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3. Consumption. Figures of consumption should be used with considerable 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. 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.
7. Area covered. Except where otherwise stated, all statistics relate to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
8. Annual statistics. A summary of the principal statistics in the Digest in the form of annual totals for the years 1936-38 and 1946-50 was included on pages iv-viii of the February 1951 issue.
9. Summary of key figures. A summary of key figures is shown on pages iv and $v$.
10. Charts illustrating the economic situation are shown on page vi.
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* = average of five weeks

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Labour |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Coal industry... (Wage-earners on colliery books) (Weekly averages) | (Table 36) | Thousands $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 788 \\ & 692 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 727 \\ & 706 \\ & 698 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 727 \\ & 704 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 726 \\ & 702 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 724 \\ & 700 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 722 \\ & 699 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 721 \\ & 697 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 719 \\ & 695 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 715 \\ & 692 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 710 \\ & 688 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 709 \\ & 686 \end{aligned}$ | 76 68 |
| Manufacturing industries : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total employees | (Table 7) | Thousands $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | 8,414 |  | .. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 8,015 \\ & 8,226 \end{aligned}$ | .. | . | $\cdots$ | .. | 8,405 | 8,1 8,3 |
| Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods | (Table 7) | Thousands $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | 1,882 |  | . | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 1,798 1,819 | .. | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 1,869 | 1,8 1,8 |
| Shipbuilding and ship repairing... | (Table 1I) | Thousands $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $204 \cdot 6$ |  | . | . | $\cdots$ | 216.3 201.4 | .. | . | $\cdots$ | . | 203.4 | 208 202 |
| Cotton spinning, weaving, etc. | (Table 15) | Thousands $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | 332.4 |  | .. | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $317 \cdot 0$ 325.3 |  | - | $\ldots$ |  | $330 \cdot 8$ | 323 330 |
| Registered unemployed (Great Britain) | (Table 24) | Thousands $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 375 \cdot 7 \\ & 372 \cdot 3 \\ & 333 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 360 \cdot 3 \\ & 372 \cdot 8 \\ & 302 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $340 \cdot 4$ $347 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \cdot 9 \\ & 329 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 304 \cdot 2 \\ & 314 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 263 \cdot 6 \\ & 282 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 243 \cdot 0 \\ & 272 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 261 \cdot 4 \\ & 288 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 267 \cdot 9 \\ & 283 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 300 \cdot 3 \\ & 304 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 323.6 \\ & 302.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 330 \\ & 301 \end{aligned}$ |
| Production Index of industrial production: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total-All industries .. | (Table 32) | $1946=100\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 135 \\ & 141 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 144 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 135 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134 \\ & 141 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \\ & 143 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 143 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 135 \\ & 151 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 152 \end{aligned}$ | 13 13 |
| Total manufacturing industries ... | (Table 32) | $1946=100$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126 \\ & 138 \\ & 147 \end{aligned}$ | 133 144 | $\begin{aligned} & 134 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \\ & 139 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 147 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ | 120 139 | 122 128 | 136 | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | 13 14. |
| Coal : <br> Saleable mined (Weekly averages) | (Table 33) | Th. tons $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,960 \\ & 4,016 \\ & 4,047 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,092 \\ & 4,133 \\ & 4,331 \end{aligned}$ | 4,095 4,135 | 3,716 3,744 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,957 \\ & 4,089 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,813 \\ & 3,838 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,389 \\ 3,648 \end{array}$ | 3,342 3,172 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,966 \\ & 3,991 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,118 \\ & 4,107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,270 \\ & 4,191 \end{aligned}$ | 3,98 3,98 |
| Opencast ... (Weekly averages) | (Table 33) | Th. tons $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 234 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 219 \\ & 198 \\ & 186 \end{aligned}$ | 236 252 | 242 | 293 288 | 270 | 262 274 | 235 226 | 270 230 | 246 | 228 213 | 197 160 |
| Steel ingots and castings (Weekly averages) | (Table 41) | Th. tons $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 289 \\ & 305 \\ & 306 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 311 \\ & 325 \\ & 326 \end{aligned}$ | 313 330 | 305 324 | 316 319 | 301 313 | 244 276 | $\begin{aligned} & 288 \\ & 279 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 306 \\ & 326 \end{aligned}$ | 307 328 | 315 336 | 291 296 |
| Cotton yarn ... <br> (including cotton waste yarn) (Weekly averages) | (Table 47) | Mn. lb. $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 18.7 \\ & 17.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.9 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 17.5 \end{aligned}$ | 18.8 19.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 2 \\ & 17 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 2 \\ & 17 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \\ & 17.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.8 \\ & 19.6 \end{aligned}$ | 19.2 19.5 | 17. 17. |
| Worsted yarn (Deliveries) | (Table 48) | Mn. lb. $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 1 \\ & 19 \cdot 3 \\ & 20 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8 \\ & 18.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 21 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 19.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 19.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.5 \\ & 18.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.4 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.7 \\ & 19.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 20.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 \\ & 20.6 \end{aligned}$ | 17. 16. |
| Passenger cars (Weekly averages) | (Table 60) | Thousands $\{$ | 1949 1950 1951 | $\begin{array}{r} 7.15 \\ 9.91 \\ 10.30 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.48 \\ 10 \cdot 17 \\ 10 \cdot 10 \end{array}$ | 7.54 $10 \cdot 20$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 14 \\ & 9 \cdot 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.90 \\ 10 \cdot 70 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.07 \\ 10.01 \end{array}$ | 6.38 10.86 | 7.58 7.69 | $\begin{aligned} & 8.72 \\ & 9.91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.42 \\ 11.35 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.29 \\ 11.63 \end{array}$ | 8.2 8.8 |
| Commercial vehicles... <br> (Weekly averages) | (Table 61) | Thousands $\{$ | 1949 1950 1951 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.89 \\ & 4.84 \\ & 5.47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 86 \\ & 5 \cdot 16 \\ & 5 \cdot 66 \end{aligned}$ | $4 \cdot 14$ $5 \cdot 27$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.73 \\ & 5.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 37 \\ & 5 \cdot 55 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.99 \\ & 5.06 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.14 \\ & 5.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.97 \\ & 4.04 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.50 \\ & 4.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.94 \\ & 5.44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.97 \\ & 5.45 \end{aligned}$ | 4.3 4.5 |
| Permanent houses completed | (Table 89) | Thousands $\{$ | 1949 | $\begin{aligned} & 15.90 \\ & 14.36 \\ & 13.15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.66 \\ & 14.07 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.16 \\ & 19.39 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.11 \\ & 14.86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.87 \\ & 17.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.49 \\ & 18.11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.63 \\ & 17.01 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.56 \\ & 14.95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.90 \\ & 17.40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.43 \\ & 17.60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.49 \\ & 17.45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 15.9! \end{aligned}$ |
| Merchant shipbuilding : (Vessels of 100 gross tons and over) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Under construction (End of period) | (Table 126) | $\underset{\substack{\text { Th. gross } \\ \text { tons }}}{ }\{$ | 1949 1950 1951 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,000 \\ & 1,832 \\ & 1,854 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,986 \\ & 1,803 \\ & 1,894 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,930 \\ & 1,805 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l} 1,987 \\ 1,801 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,961 \\ & 1,831 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,935 \\ & 1,792 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,874 \\ & 1,814 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,921 \\ & 1,795 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,950 \\ & 1,824 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,909 \\ & 1,828 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,869 \\ & 1,779 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,860 \\ & 1,861 \end{aligned}$ |
| Undergoing repalr, etc. ... (End of period) | (Table 126) | $\underset{\substack{\text { Th. gross } \\ \text { tons }}}{ }\{$ | 1949 1950 1951 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,934 \\ & 2,614 \\ & 2,372 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,874 \\ & 2,608 \\ & 2,523 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,627 \\ & 2,509 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline 2,830 \\ 2,686 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,773 \\ & 2,654 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,547 \\ & 2,581 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,939 \\ & 2,435 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,570 \\ & 2,369 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,339 \\ & 2,239 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,557 \\ & 2,166 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,497 \\ & 1,885 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,441 \\ & 2,119 \end{aligned}$ |



## CHARTS ILLUSTRATING THE ECONOMIC SITUATION

REGISTERED UNEMPLOYED




INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION



BRITISH EXPORTS TO CANADA AND U.S.A.


RETAIL PRICES
17 June $1947=100$


WHOLESALE PRICES


## I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

|  |  |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939 | June | ... | ... | 47,762 | 22,962 | 24,799 | 41,460 | 19,920 | 21,540 | 5,007 | 2,412 | 2,588 2,594 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,286 \\ & 1,295 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 625 \\ & 630 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 661 \\ & 665 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1944 | June |  |  | 49,016 | 23,672 | 25,344 | 42,449 | 20,473 | 21,976 | 5,210 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1945 | June |  | ... | 49,182 | 23,723 | 25,459 | 42,636 | 20,549 | 22,087 | 5,187 | 2,508 | 2,676 | 1,357 | 665 | 692 |
| 1946 | June |  | ... | 49,217 | 23,782 | 25,435 | 42,700 | 20,611 | 22,089 | 5,167 | 2,509 | 2,679 | 1,359 1,350 | 666 | 693 |
| 1947 | June |  |  | 49,571 | 23,997 | 25,573 | 43,050 | 20,822 | 22,228 | 5,171 | 2,514 | 2,658 | 1,350 | 662 661 | $\begin{aligned} & 688 \\ & 689 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | June |  |  | 50,065 | 24,292 | 25,773 | 43,502 | 21,091 | 22,411 | 5,201 | 2,534 |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | June |  |  | 50,363 | 24,450 | 25,913 | 43,785 | 21,239 | 22,546 | 5,207 | 2,539 | 2,667 | 1,362 |  |  |
|  | December |  |  | 50,523 | 24,530 | 25,993 | 43,946 | 21,320 | 22,626 | 5,208 | 2,540 | 2,668 | 1,371 | 672 670 | 699 699 |
| 1950 | June |  | ... | 50,618 | 24,576 | 26,042 | 44,020 | 21,357 | 22,663 | 5,219 | 2,544 | 2,675 | 1,379 | 670 675 | 699 704 |
| Civilian population <br> 1944 June ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1945 | June . |  | ... | 43,873 | 18,858 | 25,015 | 37,916 | 16,200 | 21,716 | 4,640 | 2,029 | 2,607 | 1,316 1,317 | 629 629 | 687 |
| 1946 | June . |  | ... | 47,025 | 21,733 | 25,292 | 40,759 | 18,780 | 21,979 | 4,933 | 2,306 | 2,627 | 1,333 | 647 | 688 686 |
| 1947 | June . | ... | ... | 48,139 | 22,630 | 25,509 | 41,786 | 19,612 | 22,174 | 5,014 | 2,367 | 2,647 | 1,339 |  | 686 688 |
| $1948$ <br> 1949 | June | .. | ... | 49,211 | 23,477 | 25,734 | 42,750 | 20,370 | 22,380 | 5,110 | 2,449 |  |  |  |  |
|  | June .... |  |  | 49,587 | 23,708 | 25,879 | 43,100 | 20,580 | 22,520 | 5,127 | 2,465 | 2,662 | 1,361 | 658 | 693 697 |
|  | December |  |  | 49,789 | 23,826 | 25,964 | 43,297 | 20,694 | 22,603 | 5,131 | 2,469 | 2,663 | 1,361 | 663 | 697 |
| 1950 | June | ... | $\ldots$ | 49,919 | 23,903 | 26,016 | 43,400 | 20,757 | 22,643 | 5,148 | 2,478 | 2,670 | 1,371 | 668 | 703 |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including members of the forces serving overseas and merchant seamen at sea.
These categories are omitted from the 1938 and 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.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ From 1944 to 1947 inclusive, certain classes of seamen were excluded. The numbers so excluded in 1943 were :-England and Wales, 122,000; Scotland, 26,000;
Northern Ireland, 3,000 .

TABLE 2 Estimated age distribution of total population at 30 June 1950

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Estimates for Wales refer to civilian population only. There were $1,258,000$ males and
Source : Registrars General 1949.

POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS
Births and marriages registered in the United Kingdom


|  |  |  | Live births |  |  |  |  | Marriages |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland | United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northerr Ireland |
|  |  |  | Total | Wales | Total |  |  |  | Wales |  |  |
| 1935/8(1) | $\ldots$ | ... |  | 722.7 | $609 \cdot 0$ | $38 \cdot 0$ | $88 \cdot 3$ | $25 \cdot 5$ | $403 \cdot 3$ | $356 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 5$ | $38 \cdot 2$ | 8.8 |
| 1947 |  | $\ldots$ | 1,031.2 |  | 51.4. | 113.1 | 31.3 | 455.1 | 401.2 | $23 \cdot 4$ |  |  |
| 1948 1949 | ... ... | ... | $906 \cdot 8$ | $777 \cdot 0$ | 47. ${ }^{\text {- }}$ | $100 \cdot 3$ | 29.5 | $450 \cdot 0$ | 396.9 | 23.4 | 44.4 $43 \cdot 7$ | 9.5 9.4 |
| 1949 1950 | $\cdots$ | ... | 856.0 | $731 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 4$ | $95 \cdot 7$ | $29 \cdot 2$ | 426.0 | $375 \cdot 0$ | $22 \cdot 0$ | 41.7 | 9.4 |
| 1950 | ... ... |  | 813.8 | 6925 | $42 \cdot 3$ | $92 \cdot 5$ | 28.8 | $406 \cdot 8$ | $357 \cdot 2$ | 20.7 | $40 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 1$ |
| 1935/8(1) | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | 177.1 | 148.7 | 9.4 | $22 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | $65 \cdot 6$ | 56.0 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 9$ |  |
|  |  | ... | $190 \cdot 8$ | $160 \cdot 4$ | 9.9 | $23 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 107.0 | 95.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 9.3 | 2. 2 |
|  |  | ... | 185.0 | 156.9 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 21.6 | 6.5 | $130 \cdot 2$ | 116.0 | 6.1 | 11.5 | $2 \cdot 7$ 2.7 |
|  |  | ... | $169 \cdot 8$ | $142 \cdot 9$ | 8.9 | 21.0 | 5.9 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 88.9 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 9.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ |
| 1948 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | $234 \cdot 8$ | 202.0 | 12.1 | 25.3 | 7.4 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | $238 \cdot 2$ | $203 \cdot 6$ | 12.4 | $26 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | 105.5 | $92 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 10.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ $2 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | ... | $223 \cdot 5$ | 191.9 | 11.6 | 24.4 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 139.6 | 123.2 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 13.5 | 3.0 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $210 \cdot 4$ | 179.5 | 11.0 | 24.1 |  | 97-3 | 85.5 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 9.8 | $2 \cdot 1$ |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | 218.2 | 186.6 | 11.2 | 24.2 | 7.4 | 94.4 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 225.2 | 192.0 | 11.6 | $25 \cdot 4$ | 7.8 | 107.1 | $95 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 9.2 | $2 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 213.7 | 183.2 | 11.1 | 23.3 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $130 \cdot 1$ | 114.4 | 6.7 | 12.8 | 2.9 |
|  |  | ... | 198.8 | 169.3 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 22.7 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 94.5 | 83.3 |  | 9.1 | $2 \cdot 1$ |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | $210 \cdot 9$ | 180.1 | 11.0 | $23 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | $99 \cdot 6$ | $86 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 3$ |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 214.2 | 181.8 | 11.0 | 24.6 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 91.3 | $80 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 8.7 | $2 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  | ... | 199.7 | $170 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 129.4 | 114.5 | 6.4 | 11.8 | $3 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  | ... | 188.9 | $160 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | 21.8 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 86.4 | $75 \cdot 7$ | 4.5 | 8.8 | 1.9 |

$\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ Averages for 4 years.
Source : Registrars General
Deaths registered in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )


[^0]Sickness and incapacity rates in England and Wales ( ${ }^{1}$ )

## Persons aged 16 and over

TABLE 5
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Sickness rate ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  | Sickness prevalence rate( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | Incapacity rate ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Age 16-64 |  | Age 65 and over |  | Total | Minor and illdefined | More serious | Total | Age 16-64 |  | Age 65 and over |  |
|  |  |  | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males |  |  |  |  | Females | Males | Females |
| 1947 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | . |  | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \\ & 64 \\ & 62 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 55 \\ & 55 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \\ & 66 \\ & 64 \\ & 72 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 76 \\ & 73 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 86 \\ & 84 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 132 \\ & 129 \\ & 149 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126 \\ & 119 \\ & 118 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \\ & 14 \\ & 11 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 158 \\ 84 \\ 65 \\ 100 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 146 \\ 86 \\ 67 \\ 97 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 137 \\ 70 \\ 54 \\ 84 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 209 \\ 147 \\ 92 \\ 165 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 319 \\ & 122 \\ & 103 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ |
| 948 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \\ & 64 \\ & 64 \\ & 71 \end{aligned}$ | 59 55 55 64 | 69 66 67 73 | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 73 \\ & 75 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | 85 83 84 88 | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 135 \\ & 135 \\ & 153 \end{aligned}$ | 128 122 122 138 | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 13 \\ & 14 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 114 \\ 82 \\ 84 \\ 126 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \\ 85 \\ 78 \\ 100 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 85 \\ 63 \\ 68 \\ 105 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 203 \\ & 128 \\ & 102 \\ & 183 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235 \\ & 136 \\ & 184 \\ & 344 \end{aligned}$ |
| 949 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | . | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 68 \\ & 65 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 59 \\ & 56 \\ & 63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76 \\ & 71 \\ & 68 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \\ & 78 \\ & 74 \\ & 75 \end{aligned}$ | 89 87 85 86 | 163 147 133 149 | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \\ & 134 \\ & 120 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 13 \\ & 12 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 136 \\ 90 \\ 78 \\ 121 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 119 \\ 84 \\ 81 \\ 95 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 127 \\ 74 \\ 71 \\ 98 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 200 \\ 151 \\ 89 \\ 225 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 220 \\ 165 \\ 99 \\ 302 \end{array}$ |
| 750 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \\ & 68 \\ & 67 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 59 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \\ & 70 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 80 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 88 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 154 \\ & 143 \\ & 139 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 135 \\ & 128 \\ & 125 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \\ & 15 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 128 \\ 89 \\ 73 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 111 \\ 88 \\ 77 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 114 \\ 75 \\ 61 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 196 \\ & 143 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 231 \\ 133 \\ 87 \end{array}$ |
| 149 | January <br> February March ... | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \\ & 74 \\ & 74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \\ & 66 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \\ & 76 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 82 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & 91 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160 \\ & 166 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 146 \\ & 146 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 19 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126 \\ & 142 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 125 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 136 \\ & 135 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \\ & 195 \\ & 189 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 219 \\ & 216 \\ & 224 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April $\qquad$ <br> May <br> June $\qquad$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \\ & 68 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | 61 60 57 | 73 71 69 | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \\ & 77 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | 88 85 86 | $\begin{aligned} & 155 \\ & 148 \\ & 138 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 136 \\ & 125 \end{aligned}$ | 15 12 13 | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 86 \\ & 86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 88 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | 88 63 72 | 175 165 119 | 175 162 159 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 65 65 65 | 56 55 55 | 68 68 68 | 74 74 75 | 86 84 85 | $\begin{aligned} & 134 \\ & 131 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 119 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \\ & 73 \\ & 77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 83 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76 \\ & 65 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ 65 \\ 101 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 130 \\ 76 \\ 94 \end{array}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | $\ldots$ | 69 71 70 | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 64 \\ & 63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 73 \\ & 72 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76 \\ & 77 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | 86 87 86 | 144 151 151 | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \\ & 134 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 17 \\ & 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 129 \\ & 126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 101 \\ 98 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96 \\ 104 \\ 93 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 237 \\ & 256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 232 \\ & 331 \\ & 343 \end{aligned}$ |
| 50 | January ( ${ }^{5}$ ) <br> February <br> March ... | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 72 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | 66 66 62 | 75 73 73 | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 80 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & 89 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 158 \\ & 154 \\ & 149 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 141 \\ & 135 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 19 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 130 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 115 \\ & 110 \end{aligned}$ | 119 119 105 | 203 179 206 | 228 232 232 |
|  | April May June | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \\ & 68 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 59 \\ & 57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \\ & 71 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | 82 79 79 | 89 88 88 | 146 144 138 | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \\ & 129 \\ & 125 \end{aligned}$ | 17 14 13 | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 87 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 88 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \\ & 72 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 174 \\ 160 \\ 93 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 190 \\ 113 \\ 94 \end{array}$ |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July ... } \\ & \text { August ... } \\ & \text { September } \end{aligned}$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \\ & 66 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 57 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 68 \\ & 71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 75 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & 89 \\ & 87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 135 \\ & 141 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126 \\ & 122 \\ & 126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 13 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \\ & 69 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 73 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 56 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ 136 \\ 131 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 69 \\ 80 \\ 112 \end{array}$ |
|  | October November | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 64 \\ 62 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \\ & 72 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 78 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 147 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 128 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76 \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 167 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) Based on the results of interviews by the Social Survey. Further details are given in the Registrar General's Quarterly Returns.
${ }_{3}^{2}$ ) Number of persons reporting some illness or injury per hundred persons.
Total number of illnesses and injuries suffered per hundred persons
Number of days incapacity per hundred persons.
Figures are normally based on two months interviews. No interviews
comparable with those in the but the rates have been adjusted and are
comparable with those in the rest of the Table.

## II. LABOUR

## Distribution of total manpower in Great Britain ( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 6
Thousands

|  | 1948 | 1949 |  | 1950 |  |  | $1951$ <br> January |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June | June | December | June | November | December |  |
| Total working population | 22,904 | 22,883 | 23,000 | 23,056 | 23,289 | 23,225 | 23,247 |
| Males <br> Females | $\begin{array}{r} 15,810 \\ 7,094 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,790 \\ 7,083 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,825 \\ 7,175 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,820 \\ 7,236 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,927 \\ 7,362 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,921 \\ 7,304 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,941 \\ 77306 \end{array}$ |
| H.M. Forces and Women's Services | 846 | 770 | 725 | 690 | 745 | 752 | 773 |
| Males | 807 39 | 737 33 | 698 | 666 24 | $722$ | $\begin{array}{r} 730 \\ 22 \end{array}$ | 751 |
| Men and women on release leave (who have not yet taken up employment) | 92 | 17 | 11 | 7 | - | - | - |
| Registered unemployed $\left({ }^{2}\right) \quad . . . \quad$... ... | 282 | 250 | 360 | 274 | 302 | 328 | 310 |
| Total in civil employment | 21,684 | 21,846 | 21,904 | 22,085 | 22,242 | 22,145 | 22,164 |
| Males $\quad .$. | $\begin{array}{r} 14,698 \\ 6,986 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,846 \\ 7,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,860 \\ 7,044 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,949 \\ 7,136 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,001 \\ 7,241 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,964 \\ 7,181 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,979 \\ 7,185 \end{array}$ |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 1,235 | 1,219 | 1,194 | 1,185 | 1,178 | 1,174 | 1,171 |
| Mining and quarrying ${ }^{3}$ ) | 875 | 874 | 862 | 851 | 840 | 842 | 849 |
| Manufacturing industries | 8,099 | 8,261 | 8,406 | 8,471 | 8,649 | 8,620 | 8,659 |
| Building and contracting ${ }^{4}$ ) | 1,463 | 1,453 | 1,424 | 1,448 | 1,443 | 1,409 | 1,398 |
| Gas, electricity and water ... ... ... | 312 | 328 | 346 | 354 | 360 | 361 | 363 |
| Transport and communication | 1,808 | 1,801 | 1,796 | 1,802 | 1,782 | 1,776 | 1,775 |
| Distributive trades ... ... ... ... | 2,523 | 2,592 | 2,601 | 2,610 | 2,672 | 2,654 | 2,644 |
| Professional, financial and miscellaneous services | 3,938 | 3,881 | 3,866 | 3,971 | 3,935 | 3,924 | 3,921 |
| Public administration- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| National Government Service Local Government Service | $\begin{aligned} & 696 \\ & 735 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 686 \\ & 751 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 655 \\ & 754 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 633 \\ & 760 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 627 \\ & 756 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 631 \\ & 754 \end{aligned}$ | 632 752 |

(1) The Table covers all persons aged 15 and over at work or registered as available

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service for work covers all persons aged in and oveluding private domestic service, are included. Part-time workers are counted as full units. The industry groups are those given in the Standard Industrial Classification (H.M.S.O., 1948).
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Estimate for end of month. The figures represent the total numbers of unemployed persons on the registers of Employment Exchanges except registered severely disabled persons who are unlikely to obtain work other than under special conditions.
${ }^{(3)}$ See also Table 36.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$See also Table 88.

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

| TABLE 7 |  |  |  | Thousands |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1948 | 1949 |  | 1950 |  |  | $\qquad$ <br> January |
|  | June | June | December | June | November | December |  |
| Total employed (including employers and self employed) $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 8,099 | 8,261 | 8,406 | 8,471 | 8,649 | 8,620 | 8,659 |
| Males Females | $\begin{aligned} & 5,479 \\ & 2,620 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,584 \\ & 2,677 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,656 \\ & 2,750 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,694 \\ & 2,777 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,783 \\ & 2,866 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,784 \\ & 2,836 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,806 \\ & 2,853 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total employees | 7,854 | 8,015 | 8,161 | 8,226 | 8,405 | 8,375 | 8,414 |
| Males <br> Females <br> Treatment of non-metalliferous mining products other than coal | $\begin{aligned} & 5,271 \\ & 2,583 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,375 \\ & 2,640 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,448 \\ & 2,713 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,486 \\ & 2,740 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,575 \\ & 2,830 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,576 \\ & 2,799 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,598 \\ & 2,816 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 307 | 311 | 317 | 322 | 325 | 324 | 324 |
| Chemicals and allied trades ... ... ... | 439 | 453 | 468 | 471 | 481 | 479 | 481 |
| Metal manufacture ... ... ... ... | 521 | 523 | 527 | 531 | 538 | 537 | 539 |
| Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods | 1,813 | 1,798 | 1,807 | 1,819 | 1,869 | 1,869 | 1,882 |
| Vehicles ... ... ... ... ... ... | 888 | 904 | 921 | 935 | 953 | 954 | 961 |
| Metal goods not elsewhere specified | 503 | 490 | 495 | 491 | 505 | 503 | 504 |
| Precision instruments, jewellery, etc. | 126 | 132 | 135 | 137 | 140 | 139 | 139 |
| Textiles ... ... ... ... ... ... | 928 | 965 | 997 | 1,009 | 1,026 | 1,026 | 1,032 |
| Leather, leather goods and fur | 78 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 78 | 77 | 77 |
| Clothing ... ... ... ... ... | 589 | 627 | 639 | 640 | 645 | 641 | 648 |
| Food, drink and tobacco ... ... ... | 692 | 738 | 749 | 762 | 784 | 773 | 770 |
| Manufactures of wood and cork | 266 | 276 | 283 | 276 | 283 | 282 | 283 |
| Paper and printing <br> Other manufacturing industries | 463 | 484 | 498 | 509 | 518 | 515 | 517 |
|  | 241 | 238 | 249 | 248 | 260 | 256 | 257 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ As in Table 6.

TABLE 8
Treatment of selected non-metalliferous mining products

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. The figures in square brackets relate to the Standard Industrial Classification Minimum List Heading.

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

TABLE 9
Chemicals and allied trades

${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Selected metal manufacturing industries

TABLE 10
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Blast furnaces, iron and steel melting, rolling, etc. (40 and 4I) |  |  | Iron foundries[42] |  |  | Sheets and tinplate[43] |  |  | Non-ferrous metals smelting, rolling, etc. [49] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June |  |  |  | $231 \cdot 0$ | 211.8 | 19.2 | 112.8 | $96 \cdot 5$ | 16.3 | $37 \cdot 4$ | $33 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $100 \cdot 2$ | 84.6 | 15.6 |
| 1949 June ... |  |  |  | 234.6 | 216.3 | 18.3 | 111.5 | 96.0 | 15.5 | 38.2 | 34.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $96 \cdot 7$ | 80.9 | 15.8 |
| December |  |  |  | 233.9 | $215 \cdot 3$ | 18.6 | 113.8 | 98.0 | 15.8 | 38.4 | 34.7 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 98.0 | 82.0 | 16.0 |
| 1950 June ... |  |  |  | 234.5 | $215 \cdot 2$ | 19.3 | 115.1 | 99.4 | 15.7 | 38.4 | 34.5 | 3.9 | 99.2 | 83.2 | 16.0 |
| November |  |  |  | $236 \cdot 2$ | 216.6 | 19.6 | 116.6 | $100 \cdot 7$ | 15.9 | 38.7 | 34.8 | 3.9 | 102.2 | 85.7 | 16.5 |
| December |  |  |  | 235.5 | 216.0 | 19.5 | 116.8 | 101.0 | 15.8 | 38.8 | 34.9 | 3.9 | 102.0 | 85.6 | 16.4 |
| 1951 January |  |  | $\ldots$ | 235.8 | 216.1 | 19.7 | $117 \cdot 8$ | 101.8 | 16.0 | 38.8 | 34.9 | 3.9 | 102.2 | 85.7 | $16 \cdot 5$ |

$\mathbf{( 1 )}^{1}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 8.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods industries



ABLE II (continued)
Thousands

|  |  |  |  |  | le mach accesso <br> [56] | nery <br> ies |  | structio ineerin [58] |  | Boilers <br> stat | nd boil lant an nary en 3 and 5 | r-house <br> ines |  | non-el <br> ing and small 69 and 5 | trical rdnance ms |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 148 June |  |  | $\ldots$ | $67 \cdot 3$ | $57 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | 71.1 | $64 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | 44.6 | 39.7 | $4 \cdot 9$ | 685.7 | $559 \cdot 2$ | 126.5 |
| 149 June |  |  |  | 69.5 | 59.6 | 9.9 | 71.2 | $65 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 48.1 | $42 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $687 \cdot 6$ | $567 \cdot 4$ | $120 \cdot 2$ |
| December |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 69.7 | 59.4 | $10 \cdot 3$ | $76 \cdot 5$ | $70 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $49 \cdot 5$ | 44.1 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $690 \cdot 4$ | 569.1 | $121 \cdot 3$ |
| 150 June |  |  | $\ldots$ | 69.5 | 59.2 | $10 \cdot 3$ | $78 \cdot 3$ | $72 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $50 \cdot 7$ | $45 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $693 \cdot 2$ | $570 \cdot 5$ | 122.7 |
| November |  |  |  | $70 \cdot 7$ | $60 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | $78 \cdot 5$ | $72 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 51.6 | $46 \cdot 1$ | 5.5 | $710 \cdot 4$ | 582.7 | 127.7 |
| December |  |  |  | $70 \cdot 8$ | $60 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 6$ | 78.1 | $72 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 51.8 | $46 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 711.2 | 583.7 | $127 \cdot 5$ |
| 151 January | $\ldots$ |  |  | 69.5 | 59.1 | 10.4 | $77 \cdot 9$ | $72 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $52 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 715.5 | 586.7 | 128.8 |


|  |  |  |  |  | lectrical achinery <br> [70] |  |  | trical w nd cable <br> [71] |  | Wir gram | ess appa hones, nd lamp 3 and 7 | atus, valves |  | ephone <br> h, batt <br> ators a <br> trical g <br> , 75 and | and ries and d other ods 79] |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 948 June |  |  |  | 171.5 | 122.5 | 49.0 | $62 \cdot 3$ | $38 \cdot 2$ | 24.1 | $103 \cdot 6$ | 52.7 | 50.9 | 186.8 | $106 \cdot 5$ | $80 \cdot 3$ |
| 949 June ... December |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168.0 \\ & 168.3 \end{aligned}$ | 123.5 124.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 5 \\ & 43 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59.7 \\ & 59.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 8 \\ & 37 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.9 \\ & 22.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \cdot 0 \\ & 109.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 4 \\ & 54 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 6 \\ & 54.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 182.7 \\ & 184.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.1 \\ & 108.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \cdot 6 \\ & 75 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 950 June ... November December | $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \cdots \\ & \cdots \\ & \cdots \end{aligned}$ | 169.4 172.8 173.1 | 125.7 128.1 128.5 | $43 \cdot 7$ $44 \cdot 7$ $44 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 8 \\ & 63 \cdot 5 \\ & 63 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 9 \\ & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 40 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 9 \\ & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 23.2 \end{aligned}$ | 118.0 131.0 131.3 | 59.3 63.9 64.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 7 \\ & 67 \cdot 1 \\ & 66 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 185.0 \\ & 193.1 \\ & 193.2 \end{aligned}$ | 109.2 112.8 113.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 8 \\ & 80 \cdot 3 \\ & 80 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 951 January | ... |  | ... | 174.5 | 129.3 | $45 \cdot 2$ | $63 \cdot 9$ | $40 \cdot 6$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | $133 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 2$ | $68 \cdot 0$ | 195.0 | 114.1 | 80.9 |

[^1]Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

Selected metal goods industries
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{(1)}$
Thousands


TABLE 12 (continued)
Thousands

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.

## Selected vehicle manufacturing industries

TABLE 13
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{(1)}$
Thousands

$\left(^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Selected clothing industries

|  |  |  |  |  | [140] |  |  | [\|41] |  |  | ralls, sh erwear, [142] |  | Manuf of | ure an ts and 48 and | repair hoes 49] |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 948 June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $246 \cdot 6$ | 69.4 | $177 \cdot 2$ | $93 \cdot 4$ | $12 \cdot 3$ | 81.1 | $55 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $49 \cdot 1$ | 139.1 | $80 \cdot 4$ | $58 \cdot 7$ |
| 949 June |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $265 \cdot 6$ | 74.8 | $190 \cdot 8$ | 99.3 | 12.2 | 87.1 | 59.5 | $8 \cdot 1$ | 51.4 | 146.5 | 82.9 | $63 \cdot 6$ |
| December |  | ... | ... | $270 \cdot 6$ | $74 \cdot 3$ | 196.3 | $101 \cdot 4$ | 12.0 | 89.4 | $63 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | 54.9 | 148.2 | 82.4 | $65 \cdot 8$ |
| 950 June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $272 \cdot 8$ | 71.7 | 201.1 | 99.3 | 11.8 | 87.5 | $66 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 3$ | 145.9 | 81.9 | $64 \cdot 0$ |
| November |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 277.7 | $72 \cdot 9$ | $204 \cdot 8$ | 97.9 | 11.9 | $86 \cdot 0$ | 69.0 | $8 \cdot 4$ | $60 \cdot 6$ | 144.1 | 81.0 | 63.1 |
| December | ... | ... | ... | $276 \cdot 7$ | $72 \cdot 9$ | $203 \cdot 8$ | $96 \cdot 0$ | 11.7 | $84 \cdot 3$ | 68.7 | 8.4 | $60 \cdot 3$ | 143.3 | $80 \cdot 7$ | $62 \cdot 6$ |
| 1951 January | ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $280 \cdot 5$ | 73.7 | $206 \cdot 8$ | $97 \cdot 2$ | 11.8 | $85 \cdot 4$ | 69.5 | 8.4 | $61 \cdot 1$ | 144.1 | $80 \cdot 9$ | $63 \cdot 2$ |

## Textile and leather industries

TABLE 15
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Cotton spinning, doubling, etc. [IIO] |  |  | Cotton weaving, etc.[III] |  |  | Woollen and worsted[112] |  |  | Rayon and nylon production and weaving and silk [113 and 114] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 948 June |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 172.4 | $60 \cdot 2$ | $112 \cdot 2$ | $130 \cdot 9$ | $42 \cdot 5$ | 88.4 | $206 \cdot 2$ | 91.8 | 114.4 | $83 \cdot 7$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | $38 \cdot 7$ |
| 1949 June ... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 177.1 | 62.4 | 114.7 | 139.9 | $45 \cdot 6$ | 94.3 | 212.3 | 95.4 | 116.9 | $90 \cdot 2$ | 49.0 | $41 \cdot 2$ |
| December |  | ... | ... | $181 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 0$ | 116.2 | 141.8 | $46 \cdot 5$ | $95 \cdot 3$ | $217 \cdot 4$ | 97.1 | $120 \cdot 3$ | $94 \cdot 3$ | $52 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 1$ |
| 1950 June ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 183.0 | $65 \cdot 2$ | 117.8 | 142.3 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 94.7 | 217.6 | 97.1 | 120.5 | 97.4 | 53.5 | $43 \cdot 9$ |
| November | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 186.2 | $65 \cdot 6$ | $120 \cdot 6$ | 144.6 | $48 \cdot 0$ | 96.6 | 217.7 | 97.2 | $120 \cdot 5$ | 99.8 | 54.8 | $45 \cdot 0$ |
| December |  |  | ... | 185.9 | $65 \cdot 7$ | $120 \cdot 2$ | 144.4 | $48 \cdot 2$ | $96 \cdot 2$ | $217 \cdot 2$ | $97 \cdot 3$ | 119.9 | 99.7 | 55.0 |  |
| 1951 January | ... | ... | ... | 187.6 | $66 \cdot 5$ | $121 \cdot 1$ | $144 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 4$ | $96 \cdot 4$ | $217 \cdot 6$ | $97 \cdot 3$ | $120 \cdot 3$ | 99.8 | 55.0 | $44 \cdot 8$ |

TABLE 15 (continued)
Thousands

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

|  |  |  |  | Grain milling [150] |  |  | d and flour fectione [151] |  |  | [152] |  |  | Milk roduct [154] |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June |  | ... | 39.9 | 31.5 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 176.6 | 108.5 | 68.1 | $33 \cdot 1$ | 13.8 | 19.3 | $37 \cdot 6$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  |  | 41.0 | 32.4 | 8.6 | 182.5 | 109.6 | $72 \cdot 9$ | $35 \cdot 0$ | 13.8 | 21.2 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 27.2 | 12.8 |
| December |  | $\ldots$ | 41.5 | $32 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | 182.9 | 109.8 | 73.1 | $36 \cdot 8$ | 14.1 | 22.7 | $42 \cdot 9$ | 29.8 | 13.1 |
|  |  |  | $40 \cdot 8$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | 8.2 | 186.9 | 112.2 | 74.7 | 39.1 | 14.7 | 24.4 | 48.8 | 34.1 | 14.7 |
| 1950 November |  | $\ldots$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | 33.7 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 193.0 | 113.1 | 79.9 | $44 \cdot 2$ | 16.0 | $28 \cdot 2$ | 44.9 | 31.7 | 13.2 |
| December |  | $\ldots$ | 42.0 | $33 \cdot 6$ | 8.4 | 191.6 | 112.8 | 78.8 | $43 \cdot 3$ | 16.0 | $27 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | $31 \cdot 3$ | 13.0 |
| 1951 January |  |  | 41.9 | $33 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | 189.8 | 112.4 | 77.4 | $43 \cdot 6$ | 16.1 | $27 \cdot 5$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | 31.5 | 13.1 |

TABLE 16 (continued)

|  |  |  |  | Cocoa, chocolate and sugar confectionery [156] |  |  | All other food industries [153, 155, 157 and 162] |  |  | All drink industries [163, 164 and 168] |  |  | Tobacco [169] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June . |  |  | ... | $58 \cdot 5$ | 24.0 | $34 \cdot 5$ | 153.6 | $78 \cdot 1$ | $75 \cdot 5$ | 144.6 | $105 \cdot 8$ | 38.8 | 48.5 | 20.2 | $28 \cdot 3$ |
| 1949 June |  |  |  | $72 \cdot 9$ | 28.1 | 44.8 | 165.2 | 84.9 | $80 \cdot 3$ | 152.0 | 111.3 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 49.2 | 21.5 | 27.7 |
| December |  |  |  | $73 \cdot 2$ | $27 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | 171.6 | $90 \cdot 5$ | 81.1 | 151.4 | 111.1 | $40 \cdot 3$ | 48.9 | $21 \cdot 1$ | 27.8 |
|  |  |  |  | 74.0 | 27-9 | $46 \cdot 1$ | $170 \cdot 3$ | 88.0 | $82 \cdot 3$ | 153.9 | 111.6 | $42 \cdot 3$ | $47 \cdot 6$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 27.0 |
| November |  |  |  | 80.2 | 29.4 | 50.8 | $180 \cdot 8$ | $92 \cdot 6$ | $88 \cdot 2$ | 151.4 | $110 \cdot 9$ | $40 \cdot 5$ $40 \cdot 3$ | 47.5 | 20.6 20.5 | $26 \cdot 9$ $26 \cdot 6$ |
| December |  |  | $\ldots$ | 79.4 | 29.5 | 49.9 | 174.1 | 92.0 | $82 \cdot 1$ | 151.4 | $111 \cdot 1$ | $40 \cdot 3$ |  | $20 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 6$ |
| 51 January |  |  |  | $80 \cdot 0$ | 29.7 | $50 \cdot 3$ | 174.0 | 91.9 | $82 \cdot 1$ | 149.0 | 110.4 | $38 \cdot 6$ | $47 \cdot 1$ | $20 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 6$ |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service
Paper and printing industries
Estimated numbers of employees( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 17

${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote_( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 8.

# Timber, furniture and selected other manufacturing industries 

|  |  |  |  | Timber, sawmilling, etc. [170] |  |  | Furniture and upholstery [171] |  |  | Rubber[190] |  |  | Toys, games and sports requisites [193] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 148 June ... |  | ... | $\cdots$ | 89.1 | $78 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 8$ | 112.8 | $87 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | 96.9 | $64 \cdot 2$ | 32.7 | 26.0 | $10 \cdot 9$ | 15.1 |
| 149 June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 89.0 | 78.0 | 11.0 | 122.8 | 95.5 | 27.3 | 93.9 | 61.0 | $32 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | 12.4 | 17.9 |
| December | $\ldots$ |  | ... | 91.6 | $80 \cdot 6$ | 11.0 | $127 \cdot 2$ | $98 \cdot 0$ | $29 \cdot 2$ | 101.9 | $65 \cdot 9$ | $36 \cdot 0$ | 31.4 | $12 \cdot 6$ | 18.8 |
| 750 June ... | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 90.6 | 79.4 | 11.2 | 122.5 | 94.4 | 28.1 | 102.6 |  | 35.4 |  | 12.5 | 18.6 |
| November |  |  | ... | 91.1 | 79.6 79.4 | 11.5 | 129.2 128.6 | 99.0 98.9 | $30 \cdot 2$ 29.7 | 107.4 107.4 | $70 \cdot 4$ 70.7 | $37 \cdot 0$ 36.7 | $32 \cdot 9$ $30 \cdot 4$ | 12.9 12.3 | 18.6 18.1 |
| December | ... |  | $\ldots$ | $90 \cdot 7$ | 79.4 | 11.3 | 128.6 | 98.9 | $29 \cdot 7$ |  |  | $36 \cdot 7$ |  |  | 18.1 |
| 351 January | ... | ... | ... | $90 \cdot 7$ | 79.3 | 11.4 | 129.1 | 99.5 | 29.6 | 108.1 | $71 \cdot 1$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | $29 \cdot 5$ | 12.1 | 17.4 |

# Selected non-manufacturing industries 

TABLE 19 Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{(1)}$
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Gas, electricity and water supply[2\|0-2|2] |  |  | Passenger transport by road <br> [221 and 222] |  |  | Goods transport by road[223] |  |  | Dealing in industrial materials and machinery [240 and 24I] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 948 June |  |  |  | 312.2 | $285 \cdot 2$ | 27-0 | $320 \cdot 1$ | $273 \cdot 5$ | $46 \cdot 6$ | 183.4 | 171.6 | 11.8 | 222.4 | 171.8 | $50 \cdot 6$ |
| 949 June ... |  |  |  | 328.4 | 298.9 | 29.5 | 327.8 | 281.8 | $46 \cdot 0$ | 183.0 | $170 \cdot 3$ | 12.7 | 223.6 | 172.8 175.3 | 50.8 51.3 |
| December |  |  | ... | $346 \cdot 3$ | 314.8 | $31 \cdot 5$ | 322.6 | $277 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | 182.7 | 169.8 | 12.9 | 226.6 |  |  |
| 950 June ... | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 353.5 | $320 \cdot 3$ | 33.2 | 332.7 | 286.0 | $46 \cdot 7$ | 183.2 | $170 \cdot 3$ | 12.9 | 226.1 | 174.7 | 51.4 |
| November | $\ldots$ |  | ... | $360 \cdot 3$ | 326.0 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 318.9 | $272 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 2$ | 182.6 | 169.3 | 13.3 | 231.9 233.1 | 178.7 179.8 | $53 \cdot 2$ $53 \cdot 3$ |
| December | ... |  | ... | 361.0 | 326.6 | 34.4 | 317-1 | $270 \cdot 9$ | $46 \cdot 2$ | 183.0 | 169.5 | $13 \cdot 5$ | $233 \cdot 1$ | 179.8 |  |
| 951 January | ... | ... | ... | 363.0 | $328 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 8$ | $317 \cdot 1$ | $270 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | 182.9 | $169 \cdot 3$ | 13.6 | 234.5 | $180 \cdot 7$ | 53.8 |

TABLE 19 (continued)

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.
Source: Ministry of Labour and National Service

Numbers employed in agriculture

|  |  |  | Great Britain |  |  |  |  |  | Northern Ireland ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | All workers ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Regular workers( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | All workers |  |  | Regular workers |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1939 | June | ... | $711 \cdot 3$ | 618.0 | $93 \cdot 2$ | $600 \cdot 8$ | $546 \cdot 1$ | 54.7 | $92 \cdot 3$ | 64.0 | 28.2 | $62 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 7$ | 16.6 |
| 1940 | June |  | 712.1 | 602.2 | 109.9 | 588.2 | 530.4 | 57.9 |  |  | 27.4 | 67.6 | 47.6 | 20.0 |
| 1941 | June | $\ldots$ | 759.2 823.6 | $618 \cdot 7$ 626.8 | 140.5 196.9 | $602 \cdot 1$ $640 \cdot 3$ | $531 \cdot 0$ $530 \cdot 3$ | 71.1 110.1 | 90.4 91.7 | $65 \cdot 6$ $65 \cdot 6$ | 24.8 26.1 | $64 \cdot 5$ $67 \cdot 6$ | 46.8 47.4 | 17.7 20.2 |
| 1943 | June |  | 843.1 | $620 \cdot 5$ | 222.6 | 644.5 | 516.8 | 127.7 | 112.4 | 70.0 | $42 \cdot 3$ | 79.4 | 50.2 | 29.3 |
| 1944 | June | ... | $863 \cdot 0$ | 646.9 | 216.0 | $617 \cdot 2$ | 522.0 | 95.1 | $112 \cdot 3$ | 69.6 | $42 \cdot 7$ | 79.7 | 49.6 | $30 \cdot 1$ |
| 1945 | June | ... | 886.7 | 683.1 | 203.6 | 611.1 | 521.4 | 89.7 | 94.7 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | $70 \cdot 2$ | 51.0 | 19.2 |
| 1946 | June | ... | 888.9 | 731.9 | 156.9 | $627 \cdot 1$ | $550 \cdot 7$ | 76.4 | 87.4 | 63.9 | 23.5 | $67 \cdot 7$ | 48.0 | 19.7 |
| 1947 | June |  | 891.5 | 745.8 | 145.7 | $636 \cdot 6$ | 564.4 | $72 \cdot 2$ | 88.6 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 23.0 | $65 \cdot 4$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | 19.0 |
|  | December |  | $800 \cdot 6$ | $687 \cdot 3$ | 113.4 | 615.1 | 551.5 | $63 \cdot 5$ | $66 \cdot 5$ | 49.4 | $17 \cdot 1$ | 54.9 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 14.9 |
| 1948 | June |  | $849 \cdot 5$ | 702.5 | 146.9 | $653 \cdot 2$ | $580 \cdot 8$ | 72.4 | $82 \cdot 2$ | 61.1 | 21.1 | $61 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 9$ | 17.4 |
|  | December |  | 823.0 | 694.1 | 128.9 | $653 \cdot 2$ | 586.6 | $66 \cdot 6$ | $69 \cdot 3$ | $49 \cdot 7$ | 19.6 | 52.1 | $36 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 | June |  | $855 \cdot 3$ | 719.6 | 135.7 | 673.1 | $602 \cdot 8$ | $70 \cdot 3$ | 78.6 | 59.9 | 18.7 | 56.9 | 41.9 | 15.1 |
|  | December |  | 797-2 | 684.0 | 113.1 | $648 \cdot 6$ | $588 \cdot 3$ | $60 \cdot 2$ | $70 \cdot 1$ | $50 \cdot 0$ | 20.1 | 53.1 | $37 \cdot 1$ | 16.0 |
| 1950 | June |  | 842.5 | 715.8 | 126.8 | 663.4 | 597.7 | 65.7 | $75 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 3$ | 16.9 | 53.9 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 13.7 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Before 1945 figures exclude the occupier but include all adult members of his family.
Source : Agricultural Departments
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Including any members of the Women's Land Army and prisoners of war working on agricultural holdings on the census dates.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Excluding members of the Women's Land Army and prisoners of war except during the period ending June 1943 (June 1945 in Scotland) when these categories were not returned separateiy.

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

Thousands
TABLE 21

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multicolumn{4}{|l|}{\multirow[t]{2}{*}{}} \& \multirow[b]{2}{*}{Total} \& \multicolumn{5}{|c|}{Men} \& \multicolumn{5}{|c|}{Women} <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& \& Total \& Primary and secondary schools \& Special schools \& Further education \& Training colleges \& Total \& Primary and secondary schools ( ${ }^{1}$ ) \& Special schools \& Further education \& Training colleges <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{4}{*}{1946} \& January I \& \& \& $182 \cdot 2$ \& 49.3 \& $45 \cdot 5$ \& 0.4 \& $3 \cdot 3$ \& 0.1 \& 132.9 \& $130 \cdot 5$ \& $1 \cdot 3$ \& 0.8 \& 0.3 <br>
\hline \& April I ... \& \& \& 186.7 \& 558 \& 51.7 \& 0.4 \& $3 \cdot 5$ \& 0.2 \& 130.9 \& 128.3 \& 1.3 \& 0.9 \& 0.5 <br>
\hline \& july I \& \& \& $190 \cdot 5$ \& $60 \cdot 7$ \& $56 \cdot 3$ \& 0.5 \& 3.7 \& 03 \& 129.8 \& 127.2 \& 1.3 \& 0.8 \& 0.5 <br>
\hline \& October I \& \& $\ldots$ \& 194.7 \& 64.8 \& 59.9 \& $0 \cdot 5$ \& 4.0 \& 0.4 \& 129.9 \& 127.1 \& 1.4 \& 0.9 \& <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{4}{*}{1947} \& January I \& \& \& 196.5 \& 67.5 \& $62 \cdot 3$ \& 0.5 \& $4 \cdot 2$ \& 0.6 \& 129.0 \& 126.1 \& $1 \cdot 3$ \& 0.9 \& 0.6 <br>
\hline \& April I \& \& $\ldots$ \& 198.4 \& 69.4 \& $63 \cdot 8$ \& 0.5 \& 4.4 \& 0.7 \& 129.0 \& 126.0 \& 1.4 \& 0.9 \& 0.7 <br>
\hline \& July I \& \& $\ldots$ \& $200 \cdot 0$ \& $70 \cdot 9$ \& $65 \cdot 2$ \& 0.5 \& 4.4 \& 0.7 \& 129.1 \& 126.1 \& 1.4 \& 1.0 \& 0.7
0.8 <br>
\hline \& October 1 ... \& \& ... \& 204.5 \& 72.7 \& $66 \cdot 6$ \& 0.5 \& 4.6 \& $0 \cdot 9$ \& 131.9 \& 128.7 \& 1.4 \& \& <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{3}{*}{1948} \& \& \& \& \& \& \& 0.5 \& 4.9 \& 1.0 \& 131.4 \& 128.1 \& 1.4 \& $1 \cdot 1$ \& 0.8 <br>
\hline \& January ${ }^{\text {June } 1}$... \& \& $\ldots$ \& 211.0 \& 78.5 \& 71.9 \& 0.6 \& $5 \cdot 0$ \& 1.0 \& 132.5 \& 129.1 \& 1.5 \& 1.1 \& 0.9 <br>
\hline \& October 1. \& \& .. \& $215 \cdot 2$ \& $80 \cdot 6$ \& $73 \cdot 6$ \& 0.6 \& $5 \cdot 5$ \& 0.9 \& 134.6 \& 130.9 \& 1.6 \& $1 \cdot 2$ \& 0.9 <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{3}{*}{1949} \& \& \& \& 216.6 \& 81.2 \& 73.9 \& 0.7 \& $5 \cdot 8$ \& 0.9 \& 135.4 \& 131.7 \& 1.6 \& 1.2 \& 0.9 <br>
\hline \& June I \& \& \& 219.2 \& 83.6 \& 76.2 \& 0.7 \& $5 \cdot 9$ \& 0.8 \& 135.6 \& 131.6 \& 1.7
1.8 \& 1.2 \& 1.0 <br>
\hline \& October $1 . .$. \& $\ldots$ \& $\ldots$ \& 223.1 \& 85.5 \& $77 \cdot 6$ \& 0.8 \& 6.4 \& 0.8 \& 137.6 \& 133.4 \& 1.8 \& \& <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{3}{*}{1950} \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& $6 \cdot 6$ \& 0.8 \& 137.3 \& 133.1 \& 1.8 \& 1.4 \& $1 \cdot 1$ <br>
\hline \& February $1 .$.
June I

a \& \& \& 226.0 \& 88.0 \& 79.9 \& 0.8 \& 6.7 \& 0.7 \& 138.0 \& 133.7 \& 1.8 \& 1.4 \& 1.1 <br>
\hline \& October $1 . .$. \& \& ... \& $230 \cdot 8$ \& 91.4 \& $82 \cdot 9$ \& 0.9 \& 7.0 \& 0.5 \& 139.4 \& 134.9 \& 1.9 \& \& <br>
\hline 1951 \& February $1 . .$. \& ... \& ... \& 231.8 \& $92 \cdot 2$ \& $83 \cdot 7$ \& 0.9 \& $7 \cdot 2$ \& 0.4 \& 139.6 \& 135.1 \& 1.9 \& 1.5 \& 1.0 <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including nursery schools.

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Established and unestablished staff in all Departments, including Reserved and Agency Services, Northern Ireland.
Source : Treasury
${ }^{2}$ ) In arriving at the totals two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.

Civil Service : Non-industrial staff employed by Departments( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 23

|  |  | Service and Supply Departments $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ | Post Office | Board of Inland Revenue | H.M. Customs and Excise | Ministry of Food | Ministry of Labour and National Service | Ministry of Works | Board of Trade | Ministry of Pensions | of National Insurance ${ }^{3}$ ) | of Agriculture and Fisheries | Other Departments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1939 | Aprll I ... | 52.4 | 196.6 | $24 \cdot 9$ | $15 \cdot 0$ | - | $28 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | 12 | 2.6 |  |
| 19461947 | July I ... | $\begin{aligned} & 165.8 \\ & 143.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 238 \cdot 1 \\ & 244 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $44 \cdot 0$ $47 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 12.3 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 9 \\ & 53.6 \\ & 50 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 8 \\ & 39 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 20 \cdot 2 \\ & 20 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 \\ & 14.7 \\ & 14.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 12.0 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.0 \\ & 14.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.1 \\ & 6.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 86.0 \\ 92.3 \\ 109.4 \end{array}$ |
|  | July 1 ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 33.9 | 17.7 |  |
| 1948 | July I ... | 112.5 | $247 \cdot 2$ | $48 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January IApril I ...July IOctober I | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \cdot 9 \\ & 112 \cdot 0 \\ & 111.2 \\ & 109.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 247 \cdot 4 \\ & 246 \cdot 6 \\ & 246 \cdot 4 \\ & 248 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 0 \\ & 48 \cdot 0 \\ & 47 \cdot 5 \\ & 47 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.0 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 14.2 \\ & 14.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 9 \\ & 42 \cdot 3 \\ & 37 \cdot 9 \\ & 37 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 8 \\ & 32 \cdot 6 \\ & 32 \cdot 0 \\ & 31 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 18.7 \\ & 18.4 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.1 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 11.3 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 6 \\ & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 37 \cdot 4 \\ & 36 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.4 \\ & 18.2 \\ & 17.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January IApril I ...July IOctober I | $\begin{aligned} & 110.0 \\ & 109.5 \\ & 109.1 \\ & 109.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 247 \cdot 5 \\ & 249.9 \\ & 249.9 \\ & 249.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 7 \\ & 50 \cdot 3 \\ & 51 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 2 \\ & 14 \cdot 2 \\ & 14 \cdot 4 \\ & 14 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 0 \\ & 30 \cdot 8 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 6 \\ & 29 \cdot 9 \\ & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.9 \\ & 17.6 \\ & 17.3 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.5 \\ & 10.1 \\ & 10.1 \\ & 10.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 11.0 \\ & 10.8 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 5 \\ & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 34 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.8 \\ & 16.4 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.8 \\ & 108.2 \\ & 106.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $15 \cdot 6$ | $106 \cdot 2$ |
| 1951 | January I | 110.9 | $249 \cdot 5$ | 52.4 | 14.5 | $25 \cdot 9$ | $27 \cdot 9$ | $16 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 1$ | 10.7 |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Established and unestablished. Two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.
(2) Admiralty, Air Ministry, War Office, Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Supply (Ministry of Aircraft Production is also included prior to its amalgamation with the Ministry of Supply). The figure for April 1939 relates to the three Service Departments only. The figures from April 1948 exclude Ministry of Supply staff not employed on Defence work ( 40 per cent. of all staff in Department). These are included under "Other Departments."
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Including 11,500 staff of Approved Societies, etc., absorbed in 1948 as a result of the National Insurance Acts. 1946.
()) Including 10,190 staff of the County Agricultural Executive Committees absorbed in 1948.

Registered unemployed in the United Kingdom

|  |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | Great Britaln |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total |  |  | Total |  |  | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  | Temporarily stopped |  |
|  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females |
| 1938 1939 | ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,786 \cdot 5 \\ & 1,480 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,374 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,123 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 412 \cdot 4 \\ & 357 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,699 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,408 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,317 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,071 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 382 \cdot 8 \\ & 336.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,081 \cdot 6 \\ 934 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 246 \cdot 5 \\ & 258 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235 \cdot 5 \\ & 137 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 136.3 \\ 78.4 \end{array}$ |
| $1946(1)$ 1947 | $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ Monthly .. | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 394 \cdot 2 \\ & 498 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 280 \cdot 3 \\ & 363 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.9 \\ & 134.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 363 \cdot 1 \\ & 468 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 254 \cdot 0 \\ & 337 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.1 \\ & 130.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 251.9 \\ & 234.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 107.9 \\ 78.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2 \cdot 1 \\ 102 \cdot 7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.2 \\ 51.9 \end{array}$ |
| $1948(2)$ 1949 1950 |  | ... <br> $\ldots$ | $331 \cdot 3$ $338 \cdot 0$ $341 \cdot 1$ | 252.5 249.9 241.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 78.8 \\ 88 \cdot 1 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $303 \cdot 6$ $308 \cdot 0$ 314.2 | 229.9 $228 \cdot 0$ $220 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 7 \\ & 80 \cdot 0 \\ & 94 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 225 \cdot 6 \\ & 223 \cdot 2 \\ & 215 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 6 \\ & 76.9 \\ & 90.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 3 \\ & 4 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 3.1 3.1 3.5 |
| 1949 | January 10 February 14 March 14 | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $412 \cdot 9$ $396 \cdot 7$ $375 \cdot 3$ | $308 \cdot 2$ 291.6 276.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 104.7 \\ 105 \cdot 1 \\ 98.4 \end{array}$ | $375 \cdot 7$ $360 \cdot 3$ $340 \cdot 4$ | $279 \cdot 5$ $264 \cdot 3$ $250 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96.2 \\ & 96.0 \\ & 89.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 273 \cdot 6 \\ & 259 \cdot 1 \\ & 245 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 92.0 92.4 86.4 | $5 \cdot 9$ $5 \cdot 2$ 4.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 3 \cdot 6 \\ & 3 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April II May 9 ... June 13 | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 355.9 333.6 291.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 265 \cdot 2 \\ & 248 \cdot 9 \\ & 219 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 7 \\ & 84 \cdot 7 \\ & 71 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \cdot 9 \\ & 304 \cdot 2 \\ & 263 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \cdot 4 \\ & 228 \cdot 0 \\ & 199 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $82 \cdot 5$ $76 \cdot 2$ 64.4 | $235 \cdot 7$ $220 \cdot 8$ $194 \cdot 2$ | 78.7 73.6 61.8 | 6.7 7.2 5.0 | 3.8 2.6 2.6 |
|  | July II <br> August 15 <br> September 12... | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ <br> $\ldots$ | 273.9 288.1 293.9 | $205 \cdot 0$ 213.1 217.6 | 68.9 75.0 76.3 | $243 \cdot 0$ 261.4 $267 \cdot 9$ | 185.6 194.2 199.4 | $57 \cdot 4$ $67 \cdot 2$ $68 \cdot 5$ | 182.3 191.4 196.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 5 \\ & 62 \cdot 8 \\ & 66 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 3.3 2.8 3.4 | 2.9 4.4 2.2 |
|  | October 10 November 14... December 5 ... | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $323 \cdot 3$ $350 \cdot 6$ $360 \cdot 7$ | $235 \cdot 7$ $254 \cdot 0$ $262 \cdot 6$ | 87.6 96.6 98.1 | $300 \cdot 3$ $323 \cdot 6$ $330 \cdot 3$ | 219.7 233.9 238.7 | 80.6 89.7 91.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \cdot 7 \\ & 229 \cdot 9 \\ & 234 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \cdot 3 \\ & 87 \cdot 3 \\ & 88 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 4.0 4.0 4.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.3 \\ & 2.4 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January 16 <br> February 13 <br> March 13 | ... <br> $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 403 \cdot 9 \\ & 403 \cdot 4 \\ & 377 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 288 \cdot 1 \\ & 290 \cdot 4 \\ & 270 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.8 \\ & 113.0 \\ & 106.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 372 \cdot 3 \\ & 372 \cdot 8 \\ & 347 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $262 \cdot 8$ $266 \cdot 1$ $247 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \cdot 5 \\ & 106 \cdot 7 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 258 \cdot 0 \\ & 259 \cdot 8 \\ & 241 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 105.9 \\ 102.8 \\ 97.4 \end{array}$ | 4.8 6.3 5.7 | 3.6 3.9 2.9 |
|  | April 17 May 15... June 12 | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $357 \cdot 3$ $341 \cdot 2$ $307 \cdot 8$ | 257.3 241.5 221.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 100.0 \\ 99.7 \\ 86.2 \end{array}$ | $329 \cdot 0$ $314 \cdot 7$ $282 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235 \cdot 0 \\ & 221 \cdot 0 \\ & 201 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 0 \\ & 93 \cdot 7 \\ & 80 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 229.0 <br> 213.8 <br> $195 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 2 \\ & 89 \cdot 6 \\ & 76 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 0 \cdot 0 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 8 \\ & 4 \cdot 1 \\ & 3 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 10 <br> August 14 <br> September II | $\ldots$ | 296.9 312.9 308.3 | $215 \cdot 7$ $220 \cdot 2$ $215 \cdot 5$ | 81.2 92.7 92.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 272 \cdot 0 \\ & 288 \cdot 3 \\ & 283 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $196 \cdot 3$ 201.3 196.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 7 \\ & 87 \cdot 0 \\ & 87 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190.4 \\ & 197.6 \\ & 192.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \cdot 4 \\ & 81 \cdot 6 \\ & 84 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 5.9 3.7 3.9 | 4.3 5.4 2.9 |
|  | October 16 <br> November 13... <br> December II ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 327 \cdot 0 \\ & 326 \cdot 1 \\ & 330 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 3 \\ & 219.7 \\ & 229 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.7 \\ & 106.4 \\ & 101.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 304 \cdot 0 \\ & 302 \cdot 1 \\ & 301 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206 \cdot 1 \\ & 201 \cdot 4 \\ & 205 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97.9 \\ 100.7 \\ 95.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 201 \cdot 9 \\ & 198 \cdot 1 \\ & 201 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95.5 \\ & 98.8 \\ & 92.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 3 \cdot 3 \\ & 4 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.4 \\ & 1.9 \\ & 3.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| $1951$ | January 15 <br> February 12 ... <br> March 12 | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 366 \cdot 6 \\ & 334.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 258 \cdot 1 \\ & 230 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.5 \\ & 104.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 333 \cdot 6 \\ & 302.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 230 \cdot 9 \\ & 204 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102.7 \\ 97.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223.7 \\ & 198.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99.5 \\ & 95.0 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 2$ $5 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.2 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ |

(1) Men and women in Great Britain classified as unsuitable for ordinary

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service employment and registered severely disabled persons who were unlikely to obtain work other than under special conditions are excluded from the figures for 1946 and 1947. Following a change in administrative arrangements a small proportion of the class thus excluded was reincluded in the figures from 1948.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ UD to June 1948 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 severely disabled persons who are unlikely to obtain work other than under special conditions. The effect of this change was to increase the figures for July 1948 by about 4,000 males and 7,000 females.

Registered unemployed in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )
Analysis by regions
Thousands
TABLE 25

|  |  | London and South Eastern | Eastern | Southern | South Western | Midland | North Midland | East and West Ridings | North Western | Northern | Scotland | Wales | Northern Ireland |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 73 | July 10 ... | 184.9 | $35 \cdot 9$ | 18.7 | $30 \cdot 2$ | $80 \cdot 8$ | $68 \cdot 9$ | 116.0 | $259 \cdot 3$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 171.8 | $98 \cdot 6$ | $66 \cdot 4$ |
| 946 947 948 | July 15 July 14 July J2 | $34 \cdot 7$ $30 \cdot 3$ $46 \cdot 3$ | 6.9 5.7 8.0 | 6.9 4.6 9.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 9.2 \\ 8.1 \\ 11.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16.5 \\ 9.8 \\ 12.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 5.6 \\ & 6.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.0 \\ & 13.9 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 1 \\ & 48 \cdot 5 \\ & 52 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 7 \\ & 31 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73.9 \\ & 54 \cdot 3 \\ & 53.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \cdot 1 \\ & 41 \cdot 3 \\ & 40 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 6 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
| 949 | January 10... February March 14 I | $69 \cdot 2$ $66 \cdot 5$ $62 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 18.0 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | 15.6 15.2 14.1 | 18.5 18.0 16.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 12.7 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.9 \\ 10.9 \\ 9.5 \end{array}$ | 19.1 17.8 17.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 2 \\ & 56 \cdot 9 \\ & 52 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 2 \\ & 35 \cdot 8 \\ & 34 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 0 \\ & 68 \cdot 3 \\ & 67 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $42 \cdot 2$ $40 \cdot 2$ $38 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 2 \\ & 36.4 \\ & 34.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{lc}\text { April II } & \ldots \\ \text { May 9 } & \ldots \\ \text { June 13 } & \ldots\end{array}$ | 59.2 53.6 44.4 | 13.7 10.9 7.8 | 13.2 12.4 10.4 | 16.0 14.1 12.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 7 \\ & 13.8 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 4$ 6.6 $5 \cdot 4$ | 15.7 14.7 13.4 | $49 \cdot 0$ 49.4 $43 \cdot 9$ | 33.1 31.8 28.2 | $65 \cdot 7$ $61 \cdot 3$ $52 \cdot 6$ | $37 \cdot 2$ $35 \cdot 6$ $33 \cdot 1$ | 31.0 29.4 27.5 |
|  | July II August $15 \ldots$ September 12 | $39 \cdot 4$ $43 \cdot 6$ $43 \cdot 5$ | 6.6 7.4 8.1 | 9.1 9.8 11.2 | 10.9 11.8 12.2 | 10.2 12.3 11.6 | 4.9 $5 \cdot 7$ $5 \cdot 6$ | 12.1 13.0 13.0 | 38.4 41.3 44.1 | $26 \cdot 0$ $28 \cdot 3$ $28 \cdot 0$ | $53 \cdot 3$ $54 \cdot 8$ $57 \cdot 2$ | 32.1 33.4 $33 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 9 \\ & 26 \cdot 7 \\ & 26.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 10 November 14 December 5 | 53.7 57.9 56.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 9.6 \\ 10.9 \\ 12.5 \end{array}$ | 13.3 14.5 14.8 | 14.3 16.7 17.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.2 \\ & 11.2 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $6 \cdot 1$ $7 \cdot 3$ 9.1 | 14.4 15.8 16.3 | $48 \cdot 8$ 51.7 51.3 | $32 \cdot 5$ $35 \cdot 5$ $36 \cdot 0$ | $59 \cdot 2$ $64 \cdot 1$ $67 \cdot 9$ | $36 \cdot 2$ $38 \cdot 0$ $37 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \\ & 30 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January 16... <br> February 13 <br> March $13 \ldots$ | $67 \cdot 4$ $66 \cdot 7$ $60 \cdot 2$ | 17.9 19.0 17.0 | 16.6 17.3 15.8 | 19.3 19.8 18.3 | 13.0 12.4 10.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 10.0 \end{aligned}$ | 18.2 18.3 17.3 | $55 \cdot 2$ $55 \cdot 5$ $52 \cdot 0$ | $39 \cdot 1$ $38 \cdot 9$ $37 \cdot 4$ | $74 \cdot 3$ $73 \cdot 5$ $72 \cdot 2$ | 39.9 39.5 36.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 6 \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } 17 & \ldots \\ \text { May 15 } & \ldots \\ \text { June } 12 & \ldots\end{array}$ | 56.8 55.8 $50 \cdot 5$ | 13.9 12.7 9.2 | 13.9 12.9 10.7 | 16.5 15.3 13.0 | 10.0 9.9 9.3 | 8.3 8.5 7.0 | 17.0 16.4 15.3 | $49 \cdot 3$ $47 \cdot 8$ $44 \cdot 1$ | $37 \cdot 9$ 35.7 31.9 | $69 \cdot 7$ $65 \cdot 1$ $58 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 7$ $34 \cdot 6$ $32 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \\ & 25 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 10 August $14 \ldots$ September in | 47.4 49.9 48.5 | 8.0 9.4 9.7 | 10.1 11.1 12.6 | 12.2 12.5 12.9 | 8.7 10.0 9.4 | $6 \cdot 3$ 7.5 7.3 | 15.0 16.1 16.4 | $42 \cdot 1$ $44 \cdot 9$ $44 \cdot 4$ | 31.4 $33 \cdot 5$ $32 \cdot 1$ | 59.2 59.6 58.5 | $31 \cdot 6$ $33 \cdot 8$ $32 \cdot 0$ | 24.9 24.6 24.5 |
|  | October 16 November 13 December 11 | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 7 \\ & 54 \cdot 9 \\ & 53 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.9 \\ & 11.6 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.2 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | 15.8 16.3 16.4 | 8.9 8.7 8.3 | 6.7 7.9 9.0 | 16.7 16.6 16.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 44 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 4 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 33 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 61.0 61.7 63.1 | $32 \cdot 9$ $32 \cdot 5$ $31 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 29 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | January 15... February 12 | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 7 \\ & 56 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 14.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 8 \\ & 8 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \cdot 0 \\ 8.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 16.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 7 \\ & 40 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36.8 \\ & 27.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 3 \\ & 64 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 0 \\ & 32 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |
| Percentage rate of unemployment at February $12\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | f 1.1 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.9 | $1 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | . |

(1) See footnotes to Table 24. The figures up to July 1948 exclude claimants for benefit under the special schemes for the banking and insurance industries who could not be allocated to regions.
${ }^{(2)}$ Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees. For Great Britain as a whole the figure was 1.5 per cent.

Registered unemployed in Great Britain
Analysis by duration of unemployment
TABLE 26

|  |  |  |  | Males |  |  |  |  | Females |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  |  | Temporarily stopped | Total | Married women | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  |  | Temporarily stopped |
|  |  |  |  | 2 weeks or less | Over 2 but not more than 8 weeks | More than 8 weeks | 2 weeks or less |  |  |  | Over 2 but not more than 8 weeks | More than 8 weeks |  |
| 1948 | July $12 .$. |  | ... |  | $215 \cdot 0$ | 49.9 | $46 \cdot 7$ | 114.2 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $67 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | 24.5 | 14.1 | 24.0 | $4 \cdot 6$ |
| 1949 | January 10 February 14 March 14 |  | . $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $279 \cdot 5$ $264 \cdot 3$ $250 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71.4 \\ & 57.5 \\ & 56.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 6 \\ & 66 \cdot 6 \\ & 61.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132.6 \\ & 135.0 \\ & 128.4 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \cdot 9$ $5 \cdot 2$ 4.9 | $96 \cdot 2$ 96.0 89.7 | $43 \cdot 6$ $45 \cdot 1$ $43 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35.9 \\ & 28.9 \\ & 77.5 \end{aligned}$ | $23 \cdot 2$ $27 \cdot 1$ $24 \cdot 4$ | 32.9 36.4 34.5 | 4.2 3.6 3.3 |
|  | April II May 9 .. June 13 |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 242.4 $228 \cdot 0$ 199.2 | 57.5 53.4 45.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 3 \\ & 48 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 126.0 118.1 99.7 | $6 \cdot 7$ $7 \cdot 2$ $5 \cdot 0$ | $82 \cdot 5$ $76 \cdot 2$ $64 \cdot 4$ | $37 \cdot 0$ $35 \cdot 7$ $31 \cdot 1$ | $28 \cdot 2$ $27 \cdot 1$ $22 \cdot 1$ | 19.6 18.4 18.1 | 30.9 28.1 21.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.8 \\ & 2.6 \\ & 2.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 11 <br> August 15 September 12 |  | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \cdot 6 \\ & 194 \cdot 2 \\ & 199 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 45.9 51.5 57.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 9 \\ & 43 \cdot 3 \\ & 48 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 97.5 96.6 90.1 | $3 \cdot 3$ $2 \cdot 8$ $3 \cdot 4$ | $57 \cdot 4$ $67 \cdot 2$ $68 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 0$ $27 \cdot 8$ $30 \cdot 2$ | 20.3 26.9 31.1 | 12.5 15.0 18.5 | 21.7 20.9 16.7 | 2.9 4.4 2.2 |
|  | October 10 <br> November 14 <br> December 5 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 219.7 \\ & 233.9 \\ & 238 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $64 \cdot 0$ $59 \cdot 0$ $60 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \cdot 3 \\ & 67 \cdot 9 \\ & 68 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98.4 \\ 103.0 \\ 105 \cdot 5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.0 \\ & 4.0 \\ & 4.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 6 \\ & 89.7 \\ & 91 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | 36.0 41.9 44.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 8 \\ & 33.4 \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 8 \\ & 32 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 23.2 24.1 $26 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.3 \\ & 2.4 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January 16 <br> February 13 <br> March 13 | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 262 \cdot 8 \\ & 266 \cdot 1 \\ & 247 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 0 \\ & 62 \cdot 0 \\ & 56 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72.6 \\ & 73.1 \\ & 62.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.4 \\ & 124.7 \\ & 123.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.8 \\ & 6.3 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.5 \\ & 106.7 \\ & 100.3 \end{aligned}$ | 51.1 50.3 49.2 | 38.2 30.1 28.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 1 \\ & 30 \cdot 7 \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 6 \\ & 42 \cdot 0 \\ & 41 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.6 \\ & 3.9 \\ & 2.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 17 <br> May 15 ... <br> June 12 | ... $\ldots$ ... | . $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235 \cdot 0 \\ & 221 \cdot 0 \\ & 201 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 54.2 52.7 49.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 1 \\ & 50 \cdot 1 \\ & 47 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | 119.7 <br> 111.0 <br> $98 \cdot 3$ | 6.0 7.2 6.2 | 94.0 93.7 80.2 | 44.4 46.4 39.6 | 29.6 $30 \cdot 2$ 25.6 | 25.0 25.8 22.0 | 35.6 33.6 29.1 | 3.8 4.1 3.5 |
|  | July 10 <br> August 14 <br> September II |  | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 196.3 201.3 196.5 | $47 \cdot 3$ $49 \cdot 2$ $50 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 3$ 50.7 $51 \cdot 5$ | 98.8 97.7 90.5 | 5.9 3.7 3.9 | $75 \cdot 7$ $87 \cdot 0$ $87 \cdot 3$ | $36 \cdot 7$ $37 \cdot 0$ $40 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.6 \\ & 29.7 \\ & 29.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.9 \\ & 25.0 \\ & 30.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.9 \\ & 26.9 \\ & 24.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.3 \\ & 5.4 \\ & 2.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 16 <br> November 13 <br> December II |  | $\ldots$ | 206.1 201.4 205.9 | 56.9 51.8 52.6 | 52.9 54.2 53.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 1 \\ & 92 \cdot 1 \\ & 94 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.2 \\ & 3.3 \\ & 4.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97.9 \\ 100.7 \\ 95.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 1 \\ & 49 \cdot 1 \\ & 46 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 0 \\ & 34 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 30.2 34.1 33.3 | 28.3 $30 \cdot 7$ $33 \cdot 3$ | 2.4 1.9 3.1 |
| 1951 | January 15 February 12 March 12 | ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 230 \cdot 9 \\ & 204 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 1 \\ & 47 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \cdot 6 \\ & 52 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100.0 \\ 99.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 2 \\ & 5 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102.7 \\ 97.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 6 \\ & 47 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 7 \\ & 30 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.9 \\ & 28.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 9 \\ & 35 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.2 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ |

Registered unemployed in Great Britain
Analysis by industries

${ }^{1}$ ) Ex-miners known to be medically unfit for coal mining are excluded from
(2) "Mining and quarrying ," and included under "Miscellaneous services, etc."
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including ex-Service men and women and other unemployed persons not classified to an industry.

# Employment vacancies filled and unfilled in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE 28
Thousands

|  | Total |  | Males |  |  |  |  |  | Females |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total |  | 18 years and over |  | Under 18 years |  | Total |  | 18 years and over |  | Under 18 years |  |
|  | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled end of period |
| Four weeks ended : 1948 Mar. 17 | 368 | 518 | 258 | 244 | 246 | 184 | 13 | 60 | 110 | 275 | 99 | 189 | 11 | 86 |
| June 9 | 357 | 490 | 245 | 224 | 235 | 161 | 11 | 63 | 112 | 266 | 103 | 177 | 9 | 89 |
| Sept. 29 | 380 | 432 | 255 | 202 | 235 | 149 | 20 | 53 | 125 | 230 | 108 | 152 | 17 | 78 |
| Dec. 22 | 294 | 367 | 202 | 167 | 189 | 115 | 13 | 52 | 93 | 200 | 80 | 126 | 13 | 73 |
| 1949 Jan. 19 Feb. 16 Mar. 16 | 330 372 352 | 371 379 398 | 221 252 242 | 167 172 178 | 192 235 229 | 120 124 127 | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \\ & 17 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | 47 48 51 | 110 120 111 | 205 207 220 | 82 104 99 | 136 137 145 | 28 16 12 | 69 70 75 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Apr. } & 13 \\ \text { May } & 11 \\ \text { June } & 8\end{array}$ | 362 354 332 | 413 414 427 | 244 240 231 | 187 189 195 | 226 213 218 | 135 140 145 | 19 27 12 | 52 49 50 | 118 115 101 | 226 224 232 | 99 90 90 | 147 147 153 | 19 24 11 | 79 77 79 |
| $\begin{array}{lr}\text { July } \\ \text { Aug. } \\ \text { Aug. } \\ \text { A } \\ \text { Sept. } & 38\end{array}$ | 337 305 380 369 | 448 438 413 386 | 235 209 259 249 | 207 204 195 184 | 224 188 230 230 | 152 150 148 139 | 11 21 29 20 | 56 53 47 45 | 102 96 121 119 | 241 234 218 202 | 92 74 94 102 | 157 153 144 135 | 11 22 27 17 | 84 81 74 67 |
| Oct. 26 <br> Nov. 23 <br> Dec. 21 | 370 350 292 | 367 357 346 | 250 238 204 | 176 174 164 | 236 225 192 | 129 125 112 | 14 13 12 | 48 49 52 | 120 112 88 | 190 183 182 | 106 99 76 | 123 114 111 | 14 13 12 | 68 69 71 |
| $\begin{array}{rr}1950 \text { Jan. } & 18 \\ \text { Feb. } & 15 \\ \text { Mar. } 15\end{array}$ | 331 356 336 | 345 348 373 | 225 246 234 | 166 165 179 | 196 230 222 | 121 119 128 | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \\ & 16 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | 45 46 51 | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 110 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 179 \\ & 183 \\ & 194 \end{aligned}$ | 76 95 90 | 116 118 123 | 30 15 12 | 63 65 71 |
| $\begin{array}{ll} \text { Apr. } & \left.122^{2}\right) \\ \text { May } & 10 \\ \text { June } & 7 \end{array}$ | 203 217 179 | 375 368 384 | 128 138 118 | 181 183 193 | 109 118 108 | 130 133 140 | 19 20 10 | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \\ & 50 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 79 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | 194 185 191 | 54 60 52 | 123 117 120 | 21 19 9 | 71 68 71 |
|  | 185 192 208 201 | 394 380 365 359 | 119 122 131 128 | 197 195 192 192 | 109 102 105 111 | $\begin{aligned} & 139 \\ & 140 \\ & 144 \\ & 145 \end{aligned}$ | 10 20 26 17 | 58 55 48 47 | 66 70 77 73 | 197 185 173 167 | 57 49 51 57 | 121 111 108 105 | 9 21 26 16 | 76 74 65 62 |
| Oct. 25 <br> Nov. 22 <br> Dec. 20 | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \\ & 184 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | 353 351 347 | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 119 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 195 \\ & 195 \\ & 190 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 116 \\ 108 \\ 98 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 143 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ 11 \\ 9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \\ & 52 \\ & 56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 65 \\ & 51 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 158 \\ & 156 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 55 \\ & 43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 92 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 10 \\ 8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ |
|   <br> 1951 Jan. 17 <br> Feb. 14 <br> Mar. 14  | $\begin{aligned} & 212 \\ & 196 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 349 \\ & 378 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 129 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 191 \\ & 211 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 142 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76 \\ & 67 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 158 \\ & 167 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \\ & 54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ 105 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ |

( ${ }^{1}$ ) The figures of both filled and unfilled vacancies relate only to vacancies Ministry of Labour and National Service in Great Britain or to the Youth Employment Offices of certain Local Authorities.
(2) Comparison of figures from April 1950 with those for earlier periods is affected by the revocation of the Control of Engagement Order on 13 March 1950.

Industrial stoppages in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 29
Thousands

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

${ }^{(1)}$ Stoppages involving fewer than 10 workpeople or lasting less than one day have been omitted except when the aggregate number of working days lost exceeded 100 .
${ }^{2}$ ) Where stoppages extend over more than one month, the workers involved are counted in the month in which they first participated.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) The figures of working days lost relate to the aggregate working days lost within each of the periods shown as a result of stoppages in progress in that period, whether the stoppages began in that period or earlier.
${ }^{(4)}$ Owing to changes in industrial classification, the analysis by industries from January 1950 is not strictly comparable with that for earlier periods.

## III. NATIONAL INSURANCE

## New claims for sickness benefit and number of insured persons absent from work owing to sickness


(1) Includes persons in receipt of industrial disablement benefit who are also incapable
of work and qualify for sickness benefit.

* Average of five weeks.

New claims for injury benefit and number of insured persons absent from work owing to industrial injury or prescribed industrial disease

## TABLE 31

|  |  | Great Britain | London and South Eastern |  | Eastern | Southern | South Western | Midland | North Midiand | East and West Ridings | North Western | Northern | Scotland | Wales |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | London and Middlesex | Remainder |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jew claims (Weekly averages) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | ... ... ... | 15.4 | 1.1 | 0.8 0.8 | 0.5 0.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.4 \\ & 0.4 \end{aligned}$ | 0.5 0.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.3 \\ & 1.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.5 \\ & 1.5 \end{aligned}$ | 2.0 2.1 | 1.7 1.7 | 1.9 2.0 | 1.8 1.8 | 1.7 1.7 |
| 1950 * |  |  | $1 \cdot 2$ | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.7 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.8 | 1.8 |
|  | FanuaryFebruary $\ldots$ | 16.1 17.1 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 2.4 | 1.8 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 2.0 | 1.8 |
|  | February  <br> March ... | 16.1 16.5 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.9 | 1.9 |
|  | April | 14.6 | $1 \cdot 1$ | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.7 |
|  | May ... $\quad .$. | 14.8 | 1.1 | 0.8 | $0 \cdot 5$ | 0.4 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.8 1.8 | 1.6 |
|  | Mune. ${ }^{\text {May }}$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 15.3 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 0$ |  |  |
|  |  | 14.8 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.5 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.7 |
|  | August ${ }^{\text {a }}$... | 13.3 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 1.0 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.7 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 1.7 1.8 |  |
|  | *September ... | 15.9 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 2.1 |  |  |
|  | October ... | 16.7 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.9 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 2.0 | 1.8 |
|  | November ... | 16.5 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 1.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.9 | 2.1 | 1.9 |  |
|  | *December ... | 14.1 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | $1 \cdot 1$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.9 | $\cdot 7$ |  |
|  |  | 14.6 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.5 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.6 | 1.6 |
| IR1 | February $\ldots$ | 14.9 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 | $0 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.5 | $2 \cdot 1$ |  |  |
| Insured persons absent from work |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January 17 ... | $63 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 8.8 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 7.8 8.3 |
|  | February $21 . .$. | $67 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 6.3 | 9.1 | 7.8 7.8 |  | 8.1 | 8.3 8.5 |
|  | March $21 . \ldots$ | 66.4 | $4 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.7 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 5.1 | 6.1 | 8.8 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8.8 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 9.0 |
|  | April 18 ... | $65 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 1.6 | 2.3 | 4.8 4.6 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 8.1 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 7.6 |
|  | May 16 ... | 61.1 60.7 | 3.9 3.8 | 2.9 2.9 | 1.9 1.7 | 1.5 1.4 | 2.1 2.0 | $4 \cdot 6$ 4.5 | $5 \cdot 5$ $5 \cdot 3$ | 8.2 | 6.9 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 8$ |
|  | June 20 ... | 60.7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $8 \cdot 0$ | 8.1 |
|  | July 18 ... | $60 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | 1.7 | 1.4 | 2.0 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 5.3 |  | 6.8 7.1 | 8.2 8.4 | 7.9 | 9.1 |
|  | August $15 \ldots$ | 62.2 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | 1.8 | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 4$ 4.6 | $5 \cdot 2$ $5 \cdot 7$ | 8.3 8.5 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 8.6 | $7 \cdot 9$ | 8.1 |
|  | September 19 | $62 \cdot 8$ | 3.7 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October 17 | 64.1 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 4.7 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 8.6 | 7.5 | 8.9 8.6 | 8.3 8.0 | 7.7 |
|  | November 21 | $63 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 2.0 | 1.5 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 8.4 | 7.7 | 7.6 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 0$ |
|  | December 19 | $57 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 3.0 | 1.9 | 1.4 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ |  | $6 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $7 \cdot 5$ | 7.9 |
|  | January 16 February 20 | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 0 \\ & 58 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 3.7 3.7 | 3.3 3.0 | 2.0 1.8 | 1.5 1.3 | $2 \cdot 3$ $2 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 7$ 4.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 6 \\ & 5.4 \end{aligned}$ | 8.1 7.6 | 6.6 | 8.4 | $7 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 0$ |

* Average of five weeks.


## IV. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Interim Index of Industrial Production(1)
Average $1946=100$
TABLE 32
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ This index provides a general measure of monthly changes in total industrial production
Source : Central Statistical Office (including supplies and equipment for the Armed Forces). Adjustments are made for variations in the number of days (excluding Sundays) in each month, but no adjustments are made for holidays or seasonal variations. 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 always liable to be revised. 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).

## Interim Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{1}$ )

Average $1946=100$
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote on page 22.

## V. FUEL AND POWER

Coal : Production, consumption and stocks
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  |  | oduction |  |  | Consu (including | pion exports) |  |  | Stocks ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Saleable mined coal | Opencast coal | Total | Inland consumption $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Exports $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Bunkers ${ }^{(3)}$ | Distributed | Opencast on sites or central stocking grounds $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Colliery stocks held on pitbanks and in trucks |
| 1935 |  |  |  | 4,262 | 4,262 | - | 4,294 | 3,311 | 743 | 240 |  |  |  |
| 1936 | ... $\quad .$. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,369 | 4,369 | - | 4,369 | 3,480 | 660 | 229 | $\cdots$ | - | 4,460 4,448 |
| 1937 |  |  |  | 4,610 | 4,610 | - | 4,621 | 3,623 | 774 | 224 |  | - | 3,903 |
| 1938 |  |  | $\ldots$ | 4,353 | 4,353 | - | 4,298 | 3,409 | 688 | 201 |  | - | 6,767 |
| 1946 |  |  |  | 3,646 | 3,476 | 170 | 3,743 | 3,567 | 85 | 91 | 8,279 | 326 | 1,410 |
| 1947 |  |  |  | 3,787 | 3,590 | 197 | 3,649 | 3,545 | 20 | 84 | 16,356 | 196 | 1,176 |
| 1948 | ... ... |  | $\ldots$ | 4,006 | 3,780 | 226 | 4,011 | 3,706 | 201 | 104 | 14,567 | 895 | 1,404 |
| 1949 |  |  | $\ldots$ | 4,126 | 3.887 | 239 | 4,117 | 3,753 | 267 | 97 | 14,708 | 876 | 1,533 |
| 1950 |  |  | ... | 4,160 | 3,926 | 234 | 4,224 | 3,888 | 260 | 76 | 12,433 | 210 | 1,308 |
| 1949 | January ... |  |  | 4,128 | 3,960 | 168 | 4,539 | 4,227 | 220 | 92 | 12,628 | 708 | 1,341 |
|  | February |  |  | 4,311 | 4,092 | 219 | 4,612 | 4,262 | 252 | 98 | 11,663 | 518 | 1,289 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | 4,095* | 236* | 4,517 | 4,205* | 213 | 99 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 242 |  |  | 202 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May |  | ... | 4,250 | 3,957 | 293 | 3,987 | 3,657 | 230 | 100 | 11,188 | 438 | 1,308 |
|  | June . |  | $\ldots$ | 4,083* |  |  |  | 3,372* | 247 | 102 |  |  |  |
|  | July |  | $\ldots$ | 3,651 | 3,389 | 262 | 3,495 | 3,119 | 277 | 99 | 14,260 | 494 | 1,236 |
|  | August... |  | $\ldots$ | 3,577 | 3,342 | 235 | 3,476 | 3,129 | 250 | 97 | 14,332 | 473 | 1,394 |
|  | September |  | ... | 4,236* | 3,966* |  | 3,796 | 3,406* | 288 | 102 | 15,933 | 603 | 1,494 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,364 | 4,118 | 246 | 4,038 | 3,626 | 319 | 93 | 16,733 | 760 | 1,743 |
|  | November | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,498 | 4,270 | 228 | 4,571 | 4,091 | 384 | 96 | 16,318 | 845 | 1,769 |
|  | December |  | ... | 4,179* | 3,982* | 197* | 4,581 | 4,173* | 320 | 88 | 14,708 | 876 | 1,533 |
| 1950 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  | 4,271 | 322 | 83 | 12,898 | 782 | 1,573 |
|  | February | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,331 | 4,133 | 198 | 4,856 | 4,422 | 347 | 87 | 11,037 | 616 | 1,502 |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,387* | 4,135* | 252* | 4,651 | 4,236* | 335 | 80 | 10,003 | 448 | 1,383 |
|  |  |  |  | 3,982 | 3,744 | 238 | 4,229 | 3,894 | 259 | 76 | 9,221 | 335 | 1,296 |
|  | May ... |  | $\ldots$ | 4,377 | 4,089 | 288 | 4,180 | 3,799 | 300 | 81 | 9,899 | 204 | 1,294 |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,104* | 3,838* | 266* | 3,807 | 3,429* | 298 | 80 | 11,433 | 185 | 1,315 |
|  | July |  | $\ldots$ | 3,922 | 3,648 | 274 | 3,707 | 3,336 | 295 | 76 | 12,765 | 192 | 1,202 |
|  | August |  | $\ldots$ | 3,398 | 3,172 | 226 | 3,402 | 3,137 | 192 | 73 | 13,127 | 183 | 1,231 |
|  | September |  | ... | 4,221* | 3,991* | 230* | 3,841 | 3,584* | 185 | 72 | 14,630 | 154 | 1,264 |
|  |  |  |  | 4,347 | 4,107 | 240 | 4,143 | 3,850 | 222 | 71 | 15,452 | 132 | 1,241 |
|  | November |  |  | 4,404 | 4,191 | 213 | 4,524 | 4,230 | 221 | 73 | 15,019 | 114 | 1,311 |
|  | December |  | $\ldots$ | 4,143* | 3,983* | 160* | 4,645 | 4,433* | 146 | 66 | 12,433 | 210 | 1,308 |
| 1951 |  |  |  | 4,211 | 4,047 | 164 | 4,656 | 4,453 | 135 | 68 | 10,453 | 161 | 1,345 |
|  | February March |  | $\ldots$ | 4,517 | 4,331 | 186 | 4,670 | 4,501 | 98 | 71 | 9,807 | 150 | 1,419 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain.
Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
(2) Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
${ }^{(3)}$ Compured from figures for calendar months. The figures include bunkers for fishing vessels proceeding outside territorial waters, but exclude coastwise bunkers.
(4) The figures of opencast stocks do not include second quality coal. At the end of February 1951 these amounted to 125,000 tons.

* Average of five weeks.

Coal: Inland consumption

|  |  | Public utility undertakings(1) |  |  | Coke ovens | Industrial consumers( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Domestic |  |  | Collieries | Miscellaneous(5) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Gas | Electricity $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Railways |  | Iron and steel | Engineering and other metal trades | Other industries | Miners' coal | Merchants' disposals( ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | House coal |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Anthracite and boiler fuel |  |  |
| 38 | ... ... |  | 367 | 286 |  | 366 | - | .. | $\cdots$ |  | . | $\cdots$ |  | $\cdots$ |
| 18 | $\ldots$ | 470487504 | $\begin{aligned} & 550 \\ & 577 \\ & 633 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 279 \\ & 283 \\ & 280 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 427 \\ & 433 \\ & 43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 166 \\ & 161 \\ & 160 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \\ & 68 \\ & 72 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 580 \\ & 595 \\ & 625 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 95 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 564 \\ & 550 \\ & 581 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \\ & 206 \\ & 206 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 246 \\ & 255 \\ & 253 \end{aligned}$ |
| 149 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 44 |  |  |
| 150 | January ... | $\begin{aligned} & 578 \\ & 598 \\ & 566 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 702 \\ & 721 \\ & 661 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 284 \\ & 295 \\ & 289 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 434 \\ & 436 \\ & 435 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 167 \\ & 180 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96 \\ 102 \\ 92 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 663 \\ & 673 \\ & 666 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 112 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 697 \\ & 730 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 52 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 217 \\ & 226 \\ & 220 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 272 \\ & 297 \\ & 290 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 684 |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 514 \\ & 483 \\ & 433 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 614 \\ & 593 \\ & 522 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 274 \\ & 277 \\ & 269 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 433 \\ & 432 \\ & 428 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 164 \\ & 148 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 62 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 619 \\ & 633 \\ & 576 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 99 \\ 80 \end{array}$ | 593553467 | 444235 | 207 | $\begin{aligned} & 258 \\ & 253 \\ & 229 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 467 | 35 | 197 |  |
|  | July ... | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \\ & 407 \\ & 430 \end{aligned}$ | 517486586 | 271265278 | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \\ & 424 \\ & 432 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 128 \\ & 156 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \\ & 36 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 542 \\ & 506 \\ & 586 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 71 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 471 \\ & 410 \\ & 511 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \\ & 31 \\ & 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187 \\ & 177 \\ & 201 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216 \\ & 196 \\ & 224 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *September... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | $\begin{aligned} & 472 \\ & 546 \\ & 602 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 640 \\ & 737 \\ & 806 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 279 \\ & 285 \\ & 288 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 438 \\ & 437 \\ & 439 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 174 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 72 \\ 94 \\ 104 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 649 \\ & 690 \\ & 697 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 106 \\ 111 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 539 \\ & 627 \\ & 681 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 49 \\ & 51 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 204 \\ & 213 \\ & 214 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 252 \\ & 272 \\ & 271 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *December... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 612 \\ & 618 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 797 \\ & 797 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \\ & 285 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 440 \\ & 443 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 171 \\ & 180 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 708 \\ & 709 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 678 \\ & 693 \end{aligned}$ | 5250 | $\begin{aligned} & 213 \\ & 216 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 275 \\ & 293 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ ) 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".
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Undertakings with an annual consumption of 100 tons or more of coal and/or coke.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Authorised electricity undertakings and railway and transport authorities only.
(b) 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.
${ }^{(5)}$ Including Service Departments and shipments to Northern Ireland.

* Average of five weeks.

Coal: Distributed stocks
TABLE 35
End of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Public utility undertakings |  |  |  | Coke ovens | Industrial consumers( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Merchants' stocks |  | Miscellaneous( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Gas | Electricity | Water | Railways |  | Iron and steel | Engineering and other metal trades | Other industries | House coal | Anthracite and boiler fuel |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,260 $\mathbf{2 , 5 7 8}$ | 3,956 4,098 | 96 92 | 613 857 | 768 749 | 652 576 | 562 | 3,482 2,960 | 1,782 1,860 | $\begin{aligned} & 155 \\ & 194 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 241 \\ & 213 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January February March | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 2,204 1,854 1,593 | 3,747 3,293 3,104 | 90 85 83 | 796 673 591 | 686 665 692 | 533 469 441 | 465 390 376 | 2,706 2,535 2,430 | 1,308 771 440 | 169 140 119 | $\begin{aligned} & 194 \\ & 162 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 1,438 1,630 1,944 | 2,937 3,114 3,489 | 79 80 80 | 536 599 662 | 600 703 745 | 425 434 471 | 375 379 435 | 2,318 2,369 2,539 | 275 328 744 | 111 123 158 | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \\ & 140 \\ & 166 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | $\ldots$ | 2,294 2,407 2,808 | 3,832 3,967 4,201 | 81 78 78 | 653 546 569 | 732 536 625 | 484 497 555 | 481 518 583 | 2,724 2,781 3,044 | 1,125 1,418 1,756 | 172 175 181 | $\begin{aligned} & 187 \\ & 204 \\ & 230 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 3,083 3,109 2,705 | 4,290 3,988 3,038 | 77 73 66 | 611 622 549 | 700 765 723 | 565 542 494 | 567 532 453 | 3,126 3,063 2,766 | 2,020 1,939 1,321 | 181 171 122 | 232 215 196 |
| $1951$ | January ... February March | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.244 \\ & 1,938 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.599 \\ & 2,554 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 55 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 471 \\ & 480 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 664 \\ & 758 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 451 \\ & 438 \end{aligned}$ | 403 393 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,425 \\ & 2,321 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 866 \\ & 629 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 176 \\ & 166 \end{aligned}$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right) \mathrm{Se}$ - footnote ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 34.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Inclading coal held by Service Departments.

FUEL AND POWER
Coal : Productivity ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 36
Weekly averages

(1) For details of effective changes in coverage between 1938 and 1946, reference should be made to the Ministry of Fuel and Power Statistical Digest, 1948 and 1949 (published by His Majesty's Stationery Office in November 1950).
${ }^{(2}$ ) Excluding those wage-earners who were absent for the whole of any week from whatever cause.

* Average of five weeks.


## Intake and outflow of manpower in the coal-mining industry ${ }^{1}$ )

| TABLE 37 |
| :--- |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The figures relate to wage-earners on colliery books.
Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
${ }^{(2)}$ Due to disciplinary action.
${ }^{(3)} 53$ weeks.

|  |  |  |  | Production $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  | Consumption ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  | Stocks ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | At coke ovens | At gas works | Total | Inland consumption ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Overseas shipments ${ }^{4}$ ) | Total | At coke ovens | At blast furnaces | At gasworks |
|  |  |  |  | Total |  |  |  | Blast furnaces |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | 426 | 230 | 196 | 426 | 379 | 141 | 47 | . | . | . | .. |
|  | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 472 | 264 | 208 | 472 | 428 | 168 | 44 | . | . |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 499 | 287 | 212 | 499 | 452 | 193 | 47 | .. |  | . |  |
|  | $\ldots$.... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 449 | 246 | 203 | 449 | 411 | 150 | 38 | . |  | . | . |
| 1946 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 508 | 268 | 240 | 513 | 504 | 166 | 9 | 1,926 | 173 | 243 | 310 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1947 \\ & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 504 | 265 | 239 | 505 | 504 | 163 | 1 | 1.869 | 105 | 183 | 294 |
|  | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 555 | 295 | 260 | 542 | 527 | 195 | 15 | 2,521 | 132 | 262 | 752 |
|  | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 568 | 297 | 271 | 564 | 536 | 196 | 28 | 2,605 | 290 | 234 | 973 |
|  | ... ... | ... | ... | 523 | 296 | 227 | 546 | 513 | 195 | 33 | 1,505 | 132 | 187 | 439 |
| 1949 |  |  |  | 616 | 300 | 316 | 664 | 635 | 197 | 29 | 2,365 | 118 | 275 | 688 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 613 | 298 | 315 | 675 | 640 | 199 | 35 | 2,118 | 106 | 270 | 590 |
|  | March ... |  | $\ldots$ | 606* | 298* | 308* | 661 | 632* | 195* | 29 | 1,846 | 93 | 265 | 478 |
|  |  |  |  | 567 | 299 | 268 | 566 | 544 | 195 | 22 | 1,842 | 106 | 265 | 478 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 556 | 299 | 257 | 528 | 501 | 198 | 27 | 1,982 | 136 | 263 | 551 |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | 537* | 299* | 238* | 476 | 455* | 198* | 21 | 2,308 | 213 | 265 | 695 |
|  |  |  |  | 518 | 295 | 223 | 439 | 416 | 189 | 23 | 2,618 | 283 | 271 | 850 |
|  | August ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 515 | 292 | 223 | 447 | 421 | 193 | 26 | 2,880 | 339 | 261 263 | 987 1.129 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 530* | 294* | 236* | 475 | 444* | 196* | 31 | 3,126 | 367 |  |  |
|  | October | $\ldots$ |  | 544 | 293 | 251 | 518 | 494 | 195 | 24 | 3,224 | 400 | 261 | 1,206 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 593 | 297 | 296 | 646 | 613 | 198 | 33 | 2,978 | 358 | 251 | 1,113 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 616* | 299* | 317* | 678 | 638* | 199* | 40 |  | 290 | 234 |  |
| 1950 | January... |  |  | 558 | 298 | 260 | 641 | 595 | 199 | 46 | 2,317 | 228 | 221 |  |
|  | February |  |  | 573 | 299 | 274 | 675 | 620 $579 *$ | 196 | 55 | 1,884 1,622 | 155 130 | 206 | 641 495 |
|  | March ... |  | .... | 558* | 298* | 260* | 621 | 579* | 196* | 42 | 1,622 | 130 |  |  |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 527 | 297 | 230 | 539 | 519 | 192 | 20 | 1,648 | 140 | 207 | 530 |
|  | May ... |  | $\ldots$ | 514 | 296 | 218 | 493 | 478 | 194 | 15 | 1,787 | 161 | 215 | 615 |
|  | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | 487* | 292* | 195* | 405 | 399* | 190* | 6 | 2,211 | 229 | 226 | 865 |
|  |  |  |  | 478 | 288 | 190 | 405 | 382 | 185 | 23 | 2,444 | 262 | 247 | 990 |
|  | Augy ${ }^{\text {Aug }}$... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 472 | 280 | 182 | 422 | 376 | 186 | 46 | 2,663 | 284 | 265 | 1,087 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 485* | 295* | 190* | 471 | 435* | 195* | 36 | 2,688 | 278 | 263 | 1,063 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 253 | 246 | 931 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 506 | 299 | 243 | 645 | 607 | 202 | 38 | 2,089 | 195 | 224 | 717 |
|  | November | ... | $\cdots$ | 568** | 301* | 267* | 683 | 647* | 202* | 36 | 1,505 | 132 | 187 | 439 |
| 1951 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1.245 |  | 191 | 290 |
|  | January February | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 575 584 | 303 303 | 272 281 | $\begin{aligned} & 652 \\ & 629 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 620 \\ & 616 \end{aligned}$ | 196 199 | 13 | 1,073 | 80 | 183 | 212 |
|  |  |  | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^2]Gas: Production ${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 39
Weekly averages

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The figures relate to all gas undertakings in Great Britain whether or not vested under the Gas Act, 1948.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Including other gas (producer gas, oil gas, etc.) in addition to coal and water gas.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Figures from January 1950 include an adjustment in respect of one undertaking in the method of calculating the volume of producer gas made. The effect has been to reduce the total gas made and available by approximately 0.1 thousand million cubic feet.

- Average of five weeks.

Electricity : Generation( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 40

|  |  |  | Fuel used |  |  | Electricity generated |  |  |  | Electricity sent out | Simultaneous maximum load | Installed capacity (maximum continuous rating) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Coal ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Coke ${ }^{3}$ ) | Oil | Total | By steam plant (coal, coke and/or oil firing) | By water power | By other methods |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | During period | At end of period |
|  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  | Million kilowatt hours |  |  |  |  | Megawatts |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ |  | ... | $\begin{array}{r} 940 \\ 1,054 \\ 1,153 \\ 1,167 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 13 \\ & 17 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,464 \\ & 1,685 \\ & 1,908 \\ & 2,031 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,396 \\ & 1,613 \\ & 1,823 \\ & 1,934 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \\ & 55 \\ & 63 \\ & 82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 17 \\ & 22 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,416 \\ & 1,672 \\ & 1,836 \\ & 1,924 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,175 \\ & 5,202 \\ & 6,350 \\ & 7,173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,065 \\ & 8,408 \\ & 8,808 \\ & 9,365 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 | ... ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,093 \\ & 2,169 \\ & 2,304 \\ & 2,400 \\ & 2,640 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 18 \\ & 34 \\ & 63 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \\ & 4 \\ & 4 \\ & 4 \\ & 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,437 \\ & 3,548 \\ & 3,874 \\ & 4,088 \\ & 4,580 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,334 \\ & 3,444 \\ & 3,751 \\ & 3,978 \\ & 4,442 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 94 \\ 112 \\ 98 \\ 123 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 10 \\ 11 \\ 12 \\ 15 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,244 \\ & 3,347 \\ & 3,656 \\ & 3,856 \\ & 4,326 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,524 \\ 9,749 \\ 10,333 \\ 11,027 \\ 11,915 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,498 \\ & 12,695 \\ & 13,184 \\ & 13,903 \\ & 15,075 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1947 | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | $\ldots$... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 1950 | $\cdots \quad \cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January February March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,810 \\ & 2,474 \\ & 2,723 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \\ & 49 \\ & 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 4 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | 4,751 <br> 4,238 <br> 4,654 | 4,598 <br> 4,111 <br> 4,518 | $\begin{aligned} & 139 \\ & 115 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 12 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | 4,489 <br> 4,003 <br> 4,397 | 10,456 10,501 10,147 | 13,206 13,207 13,247 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,214 \\ & 2,281 \\ & 2,011 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 57 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | 453 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,771 \\ & 3,845 \\ & 3,390 \end{aligned}$ | 3,648 <br> 3,746 <br> 3,308 | $\begin{array}{r} 112 \\ 88 \\ 72 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 11 \\ & 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,557 \\ & 3,624 \\ & 3,188 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,210 \\ & 8,387 \\ & 7,972 \end{aligned}$ | 13,267 <br> 13,316 <br> 13,429 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \quad . . \\ & \text { August } \\ & \text { September } \end{aligned}$ |  | 1,918 <br> 2,020 <br> 2,184 | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 72 \\ & 68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 3 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,257 \\ & 3,445 \\ & 3,667 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,192 \\ & 3,373 \\ & 3,597 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \\ & 62 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 10 \\ 10 \end{array}$ | 3,058 <br> 3,239 <br> 3,45I | 7,5587,5568,050 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,430 \\ & 13,418 \\ & 13,554 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,488 \\ & 2,785 \\ & 2,901 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 76 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 6 \\ & 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,200 \\ & 4,807 \\ & 5,036 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,111 \\ & 4,670 \\ & 4,868 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 76 \\ 121 \\ 151 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 16 \\ & 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,960 \\ & 4,543 \\ & 4,762 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,576 \\ 10,646 \\ 11,027 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,599 \\ & 13,595 \\ & 13,903 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January February March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,028 \\ & 2,733 \\ & 2,803 \end{aligned}$ | 91 <br> 81 <br> 85 | 765 | 5,271 <br> 4,720 <br> 4,865 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,118 \\ & 4,599 \\ & 4,739 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 106 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 15 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,983 \\ & 4,461 \\ & 4,593 \end{aligned}$ | 11,298 11,215 10,738 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,904 \\ & 13,900 \\ & 14,210 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,484 \\ & 2,463 \\ & 2,176 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 77 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 6 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,302 \\ & 4,250 \\ & 3,755 \end{aligned}$ | 4,175 <br> 4,142 <br> 3,665 | $\begin{array}{r} 113 \\ 96 \\ 79 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 12 \\ & 11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,062 \\ & 4,007 \\ & 3,534 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,750 \\ & 9,375 \\ & 8,326 \end{aligned}$ | 14, 158 <br> 14,233 <br> 14,295 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \quad . . \\ & \text { August ... } \\ & \text { September } \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,120 \\ & 2,131 \\ & 2,446 \end{aligned}$ | 61 61 62 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 4 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,722 \\ & 3,737 \\ & 4,246 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,620 \\ & 3,609 \\ & 4,065 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 91 \\ 117 \\ 168 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 11 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,503 \\ & 3,523 \\ & 4,013 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,266 \\ & 8,623 \\ & 9,278 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,403 \\ & 14,467 \\ & 14,636 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,762 \\ & 3,088 \\ & 3,442 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \\ & 80 \\ & 72 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 8 \\ 11 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,825 \\ & 5,365 \\ & 5,901 \end{aligned}$ | 4,639 | 170 | 16 | 4,561 | 10,338 | 14,645 |
|  |  | . |  |  |  |  | 5,206 | $141$ | 18 | 5,076 | $\begin{aligned} & 11,300 \\ & 11915 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,765 \\ & 15,075 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | . |  |  |  |  | 5,730 | 150 | 21 | 5,590 | 11,915 | 15,075 |
| 1951 | January February March | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,434 \\ & 3,045 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,946 \\ & 5,340 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,779 \\ & 5,189 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ 9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,628 \\ & 5,051 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,861 \\ & 11,835 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,099 \\ & 15,163 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^3]
## VI. RAW MATERIALS

## Iron and steel : Production, consumption and stocks

## TABLE 4I

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.
${ }^{(3)}$ Deliveries.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Including imported scrap in transit in the United Kingdom, except for the period 1937-38.
(8) Stocks held at producers' works and at, and in transit to, British Iron and Steel Corporation stockyards, but excluding stocks held by consumers. Excluding from June 1950 certain items previously
included. The figure on the new basis for May 1950 is I, 133 thousand tons.

* Average of five weeks.

Finished steel : Production

(1) Including armour plate.
(2) Partly deliveries.
(3) Including shell steel.
(4) Deliveries.
(5) Estimated.

* Average of five weeks.


Non-ferrous metals: Consumption and stocks
TABLE 44
Consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

${ }^{(1)}$ In addition, H.M. Government held the following stocks abroad at the end of January, 1951 :-copper, 46.7 thousand tons; zinc, 4.6 thousand tons; lead, 25.8 thousand tons. These figures exclude quantities at foreign ports and in transit to the United Kingdom.
${ }^{2}$ ) Home consumption.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Metal content.
(4) Including re-exports on toll transactions.
${ }^{5}$ () Dry weight.
${ }^{(6)}$ From January 1950, excluding producers' stocks.

Softwood and pitwood : Production, consumption and stocks
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$) Excluding pitwood, boxboards, pulpwood (see Tables 58 and 59), poles and sleepers
${ }^{2}{ }^{2}$ ) Including the estimated sawn content of imported round logs.
${ }^{3}$ ) Standards of 165 cubic feet.
(4) Gothenburg standards of 180 piled cubic feet.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding from April 1949 quantities awaiting discharge at port and certain stocks held by British Railways. The quantity in these categories included for March was 33.6 thousand standards.

Hardwood and plywood : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 46
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ Excluding pitwood, logs for veneer production, staves and sleepers and crossings of all kinds.
${ }^{( }$) Baseo on changes in Timber Control stocks. From January 1948 the figures include in addition quantities passing directly into consumption.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Imported and home-produced plywood held by the Timber Control.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding from May 1949 certain quantities held for seasoning. The quantity thus excluded in May was 1.01 million cubic feet.

## Cotton yarn and cloth : Production


${ }^{(1)}$ Spun in the cotton industry.

[^4]Rayon and wool : Production
TABLE 48
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ Including other synthetic fibres.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) For 1935 to 1938 estimated total production, thereafter the quantities taken up by Government departments.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Estimated.
(4) Deliveries, except in 1935 and 1937.

Cotton and wool : Consumption and stocks
TABLE 49

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Consumption of yarn in the manufacture of woven fabrics (cotton, rayon and mixtures of cotton and rayon).
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including other synthetic fibres.
${ }^{(3)}$ Estimated clean weight.
${ }^{4}$ ) Used in the production of tops and in woollen spinning and felting.
${ }^{(5)}$ Actual weight. Used in woollen spinning and felting.
${ }^{( }{ }^{6}$ At 31 July until 1948, thereafter 31 August.

* Average of five weeks.

Silk and hemps: Consumption and stocks
TABLE 50
Consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

(1) From January 1949 the figures relate to sisal line and manila hemp only. The figures on the new basis for December 1948 are 5.19 thousand tons for both "Total disposals" and "Home consumption" and 29.5 thousand tons for "Stocks".

Hides, skins and finished leather : Production
TABLE 5I
Monthly averages or calendar months


Hides, skins and finished leather : Consumption and stocks
TABLE 52
Consumption : monthly averages
Stocks : end of period

|  |  |  | Raw hides and skins |  |  | Finished leather |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Hides( ${ }^{(1)}$$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Calfskins $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Sheepskins $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Heavy |  |  |  | Light |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Sole |  |  | Other |  | Upper |  | Lining |  | Other |  |
|  |  |  | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks | $\left\|\begin{array}{c}\text { Con- } \\ \text { sumption }\end{array}\right\|$ | Stocks | $\left\|\begin{array}{c}\text { Con- } \\ \text { sumption }\end{array}\right\|$ | Stocks |
|  |  |  | Thousand tons | Million square feet |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1943 | $\cdots \quad$... | $\ldots$ |  | 18.0 | 1.9 | 10.5 | 6.46 | 22.2 | 0.52 | 0.86 | 21.1 | 75.0 | $8 \cdot 9$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 7$ |
| 1949 | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | 16.4 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 8.0 | 6.46 6.34 | 22.2 21.4 | 0.48 | 0.86 0.77 | $22 \cdot 1$ | 81.6 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 25.9 | 11.8 | 14.2 |
| 1950 | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | 23.9 | 1.4 | 5.6 | $5 \cdot 78$ | 21.4 | 0.48 | 0.70 | $23 \cdot 4$ | 83.1 | 10.1 | 17.5 | $13 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 1$ |
| 1949 | 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \\ & 16.4 \end{aligned}$ | $2 \cdot 8$ $2 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.8 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | 5.93 6.76 | $24 \cdot 1$ 21.4 | 0.43 0.53 | 0.85 0.77 | 21.0 22.9 | $80 \cdot 5$ $81 \cdot 6$ | 8.5 9.9 | 25.7 25.9 | 10.8 13.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 8 \\ & 14 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter | $\ldots$ | 29.6 29.9 | 4.4 3.9 | $6 \cdot 3$ 6.5 | 6.44 5.89 | 21.6 | 0.55 0.48 | 0.72 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 86.1 90.7 | 10.6 9.4 | 26.4 25.6 | 13.6 12.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 3 3rd Quarter | $\ldots$ | 20.6 | 0.8 | 6.5 5.8 | 5.89 5.21 | $22 \cdot 1$ 22.3 | 0.48 0.40 | 0.71 0.70 | 21.4 27.9 | $90 \cdot 7$ $82 \cdot 1$ | 10.9 | 18.8 | 14.6 | 8.8 |
|  | 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | 23.9 | 1.4 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 58$ | 21.4 | 0.40 0.51 | 0.70 0.70 | 21.2 | $83 \cdot 1$ | 9.4 | 17.5 | 13.5 | 8.1 |

[^5]RAW MATERIALS
Rubber: Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 53
Production and consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

(1) Government stocks of natural rubber are excluded from August 1948. Importers'

Source : Board of Trade
位 and dealers' stocks are included after 1946 for ned after 1946.

* Average of five weeks.

Molasses and industrial alcohol : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 54
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

${ }^{1}$ (2) In terms of blackstrap containing 52 per cent. sugars.
${ }^{(2)}$ (3) Ethyl alcohol as 68 O.P. spirit.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Figures in respect of the period March to November 1950 inclusive, have been revised.
(4) Years ended 30 September.

RAW MATERIALS
Sulphur, sulphuric acid and ammonia : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 55

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

* Average of five weeks.

Phosphatic fertilizers: Production and consumption $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$
TABLE 56
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Organic fertilizers, treated phosphate rock and concentrated compound fertilizers. Figures for 1945/46 also include silico-phosphate.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Including ammonium phosphate and triple superphosphate.

Nitrogenous and other fertilizers and phosphate rock : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 57
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

(1) Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Ammonium sulphate, "Nitro-chalk", concentrated compound fertilizers, and, for
Source: Board of Trade and Agricultural Departments consumption, Chile nitrates of soda and potash, Trail ammonium phosphate, ammonium nitrate, nitrate of lime and cyanamide.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Total weight of product. Excluding concentrated compound fertilizers. The nitrogen, $\mathrm{P}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ and, for consumption, $\mathrm{K}_{2} 0$ content are included under the appropriate headings in this Table and in Table 56.
${ }^{4}$ ) For agricultural uses only.
(5) Deliveries to farms.
() For agricultural and industrial purposes.
${ }^{7}$ ) Including exports of ammonium sulphate for non-agricultural uses.
(8) Estimated.

Paper-making materials( ${ }^{1}$ ) : Consumption and stocks
TABLE 58
Consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Consumption |  |  |  |  |  | Stocks |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total (paper equivalent) | Pulpwood ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Straw for papermaking | Rags, waste ropes, etc. | Waste paper | Esparto | Total (paper equivalent) | Pulpwood ${ }^{(2)}$ | Straw for papermaking( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Rags, waste ropes, etc. $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Waste paper $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Esparto |
| 1939 |  |  | . | $3 \cdot 72$ | .. | 1.80 | $12 \cdot 8$ | 4.99 | . | 104.2 | .. | $37 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | 15.35 | 2.01 | $5 \cdot 65$ | 2. 57 | 11.9 | 1.77 | 121.4 | 80.1 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 1$ | 69.9 | 11.4 |
| 1947 | $\cdots \quad$. |  | $16 \cdot 13$ | 1.97 | $3 \cdot 53$ | $2 \cdot 57$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | 4.76 | 158.7 | 161.6 | 8.9 | $44 \cdot 1$ | $72 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 6$ |
| 1948 | $\ldots$... |  | 18.90 | 3.22 | 3.23 1.66 | 2.97 2.65 | 14.5 | 6.42 6.73 | 159.5 146.7 | 140.4 72.6 | 8.4 2.1 | $48 \cdot 5$ 44.1 | 82.0 99.9 | 12.8 22.1 |
| 1949 | ... - | $\ldots$ | 18.63 | $3 \cdot 98$ | 1.66 | 2.65 | 17.1 | 5.80 | 70.0 | 35.5 | 2.4 | $26 \cdot 4$ | 38.7 | 16.9 |
| 1950 | ... - | ... | 20.83 | $5 \cdot 83$ | 1.92 | $2 \cdot 62$ | 17.1 | $5 \cdot 80$ |  |  |  |  | 38.7 |  |
|  | January |  | 19.57* | 3.78* | 2.71* | 3-10* | 14•7* | 7-48* | $160 \cdot 7$ | $135 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 1$ | $46 \cdot 1$ | 87.5 | 12.5 |
|  | February |  | 20.06 | $3 \cdot 38$ | 2.16 | $2 \cdot 92$ | $15 \cdot 7$ | 8.04 | $170 \cdot 8$ | $130 \cdot 5$ | 9.1 | $46 \cdot 6$ | $93 \cdot 0$ | 29.6 |
|  | March |  | 20.28 | 3.98 | $2 \cdot 17$ | $2 \cdot 80$ | $15 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 86$ | $173 \cdot 3$ | $120 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $47 \cdot 6$ | 98.1 | $35 \cdot 6$ |
|  | April |  | 18.65 | $3 \cdot 82$ | 1.71 | $2 \cdot 83$ | 14.2 | 7.62 | 178.5 | 111.0 | 6.4 | $48 \cdot 7$ | 105.5 | 41.1 |
|  | May | $\ldots$ | 20.29* | 4.08* | 1-86* | 2.97* | 15•8* | 8.03* | $173 \cdot 3$ | 106.5 | 3.6 | 49.0 | 107.8 | $30 \cdot 9$ |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | 18.15 | $3 \cdot 68$ | 1.49 | $2 \cdot 70$ | 14.1 | $7 \cdot 30$ | 172.4 | $101 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | $48 \cdot 9$ | $111 \cdot 2$ | 28.1 |
|  | July ... |  | $15 \cdot 24$ | 2.90 | $1 \cdot 28$ | $2 \cdot 19$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | 5.60 | 181.6 | 111.5 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 49.8 | 115.1 | 31.3 |
|  | August |  | 15.79* | 3.87* | 1.06* | 2.37* | 12•2* | 6.06* | 187.9 | 108.4 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $50 \cdot 1$ | 124.6 | 30.1 |
|  | September |  | 18.23 | 3.93 | 1.36 | 2.46 | 15.1 | 5.73 | 181.9 | $101 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $50 \cdot 1$ | 119.3 | $32 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 2.50* | 15•7* | 5.87* | 177.0 | 98.5 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 48.5 | 117.9 | 28.9 |
|  | October |  | 20.22 | 5.33 | 1.43 | $2 \cdot 57$ | 16.7 | $6 \cdot 11$ | 164.6 | $87 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $47 \cdot 3$ | 111.6 | $23 \cdot 9$ |
|  | December |  | 18.43* | 4.71* | 1.41* | 2.42* | 15•3* | 5-27* | $146 \cdot 7$ | $72 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $44 \cdot 1$ | 99.9 | $22 \cdot 1$ |
| 1950 | January |  | 20.26 | 4.85 | 1.85 | $2 \cdot 72$ | 16.9 | $5 \cdot 52$ | 114.7 | $70 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | 31.3 | 74.4 |  |
|  | February |  | 20.43 | 5.09 | $2 \cdot 13$ | $2 \cdot 58$ | 17.4 | 4.74 | $110 \cdot 7$ | $72 \cdot 6$ | 4.1 | $30 \cdot 1$ | $69 \cdot 6$ | 14.4 |
|  | March |  | $20 \cdot 67$ | $5 \cdot 68$ | $2 \cdot 21$ | $2 \cdot 67$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 4.77 | 101.2 | $60 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 28.6 | $65 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  |  | 19.17* | 5.32* | 1.87* | 2.50* | 15•7* | 5.15* | 99.4 | 47.7 | 5.4 | 28.7 | 62.1 | 24.7 |
|  | May |  | 19.80 | 5.02 | 1.82 | $2 \cdot 39$ | 16.4 | 5.70 | 98.5 | $37 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 29.7 | 59.7 | $34 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June |  | $21 \cdot 33$ | $6 \cdot 32$ | 1.81 | $2 \cdot 70$ | $17 \cdot 4$ | 5.93 | $100 \cdot 4$ | $38 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 6$ | 39.8 |
|  |  |  | 18.92 | 5.11 | 1.62 | 2.16 | 15.9 | $5 \cdot 17$ | 108.7 | $48 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | $60 \cdot 8$ | 44.5 |
|  | August |  | 18.37* | 6.11* | 1.63* | 2.47* | 14.3* | 5.48* | 114.6 | $54 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $33 \cdot 9$ | $66 \cdot 0$ | 41.7 |
|  | September |  | $22 \cdot 80$ | $6 \cdot 67$ | 1.94 | 2.73 | 18.6 | $6 \cdot 56$ | 109.7 | $58 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | $61 \cdot 7$ | $36 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | 23.81* | 6.60* | 2.04* | 2.92* |  | 6.99* | 98.3 | $62 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | 31.4 | 52.1 | $26 \cdot 9$ |
|  | November |  | $23 \cdot 52$ | 7.09 | 2.23 | 3.08 | 18.7 | 6.94 | 83.1 | $45 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 28.9 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 18.0 |
|  | December |  | 21.11* | 5.92* | 1.88* | 2.48* | 17-2* | 6.41* | $70 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | $26 \cdot 4$ | $38 \cdot 7$ | $16 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  |  | 23.11 | $6 \cdot 16$ | $2 \cdot 25$ | 3.01 | 18.5 | $7 \cdot 29$ | $67 \cdot 1$ | $21 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | 26.4 |
|  | February March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ Other than wood-pulp.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including wood waste, chippings and, from September 1946, rejected pit-props.
(a) Held at mills.
(4) From January 1950 the figures exclude stocks held by merchants. The figures on the new basis for December 1949 are:-Rags, waste ropes, etc., $33 \cdot 2$ thousand tons: waste paper 79.3 thousand tons.

- Average of five weeks.

Wood-pulp and paper: Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 59
Production and consumption : weekly averages Stocks : end of period

${ }^{(1)}$ Including wood-pulp for cellulose wadding.
${ }^{(2)}$ ) From January 1950, no longer adjusted for changes in users' stocks.
${ }^{(3)}$ Held by manufacturers of rayon and of cellulose film.
(4) Before January 1950 quantities held by paper-makers, merchants and certain large converters and consumers (other than publishers). National stocks of building boards are also included from 1946 to 1949 inclusive. From February 1949 the figures include stocks (amounting to 109.1 thousand tons at the end of that month) held by certain converters, manufacturing stationers and consumers from whom stock returns were not previously obtained. From January 1950 the figures relate to stocks held by paper-makers only. The comparable figure for December 1949 is 77.6 thousand tons.

* Average of five weeks.


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Passenger cars and chassis( ${ }^{1}$ ): Production
TABLE 60

|  |  | Total production |  |  |  | Production for export |  |  |  | Value of deliveries( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | 1,600 c.c. and under | Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 c.c. | Over 2,200 c.c. | Total | 1,600 c.c. and under | Over I,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 c.c. | Over 2,200 с.c. | Total | For export |
|  |  | Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |
|  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ¢000 |  |
| 935 938 | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,192 \\ & 28,417(4) \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,522\left({ }^{3}\right) \\ & 5,684\left({ }^{3}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ |  |
| 946 947 | ... $\quad .$. | $\begin{aligned} & 18,264 \\ & 23,917 \\ & 27,376 \\ & 34,358 \\ & 43,543 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,832 \\ & 23,343 \\ & 29,411 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \ddot{0} \\ & 5,522 \\ & 6,160 \\ & 7,463 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,022 \\ & 4,855 \\ & 6,669 \end{aligned}$ | 8,302 12,914 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,567 \\ & 15,853 \\ & 24,587 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,623 \\ & 3,805 \\ & 5,448 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,160 \\ & 3,025 \\ & 4,091 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,796 \\ 9,385 \\ 12,059 \\ 15,746 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \dddot{3,367} \\ 5,372 \\ 6,441 \\ 10,374 \end{array}$ |
| 9448 | ... $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  | 19,350 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 949 | ... |  |  |  |  | 22,683 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  | 34,126 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { January ... } \\ & \text { February ... } \\ & \text { *March ... } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,597 \\ & 29,910 \\ & 37,676 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,045 \\ & 20,137 \\ & 26,029 \end{aligned}$ | 5,716 <br> 5,747 <br> 6,724 | 3,8364,0264,923 | $\begin{aligned} & 18,401 \\ & 19,037 \\ & 26,442 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,654 \\ & 13,165 \\ & 19,549 \end{aligned}$ | 3,1863,419 | 2,561 | 9,78810,24412,105 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,709 \\ & 5,319 \\ & 6,313 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3,906 | 2,987 |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 28,547 \\ & 31,609 \\ & 40,370 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,338 \\ & 21,040 \\ & 28,004 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,650 \\ & 6,394 \\ & 7,237 \end{aligned}$ | 3,5594,1755,129 | $\begin{aligned} & 18,149 \\ & 21,376 \\ & 25,802 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,071 \\ & 13,898 \\ & 18,399 \end{aligned}$ | 3,9224,971 | 2,156$\mathbf{2 , 5 0 7}$ | 10,85112,25712,714 | 5,9757,3756,632 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4,332 | 3,071 |  |  |
|  | July ... | $\begin{aligned} & 25,515 \\ & 30,322 \\ & 43,608 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,492 \\ & 19,827 \\ & 29,836 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,857 \\ & 5,959 \\ & 7,133 \end{aligned}$ | 3,1664,536 | 15,92520,105 | 11,41913,566 | 2,9143,712 | 1,592 <br> 2,827 | $\begin{aligned} & 10,557 \\ & 11,400 \\ & \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,125 \\ & 5,893 \\ & 6,017 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *September |  |  |  | 6,639 | 26,043 | 17,257 | 4,510 |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> *December | $\begin{aligned} & 37,678 \\ & 37,178 \\ & 41,280 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,265 \\ & 25,696 \\ & 28,406 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,879 \\ & 5,390 \\ & 6,233 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,534 \\ & 6,092 \\ & 6,641 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,463 \\ & 27,865 \\ & 28,584 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,620 \\ & 19,708 \\ & 20,934 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,357 \\ & 4,115 \\ & 3,319 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,486 \\ & 4,042 \\ & 4,331 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,539 \\ & 14,381 \\ & 13,740 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,277 \\ & 8,783 \\ & 7,875 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January ... | $\begin{aligned} & 39,657 \\ & 40,694 \\ & 51,020 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27,389 \\ & 27,655 \\ & 34,001 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,462 \\ & 7,067 \\ & 9,163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,806 \\ & 5,972 \\ & 7,856 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31,860 \\ & 32,620 \\ & 41.192 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23,200 \\ & 23,431 \\ & 28.749 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,820 \\ & 5,178 \\ & 6,818 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,840 \\ & 4,011 \\ & 5,625 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,879 \\ & 14,949 \\ & 17,744 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,561 \\ 10,352 \\ 12,164 \end{array}$ |
|  | February... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 38,314 \\ & 42,794 \\ & 50,028 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,268 \\ & 28,948 \\ & 34,173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,622 \\ & 7,628 \\ & 8,777 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,424 \\ & 6,218 \\ & 7,078 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29,776 \\ & 34,911 \\ & 40,480 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,524 \\ & 25,205 \\ & 29,763 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,867 \\ & 6,072 \\ & 6,332 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,385 \\ & 3,634 \\ & 4,385 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,790 \\ & 16,062 \\ & 16,556 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,053 \\ 11,156 \\ 11,387 \end{array}$ |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... August ... *September | $\begin{aligned} & 43,456 \\ & 30,747 \\ & 49,538 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29,575 \\ & 20,956 \\ & 3,29 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,118 \\ & 5,356 \\ & 8,365 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,763 \\ & 4,435 \\ & 7,882 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,435 \\ & 24,282 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,700 \\ & 17,641 \\ & 27,083 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,424 \\ & 3,970 \\ & 6,361 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,311 \\ & 2,671 \\ & 4,532 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,436 \\ & 12,592 \\ & 16,440 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,832 \\ 8,550 \\ 10,744 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 37,976 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> *December | $\begin{aligned} & 45,391 \\ & 46,514 \\ & 44,362 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,215 \\ & 30,460 \\ & 30,005 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,506 \\ & 7,558 \\ & 6,929 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,670 \\ & 8,496 \\ & 7,428 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,701 \\ & 34,742 \\ & 32,535 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,456 \\ & 24,651 \\ & 23,643 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,455 \\ & 5,219 \\ & 4,855 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,790 \\ & 4,872 \\ & 4,037 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,880 \\ & 19,045 \\ & 15,574 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,564 \\ 11,883 \\ 9,237 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January ... | $\begin{aligned} & 41,202 \\ & 40,380 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,884 \\ & 27,643 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,541 \\ & 5,734 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,777 \\ & 7,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,570 \\ & 29,773 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,868 \\ & 22,069 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,999 \\ & 3,834 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,703 \\ & 3,870 \end{aligned}$ | 15,572 | 9,169 |
|  | February... March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{2}$ ) Including taxi-cabs.
Source : Ministry of Supply
(2) Including spares produced by motor manufacturers.
() Number exported.
(d) Estimated.

Five week period.

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Commercial motor vehicles and chassis( ${ }^{1}$ ) : Production
TABLE 61

${ }^{1}$ ) Battery-driven electric road vehicles are excluded except in 1935.
(2) Including spares produced by motor manufacturers.
${ }^{3}$ ) Including trolley-buses (except in 1935), but excluding trams. Figures refer to production of chassis.
(4) Estimated.
${ }^{(5)}$ Number exported.

- Five week period.

|  |  |  | Steam |  |  |  | Diesel and diesel-electric |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | For main line railways in the United Kingdom | For other United Kingdom users $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | For export | Total | For main line railways in the United Kingdom | For other United Kingdom users $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | For export |
| Annual totals $1935$ | ... | ... | 717 |  | . | $137\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | . . |  | . | . |
| $\begin{array}{ll} 1948 & \ldots \\ 1949 & \ldots \\ 1950 & \ldots \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 779 \\ & 826 \\ & 808 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 397 \\ & 370 \\ & 380 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 67 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 320 \\ & 389 \\ & 355 \end{aligned}$ | $53 i$ | $4 i$ | 123 | $3 \ddot{67}$ |
| Quarterly <br> 1949 Ist Quarter ... 2ndQuarter ... <br> 3rd Quarter... <br> 4th Quarter... | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 171 210 204 241 | 58 85 88 139 | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ 15 \\ 21 \\ 9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 91 \\ 110 \\ 95 \\ 93 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 140 \\ & 172 \end{aligned}$ | i1 15 II | 44 46 59 | $\begin{array}{r} \ddot{91} \\ 79 \\ 102 \end{array}$ |
| 1950 Ist Quarter ... 2nd Quarter... 3rd Quarter... 4th Quarter... | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 215 174 185 234 | 96 82 82 120 | 21 13 18 21 | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 79 \\ & 85 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 144 \\ & 116 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | 2 3 7 29 | 22 29 30 42 | $\begin{array}{r} 76 \\ 112 \\ 79 \\ 100 \end{array}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Production by British Railways, by Royal Ordnance Factories and by private manufacturers.

Source : Ministry of Supply and ${ }^{(2)}$ ) Industrial locomotives.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Number exported.
Railway rolling stock and other equipment and aircraft: Production
TABLE 63

|  |  |  | Coaching vehicles (including rail motor vehicles)( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Wagons( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Railway brakes and signalling, telegraph and track equipment $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | Aircraft ( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  | Number |  |  |  | Value $£^{\prime} 000$ |  | Number |  | Index of airframe structure weight $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ |  |
| Annual totals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 ... | ... | ... | 1,516 | 179 | 45,520 | 4,079 | 5,307 | 2,446 | 444 | 311 | $75\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | $50\left({ }^{5}\right)$ |
| 1949 ... | ... | $\cdots$ | 2,089 | 262 | 38,379 | 6,333 | 6,079 | 2,619 | 452 | 418 | $85(5)$ | $75(5)$ |
| 1950 ... | ... | ... | 3,320 | 373 | 33,155 | 4,604 | 5,786 | 2,782 | 515 | 477 | $85(5)$ | $55(5)$ |
| Monthly 1950 January |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 January February | ... | $\ldots$ | 228 | 21 | 2,434 | 434 | 475 | 214 | 33 | 30 | 50 155 | 50 90 |
| February | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 276 | 24 | 2,437 | 395 | 497 | 203 | 74 | 65 | 180 | 100 |
|  | ... | ... | 360 | 19 | 3,032 | 399 | 521 | 231 |  |  |  |  |
| April ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 280 | 25 | 2,055 | 291 | 450 | 195 | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \\ & 46 \\ & 48 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \\ & 45 \\ & 48 \end{aligned}$ | 100 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 55 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ |
| May ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 330 | 38 | 2,406 | 311 | 490 | 245 |  |  | 7060 |  |
| June ... | ... | ... | 292 | 41 | 2,559 | 413 | 530 | 303 |  |  |  |  |
| July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 224 | 34 | 2,326 | 348 | 459 | 239 | 48 | 42 | 155 | 8530 |
|  | ... | $\ldots$ | 199 | 25 | 2,271 | 394 | 377 | 173 | 30 |  | 45 |  |
|  | ... | ... | 236 | 35 | 3,029 | 486 | 488 | 243 | 27 | 26 | 40 | 30 |
| October November December | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 300 | 36 | 3,502 | 367 | 502 |  |  | 40 | 8550 | 40 |
|  | ... | $\ldots$ | 325 | 45 | 3,931 | 442 | 489 | 226 | 35 | 34 |  | 35 |
|  | $\ldots$ | ... | 270 | 30 | 3,173 | 324 | 508 | 232 | 25 | 24 | 40 | 30 |
| 1951 January ... ... |  |  | 204 | 43 | 1,989 | 343 | 508 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | 6734 | $\begin{array}{r} 115 \\ 46 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 46 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Production by British Railways, by Royal Ordnance Factories and by private manufacturers.

Source : Ministry of Supply and
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Deliveries by private manufacturers only.
${ }^{(3)}$ Deliveries. The figures exclude aircraft of military type except those produced for export.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ The monthly average of deliveries (for home and export combined) in 1946 is taken as 100 . This applies both to the index of total deliveries and to the index of export deliveries.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Monthly average.

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Tractors, battery-driven electric road vehicles and cycles: Production
TABLE 64
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Tractors( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Batterydriven electric road vehicles ( ${ }^{2}$ ) <br> Total ${ }^{4}$ ) | Motor cycles |  |  | Pedal cycles |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Wheeled |  |  | Track-laying |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total value $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Total | For export | Total value $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |  | Total ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \left.{ }^{4}\right) \end{array}$ | Total value $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Total | For export |
|  |  | Thousands |  | ¢000 | Thousands |  | ¢000 |  | Thousands |  | ¢000 | Thousands |  |
| 1935 |  |  | . |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 39$ | $\mid \cdot 50\left({ }^{5}\right)$ |  |  |  |
| 1948 1949 |  | 9.67 7.36 | 6.05 4.54 | 2,747 $\mathbf{2 , 3 3 5}$ | 0.15 0.22 | 0.08 0.14 | 164 239 | 441 262 | 10.92 12.75 | 6.49 7.40 | 1,020 1,150 | $\begin{aligned} & 245 \\ & 293 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 156 \\ & 191 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ | 9.97 | $6 \cdot 88$ | 3,673 | 0.24 | $0 \cdot 18$ | 259 | 180 | 14.27 | 6.87 |  |  |  |
| 1950 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 246 |  |  |  | 1,240 1,241 | 285 270 |  |
|  | February March | \} 8.45 | $5 \cdot 65$ | 2,797 | 0.22 | 0.14 | 246 | 188 $178 *$ | 13.81 $18.03 *$ | 7.78 $8.52 *$ | 1,241 | 270 312 | $\begin{aligned} & 166 \\ & 190 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | \} 9.90 | $6 \cdot 83$ |  | 0.24 | $0 \cdot 19$ | 256 | 315 93 | 13.84 16.18 | 7.80 7.76 | 1,351 | 235 | 135 169 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | $\}^{9.90}$ | $6 \cdot 83$ | 3,951 | 0.24 | $0 \cdot 19$ |  | 304* | 17.24* | 7.73* | 1,615 | 283 | 171 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 109 | 14.85 | 6.02 | 1,819 | 288 | 178 |
|  |  |  | 6.89 | 3,733 | $0 \cdot 20$ | 0.16 | 225 | 89 | 11.19 | 4.69 | 955 | 248 | 154 |
|  | September... | \} 9.73 |  |  |  |  |  | 183* | 11.44* | 5.48* | 1,473 | 313 | 201 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 152 | 13.66 | $6 \cdot 34$ | 1,579 | 331 | 211 |
|  | November... | \} 11.06 | $8 \cdot 12$ | 4,209 | 0.29 | 0.22 | 310 | 169 | 13.35 | 5.41 |  |  |  |
|  | December ... | $\int^{11.06}$ |  |  |  |  | , | 198* | 14.11* | 7.66* |  |  |  |
| 1951 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 121 | 13.79 | 7.08 |  |  |  |
| Ios | February .. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 139 | 14.65 | 6.94 |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Tractors of 10 horse-power and over for agricultural and industrial uses.
Source : Ministry of Supply
${ }^{(2)}$ Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
(3) Value figures relate to deliveries and include parts and accessories.
(d) The figures of numbers produced in individual months are totals for periods of four or five weeks. The five-week periods are marked with an asterisk (*).
$\left({ }^{5}\right)$ Number exported.
Agricultural machinery : Production
TABLE 65

|  |  |  | Tractors |  | Mouldboard ploughs |  | Disc harrows | Corn drills(1) | Mowers | Potato spinners | Threshing machines | Combine harvesters | Milking machines | Total( ${ }^{(2)}$ | For export $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Agricultural types | Market garden types | Tractor drawn | Horsedrawn |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \& million |  |
| 1937 |  |  | 17,949 | 461 | 6,054 | 14,695 | 1,323 | 398 | 4,436 | 1,767 | 518 | - |  | .. |  |
| 1938 |  |  | 10,029 | 650 | 5,156 | 7,424 | 1,260 | 352 | 4,641 | 1,496 | 486 | - | . | .. |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,226 | 828 | 10,869 | 69.2 | 28.2 |
| 1948 1949 | .. | $\ldots$ | 117,038 90,411 | 33,654 $\mathbf{2 5 , 2 3 5}$ | 66,156 51,572 | 20,793 20,196 | 18,663 11,819 | 3,533 | 26,033 | 6,969 | 1,226 | 1,963 | 15,020 | 63.9 | 26.1 |
| 1950 |  |  | 120,211 | 30,277 | 52,080 | 3,410 | 12,362 | 6,469 | 27,076 | 6,473 | 758 | 4,325 | 19,447 | 84.7 | 42.8 |
| 1948 | 4th Quarter | ... | 34,510 | 6,233 | 20,002 | 10,954 | 5,287 | 1,074 | 5,521 | 2,338 | 257 | 3 | 3,063 | 19.0 | 9.0 |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter |  | 30,400 | 6,000 | 16,768 | 5,479 | 4,539 | 1,044 | 10,630 | 469 | 196 | 122 | 3,080 | 18.1 | 8.2 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 21,054 | 8,449 | 10,175 | 5,403 | 1,601 | 509 | 8,301 | 1,148 | 175 | 845 | 4,183 4 4 | 18.1 14.3 | 5.3 5.4 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 17,194 | 5,959 | 10,672 | 7,795 | 2,874 | 918 | 4,607 | 4,368 | 192 | 678 318 | 4,049 3,708 | 14.3 15.9 | 5.4 |
|  |  |  | 21,763 | 4,827 | 13,957 | 1,519 | 2,805 | 1,062 | 2,495 | 984 | 244 | 318 | 3,708 | 15.9 |  |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter |  | 25,989 | 6,120 | 15,920 | 1,427 | 3,073 | 2,497 | 6,621 | 266 | 196 | 890 | 3,959 | 19.3 | 9.0 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 30,412 | 8,706 | 11,465 | 1,437 | 4,017 | 1,029 | 10,553 | 2,183 | 159 | 1,445 | 5,474 5,173 | 22.0 20.6 | $10 \cdot 2$ 10.4 |
|  |  |  | 29,800 | 7,744 | 11,346 | 295 | 2,821 | 1,167 | 6,430 | 3,333 | 184 | 903 | 5,173 4841 | $20 \cdot 6$ 22.8 | 10.4 <br> 13.2 |
|  |  |  | 34,010 | 7,707 | 13,349 | 1,351 | 2,451 | 1,776 | 3,472 | 691 | 219 | 1,087 | 4,841 | 22.8 |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.
${ }^{(2)}$ Including value of items not shown separately in preceding columns, and also parts and accessories.

Mechanical handling equipment and excavators: Production

TABLE 66

|  |  | Mechanicallypropelled works trucks |  | Conveyors and elevators $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | Cranes |  | Other mechanical handling equipment ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Excavators |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Complete machines | Parts and accessories |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Fork-lift | Other |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total |  | For export |  | Total | For export |
|  |  | Number | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & £ 000 \end{aligned}$ | Number | Value $£ 000$ | Value$£ 000$ |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ |  |  | 106 124 146 | 306 311 364 | $\begin{array}{r} 614 \\ 868 \\ 1,003 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 136 \\ & 124 \end{aligned}$ | 954 1,051 1,091 | 385 388 362 | 734 878 1,052 | $\begin{aligned} & 267 \\ & 298 \\ & 350 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 131 \\ & 142 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 414 \\ & 502 \\ & 550 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \\ & 68 \\ & 77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 271 \\ & 316 \end{aligned}$ | 209 233 258 | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 59 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | October ... November December... | 114 139 157 | 404 534 428 | 937 891 1,073 | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 146 \\ & 148 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 1,151$ | 397 | 939 | 318 | 144 | 574 | 70 | 304 | 237 | 53 |
| 1950 | January <br> February ... <br> March $\qquad$ | 135 111 165 | 355 389 454 | 862 846 1,022 | 136 117 179 | \} 1,064 | 364 | 1,015 | 319 | 155 | 564 | 88 | 330 | 252 | 70 |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> June $\ldots$ | 140 165 149 | 362 408 439 | 769 895 943 | 114 112 132 | \} 1,051 | 378 | 1,026 | 340 | 142 | 545 | 81 | 342 | 255 | 79 |
|  | July August September | 149 129 154 | 429 281 414 | 1,149 1,128 899 | 125 106 102 | \} 1,049 | 321 | 1,051 | 334 | 133 | 518 | 72 | 293 | 248 | 66 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December... | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \\ & 153 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 404 \\ & 427 \\ & 391 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 936 \\ 1,102 \\ 1,487 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 87 \\ 121 \\ 151 \end{array}$ | \} 1,201 | 383 | 1,115 | 408 | 138 | 545 | 68 | 300 | 277 | 66 |
| 1951 | January ... | 180 | 369 |  | 122 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deliveries.Excludes lifts and hoists and underground conveyors shown under coal mining machinery. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Coal mining machinery: Deliveries

TABLE 68

${ }^{(1)}$ Including A.B. Meco-Moore cutter-loaders.
Excluding those produced at collieries. All deliveries are for home use.
and Board of Trade Figures refer to carrying capacity.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ Production. Output is mainly for the National Coal Board.
Textile, leather, printing and tobacco machinery: Deliveries
TABLE 69
Monthly averages or calendar months


[^6]
${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding carbon electrodes.
Source: Ministry of Supply
(2) Pneumatic, electric and, except in 1935, petrol types.
${ }^{(3)}$ Value of exports.
Machine tools and internal combustion engines: Deliveries
TABLE 71
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  |  | Metal-working machine tools $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ |  |  | Wood-working machine tools ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | Internal combustion engines ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total |  | For export | Total |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ |  | Total |  | For export |
|  |  |  |  | Number | Value $£ 000$ |  | Number | Value $£ 000$ |  | Thousands | Thousand B.H.P. | Value $£ 000$ |  |
| 1935 | ... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,737 \\ & 3,675 \\ & 3,759 \end{aligned}$ | $509$ | . |  | $53$ |  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  | I,078 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 221 |  |  |
| 1948 1949 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  | 2,591 2,968 | 940 1,168 | 1,462 1,446 | 347 394 | 125 137 1 | 21.4 20.2 | 281 | 2,787 3,176 | $1,546$ |
| 1950 |  |  | .. |  | 3,224 | 1,178 | 1,374 | 381 | 135 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 344 | 3,176 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 23.0 | 291 | 2,866 | 1,615 |
| 1950 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3,861 | 2,890 | 1,035 | 1,479 | 362 324 | 114 97 | $23 \cdot 0$ 21.8 | 324 | 2,998 | 1,780 |
|  | February | ... | ... | 3,362 | 2,795 | 1,013 | 1,243 1,358 | 324 412 | 129 | 26.9 | 360 | 3,460 | 2,053 |
|  | March | ... | $\ldots$ | 3,546 | 3,376 | 1,257 | 1,358 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... |  | $\ldots$ | 3,436 | 3,000 | 1,059 | 1,281 | 357 | 124 |  | 330 353 | 3,194 3,363 | 2,056 |
|  | May ... |  | $\ldots$ | 3,876 | 3,295 | 1,289 | 1,296 | 368 | 129 | 28.9 28.8 | 355 | 3,223 | 1,894 |
|  | June |  | ... | 3,519 | 3,061 | 1,185 | 1,496 | 420 | 174 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 137 | 27.8 | 371 | 3,346 | 1,813 |
|  | July ... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 3,912 3,339 | 3,283 3,039 | 1,221 | 1,137 | 313 | 113 | 19.9 | 278 | 2,604 3,333 | 1,893 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | .. | 4,149 | 3,441 | 1,199 | 1,509 | 393 | 149 | $27 \cdot 8$ | 359 | 3,333 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 351 | 3,212 | 1,934 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3,876 | 3,445 | 1,063 | 1,615 | 432 391 | 136 152 | 28.7 | 387 | 3,361 | 1,970 1,752 |
|  | November December | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 3,902 4,326 | 3,467 3,590 | 1,244 | 1,302 | 439 | 167 | 27.7 | 366 | 3,155 | 1,752 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $27 \cdot 7$ | 357 | 3,056 | 1,668 |
|  | January February | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) Excluding, except in 1935, machine tools of low value.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excludes engines for submarines, aircraft, tanks, wheeled-tractors and road vehicles and engines of over 1,500 brake horse-power (of 1,000 shaft horse-power or over in 1935) for marine propulsion.

MANUFACTURED GOODS
Steam engines, boilers, steam-raising plant and industrial valves: Deliveries
TABLE 72
Monthly averages on calendar months
Value $£ 000$


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

TABLE 73
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Electricity generating plant |  |  |  |  |  | Rotating electrical machines( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Electrical control gear ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Hydraulic turbines |  | Steam turboalternators $10,000 \mathrm{~kW}$. and over |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Steam turbines } \\ & \text { less than } \\ & 10,000 \mathrm{~kW} \text {. } \end{aligned}$ |  | I-250 horse-power kVA. or kW. |  |  |  | Fractional horse-power |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | A.C. motors | Other |  |  | A.C. motor | Other |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export |  |  | Total | For export | Total |  | For export |  | Total | For export | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ |
|  |  |  | Thousand B.H.P. | Thousand kW. |  |  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  |  |  |  | $6 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 112.0 | 39.0 | 24.8 | 18.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  |  | $37 \cdot 6$ | 17.3 | 165.0 | $47 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | 13.1 | 1,239 | 693 | 306 | 160 | 528 | 108 | 1,077 | 253 |
| 1950 |  |  | 49.1 | $36 \cdot 2$ | $202 \cdot 3$ | $73 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  | 693 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | October November December |  | 24.4 | $20 \cdot 2$ |  | $40 \cdot 0$ | $\} 21.9$ | $13.0\{$ |   <br> 72 594 <br> 312 727 <br> 269 731 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \\ & 289 \\ & 307 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 80 \\ 157 \\ 189 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 496 \\ & 529 \\ & 523 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 83 \\ 73 \\ 104 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,127 \\ & 1,098 \\ & 1,026 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 263 \\ & 269 \\ & 264 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | 23.9 26.1 | 23.9 | 162.5 | - 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 26.1 | 1.1 | 190.0 | $50 \cdot 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January February March | ... | 68.6 | 62.0 | 121.5 | 61.5 | $\} 12.7$ | $9.4\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,199 \\ & 1,175 \\ & 1,345 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 691 \\ & 703 \\ & 757 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \\ & 298 \\ & 347 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 137 \\ & 165 \\ & 174 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 521 \\ & 445 \\ & 518 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 96 \\ 74 \\ 105 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,147 \\ & 1,053 \\ & 1,232 \end{aligned}$ | 256247295 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 17.2 | 1.2 | 147.5 | $45 \cdot 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 137.4 | 104.4 | 254.0 | 15.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April... May June ... | ... | 31.9 | 21.0 | 120.0 | $70 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & \} 15 \cdot 3 \\ & \} 20 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,102 \\ & 1,279 \\ & 1,246 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 663 \\ & 729 \\ & 648 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 265 \\ & 287 \\ & 256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 156 \\ & 160 \\ & 110 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 443 \\ & 543 \\ & 514 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 82 \\ 121 \\ 107 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,058 \\ & 1,131 \\ & 1,149 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 237 \\ & 271 \\ & 274 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | 1.9 | 1.9 | 152.5 | 42.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $66 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $430 \cdot 8$ | 113.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 0 \\ & 33 \cdot 6 \\ & 60 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $62 \cdot 0$0.647.4 | $\begin{array}{r} 128.8 \\ 65.0 \\ 157.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108 \cdot 8 \\ 35 \cdot 0 \\ 50 \cdot 0 \end{array}$ |  | $11 \cdot 2\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,206 \\ & 1,035 \\ & 1,280 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 709 \\ & 570 \\ & 724 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 255 \\ & 231 \\ & 309 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 180 \\ & 128 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 571 \\ & 530 \\ & 566 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 108 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,203 \\ 982 \\ 1,199 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 276 \\ & 256 \\ & 295 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  | $\begin{array}{r} 60.0 \\ 56.6 \\ 9.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 60 \cdot 0 \\ 56.0 \\ 0.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 0 \\ & 205 \cdot 0 \\ & 422 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 63.0 \\ 160.0 \\ 115.0 \end{array}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,293 \\ & 1,217 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 887 \\ & 867 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 259 \\ & 303 \end{aligned}$ | $131$ | $\begin{aligned} & 614 \\ & 609 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133 \\ & 152 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,363 \\ & 1,353 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 366 \\ & 361 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ I) Including motors, generators and rotary converters.
Source : Ministry of Supply
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Production of starting and control gear for electric motors up to 300 horse-power.

Miscellaneous industrial and domestic equipment : Deliveries
TABLE 74
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value $£ 000$

|  |  |  |  | Refrigerating machinery |  |  |  |  |  | Industrial furnaces ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Domestic |  | Commercial |  | Industrial |  | Electric | Other | Electric | Other |
|  |  |  |  | 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 |  |
| 948 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 450 | 235 | 576 | 96 | 161 | 76 |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 949 \\ & 950 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 718 959 | 391 545 | 607 653 | 124 177 | $\begin{aligned} & 231 \\ & 293 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 181 \\ & 201 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 434 \\ & 521 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \\ & 40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 67 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January... February March ... | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 732 743 953 | 406 447 549 | 465 517 741 | 132 131 163 | 238 231 304 | 141 87 91 | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 123 \\ & 235 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 442 \\ & 486 \\ & 591 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 26 \\ & 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 45 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } \\ \text { May } \\ \text { Mane } & \text {... } \\ \text { June } & \text {... }\end{array}$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 793 1,007 922 | 402 505 484 | 692 900 837 | 161 188 182 | 265 568 429 | 112 113 138 | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 196 \\ & 219 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 487 \\ & 573 \\ & 573 \end{aligned}$ | 35 57 25 | 45 111 64 |
|  | July ... <br> August... <br> September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 944 800 1,116 | 516 440 605 | 850 564 713 | 211 154 202 | 159 223 432 | 101 90 161 | 166 188 251 | $\begin{aligned} & 510 \\ & 488 \\ & 499 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \\ & 68 \\ & 35 \end{aligned}$ | 49 72 57 |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,116 1,208 1,173 | 616 755 811 | 541 513 497 | 199 199 201 | 182 284 196 | 80 126 78 | 162 255 287 | $\begin{aligned} & 509 \\ & 518 \\ & 637 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 61 \\ & 47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \\ & 57 \\ & 92 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | January February March ... | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 206 | 659 | 64 | 78 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Revised series. Including kilns for brick, tile and pottery manufacture but excluding blast and open hearth furnaces and soaking pits.

Source: Ministry of Supply
Miscellaneous industrial and domestic equipment: Deliveries
TABLE 75
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value $£ 000$


Electrical equipment and appliances: Production
TABLE 76
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries.
${ }^{(2}$ ) Number exported, excluding radiograms.
${ }^{(3)}$ Value of exports.
Electrical equipment and appliances: Production
TABLE 77 Monthly averages


[^7]Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{1}$ ) Including parts.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Value of exports.
Source : Ministry of Supply

## Sewing machines, clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms: Production

TABLE 79
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Domestic sewing machines <br> Supplies for home market | Clocks |  |  | Watches |  |  | Time switches( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | Time recorders( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Assembly from imported components | Supplies for home market | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  | Mechanical |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Electric |
|  |  | Thousands | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | ... ... |  | 8 | . | 8 | 430( ${ }^{2}$ ) | . | - | 530( ${ }^{2}$ ) | . | - | . | . |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 7 \\ & 4 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \\ & 338 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 43 \end{aligned}$ | 286 334 | $24 \cdot 2$ $46 \cdot 2$ | 42.5 28.0 | 222 213 | 10.9 16.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.4 \\ & 3.5 \end{aligned}$ | 1,331 889 | $\begin{aligned} & 322 \\ & 284 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | $7 \cdot 1$ | 395 | 42 | 345 | 115 |  | 227 | $27 \cdot 9$ | 8.7 | 779 | 188 |
| 1949 | October ... November December | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 5.2 \\ & 6.7 \end{aligned}$ | 411 375 364 | 62 60 50 | 393 378 339 | $\overbrace{\left.\begin{array}{l}38.9 \\ 43 \cdot 0 \\ 67.2\end{array} \right\rvert\,}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 2 \\ & 29 \cdot 8 \\ & 37 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 261 \\ & 272 \\ & 318 \end{aligned}$ | $15 \cdot 5$ 24.3 31.7 | 3.7 5.1 $7 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 784 \\ & 789 \\ & 797 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \\ & 270 \\ & 167 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January <br> February... <br> March | 5.7 7.9 7.3 | 364 373 404 | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \\ & 35 \\ & 36 \end{aligned}$ | 297 331 356 | $\underbrace{96 .}_{110 .}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 213 \\ 93 \\ 116 \end{array}$ | $27 \cdot 8$ $28 \cdot 1$ $30 \cdot 1$ | 6.2 7.8 8.3 | 819 695 1,153 | $\begin{aligned} & 193 \\ & 157 \\ & 339 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | 8.2 7.6 7.9 | 419 363 382 | 43 44 35 | $\begin{aligned} & 316 \\ & 289 \\ & 306 \end{aligned}$ | 108. 113. 105. |  | 132 239 321 | $28 \cdot 4$ $27 \cdot 0$ 27.1 | 9.6 10.3 8.0 | 697 809 885 | $\begin{aligned} & 229 \\ & 164 \\ & 199 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> September | 4.2 6.3 6.0 | 426 288 410 | 39 36 50 | 337 306 372 | 131. 97. 105. |  | 291 271 246 | 32.6 14.4 20.7 | 14.6 11.8 6.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 740 \\ & 464 \\ & 630 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 191 \\ 66 \\ 105 \end{array}$ |
|  | October .. <br> November <br> December | 8.5 <br> 7.3 <br> 9.3 | 424 520 364 | 65 45 36 | $\begin{aligned} & 406 \\ & 488 \\ & 340 \end{aligned}$ | 157. 143. 111. |  | $\begin{aligned} & 295 \\ & 292 \\ & 219 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r}32.8 \\ 32.7 \\ 33.0 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 8.4 4.9 7.7 | 804 871 778 | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \\ & 213 \\ & 210 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |

[^8]Hosiery : Production ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 80
Monthly averages
Millions

${ }^{(1)}$ Garments made up from knitted fabrics in the clothing (making-up) industry are excluded.
Source : Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, hoods, etc.
${ }^{(3)}$ Estimated.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Including women's and children's socks.
${ }^{(5)} 13$ months ended January 1950.

## Footwear ${ }^{1}$ ) : Supplies

TABLE 8I
Monthly averages
Million pairs

(i) Excluding rubber footwear.
(2) Number of palrs transferred to warehouse stock.

## MANUFACTURED GOODS

Household textiles : Production and supplies for the home market

(1) Including cot size.

Source: Board of Trade
(2) Year ended November.

Floor coverings : Production and supplies for the home market

| TABLE 83 |  |  | Monthly aver |  |  |  | Thousand | uare yards |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Linoleum subst | cluding ute) | Felt |  | Colr | atting | Wool carp | and rug: |
|  | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market |
| 1935 | 5,800 | 4,750 | 3,500 | 2,920 |  | .. | 2,925 | 2,740 |
| 1947/48 (1) | 3,576 | 1,744 | 4.571 | 2,617 | 314 | 873 | 2,468 | 1,795 |
| 1948/49 (1) | 4,301 | 2,866 | 5,923 | 4,556 | 288 | 921 | 2,830 | 2,146 |
| 1949/50(1) | 4,263 | 2,583 | 6,441 | 4,736 | 222 | 821 | 3,272 | 2,585 |
| 1947/48 March to May ... | 3,677 |  |  |  | 320 | 870 | 2,515 | 1,842 |
| June to August | 3,693 | 1,851 | 4,392 | 2,493 | 295 | 837 | 2,354 | 1,714 |
| September to November | 4,072 | 2,176 | 5,280 | 3,265 |  | 900 | 2,794 | 2,074 |
| 1948/49 December to February ... | 4,153 |  |  | 4,101 | 323 | 919 | 2,593 | 1,919 |
| March to May ... ... | 4,305 | 2,829 | 5,852 | 4,361 | 316 | 1,015 | 2,887 | 2,173 |
| June to August ... ... | 4,212 | 3,028 | 6,047 | 4,948 | 245 | 839 | 2,666 | 2,061 |
| September to November... | 4,532 | 2,999 | 6,262 | 4,813 | 268 | 911 | 3,172 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,008 | 2.992 | 2,182 |
|  | 4,120 4,367 | 2,527 2,724 | 5,599 $\mathbf{6 , 0 6 5}$ | 4,227 4,457 | 251 | 1,071 | 3,448 | 2,681 2,461 |
| June to August ... $\ldots$... | 4,087 | 2,422 | 6,114 | 4,373 | 148 | 608 | 2,978 |  |
| September to November ... | 4,483 | 2,659 | 7,985 | 5,887 | 232 | 597 |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Year ended November.

# Pottery and brushes : Production and supplies for the home market( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

Monthly averages

| Large plates $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | All other domestic pottery |  | Household brushes |  | Toilet brushes |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market |
| $5 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 7$ |
| $6 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |  |  | $4 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |
| $5 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 6$ |
| $5 \cdot 9$ | 2.9 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 5$ |
| $5 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 2.9 |
| $6 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 8$ |
| 6.4 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 2$ |
| $6 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 2$ |
| $6 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |
| 6.4 | $3 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 6$ |
| $6 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | 5.4 | $3 \cdot 5$ |
| 6.0 | $2 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 6$ |
| $5 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 4.0 4.8 | 3.7 4.4 | $5 \cdot 5$ 5.7 | 3.8 3.9 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Sales by manufacturers.
Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Over 8 in . in diameter.
Metal furniture : Production and supplies for the home market ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 85
Monthly averages
Value $£ 000$

|  |  |  | Industrial equipment ${ }^{(2}$ ) |  | Office furniture |  | Safes( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Other metal furniture ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market |
| 1948/49(5) |  |  | $251 \cdot 3$ | $210 \cdot 7$ | $320 \cdot 9$ | $237 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | 22.1 | $578 \cdot 2$ | 453.9 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 / 59(5) \\ & 1950 / 51\left({ }^{5}\right) \end{aligned}$ | ) $\ldots$ |  | $293 \cdot 4$ | $246 \cdot 9$ | $369 \cdot 5$ | 279.0 | $47 \cdot 7$ | 21.2 | $417 \cdot 6$ | $331 \cdot 7$ |
| 1948/49 | May-July <br> August-October ... <br> November-January | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 244 \cdot 1 \\ & 253 \cdot 5 \\ & 264 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 200 \cdot 2 \\ & 218.6 \\ & 221.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 295.3 \\ & 340.6 \\ & 370.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \cdot 3 \\ & 259 \cdot 2 \\ & 272 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 43.9 45.1 44.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 8 \\ & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $565 \cdot 3$ $554 \cdot 3$ $484 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 446 \cdot 8 \\ & 42 \cdot 1 \cdot 0 \\ & 371 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949/50 | February-April May-July August-October .. November-January | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $295 \cdot 2$ $289 \cdot 8$ $300 \cdot 7$ 287.7 | $249 \cdot 8$ $233 \cdot 0$ $260 \cdot 2$ $244 \cdot 8$ | $360 \cdot 9$ $349 \cdot 9$ $366 \cdot 5$ $400 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 268 \cdot 3 \\ & 263 \cdot 5 \\ & 272 \cdot 5 \\ & 311 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 49.6 39.1 50.3 51.9 | 21.1 18.4 21.5 23.6 | $477 \cdot 3$ $374 \cdot 0$ $403 \cdot 0$ $413 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 359.1 \\ & 294.7 \\ & 335 \cdot 9 \\ & 337.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950/51 | February-April May-July <br> August-October November-January |  | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \cdot 3 \\ & 318 \cdot 8 \\ & 353 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \cdot 1 \\ & 265 \cdot 7 \\ & 282 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 412.8 \\ & 392.0 \\ & 393.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \cdot 8 \\ & 296 \cdot 5 \\ & 292 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39.4 \\ & 48.4 \\ & 54.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 5 \\ & 22 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \cdot 5 \\ & 390 \cdot 0 \\ & 385 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 323.9 \\ & 317.3 \\ & 312.5 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Sales by manufacturers. From February 1949 including certain firms, whose output in
Source : Board of Trad
1949 amounted to 13 per cent. of the total, from whom returns were not previously obtained.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Shelving, racking, cupboards, etc.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Excluding safes of a capacity exceeding I,000 cubic inches with one or more metal walls over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch gauge.
${ }^{(4)}$ Excluding wire mattresses and utility metal furniture.
${ }^{(5)}$ Year ended January.

Utility furniture : Supplies( ${ }^{1}$ )
Monthly averages

|  |  |  | Index of wooden furniture production $\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ | Bedroom |  |  |  | Dining-room |  |  | Kitchen |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Wardrobes | Dressing chests and tallboys( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Double bedsteads $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Single bedsteads ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Sideboards | Tables | Chairs | Tables | Chairs | Cabinets <br> ${ }^{(5)}$ |
|  |  |  | Thousands |
|  |  |  |  | 121 | 40.1 | $74 \cdot 2$ | $56 \cdot 5$ | 29.7 | 29.0 | $38 \cdot 9$ | 175.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 3$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 194 \\ & 194 \\ & 195 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots \quad \cdots$ | ... |  | 154 | $56 \cdot 0$ | 81.5 | 62.1 | $36 \cdot 6$ | $34 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 197.9 | 6.5 | $38 \cdot 7$ | 14.4 |
|  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 171 | 66.1 | $80 \cdot 4$ | $60 \cdot 2$ | 38.7 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $50 \cdot 3$ | 199.1 | $7 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $20 \cdot 6$ |
| 1948 |  |  |  | 38.8 | $73 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 2$ | 22.4 | 29.9 | 39.5 | $170 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 19.0 | 8.2 |
|  | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter |  | 104 | 34.0 | 63.8 | $47 \cdot 1$ | $25 \cdot 0$ | $24 \cdot 7$ | $35 \cdot 7$ | 152.0 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 9$ | $9 \cdot 4$ |
|  | 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter | $\ldots$ | 119 | 42.5 | 78.9 | $62 \cdot 7$ | $33 \cdot 0$ | 28.4 | $37 \cdot 0$ | 175.8 | $5 \cdot 9$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 6$ |
|  | 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter | $\cdots$ | 142 | $45 \cdot 2$ | $80 \cdot 6$ | $65 \cdot 8$ | 38.4 | $33 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | 203.9 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 28.4 | $8 \cdot 0$ |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter |  | 135 | $42 \cdot 7$ | $72 \cdot 7$ | 51.7 | 28.6 | $30 \cdot 7$ | 38.9 | 185.5 | 6.1 | 30.1 | 8.2 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | $\ldots$ | 148 | 52.9 | $80 \cdot 3$ | $62 \cdot 5$ | 37.1 | $33 \cdot 7$ | $42 \cdot 7$ | 196.4 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 39.5 | 14.7 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 150 | 57.8 | $80 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 4$ | 38.8 | $33 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 2$ | 189.9 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 41.7 | 15.6 |
|  | 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | 184 | $70 \cdot 5$ | 92.9 | 68.7 | $42 \cdot 0$ | $39 \cdot 0$ | $53 \cdot 3$ | 219.6 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $43 \cdot 4$ | 19.2 |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter |  | 172 | 61.7 | $75 \cdot 7$ | 56.0 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 34.0 | $48 \cdot 5$ | 204.2 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 41.1 | 18.1 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | $\ldots$ | 160 | $62 \cdot 8$ | 76.9 | 58.4 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 31.8 | $48 \cdot 7$ | 193.0 | 7.1 | 47.5 | 19.4 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | $\ldots$ | 147 | 59.6 | 74.1 | 57.9 | 37.4 | 29.2 | 45.3 | 172.1 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 44.0 | 18.8 |
|  | 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | 206 | $80 \cdot 2$ | $94 \cdot 8$ | 68.7 | $46 \cdot 3$ | 38.1 | 58.7 | 226.9 | 8.4 | $51 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 2$ |

TABLE 86 (continued)

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Deliveries by manufacturers.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Based on the average monthly production of wooden furniture during 1946. Includes utility school furniture until March 1949, when production was discontinued.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Including dressing tables from August 1946, and chests of drawers from November 1948.
${ }^{(4)}$ Metal and wooden. Sets of bedstead ends only from November 1948.
${ }^{(6)}$ ) Tops and bottoms of kitchen cabinets manufactured for sale as separate items are included as half a cabinet.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Divans upholstered on metal frames and unupholstered metal divans.
(7) Including some woven fibre from the fourth quarter 1949.
${ }^{(8)}$ Including some woven fibre from the third quarter 1949.
$\left(^{\circ}\right.$ ) Including cane chairs from July 1948 and settees from January 1950.

$\left.\mathbf{( 1}^{1}\right)$ Including items not shown in the analysis by agency, namely-work done by prisoners of war ( $£ 0.9 \mathrm{~m}$.) and the cost of manufacture of hulls, components and fittings for prefabricated houses (both temporary and permanent) in cases where these costs are not shown elsewhere ( $£ 22 \mathrm{~m}$.).
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ These figures exclude work carried out under annual maintenance licences and local authority licences, and work exempted from authorisation and licensing. The extent of the work so excluded has varied with changes in exemption limits; changes in certain of the limits occurred at I November 1948 and at I February 1950.
${ }^{3}{ }^{3}$ ) Construction of new houses, both temporary and permanent, including site preparation.
${ }^{(4)}$ Including conversions and adaptations. Work on hostels, barracks, etc., was included before August 1949 ; from I August 1949, this work appears under "Other repairs".
$\left.{ }^{(5}\right)$ This residual item includes all non-housing work carried out under local authority licences and annual maintenance licences, and all non-housing work (both new work and repair) exempted from authorisation and licensing.
${ }^{(6)}$ Constructional engineers, reinforced concrete specialists, heating and ventilating engineers, electrical contractors, asphalt and tar spraying contractors, flooring contractors and plant hire firms.

## Value of work authorised and licensed, and men employed in the building and civil engineering industries, in Great Britain


$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Excluding work done under annual maintenance licences and work exempted from authorisation and licensing.
No correction has been made for authorisations and licences which have been withdrawn or have lapsed.
The coverage of the figures has been affected by changes in the extent of work exempted from authorisation or licensing. The following changes in exemption limits have occurred:-
Authorised work.-Any item of work of value under a specified limit is exempted. The limit was :-up to 30 June 1948, $£ 10$; from I July 1948, $£ 100$; from I November 1948, £I,000; from I February 1950, $£ 500$. Licensed work.-A licence is not required if the total value of work done on a property during a specified period is within a specified limit. Up to 30 June 1948 the limit was $£ 10$ for each six-months period together with an additional $£ 2$ for each calendar month. Subsequently the limit for each twelve-months period ended 30 June was:-up to 31 October 1948, $£ 100$; from I November 1948, $£ 100$ or $£ 1,000$ according to type of property ; from I February 1950, $£ 100$ or $£ 500$ according to type of property.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Employed operatives aged 16 and over in the thirteen main trades of the building and civil engineering industries. Clerical, technical and administrative workers are excluded. The table excludes building operatives employed by specialist firms $(115,000)$, local authorities ( 173,000 ), Government departments $(30,000)$, public utilities, etc. $(150,000)$ and by private firms outside the building and civil engineering industries; the figures in brackets refer to the numbers excluded at May 1950. Self-employed operatives in the thirteen main trades and the specialist trades (numbering 126,000 at May 1950) are also excluded.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ Non-housing work is licensed by the Ministry of Works, except that up to 30 June 1948 items of work of value $£ 100$ and under were licensed by local authorities. Housing work is licensed by local authorities, except that up to 31 January 1947 items of work of value over $£ 100$ on occupied houses were licensed by the Ministry of Works.
${ }^{(4)}$ Including men employed on house conversion, repairs and maintenance, who numbered 240,000 at May 1950.

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

TABLE 89

${ }^{(1)}$ In addition, 157, 146 temporary houses were completed between 1945 and March 1949.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ From October 1949 for new and war-destroyed houses built by private builders, and from July 1950 for houses built by Government departments, the figures for Scotland included in the first two months of each quarter are estimated.
${ }^{(3)}$ Accommodation provided for the families of police, prison staffs, the Armed Forces, etc.
${ }^{(4)}$ England and Wales only. Repairs completed by private builders under licence are included only from April 1946.
${ }^{(5)}$ Conversions and adaptations completed by private builders under licence in England and Wales are included only from April 1946.
${ }^{( }{ }^{\circ}$ ) Figures for England and Wales relate only to the period April to December.

Source : Ministry of Local Government and Planning and Department of Health for Scotland.

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

## TABLE 90


${ }^{(1)}$ New and war-destroyed houses built by local authorities, by private builders, by housing associations and by Government departments.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Allowance has been made for tenders notified as withdrawn and for licences issued to private builders notified as having lapsed. Contracts for 28,268 houses in England and Wales have been withdrawn between April 1945 and the end of December 1950. In Scotland an allowance is made each quarter in the figure for new contracts.

|  |  |  |  | Under local authorities' schemes ( ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |  |  | By private builders ${ }^{(2)}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Tenders approved | Tenders approved but construction not begun ${ }^{3}$ ) (end of period) | Construction begun | Under construction (end of period) | Houses completed | Licences issued | Licences issued but construction not begun ${ }^{3}$ ) (end of period) | Construction begun | Under construction (end of period) | Houses completed |
| Great Britain |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1945 a | nd 1946 |  |  | 279,936 | 101,420 | 178,516 | 154,456 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947. |  |  | ... | 124,685 | 69,626 | 154,364 | 214.654 | 94,166 | 21,653 | 12,414 7,209 | 61,530 22,811 | 33,118 23,538 |  |
| 1948. |  |  | $\ldots$ | 130,687 | 57,530 | 139,339 | 165,749 | 188,244 | 16,115 | 6,978 | 22,81 13,116 | 23,538 14,441 | 32,391 22,213 |
| 1949. |  |  |  | 172,989 | 63,232 | 163,658 | ! 54,232 | 165,175 | 34,065 |  | 30,205 | 14,441 22,925 | 22,213 21,721 |
| 1950. |  |  |  | 177,357 | 63,288 | 173,614 | 174,396 | 163,450 | 21,955 | 8,320 | 13,16 20,327 | 12,425 16,771 | $\begin{aligned} & 21,721 \\ & 26,481 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter |  |  | 36,282 | 53,434 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... | 41,341 | 52,332 | 41,251 | 160,228 | 40,511 | 9,755 | 8,829 | 7,215 8,587 | 17,839 21,583 | 3,817 4,843 |
|  |  |  | ... | 46,408 | 54,031 | 43,860 | 166,492 | 37,596 | 7,668 | 7,945 | 7,437 | 23,010 | 4,843 6,010 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 48,958 | 63,232 | 38,879 | 164,232 | 41,139 | 7,636 | 8,090 | 6,966 | 22,925 | 6,010 7,051 |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter |  | $\ldots$ | 38,278 | 61.473 | 39,443 | 164,273 | 39,402 | 6,337 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... | 46,086 | 60,835 | 46,087 | 169,367 | 40,993 | 5,028 | 7,101 | 5,266 | 21,010 | 7,050 |
|  |  |  |  | 44,964 | 57,188 | 46,931 | 175,856 | 40,442 | 4,687 | 6,918 | 4,585 | 18,635 | 7,050 6,960 |
|  |  |  | ... | 48,029 | 63,288 | 41,153 | 174,396 | 42,613 | 5,903 | 8,320 | 4,145 | 16,771 | 6,009 |
| England and Wales |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 220,698 | 76,862 | 143,836 | 124,837 | 18,999 | 74,227 | 11,544 | 58,713 | 30,936 | 27,777 |
| April 1945 to December 1946 1947 ... |  |  |  | 107,657 | 52,464 | 129,940 | 171,162 | 83,615 | 20,054 | 6,576 | 20,975 | 20,849 | 31,062 |
| 1948 ... ... ... .. |  |  |  | 125,827 | 47,221 | 127,626 | 129,817 | 168,971 | 15,558 | 6,416 | 12,488 | 12,638 | 20,699 |
| 1949... |  |  |  | 159,016 | 56,036 | 146,572 | 135,310 | 141,079 | 33,373 | 7,508 | 29,533 | 21,560 | 20,611 |
| 1950 ... |  |  |  | 151,488 | 54,637 | 149,150 | 145,302 | 139,158 | 20,719 | 7,505 | 19,324 | 15,236 | 25,648 |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter |  |  | 33,491 | 43,586 | 36,416 | 126,192 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2nd Quarter |  |  | 37,736 | 44,375 | 35,755 | 127,893 | 34,054 | 9,593 | 7,692 | 8,483 | 20,190 | 4,591 |
|  | 3rd Quarter4th Quarter |  | $\ldots$ | 44,014 | 48,089 | 39,451 | 134,748 | 32,596 | 7,406 | 7,375 | 7,112 | 21,562 | 5,740 |
|  |  |  | ... | 43,775 | 56,036 | 34,950 | 135,310 | 34,388 | 7,533 | 7,508 | 6,875 | 21,560 | 6,877 |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter |  |  | 31,386 | 51,747 | 35,081 | 136,877 | 33,514 | 6,055 | 7,082 | 6,106 | 21,346 | 6,320 |
|  | 2nd Quarter |  |  | 38,533 | 51,692 | 37,951 | 140,274 | 34,554 | 4,832 | 6,413 | 5,119 | 19,620 | 6,845 |
|  |  |  |  | 38,435 | 48,587 | 39,860 | 145,380 | 34,754 | 4,360 | 6,205 | 4,283 | 17,190 | 6,713 |
|  | 4th Quarter |  | $\ldots$ | 43,134 | 54,687 | 36,258 | 145,302 | 36,336 | 5,472 | 7,505 | 3,816 | 15,236 | 5,770 |
| Scotland |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1947 \ldots$1948 |  |  |  | 17,028 | 17,162 | 24,424 | 43,492 | 10,551 | 1,599 | 633 | 1,836 | 2,689 | 1,329 |
| 1948 |  |  | $\ldots$ | 4.860 | 10.309 | 11,713 | 35.932 | 19,273 | 557 | 562 | 628 | 1,803 | 1,514 |
|  |  |  |  | 13.973 | 7,196 | 17,086 | 28,922 | 24,096 | 692 | 582 | 672 | 1,365 | 1,110 |
| 1950 ... |  |  | ... | 25,869 | 8,601 | 24,464 | 29,094 | 24,292 | 1,236 | 815 | 1,003 | 1,535 | 833 |
| 1949 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter |  | $\ldots$ | 2,791 | 9,848 | 3,252 | 33,296 | 5,888 | 165 | 575 | 152 | 1,541 | 414 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 3,605 | 7,957 | 5,496 | 32,335 | 6,457 | 162 | 633 | 104 | 1,393 | 252 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 2,394 | 5,942 | 4,409 | 31,744 | 5,000 | 262 | 570 | 325 | 1,448 | 270 |
|  |  |  |  | 5,183 | 7,196 | 3,929 | 28,922 | 6,751 | 103 | 582 | 91 | 1,365 | 174 |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter 4th Quarter |  |  | 6,892 | 9,726 | 4,362 | 27,396 | 5,888 | 282 | 639 | 225 | 1,448 | 142 |
|  |  |  | ... | 7.553 | 9,143 | 8,136 | 29,093 | 6,439 | 196 | 688 | 147 | 1,390 | 205 |
|  |  |  |  | 6,529 | 8,601 | 7,071 | 30,476 | 5,688 | 327 | 713 | 302 | 1,445 | 247 |
|  |  |  | ... | 4,895 | 8,601 | 4,895 | 29,094 | 6,277 | 431 | 815 | 329 | 1,535 | 239 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Excluding war-destroyed houses rebuilt and houses built by Government departments.
${ }^{(2)}$ The Scottish Special Housing Association is included in the figures for local authorities' schemes ; other housing associations are included in the figures for private builders.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 90.
Source : Ministry of Local Government and Planning and Department of Health for Scotland.

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ment as |  |  | Develo | nt Are |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | App |  | App | ved | Appr |  | Buildi const end | under <br> tion at <br> eriod | Comp | ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
|  |  |  |  | Number | Value £000 | Number | Value £000 | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { EOOO } \end{aligned}$ | Number | Value $\Varangle 000$ | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { EOOO } \end{aligned}$ |
| 945 | ... - | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 621 | 32,076 | 333 | 13,768 | 288 | 18,308 | 94 | 7,292 | 1 | 38 |
| 946 |  |  | ... | 1,405 | 54,395 | 988 | 28,971 | $417\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | 25,424( ${ }^{3}$ ) | 398 | 24,146 | 80 | 2,025 |
| 947 |  | .. | ... | 762 | 44,685 | 476 | 16,312 | 286 | 28,373 | 531 | 52,925 | 232 | 8,225 |
| 948 |  |  |  | 1,002 | 55,826 | 803 | 40,824 | 199 | 15,002 | 427 | 44,471 | 321 | 14,539 |
| 949 | Ist Quarter | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 654 582 | 28,364 32,362 | 544 491 | 24,523 16,107 | 110 91 | 3,841 16,255 | 350 322 | 46,087 47,417 | 90 124 | 3,872 4,975 1,623 |
|  | 2nd Quarter 3rd Quarter | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 582 519 |  | 491 <br> 452 | 16,107 52,364 | 91 67 | 16,251 6,094 | 322 332 | 47,417 49,901 | 124 48 | 4,975 1,623 |
|  | 4th Quarter |  |  | 403 | 15,953 | 332 | 12,305 | 71 | 3,648 | 283 | 47,715 | 89 | 4,332 |
| 950 | Ist Quarter | $\ldots$ |  | 461 | 40,577 | 388 | 37,319 | 73 | 3,258 | 266 | 47,375 | 56 | 2,421 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | $\ldots$ |  | 462 | 19,683 | 388 | 15,343 | 74 | 4,340 | 264 | 46,933 | 63 | 4,726 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | 462 | 21,238 | 385 | 15,399 | 77 | 5,839 | 250 | 44,190 | 45 | 2,459 |
|  | 4th Quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | 583 | 19,892 | 486 | 14,040 | 97 | 5,852 | 288 | 46,697 | 37 | 1,512 |
| 951 | January... | ... | ... | 220 | 8,637 | 172 | 6,468 | 48 | 2,169 | 275 | 45,667 | 21 | 1,702 |
| Total to 31 January 1951 |  |  | ... | 8,136 | 432,146 | 6,238 | 293,743 | 1,898 | 138,403 | 275 | 45,667 | 1,207 | 52,449 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Schemes with an area of 5,000 square feet and over for new factories and extensions
Source: Board of Trade to existing factories.
(2) Including some cases where the firm is in occupation though building is not complete.
${ }^{3}$ ) Including 10 "Advance" and "Grenfell" factories, value $£ 312,935$, which at
31 January 1951 were unallocated.

## New factory buildings in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 93
Total for period I January 1945 to 31 January 195I

|  | Approved |  | Licensed ( ${ }^{( }$) |  | Buildings under construction at end of period |  | Completed ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Value $£ 000$ | Number | Value £000 | Number | Value £000 | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { £OOO } \end{aligned}$ |
| Total ... | 8,136 | 432,146 | 5,849 | 295,630 | 1,273 | 162,232 | 3,775 | 106,864 |
| Outside Development Areas: Total | 6,238 | 293,743 | 4,269 | 192,497 | 998 | 116,565 | 2,568 | 54,415 |
| In Development Areas: Total ... | 1,898( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 138,403 ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 1,580( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 103,133( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 275 | 45,667 | 1,207 | 52,449 |
| North Eastern West Cumberland | 508 | 36,814 | 444 | 28,126 | 74 | 10,091 | 345 35 | 17,198 1,397 15 |
| South Wales ... | 424 | 1,849 55,162 |  | 1,764 38,829 | 58 | 22,601 | 265 | 15,105 |
| Wrexham ... | 26 | 1,558 | 336 19 | 38,821 1,219 | 9 | 1,051 | 9 | 164 |
| South Lancashire... | 99 | 3,184 | 76 | 2,691 | 18 | 614 | 50 | 1,910 |
| $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Merseyside } \\ \text { Scottish ... } & \text {... } \\ \end{array}$ | 203 | 11,777 | 137 | 8,468 | 46 | 5,048 | 73 430 |  |
| Scottish ... ... ... | 588 | 28,059 | 522 | 22,036 | 63 |  |  |  |

[^9]
# Educational building in England and Wales 

## (i) Progress of educational building programmes

TABLE 94
Value $£$ thousand

|  |  | All educational building( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 1946-48 programme( ${ }^{2}$ ) (Operational and short-term) |  |  | 1949 programme( ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  | 1950 programme( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Projects approved | Under construction (end of period) | Contracts completed | Projects approved | Under construction (end of period) | Contracts completed | Projects approved | Under construction (end of period) | Contracts completed | Projects approved | Under construction (end of period) | Contract complete |
| 1946 and | d 1947 | 52,201 | 21,377 | 16,995(5) | 24,825 | 9,610 | 179 | - | - |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  | 23.918 | 33,398 | 15.831 | 16,341 | 24,130 | 2,007 | - | - | - | - | - |  |
| 1949 | ... ... | 70,501 | 69,940 | 21,501 | $-1,814\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | 24,601 | 8,168 | 60,365 | 38,287 | 456 | - | - |  |
| 1950 |  | 44,164 | 86,082 | 27,531 | 698 | 14,731 | 12,840 | 5,657 | 50,649 | 5,254 | 31,930 | 16,514 | 116 |
| 1949 Ist | st Quarter | 8,050 | 36,807 | 4,987 | $-4,505\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | 27,065 | 1,448 | 6,553 | 1,445 | 14 | - | - | - |
| 12 | nd Quarter | 8,337 | 39,810 | 6,116 | 727 | 26,893 | 2,259 | 5,798 | 5,072 | 28 | - | - |  |
| 3 r | rd Quarter | 13,771 | 44,708 | 4,397 | 1,439 | 26,270 | 1,651 | 9,353 | 11,011 | 72 | - | - | - |
|  | th Quarter | 40,343 | 69,940 | 6,001 | 525 | 24,601 | 2,810 | 38,661 | 38,287 | 342 | - | - | - |
| 1950 Ist | st Quarter | 8,895 | 78,626 | 5,527 | 317 | 23,037 | 2,365 | 3,259 | 48,768 | 378 | 2,740 | 499 |  |
| 12 n | nd Quarter | 6,751 | 80,551 | 7,249 | -185( ${ }^{6}$ ) | 20,215 | 3,320 | 642 | 51,561 | 1,123 | 5,438 | 3,705 |  |
|  | rd Quarter | 13,244 | 83,074 | 7,846 | 785 | 16,479 | 4,165 | 1,014 | 52,414 | 1,629 | 10,847 | 9,645 | 18 |
|  | th Quarter | 15,274 | 86,082 | 6,909 | $-219\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | 14,731 | 2,990 | 742 | 50,649 | 2,124 | 12,905 | 16,514 | 92 |
| 1951 Jan | anuary | 8,585 | 88,458 | 2,778 | 72 | 13,758 | 1,025 | 109 | 50,166 | 1,086 | 6,637 | 20,493 | 88 |
| Total to Jan | end anuary | 199,369 | 88,458 | 84,636 | 40,122 | 13,758 | 24,219 | 66,131 | 50,166 | 6,796 | 38,567 | 20,493 | 20 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Including projects not incorporated in a programme.
(2) Estimated cost $£ 39,500,000$.
${ }^{3}$ ) Estimated cost $£ 65,000,000$.
(4) Estimated cost $£ 45,000,000$.
(5) Including some projects approved before 1946.
(') Projects previously approved and now withdrawn or transferred to a later programme exceeded new projects approved.

Source : Ministry of Education
(ii) New places provided in maintained and assisted primary and secondary schools

TABLE 95

|  | School places provided |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Schools built <br> New school premises |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Allprojects | Completed major projects |  |  |  | Incomplete major projects in use |  | HORSA ${ }^{(2)}$ <br> Secondary | Minor <br> projects <br> $(3)$ <br> Primary <br> and <br> secondary |  |  |
|  |  | New school premises |  | Other ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Primary | Secondary | Primary | Secondary | Primary | Secondary |  |  | Depa | ments |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Primary | Secondar |
| I April 1945 to |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| I June 1949 | 316,908 | 12,646 | 6,690 | 6,520 | 5,525 | 14,210 | 6,675 | 146,445 | 118,197 | 53 | 23 |
| I Oct. 1949 | 353,341 | 21,096 | 8,720 | 8,000 | 8,005 | 20,010 | 7,775 | 153,540 | 126,195 | 85 | 28 |
| I Feb. 1950 | 390,190 | 36,586 | 13,130 | 10,600 | 9,900 | 16,520 | 9,000 | 159,090 | 135,364 | 144 | 45 |
| I June 1950 | 432,880 | 54,750 | 16,910 | 13,940 | 11,880 | 18,965 | 9,440 | 163,065 | 143,930 | 214 | 58 |
| 1 Oct. 1950 | 481,970 | 74,350 | 24,135 | 19,580 | 12,825 | 21,115 | 10,105 | 165,405 | 154,455 | 290 | 77 |
| 1 Feb. 1951 | 520,795 | 93,070 | 29,825 | 22,060 | 15,555 | 21,565 | 8,405 | 166,500 | 163,815 | 361 | 93 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Extensions, alterations, repair of war damage.
(2) Hutting operation for raising the school age.
${ }^{(3)}$ Projects under $£ 5,000$ (other than HORSA).

## Building materials and components: Production and stocks

Production ${ }^{1}$ ): monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period

${ }^{(1)}$ Production figures for individual months for cement, gypseous plaster, asbestos cement sheeting and plasterboard relate to periods of four or five weeks. The five-week periods are marked with an asterisk(*).
(3) Great Britain.
(3) 1939.
(c) Four weeks and six days.
(') Four weeks and two days in 1949 and four weeks and one day in 1950.

## Building materials and components: Production and stocks

TABLE 97
Production : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

|  |  |  |  | Clay roofing tiles |  | Concrete roofing tiles |  | Roofing slates ( ${ }^{1}$ ) ${ }^{\left({ }^{2}\right)}$ |  | Slates (damp proof course) $\left(^{1}\right)\left({ }^{(2)}\right.$ |  | Roofing felt $\left(^{(3)}\right.$ |  | Wall partition blocks (clay) $\qquad$ <br> Production |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks |  |
|  |  |  |  | Thousand squares |  |  |  |  |  | Thousands |  | Thousand rolls |  | Thousand sq. yds. |
| 1938 |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 126 | . | 80 | . | 55.1 | .. | 834 | . | 200(4) | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |
| 1946 | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 43.1 | 33.9 | 28.4 | 38.7 | 23.0 | 28.3 | 749 | 1,050 | 203 | 110 | 124.3 |
| 1947 | ... ... | ... | ... | $65 \cdot 6$ | 57.4 | 53.1 | 53.4 | 21.0 | 24.6 | 550 | 877 | 228 | 225 | 140.9 |
| 1948 | ... ... | ... | ... | 70.1 | 199.7 | $68 \cdot 7$ | 127.9 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 26.2 | 667 | 427 | 260 | 171 | 142.3 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 62.8 58.1 | $225 \cdot 7$ $222 \cdot 1$ | 68.2 69.7 | $164 \cdot 9$ 162.2 | 25.9 25.0 | $26 \cdot 8$ $36 \cdot 2$ | 669 663 | 339 478 | 241 250 | 151 132 | 139.6 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January | $\ldots$ |  | $65 \cdot 8$ | 207.7 | 64.4 | 136.7 | 23.6 | 25.5 | 567 | 458 | 264 | 175 | 132.1 |
|  | February |  | ... | 53.9 | 211.4 | 61.7 | 139.6 | $29 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | 706 | 406 | 227 | 157 | 136.8 |
|  | March ... |  | ... | 63.5 | 221.3 | 69.1 | 139.7 | 28.5 | 25.8 | 715 | 434 | 253 | 173 | 151.8 |
|  | April | ... | ... | $57 \cdot 6$ | 226.8 | 58.5 | 135.5 | 26.9 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 585 | 405 | 206 | 165 | 116.9 |
|  | May | ... | ... | $64 \cdot 6$ | 229.7 | 69.7 | 133.6 | 23.7 | $26 \cdot 5$ | 718 | 334 | 236 | 169 | 143.0 |
|  | June |  | ... | $67 \cdot 7$ | $231 \cdot 9$ | $71 \cdot 6$ | $137 \cdot 2$ | 26.9 | $26 \cdot 9$ | 748 | 366 | 223 | 153 | 132.7 |
|  | July | ... | ... | $60 \cdot 4$ | 224.5 | 61.4 | 136.4 | 26.7 | 25.1 | 711 | 274 | 197 | 172 | 132.6 |
|  | August | ... | ... | $61 \cdot 2$ | 224.3 | $70 \cdot 8$ | 142.4 | 20.0 | 23.9 | 504 | 261 | 228 | 147 | 134.7 |
|  | September | .. | ... | 63.5 | 218.2 | 74.3 | 142.4 | $25 \cdot 2$ | 23.0 | 727 | 316 | 264 | 153 | 149.9 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | ... | 65.5 | 216.9 | 71.9 | 144.7 | 27.7 | 24.3 | 696 | 313 | 243 | 119 | 165.6 |
|  | November | ... | ... | 69.7 | 222.1 | $77 \cdot 1$ | 155.1 | $26 \cdot 7$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | 683 | 250 | 300 | 112 | 143.6 135.4 |
|  | December | ... | $\ldots$ | 59.6 | 225.7 | $67 \cdot 3$ | 164.9 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | 669 | 339 | 253 | 151 | 135.4 |
| 1950 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 60.4 | 227.0 | $70 \cdot 2$ | 169.4 | 23.7 | 26.2 | 761 | 401 | 262 | 161 | 142.1 |
|  | February | ... | ... | $52 \cdot 7$ | $232 \cdot 8$ | $65 \cdot 7$ | 182.4 | 24.9 | 27.2 | 611 | 477 | 236 | 187 | 124.1 |
|  | March |  | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 2$ | 229.5 | $66 \cdot 7$ | $176 \cdot 3$ | 26.2 | 27.0 | 635 | 466 | 289 | 199 | $164 \cdot 4$ |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 53.4 | 229.5 | 57.5 | 166.4 | 25.1 | $30 \cdot 4$ | 599 | 406 | 219 | 196 | 122.3 |
|  | May ... |  | ... | 58.5 | 222.5 | 76.9 | 162.9 | $25 \cdot 8$ | 29.3 | 679 | 410 | 264 | 175 | 176.6 160.0 |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | $62 \cdot 8$ | 219.9 | 75.2 | $165 \cdot 2$ | 25.1 | $28 \cdot 5$ | 751 | 412 | 230 | 155 |  |
|  | July ... |  | $\ldots$ | 59.3 | 219.8 | $70 \cdot 8$ | 162.8 | 28.0 | 31.4 | 744 | 385 | 212 | 159 | 166.2 |
|  | August | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 54.6 | 218.0 | $64 \cdot 9$ | 158.9 | 25.3 | 31.6 | 666 | 389 | 236 | 152 | 164.7 |
|  | September | ... | $\ldots$ | $60 \cdot 6$ | 215.0 | $73 \cdot 3$ | $160 \cdot 1$ | 22.1 | 32.1 | 616 | 341 | 246 | 150 |  |
|  | October |  |  | 64.8 | $210 \cdot 7$ | $75 \cdot 2$ | $154 \cdot 6$ | 24.8 | 32.8 | 680 | 359 | 298 | 135 |  |
|  | November |  |  | 61.9 | 211.7 | $77 \cdot 1$ | 152.3 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $34 \cdot 8$ | 606 | 404 | 273 | 127 |  |
|  | December |  | $\ldots$ | 51.0 | 222.1 | $63 \cdot 3$ | 162.2 | 23.5 | $36 \cdot 2$ | 606 | 478 | 239 | 132 |  |
| 1951 | January |  |  | 54.7 | 228.0 | $73 \cdot 7$ | 184.5 192.0 | 21.5 23.0 | 37.7 37.6 | 525 562 | 429 429 | $\begin{aligned} & 264 \\ & 266 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 143 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | February March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 6$ | $227 \cdot 0$ | $73 \cdot 2$ | 192.0 | $23 \cdot 0$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | 562 | 429 | 266 |  |  |

[^10]
## Building materials and components: Production( ${ }^{1}$ )



Building materials and components : Production
TABLE 99
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Independent boilers | Cookers |  |  | Wash boilers |  | Water heaters |  |  | Meters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Solid fuel ${ }^{1}$ ) | Gas | Electric | Gas | Electric | Gas | Electric immersion | Electric storage ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Gas | Electric |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... |  |  |  | $7 \cdot 7$ | 18.1 | 43.5 | 22.1 | 29.1 | 8.8 | $10 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 108.5 | 146.2 |
|  |  |  |  | 8.7 | 17.5 | 52.8 | 18.6 | 29.1 | 8.8 9.4 | 12.1 | 12.2 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 105.6 | 103.1 |
|  |  |  | ... | 10.7 | 16.7 | 67.9 | 22.9 | 33.4 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 15.5 | 15.9 | 4.9 | $115 \cdot 3$ | $117 \cdot 0$ |
| 1950 | January |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3.4 | $110 \cdot 7$ | 92.5 |
|  | February |  | ... | 9.7 10.6 | 14.6 | 65.1 | $22 \cdot 9$ | 33.0 | 11.4 | 14.7 | 11.7 | 4.0 | 111.6 | 97.7 |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 10.6 12.9 | $15 \cdot 8$ $20 \cdot 2$ |  | 23.5 22.9 |  | 9.5 10.6 | 14.8 15.9 | 15.0 | 4.9 | 126.2 | $110 \cdot 0$ |
|  | April ... |  |  | $10 \cdot 2$ | 15.8 |  |  |  |  | 12.1 | 11.3 | $4 \cdot 1$ | 106.6 | 107.6 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 11.7 | 19.3 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $21 \cdot 5$ | 26.1 32.4 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 14.4 | 17.2 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 124.3 | 124.1 |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | 11.9 | 19.2 | $72 \cdot 0$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $31 \cdot 2$ | 12.1 | 14.6 | $20 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 8$ |  |  |
|  | July .. | $\ldots$ |  | $9 \cdot 3$ | 14.0 | $64 \cdot 7$ | 21.2 | $27 \cdot 1$ | 9.5 | 15.1 | 18.9 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 106.8 | 114.3 |
|  | August |  | $\ldots$ | 10.2 | 16.5 | $57 \cdot 5$ | 17.5 | 37.9 | 12.5 | 14.0 | 16.8 | 4.5 | 108.2 | $107 \cdot 7$ |
|  | September |  | ... | 10.6 | 15.8 | $70 \cdot 6$ | $25 \cdot 5$ | $31 \cdot 5$ | 10.1 | $17 \cdot 0$ | 16.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 115.3 | $130 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 9$ | 119.6 | 127.0 |
|  | November |  | $\ldots$ | 10.7 | 18.1 | $76 \cdot 1$ | 25.6 27.4 | 39.9 39.6 | 11.0 | 19.8 | 18.4 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $125 \cdot 7$ | 159.6 |
|  | December |  | $\ldots$ | 9.5 | 14.7 | $76 \cdot 5$ 64.5 | $25 \cdot 4$ 25.2 | 39.6 33.4 | 8.8 | 15.1 | 16.8 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 103.1 | $120 \cdot 8$ |
| 1951 | January |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17.4 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 112.0 | 127.2 |
|  | February | ... | $\ldots$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 15.1 | 71.9 | $24 \cdot 7$ | 39.2 | 11.3 | 16.4 | 15.2 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 113.0 |  |

[^11]Source: Ministry of Works and Ministry of Supply

# IX. FOOD AND AGRICULTURE 

Crops and grass: Area and harvest( ${ }^{1}$ )


[^12]
# Cattle and sheep on agricultural holdings(1) 

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Cattle |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ther cattle |  |  |  | Other | heep |
|  |  |  |  | Total | hoifers in milk | in calf but not In milk | with first calf | Two years old and over | One year and under two | Under year | Total | breeding | One year old and over | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Under } \\ & \text { one } \\ & \text { year } \end{aligned}$ |
| 139 | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 8,872 | 2,841 | 480 | 564 | 1,343 | 1,867 | 1,778 | 26,887 | 10,975 | 3,811 | 12,102 |
| 344 | June | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 9,501 | 2,927 2,918 | 653 625 | 794 800 | 1,476 1,631 1,61 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,770 \\ & 1814 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,882 \\ & 1.829 \end{aligned}$ | $20,107$ | 8,120 8.211 | 3,477 <br> 3,533 | 8.511 8.407 |
| 345 <br> 346 <br> 46 |  |  | $\cdots$ | 9.616 9.629 | 2,919 | 618 | 885 | 1,682 | 1,747 | 1,777 | 20,358 | 8,294 | 3,604 | ${ }_{8,460}$ |
| 346 347 | June .... | ... | $\cdots$ | 9,567 | 2,897 | 643 | 843 | 1,679 | 1,708 | 1,798 | 16,713 | 7,143 | 3,363 | 6,207 |
| 348 |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 9,806 | 2,933 | 650 | 907 | 1,635 | 1,603 | 2,078 | 18,164 | 7,545 | 2,911 |  |
| 948 | September |  |  | 9,821 | 2,691 | 958 | 855 | 1,608 | 1,537 | 2,171 | 16,853 | 7,056 | 3,090 | 6,707 |
|  | December | ... | ... | 9,529 | 2,521 | 1,092 | 641 | 1,504 | 1,619 | 2,153 | 14,210 | 7,060 | 2,365 | 4,785 |
| 349 | March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 9,766 | 2,650 | 957 | 861 | 1,527 | 1,639 | 2,132 |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  | $\ldots$ | 10,244 | 3,049 | 641 | 911 | 1,633 | 1,796 | 2,214 | 19,493 | 7,746 | 3,388 | 8,359 |
|  | September |  | ... | 10,204 | 2,685 | 1,033 | 873 | 1,613 | 1,805 | 2,194 | 17,923 | 7.135 | 3,565 | 7,223 |
|  | December | ... | ... | 10,036 | 2,612 | 1,123 | 608 | 1,599 | 1,771 | 2,323 | 14,832 | 7,041 | 2,762 | 5,029 |
| 350 | March ... |  | $\ldots$ | 10,229 | 2,802 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  |  | 10,620 | 3,139 | 628 | 862 | 1,708 | 1,974 | 2,310 | 20,430 | 8,072 | 3,677 | 8,681 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 10,503 | 2,767 | 985 | 804 | 1,765 | 1,991 | 2,191 | 18,444 | 7,365 | 3,761 | 7,318 |

$\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ Excluding livestock on holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great
Source : Agricultural Departments Britain and less than one quarter of an acre in Northern Ireland.

Pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings( ${ }^{( }$)
TABLE 102

|  |  |  |  | Pigs |  |  |  |  | Poultry |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Sows for breeding | Other plgs |  |  | Total( ${ }^{(2)}$ | Fowls in the United Kingdom | Fowls in Great Britain |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Five months old and over |  | Two months and under five | Under two months | Total |  |  | Six months and over | Under six months |
| 939 | June |  | ... |  | 4,394 | 542 | 801 | 1,872 | 1,179 | 74,357 | 69,530 | 60,234 | 26,610 | 33,624 |
| 944 | June |  | ... | 1,867 | 253 | 537 | 663 | 415 | 55,127 | 50,242 | 34,986 | 15,976 | 19,010 |
| 945 | June ... | ... | ... | 2,152 | 246 | 681 | 800 | 425 | 62,136 | 56,666 | 40,615 | 17,533 | 23,083 |
| 946 | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | 1.955 | 221 | 582 | 762 | 391 | 67,117 | 61,723 | 43,397 | 19,504 | 23,894 $\mathbf{2 3 , 9 7 5}$ |
| 947 | June . |  | ... | 1,628 | 197 | 516 | 635 | 280 | 70,006 | 64,880 |  | 21,320 |  |
| 94 | June ... | ... | ... | 2,151 | 318 | 514 | 846 | 472 | 85,372 | 79,219 | 56,595 | 23,676 | 32,919 |
|  | September | ... | $\ldots$ | 2,603 | 324 | 801 | 851 | 627 | 85,372 |  | 47,706 | 27,186 | 20,519 |
|  | December | ... | $\ldots$ | 2,779 | 305 | 943 | 1,070 | 461 | 60,997 | 56,872 | 40,237 | 33,253 | 6,985 |
| 94 | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 49,525 | 31,932 | 17,593 37860 |
|  | June .... | ... | $\cdots$ | 2,823 | 345 | 928 815 | 1,108 | 555 | 95,499 | 89,152 | 66,488 | 28,628 | 37,860 |
|  | September |  | ... | 3,087 | 346 | 1,072 | 1,005 | 664 | 95,49 | 8,152 | 54,933 | 32,382 | 22,551 |
|  | December | ... | $\ldots$ | 3,140 | 335 | 1,136 | 1,152 | 518 | 67,477 | 63,007 | 46,504 | 39,436 | 7,068 |
| 950 | March ... |  |  | 2,975 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 53,514 | 37,655 | 15,858 |
|  | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | 2,986 | 387 | 778 | 1,205 | 615 | 96,109 | 90,789 | 71,176 | 33,739 | 37,437 21,614 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3,327 | 412 |  |  |  | 9,109 |  | 57,982 | 36,368 | 21,614 |

[^13]Source : Agricultural Departments

## FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

# Movement off farms of cereals and potatoes and purchases of animals for slaughter 

TABLE 103
Weekly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
(2) Receipts by flour millers.
${ }^{( }{ }^{2}$ Receipts by brewers, maltsters, flakers, roasters, distillers, pot and pearl barley manufacturers and the Ministry of Food.
${ }^{4}$ ) Receipts by oatmeal millers, flakers, maltsters and the Ministry of Food
(6) Excluding fat animals imported from the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland.
(8) Average for crop years 1936/7 to 1938/9.

* Average of five weeks.


# Processing of cereals and production of cereal products, sugar, glucose, jam, chocolate, beer and spirits 



[^14]FOOD AND AGRICULTURE
Fish, meat, bacon and milk products : Production
TABLE 105
Weekly averages
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  |  | Fish( ${ }^{(1)}$ | Meat ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Bacon and ham | Butter (3) | Cheese | Condensed milk(*) | Milk ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | Beef | Veal | Mutton and lamb | Pork | Offal |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 19.08 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2.84 | 0.40 | 1.10 | $3 \cdot 10$ |  |
| 1936 |  |  | ... | ... | 20.02 | $21 \cdot 74$ | 11.98 | 0.48 | 3.73 | $3 \cdot 40$ | 2.15 | $3 \cdot 35$ | 0.52 | 1.05 | 3.41 | 0.37 |
| 1937 |  |  | ... | ... | 20.90 | 20.96 | 11.33 | 0.44 | 3.71 | 3.44 | 2.04 | 2.99 | 0.37 | 0.73 | $3 \cdot 56$ | 0.371 |
| 1938 |  |  | ... | ... | $20 \cdot 12$ | 20.98 | 11.17 | 0.46 | 4.06 | 3.21 | 2.08 | $3 \cdot 11$ | 0.39 | 0.83 | 4.07 |  |
| 1946 |  |  |  |  | 17.11 | 16.17 | 10.34 | 0.66 | 2.92 | 0.40 | 1.85 | 2.08 | 0.21 | 0.48 | 1.63 | 0.59 |
| 1947 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 18.74 | 13.89 | 9.21 | 0.59 | 2.25 | 0.21 | 1.63 | 1.19 | 0.13 | 0.32 | 1.23 | 0.52 |
| 1948 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 19.60 | 13.67 | 8.87 | 0.54 | 2.33 | 0.31 | 1.62 | 1.39 | 0.16 | 0.50 | 1.75 | 0.72 |
| 1949 |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 18.83 | $15 \cdot 30$ | 9.66 | 0.50 | 2.69 | 0.65 | 1.80 | 2.83 | 0.20 | 0.64 | 2.06 | 0.56 |
| 1950 |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 16.61 | 18.21 | 11.63 | 0.56 | $2 \cdot 87$ | 1.21 | 1.94 | $3 \cdot 75$ | 0.31 | 1.06 | 2.69 | 0.78 |
| 1949 | January |  |  |  | $10 \cdot 77$ | 10.28* | 5.26* | 0.50* | 2.64* | 0.54* | 1.34* | 1.80* | 0.18* | 0.48* | 0.95 | 0.29 |
|  | February |  |  |  | 14.65 | $9 \cdot 65$ | 5.03 | 0.55 | $2 \cdot 20$ | 0.55 | 1.32 | $2 \cdot 25$ | 0.15 | 0.53 | 1.30 | 0.38 |
|  | March |  |  | $\ldots$ | $16 \cdot 30$ | 9.98 | 5.45 | 0.55 | $2 \cdot 10$ | 0.55 | 1.33 | $2 \cdot 50$ | 0.13 | 0.80 | 1. 22 | 0.54 |
|  | April |  | .. | $\ldots$ | 15.63 | 11.86* | 7.66* | 0.38* | 1.66* | 0.74* | 1.42* | 2.92* | 0.32* | 0.66* | 3.24 | 0.58 |
|  | May |  |  | $\ldots$ | 19.85 | 12.40 | $8 \cdot 60$ | 0.23 | 1.40 | 0.72 | 1.45 | $3 \cdot 30$ | 0.53 | 1.20 | $6 \cdot 23$ | 1.49 |
|  | June |  |  | ... | 22.82 | 9.52 | 5.85 | 0.17 | 1.63 | 0.75 | $1 \cdot 12$ | $3 \cdot 38$ | $0 \cdot 50$ | 1.38 | 4.48 | 1.59 |
|  | July... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 20.66 | 16.16* | 11.66* | 0.30* | 1.78* | 0.68* | 1.74* | 3.26* | 0.18* | 0.98* | 1.40 | 0.61 |
|  | August |  |  | .. | $24 \cdot 43$ | $18 \cdot 52$ | 13.27 | 0.40 | $2 \cdot 17$ | 0.63 | 2.05 | $2 \cdot 80$ | 0.13 | 0.38 | 0.79 | 0.29 |
|  | September |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 18.90 | $20 \cdot 53$ | 13.83 | 0.70 | $3 \cdot 13$ | 0.57 | $2 \cdot 30$ | $2 \cdot 60$ | 0.05 | 0.30 | 0.63 | 0.09 |
|  | October |  |  |  | 17.27 | 21.50* | 13.02* | 0.94* | 4.38* | 0.64* | 2.52* | 2.86* | 0.08* | 0.10* | 1.38 | 0.16 |
|  | November |  |  |  | 27.86 | 25.95 | 16.07 | 0.77 | $5 \cdot 40$ | 0.73 | 2.98 | $3 \cdot 18$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | 0.38 | $1 \cdot 10$ | 0.28 |
|  | December |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 16.73 | 17.55 | 10.43 | $0 \cdot 50$ | 3.87 | 0.70 | 2.05 | $3 \cdot 28$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | 0.55 | 1.99 | 0.45 |
| 1950 |  |  |  |  | 14.02 | 12.74* | 6.62* | 0.54* | 3.16* | 0.80* | 1.62* | 3.28* | 0.26* | 0.74* | 1.94 |  |
|  | February |  |  |  | 14.58 | 11.82 | $6 \cdot 35$ | 0.53 | $2 \cdot 15$ | 1.37 | 1.42 | 3.28 | 0.25 | 1.03 | 2. 28 | 0.58 |
|  | March | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 13.89 | $12 \cdot 38$ | 6.90 | 0.55 | 1.93 | 1.60 | 1.40 | $3 \cdot 65$ | $0 \cdot 30$ | 1.23 | $3 \cdot 48$ | 0.97 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 13.91 | 14.54* | 8.76* | 0.40* | 1.34* | 2.48* | 1-56* | 4.46* | 0.56* | 1.30* | $5 \cdot 74$ | 1.00 |
|  | May |  |  | $\ldots$ | $17 \cdot 12$ | 14.42 | 9.55 | 0.27 | 1.45 | 1.60 | 1.55 | $4 \cdot 48$ | 0.78 | 1.83 | $7 \cdot 32$ | 1.72 |
|  | June |  |  | $\ldots$ | 18.41 | 11.83 | 6.77 | 0.28 | 2. 32 | $1 \cdot 13$ | 1.33 | $4 \cdot 20$ | 0.65 | 1.75 | $6 \cdot 18$ | 2.05 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 19.15 | 16.32* | 11.14* | 0.34* | 2.20* | 0.98* | 1.66* | 3.68* | 0.38* | I.56* | 2.08 | 0.84 |
|  | August |  |  |  | 18.94 | 22.85 | 15.88 | 0.45 | $3 \cdot 42$ | 0.85 | 2.25 | $3 \cdot 28$ | 0.25 | 1.28 | 1.24 | 0.70 |
|  | August Septembe |  |  | $\ldots$ | 18.93 | $29 \cdot 20$ | 20.80 | 0.77 | 3.88 | 0.90 | 2.85 | 3.40 | $0 \cdot 10$ | 0.78 | 0.42 | 0.21 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3.96* | 0.06* | 0.26* | 0.38 | 0.18 |
|  | October Novembe |  |  | $\ldots$ | 20.75 19.44 | $29.06 *$ 24.95 | $19.06 *$ 15.75 | 0.93 | 4.60 | 0.95 | 2.72 | 3.75 | $0 \cdot 10$ | 0.45 | 0.40 | 0.23 |
|  | December |  |  | $\ldots$ | 14.05 | 18.43 | 12.12 | 0.55 | 2.93 | 0.90 | 1.93 | $3 \cdot 45$ | 0.08 | 0.65 | $0 \cdot 88$ | 0.25 |
| 1951 |  |  |  |  | 13.62 | 12.48* | 7•24* | 0.54* | $2 \cdot 28 *$ | 0.96* | 1.46* | 3.30* | 0.16* | ${ }^{0.72 *}$ | $0.88$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.23 \\ & 0.23 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February |  |  | ... | $16 \cdot 23$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Landed weight. Computed from figures for calendar months.
${ }^{2}$ ) Including fresh meat, offal and the production from fat cattle, imported from the Irish Republic.
${ }^{3}$ ) Excluding farm production.
(4) Whole and skimmed. Computed from figures for calendar months.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) Years ended 31 August.

* Average of five weeks.

Processing of oilseeds and oils and production of fats

| TABLE 106 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Seed crushing |  |  | Vegetable oil consumption $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | Whale, herring and seal oil consumption ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Margarine | Compound cooking fat |
|  |  |  |  |  | Oilseeds and nuts crushed | Crude oil produced | Oilcake and meal produced $\left(^{3}\right)$ | Total disposals | For food | Total disposals | For food |  |  |
| 934 to 1938 | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | $\cdots$ | 28.7 | . | . | $11 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $2 \cdot 65$ | 1.92 | $3 \cdot 50$ | 1.81 |
| 938 ... . |  | ... | ... | $\cdots$ | $30 \cdot 9$ | $10 \cdot 0$ |  | . | . | . |  | 4.01 | $2 \cdot 23$ |
| 946 947 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 22.619.9 | 9.7 9.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.3 \\ & 10.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.48 \\ & 2.48 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 21 \\ & 2 \cdot 24 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.34 \\ & 6.79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 32 \\ & 2.88 \end{aligned}$ |
| 947 948 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... |  | $\begin{array}{r} 8.5 \\ 9.6 \\ 10.2 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 17.5 \\ & 18.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.0 \\ & 11.3 \\ & 10.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.73 \\ & 2.80 \\ & 2.82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.47 \\ & 2.67 \\ & 2.64 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 68 \\ & 8.08 \\ & 7 \cdot 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 46 \\ & 4 \cdot 17 \\ & 4 \cdot 37 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 ... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 10.1 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 13.2 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | ... | ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 *January February March |  | $\cdots$$\cdots$$\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.8 \\ & 21.4 \\ & 21.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.3 \\ & 9.5 \\ & 9.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.6 \\ & 12.0 \\ & 12.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 18.5 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 12.0 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.04 \\ & 3.20 \\ & 2.78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.66 \\ & 3.05 \\ & 2.65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.15 \\ & 8.54 \\ & 8.35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.72 \\ & 4.50 \\ & 4.56 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *April ... May June ... | $\begin{aligned} & \cdots \\ & \cdots \\ & \cdots \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 21 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.6 \\ & 9.9 \\ & 9.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.6 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 18.3 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.4 \\ & 10.8 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 32 \\ & 3 \cdot 58 \\ & 3.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.24 \\ & 3.57 \\ & 2.88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.43 \\ & 7.91 \\ & 8.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.54 \\ & 4.64 \\ & 4.39 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *July ... August September | .$\cdots$$\ldots$ |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 21.8 \\ & 24.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.1 \\ 9.5 \\ 10.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.8 \\ 12.3 \\ 13.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.6 \\ & 16.5 \\ & 17.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.8 \\ 10.9 \\ 11.6 \end{array}$ | 2.403.082.43 | 2.263.032.35 | 7.758.458.33 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.01 \\ & 3.83 \\ & 3.71 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *October November December |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \cdots \\ \cdots \\ \cdots \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \\ & 23 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3 \\ & 11.5 \\ & 10.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 0 \\ & 15 \cdot 5 \\ & 13.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.0 \\ & 18.8 \\ & 17.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.6 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 10.9 \end{aligned}$ | 2.44 | $2 \cdot 22$ | 8.40 | 3.78 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $2 \cdot 33$ | 2.20 | 8.41 | 4.40 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2.05 | 2.05 | 7-37 | 4.08 |
| 1950 *January February March |  | $\cdots$$\cdots$$\cdots$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5 \\ & 11.4 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.8 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.1 \\ & 17.5 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.3 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 11.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 36 \\ & 2 \cdot 08 \\ & 2 \cdot 28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 30 \\ & 1 \cdot 91 \\ & 2 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.04 \\ & 7.26 \\ & 7.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.54 \\ & 4.60 \\ & 4.55 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *April ... <br> May ... <br> June ... |  | $\ldots$$\cdots$$\cdots$ | .. <br> $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 24 \cdot 9 \\ & 24 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 5 \\ & 10 \cdot 8 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 5 \\ & 17.3 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.9 \\ 10.1 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 80 \\ & 3.00 \\ & 2 \cdot 90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.62 \\ & 2.68 \\ & 2.78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.54 \\ & 6.69 \\ & 6.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 31 \\ & 4 \cdot 28 \\ & 4 \cdot 35 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *July ... August September |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \cdots \\ & \ldots \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 22 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.5 \\ 9.5 \\ 11.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.6 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.3 \\ & 18.0 \\ & 19.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.0 \\ 9.0 \\ 10.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.74 \\ & 2.85 \\ & 3.23 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 50 \\ & 2 \cdot 70 \\ & 2.98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 54 \\ & 6 \cdot 33 \\ & 7 \cdot 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 78 \\ & 3.72 \\ & 4.15 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *October November December |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 21.4 \\ & 21.3 \\ & 19.4 \end{aligned}$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 12.6 | 18.2 | 10.5 | 3.36 | $3 \cdot 20$ | 8.04 | 4. 18 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 9.1 | 12.5 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 13.1 | $3 \cdot 25$ | $3 \cdot 10$ | 8.15 | $5 \cdot 15$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $8 \cdot 2$ | 11.5 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 14.6 | 2.98 | 2.82 | $7 \cdot 42$ | 5.00 |
| 1951 *January February March |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \ldots \\ & \ldots \\ & \ldots \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 6 \\ & 21 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.0 \\ & 9.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.2 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 0 \\ & 20 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $12 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 12 \\ & 3.85 \end{aligned}$ | $3 \cdot 12$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.34 \\ & 8.75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 86 \\ & 5 \cdot 25 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ ) As crude oil.
Source : Ministry of Food
${ }^{(2)}$ (3) Excluding tung, stillingia, oiticica, copaiba and teaseed oils from 1940 and olive oil from February 1948.
${ }^{(3)}$ Figures exclude castor meal, cocoa-cake and meal, except that for 1938, which includes
castor cake unfit for animal feed.

* Average of five weeks.


## FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

Cereal products, sugar and chocolate : Consumption

(1) As refined sugar.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including quantities issued to industrial users, glucose and other food manufacturers
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.

* Average of five weeks.

Meat, fish and eggs: Consumption
Weekly averages


Milk : Consumption

TABLE 109

|  |  |  |  | Total ${ }^{1}$ ) | Fresh milk |  |  |  |  | Milk for manufacture (2) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | National Milk Scheme |  | School milk | Fuil price |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Free | Reduced price |  |  |  |
| 1939 |  |  | ... |  |  |  | - | $2 \cdot 1$ | 69.9 | $36 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  |  |  | 124.5 <br> 120.8 <br> 134.8 <br> 144.6 <br> $157 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.7 \\ & 108.8 \\ & 118.1 \\ & 126.1 \\ & 129.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 1 \\ & 3 \cdot 8 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 89.2 \\ 89.7 \\ 98.2 \\ 106.4 \\ 110.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 12.0 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 18.5 \\ & 27.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1946 \\ & 1947 \\ & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.3 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 15.5 \\ & 15.4 \\ & 15.3 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
|  | ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | .. | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { January } & \text {.. } \\ \text { February } \\ \text { March } & \text {.. }\end{array}$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133.7 \\ & 125.8 \\ & 146.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 121 \cdot 7 \\ & 112 \cdot 0 \\ & 131 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 14.7 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | 4.34.75.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 101.0 \\ 92.5 \\ 109.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.0 \\ & 13.8 \\ & 15.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 158.6 \\ & 190.8 \\ & 174.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130.5 \\ & 140 \cdot 3 \\ & 135.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 14.6 \end{aligned}$ | 2.65.44.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 112.1 \\ & 118.7 \\ & 116.1 \end{aligned}$ | 28.150.539.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... August September | $\ldots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 146.3 \\ & 131.8 \\ & 118.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132.5 \\ & 123.9 \\ & 114.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 15.2 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ | 3.90.74.8 | 113.2107.8 | 13.87.94.0 |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  | 94.7 |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\cdots$ | ...$\cdots$$\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \cdot 3 \\ & 134 \cdot 0 \\ & 144 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 121.9 \\ & 123.5 \\ & 126.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.8 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.9 \\ & 5.3 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \cdot 0 \\ & 1030 \\ & 106.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.4 \\ 10.5 \\ 18.0 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { January } & \\ \text { February }\end{array}$ | ...$\ldots$$\ldots$ | ..$\cdots$$\ldots$ | 151.9 $142 \cdot 6$ $167 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129.6 \\ & 120.0 \\ & 133.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ | 4.34.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 1091 \\ & 100.6 \\ & 111.7 \end{aligned}$ | $22 \cdot 3$$22 \cdot 6$335 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 6$ |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 172.4 \\ & 197.5 \\ & 184.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126.0 \\ & 133.8 \\ & 130.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 15.5 \\ & 15.1 \end{aligned}$ | 2.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 108.0 \\ & 113.0 \\ & 110.3 \end{aligned}$ | 46.463.753.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 2$ |  |  |
|  | July <br> August <br> September |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 162.9 \\ & 147.0 \\ & 134.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133.9 \\ & 127.6 \\ & 128.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.8 \\ & 0.8 \\ & 4.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.7 \\ & 111.6 \\ & 108.5 \end{aligned}$ | 29.019.45.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 141.9 \\ & 140.4 \\ & 144.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133.3 \\ & 129.3 \\ & 131.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.1 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 15.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.0 \\ & 5.4 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | 113.2 108.8 $111 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.6 \\ 11.1 \\ 13.0 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January <br> February ... <br> March |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 148.0 \\ & 134.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131.4 \\ & 120.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.5 \\ & 14.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.2 \\ & 4.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111.5 \\ & 101.9 \end{aligned}$ | 16.613.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding milk sold outside the Milk Marketing. Schemes.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Manufacture into milk products together with the quantity used on farms for cheese-making.

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


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## FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

Vegetables and animal feeding stuffs : Consumption
Weekly averages
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  | Potatoes |  | Canned vegetables | Barley |  | Maize |  | Oilcake and meal |  | Milling offals |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | High |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total disposals ${ }^{1}$ ) | For food |  | Brewing and food | Animal <br> feed ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Total disposals | Animal feed | and medium protein | Low protein |  |
| 1934 to 1938 ... |  |  |  | 62.8 | $62 \cdot 8$ |  | $15.8{ }^{(3)}$ | . | $65 \cdot 3$ | $57 \cdot 4$ | 28.2 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 45.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14.1 |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 125.8 122.3 | 120.3 121.8 | 5.14 5.87 | 20.4 19.0 | 14.13 8.65 | 4.90 834 | 2.52 4.18 16.34 | 11.3 | 5.0 | 14.1 16.6 |
| 1947 | ... - | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 122.3 112.3 | 101.7 | 6.05 | 20.8 | 10.08 | 2211 | 16.34 | 12.7 | 4.8 | 17.4 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 112.3 140.1 | 121.8 111.0 | 6.17 | 19.9 | 16.88 | 19.76 20.60 | 14.52 13.63 | 14.6 16.5 | 5 5 5 | 17.3 |
| 1959 | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 114.1 | 105.9 | 9.02 | $20 \cdot 1$ | 30.94 | $20 \cdot 60$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 *January February March ... |  |  |  |  | 119.6 | $8 \cdot 16$ | $24 \cdot 4$ | 9.20 | 31.44 | 25.44 | 20.2 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 19.6 |
|  |  |  |  | 160.8 174.3 | 118.8 | 5.88 | $27 \cdot 5$ | 11.75 | 34.75 | 25.68 | 18.3 | 6.0 | 19.0 |
|  |  |  |  | 193.0 | 119.5 |  | 27.0 | 16.00 | 34.43 | 29.33 | 22.0 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 21.5 |
|  |  |  |  | 176.8 | 105.4 | 5.94 | 21.0 | 12.40 | 14.08 | 10.96 | 12.2 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 15.2 |
|  | May |  | $\ldots$ | 159.5 | $105 \cdot 5$ | 5.75 | 23.3 | 13.75 | 20.15 | 10.13 | 85 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 14.3 |
|  | June .. |  | $\ldots$ | $140 \cdot 8$ | $100 \cdot 3$ | 5.75 | 13.0 | 12.25 | 10.73 | $7 \cdot 63$ | 8.0 | 3.0 | $15 \cdot 5$ |
|  | *July ... <br> August <br> September |  |  | 94.2 | 88.8 | 6.12 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 12. 20 | 10.04 | 6.32 | 9.2 | 3.6 | 19.0 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 96.8 | 95.8 | 8. 30 | 60 | 15.25 | 1288 | 825 | 11.5 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 21.3 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 127.3 | 126.8 | 12.05 | 13.8 | 21.75 | 16.80 | 12.20 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 9.5 | $15 \cdot 5$ |
| 1950 | *October November December |  |  | 11.10 | $110 \cdot 2$ | 12.06 | 21.2 | 23.40 | 17.00 | 11.90 | 14.6 | 7.4 | 15.4 |
|  |  |  |  | 128.8 | $127 \cdot 3$ | 11.35 | 28.8 | 28.00 | 15.43 | 12.13 | 20.8 | 7.0 | 16.5 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 122.8 | 119.8 | 10.73 | 28.8 | 29.25 | 21.00 | $15 \cdot 13$ | 19.5 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 14.5 |
|  | *January February March ... |  |  | 129.4 | $122 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 62$ | 24.2 | 39.40 | 27.60 | 22.40 | 23.6 | 8.0 | 16.2 |
|  |  |  |  | 131.0 | 122.3 | 9.33 | 27.8 | 39.75 | 28.75 | 2000 | 23.5 | 60 | 175 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 126.3 | 114.8 | $7 \cdot 53$ | 28.8 | 41.50 | 36.50 | 27.50 | 300 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 19.3 |
|  | *April ... | ... |  | 125.0 | 111.4 | $7 \cdot 52$ | 22.0 | 33.00 | 18.00 | 11.00 | 16.2 | 4.4 |  |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 1114.8 | 102.8 | 7.23 | 22.8 | 22.25 | 22.75 | 12.50 | 100 | 30 | 133 |
|  | June ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $94 \cdot 3$ | $85 \cdot 3$ | 6.73 | 13.8 | 22.25 | 17.00 | $7 \cdot 00$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 3$ |  |
|  | *July . | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 87.8 | 85.6 | 6.20 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 28.80 | 13.00 | 9.20 | 10.0 | $2 \cdot 6$ |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 86.5 | 86.3 | 7.48 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 75$ | 11.50 | 7.75 | 12.0 | 3. 8 | 18.5 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 119.3 | 116.8 | 12.93 | 15.8 | 28.50 | 15.50 | $8 \cdot 50$ | 12.3 |  |  |
|  | * October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 114.2 | 107.0 | 12.82 | $22 \cdot 6$ | 28.60 | $15 \cdot 60$ | $9 \cdot 20$ | 16.0 | 6.2 |  |
|  | November | ... | $\ldots$ | 121.5 | 109.8 | 11.23 | 29.0 | 29.00 | 19.50 | 12.50 | 17.8 | 8.0 | 21.0 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | ... | 118.8 | 106.3 | 8.43 | $25 \cdot 8$ | 26.00 | $23 \cdot 50$ | 16.75 | $18 \cdot 3$ | 8.5 |  |
| 1951 | *January February March .. |  |  | $136 \cdot 8$ | 119.6 | 7-30 |  |  |  |  |  | $8 \cdot 8$ | 20.8 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $27 \cdot 5$ | $21 \cdot 25$ | 29.25 | 24.75 | $20 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 20.8 |

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## X. EXTERNAL TRADE

Value and volume of the external trade of the United Kingdom
TABLE 112
Monthly averages or calendar months

(1) Including relief supplies to liberated countries.

Source: Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ The index numbers $(1938=100)$ for the years $1935-1947$ are obtained by weighting quantities according to 1938 prices; the figures for 1936-37 are approximate only. The new series of index numbers for later periods $(1947=100)$ are not comparable with those for 1935-47 since they are computed by weighting quantities according to 1947 prices. If measured in this series, using 1947 weights, the volume of exports was I per cent. lower in 1947 than in 1938 and the volume of retained imports fell by 27 per cent. between these two years.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Provisional monthly estimate. Similar monthly estimate for retained imports is not available,

## EXTERNAL TRADE

Value of exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom
Monthly averages or calendar months
£ thousand
TABLE 113


Source: Board of Trade
O.E.E.C. countries $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$

| Total | Dollar Area |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Canada | U.S.A.Other <br> American <br> Account <br> countries |  | c

$\left|\begin{array}{c}\text { Other } \\ \text { Western } \\ \text { Hemis- } \\ \text { sphere } \\ \text { countries }\end{array}\right|$

| Total | Sweden | Denmark <br> $\left(^{3}\right)$ | Germany <br> $\left(\begin{array}{l}\text { Western }) \\ \left({ }^{4}\right)\end{array}\right.$ | Nether- <br> lands | Belgium <br> and <br> Luxem- <br> bourg |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | France

Other
O.E.E.C.
countries
and
possessions

|  |  |  |  | Actrie |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18 ... ... | 23.0 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 18.4 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 7$ |
|  | $52 \cdot 6$ | $18 \cdot 6$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | 14.0 | 35.9 | 4.6 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 2.5 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 14.5 |
|  | 52.7 | 18.8 | 18.5 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 11.0 | 44.7 | 5.1 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 3.1 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 14.9 |
| io $\ldots$ | $53 \cdot 6$ | 14.9 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 13.7 | $54 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 7.2 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 3$ |
| io January ... | 51.8 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 17.7 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 11.9 | $49 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 2.9 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | 8.5 | 17.0 |
| February... | $45 \cdot 3$ | 11.9 | $15 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | 15.0 | 44.3 | $4 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 5.1 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 15.8 |
| March ... | $47 \cdot 5$ | 11.1 | $20 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 11.3 | 53.3 | 4.4 | $7 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 6$ |
| April ... | $48 \cdot 5$ | 11.8 | 18.8 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 12.0 | 48.9 | 4.9 | 6.6 | $3 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | 17.8 |
| May | $53 \cdot 8$ | 14.7 | 19.6 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 14.0 | 57.9 | 6.1 | 10.1 | $3 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 9.9 | 17.8 |
| June | 63.1 | 18.5 | 12.7 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 24.2 | $61 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 8.4 | $4 \cdot 1$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | 18.8 |
| July ... | $60 \cdot 5$ | 16.7 | 10.7 | 16.2 | 16.9 | 59.8 | 4.9 | 11.8 | 4.1 | 8.4 | 4.1 | 9.3 | $17 \cdot 2$ |
| August ... | 54.1 | 16.3 | 14.9 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 16.2 | 54.0 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 7.5 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 0$ | 18.2 |
| September | 49.0 | 11.8 | 18.3 | $7 \cdot 9$ | 11.0 | $54 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | 8.6 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | $16 \cdot 7$ |
| October ... | $57 \cdot 9$ | 15.6 | 23.8 | 8.1 | $10 \cdot 4$ | $58 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 10.2 | 18.9 |
| November | $58 \cdot 3$ | 14.1 | $21 \cdot 2$ | 10.9 | 12.1 | $60 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 11.0 | 18.4 |
| December | $56 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 19.1 | 11.2 | 8.4 | 58.6 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 6$ | $16 \cdot 3$ |
| il January ... | 52.5 | 13.4 | 22.0 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 11.7 | $75 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | 9.4 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 12.8 | $24 \cdot 8$ |
| February... March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Eastern Europe ${ }^{6}$ ) | Rest of the World | Commonwealth countries and the Irish Republic |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | British Colonies ${ }^{5}$ ) | Union of South Africa | India | Pakistan | Ceylon | Australia | New <br> Zealand | Irish Republic | Other Sterling Area |  |  |  |
| 38 | $23 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ |  |  | $1 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | 1.9 | $1 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 2$ |
| 48 ... | $62 \cdot 7$ | $17 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 8.0 | 0.9 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 14.1 | 9.1 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 14.4 | $81 \cdot 2$ |
| $\begin{array}{lll}49 & \cdots & \cdots \\ 50 & \cdots & \cdots\end{array}$ | 71.0 | 20.4 | $2 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | 1.2 | 2. 2 | 17.7 | 9.8 | $4 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 13.8 | $90 \cdot 6$ |
| 50 ... $\ldots$ | $82 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 18.3 | 11.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 9.0 | 17.1 | $98 \cdot 3$ |
| 50 January ... | $77 \cdot 7$ | $21 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | $12 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 13.4 | 96.6 |
| February... | $71 \cdot 8$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | 3.4 | 9.0 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 2.3 | 16.9 | $8 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | 14.4 | $82 \cdot 5$ |
| March ... | 88.8 | $28 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 8.0 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 16.9 | $17 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 3.9 | 9.4 | $22 \cdot 3$ | $102 \cdot 6$ |
| April ${ }^{\text {May }}$ | 81.5 87.6 | 27.2 | 3.9 3.8 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 1.4 | 0.8 | 17.5 | 13.0 | 4.1 | 8.1 | 7.9 9.0 | 24.6 20.4 | $97 \cdot 4$ |
| May $\begin{aligned} & \text { Mune } \\ & \text { Jun }\end{aligned}$ | $87 \cdot 6$ $86 \cdot 7$ | 28.0 26.4 | 3.8 | $9 \cdot 5$ | 3.0 | 1.1 | 19.5 | 12.9 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 9.0 | 20.4 | $104 \cdot 6$ |
| June ... | $86 \cdot 7$ | $26 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | 16.0 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | $18 \cdot 1$ | $108 \cdot 1$ |
| July ... | $83 \cdot 2$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 4$ | 14.7 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 12.5 | 101.3 |
| August ... | 81.2 | $30 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | 1.3 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 16.0 | 9.7 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 98.3 |
| September | $67 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 1.8 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 10.0 | $9 \cdot 5$ | 5.9 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | $79 \cdot 5$ |
|  | 81.9 | 29.4 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $11 \cdot 2$ | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 9$ | 13.4 | $9 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 9.4 | 15.1 | $97 \cdot 1$ |
| November | 86.9 95.4 | $26 \cdot 6$ 31.2 | $5 \cdot 6$ 5 | 10.1 | 1.9 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 21.9 | 7. 2 | 6.9 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 8.7 | $20 \cdot 7$ 20.8 | $100 \cdot 4$ |
| December | 95.4 | $31 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 8$ | 111.6 |
| 951 January ... February... March | $123 \cdot 8$ | $36 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $13 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | $33 \cdot 9$ | $18 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | $13 \cdot 6$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | $136 \cdot 3$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding Japan and possessions of European countries.
Source : Board of Trade
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Excluding Irish Republic and Iceland (and Netherlands New Guinea before 1950) but
including possessions in the Western Hemisphere.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including Faroes and Greenland.
(4) Including Eastern Germany before 1951.
()) Excluding Channel Islands and British Whale Fisheries but including protectorates,
trust teritories, mandated territories and trust territories of members of the Common-
wealth.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding Eastern Germany before 1951.

## O.E.E.C. countries ${ }^{( }{ }^{2}$ )

|  |  | Western Hemisphere( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  | O.E.E.C. countries() |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Dollar Area |  |  | Other Western Hemisphere countries | Total | Sweden | Denmark$\left(^{3}\right)$ | Germany (Western) <br> $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | Netherlands | Belgium and Luxembourg | France | Other O.E.E. countri and possessis |
|  |  | Canada | U.S.A. | Other American Account countries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  |  |  | 2.0 | 1.7 | 0.6 | $2 \cdot 4$ | $9 \cdot 9$ | $1 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 1$ | 0.7 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 4$ |
|  |  | 6.7 |  |  |  |  | 31.0 | 4.6 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | 2.9 | 11.4 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | . $\quad$. | 21.8 | 6.1 6.6 | $5 \cdot 5$ 4.8 | 2.7 2.5 | 7.5 8.8 | $31 \cdot 0$ $33 \cdot 2$ | 4.6 3.9 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 4.4 | $3 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | 12. |
|  | ... ... | $22 \cdot 7$ $32 \cdot 8$ | 6.6 10.5 | 4.8 9.4 | 3.5 | 9.4 | $45 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 4.3 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $15 \cdot 4$ |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  | 45.9 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 3.9 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 18.4 |
| 1950 | January ... | 29.3 | 8.4 | 6.9 6.3 | 4.6 2.8 | 9.4 7.0 | 48.9 38.3 | $4 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 3.1 | 5.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 12. |
|  | February... | 24.1 28.4 | 8.0 9.2 | 7.0 | 3.2 | 9.0 | 51.6 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 6.1 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 7.9 | 4.9 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 17. |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $6 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 4.7 | 3.4 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 14. |
|  | April ... | 27.0 $34 \cdot 2$ | 8.9 12.4 | $5 \cdot 6$ $8 \cdot 2$ | 3.3 3.6 | $10 \cdot 0$ | $48 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 6.5 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | 15. |
|  | May June | 34.2 29.1 | 12.4 9.3 | 8.2 8.0 | 3.6 3.8 | 8.0 | $41 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | 4.2 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 3.9 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 15. |
| 1951 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $6 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | 6.0 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 16. |
|  | July $\begin{aligned} & \text { August }\end{aligned}$ | 35.6 34.1 | 10.5 12.2 | 11.3 11.0 | 3.3 3.6 | 10.5 | $43 \cdot 5$ | 7.3 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 4.1 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 3.0 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 14. |
|  | August September | 34.1 32.5 | 10.2 10.1 | 10.4 | 2.7 | 9.3 | $43 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 3.9 | 3.9 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | 15. |
|  |  |  |  | 13.1 | 4.1 | $8 \cdot 6$ | $49 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 15. |
|  | October ... November | 37.9 46.3 | 14.5 | 13.8 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 14.6 | $49 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 4.9 | 4.6 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 4.9 | $3 \cdot 9$ | 16. |
|  | December | 34.9 | 10.3 | 11.5 | 3.9 | 9.2 | $45 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 4.7 | 4.9 | $4 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 14. |
|  |  | 36.9 | $9 \cdot 5$ | 11.0 | $4 \cdot 1$ | $12 \cdot 3$ | $52 \cdot 9$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | 17. |
|  | February.. <br> March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| TABLE 115 (continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £ millio |
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|  |  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Eastern Europe ${ }^{(6)}$ | Rest of the World | Commc |
|  |  | Total | British Colonies (5) | Union of South Africa | India | Pakistan | Ceylon | Australia | New Zealand | Irish Republic | Other Sterling Area |  |  | countri and th Irish Repub |
| 1938 |  | 17.7 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 3$ |  |  | $0 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 7$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 2.3 | 2.7 | 19.2 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | $65 \cdot 6$ | 16.5 | $10 \cdot 0$ | 8.0 | $1 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 1$ | 12.1 | $4 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | 9.8 | 68.9 |
| 1949 |  | 77.4 | $20 \cdot 4$ | 10.4 | 9.8 | $2 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 15.7 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 11.3 | 82.5 |
| 1950 | ... | $86 \cdot 2$ | 21.9 | 10.1 | 8.1 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 1.4 | $21 \cdot 3$ | 7.2 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | 95-1 |
| 1950 | January | $83 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 19.9 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 12.1 | 89.4 |
|  | February... | 78.6 | $20 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.3 | $22 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 10.6 | $85 \cdot 2$ |
|  | March ... | 86.8 | 24.0 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 3.4 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 21.6 | 7.1 | 8.5 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 4.7 | 12.9 |  |
|  | April | 69.3 | 17.6 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 3.0 | $1 \cdot 4$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | 4.5 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | 76.9 93.6 |
|  | May | $82 \cdot 9$ | 21.0 | $9 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | 1.2 | 21.3 | $6 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 12.5 | 93.6 |
|  | June | 91.7 | $22 \cdot 0$ | $12 \cdot 7$ | 8.9 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 1.4 | $20 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 3.6 | $110 \cdot 2$ | $100 \cdot 0$ |
|  | July | $83 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 4$ | $11 \cdot 11$ |  |  | 1.4 |  |  |  |  | 3.7 | 13.8 |  |
|  | August ... | 94.0 | 21.7 | 12.8 | $9 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | 1. ${ }^{\text {B }}$ | $25 \cdot 8$ | 7.2 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 5-9 | 12.0 | 104.8 |
|  | September | $79 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 18.9 | 7.2 | $6 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | 12.7 | 88.3 |
|  | October ... | 99.1 | 24.11 | 13.0 | $9 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 4$ |  |  | 4.6 |  |  |
|  | November | 97.1 | $23 \cdot 8$ | 12.1 | 9.7 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $22 \cdot 1$ | 8.9 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | 3.9 | 14.8 | 108.9 99.5 |
|  | December |  | $24 \cdot 3$ | 11.8 | $8 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | 1.4 | $22 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 12.9 | 99.5 |
|  | January February. March | 107.7 | $24 \cdot 7$ | 19.1 | $9 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | 1.9 | $24 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | 7-0 | 6.9 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 13.4 | $115 \cdot 7$ |

[^17]
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## Exports to the United States of America

| TABLE II6 |
| :--- | :--- |

(1) Excluding wool and mohair plushes and certain other types of cloth.

Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ ) Excluding chassis.

## Exports to Canada

ABLE 117
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(2)}$ Excluding wool and mohair plushes and certain other types of cloth.
Source : Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including chassis for commercial vehicles but excluding chassis for new cars.

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Unrefined, excluding liver oils.
Source : Board of Trade

Imports of principal items of food
TABLE 119
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Eggs in shell | Dried egg | Meat ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Canned meat | Bacon and ham | Fresh or frozen fish | Canned fish | Dried fruit | Oranges | Unrefined sugar | Tea | Raw cocoa |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Million dozen | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... -. | 23.08 | 0.1 | $88 \cdot 2$ | 6.0 | 31.4 | 6.8 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 155 | $44 \cdot 9$ | 197.4 | 19.6 | 11.0 |
| 1948 1949 | ... $\quad$. | 12.90 17.48 | 0.5 0.5 | 69.8 67.8 | 5.9 7.8 | 11.2 | 178 | 2.1 3.8 | 13.3 | 40.3 | 155.8 182.2 | 15.4 17.6 | 9.0 12.2 |
| 1950 |  | 13.97 | 1.4 | 67.8 67.5 | 7.8 8.9 | 11.6 20.3 | 15.3 8.4 | 3.8 2.5 | 15.3 12.3 | $25 \cdot 2$ $28 \cdot 1$ | 182.2 176.5 | 13.7 | 10.9 |
| 1950 | January February March | 17.46 | 0.4 | $95 \cdot 4$ | 8.0 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 9.2 | $3 \cdot 5$ |  |  | 96.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 21.7 \\ & 10.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4.5 \\ 34.8 \\ 23.6 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 15.01 | 0.4 | 73.9 | 9.6 | 20.0 | 14.5 | 3.1 | 12.7 16.7 | 45.8 49.2 | 96.2 135 |  |  |
|  |  |  | $1 \cdot 3$ | 105.1 | $4 \cdot 7$ | $20 \cdot 8$ | 13.5 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 11.7 | 27.5 | 125.9 |  |  |
|  | April May June | 24.88 | 3.66.5 | 74.968.594.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.4 \\ & 7.5 \\ & 6.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13 \cdot 7 \\ 22 \cdot 5 \\ 25 \cdot 8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.8 \\ 10.9 \\ 6.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.6 \\ & 1.6 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.5 \\ 80 \\ 19.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \cdot 3 \\ 26.9 \\ 15 \cdot 7 \end{array}$ | 154.1192.5179.1 | 4.6936.6 | 19.323.27.2 |
|  |  | 2009 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | $\begin{array}{r} 13.51 \\ 8.25 \\ 6.52 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.9 \\ & 0.8 \\ & 0.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 4 \\ & 69 \cdot 7 \\ & 43 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.9 \\ 15.3 \\ 6.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.9 \\ & 14.7 \\ & 17.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 1 \\ & 6.8 \\ & 5.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 3.2 \\ & 2.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 19.9 \\ 12.0 \\ 8.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 3 \\ & 21 \cdot 6 \\ & 23 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 395.9 \\ & 129.5 \\ & 138.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \cdot 6 \\ & 13 \cdot 3 \\ & 12 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 5.80.91.0 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December... | $\begin{array}{r} 7.29 \\ 10.95 \\ 10.76 \end{array}$ | 0.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 3 \\ & 39 \cdot 4 \\ & 20 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.3 \\ 9.8 \\ 13.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 16.3 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.1 \\ & 7.7 \\ & 7.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 3 \\ & 3 \cdot 5 \\ & 2 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.7 \\ 14.0 \\ 13.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 7 \\ & 23 \cdot 6 \\ & 53 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 157 \cdot 8 \\ & 209 \cdot 4 \\ & 248 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.9 \\ & 18.7 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.1 \\ 0.1 \\ 10.0 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January February ... March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.07 \\ & 12.97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.2 \\ & 0.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.1 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 11.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.5 \\ & 22.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.3 \\ & 16.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.6 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 13.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 9 \\ & 53.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 127.8 \\ 90.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.6 \\ & 20.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4.6 \\ 16.5 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^18]Imports of ores and metals
EXTERNAL TRADE
TABLE 120
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

|  |  | Bauxite | Aluminium | Unwrought copper | Lead | Zinc |  | Tin ore and concentrates | Iron ore ${ }^{1}$ ) | Pig iron | Iron and steel $\operatorname{scrap}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Semi- <br> finished <br> steel ${ }^{3}$ ) | Finished steel ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Ore and concentrates |  |  |  | Unwrought |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | $\cdots$ |  | $20 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 85$ | 29.6 | $33 \cdot 9$ | $13 \cdot 1$ | 13.8 | $4 \cdot 6$ | $425 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 9$ | $52 \cdot 7$ | $29 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 8$ |
| 1948 | $\cdots \quad$... | 25.7 | 11.59 | 29.7 | 13.4 | 13.0 | 14.0 | 4.0 | $723 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 9$ | 71.5 | $15 \cdot 9$ | $16 \cdot 3$ |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | $27 \cdot 2$ | 13.78 | $25 \cdot 9$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | 16.5 | 11.9 | 3.9 3.8 | 724.2 | 21.8 | 174.8 | 29.2 | $43 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ | $16 \cdot 5$ | 11.77 | $26 \cdot 5$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | $16 \cdot 5$ | 11.8 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $700 \cdot 2$ | 16.2 | 163.5 | $15 \cdot 3$ | 22.7 |
| 1950 | January ... | 31.9 | 1.79 | 27.2 | 21.1 | 7.5 | 7.2 | 0.6 | 675.8 | 12.9 | 167.6 | 21.9 | $26 \cdot 3$ |
|  | February ... | 18.0 | $6.00$ | 15.8 | 17.3 | 12.5 | 7-1 | 3.9 | 685.9 | 9.1 | 187.3 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 5$ |
|  | March ... | $12 \cdot 8$ | 4.93 | $26 \cdot 7$ | $13 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 800-2 | $17 \cdot 8$ | $242 \cdot 9$ | 16.1 | $35 \cdot 8$ |
|  | April | $20 \cdot 3$ | $13 \cdot 14$ | $35 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 29.6 | 17.5 | $1 \cdot 4$ | $587 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $204 \cdot 2$ | 19.2 | $27 \cdot 9$ |
|  | May | 9.6 | 22.24 | 26.0 | 17.1 | 8.0 | 17.9 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $762 \cdot 0$ | $21 \cdot 3$ | $207 \cdot 5$ | 21.9 | $24 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June .. | 16.1 | 18.36 | $30 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | $13 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $760 \cdot 0$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | $221 \cdot 3$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July ... | $13 \cdot 5$ | 6.47 | 28.7 | 13.8 | $32 \cdot 4$ | 18.9 | $5 \cdot 5$ | $873 \cdot 3$ | 12.3 | $227 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 9$ | $34 \cdot 5$ |
|  | August ... | 21.6 | $13 \cdot 38$ | $24 \cdot 4$ | 22.0 | $24 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $763 \cdot 1$ | 11.0 | 177.9 | 11.0 | $11 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September | 13.4 | $8 \cdot 33$ | $26 \cdot 5$ | 4.9 | 19.5 | 11.0 | $4 \cdot 1$ | $658 \cdot 5$ | 18.4 | 82.8 | 16.5 | 19.4 |
|  | October ... | 14.4 | 19.57 | $27 \cdot 6$ | 14.6 | 20.6 | 7.8 | 1.5 | 614.7 | $21 \cdot 0$ | 117.7 | $7 \cdot 8$ | $13 \cdot 8$ |
|  | November | 12.9 | 12.62 | $20 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 16.0 | 13.4 | 7.1 | $624 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 4$ | 95.0 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 14.3 |
|  | December... | 12.9 | 14.01 | 29.0 | 11.6 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $640 \cdot 0$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 10.6 |
| 1951 | January | $23 \cdot 7$ | $6.95$ | $32 \cdot 1$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | $11.7$ | $11 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $591 \cdot 1$ | $23 \cdot 9$ | $85 \cdot 6$ | $9.4$ | $19.6$ |
|  | February .. March | $42 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 10$ | $22 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $0.6$ | $4.9$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $563 \cdot 0$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $56 \cdot 0$ | $13 \cdot 5$ | $13.9$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) Other than manganiferous ore.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) Excludes ships intended for breaking up.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ 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
TABLE 121
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Sheep's and lambs' wool( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Cotton $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Jute | Hide leather and undressed hides | Rubber $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Phosphate rock | Sulphur | Wood pulp | Paper and board |  | Timber |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Newsprint |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Other | Hard wood ${ }^{3}$ ) | Softwood ${ }^{3}$ ) | Plywood |
|  |  | Million lb. | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Million cubic feet | Thousand standards | Thousand cubic feet |
| 1938 | ... $\quad$. |  | $52 \cdot 1$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 11.0 | $34 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 141.4 | $37 \cdot 2$ | $52 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 22$ | 149.4 | 905 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | ... $\quad$. | $43 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 7$ | 82.0 | 29.0 | $96 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | 31.0 | 2.95 | 83-3 | 515 |
|  | $\ldots$... | $56 \cdot 5$ | $38 \cdot 2$ | 8.0 | 9. 5 | 13.1 | 90.6 | 29.0 32.7 | 96.7 109.9 | 15.1 | $23 \cdot 6$ | 2.97 | $89 \cdot 3$ | 613 |
|  | ... ... | 49.1 | $37 \cdot 4$ | $9 \cdot 4$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | 18.7 | 92.5 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 119.3 | 11.6 | $44 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 77$ | $66 \cdot 3$ | 540 |
| 1950 | January ... | 61.0 | $32 \cdot 2$ | 14.8 | $9 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 0$ | 133.8 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 109.4 | $12 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | 3.08 | 53.4 | 952 |
|  | February ... | 59.3 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 8.4 | $12 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 1$ | 89.9 | 26.0 | 102.1 | 11.7 | $36 \cdot 8$ | 2.91 | 24.9 | 477 |
|  | March ... | $46 \cdot 8$ | $44 \cdot 8$ | 12.0 | 13.0 | $22 \cdot 7$ | 92.8 | 38.7 | 86.1 | 12.9 | 51.3 | 4.82 | $25 \cdot 8$ |  |
|  | April <br> May | $61 \cdot 2$ 69.6 | 44.0 44.0 | 8.5 12.8 | 13.8 11.0 | 13.5 17.8 | 146.8 115.8 | 43.2 56.4 | 117.0 | 7.5 | 44.2 49.0 | 4.39 5.38 | $20 \cdot 0$ $40 \cdot 1$ | 359 633 |
|  | June $\quad$... | $69 \cdot 6$ | 44.0 39.6 | 12.8 8.5 | 11.0 9.0 | 17.8 23.0 | 115.8 83.4 | $56 \cdot 4$ $48 \cdot 2$ | 142.5 155.2 | 11.1 9.2 | $49 \cdot 0$ $45 \cdot 0$ | 5.38 5.41 | $40 \cdot 1$ $68 \cdot 6$ | 633 626 |
|  | July August | $55 \cdot 3$ $35 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 7$ 38.4 | 5.1 | 8-3 | 17.9 | 107.3 | 29.1 | $124 \cdot 2$ | 10.6 | 46.1 | $5 \cdot 72$ | 87.9 | 489 |
|  | August ... September | $35 \cdot 3$ $26 \cdot 3$ | 38.4 38.0 | 7.4 8.1 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | 92.8 | $35 \cdot 2$ | 121.4 | 8.9 | $41 \cdot 6$ | 6.08 | $127 \cdot 7$ | 436 |
|  | September | $26 \cdot 3$ | $38 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 14.8 | 41.8 | 37.9 | 128.8 | $13 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 21$ | $110 \cdot 1$ | 716 |
|  | October ... November | 18.7 34.1 | $40 \cdot 4$ 34.7 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | $21 \cdot 3$ | $75 \cdot 2$ | $36 \cdot 2$ | 119.0 | 19.1 | $48 \cdot 2$ | 5.44 | $105 \cdot 8$ | 269 |
|  | December... | 34.1 55.0 | $34 \cdot 7$ $30 \cdot 4$ | 9.3 13.2 | 4.6 9.2 | $17 \cdot 5$ | 69.9 | $35 \cdot 2$ | $120 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 08$ | 81.9 | 571 |
| 1951 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February March | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 4 \\ & 46 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $45 \cdot 6$ $23 \cdot 4$ | 19.1 9.0 | 10.2 7.6 | 21.4 22.7 | 81.8 92.8 | 29.2 29.7 | 154.8 97.8 | 7.7 10.1 | $61 \cdot 8$ $46 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 84 \\ & 3 \cdot 56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 2 \\ & 75 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 618 \\ & 458 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{1}$ ) Retained imports. <br> $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Retained imports. Natural and synthetic rubber. <br> $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ 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 45. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## EXTERNAL TRADE <br> Exports of coal, iron and steel and non-ferrous metals <br> Monthly averages or calendar months



Exports of machinery and vehicles
TABLE 123

|  |  | Agricultural machinery | Electrical machinery | Machine tools (metal working) | Prime movers (not electrical) | Textile machinery | Other machinery | New motor cars |  | New commercial vehicles |  | Tracklaying tractors | Agricultural tractors | Motor cycles and tricars | Pedal cycles |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Complete |  |  |  |  |  | Chassis | Complete ${ }^{1}$ ) | Chassis |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | £ thousand | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thous. |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  |  | 55 | 658 | 373 | 347 | 701 | 2,637 | 3,677 | 2,007 | 381 | 970 |  | 483 | 1,647 | 48.0 |
| 1948 |  | 474 | 2,390 | 1,308 | 1,610 | 3,043 | 10,642 | 16,166 | 2,669 | 3,049 | 3,202 | 73 | 5,644 | 6,273 | $150 \cdot 3$ |
| 1949 |  | 525 | 3,329 | 1,352 | 2,143 | 3,425 | 12,519 | 18,218 | 3,277 | 3,733 | 4,015 | 116 | 5,324 | 5.426 | 184.2 |
| 1950 |  | 790 | 3,875 | 1,401 | 2,650 | 3,372 | 14,500 | 28,635 | 4,557 | 6,160 | 5,886 | 215 | 6,995 | 6,163 | 175.8 |
| 1950 January ... February... March |  | 580 | 4,252 | 1,575 | 3,214 | 3,419 |  | 26,008 | 4,739 | 5,589 | 4,678 | 138 | 5,277 | 5,501 | 187.2 |
|  |  | 576 | 4,026 | 1,084 | 2,369 | 3,287 | 12,891 | 29,043 | 4,511 | 5,610 | 4,678 | 196 | 4,163 | 6,440 | 147.5 |
|  |  | 918 | 4,023 | 1,360 | 2,744 | 3,981 | 14,597 | 32,161 | 4,447 | 6,868 | 5,955 | 144 | 6,581 | 7,663 |  |
| April May June |  | 735 | 2,963 | 1,273 | 2,338 | 2,886 | 12,512 |  | 3,909 | 6,125 | 4,632 | 250 | 4,912 | 5,691 | 160.8 |
|  |  | 678 | 3,938 | 1,503 | 2,972 | 3,506 | 14,399 | 32,552 | 4,911 | 6,898 | 7,632 | 221 | 7,825 | 7,441 | 153.8 |
|  |  | 890 | 3,503 | 1,454 | 2,882 | 3,454 | 15,054 | 30,536 | 5,748 | 6,890 | 7,345 | 275 | 6,980 | 6,701 |  |
| July <br> August … <br> September |  | 741 | 3,614 | 1,464 | 2,534 | 3,130 | 14,847 | 28,286 | 3,467 | 6,493 | 6,001 | 201 | 7,249 | 6,304 | 150.1 |
|  |  | 755 | 4,569 | 1,452 | 2,507 | 3,411 | 14,617 | 29,402 | 4,627 | 6,510 | 6,645 | 193 | 9,884 | 6,213 | 194.8 |
|  |  | 673 | 3,061 | 1,284 | 2,055 | 3,234 | 12,838 | 23,136 | 3,627 | 4,938 | 4,910 | 245 | 6,224 | 4,952 | 154.0 |
| October ... November December |  |  |  |  |  | 3,029 |  |  | 6,181 | 6,452 | 7,028 | 224 |  |  |  |
|  |  | $1,249$ | 4,062 | 1,498 | 2,947 | 3,688 | 16,771 | 28,779 | 3,448 | 6,990 | 5,639 | 181 | 7,398 | 5,932 | 200.1 193.8 |
|  |  |  | 4,200 | 1,507 | 2,412 | 3,431 | 14,918 | 28,221 | 5,041 | 5,517 | 5,808 | 305 | 8,534 | 5,928 |  |
| 1951 | January ... <br> February... <br> March | $980$ | 3,767 | 1,388 | 3,027 | 3,772 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9,246 | 6,994 | $236 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  | $922$ | 3,369 | 1,178 | 2,216 | 2,629 | $13,496$ | $24,093$ | $3,023$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,441 \\ & 5,501 \end{aligned}$ | 4,222 | 199 | 9,161 | 5,245 | 173.5 |

[^19]Source: Board of Trade

Exports of textiles
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Cotton |  |  | Wool |  |  |  |  | Rayon |  | Linen and hemp piece goods | Cordage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Woven piece goods | Yarns | Thread | Sheep's and lambs' wool | Tops | Yarns | Woven piece goods | Carpets | Single yarn | Piece goods |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand square yards |  | Million lb. | Thousand square yards |  | Thousand tons |
| 1938 |  |  | 114 | $10 \cdot 25$ | $1 \cdot 13$ | $3 \cdot 53$ | $2 \cdot 71$ | $2 \cdot 89$ | $7,975$ | $466 \cdot 4$ |  | $5,218$ |  | $1.69$ |
|  |  |  | 637569 | $\begin{array}{ll} 4 \cdot 92 \\ 6 & 84 \\ 5 & 91 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1.72 \\ & 2.62 \\ & 371 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 4 & 96 \\ 5 & 01 \\ 6 & 08 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.74 \\ & 2.42 \\ & 2.93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,484 \\ 9,674 \\ 10,611 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 869 \cdot 6 \\ 874 \cdot 0 \\ 1,018 \cdot 6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.90 \\ & 1.74 \\ & 2.26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \|3,1\|\|\mid \\ & \mid 5,378 \\ & 17,976 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,703 \\ & 3,210 \\ & 4,114 \end{aligned}$ | 1.461.141.21 |
| 1948 1949 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 1950 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January February March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \\ & 64 \\ & 74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.94 \\ & 4.93 \\ & 6.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.04 \\ & 0.98 \\ & 1.24 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 50 \\ & 4 \cdot 25 \\ & 4 \cdot 77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 74 \\ & 6 \cdot 22 \\ & 7 \cdot 36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 52 \\ & 2 \cdot 43 \\ & 3 \cdot 57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,135 \\ & 10,010 \\ & 10,826 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,012 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,021 \cdot 5 \\ & 1,018 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.87 \\ & 1.64 \\ & 2.15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,01 \mid \\ & 14,615 \\ & 18,064 \end{aligned}$ | 4,240 <br> 3,346 <br> 4,679 | 1.051.17 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June |  | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \\ & 63 \\ & 63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.28 \\ & 5.85 \\ & 5.76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.10 \\ & 1.31 \\ & 1.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.42 \\ & 4.03 \\ & 3.30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 96 \\ & 7 \cdot 14 \\ & 5 \cdot 54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 41 \\ & 3 \cdot 18 \\ & 2 \cdot 98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,097 \\ & 9,324 \\ & 9,413 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 670 \cdot 8 \\ 1,281 \cdot 1 \\ 1,049 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.06 \\ & 2.43 \\ & 2.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,864 \\ & 18,429 \\ & 19,567 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,105 \\ & 4,417 \\ & 3,621 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.08 \\ & 1.30 \\ & 1.44 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July August September... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \\ & 70 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 15 \\ & 6 \cdot 31 \\ & 5 \cdot 48 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{lll} 1 & 01 \\ 0 & 94 \\ 0 & 88 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 59 \\ & 3 \cdot 75 \\ & 2 \cdot 83 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 5 & 20 \\ 7 \cdot 11 \\ 5 & 17 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 63 \\ & 3 \cdot 50 \\ & 2 \cdot 77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,706 \\ 11,737 \\ 10,988 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,031 \cdot 7 \\ 1,017 \cdot 9 \\ 776 \cdot 4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.05 \\ & 2.78 \\ & 1.90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,830 \\ & 20,087 \\ & 16,572 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,067 \\ & 3,610 \\ & 4,185 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.64 \\ & 0.97 \\ & 1.19 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 81 \\ & 75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 99 \\ & 7 \cdot 08 \\ & 6 \quad 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.27 \\ & 1.36 \\ & 1.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 52 \\ & 2 \cdot 78 \\ & 2 \cdot 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 81 \\ & 5 \cdot 71 \\ & 5 \quad 20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 29 \\ & 3 \cdot 31 \\ & 2 \cdot 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,063 \\ & 12,877 \\ & 10,995 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,211 \cdot 1 \\ 1,215 \cdot 1 \\ 909 \cdot 6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.09 \\ & 2.86 \\ & 3.15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,309 \\ & 21,003 \\ & 17,241 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,320 \\ & 4,481 \\ & 4,376 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I \cdot 20 \\ & 1 \cdot 24 \\ & 1 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January February ... March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \\ & 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 7 & 14 \\ 6 & -16 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 1 & 01 \\ 0.94 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.86 \\ & 2.66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 45 \\ & 4 \cdot 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.58 \\ & 2.66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.444 \\ & 11,035 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,148 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,035 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 290 \\ & 2 \cdot 27 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.835 \\ & 15,994 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4288 \\ & 4,010 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \cdot 21 \\ & 1.08 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Source : Board of Trade

## Other selected exports

TABLE 125
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Plate and sheet glass | Cement | Paper and board | Ammonium sulphate | Sodium compounds | Finished dyestuffs | Motor tyres | Wireless receiving sets | Wireless valves | Cigarettes | Spirits |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  | Thousand cwt. | Thousands |  |  | Thousand cwt. | Th. proof gallons |
| 1938 |  | $2 \cdot 81$ | $60 \cdot 3$ | 14.7 | 26 | 29.7 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 102 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 184 | 19.7 | 760 |
| 1948 |  | 7.74 | 129.3 | 11.4 | 18 | 34.5 | 18.3 | 123 | $25 \cdot 7$ | 469 | 31.7 | 737 |
| 1949 | ... ... | 9.01 | 153.3 | 15.7 | 22 | 31.7 | 19.0 | 135 | 24.6 | 433 | $33 \cdot 4$ | 799 |
| 1950 |  | 9.22 | 152.8 | $22 \cdot 6$ | 23 | $43 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 178 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 640 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 913 |
| 1950 |  | 8.93 | $140 \cdot 4$ | 22.9 | 30 |  |  | 155 | 19.5 | 490 | 34.4 | 838 |
|  | February... | $7 \cdot 65$ | 158.5 | 21.9 | 14 | 28.3 | 15.0 | 150 | 14.2 | 394 | $30 \cdot 0$ | 857 |
|  | March ... | 8.39 | 150.7 | 20.9 | 14 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 19.2 | 188 | 21.4 | 484 | 39.1 | 699 |
|  | April | $7 \cdot 17$ | 176.6 | 16.5 | 13 | $25 \cdot 0$ | 18.5 | 146 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 437 | 26.9 | 438 |
|  | May | 9.88 | 132.4 | $22 \cdot 5$ | 23 | 39.3 | $20 \cdot 8$ | 201 | 19.5 | 603 | 33.4 | 792 |
|  | June | $10 \cdot 19$ | 163.0 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 19 | $45 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | 161 | 28.2 | 568 | 32.7 | 996 |
|  | July ... | 7.09 | 139.5 |  |  |  |  |  | 24.4 | 815 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 865 |
|  | August ... | 12. 23 | 167.8 | 24.5 | 33 | 52.9 | 18.7 | 187 | $27 \cdot 8$ | 751 | 24.8 | 1,004 |
|  | September | 9.64 | 162.4 | 23.9 | 21 | $66 \cdot 4$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | 168 | 24.1 | 606 | 21.2 | 867 |
|  | October ... | 8.92 | 193.7 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 29 | 53.7 | 22.9 | 201 | $25 \cdot 4$ | 853 | 34.8 | 1,375 |
|  | November | 11.03 | 129.0 | 24.1 | 13 | 64.0 | $26 \cdot 4$ | 200 | 29.1 | 915 | $30 \cdot 1$ | 1,220 |
|  | December | 9. 54 | 127.9 | $22 \cdot 4$ | 25 | 41.2 | 25.9 | 193 | $28 \cdot 3$ | 824 | $26 \cdot 0$ | 1,002 |
| 1951 | January ... | 9. 48 | 152.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 914 | 33.9 | 1,085 |
|  | February... March | 6.97 | 135.4 | $20 \cdot 1$ | 24 | 43.9 | $20 \cdot 5$ | 179 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 626 | 23.9 | 704 |

## XI. MERCHANT SHIPPING

Merchant ship building and repair
Vessels of 100 gross tons and over

(1) These figures have been obtained trom Lloyd's Register. The Lloyd's Register figures given under the

Source : Admiralty headings "laid down " and "under construction" relate respectively to vessels on which work has owriers. These two figures assels on which work has begun but which have not been handed over to their owniers. These two figures are not therefore comparable with the figures shown in the rest of the table.

Merchant shipbuilding


## MERCHANT SHIPPING

Merchant vessels registered in the British Commonwealth
Excluding foreign-owned vessels on bareboat charter or requisition and miscellaneous craft
End of period
Thousand gross tons
TABLE 128

|  |  |  | Non-tankers |  |  |  |  |  | Tankers |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 1,600 gross tons and over |  |  | 500-1,599 gross tons |  |  | 1,600 gross tons and over |  |  | 500-1,599 gross tons |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total( ${ }^{1}$ ) | United Kingdom or Colonial Registers ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Other Commonwealth Registers | Total( ${ }^{3}$ ) | United Kingdom or Colonial Registers | Other Commonwealth Registers | Total | United Kingdom or Colonial Registers | Other Commonwealth Registers | Total | United Kingdom or Colonial Registers | Other Common wealth Registert |
| 1939 | September December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14,352 \\ & 14,138 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,452 \\ & 13,181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 900 \\ & 957 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,020 \\ & 1,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 861 \\ & 846 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.172 \\ & 3,248 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,007 \\ & 3,079 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | 64 68 | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 8 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1946 \\ & 1947 \\ & 1948 \end{aligned}$ | December December December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 12,703 \\ & 14,254 \\ & 14,664 \end{aligned}$ | 10,305 11.754 12,092 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.398 \\ & 2.500 \\ & 2,572 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 755 \\ & 789 \\ & 792 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 606 \\ & 624 \\ & 629 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 165 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.995 \\ & 3.457 \\ & 3,687 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.879 \\ & 3.315 \\ & 3,508 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 142 \\ & 179 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 98 \\ 111 \\ 106 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & 97 \\ & 94 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 14 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | January February March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14,733 \\ & 14,672 \\ & 14,678 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,134 \\ & 12,106 \\ & 12,119 \end{aligned}$ | 2.599 2,566 2,559 | $\begin{aligned} & 795 \\ & 799 \\ & 799 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 631 \\ & 631 \\ & 632 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 164 \\ & 168 \\ & 167 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,703 \\ & 3,732 \\ & 3,737 \end{aligned}$ | 3,535 3,564 3,569 | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 168 \\ & 168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 104 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \\ & 93 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 11 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,557\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 14,562 \\ & 14,605 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12082 \\ & 12,131 \\ & 12,172 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,475\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 2,431 \\ & 2,433 \end{aligned}$ | $794\left({ }^{4}\right)$ 795 791 | 633 633 634 | $\begin{aligned} & 161\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 162 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,765 \\ & 3,767 \\ & 3,779 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,597 \\ & 3,601 \\ & 3,601 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 166 \\ & 178 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 105 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | 93 93 94 | 12 12 12 |
|  | July August September |  | 14.624 14.638 14.649 | 12,199 12,214 12,225 | 2,425 2,424 2,424 | 793 795 796 | 641 643 646 | 152 152 150 | 3,795 3,788 3,792 | 3,617 3,610 3,614 | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 178 \\ & 178 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 107 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \\ & 94 \\ & 95 \end{aligned}$ | 13 13 13 |
|  | October <br> November <br> December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14,637 \\ & 14,674 \\ & 14,713 \end{aligned}$ | 12,218 12,267 12,306 | 2,419 2,407 2,407 | 794 800 797 | 646 648 647 | $\begin{aligned} & 148 \\ & 152 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,777 \\ & 3,774 \\ & 3,768 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,599 \\ & 3,614 \\ & 3,608 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 160 \\ & 160 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 93 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { II } \\ & \text { II } \\ & \text { II } \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | January <br> February | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,711 \\ & 14,673 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,299 \\ & 12,255 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,412 \\ & 2,418 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 799 \\ & 802 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 649 \\ & 651 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \\ & 151 \end{aligned}$ | 3,826 3,848 3,839 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,666 \\ & 3,688 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160 \\ & 160 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & \text { II } \end{aligned}$ |
|  | March |  | 14,653 | 12,265(5) | 2,388( ${ }^{5}$ | 800 | 651 | 149 | 3,839 | 3,679 | 160 | 105 | 94 | 11 |
|  | April May June | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,700 \\ & 14,694 \\ & 14,729 \end{aligned}$ | 12,386 12,561 12,713 | 2,314 2,133 2,016 | $\begin{aligned} & 803 \\ & 802 \\ & 800 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 654 \\ & 649 \\ & 647 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 153 \\ & 153 \end{aligned}$ | 3,838 3,258 3,878 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,678 \\ & 3,696 \\ & 3,716 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160 \\ & 162 \\ & 162 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \\ & 92 \\ & 92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July <br> August <br> September |  | 14,694 14,686 14,671 | 12,796 12,859 12,900 | 1,898 1,827 1,771 | 797 799 803 | $\begin{aligned} & 644 \\ & 645 \\ & 648 \end{aligned}$ | 153 154 155 | 3,902 3,949 3,953 | 3,737 3,782 3,783 | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 167 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 89 \\ & 90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 15 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14,629 \\ & 14,645 \\ & 14,681 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.873 \\ & 12.916 \\ & 12,959 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,756 \\ & 1,729 \\ & 1,722 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 798 \\ & 796 \\ & 796 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 644 \\ & 641 \\ & 641 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 154 \\ & 155 \\ & 155 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,976 \\ & 4,000 \\ & 4,046 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,804 \\ & 3,828 \\ & 3,873 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 172 \\ & 172 \\ & 173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 90 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 14 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ |
| $1951$ | January February March | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,637 \\ & 14,600 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,930 \\ & 12,907 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,707 \\ & 1,693 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 797 \\ & 794 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 643 \\ & 640 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 154 \\ & 154 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,069 \\ & 4,087 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3,896 \\ 3,914 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 173 \\ & 173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ |

(1) Tonnage on bareboat charter or requisition excluded was 21 thousand gross tons at 28 February 1951.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Vessels on the United Kingdom register on bareboat charter from Canada have been treated as having remained on the Canadian Register. The tonnage at 28 February 1951 was 36 thousand gross tons. See also footnote ( ${ }^{5}$ ).
${ }^{(3)}$ The tonnage on bareboat charter or requisition excluded amounted to 4 thousand gross tons at 28 February 1951.
(4) From 30 April 1949 excludes tonnage on the register of the Irish Republic, which at that date was 46 thousand of 1,600 gross tons and over and 11 thousand of $500-1,599$ gross tons.
${ }^{(5)}$ Since 28 February 1950, Canadian owners have been transferring some of their ships to the United Kingdom register and also retaining on that register some ships re-delivered from bareboat charter. See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$. At 28 February 1951, the amount of suc) tonnage previously included in the figures Registers Commonwealth Registers and now included in the figures for United Kingdom and Colonial Registers was 663,000 gross tons.

## Shipping movement at United Kingdom ports

## Entrances and clearances of vessels in the foreign trade $\left({ }^{1}\right)$


${ }^{(1)}$ ) The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abroad to a port in the United Kingdom 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.

## XII. CIVIL AVIATION

United Kingdom airways $\left({ }^{1}\right)$
Monthly averages or calendar months
TABLE 130

|  |  | All services |  |  |  | Internal services |  |  |  | External services ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Aircraft miles flown | Passen- gers carried | Mail carried | Freight carried ${ }^{3}$ ) | Aircraft miles flown | Passengers carried | Mail carried | Freight carried $\left(^{3}\right)$ | Aircraft miles flown | Passengers carried | Mail carried | Freight carried ${ }^{(3)}$ |
|  |  | Thousands |  | Short tons ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  | Thousands |  | Short tons ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  | Thousands |  | Short tons ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |
| 1938(5) |  | 1,102 | 18.3 | 293 | 232 | 256 | 12.1 | 55 | 57 | 845 | 6.1 | 238 | 175 |
|  |  | 2,751 |  | 251 | 381 | 452 | 19.1 | 51 | 75 | 2,299 | 16.2 | 200 | 306 |
| 1946 |  | 3,294 | 48.9 | 280 | 471 | 591 | 28.5 | 63 | 90 | 2,703 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 217 | 381 |
| 1948 |  | 3,684 | 59.5 | 396 | 757 | 455 | 31.7 | 105 | 104 | 3,229 | $27 \cdot 7$ | 291 | 653 |
| 1949 |  | 3,688 | $76 \cdot 8$ | 494 | 1,321 | 501 | 37.7 | 115 | 164 | 3,188 | 39.0 | 379 | 1,157 |
| 1950 |  | 4,019 | $96 \cdot 3$ | 605 | 1,805 | 579 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 132 | 213 | 3,440 | $55 \cdot 8$ | 473 | 1,592 |
| 1948 | October ... | 3,917 | $63 \cdot 3$ | 436 | 907 | 411 | $30 \cdot 7$ | 105 | 119 | 3,506 | 32.7 | 331 | 788 |
|  | November | 3,297 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 375 | 772 | 243 | 14.1 | 97 | 81 | 3,054 | 18.7 | 278 | 691 |
|  | December... | 3,543 | $40 \cdot 3$ | 643 | 913 | 307 | $16 \cdot 8$ | 153 | 121 | 3,236 | $23 \cdot 5$ | 490 | 792 |
| 1949 | January ... | 3,439 | $38 \cdot 6$ | 461 | 745 | 272 | 15.4 | 97 | 108 | 3,166 | 23.1 | 364 | 637 |
|  | February ... | 2,939 | 37.6 | 431 | 735 | 260 | 14.0 | 97 | 105 | 2,680 | 23.5 | 334 | 630 |
|  | March ... | 3,238 | $45 \cdot 8$ | 464 | 855 | 296 | $17 \cdot 6$ | 110 | 123 | 2,942 | 28.2 | 354 | 732 |
|  | April ... | 3,552 | $65 \cdot 1$ | 466 | 825 | 388 | 29.0 | 102 | 135 | 3,164 | $36 \cdot 0$ | 364 | 690 |
|  | May ... | 3,795 | $76 \cdot 3$ | 461 | 1,075 | 503 | $35 \cdot 2$ | 110 | 166 | 3,292 | $41 \cdot 1$ | 351 | 909 |
|  | June ... | 4,096 | $98 \cdot 2$ | 457 | 1,354 | 710 | 53.7 | 109 | 199 | 3,386 | 44.4 | 348 | 1,155 |
|  | July ... | 4,352 | $130 \cdot 3$ | 472 | 2,267 | 845 | 77.7 | 112 | 208 | 3,507 | 52.6 | 360 | 2,059 |
|  | August ... | 4,378 | 134.0 | 478 | 2,857 | 854 | 78.9 | 119 | 206 | 3,524 | 55.1 | 359 | 2,651 |
|  | September | 4,055 | 115.5 | 474 | 1,871 | 766 | $63 \cdot 0$ | 116 | 204 | 3,289 | $52 \cdot 5$ | 358 | 1,667 |
|  | October ... | 3,635 | $75 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,004 |
|  | November | 3,360 | $49 \cdot 6$ | 497 | 1,016 | 330 | 17.3 | 118 | 162 | 3,030 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 379 | 854 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1,082 |  |  |  |  | 3,058 | 34.9 |  | 892 |
| 1950 | January ... | 3,228 | $51 \cdot 3$ | 499 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February ... | 3,022 | 49.7 | 517 | 978 | 300 | 15.2 | 121 | 166 | 2,722 | $34 \cdot 5$ | 396 | 812 |
|  |  | 3,547 |  | 585 | 1,161 | 349 | 21.8 |  | 187 | 3,199 | 47.5 | 457 | 974 |
|  | April | 3,807 | 84.0 | 526 | 1,347 | 454 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 115 | 198 |  | $53 \cdot 8$ | 411 |  |
|  | May | 4,335 | 94.6 | 557 | 1,631 | 618 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 128 | 227 | 3,717 | 58.0 | 429 | 1,404 |
|  | June | 4,555 | 119.1 | 560 | 2,101 | 833 | 56.6 | 130 | 257 | 3,717 3,722 | $62 \cdot 5$ | 429 430 | 1,844 |
|  |  | 4,945 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | 4,978 | 161.9 | 589 | 3,492 | 1,040 | $86 \cdot 0$ $85 \cdot 0$ | 128 | 253 | 3,930 3,938 | 74.0 77.0 | 454 456 | 2,283 |
|  | September | 4,668 | $146 \cdot 4$ | 629 | 2,607 | 844 | 67.7 | 132 | 243 | 3,938 3,824 | 78.8 | 497 | 2,364 |
|  | October ... | 4,187 | 99.4 | 631 | 1,995 | 459 | $33 \cdot 3$ | 132 |  |  | $66 \cdot 1$ | 498 | 1,763 |
|  |  | 3,642 | $58 \cdot 6$ | 647 | 1,525 | 362 | $16 \cdot 2$ | 134 | 188 | 3,280 | $42 \cdot 1$ | 513 | 1,337 |
|  |  |  | $60 \cdot 0$ | 939 | 1,388 | 354 | 18.5 | 192 | 180 | 2,884 | $41 \cdot 6$ | 747 | 1,208 |

${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ ) Excluding charter services, but including scheduled services operated by independent companies in association with British European Airways
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Includes services between the United Kingdom and the Continent operated by British European Airways (British Division).
${ }^{(3}$ ) Includes excess baggage and diplomatic bags.
${ }^{(4)}$ Revised figures to show tonnage in terms of short tons of $2,000 \mathrm{lb}$.
${ }^{(5)}$ Statistics for 1938 include a small volume of mileage and traffic on charter and special flights by operators of regular services.

United Kingdom airways ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE I3I
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | All services |  |  |  | Internal services |  |  |  | External services ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mall | Freight ${ }^{(3)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight ${ }^{(3)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles |
|  |  | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  | Millions |
| $938\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | ) ... ... | 831 | 91 | 453 | 4.5 | 10 | 7 | 79 | 0.9 | 821 | 84 | 374 | 3.6 |
| 946 | $\ldots$ | 656 | 732 | 3,164 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 6 | 10 | 218 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 650 | 722 | 2,946 | 27.7 |
| 947 | ... ... | 769 | 952 | 3,790 | $36 \cdot 8$ | 8 | 13 | 333 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 761 | 939 | 3,457 | $32 \cdot 9$ |
| 948 | ... ... | 927 | 1,448 | 4,776 | $46 \cdot 2$ | 16 | 18 | 418 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 911 | 1,430 | 4,358 | 41.5 |
| 949 | ... ... | 985 | 1,688 | 5,219 | $51 \cdot 2$ | 19 | 31 | 531 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 966 | 1,657 | 4,688 | 45.2 |
| 850 | ... ... | 1,130 | 2,045 | 6,705 | 66.1 | 22 | 40 | 594 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 1,108 | 2,005 | 6,111 | 59.4 |
| 948 October ... November December.. |  | 939 | 1,561 | 5,339 | $51 \cdot 3$ | 18 | 23 | 439 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 921 | 1,538 | 4,900 | $46 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | 911 | 1,618 | 4,001 | $38 \cdot 0$ | 15 | 14 | 187 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 896 | 1,604 | 3,814 | $35 \cdot 9$ |
|  |  | 1,331 | 1,768 | 4,378 | $42 \cdot 1$ | 26 | 24 | 254 | $2 \cdot 9$ | 1,305 | 1,744 | 4,124 | $39 \cdot 2$ |
| 949 | January ... | 1,022 | 1,537 | 4,019 | 38.5 | 17 | 20 | 230 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 1,005 | 1,517 | 3,789 | 35.9 |
|  | February ... | 894 | 1,509 | 3,639 | $35 \cdot 0$ | 17 | 19 | 205 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 877 | 1,490 | 3,434 | 37.2 |
|  | March ... | 925 | 1,687 | 4,405 | $42 \cdot 4$ | 19 | 23 | 266 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 906 | 1,664 | 4,139 | 39.4 |
|  | April ... | 890 | 1,577 | 4,970 | $48 \cdot 6$ | 17 | 25 | 429 | 4.9 | 872 | 1,553 | 4,541 | $43 \cdot 8$ |
|  | May ... | 922 | 1,735 | 5,431 | $53 \cdot 3$ | 19 | 31 | 506 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 903 | 1,704 | 4,925 | $47 \cdot 5$ |
|  | June ... | 919 | 1,747 | 5,675 | $56 \cdot 2$ | 18 | 37 | 750 | 8.5 | 901 | 1,709 | 4,925 | $47 \cdot 8$ |
|  | July... | 951 | 1,752 | 6,550 | $65 \cdot 9$ | 19 | 37 | 1,041 | 11.9 | 933 | 1,715 | 5,509 | $53 \cdot 9$ |
|  | August ... | 912 | 1,634 | 6,408 | $64 \cdot 5$ | 19 | 38 | 1,033 | 11.9 | 892 | 1,596 | 5,376 | $52 \cdot 3$ |
|  | September | 912 | 1,663 | 6,385 | $63 \cdot 7$ | 20 | 39 | 873 | 9.9 | 892 | 1,625 | 5,512 | $53 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October ... | 965 | 1,654 | 5,694 | $55 \cdot 5$ | 18 | 30 | 476 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 947 | 1,624 | 5,217 | $50 \cdot 0$ |
|  | November | 992 | 1,833 | 4,683 | 44.6 | 19 | 32 | 263 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 973 | 1,801 | 4,420 | 41.5 |
|  | December... | 1,521 | 1,925 | 4,767 | $46 \cdot 4$ | 28 | 36 | 301 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 1,493 | 1,889 | 4,467 | $42 \cdot 7$ |
| 950 |  |  | 1,589 | 4,515 | $43 \cdot 6$ | 18 | 32 | 287 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 1,010 | 1,556 | 4,228 | $40 \cdot 4$ |
|  | February ... | 1, 967 | 1,613 | 4,330 | $41 \cdot 5$ | 20 | 32 | 237 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 947 | 1,581 | 4,093 | $38 \cdot 8$ |
|  | March ... | 1,084 | 1,876 | 5,994 | $58 \cdot 3$ | 22 | 36 | 340 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 1,063 | 1,840 | 5,654 | 54.5 |
|  | April | 967 | 1,836 | 6,101 | 60.2 | 19 | 37 | 451 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 948 | 1,799 | 5,650 | 55.0 |
|  | May | 1,041 | 2,018 | 6,787 | 66.9 | 21 | 42 | 553 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 1,020 | 1,976 | 6,234 | $60 \cdot 6$ |
|  | June | 1,028 | 2,105 | 7,284 | $72 \cdot 8$ | 21 | 47 | 820 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 1,007 | 2,058 | 6,464 | 63.6 |
|  | July ... | 1,084 | 2,157 | 8,421 | $84 \cdot 7$ | 21 | 46 | 1,206 | 13.8 | 1,063 | 2,111 | 7,215 | 70.9 |
|  | August ... | 1,042 | 2,443 | 8,598 | $86 \cdot 4$ | 22 | 48 | 1,184 | 13.7 | 1,020 | 2,395 | 7,414 | $72 \cdot 8$ |
|  | September | 1,083 | 2,101 | 9,482 | 94.4 | 22 | 46 | 999 | 11.3 | 1,061 | 2,055 | 8,483 | 83.0 |
|  | October ... | 1,205 | 2,330 | 7,887 | $76 \cdot 9$ | 22 | 43 | 525 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 1,183 | 2,287 | 7,362 | 71.1 |
|  | November | 1,204 | 2,355 | 5,937 | 57.1 | 23 | 35 | 243 | 2.7 | 1,181 | 2,320 | 5,694 | 54.4 |
|  | December... | 1,830 | 2,110 | 5,125 | $50 \cdot 0$ | 30 | 35 | 280 | 3.1 | 1,800 | 2,075 | 4,845 | $46 \cdot 8$ |

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

Weekly averages


[^20]Source : Ministry of Transport

British Railways : Passenger journeys originating


[^21]

[^22]
## British Railways and inland waterways : Freight traffic

Weekly averages ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$

|  |  | British Railways( ${ }^{( }$) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Inland waterways |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Traffic originating |  |  |  | Net ton miles |  |  |  | Traffic originating |  |  |  | Net ton miles |
|  |  | Total | Merchandise and livestock | Minerals | Coal and coke | Total | Merchandise and livestock | Minerals | Coal and coke | Total | Merchandise | Liquids | Coal and coke |  |
|  |  | Million tons |  |  |  | Millions |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  | Thousands |
| 935 | ... ... | 5. 23 | 0.90 | 0.97 | $3 \cdot 35$ | 315 | 96 | 64 | 155 | 265 | 119 | 21 | 125 |  |
| 936 | ... ... | $5 \cdot 40$ | 0.96 | 1.05 | 3.40 | 333 | 103 | 70 | 160 | 272 | 121 | 22 | 129 | $\ldots$ |
| 937 | $\cdots$ | 5.73 | 0.99 | 1.13 | 3.61 | 353 | 107 | 75 | 171 | 275 | 121 | 24 | 130 |  |
| 938 | ... ... | 5.10 | 0.87 | 0.91 | $3 \cdot 31$ | 320 | 98 | 63 | 159 | 248 | 105 | 25 | 118 |  |
| 947 | ..... | 4.95 | 1.08 | 1.01 | 2.86 | 400 | 133 | 83 | 185 | 196 | 70 | 32 | 94 | 3,419 |
| 948 | ... ... | 5. 23 | 1.06 | 1.13 | 3.03 | 411 | 134 | 94 | 183 | 216 | 77 | 34 | 106 | 3,649 |
| 949 | ... ... | 5.37 | 1.05 | 1.17 | $3 \cdot 16$ | 419 | 133 | 96 | 191 | 217 | 76 | 33 | 107 | 3,670 |
| 950 | ... ... | 5.41 | 1.04 | 1.16 | $3 \cdot 21$ | 425 | 133 | 97 | 196 | 227 | 80 | 35 | 111 | 3,743 |
| ourweeksended:- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 949 January 30 .. February 27 March 27 .. |  | 5.40 $5 \cdot 62$ 5.58 | 1.09 1.13 | 1.16 1.18 | 3.15 3.30 3.20 | 428 451 | 138 147 146 | 100 102 | 189 202 | 218 233 | 75 80 | 37 38 | 107 115 | 3,623 3,886 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 58$ | 1.12 | $1 \cdot 17$ | $3 \cdot 29$ | 447 | 146 | 101 | 200 | 223 | 73 | 38 | 112 | 3,761 |
|  | April 24 ... | 5.15 | 1.01 | 1.12 | 3.02 | 408 | 131 | 92 | 185 | 208 | 70 | 36 | 102 | 3,389 |
|  | May 22 ... | $5 \cdot 52$ 5.31 | 1.11 | 1.18 | $3 \cdot 23$ | 440 | 142 | 99 | 199 | 232 | 81 | 36 | 115 | 4,069 |
|  | June 19 ... | 5.31 | 1.03 | $1 \cdot 15$ | $3 \cdot 13$ | 414 | 133 | 93 | 188 | 218 | 79 | 33 | 107 | 3,645 |
|  | July $17 \ldots$ | 5.35 | 1.00 | 1.16 | 3.19 | 422 | 127 | 96 | 200 | 206 | 71 | 27 | 108 | 3,599 |
|  | August $14 \ldots$ | 4.42 5.32 | 0.89 | 1.01 | $2 \cdot 52$ | 347 | 113 | 81 | 153 | 190 | 76 | 28 | 86 | 3,266 |
|  | September II | $5 \cdot 32$ | 1.05 | 1.17 | $3 \cdot 10$ | 409 | 132 | 92 | 184 | 200 | 75 | 31 | 94 | 3,567 |
|  |  | 5.47 | 1.07 | $1 \cdot 20$ | $3 \cdot 20$ | 431 | 136 | 99 | 196 | 216 | 76 | 33 | 107 | 3,720 |
|  | November 6 | 5.62 | 1.07 | $1 \cdot 21$ | $3 \cdot 34$ | 436 | 138 | 101 | 197 | 223 | 81 | 33 | 109 | 3,840 |
|  | December 4 | $5 \cdot 78$ | $1 \cdot 10$ | $1 \cdot 23$ | $3 \cdot 45$ | 449 | 144 | 103 | 202 | 232 | 84 | 32 | 116 | 3,824 |
| 1950 |  | 5.34 | 1.01 | 1.17 |  |  |  |  |  | 219 |  |  |  |  |
|  | January 29 ... | 5.54 5.64 | 1.06 | 1.20 | 3. 28 | 428 | 136 | 98 | 193 | 204 | 68 | 36 | 100 | 3,058 |
|  | February 26 March 26 | 5.64 5.71 | 1.09 | 1.16 | $3 \cdot 39$ | 441 | 142 | 98 | 201 | 226 | 73 | 34 | 119 | 3,670 |
|  | March 26 ... | $5 \cdot 71$ | $1 \cdot 10$ | 1.21 | $3 \cdot 39$ | 454 | 147 | 102 | 206 | 248 | 89 | 37 | 123 | 4,000 |
|  | April 23 ... | $5 \cdot 25$ | 0.99 | 1.15 | 3.11 | 417 | 132 | 97 | 188 | 214 | 70 | 33 | 111 |  |
|  | May 21 ... | $5 \cdot 62$ | 1.07 | $1 \cdot 20$ | $3 \cdot 35$ | 443 | 138 | 103 | 202 | 238 | 83 | 35 | 120 | 3,990 |
|  | June 18 .. | $5 \cdot 23$ | 0.97 | $1 \cdot 12$ | $3 \cdot 13$ | 409 | 126 | 94 | 189 | 227 | 81 | 33 | 113 | 3,919 |
|  | July 16 , $\ldots$ | $5 \cdot 32$ | 1.00 | 1.14 | $3 \cdot 18$ | 425 | 125 | 95 | 204 | 224 | 76 | 32 | 116 | 3,856 |
|  | August $13 \ldots$ | 4.52 | 0.87 | 1.03 | $2 \cdot 62$ | 358 | 111 | 84 | 163 | 202 | 71 | 33 | 98 | 3,430 |
|  | September 10 | $5 \cdot 28$ | 1.02 | $1 \cdot 10$ | $3 \cdot 15$ | 412 | 128 | 92 | 192 | 212 | 71 | 32 | 108 | 3,624 |
|  | October $8 \ldots$ | 5.50 5.75 | 1.06 | 1.14 | $3 \cdot 30$ | 439 | 135 | 97 | 208 | 225 | 78 | 37 | 111 | 3,878 |
|  | November 5 | 5.75 5.79 | 1.12 | 1.25 | $3 \cdot 38$ | 455 | 142 | 104 | 209 | 237 | 88 | 40 | 109 | 3,972 |
|  | December 31 | 5.79 5.14 | 1.12 0.97 | 1.24 1.12 | 3.43 3.05 | 457 | 146 | 103 | 208 | 233 | 84 | 41 | 109 | 3,873 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3.05 | 394 | 122 | 90 | 182 | 232 | 97 | 35 | 101 | 3,359 |
|  | January 28 ... <br> February 25 <br> March 25 ... | 5.35 5.69 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.02 \\ & 1.05 \end{aligned}$ | 1.15 1.20 | 3.17 3.44 | 427 | 132 | 97 | 199 | 194 | 67 | 35 | 92 | 2,898 |

${ }^{(1)}$ The weekly averages for each year are computed from the totals for calendar years, except those for 1950, which are calculated from totals for 52 weeks ended 31 December
$\left(^{2}\right)$ The figures for 1935 to 1938 exclude the railways of the Manchester Ship Canal.

${ }^{(1)}$ For the years 1935 to 1938, details of Government owned vehicles by types are not available. Such vehicles
${ }^{2}$ 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.
(4) Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles.
(b) 5s. class and $£ 12$ and over class.
${ }^{(6)}$ Including Invalid vehicles and snow ploughs. 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.
${ }^{(7)}$ Years ended September.

Road vehicles in Great Britain: Licences current ${ }^{(1)}$

| Annual census ( ${ }^{\text { }}$ ) |  |  | Total | Cars | Motor cycles and cricycles ${ }^{2}$ ) | Public conveyance |  | Goods vehicles |  |  | Agricultural vehicles |  | Vehicles exempt from duty |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Buses, coaches, taxis( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | Tramcars | Vans and lorries | General haulage tractors | Other (4) | Vans and lorries | Tractors and engines ( ${ }^{6}$ ) | Ambulances and fire engines | Other( ${ }^{6}$ ) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 2,581 | 1,477 | 517 | 85.5 86.0 | 10.9 10.3 | 422 | 1.9 | $3 \cdot 2$ $3 \cdot 5$ | 10.4 11.6 | 19.3 22.5 | $5 \cdot 8$ 6.1 | $28 \cdot 5$ $33 \cdot 5$ |
| 1936 | .. | .*. |  | 2,769 | 1,643 | 506 | 86.0 85.8 | 10.3 9.7 | 445 463 | 1.9 2.0 | 3.5 3.7 | 11.6 12.4 | $22 \cdot 5$ 25.6 | 6.1 6.3 | $33 \cdot 5$ 44.2 |
| 1937 1938 | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,938 3,094 | 1,798 1,944 | 488 462 | $85 \cdot 8$ $87 \cdot 7$ | 9.7 9.0 | 463 478 | 2.0 1.9 | 3.7 3.9 | 12.4 13.3 | $25 \cdot 6$ $28 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 3$ $6 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 2$ $57 \cdot 8$ |
| 1938 | ... | .. | 3,094 | 1,944 | 462 | 87.7 | 9.0 | 478 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 57 |
| 1946 |  | - | 3,113 | 1,770 | 462 | $104 \cdot 8$ | 6.1 | 526 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 29.7 | $145 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $54 \cdot 1$ |
| 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 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3,734 | 1,961 | 559 | 127.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 723 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $41 \cdot 3$ | $229 \cdot 2$ | $12 \cdot 8$ | 65.8 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,113 | 2,131 | 654 | $133 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 792 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | $267 \cdot 2$ | $13 \cdot 6$ | $60 \cdot 6$ |
| ind of month |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 939 | February May August ... November |  | 2,681 | 1,742 | 290 | $75 \cdot 2$ | 7.9 | 461 | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 6$ | $22 \cdot 3$ | 66. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,053 | 1,971 | 405 | $83 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 465 | 1.8 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 13.0 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 74. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,157 | 2,034 | 418 | 90.0 | $7 \cdot 9$ | 471 | 1.8 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | $32 \cdot 0$ | 84. |  |
|  |  |  | 2,604 | 1,627 | 304 | $67 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 447 | $1 \cdot 8$ | 1.0 | $15 \cdot 6$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | 94. |  |
| 1946 | February <br> May <br> August ... <br> November |  | 2,461 | 1,448 | 266 | $98 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 451 | 2. 5 | 1.6 | $26 \cdot 6$ | 114.8 | 47. |  |
|  |  |  | 2,901 | 1,709 | 395 | $100 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 469 | 2.6 | 4.8 | $28 \cdot 6$ | 129.8 | 55 |  |
|  |  |  | 3,037 | 1,747 | 439 | 104.7 | $6 \cdot 1$ | 502 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 28.3 | $140 \cdot 7$ | 61. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,101 | 1,752 | 447 | $104 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | 539 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $31 \cdot 6$ | 149.4 | 65. |  |
| 1947 | February <br> May <br> August... <br> November |  | 2,954 | 1,706 | 347 | $104 \cdot 1$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 553 | 2.6 | 1.6 | $30 \cdot 8$ | 136.9 | 65 |  |
|  |  |  | 3,292 | 1,859 | 469 | 108.6 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 578 | $2 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | $160 \cdot 2$ | 70. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,441 | 1,920 | 506 | 111.7 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 603 | 3.0 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $34 \cdot 4$ | 176.9 | 74. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,246 | 1,763 | 421 | 112.8 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 630 | 3.0 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $36 \cdot 4$ | 192.3 | 77. |  |
| 1948 | February May August ... November |  | 2,612 | 1,349 | 207 | 118.5 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 641 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 7$ | $183 \cdot 2$ | 68. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,146 | 1,670 | 351 | 123.8 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 661 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 6.9 | 36.8 | 209.4 | 78. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,652 | 1,951 | 530 | 126.6 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 683 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $39 \cdot 5$ | 226.4 | 81. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,683 | 1,931 | 537 | 123.9 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 710 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 0$ | $240 \cdot 1$ | 85. |  |
| 1949 | February <br> May <br> August ... <br> November |  | 3,504 | 1,868 | 447 576 | 123.7 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 721 | 3.1 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | 219.8 | 73. |  |
|  |  |  | 3,861 | 2,035 | 576 | 129.9 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 740 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | $246 \cdot 9$ | 76 |  |
|  |  |  | 4.016 | 2,107 | 616 | $132 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 758 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | $262 \cdot 2$ | 79. |  |
|  |  |  | 4,051 | 2,104 | 625 | 128.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 780 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | $47 \cdot 0$ | $273 \cdot 6$ | 81. |  |
| 1950 | February May August ... November |  | 3,833 | 2,035 | 526 | 126.1 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 778 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | $246 \cdot 1$ | 67. |  |
|  |  |  | 4,193 | 2,183 | 673 | 132.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 801 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $272 \cdot 7$ | 70. |  |
|  |  |  | 4,310 | 2,237 | 709 | 135.1 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 806 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 47.4 | $288 \cdot 9$ | 72. |  |
|  |  |  | 4,321 | 2,222 | 715 | 128.0 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 821 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 5$ | $300 \cdot 2$ | 74. |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 November 1950 the number of trade licences was 42,693 . Vehicles which bear a licence but which are exempt from duty are shown separately.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
(i) Including trolleybuses and private hire cars.
(4) Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles.
(5) 5 s. class and $£ 12$ and over class.
${ }^{(1)}$ Mainly cars and goods vehicles owned by Government authorities.
${ }^{( }$) Licences current at any time during the September quarter.
XIV. FINANCE

Exchequer receipts and issues
(i) Total receipts and issues

| Receipts | 1949/50 |  | 1950/51 | Issues | 1949/50 |  | 1950/51 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | $\begin{aligned} & \text { I April } \\ & 1949 \text { to } \\ & 18 \text { March } \\ & 1950 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { I April } \\ \text { 1950 to } \\ 17 \text { March } \\ 1951 \end{gathered}$ |  | Year | $\begin{aligned} & \text { I April } \\ & 1949 \text { to } \\ & 18 \text { March } \\ & 1950 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { I April } \\ & 1950 \text { to } \\ & 17 \text { March } \\ & 1951 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 3,924.0 | 3,786.0 | $3,836.4$ 168.1 | Ordinary expenditure Sinking funds a | $3,356.6$ 18.7 | $3,119.1$ <br> 18.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,046 \cdot 6 \\ & 19.3 \end{aligned}$ |
| Ordinary revenue <br> Salf balancing revenue | 174.0 |  |  | Sinking funds $\ldots$... $\ldots$. Self-baiancing expenditure | 174.0 | 167.9 | 168.1 |
| Receipts applicable to National Debt interest | $27 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 5$ | 36.8 0.1 | Interest outside the Permanent Debt Charge | $27 \cdot 5$ | 27.5 | $36 \cdot 8$ |
| Temporary advances repaid-Bullion |  |  |  | Issues to meet capital expenditure | $32 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 2$ | 29.1 |
| Money raised for capital expenditure issues ... | $32 \cdot 3$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 0$ | Redemption of debt :Floating debt | 32,703.0 | 31,534.6 | 31,608.2 |
|  |  |  |  | Tax reserve certificates ... | 323.2 125.8 | 318.0 121.2 | 287.5 129.4 |
| Money raised by : | 32,520.6 | 31,368-3 | 31,570.0 | National Savings Certificates ... | 125.8 44.0 | 121.2 41.9 | 129.4 46.6 |
|  | $32,520.6$ 284.6 | 274.4 | 348.5 | Defence Bonds $\ldots$... ${ }^{\text {Terminable annuities }} \ldots$ | 44.0 38.8 | 41.9 37.7 | 46.6 39.4 |
| Tax reserve certificates National Savings Certificates | 102.5 | 99.1 | 123.5 25.3 | Terminable annuities $13 \%$ Exchequer Bonds, 1950 ... | $38 \cdot 8$ 51.5 | 31.7 51.3 | 39.4 |
| Defence Bonds ... ... ... | 24.4 | $23 \cdot 8$ | $25 \cdot 3$ 99.5 | 21\% National War Bonds, |  |  |  |
| Funding Loan, 1956-61 ... |  | 二 | $250 \cdot 0$ | 1949-51 ... ... |  | - | 119.6 |
| Funding stock, 1966-68 ... |  |  |  | Other debt, etc.-Internal ... | 112.7 | 111.7 | 301.6 |
| Terminable annuities ... | 476.0 | $465 \cdot 5$ | 128.6 | External ... | 89.6 | $84 \cdot 3$ | 34.7 |
| Other debt, etc.- ${ }^{\text {Enternal }}$ | 48.8 | 45.3 | 14.8 | Issues under various Acts : <br> Local Authorities Loans Act, 1945 | $272 \cdot 1$ | 259.4 | $286 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  |  | Housing Acts ... ... ... | $7 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 8$ |
| Repayments, etc., under various Acts: Local Authorities Loans Act, 1945 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 4.4 | $7 \cdot 8$ | Coal Industry Nationalisation <br> Act, 1946 | $15 \cdot 0$ | 13.0 | 9.0 |
| Housing Acts ... ... | $20 \cdot 0$ | 19.9 | 19.8 | Cotton (Centralised Buying) |  |  |  |
| Coal Industry Nationalisation |  | $4 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 9$ | Act, 1947 ... ... ... | $60 \cdot 5$ | 53.5 | 86.0 |
|  | $5 \cdot 0$ |  | 6.9 | Bretton Woods Agreements |  |  |  |
| Cotton (Centralised Buying) Act, $1947 \quad \ldots$ $\ldots$$\ldots$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | 62.0 | Act, 1945 <br> Other Acts | 173.4 127.6 | 173.4 107.2 | $107 \cdot 4$ |
| Other Acts... $\ldots .$. | 103.9 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $80 \cdot 0$ | War damage compensation $\ldots$.... | 173.6 173.9 | $167 \cdot 4$ | 18.4 88.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Refunds of excess profits tax | 14.5 | 13.8 | 9.7 |
| Gift from Government of Australia | $8 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | - | Post-war credits ... ... ... | 17.0 | 16.2 | 16.3 |
| Receipts under the Economic Co- |  |  |  | Issue to the Exchange Equalisation |  |  |  |
| operation Agreement ... ... | 92.0 | 92.0 | $275 \cdot 0$ | Account ... ... ... | - 0 |  | $600 \cdot 0$ 2.6 |
| Balances on I April ... ... | $3 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 3.0 | Balances at end of period | $3 \cdot 0$ | 2.8 | $2 \cdot 6$ |
| Total receipts ... ... | 37,962.3 | 36,478.3 | 37,079.1 | Totalissues ... ... | 37,962.3 | 36,478.3 | 37,079.1 |

(ii) Ordinary revenue and expenditure

| Revenue | 1949/50 |  | 1950/51 |  | Expenditure | 1949/50 |  | 1950/51 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | $\begin{gathered} \text { I April } \\ 1949 \text { to } \\ 18 \text { March } \\ 1950 \end{gathered}$ | Year (Budget Estimate) | $\left\|\begin{array}{\|c\|} 1 \text { April } \\ 1950 \text { to } \\ 17 \mathrm{March} \\ 1951 \end{array}\right\|$ |  | Year | I April 1949 to 18 March 1950 | Year (Budget Estimate) | $\begin{gathered} 1 \text { April } \\ 1950 \text { to } \\ 17 \mathrm{Marcl} \\ 1951 \end{gathered}$ |
| Inland Revenue duties: |  |  |  |  | Consolidated Fund services : |  |  |  |  |
| Income tax | 1,438.4 | 1,380.7 | 1,388.0 | 1,353.1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sur-tax $\ldots$ | 114.7 | 108.0 | 120.0 | 114.4 | Interest and management of |  |  |  |  |
| Death duties | 189.6 | 183.2 | 195.0 | 177.9 | National Debt ... ... | $472 \cdot 2$ | 468.9 | $490 \cdot 0$ | $473 \cdot 2$ |
| Profits tax <br> Excess profits tax | $260 \cdot 8$ 36.2 | $252 \cdot 0$ | \} $270 \cdot 0$ | \{ $252 \cdot 8$ | Payments to Northern Ireland |  |  |  | $35 \cdot 3$ |
| Excess profits tax ... . | 36.2 19.6 | 35.0 19.2 | + 4.5 | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { 2 } \\ 9.4 \\ 4.7\end{array}\right.$ | Exchequer ... $\ldots$. ${ }^{\text {O. }}$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | 34.9 | 36.0 | $35 \cdot 3$ |
| Stamps and other Inland Revenue duties | 52.1 | 50.2 | 50.5 | 4.7 52.2 | Other Consolidated Fund se | $10 \cdot 6$ | 9.9 | 11.0 |  |
| Customs and Excise duties : |  |  |  |  | Supply services ... | 2,836.8 | 2,605-4 | 2,918-1 | 2,528.6 |
| Customs | $813 \cdot 3$ | $784 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excise | 706.4 | 688.6 | 713.2 | $701 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Motor vehicle duties ... | $55 \cdot 8$ | $55 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sale of surplus war stores .... $\ldots$ | 79.1 | 78.3 | 56.0 $35 \cdot 0$ | $61 \cdot 2$ $37 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Surplus receipts from certain trading services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Post Office (net receipt) $\ldots \ldots$ | 47.5 | $47 \cdot 5$ | $85 \cdot 0$ | $80 \cdot 9$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Broadcast receiving licences $\ldots \ldots$ Receipts from Sundry | 12.6 | 11.6 | 13.0 | 7.8 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Receipts from Sundry Loans Crown lands | 20.2 | 20.0 | 13.0 27.0 | 11.9 25.9 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miscellaneous receipts .... | $\begin{array}{r} 0 \cdot 7 \\ 77 \cdot 0 \end{array}$ | 0.6 71.0 | $\} 70.0$ | 71.0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total ordinary revenue ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - | 3,924•0 | 3,786.0 | 3,897-8 | 3,836 - 4 | Total ordinary expenditure... | 3,356-6 | 3,119.1 | 3,455 - 1 | 3,046.6 |

Inland Revenue duties
Receipts by the Exchequer
TABLE 139

|  | Total | Income tax | Sur-tax | Death duties | Stamp duties | Profits $\operatorname{tax}\left({ }^{1}\right)$ | Excess profits tax | Special contribution | Other $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ear ended 31 March |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939 ... | 520,281 | 335,901 | 62,530 | 77.430 | 20,980 | 21,890 |  | - | 1,550 |
| 1946 | 2,042,889 | 1,361,346 | 69,069 | 120,301 | 25,099 | 35,485 | 430,877 | - | 712 |
| 1947 lla $\ldots$ | 1,776,579 | 1,156,233 | 75,742 | 148,044 | 38,338 | 32,107 | 325,391 | - | 724 |
| 1948 | 1,798,660 | 1,189,728 | 91,220 | 172,029 | 56,280 | 36,120 | 252,568 | $\overline{79} 450$ | 715 |
| 1949 | 2,058,089 | $1,367,570$ $1,438,386$ | 97,900 114,700 | 177,141 189,600 | 56,433 51,470 | 199,090 260,760 | 79,805 36,200 | 79,450 19,600 | $\begin{aligned} & 700 \\ & 638 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | 2,111,354 | 1,438,386 | 114,700 | 189,600 | 51,470 |  |  | 19,600 |  |
| eriod ended <br> 1949 January 29 ... <br> February 26 <br> March 31 ... | 430,674 | 336,709 | 23,300 | 13,650 | 4,050 | 20,900 | 4,200 | 27,700 | 165 |
|  | 332,567 | 260,947 | 20,700 | 15,650 | 4,650 | 15,950 | 4,200 | 14,350 | 320 |
|  | 284,472 | 211,626 | 17,950 | 15,991 | 5,370 | 22,300 | 6,100 | 5,050 | 85 |
| April 30May 28June 30 | 134,459 | 76,659 | 11,950 | 14,900 | 4,100 | 18,500 | 5,000 | 3,300 | 50 |
|  | 97,810 | 50,850 | 5,750 | 13,700 | 4,300 | 12,100 | 8,500 | 2,600 | 10 |
|  | 106,559 | 58,189 | 4,900 | 15,400 | 4,300 | 18,560 | 2,600 | 2,600 | 10 |
| July 30August $27 \ldots$September 30 | 125,208 | 73,708 | 4,200 | 18,200 | 4,200 | 22,200 | 900 | 1,800 | - |
|  | 119,84 1 | 71,931 | 3,500 | 12,600 | 3,600 | 24,200 | 2,500 | 1,500 | 10 |
|  | 131,367 | 61,267 | 4,600 | 17,500 | 4,300 | 38,200 | 3,900 | 1,600 | - |
| October 29 <br> November 26 <br> December 31 | 98,950 | 46,650 | 3,600 | 18,400 | 4,300 | 22,700 | 1,900 | 1,400 | - |
|  | 82,709 | 37,609 | 3,500 | 13,200 | 4,400 | 19,800 | 3,100 | 1,100 | - |
|  | 144,975 | 85,275 | 6,300 | 19,500 | 5,400 | 23,900 | 3,400 | 1,200 | - |
| 1950 January 28 ... February 25 March 31 | $\begin{aligned} & 461,867 \\ & 358,085 \\ & 249,524 \end{aligned}$ | 392,297 | 25,200 | 14,300 | 3,800 | 23,800 | 1,200 | 1,000 | 270 |
|  |  | 298,547 | 22,200 | 15,000 | 3,670 | 16,700 | I,100 | 700 800 | 168 120 |
|  |  | 185,404 | 19,000 | 16,900 | 5,100 | 20,100 | 2,100 | 800 | 120 |
| April 29May 27June 30 | $\begin{array}{r} 115,956 \\ 97,640 \\ 107,031 \end{array}$ | 71,036 | 10,150 | 15,850 | 3,850 | 13,560 | 900 | 600 | 10 |
|  |  | 55,620 | 6,600 | 15,200 | 4,370 | 13,780 | 1,600 | 450 | 20 |
|  |  | 58,316 | 6,350 | 19,550 | 3,995 | 17,080 | 1,200 | 520 | 20 |
| July 29 <br> August 26 <br> September 30 | $\begin{aligned} & 106,931 \\ & 113,014 \\ & 124,628 \end{aligned}$ | 68,231 | 3,900 | 12,850 | 4,150 | 16,600 | 800 | 400 | - |
|  |  | 67,369 | 3,800 | 12,000 | 3,635 | 23,800 | 2,000 | 410 | - |
|  |  | 58,698 | 4,400 | 16,000 | 4,700 | 38,950 | 1,450 | 420 | 10 |
| October 28 <br> November 25 <br> December 31 | 101,378 | 50,378 | 3,800 | 13,900 | 4,100 | 28,000 | 800 | 400 | - |
|  | 83,421 | 36,361 | 4,600 | 14,200 | 4,600 | 22,900 | 400 | 360 | - |
|  | 138,521 | 81,741 | 7,000 | 17,000 | 6,060 | 26,350 | - | 340 | 30 |
| 1951 January 27 February 24 March | $\begin{aligned} & 439,016 \\ & 362,791 \end{aligned}$ | 368,466 | 28,300 | 14,000 | 4,000 | 23,500 | 200 | 300 | 250 |
|  |  | 304,451 | 23,100 | 15,100 | 4,300 | 15,400 | - | 280 | 160 | profits duty.

## Customs and Excise duties

Receipts by H.M. Customs and Excise( ${ }^{1}$ )
£ thousand
TABLE 140

|  |  | Total | Beer | Wines, British wines and spirits | Tobacco | Purchase $\operatorname{tax}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Entertainments duty |  | Betting $\operatorname{tax}\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Other |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Cinemas | Other |  |  |
| Year ended 3I March 1939 |  | 340,552 | 65,581 | 41,015 | 84,818 | - | 5,613 | 2,541 | - | 140,984 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 416,425 | 118,125 | 41,431 | 10,104 | - | 143,208 |
| 1946 | - ... | $1,110,711$ $1,182,931$ | 306,103 259,720 | 89,588 | 446,308 | 180,926 | 41,386 | 12,015 | - | 152,988 |
| 1947 1948 | $\cdots$ | 1,426,257 | 274,055 | 102,308 | 567,809 | 246,249 | 37,974 | 12,065 | 3,693 | 182,104 |
| 1949 | $\cdots{ }^{\ldots} \ldots$ | 1,554,584 | 307,318 | 110,398 | 604,248 | 291,123 | 38,286 | 8,869 | 23,361 | 170,981 |
| 1950 |  | 1,520,154 | 276,770 | 117,188 | 600,943 | 291,732 | 36,970 | 26 | 26,401 | 162,124 |
| Month 1949 |  |  |  | 8,652 |  |  | 3,381 | 595 | 1,972 | 14,870 |
|  | January February | $\} 379,427\{$ | 29,703 | 5,489 | 46,744 | \} 78,634 | 2,967 | 499 | 2,184 | 14,069 |
|  | March | $\}^{379,427}\{$ | 18,906 | 3,851 | 53,684 |  | 3,113 | 527 | 2,688 | 14,655 |
|  | April |  | 22,374 | 10,389 | 46,847 |  | 3,473 | 707 | 2,408 | 12,406 |
|  | May | $\} 358,502$ \{ | 23,743 | 9,160 | 55,480 | \} 51,508 | 2,920 | 757 | 2,403 | 12,330 |
|  | June | $\int 358,502$ \{ |  | 8,020 | 49,193 | $\}$, | 2,793 | 798 | 1,455 | 13,653 |
|  | July | 386,218 | 24,442 | 7,227 | 43,614 | 79,465 | 2,547 | 783 | 1,150 | 13,556 |
|  | August ... | \} 386,218 | 27,893 | 9,180 | 49,215 | 79,465 | 3,075 | 855 | 1,305 | 14,760 |
|  | September... | $\int 386,218\{$ |  | 9,739 | 50,367 | 2, | 3,217 | 768 | 2,502 | 14,211 |
|  | October ... | ) 5 | 24,038 | 12,316 | 51,856 | 72, | 3,185 | 751 | 2,518 | 14,925 |
|  | November... | \} 394,835 | 21,295 | 16,420 | 55,006 | 72,531 | 2,950 | 531 | 2,664 | 13,758 |
|  | December... | 394,835 | 20,911 | 14,373 | 46,330 |  | 2,905 | 408 | 2,722 | 12,442 |
| 1950 | January | ( | 24,891 | 8,783 | 53,920 |  | 3,383 | 657 | 2,084 | 12,659 |
|  | February | 381,974 | 19,485 | 5,735 | 48,844 | 88,499 | 2,959 | 439 | 2,307 | 13,729 |
|  | March |  | 15,661 | 5,667 | 50,863 |  | 3,531 | 601 | 2,883 | 14,394 |
|  | April | , | 23,806 | 8,395 | 42,840 |  | 3,305 | 549 | 2,291 | 15,822 |
|  | May | 385,470 | 17,901 | 9,704 | 55,872 | 68,872 | 3,074 | 659 | 2,000 | 23,057 |
|  | June |  | 24,532 | 8,164 | 49,289 |  | 2,805 | 754 | 1,131 | 20,648 |
|  | July ... |  | 25,157 | 8,304 | 44,182 |  | 2,753 | 730 | 870 | 21,231 |
|  | August ... | 3 399,547 | 25,066 | 10,695 | 48,967 | 68,123 | 3,188 | 840 | 1,136 | 23,379 |
|  | September... |  | 25,536 | 10,349 | 51,523 |  | 3,509 | 704 | 2,222 | 21,083 |
|  | October ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November... | \} 416,907 | 21,000 | 17,123 | 54,229 | \} 73,552 | 3,123 2,920 | 486 | 2,843 | 20,716 |
|  |  | ) | 21,774 | 13,815 | 44,768 | $\int 73,552$ \{ | 2,487 | 350 | 2,732 | 18,780 |
| 1951 | January ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February March |  | 16,951 | 14,275 | $53,110$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,054 \\ & 2,836 \end{aligned}$ | 542 418 | 2,253 | 21,859 |

${ }^{(1)}$ The sum of the twelve monthly receipts under certain headings is slightly greater than the total shown for the financial year. This is because the monthly figures include duties ultimately payable to the Isle of Man and adjustments for these are made only at the end of the financial year.
${ }^{2}{ }^{2}$ ) Tax imposed from 21 October 1940.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Pool Betting duty imposed from 4 January 1948 ; Bookmakers' Licence duty imposed
from 9 August 1948 .

Floating debt and bank clearings

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

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Figures are for the last Saturday in the month for the first two months in the ${ }^{2}$ ) quarter and for the last day in the quarter for the quarter months.
${ }^{2}$ ) 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.

|  |  | Notes and coin outstanding |  |  |  |  | Held by banks |  |  |  | Average estimated circulation with the public |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Bank of England notes ${ }^{(1)}$ | Scottish bank notes $\left({ }^{8}\right)$ | Northern Irish bank notes( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Estl- <br> mated <br> $\operatorname{coln}\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Bank of England reserve( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Scottish banks ${ }^{\left({ }^{2}\right)}$ | Northern Irish banks $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ | London clearing banks ${ }^{1}$ ) ( ${ }^{8}$ ) |  |  |
|  |  | E million |  |  |  |  | ¢ million |  |  |  | $E$ million | $\begin{gathered} \text { Index } \\ 1938=100 \end{gathered}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 549 \\ & 582 \\ & 626 \\ & 635 \end{aligned}$ | $453 \cdot 7$ | 21.7 |  | $69$ |  |  | $3 \cdot 0$ | $103 \cdot 1$$109 \cdot 3$ | $362\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $80 \cdot 61{ }^{5}$ |
|  | $\cdots$ |  | 484.3524.0 | $22 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ |  | $53 \cdot 7$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 2$ |  | 394 |  |
|  | ... $\quad .$. |  |  | $22 \cdot 3$ 23.1 | $5 \cdot 3$$5 \cdot 3$ | 7477 | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 5 \\ & 44 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $23 \cdot 0$ 23.6 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 114.2 | 440 | $\begin{array}{r} 98.7 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ |
|  | $\ldots$ |  | 529.5 | $23 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 446 |  |
|  |  | 1,625 | 1,403.1 | 68.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 145 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 5 \\ & 67 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $70 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | 152.4165.2 | 1,341 | $\begin{aligned} & 300.7 \\ & 305 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1947 | ... $\quad .$. | 1,682 | 1,450.2 | 71.8 |  |  |  | 74.5 |  |  | 1,361 |  |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | 1,549 | 1,312.7 |  | 12.211.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 158 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $60 \cdot 2$$50 \cdot 3$ | 68.6 | 11.4 | 170.0 | 1,239 | 277.8 |
| 1949 | ... ... | 1.564 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,314 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,328 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 5 \\ & 70 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 71.6 | $9 \cdot 6$ | 191.3 | 1,248 | 279.8 |
| 1950 |  | 1,576 |  |  | 10.0 | 167 | 46.1 | $73 \cdot 5$ |  |  | 1,255 | 281.4 |
| 1949 | January ...FebruaryMarch ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,548 \\ & 1,547 \\ & 1,549 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,300 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 4 \\ & 65 \cdot 6 \\ & 67 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.7 \\ & 11.5 \\ & 11.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 170 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $58 \cdot 8$$75 \cdot 6$ | $69 \cdot 6$$68 \cdot 3$69.7 | 11.310.610.6 | 187.2173.9 | 1,2211,2191,235 | $\begin{aligned} & 273 \cdot 8 \\ & 273 \cdot 3 \\ & 276 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $61 \cdot 8$ |  |  | $171 \cdot 5$ | 1,235 |  |
|  | April | 1,5521,5511,552 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,300 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 2 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \\ & 70 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 11.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 171 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | 29.4$30 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 2 \\ & 72 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 10.810.6 | 180.0185.7 | 1,2601,252 | 282.5280.7 |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June ... |  |  |  | 11.2 |  | $26 \cdot 0$ |  | $10 \cdot 5$ | 180.8 | 1,261 | 282.7 |
|  | JulyAugust $\ldots$September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,604 \\ & 1,600 \\ & 1,587 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,350 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,350 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,337 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 4 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \\ & 68 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 11.110.910.8 | 170170 | 61.163.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 75.9 \\ & 72.9 \end{aligned}$ | 10.610.6 | 183.6190.8186.2 | 1,273 | 285.4283.0278.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,262 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $10 \cdot 8$ | 170 | $74 \cdot 6$ | $72 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 186.2 |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,550 \\ & 1,551 \\ & 1,588 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,300 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,337 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 0 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 7 \\ & 10 \cdot 8 \\ & 10.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 170 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | 44.8 | 71.9 | 10.1 | 182.7 | 1,241 | $278 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $44 \cdot 7$ | $72 \cdot 5$ | 10.0 | $180 \cdot 7$ | 1,243 | 278.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $34 \cdot 2$ | $72 \cdot 5$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | $202 \cdot 8$ | 1,268 | 284.3 |
| 1950 | January... February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,560 \\ & 1,547 \\ & 1,549 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,312 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 7 \\ & 67 \cdot 5 \\ & 69 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.5 \\ & 10.4 \\ & 10.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 169 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 1 \\ & 58 \cdot 7 \\ & 46 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 8 \\ & 70 \cdot 4 \\ & 72 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.8 \\ & 9.7 \\ & 9.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 204 \cdot 2 \\ & 179 \cdot 6 \\ & 180 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,230 \\ & 1,229 \\ & 1,241 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 275 \cdot 8 \\ & 275 \cdot 6 \\ & 278 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | $\begin{aligned} & 1,550 \\ & 1,550 \\ & 1,564 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,300 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,300 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,312 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 6 \\ & 70 \cdot 8 \\ & 72 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 2 \\ & 10 \cdot 1 \\ & 10 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169 \\ & 169 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $23 \cdot 8$ | 74.2 | 9.5 | 184.8 | 1,258 | 282.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $28 \cdot 2$ | $75 \cdot 6$ | 9.6 | 191.6 | 1,259 | $282 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July <br> August... <br> September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,603 \\ & 1,599 \\ & 1,595 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,350 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,350 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,350 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73.5 \\ & 70.5 \\ & 69.9 \end{aligned}$ | 9.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 9.8 | 168 | 39.1 | 74.6 | 9.5 | 199.3 | 1,276 | 286.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  | $9 \cdot 7$ | 165 | $63 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 194.8 | 1,254 | $281 \cdot 2$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,594 \\ & 1,594 \\ & 1,613 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,350 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,350 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,369 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70.1 \\ & 70.6 \\ & 71.1 \end{aligned}$ | 9.6 | 164 |  |  |  |  |  | 279.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 9.6 | 163 | $72 \cdot 6$ | $73 \cdot 8$ | 9.0 | 187.6 | 1,251 | $280 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | 9.6 | 163 | 31.5 | $74 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 209.1 | 1,289 | 289.0 |
| 19 | January ... February March .. | $\begin{aligned} & 1,599 \\ & 1,592 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,355 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,350 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \cdot 2 \\ & 69.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.6 \\ & 9.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 162 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 2 \\ & 63 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 2 \\ & 73 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 2 \\ & 9 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 203 \cdot 1 \\ & 184 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,257 \\ & 1,262 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 281 \cdot 8 \\ & 283.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }_{(2)}^{1}\right)$ 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
${ }^{3}$ ) Exssible to the calendar month. Years : average of the thirteen published figures.
(4) Published coin other than gold coin in the Bank of England Issue Department.
banks until December 1935, The Committee of London Clearing Bankers. Ten
${ }^{(5)}$ For comparability this index and subsequently eleven.
clearing banks.

| Notes | Notes | Govern- |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| in | in |  |
| inent |  |  |
| circula- |  |  |
| tion | Banking <br> Dept. | securl- <br> ties $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |


| Deposits |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | PublicH.M. <br> Treasury <br> Special <br> Account <br> $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Bankers | Other <br> accounts |

Total $\mid$

|  |  |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: |
| $=$ | 96.7 | 38.1 |
| $=$ | 96.2 | 38.5 |
| - | 97.2 | 37.2 |
| - | 106.2 | 36.2 |

108
115
126
133
$\square$

| 87.0 |
| ---: |
| 88.8 |
| 98.4 |
| 103.2 |
|  |
| 260.2 |

9.6


| $11 \cdot 9$ | $59 \cdot 6$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $17 \cdot 1$ | $53 \cdot 7$ |
| $21 \cdot 2$ | $45 \cdot 5$ |
| $21 \cdot 0$ | $44 \cdot 9$ |
| $18 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 5$ |
| $20 \cdot 2$ | $67 \cdot 9$ |
| $24 \cdot 2$ | $60 \cdot 2$ |
| $25 \cdot 8$ | $50 \cdot 3$ |
| $26 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  |
| $23 \cdot 7$ | $58 \cdot 8$ |
| $26 \cdot 2$ | $75 \cdot 6$ |
| $27 \cdot 4$ | $61 \cdot 8$ |
| $24 \cdot 9$ | $29 \cdot 4$ |
| $26 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 2$ |
| $24 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 0$ |
| $25 \cdot 5$ | $61 \cdot 1$ |
| $28 \cdot 0$ | $63 \cdot 9$ |
| $26 \cdot 0$ | $74 \cdot 6$ |
| $24 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 8$ |
| $28 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 7$ |
| $23 \cdot 7$ | $34 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |
| $23 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 1$ |
| $27 \cdot 5$ | $58 \cdot 7$ |
| $27 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 2$ |
| $24 \cdot 3$ | $23 \cdot 3$ |
| $29 \cdot 3$ | $23 \cdot 8$ |
| $26 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 2$ |
| $25 \cdot 0$ | $46 \cdot 5$ |
| $27 \cdot 5$ | $39 \cdot 1$ |
| $27 \cdot 5$ | $63 \cdot 7$ |
| $25 \cdot 4$ | $74 \cdot 3$ |
| $29 \cdot 6$ | $72 \cdot 6$ |
| $23 \cdot 7$ | $31 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  |
| $27 \cdot 0$ | $54 \cdot 2$ |
| $33 \cdot 4$ | $63 \cdot 6$ |
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${ }^{1}$ ) Gold coin and bullion in the Issue Department has been negligible since September

1939, when practically the whole was transferred to H .M. Treasury. The holding of $£ 326.4$ million (valued at 85 s . Od per oz fine) was. per oz. fine). A maximum of $£ 326.4$ million (valued at 85s. 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, $£ 3.4$ million (1940); silver coin, $£ 1.8$ million (1935).
${ }^{1}{ }^{2}$ ) Including Government Debt $£ 11 \cdot 0$ million.
${ }^{\text { }}$ ) Established in August 1948 under Article IV of the Economic Co-operation Agreement 1948 between the Governments of the United Kingdom and the United States of America.

|  |  |  |  | Total deposits | Current accounts$\underset{\text { million }}{\in}$ | Deposit and other accounts | Coin, notes and balances with Bank of Engiand |  | Balances with other banks, etc.(2)$\underset{\text { million }}{\underset{E}{2}}$ | Money at call and short notice |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | $\underset{\text { million }}{\in}$ |  |  | Percentage of total deposits | $\underset{\text { million }}{\mathcal{E}}$ |  | Percentag of total deposits |
| 1935 |  |  |  |  | 1,999 | 1,054( ${ }^{9}$ ) | 904( ${ }^{3}$ ) | 215 | $10 \cdot 8$ | - | 142 | $7 \cdot 1$ |
| 1936 | ... $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,216 \\ & 2,287 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,197\left({ }^{3}\right) \\ & 1,233\left({ }^{3}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 982\left({ }^{3}\right) \\ 1,0111^{(3)} \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \\ & 235 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 3 \\ & 10.3 \end{aligned}$ | - 62 | 165167 | $\begin{aligned} & 7.5 \\ & 7.3 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1937 | ... ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... |  | ... | 2,277 | 1,244 | 1,033 | 241 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 60 | 151 | $6 \cdot 6$ |
| 1946 | monthly averages |  | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 5,097 \\ & 5,650 \\ & 5,913 \\ & 5,974 \\ & 6,014 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,377 \\ & 3,690 \\ & 3,850 \\ & 3,940 \\ & 3,979 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,720 \\ & 1,959 \\ & 2,062 \\ & 2,034 \\ & 2,036 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 523 \\ & 473 \\ & 486 \\ & 496 \\ & 497 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \cdot 3 \\ 8 \cdot 4 \\ 8 \cdot 2 \\ 8 \cdot 3 \\ 8 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | 165186199202203 | $\begin{aligned} & 300 \\ & 450 \\ & 473 \\ & 510 \\ & 550 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.9 \\ & 8.0 \\ & 8.0 \\ & 8.5 \\ & 9.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1947 | monthly avera |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | January 19February 16March 16 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 6,057 \\ & 5,817 \\ & 5,815 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,033 \\ & 3,810 \\ & 3,803 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,024 \\ & 2,007 \\ & 2,011 \end{aligned}$ | 532481474 | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 8 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 198 \\ & 190 \\ & 194 \end{aligned}$ | 481491482 | $\begin{aligned} & 7.9 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | . | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April $20 .$.May 18June 30 | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,886 \\ & 5,872 \\ & 6,025 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,875 \\ & 3,869 \\ & 3,961 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,011 \\ & 2,004 \\ & 2,063 \end{aligned}$ | 500487 | 8.58.38.0 | 220183237 | 480498500 | 8.28.58.3 |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  | 481 |  |  |  |  |
|  | July 20 August 17 <br> September 21 | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,973 \\ & 5,922 \\ & 6,009 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,939 \\ & 3,896 \\ & 3,959 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,034 \\ & 2,026 \\ & 2,049 \end{aligned}$ | 492492490 | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 181 \\ & 183 \\ & 220 \end{aligned}$ | 492498518 | 8.28.48.6 |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October 19 <br> November 16 <br> December 31 | ... | .. | $\begin{aligned} & 6,050 \\ & 6,066 \\ & 6,202 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,997 \\ & 3,977 \\ & 4,161 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,053 \\ & 2,089 \\ & 2,041 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 499 \\ & 497 \\ & 532 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 8.2 \\ & 8.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 182 \\ & 202 \\ & 238 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 556 \\ & 548 \\ & 571 \end{aligned}$ | 9.29.09.2 |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | January 18 February 15 March 15 .. |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,085 \\ & 5,841 \\ & 5,783 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,058 \\ & 3,844 \\ & 3,812 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,027 \\ & 1,997 \\ & 1,971 \end{aligned}$ | 502476485 | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 8.2 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193 \\ & 195 \\ & 195 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 571 \\ & 539 \\ & 534 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 4 \\ & 9 \cdot 2 \\ & 9 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April 19 May 17 June 30 |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,843 \\ & 5,847 \\ & 6,000 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,876 \\ & 3,870 \\ & 3,965 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,967 \\ & 1,976 \\ & 2,035 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 493 \\ & 482 \\ & 482 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.4 \\ & 8.2 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 180 \\ & 198 \\ & 260 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 530 \\ & 538 \\ & 544 \end{aligned}$ | 9.19.29.1 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July 19 <br> August 16 <br> September 20 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,956 \\ & 5,968 \\ & 6,028 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,934 \\ & 3,941 \\ & 3,969 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,021 \\ & 2,027 \\ & 2,059 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 501 \\ & 504 \\ & 492 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.4 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 172 \\ & 190 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 557 \\ & 544 \\ & 543 \end{aligned}$ | 9.49.19.0 |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October 18 <br> November 15 <br> December 31 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,204 \\ & 6,251 \\ & 6,368 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,105 \\ & 4,109 \\ & 4,262 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,099 \\ & 2,142 \\ & 2,106 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 509 \\ & 502 \\ & 540 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 8.0 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 198 \\ & 221 \\ & 268 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 556 \\ & 548 \\ & 592 \end{aligned}$ | 9.08.89.3 |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January 17 February 21 March 21 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 6,260 \\ & 6,041 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,181 \\ & 3,994 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,078 \\ & 2,047 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 530 \\ & 496 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 5 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 217206 | $\begin{aligned} & 559 \\ & 531 \end{aligned}$ | 8.98.8 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ ) 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
${ }^{2}$ ) the month. The figures relate to 10 banks in 1935 and to 11 banks thereafter.
dom and the Irish Republic in course of collection on other banks in the United King-
$\left.{ }^{3}\right)$ England and Wales only.

Source : Committee of London Clearing Bankers

# London clearing banks(') 



|  |  |  | TOTAL | Agriculture and fishing | Mining and quarrying |  | Manufacturing industries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Coal mining |  | Quarrying, etc. | Chemicals | Iron and steel and allied trades | Nonferrous metals | Engineering, etc. | Textiles |  |  | Leather and rubber | Food, drink and tobacco |
|  |  |  | Cotton |  |  |  |  |  |  | Wool | Other textiles |  |  |
| 1947 |  |  |  | 1,027•0 | 80.1 | $8 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | 12.0 | 14.6 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 72.7 | 4.8 | 9.5 | 12.7 | 6.6 | 64.5 |
|  | May | ... | 1,094 - 1 | 84.1 | 8.4 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | 12.9 | 3.9 | 73.6 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 13.7 | 7.0 | 87.2 |
|  | August ... | $\ldots$ | 1,174.4 | $95 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 4.1 | 16.2 | 15.2 | 2.9 | $87 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | 9.6 | $15 \cdot 7$ | 6.4 | 68.5 |
|  | November | ... | 1,219.0 | $95 \cdot 9$ | 8.0 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 9$ | 14.5 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $95 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 9$ | 16.8 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 80.0 |
| 1948 |  |  | 1,307-0 | 101.7 | 8.4 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 18.6 | 15.1 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $105 \cdot 5$ | 7.5 | 13.3 | 21.8 | 9.0 | 88.2 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 1,351.0 | 111.5 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 3.9 | 19.9 | 16.9 | 2.9 | 106.4 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 13.2 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 10.1 | 89.5 |
|  | August ... | $\ldots$ | 1,380.9 | 124.1 | 6.6 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 21.7 | 17.7 | 3.9 | 117.9 | 9.5 | 13.2 | $24 \cdot 4$ | 9.6 | $68 \cdot 4$ |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 1,379.5 | 124.3 | 6.8 | 4.4 | 18.6 | 18.9 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 119.8 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $12 \cdot 1$ | $23 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | $80 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 |  |  | 1,461.2 | 126.7 | 6.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 18.7 | 21.0 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 122.5 | 10.8 | 14.8 | 28.3 | 10.8 | 89.2 |
|  | May | $\cdots$ | 1,487.8 | 134.3 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 18.4 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 3.2 | 114.8 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 12.0 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 9.8 | 111.0 |
|  | August ... | . | 1.497.1 | 142.3 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 4.3 | 19.3 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 104.7 | 8.8 | 14.0 | 25.1 | 9.6 | 94.8 |
|  | November | ... | 1,532-5 | $145 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 3.9 | $17 \cdot 7$ | 24.5 | 4.0 | $96 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 11.3 | 25.1 | 9.5 | $110 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 |  |  | 1,645.9 | 151.7 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 4.2 | 21.0 | 23.8 | 6.4 | 96.0 | $9 \cdot 2$ |  | 33.1 | 11.7 | 115.2 |
|  | May ... | ... | 1,715.1 | $160 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 24.7 | 24.9 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 91.4 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 22.1 | $36 \cdot 5$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | 127.3 |
|  | August... | $\ldots$ | 1,691-2 | 171.5 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 4.1 | 25.4 | 19.5 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $92 \cdot 6$ | 10.1 | 26.0 | $36 \cdot 4$ | 17.4 | 110.8 |
|  | November |  | 1,683-2 | 171.2 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | 16.7 | 19.2 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 92.4 | $8 \cdot 6$ | 21.0 | 33.0 | 13.9 | $130 \cdot 5$ |
| 1951 | February | ... | 1,806.8 | 177.9 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | 19.2 | 21.1 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 98.8 | 10.1 | $38 \cdot 6$ | $45 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 127.7 |

TABLE 145 (continued)
£ million

|  |  |  | Building and contracting |  | Public utilities (other than transport) | Transport and communications | $\begin{gathered} \text { Shipping } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { ship- } \\ \text { building } \end{gathered}$ | Retail trade | Unclassified industry and trade | Finance |  | Local government authorities | Churches charities, hospitals, etc. |  | Entertainment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Builders and contractors | Building materials |  |  |  |  |  | Stockbrokers | Other financial |  |  |  |  |
| 1947 | February |  | $52 \cdot 1$ | 7.8 | 13.5 | 13.0 | $10 \cdot 7$ | $88 \cdot 0$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $88 \cdot 5$ | 78.9 | 14.1 | 295.2 | $24 \cdot 5$ |
|  | May ... | ... | 56.5 | $8 \cdot 7$ | 13.7 | 13.3 | 10.6 | 98.3 | $44 \cdot 5$ | 5.0 | 91.8 | 76.0 | 15.6 | 314.0 | $22 \cdot 3$ |
|  | August ... | ... | 57.6 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 11.8 | 11.9 | 19.1 | 109.0 | 51.7 | 5.0 | 108.8 | 76.8 | 17.4 | 333.5 | 25.0 |
|  |  |  | $58 \cdot 3$ | 11.3 | 11.6 |  | 20.0 | 113.9 | 59.0 | 4.0 | 99.9 | 83.4 | 18.2 | 341.6 | 26.6 |
| 1948 | February | $\ldots$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | 12.2 | 13.9 | 13.2 | 18.5 | 131.1 | $64 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $103 \cdot 2$ | $86 \cdot 6$ | 18.4 | $355 \cdot 4$ | 28.8 |
|  | May ... <br> August | $\ldots$ | 61.4 60.1 | 12.7 | 26.4 | 14.3 | 17.8 | 141.4 | $67 \cdot 3$ | 4.1 | 102.7 | 79.0 | 18.8 | 362.8 | 30.8 |
|  | August ... November | $\ldots$ | 60.1 | 12.6 | $33 \cdot 3$ | 15.6 | 16.3 | $140 \cdot 5$ | 70.8 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 105.1 | $86 \cdot 3$ | 12.5 | 371.2 | $32 \cdot 3$ |
|  | November |  | $60 \cdot 1$ | 12.1 | 18.5 | 18.6 | 14.8 | 142.9 | $70 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 102.9 | 91.7 | 9.4 | $374 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 9$ |
| 1949 | February May | $\ldots$ | 61.2 | 12.7 | 21.4 | 18.0 | 16.5 | 153.0 | 75.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 117.5 | 94.4 | 9.2 | 386.0 | 34.5 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $61 \cdot 5$ | 12.4 | $16 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 17.3 | 158.1 | 76.9 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 126.2 | 84.1 | 9.1 | 399.2 | 33.9 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $62 \cdot 7$ 62.3 | 12.6 | $20 \cdot 9$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | 15.5 | 159.7 | 79.6 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 128.8 | 88.4 | $10 \cdot 0$ | $407 \cdot 5$ | $33 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | $42 \cdot 4$ | $15 \cdot 7$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | $166 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 131.3 | $85 \cdot 9$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $407 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | February May | $\cdots$ | 64.6 64. | 13.7 | 79.1 | 18.2 | $16 \cdot 2$ | 173.5 | $90 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $140 \cdot 3$ | 90.1 | 10.7 | 414.0 | 32.5 |
|  | August .... | $\ldots$ | 64.6 64.7 | 13.9 | $90 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | 15.5 | 188.8 | 91.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 151.9 | $84 \cdot 5$ | 10.8 | $422 \cdot 1$ | 32.7 |
|  | November |  | $64 \cdot 2$ 62.9 | 14.6 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 16.1 | 14.8 | 178.6 | 95.5 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 167.0 | $95 \cdot 3$ | 11.6 | $424 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | $62 \cdot 9$ | 14.6 | $42 \cdot 0$ | $16 \cdot 1$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | 179.4 | $95 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 178.9 | $93 \cdot 8$ | 11.6 | $417 \cdot 6$ | 28.9 |
| 1951 | February | ... | $66 \cdot 6$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | 55.9 | $17 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 191.8 | 106.5 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 194.2 | $90 \cdot 4$ | 11.7 | $430 \cdot 7$ | 29.6 |

# FINANCE 

## Savings



Security prices and yields

|  |  |  | British Government securities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Industrial securities |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Average prices and yields( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Price indices ( 31 December $1938=100$ ) and average yields ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Short dated ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Medium dated ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ W War Loan |  | 212\% Consols |  | Debentures |  | Preference shares |  | Ordinary shares |  |
|  |  |  |  | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield |
|  |  |  | Price | Yield | Price | Yield |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 120.1 | 2.46 | 116.8 | 3.03 2.99 | 105.6 106.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.08 \\ & 3.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86.4 \\ & 85.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.89 \\ & 2.94 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | .. | .. | $\ldots$ | .. | .. |
| 1935 1936 |  |  | 118.1 | 2.45 | 117.0 | 2. 99 3.32 | 106.0 101.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.03 \\ & 3.40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 1 \\ & 76 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.94 \\ & 3.28 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | . | . |
| 1937 |  | $\ldots$ | 112.9 | 2.92 | 110.8 111.4 | 3.32 <br> 3.27 | 101.2 100.9 | 3.40 3.42 | 74.1 | $3 \cdot 38$ | $\ldots$ |  |  | .. |  |  |
| 1938 |  | ... | $\underline{112.2}$ | $\underline{2.73}$ | 111.4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $102 \cdot 2$ | 2.09 | 105.4 | 2.55 | 106.0 | 2.48 | 96.3 | 2.60 | 111.5 | 3.68 3.68 | 126.1 | 4.03 3.98 | $150 \cdot 3$ | 4.32 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1946 \\ & 1947 \end{aligned}$ |  | ... | 101.4 | 2. 18 | $103 \cdot 7$ | 2.67 | 104.5 | 2.60 | $90 \cdot 6$ | 2.76 | 111.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  |  | 101.7 | 2.02 | $95 \cdot 8$ | 2.79 | $102 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 81$ | 78.0 75.9 | 3.21 3.30 | 109.6 106.2 | 3.77 3.87 | 124.4 111.4 | 3.96 4.42 | 136.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 85 \\ & 5 \cdot 40 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 |  |  | 101.5 | 1.94 | $95 \cdot 4$ | 2.83 | 98.5 | 3.55 |  | 3.54 | 100.9 | $4 \cdot 07$ | $102 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 78$ | 135.6 | $5 \cdot 48$ |
| 1950 |  | ... | 101.0 | 2.03 | $93 \cdot 5$ | 2.99 | $92 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 77$ | $70 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 54$ | $100 \cdot 9$ | 4.07 | 102.5 | 4.78 |  |  |
| 1949 | January <br> February <br> March |  |  |  | 98.4 | $2 \cdot 61$ | $103 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 64$ | $80 \cdot 2$ | 3.12 | $110 \cdot 3$ | 3.73 | 123.6 | 3.96 | $155 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 70$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  | 1.68 1.62 | 98.6 | 2.60 | 103.1 | 2.62 | $80 \cdot 9$ | 3.09 | $110 \cdot 4$ | 3.73 | $123 \cdot 3$ | 3.97 | 152.1 | 4.80 |
|  |  |  | 102.7 | 1.58 | 98.4 | 2.61 | 103.0 | 2.64 | $80 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 11$ | $110 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 72$ | 121.2 | 4.04 | 142.7 | 5.12 |
|  |  |  | $102 \cdot 2$ | 1.71 | 99.2 | 2.56 | 103.2 | 2.58 | $80 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 10$ | $110 \cdot 3$ | 3.73 | 120.8 | 4.06 | 144.3 | 5.09 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | 102.0 | 1.77 | 99.4 | 2.54 | 103.0 | $2 \cdot 60$ | 81.0 | 3.08 | $110 \cdot 3$ | 3.73 | $120 \cdot 4$ | 4.08 | 138.0 | $5 \cdot 34$ |
|  | June ... |  | 101.4 | 1.98 | 97.1 | 2.71 | 101.4 | 3.07 | 78.0 | $3 \cdot 21$ | $108 \cdot 3$ | 3.80 | 112.9 | $4 \cdot 35$ | 125.9 | $5 \cdot 88$ |
|  |  |  | $100 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 34$ | 94.4 | 2.91 | 99.7 | 3.51 | 74.5 | 3.36 | $107 \cdot 3$ | 3.83 | 110.8 | 4.43 | 130.9 | $5 \cdot 63$ |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 50$ | 91.2 | $3 \cdot 15$ | 94.6 | $3 \cdot 70$ | 71.8 | 3.48 | 102.7 | 4.00 | 104.7 | 4.69 | 131.7 | $5 \cdot 60$ |
|  | September |  | $100 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 29$ | $92 \cdot 3$ | 3.07 | $94 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 70$ | $72 \cdot 6$ | 3.45 | 102.6 | 4.00 | 103.6 | $4 \cdot 74$ | $134 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 51$ |
|  | October |  | 101.0 | 2.09 | $92 \cdot 2$ | 3.08 | $92 \cdot 8$ | 3.77 | $70 \cdot 3$ | 3.56 | 102.7 | 4.00 | 101.7 | 4.82 | 128.6 | 5.76 |
|  | November |  | 101.0 | 2.05 | 91.3 | 3.15 | 91.1 | 3.84 | 69.1 | $3 \cdot 62$ | 99.8 | 4.11 | 98.5 | 4.98 | 128.2 | 5.77 |
|  | December |  | 101.4 | 1.85 | $92 \cdot 8$ | 3.04 | 92.8 | $3 \cdot 77$ | $71 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 51$ | $100 \cdot 2$ | 4.10 | $100 \cdot 1$ | 4.90 | $132 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 58$ |
| 1950 | January <br> February <br> March |  | $100 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 22$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 0 \\ & 92 \cdot 2 \\ & 91 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 10 \\ & 3.09 \\ & 3.15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 9 \\ & 91 \cdot 4 \\ & 90 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.85 \\ & 3.83 \\ & 3.88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 7 \\ & 70 \cdot 2 \\ & 69 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.59 \\ & 3.56 \\ & 3.62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 2 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.09 \\ & 4 \cdot 10 \\ & 4.09 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.9 \\ 100.7 \\ 100.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 91 \\ & 4 \cdot 87 \\ & 4 \cdot 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \cdot 6 \\ & 130 \cdot 5 \\ & 130 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.74 \\ & 5.65 \\ & 5.69 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $100 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 23$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 100.1 | 2.22 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... <br> May <br> June ... |  | $100 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 20$ | 92.7 | 3.05 | 91.4 | 3.83 | $69 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 62$ | $100 \cdot 4$ | 4.09 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 4.88 | $130 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 68$ |
|  |  |  | $100 \cdot 7$ | 2.09 | 93.5 | 2.99 | 91.8 | 3.81 | $69 \cdot 2$ | 3.61 | $100 \cdot 4$ | 4.09 | $101 \cdot 2$ | 4.85 | 133.0 | 5. 53 |
|  |  |  | $101 \cdot 2$ | 1.97 | 94.8 | $2 \cdot 90$ | 93.1 | 3.76 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 55$ | $101 \cdot 3$ | 4.05 | 103.2 | 4.75 | 136.4 | $5 \cdot 45$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September |  | 101.0 | 2.03 | 93.1 | 3.03 | $92 \cdot 4$ | 3.79 | $69 \cdot 2$ | 3.61 | 101.4 | 4.05 | 102.9 | 4.76 | 133.5 | $5 \cdot 57$ |
|  |  |  | $101 \cdot 2$ | 1.98 | $93 \cdot 5$ | 3.00 | 93.3 | 3.75 | $70 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 55$ | 101.5 | 4.05 | 103.4 | 4.74 | 136.9 | $5 \cdot 43$ |
|  |  |  | 101-3 | 1.94 | $94 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 96$ | $94 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 71$ | $71 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 48$ | $101 \cdot 2$ | 4.06 | $104 \cdot 2$ | 4.71 | 142.8 | $5 \cdot 20$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December |  | 101.9 | 1.79 | 95.5 | 2.84 | 95.9 | 3.65 | 73.4 | $3 \cdot 40$ | 101.1 | 4.06 | $104 \cdot 4$ | 4.69 | 142.4 | 5. 24 |
|  |  |  | 102.1 | 1.74 | 95.2 | 2.87 | $96 \cdot 2$ | 3.64 | $72 \cdot 8$ | 3.44 | 101.1 | 4.06 | 105.1 | 4.66 | $143 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 25$ |
|  |  |  | $101 \cdot 6$ | 1.86 | 94.2 | 2.95 | 94.0 | 3.72 | 71.1 | $3 \cdot 52$ | 101.0 | 4.07 | 103.9 | 4.71 | $140 \cdot 6$ | 5.36 |
| 1951 | January February March |  |  | 1.78 |  | $3 \cdot 25$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4.70 | 145.1 | 5.27 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 102.0 | 1.72 | 93.6 | $3 \cdot 38\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 91.6 | 3.73 3.82 | 68.7 | 3.64 | $100 \cdot 2$ | 4.09 | $100 \cdot 8$ | 4.81 | $150 \cdot 2$ | 5.19 |

[^23]Source: Bank of England and
Actuaries' Investment Index

|  |  |  | Expressed in terms of |  |  |  |  | Expressed in terms of |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | £ million | U.S. § million |  |  |  | $£$ million | U.S. \$ million |
| 1945 | December 31 | ... | 610 | 2,476 | 1948 | September 30 December 31 | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 437 \\ & 457 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,777 \\ & 1,856 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1946 | June 30 ... <br> December 31 | ... | 567 664 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,301 \\ & 2,696 \end{aligned}$ | 1949 | March 3I June 30 | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 471 \\ & 406 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,912 \\ & 1,651 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1947 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { March 31 } \\ \text { June } 30 & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | 586 593 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,380 \\ & 2,410 \end{aligned}$ |  | September 30 December 31 | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 509 \\ & 603 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,425 \\ & 1,688 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | September 30 December 31 | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 587 \\ & 512 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,383 \\ & 2,079 \end{aligned}$ | 1950 | March 31 June 30 | $\ldots$ | 709 865 | 1,984 2,422 |
| 1948 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { March } 31 & \ldots \\ \text { June } 30 & . .\end{array}$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 552 \\ & 473 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,241 \\ & 1,920 \end{aligned}$ |  | September 30... December 31 ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 984 \\ 1,178 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,756 \\ & 3,300 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ ) Exchange Equalisation Account holdings of gold, U.S. and Canadian dollars. Gold valued
Source : Treasury in the first column at 172s. 3d. per ounce fine until 30 June 1949 and at 250s. thereafter; and in the second column at $\$ 35$ per ounce fine throughout. U.S. and Canadian dollars valued at the rates operative from time to time.

Foreign exchange $\operatorname{rates}\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
TABLE 149

${ }^{(1)}$ The exchange rates for Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Bombay and Karachi were :-
Source : Bank of England
Australia ( $£ A$ to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate) : 125 throughout.
New Zealand ( $£ N Z$ to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate): I January 1938 to 20 October 1938, 124 ; 21 October to 31 December 1938, 124-5; I January 1948 to 18 August 1948, 124.375 ; thereafter $100 \cdot 375$.
South Africa ( $£ 5 A$ to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate) : 1938, 100. 125 ; 1948 onwards, 100.
Bombay (pence per rupee) (averages of daily mean rates) : 1938, 17.96; 1948 onwards, 1800.

Karachi (pence per rupee) (averages of daily mean rates) : 22 September 1949 onwards, 25.89.
${ }^{\left({ }^{2}\right)}$ Averages of daily mean Telegraphic Transfer rates.
${ }^{(3}$ ) In 1938 rates were quoted in Belgas to $£(1$ Belga $=5 \mathrm{Fcs}$.).

Average weekly earnings in manufacturing and certain other industries in the United Kingdom ( ${ }^{1}$ )

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures represent the average earnings, including bonus, overtime, etc., and before deduction of income tax or insurance contributions, in one week in the months indicated.

Source : Ministry of Labour Administrative and clerical workers and other salaried persons have been excluded. The figures are subject to certain qualifications which are contained in a full account of the enquiry relating to October 1950, published in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for March 1951.

Average weekly hours worked( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 151

|  |  |  |  | All operatives | Men (aged 21 and over) | Youths and boys | Women <br> (aged 18 and over) | Girls |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1938 | October | ... | ... | $46 \cdot 5$ | $47 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | $44 \cdot 6$ |
| 1943 | July ... | ... | ... | $50 \cdot 0$ | $52 \cdot 9$ | $48 \cdot 0$ | $45 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 1$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1944 \\ & 1945 \end{aligned}$ | July $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & \end{aligned}$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $48 \cdot 6$ | $51 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | $45 \cdot 9$ $44 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | .. | $47 \cdot 4$ | 49.7 | $45 \cdot 6$ | $43 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 5$ |
| 1946 | January October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 46 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $47 \cdot 4$ $47 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 1 \\ & 44 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $42 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1947 | April $\qquad$ October | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 0 \\ & 45 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 3 \\ & 46 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 7 \\ & 44 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 5 \\ & 41 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 0 \\ & 42 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | April October | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 3 \\ & 45 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 5 \\ & 46 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 1 \\ & 44 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 6 \\ & 41 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 3 \\ & 42 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 | April October | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 3 \\ & 45 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 6 \\ & 46 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $43 \cdot 9$ $44 \cdot 0$ | 41.8 41.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 4 \\ & 42 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\frac{1950}{}$ | April ... October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $45 \cdot 6$ $46 \cdot 1$ | 47.0 $47 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 2$ $44 \cdot 4$ | $41 \cdot 9$ <br> $42 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures include overtime and correspond with those for average earnings in Table 150.

Average weekly earnings in certain industries in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )

$\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 150.
${ }^{1}$ )
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service
${ }_{3}^{2}$ Excluding railways.
${ }^{3}$ ) Owing to changes in industrial classification the figures from October 1948
are not strictly comparable with those for earlier dates.

30 June $1947=100$


[^24]
## Interim index of retail prices ${ }^{(1)}$

17 June $1947=100$

|  | All items | Food | Rent and <br> rates | Clothing | Fuel and <br> light | Household <br> durable <br> goods | Miscellaneous <br> goods | Services | Drink and <br> tobacco |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

(1) The figures for the individual groups are given to the nearest first place of 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 pamphlet Interim Index of Retail Prices: Method of Construction and Calculation.
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.

## $1938=100$

TABLE 155

${ }^{(1)}$ The relative weights used for combining the various group indices are :-cereals 20 , meat, fish and eggs 20, other food and tobacco 28, coal 9 , iron and steel 37 , non-ferrous metals 8 , cotton 10 , wool 11 , other textiles 9 , chemicals and oils 15 , miscellaneous 33 .
${ }^{(2}$ ) The index for building materials is obtained by regrouping certain industrial materials and manufactures, the weight assigned to each being based on its importance as a
building material.

Import and export prices and tramp shipping freights

${ }^{(1)}$ Revised series. The monthly index numbers measure the change in the aggregate value of a
Source : Board of Trade representative selection of imports or exports. The items chosen and the quantity weights assigned to them are based on the pattern of trade in 1950. 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 1950.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ This index number is compiled by the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom and is based on tramp fixtures reported during the month, only fixtures in sterling being used. Apart from some minor alterations, the routes used are those in the pre-war series and cover mainly trade between Europe (including the United Kingdom) and the rest of the world.

## WAGES AND PRICES

Agricultural and fertilizer prices ${ }^{(1)}$ )
TABLE 157

|  |  |  | Agricultural prices $\left(^{2}\right)(1936-38=100)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Fertilizer prices (1937-38$=100)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Livestock and livestock products |  |  |  |  |  | Cereals and farm crops |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | All products $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ | All livestock products ${ }^{(3)}$ | Fat cattle | Fat sheep | Milk | Eggs | All cereals and farm crops $\left(^{3}\right)$ | Wheat ${ }^{4}$ ) | Barley | Oats | Potatoes ${ }^{(5)}$ |  |
| 1935 |  | ... | 93 | 91 | 89 | 103 | 93 | 88 | 89 | 90 |  | 89 | 76 | . |
| 1936 | ... - | $\ldots$ | 94 | 93 | 92 | 100 | 92 | 95 | 101 | 97 | 96 117 | 88 | 111 | $\because$ |
| 1937 | ... | ... | 103 | 104 | 102 | 113 | 100 | 101 | 106 | 102 | 117 | 115 | 109 | 99 |
| 1938 | ... . | ... | 102 | 104 | 106 | 86 | 107 | 104 | 93 | 100 | 90 | 99 | 79 | 102 |
| 1946 | $\cdots$.. | ... | 208 | 208 | 173 | 184 | 217 234 | 233 | 198 | 192 | 240 235 | 221 | 150 | 141 |
| 1947 | . | $\ldots$ | 242 | 233 | 203 | 225 | 234 | 249 | 213 | 205 | 235 | 246 285 | 165 | 144 |
| 1948 | ... | ... | 249 | 252 | 223 | 253 | 246 | 270 | 238 | 244 | 270 | 285 | 183 | 145 |
| 1949 | ... | ... | 261 | 268 | 233 | 260 | 261 | 285 | 239 | 250 | 257 | 285 | 190 | 145 |
| 1950 | ... . | ... | 270 | 281 | 238 | 270 | 275 | 290 | 249 | 273 | 277 | 292 | 194 | 170 |
| 1949 | January |  | 278 | 294 | 227 | 266 | 314 | 268 | 231 | 252 | 263 | 284 | 180 | 147 |
|  | February | ... | 276 | 288 | 232 | 268 | 301 | 268 | 235 | 254 | 255 | 283 | 189 | 148 |
|  | March |  | 269 | 277 | 243 | 281 | 275 | 268 | 240 | 260 | 249 | 283 | 198 | 150 |
|  | April | .. | 258 | 259 | 257 | 287 | 238 | 251 | 244 | 260 | 249 | 277 | 207 | 150 |
|  | May | . | 236 | 226 | 259 | 287 | 183 | 251 | 245 | 261 | 249 | 276 | 207 | 150 |
|  | June |  | 235 | 224 | 250 | 276 | 182 | 251 | 246 | 263 | 252 | 276 | 207 | 150 |
|  | July | ... | 237 | 233 | 240 | 261 | 201 | 251 | 237 | 242 | 256 | 281 | 215 | 139 |
|  | August |  | 254 | 252 | 234 | 251 | 233 | 251 | 250 | 242 | 266 | 270 | 285 | 140 |
|  | September |  | 254 | 263 | 226 | 248 | 254 | 277 | 222 | 242 | 268 | 267 | 170 | 141 |
|  | October <br> November |  | 275 292 | 291 314 | 218 | 248 | 295 | 349 370 | 226 | 251 | 263 | 268 | 175 | 143 |
|  | November December |  | 292 | 314 | 220 | 258 | 330 | 370 | 230 | 251 | 266 | 276 | 179 | 144 |
|  | December |  | 300 | 323 | 227 | 263 | 344 | 370 | 235 | 253 | 266 | 292 | 186 | 145 |
| 1950 |  | $\cdots$ | 300 | 321 | 234 | 271 | 339 | 355 | 234 | 255 | 263 | 284 | 186 | 147 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | 292 | 309 | 243 | 276 | 323 | 296 | 239 | 256 | 259 | 284 | 195 | 148 |
|  | March |  | 282 | 293 | 250 | 287 | 297 | 251 | 244 | 262 | 254 | 282 | 204 | 150 |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | 266 | 267 | 259 | 298 | 245 | 251 | 253 | 267 | 257 | 276 | 215 | 150 |
|  | May | ... | 242 | 232 | 262 | 298 | 185 | 251 | 254 | 268 | 263 | 282 | 215 | 150 |
|  | June | ... | 241 | 230 | 253 | 281 | 185 | 251 | 253 | 268 | 259 | 277 | 215 | 151 |
|  | July | ... | 245 | 244 | 248 | 276 | 210 | 251 | 237 | 272 | 254 | 278 | 198 | 189 |
|  | August |  | 267 | 268 | 242 | 276 | 251 | 265 | 254 | 272 | 270 | 276 | 270 | 190 |
|  | September |  | 274 | 287 | 236 | 263 | 279 | 314 | 232 | 272 | 281 | 283 | 167 | 191 |
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(1) England and Wales. Agricultural prices include Exchequer payments.
(2) Annual indices also include fat lambs, geese, wool, sugar beet, hops, fruit, vegetables and glasshouse produce in addition to those items in the monthly indices. No adjustments
for seasonal variations have $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Including items not shown seas made to the monthly figures.
ems not shown separately.
() From August 1943 to June 1950, the prices include the estimated rate of acreage
${ }^{5}$ ) From July 1941 the pright sold.
produced. July and August figures the estimated rate of acreage payment per ton respectively on average Just hares relate to first early varieties only and are based indices include only prices for January-June Aust prices in the years 1936-38. The annual these months, and the annual Indices -June and September-December. The indices for calendar years 1936-38.

# XV. FINAL CONSUMPTION 

## Personal expenditure on consumers' goods and services


(ii) Re-valued at average 1948 prices

|  |  | 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 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Beer |  | Other | Footwear |  |  |  |  | Other |  |  |  |  |
|  | Ist Quarter |  | 1,936 | 545 | 116 | 42 | 179 | 151 | 101 | 127 | 35 | 155 | 70 | 45 | 362 | 8 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | 2,064 | 550 | 126 | 51 | 189 | 152 | 77 | 143 | 47 | 194 | 90 | 43 | 395 | 7 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | 2,140 | 589 | 144 | 51 | 201 | 153 | 68 | 142 | 41 | 161 | 104 | 43 | 435 | 8 |
|  | 4th Quarter | 2,220 | 615 | 122 | 76 | 182 | 153 | 93 | 175 | 52 | 224 | 78 | 43 | 399 | 8 |
| 1950 | Ist Quarter | 2,003 | 574 | 109 | 51 | 179 | 154 | 105 | 149 | 36 | 162 | 71 | 46 | 360 | 7 |
|  | 2nd Quarter | 2,099 | 565 | 130 | 51 | 189 | 154 | 82 | 152 | 47 | 190 | 90 | 42 | 400 | 7 |
|  | 3rd Quarter | 2,226 | 611 | 154 | 57 | 200 | 155 | 73 | 156 | 44 | 185 | 103 | 45 | 436 | 7 |
|  | 4th Quarter | 2,282 | 629 | 128 | 81 | 189 | 155 | 101 | 185 | 52 | 229 | 79 | 42 | 404 | 8 |

Source : Central Statistical Office

Wholesale textile houses: Sales and stocks ${ }^{1}$ )
Averages of values in $1947=100$

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

[^25]
## Retail sales

(Department stores, multiple shops and retail co-operative societies)( ${ }^{1}$ )
Weekly average $1947=100$

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Great Britain. The figures relate to sales at selling value and include a
Source: Board of Trade small number of independent businesses. Figures before February 1947 are not strictly comparable with those for later dates. Those for the years 1937 and 1938 are based on sales per selling day and are from a smaller sample than those for later periods, those for 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 16 July 1949.

[^26]Sales by independent traders ${ }^{(1)}$

TABLE 161
Weekly average $1947=100$

${ }^{(1)}$ Details relating to the basis and size of sample, etc., were published in the Board of
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[^0]:    (1) Excluding still-births.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ ) Excluding deaths of members of the armed forces for years 1947-1949.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Averages for 4 years.

[^1]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 8.

[^2]:    (1) Great Britain.
    (2) From January 1950 the figures exclude coke used for heating retorts at gas works.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
    (©) Computed from figures for calendar months. Quantities of coke breeze are included in the figures of overseas shipments prior to January 1947.

    - Average of five weeks.

[^3]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. Excluding railway and transport generating stations.
    ${ }^{2}$ ) Excluding coal consumed for production of steam for sale, which in the year 1950 amounted to 117,000 tons.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including coke breeze.

[^4]:    ${ }^{2}$ ) Mule equivalent. Number running on cotton, spun rayon and mixtures, excluding waste.
    $\left.{ }^{8}\right)$ Number running on cotton.
    (4) Including other synthetic fibres.
    ${ }^{(5)}$ ) Before July 1948 the figures relate to the number of looms running at the end of the period. Annual figures for years 1946-1948 are monthly averages.
    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Million square yards.
    Average of five weeks.

[^5]:    ${ }^{(2)}$ Wet, dry and dry-salted cattle and buffalo hides.
    (2) See footnote ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 51.
    (3) Pelts and skins woolled for dressing.

[^6]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Including accessories.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Value of exports.

[^7]:    ${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries.
    ${ }^{(2}$ ) Insulated winding wire and flexible cord for instruments and equipment are excluded.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Estimated.
    ${ }^{4}$ ( ) Number exported.
    ${ }^{5}$ ) Value of exports.

[^8]:    (2) Including mechanical and electric types.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Estimated.

[^9]:    (1) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 92.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Before building on an approved scheme can start it is necessary to obtain a licence from the Ministry of Works.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ ) See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 92.
    (4) See footnote ( ${ }^{3}$ ) to Table 92.
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[^10]:    (1) Great Britain.
    (2) Figures for October 1947 to March 1948 inclusive, are partly estimated.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Up to and including January 1946 figures include felt (damp proof course).
    (4) 1939.

[^11]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including combination and back to back grates with boilers.

[^12]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Excludes agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain and less than one quarter of an acre in Northern Ireland.
    $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Based on estimates of yields per acre at I December.
    ${ }^{(3}$ ) Includes 87,000 acres temporarily out of use through flooding.
    ${ }^{(4)}$ Includes 7,000 acres in 1949 and 10,000 acres in 1950 returned in England and Wales under fruit and vegetables " not grown primarily for sale".
    ${ }^{(5)}$ Clover and rotation grasses.
    ${ }^{(6)}$ Including 74,000 acres in Great Britain returned as lucerne for which separate figures for mowing and grazing are not yet available.

[^13]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 101.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including fowls, ducks, geese and turkeys.

[^14]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) 1934 to 1938 used by millers only. Later figures include oats used by millers, flakers and maltsters.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Refined equivalent of sugar produced from home grown sugar beet.
    ${ }^{\circ}{ }^{\circ}$ ) Averages relate to twelve months from March to February.

    * Average of five weeks.

[^15]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Computed from figures for calendar months.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding beans transferred to oilseed stocks.

    * Average of five weeks.

[^16]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Excluding damaged ware potatoes fed to livestock on farms.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Barley meal and imported barley.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Average of period from July 1936 to June 1939.

    * Average of five weeks.

[^17]:    (1) Excluding Japan and possessions of European countries.
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ Excluding Irish Republic and Iceland (and Netherlands New Guinea before 1950) but including possessions in the Western Hemisphere.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including Faroes and Greenland.
    ${ }^{(4)}$ Including Eastern Germany before 1951.
    $\left.{ }^{(5}\right)$ Excluding Channel Islands and British Whale Fisheries but including protectorates, trust territories, mandated territories and trust territories of members of the Commonwealth.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Excluding Eastern Germany before 195I.

[^18]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal ; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.

[^19]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Excludes, except in 1938, industrial trucks.

[^20]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Passenger fares and freight rates were increased on I October 1947 to 55 per cent. over pre-war rates. From 15 May 1950 freight rates were raised by $16 \frac{2}{3}$ per cent.
    to about 81 per cent. above the pre-war level.
    (2) Fares were increased from 9 February 1947.
    (8) An increase in charges was authorized from 15 May 1950
    ${ }^{4}$ ) Excluding charges earned by vessels not owned by the British Transport Commission.

[^21]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Including traffic paid by Service and other Government departments by means of vouchers (e.g. military, naval, evacuees, etc.) ; tickets issued under bulk travel arrangements ; sports clubs' tickets, etc.
    ${ }^{(2}{ }^{(2)}$ Including traffic not shown separately.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Included in "Ordinary fares, monthly return and excursion, etc".

[^22]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years, except those for 1950 which are calculated from totals for 52 weeks ended 31 December.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including traffic not shown separately.
    $\left(^{3}\right)$ Before 1 October 1950 workmen's tickets were issued on railways, trams, trolleybuses, and to a very limited extent on the Central buses. From that date the issue of workmen's tickets ceased and early morning tickets were introduced on all services except coaches.
    ${ }^{(4)}$ Year ended 30 June.
    (\%) Including tickets issued on "country " services of a similar nature to workmen's tickets.

[^23]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) 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.
    $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Calculated from prices on the last Tuesday of each month. Annual figures are averages of these monthly figures. Yields are based on gross market prices without deduction of accrued interest for Ordinary shares, but calculated after deduction of accrued interest in the case of debentures and preference shares. The yields of fixed interest stocks have been calculated without allowance for redemption. Income tax is neglected in calculating the yields.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Representative securities, changed from time to time namely Short dated: 5\% Conversion Loan 1944-64 in 1935 to 1938; 21 $\%$ N National War Bonds 1952-4 in 1946 to 1949; 21\% Exchequer Stock 1955 from January 1950. Medium dated: $4 \%$ Funding Loan 1960-90 in 1935 to 1938:3\% Savings Bonds 1960-70 in 1946 and 1947: 212\% Savings Bonds 1964-7 in 1948 to 1950 ; $3 \%$ Savings Bonds 1965-75
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Yield assuming redemption in 1965, 3.57.

[^24]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The figures are based on rates at the end of the month. An account of the method of compilation of the figures is given in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for February, 1948.
    ${ }^{3}$ ) 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 $1939=100$.

[^25]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. The figures for pre-war years are based on a smaller sample than those for later periods. Sales are valued at wholesale selling value, not including purchase tax ; stocks are valued at cost.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Including goods not specified.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including some goods for export, which form only a small part of the total.

[^26]:    *Average of five weeks.

