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four or five week period. Where figures are not available for either of these dates, they are given for the nearest possible date to the end of the month and if this date is more than seven days from the end of the month, this fact is stated in a footnote.

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9. The following changes of content have been made in this issue as compared with the immediately preceding issue :-
(a) In the table of index numbers of industrial production (Table 31) a group total has been added for non-metalliferous mining manufactures.
(b) Figures for virgin aluminium ingots are now included in the table of index numbers of wholesale prices (Table 148).
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RETAIL PRICES
17 June $1947=100$


INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION $1948=100$



BRITISH EXPORTS TO CANADA AND U.S.A.


WHOLESALE PRICES
30 June 1949 $=100$


## I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

Population( ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1931 | April census | ... | ... | 46,038 | 22,060 | 23,979 | 39,952 | 19,133 | 20,819 | 4,843 | 2,326 | 2,517 | 1,243(1) | $601{ }^{(2)}$ | $642\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| 1938 | June |  | ... | 47,494 | 22,822 | 24,672 | 41,215 | 19,792 | 21,423 | 4,993 | 2,405 | 2,588 | 1,286 | 625 | 661 |
| 1939 | June |  | ... | 47,762 | 22,962 | 24,799 | 41,460 | 19,920 | 21,540 | 5,007 | 2,412 | 2,594 | 1,295 | 630 | 665 |
| 1949 | June |  | ... | 50,120 | 24,213 | 25,906 | 43,595 | 21,050 | 22,545 | 5,159 | 2,495 | 2,663 | 1,366 | 668 | 698 |
| 1950 | June |  | ... | 50,373 | 24,339 | 26,034 | 43,830 | 21,169 | 22,661 | 5,174 | 2,503 | 2,671 | 1,369 | 667 | 702 |
| 1951 | April census | $\ldots$ | ... | 50,212 | 24,127 | 26,085 | 43,745 | 21,024 | 22,721 | 5,096 | 2,435 | 2,661 | 1,371 | 668 | 703 |
|  | June December |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50,287 \\ & 50,360 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,163 \\ & 24,194 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,124 \\ & 26,166 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43,800 \\ & 43,877 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,049 \\ & 21,085 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,751 \\ & 22,792 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,114 \\ & 5,111 \end{aligned}$ | 2,445 2,441 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,669 \\ & 2,670 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,373 \\ & 1,372 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 669 \\ & 669 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 704 \\ & 704 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | June ... December | ... | . | $\begin{aligned} & 50,429 \\ & 50,535 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,231 \\ & 24,288 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,198 \\ & 26,247 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43,940 \\ & 44,043 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,119 \\ & 21,177 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,821 \\ & 22,866 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,114 \\ & 5,115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,442 \\ & 2,440 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,672 \\ & 2,675 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,375 \\ & 1,377 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 670 \\ & 67 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 705 \\ & 706 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | June ... | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,384 | 675 | 709 |

${ }^{(1)}$ De facto population. The estimates from 1951 take into account the first results of the 1951
Source : Registrars General Census. Consequent minor changes in the classes of persons covered and the removal of the inflation that was present in the inter-censual estimates more than account for the apparent decrease between 1950 and 1951.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Estimated. The population at the census of 1926 was 1,257 thousand ( 608 thousand males and 649 thousand females).

Age distribution at 31 December 1952
TABLE 2
Thousands

|  | Estimated population (Total) ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Estimated population (de facto) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  |  | Scotland |  | Northern Ireland |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total |  | Wales |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females |
| All ages ... | 50,813 | 24,564 | 26,249 | 21,177 | 22,866 | 1,274 | 1,320 | 2,440 | 2,675 | 671 | 706 |
| Age groups: 0-4 ... | 4,014 | 2,056 | 1,958 | 1,758 | 1,674 | 105 | 100 | 227 | 217 | 71 | 67 |
| $\begin{gathered} 5-9 \\ 10-14 \end{gathered} \quad \cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,114 \\ & 3,346 \end{aligned}$ | 2,102 1,705 | 2,012 1,641 | 1,812 1,453 | 1,732 1,396 | 106 94 | 103 88 | $\begin{aligned} & 221 \\ & 194 \end{aligned}$ | 214 190 | 68 58 | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \\ & 55 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{ll} 15-19 & \ldots \\ 20-24 \end{array} \ldots$ | 3,289 3,396 | 1,657 1,694 | 1,632 1,702 | 1,343 1,365 | 1,390 1,463 | 82 82 | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 160 \end{aligned}$ | 188 187 | 55 50 | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \\ & 52 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{ll}25-29 & \ldots \\ 30-34 & \ldots\end{array}$ | 3,597 3,765 | 1,789 1,873 | 1,808 1,892 | 1,540 1,628 | 1,564 1,663 | 89 94 | 89 94 | $\begin{aligned} & 174 \\ & 180 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193 \\ & 182 \end{aligned}$ | 46 | 50 47 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}35-39 & \ldots \\ 40-44 & \ldots\end{array}$ | 3,555 3,839 | 1,749 1,897 | 1,806 | 1,530 1,665 | 1,586 | 87 94 | 89 96 | 163 181 | 173 194 | 44 | 47 47 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}45-49 \\ 50-54 & \ldots\end{array}$ | 3,702 3,306 | 1,821 1,575 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,881 \\ & 1,731 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,608 \\ & 1,385 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,651 \\ & 1,520 \end{aligned}$ | 97 86 | 94 89 | $\begin{aligned} & 171 \\ & 153 \end{aligned}$ | 186 171 | 39 36 | 43 40 |
| $55-59$ $60-64$ | 2,817 2,466 | 1,274 1,085 | 1,543 1,381 | 1,126 958 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,361 \\ & 1,222 \end{aligned}$ | 71 60 | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ | 148 129 | 30 24 | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{ll} 65-69 \\ 70-74 & \ldots \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,082 \\ & 1,646 \end{aligned}$ | 888 677 | 1,194 969 | 784 591 | 1,055 861 | 50 37 | 58 47 | 83 68 | 113 86 | 21 18 | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{ll} 75-79 & \ldots \\ 80-84 & \ldots \end{array}$ | 1,095 543 | 435 209 | $\begin{aligned} & 660 \\ & 334 \end{aligned}$ | 380 183 | $\begin{aligned} & 586 \\ & 296 \end{aligned}$ | 24 12 | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | 42 20 | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | 13 6 | 15 8 |
| 85 and over | 241 | 78 | 163 | 68 | 145 | 4 | 8 | 7 | 14 | 3 | 4 |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including H.M. Forces overseas, but excluding Commonwealth and foreign forces in this country.
Source: Registrars General (60851)

Births and marriages registered
TABLE 3
Thousands

${ }^{(1)}$ Averages for 4 years.
Source : Registrars General

Deaths registered ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 4
Thousands

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding still-births.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding deaths of members of the armed forces.
Source : Registrars General
${ }^{(3)}$ Averages for 4 years.
II. LABOUR

Distribution of total manpower in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 5

|  | $1948$ <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & \hline \text { June } \end{aligned}$ | 1951 |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | June | December | June | December | June | August | September |
| Total working population( ${ }^{2}$ ) ... | 22,780 | 22,954 | 23,228 | 23,314 | 23,294 | 23,292 | 23,325 | 23,473 | 23,483 |
| Males $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ <br> Females $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,657 \\ 7,123 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,678 \\ 7,276 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,791 \\ 7,437 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,860 \\ 7,454 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,864 \\ 7,430 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,873 \\ 7,419 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,862 \\ 7,463 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,918 \\ 7,555 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,924 \\ 7,559 \end{array}$ |
| H.M. Forces and Women's Services | 846 | 690 | 827 | 852 | 872 | 872 | 865 | 865 | 864 |
| Males $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ <br> Females $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 807 39 | 666 24 | 804 23 | 829 23 | 848 24 | 848 24 | 841 24 | 841 24 | $\begin{array}{r} 840 \\ 24 \end{array}$ |
| Men and women on release leave (who had not yet taken up employment) ... | 92 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 |
| Total in civil employment ... | 21,569 | 21,993 | 22,214 | 22,164 | 22,119 | 22,019 | 22,190 | 22,320 | 22,325 |
| Males $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ <br> Females $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,549 \\ 7,020 \end{array}$ | 14,813 7,180 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,859 \\ 7,355 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,849 \\ 7,315 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,836 \\ 7,283 \end{array}$ | 14,767 7,252 | 14,841 7,349 | 14,890 7,430 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,897 \\ 7,428 \end{array}$ |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing ... | 1,178 | 1,161 | 1,139 | 1,074 | 1,112 | 1,052 | 1,092 | 1,117 | I,107 |
| Mining and quarrying ${ }^{3}$ ) ... . | 876 | 852 | 856 | 854 | 875 | 876 | 876 | 872 | 869 |
| Manufacturing industries | 8,137 | 8,510 | 8,736 | 8,806 | 8,626 | 8,683 | 8,723 | 8,799 | 8,852 |
| Building and contracting( ${ }^{4}$ ) ... ... | 1,450 | 1,434 | 1,449 | 1,407 | 1,435 | 1,392 | 1,448 | 1,452 | 1,452 |
| Gas, electricity and water ... ... | 321 | 353 | 362 | 372 | 372 | 375 | 373 | 374 | 374 |
| Transport and communication ... | 1,787 | 1,781 | 1,754 | 1,754 | 1,759 | 1,729 | 1,726 | 1,728 | 1,723 |
| Distributive trades . | 2,484 | 2,571 | 2,600 | 2,622 | 2,616 | 2,645 | 2,641 | 2,666 | 2,660 |
| Professional, financial and miscellaneous services | 3,954 | 3,969 | 3,968 | 3,922 | 3,988 | 3,939 | 3,991 | 3,994 | 3,970 |
| Public administrationNational Government Service ... Local Government Service | $\begin{aligned} & 682 \\ & 700 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 619 \\ & 743 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 606 \\ & 744 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 617 \\ & 736 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 606 \\ & 730 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 601 \\ & 727 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 595 \\ & 725 \end{aligned}$ | 593 725 | $\begin{aligned} & 593 \\ & 725 \end{aligned}$ |
| Registered unemployed ${ }^{5}$ ) : <br> Wholly unemployed .. <br> Temporarily stopped ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | 273 9 | 264 10 | 179 | 295 55 | 295 120 | 396 34 | 265 17 | 282 11 | 288 11 |

${ }^{(1)}$ The Table covers all persons aged 15 and over at work or registered as available for work. All industries and services, including 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).
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Most, if not all, persons registered as temporarily stopped are on the pay-rolls of employers and included in the number in civil employment. To avoid duplication therefore, the total working, population is obtained by adding together the figures for H.M. Forces and Women's Services, men and women on release leave, total in civil employment and registered wholly unemployed; registered temporarily stopped are omitted from the addition.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Additional details are given in Table 35.
( ${ }^{( }$) Additional details are given in Table 85.
${ }^{\circ}$ ) Estimate for end of month.

Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service


$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Great Britain. The figures in square brackets relate to the Standard
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service Industrial Classification Minimum List Heading.

Chemicals and allied trades
TABLE 8
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ )
Thousands


TABLE 9
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 |  |  | ... | 229.1 | 211.5 | $17 \cdot 6$ | 122.2 | 105.1 | 17.1 | 37.1 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 99.9 | 83.9 | $16 \cdot 0$ |
| 1949 | June . |  |  | ... | 232.9 | 216.2 | 16.7 | 120.9 | 104.6 | $16 \cdot 3$ | $38 \cdot 0$ | $34 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $96 \cdot 4$ | $80 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 2$ |
| 1950 | June |  |  | ... | $232 \cdot 8$ | $215 \cdot 1$ | $17 \cdot 7$ | 124.5 | 108.0 | 16.5 | $38 \cdot 2$ | 34.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 98.9 | 82.5 | 16.4 |
| 1951 | June December |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 229 \cdot 5 \\ & 233 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 211.0 \\ & 214.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \cdot 4 \\ & 130 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110.0 \\ & 112.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 5 \\ & 38 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 8 \\ & 4 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \cdot 0 \\ & 108.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 0 \\ & 89 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.0 \\ & 19.3 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | June |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 236.8 | $217 \cdot 4$ | 19.4 | 129.0 | 112.3 | 16.7 | 38.0 | $33 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 108.7 | 89.8 | 18.9 |
|  | October November December |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 241 \cdot 5 \\ & 242 \cdot 1 \\ & 242 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 222 \cdot 2 \\ & 222 \cdot 7 \\ & 223 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 19.4 \\ & 19.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126.9 \\ & 126.9 \\ & 126.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110.7 \\ & 110.7 \\ & 110.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 16.2 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38.4 \\ & 38.6 \\ & 38.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 2 \\ & 34 \cdot 4 \\ & 34 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.3 \\ & 105.9 \\ & 105.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88.6 \\ & 87.5 \\ & 86.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.7 \\ & 18.4 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January February March |  | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \cdot 8 \\ & 243 \cdot 2 \\ & 243 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 3 \\ & 223 \cdot 7 \\ & 223 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.5 \\ & 19.5 \\ & 19.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126.0 \\ & 124.5 \\ & 123.0 \end{aligned}$ | 110.0 108.8 107.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 15.7 \\ & 15.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 1 \\ & 35 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 9 \\ & 32 \cdot 5 \\ & 31.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.1 \\ & 3.6 \\ & 3.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.8 \\ & 101.8 \\ & 100.5 \end{aligned}$ | $85 \cdot 8$ $84 \cdot 2$ $83 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.0 \\ & 17.6 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June |  | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ <br> $\ldots$ | $243 \cdot 5$ $243 \cdot 3$ $243 \cdot 0$ | $224 \cdot 0$ $223 \cdot 8$ $223 \cdot 5$ | 19.5 19.5 19.5 | 122.3 121.6 121.0 | 106.8 106.1 105.6 | 15.5 15.5 15.4 | $34 \cdot 7$ $32 \cdot 9$ $32 \cdot 2$ | 31.2 29.7 29.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5 \\ & 3.2 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | 99.6 98.8 98.7 | 82.4 81.7 81.5 | 17.2 17.1 17.2 |
|  | July <br> August <br> September |  | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \cdot 7 \\ & 242 \cdot 9 \\ & 242 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 2 \\ & 223 \cdot 3 \\ & 223 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.5 \\ & 19.6 \\ & 19.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.3 \\ & 120.9 \\ & 121.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.9 \\ & 105.3 \\ & 105.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 15.6 \\ & 15.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 29 \cdot 3 \\ & 29.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 3.0 \\ & 3.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98.8 \\ 99.9 \\ 101.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 5 \\ & 82 \cdot 2 \\ & 83 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.3 \\ & 17.7 \\ & 18.1 \end{aligned}$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table 7.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods industries

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

( $^{2}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 7.

Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods industries
TABLE 10 (continued)
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{(1)}$
Thousands


TABLE 10 (continued)
Thousands


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

|  |  |  |  | Tools and cutlery [90] |  |  | Bolts, nuts, screws, rivets, nails, etc. [91] |  |  | Iron and steel forgings [92] |  |  | Wire and wire manufactures[93] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June ... | ... | ... | ... | $53 \cdot 8$ | 34.4 | 19.4 | 41.0 | 21.8 | 19.2 | $37 \cdot 6$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | $27 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 2$ |
| 1949 June .. |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 52.1 | 34.1 | 18.0 | 38.5 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 17.9 | 37.8 | $32 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $38 \cdot 3$ | 28.5 | 9.8 |
| 1950 June ... | ... | ... | ... | 52.4 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 20.1 | 38.1 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 17.4 | 37.4 | $32 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 9$ | $37 \cdot 4$ | 28.0 | $9 \cdot 4$ |
| 1951 June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 55.0 55.0 | $33 \cdot 2$ $32 \cdot 7$ | 21.8 $22 \cdot 3$ | 41.4 41.4 | 22.5 22.7 | 18.9 18.7 | 38.0 39.1 | $32 \cdot 9$ 33.5 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 38.4 | 28.1 | $10 \cdot 3$ |
| December | ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  | 18.7 | 39.1 | $33 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $38 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 3$ |
| 1952 June ... | ... | ... | ... | $50 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 4$ | 19.9 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 22.7 | 19.3 | 39.4 | $33 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 38.7 | 28.8 | 9.9 |
| October |  | ... | ... | $47 \cdot 9$ | 29.1 | 18.8 | 41.8 | 22.8 | 19.0 | $40 \cdot 0$ | $34 \cdot 2$ |  | 38.8 | 29.0 |  |
| November |  | ... | ... | $47 \cdot 6$ | 28.9 | 18.7 18.4 | $41 \cdot 7$ 41.5 | 22.8 | 18.9 | 40.1 | $34 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 38.9 | 29.1 | 9.8 |
| December |  | ... | ... |  |  |  | 41.5 | 22.8 | 18.7 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 34.4 |  | 38.7 | 29.0 | 9.7 |
| 1953 January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | 28.5 | 18.2 | 41.2 | 22.7 | 18.5 | $40 \cdot 3$ | 34.5 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $38 \cdot 5$ |  |  |
| February | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 1$ | 28.1 | 18.0 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | 18.2 | $40 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $38 \cdot 3$ | 28.8 | 9.6 9.5 |
| March |  |  | ... | $45 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 8$ | 17.7 | $40 \cdot 4$ | 22.4 | 18.0 | 39.9 | $34 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $38 \cdot 1$ | 28.6 |  |
| April ... | $\cdots$ |  | $\ldots$ | $45 \cdot 2$ | 27.6 | 17.6 | 40.2 | $22 \cdot 3$ | 17.9 | 39.9 | $34 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | 28.4 |  |
| May ... | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $44 \cdot 8$ | $27 \cdot 3$ | 17.5 | 39.6 | $22 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | $39 \cdot 6$ | 33.9 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 37.3 | 28.0 | 9.4 9.3 |
| June ... |  | ... | ... | $44 \cdot 6$ | $27 \cdot 1$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | 39.1 | $21 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 39.4 | $33 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 37.2 | 27.8 | 9.4 |
| July ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | 26.9 | 17.4 | 38.7 | 21.6 | 17.1 | 39.1 | $33 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |  |
| August |  |  | $\ldots$ | 44.1 | $26 \cdot 7$ | 17.4 | 38.3 | 21.5 | 16.8 | 39.2 | 33.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 37.1 | 27.6 27.7 | 9.3 9.4 |
| September |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $44 \cdot 4$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | $38 \cdot 0$ | 21.4 | $16 \cdot 6$ | $39 \cdot 1$ | $33 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 37.4 | 27.8 | 9.6 |


${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 7.

Selected vehicle manufacturing industries
TABLE 12
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{(1)}$ )
Thousands

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 7.
Source: Ministry of Labour and National Service

## Selected clothing industries

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

|  |  |  |  |  | Tailoring [140] |  |  | Dressmaking [141] |  |  | Overalls, shirts, underwear, etc. [142] |  |  | Manufacture and repair of boots and shoes [148 and 149] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June ... |  | ... | ... | $246 \cdot 3$ | 69.4 | 176.9 | $100 \cdot 1$ | 11.8 | $88 \cdot 3$ | 58.7 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 52.0 | 138.1 | 78.4 | 59.7 |
| 1949 | June . |  | ... | ... | $265 \cdot 3$ | 74.8 | 190.5 | $106 \cdot 0$ | 11.7 | 94.3 | 62.4 | 8.1 | $54 \cdot 3$ | 145.5 | 80.9 | $64 \cdot 6$ |
| 1950 | June ... |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $272 \cdot 5$ | 71.7 | $200 \cdot 8$ | 106.0 | $11 \cdot 3$ | 94.7 | 69.4 | $8 \cdot 2$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | 144.9 | 79.9 | 65.0 |
| 1951 | June... December |  |  |  | $282 \cdot 3$ $268 \cdot 0$ | 77.6 73.2 | 204.7 194.8 | 102.1 91.3 | 11.0 10.9 | 91.1 80.4 | 71.9 67.0 | 8.3 8.2 | $63 \cdot 6$ 58.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 144 \cdot 1 \\ & 142 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 78.5 77.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 6 \\ & 64 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | June ... |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $260 \cdot 4$ | $70 \cdot 8$ | 189.6 | $93 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | 83.1 | $67 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 8$ | $132 \cdot 6$ | $73 \cdot 1$ | 59.5 |
|  | October November December |  | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $266 \cdot 3$ $268 \cdot 5$ 269.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 1 \\ & 72 \cdot 5 \\ & 72 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 194.2 196.0 196.3 | 94.1 94.2 93.9 | 10.9 10.9 10.8 | $83 \cdot 2$ $83 \cdot 3$ $83 \cdot 1$ | 69.9 70.6 71.0 | $8 \cdot 3$ $8 \cdot 3$ 8.3 | $61 \cdot 6$ $62 \cdot 3$ 62.7 | 137.4 139.4 140.3 | 74.6 75.3 75.7 | $62 \cdot 8$ $64 \cdot 1$ $64 \cdot 6$ |
| 1953 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $83 \cdot 1$ |  | $8 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  | $64 \cdot 6$ |
|  | January |  |  | $\ldots$ | $273 \cdot 0$ | 73.5 | 199.5 |  |  |  | $72 \cdot 4$ | 8.4 | $64 \cdot 0$ | $142 \cdot 3$ | 76.2 |  |
|  | February | ... |  | ... | $273 \cdot 6$ | $73 \cdot 6$ | $200 \cdot 0$ | 95.8 | 10.9 | 84.9 | 72.5 | 8.4 | 64.1 | 143.2 | $76 \cdot 3$ | 66.9 |
|  | March |  |  | ... | 273.6 | 73.6 | $200 \cdot 0$ | 95.8 | 10.9 | 84.9 | 72.9 | 8.5 | 64.4 | 144.0 | 76.4 |  |
|  | April | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 277.1 | 74.1 | 203.0 | 97.4 | 11.0 | 86.4 | $74 \cdot 6$ | 8.5 | 66.1 | 145.4 | $77 \cdot 0$ | 68.4 |
|  | May ... | ... |  | $\cdots$ | $276 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 7$ | $203 \cdot 0$ | 97.5 | 11.0 | 86.5 | 74.6 | 8.6 | 66.0 | $145 \cdot 6$ | 77.1 | 68.5 |
|  | June ... |  |  | ... | $275 \cdot 1$ | $73 \cdot 6$ | 201.5 | 96.3 | 10.9 | $85 \cdot 4$ | 74.2 | 8.6 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 145.4 | 77.0 | 68.4 |
|  | July ... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 274.5 | 73.9 | $200 \cdot 6$ | 95.4 |  |  | $73 \cdot 9$ |  | $65 \cdot 3$ | 145.0 | 76.8 |  |
|  | August |  |  | $\ldots$ | 277.9 | 74.5 | $203 \cdot 4$ | 96.3 | 10.9 | 85.4 | 75.3 | 8.7 | $66 \cdot 6$ | 146.4 | 77.5 | 68.2 |
|  | September |  |  | ... | $280 \cdot 4$ | 74.9 | 205.5 | 96.4 | 11.0 | $85 \cdot 4$ | $75 \cdot 6$ | 8.7 | 66.9 | $147 \cdot 2$ | 77.8 | 69.4 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote ${ }^{(1)}$ ) to Table 7.
Source: Ministry of Labour and National Service

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Textile and leather industries
TABLE 14
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  |  | Cotton spinning, doubling, etc. [IIO] |  |  | Cotton weaving, etc.[III] |  |  | Woollen and worsted$\text { [1 I } 2 \text { ] }$ |  |  | Rayon and nylon production and weaving and silk [113 and I14] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June . |  | ... | ... | 168.9 | 59.2 | 109.7 | 122.4 | $40 \cdot 3$ | 82.1 | 206.8 | 92.0 | 114.8 | $88 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 9$ | $42 \cdot 4$ |
| 1949 | June |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 173.6 | 61.4 | 112.2 | 131.4 | 43.4 | 88.0 | 212.9 | $95 \cdot 6$ | 117.3 | 94.8 | 49.9 | 44.9 |
| 1950 | June |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 179.5 | 64.2 | $115 \cdot 3$ | 133.8 | $45 \cdot 4$ | 88.4 | 218.2 | 97-3 | 120.9 | 102.0 | 54.4 | $47 \cdot 6$ |
| 1951 | June ... |  | $\ldots$ |  | 183.8 | $64 \cdot 1$ | 119.7 | 135.1 | $44 \cdot 1$ | 91.0 | 213.1 | 94.6 |  | 102.7 | 55.0 | $47 \cdot 7$ |
|  | December |  |  | $\ldots$ | 183.2 | $64 \cdot 6$ | 118.6 | 133.9 | $44 \cdot 6$ | 89.3 | 199.1 | 89.3 | 109.8 | $100 \cdot 3$ | 54.2 | $46 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 149.8 | $53 \cdot 3$ | 96.5 | 119.5 | 39.6 | 79.9 | 188.9 | 84.8 | 104.1 | 79.0 | $42 \cdot 2$ | 36.8 |
|  | October |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 151.7 | 54.0 | 97.7 | 119.1 | $39 \cdot 2$ | 79.9 | 199.7 | 87.9 | 111.8 | 82.4 | 43-8 |  |
|  | November |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 154.3 | 54.7 | 99.6 | $120 \cdot 4$ | 39.5 | $80 \cdot 9$ | 204.7 | 89.4 | $115 \cdot 3$ | 84.8 | $45 \cdot 1$ | 38.6 39.7 |
|  | December |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 154.7 | $55 \cdot 0$ | 99.7 | 120.8 | 39.7 | 81.1 | $206 \cdot 5$ | $90 \cdot 4$ | 116.1 | $86 \cdot 1$ | 45.9 | 40.2 |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 156.1 | 55.3 | $100 \cdot 8$ | 122.0 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 82.0 | $210 \cdot 4$ | 91.4 | 119.0 | $87 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 8$ |  |
|  | February |  |  |  | 156.2 | 55.3 | 100.9 | 122.5 | $40 \cdot 1$ | 82.4 | 213.2 | 92.0 | 121.2 | 88.6 | $47 \cdot 3$ | 41.3 |
|  | March |  |  | ... | 156.7 | 55.4 | $101 \cdot 3$ | 122.8 | $40 \cdot 2$ | $82 \cdot 6$ | 214.4 | $92 \cdot 4$ | 122.0 | 89.2 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 41.6 |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 157.7 | $55 \cdot 6$ | 102.1 | 123.7 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 83.2 | 215.9 | $92 \cdot 8$ | 123.1 | $90 \cdot 0$ | $48 \cdot 0$ |  |
|  | May ... |  |  |  | 158.1 | $55 \cdot 6$ | 102.5 | 123.9 | $40 \cdot 5$ | $83 \cdot 4$ | 215.6 | $92 \cdot 8$ | $122 \cdot 8$ | $90 \cdot 3$ | 48.1 | $42 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 158.1 | $55 \cdot 7$ | 102.4 | 124.1 | $40 \cdot 6$ | $83 \cdot 5$ | 215.8 | $92 \cdot 9$ | 122.9 | $90 \cdot 3$ | $48 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 1$ |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 158.8 | 55.9 | 102.9 | 123.9 | $40 \cdot 6$ | $83 \cdot 3$ | 215.4 | 93.0 | 122.4 | 89.8 | $48 \cdot 0$ | 41.8 |
|  | August |  | ... |  | 161.4 | 56.7 | 104.7 | $125 \cdot 3$ | 41.0 | 84.3 | $217 \cdot 2$ | 93.4 | 123.8 | 90.4 | 48.2 | $41 \cdot 8$ $42 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September |  | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 163.3 | $57 \cdot 2$ | 106.1 | 126.1 | $41 \cdot 2$ | 84.9 | 218.8 | 93.8 | 125.0 | 91.1 | $48 \cdot 5$ | $42 \cdot 6$ |

TABLE 14 (continued)
Thousands


[^1]Food, drink and tobacco industries

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


TABLE 15 (continued)
Thousands


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

## Paper and printing industries

TABLE 16
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Paper and board and wallpaper [180 and 181] |  |  | Printing and publishing [186 and 189] |  |  | Cardboard boxes, cartons and fibre-board packing cases [182] |  |  | Other manufactures of paper, etc. [183] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June ... |  |  | ... | $78 \cdot 1$ | $58 \cdot 5$ | 19.6 | 310.6 | $204 \cdot 5$ | $106 \cdot 1$ | $36 \cdot 6$ | $12 \cdot 7$ | 23.9 | 38.1 | $15 \cdot 4$ | $22 \cdot 7$ |
| 1949 June ... |  |  | ... | $82 \cdot 2$ | 61.9 | $20 \cdot 3$ | $323 \cdot 0$ | 212.8 | 110.2 | $38 \cdot 8$ | $14 \cdot 1$ | 24.7 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 16.6 | $24 \cdot 1$ |
| 1950 June ... |  |  | - | $84 \cdot 5$ | 63.6 | $20 \cdot 9$ | $337 \cdot 9$ | 223.9 | 114.0 | $44 \cdot 7$ | 16.5 | $28 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 9$ | 16.5 | 26.4 |
| 1951 June ... December |  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 2 \\ & 89 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $65 \cdot 0$ $67 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 338 \cdot 3 \\ & 343 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 1 \\ & 225 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.2 \\ & 118.5 \end{aligned}$ | $48 \cdot 3$ $49 \cdot 3$ | 17.8 19.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 30 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $47 \cdot 2$ $47 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.9 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.3 \\ & 29.0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $83 \cdot 9$ | $63 \cdot 5$ | 20.4 | 339.5 | $225 \cdot 3$ | 114.2 | $43 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 7$ | $25 \cdot 6$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | 17.1 | 25.1 |
| October November December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> . | $80 \cdot 5$ $80 \cdot 2$ $80 \cdot 3$ | $61 \cdot 2$ $61 \cdot 2$ $61 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 19.0 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $339 \cdot 2$ $338 \cdot 0$ $336 \cdot 3$ | $225 \cdot 9$ $225 \cdot 5$ $225 \cdot 3$ | 113.3 112.5 111.0 | $43 \cdot 5$ $44 \cdot 0$ $43 \cdot 8$ | 17.7 17.8 17.8 | 25.8 26.2 26.0 | 42.4 42.5 42.4 | 17.0 17.1 17.1 | 25.4 25.4 25.3 |
| 1953 January February March | . | $\cdots$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 80.8 80.7 80.9 | $61 \cdot 7$ $61 \cdot 6$ $61 \cdot 8$ | 19.1 19.1 19.1 | $336 \cdot 1$ 335.5 334.8 | $225 \cdot 3$ $225 \cdot 0$ 224.9 | 110.8 110.5 109.9 | $43 \cdot 9$ $44 \cdot 2$ 44.4 | 17.9 18.1 18.1 | $26 \cdot 0$ $26 \cdot 1$ 26.3 | $42 \cdot 6$ 42.7 42.8 | 17.2 17.3 17.3 | 25.4 25.4 25.5 |
| April... May June ... | . | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $81 \cdot 4$ $81 \cdot 8$ $82 \cdot 2$ | $62 \cdot 2$ 62.4 $62 \cdot 6$ | 19.2 19.4 19.6 | $335 \cdot 9$ 335.9 $336 \cdot 3$ | 225.6 226.0 226.4 | 110.3 109.9 109.9 | $45 \cdot 1$ $45 \cdot 6$ $46 \cdot 3$ | 18.2 18.2 18.4 | 26.9 27.4 27.9 | $43 \cdot 1$ $43 \cdot 0$ $43 \cdot 0$ | 17.4 17.4 17.4 | 25.7 $25 \cdot 6$ 25.6 |
| July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $82 \cdot 4$ $83 \cdot 7$ 84.8 | $62 \cdot 8$ $63 \cdot 6$ $64 \cdot 2$ | 19.6 20.1 20.6 | $336 \cdot 3$ $339 \cdot 1$ $339 \cdot 6$ | 226.5 227.7 227.7 |  | $46 \cdot 9$ $48 \cdot 4$ 49.7 | 18.6 19.0 19.3 | 28.3 29.4 30.4 | $43 \cdot 4$ $44 \cdot 8$ $45 \cdot 5$ | 17.4 17.7 17.8 | $26 \cdot 0$ $27 \cdot 1$ $27 \cdot 7$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 7.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service
Timber, furniture and selected other manufacturing industries
TABLE 17
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table 7.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

# Selected non-manufacturing industries 

TABLE 18
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands


TABLE 18 (continued)

|  |  |  |  | Wholesale distribution[242 and 244] |  |  | Retail distribution (excluding catering)$\text { [243, } 245 \text { and 246] }$ |  |  | Catering, hotels, etc.[285] |  |  | Laundries, dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc. [286 and 287] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June | ... | ... | 393.0 | $246 \cdot 2$ | 146.8 | 1,386.6 | 636.3 | 750.3 | $683 \cdot 7$ | 191.8 | $491 \cdot 9$ | 193.7 | 43.9 | 149.8 |
| 1949 | June | ... | $\ldots$ | $404 \cdot 8$ | $253 \cdot 8$ | 151.0 | 1,442.9 | $654 \cdot 4$ | 788.5 | $675 \cdot 6$ | 192.5 | $483 \cdot 1$ | $190 \cdot 6$ | 43.1 | $147 \cdot 5$ |
| 1950 | June | $\ldots$ | ... | $404 \cdot 4$ | 261.4 | 143.0 | 1,458.0 | $655 \cdot 1$ | 802.9 | 680.8 | 192.5 | $488 \cdot 3$ | 193.8 | $43 \cdot 8$ | $150 \cdot 0$ |
| 1951 | June ... December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $427 \cdot 5$ $424 \cdot 4$ | $276 \cdot 6$ 276.2 | 150.9 148.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,454 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,477 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 633.5 633.9 | 821.4 $843 \cdot 5$ | 679.9 638.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 186.0 \\ & 174.0 \end{aligned}$ | 493.9 464.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 188.3 \\ & 182.7 \end{aligned}$ | $43 \cdot 0$ $42 \cdot 7$ | 145.3 140.0 |
| 1952 | June | ... | ... | 422.8 | 274.9 | 147.9 | 1,481.1 | 632.0 | $849 \cdot 1$ | 688.0 | 181.8 | 506.2 | $185 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | 141.8 |
|  | October November | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 427.4 427.9 | 276.3 276.0 | 151.1 151.9 | $1,496.4$ $1,528.6$ | 632.0 634.1 | 864.4 894.5 | 657.4 644.6 | 176.6 173.2 | $480 \cdot 8$ 471.4 | 1877.7 175.3 | $42 \cdot 2$ 41.9 | 135.5 133.4 |
|  | December |  | ... | 426.1 | 276.0 | $150 \cdot 1$ | 1,504•6 | 634.0 | $870 \cdot 6$ | $637 \cdot 0$ | 173.4 | $463 \cdot 6$ | 174.4 | 41.9 | 132.5 |
| 1953 | January |  | $\ldots$ | $427 \cdot 6$ | 276.9 | 150.7 | 1,483.2 |  | 849.8 | 633.6 | 171.8 | $461 \cdot 8$ | 177.2 |  |  |
|  | February |  | $\ldots$ | 427.0 | 276.5 | $150 \cdot 5$ | 1,477.8 | 632.6 | $845 \cdot 2$ | 632.4 | 171.3 | 461.1 | 178.1 | $42 \cdot 6$ | 135.5 |
|  | March |  | ... | 426.9 | 276.5 | $150 \cdot 4$ | $1,475 \cdot 3$ | $630 \cdot 6$ | 844.7 | 635.6 | 173.2 | 462.4 | 179.4 | $42 \cdot 7$ | 136.7 |
|  | April ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 428.9 | $277 \cdot 2$ | $151 \cdot 7$ | 1,487•6 | $632 \cdot 5$ | 855.1 | $645 \cdot 5$ | 175.1 | $470 \cdot 4$ | $180 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | 137.9 |
|  | May ... | ... | ... | $428 \cdot 5$ | $277 \cdot 2$ | $151 \cdot 3$ | 1,496.7 | $631 \cdot 2$ | $865 \cdot 5$ | $661 \cdot 3$ | 179.1 | $482 \cdot 2$ | $180 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 9$ | 137.3 |
|  | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | 428.5 | $277 \cdot 1$ | 151.4 | 1,500.8 | $631 \cdot 1$ | 869.7 | 676.8 | 181.6 | $495 \cdot 2$ | $180 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | $137 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July ... |  | $\ldots$ | 428.5 | $277 \cdot 3$ | 151.2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  |  | 432.6 | 279.1 | 153.5 | 1,519.1 | $635 \cdot 8$ | 883.3 | 681.1 | 182.8 | $498 \cdot 3$ | $180 \cdot 7$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | $137 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September |  | ... | $433 \cdot 2$ | $279 \cdot 2$ | 154.0 | 1,510.9 | 633.7 | $877 \cdot 2$ | $657 \cdot 2$ | 176.7 | $480 \cdot 5$ |  | $42 \cdot 7$ |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left(^{(1)}\right.$ to Table 7.
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service

|  |  | Great Britain |  |  |  |  |  | Northern Ireland ( ${ }^{( }$) |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | All workers ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Regular workers ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | All workers |  |  | Regular workers |  |  |
|  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1939 \\ & 1940 \end{aligned}$ | June June | $\begin{aligned} & 711.3 \\ & 712.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 618 \cdot 0 \\ & 602 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 93.2 \\ 109.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 600 \cdot 8 \\ & 588 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 546 \cdot 1 \\ & 530 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 7 \\ & 57 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 3 \\ & 94 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \cdot 0 \\ & 66 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 2 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 3 \\ & 67 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 7 \\ & 47 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 6 \\ & 20 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1943 | June | $843 \cdot 1$ | $620 \cdot 5$ | $222 \cdot 6$ | 644.5 | 516.8 | $127 \cdot 7$ | $112 \cdot 4$ | $70 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 3$ | 79.4 | $50 \cdot 2$ | $29 \cdot 3$ |
| 1946 1947 1948 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { June } & \ldots \\ \text { June } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ & \end{array}$ | 888.9 891.5 849.5 | 731.9 $745 \cdot 8$ $702 \cdot 5$ | 156.9 145.7 146.9 | $627 \cdot 1$ $636 \cdot 6$ $653 \cdot 2$ | $550 \cdot 7$ $564 \cdot 4$ $580 \cdot 8$ | $76 \cdot 4$ $72 \cdot 2$ $72 \cdot 4$ | 87.4 88.6 82.2 | 63.9 65.6 61.1 | 23.5 23.0 21.1 | $67 \cdot 7$ $65 \cdot 4$ $61 \cdot 3$ | 48.0 46.4 43.9 | 19.7 19.0 17.4 |
| 1949 | June $\quad .$. December... | $\begin{aligned} & 855 \cdot 3 \\ & 797 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 719.6 \\ & 684.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 135.7 \\ & 113.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 673 \cdot 1 \\ & 648 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $602 \cdot 8$ $588 \cdot 3$ | $70 \cdot 3$ $60 \cdot 2$ | $78 \cdot 6$ 70.1 | 59.9 $50 \cdot 0$ | 18.7 20.1 | 56.9 53.1 | 41.9 $37 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & \text { December... } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 842.5 \\ & 775 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 715 \cdot 8 \\ & 670 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126.8 \\ & 105.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 663 \cdot 4 \\ & 636 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 597.7 \\ & 573.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 7 \\ & 63 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 2 \\ & 67 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 3 \\ & 48 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 18.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53.9 \\ & 50 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $40 \cdot 2$ $36 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | June ... <br> December... | $\begin{aligned} & 812.2 \\ & 763.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 696 \cdot 9 \\ & 652 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.3 \\ & 111.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 641 \cdot 5 \\ & 618 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 583.9 \\ & 559.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57.6 \\ & 59.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70.1 \\ & 59.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \cdot 5 \\ & 43 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 1 \\ & 46 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $37 \cdot 8$ $33 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.3 \\ & 13.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \quad . . \\ & \text { December... } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 804 \cdot 2 \\ & 738 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 676 \cdot 9 \\ & 629.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127.3 \\ & 108.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 618.4 \\ & 595.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 560 \cdot 0 \\ & 535 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58.4 \\ & 60.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 3 \\ & 55 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 0 \\ & 40 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.3 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 3 \\ & 41 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 30 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.2 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | June | $779 \cdot 2$ | $657 \cdot 1$ | 122.3 | 601-6 | $543 \cdot 9$ | $57 \cdot 7$ | $61 \cdot 5$ | $48 \cdot 4$ | $13 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 4$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures for the years 1939-40 and 1943 exclude the occupier but include all adult members of his family.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including any members of the Women's Land Army and prisoners of war working on agricultural holdings on the census dates.
${ }^{( }{ }^{3}$ ) Excluding members of the Women's Land Army and prisoners of war except during the period ending June 1943 when these categories were not returned separately.

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

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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Men |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Total | Primary and secondary schools | Special schools | Further education | Training colleges | Total | Primary and secondary schools( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Special schools | Further education | Training colleges |
| 1946 | July I | $\ldots$ |  | 190.5 | $60 \cdot 7$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | $0 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $0 \cdot 3$ | 129.8 | $127 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 0.8 |  |
| 1947 | July I | $\ldots$ |  | $200 \cdot 0$ | $70 \cdot 9$ | $65 \cdot 2$ | 0.5 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 0.7 | 129.1 | 126.1 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 0.7 |
| 1948 | June I | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 211.0 | 78.5 | 71.9 | 0.6 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 1.0 | 132.5 |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | June I | ... | $\ldots$ | 219.2 | $83 \cdot 6$ | $76 \cdot 2$ | 0.7 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 0.8 | 135.6 | 129.1 131.6 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 0.9 1.0 |
| 1950 |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | $86 \cdot 5$ | 78.4 | 0.8 | 6.6 | 0.8 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June I |  | ... | 226.0 | 88.0 | 79.9 | 0.8 | 6.7 | 0.7 | 138.0 | 133.1 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.1 |
|  | October 1 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $230 \cdot 8$ | 91.4 | 82.9 | 0.9 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 0.5 | 139.4 | 134.9 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
| 1951 | February I ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 231.8 | 92.2 | 83.7 | 0.9 | 7.2 | 0.4 |  |  |  | 1.5 | 1.0 |
|  | June I |  | ... | 232.5 | $92 \cdot 4$ | 83.7 | 1.0 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 0.4 | $140 \cdot 1$ | 135.6 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 237.9 | 94.8 | $85 \cdot 6$ | 1.0 | $7 \cdot 8$ | $0 \cdot 4$ | $143 \cdot 1$ | 138.5 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.0 |
| 1952 | February 1... |  |  | 238.7 | $95 \cdot 1$ | $85 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 1$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October $1 . .$. |  | $\ldots$ | 243.9 | $97 \cdot 2$ | 87.2 | 1.1 | 8.4 | 0.4 0.4 | 143.5 146.7 | 138.8 141.9 | 2.0 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.0 |
| 1953 | February I ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 244.5 | 97.4 | $87 \cdot 3$ | 1.1 | $8 \cdot 6$ | 0.4 | 147.1 |  | $2 \cdot 1$ | $1 \cdot 7$ | 1.0 |
|  | October I ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $250 \cdot 7$ | $100 \cdot 1$ | $89 \cdot 3$ | 1.2 | 9.1 | 0.4 | 150.6 | 145.7 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 1.7 | 1.0 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Including nursery schools.

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Civil Service: Total non-industrial staff ${ }^{1}$ )

|  |  |  | Total |  |  | Males |  |  | Females |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Whole-time | Part-time | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Whole-time | Part-time | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Whole-time | Part-time |
| 1939 | April I | ... | $387 \cdot 4$ | $374 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | 289.0 | $279 \cdot 4$ | 19.2 | 98.4 | 94.9 | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| 1947 | July I | $\ldots$ | $700 \cdot 2$715.3 |  | $43 \cdot 2$$40 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 430 \cdot 4 \\ & 447 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 423 \cdot 7 \\ & 440 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 13.413.2 | 269.7$268 \cdot 0$ | 254.8 | 29.827.6 |
|  | July | $\ldots$ |  | 694.9675.3659.2 |  |  |  |  |  | $254 \cdot 2$ |  |
| 1949 | July I | ... | 697.4 |  | 44.140.8 | 448.5 | $442 \cdot 5$ | 12.0 | 231.0 | 216.7 | 28.8 |
| 1950 | July 1 | ... | 679.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January I <br> April I <br> July I <br> October I | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 675 \cdot 1 \\ & 675 \cdot 4 \\ & 679 \cdot 3 \\ & 685 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $655 \cdot 2$$655 \cdot 2$$658 \cdot 8$$664 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 7 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \\ & 41 \cdot 0 \\ & 41 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 447 \cdot 9 \\ & 447 \cdot 7 \\ & 448 \cdot 5 \\ & 452 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 442 \cdot 1 \\ & 441 \cdot 8 \\ & 442 \cdot 6 \\ & 446 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.6 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 227 \cdot 2 \\ & 227 \cdot 8 \\ & 230 \cdot 8 \\ & 233 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 213.1 \\ & 213.4 \\ & 216.2 \\ & 218.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 2 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \\ & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January I <br> April I <br> July I <br> October I |  | $\begin{aligned} & 688 \cdot 4 \\ & 684 \cdot 0 \\ & 678.0 \\ & 673 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $667 \cdot 8$$663 \cdot 4$657.7653.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 3 \\ & 41 \cdot 3 \\ & 40 \cdot 7 \\ & 40 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 455 \cdot 2 \\ & 453 \cdot 3 \\ & 450 \cdot 8 \\ & 449 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 449 \cdot 3 \\ & 447 \cdot 3 \\ & 444 \cdot 9 \\ & 443 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.9 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 233 \cdot 2 \\ & 230 \cdot 7 \\ & 227 \cdot 2 \\ & 224 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218.5 \\ & 216.0 \\ & 212.7 \\ & 209.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.5 \\ & 29.4 \\ & 28.9 \\ & 28.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January I <br> April <br> July I October I |  | $\begin{aligned} & 668 \cdot 5 \\ & 666 \cdot 1 \\ & 663 \cdot 0 \\ & 660 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 649 \cdot 1 \\ & 646 \cdot 2 \\ & 643 \cdot 0 \\ & 640 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 9 \\ & 39 \cdot 9 \\ & 39 \cdot 9 \\ & 39 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 448 \cdot 1 \\ & 448 \cdot 0 \\ & 447 \cdot 2 \\ & 446 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 442 \cdot 4 \\ & 442 \cdot 2 \\ & 441 \cdot 3 \\ & 440 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3 \\ & 11.6 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 220.5 \\ & 218.1 \\ & 215.7 \\ & 213.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206.7 \\ & 204.0 \\ & 201.7 \\ & 200 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 6 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 28 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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${ }^{(1)}$ Established and unestablished staff in all Departments, including Reserved and Agency Services, Northern Ireland.
Source: Treasury
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ 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 22

|  |  | Service and Supply Departments $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Post Office | Board of Inland Revenue | H.M. Customs and Excise | Ministry of Food | Ministry of Labour and National Service | Ministry of Works | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Board } \\ & \text { of } \\ & \text { Trade } \end{aligned}$ | Ministry of <br> Pensions | Ministry of National Insurance $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Other Departments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1939 | April I | $52 \cdot 4$ | 196.2 | $25 \cdot 0$ | 15.0 | - | $28 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 3.0 | - | $2 \cdot 6$ | 53.7 |
| 1947 | July I | $143 \cdot 3$ | 244.1 | $47 \cdot 7$ | 12.3 | $53 \cdot 6$ | 39.0 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 14.7 | 12.0 | 14.4 | 6.4 | 92.4 |
| 1948 | July I | 126.3 | $247 \cdot 2$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | 13.5 | $50 \cdot 2$ | 36.2 | 20.1 | 14.1 | 11.8 | 33.9 | 17.7 | 95.7 |
| 1949 | July I | 124.6 | 246.4 | $47 \cdot 5$ | 14.2 | 37.9 | 31.9 | 18.4 | 11.3 | 11.7 | 37.4 | 18.2 | 97.8 |
| 1950 | July 1 | 122.3 | 249.9 | $50 \cdot 3$ | 14.4 | 28.7 | 29.2 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 10.1 | 10.8 | $35 \cdot 1$ | 16.4 | $95 \cdot 0$ |
| 1951 | January 1 ... | 124.3 | 249.5 | 52.4 | 14.5 | $25 \cdot 9$ | $27 \cdot 9$ | 16.6 | $10 \cdot 1$ | 10.7 | 34.8 | $15 \cdot 6$ | 92.9 |
|  | April I | 126.0 | 248.9 | 53.0 | 14.6 | 25.8 | 27.7 | 16.2 | 10.0 | 10.5 | 34.6 | 15.3 | 93.0 |
|  | July I | 128.7 | 248.9 | 53.6 | 14.6 | 26.7 | $27 \cdot 7$ | 16.1 | 9.9 | 10.1 | 34.4 | 15.0 | 93.4 |
|  | October I | $132 \cdot 6$ | $251 \cdot 2$ | 54.0 | 14.8 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 16.0 | 8.4 | 9.7 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 15.0 | 95.4 |
| 1952 |  |  |  |  |  | 26.1 |  |  | $8 \cdot 4$ | 9.7 |  |  | 95.0 |
|  | April | 138.8 | 252.6 | 53.2 | 14.8 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 6$ | 15.6 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 4$ | 14.3 | 91.5 |
|  | July I . ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 137.9 | 251.6 | 52.7 | 14.7 | 24.7 | $26 \cdot 7$ | 15.1 | 8.1 | $9 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 2$ | 14.1 | 89.9 |
|  | October 1 |  | $250 \cdot 6$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | 14.7 | 23.8 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 14.9 | $7 \cdot 9$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 1$ | 13.9 | $89 \cdot 2$ |
| 1953 | January I <br> April I <br> July 1 | 138.0 | 248.9 | 52.0 | 14.7 | $22 \cdot 7$ | 25.9 | 14.7 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $9 \cdot 0$ | 32.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.8 \\ & 13.6 \\ & 13.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \cdot 3 \\ & 88 \cdot 0 \\ & 87 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 137.8 | $249 \cdot 6$ | 51.7 | 14.9 | 21.4 | 25.4 | 14.5 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 8.9 | $32 \cdot 7$ |  |  |
|  |  | 137.6 | $250 \cdot 3$ | 51.4 | 14.9 | 20.0 | $25 \cdot 2$ | 14.4 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $32 \cdot 4$ |  |  |
|  | October 1... | 138.7 | 249.7 | 51.7 | 14.9 | 18.7 | 25.1 | 14.2 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 37 | 9(5) | 12.8 | 89.8 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Established and unestablished. Two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Admiralty, Air Ministry, War Office, Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Supply. The figure for April 1939 relates to the three Service Departments only. A proportion of the staff of the Ministry of Supply are engaged on civil work, but these have not been assessed separately and are included in this column.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including 11,500 staff of Approved Societies, etc., absorbed in 1948 as a result of the National Insurance Acts, 1946.
${ }^{(4)}$ Including 10,190 staff of the County Agricultural Executive Committees absorbed in 1948.
${ }^{(5)}$ On I September 1953 the Ministry of Pensions amalgamated partly with the Ministry of Health and partly with the Ministry of National Insurance. The figures from I October 1953 relate to the staff of the Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance.

${ }^{(1)}$ Up to June 1948 the figures relate only to unemployed persons insured under the Unemployment Insurance Acts. From July 1948 onwards the figures include uninsured as well as insured persons on the registers.

Registered unemployed in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )
Analysis by regions
TABLE 24

|  |  | London and South Eastern | Eastern | Southern | South Western | Midland | North Midland | East and West Ridings | North Western | Northern | Scotland | Wales | Northern Ireland |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1939 \\ & 1947 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { July } 10 \quad \ldots \\ \left\{\begin{array}{cc} \ldots & \ldots \\ \text { Monthly } \\ \left\{\begin{array}{c} \text { averages } \\ \ldots \\ \ldots \end{array}\right. & \ldots \end{array}\right. \end{gathered}$ | 184.9 | $35 \cdot 9$ | 18.7 | $30 \cdot 2$ | $80 \cdot 8$ | 68.9 | 116.0 | $259 \cdot 3$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 171.8 | $98 \cdot 6$ | 66.4 |
|  |  | $68 \cdot 7$ | 18.2 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 11.8 | $47 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | 31.3 | 96.8 | 41.8 | 66.2 | $50 \cdot 3$ | 29.8 |
|  |  | $54 \cdot 2$ $55 \cdot 7$ $45 \cdot 7$ $66 \cdot 8$ | 11.6 12.8 10.1 14.5 | 12.8 13.7 10.8 13.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.7 \\ & 12.6 \\ & 16.5 \end{aligned}$ | 12.2 9.9 8.5 18.0 | 7.4 8.5 7.3 14.7 | 15.2 16.6 16.2 34.4 | $48 \cdot 9$ 47.3 35.8 107.3 | $32 \cdot 3$ $34 \cdot 9$ $27 \cdot 5$ $32 \cdot 6$ | 62.1 64.7 53.4 69.3 | 36.4 34.4 25.0 26.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \\ & 28 \cdot 5 \\ & 48 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | October 15 <br> November 12 <br> December 10 | 52.7 57.4 58.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 8.9 \\ 10.1 \\ 11.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 14.1 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | 9.4 10.4 10.1 | 8.2 9.5 12.4 | 19.3 24.2 26.8 | 37.3 41.6 $43 \cdot 0$ | 27.7 29.4 29.4 | $51 \cdot 1$ $56 \cdot 3$ $60 \cdot 2$ | $24 \cdot 8$ $25 \cdot 3$ $25 \cdot 4$ | $26 \cdot 0$ 32.5 39.7 |
| 1952 | January 14 February 11 March 17 ... | $71 \cdot 7$ 69.7 69.0 | 15.6 17.4 17.4 | 14.2 15.0 15.3 | 17.7 17.9 17.0 | 13.0 12.6 16.2 | 16.8 16.0 16.7 | 33.2 33.4 39.5 | 59.7 71.5 111.3 | 36.5 35.4 33.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 0 \\ & 75 \cdot 9 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 2 \\ & 53 \cdot 1 \\ & 46 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 21 <br> May 12 <br> June 16 | $65 \cdot 5$ $63 \cdot 0$ $60 \cdot 4$ | 16.4 15.1 11.5 | 13.4 13.5 11.1 | 16.0 15.4 13.0 | 18.0 19.4 19.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 19.8 \\ & 18.6 \\ & 15.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 0 \\ & 46 \cdot 6 \\ & 41 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143.4 \\ & 150.7 \\ & 145.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \\ & 29 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 3 \\ & 66 \cdot 2 \\ & 68 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 24 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 7 \\ & 51 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } 14 \\ & \text { August } \\ & \text { II } \end{aligned} \ldots$ | 58.0 61.8 59.6 | 10.7 12.7 12.4 | 10.3 11.0 11.9 | 12.4 14.1 15.3 | 18.3 19.3 19.5 | 14.5 13.9 12.2 | 34.4 31.3 30.6 | 117.2 117.2 105.6 | 27.5 31.8 31.1 | $66 \cdot 7$ $65 \cdot 7$ 66.4 | $23 \cdot 5$ $24 \cdot 8$ $25 \cdot 0$ | $60 \cdot 3$ $45 \cdot 6$ 44.4 |
|  | October 13 <br> November 10 <br> December 8 | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 9 \\ & 76 \cdot 1 \\ & 75 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 13.6 15.0 16.9 | 14.7 15.8 15.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 8 \\ & 20 \cdot 1 \\ & 20 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.9 \\ & 20.7 \\ & 20.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.8 \\ & 10.6 \\ & 10.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 3 \\ & 89 \cdot 5 \\ & 81 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $32 \cdot 1$ $32 \cdot 6$ $33 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 1 \\ & 72 \cdot 1 \\ & 73 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $27 \cdot 0$ $27 \cdot 3$ $27 \cdot 2$ | 41.9 43.9 45.6 |
| 1953 | January $12 \ldots$ February 16 March 16 | 87.2 78.8 71.3 | 20.8 20.7 17.1 | 17.3 17.2 15.9 | 22.9 21.8 20.1 | $25 \cdot 7$ $27 \cdot 2$ $32 \cdot 2$ | 13.1 11.3 9.9 | $28 \cdot 0$ $26 \cdot 3$ $24 \cdot 2$ | $86 \cdot 8$ $80 \cdot 3$ 71.4 | 36.6 34.3 31.5 | 81.5 77.4 72.0 | 32.6 33.5 31.4 | 50.8 46.7 41.9 |
|  | April 13 May II June 15 | $66 \cdot 2$ $61 \cdot 0$ $54 \cdot 3$ | 16.2 13.6 10.3 | 14.0 13.1 10.3 | 19.1 16.8 13.5 | 26.3 $23 \cdot 7$ 20.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 9.9 \\ & 9.2 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $24 \cdot 0$ $22 \cdot 3$ 19.6 | $66 \cdot 8$ 60.7 53.5 | 31.1 28.3 25.6 | 70.2 62.9 56.5 | 32.0 28.7 25.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 7 \\ & 37 \cdot 7 \\ & 36 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 13 <br> August 10 . <br> September 14 | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 8 \\ & 52 \cdot 0 \\ & 51 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.4 \\ 10.2 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.1 \\ 10 \cdot 2 \\ 10.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 18.9 \\ & 17.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.1 \\ & 8.2 \\ & 7.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 19.4 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 6 \\ & 52 \cdot 4 \\ & 51.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 2 \\ & 27 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 8 \\ & 56 \cdot 0 \\ & 56 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 8 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 12 <br> November... <br> December... | $60 \cdot 2$ | 11.1 | 13.8 | $17 \cdot 6$ | 16.3 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 19.9 | $51 \cdot 8$ | 28.0 | $57 \cdot 1$ | $25 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 5$ |
| Percentage rate of unemployment at October $12\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | $1 \cdot 1$ | 1.0 | $1 \cdot 4$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | 0.8 | 0.5 | $1 \cdot 1$ | $1 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 5$ |

( ${ }^{1}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{( }$) to Table 23. The figures up to July 1948 exclude claimants
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service for benefit under the special schemes for the banking and insurance industries who could not be allocated to regions.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 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 25
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Males |  |  |  |  | Females |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  |  | Temporarily stopped | Total | Married women | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  |  | Temporarily stopped |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2 weeks or less | Over 2 <br> but not <br> more than <br> 8 weeks | More than 8 weeks |  |  |  | 2 weeks or less | $\|$Over 2 <br> but not <br> more than <br> 8 weeks | More than 8 weeks |  |
| 1948 | Jaly 12 ... |  | $\ldots$ | 215.0 | 49.9 | $46 \cdot 7$ | 114.2 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 67-2 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 24.5 | 14.1 | $24 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 6$ |
| 1949 | July II |  | $\ldots$ | 185.6 | $45 \cdot 9$ | 38.9 | $97 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $57 \cdot 4$ | $27 \cdot 0$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | 12.5 | 21.7 | 2.9 |
| 1950 | July 10 |  | $\ldots$ | 196.3 | $47 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | 98.8 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 75.7 | 36.7 | 24.6 | 18.9 | $27 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ |
| 1951 | July $16 \ldots$ |  | ... | 122.4 | 31.8 | $24 \cdot 5$ | $60 \cdot 1$ | 6.0 | $63 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 0$ | 15.8 | 21.3 | $4 \cdot 3$ |
| 1951 | October 15 <br> November 12 <br> December 10 |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 152.9 168.5 175.5 | $45 \cdot 1$ $48 \cdot 0$ $45 \cdot 1$ | $36 \cdot 8$ $42 \cdot 8$ $47 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 3$ 61.7 $66 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ | $110 \cdot 9$ $122 \cdot 0$ 127.5 | $50 \cdot 6$ 55.1 55.9 | $39 \cdot 9$ $38 \cdot 1$ $30 \cdot 5$ | $31 \cdot 1$ $36 \cdot 7$ $37 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \\ & 32 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 6 \\ & 20 \cdot 3 \\ & 26.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January 14 <br> February II <br> March 17 |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $216 \cdot 4$ $224 \cdot 9$ $230 \cdot 0$ | 57.8 55.6 55.0 | 58.4 60.0 51.4 | 76.2 83.9 86.8 | 24.0 25.4 36.8 | 162.3 168.6 203.0 | $65 \cdot 0$ $72 \cdot 4$ $88 \cdot 5$ | $46 \cdot 0$ $38 \cdot 2$ $43 \cdot 9$ | $35 \cdot 3$ $43 \cdot 1$ 41.7 | $41 \cdot 3$ $45 \cdot 3$ 49.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 0 \\ & 67 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 21 <br> May $12 \ldots$ <br> June 16 |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $242 \cdot 6$ $235 \cdot 1$ 223.1 | 52.6 52.9 49.2 | 50.8 44.1 44.4 | 87.3 84.4 76.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 9 \\ & 53 \cdot 7 \\ & 53 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $225 \cdot 3$ $232 \cdot 3$ $217 \cdot 0$ | 93.3 98.7 98.9 | $40 \cdot 5$ $43 \cdot 7$ $37 \cdot 9$ | $42 \cdot 8$ $42 \cdot 5$ $39 \cdot 7$ | 51.1 52.7 48.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 90.9 \\ & 93.4 \\ & 90.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 14 <br> August II <br> September 15 |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $210 \cdot 0$ 221.3 214.3 | 48.8 54.9 57.6 | 42.6 52.9 50.9 | $80 \cdot 6$ $86 \cdot 3$ $83 \cdot 2$ | $38 \cdot 0$ $27 \cdot 2$ $22 \cdot 6$ | 183.5 182.3 175.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 2 \\ & 79 \cdot 5 \\ & 83 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $34 \cdot 3$ 41.7 $43 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 4$ $38 \cdot 3$ $42 \cdot 3$ | 51.7 51.8 48.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 1 \\ & 50 \cdot 5 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 13 <br> November 10 <br> December 8 |  | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $228 \cdot 2$ $240 \cdot 0$ $248 \cdot 7$ | 63.9 63.4 60.6 | 57.6 67.0 70.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 88.7 \\ 94.5 \\ 102.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.0 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 15.2 \end{aligned}$ | 169.7 166.4 150.8 | $82 \cdot 8$ 82.4 74.6 | $45 \cdot 2$ $43 \cdot 0$ $32 \cdot 1$ | $44 \cdot 2$ $48 \cdot 3$ $45 \cdot 5$ | 51.1 53.9 56.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 29.2 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January 12 <br> February 16 <br> March 16 |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $287 \cdot 2$ $272 \cdot 6$ $251 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 6 \\ & 61.5 \\ & 53.5 \end{aligned}$ | 78.1 70.3 56.7 | 114.9 116.5 114.1 | 21.6 $24 \cdot 3$ 26.8 | 165.3 156.2 145.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 8 \\ & 75 \cdot 3 \\ & 73 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 5 \\ & 34.7 \\ & 36 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 45 \cdot 6 \\ & 38 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 6 \\ & 59.4 \\ & 59 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.2 \\ & 16.5 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 13 <br> May 11 <br> June 15 | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | . $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \cdot 4 \\ & 214 \cdot 3 \\ & 193 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 54.8 51.6 $45 \cdot 1$ | $53 \cdot 7$ $45 \cdot 2$ $42 \cdot 9$ | 111.5 102.2 90.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 15.3 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | 136.4 126.0 104.2 | $66 \cdot 2$ $64 \cdot 8$ $54 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 6 \\ & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $33 \cdot 8$ $32 \cdot 3$ 25.8 | 55.8 50.7 42.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \cdot 2 \\ 8 \cdot 3 \\ 7 \cdot 2 \end{array}$ |
|  | July $13 \ldots$ <br> August 10 <br> September 14 |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 179.7 190.9 184.2 | $46 \cdot 7$ 51.7 53.7 | $36 \cdot 1$ $46 \cdot 6$ $43 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 2 \\ & 86 \cdot 3 \\ & 80 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 7 \\ & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 93.0 102.6 107.8 | $47 \cdot 0$ $45 \cdot 7$ $54 \cdot 4$ | 27.2 34.4 39.6 | 21.4 28.5 31.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 9 \\ & 32 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 7 \\ & 4 \cdot 8 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 12 November December | $\ldots$ | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 193.6 | $57 \cdot 2$ | $48 \cdot 5$ | 81.4 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 115.4 | 58.9 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 7$ | $36 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 6$ |


|  |  |  | Total | Agricul- <br> ture and fishing | Mining and quarrying ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Metals, engineering and vehicles | Textiles and clothing | Food, drink and tobacco | Other manufacturing industries | Building and contracting | Transport, communications and public utilities | Distributive trades | Miscellaneous services, etc. $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1948 | July $12 \ldots$... | ... | $282 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $58 \cdot 8$ | 14.4 | $8 \cdot 8$ | $24 \cdot 0$ | $36 \cdot 9$ | $25 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | $83 \cdot 1$ |
| 1949 | July II ... | . | $243 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $18 \cdot 2$ | $31 \cdot 1$ | $21 \cdot 5$ | 19.5 | 78.9 |
| 1950 | July 10 .. | .. | $272 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 44.1 | 16.0 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | $22 \cdot 9$ | 88.6 |
| 1951 | July $16 \ldots$ | ... | $185 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | 28.4 | 11.8 | $7 \cdot 0$ | $14 \cdot 1$ | $18 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 16.0 | 66.9 |
| 1951 | October 15 November 12 December 10 ... | ... | $263 \cdot 8$ $290 \cdot 5$ $303 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.4 \\ 11.5 \\ 14.9 \end{array}$ | 2.2 2.0 1.9 | $32 \cdot 2$ $33 \cdot 2$ $33 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 5 \\ & 40 \cdot 8 \\ & 50 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.1 \\ & 10.8 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 4 \\ & 22 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \\ & 30 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $19 \cdot 3$ <br> $20 \cdot 7$ <br> 19.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 4 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \\ & 23.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \cdot 9 \\ & 97 \cdot 5 \\ & 94 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January 14 <br> February 11 <br> March 17 | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $378 \cdot 7$ $393 \cdot 5$ $433 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 19.0 \\ & 15.2 \end{aligned}$ | $2 \cdot 1$ $2 \cdot 3$ $2 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 9 \\ & 43 \cdot 2 \\ & 46 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 70.4 \\ 73.6 \\ 116.4 \end{array}$ | 14.2 <br> 16.0 <br> $16 \cdot 2$ | 29.7 $28 \cdot 3$ 28.9 | $41 \cdot 8$ $46 \cdot 3$ $38 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 7 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 1 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.9 \\ & 107.5 \\ & 110.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 21 <br> May 12 ... <br> June 16 | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 467.9 467.4 $440 \cdot 1$ | 14.2 12.2 8.4 | $2 \cdot 3$ $2 \cdot 1$ $2 \cdot 0$ | $46 \cdot 0$ $47 \cdot 5$ $48 \cdot 6$ | 153.8 160.7 158.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8 \\ & 15.7 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | 34.6 37.8 39.9 | $34 \cdot 9$ $31 \cdot 7$ $29 \cdot 5$ | $24 \cdot 0$ $23 \cdot 5$ $21 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 5 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \\ & 28 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110.8 \\ 104.8 \\ 89.7 \end{array}$ |
|  | July 14 ... <br> August II <br> September 15 ... | ... | $393 \cdot 5$ $403 \cdot 6$ $389 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.8 \\ 9.5 \\ 11.0 \end{array}$ | 2.1 2.4 2.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 6 \\ & 49 \cdot 4 \\ & 51 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $114 \cdot 3$ 96.1 $76 \cdot 0$ | 13.3 <br> 14.7 <br> $15 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 2 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 33 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | 29.3 <br> $31 \cdot 6$ <br> $32 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 6 \\ & 23 \cdot 2 \\ & 25 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \\ & 31 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 91.7 \\ 114.7 \\ 110.3 \end{array}$ |
|  | October 13 <br> November 10 <br> December 8 | . | 397.9 406.4 $399 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 17.9 \end{aligned}$ | 2.4 2.6 2.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 53.5 \\ & 57.4 \\ & 56.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 8 \\ & 43 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.5 \\ & 17 \cdot 0 \\ & 17.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 31 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 7 \\ & 43 \cdot 7 \\ & 50 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 7 \\ & 29 \cdot 9 \\ & 29 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 34 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122.8 \\ & 130.3 \\ & 124.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } 12 & \ldots \\ \text { February } 16 & \ldots \\ \text { March } 16 & \ldots \end{array}$ | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 452 \cdot 5 \\ & 428 \cdot 8 \\ & 397 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.5 \\ & 19.2 \\ & 15.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.9 \\ & 3.1 \\ & 2.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 5 \\ & 72 \cdot 4 \\ & 74.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 0 \\ & 30 \cdot 0 \\ & 25 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 \\ & 19.6 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 8 \\ & 35 \cdot 0 \\ & 32 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 4 \\ & 52 \cdot 5 \\ & 41 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 4 \\ & 31 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 7 \\ & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 37 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136.4 \\ & 125.5 \\ & 119.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 13 <br> May II <br> June 15 | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $375 \cdot 8$ $340 \cdot 3$ $297 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 13.2 \\ & 10.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.5 \\ & 2.4 \\ & 2.3 \end{aligned}$ | $67 \cdot 1$ <br> $62 \cdot 4$ <br> $55 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 0 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 21 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 15.9 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 9 \\ & 28 \cdot 2 \\ & 25 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 6 \\ & 34 \cdot 4 \\ & 32 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 4 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \\ & 22 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \\ & 27 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 120.1 \\ 104.7 \\ 86.9 \end{array}$ |
|  | July 13 $\qquad$ <br> August 10 <br> September $14 \ldots$ | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 272 \cdot 7 \\ & 293 \cdot 5 \\ & 292 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.7 \\ 8.8 \\ 10.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.1 \\ & 2.3 \\ & 2.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 7 \\ & 45 \cdot 1 \\ & 45 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 17.5 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5 \\ & 13.1 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 1 \\ & 21 \cdot 6 \\ & 21 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 31 \cdot 2 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 22 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 85 \cdot 3 \\ 106.0 \\ 100 \cdot 7 \end{array}$ |
|  | October 12 <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 309.0 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 2.4 | $45 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | $21 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 6$ | 31.0 | $110 \cdot 0$ |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ Ex-miners known to be medically unfit for coal mining are excluded from "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.

## LABOUR

Employment vacancies filled and unfilled in Great Britain $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
TABLE 27

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The figures of both filled and unfilled vacancies relate only to vacancies
Source: Ministry of Labour and National Service notified to Employment Exchanges and other local offices of the Ministry of Labour and National Service in Great Britain or to the Youth Employment Offices of certain Local Authorities.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Comparison of figures for different periods is affected by (a) the revocation of the Control of Engagement Order on 13 March 1950, and (b) the coming into operation of the Notification of Vacancies Order on 25 February 1952.

|  |  |  |  | Workers involved ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Total working days lost ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | All industries and services | Mining and quarrying | Metals, engineering. shipbuilding and vehicles | Textiles and clothing | Building and contracting | Transport and communication | All other industries and services |
| 1935 1936 1937 1938 | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \ldots \\ \cdots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 271 316 597 274 | 1,955 1,829 3,413 1,334 | 1,385 969 1,501 701 | 93 206 778 243 | 150 252 228 117 | 37 44 39 115 | 82 86 748 40 | $\begin{aligned} & 208 \\ & 272 \\ & 119 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 424 433 | 1,944 1,807 | $\begin{aligned} & 473 \\ & 755 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 899 \\ & 285 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \\ & 32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 347 \\ & 533 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 124 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 $1950(4)$ 1951 1952 |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 433 \\ & 302 \\ & 379 \\ & 415 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,801 \\ & 1,389 \\ & 1,694 \\ & 1,792 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 431 \\ & 351 \\ & 662 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \\ & 514 \\ & 71 \end{aligned}$ | 7 16 5 | 64 83 157 | 188 601 32 | 405 129 145 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | ... | 28 33 10 | 113 93 40 | 27 28 10 | 65 48 23 | 2 | 4 12 2 | 12 2 2 | 3 3 3 |
| 1952 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { January } & \text {... } \\ \text { February } & \text {. } \\ \text { March } & \text {... }\end{array}$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | ... | 25 24 40 | 81 75 288 | 29 34 24 | 27 26 205 | 二 | 1 6 35 | 3 2 11 | $\begin{array}{r} 21 \\ 7 \\ 13 \end{array}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ |  | 28 39 58 | 77 173 203 | 41 74 57 | 18 31 113 | 二 | 3 16 27 | 4 4 1 | $\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ 48 \\ 5 \end{array}$ |
|  | July $\qquad$ <br> August .. <br> September | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 17 39 24 | 272 167 104 | 17 83 31 | 233 58 46 | $\frac{1}{1}$ | 10 13 18 | $\frac{1}{1}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 13 \\ 7 \end{array}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\cdots$ | ... | 22 45 54 | 95 122 135 | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \\ 99 \\ 127 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20 \\ 11 \\ 3 \end{array}$ | 2 1 | $\frac{25}{3}$ | 1 | 3 6 1 |
| 1953 | January February $\qquad$ March $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 22 32 28 | 67 165 249 | 38 74 36 | 18 84 203 | 8 2 4 | - | 1 | 2 2 3 |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 18 17 22 | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \\ & 32 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | 34 14 31 | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ 8 \\ 23 \end{array}$ | - | 3 1 | 3 7 3 | 2 1 1 |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ |  | 13 20 22 | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ 55 \\ 106 \end{array}$ | 12 29 25 | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 10 \\ 22 \end{array}$ | I | 1 9 45 | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 3 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 3 \\ 10 \end{array}$ |
|  | October November. December | . $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | . | 38 | 116 | 32 | 23 | - | 8 | 27 | 26 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Stoppages involving fewer than 10 workpeople or lasting less than one day have been omitted except when the total number of working days lost exceeded 100.
$\left(^{( }\right)$Where stoppages extend over more than one month, the workers involved are counted in the month in which they first participated.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ The figures of working days lost relate to the total 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

Sickness: New claims and persons absent from work

TABLE 29


[^3]
# NATIONAL INSURANCE 

Injury : New claims and persons absent from work
TABLE 30


[^4]- Average of five weeks.

Source : Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

## IV. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

## Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Average $1948=100$

TABLE 31


# Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Average $1948=100$ 

TABLE 31 (continued)

${ }^{(1)}$ This index provides a general measure of monthly changes in total industrial production (including supplies and equipment for the Armed Forces). Owing to variations in the length of calendar months the index is adjusted so as to give the average weekly rate of production 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 Index of Industrial Production, Studies in Official Statistics, No. 2 (H.M.S.O. October 1952).
$\left(^{2}\right)$ The figures for 1946 and 1947 are less reliable than those for later years. Some production series now used in the index cannot be extended back to 1946 and alternative and less satisfactory series had to be used. Further, some industries were reverting to the production of peace-time goods in 1946 and 1947, and the change in the output of their finished products used in the index was not always a satisfactory measure of the volume of work done.

## V. FUEL AND POWER

Coal : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 32
Production and consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  | Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Consumption (including exports) |  |  |  | Stocks(1) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Saleable mined coal | Opencast coal | Total | Inland consumption( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Exports ${ }^{(3)}$ | Bunkers ${ }^{(3)}$ | Distributed | Opencast on sites or central stocking grounds ${ }^{4}$ ) | Colliery stocks heln on pitbanks and in trucks |
| 1935 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,262 | 4,262 | - | 4,294 | 3,311 | 743 | 240 | .. | - | 4,460 |
| 1936 | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,369 | 4,369 | - | 4,369 | 3,480 | 660 | 229 | . | - | 4,448 |
| 1937 | ... ... | ... | ... | 4,610 | 4,610 | - | 4,621 | 3,623 | 774 | 224 | . | - | 3,903 |
| 1938 | ... ... | ... | ... | 4,353 | 4,353 | - | 4,298 | 3,409 | 688 | 201 |  | - | 6,767 |
| 1948 | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,006 | 3,780 | 226 | 4,011 | 3,700 | 208 | 103 | 14,567 | 1,200 | 1,404 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 4,126 | 3,887 | 239 | 4,117 | 3,746 | 274 | 97 | 14,708 | 1,087 | 1,533 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | ... | 4,149 | 3,915 | 234 | 4,205 | 3,877 | 251 | 77 | 12,423 | 373 | 1,308 |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | ... | 4,275 4,332 | 4,064 4,099 | 211 | 4,236 | 4,012 | 152 | 72 | 16,115 | 349 | 1,085 |
| 1952 | ... . |  | ... | 4,332 | 4,099 | 233 | 4,271 | 3,981 | 226 | 64 | 16,311 | 3,092 | $1,538$ |
| 1951 | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,507 | 4,264 | 243 | 4,257 | 3,980 | 204 | 73 | 16,806 | 348 | 1,074 |
|  | November | ... |  | 4,557 | 4,379 | 178 | 4,497 | 4,235 | 188 | 74 | 17,157 | 324 | 1,074 1,136 |
|  | December |  |  | 4,272* | 4,096* | 176* | 4,522* | 4,286* | 169* | 67* | 16,115 | 349 | 1,085 |
| 1952 | January ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | ... | ... | 4,337 | 4,154 |  | 4,672 | 4,466 | 138 | 68 | 14,648 | 315 | 1,166 |
|  | February |  | ... | 4,560 | 4,342 | 218 | 4,837 | 4,575 | -194 | 68 | 13,277 | 312 | 1,121 |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,639* | 4,412* |  | 4,585* | 4,324* | 193* | 68* | 13,202 | 446 | $1,240$ |
|  | April | ... | ... | 4,156 | 3,939 | 217 | 4,098 | 3,821 | 209 | 68 | 13,611 | 499 | 1,150 |
|  | May | ... | ... | 4,438 | 4,181 | 257 | 4,005 | 3,687 | 249 | 69 | 14,986 | 745 | 1,311 |
|  | June . |  | $\ldots$ | 4,228 ${ }^{\text {* }}$ | 3,963* | 265* | 3,793* | 3,463* | 264* | 66* | 16,531 | 1,267 | 1,454 |
|  | July . | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 3,765 | 3,483 | 282 | 3,548 | 3,226 | 258 | 64 | 17,703 | 1,685 | 1,259 |
|  | August... | ... | $\ldots$ | 3,736 | 3,486 | 250 | 3,476 | 3,213 | 203 | 60 | 17,767 | 2,122 | 1,500 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,506* | 4,251* | 255* | 4,057* | 3,732* | 262* | 63* | 18,895 | 2,650 | 1,677 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,622 |  | 247 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | ... | $\ldots$ | $4,587$ | $4,371$ | $216$ | $4,721$ | $4,412$ | $248$ | $61$ | $18,882$ | $3,079$ | $1,693$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 4,055* | 3,879* |  | 4,776* | 4,505* | 219* | 52* | 16,311 | 3,092 | $1,538$ |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | ... | 4,630 | 4,408 |  | 4,968 | 4,652 | 255 | 61 |  | 2,887 | 1,405 |
|  | February | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,557 | 4,345 | 212 | 4,916 | 4,599 | 262 | 55 | 13,074 | 2,597 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,405 \\ & 1,264 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,522* | 4,302* | 220* | 4,659* | 4,336* | 269* | 54* | 12,720 | 2,296 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,264 \\ & 1,228 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April . | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,365 | 4,150 | 215 | 4,374 | 4,031 | 281 | 62 | 12,812 | 2,182 | 1,182 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | . | 4,332 | 4,089 | 243 | 4,092 | 3,771 | 264 | 57 | 13,895 | 2,170 | $1,183$ |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,160* | 3,923* | 237* | 3,880* | 3,566* | 256* | 58* | 15,181 | 2,101 | $1,183$ |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 3,376 | 3,141 | 235 | 3,568 | 3,298 | 217 | 53 | 15,815 | 1,895 | 1,012 |
|  | August... | ... | $\ldots$ | 3,637 | 3,419 | 218 | 3,533 | $3,263$ | 218 | 52 | 15,881 | 1,570 | $1,089$ |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 4,424* | 4,187* | 237* | 4,071* | 3,720* | 297* | 54* | 17,783 | 1,266 | $1,154$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 4,598 | 4,370 | 228 | 4,394 | 4,043 | 296 | 55 | 18,797 | 1,120 | 1,109 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ For the years 1935-38 the figures are from the Trade and Navigation Accounts. Those for other years relate to actual shipments made in each year and owing to the time lag between the date of shipment and the notification to H.M. Customs they differ from the figures published in the Trade and Navigation Accounts. Bunkers for fishing vessels proceeding outside territorial waters are included but coastwise bunkers are excluded.
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ Figures include stocks of second quality coal. At the end of October 1953 these amounted to 537,000 tons.
${ }^{(5)}$ To maintain comparability with the corresponding period in earlier years, the week ended 2 February has been omitted in arriving at the weekly averages. Production in that week was 4,285 thousand tons deep mined coal and 172 thousand tons opencast coal. Total consumption (including exports) was 4,912 thousand tons.

- Average of five weeks.

| TABLE 33 |  | Weekly averages |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 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 | $\|$Anthra- <br> cite and <br> boiler fuel |  |  |
| 1938 | ... | 367 | 286 | 253 | 366 |  | .. | . | 88 | . | . | 228 | . |
| 1950 |  | 503 | 632 | 279 | 433 | 162 | 70 | 624 | 97 | 578 | 43 | 206 | 250 |
| 1951 |  | 525 | 679 | 275 | 451 | 157 | 73 | 645 | 102 | 576 | 43 | 203 | 283 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | 534 | 682 | 270 | 482 | 150 | 76 | 607 | 101 | 572 | 41 | 196 | 270 |
| 1952 | October | 536 | 709 | 270 | 491 | 160 | 84 | 633 | 105 | 554 | 43 | 199 | 270 |
| 1952 | November... | 593 | 797 | 274 | 495 | 166 | 102 | 671 | 112 | 651 | 45 | 203 | 303 |
|  | *December... | 623 | 847 | 271 | 498 | 153 | 108 | 659 | 114 | 678 | 44 | 195 | 315 |
| 1953 | January | 638 | 867 | 276 | 498 | 167 | 111 | 677 | 121 | 718 | 48 | 206 | 325 |
|  | February ... | 631 | 829 | 283 | 501 | 166 | 110 | 674 | 115 | 704 | 48 | 204 | 334 |
|  | * March $\ldots$ | 587 | 756 | 276 | 498 | 159 | 97 | 659 | 111 | 646 | 45 | 198 | 304 |
|  | April | 531 | 687 | 263 | 499 | 150 | 81 | 633 | 107 | 570 | 41 | 189 | 280 |
|  | May... | 473 | 625 | 258 | 498 | 142 | 57 | 612 | 93 | 540 | 38 | 184 | 251 |
|  | *June | 441 | 612 | 254 | 495 |  |  | 574 | 89 | 481 | 36 | 178 | 227 |
|  |  | 417 | 563 | 263 | 488 | 105 | 35 | 526 | 70 | 438 | 34 | 148 | 211 |
|  | August ... | 410 | 554 | 252 | 485 | 113 | 38 | 515 | 79 | 408 | 30 | 167 | 212 |
|  | *September... | 454 | 649 | 264 | 492 | 136 | 49 | 595 | 90 | 528 | 38 | 181 | 244 |
|  |  | 516 | 736 | 262 | 502 | 143 | 77 | 671 | 98 | 550 | 41 | 188 | 259 |
|  | November... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 power stations.
${ }^{(4)}$ Including disposals to shops, offices and other establishments, partly or entirely non-residential, with an annual consumption of less than 100 tons of coal and/or coke.
${ }^{(5)}$ Including Service Departments and shipments to Northern Ireland.

* Average of five weeks.

Coal : Distributed stocks
TABLE 34
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 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 2,578 | 4,098 | 92 | 857 | 749 | 589 | 518 | 2.960 | 860 | 194 | 13 |
|  | . | $\ldots$ | 2,705 | 3,038 | 66 | 549 | 723 | 504 | 443 | 2,766 | 1,321 | 122 | 186 |
|  | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 3,004 | 4,881 | 81 | 715 | 896 | 620 | 706 | 3,599 | 1,163 | 96 | 354 |
| 1952 | October | ... | 3,439 | 6,236 | 95 | 858 | 996 | 571 | 753 | 3,465 | 2,079 | 162 | 827 |
|  | November | ... | 3,322 | 5,973 | 94 | 929 | 1,101 | 546 | 689 | 3,305 | 1,946 | 147 | 830 |
|  | December... | $\ldots$ | 2,849 | 5,175 | 86 | 828 | 982 | 516 | 595 | 2,993 | 1,384 | 125 | 778 |
| 1953 |  | $\cdots$ | 2,360 | 4,591 | 83 | 742 |  | 481 | 519 | 2,786 | 802 | 103 | 730 |
|  | February ... | $\ldots$ | 2,094 | 4,349 | 75 | 639 | 1,048 | 454 | 481 | 2,688 | 458 | 96 | 692 |
|  | March | ... | 1,944 | 4,311 | 70 | 541 | 1,239 | 442 | 467 | 2,661 | 282 | 94 | 669 |
|  | April | ... | 1,932 | 4,350 | 73 | 502 | 1,322 | 451 | 475 | 2,628 | 302 | 107 | 670 |
|  | May ... | ... | 2,225 | 4,741 | 74 | 568 | 1,371 | 470 | 512 | 2,749 | 364 | 119 | 702 |
|  | June ... | ... | 2,486 | 5,101 | 78 | 634 | 1,312 | 487 | 584 | 3,008 | 619 | 139 | 733 |
|  | July | $\cdots$ | 2,678 | 5,392 | 84 | 583 | 1,078 |  | 641 | 3,149 | 838 | 136 | 755 |
|  | August | ... | 2,680 | 5,536 | 81 | 478 | 821 | 469 | 672 | 3,182 | 1,059 | 137 | 766 |
|  | September | .. | 2,989 | 6,087 | 82 | 490 | 875 | 494 | 744 | 3,517 | 1,564 | 144 | 797 |
|  | October ... November December |  | 3,184 | 6,259 | 87 | 555 | 964 | 503 | 718 | 3,606 | 1,970 | 145 | 806 |

[^5]Source: Ministry of Fuel and Power

TABLE 35
Weekly averages

|  |  | Number of wage-earners |  |  |  | Average number of shifts worked per wage-earner on colliery books per week |  | Average number of shifts possible per wageearner on colliery books per week | Absenteeism percentage |  | Average output in tons per manshift worked |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | On colliery books |  | Effective employment $\left({ }^{2}\right)\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | At the coal face | Total | At the coal face |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Overall |  |  |  | At the coal face | Overall |  | At the coal face | Overall | At the coal face |
|  |  | Thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4.90 | .. | 5. 22 | 6.05 |  | $1 \cdot 17$ |  |
| 1936 |  | 756 | .. | .. |  | 5.00 | $\ldots$ | 5. 34 | 6.29 | .. | 1.18 | 3.02 3.06 |
| 1937 |  | 778 |  | .. |  | $5 \cdot 18$ | . | 5. 58 | 7.08 | . | 1.17 | 3.00 |
| 1938 | ... ... | 782 | . | .. |  | 4.96 |  | $5 \cdot 30$ | 6.44 | .. | $1 \cdot 14$ | 3.00 |
| 1948 |  | 724 | 293 | 661 | 265 | 4.70 | 4.40 | 5.32 | 11.64 | 14.27 | $1 \cdot 11$ | 2.92 |
| 1949 |  | 720 | 296 | 646 | 264 | 4.67 | 4.36 | 5.33 | 12.34 | 14.94 | 1.16 | 3.02 |
| 1950 | ... ... | 697 | 288 | 626 | 257 | 4.72 | 4.38 | 5.36 | 11.96 | 14.51 | $1 \cdot 19$ | 3.11 |
| 1951 |  | 699 | 287 | 629 | 257 | 4.81 | 4.46 | 5.47 | $12 \cdot 15$ | 14.75 | 1.21 | $3 \cdot 17$ |
| 1952 | ... ... | 716 | 294 | 647 | 264 | $4 \cdot 78$ | 4.41 | $5 \cdot 43$ | 12.10 | 14.87 | $1 \cdot 19$ | $3 \cdot 15$ |
| 1951 |  |  |  | 639 | 262 | 5.05 | 4.67 | 5.75 | 12.29 | 15.11 | $1 \cdot 22$ |  |
| 1 | November | 695 | 286 | 643 | 264 | $5 \cdot 13$ | 4.76 | 5.80 | 11.53 | 14.07 | 1.23 | $3 \cdot 22$ |
|  | *December |  | 286 | 643 | 262 | 4.85 | 4.49 | $5 \cdot 47$ | $11 \cdot 35$ | 14.11 | 1.21 |  |
| 1952 | January ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 702 | 287 | 650 | 265 | 4.92 | 4. 55 | $5 \cdot 63$ | 12.49 | 15.22 | $1 \cdot 20$ | $3 \cdot 18$ |
|  | February... | 708 | 288 | 653 | 266 | $5 \cdot 07$ | 4.71 | $5 \cdot 78$ | 12.28 | 14.81 | 1.21 | $3 \cdot 20$ |
|  | *March ... | 710 | 290 | 658 | 268 | $5 \cdot 10$ | $4 \cdot 73$ | $5 \cdot 79$ | 11.85 | 14.59 | 1.22 | $3 \cdot 22$ |
|  | April ... | 714 | 291 | 661 | 267 | 4.67 | $4 \cdot 30$ | $5 \cdot 28$ | 11.52 | 14.51 | $1 \cdot 18$ | $3 \cdot 15$ |
|  | May ... | 716 | 292 | 666 | 270 | 4.93 | 4.55 | 5.49 | 10.21 | 12.71 | 1.18 | 3.15 |
|  | *June ... | 718 | 294 | 659 | 269 | $4 \cdot 70$ | $4 \cdot 34$ | $5 \cdot 28$ | 10.91 | 13.67 |  |  |
|  | July ... | 719 | 295 | 568 | 229 | $4 \cdot 17$ | 3.77 | 4.76 | 12.50 | 15.80 | $1 \cdot 16$ | $3 \cdot 13$ |
|  | August ... | 720 | 296 | 596 | 242 | $4 \cdot 23$ | 3.86 | 4.90 | 13.71 | 16.65 | $1 \cdot 15$ | 3.05 |
|  | *September | 720 | 296 | 657 | 270 | 4.93 | $4 \cdot 58$ | $5 \cdot 64$ | 12.68 | $15 \cdot 30$ | $1 \cdot 20$ | $3 \cdot 13$ |
|  | October ... | 719 | 297 | 662 | 273 | 5.02 | 4.65 | $5 \cdot 72$ | 12.26 | 15.01 | $1 \cdot 21$ | $3 \cdot 16$ |
|  | November | 719 | 298 | 665 | 275 | 5.03 | 4.66 | $5 \cdot 71$ | 11.89 | 14.48 | 1.21 | $3 \cdot 15$ |
|  | *December | 720 | 299 | 660 | 273 | $4 \cdot 53$ | $4 \cdot 18$ | $5 \cdot 21$ | 13.05 | 15.94 | $1 \cdot 19$ | $3 \cdot 11$ |
| 1953 | January ... | 722 | 299 | 656 | 271 | 5.02 | 4.68 | 5.73 | 12.45 | 14.60 | $1 \cdot 22$ | $3 \cdot 15$ |
|  | February... | 721 | 300 | 647 | 268 | 4.91 | 4.56 | $5 \cdot 72$ | 14.19 | 16.82 | 1.23 | $3 \cdot 18$ |
|  | *March ... | 720 | 300 | 651 | 270 | $4 \cdot 88$ | $4 \cdot 52$ | $5 \cdot 63$ | 13.26 | 16.09 | 1.22 | $3 \cdot 17$ |
|  | April ... | 721 | 301 | 657 | 272 | 4.72 | $4 \cdot 36$ | $5 \cdot 38$ | 12.28 | 15.16 | 1.22 | $3 \cdot 17$ |
|  | May ... | 721 | 301 | 658 | 273 | 4.70 | 4.33 | $5 \cdot 33$ | 11.67 | 14.62 | 1.20 | 3.14 |
|  | *June ... | 720 | 301 | 635 | 263 | 4.57 | $4 \cdot 19$ | $5 \cdot 20$ | 12.01 | 15.01 | $1 \cdot 19$ | $3 \cdot 11$ |
|  | July | 719 | 301 | 496 | 200 | 3.76 | $3 \cdot 34$ | $4 \cdot 24$ | 11.49 | 14.55 | 1.16 | $3 \cdot 12$ |
|  | August ... | 717 | 301 | 558 | 231 | $4 \cdot 12$ | 3.75 | 4.69 | 12.26 | 14.90 | $1 \cdot 16$ | 3.03 |
|  | *September | 714 | 300 | 634 | 265 | $4 \cdot 87$ | 4.49 | $5 \cdot 57$ | 12.54 | 15.36 | $1 \cdot 21$ | $3 \cdot 11$ |
|  |  | 711 | 299 | 647 | 271 | $5 \cdot 00$ | 4.60 | 5.72 | 12.56 | $15 \cdot 56$ | 1. 23 | $3 \cdot 18$ |
|  | November December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ For details of effective changes in coverage before 1948, reference should be made to the Ministry of Fuel and Power Statistical Digest, 1951 (H.M.S.O., October 1952).
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding those wage-earners who were absent for the whole of any week from whatever cause.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Excluding from January 1953 wage-earners employed at mines not operated by the National Coal Board. These number approximately 6,000 .
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ to Table 32.

* Average of five weeks.

Intake and outflow of manpower in the coal-mining industry $\left({ }^{1}\right)$

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures relate to wage-earners on colliery books.
(2) Due to disciplinary action.
${ }^{(3)} 53$ weeks.
(©) 14 weeks.

Coke: Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 37
Production and consumption : weekly averages Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  | Production( $\left.{ }^{\mathbf{1}}\right)^{(2)}$ |  |  | Consumption ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |  | Stocks ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | At coke ovens | At gas works | Total | Inland consumption ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Overseas shipments $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Total | At coke ovens | At blast furnaces | At gasworks |
|  |  |  |  | Total |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Blast } \\ \text { furnaces } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  | 426 | 230 | 196 | 426 | 379 | 136 | 47 | . | . |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  | ... | 472 | 264 | 208 | 472 | 428 | 165 | 44 |  | $\ldots$ | . | $\cdots$ |
|  |  |  | ... | 499 | 287 | 212 | 499 | 452 | 185 | 47 |  |  | $\cdots$ |  |
|  | ... ... | ... | ... | 449 | 246 | 203 | 449 | 411 | 146 | 38 |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 503 | 295 | 208 | 490 | 474 | 192 | 16 | 2,521 | 132 | 262 | 752 |
|  | ... ... | $\cdots$ | ... | 517 | 297 | 220 | 515 | 486 | 192 | 29 | 2,605 | 290 | 234 | 973 |
|  | ... ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 523 | 296 | 227 | 545 | 512 | 190 | 33 | 1,505 | 132 | 187 | 439 |
|  | ... ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 545 | 308 | 237 | 536 | 530 | 198 | 6 | 2,016 | 81 | 187 | 438 |
|  | ... . |  | $\cdots$ | 568 | 327 | 241 | 551 | 533 | 217 | 18 | 2,908 | 173 | 272 | 1,155 |
| 1951 | October |  |  | 542 | 314 | 228 | 511 | 509 | 202 | 2 | 2,064 |  | 220 | 395 |
|  | November |  |  | 570 | 318 | 252 | 570 | 567 | 208 | 3 | 2,069 | 80 | 212 | 420 |
|  |  |  |  | 590* | 322* | 268* | 600* | 599* | 212* |  | 2,016 |  | 187 | 438 |
| 1952 | January ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 608 | 325 | 283 | 624 | 616 | 213 | 8 | 1,943 |  |  |  |
|  | February |  | ... | 612 | 325 | 287 | 659 | 644 | 211 | 15 | 1,714 | 67 | 184 | 334 |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  | 267* | 608* | 589* | 214* |  |  |  |  | 351 |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 559 | 325 | 234 | 520 | 504 | 215 | 16 | 1,778 |  |  |  |
|  | May | ... | $\ldots$ | 542 | 325 | 217 | 464 | 449 | 214 | 15 | 2,091 | 81 | 212 | 666 |
|  | June | ... | ... | 523* | 323* | 200* | 446* | 424* | 215* | 22* | 2,477 | 93 |  |  |
|  | July | ... | $\ldots$ | 513 | 322 | 191 | 436 | 419 | 216 | 17 | 2,785 | 102 | 285 | 1,002 |
|  | August... | ... | ... | 516 | 323 | 193 | 432 | 410 | 220 | 22 | 3,124 | 127 | 296 | 1,146 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 544* | 328* | 216* | 506* | 489* | 222* | 17* | 3,315 | 151 | 303 | 1,242 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 573 | 332 | 241 | 575 | 551 | 217 | 24 | 3,303 | 161 | 303 | 1,251 |
|  | November | ... | ... | 604 | 334 | 270 | 636 | 616 | 220 | 20 | 3,180 | 178 | 300 | 1,245 |
|  | December | ... | $\ldots$ | 616* | 337* | 279* | 672* | 651* | 223* | 21* | 2,908 | 173 | 272 | 1,155 |
| 1953 |  | ... | ... | 625 | 337 | 288 | 696 | 664 | 230 | 32 | 2,609 | 148 | 242 | 1,019 |
|  | February | ... | ... | 625 | 338 | 287 | 693 | 673 | 229 | 20 | 2,334 | 143 | 221 | 881 |
|  |  | ... | ... | 601* | 335* | 266* | 640* | 628* | 231** | 12* | 2,140 | 145 | 200 | 812 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 169 | 222 | 849 |
|  | May ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 550 | 336 | 214 | 485 | 471 | 227 | 14 | 2,450 | 206 | 249 | 1,003 |
|  | June ... |  | ... | 534* | 334* | 200* | 460* | 440* | 224* | 20* | 2,818 | 289 | 276 | 1,137 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 519 | 329 | 190 | 445 | 429 | 216 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 513 | 328 | 185 | 444 | 423 | 220 | 21 | 3,391 | 449 | 286 | 1,291 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 536* | 332* | 204* | 488* | 470* | 223* | 18* | 3,632 | 509 | 288 | 1,355 |
|  | October <br> November | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 570 | 339 | 231 |  |  | 230 | 21 |  | 533 | 279 | 1,331 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Pre-war figures include coke used for heating retorts at gas works.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ For the years 1935-38 the figures are from the Trade and Navigation Accounts. Those for other years relate to actual shipments made in each year and owing to the time lag between the date of shipment and the notification to H.M. Customs they differ from the figures published in the Trade and Navigation Accounts. Coke breeze is included in the figures for pre-war years, but excluded for later years.
${ }^{5}{ }^{5}$ ) To maintain comparability with the corresponding period in earlier years, the week ended 2 February has been omitted in arriving at the weekly averages. Production in that week at coke ovens amounted to 325 thousand tons and at gas works to 295 thousand tons. Total consumption (including exports) was 668 thousand tons.

- Average of five weeks.


## Gas: Production( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 38
Weekly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ ) 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.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Figures from January 1949 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.
( ${ }^{4}$ ) To maintain comparability with the corresponding period in earlier years, the week ended 3 February has been omitted in arriving at the weekly averages. In that week 646 thousand tons of coal and 16.85 thousand tons of oil were used for gas making; the total gas available was 66.9 million therms ( 13.93 thousand million cubic feet).

* Average of five weeks.

Electricity : Generation $\left({ }^{1}\right)$
TABLE 39

| Fuel used |  |  | Electricity generated |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l} \text { Electricity } \\ \text { sent } \\ \text { out } \end{array}$ | Simultaneous maximum load | Installed capacity (maximum rating) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Coal( ${ }^{(2)}$ | Coke( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Oil | Total | By steam plant coal, coke and/or oil firing) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { By } \\ & \text { water } \\ & \text { power } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { By } \\ \text { other } \\ \text { methods } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | During period | At end of period |
| Thousand tons |  |  | Million kilowatt hours |  |  |  |  | Megawatts |  |


| 1935 1936 1937 1938 | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots \\ \cdots & \ldots \\ \cdots & \ldots \\ \cdots & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 940 1,054 1,153 1,167 | 14 13 17 15 | 2 2 2 2 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,464 \\ & 1,685 \\ & 1,908 \\ & 2,031 \end{aligned}$ | 1,396 1,613 1,823 1,934 | 52 55 63 82 | 16 17 22 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,416 \\ & 1,672 \\ & 1,836 \\ & 1,924 \end{aligned}$ | 5,175 5,202 6,350 7,173 | 8,065 8,408 8,808 9,365 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1948 | ... | $\ldots$ | 2,304 | 34 | 4 | 3,835 | 3,751 | 73 | 11 | 3,617 | 10,250 |  |
| 1949 | ... | $\ldots$ | 2,400 | 63 | 4 | 4,050 | 3,978 | 60 | 12 | 3,818 | 10,961 | 13,101 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | 2,643 | 73 | 6 | 4,543 | 4,443 | 86 | 14 | 4,289 | 11,708 |  |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | 2,849 | 64 | 7 | 4,964 | 4,855 | 95 | 14 | 4,682 | 12,781 | 16,000 |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | 2,872 | 70 | 5 | 5,166 | 5,047 | 106 | 13 | 4,867 | 13,865 | 17,740 |
| 1951 | October | ... | 3,025 | 60 | 6 | 5,259 | 5,173 | 73 | 13 | 4,957 | 11,270 |  |
|  | November | ... | 3,099 | 60 | 6 | 5,459 | 5,309 | 136 | 14 | 5,151 | 12,315 | 15,524 15,694 |
|  | December | ... | 3,175 | 61 | 7 | 5,726 | 5,505 | 206 | 15 | 5,409 | 12,779 | 16,249 |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March ... | ... | 3,554 | 75 | 8 |  | 6,111 | 190 | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 16 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,973 \\ & 5,431 \\ & 5,196 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,950 \\ & 12,872 \\ & 11,966 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,268 \\ & 16,272 \\ & 16,416 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | 3,230 | 72 | 8 | 5,752 | 5,618 | 118 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 3,023 | 74 | 6 |  | 5,361 | 134 |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\ldots$ | 2,645 | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \\ & 67 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | 545 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,775 \\ & 4,584 \\ & 4,127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,676 \\ & 4,503 \\ & 4,058 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 71 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 10 \\ & 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,496 \\ & 4,309 \\ & 3,877 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,698 \\ 10,222 \\ 9,488 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,464 \\ & 16,532 \\ & 16,553 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | 2,543 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 2,320 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August ... <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,294 \\ & 2,191 \\ & 2,688 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 59 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | 445 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,108 \\ & 4,001 \\ & 4,815 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,034 \\ & 3,908 \\ & 4,718 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 82 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 11 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,855 \\ & 3,755 \\ & 4,530 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,187 \\ 9,440 \\ 11,136 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,661 \\ & 16,995 \\ & 16,916 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | 3,058 | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 85 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 6 \\ & 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,526 \\ & 5,947 \\ & 6,525 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,403 \\ & 5,788 \\ & 6,383 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 145 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 14 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,208 \\ & 5,611 \\ & 6,157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,030 \\ & 13,533 \\ & 13,865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,995 \\ & 17,167 \\ & 17,740 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 3,280 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 3,660 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March .. | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,699 \\ & 3,166 \\ & 3,262 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 87 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 8 \\ 6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,609 \\ & 5,802 \\ & 5,992 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,480 \\ & 5,677 \\ & 5,891 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 111 \\ 110 \\ 86 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 15 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,233 \\ & 5,472 \\ & 5,642 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,858 \\ & 13,699 \\ & 13,100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,745 \\ & 17,797 \\ & 17,788 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJuneU | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,839 \\ & 2,642 \\ & 2,544 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 65 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 5 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,269 \\ & 4,856 \\ & 4,626 \end{aligned}$ | 5,180 | 77 | 12 | 4,958 | 11,942 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4,770 | 75 | 11 | 4,560 | 11,141 | 17,741 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4,552 | 62 | 12 | 4,343 | 10,811 | 18,036 |
|  | July <br> August... <br> September |  | 2,441 | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 7 \\ & 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,489 \\ & 4,391 \\ & 5,018 \end{aligned}$ |  | 74 | 12 | 4,210 | 9,977 |  |
|  |  |  | 2,369 |  |  |  | 4,300 | 79 | 12 | 4,118 | 10,237 | 18,073 |
|  |  | ... | 2,717 |  |  |  | 4,890 | 116 | 12 |  | 11,003 | 18,460 |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | 3,131 | 73 | 10 | 5,828 | 5,686 | 128 | 14 | 5,483 | 12,916 | 18,594 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. Excluding railway and transport generating stations, and from January 1948 the Lochaber Power Company.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding coal consumed for production of steam for sale, which amounted to 132,000 tons in 1951 and 127,000 tons in 1952.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including coke breeze.

${ }^{(1)}$ The iron content of home produced iron ore is about 28 per cent.
(2) Including imports (and material for manufacture of drop forgings) but excluding deliveries of all material for intra-industry conversion.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Based on exports as shown in the Trade and Navigation Accounts. Figures are included in total net deliveries
${ }^{(4)}$ Excluding consumption of refined and cylinder iron made otherwise than in blast furnaces.
${ }^{(5)}$ At steel works and blast furnaces and ironworks and iron foundries.
(6) At steel works and steel foundries.
(?) Stocks held at producers' works and in transit in the United Kingdom, but excluding stocks held by consumers and merchants.

- Average of five weeks.

Finished steel : Production

|  |  |  | Heavy rails, sleepers, etc. | Heavy and medium plates $\left.\left.{ }^{1}\right)^{2}\right)$ | Other heavy steel products $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ | Hot rolled strip | Wire rods ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Other light rolled products | Cold rolled strip | Sheets, coated and uncoated $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Tin, terne and blackplate | Tubes ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Wire ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Tyres, wheels and axles | Steel castings |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1935 |  |  | 7.8 | 21.2 | .. | .. | 8.2 | .. | $1 \cdot 8$ | 21.1 | 13.6 | 13.8 | $8 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 0$ |  |
| 1936 |  |  | 9.8 | 27.5 |  |  | 10.1 |  | $2 \cdot 2$ | 22.4 | 15.7 |  |  | $3 \cdot 1$ | 2.28 2.8 |
| 1937 |  |  | 9.9 | 31.2 | 38.7 | 12.7 | 11.8 | 29.1 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 24.5 | 18.5 | $14.6{ }^{5}$ | $11.5{ }^{5}$ | 3.0 | 2.86 3.360 |
| 1938 | . | ... | 9.4 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 29.7 | $9 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 8$ | 1.4 | 15.7 | 11.8 | $12 \cdot 8(5)$ | $9.6(5)$ | 3.0 | 2.7 (5) |
| 1948 |  |  | 9.3 | 36.6 | 34.8 | 14.6 | 14.1 | 46.8 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | 14.1 | 15.5 | 13.0 | 4.6 |  |
| 1949 |  | $\ldots$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | 39.4 | 38.0 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 15.7 | 49.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 28.1 | 14.3 | 19.0 | 15.1 | 4.7 | 4.5 |
| 1950 |  |  | 11.8 | $40 \cdot 2$ | $40 \cdot 9$ | 19.5 | 16.5 | 51.1 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 30.9 | 14.6 | $20 \cdot 5$ | 15.8 | 4.2 | 4.5 4.6 |
| 1951 |  |  | $10 \cdot 3$ | 41.2 | 39.7 | 19.7 | 16.1 | 51.5 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 7$ | 14.4 | 21.2 | 15.4 | 4.3 | 4.6 5.2 |
| 1952 | ... |  | $10 \cdot 4$ | $42 \cdot 7$ | $39 \cdot 8$ | 19.3 | 16.2 | $50 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 31.9 | $17 \cdot 1$ | 21.4 | 16.0 | $4 \cdot 5$ | 5.2 5.8 |
| 1951 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July ... } \\ & \text { *August } \\ & \text { September } \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 8.5 \\ 8.6 \\ 10.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.0 \\ & 37.1 \\ & 43.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 35.7 \\ & 41.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 \\ & 17.3 \\ & 20 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 40 \cdot 6 \\ & 52 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.8 \\ & 5.1 \\ & 7.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \\ & 32 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.3 \\ & 11.3 \\ & 14.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 2 \\ & 15 \cdot 6 \\ & 22 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.3 \\ & 12.1 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.0 \\ & 3.6 \\ & 5.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.9 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *October November December | $\ldots$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 43.9 | 39.6 | 19.8 | 16.5 | 52.1 | 7.0 | $32 \cdot 5$ | 15.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $10 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 39.2 | 19.7 | 16.7 | $53 \cdot 3$ | 7.5 | $30 \cdot 4$ | 15.3 | 22.1 | 16.9 | 4.5 | 5.5 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 9$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 12.9 | $47 \cdot 1$ | 6.0 | 28.0 | 14.4 | 22.8 |  | 3.5 | $5 \cdot 5$ |
| 1952 | *January February March ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.8 \\ 11.4 \\ 9.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 0 \\ & 42 \cdot 3 \\ & 39 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.8 \\ & 19.9 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 15.8 \\ & 16.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 7 \\ & 50 \cdot 6 \\ & 49 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.2 \\ & 6.9 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \\ & 34 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 16.9 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 0 \\ & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 22.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.4 \\ & 16.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.7 \\ & 4.5 \\ & 4.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.0 \\ & 6.0 \\ & 6.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *April May June | $\ldots$ | 10.1 | 42.1 | 40.8 | 18.4 | 15.5 | 50.1 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 31.5 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 10.5 | $42 \cdot 6$ | 41.8 | 20.4 | 17.0 | 50.9 | 7.1 | 32.1 | 17.5 | 23.8 | 18.1 | 4.9 | 6.0 |
|  |  | ... | 11.4 | $43 \cdot 1$ | 39.6 | 19.7 | 16.5 | 51.1 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 31.9 | 16.6 | 22.1 | 16.7 | 4.6 | 6.0 |
|  | *July August ... September | ... | 8.9 | $36 \cdot 3$ | 28.0 | 16.5 | 12.0 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 6.0 | 31.5 | 16.9 | 18.6 | 13.0 |  |  |
|  |  | ... | $10 \cdot 4$ | $36 \cdot 8$ | 39.4 | $15 \cdot 7$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 25.7 | 12.9 | 16.4 | 14.8 | 3.9 | 5.3 |
|  |  | ... | $10 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | 43.9 | 21.7 | 18.9 | 58.1 | 7-2 | $34 \cdot 4$ | 18.1 | 24.4 | 19.2 | 4.9 | 5.3 |
|  | *October <br> November <br> *December |  | 10.9 | $46 \cdot 8$ | 42.9 | 22.2 | 18.2 | 55.8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 11.6 | $48 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | 21.4 | 18.0 | $56 \cdot 7$ | 6.4 | 34.9 | 19.8 | 24.1 | 17.4 | 4.9 $5 \cdot 3$ | 6.8 |
|  |  | .. | 9.5 | $45 \cdot 6$ | 38.0 | 19.0 | $15 \cdot 3$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 21.8 | 14.5 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 2$ |
| 1953 | January February *March .. | ... | 11.1 | $48 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 18.7 | 59.9 | $6 \cdot 7$ | $35 \cdot 4$ | 18.4 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 11.0 | $48 \cdot 4$ | $45 \cdot 9$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | 17.9 | 59.1 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 34.3 | 18.4 15.9 | 21.9 23.8 | 16.5 15.9 | 4.8 $5 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 3$ 6.3 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $11 \cdot 1$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | 44.4 | 20.7 | 16.9 | 58.8 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | 20.6 | 14.8 | 5.0 | 6.3 |
|  | April May <br> *June | $\ldots$ | 11.5 | $48 \cdot 8$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | 19.9 | 16.4 | 57.7 | 4.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 11.2 | $52 \cdot 3$ | 44.9 | 16.1 | $16 \cdot 0$ | 58.2 | 5.2 | 32.2 | 14.6 13.3 | 21.8 21.9 | 14.9 | 5.3 | 6.3 5.8 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 11.4 | 49.3 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 18.4 | 14.1 | $52 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 34.7 | 12.6 | 20.9 | 13.4 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 6$ |
|  | July <br> August <br> September |  | 8.3 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | 9.9 | 15.1 | $42 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | 29.3 | $12 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | 29.3 | 38.7 | 14.5 | 13.4 | $46 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 27.4 | $10 \cdot 0$ | 17.4 | 11.8 | 3.8 | 4.4 |

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

* Average of five weeks.

Non-ferrous metals : Production and consumption
TABLE 42
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

${ }^{1}$ ) Including the pure content of virgin alloys.
${ }^{(2)}$ Excluding virgin content used in the production of secondary metal.
Source : Ministry of Supply
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Primary metal and remelt alloys.
${ }^{4}$ (5) Including residues refined on toll and re-exported
${ }^{(5)}$ Primary and secondary.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$For the period 1935-38, production from imported and domestic ores. For subsequent years, lead reclaimed from secondary and scrap material, and lead refined from domestic ores.
$\left.{ }^{(7}\right)$ Primary and secondary alloy ingots and primary metal not used in the production of alloys.
${ }^{(8)}$ Including re-exports on toll transactions.

Non-ferrous metals: Consumption and stocks
TABLE 43
Consumption : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Consumption |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Stocks |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Copper ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Zinc ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | Lead ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Virgin copper $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Virgin zinc $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Zinc concentrates $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ | Refined lead ${ }^{(2}$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Virgin } \\ & \operatorname{tin}\left({ }^{2}\right) \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | Refined |  | Scrap$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | Concentrates $\left(^{3}\right)\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | Virgin | Scrap <br> ${ }^{(4)}$ | Imported refined ${ }^{6}$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Scrap } \\ & \left({ }^{4}\right)\left({ }^{7}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Virgin | Seconddary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 |  | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 0 \\ & 21.5 \\ & 25.1 \\ & 21.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 10.5 \\ & 13.4 \\ & 13.2 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 17.6 \\ & 18.1 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 29 \cdot 5 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | $\square$ <br> $\cdots$ | $17 \cdot 3$ |
| 1936 |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1937 |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 27 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 14.8 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14.0 \\ & 12.1 \\ & 13.6 \\ & 14.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.6 \\ & 16.6 \\ & 19.7 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.3 \\ & 7.3 \\ & 7.6 \\ & 7.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 \\ & 13.1 \\ & 13.6 \\ & 13.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 14.3 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \cdot 7 \\ & 129 \cdot 7 \\ & 104 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 7 \\ & 61 \cdot 6 \\ & 36 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 65 \cdot 6 \\ & 88 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 0 \\ & 51 \cdot 4 \\ & 62 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.8 \\ & 16.8 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 |  | ... | $27 \cdot 5$ | 18.6 |  |  |  |  |  | 14.9 | 113.4 | $37 \cdot 5$ | $73 \cdot 0$ | 74.0 | $8 \cdot 0$ |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | 29.0 | 6.2 | 12.4 | 12.8 | 14.3 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $15 \cdot 8$ | $132 \cdot 0$ | 166.1 | 105.0 | 23.1 | $4 \cdot 2$ |
| 1951 | July | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 21 \cdot 8 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 19.714.5 |  | 14.313.0 | 15.213.117.8 | $7 \cdot 4$$6 \cdot 1$$7 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.0 \\ & 13.2 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.1 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.3 \\ & 126.7 \\ & 132.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 5 \\ & 37 \cdot 1 \\ & 35 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 5 \\ & 60 \cdot 1 \\ & 69 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 0 \\ & 44 \cdot 0 \\ & 43 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $4 \cdot 2$3.9 |
|  | August ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | $\ldots$ |  |  |  | $17 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 3$ |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 8 \\ & 31 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.0 \\ & 19.3 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3 \\ & 11.6 \\ & 14.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.5 \\ & 17 \cdot 2 \\ & 16.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.7 \\ & 7.8 \\ & 7.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.6 \\ 11.3 \\ 9.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 17.4 \\ & 13.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122.8 \\ & 119.4 \\ & 113.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 7 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \\ & 37 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \cdot 9 \\ & 64 \cdot 9 \\ & 73 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 3 \\ & 56 \cdot 7 \\ & 74 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.4 \\ & 7.0 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | November | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 6 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.6 \\ & 6.2 \\ & 5.2 \end{aligned}$ | 12.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 11.5 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.8 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.4 \\ & 7.7 \\ & 8.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.8 \\ 8.9 \\ 8.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.1 \\ & 16.2 \\ & 16.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106.9 \\ & 103.1 \\ & 103.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 5 \\ & 47 \cdot 1 \\ & 53 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 5 \\ & 78 \cdot 0 \\ & 75 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 89.8104.2110.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 9.4 \\ & 8.9 \\ & 7 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February |  |  |  | 11.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March .. | ... |  |  | $17 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 33 \cdot 4 \\ & 30 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.9 \\ & 5.0 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 13.6 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 12.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 0 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 0 \\ & 5 \cdot 6 \\ & 5 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 18.5 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \cdot 9 \\ & 114 \cdot 1 \\ & 106 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \cdot 9 \\ & 79 \cdot 4 \\ & 87 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 0 \\ & 62 \cdot 2 \\ & 68 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.3 \\ & 120.3 \\ & 121.6 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 7$$5 \cdot 4$4.2 |
|  | May | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 1 \\ & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $4 \cdot 9$$4 \cdot 2$$7 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.8 \\ 9.6 \\ 12.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.5 \\ & 10.7 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 10.8 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.2 \\ & 5.7 \\ & 6.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \cdot 0 \\ 5.9 \\ 7.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \cdot 7 \\ & 12 \cdot 7 \\ & 17 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \cdot 6 \\ & 121 \cdot 2 \\ & 121 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111.2 \\ & 124.4 \\ & 133.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 9 \\ & 68 \cdot 9 \\ & 88 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.3 \\ & 116.5 \\ & 109.3 \end{aligned}$ | 4.84.54.0 |
|  | August ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 21 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 0 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3 \\ & 12.3 \\ & 11.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3 \\ & 11.4 \\ & 10.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 11.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 7 \\ & 6 \cdot 8 \\ & 6 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.3 \\ 13.3 \\ 11.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.6 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 13.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119.1 \\ & 126.4 \\ & 132.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 142.6 \\ & 152.1 \\ & 166.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 90.5 \\ 100.4 \\ 105.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 6 \\ & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 23 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.7 \\ & 3.7 \\ & 4.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | November | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 9 \\ & 21.4 \\ & 20 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.9 \\ & 5.8 \\ & 6.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.0 \\ & 10.4 \\ & 12.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.6 \\ & 6.4 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 14.4 \\ & 15.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.8 \\ & 5.6 \\ & 6.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.5 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 11.1 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 135.2 \\ & 146.9 \\ & 149.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 6 \\ & 20 \cdot 4 \\ & 23 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \cdot 3 \\ & 64 \cdot 6 \\ & 56 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.5 \\ & 16.5 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.9 \\ & 3.9 \\ & 2.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March . | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.1 \\ & 14.8 \\ & 15.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 6 \\ & 6 \cdot 1 \\ & 5 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.0 \\ & 12.0 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.1 \\ & 6.6 \\ & 6.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.2 \\ & 13.9 \\ & 13.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.3 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 12.6 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165.4 \\ & 182.5 \\ & 185.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 8 \\ & 34 \cdot 1 \\ & 31 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 8 \\ & 56 \cdot 5 \\ & 55 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 1 \\ & 29 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.3 \\ & 3.6 \\ & 3.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | ... | 14.7 | 4.8 | 11.3 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 13.1 | 6.1 | $12 \cdot 3$ | 11.2 | 198.6 | $34 \cdot 6$ | 54.5 | $25 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |
|  | August ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 29.4 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 4.7 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 7 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 19.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.0 \\ & 7.0 \end{aligned}$ |  | 9.3 | 27.4 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $55 \cdot 7$ | 28.3 | 3.5 |
|  | September | ... |  |  | $14.1$ |  |  |  | 13.4 | 31.9 | 28.0 | $49 \cdot 6$ | 22.9 | 3.5 3.3 |  |

[^6]Softwood and pitwood : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 44
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period

|  |  | Softwood ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  | Pitwood |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Production | Consumption |  |  | Stocks |  |  | Production |  |  |
|  |  | Total | Imported | Home grown | Total | Imported ( ${ }^{(2)}$ | Home grown | Total | Sawn | Round |
|  |  | Thousand standards( ${ }^{(3)}$ | Thousand standards ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |  |
| 1948 |  |  | $5 \cdot 42$ | 92.56 | $87 \cdot 19$ | $5 \cdot 37$ | $466 \cdot 2$ | $457 \cdot 4$ | 8.75 | $16 \cdot 26$ | 8.56 | $7 \cdot 70$ |
| 1948 |  | 5.39 | 95.80 | $90 \cdot 55$ | $5 \cdot 25$ | 415.5 | $407 \cdot 1\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | 8.47 | $16 \cdot 12$ | 8.78 | $7 \cdot 34$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | 4.43 | 85.88 | 81.11 | 4.77 | 216.8 723.6 | 212.3 | 4.51 | 14.75 13.45 | 8.71 | 6.04 |
| 1951 | ... | $3 \cdot 89$ | 95.16 | 91.32 | 3.84 3.07 | 715.6 615.6 | 609.2 | 5.43 6.43 | 20.46 | $12 \cdot 15$ | 8.31 |
| 1952 | ... | $3 \cdot 19$ | 91.09 | 88.02 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | July | 4.28 | 105.40 | $101 \cdot 12$ | $4 \cdot 28$ | 318.6 | 314.0 | 4.57 | 13.81 | $7 \cdot 79$ | 6.02 |
|  | August ... | $4 \cdot 16$ | 103.61 | 99.46 | $4 \cdot 16$ | $402 \cdot 9$ | 398.3 | $4 \cdot 57$ | 13.86 | $8 \cdot 20$ | $5 \cdot 66$ |
|  | September | 3.95 | 96.79 | 93.43 | $3 \cdot 37$ | $504 \cdot 7$ | $499 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 15$ | 14.68 | $8 \cdot 56$ | 6.12 |
|  | October ... | 3.95 | 103.80 | 99.86 | 3.95 | 618.5 | 613.3 | $5 \cdot 15$ | 15.55 | $9 \cdot 64$ | 5.91 |
|  | November | 3.47 | 101.06 | 97.59 | $3 \cdot 47$ | $676 \cdot 0$ | $670 \cdot 9$ | 5.15 | 14.78 | 9.49 8.79 | 5.29 |
|  | December | $3 \cdot 18$ | 84.77 | 81.50 | $3 \cdot 28$ | $723 \cdot 6$ | 718.5 | $5 \cdot 05$ | 13.91 |  |  |
| 1952 | January ... | 2.72 | 92.79 | 90.08 | $2 \cdot 72$ | 734.2 | 729.2 | 5.05 | 15.27 | 10.09 | $5 \cdot 18$ |
|  | February ... | 3.23 | 96.05 | 92.82 | $3 \cdot 23$ | 699.8 | 694.8 | 5.05 | 17.57 | 11.08 | 6.49 |
|  | March ... | $3 \cdot 60$ | 89.75 | 86.00 | $3 \cdot 75$ | $669 \cdot 0$ | $664 \cdot 1$ | 4.89 | 19.42 | 11.86 | $7 \cdot 56$ |
|  |  | $3 \cdot 64$ | 78.88 | 75.24 | $3 \cdot 64$ | $646 \cdot 0$ | $641 \cdot 1$ | 4.89 | $20 \cdot 33$ | 12.44 | 7.89 |
|  | May ... | 3.83 | 93.24 | 89.41 | $3 \cdot 83$ | $648 \cdot 2$ | $643 \cdot 3$ | 4.89 | 23.60 | 13.90 | 9.70 |
|  | June | $3 \cdot 28$ | 88.95 | 86.43 | $2 \cdot 52$ | 657.0 | $651 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 65$ | 22.65 | 13.18 | $9 \cdot 47$ |
|  | July | $2 \cdot 87$ | 94.00 | $91 \cdot 13$ | 2.87 | 676.9 | $671 \cdot 2$ | 5.65 | 22.78 | $13 \cdot 12$ | 9.66 |
|  | August ... | 2.79 | 81.02 | 78.23 | 2.79 | $671 \cdot 5$ | $665 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 65$ | 21.26 | 11.59 | 9.67 |
|  | September | 3.23 | 102.33 | 99.19 | $3 \cdot 14$ | $667 \cdot 0$ | $661 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 75$ | 23.46 | 13.28 | $10 \cdot 18$ |
|  |  | 3.44 | 102.78 | 99.34 | 3.44 | 669.4 | 663.6 | 5.75 | 22.93 | 13.86 | 9.07 |
|  | November | 2.78 | 92.53 | 89.76 | $2 \cdot 77$ | $644 \cdot 2$ | 638.4 | 5.75 | 19.25 | 11.63 | $7 \cdot 63$ |
|  | December | 2.87 | 80.76 | 78.57 | $2 \cdot 19$ | $615 \cdot 6$ | $609 \cdot 2$ | 6.43 | 16.97 | 9.83 | $7 \cdot 15$ |
| 1953 | January | 2.76 | $110 \cdot 15$ | 107.38 | 2.76 | $643 \cdot 7$ | $637 \cdot 3$ | 6.43 | 17.50 | 9.47 | 804 |
|  | February ... | 2.86 | 89.64 | 86.78 | 2.86 | $635 \cdot 1$ | 628.7 | 6.43 | 16.31 | 8.90 | 7.41 |
|  | March .. | $3 \cdot 27$ | 107.13 | 104.26 | 2.87 | $618 \cdot 6$ | $611 \cdot 8$ | 6.82 | $20 \cdot 36$ | 10.64 | 9.72 |
|  | April | 3.53 | 99.66 | $96 \cdot 13$ | 3.53 | 602.0 | 595.1 | 6.82 | 21.08 | 11.20 | 9.88 |
|  | May ... | 4.04 | $106 \cdot 60$ | 102.57 | 4.03 | $618 \cdot 2$ | 611.4 | 6.82 | $20 \cdot 38$ | 10.94 | 9.44 |
|  | June | 4.01 | 111.39 | 107.77 | 3.62 | $694 \cdot 1$ | 686.9 | $7 \cdot 21$ | 21.34 | 11.39 | 9.95 |
|  |  | 3.69 | 121.00 | 117.31 | 3.69 | $753 \cdot 3$ | 746.1 | 7.21 | 19.16 | 9.76 | 9.40 |
|  | August ... | $4 \cdot 30$ | 96.91 | 92.61 | $4 \cdot 30$ | 804.4 | $797 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 21$ | 21.05 | 10.83 | $10 \cdot 22$ |
|  | September | $4 \cdot 39$ | 111.40 | 107.97 | 3.43 | $810 \cdot 3$ | $802 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 18$ | 24.56 | 13.31 | 11. 25 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Excluding pitwood, boxboards, pulpwood, poles and sleepers and crossings of all kinds.
${ }^{(2)}$ Including the estimated sawn content of imported round logs.
${ }^{3}$ ) Standards of 165 cubic feet.
(4) Gothenburg standards of 180 piled cubic feet.
(5) Excluding from April 1949 quantities awaiting discharge at port and certain stocks held by British Railways. The quantity in these categories included for March 1949 was 33.6 thousand standards.

## RAW MATERIALS

Hardwood and plywood : Production, consumption and stocks

TABLE 45
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

|  |  |  | Hardwood (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  | Constructional plywood |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Production | Consumption |  |  | Stocks |  |  | Production | Consumption ${ }^{(2)}$ | Stocks ${ }^{(3)}$ |
|  |  |  | Total | Imported | Home grown | Total | Imported | Home grown |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Million cubic feet | Million square feet |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | ... | ... |  | $3 \cdot 40$ | 5.04 | 1.80 | $3 \cdot 24$ | 33.67 | 26.67 | 7.00 | 5.85 | 26.7 | 246.1 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ | 3.47 3.12 | 5.96 8.09 | 2.55 4.96 | 3.41 3.13 | 29.76 27.41 | 25.06 22.80 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 70\left(^{4}\right) \\ & 4 \cdot 61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.11 \\ & 6.00 \end{aligned}$ | 28.4 37.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 290 \cdot 4 \\ & 224.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 2.83 2.53 | 7.84 5.78 | 4.96 3.28 | $2 \cdot 88$ $2 \cdot 50$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.52 \\ & 25.04 \end{aligned}$ | 23.45 20.63 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.07 \\ & 4.41 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \cdot 82$ 4.36 | 42.4 33.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \cdot 2 \\ & 399 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | July August September | $\ldots$ | 2.79 2.61 2.88 | $\} 7 \cdot 60$ | 4.85 | 2.75 \{ | 25.38 | 21. 28 | 4.10 | 6.74 4.60 6.05 | $35 \cdot 9$ 37.0 $40 \cdot 0$ | 185.5 195.4 223.6 |
|  | October ... November December |  | 2.95 2.82 2.51 | $\} 7 \cdot 37$ | $4 \cdot 60$ | $2 \cdot 77$ \{ | 27.52 | 23.45 | 4.07 | 6.73 6.93 5.21 | 46.8 37.6 37.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 231 \cdot 5 \\ & 254 \cdot 9 \\ & 287 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March | $\ldots$ | 2.67 2.72 2.78 | $\} 6.42$ | $3 \cdot 63$ | 2.79 \{ | 28.03 | $24 \cdot 16$ | $3 \cdot 87$ | 6.09 5.02 4.60 | $45 \cdot 3$ $26 \cdot 7$ $31 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301.4 \\ & 312.3 \\ & 318.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 2.71 2.75 2.48 | $\} 4.94$ | $2 \cdot 41$ | $2 \cdot 53$ | 28.05 | 23.84 | $4 \cdot 21$ | 4.30 4.45 3.84 | 30.6 44.7 23.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 329 \cdot 4 \\ & 361 \cdot 7 \\ & 395 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 2.34 1.84 2.48 | $\} 5 \cdot 78$ | $3 \cdot 58$ | $2 \cdot 20\{$ | 26.61 | 22.34 | $4 \cdot 27$ | 3.76 2.88 3.93 | 20.9 21.1 34.5 | 419.3 $423 \cdot 7$ 429.3 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | 2.67 2.55 2.34 | $\} 5.96$ | $3 \cdot 48$ | $2 \cdot 48\{$ | 25.04 | $20 \cdot 63$ | 4.41 | 4.47 4.35 4.68 | $45 \cdot 7$ $43 \cdot 2$ $33 \cdot 2$ | $415 \cdot 9$ $405 \cdot 1$ 399.2 |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March | $\ldots$ | 2.48 2.41 2.63 | $\} 6 \cdot 12$ | $3 \cdot 69$ | $2 \cdot 43\{$ | 23.07 | 19.03 | 4.64 | 5.41 4.78 5.03 | 61.4 35.4 51.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 377 \cdot 8 \\ & 367 \cdot 1 \\ & 327 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 2.46 2.47 2.39 | \} $6 \cdot 34$ | 3.91 | $2 \cdot 43\{$ | 23.10 | 18.45 | 4.65 | 4.80 5.24 5.38 | 38.0 89.6 47.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 313.6 \\ & 331.4 \\ & 310.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 2.41 1.95 2.40 | \} 5.98 | $3 \cdot 67$ | 2.31 \{ | 23.96 | 19.47 | 4.49 | 5.11 3.45 5.47 | 40.2 43.4 55.6 | 293.2 279.3 246.5 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding pitwood, logs for veneer production, staves and sleepers
Source : Board of Trade and crossings of all kinds, but including unsawn round logs at Hoppus measure.
$\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ Based on changes in stocks.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Imported and home-produced plywood held by the Timber Control and, from January 1951, by merchants.
${ }^{(4)}$ Excluding from May 1949, certain quantities held for seasoning. The quantity thus excluded in May was I-OI million cubic feet.

Cotton yarn and cloth : Production

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$) Spun in the cotton industry.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Mule equivalent. Number running on cotton, spun rayon and mixtures,
excluding waste.
${ }^{2}$ ) Number running on cotton.
(d) Including synthetic fibres.
(5) Average of end-monthly figures.
(e) Million square yards.

- Average of five weeks.

Rayon and wool : Production
TABLE 47
Monthly averages or calendar months


| 1935 | ... ... | 9.9111.6112.3711.23 | $\begin{aligned} & 8.99 \\ & 9.34 \\ & 9.58 \\ & 8.52 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.92 \\ & 2.27 \\ & 2.79 \\ & 2.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 9.0 \\ & 8.9 \\ & 9.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 6 \\ & 5 \cdot 6 \\ & 5 \cdot 5 \\ & 5.6 \end{aligned}$ |  | .. | $\begin{aligned} & 20.34 \\ & 20.04 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 36.6 \\ 39.0 \\ . . \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 935 <br> 936 <br> 937 <br> 938 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | .. |  |  | . |  | .. |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | .. |  |  |  |  | . |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | .. | 19.48 | 12.34 | $7 \cdot 14$ | 6.1 | 4.1 | 23.03 | 25.6 | 16.20 | 34.55 | 21.67 | 12.88 | 1.96 |
| 1949 | ... ... | 24.06 | 14.29 | $9 \cdot 77$ | 6.7 | 4.6 | 23.87 | $26 \cdot 7$ | 17.35 | 36.55 | 22.78 | 13.77 | 1.83 |
| 1950 | ... ... | 30.94 | 16.50 | 14.44 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 4.9 | 26.36 | $27 \cdot 4$ | 18.91 | 37.53 | 22.47 | 15.06 | 1.96 |
| 1951 |  | 32.00 | 18.07 | 13.93 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 4.6 | $20 \cdot 12$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | 16.61 | 34.84 | 20.38 | 14.46 | 1.96 2.12 |
| 1952 |  | 23.59 | 12.99 | $10 \cdot 59$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 19.26 | $23 \cdot 1$ | 14.84 | 31.49 | 18.47 | 13.02 | 1.96 $2 \cdot 50$ |
| 1951 | July | 34.03 | 18.52 | 15.51 | 9.9 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 21.29 | $\} 24 \cdot 0\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.40 \\ & 14.53 \\ & 14.92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 85 \\ & 32 \cdot 46 \\ & 33 \cdot 33 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.08 \\ & 19.49 \\ & 19.32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.77 \\ & 12.97 \\ & 14.01 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.57 \\ & 2.00 \\ & 1.95 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... | 30.24 | 18.35 | 11.89 | 16.8 | $11 \cdot 3$ | $16 \cdot 53$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | 31.74 | 17.84 | 13.89 | 13.7 | 9.3 | 17.66 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December | 35.90 | 20.21 | 15.69 | 11.3 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 17.38 | \} $23 \cdot 3\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.69 \\ & 14.90 \\ & 11.31 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 10 \\ & 31.82 \\ & 24.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.86 \\ & 18.63 \\ & 14.07 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.24 \\ & 13.19 \\ & 10.92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.47 \\ & 1.92 \\ & 1.80 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 35.96 | 19.27 | 16.69 | $8 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $15 \cdot 75$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 28.54 | 15.86 | 12.68 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | 13.08 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January February ... March $\qquad$ | 34.1432.7229.74 | $\begin{aligned} & 18.54 \\ & 17.22 \\ & 15.76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.60 \\ & 15.50 \\ & 13.98 \end{aligned}$ | 4.12.93.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 8 \\ & 2 \cdot 1 \\ & 2 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 17.8416.30 | $\} 22 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.43 \\ & 13.52 \\ & 13.17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.05 \\ & 31.96 \\ & 30.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.60 \\ & 18.42 \\ & 16.79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.45 \\ & 13.54 \\ & 14.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 49 \\ & 2 \cdot 52 \\ & 2 \cdot 15 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $16 \cdot 64$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 16.60 \\ & 19.55 \\ & 11.74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.07 \\ 12.44 \\ 9.34 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 53 \\ & 7 \cdot 10 \\ & 2 \cdot 40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.1 \\ & 1.5 \\ & 5.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.1 \\ & 1.1 \\ & 3.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.41 \\ & 18.37 \\ & 16.61 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 20 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.23 \\ & 13.59 \\ & 11.90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 97 \\ & 28 \cdot 75 \\ & 25 \cdot 62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.75 \\ & 16.23 \\ & 14.64 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.22 \\ & 12.52 \\ & 10.98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.05 \\ & 2.27 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 41 \\ & 15 \cdot 34 \\ & 22.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.83 \\ 9.59 \\ 10.84 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4.57 \\ 5.75 \\ 11.52 \end{array}$ | 12.015.1 | 8.110.1 | 20.4015.39 | $\} 22 \cdot 3\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 38 \\ & 12 \cdot 63 \\ & 17 \cdot 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 53 \\ & 25 \cdot 86 \\ & 33 \cdot 61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.65 \\ & 15.88 \\ & 20.47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.88 \\ 9.98 \\ 13.14 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.43 \\ & 2.41 \\ & 2.90 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 15.1 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 22.01 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 42 \\ & 27 \cdot 78 \\ & 29 \cdot 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.93 \\ & 13.03 \\ & 14.34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.49 \\ & 14.75 \\ & 14.88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.3 \\ 8.4 \\ 6.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.5 \\ & 5.8 \\ & 4.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 82 \\ & 22 \cdot 44 \\ & 23 \cdot 82 \end{aligned}$ | \} $26 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.75 \\ & 17.64 \\ & 17.73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39.10 \\ & 35.09 \\ & 34.55 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24.06 \\ & 21.47 \\ & 20.68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.04 \\ & 13.62 \\ & 13.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.37 \\ & 2.93 \\ & 2.54 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { January ... } \\ & \text { February ... } \\ & \text { March ... } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 38 \\ & 32 \cdot 74 \\ & 36 \cdot 29 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.26 \\ & 16.87 \\ & 19.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.12 \\ & 15.87 \\ & 17.21 \end{aligned}$ | 3.93.22.9 | 2.82.42.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 26 \\ & 26 \cdot 18 \\ & 29 \cdot 68 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 27 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.26 \\ & 17.58 \\ & 19.09 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37.48 \\ & 33.86 \\ & 36.09 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 27 \\ & 19 \cdot 23 \\ & 20 \cdot 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.21 \\ & 14.63 \\ & 15.25 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.73 \\ & 2.33 \\ & 2.45 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 75 \\ & 36.62 \\ & 35 \cdot 04 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.94 \\ & 19.05 \\ & 17.42 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.81 \\ & 17.57 \\ & 17.62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.7 \\ & 1.8 \\ & 5.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.0 \\ & 1.3 \\ & 3.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.02 \\ & 26.60 \\ & 28.91 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 26 \cdot 0\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.82 \\ & 17.14 \\ & 18.30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 21 \\ & 31 \cdot 14 \\ & 33 \cdot 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.12 \\ & 18.02 \\ & 19.74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.09 \\ & 13.12 \\ & 14.25 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.93 \\ & 1.69 \\ & 1.73 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July $\qquad$ August September | $\begin{aligned} & 37.06 \\ & 28.76 \\ & 36.22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.84 \\ & 15.74 \\ & 18.67 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 22 \\ & 13 \cdot 01 \\ & 17 \cdot 55 \end{aligned}$ | $12 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.70 \\ & 17.33 \\ & 30.19 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 18.32 \\ & 12.94 \\ & 20.27 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 96 \\ & 24.74 \\ & 37.75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 18 \\ & 14.54 \\ & 22 \cdot 65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.78 \\ & 10.20 \\ & 15.10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.86 \\ & 1.61 \\ & 2.52 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October $\ldots$ 38.45 19.48 18.97    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^7]Cotton and wool : Consumption and stocks

${ }^{(1)}$ Consumption of yarn in the manufacture of woven fabrics (cotton, rayon and mixtures of cotton and rayon).
${ }^{(2}$ ) Including synthetic fibres.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Estimated clean weight. Stocks include all raw wool in the United Kingdom except those held by farmers.
${ }^{( }$) Used in the production of tops and in woollen spinning and felting.
${ }^{(5)}$ Actual weight. Used in woollen spinning and felting.
${ }^{( }{ }^{\circ}$ ) At 31 July until 1948, thereafter 31 August.

* Average of five weeks.

Silk and hemps: Consumption and stocks
TABLE 49
Consumption : monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks : end of period

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ From January 1949 the figures relate to sisal line and manila hemp only.
Source: Board of Trade The stocks figure on the new basis for the end of 1948 was 29.5 thousand tons.

Hides, skins and finished leather: Production
TABLE 50
Monthly averages or calendar months


(1) From July 1950, excluding production by private slaughter and casualties

Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Kips are included with calfskins up to the end of June 1950 and with cattle hides thereafter.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Figures in respect of the period July to December 1952 are partly estimated.
Hides, skins and finished leather: Consumption ${ }^{1}$ ) and stocks
TABLE 5I

|  |  |  | Raw hides and skins |  |  | Finished leather |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Hides <br> $\left({ }^{2}\right)\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Calfskins( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Sheepskins ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Heavy |  |  |  | Light |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Sole |  | Other |  | Upper |  | Lining |  | ' Other |  |
|  |  |  | Stocks |  |  | Consumption | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks | Consumption | Stocks |
|  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  | Million square feet |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 | ... ... |  | 16.4 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 8.0 | 6.34 | 21.4 | 0.48 | 0.77 | 22.1 | 81.6 | $9 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 9$ | 11.8 | $14 \cdot 2$ |
| 1950 | ... ... |  | 23.9 | 1.4 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 98$ | 21.4 | 0.49 | 0.70 | $22 \cdot 2$ | 83.1 | $10 \cdot 0$ | 17.5 | 13.2 | 8.1 |
| 1951 | ... ... |  | $27 \cdot 5$ | 1.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 5.51 | 25.2 | 0.44 | 0.74 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 88.9 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 20.9 | 11.4 | 9.5 |
| 1952 | ... ... |  | 12.8 | 1.0 | 4.3 | $5 \cdot 32$ | 21.4 | 0.39 | 0.64 | 18.0 | 74.8 | 8.0 | 15.1 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 9.2 |
| 1951 |  |  |  |  |  | 5.94 |  |  |  |  | 89.7 |  |  | 12.7 | $8 \cdot 2$ |
|  | 3rd quarter | ... | $26 \cdot 9$ | 0.8 | 4.9 | 4.84 | 23.6 | 0.38 | 0.67 | 18.1 | $90 \cdot 7$ | 6.6 | 21.0 | 9.2 | 8.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 45$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | 0.44 | 0.74 |  | 88.9 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 20.9 | $10 \cdot 1$ | 9.5 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter | $\ldots$ |  | 0.8 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 5.58 |  | 0.42 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | ... | 10.0 14.3 | 0.7 0.4 | 4.4 | 5.37 | $24 \cdot 3$ | 0.38 | 0.79 | 15.7 | $83 \cdot 3$ | 7.6 | 16.2 | 9.2 | 10.6 |
|  | 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | 14.3 12.8 | 0.4 1.0 |  | 4.80 5.54 | 22.7 | 0.34 | 0.73 | 17.0 | 77.1 | 7.6 | 15.5 | 9.5 | 9.8 |
|  | 4th quarter |  |  | 1.0 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 5.54 | 21.4 | 0.41 | 0.64 | $22 \cdot 2$ | 74.8 | 9.5 | 15.1 | $12 \cdot 0$ | 9.2 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter |  | $\begin{aligned} & 10.5 \\ & 10.5 \end{aligned}$ | $0.8$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9.7 |  |  |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\ldots$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | $0.6$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | 4.91 | 22.1 | 0.35 | 0.54 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 79.8 | 8.8 | $17.1$ | $12.1$ | 8.6 |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Including deliveries for export. <br> (2) Wet, dry and dry-salted cattle and buffalo hides. <br> $\left(^{3}\right)$ See footnote ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 50. <br> $\left(^{4}\right)$ Pelts and skins woolled for dressing. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 43 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

# Rubber and carbon black : Production, consumption and stocks 

TABLE 52
Production and consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons


[^8]Molasses and industrial alcohol : Production, consumption and stocks


[^9]
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Sulphur, sulphuric acid and ammonia : Production, consumption and stocks

|  |  |  | Production | Consumption |  |  |  |  |  |  | Stocks |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Sulphuric acid ${ }^{1}$ ) | Pyrites ${ }^{(2)}$ | Sulphur |  | Spent oxide ${ }^{2}$ ) | Anhydrite ${ }^{2}$ ) | Sulphuric acid ${ }^{1}$ ) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Am- } \\ \text { monia }\left(^{4}\right) \end{gathered}$ | Pyrites | Sulphur |  | Spent oxide | Am-monia |
|  |  |  | For sulphuric acid |  | Regular ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | For sulphuric acid |  |  |  |  |  | Regular |  |  |
|  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months | Weekly averages | End of period |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | . | ... |  | 78.0 | 25.0 | 4.2 | .. | 13.0 | . | .. | . | . | .. | . | .. |  |
| 1936 |  |  | 86.9 | $26 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | . | 13.3 | . |  | . |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1937 |  |  | 91.7 | $26 \cdot 9$ | 6.8 | .. | 13.7 |  | . | .. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | ... | 82.9 | $23 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | . | 12.1 | . | .. | . |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  | ... | 129.4 | 18.9 | 22.3 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 16.4 | 15.1 | 130 | 6.44 | 67.7 | 66.1 | 18.6 | $169 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 22$ |
| 1949 |  | $\ldots$ | 138.4 | 18.8 | 25.6 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 16.0 | 15.0 | 140 | 6.71 | 84.1 | $87 \cdot 1$ | 12.5 | 179.3 | $3 \cdot 16$ |
| 1950 |  | $\ldots$ | $150 \cdot 2$ | 17.1 | 29.8 | $9 \cdot 3$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | 15.4 | 151 | 7.06 | $70 \cdot 2$ | 74.4 | 6.7 | 192.6 | 3.99 |
| 1951 |  |  | 133.8 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 22.7 | 7.9 | 19.3 | 14.9 | 140 | 7.45 | 214.9 | 85.0 | 14.4 | $247 \cdot 7$ | 4.02 |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | $125 \cdot 5$ | 18.1 | 18.9 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 19.3 | 14.7 | 129 | $7 \cdot 83$ | $505 \cdot 2$ | 159.4 | 52.4 | 238.0 | $5 \cdot 17$ |
| 1951 | July ... | ... | 135.7 | 17.5 | 24.0 | 8.0 | 19.5 | 14.1 | 142 | $7 \cdot 41$ | 128.1 | 89.7 | 12.7 | 224.0 | 3.22 |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 135.0 | 17.1 | $23 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 19.6 | $17 \cdot 2$ | 137 | 7-59 | $142 \cdot 5$ | $87 \cdot 9$ | 13.6 | 227.7 | 3.34 |
|  | September | ... | 131.9 | $16 \cdot 7$ | $22 \cdot 3$ | 7.9 | 19.6 | $16 \cdot 8$ | 143 | 7.73* | $180 \cdot 5$ | 86.8 | 15.7 | 231.0 | 4.06 |
|  | October |  | 132.9 | 17.8 | $22 \cdot 6$ | 9.7 | 19.9 | 14.7 | 149 | 7.54 | 180.9 | 101.0 | 14.5 | 235.8 | $4 \cdot 71$ |
|  | November |  | 135.3 | 18.1 | $23 \cdot 5$ | 9.0 | 19.4 | 14.4 | 143 | 7.89* | 189.9 | 92.1 | 12.7 | 245.9 | 3.82 |
|  | December |  | 142.0 | 18.4 | $24 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 14.6 | 141 | $7 \cdot 64$ | 214.9 | 85.0 | 14.4 | $247 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 02$ |
| 1952 | January | .. | 141.7 | 19.3 | 25.0 | 10.3 | 19.8 | 14.1 | 149 | 7.85 | 213.9 | 95.7 | 21.5 | 251.1 | $4 \cdot 33$ |
|  | February | ... | 128.5 | 17.2 | 21.6 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 18.9 | $15 \cdot 8$ | 137 | 8.06 | $223 \cdot 5$ | $96 \cdot 4$ | 19.0 | 253.8 | $4 \cdot 28$ |
|  | March | ... | $147 \cdot 6$ | 19.6 | $23 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | 21.5 | $17 \cdot 5$ | 152 | 8.06* | $238 \cdot 3$ | $90 \cdot 2$ | 15.1 | $244 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 75$ |
|  | April ... | ... | 128.5 | 17.9 | 20.8 | 8.2 | 19.9 | 11.5 | 130 | 7.75 | 249.2 | 89.0 | 20.9 | $244 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 77$ |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | 113.0 | $16 \cdot 7$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 17.7 | 8.2 | 120 | $7 \cdot 57$ | $303 \cdot 1$ | 108.9 | 33.1 | 244.6 | $3 \cdot 57$ |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | 105.0 | $15 \cdot 0$ | 14.5 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 15.8 | 16.2 | 108 | 7•75* | 342.7 | 110.9 | $37 \cdot 7$ | $244 \cdot 5$ | 3.98 |
|  | July ... | ... | 103.0 | $17 \cdot 5$ | 12.5 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 16.1 | 17.7 | 102 | 7.73 | 372.6 | 134.8 | 51.4 | $245 \cdot 3$ | 3.65 |
|  | August | ... | 98.1 | 14.5 | 12.5 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 15.9 | 97 | 6.84 | 388.0 | 144.7 | 54.4 | $245 \cdot 3$ | 4.07 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $115 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 5$ | 16.0 | 4.9 | 18.6 | $15 \cdot 6$ | 123 | 7-42* | $415 \cdot 1$ | 150.5 | 57.9 | $246 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 38$ |
|  | October | $\cdots$ | 127.7 | 19.1 | 19.3 | 6.4 | 20.5 | 11.5 | 139 | 8.23 | $442 \cdot 7$ | 158.4 | 55.7 | $248 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 26$ |
|  | November | ... | $140 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 21.2 | 6.8 | 21.8 | 15.0 | 137 | 8.47* | $470 \cdot 0$ | 167.4 | $56 \cdot 2$ | $245 \cdot 1$ | 4.92 |
|  | December | ... | $156 \cdot 7$ | 23.4 | $23 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 23.4 | 16.9 | 148 | $8 \cdot 15$ | $505 \cdot 2$ | 159.4 | $52 \cdot 4$ | 238.0 | $5 \cdot 17$ |
| 1953 | January | ... | 149.5 | $24 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 23.5 | 16.4 | 151 | 8.26 | 514.3 | $151 \cdot 7$ | $52 \cdot 1$ | 229.6 | $4 \cdot 18$ |
|  | February | ... | 138.3 | 20.1 | 21.2 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 4$ | 15.3 | 141 | 8.41* | 508.3 | 134.0 | $46 \cdot 5$ | $220 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 55$ |
|  | March | ... | 162.5 | $25 \cdot 2$ | 23.9 | 8.0 | 26.0 | 18.3 | 170 | 8.28 | 504.6 | 136.4 | $43 \cdot 8$ | 214.6 | $4 \cdot 47$ |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | 159.0 | 32.2 | 21.6 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 23.4 | $17 \cdot 5$ | 158 | $8 \cdot 57$ | 488.3 | 131.1 | 39.4 | $206 \cdot 1$ | 4.08 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | 153.4 | 31.7 | $20 \cdot 4$ | 7.1 | 23.4 | 17.1 | 149 | $8 \cdot 17$ | 499.9 | 125.1 | $35 \cdot 4$ | $200 \cdot 0$ | 3.63 |
|  | June ... | ... | $147 \cdot 4$ | $32 \cdot 0$ | 19.8 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 21.9 | 11.1 | 148 | 8.59* | $501 \cdot 0$ | 127.0 | $32 \cdot 4$ | 195.5 | 2.72 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | 147.3 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 18.9 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $22 \cdot 9$ | 16.4 |  |  |  | 114.0 | 28.8 | 189.1 | 3.75 |
|  | August |  | 152.8 | 34.2 | 19.2 | 7.5 | 23.0 | 17.8 | 140 | 8.26* | 515.6 | 98.4 | 23.5 | 184.6 | 3.54 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 152.3 | 31.5 | 19.7 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $23 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 167 | 8.29 | 504.7 | 88.3 | 20.9 | 185.1 | 4.96 |

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

- Average of five weeks.


# Phosphatic fertilizers: Production and consumption( ${ }^{1}$ ) 



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Nitrogenous and other fertilizers and phosphate rock : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 56 Monthly averages or calendar months

Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Nitrogen content of nitrogenous fertilizers $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  | Compound fertilizers $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |  | $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ content of potash $\left.\left.{ }^{1}\right)^{4}\right)$ | Liming materials ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Phosphate rock ${ }^{(6)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Production <br> ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Consumption |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total disposals ${ }^{(7)}$ | Home deliveries $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | Production | Consumption | Consumption |  | Consumption | Stocks (end of period) |
| 1939 | .. ... | ... |  | 9.93 | 10.60 | $5 \cdot 00$ | $\left.50 \cdot 0{ }^{8}\right)$ |  | . | . | 125.2 | . | 183.9 |
| 1949 | .. ... |  | 20.57 | 19.70 | 15.38 | 142.7 | 139.2 | 16.29 | 495.9 | $86 \cdot 5$ |  |
| 1950 |  | $\ldots$ | 21.60 | 22.70 | 17.76 | 162.8 | 171.5 | 19.52 | $470 \cdot 0$ | 81.9 | 198.5 304.7 |
| 1951 |  | ... | 21.82 | 21.81 | 17.58 | 163.8 | 166.5 | 18.87 | 366.9 | 71.3 | 495.3 |
| 1952 | . | $\ldots$ | 23.82 25.82 | 21.35 26.80 | 15.20 17.51 | 112.1 149.7 | 103.9 148.3 | 14.13 17.58 | 409.0 | 72.7 | 573.0 |
| 1951 | July ... | ... | 22.38 | 17.14 | 14.00 | 96.9 | 58.7 | 11.44 | 331.0 | 64.2 | $457 \cdot 9$ |
|  | August | ... | 22.65 | 19.98 | 12.07 | 99.4 | $36 \cdot 0$ | 11.78 | 344.0 | 64.4 | 472.8 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 22.19 | $17 \cdot 12$ | 11.29 | 118.3 | 45.0 | 13.66 | 349.0 | $63 \cdot 8$ | 477.9 |
|  | October | ... | 21.31 | 18.36 | 13.04 | 147.0 | 65.0 | 16.54 | 466.0 | 73.8 | $464 \cdot 2$ |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 22.93 | 20.56 | 14.87 | 138.4 | $46 \cdot 4$ | 15.56 | 604.9 | 66.8 | 459.0 |
|  |  | ... | 24.21 | 21.16 |  | 117.0 | 74.0 |  |  | $67 \cdot 5$ | $495 \cdot 3$ |
| 1952 | January | ... | 24.19 | 24.42 | 20.79 | 144.5 | $160 \cdot 6$ | 18.20 | $267 \cdot 2$ | 75.4 | 515.0 |
|  | February | ... | 23.29 | 28.35 | 24.95 | 163.5 | 183.9 | 21.89 | $238 \cdot 4$ | $72 \cdot 6$ | 509.7 |
|  | March | ... | 27.99 | $30 \cdot 62$ | 26.39 | $150 \cdot 3$ | $285 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 59$ | $347 \cdot 9$ | 83.9 | 518.4 |
|  | April ... | ... | 25.32 | 23.77 | 16.40 | 84.9 | 199.4 | 11.75 | $400 \cdot 6$ | 71.1 | 529.1 |
|  | May ... | ... | 24.62 | 21.58 | 11.14 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 70.9 | 6.95 | 486.4 | 59.6 | 564.3 |
|  | June ... | ... | 24.82 | $13 \cdot 10$ | 3.93 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 21.7 | $6 \cdot 62$ | 398.9 | $52 \cdot 6$ | $561 \cdot 5$ |
|  | July ... | ... | 25.08 | 18.89 | 13.93 | 86.9 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 23.14 | 16.09 | 9.57 | 111.8 | $82 \cdot 8$ | 13.18 | 339.1 | 55.4 | 594.0 |
|  | September | ... | 21.76 |  | 12.64 | 135.1 |  |  | $455 \cdot 4$ | $75 \cdot 0$ |  |
|  | October | ... | 27.38 | 29.70 | 14.89 | 145.8 | 77.0 | 18.93 | 687.7 | 91.1 | 593.7 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 25.63 | 19.49 | 15.91 | 153.4 | $60 \cdot 0$ | 18.67 | $550 \cdot 1$ | 93.3 | 575.2 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | 28.15 | 29.19 | 18.20 | 173.1 | 54.7 | 19.12 | 388.5 | 96.0 | 573.0 |
| 1953 |  |  |  | 32.98 | 24.64 | 159.3 | 149.3 | 21.17 | $274 \cdot 2$ | 98.8 | 614.1 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | 24.92 | 36.68 | 31.56 | 179.0 | $266 \cdot 4$ | 27.33 | 296.1 | 88.4 | 616.5 |
|  |  | ... | 27.83 | 47.04 |  | 255.8 | 494.9 | 33.84 | $370 \cdot 6$ | 121.2 | 597.7 |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | 27.00 | 31.54 | 28.03 | 210.8 | 267.7 | 26.98 | 526.3 | 99.7 |  |
|  | May ... | ... | 25.32 | 22.61 | 16.73 | 104.3 | 89.3 | 13.40 | 536.0 | 81.6 | 593.2 |
|  | June ... | ... | 26.46 | 13.73 | 6.05 | 81.0 | $23 \cdot 6$ | 13.36 | 502.7 | 70.9 | $585 \cdot 8$ |
|  | July ... |  | 25.21 |  |  |  | 49.8 |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 26.76 | 18.69 | 13.99 | 127.5 | $40 \cdot 8$ | 15.51 | 764.3 | $72 \cdot 2$ | 593.0 615.8 |
|  | September | ... | 24.07 | 19.70 | 13.40 | 158.6 | $55 \cdot 5$ |  | 847 -5 | 84.8 | 613.5 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June.
${ }^{2}$ ) Ammonium sulphate, "Nitro-chalk", concentrated complete fertilizers, and, for 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 complete fertilizers. The nitrogen, $\mathrm{P}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ and, for consumption, $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ content are included under the appropriate headings in this Table and in Table 55.
${ }^{4}$ ) For agricultural uses only.
${ }^{5}$ ) Deliveries to farms.
(8) For agricultural and industrial purposes.
(7) Including exports of ammonium sulphate for non-agricultural uses.
${ }^{(8)}$ Estimated.

Source: Ministry of Materials and Agricultural Departments

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Paper-making materials and woodpulp: Consumption and stocks
Consumption: weekly averages
Stocks : end of period

${ }^{(1)}$ Including wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Consumption and stocks at mills and, from January 1951, at certain pulping plants.
${ }^{(3)}$ Stocks from January 1950 exclude those held by merchants. The figures on the new basis for December 1949 are :-Rags, waste ropes, etc., $33 \cdot 2$ thousand tons; waste paper: special grades, 21.0 thousand tons; mixed, $58 \cdot 3$ thousand tons.
${ }^{(4)}$ Mixed waste paper consists of waste paper which does not have the uniform or distinctive qualities required for classification as any other grade of waste paper. The bulk of local authorities' collections is in this grade.
${ }^{5}$ ) Including woodpulp for cellulose wadding.
${ }^{(8)}$ ) Stocks relate to those held by manufacturers of rayon and of cellulose film.
(?) Thousand tons.

* Average of five weeks.

Paper: Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 58
Production and consumption : weekly averages Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Production |  |  | Consumption |  |  |  | Stocks |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Newsprint | Building board | Other paper and board | Newsprint |  | Other paper and board (including building board) ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Newsprint | Other paper and board (including building board) ( ${ }^{( }$) |
|  |  |  | Total disposals |  |  | Home consumption | Total disposals | Home consumption |  |  |
| 1939 | .. | ... |  | 15.38 |  | -19 | 23.1 | . | 51.5 |  | 261.5 | $388 \cdot 8$ |
| 1948 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 5.74 | 0.64 | $30 \cdot 1$ | 7.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 36.5 | $35 \cdot 6$ | 141.9 | $368 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 |  | ... | 8.91 | 0.74 | 33.7 | 12.0 | 10.9 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 38.8 | 160.8 | 402.3 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | . <br> $\cdots$ | 10.46 10.13 10.32 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.67 \\ & 0.73 \\ & 0.63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 1 \\ & 41 \cdot 4 \\ & 34 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.3 \\ & 13.3 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 11.5 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 2 \\ & 56 \cdot 8 \\ & 40 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 5 \\ & 55 \cdot 2 \\ & 39 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.0 \\ 109.9 \\ 189.7 \end{array}$ | 54.8 65.7 103.9 |
| 1951 | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | $8.35^{*}$ 10.65 $11.08^{*}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.72^{*} \\ & 0.67 \\ & 0.81^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 38 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 43 \cdot 3^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 13.5 \\ & 13 \cdot 2^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5^{*} \\ & 11.2 \\ & 11.9^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 9^{*} \\ & 54 \cdot 7 \\ & 57 \cdot 4^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 52 \cdot 8 \\ & 56 \cdot 1^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 93.7 \\ 97.8 \\ 101.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 0 \\ & 54 \cdot 9 \\ & 57 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \cdot 16 \\ & 10 \cdot 95 \\ & 10 \cdot 28^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.86 \\ & 0.85 \\ & 0.77^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 0 \\ & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 41 \cdot 8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 14.9 \\ & 13.6 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.5 \\ & 12.4 \\ & 11.1^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 7 \\ & 59 \cdot 3 \\ & 57 \cdot 9^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 7 \\ & 57 \cdot 5 \\ & 56 \cdot 6^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.5 \\ & 100.6 \\ & 109.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56.3 \\ & 59.4 \\ & 65.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January February March | $\ldots$ | 11.08 10.76 11.94 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.83 \\ & 0.85 \\ & 0.81 \end{aligned}$ | $45 \cdot 5$ 46.8 42.4 | 13.3 14.4 14.8 | 11.3 12.2 12.1 | 63.3 54.6 50.9 | $61 \cdot 3$ 52.2 $48 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.5 \\ & 115.3 \\ & 125.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 0 \\ & 62 \cdot 3 \\ & 69 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April ... May.. June ... | $\ldots$ | $11.40 *$ 11.06 11.17 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.73^{*} \\ & 0.60 \\ & 0.53 \end{aligned}$ | $35 \cdot 5^{*}$ 35.0 28.5 | $13.1 *$ 14.2 13.4 | $11.4 *$ 12.0 11.8 | $41 \cdot 6^{*}$ 41.3 32.6 | $39.9 *$ 39.8 31.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 140.0 \\ & 148.7 \\ & 162.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \cdot 1 \\ & 87 \cdot 5 \\ & 91 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.26^{*} \\ & 7.81 \\ & 9.53^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.51^{*} \\ & 0.36 \\ & 0.47^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $23 \cdot 2^{*}$ $25 \cdot 2$ $31 \cdot 3^{*}$ | $12.5 *$ 11.9 $13.9 *$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \cdot 7^{*} \\ & 11.5 \\ & 13 \cdot 2^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $25 \cdot 8^{*}$ $27 \cdot 5$ $35 \cdot 8^{*}$ | 24.7* 26.3 34.9 | 166.0 166.8 170.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 95.1 \\ & 98.9 \\ & 98.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | .. | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 85 \\ & 11 \cdot 12 \\ & 10 \cdot 57 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.53 \\ & 0.74 \\ & 0.66^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 5 \\ & 30 \cdot 8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.6 \\ & 13.7 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.1 \\ & 14.4 \\ & 12.7 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 4 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \\ & 38 \cdot 9^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 41 \cdot 5 \\ & 37 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 172.3 \\ & 181.0 \\ & 189.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97.2 \\ 97.9 \\ 103.9 \end{array}$ |
| 1953 | January <br> February March | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 11.64 11.79 12.21 | 0.78 0.74 0.91 | 34.8 33.0 39.6 | 15.6 16.7 16.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 14.6 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 8 \\ & 39 \cdot 8 \\ & 48 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 41.6 38.7 46.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 189.6 \\ & 183.1 \\ & 164.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100.1 \\ 96.5 \\ 95.8 \end{array}$ |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April... } \\ & \text { May... } \\ & \text { June... } \end{aligned}$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $11.60 *$ 13.11 11.86 | $0.78 *$ 0.88 0.82 | $37.0 *$ 39.7 39.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.5^{*} \\ & 17.9 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.6 * \\ & 15.4 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $44 \cdot 0 *$ $48 \cdot 0$ $46 \cdot 9$ | $42 \cdot 9 *$ $46 \cdot 5$ 45.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 158.0 \\ & 157.9 \\ & 149.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 2 \\ & 92 \cdot 2 \\ & 92 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{gathered} 9.91 * \\ 9.20 \\ 11.86^{*} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.65^{*} \\ & 0.67 \\ & 0.93^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 35 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 6^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 * \\ & 15.6 \\ & 16.7 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.5^{*} \\ & 13.4 \\ & 14.8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 44 \cdot 5 \\ & 53 \cdot 0^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 7 * \\ & 43 \cdot 5 \\ & 51 \cdot 9 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \cdot 1 \\ & 136 \cdot 2 \\ & 126 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \cdot 0 \\ & 86 \cdot 2 \\ & 81 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) From January 1950 no longer adjusted for changes in users' stocks.
Source: Board of Trade
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Before January 1950 quantities held by paper makers, merchants and certain large converters and consumers (other than publishers). National stocks of building board are also included from 1947 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 papermakers only. The comparable figure for December 1949 is 77.6 thousand tons.

* Average of five weeks.


## VII. MANUFACTURED GOODS

Passenger cars and chassis( ${ }^{1}$ ) : Production
TABLE 59

|  |  | Total production |  |  |  | Production for export |  |  |  | Value of deliveries ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1,600 c.c. } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { under } \end{aligned}$ | Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 c.c. | Over 2,200 c.c. | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1,600 c.c. } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { under } \end{aligned}$ | Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 с.с. | Over 2,200 c.c. | Total | For export |
|  |  | Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |
|  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £000 |  |
| 1935 1938 | $\cdots$ | 28,192 $28,417\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4,522\left({ }^{3}\right) \\ & 5,684\left({ }^{3}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | .. |  |
| 1948 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 27,376 \\ & 34,358 \\ & 43,543 \\ & 39,66 \\ & 37,334 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,832 \\ & 23,343 \\ & 29,411 \\ & 27,575 \\ & 25,339 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,522 \\ & 6,160 \\ & 7,463 \\ & 5,801 \\ & 4,606 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,022 \\ & 4,855 \\ & 6,669 \\ & 6,284 \\ & 7,389 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,350 \\ & 22,683 \\ & 34,126 \\ & 30,552 \\ & 22,945 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,567 \\ & 15,853 \\ & 24,587 \\ & 22,576 \\ & 16,178 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,623 \\ & 3,805 \\ & 5,448 \\ & 4,106 \\ & 2,008 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,160 \\ & 3,025 \\ & 4,091 \\ & 3,870 \\ & 4,759 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,385 \\ 12,059 \\ 15,746 \\ 16,361 \\ 17,076 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,272 \\ 6,441 \\ 10,374 \\ 10,639 \\ 8,996 \end{array}$ |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | October... <br> November <br> *December | $\begin{aligned} & 41,933 \\ & 41,157 \\ & 39,376 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29,348 \\ & 29,231 \\ & 29,339 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,538 \\ & 5,599 \\ & 4,926 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,047 \\ & 6,327 \\ & 5,111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,144 \\ & 33,554 \\ & 27,318 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,267 \\ & 26,014 \\ & 21,638 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,893 \\ & 3,695 \\ & 2,681 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,984 \\ & 3,845 \\ & 2,999 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,279 \\ & 18,829 \\ & 16,936 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,985 \\ & 12,594 \\ & 10,857 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January ... <br> February <br> *March | $\begin{aligned} & 36,270 \\ & 35,028 \\ & 42,207 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,452 \\ & 24,349 \\ & 28,670 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,259 \\ & 5,469 \\ & 5,900 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,559 \\ & 5,210 \\ & 7,637 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,956 \\ & 25,834 \\ & 31,975 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,281 \\ & 19,219 \\ & 23,300 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,297 \\ & 3,425 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,378 \\ & 3,190 \\ & 1750 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,233 \\ & 18,566 \\ & 17,033 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,678 \\ 11,300 \\ 10,447 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May *June | $\begin{aligned} & 35,228 \\ & 38,298 \\ & 41,021 \end{aligned}$ | 24,08924,58427,880 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,324 \\ & 4,587 \\ & 4,669 \end{aligned}$ | 6,8159,127 | $\begin{aligned} & 24,882 \\ & 26,778 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,408 \\ & 18,163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,233 \\ & 2,390 \end{aligned}$ | 4,2416,225 | 16,98319,367 | 9,51511,592 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 8,472 | 28,070 | 21,022 | 1,413 | 5,635 | 16,466 | 9,336 |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> *September | $\begin{aligned} & 30,025 \\ & 21,369 \\ & 44,829 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,210 \\ & 13,030 \\ & 30,154 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,716 \\ & 3,251 \\ & 5,687 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,099 \\ & 5,088 \\ & 8,988 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,668 \\ & 14,078 \\ & 24,074 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,804 \\ 8,772 \\ 15,901 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 216 \\ 2,010 \\ 2,170 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,648 \\ & 3,296 \\ & 6,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,669 \\ & 12,243 \\ & 17,187 \end{aligned}$ | 8,9086,4407,843 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October... <br> November <br> *December | $\begin{aligned} & 38,917 \\ & 39,846 \\ & 44,962 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,768 \\ & 26,754 \\ & 31,124 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,339 \\ & 4,791 \\ & 4,278 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,810 \\ & 8,301 \\ & 9,560 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,396 \\ & 16,960 \\ & 20,668 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,422 \\ & 10,474 \\ & 13,365 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,143 \\ 709 \\ 1,167 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,831 \\ & 5,777 \\ & 6,136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,030 \\ & 17,536 \\ & 15,598 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,331 \\ & 7,035 \\ & 7,530 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... <br> February <br> *March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 40,852 \\ & 40,240 \\ & 48,084 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,267 \\ & 29,382 \\ & 32,692 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,366 \\ & 2,742 \\ & 4,909 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,219 \\ 8,116 \\ 10,483 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,705 \\ & 22,884 \\ & 30,919 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,717 \\ & 15,465 \\ & 19,242 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 892 \\ 1,597 \\ 3,466 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,096 \\ & 5,822 \\ & 8,211 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,922 \\ & 15,122 \\ & 17,210 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,896 \\ & 7,557 \\ & 9,540 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 44,193 \\ & 50,593 \\ & 57,535 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,562 \\ & 35,044 \\ & 38,985 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,076 \\ & 5,739 \\ & 5,997 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,555 \\ 9,810 \\ 12,553 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,833 \\ & 31,840 \\ & 33,683 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,178 \\ & 21,265 \\ & 22,194 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,230 \\ & 3,393 \\ & 3,154 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,425 \\ & 7,182 \\ & 8,335 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,017 \\ & 23,396 \\ & 23,250 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,530 \\ & 11,648 \\ & 11,129 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 52,844 \\ & 29,043 \\ & 64,304 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35,657 \\ & 18,479 \\ & 44,727 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,921 \\ & 3,737 \\ & 6,413 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,266 \\ 6,827 \\ 13,164 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,749 \\ & 15,772 \\ & 27,865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,307 \\ & 10,081 \\ & 17,905 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,318 \\ & 1,373 \\ & 1,803 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,124 \\ & 4,318 \\ & 8,157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,383 \\ 16,629 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,049 \\ 7,185 \end{array}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | 53,170 | 36,279 | 4,694 | 12,197 | 21,665 | 13,293 | 1,746 | 6,626 |  |  |

[^11]
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Commercial motor vehicles and chassis $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ : Production
TABLE 60

|  |  | Total production |  |  |  |  | Production for export |  |  |  |  | Value of dellvaries( ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Carrying capacity |  |  | Public service vehicles ${ }^{(8)}$ | Total | Carrying capacity |  |  | Public service vehicles ${ }^{(3)}$ | Total | For export |
|  |  | Under 15 cwt . | 15 cwt. to 6 tons | Over <br> 6 tons | Under 15 cwt. |  |  | 15 cwt. to 6 tons | Over <br> 6 tons |  |  |  |
|  |  | Monthly averages or totals for four or flve week periods | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Number | £000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 1938 |  |  | 7,131 $8,667(4)$ |  |  |  | $375(6)$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,136\left(^{5}\right) \\ & 1,189\left(^{5}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | $\cdots$ |  | $\ldots$ |
| 1948 |  | 14,169 | $\begin{array}{r} 5,146 \\ 8,054 \\ 10,014 \\ 9,986 \\ 8,962 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,458 \\ 8,175 \\ 10,249 \\ 9,595 \\ 9,370 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 496 \\ 591 \\ 555 \\ 996 \\ 1,078 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,069 \\ 1,211 \\ 945 \\ 920 \\ 728 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6,983 \\ 8,898 \\ 13,736 \\ 13,456 \\ 10,458 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,804 \\ & 4,339 \\ & 6,709 \\ & 6,499 \\ & 4,624 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,562 \\ & 4,068 \\ & 6,509 \\ & 6,084 \\ & 5,020 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193 \\ & 206 \\ & 202 \\ & 429 \\ & 459 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 424 \\ & 284 \\ & 316 \\ & 444 \\ & 355 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,125 \\ 10,613 \\ 12,163 \\ 13,860 \\ 16,353 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,460 \\ & 3,795 \\ & 5,764 \\ & 6,912 \\ & 6,908 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1949 |  | 18,031 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 |  | 21,763 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | $\cdots$ | 21,497 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | ... ... | 20,138 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | October ... <br> November... <br> *December... | 21,810 | 9,709 | 10,037 | 1,183 | 881 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,747 \\ & 14,317 \\ & 12,828 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,390 \\ & 6,688 \\ & 5,935 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,353 \\ & 6,680 \\ & 5,990 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 603 \\ & 554 \\ & 436 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 401 \\ & 395 \\ & 467 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,704 \\ & 15,994 \\ & 13,509 \end{aligned}$ | 7,2068,8296,768 |
|  |  | 21,842 | 9,893 | 9,834 | 1,289 | 826 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 21,536 | 10,469 | 9,103 | 996 | 968 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January ... February ... *March | 20,018 | $\begin{array}{r} 9,782 \\ 9,039 \\ 10,383 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,312 \\ 8,799 \\ 10,945 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 998 \\ 1,266 \\ 1,382 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 926 \\ 913 \\ 1,133 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,625 \\ & 11,225 \\ & 14,290 \end{aligned}$ | 5,437 <br> 5,415 <br> 6,762 | 5,258 4,747 6,263 | $\begin{aligned} & 467 \\ & 670 \\ & 659 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 463 \\ & 393 \\ & 606 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,998 \\ & 15,773 \\ & 15,918 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,210 \\ & 7,410 \\ & 7,335 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 20,017 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 23,843 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & \text { May } \\ & \text { *June } \end{aligned}$ | 18,211 | 8,491 <br> 9,043 <br> 9,700 | $\begin{array}{r} 8,156 \\ 9,628 \\ 10,414 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 609 \\ & 708 \\ & 677 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,637 \\ & 12,010 \\ & 12,283 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,003 \\ & 5,325 \\ & 5,026 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,804 \\ & 5,778 \\ & 6,387 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 496 \\ & 481 \\ & 522 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 334 \\ & 426 \\ & 348 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,858 \\ & 17,574 \\ & 15,186 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,764 \\ & 8,578 \\ & 7,062 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 20,375 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 21,995 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... <br> August <br> *September... | 18,062 | $\begin{array}{r} 8,719 \\ 3,625 \\ 10,858 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,480 \\ 5,541 \\ 12,066 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,063 \\ 670 \\ 1,044 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 800 \\ & 384 \\ & 801 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,235 \\ 5,082 \\ 12,421 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,621 \\ & 1,497 \\ & 4,899 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,010 \\ & 3,178 \\ & 6,770 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 370 \\ & 209 \\ & 352 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 234 \\ & 198 \\ & 400 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,226 \\ & 11,619 \\ & 18,608 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,821 \\ & 5,071 \\ & 7,970 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 10,220 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 24,769 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November <br> *December ... | 21,008 | 8,859 <br> 8,411 <br> 10,639 | $\begin{aligned} & 10,554 \\ & 10,105 \\ & 10,441 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,014 \\ 971 \\ 1,372 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 581 \\ & 587 \\ & 614 \end{aligned}$ | $8,990$ <br> 8,268 <br> 9,431 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,330 \\ & 3,699 \\ & 4,471 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,924 \\ & 3,966 \\ & 4,157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 412 \\ & 341 \\ & 530 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \\ & 262 \\ & 273 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,812 \\ & 17,670 \\ & 18,205 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,488 \\ & 6,346 \\ & 5,841 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 20,074 23,066 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 23,066 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January February *March | 20,589 | 9,538 <br> 9,612 <br> 10,355 | $\begin{aligned} & 8,857 \\ & 8,276 \\ & 7,528 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,497 \\ & 1,567 \\ & 1,504 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 697 \\ & 646 \\ & 799 \end{aligned}$ | 8,110 <br> 8,955 <br> 9,745 | 3,828 <br> 4,345 <br> 5,124 | 3,415 <br> 3,849 <br> 3,982 | $\begin{aligned} & 574 \\ & 501 \\ & 417 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 293 \\ & 260 \\ & 222 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,512 \\ & 16,489 \\ & 16,664 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,381 \\ & 5,851 \\ & 5,784 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 20,101 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 20,186 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | 16,779 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 6,902 \\ & 7,908 \\ & 8,962 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 546 \\ & 514 \\ & 541 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,849 \\ 9,417 \\ 10,300 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,167 \\ & 4,809 \\ & 5,357 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,222 \\ & 3,984 \\ & 4,354 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 310 \\ & 429 \\ & 431 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \\ & 195 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,315 \\ & 16,057 \\ & 15,180 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,642 \\ & 5,722 \\ & 5,364 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May ... | 19,676 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *June | 21,674 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... | 18,294 | $\begin{array}{r} 9,936 \\ 5,207 \\ 13,204 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,976 \\ & 5,221 \\ & 9,576 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 977 \\ 768 \\ 1,222 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 405 \\ & 278 \\ & 620 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,194 \\ 5,789 \\ 11,909 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,768 \\ & 2,336 \\ & 5,640 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,890 \\ & 3,030 \\ & 5,466 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 375 \\ & 260 \\ & 509 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 161 \\ & 163 \\ & 294 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,213 \\ & 11,079 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,825 \\ & 4,049 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... | 11,474 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | *September... | 24,622 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November. December... | 21,741 | 12,001 | 8,072 | 1,045 | 623 | 10,189 | 5,075 | 4,453 | 388 | 273 |  |  |

[^12]Locomotives : Production ${ }^{1}$ )

| TABLE 61 |  |  |  |  | Annual and quarterly totals |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number <br> Electric |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 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 ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | For export |  | For main line railways in the United Kingdom |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Under 275 h.p. | 275 h.p. and over | Under 275 h.p. | 275 h.p. and over | Under 275 h.p. | 275 h.p. and over |  |
| 1935 | 717 | .. | . | $137\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | . | .. | . | . | . | .. | . | .. |
| 1949 ... | 826 808 |  | 67 73 | 389 355 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - 3 |
| $\begin{array}{lll}1950 \\ 1951 & \ldots . . & \ldots \\ 1952\end{array}$ | 808 | 380 293 | 73 49 | 355 <br> 377 | 515 519 | 二 | 25 20 | 119 147 | 4 5 | 350 303 366 | 17 44 | 3 23 |
| 1952 … $\ldots$ | 559 | 210 | 50 | 299 | 651 | 4 | 58 | 172 | 10 | 366 | 41 | 25 |
| 1951 3rd quarter | 178 | 79 | 10 |  | 112 | - | 7 |  | I | 57 | 12 | 8 |
| 4th quarter | 174 | 89 | 7 | 78 | 160 | - | 8 | 46 | 3 | 83 | 20 | 3 |
| 1952 Ist quarter | 148 | 57 | 18 | 73 |  | 4 | ${ }^{6}$ | 31 | 4 | 87 | 18 | 12 |
| 2nd quarter | 152 | 60 | 10 | 82 | 156 | 4 | 10 | 37 | 4 | 91 | 10 | 7 |
| 3 rd quarter | 102 | 33 | 4 18 | 65 79 | 162 187 | - | 10 32 | 50 54 | 2 | 91 | 9 | 4 |
| 4th quarter | 157 | 60 |  |  |  |  |  |  | - | 97 | 4 |  |
| 1953 Ist quarter | 116 | 32 | 21 | 63 | 146 | 6 | 5 | 44 | 2 | 87 | 2 | 2 |
| 2nd quarter | 112 | 28 | 20 | 64 | 143 | - | 5 | 47 | 5 | 80 | 6 | 2 |
| 3 rd quarter | 117 | 42 | 19 | 56 | 143 | 1 | 5 | 46 | 3 | 81 | 7 | 2 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Production by British Railways and by private manufacturers.
(2) Industrial locomotives.
${ }^{(3)}$ Number exported.

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Railway rolling stock and other equipment and aircraft: Production
TABLE 62
Annual and monthly totals


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Tractors, battery-driven electric road vehicles and cycles : Production
TABLE 63
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Industrial and agricultural tractors( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Batterydriven electric road vehicles ${ }^{3}$ ) Total $\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | Motor cycles |  |  | Pedal cycles ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Wheeled ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Track-laying |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total value ${ }^{5}$ ) | Total | For export | Total value ${ }^{5}$ ) |  | Total ( ${ }^{6}$ ) | For export $\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | Total value ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Total | For export |
|  |  | Number |  | $£ 000$ | Number |  | $¢ 000$ | Number | Thousands |  | ¢000 | Thousands |  |
| 1935 |  | . | . |  |  | $\cdots$ | - |  | $5 \cdot 39$ | $1.50{ }^{(7)}$ |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  | 7,358 | 4,543 | 2,335 | 222 | $\begin{aligned} & 144 \\ & 178 \\ & 237 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \\ & 264 \\ & 462 \\ & 660 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218 \\ & 180 \\ & 144 \\ & 136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.75 \\ & 14.27 \\ & 14.31 \\ & 13.15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.40 \\ & 6.87 \\ & 7.77 \\ & 5.81 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,150 \\ & 1,444 \\ & 1,714 \\ & 1,768 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 293 \\ & 294 \\ & 336 \\ & 302 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 191 \\ & 182 \\ & 233 \\ & 239 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | 9,788 | 6,877 | 3,673 | $\begin{aligned} & 240 \\ & 316 \\ & 283 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 |  | 11,449 | 8,996 | 4,723 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | ... ... | 10,234 | 7,425 | 4,898 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | October ... | 10,241 | 6,380 |  |  | 191 | $786\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 145 \\ & 148^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 13.44 \\ 9.78 \\ 10 \cdot 22^{*} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.21 \\ & 3.97 \\ & 4.82^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,511 \\ & 1,479 \\ & 1,542 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \\ & 276 \\ & 258 \end{aligned}$ | 252208191 |
|  | November... | 8,546 | 5,719 | 4,300 | 320 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December... | 8,299 | 6,312 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 195 | January ... | $\begin{array}{r} 7,403 \\ 8,606 \\ 11,555 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,311 \\ & 5,630 \\ & 7,439 \end{aligned}$ | \} 4,498 | 238 | 138 | $813\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 122 \\ & 131^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.78 \\ & 10.79 \\ & 13.37 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 86 \\ & 5.67 \\ & 4 \cdot 66^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,303 \\ & 1,762 \\ & 2,095 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 199 \\ & 226 \\ & 215 \end{aligned}$ | 155166160 |
|  | February ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 9,818 \\ & 8,895 \\ & 8,312 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,945 \\ & 6,660 \\ & 5,948 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 4,298$ | 255 | 166 | $899\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118 \\ & 133 \\ & 163^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.66 \\ & 13.62 \\ & 16.10^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 40 \\ & 5 \cdot 53 \\ & 7 \cdot 38^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,895 \\ & 2,101 \\ & 1,709 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 232 \\ & 259 \\ & 246 \end{aligned}$ | 171181171 |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... ... | $\begin{array}{r} 8,470 \\ 7,535 \\ 10,836 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,071 \\ & 5,811 \\ & 8,028 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 115 \\ 84 \\ 134^{*} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14.13 \\ 8.70 \\ 11.61^{*} \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 50 \\ & 4.47 \\ & 4.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,064 \\ & 1,078 \\ & 1,724 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 246 \\ & 202 \\ & 289 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 143 \\ & 28 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $6 \cdot 39$ |  |  |  |
|  | November... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Tractors of 10 belt horse-power and over.
Source : Ministry of Supply
${ }^{2}$ ) Including half track.
(3) Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
(4) From December 1950 figures relate to deliveries.
$\left.{ }^{(5}\right)$ Value figures relate to deliveries and include parts and accessories.
${ }^{(6)}$ 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 (*).
${ }^{(7)}$ Number exported.

## Agricultural machinery : Production

TABLE 64
Annual and quarterly totals

|  |  |  | Tractors |  | Mouldboard ploughs |  | Disc harrows | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Corn } \\ & \text { drills }{ }^{1} \text { ) } \end{aligned}$ | 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 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | E million |  |
| 1937 | ... | $\ldots$ | 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 | - |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  | $\ldots$ | 90,411 | 25,235 | 51,572 | 20,196 | 11,819 | 3,533 | 26,033 | 6,969 | 807 | 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 | $42 \cdot 8$ |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | 140,210 | 37,875 | 61,724 | 7,443 | 13,109 | 6,623 | 28,361 | 5,089 | 573 | 5,999 | 14.993 | $106 \cdot 8$ | 59.0 |
| 1952 | ... ... |  | 124,270 | 29,833 | 44,715 | 3,614 | 14,563 | 6,719 | 23,618 | 3,322 | 438 | 5,306 | 9,895 | 106.1 | 58.5 |
| 1951 | 2nd quarter <br> 3 rd quarter <br> 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 37,699 | 10,039 | 14,018 | 1,265 | 2,849 | 1,011 | 10,952 | 2,007 | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 137 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,414 \\ & 2,032 \\ & 1,604 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,635 \\ & 3,840 \\ & 3,177 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 9 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \\ & 27 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.8 \\ & 14.5 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | 31,552 | 9,365 | 14,866 | 1,091 | 2,547 | 1,882 | 4.537 | 2,202 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 34,751 | 9,742 | 17,760 | 3,916 | 4,086 | 1,792 | 4,980 | 577 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 33,672 | 9,969 | 14,980 | 262 | 4,716 | 1,912 | 8,734 | 463 | $\begin{array}{r} 130 \\ 93 \\ 99 \\ 116 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,758 \\ 1,718 \\ 1,198 \\ 632 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,673 \\ & 2,453 \\ & 2,476 \\ & 2,293 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.3 \\ & 29.6 \\ & 24.3 \\ & 22.9 \end{aligned}$ | $15 \cdot 5$ $17 \cdot 5$ $13 \cdot 3$ $12 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | ... | 34,331 | 9,171 | 12,370 | 1,011 | 3,581 | 1,782 | 10,199 | 1,249 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 28,741 | 5,125 | 7,933 | 970 | 3,468 | 1,732 | 3,322 | 1,161 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 27,526 | 5,568 | 9,432 | 1,371 | 2,798 | 1,293 | 1,363 | 449 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter |  | 27,897 | 7,010 | 7,309 | 2,145 | 2,589 | 1,677 | 3,684 | 119 | 40 | 895 | 1,967 | 23.1 | 11.7 |
|  |  | ... | 27,128 | 7,820 | 5,167 | 3,032 | 1,935 | 205 | 6,668 | 244 | 57 | 1,609 | 2,101 | 24.1 | 12.8 |

[^13]Mechanical handling equipment and excavators: Production
TABLE 65
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excludes underground conveyors (shown under coal mining machinery) and lifts and hoists.
Civil engineering and contracting plant : Production


## MANUFACTURED GOODS <br> Coal mining machinery: Deliveries

TABLE 67

${ }^{1}$ ) Including cutter-loaders.
${ }^{(2)}$ Excluding those produced at collieries. Output is mainly for the National Coal Board.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Production. Output is mainly for the National Coal Board.
Textile, leather, printing and tobacco machinery: Deliveries
TABLE 68
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Hosiery, knitting, lace and embroidery machinery $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ |  | Other textile machinery ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Hosiery and knitting machine needles |  | Tanning and leather-working machinery ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Printing, bookbinding and paperworking machinery ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | Tobacco and cigarette-making machinery ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { For } \\ & \text { export } \end{aligned}$ | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  | Value $£$ million |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 |  | 77 | $40\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 0.95 | $0.54{ }^{(2)}$ | . | . | $13 \cdot 3$ | . | 283 | $95\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 49 | $16\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| 1949 1950 |  | 460 494 | 239 249 | 5.13 5.30 | 2.76 2.78 | 61.2 70.1 | 17.4 20.8 | 72.8 78.9 | 25.4 $30 \cdot 3$ | 1,187 1,458 | 616 744 | 323 299 | 210 195 |
| 1951 | $\cdots$ | 576 | 311 | $5 \cdot 78$ | 2.88 2.88 | $77 \cdot 3$ | 22.8 | 78.9 93.2 | $30 \cdot 3$ 27.0 | 1,458 | 744 698 | 299 334 | 195 224 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 608 | 372 | $5 \cdot 83$ | $3 \cdot 18$ | 73.4 | 21.4 | $90 \cdot 1$ | 28.2 | 1,487 | 702 | 371 | 264 |
| 1952 |  |  |  |  |  | $73 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 68.7 | 27.9 | 1,363 | 685 | 477 | 379 |
|  | August | 375 | 243 | c $5 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 2$ 2 | $54 \cdot 8$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 68.9 | $35 \cdot 7$ | 1,192 | 623 | 253 | 164 |
|  | September |  |  | $\int 5$ | 2. 2 | $77 \cdot 8$ | 22.4 | 89.0 | $27 \cdot 9$ | 1,413 | 732 | 378 | 285 |
|  | October |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 734 |  | 241 |
|  | November December. | $\begin{aligned} & 612 \\ & 712 \end{aligned}$ | 374 445 | \} $5 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 2$ 2 | $69 \cdot 3$ 64.4 | 20.8 | 86.4 | $26 \cdot 8$ | 1,415 | 630 | 356 | 290 |
|  |  |  |  | f | 2 2 |  |  |  |  | 1,883 |  |  | 316 |
| 1953 | January ... | 609 | 400 |  |  | $66 \cdot 7$ | 19.9 | 89.9 | $24 \cdot 3$ | 1,270 | 587 | 354 | 272 |
|  | February ... | 650 | 365 | 5 $5 \cdot 0$ | 2.7 2 | $70 \cdot 3$ | 20.7 | 73.9 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 1,327 | 707 | 310 | 231 |
|  | March .. | 701 | 476 |  |  | $70 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | $82 \cdot 2$ | 22.4 | 1,362 | 699 | 478 | 342 |
|  | April | 601 | 369 | \} $4 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 5\{$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | 600 | 378 |  |  | 71.8 | 16.4 | $86 \cdot 6$ | 29.4 | 1,326 | 737 | 413 | 320 |
|  | June | 651 |  |  |  |  |  | 76.9 | $13 \cdot 3$ | 1,459 | 630 | 460 | 387 |
|  | July ... | 676 | 442 |  |  | 67.4 | $20 \cdot 6$ | $77 \cdot 0$ | 28.1 | 1,412 | 723 | 323 | 218 |
|  | August ... <br> September | 419 705 | 235 410 |  |  | 48.4 74.9 | 14.4 | $60 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 1,111 | 480 | 252 | 192 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 74.9 | 23.5 | $72 \cdot 5$ | $24 \cdot 4$ |  |  | 394 | 321 |

[^14]$\left.{ }^{2}{ }^{2}\right)$ Value of exports.

|  |  |  |  | Welding sets (arc and resistance) |  | Welding electrodes(1) |  | Portable power tools ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Engineers' small tools |  | Air and gas compressors and exhausters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  |  | Value $\mathrm{f000}$ |  | Million feet |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 20 | . | . | . | 58 | .. | . | . | 107 | 33 (3) |
|  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  | 279 |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 216 269 | 57 63 | 93.1 112.2 | 23.4 23.7 | 721 892 | 321 384 | 2,514 3,738 | 546 702 | 543 619 | 219 260 |
| 1951 1952 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 269 318 | 63 104 | 112.2 114 | 23.7 21.0 | 1,017 | 384 430 | 3,738 4,565 | 732 | 795 | 330 |
| 1951 |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 244 \\ & 276 \end{aligned}$ | 556475 | $\begin{aligned} & 115.4 \\ & 109.7 \\ & 109.1 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 590 \\ & 594 \\ & 713 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 4 \\ & 23 \cdot 7 \\ & 17 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 901 \\ & 870 \\ & 991 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 402 \\ & 381 \\ & 403 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,715 \\ & 3,725 \\ & 4,341 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 670 \\ & 698 \\ & 834 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 256 \\ & 247 \\ & 290 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 314 \\ & 285 \\ & 319 \\ & 352 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 91 \\ 117 \\ 110 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.1 \\ & 113.1 \\ & 106.7 \\ & 124.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.9 \\ & 21.1 \\ & 18.9 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,020 \\ 1,049 \\ 925 \\ 1,074 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 465 \\ & 392 \\ & 379 \\ & 483 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,789 \\ & 4,664 \\ & 4,161 \\ & 4,647 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 881 \\ & 750 \\ & 602 \\ & 694 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 749 \\ & 871 \\ & 695 \\ & 828 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 312 \\ & 324 \\ & 291 \\ & 371 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 358 \\ & 326 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \cdot 2 \\ 90 \cdot 0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 8 \\ & 16 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 993 \\ & 972 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \\ & 396 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,608 \\ & 4,289 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 624 \\ & 596 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 781 \\ & 740 \end{aligned}$ | 322282 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 70
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Metal-working machine tools ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Wood-working machine tools( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Internal combustion engines( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Comple | engine |  |  |  |  | Parts and accessories |
|  |  | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total |  | For export | Total |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total |
|  |  | Tons | Value $£ 000$ |  | Tons | Value $£ 000$ |  | Thousands | Thousand B.H.P. | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |
| 1935 | ... ... |  |  |  | .. | 509 |  |  | 53 |  | . | . | 351 | .. |  |
| 1949 1950 | $\cdots$ | 9,437 9,625 | 3,087 3,338 | 1,200 1,214 | 1,307 1,356 | 426 410 | 143 141 | 19.7 25.4 | 252 298 | 2,671 3,010 | 1,532 1,820 | 634 760 |
| 1951 | ... ... | 11,085 | 4,049 | 1,401 | 1,399 | 442 | 159 | 32.5 | 353 | 3,546 | 2,043 | 930 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 12,580 | 5,167 | 1,693 | 1,388 | 483 | 218 | 28.4 | 331 | 3,631 | 1,912 | 1,113 |
| 1952 | July ... | 11,540 | 4,394 | 1,542 | 1,120 | 397 | 172 | $27 \cdot 5$ | 302 | 3,367 | 1,761 | 1,193 |
|  | August ... | 9,600 | 3,645 | 1,215 | 730 | 248 | 95 | 16.8 | 236 | 2,804 | 1,500 | 1,086 |
|  | September | 13,350 | 5,439 | 1,696 | 1,238 | 426 | 184 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 282 | 3,096 | 1,468 | 1,019 |
|  | October ... | 14,700 | 6,731 | 2,197 | 1,410 | 557 | 220 | $22 \cdot 8$ | 315 | 3,376 | 1,690 | 1,146 |
|  | November | 12,400 | 5,291 | 1,661 | 874 | 331 | 136 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 350 | 3,793 | 1,843 | 1,028 |
|  | December | 14,300 | 6,368 | 1,971 | 1,210 | 512 | 206 | 18.7 | 334 | 3,739 | 1,439 | 1,214 |
| 1953 |  | 17,467 |  |  | 1,038 | 395 | 155 | 19.2 | 311 | 3,184 | 1,380 | 1,054 |
|  | February... | 11,942 | 5,356 | 1,671 | 934 | 354 | 135 | 19.0 | 307 | 3,378 | 1,312 | 1,117 |
|  |  | 13,111 | 5,883 | 2,015 | 1,092 | 431 | 141 | 19.8 | 317 | 3,267 | 1,312 | 1,167 |
|  | April ... | 14,117 | 5,306 | 1,762 | 1,007 | 380 | 148 | 22.1 | 303 | 3,177 | 1,189 | 1,158 |
|  | May | 13,132 | 6,005 | 1,914 | 1,285 | 472 | 158 | $22 \cdot 7$ | 332 | 3,423 | 1,198 | 1,049 |
|  | June | 11,824 | 5,321 | 1,533 | 1,042 | 371 | 134 | 23.1 | 308 | 3,182 | 1,242 | 1,037 |
|  | July ... | 11,775 | 5,289 | 1,994 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 7,877 | 3,737 | 1,162 | 896 | 340 | 152 | 18.1 | 263 | 2,873 | 1,197 | , 876 |
|  | September | 13,691 | 6,006 | 1,966 | 1,093 | 429 | 175 | $22 \cdot 1$ | 321 | 3,360 | 1,129 | 1,051 |

[^15]MANUFACTURED GOODS
Steam engines, boilers, steam-raising plant and industrial valves : Deliveries

## TABLE 71



Source : Ministry of Supply

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

TABLE 72
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Electricity generating plant |  |  |  |  |  | Rotating electrical machines( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  | Electrical control $\operatorname{gear}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Hydraulic turbines |  | Steam turboalternators $10,000 \mathrm{~kW}$. and over |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Steam turbines } \\ & \text { less than } \\ & 10,000 \mathrm{~kW} \text {. } \end{aligned}$ |  | 1-250 horse-power kVA. or kW. |  | Over 250 horse-power kVA. or kW. |  | Fractional horse-power |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  | Thousand B.H.P. |  | Thousand kW. |  |  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 ... |  |  | $37 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 165.0 | 47.8 | 22.8 | 13.1 | 1,874 | 484 | 200 | 69 | 528 | 108 | 1,077 | 254 |
| 1950. |  | $\ldots$ | 49.1 | $36 \cdot 2$ | 194.0 | 69.1 | 17.6 | 9.7 | 1,890 | 447 | 281 | 95 | 543 | 118 | 1,220 | 299 |
| 1951 ... |  |  | $37 \cdot 7$ | 37.5 | 154.4 | 70.0 | 18.6 | 9.6 | 2,066 | 507 | 301 | 97 | 708 | 197 | 1,517 | 421 |
| 1952 ... | .. | ... | 42.9 | $33 \cdot 4$ | $170 \cdot 2$ | $77 \cdot 8$ | 29.4 | $14 \cdot 3$ | 2,477 | 500 | 394 | 152 | 740 | 197 | 1,795 | 466 |
| 1952 | July |  | $1 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 170.0 | 125.0 |  |  | 2,329 | 500 | 312 | 115 | 609 | 170 | 1,900 | 326 |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | $72 \cdot 8$ | $72 \cdot 8$ | $75 \cdot 0$ | $75 \cdot 0$ | 26.7 | 14.0 | 1,837 | 368 | 251 | 111 | 428 | 89 | 1,200 | 253 |
|  | September |  | $21 \cdot 2$ | 21.2 | 218.8 | 158.8 |  |  | 2,547 | 488 | 403 | 116 | 656 | 170 | 1,991 | 469 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $30 \cdot 0$ |  |  | 2,653 | 551 | 480 | 181 | 674 | 149 | 2,148 | 501 |
|  | November |  | 102.9 | 102.9 | $302 \cdot 5$ | $130 \cdot 0$ | 388.9 | 16.0 | 2,566 | 420 | 573 | 234 | 644 | 175 | 1,780 | 495 |
|  | December |  |  | 56.0 |  |  | ) | 16.0 | 2,860 | 655 | 650 | 368 | 614 | 159 | 1,927 | 462 |
| 1953 | January | $\cdots$ | 27.5 | 27.5 | 135.0 | $75 \cdot 0$ |  |  | 2,537 | 465 | 435 | 220 | 662 | 167 |  |  |
|  | February | ... | $64 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 6$ | 307.0 | $80 \cdot 0$ | $13 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 2,345 | 418 | 433 | 203 | 557 | 157 | 1,702 | 512 |
|  | March | ... | $60 \cdot 0$ | $60 \cdot 0$ | 219.0 | $25 \cdot 0$ |  |  | 2,854 | 527 | 476 | 235 | 622 | 166 | 2,050 | 610 |
|  | April |  | 52.7 | 52.7 | 220.0 |  |  |  |  | 463 | 347 | 76 | 570 | 143 |  |  |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | 98.5 | 98.5 | 80.0 | $80 \cdot 0$ | 19.3 | 7.0 | 2,543 | 415 | 534 | 226 | 656 | 147 | 1,846 | 511 |
|  | June ... | ... | 54.2 | 54.2 | $246 \cdot 5$ | 102.5 | $\int 19$ | 7.0 | 2,584 | 406 | 472 | 229 | 627 | 162 | 1,741 | 662 |
|  | July ... | $\cdots$ |  | - 7 | $130 \cdot 8$ | 38.8 |  |  | 2,378 | 411 | 555 | 284 |  |  | 1,970 | 595 |
|  | August September | $\ldots$ | 37.7 9.7 | 37.7 9.0 | $75 \cdot 0$ | $30 \cdot 0$ |  |  | 2,038 | 413 | 359 | 169 | 464 | 92 |  |  |

(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 73
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value $f$ thousand

|  |  |  |  | Refrigerating machinery |  |  |  |  |  | Industrial furnaces ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Domestic |  | Commercial |  | Industrial |  | Electric | Other | Electric | Other |
|  |  |  |  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { For } \\ & \text { export } \end{aligned}$ | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { For } \\ & \text { export } \end{aligned}$ | Total |  | For export |  |
| 1949 | .. $\quad$. | $\ldots$ | ... | 775 | 391 | 643 |  | 232 | 100 | 187 | 437 | 55 | 73 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | ... | 990 | 545 | 677 | 177 | 296 | 110 | 207 | 523 | 40 | 67 |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | ... | 1,232 | 777 | 737 | 262 | 338 | 99 | 245 | 680 | 52 | 90 |
| 1952 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 979 | 748 | 627 | 215 | 389 | 108 | 318 | 691 | 54 | 90 |
| 1952 | July | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,078 | 716 | 737 | 224 | 288 | 114 | 273 | 688 | 40 | 131 |
|  | August | ... | ... | 674 | 468 | 429 | 133 | 512 | 123 | 245 | 592 | 43 | 72 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 893 | 620 | 631 | 197 | 686 | 127 | 319 | 588 | 19 | 67 |
|  | October | ... | $\ldots$ | 774 | 582 | 485 | 181 | 200 | 89 | 382 | 646 | 59 | 107 |
|  | November |  | ... | 591 | 443 | 527 | 178 | 241 | 88 | 411 | 531 | 54 | 77 |
|  | December | ... | ... | 550 | 469 | 438 | 147 | 271 | 75 | 446 | 663 | 97 | 105 |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 674 | 616 | 449 | 161 | 501 | 201 | 339 | 663 | 86 | 94 |
|  | February |  | ... | 608 | 550 | 588 | 259 | 413 | 167 | 329 | 642 | 72 | 90 |
|  | March ... |  | ... | 868 | 770 | 722 | 278 | 496 | 191 | 393 | 685 | 73 | 89 |
|  | April |  | $\ldots$ | 1,257 | 712 | 704 | 278 | 460 | 131 | 371 | 651 | 45 | 70 |
|  | May | $\ldots$ | ... | 1,607 | 825 | 810 | 302 | 391 | 138 | 408 | 727 | 54 | 153 |
|  | June | ... | $\ldots$ | 1,452 | 844 | 772 | 297 | 245 | 45 | 443 | 669 | 64 | 163 |
|  | July | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,273 | 748 | 682 | 213 | 316 | 103 | 336 | 1,057 | 67 | 131 |
|  | August | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 964 | 577 | 411 | 143 | 221 | 93 | 291 | 654 | 42 | 101 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,186 | 797 | 647 | 247 | 486 | 140 | 374 | 726 | 69 | 128 |

TABLE 73 (continued)

|  |  |  |  | Pumps and pumping plant |  | Water treatment plant |  | Fire extinguisher and sprinkler equipment |  | Domestic hand-operated laundering machinery ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Needles and fish hooks |  | Lawn mowers |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
| 1935 | ... ... | ... | ... | 198 | $71\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | . | . | .. | . | . | . | .. | . | 74 | $8{ }^{3}$ ) |
| 1949 | .. ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 1,393 | 421 | 297 | 114 | 401 | 123 | 232 | 23 | 130 | 96 | 254 | 74 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | ... | 1,602 | 506 | 326 | 124 | 478 | 161 | 268 | 38 | 141 | 105 | 317 | 123 |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | ... | 1,815 | 566 | 388 | 139 | 565 | 189 | 331 | 54 | 164 | 124 | 346 | 162 |
| 1952 | ... | ... | ... | 2,171 | 694 | 519 | 162 | 666 | 210 | 231 | 33 | 103 | 67 | 302 | 127 |
| 1952 | July | ... | $\ldots$ | 2,106 | 644 | 465 | 169 | 540 | 152 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | ... | ... | 1,800 | 594 | 404 | 140 | 573 | 199 | 155 | 32 | \} 74 | 44 | 162 | 83 |
|  | September | . | ... | 2,280 | 793 |  |  |  |  |  |  | \} |  |  |  |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,264 | 736 | 582 | 187 | 672. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November December | ... | $\cdots$ | 2,268 $\mathbf{2}, 598$ | 707 | 487 | 165 | 705 | 202 | 180 | 33 | \} 95 | 59 | 188 | 119 |
| 1953 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | January .. | .. | $\ldots$ | 2,154 | 608 | 569 | 259 | 564 | 179 | 187 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February March |  | $\cdots$ | 2,414 2,780 | 748 870 | 466 | 145 | 525 | 148 | 194 | 39 | \} 89 | 53 | 520 | 173 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  | 178 | 596 | 168 | 217 |  | $\int$ |  |  |  |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,654 | 844 | 565 | 159 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | ... | ... | 2,606 | 719 | 520 | 135 | 588 | 154 | 182 | 26 | \} 89 | 56 | 438 | 121 |
|  | June | ... | ... | 2,693 | 786 | 540 | 129 | 655 | 194 | 160 |  |  |  | 438 | 121 |
|  | July |  |  | 2,576 | 757 |  |  | 571 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  | $\ldots$ | 2,421 | 698 | 501 | 163 | 574 | 148 | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 178 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  | ... | 2,605 | 811 | 363 | 65 | 704 | 242 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Including kilns for brick, tile and pottery manufacture but excluding blast and open
Source : Ministry of Supply hearth furnaces and soaking pits.
${ }^{(2}$ ) Including wringers, mangles and washing machines.
${ }^{(3)}$ Value of exports.

TABLE 74
Monthly averages or calendar months

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

Metal furniture : Production and supplies for the home market $\left({ }^{1}\right)$
TABLE 75 Monthly averages
Value $£$ thousand

|  |  |  | Industrial equipment ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Office furniture |  | Safes ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |  | Other metal furniture(') |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market |
| $\begin{aligned} & \left.1949 / 500^{(5}\right) \\ & 1950 / 511^{(5)} \\ & 1951 / 52\left(^{(5)}\right. \\ & 1952 / 53\left(^{5}\right) \end{aligned}$ | -.. ... | $\ldots$ | 293.4 | 246.9 | 369.5 | 279.0 | $47 \cdot 7$ | 21.2 | $417 \cdot 6$ | $331 \cdot 7$ |
|  | ... | $\ldots$ | 321.5 | $264 \cdot 0$ | 409.4 | 312.3 | 48.9 | 23.2 | 391.2 | 318.1 |
|  | ) |  | $361 \cdot 5$ | 284.7 | 531.0 | 363.2 | 61.4 | $27 \cdot 2$ | $446 \cdot 1$ | 365.1 |
|  | ) |  | $451 \cdot 2$ | $346 \cdot 5$ | 535.5 | $340 \cdot 0$ | 68.0 | 27.7 | 612.9 | $431 \cdot 9$ |
| 1951/52 F | February-April May-July <br> August-October ... <br> November-January | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 469.2 | 400.2 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 342.5 | $271 \cdot 3$ | 512.3 | $360 \cdot 2$ | 59.4 | 26.8 | $456 \cdot 8$ | 373.8 |
|  |  | ... | 382.0 | 301.8 | $517 \cdot 6$ | 333.9 | $65 \cdot 3$ | 27.2 | $440 \cdot 3$ | 357.1 |
|  |  | ... | $417 \cdot 7$ | 324.0 | 611.6 | 409.1 | $68 \cdot 9$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | $418 \cdot 2$ |  |
| 1952/53 $\begin{array}{r}\text { F } \\ \mathrm{M} \\ \mathrm{A} \\ \mathrm{N}\end{array}$ | February-April May-July <br> August-October ... <br> November-January | ... | $412 \cdot 3$ | 323.0 | $575 \cdot 0$ | 372-2 | $67 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 3$ | $415 \cdot 5$ | 308.1 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $427 \cdot 2$ | 339.3 | 562.0 | 373.9 | 73.9 | 29.8 | $667 \cdot 3$ | $457 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  | ... | $471 \cdot 1$ | $343 \cdot 3$ | $481 \cdot 8$ | 291.5 | $58 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | 682.5 | 483.7 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $494 \cdot 4$ | $380 \cdot 2$ | 523.2 | 322.6 | 71.9 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 686.4 | $478 \cdot 0$ |
| 1953/54 F | $\begin{aligned} & \text { February-April } \\ & \text { May-July ... } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $510 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  | ... | $547 \cdot 1$ | $388 \cdot 2$ | $462 \cdot 6$ | 316.0 | $62 \cdot 4$ | 24.3 | 609.9 | $457 \cdot 3$ |

(1) Sales by manufacturers.
${ }^{2}$ ) Shelving, racking, cupboards, etc.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Excluding safes of a capacity exceeding 1,000 cubic inches with one or more metal walls over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch gauge.
${ }^{4}$ ) Excluding wire mattresses and utility metal furniture.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{\circ}\right)$ Year ended January.

MANUFACTURED GOODS
Clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms, cameras and domestic sewing machines : Deliveries

TABLE 76
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{1}$ ) Excluding imports.

## Domestic radio and television receiving sets $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ : Production and sales $\left({ }^{2}\right)$

Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Radio receivers and radiograms |  |  |  |  |  |  | Television receivers |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Production | Home sales |  |  |  | Export sales |  | Production | Home sales |  | Export sales |  |
|  |  |  | Radio sets | Radiograms |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Thousands | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { £ } 000 \end{aligned}$ | Thousands | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { E0000 } \end{aligned}$ | Thousands | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { EOOO } \end{aligned}$ | Thousands |  | Value 6000 | Thousands | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { E000 } \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  | 112 | . |  |  |  | 26 | 420 | $17 \cdot 6$ | 17.4 | . | - |  |
|  | ... ... | ... | 151 |  | . |  | $\ldots$ | 31 | 462 | 45.1 | 42.4 | $\cdots$ | - | - |
|  | ... ... | ... | 174 | 95 | . | 18 | . | 49 | 522 | 59.2 | $57 \cdot 6$ | $\ldots$ | 0.1 | 2 |
|  | ... ... | ... | 103 | 55 | .. | 11 | . | 44 | 472 | $67 \cdot 6$ | 65.3 | . | $0 \cdot 5$ | 35 |
| 1952 | July |  |  |  | . | 6 | .. | 41 | 472 | 51.4 | $41 \cdot 7$ | . | 0.2 | 14 |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 69 | 38 | $\ldots$ | 6 | $\ldots$ | 35 | 386 | 40.4 | $35 \cdot 3$ | $\cdots$ | 1.0 | 61 |
|  | September | ... |  |  | .. |  | $\ldots$ | 31 | 353 | 69.5 | $75 \cdot 6$ | $\ldots$ | 1.2 | 89 |
|  | October ... | $\ldots$ | 101 | 74 | . | 15 | .. | 47 | 507 | $90 \cdot 5$ | 108.0 | . | 0.9 |  |
|  | November... | ... | 82 | 61 | . | 17 | $\cdots$ | 32 | 381 | $85 \cdot 3$ | 97.3 | $\ldots$ | 1.0 | 74 |
|  |  | ... | 70 | 52 | . | 14 | $\ldots$ |  |  | $87 \cdot 2$ | $100 \cdot 2$ | $\ldots$ | 1.3 |  |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | 78 | 50 | .. | 8 | .. | 32 | 346 | 74.8 | 67.4 | .. | $1 \cdot 3$ | 99 |
|  | February ... | ... | 71 | 41 | . | 6 | . | 33 | 337 | $72 \cdot 7$ | $64 \cdot 8$ | .. | 1.1 | 80 |
|  | March ... | ... | 67 | 39 | . | 6 |  | 38 | 407 | $92 \cdot 0$ | 77.4 | . | $0 \cdot 2$ | 8 |
|  | April | $\cdots$ | 75 | 67 | .. |  |  |  |  | 87.0 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | $\ldots$ | 81 | 61 | $\ldots$ | 8 | $\cdots$ | 29 | 321 | 96.1 | 114.9 | . | 0.1 | 5 |
|  | June | ... | 90 | 58 | . | 6 |  |  | 354 | $70 \cdot 3$ | 73.0 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 647 | 9 | 232 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 84 | 59 | 511 | 8 | 232 | 28 24 | 292 246 | 68.7 64.4 | 68.6 55.4 | 2,569 1,977 | 0.3 0.5 | 12 27 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 115 | 93 | 844 | 13 | 342 | 36 | 342 | 106.1 | 113.5 | 4,080 | 0.5 0.3 | 20 |

[^16]Certain figures in respect of the period January to August 1953 have been revised.

Electrical equipment and appliances: Production
TABLE 78

${ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Fine wires insulated with enamel, glass, paper, silk, etc. are excluded.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Estimated.
${ }^{4}$ ) Number exported.
$\left.{ }^{5}\right)$ Value of exports.
Electrical equipment and appliances: Production
TABLE 79
Monthly averages or calendar months


[^17]$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Value of exports.

# Utility furniture : Supplies ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE 80
Monthly averages


TABLE 80 (continued)

|  |  |  | Upholstered |  |  |  |  | Nursery |  |  | Other |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 3 -piece suites |  | Easy and fireside chairs (singles) | Bedsettees and double divans ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | ```Bed-chairs and single divans(5)``` | Cots | High chairs | Low chairs | Occasional and bedside tables and bedside cabinets | Woven fibre chairs ${ }^{6}$ ) |
|  |  |  | Chairs | Settees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  | ... | $83 \cdot 1$ | 36.9 | $112 \cdot 1$ | 11.3 | 15.1 | $15 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | 43.1 | 20.9 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952\left({ }^{7}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ | 96.1 104.5 | 41.5 40.9 | 122.2 113.8 | 15.5 18.4 | 15.4 22.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.2 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | 6.5 6.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75.4 \\ & 93.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.7 \\ & 19.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $104 \cdot 5$ | $40 \cdot 9$ | 113.8 | 18.4 | $22 \cdot 8$ | $11 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 15.0 | 93.3 |  |
|  | ) | $\ldots$ | $105 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | $102 \cdot 4$ | 18.1 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 9.7 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 1$ | $90 \cdot 3$ | 14.9 |
| 1950 | Jan.-Mar. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14.9 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 12.3 | 66.7 | 17.6 |
|  | April-June | $\ldots$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | 35.3 | 110.5 | 13.4 | 18.8 | 12.6 | 5.7 | 11.3 | $66 \cdot 5$ | 19.4 |
|  | July-Sept. |  | 84.5 | $35 \cdot 9$ | 101.6 | 16.1 | 23.2 | 11.5 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 11.9 | 66.1 | 18.5 |
|  | Oct.-Dec. | $\ldots$ | 127.5 | 53.8 | 154.1 | 21.0 | 26.4 | 14.3 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | $102 \cdot 4$ |  |
| 1951 | Jan.-Mar. |  | 121.5 | 51.8 | 126.9 | 19.2 | 24.3 | 14.6 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 13.1 | 88.5 | $20 \cdot 7$ |
|  | April-june |  | 122.4 | 48.8 | 131.2 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 26.8 | 15.0 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 11.9 | 99.9 | $23 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July-Sept. |  | 71.0 | 25.1 | 82.6 | 15.7 | 20.1 | 9.5 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 11.2 | 78.2 | 17.3 |
|  | Oct.-Dec. | $\ldots$ | 103.2 | 38.2 | 114.5 | 18.0 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 8.0 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 23.7 | 106.7 | 17.0 |
| 1952 | Jan.-Mar. | ... | 108.1 | 42.9 | 97.8 | 18.2 | $20 \cdot 5$ | 9.3 | 6.1 | 16.4 | 86.2 | 12.8 |
|  | April-June |  | $90 \cdot 2$ | 33.7 | 85.8 | 17.5 | 22.1 | 9.3 | 4.4 | 12.5 | 79.1 | 14.5 |
|  | July-Sept. | $\ldots$ | $92 \cdot 5$ | $35 \cdot 8$ | 88.9 | $17 \cdot 7$ | 24.5 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 14.5 | 81.8 | $15 \cdot 0$ |
|  | Oct.-Dec. ${ }^{7}$ ) | ... | $130 \cdot 4$ | $49 \cdot 7$ | $137 \cdot 2$ | 19.0 | 25.9 | $9 \cdot 7$ | 6.1 | 24.9 | 114.1 | 17.1 |

[^18]Source: Board of Trade

## MANUFACTURED GOODS

Floor coverings and mattresses : Production and supplies for the home market

TABLE 81

(1) Including cot size.
${ }^{(2)}$ Year ended November.

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

TABLE 82
Monthly averages

|  |  | Pottery |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Brushes |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Earthenware |  | China |  | Stoneware |  | Jet and Rockingham |  | Household |  | Toilet |  |
|  |  | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market | Production | Supplies for home market |
|  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Millions |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  | 1,382.3 | $667 \cdot 1$ | 453.7 | 157.4 | $37 \cdot 0$ | $33 \cdot 3$ | 34.9 | 22.9 | $4 \cdot 5$ | 4.0 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 2$ |
| 1950 | $\cdots$ | 1,448.6 | $640 \cdot 1$ | 532.7 | 149.7 | 41.0 | 38.1 | 34.0 | 20.7 | 4.4 | 4.1 | $5 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |
| 1951 | ... ... | 1,682.2 | $740 \cdot 5$ | $648 \cdot 2$ | $161 \cdot 3$ | 56.5 | $50 \cdot 4$ | $40 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | 4.7 | 4.4 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 3.9 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 1,652-1 | 964.4 | $700 \cdot 4$ | 275.5 | 58.7 | $53 \cdot 8$ | $37 \cdot 9$ | 24.4 | 3.8 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ |
| 1951 | Jan-Mar. | 1,575.5 | $700 \cdot 3$ | 578.0 | 153.7 | $50 \cdot 2$ | 44.1 | $35 \cdot 5$ | 21.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 4.9 | $5 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April-June... | 1,754.8 | 746.8 | $675 \cdot 8$ | $159 \cdot 3$ | $55 \cdot 4$ | 49.7 | 44.5 | $22 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | $6 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 8$ |
|  | July-Sept. ... | 1,549.2 | 678.4 | 604.1 | 148.2 | 53.9 | 47.1 | 36.4 | 20.1 | 4.4 | 4.0 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 3.9 |
|  | Oct.-Dec. ... | 1,849.2 | 836.3 | 734.8 | 184.1 | 66.5 | $60 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 7$ | 4.1 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 8$ |
| 1952 | Jan.-Mar. ... | 1,796.8 | $836 \cdot 7$ | 724.7 | 185.9 | $62 \cdot 8$ | $57 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 1$ | $26 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 4.1 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April-June... | 1,569.1 | 868.9 | 703.6 | $252 \cdot 2$ | 55.5 | 51.2 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 29.0 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | 5.8 | $4 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July-Sept. ... | 1,471.7 | 928.3 | $631 \cdot 4$ | 279.9 | 54.1 | 49.5 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 20.1 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 3.1 | 6.1 | 4.8 |
|  | Oct.-Dec. ... | 1,770•8 | 1,223.7 | 742.0 | 383.8 | $62 \cdot 2$ | 57.5 | 34.9 | 21.6 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 4.0 |
| 1953 |  |  |  | 698.6 | 306.8 | $49 \cdot 6$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | $33 \cdot 5$ | 21.8 | $4 \cdot 2$ |  |  | 4.1 |
|  | April-June.. | $1,719 \cdot 3$ | 1,098.1 | 692.1 | 313.2 | 54.1 | 49.7 | 34.6 | 20.7 | 4.0 | 3.8 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 3.9 |
|  | July-Sept. ... | 1,574.3 | 939.5 | 657.9 | $275 \cdot 6$ | 68.5 | $55 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 3$ | 21.0 |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Sales by manufacturers.
Source: Board of Trade

Hosiery : Production( ${ }^{(1)}$
Monthly averages

|  | Men's and youths' ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Women's and maids' ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Children's and infants' ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Socks and stockings (pairs) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Pullovers and cardigans | Vests and shirts | Pants and trunks | Jumpers and cardigans | Vests | Knickers and pantees | Outerwear ${ }^{3}$ ) | Underwear and night wear | Men's socks and stockings | Women's stockings | Children's stockings | Women's and children's socks |
| 1937(4) |  | . |  |  | . |  | . | . | $8 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 0\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | . |
| 1949( ${ }^{6}$ ) | 0.95 | 2.03 | 1.76 | $1 \cdot 62$ | 3.21 | 3.07 | 1.93 | 3.74 | 8.73 | 18.52 | 2.83 | 7.08 |
| 1950/51 (7) ... ... | 1.17 | 1.93 | 1.96 | $2 \cdot 25$ | $2 \cdot 92$ | $2 \cdot 62$ | 1.94 | $3 \cdot 58$ | 10.48 | 19.63 | 2.66 | 8.18 |
| 1951/52(7) ... ... | 0.98 | 1.92 | 1.85 | $2 \cdot 24$ | $2 \cdot 51$ | 2.33 | 1. 56 | 3.09 | 10.60 | 20.67 | $2 \cdot 54$ | 8.23 |
| 1952(8) ${ }^{8}$ ( $\ldots$... | 0.83 | 1.59 | 1.48 | $2 \cdot 31$ | 1.83 | 1.78 | 1.61 | $2 \cdot 58$ | $8 \cdot 56$ | 16.89 | $2 \cdot 20$ | 6.43 |
| 1951/52 May-July ... | 1.08 | $2 \cdot 19$ | $2 \cdot 25$ | 2.57 | 2.96 | $2 \cdot 73$ | 1.80 | 3.60 | 11.58 | $21 \cdot 24$ | 2.57 | 8.95 |
| Aug.-Oct. | 0.83 | 1.86 | 1.61 | 1.92 | 2.33 | $2 \cdot 30$ | 1.36 | 2.95 | 9.82 | 19.49 | 2.45 | $7 \cdot 20$ |
| Nov.-Jan. ... | 0.79 | $1 \cdot 52$ | $1 \cdot 36$ | 1.83 | 1.86 | $1 \cdot 74$ | 1. 22 | $2 \cdot 32$ | 9.68 | $21 \cdot 27$ | $2 \cdot 57$ | 7.98 |
| 1952/53 Feb.-April | 0.82 | 1.56 | 1.49 | $2 \cdot 27$ | 1.63 |  | 1.41 |  | $8 \cdot 59$ | 18.70 | $2 \cdot 28$ | 6.72 |
| May-July | 0.76 | 1.52 | 1.46 | $2 \cdot 24$ | 1.53 | 1.45 | 1.62 | 2.45 | 8.11 | 15.64 | 1.91 | 6.62 |
| Aug.-Oct. ... | $\{0.90$ | 1.69 | 1.50 | 2.42 | 2.32 | $2 \cdot 10$ | 1.79 | 3.41 | 8.97 | 16.34 | 2.41 | 5.94 |
| Aug.-Oct. | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}0.86\end{array}\right.$ | 1.66 | 1.49 | $2 \cdot 34$ | $2 \cdot 31$ | $2 \cdot 07$ | 1.76 | $3 \cdot 28$ | 8.88 | $16 \cdot 19$ | $2 \cdot 40$ | 5.92 |
| Nov.-Jan. ... | 0.98 |  |  | $2 \cdot 70$ |  |  | 1.78 | $3 \cdot 61$ | 10.41 | 19.77 |  |  |
| I953/54 Feb.-April | 0.97 | 4.8 |  | 3.28 |  |  | 2.08 | 3.98 | 9.51 | 18.77 |  |  |
| May-July ... | 1.26 | 4.7 |  | 2.91 |  |  | 2.05 | $4 \cdot 35$ | 9.72 | 18.97 |  |  |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ Before November 1952 the figures relate to production by all firms; subsequent figures are sales by establishments employing more than 10 persons. The August-October 1952 figures have been recalculated to exclude firms employing less than 10 persons and are shown for comparison.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Before November 1952 garments made up from warp knitted fabrics are excluded. After that date all knitted garments, including those made up from knitted fabrics of all types, by establishments engaged in knitting, are included.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, hoods, etc.
${ }^{4}$ ) Estimated.
${ }^{5}$ ) Including women's and children's socks.
${ }^{6}$ ) I3 months ended January 1950.
${ }^{7}$ ) Year ended January.
${ }^{(8)} 9$ months ended October 1952.
$\left({ }^{9}\right)$ Described as "Underwear, shirts (including sports shirts) and nightwear". Previously nightwear was excluded and sports shirts were included with pullovers, jumpers and cardigans.

Footwear ${ }^{(1)}$ : Supplies $\left({ }^{( }\right)$
TABLE 84
Monthly averages
Million pairs

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding rubber footwear.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Figures from 1949 relate to total manufacturers' sales and exclude Service footwear.

## VIII. BUILDING

## Output, value of work authorised and licensed, and employment, in Great Britain

TABLE 85

( $)$ Excluding work done under annual maintenance licences and work exempted from authorisation and licensing. The scope of the figures has been affected by changes in the authorisation and licensing exemption limits, which occurred at I February 1950, I July 1952 and I January 1953.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding the output of building operatives employed by private firms outside the building and civil engineering industries.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Employed operatives aged 16 and over. Clerical, technical and administrative workers and self-employed operatives are excluded.
${ }^{(4)}$ Excluding new work exempted from authorisation and licensing; this work appears under the heading of "Repairs and maintenance". The extent of new work so excluded has varied with the changes in exemption limits.
$\left.{ }^{(5}\right)$ Constructional engineers, reinforced concrete specialists, heating and ventilating engineers, electrical contractors, asphalt and tar spraying contractors, flooring contractors and plant hire firms.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Output of building and civil engineering operatives employed directly by Government departments, local authorities and public utilities (e.g. British Railways, British Electricity Authority).
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{7}\right)$ The numbers of building operatives employed by other agencies at May 1952 were :-specialist firms, 118,000 ; local authorities, 161,000; Government departments, 23,000 ; and public utilities, 160,000 . Self-employed operatives in the building and civil engineering industries numbered 119,000 at the same date.

Permanent houses completed

${ }^{(1)}$ Including New Towns Development Corporations ; in Scotland, the Scottish Special Housing Association and, in Northern Ireland, the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.
$\left.\mathbf{(}^{2}\right)$ Including housing associations, other than the Scottish Special Housing Association and the Northern Ireland Housing Trust, and houses provided or authorised by Government departments for the families of police, prison staff, the armed forces and certain other services.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Monthly figures relate to periods of four and five weeks. Five week periods are marked with an asterisk (*).
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Figures for England and Wales relate only to the period April to December.

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Figures for England and Wales relate only to the period April 1945 to December 1946.

[^19]New factory buildings in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 88

|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  | In Development Areas |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Approved |  | Buildings under construction at end of period |  | Completed |  | Approved |  | Buildings under construction at end of period |  | Completed |  |
|  | Number | Value $£ 000$ | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & £ 000 \end{aligned}$ | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & £ 000 \end{aligned}$ | Number | Value $£ 000$ | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & \text { £OOO } \end{aligned}$ | Number | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & £ 000 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1945 | 621 | 31,464 | .. | . |  |  | 289 | 18,258 | 94 | 7,292 | 1 | 38 |
| 1946 | 1,407 | 49,734 |  | . | 1,849 | 46,057 | 433 | 20,982 | 398 | 24,146 | 81 | 2,030 |
| 1947 | 763 | 50,192 |  |  | 1,849 | 46,057 | 293 | 29,434 | 531 | 52,925 | 236 | 8,200 |
| 1948 | 963 | 56,606 | 1,291 | 83,444 |  |  | 203 | 17,164 | 427 | 44,471 | 323 | 14,567 |
| 1949 | 1,960 | 129,953 | 1,084 | 99,411 | 1,025 | 29,526 | 317 | 28,653 | 284 | 47,734 | 358 | 14,696 |
| 1950 | 1,764 | 92,829 | 1,283 | 162,036 | 1,076 | 34,397 | 296 | 16,202 | 292 | 47,018 | 232 | 11,618 |
| $1951 \begin{aligned} & \text { Jan.-Mar. } \\ & \text { April-June } \\ & \text { July-Sept. } \\ & \text { Oct.-Dec. }\end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 495 \\ & 473 \\ & 384 \\ & 320 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,243 \\ & 23,078 \\ & 21,771 \\ & 16,410 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,389 \\ & 1,460 \\ & 1,471 \\ & 1,477 \end{aligned}$ | 175,063 183,303 183,201 155,190 | 252 | 8,25827,129 | 89 | 5,5356,154 | 288309 | 47,13148,812 | 6370 | 3,21018,863 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 329 | 11,848 | 6657 | 6,650 | 331342 | 48,827 | 5357 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,389 \\ & 4,177 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | 324 | 49,656 |  | 7,749 |  | 54,913 |  |  |
| 1952 Jan.-Mar. ... | 245 | 10,70415,781 | 1,4231,344 | 151,312 | 308 | 38,9509,952 |  | 2,589 | 320307 | 43,55945,555 | 6256 | 13,875 |
| April-June... |  |  |  | 154,005 |  |  | 50 |  |  |  |  | 2,935 |
| July-Sept. ... | 255 | 16,186 | 1,197 | 154,521 | 241 | 7,998 | 42 | 5,091 | 283 | 44,386 | 59 | 2,512 |
| Oct.-Dec. ... |  | 11,784 |  | 151,713 | 267 | 13,499 | 50 | 2,761 | 260 | 43,825 | 60 | 6,076 |
| 1953 Jan.-Mar. ... | 387 | 29,834 | 1,165 | 150,728 | 238 | 13,713 | 68 | 19,208 | 262 | 46,953 | 52 | 4,807 |
| April-June... | 454 | 22,826 | 1,220 | 157,272 | 191 | 8,277 | 76 | 6,460 | 271 | 49,273 | 33 | 2,118 |
| July-Sept. ... | 483 | 18,869 | 1,268 | 157,009 | 165 | 8,530 | 72 | 3,290 | 276 | 48,730 | 28 | 1,456 |
| Total to 30 September 1953 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 11,499 | 619,264 | 1,268 | 157,009 | 6,853 | 307,790 | 2,505 | 201,513 | 276 | 48,730 | 1,824 | 116,567 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Schemes with an area of 5,000 square feet and over for new factories and extensions
Source : Board of Trade to existing factories.


[^20]Source: Board of Trade

|  |  | Projects approved |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Under construction (all categories) (end of period) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Primary and secondary schools |  |  |  | Further education and welfare | Training of teachers | Special schools and school health | Licensed building |  | (all categories) (end of period) | Contracts completed (all categories) |
|  |  | Total $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Major projects( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Minor projects( ${ }^{2}$ ) | School meals |  |  |  |  | Total (all categories) |  |  |
| 1946 | ... ... | 13,444 | 3,641 | 1,651 | 2,175 | 714 | 1,306 | . ${ }^{(3)}$ | 2,852 | 20,491 | 9,699 | 4,980 |
| 1947 |  | 23,607 | 19,274 | 1,941 | 4,105 | 553 | 446 | - ${ }^{\left({ }^{3}\right)}$ | 2,999 | 31,710 | 21,377 | 12,015 |
| 1948 |  | 14,657 | 11,369 | 2,718 | 3,664 | 1,718 | 725 | 246 | 2,908 | 23,918 | 33,398 | 15,831 |
| 1949 |  | 54,981 | 51,705 | 3,276 | 3,506 | 7,797 | 1,173 | 1,026 | 2,018 | 70,501 | 69,940 | 21,501 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | 35,051 | 31,344 | 3,707 | 471 | 5,658 | 1,101 | 822 | 1,061 | 44,16453,682 | 86,082111,498 | $\begin{aligned} & 27,531 \\ & 34,615 \\ & 47,544 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 35,30641,713 | 37,39127,333 | 3,915 | 539 493 | 7,405 | 1,540 | 913 | 1,979 |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  | 4,380 | 493 | 3,766 | 885 | 811 | 1,509 | 39,177 | 104,424 |  |
| 1951 | July-Sept.... Oct.-Dec... | $\begin{aligned} & 6,607 \\ & 7,024 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,389 \\ & 6,384 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,218 \\ 640 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,056 \\ & 1,012 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 300 \\ & 245 \end{aligned}$ | 208 | 282 | $\begin{aligned} & 8,731 \\ & 8,872 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111,639 \\ & 111,498 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10,194 \\ 8,891 \end{gathered}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | Jan.-Mar. ... | 2,39810,316 | 9539,447 | 1,445869 | 127 | 748 | 173 | 115 | 361 | 3,92212,349 | $\begin{aligned} & 107,712 \\ & 105,010 \end{aligned}$ | 9,040 |
|  | April-June |  |  |  | 98 | 1,026 | 232 | 247 | 430 |  |  | 10,829 |
|  | July-Sept.... | 12,960 | 11,684 | 1,276 | 143 | 1,555 | 318 | 206 | 424 | 15,606 | 107,488 | 13,440 |
|  | Oct.-Dec.... | 6,039 | 5,249 | 790 | 125 | 437 | 162 | 243 | 294 | 7,300 | 104,424 | 14,235 |
| 1953 | Jan.-Mar. ...April-June | 15,3109,143 | $\begin{array}{r} 13,785 \\ 8,279 \end{array}$ | 1,525864 | 21170 | 1,272416 | $\begin{aligned} & 513 \\ & 256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 482 \\ & 236 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 580 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,368 \\ & 10,721 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105,877 \\ & 110,343 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,301 \\ & 10,441 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 3,708 \\ & 3,369 \\ & 3,896 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,320 \\ & 2,960 \\ & 3,572 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 388 \\ & 409 \\ & 324 \end{aligned}$ | 344721 | $\begin{aligned} & 149 \\ & 143 \\ & 960 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 27 \\ 27 \\ 207 \end{array}$ | 103171 | $\begin{array}{r} 212 \\ 125 \\ 75 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,140 \\ & 3,742 \\ & 5,230 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109,128 \\ & 108,287 \\ & 105,712 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,423 \\ & 4,269 \\ & 5,969 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total to end September |  | 250,185 | 213,973 | 25,098 | 15,336 | 30,551 | 8,206 | 4,648 | 16,918 | 325,844 | 105,712 | 203,420 |
| (1) Including projects under HORSA ("Hutting Operation for Raising the School Age "")which amounted to $£ 8,152$ thousand in $1946, £ 2,392$ thousand in 1947 and $£ 570$ thousandin 1948 .(2) Before 4 February 1952 the dividing line between major and minor projects was $£ 5,000$.Thereafter it was increased to $£ 6,500$. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(ii) New places provided in maintained and assisted primary and secondary schools

TABLE 91

> (II) INew praces provided in mamtained and assisted primary and seconaary scnoois

|  | School places provided |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | New school premises completed |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | All projects( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Completed major projects |  |  |  | Minor projects( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | New school premises |  | Other $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  | Departments |  |
|  | Total | Primary | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} \text { Secondary } \\ \left({ }^{4}\right) \end{gathered}\right.$ | Primary | Secondary | Primary | Secondary | Primary | Secondary | Primary | Secondary |
| I April 1945 to I June 1951 ... | 565,360 | 285,710 | 279,650 | 112,760 | 35,165 | 25,910 | 16,575 | 124,545 | 49,870 | 440 | 110 |
| Four months ended I October 1951 | 70,745 | 55,620 | 15,125 | 31,300 | 10,315 | 3,255 | 1,455 | 8,290 | 2,790 | 113 | 27 |
| I February $1952 \ldots$ | 43,880 43,205 | 33,635 34,910 | 10,245 8,295 | 27,170 31,800 | 7,605 4,340 | 1,510 2,890 | 1,965 2,240 | 8,635 5,730 | 3,115 2,670 | 104 116 | 20 12 |
| I October 1952 ... | 100,530 | 76,360 | 24,170 | 43,160 | 8,780 | 3,060 | 2,610 | 8,900 | 4,135 | 155 | 25 |
| I February 1953 ... | 74,660 | 55,350 | 19,310 | 52,000 | 10,565 | 2,720 | 1,495 | 7,370 | 2,415 |  |  |
| I June 1953 I October 1953 | 63,030 | 47,450 73 | 15,580 | 39,060 39,450 | 12,485 | 1,800 3,860 | 1,080 | 13,650 | 3,945 $\mathbf{5}, 190$ | 114 | 30 37 |
| I October 1953 ... | 119,790 | 73,750 | 46,040 | 39,450 | 18,300 | 3,860 | 1,730 | 11,160 | 5,190 |  |  |
| Total to 1 October 1953 ... | 1,081,200 | 662,785 | 418,415 | 376,700 | 107,555 | 45,005 | 29,150 | 188,280 | 74,130 | 1,354 | 286 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including primary and secondary places in incomplete major projects in use, which on 1 October 1953 amounted to 52,800 and 39,700 respectively.
${ }^{(2}$ ) Extensions, alterations, repair of war damage.
(3) See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 90.
(a) Including places provided under the hutting operation for raising the school leaving age (HORSA), which amounted to 167,880 at I February 1952, when the scheme ended.

Building materials : Production and stocks
TABLE 92
Production ( ${ }^{1}$ ) : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period

|  |  |  |  | Building bricks ${ }^{( }{ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |  | Cement |  | Gypseous plaster <br> (hardwall) <br> Production | Gypsum | Asbestos cement sheeting ${ }^{2}$ ) Production | Plasterboard |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Production \| Stocks |  | Production \| | Stocks |  |  |  | Production | Stocks |
|  |  |  |  | Millions |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  | Thousand sq. yds. |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | ... | ... | 650 | . | 643 | .. | $23 \cdot 2$ | . | 9.9 | 2,640( ${ }^{3}$ ) | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 436 | 179 | 768 | 192 | 21.1 | 90.5 | 26.7 | 3,646 | 1,633 |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 493 | 166 | 813 | 274 | $23 \cdot 6$ | 97.3 | 26.5 | 3,733 | 723 |
|  |  |  | ... | 507 | 184 | 852 | 341 | 23.8 | 103.1 | 33.4 | 4,032 | 1,096 |
|  | . | ... | ... | 552 | 145 | 928 | 274 | $28 \cdot 5$ | 113.2 | $30 \cdot 8$ | 3,639 | 1,843 |
| 1952 | October <br> November <br> December | ... | ... | 623 | 125 | 882 | 202 | 35.9* | 126.1 | 36.9* | 4,548* | 1,634 |
|  |  |  |  | 559 | 126 | 869 | 206 | $29 \cdot 6$ | $115 \cdot 4$ | 29.1 | 3,728 | 1,675 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 545 | 145 | 1,077( ${ }^{4}$ ) | 274 | $24 \cdot 3$ | $107 \cdot 9$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | 3,289 | 1,843 |
| 1953 | January February March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 571 \\ & 530 \\ & 616 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 142 \\ & 134 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 873\left({ }^{5}\right) \\ & 804 \\ & 871 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 273 \\ & 264 \\ & 234 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 7 * \\ & 28 \cdot 9 \\ & 33 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 116.9 \\ 98.4 \\ 128.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 9 * \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \\ & 29.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,301 \\ & 3,808 \\ & 4,070 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,714 \\ & 1,583 \\ & 1,313 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April |  | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 570 \\ & 597 \\ & 595 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 90 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,090^{*} \\ 893 \\ 884 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 271 \\ & 262 \\ & 260 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 33 \cdot 6 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119.5 \\ & 131 \cdot 2 \\ & 132.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 28 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,140^{*} \\ & 4,602 \\ & 4,205 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,286 \\ & 1,494 \\ & 1,665 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | $\ldots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 604 \\ & 563 \\ & 634 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \\ & 71 \\ & 75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,097 * \\ 887 \\ 874 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 259 \\ & 267 \\ & 246 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 7 * \\ & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 34 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 137.0 \\ & 113.8 \\ & 144.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 9 * \\ & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,782 * \\ & 3,642 \\ & 4,650 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,568 \\ & 1,345 \\ & 1,386 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December | . | ... | 656 | 74 | 1,099* | '236 | 43.5* | 141.4 | 35.9* | 5,702* | 1,635 |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 92 (continued)


Building components : Production ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 93
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Stoneware pipes $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Cast iron pipes and fittings |  |  | Rainwater goods ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | Baths | Metal windows and doors |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Soil | Smoke | Hot Water | Cast iron and steel | Aluminium | Asbestos cement | Steel |  | Aluminium |
|  |  | Thousand tons | Thousands | Thousand sq. ft . |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll}\ldots . \\ \cdots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ |  | $36 \cdot 9$ $38 \cdot 5$ 39.8 $43 \cdot 4$ | 3.47 3.54 3.68 3.92 | 0.58 0.61 0.62 0.61 | 0.38 0.38 0.37 0.32 | 5.85 6.07 6.65 6.54 | 1.05 1.22 1.00 0.43 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.07 \\ & 2.23 \\ & 2.61 \\ & 3.06 \end{aligned}$ | 40.9 $45 \cdot 3$ $46 \cdot 4$ $41 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,230 \\ & 3,570 \\ & 4,100 \\ & 4,255 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 307 \\ & 162 \\ & 91 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | October ... November December | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 9 \\ & 45 \cdot 1 \\ & 45 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 52^{*} \\ & 4 \cdot 12 \\ & 5 \cdot 22^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.78^{*} \\ & 0.60^{*} \\ & 0.60^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.31^{*} \\ & 0.33 \\ & 0.40^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.79 \\ & 6.72 \\ & 6.84 \end{aligned}$ | 0.35 0.38 0.29 | 3.51* 3.02 2.63 | 44.3 38.5 36.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,298 \\ & 4,370 \\ & 4,286 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 174 \\ 126 \\ 63 \end{array}$ |
| 1953 | January <br> February ... <br> March | 46.9 42.9 47.8 | 4.25 4.56 4.36 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.57 \\ & 0.81 \\ & 0.75^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 0.30 0.30 $0.32^{*}$ | 7.50 6.63 8.60 | 0.37 0.28 0.32 | $3.50 *$ 2.81 2.94 | 33.1 34.6 42.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,141 \\ & 3,721 \\ & 4,304 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \\ & 33 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | $45 \cdot 8$ $46 \cdot 7$ $45 \cdot 3$ | 4.38 4.67 $3.75{ }^{*}$ | 0.58 0.57 $0.68 *$ | 0.21 0.22 $0.25 *$ | 7.71 7.13 7.47 | 0.31 0.31 0.31 | $3.23 *$ 2.85 2.77 | $43 \cdot 2$ $45 \cdot 2$ $47 \cdot 9$ | 3,849 3,663 3,216 | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \\ & 33 \\ & 28 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | $45 \cdot 8$ $39 \cdot 2$ 49.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 79 \\ & 4 \cdot 10 \\ & 4 \cdot 12^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 0.52 0.49 $0.91 *$ | 0.16 0.26 $0.24 *$ | 5.50 6.28 7.79 | 0.29 0.34 0.41 | 2.80* 2.46 3.14 | 43.5 33.6 55.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,261 \\ & 2,775 \\ & 3,489 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 36 \\ & 54 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $52 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 95$ | 0.84 | $0 \cdot 32$ | 7-12 | 0.37 | 3.52* | 54.5 |  |  |

TABLE 93 (continued)

|  |  | Independent boilers | Cookers |  |  | Wash boilers |  | Water heaters |  |  | Meters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Solid fuel ${ }^{(4)}$ | Gas | Electric | Gas | Electric | Gas | Electric immersion | Electric storage( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Gas | Electric |
|  |  | Thousands |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 8.7 | $17 \cdot 5$ | $52 \cdot 8$ | $18 \cdot 6$ | 29.1 | 9.4 | 12.1 | 12.2 | 3.4 | $105 \cdot 6$ | 103.1 |
|  |  | 10.7 | 16.7 | 67.9 | $22 \cdot 9$ | 33.4 | 10.6 | 15.5 | 15.9 | 4.9 | $115 \cdot 3$ | 117.0 |
|  | $\ldots$ | 9.9 | 17.0 | 71.0 | 26.5 | 36.9 | 11.6 | 18.0 | 18.9 | 5.9 | 116.9 | 138.0 |
|  | ... | 8.9 | 16.3 | 60.0 | 14.8 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 10.7 | 11.4 | 15.0 | 4.6 | $115 \cdot 3$ | $121 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | October ... <br> November <br> December... | $\begin{array}{r} 9.7 \\ 8.5 \\ 10.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 1 \\ & 54 \cdot 7 \\ & 53 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.2 \\ & 11.3 \\ & 12.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 5 \\ & 21 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.9 \\ & 6.1 \\ & 5.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 7.5 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.7 \\ 9.6 \\ 9.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.2 \\ & 3.4 \\ & 3.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 122.9 \\ 100.5 \\ 88.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 111.1 \\ 75.7 \\ 76.0 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January <br> February March | $\begin{array}{r} 10.6 \\ 9.6 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8 \\ & 16.1 \\ & 18.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \cdot 4 \\ & 46 \cdot 8 \\ & 57 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.2 \\ & 12.5 \\ & 14.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25.6 \\ & 19.4 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.7 \\ & 5 \cdot 4 \\ & 7 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.1 \\ & 5.0 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.4 \\ & 6.5 \\ & 9.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.6 \\ & 3.4 \\ & 4.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 7 \\ & 91 \cdot 2 \\ & 91 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \cdot 0 \\ & 70 \cdot 9 \\ & 82 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 9.6 \\ & 9.8 \\ & 8.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 17.7 \\ & 16.1 \end{aligned}$ | 59.7$62 \cdot 5$63.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 \\ & 17.3 \\ & 18.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 31 \cdot 5 \\ & 33 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.5 \\ & 8.5 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6.0 \\ 10.8 \\ 14.2 \end{array}$ | 12.316.1 | 4.34.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 1 \\ & 91 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 3 \\ & 68 \cdot 8 \\ & 54 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 11.4 | 3.7 |  |  |
|  | July August September | $\begin{array}{r} 9.0 \\ 8.2 \\ 11.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 6 \\ & 56.4 \\ & 79.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 19.8 \\ & 26.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 4 \\ & 35 \cdot 4 \\ & 35 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.6 \\ & 7.8 \\ & 8.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \cdot 0 \\ & 15 \cdot 2 \\ & 23.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 4 \\ & 27 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 7 \\ & 4.0 \\ & 4.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \cdot 8 \\ & 67 \cdot 5 \\ & 95 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \cdot 0 \\ & 98 \cdot 7 \\ & 63 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 11.5 | 17.8 | $80 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 8$ | 38.4 | 8.8 | 24.0 | $22 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 93.0 | $80 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Figures for individual months for cast iron pipes and asbestos cement rainwater goods, are for periods of four or five weeks. The five-week periods are marked with an asterisk (*).
${ }^{2}$ ) Great Britain.
${ }^{8}{ }^{8}$ ) In terms of cast iron equivalents.
(5) Including combination and back to back grates with boilers.
${ }^{5}$ ) Up to 30 gallons.

# IX. FOOD AND AGRICULTURE 

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

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excludes agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain and less than
Source : Agricultural Departments one quarter of an acre in Northern Ireland.
${ }^{(2)}$ ) Based on the latest estimates of yields per acre.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including 120,000 acres returned in England and Wales as " arable and permanent grassland temporarily out of use through flooding ".
${ }^{(4)}$ England and Wales only.
$\left(^{5}\right)$ The production of hay (in England and Wales from 1950 and Great Britain from 1951) and hay from lucerne is calculated from the area cut for hay only and does not include grass and lucerne mown for silage, drying or seed.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Clover and rotation grasses.

|  |  |  | Cattle |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Sheep |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Bulls and bull calves for service | Cows and heifers in milk | Cows in calf but not in milk | Heifers in calf with first calf | Other cattle |  |  | Total | Rams for service | Ewes for breeding | Other sheep |  |
|  |  |  | Two years old and over |  |  |  |  | One year and under two | Under one year | One year old and over |  |  |  | Under one year |
| 1939 | June | ... |  | 8,872 | 157(1) | 2,841 | 480 | 564 | 1,229 | 1,867 | 1,736 | 26,887 | 317 | 10,975 | 3,494 | 12,102 |
| 1947 | June |  | 9,567 | 187 | 2,897 | 643 | 843 | 1,548 | 1,708 | 1,742 | 16,713 | 225 | 7,143 | 3,138 | 6,207 |
| 1948 | June | ... | 9,806 | 188 | 2,933 | 650 | 907 | 1,505 | 1,603 | 2,019 | 18,164 | 222 | 7,545 | 2,689 | 7,708 |
| 1949 | June | ... | 10,244 | 180 | 3,049 | 641 | 911 | 1,506 | 1,796 | 2,161 | 19,493 | 239 | 7,746 | 3,149 | 8,359 |
| 1950 | June | ... | 10,620 | 173 | 3,139 | 628 | 862 | 1,587 | 1,974 | 2,258 | 20,430 | 244 | 8,072 | 3,433 | 8,681 |
| 1951 | March | $\ldots$ | 10,250 | 168 | 2,727 | 936 | 780 | 1,600 | 1,943 | 2,095 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | ... | 10,473 | 159 | 3,043 | 610 | 823 | 1,689 | 2,050 | 2,099 | 19,984 | 244 | 8,088 | 3,810 | 7,842 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 10,310 | 154 | 2,700 | 939 | 770 | 1,765 | 2,044 | 1,938 | 18,204 | 236 | 7,464 | 3,673 | 6,832 |
|  | December | ... | 9,829 | 153 | 2,523 | 1,059 | 608 | 1,594 | 1,916 | 1,975 | 15,762 | 243 | 7,405 | 2,778 | 5,337 |
| 1952 | March | $\ldots$ | 9,931 | 153 | 2,654 | 918 | 850 | 1,620 | 1,829 | 1,907 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | ... | 10,244 | 148 | 3,020 | 579 | 874 | 1,721 | 1,898 | 2,005 | 21,655 | 250 | 8,497 | 3,796 | 9,ii2 |
|  | September | ... | 10,081 | 145 | 2,717 | 913 | 797 | 1,681 | 1,845 | 1,983 | 19,381 | 242 | 7,830 | 3,583 | 7,726 |
|  | December | ... | 9,892 | 146 | 2,582 | 1,058 | 605 | 1,605 | 1,762 | 2,133 | 16,458 | 249 | 7,744 | 2,678 | 5,787 |
| 1953 | June | ... | 10,461 | 141 | 3,110 | 570 | 832 | 1,715 | 1,954 | 2,142 | 22,482 | 256 | 8,721 | 4,041 | 9,463 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding bull calves in Scotland and Northern Ireland, not returned separately.
Source : Agricultural Departments

Pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings
TABLE 96
Thousands

|  |  | Pigs |  |  |  |  |  | Poultry |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Boars and young boars for service | Sows for breeding | Other pigs |  |  | Total ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Fowls in the United Kingdom | Fowls in Great Britain |  |  |
|  |  | Five months old and over |  |  | Two months and under five | Under two months | Total |  |  | Six month and over | Under six months |
| 1939 | June |  | 4,394 | $34\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 542 | 767 | 1,872 | 1,179 | 74,357( ${ }^{(3)}$ | 69,530 | 60,234 | 26,610 | 33,624 |
| 1947 | June | 1,628 | 18 | 197 | 503 | 630 | 280 | 70,006 | 64,880 | 45,294 | 21,320 | 23,975 |
| 1948 | June | 2,151 | 26 | 318 | 497 | 836 | 472 | 85,372 | 79,219 | 56,595 | 23,676 | 32,919 |
| 1949 | June | 2,823 | 26 | 345 | 796 | 1,101 | 555 | 95,499 | 89,152 | 66,488 | 28,628 | 37,860 |
| 1950 | June | 2,986 | 31 | 387 | 757 | 1,196 | 615 | 96,109 | 90,789 | 71,176 | 33,739 | 37,437 |
| 1951 | March | 3,584 | 39 | 488 | 1,121 | 1,132 | 805 |  |  | 55,128 | 39,894 | 15,234 |
|  | June ... | 3,891 | 42 | 560 | 881 | 1,525 | 883 | 94,344 | 90,067 | 73,092 | 33,565 | 39,527 |
|  | September | 4,531 | 45 | 582 | 1,197 | 1,544 | 1,164 |  |  | 59,287 | 35,968 | 23,319 |
|  | December | 4,895 | 45 | 571 | 1,339 | 1,959 | 981 | 64,347 | 61,122 | 49,373 | 42,537 | 6,836 |
| 1952 | March | 4,842 | 44 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 38,740 | 17,076 |
|  | June ... | 4,962 | 44 | 594 | 1,220 | 2,000 | 1,105 | 94,974 | 90,345 | 74,708 | 32,538 | 42,170 |
|  | September | 5,269 | 44 | 602 | 1,459 | 1,922 | 1,241 |  |  | 59,113 | 35,651 | 23,462 |
|  | December | 5,326 | 45 | 618 | 1,511 | 2,096 | 1,055 | 63,539 | 60,053 | 49,168 | 42,619 | 6,549 |
| 1953 | June | 5,175 | 49 | 699 | 1,087 | 2,049 | 1,291 | 92,734 | 88,204 | 74,374 | 32,833 | 41,541 |

(1) Including fowls, ducks, geese and turkeys.

Source : Agricultural Departments
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Boars for service only; young boars not returned separately.
${ }^{(3)}$ Excluding poultry on a number of small sized holdings estimated at about 4 million birds.

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

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.
${ }^{6}$ (8) Excluding fat animals imported from the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland.
(c) Average for crop years 1936/7 to 1938/9.

* Average of five weeks.


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

TABLE 98

|  |  | Flour milling |  |  | Oats <br> ( ${ }^{1}$ | Oatmeal and flakes | Other breakfast cereals | Biscuits | Sugar $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Glucose | Jam and marmalade | Chocolate and sugar confectionery | Beer | Potable spirits distilled |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Wheat milled | Flour produced | Offals produced |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Weekly averages |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Million bulk barrels | Million proof gallons |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1934 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | $\text { to } 1938$ | 106.5 105.4 | 74.5 73.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 7 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $3 \cdot 1$ | 1.73 |  | . | $8 \cdot 7\left({ }^{3}\right)$ $5 \cdot 6(3)$ | .. | $\cdots$ | . | 1.89 2.04 | 2.44 |
| 1948 1949 |  | 104.7 102.2 | 87.8 86.0 | 15.4 15.0 | 6.02 5.75 | 3.33 3.11 | 1.67 1.76 | 5.00 5.47 | 9.6 9.6 | 1.46 1.93 | 5.91 6.32 | 5.45 7.39 | 2.35 2.19 | 2.17 2.17 |
| 1950 |  | 97.8 | $80 \cdot 7$ | 15.8 | 4.83 | $2 \cdot 60$ | 1.51 | 6.59 | 10.7 | 1.83 | $5 \cdot 20$ | 7.71 | 2.19 2.10 | 2.62 2.66 |
| 1951 |  | 103.6 | $82 \cdot 9$ | 18.8 | 4.92 | 2.72 | 1.52 | 7.98 | 12.1 | $2 \cdot 22$ | 5.72 | 8.77 | 2.09 | 2.39 |
| 1952 |  | 99.9 | 79.8 | 18.1 | $4 \cdot 35$ | $2 \cdot 42$ | 1.59 | 8.43 | $12 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 07$ | $5 \cdot 57$ | 8.97 | 2.08 | $2 \cdot 54$ |
| 1951 | October | 106.4* | 84.8* | 19.2* | 6.20* | 3.40* | 1.46* | 8.66* | 30.1* | 2-22* | 5.10* | 10.08* | $2 \cdot 13$ | 2.48 |
|  | November | $110 \cdot 3$ | 88.0 | $20 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 00$ | $3 \cdot 30$ | 1.83 | 8.98 | 39.5 | $2 \cdot 30$ | $5 \cdot 20$ | 10.43 | 2.07 | 2.48 3.03 |
|  | December... | 103.8 | 82.5 | 18.8 | $5 \cdot 75$ | $3 \cdot 10$ | 1.28 | $7 \cdot 60$ | 38.2 | $1 \cdot 88$ | 4.80 | 8.75 | $2 \cdot 12$ | 3.59 |
| 1952 | January | 105.8* | 84-2* | 19.0* | 4.40* | 2.40* | 1.42* | 8.20* | 27.4* | 2.08* | 5.82* | 9.62* | 1.75 | $3 \cdot 36$ |
|  | February . | $107 \cdot 0$ | $85 \cdot 5$ | 19.5 | 4.50 | 2.43 | 1.65 | $8 \cdot 20$ | 0.8 | $2 \cdot 23$ | $6 \cdot 10$ | 9.70 | 1.54 | 3.22 |
|  | March . | $107 \cdot 8$ | 86.0 | 19.3 | 4.00 | $2 \cdot 13$ | 1.60 | 7.93 | - | $2 \cdot 35$ | $6 \cdot 10$ | 9.25 | 2.04 | 3.60 |
|  | April | 91.2* | 72.8* | 16.4* | 3.20* | 1.74* | 1.58* | 7-88* | -* | 2.02* | 5.74* | 8.74* | 1.98 | 3.11 |
|  | May | $100 \cdot 3$ | $80 \cdot 3$ | 18.3 | $3 \cdot 25$ | 1.80 | 1.88 | 8.48 | - | $2 \cdot 20$ | 5.55 | 8.95 | $2 \cdot 37$ | $3 \cdot 30$ |
|  | June | $95 \cdot 3$ | $76 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 25$ | 1.85 | 2.03 | 8.45 | - | 1.90 | 5.73 | $8 \cdot 50$ | $2 \cdot 15$ | $2 \cdot 48$ |
|  | July | 94.6* | 75.8* | 17.2* | 3.00* | 1.72* | 1.58* | 7.50* | -* | 1.68* | 5.88* | 6.74* | 2.83 | 0.98 |
|  | August ... | $93 \cdot 3$ | 74.5 | $17 \cdot 0$ | 4.50 | 2.53 | 1.55 | $8 \cdot 20$ |  | 2.03 | $5 \cdot 35$ | $7 \cdot 78$ | $2 \cdot 22$ | 0.76 |
|  | September | 102.0 | 81.0 | $18 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 25$ | $3 \cdot 55$ | 1.73 | 8.98 | 1.5 | 2.03 | $5 \cdot 25$ | 9.43 | 2.06 | 1.60 |
|  | October . | 104.2* | 83.4* | 18.8* | 6.20* | 3.44* | 1.52* | 9.24* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | 101.8 | 81.5 | 18.5 | $5 \cdot 25$ | 2.93 | 1.50 | 9.43 | $40 \cdot 4$ | 2.48 | $5 \cdot 38$ | $10 \cdot 40$ | 1.95 | 2.94 |
|  | December... | $96 \cdot 8$ | $77 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 50$ | $2 \cdot 60$ | 1.13 | 8.90 | $36 \cdot 1$ | 1.85 | 4.80 | 8.75 | $2 \cdot 12$ | $2 \cdot 70$ |
| 1953 | January ... | 100.2* | 80.6* | 18.4* | 5.40* | 3.04* | 1-36* | 9.06* | 13•8* | 2.26* | 5.52* | 9.56* | 1.54 | 2.87 |
|  | February ... | 99.0 | $79 \cdot 3$ | 18.0 | 4.75 | $2 \cdot 70$ | 1.43 | 9.45 | - | $2 \cdot 58$ | 5.90 | $10 \cdot 50$ | 1.55 | 2.66 |
|  | March ... | $100 \cdot 3$ | $80 \cdot 3$ | 18.3 | $3 \cdot 50$ | 1.93 | 1.40 | 9.28 | - | $2 \cdot 88$ | $5 \cdot 68$ | 11.30 | $2 \cdot 12$ | $2 \cdot 90$ |
|  | April | 90.0* | 72.2* | 16.4* | 3.20* | 1.80* | 1.70* | 8.86* | -* | 2.62* | 5.46* | 11.70* | 1.98 | 2.74 |
|  | May | $90 \cdot 8$ | $73 \cdot 0$ | $16 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 25$ | 1.88 | 2.05 | 9.00 | - | 3.05 | $5 \cdot 15$ | 12.18 | $2 \cdot 43$ | 3.22 |
|  | June | 87.8 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 50$ | 1.93 | $2 \cdot 20$ | 8.75 | - | 2.90 | $5 \cdot 20$ | 11.85 | 2.16 | $2 \cdot 14$ |
|  | July ... | 83.8* | 67.4* | 15.4* | 3.20* | 1.84* | 1.70* | 7.80* | 一* | 2.54* | 5.38* | 9.74* | $2 \cdot 68$ | 0.71 |
|  | August ... | 77.3 | $61 \cdot 0$ | 15.5 | 4.00 | $2 \cdot 33$ | 1.88 | $8 \cdot 18$ | - | 2.95 | 4.63 | 11.18 | $2 \cdot 21$ | 1.13 |
|  | September | $105 \cdot 8$ | $81 \cdot 3$ | 24.0 | $6 \cdot 25$ | 2.25 | $2 \cdot 00$ | $8 \cdot 75$ | 3.0 | $3 \cdot 33$ | 4.48 | 13.20 | 2.06 | 1.55 |
|  | October November December | 107.4* | 82.6* | 24.0* | 6.00* |  |  |  | 39.4* |  | 4.94* |  |  |  |
| (1) 1934 to 1938 used by millers only. Later figures include oats used by millers, <br> Source : Ministry of Food flakers and maltsters. <br> ${ }^{2}$ ) Refined equivalent of sugar produced from home grown sugar beet. <br> ${ }^{(3)}$ Averages relate to twelve months from March to February. <br> Average of five weeks. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Fish, meat, bacon and milk products : Production

${ }^{(1)}$ Landed weight. Computed from figures for calendar months.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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.


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Processing of oilseeds and oils and production of fats
TABLE 100
Weekly averages
Thousand tons

${ }^{1}$ ) As crude oil.
Source : Ministry of Food
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Excluding tung, stillingia, oiticica, copaiba and teaseed oils from 1940 and olive oil from February 1948, and castor and rape oil from January 1950.
${ }^{3}$ ) Excluding castor seed and rape seed from January 1950.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Figures exclude castor meal, cocoa-cake and meal.
Average of five weeks.

## Cereal products, sugar and chocolate : Consumption


${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ ) As refined sugar.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.

[^21]
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Meat, fish and eggs : Consumption
TABLE 102
Weekly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ Pre-war figures relate to canned corned beef only. Subsequent figures include canned corned mutton and pork.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Computed from figures for calendar months.

* Average of five weeks.

Milk : Consumption ${ }^{1}$ )
Monthly averages or calendar months
Million gallons

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Excluding milk sold other than through the Milk Marketing Schemes.
Source : Ministry of Food
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Manufacture into milk products, including cream, together with the quantity used on farms for cheese-making.

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

TABLE 104


[^22]
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Vegetables and animal feeding stuffs: Consumption

(1) Excluding damaged ware potatoes fed to livestock on farms.
${ }^{( }{ }^{2}$ ) Imported and home grown barley other than retained on farms.
${ }^{(3)}$ Average of period from July 1936 to June 1939.

* Average of five weeks.


## X. EXTERNAL TRADE

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


Value of exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

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

[^23]Source: Board of Trade

Imports into the United Kingdom
Analysis by area and country
Monthly averages or calendar months
TABLE 108

|  |  | Dollar Area |  |  |  | Nondollar Western Hemisphere $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Non-Sterling O.E.E.C. countries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Canada | U.S.A. | Other |  | Total $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Sweden | Denmark, Faroes and Greenland |  |  | Netherlands | Belgium and Luxembourg | France | Other <br> $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ |
| 1938 | ... ... | 17.9 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 9.8 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 5.1 | 18.4 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 2 |  | $2 \cdot 4$ | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 4.7 |
|  |  | $40 \cdot 0$ | 15.0 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 14.2 | 54.6 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 8.4 | 3. |  | 7.1 | 3.6 | 9.1 | 17.4 |
| $1951$ |  | 64.5 | 21.7 | 31.7 | 11.1 | 17.0 | 84.0 | 11.4 | 9.6 | 6 |  | 10.8 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 11.3 | 27.1 |
| $1952$ | $\ldots$ | 60.1 | $26 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | 71.4 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 9.8 |  |  | $8 \cdot 6$ | 8.4 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 6$ |
| 1952 | July $\qquad$ August ... September | 68.1 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 18.9 | $9 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 75.1 | 8.9 | 14.3 | 8 |  | 9.2 | 9.3 | 6.9 | 17.7 |
|  |  | $50 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | 16.9 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 6.1 | 59.3 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 7 |  | $7 \cdot 3$ | 7.0 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 15.4 |
|  |  | $40 \cdot 0$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | 15.8 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $63 \cdot 2$ | 7.1 | $11 \cdot 3$ | 7 |  | $6 \cdot 8$ | 8.0 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 16.8 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $52 \cdot 6$ | 21.4 | 25.7 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 8.4 | 67.8 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 7$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7.6 \\ & 6.6 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 0 \\ & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 8 \\ & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 7 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 9.18.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 20.9 \\ & 18.9 \\ & 18.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 6 \\ & 45 \cdot 5 \\ & 43 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 2 \\ & 64 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | 8.79.2 |  | $6 .$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8.0 |  |
| 1953 | January ... <br> February <br> March ... | 45.0 | 15.918.116.8 | 26.6 | 2.5 | 11.1 | 67.4 | 9.6 | 10.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 0 \\ & 5 \cdot 6 \\ & 6.8 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 5 \\ & 6.7 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 7.67.0 | 19.116.821.4 |
|  |  |  |  | 26.621.423.6 | 2.32.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.1 \\ & 16.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57.4 \\ & 68.9 \end{aligned}$ | 7.16.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 8.9 \\ 11.5 \end{array}$ |  |  | 5.36.1 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $7 \cdot 8$ |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | 53.850.659.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 4 \\ & 24 \cdot 3 \\ & 34 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.3 \\ & 17.8 \\ & 19.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 8.5 \\ & 6.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.5 \\ & 19.8 \\ & 18.1 \end{aligned}$ | 61.464.368.0 | 8.010.4 | 10.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 6.2 \\ & 5.7 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7.0 \\ & 7.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.0 \\ & 4.6 \\ & 5.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 0 \\ & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 18.5 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10.3 11.3 12.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 11.5 | 12.9 |  |  | $7 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $60 \cdot 1$ | 34.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 20.1 \end{aligned}$ | 9.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 10.4 \\ & 15.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 1 \\ & 58 \cdot 7 \\ & 64 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.8 \\ 9.8 \\ 10.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 10.0 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.0 \\ & 4.8 \\ & 5.1 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7.4 \\ & 7.6 \\ & 7.9 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 5 \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 8 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.8 \\ & 5.4 \\ & 6.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.9 \\ & 16.9 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  | 48.1 | 24.6 |  | 7.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $56 \cdot 0$ | 26.4 |  | 9.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  | E million |  |  |  |  |
| TABLE 108 (continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Eastern Europe ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) | Rest of the World | Commonwealth countries and the Irish Republic |  |
|  |  | Total | British Colonies $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | Union of South Africa | India | Pakistan | Ceylon | Australia | New Zealand | Irish Republic | Other |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | 23.9 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ |  |  | 1.0 | 6.0 | 3.9 | 1.9 | $1 \cdot 5$ | . 5 | $6 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 2$ |  |
| 1950 | ... ... | 82.6 | 26.6 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 18.3 | 11.2 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $\cdot 3$ | 9.0 | $17 \cdot 0$ | 98.3 |  |
| 1951 | ... | 116.5 | $45 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 12.7 | 3.4 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 21.0 | 13.7 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 5.4 | . 4 | 17.1 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 141.4143.8 |  |
| 1952 | 20 | 119.8 | $50 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | 2.9 | 18.7 | 13.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 9.2 | 2 | 13.8 | $16 \cdot 7$ |  |  |
| 1952 | July August September | 112.8 |  |  | $5 \cdot 8$ | 0.8 | 2.6 | 16.0 |  |  | 9.9 | 9 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 120.0 | $47 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 9.7 | 0.4 | 3.0 | 20.8 | 15.0 | $7 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 6$ |  | 10.9 | 15.4 | $143 \cdot 8$ |  |
|  |  | 109.0 | 44.9 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 8.4 | 0.9 | 2.9 | 14.6 | 10.0 | 8.8 | 12.9 |  | $10 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 5$ |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 119.0 | 53.3 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 2.1 | $17 \cdot 5$ | 8.9 | 9.1 | 12.4 |  | 11.1 | 7.7 | 132.5 |  |
|  |  | 126.5 | $50 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 8.1 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 27.8 | 12.1 | 7.9 | 10.0 |  | 10.1 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $140 \cdot 8$ |  |
|  |  | 132.6 | 51.7 | 5.9 | $10 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | 27.5 | 12.4 | 9.1 | 10.6 |  | $9 \cdot 2$ | 10.9 | 145.7 |  |
| 1953 | January ... February March $\qquad$ | $140 \cdot 8$ | 50.5 |  | $7 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  | $7 \cdot 3$ | 9.9 | . 9 | 14.3 | 11.5 | 148.8 |  |
|  |  | 113.7 | 47.9 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | 3.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 18.6 | 14.0 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | . 3 | 7.0 | 11.0 | 127.0 |  |
|  |  | 132.9 | 53.2 | 7.1 | 9.0 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 2.4 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 16.2 | 9.3 | 10.9 |  | 7.0 | 15.2 | 142.3 |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | 145.4 | $49 \cdot 3$ | 7.1 | 9.7 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 5$ | 21.9 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 14.5 |  | $7 \cdot 3$ | 11.9 | 152.7 |  |
|  |  | 142.0 | $53 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 3.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 31.7 | 14.9 | 8.4 | 12.5 |  | 7.2 | 11.8 | 161.0 |  |
|  |  | 121.9 | 41.9 | $6 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 1.7 | 3.1 | 17.6 | 22.4 | 8.9 | 12.9 |  | 11.6 | 12.5 | 151.6 |  |
|  | July August September | 125.3 | 51.9 | $5 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 156.8 |  |
|  |  | 107.4 | $42 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 7.9 | 1.2 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 22.2 | 6.8 | 8.6 | $10 \cdot 2$ |  | 16.4 | 8.3 | 128.9 |  |
|  |  | 112.5 | 42.5 | 4.9 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | 2.0 | 18.4 | 12.2 | 10.8 | 9.4 |  | 11.9 | 9.8 | 136.7 |  |
| ${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ ) Excluding Japan and possessions of European countries. Source: Board of Trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ${ }^{(2)}$ Including possessions. <br> Source : Board of Trade |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Morocco and Tangier in 1953. <br> ${ }^{(3)}$ ) Including Eastern Germany before 1951. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(4)}$ Excluding Channel Islands, British whale fisheries and (as a non-Sterling Area territory) Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, but including |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| wealth and the Protected States of Bahrein, Trucial Oman, Oatar and Kuwait. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ${ }^{(5)}$ Soviet Union, Finland, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Albania, Bulgaria, Roumania (and Eastern Germany after 1950). |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| TABLE 109 |  |  | United Kingdom exports( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Analysis by area and country Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £ million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Dollar Area |  |  |  | Nondollar Western Hemisphere $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Non-Sterling O.E.E.C. countries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | Canada | U.S.A. | Other |  | Total ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Sweden | Denmark, Faroes and Greenland | Western Germany ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Netherlands | Belgium and Luxembourg | France | Other $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ |
| 1938 | ... ... | $4 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 7$ | 0.6 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 9.9 | 1.0 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | 1.1 | 0.7 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 8$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | 23.5 | 10.5 | 9.4 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 9.4 | $45 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | 15.6 |
| 1951 | $\cdots$ | $27 \cdot 2$ | 11.4 | 11.4 | 4.4 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 51.2 | 7.9 | 4.9 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 6.0 | 4.7 | 4.5 | 19.0 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 8$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $54 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 4.8 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 22.0 |
|  |  | 29.7 | 13.5 | 12.2 | $4 \cdot 0$ | 7.9 | 55.3 | 6.4 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 6.0 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $23 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | 26.0 | 11.3 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 5.1 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 6.0 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 23.2 18.5 |
|  |  | $27 \cdot 4$ | 11.1 | 12.1 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $54 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | 5.9 | 4.4 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 4.5 | 22.2 |
|  | October ... | 36.4 | 14.4 | 14.6 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 58.4 | $6 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |
|  | November | $30 \cdot 9$ | 12.7 | 12.1 | $6 \cdot 1$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 56.0 | 6.1 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 5.9 | 6.4 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 4.4 | 22.4 |
|  | December | $28 \cdot 3$ | 10.7 | 12.8 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 57-9 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 4.4 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 23.9 |
| 1953 | January ... | $30 \cdot 0$ | 11.9 | 13.1 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 58.4 | 6.0 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 7.0 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 8$ |  |
|  | February | 28.5 | 9.8 | 12.8 | 5.9 | 4.0 | $54 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 4.1 | 5.0 | 19.6 |
|  | March . | 29.4 | $12 \cdot 3$ | 12.4 | $4 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 61.7 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 6.9 | 5.0 | 8.3 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 5.0 | 24.1 |
|  | April ... | $34 \cdot 7$ | $16 \cdot 0$ | 13.8 | 4.9 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 59.0 | 7.4 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 7.7 | 4.4 | 5.5 | $23 \cdot 3$ |
|  | May ... | $32 \cdot 7$ | 14.8 | 13.4 | 4.5 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 57.4 | $9 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 7.1 | 4.6 | 5.6 | $20 \cdot 0$ |
|  | June ... | $36 \cdot 5$ | 16.1 | 14.4 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 4.5 | $55 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 4.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 19.9 |
|  | July ... | 35.4 | 14.9 | 15.2 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 4.7 | 61.4 |  |  |  | 7.7 | 4.9 | 6.4 | 22.0 |
|  | August ... | 32.3 | 11.8 | 12.7 | $7 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 5.5 | 4.6 | 7.8 | 3.9 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 17.9 |
|  | September | $30 \cdot 0$ | 11.6 | 13.8 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 56.4 | 6.9 | 6.4 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 7.4 | 5.1 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 19.6 |


| TABLE 109 (continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £ million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Eastern Europe ( ${ }^{6}$ ) | Rest of the World | Common wealth countries and the Irish Republic |
|  | Total | British Colonies $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | Union of South Africa | India | Pakistan | Ceylon | Australia | New Zealand | Irish Republic | Other |  |  |  |
| 1938 | $17 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | $\underbrace{1}_{2.8}$ |  | $0 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 6$ | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$. | $2 \cdot 6$ | 19.2 |
| 1950 | 86.5 | 21.9 | 10.1 | 8.1 | 3.4 | $1 \cdot 4$ | 21.3 | 7-2 | 7.2 | 5.9 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 11.7 | 95.1 |
| 1951 | 109.4 | 28.5 | 13.8 | 9.6 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $27 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 8.1 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 4.9 | 13.0 | 118.4 |
| 1952 | $105 \cdot 8$ | $33 \cdot 5$ | 12.1 | $9 \cdot 4$ | 4.9 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 18.4 | 9.6 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | 114.1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \cdot 8 \\ & 85 \cdot 8 \\ & 83 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 2 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.6 \\ 10.3 \\ 9.8 \end{array}$ | 12.27.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 7.0 \\ & 3.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.1 .1 \\ & 1.7 \\ & 1.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.6 \\ 13.4 \\ 12.4 \end{array}$ | 9.05.9 | 6.86.9 | $8 \cdot 8$$8 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.4 \\ & 3 \cdot 3 \\ & 4.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 12.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110.7 \\ 94.1 \\ 92.8 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $7 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 8$ |  |  | $6 \cdot 8$ | 5.9 | $7 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |
| October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{array}{r} 102.4 \\ 101.5 \\ 98.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 1 \\ & 38 \cdot 9 \\ & 34 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.7 \\ & 12.9 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.9 \\ & 7.9 \\ & 9.3 \end{aligned}$ | 3.72.54.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 2 \\ & 2 \cdot 0 \\ & 2 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 13.3 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.6 \\ & 7.3 \\ & 7.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 7 \\ & 7 \cdot 9 \\ & 7 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.8 \\ & 8.8 \\ & 7.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.7 \\ & 4.0 \\ & 3.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.0 \\ & 14.2 \\ & 13.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.3 \\ & 111.5 \\ & 117.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 January ... February March | $\begin{array}{r} 106.4 \\ 93.6 \\ 102.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 35 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 13.1 \\ & 14.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.4 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.8 \\ & 1.6 \\ & 1.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 1 \\ & 1 \cdot 7 \\ & 2 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ | 6.96.8 | 7.97.0 | 8.98.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5 \\ & 2.6 \\ & 3.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.2 \\ & 11.5 \\ & 12.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.8 \\ & 100.2 \\ & 111.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8.1 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 9.1 |  |  |  |
| April May June | $\begin{array}{r} 102.0 \\ 102.1 \\ 94.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 0 \\ & 34 \cdot 6 \\ & 29.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 1 \\ & 12 \cdot 2 \\ & 12 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 10.99.38.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.9 \\ & 1.3 \\ & 1.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 2 \\ & 2 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 6 \\ & 15.2 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.9 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.2 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.2 \\ 10.4 \\ 8.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 5 \\ & 3.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \cdot 3 \\ & 12 \cdot 2 \\ & 10 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 114.9112.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July <br> August <br> September | $\begin{array}{r} 114.9 \\ 95.4 \\ 96.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 3 \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \\ & 29 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 10.9 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.7 \\ 8.3 \\ 9.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.8 \\ & 1.7 \\ & 1.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.3 \\ & 1.9 \\ & 1.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.4 \\ & 16.5 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.0 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 7.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 7.2 \\ & 7.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.6 \\ 9.6 \\ 9.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.7 \\ & 4 \cdot 1 \\ & 3 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 126.0 \\ & 102.6 \\ & 104.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 13.3 \\ & 12.4 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 107.
$\left({ }^{2}\right),\left({ }^{3}\right),\left({ }^{4}\right),\left({ }^{5}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{6}\right)$. See corresponding footnotes $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ to Table 108.

Exports to the United States of America


[^24]
## Exports to Canada

TABLE III
Monthly averages or calendar months


Imports of principal items of food

${ }^{(1)}$ Unrefined, excluding liver oils.
Source : Board of Trade

Imports of principal items of food
TABLE 113
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Eggs in shell | Meat ${ }^{1}$ ) | Canned meat | Bacon and ham | Fresh or frozen fish | Apples | Tomatoes | Dried fruit | Oranges | Unrefined sugar | Tea | Raw cocoa |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Million dozen | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | 23.08 | 88.2 | $6 \cdot 0$ | $31 \cdot 4$ | 6.8 | 29.4 | 11.9 | 15.5 | 44.9 | $197 \cdot 4$ | 19.6 | 11.0 |
| 1950 1951 | $\ldots$ | 13.99 9.45 | 67.5 39.9 | 8.9 14.6 | 20.3 18.4 | 8.4 13.0 | 9.8 16.2 | 16.1 15.6 | 12.3 8.3 | 28.0 32.8 | 174.3 186.8 | 13.7 17.3 | 10.9 8.9 |
| 1952 |  | 9.45 $10 \cdot 21$ | $45 \cdot 5$ | 11.4 | 21.0 | 10.4 | 12.5 | 16.0 | 13.5 | 26.9 | 166.3 | 18.5 | 8.6 |
| 1952 | October ... <br> November... <br> December... | 10.49 11.63 | 52.3 31.7 | 13.9 14.5 | 13.4 17.0 | 8.8 6.5 | 0.7 3.6 | 10.6 14.5 | 7.4 9.4 | 11.7 16.2 | 150.2 112.4 | 19.8 18.5 | 2.0 2.3 |
|  |  | 16.08 | $29 \cdot 2$ | 12.6 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 8.0 | 3.6 | 11.9 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | 161.1 | 22.7 | 12.4 |
| 1953 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } & \ldots \\ \text { February } & \ldots \\ \text { March } & \ldots \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 17.87 \\ 9.67 \\ 11.94 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46.9 \\ & 74.5 \\ & 61.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.6 \\ 8.8 \\ 11.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.5 \\ & 24.8 \\ & 35.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.2 \\ 8.5 \\ 10.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.0 \\ 7.9 \\ 7.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 11.3 \\ & 16.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 24.1 \end{aligned}$ | 75.353.538.9 | 134.0110.5163.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 18.3 \\ & 17.5 \end{aligned}$ | 20.215.517.7 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6.37 \\ 12.66 \\ 8.91 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 8 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \\ & 61 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 11.8 \\ & 10.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 25 \cdot 7 \\ & 29 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \cdot 2 \\ 5.8 \\ 5.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 2 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 30 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.5 \\ & 25.9 \\ & 19.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 4 \\ & 22 \cdot 9 \\ & 25 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37.7 \\ & 36 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 301.8363.4 | 16.415.4 | 18.114.67.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 259.0 |  |  |
|  | July <br> August <br> September. | $\begin{array}{r} 10.77 \\ 7.25 \\ 8.48 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 2 \\ & 52 \cdot 4 \\ & 59 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.1 \\ & 10.2 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28.9 \\ & 21.9 \\ & 24.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.2 \\ & 4.7 \\ & 6.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.4 \\ 0.2 \\ 0.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.6 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 13.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.1 \\ 8.5 \\ 10.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 335 \cdot 2 \\ & 185 \cdot 9 \\ & 347 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 15.6 \\ & 21.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5 \\ & 3.0 \\ & 2.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November.. <br> December | 13.22 | $57 \cdot 5$ | 13.5 | $22 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 1.9 | $9 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | $285 \cdot 3$ | 25.4 | 1.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal ; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.
Source : Board of Trade

${ }^{(1)}$ Other than manganiferous ore.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excludes ships intended for breaking up.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Ingots, blooms, billets, slabs, sheet bars and tinplate bars.
(4) Including alloy semi-finished steel and malleable castings for wrought tubes, but excluding railway construction material.

Imports of miscellaneous raw materials

|  |  | Sheep's and lambs' wool( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Cotton $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Jute | Hide leather and undressed hides | Rubber ${ }^{(2)}$ | Phosphate rock | Sulphur | Wood pulp | Paper and board |  | Timber |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Newsprint |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Other | Hard wood ${ }^{3}$ ) | Softwood ( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Plywood |
|  |  | Million lb . | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Million cubicfeet | Thousand standards | Thousand cubicfeet |
| 1938 | ... ... |  | 52.1 | $43 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | 6.1 | 11.0 | $34 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 141.4 | 37-2 | $52 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 22$ | 149.4 | 905 |
| 1950 1951 | $\ldots$ | 49.0 $36 \cdot 0$ | 37.4 37.5 | 9.4 9.5 | 9.5 7 7.5 | 18.7 25.1 | 92.4 85.8 | 36.6 31.4 3.4 | 119.3 139.3 | 11.6 14.3 | $44 \cdot 2$ $66 \cdot 9$ | 4.77 4.99 | 65.9 135.6 | 537 895 |
| 1952 | ... $\ldots$ | 52.0 | 21.8 | 8.4 | $5 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 7$ | 80.8 80.2 | 31.4 33.6 | 119.3 119.9 | 14.3 21.8 | $66 \cdot 9$ $31 \cdot 2$ | 3.05 | $135 \cdot 6$ 85.2 | 895 |
| 1952 | October November December... | 36.8 81.1 | 23.8 19.5 | 9.8 7.7 | 5.9 10.9 | 22.1 14.3 | 86.9 72.9 | 33.1 38.5 | 99.9 133.0 | 23.5 28.1 | 28.1 30.8 | 3.49 2.51 | 107.9 71.3 | 548 545 |
|  |  | 68.4 | 16.0 | 11.5 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | 108.2 | 6.3 | 165.2 | $24 \cdot 4$ | 44.1 | $2 \cdot 74$ | $52 \cdot 7$ | 545 295 |
| 1953 | January February March | 102.7 | 29.8 | 18.4 | 10.0 | 16.6 | 121.1 | 24.2 | 120.9 | 18.2 | $26 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 35$ | 142.7 |  |
|  |  | 68.8 | 19.1 | 25.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 15.5 | 89.6 | 9.1 | 79.8 | 11.9 | 21.8 | $2 \cdot 81$ | 87.7 | 216 |
|  |  | 87.9 | 31.1 | 19.6 | 8.1 | 20.6 | 115.5 | $21 \cdot 3$ | $104 \cdot 3$ | 12.6 | $32 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 30$ | 89.6 | 213 |
|  | April May June | 82.9 | 27.2 | 22.1 | 8.9 | 14.5 | 97.8 | 15.9 | 112.5 | 22.7 | 29.5 | $3 \cdot 40$ | $90 \cdot 7$ |  |
|  |  | 98.3 | $22 \cdot 9$ | 17.8 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 21.5 | 63.0 | 12.9 | 136.1 | 19.5 | 28.9 | 3.84 | 115.3 | 380 |
|  |  | $68 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 6.9 | 18.7 | $70 \cdot 9$ | 29.2 | 127.5 | 21.2 | 28.0 | 3.91 | $180 \cdot 7$ | 423 |
|  | July ... August September | 50.4 | 27.5 |  |  |  |  | 4.4 |  | 21.4 | 39.4 | $4 \cdot 12$ | 187.5 | 410 |
|  |  | 35.2 | 21.5 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 7. 2 | 15.9 | 70.7 | 5.7 | 143.1 | 17.9 | 35.4 | $3 \cdot 52$ | 143.6 | 406 |
|  |  | $24 \cdot 0$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 18.8 | 82.6 | 21.9 | 137.8 | $26 \cdot 5$ | $43 \cdot 6$ | 4.39 | 118.9 | 312 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 34.1 | 31.4 | 9.5 | $9 \cdot 0$ | 21.1 | $91 \cdot 3$ | 13.8 | 171.6 | 21.5 | 51.1 | $4 \cdot 63$ | 104.5 | 470 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Retained imports.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Retained imports. Natural and synthetic rubber.
${ }^{(3)}$ Excluding sleepers of all kinds and pitwood. Softwood figures also exclude boxboards and pulpwood and cover as nearly as possible the same types of wood as the figures in Table 44.

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

TABLE 116
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Coa |  |  |  |  | n and |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Foreign cargoes | Foreign bunkers | Steel bars and rods ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Steel angles, girders, etc. (rolled) | Tinned and terne plates and sheets | Other steel plates and sheets | Wrought tubes and fittings | Railway con-struction material | Wire and wire manufactures | Iron and other steel goods | minium and aluminium manufactures | Brass and brass manufactures | Copper and copper manufactures | Tin, blocks, etc. |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Thous | dons |  |  |  |  |  | Thousa | d cwt. |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | 2,988 | 874 | $9 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | $27 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | $18 \cdot 2$ | $13 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 1$ | $28 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 5$ |
| 1950 |  | 1,129 | 335 | 29.5 | 18.5 | 20.9 | 49.4 | 29.2 | $25 \cdot 8$ | $14.4$ | 69.6 | 86.8 | $83 \cdot 9$ | 106.5 | 25.8 |
| 1951 |  | 651 | 310 | 18.4 | 15.9 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $39 \cdot 2$ | 31.9 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $11 \cdot 3$ | $62 \cdot 4$ | 78.0 | $39 \cdot 3$ | 43.0 | 25.8 8.2 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | 979 | 275 | 12.4 | 13.4 | $25 \cdot 2$ | $39 \cdot 1$ | $35 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | $56 \cdot 4$ | 66.9 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 8$ | 20.9 |
| 1952 |  | 1,213 | 272 | 14.6 | 11.2 16.5 | 25.6 27.9 | $43 \cdot 1$ | 42.7 39.5 | 19.4 | 10.3 | $60 \cdot 2$ | $87 \cdot 0$ | 56.3 | 34.5 | $21 \cdot 2$ |
|  | November | 960 | 223 | 16.0 | $16 \cdot 5$ | 27.9 | $50 \cdot 6$ | $39 \cdot 5$ | $14 \cdot 9$ | 11.6 | $66 \cdot 1$ | $82 \cdot 8$ | 89.0 | 39.6 | $13 \cdot 5$ |
|  | December | 988 | 249 | $13 \cdot 1$ | 11.6 | $31 \cdot 8$ | $49 \cdot 6$ | $31 \cdot 9$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | $54 \cdot 5$ | $85 \cdot 7$ | 63.5 | 70.9 | 10.0 |
| 1953 | January ... | 1,159 | 211 | 15.5 | 17.1 | 25.4 | 44.4 | $40 \cdot 0$ | $24 \cdot 2$ | 10.7 | $63 \cdot 3$ | 84.2 | $67 \cdot 7$ | $67 \cdot 8$ | 18.8 |
|  | February | 1,089 | 248 | 12.9 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 7$ | $33 \cdot 2$ | 34.4 | 14.4 | 9.7 10.7 | $48 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{array}{r}97.7 \\ \hline 105.5\end{array}$ | $50 \cdot 2$ | $74 \cdot 7$ | 13.9 |
|  | March ... | 1,078 | 228 | $12 \cdot 5$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | 25.9 | $46 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | 10.9 | 59.7 | $105 \cdot 5$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | $72 \cdot 5$ | 11.2 |
|  | April ... | 1,143 | 238 | 11.3 | 11.5 | 15.4 | $37 \cdot 1$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | 28.3 | 11.5 | $60 \cdot 3$ | 102.0 | 48.9 | $63 \cdot 4$ | 11.0 |
|  | May ... | 1,239 | 256 | 12.9 10.3 | 12.6 | 25.6 | $46 \cdot 1$ | 34.8 | 17.6 | 10.9 | $56 \cdot 7$ | 75.8 | $64 \cdot 2$ | 78.1 | 21.9 |
|  | June ... | 1,001 | 243 | $10 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 16.1 | $58 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 2$ | $19 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | $90 \cdot 8$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | $66 \cdot 7$ | 23.7 |
|  |  | 1,155 | 250 | 12.5 | 10.6 | 21.8 | 59.9 | $40 \cdot 1$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | 10.0 | $65 \cdot 5$ | 124.8 | $105 \cdot 4$ | 75.3 | $32 \cdot 9$ |
|  | August ... | . 885 | 215 | 9.0 | 8.1 | 19.2 | 41.9 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $18 \cdot 6$ | 9.4 | 55.2 | 103.4 | $93.5$ | $67 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 5$ |
|  | September | 1,185 | 232 | 11.2 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 7$ | 14.4 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 59.7 | $103 \cdot 1$ | $67 \cdot 6$ | 78.5 | 36.5 |
|  | October... November December | 1,397 | 230 | $16 \cdot 7$ | $12 \cdot 0$ | $25 \cdot 5$ | 50.3 | $43 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | 10.9 | $66 \cdot 1$ | $117 \cdot 8$ | 91.4 | 59.7 | $27 \cdot 0$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding non-alloy sheet bars and tinplate bars.
Source: Board of Trade
Exports of machinery and vehicles
TABLE 117
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | 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 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Ethousand | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thous. |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... . |  | 55 | 658 | 373 | 347 | 701 | 2,637 | 3,677 | 2,007 | 381 | 970 | .. | 483 | 1,647 | 48.0 |
| 1950 |  | 792 | 3,821 | 1,402 |  | 3,370 | 14,504 | 28,609 | 4,568 | 6,148 | 5,887 | 215 | 6,997 | 6,163 | 175.8 |
| 1951 |  | 1,147 | 4,022 | 1,504 | 3,211 | 3,637 | 16,746 | 25,749 | 4,968 | 5,644 | 5,781 | 275 | 9,388 | 7,641 | 228.1 |
| 1952 | ... . | 1,477 | 4,799 | 1,908 | 3,514 | 4,204 | 19,243 | 22,979 | 2,840 | 5,181 | 5,525 | 202 | 8,745 | 5,856 | $232 \cdot 4$ |
| 1952 | October... | 1,139 | 4,704 | 2,017 | 3,079 | 4,087 | 19,860 | 20,549 | 1,398 | 4,209 |  | 179 | 7,924 |  | 257.5 |
|  | November | 989 | 4,928 | 1,942 | 3,614 | 3,997 | 19,325 | 19,219 | 1,955 | 4,338 | 5,312 | 236 | 6,377 | 3,272 | $231 \cdot 3$ |
|  | December | 964 | 5,244 | 1,870 | 3,454 | 4,621 | 19,408 | 15,292 | 2,327 | 4,318 | 4,296 | 145 | 6,374 | 4,483 | 191.4 |
| 1953 | January ... | 844 | 5,373 | 2,131 | 3,215 | 4,585 | 20,646 | 19,661 | 2,189 | 4,380 | 4,592 | 245 | 8,219 | 5,193 | 195.1 |
|  | February | 773 | 4,232 | 1,903 | 2,698 | 3,364 | 18,349 | 18,610 | 1,806 | 3,867 | 4,340 | 171 | 5,978 | 5,348 | 134.5 |
|  | March . | 1,041 | 5,234 | 2,104 | 2,831 | 3,330 | 19,454 | 22,306 | 2,581 | 4,078 | 5,164 | 119 | 8,801 | 5,917 | 156.3 |
|  |  | 1,238 | 6,008 | 2,038 | 2,558 | 3,703 | 20,783 | 22,767 | 2,827 | 3,439 | 4,501 | 141 | 9,510 | 5,805 | 159.8 |
|  | May | 1,089 | 4,644 | 1,894 | 3,151 | 3,454 | 19,809 | 28,020 | 2,919 | 4,605 | 4,596 | 172 | 7,735 | 6,861 | 165.9 |
|  | June | 1,637 | 4,659 | 1,957 | 2,688 | 3,714 | 17,731 | 26,585 | 3,492 | 3,950 | 4,626 | 118 | 8,202 | 5,264 | 162.9 |
|  | July ... | 1,494 | 5,386 | 1,984 | 3,010 | 3,533 | 20,988 | 27,741 | 4,560 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 973 | 4,597 | 1,765 | 2,423 | 2,589 | 16,873 | 18,425 | 2,814 | 3,484 | 4,266 | 130 | 6,877 | 3,828 | 126.8 |
|  | September | 1,012 | 4,122 | 1,580 | 2,194 | 3,124 | 17,208 | 20,936 | 2,786 | 3,623 | 5,032 | 81 | 7,936 | 4,451 | 152.0 |
|  | October... November December | 875 | 4,633 | 1,867 | 2,962 | 2,648 | 19,959 | 21,566 | 4,140 | 4,867 | 6,283 | 165 | 8,836 | 4,966 | 213.1 |

## EXTERNAL 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 |  |  |
|  |  | Million sq. yds . | Million lb. |  |  |  |  | Thousand square yards |  | Million lb . | Thousand square yards |  | Thousand tons |
| 1938 | . ... | 114 | 10.25 | $1 \cdot 13$ | $3 \cdot 53$ | 2.71 | 2.89 | 7,975 | $466 \cdot 4$ | 0.63 | 5,218 | 4,316 | 1.69 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1950 \\ 1951 \end{array}$ | ... | 69 72 | 5.92 5.46 | 1.11 1.20 0.79 | 3.71 2.24 3. | 6.07 4.12 | 2.93 2.21 2.11 | 10,611 9,894 | $1,018 \cdot 3$ $1,161 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 26$ $2 \cdot 18$ | 17,973 20,497 | 4,113 4,139 | 1.21 1.25 |
|  | ... ... | 59 | 2.98 | 0.79 | $3 \cdot 39$ | $4 \cdot 50$ | 2.11 |  | 537.0 | 1.61 | 13,967 | $3,226$ | $1 \cdot 10$ |
| 1952 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November... December... | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | $2 \cdot 81$ 3.31 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.61 \\ & 0.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.75 \\ & 4.09 \end{aligned}$ | 6.04 4.30 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.63 \\ & 2.69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,402 \\ & 8,624 \end{aligned}$ | 543.8 501.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.79 \\ & 1.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,148 \\ & 13,333 \end{aligned}$ | 3,601 4,409 | 1.02 0.85 |
| 1953 |  | 65 |  | 0.70 | 4.76 | 5.58 | 3.06 | 9,816 | 542.1 | 2.01 | 13,870 |  |  |
|  | February | 52 | $3 \cdot 29$ | 0.69 | 3.46 | 6.08 | 2.41 | 8,043 | 495.1 | $2 \cdot 12$ | 12,560 | 3,912 | 1.00 0.97 |
|  | March ... | 56 | 3.11 | 0.73 | $3 \cdot 28$ | $5 \cdot 52$ | 2.54 | 8,388 | $530 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 81$ | 13,856 | 3,465 | 1.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4,551 | $1 \cdot 22$ |
|  | May | 58 | $3 \cdot 49$ | 0.88 | $4 \cdot 12$ | 6.16 | 2.33 | 8,283 | 526.7 | 2.61 | 15,479 | 3,472 | 1.12 |
|  | June |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7,881 | 442.1 | $2 \cdot 38$ | 15,841 | 3,381 | 0.83 |
|  | July... | 67 | $3 \cdot 21$ | 0.93 | $2 \cdot 62$ | 6.80 | 2.46 | 9,602 | $600 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 23$ | 19,529 |  |  |
|  | August ... | 56 | 3.47 | 0.94 | $2 \cdot 32$ | $6 \cdot 27$ | $2 \cdot 23$ | 9,357 | 513.2 | $2 \cdot 29$ | 17,195 | 3,428 | 0.79 |
|  | September... | 59 | 3.00 | 0.79 | $2 \cdot 15$ | $5 \cdot 24$ | $2 \cdot 11$ | 7,978 | 561.0 | $2 \cdot 64$ | 16,308 | 3,893 | 0.94 |
|  | October November... December... | 58 | $4 \cdot 55$ | 0.96 | $2 \cdot 38$ | 5.93 | $2 \cdot 40$ | 9,765 | $548 \cdot 1$ | 2.08 | 16,957 | 4,540 | 1.02 |

Source: Board of Trade
Other selected exports

## TABLE 119

|  |  | Refined sugar | Cement | Paper and board | Sodium compounds | Dressed leather | Plastic materials | Motor tyres | Refined petroleum | Wireless receiving sets | Wireless valves | Cigarettes | Spirits |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  | Thousand cwt. |  | Thousands | Million gallons | Thousands |  | Th. cwt. | Th. proof gallons |
| 1938 | . ... | $30 \cdot 2$ | $60 \cdot 3$ | 14.7 | 29.7 | $8 \cdot 50$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 102 | 11.1 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 184 | 19.7 | 760 |
| 1950 | .. ... | 62.7 | 152.9 | 22.5 | $43 \cdot 8$ |  |  | 178 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | ... ... | 60.4 | 159.2 | 22.1 | $50 \cdot 8$ | 10.57 | 58.6 | 197 | 22.7 64.6 | 23.3 39.9 | 634 932 | $30 \cdot 5$ $36 \cdot 3$ | 915 1.031 |
| 1952 | ... ... | $56 \cdot 3$ | $171 \cdot 7$ |  | $42 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 59$ | $70 \cdot 5$ | 168 | 108.7 | $35 \cdot 7$ | 806 | $36 \cdot 3$ $33 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,031 \\ & 1,093 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 |  |  | 166.4 | 13.6 | 34.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November... | $40 \cdot 3$ | 158.6 | 14.4 | 35.0 | 11.39 | $66 \cdot 3$ 64.8 | 137 150 | $\begin{array}{r} 134.0 \\ 137.4 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 114.5 | 15.3 | 32.9 | 11.49 | $64 \cdot 8$ $72 \cdot 0$ | 117 | $\begin{aligned} & 137.4 \\ & 126.4 \end{aligned}$ | $28 \cdot 6$ 26.6 | 715 609 | $28 \cdot 7$ $35 \cdot 2$ | 1,059 912 |
| 1953 | January ... | $40 \cdot 9$ | 150.3 | 19.6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February ... | 41.0 50.0 | 158.7 | 17.8 | 17.0 | 12.64 9.93 | 68.5 | 135 | 146.9 131.9 |  |  |  |  |
|  | March ... |  | 112.9 |  | 24.0 | 10.88 | $68 \cdot 5$ $96 \cdot 8$ | 135 140 | 186.9 158.6 | $24 \cdot 2$ $30 \cdot 3$ | 488 580 | 31.6 34.7 | 1,154 1,340 |
|  | April ... | 44.4 | 168.6 | 20.4 | 28.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | $52 \cdot 4$ | 198.3 | 21.5 | 33.9 | 9.74 | 101.4 89.1 | 158 167 | 109.5 147.5 |  | 388 436 | 31.3 29.9 | 1,142 |
|  | June | $48 \cdot 4$ | 163.7 | 23.1 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 57$ |  |  | 145.8 | $28 \cdot 0$ 23.3 | 436 424 | 29.9 35.4 | 1,085 |
|  | July... ... | 61.6 | 179.9 | $26 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 69.5 | 170.1 | $17 \cdot 2$ | 37.3 | 7.54 |  | 186 | 189.4 | 28.7 | 418 | 32.1 | 1,296 |
|  | September... | $63 \cdot 6$ | 164.0 | $20 \cdot 4$ | 51.9 | 7.54 8.82 | 87.9 91.5 | 152 | 162.3 162.0 | $23 \cdot 0$ | 383 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 1,200 |
|  |  | 64.8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 295 | $30 \cdot 7$ | 1,306 |
|  | November... December. |  | 141 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $39 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 60$ | 113.9 | 205 | $160 \cdot 7$ | 28.8 | 357 | $33 \cdot 7$ | 1,439 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | , |

## XI. MERCHANT SHIPPING

## Merchant ship building and repair <br> Vessels of $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ gross tons and over

Annual and monthly totals
Thousand gross tons

|  |  |  |  | Laid down |  | Under construction <br> End of period |  | Completed |  | Undergoing repair and conversion in United Kingdom ports <br> End of period |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |  |
| 1938( ${ }^{1}$ ) | ) ... | ... | ... | 496 | .. | 775 |  | 843 |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots\end{array}$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 1,220 1,214 1,357 1,431 1,268 | $\begin{aligned} & 475 \\ & 448 \\ & 534 \\ & 461 \\ & 420 \end{aligned}$ | 1,983 1,860 1,861 1,975 2,009 | $\begin{aligned} & 686 \\ & 695 \\ & 767 \\ & 598 \\ & 653 \end{aligned}$ | 1,221 1,361 1,376 1,343 1,271 | $\begin{aligned} & 416 \\ & 463 \\ & 454 \\ & 646 \\ & 417 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,069 \\ & 2,441 \\ & 2,119 \\ & 2,297 \\ & 2,156 \end{aligned}$ |
| $1951$ | October $\qquad$ <br> November ... <br> December ... |  | $\ldots$ | 91 126 224 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \\ & 70 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,887 \\ & 1,908 \\ & 1,975 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 618 \\ & 656 \\ & 598 \end{aligned}$ | 176 107 158 | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 34 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,077 \\ & 2,322 \\ & 2,297 \end{aligned}$ |
| $1952$ | January <br> February $\qquad$ <br> March $\qquad$ <br> ** | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | 68 61 104 | 29 18 29 | 2,005 1,996 1,957 | 609 609 598 | 39 71 146 | 18 20 42 | 2,432 1,949 $\mathbf{2 , 2 7 6}$ |
|  | April <br> May ... <br> June... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 117 133 82 | 35 38 36 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,960 \\ & 1,965 \\ & 1,895 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 585 \\ & 578 \\ & 587 \end{aligned}$ | 117 133 154 | 50 49 31 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,273 \\ & 2,000 \\ & 2,142 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 136 59 90 | 53 22 35 | 1,965 1,922 1,918 | 645 628 640 | 67 106 95 | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \\ & 44 \\ & 23 \end{aligned}$ | 2,018 2,281 2,183 |
|  | October ... <br> November... <br> December ... | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 169 87 161 | 56 8 60 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,968 \\ & 1,932 \\ & 2,009 \end{aligned}$ | 665 624 653 | 127 130 85 | 35 54 31 | 2,223 2,327 2,156 |
| $1953$ | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } & \ldots \\ \text { February } & \ldots \\ \text { March } & \ldots \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | . $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 126 \\ 84 \\ 87 \end{array}$ | 36 20 24 | 2,027 2,050 2,004 | 654 660 607 | 110 62 132 | 38 14 76 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,327 \\ & 2,079 \\ & 2,243 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May... <br> June $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 92 137 125 | 7 76 15 | 1,988 2,011 2,021 | $\begin{aligned} & 600 \\ & 639 \\ & 632 \end{aligned}$ | 108 115 118 | 14 37 23 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,044 \\ & 2,210 \\ & 2,025 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September ... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 61 97 67 | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \\ & 12 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,962 \\ & 2,032 \\ & 2,025 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 620 \\ & 630 \\ & 639 \end{aligned}$ | 111 28 74 | 49 2 28 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,848 \\ & 1,964 \\ & 1,989 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November ... <br> December ... | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 99 | 3 | 1,995 | 600 | 133 | 44 | 1,985 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ These figures have been obtained from 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 begun in the shipyards and vessels on which work has begun but which have not been handed over to their owners. These two figures are not therefore comparable with the figures shown in the rest of the table.

Merchant shipbuilding

## Vessels of $\mathbf{1 , 6 0 0}$ gross tons and over

Annual and monthly totals
Thousand gross tons

|  |  | Tankers |  |  |  |  |  | Other vessels |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Laid down |  | Under construction End of period |  | Completed |  | Laid down |  | Under construction End of period |  | Completed |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | ... .- | 409 | 230 | 620 | 326 | 203 | 59 | 710 | 212 | 1,238 | 336 | 923 | 312 |
|  | ... | 608 | 293 | 855 | 448 | 380 | 176 | 538 | 135 | 939 | 225 | 880 | 262 |
|  | ... .. | 753 | 397 | 1,050 | 580 | 563 | 255 | 549 | 119 | 761 | 168 | 737 | 176 |
|  | ... ... | 817 | 311 | 1,107 | 407 | 782 | 498 | 552 | 136 | 807 | 178 | 508 | 128 |
|  | ... ... | 721 | 311 | 1,178 | 450 | 657 | 298 | 492 | 100 | 761 | 192 | 565 | 105 |
| 1951 | October ... <br> November <br> December... | 61 | 13 | 1,078 | 463 | 83 | 76 | 25 | 8 | 748 | 142 | 89 | 12 |
|  |  | 53 152 | 19 34 | 1,069 1,107 | 455 407 | 63 114 | 28 | 72 63 | 51 2 | 783 807 | 189 178 | 36 | 13 |
| 1952 | January <br> February $\qquad$ <br> March $\qquad$ | 252959 | 2518 | 1,1191,126 | 419428 | 1323105 | 131135 | 3930 | $\frac{2}{5}$ | 824807 | 176167167 | 2246 | 495 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 24 | 1,081 | 419 |  |  | 44 | 5 | 815 | 167 | 37 |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June . | 857654 | 2329 | 1,0891,091 | 394400 | 78 <br> 75 | 4923 | 2752 | 128 | 809809 | 179167 | 3757 | 25 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 31 | 1,052 | 410 | 94 | 21 | 24 | 3 | 783 | 164 | 52 | 8 |
|  | July ... ... | 76 | 40 | 1,102 | 460 | 26 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 13 | 2 | 1,058 | 438 | 57 46 | 24 | 44 | 19 | 806 | 180 | 47 | 18 |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December... | $\begin{array}{r} 123 \\ 18 \\ 91 \end{array}$ | -43 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,157 \\ & 1,116 \\ & 1,178 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 472 \\ & 433 \\ & 450 \end{aligned}$ | 516030 | 244030 | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 57 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12 \\ 8 \\ 11 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 751 \\ & 748 \\ & 761 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 181 \\ & 192 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \\ & 65 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | 1113- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 46 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } & . \\ \text { February } \\ \text { March } & . . \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 49 \\ & 54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 10 \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,154 \\ & 1,203 \\ & 1,187 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 461 \\ & 471 \\ & 433 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{87}{71}$ | 23 | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \\ & 34 \\ & 28 \end{aligned}$ | 9 | 794769741 | $\begin{aligned} & 179 \\ & 175 \\ & 160 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \\ & 60 \\ & 55 \end{aligned}$ | 151315 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 71 | 60 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \\ & 57 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | 72912 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,181 \\ & 1,178 \\ & 1,187 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 440 \\ & 443 \\ & 435 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 60 \\ & 82 \end{aligned}$ | 2521 | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \\ & 77 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\overline{46}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 730 \\ & 757 \\ & 757 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 181 \\ & 180 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 51 \\ & 31 \end{aligned}$ | 13122 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... ... <br> August ... <br> September | 2738 | 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,135 \\ & 1,154 \\ & 1,090 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 408 \\ & 408 \\ & 384 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 19 \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{33}{24}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \\ & 57 \\ & 65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 12 \\ 37 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 752 \\ & 800 \\ & 862 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 173 \\ & 183 \\ & 218 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ 8 \\ 4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December... | 46 | - | 1,078 | 372 | 59 | 12 | 52 | 3 | 845 | 191 | 71 | 31 |

## Merchant vessels registered in the British Commonwealth

Excluding foreign-owned vessels on bareboat charter or requisition and miscellaneous craft

TABLE 122
End of period
Thousand gross tons

|  |  | 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 | United Kingdom or Colonial registers ${ }^{1}$ ) | Other Commonwealth registers | Total | United Kingdom or Colonial registers | Other Commonwealth registers | Total | United Kingdom or Colonial registers | Other Commonwealth registers | Total | United Kingdom or Colonial registers | Other Commonwealth registers |
| 1939 | September 3 December ... | 14,352 14,138 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,452 \\ & 13,181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 900 \\ & 957 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,020 \\ & 1,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 861 \\ & 846 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,172 \\ & 3,248 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,007 \\ & 3,079 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \\ & 68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1948 | December ... | 14,664 | 12,092 | 2,572 | 792 | 629 | 163 | 3,687 | 3,508 | 179 | 106 | 94 | 12 |
|  | December ... | 14,713( ${ }^{2}$ | 12,306 | 2,407 ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | $797\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 647 | $150\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 3,768 | 3,608 | 160 | 104 | 93 | II |
| 1950 | December ... | 14,681 | 12,959( ${ }^{(3)}$ | 1,722 | 796 | 641 | 155 | 4,046 | 3,873 | 173 | 103 | 89 | 14 |
| 1951 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { October } & \\ \text { November } \\ \text { December }\end{array}$ | 14,403 14,391 14,375 | 12,708 12,696 12,669 | 1,695 1,695 1,706 | $\begin{aligned} & 795 \\ & 802 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 635 \\ & 642 \\ & 644 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160 \\ & 160 \\ & 161 \end{aligned}$ | 4,227 4,267 4,282 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,057 \\ & 4,097 \\ & 4,112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 170 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 105 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \\ & 93 \\ & 94 \end{aligned}$ | 12 12 12 |
| 1952 | January $\qquad$ February ... March March | 14,281 14,221 14,187 | 12,597 12,521 12,479 | 1,684 1,700 1,708 | $\begin{aligned} & 808 \\ & 808 \\ & 809 \end{aligned}$ | 647 649 649 | 161 159 160 | 4,310 4,330 4,336 | 4,138 4,158 4,194 | $\begin{aligned} & 172 \\ & 172 \\ & 172 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 106 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | 93 93 93 | 13 13 13 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } . . . & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | 14,147 14,112 14,129 | 12,444 12,421 12,447 | 1,703 1,691 1,682 | 808 808 810 | 648 648 650 | 160 160 160 | 4,402 4,438 4,504 | 4,230 4,254 4,320 | 172 184 184 | 106 106 106 | 93 93 93 | 13 13 13 |
|  | July ... $\qquad$ <br> August <br> September $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | 14,127 14,114 14,131 | 12,429 12,425 12,438 | 1,698 1,689 1,693 | 811 810 809 | 651 648 647 | 160 162 162 | 4,512 4,518 4,539 | 4,328 4,334 4,355 | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \\ & 184 \\ & 184 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 107 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | 93 94 91 | 14 13 13 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { October } & \ldots \\ \text { November } \\ \text { December }\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,163 \\ & 14,185 \\ & 14,203 \end{aligned}$ | 12,465 12,491 12,509 | 1,698 1,694 1,694 | 813 812 812 | 651 650 649 | 162 162 163 | 4,560 4,586 4,576 | 4,376 4,402 4,395 | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \\ & 184 \\ & 181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 91 \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 13 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January February $\qquad$ March ... ... | $\begin{aligned} & 14,168 \\ & 14,156 \\ & 14,163 \end{aligned}$ | 12,479 12,470 12,503 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,689 \\ & 1,686 \\ & 1,660 \end{aligned}$ | 813 815 818 | $\begin{aligned} & 649 \\ & 650 \\ & 653 \end{aligned}$ | 164 165 165 | 4,622 4,608 4,640 | 4,441 4,427 4,459 | $\begin{aligned} & 181 \\ & 181 \\ & 181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | 91 91 91 | 13 13 13 |
|  | April <br> May ... <br> June... | $\begin{aligned} & 14,154 \\ & 14,198 \\ & 14.117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,494 \\ & 12,546 \\ & 12,511 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,660 \\ & 1,652 \\ & 1,606 \end{aligned}$ | 819 817 822 | $\begin{aligned} & 654 \\ & 652 \\ & 657 \end{aligned}$ | 165 165 165 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,664 \\ & 4,679 \\ & 4,670 \end{aligned}$ | 4,483 4,501 4,505 | $\begin{aligned} & 181 \\ & 178 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 91 \\ & 90 \end{aligned}$ | 13 13 14 |
|  | July ... August September | $\begin{aligned} & 14,135 \\ & 14,378 \\ & 14,061 \end{aligned}$ | 12,525 12,474 12,444 | 1,610 1,604 1,617 | $\begin{aligned} & 823 \\ & 826 \\ & 827 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 657 \\ & 659 \\ & 659 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 166 \\ & 167 \\ & 168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,741 \\ & 4,717 \\ & 4,718 \end{aligned}$ | 4,576 4,552 4,553 | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 165 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 90 \\ & 90 \end{aligned}$ | 14 14 14 |
|  | October <br> November .. <br> December ... | 14,105 | 12,488 | 1,617 | 824 | 656 | 168 | 4,742 | 4,577 | 165 | 104 | 90 | 14 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Vessels temporarily on the United Kingdom register on bareboat charter from Canada have been
Source : Ministry of Transport treated as having remained on the Canadian register. This tonnage which reached a peak of 768 thousand gross tons at 31 January 1946 was reduced to very small proportions during 1950 and had disappeared by 1953. See also footnote ( ${ }^{3}$ ).
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 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.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ From 28 February 1950 includes Canadian owned tonnage permanently transferred to the United Kingdom register, which at 31 October 1953 amounted to 642 thousand gross tons.

Shipping movement at United Kingdom ports
Entrances and clearances of vessels in the foreign trade( ${ }^{(1)}$

Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand net tons

|  |  |  |  | Entered with cargo |  | Cleared with cargo |  | Entered in ballast |  |  | Cleared in ballast |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | With mail only | Other | With mail only | Other | With passengers only | Calling for bunkers only | Other | With passengers only | Clearing with bunkers only | Other |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ |  |  | 172 | 4,041 | 150 | 2,830 | 208 | 208 | 654 | 228 | 1,130 | 1,027 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 128 | 4,447 | 140 | 3,320 | 176 | 96 | 747 | 195 | 899 | 1,084 |
| 1950 | .. | ... | ... | 114 | 4,678 | 148 | 3,625 | 277 | 50 | 815 | 239 | 821 | 1,188 |
| 1951 | ... . |  | ... | 74 | 5,224 | 54 | 3,576 | 369 | 73 | 782 | 327 | 1,278 | 1,307 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 111 | 5,239 | 79 | 3,838 | 390 | 63 | 997 | 390 | 1,279 | 1,257 |
| 1951 | October |  |  | 60 | 5,334 | 77 | 3,781 | 519 | 78 | 844 | 403 | 1,392 | 1,305 |
|  | November |  | ... | 152 | 5,024 | 63 | 3,625 | 318 | 84 | 759 | 239 | 1,301 | 1,160 |
|  | December |  | ... | 50 | 5,229 | 13 | 3,447 | 168 | 123 | 968 | 289 | 1,451 | 1,052 |
| 1952 | January | ... | $\ldots$ | 114 | 4,994 | 63 | 3,521 | 193 | 106 | 877 | 214 | 1,410 | 1,308 |
|  | February |  | ... | 63 | 4,590 | 23 | 3,520 | 163 | 118 | 995 | 210 | 1,275 | 1,207 |
|  | March ... |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 265 | 1,326 | 1,407 |
|  | April ... | ... | ... | 77 | 5,300 | 67 | 3,640 | 385 | 112 | 1,029 | 406 | 1,385 | 1,419 |
|  | May .. |  | ... | 164 | 5,502 | 124 | 3,993 | 446 | 22 | 917 | 462 | 1,371 | 1,381 |
|  | June .. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 117 | 5,536 | 86 | 3,815 | 397 | 41 | 1,015 | 424 | 1,245 | 1,298 |
|  | July | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 139 | 5,583 | 111 | 4,342 | 639 | 43 | 1,085 | 637 | 1,254 | 1,127 |
|  | August | ... | ... | 146 | 5,661 | 82 | 4,260 | 700 | 34 | 966 | 649 | 1,251 | 1,193 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 183 | 5,482 | 112 | 4,139 | 511 | 26 | 933 | 472 | 1,164 | 1,109 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 103 | 5,156 | 101 | 4,083 | 497 | 30 | 968 | 399 | 1,217 | 1,238 |
|  | November |  |  | 85 | 4,852 | 86 | 3,612 | 314 | 74 | 1,040 | 329 | 1,226 | 1,207 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  | 3,723 | 243 | 46 | 1,140 | 215 | 1,222 | 1,189 |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 91 | 5,172 | 27 | 3,938 | 248 | 71 | 1,1] | 290 |  |  |
|  | February |  | ... | 76 | 4,518 | 72 | 3,498 | 157 | 56 | 981 | 178 | 1,130 | 1,129 |
|  | March ... | ... | ... | 148 | 5,384 | 73 | 3,877 | 285 | 34 | 1,150 | 248 | 1,252 | 1,414 |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 93 | 5,288 | 56 | 3,845 | 459 | 30 | 955 | 372 | 1,279 |  |
|  | May ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 79 | 5,763 | 83 | 4,010 | 492 | 52 | 942 | 392 | 1,552 | 1,162 |
|  | June . | ... | ... | 165 | 6,173 | 101 | 4,267 | 624 | 25 | 902 | 756 | 1,354 | 1,370 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 255 | 6,260 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  | ... | 190 | 6,105 | 117 | 4,272 | 940 | 34 | 926 | 874 | 1.347 | 1,438 |
|  | September |  | $\ldots$ | 112 | 6,028 |  | 4,372 | 646 | 40 | 850 | 673 | 1,333 | 1,196 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 118 | 5,781 | 119 | 4,332 | 426 | 33 | 983 | 440 | 1,354 | 1,358 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^25]Source : Board of Trade

## XII. CIVIL AVIATION <br> United Kingdom air-lines ( ${ }^{1}$ )

Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | All services |  |  |  | Internal services |  |  |  | External services |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Aircraft miles flown | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Passen- } \\ & \text { gers } \end{aligned}$ carried | Mail carried | Freight carried $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Aircraft miles flown | Passengers carried | Mail carried | Freight carried ${ }^{(2)}$ | Aircraft miles flown | Passengers carried | Mail carried | Freight carried <br> ${ }^{(2)}$ |
|  |  | Thousands |  | Short tons( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Thousands |  | Short tons( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Thousands |  | Short tons( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| 1938(4) | ) | 1,102 | 18.3 | 293 | 232 | 256 | 12.1 | 55 | 57 | 845 | 6.1 | 238 | 175 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,684 \\ & 3,688 \\ & 4,025 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 59.5 76.8 96.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 396 \\ & 494 \\ & 605 \end{aligned}$ | 757 1,321 1,806 3,119 | $\begin{aligned} & 455 \\ & 501 \\ & 579 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 7 \\ & 37 \cdot 7 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 115 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 164 \\ & 213 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,229 \\ 3,188 \\ 3,446 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.7 \\ & 39.0 \\ & 55.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 291 \\ & 379 \\ & 473 \end{aligned}$ | 653 1,157 1,592 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | 4,371 4,803 | 118.0 141.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 744 \\ & 789 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,119 \\ 3,082 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 520 \\ & 611 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 0 \\ & 55 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 198 \\ & 201 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \\ & 222 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,852 \\ & 4,192 \end{aligned}$ | 73.9 85.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 546 \\ & 588 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,877 \\ & 2,860 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | July <br> August <br> September | 5,029 5,247 5,102 | 181.0 200.0 181.5 | 709 717 741 | 5,258 7,592 4,580 | 854 919 762 | $86 \cdot 3$ 97.6 76.1 | 201 212 203 | 308 322 250 | 4,175 4,328 4,340 | 94.7 102.4 $105 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 509 \\ & 506 \\ & 539 \end{aligned}$ | 4,950 7,271 4,330 |
|  | October ... November December... | $\begin{aligned} & 4,602 \\ & 3,801 \\ & 4,002 \end{aligned}$ | 113.8 76.4 83.5 | $\begin{array}{r} 788 \\ 810 \\ 1,144 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,472 \\ & 2,090 \\ & 2,247 \end{aligned}$ | 427 321 359 | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 3 \\ & 21 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216 \\ & 217 \\ & 294 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 209 \\ & 201 \\ & 205 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,174 \\ & 3,481 \\ & 3,643 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77.5 \\ & 54.6 \\ & 59.0 \end{aligned}$ | 571 594 850 | 2,263 1,889 2,042 |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March | 3,919 3,620 3,964 | 75.4 71.6 87.1 | 777 753 804 | 2,143 1,905 2,383 | 315 306 347 | 19.9 18.7 23.7 | 199 206 216 | 163 172 181 | 3,604 3,314 3,617 | 55.5 52.9 63.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 578 \\ & 547 \\ & 588 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,980 \\ & 1,733 \\ & 2,202 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May $\qquad$ $\qquad$ <br> June( ${ }^{5}$ ) <br> ... | 4,322 4,322 5,047 | 116.1 130.8 180.2 | 748 758 699 | 2,318 2,965 3,547 | 463 545 874 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 5 \\ & 47 \cdot 8 \\ & 82 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206 \\ & 197 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 204 \\ & 223 \\ & 222 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,859 \\ & 3,778 \\ & 4,172 \end{aligned}$ | 76.5 83.0 97.6 | 541 561 524 | 2,115 2,742 3,325 |
|  | July August September | 6,127 6,278 5,921 | 225.2 258.5 213.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 742 \\ & 712 \\ & 747 \end{aligned}$ | 3,989 4,922 4,502 | 1,107 1,208 912 | 109.6 129.4 89.8 | 189 183 198 | 307 291 238 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,020 \\ & 5,071 \\ & 5,009 \end{aligned}$ | 115.6 129.1 123.8 | 554 529 549 | 3,681 4,631 4,263 |
|  | October ... November... December... | 5,298 4,324 4,488 | $\begin{array}{r} 142.3 \\ 98.0 \\ 101.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 792 \\ 755 \\ 1,188 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,497 \\ & 2,476 \\ & 2,336 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 481 \\ & 371 \\ & 404 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 0 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 194 \\ & 182 \\ & 270 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218 \\ & 196 \\ & 242 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,817 \\ & 3,954 \\ & 4,083 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 3 \\ & 67 \cdot 8 \\ & 68 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 598 \\ & 573 \\ & 918 \end{aligned}$ | 3,278 2.280 2,095 |
| 1953 | January $\qquad$ February ... March March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,233 \\ & 4,039 \\ & 4,610 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 90.5 \\ 91.9 \\ 123.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 727 \\ & 627 \\ & 891 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,132 \\ & 2,014 \\ & 3,229 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 338 \\ & 341 \\ & 378 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 33 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 166 137 191 | $\begin{aligned} & 181 \\ & 149 \\ & 231 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,895 \\ & 3,698 \\ & 4,232 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 7 \\ & 67 \cdot 8 \\ & 89 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 562 490 701 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,951 \\ & 1,865 \\ & 2,998 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May... <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 5,098 \\ & 5,560 \\ & 5,718 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160 \cdot 7 \\ & 179.0 \\ & 220 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 751 \\ & 777 \\ & 740 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,984 \\ & 5,178 \\ & 7,247 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 551 \\ 672 \\ 1,010 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 0 \\ & 62 \cdot 4 \\ & 94 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \\ & 194 \\ & 189 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 233 \\ & 260 \\ & 353 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,547 \\ & 4,888 \\ & 4,708 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106.7 \\ & 116.6 \\ & 126.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 567 \\ & 583 \\ & 551 \end{aligned}$ | 3,751 4,918 6,894 |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September... | $\begin{aligned} & 6,375 \\ & 6,579 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301 \cdot 6 \\ & 340 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 772 \\ & 716 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,318 \\ & 12,228 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,279 \\ & 1,261 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 141 \cdot 6 \\ & 153.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 198 \\ & 183 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 416 \\ & 420 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,096 \\ & 5,318 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 160 \cdot 0 \\ & 186 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 574 \\ & 533 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,902 \\ 11,808 \end{array}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Scheduled services only. From January 1951 the mileage statistics are based on Standard (Great Circle) distances, the figures for earlier periods being computed on the basis of prescribed track.
${ }^{(2)}$ Includes excess baggage and diplomatic bags.
(3) Short tons of $2,000 \mathrm{lb}$.
(4) Statistics for 1938 include a small volume of mileage and traffic on charter and special flights by operators of regular services.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) From June 1952 figures include estimates computed from figures for four and five weekly periods.

## CIVIL AVIATION

## United Kingdom air-lines ${ }^{(1)}$

TABLE 125
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | All services |  |  |  | Internal services |  |  |  | External services |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mail | Freight <br> ${ }^{(2)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight ${ }^{(2)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles |
|  |  | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | Millions |
| 1938(4) | ) | 831 | 91 | 453 | 4.5 | 10 | 7 | 79 | 0.9 | 821 | 84 | 374 | 3.6 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | … $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 927 985 1,133 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,448 \\ & 1,688 \\ & 2,047 \end{aligned}$ | 4,776 5,219 6,715 | $46 \cdot 2$ $51 \cdot 2$ $66 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 19 \\ & 22 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 31 \\ & 40 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 418 \\ & 531 \\ & 594 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.8 \\ & 6.0 \\ & 6.7 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 911 \\ 966 \\ 1,111 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,430 \\ & 1,657 \\ & 2,007 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,358 \\ & 4,688 \\ & 6,121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 5 \\ & 45 \cdot 2 \\ & 59 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | 1,441 1,544 | 2,593 2,531 | 6,068 10,389 | 88.7 102.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 33 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \\ & 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 647 \\ & 850 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.4 \\ & 9.7 \end{aligned}$ | 1,408 | 2,548 | $\begin{aligned} & 8,421 \\ & 9,540 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81.4 \\ & 92.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | $\begin{array}{lr}\text { July ... } & \ldots \\ \text { August } & \ldots \\ \text { September }\end{array}$ | 1,401 1,360 1,400 | 2,666 2,636 2,350 | 11,108 11,423 12,491 | 110.9 114.2 123.8 | 33 35 34 | 54 59 47 | 1,205 1,329 1,127 | 13.8 15.4 12.8 | 1,367 1,325 1,366 | 2,611 2,578 2,303 | $\begin{array}{r} 9,903 \\ 10,094 \\ 11,363 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97.1 \\ 98.7 \\ 110.9 \end{array}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,496 \\ & 1,542 \\ & 2,433 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,519 \\ & 2,400 \\ & 2,865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,865 \\ & 7,596 \\ & 7,997 \end{aligned}$ | $95 \cdot 6$ $72 \cdot 8$ $77 \cdot 2$ | 36 35 47 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \\ & 36 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 570 \\ & 349 \\ & 391 \end{aligned}$ | 6.4 3.9 4.4 | 1,461 1,507 2,386 | 2,480 2,364 2,827 | 9,294 7,247 7,605 | 89.2 68.9 72.8 |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 1,490 \\ & 1,428 \\ & 1,556 \end{aligned}$ | 2,379 2,368 2,593 | 7,406 7,120 8,594 | 71.4 68.5 $83 \cdot 0$ | 33 34 35 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 33 \\ & 36 \end{aligned}$ | 314 286 371 | $3 \cdot 5$ $3 \cdot 2$ 4.1 | 1,458 1,395 1,521 | 2,349 2,335 2,557 | 7,091 6,835 8,224 | $67 \cdot 9$ $65 \cdot 3$ $78 \cdot 8$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{lc}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May... } & \ldots \\ \text { June( }{ }^{5} \text { ) } & \ldots\end{array}$ | 1,319 1,364 1,387 | 2,313 2,260 2,346 | 9,055 9,510 11,703 | 89.0 92.5 116.3 | 34 32 29 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \\ & 43 \\ & 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 588 \\ 735 \\ 1,227 \end{array}$ | 6.7 8.3 13.9 | 1,285 1,332 1,358 | 2,276 2,218 2,305 | 8,467 8,776 10,476 | 82.3 84.2 102.4 |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,468 \\ & 1,401 \\ & 1,429 \end{aligned}$ | 2,656 2,704 2,712 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,602 \\ & 14,167 \\ & 14,207 \end{aligned}$ | 137.2 143.5 142.2 | 31 30 33 | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \\ & 49 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ | 1,614 1,850 1,359 | 18.4 21.4 15.5 | 1,437 1,371 1,396 | 2,602 2,655 2,667 | $\begin{aligned} & 11,988 \\ & 12,317 \\ & 12,848 \end{aligned}$ | 118.9 122.0 126.8 |
|  | October ... <br> November... <br> December... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,535 \\ & 1,573 \\ & 2,580 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,854 \\ & 2,582 \\ & 2,610 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,291 \\ 8,882 \\ 9,134 \end{array}$ | 110.4 86.0 89.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 31 \\ & 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 35 \\ & 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 729 \\ & 540 \\ & 585 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 6 \cdot 0 \\ & 6 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,502 \\ & 1,543 \\ & 2,536 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,813 \\ & 2,546 \\ & 2,565 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,563 \\ 8,342 \\ 8,549 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102.2 \\ 79.9 \\ 82.8 \end{array}$ |
| 1953 | January February $\qquad$ March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,555 \\ & 1,497 \\ & 1,638 \end{aligned}$ | 2,284 2,449 2,961 | 8,393 7,950 10,416 | 82.1 77.3 102.2 | 27 28 32 | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 31 \\ & 39 \end{aligned}$ | 421 419 575 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.8 \\ & 4.7 \\ & 6.5 \end{aligned}$ | 1,527 1,469 1,606 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,253 \\ & 2,417 \\ & 2,923 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,972 \\ & 7,532 \\ & 9,841 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \cdot 3 \\ & 72.6 \\ & 95.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May... June | $\begin{aligned} & 1,493 \\ & 1,617 \\ & 1,525 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,738 \\ & 2,942 \\ & 2,816 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,202 \\ & 12,630 \\ & 12,678 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.4 \\ & 125.8 \\ & 129.2 \end{aligned}$ | 31 32 32 | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \\ & 45 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 866 \\ 1,034 \\ 1,472 \end{array}$ | 9.9 11.6 16.7 | 1,461 1,584 1,493 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,698 \\ & 2,897 \\ & 2,754 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,336 \\ & 11,597 \\ & 11,206 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.4 \\ & 114.1 \\ & 112.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,561 \\ & 1,456 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,957 \\ & 3,069 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,401 \\ & 16,256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159.1 \\ & 168.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,117 \\ & 2,272 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,528 \\ & 1,426 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,887 \\ & 3,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,284 \\ & 13,984 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134.7 \\ & 142.5 \end{aligned}$ |

$\left({ }^{1}\right),\left(^{2}\right),\left({ }^{3}\right),\left({ }^{4}\right)$, and $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ See corresponding footnotes to Table I24.

# XIII. INLAND TRANSPORT <br> Traffic receipts of the British Transport Commission( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE 126
Weekly averages $\left({ }^{2}\right)$
$£$ thousand

|  |  | British Railways |  |  |  |  |  | London Transport |  |  |  | Inland waterways |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Passenger train |  | Freight train |  |  | Total | Railways | Road transport |  | Total | Freight charges | Tolls |
|  |  | Passengers | Parcels, mails, etc. | Merchandise and livestock | Minerals | Coal and coke | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Buses } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { coaches } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | Trams and trolley buses |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  |  | 6,382 | 2,351 | 563 | 1,635 | 560 | 1,273 | 1,102 | 281 | 605 | 215 | 26 | 13 | 13 |
| 1949 | . ... ... | 6,177 | 2,188 | 552 | 1,563 | 570 | 1,305 | 1,078 | 268 | 600 | 209 | 30 | 16 | 14 |
| 1950 | $\ldots$.... | 6,443 | 2,039 | 588 | 1,699 | 623 | 1,492 | 1,063 | 271 | 590 | 202 | 30 | 15 | 15 |
| 1951 | $\cdots$ | 7,057 | 2,053 | 634 | 1,914 | 705 | 1,751 | 1,126 | 294 | 647 | 185 | 35 | 18 | 17 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$... | 7,621 | 2,140 | 689 | 2,040 | 807 | 1,945 | 1,258 | 326 | 750 | 181 | 43 | 24 | 18 |
| Four weeks ended :- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | October 7 | 7,368 | 2,102 | 655 | 2,011 | 722 | 1,878 | 1,185 | 314 | 683 | 189 |  |  |  |
|  | November 4 | 7,118 | 1,708 | 644 | 2,082 | 800 | 1,884 | 1,149 | 309 | 661 | 179 | 42 | 24 | 18 |
|  | December 2 | 7,063 | 1,552 | 656 | 2,135 | 810 | 1,912 | 1,138 | 308 | 651 | 179 | 40 | 23 | 17 |
|  | December 30 | 6,847 | 1,969 | 617 | 1,833 | 737 | 1,692 | 1,112 | 306 | 633 | 173 |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January 27 | 6,949 | 1,513 | 617 | 2,011 | 821 | 1,989 | 1,103 | 307 | 630 | 166 | 43 | 24 | 19 |
|  | February 24 | 7,295 | 1,582 | 662 | 2,160 | 823 | 2,068 | 1,097 | 304 | 628 | 165 | 44 | 25 | 19 |
|  | March 23 | 7,545 | 1,714 | 681 | 2,225 | 832 | 2,093 | 1,261 | 350 | 722 | 189 | 45 | 25 | 20 |
|  | April 20 | 7,510 | 2,195 | 669 | 1,961 | 774 | 1,911 | 1,296 | 351 | 751 | 194 | 41 | 23 | 18 |
|  | May 18 | 7,470 | 1,877 | 698 | 2,111 | 801 | 1,983 | 1,355 | 360 | 795 | 200 | 44 | 24 | 20 |
|  | June 15... | 7,683 | 2,390 | 691 | 1,969 | 784 | 1,849 | 1,351 | 352 | 804 | 195 | 43 | 26 | 17 |
|  | July $13 \ldots$ | 8,104 | 2,687 | 699 | 2,034 | 783 | 1,901 | 1,351 | 349 | 810 | 192 | 41 | 23 | 18 |
|  | August 10 . | 8,077 | 3,489 | 691 | 1,669 | 684 | 1,544 | 1,346 | 350 | 819 | 178 | 38 | 22 | 16 |
|  | September 7 | 7,926 | 2,672 | 697 | 1,970 | 772 | 1,815 | 1,337 | 343 | 813 | 181 | 45 | 27 | 18 |
|  | October 5 | 7,753 | 2,135 | 719 | 2,081 | 818 | 2,001 | 1,304 |  | 783 | 179 |  |  |  |
|  | November 2 | 7,651 | 1,841 | 713 | 2,173 | 863 | 2,062 | 1,302 | 351 | 772 | 180 | 45 | 26 | 19 |
|  | November 30 | 7,408 | 1,618 | 705 | 2,136 | 887 | 2,062 | 1,278 | 356 | 745 | 176 | 43 | 25 | 19 |
|  | December 28 | 7,454 | 2,027 | 717 | 1,917 | 821 | 1,972 | 1,198 | 355 | 683 | 160 | 39 | 23 |  |
| 1953 | January 25 | 7,211 | 1,589 | 653 | 1,981 | 897 | 2,091 | 1,227 | 350 | 709 | 167 | 44 | 24 | 19 |
|  | February 22 | 7,518 | 1,587 | 690 | 2,111 | 864 | 2,266 | 1,196 | 334 | 697 | 165 | 44 | 25 | 19 |
|  | March 22 | 7,847 | 1,735 | 725 | 2,187 | 920 | 2,280 | 1,273 | 347 | 752 | 174 | 45 | 18 | $27\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |
|  | April 19 | 7,837 | 2,164 | 718 | 2,011 | 882 | 2,061 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May $17 .$. | 7,938 | 1,934 | 753 | 2,166 | 894 | 2,191 | 1,320 | 343 | 796 | 181 | 46 | 19 | 27 |
|  | June 14 | 7,909 | 2,514 | 735 | 1,947 | 814 | 1,899 | 1,381 | 368 | 833 | 180 | 44 | 19 |  |
|  | July $12 \ldots$ | 8,590 | 2,798 | 764 | 2,101 | 859 | 2,068 | 1,317 | 336 | 805 | 176 | 46 | 19 | 27 |
|  | August 9 | 8,267 | 3,585 | 754 | 1,688 | 731 | 1,509 | 1,314 | 332 | 811 | 171 | 38 | 14 | 24 |
|  | September 6 ... | 8,253 | 2,680 | 761 | 1,958 | 837 | 2,017 | 1,339 | 337 | 823 | 179 | 42 | 16 | 26 |
|  | October 4 ... | 8,237 | 2,217 | 776 | 2,201 | 862 | 2,182 | 1,371 | 352 | 835 | 185 | 42 | 17 | 25 |
|  | November 1 <br> November 29 <br> December 27 | 8,119 | 1,944 | 769 | 2,250 | 927 | 2,229 | 1,352 | 371 | 797 | 184 | 45 | 19 | 26 |

${ }^{(1)}$ This table excludes the following activities; British Railways' collection and delivery services, British Road Services, road passenger transport, ships, docks, harbours and wharves, hotels and catering.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ From March 1953, includes charges for wharfage, unloading and other terminal services previously added in to freight charges.

# INLAND TRANSPORT 

## British Railways : Passenger journeys originating

Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(2)}$ The issue of monthly return tickets ceased on I May 1952.
Including traffic paid by Service and other Government departments by means and Civil Aviation of vouchers (e.g. military, naval, etc.); tickets issued under bulk travel
(2) Including traffic not shown separately.
(') Included in "Ordinary fares, monthly return and excursion, etc.".

London Transport : Passenger journeys originating


[^26]British Railways and inland waterways: Freight traffic
Weekly averages ${ }^{(1)}$

|  |  | British Rallways( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 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 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 23$ | 0.90 | 0.97 | $3 \cdot 35$ | 315 |  |  | 155 | 265 | 119 |  |  | $\cdots$ |
| 1936 | ... | 5.40 | 0.96 | 1.05 | 3.40 | 333 353 | 103 | 70 | 160 | 272 | 121 | 22 | 129 | . |
| 1937 |  | 5.73 | 0.99 | 1.13 0.91 | 3.61 3.31 | 353 320 | 107 98 | 75 63 | 171 159 | 275 248 | 121 105 | 24 25 | 130 118 | - |
| 1938 | ... ... | 5.10 | 0.87 | 0.91 | 3.31 | 320 |  |  |  | 248 | 105 |  | 118 | . |
| 1948 |  | $5 \cdot 23$ | 1.06 | 1.13 | 3.03 | 411 | 134 | 94 | 183 | 216 | 77 | 34 | 106 | 3,649 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | 5.37 | 1.05 | 1.17 | 3.16 | 422 | 135 | 97 | 191 | 217 | 77 | 33 | 107 | 3,669 |
| 1950 | ... | 5.40 | 1.04 | 1.16 | $3 \cdot 20$ | 425 | 133 | 96 | 195 | 226 | 80 | 35 | 111 | 3,728 |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ | 5.46 | 1.04 | 1.17 | 3.25 | 439 | 136 | 99 | 204 | 235 | 84 | 39 | 112 | 3,902 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | 5.45 | 0.98 | 1. 20 | $3 \cdot 27$ | 428 | 130 | 100 | 198 | 238 | 78 | 39 | 121 | 3,938 |
| Fourweeks ended:- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 October 7 ... <br> November 4 <br> December 2 <br> December 30 |  | $5 \cdot 62$ | 1.07 | 1.19 | $3 \cdot 36$ | 459 | 140 | 102 | 217 | 251 | 95 | 38 | 118 | 4,109 |
|  |  | 5.75 | 1.11 | $1 \cdot 25$ | 3.39 | 470 | 144 | 109 | 217 | 249 | 90 | 37 | 122 | 4,129 |
|  |  | 5.84 | $1 \cdot 11$ | 1.27 | 3.46 | 474 | 146 | 109 | 219 | 246 | 84 | 44 | 119 | 4,157 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 27$ | 0.99 | $1 \cdot 17$ | $3 \cdot 11$ | 421 | 130 | 98 | 193 | 231 | 84 | 38 | 109 | 3,798 |
| 1952 January 27 ... February 24 March 23 ... |  | 5.48 | 1.01 | $1 \cdot 22$ | 3.25 | 441 | 135 | 105 | 201 | 240 | 82 | 38 | 120 | 3,953 |
|  |  | 5.74 | 1.06 | $1 \cdot 21$ | 3.46 | 452 | 140 | 102 | 209 | 258 | 86 | 40 | 132 | 4,119 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 76$ | 1.09 | 1-21 | 3.46 | 468 | 149 |  | 213 |  |  |  |  | 4,285 |
| April 20 <br> May 18 <br> June 15 |  | $5 \cdot 29$ | 0.96 | 1.14 | $3 \cdot 19$ | 420 | 130 | 96 | 194 | 239 | 85 | 37 | 117 | 3.670 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 59$ | 1.01 | $1 \cdot 21$ | $3 \cdot 37$ | 443 | 138 | 102 | 203 | 247 | 77 | 43 | 127 | 4,412 |
|  |  | 5.30 | 0.93 | $1 \cdot 19$ | $3 \cdot 18$ | 414 | 126 | 97 | 191 | 232 | 74 | 37 | 122 | 3,803 |
| July 13 <br> August 10 <br> September 7 |  | 5.42 | 0.97 | $1 \cdot 19$ | 3.26 | 421 | 128 | 97 | 196 | 239 | 78 | 36 | 126 | 3,889 |
|  |  | $4 \cdot 50$ | 0.82 | 1.06 | $2 \cdot 62$ | 352 | 106 | 85 | 161 | 210 | 72 | 34 | 104 | 3,390 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 21$ | 0.95 | $1 \cdot 17$ | $3 \cdot 10$ | 403 | 122 | 95 | 186 | 228 | 80 | 36 | 112 | 4,016 |
| October 5 ... <br> November 2 <br> November 30 <br> December 28 |  | 5.60 | 0.99 | 1.24 | $3 \cdot 37$ | 441 | 132 | 101 | 208 | 243 | 79 | 41 | 123 | 3,996 |
|  |  | 5.75 | 1.00 | 1.28 | 3.47 | 454 | 134 | 106 | 214 | 244 | 76 | 40 | 127 | 4,121 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 79$ | 1.01 | 1.32 | 3.46 | 450 | 137 | 105 | 207 | 243 | 76 | 41 | 127 | 4,063 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 30$ | 0.91 | 1.19 | $3 \cdot 20$ | 406 | 119 | 96 | 191 | 207 | 62 | 35 | 110 | 3,505 |
|  |  | 5.60 | 0.94 |  |  |  |  |  | 200 | 238 | 71 | 38 | 128 | 4,043 |
|  | February 22 | 5.76 | 0.98 | $1 \cdot 21$ | $3 \cdot 58$ | 460 | 135 | 103 | 222 | 250 | 75 | 42 | 134 | 4,218 |
|  | March 22 ... | 5.91 | 1.00 | 1.29 | 3.62 | 470 | 142 | 108 | 221 | 248 | 74 | 38 | 136 | 4,261 |
| April 19 May 17 June 14 |  | 5.47 | 0.93 | 1. 24 | 3.31 | 432 | 129 | 104 | 199 | 232 | 72 | 38 | 122 | 3,915 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 78$ | 0.98 | 1.26 | $3 \cdot 54$ | 457 | 135 | 105 | 217 | 254 | 70 | 38 | 147 | 4,328 |
|  |  | 5.12 | 0.88 | $1 \cdot 16$ | 3.08 | 398 | 121 | 94 | 184 | 230 | 72 | 34 | 124 | 3,875 |
| July 12 <br> August 9 <br> September 6 |  | $5 \cdot 55$ | 0.95 | $1 \cdot 25$ | $3 \cdot 35$ | 436 | 129 | 98 | 208 | 257 | 82 | 35 | 140 | 4,256 |
|  |  | 4.30 | 0.80 | 1.08 | 2.43 | 350 | 108 | 86 | 156 | 213 | 74 | 32 | 107 | 3,232 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 36$ | 0.92 | 1.21 | $3 \cdot 24$ | 414 | 121 | 96 | 196 | 246 | 76 | 35 | 135 | 4,033 |
| October 4 ... <br> November I <br> November 29 <br> December 27 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5.72 \\ & 5.95 \end{aligned}$ | 0.99 1.03 | 1.24 1.32 | 3.49 3.60 | 449 | 135 | 101 | 214 | 250 | 73 | 36 | 141 | 4,059 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Road vehicles in Great Britain : New registrations $\left({ }^{1}\right)$
TABLE 130
Monthly averages or calendar months
Number

|  |  |  | Total | Cars | Motor cycles and tricycles $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Public conveyance $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Goods vehicles |  |  | Agricultural vehicles |  | Vehicles exempt from duty |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Vans and lorries |  |  |  | General haulage tractors | Other ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Vans and lorries | Tractors and engines | Ambulances and fire engines | Road construction | Other ( ${ }^{5}$ ) |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935\left({ }^{6}\right) \\ & 1936{ }^{\circ} \\ & 1937{ }^{\circ}{ }^{\circ} \\ & 1938\left(^{\circ}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ |  | 33,124 | 22,218 | 3,836 | 583 | 5,605 | 18 | 7 | 77 | 339 | 42 | 27 |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 37,445 | 24,664 | 4,449 | 627 | 6,321 | 18 | 12 | 83 | 437 | 36 | 38 | 372 759 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 40,522 | 26,687 | 4,755 | 698 | 6,539 | 19 | 9 | 93 | 605 | 44 | 38 | 759 1,037 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 34,930 | 22,683 | 3,753 | 749 | 5,688 | 20 | 9 | 85 | 612 | 48 | 41 | 1,037 |
| 19481949195019511952 |  | ... | 30,569 | 9,312 | 6,178 | 820 | 8,839 | 70 | 57 | 412 | 4,584 | 58 | 98 |  |
|  |  | ... | 34,601 | 12,758 | 7,463 | 1,029 | 8,899 | 52 | 47 | 379 | 3,639 | 122 | 87 | 126 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 34,810 | 11,117 | 11,085 | 944 | 7,723 | 48 | 33 | 246 | 3,306 | 109 | 60 | 139 |
|  |  |  | 34,493 | 11,443 | 11,447 | 647 | 7,301 | 47 | 34 | 162 | 3,062 | 101 | 62 | 187 |
|  |  | ... | 37,987 | 15,702 | 11,322 | 449 | 7,102 | 50 | 28 | 128 | 2,869 | 91 | 57 | 188 |
| 1951 | July ... | $\ldots$ | 39,901 | 14,084 | 14,626 | 722 | 7,117 | 42 | 32 | 147 | 2,761 | 98 |  |  |
|  | August |  | 32,418 | 9,886 | 12,131 | 529 | 6,048 | 42 | 27 | 121 | 3,303 | 83 | 47 | 201 |
|  | September |  | 31,189 | 9,653 | 9,987 | 525 | 7,781 | 40 | 34 | 144 | 2,608 | 99 | 54 | 264 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | 32,245 | 11,131 | 10,131 | 539 | 7,534 | 55 | 34 | 182 | 2,284 | 101 | 83 | 171 |
|  | November |  | 28,567 | 10,987 | 7,834 | 313 | 7,367 | 42 | 33 | 143 | 1,514 | 99 | 49 | 186 |
|  | December |  | 23,399 | 9,880 | 6,056 | 425 | 5,627 | 34 | 24 | 95 | 1,033 | 120 | 31 | 74 |
| 1952 | January | $\ldots$ | 38,560 | 14,045 | 9,582 | 621 | 8,947 | 48 | 26 | 214 | 4,566 | 118 |  |  |
|  | February | ... | 34,134 | 12,541 | 9,612 | 429 | 7,290 | 32 | 25 | 147 | 3,711 | 98 | 43 | 206 |
|  | March | ... | 40,944 | 13,135 | 13,900 | 792 | 8,007 | 44 | 31 | 137 | 4,459 | 117 | 60 | 262 |
|  | April | ... | 36,268 | 13,806 | 12,821 | 488 | 5,580 | 61 | 22 | 110 | 3,027 | 117 | 71 |  |
|  | May ... | $\cdots$ | 41,639 | 14,540 | 15,712 | 809 | 7,177 | 86 | 26 | 110 | 2,830 | 91 | 68 | 190 |
|  | June... | , | 37,230 | 13,260 | 12,904 | 463 | 7,640 | 56 | 25 | 88 | 2,423 | 71 | 54 | 246 |
|  | July ... |  | 43,871 | 15,545 | 17,058 | 451 | 7,367 |  |  |  |  | 78 | 66 | 134 |
|  | August | ... | 30,366 | 11,090 | 11,413 | 193 | 4,940 | 37 | 32 | 103 | 2,370 | 45 | 35 | 108 |
|  | September |  | 39,376 | 18,415 | 11,043 | 273 | 6,470 | 50 | 15 | 135 | 2,740 | 68 | 58 | 109 |
|  | October |  | 43,536 | 21,458 | 10,040 | 277 | 8,177 | 61 | 41 | 132 | 2,874 | 97 |  |  |
|  | November |  | 38,897 | 21,993 | 7,294 | 321 | 7,422 | 33 | 35 | 106 | 1,424 | 98 | 66 | 105 |
|  | December |  | 31,022 | 18,595 | 4,483 | 271 | 6,210 | 40 | 25 | 110 | 1,076 | 88 | 22 | 102 |
| 1953 | January |  | 47,307 | 24,245 | 8,070 | 222 | 9,507 |  |  | 170 |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | 36,979 | 17,253 | 8,134 | 276 | 7,420 | 26 | 31 | 118 | 3,386 | 115 | 62 | 158 |
|  | March |  | 45,065 | 17,426 | 14,071 | 608 | 8,303 | 52 | 45 | 114 | 4,111 | 120 | 86 | 129 |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | 48,137 | 23,302 | 13,970 | 380 | 6,861 | 73 | 36 | 93 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | 56,619 | 27,098 | 17,064 | 622 | 8,400 | 95 | 33 | 130 | 2,924 | 71 | 87 | 95 |
|  | June... | ... | 50,305 | 24,769 | 13,410 | 692 | 8,131 | 60 | 29 | 105 | 2,776 | 57 | 73 | 203 |
|  |  |  | 58,823 | 28,811 |  | 425 | 9,203 | 49 | 35 | 135 | 3,120 | 109 | 57 | 112 |
|  | August September | $\ldots$ | 37,633 | 16,874 | 11,307 | 266 | 5,949 | 33 | 12 | 91 | 2,871 | 67 | 44 | 119 |

(1) For the years 1935 to 1938, details of Government owned vehicles by types are not available. Such vehicles are grouped under one heading "Exempt from duty-Other". Service vehicles are excluded after 1938
${ }^{(2}$ ) Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
${ }^{(8)}$ ) Buses, coaches, trolleybuses, taxis and private hire cars. Tramcars are excluded.
() Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles.
${ }^{(6)}$ Including invalid vehicles and snow ploughs. From 1948 onwards all "Exempt" vehicles other than ambulances, fire engines, road construction vehicles, invalid vehicles and snow ploughs are included under the appropriate headings.
${ }^{(6)}$ Years ended September.

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

Thousands

| Annual census( ${ }^{6}$ ) |  | Total | Cars | Motor cycles and tricycles ${ }^{(2)}$ | 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 | Ambulances and fire engines | Other $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | ... ... |  | 2,581 2,769 | 1,477 1,643 | 517 506 | 85.5 86.0 | 10.9 10.3 | 422 445 | 1.9 1.9 | $3 \cdot 2$ $3 \cdot 5$ | 10.4 11.6 | 19.3 22.5 | 5.8 6.1 | $28 \cdot 5$ $33 \cdot 5$ |
| 1936 1937 | $\begin{array}{ll}\ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ | 2,769 2,938 | 1,643 | 488 | 85.8 | 9.7 | 463 | 2.0 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 12.4 | 25.6 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 2$ |
| 1937 1938 | $\begin{array}{ll}\cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \end{array}$ | 2,998 | 1,944 | 462 | $87 \cdot 7$ | 9.0 | 478 | 1.9 | $3 \cdot 9$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | $57 \cdot 8$ |
| 1948 |  | 3,734 | 1,961 | 559 | 127.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 723 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $41 \cdot 3$ | 229.2 | 12.8 | $65 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 | $\ldots$... | 3,734 4,113 | 2,131 | 654 | 133.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 792 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | $267 \cdot 2$ | 13.6 | $60 \cdot 6$ |
| 1950 |  | 4,414 | 2,258 | 752 | 136.5 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 842 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 6.0 | $48 \cdot 1$ | $2,95 \cdot 9$ | 13.7 | 54.0 |
| 1951 | ... ... | 4,626 | 2,380 | 848 | 136.4 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 882 | $3 \cdot 9$ | 6.0 | $46 \cdot 9$ | $282 \cdot 3$ | 12.8 | 23.6 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 4,904 | 2,508 | 949 | $132 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 912 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 5$ | 304.7 | $13 \cdot 3$ | $25 \cdot 0$ |
| End of month |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 2,681 | 1,742 | 290 | $75 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 461 | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 12.6 | 22.3 |  |  |
|  |  | 3,053 | 1,971 | 405 | $83 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 465 | 1.8 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 13.0 | $27 \cdot 3$ |  |  |
|  |  | 3,157 | 2,034 | 418 | 90.0 | $7 \cdot 9$ | 471 | $1 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | $32 \cdot 0$ |  |  |
|  |  | 2,604 | 1,627 | 304 | $67 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 447 | $1 \cdot 8$ | 1.0 | $15 \cdot 6$ | $37 \cdot 0$ |  |  |
| 1948 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 2,612 | 1,349 | 207 | 118.5 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 641 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 34.7 | $183 \cdot 2$ |  | 1 |
|  |  | 3,146 | 1,670 | 351 | 123.8 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 661 | 3.3 | $6 \cdot 9$ | $36 \cdot 8$ | 209.4 |  |  |
|  |  | 3,652 | 1,951 | 530 | 126.6 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 683 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $39 \cdot 5$ | 226.4 |  |  |
|  |  | 3,683 | 1,931 | 537 | 123.9 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 710 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 0$ | $240 \cdot 1$ |  |  |
| 1949 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 3,504 | J,868 | 447 | 123.7 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 721 | 3.1 3.3 | 2.3 5.9 | 41.2 43.0 | 219.8 246.9 |  | - |
|  |  | 3,861 | 2,035 | 576 | 129.9 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 740 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | 246.9 |  | - |
|  |  | 4,016 | 2,107 | 616 | $132 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 758 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 4$ 3.9 | $45 \cdot 3$ | $262 \cdot 2$ |  |  |
|  |  | 4,051 | 2,104 | 625 | 128.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 780 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | $47 \cdot 0$ | $273 \cdot 6$ |  |  |
| 1950 | February <br> May <br> August ... <br> November | 3,833 | 2,035 | 526 | $126 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 778 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | $246 \cdot 1$ |  |  |
|  |  | 4,193 | 2,183 | 673 | $132 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 801 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $272 \cdot 7$ |  |  |
|  |  | 4,310 | 2,237 | 709 | 135.1 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 806 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $47 \cdot 4$ | $288 \cdot 9$ |  |  |
|  |  | 4,321 | 2,222 | 715 | 128.0 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 821 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 5$ | $300 \cdot 2$ |  |  |
| 1951 | February <br> May <br> August ... <br> November | 3,933 | 2,101 | 567 | 125.3 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 812 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | $239 \cdot 5$ |  | . 0 |
|  |  | 4,358 | 2,288 | 741 | 132.2 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 835 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 6.9 | 45.0 | 266.0 |  | . 9 |
|  |  | 4,522 | 2,356 | 805 | 134.7 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 849 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 2$ | $279 \cdot 9$ |  | . 7 |
|  |  | 4,489 | 2,319 | 794 | 126.6 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 864 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | $287 \cdot 7$ |  | - 2 |
| 1952 | February <br> May <br> August ... <br> November | 4,161 | 2,195 | 641 | 122.9 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 855 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $42 \cdot 8$ | 261. 2 |  | . 7 |
|  |  | 4,618 | 2,397 | 840 | 129.9 | 3.6 | 870 | 4.0 | 6.0 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 285.5 |  | . 6 |
|  |  | 4,770 | 2,467 | 898 | 131.0 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 878 | 4.0 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | 298.9 |  | . 3 |
|  |  | 4,748 | 2,448 | 882 | 122.0 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 891 | 4.0 | $3 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 1$ | $307 \cdot 1$ |  | - 8 |
| 1953 | February May <br> August ... | 4,446 4,955 | 2,371 | 719 920 | 108.9 113.9 |  |  |  |  | $40 \cdot 5$ 41.5 | 281.8 305.0 |  | . 7 |
|  |  | 4,955 5,140 | 2,625 2,724 | 920 976 | 113.9 114.8 | 3.0 3.0 | 896 909 | $4 \cdot 3$ 4.3 | 6.5 6.0 | $41 \cdot 5$ $42 \cdot 5$ | $305 \cdot 0$ 319.3 |  | . 5 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ 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 August 1953 the number of trade licences was 42,002 . Vehicles which bear a licence but which are exempt from duty are shown separately.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 130.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including trolleybuses and private hire cars.
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ See footnote ( ${ }^{4}$ ) to Table I30.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Mainly cars and goods vehicles owned by Government authorities, but after January 1951 these are excluded.
$\left(^{6}\right)$ Licences current at any time during the September quarter.
(i) Total receipts and issues
£ million


(ii) Ordinary revenue and expenditure

| Revenue | 1952/53 |  | 1953/54 |  | Expenditure | 1952/53 |  | 1953/54 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | I April to 22 Nov. 1952 | Year (Budget Estimate) | I April to 21 Nov. 1953 |  | Year | I April to 22 Nov. 1952 | Year (Budget Estimate | IApril to 21 Nov. 1953 |
| Inland Revenue duties : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income tax ... ... | 1,736.2 |  | 1,782.2 | 547.3 41.2 | Interest and management of |  | 369.7 | 615.0 | 374.6 |
| Sur-tax $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Death duties } & . . & \ldots & \ldots \\ \text { Pr }\end{array}$ | 131.2 151.8 | 95.1 | 160.0 | $103 \cdot 7$ | Payments to Northern Ireland |  |  |  | 374.6 |
| Profits tax ... $\ldots$... | 3376.1 | $264 \cdot 9$ | 214.0 | 132.4 | Exchequer ... ... $\ldots$. | 44.7 | 23.4 | 48.0 | $28 \cdot 3$ |
| Excess profits tax   <br> Excess profits levy $\ldots$. $\ldots$ | 376.1 3.0 | 264.9 - |  |  | Other Consolidated services ... |  | $5 \cdot 6$ | 10.0 | $5 \cdot 5$ |
| Stamp duties ... ... ... | $50 \cdot 2$ | 31.4 | $52 \cdot 0$ | 34.5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Special contribution and other Inland Revenue duties | $2 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 1$ | 1.0 | 0.6 | Supply services ... ... | 3,683-8 | 2,227•7 | 3,586-3 | 2,138•3 |
| Customs and Excise duties: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Customs ... ... | 1,024.5 | $674 \cdot 0$ | 1,044-3 | 689.2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excise $\quad .$. | 739.1 | $486 \cdot 5$ | $680 \cdot 5$ | $483 \cdot 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Motor vehicle duties | 67.7 | $15 \cdot 4$ | 69.0 | 17.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Post Office (net receipt) ... | - | - | 2.7 | $5 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Broadcast receiving licences ... | 14.8 | 6.7 | 16.0 | 7.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Receipts from Sundry Loans ... | 24.7 | 19.4 | 25.0 | 19.9 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miscellaneous receipts ... | $117 \cdot 4$ | $75 \cdot 2$ | $95 \cdot 0$ | 85.4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total ordinary revenue | 4,438.7 | 2,282.5 | 4,368-2 | 2,211.5 | Total ordinary expenditure | 4,315.4 | 2,626-4 | 4,259 - 3 | 2,546-7 |

Inland Revenue duties
Receipts by the Exchequer
$E$ thousand
TABLE 133

${ }^{(1)}$ Before 1947 this tax was known as the national defence contribution.
Source: Board of Inland Revenue
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Receipts of excess profits tax amounted to $£ 79,805$ thousand in the financial year 1948/49, $£ 36,200$ thousand in 1949/50, and $£ 9,350$ thousand in 1950/51, but were not distinguished thereafter.
${ }^{(3)}$ Land tax, mineral rights duty, excess profits duty and corporation profits tax.
${ }^{4}$ ) Period commencing I October.

## Customs and Excise duties

Receipts by H.M. Customs and Excise ${ }^{(1)}$

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The sum of the twelve monthly receipts under certain headings is slightly greater than
Source : H.M. Customs and Excise 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.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Tax imposed from 21 October 1940.
${ }^{(3)}$ Pool Betting duty imposed from 4 January 1948 ; Bookmakers' Licence duty imposed from 9 August 1948.
${ }^{(4)}$ Certain figures in respect of the period April to June 1953 have been revised.

Floating debt and bank clearings
TABLE 135

${ }^{(1)}$ Figures are for the last Saturday in the month for the first two months in the quarter and for the last day in the quarter for the quarter months.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Figures are not strictly comparable throughout, owing to changes in the composition of the clearings.

## Currency circulation

TABLE 136

|  |  | Notes and coin outstanding |  |  |  |  | Held by banks |  |  |  | Average estimated circulation with the public |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Bank of England notes ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Scottish bank notes $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ | Northern Irish bank notes( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Estimated coin ${ }^{3}$ ) | Bank of England reserve( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Scottish banks ${ }^{2}$ ) | Northern Irish banks( ${ }^{2}$ ) | London clearing banks ${ }^{1}$ ) ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |  |
|  |  | £ million |  |  |  |  | £ million |  |  |  | £ million | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Index } \\ & 1938=100 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1935 |  | 549 | $453 \cdot 7$ | 21.7 | 4.8 | 69 | 59.6 | 21.4 | 3.0 | 103.1 | 362 | $80 \cdot 6{ }^{5}$ ) |
| 1936 1937 | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 582 \\ & 626 \\ & 635 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 484 \cdot 2 \\ & 524 \cdot 0 \\ & 529 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 1 \\ & 23 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.1 \\ & 5.3 \\ & 5.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \\ & 74 \\ & 77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \cdot 7 \\ & 45 \cdot 5 \\ & 44 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 2 \\ & 23 \cdot 0 \\ & 23 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.2 \\ & 3.4 \\ & 3.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.3 \\ & 114.2 \end{aligned}$$117.3$ | 394 440 | 88.3 98.7 |
| 1938 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 446 | $100 \cdot 0$ |
| 1948 1949 | $\cdots$ | 1,549 1,564 | $1,312 \cdot 7$ $1,314 \cdot 7$ | $66 \cdot 0$ $68 \cdot 5$ | 12.2 11.2 | 158 170 | $60 \cdot 2$ $50 \cdot 3$ | 68.6 71.6 | 11.4 10.5 | 170.0 183.6 | 1,239 1,248 | 277.8 279.8 |
| 1950 | $\cdots$... | 1,576 | 1,328.7 | 70.1 | 10.09.2 | 167 | 46.141.5 | 73.577.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 9.6 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | 191.3197.5 | 1,255 | 279.8 281.4 |
| 1951 | ... .. | 1,6281,729 | 1,383-0 | 74.1 |  | 162 |  |  |  |  | 1,302 | 291.9 |
| 1952 | ... ... |  | 1,475•8 | 81.2 | 8.9 | 163 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $85 \cdot 3$ | 8.8 | $210 \cdot 8$ | 1,382 | 309.9 |
| 1951 | October November December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,647 \\ & 1,649 \\ & 1,687 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,400 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,400 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,437 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 2 \\ & 76 \cdot 1 \\ & 76 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.0 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 9.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 162 \\ & 163 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78.5 \\ & 79.8 \\ & 80.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 8.8 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 194.9 \\ & 198.2 \\ & 215.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,314 \\ & 1,320 \\ & 1,362 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \cdot 6 \\ & 296 \cdot 0 \\ & 305 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January... February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,668 \\ & 1,649 \\ & 1,650 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,420 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,400 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,400 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75.1 \\ & 76.3 \\ & 77.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 9.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 1 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \\ & 21 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78.6 \\ & 79.7 \\ & 80.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.9 \\ & 8.6 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216.8 \\ & 192.8 \\ & 195.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,320 \\ & 1,327 \\ & 1,344 \end{aligned}$ | 296.0297.5301.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 1,702 \\ & 1,703 \\ & 1,717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,450 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,450 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,462 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \cdot 2 \\ & 80 \cdot 3 \\ & 82 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 9.0 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 163 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 2 \\ & 42 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 84 \cdot 3 \\ & 86 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 199 \cdot 1 \\ & 205 \cdot 2 \\ & 203 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,369 \\ & 1,362 \\ & 1,384 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 307 \cdot 0 \\ & 305 \cdot 4 \\ & 310 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,778 \\ & 1,793 \\ & 1,755 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,520 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,537 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,500 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 9 \\ & 83 \cdot 0 \\ & 82 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 8 \\ & 8 \cdot 7 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | 163163163 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 9 \\ & 56 \cdot 6 \\ & 52 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \cdot 0 \\ & 88 \cdot 5 \\ & 86 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 9.18.88.6 | 217.6231.8216.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,422 \\ & 1,407 \\ & 1,391 \end{aligned}$ | 318.8315.5311.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,755 \\ & 1,756 \\ & 1,808 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,500 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,500 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,550 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 0 \\ & 84 \cdot 2 \\ & 85 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 163 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \cdot 9 \\ & 47 \cdot 3 \\ & 30 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 0 \\ & 88 \cdot 1 \\ & 90 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.4 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 210.9 \\ & 212.4 \\ & 224.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,392 \\ & 1,400 \\ & 1,454 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 312.1 \\ & 313.9 \\ & 326.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,762 \\ & 1,757 \\ & 1,772 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,506 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,500 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$$1,512 \cdot 9$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 4 \\ & 85 \cdot 1 \\ & 86 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.5 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 163 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38.3 \\ & 43.9 \\ & 33.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 1 \\ & 88 \cdot 7 \\ & 90 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 227 \cdot 8 \\ & 202 \cdot 7 \\ & 205 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,400 \\ & 1,413 \\ & 1,435 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 313.9 \\ & 316.8 \\ & 321.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,812 \\ & 1,813 \\ & 1,864 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,550 \cdot 4 \\ 1,550 \cdot 4 \\ 1,600 \cdot 4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88.9 \\ & 90.6 \\ & 91.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 164 \\ & 164 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 60.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 7 \\ & 94 \cdot 8 \\ & 96 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 210 \cdot 7 \\ & 214 \cdot 2 \\ & 219 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,461 \\ & 1,466 \\ & 1,478 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 327.6 \\ & 328.7 \\ & 331.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,874 \\ & 1,878 \\ & 1,839 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,605 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,612 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,575 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 6 \\ & 91.6 \\ & 90 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 8 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 165 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 0 \\ & 44 \cdot 8 \\ & 40 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \cdot 9 \\ 97 \cdot 0 \\ 94 \cdot 8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 6 \\ & 8 \cdot 1 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 219.0 \\ & 230 \cdot 7 \\ & 215 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,508 \\ & 1,497 \\ & 1,480 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 338.1 \\ & 335.7 \\ & 331.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | 1,839 | 1,575.4 | 90.7 | 8.1 | 165 | $44 \cdot 3$ | $95 \cdot 0$ | 8.2 | 216.0 | 1,475 | $330 \cdot 7$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) Average of Wednesdays.
Source: Bank of England
${ }^{(2)}$ Months: average of Saturdays in the consecutive four-week periods as published in The London Gazette or in The Belfast Gazette with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar month. Years: average of the thirteen published figures.
${ }^{(2}$ ) Excluding coin other than gold coin in the Bank of England Issue Department.
d) Published by permission of the Committee of London Clearing Bankers. Ten banks in 1935 and eleven thereafter.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$This index number has been adjusted to allow for the change from ten to eleven clearing banks.


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$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ In 1935-38, average weekly balances; from 1948 (except in June and December) balances on the third Wednesday in the month. The figures relate to ten banks in 1935 and to eleven banks thereafter.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Balances with, and cheques in course of collection on other banks in the United Kingdom and the Irish Republic.
(3) England and Wales only.

Source : Committee of London Clearing Bankers

# Analysis of bank advances $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ 

TABLE 139
£ million

|  |  |  | 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 |  |  |
| 1949 | February |  |  | 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 |  |
|  | May ... |  | 1,487.8 | 134.3 | 6.3 | 4.5 | 18.4 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 3.2 | 114.8 | 7.6 | 12.0 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 9.8 | 111.0 |
|  | August | ... | 1,497.1 | 142.3 145.6 | 5.7 5.3 | 4.3 3.9 | 19.3 | 25.3 | 3.5 | 104.7 | 8.8 | 14.0 | $25 \cdot 1$ | 9.6 | 94.8 |
|  | November |  | 1,532.5 | 145.6 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 3.9 | 17.7 | 24.5 | 4.0 | $96 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | 11.3 | $25 \cdot 1$ | 9.5 | 110.3 |
| 1950 | February May | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  | 21.0 24.7 | 23.8 24.9 |  |  |  | 18.7 22.1 | 33.1 36.5 | 11.7 15.3 |  |
|  | May August | $\ldots$ | $1,715 \cdot 1$ $1,691 \cdot 2$ | 160.0 171.5 | 5.6 5.7 | 4.3 4.1 | 24.7 25.4 | 24.9 19.5 | 6.3 6.8 | 91.4 92.6 | 9.2 10.1 | 18.1 26.0 | $36 \cdot 5$ 36.4 | 15.3 17.4 | 127.3 110.8 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 1,683-2 | 171.2 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 4.1 | 16.7 | 19.2 | 5.1 | 92.4 | 8.6 | 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 | 38.6 | $45 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 127.7 |
|  | May ... | ... | 1,894.9 | 184.3 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 21.5 | 16.3 | 7.1 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 9.4 | 39.8 | $43 \cdot 3$ | 23.1 | 143.7 |
|  | August |  | 1,964•4 | 202.0 | 3.7 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | 14.3 | 4.1 | 111.8 | 14.1 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $52 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 2$ | 135.1 |
|  | November |  | 2,016-2 | 197.4 |  |  | 39.3 | $17 \cdot 6$ |  | 126.7 |  | 28.8 | 61.3 | $22 \cdot 0$ | 164.4 |
| 1952 | February | ... | 2,055-8 | 198.6 | 3.2 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | 23.8 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 142.3 | 19.0 | 25.5 | 67.4 | 23.4 | 166.6 |
|  | May ... | ... | 2,003 • 8 | 199.7 | 2.0 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 29.8 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 149.2 | 19.7 | 21.7 | 61.1 | 20.5 | 184.0 |
|  | August | ... | 1,847.6 | 203.0 | 1.8 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 34.5 | 33.5 | 5.1 | 151.4 | 18.8 | 18.8 | $53 \cdot 0$ | 17.4 | 144.7 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 1,815.4 | 194.5 | 1.8 | 4.5 | 34.0 | $35 \cdot 2$ | 4.0 | 157.3 | 14.6 | 16.9 | $43 \cdot 0$ | 15.1 | 137.2 |
| 1953 |  |  |  | 195.1 | 1.6 | 4.8 | 27.2 | 49.7 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 169.3 | 13.4 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May |  | 1,865-1 | 198.1 | 1.7 | 4.9 | $27 \cdot 4$ | 51.8 | 5.1 | 160.4 | 15.5 | 25.8 | $42 \cdot 4$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | 145.9 |
|  | August | ... | 1,788.5 | $205 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 4.9 | 23.4 | $61 \cdot 3$ | 4.6 | $147 \cdot 3$ | 14.0 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 43.4 | 16.0 | 118.5 |


|  | LE 139 (co |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Buildin contr | $g$ and cting | Public |  |  |  |  | Fina | ance |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Builders and contractors | Building materials | than transport) | communication | shipbuilding | trade | and trade | Stockbrokers | Other financial | ment authorities | hospitals, etc. | professional | tainment |
| 1949 | February |  | $61 \cdot 2$ | 12.7 | 21.4 | 18.0 | 16.5 | 153.0 | $75 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $117 \cdot 5$ | 94.4 | 9.2 | 386.0 | 34.5 |
|  | May .. |  | 61.5 | 12.4 | $16 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 17.3 | 158.1 | $76 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 126.2 | 84.1 | 9.1 | 399.2 | 33.9 |
|  | August |  | $62 \cdot 7$ | 12.6 | $20 \cdot 9$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | 159.7 | $79 \cdot 6$ | 4.2 | 128.8 | 88.4 | 10.0 | 407. 5 | $33 \cdot 5$ |
|  | November |  |  | 12.5 | $42 \cdot 4$ | 15.7 | 15.6 | $166 \cdot 2$ | 83.8 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 131.3 | $85 \cdot 9$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $407 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | February |  | $64 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | 79.1 | 18.2 | 16.2 | 173.5 | $90 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | 140.3 | 90.1 | 10.7 | 414.0 | 32.5 |
|  | May | ... | $64 \cdot 2$ | 13.9 | $90 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | 188.8 | 91.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 151.9 | 84.5 | 10.8 | 422.1 | 32.7 |
|  | August |  | 64.7 | 14.6 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 16.1 | 14.8 | 178.6 | 95.5 | 4.2 | $167 \cdot 0$ | $95 \cdot 3$ | 11.6 | 424.1 | $30 \cdot 7$ |
|  | November |  | $62 \cdot 9$ | 14.6 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 16.1 | 15.5 | 179.4 | $95 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 178.9 | $93 \cdot 8$ | 11.6 | $417 \cdot 6$ | 28.9 |
| 1951 | February |  | $66 \cdot 6$ | 15.3 | 55.9 | 17.4 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 191.8 | 106.5 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $194 \cdot 2$ | 90.4 | 11.7 | $430 \cdot 7$ | 29.6 |
|  | May . | $\ldots$ | 72.1 | 16.5 | 78.1 | 17.0 | 16.7 | 210.1 | 112.8 | 6.6 | 201.1 | 89.8 | 12.6 | $433 \cdot 0$ | 29.3 |
|  | August |  | $73 \cdot 5$ | 19.8 | 70.8 | 15.8 | 15.8 | 212.8 | $130 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 209.7 | 99.2 | 13.2 | 437.6 | 27.8 |
|  | November |  | 70.1 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 94.3 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 13.5 | 213.8 | 135.4 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 195.7 | $87 \cdot 5$ | 13.3 | $435 \cdot 9$ | 26.9 |
| 1952 | February |  | 69.1 | 22.5 | 135.3 | 19.0 | 12.3 | 205.3 | 138.6 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $178 \cdot 2$ | $77 \cdot 7$ | 12.7 | 429.1 | 26.7 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | $68 \cdot 3$ | 21.3 | 104.9 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 10.5 | 202.5 | $130 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 184.5 | 74.8 | 13.1 | $410 \cdot 4$ | 27.2 |
|  | August |  | $67 \cdot 0$ | 19.6 | $48 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | 12.5 | 175.7 | 121.8 | 4.7 | 180.7 | 78.7 | 13.9 | 392.0 | 25.1 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $61 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $96 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 11.4 | 174.2 | $110 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 167.0 | $80 \cdot 6$ | 13.1 | $377 \cdot 3$ | 22.6 |
| 1953 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 172.2 | 77.1 | 12.7 | $370 \cdot 5$ | 22.8 |
|  | May ... |  | 61.0 | 16.8 | 99.2 | 17.7 | 16.6 | $177 \cdot 3$ | 111.5 | 6.5 | 184.1 | 75.9 | 12.6 | 368.6 | 22.6 |
|  | August |  | 61.4 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $65 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 16.0 | 164.2 | 107.4 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 188.1 | $76 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | 366.7 | $21 \cdot 2$ |

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## Savings

|  |  | Total outstanding at end of period | Post Office and Trustee Savings Banks |  |  |  |  | National Savings Certificates |  |  |  | Government securities on Post Office register ( ${ }^{*}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Balances outstanding( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | Certificates bought | Principal repaid | Principal remaining invested | Estimated accrued interest |  |  |
|  |  | Deposits | Withdrawals | Total | Post Office Savings Bank | Trustee Savings Banks( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  |  |  | Total | Defence Bonds |
|  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months | End of period |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  | End of period |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 |  |  | 1,298.8 | 15.1 | 12.0 | 587.6 | $390 \cdot 3$ | $197 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 391.1 | 114.5 | $205 \cdot 6$ |  |
| 1936 | $\ldots$ |  | 1,357-3 | 16.4 | 12.9 | $644 \cdot 2$ | $432 \cdot 4$ | $211 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $390 \cdot 1$ | 122.1 | $200 \cdot 9$ |  |
| 1937 |  |  | 1,413.0 | 17.4 | 14.5 | 694.4 | $470 \cdot 5$ | 223.9 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $386 \cdot 3$ | 129.2 | $203 \cdot 1$ |  |
| 1938 | $\ldots$... | 1,469.9 | 18.0 | 15.0 | $747 \cdot 3$ | $509 \cdot 3$ | 238.0 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | $382 \cdot 1$ | 136.1 | $204 \cdot 4$ |  |
| 1948 | $\ldots$ | 6,036-1 | 53.9 | $52 \cdot 6$ | 2,747-0 | 1,948.1 | 798.9 | 11.7 | 10.6 | 1,730.4 | 389.7 | 1,169.0 | 976.4 |
| 1949 | ... ... | 6,097 - 5 | 54.6 | 55.6 | 2,801.8 | 1,948-7 | $853 \cdot 1$ | $9 \cdot 1$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | 1,718.8 | $424 \cdot 3$ | 1,152.6 | $965 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | 6,090-6 | $54 \cdot 8$ | 57.4 | 2,838-1 | 1,935.7 | $902 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 10.7 | 1,680.5 | $454 \cdot 7$ | 1,117.3 | $931 \cdot 1$ |
| 1951 | . ... | 6,091-8 | $58 \cdot 3$ | $67 \cdot 2$ | 2,798-5 | 1,874.7 | $923 \cdot 8$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 11.9 | 1,720-6 | 479.7 | 1,093.0 | $904 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | $\cdots$ | 6,011.4 | 62.0 | $71 \cdot 8$ | 2,749•8 | 1,813.3 | $936 \cdot 5$ | $12 \cdot 6$ | 11.7 | $1,731 \cdot 4$ | $502 \cdot 0$ | 1,028.2 | $836 \cdot 7$ |
| 1951 | July ... | 6,107.0 | 56.2 | 78.5 | 2,794.2 | 1,886.0 | $908 \cdot 2$ | 11.9 | 12.1 | 1,724.4 | 468.0 | 1,120.4 | $933 \cdot 8$ |
|  | August ... | 6,100.0 | 56.7 | $66 \cdot 9$ | 2,789.7 | 1,880-2 | 909.5 | $10 \cdot 8$ | 11.0 | 1,724.2 | $470 \cdot 2$ | 1,115.9 | 928.8 |
|  | September | 6,106.0 | $57 \cdot 5$ | $53 \cdot 3$ | 2,799-5 | 1,883-2 | 916.3 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 10.1 | 1,723.3 | $472 \cdot 6$ | 1,110.6 | 923.8 |
|  | October ... | 6,114.5 | $62 \cdot 3$ 61.0 | $55 \cdot 6$ 62.8 | 2,811.9 | 1,886.3 | $925 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | 10.9 | 1,722.7 | 474.9 | 1,105•0 | 918.1 |
|  | November | $6,114 \cdot 1$ $6,091 \cdot 8$ | 61.0 58.5 | $62 \cdot 8$ 81.3 | $2,815 \cdot 6$ $2,798 \cdot 5$ | 1,883.9 | 931.7 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 1,721.9 | $477 \cdot 1$ | 1,099.5 | 912.4 |
|  | December... | 6,091-8 | 58.5 | $81 \cdot 3$ | 2,798.5 | 1,874.7 | $923 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 1$ | 1,720.6 | $479 \cdot 7$ | 1,093.0 | $904 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | January ... | 6,101.4 | $66 \cdot 8$ | 64.9 | 2,807-3 | 1,877.9 | 929.4 | 14.3 | 11.5 | 1,723.4 | $482 \cdot 2$ | 1,088.5 | $900 \cdot 0$ |
|  | February ... | $6,101 \cdot 7$ | $61 \cdot 0$ | $64 \cdot 4$ | 2,809.6 | 1,874.7 | 934.9 | 13.8 | 10.8 | 1,726.4 | $485 \cdot 0$ | 1,080 7 | $892 \cdot 7$ |
|  | March ... | 6,094-3 | $65 \cdot 1$ | $66 \cdot 6$ | 2,813.8 | 1,872.5 | $941 \cdot 3$ | 12.0 | 12.6 | 1,725-7 | 487.0 | 1,067.8 | $876 \cdot 8$ |
|  | April ... | 6,089 - 4 | 59.8 | $60 \cdot 0$ | 2,819-3 | 1,873-6 | $945 \cdot 7$ | 10.1 | 11.9 | 1,723.9 | 488.6 | 1,057-6 | 869.6 |
|  | May $\quad$. | 6,072 5 5, | 63.9 58.6 | 74.9 | 2,813.6 | 1,866.3 | $947 \cdot 3$ | 11.5 | 13.8 | $1,721 \cdot 6$ | 489.7 | 1,047.6 | 858.0 |
|  | June ... | 6,061-2 | $58 \cdot 6$ | 68.5 | 2,809.4 | 1,862-2 | $947 \cdot 2$ | 9.2 | 11.5 | 1,719.3 | 491.5 | 1,041.0 | $850 \cdot 8$ |
|  | July | $6,033 \cdot 6$ | 61.9 | 85.9 | 2,791-1 | 1,851.7 | $939 \cdot 4$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | $12 \cdot 5$ | 1,716.6 | $493 \cdot 1$ | 1,032-8 | $843 \cdot 1$ |
|  | August ... September | $6,022 \cdot 8$ $6,034 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 8$ 61.5 | $67 \cdot 6$ | 2,787.9 | 1,847.3 | $940 \cdot 6$ | 8.9 | 10.5 | 1,715.1 | $495 \cdot 1$ | 1,024.7 | $833 \cdot 3$ |
|  | September | 6,034 2 | $61 \cdot 5$ | $70 \cdot 6$ | 2,784-4 | 1,841.3 | $943 \cdot 1$ | 16.9 | 11.4 | 1,720.5 | $496 \cdot 7$ | 1,032.6 | $840 \cdot 0$ |
|  | October ... November | $6,041 \cdot 6$ $6,038 \cdot 6$ | $65 \cdot 8$ $60 \cdot 0$ | $69 \cdot 3$ $71 \cdot 8$ | $2,786 \cdot 4$ $2,780 \cdot 8$ | $1,837 \cdot 3$ $1,829.7$ | 949.1 | 16.7 13.9 | 12.2 | 1,725.0 | 498.1 | 1,032.1 | $840 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | $60 \cdot 0$ $60 \cdot 2$ | 71.8 | 2,780•8 | 1,829.7 | $951 \cdot 1$ | 13.9 | 11.0 | 1,727.9 | 499.9 | 1,030-0 | $838 \cdot 8$ |
|  | December | 6,011.4 | $60 \cdot 2$ | $96 \cdot 7$ | 2,749•8 | 1,813.3 | $936 \cdot 5$ | 13.7 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $1,731 \cdot 4$ | 502.0 | 1,028.2 | 836.7 |
| 1953 |  |  | 71.9 | $73 \cdot 5$ | 2,753•8 | 1,812.4 | $941 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | 10.9 | 1,738.0 | 503.9 |  |  |
|  | February ... | $6,026 \cdot 7$ | $61 \cdot 3$ | 63.4 | 2,757 $\cdot 3$ | 1,810.5 | $946 \cdot 8$ | 15.8 | 10.0 | 1,743.8 | 506.0 | 1,023.5 | $831 \cdot 1$ 827.3 |
|  |  | 6,020-9 | $65 \cdot 7$ | $75 \cdot 4$ | 2,752•2 | 1,802.3 | 949.9 | 16.5 | 11.7 | $1,748 \cdot 6$ | $507 \cdot 6$ | 1,012.5 | $820 \cdot 4$ |
|  | April $\quad$. | 6,017 • 3 | $63 \cdot 6$ | 73.0 | 2,748•3 | 1,795.1 | $953 \cdot 2$ | 17.1 | 11.6 | 1,754•1 | $509 \cdot 5$ | 1,005.4 | 813.7 |
|  | May ... | 6,002 2 | $64 \cdot 6$ | 81.6 | 2,736-7 | 1,782.5 | $954 \cdot 2$ | 15.1 | 12.4 | 1,756.7 | 511.3 | 1,005.4 | $805 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June ... | 5,993-3 | $63 \cdot 0$ | $74 \cdot 7$ | 2,730-5 | $1,777 \cdot 7$ | $952 \cdot 8$ | 12.1 | 12.5 | 1,756.4 | $513 \cdot 1$ | $993 \cdot 3$ | 801.0 |
|  | July $\quad .$. | 5,971.8 | $67 \cdot 0$ | 93.0 | 2,710-0 | 1,766.5 |  |  |  |  | $514 \cdot 8$ | 989.7 |  |
|  | August ... | 5,970 2 | $63 \cdot 5$ | 69.9 | 2,709 - 1 | 1,763.0 | $946 \cdot 1$ | 10.9 | 10.7 | 1,757.5 | 516.8 | 9896 986 | 794.7 |
|  | September | 5,974.8 | $65 \cdot 8$ | $64 \cdot 9$ | 2,715.4 | 1,762.3 | 953.1 | 11.9 | 11.2 | 1,758.2 | 518.6 | $986 \cdot 8$ $982 \cdot 6$ | 791.0 |

[^29]Source : National Savings Committee

Capital issues(i)
(i) New issues

TABLE 141

(ii) Refunding and conversion issues

TABLE I4I (continued)
£ million


[^30]

TABLE 141 (continued)

|  | Manufacturing industries (continued) |  |  | Gas, electricity and water | Transport and communication | Distributive trades | Insurance, banking and finance | Miscellaneous |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Food, drink and tobacco | Paper and printing | Other |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | 8.7 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 1.8 | 21.7 | 0.9 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 6.1 | $2 \cdot 6$ |
| 1946 | 12.3 6.8 | 4.1 | 13.2 | 4.1 | 0.8 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 19.6 | 22.7 |
| $\begin{array}{lll}1947 \\ 1948 & \ldots . \\ 1948\end{array}$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 12.5 | 8.4 | 4.6 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 14.5 | 14.5 |
| $\begin{array}{lll}1948 \\ 1949 & \ldots & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | 13.0 12.9 | 6.8 4.2 | 14.5 7.8 | 100.9 2.0 | 12.6 0.7 | 5.1 8.9 | 1.1 | 3.0 1.3 |
| 1950 | $42 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 14.7 | 149.7 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 2.5 | 0.8 |  |
| 1951 ... | 20.1 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 8.7 | 81.4 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 7.6 | 6.6 | 1.6 4.6 |
| 1952 ... | 20.1 | 6.9 | $8 \cdot 6$ | 151.8 | 59.1 | 3.9 | 1.4 | 3.2 |
| 1952 Ist quarter ... | 1.9 |  |  |  | $1 \cdot 0$ | $0 \cdot 2$ | 0.4 | 0.2 |
| 2nd quarter... | 11.3 | $0 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 149.7 | - | 3.4 | - | - |
| 3rd quarter... | 1.8 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 | - | 1.0 | $\overline{0.2}$ |
| 4th quarter... | $5 \cdot 1$ |  |  | 0.8 | $57 \cdot 7$ | 0.3 | - | $2 \cdot 8$ |
| 1953 Ist quarter ... | 0.8 | 0.4 | 1.5 | $22 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |
| 2nd quarter... 3rd quarter | 5.8 0.8 | 1.8 | 0.5 | 125.4 | $1 \cdot 5$ | 1.2 | 0.7 | $\overline{1.7}$ |
| 3rd quarter... | 0.8 | 0.2 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 79.8 | 二 | 0.6 |  | 0.3 |

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Estimates, based on prices of issue and comprising issues of capital in the United Kingdom made for cash or for replacement of existing securities by governments other than the United Kingdom Government, by local authorities, by public corporations and by public companies. Loans redeemable in twelve months or less, mortgages, bank advances, etc., are excluded and issues for repaying them are classed as New issues. Loans to local authorities and public corporations from government funds, including issuès of stock to the National Debt Commissioners, are not covered.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Total in August $1953 £ 92.3$ million, in September $1953 £ 8.5$ million and in October $1953 £ 19.6$ million.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Of which $£ 4.9$ million unallocated between Commonwealth countries and other countries.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Of which $£ 19.7$ million unallocated between United Kingdom and overseas.
${ }^{(5)}$ Weighted average yields on the old and new securities, where both are fixed interest, are shown in italics.
${ }^{( }{ }^{6}$ ) Total in August 1953 nil, in September $1953 £ 0.6$ million and in October $1953 £ 0.1$ million.

|  |  |  | British Government securities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Industrial securities |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Average prices and yields ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Price indices ( 29 December $1950=100$ ) and average yields $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Short dated ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Medium dated ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | 312\% War Loan |  | 21 $\%$ Consols |  | Debentures |  | Preference shares |  | Ordinary shares |  |
|  |  |  | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price \| Yield |  | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price \| Yield |  | Price | Yield |
| 1935 |  |  | 120.1 | 2.46 | 116.8 | 3.03 | 105.6 | 3.08 | 86.4 | 2.89 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1936 |  |  | 118.1 | 2.45 | $117 \cdot 0$ | 2.99 | 106.0 | 3.03 | 85.1 | 2.94 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |
| 1937 |  |  | 112.9 | 2.92 | 110.8 | 3.32 | 101.2 | $3 \cdot 40$ | $76 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 28$ |  | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |
| 1938 |  |  | 112.2 | 2.73 | 111.4 | $3 \cdot 27$ | 100.9 | $3 \cdot 42$ | 74.1 | $3 \cdot 38$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  |  | 101.7 | 2.02 | 95.8 | 2.79 | 102.8 | 2.81 | 78.0 | 3.21 | 114.1 | 3.60 | 119.5 | 3.80 | 108.3 | 4.62 |
| 1949 |  |  | $101 \cdot 5$ | 1.94 | $95 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 83$ | 98.5 | 3.55 | $75 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 30$ | $98 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 18$ | 95.9 | $4 \cdot 75$ | 93.1 | 5.49 |
| 1950 |  |  | 101.0 | 2.03 | $93 \cdot 5$ | 2.99 | 92.9 | 3.77 | $70 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 54$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | 4.11 | $100 \cdot 0$ | 4.55 | $100 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 27$ |
| 1951 |  |  | 101.4 | 1.85 | $90 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 59$ | $87 \cdot 9$ | 3.98 | 66.1 | $3 \cdot 78$ | 83.8 | 4.91 | 88.6 | 5.12 | 102.7 | 5.78 |
| 1952 | ... ... |  | $98 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 98$ | 81.7 | $4 \cdot 25$ | $76 \cdot 9$ | 4.55 | 59.1 | $4 \cdot 23$ | $80 \cdot 2$ | 5-14 | 84.7 | $5 \cdot 36$ | 93.8 | 6.46 |
| 1951 | October |  | 101.8 | 1.70 | 89.6 | 3.66 | $86 \cdot 2$ | 4.06 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 3.81 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November December |  | 100.9 99.9 | 1.97 2.29 | $87 \cdot 9$ 83.7 | 3.78 4.08 | $83 \cdot 8$ 80.4 | 4.18 4.35 | $63 \cdot 3$ 61.7 | 3.95 4.05 |  |  |  | $5 \cdot 12$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $2 \cdot 29$ | $83 \cdot 7$ | 4.08 | $80 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 35$ |  |  | $83 \cdot 8$ | 4.91 | $88 \cdot 6$ | 5. 12 | 102.7 | 5.78 |
| 1952 | January | ... | 99.7 | 2.36 2.41 | 83.0 82.6 | 4.14 4.17 | $80 \cdot 0$ 79.2 | 4.37 4.42 | 61.1 | 4.09 | 83.8 | 4.91 | 87.1 | $5 \cdot 21$ |  |  |
|  | February | ... | 99.5 98.1 | 2.41 2.92 | $82 \cdot 6$ 80.8 | $4 \cdot 17$ 4.31 | 79.2 77.1 | 4.42 | $60 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 12$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 00$ | 84.5 | $5 \cdot 37$ | 94.8 | 6.24 |
|  | March... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  | 4.31 |  |  | 59.4 | $4 \cdot 21$ | 78.4 | $5 \cdot 24$ | 81.3 | $5 \cdot 58$ | 91.2 | 6.53 |
|  | April ... | ... | 97.6 | 3.15 | 81.7 | 4.24 | 77.8 | 4.50 | $60 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 15$ | $80 \cdot 5$ | 5.11 | 87.2 | $5 \cdot 20$ | 95.5 | 6.30 |
|  | May ... | .. | 97.4 | 3.26 | 81.4 | $4 \cdot 27$ | 76.7 | 4.56 | $58 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 27$ | 79.9 | 5.15 | 85.2 | $5 \cdot 33$ | 89.1 | 6.83 |
|  | June . | ... | $96 \cdot 8$ | 3.51 | 79.1 | 4.45 | $73 \cdot 6$ | 4.75 | $56 \cdot 5$ | 4.42 | 78.0 | $5 \cdot 28$ | 83.0 | $5 \cdot 47$ | $86 \cdot 2$ | 7.05 |
|  |  |  | 97.0 | 3.48 | 79.5 | 4.42 | 73.2 |  | 56.4 | 4.43 |  |  |  | 5.46 | 91.7 | 6.63 |
|  | August |  | 97.8 | 3.16 3.01 | 81.6 | $4 \cdot 27$ | 75.1 | 4.66 | 58.1 | $4 \cdot 30$ | 78.2 | $5 \cdot 26$ | 83.5 | $5 \cdot 43$ | 95.7 | 6.35 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 98.2 | 3.01 | $83 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 14$ | $77 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 52$ | 59.6 | $4 \cdot 19$ | 79.8 | 5.16 | 85.0 | 5.34 | $95 \cdot 7$ | 6.37 6.37 |
|  | October November December | . | 98.4 | 2.97 | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 4 \\ & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 82 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 21 \\ & 4 \cdot 18 \\ & 4 \cdot 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \cdot 3 \\ & 78 \cdot 2 \\ & 77 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.53 \\ & 4.48 \\ & 4.51 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 6 \\ & 60 \cdot 1 \\ & 59 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 27 \\ & 4 \cdot 16 \\ & 4 \cdot 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81.1 \\ & 81.4 \\ & 81.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.08 \\ & 5.06 \\ & 5.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 1 \\ & 85 \cdot 4 \\ & 85 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 33 \\ & 5 \cdot 31 \\ & 5 \cdot 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \cdot 3 \\ & 96 \cdot 1 \\ & 97 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.35 \\ & 6.36 \\ & 6.29 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | 98.6 | 2.88 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 98.6 | 2.91 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \cdot 2 \\ & 94 \cdot 4 \\ & 95 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 45 \\ & 3 \cdot 29 \\ & 3 \cdot 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 0 \\ & 83 \cdot 7 \\ & 84 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 17 \\ & 4 \cdot 12 \\ & 4.06 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \cdot 6 \\ & 77 \cdot 8 \\ & 78 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.51 \\ & 4.50 \\ & 4.44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58.7 \\ & 58.8 \\ & 59.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 26 \\ & 4 \cdot 25 \\ & 4 \cdot 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 9 \\ & 80 \cdot 7 \\ & 81 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 09 \\ & 5 \cdot 10 \\ & 5.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 7 \\ & 85 \cdot 9 \\ & 86 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 29 \\ & 5 \cdot 28 \\ & 5 \cdot 24 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.8 \\ 102.5 \\ 103.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.22 \\ & 6.03 \\ & 5.94 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June |  | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 8 \\ & 96.4 \\ & 96.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.09 \\ & 3.02 \\ & 2.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 7 \\ & 86 \cdot 1 \\ & 85 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.97 \\ & 3.94 \\ & 3.97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \cdot 8 \\ & 81 \cdot 0 \\ & 81 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 38 \\ & 4 \cdot 32 \\ & 4 \cdot 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 1 \\ & 60 \cdot 7 \\ & 61 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 16 \\ & 4 \cdot 12 \\ & 4 \cdot 08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 1 \\ & 82 \cdot 3 \\ & 83 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.01 \\ & 5.00 \\ & 4.92 \end{aligned}$ | 87.4 <br> $87 \cdot 3$ <br> $87 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 19 \\ & 5 \cdot 20 \\ & 5 \cdot 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100.9 \\ 97.2 \\ 98.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.14 \\ & 6.44 \\ & 6.42 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \cdot 8 \\ & 97 \cdot 0 \\ & 97 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.97 \\ & 2.94 \\ & 2.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 6 \\ & 86 \cdot 3 \\ & 87 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3: 98 \\ & 3.94 \\ & 3.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 8 \\ & 81 \cdot 0 \\ & 83 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 33 \\ & 4 \cdot 32 \\ & 4 \cdot 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 6 \\ & 60 \cdot 7 \\ & 62 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 13 \\ & 4 \cdot 12 \\ & 4 \cdot 00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \cdot 0 \\ & 84 \cdot 1 \\ & 86 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.90 \\ & 4.89 \\ & 4.75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 7 \\ & 88 \cdot 0 \\ & 91 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 17 \\ & 5 \cdot 15 \\ & 4 \cdot 98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.3 \\ & 104.5 \\ & 107.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 25 \\ & 6 \cdot 08 \\ & 5 \cdot 92 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December |  | $97 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 85{ }^{(4)}$ | 88.4 | $3.79{ }^{5}$ ) | 84.3 | 4.15 | $63 \cdot 6$ | 3.93 | $87 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 72$ | 91.5 | 4.96 | 109.8 | $5 \cdot 79$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 when price is below par and at the earlier date when price is above par. For $3 \frac{1}{2} \%$ War Loan a flat yield is taken when price is below par and redemption was assumed in 1952 when price was 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, except for the years before 1952, which relate to December. 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 ; 2 $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ National War Bonds 1952-4 in 1948 and 1949; $2 \frac{1}{4} \%$ Exchequer Stock 1955 in 1950 to 1952 ; $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Funding Loan 1956-61 from January 1953. Medium dated, $4 \%$ Funding Loan 1960-90 in 1935 to 1938 ; $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Savings Bonds 1964-7 in 1948 to 1950; 3\% Savings Bonds 1965-75 from January 1951.
$\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ Yield assuming redemption in 1956, 3-49.
${ }^{(5)}$ Yield assuming redemption in 1965, 4-26.

Gold and dollar reserves

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Exchange Equalisation Account holdings of gold and of U.S. and Canadian dollars. Gold valued in $£$ million at
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ From United States and Canadian Credits, United Kingdom drawings on the International Monetary Fund,
South African gold loan and European Recovery Programme grants and loans to the United Kingdom.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Not including receipts under the "Katz-Gaitskell agreement" (Cmd. 8020) or under the "Benton and Moody amendments" (Cmd. 8776).
$\left.{ }^{(4}\right)$ Excluding an increase of $£ 149$ million due to the adjustment of the sterling value of the Reserves in September
1949 .

## FINANCE

United Kingdom position in the European Payments Union
TABLE 144

|  |  | In terms of $£$ million |  |  |  |  |  | In terms of million units of account（ ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | United Kingdom surplus or deficit |  |  |  | Settlement（ ${ }^{2}$ ） |  | United Kingdom surplus or deficit |  |  |  | Settlement ${ }^{2}$ ） |  |
|  |  | Net |  | Accounting |  | Gold received （ + ）or paid （－） | Credit given （ + ）or received （－） | Net |  | Accounting |  | Gold received （ + ）or paid （－） | Credit given （＋）or received （－） |
|  |  | Month | Cumu－ lative | Month | Cumu－ lative |  |  | Month | Cumu－ lative | Month | Cumu－ lative |  |  |
| 1950 | July．．． <br> August <br> September．．． | $\begin{aligned} & -5 \\ & +11 \\ & +28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} -\quad 5 \\ +\quad 7 \\ +\quad 34 \end{array}$ | － | － | － | － | -14 $+\quad 32$ +78 | － 14 +18 +96 | － | 二 | 二 | 二 |
|  | October ．．． November．．． December ．．． | +80 +35 +21 | +114 +149 +170 | +50 +35 +16 | +50 +85 +101 | -8 +8 | +50 +30 +8 | +224 +98 $+\quad 58$ | +320 +418 +476 | +141 +97 +46 | ＋ 141 $+\quad 237$ $+\quad 283$ | +13 +23 | $\begin{aligned} & +141 \\ & +84 \\ & +23 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | January February ．．． March | +18 +34 $+\quad 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & +188 \\ & +221 \\ & +227 \end{aligned}$ | +12 +26 +3 | +113 +139 +142 | +6 +13 +2 | +6 +13 +2 | +49 $+\quad 94$ $+\quad 15$ | +525 +620 +635 | +32 +74 +10 | ＋ 315 $+\quad 389$ $+\quad 399$ | +16 +37 +5 | $\begin{aligned} & +16 \\ & +\quad 37 \\ & +\quad 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April .. <br> May $\ldots$ <br> June $\ldots$ | +19 -10 -18 | +245 +235 +217 | +19 -10 -18 | +161 +151 +133 | +9 -5 -9 | +9 -5 -9 | +52 -27 -52 | +686 +659 +608 | +52 -27 -52 | ＋ 451 $+\quad 424$ $+\quad 372$ | +26 -14 -26 | +26 -14 -26 |
|  | July．．． <br> August <br> September．． | -43 -67 -73 | +174 +107 +33 | -43 -67 -73 | +90 $+\quad 22$ -51 | -22 -7 | -22 -60 -73 | -121 -188 -205 | +487 +299 +94 | -121 -188 -205 | r $+\quad 251$ $+\quad 63$ $-\quad 142$ | -60 -20 | $\begin{aligned} & -60 \\ & -169 \\ & -205 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ．．． November．．． December ．． | -84 -64 -53 | -51 -114 -167 | -89 -61 -53 | -140 -201 -254 | -13 -22 -27 | -76 -39 -27 | -236 -178 -149 | -142 -320 -469 | -250 -171 -150 | $-\quad 391$ $-\quad 562$ $-\quad 712$ | -36 -62 -75 | $\begin{aligned} & -214 \\ & -109 \\ & -75 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January February March | -54 -22 -23 | -222 -244 -267 | -54 -22 -23 | -308 -331 -354 | -34 -18 -18 | -21 -4 -5 | -151 -63 -64 | -620 -683 -747 | -151 -63 -64 | － 863 -926 -990 | -94 -50 -51 | -57 -13 -13 |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | -20 -18 -17 | -287 -305 -322 | -20 -18 -17 | -374 -392 -409 | -16 -17 -17 | -4 -1 | -57 -49 -48 | -804 -853 -901 | -57 -49 -48 | $-1,047$ $-1,096$ $-1,144$ | -45 -47 -48 | 111 -3 |
|  | July．．． <br> August <br> September． | -35 -2 +13 | $-348(3)$ -350 -336 | -35 -2 +13 | $-435\left(^{(3)}\right.$ -437 -423 | -35 -2 +13 | 三－ | -99 $-\quad 5$ $+\quad 37$ | $-975\left(^{3}\right)$ -979 -942 | -99 $-\quad 5$ $+\quad 37$ | $\begin{aligned} & -1,218\left(^{3}\right) \\ & -1,222 \\ & -1,185 \end{aligned}$ | -99 $-\quad 5$ +37 | － |
|  | October ．．． <br> November．．． <br> December | +34 +36 +30 | $\begin{aligned} & -302 \\ & -266 \\ & -237 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +34 \\ & +36 \\ & +30 \end{aligned}$ | -389 -353 -323 | $\begin{aligned} & +34 \\ & +29 \\ & +21 \end{aligned}$ | -8 +8 | $\begin{aligned} & +96 \\ & +102 \\ & +83 \end{aligned}$ | -846 -745 -662 | $\begin{aligned} & +96 \\ & +102 \\ & +83 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -1,090 \\ & -\quad 988 \\ & -\quad 905 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +96 \\ & +80 \\ & +58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \overline{22} \\ & +\quad 25 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January February ．．． March | $\begin{aligned} & +9 \\ & +10 \\ & +8 \end{aligned}$ | -227 -217 -210 | +9 +10 +8 | -314 -304 -297 | +6 +7 +4 | +3 +3 +3 | +26 +28 +21 | -636 -609 -588 | +26 +28 +21 | -879 -852 -831 | $\begin{aligned} & +18 \\ & +19 \\ & +11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +8 \\ & +8 \\ & +10 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> June $\ldots$ | +15 +7 +2 | -195 -187 -186 | +15 +7 +2 | -281 -274 -273 | +8 +4 +1 | +8 +4 +1 | +43 $+\quad 20$ $+\quad 4$ | -545 -525 -521 | +43 $+\quad 20$ $+\quad 4$ | -788 -768 -764 | $\begin{aligned} & +21 \\ & +10 \\ & +2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +21 \\ & +\quad 10 \\ & +\quad 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July．．． August September．． | $\begin{aligned} & -4 \\ & -11 \\ & +4 \end{aligned}$ | -190 -200 -196 | $\begin{aligned} & -4 \\ & -11 \\ & +4 \end{aligned}$ | -277 -287 -283 | -2 -5 +2 | -2 -5 +2 | -11 $-\quad 29$ +12 | -532 -561 -549 | -11 $-\quad 29$ +12 | -775 -804 -792 | $\begin{aligned} & -6 \\ & -15 \\ & +6 \end{aligned}$ | － 6 -15 $+\quad 6$ |
|  | October ．．． November．． December | －II | $-207$ | － 11 | －294 | $-5$ | － 5 | $-30$ | $-579$ | $-30$ | $-822$ | － 15 | $-15$ |

（ ${ }^{1}$ ）The unit of account，defined in terms of gold in Article 26 （a）of the Agreement for the Establishment of a
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ In respect of the month．Settlement normally takes place about two weeks after the end of the month to which it relates．
$\left(^{3}\right)$ The United Kingdom cumulative deficit in the Union as at the end of June 1952 was reduced in July 1952 by $£ 9$ million or 25 million units of account as a result of an equal reduction of the bilateral deficit with the Belgium－Luxembourg Economic Union，against which the United Kingdom undertook to deliver defence goods to Belgium．Gold to the same value was consequently repaid by the Union to the United Kingdom．

Foreign exchange rates $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
TABLE 145

|  |  | New York | Montreal | Zurich | Paris | Brussels | Amsterdam | Frankfurt | Stockholm | Oslo | Copenhagen | Lisbon |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | to $£$ | $\text { to } f$ | Francs to $t$ | Francs to $£$ | Francs to $f$ | Florins to $E$ | Deutschemarks to $E$ | Kronor to $£$ | Kroner to $£$ | Kroner to $£$ | Escudos to $£$ |
| 1938 | ... ... | 4.89 | 4.92 | $21 \cdot 37$ | $170 \cdot 65$ | $144.65{ }^{(3)}$ | 8.89 |  | $19 \cdot 40$ | 19.90 | $22 \cdot 40$ | $110 \cdot 18$ |
|  |  | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 879.73 | 176.63 | 10.69 |  | 14.49 | $20 \cdot 00$ | 19.34 | $100 \cdot 00$ |
| 1949 | ... $\ldots$ | 3.68 | 3.76 | 15.90 | 1,053.06 | 166.49 | 10.68 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 94.70 |
| 1950 |  | $2 \cdot 80$ | 3.04 | 12.25 | $980 \cdot 00$ | $140 \cdot 00$ | 10.64 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
| 1951 |  | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.95 | 12.24 | 979.74 | 139.97 | $10 \cdot 64$ |  | 14.48 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
| 1952 | ... ... | 2.79 | $2 \cdot 73$ | $12 \cdot 20$ | 981.48 | 139.76 | $10 \cdot 60$ |  | $14 \cdot 49$ | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 10$ |
| 1951 | October ... | $2 \cdot 80$ | $2 \cdot 94$ | $12 \cdot 25$ | $980 \cdot 00$ | 140.00 | 10.64 |  | 14.49 | $20 \cdot 00$ | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
|  | November | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.92 | 12.25 | $980 \cdot 00$ | 140.00 | $10 \cdot 64$ |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
|  | December... | $2 \cdot 80$ | $2 \cdot 87$ | 12.24 | 976.88 | 139.66 | 10.61 |  | 14.48 | $20 \cdot 00$ | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 45$ |
| 1952 | January ... | 2.78 | $2 \cdot 80$ | $12 \cdot 21$ | 980.07 | 139.33 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.48 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 15$ |
|  | February ... | 2.78 | $2 \cdot 78$ | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.02 | 139.55 | 10.57 |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 15$ |
|  | March ... | $2 \cdot 80$ | $2 \cdot 79$ | 12.21 | 984.57 | 139.67 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 07$ |
|  | April | $2 \cdot 81$ | 2.75 | $12 \cdot 22$ | 976.48 | 139.98 | 10.57 |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | May | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.75 | 12.23 | $972 \cdot 83$ | 139.93 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | June | $2 \cdot 78$ | $2 \cdot 73$ | 12.21 | 972.50 | 139.87 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | July | 2.79 | 2.70 | $12 \cdot 20$ | 972.52 | 139.42 | $10 \cdot 58$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 23$ |
|  | August ... | 2.79 | 2.68 | $12 \cdot 19$ | 983.90 | 139.39 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 26$ |
|  | September | $2 \cdot 78$ | $2 \cdot 67$ | $12 \cdot 19$ | 985.31 | 139.94 | $10 \cdot 65$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | October . | 2.79 | 2.69 | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.50 | 140.06 | 10.71 |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.07 |
|  | November | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.73 | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.50 | 139.98 | 10.69 |  | 14.50 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | December... | $2 \cdot 81$ | $2 \cdot 72$ | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.50 | $140 \cdot 00$ | $10 \cdot 62$ |  | 14.55 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
| 1953 | January ... | 2.81 | 2.73 | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.50 | 140.02 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.58 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 10$ |
|  | February ... | $2 \cdot 82$ | 2.75 | $12 \cdot 19$ | $987 \cdot 50$ | $140 \cdot 18$ | 10.56 |  | 14.58 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.01 |
|  | March . | 2.82 | $2 \cdot 77$ | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.50 | $140 \cdot 34$ | $10 \cdot 56$ |  | 14.59 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.01 |
|  | April ... | 2.82 | 2.77 | $12 \cdot 18$ | 987.50 | 140.35 | $10 \cdot 57$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.72\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 11.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.59 \\ & 14.52 \\ & 14.51 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.34 \\ & 19.35 \\ & 19.35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 00 \\ & 80.03 \\ & 80.04 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May ... | $2 \cdot 81$ | $2 \cdot 80$ | $12 \cdot 20$ | $985 \cdot 88$ | $140 \cdot 12$ | 10.58 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | $2 \cdot 81$ | $2 \cdot 80$ | $12 \cdot 20$ | 982.84 | 139.98 | $10 \cdot 59$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | 2.82 |  |  | 979.20 | 139.97 | $10 \cdot 58$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.70 \\ & 11.70 \\ & 11.69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.51 \\ & 14.47 \\ & 14.45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.34 \\ & 19.34 \\ & 19.35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 00 \\ & 80 \cdot 00 \\ & 80.00 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... | $2 \cdot 82$ | 2.78 | $12 \cdot 17$ | 976.73 | $140 \cdot 12$ | $10 \cdot 58$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.76 | $12 \cdot 17$ | $976 \cdot 88$ | 140.04 | 10.61 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December... | $2 \cdot 81$ | 2.76 | $12 \cdot 18$ | $980 \cdot 72$ | 140.09 | $10 \cdot 63$ | 11.70 | 14.44 | 19.99 | 19.38 | $80 \cdot 00$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The exchange rates for Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Bombay and Karachi were :-
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 ( $£$ SA to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate) : 1938, $100 \cdot 125$; I January 1948 to 2 January 1952, 100 ; thereafter 99.875.
Bombay (pence per rupee) (averages of daily mean rates) : 1938, 17.96; 1948 onwards,
18.00 .
Karachi (pence per rupee) (averages of daily mean rates) : 22 September 1949 onwards,
$\mathbf{2 5 . 8 9}$.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Averages of daily mean Telegraphic Transfer rates.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) In 1938 rates were quoted in Belgas to $£(1$ Belga $=5 \mathrm{Fcs}$.).
( ${ }^{4}$ ) From 18 May.
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Index of weekly wage rates ${ }^{1}$ )
30 June $1947=100\left({ }^{2}\right)$
TABLE 146

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures are based on rates at the end of the month. An accoun of the method of compilation of the figures is given in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for February 1948.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ It is estimated that at the end of June 1947 the level of weekly full-time wage rates was between 166 and 167, taking September $1939=100$.

|  |  | All items |  | Food | Rent and rates | Clothing | Fuel and light | Household durable goods | Miscellaneous goods | Services | Alcoholic drink | Tobacco |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 17 June $1947=100\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\left.\begin{array}{l} 1948 \\ 1949 \\ 1950 \\ 1951 \end{array}\right\}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 108.2 \\ & 114.1 \\ & 122.7 \\ & 136.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.5 \\ 100.0 \\ 101.1 \\ 103.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.3 \\ & 117.7 \\ & 119.8 \\ & 138.3 \end{aligned}$ | 110.9 <br> 113.0 <br> 116.5 <br> 128.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 107.9 \\ & 108.5 \\ & 112.3 \\ & 132.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.7 \\ & 112.1 \\ & 113.1 \\ & 128.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.7 \\ & 105.4 \\ & 108.4 \\ & 117.9 \end{aligned}$ |  | 1 .3 .1 . |
| 1951 | October 16 ... <br> November 13 <br> December II |  |  | 142.8 143.5 144.9 | $104 \cdot 2$ 104.2 104.2 | 145.1 145.7 147.3 | 129.8 132.4 134.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 136.5 \\ & 136.2 \\ & 135.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134.8 \\ & 134.9 \\ & 137.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 121.6 \\ & 122.0 \\ & 122.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| 1952 January 15 ... |  | 132 |  | 149.7 | $104 \cdot 2$ | $147 \cdot 1$ | $140 \cdot 1$ | 136.6 | $137 \cdot 3$ | 123.9 |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \text { June } \\ & 1947=100 \end{aligned}$ |  | 15 January $1952=100{ }^{(3)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | Mthly. avs. ... | 136 | $102 \cdot 6$ | $105 \cdot 4$ | $102 \cdot 2$ | $97 \cdot 7$ | $101 \cdot 3$ | 98.6 | $102 \cdot 5$ | $103 \cdot 8$ | $100 \cdot 7$ | $100 \cdot 0$ |
| 1952 | February 12... <br> March II ... | $\begin{aligned} & 133 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 1 \\ & 100 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100.1 \\ & 100.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 1 \\ & 100 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.7 \\ 100.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99.9 \\ & 99.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 101.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 102 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $100 \cdot 1$ $100 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 0 \\ & 100 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 8 <br> May 13 <br> June 17 $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 135 \\ & 135 \\ & 138 \end{aligned}$ | 102.2 102.2 103.9 | 103.9 104.4 108.7 | 102.1 102.3 102.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 99.9 \\ & 99.1 \\ & 97.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 101.5 \\ 99.6 \\ 100.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99.8 \\ & 99.4 \\ & 98.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.5 \\ & 103.4 \\ & 103.7 \end{aligned}$ | $102 \cdot 8$ $102 \cdot 7$ $103 \cdot 1$ | $100 \cdot 1$ $100 \cdot 8$ 100.8 | 100.0 100.0 100.0 |
|  | July 15 <br> August $12 \ldots$ <br> September 16 | 138 137 136 | 103.8 103.2 103.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 108.5 \\ & 106.8 \\ & 106.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.6 \\ & 102.8 \\ & 102.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97.0 \\ & 96.4 \\ & 95.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100.9 \\ & 101.1 \\ & 101.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \cdot 2 \\ & 98 \cdot 0 \\ & 97 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \cdot 7 \\ & 103.1 \\ & 103.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \cdot 1 \\ & 105 \cdot 2 \\ & 106 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 101.2 101.2 101.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 100.0 \\ & 100.0 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 14 <br> November 18 <br> December 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 138 \\ & 138 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.9 \\ & 103.8 \\ & 104.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.3 \\ & 107.9 \\ & 109.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \cdot 3 \\ & 103.4 \\ & 103.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 5 \\ & 95 \cdot 6 \\ & 95 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.8 \\ & 103.3 \\ & 104.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 1 \\ & 97 \cdot 1 \\ & 97 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.1 \\ & 102.7 \\ & 102.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106.4 \\ & 106.7 \\ & 107.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.1 \\ & 101.1 \\ & 101.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 0 \\ & 100 \cdot 0 \\ & 100 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January 13 <br> February 17... <br> March 17 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 139 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \cdot 4 \\ & 104.7 \\ & 105 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.2 \\ & 109.6 \\ & 110.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \cdot 7 \\ & 104 \cdot 3 \\ & 104 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 9 \\ & 95 \cdot 3 \\ & 95 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \cdot 5 \\ & 104 \cdot 4 \\ & 107 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 6 \\ & 97 \cdot 4 \\ & 97 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.7 \\ & 102.4 \\ & 102.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \cdot 1 \\ & 107 \cdot 1 \\ & 107 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.0 \\ & 101.0 \\ & 101.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 0 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 14 <br> May 12 <br> June 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 141 \\ & 140 \\ & 141 \end{aligned}$ | 106.4 106.0 106.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 112.5 \\ & 112.7 \\ & 113.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.2 \\ & 108.4 \\ & 108.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 6 \\ & 95 \cdot 6 \\ & 95.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.7 \\ & 104.7 \\ & 105.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 3 \\ & 94 \cdot 9 \\ & 94 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.5 \\ & 100.0 \\ & 100.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.5 \\ & 107.6 \\ & 108.0 \end{aligned}$ | 101.0 101.0 101.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 14 <br> August 18 <br> September 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 141 \\ & 140 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106.6 \\ & 105.9 \\ & 105.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.7 \\ & 111.7 \\ & 111.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.7 \\ & 108.8 \\ & 108.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95.4 \\ & 95.4 \\ & 95.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105.6 \\ & 105.8 \\ & 106.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 2 \\ & 95 \cdot 2 \\ & 95 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.9 \\ 100.0 \\ 100.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.1 \\ & 109.0 \\ & 109.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.4 \\ & 101.4 \\ & 101.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \\ & 100 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 13 <br> November <br> December | 140 | $105 \cdot 7$ | 110.6 | 109.5 | $96 \cdot 2$ | 106.5 | $95 \cdot 7$ | 100.1 | $109 \cdot 2$ | 101.4 | $100 \cdot 3$ |

(1) An account of the compilation of the index is given in the pamphlet Interim Index of Retail Prices: Method of Construction and Calculation. (Revised edition).
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ The relative weights used in calculating the "All Items" index were: 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.
${ }^{(3)}$ As from February 1952 certain changes have been made in the method of calculating the index. In particular, a new set of weights has been Introduced based on estimates of consumption in 1950, valued at January 1952 prices. In the new series of index numbers, prices at 15 January 1952 are taken as 100 . The "All items" index calculated on the new base is linked to the earlier series to produce an "All items" figure with 17 June $1947=100$, but similar linking is not possible for the separate groups. The weights in use from February 1952 onwards are: Food 399, Rent and rates 72, Clothing 98, Fuel and light 66, Household durable goods 62, Miscellaneous goods 44, Services 91, Alcoholic drink 78, Tobacco 90.

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## Index numbers of wholesale prices

TABLE 148


[^31]Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of wholesale prices

${ }^{(1)}$ A general description of the new indices was published in the Board of Trade Journal for 19 May and 16 June 1951.
Source: Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ The Board of Trade index is based on $1930=100$, but is here recalculated with $1938=100$.
${ }^{(3}$ ) The definition of industries, in cases where headings are the same, follows in general the Standard Industrial Classification.
${ }^{(4)}$ The industries are defined in accordance with the Standard Industrial Classification (H.M.S.O. 1948),
${ }^{5}$ ) Up to December 1951 this index relates to c.i.f. prices at United Kingdom ports and subsequently to prices on delivery to consumers.
${ }^{(6)}$ Up to July 1953 this index relates to delivery prices and subsequently to ex-warehouse prices of H.C. electrolytic ) Excluding rubber.

Import and export prices and average values; tramp shipping freights
TABLE 149

|  |  | Imports |  |  |  | Exports |  |  |  |  |  | Tramp shipping freights ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Food, drink and tobacco | Raw materials | Manufactures | Total | Articles wholly or mainly manufactured |  |  |  |  | Voyage charter ${ }^{4}$ ) | Time charter ${ }^{5}$ ) |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  |  | Metals ${ }^{(1)}$ | Textiles and clothing | Other |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1947 \\ & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | Average value index( ${ }^{6}$ )$1950=100$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1948=100$ |  |
|  |  | 78 | 83 | 68 | 86 | 85 | 86 | 86 | 81 | 90 | 92 |  |  |
|  |  | 87 | 90 | 80 | 93 | 93 | 93 | 93 | 90 | 98 | 94 | $100 \cdot 0$ |  |
|  |  | 88 | 91 | 82 | 92 | 95 | 96 | 97 | 92 | 98 | 93 | 82.3 |  |
|  |  | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 84.0 | : |
|  |  | 133 | 115 | 155 | 129 | 117 | 118 | 113 | 131 | 118 | 113 | 173.7 | $\ldots$ |
|  |  | 130 | 120 | 136 | 136 | 124 | 125 | 126 | 120 | 127 | 105 | 110.6 | . |
|  |  | Import and export prices ${ }^{7}$ )$1952=100$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1952=100$ |  |
| 1952 | January ... | 105 | 101 | 110 | 104 | 100 | 100 | 96 | 114 | 100 | 105 | 146.4 | 184.5 |
|  | February ... | 106 | 100 | 110 | 105 | 101 | 101 | 98 | 111 | 102 | 105 | $140 \cdot 6$ | 177.0 |
|  | March ... | 105 |  |  |  |  | 101 | 98 |  |  |  |  | 124.8 |
|  | April | 104 | 102 | 106 | 104 | 101 | 101 | 99 | 106 | 102 | 103 | 108.4 | 111.9 |
|  | May | 103 | 103 | 103 | 103 | 101 | 101 | 99 | 104 | 102 | 102 | 105.8 | 116.5 |
|  |  |  | 102 | 100 | 102 | 101 | 101 | 101 | 99 | 103 | 100 | 91.2 | 104.1 |
|  | July... ... | 100 | 101 | 99 | 99 | 100 | 100 | 101 | 96 | 101 | 100 | 73.5 | $85 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August ... | 97 | 100 | 95 | 97 | 100 | 100 | 101 | 95 | 100 | 97 | 71.2 | $56 \cdot 5$ |
|  | September... | 96 | 99 | 93 | 97 | 99 | 99 | 101 | 93 | 99 | 97 | $76 \cdot 3$ | 58.1 |
|  | October ... | 95 | 98 | 93 | 96 | 99 | 99 | 102 | 92 | 96 | 96 | 84.9 | $65 \cdot 6$ |
|  | November... | 94 | 97 | 91 | 94 | 98 | 98 | 102 | 91 | 96 | 96 | 88.0 | $61 \cdot 9$ |
|  | December... | 93 | 97 | 91 | 93 | 99 | 99 | 103 | 91 | 97 | 94 | 83.7 | 54.0 |
| 1953 | January ... | 93 | 97 | 89 | 93 | 98 | 98 | 101 | 91 | 96 | 95 | 79.3 | 59.8 |
|  | February | 91 | 96 | 87 | 91 | 98 | 98 | 101 | 92 | 95 | 93 | $80 \cdot 0$ | 61.5 |
|  | March ... | 91 | 97 | 86 | 89 | 97 | 97 | 100 | 92 | 95 | 94 | $83 \cdot 2$ | 64.8 |
|  | April ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 93 | 93 | 85.6 | 69.7 |
|  | May ... | 88 | 98 | 82 | 85 | 97 | 97 | 100 | 91 | 93 | 91 | $82 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 5$ |
|  | June | 87 | 97 | 80 | 85 |  | 97 | 100 | 92 | 92 | 91 | $73 \cdot 8$ | 61.6 |
|  | July... ... | 87 | 97 | 80 | 86 | 96 | 96 | 100 | 92 | 92 | 91 | 75.8 | $57 \cdot 4$ |
|  | August ... | 87 | 96 | 81 | 85 | 97 | 97 | 101 | 93 | 91 | 90 | 73.9 | 59.0 |
|  | September... | 87 | 95 | 80 | 85 | 97 | 97 | 100 | 94 | 92 | 90 | 73.9 | 56.4 |
|  | October ... | 87 | 95 | 81 | 86 | 97 | 97 | 100 | 94 | 91 | 90 | $77 \cdot 5$ | $56 \cdot 3$ |
|  | November... December ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Metals and engineering products.
${ }^{2}$ ) The ratio of import prices to export prices. A rise indicates an adverse movement.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ These indices are compiled by the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom and are based on tramp fixtures reported during the month, only fixtures in sterling being used.
${ }^{4}$ ) The list of routes used covers mainly the tramp trades between Europe (including the United Kingdom) and the rest of the world.
$\left({ }^{5}\right)$ This index relates to time charter freights and is based on fixtures of ships of 8,000 tons deadweight and over for round voyages or for period charters of not more than about nine months. It is the average for oil-fired steamers and motor vessels.
${ }^{(6)}$ The "average value index" numbers for 1947-50 are obtained by comparing the actual value of imports and exports each year with the estimated values of those imports and exports at prices in the year 1947, but are here expressed with $1950=100$. The index numbers for 1951 and 1952 are obtained by comparing actual trade in those years with the estimated value of that trade at 1950 prices. They provide a means of deflating current values of trade to the price levels of the base year, but give only a rough measure of price changes from year to year since they are influenced by changes in the composition of trade as well as by price movements.
$\left(^{7}\right)$ The monthly "import and export price index" numbers measure the change in the aggregate value of a representative selection of imports or exports. The items chosen and the quantity weights assigned to them are constant and are based on the pattern of trade in 1952. These index numbers are not therefore directly comparable with the "average value" series.

Source: Board of Trade
Chamber of Shipping of
the United Kingdom

${ }^{(1)}$ England and Wales. Agricultural prices include Exchequer payments.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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 been made to the monthly figures.
$\left.{ }^{(3}{ }^{3}\right)$ Including items not shown separately.
(4) From August 1943 to June 1950, the prices include the estimated rate of acreage payment per hundredweight sold.
${ }^{(5)}$ From July 1941 to June 1951, the prices used include the estimated rate of acreage payment per ton produced. July and August figures relate to first early varieties only
and are based respectively on average July and average August prices in the years
$1936 \cdots 38$. The annual indices include only prices for 1936-38. The annual indices include only prices for January-June and SeptemberDecember. The indices for these months, and the annual indices are based on the average of these months in the calendar years 1936-38.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries and Board of Trade
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Personal expenditure on consumers' goods and services
TABLE 15I
(i) At current market prices

Emillion

|  |  | Total | Food | Alcoholic beverages |  | Tobacco | Rent, rates and water charges | Fuel and light | Household goods | Clothing |  | Travel | Enter-tainments | Other goods and services | Income <br> in kind of the Armed Forces |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Beer |  | Other | Footwear |  |  |  |  | Other |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | ... ... |  | 8,379 | 2,259 | 542 | 261 | 764 | 625 | 336 | 519 | 168 | 685 | 357 | 180 | 1,644 | 39 |
| 1949 | .. ... | 8,771 | 2,469 | 520 | 256 | 753 | 646 | 344 | 597 | 170 | 782 | 362 | 175 | 1,665 | 32 |
| 1950 | ... ... | 9,252 | 2,706 | 509 | 275 | 766 | 670 | 365 | 682 | 174 | 831 | 356 | 177 | 1,709 | 32 |
| 1951 | ... ... | 9,946 | 2,965 | 529 | 293 | 800 | 701 | 404 | 738 | 185 | 861 | 384 | 183 | 1,859 | 44 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 10,478 | 3,315 | 563 | 287 | 821 | 736 | 438 | 712 | 181 | 836 | 415 | 187 | 1,933 | 54 |
| 1950 | Ist quarter | 2,122 | 635 | 113 | 57 | 180 | 165 | 108 | 152 | 34 | 173 | 73 | 47 | 377 |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,274 | 680 | 127 | 58 | 191 | 167 | 85 | 158 | 45 | 203 | 91 | 42 | 419 | 8 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 2,376 | 685 | 148 | 65 | 203 | 168 | 73 | 166 | 43 | 201 | 111 | 46 | 460 | 7 |
|  | 4 th quarter | 2,480 | 706 | 121 | 95 | 192 | 170 | 99 | 206 | 52 | 254 | 81 | 42 | 453 | 9 |
| 1951 | Ist quarter | 2,343 | 674 | 107 | 85 | 190 | 171 | 119 | 196 | 39 | 214 | 76 | 46 | 417 | 9 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,466 | 725 | 134 | 55 | 200 | 175 | 100 | 190 | 52 | 221 | 97 | 44 | 462 | 11 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 2,520 | 774 | 155 | 60 | 208 | 177 | 82 | 161 | 43 | 185 | 122 | 47 | 494 | 12 |
|  | 4th quarter | 2,617 | 792 | 133 | 93 | 202 | 178 | 103 | 191 | 51 | 241 | 89 | 46 | 486 | 12 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter | 2,412 | 755 | 119 | 68 | 198 | 179 | 130 | 176 | 38 | 177 | 84 | 49 | 427 | 12 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,568 | 815 | 145 | 57 | 202 | 184 | 102 | 166 | 48 | 209 | 106 | 45 | 475 | 14 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 2,685 | 866 | 163 | 63 | 213 | 185 | 87 | 165 | 44 | 197 | 130 | 48 | 510 | 14 |
|  | 4 th quarter | 2,813 | 879 | 136 | 99 | 208 | 188 | 119 | 205 | 51 | 253 | 95 | 45 | 521 | 14 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter | 2,554 | 847 | 119 | 67 | 195 | 190 | 137 | 184 | 36 | 178 | 89 | 47 | 451 | 14 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,745 | 888 | 150 | 63 | 207 | 199 | 107 | 187 | 47 | 211 | 110 | 45 | 517 | 14 |
|  | 3 rd quarter |  | 892 | 158 | 68 | 221 | 201 |  | 186 | 44 | 197 |  | 46 |  |  |

(ii) Re-valued at average 1948 prices

|  |  | Total | Food | Alcoholic beverages |  | Tobacco | Rent, rates and water charges | Fuel and light | House hold goods | Clothing |  | Travel | Enter-tainments | Other goods and services | Income in kind of the Armed Forces |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Beer |  | Other | Footwear |  |  |  |  | Other |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | ... ... |  | 8,379 | 2,259 | 542 | 261 | 764 | 625 | 336 | 519 | 168 | 685 | 357 | 180 | 1,644 | 39 |
| 1949 | ... ... | 8,530 | 2,363 | 518 | 257 | 739 | 636 | 334 | 589 | 175 | 734 | 363 | 175 | 1,617 | 30 |
| 1950 | ... ... | 8,711 | 2,428 | 514 | 281 | 744 | 646 | 349 | 651 | 179 | 766 | 354 | 176 | 1,595 | 28 |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ | 8,6583 | 2,420 | 511 | 294 | 768 | 656 | 364 | 613 | 155 | 702 | 354 | 177 | 1,603 | 36 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 8,574 | 2,412 | 504 | 288 | 781 | 666 | 360 | 575 | 146 | 691 | 358 | 175 | 1,579 | 39 |
| 1950 | Ist quarter | 2,024 | 586 | 111 | 59 | 176 | 161 | 104 | 149 | 36 | 162 | 73 | 47 | 353 | 7 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,125 | 584 | 128 | 59 | 186 | 161 | 82 | 153 | 47 | 190 | 91 | 42 | 395 | 7 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 2,235 | 614 | 151 | 67 | 196 | 162 | 70 | 158 | 44 | 185 | 110 | 46 | 426 | 6 |
|  | 4 th quarter | 2,327 | 644 | 124 | 96 | 186 | 162 | 93 | 191 | 52 | 229 | 80 | 41 | 421 | 8 |
| 1951 | Ist quarter | 2,121 | 591 | 110 | 78 | 183 | 163 | 108 | 172 | 36 | 186 | 71 | 45 | 370 |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,153 | 587 | 128 | 64 | 193 | 164 | 90 | 159 | 45 | 181 | 89 | 44 | 400 | 9 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 2,151 | 606 | 147 | 60 | 199 | 164 | 75 | 129 | 34 | 147 | 113 | 45 | 423 | 9 |
|  | 4 th quarter | 2,228 | 636 | 126 | 92 | 193 | 165 | 91 | 153 | 40 | 188 | 81 | 43 | 410 | 10 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter | 2,012 | 580 | 107 | 68 | 189 | 165 | 107 | 141 | 30 | 142 | 74 | 46 | 354 | 9 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,076 | 580 | 129 | 58 | 192 | 166 | 84 | 129 | 38 | 170 | 91 | 42 | 387 | 10 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 2,188 | 619 | 146 | 64 | 203 | 167 | 72 | 134 | 36 | 165 | 112 | 45 | 415 | 10 |
|  | 4th quarter | 2,298 | 633 | 122 | 98 | 197 | 168 | 97 | 171 | 42 | 214 | 81 | 42 | 423 | 10 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter | 2,070 | 605 | 107 | 67 | 185 | 169 | 111 | 150 | 30 | 151 | 76 | 44 | 365 | 10 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,188 | 601 | 134 | 63 | 197 | 170 | 86 | 157 | 39 | 176 | 94 | 42 | 420 | 9 |
|  | 3 rd quarter |  | 618 | 141 | 68 | 210 | 171 |  | 155 | 37 | 165 |  | 43 |  |  |

Wholesale textile houses: Sales and stocks( ${ }^{1}$ )
Averages of values in $1950=100$

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

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Values of sales by large retailers $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
(Department stores, multiple shops and retail co-operative societies)
TABLE 153

|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { All } \\ \text { mer- } \\ \text { chandise } \end{gathered}$ | Food and perishables |  | Clothing and footwear |  |  |  | Household goods |  |  | Chemists' goods | Stocks $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ <br> Clothing and footwear |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Groceries and provisions | Total | Women's and children's wear | Men's and boys' wear | Footwear | Total | Furniture and furnishings | Hardware, radio and electrical goods |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 100 109 117 | 100 110 123 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 114 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | 100 110 110 | 100 110 114 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 108 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | 100 109 107 | 100 108 102 | 100 106 100 | 100 113 108 | 100 113 120 | $\begin{array}{r} 89 \\ 106 \\ 92 \end{array}$ |
| 1952 | July $\begin{aligned} & \text { August } \\ & \text { *September }\end{aligned} \quad \ldots$ | 117 109 114 | 123 120 120 | 132 125 124 | 113 91 108 | 114 92 116 | 111 85 94 | 111 92 104 | $\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ 89 \\ 105 \end{array}$ | 102 87 104 | 100 95 111 | 121 115 108 | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 97 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> *December.. | 117 125 156 | 122 127 144 | 127 135 149 | 116 118 165 | 125 127 174 | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 104 \\ 156 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 110 \\ & 146 \end{aligned}$ | 108 114 129 | 105 109 117 | 114 124 162 | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 134 \\ & 209 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 104 \\ 92 \end{array}$ |
|  | *January <br> February <br> *March | 112 112 120 | 128 130 132 | 139 141 144 | 85 83 104 | 90 87 110 | 82 79 98 | 77 73 97 | $\begin{array}{r}104 \\ 94 \\ 107 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 106 94 107 | 99 94 109 | 112 115 111 | $\begin{array}{r} 87 \\ 100 \\ 112 \end{array}$ |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> *June $\ldots$ | 118 126 121 | 132 132 133 | 144 145 143 | 105 126 109 | 109 130 110 | 96 119 106 | 100 124 104 | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 111 \\ 95 \end{array}$ | 99 106 91 | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 125 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 125 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 110 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> *September | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 113 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 129 126 128 | 141 134 137 | 117 90 109 | $\begin{array}{r} 120 \\ 95 \\ 118 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}112 \\ 81 \\ 92 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}112 \\ 90 \\ 107 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 113 \\ 96 \\ 116 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 111 \\ 92 \\ 112 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 106 \\ & 127 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 121 \\ & 111 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 105 \\ & 109 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. The figures relate to sales at selling value.
(2) Details relating to the basis and size of sample, etc., were published in the

Board of Trade Journal for 5 July 1952 and 4 April 1953.
${ }^{(3)}$ End of period stock valued at cost. Information is given by a smaller sample
than for sales and no figures are supplied by co-operative societies.

- Average of five weeks.


## Values of sales by independent retailers ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 154
Weekly average $1950=100$

|  |  | Clothing and footwear |  |  |  |  |  | Household goods |  |  |  |  | Chemists goods |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Women's and children's wear | Men's and boys' wear |  |  | Footwear | Total | Furniture and furnishings | Hardware, radio and electrical goods |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  | Outfitters | Bespoke tailors $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ | Total |  |  |  | Hardware | Radio and electrical goods |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 100 100 95 | 100 99 95 | 100 99 93 | 100 99 93 | 100 100 93 | 100 104 101 | 100 112 109 | 100 107 97 | 100 116 119 | 100 109 109 | 100 126 133 | 100 102 103 |
| 1952 | July <br> August <br> *September... | $\begin{array}{r} 102 \\ 80 \\ 90 \end{array}$ | 100 78 92 | $\begin{array}{r} 104 \\ 81 \\ 84 \end{array}$ | 107 82 83 | 100 80 86 | 104 92 95 | 97 94 108 | 96 84 93 | 98 103 121 | 102 105 121 | 92 100 120 | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \\ 110 \\ 97 \end{array}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November... <br> *December ... | 96 100 134 | 99 102 131 | 87 91 143 | 83 88 147 | 93 97 144 | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 108 \\ & 126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 124 \\ & 142 \end{aligned}$ | 101 106 115 | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 138 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | 110 115 124 | 157 169 215 | 95 95 135 |
| 1953 | *January $\qquad$ <br> February ... <br> *March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \\ & 72 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | 83 72 88 | 84 71 77 | 84 71 77 | 79 71 77 | 85 73 86 | 114 113 113 | 103 93 104 | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 129 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 106 105 107 | $\begin{aligned} & 148 \\ & 159 \\ & 136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 102 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> *June $\ldots$ | 89 109 89 | 89 110 86 | 85 103 93 | 83 103 93 | 89 104 92 | 99 121 102 | 112 125 105 | 106 108 94 | 117 138 115 | 105 113 97 | 133 171 139 | $\begin{array}{r} 93 \\ 101 \\ 101 \end{array}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> *September | 101 78 90 | 98 76 91 | 107 77 83 | 108 76 82 | 105 80 85 | 102 90 102 | 111 106 121 | 110 92 110 | 113 117 129 | 110 107 123 | 116 130 138 | $\begin{array}{r}109 \\ 108 \\ 96 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |

[^32]Miscellaneous
TABLE 155

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Duty paid clearances of unmanufactured tobacco.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Duty paid clearances of tobacco, including manufactured tobacco, less quantity on which drawback has been paid.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ Production of glass bottles, jars and syphons. Domestic and scientific glassware are excluded.
(4) Figures are calculated from returns for calendar months in the case of some producers and weekly returns in the case of others.

- Average of five weeks.

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

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[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) See footnote. (1) to Table 7

[^2]:    $\left(^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ to Table 7.

[^3]:    * Average of five weeks.

[^4]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including prescribed industrial disease.

[^5]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 33.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including coal held by Service Departments.

[^6]:    (1) Home consumption.
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ Including consumers', merchants' and other stocks, but excluding Government stocks of tin from January 1951, of lead from October 1952, of zinc from January 1953 and of copper from August 1953.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Dry weight up to December 1952 and estimated metal content thereafter.
    (4) Metal content.
    ${ }^{(5)}$ ) Including consumption other than for zinc production, except for the years 1935-38.
    ${ }^{(6)}$ Including lead imported for processing on toll.
    ${ }^{(7)}$ Including English refined lead.

[^7]:    (1) Including synthetic fibres.
    (2) Fleece and skin from British sheep.
    (3) Estimated.
    (4) Deliveries, except in 1935 and 1937.

[^8]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including lamp and vegetable black, but excluding acetylene and bone black.
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ In rubber manufacturing industries only.

    * Average of five weeks.

[^9]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ In terms of blackstrap containing 52 per cent. sugars.
    ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Ethyl alcohol as 68 O.P. spirit. Figures up to December 1951 relate to industrial alcohol made from molasses only; later figures include industrial alcohol derived from other processes.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ ) Years ended 30 September
    Average of five weeks.

[^10]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June.
    $\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ Organic fertilizers, treated phosphate rock, concentrated complete fertilizers and triple superphosphate.

[^11]:    $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ Including taxi-cabs.
    ${ }^{2}$ ) Including spares produced by motor manufacturers.
    ${ }^{3}$ ) Number exported.
    (d) Estimated.

    - Five week period.

[^12]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) 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.

[^13]:    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including value of items not shown separately in preceding columns, and also parts and Source : Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries accessories.

[^14]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Including accessories.

[^15]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including machine tools of low value (under $£ \mid 00$ ).
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding engines used in aircraft, road motor vehicles, wheeled and half-track tractors (other than heavy earth-moving types) and fighting vehicles, and engines of the heavy slow-speed types designed solely for ship propulsion.

[^16]:    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Including adaptors, chassis and, for sales only, kits of parts.
    $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Value figures for home sales before July 1953 are under review ; export sales are calculated at f.o.b. prices.

[^17]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Deliveries.

[^18]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ 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.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Metal and wooden sets of bedstead ends only.
    (4) Tops and bottoms of kitchen cabinets manufactured for sale as separate items are included as half a cabinet.
    ${ }^{(5)}$ Divans upholstered on metal frames and unupholstered metal divans.
    ${ }^{(6)}$ ) Including settees from January 1950.
    (7) From October 1952 figures relate to Great Britain only. Those in respect of Northern Ireland, included for earlier dates, are estimated to account for about I per cent. of total production.

[^19]:    Source : Ministry of Housing and Local Government and Department of Health for Scotland

[^20]:    (1) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 88.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Before building on an approved scheme can start it is necessary to obtain a licence from the Ministry of Works.

[^21]:    * Average of five weeks.

[^22]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Computed from figures for calendar months
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding beans transferred to oilseed stocks.

    - Average of five weeks.

[^23]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The figures for 1952 were revised in the March 1953 issue to take account of the increased

[^24]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 107.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding wool and mohair plushes and certain other types of cloth.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Excluding chassis.

[^25]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ 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.

[^26]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years.
    (2) Including traffic not shown separately.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Before I 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.
    ${ }^{(5)}$ Including tickets issued on "country" services of a similar nature to workmen's tickets.

[^27]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ 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 on 30 August 1939 was $£ 263.0$ million (valued at 158 s .6 d . per oz. fine). A maximum of $£ 326.4$ million (valued at 85 s . Od. per oz. fine) was held from 23 June 1937 to 4 January 1939. Issue Department holdings of other securities and of coin other than gold coin are quite small. From 1935 the highest yearly averages have been : other securities, $£ 3 \cdot 4$ million ( 1940 ); coin other than gold coin, $£ 3.3$ million (1951).
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including Government Debt $\mathrm{E} \| 1 \cdot 0$ million.
    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$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.

[^28]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain.

[^29]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Including accrued interest to date.
    $\left.{ }_{\left({ }^{( }\right)}{ }^{2}\right)$ Nominal amount held on Post Office Register (Post Office and Trustee Savings Bank Sections). $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Ordinary and Special Investments Departments.

[^30]:    See footnotes on page 115.

[^31]:    See footnotes on page 123.

[^32]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnotes $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ and ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table 153.
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ Including shops which do a substantial trade in made-to-measure garments.

    * Average of five weeks.

