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# I. NATIONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE <br> Expenditure on the gross domestic product <br> (i) At current prices 

£ million
TABLE I

(ii) Revalued at average 1954 prices

TABLE I (continued)
(ii) Revalued at average 1954 prices

$\left(^{1}\right)$ Equals total final expenditure on goods and services at market prices less imports of goods and
Source: Central Statistical Office services less taxes on expenditure plus subsidies
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ This represents taxes on expenditure less subsidies valued at average 1954 rates.

Shares in the gross domestic product

${ }^{(1)}$ Wages and salaries, Forces' pay and employers' contributions.
${ }^{2}$ ) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.

Personal income, expenditure and saving

${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ ) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
Source: Central Statistical Office
${ }^{2}{ }^{2}$ Employers' contributions to national insurance and pension funds, etc.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ National insurance benefits, family allowances, assistance grants, war pensions and service grants, etc.
${ }^{(4)}$ Income from self-employment, before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation, and rent, dividend and interest receipts.
${ }^{(5)}$ Equals total personal income before tax less taxes on income, national insurance and health contributions and remittances abroad.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Before providing for depreciation, stock appreciation and tax reserves.

Consumers' expenditure
TABLE 4
(i) At current prices
£ million

|  | Total | Food | Alcoholic drink |  | Tobacco | Housing ${ }^{(1)}$ | Fuel and light | Durable goods |  |  | Clothing |  | Other goods | Other services |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Furniture and floor coverings |  |  | Radio and electrical goods, etc. | Cars and motor cycles $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Beer | Other |  |  |  |  |  | Footwear | Other |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1954 \ldots \\ & 1955 \ldots \\ & 1956 \ldots \\ & 1957 \ldots \\ & 1958 \ldots \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,023 \\ & 12,865 \\ & 13,542 \\ & 14,210 \\ & 14,925 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,778 \\ & 4,107 \\ & 4,351 \\ & 4,521 \\ & 4,672 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 509 \\ & 531 \\ & 547 \\ & 574 \\ & 567 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 309 \\ & 334 \\ & 351 \\ & 365 \\ & 374 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 855 \\ 880 \\ 935 \\ 981 \\ 1,031 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,053 \\ & 1,065 \\ & 1,124 \\ & 1,211 \\ & 1,374 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 486 \\ & 522 \\ & 590 \\ & 607 \\ & 677 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 349 \\ & 363 \\ & 372 \\ & 403 \\ & 428 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 274 \\ & 297 \\ & 284 \\ & 317 \\ & 335 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 221 \\ & 299 \\ & 249 \\ & 285 \\ & 384 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206 \\ & 216 \end{aligned}$ | 9681,052 | 1,223 1,336 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,792 \\ & 1,863 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 239 | 1,143 | 1,533 | 2,031 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 241 | 1,142 | 1,617 | 2,083 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3,148 | 1,0511,100 | 112144150141 | 767081 | $\begin{aligned} & 214 \\ & 226 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 266 \\ & 289 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174 \\ & 142 \end{aligned}$ | 828991110 | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \\ & 62 \end{aligned}$ | 7480 | 4659 | 236 | 320 | 479559 |
| 1956 Ist qtr. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 348 |  |
| 2nd qtr. | 3,365 |  |  |  | 249 | 284 | 157 |  | 67 | 56 | 57 | 263 | 373 |  |
| 3rd 4 qtr. | 3,415 3,614 | 1,068 1,132 |  | 124 | 246 | 285 |  | 110 | 91 | 39 | 67 | 334 | 396 | 492 |
| th qri. | 3,614 |  |  |  | 229243254 | 282307 | 179141 | 92 <br> 97 <br> 99 <br> 15 |  | 4990 | 4964 |  | 338366397 |  |
| 1957 Ist qtr. | 3,2543,5093 | 1,0601,116 | 120153158 | 757383 |  |  |  |  | 76 70 |  |  | 245290269 |  | 460499567505 |
| 1957 2nd qtr. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 76 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3rd qtr. | 3,611 | 1,144 |  |  |  | 307 318 | 167 | 115 | 95 | 65 | 67 | 339 | 432 |  |
| 4th qtr. | 3,836 | 1,201 | $\begin{aligned} & 121 \\ & 147 \\ & 157 \\ & 142 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 82 \\ 78 \\ 82 \\ 132 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 240 \\ & 258 \\ & 270 \\ & 263 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 323 \\ & 350 \\ & 350 \\ & 351 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 210 . \\ & 164 \\ & 127 \\ & 176 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 93 \\ 97 \\ 101 \\ 137 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 75 \\ 72 \\ 74 \\ 114 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{lll}1958 & \text { lst } & \text { qtr. } \\ \text { 2nd } \\ \text { 2rd } & \text { qtr. } \\ \text { 3rd } & \text { qtr. } \\ \text { 4th } & \text { qtr. }\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,475 \\ & 3,685 \\ & 3,735 \\ & 4,030 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,103 \\ & 1,164 \\ & 1,154 \\ & 1,251 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 111 \\ 87 \\ 89 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \\ & 62 \\ & 60 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 248 \\ & 288 \\ & 262 \\ & 344 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 368 \\ & 386 \\ & 418 \\ & 445 \end{aligned}$ | 466508593516 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 lst qtr.2nd qtr.3rd qtr. | $\begin{aligned} & 3,590 \\ & 3,856 \\ & 3,871 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,136 \\ & 1,196 \\ & 1,185 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 143 \\ & 156 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 82 \\ & 90 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 241 \\ & 264 \\ & 282 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 352 \\ & 371 \\ & 369 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218 \\ & 157 \\ & 125 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 117 \\ 118 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 86 | 106 | 51 | 252 | 386 413 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 94 | 135 | 69 | 300 | 413 425 | 515 <br> 593 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 94 | 104 |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 4 (continued)
(ii) Revalued at average 1954 prices
£ million

|  |  | Total | Food | Alcoholic drink |  | Tobacco | Housing <br> $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Fuel and light | Durable goods |  |  | Clothing |  | Other goods | Other services |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Furniture and floor coverings |  |  |  | Radio and electrical goods, etc. |  |  | Cars and motor cycles $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Footwear |  |  |  | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Beer |  | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1954 ... |  |  | 12,023 | 3,778 | $\begin{aligned} & 509 \\ & 525 \\ & 526 \\ & 532 \\ & 519 \end{aligned}$ | 309 | 855 <br> 877 <br> 889 <br> 913 <br> 930 | 1,053 | 486 | 349 | 274 | 221 | 206 | 968 | 1,223 | 1,792 |
| $1955 .$. | $\ldots$ | 12,443 | 3,877 | 334 |  | 1,029 |  | 497 | 358 | 293 | 295 | 216 | 1,044 | 1,306 1,339 1,387 | 1,792 <br> 1,784 |
| 1956 ... | $\ldots$ | 12,548 | 3,962 | 349 |  | 1,043 |  | 516 | 343 | 264 | 227 | 219 | 1,087 | 1,339 | 1,784 |
| 1957 ... |  | 12,802 | 4,025 | 361 |  | 1,054 |  | 507 | 366 | 293 | 251 | 226 | 1,101 | 1,387 | 1,786 |
| 1958 ... | ... | 13,096 | 4,093 | 372 |  | 1,071 |  | 547 | 388 | 317 | 334 | 227 | 1,091 | 1,457 | 1,750 |
| 1956 Ist |  | 2,953 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 139 \\ & 143 \\ & 134 \end{aligned}$ | 76 | 211 | 253 | 157 | 76 | 60 | 69 | 45 | 232 | 300 | 399 |
| 2nd | qtr. | 3,098 | 974 |  | 69 | 215 | 268 | 127 | 82 | 57 | 73 | 57 | 272 | 326 | 439 |
| 3rd | qtr. | 3,167 | 986 |  | 81 | 234 | 262 | 100 | 84 | 62 | 50 | 54 | 258 | 348 | 505 |
| 4th | qtr. | 3,330 | 1,037 |  | 123 | 229 | 260 | 132 | 101 | 85 | 35 | 63 | 325 | 365 | 441 |
| 1957 Ist | qtr. | 2,975 | 963 | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 142 \\ & 146 \\ & 131 \end{aligned}$ | 75 | 216 | 256 | 153 | 83 | 70 | 44 | 47 | 238 | 308 | 409 |
| 2nd | qtr. | 3,174 | 990 |  | 73 | 228 | 271 | 122 | 88 | 65 | 79 | 61 | 280 | 332 | 443 |
| 3rd | qtr. | 3,237 | 1,005 |  | 83 | 237 | 265 | 98 | 90 | 70 | 71 | 55 | 259 | 361 | 497 |
| 4th |  | 3,416 | 1,067 |  | 130 | 232 | 262 | 134 | 105 | 88 | 57 | 63 | 324 | 386 | 437 |
| 1958 Ist | qtr. | 3,061 | 979 | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 134 \\ & 144 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | 81 | 218 | 260 | 170 | 84 | 69 | 84 | 46 | 236 | 329 | 394 |
| 2 nd | qtr. | 3,219 | 1,006 |  | 76 | 232 | 275 | 137 | 88 | 68 | 97 | 58 | 274 | 345 | 429 |
| 3rd | qtr. | 3,289 | 1,025 |  | 83 | 244 | 269 | 101 | 92 | 71 | 76 | 57 | 251 | 379 | 497 |
| 4th | qtr. | 3,527 | 1,083 |  | 132 | 236 | 267 | 139 | 124 | 109 | 77 | 66 | 330 | 404 | 430 |
| 1959 Ist | qtr. | 3,116 | 981 | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 146 \\ & 159 \end{aligned}$ | 79 | 217 | 262 | 178 | 93 | 82 | 91 | 47 | 243 | 347 | 390 |
| 2nd | qtr. | 3,380 | 1,033 |  | 80 | 237 | 277 | 129 | 106 | 92 | 122 | 64 | 290 | 373 | 431 |
| 3 rd | qtr. | 3,397 | 1,042 |  | 88 | 252 | 272 | 97 | 107 | 93 | 94 | 56 | 260 | 384 | 493 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Rent, rates, water charges and expenditure by occupiers on repairs, maintenance and improvements.
${ }^{(2}$ ) This series is subject to a wide margin of error because of the difficulty of separating business from personal expenditure. It is shown separately because quarterly variations have such an important influence on changes in the total of consumers' expenditure and on personal saving.

Revenue account of Central Government including National Insurance Funds

(i) Revenue and surplus

TABLE 5
$€$ million

|  |  | Total revenue | Gross trading income ${ }^{1}$ ) | Rent, dividends and interest | Taxes on income | Taxes on capital | Taxes on expenditure | National Insurance contributions | National health contributions | Current grants from overseas governments | Surplus before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1954 1955 1956 1957 |  | 5,223 5,610 5,823 6,156 | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 78 \\ & 86 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 212 \\ & 241 \\ & 274 \\ & 285 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,147 \\ & 2,319 \\ & 2,354 \\ & 2,587 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 184 \\ & 166 \\ & 176 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,024 \\ & 2,148 \\ & 2,275 \\ & 2,341 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 46 \\ & 26 \\ & 21 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 282 \\ & 511 \\ & 410 \\ & 411 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | $\ldots$ | 6,584 | 109 | 327 | 2,718 | 182 | 2,386 | 760 | 99 | 3 | 645 |
| 1956 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 2,258 1,134 1,199 1,232 | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \\ & 15 \\ & 22 \\ & 26 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \\ & 55 \\ & 61 \\ & 78 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,349 \\ 317 \\ 361 \\ 327 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 44 \\ & 38 \\ & 39 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 594 \\ & 537 \\ & 550 \\ & 594 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \\ & 4 \\ & 8 \\ & 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 902 \\ -184 \\ -148 \\ -160 \end{array}$ |
| 1957 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter | 2,418 1,187 1,291 | 24 17 18 | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 60 \\ & 70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,483 \\ 346 \\ 408^{\prime} \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \\ & 47 \\ & 45 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 614 \\ & 550 \\ & 578 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 8 \\ 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,011 \\ -163 \\ -\quad 69 \end{array}$ |
|  | 4th quarter | 1,260 | 30 | 77 | 350 | 36 | 599 | 148 | 20 | - | -168 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 1,295 2,525 1,291 1,399 1,369 | 31 25 25 28 | $\begin{aligned} & 95 \\ & 60 \\ & 73 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,5321 \\ & 370 \\ & 443 \\ & 373 \end{aligned}$ | 45 41 48 48 | $\begin{aligned} & 625 \\ & 579 \\ & 585 \\ & 597 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 176 \\ & 193 \\ & 196 \\ & 195 \end{aligned}$ | 20 21 29 29 | 1 - - | $\begin{array}{r} 1,015 \\ -151 \\ -68 \\ -151 \end{array}$ |
| 1959 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3 rd quarter | $\begin{aligned} & 2,599 \\ & 1,372 \\ & 1,429 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \\ & 24 \\ & 27 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \\ & 66 \\ & 91 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,571 \\ 405 \\ 413 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 52 <br> 57 <br> 54 | $\begin{aligned} & 638 \\ & 596 \\ & 617 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 189 \\ & 196 \\ & 198 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \\ & 28 \\ & 29 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{array}{r} 1,043 \\ -173 \\ -104 \end{array}$ |

TABLE 5 (continued)
(ii) Expenditure

| TABLE 5 (continued) | Total expenditure |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Current grants to local authorities |  | £ million |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Current expenditure on goods and services |  |  |  | Subsidies | National insurance benefits | Other current grants to persons | Debt interest |  | Current grants paid abroad |  |
|  |  | Total | Military defence | Health services | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1954 | 4,941 | 2,355 | 1,554 | 464 | 337 | 403 | 531 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1955 | 5,099 | 2,372 | 1,524 | 499 | 349 | 321 | 614 | 432 | 708 | 423 | 60 | 97 117 |
| 1956 | 5,413 | 2,542 | 1,625 | 549 | 368 | 336 | 670 | 444 | 725 | 523 | 62 | 117 |
| 1957 | 5,545 | 2,541 | 1,550 | 591 | 400 | 382 | 702 | 468 | 707 | 598 | 65 | 111 |
| 1958 | 5,939 | 2,594 | 1,551 | 624 | 419 | 370 | 912 | 486 | 783 | 635 | 66 | 82 93 |
| 1956 Ist quarter...2nd quarter...3rd quarter ...4th quarter ... | 1,356 | 620 | 398 | 130 | 92 | 102 | 173 | 104 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1,318 | 631 | 396 | 140 | 95 | 73 | 165 | 115 | 174 184 | 110 | 15 | 35 22 |
|  | 1,347 | 643 | 416 | 137 | 90 | 71 | 163 | 108 | 173 | 141 | 18 | 34 |
|  | 1,392 | 648 | 415 | 142 | 91 | 90 | 169 | 117 | 194 | 139 | 15 | 20 |
| 1957 Ist quarter2nd quarte3rd quarte4th quarter | 1,407 | 649 | 403 | 142 | 104 | 108 | 177 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1,350 | 634 | 390 | 148 | 96 | 78 | 171 | 122 | 179 | 137 | 24 13 | 27 16 |
|  | 1,360 | 624 | 374 | 152 | 98 | 100 | 170 | 115 | 166 | 155 | 10 | 16 |
|  | 1,428 | 634 | 383 | 149 | 102 | 96 | 184 | 121 | 201 | 155 | 18 | 19 |
| 1958 Ist quarter ... | 1,510 | 660 |  |  |  | 108 | 212 |  |  |  |  | 27 |
| 2nd quarter... | 1,442 | 644 | 378 | 163 | 103 | 89 | 222 | 128 | 178 | 144 | 11 | 26 |
| 3rd quarter ... 4th quarter ... | 1,467 | 639 | 380 | 154 | 105 | 82 | 234 | 121 | 189 | 169 | 14 | 19 |
|  | 1,520 | 651 | 392 | 157 | 102 | 91 | 244 | 125 | 213 | 159 | 16 | 21 |
| 1959 Ist quarter ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2nd quarter... | 1,545 | 685 | 378 | 177 | 130 | 76 93 | 254 | 116 | 192 172 | 176 | 25 12 | 28 16 |
| 3 rd quarter ... | 1,533 | 673 | 388 | 164 | 121 | 81 | 239 | 136 | 194 | 172 | 18 | 20 |

${ }^{(1)}$ Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
Source: H.M. Treasury and Central Statistical Office
(i) Analysis by industry group at current prices


TABLE 6 (continued)
(ii) Analysis by type of asset
$£$ million

| TABLE 6 (continued |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

[^1]Source: Central Statistical Office
(iii) Analysis by sector

At current prices
\& million
TABLE 6 (continued)
A Public setor

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | Public sector ( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Private sector |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | Dwellings | Other | Total | Dwellings | Other |
| 1954 | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,578 | 1,297 | 421 | 876 | 1,281 |  |  |
| 1955 | ... |  | ... | ... |  | ... | 2,841 | 1,305 | 359 | 946 | 1,536 | 255 | 1,058 |
| 1956 | $\ldots$ |  | .. | ... |  | ... | 3,137 | 1,385 | 343 | 1,042 | 1,752 | 283 | 1,281 1,469 |
| 1957 | $\ldots$ |  | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,400 | 1,480 | 323 | 1,157 | 1,920 | 287 | 1,469 |
| 1958 | ... |  | $\ldots$ | ... |  | $\ldots$ | 3,516 | 1,480 | 273 | 1,207 | 2,036 | 308 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,633 \\ & 1,728 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1956 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 750 | 343 |  | 265 | 407 |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 759 | 328 | 90 | 238 | 431 | 71 | 341 360 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | ... | 772 856 | 345 369 | 88 | 257 | 427 | 74 | 360 353 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  | 282 | 487 | 72 | 415 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 811 | 365 | 82 | 283 | 446 | 72 |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 816 849 | 345 364 | 85 | 260 | 471 | 74 | 397 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 849 924 | 364 406 | 79 77 | 285 329 | 485 518 | 69 72 | 416 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3 rd quarter 4th quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 446 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 878 854 | 386 <br> 352 | 70 73 | 316 279 | 492 | 70 | 422 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 866 | 356 | 73 67 | 289 | 502 510 | 75 | 427 |
|  |  |  |  | ... |  | ... | 918 | 386 | 63 | 323 |  | 80 83 | 430 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 878 | 359 | 75 | 317 288 | 496 519 | 84 | 412 |
|  |  |  | $\cdots$ |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  | 390 | 67 | 323 |  |  |  |

TABLE 6 (continued)
Revalued at average 1954 prices
£ million

${ }^{(1)}$ Central Government, local authorities and public corporations.
Source: Central Statistical Office

# Fixed capital expenditure in manufacturing industry $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ 

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(i) Analysis by industry at current prices
$€$ million

|  |  |  |  | Total manu-facturing | Chemicals <br> and <br> allied industries | Metal manufacture |  | En- <br> gineering, shipbuilding and metal goods | Vehicles |  | Textiles and clothing | Food, drink and tobacco | Paper and printing | Other <br> manu- <br> factur- <br> ing <br> indust- <br> ries |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Total | of which Iron and steel |  | Total | of which Motor vehicles |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 678 | 116 | 82 | 69 | 159 | 68 | 47 | 75 | 73 | 47 | 59 |
|  | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 817 | 161 | 104 | 83 | 186 | 83 | 57 | 69 | 83 | 64 | 66 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 903 | 196 | 129 | 107 | 192 | 82 | 57 | 73 | 91 | 73 | 68 |
|  | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 895 | 190 | 130 | 116 | 193 | 62 | 44 | 78 | 102 | 9 | 61 |
| 1956 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 41 | 18.3 | 12.9 | 20.1 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 13.6 | 14.7 |
|  | Ist quarter | ... | $\ldots$ | 184.2 | $34 \cdot 9$ $36 \cdot 5$ | 21.6 27.2 | 17.9 21.3 | 42.1 | 18.6 | 12.9 | 16.6 | $20 \cdot 5$ | 15.0 | 16.1 |
|  | 2nd quarter | ... | ... | 192.6 | $36 \cdot 5$ | 27.2 27.8 | 21.3 22.8 | 42.1 45.3 | 19.9 | 13.6 | 15.3 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 14.9 | 17.3 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | ... | ... | 201.1 239.2 | $40 \cdot 6$ 49.3 | $27 \cdot 8$ $27 \cdot 0$ | $22 \cdot 8$ 21.3 | $45 \cdot 3$ $57 \cdot 6$ | 26.6 | 17.9 | 17.4 | 22.9 | $20 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 8$ |
|  | 4 th quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | $239 \cdot 2$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 0$ | $21 \cdot 3$ | 57.6 | 26.6 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 | Ist quarter | ... | $\ldots$ | 216.6 | $45 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | 25.4 | $46 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 1$ | 14.1 | 18.0 | $22 \cdot 2$ | 17.6 | $16 \cdot 5$ |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $220 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 0$ | $34 \cdot 3$ | $28 \cdot 6$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 0$ | 18.9 | $20 \cdot 1$ | 18.6 | 16.2 |
|  | 3rd quarter | ... | ... | $221 \cdot 1$ | $47 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 7$ | $27 \cdot 2$ | 47.1 | 19.0 | 13.0 | 16.7 19.1 | 22.6 25.7 | 19.6 | 18.6 16.2 |
|  | 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | 244.0 | $54 \cdot 5$ | $31 \cdot 7$ | $26 \cdot 0$ | $57 \cdot 4$ | 19.8 | 12.7 | 19.1 | $25 \cdot 7$ | $19 \cdot 6$ | 16.2 |
| 1958 |  |  |  | 216.0 | $47 \cdot 5$ | $30 \cdot 5$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | 13.5 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 19.1 | $25 \cdot 7$ | $20 \cdot 7$ | 14.4 |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $220 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | 31.9 | $28 \cdot 5$ | $47 \cdot 7$ | $15 \cdot 0$ | 11.4 | 18.5 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $21 \cdot 3$ | 14.3 |
|  | 3 rd quarter |  | $\ldots$ | $223 \cdot 1$ | $44 \cdot 5$ | $38 \cdot 5$ | $35 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 2$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | $10 \cdot 9$ | $20 \cdot 8$ | $26 \cdot 1$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $15 \cdot 4$ |
|  | 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | $235 \cdot 5$ | 51.4 | 29.0 | $25 \cdot 8$ | 54.9 | 18.1 | 13.0 | 19.6 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 8$ | 16.4 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter |  | $\cdots$ | 192.4 | $38 \cdot 6$ | $26 \cdot 6$ | 24.4 | $44 \cdot 3$ $45 \cdot 0$ | 12.7 | 10.6 8.5 | 16.6 20.3 | 22.7 26.1 | 16.5 16.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | 198.6 | $37 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 4$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | $11 \cdot 2$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 1$ |  |  |

(ii) Analysis by type of asset

TABLE 7 (continued)

${ }^{(1)}$ ) The figures are based on information supplied by a panel of manufacturing companies.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The figures in these tables have been revised in accordance with the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958.

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## Changes in value of stocks held by manufacturing industry ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 8
$£$ million

|  |  |  |  |  | Total manufacturing | Analysis by industry |  |  |  | Analysis by type of asset |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Metal manufacture, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles | Textiles, leather and clothing | Food, drink and tobacco | Other industries | Materials and fuel | Work in progress | Finished goods |
| Level of stocks at end December, 1955 |  |  |  |  |  | 3,931 | 2,057 | 593 | 554 | 727 | 1,793 | 1,336 | 803 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \begin{array}{cc} 56 & \cdots \\ 58 & \cdots \\ 58 & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | ... <br> $\ldots$ <br> .. | $\begin{array}{r} +340 \\ +247 \\ -\quad 56 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +250 \\ & +152 \\ & +\quad 21 \end{aligned}$ | +22 +14 -73 | +21 $+\quad 24$ $+\quad 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & +46 \\ & +\quad 57 \\ & -11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} +115 \\ +63 \\ +168 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +141 \\ & +113 \\ & +36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +84 \\ & +70 \\ & +75 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 6 Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | +125 +109 +55 +51 | +92 $+\quad 70$ $+\quad 55$ +33 | ¢ $+\quad 5$ +10 $+\quad 16$ | $\begin{aligned} & +32 \\ & +\quad 8 \\ & -\quad 9 \\ & -\quad 10 \end{aligned}$ | 11 $+\quad 4$ $+\quad 21$ $+\quad 4$ | 168 $+\quad 18$ $+\quad 63$ +40 | + 65 $+\quad 54$ $+\quad 13$ $+\quad 9$ | +42 +61 $-\quad 20$ $+\quad 1$ |
|  | 7 Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3 rd quarter 4th quarter | $\begin{gathered} \cdots \\ \cdots \\ \cdots \end{gathered}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & +155 \\ & +\quad 50 \\ & +79 \\ & -\quad 37 \end{aligned}$ | $+\quad 40$ $+\quad 43$ +84 -14 | +16 +10 +11 $-\quad 1$ | 10 $+\quad 90$ $-\quad 26$ -31 | $+\quad 9$ $+\quad 23$ $+\quad 15$ +10 | +56 +43 $+\quad 58$ $-\quad 6$ | $+\quad 44$ +61 $+\quad 47$ -39 | $\begin{aligned} & +56 \\ & +32 \\ & -26 \\ & +\quad 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | + 28 $-\quad 6$ -36 -42 | 180 $+\quad 22$ $+\quad 7$ -38 | 7 $-\quad 5$ $-\quad 33$ $-\quad 7$ | a +13 $+\quad 1$ $+\quad 5$ | 10 $-\quad 11$ $-\quad 2$ $+\quad 8$ | - 57 -83 -28 | +24 +23 $+\quad 6$ -16 | +61 $+\quad 54$ -42 $+\quad 2$ |
|  | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter | $\ldots$ | . <br> $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | - +29 | -4 -4 | $+\quad 6$ $+\quad 9$ | a +13 $-\quad 3$ | 1 -15 | 21 $-\quad 5$ $+\quad 40$ | +88 $+\quad 37$ $+\quad 30$ | +13 +32 -41 |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ The figures are based on information supplied by a panel of manufacturing companies consisting mainly of large stock holders.

Balance of payments ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 9
Source: Board of Trade

${ }^{(1)}$ The items in this table are defined in United Kingdom Balance of Payments 1946-1957, published by H.M. Stationery Office, 1959.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Visible trade figures for 1956 onwards are on a different basis from those for earlier years. As a result of a revision of method the adjustments, made to convert the Trade and Navigation Accounts figures from a movement to a change of ownership basis, have been reduced.
$\left({ }^{3}\right)$ Details of the official gold and foreign currency holdings and the overseas sterling holdings are given in the tables on pages 123 and 124 .

## II. WEATHER

Temperature, rainfall and sunshine


# III. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS <br> Population( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE II
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1931 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | April census June | ** | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46,038 \\ & 47,494 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,060 \\ & 22,822 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23,979 \\ & 24,672 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39,952 \\ 41,215 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,133 \\ & 19,72 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20,819 \\ 21,423 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,843 \\ & 4,993 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,326 \\ & 2,405 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,517 \\ & 2,588 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,243\left({ }^{2}\right) \\ & 1,286 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \left.6011^{(2}\right) \\ & 625 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 642(7) \\ & 661 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1951 | April census | ... | ... | 50,225 | 24,118 | 26,107 | 43,758 | 21,016 | 22,742 | 5,096 | 2,434 | 2,662 | 1,371 | 668 | 703 |
|  | June | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 50,302 | 24,158 | 26,144 | 43,815 | 21,044 | 22,771 | 5,114 | 2,444 | 2,670 | 1,373 | 669 | 704 |
| 1952 | June | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 50,444 | 24,221 | 26,223 | 43,955 | 21,110 | 22,845 | 5,115 | 2,442 | 2,673 | 1,375 | 670 | 705 |
| 1953 | June | - | ... | 50,611 | 24,325 | 26,285 | 44,109 | 21,206 | 22,903 | 5,118 | 2,444 | 2,673 | 1,384 | 675 | 709 |
| 1954 | June | ... | .. | 50,784 | 24,411 | 26,373 | 44,274 | 21,288 | 22,986 | 5,123 | 2,447 | 2,676 | 1,387 | 676 | 711 |
| 1955 | June | *- | ... | 50,968 | 24,523 | 26,445 | 44,441 | 21,389 | 23,052 | 5,133 | 2,455 | 2,678 | 1,394 | 679 | 715 |
| 1956 | June | ... | ... | 51,208 | 24,661 | 26,548 | 44,667 | 21,517 | 23,150 | 5,145 | 2,463 | 2,682 | 1,397 | 681 | 716 |
| 1957 | June | ... | $\cdots$ | 51,456 | 24,795 | 26,661 | 44,907 | 21,648 | 23,259 | 5,150 | 2,465 | 2,685 | 1,398 | 681 | 717 |
| 1958 | June | ... | ... | 51,680 | 24,907 | 26,773 | 45,109 | 21,744 | 23,365 | 5,169 | 2,480 | 2,689 | 1,402 | 684 | 719 |
| 1959 | June ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 51,985 | 25,065 | 26,920 | 45,386 | 21,885 | 23,501 | 5,192 | 2,495 | 2,697 | 1,408 | 686 | 722 |

${ }^{(1)}$ De facto or home population.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Estimated. The population at the census of 1926 was 1,257 thousand 608 thousand males and 649 thousand females).

Age distribution at 30 June 1958
TABLE 12
Source: Registrars General

|  | Estimated population (Total)( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | Estimated population (De facto or home) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | United Kingdom |  |  | United Kingdom |  |  | England and Wales |  |  |  | Scotland |  | Northern Ireland |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Wales |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | Males | Females |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females |
| All ages Years of age: $0-14$ $\qquad$ $15-64$ <br> 65 and over | 51,870 | 25,094 | 26,776 | 51,680 | 24,907 | 26,773 | 21,744 | 23,365 | 1,282 | 1,333 | 2,480 | 2,689 | 684 | 719 |
|  | 12,044 | 6,166 | 5,878 | 12,044 | 6,166 | 5,878 | 5,290 | 5,043 | 309 | 295 | 668 | 638 | 207 | 197 |
|  | 33,841 | 16,582 | 17,259 | 33,653 | 16,396 | 17,257 | 14,382 | 15,083 | 844 | 864 | 1,596 | 1,730 | 418 | 444 |
|  |  | 2,346 | 3,638 | 5,984 | 2,346 |  | 2,072 | 3,239 | 129 |  | 215 | 321 | 59 | 78 |
| $\begin{gathered} 0-4 \\ 5-9 \\ 10-14 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,972 \\ & 3,901 \\ & 4,171 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,037 \\ & 1,997 \\ & 2,132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,935 \\ & 1,904 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,972 \\ & 3,901 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,037 \\ & 1,997 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,935 \\ & 1,904 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,735 \\ & 1,710 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,648 \\ & 1,632 \end{aligned}$ | 10198110 | $\begin{array}{r}96 \\ 94 \\ \hline 105\end{array}$ | 230218 | 220 | 726867 | 686565 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 4,171 | 2,132 | 2,039 | 1,845 | 1,763 | 110 |  | 220 | 211 |  |  |
| 15-19 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,357 \\ & 3,314 \\ & 3,366 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,703 \\ & 1,683 \\ & 1,691 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,654 \\ & 1,631 \\ & 1,675 \end{aligned}$ | 3,3223,2213,342 | 1,6691,591 | 1,6531,630 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,428 \\ & 1,380 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,412 \\ & 1,402 \end{aligned}$ | 85 <br> 79 <br> 85 | 8680 | 180162173 | $\begin{aligned} & 170 \\ & 179 \end{aligned}$ | 5043 | 454947 |
| 20-24 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 25-29 |  |  |  | 3,342 | 1,668 | 1,674 | 1,452 | 1,449 | 85 | 84 | 173 |  |  |  |
| 30-34 | 3,5223,7763,418 | 1,7581,8661,676 | 1,7641,910 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,510 \\ & 3,765 \end{aligned}$ | 1,7461,854 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,764 \\ & 1,911 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,533 \\ & 1,636 \end{aligned}$ | 1,541 | 899283 | 88 | $\begin{aligned} & 172 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | 177 | 414339 |  |
| 35-39 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9385 |  |  |  | 4642 |
| 40-44 |  | 1,676 | 1,742 | 3,410 | 1,668 | 1,742 | 1,474 | 1,531 |  |  |  | 168 | 39 |  |
| 45-49 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,729 \\ & 3,581 \\ & 3,170 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,838 \\ & 1,743 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,891 \\ & 1,838 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,725 \\ & 3,580 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,834 \\ & 1,742 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,891 \\ & 1,838 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,618 \\ & 1,543 \end{aligned}$ | 1,6621,622 | 9394 | 95 <br> 94 <br> 8 | 173161 | 183174163 |  |  |
| 50-54 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3734 | 4138 |
| 55-59 |  | 1,490 | 1,680 | 3,169 | 1,489 | 1,680 | 1,314 | 1,479 | 82 | 86 | 141 | 163 |  |  |
| 60-64 | 2,6082,1631,697 | 1.134902674 | 1,4741,2611,023 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,608 \\ & 2,163 \\ & 1,697 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,134 \\ 902 \\ 674 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,474 \\ & 1,261 \\ & 1,023 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,004 \\ 800 \\ 596 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,304 \\ 1,118 \\ 910 \end{array}$ | 625037 | $\begin{aligned} & 73 \\ & 61 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 82 \\ 62 \end{array}$ | 13811692 | 272116 | 272121 |
| 65-69 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 70-74 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 75-79 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,179 \\ 639 \\ 306 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 445 \\ 226 \\ 99 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 734 \\ & 413 \\ & 707 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,179 \\ 639 \\ 306 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 445 \\ 226 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 734 \\ & 413 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 392 \\ 196 \\ 88 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 655 \\ & 368 \\ & 188 \end{aligned}$ | 25125 | 35199 | 41229 | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 35 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | 12 | 16104 |
| 80-84 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7 |  |
| 85 and over |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |

[^2]
# POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS <br> Births and marriages registered 


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

Deaths registered ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 14
Thousands


[^3]Source : Registrars General

|  | 1955 | 1956 | 1957 | 1958 |  |  | 1959 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June | June | June | June | June | July | August | September | October |
| Total working population( ${ }^{3}$ ( ${ }^{(4)}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,912 \\ 16,084 \\ 7,828 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,107 \\ 16,188 \\ 7,919 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,188 \\ 16,225 \\ 7,963 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,070 \\ 16,160 \\ 7,910 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,968 \\ 16,063 \\ 7,905 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,010 \\ 16,078 \\ 7,932 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,125 \\ 16,138 \\ 7,987 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,153 \\ 16,143 \\ 8,010 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 24,190 \\ 16,144 \\ 8,046 \end{array}$ |
| Males    <br> Females $\ldots$. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| H.M. Forces and Women's Services Males <br> Females <br> $\cdots$ <br> ... .. .. | 803 784 | 76174516 | $\begin{array}{r} 702 \\ 687 \\ 15 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 614 \\ 600 \\ 14 \end{array}$ | 56555015 | $\begin{array}{r} 559 \\ 544 \\ 15 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 555 \\ 540 \\ 15 \end{array}$ | 551 536 | $\begin{array}{r} 547 \\ 532 \\ 15 \end{array}$ |
|  | 784 19 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total in civil employment <br> Males <br> Females <br> Agriculture, forestry and fishing <br> Mining and quarrying... <br> Manufacturing industries | $\begin{array}{r} 22,933 \\ 15,182 \\ 7,751 \\ 1,066 \\ 862 \\ 9,206 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,149 \\ 15,110 \\ 7,839 \\ 1,032 \\ 858 \\ 9,269 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,245 \\ 15,367 \\ 7,878 \\ 1,025 \\ 868 \\ 9,271 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,080 \\ 15,888 \\ 7,792 \\ 1,009 \\ 854 \\ 9,147 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,020 \\ 15,234 \\ 7,786 \\ 1,000 \\ 824 \\ 9,110 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,054 \\ 15,245 \\ 7,809 \\ 1,009 \\ 819 \\ 9,121 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,164 \\ 15,304 \\ 7,860 \\ 1,015 \\ 815 \\ 9,190 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,199 \\ 1,316 \\ 7,883 \\ 1,029 \\ 810 \\ 9,254 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23,229 \\ 15,313 \\ 7,916 \\ 1,015 \\ 804 \\ 9,297 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| of whom total employees | $\begin{aligned} & 9,006 \\ & 6,001 \\ & 3,005 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,069 \\ & 6,075 \\ & 2,994 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,071 \\ & 6,108 \\ & 2,963 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,947 \\ & 6,086 \\ & 2,861 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,910 \\ & 6,059 \\ & 2,851 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,921 \\ & 6,070 \\ & 2,851 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,990 \\ & 6,104 \\ & 2,886 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,054 \\ & 6,133 \\ & 2,921 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,097 \\ & 6,151 \\ & 2,946 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Females |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Treatment of non-metalliferous mining products other than |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| coal ... ... ... ... | $\begin{aligned} & 343 \\ & 517 \\ & 570 \end{aligned}$ | 342527579 | 333532 | 322535 | 321537 | $\begin{aligned} & 323 \\ & 538 \\ & 551 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 324 \\ & 541 \\ & 556 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 326 \\ & 544 \\ & 561 \end{aligned}$ | 327546565 |
| Chemicals and allied trades ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Metal manufacture ... ... |  | 579 | 578 | 560 | 549 |  |  |  |  |
| Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods ... | 2,0631,197 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,100 \\ & 1,209 \end{aligned}$ | 2,1181,191 | 2,1171,201 | 2,0891,209 | 2,0901,208 | 2,1071,214 | 2,1281,223 | 2,1391,228 |
| Vehicles ... ... ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Metal goods not elsewhere specified | 513 | - 515 | 510 | 504 | 507 | 507 | 513 | 518 | 522 |
| Precision instruments, jewellery, etc. | 145946 | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 926 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 147 \\ & 925 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 148 \\ & 862 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 841 \end{aligned}$ | 146843 | 147848 |  |  |
| etc. .. $\ldots$ .. $\ldots$ <br> Textiles $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 148 851 | 148 855 |
| Leather, leather goods and fur... | 72 | 68 | 67 | 63 | 64 | 64 | 65 | 66 | 66 |
| Clothing (including footwear)... | 627 | 631 | 630 | 594 | 589 | 586 | 593 | 594 | 594 |
| Food, drink and tobacco ... | 877 | 888 | 892 | 901 | 908 | 913 | 913 | 915 | 916 |
| Manufactures of wood and cork | 299 | 289 | 288 | 281 | 284 | 285 | 289 | 292 | 295 |
| Paper and printing ... ... | 552 | 564 | 574 | 576 | 579 | 578 | 587 | 591 | 596 |
| Other manufacturing industries | 285 | 284 | 286 | 283 | 287 | 289 | 293 | 297 | 300 |
| Building and contracting ... | 1,486 | 1,541376 | 1,519379 | 1,492375 | 1,506373 | 1,4961741,673 | 1,514374 | 1,510374 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,507 \\ 374 \\ 1,657 \\ 2,989 \end{array}$ |
| Gas, electricity and water ... ... | 378 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Transport and communication ... | 1,713 | 1,730 | 1,723 | 1,705 | 1,673 |  | 1,670 | 1,665 |  |
| Distributive trades ... ... ... | 2,811 | 2,870 | 2,945 | 2,939 | 2,955 | 2,961 | 2,970 | 2,966 |  |
| Professional, financial and miscellaneous services | 4,122 | 4,173 | 4,217 | 4,258 | 4,278 | 4,300 | 4,312 | 4,289 | 4,285 |
| Public administration: ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| National government service ... Local government service | $\begin{aligned} & 563 \\ & 726 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 561 \\ & 739 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 543 \\ & 755 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 529 \\ & 772 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 520 \\ & 781 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 519 \\ & 782 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 521 \\ & 783 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 520 \\ & 782 \end{aligned}$ | 520 781 |
| Registered unemployed ( ${ }^{5}$ ) |  |  |  |  | 37924 | 39417 |  |  |  |
| Wholly unemployed ... ... | $\begin{array}{r} 170 \\ 22 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 191 \\ 39 \end{array}$ | 235 15 | 370 62 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 404 \\ 12 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 402 \\ 11 \end{gathered}$ | 414 11 |

( ${ }^{1}$ ) The Table covers all persons aged 15 and over at work or registered as available for work. Part-time workers are counted as full units. The industry groups are those given in the Standard Industrial Classification, 1948.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) The figures in Tables 15-26 for dates after June 1958 are provisional and will be revised after the count of National Insurance cards at May 1959.
${ }^{(3)}$ The total working population consists of H.M. Forces and Women's Services, men and women on release leave from H.M. Forces and Women's Services (not shown separately in the Table), total in civil employment and registered wholly unemployed.
${ }^{(4)}$ Most, if not all, persons registered as temporarily stopped are on the pay-rolls of employers and included in the number in civil employment.
${ }^{(5)}$ Estimates for end of month.

| TABLE 16 |  |  |  | Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain ${ }^{(1)}{ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousands |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Bricks and fireclay goods [20] |  |  | China and earthenware (including glazed tiles) [21] |  |  | Glass and glass containers [22 and 23] |  |  | Cement <br> [24] |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | June |  |  | $\ldots$ | $85 \cdot 7$ | 76.9 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 78.9 | 34.7 | 44.2 | 68.0 | $50 \cdot 5$ | 17.5 | 15.3 | 14.1 | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  | June |  |  | $\ldots$ | 85.9 | $77 \cdot 2$ | 8.7 | $77 \cdot 7$ | $33 \cdot 2$ | 44.5 | $66 \cdot 4$ | 49.8 | $16 \cdot 6$ | 16.0 | 14.7 | $1 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June |  |  | ... | $85 \cdot 7$ | $77 \cdot 1$ | 8.6 | $77 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 5$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 69.1 | 51.9 | 17.2 | 15.9 | 14.6 | $1 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June |  |  | ... | 83.8 | $75 \cdot 1$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | $77 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 6$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 8$ | $54 \cdot 2$ | 19.6 | 15.8 | 14.5 | $1 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 82.7 | $74 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | $75 \cdot 8$ | $33 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 6$ | 74.5 | 55.8 | 18.7 | 16.0 | 14.6 | $1 \cdot 4$ |
|  | June |  |  | ... | 80.0 | $71 \cdot 9$ | 8.1 | 69.7 | 30.1 | 39.6 | $75 \cdot 3$ | 56.6 | 18.7 | 16.3 | 14.9 14.4 | 1.4 |
|  | June |  | ... | ... | 73.9 | $66 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $67 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 2$ | $37 \cdot 7$ | $75 \cdot 5$ | 57.3 | 18.2 | 15.8 | 14.4 | 1.4 |
| 1959 | October |  |  | $\ldots$ | 71.9 | $64 \cdot 8$ | 7.1 | 68.3 | 30.3 30.4 | 38.0 | 75.1 |  | 17.8 17.8 | 16.0 16.0 | 14.6 14.6 | 1.4 1.4 |
|  | November |  |  |  | 71.3 70.8 | $64 \cdot 3$ $63 \cdot 8$ | 7.0 7.0 | $68 \cdot 6$ 68.4 | $30 \cdot 4$ 30.4 | $38 \cdot 2$ 38.0 | $75 \cdot 0$ 74.4 | $57 \cdot 3$ $57 \cdot 0$ | 17.8 17.4 | 16.0 16.0 | 14.6 14.6 | 1.4 |
|  | January <br> February <br> March |  |  |  | 70.3 | $63 \cdot 5$ | 6.8 | 68.2 | $30 \cdot 4$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | 74.4 | 57.0 | 17.4 | 16.0 | 14.6 | 1.4 |
|  |  |  |  | ... | $70 \cdot 3$ | 63.5 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 68.0 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 37.7 | $74 \cdot 2$ | 56.8 | $17 \cdot 4$ | 15.9 | 14.5 | $1 \cdot 4$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 71.1 | 64.0 | 7.1 | $67 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 3$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | $73 \cdot 6$ | $56 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | 15.9 | 14.5 | $1 \cdot 4$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June |  |  | ... | 71.3 | 64.2 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 68.0 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 37.8 | 73.6 | 56.5 | 17.1 | 16.1 | 14.7 | 1.4 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 71.2 | $64 \cdot 1$ | 7.1 | 68.0 | $30 \cdot 1$ | 37.9 | 73.6 | $56 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 0$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | 14.8 | 1.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 71.3 | $64 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $67 \cdot 8$ | 30.1 | $37 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 7$ | $56 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | 14.8 | $1 \cdot 4$ |
| July $\ldots$ Augut$\begin{aligned} & \text { August } \\ & \text { September }\end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | 71.6 | 64.3 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 67.8 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 37.6 | 73.8 | 56.7 | 17.1 | 16.3 | 14.9 | 1.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  | $72 \cdot 2$ | $64 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | 68.0 | $30 \cdot 3$ | $37 \cdot 7$ | $74 \cdot 2$ | 57.0 | $17 \cdot 2$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | 14.9 | 1.4 |
|  |  |  |  | ... | $72 \cdot 2$ | $64 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $68 \cdot 4$ | $30 \cdot 6$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | 74.7 | $57 \cdot 2$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | 14.8 | $1 \cdot 4$ |
| October ... <br> November... <br> December ... |  |  |  |  | $72 \cdot 1$ | $64 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 4$ | $68 \cdot 7$ | 30.7 | 38.0 | 74.8 | $57 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 2$ | 14.8 | 1.4 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ End of month. The figures in square brackets relate to the Standard Industrial
Source : Ministry of Labour Classification (1948) Minimum List Heading. $\quad\left({ }^{2}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 15.

## Chemicals and allied trades

TABLE 17
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
Thousands


[^4]${ }^{(2)}$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 15.

$\left(^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table 16. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) See footnote ( $\left.{ }^{2}\right)$ to. Table 15.
Source: Ministry of Labour

## Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods industries

TABLE $19 \quad$ Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$

Thousands


# Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods industries 

## TABLE 19 (continued)

Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain $\left({ }^{(1)}\left({ }^{2}\right)\right.$
Thousands


TABLE 19 (continued)
Thousands


[^5]Selected metal goods industries
TABLE 20
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
Thousands


TABLE 20 (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 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | June |  | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 8$ | $26 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 9$ | $48 \cdot 3$ | $31 \cdot 8$ | $16 \cdot 5$ | $80 \cdot 6$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | 28.0 | $41 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 7$ |
|  | June |  | $\ldots$ | 58.8 | $27 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 4$ | 29.9 | $15 \cdot 5$ | 84.5 | $54 \cdot 7$ | 29.8 | $40 \cdot 7$ | $22 \cdot 4$ | 18.3 |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 59.4 | $27 \cdot 1$ | $32 \cdot 3$ | $48 \cdot 1$ | 31.0 | 17.1 | $86 \cdot 6$ | $55 \cdot 1$ | $31 \cdot 5$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 3$ | 19.9 |
|  | June | ... | ... | $60 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 1$ | $50 \cdot 3$ | 31.5 | 18.8 | 89.0 | $56 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 3$ | $47 \cdot 4$ | 24.9 | $22 \cdot 5$ |
|  | June | ... | $\ldots$ | 59.0 | $27 \cdot 5$ | 31.5 | 49.1 | 31.4 | 17.7 | $90 \cdot 3$ | $58 \cdot 6$ | 31.7 | $47 \cdot 2$ | $25 \cdot 5$ | 21.7 |
|  | June | ... | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 2$ | $27 \cdot 6$ | 29.6 | $48 \cdot 9$ | $31 \cdot 7$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | $93 \cdot 3$ | $60 \cdot 0$ | $33 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 2$ | 24.7 | $20 \cdot 5$ |
|  | June | ... | ... | $57 \cdot 5$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | $29 \cdot 2$ | $48 \cdot 3$ | 31.4 | $16 \cdot 9$ | $92 \cdot 9$ | 59.9 | $33 \cdot 0$ | $46 \cdot 3$ | $24 \cdot 6$ | 21.7 |
| 1959 | October ... <br> November <br> December... | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 58.8 | 28.7 | $30 \cdot 1$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | 31.5 | $17 \cdot 2$ | 92.9 | 59.9 | 33.0 | $46 \cdot 9$ | 24.8 | $22 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $58 \cdot 9$ 57 | $28 \cdot 9$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | $49 \cdot 0$ | $31 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 5$ | $92 \cdot 9$ | 59.9 | $33 \cdot 0$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | $24 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 7$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | 29.0 | $49 \cdot 2$ | $31 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 92.9 | 59.9 | 33.0 | $46 \cdot 4$ | 24.7 | $21 \cdot 7$ |
|  | January February March | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 5$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | $28 \cdot 8$ | 49.5 | $31 \cdot 7$ | 17.8 | 93.0 | 59.9 | $33 \cdot 1$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | 24.7 | $21 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 0$ | $28 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 4$ | 49.4 | $31 \cdot 6$ | 17.8 | 92.6 | 59.5 | $33 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 9$ | $24 \cdot 7$ | $21 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $56 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 2$ | 49.4 | 31.5 | $17 \cdot 9$ | 91.9 | 59.1 | $32 \cdot 8$ | $45 \cdot 9$ | 24.8 | $21 \cdot 1$ |
|  | April | $\ldots$ | ... | $57 \cdot 0$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | 31.4 | 17.9 | 92.0 | 59.1 | $32 \cdot 9$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $24 \cdot 8$ | $21 \cdot 2$ |
|  | May | ... | $\ldots$ | 57.1 | $28 \cdot 7$ | 28.4 | 49.1 | $31 \cdot 3$ | 17.8 | 91.4 | $58 \cdot 8$ | 32.6 | $45 \cdot 9$ | $24 \cdot 8$ | $21 \cdot 1$ |
|  | June | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 7$ | $28 \cdot 7$ | 29.0 | $49 \cdot 3$ | $31 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 9$ | 91.2 | $58 \cdot 7$ | $32 \cdot 5$ | $45 \cdot 8$ | 24.9 | $20 \cdot 9$ |
|  | July August | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57 \cdot 6 \\ & 58 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $28 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 8$ | 49.1 | 31.3 31.6 | 17.8 | $90 \cdot 9$ | 58.6 |  | $46 \cdot 0$ | 25.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 0 \\ & 21.3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... <br> September... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 3 \\ & 58 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.1 \\ & 29.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 29.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49.5 \\ & \hline 0.0 \end{aligned}$ | 31.6 31.8 | $17.9$ | $\begin{aligned} & 91.7 \\ & 92.0 \end{aligned}$ | 59.1 59.1 | $32 \cdot 6$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 6 \\ & 46.9 \end{aligned}$ | $25 \cdot 3$ 25.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 3 \\ & 21 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | September... |  | $\cdots$ | $58 \cdot 9$ | $29 \cdot 2$ | 29.7 | $49 \cdot 8$ | $31 \cdot 8$ | 18.0 | $92 \cdot 0$ | 59.1 | $32 \cdot 9$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | 25.3 | $21 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October ... November... December ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $59 \cdot 3$ | $29 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 1$ | $50 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 0$ | $18 \cdot 3$ | $92 \cdot 6$ | $59 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 4$ | 47-2 | $25 \cdot 3$ | 21.9 |

# Selected vehicle manufacturing industries 

TABLE 21
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain( $\left(^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
Thousands

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table 16.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 15.
Source: Ministry of Labour

## Selected clothing industries

TABLE 22
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ ) ( ${ }^{2}$ )
Thousands

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ ) to Table 16
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ See footnote $\left(^{2}\right)$ to Table 15.

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline \multicolumn{4}{|l|}{\multirow[t]{2}{*}{}} \& \multicolumn{3}{|c|}{Cotton spinning, doubling, etc.
[1 10]} \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{Cotton weaving, etc.
[III]} \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{Woollen and worsted
[112]} \& \multicolumn{3}{|l|}{Rayon and nylon production and weaving and silk [113 and 114]} <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& Total \& Males \& Females \& Total \& Males \& Females \& Total \& Males \& Females \& Total \& Males \& Females <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{10}{*}{195
195
195
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195} \& June \& \& \& 149.8 \& $53 \cdot 3$ \& 96.5 \& 119.5 \& 39.6 \& 79.9 \& 188.9 \& 84.8 \& 104.1 \& 79.0 \& $42 \cdot 2$ \& 36.8 <br>
\hline \& June \& \& \& 161.8 \& $56 \cdot 3$ \& 105.5 \& 122.0 \& 40.9 \& 81.1 \& 210.4 \& 92.9 \& 117.5 \& 88.3 \& 47.9 \& 40.4 <br>
\hline \& June \& \& ... \& 169.0 \& 58.8 \& $110 \cdot 2$ \& 122.4 \& 40.8 \& 81.6 \& 212.1 \& 93.1 \& 119.0 \& 91.0 \& 49.6 \& 41.4 <br>
\hline \& June \& \& ... \& 150.7 \& $52 \cdot 3$ \& 98.4 \& 117.1 \& $39 \cdot 2$
$35 \cdot 7$ \& 77.9
69.8 \& $205 \cdot 6$ \& $90 \cdot 6$ \& 115.0 \& 90.4 \& 50.2 \& $40 \cdot 2$ <br>
\hline \& June \& \& ... \& 145.3 \& 50.1 \& 95.2
96.6 \& 105.5
103.9 \& $35 \cdot 7$

$35 \cdot 2$ \& $69 \cdot 8$
68.7 \& 206.1 \& 89.5 \& 116.6 \& 92.3 \& 51.6 \& $40 \cdot 7$ <br>
\hline \& June \& \& $\ldots$ \& 146.9 \& $50 \cdot 3$
46.6 \& $96 \cdot 6$
85.8 \& 103.9
96.8 \& $35 \cdot 7$
33.5 \& $68 \cdot 7$
63.3 \& 209.8 \& 92.8 \& 117.0 \& 90.1 \& 51.5 \& 38.6 <br>
\hline \& June \& \& ... \& 132.4 \& $46 \cdot 6$ \& 85.8 \& 96.8 \& $33 \cdot 5$ \& $63 \cdot 3$ \& 194.5 \& 88.6 \& $105 \cdot 9$ \& $80 \cdot 3$ \& $46 \cdot 5$ \& 33.8 <br>
\hline \& \& \& \& 125.5 \& $44 \cdot 7$ \& 80.8 \& 92.9 \& 32.6 \& 60.3 \& 192.4 \& 87.8 \& 104.6 \& 78.5 \& $45 \cdot 6$ \& <br>
\hline \& November \& \& \& 125.0 \& $44 \cdot 3$ \& $80 \cdot 7$ \& $92 \cdot 3$ \& 32.4 \& 59.9 \& 193.5 \& 88.2 \& 105.3 \& 78.6 \& $45 \cdot 8$ \& $32 \cdot 8$ <br>
\hline \& December. \& \& \& 123.9 \& 44.0 \& 79.9 \& $90 \cdot 9$ \& 32.1 \& $58 \cdot 8$ \& 194.0 \& 88.6 \& 105.4 \& 78.9 \& $46 \cdot 3$ \& $32 \cdot 6$ <br>
\hline \multirow[t]{11}{*}{1959} \& January \& \& $\ldots$ \& 124.0 \& 44.1 \& 79.9 \& 90.6 \& 32.0 \& 58.6 \& 195.2 \& 89.1 \& 106.1 \& 79.2 \& $46 \cdot 6$ \& 32.6 <br>
\hline \& February \& \& \& 123.0 \& $43 \cdot 7$ \& 79.3 \& 89.5 \& 31.8 \& 57.7 \& 195.2 \& 89.3 \& $105 \cdot 9$ \& 79.1 \& $46 \cdot 5$ \& $32 \cdot 6$ <br>
\hline \& March \& \& $\ldots$ \& 122.1 \& $43 \cdot 3$ \& 78.8 \& 88.5 \& 31.5 \& $57 \cdot 0$ \& 194.5 \& 89.1 \& $105 \cdot 4$ \& 78.5 \& $46 \cdot 3$ \& $32 \cdot 2$ <br>
\hline \& \& \& $\ldots$ \& 121.7 \& $43 \cdot 1$ \& 78.6 \& 88.2 \& 31.6 \& 56.6 \& 195.6 \& 89.3 \& $106 \cdot 3$ \& 78.1 \& 46.1 \& 32.0 <br>
\hline \& May \& \& \& 121.6 \& $43 \cdot 0$ \& $78 \cdot 6$ \& 88.2 \& 31.6 \& $56 \cdot 6$ \& 195.7 \& 89.3 \& $106 \cdot 4$ \& $77 \cdot 7$ \& $45 \cdot 9$ \& 31.8 <br>
\hline \& June \& \& \& 122.1 \& $43 \cdot 1$ \& 79.0 \& 88.3 \& 31.7 \& $56 \cdot 6$ \& $197 \cdot 4$ \& 89.8 \& $107 \cdot 6$ \& 78.1 \& $46 \cdot 0$ \& 32.1 <br>
\hline \& July \& \& $\ldots$ \& 122.3 \& $43 \cdot 1$ \& 79.2 \& 87.9 \& 31.6 \& 56.3 \& 198.2 \& 90.3 \& 107.9 \& 78.8 \& $46 \cdot 5$ \& $32 \cdot 3$ <br>
\hline \& August \& \& \& 122.4 \& $43 \cdot 1$ \& $79 \cdot 3$ \& 88.3 \& 31.7 \& $56 \cdot 6$ \& 199.4 \& $90 \cdot 7$ \& 108.7 \& 79.4 \& $46 \cdot 8$ \& $32 \cdot 6$ <br>
\hline \& September \& \& ... \& $120 \cdot 7$ \& $42 \cdot 4$ \& $78 \cdot 3$ \& 88.3 \& 31.7 \& $56 \cdot 6$ \& $200 \cdot 9$ \& 91.0 \& 109.9 \& $80 \cdot 1$ \& $47 \cdot 2$ \& $32 \cdot 9$ <br>
\hline \& October ... \& \& $\ldots$ \& 121.0 \& $41 \cdot 9$ \& 79.1 \& 88.6 \& 31.8 \& 56.8 \& 201.4 \& 91.1 \& $110 \cdot 3$ \& $80 \cdot 8$ \& $47 \cdot 7$ \& 33.1 <br>
\hline \& November... December... \& \& $\ldots$ \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

TABLE 23 (continued)
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Hosiery and other knitted goods [118] |  |  | Textile finishing[123] |  |  | All other textiles [115-117, 119-122 and [129] |  |  | Leather and leather goods <br> [130 and 131] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1952 | June |  | $\ldots$ | 109.8 | 31.8 | 78.0 | 87.9 | 58.6 | 29.3 | 156.2 | $67 \cdot 7$ | 88.5 | 58.7 | 36.5 | 22.2 |
|  | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 124.3 | 33.5 | 90.8 | 91.8 | 61.2 | $30 \cdot 6$ | 164.3 | $70 \cdot 2$ | 94.1 | $62 \cdot 3$ | 38.3 | 24.0 |
| 1954 | June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 126.9 | 35.1 | 91.8 | 92.7 | 61.2 | 31.5 | 170.8 | 73.9 | $96 \cdot 9$ | 62.3 | $37 \cdot 5$ | 24.8 |
| 1955 | June |  | ... | 122.7 | 34.9 | 87.8 | 89.1 | 59.2 | 29.9 | 170.9 | 74.0 | 96.9 | $61 \cdot 8$ | 36.7 | 25.1 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1956 \\ & 1957 \end{aligned}$ | June |  | ... | 124.5 | $35 \cdot 4$ | 89.1 | $87 \cdot 8$ | $58 \cdot 2$ | 29.6 | 164.3 | 71.6 | 92.7 | 57.6 | 34.4 | 23.2 |
|  | June |  | ... | 124.3 | 35.0 | 89.3 | 88.9 | 59.3 | 29.6 | 161.0 | 71.6 | 89.4 | 56.8 | 34.1 | 22.7 |
| 1958 | June |  | $\ldots$ | 117.6 | 34.5 | $83 \cdot 1$ | 84.8 | 57.8 | $27 \cdot 0$ | 155.6 | 71.1 | 84.5 | 53.2 | $32 \cdot 5$ | 20.7 |
|  | October |  |  | 117.8 | 34.3 | 83.5 | 83.1 | 56.7 | 26.4 | 156.8 | 71.5 | 85.3 | 53.9 | 32.5 | 21.4 |
|  | November |  |  | 118.0 | 34.2 | $83 \cdot 8$ | $83 \cdot 5$ | $57 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 5$ | 156.7 | 71.5 | $85 \cdot 2$ | 54.0 | $32 \cdot 6$ | 21.4 |
|  | December... |  |  | $117 \cdot 2$ | 33.9 | $83 \cdot 3$ | $83 \cdot 4$ | 57.0 | $26 \cdot 4$ | 156.0 | 71.4 | 84.6 | 53.6 | 32.5 | 21.1 |
| 1959 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 117.9 | 34.1 | 83.8 | $83 \cdot 3$ | 57.0 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 156.7 | 71.8 | 84.9 | 53.7 | 32.7 | 21.0 |
|  | February |  |  | 117.7 | 34.1 | $83 \cdot 6$ | 82.8 | 56.9 | 25.9 | 155.8 | 71.7 | 84.1 | 53.7 | $32 \cdot 7$ | 21.0 |
|  | March |  |  | $117 \cdot 5$ | $33 \cdot 8$ | 83.7 | 82.8 | $57 \cdot 0$ | 25.8 | 155.3 | 71.6 | 83.7 | 53.4 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 21.1 |
|  | April |  |  | 118.2 | 33.9 | 84.3 | 83.0 | 57.0 | 26.0 | 155.5 | 71.7 | 83.8 | 53.4 | $32 \cdot 1$ | 21.3 |
|  | May |  | ... | 117.7 | $33 \cdot 8$ | $83 \cdot 9$ | 82.5 | 56.8 | $25 \cdot 7$ | 154.9 | 71.6 | $83 \cdot 3$ | 53.5 | 32.1 | 21.4 |
|  | June |  |  | $117 \cdot 5$ | 33.8 | 83.7 | 82.7 | 56.8 | $25 \cdot 9$ | 154.3 | 71.5 | 82.8 | 53.6 | $32 \cdot 2$ | 21.4 |
|  | July | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 117.9 | 33.8 | 84.1 | 82.7 | 56.7 | 26.0 | 154.7 | 71.7 | 83.0 | 53.6 | $32 \cdot 2$ | 21.4 |
|  | August . |  |  | 119.0 | 34.0 | 85.0 | 83.0 | 56.9 | 26.1 | 155.8 | 72.2 | 83.6 | 54.1 | 32.5 | 21.6 |
|  | September |  |  | 119.9 | $34 \cdot 2$ | $85 \cdot 7$ | $83 \cdot 4$ | $57 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 2$ | 157.1 | 72.5 | 84.6 | 54.6 | $32 \cdot 6$ | 22.0 |
|  | October November... December... |  | $\ldots$ | 120.8 | 34.4 | 86.4 | 84.0 | $57 \cdot 7$ | $26 \cdot 3$ | 158.3 | $72 \cdot 9$ | 85.4 | $55 \cdot 1$ | $32 \cdot 9$ | $22 \cdot 2$ |

Food, drink and tobacco industries
TABLE 24
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ ( ${ }^{2}$ )
Thousands

|  |  |  |  |  | Grain milling [150] |  |  | Bread and flour confectionery [151] |  |  | Biscuits [152] |  |  | Milk products [154] |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females | Total | Males | Females |
| 1952195319541955195619571958 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12.8 | 82.2 | $47 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | $63 \cdot 1$ | $42 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 3$ |
|  | June... | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 40.4 | 32.4 31.3 31.7 | 8.0 7.8 | 195.0 189.3 | 112.8 110.1 | 79.2 | 52.3 | 18.8 | 33.5 | $62 \cdot 4$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | 19.2 |
|  | June... | ... | ... | ... | 39.1 |  | 8.8 | 189.3 183.8 | 107.5 | $76 \cdot 3$ | $60 \cdot 5$ | 20.2 | $40 \cdot 3$ | 62.9 | 44.0 |  |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 39.8 | 31.7 |  |  | 104.5 | $80 \cdot 3$ | 63.4 | 20.8 | $42 \cdot 6$ | 64.0 | $44 \cdot 9$ | 19.1 |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | ... | 39.9 | 31.5 | 8.4 | 184.8 | 103.1 | 79.2 | 65.6 | 21.5 | 44.1 | 66.0 | $46 \cdot 6$ | 19.4 |
|  | June ... |  | ... | ... | 38.9 38.4 | $30 \cdot 8$ <br> 30.4 | 8.1 8.0 | 182.1 | 102.3 | 79.8 | 62.6 | 20.7 | 41.9 | $67 \cdot 9$ | $48 \cdot 2$ | 19.7 |
|  | June... |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 38.4 | $30 \cdot 4$ 30.2 | 8.0 7.9 | 184.9 | 103.8 | 81.1 | $62 \cdot 6$ | 21.0 | $41 \cdot 6$ | $68 \cdot 6$ | $49 \cdot 3$ | 19.3 |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 38.1 | $30 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | $38 \cdot 3$ | 30.5 | 7.8 | 185.7 | 104.1 | 81.6 | $66 \cdot 0$ | 21.2 21.0 | 44.8 40.3 | 63.3 62.1 | $45 \cdot 5$ 44.8 | 17.8 17.3 |
|  | November |  |  | $\ldots$ | 38.1 | $30 \cdot 4$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $185 \cdot 7$ | $103 \cdot 7$ | $82 \cdot 0$ | $61 \cdot 3$ 56.4 | $21 \cdot 0$ $20 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 3$ $36 \cdot 1$ | $62 \cdot 1$ $61 \cdot 2$ | 44.4 | 16.8 |
|  | December |  |  | $\ldots$ | 38.1 | $30 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 182.7 | $103 \cdot 3$ | 79.4 | $56 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | $36 \cdot 1$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 4$ |  |
| 1959 |  |  |  |  |  | 30.5 | $7 \cdot 6$ | $181 \cdot 3$ | 103.2 | 78.1 | 55.7 | 20.1 | $35 \cdot 6$ | 61.0 | 44.2 | 16.8 |
|  | January | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 38.1 38.1 | 30.4 | 7.7 | 181.9 | $103 \cdot 5$ | $78 \cdot 4$ | 56.0 | $20 \cdot 0$ | $36 \cdot 0$ | 61.2 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 16.9 |
|  | February | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $38 \cdot 1$ 37.8 | $30 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 182.9 | 103.9 | 79.0 | $57 \cdot 0$ | 20.1 | $36 \cdot 9$ | $63 \cdot 2$ | $45 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 184.4 | 103.6 | $80 \cdot 8$ | 57.4 | 20.1 | 37.3 | 65.1 | 46.8 | 18.3 |
|  | April |  |  | $\ldots$ | 37.9 | 30.2 |  |  |  | 81.7 | 57.8 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | 66.7 | $47 \cdot 9$ | 18.8 |
|  | May ... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 37.7 37 | 30.0 30.0 | 7.7 7.8 | 185.7 188.0 | 105.0 | 83.0 | 58.6 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 38.4 | $67 \cdot 4$ | $48 \cdot 2$ | 19.2 |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | $37 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 0$ | 7.8 | 188.0 | 105.0 | 83.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 37.9 | $30 \cdot 1$ | 7.8 | 189.4 | 105.9 | $83 \cdot 5$ | 59.4 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 39.1 | 67.7 | 48.3 |  |
|  | August |  |  | ... | 38.0 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 7.8 | $190 \cdot 6$ | $106 \cdot 3$ | $84 \cdot 3$ | $60 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | $40 \cdot 3$ | $66 \cdot 5$ 64.7 | $47 \cdot 6$ $46 \cdot 3$ | 18.9 18.4 |
|  | September |  |  | $\ldots$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 7$ | $190 \cdot 4$ | $105 \cdot 7$ | $84 \cdot 7$ | 62.6 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 4$ | 64.7 | $46 \cdot 3$ | 18.4 |
| October <br> November <br> December |  |  |  |  | $37 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 189.9 | 105.1 | 84.8 | 63.5 | $20 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | 63.1 | 45.1 | 18.0 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 24 (continued)
Thousands


[^6]Paper and printing industries
TABLE 25
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )( ${ }^{2}$ )
Thousands

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 16.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 15
Timber, furniture and selected other manufacturing industries
TABLE 26
Estimated numbers of employees in Great Britain( ${ }^{(1)}\left({ }^{(2}\right)$
Thousands


|  |  |  | Total |  |  | Males |  |  | Females |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Whole-time | Part-time | Total | Whole-time | Part-time | Total | Whole-time | Part-time |
| 1939 | April I | ... |  | $374 \cdot 3$ |  | 289.0 | 279.4 |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \cdot 0 \\ 27 \cdot 6 \end{array}$ |
|  | July 1 |  | $715 \cdot 3$ | 694.9 | $40 \cdot 8$ | $447 \cdot 3$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\cdots$ | 678.0 | 657.7 | $40 \cdot 7$ | $450 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 444.9 \\ & 441.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | 227.2215.7 | 212.7 201.7 | $28.9$ |
|  | July |  | $663 \cdot 0$$650 \cdot 7$ | 643.0 631.4 | 39.9 38.7 |  |  |  |  | 193.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 9 \\ & 28 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July | $\ldots$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 616.1 \\ & 619.0 \end{aligned}$ | 38.840.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 433 \cdot 3 \\ & 433 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $427 \cdot 3$427.1 | 11.7 | 207.0 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July July | $\ldots$ | $635 \cdot 4$ 639.5 |  |  |  |  | 12.1 13.3 | 205.7 201.7 | 191.9 188.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 6 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 1 | $\cdots$ | $639 \cdot 5$ $632 \cdot 3$ | 613.3 | 38.0 | $430 \cdot 6$ | 424.8 | 11.5 | $201 \cdot 7$ |  |  |
| 1958 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 633 \cdot 1 \\ & 630 \cdot 7 \\ & 631 \cdot 1 \\ & 632 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 614.4611.7611.5612.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 3 \\ & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 39 \cdot 2 \\ & 39 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 431 \cdot 3 \\ & 430 \cdot 4 \\ & 430 \cdot 2 \\ & 429 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 425 \cdot 6 \\ & 424 \cdot 6 \\ & 424 \cdot 1 \\ & 423 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.2 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 12.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 201 \cdot 8 \\ & 200 \cdot 3 \\ & 200.8 \\ & 202 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 188 \cdot 8 \\ & 187.1 \\ & 187.3 \\ & 189.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 26 \cdot 3 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October I |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 631 \cdot 8 \\ & 632 \cdot 9 \\ & 634 \cdot 1 \\ & 638 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 612.7 \\ & 613.7 \\ & 614.5 \\ & 618.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 1 \\ & 38 \cdot 4 \\ & 39 \cdot 2 \\ & 39 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 428.9 \\ & 429 \cdot 1 \\ & 428 \cdot 8 \\ & 430 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 423 \cdot 1 \\ & 423 \cdot 2 \\ & 422 \cdot 8 \\ & 424 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.7 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 11.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \cdot 8 \\ & 203 \cdot 8 \\ & 205 \cdot 3 \\ & 208 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 189.6 \\ & 190.5 \\ & 191.7 \\ & 194.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 4 \\ & 26 \cdot 6 \\ & 27 \cdot 3 \\ & 27 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | January ${ }^{\text {April }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October I |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(ii) Analysis by Departments

Thousands
TABLE 27 (continued)

|  |  | Service and Supply Departments $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Post Office | Board of Inland Revenue | H.M. Customs and Excise | Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries | Ministry of Food | Ministry of Labour and National Service | Ministry of Works | Board of Trade | Ministry <br> of <br> Pensions | Ministry of National Insurance | Other Departments |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1939 | April I ... | 52.4 | 196.2 | 25.0 | 15.0 | $2 \cdot 6$ | - | $28 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 4.8 | 3.0 | - | 53.7 |
| 1948 | July I ... | 126.3 | $247 \cdot 2$ | 48.7 | 13.5 | 17.7 | $50 \cdot 2$ | 36.2 | 20.1 | 14.1 | 11.8 | 33.9 | 95.7 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | July I ${ }_{\text {July }}$ I $\ldots$ | 137.9 137.6 | $251 \cdot 6$ $250 \cdot 3$ | 52.7 51.4 | 14.7 14.9 | 14.1 13.3 | 24.7 20.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 7 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 \\ & 14.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.1 \\ & 7.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.3 \\ & 8.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89.9 \\ & 87.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1954 | July 1 | $140 \cdot 6$ | $247 \cdot 1$ | 51.0 | 14.9 | 12.7 | 12.5 | 24.2 | 13.7 | $6 \cdot 8$ |  | . 6 ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 89.6 |
| 1955 1956 | July I July I | 134.3 134.9 | 247.9 252.9 | 52.0 51.6 | 15.0 15.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \cdot 6\left(^{4}\right) \\ & 16 \cdot 6 \\ & 15 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |  | $22 \cdot 9$ $22 \cdot 2$ | 13.0 12.8 | 7.2 7.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 8 \\ & 36 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |  | 88.7 89.3 |
| 1957 | July 1 ... | $131 \cdot 3$ | 251.9 | 51.6 | 15.2 |  |  | 20.9 | 12.0 | $7 \cdot 0$ |  |  | $90 \cdot 2$ |
| 1958 | January I ... | 129.5 | 253.0 | 51.9 | 15.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 15.2 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 15.2 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ |  | 20.4 | 11.7 | 7.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 9 \\ & 36 \cdot 8 \\ & 36 \cdot 5 \\ & 36 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |  | 91.3 |
|  | Aprill $1 .$. | 128.0 | 253.1 | 52.2 | 15.2 |  |  | 20.9 | 11.3 | 6.9 |  |  | 91.2 |
|  | July 1 . ${ }^{\text {de. }}$ | 126.8 | 254.6 | 52.0 | 15.2 |  |  | 21.5 | 11.0 | 6.9 |  |  | 91.4 |
|  | October 1... | 126.2 | $255 \cdot 2$ | 52.6 | 15.2 |  |  | 22.1 | 11.0 | $6 \cdot 9$ |  |  | 91.8 |
| 1959 | January I ... | 125.8 | 254.6 | 52.8 | 15.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.8 \\ & 14.8 \\ & 15.1 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ |  | 22.7 | 10.9 | $6 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 1 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 36 \cdot 0 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |  | 92.1 |
|  | April I ... | 125.2 | 254.9 | 53.0 | 15.2 |  |  | 22.9 | 10.9 | $6 \cdot 8$ |  |  | 93.0 |
|  | July 1 ... | 125.1 | $255 \cdot 6$ | 53.1 | 15.2 |  |  | $22 \cdot 7$ | 10.9 | $6 \cdot 8$ |  |  | 93.7 |
|  | October I ... | 125.7 | 256.1 | 54.7 | 15.3 |  |  | $22 \cdot 6$ | 10.8 | $6 \cdot 8$ |  |  | 95.1 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Established and unestablished staff, excluding staff in Northern Ireland other than reserved and agency services. In arriving at the totals two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) 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.
(2) 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.
(4) The Ministries of Agriculture and Fisheries and Food amalgamated on 12 April 1955.

Numbers employed in agriculture
TABLE 28

(1) The figures for the year 1939 exclude the occupier but include all adult members of his family.

Source: Agricultural Departments
${ }^{(2)}$ From December 1954 includes regular part-time workers (counted as full units) hitherto included only in "All workers".

## Number of full-time teachers employed by local education authorities ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 29
England and Wales
Thousands

|  |  |  |  | Total | Men |  |  |  |  | Women |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Primary and secondary schools | Special schools | Further education | Training colleges | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Primary } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { secondary } \\ & \text { schools } \left.{ }^{(2}\right) \end{aligned}$ | Special schools | Further education | Training colleges |
| 1948 | June I | ... | ... |  | 211.0 | 78.5 | 71.9 | 0.6 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 1.0 | 132.5 | 129.1 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| 1952 | October I ... |  | $\ldots$ | 243.9 | 97.2 | $87 \cdot 2$ | $1 \cdot 1$ | 8.4 | 0.4 | 146.7 | 141.9 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.1 |
| 1953 1954 | October I ... |  |  | 250.7 | 100.1 | 89.3 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 9.1 | 0.4 | 150.6 | 145.7 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 1.7 | 1.0 |
| 1955 | October I ${ }^{\left({ }^{\circ}\right)}$ |  | $\ldots$ | 258.9 | $\frac{103.1}{105.8}$ | 91.6 93.5 | 1.3 | 9.7 10.5 | 0.4 | 155.8 | $150 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 1.8 2.0 | $\frac{1.1}{1.1}$ |
| 1956 | February I |  |  | 266.2 | 105.8 | $93 \cdot 3$ | 1.4 | 10.7 | 0.4 | 160.4 | 155.0 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 2.0 | 1.1 |
|  | October 1 |  | ... | 274.0 | 109.3 | 95.9 | $1 \cdot 5$ | 11.4 | 0.5 | 164.7 | 159.1 | 2.4 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 1.1 |
| 1957 | February I |  |  | 274.7 | 109.9 | 96.2 | 1.5 | 11.7 | 0.5 | 164.8 | 159.2 | 2.4 | 2.1 | 1.1 |
|  | October I ... |  | ... | $280 \cdot 7$ | 113.5 | 98.8 | 1.6 | 12.6 | 0.5 | $167 \cdot 2$ | 161.3 | 2.5 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 1.1 |
| 1958 | February I |  | ... | 280.9 | 114.4 | 99.1 | 1.6 | 13.2 | 0.5 | 166.5 | 160.7 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 1.1 |
|  | October $1 . .$. |  | $\ldots$ | 288.6 | 119.6 | 103.1 | 1.7 | 14.3 | 0.5 | 169.0 | 162.9 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 1.1 |
| 1959 | February I... |  |  | 288.7 | $120 \cdot 3$ | 103.3 | 1.7 | 14.8 | 0.5 | 168.4 | 162.2 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 1.1 |
|  | October I ... |  | ... | 296.6 | $125 \cdot 7$ | 106.9 | 1.8 | 16.3 | 0.7 | $170 \cdot 9$ | 164.6 | $2 \cdot 6$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | $1 \cdot 1$ |

[^7]
## Overtime and short-time worked by operatives in manufacturing industries in Great Britain( ${ }^{1}$ )



Registered unemployed
TABLE 31

|  |  | Great Britain |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  | Wholly unemployed (including casuals) |  | Temporarily stopped |  | Total |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  | Males | Females | Males | Females | Males | Females | Total |  | Males | Females |
|  |  | Thousands | Percentage rate $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ | Thousands |  |  |  |  |  | Thousands | Percentage rate ( ${ }^{( }$) | Thousands |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1938 \\ & 1939 \end{aligned}$ | ] $\ldots$... $\ldots$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 1,790 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,513 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}\right.$ |  | $1,366 \cdot 2$ $1,120 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 424 \cdot 5 \\ & 393.5 \end{aligned}$ | $1,130 \cdot 7$ 982.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 288 \cdot 0 \\ & 315 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 235 \cdot 5 \\ & 137.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 136.5 \\ 78.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 7 \\ & 76 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 21 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59.5 \\ & 53.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 2 \\ & 22 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1947 \\ & 1948 \\ & 1949 \\ & 1950 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $480 \cdot 2$ $310 \cdot 0$ $308 \cdot 0$ 314.2 |  | $341 \cdot 7$ $231 \cdot 8$ $228 \cdot 0$ $220 \cdot 1$ | 138.5 78.2 80.0 94.1 | $239 \cdot 0$ $227 \cdot 5$ $223 \cdot 2$ $215 \cdot 0$ | 86.5 75.0 76.9 90.6 | 102.7 4.3 4.8 5.1 | 52.0 3.2 3.1 3.5 | $30 \cdot 2$ $28 \cdot 0$ 30.0 $26 \cdot 9$ | 7.9 6.1 6.5 5.8 | 26.1 22.8 21.9 21.0 | 4.1 $5 \cdot 2$ 8.1 5.9 |
| 1951 1952 1953 1954 | Monthly <br> M <br> averages <br> $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ | $252 \cdot 9$ $414 \cdot 2$ $342 \cdot 0$ $284 \cdot 8$ | 1.2 2.0 1.6 1.3 | 161.5 227.8 $218 \cdot 2$ 184.4 | 91.4 186.4 123.8 100.4 | 153.4 196.1 204.3 176.5 | 83.6 132.6 115.6 95.1 | 8.1 31.7 13.9 7.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \cdot 8 \\ 53 \cdot 8 \\ 8 \cdot 2 \\ 5 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $28 \cdot 5$ $48 \cdot 3$ $38 \cdot 0$ $32 \cdot 9$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6.1 \\ 10.4 \\ 8.1 \\ 7.0 \end{array}$ | 20.8 26.9 27.3 23.8 | 7.7 21.4 10.7 9.1 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ |   <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ <br> $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $232 \cdot 2$ $257 \cdot 0$ 312.5 $457 \cdot 4$ | 1.1 1.2 1.4 2.1 | 146.7 $168 \cdot 8$ 216.6 321.4 | 85.5 88.2 95.9 136.0 | $137 \cdot 4$ $151 \cdot 0$ $204 \cdot 3$ $293 \cdot 8$ | 75.7 78.6 90.2 116.3 | 9.3 17.8 12.3 27.6 | 9.8 9.6 5.7 19.7 | $32 \cdot 3$ $30 \cdot 1$ $34 \cdot 7$ $43 \cdot 5$ | 6.8 6.4 7.3 9.3 | $22 \cdot 8$ 22.2 $25 \cdot 3$ $30 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.5 \\ 7.9 \\ 9.4 \\ 13.4 \end{array}$ |
| 1957 | July 15 <br> August 12 <br> September 16 | $244 \cdot 3$ $265 \cdot 6$ $267 \cdot 4$ | 1.1 1.2 1.2 | 171.4 185.6 184.0 | 72.9 $80 \cdot 0$ 83.4 | 162.1 181.5 $180 \cdot 2$ | 68.0 77.0 80.1 | 9.3 4.1 3.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 4.9 \\ & 3.0 \\ & 3.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.9 \\ & 31.1 \\ & 31.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.3 \\ & 6.6 \\ & 6.6 \end{aligned}$ | 21.6 22.5 21.7 | 8.3 8.6 9.3 |
|  | October 14... <br> November 11 <br> December 9 | $\begin{aligned} & 275 \cdot 2 \\ & 316 \cdot 5 \\ & 335 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 1.3 1.5 1.5 | $188 \cdot 8$ 219.0 $235 \cdot 2$ | 86.4 97.5 100.2 | 184.1 209.1 224.6 | $82 \cdot 9$ $92 \cdot 8$ 94.8 | 4.7 9.9 10.6 | 3.5 4.7 5.4 | 29.2 $33 \cdot 7$ 36.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 2 \\ & 7 \cdot 1 \\ & 7 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \\ & 27 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.4 \\ & 9.1 \\ & 9.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | January 13 ... <br> February 17 <br> March 17 | 395.5 424.5 433.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.8 \\ & 1.9 \\ & 2.0 \end{aligned}$ | $282 \cdot 4$ $301 \cdot 5$ $307 \cdot 0$ | 113.1 123.0 126.1 | $268 \cdot 3$ $280 \cdot 9$ $285 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105.7 \\ & 111.9 \\ & 110.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \cdot 1 \\ & 20 \cdot 6 \\ & 21 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 7.4 \\ 11.1 \\ 15.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 4 \\ & 48 \cdot 1 \\ & 50 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.3 \\ & 10.1 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ | 32.4 34.9 36.6 | 12.0 13.2 14.2 |
|  | April 14 <br> May 12 <br> June 16 | $443 \cdot 7$ $447 \cdot 5$ 429.3 | 2.0 2.1 2.0 | 314.0 309.4 297.8 | 129.7 138.1 131.5 | $293 \cdot 2$ $276 \cdot 6$ $264 \cdot 2$ | 114.2 112.4 103.8 | 20.8 32.8 33.6 | 15.5 25.7 27.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 3 \\ & 50 \cdot 3 \\ & 43 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10.8 \\ 10.6 \\ 9.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 1 \\ & 35 \cdot 4 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.2 \\ & 14.9 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July 14 <br> August 11 <br> September 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 411 \cdot 9 \\ & 445 \cdot 6 \\ & 476 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 1.9 2.0 2.2 | 287.7 319.9 331.8 | $124 \cdot 2$ 134.7 144.2 | $261 \cdot 5$ 289.6 $296 \cdot 2$ | 100.6 113.0 119.7 | $26 \cdot 2$ 21.3 $35 \cdot 6$ | 23.6 21.7 24.5 | 38.4 39.1 38.7 | 8.2 8.3 8.2 | $26 \cdot 5$ $26 \cdot 3$ 25.4 | 11.9 12.8 13.3 |
|  | October 13 ... <br> November 17 <br> December 8 | $\begin{aligned} & 513 \cdot 8 \\ & 536 \cdot 0 \\ & 531 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.3 \\ & 2.4 \\ & 2.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 359 \cdot 7 \\ & 377 \cdot 7 \\ & 377 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 154.1 \\ & 158.3 \\ & 154.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 321 \cdot 0 \\ & 344 \cdot 5 \\ & 344 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 130 \cdot 2 \\ & 138.5 \\ & 135.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.9 \\ & 19.8 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 39.5 \\ & 39.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.1 \\ & 8.4 \\ & 8.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 6 \\ & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 13.3 \\ & 12.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { January I2 } \\ & \text { February } 9 . . \\ & \text { March 9 } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 620 \cdot 8 \\ & 608 \cdot 6 \\ & 550 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \cdot 8 \\ & 2 \cdot 8 \\ & 2 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $453 \cdot 7$ 443.3 $395 \cdot 5$ | 167.1 165.3 155.0 | $403 \cdot 9$ $404 \cdot 1$ $363 \cdot 7$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146.1 \\ & 145.0 \\ & 137.2 \end{aligned}$ | $49 \cdot 8$ $39 \cdot 2$ 31.8 | 21.0 20.3 17.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \cdot 7 \\ & 44 \cdot 1 \\ & 40 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | 9.7 9.4 8.7 | $31 \cdot 5$ $30 \cdot 2$ $27 \cdot 3$ | 14.2 13.9 13.5 |
|  | April 13 <br> May 11 <br> June 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 530 \cdot 8 \\ & 480 \cdot 5 \\ & 413 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 2.4 2.2 1.9 | $380 \cdot 0$ $344 \cdot 1$ $299 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \cdot 8 \\ & 136.4 \\ & 114.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 349 \cdot 8 \\ & 318 \cdot 1 \\ & 278 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 136.5 125.8 107.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \\ & 20 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14.3 \\ 10.6 \\ 7.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 3 \\ & 37 \cdot 8 \\ & 36 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.9 \\ & 8.0 \\ & 7.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 25 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.5 \\ & 11.7 \\ & 10.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July I3 <br> August 17 <br> September 14 | 394.8 427.0 $405 \cdot 0$ | 1.8 2.0 1.9 | $288 \cdot 0$ 307.4 292.5 | 106.8 119.6 112.5 | 272.6 299.1 285.3 | 101.3 114.8 108.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \cdot 4 \\ 8 \cdot 3 \\ 7 \cdot 2 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.5 \\ & 4.8 \\ & 3.7 \end{aligned}$ | $34 \cdot 5$ $34 \cdot 2$ $32 \cdot 7$ | 7.3 7.2 6.9 | 24.5 24.2 23.4 | 10.0 10.0 9.3 |
|  | October 12... November 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 419 \cdot 0 \\ & 430 \cdot 5 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.9 \\ & 2.0 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301 \cdot 5 \\ & 312.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117.5 \\ & 118.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 293.1 \\ & 304 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.4 \\ & 115.4 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8.4 \\ 8.4 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.1 \\ & 2.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 9 \\ & 33 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.9 \\ & 6.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 6 \\ & 23 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.3 \\ & 9.1 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees.
and Northern Ireland Ministry of Labour and National Insurance

Registered unemployed

| TABLE 32 |  | 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 |
| 1956 1957 Month |  | $\begin{aligned} & 43.5 \\ & 55.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.7 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ | 10.5 13.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 14.1 \\ & 19.9 \end{aligned}$ | 23.0 26.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 9.0 \\ 14.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.8 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 0 \\ & 47 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 19.7 21.6 | $52 \cdot 2$ $56 \cdot 3$ | 19.5 24.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 30.1 \\ & 34.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 71.7 | 20.5 | $43 \cdot 2$ |  | $33 \cdot 9$ | 23.5 | $35 \cdot 3$ | $80 \cdot 8$ | $31 \cdot 2$ | 81.1 | $36 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 5$ |
| 1958 | October $13 \ldots$ November 17 | 76.3 82.0 | 19.7 21.2 | 18.8 18.8 | 30.0 31.0 | 40.9 41.6 | $26 \cdot 2$ $25 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 9$ 44.7 | 95.6 96.9 | 35.8 40.4 | 85.8 94.8 | 38.9 39.3 | 38.0 39.5 |
|  | November ${ }^{\text {December } 8}$ | 79.8 | 21.4 | 18.3 | 30.9 | $39 \cdot 2$ | $26 \cdot 6$ | $42 \cdot 5$ | $97 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 7$ | $95 \cdot 5$ | 39.5 | 39.7 |
| 1959 | January $12 \ldots$ | 90.8 91.1 | 28.3 27.1 | 20.8 20.7 | 35.0 34.8 | 46.6 44.7 | 30.9 29.2 | 49.3 46.5 | 108.5 104.1 | 50.3 48.7 | 116.5 116.5 | $43 \cdot 8$ $45 \cdot 2$ | $45 \cdot 7$ 44.2 |
|  | February March 9 | 81.1 | 23.9 | 19.3 | 31.0 | 39.4 | $25 \cdot 6$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | $96 \cdot 2$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | 103.0 | $43 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 8$ |
|  | April 13 May 11 | 77.3 68.7 | 23.0 18.7 | 18.7 16.1 | 28.4 25.0 | $36 \cdot 3$ 31.3 | 27.0 23.4 | 39.0 35.0 | 95.2 88.2 | $45 \cdot 0$ $42 \cdot 2$ | 99.2 94.5 | 41.7 37.4 | 37.3 37.8 |
|  | May 115 | $68 \cdot 6$ | 14.5 | 13.0 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $27 \cdot 3$ | 19.7 | 31.1 | 74.4 | 38.8 | $85 \cdot 3$ | 32.4 | $36 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July 13 ... | 55.2 | 13.7 | 12.5 | 19.0 | 25.9 | 17.7 | 28.1 | 68.9 | 36.8 | $85 \cdot 6$ | 31.4 | 34.5 |
|  | August 17 September 14 | $\begin{aligned} & 59.0 \\ & 56.0 \end{aligned}$ |  | . 5 (2) | $\begin{aligned} & 20.7 \\ & 20.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 3 \\ & 26 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.7 \\ & 18.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 8 \\ & 29 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \cdot 1 \\ & 70 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40 \cdot 6 \\ & 39.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \cdot 1 \\ & 83 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 1 \\ & 30 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October 12... November 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \cdot 2 \\ & 62 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |  | 3. 0 | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 2 \\ & 27 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.6 \\ & 19.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 2 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 6 \\ & 68 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 40 \cdot 3 \\ 44 \cdot 9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \cdot 6 \\ & 91.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 6 \\ & 32 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32.9 \\ & 33.0 \end{aligned}$ |
| Percentage rate of unemployment at November 16(¹) |  | $1 \cdot 1$ | 1.4 |  | $2 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 0$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 3$ | 3.4 | 6.9 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the
Source : Ministry of Labour estimated total number of employees. For Great Britain as a whole the figure was 2.0 per cent.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ The Eastern and Southern Regions are now amalgamated and separate figures are no longer available.

Registered unemployed in Great Britain
TABLE 33 Analysis by duration of unemployment

Thousands


## Registered unemployed in Great Britain

(i) Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification, 1948

TABLE 34

|  |  | Total | Agriculture, forestry, and fishing | Mining and quarrying ${ }^{(1)}$ | Metals, engineering and vehicles | Textiles and clothing (including footwear) | Food, drink and tobacco | Other manufacturing industries | Building and contracting | Transport, communications and public utilities | Distributive trades | Professional, financial and public adminstration | Miscellaneous services, etc. $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | Monthly averages | 342.0 | 13.4 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 55.9 | 21.8 | 15.7 | 26.4 | $38 \cdot 3$ | 25.9 | 32.4 | $33 \cdot 6$ | $76 \cdot 1$ |
|  |  | $284 \cdot 8$ | 12.7 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $39 \cdot 7$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | 13.7 | $20 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 8$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | 28.1 | 29.2 | 65.0 |
|  |  | $232 \cdot 2$ | 10.7 | 1.6 | $28 \cdot 3$ | 21.8 | 10.7 | 18.1 | 24.1 | $18 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 7$ | 23.1 | $52 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | $257 \cdot 0$ | 11.0 | 1.8 | $43 \cdot 1$ | 19.5 | $11 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 9$ | 28.5 | 19.4 | $23 \cdot 7$ | 23.2 | 54.7 |
|  |  | 312.5 | 13.7 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 49.1 | $17 \cdot 7$ | 14.0 | $23 \cdot 4$ | $40 \cdot 0$ | 24.5 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 28.6 | 68.6 |
|  | $J$ | 457.4 | $17 \cdot 0$ | 4.9 | $81 \cdot 2$ | $47 \cdot 9$ | 18.9 | $32 \cdot 8$ | $55 \cdot 6$ | $32 \cdot 1$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | 36.0 | 88.8 |
| 1958 | January 13... February 17 March 17 ... | $395 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 9$ | $3 \cdot 6$ | $55 \cdot 8$ | $24 \cdot 3$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 28.8 | 58.4 | 30.7 | $38 \cdot 5$ | $32 \cdot 9$ | 84.0 |
|  |  | $424 \cdot 5$ | $23 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | 63.4 | 29.7 | $18 \cdot 7$ | 31.5 | $61 \cdot 8$ | 32.4 | $41 \cdot 6$ | $34 \cdot 3$ | 83.1 |
|  |  | $433 \cdot 1$ | $20 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 2$ | $68 \cdot 8$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | 18.9 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 59.5 | $32 \cdot 4$ | 41.5 | $34 \cdot 6$ | $82 \cdot 1$ |
|  | April 14 | $443 \cdot 7$ | 18.2 | $4 \cdot 3$ | 72.4 | $40 \cdot 7$ | 19.3 | $34 \cdot 3$ $33 \cdot 2$ | 54.9 | 31.8 | $41 \cdot 7$ | 35.4 | $90 \cdot 7$ |
|  | May 12 ... | $447 \cdot 5$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 4$ | $82 \cdot 8$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | 18.3 | $33 \cdot 2$ | 49.4 | $30 \cdot 7$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | $33 \cdot 8$ | 81.1 |
|  | June 16 ... | $429 \cdot 3$ | 12.5 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $82 \cdot 6$ | $60 \cdot 9$ | $16 \cdot 7$ | 33.4 | $47 \cdot 0$ | 29.3 | $38 \cdot 6$ | 32.1 | $71 \cdot 2$ |
|  | July 14August II ...September I5 | 411.9 | $11 \cdot 2$ | 5.1 | $76 \cdot 2$ | 55.7 | $15 \cdot 7$ | 31.5 | $45 \cdot 7$ | 28.1 | $37 \cdot 0$ | $32 \cdot 4$ | $73 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  | $445 \cdot 6$ | 13.0 | $4 \cdot 8$ | $75 \cdot 2$ | $54 \cdot 6$ | $17 \cdot 3$ | $30 \cdot 2$ | 47.8 | $28 \cdot 1$ | $39 \cdot 2$ | 34.5 | 100.9 |
|  |  | $476 \cdot 0$ | 13.6 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $94 \cdot 3$ | $56 \cdot 3$ | 18.7 | $32 \cdot 8$ | $50 \cdot 0$ | 31.5 | 43.0 | 36.4 | $94 \cdot 3$ |
|  | October 13 <br> November 17 <br> December 8 | 513.8 | 15.5 | $5 \cdot 5$ | 101.7 | 56.6 | 20.4 | 34.1 | 57.8 | 35.7 | 47.2 | 40.1 | 99.2 |
|  |  | 536.0 | 18.4 | 6.1 | 101.5 | 52.1 | $22 \cdot 8$ | 35.4 | $65 \cdot 2$ | $37 \cdot 7$ | 49.0 | $42 \cdot 7$ | 105.1 |
|  |  | $531 \cdot 7$ | 20.4 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $99 \cdot 6$ | $50 \cdot 4$ | $22 \cdot 9$ | $35 \cdot 8$ | $69 \cdot 3$ | $36 \cdot 3$ | $47 \cdot 9$ | $42 \cdot 5$ | $100 \cdot 8$ |
| 1959 | January 12... <br> February 9... March 9 | $620 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | 101.5 | $51 \cdot 5$ | 25.6 | $42 \cdot 8$ | $107 \cdot 2$ | 40.5 | $55 \cdot 6$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 116.4 |
|  |  | 608.6 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 4$ | 103.4 | 50. I | 25.7 | $43 \cdot 6$ | $100 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 7$ | 57.6 | $43 \cdot 8$ | 109.2 |
|  |  | $550 \cdot 5$ | 21.4 | $8 \cdot 3$ | -99.8 | $47 \cdot 1$ | $24 \cdot 6$ | $40 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 5$ | 38.1 | 55.0 | $42 \cdot 4$ | 99.6 |
|  | April 13 ... | $530 \cdot 8$ | 19.3 | $7 \cdot 9$ | $98 \cdot 3$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | 39.4 | 63.9 | $36 \cdot 3$ | $53 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 6$ | $104 \cdot 4$ |
|  | May 11 ... | $480 \cdot 5$ | 18.0 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 90.4 | $36 \cdot 8$ | $21 \cdot 8$ | $35 \cdot 3$ | $56 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 6$ | $49 \cdot 5$ | $39 \cdot 8$ | 89.1 |

(ii) Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958

TABLE 34 (continued)
Thousands

|  |  | Total | Agriculture, forestry. and fishing | Mining and quarrying ${ }^{1}$ ) | Food, drink and tobacco | Chemicals and allied industries | Metal manufacture | Engineering and allied industries | Textiles, leather and clothing | Other manufacturing industries | Construc tion | Transport, communications and public utilities | Distribu- <br> tive <br> trades | Professional, financial and miscellaneous services and public adminis${ }^{(1)}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1959 | June 15 | 413.3 | 13.8 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 15.9 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 18.1 | 54.7 | 29.0 | $22 \cdot 7$ | 54.8 | $30 \cdot 0$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | 114.3 |
|  | July 13 | 394.8 | 13.6 | 8.5 | 14.9 | 6.2 | 12.8 | 48.6 | 25.1 | 25.2 | 53.0 | 28.7 | 43.0 | $115 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August 17... | $427 \cdot 0$ | 13.4 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 15.7 | 6.0 | 10.7 | $47 \cdot 6$ | $25 \cdot 0$ | 21.4 | 53.4 | 28.7 | 43.9 | 152.9 |
|  | September 14 | $405 \cdot 0$ | 14.0 | 8.1 | 15.5 | 5.9 | 9.9 | $45 \cdot 8$ | 23.4 | 19.8 | 53.1 | $30 \cdot 0$ | $44 \cdot 2$ | $135 \cdot 3$ |
|  | October 12 November 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 419 \cdot 0 \\ & 430 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.8 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.7 \\ & 16.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.1 \\ & 5.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \cdot 4 \\ & 8 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $46 \cdot 3$ $46 \cdot 7$ | 22.7 $22 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.2 \\ & 19.2 \end{aligned}$ | 56.0 61.7 | $32 \cdot 8$ 34.1 | $47 \cdot 1$ $47 \cdot 2$ | 139.0 141.5 |

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

Thousands

|  | Total |  | Males |  |  |  |  |  | Females |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total |  | 18 years and over |  | Under 18 years |  | Total |  | 18 years and over |  | Under 18 years |  |
|  | Placed | Vacancles unfilled: End of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled: End of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled: End of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled: End of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled: End of period | Placed | Vacancies unfilled: End of period | Placed | Vacancies unflled: End of period |
| $\begin{array}{ll}1955 \ldots \\ 1956 & \ldots \\ 1957 \\ 1958 & \ldots \\ \end{array}$ | 3,079 2,354 1,879 1,743 | 382 279 236 163 | 2,005 1,469 1,121 1,039 | 214 152 122 87 | 1,788 1,267 919 839 | 154 107 89 68 | 217 202 202 200 | 60 45 33 19 | 1,074 885 758 704 | 168 127 114 76 | 856 687 567 509 | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 70 \\ & 60 \\ & 42 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218 \\ & 198 \\ & 191 \\ & 195 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 57 \\ & 54 \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 Oct. 8 <br> *Nov. 12 <br> Dec. $\left.3^{(2}\right)$ | $\begin{array}{r} 137 \\ 151 \\ 81 \\ 82 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 167 \\ & 159 \\ & 163 \end{aligned}$ | 80 89 49 | 88 85 87 | 63 74 42 | 73 69 68 | 17 15 7 | 15 16 19 | 57 62 33 | $\begin{aligned} & 79 \\ & 74 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | 43 49 26 | 49 43 42 | 14 13 7 | 30 31 34 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1959 * \text { Jan. } 7 \ldots \\ \text { Feb. } 4 \ldots \end{array}$ Mar. 4.. | 158 145 130 | 156 154 181 | 95 87 82 | 81 79 92 | 74 71 71 | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \\ & 65 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | 21 16 11 | 15 14 19 | 63 58 48 | 75 75 89 | $\begin{aligned} & 39 \\ & 43 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 47 \\ & 55 \end{aligned}$ | 24 15 10 | 30 28 34 |
| *April 8 <br> May $6 .$. <br> *June 10 | 169 148 168 | 198 210 247 | $\begin{array}{r} 102 \\ 93 \\ 106 \end{array}$ | 101 108 123 | 81 76 93 | 81 86 93 | 21 17 13 | 20 22 30 | 67 55 62 | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 102 \\ 124 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \\ & 40 \\ & 52 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 64 \\ & 77 \end{aligned}$ | 24 15 10 | 36 38 47 |
| July 8 ... <br> *Aug. 12 <br> Sept. 9 | 149 199 179 | 276 263 255 | 89 115 106 | 136 132 127 | 79 86 77 | 99 100 101 | 10 29 29 | 37 32 26 | 60 84 73 | 140 131 128 | 51 50 46 | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \\ & 83 \\ & 84 \end{aligned}$ | 9 34 27 | 56 48 44 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. 7... } \\ & \text { *Nov. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 181 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 246 \\ & 245 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 112 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 125 \\ & 125 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 96 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 97 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \\ & 28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 121 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \\ & 56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \\ & 74 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \\ & 46 \end{aligned}$ |

TABLE 35 (continued)

| $\begin{array}{ll} 1955 \ldots \\ 1956 \ldots & \ldots \\ 1957 \ldots \\ 1958 \ldots & \ldots \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27,238 \\ & 24,650 \\ & 22,158 \\ & 30,251 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 588 \\ & 695 \\ & 497 \\ & 780 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,366 \\ & 17,255 \\ & 14,989 \\ & 22,585 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193 \\ & 267 \\ & 164 \\ & 404 \end{aligned}$ | 17,691 15,184 12,894 20,440 | 171 249 141 387 | 1,675 2,071 2,095 2,145 | 22 18 23 17 | 7,872 7,395 7,169 7,666 | 395 428 333 376 | 6,747 6,489 6,195 6,406 | 319 397 276 352 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,125 \\ 906 \\ 974 \\ 1,260 \end{array}$ | 76 31 57 24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1958 \text { Oct. } 13 \\ \text { *Nov. } 17 \\ \text { Dec. } 8\left(^{2}\right) \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,061 \\ & 4,631 \\ & 1,753 \end{aligned}$ | 1,346 708 780 | 3,427 3,873 1,336 | $\begin{aligned} & 908 \\ & 352 \\ & 404 \end{aligned}$ | 3,204 3,623 1,245 | 896 337 387 | $\begin{array}{r} 223 \\ 250 \\ 91 \end{array}$ | 12 15 17 | $\begin{aligned} & 634 \\ & 758 \\ & 417 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 438 \\ & 356 \\ & 376 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 548 \\ & 623 \\ & 344 \end{aligned}$ | 402 329 352 | 86 135 73 | 36 27 24 |
| $\begin{array}{r} \text { 1959*Jan. } 12 \\ \text { Feb. } 9 \ldots \\ \text { Mar. } 9 \ldots \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,702 \\ & 2,277 \\ & 2,583 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 777 \\ & 717 \\ & 764 \end{aligned}$ | 3,030 1,550 1,981 | $\begin{aligned} & 356 \\ & 358 \\ & 372 \end{aligned}$ | 2,893 1,432 1,842 | $\begin{aligned} & 344 \\ & 346 \\ & 350 \end{aligned}$ | 137 118 139 | 12 12 22 | 672 727 602 | 351 359 392 | 589 613 514 | 332 336 376 | $\begin{array}{r} 83 \\ 114 \\ 88 \end{array}$ | 19 23 16 |
| *April 13 <br> May II <br> *June 15 | 3,020 2,173 2,472 | 741 674 791 | 2,201 1,449 1,600 | 247 228 265 | 2,028 1,285 1,373 | 232 209 240 | 173 164 227 | 15 19 25 | $\begin{aligned} & 819 \\ & 724 \\ & 872 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 494 \\ & 446 \\ & 526 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 714 \\ & 618 \\ & 757 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 474 \\ & 417 \\ & 497 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 106 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ | 20 29 29 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { July } 13 \\ \text { *Aug. } 17 \\ \text { Sept. } 14 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,814 \\ & 1,881 \\ & 2,367 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 717 \\ 796 \\ 1,021 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,145 \\ & 1,173 \\ & 1,529 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 191 \\ & 245 \\ & 427 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,006 \\ & 1.006 \\ & 1,321 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 183 \\ & 233 \\ & 403 \end{aligned}$ | 139 167 208 | 8 12 24 | $\begin{aligned} & 669 \\ & 708 \\ & 838 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 526 \\ & 551 \\ & 594 \end{aligned}$ | 577 605 701 | 508 529 562 | 92 103 137 | 18 22 32 |
| Oct. 12 <br> *Nov. 16 <br> Dec. | $\begin{aligned} & 3,959 \\ & 4,633 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,369 \\ 952 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,267 \\ & 3,867 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 743 \\ & 403 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,042 \\ & 3,614 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 722 \\ & 381 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 225 \\ & 253 \end{aligned}$ | 21 22 | $\begin{aligned} & 692 \\ & 766 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 626 \\ & 549 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 587 \\ & 636 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 592 \\ & 512 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures of both filled and unfilled vacancies relate only to vacancies notified (a) in the case of Great Britain, to the Employment Exchanges of the Ministry of Labour or to local authorities having Youth Employment Offices and (b) in the case of Northern Ireland to the local offices of the Northern Ireland Ministry of Labour and National Insurance.
( ${ }^{( }$) Three week period. *ive week period.

|  |  |  |  | Workers involved ( ${ }^{( }$) | Total working days lost( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | All industries and services | Mining and quarrying | Metals engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles | Textiles and clothing | Building and contracting | Transport and communication | All other industries and services |
| 1938 | ... ... | ... | ... |  | 274 | 1,334 | 701 | 243 | 117 | 115 | 40 | 118 |
| $1953\left({ }^{4}\right)$ 1954 1955 1956 1957 1958 | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\cdots$ | .. |  | 1,370 448 659 507 1,356 523 | 2,184 2,457 3,781 2,083 8,412 3,466 | 394 468 1,112 503 514 450 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,525 \\ 741 \\ 669 \\ 1,018 \\ 6,592 \\ 609 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \\ & 12 \\ & 23 \\ & 29 \\ & 44 \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ 233 \\ 71 \\ 78 \\ 84 \\ 155 \end{array}$ | 69 919 1,687 34 998 2,116 | $\begin{array}{r} 68 \\ 84 \\ 219 \\ 421 \\ 180 \\ 116 \end{array}$ |
| 1957 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \\ \text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 243 31 44 | 2,574 73 110 | 49 41 61 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,424 \\ 20 \\ 7 \end{array}$ | 7 5 8 | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \\ & 4 \\ & 8 \end{aligned}$ | 56 2 19 | $\begin{array}{r} 29 \\ 1 \\ 6 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ <br> $\ldots$ | 129 45 42 | 873 209 120 | 24 47 39 | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 33 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | 2 5 2 | 14 2 6 | 777 72 6 | 41 50 8 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \\ & 48 \\ & 22 \end{aligned}$ | 120 93 42 | 36 45 23 | $\begin{aligned} & 61 \\ & 31 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | I | $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 11 \\ 3 \end{array}$ | 9 4 3 | 5 1 1 |
| 1958 J | January ... <br> February .. <br> March | $\ldots$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ | 61 55 49 | 99 113 196 | 43 58 53 | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ 35 \\ 100 \end{array}$ | 3 1 | 6 11 23 | 13 4 6 | 2 3 13 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \\ & 94 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | 188 1,261 1,071 | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & 38 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 127 \\ 103 \\ 10 \end{array}$ | 2 | 9 10 7 | 21 1,077 964 | 5 32 37 |
|  |  | ... $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 35 25 40 | 96 76 102 | 43 29 34 | 40 30 37 | 1 1 7 | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 8 \\ 22 \end{array}$ | I | 1 7 2 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December |  | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 53 \\ & 30 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | 142 79 41 | $\begin{array}{r} 41 \\ 27 \\ 6 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \\ & 37 \\ & 24 \end{aligned}$ | 3 1 1 | 26 13 5 | 26 1 3 | 11 1 2 |
| 1959 | January <br> February ... <br> March | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 66 \\ & 26 \end{aligned}$ | 78 164 140 | 18 33 27 | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ 103 \\ 88 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | 12 13 10 | 6 9 3 | 3 5 10 |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | ... | $\begin{array}{r} 48 \\ 39 \\ 178 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 138 \\ 174 \\ 1,025 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 25 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ 134 \\ 160 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 7 \\ 25 \end{array}$ | 12 5 10 | $\frac{1}{13}$ | 3 3 759 |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | .. | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \\ & 26 \\ & 43 \end{aligned}$ | 2,677 347 129 | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \\ & 18 \\ & 68 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 96 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | 二 | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 7 \\ 13 \end{array}$ | 1 1 3 | 2,587 226 7 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | ... <br> $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \\ & 46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \\ & 49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ 12 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \\ & 11 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Stoppages in the United Kingdom involving fewer than 10 workpeople or lasting less than one day have been omitted except any in which 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 for pre war years is not strictly comparable with that for post-war periods.

National insurance and family allowances

${ }^{(1)}$ Figures for individual months are averages of the four or five weeks ending on the last Tuesday of each month. $\left(^{2}\right)$ Including prescribed industrial disease.

Source: Ministry of Pensions
${ }^{(3)}$ Monthly figures relate to the third Tuesday of each month. Yearly figures are averages of twelve monthly figures.
${ }^{4}$ ) Monthly figures relate to a date in the second half of the month, usually in the third week. Yearly figures are averages of twelve monthly figures to 1957 and four quarterly figures thereafter. From 1958 quarterly figures relate to first Monday in February, May and November and last Monday in July.
$\left.{ }^{(5}\right)$ Including a diminishing number of widows with pensions of 10 shillings a week derived from the old Contributory Pensions Acts. About 105,000 such pensions were being paid in June 1959.
${ }^{\left({ }^{0}\right)}$ The yearly figures relate to the end of January in the following year.
${ }^{(7)}$ Including the elder or eldest child for whom no allowance is payable but excluding children over the age limit.
${ }^{(8)}$ Includes about 400,000 late-age entrants who became entitled to pension under special conditions from 5 July 1958.

- Average of five weeks.

National assistance and non-contributory old age pensions
Great Britain
At end of period
Thousands
TABLE 38

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Some of the allowances provide for the requirements of a household with more than one pensioner.

# National Health Services 

(i) Hospital services

Thousands

(ii) Executive Council services

Thousands
TABLE 39 (continued)

|  |  | England and Wales |  |  |  | Scotland |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Pharmaceutical services <br> Prescriptions dispensed by chemists | Dental services <br> Courses of <br> treatment <br> completed and <br> emergency <br> cases | Ophthalmic services |  | Pharmaceutical services <br> Prescriptions dispensed by chemists | Dental services <br> $\begin{array}{c}\text { Courses of } \\ \text { treatment } \\ \text { completed and } \\ \text { emergency } \\ \text { cases }\end{array}$ | Ophthalmic services |  |
|  |  | Sight tests given |  | Pairs of glasses paid for | Sight tests given |  |  | Pairs of glasses supplied |
| 1954 1955 1956 1957 1958 |  |  | 218,713 226,116 228,879 207,209 203,385 | 9,337 9,924 10,740 11,298 12,079 | 4,441 4,770 4,927 5,077 5,036 | $3,995\left({ }^{3}\right)$ 4,208 4,432 4,539 4,477 | 20,949 21,205 21,501 20,920 20,394 | 1,125 1,201 1,269 1,284 1,339 | 407 442 477 485 477 | 393 420 467 485 482 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter <br> 2nd quarter <br> 3rd quarter <br> 4th quarter | 53,313 47,548 48,592 57,757 | 2,835 2,871 2,743 2,849 | 1,386 1,178 1,251 1,262 | 1,126 1,166 1,031 1,216 | 5,413 4,859 4,928 5,720 | 323 330 324 307 | 126 115 116 128 | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 124 \\ & 108 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Ist } & \text { quarter } \\ \text { 2nd } \\ \text { 3rd } & \text { quarter } \\ \text { 4th } & \text { quarter } \\ \text { 4 } & \text { quarter }\end{array}$ | 55,180 47,889 45,722 54,494 | 3,031 3,020 2,900 3,128 | 1,272 1,151 1,275 1,339 | 1,076 1,089 1,041 1,271 | 5,335 4,901 4,593 5,573 | 337 340 326 337 | 116 114 115 132 | 114 118 109 140 |
| 1959 | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Ist } & \text { quarter } \\ \text { 2nd } \\ \text { 3rd } & \text { quarter } \\ \text { 3uarter }\end{array}$ | 62,361 50,790 | 3,025 3,246 | 1,238 1,302 1,336 | 1,043 1,104 1,081 | 6,488 5,143 4,869 | 323 364 335 | 115 121 122 | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 122 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Annual figures are averages of end of quarter figures.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$At out-patient, casualty and ancillary departments. Attendances at out-patient and casualty departments alone numbered $4 \cdot 3$ million in 1958.
${ }^{(3)}$ Pairs of glasses supplied.

# VI. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION <br> Index of industrial production( ${ }^{1}$ ) <br> Average $1954=100$ 

TABLE 40

|  |  |  | Manufacturing industries |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total manufacturing industries ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Food, drink and tobacco |  |  | Chemicals and allied industries |  |  | Engineering and allied industries |  |  |  |  |
|  | Unadjusted | Season- ally adjusted | Unadjusted |  | Total | Food | Drink and tobacco | Total | Coke ovens, oil refineries, etc. | General chemicals, etc. | Total | Engineering and electrical goods | Shipbuilding and marine engineering | Vehicles | Metal goods not elsewhere specified |
| Weights |  | , 000 | 760 |  | 82 | 53 | 28 | 63 | 9 | 54 | 305 | 164 | 22 | 78 | 42 |
| 1955 $\ldots$ <br> 1956 $\ldots$ <br> 1957 $\ldots$ <br> 1958 $\ldots$ | 105 10 107 10 | 105 06 06 | 107 | 106 <br> 06 <br> 08 <br> 8 | 103 105 107 109 | 101 104 104 108 | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 108 \\ & 112 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | 106 <br> 111 <br> 115 <br> 115 | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 112 \\ & 110 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 108 \\ & 111 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 107 \\ & 111 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 117 \\ & 108 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 107 \\ & 115 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 108 \\ & 109 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1957 April $\begin{aligned} & \text { May } \\ & \text { June }\end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 112 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 108 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 113 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 109 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 112 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 107 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 120 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 117 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 107 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 119 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 117 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ | 104 115 113 | 99 105 111 | 101 124 120 | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 114 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ |
| July... <br> August <br> September | 100 92 111 | 108 108 109 | 101 92 114 | 110 110 110 | 102 99 109 | 96 98 106 | 113 102 115 | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 103 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 106 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 102 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 107 \\ 91 \\ 117 \end{array}$ | 103 93 116 | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 108 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | 120 83 121 | 96 90 118 |
| October ... November... December. | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 115 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | 106 108 106 | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 116 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 109 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 117 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 114 \\ & 108 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 123 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 119 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | 111 115 108 | $\begin{aligned} & 121 \\ & 120 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | 116 121 111 | 116 121 109 | 111 113 114 | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 126 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 119 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{cc}1958 \text { January } & \ldots \\ \text { February } & \ldots \\ \text { March } & \ldots\end{array}$ | 106 111 114 | 106 108 108 | 105 112 115 | 106 109 109 | 99 105 109 | 101 106 107 | 93 103 113 | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 118 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 102 114 121 | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 119 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 109 118 125 | 103 115 127 | 113 112 107 | 120 129 132 | 113 111 112 |
| April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> June $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 106 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | 106 105 105 | 104 107 110 | 106 106 106 | 110 115 115 | 110 111 112 | 110 123 121 | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 113 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | 117 107 117 | 116 114 115 | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 113 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | 102 109 117 | 107 108 109 | 120 126 119 | 106 104 108 |
| July... <br> August <br> September | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 90 \\ 107 \end{array}$ | 106 105 105 | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 90 \\ 109 \end{array}$ | 107 106 106 | 106 101 109 | 102 100 108 | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 101 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 102 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 121 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 105 \\ 99 \\ 117 \end{array}$ | 104 91 113 | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 93 \\ 114 \end{array}$ | 107 107 108 | 117 82 116 | 94 89 108 |
| October <br> November... <br> December... | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 114 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ | 105 107 107 | 111 115 106 | 106 107 108 | 117 119 109 | 113 114 107 | 126 130 111 | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 123 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 129 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 122 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 120 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 123 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 108 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | 118 117 126 | 109 115 104 |
| 1959 January February March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 110 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | 107 107 109 | 107 110 110 | 107 107 109 | 101 107 109 | 105 108 107 | 93 105 111 | $\begin{aligned} & 123 \\ & 129 \\ & 125 \end{aligned}$ | 128 128 121 | $\begin{aligned} & 122 \\ & 129 \\ & 126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 114 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | 108 114 115 | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 108 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | 124 118 141 | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 108 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{ll} \text { April } & . \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 111 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ | 110 111 112 | 116 113 117 | 112 112 113 | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \\ & 117 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 111 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122 \\ & 128 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 128 \\ & 131 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \\ & 132 \\ & 126 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131 \\ & 127 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | 121 119 125 | 117 117 121 | $\begin{array}{r} 105 \\ 101 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | 136 129 145 | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 114 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ |
| July... <br> August <br> September | $\begin{array}{r} 102 \\ 97 \\ 117 \end{array}$ | 113 113 114 | 104 97 120 | 114 114 116 | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 104 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 99 \\ 109 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 113 \\ & 127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 116 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 120 \\ & 123 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 115 \\ & 133 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108 \\ 98 \\ 125 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \\ 97 \\ 128 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \\ & 97 \\ & 99 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 103 \\ & 132 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ 97 \\ 97 \\ 119 \end{array}$ |
| October(p) | 121 | 116 | 125 | 119 | 118 | 110 | 132 |  | 130 |  | 129 |  | 98 | 138 |  |

(p) Provisional figures.

Source: Central Statistical Office
See footnotes on page 33.

Index of industrial production( ${ }^{(1)}$
Average $1954=100$
TABLE 40 (continued)


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## VII. FUEL AND POWER

Coal

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
Source: Ministry of Power
${ }^{(2)}$ From January 1954 figures exclude all screening losses.
${ }^{(3)}$ ) Including shipments to Northern Ireland but excluding changes in the tonnage of coal in transit and changes in stocks held by consumers not making returns.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) For the year 1938 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. Prior to I January 1959, shipments to Channel Islands were included in exports; since then they have been included in inland consumption. Bunkers for fishing vessels proceeding outside territorial waters are included but coastwise bunkers are excluded.
${ }^{5}$ ) Week ended 3 January 1959 has been omitted. As a result the New Year holiday affects the figures for January 1958 but not for 1959.

- Average of five weeks.

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Excluding consumption of coal at waterworks amounting on an average to 5,000 tons per week, which is included under "Miscellaneous".
${ }^{2}$ ) Undertakings with an annual consumption of 1,000 tons or more of coal
${ }^{(3}$ ) Authorised electricity undertakings and railway and transport power stations.
${ }^{4}{ }^{4}$ ) Including disposals to shops, offices and other establishments, partly or entirely non-residential.
${ }^{(5)}$ Including Service Departments and shipments to Northern Ireland, but excluding changes in the tonnage of coal in transit and changes in stocks held by consumers not making returns. From I January 1959, shipments to Channel Islands are also included. *Average of five weeks.

Coal : Distributed stocks End of period

Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Public utility undertakings |  |  |  | Coke ovens | Industrial consumers( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  | Merchants' stocks |  | Miscellaneous( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Gas | Electricity | Water ${ }^{(1)}$ | Railways |  | Iron and steel | Engineer ing and other metal trades | Other industries | House coal | Anthracite and boiler fuel |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \end{aligned}$ | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | . $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 3,190 2,806 2,901 | 6,609 6,849 7,777 | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \\ & 61 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 716 \\ 816 \\ 1,012 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,376 \\ & 1,412 \\ & 1,470 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 455 \\ & 392 \\ & 329 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 609 \\ & 568 \\ & 480 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,052 \\ & 2,835 \\ & 2,526 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,639 \\ & 1,502 \\ & 1,577 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122 \\ & 149 \\ & 161 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 504 \\ & 503 \\ & 470 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | October ... <br> November <br> December | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 3,147 3,158 2,893 | 8,161 8,142 7,536 | 64 63 62 | $\begin{aligned} & 696 \\ & 709 \\ & 695 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,196 \\ & 1,286 \\ & 1,321 \end{aligned}$ | 257 248 251 | 396 374 334 | 2,192 2,105 1,968 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,265 \\ & 2,329 \\ & 1,871 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 196 \\ & 188 \\ & 148 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 473 \\ & 455 \\ & 427 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> March | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 2,445 2,266 2,127 | 6,509 6,311 6,112 | 58 57 54 | 656 586 547 | 1,297 1,370 1,321 | $\begin{aligned} & 239 \\ & 237 \\ & 232 \end{aligned}$ | 291 295 286 | 1,762 1,744 1,720 | 1,254 878 655 | $\begin{array}{r} 112 \\ 97 \\ 103 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 381 \\ & 349 \\ & 352 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { April } & . . \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots \end{array}$ | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 2,270 2,347 2,544 | 6,070 6,254 6,659 | 50 49 50 | 559 551 562 | 1,373 1,353 1,519 | 225 220 220 | 274 278 293 | 1,767 1,783 1,856 | 486 650 1,074 | 111 130 158 | 343 346 362 |
|  | July August September | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 2,565 2,453 2,528 | 6,873 6,842 7,113 | 51 50 53 | $\begin{aligned} & 542 \\ & 509 \\ & 502 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,328 \\ & 1,040 \\ & 1,085 \end{aligned}$ | 210 206 210 | 292 291 314 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,887 \\ & 1,798 \\ & 1,830 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,340 \\ & 1,504 \\ & 1,774 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 175 \\ & 187 \\ & 217 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 374 \\ & 380 \\ & 386 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,626 \\ & 2,512 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,185 \\ & 6,811 \end{aligned}$ | 53 54 | $\begin{aligned} & 486 \\ & 514 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,195 \\ & 1,299 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \\ & 210 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 312 \\ & 291 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,770 \\ & 1,673 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,094 \\ & 2,014 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 248 \\ & 239 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 411 \\ & 430 \end{aligned}$ |

[^9]
# Coal and oil consumption by main industrial groups( ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ ) 



TABLE 44 (continued)
Thousand tons

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. Coal figures relate to undertakings with an annual consumption of upwards of 1,000 tons, while those for oil are in respect of undertakings using 500 tons or more of liquid fuels (gas/diesel and fuel oils and creosote pitch mixtures) for burning annually, or any smaller quantity in conjunction with at least 1,000 tons of coal or 200 tons of hard coke per annum. Consumption by the coal mining, electricity and gas industries is excluded as well as all oil used in petroleum refineries and internal combustion engines. Digest, 1958 (H.M.S.O July coverage in 1957 reference should be made to the Ministry of Power Statistical Digest, 1958 (H.M.S.O. July 1959).

* Average of five weeks.


## Coal : Productivity

Weekly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding those wage-earners who were absent for the whole of any week from whatever cause.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding wage-earners employed at mines not operated by the National Coal Board. These were approximately 6,100 overall and 3,800 at the coal face in 1958.
${ }^{3}$ ) From 1953 the figures relate only to mines operated by the National Coal Board which account for 99 per cent. of the total output. From 1954 these are the percentages of possible appearances during the five-day week. All other figures include Saturdays.
${ }^{4}$ ) Manpower and attendance figures from January 1954 are based on new definitions introduced to secure greater uniformity of practice at the collieries. Details of these definitions and their effect on the figures are shown in the Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes, Monthly Digest of Statistics (January 1959). Further changes in the classification of face-workers only were made during 1955, 1956 and 1957. The effect of these changes was to reduce the average number at the coal face in 1955 compared with 1954 by about 400, the average in 1956 compared with 1955 by about 2,000 and the average in 1957 compared with 1956 by about 2,600 .
${ }^{(5)}$ A new definition of face development introduced at the beginning of 1958 resulted in a reduction of about 6,800 face-workers and an increase of 0.08 tons in output per manshift worked compared with 1957.
*Average of five weeks.

Coke( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 46
Production and disposals : weekly averages
Stocks: end of period
Thousand tons


[^10]Gas: Production( ${ }^{1}$ )
Weekly averages


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Electricity: Generation for public supply in Great Britain
TABLE 48

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Excluding quantities used for production of steam for sale. In 1958, 139,000 tons of coal and 8,000 tons of oil were used for that purpose.

Source : Ministry of Power and
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Includes generation by oil engine, destructor and waste heat plants.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ The figures represent the simultaneous maximum demand supplied from the Grid plus the maximum demands from independent stations not connected to the Grid. From April 1955 they refer to the sum of the maximum demands sent out by the Central Electricity Generating Board, and the two Electricity Boards in Scotland. Annual figures are the maximum occurring near the end of the year or early in the following year.

## Electricity: Generation outside the public electricity supply system ( ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 49

|  | Total ${ }^{(2)}$ | Transport undertakings | Total mining and manufacturing industries $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Chemicals |  | Iron and steel | Engineering ${ }^{(3)}$ | Textiles, leather and clothing | Food, drink and tobacco | Paper | Other industries |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Nuclear power stations | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1955 | 210.1 | 24.9 | $185 \cdot 2$ | - | 51.4 | 41.4 | 23.8 | 13.0 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 39.6 | 9.5 |
| 1956 | 212.9 | 24.0 | 188.9 | 1.1 | 53.4 | $43 \cdot 0$ | 24.0 | 12.6 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $40 \cdot 5$ | 8.0 |
| 1957 | 225.0 | 23.2 | $201 \cdot 8$ | 7.9 | 56.0 | $44 \cdot 6$ | 24.4 | 12.4 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 41.8 | $7 \cdot 6$ |
| 1958 | 221.8 | 21.4 | $200 \cdot 4$ | $5 \cdot 9$ | 58.1 | $46 \cdot 0$ | 24.4 | 10.7 | $7 \cdot 5$ | $40 \cdot 8$ | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| 1957 July ... | 202.0 | 22.5 | 179.5 | 11.0 | 54.5 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 19.8 | 11.2 | 4.4 | 32.0 | 6.4 |
| August ... | 193.7 | 21.2 | 172.5 | 10.4 | 52.7 | 38.9 | 16.8 | 8.9 | 4.4 | 34.7 | 5.7 |
| *September | 221.5 | 21.4 | 200.1 | 10.1 | 55.5 | $43 \cdot 7$ | 23.4 | 11.9 | $5 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | 7.1 |
| October ... | 235.6 | 22.0 | 213.6 | 10.1 | 56.4 | $47 \cdot 2$ | 25.8 | 12.4 | 10.2 | 44.0 | 7.5 |
| November | 246.0 | 23.9 | 222.1 | 6.7 | 59.5 | $50 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 6$ | 13.1 | 12.7 | $44 \cdot 3$ | 7.9 |
| *December | 238.5 | 23.8 | 214.7 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $58 \cdot 6$ | $50 \cdot 7$ | $27 \cdot 7$ | 12.7 | 11.8 | $40 \cdot 1$ | $7 \cdot 8$ |
| 1958 January ... | 241.4 | 24.6 | 216.8 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 60.4 | 49.4 | 28.8 | 12.9 | 9.5 | $42 \cdot 3$ | 7.8 |
| February ... | $243 \cdot 0$ | $23 \cdot 4$ | 219.6 | 5.9 | 61.5 | 52.1 | $30 \cdot 0$ | 12.9 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $43 \cdot 4$ | 8.1 |
| *March ... | $242 \cdot 3$ | 24.8 | 217.5 | 6.8 | $62 \cdot 2$ | $49 \cdot 2$ | 29.5 | 12.1 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 6$ | 7.8 |
| April | 226.3 | 22.4 | 203.9 | 11.4 | $57 \cdot 4$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | 24.8 | 10.7 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 1$ | 6.8 |
| May | $222 \cdot 3$ | 19.6 | $202 \cdot 7$ | 9.6 | $56 \cdot 7$ | $47 \cdot 2$ | $23 \cdot 0$ | 10.8 | $5 \cdot 4$ | $43 \cdot 4$ | 6.6 |
| *June | $215 \cdot 6$ | 18.9 | 196.7 | $10 \cdot 7$ | $55 \cdot 5$ | $45 \cdot 6$ | 21.5 | 9.8 | 6.1 | 41.2 | $6 \cdot 3$ |
| - July ... | 193.6 | 20.0 | $173 \cdot 6$ | 3.9 | $52 \cdot 5$ | $42 \cdot 4$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 9.5 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 33.9 | 5.9 |
| August ... | 179.8 | 19.7 | 160.1 | 2.5 | 51.9 | 40.9 | 16.3 | 7.5 | $5 \cdot 0$ | 31.1 | 4.9 |
| *September | 208.0 | $20 \cdot 2$ | 187.8 | 3.0 | 56.2 | $43 \cdot 4$ | 21.8 | 10.0 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | 6.9 |
| October ... | 221.2 | 21.0 | $200 \cdot 2$ | 3.2 | 58.5 | 44.6 | 23.8 | 10.6 | 10.0 | 42.2 | $7 \cdot 3$ |
| November | $235 \cdot 5$ | 20.5 | 215.0 | $4 \cdot 0$ | 61.5 | $46 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 8$ | 11.1 | 13.0 | 44.9 | 7.7 |
| *December | 229.5 | $20 \cdot 4$ | 209.1 | 3.6 | 62.1 | 44.9 | $26 \cdot 0$ | 11.2 | 12.2 | 41.4 | 7.7 |
| 1959 January ... | 246.2 | 21.4 | 224.8 | 10.5 | $62 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 4$ | $26 \cdot 7$ | 12.2 | 13.0 | 45.8 | 7.9 |
| February ... | 245.7 | 20.7 | 225.0 | 15.3 | $62 \cdot 2$ | $47 \cdot 2$ | 25.3 | 12.1 | 9.3 | $45 \cdot 6$ | 8.0 |
| *March ... | 228.2 | 18.8 | 209.4 | 19.6 | 61.0 | $42 \cdot 6$ | 21.0 | 10.6 | 5.1 | 42.5 | $7 \cdot 0$ |
| April ... | 229.2 | 18.6 | 210.6 | 21.5 | 58.4 | 39.9 | 24.9 |  |  |  | 7.0 |
| May ... | $229 \cdot 2$ | 17.8 | 211.4 | 24.7 | 57.5 | 41.5 | 22.1 | 10.3 | 5.4 | 43.1 | 6.8 |
| *June | $232 \cdot 5$ | $17 \cdot 2$ | $215 \cdot 3$ | 23.5 | 59.5 | $42 \cdot 9$ | 22.3 | 10.8 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $43 \cdot 8$ | 6.7 |
| July ... | 206.6 | 17.0 | 189.6 | 23.1 | 59.5 | 38.9 | 20.4 |  |  | $26 \cdot 9$ |  |
| August ... | 215.1 | $16 \cdot 7$ | 198.4 | $23 \cdot 7$ | 58.6 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 20.1 | 9.5 | 4.7 | $35 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 6$ |
| *September | $235 \cdot 4$ | 16.9 | 218.5 | 25.5 | 61.1 | 41.1 | 23.6 | 11.1 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 43.1 | 6.6 |
|  | 253.4 | 17.6 | 235.8 | 27.4 | 61.5 | $45 \cdot 9$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | 12.0 | 12.3 | $45 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 5$ |
| November |  | 18.7 | $254 \cdot 6$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | $67 \cdot 8$ | 50.0 | $27 \cdot 2$ | 12.9 | 13.0 | $47 \cdot 5$ | $7 \cdot 9$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding the fuel industries, which in 1958 produced

| Coal mines |  |  |  |  | Million kilowott hours |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ... |  | ... | $\ldots$ |  | , 356 |
| Gas works | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  | 145 |
| Mineral oil refining | ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ |  | 33 |

These industries account for an average weekly production of 35 million kilowatt hours in 1958 as compared with 222 million kilowatt hours produced weekly in 1958 by the industries included in the table.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including non-ferrous metal manufacture and industries covered by Orders VI-IX of the Standard Industrial Classification, 1948.

- Average of five weeks.

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Petroleum : Refinery throughput, and output of finished petroleum products TABLE 50


Petroleum : Analysis of inland deliveries of motor spirit, gas, diesel and fuel oils
TABLE 51
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Motor spirit |  |  |  | Main end uses of gas, diesel and fuel oils (excluding derv fuel) ( ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Dealers |  | Commercial consumers |  | For burning |  |  |  |  | For power |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Premier grades | Standard grades | Premier grades | Standard grades | Total | Public elec- tricity genera- tion | Steel manufacture | Other industrial | Central heating | Total | Agriculture | Marine craft |  |
| 1938 | $\cdots$... |  | $\overbrace{232 \cdot 5}^{170 \cdot 0}$ |  |  |  | $73.7 \mid 0.3 \overbrace{-}^{53.0}$ |  |  |  |  | 27.8 | 0.5 | 5.4 | $10 \cdot 8$ |
| 1955 1956 1957 | $\ldots$ | ... | $235 \cdot 6$ $244 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 121.2 \\ & 128.4 \end{aligned}$ | 26.7 28.0 | 136.5 126.4 | 423.9 518.0 | 14.7 29.9 | 130.7 139.4 | $203 \cdot 1$ $244 \cdot 7$ | 70.6 97.9 | 141.0 160.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 22.4 \\ & 30 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 58.4 \\ 65 \cdot 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44.7 \\ & 38.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1957 |  |  | $234 \cdot 3$ | 123.9 | 28.9 | 126.6 97.6 | 553.2 | 53.5 | 135.0 | 251.3 | 108.2 | 162.6 | 31.4 | $71.7$ | $37 \cdot 1$ |
| 1958 |  |  | 291.1 | 132.2 | 30.0 | 98.6 | $865 \cdot 2$ | $215 \cdot 1$ | 145.5 | 339.8 | 158.8 | 189.3 | 38.1 | 78.0 | $55 \cdot 4$ |
| 1958 | October <br> November <br> December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 302 \cdot 2 \\ & 258 \cdot 4 \\ & 284 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136.6 \\ & 117.4 \\ & 125.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32.6 \\ & 29.1 \\ & 30.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 101.9 \\ 91.3 \\ 93.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 993 \cdot 7 \\ 1,092 \cdot 4 \\ 1,227 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 315 \cdot 2 \\ & 337 \cdot 4 \\ & 349.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 148.4 \\ & 148.8 \\ & 151.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 362 \cdot 6 \\ & 384 \cdot 2 \\ & 439.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 159.3 \\ & 217.5 \\ & 281.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207.5 \\ & 186.1 \\ & 197.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46 \cdot 0 \\ & 38 \cdot 7 \\ & 34 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \cdot 8 \\ & 71.9 \\ & 83.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50.9 \\ & 62.5 \\ & 63.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> March ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 248 \cdot 1 \\ & 240 \cdot 0 \\ & 305 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110.6 \\ & 104.8 \\ & 125.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \cdot 9 \\ & 28 \cdot 3 \\ & 30 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94 \cdot 0 \\ & 85 \cdot 8 \\ & 88 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,378 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,247 \cdot 1 \\ & 1,208 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 369.6 \\ & 319.8 \\ & 368.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 167.8 \\ & 156.1 \\ & 168.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 486 \cdot 5 \\ & 453.9 \\ & 421 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 349.6 \\ & 313.3 \\ & 245 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193.2 \\ & 198.8 \\ & 209.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31.4 \\ & 44.6 \\ & 51.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77.5 \\ & 73.4 \\ & 81.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \cdot 4 \\ & 63 \cdot 1 \\ & 37 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 317 \cdot 1 \\ & 368 \cdot 5 \\ & 367 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128.8 \\ & 144.0 \\ & 143.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 7 \\ & 33 \cdot 8 \\ & 35 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 1 \\ & 91 \cdot 7 \\ & 97 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $1,101 \cdot 2$ 932.5 932.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 311 \cdot 9 \\ & 315 \cdot 3 \\ & 310 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 170.4 \\ & 149.5 \\ & 178.8 \end{aligned}$ | 417.8 <br> 341.8 <br> $353 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{array}{r} 196.0 \\ 119.6 \\ 84.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 219.7 \\ & 198.6 \\ & 205.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55.4 \\ & 43.6 \\ & 42.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 5 \\ & 81 \cdot 5 \\ & 85 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 9 \\ & 36 \cdot 0 \\ & 34 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August ... <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 424 \cdot 0 \\ & 406 \cdot 6 \\ & 378 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 158.2 \\ & 145.9 \\ & 139.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 32 \cdot 5 \\ & 35 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96.7 \\ & 83.4 \\ & 91.7 \end{aligned}$ | 881.2 813.6 997.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 322 \cdot 5 \\ & 295 \cdot 8 \\ & 345 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | 146.7 142.3 174.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 335 \cdot 8 \\ & 310 \cdot 4 \\ & 373 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71.1 \\ & 59.9 \\ & 96.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202 \cdot 3 \\ & 195.2 \\ & 214.0 \end{aligned}$ | $40 \cdot 5$ 48.8 44.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 86.0 \\ & 79.8 \\ & 85.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2 \\ & 22.4 \\ & 36.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 354 \cdot 4 \\ & 305 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133.5 \\ & 117.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 34 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \cdot 1 \\ & 86.9 \end{aligned}$ | 1,133.6 | $347 \cdot 1$ | 189.5 | $427 \cdot 6$ | 164.5 | 209.4 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 84.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 6 \\ & 63 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ ) See Table 52 for total inland deliveries of gas, diesel and fuel oils.

Petroleum : Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

|  |  |  | Total ( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Aviation spirit and aviation widecut gasoline | Motor spirit | Industrial and white spirits | Kerosine |  |  | Gas/diesel oil |  | Fuel oil <br> $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Lubricating oils | Bitumen | Feedstock for petroleum chemical plants |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Aviation turbine fuel |  |  |  | Burning oil | Vaporising oil | Derv fuel | Other |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | ... |  | $733 \cdot 7$ | 9.4 | $402 \cdot 6$ | 9.2 | - | $45 \cdot 2$ | 14.8 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 66.4 | $52 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 7$ | $50 \cdot 6$ | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | ... ... | ... | 1,457.9 | 73.9 | 478.3 | 20.2 | 24.9 | 45.5 | 69.4 | 105.9 | 143.1 | 317.9 | $66 \cdot 2$ | 62.5 | 42.3 |
|  |  | ... | 1,593.4 | 91.3 | $493 \cdot 5$ | 22.4 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 50.3 | 58.9 | 117.8 | 161.4 | 368.0 | $70 \cdot 4$ | $67 \cdot 3$ | $50 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | ... | 1,764.8 | 95.0 | $520 \cdot 0$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | 57.7 | 57.4 | 133.4 | 180.0 | 448.7 | 74.0 | 72.1 | $47 \cdot 2$ |
|  | ... ... | ... | 1,922-2 | 96.5 | 527.0 | 25.3 | 49.6 | 69.2 | $47 \cdot 9$ | 149.8 | 199.0 | $539 \cdot 2$ | 74.6 | 78.4 | 55.5 |
|  |  | ... | 1,889.0 | $92 \cdot 2$ | 478.7 | $26 \cdot 6$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | $66 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 3$ | 149.6 | 195.1 | 577.6 | 68.9 | $70 \cdot 7$ | 66.1 |
|  |  | ... | 2,377•8 | 88.6 | 551.9 | $27 \cdot 7$ | 41.8 | $93 \cdot 7$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | $170 \cdot 8$ | 249.0 | $881 \cdot 8$ | $72 \cdot 6$ | 72.3 | $69 \cdot 3$ |
| 1957 | April | ... | 1,790.5 | 93.9 | 487.4 | 26.8 | 33.3 | $47 \cdot 5$ | 77.4 | 138.1 | 183.4 | 499.0 | 58.8 | 72.1 | 63.3 |
|  | May |  | 1,963-2 | $109 \cdot 2$ | 507.1 | 31.8 | $45 \cdot 4$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | 51.2 | 163.4 | 198.0 | $560 \cdot 9$ | 74.2 | 89.1 | 78.7 |
|  | June | ... | 1,707-3 | 98.1 | 541.0 | $26 \cdot 3$ | 36.9 | 22.2 | 51.7 | 149.3 | 155.6 | 416.0 | 68.0 | $78 \cdot 3$ | 54.9 |
|  | July | ... | 1,826.9 | 96.4 | 592.1 | 28.9 | 44.4 | 23.8 | $40 \cdot 5$ | 158.2 | 164.4 | $440 \cdot 6$ | 75.7 | 76.2 | $75 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August ... | ... | 1,848•8 | $110 \cdot 6$ | 606.5 | 23.6 | $43 \cdot 5$ | 28.0 | 50.9 | 154.6 | 169.2 | $466 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 8$ | $70 \cdot 0$ | $49 \cdot 3$ |
|  | September | ... | 1,940-1 | $95 \cdot 6$ | 531.3 | 25.9 | 61.6 | $43 \cdot 8$ | 41.4 | $157 \cdot 7$ | 200.1 | 549.2 | $73 \cdot 1$ | 74.1 | $76 \cdot 3$ |
|  | October | ... | 2,168.7 | 94.1 | 519.3 | 28.7 | 50.9 | 64.9 | 44.8 | 169.5 | 246.1 | 702.9 | 77.7 | 77.1 | 81.8 |
|  | November | ... | 2,159•5 | $71 \cdot 3$ | 492.9 | $25 \cdot 8$ | 44.1 | 105.5 | 31.5 | 164.3 | $247 \cdot 3$ | 753.0 | 71.1 | 67.3 | 73.9 |
|  | December | ... | 2,202•9 | 70.1 | 479.7 | $23 \cdot 3$ | $26 \cdot 6$ | 147.1 | 24.3 | 152.6 | 252.4 | $838 \cdot 2$ | $65 \cdot 1$ | $51 \cdot 6$ | 62.0 |
| 1958 | January | ... | 2,417•6 | 86.1 | 463.3 | $28 \cdot 3$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | $177 \cdot 5$ | 23.8 | 165.7 | 286.0 | $940 \cdot 1$ | 70.0 | 52.1 | 76.6 |
|  | February | ... | 2,197.4 | 94.3 | 429.7 | 26.1 | $43 \cdot 1$ | 134.1 | $23 \cdot 7$ | 151.5 | 245.3 | $849 \cdot 0$ | 64.8 | 51.6 | $70 \cdot 2$ |
|  | March .. | ... | 2,508-6 | 91.0 | 502.2 | 29.4 | 37.1 | 152.4 | 41.7 | $171 \cdot 1$ | 303.8 | $951 \cdot 3$ | 71.0 | 77.5 | 64.7 |
|  | April | ... | 2,415.4 | 91.7 | 549.7 | 28.7 |  | 96.0 |  | 167.9 | 276.6 | 858.0 | $71 \cdot 3$ | 76.3 | $82 \cdot 3$ |
|  | May | ... | 2,311-6 | 98.1 | $643 \cdot 5$ | 31.1 | 45.5 | 41.0 | 41.1 | 177.1 | 221.0 | 763.8 | 72.5 | 84.6 | 73.8 |
|  | June | ... | 2,110.4 | 112.2 | $558 \cdot 0$ | 28.1 | 55.0 | 31.0 | $37 \cdot 3$ | 158.6 | 190.8 | 670.5 | 77.0 | $85 \cdot 7$ | 88.6 |
|  | July | ... | 2,285.7 | 104.4 | 656.7 | 28.5 | $44 \cdot 2$ | 28.5 | 52.1 | 186.8 | $222 \cdot 6$ | 711.8 | 83.7 | 79.6 | $67 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August... | ... | 2,082.7 | $106 \cdot 9$ | 616.9 | 22.5 | $43 \cdot 2$ | 28.2 | 37.1 | 159.1 | 182.5 | 679.7 | 65.1 | 66.9 | $56 \cdot 6$ |
|  | September | ... | 2,335•7 | 79.9 | 599.9 | $27 \cdot 4$ | $42 \cdot 4$ | 41.0 | $46 \cdot 7$ | 178.0 | 235.8 | 829.5 | 76.1 | 82.2 | $72 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October |  | 2,560-4 |  | 573.3 | $28 \cdot 0$ | $38 \cdot 2$ | 83.0 | $34 \cdot 2$ | 188.1 | 262.1 | 1,012-3 | 79.9 | $80 \cdot 7$ | $73 \cdot 6$ |
|  | November | ... | 2,535•6 | 63.9 | 496.2 | $27 \cdot 3$ | $33 \cdot 5$ | 125.9 | $26 \cdot 7$ | $170 \cdot 5$ | 267.8 | 1,096.0 | 69.5 | $70 \cdot 2$ | 77.8 |
|  | December | ... | 2,772•5 | $55 \cdot 2$ | 534.1 | $27 \cdot 3$ | 44.8 | 185.8 | 20.8 | $175 \cdot 2$ | 293.1 | 1,219.9 | 70.7 | $70 \cdot 2$ 60.4 | 57. 47 |
| 1959 | January | ... | 2,970.5 | 49.6 | $482 \cdot 7$ | 28.9 | $54 \cdot 7$ | $252 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  | 70.1 | $46 \cdot 8$ | $66 \cdot 9$ |
|  | February | ... | 2,764•1 | 49.6 | 458.9 | 26.9 | 41.1 | 185.1 | 31.5 | 165.6 | 303.5 | 1,229.7 | 69.2 | 46.8 63.6 | 66.9 93.3 |
|  | March .. | ... | 2,739-2 | $60 \cdot 8$ | 550.1 | $28 \cdot 3$ | $55 \cdot 3$ | 106.0 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 173.4 | 267.7 | 1,211-2 | 68.0 | 79.9 | $63 \cdot 0$ |
|  | April | ... | 2,739.6 | 68.3 | 577.7 | 31.7 | 49.4 | 81.6 | $45 \cdot 3$ | $191 \cdot 2$ | 264.0 | I,122.1 | $81 \cdot 1$ | 89.7 |  |
|  | May | ... | 2,530.9 | 73.1 | 638.0 | 29.9 | 59.7 | 44.7 | $36 \cdot 6$ | 186.0 | 223.3 | 966.3 | $72 \cdot 8$ | 90.7 | 93.7 66.2 |
|  | June | ... | 2,615•0 | $94 \cdot 2$ | 644.1 | 31.8 | $60 \cdot 6$ | 28.1 | 41.1 | 196.9 | 218.3 | 984.5 | 84.1 | 104.6 | 88.6 |
|  | July ... | ... | 2,609.5 | 98.4 | 715.1 | $30 \cdot 0$ | 71.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August... | ... | 2,411.7 | $85 \cdot 6$ | 668.4 | $27 \cdot 3$ | $50 \cdot 0$ | 24.1 | 39.0 | 178.4 | 203.0 | 853.6 | 73.3 | 88.5 | 95.0 91.8 |
|  | September | ... | 2,746-0 | $134 \cdot 3$ | 644.5 | 31.9 | $62 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 9$ | 199.1 | $243 \cdot 3$ | 1,046.9 | 81.0 | 101.7 | 91.8 87.7 |
|  | October | ... | 2,865-5 | 98.1 | 616.2 | 33.0 | $57 \cdot 5$ | 75.9 |  | 206.1 | 254.4 | 1,174.3 | 85.0 | $92 \cdot 3$ |  |
|  | November December | $\ldots$ | 3,141-6 | $95 \cdot 3$ | $543 \cdot 6$ | 31.7 | $46 \cdot 2$ | $157 \cdot 2$ | 19.7 | 196.3 | 309.9 | 1,420.8 | 84.0 | $80 \cdot 1$ | 99.3 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Including waxes and gases not shown separately but excluding fuel consumed by refineries.
Source : Ministry of Power
VIII. INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS AND MANUFACTURED GOODS

Phosphatic fertilizers ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 53

|  |  |  |  | Production ( $\mathrm{P}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ content) |  |  |  |  | Consumption ( $\mathrm{P}_{8} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ content) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Superphosphate | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ground } \\ & \text { basic } \\ & \text { slag } \end{aligned}$ | Ground phosphate | All other fertilizers ${ }^{(2)}$ | Total | Superphosphate | Ground basic slag | Ground phosphate | All other fertilizers ${ }^{(2)}$ |
| 1938/39 |  | ... | ... | 13.1 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 4.9 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 1.7 | 13.5 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 4.7 | 1.4 | 1.7 |
| 1953/54 |  |  |  | $30 \cdot 4$ | 15.8 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 3.0 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $31 \cdot 6$ | $15 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 2.9 | $5 \cdot 6$ |
| 1954/55 | - $\quad$. | $\ldots$ | ... | $27 \cdot 0$ | 13.6 | $5 \cdot 6$ | 2.0 | $5 \cdot 9$ | 28.4 | 14.4 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 2.0 | $5 \cdot 8$ |
| 1955/56 | -... | .... | $\ldots$ | 29.8 | 14.7 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 1.8 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | 15.0 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 1.9 | 7.0 |
| 1956/57 | 7 | $\ldots$ | ... | 29.2 | 14.7 | 6.8 6.7 | 1.5 1.3 | 6.2 7.4 | $30 \cdot 8$ 30.5 | 14.4 12.6 | 8.5 8.6 | 1.5 1.4 | 6.4 7.9 |
| 1957/58 | 8 | ... | ... | $27 \cdot 5$ | 12.1 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 1.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 | January |  | ... | $35 \cdot 4$ | 18.2 | 8.1 | 2.0 | 7.1 | 39.7 | 17.7 |  | 2.1 | 8.4 |
|  | February |  | $\ldots$ | $30 \cdot 5$ | 16.4 | 7.2 | 1.8 1.9 | 5.1 | $38 \cdot 8$ $43 \cdot 3$ | 18.7 23.1 | 10.0 9.6 | 1.9 1.8 | 8.1 8.8 |
|  | March ... | ... | ... | 37-3 | 20.3 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 1.9 |  |  |  |  | 1.8 | $8 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 32.4 | 16.9 | 6.9 | 1.6 | 7.0 | 32.3 | 16.6 | $8 \cdot 1$ | 1.7 | $5 \cdot 8$ |
|  | May ... |  | $\ldots$ | 30.1 | 14.5 | $6 \cdot 9$ | 1.8 | 6.9 | 25.2 | 12.8 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 1.6 | 4.3 |
|  | June ... |  | $\ldots$ | 20.9 | 9.7 | 4.5 | 0.6 | 6.1 | 13.1 | $6 \cdot 4$ | $4 \cdot 5$ | 0.5 | 1.7 |
|  | July ... |  |  | 17.4 | 9.1 | 2.6 | 0.7 | 5.1 | 19.3 | 8.0 | $2 \cdot 7$ | 0.6 | 8.1 |
|  | August | ... | ... | $22 \cdot 6$ | 9.1 | $5 \cdot 2$ | 0.9 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 21.6 | 9.2 | 5.4 | 0.8 | $6 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September | ... | $\ldots$ | 27.1 | 10.9 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 1.3 | $7 \cdot 8$ |  | 13.0 |  |  |  |
|  | October |  | $\ldots$ | 32.5 | 15.6 | 7.8 | 1.7 | 7.3 | 36.8 | 15.5 | 11.2 | 1.8 | 8.3 |
|  | November |  | $\ldots$ | 31.7 | 13.7 | $7 \cdot 5$ | 2.0 | 8.4 | 34.1 | 12.5 | 10.8 | $2 \cdot 0$ | 8.8 |
|  | December |  | ... | $30 \cdot 2$ | 12.9 | 8.0 | 2.0 | $7 \cdot 4$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | 11.5 | 11.8 | 2.0 | $7 \cdot 5$ |
| 1958 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 32.1 | 14.4 | 8.2 | 1.1 | 8.4 | 34.9 | 13.1 | 11.2 | 1.4 | 9.1 |
|  | February | ... | ... | 27.0 | 12.1 | 7.0 | 1.3 1.4 | 6.5 | $35 \cdot 1$ 43.6 | 14.4 | 9.8 10.2 | 1.4 | 9.5 |
|  | March ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $33 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... |  | $\ldots$ | 32.1 | 14.4 | 7.0 | 1.5 | 9.2 | 38.4 | 17.4 | 9.0 | 1.7 | 10.3 |
|  | May ... |  | $\ldots$ | 25.4 | 9.9 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 1.6 | 7.1 | $24 \cdot 6$ | 10.8 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 1.5 | $5 \cdot 0$ |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | 18.8 | 7.7 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 0.5 | 4.7 | 15.4 | $5 \cdot 9$ | $5 \cdot 4$ | 0.4 | $3 \cdot 7$ |
|  | July ... |  | ... | 19.2 | 7.8 | 4.4 | 0.8 | 6.2 | 20.5 | $6 \cdot 8$ | 4.6 | 0.8 | 8.5 |
|  | August |  |  | $21 \cdot 8$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 0.9 | 6.6 | 22.0 | 8.1 | 5.9 | 0.8 | 7.1 |
|  | September |  | $\ldots$ | 28.6 | 12.1 | $7 \cdot 1$ | 1.4 | 8.0 | 28.6 | 11.4 | 7.8 | 1.1 | $8 \cdot 3$ |
|  | October |  |  | 30.7 | 12.7 | 7.6 | 1.7 | 8.8 | 33.4 | 12.6 | 10.1 | 1.1 | 9.6 |
|  | November | ... |  | 32.1 | 12.5 | 6.9 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 10.5 | 33.9 | 11.1 | 10.7 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 9.9 |
|  | December | ... |  | 31.5 | 13.8 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 1.6 | 8.7 | 31.5 | 10.7 | 9.5 | 1.9 | 9.4 |
| 1959 | January | $\ldots$ |  | $32 \cdot 0$ | $13 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | 9.7 | 34.6 | 13.2 | 9.2 | $1 \cdot 7$ | 10.5 |
|  | February |  |  | 29.8 | 12.5 | 6.4 | 1.6 | 9.3 | 39.8 | 14.6 | 9.7 | 1.9 | 13.6 |
|  | March ... |  | $\ldots$ | 35.8 | 15.3 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 1.6 | 11.5 | $43 \cdot 6$ | 17.9 | 9.4 | 1.6 | 14.7 |
|  | April |  |  | $32 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  | 13.2 | 8.8 | 1.6 | 9.3 |
|  | May |  |  | 28.7 | 10.1 | 6.7 | 1.3 | 10.6 | 19.5 | 7.8 | 6.1 | 1.1 | 4.5 |
|  | June |  | ... | $25 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 0.6 | 8.9 | 15.8 | 5.7 | 6.3 | 0.6 | $3 \cdot 2$ |

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

## Nitrogenous and other fertilizers and phosphate rock

TABLE 54
Monthly averages or calendar months
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  |  | Nitrogen content of nitrogenous fertilizers $\left(^{(1)}\left({ }^{2}\right)\right.$ |  |  | Compound fertilizers $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |  | $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ content of potash ( ${ }^{1}$ ) ( ${ }^{(4)}$ | Liming materials (5) | Phosphate rock( ${ }^{(6)}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Production ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | Home deliveries ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Exports <br> ( ${ }^{7}$ | Production ${ }^{8}$ ) | Consumption $\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | Consumption |  |  |
| 1939 | ... ... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 9.93 | 5.00 | $5 \cdot 60$ | 50.0(10) | . | . | 125.2 | . |
| 1954 | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 26.02 25.25 | 20.13 20.68 | 5.28 5.39 | $\begin{aligned} & 156.5 \\ & 154.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 154.2 \\ & 155.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 78 \\ & 22 \cdot 84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 421 \cdot 8 \\ & 566 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \cdot 3 \\ & 96 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1956 |  |  |  |  | 25.37 | 24.27 | $2 \cdot 16$ | 178.7 | 171.8 | $27 \cdot 37$ | 539.5 | 99.7 |
| 1957 |  | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 27.50 | $25 \cdot 17$ | 0.70 | 194.1 | 190.0 | 28.13 | $565 \cdot 0$ | 104.2 |
| 1958 | ... |  |  | ... | 28.46 | $25 \cdot 82$ | $5 \cdot 34$ | $195 \cdot 2$ | 199.2 | 29.01 | 488.4 | 99.2 |
| 1957 | January |  |  |  | 29.28 | 32.54 | 0.37 | $248 \cdot 5$ | $261 \cdot 5$ | 36.48 | 311.5 | 117.5 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 26.69 | 39.40 | 0.48 | $243 \cdot 2$ | $315 \cdot 2$ | 33.02 | 207.4 | 116.5 |
|  |  | ... | ... | ... |  | 42.82 | 0.28 | $266 \cdot 2$ | $417 \cdot 5$ | $40 \cdot 12$ | $233 \cdot 7$ | 128.6 |
|  | April ... | ... | .. | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 66 \\ & 28 \cdot 05 \\ & 26 \cdot 95 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.33 \\ & 16.52 \\ & 13.49 \end{aligned}$ | 0.44 |  |  | 22.99 | 397.6626.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 114.0 \\ 102.4 \\ 80.4 \end{array}$ |
|  | May ... |  | ... | ... |  |  | 3.33 | $\begin{gathered} 202.9 \\ 171.1 \\ 93.1 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 119.0 \\ 21.5 \end{array}$ | 22.9325.9315.17 |  |  |
|  | June ... | ... | ... | ... |  |  | $2 \cdot 25$ |  |  |  | $567 \cdot 6$ |  |
|  | July ... | ... | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 27.96 \\ & 29.00 \\ & 26.77 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.36 \\ & 16.32 \\ & 15.98 \end{aligned}$ | 3.53 | $\begin{aligned} & 125.8 \\ & 146.6 \\ & 187.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.0 \\ & 151.2 \\ & 137.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.87 \\ & 19.56 \\ & 29.98 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 819.1 \\ & 719.9 \\ & 972.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78 \cdot 1 \\ & 84.7 \\ & 99.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August | ... | ... | ... |  |  | $7 \cdot 43$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | ... | ... | ... |  |  | $3 \cdot 57$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October | $\cdots$ | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 27.98 \\ & 28 \cdot 66 \\ & 30 \cdot 46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 09 \\ & 24.56 \\ & 24.20 \end{aligned}$ | 5.92 | $\begin{aligned} & 228.2 \\ & 225.8 \\ & 198.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 163.9 \\ 170.7 \\ 97.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.75 \\ & 31.51 \\ & 31.09 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 909 \cdot 1 \\ & 627 \cdot 6 \\ & 387 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.1 \\ & 109.7 \\ & 107.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | November |  |  | ... |  |  | 9.23 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December | ... |  | ... |  |  | $5 \cdot 32$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | January | ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30.57 \\ & 27.69 \\ & 30.33 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 05 \\ & 37.57 \\ & 44 \cdot 75 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \cdot 47$ | $\begin{aligned} & 213.8 \\ & 218.3 \\ & 266.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218.6 \\ & 315.4 \\ & 456.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.98 \\ & 34 \cdot 22 \\ & 39.72 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 288 \cdot 5 \\ & 208 \cdot 0 \\ & 226.4 \end{aligned}$ | 108.998.1115.8 |
|  | February | ... | ... | ... |  |  | 4.93 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March | ... | ... | ... |  |  | 4.56 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 28.81 \\ & 26.71 \\ & 26.56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 05 \\ & 22 \cdot 33 \\ & 17 \cdot 55 \end{aligned}$ | 4.01 | $\begin{aligned} & 246.8 \\ & 176.6 \\ & 107.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 411.6 \\ 138.0 \\ 26.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \cdot 72 \\ & 25.24 \\ & 15 \cdot 43 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 351 \cdot 9 \\ & 634 \cdot 5 \\ & 643 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \cdot 4 \\ 86 \cdot 2 \\ 79.8 \end{array}$ |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | ... | ... |  |  | $5 \cdot 88$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June .... | ... |  | ... |  |  | $4 \cdot 24$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27.55 \\ & 26 \cdot 10 \\ & 25 \cdot 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.73 \\ & 18.06 \\ & 22.99 \end{aligned}$ | 8.50 | $\begin{aligned} & 118.8 \\ & 166.5 \\ & 203.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105.7 \\ & 142.6 \\ & 104.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.32 \\ & 25.68 \\ & 28.27 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 599 \cdot 2 \\ & 572 \cdot 9 \\ & 793.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | August | ... | ... | ... |  |  | 8.88 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | ... | ... | ... |  |  | $5 \cdot 20$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October | ... | ... | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 81 \\ & 26 \cdot 23 \\ & 31.61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 03 \\ & 22 \cdot 17 \\ & 22 \cdot 43 \end{aligned}$ | $5 \cdot 81$ | $\begin{aligned} & 215 \cdot 1 \\ & 224 \cdot 8 \\ & 218 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129.0 \\ & 152.9 \\ & 105.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 47 \\ & 30 \cdot 16 \\ & 34.41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 720 \cdot 1 \\ & 471 \cdot 8 \\ & 349.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106.6 \\ & 109.5 \\ & 112.5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | November | ... | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  | 2.09 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December | ... |  | ... |  |  | 1.93 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | January | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 07 \\ & 27 \cdot 38 \\ & 31 \cdot 95 \end{aligned}$ | 31.2243.7650.79 | 0.93 | $250 \cdot 7$$240 \cdot 3$$298 \cdot 4$ | $\begin{aligned} & 194.5 \\ & 424.6 \\ & 562.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38.46 \\ & 39.69 \\ & 46.09 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 236.5 \\ & 224.9 \\ & 361 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108.5 \\ & 110.5 \\ & 132.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | February | ... | ... | ... |  |  | 1.25 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March | ... | ... | ... |  |  | 0.66 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 55 \\ & 28 \cdot 59 \\ & 29.46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 00 \\ & 18 \cdot 12 \\ & 17 \cdot 34 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 243 \cdot 9 \\ & 163.3 \\ & 130.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 321.1 \\ 107.6 \\ 27.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32.41 \\ & 25.87 \\ & 21.56 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 556 \cdot 4 \\ & 505.4 \\ & 691.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 118.3 \\ 104.9 \\ 96.9 \end{array}$ |
|  | May ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  | 5.39 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June ... | ... |  | ... |  |  | 6.02 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August September | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 819.0 845.0 |  |
| $\left.{ }^{1}{ }^{1}\right)$ Annual figures relate to years ended 30 June. Source: Board of Trade and |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chile nitrates of soda and potash, Trail ammonium phosphate, ammonium nitrate, nitrate of lime and cyanamide. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(3)}$ ) Total weight of product. 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 53. <br> ${ }^{4}$ ) For agricultural uses only. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(5)}$ Quantities specified in applications for subsidy for lime deliveries to farms. Figures relate to |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\left.{ }^{\text {( }) ~}\right)$ For agricultural and industrial purposes. <br> $\left.{ }^{(7}\right)$ Including exports of ammonium sulphate for non-agricultural uses. <br> (8) Including concentrated complete fertilizers from August 1956. <br> ${ }^{(9)}$ ) Including concentrated complete fertilizers from July 1956. <br> ${ }^{(10)}$ Estimated. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


${ }^{(1)}$ As 100 per cent. acid.
${ }^{(2)}$ ) Including filter cake and boiler bottom.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Including recovered sulphuric acid.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Excluding Government stocks from February 1954.

Industrial alcohol, molasses, plastics, penicillin and soap
TABLE 56

|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Industrial } \\ & \text { ethyl } \\ & \text { alcohol(1) } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | ses ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Plastics | materials |  | Penicillin ${ }^{(8)}$ | Soap |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Con | mption |  |  | Net sales( ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Production | Production | Total | Distilling | Stocks | Total ${ }^{5}$ ) | Thermosetting | Thermoplastic materials | Stocks $\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | Production | Production |
|  |  | M |  |  |  |  |  |  | ${ }^{(5)}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | avs. or calendar months | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Quart } \\ & \text { tota } \end{aligned}$ | rly aver for qua | or | End of period |  | erly averag ls for quar |  | End of period | Weekly | averages |
|  |  | Million proof gallons |  |  |  | Thousand | tons |  |  |  | Thousand mega-units | Thousand tons |
| 1938 | ... ... | .. | 24.6(7) | .. | . | 198.0( ${ }^{7}$ ) | .. | . | .. | . | - | 10.51 |
| 1954 | . | $4 \cdot 27$ | 80.4 | $215 \cdot 4$ | 74.2 | 237.9 | 68.2 | 35.8 | $32 \cdot 4$ | 29.4 | 2,227 | 8.78( ${ }^{8}$ ) |
| 1955 | 15 | $5 \cdot 17$ | $87 \cdot 6$ | 254.0 | 94.0 | 314.2 | 79.1 | $40 \cdot 0$ | 39.1 | $35 \cdot 7$ | 2,379 | 8.98 |
| 1956 | $\cdots$ | 4.86 5.35 | 79.3 89.7 | 242.6 180.7 | 98.7 53.0 | 285.5 311.9 | 84.1 97.8 | $40 \cdot 3$ 42.5 | $43 \cdot 7$ 55.3 | $38 \cdot 1$ | 2,961 3,918 | 8.91 |
|  | ... | 5. 3.93 | 73.0 | 176.1 | 30.0 | 311.9 $230 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 97.8 } \\ \hline 104 \cdot 2\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \cdot 5 \\ & 42 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $55 \cdot 3$ <br> $61 \cdot 5$ |  |  |  |
| 1957 | April  <br> May  <br> June $\ldots$ <br>  $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 38 \\ & 5.02 \\ & 5.52 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 32 \cdot 5$ | $140 \cdot 4$ | $63 \cdot 5$ | $302 \cdot 0$ | 99.0 | $43 \cdot 0$ | $56 \cdot 0$ | $40 \cdot 8\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,342 \\ & 3,744 \\ & 3,749 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.84^{\circ} \\ & 9.85 \\ & 9.59 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July $\qquad$ August $\qquad$ September | $\begin{aligned} & 5.57 \\ & 6.91 \\ & 5.26 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 29.0$ | 123.7 | 52.4 | $290 \cdot 9$ | $92 \cdot 9$ | $40 \cdot 3$ | $52 \cdot 6$ | $41 \cdot 8\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,846 \\ & 2,959 \\ & 2,787 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.72 \\ & 7.89 \\ & 9.65 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 20 \\ & 4 \cdot 06 \\ & 4 \cdot 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 218 \cdot 3$ | $248 \cdot 1$ | 31.1 | 311.9 | $103 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | 59.6 | $44 \cdot 7$ \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,872 \\ & 5,444 \\ & 3,528 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.73^{*} \\ & 8.56 \\ & 7.80 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | January February $\qquad$ March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.63 \\ & 3.68 \\ & 3.76 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 58.5$ | $170 \cdot 6$ | 31.8 | 282.3 | 104.1 | $43 \cdot 5$ | $60 \cdot 7$ | $49 \cdot 2$ \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,532 \\ & 5,652 \\ & 3,673 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.39{ }^{\circ} \\ & 8.19 \\ & 8.88 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } \\ \text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ \text { ar }\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.16 \\ & 3.83 \\ & 3.93 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 31 \cdot 3$ | 126.1 | 22.1 | $224 \cdot 7$ | 99.7 | $42 \cdot 2$ | $57 \cdot 5$ | 55.4 \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,769 \\ & 2,849 \\ & 3,013 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.08 \\ & 9.09 \\ & 9.61 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 80 \\ & 4 \cdot 32 \\ & 4.05 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 23 \cdot 6$ | 132.9 | 41-3 | $207 \cdot 6$ | $97 \cdot 7$ | $40 \cdot 2$ | $57 \cdot 5$ | $56.4\{$ | 4,595 2,350 3,940 | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \cdot 75 \\ & 6 \cdot 48 \\ & 8 \cdot 90 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 3.98 \\ & 3.78 \\ & 3.21 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 178.4$ | 274.7 | 24.7 | $230 \cdot 5$ | $115 \cdot 3$ | 45.1 | $70 \cdot 1$ | 54.7 \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,161 \\ & 2,726 \\ & 3,337 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.90^{*} \\ & 8.49 \\ & 6.94^{*} \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January <br> February . $\qquad$ <br> March $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.73 \\ & 3.76 \\ & 2.95 \end{aligned}$ | \} |  |  |  | $113 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 7$ | $69 \cdot 0$ | $57 \cdot 5\{$ | 4,712 4,373 3,033 | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 54 \\ & 8 \cdot 38 \\ & 8 \cdot 42^{*} \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\begin{aligned} & 4.25 \\ & 4.60 \\ & 4.76 \end{aligned}$ | \} |  |  |  | 127.8 | $48 \cdot 3$ | $79 \cdot 6$ | $55 \cdot 4\{$ | 4,777 3,378 2,813 | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \cdot 79 \\ & 7 \cdot 52 \\ & 9 \cdot 10^{*} \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July $\qquad$ August $\qquad$ September | $\begin{aligned} & 4.92 \\ & 4.08 \\ & 3.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\}$ |  |  |  | 121.8 | 46.1 | $75 \cdot 7$ | $60 \cdot 0\{$ | 3,596 2,749 3,543 | 9.02 <br> 6.95 <br> 9.37* |
|  | October ... <br> November | 3.73 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4,271 \\ & 4,191 \end{aligned}$ | $9 \cdot 52$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ (2) Industrial ethyl alcohol made from molasses and derived from other processes.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right) 1938$ figures are in terms of blackstrap containing 52 per cent. sugars. From June 1954 figures include invert molasses reduced to the equivalent of blackstrap on the basis of 52 per cent. sugars. From January 1956 the distilling figures include molasses consumed for solvents.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ Mega-unit $=1$ million International Units. Figures include estimates computed from figures for calendar months.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right)$ Sales free of duplication.
Figures for thermoplastic materials have been revised from 1958. On the old basis, the figure of average quarterly net sales in 1958 was 61.4 thousand tons.
${ }^{(6)}$ ) Stocks of materials of their own manufacture held by firms making pla
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { (7) Year ended }^{7} 30 \text { September. } & \left.\text { ( }^{( }\right) \text {Deliveries. } & \left.\text { ( }^{\circ}\right) \text { Average of } 53 \text { weeks. }\end{array}$

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

(1) The iron content of home produced iron ore is about 28 per cent. and of imported iron ore about

Source : Ministry of Power 57 per cent. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Figures for 1938 exclude consumption in steelworks.
${ }^{(2}$ ) Excluding consumption of refined and cylinder iron made otherwise than in blast furnaces.
(d) At steel works, steel foundries and blast furnaces. ( ${ }^{5}$ ) At steel works and steel foundries.
(o) Production of ingots and metal for castings.
(') Stocks at producers' works of alloy and non-alloy ingots and semi-finished steel, In terms of ingot equivalent. From I January 1958, includes certain categories of semi-finished steel not previously available. The December 1957 figure on the new basis was $1,760 \cdot 1$ thousand tons.
${ }^{(8)}$ ) Including imports (and material for manufacture of drop forgings) but excluding deliveries of all material for intra-industry conversion. From I January 1958, welded tubes exceeding 16 inches outside diameter are excluded and replaced by the material for their manufacture. For the year 1957, the weekly average on this new basis was 322,700 tons. ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) 53 week period.

* Average of five weeks.

Crude steel: Supplies and deliveries

| TABLE 58 |  |  | Weekly averages |  |  |  |  | Thousand tons (ingot equivalent) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Production |  | Deliveries to ( - ) or from (+) producers' stock | Re-usable material | Imports | Total supplies | Exports | Home deliveries |
|  |  |  | Total | Alloy |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958\left({ }^{1}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 380 \cdot 6 \\ & 397 \cdot 3 \\ & 417 \cdot 3 \\ & 369 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 4 \\ & 24 \cdot 8 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \\ & 21 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | 7.5 $=4.0$ -0.2 +1.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 9 \\ & 6 \cdot 0 \\ & 6 \cdot 1 \\ & 5 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 35.6 34.0 18.3 11.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 414 \cdot 6 \\ & 433.3 \\ & 441 \cdot 5 \\ & 386 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $64 \cdot 7$ <br> $63 \cdot 2$ <br> $75 \cdot 5$ <br> $63 \cdot 9\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |
|  |  | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 315.9 \\ & 299.2 \\ & 368.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 13.9 \\ & 19.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} -16.4 \\ -4.8 \\ +3.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.3 \\ & 4.6 \\ & 4.0 \end{aligned}$ | 10.6 12.1 8.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 315.4 \\ & 311 \cdot 1 \\ & 384.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 65.3 \\ & 53.4 \\ & 57.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 250 \cdot 1 \\ & 257 \cdot 7 \\ & 327 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | *October <br> November <br> *December ... | $\cdots$ | 363.5 351.9 313.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 20.7 \\ & 20.3 \\ & 19.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +2.2 \\ & +13.6 \\ & +\quad 5.0 \end{aligned}$ | 5.0 4.4 5.3 | 5.5 6.6 5.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 376.2 \\ & 376 \cdot 5 \\ & 328.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 58 \cdot 6 \\ & 80 \cdot 5 \\ & 79 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 317.6 \\ & 296.0 \\ & 249.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| $1959$ | January February $\square$ *March $\qquad$ - * | $\cdots$ | 356.9 347.4 362.7 | 23.5 23.9 23.4 | $\begin{array}{r} 5.7 \\ +21.2 \\ -0.2 \end{array}$ | 5.9 6.4 3.7 | 4.7 5.6 9.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 361 \cdot 8 \\ & 380 \cdot 6 \\ & 375 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60.4 \\ & 58.6 \\ & 61.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 301 \cdot 4 \\ & 322 \cdot 0 \\ & 314 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> *June | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 387.3 \\ & 384.6 \\ & 388 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 2 \\ & 24 \cdot 3 \\ & 27 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & +5.3 \\ & +0.2 \\ & +7.3 \end{aligned}$ | 5.3 5.7 4.9 | 11.9 10.2 11.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 409 \cdot 8 \\ & 400 \cdot 3 \\ & 412 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69.6 \\ & 67.0 \\ & 58.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 340 \cdot 2 \\ & 333 \cdot 3 \\ & 353 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 320 \cdot 3 \\ & 337 \cdot 1 \\ & 426 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.3 \\ & 18.8 \\ & 29.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -2.3 \\ & -16.3 \\ & +6.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.5 \\ & 4.5 \\ & 5.3 \end{aligned}$ | 9.9 7.4 9.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 332.4 \\ & 332.7 \\ & 447.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 81 \cdot 1 \\ & 63 \cdot 4 \\ & 70 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 251 \cdot 3 \\ & 269 \cdot 3 \\ & 376 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November. <br> December .. | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 441.4 \\ & 458 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 3 \\ & 31 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $+5 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 2$ | 9.8 | $462 \cdot 7$ | $97 \cdot 4$ | $365 \cdot 3$ |
| $\left.{ }^{( }\right) 53$ week period. ticular month. |  | ( ${ }^{2}$ ) This figure contains amendments which cannot be allocated to any parAverage of five weeks. |  |  |  |  |  | Source: Ministry of Power |  |  |

Finished steel : Production

| TABLE 59 |
| :--- |

Aluminium, magnesium and tin
TABLE 60
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months. Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Including the pure content of virgin alloys.
(2) Excluding virgin content used in the production of secondary metal.
(8) Primary metal and remelt alloys.
(a) Primary and secondary alloys and primary metal not used in the production of alloys.
(5) Including production from imported scrap and residues refined on toll.
(8) Figures from 1953 include secondary metal.
(7) Including toll transactions.
(') Part, but not all, of the International Tin Council's stock has been included in these figures since the middle of 1957.

Source : Ministry of Aviation, Board of Trade and British Bureau of Non-Ferrous Metal Statistics

Copper
TABLE 61 Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period Thousand tons


Zinc and lead
TABLE 62
Production and consumption : monthly averages or calendar months Stocks : end of period
Thousand tons


Merchant shipbuilding and repair ( ${ }^{(1)}$
Vessels of $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ gross tons and over
Annual, quarterly and monthly totals Thousand gross tons

|  |  |  |  | Laid down |  | Under construction End of period |  | Completed |  | Undergoing repair and conversion in United Kingdom ports <br> End of period |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 742 | 2,011 | 1,050 | 1,493 | 529 |  |
|  | $\cdots$ |  | $\ldots$ | 1,424 | 602 | 2,009 | 1,051 | 1,282 | 570 | 2,303 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 1,376 | 374 | 2,005 | 678 | 1,426 | 809 | 2,173 |
| 1956 1957 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,501 | 375 | 2,149 | 536 | 1,442 | 525 | 2,279 |
| 1958 | .... ... | ... | ... | 1,273 | 171 | 2,054 | 373 | 1,441 | 401 | 2,000 |
|  | Ist quarter | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 217 | 104 | 1,891 | 656 | 349 | 133 | 536 |
| 1957 | 2nd quarter | ... | $\ldots$ | 342 | 89 | 1,808 | 547 | 450 | 201 | 2,517 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 472 | 76 | 2,026 | 509 | 276 | 114 | 2,456 |
|  | 4th quarter | ... | ... | 470 | 106 | 2,149 | 536 | 367 | 77 | 2,279 |
|  |  | $\cdots$ | ... | 307 | 63 | 2,106 | 551 | 354 | 70 | 2,051 |
| 1958 | 2nd quarter | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 251 | 23 | 2,036 | 470 | 336 | 101 | 2,071 |
|  | 3rd quarter | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 387 328 | 45 40 | 2,130 2,054 | 373 373 | 314 437 | 158 73 | 1,948 |
|  | 4th quarter | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2,000 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter | $\ldots$ | ... | 255 | 73 | 2,007 | 334 | 321 | 98 | 1,592 |
|  | 2nd quarter | ... | $\ldots$ | 259 | 73 62 | 1,893 1,886 | 369 379 | 401 | 72 | 1,733 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,691 |
|  | October ... | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 98 157 | 1 39 | 1,905 1,979 | 358 396 | 87 89 | 10 | 1,619 1,732 |

(1) "Laid down" and " Under construction" figures are as licensed by the Admiralty; " Completed "

Source: Admiralty figures are as measured.

TABLE 64
Merchant shipbuilding ${ }^{(1)}$
Vessels of 1,600 gross tons and over
Annual, quarterly and monthly totals
Thousand gross tons

|  |  | Tankers |  |  |  |  |  | Other vessels |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Laid down |  | Under construction End of period |  | Completed |  | Laid down |  | Under construction End of period |  | Completed |  |
|  |  | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners | Total | For overseas owners |
| 1954 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 739 \\ & 427 \\ & 593 \\ & 608 \\ & 612 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 521 \\ 299 \\ 207 \\ 227 \\ 71 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,013 \\ 832 \\ 899 \\ 1,010 \\ 1,065 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 733 \\ & 632 \\ & 396 \\ & 353 \\ & 257 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 770 \\ & 598 \\ & 526 \\ & 507 \\ & 548 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 367 \\ & 365 \\ & 453 \\ & 262 \\ & 196 \end{aligned}$ |  | 208 | 944 | $302$ | 674 | $148$ |
| 1955 | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 636 763 | 287 | 1,117 |  | 631 |  |
| 1956 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 733 | 157 | 1,051 | 272 | 841 | 337 |
| 1957 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 827 | 136 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,079 \\ 932 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 172 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | 875 | 251199 |
| 1958 | .. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 609 | 93 |  |  | 835 |  |
| 1957 | Ist quarter... <br> 2nd quarter <br> 3rd quarter <br> 4th quarter | $\begin{array}{r} 57 \\ 138 \\ 182 \\ 231 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \\ & 52 \\ & 48 \\ & 73 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 834 \\ 809 \\ 935 \\ 1,010 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 368 \\ & 324 \\ & 326 \\ & 353 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 125 \\ 162 \\ 57 \\ 163 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 97 \\ & 33 \\ & 46 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 145 \\ & 186 \\ & 274 \\ & 222 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \\ & 32 \\ & 23 \\ & 32 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 998 \\ 942 \\ 1,028 \\ 1,079 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 278 \\ & 215 \\ & 172 \\ & 172 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 212 \\ & 268 \\ & 209 \\ & 186 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \\ & 99 \\ & 78 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | Ist quarter... 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\begin{array}{r} 178 \\ 96 \\ 218 \\ 120 \end{array}$ | $\frac{46}{25}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,033 \\ & 1,013 \\ & 1,127 \\ & 1,065 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 359 \\ & 290 \\ & 260 \\ & 257 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \\ & 118 \\ & 106 \\ & 197 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \\ & 69 \\ & 57 \\ & 33 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 139 \\ & 156 \\ & 197 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \\ & 22 \\ & 17 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,011 \\ 964 \\ 942 \\ 932 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 182 \\ & 170 \\ & 103 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 218 \\ & 198 \\ & 196 \\ & 223 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 31 \\ 29 \\ 100 \\ 39 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | Ist quarter ... 2nd quarter 3rd quarter | $\begin{array}{r} 63 \\ 103 \\ 130 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \\ & 62 \\ & 31 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,006 \\ 952 \\ 943 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 234 \\ & 278 \\ & 265 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 123 \\ & 160 \\ & 141 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76 \\ & 47 \\ & 42 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 184 \\ & 144 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ 9 \\ 30 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 950 \\ & 900 \\ & 898 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ 84 \\ 108 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186 \\ & 218 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ | 19196 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October <br> November $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | 6187 | $\overline{38}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 972 \\ 1,021 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 252 \\ & 290 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ 39 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 二 | $34$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 890 \\ & 915 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | 45 | 9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |

[^11]Agricultural machinery : Production( ${ }^{1}$ )
Annual and quarterly totals

|  |  | Tractors |  | Tractor mouldboard ploughs | Disc harrows | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Corn } \\ & \text { drills }\left({ }^{3}\right) \end{aligned}$ | Farmmanure spreaders | Mowers | Pick-up balers | Combine harvesters | Grain and grass driers | Milking machines | Total(4) | For export (4) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Agricultural types ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Market garden types |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | E million |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ |  | 135,238 | 39,371 | 26,571 | 10,076 | 3,796 | 10,697 | 19,009 | 10,805 | 6,209 | 1,142 | 7,617 | $113 \cdot 5$ | 58.0 |
|  |  | 111,363 | 27,770 | 19,534 | 6,282 | 2,993 | 6,203 | 19,967 | 8,025 | 5,088 | 1,612 | 10,005 | 102.5 | 55.0 |
|  |  | 147,396 | 37,940 | 22,443 | 8,754 | 4,164 | 8,390 | 18,476 | 8,019 | 6,883 | 1,751 | 8,241 | 130.6 | 72.3 |
|  |  | 144,078 | 42,425 | 27,835 | 8,831 | 3,695 | 7,814 | 18,251 | 13,559 | 6,553 | 1,581 | 6,513 | 142.5 | 71.3 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter ... | 34,487 | 7,549 | 5,279 | 2,721 | 1,457 | 2,376 | 5,228 | 2,204 | 1,148 | 388 | 1,636 | 29.9 | 15.7 |
|  | 2nd quarter... | 40,237 | 13,765 | 5,053 | 1,947 | 566 | 1,065 | 7,964 | 2,713 | 2,004 | 561 | 2,357 | $35 \cdot 5$ | 18.6 |
|  | 3rd quarter ... | 38,168 | 9,776 | 5,394 | 2,298 | 839 | 1,799 | 3,311 | 1,599 | 2,669 | 709 | 2,080 | 34.5 | 19.4 |
|  | 4th quarter ... | 34,504 | 6,850 | 6,717 | 1,788 | 1,302 | 3,150 | 1,973 | 1,503 | 1,062 | 93 | 2,168 | $30 \cdot 7$ | 18.6 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter ... | 39,243 | 10,642 | 7,824 | 3,207 | 1,878 | 2,176 | 4,225 | 2,388 | 1,722 | 475 | 1,299 | 36.8 |  |
|  | 2nd quarter... | 41,681 | 16,486 | 3,966 | 2,446 | 516 | 654 | 8,106 | 4,247 | 1,683 | 259 | 1,650 | 39.1 | 20.0 |
|  | 3rd quarter ... | 30,638 | 9,410 | 6,352 | 1,638 | 711 | 1,695 | 4,340 | 3,009 | 1,872 | 716 | 1,936 | $34 \cdot 2$ | 17.1 |
|  | 4th quarter ... | 32,516 | 5,887 | 9,693 | 1,540 | 590 | 3,289 | 1,580 | 3,915 | 1,276 | 131 | 1,628 | 32.4 | 14.9 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter ... | 40,969 | 13,186 | 6,511 | 3,419 | 2,059 | 2,475 | 4,870 | 3,921 | 1,030 | 450 | 1,947 | 41.6 | 20.4 |
|  | 2nd quarter... | 46,873 | 21,887 | 5,374 | 2,207 | 614 | 764 | 11,715 | 6,051 | 1,546 | 751 | 2,193 | 49.0 | 25.0 |
|  | 3rd quarter ... | 37,404 | 8,610 | 5,277 | 1,349 | 698 | 2,108 | 2,871 | 1,154 | 1,122 | 476 | 1,822 | 36.5 | 20.9 |

${ }^{(1)}$ From 1959 figures relate to deliveries except for agricultural tractors where the numbers produced are shown.
$\left.{ }^{2}{ }^{2}\right)$ Including industrial wheeled tractors from 1956.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.
${ }^{(4)}$ Ex-works value, including items not shown separately in preceding columns, and also parts and accessories.

TABLE 66
Machine tools and engineers' small tools : Deliveries
Deliveries : monthly averages or calendar months
Orders on hand : end of period

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding diamond toots.

|  |  | Internal combustion engines(1) |  |  |  |  | Alr and gas compressors and exhausters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Complete engines |  |  |  | Parts and accessories |  |  |
|  |  | Total deliveries |  |  | For export | Total deliveries | Total deliveries | For export |
|  |  | Thousands | Thousand B.H.P. | Value $£ 000$ |  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |
| 1955 1956 1957 1958 |  | 36.1 35.0 31.9 29.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 408 \\ & 411 \\ & 406 \\ & 378 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,122 \\ & 4,215 \\ & 4,163 \\ & 4,067 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,655 \\ & 1,861 \\ & 1,805 \\ & 1,643 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,051 \\ & 1,236 \\ & 1,323 \\ & 1,226 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 868 \\ 1,001 \\ 1,125 \\ 1,058 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 298 \\ & 380 \\ & 439 \\ & 345 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 8 \\ & 31.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 407 \\ & 395 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,307 \\ & 4,204 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,748 \\ & 1,614 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,284 \\ & 1,175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,075 \\ 943 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 352 \\ & 304 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... August $\qquad$ September | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 2 \\ & 19 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 358 \\ & 266 \\ & 370 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,038 \\ & 2,752 \\ & 3,998 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,698 \\ & 1,147 \\ & 1,549 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,343 \\ 1,139 \end{array}$ | 1,158 | 362 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 3 \\ & 24 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 391 \\ & 339 \\ & 407 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,266 \\ & 4,023 \\ & 4,188 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,804 \\ & 1,832 \\ & 1,593 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,505 \\ & 1,223 \\ & 1,202 \end{aligned}$ | $1,056$ | 360 |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 27.6 \\ & 29.4 \\ & 32.9 \end{aligned}$ | 385 395 447 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,839 \\ & 3,838 \\ & 4,906 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,413 \\ & 1,488 \\ & 1,856 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,080 \\ & 1,109 \\ & 1,200 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> June $\ldots$ | $33 \cdot 6$ $30 \cdot 3$ $36 \cdot 4$ | 492 414 495 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,990 \\ & 3,980 \\ & 4,754 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,709 \\ & 1,374 \\ & 1,859 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,280 \\ & 1,119 \\ & 1,401 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | July <br> August <br> September | 29.0 23.2 $30 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 441 \\ & 372 \\ & 483 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,487 \\ & 3,836 \\ & 4,772 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,570 \\ & 1,292 \\ & 1,802 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,254 \\ 948 \\ 1,330 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  |  |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ Excluding those for aircraft, road vehicles, wheeled and half-track tractors (other than heavy
Source : Board of Trade earth-moving types), fighting vehicles and heavy slow-speed engines for ship propulsion.

TABLE 68
Office machinery : Deliveries

|  |  | Typewriters |  |  |  |  |  | Accounting and similar machinery |  | Other office machinery |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Standard( ${ }^{(1)}$ | Portable | Value ${ }^{2}$ ) | Standard(1) | Portable | Value ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  |  | For export |  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  | Number |  | £ 000 | Number |  | £ 000 | Value $\left.£ 000{ }^{(2}\right)$ |  |  |  |
| 1955 | ... ... | 11,939 | 8,648 | 852 | 6,074 | 4,484 | 345 | 1,645 | 636 | 761 | 337 |
| 1956 | ... | 12,573 | 9,673 | 841 | 7,147 | 5,720 | 386 | 2,125 | 729 | 791 | 357 |
| 1957 | ... | 12,465 | 11,404 | 811 | 6,947 | 6,231 | 378 | 2,227 | 861 | 1,020 | 411 |
| 1958 | I8 | 11,121 | 12,147 | 730 | 6,450 | 7,079 | 345 | 2,481 | 927 | 1,106 | 430 |
| 1958 | July .. | 10,684 | 9,311 | 642 | 6,034 |  |  |  | 823 | 1,062 | 448 |
|  | August ... | 6,724 | 8,873 | 528 | 3,612 | 6,031 | 277 | 2,129 | 909 | 819 | 284 |
|  | September | 12,157 | 10,839 | 718 | 7,172 |  |  | 2,459 | 854 | 1,144 | 498 |
|  | October ... | 10,766 | 15,627 | 843 | 5,117 | 6,797 | 351 |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | 13,933 | 13,132 | 835 | 8,458 | 6,294 | 368 | 2,954 | 1,000 | 1,088 | 445 |
|  | December |  | 11,346 | 759 | 5,679 | 4,197 | 275 | 3,360 | 1,136 | 1,049 | 438 |
| 1959 |  |  |  | 771 | 5,938 | 4,273 | 310 | 2,243 | 832 | 981 | 391 |
|  | February ... | 12,330 | 8,877 | 754 | 5,871 | 3,328 | 241 | 2,725 | 1,053 | 1,201 | 450 |
|  |  | 11,780 | 10,139 | 770 | 5,454 | 3,901 | 253 | 2,888 | 1,019 | 1,267 | 525 |
|  | April | 9,815 | 9,811 | 725 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | 11,978 | 8,308 | 782 | 6,838 | 3,747 | 344 | 2,612 | +915 | 1,257 | 428 |
|  | June .. | 11,839 | 9,416 | 802 | 6,229 | 5,607 | 365 | 3,029 | 1,146 | 1,282 |  |
|  | July $\quad .$. | 14,257 | 11,663 | 900 | 7,778 | 7,831 | 426 | 2,632 | 997 | 1,233 | 487 |
|  | August ... | 8,972 | 8,052 | 561 | 5,302 | 5,500 | 277 | 2,115 | 887 | 1,257 | 307 |
|  | September | 13,923 | 12,241 | 845 | 7,443 | 6,476 | 351 | 3,514 | 1,225 | 998 | 302 |
|  | October ... <br> November <br> December | 12,742 | 14,444 | 944 | 7,028 | 7,805 | 454 | 2,793 | 995 | 1,100 | 477 |

[^12]ENGINEERING
Mechanical handling equipment and excavators : Production
TABLE 69
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Deliveries: in the case of "Powered industrial trucks" the figures prior to 1958 relate to production.
Source: Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Excluding underground conveyors; and lifts, hoists and escalators which are also excluded and shown under other mechanical handling equipment.
$\left(^{3}\right)$ Including grabs.
Civil engineering contractors' plant : Deliveries ( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 70
Monthly averages
Value $£$ thousand


Miscellaneous industrial and domestic equipment : Deliveries


## Clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms, and cameras: Deliveries <br> Monthly averages or calendar months

TABLE 72

|  |  | Clocks |  |  |  | Watches |  |  | Time recorders and switches |  | Still cameras |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mechanical | Electric | All types |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { For } \\ \text { export } \end{gathered}$ | Total |  | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  | Thousands |  | Value $£ 000$ |  | Thousands | Value $£ 000$ |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |
| 1955 | $\cdots$... | 425 390 | 52 | 441 | 112 | 284 |  |  | 177 | 47 | 187 | 51 |
| 1956 | ... | 390 | 53 | 427 | 100 | 236 | 302 | 32 | 176 | 32 | 166 | 41 |
| 1958 | $\ldots$ | 383 | 55 61 | 4448 | 100 93 | 216 194 | 301 | 24 | 188 | 46 | 147 | 32 |
| 1958 | July ... | 365 | 72 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August .... | 299 | 43 | 354 | 145 70 | 178 170 | 251 260 | 17 | 276 140 | 76 29 | $\} 164$ | 26 |
|  | September | 433 | 74 | 514 | 75 | 272 | 372 | 25 | 209 | 63 | \} 164 | 26 |
|  | October ... | 509 | 99 | 627 | 98 | 342 | 488 | 20 | 264 | 62 |  |  |
|  | November | 369 | 76 | 475 | 80 | 322 | 472 | 14 | 243 | 64 | \} 82 | 12 |
|  | December | 276 | 57 | 350 | 78 | 254 | 381 | 10 | 267 | 68 |  |  |
| 1959 | January ... | 405 | 53 | 434 | 71 | 101 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February ... | 467 | 56 | 468 | 98 | 127 | 164 | 15 | 265 | 58 | $\} 100$ | 27 |
|  |  | 412 | 49 | 432 |  |  |  | 7 |  |  | $\int 100$ |  |
|  | April ... | 401 | 58 | 462 | 95 | 167 | 250 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | 327 | 52 | 379 | 87 | 158 | 209 | 10 | 286 | 66 |  |  |
|  | June .. | 322 | 54 | 374 | 90 | 164 | 221 | 16 | 291 | 65 |  |  |
|  | July ... | 405 | 71 | 462 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 382 | 50 | 397 | 95 | 201 | 271 | 11 | 335 162 | 41 |  |  |
|  | September | 460 | 78 | 532 | 97 | 258 | 364 | 18 | 284 |  |  |  |
|  | October November | 577 | 99 | 662 | 113 | 445 | 636 | 14 | 352 | 76 |  |  |
|  | November December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## ELECTRICAL GOODS

Electricity generating plant and rotating electrical machines; Deliveries
TABLE 73
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Electricity generating plant |  |  |  |  |  | Rotating electrical machines ${ }^{(1)}\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Hydraulic turbines |  | Steam turboalternators $10,000 \mathrm{~kW}$. and over |  | Steam turbines less than $10,000 \mathrm{~kW}$. |  | Fractional horse-power |  | 1-250 horse-power, kVA. or kW. |  | Over 250 horse-power, kVA. or kW. |  |
|  |  | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export | Total | For export |
|  |  | Thousand B.H.P. |  | Thousand kW. |  |  |  | Value $£ 000$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \cdots & \cdots \\ \ldots & \cdots\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 2 \\ & 13 \cdot 8 \\ & 68 \cdot 1 \\ & 86.0 \end{aligned}$ | 25.3 9.5 59.1 80.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 218.3 \\ & 281.0 \\ & 224.8 \\ & 213.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69 \cdot 0 \\ & 69 \cdot 5 \\ & 69 \cdot 0 \\ & 91 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 14.2 \\ & 21.0 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.5 \\ & 4.0 \\ & 6.9 \\ & 5.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,002 \\ 944 \\ 980 \\ 1,065 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 248 \\ & 213 \\ & 197 \\ & 182 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,591 \\ & 3,004 \\ & 3,322 \\ & 3,317 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 508 \\ & 575 \\ & 620 \\ & 576 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 715 \\ & 822 \\ & 949 \\ & 952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 205 \\ & 232 \\ & 287 \\ & 289 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | April May June | $\begin{array}{r} 50 \cdot 0 \\ 10 \cdot 5 \\ 126 \cdot 7 \end{array}$ | $50 \cdot 0$ 112.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 180 \cdot 0 \\ & 258 \cdot 0 \\ & 386 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 60.0 \\ 138.0 \\ 151.0 \end{array}$ | $\} 14.8$ | $5 \cdot 0\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,010 \\ & 1,120 \\ & 1,104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 194 \\ & 193 \\ & 173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,165 \\ & 3,373 \\ & 3,420 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 524 \\ & 586 \\ & 544 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 780 \\ & 804 \\ & 961 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190 \\ & 175 \\ & 289 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September | 135.5 14.5 | $110 \cdot 5$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30.0 \\ 172.0 \\ 60.0 \end{array}$ | 20.0 92.0 - | $\} 15 \cdot 7$ | $6 \cdot 6\{$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,019 \\ 786 \\ 1,100 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 171 \\ & 131 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,398 \\ & 2,145 \\ & 3,222 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 515 \\ & 398 \\ & 598 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,072 \\ 753 \\ 913 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 307 \\ & 192 \\ & 256 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November... December... | $\begin{aligned} & 179.5 \\ & 143.0 \\ & 114.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 179.5 \\ & 140.0 \\ & 114.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 151.0 \\ & 263.4 \\ & 179.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 0 \\ & 60 \cdot 0 \\ & 52 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 20 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,211 \\ & 1,174 \\ & 1,111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207 \\ & 212 \\ & 164 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,648 \\ & 3,686 \\ & 3,255 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 628 \\ & 732 \\ & 545 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 914 \\ 1,287 \\ 988 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 325 \\ & 572 \\ & 347 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January February $\qquad$ March ... | 38.9 7.7 | 38.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 140.0 \\ & 412.0 \\ & 331.1 \end{aligned}$ | 130.0 11.0 | $\} 16.8$ | $11 \cdot 4\{$ | 1,115 1,129 1,188 | $\begin{aligned} & 162 \\ & 174 \\ & 169 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,094 \\ & 3,143 \\ & 3,057 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 605 \\ & 621 \\ & 505 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 905 \\ 1,074 \\ 1,002 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 248 \\ & 348 \\ & 277 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> June |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 520 \cdot 0 \\ & 243 \cdot 8 \\ & 252 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 250 \cdot 0 \\ 63 \cdot 8 \\ 20 \cdot 0 \end{array}$ | $\} 12.9$ | $5 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,245 \\ & 1,219 \\ & 1,305 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 206 \\ & 197 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,328 \\ & 3,160 \\ & 3,598 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 548 \\ & 546 \\ & 586 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,241 \\ 925 \\ 1,104 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 478 \\ & 309 \\ & 412 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 322 \cdot 0 \\ & 290 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 162.0 \\ 70.0 \end{array}$ | $\} 17 \cdot 2$ | 5.9 \{ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,177 \\ 916 \\ 1,448 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 209 \\ & 122 \\ & 241 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,522 \\ & 2,303 \\ & 4,198 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 640 \\ & 355 \\ & 791 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 953 \\ 1,111 \\ 916 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 303 \\ & 423 \\ & 228 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Including motors, generators and rotary converters.
Source : Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Production.
Radios and television sets ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 74
Monthly averages or calendar months


Electrical appliances: Deliveries
TABLE 75
Monthly averages

|  |  | Blankets and pads |  |  |  | Vacuum cleaners |  |  |  | Dry shavers |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total |  | For export |  | Total |  | For export |  | Total |  | For export |  |
|  |  | Thousands | Value $€ 000$ | Thousands | Value <br> $£ 000$ | Thousands | Value $£ 000$ ${ }^{1}$ ) | Thousands | Value £ 000 (1) | Thousands | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Value } \\ & £ 000 \end{aligned}$ | Thousands | Value $£ 000$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 195 \\ & 195 \\ & 195 \\ & 195 \end{aligned}$ |  | $27 \cdot 7$ | 102.9 | 1.5 | 9.3 | 103.2 | 1,195.0 | 16.3 | 163.5 | 86.0 | 322.3 | 31.3 | 106.5 |
|  | ... ... | 44.8 | 126.8 | 1.6 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 85.5 | 992.9 | $18 \cdot 3$ | 171.5 | 113.7 | 444.6 | 38.8 | $131 \cdot 8$ |
|  | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 9$ | 116.5 | 1.6 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 103.8 | 1,164.4 | $21 \cdot 2$ | $165 \cdot 3$ | 123.6 | 445.6 | 39.4 | $96 \cdot 7$ |
|  | $\ldots$ | $57 \cdot 2$ | 152.3 | 1.7 | 4.8 | 111.7 | 1,341-3 | $17 \cdot 1$ | 132.0 | $96 \cdot 5$ | 354.0 | 24.9 | 62.8 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter | 32.0 | 96.3 | 3.6 | 16.7 | 94.1 | 1,065-0 | 21.6 | 181.0 | 122.2 | 423.7 | 49.4 | 120.7 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 36.0 | 75.7 | 1.7 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 107.3 | 1,238-0 | 18.0 | 141.0 | $82 \cdot 0$ | 296.0 | 32.0 | 84.3 |
|  |  | 32.7 | 116.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 104.3 | 1,181.7 | 21.3 | 166.7 | 92.3 | 344.0 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $67 \cdot 3$ |
|  | 4 th quarter | 67.0 | 178.0 | 0.7 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 109.0 | 1,173-0 | 23.7 | $172 \cdot 3$ | 198.0 | 718.7 | 51.0 | 114.3 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter | 51.7 | 128.7 | 5.0 | 13.0 | 95.0 | 1,049-0 | 21.0 | 155.0 | 59.7 | 196.3 | 22.0 | 59.0 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 21.7 | 56.0 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 112.3 | 1,372.0 | 16.7 | 124.7 | 73.7 | 247.7 | 26.7 | $60 \cdot 3$ |
|  | 3 rd quarter | 50.7 | $130 \cdot 0$ | 0.3 | 1.0 | 108.7 | 1,261.0 | 16.0 | 112.7 | 114.3 | 422.0 | 27.7 | 69.0 |
|  | 4th quarter | 104.7 | 294.3 | 1.0 | 3.0 | $130 \cdot 7$ | 1,683-3 | 14.7 | $135 \cdot 7$ | $138 \cdot 3$ | 550.0 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 69.7 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter | 49.3 | 137.0 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 133.3 | 1,643 - 3 | 26.0 | 172.3 | $36 \cdot 3$ | 146.7 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 23.0 |
|  | 2nd quarter | 11.7 | $32 \cdot 7$ | - | 0.3 | $155 \cdot 3$ | 2,023-3 | $22 \cdot 0$ | 161.0 | 95.3 | 367-3 | $20 \cdot 3$ | $61 \cdot 3$ |
|  | 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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


Passenger cars( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 77

|  | Total production |  |  |  |  | Production for export |  |  |  | Value of deliveries |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total |  | 1,600 c.c. and under | Over <br> 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,800 c.c. | Over 2,800 c.c. | Total | 1,600 c.c. and under | Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,800 c.c. | Over $2.800 \text { c.c. }$ | Total | Passenger cars ${ }^{(2)}$ | Commercial vehicles $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Spares ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |
|  | Weekly averages | Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |
|  | Number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ¢ million |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1935 \\ & 1938 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,506 \\ & 6,558\left({ }^{( }\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,192 \\ & 28,417(\varphi) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,349 \\ & 47,748 \\ & 56,99 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$$\cdots$15,21816,35017,804 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 4,522 \\ & 5,684 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\quad$.$\cdots$9,0519,9149,578 |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | $\ldots$ |
| $\begin{array}{ll}1953 \\ 1954(5) & \ldots . \\ \end{array}$ | 11,439 14,513 | $\begin{aligned} & 49,567 \\ & 64,097 \\ & 74,797 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 26,121 \\ & 33,158 \\ & 32,567 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,070 \\ & 23,244 \\ & 22,989 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 37.1 41.5 | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ |
| 1955 ... | 17,261 |  |  |  |  | 49.4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1956 ... 1957 | 13,608 16,555 | 58,966 71,737 | 40,581 53,960 | $\begin{aligned} & 17,581 \\ & 16,738 \\ & 22,477 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 804 \\ 1,039 \\ 1,485 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 29,677 \\ & 38,475 \\ & 43,498 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,826 \\ & 27,417 \\ & 29,673 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,392 \\ & 10,490 \\ & 13,010 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 459 \\ & 568 \\ & 815 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \cdot 6 \\ & 50 \cdot 2 \\ & 58 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | 27.434.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | 6.9$7 \cdot 3$ |
| 1958(5) ... | 19,841 | 87,629 | 63,668 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 July ... | 19,871 10,448 | 79,483 41,790 | 59,550 30,419 | 18,752 10,787 | 1,181 584 | $\begin{aligned} & 40,817 \\ & 20,842 \\ & 48,621 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,521 \\ & 13,844 \\ & 36,431 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,679 \\ 6,690 \\ 11,487 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 617 \\ & 308 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 3 \\ & 37 \cdot 1 \\ & 50 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \cdot 2 \\ & 20 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 11.3 \\ & 15.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.7 \\ & 5.1 \\ & 7.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| *Sept. ... | 10,418 19,352 | 41,790 96,762 | 74,377 | 21,034 | 1,351 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October <br> Nov. ... | 19,847 20,991 | 79,388 83,965 | 61,583 64,600 | 16,817 18,002 | 988 1,363 | $\begin{aligned} & 39,131 \\ & 41,547 \\ & 45,072 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29,052 \\ & 31,224 \\ & 32,664 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,558 \\ 9,585 \\ 11,663 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 521 \\ & 738 \\ & 745 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 7 \\ & 55 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 30 \cdot 3 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.9 \\ & 17.5 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.5 \\ & 7.5 \\ & 6.9 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| *Dec. ... | 18,176 | 90,882 | 68,198 | 21,165 | 1,519 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 January February *March | 21,410 20,865 | $\begin{array}{r} 85,639 \\ 83,459 \\ 109,257 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64,411 \\ & 60,911 \\ & 80,601 \end{aligned}$ | 20,02521,21626,920 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,203 \\ & 1,332 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 46,359 \\ 43,568 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,235 \\ & 30,620 \end{aligned}$ | 11,440 12,208 14,208 | 684 740 | $\begin{aligned} & 62 \cdot 1 \\ & 53 \cdot 7 \\ & 62 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 35.630.937.9 | $19 \cdot 2$ <br> $16 \cdot 1$ <br> 17.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 7.3 \\ & 6.6 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | 21,851 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 954 |  |  |  |  |  |
| April... | 20,314 | $\begin{array}{r} 81,255 \\ 86,297 \\ 104,762 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59,221 \\ & 61,666 \\ & 74,365 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,839 \\ & 23,273 \\ & 28,717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,195 \\ & 1,358 \\ & 1,680 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40,876 \\ & 44,177 \\ & 51,574 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 28,464 \\ 29,558 \\ 33,169 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,748 \\ & 13,916 \\ & 17,539 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 664 \\ & 703 \\ & 866 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 7 \\ & 64 \cdot 0 \\ & 64 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 40 \cdot 1 \\ & 39 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.4 \\ & 16.6 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.4 \\ & 7.4 \\ & 7.4 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| May ... | 21,574 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *June ... | 20,952 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July ... | 21,367 | $\begin{array}{r} 85,468 \\ 44,612 \\ 102,247 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 61,504 \\ & 31,376 \\ & 73,139 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,355 \\ & 12,465 \\ & 27,539 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,609 \\ 771 \\ 1,569 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42,569 \\ & 22,270 \\ & 49,779 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27,490 \\ & 14,074 \\ & 32,461 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14,216 \\ 7,745 \\ 16,481 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 863 \\ & 451 \\ & 837 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68 \cdot 3 \\ & 35 \cdot 1 \\ & 53 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \cdot 7 \\ & 19 \cdot 8 \\ & 30 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18.7 \\ 9.9 \\ 14.9 \end{array}$ | 8.05.38.1 |  |
| August | 11,153 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *Sept. ... | 20,449 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - October | 19,872 | $\begin{aligned} & 99,358 \\ & 79,322 \\ & 89,875 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 72,941 \\ & 57,431 \\ & 66,447 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,650 \\ & 20,264 \\ & 21,459 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,767 \\ & 1,627 \\ & 1,969 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45,059 \\ & 36,742 \\ & 45,338 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30,483 \\ & 25,622 \\ & 31,396 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,509 \\ & 10,181 \\ & 12,934 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,067 \\ 939 \\ 1,008 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 6 \\ & 56 \cdot 8 \\ & 55 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34 \cdot 6 \\ 33 \cdot 1 \\ 31 \cdot 1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.8 \\ & 16.4 \\ & 16.9 \end{aligned}$ | 8.27.47.8 |  |
| Nov. ... | 19,831 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *Dec. ... | 17,975 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 January February *March | 19,030 | $\begin{array}{r} 76,121 \\ 79,527 \\ 102,691 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 52,805 \\ & 60,052 \\ & 78,314 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,476 \\ & 17,494 \\ & 21,732 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,840 \\ & 1,981 \\ & 2,645 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39,227 \\ & 44,032 \\ & 56,627 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,344 \\ & 32,316 \\ & 42,081 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,963 \\ & 10,807 \end{aligned}$ | 920909 | $60 \cdot 2$$54 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \cdot 6 \\ & 31 \cdot 5 \\ & 39 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.3 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $7 \cdot 3$$7 \cdot 1$$7 \cdot 1$ |  |
|  | 19,882 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 20,538 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,394 | 62.5 |  |  |  |  |
| April ... | 25,116 | $\begin{array}{r} 100,464 \\ 91,934 \\ 123,059 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 76,727 \\ & 68,698 \\ & 93,136 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21,165 \\ & 20,793 \\ & 26,632 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,572 \\ & 2,443 \\ & 3,291 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51,865 \\ & 47,783 \\ & 63,683 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38,327 \\ & 34,729 \\ & 47,439 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,135 \\ & 11,772 \\ & 14,338 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,403 \\ & 1,282 \\ & 1,906 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 7 \\ & 70 \cdot 3 \\ & 77.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 3 \\ & 43 \cdot 8 \\ & 45 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \cdot 2 \\ & 18 \cdot 7 \\ & 22 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.2 \\ & 7.8 \\ & 8.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| May ... | 22,984 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *June ... | 24,612 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 65,704 \\ 66,181 \\ 121,740 \end{array}$ | 47,761 <br> 48,652 92,990 <br> 92,90 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,524 \\ & 15,612 \\ & 25,380 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,419 \\ & 1,917 \\ & 3,370 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,136 \\ & 35,508 \\ & 60,092 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23,320 \\ & 26,051 \\ & 44,173 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,503 \\ 8,423 \\ 14,077 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,313 \\ & 1,034 \\ & 1,842 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74.3 \\ & 44.8 \\ & 67.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44.5 \\ & 25.4 \\ & 35 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 13 \cdot 9 \\ & 22 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.7 \\ & 5.5 \\ & 8.7 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| August | 16,545 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| *Sept. ... | 24,348 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October <br> Nov. | $\begin{aligned} & 27,589 \\ & 29,329 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110,354 \\ 117,314 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84,156 \\ & 91,135 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,372 \\ & 22,063 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,826 \\ & 4,116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55,023 \\ & 57,023 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 40,318 \\ & 42,512 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,672 \\ & 12,524 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,033 \\ & 1,987 \end{aligned}$ | $77 \cdot 3$ | $45 \cdot 1$ | $23 \cdot 4$ | $8 \cdot 8$ |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. Taxi-cabs are included.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Complete vehicles and chassis.
(') Deliveries of spares, parts and accessories by motor manufacturers only.
The figures include deliveries for both passenger cars and commercial vehicles.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Estimated. (b) 53 week period. Five week period.


[^13]$\begin{array}{ll}\left({ }^{2}\right) \text { Complete and chassis. } & \left({ }^{3}\right) \text { Estimated. }\end{array}$
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{4}\right) 53$ week period. * Five week period.

Tractors, motor cycles, three-wheeled motor vehicles and pedal cycles: Deliveries
TABLE 79 Monthly averages or calendar months


Locomotives( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 80
Annual and quarterly totals

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Diesel | nd diesel | ctric( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | For main line |  |  |  | For main in the Uni | railways Kingdom | For oth Kingdo | United users ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | xport |
|  |  | Total | in the United Kingdom | Kingdom $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | export | Total | 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 |
| 1955 | ... .. | 469 | 175 | 63 | 231 | 760 | 11 | 113 | 221 | 31 | 254 | 130 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 218 \\ & 220 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 137 \\ 141 \\ 62 \end{array}$ | 16 7 6 | $\begin{aligned} & 65 \\ & 72 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 937 \\ & 922 \\ & 958 \end{aligned}$ | 41 46 46 | 107 147 354 | 238 258 219 | 14 41 28 | 288 375 284 | $\begin{array}{r} 149 \\ 55 \\ 27 \end{array}$ |
| 1957 Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | 64 66 43 47 | 41 49 27 24 | 2 1 4 | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \\ & 16 \\ & 16 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 210 \\ & 231 \\ & 207 \\ & 274 \end{aligned}$ | 8 9 15 14 | 12 33 41 61 | 70 56 56 76 | 5 14 8 14 | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 100 \\ 79 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ 19 \\ 8 \\ 10 \end{array}$ |
| 1958 Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 25 \\ & 24 \\ & 23 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 15 \\ & 16 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 17 10 6 4 | 234 234 235 231 | 7 3 18 18 | 74 87 92 101 | 69 59 47 44 | 2 6 6 14 | 73 70 89 52 | $\begin{aligned} & 9 \\ & 9 \\ & 7 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Production by British Railways and by private manufacturers. <br> ( ${ }^{2}$ ) The figures from the first quarter of 1956 onwards are not strictly comparable with those for earlier periods, as they included the production of some manufacturers Ministry of Transport that had been excluded previously. ( ${ }^{3}$ ) Industrial locomotives. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Railway rolling stock and aircraft


[^14]Source : Board of Trade, Ministry

Metal furniture ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 82
Monthly averages
Value $£$ thousand


${ }^{1}$ ) From September 1958, revised average bale weights have been used in the calculation. On thousand tons.
${ }^{2}$ ) Spun in the cotton industry.
(c) Million square yards.
${ }^{\left({ }^{3}\right)}$ Including synthetic fibres.
${ }^{\text {b }}$ ) Excluding from April 1954 (b) 53 week period.
end of March 1954.

* Average of five weeks.

TABLE 84
Production and consumption: monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period

${ }^{(1)}$ All fibres (other than virgin wool) used in woollen spinning and felting, and hair used in the making of tops.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Including tops of other man-made fibres.
${ }^{(3)}$ Estimated.
(4) Fleece and skin from British sheep.
${ }^{5}$ ) Used in the production of tops and in woollen spinning and felting
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding stocks held by farmers.
(V) Production.
( ${ }^{( }$) At 31 August.

Man-made fibres, hard hemps and jute
TABLE 85

$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Figures from 1955 include all man-made fibres in commercial production. Earlier figures relate only to rayon and, from 1940, to rayon and nylon.

Source: Board of Trade
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Sisal line and manila hemp only. $\left({ }^{(3}\right)$ Estimated from consumption of yarn by jute cloth weavers.
${ }^{(4)}$ Disposals by Jute Control of imported jute cloth and bags, and imports on private account. From January 1956 weekly averages are computed from figures for calendar months.
*Average of five weeks.

TABLE 86
Hides, skins and finished leather : Production
Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding production by private slaughter and casualties before July 1954. $\left.{ }^{(2}\right) 53$ week period. *Five week period.

Source : Board of Trade
Hides, skins and finished leather : Consumption(1) and stocks
TABLE 87
Consumption : monthly averages
Stocks : end of period

(1) Including deliveries for export.
(2) Wet, dry and dry-salted cattle and buffalo hides.
${ }^{(3)}$ Pelts and skins woolled for dressing, i.e., with the wool on.
(4) Excluding stocks held by fellmongers.

|  | Und | rwear, shir nightwear | rts and ${ }^{2}$ ) | $\underset{\text { Pall }}{ }$ | overs, jum digans, etc | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (2rs, } \\ & \left.\mathbf{1}^{2}\right) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | Socks and | stockin | (pairs) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Infants' outer- |  | Wom | en's full-l | ength stoc | kings | Women's | Children's and |
|  | Men's | Women's | ren's and infants | Men's | Women's | Children's | $\left({ }^{2}\right)\left({ }^{(3)}\right.$ | Men's | Total | Circular knitted | Fully fashioned | Nylon ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) | ankle socks and $\frac{3}{4}$ hose | infants socks, ${ }^{\frac{3}{4}}$ hose and stockings |
|  |  |  |  | $1 \cdot 13$ | 3.09 | $1 \cdot 13$ | 0.87 | 10.26 | 19.39 | 8.85 | 10.53 | 15.76 | 1.62 | $8 \cdot 13$ |
| 1955/57(5) $\quad . .$. | $4 \cdot 34$ 4.72 | 6.54 6.88 | 3.73 4.27 | 1.30 | 3.39 | 1.24 | 0.95 | 9.96 | 19.35 | $8 \cdot 17$ | 11.18 | 16.74 | 1.41 | 7.92 |
| 1957/58(5) | 4.54 | 6.31 | 4.09 | $1 \cdot 35$ | $3 \cdot 21$ | 1.37 | 0.92 | 8.44 | 18.75 | 7.26 | 11.50 | 17.25 | 1.35 | 6.59 |
| 1958/59(5) | $4 \cdot 35$ | $6 \cdot 27$ | 3.97 | $1 \cdot 27$ | $3 \cdot 45$ | 1.09 | 0.83 | $7 \cdot 31$ | 19.63 | 8.03 | 11.59 | 18.53 | 0.98 | $5 \cdot 70$ |
|  | $4 \cdot 69$ | $7 \cdot 71$ | $4 \cdot 43$ | 1.49 | 3.41 | 1.31 | 1.15 | 10.13 | 19.74 | 7.97 | 11.77 | 17.01 | 0.73 | $7 \cdot 18$ |
| Nov.-Jan. ... | 4.41 | $7 \cdot 19$ | $4 \cdot 15$ | $1 \cdot 36$ | $3 \cdot 27$ | 1.25 | 0.98 | 9.48 | 20.04 | $7 \cdot 77$ | $12 \cdot 27$ | $17 \cdot 57$ | 1.39 | $7 \cdot 03$ |
| 1957/58 Feb.-April | 4.70 | 6.16 | 4.79 | 1.39 | 3.42 | 1.49 | 0.98 | 8.29 | 18.05 | 7.31 | 10.74 | 16.55 | 2.07 | $7 \cdot 50$ |
| May-July ... | $5 \cdot 11$ | 6.26 | $4 \cdot 63$ | 1.18 | 2.96 | $1 \cdot 22$ | 0.85 | 8.69 | 18.74 | $7 \cdot 60$ | 11.14 | 17.31 | 1.61 | 7.46 |
| Aug.-Oct. ... | $4 \cdot 27$ | $6 \cdot 60$ | $3 \cdot 67$ | 1.45 | $3 \cdot 33$ | 1.53 | 1.14 | 8.52 | 18.74 | $7 \cdot 13$ | 11.61 | 17.05 | 0.91 | 5.82 |
| Nov.-Jan. ... | 4.09 | $6 \cdot 20$ | $3 \cdot 25$ | $1 \cdot 36$ | $3 \cdot 13$ | 1.24 | 0.71 | $8 \cdot 27$ | 19.46 | 6.98 | 12.49 | 18.08 | 0.81 | $5 \cdot 56$ |
|  | 4.52 | 5.56 | 3.72 | 1.22 | 3.50 | $1 \cdot 15$ | 0.71 | 6.50 | 17.79 | $7 \cdot 37$ | 10.41 | 16.77 | 1.24 | 6.48 |
| May-July ... | 4.50 | 6.02 | $4 \cdot 16$ | 1.08 | $3 \cdot 14$ | 0.98 | 0.67 | $7 \cdot 12$ | 19.53 | 8.58 | 10.95 | 18.45 | 1.19 | 6.09 |
| Aug.-Oct. ... | 4.09 | 6.83 | 4.39 | 1.36 | $3 \cdot 56$ | $1 \cdot 10$ | 1.05 | 7.74 | 20.47 | 7.83 | 12.63 | 19.25 | 0.77 | 5.17 |
| Nov.-Jan. ... | $4 \cdot 27$ | $6 \cdot 65$ | $3 \cdot 59$ | 1.43 | $3 \cdot 59$ | 1.11 | 0.89 | 7.89 | 20.71 | 8.35 | 12.36 | 19.65 | 0.73 | 5.05 |
| 1959160 Feb.-April | $4 \cdot 20$ | $5 \cdot 68$ | 4.05 | 1.36 | $3 \cdot 65$ | 1.16 | 0.76 | 6.21 | 18.50 | 8.82 | 9.68 | 17.72 | $1 \cdot 18$ | 6.50 |
| May-July <br> Aug.-Oct. | $5 \cdot 34$ | $6 \cdot 27$ | $4 \cdot 40$ | 1.32 | $3 \cdot 55$ | 1.07 | 0.72 | $7 \cdot 46$ | $20 \cdot 90$ | $10 \cdot 70$ | $10 \cdot 19$ | $20 \cdot 10$ | $1 \cdot 22$ | $6 \cdot 00$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Manufacturers sales; up to April 1957 by establishments employing more than 10 persons;
$\left(^{2}\right)$ All knitted garments delivered by establishments engaged in knitting, including garments made up
from knitted fabrics of all types. ( ${ }^{3}$ ) Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, hoods, etc.
${ }^{(4)}$ Included in the previous columns. ( ${ }^{5}$ ) Year ended January.
Footwear ( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 89
Monthly averages
Million pairs


Softwood and pitwood
Production and deliveries : monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods
TABLE 90
Stocks : end of period


Hardwood, plywood, wood chipboard and domestic furniture
TABLE 91
Production and deliveries : monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods

(1) For details of these revised series see Board of Trade Journal 16 October, 1959.
($\left.^{2}\right) 53$ week period.

* Five week period.

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


[^15]

Rubber and carbon black
TABLE 94
Production and consumption: weekly averages
Stocks: end of period
Thousand tons


Floor coverings
Monthly averages
Thousand square yards
TABLE 95

| Printed felt base( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  | Coir matting |  | Wool carpets and rugs |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Production( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  | Production ${ }^{(2)}$ | Supplies for home market | Production$\left(^{2}\right)$ | Supplies for home market( ${ }^{3}$ ) |
| Total | For home market |  |  |  |  |
| 3,500 | 2,920 | . | . | 2,925 | 2,740 |
| 7,120 | 4,989 | 125 | 556 | 3,762 | 3,319 |
| 7,429 | 5,324 | 101 | 465 | 3,376 | 3,060 |
| 6,883 | 5,217 |  |  | 3,703 | 3,428 |
| 6,736( ${ }^{5}$ ) | 4,929(5) | 70 | 284 | 3,809 | 3,552 |
| 6,186 | 4,226 | 82 | 480 | 3,424 | 3,136 |
| 7,362 | 5,729 | $95\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | $470{ }^{\circ}$ ) | 3,816 | 3,554 |
| 6,113 | 4,778 | 80(6) | 300 (') | 3,256 | 2,996 |
| 7,871 | 6,137 | 90 | 349 | 4,314 | 4,024 |
| 6,092( ${ }^{7}$ ) | 4,222 ${ }^{7}$ ) | 68 | 318 | 3,553 | 3,213 |
| 6,903 | 5,109 | 84 | 264 | 3,793 | 3,543 |
| 7,075 | 5,398 | 60 | 269 | 3,190 | 2,936 |
| 7,087 | 5,220 | 70 | 283 | 4,701 | 4,515 |
| 5,445 | 3,476 |  |  |  |  |
| 7,638 | 5,789 | 62 | 214 | 3,830 | 3,652 |
| 7,182 | 5,511 | 52 | 204 | 3,385 | 3,284 |

(1) From April 1958 figures relate to calendar quarters.

Source: Board of Trade
${ }^{2}$ ) Sales by manufacturers.
${ }^{(3}$ ) This figure is calculated by adding imports and subtracting exports from production.
${ }^{(4)}$ Year ended November. ${ }^{(5)}$ Average of 13 months December 1957-December 1958.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ Estimated. $\quad\left({ }^{7}\right)$ Average of 4 months December 1957-March 1958.
Domestic pottery, brushes and glass containers
TABLE 96
Monthly averages

${ }^{(1)}$ Sales by manufacturers. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Glass bottles, jars and syphons. Domestic and scientific glassware are excluded. ${ }^{( }{ }^{3}$ ) Including brushes filled with wire, artists' brushes, brushes for machines, and painting rollers.

## IX. CONSTRUCTION

Value of constructional work and labour employed in Great Britain
(i) Value of output

TABLE 97
Annual and quarterly totals
£ million

(ii) Value of new orders obtained by contractors for new work

Annual and quarterly totals
£ million
TABLE 97 (continued)

${ }^{1}$ ) Output of operatives employed directly by Government Departments, local authorities and public utilities (British Railways, Central Electricity Generating Board, etc.).
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ These figures relate
without a firm order.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ From the beginning of 1959 the figures for the Construction industries are given according to the revised Standard Industrial Classification, 1958, which includes constructional engineering firms whose main activity is erection, not fabrication. Figures for the first

CONSTRUCTION
Value of constructional work and labour employed in Great Britain
(iii) Operatives employed by contractors ${ }^{(4)}$ )
(iii) Operatives employed by

Thousands
TABLE 97 (continued)

${ }^{(3)}$ See footnote $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ on page 73
${ }^{4}$ ) Insured operatives (male and female) aged 15 years and over. Administrative, technical and clerical workers and self-employed operatives are excluded.

TABLE 98
Industrial building in Great Britain ( ${ }^{1}$ )

|  | Total |  |  |  |  |  | Analysis by Standard Regions( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Approved in period |  | Started <br> in period ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  | Completed in period $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ |  |  | Approved ( 1 Jan. 1945 to 30 Sept. 1959) | Under construction (31 Mar. 1959) | Completed (I Jan. 1945 to 31 Mar. 1959) |
|  | Number | Area (Thous. sq. ft.) | Number | Area (Thous. sq. ft.) | Number | Area (Thous. sq. ft.) |  | Area (Thousand square feet) |  |  |
| 1945 to $1952\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 11,738 | 296,058 | 8,400 | 207,247 | 6,874 | 148,110 | Great Britain | 721,300 | 78,468 | 419,859 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,959 \\ & 2,702 \\ & 3,319 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 39,050 \\ & 70,867 \\ & 91,357 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,536 \\ & 2,156 \\ & 2,540 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28,928 \\ & 46,417 \\ & 66,378 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,456 \\ & 1,744 \\ & 2,124 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31,606 \\ & 39,183 \\ & 41,664 \end{aligned}$ | Northern $\qquad$ ... <br> East and West Ridings | 54,535 | 7,041 | 37,585 |
| $\begin{array}{lll}1954 \ldots & \ldots & \ldots \\ 1955 & \ldots\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1955... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 58,749 | 6,554 | 33,030 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1956 . \\ & 1957 . \\ & 1958 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,466 \\ & 2,417 \\ & 2,099 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71,117 \\ & 63,579 \\ & 45,692 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,093 \\ & 1,891 \\ & 1,710 \end{aligned}$ | 55,489 <br> 41,269 <br> 41,289 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,327 \\ & 2,108 \\ & 1,981 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48,779 \\ & 53,352 \\ & 49,485 \end{aligned}$ | North Midland <br> Eastern | 47,700 | 4,806 | $\begin{aligned} & 30,910 \\ & 34,856 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 68,249 | 10,927 |  |
| 1957 Ist quarter $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2nd quarter } \\ & \text { 3rd quarter } \\ & \text { 4th quarter }\end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 587 \\ & 653 \\ & 584 \\ & 593 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,349 \\ & 18,582 \\ & 17,888 \\ & 13,760 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 429 \\ & 534 \\ & 496 \\ & 432 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,906 \\ 10,907 \\ 10,335 \\ 9,12 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 536 \\ & 530 \\ & 483 \\ & 559 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,480 \\ & 13,320 \\ & 13,943 \\ & 12,609 \end{aligned}$ | London and South Eastern | 116,363 | 12,724 | 53,755 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20,571 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Southern ... ... ... | 40,965 | 3,607 | 20,571 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | South Western ... ... | 30,345 | 2,524 | 17,328 |
| 1958 Ist quarter ... $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ind } \\ & \text { 2nd quarter... } \\ & \text { 3rd quarter... } \\ & \text { 4th quarter... }\end{aligned}$ | 580501506512 | $\begin{aligned} & 11,786 \\ & 10,658 \\ & 12,213 \\ & 11,035 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 411 \\ & 473 \\ & 436 \\ & 390 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,551 \\ 11,573 \\ 10,505 \\ 10,660 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 521 \\ & 465 \\ & 475 \\ & 520 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,720 \\ & 12,155 \\ & 10,900 \\ & 13,710 \end{aligned}$ | Wales <br> Midland | $\begin{aligned} & 48,822 \\ & 93,639 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,665 \\ & 7,676 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,876 \\ & 56,615 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 103,170 \\ 58,763 \end{array}$ | $5,316$ | 59,986 |
| 1959 Ist quarter... | 527 | 15,808 | 420 | 11,310 | 360 | 7,680 | Scotland ... ... |  |  | 41,971 |
| 2nd quarter... 3rd quarter... | 614 609 | 14,173 13,599 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ The table includes new buildings and extensions to existing buildings, over 5,000 square feet, in manu-
Source: Board of Trade
facturing industry Industrial building approved from I Jaury 1959, follows the definition of Manufacturing laid down in the new Standard Industrial Classification, 1958.
${ }^{(2)}$ As defined in the Supplement of Definitions, 1959.
${ }^{(3)}$ Figures for the 4th quarter of 1958 and the Ist quarter of 1959 are estimates, which are included in the Great Britain totals but are excluded from the regional analysis.
${ }^{(4)}$ Schemes for replacement of buildings destroyed by fire or enemy action are excluded prior to July, 1948.

Permanent house building: Summary of progress

$\left(^{1}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ See footnotes $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 100 .
Source : Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Department of Health for Scotland and Ministry of Health and Local Government, Northern Ireland

Number of houses and flats
TABLE 100

|  |  | England and Wales |  |  |  | Scotland |  |  | Northern Ireland |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | For local housing authorities <br> ${ }^{(1)}$ | For private owners | Other ${ }^{2}$ ) | For local housing authorities ${ }^{(1)}\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | For private owners | Other ${ }^{2}$ ) | Total | For local housing authorities ${ }^{(1)}$ | For private owners | Other $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| 1945-1948( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  | 386,481 | 279,098 | 101,493 | 5,890 | 35,559 | 3,535 | 145 | 6,702 | 4,100 | 2,514 | 88 |
| 1949 | ... ... | $\begin{aligned} & 171,780 \\ & 172,360 \\ & 171,903 \\ & 208,975 \\ & 279,231 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 141,766 \\ & 139,356 \\ & 141,587 \\ & 165,637 \\ & 202,891 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,688 \\ & 26,576 \\ & 21,406 \\ & 32,078 \\ & 60,528 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5,326 \\ 6,428 \\ 8,910 \\ 11,260 \\ 15,812 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24,180 \\ & 24,314 \\ & 20,997 \\ & 27,623 \\ & 35,992 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,102 \\ 782 \\ 1,145 \\ 2,242 \\ 2,393 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 565 \\ 715 \\ 786 \\ 1,082 \\ 1,163 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,630 \\ & 7,256 \\ & 7,025 \\ & 8,397 \\ & 8,025 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,860 \\ & 4,247 \\ & 3,899 \\ & 5,917 \\ & 6,033 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,667 \\ & 2,882 \\ & 2,934 \\ & 2,350 \\ & 1,946 \end{aligned}$ | 10312719213046 |
| 1950 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 | ... $\quad$. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 19541955195619571958 |  | 308,952283,326268,724268,653241,525 | $\begin{aligned} & 199,642 \\ & 162,525 \\ & 139,977 \\ & 137,584 \\ & 113,146 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 88,028 \\ 189,934 \\ 119,585 \\ 122,942 \\ 124,087 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 21,282 \\ 10,867 \\ 9,162 \\ 8,127 \\ 4,292 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35,331 \\ & 29,278 \\ & 26,290 \\ & 28,326 \\ & 27,373 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,608 \\ & 3,523 \\ & 4,576 \\ & 3,513 \\ & 4,061 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 914 \\ 1,268 \\ 1,035 \\ 598 \\ 736 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,324 \\ & 7,028 \\ & 7,049 \\ & 6,500 \\ & 4,938 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,345 \\ & 4,221 \\ & 4,443 \\ & 3,719 \\ & 2,764 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,787 \\ & 2,636 \\ & 2,270 \\ & 2,329 \\ & 2,072 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 192 \\ & 171 \\ & 336 \\ & 452 \\ & 102 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 | October ... <br> November <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 23,554 \\ & 23,520 \\ & 20,473 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,464 \\ & 11,897 \\ & 10,383 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,452 \\ 10,978 \\ 9,556 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 638 \\ & 445 \\ & 534 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,591 \\ & 2,910 \\ & 2,837^{*} \end{aligned}$ | \} 996 | $93\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 473 \\ & 494 \\ & 300 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 178 \\ & 273 \\ & 174 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 179 \\ & 220 \\ & 126 \end{aligned}$ | 1161 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | January ... <br> February... <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 18,036 \\ & 17,650 \\ & 20,995 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,643 \\ 8,805 \\ 11,328 \end{array}$ | 9,0558,5389,380 | 338307287 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,292 \\ & 2,193 \\ & 2,844^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\} .1,191$ | $113\{$ | 459446477 | 248275230 | 194153247 | 17 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April | $\begin{aligned} & 18,770 \\ & 20,221 \\ & 20,067 \end{aligned}$ | 8,6319,769 | 9,64910,0619,814 | $\begin{array}{r} 490 \\ -\quad 391 \\ 361 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,690 \\ & 3,003 \\ & 1,849^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\} 1,140$ | 507 | $\begin{aligned} & 436 \\ & 483 \\ & 329 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 197 \\ & 270 \\ & 271 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 229 \\ 196 \\ 98 \end{array}$ | 17 |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  | 9,892 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July | $\begin{aligned} & 21,107 \\ & 18,626 \\ & 21,032 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,856 \\ & 8,308 \\ & 8,827 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,900 \\ 9,966 \\ 12,005 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 351 \\ & 352 \\ & 200 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,212 \\ & 1,785 \\ & 2,690^{*} \end{aligned}$ | \} 975 | $60\{$ | 447435226 | 272288110 | 161140110 |  |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 76 |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October ... <br> November <br> December |  | $\begin{aligned} & 22,898 \\ & 21,917 \\ & 21,006 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10,360 \\ 9,182 \\ 9,545 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,106 \\ & 11,517 \\ & 11,096 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 432 \\ & 418 \\ & 365 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,184 \\ & 1,697 \\ & 1,934 * \end{aligned}$ | \} 755 | 56 \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 458 \\ & 357 \\ & 385 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 241 \\ & 162 \\ & 240 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207 \\ & 193 \\ & 144 \end{aligned}$ | 1021 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | January ... | $\begin{aligned} & 16,129 \\ & 16,678 \\ & 20,437 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,681 \\ & 7,100 \\ & 9,305 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9,080 \\ 9,262 \\ 10,821 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 368 \\ & 316 \\ & 311 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,914 \\ & 1,821 \\ & 2,427 * \end{aligned}$ | $\} 1,147$ | 116 | 348458401 | $\begin{array}{r} 79 \\ 302 \\ 189 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 267 \\ & 156 \\ & 212 \end{aligned}$ | 2 |
|  | February... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 20,414 \\ & 20,203 \\ & 22,102 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7,867 \\ & 7,921 \\ & 9,313 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,159 \\ & 11,962 \\ & 12,487 \end{aligned}$ | 388320302 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,991 \\ & 1,973 \\ & 1,661^{*} \end{aligned}$ | \} 840 | 163 \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 316 \\ & 432 \\ & 366 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 82 \\ 210 \\ 168 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 234 \\ & 222 \\ & 198 \end{aligned}$ | 二 |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 21,784 \\ & 19,227 \\ & 21,457 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,424 \\ & 6,777 \\ & 7,987 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,131 \\ & 12,163 \\ & 13,256 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 229 \\ & 287 \\ & 214 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,159 \\ & 1,193 \\ & 1,830 * \end{aligned}$ | \} 1,094 | $39\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 307 \\ & 388 \\ & 466 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 228 \\ & 302 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 173 \\ & 151 \\ & 158 \end{aligned}$ | 596 |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... | $\begin{aligned} & 24,290 \\ & 22,739 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9,160 \\ & 8,752 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14,930 \\ & 13,703 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 200 \\ & 284 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,763 \\ & 2,147 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 493 \\ & 396 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 205 \\ & 198 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 278 \\ & 178 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | November |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ 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.
${ }^{(4)}$ ) Figures for England and Wales relate only to the period April 1945 to December 1948.

* Five week period.

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

## Educational building in Great Britain (1)

## (i) Approval and progress of building

Value $£$ thousand

|  |  |  |  |  | Projects approved |  |  |  |  |  | Under construction (end of period) ${ }^{(2)}{ }^{(3)}$ | Completions $\left(^{2}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Primary } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { secondary } \end{aligned}$ | Special schools | School meals | Further education | Training of teachers | Total( ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |
| England and Wales |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 | - 1952 |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 214,760 | 3,818 | 14,953 | 27,611 | 7,176 | 274,712 | 117,896 | 152,073 |
| 1953 1954 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 45,878 51,830 | 960 1,411 | 422 267 | 3,731 5,366 | 1,373 1,364 | 54,284 61,958 | 111,084 109,088 | 58,692 61,473 |
| 1955 | ... |  |  | $\ldots$ | 62,800 | 2,226 | 846 | 7,379 | 1,263 | 77,034 | 131,094 | 50,022 |
| 1956 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 70,822 | 2,463 | 789 | 9.645 | 570 | 86,739 | 152,823 | 68,749 |
| 1957 |  |  |  | ... | 67,420 | 1,512 | 559 | 14,063 | 1,742 | 88,616 | 154,419 | 88,330 |
| 1958 |  |  | ... | ... | 51,842 | 1,397 | 1,128 | 17,521 | 969 | 74,869 | 127,676 | 98,656 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  |  | $\ldots$ | 23,057 | 300 | 145 | 4,586 | 284 | 29,272 | 158,203 | 17,873 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 16,836 | 279 | 190 | 4,880 | 259 | 23,284 | 164,883 | 17,238 |
|  |  |  |  | $\ldots$ | 16,024 | 404 | 132 | 3,006 | 993 | 21,399 | 156,904 | 31,251 |
|  |  |  |  | ... | 11,503 | 529 | 92 | 1,591 | 206 | 14,661 | 154,419 | 21,968 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 12,714 | 421 | 338 | 3,993 | 336 | 18,392 | 150,937 | 23,448 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | 14,096 | 155 | 367 | 7.447 | 121 | 22,486 | 148,094 | 23,541 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 13,683 | 474 | 209 | 3,401 | 169 | 18,472 | 133,226 | 32,370 |
|  |  |  | ... | ... | 11,349 | 347 | 214 | 2,680 | 343 | 15,519 | 127,676 | 19,297 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter <br> 2nd quarter <br> 3rd quarter |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 20,801 | 660 | 328 | 3,897 | 469 | 26,837 | 138,957 | 18,965 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 11,383 | 373 | 266 | 3,153 | 82 | 15,527 | 139,125 | 17,684 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 10,134 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 31,258 |
| Scotland ( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1946 to 1952 |  | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 27,760 | 404 | 1,645 | 2,237 | 231 | 32,277 | 13,449 | 14,553 |
| 1953 | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 7,185 | 29 | 47 | 185 | 38 | 7,484 | 14,730 | 4,618 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1954 \\ 1955 \end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  | 7,555 | 23 | 30 | 211 | - | 7,819 | 16,845 | 6,836 |
|  | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8,886 | 14 | 76 | 883 | - | 9,859 | 22,848 | 5,633 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 7,852 | 46 | 75 | 107 | $\bar{\square}$ | 8,080 | 28,983 | 6,484 |
|  | ... | ... | ... |  | 9,418 | 362 | 140 | 147 | 139 | 10,206 | 26,239 | 11,093 |
|  | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10,662 | 146 | 54 | 800 | - | 11,662 | 26,514 | 14,741 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,852 |  |  |  | - | 2,905 | 28,774 | 2,219 |
|  | 2nd quarter3rd quarter |  | $\ldots$ |  | 2,483 | 108 | 11 | 76 | 5 | 2,683 | 26,991 | 2,333 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 2,080 | 80 | 16 | 14 | - | 2,190 | 25,117 | 4,504 |
|  | 4 th quarter |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,003 | 171 | 65 | 55 | 134 | 2,428 | 26,195 | 2,042 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | $\ldots$ |  | 1,678 | 8 | 12 | 266 | - | 1,964 |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | 2,591 | 10 | 4 | 64 | - | 2,669 | 27,147 | 2,345 |
|  |  |  | $\ldots$ |  | 4,255 | 30 | 8 | 158 | - | 4,451 | 27,015 | 4,780 |
|  |  |  | ... | ... | 2,138 | 98 | 30 | 312 | - | 2,578 | 26,514 | 3,698 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2,962 | 145 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | ... | ... | 3,330 | 94 | 54 | 1,265 | 16 | 4,759 | 30,271 | 2,047 3,158 |
|  |  |  | ... | ... | 2,588 | 33 | 10 |  | 16 | 4,027 | 31,269 | 3,926 |

${ }^{1}$ ) Excluding building which is wholly financed from private sources
${ }^{2}$ ) Including estimates for certain minor projects for which specific prior approval is not required
${ }^{3}$ ) Figures for England and Wales relate to project values and those for Scotland to contract values.
${ }^{4}$ ) Before 1954, the Scottish figures of projects approved refer to approval at the sketch plan stage which might be some six to twelve months before the start of construction. From January 1954 the figures refer to tenders accepted for approved projects. The Scottish figures of "Under construction" and "Completions" are based on the tender costs, but from January 1954 the figures of "Completions" are adjusted in respect of any difference between the tender and final costs as the latter become known.
(ii) New places provided in grant-aided primary and secondary schools(1)

TABLE 101 (continued)


[^16]
## Building materials and components <br> Great Britaln

TABLE 102
Production : monthly averages, calendar months, or totals for four or flve week periods

| TABLE 102 |
| :--- |


|  |  |  | Clay roofing tiles |  | Concrete roofing tiles |  | Roofing slates |  | Slates (damp proof course) |  | Stoneware pipes | Cast Iron pipes and fittings $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | Cast iron baths and other sanitary goods ${ }^{(1)}$ | Metal windows and casement doors |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Steel | Alumin ium |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production | Stocks | Production |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Thousand squares | Thousands |  | Thousand tons |  |  | Tons |  |  |  |  |
| 1955 | .. ... |  |  |  | 60.2 | 139.7 | 152.1 | 142.3 | 19.8 | 49.7 | 532 | 3,618 | 44.6 | 12.3 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 7,720 | 126 |
| 1956 | . ... |  | 48.6 | 127.9 | 165.6 | 154.5 | 19.8 | $46 \cdot 6$ | 533 | 3,743 | $45 \cdot 4$ | 11.8 | $6 \cdot 6$ | 7,302 | 181 |
| 1957 | . ... |  | 43.0 | 131.2 | $160 \cdot 4$ | 189.0 | $20 \cdot 0$ | 69.1 | 548 | 4,197 | 44.9 | 11.8 | $6 \cdot 7$ | 6,502 | 181 |
| 1958 | ... ... |  | $35 \cdot 7$ | 128.9 | 154.6 | 173.8 | 15.2 | $63 \cdot 1$ | 345 | 3,889 | 41.8 | $10 \cdot 5$ | 6.0 | 5,847 | 160 |
| 195 | October |  | $36 \cdot 3$ | 131.8 | 178.6 | 163.0 | 15.5 | 62.1 | 314 | 4,052 | $46 \cdot 3$ |  |  | 6,774 | 205 |
|  | November |  | 36.5 | $130 \cdot 4$ | 168.7 | 162.3 | 16.9 | $61 \cdot 6$ | 367 | 3,945 | $42 \cdot 7$ | \} 12.2 | $6 \cdot 3$ | 5,938 | 196 |
|  | December |  | 32.4 | 128.0 | 166.5 | 173.8 | 15.2 | 63.1 | 320 | 3,889 | $42 \cdot 2$ |  |  | 5,560 | 166 |
| 1959 | January | $\ldots$ | 32.1 | 134.1 | 165.0 | 215.5 | 11.7 | 64.9 | 263 | 3,874 | 42.9 |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | ... | 31.5 | 137.2 | 158.3 | $250 \cdot 6$ | 13.0 | $65 \cdot 7$ | 345 | 3,863 | 41.0 | $\} 11.7$ | 6.5 | 5,631 | 196 |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | 31.0 | 136.4 | 163.2 | 253.7 | 12.7 | $67 \cdot 3$ | 396 | 3,773 | 40.7 | ¢ 11 | 6, | 5,622 |  |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | 34.0 | 132.5 | 170.8 | 241.9 | 11.3 | 68.6 | 391 | 3,600 | 44.9 |  |  | 6,729 | 215 |
|  | May ... | ... | $35 \cdot 2$ | 131.2 | 159.1 | 221.7 | 10.8 | 68.8 | 360 | 3,505 | $43 \cdot 7$ | \} 11.4 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 6,092 | 171 |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | $37 \cdot 6$ | 127.9 | 205.0 | $215 \cdot 2$ | 11.5 | 68.6 | 366 | 3,338 | $46 \cdot 3$ |  |  | 6,825 | 206 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | 40.2 | 126.8 | 182.8 | 198.4 |  |  | 342 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 28.7 | 124.3 | 141.4 | 183.0 | 8.7 | 69.1 | 304 | 3,126 | $36 \cdot 3$ | \} 10.1 | $6 \cdot 2$ | 4,436 | 140 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | $32 \cdot 3$ | 117.0 | 199.3 | 171.2 | $10 \cdot 8$ | 67-3 | 344 | 2,944 |  | f | 6.2 | 6,377 |  |
|  | October <br> November | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 34 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.3 \\ & 112.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 199.7 \\ & 189.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 169.1 \\ & 174.9 \end{aligned}$ | $10 \cdot 9$ | $65 \cdot 9$ | 350 | 2,862 | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 1 \\ & 47 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 7,092 | 215 |
|  | December |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^17]
## X. FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

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

${ }^{(1)}$ Excludes agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain. In Northern Ireland excludes holdings of less than one quarter of an acre in 1939 and of less than one acre from 1954.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including 11,000 acres returned in England and Wales as "arable and permanent grassland temporarily out of use through flooding" in 1956, and 4,000 in 1957 (affected by the East Coast flooding of 1953).
${ }^{(3)}$ England and Wales returned as mixed corn for threshing; area cut green is included under "Other crops"
${ }^{4}$ ) Including "Fodder beet".
$\left({ }^{5}\right)$ Including "Flowers and nursery stock ".
${ }^{(6)}$ (9) Weight in pod. ( ${ }^{(7}$ ) Shelled weight. ${ }^{(8)}$ ) England and Wales only.
$\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ Excluding, in Great Britain, grass and lucerne mown for silage, drying or seed.
$\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ Clover and rotation grasses.

(1) Excluding bull calves in Scotland and Northern Ireland. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Excluding bull calves in Northern Ireland. Source : Agricultural Departments ${ }^{(3)}$ Excluding bull calves for service. (4) Including bull calves for service.

Pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings
TABLE 105
Thousands

|  |  | Pigs |  |  |  |  |  | Poultry |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Boars and young boars for service | Sows for breeding | Other pigs |  |  | Total ${ }^{1}$ ) | Fowls in the United Kingdom | Fowls in Great Britain |  |  |
|  |  | Five months old and over |  |  | Two months and under five | Under two months | Total |  |  | Six months and over | Under six months |
| 1939 | June |  | 4,394 | 34( ${ }^{2}$ ) | 542 | 767 | 1,872 | 1,179 | 74,357( ${ }^{(3)}$ | 69,530 | 60,234 | 26,610 | 33,624 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1950 \\ 1951 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { June } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,986 \\ & 3,891 \end{aligned}$ | 31 42 | $\begin{aligned} & 387 \\ & 560 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 757 \\ & 881 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,196 \\ & 1,525 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 615 \\ & 883 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 96,109 \\ & 94,344 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90,789 \\ & 90,067 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 71,176 \\ & 73,092 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33,739 \\ & 33,565 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 37,437 \\ & 39,527 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1952 \\ 1953 \end{array}$ | June | 4,962 5,165 | 44 | 594 699 | 1,220 1,090 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,000 \\ & 2,046 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,105 \\ & 1,281 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94,974 \\ & 92,119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 90,345 \\ 87,516 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74,708 \\ & 73,696 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,538 \\ & 32,606 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42,170 \\ & 41,090 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1954 \\ 1955 \end{array}$ | June .. | 6,251 $\mathbf{5 , 8 4 3}$ | $45(3)$ 42 | 814 683 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,174 \\ & 1,148 \end{aligned}$ | 2,661 | 1,556 1,471 | $\begin{aligned} & 83,644 \\ & 86,857 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 79,835 \\ 83,420 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 69,048 \\ & 72,686 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,361 \\ & 31,752 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36,687 \\ & 40,934 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1956 | June ... <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 5,474 \\ & 6,064 \end{aligned}$ | 41 | 685 699 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,066 \\ & 1,314 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,304 \\ & 2,641 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,377 \\ & 1,368 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92,464 \\ & 73,078\left({ }^{4}\right) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 88,275 \\ & 68,958(4) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 77,348 \\ & 59,681 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32,996 \\ & 46,463 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44,352 \\ & 13,218 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1957 | June December | $\begin{aligned} & 5,974 \\ & 6,576 \end{aligned}$ | 43 | $\begin{aligned} & 743 \\ & 813 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,123 \\ & 1,334 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,547 \\ & 2,810 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,518 \\ & 1,571 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 94,868 \\ & 73,757 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90,789 \\ & 69,930 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 79,566 \\ & 60,362 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36,397 \\ & 46,090 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43,169 \\ & 14,271 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | June <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 6,485 \\ & 6,702 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \\ & 44 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 802 \\ & 748 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,160 \\ & 1,340 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,791 \\ & 3,027 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,686 \\ & 1,543 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99,724 \\ & 81,680 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95,887 \\ 77,606 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84,068 \\ & 67,645 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36,860 \\ & 47,464 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47,208 \\ & 20,181 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | June December | 5,976 | 41 | 703 | 1,113 | 2,648 | 1,471 | 107,137 | 102,826 | 91,223 | 39,558 | 51,665 |

[^18]${ }^{(2}$ ) Excluding young boars in 1939 and from June 1954.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Excluding about 4 million birds on a number of small-sized holdings.
${ }^{(4)}$ As the date of the census in Northern Ireland was changed from I January 1957 to I December 1956, these figures are not comparable with earlier December figures.


Animal feeding-stuffs
Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods
Thousand tons

${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding castor meal, cocoa-cake and meal.
Five week period

Source : Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Production of compound animal feeding-stuffs in Great Britain


Potatoes, sugar, jam and chocolate
TABLE 109
Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods
Thousand tons

|  |  | Sales from farms ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Potatoes |  | Sugar ( ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Syrup } \\ & \text { and } \\ & \text { treacle } \end{aligned}$ | Glucose | Jam and marmalade |  | Chocolate and sugar confectionery |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Disposals | Production from home grown sugar beet | Disposals |  | Production | Production | Production | Disposals | Production | Disposals |
|  |  | Total ${ }^{(3)}$ |  | For food in the United Kingdom | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  | For food in the United Kingdom ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |
| 1934 to 1938 |  |  |  | 292 | 292 | 37.6(5) | 206.7 | $177 \cdot 1$ | 7.9 | - | . | 17.7 | . | . |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ | . |  | $\begin{aligned} & 453 \\ & 488 \\ & 394 \\ & 356 \\ & 442 \\ & 339 \end{aligned}$ | 463504 | 417 | 53.7 51.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 234 \cdot 2 \\ & 255 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 178.8 \\ & 197.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.0 \\ & 5.8 \end{aligned}$ | 13.1 13.9 | 22.4 |  | $53.0$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \cdot 7 \\ & 57 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | ... | 51.3 52.7 |  |  |  | $255 \cdot 3$ 267.0 | 197.1 206.2 | 5.8 5.9 | 13.1 13.9 | 18.4 | $19.8$ | $56 \cdot 9$ |  |
|  | ... $\quad .$. | 400 |  | 393 | 51.7 | 264.1 | 215.6 | 5.7 | 13.7 | 17.9 | 19.1 | 56.8 | 55.9 57.2 |  |
|  |  | 464 |  | 395 | $54 \cdot 2$ | $280 \cdot 9$ | 225.3 | $5 \cdot 1$ | 14.3 | 17.9 | 18.2 | 54.8 | 55.6 |  |
|  | ... ... | 401 |  | 400 | $47 \cdot 0$ | $253 \cdot 3$ | $206 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | 14.0 | 18.6 | 19.0 | 55.8 | 55.5 |  |
| 1957 | July... August <br> September.. | $\begin{aligned} & 469 \\ & 372 \\ & 377 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 490 \\ & 374 \\ & 371 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 349 \\ & 364 \\ & 370 \end{aligned}$ | $\overline{-}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 326 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 279.7 \\ & 281.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 263 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 226 \cdot 6 \\ & 227 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 3 \cdot 8 \\ & 5 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.1 * \\ & 11.9 \\ & 13.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 15 \cdot 7 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.6 \text { * } \\ & 15.7 \\ & 17.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48.9 * \\ & 39.6 \\ & 55.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 51 \cdot 3 * \\ & 46.6 \\ & 58.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October November... December... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 435 \\ & 466 \\ & 377 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \\ & 452 \\ & 400 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 422 \\ & 449 \\ & 400 \end{aligned}$ | 161.8* $164 \cdot 5$ $158 \cdot 9$ | $\begin{aligned} & 336 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 316 \cdot 4 \\ & 282 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 271 \cdot 8 \\ & 264 \cdot 0 \\ & 250.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.9 \\ & 6.3 \\ & 5.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.7 \text { * } \\ & 14.8 \\ & 11.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.0 \\ & 17.2 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 17 \cdot 1 \\ & 16.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68.8 \\ & 57.8 \\ & 53.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 78.3^{*} \\ & 61.1 \\ & 51.9 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | January  <br> February ... | $\begin{aligned} & 464 \\ & 385 \\ & 423 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 479 \\ & 426 \\ & 496 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 478 \\ & 424 \\ & 493 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 72 \cdot 2^{*} \\ 0 \cdot 3 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 294 \cdot 6 * \\ & 233 \cdot 8 \\ & 213 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 251 \cdot 1^{*} \\ & 197.9 \\ & 156.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 5 \cdot 2 \\ & 5 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.9 * \\ & 13.2 \\ & 14.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.6^{*} \\ & 18.9 \\ & 18.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.7 * \\ & 19.6 \\ & 19.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 54 \cdot 9 \\ & 52 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54.9 * \\ & 55 \cdot 1 \\ & 53 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | March ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April May June | $\begin{aligned} & 287 \\ & 156 \\ & 148 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 429 \\ & 351 \\ & 287 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 427 \\ & 351 \\ & 287 \end{aligned}$ | 二 | $\begin{aligned} & 253 \cdot 1^{*} \\ & 214 \cdot 1 \\ & 234 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202.2^{*} \\ & 182.0 \\ & 191.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.0^{*} \\ & 4.2 \\ & 4.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.8^{*} \\ & 14.1 \\ & 14.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.3^{*} \\ & 15.9 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.4^{*} \\ & 17.3 \\ & 17.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66.9 * \\ & 54 \cdot 4 \\ & 54.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 66 \cdot 3 * \\ & 49 \cdot 6 \\ & 47 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... <br> August <br> September... | $\begin{aligned} & 340 \\ & 340 \\ & 379 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 364 \\ & 347 \\ & 373 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 364 \\ & 347 \\ & 373 \end{aligned}$ | $\overline{0.2}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 325 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 228 \cdot 0 \\ & 235 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 250 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 182.7 \\ & 191.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 4 \cdot 2 \\ & 4 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.6 * \\ & 11.5 \\ & 14.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.9 * \\ & 15 \cdot 2 \\ & 16 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \cdot 2 \\ & 16.9 \\ & 17.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 39.3 \\ & 53.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54.7 * \\ & 45.5 \\ & 54.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| October ... November... December ... |  | $\begin{aligned} & 432 \\ & 370 \\ & 349 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 418 \\ & 427 \\ & 419 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 417 \\ & 423 \\ & 416 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 148.8^{*} \\ & 173.4 \\ & 169.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 314 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 254 \cdot 2^{\prime} \\ & 234 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 251 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 209 \cdot 9 \\ & 201 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.2^{*} \\ & 5.4 \\ & 4.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.6^{*} \\ & 13.4 \\ & 10.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 16.5 \\ & 16.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 1^{*} \\ & 16 \cdot 5 \\ & 15 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \cdot 5 * \\ & 55 \cdot 2 \\ & 49.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 1 * \\ & 58 \cdot 0 \\ & 46 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | January <br> Februar <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 368 \\ & 320 \\ & 337 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 449 \\ & 386 \\ & 419 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 447 \\ & 385 \\ & 418 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 189.8^{*} \\ 41.2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 280 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 238 \cdot 6 \\ & 239.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 239.4^{*} \\ & 197.8 \\ & 202.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 5 \cdot 1 \\ & 4.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.1 * \\ & 12.8 \\ & 14.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 17.0 \\ & 15.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 1^{*} \\ & 17.6 \\ & 16.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 51 \cdot 2 \\ & 49 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 53.0 * \\ & 53.6 \\ & 51.8 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April | $\begin{aligned} & 301 \\ & 198 \\ & 218 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 399 \\ & 345 \\ & 316 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 399 \\ & 345 \\ & 316 \end{aligned}$ | 二* | $\begin{aligned} & 347 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 259.7 \\ & 280 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 293 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 214 \cdot 1 \\ & 242 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 6 * \\ & 4 \cdot 0 \\ & 4 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.2^{*} \\ & 13.8 \\ & 14.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 16.3 \\ & 17 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23.1 * \\ & 17.5 \\ & 18.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64 \cdot 1 * \\ & 49.4 \\ & 48 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \cdot 8^{*} \\ & 46 \cdot 8 \\ & 43 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... ... | $\begin{aligned} & 309 \\ & 347 \\ & 371 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 335 \\ & 345 \\ & 360 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 335 \\ & 345 \\ & 360 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{\overline{-}^{*}}{5 \cdot 4}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 374 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 243 \cdot 0 \\ & 232 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 314.1^{*} \\ & 186.8 \\ & 179.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 5 * \\ & 3.5 \\ & 4.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 * \\ & 10.4 \\ & 14.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 13.8 \\ & 15.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 0^{*} \\ & 15 \cdot 0^{\prime} \\ & 16 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 2^{*} \\ & 33.5 \\ & 55 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 49 \cdot 6^{*} \\ & 41 \cdot 0 \\ & 51 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October November... December . | 407 | 398 | 397 | 226.4 | 274.7 | $235 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $17 \cdot 6$ |  |  | 59.5 | 78.8 |  |

[^19]Source : Ministry of Agriculture,

Meat : Animals slaughtered and meat produced (1)


Meat : Imported meat stocks in cold storage
TABLE III
End of period
Thousand tons

|  |  |  |  | Total( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Beef | Veal | Mutton and lamb | Pork | Offal |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1953 \\ & 1954 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118.1 \\ & 158.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \end{aligned}$ | $\ldots$ | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $80 \cdot 2$ 83.0 95.4 | 41.1 45.1 46.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 2.0 \\ & 1.1 \\ & 1.7 \end{aligned}$ | 28.8 23.6 36.2 | 2.7 2.5 2.8 | $5 \cdot 6$ 10.7 8.3 |
| 1958 | October <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 61.1 71.0 80.7 | 23.3 28.6 37.7 | 0.8 0.7 0.9 | 26.4 $31 \cdot 1$ $31 \cdot 2$ | 1.9 2.3 1.9 | 8.7 8.3 9.0 |
| 1959 | January February March .. | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $85 \cdot 1$ <br> $87 \cdot 3$ <br> $95 \cdot 8$ | $40 \cdot 6$ $34 \cdot 1$ $34 \cdot 3$ | 0.8 0.7 0.7 | 33.0 42.9 50.6 | $2 \cdot 3$ $2 \cdot 2$ $2 \cdot 5$ | 8.4 7.4 7.7 |
|  | April May June | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 102.9 91.6 70.5 | 26.0 21.8 15.0 | 0.6 0.5 0.4 | $66 \cdot 9$ $60 \cdot 7$ $47 \cdot 3$ | 2.4 2.1 1.7 | 7.0 6.5 6.1 |
|  | July August... September | $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $62 \cdot 3$ $66 \cdot 2$ $68 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.4 \\ & 17.1 \\ & 21.4 \end{aligned}$ | 0.2 0.2 0.2 | 36.4 $38 \cdot 0$ 34.1 | 1.3 1.3 1.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 8.0 \\ 9.6 \\ 10.9 \end{array}$ |
|  | October November December | $\ldots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 2 \\ & 71.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 7 \\ & 28 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.5 \\ & 0.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 1 \\ & 28 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.5 \\ & 2.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.4 \\ & 10.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Figures up to April 1955 may include small quantities of home-killed frozen meat. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Bacon, canned meat, fish, oils and fats

| TABLE 112 |  |  | Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Bacon and ham |  | Canned meat | Fresh, frozen and cured fish |  |  |  | Canned fish | Seed crushing |  | Vegetable oil disposal $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Whale and herring oil disposals $\left.\left.{ }^{1}\right)^{2}\right)$ | Margarine | Compound cooking fat |
|  | Production | $\begin{gathered} \text { Dis- } \\ \text { posals }\left({ }^{3}\right) \end{gathered}$ | Production | British landings | Total (landed weight) | Disposals |  | Production | Oilseeds and nuts crushed |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | For food in the United Kingdom |  |  |  |  |  |  | Production |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Landed weight | Filleted weight |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1934 to 1938 | $13 \cdot 3{ }^{5}$ ) | $45 \cdot 2$ |  | $85 \cdot 3$ | 93.7 | 73.6 | $38 \cdot 3$ | $0.7\left({ }^{6}\right)$ | 124.4 | $38 \cdot 6$ | 48.5 | 11.5 | $15 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 8$ |
| $1953 \ldots$ 1954 | 20.3 20.1 | 47.1 46.1 | 2.6 2.2 | 80.1 76.3 | 87.6 82.8 | 70.5 68.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 9 \\ & 35 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 0.9 1.0 | 95.8 92.0 | 42.6 39.1 | 79.6 77.4 | 8.6 9.8 | 33.9 31.6 30.5 | 17.4 14.2 |
| 1955 ... | 20.2 | 46.1 | $2 \cdot 6$ | 78.0 | 85.7 | 71.1 | 36.5 | 1.0 | 90.2 | $36 \cdot 5$ | 73.8 | 9.7 | 30.5 | , |
| 1956 ... | 17.4 | 44.1 | 3.0 | $75 \cdot 7$ | $83 \cdot 6$ | $72 \cdot 7$ | 37.4 | 1.1 | 91.2 | 37.4 | $70 \cdot 7$ | $8 \cdot 7$ | 30.5 | 12.1 |
| 1957 ... | 17.6 | $45 \cdot 3$ | 3.1 | 71.1 | $80 \cdot 3$ | 71.3 | $36 \cdot 7$ | 1.0 | 85.8 | 35.2 | $65 \cdot 7$ | 10.4 | 39.3 | 10.9 |
| 1958 ... | 18.0 | $46 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $70 \cdot 5$ | 79.0 | 71.0 | $36 \cdot 7$ | 0.9 | $77 \cdot 7$ | $30 \cdot 7$ | $61 \cdot 2$ | 11.7 | 27.4 | 11.4 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1957 \text { July } \begin{array}{l} \text { August } \\ \text { Sept. ... } \end{array} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.9 * \\ & 15.9 \\ & 18.3 \end{aligned}$ | $54 \cdot 4 *$ $40 \cdot 0$ $47 \cdot 5$ | \} $2 \cdot 7\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 3 \\ & 90 \cdot 1 \\ & 64 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 87 \cdot 4$ | $74 \cdot 2$ | 38.4 | $1 \cdot 3\{$ | $75.1 *$ 69.8 83.4 | $31.0 *$ 28.5 35.7 | $\} 62 \cdot 6$ | $11 \cdot 2\{$ | 32.2* 26.3 29.9 | $11.2 *$ 9.7 10.6 |
| October <br> Nov. <br> Dec. ... | 22.9* 17.3 15.8 | $55 \cdot 2 *$ $43 \cdot 7$ $42 \cdot 4$ | \} $3 \cdot 4\{$ | $72 \cdot 7$ $68 \cdot 9$ $60 \cdot 3$ | $\} 78.1$ | $70 \cdot 3$ | $37 \cdot 0$ | $0.9\{$ | $102.7 *$ 78.2 80.7 | $41 \cdot 8 *$ 31.7 $31 \cdot 2$ | $\} 65 \cdot 4$ | $11.5\{$ | $35.2 *$ 29.6 28.1 | 13.5 10.8 10.8 |
| 1958 January February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 17.9 * \\ & 15.0 \\ & 15.7 \end{aligned}$ | 50.9* $42 \cdot 9$ $43 \cdot 3$ | \} $3 \cdot 8\{$ | 54.7 $63 \cdot 5$ $67 \cdot 4$ | $\}^{73} \cdot 4$ | $66 \cdot 6$ | $34 \cdot 6$ | $0.7\{$ | 90.3** 77.5 80.8 | 34.7* 29.9 $32 \cdot 7$ | $\} 60.8$ | $11 \cdot 2\{$ | 32.0* 28.0 29.2 | 12.8 11.0 10.8 |
| April ... <br> May <br> June | $20.4 *$ 16.6 16.7 | $52.7 *$ $43 \cdot 1$ $44 \cdot 0$ | $\} 3 \cdot 4\{$ | $65 \cdot 8$ $75 \cdot 2$ $80 \cdot 4$ | $\} 80 \cdot 4$ | 73.4 | 36.8 | $0.9\{$ | 97.0* 61.6 66.3 | $39 \cdot 9 *$ $25 \cdot 3$ $27 \cdot 0$ | $\} 67 \cdot 7$ | $11 \cdot 4\{$ | 32.3* 22.7 24.4 | $13.4 *$ 10.8 10.4 |
| July ... <br> August <br> Sept. ... | $21.4 *$ 17.5 19.2 | $53 \cdot 1 *$ $43 \cdot 2$ $44 \cdot 4$ | \} $3 \cdot 6\{$ | 84.8 79.1 69.0 | \} 83.9 | $73 \cdot 6$ | $38 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 3\{$ | $75 \cdot 3 *$ 55.8 75.1 | $31.3 *$ 21.7 29.9 | $\} 57 \cdot 0$ | $11 \cdot 6\{$ | $28.2 *$ 20.8 24.4 | $11.8 *$ 10.2 11.6 |
| October <br> Nov. <br> Dec. ... | $\begin{aligned} & 22.7^{*} \\ & 17.2 \\ & 15.6 \end{aligned}$ | $55 \cdot 8 *$ 39.9 41.7 | \} $4 \cdot 5\{$ | 68.4 71.1 66.8 | $\} 78.4$ | $70 \cdot 4$ | $36 \cdot 9$ | $0.9\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 90 \cdot 1 * \\ & 80 \cdot 2 \\ & 81 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $35 \cdot 7 *$ $31 \cdot 1$ 29.6 | $\} 59 \cdot 3$ | $12 \cdot 4\{$ | $32 \cdot 4 *$ 27.4 26.7 | $13.4 *$ 10.8 9.9 |
| 1959 January February March ... | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 17.1 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ | $49 \cdot 2 *$ $42 \cdot 0$ $42 \cdot 5$ | \} $5 \cdot 1\{$ | 64.0 56.6 68.1 | $\} 73 \cdot 8$ | $66 \cdot 8$ | $34 \cdot 2$ | $0.8\{$ | $116.1 *$ 92.9 85.6 | 43.2* $34 \cdot 4$ $31 \cdot 7$ | $\} 62 \cdot 0$ | $11 \cdot 19$ | 30.0* 27.4 26.7 | $12.3 *$ 10.0 9.9 |
| April <br> May <br> June $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 1^{*} \\ & 17 \cdot 6 \\ & 16.4 \end{aligned}$ | $53 \cdot 2 *$ $43 \cdot 1$ $44 \cdot 2$ | $\} 3 \cdot 7$ | $62 \cdot 6$ $65 \cdot 3$ $78 \cdot 1$ | $\} 76 \cdot 3$ | $70 \cdot 9$ | $36 \cdot 7$ | 0.92 | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 5 * \\ & 75 \cdot 2 \\ & 74 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 66 \cdot 3$ | $13 \cdot 1\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \cdot 9 * \\ & 27 \cdot 2 \\ & 26 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $12.3 *$ 10.3 11.7 |
| July ... <br> August <br> Sept. ... | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \cdot 4^{*} \\ & 16 \cdot 0 \\ & 16 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54 \cdot 3^{*} \\ & 44 \cdot 4 \\ & 43 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 3 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 3 \\ & 87 \cdot 1 \\ & 73 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | \} $90 \cdot 7$ | $76 \cdot 9$ | $39 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 5\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \cdot 6 * \\ & 66 \cdot 0 \\ & 84 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 1 * \\ & 21 \cdot 9 \\ & 30 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 60.7$ | $13 \cdot 0\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 5^{*} \\ & 24.8 \\ & 28.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10.9 * \\ 9.4 \\ 10.8 \end{gathered}$ |
| October <br> Nov. <br> Dec. | $\begin{aligned} & 19.5^{*} \\ & 14.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 54.5 * \\ & 43.5 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | $97 \cdot 5$ | $35 \cdot 1$ |  |  | 36.7 | 12.3 |

[^20]Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Milk, milk products and eggs
Production and disposals : monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods


Fruit, vegetables, tea, cocoa, coffee, beer and spirits
Production and disposals : monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods

TABLE 114


[^21]* Five week period.

Source : Ministry of Agriculture,
Fisheries and Food and H.M. Customs and Excise


## Estimated household food expenditure and consumption in Great Britain Analysis by composition of household

Second quarter 1959


## XI. EXTERNAL TRADE

Value of the external trade of the United Kingdom $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$

| TABLE 117 |  | Monthly averages or calendar months |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ¢ million |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Imports (c.i.i.) |  |  |  |  | Exports of United Kingdom produce (f.o.b.) |  |  |  |  | Reexports (f.o.b.) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { trade } \end{gathered}$ |
|  |  | Total <br> $\left(^{3}\right)\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Food, } \\ \text { beverages } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { tobacco } \\ \text { (Class A) } \end{gathered}$ | Basic materials <br> (Class B) | Fuels <br> (Class C) | Manufactured goods <br> (Class D) | Total( ${ }^{(3)}$ | Manufactured goods-Class D |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Metals ( ${ }^{5}$ ) | Engineering products ${ }^{6}$ ) | Textiles, excluding clothing (') | Other |  |  |
| 1938 |  | $76 \cdot 6$ | $35 \cdot 8$ | $20 \cdot 0$ | 3.9 | 16.3 | $39 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | $9 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | $7 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 1$ | -32.2 |
| 1953 1954 |  | 277.2 279.8 | 108.6 109.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 7 \\ & 85 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 53.4 \\ 56.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 212.9 \\ & 220.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \cdot 4 \\ & 28 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80 \cdot 0 \\ & 83 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 1 \\ & 27 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \cdot 0 \\ & 40.9 \end{aligned}$ | 8.6 8.2 | -55.8 -51.1 |
| 1955 |  | 321.6 | 118.9 | 93.0 | 34.0 | 74.5 | $239 \cdot 3$ | 32.9 | 91.9 | 25.8 | $46 \cdot 5$ | 9.7 | -72.6 |
| 1956 | $\ldots$ | 321.7 | 119.6 | 91.2 | 34.5 | $75 \cdot 2$ | 261.5 | 36.7 | 104.7 | 24.5 | 50.7 | 11.9 | -48.2 |
| 1957 | ... ... | 336.8 | 123.3 | $96 \cdot 7$ | 38.8 | 76.9 | $274 \cdot 2$ | 39.7 | 111.8 | 25.0 | 51.3 | 10.8 | $-51.8$ |
| 1958 | ... ... | 312.5 | 124.4 | $75 \cdot 0$ | $36 \cdot 7$ | 75.1 | $264 \cdot 3$ | $35 \cdot 9$ | $115 \cdot 2$ | 21.2 | 49.7 | 11.7 | -36.5 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 351.3 341.8 310.2 | 136.4 121.6 | 99.1 99.1 | $37 \cdot 3$ $42 \cdot 8$ | 77.1 77.3 | 276.4 280.6 | 41.9 41.4 | 108.1 116.2 | $26 \cdot 3$ $25 \cdot 2$ | 53.0 51.2 | 12.8 9.9 | $-62 \cdot 2$ -51.3 |
|  |  | $330 \cdot 2$ | 115.6 | $97 \cdot 6$ | 40.3 | 75.4 | 262.9 | $36 \cdot 4$ | 108.7 | 24.6 | 50.2 | 9.5 | -57.7 |
|  |  | 324.2 | 119.4 | 90.8 | 34.7 | 77.8 | $277 \cdot 0$ | 38.8 | 114.1 | 24.0 | $50 \cdot 8$ | 11.3 | $-35.8$ |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 309.4 | 117.7 | 79.1 | 34.8 | 76.6 | 271.0 | 36.2 | $117 \cdot 2$ | 24.7 | $50 \cdot 5$ | 13.2 | $-25.2$ |
|  |  | $300 \cdot 0$ | 119.2 | 74.2 | 34.1 | 71.4 | $255 \cdot 8$ | 34.9 | 114.5 | 20.3 | 47.0 | 11.1 | -33.1 |
|  |  | 312.5 | 124.8 | 73.6 | 37.8 | 75.0 | $258 \cdot 6$ | 33.8 | 114.1 | 19.9 | $50 \cdot 0$ | 11.4 | -42.5 |
|  |  | 328.2 | 136.0 | 73.1 | 40.1 | $77 \cdot 4$ | 271.8 | 38.7 | 115.1 | 19.9 | 51.5 | 11.2 | -45.2 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter. 3rd quarter | 313.6 | 129.4 | 68.6 | 38.8 | $75 \cdot 6$ | 263.4 | 35.0 | 116.9 | $20 \cdot 0$ | $50 \cdot 5$ | 11.1 | $-39.0$ |
|  |  | 327.8 | 122.5 | $75 \cdot 7$ | 41.9 | $86 \cdot 5$ | 281.8 | $36 \cdot 2$ | 131.3 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 52.8 | 10.7 | -35.3 |
|  |  | 327.9 | 118.4 | $80 \cdot 5$ | 37.8 | 89.9 | $263 \cdot 2$ | 37.2 | 113.1 | $20 \cdot 0$ | $52 \cdot 0$ | 9.9 | $-54.8$ |
| 1958 | April May June | $307 \cdot 5$ | 124.2 | 75.9 | 34.3 | $72 \cdot 5$ | 262.3 | $36 \cdot 5$ | 117.4 | 21.1 | 48.9 | 11.0 | -34.2 |
|  |  | 305.3 | 118.8 | $72 \cdot 8$ | $37 \cdot 8$ | 74.9 | 284.0 | 39.0 | 127.3 | 21.9 | 53.0 | 14.3 | $-7.0$ |
|  |  | 294.5 | 118.1 | 74.5 | 33.1 | $67 \cdot 2$ | 221.1 | 29.3 | 98.7 | 17.9 | 39.2 | 8.2 | -65.2 |
|  | July... ... | 334.0 | 133.9 | $78 \cdot 6$ | 39.6 | $80 \cdot 4$ | $283 \cdot 2$ | $36 \cdot 5$ | 131.2 | 21.5 | 53.2 | 11.8 | -38.9 |
|  | August ... | 303.0 | $120 \cdot 8$ | 73.9 | $37 \cdot 3$ | $69 \cdot 6$ | $255 \cdot 2$ | $32 \cdot 2$ | $110 \cdot 1$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 50.9 | 12.7 | -35.0 |
|  | September | $309 \cdot 2$ | 122.8 | 69.5 | 39.6 | 76.1 | $237 \cdot 2$ | 32.8 | 100.3 | 17.9 | $46 \cdot 0$ | 9.8 | -62.2 |
|  | October ... | 325.4 | 135.6 | 70.2 | 40.8 | $77 \cdot 6$ | 263.2 | 35.0 | 114.0 | 19.0 | 52.2 |  | -50.5 |
|  | November... | 312.3 | 128.1 | 71.8 | 37.1 | 73.7 | 287.7 | $42 \cdot 6$ | $120 \cdot 3$ | 21.4 | 53.5 | 12.7 | -12.0 |
|  | December... | 352.1 | 147.2 | 78.1 | 43.7 | 81.2 | $265 \cdot 6$ | 39.1 | 111.0 | 19.3 | 49.2 | 9.3 | -77.3 |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> March | 328.6 | 137.0 | 73.8 |  |  | $270 \cdot 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 291.8 | 120.9 | 63.9 | $36 \cdot 3$ | 69.6 | $250 \cdot 3$ | 34.8 | 107.3 | 19.8 | 51.6 47.8 | 9.5 11.1 | -49.1 -30.4 |
|  |  | 322.5 | $130 \cdot 9$ | 68.1 | $40 \cdot 8$ | 81.5 | $270 \cdot 7$ | 33.8 | 123.5 | 19.4 | $52 \cdot 1$ | 12.8 | -30.4 -39.0 |
|  | April May June | 345.8 | 134.9 | 75.7 | 45.9 | 88.2 | $295 \cdot 6$ | 38.7 | 141.4 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 310.9 | 114.7 | 72.6 | 43.0 | 79.7 | 299.2 | 38.1 | 138.2 | 22.4 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 331.6 | 120.6 | 79.4 | 38.6 | 91.6 | 251.6 | 31.9 | 114.4 | 18.4 | 56.1 49.5 | $10 \cdot 2$ 10.0 | - 1.5 |
|  | July August September | 352.9 | 128.2 | $85 \cdot 6$ | $40 \cdot 7$ | $97 \cdot 0$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 305.2 | 106.8 | 79.6 | $35 \cdot 3$ | 82.4 | 255.5 | 34.7 34.3 | 130.9 107.6 | 21.8 20.0 | 54.9 51.9 | 9.3 9.3 | -55.8 -40.4 |
|  |  | $330 \cdot 1$ | 121.4 | 77.1 | 39.9 | 90.5 | 246.5 | 37.7 | 100.6 | 18.2 | 49.6 | 9.3 11.2 | -40.4 -72.5 |
|  | October ... November... | $360 \cdot 2$ | 141.9 | $82 \cdot 7$ | $36 \cdot 4$ | 97.9 | $306 \cdot 0$ | $43 \cdot 4$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 356.9 | 134.5 | 84.8 | $36 \cdot 5$ | 99.8 | 298.3 | 39.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \cdot 8 \\ & 132 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 4 \\ & 21 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \cdot 5 \\ & 57 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14.6 \\ 9.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -39.7 \\ & -49.1 \end{aligned}$ |

[^22]
## Volume of imports

$1954=100$
TABLE 118

|  |  |  | Total imports( ${ }^{(1)}$ | Food, beverages and tobacco (Class A) | Basic materials (Class B) | Fuels (Class C) | Manufactured goods (Class D) | From the Dollar Area | From the Sterling Area |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 100.0 111.3 110.5 114.4 114.3 | 100.0 106.8 108.6 113.2 119.0 | $\begin{array}{r} 100.0 \\ 105.3 \\ 102.0 \\ 10.2 \\ 93.8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100.0 \\ & 120.7 \\ & 115.3 \\ & 113.6 \\ & 123.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100.0 \\ & 124.9 \\ & 124.5 \\ & 129.7 \\ & 131.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 130 \\ & 128 \\ & 142 \\ & 127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 102 \\ 99 \\ 100 \\ 100 \end{array}$ |
| 1956 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 113.2 113.0 106.6 109.1 | 112.1 109.9 100.5 111.9 | 100.2 104.4 104.8 98.8 | $\begin{array}{r} 120.1 \\ 121.9 \\ 120.7 \\ 98.4 \end{array}$ | 131.5 128.1 114.7 123.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 123 \\ & 126 \\ & 121 \\ & 144 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 104 \\ 107 \\ 93 \\ 93 \end{array}$ |
| 1957 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 117.8 113.5 112.1 114.3 | 122.5 110.5 106.1 113.7 | 109.4 106.7 105.9 102.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 101.6 \\ & 116.7 \\ & 15.2 \\ & 110.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128.9 \\ & 188.5 \\ & 126.9 \\ & 134.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 138 \\ & 136 \\ & 146 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \\ 102 \\ 92 \\ 96 \end{array}$ |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 113.1 110.4 113.3 120.3 | 116.1 115.7 118.3 125.8 | $95 \cdot 3$ 92.5 90.4 $97 \cdot 1$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.4 \\ & 115.6 \\ & 127.8 \\ & 137.2 \end{aligned}$ | 133.8 124.9 131.1 136.4 | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 125 \\ & 122 \\ & 139 \end{aligned}$ | 102 95 100 104 |
| 1959 | Ist quarter <br> 2nd quarter <br> 3rd quarter | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.5 \\ & 123.1 \\ & 119.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122.1 \\ & 117.0 \\ & 109.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 92.8 \\ 99.9 \\ 100.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134.1 \\ & 153.6 \\ & 143.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 131.6 \\ & 150.1 \\ & 153.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 127 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108 \\ 106 \\ 99 \end{array}$ |
|  | October $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | $\ldots$ | 128 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ${ }^{(1)}$ ) to Table 119.
Source: Board of Trade
${ }^{(2)}$ Provisional.

## Volumie of United Kingdom exports

TABLE 119

|  |  |  | United Kingdom exports( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Food, beverages and tobacco (Class A) | Basic materials (Class B) | Fuels (Class C) | Manufactured goods (Class D) | To the Dollar Area | To the Sterling Area |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1954 |  | $\ldots$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | 100.0 | $100 \cdot 0$ | 100 | 100 |
| 1955 | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 107.4 | 106.0 | $115 \cdot 3$ | 90.0 | 108.6 | 109 | 106 |
| 1956 | ... ... | ... | 113.5 | $115 \cdot 3$ | - 119.3 | 92.0 | 115.0 | 139 | 104 |
| 1957 | $\ldots$ | ... | $115 \cdot 7$ | 124.3 | 121.9 | 79.7 | 117.9 | 144 | 105 |
| 1958 | ... $\quad$. | $\ldots$ | 111.4 | $120 \cdot 6$ | 121.9 | 81.8 | 113.1 | 146 | 101 |
| 1956 | Ist quarter | $\ldots$ | 111.7 | $100 \cdot 7$ | 126.4 | $94 \cdot 5$ | $113 \cdot 2$ | 122 | 109 |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\cdots$ | 117.0 | 103.6 | 121.0 | 88.0 | 120.9 | 154 | 104 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | $\ldots$ | 105.7 | 103.4 | 105.4 | $87 \cdot 3$ | 107.8 | 132 | 97 |
|  | 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 119.5 | 153.7 | 124.5 | 98.0 | 118.3 | 147 | 107 |
| 1957 | Ist quarter | ... | $117 \cdot 1$ | 113.0 | 136.9 | $87 \cdot 3$ | 119.8 |  |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | ... | 118.2 | 122.8 | 128.0 | $75 \cdot 5$ | 121.5 | 152 | 106 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | ... | $110 \cdot 3$ | 119.5 | 108.4 | $73 \cdot 1$ | 113.1 | 146 | 101 |
|  | 4 th quarter | ... | 117.0 | 141.9 | 114.5 | $82 \cdot 8$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 147 | 109 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter |  | 113.5 | 112.1 | 119.6 | 88.5 | 116.1 |  |  |
|  | 2nd quarter | $\ldots$ | 107.7 | 115.6 | 119.6 | $72 \cdot 2$ | $110 \cdot 1$ | 147 | 96 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | ... | 109.4 | 123.2 | 115.6 | 81.0 | 111.0 | 143 | 98 |
|  | 4 th quarter | $\cdots$ | $115 \cdot 3$ | 131.7 | 132.6 | $85 \cdot 6$ | 115.1 |  |  |
| 1959 | Ist quarter | $\cdots$ | 110.4 | 98.8 |  | 83.8 | 111.9 |  | 92 |
|  | 2nd quarter | ... | 117.6 | 111.0 | 155.1 | $71 \cdot 2$ | $120 \cdot 3$ | 187 | 96 |
|  | 3 rd quarter | ... | 111.2 | 121.7 | 133.6 | $69 \cdot 8$ | $112 \cdot 5$ | 172 | 91 |
|  | October ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | $\ldots$ | 129 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ In 1959, indices for Total imports and exports, but not for the classes, have been adjusted to include trade with the Channel Islands.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Provisional.

Value of exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom ( ${ }^{1}$ )



TABLE 121 (continued)

|  |  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Soviet Eastern Europe ${ }^{(8)}$ | Rest of the World ( ${ }^{7}$ | Commonwealth countries and the Irish Republic |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | United Kingdom Colonies ${ }^{5}$ ) | Union of South Africa | Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland | India <br> ${ }^{(6)}$ | Federation of Malaya | Australia | New Zealand | Irish Republic | Other ( ${ }^{7}$ |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | 23.7 | $2 \cdot 4$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 0.6 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 0.5 | 6.0 | 3.9 | 1.9 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 4.4 | 6.7 | 29.9 |
| 1956 |  | 122.5 | 23.5 | 7.6 | 9.0 | 11.8 | 3.6 | 19.7 | 16.4 | 7.5 | $23 \cdot 6$ | 8.2 | 21.6 | $150 \cdot 6$ |
| 1957 |  | 126.0 | 25.2 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 6.9 | 13.1 | $3 \cdot 7$ | 20.7 | 15.3 | 9.1 | 24.4 | 9.1 | $20 \cdot 6$ | 151.8 |
| 1958 |  | 113.0 | $22 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 11.6 | 3.4 | 16.6 | 13.4 | 9.0 | 23.6 | $8 \cdot 5$ | 26.8 | 137.9 |
| 1958 | October ... | 114.3 | 20.1 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 7.9 | 15.9 | $2 \cdot 9$ | 16.8 | 10.0 | 9.4 | 23.8 | 10.9 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 137.6 |
|  | November | 113.7 | 21.0 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $4 \cdot 8$ | 14.1 | $2 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 4$ | 14.2 | $8 \cdot 0$ | $22 \cdot 3$ | 8.7 | $27 \cdot 5$ | 136.9 |
|  | December | 119.9 | 24.5 | $6 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | 14.8 | $3 \cdot 1$ | 24.4 | 12.0 | $8 \cdot 0$ | 24.4 | 9.0 | $33 \cdot 3$ | $151 \cdot 3$ |
| 1959 |  | 129.4 |  | 6.2 |  |  |  |  | 16.7 | 6.9 | $27 \cdot 9$ | 7.8 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 150.9 |
|  | February | $110 \cdot 1$ | $23 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 7$ | $5 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 3.1 | 16.6 | 14.9 | $7 \cdot 7$ | 24.4 | 6.6 | 28.6 | 131.1 |
|  | March ... | $123 \cdot 0$ | 24.0 | $7 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | $8 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 5$ | 21.5 | $22 \cdot 8$ | 9.3 | 20.9 | 6.8 | $27 \cdot 8$ | 145.0 |
|  | April ... | $127 \cdot 9$ | 28.5 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 5.0 | 10.0 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 21.0 | 21.1 | 9.0 | 22.8 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 32.7 | 152.0 |
|  | May | 113.9 | 28.1 | $8 \cdot 8$ | $6 \cdot 3$ | 8.7 | $2 \cdot 5$ | 16.4 | $12 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | 23.5 | 7.2 | 24.7 | 136.8 |
|  | June | $117 \cdot 4$ | $25 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 5$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $9 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 6$ | 19.5 | 11.1 | 9.2 | 24.4 | 10.2 | $25 \cdot 3$ | 145.4 |
|  | July ... | 124.6 | 24.7 | 9.2 | 8.0 | 10.1 | $2 \cdot 4$ | 19.2 | 18.7 | 9.0 | $23 \cdot 3$ | 12.7 | $27 \cdot 6$ | 152.7 |
|  | August ... | 108.1 | $19 \cdot 6$ | 6.9 | 11.2 | 10.1 | 3.9 | 14.0 | $12 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 9$ | 12.5 | $26 \cdot 2$ | 132.9 |
|  | September | 118.2 | 23.8 | $7 \cdot 0$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 13.9 | $3 \cdot 8$ | 13.8 | 12.9 | 9.7 | 24.0 | 11.7 | 26.1 | 142.7 |
|  | October ... November December | $117 \cdot 4$ | 21.5 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 9.8 | $15 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 16.8 | 11.5 | 9.6 | $22 \cdot 3$ | 12.7 | 28.2 | 145.1 |

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 117.
(2) Includes figures for other Dollar Area countries not shown separately.
${ }^{(8)}$ Excluding Netherlands New Guinea in 1938. Including Spain.
(4) Including Eastern Germany in 193
$\left(^{5}\right)$ Including Bahrain in 1938.
(7) Including Pakistan in 1938.
(7) For 1938 Jordan, Kuwait, Trucial Oman and Qatar are excluded from "Other Sterling Area" and included in "Rest of the World". ( ${ }^{8}$ ) Excluding Eastern Germany in 1938.

Exports of United Kingdom produce and manufactures ( ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ )
Analysis by area and country
Monthly averages or calendar months
£ million
TABLE 122


TABLE 122 (continued)

|  |  | Sterling Area |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Soviet <br> Eastern Europe ${ }^{(8)}$ | Rest of the World ( ${ }^{7}$ ) | Commonwealth countries and the Irish Republic |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total ${ }^{5}$ ) | United <br> Kingdom <br> Colonie <br> ${ }^{5}$ ) | Union of South Afric | Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland | India ${ }^{(6)}$ | Federation of Malaya | Australia | New Zealand | Irish Republic | Other ( ${ }^{7}$ ) |  |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... | 17.5 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | 0.4 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 0.3 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 1.6 | $1 \cdot 7$ | $2 \cdot 0$ | 1.8 | $3 \cdot 2$ | 19.0 |
| 1956 1957 | $\cdots$ | 115.6 119.7 | $25 \cdot 2$ 24.9 | 12.8 14.4 | 4.9 5.0 | 14.0 14.6 | 3.3 3.2 | 19.9 19.6 | 10.6 11.7 | 8.6 8.5 | 16.5 17.8 | 3.6 4.7 | 21.9 21.7 | 127.8 133.0 |
| 1958 | $\ldots$ | 116.0 | 24.6 | 15.5 | 4.4 | 13.2 | $2 \cdot 9$ | 19.6 | 10.7 | 9.1 | 16.0 | 3.8 | 21.9 | 129.3 |
| 1958 | October ... November December | 116.8 125.5 | 23.7 28.8 | 12.0 17.6 | 3.7 3.9 | 16.8 13.4 | 3.0 3.1 | 19.9 17.7 | 11.9 12.9 | 8.3 8.5 | 17.5 19.7 | 4.5 5.2 | 19.8 27.7 | 129.9 139.5 |
|  |  | 110.1 | 26.1 | 13.8 | $4 \cdot 1$ | 12.7 | $2 \cdot 3$ | 18.2 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 9.3 | $16 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 3$ | 123.0 |
| 1959 | January ... <br> February <br> March | 108.3 103.3 | 23.8 24.8 | 13.1 12.5 | 3.8 4.0 | 11.8 11.5 | 2.5 2.4 | 18.7 15.8 | 7.2 7.4 | 9.1 8.3 | 18.3 16.7 | 5.4 4.3 | $23 \cdot 6$ 25.8 | 119.0 113.2 |
|  |  | 108.2 | 26.0 | 12.0 | 4.0 | 14.8 | 2.4 | 17.8 | 7.4 | 7.6 | $16 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | $26 \cdot 6$ | $120 \cdot 6$ |
|  | April | 114.3 | 25.9 | 13.9 | 4.4 | 17.5 | 2.5 | 18.5 | $7 \cdot 3$ | 9.1 | 15.4 | 3.1 | 24.1 | 133.4 |
|  | May .. | 119.9 | 26.0 | 14.0 | 4.9 | 15.7 | 2.9 | 19.9 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 11.5 | 16.9 | $5 \cdot 0$ | $26 \cdot 0$ | 138.3 |
|  | June .. | $100 \cdot 7$ | 22.7 | 11.4 | $4 \cdot 1$ | 11.4 | $2 \cdot 2$ | 17.9 | $6 \cdot 4$ | 7.9 | 16.9 | $4 \cdot 3$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | 113.6 |
|  | July ... | 116.4 | 28.6 | 12.8 | $4 \cdot 7$ | 14.7 | 2.8 | 19.0 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 9.0 | 16.4 | $6 \cdot 2$ | $22 \cdot 7$ | 134.0 |
|  | August ... | $106 \cdot 0$ | $23 \cdot 7$ | 11.8 | 4.2 | 14.4 | $2 \cdot 6$ | $16 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 8.9 | 16.8 | 4.4 | 20.9 | 117.6 |
|  | September | $93 \cdot 6$ | $22 \cdot 8$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 3.0 | 12.2 | $2 \cdot 1$ | 15.8 | 6.9 | $6 \cdot 2$ | $15 \cdot 3$ | 4.7 | 19.1 | 107.6 |
|  | October ... November December | 125.5 | 29.5 | 11.3 | 4.0 | 15.4 | $2 \cdot 8$ | 21.2 | $10 \cdot 5$ | $10 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 2$ | $6 \cdot 7$ | 23.9 | $141 \cdot 3$ |

# Imports of principal items of food( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE 123 Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  |  | Meat ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Bacon | Canned meat | Butter | Cheese | Eggs in shell | Wheat | Barley | Maize | Flour | Oranges | Bananas | Apples |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  | Million dozen | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1938 |  | $\ldots$ | 88.2 | 31.4 | 6.0 | 39.7 | $12 \cdot 2$ | 23.08 | 423.4 | $82 \cdot 8$ | 239.9 | $32 \cdot 0$ | 44.9 | 25.4 | 29.4 |
| 1956 1957 |  | $\ldots$ | 72.4 74.2 | 26.4 27.7 | 12.5 15.2 | 29.5 30.4 | 11.2 10.3 | 3.19 0.98 | 398.4 377.5 | 67.6 84.0 | 128.1 135.3 | $30 \cdot 0$ $28 \cdot 2$ | 27.6 31.1 | 26.3 26.1 |  |
| 1958 |  | $\ldots$ | 69.5 | 28.2 | 14.6 | $35 \cdot 2$ | 9.9 | 1.24 | 376.8 | $110 \cdot 5$ | 192.3 | 31.0 | 28.4 | 26.1 25.8 | 15.0 16.0 |
| 1958 | October November |  | 56.5 76.4 | 29.4 25.1 | 15.1 11.5 | $30 \cdot 0$ 31.3 | 7.8 11.9 | 2.39 3.17 | 406.1 279.7 | $35 \cdot 3$ 77.4 | $234 \cdot 2$ $234 \cdot 6$ | 32.4 29.9 | 18.2 15.5 | 28.4 22.0 | 6.1 |
|  | December |  | 69.2 | $27 \cdot 4$ | 12.0 | $36 \cdot 5$ | 15.9 | $2 \cdot 12$ | $372 \cdot 7$ | 92.4 | $292 \cdot 0$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | 41.7 | 24.9 | 9.3 |
| 1959 | January ... February | $\ldots$ | 76.7 53.9 | 27.3 25.9 | 13.1 10.3 | $37 \cdot 3$ 35.1 | 13.1 12.1 | 1.11 0.78 | 388.3 $446 \cdot 0$ | 60.2 $131 \cdot 2$ | 311.2 294.2 | 33.6 30.0 | 53.8 53.8 | 26.5 22.8 | 19.3 17.3 |
|  | March ... | $\ldots$ | 90.1 | 29.7 | 11.9 | 44.2 | 10.5 | 0.45 | 395.0 | 124.4 | $236 \cdot 3$ | 29.0 | 53.8 $30 \cdot 3$ | $22 \cdot 8$ 23.6 | 17.3 22.7 |
|  | April |  | 76.2 | 26.5 | 14.3 | 40.4 | 11.6 | 1.98 | 459.8 | 82.5 | 252.5 | 35.1 | 64.5 | 32.5 | 29.4 |
|  | May ... |  | 60.4 | 28.2 | 13.2 | 31.9 | $9 \cdot 5$ | 1.81 | 349.4 | $80 \cdot 0$ | 205.2 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 25.9 | 31.6 | 40.0 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 50.7 | 29.2 | $17 \cdot 2$ | 32.9 | $9 \cdot 8$ | 0.93 | 352.9 | $110 \cdot 3$ | $230 \cdot 4$ | 31.8 | 27.1 | $30 \cdot 6$ | 36.7 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | 78.8 | 29.2 | 20.8 | 34.8 | 9.9 | 0.36 | 407.4 | 135.1 | 203.2 | 34.1 | 27.1 | 35.5 |  |
|  | August... |  | 61.4 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 19.0 | 27.0 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 1.16 | $307 \cdot 7$ | 65.5 | 153.3 | 29.1 | $25 \cdot 1$ | 29.9 | 0.3 |
|  | September |  | $70 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | 15.6 | $27 \cdot 0$ | $6 \cdot 6$ | 0.51 | $277 \cdot 0$ | 46.7 | 204.4 | $31 \cdot 8$ | 18.0 | 31.6 | 1.0 |
|  | October <br> November | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \cdot 0 \\ & 68 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \cdot 9 \\ & 34 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18.5 \\ & 14.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \cdot 1 \\ & 31 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | 9.5 14.3 | 0.54 1.03 | 344.1 $260 \cdot 2$ | 44.4 49.4 | 236.2 | 28.4 | 18.3 | 33.4 | 4.0 |
|  | Nevember | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $250 \cdot 3$ | $28 \cdot 5$ | 16.0 | 19.0 | 4.9 |

TABLE 123 (continued)


Thousand tons

| 1938 | ... ... | 15.5 | 16.7 | 11.9 | 197.4 | 1.69 | 11.0 | 19.6 | $55 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | $135 \cdot 8$ | 22.0 | 19.0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1956 | ... ... | 10.7 | 22.0 | 10.0 | 194.3 | $3 \cdot 70$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 19.1 | $68 \cdot 3$ | 11.2 | $87 \cdot 7$ | $4 \cdot 0$ | 31.7 |
| 1957 |  | 12.9 | 18.0 | 11.0 | $235 \cdot 0$ | 3.73 | 8.4 | 22.1 | 69.5 | 10.4 | 93.3 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 31.4 |
| 1958 |  | 12.0 | 24.8 | 11.7 | $220 \cdot 1$ | 3.72 | $7 \cdot 6$ | 21.9 | 89.8 | 9.9 | $80 \cdot 3$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 29.2 |
| 1958 | October | 23.9 | 21.2 | 9.7 | 238.2 | $4 \cdot 18$ | $3 \cdot 2$ | 29.2 | 134.6 | 10.0 | 90.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | $27 \cdot 1$ |
|  | November... | 16.6 | 19.7 | 16.7 | $200 \cdot 3$ | $4 \cdot 20$ | $6 \cdot 1$ | $27 \cdot 0$ | 107.5 | 10.4 | 89.3 | $5 \cdot 8$ | 31.4 |
|  | December ... | 8.8 | 12.7 | $15 \cdot 3$ | $235 \cdot 0$ | $2 \cdot 62$ | 9.4 | $30 \cdot 0$ | 126.7 | 16.1 | $105 \cdot 3$ | $1 \cdot 3$ | 19.9 |
| 1959 | January <br> February March | $\begin{array}{r} 12.7 \\ 8.7 \\ 10.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.7 \\ & 12.2 \\ & 19.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.5 \\ & 11.9 \\ & 21.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 186.8 \\ & 179.8 \\ & 233.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \cdot 12 \\ & 2 \cdot 82 \\ & 4 \cdot 40 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22.6 \\ & 18.1 \\ & 12.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.8 \\ & 16 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.2 \\ & 125.9 \\ & 127.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 9.8 \\ 12.5 \\ 10.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 108.5 \\ 97.1 \\ 70.7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4.6 \\ 3.3 \\ 11.8 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 19.620.032.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April <br> May <br> June | $\begin{array}{r} 7.1 \\ 7.4 \\ 15.2 \end{array}$ | 20.529.1 | 23.116.8 | $245 \cdot 8$$203 \cdot 2$ | 6.745.37 | 7.22.9 | 13.812.9 | 129.174.6 | 10.67.7 | 114.284.5 | 51.723.4 | 32.947.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | $40 \cdot 4$ | 11.1 | $203 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 27$ | 1.9 | 13.0 | 65.9 | 18.8 | $85 \cdot 3$ | 1.7 | $48 \cdot 0$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September... | $\begin{array}{r} 14.0 \\ 10.8 \\ 7.5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \cdot 8 \\ & 22 \cdot 8 \\ & 22 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6.7 \\ & 2.4 \\ & 0.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 193.1 \\ & 145.8 \\ & 288.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \cdot 46 \\ & 2 \cdot 29 \\ & 3 \cdot 18 \end{aligned}$ | 2.83.33.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 17.7 \\ & 16.9 \\ & 19.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 87 \cdot 6 \\ & 91.6 \\ & 95 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15.6 \\ 18.4 \\ 9.4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 85 \cdot 3 \\ & 90 \cdot 5 \\ & 84 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.5 \\ & 5.3 \\ & 1.8 \end{aligned}$ | 35.329.228.9 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October <br> November ... <br> December | $\begin{aligned} & 22.4 \\ & 20.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \cdot 2 \\ & 20.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \cdot 7 \\ 18 \cdot 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 202.2 \\ & 178.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.98 \\ & 4.46 \end{aligned}$ | $1 \cdot 5$3.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 22 \cdot 8 \\ & 24 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.4 \\ & 108.8 \end{aligned}$ | 20.815.3 | $\begin{array}{r} 66.4 \\ 102.9 \end{array}$ | $4 \cdot 1$2.6 | 24.829.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

(1) Tomatoes and whale and fish oils have been adjusted for 1956 to 1958 to exclude trade

Source: Board of Trade with the Channel Islands and United Kingdom whale fisheries respectively. Other headings include such trade (if any) prior to 1959.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.

Imports of ores and metals ( ${ }^{1}$ )

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table II7. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Excludes ships intended for breaking up.
Source: Board of Trade
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{3}\right)$ Ingots, blooms, billets, slabs, sheet bars and tinplate bars.
Other selected imports ${ }^{(1)}$
TABLE 125
Monthly averages or calendar months

|  |  | Rubber ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Timber |  |  | Wood pulp | Paper and board |  | Jute | Sheep's and lambs' wool(4) | Raw cotton ( ${ }^{4}$ ) | Woven cotton fabrics, grey, unbleached | Petroleum |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Non-coniferous ${ }^{(3)}$ | Coniferous ${ }^{(2)}$ | Plywood |  | Newsprint | Other |  |  |  |  | Crude and partly refined | Refined |
|  |  | Thousand tons | Million cubic feet | Thousand standards | Thousand cu. metres | Thousand tons |  |  |  | Million lb . | Thousand tons | Million sq. yards | Million gallons |  |
| 1938 | . ... | 11.0 | $3 \cdot 22$ | 149.4 | 25.63 | 141.4 | $37 \cdot 2$ | 49.8 | 16.3 | 52.1 | $43 \cdot 2$ | 1.9 | $47 \cdot 3$ | 219.6 |
| 1956 1957 | $\cdots$ | 18.2 22.7 | 3.04 3.37 3. | 104.8 119.8 | 23.13 32.27 | 183.3 178.2 | 39.9 41.1 | 47.0 53.0 | 10.4 12.6 | 53.2 51.6 | 27.0 $30 \cdot 6$ | $22 \cdot 3$ 31.0 | 617.5 603.6 | 207.0 238.1 |
| 1958 | .... $\quad .$. | 17.0 | $3 \cdot 28$ | 106.4 | 33.39 | $175 \cdot 2$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | 51.3 | 11.1 | 51.2 | 21.5 | 28.1 | $732 \cdot 3$ | $240 \cdot 5$ |
| 1958 | October ... November | 14.5 14.4 | 3.24 2.67 | 124.4 132.4 | 27.14 37.94 | 181.8 194.8 | 51.2 39.6 | 51.4 50.5 | 11.6 20.5 | 49.0 63.4 | 9.9 15.0 | 32.9 31.1 | 818.7 783.0 | 284.0 $227 \cdot 6$ |
|  | December | 17.3 | 3.23 | 135.4 | 40.81 | 194.2 | 47.9 | 61.3 | 20.5 | $80 \cdot 6$ | 20.1 | 31.4 | 871.1 | 306.8 |
| 1959 | January ... | 18.8 | 2.93 | 74.7 | 38.46 | 188.2 | 34.4 | 59.4 | 18.9 | 81.8 | 19.8 | 37.8 | 838.6 | $270 \cdot 2$ |
|  | February ... | 19.7 | 3.02 | 63.6 | 37.85 | 175.3 | 18.3 | 49.2 | 15.7 | 54.8 | 15.5 | 33.1 | 824.8 | 199.9 |
|  | March ... | 16.6 | $2 \cdot 92$ | $55 \cdot 4$ | 38.25 | $170 \cdot 2$ | $36 \cdot 8$ | 54.5 | 21.7 | 79.3 | 21.6 | $32 \cdot 7$ | 818.2 | 313.1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 171.5 189.5 | 49.9 48.1 | 58.0 | 11.4 | $77 \cdot 3$ | 19.3 |  | 968.4 | 332.6 253.5 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll} \text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 14.5 13.5 | 3.75 3.62 | 92.7 162.9 | $43 \cdot 67$ $43 \cdot 36$ | 189.5 177.0 | $48 \cdot 1$ $44 \cdot 8$ | 58.4 57.8 | 5.8 10.1 | 61.3 58.9 | $18 \cdot 2$ 29.2 | 31.1 38.1 | $980 \cdot 8$ 845.0 | $253 \cdot 5$ $282 \cdot 3$ |
|  | July ... | 16.5 | 3.84 | 197.9 | 40.45 | 151.4 | $49 \cdot 3$ | 55.7 | 10.0 | $63 \cdot 6$ | 31.9 | 38.7 | 861.9 | 313.7 |
|  | August ... | 21.4 | $3 \cdot 65$ | $160 \cdot 5$ | 34.48 | 176.2 | 31.7 | $45 \cdot 2$ | 9.2 | 33.5 | 23.3 | $36 \cdot 2$ | 799.9 | $225 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September | 20.3 | $4 \cdot 28$ | 155.2 | $36 \cdot 37$ | 196.9 | 49.2 | 67.5 | 7.6 | 24.6 | 17.9 | 39.4 | 889.5 | $293 \cdot 6$ |
|  | October ... | 11.4 | $3.96$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 814.0 |  |
|  | November December... | 17.1 | $3 \cdot 20$ | $139.1$ | $43 \cdot 82$ | $185 \cdot 6$ | $59 \cdot 7$ | $54 \cdot 7$ | $14.0$ | $61 \cdot 0$ | 29.7 | $45 \cdot 1$ | 843.6 | $245.9$ |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left(^{1}\right)$ to Table IIT. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Retained imports. Natural and synthetic rubber. <br> $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding sleepers of all kinds and pitwood. Coniferous figures also exclude boxboards and pulpwood but include softwood, planed or dressed, whether or not of coniferous species. <br> ${ }^{(4)}$ Retained Imports. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Exports of coal, iron and steel and non-ferrous metals ( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 126
Monthly averages or calendar months

${ }^{(1)}$ ) Figures prior to 1959 have not been adjusted to exclude trade with the Channel Islands.
Source : Board of Trade
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Non-alloy, excluding sheet bars and tinplate bars. . ${ }^{( }{ }^{3}$ ) Non-alloy.
Exports of machinery and vehicles ( ${ }^{1}$ )
TABLE 127
Monthly averages or calendar months


[^23]Exports of textiles ( ${ }^{1}$ )

${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table $126 . \quad\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding fents from January 1956.
Source: Board of Trade

## Other selected exports

TABLE 129

|  |  | Refined sugar | Sodium compounds | Paper and board | Cement | Electric cables, wires, etc. ${ }^{2}$ ) | Plastics materials | Leather, dressed and undressed | Pottery | Refined petroleum | Motor tyres | Spirits | Cigarettes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Thousand tons |  |  |  |  | Thousand cwt . |  |  | Million gallons | Thousands | Th. proof gallons | Th. cwt. |
| 1938 | ... ... | 30.2 | 29.6 | 14.4 | $60 \cdot 3$ | .. | $5 \cdot 7$ | 16.80 | 39.8 | 11.1 | 102 | 760 | 19.7 |
| 1956 1957 |  | $48 \cdot 6$ 56.4 | 54.9 47.6 | 25.8 23.3 | 128.0 110.8 | 9.22 9.45 | 154.5 176.2 | 14.29 16.03 | 57.9 54.2 | 157.1 130.5 | 207 196 | 1,518 1,662 | 30.7 26.9 |
| 1958 | ... | $47 \cdot 1$ | 43.8 | 21.8 | 98.7 | $7 \cdot 85$ | 191.2 | 15.56 | $60 \cdot 3$ | 173.0 | 201 | 1,786 | 26.1 |
| 1958 | October | $41 \cdot 3$ | 42.4 | 21.4 | 80.1 | 7.53 | $206 \cdot 5$ | 15.64 | 61.7 | 156.9 | 205 | 2,244 | $25 \cdot 3$ |
|  | November... | $48 \cdot 1$ | 47.0 | $22 \cdot 3$ | 97.0 | 8.56 | $261 \cdot 8$ | $17 \cdot 57$ | $66 \cdot 3$ | $197 \cdot 3$ | 235 | 2,244 | 24.3 |
|  | December | 49.9 | 39.7 | 22.2 | $80 \cdot 8$ | $5 \cdot 85$ | $217 \cdot 2$ | 18.38 | 53.8 | $200 \cdot 5$ | 197 | 1,759 | $20 \cdot 2$ |
| 1959 | January ... | 38.4 | 44.5 | 23.5 | 101.5 | 6.59 | 214.4 | 18.46 | 60.0 | 204.3 | 220 | 1,286 | 25.5 |
|  | February ... | $33 \cdot 5$ | 42.1 | 18.0 | 106.5 | $6 \cdot 69$ | 209.8 | 16.03 | 54.0 | 147.7 | 197 | 1,638 | 21.8 |
|  | March ... | 44.6 | $55 \cdot 2$ | $21 \cdot 3$ | $77 \cdot 2$ | 6.21 | 231.7 | 18.01 | $60 \cdot 5$ | 208.5 | 232 | 1,321 | 21.5 |
|  | April | 38.3 | 49.7 | 21.5 | 128.6 | 15.04 | $230 \cdot 6$ | 20.33 | 65.0 | 172.2 | 196 | 2,028 | 25.0 |
|  | May | 61.8 | $60 \cdot 2$ | 19.4 | 87.4 | 7.98 | 295.6 | 23.36 | 60.1 | 154.8 | 260 | 2,017 | 22.6 |
|  | June | $36 \cdot 7$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | 19.8 | 82.3 | $5 \cdot 64$ | 211.8 | 17.86 | $46 \cdot 9$ | 137.9 | 223 | 2,032 | 20.7 |
|  | July ... | 48.2 | $47 \cdot 3$ | 20.9 | 84.1 |  | 224.0 |  |  |  |  | 2,240 | 22.8 |
|  | August ... | $64 \cdot 6$ | $66 \cdot 3$ | 20.1 | 74.9 | 4.07 | 242.1 | 15.65 | 54.7 | 143.8 | 263 | 2,119 | 24.1 |
|  | September... | 43.1 | $43 \cdot 1$ | 15.3 | $73 \cdot 3$ | 7.98 | 239.5 | 15.71 | $42 \cdot 8$ | 144.9 | 213 | 2,552 | 16.4 |
|  |  |  | 59.7 | $21 \cdot 3$ | 103.7 | 5.49 | 292.6 | 18.59 | 55.0 | $200 \cdot 4$ | 276 | 2,649 | 24.7 |
|  | November... December. | $30 \cdot 5$ | 44.9 | $24 \cdot 7$ | $82 \cdot 2$ | 6.08 | 274.1 | 19.06 | $58 \cdot 1$ | $149 \cdot 6$ | 250 | 2,366 | $22 \cdot 7$ |

[^24]Source: Board of Trade

# XII. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION <br> Traffic receipts of the British Transport Commission(1) 


(1) Up to end of 1958 receipts from the following activities are excluded: British Railways'

Source: Ministry of Transport collection and delivery services, British Road Services, road passenger transport, inland waterways, ships, docks, harbours and wharves, hotels and catering. From January 1959 British Railways figures include receipts from collection and delivery and other road services of British Railways; figures for January to November 1958 have been revised on this basis.
$\left({ }^{( }\right)$The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years.

Passenger journeys originating: British Railways

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Including traffic pald by Service and other Government departments by means of vouchers (e.g. military,
Source : Ministry of Transport naval, etc.) ; tickets issued under bulk travel arrangements ; sports clubs' tickets; excursion and cheap day tickets and day returns in London Transport area.

Passenger journeys originating: London Transport
TABLE 132 Weekly averages ( ${ }^{1}$ )
Millions

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Weekly averages for 1937 are calculated from totals for the calendar year ended
Source : Ministry of Transport 30 June 1937 ; those for subsequent years are calculated from the totals for 52 weeks in each year.
( ${ }^{2}$ ) Workmen's tickets for 1937.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including traffic not shown separately.

## Public road passenger transport (other than London Transport)

Annual or quarterly totals
TABLE 133


British Railways and inland waterways: Freight traffic
TABLE 134
Weekly averages( ${ }^{1}$ )


[^25]
# Road vehicles in Great Britain : New registrations ( ${ }^{1}$ ) 

TABLE 135 Monthly average or calendar months Number


Road vehicles in Great Britain: Licences current

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Including trolleybuses and private
Source: Ministry of Transport hire cars.
${ }^{(3)}$ Showmen's tractors and special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles. For the 1956 and 1957 censuses, showmen's special vehicles and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles are included with vans and lorries.
${ }^{4}$ ) Mainly cars and goods vehicles owned by Government authorities.
${ }^{(5)}$ Licences current at any time during the September quarter.
Road traffic in Great Britain: Index of vehicle miles travelled
TABLE 137
Average month in $1958=100$

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Motor tr |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | Total | Cars | Motor cycles $\left.{ }^{1}\right)$ | Buses and coaches | Light vans $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | Other goods vehicles | Pedal cycles |
| 1958 | June | ... | ... | ... | 113 | 112 | 117 | 123 | 111 | 104 | 101 | 121 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 120 129 111 | $\begin{aligned} & 120 \\ & 130 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122 \\ & 133 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 136 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 114 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | 112 112 105 | $\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ 91 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 122 \\ & 117 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October November December | ... <br> $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | .. <br> $\cdots$ | 101 89 90 | $\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ 90 \\ 91 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 90 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 104 \\ 86 \\ 80 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 99 \\ & 93 \\ & 92 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 107 \\ 95 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 102 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | 103 84 84 |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> March | .. $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ | 78 80 102 | 79 80 103 | 74 77 100 | 53 67 98 | 88 85 93 | $\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ 88 \\ 106 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 92 \\ 93 \\ 101 \end{array}$ | 65 72 89 |
|  | April May June | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 103 126 125 | 104 127 125 | 102 128 127 | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \\ & 146 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 100 \\ 111 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 120 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 106 \\ & 110 \end{aligned}$ | 98 107 113 |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ <br> $\cdots$ | ... | 136 145 125 | 137 147 126 | 138 154 130 | 160 170 145 | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 120 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | 140 132 124 | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 103 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 125 \\ & 125 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... | 111 | 112 | 112 | 122 | 103 | 119 | 119 | 95 |

[^26]Source: Ministry of Transport and
Road Research Laboratory

Road casualties in Great Britain

Number


MERCHANT SHIPPING
Merchant vessels of $\mathbf{5 0 0}$ gross tons and over registered in the Commonwealth ( ${ }^{1}$
Merchant vessels of End of period Thousand gross tons

|  |  |  | All vessels |  |  | Tankers |  |  | Non-tankers |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | United Kingdom | Other Commonwealth | Total | United Kingdom | $\qquad$ Commonwealth | Total | United Kingdom | Other Commonwealth |
| 1939 | September 3 December | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,608 \\ & 18,457 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,891 \\ & 16,453 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,717 \\ & 2,004 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,236 \\ 3,316 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,029 \\ & 2,971 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 207 \\ & 345 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15,372 \\ & 15,141 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,862 \\ & 13,482 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,510 \\ & 1,659 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1954 \\ & 1955 \\ & 1956 \\ & 1957 \end{aligned}$ | December December December December | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 20,279 20,619 21,041 21,665 | $\left.18,016{ }^{2}\right)$ 18,207 18,484 18,833 | 2,263 2,412 2,557 2,832 | 5,318 5,404 5,597 5,930 | 5,046 5,137 5,329 5,638 | 272 267 268 292 | $\begin{aligned} & 14,961 \\ & 15,215 \\ & 15,444 \\ & 15,734 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12,970\left({ }^{2}\right) \\ & 13,070 \\ & 13,155 \\ & 13,195 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,991 \\ & 2,145 \\ & 2,289 \\ & 2,540 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | October ... <br> November December | $\ldots$ <br> $\ldots$ | 21,826 21,932 22,107 | 18,982 19,080 19,246 | 2,844 2,853 2,861 | 6,081 6,111 6,254 | 5,850 5,886 6,021 | 231 225 233 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,745 \\ & 15,822 \\ & 15,853 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,132 \\ & 13,194 \\ & 13,224 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,613 \\ & 2,628 \\ & 2,628 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January <br> February... <br> March | ... $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 22,120 22,19 22,217 | $\begin{aligned} & 19,267 \\ & 19,323 \\ & 19,353 \end{aligned}$ | 2,852 2,868 2,864 | 6,255 6,299 6,318 | 6,023 6,067 6,083 | 232 232 236 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,865 \\ & 15,892 \\ & 15,898 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,244 \\ & 13,256 \\ & 13,270 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,620 \\ & 2,635 \\ & 2,628 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April May June | ... $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,448 \\ & 22,502 \\ & 22,619 \end{aligned}$ | 19,584 19,628 19,722 | 2,864 2,873 2,897 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,469 \\ & 6,494 \\ & 6,570 \end{aligned}$ | 6,233 6,262 6,339 | 236 232 232 | $\begin{aligned} & 15,980 \\ & 16,008 \\ & 16,049 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,351 \\ & 13,367 \\ & 13,383 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,629 \\ & 2,641 \\ & 2,666 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July August September | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,693 \\ & 22,689 \\ & 22,675 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,738 \\ & 19,693 \\ & 19,682 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,956 \\ & 2,996 \\ & 2,993 \end{aligned}$ | 6,647 6,674 6,733 | 6,404 6,430 6,490 | 243 243 243 | $\begin{aligned} & 16,046 \\ & 16,015 \\ & 15,941 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,334 \\ & 13,262 \\ & 13,192 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,712 \\ & 2,753 \\ & 2,749 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October... November | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 22,718 \\ & 22,651 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,732 \\ & 19,685 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,987 \\ & 2,965 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,814 \\ & 6,825 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,571 \\ & 6,588 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 243 \\ & 237 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15,904 \\ 15,826 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13,161 \\ & 13,098 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,744 \\ & 2,728 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Steam and motor vessels only, excluding miscellaneous craft.
${ }^{2}$ ) From 28 February 1950, includes Canadian-owned non-tanker tonnage specially transferred to
the United Kingdom register, which at 30 November 1959, amounted to 404 thousand gross tons.

${ }^{(1)}$ The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abroad to a port in the United Kingdom or vice versa. Vessels calling at more than one United Kingdom port in the course of a single voyage are recorded as entered or cleared at one port only.

## United Kingdom airways

Monthly averages or calendar months ( ${ }^{2}$ )


## CIVIL AVIATION

## United Kingdom airways (1)

TABLE 142
Monthly averages or calendar months ( ${ }^{(2}$ )

|  |  | All services |  |  |  | Domestic services |  |  |  | International services |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mail | Freight <br> $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight ${ }^{(3)}$ | Passenger | Passenger miles | Mail | Freight (3) | Passenger | Passenger miles |
|  |  | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{4}$ ) |  |  | Millions | Thousand short ton-miles ( ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |  | Millions |
| 19 | ... | 831 | 91 | 453 | 4.5 | 10 | 7 | 79 | 0.9 | 821 | 84 | 374 | $3 \cdot 6$ |
| 1953 |  | 1,671 | 2,835 | $\begin{aligned} & 11,879 \\ & 12,325 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119.5 \\ & 126.3 \end{aligned}$ | 38 | 63 | 1,329 | 15.2 | 1,622 |  | 10,778 10,996 | 107.0 111.1 |
| 1954 | ... $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  | 101 | 1,656 | 18.9 | 1,775 | 2,893 3,917 | 10,996 12,885 | 111.1 131.2 |
| 1955 | ... ... | 1,826 | 4,018 | 14,541 | 175.2 | 39 | 133 | 1,979 | $22 \cdot 5$ | 1,857 | 4,025 | 14,970 | 131.2 152.7 |
| 1956 |  | 1,896 |  | 19,43020,588 | $\begin{aligned} & 201 \cdot 8 \\ & 214 \cdot 3 \end{aligned}$ | 4138 | 148135 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,315 \\ & 2,238 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \cdot 1 \\ & 25 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,950 \\ & 2,003 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,559 \\ & 4,700 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,115 \\ & 18,350 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 175.7 \\ & 189.1 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1957 1958 |  |  | 4,707 4,835 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,811 \\ & 2,003 \end{aligned}$ | 4,2814,908 | 17,03920,182 | $\begin{aligned} & 177.6 \\ & 208.3 \end{aligned}$ | 384338 | 137160169 | 1,8402,2753,565 | 21.025.640.4 | 1,7731,9611,746 | 4,1444,7484,752 | 15,20017,907 | $\begin{aligned} & 156.6 \\ & 182.8 \\ & 208.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | 1,783 | 4,921 | 23,756 | $249 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  | 1,746 | 4,752 | 20,191 |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,918 \\ & 1,818 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,155 \\ & 5,410 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26,600 \\ & 27,734 \\ & 26,789 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 281 \cdot 6 \\ & 295 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \\ & 39 \\ & 41 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 205 \\ & 200 \\ & 175 \end{aligned}$ | 4,2794,7303,551 | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \cdot 7 \\ & 54 \cdot 1 \\ & 40 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,877 \\ & 1,780 \\ & 1,801 \end{aligned}$ | 4,9505,2095,207 | $\begin{aligned} & 22,321 \\ & 23,003 \\ & 23,238 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 232.9 \\ & 241.2 \\ & 241.9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | August ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September... | 1,842 | 5,382 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November... <br> December... | $\begin{aligned} & 1,945 \\ & 2,037 \\ & 2,987 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,088 \\ & 4,804 \\ & 4,331 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19,241 \\ & 14,467 \\ & 15,213 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 196.5 \\ & 147.8 \\ & 157.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41 \\ & 43 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138 \\ & 129 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,911 \\ & 1,185 \\ & 1,144 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21.3 \\ & 13.2 \\ & 12.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,995 \\ & 1,994 \\ & 2,937 \end{aligned}$ | 4,9504,6754,219 | $\begin{aligned} & 17,330 \\ & 13,282 \\ & 14,069 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 175.2 \\ & 134.6 \\ & 144.2 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | January <br> February <br> March | $\begin{aligned} & 1,803 \\ & 1,806 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | 3,7724,115 | $\begin{aligned} & 14,012 \\ & 12,738 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 144 \cdot 2 \\ & 128.8 \end{aligned}$ | 343439 | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 117 \\ & 138 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r}1,058 \\ \hline 1,277\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.8 \\ & 11.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,768 \\ & 1,772 \\ & 2,041 \end{aligned}$ | 3,6653,9984,524 | 12,95411,75115,393 | 132.4117.8155.2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 4,662 | 16,671 | 169.5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ... | 1,8361,977 | $\begin{aligned} & 4,248 \\ & 4,825 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17,985 \\ & 21,163 \\ & 25,116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 187.0 \\ & 219.4 \\ & 262.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \\ & 36 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129 \\ & 145 \\ & 139 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,703 \\ & 2,240 \\ & 3,245 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.4 \\ & 25.2 \\ & 36.6 \end{aligned}$ | 1,8001,9411,892 | 4,1194,6805,194 | $\begin{aligned} & 16,282 \\ & 18,922 \\ & 21,871 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 167 \cdot 6 \\ & 194.2 \\ & 225 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | May |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | 1,929 | 5,333 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July... <br> August <br> ... <br> September... | $\begin{aligned} & 2,033 \\ & 1,956 \\ & 1,975 \end{aligned}$ | 5,2765,882 | $\begin{aligned} & 29,600 \\ & 31,070 \end{aligned}$ | 314.1330.8305.0 | 373539 | $\begin{aligned} & 153 \\ & 135 \\ & 135 \end{aligned}$ | 4,1634,6333,148 | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \cdot 4 \\ & 52 \cdot 8 \\ & 35 \cdot 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,996 \\ & 1,922 \\ & 1,936 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,123 \\ & 5,747 \\ & 5,390 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25,438 \\ & 26,437 \\ & 25,738 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 266 \cdot 7 \\ & 278 \cdot 1 \\ & 269 \cdot 6 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 5,524 | 28,886 | 305.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ... <br> November... <br> December.. | $\begin{aligned} & 1,915 \\ & 2,102 \\ & 3,097 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,823 \\ & 4,880 \\ & 4,645 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,424 \\ & 14,649 \\ & 16,452 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 189.3 \\ & 148.9 \\ & 169.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 34 \\ & 48 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 146 \\ & 133 \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,897 \\ & 1,187 \\ & 1,246 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 21 \cdot 1 \\ & 13 \cdot 2 \\ & 13.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,873 \\ & 2,068 \\ & 3,049 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,676 \\ & 4,747 \\ & 4,506 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,527 \\ & 13,462 \\ & 15,206 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 168.3 \\ & 135.6 \\ & 155.7 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | January <br> February March | $\begin{aligned} & 1,956 \\ & 1,877 \\ & 2,232 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,330 \\ & 4,573 \\ & 5,323 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16,177 \\ & 14,100 \\ & 19,481 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 166.1 \\ & 142.6 \end{aligned}$$200 \cdot 2$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 33 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 124 \\ & 132 \\ & 203 \end{aligned}$ | 1,1111,0101,740 | $\begin{aligned} & 12.4 \\ & 11.2 \\ & 19.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,923 \\ & 1,844 \\ & 2,193 \end{aligned}$ | 4,2064,4415,120 |  | 153.8 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $13,090$ | 131.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $180 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | 2,034 | 5,356 | 21,609 | 224.0 | 38 | 174 | 2,080 | $23 \cdot 6$ | 1,996 | 5,182 | 19,528 | $200 \cdot 3$ |
|  | May | 2,032 | 5,783 | 23,936 | 248.9 | 36 | 195 | 2,754 | 31.0 | 1,996 | 5,588 | 21,182 | $217 \cdot 9$ |
|  | June | 1,973 | 6,227 | 29,894 | 314.0 | 37 | 212 | 3,696 | 41.8 | 1,935 | 6,015 | 26,198 | $272 \cdot 3$ |
|  |  |  |  | 35,487 | 378.1 | 35 | 196 | 4,898 | 55.8 | 1,937 | 5,885 | 30,589 | 322.3 |
|  | August | 1,951 | 6,659 | 36,268 | 386.6 | 34 | 189 | 5,260 | 60.1 | 1,918 | 6,470 | 31,008 | 326.5 |
|  | September... | 2,020 | 6,589 | 35,832 | 378.0 | 39 | 222 | 4,015 | $45 \cdot 3$ | 1,982 | 6,368 | 31,817 | $332 \cdot 6$ |

$\left(^{1}\right),\left({ }^{2}\right),\left({ }^{3}\right)$, and ( ${ }^{4}$ ) See corresponding footnotes to Table I4I.
Source : Ministry of Aviation

(ii) Ordinary revenue and expenditure

| Revenue | 1958/59 |  | 1959/60 |  | Expenditure | 1958/59 |  | 1959/60 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | I Aprilto 29 Nov. 1958 | Year Budget Estimate | 1 April to 28 Nov. 1959 |  | Year | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} 1 \text { April to } \\ 29 \text { Nov. } \\ 1958 \end{gathered}\right.$ | Year Budget Estimate | $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{\|l\|l} 1 \text { Aprilto } \\ 28 \text { Nov. } \\ 1959 \end{array}\right.$ |
| Inland Revenue Duties: Income Tax |  |  |  |  | Consolidated Fund services: |  |  |  |  |
| income Tax Surtax | 2,321.8 | 839.3 | 2,147.0 | 839.7 | Interest and management of |  |  |  |  |
| Death duties | 166.6 186.9 | 48.0 118.4 | 171.0 | 49.5 | National Debt ... ... | $662 \cdot 7$ | $406 \cdot 3$ | $600 \cdot 0$ | $352 \cdot 2$ |
| Profits tax, excess profits tax and | $186 \cdot 9$ | 118.4 | 195.0 | $142 \cdot 5$ | Sinking Funds ... $\ldots$... $\ldots$ | $38 \cdot 1$ | $23 \cdot 2$ | 39.0 | 23.5 |
| excess profits levy | 274.8 | $206 \cdot 3$ | $274 \cdot 0$ | 190.6 | Payments to Northern Ireland Exchequer |  |  |  |  |
| Stamp duties | 65.4 | 38.7 | 274.0 68.0 | 190.6 60.0 | Exchequer <br> Other Consolidated Fund ser- | 76.5(1) | $45 \cdot 8$ | $79 \cdot 0$ | $48 \cdot 7$ |
| Other Inland Revenue duties ... | $0 \cdot 5$ | $0 \cdot 1$ | 1.0 | 0.1 | vices ... ... ... ... | $8 \cdot 2$ | $4 \cdot 9$ | $10 \cdot 0$ | $5 \cdot 4$ |
| Customs <br> Excise | 1,261.5 | 867.4 | 1,285.5 | $922 \cdot 2$ | Supply services ... | 4,317.0 | 2,704-5 | 4,523.5 | 2,821-1 |
| Excise $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ex } \\ & \text { Motor vehicle duties }\end{aligned}$ | 929.8 106.8 | 639.1 | 864.5 | $626 \cdot 1$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Post Office (net receipt) $\quad . .$. | 106.8 | 29.6 | 104.0 | $28 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Broadcast receiving licences | 33.7 | 4.1 19.4 | 35.0 | -21.4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Receipts from Sundry Loans | 27.2 | $26 \cdot 0$ | 35.0 30.0 | 21.4 31.4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Miscellaneous receipts ... | 104.7 | 54.2 | $150 \cdot 0$ | $80 \cdot 6$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total ordinary revenue ... | 5,479.7 | 2,890.6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Made up of proceeds of reserved taxes in Northern Ireland less Imperial Contribution mind |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


${ }^{(1)}$ This table is an abridged version of the two tables appearing in the article entitled "Financing the
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Figures not preceded by a minus sign (i.e. those for the March quarter of each year) represent an overall surplus.

## Inland Revenue duties

Net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue
TABLE 145

${ }^{(1)}$ ) In 1938/39 this tax was known as the national defence contribution.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Repayments of excess profits tax exceeded receipts by $£ 6.4$ million in the financial year 1953/54, by $£ 5.8$ million in 1954/55, by $£ 3.0$ million in 1955/56 and by $£ 0.4$ million in 1956/57: in 1957/58 receipts exceeded repayments by $£ 1 \cdot 3$ million and by $£ 2 \cdot 1$ million in $1958 / 59$.
${ }^{(3)}$ Land tax, mineral rights duties, excess profits duty, corporation profits tax and special contribution.
${ }^{(4)}$ The yearly totals include revisions which cannot be allocated to particular monthly periods.

## Customs and Excise duties

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

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The sum of the twelve monthly receipts under certain headings is slightly greater than
Source: H.M. Customs and Excise

[^27]Floating debt, Bank clearings and Capital issues

## TABLE 147

£ million

${ }^{(1)}$ Figures are for the last Saturday in the month for the first two months in the quarter and for Source: H.M. Treasury, Bank of England and 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.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ See footnotes to Table 148.
(4) Weighted averages of discount rates at the weekly allotments of 91 day tender bills during the periods shown.

(i b) New issues for United Kingdom by public corporations and public companies
TABLE 148 (continued)

|  |  |  | Total | Agriculture and horticulture | Manufacturing | Gas, electricity and water | Transport and communication | Distributive trades | Insurance, banking and finance | Miscellaneous |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1938 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | 76.7 | - | $35 \cdot 0$ | 21.7 | 0.9 | 10.3 | 6.1 | $2 \cdot 6$ |
| 1953 1954 | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $350 \cdot 4$ $406 \cdot 9$ | $\overline{1.0}$ | 107.1 166.7 | 229.6 129.7 | 2.0 82.2 | 3.8 6.7 | 3.2 18.0 | 4.6 2.5 |
| 1955 | ... | $\ldots$ | 453.0 | $\underline{1.0}$ | 178.1 | 302.2 | 82.2 | 12.7 | 28.3 | 5.8 |
| 1956 |  | $\ldots$ | 234.8 | 4.9 | $208 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 2$ | $5 \cdot 6$ | 4.4 | $5 \cdot 6$ |
| 1957 | ... ... |  | 261.6 | - | 228.1 | $6 \cdot 5$ | 8.5 | 4.1 | 12.5 | 1.9 |
| 1958 | $\ldots$ | ... | 209.7 | 4.9 | $147 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 5$ | 11.6 | $5 \cdot 7$ | 28.5 | $3 \cdot 2$ |
| 1957 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | 72.0 | - | $57 \cdot 5$ | 3.9 | 7.7 | 0.2 | 2.6 | 0.3 |
|  |  | ... | $64 \cdot 8$ | - | $63 \cdot 3$ | 0.8 | - | 0.5 | 0.3 | - 0 |
|  |  | ... | 23.8 | - | $20 \cdot 6$ | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.9 | $0 \cdot 3$ | 0.6 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $100 \cdot 9$ | - | 86.8 | 1.2 | - | $2 \cdot 5$ | 9.4 | 1.0 |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter |  | 71.7 | - | $62 \cdot 8$ | - | - | $1 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 3$ | 0.5 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 56.2 | - | 49.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 2.4 | 1.1 |
|  |  | $\cdots$ | $55 \cdot 2$ | 4.9 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 5.6 | 10.3 | 0.7 | 13.0 | 0.4 1.2 |
|  |  | \% |  |  | 15.1 | 1.8 | 0.4 | 2.1 |  |  |
| 1959 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3 rd quarter 4th quarter | $\ldots$ | $110 \cdot 4$ | 0.1 | 61.6 | 0.3 | 8.1 |  | $24 \cdot 3$ | 11.8 |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 88.8 | 0.1 | 28.3 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 11.6 | 45.5 | $2 \cdot 4$ |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | 139.9 | - | $65 \cdot 9$ | $1 \cdot 2$ | 0.7 | $5 \cdot 1$ | $60 \cdot 6$ |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Estimates, based on prices of issue and comprising issues of capital in the United Kingdom made for cash
Source : Bank of England or in conversion 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. Amounts are allocated to overseas countries so far as is practicable according to the territory for which the proceeds of the issues are to be used.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ and $\left({ }^{3}\right)$ See page 115 .

Capital issues ${ }^{1}$ )
(i c) New issues for United Kingdom by manufacturing industries
TABLE 148 (continued)

|  |  | Total | Food, drink and tobacco | Chemicals and allied Industries | Metal manufacture | Engineering, shipbuilding and electrical goods | Vehicles | Textiles | Clothing and footwear | Paper, printing and publishing | Other |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1938 |  | 35.0 | 8.7 | 4.1 | $6 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | $6 \cdot 5$ | 0.1 | $1 \cdot 2$ | $2 \cdot 8$ | $1 \cdot 8$ |
|  |  | 107.1 | 8.7 | $37 \cdot 4$ | $3 \cdot 3$ | 36.5 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 2.0 | 0.5 | 2.5 | 6.9 |
| 1954 | .. | 166.7 | 37.0 | 31.0 | 5.9 | $35 \cdot 5$ | $33 \cdot 4$ | 4.8 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 15.5 |
| 1955 | ... ... | 178.1 | 19.4 | 19.3 | $4 \cdot 2$ | 74.8 | 10.4 | 1.6 | 1.4 | $16 \cdot 6$ | $30 \cdot 3$ |
| 1956 | $\ldots$ | 208.6 | 21.1 | $62 \cdot 3$ | $6 \cdot 0$ | 84.8 | 11.8 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 12.8 | $8 \cdot 4$ |
| 1957 |  | 228.1 | 12.1 | 53.9 | 52.2 | $49 \cdot 8$ | 31.7 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 16.0 | 10.5 |
| 1958 | .. | 147.3 | 22.6 | $44 \cdot 4$ | $17 \cdot 6$ | 43.1 | 4.0 | 0.7 | 0.2 | $8 \cdot 5$ | $6 \cdot 3$ |
| 1957 | Ist quarter2nd quarter3rd quarter4th quarter | 57-5 | $7 \cdot 4$ | 1.8 | 17.9 | $5 \cdot 7$ | $3 \cdot 4$ | 0.5 | 0.4 | 14.7 | $5 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | 63.3 | 1.4 | 0.1 | 19.8 | $27 \cdot 0$ | 13.0 | 0.1 | - | 0.7 | 1.1 |
|  |  | 20.6 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $7 \cdot 6$ | 0.1 | $8 \cdot 9$ | 0.1 | - | 0.4 | - | $1 \cdot 2$ |
|  |  | 86.8 | 1.1 | 44.4 | 14.5 | 8.1 | 15.2 | 0.3 | - | 0.6 | $2 \cdot 6$ |
| 1958 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | $62 \cdot 8$ | 0.4 | 39.4 | 13.5 | 8.2 | - | 0.3 | - | 0.9 | - |
|  |  | 49.1 | 12.6 | $3 \cdot 0$ | 3.6 | $26 \cdot 7$ | - | - | - | 0.5 | $2 \cdot 6$ |
|  |  | 20.3 | 4.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | $5 \cdot 8$ | $3 \cdot 8$ | $\bar{\square}$ | 0.1 | 4.9 | $0 \cdot 4$ |
|  |  | 15.1 | 5.1 | 1.4 | - | $2 \cdot 5$ | $0 \cdot 2$ | 0.3 | 0.2 | $2 \cdot 2$ | $3 \cdot 2$ |
| 1959 | Ist quarter 2nd quarter 3rd quarter 4th quarter | 61.6 | 15.2 | 15.2 | 1.7 | 20.8 | $4 \cdot 0$ | $0 \cdot 2$ | 0.3 | $1 \cdot 3$ | 2.9 |
|  |  | $28 \cdot 3$ | 3.8 | - | - | $2 \cdot 8$ | 15.0 | 2.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 3.7 |
|  |  | $65 \cdot 9$ | 18.4 | $1 \cdot 3$ | $5 \cdot 2$ | 32.4 | 0.7 | $1 \cdot 4$ | $0 \cdot 5$ | $2 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 7$ |


| TABLE 148 (continued) |
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TABLE 149

|  |  | Notes and coin outstanding |  |  |  |  | Held by banks |  |  |  | Average estimated circulation with the public |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Bank of England notes(') | Scottish bank notes $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Northern Irish bank notes ( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Estimated $\operatorname{coin}\left({ }^{3}\right)$ | Bank of England reserve( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Scottish banks $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Northern Irish banks( ${ }^{2}$ ) | London clearing banks ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |
|  |  | £ million |  |  |  |  | £ million |  |  |  | £ million | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Index } \\ & 1954=100 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1938 |  | 631 | 529.5 | $23 \cdot 5$ | $5 \cdot 3$ | 73 | $44 \cdot 9$ | $23 \cdot 6$ | $3 \cdot 5$ | $117 \cdot 3$ | 442 | 28.5 |
| 1953 |  | 1,824 | 1,570.5 | $90 \cdot 0$ | 8.2 | 155 | $40 \cdot 8$ | 94.4 | 8.4 | 218.3 | 1,462 | 94.3 |
| 1954 |  | 1,925 | 1,662.4 | 95.5 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 159 | $34 \cdot 5$ | $100 \cdot 3$ | $8 \cdot 6$ | $230 \cdot 2$ | 1,551 | $100 \cdot 0$ |
| 1955 | ... | 2,068 | 1,795.1 | 101.8 | $8 \cdot 4$ | 163 | 37.5 | 107.0 | 8.8 | 257.6 | 1,657 | 106.8 |
| 1956 | $\ldots$... $\ldots$ | 2,199 | 1,911.4 | 109.0 | $9 \cdot 5$ | 169 | 38.4 | 114.4 | 9.7 | 271.1 | 1,765 | 113.8 |
| 1957 | ... ... | 2,301 | 1,998.4 | 116.8 | 9.9 9.4 | 176 | 34.5 35.6 | 122.0 | 10.1 | 292.6 | 1,842 | 118.8 |
| 1958 | ... ... | 2,379 | 2,068•3 | 119.4 | 9.4 | 182 | $35 \cdot 6$ | 124.9 | 9.9 | 303.9 | 1,905 | 122.8 |
| 1957 | July ... | 2,365 | 2,055•4 | 123.8 | $10 \cdot 0$ | 176 | 31.4 | $130 \cdot 2$ | 10.6 | 306.7 | 1,886 | $121 \cdot 6$ |
|  | August ... | 2,355 | 2,050-4 | 118.6 | 9.9 | 176 | 29.1 | 124.8 | 10.0 | 312.6 | 1,878 | 121.1 |
|  | September | 2,311 | 2,006.6 | 117.8 | 9.7 | 177 | $30 \cdot 0$ | 123.1 | 9.7 | 293.7 | 1,854 | 119.5 |
|  | October ... | 2,307 | 2,000-4 | 119.0 | 9.8 | 178 | 33.5 | 123.9 | 9.6 | $280 \cdot 9$ | 1,859 | 119.9 |
|  | November | 2,320 | 2,012.9 | 119.3 | 9.8 | 178 | $28 \cdot 2$ | 124.1 | 10.1 | $292 \cdot 3$ | 1,865 | $120 \cdot 2$ |
|  | December | 2,423 | 2,112.9 | 120.0 | 9.9 | 180 | 24.9 | 125.9 | 10.5 | $330 \cdot 3$ | 1,931 | 124.5 |
| 1958 | January ... | 2,365 | 2,060-4 | 114.7 | 9.8 | 180 | 53.9 | 119.7 | 10.0 | $333 \cdot 7$ | 1,848 | 119.1 |
|  | February... | 2,306 | 2,000-4 | 116.1 | 9.8 | 180 | $42 \cdot 5$ | $120 \cdot 5$ | 9.7 | 282.0 | 1,851 | 119.3 |
|  | March ... | 2,321 | 2,012.9 | $117 \cdot 2$ | 9.7 | 181 | 33.1 | 122.2 | 9.8 | 282.1 | 1,874 | 120.8 |
|  | April ... | 2,360 | 2,050.4 | 119.4 | 9.6 | 18! | 37.1 | 124.5 | 10.0 | 285.0 | 1,903 | 122.7 |
|  | May | 2,363 | 2,050-4 | 120.9 | 9.6 | 182 | 29.8 | 126.1 | 9.8 | 295.9 | 1,901 | 122.6 |
|  | June | 2,363 | 2,050-4 | $121 \cdot 3$ | 9.5 | 182 | 16.8 | 127.0 | 10.0 | $300 \cdot 2$ | 1,909 | 123.1 |
|  | July ... | 2,437 | 2,120.4 | 124.9 | 9.4 | 182 | 38.4 | 131.7 | 10.3 | 312.8 | 1,944 | 125.3 |
|  | August ... | 2,426 | 2,112.9 | 121.4 | $9 \cdot 3$ | 182 | $35 \cdot 8$ | 128.3 | 9.9 | 318.6 | 1,933 | 124.6 |
|  | September | 2,360 | 2,050-4 | 118.3 | 9.1 | 182 | 26.9 | 123.9 | 9.4 | $297 \cdot 6$ | 1,902 | 122.6 |
|  | October ... | 2,361 | 2,050-4 | 119.3 | 9.1 | 182 | $37 \cdot 2$ | 124.3 | 9.4 | 289.4 | 1,901 | 122.6 |
|  | November | 2,374 | 2,062.9 | 119.7 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 182 | 33.1 | 124.7 | 10.1 | $300 \cdot 3$ | 1,906 | 122.9 |
|  | December | 2,483 | 2,170.4 | $121 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 3$ | 182 | 36.8 | 127.2 | $10 \cdot 3$ | 339.4 | 1,969 | 127.0 |
| 1959 |  |  |  |  |  | 183 | 53.7 | $121 \cdot 2$ | 9.7 | 327.7 | 1,884 | 121.5 |
|  | February... | 2,360 | 2,050 - 4 | 117.1 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 183 | $46 \cdot 7$ | 122.1 | 9.4 | 287.9 | 1,894 | 122.0 |
|  | March ... | 2,375 | 2,062.9 | 118.4 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 184 | 29.1 | 123.5 | 9.6 | 282.5 | 1,930 | 124.4 |
|  | April ... | 2,413 | 2,100.4 | 119.6 | $9 \cdot 2$ | 184 | 41.2 | $125 \cdot 2$ | 9.8 | 298.7 | 1,938 | 125.0 |
|  | May ... | 2,415 | 2,100.4 | 121.5 | 9.1 | 184 | $25 \cdot 3$ | $127 \cdot 1$ | 9.7 | 304.3 | 1,949 | 125.7 |
|  | June .. | 2,442 | 2,125.4 | 122.2 | 9.0 | 185 | 33.5 | $127 \cdot 8$ | 9.7 | 305.4 | 1,966 | 126.8 |
|  | July ... | 2,530 | 2,210.4 | 125.3 | 8.9 |  | 41.9 |  | 10.0 |  |  |  |
|  | August ... | 2,516 | 2,200-4 | 121.7 | 8.8 | 185 | 35.4 | 129.4 | 9.8 | $334 \cdot 2$ | 2,007 | 129.4 |
|  | September | 2,449 | 2,135-4 | 119.6 | 8.6 | 185 | $25 \cdot 6$ | 126.0 | 8.7 | $305 \cdot 1$ | 1,984 | 127.9 |
|  | October ... November December | $\begin{aligned} & 2,440 \\ & 2,490 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,125 \cdot 4 \\ & 2,175 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 120.7 \\ & 120.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.6 \\ & 8.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 185 \\ & 185 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.0 \\ & 45.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 126.4 \\ & 126.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8.8 \\ & 8.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 304.6 \\ & 315.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,981 \\ & 1,994 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127.7 \\ & 128.6 \end{aligned}$ |

${ }^{(1)}$ Average of Wednesdays.
Source: Bank of England
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Months: average of Saturdays in the consecutive four-week periods as published in The London Gazette or in The Belfast Gazette, with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar month. Years : average of the thirteen published figures.
${ }^{( }{ }^{3}$ ) Excluding coin in the Bank of England Issue Department.

## Bank of England

Average of Wednesdays


TABLE 151

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | London | clearing b | nks(1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 c |  | Dep | osits |  | Balances with |  |  | Coin, B | tes and b nk of Eng | lances and, et |  | $\begin{gathered} M \\ \text { and } \end{gathered}$ | ney at short $n$ |  |
|  |  | Total | Current accounts | Deposit accounts | Other accounts | other <br> banks, items in transit etc. ${ }^{(3}$ ) | Tota ass | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Iliquid } \\ & \text { tss }{ }^{( } \text {) } \end{aligned}$ |  | tal | Cash in hand, etc. ${ }^{5}$ ) | Balances with Bank of England | Total | To Money Marke | Other |
|  |  |  | £ mi | illion |  | $\underset{\text { million }}{\in}$ | $\underset{\text { million }}{£}$ | Percentage of total deposits | $\underset{\text { million }}{£}$ | Percentage of total deposits |  | million |  | ¢ million |  |
| 1938 |  | 2,277 | 1,244 | 1,03 |  | 60 | 672 | 29.5 | 241 | 10.6 | . | - | 151 | .. | .. |
|  |  |  | 3,995 | 2,26 |  | 232 | 2,197 | 35.1 | 509 | 8.1 | . |  | 472 |  |  |
| 1954 | Averages of | 6,495 | 4,141 | 2,35 |  | 256 | 2,190 | 33.7 | 528 | 8.1 | . | . | 457 | .. | .. |
| 1955 | monthly | 6,454 | 4,113 | 2,340 |  | 269 | 2,098 | 32.5 | 529 | $8 \cdot 2$ | .. | .. | 439 | $\cdots$ |  |
| 1956 | figures | 6,288 | 3,994 | 2,29 |  | 275 | 2,218 | $35 \cdot 3$ | 516 | $8 \cdot 2$ | . | $\cdots$ | 431 | - | O |
| 1957 | ... | 6,432 | 3,972 | 2,460 |  | 295 | 2,256 | 35.1 | 526 | 8.2 | .. | . | 439 |  |  |
| 1958 | ... ... | 6,636 | 3,840 | 2,79 |  | 306 | 2,255 | $34 \cdot 0$ | 543 | 8.2 | .. | . | 434 | . |  |
| 1957 | October 16... | 6,530 | 3,960 | 2,57 |  | 291 | 2,364 | $36 \cdot 2$ | 531 | 8.1 | . | - | 427 | .. | .. |
|  | November 20 | 6,509 | 3,853 | 2,65 |  | 273 | 2,404 | 36.9 | 534 | $8 \cdot 2$ | .. |  | 412 | .. | . |
|  | December 31 | 6,929 | 4,192 | 2,73 |  | 413 | 2,664 | 38.4 | 601 | 8.7 | .. | .. | 525 | .. | .. |
| 1958 |  | 6,710 | 3,978 | 2,73 |  | 318 | 2,536 | 37.8 | 550 | 8.2 | . | .. | 423 | .. | .. |
|  | February19... | 6,400 | 3,680 | 2,72 |  | 270 | 2,254 | $35 \cdot 2$ | 515 | 8.0 | .. | .. | 414 |  | .. |
|  | March 19 ... | 6,365 | 3,655 | 2,71 |  | 279 | 2,160 | 33.9 | 516 | 8.1 | .. | .. | 438 | .. | .. |
|  | April 16 ... | 6,450 | 3,703 | 2,74 |  | 298 | 2,136 | 33.1 | 543 | 8.4 | . | . | 421 | .. |  |
|  | May 21 ... | 6,411 | 3,663 | 2,7 |  | 292 | 2,079 | 32.4 | 530 | $8 \cdot 3$ | .. | .. | 412 | .. | .. |
|  | June 30 ... | 6,669 | 3,851 | 2,81 |  | 344 | 2,190 | $32 \cdot 8$ | 550 | $8 \cdot 2$ | .. | .. | 426 | .. | .. |
|  | July 16 ... | 6,670 | 3,831 | 2,840 |  | 303 | 2,257 | 33.8 | 543 | 8.1 | . | .. | 415 | .. | .. |
|  | August $20 \ldots$ | 6,576 | 3,782 | 2,79 |  | 264 | 2,199 | 33.4 33.4 | 541 | $8 \cdot 2$ | . |  | 405 |  | .. |
|  | September 17 | 6,649 | 3,837 | 2,81 |  | 273 | 2,222 | 33.4 | 538 | 8.1 | .. | .. | 412 | .. |  |
|  | October $15 \ldots$ | 6,745 | 3,880 | 2,86 |  | 399 | 2,242 | 33.2 | 549 | 8.1 |  |  | 419 | 363 | 55 |
|  | November 19 | 6,789 | 3,901 | 2,88 |  | 383 | 2,287 | 33.7 | 555 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 317 | 239 | 442 | 389 | 53 |
|  | December 31 | 7,199 | 4,319 | 2,88 |  | 581 | 2,493 | 34.6 | 586 | 8.1 | 374 | 213 | 587 | 521 | 66 |
| 1959 | January $21 . .$. | 6,936 | 4,036 | 2,485 | 414 | 427 | 2,421 | 34.9 | 571 | 8.2 | 324 | 247 | 473 | 409 | 64 |
|  | February 18... | 6,632 | 3,830 | 2,393 | 409 | 388 | 2,141 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 533 | 8.0 | 296 | 237 | 470 | 411 | 59 |
|  | March 18 ... | 6,631 | 3,857 | 2,366 | 408 | 396 | 2,053 | 31.0 | 547 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 302 | 245 | 502 | 434 | 67 |
|  | April 15 ... | 6,707 | 3,899 | 2,387 | 420 | 427 | 2,092 | 31.2 | 554 | 8.3 | 312 | 242 | 478 | 414 | 65 |
|  | May 20 ... | 6,739 | 3,932 | 2,363 | 443 | 486 | 2,080 | $30 \cdot 9$ | 531 | 7.9 | 316 | 215 | 469 | 408 | 61 |
|  | June 17 ... | 6,788 | 3,967 | 2,394 | 426 | 423 | 2,192 | $32 \cdot 3$ | 550 | 8.1 | 312 | 238 | 488 | 424 | 64 |
|  | June 30 ... | 7,084 | 6,56 |  | 520 | 561 | 2,270 | $32 \cdot 0$ | 575 | 8.1 | $\cdots$ |  | 492 |  |  |
|  | July 15 | 6,976 | 4,078 | 2,442 | 456 | 444 | 2,283 | 32.7 | 581 | $8 \cdot 3$ | 348 | 233 | 499 | 430 | 69 |
|  | August 19 | 6,924 | 4,078 | 2,405 | 441 | 383 | 2,280 | $32 \cdot 9$ | 567 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 342 | 225 | 439 | 380 | 60 |
|  | September 16 | 7,039 | 4,143 | 2,448 | 447 | 421 | 2,339 | $33 \cdot 2$ | 572 | $8 \cdot 1$ | 321 | 252 | 480 | 422 | 57 |
|  | October $21 . .$. | 7,209 | 4,255 | 2,503 | 451 | 443 | 2,477 | 34.4 | 589 | $8 \cdot 2$ | 318 | 271 | 482 | 419 | 64 |
|  | November 18 | 7,207 | 4,273 | 2,473 | 461 | 462 | 2,419 | $33 \cdot 6$ | 583 | 8.1 | 331 | 252 | 523 | 459 | 64 |

$\left.{ }^{(1}\right)$ In 1938, average weekly balances; from 1953 balances on the third Wednesday in the month (except 30 June and 31 December).
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The figures relate to the same dates as those for the London clearing banks, and cover the Electricity Council, North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board, South of Scotland Electricity Board, Gas Council, British Transport Commission, British Overseas Airways Corporation and British European Airways Corporation.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Balances with, and cheques in course of collection on, other banks in the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland; and items in transit between offices of the same bank. Before October 1958 items in transit were included for two banks only. The figure for the old series at 18 November 1959 was $£ 347$ million. The 1958 average relates exclusively to the old series.
${ }^{4}$ ) Comprising (i) Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England, etc. ; (ii) Money at call and short notice ; (iii) Bills discounted.
${ }^{(5)}$ Includes Lloyds Bank's balances with Eastern Reserve Banks.

|  |  | London clearing banks( ${ }^{1}$ ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Outstanding advances to nationalised industries $\left({ }^{( }\right)$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Bills discounted |  |  |  | Total investments |  | British Government and Government guaranteed securities | Other investments | Advances to customers and other accounts( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | Treasury bills | United Kingdom commercial bills | Other bills |  |  | Total |  |  |  | London clearing banks | Scottish banks |
|  |  | ¢ million |  |  |  | ¢ million | Percentage of total deposits |  | ¢ million |  | £ million | Percentage of total deposits | ¢ million |  |  |
| 1938 | ... ... ... | 280 | 183 | 97 |  | 637 | 28.0 | .. | . | 976 | 42.9 |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1953 \\ & 1954 \end{aligned}$ | A..... ${ }^{\text {A }}$ | 1,220 | 1,156 1,119 | 63 87 |  | 2,163 2,321 | 34.6 35.7 | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 1,732 1,804 | 27.7 27.8 | 63.9 $133.4{ }^{7}$ ( | $69.7(8)$ $102.5{ }^{8} 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5(7) \\ & 11.27_{7} \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1955 \\ & 1956 \end{aligned}$ | Averages of monthly figures | 1,206 1,130 1,271 | 1,016 1,156 | 114 114 |  | 2,321 2,149 1,978 | $35 \cdot 7$ $33 \cdot 3$ $31 \cdot 5$ | . | . | 2,019 1,897 | $31 \cdot 3$ $30 \cdot 2$ | $126.4{ }^{8}{ }^{8}$ $\left.93.9{ }^{8}\right)$ | $120.5(8)$ $87.1(8)$ (8) | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \cdot 9 \\ & 5 \cdot 88^{8}{ }^{8} \end{aligned}$ |
| 1957 |  | 1,291 | 1,143 | 148 |  | 2,008 | 31.2 |  |  | 1,952 | 30.3 | 62.3 | 58.3 | 4.0 |
| 1958 | .. ... ... | 1,277 | 1,167 | 110 |  | 2,149 | 32.4 |  |  | 2,007 | $30 \cdot 2$ | 71.7 | $67 \cdot 6$ | 4.1 |
| 1957 | October 16 November 20 | 1,407 1,458 | 1,250 1,324 | 157 134 |  | 2,030 2,037 | 31.1 31.3 | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 1,922 1,874 | 29.4 28.8 | $69 \cdot 2$ $61 \cdot 2$ | 63.5 58.2 | 5.7 3.0 |
|  | December $31 . .$. | 1,538 | 1,403 | 135 |  | 2,049 | 29.6 | $\cdots$ | $\ldots$ | 1,881 | 27.1 | 82.5 | 78.8 | 3.7 |
| 1958 | January 15 February 19 |  | 1,435 1,207 | 128 117 |  | 2,082 2,084 | 31.0 32.6 | . | . | 1,859 1,880 | 27.7 29.4 | 83.2 58.6 | 77.5 55.6 | 5.7 3.0 |
|  | March 19 ... | 1,206 | 1,082 | 124 |  | 2,094 | 32.9 |  | . | 1,917 | 30.1 | 52.8 | $50 \cdot 7$ | 2.1 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } 16 & \ldots \\ \text { May } 21 . . . \\ \end{array}$ | 1,172 1,137 |  | 111 |  |  |  | $\cdots$ | . | 1,964 1,962 |  | 71.1 66.4 | 65.8 63.1 | $5 \cdot 3$ 3.3 |
|  | May ${ }^{\text {June } 30}$... | 1,137 | 1,026 | 111 |  | 2,163 2,181 | 33.1 32.7 32.7 |  |  | 1,962 2,029 | 30.4 30.4 | $66 \cdot 4$ $73 \cdot 2$ | 63.1 70.7 | 3.3 2.5 |
|  | July $16 \ldots \ldots$ | 1,299 | 1,200 | 99 |  | 2,193 | 32.9 | .. | . | 1,997 | 29.9 | 69.7 | 64.9 | $4 \cdot 8$ |
|  | August $20{ }^{\text {a }}$... | 1,254 | 1,162 | 92 |  | 2,199 | $33 \cdot 4$ | .. |  | 1,993 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 68.1 | $64 \cdot 3$ | $3 \cdot 8$ |
|  | September $17 \ldots$ | 1,272 | 1,183 | 88 |  | 2,203 | $33 \cdot 1$ |  |  | 2,027 | $30 \cdot 5$ | $68 \cdot 6$ | $65 \cdot 7$ | 2.9 |
|  | October 15 | 1,274 | 1,173 | 82 | 19 | 2,193 | $32 \cdot 5$ | 2,088 | 105 | 2,000 | 29.7 | 84.0 | 79.3 | 4.7 |
|  | November $19 .$. | 1,289 | 1,177 | 94 | 18 | 2,151 | 31.7 | 2,046 | 105 | 2,057 | $30 \cdot 3$ | 80.3 | 74.3 | 6.7 |
|  | December $31 .$. | 1,320 | 1,185 | 119 | 16 | 2,102 | 29.2 | 1,994 | 108 | 2,126 | 29.5 | 84.8 | 79.6 | 6.0 5.2 |
| 1959 |  |  |  |  | 19 | 2,021 | 29.1 | 1,912 | 109 | 2,170 | 31.3 | 85.3 | $77 \cdot 4$ |  |
|  | February 18 | 1,138 | 1,005 | 113 | 19 | 1,962 | 29.6 | 1,853 | 109 | 2,251 | $31 \cdot 3$ $33 \cdot 9$ | $85 \cdot 3$ 77.2 | 77.4 68.7 | 7.9 8.5 |
|  | March 18 ... |  |  |  | 19 | 1,928 | 29.1 | 1,816 | 112 | 2,364 | $35 \cdot 6$ | $81 \cdot 2$ | 73.5 | 7.7 |
|  |  | 1,060 | 932 | 111 | 17 | 1,884 | 28.1 |  |  |  |  |  | 74.8 | 7.9 |
|  | $\text { May } 20$ | 1,080 | $\begin{array}{r}945 \\ \hline 1018\end{array}$ | 115 114 | 20 | 1,837 | 27.3 | 1,719 | 118 | 2,467 | 36.6 | 81.4 | 73.9 | $7 \cdot 5$ |
|  | June $17 . .$. |  | 1,018 | 114 | 22 | 1,816 | 26.8 | 1,698 |  | 2,496 | 36.8 | 73.0 | 64.9 | 8.1 |
|  | June $30 \ldots$ | 1,203 | 1,081 | 12 |  | 1,812 | 25.6 |  | .. | 2,580 | 36.4 | 88.7 | 81.0 | $7 \cdot 7$ |
|  |  | 1,203 | 1,080 |  |  |  |  |  | 117 | 2,580 | 37.0 | $87 \cdot 0$ | 77.8 | $9 \cdot 2$ |
|  | August 19 | 1,273 | 1,150 | 104 | 19 | 1,802 | 26.0 | 1,684 | 118 | 2,616 | 37.8 | 78.9 | 69.7 | $9 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September 16 ... |  |  |  |  | 1,789 | 25.4 | 1,667 | 122 | 2,649 | $37 \cdot 6$ | 82.4 | $73 \cdot 2$ | $9 \cdot 2$ |
|  | October 21 <br> November 18 $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,406 \\ & 1,313 \end{aligned}$ | 1,272 | 117 122 | 18 21 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,729 \\ & 1,729 \end{aligned}$ | 24.0 24.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,608 \\ & 1,607 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 121 \\ & 122 \end{aligned}$ | 2,716 2,752 | $\begin{aligned} & 37 \cdot 7 \\ & 38 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 83.5 77.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 74.4 \\ 68.0 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 9.1 \\ & 9.9 \end{aligned}$ |
| ${ }^{(6)}$ Includes advances by the London clearing banks to the nationalised industries, as shown separately. Before October 1958 also included items in transit for eight banks. The figure for the old series at 18 November 1959 was $£ 2,849$ million. The 1958 averages relate exclusively to the old series. <br> ${ }^{(7)}$ At 31 December. <br> ${ }^{(8)}$ Average of amounts outstanding at mid-March, end-June, mid-September and end-December. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TABLE 152


TABLE 152 (continued)

|  |  | Building and contracting |  | Public utilities (other than transport) | Transport and communication | Shipping and shipbuilding | Retail trade | Unclassifiable industry and trade | Finance |  |  | Local government authorities | Churches, charities, hospitals, etc. |  | Entertainment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Builders and contractors | Building materials |  |  |  |  |  | Stockbrokers | Hire purchase finance companies | Other financial |  |  |  |  |
| 1954 |  | 61.3 | 17.7 | 120.5 | 18.1 | 16.5 | 176.9 | 113.0 | $13.3{ }^{(3)}$ | 15.1 | 178.0 | 89.0 | 12.6 | 374.3 | 21.1 |
| 1955 |  | $72 \cdot 2$ | 22.4 | 163.0 | 21.3 | 22.4 | 192.7 | 133.6 | 12.7 | 38.6 | 177.0 | 90.9 | 13.6 | 389.1 | 21.5 |
| 1956 |  | 68.8 | 21.3 | 94.5 | $20 \cdot 3$ | 28.0 | 173.1 | $130 \cdot 4$ | 10.7 | 28.7 | 175.1 | $80 \cdot 7$ | 12.7 | 331.9 | 20.0 |
| 1957 |  | $64 \cdot 2$ | 20.9 | 56.8 | 21.3 | 34.5 | 166.2 | 131.8 | 14.2 | 31.4 | 188.1 | 83.0 | 13.0 | 324.4 | 19.9 |
| 1958 |  | 67.1 | 21.0 | $65 \cdot 8$ | 21.0 | 51.9 | $182 \cdot 2$ | 139.8 | 9.8 | 32.0 | 178.5 | $79 \cdot 3$ | 13.8 | $340 \cdot 7$ | 21.4 26.4 |
| 1959 |  | $97 \cdot 0$ | 23.7 | 79.2 | 28.0 | 73.9 | $265 \cdot 4$ | 173.1 | 16.9 | 89.1 | 235.9 | 92.1 | 16.5 | $512 \cdot 1$ | 26.4 |
| 1957 | Feb. .. | 64.8 | $20 \cdot 8$ | $65 \cdot 5$ | $22 \cdot 0$ | 31.3 | 163.8 | 124.9 | 14.2 | 28.3 | 190.2 | 81.3 | 12.4 | 324.1 | 19.6 |
|  | May ... | $66 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 5$ | 54.7 | 21.8 | 29.1 | 174.0 | 127.4 | 17.9 | 33.9 | 199.9 | 91.2 | 12.7 | $325 \cdot 3$ | 20.1 |
|  | August | 64.9 | 21.5 | $50 \cdot 4$ | 20.9 | $35 \cdot 0$ | 162.6 | 139.6 | 16.0 | 33.7 | 198.2 | 84.7 | 13.9 | 331.5 | 19.8 |
|  | Nov.... | $60 \cdot 9$ | 20.7 | $56 \cdot 5$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | $42 \cdot 4$ | 164.5 | 135.4 | $8 \cdot 8$ | 29.6 | 163.9 | 74.7 | 12.9 | 316.7 | 20.0 |
| 1958 | Feb. ... | 61.6 | 21.5 | 53.5 | 22.7 | $43 \cdot 9$ | 167.1 | 133.1 | 7.9 | 30.1 | 171.6 | 74.5 | 12.4 | 319.7 | 21.1 |
|  | May ... | $64 \cdot 2$ | $20 \cdot 6$ | 61.8 | $20 \cdot 7$ | 48.5 | 184.9 | 136.2 | $10 \cdot 2$ | 31.0 | 176.1 | $80 \cdot 8$ | 12.5 | 324.0 | 21.3 |
|  | August | 68.4 | 21.5 | 67.9 | 19.8 | $56 \cdot 3$ | 175.5 | 144.8 | 10.3 | $27 \cdot 4$ | $185 \cdot 2$ | 83.0 | 14.7 | 335.8 | 21.1 |
|  | Nov.... | 74.0 | $20 \cdot 2$ | $80 \cdot 0$ | 20.9 | 58.9 | 201.2 | 145.1 | $10 \cdot 7$ | 39.6 | $181 \cdot 3$ | 79.0 | 15.4 | $383 \cdot 3$ | 21.9 |
| 1959 | Feb. ... | 83.8 | 23.0 | 75.5 | $27 \cdot 5$ | $66 \cdot 7$ | 235.3 | 158.4 | 14.1 | 59.0 | 203.7 | 95.0 | 15.2 | 436.5 | 25.4 |
|  | May ... | 94.0 | 23.0 | 81.6 | 28.5 | 75.8 | 255.1 | 165.0 | 16.4 | $82 \cdot 8$ | 224.2 | 85.4 | 16.0 | 487.4 | $25 \cdot 7$ |
|  | August | 101.8 | 24.6 | $80 \cdot 4$ | $28 \cdot 3$ | $75 \cdot 3$ | $268 \cdot 7$ | $180 \cdot 2$ | 17.9 | $100 \cdot 5$ | 251.6 | 93.2 | 17.8 | $543 \cdot 6$ | 27.2 |
|  | Nov.... | 108.3 | 24.1 | 79.4 | $27 \cdot 7$ | 77.7 | 302.3 | 188.6 | 19.0 | 114.1 | 264.1 | 94.6 | $17 \cdot 2$ | 581.1 | $27 \cdot 2$ |

${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ ) Advances within Great Britain by member banks of the British Bankers' Association. The
Source : British Bankers' Association annual figures are averages of the figures for February, May, August and November of each year.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Of which, London clearing banks ( $£$ million):

|  |  | 1957 | 1958 | 1959 |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| February | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $1,728.9$ | $1,68 \cdot 6$ | $2,148 \cdot 7$ |
| May | $\ldots$ | $\ldots 89.8$ | $1,762 \cdot 9$ | $2,344.7$ |  |
| August | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $1,781.8$ | $1,810.7$ | 2.505 .9 |
| November | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $1,669 \cdot 8$ | $1,937 \cdot 4$ | $2,624 \cdot 9$ |

$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including, from February 1954, certain short-term lendings (averaging $£ 3.5$ million in 1954) previously not incorporated in this analysis.

# National savings 



|  |  |  |  | mium Bo |  | Post | fice Savi | ngs Bank |  |  | Trustee Sav | vings Bank |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Amount remaining |  |  | Balance | Ordi | ry Depa | rtments | Spe | cial Inves Departme | ment ts |
|  |  |  | Pu | ments | invested (end of period) | Deposits | drawals | (end of period)( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Deposits | Withdrawals | Balance (end of period)( ${ }^{3}$ ) | Deposits | Withdrawals | Balance (end of period)( ${ }^{3}$ ) |
| 1955 |  |  |  |  |  | $401 \cdot 6$ | $471 \cdot 9$ |  | 484.1 | 510.3 |  |  |  |  |
| 1956 |  |  | 54.3 |  | $54 \cdot 3$ | $443 \cdot 3$ | $497 \cdot 0$ | 1,687.1 | $565 \cdot 4$ | 596.0 | 788.6 | 67.5 97.9 | 36.5 52.7 | $234 \cdot 4$ $288 \cdot 5$ |
| 1957 1958 |  |  | 74.0 | $3 \cdot 6$ | 124.8 | 456.9 | $507 \cdot 7$ | 1,678.1 | 599.5 | $600 \cdot 9$ | $806.7\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | 77.8 | 57.9 |  |
| 1958 |  |  |  | 10.5 | $200 \cdot 1$ | 451.9 | 524.3 | 1,644.1 | 644.5 | $655 \cdot 7$ | 814.9 | 76.3 | 63.1 | 319.3 344.9 |
| 1958 | October | $\ldots$ | 7.3 | 1.0 | 188.7 | 39.4 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 1,658.0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November December | ... | 6.8 6.7 | 1.0 | 194.5 | $35 \cdot 3$ | $41 \cdot 1$ | 1,655.4 | 59.0 | $57 \cdot 3$ | $830 \cdot 9$ | $7 \cdot 2$ | 5.9 | $340 \cdot 2$ $342 \cdot 5$ |
|  |  | ... |  | 1.1 | 200.1 | 33.4 | 48.0 | 1,644.1 | 56.8 | 74.5 |  | $7 \cdot 6$ | 6.4 | 342.5 344.9 |
| 1959 | January | .. | 8.1 | $1 \cdot 2$ | 207.0 | 41.3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | February | .. | 6.0 | 1.1 | 212.0 | $37 \cdot 6$ | 33.0 | 1,661-6 | 54.9 | $46 \cdot 9$ | $831 \cdot 2$ | 6.4 | 4.8 4.5 | 348.7 351.8 |
|  |  |  | $5 \cdot 3$ | 1.4 | 215.9 | $40 \cdot 2$ | 38.1 |  |  | 49.8 | 839.4 | 6.4 | 4.8 | 351.8 354.5 |
|  | April |  | $5 \cdot 6$ | 1.5 | 219.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May ... | ... | 5.1 | 1.4 | $223 \cdot 6$ | 37.7 | 41.4 | 1,672.2 | 58.1 | 52.7 55.0 |  | 7.4 6.9 | 5.4 5.4 | 357.7 360.3 |
|  | June ... | .. | $5 \cdot 7$ | 1.6 | $227 \cdot 6$ | 46.4 | 47.8 | 1,674-1 | 65.8 | 65.2 | $853 \cdot 3$ | 7.9 7 | 5.4 $5 \cdot 3$ | $360 \cdot 3$ 363.4 |
|  | July ... |  | $5 \cdot 3$ | 1.6 | 231.4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August |  | $5 \cdot 2$ | 1.3 | 235.3 | $43 \cdot 8$ 43 | 50.5 44.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,670 \cdot 7 \\ & 1,673 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 56.4 \\ & 57.0 \end{aligned}$ | 68.9 55.9 | 842.5 845.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 7.0 \\ & 6.9 \end{aligned}$ | 5.4 4.6 | $366 \cdot 2$ |
|  | September |  |  | 1.5 | 239.2 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 38.4 | $1,679 \cdot 9$ | $54 \cdot 0$ | 47.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 845 \cdot 3 \\ & 853 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \cdot 9 \\ & 6.8 \end{aligned}$ | 4.6 4.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 369.7 \\ & 373.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December |  | $5 \cdot 6$ | 1.5 | $243 \cdot 3$ | 44.4 | $37 \cdot 7$ | 1,690.0 | $62 \cdot 5$ | 51.9 | $865 \cdot 7$ | $7 \cdot 8$ | 4.8 | $377 \cdot 3$ |
| ${ }^{(1)}$ Estimated. $\left.\quad{ }^{2}\right)$ Nominal value held on behalf of depositors (Post Office and <br> Trustee Savings Banks section). $\left.\quad{ }^{3}\right)$ Including accrued interest to date. <br> Source: National Savings Committee <br> ${ }^{( }{ }^{\text {}}$ ) Includes from April 1957 a return from the new department of the Birmingham Municipal Bank. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Average of working days, allowing for accrued interest but ignoring income tax. In calculating the yields on securities with more than one maturity date, redemption is assumed at the latest date when the price is below par and at the earliest date when the price is above par. For $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Consols a flat yield is taken throughout.
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Calculated from prices on the last Tuesday of each month. Annual figures are averages of these monthly figures. Yields are based on gross market prices without deduction of accrued interest for Ordinary shares, but calculated after deduction of accrued interest in the case of debentures and preference shares. The yields of fixed interest stocks have been calculated without allowance for redemption. Income Tax is ignored in calculating the yields.
${ }^{(3}$ ) Price indices from 1954 to 1957 are based on 29 December $1950=100$. From January 1958 they are calculated on a revised base, 31 December $1957=100$. The yields from Preference and Ordinary shares from January 1958 are not strictly comparable with those for earlier periods. The figures for yields from Preference and Ordinary shares for December 1957 on the new basis are 6.36 and 6.73 respectively.
${ }^{(4)}$ Representative securities changed from time to time, namely:-Short dated (now about 4 years), $5 \%$ Conversion Loan, $1944-64$ in 1938 ; $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Funding Loan, $1956-61$ in 1954 ; $2 \%$ Exchequer Stock, 1960 in 1955 and 1956; 41 \% Conversion Stock, 1962 in 1957 and $1958 ; 3 \%$ Exchequer Stock, 1962-63 from January 1959. Medium dated (now 8-10 years), $2 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Savings Bonds, $1964-67$ in 1956 to $1958 ; 3 \%$ Funding Stock 1966-68 from January 1959. Long dated (now 15-25 years), (the first two securities were shown as "medium dated" in issues up to January 1959), 4\% Funding Loan, 1960-90 in 1938; 3\% Savings Bonds, 1965-75 in 1953 to 1958 ; $3 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Treasury Stock, 1979-81 from January 1959.
${ }^{(5)}$ ) Yield assuming redemption in 1962, 4.57.
(9) Yield assuming redemption in 1966, 5-52.
(7) Yield assuming redemption in 1979, 5•20.

Source: Bank of England and
Actuaries' Investment Index

# Official gold and foreign currency holdings：European Payments Union 

TABLE 155
E million

|  |  | Gold | d and conve | tible curre | cies |  |  |  | uropean Pa | nts Un |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Increase |  |  |  | In respect of period |  | In pe | （4） |  | Credit given |
|  |  | converti－ | $(+) \text { or }$ |  |  | Non－ nverti－ | United |  | ited King | settlem |  | （＋）or |
|  |  | ble | $(-) \text { in }$ | U．S． | U．S．and | ble | Kingdom | With | E．P．U． |  | al（ ${ }^{5}$ ） | （ - ） |
|  |  | ${ }^{(1)}$ <br> （End of period） | gold and converti－ ble currencies |  | loans（ ${ }^{3}$ ） |  | net surplus （ + ）or deficit （－） | Gold received （＋）or paid（－） | Credit given （ + ）or received （－） | Gold paid | Sterling paid | （Cumu－ lative at end of period） $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{6}\right)$ |
| 1953 | ．．． | 899 | $+240$ | $+111$ | － 84 | 10 | $+30$ | ＋ 41 | ＋ 21 |  |  | $-198$ |
| 1954 | ．．．．．． | 986 | ＋ $87{ }^{7}$ ） | ＋ 55 | － 77 | 13 | $+\quad 59$ | ＋ 32 | $+\quad 32$ | 39 | 8 | － 120 |
| 1955 | ．．．．．． | 757 | － 222 | ＋ $+\quad 47$ | － 77 | 13 | － 83 | － 61 | － 18 | 9 | 8 | － 121 |
| 1956 | ．．．．．． | 799（ ${ }^{(8)}$ | ＋ $42\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | ＋ 26 | － 41 | 14 | － 96 | － 75 | － 25 | 13 | 8 | － 125 |
| 1957 | ．．．．．． | 812 | ＋ 13 | ＋ 21 | ＋ 73 | 36 | － 129 | － 98 | － 33 | 21 | － | － 136 |
| 1958 | ．．．．．． | 1，096 | ＋ 284 |  | － 84 | $13\left({ }^{10}\right)$ | －73（11） | － 29 | － 10 | 19 | 1 | － 126 |
| 1957 | October ．．． | 747 |  | － |  |  |  |  |  | I |  |  |
|  | November | 781 | ＋ 34 | － | － | $\cdots$ | $-1$ | ＋ $+\quad 1$ | ＋ 2 | I | － | － 137 |
|  | December | 812 | ＋ 31 | － | － 6 |  | － 6 | － 1 | ＋ | 1 |  | － 136 |
| 1958 | January ．．． | 859 | ＋ 47 | － | － | ． | ＋ 11 | － 5 | － 2 | I | － | － 137 |
|  | February ．．． | 907 | ＋ 48 | － |  | ． | ＋ 45 | ＋ 8 | ＋ 3 | I |  | － 133 |
|  | March ．．． | 989 | ＋ 82 | － | 3 | ． | ＋ 5 | ＋ 34 | ＋ 11 | I | － | － 120 |
|  | April ．．． | 1，041 | ＋ 52 | ＋ | － 2 | ． | ＋ 2 | ＋ 4 | $+1$ | I | － | $-118$ |
|  | May ．．． | 1，085 | ＋ 44 | ＋ 2 |  |  | － 13 | ＋ 2 | ＋ 1 | I | － | － 117 |
|  | June ．．． | 1，099 |  | － | － 5 | 12 | － 25 | － 10 | － 3 | 1 | － | － 119 |
|  | July ．．． | 1，101 | ＋ 2 | － | － | ． | － 19 | － 19 |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ．．． | 1，103 | ＋ 2 | － |  | $\ldots$ | － 8 | － 14 | － 5 | 8 | － | － 120 |
|  | September | 1，114 | ＋ 11 | － |  | ． | － 13 | － 6 | 2 |  |  | － 121 |
|  | October ．．． | 1，134 |  | － |  |  |  |  |  | I | － |  |
|  | November | 1，148 | a <br> $+\quad 14$ | － | － |  | － 6 | － 9 | － 3 | ， | － | － 124 |
|  | December | 1，096 |  | － | － 70 | 13（10） | －40（ ${ }^{11}$ ） | － 4 |  | 1 | － | － 126 |
| 1959 | January <br> February ．． | $\begin{aligned} & 1,111 \\ & 1,127 \end{aligned}$ |  | 二 | 二 |  |  | － 30 | － 10 | I | － | $-135\left({ }^{18}\right)$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1,27 \\ & 1,121 \end{aligned}$ | ＋ 615 | 二 | 二 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | April ．．． | 1，161 |  | － |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | May | 1，114 | $\underline{-47(15)}$ | 二 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | June | 1，133 | ＋ 19 | － | $-2$ | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | July ．．． | 1，150 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | August ．．． | 1，160 | ＋ 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | September | 1，173 | ＋ 13 | － |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | October ．．． | 1，080 | － 93 | － | － $91\left({ }^{(12)}\right.$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | November | 1，062 | － 18 | － |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{(1)}$ Exchange Equalisation Account holdings of gold and convertible currencies．Gold is valued at 250 s．per ounce
fine，and currencies at parity except the Canadian dollar which is valued at the appropriate rates．
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Not including receipts under the＂Benton and Moody amendments＂（Cmd．8776）．
${ }^{3}$ ）Principal and interest．
${ }^{(4)}$ Settlements are shown against the period in which they were made（normally about two weeks after the end of the month to which they related）．
（$)$ Payments made to European Payments Union creditors under bilateral agreements for the reduction of the United Kingdom＇s outstanding debt to the Union．
${ }^{(6)}$ After taking account of bilateral settlements．
（7）$£ 40$ million repaid to the International Monetary Fund．
${ }^{(8)}$ ）Including $£ 37$ million in special North American loan interest accounts．
${ }^{(0)} £ 201$ million drawn on International Monetary Fund．
${ }^{10}$ ）Including holdings of convertible currencies set aside for liquidation in the final European Payments Union settlement．
（11）Up to termination of European Payments Union on 27 December 1958.
${ }^{(12)}$ Export－Import Bank of Washington Line of Credit．
${ }^{(13)}$ As at final European Payments Union settlement．
${ }_{(15)}$（10） 71 million repaid to the International Monetary Fund．
${ }^{15}$ ）Including $£ 58$ million gold portion of the increase in the United Kingdom＇s subscription to the International Monetary Fund．

TABLE 156
End of period
£ million


Source: H.M. Treasury
Overseas sterling holdings: Analysis of holdings by areas
TABLE 157
End of period
$£$ million

|  |  |  | Total all countries | Rest of Sterling Area |  |  | Non-sterling countries |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | United Kingdom colonies ${ }^{(1)}$ | Other Sterling Area countries( ${ }^{1}$ ) | Total | Dollar Area | Other Western Hemisphere | O.E.E.C. countries $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ | Other Nonsterling countries( ${ }^{3}$ ) |
| 1955 | June ... December | $\ldots$ |  | 3,691 3,576 | 2,824 2,764 | 1,293 1,280 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,531 \\ & 1,484 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 867 \\ & 812 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86 \\ & 58 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 240 \\ & 213 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 537 \\ & 532 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1956 | March ... June ... September December | .. $\cdots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 3,568 3,549 3,505 3,422 | 2,785 2,776 2,762 2,730 | 1,302 1,301 1,305 1,281 | 1,483 1,475 1,457 1,449 | $\begin{aligned} & 783 \\ & 773 \\ & 743 \\ & 692 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \\ & 38 \\ & 43 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 25 \\ & 32 \\ & 32 \end{aligned}$ | 209 223 230 193 | $\begin{aligned} & 525 \\ & 487 \\ & 438 \\ & 430 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1957 | March ... <br> June ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,486 \\ & 3,496 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,795 \\ & 2,819 \end{aligned}$ | 1,309 1,309 | 1,486 1,510 1,108 | $\begin{aligned} & 691 \\ & 677 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 33 \\ & 36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 199 \\ & 205 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 409 \\ & 386 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | September | ... | 3,375 | 2,689 | $\left\{\frac{1,281}{888}\right.$ | $\left.\frac{1,408}{1,801}\right\}$ | 686 | 30 | 29 | 276 | 351 |
|  | December | ... | 3,273 | 2,608 | -883 | 1,725 | 665 | 35 | 31 | 260 | 339 |
| 1958 | March ... <br> June ... <br> September <br> December | .. $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | 3,243 3,274 3,268 3,353 | 2,539 2,537 2,492 2,519 | 891 887 876 880 | 1,648 1,650 1,616 1,639 | 704 737 776 834 | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \\ & 44 \\ & 39 \\ & 53 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \\ & 23 \\ & 28 \\ & 24 \end{aligned}$ | 279 306 351 373 | 355 364 358 384 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | North America ${ }^{4}$ ) | Latin America ${ }^{(5)}$ | Western Europe ${ }^{(6)}$ |  |
|  | December | ... | 3,353 | 2,519 | 880 | 1,639 | 834 | 58 | 18 | 408 | 350 |
| 1959 | March ... June ... September | … $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 3,337 3,362 3,434 | 2,574 2,645 2,674 | $\begin{aligned} & 904 \\ & 894 \\ & 888 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \bullet 1,670 \\ 1,751 \\ 1,786 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 763 \\ & 717 \\ & 760 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 45 \\ & 52 \\ & 54 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & 14 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | 345 303 335 | 360 348 357 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Ghana, Singapore and the Federation of Malaya are included in "United Kingdom Colonies " until the
Source: H.M. Treasury end of September 1957. For that date also, and subsequently, they are included in "Other Sterling Area countries".
(2) Not including Spain.
${ }^{(3)}$ Including Iraq.
(4) Comprises U.S.A. and dependencies and Canada.
${ }^{(5)}$ Comprises other independent countries of the American continent.
${ }^{(6)}$ ) Comprises O.E.E.C. countries (including Spain) and their dependent territories, together with Andorra, Finland, Vatican City and Yugoslavia.

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

TABLE 158

|  |  | New York | Montreal | Zurich | Paris | Brussels | Amsterdam | Frankfurt | Vienna | Milan | Stockholm | Oslo | Copenhagen | Lisbon |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\text { to } \mathrm{E}$ | tot $E$ | Francs to $E$ | Francs to $E$ ${ }^{(3)}$ | Francs to $£$ | Florins to $E$ | Deutsche Marks to $E$ | Schillings to $E$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Lire } \\ & \text { to } \end{aligned}$ | Kronor to $£$ | Kroner to $£$ | Kroner to $E$ | Escudoa to $E$ |
| 1938 | ... ... | 4.89 | 4.92 | $21 \cdot 37$ | $170 \cdot 65$ | $144.65{ }^{(8)}$ | $8 \cdot 89$ |  |  | 92.93 | 19.40 | 19.90 | 22.40 | $110 \cdot 18$ |
| 1953 |  | 2.81 | 2.77 | 12.19 | 982.76 | $140 \cdot 12$ | 10.59 | $11.70{ }^{\circ}$ ) |  |  | 14.52 | 19.99 | 19.35 | 80.01 |
| 1954 | $\ldots$ | 2.81 | 2.73 | 12.22 | 981.64 | 140.04 | 10.63 | 11.73 |  |  | 14.53 | 20.01 | 19.41 | 80.00 |
| 1955 | $\ldots$ | 2.79 | 2.75 | 12.23 | $978 \cdot 10$ | 139.56 | 10.62 | 11.74 |  | 1,751.16(11) | 14.48 | 20.01 | 19.36 | 80.17 |
| 1956 |  | 2.80 | 2.75 | 12.23 | 982.74 | 139.47 | 10.64 | 11.71 |  | 1,751.48 | 14.48 | 19.99 | 19.35 | 80.14 80.08 |
| 1957 |  | 2.79 | 2.68 | 12.24 | ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | $140 \cdot 27$ | 10.64 | 11.73 | 72.66 | 1,744.58 | 14.48 | 20.01 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 08$ $80 \cdot 17$ |
| 1958 | ... ... | 2.81 | 2.73 | 12.23 | ${ }^{(5)}$ | 139.41 | $10 \cdot 59$ | 11.72 | 72.54 | 1,744.58 | 14.48 | 20.01 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 17$ |
| 1957 October ... November December... |  | 2.80 | 2.70 | 12.26 | 1,182.27 | $140 \cdot 21$ | 10.63 | 11.76 | 72.75 | 1,755.79 | 14.48 | 19.98 | 19.37 | 80.08 |
|  |  | 2.80 | 2.70 | 12.27 | 1,182-38 | $140 \cdot 08$ | 10.63 | 11.77 | 72.85 | 1,751-23 | 14.50 | 20.00 | 19.38 | 80.08 |
|  |  | 2.81 | 2.74 | 12.26 | 1,176.52 | 139.95 | 10.61 | 11.76 | 72.83 | 1,750-11 | 14.48 | 20.01 | 19.35 | 80.08 |
| 1958 | January | 2.81 | 2.77 | 12.26 | 1,177.02 | 139.71 | 10.59 | 11.77 | 72.88 | 1,752.20 | 14.50 | 20.01 | 19.35 | 80.08 |
|  | February ... | 2.82 | 2.76 | 12.28 | 1,180.27 | $139 \cdot 58$ | $10 \cdot 62$ | 11.77 | 72.89 | 1,748.73 | 14.52 | 20.01 | 19.35 | 80.08 |
|  | March ... | 2.82 | 2.75 | 12.27 | $1,182 \cdot 13$ | 139.75 | 10.62 | 11.76 | 72.81 | 1,746.77 | 14.52 | 20.01 | 19.36 | 80.08 |
|  | April | 2.82 | 2.73 | 12.25 | 1,180.90 | 139.62 | 10.61 | 11.73 | 72.67 | 1,745.69 | 14.51 | 20.01 | 19.35 | 80.08 |
|  | May | 2.82 | 2.72 | 12.23 | 1,179.50 | 139.41 | $10 \cdot 60$ | 11.71 | 72.54 | 1,745.93 | 14.49 | 20.01 | 19.35 | 80.08 |
|  | June | 2.81 | 2.70 | 12.23 | 1,176.80 | $139 \cdot 39$ | $10 \cdot 59$ | 11.70 | 72.42 | 1,743.43 | 14.47 | 20.01 | 19.34 | 80.08 |
|  | July ... | 2.80 | 2.69 | 12.20 | 1,173.91 | 139.13 | 10.57 | 11.68 | 72.29 | 1,738.24 | 14.43 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 23$ |
|  | August $\ldots$ | 2.81 | 2.71 | 12.21 | 1,173-28 | 139.01 | 10.57 | 11.69 | $72 \cdot 34$ | 1,738.47 | 14.43 | 20.00 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 37$ |
|  | September | 2.80 | 2.74 | 12.20 | 1,174.59 | 139.05 | $10 \cdot 56$ | 11.69 | 72.38 | 1,739.31 | 14.47 | 20.00 | 19.33 | $80 \cdot 44$ |
|  | October | 2.81 | 2.73 | 12.21 | 1,176-48 | 139.32 | $10 \cdot 57$ | 11.69 | 72.38 | 1,744.36 | 14.49 | 20.00 | 19.34 | 80.33 |
|  | November | 2.81 | 2.72 | 12.24 | 1,178-10 | 139.52 | $10 \cdot 58$ | 11.70 | 72.44 | 1,745.73 | 14.48 | 20.01 | 19.35 | $80 \cdot 12$ |
|  | December... | 2.80 | 2.70 | $12 \cdot 19$ | ( ${ }^{\text {) }}$ | $139 \cdot 37$ | 10.58 | 11.69 | 72.46 | 1,746.06 | 14.48 | 20.01 | 19.33 | $80 \cdot 10$ |
| 1959 | January ... | 2.81 | 2.71 | $12 \cdot 10$ | 13.76 | $140 \cdot 25$ | 10.58 | 11.72 | 72.76 | 1,747.24 | 14.52 | 20.02 | 19.36 | $80 \cdot 14$ |
|  | February ... | 2.81 | 2.74 | $12 \cdot 12$ | 13.77 | 140.41 | $10 \cdot 60$ | 11.74 | 72.82 | 1,743.80 | 14.53 | 20.04 | 19.38 | $80 \cdot 17$ |
|  | March ... | 2.81 | 2.73 | $12 \cdot 16$ | 13.79 | $140 \cdot 62$ | 10.62 | 11.76 | 72.85 | 1,745.33 | 14.55 | 20.04 | 19.37 | 80. 22 |
| April May June |  | 2.82 | 2.71 | $12 \cdot 17$ | 13.81 | 140.54 | 10.63 | 11.78 | 72.87 | 1,747.88 | 14.57 | 20.03 | 19.38 | $80 \cdot 17$ |
|  |  | 2.81 | 2.71 | $12 \cdot 17$ | 13.80 | 140.31 | 10.62 | 11.77 | 72.85 | 1,746.69 | 14.56 | 20.04 | 19.39 | $80 \cdot 22$ |
|  |  | 2.81 | $2 \cdot 70$ | $12 \cdot 13$ | 13.79 | $140 \cdot 43$ | 10.61 | 11.75 | 72.77 | 1,745.39 | 14.55 | 20.01 | 19.36 | $80 \cdot 20$ |
|  |  | 2.81 | 2.69 | $12 \cdot 12$ | 13.79 | 140.34 | 10.60 | 11.75 | $72 \cdot 60$ | 1,744.88 | 14.54 | 20.01 | 19.36 | $80 \cdot 20$ |
|  |  | $2 \cdot 81$ | 2.68 | $12 \cdot 12$ | 13.78 | $140 \cdot 38$ | 10.62 | 11.75 | 72.49 | 1,743.64 | 14.54 | 20.01 | 19.36 | $80 \cdot 21$ |
|  |  | $2 \cdot 80$ | $2 \cdot 67$ | $12 \cdot 12$ | 13.75 | $140 \cdot 25$ | $10 \cdot 60$ | 11.73 | 72.42 | 1,739.98 | 14.51 | 20.01 | 19.33 | $80 \cdot 23$ |
| October ... <br> November <br> December... |  | 2.81 | 2.66 | $12 \cdot 18$ | 13.77 | $140 \cdot 34$ | $10 \cdot 59$ | 11.73 | $72 \cdot 48$ | 1,741.80 | 14.52 | 20.01 | 19.34 | $80 \cdot 23$ |
|  |  | $2 \cdot 80$ | 2.66 | $12 \cdot 16$ | 13.75 | $140 \cdot 19$ | $10 \cdot 59$ | 11.69 | 72.58 | 1,739.53 | 14.52 | 20.01 | 19.33 | $80 \cdot 23$ |

[^28]$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The exchange rates for Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Bombay and Karachi were:-
Australia ( $£ A$ to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate): 125 throughout.
New Zealand ( $£ N Z$ to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate): I January 1938 to 20 October 1938, 124; 21 October to 31 December 1938, 124-5; 1953 onwards, 100.375.
South Africa ( $£ S A$ to $£ 100$ ) (selling rate): 1938, $100 \cdot 125$; 1953 onwards 99.875.
Bombay (pence per rupee) (averages of daily mean rates): 1938, 17.96; 1953 onwards, 18.00.
Karachi (pence per rupee) (averages of daily mean rates): 1953 to 31 July 1955, 25.89; thereafter 18.00.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Quoted in units of 100 francs to $£$ from 29 December 1958.
(4) 984.88 to 10 August; $1,177.09$ thereafter.
(5) $1,177.51$ to 24 December; no quotation 27 December; 13.74 from 29 Desember.
(6) $980 \cdot 58$ to 10 August; $1,167 \cdot 78$ thereafter.
(7) $1,177.76$ to 24 December; no quotation 27 December; 13.74 from 29 December.
${ }^{(8)}$ In 1938 rates were quoted in Belgas to $£\left(1\right.$ Belga $=5$ Fcs.). ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) From 18 May.
(10) From 2 January. ( ${ }^{11}$ ) From 22 August.

## XIV. WAGES AND PRICES

 Average weekly earnings of manual wage-earners in the United Kingdom ( ${ }^{1}$ )(i) Manufacturing and certain other industries

TABLE 159


TABLE 159 (continued)

| 1947 | April |  | 103 | 3 | - | - | 129 | 2 | - | 4510 | - | 68 | 0 | - | 40 |  | - |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1948 | April | $\ldots$ | 113 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 138 | 8 | 7 | 545 | 19 | 73 | 8 | 8 |  | 8 | 20 |
| 1949 | April | $\ldots$ | 118 | 6 | 15 | 7 | 145 | I | 12 | 5611 | 24 | 77 | 7 | 14 |  | 8 | 25 |
| 1950 | April | $\ldots$ |  | 4 | 19 | 9 | 151 | 8 | 17 | 5910 | 31 |  | 0 | 19 |  | 2 | 29 |
| 1951 | April | $\ldots$ | 134 | 2 | 30 | 18 | 165 | 0 | 28 | 643 | 40 |  | 11 | 29 |  | 4 | 39 |
| 1952 | April | ... |  |  | 41 | 29 | 179 | 4 | 39 | 694 | 51 | 92 | 6 | 36 |  |  | 44 |
| 1953 | April | ... | 156 | 0 | 51 | 36 | 191 | 11 | 49 | 755 | 65 |  | 0 | 49 | 621 |  | 55 |
| 1954 | April | ... | 165 | 5 | 60 | 42 | 205 | 2 | 59 | 800 | 75 |  | 10 | 56 |  | 2 | 63 |
| 1955 |  |  | 180 | 4 | 75 | 51 |  | 7 |  |  | 93 |  |  | 66 |  |  | $77$ |
|  | October |  |  | 9 | 80 | 53 | 231 | I | 79 | 920 | 101 | 116 | 0 | 71 |  | 2 | $88$ |
| 1956 | April |  | 195 | 0 | 89 | 63 | 242 | 2 | 87 |  | 113 | 120 | 0 | 76 |  |  | 94 |
|  | October |  |  | 6 | 92 | 65 | 245 | 7 | 90 | 9911 | 118 |  | 8 | 82 |  |  | 102 |
| 1957 |  |  | 202 |  | 96 | 67 | 248 |  |  |  | 123 |  | 3 | 86 |  | 4 | 108 |
|  | October |  |  | 2 | 105 | 74 | 261 | 2 | 102 | 1062 | 132 |  |  | 91 |  | 7 | 111 |
| 1958 | April |  |  |  | 105 | 75 | 261 | 4 | 102 | 10610 | 133 |  |  |  |  |  | 112 |
|  | October |  |  | 3 | 108 | 80 |  | 5 | 105 | 1091 | 138 |  | 5 | 98 |  | 2 | 115 |
| 1959 | April | ... | 220 | 6 | 114 | 80 | 271 | 9 | 110 | 111 | 142 | 137 | 7 | 102 |  | 9 | 117 |

[^29]Average weekly hours worked (1)

|  |  |  |  | Manufacturing and certain other Industries |  |  |  |  | Manufacturing industries |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | All operatives | Men (aged 21 and over) | Youths and boys | Women (aged 18 and over) | Girls | All operatives | Men (aged 21 and over) | Youths and boys | Women (aged 18 and over) | Girls |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $43 \cdot 7$ | 41.5 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 44.5 | $46 \cdot 0$ | $43 \cdot 2$ | 41.7 | 42.0 |
| 1947 1948 | April ${ }^{\text {a }}$ A | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 45.3 | $46 \cdot 5$ | 44.1 | 41.6 | $42 \cdot 3$ | 44.8 | $46 \cdot 3$ | $43 \cdot 5$ | $41 \cdot 7$ | 42.3 |
| 1949 | April .. | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | $46 \cdot 6$ | 43.9 | 41.8 | $42 \cdot 4$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | 43.7 43.9 | 41.9 41.9 | 42.4 42.5 |
| 1950 | April | ... | ... | $45 \cdot 6$ | $47 \cdot 0$ | $44 \cdot 2$ | 41.9 | $42 \cdot 5$ | $45 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1951 | April |  | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 3$ | $47 \cdot 9$ | 44.5 | $42 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 7$ | $45 \cdot 7$ | $47 \cdot 6$ | $44 \cdot 1$ | $42 \cdot 0$ | 42.7 |
| 1952 | April ... | ... | ... | $45 \cdot 6$ | $47 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 2$ | $40 \cdot 9$ | $41 \cdot 6$ | 45.0 | $47 \cdot 1$ | $43 \cdot 7$ | 40.8 | 42.7 |
| 1953 | April .. |  | ... | $46 \cdot 2$ | $47 \cdot 8$ | 44.5 | $42 \cdot 0$ | $42 \cdot 7$ 42.7 | $45 \cdot 7$ 46.1 | $47 \cdot 6$ $48 \cdot 2$ | 44.3 | $42 \cdot 0$ | 42.7 |
| 1954 | April .. | ... | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 5$ | $48 \cdot 3$ | 44.7 | 42.0 | $42 \cdot 7$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1955 |  |  |  | $46 \cdot 9$ | $48 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | 41.9 | $42 \cdot 7$ | $46 \cdot 3$ | $48 \cdot 6$ | 44.5 | 41.8 | 42.7 |
|  | October |  |  | $46 \cdot 9$ | $48 \cdot 9$ | $45 \cdot 0$ | 41.8 | 42.7 | $46 \cdot 4$ | $48 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | 41.8 |  |
| 1956 |  |  |  | $46 \cdot 7$ | $48 \cdot 6$ | 45.0 | 41.5 | $42 \cdot 4$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $48 \cdot 2$ | 44.5 | 41.5 41.6 | 42.4 42.5 |
|  | October |  | ... | $46 \cdot 6$ | $48 \cdot 5$ | 44.9 | 41.5 | $42 \cdot 5$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $48 \cdot 2$ |  |  |  |
| 1957 |  |  |  | $46 \cdot 6$ | $48 \cdot 5$ | 44.9 | 41.5 | $42 \cdot 4$ | 45.9 | 48.1 | 44.4 | 41.5 | 42.4 |
|  | October |  |  | $46 \cdot 4$ | $48 \cdot 2$ | $44 \cdot 5$ | 41.2 | 42.1 | $45 \cdot 8$ | $48 \cdot 0$ | $44 \cdot 0$ | $41 \cdot 3$ | $42 \cdot 2$ |
| 1958 |  |  |  | $46 \cdot 2$ | 48.0 | 44.5 | 41.2 | $42 \cdot 1$ | $45 \cdot 5$ | $47 \cdot 6$ | 44.1 | 41.2 | $42 \cdot 2$ |
|  | October |  | $\ldots$ | $46 \cdot 0$ | $47 \cdot 7$ | $44 \cdot 6$ | $41 \cdot 2$ | $42 \cdot 2$ | $45 \cdot 3$ | $47 \cdot 3$ | $44 \cdot 1$ | 41.2 |  |
| 1959 | April | ... | ... | 46.3 | 48.0 | 44.6 | 41.5 | $42 \cdot 3$ | 45.7 | $47 \cdot 6$ | 44.2 | 41.5 | 42.4 |

${ }^{1}$ ) The figures include overtime and correspond with those for average earnings in Table 159.
Source : Ministry of Labour

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

TABLE 161

|  |  |  |  |  | Chemicals, explosives, paints and oils |  | Metals, engineering and shipbuilding |  | Textiles |  | Clothing |  | Food, and tob | $\begin{aligned} & \text { drink } \\ & \text { bacco } \end{aligned}$ | Building contrac | and ting | Trans storage | port, etc. ${ }^{2}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Men aged 21 and over- |  |  |  |  | s. d. |  | s. d. |  | s. d. |  |  |  | s. d. |  | s. d. |  | s. d. |  |
| 1950 | April | ... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 147 | 6 | $156$ | 6 | $\begin{array}{ll} 142 & 1 \\ 157 & 0 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{ll} 141 & 1 \\ 153 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{rr} 134 & 5 \\ 144 & 10 \end{array}$ |  |  |  | 137151 |  |
| 1951 | April | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 16210 |  | 1698 |  |  |  | 14410157167 |  | 9 |  |  |
| 1952 | April | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 1861 |  |  | 9 |  | 6 |  |  | 153 154 154 | 4 | 167 I |  | 1709 |  |  | 1622 |
| 1953 | April | ... | ... | ... |  |  | 1996 |  | 1779 |  | 1726 |  |  |  |  |  | 170 <br> 183 <br> 8 |  |
| 1954 | April | ... | ... | ... | 2016 |  | 2140 |  | 188198 |  | 1775 |  |  |  |  |  | 205 II |  |
| 1955 | April | ... | $\cdots$ | ... | 221 | 6 |  | 9 |  | 6 | 190 | 11 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1956 | April October | $\cdots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 236 & 4 \\ 240 & 8 \end{array}$ |  | 254254 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 210 \\ & 218 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 208 \\ & 212 \end{aligned}$ | 2 |  |  | $\begin{array}{ll} 234 & 0 \\ 234 & 7 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 | April October | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 249256 | 92 | $\begin{array}{ll} 257 & 1 \\ 272 & 5 \end{array}$ |  | 225230 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 217 \\ & 220 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 238241 |  | $\begin{array}{rr} 227 & 10 \\ 242 & 2 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ |  | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | AprilOctober |  |  | $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{ll} 258 & 0 \\ 263 & 9 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{ll}271 & 4 \\ 273 & 8\end{array}$ |  | 228232 |  | 223227 |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{ll}247 & 5 \\ 249 & 2\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{cc} 244 & 7 \\ 246 & 11 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  | , | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | April | ... | ... | ... | 267 | 9 | 282 | 0 | 239 | 7 | 233 | 8 | 242 | 6 | 254 | 6 | 256 | 5 |
| Women aged 18 and over- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1950 \\ & 1951 \\ & 1952 \\ & 1953 \\ & 1954 \\ & 1955 \end{aligned}$ | April <br> April <br> April <br> April <br> April <br> April | $\ldots$... $\quad .$. |  |  | $\begin{array}{ll}78 & 6 \\ 85 & 5 \\ 94 & 5\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{lll}82 & 7 \\ 88\end{array}$ |  | 8211 |  | 818989 |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{ll}73 & 0 \\ 78 & 9\end{array}$ |  | 101110 |  |
|  |  | ... | ... | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ |  |  | 990 |  | 901 |  | 879 |  | 883 |  | 857 |  | 120 II |  |
|  |  | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 1009 |  | 105 | 9 | 102 | 4 | 98100 |  | 942 |  | 885 |  | 1291 |  |
|  |  | ... | ... | ... | 1030 |  | 1127 |  | 1077 |  |  |  |  |  | 91 | 9 | 140 |  |
|  |  | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 1120 |  | 1218 |  | 1125 |  | 1079 |  | 1059 |  | 988 |  | 151 \|| |  |
| 1956 | April October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 119123 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 128 \\ & 130 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ | 117123 | 7 | 116119 | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{lll}113 & 10 \\ 117 & 1\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{ll}110 & 0 \\ 111 & 0\end{array}$ |  | 163165 |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | ... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1957 | April October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\cdots$ | 124127 | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \\ & 9 \end{aligned}$ | 132138 | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{ll}126 & 7 \\ 130 & 1\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{rrr}123 & 10 \\ 123 & 5\end{array}$ |  | 118123 |  | $\begin{array}{ll}112 & 0 \\ 115 & 9\end{array}$ |  | 1681182 |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1958 | April October | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{lr} 128 & 3 \\ 132 & 10 \end{array}$ |  | 139144 |  | 1298131 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 127 \\ & 127 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{lr}126 & 9 \\ 128 \quad 10\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{ll}113 & 0 \\ 118 & 7\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{rr} 178 & 11 \\ 179 & 6 \end{array}$ |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | ... | $\cdots$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1959 | April | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $135 \quad 2$ |  | 146 |  | 1355 |  | 1323 |  | 13010 |  | 118 | 7 | 185 | 5 |

$\left(^{1}\right)$ See footnote ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table I59.
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Excluding railways, London Transport and British Road Services.
Source: Ministry of Labour

## Index of weekly wage rates

Old series
TABLE 162
30 June $1947=100\left({ }^{1}\right)$

|  |  | All industries and services |  |  |  | Manufacturing Industries |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | All workers | Men | Women | Juveniles $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ | All workers | Men | Women | Juveniles ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |
|  | ... ... | $\begin{aligned} & 129.9 \\ & 136.0 \\ & 141.9 \\ & 151.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128.7 \\ & 134.4 \\ & 140.3 \\ & 150.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 133.1 \\ & 140.3 \\ & 146.1 \\ & 154.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138.5 \\ & 146.4 \\ & 153.1 \\ & 162.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 129.6 \\ & 135.5 \\ & 141.2 \\ & 150.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 127.8 \\ & 133.4 \\ & 138.9 \\ & 148.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 134.7 \\ & 141.8 \\ & 148.2 \\ & 157.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 139.5 \\ & 148.0 \\ & 154.7 \\ & 164.7 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1956 January ... | .. ... | 156 | 154 | 160 | 169 | 155 | 152 | 163 | 171 |

$\left.\mathbf{(}^{1}\right)$ It is estimated that at the end of June 1947 the level of weekly full-time
Source: Ministry of Labour wage rates was between 167 and 168 , taking September $1939=100$.
${ }^{2}{ }^{2}$ ) In general, males under 21 and females under 18 years of age.
Index of weekly wage rates $\left({ }^{1}\right)\left({ }^{2}\right)$
New series
31 January $1956=100$
TABLE 163

|  |  |  |  | All indus- <br> tries and <br> services Manufac- <br> turing in- <br> dustries $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ <br> All workers  |  | Detailed figures ( ${ }^{(4)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | All industries and services | Manufacturing industries ( ${ }^{(3)}$ |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | All workers | Men | Women | Juveniles (5) |  | Men | Women | Juveniles (5) |
| $\left.\begin{array}{l} 1956 \\ 1957 \\ 1958 \end{array}\right\}$ | Monthly averages |  | ... |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 110 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 110 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.7 \\ & 110.0 \\ & 114.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.8 \\ & 110.0 \\ & 113.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.2 \\ & 109.7 \\ & 114.0 \end{aligned}$ | $105 \cdot 5$ <br> $111 \cdot 3$ <br> $115 \cdot 8$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.7 \\ & 110.0 \\ & 113.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.9 \\ & 110.1 \\ & 113.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.9 \\ & 109.6 \\ & 113.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104.9 \\ & 110.6 \\ & 114.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | January <br> February <br> March ... | ... | ... |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 113 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112 \\ & 112 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.3 \\ & 112.6 \\ & 112.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.2 \\ & 112.5 \\ & i 12.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.3 \\ & 112.6 \\ & 112.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.9 \\ & 114.3 \\ & 114.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.3 \\ & 112.5 \\ & 112.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.3 \\ & 112.5 \\ & 112.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111.8 \\ & 112.4 \\ & 112.5 \end{aligned}$ | 113.0 <br> 113.4 <br> 113.4 |
|  | April $\qquad$ <br> May ... <br> June $\qquad$ | $\begin{gathered} \cdots \\ \cdots \\ \cdots \end{gathered}$ |  | 113 113 113 | 113 113 113 | $\begin{array}{r} 112.7 \\ 112.9 \\ 113.4 \end{array}$ | 112.6 112.7 113.3 | $\begin{aligned} & 112.8 \\ & 113.1 \\ & 113.6 \end{aligned}$ | 114.5 114.7 115.3 | 112.6 112.9 113.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 112.6 \\ & 112.7 \\ & 112.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.7 \\ & 113.1 \\ & 113.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.5 \\ & 113.9 \\ & 114.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \cdots \\ \cdots \\ \cdots \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114 \\ & 114 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113 \\ & 114 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.7 \\ & 114.1 \\ & 114.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.6 \\ & 113.9 \\ & 114.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.0 \\ & 114.7 \\ & 114.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.6 \\ & 116.0 \\ & 116.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.3 \\ & 113.5 \\ & 113.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.1 \\ & 113.4 \\ & 113.7 \end{aligned}$ | 113.5 <br> 113.9 <br> II4.I | $\begin{aligned} & 114.3 \\ & 114.6 \\ & 114.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | $\begin{gathered} \cdots \\ \cdots \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 116 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 116 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.9 \\ & 116.1 \\ & 116.2 \end{aligned}$ | 115.9 116.0 116.2 | 115.8 115.9 116.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 117.7 \\ & 118.0 \\ & 118.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.7 \\ & 115.9 \\ & 116.0 \end{aligned}$ | 115.8 <br> 116.0 <br> 116.0 | 115.3 115.5 115.5 | $\begin{aligned} & 116.3 \\ & 116.6 \\ & 116.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> March .. | $\cdots$ | ... | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 117 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 116 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.3 \\ & 116.6 \\ & 116.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.2 \\ & 116.5 \\ & 116.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.1 \\ & 116.5 \\ & 116.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118.2 \\ & 18.5 \\ & 18.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.9 \\ & 116.0 \\ & 116.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.0 \\ & 116.0 \\ & 116.2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.4 \\ & 115.6 \\ & 115.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.5 \\ & 166.6 \\ & 116.8 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & . . \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | ... | $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 117 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \\ & 116 \\ & 116 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.7 \\ & 116.8 \\ & 116.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.7 \\ & 116.7 \\ & 116.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.7 \\ & 116.7 \\ & 116.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118.7 \\ & 118.7 \\ & 118.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.3 \\ & 116.3 \\ & 116.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116 \cdot 3 \\ & 116.4 \\ & 116.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.9 \\ & 115.9 \\ & 116.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.9 \\ & 117.0 \\ & 117.1 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | July ... <br> August <br> September | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | 117 117 117 | 116 117 117 | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \cdot 0 \\ & 117 \cdot 1 \\ & 117 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | 116.9 117.0 117.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 117.0 \\ & 117.2 \\ & 117.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119.0 \\ & 119.1 \\ & 119.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.4 \\ & 116.6 \\ & 116.9 \end{aligned}$ | 116.5 116.7 116.8 | 116.0 116.3 117.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 117.1 \\ & 117.5 \\ & 118.0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | October <br> November <br> December | $\ldots$ | ... $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 117 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \cdot 3 \\ & 117 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \cdot 1 \\ & 117 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117.7 \\ & 117.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119.5 \\ & 119.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.9 \\ & 117.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.8 \\ & 116.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \cdot 2 \\ & 117 \cdot 4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118.0 \\ & 118.2 \end{aligned}$ |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ The figures are based on rates at the end of the month. An account of the method of compilation
Source: Ministry of Labour of the figures is given in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for February 1957 and February 1959.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ The new series (Table 163) can be linked with the old series (Table 162) on a broad basis, by multiplying the new index figures by the following factors:-

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | All industries |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| and services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | Manufacturing |
| :---: |
| industries |

${ }^{(3)}$ As from January $\dddot{1959}$, the term "Manufacturing industries" covers all industries included in Orders III to XVI of the revised Standard Industrial Classification, 1958.
$\left({ }^{4}\right)$ The detailed figures are given to the nearest first place of decimals only to facilitate the linking of the present index figures to those of the old series.
${ }^{(5)}$ In general males under 21 and females under 18 years of age.

## Changes in weekly wage rates ${ }^{1}$ ）

| TABLE 164 Annual and monthly totals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TABLE 164 |  |  |  | Number of workpeople（ ${ }^{2}$ ） reported as affected by |  | Estimated net amount of change in weekly wage bill（ ${ }^{3}$ ） |  |  | Estimated net amount of increase in weekly wage bill ${ }^{(3)}$ in |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Net in－ creases | Net de－ creases | Net in－ crease | In－ crease | De－ crease | Agri－ culture， forestry， fishing | Mining and quarry－ ing | Manu－ factur－ ing in－ dustries | Con－ struction | Gas， elec－ tricity and water | Trans－ port and com－ muni－ catlon | Other services |
|  |  |  |  | Thousands |  | $\mathcal{E}$ thousand |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1953 1954 1955 1956 1957 1958 | $\begin{array}{cc}\ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \ldots & \ldots \\ \cdots & \ldots\end{array}$ | … $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | ．．． $\cdots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ $\ldots$ | 9,032 10,147 11,911 12,72 12,338 11,231 | － | 2,420 3,501 5,153 6,633 5,340 3,461 | 2,420 3,501 5,153 6,633 5,340 3,461 | 二 | 256 18 269 467 318 192 | 132 173 300 321 203 150 | 646 1,655 2,159 2,916 2,231 1,590 | 390 518 616 786 547 424 | 63 56 136 174 121 108 | 229 544 637 551 770 347 | $\begin{array}{r} 705 \\ 536 \\ 1,037 \\ 1,418 \\ 1,151 \\ 650 \end{array}$ |
| 1957 | October．．． November December | $\ldots$ |  | 950 503 630 | 262 27 | 321 147 161 | 338 150 161 | 17 3 | $\begin{array}{r} 242 \\ 8 \\ 30 \end{array}$ | － | 47 31 43 | 二 | － | 2 | 30 108 82 |
| 1958 | January ．．． February March | ．．． | ．．． $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 653 1,640 252 | $\overline{10}$ | 111 296 104 | 111 296 104 | － | － | 1 3 1 | 94 87 3 | 198 2 | － | $\frac{11}{50}$ | 4 8 48 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } \\ \text { June } & \ldots \\ & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \ldots \\ \ldots \\ \ldots \end{gathered}$ | ． | 372 431 2,524 | 146 | $\begin{array}{r} 64 \\ 76 \\ 536 \end{array}$ | 68 76 536 | 4 | 二 | － | 63 72 61 | －$\overline{217}$ | $\bar{\square}$ | $\overline{106}$ | 1 3 98 |
|  | July August ．．． September | ．．． | ．$\ldots$ | 1,355 1,109 587 | 117 9 276 | 290 278 165 | 304 279 191 | 14 1 26 | 二 | －1 | $\begin{array}{r} 141 \\ 61 \\ 62 \end{array}$ | 2 | 1 9 29 | $\frac{40}{38}$ | 105 206 29 |
|  | October．．． November December | $\ldots$ | … $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 3,793 620 793 | 188 3 2 | 1,150 178 212 | 1,170 178 212 | 20 | $\begin{array}{r} 158 \\ 3 \\ 31 \end{array}$ | 3 1 130 | 808 113 24 | 5 | 9 5 2 | 61 38 3 | 106 19 22 |
| 1959 | January ．．． <br> February <br> March | $\ldots$ | ．． $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{array}{r} 353 \\ 1,646 \\ 482 \end{array}$ | 二 | 103 311 141 | 103 311 141 | － | 二 | 4 | 38 28 44 | 200 | 二 | 40 1 93 | 18 81 3 |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 447 188 102 | 7 155 | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 33 \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ | 59 33 24 | 二 | 二 | 二 | 51 11 14 | － | 2 2 | $\frac{1}{6}$ | 5 20 1 |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \ldots . \\ & \text { August } . . \end{aligned}$ September | ．．． | $\cdots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 766 \\ & 277 \\ & 703 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 477 \\ 13 \\ 167 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 165 \\ 35 \\ 218 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 188 \\ 36 \\ 224 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ 1 \\ 6 \end{array}$ | － | 二 | 26 10 182 | $\begin{array}{r}13 \\ 1 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | － | $\frac{36}{1}$ | 89 23 35 |
|  | October．．． November December | $\ldots$ | ．． $\cdots$ $\ldots$ | $\begin{aligned} & 296 \\ & 199 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174 \\ & 154 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 36 \\ & 57 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 61 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ 4 \end{array}$ | 二 | 7 | $\begin{aligned} & 28 \\ & 47 \end{aligned}$ | I | T | － | 7 2 |

（1）The figures relate to rates of wages for a full week and do not take account of variations in actual earnings arising from other factors，such as overtime or lost time．The changes reported are in the main those arranged between organised groups of employers and workpeople．Changes arranged by individual employers and those affecting unorganised groups of workpeople are not in most cases reported．
$\left(^{2}\right)$ Workpeople who receive two or more changes in rates of wages during a year are counted once only in the total for that year．
$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$The annual totals of Increases in the weekly wage bill mean that the total wage bill of the country，in the industries and for the workpeople covered by the statistics，for a full ordinary week＇s work at the end of any one year exceeds that for the corresponding week of the preceding year by the amount stated．The average weekly wages paid during any one year will not，however，exceed those pald during the preceding year by this sum，as the actual changes will have taken，place at various dates during the year．

## Interim index of retail prices

TABLE 165
Indices for main groups( ${ }^{1}$ )

( ${ }^{1}$ ) There are some differences in the constitution of the main groups before and
Source : Ministry of Labour after 15th January 1952 and more important differences in the constitution of the main groups in the Index of Retail Prices shown in Table 166, as compared with the interim index.

## Index of retail prices ${ }^{1}$ )

TABLE 166
17 January $1956=100$

|  | $\underset{\text { items }}{\text { All }}$ | Food | Alcoholic drink | Tobacco | Housing | Fuel and light | Durable household goods | Clothing and footwear | Transport and vehicles | Miscellaneous goods | Services |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Weights | 1,000 | 350 | 71 | 80 | 87 | 55 | 66 | 106 | 68 | 59 | 58 |
| $\left.\begin{array}{l}1956 \\ 1957 \\ 1958\end{array}\right\} \begin{aligned} & \text { Monthly } \\ & \text { averages }\end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.0 \\ & 105.8 \\ & 109.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \cdot 2 \\ & 104 \cdot 9 \\ & 107 \cdot 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.3 \\ & 104.3 \\ & 105.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.5 \\ & 106.1 \\ & 107.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.8 \\ & 110.1 \\ & 121.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.3 \\ & 107.9 \\ & 113.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101.0 \\ & 101.1 \\ & 100.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 6 \\ & 102.2 \\ & 103.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.1 \\ & 110.2 \\ & 112.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.4 \\ & 107.7 \\ & 113.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103.5 \\ & 109.4 \\ & 114.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 July 15 August 12... September 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 108.5 \\ & 108.3 \\ & 108.4 \end{aligned}$ | 106.0 105.2 105.6 | $\begin{aligned} & 105.8 \\ & 105 \cdot 8 \\ & 105.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107.8 \\ & 107.8 \\ & 17.8 \end{aligned}$ | 122.6 123.3 123.3 | 110.7 110.7 110.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \cdot 1 \\ & 100 \cdot 1 \\ & 100 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.8 \\ & 102.7 \\ & 12.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.3 \\ & 113.1 \\ & 112.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.4 \\ & 113.3 \\ & 113.2 \end{aligned}$ | 114.6 <br> 114.9 <br> $115 \cdot 0$ |
| October 14 <br> November 18 <br> December 16 | $\begin{aligned} & 109.4 \\ & 109.8 \\ & 110.2 \end{aligned}$ | 108.1 108.4 109.2 | 105.8 105.8 105.8 | 107.8 107.8 107.8 | 123.8 124.2 125.1 | 110.9 116.5 116.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 100.0 \\ 99.9 \\ 99.9 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.8 \\ & 102.7 \\ & 122.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.7 \\ & 112.9 \\ & 113.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.5 \\ & 113.5 \\ & 113.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115 \cdot 2 \\ & 115.4 \\ & 115.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 January 13... February 17 March 17 ... | $\begin{aligned} & 110.4 \\ & 110.3 \\ & 110.3 \end{aligned}$ | 109.8 109.1 108.9 | 105.9 105.9 105.9 | $\begin{aligned} & 107.8 \\ & 107.8 \\ & 17.8 \end{aligned}$ | $125 \cdot 8$ 126.2 126.2 | 116.6 116.9 117.0 | 100.1 $100 \cdot 1$ 100.1 | $102 \cdot 2$ 102.2 $102 \cdot 3$ | 113.4 113.8 113.9 | 113.6 113.6 113.7 | 114.8 <br> 114.9 <br> $115 \cdot 9$ |
| April 14 <br> May 12 <br> June 16 $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109.5 \\ & 109.1 \\ & 199.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \cdot 6 \\ & 108 \cdot 1 \\ & 18.4 \end{aligned}$ | $97 \cdot 8$ 97.8 97.8 | 107.8 107.8 107.8 | 127.1 127.3 128.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 117.0 \\ & 111.1 \\ & 111.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98.1 \\ & 98.1 \\ & 98.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102 \cdot 3 \\ & 102 \cdot 3 \\ & 12.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.3 \\ & 114.4 \\ & 114.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.0 \\ & 113.1 \\ & 113.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.6 \\ & 115.8 \\ & 116.3 \end{aligned}$ |
| July 14 August 18... <br> September 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 109.0 \\ & 109.3 \\ & 108.7 \end{aligned}$ | 107.4 108.1 106.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 98.1 \\ & 98.1 \\ & 98.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \cdot 8 \\ & 107.8 \\ & 18.2 \end{aligned}$ | 128.5 128.5 128.7 | 111.1 111.4 111.7 | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 9 \\ & 97 \cdot 9 \\ & 97 \cdot 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.4 \\ & 102.5 \\ & 122.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 114.7 \\ & 114.8 \\ & 114.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.4 \\ & 113.5 \\ & 113.6 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.4 \\ & 116.5 \\ & 116.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| October 13 <br> November 17 <br> December 15 | $\begin{aligned} & 109.2 \\ & 110 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \cdot 4 \\ & 108 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98 \cdot 0 \\ & 98 \cdot 0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \cdot 2 \\ & 108 \cdot 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 128.8 \\ & 129.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 112.2 \\ & 118.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97 \cdot 8 \\ & 97 \cdot 7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 102.9 \\ & 103.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115.0 \\ & 116.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 113.7 \\ & 113.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 116.8 \\ & 116.8 \end{aligned}$ |

(1) The Index of Retail Prices replaced the Interim Index from January 1956. A new set of weights was introduced, based on ascertained consumption, in 1953-54, valued at January 1956 prices. A full description of the index, entitled "Method of Construction and Calculation of the Index of Retail Prices" has been published by H.M. Stationery Office.

## Index of retail prices

Indices for sub-groups
TABLE 167
17 January $1956=100$

|  | Group and sub-group weights | 1957 |  | 1958 |  |  | 1959 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 16 July | 15 Oct. | 15 April | 15 July | 14 Oct. | 13 Jan. | 14 April | 14 July | 13 Oct. |
| All Items ... | 1,000 | $106 \cdot 6$ | 107.1 | 109.6 | $108 \cdot 5$ | 109.4 | $110 \cdot 4$ | 109.5 | 109.0 | $109 \cdot 2$ |
| I. Food <br> Total | 350 | 108.4 | $104 \cdot 7$ | $108 \cdot 7$ | $106 \cdot 0$ | 108.1 | $109 \cdot 8$ | $108 \cdot 6$ | $107 \cdot 4$ | $107 \cdot 4$ |
| Bread, flour, cereals, biscults and cakes <br> Meat and bacon | 52 89 | 119 103 | 119 99 110 | 118 102 113 | 119 105 | 118 108 114 | 119 110 117 | 119 107 112 | 119 107 109 | $\begin{aligned} & 119 \\ & 107 \end{aligned}$ |
| Fish ... | 9 | 102 | 110 | 113 | 108 | 114 | 117 | 112 |  |  |
| Butter, margarine, lard and cooking fat | 19 | 88 | 88 | 73 | 74 | 78 | 87 | 84 |  | 100 110 |
| fat    <br> Milk, cheese and eggs $\cdots$ $\cdots$ $\cdots$ | 53 | 109 | 110 | 105 | 106 | 114 | 110 100 | 106 101 | 103 101 | 110 |
| Tea, coffee, cocoa, soft drinks, etc. | 22 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 100 103 | 100 | 105 | 105 | 105 |
| Sugar, preserves and confectionery | 39 | 106 | 100 | 104 133 | 104 | 115 | 125 | 128 | 114 | 104 |
| Vegetables, fresh, dried and canned | 33 19 | 125 115 | 111 | 133 133 | 103 123 | 115 99 | 102 | 107 | 112 | 99 |
| Fruit, fresh, dried and canned ... Other food | 19 15 | 102 | 103 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 103 | 103 |
| II. Alcoholic drink .. | 71 | 104.1 | $105 \cdot 7$ | $105 \cdot 6$ | $105 \cdot 8$ | $105 \cdot 8$ | 105.9 | 97.8 | 98.1 | 98.0 |
| III. Tobacco | 80 | 105.3 | $107 \cdot 8$ | 107.8 | $107 \cdot 8$ | $107 \cdot 8$ | $107 \cdot 8$ | $107 \cdot 8$ | $107 \cdot 8$ | 108.2 |
| IV. Housing | 87 | $110 \cdot 0$ | 114.1 | 120.6 | 122.6 | 123.8 | $125 \cdot 8$ | $127 \cdot 1$ | $128 \cdot 5$ | 128.8 |
| V. Fuel and light | 55 | $106 \cdot 3$ | 109.9 | $115 \cdot 7$ | $110 \cdot 7$ | $110 \cdot 9$ | 116.6 | 117.0 | 111.1 | $112 \cdot 2$ |
| Coal and coke <br> Other fuel and light | 28 27 | 105 107 | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ | 120 113 | 120 114 | 108 114 | $\begin{aligned} & 109 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ |
| VI. Durable household goods Total | 66 | $100 \cdot 6$ | $101 \cdot 2$ | 101.3 | $100 \cdot 1$ | $100 \cdot 0$ | $100 \cdot 1$ | $98 \cdot 1$ | $97 \cdot 9$ | $97 \cdot 8$ |
| Furniture, floor coverings and soft furnishings... | 35 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 103 | 103 | 103 | 102 | 102 | 103 |
| Radio, television and other household appliances ... ... <br> Pottery, glassware and hardware | 21 10 | 99 100 | 99 100 | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 101 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 95 \\ 102 \end{array}$ | 90 101 | 89 101 | $\begin{array}{r} 89 \\ 100 \end{array}$ |
| VII. Clothing and footwear <br> Total | 106 | 102.1 | $102 \cdot 9$ | $103 \cdot 3$ | $102 \cdot 8$ | $102 \cdot 8$ | $102 \cdot 2$ | $102 \cdot 3$ | $102 \cdot 4$ | $102 \cdot 9$ |
| Men's outer clothing | 20 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| Men's underclothing . | 7 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 105 | 104 | 104 | 104 |  | 104 |
| Women's outer clothing ... | 22 | 102 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 104 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 |
| Women's underclothing ... | 6 | 102 | 102 | 103 | 103 | 103 | 104 | 103 104 | 103 104 | 103 104 |
| Children's clothing <br> Other clothing, including hose, | $1!$ | 103 | 104 | 105 | 104 | 104 | 104 |  |  |  |
| haberdashery, millinery and materials | 21 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 98 | 98 | 98 | 98 | 98 105 | $98$ |
| Footwear ... ... ... | 19 | 103 | 103 | 104 | 103 | 103 | 103 | 103 | 105 | 107 |
| VIII. Transport and vehicles Total | 68 | 109.0 | $111 \cdot 6$ | 112.9 | 113.3 | 112.7 | 113.4 | 114.3 | 114.7 | $115 \cdot 0$ |
| Motoring and cycling Fares and other transport | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 110 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 115 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 118 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 105 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 106 \\ & 119 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 121 \end{aligned}$ |
| IX. Miscellaneous goods Total | 59 | $107 \cdot 0$ | $111 \cdot 1$ | 113.1 | 113.4 | 113.5 | $113 \cdot 6$ | 113.0 | 113.4 | 113.7 |
| Books, newspapers and periodicals | 16 | 108 | 121 | 124 | 125 | 126 | 126 | 126 | 127 | 128 |
| Medicines, toilet requisites, soap, cleaning materials, matches, etc. Stationery, travel and sports goods, | 26 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 110 | 111 | III | 111 | 112 |
| toys, photographic and optical goods, etc. | 17 | 106 | 107 | 109 | 107 | 107 | 105 | 104 | 104 | 104 |
| X. Services <br> Total | 58 | 108.4 | 113.7 | $114 \cdot 3$ | 114.6 | $115 \cdot 2$ | 114.8 | $115 \cdot 6$ | 116.4 | 116.8 |
| Postage and telephones <br> Entertainment | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 23 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 110 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 136 \\ & 110 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 111 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 132 \\ & 113 \end{aligned}$ |
| Other services, including domestic help, hairdressing, boot and |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| dry cleaning ... ... ... | 29 | III | 111 | 113 | 114 | 114 | 114 | 115 | 116 | 117 |

# Index numbers of wholesale prices 

$1954=100$
TABLE 168
Monthly averages


See footnotes on page 133.

Index numbers of wholesale prices
$1954=100$
TABLE 168 (continued)
Monthly averages

| Price indices of the output of |
| :---: |
| broad sectors of industry |


| All manufactured products | Food manufacturing industries | Chemical and allied industries | Iron and steel | Textile industries, other than clothing | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \text { Clothing } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { footwear } \end{array}$ | Paper industries | New construction ${ }^{1}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

Price indices of selected commodities produced in the United Kingdom

| Coal( $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$ | Cement | General <br> chemi- <br> cals | Domes- <br> tic <br> furniture | Rubber <br> tyres <br> and <br> tubes |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |



[^30]
## International commodity prices ( ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ )

TABLE 169
Averages of daily or weekly prices


## International commodity prices

Averages of daily or weekly prices

|  |  |  | Cotton |  | Wool |  | Copper | Lead | Zinc | Tin | Aluminium |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | U.S.A. $1 \frac{8^{\circ}}{}{ }^{\circ}$ middling (New York -spot) | Sudan Sakel No. 6 (Liverpool -spot) | Merino 64 s | $\begin{gathered} \text { Cross-bred } \\ 50 \mathrm{~s} \end{gathered}$ | London Metal Exchange |  |  |  | Virgin 99 per cent. (Delivered consumers' works) |
|  |  |  | (Spot) |  |  |  | (Current month) |  | (Spot) |  |
|  |  |  | U.S. cents per lb. | Pence per lb. | Pence per lb. ( ${ }^{3}$ ) |  |  | ¢per ton |  |  |  |
| 1954 |  | ... |  | 35.1 |  | 128 | 77 | $248 \cdot 6$ | 96.3 | 78.2 | 719 | 156 |
| 1955 | . $\quad .$. | $\ldots$ | 34.6 | . | 107 | 75 | $351.4{ }^{5}$ ) | 105.9 | 90.7 | 740 | 167 |
| 1956 | . $\quad .$. |  | 35.5 | $52.6\left({ }^{\circ}\right)$ | 113 | 75 | 328.9 | 116.3 | 97.8 | 788 | 190( ${ }^{7}$ ) |
|  | . $\quad .$. |  | 36.4 | 51.8 | 125 | 83 | 219.5 | 96.7 | 81.6 | 755 | 197 |
| $1958$ | ... ... | $\ldots$ | $36 \cdot 2$ | $34 \cdot 2$ | 89 | 59 | 197.4 | $73 \cdot 0$ | 65.9 | 735 | 184 |
| 1957 |  |  |  | 61.5 | 137 | 89 | 242.0 | 111.9 | 98.4 | 774 | 197 |
|  | May ... | . | 35.4 |  | 140 | 92 | $237 \cdot 9$ | 99.5 | 85.8 | 765 | 197 |
|  | June ... | ... | $35 \cdot 5$ |  | 133 | 90 | $227 \cdot 1$ | 91.7 | $74 \cdot 3$ | 763 |  |
|  | July ... | ... | $35 \cdot 5$ | 48.5 | 130 | 85 | 217.6 | $90 \cdot 6$ | $75 \cdot 2$ | 753 | 197 |
|  | August | ... | 35.1 | $48 \cdot 4$ |  |  | 208.6 | 91.7 | 73.9 | 740 740 | 197 197 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 34.7 | $47 \cdot 2$ | 120 | 83 | 193.9 | 89.8 |  | 740 |  |
|  |  | $\ldots$ | $35 \cdot 1$ | 45.9 | 113 | 78 | 186.5 | 85.9 | 69.2 | 732 | 197 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | 36.0 | 42.8 | 107 | 73 | 187.9 | $83 \cdot 2$ | 67.5 | 731 | 197 |
|  | December | ... | $36 \cdot 5$ | 39.5 | 96 | 70 | $181 \cdot 4$ | $73 \cdot 2$ | $62 \cdot 8$ | 732 | 197 |
| 1958 | January | ... | $36 \cdot 3$ | 38.0 | 98 | 67 | 171.4 | 72.2 | $62 \cdot 6$ | 731 | 197 |
|  | February | $\ldots$ | $36 \cdot 0$ | 37.4 | 102 | 66 | 162.9 | $74 \cdot 2$ | $63 \cdot 9$ | 732 | 197 |
|  | March | $\ldots$ | 36.1 | $37 \cdot 3$ | 94 | 61 | $170 \cdot 1$ | $74 \cdot 8$ | 63.5 | 731 | 197 |
|  | April... | .. | 36.0 | $37 \cdot 3$ | 94 | 57 | 175.6 | 72.9 | $62 \cdot 4$ | 731 | 180 |
|  | May ... | ... | $36 \cdot 3$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | 94 | 58 | 178.8 | 72.1 | 61.9 | 731 | 180 |
|  | June ... | ... | $36 \cdot 6$ | $34 \cdot 5$ | 96 | 58 | 194.6 | $75 \cdot 3$ | $64 \cdot 2$ | 730 | 180 |
|  | July ... | $\ldots$ | 36.5 | 34.5 | 90 | 57 | 199.8 | 71.5 | $63 \cdot 6$ | 731 | 180 |
|  | August | ... | 36.4 | $33 \cdot 4$ | 84 | 57 | $205 \cdot 8$ | $70 \cdot 4$ | $63 \cdot 8$ | 730 | 180 |
|  | September | ... | $36 \cdot 0$ | 32.5 | 83 | 55 | 209.3 | $70 \cdot 5$ | 65.0 | 718 | 180 |
|  | October | $\ldots$ | 36.2 | 32.1 | 77 | 55 | $236 \cdot 3$ | 74.1 | 70.5 | 741 | 180 |
|  | November | $\ldots$ | $36 \cdot 2$ | $30 \cdot 1$ | 76 | 56 | 243.0 | $75 \cdot 6$ | 75.3 | 758 | 180 |
|  | December | ... | $35 \cdot 8$ | $28 \cdot 5$ | 74 | 56 | 221.0 | $72 \cdot 2$ | 74.3 | 756 | 180 |
| 1959 | January | ... | 35.7 | $27 \cdot 6$ | 73 | 56 | $230 \cdot 1$ | 71.9 | 74.9 | 759 | 180 |
|  | February | ... | $35 \cdot 7$ | $25 \cdot 8$ | 77 | 59 | $236 \cdot 2$ | $70 \cdot 0$ | 73.7 | 772 | 180 |
|  | March | ... | $35 \cdot 7$ | 24.5 | 79 | 59 | $248 \cdot 5$ | 69.5 | 75.1 | 780 | 180 |
|  | April ... | $\ldots$ | $36 \cdot 0$ | 24.7 | 94 | 68 | $240 \cdot 0$ | 69.1 | 72.7 | 782 | 180 |
|  | May ... | $\cdots$ | $36 \cdot 3$ | 28.8 | 94 | 69 | 236.2 | $70 \cdot 8$ | $77 \cdot 4$ | 784 | 180 |
|  | June ... | $\ldots$ | 36.1 | 29.1 | 91 | 64 | $230 \cdot 0$ | 69.7 | 78.4 | 788 | 180 |
|  | July ... | ... | 34.7 | 29.3 | 93 | 68 | 220.9 | $70 \cdot 3$ | $80 \cdot 5$ | 793 | 180 |
|  | August | $\ldots$ | 33.2 | 29.9 | 102 | 74 | $232 \cdot 8$ | $72 \cdot 2$ | 85.3 | 793 | 180 |
|  | September | $\ldots$ | 33.0 | 29.9 | 98 | 72 | $230 \cdot 4$ | $70 \cdot 7$ | 86.1 | 793 | 180 |
|  | October |  | $32 \cdot 8$ | 29.9 | 96 |  |  |  |  |  | 180 |
|  | November December | $\ldots$ | $32 \cdot 8$ | $30 \cdot 8$ | 95 | 73 | $250 \cdot 6$ | 72.1 | 94.9 | 795 | 180 |

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Prices of representative grades in international markets, the movements of which may differ Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and from those of index numbers in Table 165 which represent prices in the United Kingdom.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ From I February 1959, the quotation is for wheat in store FortWilliam for ocean-loading (for shipment by the St. Lawrence seaway).
${ }^{(3)}$ Equivalent, clean c.i.f. United Kingdom, of Commonwealth auction prices.
(4) Nearest to three months futures. Up to six months prior to January 1955.
(5) During the period 9 May 1955 and 7 October 1957 some copper has been sold in the United Kingdom at fixed prices by one supplier-the Rhodesian Selection Trust, the most recent prices being $£ 210$ until 5 September, $£ 200$ until 9 September, $£ 190$ until 16 September and $£ 200$ thereafter. ( ${ }^{\circ}$ ) Average of three quarterly figures; April-December 1956.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Includes a surcharge of $30 /-$ per ton payable from 2 July to 31 December.

Import and export prices ; tramp shipping freights
TABLE 170


[^31]Index numbers of agricultural prices

## England and Wales

TABLE ${ }^{171}$
$1936-38=100$

$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Monthly fatstock prices exclude any payments made under the Fatstock Guarantee Scheme. Annual prices for 1954 onwards include such payments. Fat cattle prices for 1938 include payments made under the Cattle (Emergency Provisions) Acts, 1934 and 1935, and the Livestock Industry Act, 1937.
$\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Before July 1954 the index numbers relate to pork pigs.
${ }^{(3)}$ Before July 1954 the index numbers relate to bacon pigs.
${ }^{(4)}$ Monthly cereals prices exclude any payments made under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme. Annual prices for 1954 onwards include such payments. Wheat prices for 1938 include payments made under the Wheat Act, 1932.
${ }^{(5)}$ The July and August prices for potatoes, which relate to first early varieties only, are omitted from the annual index.

TABLE 172
Averages of values in $1950=100$


$\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Sales are valued at wholesale price excluding purchase tax ; stocks are
Source : Wholesale Textile Association valued at cost and relate to end of perlod.
${ }^{(2)}$ Including goods not specified.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including some goods for export, which form only a small part of the total.
Household goods shops and finance houses: Hire purchase and other instalment credit (1) TABLE 173

|  | Hire purchase and other credit instalments outstanding at end of each month ( ${ }^{2}$ ) |  |  | Hire purchase and other instaiment credit sales of household goods shops $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ |  | Index numbers of new hire purchase and other instalment credit extended per month by finance houses direct to hirers |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total instalments outstanding | Owing directly to household goods shops | Owing directly to finance houses | Index numbers of weekly average value | As a percentage |  |
|  | £ million |  |  | July $1957=100$ |  | July $1957=100$ |
| 1958 June | 469 | 177 | 292 | 91* | 27 | 104 |
| July August ... September | 476 478 481 | 177 177 181 | $\begin{aligned} & 299 \\ & 301 \\ & 300 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 97 \\ 92 \\ 120^{*} \end{gathered}$ | 26 27 31 | $\begin{array}{r} 110 \\ 87 \\ 84 \end{array}$ |
| October <br> November <br> December | 490 525 559 | 188 205 227 | $\begin{aligned} & 302 \\ & 320 \\ & 332 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 157 \\ & 219 \\ & 201^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \\ & 41 \\ & 38 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 149 \\ 130 \end{array}$ |
| 1959 January ... February March .. | $\begin{aligned} & 576 \\ & 596 \\ & 616 \end{aligned}$ | 233 239 242 | 343 357 374 | 146 135 $123 *$ | 35 36 33 | 130 123 153 |
| $\begin{array}{ll}\text { April } & \ldots \\ \text { May } & \ldots \\ \text { June } & \ldots\end{array}$ | 642 674 708 | 248 256 264 | 394 418 444 | 147 153 $144 *$ | 35 35 35 | $\begin{aligned} & 169 \\ & 166 \\ & 178 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 742 \\ & 756 \\ & 784 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 273 \\ & 279 \\ & 289 \end{aligned}$ | 469 477 495 | $\begin{aligned} & 154 \\ & 143 \\ & 161^{*} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34 \\ & 36 \\ & 37 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 174 \\ & 135 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ |
| October | 807 | 299 | 508 | 173 | 36 | 156 |

[^32]Source: Board of Trade

## Retail sales and stocks( ${ }^{1}$ )

|  |  | Sales |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Allkinds of kinds ofbusiness busines | Food shops |  |  |  |  |  |  | Clothing and footwear shops |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total( ${ }^{2}$ ) | Grocers | Butchers | Greengrocers, fruiterers | Fishmongers, poulterers | Bread and flour confectioners | Off licences | Total | Footwear shops | Men's wear shops | Women's wear shops |
| 1957 1958 | $\ldots$ |  | 100 103 | 100 103 | 100 103 | 100 102 | 100 104 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 105 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | 100 101 | 100 98 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | October ... <br> November... <br> *December .. | 105 113 134 | 103 105 118 | 105 107 115 | 103 104 116 | $\begin{array}{r} 93 \\ 88 \\ 107 \end{array}$ | 103 109 122 | 105 104 111 | 91 108 243 | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 108 \\ & 147 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 104 \\ & 102 \\ & 143 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 90 \\ 100 \\ 144 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 113 \\ & 150 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1959 | January <br> February <br> *March | 100 94 100 | 104 102 104 | 105 102 105 | 105 101 101 | 98 97 107 | 97 109 107 | 103 103 105 | 85 95 88 | $\begin{aligned} & 91 \\ & 75 \\ & 89 \end{aligned}$ | 90 68 93 | 98 79 85 | 89 75 90 |
|  | April $\ldots$ <br> May $\ldots$ <br> *June $\ldots$ | 103 106 104 | 104 105 103 | 104 106 105 | 103 99 96 | 105 118 116 | 106 111 109 | 106 108 105 | 85 90 86 | 96 113 105 | 101 132 112 | $\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ 114 \\ 108 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 94 \\ 108 \\ 102 \end{array}$ |
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|  | October November... December | 109 | 106 | 109 | 104 | 92 | 104 | 108 | 95 | 106 | 108 | 95 | 109 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Durable goods shops |  |  | Miscellaneous non-food shops |  |  |  |  |  | General department stores |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total | Furniture shops | Other durable goods shops $\left({ }^{3}\right)\left({ }^{4}\right)$ | Total( ${ }^{(5)}$ | Confectioners, tobacconists newsagents | Booksellers, stationers( ${ }^{6}$ ) | Chemists, photographic goods dealers (7) | Jeweilers | Ironmongers and hardware shops | Total | Clothing and footwear ${ }^{(8)}$ | Household goods ${ }^{8}$ ) | All kinds of busi ness |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1957 \\ & 1958 \end{aligned}$ |  | 100 105 | 100 105 | 100 105 | 100 104 | 100 102 | 100 105 | 100 103 | 100 101 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 103 \end{aligned}$ | 100 100 | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & 104 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 107 \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1958 | Oct. ... Nov. *Dec. | $\begin{aligned} & 121 \\ & 146 \\ & 149 \end{aligned}$ | 123 139 138 | 118 154 159 | 103 113 146 | 102 105 121 | 111 124 175 | 96 107 154 | 89 103 208 | 104 112 130 | 111 127 160 | 117 116 139 | 115 129 130 | 119 123 109 |
|  | January Feb. <br> * March | 116 104 100 | 111 95 100 | 123 113 100 | 92 93 100 | 97 96 101 | 100 96 98 | 93 96 95 | 74 81 87 | $\begin{array}{r} 108 \\ 96 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | 109 75 92 | 99 64 93 | 129 89 99 | $\begin{aligned} & 108 \\ & 111 \\ & 112 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | April <br> May <br> *June | 113 113 112 | 109 114 117 | 115 110 107 | 100 102 103 | 97 99 99 | 92 88 94 | 97 106 107 | $\begin{array}{r} 84 \\ 90 \\ 101 \end{array}$ | 106 105 101 | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 105 \\ & 100 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ 108 \\ 99 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 103 \\ & 102 \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | 114 115 114 |
|  | July ... <br> *Sept. .. | $\begin{aligned} & 117 \\ & 108 \\ & 120 \end{aligned}$ | 122 105 115 | 112 110 122 | 108 102 103 | 99 100 102 | 99 92 103 | 119 113 103 | 112 108 105 | 110 101 98 | 113 81 99 | 113 72 99 | $\begin{array}{r} 132 \\ 88 \\ 108 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 111 \\ & 109 \\ & 114 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Oct. <br> Nov. <br> Dec. | 129 | 126 | 130 | 107 | 104 | 120 | 102 | 96 | 106 | 114 | 117 | 120 | 123 |

[^33]Source: Board of Trade kind of business. Descriptions of the series were published in the Board of Trade Journal for 6 February 1959 (sales) and 19 December 1958 (stocks).
${ }^{2}{ }^{2}$ ) Includes sales by dairymen and "Other food shops".
${ }^{(3)}$ Includes sales by radio and electrical goods shops, radio and cycle, cycle, perambulator shops, and electricity and gas showrooms. ( ${ }^{4}$ ) Excludes co-operative societies.
${ }^{(5)}$ Includes sales of variety and other general stores. $\quad{ }^{\left({ }^{6}\right)}$ Including only independent retailers.
$\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Excludes receipts under the National Health Service.
${ }^{(8)}$ Includes the sales of some large independent clothing shops and furniture shops.

* Average of five weeks. (Stocks at end of five week period.)


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TABLE 175

${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. Figures for the year 1938 are estimates based on receipts of entertainments duty. Thereafter, until June 1959, figures are based on quarterly returns from virtually all cinemas. From July 1959 onwards, figures are estimates based on information relating to a sample of cinemas.
$\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Duty paid clearances of unmanufactured tobacco.
$\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Duty paid clearances of tobacco, including manufactured tobacco, less quantity on which drawback has been paid.

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[^2]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including H.M. Forces serving overseas, but excluding the Forces of other countries

[^3]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Excluding stillbirths.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Averages for 4 years.

[^4]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 16.

[^5]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{1}\right)$ to Table I6. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{(2)}$ ) to Table I5.

[^6]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table 16.
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ See footnote $\left({ }^{2}\right)$ to Table 15.

[^7]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{1}\right)$ Figures do not include direct grant schools.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Including nursery schools.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{( }\right)$Excluding, from I October 1955, teachers in occasional service. The number in service on that date was 215 men and 1,922 women, of whom 205 men and 1,877 women were employed in primary and secondary schools.

[^8]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ This index provides a general measure of monthly changes in total industrial production. 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. 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 revised Standard Industrial Classification (H.M.S.O. 1958).
    $\left(^{2}\right)$ The indices for all industries and for total manufacturing industries shown in italics are adjusted for holidays and other causes of seasonal variation.
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[^9]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote $\left(^{2}\right)$ to Table 42.
    ${ }^{(2}$ ) Including coal held by Service Departments.

[^10]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. Excluding coke breeze.
    $\left(^{2}\right.$ ) Excluding coke used for heating retorts at gas works.
    ${ }^{\left({ }^{3}\right)}$ Figures relate to disposals from coke ovens and gas works.
    (4) Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
    ${ }^{(5)}$ ) Figures relate to actual shipments made in each period 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.
    *Average of five weeks.

[^11]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ See footnote ${ }^{( }{ }^{1}$ ) to Table 63.

[^12]:    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$) Including electric.

[^13]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Including chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. The values of deliveries of commercial vehicles, spares, parts and accessories are shown in Table 77.

[^14]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Production by British Railways and by private manufacturers.
    (2) Deliveries. The figures exclude aircraft of military type except those produced for export.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ The index of airframe structure weight is based on $1954=100$.
    $\left.{ }^{4}\right)$ Monthly average.

[^15]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Including home-grown pulpwood, wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops.
    ${ }^{2}$ ) Including woodpulp for cellulose wadding. Excluding Government stocks from August 1954
    Source : Board of Trade
    (3) For the manufacture of rayon and transparent cellulose film.
    (4) Thousand tons. (5) 53 week period.
    Average of five weeks.

[^16]:    (1) The method of calculation of the number of new places provided differs in England andWales and Scotland. In England and Wales the figures refer to the number of pupils for which new school accommodation is designed. In Scotland the figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms, and will normally exceed the number of pupils for which accommodation is designed.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ Including new schools brought into partial use before completion.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Extensions, alterations and war damage repairs.

[^17]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) United Kingdom.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ ) From the 3 rd quarter of 1958 figures include sand used in the production of sand lime bricks.
    ${ }^{(3)}$ Including roof decking. ( ${ }^{4}$ ) Four weeks and three days. $\left(^{5}\right.$ ) Three weeks and four days.
    ${ }^{6}$ ) Including rainwater, hot water and soil pipes and gutters.

    * Five week period.

[^18]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including fowls, ducks, geese and turkeys.

[^19]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) As refined sugar.
    ${ }^{2}$ ) Including quantities processed, and fed to livestock under schemes for implementing the Agriculture Act, 1947, and seed sold for food.
    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$For human consumption, processing, export (excluding seed) and sales for stockfeed through schemes for implementing the Agriculture Act, 1947.
    ${ }^{(4}$ ) Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.
    ${ }^{5}$ ) Average of years March to February.

    - Five week period.

[^20]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) As crude oil. $\quad\left({ }^{2}\right)$ Including seal oil up to April 1954.
    $\left.{ }^{(3}\right)$ Including disposals for canning. ( ${ }^{4}$ ) Including the production of maize oil.
    (5) $1935 / 6$ - 1938/9.
    ${ }^{(6)}$ ) 1936/7-1938/9.

    * Five week period.

[^21]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) Stocks of raw coffee in warehouses and in transit to warehouses.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Excluding spirits produced from molasses.
    ${ }^{(3)} 1938$.

[^22]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Figures, except those for 1938, take into account the changes made this year in the coverage of the Trade Account statistics, details of which were published in the Board of Trade Journal for 6 February 1959.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ The figures of United Kingdom trade from May to September 1958 were significantly affected by the London dock dispute of May-June 1958.
    ( ${ }^{3}$ ) Silver bullion and all coin (other than gold) not of legal tender in the United Kingdom, are excluded from
    1938 figures. From Apriil 1956 to April 1957 inclusive, exports include repayment of Lend-Lease silver
    to the United States of America valued at $£ 29.5$ million
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    (9) Figures for 1953 and 1954 include United Kingdom Whale Fisheries.
    (') Export List divisions DI2, 13 and 14
    (') Export List divisions D6, 7, 8 and 9.
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    ${ }^{( }{ }^{\circ}$ ) Export List divisions DI5, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 22.

[^23]:    ${ }^{1}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{(1)}$ to Table 126.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ (2) Excluding engines and electrical parts and, from 1956, aircraft other than newly constructed.
    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Except in 1938, figures of new motor cars include station wagons. ( ${ }^{4}$ ) Excluding industrial trucks, except in 1938.

[^24]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) See footnote ( ${ }^{1}$ ) to Table I26. ( ${ }^{2}$ ) Electric cables, wires, strips and strands insulated.

[^25]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The weekly averages for each year are computed from totals for calendar years.
    Source: Ministry of Transport
    (2) The figures for 1938 exclude the railways of the Manchester Ship Canal.

[^26]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ ) Including mopeds and motor scooters.
    (2) Not over 30 cwt . unladen weight.

[^27]:    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.

[^28]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Averages of daily mean Telegraphic Transfer rates.

[^29]:    ( $^{1}$ ) The figures represent the average earnings, including bonus, overtime, etc., and before deduction of income
    Source : Ministry of Labour tax or insurance contributions, in one week in the months indicated. Administrative and clerical workers and other salaried persons have been excluded. The figures are subject to certain qualifications which are contained in a full account of the enquiry relating to October 1958, published in the Ministry of Labour Gazette for February 1959.
    $\left.{ }^{(2}\right)$ This index relates only to the industries covered by the earnings enquiry. It should not be confused with the figures in Tables 162 and 163 which cover all industries.

[^30]:    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ Index of building costs; figures relate to average for the quarter.
    ${ }^{2}$ ) Based on prices ruling on the last day of each month.

[^31]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ The weighting of the monthly index numbers is based on the pattern of trade in 1954. Further details were published in the Board of Trade Journal for 26 March and 10 December 1955.
    $\left.{ }^{( }{ }^{2}\right)$ 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.
    ${ }^{(3}$ ) Import price index as a percentage of the export price index.
    ${ }^{(4)}$ Export List divisions D12, 13 and 14.
    (5) Export List divisions D15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 22.
    ${ }^{\circ}{ }^{\circ}$ ) Export List divisions D6, 7, 8 and 9 .

[^32]:    $\left.{ }^{( }\right)$Great Britain.
    ${ }^{(2)}$ Revised in accordance with the 1957 Census of Distribution.

    * Average of five weeks.

[^33]:    ${ }^{(1)}$ Great Britain. The figures cover sales (at selling value) and stocks (at cost) in all shops in each

