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Table 1. - Estimated Number of Production Workers in Manufacturing Industries 1/  
(In thousands)

Industry Group or Industry	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
ALL MANUFACTURING	12,405	12,678	12,840	13,652
DURABLE GOODS	7,255	7,471	7,661	8,315
NONDURABLE GOODS	5,150	5,207	5,279	5,337
Durable Goods				
IRON AND STEEL AND THEIR PRODUCTS	1,606	1,631	1,658	1,669
Blast furnaces, steel works, and rolling mills	473.8	475.4	478.5	481.5
Gray-iron and semi-steel castings	72.2	72.6	71.6	73.4
Malleable-iron castings	24.5	24.2	25.5	24.6
Steel castings	68.3	70.9	71.8	75.6
Cast-iron pipe and fittings	16.3	16.0	15.6	16.1
Tin cans and other tinware	41.5	41.7	41.9	37.5
Wire drawn from purchased rods	31.7	32.0	32.7	33.5
Wirework	32.8	33.9	34.7	34.6
Cutlery and edge tools	23.5	23.9	24.6	22.9
Tools (except edge tools, machine tools, files, and saws)	26.3	26.8	27.5	27.8
Hardware	45.2	46.0	46.8	45.8
Plumbers' supplies	22.5	22.8	23.2	23.0
Stoves, oil burners, and heating equipment not elsewhere classified	30.6	32.0	32.6	31.7
Steam and hot-water heating apparatus and steam fittings	53.3	54.3	55.2	56.7
Stamped and enameled ware and galvanizing	85.0	86.0	86.9	88.5
Fabricated structural and ornamental metalwork	63.5	67.5	70.0	76.2
Metal doors, sash, frames, molding, and trim	10.0	10.3	10.7	13.2
Bolts, nuts, washers, and rivets	23.3	23.6	23.9	27.5
Forgings, iron and steel	34.1	34.4	35.4	37.4
Wrought pipe, welded and heavy riveted	33.2	34.1	34.4	26.2
Screw-machine products and wood screws	41.6	42.4	43.0	46.4
Steel barrels, kegs, and drums	8.2	8.5	8.4	8.7
Firearms	29.0	29.8	30.7	30.6
ELECTRICAL MACHINERY	670	682	693	717
Electrical equipment	411.2	419.7	426.4	455.1
Radios and phonographs	113.8	114.5	116.7	122.9
Communication equipment	102.3	103.5	104.8	115.0

Table 1. - Estimated Number of Production Workers in Manufacturing Industries  
 (In thousands) Cont'd

Industry Group or Industry	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	1,108	1,130	1,152	1,211
Machinery and machine-shop products	432.4	441.4	449.9	450.0
Engines and turbines	68.2	65.2	66.7	70.9
Tractors	54.3	55.6	57.2	59.7
Agricultural machinery, excluding tractors	41.6	42.7	43.9	45.3
Machine tools	72.7	76.6	74.6	78.1
Machine-tool accessories	62.9	63.0	61.4	63.4
Textile machinery	26.3	25.9	26.4	27.3
Pumps and pumping equipment	67.7	68.0	71.5	80.5
Typewriters	15.0	15.0	13.1	11.2
Cash registers, adding and calculating machines	28.5	29.2	29.8	33.1
Washing machines, wringers and driers, domestic	12.5	12.8	12.8	15.5
Sewing machines, domestic and industrial	10.5	10.8	11.1	6.3
Refrigerators and refrigeration equipment	49.0	49.9	51.1	52.5
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, EXCEPT AUTOMOBILES	1,744	1,874	1,970	2,401
Locomotives	33.2	33.5	34.0	36.4
Cars, electric- and steam-railroad	59.4	57.9	58.6	58.5
Aircraft and parts, excluding aircraft engines	575.4	610.1	537.6	741.9
Aircraft engines	192.7	203.5	210.6	255.4
Shipbuilding and boatbuilding	702.9	853.2	17.1	1,179.3
Motorcycles, bicycles, and parts	8.5	8.6	8.8	9.5
AUTOMOBILES	63.2	66.0	66.0	71.0
NONFERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS	401	401	307	426
Smelting and refining, primary, of nonferrous metals	38.6	39.2	39.5	31.0
Alloying and rolling and drawing of nonferrous metals except aluminum	70.9	71.7	72.6	71.5
Clocks and watches	26.3	26.0	26.5	31.3
Jewelry (precious metals) and jewelers' findings	13.1	13.2	13.2	14.3
Silverware and plated ware	10.9	10.0	11.0	10.4
Lighting equipment	26.9	26.3	26.2	25.5
Aluminum manufactures	70.1	70.6	70.5	76.1
Sheet-metal work, not elsewhere classified	31.2	31.4	32.0	31.7

Table 1.-Estimated Number of Production Workers in Manufacturing Industries 1/ Cont'd  
 (In thousands)

Industry Group or Industry	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
LUMBER AND TIMBER BASIC PRODUCTS	443	438	446	474
Sawmills and logging camps	217.0	213.7	210.4	232.5
Planing and plywood mills	67.8	68.3	69.6	72.2
FURNITURE AND FINISHED LUMBER PRODUCTS	529	531	333	343
Mattresses and bedsprings	17.1	17.2	17.6	16.4
Furniture	147.8	149.3	152.6	155.9
Wooden boxes, other than cigar	26.2	26.6	27.1	26.2
Caskets and other morticians' goods	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.4
Wood preserving	10.0	10.0	10.1	9.8
Wood, turned and shaped	21.2	21.0	21.3	21.2
STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	520	522	327	335
Glass and glassware	86.6	87.0	88.3	91.6
Glass products made from purchased glass	10.9	10.8	11.1	10.4
Cement	16.3	16.2	16.1	17.0
Brick, tile, and terra cotta	40.3	40.5	40.9	42.3
Pottery and related products	37.9	36.3	38.9	41.2
Gypsum	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2
Wallboard, plaster (except gypsum), and mineral wool	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.2
Lime	7.7	7.6	7.7	8.4
Marble, granite, slate, and other products	10.1	10.1	10.8	12.4
Abrasives	21.2	21.4	21.6	21.5
Asbestos products	19.4	19.7	20.1	20.8
HARDURABLE GOODS				
TEXTILE-MILL PRODUCTS AND OTHER FIBER MANUFACTURES	1,036	1,043	1,067	1,110
Cotton manufactures, except small wares	411.4	415.9	421.2	437.0
Cotton small wares	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.8
Silk and rayon goods	85.6	86.3	88.0	89.6
Woolen and worsted manufactures, except dyeing and finishing	140.6	142.1	145.2	152.1
Hosiery	96.2	97.0	98.6	103.5
Knitted cloth	10.0	10.2	10.3	10.8
Knitted outerwear and knitted gloves	27.5	27.9	28.6	30.0
Knitted underwear	33.1	33.4	34.1	36.1
Dyeing and finishing textiles, including woolen and worsted	57.2	57.6	58.8	62.4
Carpets and rugs, wool	18.2	19.6	20.0	20.6
Hats, fur-felt	9.1	9.1	9.3	9.5
Jute goods, except felts	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3
Cordage and twine	14.5	14.6	14.9	15.7

Table 1.-Estimated Number of Production Workers in Manufacturing Industries 1/ [Cont'd]  
 (In thousands)

Industry Group or Industry	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
<b>APPAREL AND OTHER FINISHED TEXTILE PRODUCTS</b>	301	319	336	362
Men's clothing, not elsewhere classified	195.6	198.0	201.	213.7
Shirts, collars, and nightwear	7.9	8.5	10.1	8.1
Underwear and neckwear, men's	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.2
Work shirts	14.8	14.4	14.8	15.4
Women's clothing, not elsewhere classified	200.3	206.9	212.7	212..
Corsets and allied garments	14.1	14.1	14.4	15.3
Hats and millinery	16.8	19.6	20.6	18.3
Handkerchiefs	2.5	2.5	2.6	3.0
Curtains, draperies, and bedspreads	10.7	10.6	10.8	13.0
House furnishings, other than curtains, etc.	11.2	10.7	11.2	8.6
Textile bags	14.8	14.6	14.7	14.5
<b>LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS</b>	303	305	309	311
Leather	38.6	36.3	36.3	40..
Boot and shoe cut stock and findings	18.1	18.9	16.1	16.3
Boots and shoes	189.7	170.6	172.3	173.3
Leather gloves and mittens	11.3	11.7	11.9	12.7
Trunks and suitcases	11.0	12.1	12.6	11.0
<b>FOOD</b>	967	975	979	1,005
Slaughtering and meat packing	124.4	124.2	130.2	134.3
Butter	34.5	35.4	32.6	33.6
Condensed and evaporated milk	15.7	14.8	13.9	14.8
Ice cream	16.0	15.1	14.0	15.6
Flour	20.8	22.4	20.0	27.0
Feeds, prepared	21.0	21.1	21.2	19.3
Cereal preparations	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.5
Baking	254.7	254.7	256.8	253.9
Sugar refining, cane	14.7	15.3	15.0	14.5
Sugar, beet	1.5	4.0	3.9	4.4
Confectionery	54.0	56.0	53.1	56.6
Beverages, nonalcoholic	26.2	26.4	25.7	27.9
Malt liquors	50.1	49.6	49.9	50.1
Canning and preserving	98.7	101.6	95.8	99.8
<b>TOBACCO MANUFACTURES</b>	80	81	82	82
Cigarettes	55.9	54.4	54.8	55.3
Cigars	32.5	32.9	33.2	30.2
Tobacco (chewing and smoking) and snuff	8.8	8.6	8.7	7.7

Table 1.-Estimated Number of Production Workers in Manufacturing Industries 1/ Cont'd  
(In thousands)

Industry Group or Industry	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	209	301	307	313
Paper and pulp	142.7	143.8	146.1	144.8
Paper goods, other	43.1	43.8	44.8	46.8
Envelopes	9.2	9.3	9.2	9.7
Paper bags	12.6	12.6	12.9	13.5
Paper boxes	78.5	76.3	77.4	79.2
PRINTING, PUBLISHING, AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES	326	326	329	329
Newspapers and periodicals	109.3	108.8	109.3	110.0
Printing, book and job	131.3	131.4	132.4	130.8
Lithographing	24.1	24.0	24.5	24.6
Bookbinding	27.2	27.1	27.6	28.5
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	623	633	639	592
Faints, varnishes, and colors	23.8	23.9	29.4	23.9
Drugs, medicines, and insecticides	50.0	50.2	49.5	51.0
Perfumes and cosmetics	12.2	12.2	12.1	11.8
Soap	15.2	15.2	15.3	15.5
Rayon and allied products	53.1	53.1	51.6	51.7
Chemicals, not elsewhere classified	114.1	114.7	115.3	120.0
Explosives and safety fuses	97.9	98.8	98.7	99.9
Compressed and liquefied gases	5.9	6.0	5.9	6.1
Ammunition, small-arms	66.1	67.4	67.2	54.3
Fireworks	22.0	22.9	23.8	30.9
Cottonseed oil	18.3	14.5	16.3	18.0
Fertilizers	25.7	27.1	26.9	22.6
PRODUCTS OF PETROLEUM AND COAL	154	153	154	150
Petroleum refining	82.2	81.8	81.8	87.1
Coke and by-products	21.8	21.8	22.0	22.9
Paving materials	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.6
Roofing materials	9.2	9.5	9.5	9.3
RUBBER PRODUCTS	189	182	197	186
Rubber, tires and inner tubes	81.6	93.2	95.7	90.1
Rubber, boots and shoes	10.8	10.0	17.4	20.7
Rubber goods, other	68.4	71.3	72.6	72.9
MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIES	393	396	400	405
Instruments (professional and scientific), and fire control equipment	55.1	59.7	59.9	63.0
Photographic apparatus	27.5	27.4	26.0	29.2
Optical instruments and ophthalmic goods	23.2	23.5	23.5	24.9
Pianos, organs, and parts	7.9	7.5	7.4	7.0
Games, toys, and dolls	15.4	15.6	15.3	15.4
Buttons	9.6	8.6	9.7	9.7
Fire extinguishers	4.5	4.3	4.7	4.1

Table 1.-Estimated Number of Production Workers in Manufacturing Industries 1/ Cont'd

1/ Estimates for the major industry groups have been adjusted to levels indicated by the final 1942 and preliminary 1943 data made available by the Bureau of Employment Security of the Federal Security Agency. Estimates for individual industries have been adjusted to levels indicated by the 1939 Census of Manufactures, but not to Federal Security Agency data. For this reason, together with the fact that this Bureau has not prepared estimates for certain industries, the sum of the individual industry estimates will not agree with totals shown for the major industry groups. The term "production worker" has been substituted for the term "wage earner" which has been used in our previous releases. This conforms with the terminology and standard definitions of classes of workers in manufacturing industries formulated by the Division of Statistical Standards of the U. S. Bureau of the Budget. The use of "production worker" in place of "wage earner" has no appreciable effect on the employment estimates since there is very little difference in the definitions.

Tabl. 2. - Indexes of Production Worker Employment and Pay Stale  
in Manufacturing Industries 1/  
(1939 average = 100)

Industry Group or Industry	Employment Indexes				Pay-Rate Indexes			
	May	Apr.	Mar.	May	May	Apr.	Mar.	May
	1945	1945	1945	1944	1945	1945	1945	1944
ALL MANUFACTURING	151.1	154.8	158.0	106.7	302.8	317.3	328.5	331.1
DURABLE GOODS	200.9	206.9	212.2	230.8	407.2	430.7	441.0	470.9
NONDURABLE GOODS	112.1	113.7	116.2	110.8	208.8	208.1	209.7	208.7
Durable goods								
IRON AND STEEL AND THEIR PRODUCTS	163.0	164.5	167.8	166.8	301.1	314.2	318.1	318.9
Blast furnaces, steel works, and rolling mills	122.0	122.4	123.2	121.0	227.1	228.5	229.1	221.1
Gray-iron and semi-steel castings	125.5	124.0	127.7	125.7	251.0	257.7	269.4	253.4
Malleable-iron castings	135.9	124.3	141.2	136.5	279.1	335.5	298.9	276.0
Steel castings	230.8	236.5	238.7	231.4	421.8	451.2	457.7	461.1
Cast-iron pipe and fittings	97.8	97.0	84.2	91.2	193.5	193.4	190.2	176.6
Tin cans and other tinware	150.8	151.3	151.8	118.2	214.4	227.5	251.2	195.5
Wire drawn from purchased rods	144.2	145.6	148.6	152.3	239.6	252.8	257.5	252.7
Wirework	107.3	111.5	114.1	113.8	208.9	225.6	235.9	225.0
Cutlery and edge tools	152.7	155.1	158.1	148.3	308.2	325.9	332.4	303.5
Tools (except edge tools, machine tools, files, and saws)	171.7	174.7	179.7	161.7	322.8	342.7	352.1	339.3
Hardware	128.8	128.9	131.4	126.4	238.4	273.0	280.7	260.4
Plumbers' supplies	91.1	92.5	94.2	93.5	171.7	177.4	180.4	163.8
Stoves, oil burners, and heating equipment not elsewhere classified	151.4	151.4	137.6	153.8	246.9	264.6	269.7	252.5
Steam and hot-water heating apparatus and steam fittings	176.0	179.2	182.1	187.2	331.4	346.0	349.7	333.7
Stamped and enameled ware and galvanizing	156.8	154.6	156.4	159.3	322.8	325.0	331.4	318.0
Fabricated structural and ornamental metalwork	170.6	190.1	197.2	214.1	310.8	301.6	308.7	185.3
Metal doors, sash, frames, welding, and trim	126.6	135.4	136.1	170.1	230.6	260.2	273.1	317.9
Bolts, nuts, washers, and rivets	134.0	125.3	126.8	100.9	323.1	331.6	341.8	309.0
Forgings, iron and steel	221.6	223.9	230.0	243.6	431.5	433.8	472.0	479.9
Wrought pipe, welded and heavy riveted	270.8	237.9	291.1	313.3	565.5	611.1	609.5	605.6
Screw-machine products and wood screws	245.4	250.3	253.9	274.0	476.7	501.2	515.3	528.3
Steel barrels, kegs, and drums	135.3	138.8	138.9	110.1	269.4	295.1	283.8	216.0
Firearms	570.8	596.6	614.4	1011.1	1299.6	1287.3	1401.6	2301.3
ELECTRICAL MACHINERY	258.7	263.2	267.5	268.1	476.8	493.8	504.7	512.2
Electrical equipment	227.5	232.2	236.9	251.8	426.6	440.8	452.5	463.4
Ladies' air phonographs	260.4	263.1	265.3	292.2	501.1	520.6	525.7	551.5
Communication equipment	318.4	322.3	326.4	358.0	535.0	552.1	554.1	562.7

Table 2. - Indexes of Production Worker Employment and Pay Rolls  
in Manufacturing Industries 1/ Continued

Industry Group or Industry	Employment Indexes				Pay-Roll Indexes			
	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	209.6	213.8	218.0	229.2	385.8	407.0	419.2	428.8
Machinery and machine-shop products	213.7	218.2	222.3	232.1	386.4	409.8	419.8	426.1
Engines and turbines	338.5	349.3	357.7	380.2	682.8	732.4	769.3	813.8
Tractors	173.0	177.8	183.0	191.0	272.0	278.4	287.5	298.0
Agricultural machinery, excluding tractors	149.4	153.4	157.7	162.7	286.7	312.5	324.6	332.6
Machine tools	198.4	200.9	203.8	216.0	347.6	370.9	382.0	381.5
Machine-tool accessories	249.8	263.8	255.8	276.4	429.9	448.7	456.9	470.9
Textile machinery	119.4	118.4	120.6	125.8	223.9	223.8	236.4	227.3
Pumps and pumping equipment	279.5	284.4	295.0	332.2	576.2	593.2	630.4	698.7
Typewriters	79.9	80.1	80.6	69.0	166.0	164.4	165.9	140.2
Cash registers, adding and calculating machines	144.7	148.6	151.4	167.9	273.8	287.5	298.9	329.7
Washing machines, wringers and driers, domestic	167.3	171.7	171.4	180.6	287.7	327.0	315.4	322.0
Sewing machines, domestic and industrial	134.4	137.3	142.1	119.1	270.7	292.1	304.7	256.5
Refrigerators and refrigeration equipment	139.4	141.9	145.3	149.5	249.9	260.2	266.0	258.6
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, EXCEPT AUTOMOBILES	1030.9	1130.9	1240.9	1512.7	2290.7	2502.8	2645.4	3127.3
Locomotives	512.5	518.0	525.7	552.7	1167.8	1194.1	1233.2	1272.9
Cars, electric- and steam-railroad	242.2	236.3	239.1	238.4	485.4	437.1	506.4	483.0
Aircraft and parts, excluding aircraft engines	1450.4	1560.4	1607.0	1869.9	2837.0	3070.7	3130.3	3557.3
Aircraft engines	2167.0	2248.8	2368.8	2372.3	3703.0	3957.0	4127.9	4946.3
Shipbuilding and boatbuilding	1150.7	1282.2	1324.5	1703.2	2447.0	2726.6	2906.6	3645.0
Motorcycles, bicycles and parts	135.6	137.5	136.8	135.2	265.9	268.2	263.3	245.3
AUTOMOBILES	157.5	163.7	166.1	176.5	278.3	302.9	310.9	324.4
NONFERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS	174.9	176.3	177.6	185.7	331.3	343.9	348.1	347.9
Smelting and refining, primary of nonferrous metals	139.8	141.8	143.0	184.6	261.5	269.1	265.4	342.1
Alloying and rolling and drawing of nonferrous metals except aluminum	162.6	184.6	187.1	184.2	340.7	362.3	367.0	339.9
Clocks and watches	124.6	128.3	129.5	122.4	265.1	278.5	287.5	253.2
Jewelry (precious metals) and jewelers' findings	91.1	91.3	91.2	98.5	158.5	162.9	164.4	160.6
Silverware and plated ware	89.5	89.4	90.4	86.0	162.4	165.8	169.5	155.8
Lighting equipment	131.5	128.5	127.9	123.4	242.0	236.2	236.1	222.4
Aluminum manufactures	297.5	300.0	299.2	325.2	525.2	554.0	556.0	570.1
Sheet-metal work, not elsewhere classified	166.2	167.5	170.8	169.2	320.0	318.4	335.4	314.3

Table 2. - Indexes of Production Worker Employment and Pay Rolls  
in Manufacturing Industries 1/ Continued

Industry Group or Industry	Employment Indexes				Pay Roll Indexes			
	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
LUMBER AND TIMBER BASIC PRODUCTS	105.3	104.3	106.5	112.9	197.1	196.3	195.9	208.4
Sawmills and logging camps	75.3	74.2	75.8	80.7	142.9	141.2	140.4	152.1
Planing and plywood mills	93.3	94.0	96.0	99.4	163.6	166.8	168.0	169.9
FURNITURE AND FINISHED LUMBER PRODUCTS	100.2	101.0	103.0	104.3	187.3	191.6	195.2	187.7
Mattresses and bedsprings	93.2	93.8	95.7	89.7	168.5	165.9	172.4	154.6
Furniture	92.9	93.8	95.8	97.9	172.4	177.4	181.8	175.7
Wooden boxes, other than cigar Caskets and other morticians' goods.	103.5	105.1	106.8	111.1	207.9	210.9	214.2	214.8
Wood preserving	85.5	88.6	89.5	87.3	195.6	196.5	192.3	178.5
Wood, turned and shaped	96.5	98.6	98.9	96.4	174.9	177.1	179.4	171.6
STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	109.1	109.7	111.4	114.2	187.9	193.3	193.2	189.8
Glass and glassware	124.0	124.6	126.5	131.2	199.8	206.1	207.1	208.4
Glass products made from purchased glass	108.9	107.8	110.8	103.7	191.4	189.2	192.6	170.1
Cement	68.6	67.9	67.6	71.2	114.0	114.5	108.3	108.7
Brick, tile, and terra cotta	71.0	71.4	72.0	74.5	121.1	124.1	121.0	118.9
Pottery and related products	114.6	115.8	117.6	124.6	188.6	188.6	191.3	192.5
Gypsum	80.1	81.7	82.4	85.6	131.8	140.1	144.6	144.9
Wallboard, plaster (except gypsum), and mineral wool	114.3	114.0	115.8	113.0	209.9	220.5	214.0	195.5
Lime	80.9	80.6	81.8	88.4	158.6	165.2	159.8	174.2
Marble, granite, slate, and other products	70.7	70.9	74.7	67.2	109.7	117.5	114.7	101.5
Abrasives	275.5	277.0	279.7	278.3	481.0	483.9	495.0	468.2
Asbestos products	122.4	123.9	126.5	131.0	246.7	259.2	256.5	255.8
<i>Nondurable Goods</i>								
TEXTILE-MILL PRODUCTS AND OTHER FIBER MANUFACTURES	90.5	91.4	93.2	97.1	164.3	168.3	173.0	171.0
Cotton manufactures, except small wares	106.9	108.0	107.1	110.6	200.2	201.8	206.5	202.4
Cotton small wares	100.7	101.6	101.4	101.1	186.9	193.9	198.0	180.2
Silk and rayon goods	71.4	72.0	73.5	74.6	138.7	134.6	139.3	136.1
Woolen and worsted manufactures, except dyeing and finishing	94.2	95.2	97.3	102.0	178.9	186.8	195.4	192.9
Hosiery	60.5	61.0	62.0	67.0	95.3	98.8	101.2	105.5
Knitted cloth	91.2	93.0	94.1	99.2	160.9	165.3	170.3	168.5
Knitted outerwear and knitted gloves	97.9	99.1	101.6	106.8	184.8	189.1	195.2	188.7
Knitted underwear	85.8	86.6	88.5	93.6	159.5	165.5	169.1	167.4
Dyeing and finishing textiles, including woolen and worsted	86.5	86.1	87.9	93.3	141.1	147.5	151.3	152.2
Carpets and rugs, wool	75.2	76.4	78.0	79.2	126.3	137.4	140.0	132.3
Hats, fur-felt	62.3	62.7	65.7	65.3	122.7	115.9	128.2	120.5
Jute goods, except felts	88.9	88.6	90.1	92.1	175.4	174.9	178.9	173.9
Cordage and twine	119.6	120.7	123.6	130.1	227.8	231.6	236.1	236.8

Table 2. - Indexes of Production Worker Employment and Pay Rolls  
in Manufacturing Industries 1/ Continued

Industry Group or Industry	Employment Indexes				Pay-Roll Indexes			
	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
<b>APPAREL AND OTHER FINISHED TEXTILE PRODUCTS</b>								
Men's clothing, not elsewhere classified	101.4	103.7	105.9	109.2	178.5	193.0	206.2	182.8
Shirts, collars, and nightwear	99.5	90.6	92.1	97.3	158.6	167.1	174.4	166.4
Underwear and neckwear, men's	68.0	68.8	70.1	76.6	123.2	128.8	132.9	134.4
Work shirts	73.6	74.1	75.0	76.9	149.6	154.6	158.3	149.3
Women's clothing, not elsewhere classified	106.5	107.2	106.5	114.4	201.6	208.8	208.7	206.8
Corsets and allied garments	73.7	76.2	76.3	78.6	131.1	143.6	157.3	128.1
Hillinery	75.0	75.4	76.9	81.6	130.4	152.2	136.7	139.6
Handkerchiefs	69.0	80.7	84.8	76.6	84.2	125.8	160.0	101.9
Curtains, draperies, and bedspreads	50.7	51.8	52.7	62.2	96.8	96.0	99.6	111.8
House furnishings, other than curtains, etc.	63.5	62.7	60.6	76.6	133.2	129.4	125.2	144.4
Textile bags	105.5	100.3	105.1	90.7	194.1	195.4	198.9	159.0
	123.5	122.2	122.9	121.2	210.7	212.9	214.1	192.9
<b>LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS</b>								
Leather	87.1	87.9	88.9	89.9	158.9	161.7	167.7	156.1
Boot and shoe cut stock and findings	81.7	82.1	85.3	85.5	147.3	148.3	151.1	146.8
Boots and shoes	65.2	84.6	85.2	86.0	147.1	150.5	150.1	142.6
Leather gloves and mittens	77.8	78.2	79.0	79.7	143.2	150.4	153.6	139.8
Trunks and suitcases	116.5	117.2	119.5	129.4	207.9	213.6	215.1	218.8
	142.4	145.2	151.8	139.3	242.8	245.8	234.8	226.9
<b>FOOD</b>								
Slaughtering and meat packing	113.2	114.1	114.6	117.6	188.0	187.4	187.3	191.6
Butter	103.3	107.2	113.1	128.3	162.5	167.7	178.2	216.9
Condensed and evaporated milk	136.6	130.3	125.9	132.7	217.5	211.8	196.3	201.9
Ice cream	161.8	152.7	142.9	152.2	279.3	260.6	238.7	245.9
Flour	101.9	96.0	89.1	99.6	145.0	142.2	130.8	137.5
Feeds, prepared	116.3	114.5	117.0	111.5	203.1	201.1	201.0	179.3
Cereal preparations	136.5	137.1	137.5	128.5	240.6	244.7	235.6	221.2
Baking	125.0	125.7	124.5	124.8	228.3	232.5	232.6	216.5
Sugar refining, cane	110.4	110.4	111.3	110.1	171.0	170.4	170.2	165.8
Sugar, beet	104.0	106.2	106.2	102.7	138.3	182.6	181.3	160.7
Confectionery	136.6	38.3	97.3	42.1	65.6	61.6	58.1	60.5
Beverages, nonalcoholic	108.5	112.6	116.7	113.7	184.8	191.3	198.5	183.5
Malt liquors	124.1	121.1	120.8	131.2	137.2	134.9	159.7	168.9
Canning and preserving	138.0	138.3	130.1	138.9	206.6	206.8	200.9	201.9
	75.4	75.5	71.2	74.3	144.4	150.0	142.6	143.2
<b>TOBACCO MANUFACTURES</b>								
Cigarettes	85.4	86.7	87.6	86.3	156.4	160.4	165.2	152.8
Cigars	123.5	125.3	126.8	121.4	192.1	200.2	207.4	162.0
Tobacco (chewing and smoking) and snuff	63.9	64.6	65.3	71.1	131.9	131.6	135.3	137.9
	90.7	93.5	94.8	84.5	145.3	154.6	156.9	122.0

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Industry Group or Industry	Employment Indexes				Pay-Roll Indexes			
	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS								
Paper and pulp	112.6	113.6	115.7	117.1	137.4	192.8	195.2	188.8
Paper goods, other	105.8	104.6	106.6	105.4	177.5	132.0	163.4	177.2
Envelopes	114.5	116.5	119.1	124.3	185.5	194.0	198.2	191.6
Paper bags	106.0	107.5	108.1	111.3	187.9	170.6	170.0	169.1
Paper boxes	113.3	113.4	116.7	122.1	192.5	199.6	208.3	193.5
	108.9	109.5	111.0	114.5	175.2	180.3	182.3	177.2
PRINTING, PUBLISHING, AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES								
Newspapers and periodicals	92.5	99.4	100.2	100.2	141.8	141.1	142.4	134.9
Printing, book and job	92.1	91.7	92.1	92.7	122.4	120.7	120.2	116.1
Lithographing	103.9	104.0	104.0	103.6	154.4	155.5	157.2	144.8
Bookbinding	92.6	92.1	94.2	94.5	136.5	133.1	136.9	132.9
	105.5	105.2	107.2	109.3	180.3	178.9	186.0	180.9
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS								
Paints, varnishes, and colors	216.3	219.8	221.6	205.4	388.9	391.3	384.1	353.7
Drugs, medicines, and insecticides	102.4	102.6	104.4	106.3	166.6	167.8	169.5	167.2
Perfumes and cosmetics	182.5	183.0	182.0	186.1	282.0	277.1	280.2	270.7
Soap	117.9	117.6	116.9	113.5	163.0	166.7	168.0	158.8
Rayon and allied products	97.1	97.5	98.5	99.4	161.7	165.9	170.7	163.6
Chemicals, not elsewhere classified	106.9	109.9	113.1	107.1	185.2	181.2	181.8	173.5
Explosives and safety fuses	164.1	164.0	165.7	172.5	295.2	295.6	296.7	296.5
Compressed and liquefied gases	1649.3	1657.7	1661.1	1664.2	2096.3	2075.7	2091.6	1990.0
Ammunition, small-arms	149.2	151.3	149.7	154.5	268.1	274.7	270.7	271.4
Fireworks	1549.1	1581.2	1576.2	1285.3	3186.2	3149.9	3167.0	2568.2
Cottonseed oil	1897.9	175.6	2059.2	2364.5	5291.0	5290.6	5750.0	3889.9
Fertilizers	87.5	95.2	107.1	86.3	183.6	202.5	224.5	170.5
	126.2	144.6	143.4	120.4	292.6	351.3	340.5	266.8
PRODUCTS OF PETROLEUM AND COAL								
Petroleum refining	126.3	126.0	126.2	122.7	226.9	230.6	223.9	212.1
Coke and by-products	126.5	126.1	126.1	120.0	222.6	227.2	220.6	205.2
Paving materials	100.6	100.3	101.5	105.6	187.2	184.6	182.2	186.0
Roofing materials	71.0	66.2	62.8	66.8	133.5	124.7	119.5	133.3
	114.8	117.8	117.7	119.5	209.2	222.3	213.9	212.2
RUBBER PRODUCTS								
Rubber tires and inner tubes	155.9	159.1	162.9	161.2	280.6	296.4	296.7	285.3
Rubber boots and shoes	169.2	172.2	176.8	166.5	288.6	306.0	301.9	283.0
Rubber goods, other	113.5	114.3	117.4	139.8	203.3	219.2	216.3	246.6
MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIES								
Instruments (professional and scientific), and fire control equipment	134.1	137.7	140.3	140.6	243.9	256.1	264.5	248.3
Photographic apparatus	160.7	161.8	163.4	167.3	312.8	322.2	326.3	319.1
Optical instruments and ophthalmic goods	634.3	540.1	541.4	570.2	995.6	1070.4	1068.3	1091.7
Pianos, organs, and parts	187.9	158.7	162.1	169.3	265.4	270.1	275.4	273.5
Games, toys, and dolls	199.6	200.5	202.7	214.2	344.3	347.5	354.3	355.1
Buttons	103.6	99.0	97.5	103.6	196.4	189.3	183.0	196.8
	82.5	83.5	85.5	82.6	161.7	169.4	178.3	159.5
Fire extinguishers	87.3	87.5	88.4	88.8	171.3	175.8	180.2	174.5
	454.7	460.0	470.4	616.2	1028.2	1065.9	106.9	1292.9

Table 2. - Indexes of Production Worker Employment and Pay Rolls  
in Manufacturing Industries 1/ - Continued

1/ Indexes for the major industry groups have been adjusted to levels indicated by final 1942 and preliminary 1943 data made available by the Bureau of Employment Security of the Federal Security Agency. Indexes for individual industries have been adjusted to levels indicated by the 1959 Census of Manufactures, but not to Federal Security Agency data. The term "production worker" has been substituted for the term "wage earner" which has been used in our previous releases. This conforms with the terminology and standard definitions of classes of workers in manufacturing industries formulated by the Division of Statistical Standards of the U. S. Bureau of the Budget. The use of "production worker" in place of "wage earner" has no appreciable effect on the employment and pay-roll indexes since there is very little difference in the definitions.

Table 3. - Indexes of Employment and Pay Rolls in  
Selected Nonmanufacturing Industries  
(1939 Average = 100)

Industry Group or Industry	Employment Indexes				Pay-Roll Indexes			
	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
<b>Mining</b>								
Anthracite	10.8	77.4	79.0	82.7	15.1	135.1	149.7	155.8
Bituminous coal	88.7	82.3	90.2	96.0	211.1	159.6	204.3	215.5
Metal:	77.5	77.8	78.4	93.6	128.6	131.2	130.9	148.5
Iron	121.7	120.7	118.8	142.4	215.1	213.0	213.1	229.4
Copper	89.9	90.5	92.8	115.1	151.3	155.5	153.2	187.7
Lead and zinc	92.0	93.1	95.0	108.4	172.0	177.7	180.4	196.5
Gold and silver	21.5	22.3	22.6	23.6	27.3	29.8	29.5	30.4
Miscellaneous	66.6	67.2	69.2	95.7	110.4	113.1	114.4	158.6
Quarrying and nonmetallic	78.3	77.7	76.6	84.5	150.8	151.2	142.5	157.4
Crude petroleum production 1/	82.8	82.7	82.6	82.5	152.4	131.8	132.8	127.9
Public utilities:								
Telephone	2/	2/	127.1	128.2	2/	2/	162.4	153.5
Telegraph	117.4	117.9	118.9	121.9	174.0	169.9	170.8	176.1
Electric light and power	82.1	82.0	82.1	82.8	117.5	117.4	116.8	112.9
Street railways and busses	117.7	118.3	118.9	119.1	175.7	174.2	175.7	168.5
Wholesale trade	94.5	94.9	95.3	94.4	140.8	144.4	141.4	133.4
Retail trade	96.9	96.8	99.3	96.9	131.0	132.0	133.0	124.2
Food	103.0	103.6	105.9	107.3	139.3	139.9	141.2	135.2
General merchandise	113.3	112.4	117.4	108.5	144.0	143.5	147.6	132.4
Apparel	107.6	106.7	111.0	110.4	148.7	148.2	153.4	144.5
Furniture and house furnishings 3/	61.6	61.1	62.0	63.2	89.0	88.7	88.6	86.3
Automotive	67.9	68.5	68.6	64.8	102.9	106.2	104.3	94.4
Lumber and building material	90.7	90.4	89.4	90.1	135.2	135.6	131.5	128.3
Hotels (year-round) 4/	108.5	108.0	109.0	109.0	168.0	165.6	166.7	155.3
Power laundries	104.9	104.7	105.5	110.1	161.9	162.5	162.2	161.3
Cleaning and dyeing	119.8	119.7	117.4	124.8	191.4	194.0	192.3	194.2
Class I steam railroads 5/	144.4	143.8	144.1	144.2	2/	2/	2/	2/
Water transportation 6/	303.5	295.5	290.4	233.5	746.2	729.2	724.7	552.6

1/ Does not include well drilling or rig building.

2/ Not available.

3/ Revisions have been made as follows in the data for earlier months:

Retail trade, furniture and house furnishing group - February 1945  
pay-roll index to 88.2.

4/ Cash payments only; additional value of board, room, and tips, not included.

5/ Source: Interstate Commerce Commission

6/ Based on estimates prepared by the U. S. Maritime Commission covering  
employment on active deep-sea American-flag steam and motor merchant vessels of  
1,000 gross tons and over. Excludes vessels under bareboat charter too, or  
owned by, the Army or Navy.

Table 4. - Estimated Number of Production Workers in Selected Nonmanufacturing Industries 1/ - (In thousands)

Industry	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
Mining:				
Anthracite	9.0	64.1	65.4	68.5
Bituminous coal	529	305	334	356
Metal:				
Iron	68.2	62.6	69.1	62.6
Copper	24.6	24.2	23.9	28.8
Lead and zinc	21.4	21.7	22.1	27.4
Gold and silver	14.3	14.5	14.8	16.8
Miscellaneous	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.8
Telephone 2/	2.6	2.7	2.7	3.8
Telegraph 4/	3/	3/	404	407
Electric light and power 2/	44.2	44.4	44.8	45.9
Street railways and busses 2/	201	200	201	202
Hotels (year-round) 2/	228	229	230	231
Power laundries	350	348	352	352
Cleaning and dyeing	1/	1/	1/	1/
Class I steam railroads 5/	1,427	1,421	1,423	1,425
Water transportation 6/	159	155	152	122

1/ The term "production worker" has been substituted for the term "wage earner" which has been used in our previous releases. This conforms with the terminology and standard definitions of classes of workers formulated by the Division of Statistical Standards of the U. S. Bureau of the Budget. The use of "production worker" in place of "wage earner" has no appreciable effect on the employment estimates in mining industries since there is very little difference in the definitions. In the power laundries and cleaning and dyeing industries, the omission of driver-salesmen causes a significant difference. New series are being prepared.

2/ Data include salaried personnel.

3/ Not available.

4/ Excludes messengers, and approximately 6,000 employees of general and divisional headquarters, and of cable companies. Data include salaried personnel.

5/ Source: Interstate Commerce Commission. Data include salaried personnel.

6/ Based on estimates prepared by the U. S. Maritime Commission covering employment on active deep-sea American-flag steam and motor merchant vessels of 1,000 gross tons and over. Excludes vessels under bareboat charter to, or owned by the Army or Navy.

Table 5. - Percentage Changes in Employment and Pay Rolls in Selected Nonmanufacturing Industries, May 1945

Industry	Employment		Pay Roll	
	Percentage change from Apr. 1945	May 1945	Percentage change from Apr. 1945	May 1945
Wholesale trade	- .5	+ .1	-2.5	+ 5.5
Food products	+ .8	- .4	- .5	+ 4.4
Groceries and food specialties	- .2	- .2	-1.5	+ 7.0
Dry goods and apparel	- .4	-5.0	-3.5	- 2.9
Machinery, equipment and supplies	+ .8	+3.7	- .2	+13.8
Farm products	-4.4	+9.5	-2.7	+13.7
Petroleum and petroleum products (incl. bulk tank stations)	+ .2	+2.2	-5.0	+ 6.7
Automotive	+ .5	+9.2	-1.5	+14.2
Brokerage	- .2	+5.0	+6.7	+34.4
Insurance	- .1	- .3	- .2	+ 2.9
Private building construction	+2.4	+5.5	+1.1	+ 6.0

Table 6. - Estimated Number of Employees in Nonagricultural Establishments  
by Industry Division

(In thousands)

Industry Division	May 1945	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	May 1944
Total <u>1/</u>	37,632	37,797	38,062	38,672
Manufacturing <u>2/</u>	14,810	15,102	15,368	16,122
Mining	728	761	796	839
Contract Construction and Federal force account construction	769	699	636	686
Transportation and public utilities	3,800	3,792	3,788	3,768
Trade	7,023	6,996	7,084	6,962
Finance, service and miscellaneous	4,496	4,444	4,394	4,363
Federal, State and Local government, excluding Federal force account construction	6,006	6,003	5,996	5,932

1/ Estimates include all full- and part-time wage and salary workers in nonagricultural establishments who are employed during the pay period ending nearest the 15th of the month. Preprintors, self-employed persons, domestic servants, and personnel of the armed forces are excluded.

2/ Estimates for manufacturing have been adjusted to levels indicated by final 1942 data made available by the Bureau of Employment Security of the Federal Security Agency. Since the estimated number of production workers in manufacturing industries have been further adjusted to preliminary 1943 data, subsequent to December 1942, the two sets of estimates are not comparable.

Table 7. - Estimated Number of Employees in Nonagricultural Establishments, by State  
(In thousands)

Region and State	All industry divisions			Manufacturing		
	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	Apr. 1944	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	Apr. 1944
New England	2,940	2,955	3,098	1,455	1,403	1,619
Maine	240	245	264	105.3	111.0	128.9
New Hampshire	128	129	131	63.9	65.3	67.3
Vermont	82.3	80.7	80.3	32.0	32.7	33.3
Massachusetts	1,539	1,542	1,609	696	706	771
Rhode Island	270	271	286	146	150	161
Connecticut	683	687	728	412	418	457
Middle Atlantic	8,973	9,024	9,291	3,928	3,982	4,237
New York	4,450	4,464	4,593	1,729	1,752	1,877
New Jersey	1,459	1,464	1,532	831	842	907
Pennsylvania	3,064	3,096	3,166	1,368	1,388	1,453
East North Central	8,425	8,469	8,649	4,159	4,234	4,438
Ohio	2,290	2,300	2,330	1,184	1,200	1,226
Indiana	1,020	1,023	1,047	540	546	584
Illinois	2,696	2,716	2,732	1,103	1,121	1,172
Michigan	1,659	1,682	1,770	948	975	1,058
Wisconsin	760	768	770	384	392	398
West North Central	2,796	2,813	2,804	863	888	880
Minnesota	817	819	811	185	189	186
Iowa	433	436	438	128.2	131.7	135.4
Missouri	944	950	945	352	357	344
North Dakota	71.0	70.3	68.9	5.8	5.8	5.3
South Dakota	79.3	79.6	79.2	8.4	8.8	9.4
Nebraska	258	260	255	66.2	68.0	62.5
Kansas	394	398	407	122.8	127.8	138.3
South Atlantic	4,461	4,507	4,601	1,527	1,556	1,614
Delaware	92.8	93.0	95.6	48.1	48.9	51.2
Maryland	670	673	709	278	286	317
District of Columbia	458	459	468	14.2	14.4	16.7
Virginia	673	674	681	194	197	197
West Virginia	414	414	415	154.5	133.9	150.4
North Carolina	679	683	701	345	351	368
South Carolina	368	376	378	163	168	170
Georgia	638	648	659	255	262	277
Florida	468	482	494	95.5	99.6	120.0

Table 7. - Estimated Number of Employees in Non-Agricultural Establishments, by  
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 (In thousands)

Region and State	All industry divisions			Manufacturing		
	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	Apr. 1944	Apr. 1945	Mar. 1945	Apr. 1944
East South Central	1,719	1,749	1,776	656	668	694
Kentucky	414	422	450	118.8	118.6	119.7
Tennessee	536	557	548	210	213	221
Alabama	526	541	550	250	256	266
Mississippi	243	249	248	77.2	80.7	85.0
West South Central	2,551	2,561	2,541	665	688	725
Arkansas	238	286	244	69.2	69.7	69.3
Louisiana	466	478	489	148.7	155.2	165.9
Oklahoma	375	389	373	88.4	92.2	86.6
Texas	1,402	1,417	1,435	359	371	405
Mountain	881	878	895	125	126	123
Montana	107	102	110	12.1	11.9	13.4
Idaho	91.6	92.6	94.7	13.3	13.5	13.2
Wyoming	59.1	60.5	59.9	4.3	4.2	4.2
Colorado	257	258	259	46.9	47.2	46.4
New Mexico	79.7	79.5	77.5	5.0	5.1	4.9
Arizona	109.4	109.5	108.7	19.6	19.4	16.4
Utah	138	137	145	22.0	22.5	21.1
Nevada	39.0	38.6	40.6	1.7	1.7	3.8
Pacific	3,426	3,453	3,604	1,186	1,218	1,395
Washington	615	619	633	240	247	258
Oregon	344	347	357	143.0	147.0	158.8
California	2,467	2,487	2,614	803	824	978

Table 8.--Employment in Regular Federal Services and  
Government Corporations, in Selected Months

(In thousands)

Branch	May 1945 1/	April. 1945 2/	March 1945 2/	February 1945 2/	May 1944
Total ...	3,638.1	3,613.2	3,574.8	3,516.6	3,273.5
Executive 3/	3,595.2	3,570.1	3,531.8	3,473.2	3,233.4
Washington metropolitan area	253.7	256.3	256.5	256.0	253.7
War agencies 4/	127.5	128.4	128.6	127.5	134.9
Other agencies	126.2	127.9	127.9	128.5	123.8
Other areas	3,341.5	3,313.8	3,275.5	3,217.2	2,959.7
War agencies 4/	2,575.2	2,561.6	2,532.7	2,498.0	2,275.3
Continental United States	1,911.1	1,926.4	1,936.2	1,929.9	1,910.8
Outside continental					
United States 5/	664.1	653.2	596.5	568.1	364.5
Other agencies	766.3	752.2	742.6	719.2	694.4
Continental United States	749.8	755.7	726.2	702.9	678.9
Outside continental					
United States 5/	16.5	16.5	16.4	16.3	15.5
Judicial	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7
Legislative	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.6	6.1
Government Corporations 6/	33.9	34.1	34.1	34.2	36.3

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1/ Preliminary.

2/ Revised.

3/ Includes employees in United States navy yards and on force-account construction who are also included under construction and shipbuilding and repair projects (tables 9 and 10).

4/ Covers War and Navy Departments, Maritime Commission, National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, The Panama Canal, and the emergency war agencies.

5/ Includes Alaska and the Panama Canal Zone.

6/ Data are for employees of the Panama Railroad Company, the Federal Reserve Banks, and banks of the Farm Credit Administration who are paid out of operating revenues and not out of Federal appropriations. Data for other Government corporations are included under the executive service.

Note: The pay-roll data are in the process of being revised. The revised series will be available shortly.

Table 9.--Total Employment and Pay Rolls in United States Navy Yards and Private Shipyards Within Continental United States, by Shipbuilding Region  
May 1945

Shipbuilding region	Employment (in thousands)			Pay rolls (thousands of dollars)		
	May 1945 1/	April 1945	May 1944	May 1945 1/	April 1945	May 1944
All regions .....	1,189.4	1,267.0	1,612.2	341,973	371,515	464,516
U. S. navy yards 2/ .....	315.8	322.0	330.3	93,571	96,528	95,652
Private shipyards .....	873.6	945.0	1,281.9	248,402	274,987	370,161
North Atlantic .....	460.9	466.1	587.1	145,665	149,392	3/
South Atlantic .....	109.3	114.8	145.6	28,263	30,867	3/
Gulf .....	141.2	152.5	221.4	37,151	40,198	3/
Pacific .....	116.5	109.5	552.1	113,400	127,670	3/
Great Lakes .....	54.9	42.1	64.7	9,784	13,730	3/
Inland .....	24.6	32.0	63.5	7,611	9,649	3/

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1/ Preliminary.

2/ Includes all navy yards constructing or repairing ships, including the Curtis Bay, (Md.) Coast Guard yard. Data are also included in the Federal executive service (table 8).

3/ Breakdown not available.

Table 10.—Estimated Employment and Pay Rolls on Construction Within Continental United States, May 1945

Type of project	Employment (in thousands)			Pay rolls (in thousands)		
	May 1945 1/	April 1945	May 1944	May 1945 1/	April 1945	May 1944
New construction, total 2/	866.9	808.7	769.2	3/	3/	3/
At the construction site	753.3	685.6	606.6	3/	3/	3/
Federal projects 4/	225.0	218.3	241.8	53,517	49,967	48,677
Airports	6.1	5.5	21.2	1,159	1,036	3,465
Buildings	177.3	170.4	158.5	43,474	40,612	33,096
Residential	10.8	11.1	28.4	2,455	2,430	6,052
Nonresidential 5/	166.5	159.3	130.1	41,019	38,182	27,044
Electrification	.6	.5	.6	109	97	111
Reclamation	6.4	6.7	14.5	1,601	1,508	3,263
River, harbor, and flood control	11.7	13.9	19.4	2,384	2,600	3,762
Streets and highways	7.6	7.8	15.2	1,413	1,430	2,753
Water and sewer systems	3.3	3.4	5.7	575	587	883
Miscellaneous	12.0	10.1	6.7	2,802	2,097	1,344
Non-Federal projects	528.3	467.4	364.8	3/	3/	3/
Buildings	310.2	264.1	191.7	71,656	62,592	44,283
Residential	109.4	86.0	111.6	3/	3/	3/
Non-residential	200.8	178.1	80.1	3/	3/	3/
Farm dwellings and service buildings	73.4	67.7	46.2	3/	3/	3/
Public utilities	106.9	102.7	90.6	3/	3/	3/
Streets and highways	22.0	18.7	22.9	3/	3/	3/
State	9.0	7.5	10.7	3/	3/	3/
County and municipal	13.0	11.2	12.2	3/	3/	3/
Miscellaneous	15.8	14.2	13.4	3/	3/	3/
Other 6/	133.6	123.1	162.6	3/	3/	3/
Maintenance of State roads 7/	82.9	82.0	85.0	3/	3/	3/

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1/ Preliminary.

2/ Data are for all construction workers (contract and force-account) engaged on new construction additions and alterations, and on repair work of the type usually covered by building permits. (Force-account employees are workers hired directly by the owner and utilized as a separate work force to perform construction work of the type usually chargeable to capital account.) The construction figure included in the Bureau's nonagricultural employment series covers only employees of construction contractors and on Federal force-account and excludes force-account workers of State and local governments, public utilities, and private firms.

3/ Data not available.

4/ Includes the following force-account employees, hired directly by the Federal Government, and their pay rolls: May 1944, 26,983, \$5,606,808; April 1945, 19,556, \$3,693,141; May 1945, 18,684, \$3,743,899. These employees also are included under the Federal executive service.

5/ Includes the following employees and pay rolls for Defense Plant Corporation (RFC) projects: May 1944, 47,548, \$11,817,167; April 1945, 14,253, \$3,558,559; May 1945, 15,199, \$3,414,437.

6/ Includes central office force of construction contractors, shop employees of special trades contractors, such as bench sheet-metal workers, etc., and site employees engaged on projects which, for security reasons, cannot be shown above.

7/ Data for other types of maintenance not available.