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2. The figures in the Digest are mainly totals for calendar months or monthly averages. A summary of the principal series in the form of annual totals is however included once a year in the February issue.
3. Some of the figures included in this Digest are provisional only and may be revised in later issues.

## Definitions

4. A special Supplement published separately once a year with the January issue gives detailed definitions of all the terms and units used in the Digest.
5. The following general definitions should be noted in using the Digest :-

Area covered. Except where otherwise stated, all statistics relate to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Consumption. Figures of consumption are subject to seasonal influences and should be used with caution. The terms "consumption" and "total disposals" usually relate to releases from stocks by Controls or manufacturers and include amounts delivered for export. Where exports form a significant proportion of total disposals the amount made available for consumption in the United Kingdom is shown separately.

Stocks. Figures of stocks are also seasonal and should be used with care. In addition, the figures often relate to only part of the stocks in the country. Stocks are defined either in footnotes to the tables or in the Supplement to the Digest. Stocks figures normally relate to the end of a calendar month or four or five week period. Where figures are not availabie 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.

External trade. Owing to differences in coverage and timing figures of imports and exports are not always comparable with those for production, consumption and stocks.

## Symbols and conventions used

6. Symbols. The following symbols are used throughout :-
.. = not available.
$-=$ nil or less than half the final digit shown.

* $=$ average of five weeks.

7. Change of basis. A line drawn across a column between two consecutive figures indicates that the figures above and below the line have been compiled on different bases and are not strictly comparable. In each case a footnote explains the difference.
8. Rounding of figures. In tables where figures have been rounded to the nearest final digit, there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the total and the sum of the constituent items.

## Revisions and changes in content

9. The following changes of content have been made in this issue as compared with the immediately preceding issue :-
(a) A new table (Table 149) showing World prices of selected commodities has been included for the first time.
(b) Revisions have been made to the series relating to :-

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(c) The following series have been discontinued:Rubber : index number of wholesale price Barley: consumption for animal feed

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INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION



BRITISH EXPORTS TO CANADA AND U.S.A.


WHOLESALE PRICES
30 June $1949=100$


|  |  |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1931 | April census | $\ldots$ |  | 46,038 | 22,060 | 23,979 | 39,952 | 19,133 | 20,819 | 4,843 | 2,326 | 2,517 | 1,243(1) | $601{ }^{(2)}$ | 642( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| 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 |
| 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 <br> December |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50,287 \\ & 50,360 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,163 \\ & 24,194 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,124 \\ & 26,166 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 43,800 \\ 43,877 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,049 \\ & 21,085 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,751 \\ & 22,792 \end{aligned}$ | 5,114 5,111 | 2,445 2,441 | 2,669 2,670 | 1,373 1,372 | $\begin{aligned} & 669 \\ & 669 \end{aligned}$ | 704 704 |
| 1952 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & \text { December } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 50,429 \\ & 50,535 \end{aligned}$ | 24,231 24,288 | $\begin{aligned} & 26,198 \\ & 26,247 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43,940 \\ & 44,043 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,119 \\ & 21,177 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,821 \\ & 22,866 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,114 \\ & 5,115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,442 \\ & 2,440 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,672 \\ & 2,675 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,375 \\ & 1,377 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 670 \\ & 671 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 705 \\ & 706 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | June | ... | ... | 50,592 | 24,332 | 26,259 | 44,090 | 21,213 | 22,877 | 5,118 | 2,444 | 2,673 | 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.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Estimated. The population at the census of 1926 was 1,257 thousand ( 608 thousand males and 649 thousand females).

TABLE 2
Age distribution at 31 December 1952

|  | 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 |
| $\underset{0-4}{\text { Age groups : }} \ldots$ | 4,014 | 2,056 | 1,958 | 1,758 | 1,674 | 105 | 100 | 227 | 217 | 71 | 67 |
| $\begin{gathered} 5-9 \\ 10-14 \end{gathered} \quad \cdots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,114 \\ 3,346 \end{array}$ | 2,102 1,705 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,012 \\ & 1,641 \end{aligned}$ | 1,812 1,453 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,732 \\ & 1,396 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 106 \\ 94 \end{array}$ | 103 88 | $\begin{aligned} & 221 \\ & 194 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \\ & 190 \end{aligned}$ | 68 58 | 66 55 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}15-19 & \ldots \\ 20-24 & \ldots\end{array}$ | 3,289 3,396 | 1,657 1,694 | 1,632 1,702 | 1,343 | 1,390 1,463 | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \\ & 82 \end{aligned}$ | 83 85 | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 160 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 188 \\ & 187 \end{aligned}$ | 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 | 1,564 1,663 | 89 94 | 89 94 | $\begin{aligned} & 174 \\ & 180 \end{aligned}$ | 193 182 | 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 1,701 | 87 94 | 89 96 | 163 181 | $\begin{array}{r}173 \\ \hline 194\end{array}$ | 44 | 47 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}45-49 & \ldots \\ 50-54 & \ldots\end{array}$ | 3,702 3,306 | 1,821 1,575 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,881 \\ & 1,731 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,608 \\ & 1,385 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,651 \\ & 1,520 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 86 \end{aligned}$ | 94 89 | $\begin{aligned} & 171 \\ & 153 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | 39 36 | 43 40 |
| $55-59$ $60-64$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,817 \\ & 2,466 \end{aligned}$ | 1,274 1,085 | 1,543 1,381 | 1,126 958 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,361 \\ & 1,222 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | 117 102 | $\begin{aligned} & 148 \\ & 129 \end{aligned}$ | 30 24 | 34 30 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}65-69 & \ldots \\ 70-74\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,082 \\ & 1,646 \end{aligned}$ | 888 677 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,194 \\ 969 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 784 \\ & 591 \end{aligned}$ | 1,055 861 | 50 37 | 58 47 | 83 68 | 113 86 | 21 18 | 26 22 |
| $\begin{array}{ll} 75-79 & \ldots \\ 80-84 & \ldots \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,095 \\ 543 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 435 \\ & 209 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 660 \\ & 334 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 380 \\ & 183 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 586 \\ & 296 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | 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 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including H.M. Forces overseas, but excluding Commonwealth and foreign forces in this country.

Births and marriages registered
TABLE 3
Thousands

|  |  |  | Live births |  |  |  |  | Marriages |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland | United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland |
|  |  |  | Total | Wales | Total |  |  |  | Wales |  |  |
| 1935/8( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | ... |  | 722.7 | $609 \cdot 0$ | $38 \cdot 0$ | 88.3 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $403 \cdot 3$ | 356.3 | $20 \cdot 5$ | $38 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 |  | $\ldots$ | 856.0 | $731 \cdot 2$ | 44.4 | $95 \cdot 7$ | 29.1 | $426 \cdot 0$ | $375 \cdot 0$ | $22 \cdot 1$ | 41.7 | 9.2 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | 813.1 | 691.8 | $42 \cdot 4$ | $92 \cdot 5$ | 28.8 | $408 \cdot 0$ | 358.5 | $20 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | 9.2 9.1 |
| 1951 .. |  | ... | 798.8 | 679.7 | 41.4 | $90 \cdot 6$ | 28.5 | 411.4 | $360 \cdot 6$ | 20.7 | 41.4 | 9.1 |
| 1952 |  | ... | $792 \cdot 7$ | $673 \cdot 6$ | $41 \cdot 1$ | $90 \cdot 4$ | 28.8 | 399.0 | 348.5 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 41.2 | 9.4 9.3 |
| 1935/8( ${ }^{(1)}$ | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 177.1 | 148.7 | $9 \cdot 4$ | 22.1 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $65 \cdot 6$ | 56.0 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 7.9 | 1.7 |
|  |  | ... | 190.8 | 160.4 | 9.9 | $23 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 107.0 | 95.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 9.3 | 2.2 |
|  |  | ... | 185.0 | 156.9 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 21.5 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $130 \cdot 2$ | 116.0 | 6.1 | 11.5 | $2 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  | ... | 169.8 | $142 \cdot 9$ | 8.9 | 21.0 | 5.9 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 88.9 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 9.5 | 2.2 |
| 1951 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 206.9 | 176.0 | $10 \cdot 9$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 123.3 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 213.7 | 181.6 | 10.9 | 24.3 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 77.3 | 66.4 | 3.5 | 9.0 | 2.0 |
|  |  | ... | 197.1 | 168.0 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 21.9 | 7.1 | 126.5 | 111.3 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 12.1 | 3.2 |
|  |  | ... |  | 154.0 | $9 \cdot 4$ | 20.8 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 84.2 | 73.4 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 8.8 | $2 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | ... | $203 \cdot 5$ | 173.5 | $10 \cdot 7$ | 22.9 | 7.1 | 121.3 | 106.6 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 12.4 |  |
|  |  | ... | $205 \cdot 2$ | 174.1 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 79.5 | 69.2 | 3.7 | 8.2 | 2.1 |
|  |  | ... | 197.3 | 167.9 | 10.2 | $22 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | 118.0 | 103.1 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 11.9 | 3.0 |
|  |  | ... | 186.7 | 158.0 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 21.8 | $6 \cdot 9$ | $80 \cdot 3$ | 69.7 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 8.7 | 1.9 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter | $\ldots$ | 201.8 | 171.7 179 | 10.2 | 22.9 | 7.2 | $110 \cdot 1$ | 96.0 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 12.1 |  |
|  |  | ... | 211.2 | 179.5 | 10.7 | $23 \cdot 8$ | 7.9 | 87.5 | 77.0 | 4.1 | 8.2 | $2 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | ... | $202 \cdot 5$ | $173 \cdot 0$ | 10.4 | $22 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | $120 \cdot 8$ | 105.5 | 6.0 | 12.1 | $3 \cdot 2$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Averages for 4 years.
Source : Registrars General
Deaths registered ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 4
Thousands

|  |  |  | Total |  |  |  |  | Infants under one year |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland | United Kingdom | England and Wales |  | Scotland | Northern Ireland |
|  |  |  | Total | Wales | Total |  |  |  | Wales |  |  |
| 1935/8( ${ }^{2}$ ) | ... ... | ... |  | 574.9 | $490 \cdot 4$ | 32.5 | 66.0 | 18.5 | $43 \cdot 2$ | 34.4 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 0$ |
| 1949. | .. | $\ldots$ | 589.9 590.1 | $510 \cdot 7$ $510 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 1\left(3^{3}\right)$ $33 \cdot 3$ | $63 \cdot 5$ 64.0 | 15.7 15.8 | 29.2 25.6 | 23.9 20.8 | 1.8 1.5 | 4.0 3.6 | 1.3 |
| 1951 ... | ... | ... | 632.8 | $549 \cdot 4$ | $36 \cdot 0$ | $65 \cdot 8$ | 17.6 | 24.8 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 1.5 | $3 \cdot 4$ | 1.2 1.2 |
| 1952. | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 573.6 | $497 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | 61.5 | 14.8 | 22.7 | 18.4 | 1.3 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 1.1 |
| 1935/8( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | $172 \cdot 5$ | 147.0 | 9.6 | 19.7 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 13.6 | 10.8 | 0.7 | 2.1 | 0.7 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $140 \cdot 3$ | 119.8 | $8 \cdot 0$ | 16.0 | 4.5 | 10.7 | 8.6 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 0.5 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 118.1 | $100 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 13.6 | 3.7 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 6.8 | 0.4 | 1.3 | 0.4 |
|  |  | ... | $144 \cdot 1$ | 123.0 | 8.1 | 16.7 | $4 \cdot 4$ | $10 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | 0.6 | 1.8 | 0.5 |
| 1951 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | $235 \cdot 2$ | 205.8 | 13.5 | 22.4 | 7.0 | 8.0 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 0.5 | 1.1 | 0.4 |
|  |  | ... | 141.1 | 121.7 | 8.2 | 15.4 | $4 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.3 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $116 \cdot 3$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | 13.1 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 5.0 | 4.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
|  |  | ... | $140 \cdot 2$ | 121.9 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 14.8 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3 rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 169.5 | 146.6 | 8.9 | 18.4 |  |  |  |  | 0.9 | 0.3 |
|  |  | ... | 133.3 | 115.4 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 14.3 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
|  |  | ... | 114.6 | 98.7 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 12.8 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 4.8 | 3.9 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.2 |
|  |  | ... | 156.2 | $136 \cdot 6$ | 8-1 | 16.0 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | $0 \cdot 3$ | 0.8 | $0 \cdot 3$ |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter | $\ldots$ | 193.1 | 171.3 | 9.7 | 17.3 | 4.5 | $6 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
|  |  | ... | $132 \cdot 5$ | 114.5 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 14.3 | 3.7 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
|  |  | $\cdots$ | 114.4 | $98 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 4$ | 12.7 | 3.1 | 4.6 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $0 \cdot 3$ | 0.6 | 0.2 |

[^1]Source : Registrars General

# II. LABOUR <br> Distribution of total manpower in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE 5

|  | $1948$ <br> June | 1950 <br> June | 1951 |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | June | December | June | December | June | September | October |
| Total working population( ${ }^{(1)}$ | 22,780 | 22,954 | 23,228 | 23,314 | 23,294 | 23,292 | 23,325 | 23,483 | 23,506 |
| Males $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ <br> Females $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,657 \\ 7,123 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,678 \\ 7,276 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,791 \\ 7,437 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,860 \\ 7,454 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,864 \\ 7,430 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,873 \\ 7,419 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,862 \\ 7,463 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,924 \\ 7,559 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,930 \\ 7,576 \end{array}$ |
| $\begin{array}{llll}\text { H.M. Forces } & \text { and } & \text { Women's } \\ \text { Services } & \ldots & \ldots & \ldots\end{array} \ldots$ | 846 | 690 | 827 | 852 | 872 | 872 | 865 | 864 | 862 |
| Males $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ <br> Females $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 807 | $\begin{array}{r} 666 \\ 24 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 804 \\ 23 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 829 \\ 23 \end{array}$ | 848 24 | 848 24 | 841 24 | 840 24 | 838 24 |
| Men and women on release leave (who had not yet taken up employment) ... | 92 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Total in civil employment ... ... | 21,569 | 21,993 | 22,214 | 22,164 | 22,119 | 22,019 | 22,190 | 22,325 | 22,333 |
| Males $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ <br> Females $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,549 \\ 7,020 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,813 \\ 7,180 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,859 \\ 7,355 \end{array}$ | 14,849 7,315 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,836 \\ 7,283 \end{array}$ | 14,767 7,252 | 14,841 7,349 | 14,897 7,428 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,894 \\ 7,439 \end{array}$ |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing ... | 1,178 | 1,161 | 1,139 | 1,074 | 1,112 | 1,052 | 1,092 | 1,107 | 1,077 |
| Mining and quarrying ${ }^{(3)}$ ) ... ... | 876 | 852 | 856 | 854 | 875 | 876 | 876 | 869 | 866 |
| Manufacturing industries ... ... | 8,137 | 8,510 | 8,736 | 8,806 | 8,626 | 8,683 | 8,723 | 8,852 | 8,905 |
| Building and contracting ${ }^{4}$ ) ... ... | 1,450 | 1,434 | 1,449 | 1,407 | 1,435 | 1,392 | 1,448 | 1,451 | 1,444 |
| 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 | 1,723 | 1,714 |
| Distributive trades | 2,484 | 2,571 | 2,600 | 2,622 | 2,616 | 2,645 | 2,641 | 2,660 | 2,675 |
| Professional, financial and miscellaneous services ... ... ... | 3,954 | 3,969 | 3,968 | 3,922 | 3,988 | 3,939 | 3,991 | 3,971 | 3,961 |
| Public administrationNational Government Service Local Government Service $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 682 \\ & 700 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 619 \\ & 743 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 606 \\ & 744 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 617 \\ & 736 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 606 \\ & 730 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 601 \\ & 727 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 595 \\ & 725 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 593 \\ & 725 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 592 \\ & 725 \end{aligned}$ |
| Registered unemployed ${ }^{5}$ ) : <br> Wholly unemployed <br> Temporarily stopped ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | 273 | 264 10 | 179 | 295 55 | 295 $-\quad 120$ | 396 34 | 265 17 | 288 | 304 11 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The Table covers all persons aged 15 and over at work or registered as available
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service 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.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Additional details are given in Table 85.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Estimate for end of month.

Estimated numbers employed in all manufacturing industries ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 6
Thousands

|  |  | $1948$ <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & \text { June } \end{aligned}$ | 1951 |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | June |  | December | June | December | June | September | October |
| Total employed employed) ( ${ }^{2}$ ) <br> Males ... <br> Females | and self |  | 8,137 | 8,510 | 8,736 | 8,806 | 8,626 | 8,683 | 8,723 | 8,852 | 8,905 |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5,506 \\ & 2,631 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,722 \\ & 2,788 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,819 \\ & 2,917 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,904 \\ & 2,902 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,832 \\ 2,794 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,876 \\ & 2,807 \end{aligned}$ | 5,872 2,851 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,934 \\ & 2,918 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,958 \\ & 2,947 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total employees ... | ... ... | 7,930 | 8,303 | 8,529 | 8,602 | 8,426 | 8,483 | 8,523 | 8,652 | 8,705 |
| $\begin{array}{lcc}\text { Males ... } & . . & \ldots \\ \text { Females } & \ldots & \ldots \\ \text { F }\end{array}$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,325 \\ & 2,605 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,541 \\ & 2,762 \end{aligned}$ | 5,638 2,891 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,725 \\ & 2,877 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,656 \\ & 2,770 \end{aligned}$ | 5,700 $\mathbf{2 , 7 8 3}$ | 5,696 2,827 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,758 \\ & 2,894 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,782 \\ & 2,923 \end{aligned}$ |
| Treatment of non-metalliferous mining products other than coal |  | 312 | 326 | 335 | 343 | 333 | 329 | 329 | 333 | 335 |
| Chemicals and allied trades ... | $\cdots$ | 439 | 470 | 483 | 493 | 485 | 483 | 487 | 496 | 498 |
| Metal manufacture ... | ... ... | 530 | 540 | 545 | 557 | 558 | 558 | 540 | 543 | 545 |
| Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods |  | 1,776 | 1,783 | 1,837 | 1,903 | 1,907 | 1,901 | 1,879 | 1,897 | 1,906 |
| Vehicles ... ... ... | ... | 934 | 981 | 1,013 | 1,050 | 1,068 | 1.078 | 1,087 | 1,105 | 1,1II |
| Metal goods not elsewhere specified | ... | 501 | 490 | 506 | 509 | 497 | 488 | 477 | 483 | 488 |
| Precision instruments, jewellery, etc. | ... ... | 127 | 136 | 137 | 135 | 130 | 130 | 130 | 133 | 135 |
| Textiles ... ... . | ... | 922 | 1,004 | 1,025 | 995 | 892 | 941 | 969 | 987 | 993 |
| Leather, leather goods and fur ... | $\cdots$ | 78 | 76 | 78 | 73 | 68 | 73 | 74 | 75 | 76 |
| Clothing ... ... ... . | ... ... | 597 | 649 | 661 | 627 | 612 | 635 | 653 | 663 | 664 |
| Food, drink and tobacco ... | ... $\quad$. | 726 | 795 | 816 | 826 | 838 | 826 | 848 | 859 | 863 |
| Manufactures of wood and cork | ... ... | 283 | 294 | 302 | 294 | 283 | 287 | 288 | 295 | 298 |
| Paper and printing | ... | 463 | 510 | 520 | 530 | 509 | 503 | 508 | 520 | 524 |
| Other manufacturing industries | ... ... | 242 | 249 | 271 | 267 | 246 | 251 | 254 | 263 | 269 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ As in Table 5.

Treatment of selected non-metalliferous mining products
TABLE 7
Estimated numbers of employees ( ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Bricks and fireclay goods [20] |  |  | China and earthenware (including glazed tiles) [21] |  |  | Glass and glass containers [22 and 23] |  |  | Cement[24] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June | ... | $\cdots$ | $76 \cdot 6$ | 69.4 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $74 \cdot 8$ | $33 \cdot 1$ | $41 \cdot 7$ | $67 \cdot 0$ | $49 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 4$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | 12.9 | $1 \cdot 4$ |
| 1949 | June | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $78 \cdot 9$ | $71 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | $77 \cdot 0$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | $42 \cdot 5$ | $67 \cdot 3$ | 51.0 | $16 \cdot 3$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | 1.0 |
| 1950 | June | ... | ... | $80 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $80 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 9$ | 44.1 | $69 \cdot 5$ | $51 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 7$ | 13.4 | 12.4 | 1.0 |
| 1951 | June |  | ... | $80 \cdot 7$ | 72.9 | $7 \cdot 8$ | $80 \cdot 3$ | $35 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 2$ | $73 \cdot 5$ | 54.4 | 19.1 | 14.7 | 13.6 | $1 \cdot 1$ |
| 1951 | December | $\ldots$ | ... | $83 \cdot 5$ | $75 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | $82 \cdot 7$ | $36 \cdot 1$ | $46 \cdot 6$ | $74 \cdot 9$ | $55 \cdot 3$ | 19.6 | $15 \cdot 1$ | 13.9 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | June |  | ** | $85 \cdot 7$ | 76.9 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 78.9 | $34 \cdot 7$ $33 \cdot 4$ | $44 \cdot 2$ | 68.0 | 50.5 | 17.5 | 15.3 | 14.1 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | December... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $86 \cdot 0$ | $77 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $78 \cdot 1$ | $33 \cdot 4$ | $44 \cdot 7$ | $65 \cdot 3$ | $48 \cdot 9$ | 16.4 | $15 \cdot 3$ | 14.1 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
| 1953 | January .. | $\cdots$ | ... | 86.2 | 77.6 | 8.6 | $77 \cdot 7$ 77.1 | $33 \cdot 1$ 32.8 | $44 \cdot 6$ | $65 \cdot 6$ | $49 \cdot 2$ | 16.4 | 15.3 | 14.1 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
| , | February ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 86.1 86.1 | $77 \cdot 6$ 77.6 | 8.5 8.5 | 77.1 76.8 | $32 \cdot 8$ $32 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 3$ $44 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 5$ $65 \cdot 3$ | 49.0 48.9 | 16.5 16.4 | 15.3 15.3 | 14.1 14.1 | 1.2 |
|  | March | *. | ... | 86.1 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 48. |  |  | 14.1 |  |
|  | April |  | $\cdots$ | $86 \cdot 7$ | $78 \cdot 1$ | 8.6 | 77.0 | 32.6 | 44.4 | 65.4 | 48.9 | 16.5 | 15.4 | 14.2 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | May |  | $\ldots$ | 86.8 | 78.1 | $8 \cdot 7$ | $76 \cdot 8$ | 32.5 | $44 \cdot 3$ | $65 \cdot 3$ | $48 \cdot 8$ | $16 \cdot 5$ | 15.4 | 14.2 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $86 \cdot 9$ | $78 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $76 \cdot 5$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | $44 \cdot 0$ | $65 \cdot 7$ | $49 \cdot 0$ | $16 \cdot 7$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July |  | $\cdots$ | $87 \cdot 0$ | $78 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | 76.5 | 32.4 |  |  | $49 \cdot 3$ | 16.9 | 15.5 | $14 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August |  | $\ldots$ | 87.4 | 78.7 | 8.7 8.7 | $76 \cdot 8$ 77.5 | 32.6 32.9 | $44 \cdot 2$ $44 \cdot 6$ | $66 \cdot 6$ | $49 \cdot 5$ | 17.1 | 15.5 15.5 | 14.3 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $87 \cdot 4$ | $78 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $77 \cdot 5$ | $32 \cdot 9$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | $66 \cdot 8$ | $49 \cdot 6$ | 17-2 | $15 \cdot 5$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | October November... December .. | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $87 \cdot 3$ | $78 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $78 \cdot 1$ | $33 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 8$ | $67 \cdot 2$ | $49 \cdot 9$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 5$ | 14.3 | $1 \cdot 2$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) 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 <br> Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 8
Thousands

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

# Selected metal manufacturing industries 

TABLE 9
Estimated numbers of employees( ${ }^{1}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Blast furnaces, iron and steel melting, rolling, etc. [40 and 41] |  |  | 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 | $211 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 122.2 | 105.1 | $17 \cdot 1$ | 37.1 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 99.9 | 83.9 | 16.0 |
| 1949 | June ... | ... | ... | $232 \cdot 9$ | 216.2 | $16 \cdot 7$ | $120 \cdot 9$ | 104.6 | 16.3 | $38 \cdot 0$ | 34.2 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 96.4 | $80 \cdot 2$ | 16.2 |
| 1950 | June | ... | ... | $232 \cdot 8$ | $215 \cdot 1$ | 17.7 | 124.5 | 108.0 | 16.5 | $38 \cdot 2$ | 34.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 98.9 | $82 \cdot 5$ | 16.4 |
| 1951 | June December ... |  | $\ldots$ | 229.5 233.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 211 \cdot 0 \\ & 214 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127.4 \\ & 130.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110.0 \\ & 112.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 5 \\ & 38 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 33.7 34.1 | 3.8 4.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 104.0 \\ & 108.8 \end{aligned}$ | $86 \cdot 0$ 89.5 | 18.0 19.3 |
| 1952 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June ... } \\ & \text { December ... } \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 236 \cdot 8 \\ & 242 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 217 \cdot 4 \\ & 223 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 19.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129.0 \\ & 126.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.3 \\ & 110.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 38 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $33 \cdot 8$ 34.4 | $4 \cdot 2$ $4 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.7 \\ & 105.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89.8 \\ & 86.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.9 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January <br> February March | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \cdot 8 \\ & 243 \cdot 2 \\ & 243.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 3 \\ & 223 \cdot 7 \\ & 223 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.5 \\ & 19.5 \\ & 19.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126.0 \\ & 124.5 \\ & 123.0 \end{aligned}$ | 110.0 108.8 107.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 15.7 \\ & 15.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 1 \\ & 35 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 33.9 32.5 31.9 | 4.1 3.6 3.6 | 103.8 101.8 100.5 | $85 \cdot 8$ 84.2 $83 \cdot 2$ | 18.0 17.6 17.3 |
|  | April May June | ... <br> $\ldots$ <br> .. | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $243 \cdot 5$ $243 \cdot 3$ $243 \cdot 0$ | 224.0 223.8 223.5 | 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 | 3.5 3.2 3.0 | 99.6 98.8 98.7 | 82.4 81.7 81.5 | 17.2 17.1 17.2 |
|  | July August September | . $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $242 \cdot 7$ $242 \cdot 9$ $242 \cdot 7$ | $223 \cdot 2$ $223 \cdot 3$ $223 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.5 \\ & 19.6 \\ & 19.7 \end{aligned}$ | 120.3 120.9 121.6 | 104.9 105.3 105.7 | 15.4 15.6 15.9 | $32 \cdot 2$ $32 \cdot 3$ $32 \cdot 4$ | 29.2 29.3 29.4 | 3.0 3.0 3.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 98.8 \\ 99.9 \\ 101.1 \end{array}$ | 81.5 82.2 83.0 | 17.3 17.7 18.1 |
|  | October November.. December .. | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | . | $243 \cdot 2$ | $223 \cdot 5$ | 19.7 | $122 \cdot 2$ | $106 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 0$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | 29.5 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 101.8 | 83.6 | 18.2 |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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

|  |  |  |  | Shipbuilding and ship repairing [50] |  |  | Marineengineering[51] |  |  | Agricultural machinery [52] |  |  | Machine tools and engineers' small tools [54] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June | ... | ... | $227 \cdot 3$ | 219.4 | $7 \cdot 9$ | $78 \cdot 2$ | 74.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $39 \cdot 3$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | $84 \cdot 3$ | $67 \cdot 4$ | 16.9 |
| 1949 | June | ... | ... | 218.7 | $210 \cdot 3$ | 8.4 | 79.5 | 75.1 | $4 \cdot 4$ | $38 \cdot 7$ | $34 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $82 \cdot 4$ | $65 \cdot 8$ | $16 \cdot 6$ |
| 1950 | June | ... | $\cdots$ | 203.8 | 196.2 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 74.9 | 71.1 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 4$ | 35.7 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 84.4 | 68.4 | 16.0 |
| 1951 | June ${ }_{\text {December }}$ |  | $\cdots$ | 197.9 | 189.7 | $8 \cdot 2$ | $74 \cdot 0$ | 70.1 | 3.9 | 41.0 | $36 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 89.0 | 71.7 | $17 \cdot 3$ |
|  | December ... | ... | ... | $204 \cdot 2$ | 195.6 | 8.6 | $74 \cdot 9$ | $70 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 1$ | $42 \cdot 7$ | $37 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 94.6 | $76 \cdot 4$ | 18.2 |
| 1952 | June | $\ldots$ | ... | 206.8 | 197.9 | 8.9 | 75.1 | 71.0 | 4.1 | $43 \cdot 1$ | 37.9 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 99.9 | $80 \cdot 8$ | 19.1 |
|  | December | ... | ... | $210 \cdot 2$ | 201.4 | $8 \cdot 8$ | $76 \cdot 2$ | 71.8 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 39.9 | $35 \cdot 0$ | 4.9 | $101 \cdot 1$ | $82 \cdot 6$ | 18.5 |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 213.1 | $204 \cdot 2$ | 8.9 | 77.0 | $72 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 39.5 | 34.7 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 101.0 | 82.7 | 18.3 |
|  | February ... |  |  | $211 \cdot 3$ | 202.4 | 8.9 | $76 \cdot 8$ | $72 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 39.4 | $34 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | $100 \cdot 5$ | 82.4 | 18.1 |
|  | March ... |  | ... | 211.5 | 202.5 | 9.0 | 76.9 | $72 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 39.4 | $34 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 99.5 | 81.8 | $17 \cdot 7$ |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 211.1 | 202.1 | 9.0 | 77.0 | $72 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | ... | $\ldots$ | $210 \cdot 4$ | 201.6 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 76.9 | $72 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 6$ | 39.9 | $35 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 98.9 | 81.4 | 17.5 |
|  | June | ... | ... | $209 \cdot 3$ | $200 \cdot 4$ | 8.9 | $76 \cdot 5$ | 72.1 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 39.6 | $34 \cdot 8$ | 4.8 | 98.2 | 80.9 | $17 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July | ... | $\ldots$ | 209.3 | $200 \cdot 4$ | 8.9 | $76 \cdot 3$ | 71.9 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 39.7 | 34.9 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $97 \cdot 4$ | $80 \cdot 3$ | 17.1 |
|  | August | ... |  | $210 \cdot 0$ | 201.1 | 8.9 | $76 \cdot 5$ | $72 \cdot 1$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | 39.5 | $34 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 98.1 | 81.0 | 17.1 |
|  | September | ... | ... | $210 \cdot 2$ | 201.4 | 8.8 | $76 \cdot 4$ | $72 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $39 \cdot 3$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | 4.8 | 98.0 | 80.9 | 17.1 |
|  | October <br> November... <br> December | ... $\cdots$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $211 \cdot 6$ | $202 \cdot 7$ | 8.9 | $76 \cdot 5$ | $72 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 39.4 | $34 \cdot 6$ | 4.8 | $97 \cdot 7$ | $80 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 3$ |

Thousands


TABLE 10 (continued)
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Electrical machinery <br> [70] |  |  | Electrical wires and cables <br> [7] |  |  | Wireless apparatus, gramophones, valves and lamps [73 and 74] |  |  | Telephone and telegraph, batteries and accumulators and other electrical goods [72, 75 and 79] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Semales |
| 1948 | June | ... | ... | $165 \cdot 7$ | 118.4 | 47-3 | 58.0 | $35 \cdot 2$ | 22.8 | $102 \cdot 3$ | 51.6 | $50 \cdot 7$ | $195 \cdot 5$ | 112.4 | 83.1 |
| 1949 | June | ... | ... | $162 \cdot 2$ | 119.4 | 42.8 | 55.4 | $34 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 99.7 | $51 \cdot 3$ | 48.4 | 191.4 | 114.0 | $77 \cdot 4$ |
| 1950 | June | ... | ... | $163 \cdot 6$ | $121 \cdot 6$ | 42.0 | 56.5 | $35 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 116.7 | 58.2 | 58.5 | 193.7 | $115 \cdot 1$ | $78 \cdot 6$ |
| 1951 | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 166.3 172.5 | 122.7 127.3 | $43 \cdot 6$ $45 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 7$ 61.4 | $36 \cdot 7$ $38 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 0$ $23 \cdot 2$ | 133.0 141.8 | 64.8 69.1 | 68.2 72.7 | 206.4 224.4 | 119.4 131.1 | 87.0 93.3 |
| 1952 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & \text { December } \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174.9 \\ & 175.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \cdot 0 \\ & 132.5 \end{aligned}$ | 44.9 43.1 | $62 \cdot 7$ 62.8 | $39 \cdot 3$ 40.0 | 23.4 22.8 | 138.1 139.3 | $69 \cdot 4$ 72.7 | $68 \cdot 7$ 66.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 221 \cdot 0 \\ & 217 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130.1 \\ & 130.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 9 \\ & 86 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January ... <br> February ... <br> March ... | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 175.5 175.0 174.6 | 132.6 132.4 132.2 | 42.9 42.6 42.4 | 62.4 61.9 61.4 | 39.9 39.7 39.4 | $22 \cdot 5$ $22 \cdot 2$ $22 \cdot 0$ | 139.5 139.7 140.0 | $72 \cdot 7$ 72.8 73.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 8 \\ & 66 \cdot 9 \\ & 67 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \cdot 9 \\ & 214 \cdot 7 \\ & 214 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130.0 \\ & 129.6 \\ & 129.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 9 \\ & 85 \cdot 1 \\ & 84.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May $\qquad$ <br> June $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 174.8 174.5 174.1 | 132.5 132.4 132.2 | 42.3 42.1 41.9 | 60.8 59.9 59.0 | 39.0 38.4 37.9 | 21.8 21.5 21.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 140.7 \\ & 141.6 \\ & 142.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 3 \\ & 73.8 \\ & 74.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 4 \\ & 67 \cdot 8 \\ & 60.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 212.8 \\ & 211.5 \\ & 211.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129.2 \\ & 128.7 \\ & 128.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 6 \\ & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 82 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July <br> August September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 173.6 174.5 175.0 | 132.1 132.8 133.2 | 41.5 41.7 41.8 | 58.5 58.6 58.9 | 37.6 37.6 37.7 | 20.9 21.0 21.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \cdot 0 \\ & 146 \cdot 1 \\ & 149.9 \end{aligned}$ | 74.6 76.1 77.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 4 \\ & 70 \cdot 0 \\ & 72 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 210.9 \\ & 213.1 \\ & 215 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 128.1 129.1 130.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 84 \cdot 0 \\ & 85 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $175 \cdot 7$ | $133 \cdot 6$ | 42.1 | 58.9 | $37 \cdot 7$ | 21.2 | 153.9 | 78.7 | $75 \cdot 2$ | $217 \cdot 6$ | $130 \cdot 8$ | 86.8 |

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

## LABOUR

## Selected metal goods industries

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 . | ... | ... | ... | 52.1 | 34.1 | 18.0 | 38.5 | 20.6 | 17.9 | $37 \cdot 8$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $38 \cdot 3$ | 28.5 | $9 \cdot 8$ |
| 1950 June ... | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 52.4 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 20.1 | 38.1 | 20.7 | $17 \cdot 4$ | $37 \cdot 4$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | 4.9 | $37 \cdot 4$ | 28.0 | $9 \cdot 4$ |
| 1951 June ... December |  |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 0 \\ & 55 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 33.2 32.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 8 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 41.4 41.4 | 22.5 22.7 | 18.9 18.7 | 38.0 39.1 | $32 \cdot 9$ $33 \cdot 5$ | 5.1 5.6 | 38.4 38.6 | 28.1 28.3 | 10.3 10.3 |
| 1952 June ... December |  |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 3 \\ & 47 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $30 \cdot 4$ 28.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 0 \\ & 41 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $22 \cdot 7$ $22 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 18.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 4 \\ & 40 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 33.7 34.4 | $5 \cdot 7$ $5 \cdot 8$ | 38.7 38.7 | 28.8 29.0 | 9.9 9.7 |
| 1953 January February March | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 7 \\ & 46 \cdot 1 \\ & 45 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 28.5 28.1 27.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 18.0 \\ & 17.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 2 \\ & 40 \cdot 8 \\ & 40 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 6 \\ & 22 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 18.2 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 3 \\ & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 39 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 5 \\ & 34 \cdot 4 \\ & 34 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.8 \\ & 5.8 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | 38.5 38.3 38.1 | 28.9 28.8 28.6 | 9.6 9.5 9.5 |
| April ... <br> May ... <br> June ... | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 2 \\ & 44 \cdot 8 \\ & 44 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $27 \cdot 6$ $27 \cdot 3$ $27 \cdot 1$ | 17.6 17.5 17.5 | 40.2 39.6 39.1 | $22 \cdot 3$ $22 \cdot 0$ 21.8 | 17.9 17.6 17.3 | 39.9 39.6 39.4 | $34 \cdot 2$ $33 \cdot 9$ 33.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 7 \\ & 5.7 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $37 \cdot 8$ $37 \cdot 3$ $37 \cdot 2$ | $28 \cdot 4$ $28 \cdot 0$ 27.8 | 9.4 9.3 9.4 |
| July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $44 \cdot 3$ $44 \cdot 1$ $44 \cdot 4$ | $26 \cdot 9$ 26.7 26.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 17.4 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ | $38 \cdot 7$ $38 \cdot 3$ $38 \cdot 0$ | 21.6 21.5 21.4 | 17.1 16.8 16.6 | 39.1 39.2 39.1 | 33.5 33.6 33.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 6 \\ & 5.6 \\ & 5.5 \end{aligned}$ | $36 \cdot 9$ 37.1 37.4 | $27 \cdot 6$ $27 \cdot 7$ $27 \cdot 8$ | 9.3 9.4 9.6 |
| October November December | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 44.7 | 26.9 | $17 \cdot 8$ | 37.9 | 21.3 | $16 \cdot 6$ | $39 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | $27 \cdot 9$ | 9.7 |

## TABLE II (continued)

Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Hollow-ware [94] |  |  | Brass manufactures [95] |  |  | Scientific, surgical and photographic instruments, etc. [100] |  |  | Manufacture and repair of watches and clocks, and jewellery, plate, etc. [101 and 102] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June ... | ... | ... | ... | 53.0 | 24.6 | 28.4 | 52.4 | 34.5 | 17.9 | 75.9 | 50.1 | 25.8 | $42 \cdot 5$ | 24.6 | 17.9 |
| 1949 June ... | ... | ... | ... | 53.1 | $24 \cdot 7$ | $28 \cdot 4$ | $48 \cdot 9$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | 16.1 | 81.5 | 53.1 | 28.4 | 42.5 | $24 \cdot 3$ | 18.2 |
| 1950 June ... | ... | ... | ... | $56 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 7$ | $48 \cdot 4$ | 32.1 | 16.3 | $85 \cdot 2$ | 55.6 | 29.6 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 24.8 | 18.9 |
| 1951 June ... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 57.4 | $26 \cdot 0$ | 31.4 | $49 \cdot 6$ | $32 \cdot 0$ | 17.6 |  | 54.8 | 29.8 | $43 \cdot 8$ | $25 \cdot 2$ |  |
| December | ... |  | ... | 59.0 | $26 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 3$ | $49 \cdot 4$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 3$ | $53 \cdot 8$ | 29.5 | $42 \cdot 8$ | 24.4 | 18.4 |
| 1952 June ... | ... | ... | ... | 57.8 | 26.9 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $48 \cdot 3$ | 31.8 | 16.5 | $80 \cdot 6$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 0$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | 23.5 | $17 \cdot 7$ |
| December | ... |  | ... | $54 \cdot 7$ | $26 \cdot 5$ | $28 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | 31.2 | $15 \cdot 7$ | $80 \cdot 7$ | 53.2 | $27 \cdot 5$ | 41.5 | 23.2 | 18.3 |
| 1953 January | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 54.6 | 26.4 | 28.2 | $46 \cdot 4$ | 30.9 | 15.5 | 81.0 | $53 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | 41.5 | 23.1 | 18.4 |
| February | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 54.9 | 26.4 | $28 \cdot 5$ | $45 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 6$ | 15.2 | 81.2 | $53 \cdot 4$ | $27 \cdot 8$ | 41.2 | 22.9 | 18.3 |
| March | ... | ... | ... | $54 \cdot 8$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | 28.5 | $45 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 2$ | 14.9 | 81.2 | $53 \cdot 3$ | 27.9 | 41.2 | 22.9 | 18.3 |
| April... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 55.7 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 29.4 | 44.9 | 30.1 | 14.8 | 81.6 | $53 \cdot 5$ | 28.1 | 41.2 | 23.0 | 18.2 |
| May ... |  |  | ... | 56.4 | $26 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | $29 \cdot 7$ | 14.6 | 81.7 | $53 \cdot 4$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | 41.0 | 22.9 | 18.1 |
| June ... |  |  | ... | $56 \cdot 7$ | 26.4 | $30 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 29.3 | 14.5 | 81.7 | 53.4 | $28 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 6$ | 22.7 | $17 \cdot 9$ |
| July ... | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $56 \cdot 8$ | 26.4 | $30 \cdot 4$ | 44.0 | 29.4 | 14.6 | 81.6 | 53.4 | 28.2 | $40 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | 17.9 |
| August |  |  | $\ldots$ | 57.9 | $26 \cdot 8$ | 31.1 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 29.3 | 14.6 | 82.5 | 54.0 | 28.5 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 7$ | 18.1 |
| September | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | $58 \cdot 7$ | $26 \cdot 9$ | 31.8 | 44.1 | 29.3 | 14.8 | 82.9 | $54 \cdot 1$ | 28.8 | $41 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | 18.5 |
| October November December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 59.8 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 32.6 | $44 \cdot 6$ | 29.4 | $15 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 6$ | 54.4 | 29.2 | $42 \cdot 2$ | 23.1 | 19.1 |

[^2]|  |  |  |  |  | Manufacture of motor vehicles and cycles <br> [80] |  |  | Manufacture and repair of aircraft[82] |  |  | Manufacture of parts and accessories for motor vehicles and aircraft [83] |  |  | Manufacture and repair of locomotives, rallway carriages, and wagons and trams [84-86] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | une |  |  | ... | 279.2 | $236 \cdot 3$ | 42.9 | 144.3 | 123.5 | $20 \cdot 8$ | 92.2 | $66 \cdot 3$ | 25.9 | 176.7 | $167 \cdot 9$ | $8 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 | June |  |  | ... | 292.1 | 249.7 | $42 \cdot 4$ | 150.9 | 129.7 | 21.2 | $94 \cdot 5$ | $69 \cdot 0$ | $25 \cdot 5$ | $177 \cdot 2$ | 168.6 | $8 \cdot 6$ |
| 1950 | June |  |  | ... | $297 \cdot 0$ | 253.8 | $43 \cdot 2$ | 148.7 | 126.9 | 2i-8 | 115.3 | 83.8 | 31.5 | 174.4 | 166.2 | $8 \cdot 2$ |
| 1951 | June ... December |  | ... | $\cdots$ | 299.0 303.5 | 253.6 257.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 45.4 \\ & 45.9 \end{aligned}$ | 161.7 176.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 137 \cdot 3 \\ & 149.3 \end{aligned}$ | $24 \cdot 4$ $27 \cdot 2$ | 123.7 134.7 | $89 \cdot 2$ $98 \cdot 3$ | 34.5 36.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \cdot 0 \\ & 170 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 161.6 161.2 | 8.4 8.8 |
| 1952 | June ... December |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 298.8 \\ & 295.9 \end{aligned}$ | $254 \cdot 2$ $252 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 6 \\ & 43 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 195 \cdot 5 \\ & 206.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165.6 \\ & 175.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 9 \\ & 31 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 138.7 141.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 101.4 \\ & 105 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 3 \\ & 36 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168.7 \\ & 169.4 \end{aligned}$ | 159.9 160.6 | 8.8 8.8 |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March |  | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 293.2 292.0 290.4 | $250 \cdot 2$ $249 \cdot 3$ $247 \cdot 7$ | 43.0 42.7 42.7 | 208.4 210.0 212.4 | 177.1 178.5 180.7 | 31.3 31.5 31.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 141.8 \\ & 141.9 \\ & 140.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \cdot 4 \\ & 105 \cdot 7 \\ & 104.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 4 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 36 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \cdot 1 \\ & 170.5 \\ & 170.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 161.3 \\ & 161.7 \\ & 161.9 \end{aligned}$ | 8.8 8.8 8.8 |
|  | April <br> May ... <br> June... | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | . | 290.5 293.5 293.6 | $247 \cdot 4$ $250 \cdot 2$ $250 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 1$ $43 \cdot 3$ $43 \cdot 4$ | 214.4 216.7 218.0 | 182.4 184.4 185.6 | $32 \cdot 0$ $32 \cdot 3$ $32 \cdot 4$ | 140.1 141.0 142.1 | 104.4 105.1 105.9 | $35 \cdot 7$ $35 \cdot 9$ $36 \cdot 2$ | 171.4 171.5 171.4 | 162.6 162.7 162.6 | 8.8 8.8 8.8 |
|  | July ... August September |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 292.4 294.7 297.1 | 249.3 251.4 253.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 1 \\ & 43 \cdot 3 \\ & 43 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218.8 \\ & 221.6 \\ & 224.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186.5 \\ & 188.9 \\ & 191.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 142 \cdot 1 \\ & 144.1 \\ & 146.2 \end{aligned}$ | 106.0 107.3 108.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 1 \\ & 36 \cdot 8 \\ & 37 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 171.4 \\ & 172.1 \\ & 172.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 162.7 \\ & 163.3 \\ & 164.1 \end{aligned}$ | 8.7 8.8 8.8 |
|  | October November December |  | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $298 \cdot 8$ | 254.4 | 44.4 | 227-4 | 194.0 | 33.4 | $148 \cdot 2$ | $110 \cdot 2$ | $38 \cdot 0$ | $173 \cdot 3$ | 164.5 | $8 \cdot 8$ |

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

## Selected clothing industries

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

|  |  |  |  |  | Tailoring[140] |  |  | Dressmaking[\|41] |  |  | 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 | 100.1 | 11.8 | $88 \cdot 3$ | 58.7 | $6 \cdot 7$ | $52 \cdot 0$ | $138 \cdot 1$ | 78.4 | 59.7 |
| 1949 | June . |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 265.3 | 74.8 | $190 \cdot 5$ | $106 \cdot 0$ | 11.7 | 94.3 | $62 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | $54 \cdot 3$ | $145 \cdot 5$ | $80 \cdot 9$ | $64 \cdot 6$ |
| 1950 | June ... |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $272 \cdot 5$ | $71 \cdot 7$ | $200 \cdot 8$ | 106.0 | $11 \cdot 3$ | $94 \cdot 7$ | $69 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | $144 \cdot 9$ | 79.9 | 65.0 |
| 1951 | June ... December |  |  |  | $282 \cdot 3$ 268.0 | 77.6 73.2 | $204 \cdot 7$ 194.8 | 102.1 91.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 11.0 \\ & 10.9 \end{aligned}$ | 91.1 80.4 | 71.9 67.0 | 8.3 8.2 | $63 \cdot 6$ 58.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 144 \cdot 1 \\ & 142.0 \end{aligned}$ | 78.5 77.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 6 \\ & 64 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | June ... December |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 260 \cdot 4 \\ & 269 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 8 \\ & 72 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 189.6 196.3 | 93.8 93.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 7 \\ & 10 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $83 \cdot 1$ $83 \cdot 1$ | 67.0 71.0 | 8.2 8.3 | 58.8 62.7 | 132.6 140.3 | 73.1 75.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 59.5 \\ & 64.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January February March | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 273.0 273.6 273.6 | 73.5 73.6 73.6 | 199.5 200.0 200.0 | 95.6 95.8 95.8 | 10.9 10.9 10.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \cdot 7 \\ & 84 \cdot 9 \\ & 84.9 \end{aligned}$ | 72.4 72.5 72.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 8.4 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $64 \cdot 0$ $64 \cdot 1$ $64 \cdot 4$ | 142.3 143.2 144.0 | 76.2 76.3 76.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 1 \\ & 66 \cdot 9 \\ & 67.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May ... <br> June ... | ... $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 277.1 276.7 275.1 | 74.1 73.7 73.6 | $203 \cdot 0$ $203 \cdot 0$ 201.5 | 97.4 97.5 96.3 | 11.0 11.0 10.9 | $86 \cdot 4$ $86 \cdot 5$ $85 \cdot 4$ | 74.6 74.6 74.2 | 8.5 8.6 8.6 | 66.1 $66 \cdot 0$ $65 \cdot 6$ | 145.4 145.6 145.4 | 77.0 77.1 77.0 | 68.4 68.5 68.4 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 274.5 27.9 280.4 | 73.9 74.5 74.9 | $200 \cdot 6$ $203 \cdot 4$ 205.5 | 95.4 96.3 96.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 10.9 \\ & 10.9 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | 84.5 85.4 85.4 | 73.9 75.3 75.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 8.6 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 3 \\ & 66 \cdot 6 \\ & 66 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145.0 \\ & 146.4 \\ & 147.2 \end{aligned}$ | 76.8 77.5 77.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 2 \\ & 68 \cdot 9 \\ & 69.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December | ... $\cdots$ | ... | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $280 \cdot 3$ | 74.8 | $205 \cdot 5$ | 96.1 | 11.0 | 85.1 | 75.8 | 8.8 | $67 \cdot 0$ | 148.1 | $78 \cdot 2$ | 69.9 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See fpotnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 7.

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

|  |  |  |  |  |  | on spin bling, [110] |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { weavi } \\ & \text { [III] } \end{aligned}$ |  | Woo | $n$ and [112] | orsted |  | $n$ and on and and silk 3 and I | lon weaving <br> 4] |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June ... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 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 |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 173.6 | 61.4 | 112.2 | 131.4 | 43.4 | 88.0 | 212.9 | $95 \cdot 6$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 94.8 | 49.9 | 44.9 |
| 1950 | June . | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 179.5 | $64 \cdot 2$ | 115.3 | 133.8 | $45 \cdot 4$ | 88.4 | 218.2 | 97-3 | $120 \cdot 9$ | 102.0 | 54.4 | $47 \cdot 6$ |
| 1951 | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 183.8 183.2 | $64 \cdot 1$ 64.6 | 119.7 118.6 | 135.1 | 44.1 | 91.0 | 213.1 | 94:6 | 118.5 |  |  | $47 \cdot 7$ |
|  | December |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 183.2 | $64 \cdot 6$ | 118.6 | 133.9 | $44 \cdot 6$ | $89 \cdot 3$ | 199.1 | 89.3 | 109.8 | $100 \cdot 3$ | $54 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | June |  |  | $\ldots$ | 149.8 | 53.3 | 96.5 | 119.5 | 39.6 | 79.9 | 188.9 | $84 \cdot 8$ | 104.1 | 79.0 |  |  |
|  | December |  |  | $\ldots$ | 154.7 | $55 \cdot 0$ | 99.7 | 120.8 | 39.7 | 81.1 | $206 \cdot 5$ | $90 \cdot 4$ | 116.1 | 86.1 | 45.9 | $40 \cdot 2$ |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 156.1 | $55 \cdot 3$ | $100 \cdot 8$ | 122.0 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 82.0 | $210 \cdot 4$ | 91.4 | 119.0 | 87.7 |  |  |
|  | February | ... |  | ... | 156.2 | $55 \cdot 3$ 55.4 | $100 \cdot 9$ | 122.5 | $40 \cdot 1$ | 82.4 | 213.2 | 92.0 | 121.2 | 88.6 | 47.3 | 41.3 |
|  | March |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $156 \cdot 7$ | $55 \cdot 4$ | $101 \cdot 3$ | 122.8 | $40 \cdot 2$ | $82 \cdot 6$ | 214.4 | 92.4 | 122.0 | 89.2 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 41.6 |
|  | April | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 157.7 | 55.6 | $102 \cdot 1$ | 123.7 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 83.2 | 215.9 | 92.8 | 123.1 | $90 \cdot 0$ | 48.0 |  |
|  | May ... | ... | ... | ... | 158.1 | 55.6 | 102.5 | 123.9 | $40 \cdot 5$ | $83 \cdot 4$ | $215 \cdot 6$ | 92.8 | 122.8 | $90 \cdot 3$ | 48.1 | 42.2 |
|  | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 158.1 | $55 \cdot 7$ | $102 \cdot 4$ | 124.1 | $40 \cdot 6$ | $83 \cdot 5$ | $215 \cdot 8$ | 92.9 | 122.9 | $90 \cdot 3$ | 48.2 | $42 \cdot 1$ |
|  | July ... | .. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 158.8 161.4 | 55.9 56.7 | 102.9 | 123.9 | $40 \cdot 6$ | 83.3 | 215.4 | 93.0 | 122.4 | 89.8 | $48 \cdot 0$ | 41.8 |
|  | August |  |  | ... | 161.4 | 56.7 | 104.7 | 125.3 | 41.0 | $84 \cdot 3$ | 217.2 | $93 \cdot 4$ | 123.8 | $90 \cdot 4$ | $48 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September |  |  | ... | 163.3 | $57 \cdot 2$ | $106 \cdot 1$ | 126.1 | $41 \cdot 2$ | 84.9 | 218.8 | 93.8 | 125.0 | 91.1 | 48.5 | $42 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October <br> November | $\cdots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $165 \cdot 3$ | $57 \cdot 8$ | $107 \cdot 5$ | 127.2 | $41 \cdot 5$ | $85 \cdot 7$ | 219.3 | 93.9 | 125.4 | 91.4 | 48.7 | $42 \cdot 7$ |
|  | November December |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 14 (continued)
Thousands

|  |  |  |  |  | Hosiery and other knitted goods [118] |  |  | Textile finishing [123] |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { All other textiles } \\ \text { [115-117, 119-122 and } \\ \text { 129] } \end{gathered}$ |  |  | Leather and leather goods [130 and I3I] |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $101 \cdot 7$ | 27.0 | 74.7 | 84.0 | $55 \cdot 6$ | 28.4 | $150 \cdot 3$ | $62 \cdot 1$ | 88.2 | $67 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 0$ | 23.6 |
| 1949 | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 111.5 | 29.5 | $82 \cdot 0$ | $87 \cdot 1$ | $57 \cdot 3$ | 29.8 | 148.8 | $62 \cdot 7$ | 86.1 | $66 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | 23.2 |
| 1950 | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 121.6 | $33 \cdot 1$ | 88.5 | $93 \cdot 2$ | $63 \cdot 3$ | 29.9 | 155.6 | $67 \cdot 1$ | 88.5 | 66.1 | 42.4 | 23.7 |
| 1951 | June ... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 125.7 | 34.5 | 91.2 | 99.1 | 66.0 | 33.1 | 165.0 | $70 \cdot 2$ | 94.8 | $66 \cdot 8$ | $41 \cdot 8$ | $25 \cdot 0$ |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | $117 \cdot 1$ | $33 \cdot 8$ | $83 \cdot 3$ | $96 \cdot 6$ | 64.4 | $32 \cdot 2$ | 164.6 | $70 \cdot 2$ | $94 \cdot 4$ | $63 \cdot 1$ | $40 \cdot 0$ | 23.1 |
| 1952 | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 109.8 | 31.8 | 78.0 | 87.9 | 58.6 | 29.3 | 156.2 | $67 \cdot 7$ | 88.5 | 58.7 | 36.5 | $22 \cdot 2$ |
|  | December | ... |  | ... | 119.1 | $33 \cdot 0$ | $86 \cdot 1$ | $91 \cdot 5$ | 61.0 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 162.5 | 68.9 | $93 \cdot 6$ | $62 \cdot 4$ | 38.4 | 24.0 |
| 1953 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 121.1 | 33.2 | 87.9 | $92 \cdot 2$ | 61.4 | $30 \cdot 8$ | 163.9 | 68.9 | 95.0 | $62 \cdot 8$ | 38.7 | 24.1 |
|  | February | ... | ... | ... | 122.1 | $33 \cdot 4$ | $88 \cdot 7$ | $92 \cdot 8$ | 61.8 | 31.0 | 164.2 | 69.1 | 95.1 | $62 \cdot 9$ | 38.8 | 24.1 |
|  | March |  |  | ... | 122.6 | $33 \cdot 5$ | 89.1 | $93 \cdot 1$ | $61 \cdot 9$ | 31.2 | 164.4 | $69 \cdot 2$ | $95 \cdot 2$ | $63 \cdot 2$ | 38.8 | 24.4 |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 124.2 | $33 \cdot 6$ | $90 \cdot 6$ | 93.0 | $61 \cdot 8$ | 31.2 | 165.1 | 69.6 | 95.5 | $63 \cdot 4$ | 39.9 | 24.5 |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 124.8 | 33.7 | 91.1 | 92.9 | 61.7 | $31 \cdot 2$ | 164.9 | 69.7 | $95 \cdot 2$ | 63.5 | 38.8 | 24.7 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 124.6 | 33.7 | $90 \cdot 9$ | 92.6 | $61 \cdot 5$ | 31.1 | $164 \cdot 2$ | 69.7 | 94.5 | $63 \cdot 5$ | 38.8 | 24.7 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 124.6 | $33 \cdot 8$ | 90.8 | 92.8 | $61 \cdot 7$ | 31.1 | 164.0 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  |  | ... | 126.4 | $34 \cdot 2$ | 92.2 | 93.5 | $62 \cdot 1$ | 31.4 | 164.9 | 69.5 | 95.4 | $64 \cdot 2$ | 39.1 | $25 \cdot 1$ |
|  | September |  |  | $\ldots$ | 127.4 | 34.4 | $93 \cdot 0$ | 94.0 | $62 \cdot 3$ | 31.7 | 166.2 | 69.9 | $96 \cdot 3$ | $64 \cdot 5$ | 39.1 | $25 \cdot 4$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 128.1 | $34 \cdot 6$ | $93 \cdot 5$ | $94 \cdot 7$ | $62 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 0$ | 167.1 | 70.4 | $96 \cdot 7$ | $65 \cdot 2$ | 39.4 | $25 \cdot 8$ |

# LABOUR 

Food, drink and tobacco industries
TABLE 15
Estimated numbers of employees ${ }^{(1)}$
Thousands


TABLE 15 (continued)
Thousands


[^3]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] |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June |  |  | ... | 78.1 | $58 \cdot 5$ | 19.6 | $310 \cdot 6$ | 204.5 | 106.1 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 12.7 | 23.9 | 38.1 | 15.4 | 22.7 |
| 1949 June |  |  | $\ldots$ | $82 \cdot 2$ | 61.9 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 323.0 | 212.8 | $110 \cdot 2$ | $38 \cdot 8$ | 14.1 | 24.7 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 16.6 | $24 \cdot 1$ |
| 1950 June . |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 84.5 | 63.6 | 20.9 | 337.9 | 223.9 | 114.0 | 44.7 | 16.5 | $28 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 9$ | 16.5 | 26.4 |
| 195I June ... December |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 2 \\ & 89.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 0 \\ & 67 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 338 \cdot 3 \\ & 343 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 223 \cdot 1 \\ & 225 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.2 \\ & 118.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 3 \\ & 49 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 17.8 19.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 5 \\ & 30 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 2 \\ & 47 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 17.9 18.4 | 29.3 29.0 |
| 1952 June ... December |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 9 \\ & 80 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 5 \\ & 61 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.4 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 339.5 \\ & 336.3 \end{aligned}$ | $225 \cdot 3$ $225 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.2 \\ & 111.0 \end{aligned}$ | $43 \cdot 3$ $43 \cdot 8$ | 17.7 17.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $42 \cdot 2$ $42 \cdot 4$ | 17.1 17.1 | $25 \cdot 1$ $25 \cdot 3$ |
| 1953 January February March | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | ... <br> $\ldots$ <br> .. | 80.8 80.7 80.9 | 61.7 61.6 61.8 | 19.1 19.1 19.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 336.1 \\ & 335.5 \\ & 334.8 \end{aligned}$ | $225 \cdot 3$ 225.0 224.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 110.8 \\ & 110.5 \\ & 109.9 \end{aligned}$ | $43 \cdot 9$ $44 \cdot 2$ $44 \cdot 4$ | 17.9 18.1 18.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $42 \cdot 6$ 42.7 $42 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 2$ 17.3 17.3 | 25.4 25.4 25.5 |
| April... <br> May ... <br> June ... | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 81.4 81.8 82.2 | $62 \cdot 2$ $62 \cdot 4$ $62 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.2 \\ & 19.4 \\ & 19.6 \end{aligned}$ | 335.9 335.9 336.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 225 \cdot 6 \\ & 226 \cdot 0 \\ & 226 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110.3 \\ & 109.9 \\ & 109.9 \end{aligned}$ | $45 \cdot 1$ $45 \cdot 6$ $46 \cdot 3$ | 18.2 18.2 18.4 | $26 \cdot 9$ 27.4 $27 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 1$ $43 \cdot 0$ $43 \cdot 0$ | 17.4 17.4 17.4 | $25 \cdot 7$ $25 \cdot 6$ 25.6 |
| July ... <br> August <br> September |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 4 \\ & 83 \cdot 7 \\ & 84 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $62 \cdot 8$ $63 \cdot 6$ $64 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.6 \\ & 20.1 \\ & 20.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 336 \cdot 3 \\ & 339 \cdot 1 \\ & 339 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 226 \cdot 5 \\ & 227 \cdot 7 \\ & 227 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 109.8 <br> 111.4 <br> 111.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 46.9 \\ & 48.4 \\ & 49.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.6 \\ & 19.0 \\ & 19.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 29 \cdot 4 \\ & 30 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $43 \cdot 4$ $44 \cdot 8$ $45 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 17.7 \\ & 17.8 \end{aligned}$ | 26.0 27.1 27.7 |
| October <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $86 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 0$ | $21 \cdot 2$ | $341 \cdot 1$ | 228.2 | 112.9 | $50 \cdot 7$ | 19.6 | $31 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 8$ | 18.0 | $27 \cdot 8$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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

|  |  |  |  | Timber, sawmilling, etc. [170] |  |  | furniture and upholstery [i7] |  |  | Rubber[190] |  |  | Toys, games and sports requisites [193] |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 June ... |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $93 \cdot 7$ | $82 \cdot 6$ | 11.1 | $120 \cdot 8$ | 92.7 | 28.1 | $96 \cdot 5$ | 63.7 | $32 \cdot 8$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | 11.0 | $15 \cdot 3$ |
| 1949 June ... |  | ... | ... | $93 \cdot 6$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | $11 \cdot 3$ | $130 \cdot 8$ | $100 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 1$ | $93 \cdot 5$ | $60 \cdot 5$ | $33 \cdot 0$ | $30 \cdot 6$ | $12 \cdot 5$ | $18 \cdot 1$ |
| 1950 June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | $95 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 7$ | 11.5 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 99.6 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $102 \cdot 2$ | $66 \cdot 7$ | $35 \cdot 5$ | 31.4 | $12 \cdot 6$ | 18.8 |
| 1951 June ... |  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 94.7 | 82.9 | 11.8 | 138.9 | 105.9 | 33.0 | 111.0 | $72 \cdot 3$ | $38 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 0$ | 11.9 | $20 \cdot 1$ |
| December | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $97 \cdot 4$ | $85 \cdot 0$ | 12.4 | 127.9 | $97 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 4$ | 112.0 | $73 \cdot 5$ | $38 \cdot 5$ | 28.4 | $11 \cdot 1$ | $17 \cdot 3$ |
| I952 June ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | .. | $93 \cdot 2$ | $82 \cdot 0$ | $11 \cdot 2$ | $124 \cdot 2$ | 93.6 | $30 \cdot 6$ | $102.0$ | $68 \cdot 1$ | $33 \cdot 9$ | 25.9 | 9.8 | 16.1 |
| December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 93.4 | $82 \cdot 1$ | $11 \cdot 3$ | $130 \cdot 7$ | $97 \cdot 7$ | 33.0 | $103.4$ | $68 \cdot 7$ | $34 \cdot 7$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 5$ |
| 1953 January | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | ... | $93 \cdot 5$ | $82 \cdot 2$ | 11.3 | 130.4 | $97 \cdot 6$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | $103 \cdot 8$ | $68 \cdot 7$ | $35 \cdot 1$ | $27 \cdot 5$ | 10.2 | $17 \cdot 3$ |
| February | . | . | $\ldots$ | $93 \cdot 2$ | 81.9 | 11.3 | 129.6 | $97 \cdot 3$ | 32.3 | 104.1 | $68 \cdot 7$ | 35.4 | $27 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 5$ |
| March | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | ... | $93 \cdot 5$ | 82.1 | 11.4 | 129.1 | $96 \cdot 7$ | 32.4 | 103.9 | $68 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 3$ | 28.0 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 17.7 |
| April... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 93.9 | 82.4 | 11.5 | 130.0 | 97.4 | $32 \cdot 6$ | 104.5 | 69.1 | $35 \cdot 4$ | 28.4 | $10 \cdot 4$ | 18.0 |
| May ... | . | $\cdots$ | ... | 94.5 | $82 \cdot 9$ | 11.6 | 129.5 | $96 \cdot 9$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | - 104.5 | $69 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 3$ | 28.4 | 10.4 | 18.0 |
| June ... | , | . | $\ldots$ | 94.8 | $83 \cdot 2$ | 11.6 | 128.7 | $96 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | 105.1 | $69 \cdot 5$ | $35 \cdot 6$ | 28.9 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 18.4 |
|  | $\cdots$ |  | $\ldots$ | $95 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 5$ | 11.7 | 128.6 | $96 \cdot 1$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | $105 \cdot 1$ | 69.6 | $35 \cdot 5$ | 29.2 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $18 \cdot 7$ |
| August | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 95.9 | $84 \cdot 2$ | 11.7 | 131.4 | 98.1 | $33 \cdot 3$ | 106.6 | $70 \cdot 4$ | $36 \cdot 2$ | 30.4 | 10.8 | $19.6$ |
| September |  | ... | $\cdots$ | $96 \cdot 0$ | 84.1 | 11.9 | 134.0 | $99 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 2$ | 107.9 | 70.9 | $37 \cdot 0$ | 31.7 |  | $20 \cdot 8$ |
| October November December | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $96 \cdot 1$ | $84 \cdot 1$ | 12.0 | $136 \cdot 6$ | 101.4 | $35 \cdot 2$ | $110 \cdot 1$ | $72 \cdot 2$ | $37 \cdot 9$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | 11.0 | $21 \cdot 6$ |

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


TABLE 18 (continued)

|  |  |  |  | Wholesale distribution[242 and 244] |  |  | Retail distribution (excluding catering) <br> [243, 245 and 246] |  |  | Catering, hotels, etc. <br> [285] |  |  | Laundries, dry cleaning, job dyeing, carpet beating, etc. [286 and 287] |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1948 | June |  | ... | 393.0 | $246 \cdot 2$ | $146 \cdot 8$ | 1,386.6 | $636 \cdot 3$ | $750 \cdot 3$ | $683 \cdot 7$ | 191.8 | 491.9 | 193.7 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 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 | $483 \cdot 1$ | $190 \cdot 6$ | $43 \cdot 1$ | $147 \cdot 5$ |
| 1950 | June | ... | $\ldots$ | 404.4 | 261.4 | 143.0 | 1,458-0 | $655 \cdot 1$ | $802 \cdot 9$ | $680 \cdot 8$ | 192.5 | $488 \cdot 3$ | 193.8 | $43 \cdot 8$ | $150 \cdot 0$ |
| 1951 | June ... December |  |  | $427 \cdot 5$ $424 \cdot 4$ | $276 \cdot 6$ $276 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \cdot 9 \\ & 148 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,454 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,477 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 633 \cdot 5 \\ & 633 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $821 \cdot 4$ $843 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 679 \cdot 9 \\ & 638.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186.0 \\ & 174.0 \end{aligned}$ | 493.9 464.9 | 188.3 182.7 | $43 \cdot 0$ $42 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \cdot 3 \\ & 140 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | June ... December |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \cdot 8 \\ & 426.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 274 \cdot 9 \\ & 276 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147.9 \\ & 150.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,481 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,504 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 632 \cdot 0 \\ & 634 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 849 \cdot 1 \\ & 870 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 688 \cdot 0 \\ & 637 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 181.8 \\ & 173.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 506 \cdot 2 \\ & 46 \cdot 3 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \cdot 3 \\ & 174.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 141.8 \\ & 132.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March | ... $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 427.6 427.0 426.9 | 276.9 276.5 276.5 | 150.7 150.5 150.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,483 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,477 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,475 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 633.4 $632 \cdot 6$ 630.6 | $849 \cdot 8$ $845 \cdot 2$ 844.7 | 633.6 632.4 635.6 | 171.8 171.3 173.2 | $461 \cdot 8$ $461 \cdot 1$ $462 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 177.2 \\ & 178.1 \\ & 179.4 \end{aligned}$ | 42.4 42.6 42.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 134.8 \\ & 135.5 \\ & 136.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June | ... | ... <br> $\ldots$ <br> .. | $\begin{aligned} & 428 \cdot 9 \\ & 428 \cdot 5 \\ & 428 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 277 \cdot 2 \\ & 277 \cdot 2 \\ & 277 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 151.7 151.3 151.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,487 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,496 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,500 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 632.5 631.2 631.1 | $855 \cdot 1$ $865 \cdot 5$ 869.7 | 645.5 661.3 676.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 175.1 \\ & 179.1 \\ & 181.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 470 \cdot 4 \\ & 482 \cdot 2 \\ & 495 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 180.9 $180 \cdot 2$ 180.3 | $43 \cdot 0$ $42 \cdot 9$ $43 \cdot 0$ | 137.9 137.3 137.3 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 428.5 \\ & 432 \cdot 6 \\ & 433 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 277 \cdot 3 \\ & 279 \cdot 1 \\ & 279 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 151.2 153.5 154.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,508 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,519 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,510 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 633 \cdot 1 \\ & 635 \cdot 8 \\ & 633 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 875 \cdot 8 \\ & 883 \cdot 3 \\ & 877 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 681 \cdot 9 \\ & 681 \cdot 1 \\ & 657 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 182.5 \\ & 182.8 \\ & 176.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 499 \cdot 4 \\ & 498 \cdot 3 \\ & 480 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 181.7 \\ & 180.7 \\ & 177.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 5 \\ & 43 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138.2 \\ & 137.2 \\ & 135.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $434 \cdot 3$ | 279.8 | 154.5 | 1,523.1 | $634 \cdot 4$ | 888.7 | $649 \cdot 3$ | 176.7 | $472 \cdot 6$ | $176 \cdot 4$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | 134.2 |

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

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Numbers employed in agriculture
TABLE 19
Thousands

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ 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.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ 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

England and Wales
Source : Agricultural Departments

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Men |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Primary } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { secondary } \\ & \text { schools } \end{aligned}$ | Special schools | Further education | Training colleges | Total | Primary and secondary schools( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Special schools | Further education | Training colleges |
| 1946 | July I | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $190 \cdot 5$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | 0.5 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $0 \cdot 3$ | 129.8 | 127-2 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 0.8 | 0.5 |
| 1947 | July I | ... | ... | $200 \cdot 0$ | $70 \cdot 9$ | $65 \cdot 2$ | 0.5 | $4 \cdot 4$ | 0.7 | 129.1 | 126.1 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 0.7 |
| 1948 | June I |  | ... | 211.0 | 78.5 | 71.9 | 0.6 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 1.0 | 132.5 | 129.1 | $1 \cdot 5$ | $1 \cdot 1$ | 0.9 |
| 1949 | June I |  | $\ldots$ | 219.2 | 83.6 | $76 \cdot 2$ | 0.7 | 5.9 | 0.8 | 135.6 | 131.6 | 1.7 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.0 |
| 1950 | February I... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 223.8 | 86.5 | 78.4 | 0.8 | 6.6 | 0.8 | 137.3 | 133.1 | 1.8 | 1.4 | $1 \cdot 1$ |
|  | June I |  | ... | 226.0 | 88.0 | 79.9 | $0 \cdot 8$ | 6.7 | 0.7 | 138.0 | 133.7 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.1 |
|  | October 1. |  | ... | $230 \cdot 8$ | 91.4 | 82.9 | 0.9 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 0.5 | 139.4 | 134.9 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
| 1951 | February 1... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 231.8 | $92 \cdot 2$ | $83 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  | 1.9 |  |  |
|  | June I |  | ... | 232.5 | 92.4 | 83.7 | 1.0 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 0.4 | $140 \cdot 1$ | 135.6 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.0 |
|  | October I |  | ... | 237.9 | 94.8 | $85 \cdot 6$ |  | $7 \cdot 8$ | 0.4 | 143.1 |  | 2.0 | 1.6 |  |
| 1952 | February I... |  | $\ldots$ | 238.7 | 95.1 | $85 \cdot 6$ | 1.1 | 8.0 | 0.4 | 143.5 | 138.8 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.6 | 1.0 |
|  | October I ... |  | ... | 243.9 | $97 \cdot 2$ | $87 \cdot 2$ | 1.1 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 0.4 | 146.7 | 141.9 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.1 |
| 1953 | February 1... |  | $\ldots$ | 244.5 | 97.4 | $87 \cdot 3$ | 1.1 | 8.6 | 0.4 | 147.1 | $142 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $1 \cdot 7$ | 1.0 |
|  | October I ... | ... | ... | $250 \cdot 7$ | 100.1 | $89 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 9.1 | 0.4 | $150 \cdot 6$ | 145.7 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 1.7 | 1.0 |

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

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

|  |  |  | Total |  |  | Males |  |  | Females |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Whole-time | Part-time | Total ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Whole-time | Part-time | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Whole-time | Part-time |
| 1939 | April 1 | . | $387 \cdot 4$ | $374 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | $289 \cdot 0$ | 279.4 | $19 \cdot 2$ | 98.4 | 94.9 | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| 1947 | July I | ... | 700.2 | 678.5 | $43 \cdot 2$ | $430 \cdot 4$ | $423 \cdot 7$ | 13.4 | $269 \cdot 7$ | $254 \cdot 8$ | 29.8 |
| 1948 | July I | $\ldots$ | $715 \cdot 3$ | 694.9 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $447 \cdot 3$ | $440 \cdot 7$ | 13.2 | $268 \cdot 0$ | $254 \cdot 2$ | 27.6 |
| 1949 | July I | $\ldots$ | $697 \cdot 4$ | $675 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 1$ | $448 \cdot 8$ | $442 \cdot 5$ | 12.6 | $248 \cdot 6$ | $232 \cdot 8$ | 31.5 |
| 1950 | July I | ... | $679 \cdot 5$ | 659.2 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $448 \cdot 5$ | $442 \cdot 5$ | 12.0 | 231.0 | 216.7 | 28.8 |
| 1951 | January I |  | 675.1 | $655 \cdot 2$ | 39.7 | $447 \cdot 9$ | $442 \cdot 1$ | 11.6 | $227 \cdot 2$ | 213.1 | 28.2 |
|  | April I | $\ldots$ | $675 \cdot 4$ | $655 \cdot 2$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | $447 \cdot 7$ | $441 \cdot 8$ | 11.7 | 227.8 | 213.4 | $28 \cdot 8$ |
|  | July I | ... | 679.3 | $658 \cdot 8$ | 41.0 | $448 \cdot 5$ | $442 \cdot 6$ | 11.8 | $230 \cdot 8$ | $216 \cdot 2$ | 29.2 |
|  | October I |  | $685 \cdot 4$ | $664 \cdot 7$ | $41 \cdot 6$ | 452.1 | $446 \cdot 1$ | 12.0 | $233 \cdot 3$ | 218.5 | 29.6 |
| 1952 | January I |  | 688.4 | $667 \cdot 8$ | $41 \cdot 3$ $41 \cdot 3$ | $455 \cdot 2$ | $449 \cdot 3$ | 11.9 | $233 \cdot 2$ | - 218.5 | 29.5 |
|  | April I | ... | $684 \cdot 0$ | $663 \cdot 4$ | 41.3 | $453 \cdot 3$ | $447 \cdot 3$ | 11.9 | $230 \cdot 7$ | 216.0 | 29.4 |
|  | July I | ... | 678.0 673.7 | $657 \cdot 7$ 653.5 | $40 \cdot 7$ $40 \cdot 4$ | $450 \cdot 8$ 449.7 | $444 \cdot 9$ | 11.8 | $227 \cdot 2$ | $212 \cdot 7$ | 28.9 |
|  | October I |  | $673 \cdot 7$ | $653 \cdot 5$ | $40 \cdot 4$ | $449 \cdot 7$ | $443 \cdot 8$ | 11.7 | 224.0 | 209.6 | 28.7 |
| 1953 |  |  |  | 649.1 | 38.9 39 |  | $442 \cdot 4$ | 11.3 | $220 \cdot 5$ | 206.7 | $27 \cdot 6$ |
|  | April I | $\ldots$ | $666 \cdot 1$ | $646 \cdot 2$ | 39.9 | $448 \cdot 0$ | $442 \cdot 2$ | 11.6 | 218.1 | $204 \cdot 0$ | $28 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July I | $\cdots$ | $663 \cdot 0$ | $643 \cdot 0$ | $39 \cdot 9$ | $447 \cdot 2$ | $441 \cdot 3$ | 11.9 | $215 \cdot 7$ | $201 \cdot 7$ | 28.1 |
|  | October I |  | $660 \cdot 5$ | $640 \cdot 8$ | 39.4 | $446 \cdot 7$ | $440 \cdot 8$ | 11.7 | 213.9 | $200 \cdot 0$ | $27 \cdot 6$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 <br> of Works | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Board } \\ & \text { of } \\ & \text { Trade } \end{aligned}$ | Ministry of Pensions | Ministry of National Insurance $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Other <br> Departments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1939 | April I | 52.4 | 196.2 | $25 \cdot 0$ | 15.0 | - | $28 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 4.8 | 3.0 | - | $2 \cdot 6$ | $53 \cdot 7$ |
| 1947 | July 1 | $143 \cdot 3$ | $244 \cdot 1$ | $47 \cdot 7$ | 12.3 | 53.6 | 39.0 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 14.7 | 12.0 | 14.4 | 6.4 | 92.4 |
| 1948 | July I | 126.3 | $247 \cdot 2$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | $13 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 2$ | $36 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 1$ | 14.1 | 11.8 | 33.9 | 17.7 | $95 \cdot 7$ |
| 1949 | July I ... | 124.6 | $246 \cdot 4$ | $47 \cdot 5$ | 14.2 | 37.9 | 31.9 | 18.4 | 11.3 | 11.7 | $37 \cdot 4$ | 18.2 | 97.8 |
| 1950 | July I | 122.3 | $249 \cdot 9$ | $50 \cdot 3$ | 14.4 | 28.7 | 29.2 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 10.1 | 10.8 | $35 \cdot 1$ | 16.4 | 95.0 |
| 1951 | January I | 124.3 | 249.5 | 52.4 | 14.5 | 25.9 | 27.9 | 16.6 | 10.1 | $10 \cdot 7$ | 34.8 | $15 \cdot 6$ | 92.9 |
|  | April 1 | 126.0 | $248 \cdot 9$ | $53 \cdot 0$ | 14.6 | $25 \cdot 8$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | 34.6 | 15.3 | 93.0 |
|  | July I | 128.7 | 248.9 | 53.6 | 14.6 | $26 \cdot 7$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | 16.1 | 9.9 | 10.1 | 34.4 | 15.0 | 93.4 |
|  | October I ... |  | $251 \cdot 2$ | 54.0 | 14.8 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 16.0 | 8.4 | 9.7 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 15.0 | 95.4 |
| 1952 | January I | 136.4 | 252.9 | 53.9 | 14.8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April I .. | 138.8 | 252.6 | 53.2 | 14.8 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 6$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 33.4 | 14.3 | 91.5 |
|  | July I | 137.9 | 251.6 | $52 \cdot 7$ | 14.7 | 24.7 | 26.7 | 15.1 | 8.1 | 9.3 | $33 \cdot 2$ | 14.1 | 89.9 |
|  | October I ... | 137.4 | $250 \cdot 6$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | 14.7 | 23.8 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 14.9 | $7 \cdot 9$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 33.1 | 13.9 | 89.2 |
| 1953 | January $1 .$. | 138.0 | 248.9 | $52 \cdot 0$ | 14.7 | 22.7 | 25.9 | 14.7 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 9.0 | 32.7 | 13.8 | 88.3 |
|  | April I ... | 137.8 | $249 \cdot 6$ | 51.7 | 14.9 | 21.4 | 25.4 | 14.5 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 8.9 | $32 \cdot 7$ | 13.6 | 88.0 |
|  | July I ... | $137 \cdot 6$ | $250 \cdot 3$ | 51.4 | 14.9 | $20 \cdot 0$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | 14.4 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $32 \cdot 4$ | 13.3 | 87.4 |
|  | October 1... | 138.7 | 249.7 | 51.7 | 14.9 | 18.7 | 25.1 | 14.2 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 37 | $9\left(^{5}\right)$ | 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.

## LABOUR

Registered unemployed in the United Kingdom( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 23
Thousands

|  |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | Great Britain |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total |  |  | Total |  |  | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  | Temporarily stopped |  |
|  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females |
| 1938 1939 | Monthly averages | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,786 \cdot 5 \\ & 1,480 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,374 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,123 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 412 \cdot 4 \\ & 357 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,699 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,408 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,317 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,071 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 382 \cdot 8 \\ & 336.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,081 \cdot 6 \\ 934 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 246.5 \\ & 258.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235 \cdot 5 \\ & 137.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 136.3 \\ 78.4 \end{array}$ |
| 1947 |  | $\cdots$ | 498.3 | $363 \cdot 6$ | 134.7 | $468 \cdot 3$ | $337 \cdot 6$ | $130 \cdot 7$ | 234.9 | 78.8 | 102.7 | 51.9 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $338 \cdot 0$ 341.1 281.4 462.5 | 249.9 241.1 182.3 254.7 | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \cdot 1 \\ 100 \cdot 0 \\ 99 \cdot 1 \\ 297.8 \end{array}$ | $308 \cdot 0$ $314 \cdot 2$ $252 \cdot 9$ 414.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \cdot 0 \\ & 220 \cdot 1 \\ & 161 \cdot 5 \\ & 227 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 80 \cdot 0 \\ 94.1 \\ 91.4 \\ 186.4 \end{array}$ | 223.2 215.0 153.4 196.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 76.9 \\ 90.6 \\ 83.6 \\ 132.6 \end{array}$ | 4.8 5.1 8.1 31.7 | $\begin{array}{r} 3.1 \\ 3.5 \\ 7.8 \\ 53.8 \end{array}$ |
| 1951 | October 15 <br> November 12 <br> December 10 ... | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 289.8 323.0 342.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 169.0 \\ & 188.7 \\ & 198.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.8 \\ & 134.3 \\ & 143.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 263 \cdot 8 \\ & 290 \cdot 5 \\ & 303 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 152.9 \\ & 168.5 \\ & 175.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110.9 \\ & 122.0 \\ & 127.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140.2 \\ & 152.5 \\ & 158.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 94.3 \\ 101.7 \\ 100.8 \end{array}$ | 12.7 16.0 16.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 6 \\ & 20 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January 14 <br> February II <br> March 17 | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 425 \cdot 9 \\ & 446 \cdot 6 \\ & 479 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 243 \cdot 6 \\ & 256 \cdot 0 \\ & 252 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 182 \cdot 3 \\ & 190.6 \\ & 227 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 378 \cdot 7 \\ & 393 \cdot 5 \\ & 433 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216 \cdot 4 \\ & 224 \cdot 9 \\ & 230 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 162.3 \\ & 168.6 \\ & 203.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 192.4 \\ & 199.5 \\ & 193.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122.6 \\ & 126.6 \\ & 135.4 \end{aligned}$ | 24.0 25.4 36.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 0 \\ & 67.6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 21 May 12 June 16 | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 517.6 518.6 489.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 265 \cdot 6 \\ & 261 \cdot 8 \\ & 249 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 252 \cdot 0 \\ & 256 \cdot 8 \\ & 240 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 467.9 $467 \cdot 4$ $440 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \cdot 6 \\ & 235 \cdot 1 \\ & 223 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $225 \cdot 3$ $232 \cdot 3$ $217 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190.7 \\ & 181.4 \\ & 169.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134.4 \\ & 138.9 \\ & 126.3 \end{aligned}$ | 51.9 53.7 53.2 | 90.9 93.4 90.7 |
|  | July 14 <br> August II <br> September 15 | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 453 \cdot 8 \\ & 449 \cdot 2 \\ & 434 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 238 \cdot 1 \\ & 246 \cdot 7 \\ & 239.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \cdot 7 \\ & 202 \cdot 5 \\ & 194 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 393.5 \\ & 403.6 \\ & 389.6 \end{aligned}$ | $210 \cdot 0$ 221.3 214.3 | 183.5 182.3 175.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 172.0 \\ & 194.1 \\ & 191.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.4 \\ & 131.8 \\ & 134.8 \end{aligned}$ | $38 \cdot 0$ 27.2 22.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 1 \\ & 50 \cdot 5 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 13 <br> November 10 <br> December 8 ... | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 439 \cdot 8 \\ & 450 \cdot 3 \\ & 445 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 253 \cdot 8 \\ & 269 \cdot 1 \\ & 280 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186.0 \\ & 181.2 \\ & 164.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 397 \cdot 9 \\ & 406 \cdot 4 \\ & 399 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \cdot 2 \\ & 240 \cdot 0 \\ & 248 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169.7 \\ & 166.4 \\ & 150.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 210 \cdot 2 \\ & 224 \cdot 9 \\ & 233 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \cdot 5 \\ & 145 \cdot 2 \\ & 134.1 \end{aligned}$ | 18.0 15.1 15.2 | 29.2 21.2 16.7 |
| 1953 | January 12 <br> February 16 <br> March 16 | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 503 \cdot 3 \\ & 475.5 \\ & 438.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 322 \cdot 4 \\ & 305 \cdot 2 \\ & 280 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 180.9 \\ & 170.3 \\ & 158.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 452.5 \\ & 428.8 \\ & 397.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \cdot 2 \\ & 272 \cdot 6 \\ & 251 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165.3 \\ & 156.2 \\ & 145.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 265 \cdot 6 \\ & 248 \cdot 3 \\ & 224 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 148.1 \\ & 139.7 \\ & 133.5 \end{aligned}$ | 21.6 24.3 26.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 17.2 \\ & 16.5 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April 13 <br> May 11 <br> June 15 | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 415 \cdot 5 \\ & 378 \cdot 0 \\ & 334 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 267 \cdot 7 \\ & 241 \cdot 7 \\ & 220 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147.8 \\ & 136.3 \\ & 114.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 375 \cdot 8 \\ & 340 \cdot 3 \\ & 297 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \cdot 4 \\ & 214 \cdot 3 \\ & 193 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136.4 \\ & 126.0 \\ & 104 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 220.0 \\ & 199.0 \\ & 178.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 126.2 \\ 117.7 \\ 97.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 15.3 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | 10.2 8.3 7.2 |
|  | July 13 <br> August 10 <br> September 14 | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 307 \cdot 4 \\ & 327 \cdot 3 \\ & 323 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 205 \cdot 4 \\ & 215 \cdot 3 \\ & 206 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.0 \\ & 112.0 \\ & 116.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 272 \cdot 7 \\ & 293 \cdot 5 \\ & 292 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 179.7 \\ & 190.9 \\ & 184.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 93.0 \\ 102.6 \\ 107.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \cdot 0 \\ & 184 \cdot 6 \\ & 177.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 87.3 \\ 97.8 \\ 103.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \\ & 6 \cdot 3 \\ & 7 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 5.7 4.8 4.2 |
|  | October 12 <br> November 16. <br> December | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 339.5 \\ & 358.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \cdot 0 \\ & 229 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124.5 \\ & 128.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 309 \cdot 0 \\ & 322 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193 \cdot 6 \\ & 203.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.4 \\ & 119.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187.1 \\ & 196.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111.8 \\ & 114.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 5 \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3.6 \\ 4.4 \end{array}$ |

$\left.{ }^{1}{ }^{1}\right)$ Up to June 1948 the figures relate only to unemployed persons insured
Source : Ministry of Labour and National Service 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( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 24
Analysis by regions

| Thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | London and South Eastern | Eastern | Southern | South Western | Midland | North Midland | East and West Ridings | North Western | Northern | Scotland | Wales | Northern Ireland |
| 1939 | July 10 | 184.9 | $35 \cdot 9$ | 18.7 | $30 \cdot 2$ | $80 \cdot 8$ | $68 \cdot 9$ | 116.0 | $259 \cdot 3$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 171.8 | $98 \cdot 6$ | 66.4 |
| 1947 | .... ... | 68.7 | 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 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | Monthly averages | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 2 \\ & 55 \cdot 7 \\ & 45 \cdot 7 \\ & 66 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.6 \\ & 12.8 \\ & 10.1 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.8 \\ & 13.7 \\ & 10.8 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.7 \\ & 12.6 \\ & 16.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.2 \\ 9.9 \\ 8.5 \\ 18.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.4 \\ 8.5 \\ 7.3 \\ 14.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 16.6 \\ & 16.2 \\ & 34.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 48 \cdot 9 \\ 47 \cdot 3 \\ 35 \cdot 8 \\ 107 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 34 \cdot 9 \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \\ & 32 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 1 \\ & 64 \cdot 7 \\ & 53 \cdot 4 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36.4 \\ & 34.4 \\ & 25.0 \\ & 26.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \\ & 28 \cdot 5 \\ & 48 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ) ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | October 15 November 12 December 10 | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 7 \\ & 57 \cdot 4 \\ & 58 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.9 \\ 10.1 \\ 11.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 14.1 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.4 \\ 10.4 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.2 \\ 9.5 \\ 12.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 3 \\ & 24 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 3 \\ & 41 \cdot 6 \\ & 43 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 7 \\ & 29 \cdot 4 \\ & 29 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 1 \\ & 56 \cdot 3 \\ & 60 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 25 \cdot 3 \\ & 25 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26.0 \\ & 32.5 \\ & 39.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January 14 <br> February 11 <br> March 17 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 71.7 \\ & 69.7 \\ & 69.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 17.4 \\ & 17.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.2 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 15.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 17.9 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.0 \\ & 12.6 \\ & 16.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.8 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 33.4 \\ & 39.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 59.7 \\ 71.5 \\ 111.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36.5 \\ & 35.4 \\ & 33.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 0 \\ & 75 \cdot 9 \\ & 69 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 2 \\ & 53 \cdot 1 \\ & 46 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April 21 <br> May 12 <br> June 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 5 \\ & 63 \cdot 0 \\ & 60 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.4 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 11.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 15.4 \\ & 13.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.0 \\ & 19.4 \\ & 19.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.8 \\ & 18.6 \\ & 15.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \cdot 0 \\ & 46 \cdot 6 \\ & 41 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143.4 \\ & 150.7 \\ & 145.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \\ & 29 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 3 \\ & 66 \cdot 2 \\ & 68 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 24 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 49.751.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July 14 August II... September 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 58.0 \\ & 61.8 \\ & 59.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \cdot 7 \\ & 12 \cdot 7 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.3 \\ & 11.0 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 14.1 \\ & 15.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.3 \\ & 19.3 \\ & 19.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.5 \\ & 13.9 \\ & 12.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 4 \\ & 31 \cdot 3 \\ & 30 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117.2 \\ & 117.2 \\ & 105.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 5 \\ & 31 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 7 \\ & 65 \cdot 7 \\ & 66 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.5 \\ & 24.8 \\ & 25.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 3 \\ & 45 \cdot 6 \\ & 44 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October 13 November 10 December 8 | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 9 \\ & 76 \cdot 1 \\ & 75.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.6 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.7 \\ & 15.8 \\ & 15.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 8 \\ & 20 \cdot 1 \\ & 20 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 9 \\ & 20 \cdot 7 \\ & 20 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.8 \\ & 10.6 \\ & 10.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 7 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 3 \\ & 89 \cdot 5 \\ & 81 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 1 \\ & 32 \cdot 6 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 1 \\ & 72 \cdot 1 \\ & 73 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 0 \\ & 27 \cdot 3 \\ & 27 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 41.943.945.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January $12 \ldots$ February 16 March 16 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 2 \\ & 78 \cdot 8 \\ & 71 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 8 \\ & 20 \cdot 7 \\ & 17 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 3 \\ & 17 \cdot 2 \\ & 15 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 9 \\ & 21 \cdot 8 \\ & 20 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 7 \\ & 27 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.1 \\ 11.3 \\ 9.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 3 \\ & 24 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 8 \\ & 80 \cdot 3 \\ & 71 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 6 \\ & 34 \cdot 3 \\ & 31 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81.5 \\ & 77.4 \\ & 72.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 6 \\ & 33 \cdot 5 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 50.846.711.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April 13 May II June 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 2 \\ & 61 \cdot 0 \\ & 54 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 13.6 \\ & 10.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 0 \\ & 13 \cdot 1 \\ & 10 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.1 \\ & 16.8 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 3 \\ & 23 \cdot 7 \\ & 20 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.9 \\ & 9.2 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 0 \\ & 22 \cdot 3 \\ & 19 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 8 \\ & 60 \cdot 7 \\ & 53 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 1 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 2 \\ & 62 \cdot 9 \\ & 56 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 0 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \\ & 25 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 7 \\ & 37 \cdot 7 \\ & 36 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July 13 <br> August 10 <br> September 14 | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 8 \\ & 52 \cdot 0 \\ & 51 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.4 \\ 10.2 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.1 \\ 10.2 \\ 10.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 18.9 \\ & 17.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.1 \\ & 8.2 \\ & 7.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 19.4 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48.6 \\ & 52.4 \\ & 51.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 2 \\ & 27 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 8 \\ & 56 \cdot 0 \\ & 56 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 25 \cdot 6 \\ & 24.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 8 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October 12 <br> November 16 <br> December... | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 2 \\ & 65 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.1 \\ & 12.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.8 \\ & 14.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.3 \\ & 15 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 19.9 | 51.8 | 28.0 | $57 \cdot 1$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8.1 | 19.8 | 52.0 | 29.9 | $61 \cdot 5$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 6$ |
| Percentage rate of unemployment at November 16( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | $1 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.5 | $1 \cdot 8$ | 0.7 | 0.6 | $1 \cdot 1$ | $1 \cdot 8$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 9$ | $2 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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

Analysis by duration of unemployment
TABLE 25

|  |  |  |  | Males |  |  |  |  | Females |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  |  | Temporarily stopped | Total | Married women | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  |  | Temporarily stopped |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2 weeks or less | $\left\|\begin{array}{c}\text { Over 2 } \\ \text { but not } \\ \text { more than } \\ 8 \text { weeks }\end{array}\right\|$ | More than 8 weeks |  |  |  | 2 weeks or less | $\|$Over 2 <br> but not <br> more than <br> 8 weeks | More than 8 weeks |  |
| 1948 | July $12 \ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | $215 \cdot 0$ | 49.9 | $46 \cdot 7$ | 114.2 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $67 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | 24.5 | 14.1 | 24.0 | $4 \cdot 6$ |
| 1949 | July II ... |  | ... | 185.6 | $45 \cdot 9$ | 38.9 | 97.5 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $57 \cdot 4$ | $27 \cdot 0$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | 12.5 | 21.7 | $2 \cdot 9$ |
| 1950 | July $10 \ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 196.3 | $47 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | 98.8 | 5.9 | $75 \cdot 7$ | 36.7 | 24.6 | 18.9 | 27.9 | $4 \cdot 3$ |
| 1951 | July 16 |  | $\ldots$ | 122.4 | 31.8 | $24 \cdot 5$ | $60 \cdot 1$ | 6.0 | 63.4 | 30.8 | $22 \cdot 0$ | 15.8 | 21.3 | $4 \cdot 3$ |
| 1951 | October 15 <br> November 12 <br> December 10 |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 152.9 \\ & 168.5 \\ & 175.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 1 \\ & 48 \cdot 0 \\ & 45 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $36 \cdot 8$ $42 \cdot 8$ $47 \cdot 2$ | $58 \cdot 3$ 61.7 $66 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ | 110.9 122.0 127.5 | $50 \cdot 6$ 55.1 55.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \cdot 9 \\ & 38 \cdot 1 \\ & 30 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $31 \cdot 1$ $36 \cdot 7$ $37 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \\ & 32 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \cdot 6 \\ & 20.3 \\ & 26 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January 14 February II March 17 |  | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216 \cdot 4 \\ & 224.9 \\ & 230 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 8 \\ & 55 \cdot 6 \\ & 55 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 58.4 $60 \cdot 0$ 51.4 | 76.2 83.9 86.8 | 24.0 25.4 $36 \cdot 8$ | 162.3 168.6 203.0 | $65 \cdot 0$ 72.4 88.5 | $46 \cdot 0$ $38 \cdot 2$ $43 \cdot 9$ | $35 \cdot 3$ $43 \cdot 1$ 41.7 | 41.3 $45 \cdot 3$ 49.8 | 39.7 42.0 67.6 |
|  | April 21 <br> May $12 \ldots$ <br> June 16 |  | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $242 \cdot 6$ $235 \cdot 1$ $223 \cdot 1$ | $52 \cdot 6$ $52 \cdot 9$ $49 \cdot 2$ | $50 \cdot 8$ 44.1 44.4 | $87 \cdot 3$ 84.4 $76 \cdot 3$ | 51.9 53.7 53.2 | $225 \cdot 3$ $232 \cdot 3$ $217 \cdot 0$ | 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 $52 \cdot 7$ 48.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 9 \\ & 93.4 \\ & 90.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 14 <br> August II <br> September 15 |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $210 \cdot 0$ 221.3 214.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 48.8 \\ & 54.9 \\ & 57.6 \end{aligned}$ | 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 | $86 \cdot 2$ 79.5 $83 \cdot 2$ | 34.3 41.7 $43 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 4$ $38 \cdot 3$ $42 \cdot 3$ | 51.7 51.8 48.7 | 63.1 50.5 40.5 |
|  | October 13 <br> November 10 <br> December 8 |  | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \cdot 2 \\ & 240 \cdot 0 \\ & 248 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $63 \cdot 9$ 63.4 $60 \cdot 6$ | $57 \cdot 6$ $67 \cdot 0$ 70.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 88.7 \\ 94.5 \\ 102.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.0 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 15.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169.7 \\ & 166.4 \\ & 150.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 82 \cdot 4 \\ & 74 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 2 \\ & 43 \cdot 0 \\ & 32 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $44 \cdot 2$ $48 \cdot 3$ $45 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 1 \\ & 53 \cdot 9 \\ & 56 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 29.2 21.2 16.7 |
| 1953 | January 12 <br> February 16 <br> March 16 | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \cdot 2 \\ & 272 \cdot 6 \\ & 251 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72 \cdot 6 \\ & 61 \cdot 5 \\ & 53 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 78.1 $70 \cdot 3$ 56.7 | 114.9 116.5 114.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 6 \\ & 24 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 165.3 156.2 145.9 | 75.8 75.3 73.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 47.5 \\ & 34.7 \\ & 36 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 38.0 45.6 38.5 | 62.6 59.4 59.0 | 17.2 16.5 12.4 |
|  | April 13 <br> May 11 ... <br> June 15 |  | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \cdot 4 \\ & 214 \cdot 3 \\ & 193 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 54.8 51.6 $45 \cdot 1$ | $53 \cdot 7$ $45 \cdot 2$ $42 \cdot 9$ | $\begin{array}{r} 111.5 \\ 102.2 \\ 90.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 15.3 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | 136.4 126.0 104.2 | $66 \cdot 2$ 64.8 54.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 6 \\ & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $33 \cdot 8$ $32 \cdot 3$ 25.8 | $55 \cdot 8$ $50 \cdot 7$ $42 \cdot 8$ | 10.2 8.3 7.2 |
|  | July $13 \ldots$ <br> August 10 <br> September 14 |  | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 179.7 \\ & 190.9 \\ & 184.2 \end{aligned}$ | $46 \cdot 7$ $51 \cdot 7$ $53 \cdot 7$ | 36.1 $46 \cdot 6$ $43 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 2 \\ & 86 \cdot 3 \\ & 80 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9.7 $6 \cdot 3$ $7 \cdot 2$ | 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 | 38.7 34.9 32.6 | 5.7 4.8 4.2 |
|  | October 12 <br> November 16 <br> December |  | .. | $\begin{aligned} & 193.6 \\ & 203.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 2 \\ & 55 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48.5 \\ & 55.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 4 \\ & 86 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 5 \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.4 \\ & 119.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 9 \\ & 60 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 8 \\ & 37 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34 \cdot 7 \\ 37 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 3 \\ & 40 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 3.6 4.4 |

## Registered unemployed in Great Britain

## Analysis by industries


${ }^{(1)}$ 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.

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures of both filled and unfilled vacancies relate only to vacancies 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.

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ 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.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 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 <br> Sickness: New claims and persons absent from work 

TABLE 29
Thousands


[^4]Source : Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

Injury : New claims and persons absent from work
TABLE 30

(1) Including prescribed industrial disease.

Source : Ministry of Pensions and National Insurance

[^5]
# IV. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION <br> Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Average $1948=100$ 

TABLE 31

|  | TOTAL All industries | Mining and quarrying | Total manufacturing industries | Manufacturing industries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Non-metalliferous mining manufactures |  |  |  | Metals, engineering and vehicles |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { China } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { earthen- } \\ & \text { ware } \end{aligned}$ | Glass | Bricks, cement, etc. | Total | Metal manufacture |  | Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods | Vehicles | Metal goods not included elsewhere | Precision instruments, jewellery, etc. |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Ferrous | Nonferrous |  |  |  |  |
| $1946\left({ }^{2}\right) .$. | 87 | 92 | 86 | 79 | 73 | 81 | 80 | 84 | 83 | 89 | 81 | 87 | 90 | 84 |
| 1947 (2)... | 92 | 95 | 92 | 91 | 83 | 87 | 95 | 92 | 87 | 102 | 92 | 91 | 96 | 98 |
| 1948 ... | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| 1949 ... | 106 | 103 | 107 | 105 | 105 | 107 | 104 | 106 | 105 | 94 | 106 | 111 | 100 | 107 |
| 1950 ... | 114 | 104 | 116 | 111 | 109 | 113 | 111 | 114 | 110 | 102 | 116 | 121 | 105 | 110 |
| 1951 ... | 117 | 108 | 121 | 116 | 114 | 122 | 115 | 122 | 115 | 116 | 127 | 124 | 113 | 113 |
| 1952 ... | 114 | 109 | 115 | 115 | 108 | 105 | 121 | 122 | 118 | 116 | 127 | 124 | 111 | 100 |
| 1951 July ... | 111 | 98 | 114 | 112 | 103 | 120 | 111 | 117 | 107 | 111 | 122 | 119 | 105 | 105 |
| August ... | 104 | 87 | 107 | 105 | 90 | 118 | 105 | 106 | 97 | 93 | 113 | 107 | 93 | 95 |
| September | 121 | 112 | 124 | 119 | 114 | 119 | 121 | 129 | 119 | 124 | 136 | 128 | 119 | 118 |
| October... | 121 | 113 | 125 | 126 | 118 | 139 | 123 | 129 | 118 | 127 | 134 | 132 | 119 | 117 |
| November | 123 | 116 | 126 | 125 | 120 | 136 | 123 | 131 | 121 | 126 | 137 | 133 | 120 | 117 |
| December | 113 | 109 | 115 | 114 | 110 | 118 | 114 | 120 | 112 | 117 | 128 | 117 | 108 | 105 |
| 1952 January ... | 117 | 111 | 120 122 | 120 |  |  |  |  | 117 118 |  |  |  |  |  |
| February | 120 123 | 116 118 | 122 125 | 121 123 | 117 119 | 126 126 | 121 124 | 128 134 | 118 123 | 127 130 | 136 144 | 126 131 | 117 120 | 106 107 |
| March ... | 123 | 118 | 125 | 123 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 110 | 106 | 112 | 113 | 104 | 109 | 117 | 120 | 117 | 122 | 123 | 124 | 110 | 92 |
| May $\quad .$. | 117 | - 112 | 120 | 119 | 114 | 103 | 126 | 128 | 125 | 124 | 130 | 136 | 117 | 99 |
| June $\quad .$. | 112 | 106 | 113 | 113 | 107 | 91 | 122 | 122 | 122 | 116 | 126 | 125 | 110 | 95 |
| July ... | 101 | 94 | 102 | 108 | 95 | 94 | 116 | 108 |  | 103 |  | 111 |  | 89 |
| August ... | 98 | 94 | -97 | 101 | 85 | 85 | 111 128 | 100 124 | 101 124 | 103 117 | 104 127 | 97 126 | 94 115 | 84 105 |
| September | 115 | 114 | 116 | 116 | 106 | 91 |  |  | 124 |  | 127 |  |  |  |
|  | 119 | 117 | 121 | 121 | 115 | 107 | 128 | 127 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| November | 123 | 117 | 124 | 120 | 117 | 103 | 128 | 130 | 127 | 115 | 137 124 | 132 128 | 115 102 | 111 98 |
| December | 112 | 104 | 113 | 110 | 102 | 102 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 January ... | 118 | 118 | 119 | 118 | 111 | 106 | 124 | 124 | 127 | 101 | 129 | 128 | 109 |  |
| February | 122 | 116 | 123 | 118 | 108 | 108 | 124 | 127 | 125 | 103 | 132 | 139 | 109 | 98 101 |
| March ... | 124 | 115 | 126 | 121 | 107 | 112 | 128 | 129 | 120 | 97 | 135 | 140 | 109 |  |
| April ... | 118 | 111 | 119 | 115 | 101 | 112 | 120 | 120 | 122 | 90 | 124 | 132 | 100 | 98 |
| May ... | 123 | 110 | 127 | 120 | 107 | 112 | 127 | 128 | 121 | 92 | 134 | 146 | 100 | 104 |
| June... | 118 | 105 | 121 | 118 | 107 | 106 | 125 | 121 | 115 | 97 | 126 | 134 | 97 | 104 |
| July ... | 110 | 85 | 113 |  |  | 118 | 120 | 112 | 102 |  |  |  | 90 |  |
| August .... | 106 | 92 | 106 | 110 | 86 |  | 117 | 103 130 | 99 122 | 81 106 | 109 134 | 110 146 |  | 99 117 |
| September | 125 | 112 | 127 |  | 109 |  | 133 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October... (provisional) | 128 | 117 | 131 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

See footnotes on page 25.

Index of Industrial Production( ${ }^{( }$)

${ }^{(1)}$ 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.

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Coal : Production, consumption and stocks

|  |  |  |  | Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Consumption(including exports) |  |  |  | Stocks ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Saleable mined coal | Opencast coal | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Inland } \\ & \text { consump- } \\ & \text { tion }\left({ }^{2}\right) \end{aligned}$ | Exports ${ }^{3}$ ) | Bunkers ${ }^{(3)}$ | Distributed | Opencast on sites or central stocking grounds (4) | Colliery stocks held on pit. banks and in trucks |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,262 \\ & 4,369 \\ & 4,610 \\ & 4,353 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,262 \\ & 4,369 \\ & 4,610 \\ & 4,353 \end{aligned}$ | 二 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,294 \\ & 4,369 \\ & 4,621 \\ & 4,298 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,311 \\ & 3,480 \\ & 3,623 \\ & 3,409 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 743 \\ & 660 \\ & 774 \\ & 688 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 240 \\ & 229 \\ & 224 \\ & 201 \end{aligned}$ | . | 二 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,460 \\ & 4,448 \\ & 3,903 \\ & 6,767 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... ... |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | ... ... | ... | ... | 4,006 | 3,780 | 226 | 4,011 | 3,700 | 208 | 103 | 14,567 |  |  |
| 1949 | ... ... |  | ... | 4,126 | 3,887 | 239 | 4,117 | 3,746 | 274 | 97 | 14,708 | 1,200 | 1,404 1,533 |
| 1950 1951 | ... ... | ... | ... | 4,149 | 3,915 | 234 | 4,205 | 3,877 | 251 | 77 | 12,423 | 1,373 | 1,533 1,308 |
| 1952 | ... ... |  | ... | 4,275 | 4,064 | 211 | 4,236 | 4,012 | 152 | 72 | 16,115 | 349 | 1,308 1,085 |
|  | ... ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,332 | 4,099 | 233 | 4,271 | 3,981 | 226 | 64 | 16,311 | 3,092 | 1,538 |
| 1951 | October November December | $\ldots$ | ... | 4,5074,557$4,272 *$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,264 \\ & 4,379 \\ & 4,096^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 243 \\ & 178 \\ & 176^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,257 \\ & 4,497 \\ & 4,522^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,980 \\ & 4,235 \\ & 4,286^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 204 \\ & 188 \\ & 169 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 74 \\ & 67 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,806 \\ & 17,157 \\ & 16,115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 348 \\ & 324 \\ & 349 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,074 \\ & 1,136 \\ & 1,085 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January ${ }^{5}$ ) <br> February <br> March ... | $\cdots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 4,337 \\ & 4,560 \\ & 4,639 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,154 \\ & 4,342 \\ & 4,412^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 218 \\ & 227^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,672 \\ & 4,837 \\ & 4,585^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,466 \\ & 4,575 \\ & 4,324^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 194 \\ & 193^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 68 \\ & 68^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,648 \\ & 13,277 \\ & 13,202 \end{aligned}$ | 315312446 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,166 \\ & 1,121 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 4,156 \\ & 4,438 \\ & 4,228^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,939 \\ & 4,181 \\ & 3,963^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 217 \\ & 257 \\ & 265^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,098 \\ & 4,005 \\ & 3,793^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,821 \\ & 3,687 \\ & 3,463^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 209 \\ & 249 \\ & 264^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 69 \\ & 66^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,611 \\ & 14,986 \\ & 16,531 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 499 \\ 745 \\ 1,267 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,150 \\ & 1,311 \\ & 1,454 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August... <br> September | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,765 \\ & 3,736 \\ & 4,506^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,483 \\ & 3,486 \\ & 4,25 I^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 282 \\ & 250 \\ & 255^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,548 \\ & 3,476 \\ & 4,057^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,226 \\ & 3,213 \\ & 3,732^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 258 \\ & 203 \\ & 262^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \\ & 60 \\ & 63^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,703 \\ & 17,767 \\ & 18,895 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,685 \\ & 2,622 \\ & 2,650 \end{aligned}$ | 1,2591,5001,677 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 4,622 \\ & 4,587 \\ & 4,055^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,375 \\ & 4,371 \\ & 3,879 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 247 \\ & 216 \\ & 176^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,379 \\ & 4,721 \\ & 4,776^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,054 \\ & 4,412 \\ & 4,505^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 262 \\ & 248 \\ & 219 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 61 \\ & 52^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,481 \\ & 18,882 \\ & 16,311 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,951 \\ & 3,079 \\ & 3,092 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,684 \\ & 1,693 \\ & 1,538 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March ... | $\cdots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 4,630 \\ & 4,557 \\ & 4,522^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,408 \\ & 4,345 \\ & 4,302^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 222 \\ & 212 \\ & 220^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,968 \\ & 4,916 \\ & 4,659 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,652 \\ & 4,599 \\ & 4,336^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 255 \\ & 262 \\ & 269^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 55 \\ & 54^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,179 \\ & 13,074 \\ & 12,720 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,887 \\ & 2,597 \\ & 2,296 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,405 \\ & 1,264 \\ & 1,228 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune |  | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,365 \\ & 4,332 \\ & 4,160^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,150 \\ & 4,089 \\ & 3,923^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \\ & 243 \\ & 237 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,374 \\ & 4,092 \\ & 3,880^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,031 \\ & 3,771 \\ & 3,566^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 281 \\ & 264 \\ & 256^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 57 \\ & 58^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,812 \\ & 13,895 \\ & 15,181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,182 \\ & 2,170 \\ & 2,101 \end{aligned}$ | 1,1821,1831,183 |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August... <br> September | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,376 \\ & 3,637 \\ & 4,424^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,141 \\ & 3,419 \\ & 4.187^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 235218237* | $\begin{aligned} & 3,568 \\ & 3,533 \\ & 4,072^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,298 \\ & 3,263 \\ & 3,721^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 217 \\ & 218 \\ & 297^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \\ & 52 \\ & 54^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,815 \\ & 15,882 \\ & 17,782 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,895 \\ & 1,570 \\ & 1,266 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,012 \\ & 1,089 \\ & 1,154 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,598 \\ & 4,691 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,370 \\ & 4,465 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \\ & 226 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,408 \\ & 4,706 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,058 \\ & 4,324 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 295 \\ & 330 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \\ & 52 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,785 \\ & 19,015 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,120 \\ 943 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,109 \\ & 1,154 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
( ${ }^{3}$ ) 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.
${ }^{(4)}$ Figures include stocks of second quality coal. At the end of November 1953 these amounted to 494,000 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.

Coal : Inland consumption
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Thousand tons

| Gas $\|$Elec- <br> tricity $\left.{ }^{3}\right)$ | Railways |
| :---: | :---: |


| 1938 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| 1952 | October | $\ldots$ |
| November... |  |  |
| *December ... |  |  |

1953 January ... February
*M

Weekly averages

| Weekly averages |
| :--- |
| Industrial consumers $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ |


| Coke ovens | Industrial consumers( ${ }^{( }$) |  |  | Domestic |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Iron | Engineen ing and |  |  | Merc dispo |
|  | steel | metal trades | industries | coal | House coal |

*March

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { April } & \ldots \\
\text { May... } & \ldots
\end{array}
$$

$$
\begin{array}{cc}
\text { May... } & \ldots \\
\text { *June } & \ldots
\end{array}
$$

$$
\begin{array}{cr}
\text { July... } & \ldots \\
\text { August } & \ldots \\
\text { *September... }
\end{array}
$$

October ....
November...
December.
${ }^{(2)}$ Excluding consumption of coal at waterworks amounting on an average to 8,000 tons per week, which is included under " Miscellaneous ".
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Undertakings with an annual consumption of 100 tons or more of coal and/or coke.
(2) 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 Sorvice Departments and shipments to Northern Ireland.

* Average of five weeks.

Coal : Distributed stocks
TABLE 34
End of period

|  |  |  | Public utility undertakings |  |  |  | Coke ovens | Industrial consumers( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | Merchants' stocks |  | Miscellaneous( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Gas | Electricity | Water | Railways |  | Iron and steel | Engineer ing and other metal trades | Other industries | House coal | Anthracite and boiler fuel |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll}\ldots & \ldots \\ \cdots & \ldots \\ \cdots\end{array}$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 2,578 2,705 3,004 | 4,098 3,038 4,881 | 92 66 81 | $\begin{aligned} & 857 \\ & 549 \\ & 715 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 749 \\ & 723 \\ & 896 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 589 \\ & 504 \\ & 620 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 518 \\ & 443 \\ & 706 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,960 \\ & 2,766 \\ & 3,599 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,860 \\ & 1,321 \\ & 1,163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 194 \\ 122 \\ 96 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 213 \\ & 186 \\ & 354 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | October ... <br> November <br> December... |  | 3,439 3,322 2,849 | 6,236 5,973 5,175 | 95 94 86 | $\begin{aligned} & 858 \\ & 929 \\ & 928 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 996 \\ 1,101 \\ 982 \end{array}$ | 571 546 516 | 753 689 595 | 3,465 3,305 2,993 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,079 \\ & 1,946 \\ & 1,384 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 162 \\ & 147 \\ & 125 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 827 \\ & 830 \\ & 778 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } & \text {... } \\ \text { February } & \text { March } \\ \text {... } \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | 2,360 2,094 1,944 | 4,591 4,349 4,311 | 83 75 70 | 742 639 541 | $\begin{array}{r} 982 \\ 1,048 \\ 1,239 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 481 \\ & 454 \\ & 442 \end{aligned}$ | 519 481 467 | 2,786 2,688 2,661 | 802 458 282 | 103 96 94 | $\begin{aligned} & 730 \\ & 692 \\ & 669 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June |  | 1,932 2,225 2,486 | 4,350 4,741 5,101 | 73 74 78 | 502 568 634 | 1,322 1,371 1,312 | 451 470 487 | 475 512 584 | 2,628 2,749 3,008 | 302 364 619 | 107 119 139 | $\begin{aligned} & 670 \\ & 702 \\ & 733 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 2,678 2,680 2,989 | 5,392 5,536 6,087 | 84 81 82 | $\begin{aligned} & 583 \\ & 478 \\ & 490 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,078 \\ 821 \\ 875 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 481 \\ & 469 \\ & 494 \end{aligned}$ | 641 672 744 | 3,149 3,183 3,517 | $\begin{array}{r} 838 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,564 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 137 \\ & 144 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 755 \\ & 766 \\ & 796 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 3,184 \\ & 3,225 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,259 \\ & 6,259 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 555 \\ & 624 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 964 \\ 1,086 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 503 \\ & 507 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 722 \\ & 693 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,595 \\ 3,549 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,970 \\ & 2,047 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \\ & 148 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 801 \\ & 789 \end{aligned}$ |

[^6]Source: Ministry of Fuel and Power

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Coal : Productivity ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 35
Weekly averages

$\left.{ }^{(1}\right)$ For details of effective changes in coverage before 1948, reference should be made to the Ministry of Fuel and Power Statistical Digest, 1952 (H.M.S.O., December 1953).
${ }^{(2}$ ) 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 .
${ }^{(4)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{5}$ ) to Table 32.

* Average of five weeks.

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

${ }^{1}$ ) The figures relate to wage-earners on colliery books.
Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
(2) Due to disciplinary action.
(3) 53 weeks.
(9) 14 weeks.

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

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Pre-war figures Include coke used for heating retorts at gas works.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
( ${ }^{4}$ ) 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.
${ }^{(5)}$ 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( ${ }^{1}$ )

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The figures relate to all gas undertakings in Great Britain whether or not vested under the Gas Act, 1948.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Including other gas (producer gas, oil gas, etc.) in addition to coal and water gas.
(8) 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( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 39

|  |  |  | Fuel used |  |  | Electricity generated |  |  |  | Electricity sent out | Simultaneous maximum load | Installed capacity (maximum continuous rating) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\mathrm{Coal}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Coke( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Oil | Total | By steam plant (coal, coke and/or oil firing) | By water power | By other methods |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | During period | At end of period |
|  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  | Million kilowatt hours |  |  |  |  | Megawatts |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | ... $\quad$. | . | $\begin{array}{r} 940 \\ 1,054 \\ 1,153 \\ 1,167 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 13 \\ & 17 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,464 \\ & 1,685 \\ & 1,908 \\ & 2,031 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,396 \\ & 1,613 \\ & 1,823 \\ & 1,934 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \\ & 55 \\ & 63 \\ & 82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 17 \\ & 22 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,416 \\ & 1,672 \\ & 1,836 \\ & 1,924 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,175 \\ & 5,202 \\ & 6,350 \\ & 7,173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,065 \\ & 8,408 \\ & 8,808 \\ & 9,365 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,304 \\ & 2,400 \\ & 2,643 \\ & 2,849 \\ & 2,872 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 63 \\ & 73 \\ & 64 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | 44675 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,835 \\ & 4,050 \\ & 4,543 \\ & 4,964 \\ & 5,166 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,751 \\ & 3,978 \\ & 4,443 \\ & 4,855 \\ & 5,047 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 73 \\ 60 \\ 86 \\ 95 \\ 106 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 12 \\ & 14 \\ & 14 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,617 \\ & 3,818 \\ & 4,289 \\ & 4,682 \\ & 4,867 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,250 \\ & 10,961 \\ & 11,708 \\ & 12,781 \\ & 13,865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,101 \\ & 13,819 \\ & 15,000 \\ & 16,249 \\ & 17,740 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | October November December | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,025 \\ & 3,099 \\ & 3,175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 60 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | 667 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,259 \\ & 5,459 \\ & 5,726 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,173 \\ & 5,309 \\ & 5,505 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 73 \\ 136 \\ 206 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 14 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,957 \\ & 5,151 \\ & 5,409 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,270 \\ & 12,315 \\ & 12,779 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,524 \\ & 15,694 \\ & 16,249 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,554 \\ & 3,230 \\ & 3,023 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 72 \\ & 74 \end{aligned}$ | 886 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,319 \\ & 5,752 \\ & 5,509 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{6 , 1 1 1} \\ & 5,618 \\ & 5,361 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 118 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 16 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,973 \\ & 5,731 \\ & 5,196 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,950 \\ & 12,872 \\ & 11,966 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,268 \\ & 16,272 \\ & 16,416 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,645 \\ & 2,543 \\ & 2,320 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \\ & 67 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | 545 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,775 \\ & 4,584 \\ & 4,127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,676 \\ & 4,503 \\ & 4,058 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 71 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 10 \\ & 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,496 \\ & 4,309 \\ & 3,877 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,698 \\ 10,222 \\ 9.488 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,464 \\ & 16,532 \\ & 16,553 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August ... <br> September | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,294 \\ & 2,191 \\ & 2,688 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \\ & 59 \\ & 59 \end{aligned}$ | 445 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,108 \\ & 4,001 \\ & 4,815 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,034 \\ & 3,908 \\ & 4,718 \end{aligned}$ | 638285 | 111112 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,855 \\ & 3,755 \\ & 4,530 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,187 \\ 9,440 \\ 11,136 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,661 \\ & 16,795 \\ & 16,916 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,058 \\ & 3,280 \\ & 3,660 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 85 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 6 \\ & 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,526 \\ & 5,947 \\ & 6,525 \end{aligned}$ | 5,403 | 110 | 13 | 5,208 |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  | 5,788 | 145 | 14 | 5,611 | 13,533 | 17,167 |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  | 6,383 | 123 | 19 | 6,157 | 13,865 | 17,740 |
| 1953 | January February March ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,699 \\ & 3,166 \\ & 3,262 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 87 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ | 1286 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,609 \\ & 5,802 \\ & 5,992 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,480 \\ & 5,677 \\ & 5,891 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 111 \\ 110 \\ 86 \end{array}$ | 181515 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,233 \\ & 5,472 \\ & 5,642 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,858 \\ & 13,699 \\ & 13,100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,745 \\ & 17,797 \\ & 17,788 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,839 \\ & 2,642 \\ & 2,544 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 65 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | 555 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,269 \\ & 4,856 \\ & 4,626 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,180 \\ & 4,770 \\ & 4,552 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 75 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 11 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,958 \\ & 4,560 \\ & 4,343 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,942 \\ & 11,141 \\ & 10,811 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,708 \\ & 17,741 \\ & 18,036 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July <br> August... <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,441 \\ & 2,369 \\ & 2,717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 63 \\ & 65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 7 \\ & 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,489 \\ & 4,391 \\ & 5,018 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,403 \\ & 4,300 \\ & 4,890 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 74 \\ 79 \\ 116 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,210 \\ & 4,118 \\ & 4,717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,977 \\ 10,237 \\ 11,003 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,073 \\ & 18,073 \\ & 18,460 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 3,131 \\ & 3,249 \end{aligned}$ | 7381 | 10 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,828 \\ & 6,099 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,686 \\ & 5,900 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 186 \end{aligned}$ | 1413 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,483 \\ & 5,743 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,916 \\ & 14,298 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,594 \\ & 18,657 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ Great Britain. Excluding railway and transport generating stations, and from January 1948 the Lochaber Power Company.

Source : Ministry of Fuel and Power
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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.

## VI. RAW MATERIALS

Iron and steel : Production, consumption and stocks

|  |  |  | Production |  |  |  |  |  |  | Consumption |  |  | Stocks |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Iron } \\ & \text { ore }{ }^{(1)} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pig } \\ & \text { iron } \end{aligned}$ | Steel ingots and castings |  | Finished steel ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Iron castings | Pig iron |  | Scrap | Pig iron (5) | Scrap ( ${ }^{6}$ ) | Steel (7) |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Alloy | Total net deliveries | Direct exports ${ }^{(3)}$ |  | Steel works and converters | Iron works and iron foundries $\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | Steel works and steel foundries |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 210 \\ & 244 \\ & 273 \\ & 228 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 148 \\ & 163 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 227 \\ & 250 \\ & 200 \end{aligned}$ | . | - |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 107 \\ 120 \\ 93 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 133 \\ & 144 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ | -. | $\begin{aligned} & 409 \\ & 448 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ |
|  | ... ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\cdots$ | 252258 | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 183 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 286 \\ & 299 \end{aligned}$ | 1415 | $\begin{aligned} & 216 \cdot 2 \\ & 234 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 8 \\ & 33 \cdot 3 \\ & 45 \cdot 2 \\ & 36 \cdot 8 \\ & 35 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 2 \\ & 65 \cdot 2 \\ & 67 \cdot 1 \\ & 72 \cdot 2 \\ & 72 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 136 \\ & 143 \\ & 150 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 43 \\ & 44 \\ & 46 \\ & 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174 \\ & 188 \\ & 197 \\ & 175 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 462 \\ & 797 \\ & 760 \\ & 380 \\ & 664 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 504 \\ & 813 \\ & 618 \\ & 257 \\ & 422 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,071 \\ 995 \\ 585 \\ 739 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 249 | 185 | 313 | 17 | 241.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 284 | 186 | 301 | 18 | $242 \cdot 8$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 306 | 202 | 310 | 21 | $250 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | October November December | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 280^{*} \\ & 283 \\ & 280 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190^{*} \\ & 196 \\ & 198 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301 * \\ & 316 \\ & 288 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 * \\ & 21 \\ & 18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 245 \cdot 1 * \\ & 252 \cdot 5 \\ & 233 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 32 \cdot 3$ | $74 \cdot 6\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150^{*} \\ & 160 \\ & 151 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 46\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174^{*} \\ & 182 \\ & 159 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 377 \\ & 354 \\ & 380 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 265 \\ & 257 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 592 \\ & 564 \\ & 585 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January February March ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 306 \\ & 306 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 199* } \\ & 197 \\ & 202 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 293 * \\ & 313 \\ & 320 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20^{*} \\ & 22 \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242.5^{*} \\ & 236.4 \\ & 253.1 \end{aligned}$ | \} $36 \cdot 1$ | 76.7\{ | $\begin{aligned} & 153^{*} \\ & 161 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 46\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 164^{*} \\ & 177 \\ & 181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 395 \\ & 379 \\ & 352 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 242 \\ & 222 \\ & 205 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 536 \\ & 520 \\ & 546 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 305 \\ & 326 \\ & 310 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 201 * \\ & 201 \\ & 200 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 305^{*} \\ & 312 \\ & 313 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20^{*} \\ & 22 \\ & 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 247 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 264 \cdot 3 \\ & 258 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | ) $\} 35 \cdot 8$ | 74.2\{ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 * \\ & 163 \\ & 166 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 44\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 171 \text { \& } \\ & 174 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 359 \\ & 357 \\ & 369 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 203 \\ & 232 \\ & 259 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 570 \\ & 580 \\ & 657 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { July } & \text { August } \\ \text { September } \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 306^{*} \\ & 299 \\ & 318 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \\ & 202 \\ & 209 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 274^{*} \\ & 280 \\ & 330 \end{aligned}$ | 181725 | $\begin{aligned} & 224 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 213 \cdot 4 \\ & 278 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | \} $31 \cdot 4$ | $65 \cdot 6\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 * \\ & 151 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 40\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \\ & 151 \\ & 184 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 513 \\ & 646 \\ & 670 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 328 \\ & 335 \\ & 376 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 762 \\ & 816 \\ & 783 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 302^{*} \\ & 312 \\ & 296^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 204^{*} \\ & 207 \\ & 206^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 328^{*} \\ & 345 \\ & 314^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24^{*} \\ & 24 \\ & 21^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 269 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 277 \cdot 3^{2} \\ & 244 \cdot 8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 仡 $40 \cdot 4$ | $72 \cdot 5\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 171 * \\ & 184 \\ & 173^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\} 45\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 182^{*} \\ & 189 \\ & 166^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 670 \\ & 651 \\ & 664 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \\ & 410 \\ & 422 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 725 \\ & 717 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 717 \\ & 739 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January February March |  | $\begin{aligned} & 325 \\ & 328 \\ & 334^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \\ & 214 \\ & 216^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 346 \\ & 352 \\ & 351^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \\ & 24 \\ & 25^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 278 \cdot 8 \\ & 272 \cdot 1 \\ & 260 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | ) $\} 38 \cdot 5$ | $73 \cdot 6\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186 \\ & 189 \\ & 187^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\} 46\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 188 \\ & 193 \\ & 194^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 650 \\ & 618 \\ & 627 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 438 \\ & 439 \\ & 448 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 770 \\ & 770 \\ & 804 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | . | $\begin{aligned} & 319 \\ & 319 \\ & 301 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 213 \\ & 215 \\ & 211 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 349 \\ & 351 \\ & 338^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \\ & 21 \\ & 17 * \end{aligned}$ | $269 \cdot 8$ <br> $263 \cdot 5$ <br> 262 . 5 | $\} 38 \cdot 1$ | $69 \cdot 5\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187 \\ & 189 \\ & 178^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\} 43\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 189 \\ & 190 \\ & 188^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 624 \\ & 602 \\ & 630 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 443 \\ & 476 \\ & 514 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 868 \\ & 902 \\ & 914 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July ... } \\ & \text { August ... } \\ & \text { September } \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 281 \\ & 273 \\ & 292^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \\ & 204 \\ & 214^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 277 \\ & 291 \\ & 347 * \end{aligned}$ | 13 <br> 15 <br> $21 *$ | $\begin{aligned} & 222 \cdot 8 \\ & 211 \cdot 3 \\ & 271 \cdot 0^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\{37 \cdot 0$ | $63 \cdot 6\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 148 \\ & 158 \\ & 180^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\} 39\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 153 \\ & 159 \\ & 196^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 746 \\ & 841 \\ & 828 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 613 \\ & 627 \\ & 629 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 958 \\ 1,046 \\ 1,015 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 288 \\ & 292 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 222 \\ & 229 \end{aligned}$ | 355363 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 181187 |  |  |  |  | 982 |
|  |  | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \\ & 206 \end{aligned}$ | 816 | $\begin{aligned} & 638 \\ & 662 \end{aligned}$ |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) The iron content of home produced iron ore is about 28 per cent.
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.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding consumption of refined and cylinder iron made otherwise than in blast furnaces.
() At steel works and blast furnaces and ironworks and iron foundries.
?) At steel works and steel foundries.
${ }^{\text {' }}$ ) 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

| TABLE 4I |  |  | Weekly averages |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Heavy rails, sleepers, etc. | Heavy and medium plates ${ }^{1}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{c}\text { Other } \\ \text { heavy } \\ \text { steel } \\ \text { products } \\ \left(^{( }\right)\end{array}\right\|$ | Hot rolled strip | Wire rods ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Other light rolled products | Cold rolled strip | Sheets, coated and uncoated ${ }^{2}$ ) | Tin, terne and blackplate | Tubes ( ${ }^{4}$ | Wire ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Tyres, wheels and axles | Steel castings |
| 1935 |  | $\ldots$ | 7.8 | 21.2 | . | .. | 8.2 | .. | 1.8 | 21.1 | 13.6 | 13.8 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 3.0 |  |
| 1936 | ... | $\ldots$ | 9.8 | $27 \cdot 5$ |  |  | 10.1 | $\because$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 22.4 | 15.7 |  |  | 3.1 | 2.280 2.8 |
| 1937 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 9.9 | $31 \cdot 2$ | 38.7 | 12.7 | $11 \cdot 8$ | 29.1 | 2.5 | 24.5 | 18.5 | $14 \cdot 6{ }^{5}$ ) | $11.5{ }^{5}$ | 3.0 | 3.30 |
| 1938 | ... | ... | 9.4 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 29.7 | $9 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 25.8 | 1.4 | 15.7 | 11.8 | $12.8(5)$ | $9.6{ }^{5}$ ) | 3.0 | 2.7 (\% |
| 1948 |  | ... | 9.3 | 36.6 | 34.8 | 14.6 | 14.1 | $46 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | 14.1 | 15.5 | 13.0 | 4.6 |  |
| 1949 |  | ... | $10 \cdot 3$ | 39.4 | $38 \cdot 0$ | 17.3 | 15.7 | 49.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 28.1 | 14.3 | 19.0 | 15.1 | 4.7 | 4.5 |
| 1950 |  | $\ldots$ | 11.8 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 40.9 | 19.5 | 16.5 | 51.1 | 5.9 | 30.9 | 14.6 | 20.5 | 15.8 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 4.6 |
| 1951 |  | $\ldots$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | 41.2 | 39.7 | 19.7 | 16.1 | 51.5 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 7$ | 14.4 | 21.2 | 15.4 | 4.3 | 5.2 |
| 1952 |  | ... | 10.4 | 42.7 | 39.8 | 19.3 | $16 \cdot 2$ | $50 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 31.9 | 17.1 | 21.4 | 16.0 | 4.5 | 5.8 |
| 1951 | July | $\ldots$ | 8.5 | 29.0 | $30 \cdot 5$ | 19.9 | 12.9 | 45.8 | 6.8 | $32 \cdot 2$ | 13.3 | 22.2 | 14.3 | 4.0 |  |
|  | *August |  | 8.6 | 37.1 | $35 \cdot 7$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 13.7 | $40 \cdot 6$ | 5.1 | $26 \cdot 5$ | 11.3 | 15.6 | 12.1 | 3.6 | 4.9 |
|  | September | ... | $10 \cdot 3$ | 43.9 | 41.1 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 16.7 | 52.7 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | 14.6 | 22.5 | 16.0 | 5.0 | 5.0 |
|  | * October <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | 10.2 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 39.6 | 19.8 | 16.5 | 52.1 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 32.5 | 15.0 | 21.6 | 16.2 | $4 \cdot 6$ |  |
|  |  | ... | $10 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 39.2 | 19.7 | 16.7 | $53 \cdot 3$ | 7.5 | $30 \cdot 4$ | 15.3 | 22.1 | 16.9 | 4.5 | 5.5 |
|  |  | ... | $10 \cdot 3$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 9$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 9$ | $47 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 28.0 | 14.4 | 22.8 | 14.1 | 3.5 | 5.5 |
| 1952 | * January <br> February <br> March ... | ... | 9.8 | 39.5 | 39.0 | 17.8 | 15.9 | 49.7 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 30.5 | 16.6 | 21.0 | 14.9 | 4.7 | 6.0 |
|  |  | ... | 11.4 | $42 \cdot 5$ | $42 \cdot 3$ | 19.9 | 15.8 | $50 \cdot 6$ | 6.9 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 16.9 | 19.1 | 15.4 | 4.5 | 6.0 |
|  |  | ... | 9.9 | 42.5 | 39.5 | 19.1 | $16 \cdot 6$ | 49.3 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 34.0 | 16.8 | 22.0 | 16.4 | 4.3 | 6.0 |
|  | *April May June | ... | 10.1 | 42.1 | 40.8 | 18.4 | 15.5 | 50.1 | 6.7 | 31.5 | 16.9 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 10.5 | $42 \cdot 6$ | 41.8 | 20.4 | 17.0 | 50.9 | 7.1 | 32.1 | 17.5 | 23.8 | 18.1 | 4.2 4.9 | 6.0 6.0 |
|  |  | ... | 11.4 | 43.1 | 39.6 | 19.7 | $16 \cdot 5$ | 51.1 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 31.9 | 16.6 | 22.1 | 16.7 | 4.6 | 6.0 |
|  | *July ... <br> August ... <br> September | ... | 8.9 | $36 \cdot 3$ | 28.0 | 16.5 | 12.0 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 6.0 | 31.5 | 16.9 | 18.6 |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 10.4 | $36 \cdot 8$ | 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 5.3 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $10 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | 43.9 | 21.7 | 18.9 | 58.1 | 7-2 | $34 \cdot 4$ | 18.1 | 24.4 | 19.2 | 4.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ |
|  | *October <br> November <br> *December | ... | 10.9 | $46 \cdot 8$ | $42 \cdot 9$ | 22.2 | 18.2 | 55.8 | 6.9 | 35.8 | 18.8 | $23 \cdot 0$ | 17.5 |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 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 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 6.8 |
|  |  | ... | $9 \cdot 5$ | $45 \cdot 6$ | 38.0 | 19.0 | $15 \cdot 3$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | 17.6 | 21.8 | 14.5 | 4.2 | 6.2 |
| 1953 | January February *March ... | ... | 11.1 | $48 \cdot 2$ |  | $20 \cdot 2$ | 18.7 | 59.9 | $6 \cdot 7$ | $35 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 11.0 | $48 \cdot 4$ | $45 \cdot 9$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | 17.9 | 59.1 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $34 \cdot 3$ | 15.9 | 23.8 | 16.5 15.9 | 4.8 5.0 | 6.3 6.3 |
|  |  | ... |  | $46 \cdot 4$ | $44 \cdot 4$ | 20.7 | 16.9 | 58.8 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | 20.6 | 14.8 | 5.0 | $6 \cdot 3$ 6.3 |
|  | April May <br> *June | ... | 11.5 | $48 \cdot 8$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | 19.9 | 16.4 | $57 \cdot 7$ | 4.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 11.2 | $52 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 9$ | 16.1 | 16.0 | $58 \cdot 2$ | 5.2 | $32 \cdot 7$ 32.2 | 14.6 13.3 | 21.8 21.9 | 14.9 14.6 | 5.3 5.1 | 6.3 5.8 |
|  |  | ... | 11.4 | 49.3 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 18.4 | 14.1 | $52 \cdot 8$ | 5.1 | $34 \cdot 7$ | 12.6 | 20.9 | 13.4 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 6$ |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> *September | $\ldots$ | 8.3 | 40.8 | $30 \cdot 8$ | 9.9 | 15.1 | $42 \cdot 8$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | .. | $8 \cdot 7$ | 29.3 | 38.7 | 14.5 | 13.4 | 46.4 | 4.5 | 27.4 | 10.0 | 17.4 | 11.8 | 3.9 3.8 | 4.4 |
|  |  | ... | 12.5 | $50 \cdot 7$ | 48.0 | 19.9 | 15.5 | 53.1 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  | 5.6 |  |
| (2) Including armour plate. <br> (C) Partly deliveries. <br> Source : Minlstry of Supply <br> (0) Including shell steel. <br> (4) Deliveries. <br> (\%) Estimated. <br> * Average of five woeks. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Non-ferrous metals : Production and consumption
Thousand tons


[^7]$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding virgin content used in the production of secondary metal.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Primary metal and remelt alloys.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Including production from imported scrap and residues refined on toll.
${ }^{(5)}$ Primary and secondary.
${ }^{(6)}$ ) 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.
${ }^{7}$ ) 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

${ }^{(1)}$ 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.
(8) Including consumption other than for zinc production, except for the years 1935-38.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Including lead imported for processing on toll.

Softwood and pitwood : Production, consumption and stocks
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 ( ${ }^{\mathbf{2}}$ ) | Home grown | Total | Sawn | Round |
|  |  | Thousand standards( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand standards(4) |  |  |
| 1948 | ... $\quad$.. | 5.42 | $92 \cdot 56$ | $87 \cdot 19$ | $5 \cdot 37$ | $466 \cdot 2$ | $457 \cdot 4$ | 8.75 | 16.26 | 8.56 | $7 \cdot 70$ |
| 1949 1950 1951 1952 | .. $\cdots$ ... | 5.39 4.43 3.89 3.19 | $95 \cdot 80$ $85 \cdot 88$ $95 \cdot 16$ 91.09 | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 55 \\ & 81 \cdot 11 \\ & 91 \cdot 32 \\ & 88 \cdot 02 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 25 \\ & 4.77 \\ & 3.84 \\ & 3.07 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 415.5 \\ & 216.8 \\ & 723.6 \\ & 615.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \cdot 1\left({ }^{5}\right) \\ & 212 \cdot 3 \\ & 718 \cdot 5 \\ & 609 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.47 \\ & 4.51 \\ & 5.05 \\ & 6.43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.12 \\ & 14.75 \\ & 13.45 \\ & 20.46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.78 \\ 8.71 \\ 8.25 \\ 12.15 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 34 \\ & 6 \cdot 04 \\ & 5 \cdot 20 \\ & 8 \cdot 31 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | October ... November December | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 95 \\ & 3 \cdot 47 \\ & 3 \cdot 18 \end{aligned}$ | 103.80 101.06 84.77 | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \cdot 86 \\ & 97 \cdot 59 \\ & 81 \cdot 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.95 \\ & 3.47 \\ & 3.28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 618.5 \\ & 676.0 \\ & 723.6 \end{aligned}$ | 613.3 <br> $670 \cdot 9$ <br> $718 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 15 \\ & 5 \cdot 15 \\ & 5 \cdot 05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.55 \\ & 14.78 \\ & 13.91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.64 \\ & 9.49 \\ & 8.79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 91 \\ & 5 \cdot 29 \\ & 5 \cdot 12 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January ... <br> February ... <br> March <br> ... | 2.72 3.23 3.60 | $\begin{aligned} & 92.79 \\ & 96.05 \\ & 89.75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90.08 \\ & 92.82 \\ & 86.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.72 \\ & 3.23 \\ & 3.75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 734 \cdot 2 \\ & 699 \cdot 8 \\ & 669 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $729 \cdot 2$ $694 \cdot 8$ $664 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.05 \\ & 5.05 \\ & 4.89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.27 \\ & 17.57 \\ & 19.42 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.09 \\ & 11.08 \\ & 11.86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 18 \\ & 6 \cdot 49 \\ & 7 \cdot 56 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June | 3.64 3.83 3.28 | $78 \cdot 88$ $93 \cdot 24$ $88 \cdot 95$ | $75 \cdot 24$ 89.41 $86 \cdot 43$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 64 \\ & 3.83 \\ & 2 \cdot 52 \end{aligned}$ | $646 \cdot 0$ $648 \cdot 2$ $657 \cdot 0$ | $641 \cdot 1$ $643 \cdot 3$ $651 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.89 \\ & 4.89 \\ & 5.65 \end{aligned}$ | 20.33 23.60 22.65 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.44 \\ & 13.90 \\ & 13.18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.89 \\ & 9.70 \\ & 9.47 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | 2.87 2.79 3.23 | 94.00 81.02 102.33 | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \cdot 13 \\ & 78 \cdot 23 \\ & 99 \cdot 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.87 \\ & 2.79 \\ & 3.14 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 676 \cdot 9 \\ & 671 \cdot 5 \\ & 667 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $671 \cdot 2$ $665 \cdot 8$ $661 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.65 \\ & 5.65 \\ & 5.75 \end{aligned}$ | 22.78 21.26 23.46 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.12 \\ & 11.59 \\ & 13.28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.66 \\ 9.67 \\ 10.18 \end{array}$ |
|  | October ... November December | $\begin{aligned} & 3.44 \\ & 2.78 \\ & 2.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102.78 \\ 92.53 \\ 80.76 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99.34 \\ & 89.76 \\ & 78.57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.44 \\ & 2.77 \\ & 2.19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 669 \cdot 4 \\ & 644 \cdot 2 \\ & 615 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 663 \cdot 6 \\ & 638 \cdot 4 \\ & 609 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.75 \\ & 5.75 \\ & 6.43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.93 \\ & 19.25 \\ & 16.97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.86 \\ 11.63 \\ 9.83 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.07 \\ & 7.63 \\ & 7 \cdot 15 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 | January $\ldots$ <br> February $\ldots$ <br> March $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.76 \\ & 2.86 \\ & 3.27 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110.15 \\ 89.64 \\ 107.13 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 107.38 \\ 86.78 \\ 104.26 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.76 \\ & 2.86 \\ & 2.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 643 \cdot 7 \\ & 635 \cdot 1 \\ & 618 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 637 \cdot 3 \\ & 628 \cdot 7 \\ & 611 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 43 \\ & 6.43 \\ & 6 \cdot 82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.50 \\ & 16.31 \\ & 20.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.47 \\ 8.90 \\ 10.64 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.04 \\ & 7.41 \\ & 9.72 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | 3.53 4.04 4.01 | 99.66 106.60 111.39 | $\begin{array}{r} 96 \cdot 13 \\ 102 \cdot 57 \\ 107 \cdot 77 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.53 \\ & 4.03 \\ & 3.62 \end{aligned}$ | $602 \cdot 0$ <br> $618 \cdot 2$ <br> 694. 1 | $\begin{aligned} & 595 \cdot 1 \\ & 611.4 \\ & 686.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 82 \\ & 6.82 \\ & 7 \cdot 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 08 \\ & 20 \cdot 38 \\ & 21 \cdot 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.20 \\ & 10.94 \\ & 11.39 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.88 \\ & 9.44 \\ & 9.95 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | 3.69 4.30 4.39 | 121.00 96.91 111.40 | 117.31 92.61 107.97 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.69 \\ & 4.30 \\ & 3.43 \end{aligned}$ | $753 \cdot 3$ $804 \cdot 4$ $810 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 746 \cdot 1 \\ & 797 \cdot 2 \\ & 802 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 21 \\ & 7 \cdot 21 \\ & 8 \cdot 18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 16 \\ & 21.05 \\ & 24.56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.76 \\ 10.83 \\ 13.31 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.40 \\ 10.22 \\ 11.25 \end{array}$ |
|  | October ... November December | $4 \cdot 87$ | 119.76 | 114.89 | $4 \cdot 87$ | $791 \cdot 2$ | $783 \cdot 0$ | 8-18 | 26.42 | 14.95 | 11.47 |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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.

## 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 $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Stocks ${ }^{(3)}$ |
|  |  |  | Total | Imported | Home grown | Total | Imported | Home grown |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Million cubic feet | Million square feet |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  | ... |  | 3.40 | 5.04 | 1.80 | $3 \cdot 24$ | 33.67 | 26.67 | 7.00 | $5 \cdot 85$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | 246.1 |
| 1949 1950 |  | $\ldots$ | 3.47 $3 \cdot 12$ | 5.96 8.09 | 2.55 4.96 | 3.41 3.13 | 29.76 27.41 | 25.06 22.80 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.70\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 4.61 \end{aligned}$ | 6.11 6.00 | $28 \cdot 4$ 37.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 290 \cdot 4 \\ & 224 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1951 \\ 1952 \end{array}$ |  | $\ldots$ | $2 \cdot 83$ 2.53 | 7.84 5.78 | 4.96 3.28 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.88 \\ & 2.50 \end{aligned}$ | 27.52 25.04 | 23.45 20.63 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.07 \\ & 4.41 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \cdot 82$ 4.36 | 42.4 33.4 | $287 \cdot 2$ $399 \cdot 2$ |
| 1951 | October ... November December | . $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.95 \\ & 2.82 \\ & 2.51 \end{aligned}$ | \} $7 \cdot 37$ | $4 \cdot 60$ | $2 \cdot 77\{$ | 27- $\quad \cdots$ | 23.45 | 4.07 | 6.73 6.93 5.21 | $46 \cdot 8$ $37 \cdot 6$ $37 \cdot 1$ | $231 \cdot 5$ $254 \cdot 9$ $287 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 2.67 2.72 2.78 | $\} 6.42$ | $3 \cdot 63$ | $2 \cdot 79$ \{ | 28.03 | $24 \cdot 16$ | $3 \cdot 87$ | 6.09 5.02 4.60 | $45 \cdot 3$ 26.7 $31 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301.4 \\ & 312.3 \\ & 318.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 2.71 2.75 2.48 | $\} 4.94$ | 2.41 | $2 \cdot 53$ \{ | 28.05 | $23 \cdot 84$ | $4 \cdot 21$ | 4.30 4.45 3.84 | 30.6 44.7 23.9 | 329.4 361.7 395.8 |
|  | July August September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.34 \\ & 1.84 \\ & 2.48 \end{aligned}$ | \} $5 \cdot 78$ | $3 \cdot 58$ | $2 \cdot 20\{$ | 26.61 | $22 \cdot 34$ | $4 \cdot 27$ | 3.76 2.88 3.93 | 20.9 21.1 34.5 | 419.3 423.7 429.3 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | . $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.67 \\ & 2.55 \\ & 2.34 \end{aligned}$ | ) 5.96 | $3 \cdot 48$ | $2.48\{$ | 25.04 | $20 \cdot 63$ | $4 \cdot 41$ | 4.47 4.35 4.68 | $45 \cdot 7$ $43 \cdot 2$ $33 \cdot 2$ | 415.9 $405 \cdot 1$ 399.2 |
| 1953 | January February March | … $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 2.48 2.41 2.63 | ) $\} 6.12$ | $3 \cdot 69$ | $2 \cdot 43\{$ | 23.67 | 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 | ) 6.34 | 3.91 | 2.43 \{ | $23 \cdot 10$ | 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 | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.41 \\ & 1.95 \\ & 2.40 \end{aligned}$ | ) 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 | $\begin{aligned} & 293 \cdot 2 \\ & 279 \cdot 3 \\ & 246 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December |  | $2 \cdot 49$ |  |  |  | . | $\cdots$ | . | $6 \cdot 27$ | $54 \cdot 2$ | 208.4 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding pitwood, logs for veneer production, staves and sleepers 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.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Excluding from May 1949, certain quantities held for seasoning. The quantity thus excluded in May was I-01 million cubic feet.

Cotton yarn and cloth : Production
TABLE 46
Weekly averages

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$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.
(ब) Including synthetic fibres.
(8) Average of end-monthly figures.
(J) Million square yards.

- Average of five weeks.


## Rayon and wool : Production

TABLE 47
Monthly averages or calendar months

| Rayon( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Raw wool( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Wool tops | Woollen yarn( ${ }^{3}$ ) (total weight) | Worsted yarn ${ }^{(4)}$ (total weight) | Woven wool and mixture fabrics (excluding blankets)( ${ }^{\text { }}$ ) |  |  | Wool blankets ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | Continuous filament yarn (single) | Staple fibre | Actual weight | Estimated clean weight |  |  |  | Total | Woollen | Worsted |  |

Million lb.
Million square yards


Cotton and wool : Consumption and stocks
TABLE 48

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

* Average of five weeks.


## RAW MATERIALS

Silk and hemps : Consumption and stocks


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.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ Figures in respect of the period July to December 1952 are partly estimated.
Hides, skins and finished leather : Consumption( ${ }^{1}$ ) and stocks
TABLE 5I
Consumption : monthly averages
Stocks : end of period

|  |  |  | Raw hides and skins |  |  | Finished leather |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Hides$\left({ }^{2}\right)\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | 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 |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1947 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | ... |  | 16.4 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 8.0 | $6 \cdot 34$ | 21.4 | 0.48 | 0.77 | $22 \cdot 1$ | 81.6 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 25.9 | 11.8 | 14.2 |
|  | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 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 |
|  | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | 27.5 | 1.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 5.51 | 25.2 | 0.44 | 0.74 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 88.9 | 8.2 | 20.9 | 11.4 | 9.5 |
|  |  | ... | 12.8 | 1.0 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 32$ | 21.4 | $0 \cdot 39$ | 0.64 | 18.0 | 74.8 | 8.0 | 15.1 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 9.2 |
| 1951 | 3rd quarter |  | 26.9 | 0.8 |  |  |  |  | 0.67 | 18.1 | $90 \cdot 7$ | 6.6 | 21.0 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 8.7 |
|  | 4th quarter | ... | 27.5 | 1.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 45$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | 0.44 | 0.74 | 18.6 | 88.9 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 20.9 | $10 \cdot 1$ | 8.7 9.5 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter | $\cdots$ | 16.0 | 0.8 | 5.0 | 5.58 | 26.1 | 0.42 | 0.80 | 17.2 | 87.7 | 7.5 | 18.8 | 10.6 | 10.0 |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\ldots$ | 10.0 | 0.7 | 4.4 | $5 \cdot 37$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | 0.38 | 0.79 | 15.7 | $83 \cdot 3$ | 7.6 | 16.2 | 9.2 | 10.6 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | $\cdots$ | 14.3 | 0.4 |  | 4.80 | 22.7 | 0.34 | 0.73 | 17.0 | 77.1 | 7.6 | 15.5 | 9.5 | 9.8 |
|  | 4 th quarter | 㖪 | 12.8 | 1.0 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 54$ | 21.4 | 0.41 | 0.74 | $22 \cdot 2$ | 74.8 | 9.5 | 15.1 | 12.0 | 9.8 9.2 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter | $\cdots$ | 10.5 | 0.8 | 4.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | .. | 10.5 | 0.6 | 4.4 | 4.91 | 22.1 | 0.38 0.35 | 0.54 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 79.8 | 8.8 | 17.1 | 12.1 | 7.9 8.6 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | ... | 17.4 | 0.7 | 4.3 | $5 \cdot 15$ | 21.2 |  |  | 19.9 |  | 8.3 |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Including deliveries for export.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Wet, dry and dry-salted cattle and buffalo hides.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 50.
${ }^{(4)}$ Pelts and skins woolled for dressing.

Rubber and carbon black : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 52
Production and consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ber |  |  |  | Carb | black |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Production |  | Cons | ption |  |  | Stocks |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Reclaimed |  | (inclu | tural $g \text { latex) }$ |  |  | Natural |  | Production( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Consumption( ${ }^{(3)}$ |
|  |  |  |  | rubber | Reclaimed | Total disposals | Home consumption | Synthetic | Reclaimed | (including latex) | Synthetic |  |  |
| 1948 | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.47 | 0.48 | 4.44 | 3.73 | 0.05 | $4 \cdot 25$ | 50. 5 | 2.06 | - | 0.88 |
| 1949 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.40 | 0.43 | 4.06 | 3.48 | 0.05 | $2 \cdot 27$ | 39.2 | 1.19 | - | 0.88 0.81 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 0.58 | 0.57 | 4.87 | $4 \cdot 22$ | 0.05 | $2 \cdot 52$ | $38 \cdot 2$ | 0.79 | $\cdots$ | $1.00$ |
| 1951 | .. | ... | $\ldots$ | 0.71 | 0.66 | $5 \cdot 67$ | 4.51 | 0.07 | 4.77 | 63.3 | 1.99 | 0.53 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.00 \\ & 1 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | ... . | ... | ... | 0.51 | 0.55 | 6.41 | $3 \cdot 79$ | 0.09 | $2 \cdot 86$ | $63 \cdot 6$ | 2.93 | 0.60 | 0.92 |
| 1951 | October | ... | $\ldots$ | 0.76* | 0.72* | 5.89* | 4.78* | 0.09* | $3 \cdot 87$ | $58 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.87 | 0.71 | 6.47 | $4 \cdot 81$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | $4 \cdot 50$ | $63 \cdot 1$ | 1.35 | . | 1.18 $1 \cdot 21$ |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | ... | 0.66 | 0.60 | 6.03 | 3.98 | $0 \cdot 11$ | $4 \cdot 77$ | $63 \cdot 3$ |  |  | 1.05 |
| 1952 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $0.65^{*}$ | 0.63* | 7.20* | 4.34* | 0.09* |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | ... | $\ldots$ | $0.62$ | $0.67$ | 10.84 | $4 \cdot 43$ | $0.11$ | $4 \cdot 63$ | $56.9$ | $2 \cdot 18$ | 0.61 0.70 | $1 \cdot 10$ |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.56 |  | 11.98 | $4 \cdot 28$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | 4.45 | 55.5 | 2.74 | 0.61 | $1.05$ |
|  | April ... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 0.44* | 0.51* | $6 \cdot 22^{\text {* }}$ | 3.71* | 0.09* | $4 \cdot 10$ |  |  | $0.51 *$ |  |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 0.55 | 0.58 | $4 \cdot 82$ | $4.00$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | $4.01$ | 63.1 | $2 \cdot 70$ | 0.51 0.52 | $0.99$ |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.50 | 0.53 | $4 \cdot 28$ | $3 \cdot 74$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | 3.87 | 57.9 | $2.76$ | 0.57 | $0.91$ |
|  | July |  | $\ldots$ | $0.35^{\text {* }}$ | $0.38{ }^{\text {\% }}$ | 6.36* | 2.98* | 0.07* | $3 \cdot 72$ | 54.0 | 2.75 | 0.65* |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.45 | 0.43 | $4 \cdot 48$ | 3.00 | 0.08 | 3.80 | 60.9 | 3.01 | $0.49$ | $0.74$ |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.49 | 0.56 | $5 \cdot 18$ | 3.91 | 0.10 | $3 \cdot 50$ | $65 \cdot 6$ | $3.02$ | $0.55$ | $0.97$ |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.49* | 0.58* | 5-11* | 3.75* | 0.10* | 3.05 | 64.5 |  |  |  |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.54 | $0 \cdot 54$ | 5.87 | $3 \cdot 87$ | 0.11 | 3.04 | $64 \cdot 5$ $60 \cdot 8$ | 2.96 3.00 | $0.69$ | 0.89 0.92 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 0.55 | 0.59 | $4 \cdot 72$ | $3 \cdot 62$ | $0 \cdot 10$ | 2.86 | 63.6 | 2.93 | $0.67$ | 0.85 |
| 1953 | January February March ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.54^{*} \\ & 0.59 \\ & 0.63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.51^{*} \\ & 0.58 \\ & 0.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.47^{*} \\ & 5.99 \\ & 5.62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 58^{*} \\ & 3 \cdot 85 \\ & 3 \cdot 90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \cdot 09 * \\ & 0 \cdot 10 \\ & 0 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.02 \\ & 3.06 \\ & 2.74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \cdot 0 \\ & 56 \cdot 8 \\ & 56 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.92 \\ & 3.02 \\ & 3.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.77 * \\ & 0.82 \\ & 0.82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.90 \\ & 0.93 \\ & 0.93 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May $\qquad$ <br> June $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.50 * \\ & 0.68 \\ & 0.62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.52^{*} \\ & 0.67 \\ & 0.65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 67^{*} \\ & 4 \cdot 53 \\ & 4 \cdot 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.67 * \\ & 4.07 \\ & 3.93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.09 * \\ & 0.09 \\ & 0.09 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 65 \\ & 2.68 \\ & 2 \cdot 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 5 \\ & 53 \cdot 3 \\ & 56 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.93 \\ & 3.01 \\ & 3.04 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.74 * \\ & 0.91 \\ & 1.06 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.90^{*} \\ & 1.04 \\ & 0.95 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | . | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August September |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.38^{*} \\ & 0.49 \\ & 0.69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.43^{*} \\ & 0.51 \\ & 0.68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.67^{*} \\ & 4.08 \\ & 4.92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 36 * \\ & 3 \cdot 56 \\ & 4 \cdot 46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.08 * \\ & 0.08 \\ & 0.10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 34 \\ & 2 \cdot 28 \\ & 2 \cdot 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 4 \\ & 62 \cdot 8 \\ & 60 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.35 \\ & 3.45 \\ & 3.37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.80^{*} \\ & 0.82 \\ & 0.82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.84^{*} \\ & 0.86 \\ & 1.12 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 0.62* | 0.59* | 4.50* | 4•27* | 0.10* | 2.46 | $58 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 59$ | 0.82* | 1•17* |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^8]Source : Board of Trade

Molasses and industrial alcohol : Production, consumption and stocks
TABLE 53
Production and consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period

(1) Pre-war figures are in terms of blackstrap containing 52 per cent. sugars.
(2) Ethyl alcohol as 68 O.P. spirit. Figures
(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.

## RAW MATERIALS

Sulphur, sulphuric acid and ammonia : Production, consumption and stocks


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


[^9]
## RAW MATERIALS

Nitrogenous and other fertilizers and phosphate rock : Production, consumption and stocks


[^10]$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) Figures for the years 1949, 1952 and 1953 and for the period July 1951-June 1952 have been revised.
$\left({ }^{( }\right)$Deliveries to farms.
${ }^{7}$ ) For agricultural and industrial purposes.
${ }^{(8)}$ ) Including exports of ammonium sulphate for non-agricultural uses.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Estimated.

# Paper-making materials and woodpulp : Consumption and stocks 

Consumption : weekly averages
Stocks : end of period

${ }^{(1)}$ Including wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops.
Source : Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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.
${ }^{(6)}$ Stocks relate to those held by manufacturers of rayon and of cellulose film.
(7) 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) <br> ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Newsprint | Other paper and board (including building board) ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
|  |  |  | Total disposals |  |  | Home consumption | Total disposals | Home consumption |  |  |
| 1939 | . ... | ... |  | $15 \cdot 38$ $35 \cdot 19$ | $35 \cdot 19$ |  | 23.1 | $7.5$ | 51.5 | $35 \cdot 6$$38 \cdot 8$ | 261.5 | 388.8 |
| 1948 | . ... | $\ldots$ | 5.74 | 0.64 | 30.1 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 36.5 |  | 141.9 |  | 368.8 |
| 1949 | .. ... | $\ldots$ | 8.91 | 0.74 | 33.7 | 12.0 | $10 \cdot 9$ | $40 \cdot 0$ | 160.8 |  | $402 \cdot 3$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | .. | .. | 10.46 $10 \cdot 13$ 10.32 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.67 \\ & 0.73 \\ & 0.63 \end{aligned}$ | 39.1 41.4 34.0 | 14.3 13.3 13.8 | 12.4 11.5 12.4 | 49.2 56.8 40.9 | $47 \cdot 5$ $55 \cdot 2$ $39 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99.0 \\ 109.9 \\ 189.7 \end{array}$ | 54.8 65.7 103.9 |
| 1951 | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \cdot 16 \\ & 10.95 \\ & 10 \cdot 28^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.86 \\ & 0.85 \\ & 0.77 \end{aligned}$ | $45 \cdot 0$ $45 \cdot 8$ 41.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 14.9 \\ & 13 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.5 \\ & 12.4 \\ & 11.1^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $67 \cdot 7$ 59.3 57.9 | $65 \cdot 7$ 57.5 $56.6 *$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.5 \\ & 100.6 \\ & 109.9 \end{aligned}$ | 56.3 59.4 65.7 |
| 1952 | January February March | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 11.08 10.76 11.94 | 0.83 0.85 0.81 | $45 \cdot 5$ 46.8 42.4 | 13.3 14.4 14.8 | 11.3 12.2 12.1 | 63.3 54.6 50.9 | $61 \cdot 3$ $52 \cdot 2$ $48 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.5 \\ & 115.3 \\ & 175.0 \end{aligned}$ | $63 \cdot 0$ 62.3 69.5 |
|  | April... May ... June ... | $\ldots$ | $11.40 *$ 11.06 11.17 | $0.73 *$ 0.60 0.53 | $35 \cdot 5^{*}$ 35.0 28.5 | 13.14 14.2 13.4 | $11.4 *$ 12.0 11.8 | $41 \cdot 6^{*}$ $41 \cdot 3$ 32.6 | $39.9 *$ 39.8 31.0 | 140.0 148.7 162.9 | $77 \cdot 1$ $87 \cdot 5$ $91 \cdot 7$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 7.26* 7.81 $9.53 *$ | $0.51 *$ 0.36 $0.47 *$ | $23 \cdot 2 *$ $25 \cdot 2$ $31 \cdot 3^{*}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.5^{*} \\ & 11.9 \\ & 13.9^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \cdot 7^{*} \\ & 11.5 \\ & 13 \cdot 2^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \\ & 35 \cdot 8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 24.7* 26.3 34.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 166.0 \\ & 166.8 \\ & 170.3 \end{aligned}$ | 95.1 98.9 98.6 |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.85 \\ & 11 \cdot 12 \\ & 10.57^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.53 \\ & 0.74 \\ & 0.66^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 5 \\ & 30 \cdot 8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 15.6 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.1 \\ & 14.4 \\ & 12.7 * \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 4 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \\ & 38 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 2 \\ & 41 \cdot 5 \\ & 37 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 172.3 \\ & 181.0 \\ & 189.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97.2 \\ 97.9 \\ 103.9 \end{array}$ |
| 1953 | January February March | $\ldots$ | 11.64 11.79 12.21 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.78 \\ & 0.74 \\ & 0.91 \end{aligned}$ | 34.8 33.0 39.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 15.6 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | 13.4 14.6 14.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 8 \\ & 39 \cdot 8 \\ & 48 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 41.6 38.7 46.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 189.6 \\ & 183.1 \\ & 164.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100.1 \\ 96.5 \\ 95.8 \end{array}$ |
|  | April... May... June... | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.60^{*} \\ & 13.11 \\ & 11.86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.78^{*} \\ & 0.88 \\ & 0.82 \end{aligned}$ | 37.0* 39.7 39.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 16.5^{*} \\ & 17.9 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.6 * \\ & 15.4 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 48 \cdot 0 \\ & 46 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $42 \cdot 9 *$ $46 \cdot 5$ 45.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 158.0 \\ & 157.9 \\ & 149.0 \end{aligned}$ | 94.2 $92 \cdot 2$ $92 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\begin{gathered} 9.91^{*} \\ 9.20 \\ 11.86^{*} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.65^{*} \\ & 0.67 \\ & 0.93^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 35 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 6^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9^{*} \\ & 15.6 \\ & 16.7^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.5^{*} \\ & 13.4 \\ & 14.8^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 44 \cdot 5 \\ & 53 \cdot 0^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 7^{*} \\ & 43 \cdot 5 \\ & 51 \cdot 9^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \cdot 1 \\ & 136 \cdot 2 \\ & 126.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \cdot 0 \\ & 86 \cdot 2 \\ & 81 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | $\cdots$ | 12.77 | 1.04 | $46 \cdot 5$ | 19.0 | $15 \cdot 8$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | 59.7 | 118.9 | $77 \cdot 1$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ : Production
TABLE 59

|  |  | Total production |  |  |  | Production for export |  |  |  | Value of deliveries( ${ }^{\text {² }}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | 1,600 c.c. and under | Over I,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 с.c. | Over 2,200 c.c. | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { I,600 c.c. } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { under } \end{aligned}$ | Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,200 c.c. | Over 2,200 c.c. | Total | For export |
|  |  | Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |
|  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ¢000 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,192 \\ & 28,417\left({ }^{4}\right) \end{aligned}$ | . | $\ldots$ | . | $\begin{aligned} & 4,522\left({ }^{3}\right) \\ & 5,684\left({ }^{3}\right) \end{aligned}$ | . | $\ldots$ | $\because$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |
| 1948 | $\cdots$ | 27,376 34,358 | 19,832 23,343 | 5,522 6,160 | 2,022 | $\begin{aligned} & 19,350 \\ & 22,683 \\ & 34,126 \\ & 30,552 \\ & 22,945 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,567 \\ & 15,853 \\ & 24,587 \\ & 22,576 \\ & 16,178 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,623 \\ & 3,805 \\ & 5,448 \\ & 4,106 \\ & 2,008 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,160 \\ & 3,025 \\ & 4,091 \\ & 3,870 \\ & 4,759 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,385 \\ 12,059 \\ 15,746 \\ 16,361 \\ 17,076 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,272 \\ 6,441 \\ 10,374 \\ 10,639 \\ 8,996 \end{array}$ |
| 1950 | ... | 34,358 43,543 | 23,34 29,411 | 7,463 | 6,869 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | ... ... | 39,660 | 27,575 | 5,801 | 6,284 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 |  | 37,334 | 25,339 | 4,606 | 7,389 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 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 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 36,270 \\ & 35,028 \\ & 42,207 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,452 \\ & 24,349 \\ & 28,670 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,259 \\ & 5,469 \\ & 5,900 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,559 \\ & 5,210 \\ & 7,637 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,956 \\ & 25,834 \\ & 31,975 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,281 \\ & 19,219 \\ & 23,300 \end{aligned}$ | 3,2973,425 | 3,3783,190 | 17,23318,566 | $\begin{array}{r} 9,678 \\ 11,300 \\ 10,447 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3,924 | 4,751 | 17,033 |  |
|  | April May <br> *June | $\begin{aligned} & 35,228 \\ & 38,298 \\ & 41,021 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,089 \\ & 24,584 \\ & 27,880 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,324 \\ & 4,587 \\ & 4,669 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,815 \\ & 9,127 \\ & 8,472 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,882 \\ & 26,778 \\ & 28,070 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,408 \\ & 18,163 \\ & 21,022 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,233 \\ & 2,390 \\ & 1,413 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,241 \\ & 6,225 \\ & 5,635 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,983 \\ & 19,367 \\ & 16,466 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,515 \\ 11,592 \\ 9,336 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> *September | $\begin{aligned} & 30,025 \\ & 21,369 \\ & 44,829 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,210 \\ & 13,030 \\ & 30,154 \end{aligned}$ | 2,7163,2515 | 6,0995,088 | 18,66814,078 | 14,8048,772 | 2162,010 | 3,6483,296 | 16,66912,24317 | $\begin{aligned} & 8,908 \\ & 6,440 \\ & 7,843 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 5,687 | 8,988 | 24,074 | 15,901 | 2,170 | 6,003 | 17,187 |  |
|  | October... <br> November <br> *December | $\begin{aligned} & 38,917 \\ & 39,846 \\ & 44,962 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,768 \\ & 26,754 \\ & 31,124 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,339 \\ & 4,791 \\ & 4,278 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,810 \\ 8,301 \\ 9,560 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,396 \\ & 16,960 \\ & 20,668 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,422 \\ & 10,474 \\ & 13,365 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,143 \\ 709 \\ 1,167 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,834 \\ & 5,777 \\ & 6,136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,030 \\ & 17,536 \\ & 15,598 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,331 \\ & 7,035 \\ & 7,530 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... February *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 <br> May <br> *June | $\begin{aligned} & 44,193 \\ & 50,593 \\ & 57,535 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,562 \\ & 35,044 \\ & 38,985 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,076 \\ & 5,739 \\ & 5,997 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,555 \\ 9,810 \\ 12,553 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,833 \\ & 31,840 \\ & 33,683 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,178 \\ & 21,265 \\ & 22,194 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,230 \\ & 3,393 \\ & 3,154 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,425 \\ & 7,182 \\ & 8,335 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,017 \\ & 23,396 \\ & 23,250 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,530 \\ & 11,648 \\ & 11,129 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> *September | $\begin{aligned} & 52,844 \\ & 29,043 \\ & 64,304 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35,657 \\ & 18,479 \\ & 44,727 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,921 \\ & 3,737 \\ & 6,413 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,266 \\ 6,827 \\ 13,164 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,749 \\ & 15,772 \\ & 27,865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,307 \\ & 10,081 \\ & 17,905 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,318 \\ & 1,373 \\ & 1,803 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,124 \\ & 4,318 \\ & 8,157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,383 \\ & 16,629 \\ & 22,063 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,049 \\ 7,185 \\ 8,596 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | $\begin{aligned} & 53,170 \\ & 53,383 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36,279 \\ & 36,552 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,694 \\ & 4,940 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,197 \\ & 11,891 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,665 \\ & 23,226 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,293 \\ 14,834 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,746 \\ & 1,737 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,626 \\ & 6,655 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | November December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^11]
## MANUFACTURED GOODS

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


MANUFACTURED GOODS
Locomotives: Production( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 61
Annual and quarterly totals
Number

|  |  | Steam |  |  |  | Diesel and diesel-electric |  |  |  |  |  |  | Electric |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | For main <br> line <br> railways <br> in the <br> United <br> Kingdom | For other United Kingdom users $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | For export | Total | For main line railways in the United Kingdom |  | For other United Kingdom users $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ |  | For export |  | 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 | . | . | $137\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | . | . | .. | . | . | . | . | $\cdots$ |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 826 \\ & 808 \\ & 719 \\ & 559 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 370 \\ & 380 \\ & 293 \\ & 210 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \\ & 73 \\ & 49 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 515 \\ & 519 \\ & 651 \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & 20 \\ & 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 147 \\ & 172 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 5 \\ 10 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 350 \\ & 303 \\ & 366 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 44 \\ & 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 23 \\ 25 \end{array}$ |
| 1950 | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 1952 | $\ldots .$.  <br> $\ldots$ $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 174 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | 10 | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | 112160 | 二 | 7 | 3546 | 3 | 5783 | 1220 | 83 |
|  | 4th quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 195 | Ist quarter | $\begin{aligned} & 148 \\ & 152 \\ & 102 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 60 \\ & 33 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 10 \\ 4 \\ 18 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 82 \\ & 65 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 156 \\ & 162 \\ & 187 \end{aligned}$ | - <br> - | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 10 \\ 10 \\ 32 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 37 \\ & 50 \\ & 54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 4 \\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 91 \\ & 91 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | 181094 | 12742 |
|  | 2nd quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3 rd quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 4th quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 112 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | 322842 | 212019 | 636456 | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 143 \\ & 143 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{6}{1}$ | 555 | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \\ & 47 \\ & 46 \end{aligned}$ | 253 | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 80 \\ & 81 \end{aligned}$ | 267 | 222 |
|  | 2nd quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3rd quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Production by British Railways and by private manufacturers.
(2) Industrial locomotives.

Source : Ministry of Supply and Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation

## Railway rolling stock and other equipment and aircraft : Production

TABLE 62
Annual and monthly totals


MANUFACTURED GOODS
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 $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Motor cycles |  |  | Pedal cycles( ${ }^{( }$) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Wheeled ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Track-laying |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total value ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Total | For export | Total value( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Total $\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | Total ( ${ }^{( }$) | For export $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ | Total value ${ }^{5}$ ) | Total | For export |
|  |  | Number |  | $£ 000$ | Number |  | $£ 000$ | Number | Thousands |  |  | Thousands |  |
| 1935 |  |  |  |  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | . |  | 5.39 | $1 \cdot 50{ }^{(7)}$ |  | 166 | $31\left({ }^{7}\right.$ |
| 1949 |  | 7,358 | 4,543 | 2,335 | 222 | 144 | 239 |  | 12.75 | 7.40 | I,150 |  |  |
| 1950 | . ... | 9,788 | 6,877 | 3,673 | 240 | 178 | 264 | 180 | 14.27 | $6 \cdot 87$ | 1,444 | 293 | 191 182 |
| 1951 | .. ... | 11,449 | 8,996 | 4,723 | 316 | 237 | 462 | 144 | 14.31 | 7.77 | 1,714 | 336 | 182 233 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 10,234 | 7,425 | 4,898 | 283 | 171 | 660 | 136 | 13.15 | 5.81 | 1,768 | 302 | 239 |
| 1952 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6.21 |  |  |  |
|  | November... | $\begin{aligned} & 8,546 \\ & 8,299 \end{aligned}$ | 5,719 6,312 | 4,300 | 320 | 191 | 786 | 145 | 9.78 | 3.97 | 1,479 | 324 276 | 252 208 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4.82* | 1,542 | 258 | 191 |
| 1953 | January ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,303 | 199 |  |
|  | February ... March | $\begin{array}{r} 8,606 \\ 11,555 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,630 \\ & 7,439 \end{aligned}$ | 4,498 | 238 | 138 | $813\{$ | $122$ | $10 \cdot 79$ | $5 \cdot 67$ | 1,762 | 226 | 166 |
|  |  |  |  | J |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2,095 | 215 | 160 |
|  | April ... | 9,818 | 6,945 |  |  |  |  | 118 | 12.66 | $5 \cdot 40$ | 1,895 |  |  |
|  | May | 8,895 | 6,660 | 4,298 | 255 | 166 | 899 | 133 | 13.62 | 5.53 | 2,101 | 259 | 181 |
|  | June |  |  | J |  |  | \{ |  |  |  |  |  | 171 |
|  | July... ... | 8,470 | 6,071 |  |  |  | 1,113 | 115 | 14.13 | $5 \cdot 50$ |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 7,535 | 5,811 | 4,070 | 232 | 145 | 1,113 | 84 | 8.70 | 5.50 4.47 | 1,078 | $\begin{aligned} & 246 \\ & 202 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | September... | 10,836 | 8,028 | ) |  |  |  | 134* | 11.61* | 4.84* | $\begin{aligned} & 1,018 \\ & 1,724 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \\ & 298 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 214 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... | 9,950 | 7,007 |  |  |  |  | 135 | 15.86 | $6 \cdot 18$ | 1,792 | 313 |  |
|  | November... December ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 313 | 215 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ncluding half |  | er and | ver. |  |  |  |  |  |  | Source : | istry | Supply |
| ${ }^{(3)}$ | ncluding pedes | an-contr | ed deliv | ry vans. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (4) | From Decembe | $950 \text { figu }$ | relate | deliveries. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(6)}$ | Value figures r | e to de | ries and | include pa | and ac | sories. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\text { ( }{ }^{6} \text { ) }$ | The figures of weeks. The fiv | mbers pr week pe | uced in | individual arked with | nths ar | tals for | eriods of | our or five |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Number export | ek pe |  | ked with |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Agricultural machinery : Production

TABLE 64
Annual and quarterly totals

|  |  |  | Tractors |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Mouldboard } \\ & \text { ploughs } \end{aligned}$ |  | Disc harrows | Corn drills(1) | Mowers | Potato spinners | Threshing machines | Combine harvesters | Milking machines | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | For export ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Agricultural types | Market garden types | Tractor drawn | Horsedrawn |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | f million |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $17,949$ | 461 | 6,054 |  |  |  |  | 1,767 | 518 | - |  | E |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $10,029$ | 650 | 5,156 | 7,424 | 1,260 | 352 | 4,641 | 1,496 | 486 | - |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ | 90,411 | 25,235 | 51,572 | 20,196 | 11,819 | 3,533 | 26,033 | 6,969 | 807 | 1,963 | 15,020 | $63 \cdot 9$ | 26.1 |
|  |  |  | 120,211 | 30,277 | 52,080 | 3,410 | 12,362 | 6,469 | 27,076 | 6,473 | 758 | 4,325 | 19,447 | 84.7 | 42.8 |
|  |  |  | 140,210 | 37,875 | 61,724 | 7,443 | 13,109 | 6,623 | 28,361 | 5,089 | 573 | 5,999 | 14,993 | 106.8 | 59.0 |
|  |  | ... | 124,270 | 29,833 | 44,715 | 3,614 | 14,563 | 6,719 | 23,618 | 3,322 | 438 | 5,306 | 9,895 | 106.1 | $58 \cdot 5$ |
| 1951 | 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 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 | 2,277 | 150 | 2,032 1,604 | 3,840 3,177 | 26.5 | 14.5 16.9 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 33,672 | 9,969 | 14,980 | 262 | 4,716 | 1,912 | 8,734 | 463 | 130 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 34,331 | 9,171 | 12,370 | 1,011 | 3,581 | 1,782 | 8,734 10,199 | 1,249 | 130 93 | 1,758 | 2,673 | 29.3 29.6 | 17.5 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 28,741 | 5,125 | 7,933 | 970 | 3,468 | 1,732 | 3,322 | 1,161 | 99 | 1,198 | 2,476 | $24 \cdot 3$ | 13.3 |
|  |  | ... | 27,526 | 5,568 | 9,432 | 1,371 | 2,798 | 1,293 | 1,363 | 449 | 116 | +632 | 2,293 | 22.9 | $12 \cdot 2$ |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3 rd quarter | $\ldots$ | 27,897 | 7,010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 27,128 | 7,820 | 5,167 | 3,032 | 1,935 | 1,677 | 3,684 6,668 | 244 | 40 57 | 895 1,609 | 1,967 2,101 | 23.1 24.1 | 11.7 12.8 |
|  |  |  | 26,922 | 6,134 | 6,492 | 2,368 | 1,916 | 1,197 | 3,201 | 582 | 47 | 1,762 | 3,152 | 24.1 | 12.8 12.1 |

$\mathbf{( 2 )}_{(2)}^{1}$ Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.
accessories.

MANUFACTURED GOODS
Mechanical handling equipment and excavators : Production
TABLE 65
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Mechan prope | $\begin{aligned} & \text { cally- } \\ & \text { lled- } \end{aligned}$ | Conv | yors | Cran |  |  | her hanical |  |  | Excavat |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | omplet | machines |  | Part acces | and |
|  |  | Fork-lift | Other | Total | $\begin{array}{\|c} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{array}$ | Total | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}\right.$ | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { For } \\ & \text { export } \end{aligned}$ | Tot |  | Fo |  | Total | for export |
|  |  | Num |  |  |  | Value | 6000 |  |  | Number | Value 6000 | Number | Value E000 |  |  |
| 1949 |  | 124 | 355 | 880 | 136 | 1,051 | 388 | ${ }^{878}$ | 298 | 131 | 502 | 68 | 271 | 233 | 59 |
| 1950 | ... ... | 146 | 396 | 1,005 | 124 | 1,091 | 362 | 1,052 | 350 | 142 | 550 | 77 | 316 | 258 | 70 |
| 1951 |  | 192 | 392 | 1,088 | 144 | 1,257 | 378 466 | 1,140 | 425 | 159 | 667 | 79 | 341 | 289 | 13 |
| 1952 | - ... ... | 257 | 349 | 1,177 | 163 | 1,474 | 466 | 1,351 | 450 | 167 | 777 | 92 |  | 379 | 113 |
| 1952 | October ... | 274 | 381 | 1,257 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November December.. | 276 289 | ${ }_{253}^{253}$ | 1,193 1,307 | 202 | $\}^{1,675}$ | 528 | 1,480 | 513 | 193 | 952 | 104 | 533 | 388 | 112 |
| 1953 | January ... | 262 243 | 283 355 | 1,078 1,299 | 146 203 | \} 1,659 | 591 | 1,386 | 401 | 206 | 1,036 | 111 | 588 | 442 | 138 |
|  | February ... March | 245 256 | 353 340 | 1,299 | 220 |  | 51 | 1,386 | 401 | 206 | 1,036 | H |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \\ & 192 \\ & 229 \end{aligned}$ | 279 268 232 | 1,169 1,222 1,269 | 168 154 154 | \} 1,499 | 500 | 1,399 | 422 | 201 | 922 | 107 | 518 | 438 | 134 |
|  | July <br> August September | $\begin{aligned} & 200 \\ & 131 \\ & 199 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 247 \\ & 185 \\ & 307 \end{aligned}$ | 1,269 1,240 1,188 1,370 | 192 158 160 | \} 1,523 | 461 | 1,445 | 445 | 201 | 1,000 | 99 | 519 | 426 | 134 |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | 200 | 309 | 1,397 | 105 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | eliver |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | urce : | nistry | Supply |

Civil engineering and contracting plant : Production


Coal mining machinery: Deliveries
TABLE 67
Annual and quarterly totals

|  |  | Coal cutters |  | Power loaders( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Underground conveyors |  | Diesel underground locomotives |  | Coal preparation plant |  | Winding and haulage equipment |  | Tubs and mine cars $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Rubber conveyor belting |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | Total |
|  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | I,144 | 373 | 113 | 27 | 3,796 | 849 | 110 | 32 |  |  |  |  | $60 \cdot 7$ | $20 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | 891 | 321 | 95 | 30 | 3,024 | 675 | 65 | 22 | 3,963 | 612 | 2,452 | 956 | 59.7 | 23.8 |
|  |  | 703 | 254 | 72 | 11 | 2,899 | 526 | 65 | 24 | 3,695 | 270 | 2,913 | 1,088 | 54.5 | 27.7 |
|  | - | 775 | 143 | 43 | 2 | 3,266 | 435 | 83 | 20 | 6,020 | 942 | 4,292 | 1,554 | 49.6 | $27 \cdot 7$ |
| 1951 | 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 168 | 62 | 17 | - | 752 | 124 | 17 | 9 | 768 | 86 | 693 | 245 | 13.4 | -7.2 |
|  |  | 161 | 61 | 17 | 4 | 735 | 115 | 14 | 5 | 897 | 69 | 761 | 264 | 11.1 | 5.6 |
|  |  | 230 | 93 | 21 | 2 | 730 | 116 | 22 | 8 | 1,195 | 27 | 829 | 322 | 11.9 | 8.1 |
| 1952 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 178 | 32 | 11 | - | 772 | 129 | 16 | 4 | 1,386 | 241 | 884 | 370 | $10 \cdot 9$ | 8.9 |
|  |  | 225 | 51 | 11 | - | 812 | 87 | 12 | 5 | 1,333 | 185 | 1,209 | 433 | 12.9 | 8.0 |
|  |  | 157 | 27 | 9 | 1 | 740 | 120 | 26 | 4 | 1,479 | 200 | 1,061 | 382 | 9.5 | 5.9 |
|  |  | 215 | 33 |  |  | 942 | 99 |  | 7 | 1,822 | 316 | 1,138 | 369 | 16.4 | 4.9 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter |  |  |  | I | 875 | 157 | 23 | 6 | 2,161 | 516 | 1,252 | 358 | 14.4 |  |
|  |  | 259 | 65 | 17 | 1 | 952 | 142 | 20 | 4 | 2,013 | 261 | 1,125 | 282 | 16.7 | 5.3 5.5 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Including cutter-loaders.
Source : Ministry of Supply
$\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding those produced at collieries. Output is mainly for the National Coal Board. and Board of Trade Figures refer to carrying capacity
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Production. Output is mainly for the National Coal Board.

## Textile, leather, printing and tobacco machinery : Deliveries

TABLE 68
Monthly averages or calendar months


[^12]$\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ Value of exports.

## Welding sets and electrodes, portable power and small tools and gas compressors : Deliveries <br> Monthly averages

TABLE 69

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding carbon electrodes.
Source : Ministry of Supply
${ }^{2}$ (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( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Complete engines | Parts and accessories |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total |  | For export | Total |  | For <br> export Total |  |  |
|  |  | Tons | Value $£ 000$ |  | Tons | Value $£ 000$ |  | Thousands | Thousand B.H.P. | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |
| 1935 | ... ... |  |  |  | . | 509 |  | . | 53 | .. |  | .. | 351 | .. | .. |
| 1949 | ... $\quad .$. | 9,437 9,625 | 3,087 3,338 | 1,200 1,214 | 1,307 1,356 | 426 410 | 143 | 19.7 25.4 | 252 | 2,671 3,010 | 1,532 1,820 | 634 760 |
| 1950 1951 | $\ldots$ | 9,625 11,085 | 3,338 4,049 | 1,214 | 1,356 | 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 | October ... |  |  |  |  | 557 |  |  |  | 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 |  |  |  | 3,739 | 1,439 | 1,214 |
| 1953 | January ... | 17,467 | 7,060 | 1,922 | 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 |
|  | March ... | 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 |  |
|  | July ... | 11,775 | 5,289 | 1,994 | 1,082 | 405 | 178 | $21 \cdot 3$ | 332 | 3,403 | 1,262 | 1,163 |
|  | August ... | 7,877 | 3,737 | 1,162 | 896 | 340 | 152 | 18.1 | 263 | 2,873 | 1,197 | 876 |
|  | September |  | 6,006 | 1,966 | 1,093 | 429 | 175 | 22.1 | 321 | 3,360 | 1,129 | 1,051 |
|  | October ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | $22 \cdot 8$ | 329 | 3,199 | 1,082 | 1,062 |
|  | November December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including machine tools of low value (under $f, 100$ ).
Source : Ministry of Supply
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 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.

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Steam engines, boilers, steam-raising plant and industrial valves: Deliveries

TABLE 71

|  | 71 |  |  |  |  | Monthly |  | dar mon |  |  |  | Value | ousand |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | raising | ant access |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Steam | gines | She | 俍ers | Fuel oil burners | Other | Fuel oil burners | Other | Indus | valves |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export |  |  | For | ort | Total | For export |
| 1949 |  |  |  | 69 | 35 | 643 | 190 | 147 | 669 | 31 | 136 |  |  |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 79 | 39 | 730 | 142 | 166 | 709 | 42 | 122 | 1,576 | 466 |
| 1951 | ... |  | $\ldots$ | 90 | 43 | 759 | 163 | 206 | 857 | 50 | 150 | 1,827 | 584 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 82 | 43 | 788 | 160 | 232 | 990 | 60 | 202 | 2,205 | 763 |
| 1952 | October | ... | $\ldots$ | 64 | 22 | 857 | 176 | 256 | 1,076 | 54 | 212 | 2,390 |  |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 78 | 44 | 873 | 215 | 216 | 1,081 | 49 | 231 | 2,291 |  |
|  | December | ... | $\ldots$ | 84 | 42 | 933 | 190 | 223 | 1,142 | 57 | 210 | 2,275 | 854 824 |
| 1953 |  |  |  |  | 44 | 780 | 144 | 221 |  |  | 203 |  |  |
|  | February |  | $\ldots$ | 87 | 59 | 736 | 155 | 234 | 1,115 | 42 | 200 | 2,185 | 793 839 |
|  | March ... |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 179 | 2,433 | 930 |
|  | April | ... | $\ldots$ | 79 | 47 | 730 | 165 | 224 | 1,080 | 49 | 185 |  |  |
|  | May |  | ... | 82 | 33 | 909 | 166 | 295 | 1,107 | 46 | 240 | 2,142 | 750 |
|  | June | ... | ... | 114 | 26 | 1,031 | 230 | 204 | I,051 | 33 | 179 | 2,297 |  |
|  | July . | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 75 | 25 | 835 | 133 | 250 | 1,052 | 43 | 192 | 2,244 |  |
|  | August ... | , | $\ldots$ | 74 | 26 | 630 | 114 | 266 | 1,027 | 54 | 237 | 1,882 | 673 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 121 | 39 | 928 | 176 | 310 | 1,266 | 64 | 236 | 2,244 | 796 |
|  | October |  |  | 152 | 42 | 1,013 | 188 | 316 | 1,184 | 64 | 283 | 2,344 | 822 |
|  | November December |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 822 |
|  |  |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Source : Ministry of Supply

Electricity generating plant, rotating electrical machines and electrical control gear : Deliveries
TABLE 72
Monthly averages or calendar months


Miscellaneous industrial and domestic equipment : Deliveries
TABLE 73
Monthly averages or calendar months
Value $£$ thousand


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 | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total | For export | Total | For export |
| 1935 | ... ... | ... | ... | 198 | $71\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | . | . | . | - | . | . | .. | .. | 74 | $8{ }^{(3)}$ |
| 1949 | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 1,393 1,602 | 421 506 | 297 326 | 114 124 1 | 401 | 123 161 | 232 268 | 23 38 | 130 141 | 96 105 | 254 317 3 | 74 123 126 |
| 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 | October | ... | ... | 2,264 | 736 | 582 | 187 | 672 | 206 | 233 | 28 |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | ... | ... | 2,268 | 707 | 487 | 165 | 705 | 202 | 180 | 33 | $\} 95$ | 59 | 188 | 119 |
|  | December | ... | ... | 2,598 | 836 | 560 | 168 | 1,158 | 516 | 141 | 40 |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... | ... | ... | 2,154 | 608 | 569 | 259 | 564 | 179 | 187 |  | ) |  |  |  |
|  | February ... March | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,414 2,780 | 748 870 | 466 615 | 145 | 525 596 | 148 | 194 | 39 38 | \} 89 | 53 | 520 | 173 |
|  | April | ... | ... | 2,654 | 844 | 565 | 159 | 628 | 177 | 177 | 42 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | ... | ... | 2,606 | 719 | 520 | 135 | 588 | 154 | 182 | 26 | \} 89 | 56 | 438 | 121 |
|  | June | ... | ... | 2,693 | 786 | 540 | 129 | 655 | 194 | 188 | 35 |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | ... | $\ldots$ | 2,576 | 757 | 631 | 180 | 571 | 160 | 131 | 27 | ) |  |  |  |
|  | August | ... | ... | 2,421 | 698 | 501 | 163 | 574 | 148 | 193 | 41 | \} 96 | 64 | 182 | 71 |
|  | September | ... | ... | 2,688 | 856 | 427 | 139 | 723 | 247 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 2,660 | 849 | 470 | 156 | 728 | 236 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November December. |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^13]
## MANUFACTURED GOODS

Office machinery : Deliveries
Monthly averages or calendar months
TABLE 74

${ }^{(1)}$ Including parts.
Source : Ministry of Supply
( ${ }^{2}$ ) Value of exports.
Metal furniture : Production and supplies for the home market ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 75
Monthly averages
Value $£$ thousand

${ }^{(1)}$ Sales by manufacturers.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Shelving, racking, cupboards, etc.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Excluding safes of a capacity exceeding I,000 cubic inches with one or more metal walls over $\frac{1}{4}$ inch gauge.
${ }^{(4)}$ Excluding wire mattresses and utility metal furniture.
${ }^{(5)}$ Year ended January.

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Clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms, cameras and domestic sewing machines : Deliveries
TABLE 76
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding imports.
Source : Ministry of Supply

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

TABLE 77

${ }^{(1)}$ 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.

Electrical equipment and appliances : Production
TABLE 78

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

|  |  |  |  |  | Domestic electric washing machines ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Electric lamps (complete) |  | Accumulators( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Dry cells |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | For export | 'Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  |  |  |  | Thousands |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  | Millions of unit cells |  |
| 1935 |  |  |  |  | .. | .. | 339 | $48\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | 240 | 42( ${ }^{2}$ ) | .. | . ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| 1949 | $\cdots$... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 24.744.859.641.4 | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \cdot 2 \\ 18 \cdot 9 \\ 33.7 \\ 20.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 892 \\ 1,101 \\ 1,314 \\ 1,200 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 142 \\ & 150 \\ & 209 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,472 \\ & 1,557 \\ & 2,056 \\ & 2,168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 483 \\ & 474 \\ & 697 \\ & 649 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 7 \\ & 70 \cdot 2 \\ & 72 \cdot 8 \\ & 69 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6.3 \\ 9.3 \\ 14.5 \\ 14.8 \end{array}$ |
| 1950 1951 | ... ... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | ... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | .. ... | ... | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.5 \\ & 21.9 \\ & 34.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8 \\ & 11.1 \\ & 20.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 803 \\ 804 \\ 1,165 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \\ & 101 \\ & 135 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,635 \\ & 2,023 \\ & 2,345 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 404 \\ & 568 \\ & 537 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73.5 \\ & 56.4 \\ & 74.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 12.1 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 5 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.7 \\ & 14.8 \\ & 15.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,398 \\ & 1,375 \\ & 1,329 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1311 \\ & 130 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,186 \\ & 2,549 \\ & 2,227 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 565 \\ & 656 \\ & 560 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \cdot 3 \\ & 68 \cdot 6 \\ & 65 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... February March... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 2 \\ & 31.6 \\ & 31 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6 \\ & 13.4 \\ & 14.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,342 \\ & 1,125 \\ & 1,139 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \\ & 120 \\ & 162 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,796 \\ & 1,770 \\ & 1,987 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 418 \\ & 463 \\ & 539 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 7 \\ & 60 \cdot 8 \\ & 64 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.2 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 17.3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 5 \\ & 45 \cdot 3 \\ & 47 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 9 \\ & 16 \cdot 2 \\ & 18 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,033 \\ & 1,010 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 143 \\ & 128 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,773 \\ & 1,582 \\ & 1,749 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 609 \\ & 526 \\ & 486 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \cdot 8 \\ & 65 \cdot 2 \\ & 78 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | 14.519.815.7 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... August | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 3 \\ & 45 \cdot 6 \\ & 63 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.0 \\ & 19.8 \\ & 27.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August September | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  | 1,824 | 500 | 61.1 | 8.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,920 | 428 | 89.8 | 15.5 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Deliveries.
${ }^{2}$ ) Value of exports.

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

Monthly averages

|  |  |  | Index of wooden furniture production ${ }^{2}$ ) | Bedroom |  |  |  | Dining-room |  |  | Kitchen |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Wardrobes | Dressing chests and tallboys | Double bedsteads $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Single bedsteads $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Sideboards | Tables | Chairs | Tables | Chairs | Cabinets ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |
|  |  |  | Thousands |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952\left({ }^{7}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 154 \\ & 171 \\ & 187 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56 \cdot 0 \\ & 66 \cdot 1 \\ & 76 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 81.5 <br> $80 \cdot 4$ <br> $89 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 1 \\ & 60 \cdot 2 \\ & 59 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 8 \\ & 38 \cdot 7 \\ & 35 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $34 \cdot 3$ <br> $33 \cdot 3$ <br> $37 \cdot 0$ | $44 \cdot 6$ <br> $50 \cdot 3$ <br> $54 \cdot 3$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 6.5 \\ & 7.6 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 7 \\ & 46 \cdot 0 \\ & 46 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 20 \cdot 6 \\ & 26.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 166 | 63.9 | 81.0 | $52 \cdot 7$ | $34 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 6$ | $49 \cdot 0$ | 185.3 | 9.4 | $43 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 9$ |  |
| 1950 | Jan.-Mar. |  | 172 | 61.7 | 75.7 | 56.0 | $34 \cdot 3$ | 34.0 | $48 \cdot 5$ | $204 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | $41 \cdot 1$ | 18.1 |  |
|  | April-June $\quad$... |  | 160 | $62 \cdot 8$ | 76.9 | 58.4 | 36.6 | $31 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | 193.0 | $7 \cdot 1$ | $47 \cdot 5$ | 19.4 |  |
|  | July-Sept. Oct.-Dec. |  | 147 | 59.6 | $74 \cdot 1$ 94.8 | 57.9 68.7 | 37.4 46.3 | 29.2 38.1 | $45 \cdot 3$ 58.7 | 172.1 226.9 | 7.0 8.4 | 44.0 51.3 | 18.8 26.2 |  |
|  |  |  | 206 | $80 \cdot 2$ | 94.8 | $68 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 3$ | $38 \cdot 1$ | $58 \cdot 7$ | 226.9 | $8 \cdot 4$ | $51 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 2$ |  |
| 1951 | Jan.-Mar. April-June July-Sept. Oct.-Dec. | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 199 \\ & 219 \\ & 167 \\ & 162 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \cdot 9 \\ & 93 \cdot 2 \\ & 74 \cdot 9 \\ & 58 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 92.7 \\ 105.0 \\ 86.0 \\ 74.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66.4 \\ & 72.9 \\ & 53.6 \\ & 45.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 41.4 \\ 40 \cdot 5 \\ 31 \cdot 2 \\ -28.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 1 \\ & 42 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 8 \\ & 60 \cdot 6 \\ & 49 \cdot 8 \\ & 50 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 222 \cdot 2 \\ & 240 \cdot 3 \\ & 200 \cdot 2 \\ & 195 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.6 \\ & 8.9 \\ & 7.1 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 50 \cdot 1 \\ & 43 \cdot 5 \\ & 45 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 6 \\ & 23 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | Jan.-Mar. April-June July-Sept. Oct.-Dec. (7) |  | 162 | 60.0 | 76.4 | 47.4 | $30 \cdot 7$ | $33 \cdot 7$ | $49 \cdot 9$ | $192 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | 23.9 |  |
|  |  |  | 155 | 61.0 | $75 \cdot 9$ | 51.0 | $33 \cdot 5$ | $33 \cdot 2$ | $47 \cdot 6$ | 180.5 | $8 \cdot 1$ | $43 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 6$ |  |
|  |  |  | 149 | 57.4 | $76 \cdot 2$ | 52.9 | $37 \cdot 5$ | $27 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | 162.9 | 10.4 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 3$ |  |
|  |  |  | 199 | $77 \cdot 1$ | $95 \cdot 7$ | 59.6 | $37 \cdot 1$ | $35 \cdot 6$ | $55 \cdot 4$ | $205 \cdot 6$ | 11.9 | $42 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 6$ |  |

TABLE 80 (continued)

|  |  |  | Upholstered |  |  |  |  | Nursery |  |  | Other |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 3 -piece suites |  | Easy and fireside chairs (singles) | Bedsettees and double divans ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Bed-chairs and single divans $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ | Cots | High chairs | Low chairs | Occasional and bedside tables and bedside cabinets | Woven fibre chairs ( ${ }^{\circ}$ |
|  |  |  | Chairs | Settees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Thousands |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1949 |  |  | $83 \cdot 1$ | $36 \cdot 9$ | 112.1 | 11.3 | 15.1 | $15 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | 43.1 | 20.9 |
| 1950 | ... $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 96.1 | 41.5 40.9 | $122 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.5 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | 15.4 22.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.2 \\ & 11.8 \end{aligned}$ | 6.5 6.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | 75.4 93.3 | 19.7 19.6 |
| 1951 | ... ... | $\cdots$ | $\frac{104 \cdot 5}{105 \cdot 3}$ | $40 \cdot 9$ $40 \cdot 5$ | 113.8 102.4 | 18.4 | 22.8 | $11 \cdot 8$ 9.7 | 6.8 | 17.0 <br> 17.1 | $93 \cdot 3$ $90 \cdot 3$ | 19.9 |
| 1952( ${ }^{7}$ ) | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $105 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | $102 \cdot 4$ | 18.1 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 9.7 | 5.2 | 17.1 | $0 \cdot 3$ |  |
| 1950 | Jan.-Mar. April-June July-Sept. Oct.-Dec. |  | $90 \cdot 0$ | 41.0 | 122.2 | 11.6 | $17 \cdot 4$ | 14.9 | 8. 5 | 12.3 | $66 \cdot 7$ | 17.6 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 82.3 | 35.3 | 110.5 | 13.4 | 18.8 | 12.6 | $5 \cdot 7$ 4.3 | 11.3 11.9 | 66.5 66.1 | 19.4 18.5 |
|  |  | ... | 84.5 | $35 \cdot 9$ | 101.6 | 16.1 | $23 \cdot 2$ | 11.5 | 4.3 7.4 | 11.9 22.2 | 66.1 102.4 | 18.5 23.1 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 127.5 | 53.8 | 154.1 | 21.0 | $26 \cdot 4$ | 14.3 | $7 \cdot 4$ |  | $102 \cdot 4$ | 23.1 |
| 1951 | Jan.-Mar. <br> April-June <br> July-Sept. <br> Oct.-Dec. | $\ldots$ | 121.5 | 51.8 | 126.9 | 19.2 | $24 \cdot 3$ | 14.6 | 7.7 | 13.1 | 88.5 | 20.7 |
|  |  | ... | 122.4 | 48.8 | 131.2 | $20 \cdot 7$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | 15.0 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 11.9 | 99.9 | 23.2 17.3 |
|  |  | ... | 71.0 | 25.1 | 82.6 | 15.7 | 20.1 | 9.5 8.0 | 5.4 6.4 | 11.2 23.7 | 78.2 106.7 | 17.3 17.0 |
|  |  | ... | 103.2 | 38.2 | 114.5 | 18.0 | $20 \cdot 0$ |  | $6 \cdot 4$ | 23.7 |  |  |
| 1952 | Jan.-Mar. <br> April-June <br> July-Sept. <br> Oct.-Dec. ( ${ }^{7}$ ) |  | 108.1 | 42.9 | 97.8 | 18.2 | $20 \cdot 5$ | 9.3 | 6.1 | 16.4 | $86 \cdot 2$ | 12.8 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $90 \cdot 2$ | 33.7 | 85.8 | 17.5 | 22.1 | 9.3 10.5 | 4.4 4.2 | 16.5 14.5 | 79.1 81.8 | 14.5 15.0 |
|  |  |  | 92.5 | $35 \cdot 8$ | 88.9 | $17 \cdot 7$ | 24.5 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ |  |  | $15 \cdot 0$ |
|  |  | ... | $130 \cdot 4$ | 49.7 | $137 \cdot 2$ | 19.0 | 25.9 | 9.7 | 6.1 | 24.9 | 114.1 | $17 \cdot 1$ |

(2) Deliveries by manufacturers.
${ }^{2}$ ) Based on the average monthly production of wooden furniture during 1946. Includes utility school furniture until March 1949, when production was discontinued.
$\left.{ }^{2}{ }^{2}\right)$ Metal and wooden sets of bedstead ends only.
(c) 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.
(o) Including settees from January 1950.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$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.

## MANUFACTURED GOODS

Floor coverings and mattresses : Production and supplies for the home market ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 81
Monthly averages

|  |  |  | Linoleum (including substitute) |  | Felt base |  | Coir matting |  | Wool carpets and rugs |  | Mattresses ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 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 |
|  |  |  | Thousand square yards |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousands |  |
| 1935 |  | $\ldots$ | 5,800 | 4,750 | 3,500 | 2,920 | .. | .. | 2,925 | 2,740 | 200 | 200 |
| 1948/49 ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | $\cdots$ | 4,301 4,263 | 2,866 $\mathbf{2 , 5 8 3}$ | 5,923 6,441 | 4,556 4,736 | 288 | 921 821 | 2,830 3,272 | 2,146 2,585 | 278 282 | 258 |
| $1949 / 50\left({ }^{3}\right)$ $1950 / 51(3)$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 4,263 3,864 | 2,583 | 6,441 6,253 | 4,736 4,116 | 174 | 740 | 3,372 3,141 | 2,585 | 282 279 | 278 |
| 1951/52( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | $\ldots$ | 3,097 | 2,129 | 5,594 | 3,944 | 149 | 452 | 3,133 | 2,758 | 256 | 252 |
| 1950/51 | Dec.-Feb. ... March-May June-August Sept.-Nov. | $\cdots$ | 3,974 3,680 3,953 | 2,290 2,118 | 6,131 6,985 | 4,337 5,082 | 195 217 | 727 784 | 3,219 3,585 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 3,680 3,953 | 2,118 | 6,131 5,756 | 5,082 3,291 | 1217 132 | 784 679 | 3,585 2,605 | 3,180 1,958 | 331 253 | 326 248 |
|  |  |  | 3,848 | 2,173 | 6,141 | 3,755 | 153 | 771 | 3,154 | 2,146 | 244 | 238 |
| 1951/52 | Dec.-Feb. ... <br> March-May <br> June-August <br> Sept.-Nov. |  | 3,446 | 1,707 | 5,825 | 3,106 | 137 | 419 | 2,924 | 2,283 | 218 | 214 |
|  |  |  | 3,448 | 2,485 | 5,571 | 4,110 | 168 | 448 | 3,117 | 2,882 | 259 | 256 |
|  |  |  | 2,464 | 1,892 | 4,756 | 3,701 | 125 | 361 | 2,553 | 2,348 | 238 | 236 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 3,030 | 2,431 | 6,224 | 4,858 | 167 | 581 | 3,939 | 3,520 | 308 | 302 |
| 1952/53 | Dec.-Feb. ... March-May June-August |  | 2,871 | 2,085 | 4,946 | 3,543 | 138 | 735 | 3,257 | 2,921 | 248 | 245 |
|  |  |  | 3,950 | 2,934 | 6,762 | 4,924 | 214 | 778 | 3,468 | 3,120 | 287 | 282 |
|  |  |  | 3,921 | 2,847 | 6,122 | 4.492 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) Sales by manufacturers.
${ }^{(2)}$ Including cot size.
${ }^{(3)}$ Year ended November.

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

## 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 | 667.1 |  |  |  | $33 \cdot 3$ | 34.9 | 22.9 | 4.5 | 4.0 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 3.2 |
| 1950 | ... | 1,448.6 | $640 \cdot 1$ | 532.7 | 149.7 | 41.0 | 38.1 | $34 \cdot 0$ | 20.7 | 4.4 | 4.1 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 3.7 |
| 1951 | .. | 1,682.2 | $740 \cdot 5$ | 648.2 | 161.3 | $56 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 4$ | $40 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 6$ | 4.7 | 4.4 | 5.9 | 3.9 |
| 1952 |  | 1,652.1 | $964 \cdot 4$ | $700 \cdot 4$ | 275.5 | $58 \cdot 7$ | 53.8 | 37.9 | 24.4 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 5.9 |  |
| 1951 | Jan-Mar. ... | 1,575.5 | $700 \cdot 3$ | 578.0 | 153.7 | $50 \cdot 2$ | 44.1 |  |  |  | 4.9 | 5.9 | $4 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April-June... | 1,754.8 | $746 \cdot 8$ | 675.8 | 159.3 | 55.4 | 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 | $36 \cdot 4$ | 20.1 | 4.4 | 4.0 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 3.9 |
|  | Oct.-Dec. ... | 1,849•2 | 836.3 | 734.8 | 184.1 | $66 \cdot 5$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 7$ | 4.1 | 3.7 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 3.8 |
| 1952 |  |  |  | 724.7 | 185.9 | $62 \cdot 8$ | 57.0 | 42.1 | 26.9 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 1$ |  |  |
|  | April-June... July-Sept | $1,569.1$ $1,471.7$ | 868.9 928.3 | 703.6 631.4 | 252.2 | 55.5 | $51 \cdot 2$ 49.5 | 43.9 | 29.0 | 3.7 3.3 | 3.4 3.1 | 5.8 6.1 | 4.2 4.8 |
|  | July-Sept. ... Oct.-Dec... | $1,471 \cdot 7$ $1,770 \cdot 8$ | $928 \cdot 3$ $1,223 \cdot 7$ | 631.4 742.0 | 279.9 $383 \cdot 8$ | $54 \cdot 1$ $62 \cdot 2$ | $49 \cdot 5$ $57 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 5$ 34.9 | 20.1 21.6 | 3.3 3.7 | 3.1 3.5 | 6.1 5.8 | 4.8 4.0 |
| 1953 | Jan.-Mar. ... | 1,786.5 | 1,145•4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4.1 |
|  | April-June... | 1,719.3 | 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 | 275.6 | 68.5 | $55 \cdot 2$ | $35 \cdot 3$ |  | 4.0 | 3.8 | $6 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 1$ |

[^14]|  |
| :--- |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Before November 1952 the figures relate to production by all known firms; subsequent figures are sales by establishments employing more than ten persons. The August-October 1952 figures have been recalculated to exclude firms employing less than ten persons and are shown for comparison.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Before November 1952 garments made up from warp knitted fabric 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.
${ }^{( }{ }^{3}$ ) Including sports shirts. Before November 1952 nightwear was excluded and sports shirts were included with pullovers, jumpers and cardigans.
${ }^{(4}$ ) Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, hoods, etc.
${ }^{5}$ ) Included in the previous columns.
${ }^{6}$ ) Estimated.
${ }^{(7)} 13$ months ended January 1950.
${ }^{(8)}$ Year ended January.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{9}\right) 9$ months ended October 1952.
Footwear $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ : Supplies $\left({ }^{2}\right)$
TABLE 84 Monthly averages
Million pairs

|  |  |  |  | Total supplies for all uses | Supplies for home civilian use |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | With leather uppers |  |  |  | With fabric uppers | Slippers |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | Men's | Women's | Children's |  |  |
| 1935 |  |  | ... | 11.20 | 10.74 | $8 \cdot 75$ | 2.44 | 3.87 | 2.44 | 0.46 | 1.53 |
| 1949 | . $\ldots$... |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.95 \\ & 11.56 \\ & 10.82 \\ & 10.03 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.17 \\ 10.76 \\ 9.98 \\ 9.32 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.48 \\ & 7.77 \\ & 7.54 \\ & 6.83 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.92 \\ & 1.96 \\ & 2.00 \\ & 1.85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 74 \\ & 3 \cdot 23 \\ & 3.10 \\ & 2 \cdot 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.82 \\ & 2.58 \\ & 2.44 \\ & 2.24 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.71 \\ & 0.89 \\ & 0.90 \\ & 1.01 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.98 \\ & 2.10 \\ & 1.54 \\ & 1.48 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1950 | ... ... ... |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | ... ... ... |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | ... ... |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | January-March <br> April-June ... <br> July-September <br> October-December |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 11.22 \\ & 11.83 \\ & 10.06 \\ & 10.16 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.43 \\ 10.95 \\ 9.10 \\ 9.46 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 37 \\ & 8 \cdot 46 \\ & 6 \cdot 65 \\ & 6 \cdot 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.19 \\ & 2.21 \\ & 1.78 \\ & 1.80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.32 \\ & 3.45 \\ & 2.84 \\ & 2.82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.86 \\ & 2.80 \\ & 2.03 \\ & 2.08 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.06 \\ & 1.28 \\ & 0.65 \\ & 0.60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.00 \\ & 1.21 \\ & 1.80 \\ & 2.16 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January-March April-June July-September October-December |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 10.23 \\ 9.46 \\ 8.91 \\ 11.54 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.58 \\ 8.86 \\ 8.11 \\ 10.73 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 61 \\ & 6 \cdot 78 \\ & 5 \cdot 70 \\ & 7 \cdot 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.04 \\ & 1.80 \\ & 1.63 \\ & 1.95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.01 \\ & 2.63 \\ & 2.31 \\ & 2.96 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.56 \\ & 2.35 \\ & 1.76 \\ & 2.31 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.17 \\ & 1.36 \\ & 0.72 \\ & 0.80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.80 \\ & 0.72 \\ & 1.69 \\ & 2.71 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January-March April-June July-September |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 11.35 \\ & 11.60 \\ & 10.90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.69 \\ & 10.99 \\ & 10.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.19 \\ & 8.16 \\ & 6.92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.07 \\ & 2.12 \\ & 1.87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.29 \\ & 3.28 \\ & 2.87 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.82 \\ & 2.76 \\ & 2.17 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.36 \\ & 1.64 \\ & 0.87 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.15 \\ & 1.19 \\ & 2.26 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ ) Excluding rubber footwear.
Source : Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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 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.
${ }^{(5)}$ Constructional engineers, reinforced concrete specialists, heating and ventilating engineers, electrical contractors, asphalt and tar spraying contractors, flooring contractors and plant hire firms.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Output of building and civil engineering operatives employed directly by Government departments, local authorities and public utilities (e.g. British Railways, British Electricity Authority).
${ }^{(7)}$ The numbers of building operatives employed by other agencies at May 1953 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 111,000 at the same date.

|  |  | England and Wales |  |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | For local housing authorities <br> $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | For private owners | Other ${ }^{2}$ ) | For local housing authorities $\left(^{1}\right)\left({ }^{(3)}\right.$ | For private owners | Other $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Total | For local housing authorities <br> $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | For private owners | Other ( ${ }^{(2)}$ |
| 1945( ${ }^{6}$ ) | ) ... | 1,445 | 508 | 937 | 168 | 1,428 | 141 | - | 81 | - | 21 | 60 |
| 1946 | ... ... | 51,090 | 21,202 | 29,720 | 168 | 3,811 | 499 |  | 579 | 232 | 347 |  |
| 1947 | ... ... | 127,541 | 86,567 | 39,626 | 1,348 | 10,773 | 1,354 | 22 | 1,195 | 688 | 507 |  |
| 1948 | ... ... | 206,405 | 170,821 | 31,210 | 4,374 | 19,547 | 1,541 | 123 | 4,847 | 3,180 | 1,639 | 28 |
| 1949 |  | 171,780 | 141,766 | 24,688 | 5,326 | 24,180 | 1,102 | 565 | 7,630 | 4,860 | 2,667 | 103 |
| 1950 |  | 172,360 | 139,356 | 26,576 | 6,428 | 24,314 | 782 | 715 | 7,256 | 4,247 | 2,882 | 127 |
| 1951 | ... ... | 171,903 | 141,587 | 21,406 | 8,910 | 20,997 | 1,145 | 786 | 7,025 | 3,899 | 2,934 | 192 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 208,975 | 165,637 | 32,078 | 11,260 | 27,623 | 2,242 | 1,082 | 8,397 | 5,917 | 2,350 | 130 |
| 1951 | October ... | 15,790 | 12,532 | 2,290 | 968 | 1,844 |  |  | 451 | 186 | 243 | 22 |
|  | November | 15,808 | 12,583 | 2,296 | 929 | 1,861 | 360 | 159 | 680 | 409 | 271 |  |
|  | December | 16,506 | 13,371 | 2,237 | 898 | 2,537* |  |  | 653 | 372 | 281 | - |
| 1952 | January ... | 13,460 | 10,821 | 1,839 | 800 | 2,117* |  |  | 652 | 375 | 277 | - |
|  | February... | 14,605 | 11,925 | 1,851 | 829 | 1,443 | 259 | 3412 | 683 | 517 | 166 |  |
|  | March ... | 19,047 | 15,907 |  |  |  |  | \{ |  |  |  | 33 |
|  | April ... | 15,401 | 12,057 | 2,258 | 1,086 | 1,850 |  |  | 543 | 321 | 222 | - |
|  | May ... | 17,281 | 14,139 | 2,246 | 896 | 2,057 | 637 | 276 | 480 | 249 | 231 | - |
|  | June ... | 16,950 | 13,684 | 2,309 | 957 | 2,903* |  |  |  | 529 |  | - |
|  | July ... | 18,173 | 14,413 | 2,664 | 1,096 | 1,662 |  | , | 758 | 545 | 213 | - |
|  | August ... | 15,674 | 12,384 | 2,606 | 684 | 1,997 | 723 | 232 | 893 | 697 | 196 | - |
|  | September | 18,676 | 14,660 | 3,154 | 862 | 2,992* |  |  | 833 | 601 | 203 | 29 |
|  | October ... | 20,469 | 15,393 | 3,806 | 1,270 | 2,622 |  |  | 522 | 305 | 191 | 26 |
|  | November | 19,552 | 15,009 | 3,563 | 980 | 2,391 | 623 | 233 | 500 | 300 | 158 | 42 |
|  | December | 19,687 | 15,245 | 3,663 | 779 | 3,252* |  |  | 1,255 | 1,086 | 169 | - |
| 1953 | January ... | 17,758 | 13,456 | 3,359 | 943 | 2,626 |  |  | 363 | 197 | 166 | - |
|  | February... | 17,479 | 13,612 | 3,051 | 816 | 2,439 | - 549 | 259 | 959 | 853 | 106 | - |
|  | March ... | 25,034 | 19,880 | 4,263 | 891 | 3,287* |  |  |  |  |  | - |
|  | April ... | 20,183 | 14,823 | 4,291 | 1,069 | 2,879 |  |  | 616 | 474 | 99 | 43 |
|  | May .. | 22,833 | 17,173 | 4,457 | 1,203 | 2,980 | 606 | 260 | 670 | 507 | 163 |  |
|  | June | 22,510 | 16,523 | 4,916 | 1,071 | 3,622* |  |  | 742 | 614 | 128 | - |
|  | July ... | 24,880 | 17,965 | 5,404 | 1,511 | 2,126 |  |  | 607 | 435 | 172 | - |
|  | August ... | 21,674 | 15,076 | 5,374 | 1,224 | 2,963 | 549 | 176 | 1,140 | 911 | 227 | 2 |
|  | September | 24,763 | 17,239 | 5,964 | 1,560 | 3,428* |  |  | 493 | 335 | 158 | - |
|  | October ... | 26,813 | 18,294 | 6,714 | 1,805 | 3,018 |  |  | 710 | 406 |  | - |
|  | November | 26,225 | 18,099 | 6,324 | 1,802 | 2,955 |  |  | 567 | 414 | 153 | - |

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Including New Towns Development Corporations ; in Scotland, the Scottish Special Housing Association and, in Northern Ireland, the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 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.

Source : Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Department of Health for Scotland and Ministry of Health and Local Government, Northern Ireland

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

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

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

New factory buildings in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 89
Total for period I January 1945 to 31 October 1953


(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.

|  |  | Projects approved |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Under construction (all categories) (end of period) | Contracts completed (all categories) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Primary and secondary schools |  |  |  | Further education and welfare | Training of teachers | Special schools and school health | Licensed building | Total (all categories) | tion (all categories) (end of period) |  |
|  |  | Total $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Major projects $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Minor projects $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | School meals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 |  | 13,444 | 3,641 | 1,651 | 2,175 | 714 | 1,306 |  | 2,852 |  |  |  |
| 1947 |  | 23,607 | 19,274 | 1,941 | 4,105 | 553 | 1,346 | $\cdots{ }^{.}$. ${ }^{3}$ | 2,899 | 20,491 31,710 | 9,699 21,377 | 4,980 12015 |
| 1948 |  | 14,657 | 11,369 | 2,718 | 3,664 | 1,718 | 725 | . 246 | 2,908 | 31,710 23,918 | 21,377 33,398 | 12,015 15,831 |
| 1949 |  |  | 51,705 | 3,276 | 3,506 | 7,797 | 1,173 | 1,026 | 2,018 | 23,918 70,501 | 33,398 69,940 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,831 \\ & 21,501 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 35,051 \\ & 41,306 \\ & 31,713 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31,344 \\ & 37,311 \\ & 27323 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,707 \\ 3,915 \end{array}$ | 539 | 5,6587,405 | 1,101 | 822913 | 1,0611,979 | 44,164 <br> 53,682 <br> 39,177 | $\begin{array}{r} 86,082 \\ 111,498 \\ 104,424 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27,531 \\ & 34,615 \\ & 47,544 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $4,380$ | 493 | 3,766 | 885 | 811 | 1,509 |  |  |  |
| 1951 | July-Sept.... Oct.-Dec.... | 6,607 | 5,389 | 1,218 | 140 | 1,056 | 300 | 151 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 8,731 \\ & 8,872 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111,639 \\ & 111,498 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,194 \\ 8,891 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 7,024 | 6,384 | 640 | 101 | 1,012 | 245 | 208 | 282 |  |  |  |
| 1952 |  | 2,398 | 953 |  |  | 748 | 173 | 115247 | 361 | 3,92212,34915,606 | 107,712105,010 | $\begin{array}{r} 9,040 \\ 10,829 \end{array}$ |
|  | April-June | 10,316 | 9,447 | 869 | 98 | 1,026 | 232 |  | 430424 |  |  |  |
|  | July-Sept.... | 12,960 | 11,684 | 1,276 | 143 | 1,555 | 318 | 206 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 107,488 \\ & 104,424 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,440 \\ & 14,235 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Oct.-Dec.... |  | 5,249 |  | 125 | 437 | 162 | 243 | 294 | $\begin{array}{r} 15,606 \\ 7,300 \end{array}$ |  |  |
| 1953 | Jan.-Mar. April-June July-Sept. | $\begin{array}{r} 15,310 \\ 9,143 \\ 10,973 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13,785 \\ 8,279 \\ 9,852 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,525 \\ 864 \\ 1,121 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 211 \\ 70 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,272 \\ 416 \\ 1,252 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 513 \\ & 256 \\ & 261 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 482 \\ & 236 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 580 \\ & 600 \\ & 412 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,368 \\ & 10,721 \\ & 13,112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105,877 \\ & 110,343 \\ & 105,712 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,301 \\ & 10,441 \\ & 14,661 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October .. | 3,127 | 2,711 | 416 | 14 | 76 | 103 | 25 | 162 | 3,507 | 104,999 | 4,573 |
| Total to end October |  | 253,312 | 216,684 | 25,514 | 15,350 | 30,627 | 8,309 | 4,673 | 17,080 | 329,35 I | 104,999 | 207,993 |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ 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 $£ 570$ thousand in 1948. <br> $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Before 4 February 1952 the dividing line between major and minor projects was $£ 5,000$. Thereafter it was increased to $£ 6,500$. <br> $\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ Included in "Primary and secondary schools". |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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

TABLE 91

| TABLE 91 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Scho | places provid | vided |  |  |  |  | cho |
|  |  | All projects |  |  | ompleted m | ajor proj |  |  | rojects(3) | prem | mises |
|  |  | projects |  | New pre | school mises |  |  | Minor P | projects() | Depa | tments |
|  | Total | Primary | Secondary $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ | 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 |
| 1. February 1952 ... | 43,880 | 33,635 | 10,245 | 27,170 | 7,605 | 1,510 | 1,965 | 8,635 | 3,115 | 104 |  |
| I June 1952 <br> \| October 1952 | 43,205 100,530 | 33,691 76,910 | 8,295 8,295 | 31,800 | 4,340 | 2,890 | 2,240 | 5,730 | 2,670 | 116 | 12 |
| \| October 1952 ... |  |  |  |  | 8,780 | 3,060 | 2,610 | 8,900 | 4,135 | 155 | 25 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { I June 1953 } \\ & \text { I October } 1953 \end{aligned} \ldots$ | 63,030 119,790 | 47,450 73,750 | 15,580 46,040 | $\begin{aligned} & 39,660 \\ & 39,450 \end{aligned}$ | 12,485 18,300 | 1,800 3,860 | 1,080 | 13,650 | 3,945 | 114 | 30 |
| Total to I October $1953 \ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (1) Including primary ... | 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 sec I October 1953 amounted <br> $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Extensions, alterations, re | condary pl to 52,800 | aces in inc <br> and 39,700 | omplete m respective | ajor proje y. | ts in use, | which on |  |  | urce : Mi | try of | ucation |
| ${ }^{(3)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{2}$ ) to Table | O. | damage. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{( }$) Including places provided (HORSA), which amounte | under the d to 167,88 | hutting o | eration for | raising | school le | ving age |  |  |  |  |  |

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


TABLE 92 (continued)


[^15]Source : Ministry of Works board relate to periods of four or five weeks. The five week periods are marked with an asterisk(*).
${ }^{2}$ ) Great Britain.
(3) 1939.
${ }^{4}$ ) Five weeks and three days.
${ }^{(5)}$ Four weeks and four days.

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 . |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ |  | 36.9 38.5 39.8 43.4 | 3.47 3.54 3.68 3.92 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.58 \\ & 0.61 \\ & 0.62 \\ & 0.61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.38 \\ & 0.38 \\ & 0.37 \\ & 0.32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.85 \\ & 6.07 \\ & 6.65 \\ & 6.54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.05 \\ & 1.22 \\ & 1.00 \\ & 0.43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.07 \\ & 2.23 \\ & 2.61 \\ & 3.06 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 9 \\ & 45 \cdot 3 \\ & 46 \cdot 4 \\ & 41 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,230 \\ & 3,570 \\ & 4,100 \\ & 4,255 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 307 \\ 162 \\ 91 \\ 134 \end{array}$ |
| 1952 | October ... <br> November <br> December | 49.9 45.1 45.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 52^{*} \\ & 4 \cdot 12 \\ & 5 \cdot 22^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.78^{*} \\ & 0.60 \\ & 0.60^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.31^{*} \\ & 0.33 \\ & 0.40^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.79 \\ & 6.72 \\ & 6.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.35 \\ & 0.38 \\ & 0.29 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5 I^{*} \\ & 3.02 \\ & 2.63 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 3 \\ & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 26.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,298 \\ & 4,370 \\ & 4,286 \end{aligned}$ | 174 126 63 |
| 1953 | January <br> February ... <br> March | 46.9 42.9 47.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 25 \\ & 4 \cdot 56 \\ & 4 \cdot 36^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.57 \\ & 0.81 \\ & 0.75^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.30 \\ & 0.30 \\ & 0.32^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.50 \\ & 6.63 \\ & 8.60 \end{aligned}$ | 0.37 0.28 0.32 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.50^{*} \\ & 2.81 \\ & 2.94 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 1 \\ & 34 \cdot 6 \\ & 42 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,141 \\ & 3,721 \\ & 4,304 \end{aligned}$ | 55 33 38 |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 46 \cdot 7 \\ & 45 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.38 \\ & 4.67 \\ & 3.75^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.58 \\ & 0.57 \\ & 0.68^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 0.21 0.22 $0.25 *$ | 7.71 7.13 7.47 | 0.31 0.31 0.31 | $3.23 *$ 2.85 2.77 | $43 \cdot 2$ $45 \cdot 2$ $47 \cdot 9$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,849 \\ & 3,663 \\ & 3,216 \end{aligned}$ | 48 33 28 |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 8 \\ & 39 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 79 \\ & 4 \cdot 10 \\ & 4 \cdot 12^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.52 \\ & 0.49 \\ & 0.91^{*} \end{aligned}$ | 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 | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 0 \\ & 49 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.96 \\ & 3.91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.62 \\ & 0.62 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.32 \\ & 0.32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.24 \\ & 7.01 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.46 \\ & 0.45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 66 * \\ & 3 \cdot 10 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52 \cdot 2 \\ & 51.9 \end{aligned}$ | 3,885 | 81 |

TABLE 93 (continued)


# IX. FOOD AND AGRICULTURE <br> Crops and grass : Area and harvest $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ 

|  |  |  |  | Area at the June census |  |  |  |  | Estimated quantity harvested |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | 1939 | 1950 | 1951 | 1952 | 1953 | 1939 | 1950 | 1951 | 1952 | $1953\left({ }^{(2)}\right.$ |
|  |  |  |  | Thousand acres |  |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |
| Crops and grass : Total |  |  |  | 31,679 | 31,126 | 31,131 | 31,163 | 31,167(3) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arable Perman |  | ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 12,906 \\ & 18,773 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,356 \\ & 12,770 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,998 \\ & 13,134 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18,104 \\ 13,059 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,100 \\ & 12,948 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Crops and fallow : Total |  |  |  | 8,781 | 12,751 | 12,118 | 12,261 | 12,296 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wheat |  |  |  | 1,766 1013 1042 | 2,479 <br> 1,778 | 2,181 1,908 | 2,2030 2,281 | 2,217 2,218 2,218 | 1,645 892 | 2,606 1,711 | 2,316 1,939 | 2,307 <br> 2,334 | 2,591 2,420 |
| Barley |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,766 2,427 | 1,778 3,105 | 2,857 | 2,882 | 2,841 | 2,003 | 2,692 | + | 2,772 | 2,746 |
| Oats |  | $\ldots$ |  | -8, 8 | - 838 | $\begin{array}{r}836 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | -838 | 802 | 2,73 | $\begin{array}{r}715 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 804 | 830 | 824 |
| Rye (th |  | .... |  | 14 704 | 71 1 | 54 1.050 | 960 | -67 | 10 5 | 57 | $\begin{array}{r}47 \\ 8 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}50 \\ 7848 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 65 |
| Potatoe |  | $\ldots$ |  | 704 345 | 1,235 429 | 1,050 425 | 990 408 | 986 413 | 5,218 3,529 | 9,507 5,218 | 8,284 4,534 | 7,848 4,236 | 8,029 5,226 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Beans |  |  |  | 135 | 117 | 109 | 127 | 145 | 111 | 103 | 94 | 102 | 117 |
| Peas |  | $\ldots$ |  | 37 | $\begin{array}{r}37 \\ 599 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 597 | 593 | 592 | 10,084 | 9,215 | 9,932 | 9,706 | 10,541 |
| Turni |  | ... |  | 216 | 277 | 264 | 224 | 215 | 4,069 | 6,498 | 6,083 | 4,818 | 5,308 |
| Mang |  |  |  | 226 | 481 | 481 | 553 | 597 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Straw : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,990 | 2,524 | 2,065 | 2,013 |  |
| Whe |  |  |  |  | 二 | - |  | - | 2,610 | 3,022 | 2,871 | 2,946 |  |
| Oat |  |  |  | - | 2 |  |  |  | 842 | 1,419 | 1,450 | 1,721 |  |
| Hops |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 19 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 14 | 18 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Mustard |  |  | $\ldots$ | 48 3 3 | ${ }_{38} 88$ | 59 27 | 17 | 11 |  | 15 | 12 |  |  |
| Linseed |  |  |  | 23 | 39 | 44 | 38 | 33 | 45 | 74 | 78 | 70 | 66 |
| FruitVegetables :T |  |  |  | 301 | 333 | 332 | 331 | 322 | 824 | 741 | 956 | 922 |  |
|  |  |  |  | 292 | 510 | 422 | 424 | 439 | 2,062 | 3,099 | 2,382 | 2,316 |  |
| Carr |  |  |  | 17 | 32 | 25 | 28 | 33 7 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Onio |  |  |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cabb |  |  | . | 47 38 | 41 | 41 | 46 | 50 |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{\text {Peas }}$ |  |  |  | 38 20 | 153 | 117 | 123 | 116 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Peas | ar | d ca | ing) | 70 | 82 | 66 | 68 | 80 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bean |  | Fren |  | 18 | 17 | 12 | 13 5 | 14 5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tom |  |  |  | 77 | 99 | $9{ }^{5}$ | 84 | 80 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Flower |  |  |  | 25 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 24 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fruit prim |  | ot |  |  |  | 9 | 10 | 15 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other |  |  |  | 19 | 34 | 49 | 35 | 41 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bare fa |  |  |  | 374 | 269 | 384 | 305 | 224 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lucerne |  |  |  | $32(4$ | 74 | 84 | 106 | 115 |  | $93\left({ }^{\text {( }}\right.$ | 104( ${ }^{5}$ | $123\left({ }^{\text {( })}\right.$ | 137(5) |
| Temporary grassland ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) : Total |  |  |  | 4,093 | 5,531 | 5,796 | 5,737 | 5,689 | 2,588 | 3,459( ${ }^{(5)}$ | 4,062( ${ }^{5}$ ) | 4,206 ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | 4,105( ${ }^{(5)}$ |
| For m |  |  |  | 1,902 | 2,754 | 3,004 | 2,993 2,744 | 2,856 2,834 |  |  |  |  |  |
| For gr |  |  |  | 2,191 | 2,777 | 2,792 | 2,744 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Permanent grassland : Total |  |  |  | 18,773 | 12,770 | 13,134 | 13,059 | 12,948 | 5,202 | 2,799(5) | 3,150(5) | 3,325( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 3,371 ( ${ }^{(9)}$ |
| For For $g$ |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 5,009 \\ 13,764 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,074 \\ & 9,696 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,129 \\ 10,004 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,218 \\ & 9,841 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,165 \\ & 9,782 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rough |  |  |  | 16,539 | 17,103 | 17,066 | 17,046 | 16,896 |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excludes agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain and less than <br> Source : Agricultural Departments one quarter of an acre in Northern Ireland. <br> ${ }^{2}{ }^{2}$ ) Based on the latest estimates of yields per acre. <br> (3) Including 120,000 acres returned in England and Wales as "arable and permanent grassland temporarily out of use through flooding "'. <br> (4) England and Wales only. <br> (5) 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. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Cattle and sheep on agricultural holdings
TABLE 95
Thousands

|  |  |  | 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 | $157\left({ }^{1}\right)$ | 2,841 | 480 | 564 | 1,229 | 1,867 | 1,736 | 26,887 | 317 | 10,975 | 3,494 | 12,102 |
| 1947 | June | $\ldots$ | 9,567 9,806 | 187 188 | 2,897 2,933 | 643 650 | 843 907 | 1,548 1,505 | 1,708 1,603 | 1,742 2,019 | 16,713 18,164 | 225 | 7,143 7,545 | 3,138 2,689 | 6,207 |
| 1949 | June | .... | 10,244 | 180 | 3,049 | 641 | 911 | 1,506 | 1,796 | 2,161 | 19,493 | 239 | 7,746 | 2,689 3,149 | 7,708 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 | .. | 10,250 | 168 | 2,727 | 936 | 780 | 1,600 | 1,943 | 2,095 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | 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 |  | 9,931 | 153 | 2,654 | 918 | 850 | 1,620 | 1,829 | 1,907 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | 10,244 | 148 | 3,020 | 579 | 874 | 1,721 | 1,898 | 2,005 | 21,655 | 250 | 8,497 | 3,796 | 9,112 |
|  | September |  | 10,081 | 145 | 2,717 | 913 | 797 | 1,681 | 1,845 | 1,983 | 19,381 | 242 | 7,830 | 3,583 | 7,726 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | 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 | ... | 10,452 | 142 | 3,114 | 572 | 830 | 1,710 | 1,945 | 2,140 | 22,429 | 258 | 8,714 | 4,035 | 9,421 |

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

Pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings
TABLE 96

| TAB | LE 96 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ousands |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | igs |  |  |  |  | Poultry |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Other pigs |  |  |  | Fow | in Great | ain |
|  |  | Total | young boars for service | for breeding | Five months old and over | Two months and under five | Under two months | Total ${ }^{1}$ ) | in the United Kingdom | Total | Six months 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 1950 | June | 2,823 | 26 | 345 | 796 | 1,101 | 555 | 95,499 | 89,152 | 66,488 | 28,628 | 37,860 |
|  | 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 |
|  |  |  | 45 | 571 | 1,339 | 1,959 | 981 | 64,347 | 61,122 | 49,373 | 42,537 | 6,836 |
| 1952 | March ... | 4,842 | 44 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17,076 |
|  | June ... <br> September | 4,962 | 44 | 594 | 1,220 | 2,000 | 1,105 | 94,974 | 90,345 | 74,708 | 32,538 | 42,170 |
|  | September December | 5,269 5,326 | 44 45 | 602 | 1,459 | 1,922 | 1,241 | 9,974 |  | 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 | 5,176 | 49 | 701 | 1,091 | 2,045 | 1,289 | 92,525 | 87,951 | 74,131 | 32,702 | 41,429 |

[^16]Source: Agricultural Departments

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

Weekly averages

${ }^{1}$ ) Great Britain.
(2) Receipts by flour millers.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ 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.
${ }^{(5)}$ Excluding fat animals imported from the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland.
(a) Average for crop years 1936/7 to 1938/9.

- Average of five weeks.


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

 chocolate, beer and spiritsTABLE 98

${ }^{(1)} 1934$ to 1938 used by millers only. Later figures include oats used by millers, flakers and maltsters
${ }^{2}$ ) Refined equivalent of sugar produced from home grown sugar beet.
${ }^{3}$ ) Averages relate to twelve months from March to February.

* Average of five weeks

Fish, meat, bacon and milk products : Production

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

* Average of five weeks.

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

${ }^{(1)}$ As crude oil
(2) 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.
${ }^{(4)}$ Figures exclude castor meal, cocoa-cake and meal.

* Average of five weeks.

Cereal products, sugar and chocolate : Consumption


[^17]Source : Ministry of Food

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Meat, fish and eggs : Consumption

TABLE 102

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 products, fats, fruit, tea, cocoa and coffee : Consumption

${ }^{1}$ ) Computed from figures for calendar months
(2) Excluding beans transferred to oilseed stocks

Source : Ministry of Food

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Vegetables and animal feeding stuffs : Consumption
TABLE 105
Weekly averages
Thousand tons


[^18]- Average of five weeks.


# X. EXTERNAL TRADE <br> Value and volume of the external trade of the United Kingdom 

Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  |  | Import | (c.i.f.) |  |  | ports of | United Kin | dom p | duce (f. |  |  | Volume | index( ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Food, |  |  | Tot | Food, |  | Manu | factured | oods | Re- exports |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total | and tobacco | materials | factures | $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | and tobacco | Raw | Metals, etc. ${ }^{(3}$ ) | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { Textiles } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { clothing } \end{array}$ | Other | (f.o.b.) | Total imports | Exports |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £ million |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | $\ldots$... | $\ldots$ | 63.0 | 29.6 | 17.7 | 15.4 | 35.5 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 4.4 | 11.1 | 9.7 | 6.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | $92 \cdot 9$ | 103.2 |
| 1936 | ... ... | ... | $70 \cdot 6$ | 31.8 | 20.7 | 17.7 | $36 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 11.4 | 10.2 | 6.6 6.8 | 5.0 | 99 | 104 |
| 1937 | ... ... | ... | 85.7 | 35.9 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 22.9 | $43 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 14.4 | 11.3 | 8.0 | 6.2 | 105 | 113 |
| 1938 | ... ... | ... | 76.6 | $35 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | 19.5 | $39 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 7$ | 14.6 | 8.4 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 5.1 | 100.0 | $100 \cdot 0$ |
| 1947 | ... ... | ... | 149.3 | 67.0 | 47.0 | $33 \cdot 2$ | 94.9 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | 45.8 | 18.8 | 18.7 | $4 \cdot 9$ | 88.7 | 62.3 |
| 1948 | ... ... | ... | 172.8 | 73.6 | $56 \cdot 7$ | $40 \cdot 6$ | 131.9 | $7 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 63.4 | 27.1 | 24.2 | 5.1 | 92 | 79 |
| 1949 | ... ... | ... | 189.6 | $80 \cdot 9$ | $64 \cdot 5$ | 42.5 | 148.9 | 8.1 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $74 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | 25.5 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 100 | 87 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | 217.4 | 85.8 | 82.9 | $47 \cdot 2$ | 180.9 | 11.2 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 89.3 | 34.7 | 32.9 | 7.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 1951 | ... $\quad$.. |  | $325 \cdot 3$ | 107.8 | 142.5 | $73 \cdot 7$ | 215.0 | 13.4 | $7 \cdot 9$ | 99.9 | 44.9 | $44 \cdot 6$ | 10.6 | 112.5 | $101 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | ... $\quad$. | $\cdots$ | 290.1 | $101 \cdot 2$ | 116.7 | $71 \cdot 0$ | $215 \cdot 1$ | 13.1 | $9 \cdot 2$ | $110 \cdot 0$ | $31 \cdot 8$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | 12.0 | 103.0 | 95.0 |
| 1951 | October | ... | $362 \cdot 7$ | 116.1 | 159.3 | 85.9 | $235 \cdot 3$ | $14 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $110 \cdot 0$ | $46 \cdot 3$ | $52 \cdot 7$ | 10.5 |  |  |
|  | November | ... | $328 \cdot 6$ | 109.6 | 141.4 | $76 \cdot 3$ | $243 \cdot 9$ | 14.9 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 118.3 | $45 \cdot 2$ | 53.1 | 10.1 | ) 113.6 | $102 \cdot 6$ |
|  | December | ... | 314.3 | 101.3 | 134.0 | $78 \cdot 1$ | $204 \cdot 7$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 98.1 | $35 \cdot 3$ | 45.0 | 8.7 | $\int 113 \cdot 6$ | $102 \cdot 6$ |
| 1952 | January | $\ldots$ | 357-3 | 115.9 | 154.5 | 85.0 | $252 \cdot 9$ | 15.4 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 125.0 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 53.0 |  |  |  |
|  | February | ... | 297. I | 107.0 | 117.0 | 71.7 | $230 \cdot 2$ | 14.1 | 9.9 | 111.4 | 37.9 | 51.1 | $16 \cdot 2$ | $\} 111.8$ | 106.4 |
|  | March .. | $\ldots$ | $333 \cdot 3$ | $118 \cdot 2$ | 133.1 | $80 \cdot 9$ | $243 \cdot 3$ | 13.9 | 9.6 | 123.4 | 37.4 | 52.0 | $24 \cdot 6$ | $\int M H \cdot 8$ | 106.4 |
|  | - April | ... | 325.6 | 116.2 | $134 \cdot 2$ | $74 \cdot 1$ | 219.6 | $12 \cdot 1$ | 8.1 | 115.1 | $33 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 8$ | 11.6 |  |  |
|  | May | ... | $320 \cdot 3$ 276.4 | 114.8 | 124.9 | 79.5 65.9 | 228.1 | 13.9 | 9.4 | 121.9 | 29.5 | $47 \cdot 7$ | 9.8 | $\} 106 \cdot 3$ | 92.5 |
|  | June | ... | 276.4 | $101 \cdot 2$ | 108.0 | $65 \cdot 9$ | 187.4 | $9 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | 99.0 | 25.9 | $39 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $\int 106 \cdot 3$ |  |
|  | July . | $\ldots$ | 290.3 | 107.8 | 108.4 | $72 \cdot 8$ | $210 \cdot 7$ | 14.0 | 9. 5 | $110 \cdot 0$ | 29.3 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 12.9 |  |  |
|  | August ... | ... | $261 \cdot 7$ | 92. 2 | $100 \cdot 8$ | $67 \cdot 1$ | 182.9 | 10.7 | 8.4 | 92.8 | $26 \cdot 1$ | $38 \cdot 5$ | 8.9 | \} 94.0 | $85 \cdot 7$ |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $238 \cdot 6$ | $78 \cdot 8$ | 96.1 | 62.4 | 188.5 | 13.1 | 8.5 | $95 \cdot 8$ | 26.7 | $38 \cdot 7$ | 8.4 | $\int 9$ |  |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $266 \cdot 6$ | $83 \cdot 2$ | 108.5 | 73.4 | 221.9 |  |  | 112.3 | 31.5 |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 261.8 | 88.9 | $110 \cdot 8$ | 61.0 | $210 \cdot 4$ | 12.5 | 9.4 | 108.3 | 30.6 | $41 \cdot 7$ | 8.9 | $\} 99.6$ | 95.4 |
|  | December |  | $267 \cdot 7$ | $100 \cdot 1$ | $105 \cdot 1$ | 61.6 | 207.5 | 11.8 | 10.4 | $107 \cdot 1$ | 29.4 | $39 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | ) |  |
| 1953 | January February March | $\cdots$ | 290.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 102.6 \\ 90.6 \\ 105.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 124.6 \\ 95.3 \\ 118.0 \end{array}$ | $60 \cdot 8$ <br> $55 \cdot 2$ <br> $60 \cdot 4$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 11.9 \\ & 11.5 \\ & 13.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11.2 \\ 9.7 \\ 10.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 112.5 \\ 99.8 \\ 108.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32.1 \\ & 29.4 \\ & 30.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 3 \\ & 38 \cdot 8 \\ & 43 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.0 \\ 9.2 \\ 10.9 \end{array}$ | $\} 106.4$ | $93 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | 243.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $285 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May June |  | 293.3 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 115.0 \\ & 115.2 \\ & 108.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 0 \\ & 57 \cdot 7 \\ & 57 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 214.8 \\ & 211.7 \\ & 203.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 11.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.3 \\ 10.9 \\ 9.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.2 \\ & 109.5 \\ & 106.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 4 \\ & 30 \cdot 4 \\ & 28 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 6 \\ & 42 \cdot 9 \\ & 42 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.9 \\ & 7.2 \\ & 7.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 116.2$ | $95 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  | $295 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $291 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July August ... September | $\cdots$ | 293.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 119.1 \\ 95.0 \\ 117.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 112.4 \\ 97.0 \\ 94.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 2 \\ & 56 \cdot 0 \\ & 55 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 234.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 12.6 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.0 \\ 7.8 \\ 9.1 \end{array}$ | 119.9 $97 \cdot 0$ $97 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 0 \\ & 31 \cdot 7 \\ & 31 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 4 \\ & 42 \cdot 8 \\ & 44 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.6 \\ & 8.8 \\ & 8.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 1111.6$ | $97 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $249 \cdot 3$ 269.4 |  |  |  | 198.2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 269.4 |  |  |  | $202 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | 279.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 112.2 \\ & 108.9 \end{aligned}$ | 102.599.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 6 \\ & 62 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | 227.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.5 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.4 \\ & 119.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 0 \\ & 35 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 4 \\ & 50 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.3 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 112(4) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105\left({ }^{4}\right) \\ & 110\left({ }^{4}\right) \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\cdots$ | $272 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  | $240 \cdot 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^19]
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## Value of exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom

TABLE 107
Monthly averages or calendar months
Ethousand

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

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures from 1952 take account of the increased valuation of parcel post.
Source: Board of Trade

# Imports into the United Kingdom <br> Analysis by area and country 

Monthly averages or calendar months
£ million

|  |  | Dollar Area |  |  |  | Nondollar Western Hemisphere (1) | Non-Sterling O.E.E.C. countries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Canada | U.S.A. | Other |  | Total ${ }^{2}$ ) | Sweden | Denmark, Faroes and Greenland | Western Germany ${ }^{(3)}$ | Netherlands | Belgium and Luxembourg | France | Other <br> $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ |
| 1938 | - ... | $17 \cdot 9$ | 6.8 | 9.8 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 18.4 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | 2.4 | 1.6 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 7$ |
| 1950 |  | $40 \cdot 0$ | 15.0 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 14.2 | $54 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | 8.4 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 7.1 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 9.1 | 17.4 |
| 1951 |  | 64.5 | 21.7 | 31.7 | 11.1 | $17 \cdot 0$ | $84 \cdot 0$ | 11.4 | $9 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 10.8 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 11.3 | $27 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | ... .. | 60.1 | 26.6 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 7-2 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 71.4 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 9.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | 8.4 | $7 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 6$ |
| 1952 | October ... | 52.6 | 21.4 | 25.7 |  |  |  |  |  | 7.6 |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | 45.5 43.9 | 21.5 21.5 | 20.8 18.7 | 3.2 3.7 | 10.9 6.5 | $62 \cdot 2$ $64 \cdot 6$ | 8.7 9.2 | 7.4 9.5 | 6.6 5.7 | 6.3 6.2 | $6 \cdot 3$ $7 \cdot 3$ | 8.0 8.0 | 18.9 18.7 |
|  | December | 43.9 | 21.5 | 18.7 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... | 45.0 | 15.9 | $26 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | 11.1 | 67.4 | 9.6 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 6.0 | $7 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 7.6 | 19.1 |
|  | February | 41.8 | 18.1 | 21.4 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 12.1 | 57.4 | 7.1 6.6 | 8.9 | 5.6 6.8 | 6.7 8.7 | $5 \cdot 3$ 6.1 | $7 \cdot 0$ 7.8 | 16.8 21.4 |
|  | March . | $45 \cdot 6$ | 16.8 | $23 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 16.1 | 68.9 | 6.6 | 11.5 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | 6.1 | $7 \cdot 8$ | 21.4 |
|  |  | 53.8 | 15.4 | 29.3 | 9.1 | 13.5 | 61.4 | 8.0 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 6.2 | 7.0 | 6.0 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 16.9 |
|  | May ... | 50.6 | 24.3 | 17.8 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 19.8 | $64 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 4$ | 11.3 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 7.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 18.5 |
|  | June ... | 59.6 | 34.0 | 19.2 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 18.1 | $68 \cdot 0$ | 11.5 | 12.9 | 6.5 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | 60.1 | 34.6 | 16.2 | 9.3 | 17.4 | 67.1 | 11.8 | 12.7 | 6.0 | 7.4 | $4 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 8$ | 17.9 |
|  | August ... | 48.1 | 24.6 | 16.0 | $7 \cdot 5$ | $10 \cdot 4$ | $58 \cdot 7$ | 9.8 | 10.0 | 4.8 | $7 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 9$ |
|  | September | $56 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 4$ | 20.1 | 9.5 | 15.1 | 64.1 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 11.0 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 7.9 | 4.8 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 18.4 |
|  |  | 55.4 | 29.1 | 19.2 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 14.3 | 67.4 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 11.3 | $5 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | 19.8 |
|  | November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| TABLE 108 (continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | £ million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Eastern Europe ${ }^{(5)}$ | Rest of the World | Commonwealth countries and the Irish Republic |
|  |  | Total | British Colonies ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Union of South Africa | India | Pakistan | Ceylon | Australia | New Zealand | Irish Republic | Other |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | $23 \cdot 9$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 2$ |  |  | 1.0 | $6 \cdot 0$ | 3.9 | 1.9 | $1 \cdot 5$ | 6.2 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 2$ |
| 1950 | $\cdots$ | 82.6 | $26 \cdot 6$ | 4.3 | $8 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 18.3 | 11.2 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 4.3 | 9.0 | 17.0 | 98.3 |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ | 116.5 | $45 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 12.7 9.5 | 3.4 | 3.6 2.9 | 21.0 18.7 | $13 \cdot 7$ 13.8 | 5.8 7 7.5 | 5.4 9.2 | 17.1 13.8 | $26 \cdot 2$ 16.7 | 141.4 143.8 |
| 1952 | ... $\quad$. | 119.8 | $50 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | 2.9 | 18.7 | 13.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 13.8 | $16 \cdot 7$ | $143 \cdot 8$ |
| 1952 | October ... <br> November <br> December | 119.0 | 53.3 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | 17.5 | 8.9 | 9.1 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 126.5 | 50.4 51 | 6.8 | 8.1 | 1.5 | 1.9 2.8 | 27.8 | 12.1 12.4 | 7.9 9.1 | 10.0 10.6 | 10.1 9.2 | 6.6 10.9 | $140 \cdot 8$ 145.7 |
|  |  | 132.6 | 51.7 | 5.9 | $10 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $27 \cdot 5$ | 12.4 |  |  | $9 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 9$ |  |
| 1953 | January ... | 140.8 | 50.5 | 6.0 | $7 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 38.5 | 15.9 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 9.9 | 14.3 | 11.5 | 148.8 |
|  | February | 113.7 | 47.9 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 8.2 | 3.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 186 | 14.0 | 7.1 | 6.3 | $7 \cdot 0$ | 11.0 | 127.0 |
|  | March ... | 132.9 | 53.2 | 7.1 | 9.0 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 2.4 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 16.2 | $9 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 142.3 |
|  | April | 145.4 | $49 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 1$ | 9.7 | $2 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | 30.5 | 21.9 | 7.6 | 14.5 | 7.3 | 11.9 | 152.7 |
|  | May | 142.0 | $53 \cdot 5$ | 6.0 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 3.0 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 31.7 | 14.9 | 8.4 | 12.5 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 11.8 | 161.0 |
|  | June ... | 121.9 | 41.9 | $6 \cdot 0$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 1.7 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 17.6 | $22 \cdot 4$ | 8.9 | 12.9 | 11.6 | 12.5 | 151.6 |
|  | July ... | 125.3 | 51.9 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 7.2 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 2.9 | $25 \cdot 0$ | 11.1 | 9.6 | $9 \cdot 9$ | 14.6 | 8.5 | 156.8 |
|  | August ... | 107.4 | $42 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 1.2 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | 6.8 | 8.6 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 4$ | 8.3 | 128.9 |
|  | September | 112.5 | $42 \cdot 5$ | 4.9 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 18.4 | 12.2 | 10.8 | $9 \cdot 4$ | 11.9 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 136.7 |
|  | October ... November December | 119.5 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 6.0 | 13.6 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | $12 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 6$ | 146.0 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding Japan and possessions of European countries.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Including possessions. Excluding Netherlands New Guinea before 1950 and Spanish Protectorate of Morocco and Tangier in 1953.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including Eastern Germany before 1951.
${ }^{( }$) Excluding Channel Islands, British whale fisheries and (as a non-Sterling Area territory) Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, but including protectorates, trust and mandated territories of members of the Commonwealth and the Protected States of Bahrein, Trucial Oman, Qatar and Kuwait.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{5}\right)$ Soviet Union, Finland, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Albania, Bulgaria, Roumania (and Eastern Germany after 1950).

Analysis by area and country
Monthly averages or calendar months


TABLE 109 (continued)
£ million
Common-
wealth
countries
and the
Irish
Republic
$19 \cdot 2$
95.1
118.4
114.1
114.3
111.5
$107 \cdot 5$
$115 \cdot 8$
$100 \cdot 2$
114.9
112.6
107.0
126.0
102.6
$120 \cdot 8$
(1) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 107.

Source : Board of Trade
$\left({ }^{2}\right),\left({ }^{2}\right),\left({ }^{4}\right),\left({ }^{5}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{6}\right)$. See corresponding footnotes $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to $\left({ }^{5}\right)$ to Table 108.

Exports to the United States of America
Monthly averages or calendar months

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

## Exports to Canada

TABLE III
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 107.
(2) IExcluding wool and mohair plushes and certain other types of cloth.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Including chassis for commercial vehicles but excluding chassis for new cars.

Imports of principal items of food

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

Imports of principal items of food
TABLE 113

|  |  | Eggs in shell | Meat ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Canned meat | Bacon and ham | Fresh or frozen fish | Apples | Tomatoes | Dried fruit | Oranges | Unrefined sugar | Tea | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Raw } \\ & \text { cocoa } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Million dozen | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | 23.08 | $88 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 31.4 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 29.4 | 11.9 | $15 \cdot 5$ | 44.9 | 197.4 | 19.6 | 11.0 |
| 1950 |  | 13.99 | 67.5 | $8 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | 8.4 | 9.8 | 16.1 | $12 \cdot 3$ | 28.0 | 174.3 | $13 \cdot 7$ | 10.9 |
| 1951 |  | 9.45 | $39 \cdot 9$ | 14.6 | 18.4 | 13.0 | $16 \cdot 2$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | 8.3 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 186.8 | $17 \cdot 3$ | $8.9$ |
| 1952 |  | 1021 | $45 \cdot 5$ | 11.4 | 21.0 | 10.4 | 12.5 | 16.0 | $13 \cdot 5$ | 26.9 | 166.3 | $18 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 6$ |
| 1952 |  | 10.49 | $52 \cdot 3$ | 13.9 | 13.4 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 0.7 | $10 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 11.7 | $150 \cdot 2$ | 19.8 | $2 \cdot 0$ |
|  | November... | 11.63 16.08 | 31.7 29.2 | 14.5 12.6 | 17.0 26.3 | $6 \cdot 5$ 8.0 | 3.6 3.6 | 14.5 | 9.4 6.4 | 16.2 52.6 | 112.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 22.7 \end{aligned}$ | 2.0 12.4 |
|  | December... | 16.08 | $29 \cdot 2$ | $12 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 11.9 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | $161 \cdot 1$ |  |  |
| 1953 | January ... | 17.87 | $46 \cdot 9$ | 13.6 | 29.5 | $7 \cdot 2$ | 12.0 | 13.6 | 16.6 | $75 \cdot 3$ | 134.0 |  |  |
|  | February ... | 9.67 | $74 \cdot 5$ | 8.8 | 24.8 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 7.9 | 11.3 | $26 \cdot 6$ | 53.5 | $110 \cdot 5$ | $18 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.5 \\ & 17.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | March ... | 11.94 | 61.8 | 11.6 | 35.0 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 9$ | 16.4 | 24.1 | 38.9 | 163.4 | $17 \cdot 5$ | 17.7 |
|  | April ... | $6 \cdot 37$ | $81 \cdot 8$ | 13.9 | $26 \cdot 0$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | $14 \cdot 2$ | $21 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 4$ | $37 \cdot 7$ | $301 \cdot 8$ | 16.4 | $18.1$ |
|  | May ... | 12.66 | 69.3 | 11.8 | $25 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | $25 \cdot 6$ | 25.9 | 22.9 | $36 \cdot 9$ | 363.4 | 15.4 | 14.6 |
|  | June ... | 8.91 | $61 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 29.7 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | 19.9 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 259.0 | 12.1 | $7 \cdot 6$ |
|  | July $\quad .$. | 10.77 | $72 \cdot 2$ | 11.1 | $28 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 11.4 | 18.6 | $13 \cdot 1$ | $24 \cdot 7$ | 335-2 | 13.9 |  |
|  | August | 7. 25 | 52.4 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 21.9 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 0.2 | 11.9 | 8.5 | 21.2 | 185.9 347.7 | 15.6 21.9 | 3.0 2.8 |
|  | September... | $8 \cdot 48$ | 59.7 | $16 \cdot 7$ | $24 \cdot 1$ | $6 \cdot 9$ | $0 \cdot 2$ | $13 \cdot 2$ | 10.7 | $21 \cdot 2$ | $347 \cdot 7$ |  |  |
|  | October November... | $\begin{aligned} & 13.22 \\ & 11.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 5 \\ & 66 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 13.5 11.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 8 \\ & 25 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 5 \\ & 5.6 \end{aligned}$ | -1.9 2.3 | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \cdot 2 \\ 13 \cdot 5 \end{array}$ | $7 \cdot 1$ $4 \cdot 3$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 21 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 285 \cdot 3 \\ & 251 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 4 \\ & 21 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.5 \\ & 4.4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | December ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal ; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Other than manganiferous ore.
Source: Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Excludes ships intended for breaking up.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Ingots, blooms, billets, slabs, sheet bars and tinplate bars.
${ }^{( }$() Including alloy semi-finished steel and malleable castings for wrought tubes, but excluding railway construction material.

Imports of miscellaneous raw materials
TABLE 115

|  |  | Sheep's and lambs' wool ${ }^{1}$ ) | Cotton ${ }^{(1)}$ | Jute | Hide leather and undressed hides | Rubber $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Phosphate rock | Sulphur | Wood pulp | Paper and board |  | Timber |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Newsprint |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Other | Hard wood ${ }^{3}$ ) | Softwood ${ }^{3}$ ) | Ply- wood |
|  |  | Million lb. | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Million cubicfeet | Thousand standards | Thousand cublcfeet |
| 1938 | ... ... |  | 52.1 | $43 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | 6.1 | 11.0 | $34 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 141.4 | $37 \cdot 2$ | $52 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 22$ | 149.4 | 905 |
| 1950 1951 | $\cdots$ | 49.0 36.0 | 37.4 37.5 | 9.4 9.5 | 9.5 7 7.5 | 18.7 25.1 | 92.4 8.8 | 36.6 31.4 3.6 | 119.3 139.3 | 11.6 14.3 | 44.2 66.9 | 4.77 4.99 | 65.9 135.6 | 537 |
| 1952 |  | 36.0 52.0 | 37.5 21.8 | 9.5 8.4 | 7.5 5.5 | 25.1 16.7 | $85 \cdot 8$ $80 \cdot 2$ | 31.4 33.6 | 139.3 119.9 | 14.6 21.8 | $66 \cdot 9$ $31 \cdot 2$ | 4.99 3.05 | 135.6 85.2 | 895 752 |
| 1952 | October ... <br> November <br> December... | 36.8 81.1 | 23.8 19.5 | 9.8 7.7 | 5.9 10.9 | 22.1 14.3 | $86 \cdot 9$ $72 \cdot 9$ | $33 \cdot 1$ 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 |  |  | 6.5 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 108.2 | 6.3 | 165.2 | 24.4 | $44 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 74$ | $52 \cdot 7$ | 295 |
| 1953 | January $\qquad$ February $\qquad$ March$\qquad$ | 102.7 | 29.8 | 18.4 | 10.0 | 16.6 | 121.1 | $24 \cdot 2$ | 120.9 | 18.2 | $26 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 35$ | 142.7 | 402 |
|  |  | 68.8 | 19.1 | 25.8 | 7.5 | 15.5 | 89.6 | 9.1 | 79.8 | 11.9 | 21.8 | $2 \cdot 81$ | $87 \cdot 7$ | 216 |
|  |  | 87.9 | 31.1 | 19.6 | 8.1 | 20.6 | 115.5 | 21.3 | 104.3 | 12.6 | $32 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 30$ | 89.6 | 213 |
|  | April May June | 82.9 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 22.1 | 8.9 | 14.5 | $97 \cdot 8$ |  | 112.5 | 22.7 | 29.5 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 98.3 | 22.9 | 17.8 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 21.5 | $63 \cdot 0$ | 12.9 | 136.1 | 19.5 | 28.9 | $3 \cdot 84$ | 115.3 | 380 |
|  |  | $68 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 3$ | 6.8 | 6.9 | 18.7 | $70 \cdot 9$ | 29.2 | 127.5 | 21.2 | $28 \cdot 0$ | 3.91 | 180.7 | 423 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | 50.4 | 27.5 | 11.3 | 6.7 | $24 \cdot 2$ | 83.5 | 4.4 | 143.6 | 21.4 | 39.4 | 4. 12 | 187.5 | 410 |
|  |  | 35.2 | 21.5 | $3 \cdot 3$ | 7.2 | 15.9 | $70 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | 143.1 | $17 \cdot 9$ | $35 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 52$ | $143 \cdot 6$ | 406 |
|  |  | 24.0 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 18.8 | 82.6 | 21.9 | 137:8 | $26 \cdot 5$ | $43 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 39$ | 118.9 | 312 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $34 \cdot 1$ | 31.4 | 9.5 |  |  | 91.3 |  | 171.6 | 21.5 | 51.1 | 4.63 | 104.5 | 470 |
|  |  | 55.9 | $25 \cdot 7$ | 11.8 | $6 \cdot 2$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | $88 \cdot 3$ | $25 \cdot 6$ | 149.0 | 18.3 | 44.8 | $3 \cdot 53$ | 91.7 | 678 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Retained imports.
(2) Retained imports. Natural and synthetic rubber.

Source : Board of Trade
(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

|  |  | Coal |  | Iron and steel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Aluminium and aluminium manufactures | Brass and brass manufactures | Copper and copper manufactures | Tin, blocks, - etc. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 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 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand cwt. |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | 2,988 | 874 | $9 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 0$ | $27 \cdot 1$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | $18 \cdot 2$ | $13 \cdot 2$ | 7-1 | $46 \cdot 4$ | 10.5 | $27 \cdot 1$ | $28 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 5$ |
| 1950 | . | 1,129 | 335 | 29.5 | 18.5 | 20.9 | 49.4 | 29.2 | 25.8 | 14.4 | $69 \cdot 6$ | 86.8 | 83.9 | $106 \cdot 5$ | 25.8 |
| 1951 | . | 651 | 310 | 18.4 | 15.9 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $39 \cdot 2$ | 31.9 | $17 \cdot 6$ | 11.3 | 62.4 | 78.0 | $39 \cdot 3$ | 43.0 | 25.8 8.2 |
| 1952 |  | 979 | 275 | 12.4 | 13.4 | $25 \cdot 2$ | $39 \cdot 1$ | $35 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 0$ | 9.8 | 56.4 | 66.9 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 8$ | 20.9 |
| 1952 | October... November December | $\begin{array}{r} 1,213 \\ 960 \\ 988 \end{array}$ | 272 | 14.6 | 11.2 | $25 \cdot 6$ | $43 \cdot 1$ | $42 \cdot 7$ | 19.4 | $10 \cdot 3$ | $60 \cdot 2$ | 87.0 | $56 \cdot 3$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | $21 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |  | 223 | $16 \cdot 0$ | $16 \cdot 5$ | 27.9 | 50.6 | 39.5 | $14.9$ | 11.6 | $66 \cdot 2$ | $82 \cdot 8$ | 89.0 | 39.6 | 13.5 |
|  |  |  | 249 | 13.1 | 11.6 | $31 \cdot 8$ | $49 \cdot 6$ | 31.9 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | 54.5 | 85.7 | $63 \cdot 5$ | 70.9 | 10.0 |
| 1953 | January ... <br> February <br> March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,159 \\ & 1,089 \\ & 1,078 \end{aligned}$ | 211 | $15 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 1$ | 25.4 | $44 \cdot 4$ | $40 \cdot 0$ | $24 \cdot 2$ | $10 \cdot 7$ | $63 \cdot 3$ | $84 \cdot 2$ | $67 \cdot 7$ | $67 \cdot 8$ | 18.8 |
|  |  |  | 248 | 12.9 | $10 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 7$ | $33 \cdot 2$ | 34.4 | 14.4 | 9.7 | $48 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{array}{r}97.7 \\ \hline 105.5\end{array}$ | $50 \cdot 2$ | 74.7 | 13.9 |
|  |  |  | 228 | $12 \cdot 5$ | $12 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 9$ | $46 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | 10.9 | $59 \cdot 7$ | $105 \cdot 5$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | 72.5 | 11.2 |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 1,143 \\ & 1,239 \\ & 1,001 \end{aligned}$ | 238 | $11 \cdot 3$ | 11.5 | 15.4 | $37 \cdot 1$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | 28.3 | 11.5 | $60 \cdot 3$ | 102.0 | 48.9 | 63.4 | 11.0 |
|  |  |  | 256 | 12.9 | 12.6 | 25.6 | $46 \cdot 1$ | 34.8 | 17.6 | 10.9 8.7 | $56 \cdot 7$ | 75.8 | $64 \cdot 2$ | 78.1 | 21.9 |
|  |  |  | 243 | $10 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 16.1 | $58 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 2$ | $19 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | $90 \cdot 8$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | 66.7 | 23.7 |
|  | July August ... September | $\begin{array}{r} 1,155 \\ 885 \\ 1,185 \end{array}$ | 250 | 12.5 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 21.8 | 59.9 | $40 \cdot 1$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | $65 \cdot 5$ | 124.8 | 105.4 | 75.3 | $32 \cdot 9$ |
|  |  |  | 215 | $9 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | 19.2 | $41 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 9$ | 18.6 | 9.4 | $55 \cdot 2$ | 103.4 | $93 \cdot 5$ | $67 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  |  | 232 | 11.2 | $8 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 7$ | 14.4 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 59.7 | 103.1 | 67.6 | $78 \cdot 5$ | $36 \cdot 5$ |
|  | October... November December | 1,397 | 230 | 16.7 | 12.0 | $25 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | 10.9 | $66 \cdot 1$ | 117.8 | 91.4 | 59.7 | 27.0 |
|  |  | 1,349 | 238 | $15 \cdot 6$ | 9.4 | 18.5 | 52.1 | $34 \cdot 6$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $71 \cdot 1$ | 107.0 | $68 \cdot 3$ | $67 \cdot 3$ | 18.2 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding non-alloy sheet bars and tinplate bars.
Source : Board of Trade

## Exports of machinery and vehicles

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 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $£$ thousand | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thous. |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  |  | 55 | 658 | 373 | 347 | 701 | 2,637 | 3,677 | 2,007 | 381 | 970 | $\cdots$ | 483 | 1,647 | 48.0 |
| 1950 |  | 792 | 3,821 | 1,402 | 2,647 | 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 | 4,925 | 179 | 7,924 | 3,861 | 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 |
|  | April | 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 |  | 20,988 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 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... | 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 |
|  | November December | 774 | 5,300 | 2,084 | 3,1II | 3,246 | 21,555 | 18,881 | 2,737 | 5,073 | 5,181 | 172 | 7,308 | 4,467 | 187.1 |

Monthly averages or calendar months


Source : Board of Trade

TABLE 119
Other selected exports

|  |  | 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 | 7-1 | 184 | 19.7 | 760 |
| 1950 1951 |  | 62.7 60.4 | 152.9 159.2 | 22.5 22.1 | $43 \cdot 8$ $50 \cdot 8$ | 11.59 10.57 | 58.6 88.5 | 178 197 | 22.7 64.6 | 23.3 39.9 | 634 932 | 30.5 36.3 | 915 1.031 |
| 1952 | ... ... | $56 \cdot 3$ | 171.7 | 18.3 | $42 \cdot 5$ | 8.59 | $70 \cdot 5$ | 168 | 108.7 | $35 \cdot 7$ | 806 | 33.6 | 1,031 |
| 1952 | October November.... | 54.7 $40 \cdot 3$ | 166.4 158.6 | 13.6 14.4 | 34.5 $35 \cdot 0$ | 10.77 11.39 | $66 \cdot 3$ 64.8 | 137 150 | 134.0 137.4 | $34 \cdot 2$ 28.6 | 720 715 | 31.6 28.7 | 1,509 1,059 |
|  | December ... | $45 \cdot 6$ | 114.5 | $15 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 9$ | 11.49 | $72 \cdot 0$ | 117 | 126.4 | $26 \cdot 6$ | 609 | $35 \cdot 2$ |  |
| 1953 | January | 40.9 | $150 \cdot 3$ | 19.6 | $34 \cdot 6$ | 12.64 | 74.1 | 159 | 146.9 | 31.7 | 402 | 30.7 |  |
|  | February ... | 41.0 | 158.7 | 17.8 | 17.0 | 9.93 | 68.5 | 135 | 131.9 | $24 \cdot 2$ | 488 | 31.6 | 1,154 |
|  | March .. | $50 \cdot 0$ | 112.9 | 18.3 | 24.0 | 10.88 | $96 \cdot 8$ | 140 | 158.6 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 580 | 34.7 | 1,340 |
|  | April | 44.4 | 168.6 | 20.4 | 28.9 | 9.72 | 101.4 | 158 | 109.5 | $30 \cdot 4$ | 388 | $31 \cdot 3$ | 1,142 |
|  | May | $52 \cdot 4$ | 198.3 | 21.5 | 33.9 | 9.74 | 89.1 | 167 | 147.5 | 28.0 | 436 | 29.9 | 1,085 |
|  | June | $48 \cdot 4$ | 163.7 | 23.1 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 57$ | $90 \cdot 3$ | 139 | 145.8 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 424 | $35 \cdot 4$ | 1,064 |
|  | July... | 61.6 | 179.9 |  |  | $10 \cdot 17$ | $100 \cdot 1$ | 186 | 189.4 | 28.7 | 418 | $32 \cdot 1$ | 1,296 |
|  | August | 69.5 | 170.1 | 17.2 | 37.3 | $7 \cdot 54$ | 87.9 | 152 | 162.3 | 23.0 | 383 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 1,200 |
|  | September... | $63 \cdot 6$ | 164.0 | $20 \cdot 4$ | 51.9 | 8.82 | 91.5 | 160 | 162.0 | $20 \cdot 8$ | 295 | 30.7 | 1,306 |
|  | October ... | 64.8 | 141.3 | 25.5 | 39.2 | 10.60 |  | 205 | 160.7 | 28.8 | 357 | 33.7 |  |
|  | November... December ... | $50 \cdot 7$ | 151.9 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 57.8 | 9.09 | 109.2 | 194 | 171.8 | $25 \cdot 2$ | 505 | 28.9 | 1,314 |

## XI. MERCHANT SHIPPING

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

TABLE 120
Annual and monthly totals
Thousand gross tons

| Undergoing |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ 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 1,600 gross tons and over

|  |  | Tankers |  |  |  |  |  | Other vessels |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Laid down |  | Under construction End of period |  | Completed |  | Laid down |  | Under construction <br> End of period |  | Completed |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
| 1948 |  | 409 | 230 | 620 | 326 | 203 | 59 | 710 | 212 | 1,238 | 336 | 923 | 312 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | 608 | 293 | 855 | 448 | 380 | 176 | 538 | 135 | 939 | 225 | 880 | 262 |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ | 753 | 397 | 1,050 | 580 | 563 | 255 | 549 | 119 | 761 | 168 | 737 | 176 |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ | 817 | 311 | 1,107 | 407 | 782 | 498 | 552 | 136 | 807 | 178 | 508 | 128 |
| 1952 | $\ldots$ | 721 | 311 | 1,178 | 450 | 657 | 298 | 492 | 100 | 761 | 192 | 565 | 105 |
| 1951 | October ... | 61 | 13 | 1,078 | 463 | 83 | 76 | 25 | 8 | 748 | 142 | 89 | 12 |
|  | November | 53 | 19 | 1,069 | 455 | 63 | 28 | 72 | 51 | 783 | 189 | 36 | 4 |
|  | December... | 152 | 34 | 1,107 | 407 | 114 | 71 | 63 | 2 | 807 | 178 | 41 | 13 |
| 1952 | January ... | 25 | 25 | 1,119 | 419 | 13 | 13 | 39 | 2 | 824 | 176 | 22 | 4 |
|  | February ... | 29 | 18 | 1,126 | 428 | 23 | 11 | 30 | - | 807 | 167 | 46 | 9 |
|  | March ... | 59 | 24 | 1,081 | 419 | 105 | 35 | 44 | 5 | 815 | 167 | 37 | 5 |
|  | April ... | 85 | 23 | 1,089 | 394 | 78 | 49 | 27 | 12 | 809 | 179 | 37 | 二 |
|  | May ... ... | 76 | 29 | 1,091 | 400 | 75 | 23 | 52 | 8 | 809 | 167 | 57 | 25 |
|  | June ... ... | 54 | 31 | 1,052 | 410 | 94 | 21 | 24 | 3 | 783 | 164 | 52 | 8 |
|  | July ... ... | 76 | 40 | 1,102 | 460 | 26 | 16 | 58 | 13 | 804 | 174 | 37 | 4 |
|  | August .... | 13 | 2 | 1,058 | 438 | 57 | 24 | 44 | 19 | 806 | 180 | 47 | 18 |
|  | September | 71 | 28 | 1,084 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | 123 | 43 | 1,157 | 472 | 51 | 24 | 42 | 12 | 751 | 183 | 70 | 11 |
|  | November | 18 | - | 1,116 | 433 | 60 | 40 | 57 | 8 | 748 | 181 | 65 | 13 |
|  | December... | 91 | 46 | 1,178 | 450 | 30 | 30 | 62 | 11 | 761 | 192 | 50 | - |
| 1953 | January ... | 63 | 33 | 1,154 | 461 | 87 | 23 | 54 | - | 794 | 179 | 22 | 15 |
|  | February ... | 49 | 10 | 1,203 | 471 | - | - | 34 | 9 | 769 | 175 | 60 | 13 |
|  | March ... | 54 | 22 | I,187 | 433 | 71 | 60 | 28 | - | 741 | 160 | 55 | 15 |
|  | April ... | 39 | 7 | 1,181 | 440 | 45 | - | 49 | - | 730 | 146 | 59 | 13 |
|  | May ... ... | 57 | 29 | 1,178 | 443 | 60 | 25 | 77 | 46 | 757 | 181 | 51 | 12 |
|  | June ... | 89 | 12 | 1,187 | 435 | 82 | 21 | 30 | - | 757 | 180 |  |  |
|  | July ... ... | 27 | 16 | 1,135 | 408 |  | 33 |  | 8 | 752 | 173 | 39 | 16 |
|  | August ... | 38 | - | 1,154 | 408 | 19 | - | 57 | 12 | 800 | 183 | 8 | 2 |
|  | September | 3 | - | 1,090 | 384 |  | 24 | 65 | 37 | 862 | 218 |  | 2 |
|  | October ... | 46 | - | 1,078 | 372 |  |  |  | 3 | 845 | 191 | 71 | 31 |
|  | November December... | 53 | 10 | 1,070 | 356 | 61 | 26 | 53 | 8 | 855 | 176 | 43 | 23 |

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 Common wealth registers |
| 1939 | September 3 December ... | 14,352 14,138 | $\begin{aligned} & 13,452 \\ & 13,181 \end{aligned}$ | 900 957 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,020 \\ & 1,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 861 \\ & 846 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 157 \end{aligned}$ | 3,172 3,248 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,007 \\ 3,079 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \\ & 68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | 7 8 |
| 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 | October <br> November ... <br> December ... | 14,403 14,391 14,375 | 12,708 12,696 12,669 | 1,695 1,695 1,706 | 795 802 805 | $\begin{aligned} & 635 \\ & 642 \\ & 644 \end{aligned}$ | 160 160 161 | 4,227 4,267 4,282 | 4,057 4,097 4,112 | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 170 \\ & 170 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 105 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | 94 93 94 | 12 12 12 |
| 1952 | January $\qquad$ <br> February $\qquad$ <br> March $\qquad$ | 14,281 14,221 14,187 | 12,597 12,521 12,479 | 1,684 1,700 1,708 | 808 808 809 | 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 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { April } & . . \\ \text { May } . . . & \ldots \\ \text { June } \end{array}$ | 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 | $\begin{aligned} & 172 \\ & 184 \\ & 184 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 106 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | 93 93 93 | 13 13 13 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | 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 | 184 184 184 | 107 107 104 | 93 94 91 | 14 13 13 |
|  | October ... <br> November ... <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 14,163 \\ & 14,185 \\ & 14,203 \end{aligned}$ | 12,465 12,491 12,509 | 1,698 1,694 1,694 | 813 812 812 | 651 650 649 | 162 162 163 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,560 \\ & 4,586 \\ & 4,576 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,376 \\ & 4,402 \\ & 4,395 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 184 \\ 184 \\ 181 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 91 \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | 13 13 13 |
| 1953 | January <br> February $\qquad$ <br> ... <br> March <br> ... | 14,168 14,156 14,163 | $\begin{aligned} & 12,479 \\ & 12,470 \\ & 12,503 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,689 \\ & 1,686 \\ & 1,660 \end{aligned}$ | 813 815 818 | 649 650 653 | 164 165 165 | 4,622 4,608 4,640 | 4,441 4,427 4,459 | 181 181 181 | 104 104 104 | 91 91 91 | 13 13 13 |
|  | April <br> May $\qquad$ <br> June... $\qquad$ | 14,154 14,198 14.117 | 12,494 12,546 12,511 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,660 \\ & 1,652 \\ & 1,606 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 819 \\ & 817 \\ & 827 \end{aligned}$ | 654 652 657 | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 165 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,664 \\ & 4,679 \\ & 4,670 \end{aligned}$ | 4,483 4,501 4,505 | 181 178 165 | 104 104 104 | 91 91 90 | 13 13 14 |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14,135 \\ & 14,078 \\ & 14,061 \end{aligned}$ | 12,525 12,474 12,444 | 1,610 1,604 1,617 | $\begin{aligned} & 823 \\ & 826 \\ & 827 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 657 \\ & 659 \\ & 650 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 166 \\ & 167 \\ & 168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,741 \\ & 4,717 \\ & 4,718 \end{aligned}$ | 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 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 14,105 \\ & 14,106 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,488 \\ & 12,483 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,617 \\ & 1,623 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 824 \\ & 822 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 656 \\ & 654 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168 \\ & 168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,742 \\ & 4,762 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,577 \\ & 4,597 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Vessels temporarily on the United Kingdom register on bareboat charter from Canada have been 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 30 November 1953 amounted to 635 thousand gross tons.

## Shipping movement at United Kingdom ports

Entrances and clearances of vessels in the foreign trade(1)

## TABLE 123

|  |  |  |  | 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 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll}\cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ <br> $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | 172 128 114 74 111 | 4,041 4,447 4,678 5,224 5,239 | 150 140 148 54 79 | 2,830 3,320 3,625 3,576 3,838 | $\begin{aligned} & 208 \\ & 176 \\ & 277 \\ & 369 \\ & 390 \end{aligned}$ | 208 96 50 73 63 | $\begin{aligned} & 654 \\ & 747 \\ & 815 \\ & 782 \\ & 997 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 228 \\ & 195 \\ & 239 \\ & 327 \\ & 390 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,130 \\ 899 \\ 821 \\ 1,278 \\ 1,279 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,027 \\ & 1,084 \\ & 1,188 \\ & 1,307 \\ & 1,257 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | October November December | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 60 152 50 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,334 \\ & 5,024 \\ & 5,229 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 63 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,781 \\ & 3,625 \\ & 3,447 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 519 \\ & 318 \\ & 168 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 78 \\ 84 \\ 123 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 844 \\ & 759 \\ & 968 \end{aligned}$ | 403 239 289 | 1,392 1,301 1,451 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,305 \\ & 1,160 \\ & 1,052 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March .. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 114 \\ 63 \\ 109 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,994 \\ & 4,590 \\ & 5,005 \end{aligned}$ | 63 23 46 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,521 \\ & 3,520 \\ & 3,412 \end{aligned}$ | 193 163 189 | 106 118 108 | 877 995 1,001 | 214 210 265 | 1,410 1,275 1,326 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,308 \\ & 1,207 \\ & 1,407 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } \\ \text { May } \\ \text { Mane } & \ldots \\ \text { June }\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ <br> .. | ... | 77 164 117 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,300 \\ & 5,502 \\ & 5,536 \end{aligned}$ | 67 124 86 | 3,640 3,993 3,815 | 385 446 397 | 112 22 41 | 1,029 917 1,015 | 406 462 424 | 1,385 1,371 1,245 | 1,419 1,381 1,298 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | ... | 139 146 183 | 5,583 5,661 5,482 | 111 82 112 | 4,342 4,260 4,139 | 639 700 511 | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \\ & 34 \\ & 26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,085 \\ 966 \\ 933 \end{array}$ | 637 649 472 | 1,254 1,251 1,164 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,127 \\ & 1,193 \\ & 1,109 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 85 \\ 37 \end{array}$ | 5,156 4,852 5,203 | 101 86 44 | 4,083 3,612 3,723 | 497 314 243 | 30 74 46 | $\begin{array}{r} 968 \\ 1,040 \\ 1,140 \end{array}$ | 399 329 215 | 1,217 1,226 1,222 | 1,238 1,207 1,189 |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 91 76 148 | 5,172 4,518 5,384 | 27 72 73 | 3,938 3,498 3,877 | $\begin{aligned} & 248 \\ & 157 \\ & 285 \end{aligned}$ | 71 56 34 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,111 \\ 981 \\ 1,150 \end{array}$ | 290 178 248 | 1,387 1,130 1,252 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,205 \\ & 1,129 \\ & 1,414 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | ... | $\ldots$ | 93 79 165 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,288 \\ & 5,763 \\ & 6,173 \end{aligned}$ | 56 83 101 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,845 \\ & 4,010 \\ & 4,267 \end{aligned}$ | 459 492 624 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 52 \\ & 25 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 955 \\ & 942 \\ & 992 \end{aligned}$ | 372 392 756 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,279 \\ & 1,552 \\ & 1,354 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,346 \\ & 1,162 \\ & 1,370 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 255 190 112 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,260 \\ & 6,105 \\ & 6,028 \end{aligned}$ | 104 117 90 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,555 \\ & 4,272 \\ & 4,372 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 779 \\ & 940 \\ & 646 \end{aligned}$ | 19 34 40 | $\begin{aligned} & 939 \\ & 926 \\ & 850 \end{aligned}$ | 826 874 673 | 1,457 1.347 1,333 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,364 \\ & 1,438 \\ & 1,196 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 118 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,781 \\ & 5,672 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,332 \\ & 4,060 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 426 \\ & 298 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 983 \\ & 941 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 440 \\ & 308 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,354 \\ & 1,321 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,358 \\ & 1,313 \end{aligned}$ |

[^20]Source: Board of Trade or vice versa. Vessels calling at more than one United Kingdom port in the course of a single voyage are recorded as entered or cleared at one port only.

## XII. CIVIL AVIATION

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

Monthly averages or calendar months


[^21]
## United Kingdom air-lines( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 125
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | All services |  |  |  | Domestic services |  |  |  | International services |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mail | Freight ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight ${ }^{(2)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight ${ }^{(2)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles |
|  |  | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  | Millions |
| 1938( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | ) | 831 | 91 | 453 | $4 \cdot 5$ | 10 | 7 | 79 | 0.9 | 821 | 84 | 374 | $3 \cdot 6$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll}\ldots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 927 \\ 985 \\ \mathrm{I}, 133 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,448 \\ & 1,688 \\ & 2,047 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,776 \\ & 5,219 \\ & 6,715 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 2 \\ & 51 \cdot 2 \\ & 66 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 19 \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \\ & 31 \\ & 40 \end{aligned}$ | 418 531 594 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.8 \\ & 6.0 \\ & 6.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 911 \\ 966 \\ 1,111 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,430 \\ & 1,657 \\ & 2,007 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,358 \\ & 4,688 \\ & 6,121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 5 \\ & 45 \cdot 2 \\ & 59 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  | 1,441 1,556 | 2,593 2,553 | $\begin{array}{r} 9,068 \\ 10,498 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \cdot 7 \\ 103 \cdot 5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 33 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \\ & 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 647 \\ & 850 \end{aligned}$ | 7.4 9.7 | 1,408 1,523 | 2,548 $\mathbf{2 , 5 1 2}$ | 8,421 9,649 | $\begin{aligned} & 81.4 \\ & 93.9 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | July... <br> August <br> September | 1,401 1,360 1,400 | 2,666 2,636 $\mathbf{2 , 3 5 0}$ | 11,108 11,423 12,491 | 110.9 114.2 123.8 | 33 35 34 | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \\ & 59 \\ & 47 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,205 \\ & 1,329 \\ & 1,127 \end{aligned}$ | 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 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,496 \\ & 1,542 \\ & 2,433 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,519 \\ & 2,400 \\ & 2,865 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,865 \\ & 7,596 \\ & 7,997 \end{aligned}$ | $95 \cdot 6$ 72.8 $77 \cdot 2$ | 36 35 47 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \\ & 36 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | 570 349 391 | 6.4 3.9 4.4 | 1,461 1,507 2,386 | 2,480 2,364 $\mathbf{2 , 8 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{9 , 2 9 4}$ 7,247 $\mathbf{7 , 6 0 5}$ | $89 \cdot 2$ 68.9 72.8 |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March | 1,490 1,428 1,556 | 2,379 2,368 2,593 | 7,406 7,120 8,594 | $\begin{aligned} & 71 \cdot 4 \\ & 68 \cdot 5 \\ & 83 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 33 34 35 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 33 \\ & 36 \end{aligned}$ | 314 286 371 | 3.5 3.2 4.1 | 1,458 1,395 1,521 | 2,349 2,335 $\mathbf{2 , 5 5 7}$ | 7,091 6,835 8,224 | 67.9 65.3 78.8 |
|  | April <br> May... <br> June ${ }^{5}$ ) | 1,346 1,480 1,397 | 2,354 2,484 2,355 | 9,283 10,167 11,753 | 90.8 99.8 116.7 | 34 32 29 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \\ & 43 \\ & 42 \end{aligned}$ | 588 735 1,227 | 6.7 8.3 13.9 | 1,312 1,448 1,368 | 2,317 2,441 2,313 | 8,695 9,432 10,526 | $\begin{array}{r} 84.1 \\ 91.5 \\ 102.8 \end{array}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{lc} \text { July } & \ldots \\ \text { August } & \end{array}$ September | 1,457 1,403 1,432 | 2,662 2,664 2,698 | 13,606 14,164 14,144 | 136.7 143.9 141.7 | 31 30 33 | 55 49 45 | 1,614 1,850 1,358 | 18.4 21.4 15.5 | 1,426 1,373 1,399 | 2,607 2,615 2,653 | $\begin{aligned} & 11,992 \\ & 12,314 \\ & 12,786 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118.3 \\ & 122.5 \\ & 126.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... November... December... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,546 \\ & 1,598 \\ & 2,544 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,885 \\ & 2,595 \\ & 2,593 \end{aligned}$ | 11,435 8,949 9,359 | 111.8 86.7 91.6 | 33 31 44 | 42 35 45 | 728 540 585 | 8.2 6.0 6.6 | 1,513 1,567 2,500 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,843 \\ & 2,560 \\ & 2,548 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,707 \\ 8,409 \\ 8,774 \end{array}$ | 103.6 80.6 85.0 |
| 1953 | January <br> February ... <br> March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,570 \\ & 1,498 \\ & 1,738 \end{aligned}$ | 2,311 2,439 3,072 | 8,182 7,949 10,739 | 80.0 77.3 105.1 | 27 28 32 | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 31 \\ & 39 \end{aligned}$ | 421 419 575 | 4.8 4.7 6.5 | 1,543 1,470 1,706 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,280 \\ & 2,408 \\ & 3,033 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7,761 \\ 7,530 \\ 10,164 \end{array}$ | $75 \cdot 3$ 72.6 98.6 |
|  | April <br> May... <br> June | 1,493 1,617 1,525 | 2,738 2,942 2,816 | 11,202 12,630 12,678 | $\begin{aligned} & 112.4 \\ & 125.8 \\ & 129.2 \end{aligned}$ | 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 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,461 \\ & 1,584 \\ & 1,493 \end{aligned}$ | 2,698 2,897 2,754 | $\begin{aligned} & 10,336 \\ & 11,597 \\ & 11,206 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.4 \\ & 114.1 \\ & 112.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,561 \\ & 1,456 \\ & 1,512 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,957 \\ & 3,069 \\ & 2,910 \end{aligned}$ | 15,401 16,256 15,464 | $\begin{aligned} & 159.1 \\ & 168.7 \\ & 157.8 \end{aligned}$ | 33 30 34 | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \\ & 66 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,117 \\ & 2,272 \\ & 1,675 \end{aligned}$ | 24.3 $26 \cdot 2$ $18 \cdot 9$ | 1,528 1,426 1,478 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,887 \\ & 3,003 \\ & 2,841 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,284 \\ & 13,984 \\ & 13,790 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134.7 \\ & 142.5 \\ & 138.9 \end{aligned}$ |

Traffic receipts of the British Transport Commission ${ }^{1}$ )

|  |  | - | 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 |  |  |  | Trams and trolley buses |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... |  | 6,382 | 2,351 | 563 | 1,635 | 560 | 1,273 | 1,102 | 281 | 605 | 215 | 26 | 13 | 13 |
|  |  |  | 6,177 | 2,188 | 552 | 1,563 | 570 | 1,305 | 1,078 | 268 | 600 | 209 | 30 | 16 | 14 |
|  | ... ... |  | 6,443 | 2,039 | 588 | 1,699 | 623 | 1,492 | 1,063 | 271 | 590 | 202 | 30 | 15 | 15 |
|  |  |  | 7,057 | 2,053 | 634 | 1,914 | 705 | 1,751 | 1,126 | 294 | 647 | 185 | 35 | 18 | 17 |
|  |  |  | 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 | 39 |  |  |
|  | 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 | 39 |  | 17 |
| 1952 | January 27 | .. | 6,949 | 1,513 | 617 | 2,011 | 821 | 1,989 | 1,103 | 307 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February 24 |  | 7,295 | 1,582 | 662 | 2,160 | 823 | 2,068 | 1,097 | 304 | 628 | $\begin{aligned} & 166 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | 44 | 24 | 19 |
|  | March 23 |  | 7,545 | 1,714 | 681 | 2,225 | 832 | 2,093 | 1,261 | 350 |  | $189$ | 45 | 25 | 20 |
|  | April 20 |  | 7,510 | 2,195 | 669 | 1,961 | 774 | 1,911 | 1,296 | 351 | 751 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May 18 |  | 7,470 | 1,877 | 698 | 2,111 | 801 | 1,983 | 1,355 | 360 | 795 | 200 | 44 | 24 | 20 |
|  |  |  | 7,683 | 2,390 | 691 | 1,969 | 784 | 1,849 | 1,351 |  |  |  |  | 26 | 17 |
|  | July $13 \ldots$ | .. | 8,104 | 2,687 | 699 | 2,034 | 783 | 1,901 | 1,351 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August 10 | . | 8,077 | 3,489 | 691 | 1,669 | 684 | 1,544 | 1,346 | 350 | 819 | 178 | 38 | 22 | 18 |
|  | September 7 | .. | 7,926 | 2,672 | 697 | 1,970 | 772 | 1,815 | 1,337 | 343 | 813 | 181 | 45 | 27 | 18 |
|  |  |  |  | 2,135 | 719 | 2,081 | 818 | 2,001 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November 2 November 30 |  | 7,651 7474 | 1,841 | 713 | 2,173 | 863 | 2,062 | 1,302 | 351 | 772 | 180 | 45 | 26 | 19 |
|  | November 30 |  | 7,474 | 1,666 | 701 | 2,170 | 881 | 2,056 | 1,271 | 352 | 743 | 176 | 43 | 25 | 18 |
|  | December 28 |  | 7,454 |  | 717 | 1,917 | 821 | 1,972 | 1,198 |  | 683 | 160 |  | 23 | 16 |
| 1953 | January 25 |  | 7,211 | 1,589 | 653 | 1,981 | 897 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February 22 |  | 7,518 | 1,587 | 690 | 2,111 | 897 864 | 2,091 2,266 | 1,227 1,196 | 350 334 | $\begin{aligned} & 799 \\ & 697 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 167 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | 44 | 24 25 | 19 19 |
|  | March 22 |  | 7,847 | 1,735 | 725 | 2,187 | 920 | 2,280 | 1,273 | 347 | 752 | 174 |  |  | $27\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 882 | 2,06I |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\text { May } 17 . .$ |  | 7,938 | 1,934 | 753 | 2,166 | 894 | 2,191 | 1,257 | 335 343 | 748 796 | 173 181 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 7,909 | 2,514 | 735 | 1,947 | 814 | 1,899 | 1,381 | 343 368 | 796 833 | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \\ & 180 \end{aligned}$ | 46 | 19 19 | 27 25 |
|  | July $12 \ldots$ |  | 8,590 | 2,798 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August 9 |  | 8,267 | 3,585 | 754 | 1,688 | 731 | 1,068 | 1,317 | 336 332 | 805 | $\begin{aligned} & 176 \\ & 171 \end{aligned}$ | 46 38 | 19 14 | 27 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 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November 1 |  | 8,119 | 1,944 | 769 | 2,250 | 927 | 2,229 | 1,352 | 371 | 835 | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \\ & 184 \end{aligned}$ | 42 45 |  |  |
|  | November 29 December 27 |  | 7,923 | 1,706 |  | 2,269 | 926 | 2,259 | 1,347 | 369 | 797 795 | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \\ & 183 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ | 18 | 26 27 |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ ) 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. <br> $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years. <br> $\left(^{3}\right)$ From March 1953, includes charges for wharfage, unloading and other terminal services previously added in to freight charges. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

British Railways: Passenger journeys originating

|  |  |  | Passenger journeys originating |  |  |  |  |  |  | Average receipt per journey |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Ordinary fares | Monthly return <br> (1) | Excursion, etc. | Workmen | Season tickets | Other ${ }^{(2)}$ | Total( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Ordinary fares | Monthly return ${ }^{(1)}$ | Excursion, etc. | Workmen | Season tickets |
|  |  |  | Millions |  |  |  |  |  |  | Pence |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 52.5 \\ & 53.2 \\ & 54.9 \\ & 50.4\end{aligned}\right.$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\underbrace{(6.2}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | . | $\cdots$ | 102.6 104.8 |  |  |  | 18.9 19.8 | 31.2 31.8 | $\ldots{ }^{\text {. }}$ (4) | 10.5 10.6 |  | 16.2 16.6 |  | 3.6 3.6 | 5.1 5.0 |
| 1936 1937 | ... | $\ldots$ | 108.0 |  |  |  | 20.6 | 32.4 | $\ldots$ | 10.6 10.9 |  | 17.0 |  | 3.6 3.5 | $5 \cdot 0$ |
| 1938 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 103.0 |  |  |  | $20 \cdot 4$ | $32 \cdot 3$ | .. (4) | 11.4 |  | 18.5 |  | $3 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ |
| 1948 |  | ... | 83.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 5.8 \\ & 4.9 \\ & 4.7 \\ & 6.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 0 \\ & 16 \cdot 7 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 10.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.1 \\ 14.4 \\ 17.5 \\ 21.1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.1 \\ & 18.6 \\ & 18.4 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 6 \\ & 23 \cdot 5 \\ & 23 \cdot 1 \\ & 23 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.4 \\ & 4.6 \\ & 4.0 \\ & 4.1 \end{aligned}$ | 29.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 54.9 \\ & 58.7 \\ & 55.4 \\ & 42.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 1 \\ & 65 \cdot 6 \\ & 68 \cdot 6 \\ & 85 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 16.6 16.2 $15 \cdot 6$ $15 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.7 \\ & 6.8 \\ & 6.9 \\ & 7.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.7 \\ 10.1 \\ 10.1 \\ 10.1 \end{array}$ |
| 1949 | ... $\quad .$. | $\ldots$ | 82.7 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $27 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1950 | $\ldots$..... | $\ldots$ | 81.8 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 26.0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 83.4 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $25 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | 82.4 | 15.9 |  | 22.1 | 17.2 | $23 \cdot 2$ | 4.0 | $27 \cdot 2$ | $74 \cdot 2$ |  | 16.0 | 8.1 | $10 \cdot 9$ |
| 1951 | July $\quad . .$.AugustSeptember | $\cdots$ | 94.595.9 | 7.07.7 | 14.3 | 28.531.0 | 17.516.8 | 21.820.836.0 | 5.45.0 | $36 \cdot 2$34.1 | 57.355.9 | 116.4104.8 | 17.217.0 | $7 \cdot 2$$7 \cdot 1$ | 11.310.28.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 14.6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\cdots$ | 99.0 | 7.0 | 11.1 | 23.4 | 17.3 |  | 4.2 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $51 \cdot 2$ | 86.7 | 16.6 | $7 \cdot 1$ |  |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | ... <br> $\ldots$ | 82.673.179.8 | 6.05.66.5 | $\begin{array}{r} 9.0 \\ 8.1 \\ 10.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.8 \\ & 17.7 \\ & 19.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.7 \\ & 19.1 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 3 \\ & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 21 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.8 \\ & 3.5 \\ & 4.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 3 \\ & 22 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $39 \cdot 7$$32 \cdot 1$$34 \cdot 4$ | $71 \cdot 0$$63 \cdot 6$$82 \cdot 0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.3 \\ & 13.4 \\ & 12.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 0 \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \\ & 7 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.7 \\ & 10.7 \\ & 10.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January <br> February <br> March | ... <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 89.470.778.6 | 5.85.4 | 6.86.65.2 | 18.717.319.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 19.7 \\ & 18.5 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 0 \\ & 19.5 \\ & 24.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.4 \\ & 3.4 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 22 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $33 \cdot 7$$33 \cdot 2$$32 \cdot 5$ | 69.277.0109.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.3 \\ & 13.4 \end{aligned}$ | 6.97.07.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 8.4 \\ 10.5 \\ 11.5 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $7 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June |  | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 8 \\ & 76 \cdot 5 \\ & 79 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.8 \\ 14.7 \\ 15.8 \end{array}$ | 6.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 9 \\ & 22 \cdot 7 \\ & 25 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.8 \\ & 18.3 \\ & 16.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.9 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.1 \\ & 4.5 \\ & 4.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 8 \\ & 29 \cdot 4 \\ & 32 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $38 \cdot 7$78.385.6 | 124.3 | 15.715.317.5 | 7.87.98.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 10.5 \\ & 11.1 \\ & 12.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August ... <br> September | $\begin{aligned} & \cdots \\ & \cdots \\ & \cdots \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 0 \\ & 92 \cdot 8 \\ & 98 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 \\ & 20.4 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ |  | 29.8 | 16.8 | 18.2 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 39.6 | 107.8 |  | 17.5 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 12.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $32 \cdot 5$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 19.8 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $35 \cdot 5$ | 93.8 |  | 17.4 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 11.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 21.1 | $16 \cdot 6$ | 38.9 | 3.7 | $25 \cdot 6$ | $73 \cdot 3$ |  | $17 \cdot 3$ | 8.9 | 9.3 |
|  | October November December | $\begin{aligned} & \ldots \\ & \ldots \\ & \ldots \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77.7 \\ & 70.9 \\ & 78.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.7 \\ & 15.4 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ |  | 18.8 | $17 \cdot 6$ | 21.3 | 3.4 | 26.0 | $60 \cdot 5$ |  | 16.2 | 8.9 | 12.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 17.1 | $16 \cdot 3$ | 19.0 | 3.1 | $24 \cdot 1$ | $52 \cdot 7$ |  | 15.6 | $9 \cdot 0$ | 11.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 18.0 | 16.1 | $22 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | 64.0 |  | 14.7 | 8.9 | $12 \cdot 3$ |
| 1953 | January February March $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 8 \\ & 63 \cdot 6 \\ & 77 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.1 \\ & 14.1 \\ & 16.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.4 \\ & 14.9 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 17.1 \\ & 15.2 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 16 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.0 \\ & 2.7 \\ & 3.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.6 \\ & 24.5 \\ & 26.1 \end{aligned}$ | 51.054.057.7 |  | 15.515.917.3 | 8.88.88.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 9.2 \\ 12.0 \\ 12.2 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June |  | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 5 \\ & 77.6 \\ & 81 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.1 \\ & 19.3 \\ & 19.9 \end{aligned}$ |  | 19.6 | 15.5 | 28.8 | 3.5 | 26.6 | $65 \cdot 5$ |  | 18.0 | 8.9 | 10.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 22.4 | 15.9 | 15.8 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 31.0 | 67.1 |  | 18.6 | 9.0 | 12.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 22.7 | 15.8 | 18.6 | 4.6 | 33.1 | 74.3 |  | 21.3 | 9.1 | 12.5 |
|  | July August ... September |  | 90.3 | 24.4 |  | 26.7 | 15.4 | 18.8 | 5.0 | 41.0 | $95 \cdot 2$ |  | 19.8 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 12.8 |
|  |  |  | 97.0 | 24.1 |  | 31.0 | 14.2 | $23 \cdot 0$ | 4.6 | 34.0 | 79.0 |  | 19.6 | 9.6 | 11.9 |
|  |  |  | 96.0 | 20.4 |  | 21.3 | 15.8 | 34.9 | 3.6 | 26.4 | $65 \cdot 2$ |  | 19.0 | 9.8 | $9 \cdot 6$ |
| (1) The issue of monthly return tickets ceased on I May 1952. <br> Source : Ministry of Transport <br> $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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 arrangements ; sports clubs' tickets, etc. <br> ${ }^{2}$ ) Including traffic not shown separately. <br> (c) Included in "Ordinary fares, monthly return and excursion, etc.". |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

London Transport : Passenger journeys originating


[^22]British Railways and inland waterways : Freight traffic
Weekly averages ${ }^{( }{ }^{( }$)

|  |  | British Rallways ( ${ }^{( }$) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 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 |
| 1935 |  | $5 \cdot 23$ | 0.90 | 097 | 3.35 | 315 333 | 96 103 | 64 | 155 160 | 265 | 119 | 21 | 125 129 | $\cdots$ |
| 1936 | ... ... | 5.40 | 0.96 | 1.05 | 3.40 | 333 | 103 | 70 | 160 | 272 | 121 121 | 22 24 | 129 130 | $\cdots$ |
| 1937 | $\cdots$ | 5.73 | 0.99 | 1.13 | 3.61 | 353 | 107 | 75 | 171 159 | 275 248 | 121 | 24 | 118 | $\cdots$ |
| 1938 | ... ... | $5 \cdot 10$ | 0.87 | 0.91 | $3 \cdot 31$ | 320 | 98 | 63 | 159 | 248 | 105 | 25 |  | $\cdots$ |
| 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 |
| $1950{ }^{\circ}$ | $\ldots$ | 5.40 | 1.04 | 1.16 | $3 \cdot 20$ | 425 | 133 | 96 | 195 | 226 | 80 | 35 | 111 | 3,728 |
| 1951 | ...... | 5.46 | 1.04 | 1.17 | 3.25 | 439 | 136 | 99 | 204 | 235 | 84 | 39 | 112 | 3,902 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 5.45 | 0.98 | $1 \cdot 20$ | $3 \cdot 27$ | 428 | 130 | 100 | 198 | 238 | 78 | 39 | 121 | 3,938 |
| Fourweeks ended:- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 October 7 ... <br> November 4 <br> December 2 <br> December 30 |  | 5.62 | 1.07 | $1 \cdot 19$ | 3.36 | 459 | 140 | 102 | 217 | 251 | 95 | 38 | 118 | 4,109 |
|  |  | 5.75 | 1.11 | 1.25 | 3.39 | 470 | 144 | 109 | 217 | 249 | 90 | 37 | 122 | 4,129 |
|  |  | 5.84 | 1.11 | 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 ... | 5.48 | 1.01 | $1 \cdot 22$ | 3.25 | 441 | 135 | 105 | 201 | 240 | 82 | 38 | 120 | 3,953 |
|  | February 24 | 5.74 | 1.06 | 1.21 | 3.46 | 452 | 140 | 102 | 209 | 258 | 86 | 40 | 132 | 4,119 |
|  | March $23 \ldots$ | 5.76 | 1.09 | 1.21 | 3.46 | 468 | 149 | 107 | 213 | 262 | 91 | 44 | 127 | 4,285 |
|  | April 20 ... | $5 \cdot 29$ | 0.96 | 1.14 | $3 \cdot 19$ | 420 | 130 | 96 | 194 | 239 | 85 | 37 | 117 | 3.670 |
|  | May 18 ... | $5 \cdot 59$ | 1.01 | $1 \cdot 21$ | 3.37 | 443 | 138 | 102 | 203 | 247 | 77 | 43 | 127 | 4,412 |
|  | June 15 ... | $5 \cdot 30$ | 0.93 | $1 \cdot 19$ | $3 \cdot 18$ | 414 | 126 | 97 | 191 | 232 | 74 | 37 | 122 | 3,803 |
|  | July 13 | $5 \cdot 42$ | 0.97 | 1.19 | 3.26 | 421 | 128 | 97 | 196 | 239 | 78 | 36 | 126 | 3,889 |
|  | August $10 \ldots$ | $4 \cdot 50$ | 0.82 | 1.06 | $2 \cdot 62$ | 352 | 106 | 85 | 161 | 210 | 72 | 34 | 104 | 3,390 |
|  | September 7 | $5 \cdot 21$ | 0.95 | $1 \cdot 17$ | $3 \cdot 10$ | 403 | 122 | 95 | 186 | 228 | 80 | 36 | 112 | 4,016 |
|  | October 5 ... | $5 \cdot 60$ | 0.99 | 1.24 | $3 \cdot 37$ | 441 | 132 | 101 | 208 | 243 | 79 | 41 | 123 | 3,996 |
|  | November 2 | 5.76 | 1.00 | 1.28 | 3.48 | 454 | 134 | 106 | 214 | 244 | 76 | 40 | 127 | 4,121 |
|  | November 30 | 5.79 | 1.01 | 1.32 | 3.46 | 450 | 137 | 105 | 207 | 243 | 76 | 41 | 127 | 4,063 |
|  | December 28 | $5 \cdot 30$ | 0.91 | $1 \cdot 19$ | $3 \cdot 20$ | 406 | 119 | 96 | 191 | 207 | 62 | 35 | 110 | 3,505 |
| 1953 | January $25 . .$. | $5 \cdot 60$ | 0.94 | $1 \cdot 28$ | $3 \cdot 38$ | 431 | 129 | 102 | 200 | 238 | 71 | 38 | 128 | 4,043 |
|  | February 22 | 5.76 | 0.98 | 1.21 | 3.58 | 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 ... | 5.47 | 0.93 | $1 \cdot 24$ | 3.31 | 432 | 129 | 104 | 199 | 232 | 72 | 38 | 122 | 3,915 |
|  | May 17 ... | 5.78 | 0.98 | 1.26 | 3.54 | 457 | 135 | 105 | 217 | 254 | 70 | 38 | 147 | 4,328 |
|  | June 14 ... | $5 \cdot 12$ | 0.88 | 1.16 | 3.08 | 398 | 121 | 94 | 184 | 230 | 72 | 34 | 124 | 3,875 |
|  | July 12 ... | $5 \cdot 55$ | 0.95 | $1 \cdot 25$ | $3 \cdot 35$ | 436 | 129 | 98 | 208 | 257 | 82 | 35 | 140 | 4,256 |
|  | August 9 ... | 4.30 | 0.80 | 1.08 | $2 \cdot 43$ | 350 | 108 | 86 | 156 | 213 | 74 | 32 | 107 | 3,532 |
|  | September 6 | $5 \cdot 36$ | 0.92 | 1.21 | $3 \cdot 24$ | 414 | 121 | 96 | 196 | 246 | 76 | 35 | 135 | 4,033 |
|  | October 4. | 5.72 | 0.99 | 1.24 | 3.49 | 449 |  | 101 | 214 | 250 | 73 | 36 | 141 | 4,059 |
|  | November I | 5.95 | 1.03 | 1.32 | 3.60 | 465 | 138 | 107 | 220 | 256 | 78 | 38 | 140 | 4,099 |
|  | November 29 December 27 | 5.97 | 1.03 | 1.29 | $3 \cdot 66$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^23]${ }^{(2)}$ ) The figures for 1935 to 1938 exclude the railways of the Manchester Ship Canal.
Source : Ministry of Transport

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

|  |  |  | Total | Cars | Motor cycles and tricycles ${ }^{(2)}$ | Public conveyance ${ }^{3}$ ) | 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 ( ${ }^{5}$ ) |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935\left({ }^{6}\right. \\ & 19366^{\circ} \\ & 1997{ }^{\circ} \\ & 19386^{\circ} \end{aligned}$ | 6) ... | $\cdots$ |  | 33,124 | 22,218 | 3,836 | 583 | 5,605 | 18 | 7 | 77 |  |  |  |  |
|  | ) | $\ldots$ | 37,445 | 24,664 | 4,449 | 627 | 6,321 | 18 | 12 | 83 | 339 437 | 42 36 | 27 | 372 |
|  | ${ }^{6}$ ) | ... | 40,522 | 26,687 | 4,755 | 698 | 6,539 | 19 | 9 | 93 | 605 | 44 | 37 | 759 1037 |
|  | ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | ... | 34,930 | 22,683 | 3,753 | 749 | 5,688 | 20 | 9 | 85 | 612 | 48 | 38 41 | 1,037 1,242 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | ... | ... | 30,569 | 9,312 | 6,178 | 820 | 8,839 |  |  | 412 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | ... | 34,601 | 12,758 | 7,463 | 1,029 | 8,899 | 52 | 47 | 379 | 4,684 | 122 | 98 87 | $140$ |
|  |  | ... | 34,810 | 11,117 | 11,085 | 944 | 7,723 | 48 | 33 | 246 | 3,306 | 109 | 60 | $\begin{aligned} & 126 \\ & 139 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | ... | 34,493 | 11,443 | 11,447 | 647 | 7,301 | 47 | 34 | 162 | 3,062 | 101 | 60 62 | 139 187 |
|  |  | ... | 37,987 | 15,702 | 11,322 | 449 | 7,102 | 50 | 28 | 128 | 2,869 | 91 | 62 57 | $\begin{aligned} & 187 \\ & 188 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | July ... | $\ldots$ | 39,901 | 14,084 | 14,626 | 722 | 7,117 | 42 | 32 | 147 |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  | 32,418 | 9,886 | 12,131 | 529 | 6,048 | 42 | 27 | 121 | 3,303 | 98 83 |  | 217 |
|  | September |  | 31,189 | 9,653 | 9,987 | 525 | 7,781 | 40 | 34 | 144 | 3,608 | 83 99 | 47 54 | 201 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | 32,245 | 11,131 | 10,131 | 539 | 7,534 | 55 | 34 | 182 | 2,284 |  |  |  |
|  | November |  | 28,567 | 10,987 | 7,834 | 313 | 7,367 | 42 | 33 | 143 | 1,514 | 99 | 83 49 |  |
|  | December | ... | 23,399 | 9,880 | 6,056 | 425 | 5,627 | 34 | 24 | 95 | 1,033 | 120 |  | 186 74 |
| 1952 | January | $\cdots$ | 38,560 | 14,045 | 9,582 | 621 | 8,947 | 48 | 26 | 214 | 4,566 |  |  |  |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | 34,134 | 12,541 | 9,612 | 429 | 7,290 | 32 | 25 | 147 | 3,711 | 98 | 43 | 317 206 |
|  | March | ... | 40,944 | 13,135 | 13,900 | 792 | 8,007 | 44 | 31 | 137 | 4,459 | 117 | 60 | 262 |
|  | April | $\cdots$ | 36,268 | 13,806 | 12,821 |  |  |  |  | 110 |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | ... | 41,639 | 14,540 | 15,712 | 809 | 7,177 | 86 | 26 | 110 | 3,027 | 117 91 |  | 165 |
|  | June... | ... | 37,230 | 13,260 | 12,904 | 463 | 7,640 | 56 | 25 | 88 | 2,423 | 71 | 68 54 | $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 246 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... | $\cdots$ | 43,871 | 15,545 | 17,058 | 451 | 7,367 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | ... | 30,366 | 11,090 | 11,413 | 193 | 4,940 | 37 | 32 | 103 | 2,933 2,370 | 48 | 66 35 | 134 108 |
|  | September | .. | 39,376 | 18,415 | 11,043 | 273 | 6,470 | 50 | 15 | 135 | 2,740 | 68 | 58 | 109 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | 43,536 | 21,458 | 10,040 | 277 | 8,177 | 61 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November |  | 38,897 | 21,993 | 7,294 | 321 | 7,422 | 33 | 35 | 106 | 1,824 | 97 | 68 | 311 105 |
|  | December | ... | 31,022 | 18,595 | 4,483 | 271 | 6,210 | 40 | 25 |  | 1,076 | 88 | 68 22 | 102 |
| 1953 |  | $\ldots$ |  | 24,245 | 8,070 | 222 | 9,507 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | ... | 36,979 | 17,253 | 8,134 | 276 | 7,420 | 62 26 | 38 | 170 | 4,632 3,386 | 106 115 |  |  |
|  |  | .. | 45,065 | 17,426 | 14,071 | 608 | 8,303 | 52 | 45 | 114 | 4,111 | 120 125 | 86 | 129 |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | 48,137 | 23,302 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | ... | 56,619 50,35 | 27,098 | 17,064 | 622 | 8,400 | 95 | 33 | 130 | 3,118 2,924 | 116 71 | 74 87 |  |
|  | June... | ... | 50,305 | 24,769 | 13,410 | 692 | 8,131 | 60 | 29 | 105 | 2,776 | 57 | 73 | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 203 \end{array}$ |
|  | July | $\ldots$ | 58,823 | 28,811 | 16,767 | 425 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  | 37,633 | 16,874 | 11,307 | 266 | 5,949 | 33 | 12 | 13 91 | 2,871 | 109 67 | 44 | 119 |
|  | September |  | 53,412 | 29,684 | 11,666 | 356 | 8,556 |  |  | 128 | 2,632 | 117 | 57 | 150 |

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$For the years 1935 to 1938, details of Government owned vehicles by types are not available. Such vehicles
Source : Ministry of Transport are grouped under one heading "Exempt from duty-Other". Service vehicles are excluded after 1938.
${ }^{2}$ ) Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
(2) Buses, coaches, trolleybuses, taxis and private hire cars. Tramcars are excluded.
(4) Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles.
(s) 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.
$\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ Years ended September.

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

| Annual censús( ${ }^{6}$ ) |  | 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 ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Vans } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { lorries } \end{aligned}$ | Tractors and engines | Ambulances and fire engines | Other ( ${ }^{5}$ ) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1935 | $\ldots$.... |  | 2,581 | 1,477 | 517 | 85.5 86.0 | 10.9 10.3 | 422 | 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 | ... $\quad$. | 2,769 | 1,643 | 506 | 86.0 85.8 | 10.3 9.7 | 445 463 | 1.9 2.0 | $3 \cdot 5$ $3 \cdot 7$ | 11.6 12.4 | 22.5 25.6 | 6.1 6.3 | $33 \cdot 5$ 44.2 |
| 1937 | ... $\quad$. | 2,938 $\mathbf{3}, 094$ | 1,798 1,944 | 488 462 | $85 \cdot 8$ $87 \cdot 7$ | 9.7 9.0 | 463 478 | 1.0 1.9 | 3.7 3.9 | 13.4 | $28 \cdot 7$ | 6.7 | $57 \cdot 8$ |
| 1938 | ... $\quad$. | 3,094 | 1,944 | 462 | 87.7 | 9.0 | 478 | 1.9 | 3.8 | 13.3 |  |  |  |
| 1948 |  | 3,734 | 1,961 | 559 | 127.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 723 | $3 \cdot 5$ | 5.9 | $41 \cdot 3$ | 229.2 | 12.8 | $65 \cdot 8$ |
| 1949 |  | 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 | $48 \cdot 1$ | $295 \cdot 9$ | 13.7 | $54 \cdot 0$ |
| 1951 | $\ldots$ | 4,626 | 2,380 | 848 | 136.4 132.3 | 4.2 3.6 | 882 912 | $3 \cdot 9$ 4.2 | 6.0 6.1 | $46 \cdot 9$ $45 \cdot 5$ | $282 \cdot 3$ $304 \cdot 7$ | 12.8 13.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 23.6 \\ & 25 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1952 | - | 4,904 | 2,508 | 949 | $132 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | 912 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 5$ | 304.7 |  |  |
| End of month |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 2,681 | 1,742 | 290 | $75 \cdot 2$ | 7.9 | 461 | 1.7 | 1. 3 | 12.6 | $22 \cdot 3$ |  |  |
|  |  | 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 | 7.9 | 471 | 1.8 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | $32 \cdot 0$ | 84 |  |
|  |  | 2,604 | 1,627 | 304 | $67 \cdot 4$ | 7.9 | 447 | $1 \cdot 8$ | 1.0 | $15 \cdot 6$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | 94 |  |
| 1948 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 2,612 | 1,349 | 207 | 118.5 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 641 | 3.1 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 7$ | $183 \cdot 2$ |  |  |
|  |  | 3,146 | 1,670 | 351 | 123.8 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 661 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 9$ | $36 \cdot 8$ | 209.4 | 78 |  |
|  |  | 3,652 | 1,951 | 530 | 126.6 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 683 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 39.5 | 226.4 | 81 |  |
|  |  | 3,683 | 1,931 | 537 | 123.9 | 5.4 | 710 | $3 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 0$ | $240 \cdot 1$ | 85 |  |
| 1949 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 3,504 | 1,868 | 447 | 123.7 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 721 | 3.1 | 2.3 5.9 | $41 \cdot 2$ 43.0 | 219.8 246.9 | 73 |  |
|  |  | 3,861 | 2,035 | 576 | 129.9 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 740 | $3 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $43 \cdot 0$ | $246 \cdot 9$ | 76 |  |
|  |  | 4,016 | 2,107 | 616 | $132 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 758 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | $262 \cdot 2$ | 79 |  |
|  |  | 4,051 | 2,104 | 625 | 128.4 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 780 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | 47-0 | $273 \cdot 6$ | 81 |  |
| 1950 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 3,833 | 2,035 | 526 | 126.1 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 778 | $3 \cdot 3$ $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 3$ 6.2 | $44 \cdot 3$ $46 \cdot 0$ |  | 67 |  |
|  |  | 4,193 | 2,183 | 673 | 132.6 | $4 \cdot 6$ | 801 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $272 \cdot 7$ | 70 |  |
|  |  | 4,310 | 2,237 | 709 | 135.1 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 806 | $3 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $47 \cdot 4$ | $288 \cdot 9$ |  |  |
|  |  | 4,321 | 2,222 | 715 | 128.0 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 821 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 5$ | 300.2 |  | - 3 |
| 1951 | February <br> May $\qquad$ <br> August ... <br> November | 3,933 | 2,101 | 567 | $125 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | 812 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 239.5 |  | . 0 |
|  |  | 4,358 | 2,288 | 741 | 132.2 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 835 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 6.9 | $45 \cdot 0$ | $266 \cdot 0$ |  | . 9 |
|  |  | 4,522 | 2,356 | 805 | 134.7 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 849 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 2$ | 279.9 |  |  |
|  |  | 4,489 | 2,319 | 794 | 126.6 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 864 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | $287 \cdot 7$ |  | $\cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | February <br> May <br> August ... <br> November | 4,161 | 2,195 | 641 | 122.9 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 855 | $3 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | $42 \cdot 8$ | $261 \cdot 2$ |  | 7 |
|  |  | 4,618 | 2,397 | 840 | 129.9 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 870 | 4.0 | 6.0 | $43 \cdot 7$ | $285 \cdot 5$ |  | - 6 |
|  |  | 4,770 | 2,467 | 898 | 131.0 | 3.6 | 878 | $4 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | 298.9 |  | - 8 |
|  |  | 4,748 | 2,448 | 882 | 122.0 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 891 | $4 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 1$ | $307 \cdot 1$ |  | - 8 |
| 1953 | February May $\qquad$ August $\qquad$ | 4,446 | 2,371 | 719 | 108.9 | 3.0 | 879 |  |  | $40 \cdot 5$ 41.5 |  |  | . 7 |
|  |  | 4,955 | 2,625 | 920 | 113.9 | 3.0 3.0 | 896 | $4 \cdot 3$ $4 \cdot 3$ | 6.5 6.0 | $41 \cdot 5$ $42 \cdot 5$ | $305 \cdot 0$ 319.3 |  | . 5 |
|  |  | 5,140 | 2,724 | 976 | 114.8 | 3.0 | 909 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 5$ | 319.3 |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding trade licences issued to manufacturers and repairers of, and dealers in motor vehicles and, subsequently to November 1939, vehicles used by the Services. At August 1953 the number of trade licences was 42,002 . Vehicles which bear a licence but which are exempt from duty are shown separately.
${ }^{(2)}$ See footnote $\left(^{2}\right)$ to Table 130 .
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including trolleybuses and private hire cars.
${ }^{(4)}$ See footnote (4) to Table 130.
${ }^{(6)}$ Mainly cars and goods vehicles owned by Government authorities, but after January 1951 these are excluded.
${ }^{( }{ }^{\circ}$ ) Licences current at any time during the September quarter.
XIV. FINANCE

Exchequer receipts and issues

| Receipts | 1952/53 |  | 1953/54 | Issues | 1952/53 |  | 1953/54 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | I April to 20 Dec. 1952 | I April to 19 Dec. 1953 |  | Year | I April to 20 Dec. 1952 | I April to 19 Dec. 1953 |
| Ordinary revenue ... ... ... | 4,438.7 | 2,522.4 | 2,432.9 | Ordinary expenditure ... ... | 4,315.4 |  |  |
| Self-balancing revenue | 215.1 | $151 \cdot 1$ | $167 \cdot 7$ | Sinking funds ... ... ... ... | 455.2 | 2,92-2 | $24 \cdot 4$ |
| Receipts applicable to National Debt interest | 64.2 | $52 \cdot 2$ | $62 \cdot 2$ | Self-balancing expenditure ... Interest outside the Permanent Debt | $215 \cdot 1$ | $151 \cdot 1$ | 167.7 |
| Money raised for capital expenditure |  |  |  | Charge ... ... ... ... | $64 \cdot 2$ | 38.8 | 52.5 |
| lisues ... ... ... ... | 51.0 | 21.2 | $27 \cdot 2$ | Issues to meet capital expenditure ... | 51.0 | 33.5 | 38.6 |
| Money raised by : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Floating debt | $28,541 \cdot 2$ 333.9 | $20,409 \cdot 2$ $220 \cdot 4$ 20.4 | $25,237.6$ 248.7 | Floating debt <br> Tax reserve certificates | $28,438 \cdot 8$ $387 \cdot 7$ | $20,104 \cdot 2$ 104.6 104.8 | $24,923 \cdot 8$ $48 \cdot 3$ |
| Tax reserve certificates Natlonal Savings Certificates | 159.4 | 106.4 | 113.1 | National Savings Certificates ... | 138.6 | 104.8 | $48 \cdot 3$ 102.6 |
| Defence Bonds ... ... | 71.7 | $49 \cdot 8$ | 49.0 | Defence Bonds ... ... ... | 128.4 | 89.8 | 81.7 |
| $18 \%$ Funding Stocks, 1953-54 | 199.5 | 199.5 | - | Terminable annuities ... ... | 42.5 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 33.8 |
| 3\% Funding Stocks, $1955 \ldots$ | 114.5 | 114.5 | $\bar{T}$ | $1{ }^{\frac{8}{3}} \%$ Funding Stock, 1952 ... | 104.7 | $104 \cdot 7$ | - |
| 3\% Exchequer Stock, 1960 | 99.5 | - | $100 \cdot 0$ | $13 \%$ Funding Stock, 1953 | - | - | 25.0 |
| 3\% Exchequer Stock, 1962-63 | - | 117 | $339 \cdot 6$ | $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ National War Bonds, 1951-53 | 147.5 | - | 0.6 |
| Other debt, etc.-Internal | 150.0 | 117.8 | $53 \cdot 3$ | Other debt, etc.-Internal | $140 \cdot 0$ | 95.8 | 117.9 |
| External | 26.0 | 26.0 | - | External | $33 \cdot 9$ | 6.1 | 19.1 |
| Repayments, etc., under various Acts : |  |  |  | Issues under various Acts : |  |  |  |
| Local Authorities Loans Act, 1945 | 17.5 | 17.5 | 19.3 | Local Authorities Loans Act, 1945 Housing Acts | 411.6 9.4 | 315.9 | $238 \cdot 5$ |
| Housing Acts $\ldots \ldots$.... | 20.9 | $20 \cdot 8$ | 21.4 | Coal Industry Acts, 1946 to 1951 | 9.4 40.6 | 7.1 21.5 | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| Coal Industry Nationalisation Act, 1946 | 4.3 | 1.2 | 1.0 | Coal Industry Acts, 946 to Act | $40 \cdot 6$ | 21.5 | 28.0 |
| Cotton (Centralised Buying) Act, | $4 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.0 | 1947 ... ... ... ... | 37.0 | 26.0 | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| 1947 ... ... ... ... | 59.3 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 42.4 | Other Acts ... | 152.6 | $97 \cdot 3$ | 72.9 |
| Other Acts ... | 108.0 | $30 \cdot 6$ | 69.1 | War damage compensation | 58.2 | $47 \cdot 3$ | 56.0 |
| Exchange Equalisation Account- |  |  |  | Refunds of excess profits tax | 6.4 | 4.6 | 6.4 |
| Repayments ... ... . | $300 \cdot 0$ | $300 \cdot 0$ |  | Post-war credits ... | 15.8 | 11.4 | $12 \cdot 3$ |
| Balances on I April ... ... | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | Balances at end of period ... | 3.6 | 3.1 | $3 \cdot 3$ |
| Total receipts | 34,978.2 | 24,404•8 | 28,988-1 | Total issues ... | 34,978-2 | 24,404-8 | 28,988-1 |

(ii) Ordinary revenue and expenditure

| Revenue | 1952/53 |  | 1953/54 |  | Expenditure | 1952/53 |  | 1953/54 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | I April to 20 Dec. 1952 | Year (Budget Estimate) | I April to 19 Dec. 1953 |  | Year | I April to 20 Dec. 1952 | Year (Budget Estimate) | IApril to 19 Dec. 1953 |
| Inland Revenue duties : |  |  |  |  | Consolidated Fund services : |  |  |  |  |
| Income tax ... ... | 1,736.2 | $625 \cdot 6$ | 1,782.2 | $601 \cdot 1$ | Interest and management of |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Sur-tax } \\ \text { Death duties } & . . \\ \end{array}$ | 131.2 151.8 | 48.9 108.6 | 127.0 160.0 | 47.1 117.3 | National Debt ... ... | 576.4 | 412.4 | $615 \cdot 0$ | $417 \cdot 6$ |
|  | $3376 \cdot 1$ |  |  | $1173 \cdot 6$ | Payments to Northern Ireland | 44.7 | 27-2 | $48 \cdot 0$ | $32 \cdot 0$ |
| Excess profits tax $\begin{aligned} & \text { Excess profits levy } \\ & \text { Ex }\end{aligned}$ | $\}^{376} \cdot 1$ | 290.8 | 214.0 | 143.6 | Other Consolidated Fund |  |  |  |  |
| Excess profits levy $\ldots$ ... <br> Stamp duties .. $\ldots$ | 3.0 50.2 | 0.1 35.4 | 99.5 52.0 | $47 \cdot 4$ 39.5 | services ... ... ... | $10 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 7$ |
| Special contribution and other Inland Revenue duties | 2.0 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 1.0 | 0.7 | Supply services ... ... | 3,683-8 | 2,534.0 | 3,586-3 | 2,465.4 |
| Customs and Excise duties : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Customs } & \ldots & \ldots & \ldots \\ \text { Excise } & \ldots & \ldots & \ldots\end{array}$ |  | $754 \cdot 6$ | 1,044.3 | $772 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Excise $\quad . . \quad$.. ... | 739.1 | $526 \cdot 1$ | $680 \cdot 5$ | 524.5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Motor vehicle duties ... | $67 \cdot 7$ | 16.1 | 69.0 | 18.0 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Post Office (net receipt) | - | - | $2 \cdot 7$ | - |  |  |  |  |  |
| Broadcast receiving licences .. Receipts from Sundry Loans .. | 14.8 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 16.0 | 9.2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miscellaneous receipts ... | 14.8 117.7 | $20 \cdot 0$ $86 \cdot 7$ | $25 \cdot 0$ 95.0 | $20 \cdot 3$ 91.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total ordinary revenue | 4,438.7 | 2,522 - 4 | 4,368-2 | 2,432•9 | Total ordinary expenditure | 4,315.4 | 2,980-2 | 4,259-3 | 2,920•7 |

# Inland Revenue duties 

## Receipts by the Exchequer

TABLE 133

${ }^{(1)}$ Before 1947 this tax was known as the national defence contribution.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) 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( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 134
£ thousand


[^24]Floating debt and bank clearings

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ 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 ${ }^{(2)}$ | Northern Irish bank notes ${ }^{2}$ ) | Estimated $\operatorname{coin}\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Bank of England reserve ${ }^{1}$ ) | Scottish banks $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ | Northern Irish banks( ${ }^{2}$ ) | London clearing banks ${ }^{1}{ }^{1}\left({ }^{4}\right)$ |  |  |
|  |  | £ million |  |  |  |  | £ million |  |  |  | £ million | $\begin{gathered} \text { Index } \\ 1938=100 \end{gathered}$ |
| 1935 | ... ... | 549 | $453 \cdot 7$ | 21.7 | 4.8 | 69 | 59.6 | 21.4 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 103.1 | 362 | $80 \cdot 6{ }^{5}$ |
| 1936 1937 | $\cdots$ | 582 626 | $484 \cdot 2$ 524.0 | $22 \cdot 3$ 23.1 | 5.1 5.3 | 70 74 | 53.7 $45 \cdot 5$ | 22.2 23.0 | 3.2 3.4 | 109.3 114.2 | 362 440 446 | 88.3 98.7 |
| 1938 | $\ldots$ | 635 | 529.5 | 23.5 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 77 | 44.9 | $23 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 446 | $100 \cdot 0$ |
| 1948 | $\cdots$ | 1,549 1,564 | $1,312 \cdot 7$ $1,314 \cdot 7$ | $66 \cdot 0$ 68.5 | 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 | 277.8 279.8 |
| 1949 1950 | ... | 1,576 | 1,328.7 | 70.1 | 10.0 | 167 | 46.1 | 73.5 | 9.6 | 191.3 | 1,248 | 279.8 281.4 |
| 1951 | $\ldots$... | 1,628 | 1,383.0 | 74.1 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 162 | 41.5 | $77 \cdot 7$ | 8.9 | 197.5 | 1,302 | 291.9 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 1,729 | 1,475•8 | 81.2 | 8.9 | 163 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $85 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | $210 \cdot 8$ | 1,382 | 309.9 |
| 1951 | October November December | 1,6471,6491,687 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,400 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,400 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,437 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75.2 \\ & 76.1 \\ & 76.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.0 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 9.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 162 \\ & 163 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78.5 \\ & 79.8 \\ & 80.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 8.8 \\ & 8.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 194.9 \\ & 198.2 \\ & 215.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,314 \\ & 1,320 \\ & 1,362 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \cdot 6 \\ & 296 \cdot 0 \\ & 305 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January... February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,668 \\ & 1,649 \\ & 1,650 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,420 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,400 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,400 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 1 \\ & 76 \cdot 3 \\ & 77 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 0.1 \end{aligned}$ | $163$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 1 \\ & 40 \cdot 5 \\ & 21 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78.6 \\ & 79.7 \\ & 80.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.9 \\ & 8.6 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216.8 \\ & 192.8 \\ & 195.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,320 \\ & 1,327 \\ & 1,344 \end{aligned}$ | 296.0297.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 301.3 |
|  | AprilMayJune | $\begin{aligned} & 1,702 \\ & 1,703 \\ & 1,717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,450 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,450 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,462 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \cdot 2 \\ & 80 \cdot 3 \\ & 82 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9.19.0 | 163163 | 42.242.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 84 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 9.18.7 | 199.1205.2 | 1,3691,362 | 307.0305.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 8.9 | 163 | 34.6 | 86.4 |  |  | 1,384 | $310 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July ... <br> August ... <br> September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,778 \\ & 1,793 \\ & 1,755 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,520 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,537 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,500 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 9 \\ & 83 \cdot 0 \\ & 82 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $8 \cdot 8$ | 163 | 37.9 | 91.0 | 9.1 | $217 \cdot 6$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 8.7 | 163 | $56 \cdot 6$ | 88.5 | 8.8 | 231.8 | 1,407 | 315.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 8.7 | 163 | $52 \cdot 3$ | 86.7 | 8.6 | 216.3 | 1,391 | 311.9 |
|  | October November December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,755 \\ & 1,756 \\ & 1,808 \end{aligned}$ | 1,500.4 | 83.0 | 8.7 | 163 | $56 \cdot 9$ | $87 \cdot 0$ | 8.4 | $210 \cdot 9$ | 1,392 | 312.1 |
|  |  |  | 1,500.4 | 84.2 | $8 \cdot 7$ | 163 | $47 \cdot 3$ | 88.1 | 8.4 | 212.4 | 1,400 | 313.9 |
|  |  |  | 1,550.4 | $85 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 163 | $30 \cdot 0$ | $90 \cdot 6$ | 8.8 | 224.6 | 1,454 | 326.0 |
| 1953 | January ... February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,762 \\ & 1,757 \\ & 1,772 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,506 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,500 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,512 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 83 \cdot 4 \\ & 85 \cdot 1 \\ & 86 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.5 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 163 \\ & 163 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38.3 \\ & 43.9 \\ & 33.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 1 \\ & 88 \cdot 7 \\ & 90 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 227 \cdot 8 \\ & 202 \cdot 7 \\ & 205 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,400 \\ & 1,413 \\ & 1,435 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 313.9 \\ & 316.8 \\ & 321.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 1,812 \\ & 1,813 \\ & 1,864 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,550 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,550 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,600 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88.9 \\ & 90.6 \\ & 91.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 3 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 164 \\ & 164 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 60 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 7 \\ & 94 \cdot 8 \\ & 96 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | 210.7214.2 | 1,4611,466 | $\begin{aligned} & 327 \cdot 6 \\ & 328 \cdot 7 \\ & 331 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 219.3 | 1,478 |  |
|  | July <br> August ... <br> September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,874 \\ & 1,878 \\ & 1,839 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,605 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,612 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,575 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \cdot 6 \\ & 91 \cdot 6 \\ & 90 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \\ & 8.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 165 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | $100 \cdot 9$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | 219.0 | 1,508 | 338.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $44 \cdot 8$ | $97 \cdot 0$ | $8 \cdot 1$ | $230 \cdot 7$ | 1,497 | $335 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $40 \cdot 6$ | 94.8 | $8 \cdot 2$ | $215 \cdot 0$ | 1,480 | 331.8 |
|  | October November December | $\begin{aligned} & 1,839 \\ & 1,840 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,575.4 \\ & 1,575.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 7 \\ & 91.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 1 \\ & 8.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 165 \\ & 165 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95.0 \\ & 96.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 8.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 216.0 \\ & 219.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,475 \\ & 1,483 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 330 \cdot 7 \\ & 332 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
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${ }^{(1)}$ Average of Wednesdays.
${ }^{2}$ ) 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.
${ }^{3}$ ) Excluding coin other than gold coin in the Bank of England Issue Department.
(ब) Published by permission of the Committee of London Clearing Bankers. Ten banks in 1935 and eleven thereafter.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) This index number has been adjusted to allow for the change from ten to eleven clearing banks.

|  |  | Issue Department( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Banking Department |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Notes in circulation | Notes in Banking Dept. | Government securities $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Deposits |  |  |  |  | Securities |  |  |  | Reserve of notes and coin |
|  |  | Total |  |  | Public | H.M. <br> Treasury Special Account <br> $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ | Bankers | Other accounts | Total | Government | Dis- <br> counts and advances | Other |  |
| 1935 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 394 \cdot 7 \\ & 431 \cdot 4 \\ & 479.6 \\ & 485 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59.0 \\ & 52.9 \\ & 44.5 \\ & 43.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 257.5 \\ & 254 \cdot 8 \\ & 200 \cdot 5 \\ & 202 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150.1 \\ & 151.4 \\ & 153.9 \\ & 160.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.3 \\ & 16.7 \\ & 19.5 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | = | $\begin{array}{r} 96 \cdot 7 \\ 96 \cdot 2 \\ 97 \cdot 2 \\ 106 \cdot 2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 1 \\ & 38 \cdot 5 \\ & 37.2 \\ & 36.2 \end{aligned}$ | 108.5115.7126.4133.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 0 \\ & 88 \cdot 8 \\ & 98 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 9.69.86.9 | 11.917.121.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 59.6 \\ & 53.7 \\ & 45.5 \\ & 44.9 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1936 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1937 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 | $\ldots$ | 103.2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9.6 | $21 \cdot 0$ |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,253 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,269 \cdot 0 \\ & 1,287 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,342 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,435 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 0 \\ & 45 \cdot 7 \\ & 41 \cdot 3 \\ & 40 \cdot 6 \\ & 40 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,311 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,313 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,326 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,378 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,472 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \cdot 1 \\ & 432 \cdot 0 \\ & 596 \cdot 8 \\ & 406 \cdot 2 \\ & 376 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.0 \\ & 12.3 \\ & 14.7 \\ & 16.0 \\ & 13.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.8 \\ 28.6 \\ 195.6 \\ 4.2 \\ 12.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 304 \cdot 6 \\ & 296 \cdot 4 \\ & 292 \cdot 2 \\ & 297 \cdot 6 \\ & 277 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 7 \\ & 94 \cdot 6 \\ & 94 \cdot 3 \\ & 88 \cdot 5 \\ & 73.9 \end{aligned}$ | $380 \cdot 0$ | $340 \cdot 8$ | 15.0 | 24.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 2 \\ & 50 \cdot 3 \\ & 46 \cdot 1 \\ & 41 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 399.8 568.8 | 354.3 519.8 | 19.7 22.4 | 25.8 26.6 |  |  |
|  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 568.8 | 519.8 | 22.4 | 26.6 |  |  |
|  | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 382.9 | 341.4 | 14.8 | $26 \cdot 8$ |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $352 \cdot 7$ | 314.8 | $15 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 3$ |  |  |
| 1951 | October ... <br> November <br> December ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,350 \cdot 4 \\ & 1,359 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,418 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 0 \\ & 41.2 \\ & 19.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,396 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,396 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,434 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 415 \cdot 7 \\ & 407 \cdot 5 \\ & 399 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.3 \\ & 17.1 \\ & 14.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5 \\ & 0.5 \\ & 0.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301.8 \\ & 301.1 \\ & 294.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 1 \\ & 88 \cdot 7 \\ & 90 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 382 \cdot 7 \\ & 382 \cdot 8 \\ & 396 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 339 \cdot 2 \\ & 333 \cdot 5 \\ & 355 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.3 \\ & 16.8 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 5 \\ & 23 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \cdot 7 \\ & 42 \cdot 6 \\ & 21 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | January February March | $\begin{aligned} & 1,377 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,361 \cdot 5 \\ & 1,380 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 5 \\ & 38 \cdot 9 \\ & 20 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $1,416 \cdot 8$$1,396.7$ | $398 \cdot 7$$390 \cdot 1$ | 15.213.3 | 0.57.20.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \cdot 5 \\ & 285 \cdot 7 \\ & 282 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \cdot 6 \\ & 83 \cdot 9 \\ & 83 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 372.8368.1377.1 | $328 \cdot 0$321.4335 | 19.013.9 | 25.8$32 \cdot 7$25.4 | 44.140.521.5 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1,396-8 | 380.1 | 14.5 |  |  |  | $377 \cdot 1$ | $335 \cdot 4$ | $16 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,409 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,409 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,429 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 7 \\ & 41 \cdot 2 \\ & 33.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,446 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,446 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,459 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 370 \cdot 3 \\ & 355 \cdot 3 \\ & 371 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 10.7 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \\ 11.2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 280 \cdot 5 \\ & 272 \cdot 0 \\ & 278 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \cdot 9 \\ & 72 \cdot 2 \\ & 70 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 346.0 \\ & 330.6 \\ & 355.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 297.8 \\ & 285.7 \\ & 318.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 14 \cdot 8 \\ & 16 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 6 \\ & 30 \cdot 1 \\ & 19 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 42.242.734.6 |  |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July <br> August <br> September... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,483 \cdot 9 \\ & 1,482 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,449 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 4 \\ & 55 \cdot 0 \\ & 50 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,516 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,534 \cdot 3 \\ & 1,496 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 368 \cdot 4 \\ & 354 \cdot 7 \\ & 374 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.2 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 15.0 \\ & 25.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 271 \cdot 7 \\ & 260 \cdot 5 \\ & 269 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 0 \\ & 65 \cdot 7 \\ & 66 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 348 \cdot 7 \\ & 316.6 \\ & 341.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 299 \cdot 2 \\ & 279 \cdot 1 \\ & 315 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 30.012.49.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 19.5 \\ & 25.1 \\ & 16.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 9 \\ & 56 \cdot 6 \\ & 52 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9.7 |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November ... <br> December ... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,445 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,454 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,521 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 3 \\ & 45 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,496 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,496 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,546 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 375 \cdot 2 \\ & 387 \cdot 8 \\ & 389 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.1 \\ & 13.5 \\ & 13.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 8 \\ & 26.6 \\ & 23.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 272 \cdot 7 \\ & 277 \cdot 7 \\ & 279 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \cdot 5 \\ & 70 \cdot 0 \\ & 73.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 336.2 \\ & 358.4 \\ & 377.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 310 \cdot 7 \\ & 328 \cdot 7 \\ & 354 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.3 \\ & 8.7 \\ & 9.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2 \\ & 21.1 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | 56.947.330.0 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | January February March | $\begin{aligned} & 1,469 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,458 \cdot 0 \\ & 1,481 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 9 \\ & 42 \cdot 3 \\ & 31 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,503 \cdot 0 \\ & 1,496 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,509 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 385 \cdot 7 \\ & 403 \cdot 0 \\ & 399 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 17.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 6 \\ & 41.5 \\ & 29.9 \end{aligned}$ | $273 \cdot 0$$281 \cdot 0$ | 68.868.6 | $365 \cdot 6$377.538.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 339 \cdot 7 \\ & 348 \cdot 5 \\ & 364 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 9.38.65.2 | 16.620.415.1 | $38 \cdot 3$43.9$33 \cdot 0$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $280 \cdot 3$ | 71.8 | 384.5 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 1,513 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,523 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,541 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 7 \\ & 27 \cdot 3 \\ & 59 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,546 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,546 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,596 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 396.5 \\ & 393 \cdot 1 \\ & 399.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.3 \\ & 14.0 \\ & 13.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 6 \\ & 44 \cdot 2 \\ & 44 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 270 \cdot 8 \\ & 266 \cdot 5 \\ & 269 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 8 \\ & 68 \cdot 4 \\ & 70 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 376.0 \\ & 381.9 \\ & 356.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 348 \cdot 0 \\ & 349 \cdot 7 \\ & 335 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 12.9 \\ 8.9 \\ 7.6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \cdot 1 \\ & 23 \cdot 2 \\ & 13.4 \end{aligned}$ | 38.529.260.9 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\begin{aligned} & 1,570 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,570 \cdot 6 \\ & 1,537 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 6 \\ & 42.3 \\ & 38 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,601 \cdot 8 \\ & 1,609 \cdot 2 \\ & 1,571 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 393 \cdot 6 \\ & 382 \cdot 7 \\ & 387 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.9 \\ & 13.3 \\ & 11.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 4 \\ & 32 \cdot 1 \\ & 22 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 274 \cdot 9 \\ & 270 \cdot 8 \\ & 285 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 67 \cdot 4 \\ & 66 \cdot 5 \\ & 68 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 374 \cdot 8 \\ & 356.4 \\ & 365 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 344 \cdot 0 \\ & 32 \cdot 4 \\ & 343 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.7 \\ 6.7 \\ 6.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.2 \\ & 20.3 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 0 \\ & 44 \cdot 8 \\ & 40 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October <br> November... <br> December .. | $\begin{aligned} & 1,533 \cdot 5 \\ & 1,545 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41.9 \\ & 30 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,571 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,571 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 386 \cdot 2 \\ & 384 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.6 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.6 \\ & 11.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \cdot 9 \\ & 286 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69.2 \\ & 71.1 \end{aligned}$ | 359.6369.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 332.1 \\ & 338.7 \end{aligned}$ | 10.29.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 17.3 \\ & 21.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 3 \\ & 32 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Gold coin and bullion in the Issue Department has been negligible since September 1939, when practically the whole was transferred to H.M. Treasury. The holding on 30 August 1939 was $£ 263.0$ million (valued at 158 s . 6d. 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, $£ 3 \cdot 3$ million (1951).
${ }^{2}$ ) Including Government Debt $£ 11.0$ million.
${ }^{(3)}$ 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.

London clearing banks( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 138


(1) 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.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ England and Wales only.

Source : Committee of London Clearing Bankers

|  |  |  | TOTAL | Agriculture and fishing | Mining and quarrying |  | Manufacturing industries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Coal mining |  | Quarrying, etc. | Chemicals . | Iron and allied trades | Nonferrous metals | Engineering, etc. | Textiles |  |  | Leather and rubber | Food, drink and tobacco |
|  |  |  | Cotton |  |  |  |  |  |  | Wool | Other textiles |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1946 \\ & 1947 \\ & 1948 \\ & 1949 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ |  | 896.2 | 73.7 | $9 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | 8.6 | 15.5 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $62 \cdot 5$ | 6.9 | 7.5 | 10.5 | 5.1 | 59.4 |
|  | ... ... | ... | 1,128.6 | 89.0 | 8.2 | 3.6 | 15.0 | 14.3 | $3 \cdot 1$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | 14.7 | 6.7 | 75.1 |
|  | ... ... | ... | 1,354.6 | 115.4 | 7.1 | $4 \cdot 0$ | 19.7 | 17.1 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 112.4 | 7.9 | 12.9 | $23 \cdot 2$ | 9.2 | 81.7 |
|  |  | ... | 1,494.6 | $137 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 18.5 | $23 \cdot 5$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | 109.6 | $8 \cdot 7$ | 13.0 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 9.9 | $101 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 1,683.9 | 163.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 0$ | 21.8 | 6.2 | 93.1 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 21.9 | 34.7 | 14.6 | 121.0 |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | 1,920.6 | 190.4 | 4.2 | 4.9 | $26 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 109.5 | 11.8 | 37.0 | 50.6 | 21.5 | 142.7 |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | 1,930-6 | 198.9 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 35.1 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $150 \cdot 0$ | 18.0 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 56.1 | 19.1 | 158.1 |
| 1953 | ... ... | ... | 1,815-8 | $200 \cdot 3$ | 1.8 | 4.7 | 25.9 | $55 \cdot 0$ | 4.6 | 153.6 | 13.6 | 24.9 | $42 \cdot 8$ | $15 \cdot 2$ | 132.5 |
| 1951 | February <br> May <br> August <br> November | ... | 1,805.8 | 177.9 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | $19 \cdot 2$ | 21.1 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 98.8 | 10.1 | 38.6 | $45 \cdot 2$ | 17.6 | 127.7 |
|  |  | ... | 1,894.9 | 184.3 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 4.9 | 21.5 | $16 \cdot 3$ | 7.1 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 9.4 | 39.8 | $43 \cdot 3$ | 23.1 | 143.7 |
|  |  | ... | 1,964-4 | $202 \cdot 0$ | $3 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | 14.3 | 4.1 | 111.8 | 14.1 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $52 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 2$ | 135.1 |
|  |  | ... | 2,016-2 | 197.4 | 3.0 | 4.7 | 39.3 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 126.7 | 13.8 | 28.8 | $61 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 0$ | 164.4 |
| 1952 | February <br> May <br> August <br> November | ... | 2,055•8 | 198.6 | $3 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | 23.8 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 142.3 | 19.0 | 25.5 | 67.4 | $23 \cdot 4$ | 166.6 |
|  |  | ... | 2,003•8 | 199.7 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 29.8 | $30 \cdot 9$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 149.2 | 19.7 | 21.7 | 61.1 | 20.5 | 184.0 |
|  |  | ... | 1,847.6 | $203 \cdot 0$ | 1.8 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 34.5 | $33 \cdot 5$ | 5.1 | 151.4 | 18.8 | 18.8 | $53 \cdot 0$ | 17.4 | 144.7 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 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 | February <br> May <br> August <br> November |  | 1,868.8 | 195.1 | 1.6 | 4.8 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 49.7 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 169.3 | 13.4 | 20.5 | $44 \cdot 6$ | 14.2 | 132.2 |
|  |  |  | 1,865.1 | 198.1 | 1.7 | 4.9 | $27 \cdot 4$ | 51.8 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $160 \cdot 4$ | 15.5 | $25 \cdot 8$ | $42 \cdot 4$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | 145.9 |
|  |  |  | 1,788.5 | $205 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 4.9 | 23.4 | $61 \cdot 3$ | 4.6 | 147.3 | 14.0 | $26 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 4$ | 16.0 | 118.5 |
|  |  | ... | 1,740.7 | $203 \cdot 0$ | 1.6 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 25.4 | $57 \cdot 3$ | 4.4 | 137.2 | 11.5 | $27 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 8$ | 14.9 | 133.2 |

TABLE 139 (continued)
£ million

| Building and <br> contracting |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Builders <br> and con- <br> tractors Building <br> mater- <br> ials |  |


| Public utilities (other than transport) | Transport and communications | Shipping and shipbuilding | Retail trade |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| Unclassified industry and trade | Finance |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |
|  | Stockbrokers | Other financial |


| 1946 |  |  | $42 \cdot 9$ | 6.0 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 9.9 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 68.4 | 33.6 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 77.1 | 71.9 | 12.0 | $261 \cdot 4$ | 25.2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1947 |  | .. | 56.1 | 9.5 | $12 \cdot 7$ | 12.6 | 15.1 | 102.3 | 49.6 | $4 \cdot 8$ | 97.2 | 78.8 | 16.3 | 321.1 | 24.6 |
| 1948 |  |  | $60 \cdot 6$ | 12.4 | 23.0 | 15.4 | 16.9 | 138.9 | $68 \cdot 3$ | 4.0 | 103.5 | $85 \cdot 9$ | 14.8 | 365.9 | 31.2 |
| 1949 |  |  | 61.9 | $12 \cdot 6$ | $25 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 8$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | 159.2 | 78.9 | 4.5 | 125.9 | 88.2 | 9.7 | $400 \cdot 0$ | $33 \cdot 6$ |
| 1950 |  |  | 64.1 | 14.2 | $64 \cdot 8$ | 16.7 | 15.5 | 180.1 | $93 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 159.5 | 90.9 | 11.1 | 419.4 | $31 \cdot 2$ |
| 1951 |  |  | $70 \cdot 6$ | 18.0 | 74.8 | 16.9 | 15.8 | 207.1 | 121.2 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $200 \cdot 2$ | 91.7 | 12.7 | $434 \cdot 3$ | 28.4 |
| 1952 |  |  | $66 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 96.4 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 11.7 | 189.4 | 125.2 | $5 \cdot 4$ | 177.6 | 78.0 | 13.2 | $402 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 4$ |
| 1953 |  |  | $60 \cdot 9$ | 17.1 | $86 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 16.0 | 169.6 | 107.9 | 6.4 | 179.9 | $78 \cdot 3$ | 13.0 | 366.7 | 21.7 |
| 1951 | February May August November |  | $66 \cdot 6$ | 15.3 | $55 \cdot 9$ | 17.4 | $17 \cdot 3$ | 191.8 | 106.5 | $5 \cdot 6$ | $194 \cdot 2$ | 90.4 | 11.7 | $430 \cdot 7$ | 29.6 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 72.1 | 16.5 | 78.1 | 17.0 | 16.7 | $210 \cdot 1$ | 112.8 | 6.6 | 201.1 | 89.8 | 12.6 | $433 \cdot 0$ | 29.3 |
|  |  | ... | $73 \cdot 5$ | 19.8 | $70 \cdot 8$ | 15.8 | $15 \cdot 8$ | 212 -8 | $130 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 209.7 | 99.2 | 13.2 | $437 \cdot 6$ | $27 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  |  | $70 \cdot 1$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | $94 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 13.5 | 213.8 | 135.4 | 7.2 | $195 \cdot 7$ | $87 \cdot 5$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | 435.9 | 26.9 |
| 1952 | February May August November | $\ldots$ | 69.1 | 22.5 | $135 \cdot 3$ | 19.0 | $12 \cdot 3$ | $205 \cdot 3$ | 138.6 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 178.2 | $77 \cdot 7$ | 12.7 | 429.1 | 26.7 |
|  |  | ... | $68 \cdot 3$ | 21.3 | 104.9 | 20.7 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $202 \cdot 5$ | $130 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 184.5 | 74.8 | 13.1 | $410 \cdot 4$ | 27.2 |
|  |  |  | $67 \cdot 0$ | 19.6 | 48.4 | 20.0 | 12.5 | 175.7 | 121.8 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 180.7 | 78.7 | 13.9 | 392.0 | $25 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  |  | $61 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $96 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 11.4 | 174.2 | $110 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $167 \cdot 0$ | $80 \cdot 6$ | 13.1 | $377 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 6$ |
| 1953 | February May August November | $\ldots$ | 62.5 | 17.5 | $140 \cdot 5$ | 16.0 | 13.8 | $170 \cdot 7$ | 109.6 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 172.2 | $77 \cdot 1$ | 12.7 | 370.5 | 22.8 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 61.0 | 16.8 | 99.2 | 17.7 | 16.6 | 177.3 | 111.5 | 6.5 | 184.1 | 75.9 | 12.6 | 368.6 | 22.6 |
|  |  | ... | 61.4 | $17 \cdot 6$ | $65 \cdot 0$ | 17.6 | 16.0 | 164.2 | 107.4 | 6.2 | 188.1 | $76 \cdot 6$ | 13.7 | $366 \cdot 7$ | 21.2 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $58 \cdot 6$ | 16.6 | 41.7 | 19.1 | 17.6 | $166 \cdot 2$ | 103.0 | 6.9 | 172.0 | $83 \cdot 5$ | 13.1 | $360 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 4$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Advances within Great Britain by member banks of the British Bankers' Association. The
Source : British Bankers' Association

[^25]Savings

|  |  | Total outstanding at end of period | Post Office and Trustee Savings Banks |  |  |  |  | National Savings Certificates |  |  |  | Government securities on Post Office register( ${ }^{(x)}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | 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 | $587 \cdot 6$ | $390 \cdot 3$ | 197.3 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 391.1 | 114.5 | $205 \cdot 6$ |  |
| 1936 |  |  | 1,357-3 | 16.4 | 12.9 | $644 \cdot 2$ | $432 \cdot 4$ | 211.8 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 390.1 | 122.1 | $200 \cdot 9$ |  |
| 1937 |  |  | 1,413.0 | 17.4 | 14.5 | 694.4 | $470 \cdot 5$ | 223.9 | $2 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 386.3 | 129.2 | 203.1 |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | 1,469.9 | 18.0 | 15.0 | $747 \cdot 3$ | $509 \cdot 3$ | 238.0 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 2.4 | 382.1 | 136.1 | $204 \cdot 4$ |  |
| 1948 | ... ... | 6,036-1 | 53.9 | 52.6 | 2,747.0 | 1,948-1 | 798.9 | 11.7 | $10 \cdot 6$ | 1,730.4 | 389.7 | 1,169.0 | 976.4 |
| 1949 | .. ... | 6,097-5 | 54.6 | $55 \cdot 6$ | 2,801•8 | 1,948.7 | $853 \cdot 1$ | 9.1 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 1,718.8 | $424 \cdot 3$ | 1,152.6 | $965 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | ... ... | 6,090-6 | 54.8 | 57.4 | 2,838.1 | 1,935.7 | 902.4 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 10.7 | 1,680.5 | $454 \cdot 7$ | 1,117.3 | 931.1 |
| 1951 |  | 6,091-8 | 58.3 | $67 \cdot 2$ | 2,798•5 | 1,874.7 | 923.8 | 15.2 | 11.9 | 1,720.6 | 479.7 | 1,093.0 | 904.1 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 6,011-4 | 62.0 | 71.8 | 2,749•8 | 1,813.3 | $936 \cdot 5$ | 12.6 | 11.7 | 1,731.4 | $502 \cdot 0$ | 1,028-2 | $836 \cdot 7$ |
| 1951 | October ... | 6,114.5 | $62 \cdot 3$ | $55 \cdot 6$ | 2,811.9 | 1,886.3 | $925 \cdot 6$ | $10 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 9$ | 1,722.7 | 474.9 | 1,105.0 | 918.1 |
|  | November | 6,114.1 | 61.0 | $62 \cdot 8$ | 2,815-6 | 1,883.9 | $931 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 2$ | 11.0 | 1,721.9 | $477 \cdot 1$ | 1,099.5 | 912.4 |
|  | December... | 6,091-8 | 58.5 | 81.3 | 2,798-5 | 1,874.7 | 923.8 | $8 \cdot 7$ | $10 \cdot 1$ | 1,720.6 | $479 \cdot 7$ | 1,093-0 | $904 \cdot 1$ |
| 1952 | January ... | 6,101.4 | 66.8 | 64.9 | 2,807 - 3 | 1,877.9 | 929.4 | 14.3 | 11.5 | 1,723.4 | 482.2 | 1,088.5 | $900 \cdot 0$ |
|  | February ... | 6,101-7 | 61.0 | $64 \cdot 4$ | 2,809.6 | 1,874.7 | 934.9 | 13.8 | $10 \cdot 8$ | 1,726.4 | 485.0 | 1,080.7 | 892.7 |
|  | March ... | 6,094-3 | 65.1 | $66 \cdot 6$ | 2,813.8 | 1,872.5 | 941.3 | 12.0 | 12.6 | 1,725•7 | 487.0 | 1,067.8 | 876.8 |
|  |  | 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 ... | 6,072 5 | 63.9 | 74.9 | 2,813-6 | 1,866.3 | $947 \cdot 3$ | 11.5 | 13.8 | 1,721.6 | 489.7 | 1,047.6 | 858.0 |
|  | June ... | 6,061-2 | $58 \cdot 6$ | 68.5 | 2,809.4 | 1,862.2 | $947 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | 11.5 | 1,719.3 | $491 \cdot 5$ | 1,041.0 | $850 \cdot 8$ |
|  | July | 6,033-6 | 61.9 | 85.9 | 2,791-1 | 1,851.7 | 939.4 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 12.5 | 1,716.6 | 493.1 | 1,032.8 | 843.1 |
|  | August ... | 6,022 $\cdot 8$ | 58.8 | $67 \cdot 6$ | 2,787.9 | 1,847.3 | $940 \cdot 6$ | 8.9 | 10.5 | 1,715.1 | 495.1 | 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 . | 6,041-6 | $65 \cdot 8$ | $69 \cdot 3$ | 2,786.4 | 1,837.3 | 949.1 | 16.7 | 12.2 | 1,725.0 | 498.1 | 1,032 - 1 | $840 \cdot 7$ |
|  | November | 6,038-6 | $60 \cdot 0$ | 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 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 1,731.4 | $502 \cdot 0$ | 1,028-2 | $836 \cdot 7$ |
| 1953 | January ... | 6,019.2 | 71.9 | 73.5 | 2,753•8 | 1,812.4 | $941 \cdot 4$ | 17.5 | 10.9 | 1,738.0 | 503.9 | 1,023-5 | 831.1 |
|  | February ... | 6,026-7 | 61.3 | 63.4 | 2,757-3 | 1,810.5 | 946.8 | 15.8 | 10.0 | 1,743•8 | 506.0 | 1,019.6 | 827.3 |
|  | March ... | 6,020.9 | $65 \cdot 7$ | $75 \cdot 4$ | 2,752-2 | 1,802.3 | 949.9 | 16.5 | 11.7 | 1,748.6 | $507 \cdot 6$ | 1,012.5 | 820.4 |
|  |  | 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 | 954.2 | 15.1 | 12.4 | 1,756-7 | $511 \cdot 3$ | $997 \cdot 5$ | $805 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June ... | 5,993-3 | 63.0 | 74.7 | 2,730-5 | 1,777•7 | 952.8 | 12.1 | 12.5 | 1,756.4 | 513.1 | $993 \cdot 3$ | 801.0 |
|  | July ... | 5,971.8 | $67 \cdot 0$ | 93.0 | 2,710.0 | 1,766.5 | $943 \cdot 5$ | 13.5 | 12.5 | 1,757.3 | 514.8 | 989.7 | 797.1 |
|  | August ... | 5,970-3 | 63.5 | 69.9 | 2,709.1 | 1,763.0 | 946.1 | 11.0 | 10.7 | 1,757.6 | 516.8 | 986.8 | 794.7 |
|  | September | 5,974.9 | $65 \cdot 8$ | 64.9 | 2,715-4 | 1,762-3 | 953.1 | 11.9 | 11.2 | 1,758.3 | 518.6 | $982 \cdot 6$ | $791 \cdot 0$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December... | 5,986-0 | $73 \cdot 6$ | 68.4 | 2,726 - 0 | 1,763•1 | 962.9 | 12.9 | 11.9 | 1,759.2 | $520 \cdot 2$ | $980 \cdot 6$ | 789.1 |

[^26]Capital issues ${ }^{1}$ )
(i) New issues

TABLE 141

|  |  | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | For United Kingdom |  |  | For overseas |  |  |  |  |  |  | Investment trusts |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Local authorities | Industrial | Total | Commonwealth countries |  |  | Other countries |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  | Governments and local authorities | Industrial | Total | Governments and local authorities | Industrial |  |
| 1938 | ... ... |  | 131.8 | 102.7 | $26 \cdot 0$ | 76.7 | 28.1 | $23 \cdot 5$ | $9 \cdot 8$ | 13.7 | $4 \cdot 6$ | - | $4 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 1$ |
| 1946 | $\ldots$ | 153.6 187.3 | 136.0 154.2 | - | 136.0 154.2 | 16.8 32.5 | 14.8 $32 \cdot 3$ | 8.9 | 14.8 23.4 | 2.0 0.2 | - | 2.0 0.2 | 0.7 0.6 |
| 1947 | ... $\ldots$ | 187.3 277.8 | 158.8 $238 \cdot 8$ | - | $238 \cdot 8$ | 38.1 | 21.7 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 13.5 | 16.5 | 二 | 16.5 | 0.6 0.9 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | 157.1 | 113.1 | - | 113.1 | $41 \cdot 9$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | 21.2 | 19.3 | 1.4 | $1 \cdot 2$ | $0 \cdot 2$ | 2.1 |
| 1950 | $\cdots$ | $360 \cdot 2$ | $307 \cdot 2$ | - | 307.2 | $52 \cdot 2$ | 48.4 | 28.2 | 20.1 | $3 \cdot 8$ | $\overline{5}$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | 0.8 |
| 1951 | ... ... | 292.2 | $239 \cdot 7$ $332 \cdot 5$ | - | $239 \cdot 7$ $332 \cdot 5$ | $50 \cdot 2\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | 38.9 | 27-7 | 11.2 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 1.0 | $2 \cdot 3$ |
| 1952 | ... ... | $387 \cdot 2$ | 332.5 | - | $332 \cdot 5$ | $52 \cdot 4$ | $50 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 1$ | $17 \cdot 1$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | - | $2 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 | Ist quarter... 2nd quarter... 3rd quarter... 4th quarter... | 68.4 | 52.1 | - | 52.1 | 15.7 | 15.7 | 12.5 | 3.1 | - | - | - | 0.7 |
|  |  | 193.5 | 179.4 | - | 179.4 | 13.7 | 11.5 | 6.4 | 5.1 | $2 \cdot 2$ | - | $2 \cdot 2$ | 0.4 |
|  |  | 38.4 | 24.2 | - | 24.2 | 13.7 9 | 13.7 | $10 \cdot 7$ | 3.1 | - | - | - | 0.4 |
|  |  | $87 \cdot 0$ | $76 \cdot 9$ | - | $76 \cdot 9$ | 9.4 | 9.4 | $3 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 8$ | - | - | - | 0.7 |
| 1953 | Ist quarter... 2nd quarter... 3rd quarter... |  |  | 5.9 | 48.7 | 10.9 | $10 \cdot 9$ | 9.9 | 1.0 | - | - | - | 0.6 |
|  |  | 176.9 | 166.3 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 159.6 | 9.9 | 9.9 | $5 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | - | - | - | 0.6 |
|  |  | 121.1 | 106.7 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | 13.6 | $13 \cdot 6$ | 4.9 | $8 \cdot 7$ | - | - | - | 0.8 |

(ii) Refunding and conversion issues



TABLE 141 (continued)
£ million

|  |  | 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 | 4.1 | 13.2 | 4.1 | 0.8 | 8.5 | 19.6 | 22.7 |
| 1947 | $\ldots$.... | 6.8 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 12.5 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 4.6 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 14.5 | 14.5 |
| 1948 | 8, | 13.0 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 14.5 | $100 \cdot 9$ | 12.6 | 5.1 | 1.1 | 3.0 |
| 1949 | $\ldots$ | 12.9 | $4 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 2.0 | 0.7 | 8.9 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 3$ |
| 1950 | $\ldots$ | $42 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | 14.7 | 149.7 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 2.5 | 0.8 | $1 \cdot 6$ |
| 1951 | ... ... | $20 \cdot 1$ | 5.5 | 8.7 | 81.4 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | 4.6 |
| 1952 | . | 20.1 | 6.9 | 8.6 | 151.8 | 59.1 | 3.9 | 1.4 | $3 \cdot 2$ |
| 1952 Ist quarter... 2nd quarter... 3rd quarter... 4th quarter... |  |  |  |  |  | 1.0 |  | 0.4 | 0.2 |
|  |  | 11.3 | $0 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 149.7 | - | 3.4 | -10 | - |
|  |  | 1.8 | 5.7 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 57.7 | $\overline{0.3}$ | 1.0 | 0.2 2.8 |
|  |  | $5 \cdot 1$ | $0 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | Ist quarter ... | 0.8 | 0.4 | $1 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | 0.7 | 1.6 | - |
|  | 2nd quarter... | $5 \cdot 8$ | 1.8 | 0.5 | 125.4 | - | 1.2 | 0.7 | 1.7 |
|  | 3rd quarter... | 0.8 | 0.2 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 79.8 | - | 0.6 | - | $0 \cdot 3$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) 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 issues of stock to the National Debt Commissioners, are not covered.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Total in September $1953 £ 8 \cdot 5$ million, in October $1953 £ 19.6$ million and in November $1953 \mathrm{f} 1 \mathrm{I} \cdot \mathrm{I}$ million.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Of which $£ 4.9$ million unallocated between Commonwealth countries and other countries.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Of which f 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 September $1953 £ 0.6$ million, in October $1953 £ 0.1$ million and in November $1953 £ 10.9$ million.

|  |  |  | British Government securities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Industrial securities |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Average prices and yields ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Price indices ( 29 December $1950=100$ ) and average yields ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Short dated ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Medium dated ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ \% War Loan |  | 21 ${ }^{1}$ \% Consols |  | Debentures |  | Preference shares |  | Ordinary shares |  |
|  |  |  | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield | Price | Yield |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1936 \\ & 1937 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ | 120.1 | 2.46 | 116.8 | 3.03 | $105 \cdot 6$ | 3.08 | 86.4 | 2.89 | .. | . | . |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 118.1 | 2.45 | 117.0 | 2.99 | 106.0 | 3.03 | 85.1 | 2.94 | . |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 112.9 | 2.92 | 110.8 | $3 \cdot 32$ | 101.2 | $3 \cdot 40$ | $76 \cdot 2$ | 3. 28 | . | . |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $112 \cdot 2$ | 2.73 | 111.4 | $3 \cdot 27$ | $100 \cdot 9$ | 3.42 | 74.1 | $3 \cdot 38$ |  | . |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1948 \\ & 1949 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 101.7 | 2.02 | 95.8 | 2.79 | 102.8 | 2.81 | 78.0 | 3. 21 | 114.1 | $3 \cdot 60$ | 119.5 | 3.80 | 108.3 | $4 \cdot 62$ |
|  |  |  | $101 \cdot 5$ | 1.94 | $95 \cdot 4$ | 2.83 | 98.5 | 3.55 | 75.9 | 3.30 | 98.4 | 4.18 | 95.9 | 4.75 | 93.1 | $5 \cdot 49$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $101 \cdot 0$ | 2.03 | 93.5 | 2.99 | 92.9 | 3.77 | $70 \cdot 5$ | 3.54 | $100 \cdot 0$ | 4.11 | $100 \cdot 0$ | 4.55 | $100 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 27$ |
|  |  | ... | 101.4 | 1.85 | $90 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 59$ | $87 \cdot 9$ | 3.98 | 66.1 | 3.78 | 83.8 | 4.91 | $88 \cdot 6$ | 5.12 | 102.7 | $5 \cdot 78$ |
| 1952 | . ... | ... | 98.2 | 2.98 | 81.7 | $4 \cdot 25$ | $76 \cdot 9$ | 4.55 | 59.1 | $4 \cdot 23$ | $80 \cdot 2$ | 5.14 | 84.7 | $5 \cdot 36$ | $93 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 46$ |
| 1951 | October | $\ldots$ | 101.8 | 1.70 | 89.6 | 3.66 | 86.2 | 4.06 | $65 \cdot 6$ | 3.81 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November |  | $100 \cdot 9$ | 1.97 | 87.9 | 3.78 | 83.8 | 4.18 | 63.3 | 3.95 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December |  | 99.9 | $2 \cdot 29$ | $83 \cdot 7$ | 4.08 | $80 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 35$ | $61 \cdot 7$ | 4.05 | 83.8 | 4.91 | 88.6 | 5-12 | $102 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 78$ |
| 1952 | January |  | 99.7 | $2 \cdot 36$ | 83.0 | 4.14 | $80 \cdot 0$ | 4.37 | 61.1 | 4.09 | 83.8 | 4.91 | 87.1 | 5.21 | 96.0 | 6.18 |
|  | February |  | 99.5 | 2.41 | $82 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 17$ | 79.2 | $4 \cdot 42$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 12$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 00$ | 84.5 | $5 \cdot 37$ | 94.8 | $6 \cdot 24$ |
|  | March... |  | 98.1 | $2 \cdot 92$ | $80 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 31$ | $77 \cdot 1$ | 4.54 | 59.4 | 4.21 | 78.4 | 5.24 | 81.3 | $5 \cdot 58$ | 91.2 | 6.53 |
|  | April ... |  | 97.6 | 3.15 | 81.7 | $4 \cdot 24$ | 77.8 | 4.50 | $60 \cdot 3$ | 4.15 | $80 \cdot 5$ | 5.11 | 87.2 | $5 \cdot 20$ | 95.5 | 6.30 |
|  | May ... |  | 97.4 | 3. 26 | 81.4 | $4 \cdot 27$ | $76 \cdot 7$ | 4.56 | $58 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 27$ | 79.9 | 5.15 | $85 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 33$ | 89.1 | 6.83 |
|  | June ... |  | $96 \cdot 8$ | 3.51 | 79.1 | $4 \cdot 45$ | $73 \cdot 6$ | 4.75 | $56 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 42$ | 78.0 | 5.28 | $83 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 47$ | $86 \cdot 2$ | 7.05 |
|  | July | , | 97.0 | 3.48 | 79.5 | $4 \cdot 42$ | $73 \cdot 2$ | 4.78 | 56.4 | 4.43 | 77.6 | 5.30 | 83.1 | $5 \cdot 46$ | 91.7 | 6.63 |
|  | August |  | $97 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 16$ | 81.6 | $4 \cdot 27$ | $75 \cdot 1$ | 4.66 | 58.1 | $4 \cdot 30$ | 78.2 | $5 \cdot 26$ | $83 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 43$ | $95 \cdot 7$ | 6.35 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $98 \cdot 2$ | 3.01 | $83 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 14$ | $77 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 52$ | 59.6 | $4 \cdot 19$ | 79.8 | 5.16 | $85 \cdot 0$ | 5.34 | $95 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 37$ |
|  | October |  | 98.4 | 2.97 | 82.4 | $4 \cdot 21$ | $77 \cdot 3$ | 4.53 | $58 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 27$ | 81.1 | 5.08 | 85.1 | 5.33 | $96 \cdot 3$ | 6.35 |
|  | November |  | 98.6 | 2.88 | $82 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 18$ | $78 \cdot 2$ | 4.48 | 60.1 | $4 \cdot 16$ | 81.4 | 5.06 | $85 \cdot 4$ | 5.31 | 96.1 | 6.36 |
|  | December |  | 98.6 | 2.91 | 82.7 | $4 \cdot 19$ | $77 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 51$ | 59.4 | 4.21 | 81.1 | 5.08 | $85 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 30$ | 97.5 | 6.29 |
| 1953 | January |  | 93.2 | 3.45 | 83.0 | $4 \cdot 17$ | $77 \cdot 6$ | 4.51 | 58.7 | $4 \cdot 26$ | 80.9 | 5.09 | 85.7 | $5 \cdot 29$ | 99.8 | 6.22 |
|  | February |  | 94.4 | $3 \cdot 29$ | $83 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 12$ | $77 \cdot 8$ | $4 \cdot 50$ | 58.8 | $4 \cdot 25$ | $80 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 10$ | 85.9 | 5.28 | 102.5 | 6.03 |
|  | March... |  | $95 \cdot 2$ | 3-17 | 84.5 | 4.06 | 78.8 | 4.44 | 59.9 | $4 \cdot 17$ | 81.5 | 5.05 | $86 \cdot 6$ | $5 \cdot 24$ | 103.4 | 5.94 |
|  | April ... |  | 95.8 | 3.09 | $85 \cdot 7$ | 3.97 | 79.8 | $4 \cdot 38$ | 60.1 | $4 \cdot 16$ | 82.1 | 5.01 | 87.4 | 5.19 | $100 \cdot 9$ | 6.14 |
|  | May . |  | $96 \cdot 4$ | 3.02 | 86.1 | 3.94 | 81.0 | $4 \cdot 32$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 12$ | $82 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 00$ | $87 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 20$ | $97 \cdot 2$ | 6.44 |
|  | June ... |  | $96 \cdot 6$ | 2.99 | $85 \cdot 8$ | 3.97 | 81.4 | $4 \cdot 30$ | $61 \cdot 3$ | 4.08 | 83.7 | 4.92 | 87.8 | 5.17 | 98.4 | 6.42 |
|  | July |  | 96.8 | 2.97 | $85 \cdot 6$ | 3.98 | 80.8 | $4 \cdot 33$ | $60 \cdot 6$ | $4 \cdot 13$ | 84.0 | 4.90 | $87 \cdot 7$ | 5.17 | 101.3 | 6.25 |
|  | August |  | 97.0 | 2.94 | $86 \cdot 3$ | 3.94 | 81.0 | $4 \cdot 32$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 12$ | 84.1 | 4.89 | 88.0 | $5 \cdot 15$ | 104.5 | 6.08 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 97.7 | 2.84 | $87 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 87$ | $83 \cdot 2$ | 4.21 | 62.4 | 4.00 | $86 \cdot 7$ | 4.75 | 91.0 | 4.98 | $107 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 92$ |
|  | October |  | 97.7 | 2.85 | 88.4 | 3.79 | 84.3 | 4.15 | $63 \cdot 6$ | 3.93 | 87.2 | 4.72 | 91.5 | 4.96 | 109.8 | 5.79 |
|  | November December | $\ldots$ | $97 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 86\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $88 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 77$ (5) | $85 \cdot 4$ | 4.10 | $64 \cdot 4$ | 3.88 | $87 \cdot 3$ | 4.71 | 91.6 | 4.95 | $112 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 72$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 ; 210\% 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.
${ }^{4}$ ) Yield assuming redemption in 1956, $3 \cdot 54$
${ }^{5}$ ) Yield assuming redemption in 1965, 4.24

Gold and dollar reserves

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Exchange Equalisation Account holdings of gold and of U.S. and Canadian dollars. Gold valued in $£$ million at 172 s . 3 d . per ounce fine in 1948 and at 250 s . thereafter ; and in U.S. $\$$ million at $\$ 35$ per ounce fine throughout. U.S. and Canadian dollars valued at the rates appropriate from time to time.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ 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.

# United Kingdom position in the European Payments Union 

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|  |  | 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 |  | $\begin{aligned} & -5 \\ & +11 \\ & +28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -\quad 5 \\ & +\quad 7 \\ & +\quad 34 \end{aligned}$ | 二 | － | 二 | － | ＋ 14 +32 +78 | 1 14 $+\quad 18$ +96 |  | 二 | 二 |  |
|  | October ．．． November．．． December ．．． | +80 +35 +21 | +114 +149 +170 | +50 +35 +16 | $\begin{aligned} & +50 \\ & +85 \\ & +101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -5 \\ & +8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +50 \\ & +30 \\ & +8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +224 \\ & +\quad 98 \\ & +\quad 58 \end{aligned}$ | +320 +418 +476 | +141 $+\quad 97$ +46 | $+\quad 141$ $+\quad 237$ $+\quad 283$ | +13 +23 | $\begin{aligned} & +141 \\ & +84 \\ & +23 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | January <br> February ．．． <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & +18 \\ & +34 \\ & +\quad 5 \end{aligned}$ | +188 +221 +227 | +12 +26 $+\quad 3$ | +113 +139 +142 | $\begin{aligned} & +6 \\ & +13 \\ & +2 \end{aligned}$ | +6 +13 +2 | +49 $+\quad 94$ $+\quad 15$ | +525 +620 +635 | $\begin{aligned} & +32 \\ & +74 \\ & +\quad 10 \end{aligned}$ | $+\quad 315$ $+\quad 389$ $+\quad 399$ | +16 +37 +5 | +16 $+\quad 37$ $+\quad 5$ |
|  | April $\ldots$ <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 $-\quad 27$ -52 | +686 +659 +608 | +52 -27 -52 | $+\quad 451$ $+\quad 424$ $+\quad 372$ | $\begin{aligned} & +26 \\ & -14 \\ & -26 \end{aligned}$ | +26 -14 -26 |
|  | July．．． $\qquad$ <br> August ．．． <br> September．． | -43 -67 -73 | +174 +107 $+\quad 33$ | -43 -67 -73 | +90 $+\quad 22$ -51 | -22 -7 | -22 -60 -73 | -121 -188 -205 | +487 +299 $+\quad 94$ | -121 -188 -205 | $+\quad 251$ $+\quad 63$ $-\quad 142$ | -60 -20 | -60 -169 -205 |
|  | October ．．． <br> November．．． <br> 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 | $-\quad 391$ $-\quad 562$ -712 | -36 -62 -75 | -214 -109 -75 |
| 1952 | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { January } & \ldots \\ \text { February } & \ldots \\ \text { March } & \ldots \end{array}$ | -54 -22 -23 | -222 -244 -267 | -54 -22 -23 | -308 -331 -354 | $\begin{aligned} & -34 \\ & -18 \\ & -18 \end{aligned}$ | -21 -4 -5 | -151 -63 -64 | -620 -683 -747 | -151 -63 -64 | -863 $-\quad 926$ $-\quad 990$ | -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 | -11 $-\quad 3$ |
|  | July．．． <br> August <br> September．． | -35 -2 +13 | $-348\left({ }^{3}\right)$ $=350$ -336 | -35 -2 +13 | $-435\left({ }^{3}\right)$ -437 -423 | -35 -2 +13 | 二 | -99 $-\quad 5$ $+\quad 37$ | $-975\left({ }^{3}\right)$ -979 -942 | － 99 $-\quad 5$ $+\quad 37$ | $-1,218\left(^{3}\right.$ $-1,222$ $-1,185$ | -99 -5 +37 | 二 |
|  | October <br> November．．． <br> December ．． | +34 +36 +30 | -302 -266 -237 | +34 +36 +30 | -389 -353 -323 | $\begin{aligned} & +34 \\ & +29 \\ & +21 \end{aligned}$ | -8 +8 +9 | +96 +102 +83 | -846 -745 -662 | $\begin{aligned} & +96 \\ & +102 \\ & +83 \end{aligned}$ | $-1,090$ $-\quad 988$ $-\quad 905$ | +96 +80 +58 | +22 +25 |
| 1953 |  January <br> February $\ldots$ <br> March $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & +9 \\ & +10 \\ & +8 \end{aligned}$ | -227 -217 -210 | +9 +10 +8 | -314 -304 -297 | +6 +7 +4 | +3 +3 +3 | +26 +28 $+\quad 21$ | -636 -609 -588 | $\begin{aligned} & +26 \\ & +28 \\ & +21 \end{aligned}$ | -879 -852 $-\quad 831$ | $\begin{aligned} & +18 \\ & +19 \\ & +11 \end{aligned}$ | ＋ 8 $+\quad 8$ +10 |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> June $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & +15 \\ & +7 \\ & +\quad 2 \end{aligned}$ | -195 -187 -186 | +15 +7 +2 | -281 -274 -273 | +8 +4 +1 | +8 +4 +1 | +43 $+\quad 20$ $+\quad 4$ | -545 -525 -521 | $+\quad 43$ $+\quad 20$ $+\quad 4$ | -788 -768 -764 | +21 +10 +2 | +21 $+\quad 10$ $+\quad 2$ |
|  | July．．． August September．． | $\begin{aligned} & -4 \\ & -11 \\ & +\quad 4 \end{aligned}$ | -190 -200 -196 | -4 -11 +4 | -277 -287 -283 | -2 -5 +2 | -2 -5 +2 | -11 $-\quad 29$ +12 | -532 -561 -549 | -11 $-\quad 29$ +12 | $\begin{aligned} & -775 \\ & =804 \\ & -792 \end{aligned}$ | -6 -15 +6 | -6 <br> -15 <br> $+\quad 6$ |
|  | October November．．． December．． | -11 +3 | $\begin{aligned} & -207 \\ & -204 \end{aligned}$ | -11 +3 | -294 -291 | -5 +2 | +5 $+\quad 2$ | $\begin{array}{r}7 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | -579 -570 | $+\quad 30$ $+\quad 9$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & -822 \\ & -813 \end{aligned}\right.$ | $\begin{array}{r} -15 \\ +\quad 4 \end{array}$ | +15 $+\quad 4$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$The unit of account，defined in terms of gold in Article 26 （a）of the Agreement for the Establishment of a

[^27]$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ 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 $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 

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|  |  | New York | Montreal | Zurich | Paris | Brussels | Amsterdam | Frankfurt | Stockholm | Oslo | Copenhagen | Lisbon |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | to \$ $£$ | to $£$ | Francs to $E$ | Francs to $E$ | Francs to $E$ | Florins to $E$ | Deutschemarks to $£$ | Kronor to $E$ | Kroner to $E$ | Kroner to $E$ | Escudos to $E$ |
| 1938 | .. ... | $4 \cdot 89$ | 4.92 | $21 \cdot 37$ | $170 \cdot 65$ | $144 \cdot 65\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | $8 \cdot 89$ |  | 19.40 | 19.90 | $22 \cdot 40$ | $110 \cdot 18$ |
|  |  | 4.03 | 4.03 | $17 \cdot 35$ | 879.73 | 176.63 | 10.69 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 100.00 |
| 1948 1949 | $\ldots$ | 4.03 3.68 | 4.03 3.76 | 15.90 | 1,053.06 | 166.49 | 10.68 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 94.70 |
| 1950 | $\begin{array}{ll}\cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots\end{array}$ | 2.80 | 3.04 | 12.25 | +980.00 | 140.00 | 10.64 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
| 1951 | $\cdots{ }^{\cdots} \ldots$ | 2.80 | 2.95 | 12.24 | 979.74 | 139.97 | $10 \cdot 64$ |  | 14.48 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
| 1952 | .. | 2.79 | 2.73 | 12.20 | 981.48 | 139.76 | $10 \cdot 60$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 10$ |
| 1951 | October ... | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.94 | $12 \cdot 25$ | 980.00 | 140.00 | 10.64 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 80.50 |
| 1951 | November ${ }^{\text {Nat }}$ | 2.80 $\mathbf{2} \cdot 80$ | 2.92 | 12.25 | 980.00 | 140.00 | 10.64 |  | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 50$ |
|  | December... | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.87 | $12 \cdot 24$ | 976.88 | 139.66 | $10 \cdot 61$ |  | $14 \cdot 48$ | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 45$ |
| 1952 | January | 2.78 | $2 \cdot 80$ | 12.21 | $980 \cdot 07$ | $139 \cdot 33$ | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.48 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 15$ |
|  | February ... | 2.78 | 2.78 | 12.19 | 987.02 | 139.55 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 15$ |
|  | March ... | $2 \cdot 80$ | $2 \cdot 79$ | $12 \cdot 21$ | 984.57 | 139.67 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.07 |
|  | April | $2 \cdot 81$ | 2.75 | $12 \cdot 22$ | 976.48 | 139.98 | 10.57 |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | 2.80 | 2.75 | 12.23 | $972 \cdot 83$ | 139.93 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | June $\quad .$. | 2.78 | 2.73 | $12 \cdot 21$ | $972 \cdot 50$ | 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 | 10.58 |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 23$ |
|  | August $\ldots$ | 2.79 | 2.68 | 12.19 | 983.90 | 139.39 | $10 \cdot 57$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 26$ |
|  | September | 2.78 | 2.67 | 12.19 | $985 \cdot 31$ | 139.94 | $10 \cdot 65$ |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | October | 2.79 | $2 \cdot 69$ | $12 \cdot 19$ | 987.50 | 140.06 | 10.71 |  | 14.49 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.07 |
|  | November | 2.80 | 2.73 | 12.19 | $987 \cdot 50$ | 139.98 | 10.69 |  | 14.50 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
|  | December... | $2 \cdot 81$ | 2.72 | 12.19 | 987.50 | 140.00 | $10 \cdot 62$ |  | $14 \cdot 55$ | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.05 |
| 1953 | January February March | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 81 \\ & 2 \cdot 82 \\ & 2 \cdot 82 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.73 \\ & 2.75 \\ & 2.77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.19 \\ & 12.19 \\ & 12.19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 987 \cdot 50 \\ & 987 \cdot 50 \\ & 987 \cdot 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140 \cdot 02 \\ & 140 \cdot 18 \\ & 140 \cdot 34 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14.58 \\ & 14.58 \\ & 14.59 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.34 \\ & 19.34 \\ & 19.34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 10 \\ & 80.01 \\ & 80.01 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | AprilMayJune | $2 \cdot 82$ | $2 \cdot 77$ | 12.18 | 987.50985.88 | 140.35140.12 | 10.57 |  | 14.5914.52 | 19.9919.99 | 19.34 | 8 C .00 |
|  |  | 2.81 | $2 \cdot 80$ |  |  |  | 10.58 | $11.72\left({ }^{4}\right)$ |  |  | 19.35 | 80.03 |
|  |  | 2.81 | $2 \cdot 80$ | 12.20 | $982 \cdot 84$ | 139.98 | $10 \cdot 59$ | 11.71 | 14.51 | 19.99 | 19.35 | 80.04 |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | $2 \cdot 82$ | 2.79 | $12 \cdot 18$ | 979.20 | 139.97 | 10.58 | 11.70 | 14.51 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.00 |
|  |  | 2.82 | 2.78 | $12 \cdot 17$ | 976.73 | $140 \cdot 12$ | 10.58 | 11.70 | 14.47 | 19.99 | 19.34 | 80.00 |
|  |  | 2.82 2.80 | 2.76 | $12 \cdot 17$ | 976.88 | $140 \cdot 04$ | 10.61 | 11.69 | 14.45 | 19.99 | $19 \cdot 35$ | 80.00 |
| , | October ... <br> November <br> December. | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 81 \\ & 2 \cdot 81 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.76 \\ & 2.75 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \cdot 18 \\ & 12 \cdot 22 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 980 \cdot 72 \\ & 980 \cdot 35 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 140.09 \\ & 140.21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.63 \\ & 10.65 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.70 \\ & 11.71 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.44 \\ & 14.46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.99 \\ & 19.99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.38 \\ & 19.40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 00 \\ & 80 \cdot 00 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ 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 100-375.
South Africa ( $£ S A$ 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, 25.89.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Averages of daily mean Telegraphic Transfer rates.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ In 1938 rates were quoted in Belgas to $£(1$ Belga $=5 \mathrm{Fcs}$.).
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ From 18 May.

TABLE 146
XV. WAGES AND PRICES

Index of weekly wage rates( ${ }^{1}$ )
30 June $1947=100\left({ }^{2}\right)$

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures are based on rates at the end of the month. An account of the method of compilation of the figures is given in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for February 1948.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 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 $1939=100$.


${ }^{(1)}$ 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).
${ }^{2}$ ) 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.

## Index numbers of wholesale prices

TABLE 148

|  |  | New series ${ }^{(1)}$ <br> 30 June $1949=100$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Price indices of materials used in industry $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |  |  |  |  | Commodity price indices |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Nonfood manufacturing industry | Mechanical engineering | Electrical machinery | Building and civil engineering | House building | Cotton (raw) | Wool (raw) | Hides and skins (native and imported) | Softwood (imported) ${ }^{(5)}$ | Woodpulp for papermaking (c.i.f. East Coast) | Aluminium (virgin ingotsdelivered) | Copper (ex-warehouse) ${ }^{(6)}$ |
| 1948 |  |  | 97.4 | 101.9 | $100 \cdot 6$ | $100 \cdot 8$ | .. | . | .. | . | 106.0 | $90 \cdot 7$ | 113.9 |
| 1949 | ... . |  | 101.5 | $104 \cdot 2$ | 102.0 | 101.8 |  |  |  |  | 86.9 | $106 \cdot 2$ | 113.4 |
| 1950 | ... . | 138.6 | 113.2 | 122.0 | 106.1 | 105.2 | 156.8 | 195.8 | 129.0 | 96.3 | 91.2 | 126.5 | 152.2 |
| 1951 | ... ... | 193.3 | 134.3 | 151.9 | 125.6 | 123.0 | 223.2 | 252.3 | 167.8 | 143.5 | $208 \cdot 3$ | 137.8 | 187.5 |
| 1952 | ... ... | 162.1 | 149.9 | $165 \cdot 4$ | $133 \cdot 6$ | $130 \cdot 6$ | 171.9 | 147.9 | 102.8 | 158.0 | 150.1 | 173.1 | $220 \cdot 7$ |
| 1951 | October ... | 182.0 | 142.2 | 158.9 | 131.4 | 127.5 | 186.6 | 183.3 | 146.8 | 155.5 | 224.4 | 137.8 | $193 \cdot 2$ |
|  | November | 182.2 | 142.0 | 158.8 | 131.8 | 127.7 | $210 \cdot 6$ | 163.1 | 132.6 | 155.5 | 223.9 | 137.8 | 193.2 |
|  | December | 180.9 | $142 \cdot 6$ | 159.0 | 132.5 | $127 \cdot 9$ | 213.1 | $160 \cdot 1$ | 122.6 | 155.5 | 226.8 | 137.8 | 193.2 |
| 1952 | January ... | 181.5 | $143 \cdot 2$ | $160 \cdot 0$ | 134.4 | 130.1 | $212 \cdot 2$ | $150 \cdot 3$ | 124.0 | $168 \cdot 2$ | 229.5 | 164.4 | 193.2 |
|  | February... | 177.0 | 143.6 | 160.2 | 134.8 | 131.4 | 201.1 | 142.6 | $115 \cdot 7$ | 168.2 | $200 \cdot 6$ | 164.4 | 193.2 |
|  | March ... | 169.6 | 152.2 | 165.4 | 136.8 | 132.9 | 186.1 | 126.5 | 94.9 | 168.2 | 201.1 | 164.4 | 193.2 |
|  | April ... | 164.7 | 152.6 | 166.3 | 137.3 | 133.4 | 179.1 | 125.6 | 86.1 | 168.0 | 183.1 | 171.1 | 196.6 |
|  | May | 162.1 | 151.7 | 165.5 | 134.9 133.4 | 131.8 | 174.3 | 141.6 | 83.2 | 163.3 | 176.7 | 171.1 | 196.6 |
|  | June . | $160 \cdot 0$ |  |  | 133.4 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 165.9 | $146 \cdot 8$ | $95 \cdot 0$ | 151.8 | 164.9 | 171.1 | 219.3 |
|  | July . | 159.3 | 152.8 | $170 \cdot 7$ | 134.0 | 130.7 | 164.4 | 158.5 | 97.8 | 151.4 | 119.2 | 174.4 | $243 \cdot 6$ |
|  | August ... | 157.2 | 151.9 | 169.3 | 133.4 | $130 \cdot 4$ | 163.5 | 158.5 | 99.6 | 151.4 | 113.7 | 174.4 | $242 \cdot 6$ |
|  | September | 154.9 | 151.4 | 168.3 | $133 \cdot 2$ | $130 \cdot 1$ | 164.9 | $150 \cdot 2$ | 106.0 | $151 \cdot 3$ | 104.0 | 174.4 | 242.6 |
|  |  |  |  |  | $130 \cdot 7$ | 128.7 | 156.6 | 157.3 | 106.5 | 151.4 | 103.4 | $178 \cdot 3$ | $242 \cdot 6$ |
|  | November | 152.0 | 147.8 | 161.8 | $130 \cdot 2$ | 128.6 | 149.2 | 155.9 | 109.6 | 151.5 | 102.0 | 184.4 | 242.6 |
|  | December |  | 148.9 |  | $130 \cdot 0$ | 128.3 | 144.9 | 160.9 | $115 \cdot 2$ | 151.5 | 102.4 | 184.4 | 242.6 |
| 1953 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 102.0 98.4 | 184.4 184.4 | 242.6 242.6 |
|  | February... March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 150.5 \\ & 151.0 \end{aligned}$ | 148.1 147.9 | 161.3 160.4 | 131.0 131.0 | 129.0 129.2 | 142.1 138.3 | 161.6 168.1 | 106.7 112.6 | 151.3 151.3 | 98.4 98.1 | 184.4 184.4 | $242 \cdot 6$ 241.7 |
|  | April | 148.6 | 145.9 | 156.5 | $130 \cdot 7$ | 129.0 | 137.2 | 174.8 | 113.6 | 150.1 | $97 \cdot 2$ | 178.9 | $233 \cdot 7$ |
|  | May | 146.9 | $143 \cdot 4$ | 151.2 | $130 \cdot 2$ | 128.8 | 139.4 | 182.4 | 111.0 | 146.6 | $96 \cdot 9$ | 178.9 | $215 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June .. | 145.4 | 143.1 | $150 \cdot 8$ | $130 \cdot 2$ | 128.5 | $140 \cdot 0$ | 174.9 | 113.3 | 143.7 | $96 \cdot 3$ | 178.9 | 214.5 |
|  | July | 143.7 | $144 \cdot 5$ | 152.8 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 128.5 | 140.9 | $171 \cdot 1$ | 112.6 | 140.9 | 95.7 | 166.7 | 214.5 |
|  | August ... | 142.6 | $143 \cdot 2$ | 149.7 | $130 \cdot 4$ | 128.6 | 140.6 | 171.1 | $110 \cdot 9$ | $140 \cdot 0$ | 97.5 | 166.7 | 197.9 |
|  | September | 142.8 | $143 \cdot 2$ | $150 \cdot 0$ | $130 \cdot 1$ | 128.4 | 139.8 | 173.6 | 112.0 | 138.3 | 98.4 | 166.7 | $201 \cdot 3$ |
|  | October ... | 142.6 | 144.9 |  |  |  |  | 174.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November December | 142.7 | $147 \cdot 3$ | 157.0 | $130 \cdot 1$ | 128.4 | 142.1 | $173 \cdot 3$ | $112.9$ | $138.7$ | $102.9$ | 166.7 | $203 \cdot 6$ |

[^28]Index numbers of wholesale prices
TABLE 148 (continued)

|  |  |  | New series (1) (continued) 30 June $1949=100$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Old series } \left.{ }^{(2}\right) \\ & 1938=100 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Coal | China <br> and earthenware | Price <br> General chemicals | indices of the output of certaIron and steel |  |  | n industRayon | ies ( ${ }^{4}$ ) <br> Hosiery and other knitted goods | - | Boots, shoes, slippers and $\operatorname{clogs}\left({ }^{7}\right)$ | $\underset{\text { articles }}{\text { All }}$ | Food and tobacco |  |
|  |  |  | Made-up clothing |  |  |  |  |  | Total |  | Cereals |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Sheets | Tinplate |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1948 | ... ... | ... |  | .. |  | . |  |  |  | . | . | . | .. | 216.2 |  |  |
| 1949 | ... | $\ldots$ |  | $100 \cdot 0$ |  | 97.4 | $97 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  | $226 \cdot 8$ | 201.7 | 179.0 |
| 1950 | ... ... | ... | $100 \cdot 3$ | 101.5 | 109.2 | $100 \cdot 6$ | 101.7 | $100 \cdot 9$ | 103.6 | 107.5 | 101.0 | 106.6 | $258 \cdot 7$ | $227 \cdot 3$ | 214.1 |
| 1951 | $\cdots$... | ... | 109.8 | 113.3 | 124.4 | 113.3 | 113.1 | 117.6 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 138.7 | 116.6 | 131.5 | $315 \cdot 0$ | 253.9 | 261.1 |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | $121 \cdot 8$ | $120 \cdot 2$ | 138.0 | 139.8 | 136.1 | 136.1 | $132 \cdot 0$ | 114.1 | $110 \cdot 6$ | 123.8 | $323 \cdot 3$ | $292 \cdot 0$ | $285 \cdot 3$ |
| 1951 | October | $\ldots$ | 109.6 | 120.0 | $130 \cdot 2$ | $125 \cdot 3$ | 125.0 | 125.4 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 142.4 | 121.5 | 135.9 | $324 \cdot 2$ | 269.9 | $280 \cdot 8$ |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 110.9 | 120.0 | $130 \cdot 4$ | $125 \cdot 3$ | 125.0 | 125.4 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 136.9 | 121.9 | 135.6 | 324.0 | $270 \cdot 0$ | 279.8 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | 121.6 | 120.0 | 131.0 | 125.3 | 125.0 | 125.4 | $130 \cdot 5$ | 133.1 | 121.1 | 134.5 | 325.8 | $273 \cdot 7$ | 279.2 |
| 1952 | January | $\ldots$ | 122.1 | 120.0 | 134.9 | $125 \cdot 3$ | 125.0 | $126 \cdot 7$ | $130 \cdot 5$ | 126.8 | 118.9 | 132.8 | $330 \cdot 2$ | 284.5 | 278.2 |
|  | February | ... | 122.6 | 120.0 | 137.0 | 127.1 | 126.8 | 129.3 | 132.1 | 122.5 | 117.4 | 131.7 | $324 \cdot 8$ | 278.8 | 268.9 |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | 122.8 | $120 \cdot 0$ | 138.5 | $142 \cdot 6$ | 139.6 | 137.9 | 132.1 | 119.5 | $115 \cdot 7$ | 128.8 | $328 \cdot 3$ | 283.9 | $285 \cdot 8$ |
|  | April |  | 122.8 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.7 | 142.6 | 139.6 | 137.7 | 132.1 | 116.5 | 113.2 | 126.2 | 325.3 | 288.0 | 297.4 |
|  | May |  | $121 \cdot 2$ | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.5 | 142.6 | 139.6 | 137.7 | 132.1 | 113.5 | 110.3 | 122.7 | 323.2 | $287 \cdot 3$ | 289.3 |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | 121.2 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.3 | $142 \cdot 6$ | 138.1 | $137 \cdot 7$ | 132.1 | $110 \cdot 8$ | 109.0 | 121.2 | 322.9 | $290 \cdot 5$ | 282.1 |
|  | July | ... | 121.0 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.2 | $142 \cdot 6$ | 137.8 | 137.7 | 132.1 | 109.0 | 107.9 | $120 \cdot 4$ | $322 \cdot 5$ | 296.6 | 284.0 |
|  | August ... | ... | 120.9 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.5 | 142.1 | $137 \cdot 5$ | 137.7 | 132.1 | 108.4 | 107.4 | $120 \cdot 2$ | $320 \cdot 3$ | 295.5 | 291.5 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 121.2 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.5 | 142.2 | 137.5 | 137.7 | 132.1 | 109.2 | $106 \cdot 9$ | $120 \cdot 1$ | 318.1 | 292.1 | 287.9 |
|  | October |  | $121 \cdot 1$ | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.4 | 142.5 | 137.4 | 137.7 | 132.1 | $110 \cdot 8$ | $106 \cdot 7$ | $120 \cdot 0$ | 321.4 | 301.1 | 286.4 |
|  | November | $\cdots$ | 122.2 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 138.3 | 142.7 | 137.1 | 137.7 | 132.1 . | 110.9 | $107 \cdot 0$ | $120 \cdot 7$ | 319.9 | 301.9 | 286.5 |
|  | December | $\ldots$ | $122 \cdot 6$ | 119.9 | 138.1 | 142.4 | 137.1 | $137 \cdot 7$ | 132.1 | $111 \cdot 2$ | $106 \cdot 9$ | 121.1 | 323.1 | 303.9 | $285 \cdot 6$ |
| 1953 | January |  | 122.5 | 119.8 | $142 \cdot 1$ | $142 \cdot 3$ | $137 \cdot 2$ | 137.7 | 132.1 | 111.2 | $107 \cdot 0$ | 121.7 | $323 \cdot 2$ | 304.0 | 287.7 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | 122.5 | 119.7 | 141.9 | 142.5 | 137.0 | $137 \cdot 7$ | 132.1 | 112.0 | 107.1 | 122.0 | 319.0 | $306 \cdot 7$ | 288.7 |
|  | March ... | $\cdots$ | $132 \cdot 2$ | 119.6 | 141.7 | 143.5 | 137.7 | 138.5 | 132.4 | 112.9 | 108.6 | 121.8 | 323.6 | 308.6 | $287 \cdot 2$ |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | 132.1 | 119.6 | 142.7 | 144.5 | 138.3 | 139.3 | 132.4 | 114.0 | 108.7 | 121.7 | 328.3 | 325.2 | 321.1 |
|  | May | $\ldots$ | 129.8 | 119.6 | 143.0 | 144.5 | 138.3 | 139.3 | 132.4 | 114.5 | 109.1 | 122.0 | 326.1 | 324.1 | 326.7 |
|  | June | ... | 129.9 | 119.6 | 143.0 | 144.5 | 138.1 | 139.3 | 132.4 | 114.8 | 109.5 | 122.1 | $325 \cdot 4$ | $322 \cdot 8$ | $325 \cdot 0$ |
|  | July . |  | $130 \cdot 0$ | $120 \cdot 6$ | $142 \cdot 6$ | 144.5 | 138.0 | 139.3 | $130 \cdot 1$ | 115.2 | 109.6 | 122.5 | 324.7 | 321.9 | 324.8 |
|  | August ... | $\ldots$ | $130 \cdot 0$ | 120.6 | 143.2 | 144.3 | 138.0 | 139.3 | $130 \cdot 1$ | 115.3 | 109.5 | 122.7 | $322 \cdot 3$ | 316.1 | 322.0 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $130 \cdot 3$ | $120 \cdot 6$ | 143.2 | 144.2 | 138.0 | 139.3 | $130 \cdot 1$ | 115.9 | 109.5 | 123.1 | 321.1 | 313.2 | 322.0 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $130 \cdot 3$ | $120 \cdot 8$ | $143 \cdot 1$ | 144.2 | 138.0 | $139 \cdot 3$ | $130 \cdot 1$ | 116.1 | 110.0 | 123.3 | $320 \cdot 5$ | 309.5 | 310.8 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 132.6 | 120.8 | 143.1 | 144.1 | 138.0 | $139 \cdot 3$ | $130 \cdot 1$ | 116.3 | $110 \cdot 1$ | 123.2 | $322 \cdot 6$ | 311.7 | $303 \cdot 7$ |

[^29]World prices ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 149
Averages of daily or weekly prices

${ }^{(1)}$ Prices of representative grades in world markets, the movements of which may differ from those of index
Source : Ministry of Food and numbers in Table 148 which represent prices in the United Kingdom.

Central Statistical Office
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Equivalent, delivered London, of Commonwealth auction prices.

## Import and export prices and average values; tramp shipping freights

TABLE 150

|  |  | Imports |  |  |  | Exports |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Terms } \\ & \text { of } \\ & \text { trade }\left({ }^{2}\right) \end{aligned}$ | Tramp shipping freights ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Food, drink and tobacco | Raw materials | Manufactures | Total | Articles wholly or mainly manufactured |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  |  | Metals( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Textiles and clothing | Other | Voyage charter ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  | Time charter ( ${ }^{5}$ ) |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1947 \\ & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | Average value index ${ }^{6}$ )$1950=100$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1948=100$ |  |
|  | $\ldots$ | 78 | 8390 | 6880 | 8693 |  | 8693 |  | 8190 | 90 | 92 | $100 \cdot 0$ |  |
|  | $\ldots$ | 87 |  |  |  | 93 |  |  |  | 9898 | 94 |  |  |
|  | $\ldots$ | 88 | 91 | 82 | 92 | 95 | 96 | 93 97 | 92 |  | 94 93 | 100.082.3 |  |
|  | $\ldots$ | 100133 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 131 | 100 | 100 | 84.0 |  |
|  | $\ldots$ |  | 120 | $!55$ | 129 | 117 | 118 | 113 | 131 |  | 113 | 173.7 | - |
|  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ |  | 136 | 136 | 124 | 125 | 126 | 120 | 127 | 105 | $110 \cdot 6$ | . |
|  |  | Import and export prices( ${ }^{7}$ )$1952=100$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1952 | 100 |
| 1952 | January February March | 105 | 101 | 110 | 104 | 100 | 100 | 96 | 114 | 100 | 105 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 184.5 \\ & 177.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 106 | 100 | 110 | 105 | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | 9898 | 111 | 102103 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 105 | 102 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 105 104 | $\begin{aligned} & 140.6 \\ & 122.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 177.0 \\ & 124.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April ... | 104 | 102 | 106 | 104 | 101 | 10 | 99 | 106 | 102 | 103 | 108.4 | 111.9 |
|  | May $\quad .$. | 103 | 103 | 103 | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ 101 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 104 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ | 102 | 105.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 116.5 \\ & 104.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | June ... | 101 | 102 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 100 | 91.2 |  |
|  | July... August <br> September.. | 100 | 101100 | 9995 | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 97 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 100 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 100 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \\ & 101 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 95 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ 100 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 97 \\ 97 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \cdot 5 \\ & 71 \cdot 2 \\ & 76 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 2 \\ & 56 \cdot 5 \\ & 58 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 97 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 96 | 99 | 93 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... November... December... | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 94 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 97 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 91 \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 94 \\ & 93 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 98 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 98 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \\ & 102 \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ | 92 | 96 | 96 | 84.9 | $65 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 91 | 96 | 96 | 88.0 | 61.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 91 | 97 | 94 | $83 \cdot 7$ | 54.0 |
| 1953 | January February March | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 91 \\ & 91 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 96 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 87 \\ & 86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 91 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 98 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 98 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 101 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 92 \\ & 92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96 \\ & 95 \\ & 95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 93 \\ & 94 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \cdot 3 \\ & 80 \cdot 0 \\ & 83 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 8 \\ & 61 \cdot 5 \\ & 64 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | 908887 | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 98 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \\ & 82 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 85 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 97 \\ & 96 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 97 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 \\ & 100 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | 91 | 93 | 93 | $85 \cdot 6$ |  |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 91 | 93 | 91 | $82 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 5$ |
|  | June ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 92 | 92 | 91 | $73 \cdot 8$ | $61 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 87 \\ & 87 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 96 \\ & 95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 81 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 85 \\ & 85 \end{aligned}$ | 96 | 96 | 100 | 92 | 92 | 91 | 75.8 | 57.4 |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  | 97 | 97 | 101 | 93 | 91 | 90 | 73.9 | 59.0 |
|  | September... |  |  |  |  | 97 | 97 | 100 | 94 | 92 | 90 | $73 \cdot 9$ | 56.4 |
|  | October . | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \\ & 86 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 96 \end{aligned}$ | 9796 | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | 94 | 91 | 90 | 77.5 | $56 \cdot 3$ |
|  | November... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 94 | 91 | 90 | $73 \cdot 8$ | $58 \cdot 0$ |

${ }^{1}$ ) 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.

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${ }^{(1)}$ 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.
${ }^{(3}$ ) 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 1936-38. 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

(ii) Re-valued at average 1948 prices

|  |  | Total | Food | Alcoholic beverages |  | Tobacco | Rent, rates and water charges | Fuel and light | Household goods | Clothing |  | Travel | Enter-tainments | Other goods and services | Income <br> m 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 |
| $1951{ }^{\circ}$ | ... ... | 8,653 | 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 |  | 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 |
|  | 4th 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 |
|  | 4th 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 |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,076 | 580 | 129 | 58 | 192 | 166 | 84 | 129 | 38 | 170 | 91 | 42 | 387 | 10 |
|  | 3rd 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 |  | 2,072 | 605 | 107 | 67 | 185 | 169 | 111 | 150 | 30 | 151 | 76 | 44 | 367 |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | 2,183 | 601 | 134 | 63 | 197 | 170 | 87 | 157 | 39 | 176 | 94 | 42 | 414 | 9 |
|  | 3rd quarter | 2,245 | 618 | 141 | 68 | 210 | 171 | 73 | 155 | 37 | 165 | 114 | 43 | 441 | 9 |

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Wholesale textile houses: Sales and stocks $\left({ }^{1}\right)$
TABLE 153
Averages of values in $1950=100$

|  |  |  |  |  | Total ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Women's and children's wear ${ }^{(3}$ ) |  | Men's and boys' wear ${ }^{(3}$ ) |  | Piece goods (dress materials)( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Home sales | Stocks (end of period)( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Sales | Stocks (end of period) | Sales | Stocks (end of period) | Sales | Stocks (end of period) |
| 1950 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 100 | 86 | 100 | 82 | 100 | 92 | 100 | 89 |
| 1951 | ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 104 | 129 | 100 | 116 | 104 | 153 | 103 | 131 |
| 1952 | ... ... | ... | ... | ... | 90 | 74 | 90 | 61 | 82 | 85 | 68 | 88 |
| 1951 | October <br> November <br> December | $\cdots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 112 106 76 | 143 139 129 | 110 96 74 | $\begin{aligned} & 134 \\ & 128 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \\ 105 \\ 69 \end{array}$ | 160 155 153 | 81 81 60 | 131 136 131 |
| 1952 | January February March | $\ldots$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | ... | 54 87 108 | 125 131 126 | 52 84 107 | 115 121 114 | 46 70 91 | 146 152 149 | 50 94 99 | 129 137 135 |
|  | April ... May <br> May <br> June | $\ldots$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 89 90 64 | 121 113 107 | 91 91 62 | $\begin{array}{r} 106 \\ 97 \\ 91 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 90 \\ & 66 \end{aligned}$ | 143 134 124 | 63 66 46 | 134 130 121 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 63 67 118 | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 98 \\ 92 \end{array}$ | 60 72 124 | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \\ & 89 \\ & 80 \end{aligned}$ | 66 55 99 | 115 112 108 | 44 53 81 | 101 95 92 |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ |  | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 133 112 98 | 83 79 74 | 134 108 92 | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \\ & 64 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 118 \\ 106 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 102 \\ 92 \\ 85 \end{array}$ | 83 66 66 | 85 89 88 |
| 1953 | January <br> February <br> March | $\cdots$ | ... $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ <br> .. | 58 87 117 | 81 89 87 | 56 91 126 | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 83 \\ & 79 \end{aligned}$ | 52 71 104 | 86 95 95 | 51 80 90 | 89 86 82 |
|  | April ... <br> May <br> June $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 96 91 69 | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 87 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ 94 \\ 65 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77 \\ & 76 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \\ & 92 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88 \\ & 90 \\ & 96 \end{aligned}$ | 62 67 51 | 86 88 87 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 67 78 135 | 99 104 102 | 66 85 139 | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 97 \\ & 94 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 70 \\ 68 \\ 129 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 111 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | 56 58 81 | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \\ & 89 \\ & 88 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 136 | 93 | 138 | 82 | 130 | 104 | 80 | 83 |

$\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ 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.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Including some goods for export, which form only a small part of the total.

Source: Bank of England and Wholesale Textile Association

Values of sales by large retailers $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
(Department stores, multiple shops and retail co-operative societies)
Weekly average $1950=100$

|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { All } \\ \text { mer- } \\ \text { chandise } \end{gathered}$ | Food and perishables |  | Clothing and footwear |  |  |  | Household goods |  |  | Chemists' goods | Stocks ${ }^{(3)}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 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 | Clothing and footwear |  |
| 1950 1951 1952 | $\ldots$  <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\ldots$ |  | 100 109 117 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 110 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 114 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | 100 110 110 | 100 110 114 | 100 108 104 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 109 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 108 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 106 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 113 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 113 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 89 106 92 |
| 1952 | October ... November *December... | 117 125 156 | 122 127 144 | 127 135 149 | 116 118 165 | 125 127 174 | 97 104 156 | 110 110 146 | 108 114 129 | 105 109 117 | 114 124 162 | 109 134 209 | 103 104 92 |
| 1953 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { *January } & \ldots \\ \text { February } \\ \text { \# March } & \ldots \\ \text { M }\end{array}$ | 112 112 120 | 128 130 132 | 139 141 144 | 85 83 104 | 90 87 110 | 82 79 98 | 77 73 97 | 104 94 107 | 106 94 107 | $\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ 94 \\ 109 \end{array}$ | 112 115 111 | 87 $-\quad 100$ 112 |
|  | April <br> May <br> *June | 118 126 121 | 132 132 133 | 144 145 143 | 105 126 109 | 109 130 110 | 96 119 106 | 100 124 104 | 103 111 95 | 99 108 91 | 112 125 108 | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 125 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 110 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> *September | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 113 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 129 126 128 | 141 134 137 | 117 90 109 | 120 95 118 | 112 81 92 | 112 90 107 | 113 96 116 | $\begin{array}{r} 111 \\ 92 \\ 112 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 106 \\ & 127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 221 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 105 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December. | 125 | 130 | 137 | 121 | 133 | 99 | 111 | 119 | 114 | 133 | 118 | 112 |

${ }^{1}$ ) 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 ${ }^{1}$ )


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${ }^{(1)}$ 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.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Production of glass bottles, jars and syphons. Domestic and scientific glassware are excluded
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Figures are calculated from returns for calendar months in the case of some producers and weekly returns in the case of others.

- Average of five weeks.

Source : H.M. Customs and Excise. Board of Trade,
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[^1]:    (1) Excluding still-births.
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[^2]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 7.

[^3]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ to Table 7.

[^4]:    * Ayerage of five weeks.

[^5]:    * Average of five weeks.

[^6]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{( }$) to Table 33.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Including coal held by Service Departments.

[^7]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including the pure content of virgin alloys.

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

    * Average of five weeks.

[^9]:    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Organic fertilizers, treated phosphate rock, concentrated complete fertilizers and triple superphosphate.

[^10]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June.

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

    - Five week period.

[^12]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including accessories.

[^13]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including kilns for brick, tile and pottery manufacture but excluding blast and open hearth furnaces and soaking pits.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Including wringers, mangles and washing machines.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Value of exports.

[^14]:    ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ ) Sales by manufacturers.

[^15]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Production figures for individual months for cement, gypseous plaster, asbestos cement sheeting and plaster-

[^16]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including fowls, ducks, geese and turkeys.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Boars for service only; young boars not returned separately.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Excluding poultry on a number of small sized holdings estimated at about 4 million birds.

[^17]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) As refined sugar.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.

    * Average of five weeks.

[^18]:    (1) For brewing and food.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding damaged ware potatoes fed to livestock on farms.
    ${ }^{( }$) $)$Average of period from July 1936 to June 1939.

[^19]:    (') Figures from 1947, which are constructed by using 1950 prices as weights, are not comparable with those for 1935-38 which are weighted by 1938 prices. Figures for 1936, 1937, 1948 and 1949 are approximate. Weighted by 1947 prices the index numbers for $1947(1938=100)$ were: - Imports 70 , United Kingdom exports 99. The volume of imports into the United Kingdom in 1952 was nearly one-fifth lower than in 1938 ; United Kingdom exports in 1952 were about one and a half times the 1938 volume.
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ The figures from January 1952 take account of the increased valuation of parcel post. On the revised basis the 1951 average would be about $£ 217.7$ million.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Metals and engineering products.
    ${ }^{( }$) Provisional monthly estimate.

[^20]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abroad to a port in the United Kingdom

[^21]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Scheduled services only. Figures in respect of the period January 1952 to March 1953 have been revised. 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 $2,000 \mathrm{lb}$.
    (s) 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.

[^22]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years.
    (2) Including traffic not shown separately.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Before 1 October 1950 workmen's tickets were issued on railways, trams, trolleybuses, and to a very limited extent on the Central buses. From that date the issue of workmen's tickets ceased and early morning tickets were introduced on all services except coaches.
    ${ }^{4}$ ) Year ended 30 June
    ${ }^{(5)}$ Including tickets issued on "country" services of a similar nature to workmen's tickets.

[^23]:    (1) $^{(1)}$ The weekly averages for each year are computed from the totals for calendar years.

[^24]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The sum of the twelve monthly receipts under certain headings is slightly greater than the total shown for the financial year. This is because the monthly figures include duties ultimately payable to the Isle of Man and adjustments for these are made only at the end of the financial year.
    (2) Tax imposed from 21 October 1940.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Pool Betting duty imposed from 4 January 1948 ; Bookmakers' Licence duty imposed from 9 August 1948.

[^25]:    annual figures are averages of the figures for February, May, August and November of each year.

[^26]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including accrued interest to date.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Nominal amount held on Post Office Register (Post Office and Trustee Savings Bank Sections).
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Ordinary and Special Investments Departments.

[^27]:    European Payments Union，1950，was throughout the above period equal in value to the U．S．dollar

[^28]:    See footnotes on page 123.

[^29]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ A general description of the new indices was published in the Board of Trade Journal for 19 May and 16 June 1951.
    (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 copper.
    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding rubber.

[^30]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) See footnotes $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 154.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ ) Including shops which do a substantial trade in made-to-measure garments.
    Average of five weeks.

