | 3.0 | 6.7 | 2.6 |
| 1946 | .... ... | 13.1 | 6.91 | 24.2 | 13.1 | 3.9 | $540 \cdot 7$ | 1.6 | $36 \cdot 9$ | 6.2 | 25.8 | 3.9 |
| 1947 |  | 13.6 | 7.99 | 30.1 | 16.4 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 565.0 | 0.9 | 31.5 | 9.3 | 17.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ |
| 1948 | ... ... | 25.7 | 11.59 | 29.7 | 13.4 | $4 \cdot 0$ | 723.0 | 4.9 | 71.5 | 1.6 | 15.9 | 16.2 |
| 1947 | April | 13.3 | 0.24 | 41.4 | 9.8 | 0.4 | $560 \cdot 6$ | 0.2 | 35.2 | 15.7 | 17.6 | $6 \cdot 4$ |
|  | May | 8.8 | $4 \cdot 07$ | 22.0 | 16.2 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 644.0 | 0.4 | 48.9 | 17.6 | $32 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June | 28.7 | 12.22 | 41.9 | 15.4 | $2 \cdot 5$ | $436 \cdot 5$ | - | $38 \cdot 8$ | 9.1 | 19.3 | $4 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July | $7 \cdot 2$ | 20.66 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 29.8 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $745 \cdot 6$ | - | 78.6 | 11.7 | 11.2 | $8 \cdot 6$ |
|  | August ... | 11.8 | 9.59 | 29.5 | $25 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $712 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 9$ |
|  | September | $17 \cdot 2$ | 12.75 | $27 \cdot 1$ | 15.1 | 1.1 | $600 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $36 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 16.4 | 10.1 |
|  | October ... | $7 \cdot 5$ | 14.81 | 40.7 | 17.9 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 690.4 | $4 \cdot 0$ | 24.6 | 2.0 | 9.1 | 11.2 |
|  | November | 4.1 | 7.44 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | $452 \cdot 2$ | 0.1 | 48.5 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | 13.5 |
|  | December | $26 \cdot 3$ | 13.42 | $36 \cdot 0$ | 17.3 | 2.9 | $563 \cdot 6$ | 1.0 | $22 \cdot 2$ | 4.0 | 9.2 | 12.0 |
| 1948 | January ... | $36 \cdot 3$ | 9.08 | 21.5 | 16.2 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 674.0 | 6.5 | 48.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 9.2 | $7 \cdot 1$ |
|  | February | 18.6 | $8 \cdot 20$ | 30.1 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 587.0 | 0.9 | 46.1 | - | 11.1 | $7 \cdot 8$ |
|  | March . | $45 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 25$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | 16.4 | 2.8 | $685 \cdot 1$ | 1.5 | 23.1 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 12.4 | 13.2 |
|  | April | 14.4 | 12.55 | 20.1 | 9.3 | 0.6 | 774.8 | 1.9 | 54.0 | 4.7 | 9.6 | 15.0 |
|  | May | 48.0 | 13.78 | $30 \cdot 6$ | 13.5 | 4.6 | $767 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 45.1 | 1.5 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 8.8 |
|  | June | $23 \cdot 3$ | 18.00 | $30 \cdot 5$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | 807.9 | $2 \cdot 6$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $1 \cdot 1$ | 18.2 | 14.3 |
|  | July | 10.4 | 14.86 | 40.8 | 9.5 | 3.9 | 927.1 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $95 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | 14.6 | 13.2 |
|  | August ... | $13 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 35$ | $35 \cdot 9$ | 16.6 | $4 \cdot 9$ | 798.5 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $68 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 13.7 | 8.8 |
|  | Seprember | $43 \cdot 7$ | 14.57 | $37 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $739 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 95.2 | - | 22.7 | 21.0 |
|  | October ... | $7 \cdot 7$ | 9.30 | $32 \cdot 5$ | 13.8 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 734.7 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 98.7 | - | 31.2 | 26.4 |
|  | November | 25.4 | 9.65 | $23 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 749.0 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 100.2 | - | $29 \cdot 0$ | 27.5 |
|  | December | 23.4 | $6 \cdot 72$ | $27 \cdot 2$ | 13.8 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $491 \cdot 2$ | 12.8 | 122.3 | - | 13.3 | 31.4 |
| 1949 | January | $34 \cdot 9$ | 10.90 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 19.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 548.0 | 17.1 | 88.4 | - | 9.1 | 25.2 |
|  | February... | 19.8 | 10.07 | $15 \cdot 6$ | 9.7 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 492.5 | $12 \cdot 2$ | 107.6 | 1.8 | $27 \cdot 6$ | $20 \cdot 9$ |
|  | March ... | $46 \cdot 1$ | 13.45 | $26 \cdot 5$ | 15.1 | $6 \cdot 9$ | $652 \cdot 9$ | $17 \cdot 8$ | $65 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $46 \cdot 1$ | $34 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | 12.17 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0.5 | 28.8 | $57 \cdot 7$ |
|  | May June | $18 \cdot 3$ | $16 \cdot 28$ | 24.8 | 19.8 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $789 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | $207 \cdot 9$ |  | $33 \cdot 1$ | 64.8 |

(1) Other than manganiferous ore.

Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ As from 1938, excludes ships intended for breaking up.
(3) Blooms, billets, slabs, sheet bars and tinplate bars.
(4) Including wire rods, but excluding coated plates and sheets and railway material.

Imports of miscellaneous raw materials
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Sheep's and lambs' wool( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Cotton( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Jute( ${ }^{(1)}$ | Hide leather and undressed hides | Rubber$\text { ( } \left.^{2}\right)$ | Phosphate rock | Timber |  |  | Wood pulp | Paper and board |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Hardwood ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Softwood ( ${ }^{9}$ ) | Plywood | Newsprint |  | Other |
|  |  | Million lb . | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  | Million cubic feet | Thousand Thousand standards cubic feet |  | Thousand tons |  |  |
| 1935 |  |  | $50 \cdot 4$ | 44.6 | 12.7 | 7.6 | 10.6 | 32.0 35.6 |  |  | 1,040 | 189.1 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 58.6 |
| 1936 | ... ... | 54.1 | $55 \cdot 2$ | 13.8 | 8.6 | -0.6( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 35.6 | 3.93 4.63 |  | 1,191 | 203.0 155.5 | $34 \cdot 3$ 39.2 | 63.0 69.6 |
| 1937 | ... ... | $46 \cdot 9$ | 59.5 43.2 | 14.1 13.3 | 8.3 6.1 | 7.6 11.0 | 37.2 34.2 | 4.63 3.22 | 201.0 149.4 | 1,317 905 | 155.5 141.4 | $39 \cdot 2$ $37 \cdot 2$ | 69.6 52.0 |
| 1938 | ... ... | $52 \cdot 1$ | 43.2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1944 | ... ... | 42.4 | $30 \cdot 0$ | 6.7 | 9.1 | 10.4 | 56.3 5.3 | 1.35 1.36 | 40.1 65.5 | 684 | 33.3 61.1 | 11.3 15.5 | 5.4 12.8 |
| 1945 | ... $\quad$. | 35.7 | 32.1 | 7. 2 | 8.5 | 5.2 20.9 | 53.6 72.7 | 1.36 1.26 1 | 65.5 64.9 | 700 639 | 61.1 73.2 | 15.5 8.7 | 12.8 |
| 1946 | ... ... | 32.1 | 28.7 | 8.2 | 8.7 11.9 | 20.9 9.3 | $72 \cdot 7$ 75.6 | 1.26 2.67 | 64.9 113.1 | 639 769 | 73.2 71.8 | 8.7 10.2 | 18.5 31.2 |
| 1947 1948 | ... $\ldots$ | 39.0 $43 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 3$ 30.6 | $5 \cdot 3$ $7 \cdot 8$ | 11.9 8.3 | 9.3 15.8 | $75 \cdot 6$ 82.0 | 2.67 2.96 | 113.1 83.4 | 769 515 | 71.8 96.7 | 10.2 10.5 | $31 \cdot 2$ $31 \cdot 0$ |
|  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947 | April | $48 \cdot 7$ | 54.7 | 3.4 | $8 \cdot 5$ | -0.1(4) | 106.6 | 1.38 | 73.2 | 824 | 56.2 | 17.2 | 33.4 |
|  | May ... | 39.0 | 34.9 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | -4.6(4) | 101.0 | 1.64 | 73.0 | 1,135 | $50 \cdot 5$ | 12.1 | 39.4 |
|  | June ... | $46 \cdot 3$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 8$ | 11.5 | 15.0 | $75 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 47$ | 124.4 | 1,018 | 113.9 | $27 \cdot 4$ | 34.9 |
|  | July | $55 \cdot 2$ | 28.3 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 18.2 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $61 \cdot 1$ | 3.07 | 193.4 | 1,173 | 110.5 | 21.1 | 34.3 |
|  | August ... | 64.0 | 12.0 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 16.0 | 16.8 | $46 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 19$ | 186.4 | 921 | 109.8 | $17 \cdot 9$ | 22.0 |
|  | September | $37 \cdot 2$ | 7.1 | 1.5 | 11.2 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 72.7 | 4.31 | 180.1 | 1,029 | $83 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | $35 \cdot 7$ |
|  | October ... | 26.1 | 9.5 | 1.9 | 9.2 | 19.4 | $77 \cdot 1$ | 4.04 | 193.7 | 1,029 | 64.3 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 34.0 |
|  | November | $30 \cdot 6$ | 15.4 | 3.4 | 11.5 | 12.0 | $36 \cdot 8$ | 3.22 | 154.2 | 1,095 | $73 \cdot 4$ | 1.8 | 39.5 |
|  | December | $65 \cdot 5$ | 14.4 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 11.6 | 13.6 | 144.1 | $3 \cdot 78$ | 137.8 | 1,787 | $63 \cdot 9$ | - | 31.9 |
| 1948 |  | 47.8 | 29.0 | 8.4 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 21.1 | 88.7 | 3.79 | 81.9 | 868 | 58.8 | 7.0 | $25 \cdot 2$ |
|  | February ... | 55.4 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 12.4 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 19.5 | 51.4 | $2 \cdot 31$ | 79.5 | 795 | 61.0 | 1.8 | 20.9 |
|  | March ... | 68.2 | 22.7 | 11.4 | 4.1 | 17.5 | 118.0 | $2 \cdot 54$ | $64 \cdot 5$ | 567 | $57 \cdot 0$ | 4.2 | $23 \cdot 9$ |
|  | April | 67.3 | 43.4 | 9.0 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 21.1 | 108.1 | 2.61 | 54.1 | 371 | 89.5 | 9.9 | 34.8 |
|  | May ... | 36.0 | $32 \cdot 7$ | 9.6 | $15 \cdot 3$ | 11.7 | 78.4 | $2 \cdot 52$ | 49.4 | 475 | 94.5 | 13.6 | $32 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June ... | $40 \cdot 8$ | 39.0 | 11.0 | 9.1 | 13.1 | 56.1 | 2.34 | $77 \cdot 4$ | 620 | $137 \cdot 7$ | 13.6 | $35 \cdot 6$ |
|  | July | 27.5 | 18.1 | $8 \cdot 4$ | - $10 \cdot 4$ | 13.2 | $73 \cdot 3$ | 3.46 | 122.0 | 543 | 137.8 | 18.2 | 37.3 |
|  | August ... | $36 \cdot 7$ | 22.5 | $6 \cdot 3$ | - 8.0 | $24 \cdot 2$ | $61 \cdot 3$ | 3.00 | 102.6 | 416 | 112.9 | 13.0 | $27 \cdot 8$ |
|  | September | $36 \cdot 3$ | 22.5 | 3.4 | $11 \cdot 3$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | 111.0 | 4.07 | 99.0 | 583 | 93.9 | 9.0 | 33.0 |
|  | October | 30.1 | $25 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 13.2 | 78.8 | 2.77 | 106.0 | 452 | 98.0 | 11.7 | 40.5 |
|  | November | $45 \cdot 4$ | 39.0 | 4.5 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 6.9 | $86 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 66$ | $100 \cdot 5$ | 402 | 99.9 | 15.0 | 33.8 |
|  | December | 33.1 | 39.1 | 9.2 | 7.1 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $74 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 98$ | $107 \cdot 5$ | 344 | 123.1 | 9.5 | $26 \cdot 7$ |
| 1949 |  | 59.9 |  | $6 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $-0.5\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 83.1 | 2.92 | 51.8 | 443 | 106.1 | 15.7 | 22.5 |
|  | February . | 56.7 | 35.3 | 10.6 | 12.1 | 14.5 | 104.8 | 2.45 | 41.9 | 398 | 90.1 | 16.4 | 19.0 |
|  | March . | $40 \cdot 1$ | 51.8 | 7.7 | 5.8 | 18.6 | 111.6 | $2 \cdot 33$ | 53.4 | 608 | $81 \cdot 1$ | 9.7 | 23.0 |
|  | April | 74.7 | 49.9 | $6 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  | $2 \cdot 70$ | $41 \cdot 1$ | 633 | 96.5 | $9 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 0$ |
|  | May ... | $47 \cdot 0$ | $55 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  | 713 | $131 \cdot 5$ | $12 \cdot 4$ | $25 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) Retained imports.

Source: Board of Trade
(3) Retained imports. Includes both natural and synthetic rubber.
${ }^{3}{ }^{3}$ Excluding sleepers of all kinds and pitwood. Softwood figures also exclude boxboards and pulpwood and cover as nearly as possible the same types of wood as the figures in Table 41.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right) \mathrm{Re}$-exports in excess of imports.

## Exports of iron and steel and non-ferrous metals

TABLE 123
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Iron and steel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Non-ferrous metals |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Bars and rods( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Uncoated plates and sheets | Angles, shapes and sections $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Tinned plates | Wroughe \&ubes | Railway construcclon material | Wire and wire manufactures | Other finished goods | Aluminium and aluminium manufactures | Brass and brass manufactures | Copper and copper manufactures | Tin blocks, etc. |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand cwt. |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 10.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \\ & 32 \cdot 5 \\ & 17 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 4.8 <br> $4 \cdot 6$ <br> 6.3 <br> $5 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 8 \\ & 30 \cdot 8 \\ & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 27.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 2 \\ & 17 \cdot 0 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \\ & 18 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 17.4 \\ & 17.3 \\ & 13.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.5 \\ & 7.8 \\ & 9.2 \\ & 7.4 \end{aligned}$ | 52.049.6 | 13.111.3 | 37.729.0 | $65 \cdot 0$60.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 3 \\ & 25 \cdot 7 \\ & 24 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 51.9 | $17 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 5$ | 63.2 |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $44 \cdot 4$ |  | 36.0 | 54.0 | $20 \cdot 5$ |
| 1944 |  | 0.9 6.8 | 3.3 8.3 | 0.7 3.9 | 1.6 2.7 | 4.1 6.5 | 2.1 7.0 | 0.5 1.7 | 4.2 10.5 | 1.5 11.4 | 9.5 21.8 | 8.6 32.3 | 5.2 16.3 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | $25 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{array}{r} 29.3 \\ 18.0 \end{array}$ | 10.6 | 9.8 | 23.0 | $22 \cdot 3$ | 9.3 | 37.0 | 46.7 | 2.8 125.3 | 32.3 122.1 | $16 \cdot 3$ $34 \cdot 3$ |
| 1947 | ... ... | 14.5 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7.5 \\ & 8.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.1 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | 13.4 | 8.1 | 48.9 | 60.6 | 82.3 | 115.3 | 64.3 6.5 |
| 1948 | ... ... | 12.6 | $21 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  | 16.1 | 8.0 | 51.9 | 107.1 | 91.5 | 119.7 | 3.7 |
| 1947 | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.4 \\ & 15.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 6 \\ & 22.5 \\ & 17.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.1 \\ 9.5 \\ 8.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5 \\ & 12.4 \\ & 12.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 \\ & 18.7 \\ & 23.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.7 \\ & 8.2 \\ & 7.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 2 \\ & 51 \cdot 3 \\ & 47 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62.6 \\ & 58.8 \\ & 65.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96.4 \\ & 91.3 \\ & 79.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96.4 \\ 129.3 \\ 122.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.1 \\ 10.5 \\ 4.8 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 18.6 \\ & 11.0 \\ & 13.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.6 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | 9.0 | 13.2 | 25.4 | 9.8 | 8.6 | $68 \cdot 5$ | $67 \cdot 1$ | 96.9 | 140.9 | 1.9 |
|  |  |  |  | 6.7 | 13.8 | 17.5 | 11.2 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $50 \cdot 5$ | $56 \cdot 7$ | 60.0 | 114.3 | $2 \cdot 4$ |
|  |  |  |  | 6.1 | 15.3 | 20.1 | 12.0 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 58.1 | 53.1 | 76.4 | 114.4 | 6.6 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 16.8 | 19.1 | 6.9 | $12 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | 18.1 | 8.2 | 57.1 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 12.1 | 14.0 | 4.8 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 23.9 | 11.4 | 6.8 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 1$ | $70 \cdot 0$ | 104.1 | 4.2 |
|  |  | 11.6 | 18.5 | 5.4 | $20 \cdot 6$ | $25 \cdot 0$ | 14.8 | 7.1 | $53 \cdot 2$ | 54.9 | 70.8 | 113.5 |  |
| 1948 | January February March | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.9 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 20.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.6 \\ & 7.9 \\ & 6.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 0 \\ & 25 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.6 \\ 8.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.1 \\ & 6.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 6 \\ & 36 \cdot 5 \\ & 47 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 8 \\ & 46 \cdot 8 \\ & 50 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \cdot 8 \\ & 66 \cdot 0 \\ & 76 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.1 \\ & 103.3 \\ & 111.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.0 \\ & 4.1 \\ & 2.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 10.8 \\ & 10.9 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.2 \\ & 21.1 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | 6.7 | 19.8 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 18.2 | 7.2 | $46 \cdot 5$ | 59.3 | 82.6 | 113.1 | $4 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  |  |  | 7.3 | 18.8 | $22 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 0$ | 7.4. | $51 \cdot 3$ | $65 \cdot 4$ | 82.4 | 136.0 | $2 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  |  |  | 6.9 | 14.6 | 31.3 | 11.3 | 7.7 | $54 \cdot 5$ | 76.4 | 74.6 | 134.3 | 2.9 |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 13.8 \\ & 10.4 \\ & 13.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 02.2 \end{aligned}$ | 9.3 | $15 \cdot 6$ | 28.2 | 23.6 | 9.2 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 121.1 | 97.4 | 111.7 | $2 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 7$ | 12.2 | $24 \cdot 2$ | 9.9 | 6.7 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 176.0 | 91.0 | $92 \cdot 3$ | 3.0 |
|  |  |  |  | 8.5 | $16 \cdot 6$ | 19.9 | $20 \cdot 4$ | 8.7 | $52 \cdot 3$ | 144.1 | $97 \cdot 3$ | 145.0 | 1.9 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 15.7 | $27 \cdot 7$ | 10.9 | 18.2 | 25.9 | 21.7 | 8.7 | $60 \cdot 8$ | 127.2 | 110.7 | 114.3 | 4.9 |
|  |  | 12.7 | 21.7 | 9.7 | 21.9 | $25 \cdot 7$ | 12.8 | $8 \cdot 9$ | $56 \cdot 2$ | 179.7 | 115.0 | 125.6 | 7.5 |
|  |  | 15.6 | $36 \cdot 5$ | 10.8 | 18.4 | 24.1 | 19.8 | 8.4 | 52.9 | 179.3 | 131.7 | 135.2 | $4 \cdot 7$ |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> March | 18.3 | 28.2 | 10.0 | 16.7 | 27.9 | 13.8 | 10.0 | $55 \cdot 6$ | 175.2 | 159.3 | 174.6 | 3.6 |
|  |  | 13.3 | 28.6 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 17.4 | $22 \cdot 4$ | 15.5 | 8.9 | $57 \cdot 0$ | 146.6 | 102.0 | 110.5 | $3 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  | 16.4 | $32 \cdot 5$ | 12.3 | $16 \cdot 7$ | 31.2 | 16.0 | $9 \cdot 8$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | 153.1 | 126.1 | 163.0 | 8.8 |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 19.7 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.7 \\ & 31 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 10.09.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 17.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 2 \\ & 20 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 5 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 4 \\ & 66 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.4 \\ & 134.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.2 \\ & 121.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 119.3 \\ 149.9 \end{array}$ | 2.62.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding those of alloy steel.
(2) Excluding those of iron and alloy steel.

## Exports of machinery and wireless apparatus

Monthly averages or calendar months

(1) Excluding agricultural tractors which are included in Table 125.

## Exports of vehicles

TABLE 125
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | New motor cars |  | New commercial vehicles |  | Agricultural tractors ${ }^{(2)}$ | Motor cycles | Pedal cycles | Railway rolling stock |  |  | Motor tyres |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Complete | Chassis | Complete (i) | Chassis |  |  |  | Loco- motives and parts | Wagons and trucks (Including parts) | Wheels tyres and axles |  |
|  |  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  | Thousands | Thousand tons |  |  | Thousands |
| 1935 |  | $\ldots$ | 3,660 | 862 | 218 | 948 | 371 | 1,504 | 31.4 | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 4.7 | 107 |
| 1936 | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,267 | 1,127 | 333 | 1.130 | 544 | 1,705 | $43 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | $2 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 104 |
| 1937 |  | ... | 4.465 | 2,038 | 371 | 1,385 | 874 | 2,120 | 69.3 | 1.5 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | 115 |
| 1938 | ... | ... | 3,677 | 2,007 | 381 | 907 | 483 | 1,647 | $48 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 4.1 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 102 |
| 1944 |  | $\ldots$ | 165 | -9 | 314 | 16 | 75 444 | 145 337 | 92.4 | 0.8 1.2 | 0.6 0.9 | 0.5 1.2 | 16 19 |
| 1945 | $\ldots$ | ... | 165 | 9 | 465 | 88 | 444 | 337 | 22.7 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 19 |
| 1946 1947 |  | $\ldots$ | 5,817 10,469 | 1,384 <br> 1,439 <br> 1,685 | 1,894 2,007 | 1,915 2,130 | 1,054 1,397 | 4,453 4,610 | 89.4 120.8 | 5.0 3.5 | 11.6 5.6 | 5.6 5.4 | 73 82 |
| 1948 | ... | $\ldots$ | 16,224 | 2,685 | 3,049 | 3,208 | 5,647 | 6,261 | $150 \cdot 4$ | 3.8 | 4.8 | 6.9 | 123 |
| 1947 | April | ... | 7,436 | 1,064 | 1,600 | 1,559 | 1,438 | 3,516 | 96.6 | 2.5 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 85 |
|  | May | ... | 10,670 | 1,670 | 2,294 | 2,100 | 759 | 5,205 | 124.5 | 2.6 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | 77 |
|  | June | ... | 10,302 | 1,060 | 1,873 | 2,213 | 846 | 3,765 | $115 \cdot 4$ | 4.1 | $4 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 86 |
|  | July |  | 12,156 | 1,698 | 2,463 | 2,925 | 1,263 | 6,226 | 129.4 | 4.1 | 3.3 | 5.0 | 93 |
|  | Augus |  | 9,410 | 1,297 | 1,648 | 1,757 | 1,394 | 5,249 | 127.4 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 68 |
|  | Septe | mber | 12,582 | 881 | 2,216 | 2,119 | 1,693 | 4,097 | 129.6 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 4.9 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 62 |
|  | Octob |  | 14,186 | 1,030 | 2,369 | 2,230 | 1,631 | 4,885 | 136.4 | 3.4 | 4.1 | 6.2 | 91 |
|  | Nove | nber | 14,094 | 2,060 | 2,286 | 2,192 | 2,659 | 5,164 | 132.2 | $2 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 63 |
|  |  | ber | 12,627 | 1,670 | 2,221 | 2,203 | 2,121 | 5,155 | 141.6 | 5.9 | 4.4 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 87 |
| 1948 | Janua |  | 14,593 | 1,536 | 2,232 | 2,817 | 3,021 | 6,695 | 146.0 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 7.5 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 124 |
|  | Febru |  | 14,704 | 2,103 | 1,970 | 2,278 | 3,752 | 5,531 | 115.0 | $4 \cdot 1$ | 4.1 | 4.7 | 110 |
|  | March | ... | 16,343 | 2,757 | 2,608 | 3,251 | 6,130 | 5,226 | 157.3 | $4 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 7$ |  |
|  | April |  | 18,366 | 4,968 | 2,970 | 3,654 | 4,974 | 7,262 | $143 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | 3.5 | 7.1 | 113 |
|  | May | ... | 17,667 | 2,708 | 3,004 | 2,700 | 4,680 | 6,154 | $160 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 3.2 | 9.0 | 132 |
|  | June | ... | 18,061 | 2,180 | 3,552 | 3,038 | 5,400 | 6,100 | 132.7 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 4.7 | 8.0 | 131 |
|  | July |  | 18,604 | 2,197 | 4,232 | 3,343 | 5,246 | 6,744 | 151.1 | 3.7 | 4.7 | 7.1 | 119 |
|  | Augu | t... | 12,321 | 2,330 | 2,851 | 2,913 | 5,243 | 5,398 | 159.7 | $6 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 6.1 | 109 |
|  | Septe | mber | 15,284 | 2,132 | 3,009 | 3,743 | 7,952 | 6,230 | 145.0 | 2.7 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | 141 |
|  | Octo |  | 15,588 | 3,238 | 3,173 | 3,509 | 7,196 | 4,864 | 150.4 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 5.1 | 8.6 | 118 |
|  | Nove | mber | 17,282 | 2,027 | 3,666 | 3,322 | 8,650 | 7,098 | 173.9 | 4.7 | 5.6 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 123 |
|  | Dece | mber |  | 3,969 | 3,264 | 4,015 | 5,507 | 7,902 | $170 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | 5.6 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 126 |
| 1949 | Janua |  | 15,685 | 3,605 | 3,567 | 4,278 | 9,667 | 7,561 | 186.2 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 8.4 | 167 |
|  | Febr |  | 13,920 | 1,909 | 3,381 | 3,726 | 7,778 | 5,615 | 175.5 | 3.0 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 108 |
|  | March |  | 18,774 | 3,698 | 4,507 | 3,888 | 7,975 | 6,539 | 221.7 | 4.6 | 12.1 | $6 \cdot 2$ |  |
|  | April | ... | 16,156 | 3,294 | 3,522 | 3,660 | 5,057 | 4,908 | 186.1 | 4.6 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 111 |
|  | May June | $\ldots$ | 19,449 | 3,575 | 3,982 | 4,631 | 4,791 | 6,756 | $201 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 150 |

${ }^{1}$ ) From 1946, excludes industrial trucks.
Source: Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Excludes track-laying.

## Exports of textiles

Monthly averages or calendar months


[^20]Source: Board of Trade crocheted piece goods.

Other selected exports
TABLE 127
Monthly averages or calendar months


## X. MERCHANT SHIPPING

Merchant shipbuilding and repair
TABLE 128
All vessels of $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ gross tons and over
Thousand gross tons

|  |  |  |  | Laid down |  | Under construction |  | Completed |  | Undergoing repair, conversion or re-conversion in United Kingdom ports <br> End of period |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |  |
|  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  | End of period |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |
| 1938( ${ }^{1}$ ) | $\cdots$ | ... | ... | 42 | .. | 780 | . | 72 |  |  |
| 1944 1945 1946 1447 1948 | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 80 101 108 95 102 | 33 35 38 | 995 1,466 1,789 1,984 1,983 | 434 630 677 | $\begin{array}{r} 85 \\ 62 \\ 82 \\ 79 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \\ & 18 \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | 2,576 3,182 3,100 3,396 3,069 |
| 1947 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May.... } & \ldots \\ \text { June... } & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 55 88 133 | 32 20 46 | 1,875 1,911 1,922 | $\begin{aligned} & 523 \\ & 531 \\ & 555 \end{aligned}$ | 57 52 122 | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 12 \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,535 \\ & 3,501 \\ & 3,354 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... $\qquad$ <br> August <br> September ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 57 93 123 | 21 19 62 | 1,908 1,925 1,965 | 549 548 590 | 71 76 83 | 27 20 20 | 3,317 3,256 3,370 |
|  | October ... <br> November ... <br> December ... | $\cdots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 125 79 95 | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \\ & 52 \\ & 29 \end{aligned}$ | 1,922 2,015 1,984 | $\begin{aligned} & 598 \\ & 642 \\ & 630 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 56 \\ 126 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \\ 8 \\ 41 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,391 \\ & 3,268 \\ & 3,396 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | January <br> February <br> March | $\ldots$ | ... | 79 62 121 | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & 24 \\ & 51 \end{aligned}$ | 2,033 2,000 2,011 | $\begin{aligned} & 649 \\ & 649 \\ & 668 \end{aligned}$ | 30 95 110 | 6 24 32 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,213 \\ & 3,074 \\ & 3,490 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May... <br> June... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 97 80 157 | 88. $\begin{array}{r}41 \\ 5 \\ 85\end{array}$ | 2,012 2,009 2,073 | 680 649 688 | 96 83 93 | 29 36 46 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,236 \\ & 3,097 \\ & 3,064 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 46 101 118 | 23 <br> 24 <br> 37 | 1,998 2,035 2,066 | $\begin{aligned} & 675 \\ & 670 \\ & 654 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 121 \\ 64 \\ 87 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 29 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,070 \\ & 3,204 \\ & \mathbf{2 , 9 1 6} \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November ... December ... | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 103 119 137 | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \\ & 21 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | 2,036 2,042 1,983 | $\begin{aligned} & 669 \\ & 672 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133 \\ & 113 \\ & 196 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \\ & 18 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,011 \\ & 2,804 \\ & 3,069 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | January February $\qquad$ March $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 88 89 72 | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \\ 7 \\ 19 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,000 \\ & 1,986 \\ & 1,930 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 701 \\ & 676 \\ & 657 \end{aligned}$ | 71 103 131 | 22 32 42 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,934 \\ & 2,874 \\ & 2,627 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & \text { May } \\ & \text { June } \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 142 101 | 34 43 | 1,987 1,961 | $\begin{aligned} & 662 \\ & 669 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ 130 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \\ & 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,830 \\ & 2,773 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{1}{ }^{2}$ These figures have been obtained from Lloyd's Register. The Lloyd's Register figures given under the headings "laid down" and "under construction" relate respectively to vessels on which work has begun in the shipyards and vessels on which work has begun but which have not been handed over to their owners. These two figures are not therefore comparable with the figures shown in the rest of the table.


Merchant vessels registered in the British Commonwealth
Excluding foreign-owned vessels on bareboat charter or requisition and miscellaneous craft
Thousand gross tons

|  |  | Non-tankers( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Tankers |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1,600 gross tons and over |  |  | 500-1,599 gross tons |  |  | 1,600 gross tons and over |  |  | 500-1,599 gross tons |  |  |
|  |  | Total( ${ }^{(2)}$ | On United Kingdom or Colonial Registers ( ${ }^{8}$ ) | On other Commonwealth Registers | Total( ${ }^{(4)}$ | On United Kingdom or Colonial Registers | On other Commonwealth Registers | Total | On United Kingdom or Colonial Registers | On other Commonwealth Registers | Total | On <br> United Kingdom or Colonial Registers | On other Commonwealth Registers |
| 1939 S | September 3 December 31 | 14,352 14,138 | 13,452 13,181 | $\begin{aligned} & 900 \\ & 957 \end{aligned}$ | 1,020 1,003 | $\begin{aligned} & 861 \\ & 846 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | 3,172 3,248 | 3,007 3,079 | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \\ & 68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1940 1941 1942 | December 31 December 31 December 31 | 13,528 12.494 10,685 | 12,425 11,400 9,686 | 1,103 1,094 999 | 902 813 748 | 738 648 586 | 164 165 162 | 2,930 2,868 2,419 | 2,727 2,688 2,296 | 203 180 123 | 61 59 63 | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \\ & 49 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 10 \\ & 10 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1943 1944 1945 1946 | December 31 December 31 December 31 December 31 | 11,001 11,809 12,604 12,703 | 9,323 9,542 10,120 10,305 | 1,678 2,267 2,484 2,398 | 732 702 765 755 | 576 550 606 606 | 156 152 159 149 | 2,476 2,660 2,819 2,995 | 2,336 2,463 2,631 2,879 | 140 197 188 116 | 57 72 96 98 | 61 66 89 88 | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 6 \\ 7 \\ 10 \end{array}$ |
| 1947 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } 30 & \ldots \\ \text { May 3i } & \ldots \\ \text { June 30 } & \ldots\end{array}$ | 13,305 13,727 13,795 | 10,859 11,317 11,361 | 2,446 2,410 2,434 | 746 750 755 | 595 595 598 | 151 155 157 | 3,059 3,083 3,092 | 2,912 2,926 2,935 | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 157 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 105 \\ 107 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & 94 \\ & 95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 11 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { July 31 } \\ \text { August } 31 & \ldots \\ \text { September } & \\ & \end{array}$ | 13,959 14,024 14,108 | 11,496 11,558 11,645 | 2,463 2,466 2,463 | 760 764 771 | 603 606 611 | 157 158 160 | 3,163 3,175 3,204 | 2,995 3,005 3,034 | 168 170 170 | 107 107 107 | 95 95 94 | 12 12 13 |
|  | October 31... November 30 December 31 | 14,229 14,157 14,254 | 11,730 11,670 11,754 | 2,499 2,487 2,500 | 783 786 789 | 620 621 624 | 163 165 165 | 3,282 3,431 3,457 | 3.119 3,289 3,315 | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 142 \\ & 142 \end{aligned}$ | 112 113 111 | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 99 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 14 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | January 31 ... <br> February 29 <br> March 31 .. | 14,299 14,336 14,311 | 11,770 11,804 11,776 | 2,529 2,532 2,535 | 788 784 793 | 624 621 629 | 164 163 164 | 3,537 3,530 3,610 | 3,419 3,389 3,417 | $\begin{aligned} & 118 \\ & 141 \\ & 193 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 111 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 99 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 30 <br> May 31 <br> June 30 | 14,376 14,365 14,421 | 11,838 11,817 11,844 | 2,538 2,548 2,577 | 790 792 791 | 626 628 625 | 164 164 166 | 3,621 3,636 3,652 | 3,432 3,437 3,452 | 189 199 200 | 111 111 110 | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 99 \\ & 98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 31 August 31 September 30 | 14,550 14,527 14,516 | 11,953 11,942 11,923 | 2,597 2,585 2,593 | 797 796 792 | 630 629 625 | 167 167 167 | 3,662 3,671 3,675 | 3,461 3,470 3,474 | 201 201 201 | 110 110 112 | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 98 \\ 100 \end{array}$ | 12 12 12 |
|  | October 31... <br> November 30 <br> December 31 | 14,484 14,578 14,664 | 11,896 11,999 12,092 | 2,588 2,579 2,572 | 789 792 792 | 625 628 629 | 164 164 163 | 3,671 3,686 3,687 | 3,481 3,507 3,508 | 190 179 179 | 112 111 106 | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 99 \\ 94 \end{array}$ | 12 12 12 |
|  | January 31 ... February 28 March 31 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 14,733 \\ & 14,672 \\ & 14,678 \end{aligned}$ | 12,134 12,106 12,119 | 2,599 2,566 2,559 | $\begin{aligned} & 795 \\ & 799 \\ & 799 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 631 \\ & 631 \\ & 632 \end{aligned}$ | 164 168 167 | 3,703 3,732 3,737 | 3,535 3,564 3,569 | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 168 \\ & 168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 104 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | 94 93 93 | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 11 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 30 May 31 June 30 | $14,557\left({ }^{5}\right)$ 14,562 | ) $\begin{aligned} & 12,082 \\ & 12,131\end{aligned}$ | $2,475(5)$ 2,431 | $\begin{aligned} & 794\left(^{5}\right) \\ & 795 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 633 \\ & 633 \end{aligned}$ | $161\left({ }^{5}\right)$ 162 | 3,765 3,767 | 3,597 3,601 | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 166 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) The refrigerated capacity of vessels included (other than those with refrigerated space of less than gross tons at 31 May 1949.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Vessels on the United Kingdom register on bareboat charter from Canada have been treated as having remained on the Canadian Register. This tonnage amounted to 749 thousand gross tons at 30 April 1947 and 464 thousand gross tons at 31 May 1949.
(4) The tonnage on bareboat charter or requisition excluded amounted to 13 thousand gross ton at 31 May 1949.
${ }^{5}$ ) From 30 April 1949, excluding tonnage on the register of the Irish Republic, which at that date amounted to 57 thousand gross tons ( 46 thousand of 1,600 gross tons and over and 11 thousand of 500-1,599 gross tons).

## MERCHANT SHIPPING



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## XI. CIVIL AVIATION

## British airline operations ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 132
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding charter services, but including scheduled services operated by independent
Source : Ministry of Civil Aviation companies in association with British European Airways. Figures for the period May 1948 to February 1949 inclusive, have been revised.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Includes U.K./Continent services operated by B.E.A. British Division.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Includes excess baggage and diplomatic mail.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Statistics for 1938 and 1945 include a small volume of mileage and traffic on charter and special flights by operators of regular services.

## CIVIL AVIATION

British airline operations( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE I33
Monthly averages or calendar months

$\left(^{\mathbf{1}}\right),\left({ }^{\mathbf{2}}\right),\left({ }^{( }\right)$and $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ See footnotes on page 105.
Source : Ministry of Civil Aviation

# XII. INLAND TRANSPORT <br> Traffic receipts of the British Transport Commission 

## (i) Railways

TABLE 134
Weekly averages
f thousand

|  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

(1) Passenger fares and freight rates were increased on 1 October 1947 to 55 per cent. over pre-war rates. Before this the increase over pre-war rates had been 25 per cent. for freight, season tickets and workman's tickets and $33 \frac{1}{\S}$ per cent. for other passenger fares.

## Traffic receipts of the British Transport Commission

(ii) London Transport and inland waterways

TABLE 135
Weekly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ (2) London Transport fares were increased on 9 February 1947.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding charges earned by vessels not owned by the British Transport Commission.

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## Freight train traffic (Great Britain)

Weekly averages


INLAND TRANSPORT
Passenger journeys originating (Great Britain)( ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 137
Monthly averages or calendar months
Millions

(1) Before January 1948 figures are for main line railways only. As certain lines were exchanged on I January 1948 with London Transport, figures from January 1948 onwards are not comparable with the earlier series.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including traffic paid by Service and other Government departments by means of vouchers (e.g., military, naval, evacuees, etc.) ; tickets issued under tulk travel arrangements: sports clubs' tickets; etc.

## Loaded train-miles, loaded wagon-miles, estimated ton-miles and average length of haul (Great Britain)( ${ }^{1}$ )


(1) Before January 1948 figures are for main line railways only.

Source: Ministry of Transport
${ }^{(2)}$ Twenty weeks to December 24.

## INLAND TRANSPORT

New registrations of mechanically-propelled vehicles in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 139
Monthly averages or calendar months
Number

|  |  |  | Total | Cars | Cycles and tricycles( ${ }^{(2)}$ | Vehicles for public conveyance(') | Goods vehicles, etc. |  |  | Agricultural vehicles |  | Vehicles exempt from duty |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Vans and lorries |  |  |  | General haulage tractors | Other ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Vans and lorries | $\begin{gathered} \text { Tractors } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { engines }{ }^{5} \text { ) } \end{gathered}$ | Ambulances and fire engines | Road construction | Other ( ${ }^{6}$ ) ${ }^{7}$ ) |
| $1935\left({ }^{8}\right)$ | ) | ... |  | 33,124 | 22,218 | 3.836 | 583 | 5,605 | 18 |  | 77 | 339 | 42 | 27 | 372 |
| $1936{ }^{(8)}$ | ) | $\ldots$ | 37,445 | 24,664 | 4.449 | 627 | 6,321 | 18 | 12 | 83 | 437 | 36 | 38 | 759 |
| $1937{ }^{\circ}{ }^{\circ}$ | ) | ... | 40,522 | 26,687 | 4.755 | 698 | 6,539 | 19 | 9 | 93 | 605 | 44 | 37 | 1,037 |
| 1938(8) | ) | ... | 34,930 | 22,683 | 3,753 | 749 | 5,688 | 20 | 9 | 85 | 612 | 48 | 41 | 1,242 |
| 1944 |  | ... | 4.854 | 89 | 260 | 168 | 2,439 | 48 | 4 | 71 | 1,655 | 89 | 14 | 19 |
| 1945 |  | ... | 6,490 | 770 | 1,114 | 181 | 2,794 | 31 | 2 | 111 | 1,404 | 28 | 26 | 29 |
| 1946 | ... | ... | 28,616 | 10.084 | 6.349 | 331 | 8,957 | 54 | 36 | 450 | 2,136 | 36 | 86 | 98 |
| 1947 |  | .. | 33,686 | 12,248 | 5.400 | 635 | 10.527 | 82 | 73 | 541 | 3,928 | 35 | 101 | 115 |
| 1948 |  | ... | 30,569 | 9,312 | 6,178 | 820 | 8,839 | 70 | 57 | 412 | 4,584 | 58 | 98 | 140 |
| 1947 | January |  | 43,060 | 17,854 | 6,078 | 464 | 12,733 | 188 | 39 | 1,014 | 4,333 | 61 | 118 |  |
|  | February |  | 23,954 | 7,551 | 3,940 | 313 | 8,645 | 95 | 65 | 505 | 2,691 | 26 | 60 | 63 |
|  | March |  | 31,557 | 11,204 | 6,185 | 664 | 9,011 | 80 | 268 | 716 | 3,183 | 37 | 101 | 108 |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | 37,925 | 14,799 | 7,433 | 595 | 9,962 | 102 | 93 | 670 | 3,987 | 19 | 103 | 162 |
|  | May ... | ... | 43,993 | 17,138 | 9,222 | 832 | 11.693 | 69 | 80 | 597 | 4,105 | 14 | 119 | 124 |
|  | June... | ... | 38,984 | 15,724 | 7,146 | 669 | 10,522 | 66 | 55 | 440 | 4,138 | 23 | 90 | 111 |
|  | July ... | $\cdots$ | 40,838 | 15,778 | 7,409 | 776 | 11,394 | 79 | 68 | 503 | 4.524 | 34 | 154 | 119 |
|  | August |  | 28,427 | 9,894 | 4,694 | 599 | 8,815 | 48 | 57 | 428 | 3,709 | 41 | 82 | 60 |
|  | September |  | 36,498 | 11,429 | 5,403 | 694 | 13,857 | 56 | 56 | 411 | 4,348 | 79 | 102 |  |
|  | October |  | 30,790 | 9,467 | 2,901 | 658 | 11.862 | 82 | 49 | 529 | 4,962 | 30 | 125 | 125 |
|  | November |  | 26,160 | 8,495 | 2,670 | 670 | 9,365 | 74 | 30 | 390 | 4,176 | 31 | 96 | 163 |
|  | December |  | 22,041 | 7,643 | 1,721 | 688 | 8,468 | 51 | 21 | 289 | 2,977 | 23 | 60 | 100 |
| 1948 | January | $\cdots$ | 35,342 | 10,835 | 3,320 | 916 | 11,621 | 128 | 29 | 462 | 7,749 | 33 | 108 | 141 |
|  | February |  | 27,445 | 8,535 | 3,169 | 857 | 8,646 | 105 | 62 | 364 | 5,458 | 35 | 89 | 125 |
|  | March |  |  |  | 4,983 |  | 9,370 |  |  |  | 5,510 |  |  |  |
|  | April | $\cdots$ | 28,288 | 7,750 | 6,872 | 434 | 7,478 | 81 | 73 | 354 | 4,925 | 42 | 95 | 184 |
|  | May ... |  | 31,160 | 8,278 | 8,829 | 794 | 8,142 | 45 | 59 | 451 | 4,302 | 60 | 80 | 120 |
|  | June... |  | 37,801 | 11,557 | 10,271 | 984 | 9,317 | 65 | 45 | 446 | 4,820 | 77 | 91 | 128 |
|  | July ... |  | 36,735 | 12,181 | 8,833 | 955 | 9,635 | 75 | 58 | 437 | 4,282 | 72 | 65 | 142 |
|  | August |  | 24,941 | 6,154 | 6,074 | 615 | 7,369 | 55 | 42 | 389 | 3,961 | 34 | 86 | 162 |
|  | September |  | 31,658 | 9,504 | 6,541 | 714 | 9,905 | 54 | 54 | 415 | 4,173 | 47 | 125 | 126 |
| 1949 | October |  | 29,500 | 9,625 | 5,554 | 642 | 8,686 | 61 | 45 | 497 | 4,061 | 51 | 138 | 140 |
|  | November |  | 31,366 | 10,950 | 6,665 | 732 | 8,706 | 43 | 29 | 411 | 3,510 | 79 | 103 | 138 |
|  | December |  | 21,543 | 7,537 | 3,027 | 771 | 7,190 | 51 | 36 | 339 | 2,249 | 129 | 87 | 127 |
|  | January |  | 33,759 | 11,911 | 4,509 | 928 | 10,142 | 64 | 35 | 550 | 5,212 | 132 | 140 | 136 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | 30,078 | 10,794 | 5,402 | 766 | 7,687 | 39 | 53 | 364 | 4,598 | 127 | 79 | 169 |
|  | March |  | 37,966 | 13,845 | 6,992 | 1,407 | 9,826 | 68 | 115 | 422 | 4,942 | 131 | 126 | 92 |
| April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) For the years 1935 to 1938, details of Government owned vehicles by types are not available. Such vehicles are grouped under one heading " Exempt from duty-Other." Service vehicles are excluded after 1938.
${ }^{2}$ ) Including pedestrian controlled delivery vans.
${ }^{3}$ ) Buses, coaches, trolleybuses, taxis and private hire cars. Tramcars are excluded.
() Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles.
(5) 5s. class and $£ 12$ and over class.
(e) Including invalid vehicles and snow ploughs.
${ }^{2}$ ) From 1944 onwards all "Exempt" vehicles other than ambulances, fire engines, road construction vehicles, invalid vehicles and snow ploughs are included under the appropriate headings.
${ }^{(8)}$ Years ended September.

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Mechanically-propelled vehicles with licences current in Great Britain ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 140
Thousands

| Annual Census( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Total | Cars | Cycles and tricycles | Public conveyance |  | Goods vehicles, etc. |  |  | Agricultural vehicles |  | Vehicles exempt from duty |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Buses, coaches, taxis( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | Tramcars | Vans and lorries | General haulage tractors | Other ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Vans and lorries | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { Agricul- } \\ \text { tural } \\ \text { tractors } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { engines }\left(^{5}\right) \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Ambu lances and fire engines | Other ${ }^{(8)}$ |
|  |  | 2581 | 1,477 | 517 | $85 \cdot 5$ | 10.9 | 422 | 1.9 | $3 \cdot 2$ |  | $19 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 28.5 |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10.4 11.6 |
| 1936 1937 | $\cdots$ | 2,769 $\mathbf{2 , 9 3 8}$ | 1,643 | 488 | 85.8 | 9.7 | 463 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | 12.4 | $25 \cdot 6$ | 6.1 | $44 \cdot 2$ |
| 1938 | $\cdots$ | 3,094 | 1,944 | 462 | $87 \cdot 7$ | 9.0 | 478 | 1.9 | $3 \cdot 9$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | 6.7 | $57 \cdot 8$ |
| 1946 |  | 3,113 | 1,770 | 462 | $104 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 526 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $29 \cdot 7$ | $145 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 54.1 |
| 1947 | $\ldots$ | 3,521 | 1,944 | 528 | 114.6 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 630 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 1$ | $183 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | 65.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939 | FebruaryMay | 2,681 | 1,742 | 290 405 | $75 \cdot 2$ $83 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 465 | $1 \cdot 7$ | $1 \cdot 3$ $3 \cdot 7$ | 12.6 13.0 | $22 \cdot 3$ | $66 \cdot 6$74.5 |  |
|  |  | 3,157 | 2,034 | $418$$304$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 0 \\ & 67 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.9 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 471 \\ & 447 \end{aligned}$ | 1.81.8 | 3.61.0 | 13.715.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 0 \\ & 37 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |  | . 0 |
|  | November |  | 1,627 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 94.7 |  |
| 1940 | August | 2,332 | 1,423 | 278 | $81 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 9$ | 425 | 1.9 | $1 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 9$ | $49 \cdot 8$ | $46 \cdot 5$ |  |
| 1941 | August | 2,484 | 1,503 | 317 | $85 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 429 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | $19 \cdot 3$ | $66 \cdot 1$ | $54 \cdot 5$ |  |
| 1942 | August | 1,847 | 858 | 306 | $85 \cdot 1$ | 6.4 | 429 | $2 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | $90 \cdot 1$ | $46 \cdot 0$ |  |
| 1943 | August | 1,544 | 718 | 124 | $86 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 423 | $2 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $24 \cdot 4$ | $106 \cdot 3$ | $50 \cdot 9$ |  |
| 1944 | August | 1,599 | 755 | 124 | 90.4 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 419 | $2 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 9$ | $117 \cdot 7$ | $54 \cdot 6$ |  |
| 1945 | February May August November | $\begin{aligned} & 1,596 \\ & 1,902 \\ & 2,559 \\ & 2,557 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 787 \\ 1,011 \\ 1,487 \\ 1,474 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 162 \\ & 309 \\ & 308 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 7 \\ & 95 \cdot 0 \\ & 98 \cdot 7 \\ & 98 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 420 \\ & 425 \\ & 442 \\ & 447 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 4 \\ & 2 \cdot 4 \\ & 2 \cdot 5 \\ & 2 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 1.5 | 25.5 26.3 | 104.2 117.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 0 \\ & 52 \cdot 6 \\ & 56 \cdot 3 \\ & 59 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $4 \cdot 4$ | 26.3 | 117.7 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $3 \cdot 8$ | 27.6 | 125.8 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $3 \cdot 0$ | $28 \cdot 1$ | \|31.1 |  |  |  |
| 1946 | February May August November | $\begin{aligned} & 2,461 \\ & 2,901 \\ & 3,037 \\ & 3,101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,448 \\ & 1,709 \\ & 1,747 \\ & 1,752 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 266 \\ & 395 \\ & 439 \\ & 447 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98.3 \\ 100.0 \\ 104.7 \\ 104.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 1 \\ & 6 \cdot 1 \\ & 6 \cdot 1 \\ & 6 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 451 \\ & 469 \\ & 502 \\ & 539 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.5 \\ & 2.6 \\ & 2.7 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.6 \\ & 4.8 \\ & 4.8 \\ & 3.8 \end{aligned}$ | 26.6 | 114.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 7 \\ & 55 \cdot 8 \\ & 61 \cdot 6 \\ & 65 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $28 \cdot 6$ | 129.8 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $28 \cdot 3$ 31.6 | $140 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $31 \cdot 6$ | $149 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |
| 1947 | February May August November | $\begin{aligned} & 2,954 \\ & 3,292 \\ & 3,441 \\ & 3,246 \end{aligned}$ | 1,7061,8591,9201,763 | $\begin{aligned} & 347 \\ & 469 \\ & 506 \\ & 421 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.1 \\ & 108.6 \\ & 111.7 \\ & 112.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 553 \\ & 578 \\ & 603 \\ & 630 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 6 \\ & 2 \cdot 8 \\ & 3.0 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 6 \\ & 5 \cdot 3 \\ & 5 \cdot 3 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 30.8 | 136.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 3 \\ & 70.4 \\ & 74.5 \\ & 77.9 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $32 \cdot 8$ | $160 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 34.4 | 176.9 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 36.4 | 192.3 |  |  |  |
| 1948 | February May August November | $\begin{aligned} & 2,612 \\ & 3,146 \\ & 3,652 \\ & 3,683 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,349 \\ & 1,670 \\ & 1,951 \\ & 1,931 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207 \\ & 351 \\ & 530 \\ & 537 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118.5 \\ & 123.8 \\ & 126.6 \\ & 123.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.4 \\ & 5.4 \\ & 5.4 \\ & 5.4 \end{aligned}$ | 641 <br> 661 <br> 683 <br> 710 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 34.7 | 183.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 1 \\ & 78 \cdot 5 \\ & 81 \cdot 9 \\ & 85 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $3 \cdot 3$ | 6.9 | $36 \cdot 8$ | 209.4 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $3 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 39.5 | $226 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $3 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 0$ | $240 \cdot 1$ |  |  |  |
| 1949 | February | 3,504 | 1,868 | 447 | $123 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 721 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | 219.8 |  | $3 \cdot 0$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding trade licences issued to manufacturers and repairers of, and dealers in motor vehicles and, subsequently to November 1939, vehicles used by the Services. At February 1949 the number of trade licences was 40,588 . Vehicies which bear a licence but which are exempt from duty are shown separately.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Licences current at any time during the September quarter.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including trolleybuses and private hire cars.
${ }^{(4)}$ Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles.
${ }^{(5)} 5 \mathrm{~s}$. class and $£ 12$ and over class.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Mainly cars and goods vehicles owned by Government authorities.

## XIII. FINANCE

## Exchequer issues and receipts

Weekly averages
$£$ thousand


[^22]
## Central Government net borrowing

## TABLE 142

Weekly averages
$£$ thousand

|  |  |  | Borrowing |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Repaid on maturity | Total net borrowing ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | National Savings Certificates (net) | Defence Bonds (net) | Subscriptions to market issues | Treasury deposit receipts (net) | Treasury bills (net) | Ways and means (net) |  | Tax reserve certificates (net) | Miscellaneous $\left(^{2}\right)$ | Total |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Bank of England | Other |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  |  | -69 | -- | 1,527 | - | 1,840 | -969 | 122 | - | -13 | 2,438 | 220 | 2,218 |
|  |  |  | 4,411 | 2,141 | 20,277 | 7,526 | 13,222 | -115 | 4,222 | 2,163 | 6,652 | 60,499 | 6,750 | 53,749 |
| 1945 |  |  | 2,332 | 2,949 | 32,073 | -3,030 | 8,055 | -973 | -3,159 | 784 | 13,933 | 52,964 | 5,403 | 47,561 |
| 1946 |  |  | 509 | 3,712 | 11,004 | 767 | 7,087 | -163 | 479 | -2,535 | 8,833 | 29,693 | 8,180 | 21,513 |
| 1947 |  |  | 1,916 | -534 | -1,901 | -5,255 | 3,935 | - | -2,731 | -2,398 | 15,071 | 8,103 | -342 | 7,761 $-4,223$ |
| 1948 |  |  | 296 | $-1,665$ | -4 | 2,076 | $-4,151$ | - | -768 | -439 | 6,638 | 1,983 | 6,206 | -4,223 |
| Period ended : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947 | April 26 |  | 7,444 | 656 | -132 | 1,885 | -699 | - | $-25,180$ | -4,820 | 27,852 | 7,006 | 107 | 6,899 |
|  |  |  |  |  | -100 |  |  |  | $-36,491$ | 1,855 | 9,508 | -42,220 | 222 | -42,442 |
|  | May 30 June 30 |  | -222 | -1,063 | -70 | -5,017 | -15,429 | -350 | 7,566 | 594 | 17,403 | 3,412 | 219 | 3,193 |
|  | July 26 |  | 283 | -2,075 | -27 | -9,019 | $-11,843$ | - | $-26,643$ | -431 | 47,171 | $-2,584$ | 345 | -2,929 |
|  | August 30 |  | 370 | -1,363 | -20 | -17,100 | -10,943 | 950 | 13,773 | 2,008 | 29,848 | 17,524 | 186 | 17,338 |
|  | Septembe | \% 30 |  | $-1,187$ | -23 | -6,887 | 29,004 | - | -5,032 | -3,179 | 5,546 | 18,174 | 800 | 17,374 |
|  | October |  | -112 | -1,728 | -14 | -11,200 | 12,458 | $-1,330$ | 4,221 | -1,279 | 8,854 | 9,870 | 321 | 9,549 |
|  | Novembe | 29 | 1,380 | -1,764 | -10 | 17,000 | 3,883 | 1,330 | 1,205 | 1,211 | 3,057 | 25,962 | 218 | 25,744 |
|  | December |  | 2,166 | -2,205 | -22 | 14,219 | -2,245 | - | -7,232 | 5,278 | 7,552 | 17,511 | 239 | 17,272 |
| 1948 | January 3 |  | 3,353 | -1,752 | -11 | -16,484 | -57,211 | - | 14,845 | -4,440 | 4,647 | -57,053 | 293 | -57,346 |
|  | February |  | 2,300 |  | - | -32,125 | -11,225 | 625 | 30,350 | -15,793 | 25,163 | -3,361 | 277 | -3,638 |
|  | March 31 |  | 1,148 | $-2,508$ | -11 | 19,688 | 90,209 | 766 | -34,540 | -7,425 | 7,383 | 74,710 | 67,618 | 7,092 |
|  |  |  | 408 | -2,093 | - | 17,062 | -6,749 | $-1,750$ | -3,596 | $-2,091$ | -761 | 430 | 304 |  |
|  | $\text { May } 29$ |  | - -490 | -2,979 |  | 5,500 | -11,327 | - | -3,844 | 1,159 | -822 | -12,803 | 274 | $\begin{array}{r} 13,077 \\ 6,773 \end{array}$ |
|  | June 30 |  | -262 | -1,994 | 11 | 19,906 | -2,875 | - | -7,174 | 1,280 | -1,863 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | -8,693 | 3,005 | - | 6,930 | 4,874 | -1,054 | 1,492 | 286 | 1,206 |
|  | August 28 |  | -313 | -2,028 | -12 | -8,875 | -58,605 | - | -3,577 | 1,162 | 51,331 | -9,167 | 252 | -9,419 |
|  | Septembe | r 30 | 477 | -388 | , | 1,803 | 8,705 | - | -6,439 | 4,043 | 2,563 | 10,764 | 778 | 9,986 |
|  | October |  | -598 | -510 |  | -3,274 | 8,498 | - | 4,969 | 3,051 | -8,836 | 3,300 | 274 | 3,026 |
|  | Novembe | 27 | -550 | -540 |  | -750 | -9,785 |  | 1,145 | 1,375 | -2,958 | -10,313 | 295 | -10,608 |
|  | Decembe | 3 | -463 | -265 | - | 16,265 | -11,670 | -1,441 | -3,640 | 5,159 | 9,372 | 13,317 | 233 | 13,084 |
| 1949 |  |  |  |  |  |  | -50,266 | - | 24,827 |  |  | -75,240 | 330 | -75,570 |
|  | February |  | 875 575 | $\begin{array}{r} -118 \\ 6 \end{array}$ |  | $-72,625$ | -51,002 | 5,313 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,827 \\ & 10,803 \end{aligned}$ | -12,573 | 2,286 | -35,213 | 295 | -35,508 |
|  | March 31 |  | 265 | -193 | - | - 24,606 | -15,200 | -4,508 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,419 \\ -10 \end{array}$ | -14,271 | 16,185 | -7,535 | 1,840 | -9,375 |
|  | April 30 |  |  |  |  |  | 2,173 | - | -11,635 | 227 | $-5,062$ | 3,847 | 111 | 3,736 |
|  | May 28 |  | -150 | -122 | - | 6,750 | 7,889 | - | $-21,664$ | 1,173 | 3,528 | $-2,596$ | 247 | $-2,843$ |

(1) Including terminable annuities issued to National Debt Commissioners.
${ }^{(2)}$ These figures correspond with the surplus or deficit shown in the last column of Table 141. Figures preceded by a minus sign indicate a surplus, i.e. an excess of repayments over new borrowing.

Currency circulation

(1) Average of Wednesdays.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Months: average of Saturdays in the consecutive four-week periods as published in The London Gazette or in The Belfast Gazette with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar month. Years : average of the thirteen published figures.
${ }^{(3)}$ Excluding coin other than gold coin in the Bank of England Issue Department.
(ब) Published by permission of "The Committee of London Ciearing Bankers." Ten banks until December 1935, and subsequently elever.
${ }^{(5)}$ For comparability this index number has been calculated after adjustment for eleven clearing banks.

|  |  | Issue Department ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | Banking Deparement |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Notes in circulation | $\begin{gathered} \text { Notes } \\ \text { in } \\ \text { Banking. } \\ \text { Dept. } \end{gathered}$ | Government securlties $\left({ }^{(2)}\right.$ | Deposits |  |  |  |  | Securities |  |  |  | Reserve of notes and coln |
|  |  | Tota! |  |  | Public | H.M. <br> Treasury Special Account $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Bankers | Ocher accounts | Total | Government | Discounts and advances | Other |  |
| 1935 | . ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 394 \cdot 7 \\ & 431 \cdot 4 \\ & 479.6 \\ & 485 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 0 \\ & 52 \cdot 9 \\ & 44 \cdot 5 \\ & 43 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 257 \cdot 5 \\ & 254 \cdot 8 \\ & 200 \cdot 5 \\ & 202 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150.1 \\ & 151.4 \\ & 153.9 \\ & 160.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.3 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 19.5 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | 二 | $\begin{array}{r} 96 \cdot 7 \\ 96 \cdot 2 \\ 97 \cdot 2 \\ 106 \cdot 2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 1 \\ & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 37 \cdot 2 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.5 \\ & 115.7 \\ & 126.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 87.0 \\ 89.8 \\ 98.4 \\ 103.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.6 \\ & 9.8 \\ & 6.9 \\ & 9.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.9 \\ & 17.1 \\ & 21.2 \\ & 21.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 8 \\ & 53 \cdot 7 \\ & 45 \cdot 5 \\ & 44 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1936 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1937 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1944 \\ & 1945 \\ & 1946 \\ & 1947 \\ & 1948 \end{aligned}$ | .. ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,135 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,284 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,357 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,383 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,253 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 9 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 45 \cdot 4 \\ & 66 \cdot 4 \\ & 59 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,165 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,309 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,402 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,449 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,311 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 250 \cdot 5 \\ & 285 \cdot 7 \\ & 322 \cdot 5 \\ & 397.8 \\ & 422 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.9 \\ 12.8 \\ 12.6 \\ 12.8 \\ 14.0 \end{array}$ | $\overline{\bar{I}} \frac{\overline{10 \cdot 8}}{}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \cdot 4 \\ & 217 \cdot 9 \\ & 254 \cdot 7 \\ & 295 \cdot 9 \\ & 304 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \cdot 2 \\ & 55 \cdot 1 \\ & 55 \cdot 1 \\ & 89 \cdot 1 \\ & 92 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 236 \cdot 3 \\ & 276 \cdot 0 \\ & 294 \cdot 1 \\ & 348 \cdot 1 \\ & 380 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \cdot 0 \\ & 251.8 \\ & 260 \cdot 2 \\ & 313 \cdot 1 \\ & 340 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6.0 \\ 9.2 \\ 15.6 \\ 14.8 \\ 15.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.3 \\ & 15 \cdot 0 \\ & 18.3 \\ & 20.2 \\ & 24.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 6 \\ & 46 \cdot 5 \\ & 67 \cdot 9 \\ & 60 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947 | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,395 \cdot 0 \\ & 1,391 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,395 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 3 \\ & 58 \cdot 5 \\ & 55 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,449 \cdot 3 \\ 1,449 \cdot 3 \\ 1,449 \cdot 2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 403 \cdot 9 \\ & 399 \cdot 3 \\ & 400 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.1 \\ 10.2 \\ 8.4 \end{array}$ | - | 294.6293.4 | 100.195.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 365 \cdot 8 \\ & 357 \cdot 5 \\ & 362 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 330 \cdot 3 \\ & 322 \cdot 7 \\ & 329 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.1 \\ & 13.1 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 21.7 \\ & 17.5 \end{aligned}$ | 56.059.756.8 |  |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  |  |  |  |  |  | 294.9 | $97 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | $\begin{aligned} & 1,407 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,406 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,385 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 2 \\ & 43 \cdot 7 \\ & 64 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,449 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,449 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,449 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \cdot 0 \\ & 398 \cdot 9 \\ & 397 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.4 \\ 15.3 \\ 12.8 \end{array}$ | - | 302.5289.5 | 95.194.193.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 379 \cdot 9 \\ & 371 \cdot 2 \\ & 348 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 337 \cdot 2 \\ & 329 \cdot 6 \\ & 315 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.8 \\ & 19.8 \\ & 15.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 \\ & 21.8 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 4 \\ & 46 \cdot 1 \\ & 67 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  | 291.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,368 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,353 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,355 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 9 \\ & 97 \cdot 1 \\ & 94 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,449 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,449 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,449 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 399 \cdot 4 \\ & 404 \cdot 0 \\ & 412 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3 \\ & 12.9 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ | — | $\begin{aligned} & 293 \cdot 4 \\ & 297 \cdot 0 \\ & 301 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 6 \\ & 94 \cdot 0 \\ & 93 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 333 \cdot 3 \\ & 323 \cdot 0 \\ & 335 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301 \cdot 5 \\ & 294 \cdot 6 \\ & 306 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.5 \\ & 5.6 \\ & 9.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.3 \\ & 22.8 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84.0 \\ & 98.8 \\ & 95.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | January $\qquad$ <br> February $\qquad$ <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 1,297 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,242 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,238 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102.3 \\ 107.4 \\ 61.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,399 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,349 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 411 \cdot 0 \\ & 398 \cdot 6 \\ & 410 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.4 \\ & 16.1 \\ & 12.8 \end{aligned}$ | - | 296.1289.1 | 96.493.492.9 | 326.6309.4 | 291.8274.1 | 12.011.4 | $22 \cdot 8$$23 \cdot 8$ | 102.6107.6 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $304 \cdot 3$ |  | $366 \cdot 6$ | $331 \cdot 8$ | 12.9 | 21.9 | 61.9 |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,240 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,245 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,249 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59.3 \\ & 54.4 \\ & 51.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,299 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 411.0 \\ & 414.6 \\ & 415.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.3 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | - | 306.5$310 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 2 \\ & 92 \cdot 3 \\ & 91 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 368.9 \\ & 377.5 \\ & 381.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 334 \cdot 0 \\ & 340 \cdot 7 \\ & 340 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 10.9 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.8 \\ & 25.8 \\ & 22.6 \end{aligned}$ | 59.955.051.7 |  |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  |  |  |  |  |  | $308 \cdot 8$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,273 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,270 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,243 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 5 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \\ & 57 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,299 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 410 \cdot 0 \\ & 443 \cdot 1 \\ & 463 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 14.5 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33.4 \\ & 51.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 307 \cdot 7 \\ & 305 \cdot 5 \\ & 304 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \cdot 9 \\ & 89.6 \\ & 93.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 401 \cdot 0 \\ & 430.8 \\ & 423.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 361 \cdot 3 \\ & 398 \cdot 8 \\ & 389.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15.3 \\ 7.6 \\ 10.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.4 \\ & 24.4 \\ & 24 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 27.3$30 \cdot 6$58.5 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,234 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,234 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,275 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 2 \\ & 66 \cdot 1 \\ & 34 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,299 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,309 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \cdot 8 \\ & 430 \cdot 6 \\ & 426 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 3 \\ & 14.6 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 8 \\ & 13.2 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 302 \cdot 3 \\ & 308 \cdot 1 \\ & 309 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94.5 \\ & 94.8 \\ & 91.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 372.1 \\ & 379.5 \\ & 406.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 321 \cdot 5 \\ & 326 \cdot 9 \\ & 363 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.5 \\ & 25.5 \\ & 18.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 1 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68.5 \\ & 69.1 \\ & 38.0 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January $\qquad$ February ... March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,245 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,228 \cdot 5 \\ & 1,242 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 7 \\ & 71 \cdot 8 \\ & 58 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,299 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 430 \cdot 3 \\ & 415 \cdot 3 \\ & 413 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.0 \\ & 11.6 \\ & 13.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5.7 \\ 17.4 \\ 14.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 313 \cdot 7 \\ & 297.5 \\ & 296.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 8 \\ & 88 \cdot 8 \\ & 89.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 389 \cdot 6 \\ & 358 \cdot 1 \\ & 370 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $342 \cdot 9$$300 \cdot 3$$320 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 1 \\ & 31 \cdot 6 \\ & 22 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $58 \cdot 8$$75 \cdot 6$61.8 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,275 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,274 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 25.226.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,299 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,299 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \cdot 3 \\ & 402 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | 3.79.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \cdot 6 \\ & 293 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 4 \\ & 88 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 395 \cdot 7 \\ & 389 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 353 \cdot 3 \\ & 343 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 4 \\ & 20 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 24.926.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 29.4 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots . . \\ \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

( ${ }^{1}$ ) Gold coin and bullion in the lssue Department has been negligible since September 1939, when practically the whole was transferred to H.M. Treasury. The holding on 30 August 1939 was $£ 263.0$ million (valued at 158 s . 6 d . per oz. fine). A maximum of $£ 326.4$ million (valued at 85 s . Od. per oz. fine) was held from 23 June 1937 to 4 January 1939. Issue Department holdings of other securities and of coin other than gold coin are quite small. From 1935 the highest yearly averages have been: other securities, $£ 3 \cdot 4$ million (1940); silver coin, $\mathrm{El} \cdot \mathrm{g}$ million (1935).
(2) Including Government Debe $£ 11 \cdot 0$ million.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Established in August 1948 under Article IV of the Economic Co-operation Agreement 1948 between the Governments of the U.K. and the U.S.A.

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## London clearing banks(1)

TABLE 145


(1) Until August, 1939, average weekly balances ; from then until the end of 1946 (except in June and December) balances on a day, varying from bank to bank, towards the end of the month ; thereafter (except in June and December) balances on the third Wednesday in the month. The figures relate to 10 banks in 1935 and to 11 banks thereafter.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Balances with, and cheques in course of collection on other banks in Great Britain and Ireland.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ England and Wales only.

London clearing banks( ${ }^{1}$ )
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## TABLE 145 (continued)



[^23]Bank clearings and security prices
TABLE 146

(1) $^{1}$ Figures are not strictly comparable throughout, owing in particular to changes in the composition of the clearing while the clearing banks' emergency operations were in force from September 1939 to August 1946.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Average of working days, allowing for accrued interest. In calculating the yields for short-dated and medium-dated securities, redemption is assumed at the later date if price is below par and at the earlier date if price is above par. For $3 \frac{1}{2} \%$ War Loan a flat yield is taken if price is below par and redemption is assumed in 1952 if price is above par. For $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Consols a flat yield is taken throughout. Income tax is neglected in calculating the yields.
${ }^{3}$ ) Representative securities, changed from time to time namely Short-dated: 5\% Conversion Loan 1944-64 in 1935 to 1938; 2 $\frac{1}{2} \%$ National War Bonds 1949-51 in 1943 and $1944 ; 2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ National War Bonds 1952-4 from January, 1945. Medium-dated: 4\% Funding Loan 1960-90 in 1935 to 1938; 3\% Savings Bonds 1960-70 in 1943 to December, 1947 ; 21 $\%$ Savings Bonds 1964-7 from January, 1948.
${ }^{(4)}$ Yield assuming redemption in 1954, 2-17.
(5) Yield assuming redemption in 1964, 2•55.

## Analysis of bank advances ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 147
€ thousand

${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain.
Source : Bank of England and British Bankers' Association

Gold and U.S. doilar reserves ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 148 E million

|  | 1944 | 1945 | 1946 | 1947 | 1948 |  |  |  | 1949 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| , | 31st December |  |  |  | 31st March | 30th June | 30th September | 31st December | 3lst March |
| Total gold and U.S. dollar reserves | 584 | 581 | 642 | 505 | 546 | 468 | 430 | 452 | 465 |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) This table continues the Information given in Table 28 of Cmd. 7099.
Source : Treasury

Foreign exchange rates $\left(^{( }\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$

|  |  | New York | Montreal | Zurich | Paris | Brussels | Amsterdam | Stockholm | Oslo | Copenhagen | Lisbon | Rio do Janeiro |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | to | $\text { to } E$ | Francs to $E$ | Francs to $E$ | Francs ${ }^{(3)}$ to $E$ | Florins to $E$ | Kronor to $E$ | Kroner to $E$ | Kroner to $E$ | Escudos to $E$ | Cruzeiros (4) to $E$ |
| 1935 | ... | 4.90 | 4.93 | 15.09 | $74 \cdot 27$ | 135.35 | $7 \cdot 24$ | 19.39 | 19.90 | 22.40 | 110.1 |  |
| 1936 | .. ... | 4.97 | 4.97 | 16.85 | 82.97 | 146.90 | $7 \cdot 78$ | 19.39 | 19.90 | 22.40 | 110.2 |  |
| 1937 | $\ldots$ | 4.94 | 4.94 | 21.55 | 124.61 | 146.45 | 8.98 | 19.40 | 19.90 | 22.40 | 110.2 110.2 | $86 \cdot 30$ 79.60 |
| 1938 | ... ... | 4.89 | $4 \cdot 92$ | $21 \cdot 37$ | $170 \cdot 65$ | 144.65 | 8.89 | 19.40 | 19.90 | 22.40 | 110.2 | 79.60 83.57 |
| 1944 | ... ... | 4.03 | $4 \cdot 45$ | 17.35 |  |  |  | 16.90 |  |  | 100 | 83.60 |
| 1945 | ... ... | 4.03 | 4.45 | 17.35 | 203.8 | 176.63(5) | $10.69\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | 16.90 | 20.00(5) | $19.34{ }^{5}$ | 100 | 82.85 |
| 1946 | ... ... | 4.03 | $4 \cdot 24$ | 17.35 | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 15.77 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 79.01 |
| 1947 | ... ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.41 |
| 1948 | ... ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 879.7 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.42 |
| 1947 | April ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 |  |
|  | May ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | $75.44{ }^{\circ}$ |
|  | June ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.4 .9 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | July | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 |  |
|  | August ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | September | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 480 | $176 \cdot 63$ | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | October | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 480 | 175.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | November | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | December | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 480 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
| 1948 | January ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 |  |  |  | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | February | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | March .. | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 864 | $176 \cdot 63$ | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | April ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.39 |
|  | May ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | June .. | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | July | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 |  |  | 75.44 |
|  | August ... | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | September | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 864 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | $75 \cdot 44$ |
|  | October | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 1,062 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | November | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 1,062 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | December | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 1,062 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
| 1949 | January | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 1,062 | 176.63 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 1,062 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | March | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 1,062 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | April | 4.03 | 4.03 | 17.35 | 1,097 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | 75.44 |
|  | May | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 1,097 | 176.63 | 10.69 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100 | $75 \cdot 44$ |

$\left.{ }^{1}{ }^{1}\right)$ The exchange rates for Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and Bombay were :-

## Australia (£A to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate) : 125 throughout.

New Zealand (ENZ to £100) (selling rate) : 1935-37, 124 ; 1938, 124•10; January 1939 until 18th August 1948, 124-38; thereafter 100-38.
South Africa (ESA to E100) (selling rate) : 1935-38, 100-13 ; 1939-40, 100.23; 1941-44. $100 \cdot 25$; 1945, $100 \cdot 13$; January 1946 onwards, 100. Bombay (pence per rupee) : $1935-37,18 \cdot 13$; 1938, 17.96; 1939, 17.95; 1940 onwards, 18.00 .
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Figures for the years 1935-1948 are averages of daily mean rates; monthly figures are the mean rates at the close of business on the last day of the month. All rates are Telegraphic Transfer rates.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) From 1935 to 1940 rates were quoted in Belgas to $£$ ( 1 Belga $=5$ Fcs.).
(d) Until the close of 1940 rates were actually quoted in pence per milreis. The milreis was replaced by the cruzeiro, on the basis of I cruzeiro $=1$ milreis, from 1 st November, 1942. From 1942 the figures refer to the buying rate.
${ }^{(5)}$ Based on part of the year only.
${ }^{(6)}$ No quotation from 4th March to Ist May, inclusive.

# XIV. WAGES AND PRICES <br> Index of weekly wage rates(') <br> 30 June 1947=100 

TABLE 150

|  |  | , |  |  |  |  | All workers | Men | Women | Juveniles |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1947 | June | .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | $100\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 100 | 100 | 100 |
|  | July $\qquad$ August ... September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 100 101 101 | 100 101 101 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | 100 102 102 |
|  | October ... November December | ... | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 102 103 103 | 101 103 103 | 103 103 103 | 103 105 106 |
| 1948 | January ... <br> February <br> March .. | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | ... <br> $\ldots$ <br> .. | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 104 104 105 | 104 104 105 | 104 105 107 | 106 106 107 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 105 105 106 | 105 105 105 | 107 107 107 | 108 108 108 |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 106 106 106 | 105 106 106 | 108 108 108 | 108 109 109 |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 107 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | 107 107 107 | 109 109 109 | 109 110 110 |
| 1949 | January February... March ... | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ |  | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 108 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | 107 107 108 | 109 109 110 | 110 110 111 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { April } & \text {.. } \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \text {... } \end{array}$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | 108 108 | 110 110 | 111 111 |

(1) The figures are based on rates at the end of the month. An account of

Source: Ministry of Labour and National Service the method of compilation of the figures is given in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for February, 1948.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ It is estimated that at the end of June 1947 the level of weekly full-time wage rates was between 166 and 167 , taking September $1939=100$.

Interim index of retail prices(')
TABLE 151
17 June $1947=100$


${ }^{(1)}$ The figures for the individual groups are given to the nearest first place of
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service decimals only in order that, if desired, calculations may be made of the effect of combining particular groups and excluding others. The information available about price changes, however, is such that no precise significance can be attributed to the decimals and for any other purpose the figures should be used to the nearest whole number. An account of the compilation of the figures is given in the "Industrial Relations Handbook, Supplement No. 2Index of Retail Prices ".
The relative weights which have been used in calculating the "All items" index are: Food, 348, Rent and rates 88, Clothing 97, Fuel and light 65, Household durable goods 71, Miscellaneous goods 35, Services 79, Drink and tobacco 217.

Wholesale prices


Import and export prices( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 153
$1947=100$

${ }^{(1)}$ The monthly index numbers measure the change in the aggregate value of a representative selection of imports or exports. The items chosen and the quantity weights assigned to them are based on the pattern of trade in 1948. The quantity weight for each item is multiplied by the unit value for that item computed from the Trade Accounts for the current month and the results aggregated and compared with the corresponding aggregate for the base year 1947. The average value index numbers for the year 1947 (base $1938=100$ ), though not strictly comparable with the monthly figures, give an indication of price changes compared with before the war. The index numbers for the categories shown above are, for imports 258, 255, 280, 252 and for exports 222, 22I, 198, 307, 221.

Agricultural and fertilizer prices(')
$1936 / 38=100$


[^24](2) From August 1943 includes acreage payment based on the estimated quantities sold.
${ }^{(3)}$ From 1943, includes acreage payment based on the estimated total production. July and August figures (based on July 1936-38 and August 1936-38 respectively) relate to new potatoes only.
(4) Base $1937 / 38=100$
(5) The annual indices for agricultural prices include some items (e.g. fambs, wool, sugar beet, hops, fruit and vegetabies) which ara not included in the monthly indices.

## XV. FINAL CONSUMPTION

Personal expenditure on consumers' goods and services at current market prices

| TA | BLE 155 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Food | Alcoholic beverages | Tobacco | Rent, rates and water charges | Fuel and light | Household goods | Clothing | Travel |  | Enter-tainments | Other goods and services | Income in kind of the Armed Forces |
| 1938 | .. ... | ... | 4,296 | 1,297 | 285 | 177 | 491 | 197 | 288 | 446 | 163 | 29 | 64 | 842 | 17 |
| 1945 |  |  | 6,006 | 1,581 | 689 | 563 | 534 | 267 | 228 | 514 | 244 | 52 | 161 | 969 | 204 |
| 1946 |  | $\ldots$ | 6,741 | 1,766 | 678 | 603 | 550 | 291 | 361 | 611 | 270 | 54 | 183 | 1,263 | 111 |
| 1947 |  | ... | 7,465 | 2,033 | 678 | 690 | 579 | 310 | 465 | 704 | 297 | 56 | 174 | 1,419 | 60 |
| 1948 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 8,004 | 2,181 | 762 | 772 | 598 | 349 | 515 | 853 | 322 | 57 | 180 | 1,374 | 41 |
| 1938 | Quarterly ave | age | 1,074 | 324 | 71 | 44 | 123 | 49 | 72 | 112 | 41 | 7 | 16 | 211 | 4 |
| 1945 | Ist Quarter | ... | 1,424 | 383 | 152 | 131 | 132 | 78 | 48 | 128 | 52 | 13 | 39 | 220 | 48 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | ... | 1,468 | 390 | 172 | 136 | 133 | 62 | 53 | 115 | 62 | 12 | 39 | 243 | 51 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | ... | 1,547 | 415 | 185 | 145 | 134 | 56 | 56 | 122 | 73 | 13 | 42 | 253 | 53 |
|  | 4th Quarter | ... | 1,567 | 393 | 180 | 151 | 135 | 71 | 71 | 149 | 57 | 14 | 41 | 253 | 52 |
| 1946 | Ist Quarter | ... | 1,574 | 410 | 165 | 141 | 136 | 84 | 73 | 112 | 56 | 12 | 45 | 299 | 41 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | ... | 1,652 | 425 | 168 | 148 | 137 | 64 | 86 | 155 | 69 | 13 | 45 | 313 | 29 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | ... | 1,732 | 468 | 172 | 156 | 138 | 61 | 90 | 156 | 82 | 14 | 48 | 324 | 23 |
|  | 4th Quarter |  | 1,783 | 463 | 173 | 158 | 139 | 82 | 112 | 188 | 63 | 15 | 45 | 327 | 18 |
| 1947 | Ist Quarter | ... | 1,682 | 470 | 149 | 150 | 139 | 92 | 93 | 141 | 58 | 13 | 43 | 318 | 16 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | ... | 1,836 | 503 | 160 | 168 | 145 | 70 | 109 | 178 | 77 | 14 | 43 | 354 | 15 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | .. | 1,934 | 542 | 179 | 187 | 147 | 63 | 119 | 162 | 89 | 14 | 43 | 374 | 15 |
|  | 4th Quarter | ... | 2,013 | 518 | 190 | 185 | 148 | 85 | 144 | 223 | 73 | 15 | 45 | 373 | 14 |
| 1948 | Ist Quarter | ... | 1,880 | 511 | 176 | 185 | 149 | 100 | 118 | 171 | 71 | 14 | 46 | 326 | 13 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | ... | 1,981 | 533 | 186 | 201 | 149 | 81 | 124 | 211 | 84 | 14 | 44 | 344 | 10 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | ... | 2,042 | 578 | 199 | 193 | 149 | 72 | 125 | 214 | 93 | 14 | 47 | 349 | 9 |
|  | 4th Quarter |  | 2,101 | 559 | 201 | 193 | 151 | 96 | 148 | 257 | 74 | 15 | 43 | 355 | 9 |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter | ... | 1,903 | 516 | 162 | 181 | 152 | 107 | 124 | 198 | 70 | 14 | 45 | 325 | 9 |

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TABLE 156
Value of wholesale textile sales and stocks and retail sales ${ }^{(1)}$

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. The figures for pre-war years are based on a smaller
Source: Board of Trade and Bank of England sample than those for later dates.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ At selling value, excluding purchase tax.
${ }^{(3)}$ At selling value.
(4) Figures prior to February 1947 are not strictly comparable with those for later dates. Those for the years 1937 to 1944 are based on sales per selling day; those for 1945 and 1946 have been converted to an approximate weekly basis; and subsequent figures are on a weekly basis. Further details were published in the Board of Trade Journal for 19 April 1947.
${ }^{(5)}$ Including other goods.
${ }^{(9)}$ Including some exports, which form only a small part of the total.

Miscellaneous

${ }^{(1)}$ Production of glass bottles, jars and syphons. Domestic and scientific glassware are excluded.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Figures are calculated from returns for calendar months in the case of
some producers and weekly returns in the case of others.

- Average of five weeks.

Source : H.M. Customs and Excise, Board of Trade,
Ministry of Health and General Post Office

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[^0]:    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$The figures cover all deaths registered including deaths of non-civilians. Still-births are excluded from all figures in the table.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding deaths of non-civilians on and after 3 September 1939 in the case of males and on and after I June 1941 in the case of females.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Averages for 4 years.

[^1]:    $\left.{ }^{1}{ }^{1}\right)$ The total working population in this series of manpower statistics represents the total number of persons aged 15 and over who work for pay or gain or register themselves as available for such work. The figure includes the Forces; men and women on release leave not yet in employment, and the registered unemployed. Private indoor domestic servants and gainfully occupied persons over pensionable age (men 65 ; women 60) who were excluded from the previous series of manpower statistics are now included in the total working population. Part-time workers are counted as full units.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Estimate for end of month. The figures represent the total numbers of unemployed persons on the registers of Employment Exchanges except registered disabled persons who require employment under sheltered conditions.

[^2]:    (1) Great Britain.
    (3) Industries 30, 31 and 33 of Standard Industrial Classification.
    (8) Industries 32 and 35 of Standard Industrial Classification.
    (9) Industries 36 and 39 of Standard Industrial Classification

[^3]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain
    (2) Industries 53 and 55 of Standard Industrial Classification.
    (3) Industries 69 and 57 of Standard Industrial Classification.
    ${ }^{(4)}$ Industries 73 and 74 of Standard Industrial Classification.
    ${ }^{(5)}$ Industries 72, 75 and 79 of Standard Industrial Classification.

[^4]:    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Industries 101 and 102 of Standard Industrial Classification.

[^5]:    (1) Great Britain.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ ) Industries 148 and 149 of Standard Industrial Classification.

[^6]:    () Great Britain
    $\left.{ }^{2}\right)^{2}$ ) Industries 180 and 181 of Standard Industrial Classification.
    ${ }_{(4)}^{(3)}$ Industries 186 and 189 of Standard Industrial Classification.

[^7]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Undertakings with an annual consumption of 100 tons or more of coal and/or coke.
    Source : Min!stry of Fuei and Power Owing to a reclassification of the firms included, the figures since January 1947 are not strictly comparable with those for earlier pericds, except for industry as a whole.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including coal held by Service Departments.
    $\left(^{3}\right)$ As at 24 January.

[^8]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Computed from figures relating to calendar months.

[^9]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Estimated clean weight.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Including home produced goods taken into Control stocks,
    ${ }^{(3)}$ See footnote $\left(^{3}\right)$ to Table 46
    ${ }^{\left({ }^{9}\right)}$ At 3lst July.

[^10]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Deliveries.
    ${ }^{(2}$ (3) Excludes lifts and hoists and underground conveyors shown under coal mining machinery.
    ${ }^{3}$ ) Including the value of spares.

[^11]:    (1) Including A.B. Meco-Moore cutter-loaders.
    (8) Production. Output is mainly for the National Coal Board.
    (4) Excluding production at collieries All deliveries are for home use.

[^12]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding aluminium houses, war-destroyed houses rebuilt and houses built by Government departments.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The Scottish Special Housing Association is included in the figures for local authoritles' schemes ; other
    housing associations are included in the figures for private builders.
    $\left(^{3}\right)$ See footnote ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 86.
    (4) Total to end of May.

[^13]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Projects previously approved and now withdrawn exceeded new projects approved.
    Source : Education Departments

[^14]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Excludes agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain and less than one quarter of an acre in Northern Ireland.
    ${ }^{2}$ ) Includes 87,000 acres temporarily out of use through flooding.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Clover and rotation grasses.
    (9) Acreage partly estimated before 1948.

[^15]:    ( $^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 102.

[^16]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Landed weight. Computed from figures for calendar months.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Refined value. Production from home-grown sugar beet
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Pre-war figures exclude spirits re-distilled from imported spirits.
    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Averages relate to twelve months from March to February.

    - Average of five weeks.

[^17]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Refined value.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.
    Average of five weeks.

[^18]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Figures have been revised to include Newfoundland, hitherto recorded separately.

[^19]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Dried whole. From 1946 includes spray-dried egg containing sugar.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.

[^20]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including small (cotton) or negligible (wool) quantities of knitted, netted or

[^21]:    (1) The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abrosd to a port in the United Kingdom

    Source: Board of Trade or vice versa. Vessels calling at more than one United Kingdom port in the course of a single voyage are recorded as entered or cleared at one port only.

[^22]:    (1) Ordinary expenditure plus other expenditure (net) (excluding sinking funds but including

    Source : Treasury expenditure of a capital nature. Issues for repayment of Local Loans Stock and any issues under Bretton Woods Agreements Act, 1945, re-lent to the Exchequer are also excluded).
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The difference between total expenditure and ordinary revenue. Figures in italics show surplus of revenue over expenditure. Other figures indicate a deficit.

[^23]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ on page 118 .

[^24]:    ${ }^{(2)}$ England and Wales.

