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## Employment Data at a Glance



1/ Figures for the latest month are preliminary.

## Employment Trends

## NONFARM EMPLOYMENT ROSE DESPITE DECLINE IN FACTORY JOBS

Nonfarm employment increased between November and December, as pre-Christmas hiring in retail trade and Federal post offices outweighed continued employment declines in manufacturing plants. The 49.6 million nonfarm employment total this December, although below the 1952 level for the month, was higher than in any other December.

The number of workers on nonfarm payrolls rose by about 300,000 over the month. This was the smallest November-to-December increase reported in recent years. Retail stores added half a million employees and the postal system hired 300,000 temporary workers. However, factory employment dropped by 270,000 and transportation employment declined by 40,000. The construction work force was reduced by 180,000 with the onset of cold weather.

The decrease in factory employment between November and December contrasted with a moderate increase reported between these months in most post-World War II years. All but one of the 21 major manufacturing industry groups reduced their work force between November and December.

Most of the declines were small, although in the primary metals, machinery, electrical machinery, transportation equipment, and textiles industries, they occurred at a time when employment typically expands. Decreases in the food and lumber industries were primarily seasonal; in fabricated metal products, a work stoppage accounted for most of the decline. In apparel, there was a small employment increase, but it was below seasonal expectations.

At the December level of 16.4 million, manufacturing employment was half a million lower than at the end of 1952. December employment continued to be larger than a year earlier only in the printing and publishing, paper, ordnance, instruments, and miscellaneous manufacturing industry groups. The largest relative decreases occurred in textiles, tobacco, lumber, leather, and rubber.

Employment changes over the month in nonmanufacturing industries largely conformed to the seasonal pattern. However, the work force in transportation was reduced by about 40,000-the first such decrease over these months in any postwar year. Reflecting the downtrend in manufacturing activity in recent months, the reduction was centered in railroads
and trucking.
At slightly under $21 / 2$ million in December, the work force in contract construction was virtually equal to the record high for the month reached at the end of 1951. Mining and Federal government were below year-ago employment levels, but state and local government, service, finance, and trade were at all-time highs for the month.

## UNCHANGED FACTORY HOURS

CONTRAST WITH USUAL RISE
The workweek of factory production workers at 40.1 hours was virtually unchanged between November and December, in contrast to the average increase of a half hour over these months in other postwar years. The workweek was actually reduced in only four groups--transportation equipment, food, petroleum, and rubber. In a number of other industry groups, the increase in hours was below seasonal expectations.

The December workweek was more than an hour and a half below the year-ago level. Hours were below the December 1952 average in all major industry groups. The reductions were 2 or more hours in rubber, transportation equipment, textiles, leather, and furniture. In printing and publishing, chemicals, petroleum products, and tobacco, the workweek was close to year-ago levels.

Average hourly earnings of factory production workers, including overtime and other premium pay, continued at the record high
of $\$ 1.77$ reported for the previous month. Over the year, hourly earnings were up by six cents.

Weekly pay of factory workers averaged $\$ 71.78$ in December, up slightly from the previous month. However, due to the reduction in the workweek over the year, earnings this December were 36 cents below the all-time high reached in December 1952.

In many industries, increases in hourly pay continued to offset the effects of the reduced workweek. As a result, weekly earnings continued above last December's level in the ordnance, petroleum, machinery, electrical machinery, food, chemicals, tobacco, paper, apparel, printing, and stone, clay and glass industry groups.

## SLOW HIRING AND

INCFEASED LAYOFFS IN NOVEMBER
Reduced hiring and increased layoffs in the Nation's factories continued into November. Nevertheless, factory employment, at 16.7 million in November, remained within one percent of the postwar record for the month reached in 1952.

The layoff rate in manufacturing plants increased from 18 per 1,000 employees in October to 24 in November. Layoffs usually rise in November with the onset of cold weather; however, the increase this November was somewhat greater than in most recent years. Apart from seasonal factors, the largest increases in layoffs were registered in the lumber, furniture,
food, electrical machinery, and chemicals industry groups.

The factory hiring rate dropped from 33 per l,000 in October to 27 in November, a decrease roughly in line with seasonal expectations. Hwever, hiring had declined considerably between July and October and therefore the number of workers added to payrolls in November remained at about one-third below the post-World War II average for this month.

Quit rates declined between October and November, dontinuing the downtrend of recent months. At a rate of 15 per 1,000 in November the number of persons voluntarily quitting their jobs was lower for this month than in any other postWorld War II year, except 1949.

## FACTORI MAN-HOURS AT PEAK IN 1953

Production worker man-hours in manufacturing industries reached a post-World War II high in 1953. Despite a decline toward the end of the year, aggregate weekly man-hours in 1953 were 3.5 percent above the previous peak reached in 1951, according to preliminary data. Manhours were 4.2 percent above the 1952 level, which was affected by a work stoppage in steel in midyear.

Changes in men-nours in manufacturing industries represent a composite measure of variation both in employment and hours of work, recently made available in index form by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Aggregates for these indexes are the product of the regularly published BLS series for production worker employment and average weekly hours. Indexes for these aggregates are available in the Howrs and Earninge Report for 21 major manufacturing industry groups, durable and nondurable manufacturing, and total manufacturing.

Aggregate man-hours increased more than one-tenth between 1950 and 1953, rising steadily in each year except 1952. The 1950-1953 gains resulted entirely from expansion in durable goods manufacturing, as shown in the chart preceding page 1 of this issue. In the durable goods sector, the defense buildup, stepped-up outlays for capital equipment, and increased buying of many types of consumer hard goods, led to rapid employment gains as well as the widespread scheduling of overtime work. Manhours in nondurable goods manufacturing industries in 1953 remained about unchanged from the 1950 level.

The defense expansion beginning in 1950, coupled with the recovery of civilian output from the 1949 setback, brought the 1951 man-hours index 8 percent above the 1947-49 average, as show in the chart. In 1952, factory man-hours were down slightly from the preceding year because of the steel strike and cutbacks in consumer soft goods manufacturing resulting from inventory buildup and slackened sales. In the latter part of the year, however, the steel-using industries rapidly recovered from the effects of the steel stoppage, and the consumer soft-goods industries emerged from their earlier slump, resulting in the expansion of man-hours to record levels.

Although man-hours in 1953 as a whole reached a new high, in the late summer and early fall a slight downtrend became evident. This was due to reductions in the factory work force and to some lessening in the amount of overtime work. At the end of 1953, factory man-hours were below the record levels reached in the corresponding months of the previous year. They remained, however, above all other year-end levels in the postwar period with the exception of 1952.

Table 1. Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division and selected groups

| Industry division and group | Current 1/ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Year } \\ \text { ago } \end{gathered}$ | December 1953 net change from: |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 1953 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { November } \\ 1953 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { October } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { December } \\ 1952 \end{gathered}$ | Previous month | $\begin{gathered} \text { Year } \\ \text { ago } \end{gathered}$ |
| TOTAL | 48.619 | 49,308 | 19,64, | 50.7140 | +311 | - 521 |
| Mining. | 812 | 814 | 810 | 870 | - 2 | - 58 |
| Metal mining | 98.2 | 99.0 | 99.2 | 101.9 | - $\quad .8$ | - $\quad 3.7$ |
| Bituminous-coal. | 285.9 | 285.3 | 283.2 | 331.2 | $+.6$ | - 45.3 |
| Nonmetallic mining and quarrying. | 101.8 | 103.7 | 105.4 | 101.6 | - 1.9 | + . 2 |
| CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION. | 2,481 | 2,661 | 2,763 | 2,497 | - 180 | - 16 |
| MANUFACTURING. | 10,440 | 16,708 | 17,017 | 16,952 | - 268 | - 512 |
| DURABLE GOODS. | 9,538 | 9,700 | 9,878 | 9,856 | - 162 | - 318 |
| Ordnance and accessories................ | 195.2 | 196.6 | 200.5 | 178.6 | - 1.4 | $+16.6$ |
| Lumber and wood products (except furniture). | 719.8 | 750.7 | 772.0 | 771.6 | - 30.9 | - $\quad 51.8$ |
| Furniture and fixtures | 360.9 | 365.1 | 367.7 | 382.8 | - 4.2 | - 21.9 |
| Stone, clay, and glass products.......... | 531.0 | 539.9 | $\begin{array}{r}545.5 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}538.9 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | - 8.9 | - 7.9 |
| Primary metal industries.................. | 1,248.8 | 1,275.2 | 1,300.8 | 1,330.5 | - 26.4 | - 81.7 |
| Fabricated metal products (except ordnance, machinery, and transportation equipment). $\qquad$ | 1,083.9 | 1,121.4 | 1,142.8 | 1,125.7 | - 37.5 | - 41.8 |
| Machinery (except electrical)............. | 1,596.5 | 1,598.6 | 1,610.9 | 1,687.5 | - 2.1 | - 91.0 |
| Electrical machinery. | 1,154.7 | 1,181.8 | 1,200.2 | 1,166.6 | - 27.1 | - 11.9 |
| Transportation equipment | 1,816.4 | 1,825.8 | 1,888.4 | 1,862.6 | - 9.4 | - 46.2 |
| Instruments and related products......... | 331.2 | 332.9 | 331.0 | 326.3 | - 1.7 | + 4.9 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing industrie | 499.7 | 512.4 | 518.6 | 485.0 | - 12.7 | + 14.7 |
| nondurable goods. | 6,902 | 7,008 | 7,139 | 7,096 | - 106 | - 194 |
| Food and kindred product | 1,497.6 | 1,567.2 | 1,637:0 | 1,504.7 | - 69.6 | - 7.1 |
| Tobacco manufactures. | 107.5 | 111.8 | 119.4 | 117.6 | - 4.3 | - 10.1 |
| Textile-mill products......... | 1,132.8 | 1,153.3 | 1,175.0 | 1,243.0 | - 20.5 | - 110.2 |
| Apparel and other finished textile products. | 1,197.4 | 1,194.8 | 1,211.7 | 1,239.4 | $+2.6$ | - 42.0 |
| Paper and allied products................ | 536.6 | 538.9 | 541.8 | 526.6 | - 2.3 | $+10.0$ |
| Printing, publishing, and allied industries. | 798.2 | 798.3 | 797.1 | 780.6 | $\cdot 1$ | + 17.6 |
| Chemicals and allied products | 747.3 | 752.0 | 756.3 | 750.6 | - 4.7 | - $\quad 3.3$ |
| Products of petroleum and coa | 257.6 | 259.2 | 261.6 | 260.7 | - 1.6 | - 3.1 |
| Rubber products. | 256.1 | 259.4 | 265.2 | 274.6 | - 3.3 | - 18.5 |
| Leather and leather products | 370.5 | 373.1 | 373.9 | 397.8 | - 2.6 | - 27.3 |
| TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES. | 4,230 | 4,272 | 4,309 | 4,293 | - 42 | - 63 |
| tran sportation. | 2,907 | 2,951 | 2,988 | 2,995 | $=44$ |  |
| COMmUNICATION. | 751 | 747 | 748 | 736 | + 4 | + 15 |
| other public utilities. | 572 | 574 | 573 | 562 | - 2 | $+10$ |
| Wholesale and retall trade. | 11,310 | 10,769 | 10,615 | 11,218 | $+547$ | + 92 |
| nholesale trade. ..... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2,793 | 2,791 | 2,767 | 2,787 | $+\quad 2$ | $+6$ |
| RETAIL TRADE. | 8,517 | 7,978 | 7,848 | 8,431 | + 539 | $+86$ |
| General merchandise sto | 1,970.1 | 1,604.6 | 1,498.9 | 2,013.2 | $+365.5$ | - 43.1 |
| Food and liquor stores. | 1,455.5 | 1,432.7 | 1,423.4 | 1,407.2 | + 22.8 | $+48.3$ |
| Automotive and accessories deal | 872.3 | 857.9 | 853.6 | 815.2 | + 14.4 | + 57.1 |
| Apparel and accessories stores. | 694.6 | 618.4 | 607.0 | 705.6 | + 76.2 | - 11.0 |
| Other retall trade...... | 3,524.1 | 3,464.7 | 3,464.6 | 3,489.5 | + 59.4 | + 34.6 |
| FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE........ | 2,055 | 2,048 | 2,047 | 1,978 | + 7 | + 77 |
| SERVICE AND MISCELLANEOUS. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 5,268 | 5,296 | 5,330 | 5,237 | - 28 | $+31$ |
| SOVERNMENT. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 7,023 | 6,740 | 6,749 | 7,095 | + 283 | - 72 |
| FEDERAL. | 2,494 | 2,191 | 2,195 | 2,765 | + 303 | - 271 |
| State and local. | 4,529 | 4,549 | 4,554 | 4,330 | $\begin{array}{r}\text { - } \quad 20 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | + 199 |

1/ Figures for the latest month are preliminary.


Table A-l: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division

| Year and month | TOTAL | Mining | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Contract } \\ & \text { con- } \\ & \text { struction } \end{aligned}$ | Manufacturing | Transportation and pubilc utillties | Wholesale and retail trade | Finance, insurance, and real estate | Service and <br> miscel- <br> laneous | Government |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Annual average: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939................. | 30,287 | 845 | 1,150 | 10,078 | 2,912 | 6,612 | 1,382 | 3,321 | 3,987 |
| 1940................ | 32,031 | 916 | 1,294 | 10,780 | 3,013 | 6,940 | 1,419 | 3,477 | 4,192 |
| 1941................. | 36,164 | 947 | 1,790 | 12,974 | 3,248 | 7,416 | 1,462 | 3,705 | 4,622 |
| 1942................. | 39,697 | 983 | 2,170 | 15,051 | 3,433 | 7,333 | 1,440 | 3,857 | 5,431 |
| 1943................ | 42,042 | 917 | 1,567 | 17,381 | 3,619 | 7,189 | 1,401 | 3,919 | 6,049 |
| 1944............... | 41,480 | 883 | 1,094 | 17,111 | 3,798 | 7,260 | 1,374 | 3,934 | 6,026 |
| 1945................. | 40,069 | 826 | 1,132 | 15,302 | 3,872 | 7,522 | 1,394 | 4,055 | 5,967 |
| 1946................ | 41,412 | 852 | 1,661 | 14,461 | 4,023 | 8,602 | 1,586 | 4,621 | 5,607 |
| 1947................. | 43,438 | 943 | 1,982 | 15,290 | 4,122 | 9,196 | 1,641 | 4,807 | 5,456 |
| 1948................ | 44,382 | 982 | 2,169 | 15,321 | 4,1111 | 9,519 | 1,711 | 4,925 | 5,614 |
| 1949................. | 43,295 | 91.8 | 2,165 | 14,178 | 3,949 | 9,513 | 1,736 | 5,000 | 5,837 |
| 1950................ | 44,696 | 889 | 2,333 | 14,967 | 3,977 | 9,645 | 1,796 | 5,098 | 5,992 |
| 1951................ | 47,202 | 913 | 2,588 | 16,082 | 4,166 | 10,013 | 1,861 | 5,207 | 6,373 |
| 1952................. | 47,993 | 872 | 2,572 | 16,209 | 4,220 | 10,251 | 1,957 | 5,280 | 6,633 |
| Monthly data: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1952 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| September........... | 48,892 | 886 | 2,794 | 16,680 | 4,281 | 10,295 | 1,976 | 5,364 |  |
| october.............. | 49,095 | 871 | 2,728 | 16,778 | 4,296 | 10,442 | 1,973 | 5,364 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,616 \\ & 6,704 \end{aligned}$ |
| Norember............. | 45,310 | 871 | 2,648 | 16,874 | 4,286 | 10,650 | 1,973 | 5,303 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,704 \\ & 6,742 \end{aligned}$ |
| December............ | 50,140 | 870 | 2,497 | 16,952 | 4,293 | 12,218 | 1,978 | 5,237 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,742 \\ & 7,095 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1953 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jan uary. . . . .......... | 48,382 | 866 | 2,303 | 16,884 | 4,210 |  |  |  |  |
| Febrmary-............ | 48,369 | 856 | 2,280 | 17,013 | 4,210 | 10,214 | 1,969 | 5,192 5,194 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,675 \\ & 6,625 \end{aligned}$ |
| Mercheo............... | 48,685 | 846 835 | 2,301 | 17,135 | 4,235 | 10,284 | 1,993 | 5,194 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,625 \\ & 6,666 \end{aligned}$ |
| April................. | 48,860 | 835 831 | 2,416 | 17,077 | 4,24山 | 10,314 | 2,014 | 5,225 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,666 \\ & 6,653 \end{aligned}$ |
| Mry.................... | 49,058 | 831 835 | 2,509 2,608 | 17,040 | 4,279 | 10,348 | 2,025 | 5,307 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,653 \\ & 6,669 \end{aligned}$ |
| June.................. | 49,46 | 835 | 2,608 | 17,162 | 4,315 | 10, 1415 | 2,046 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,357 \\ & 5,397 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,669 \\ & 6,638 \end{aligned}$ |
| July.................. | 49,215 | 823 | 2,662 | 17,069 | 4,340 |  |  |  |  |
| August................ | 49,409 | 831 | 2,715 | 17,258 | 4,337 | 10,334 | 2,076 | 5,409 | 6,478 6,449 |
| September. . . . ....... | 49,695 | 826 | 2,751 | 17,221 | 4,323 | 10,464 | 2,054 | 5,409 | 6,449 6,663 |
| October............. | 49,640 | 810 | 2,763 | 17,017 | 4,309 | 10,615 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,04 \\ & 2,047 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,393 \\ & 5,330 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,663 \\ & 6,749 \end{aligned}$ |
| November.............. | 49,308 | 814 | 2,661 | 16,708 | 4,272 | 10,769 | 2,048 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,330 \\ & 5,296 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6,7449 \\ & 6,740 \end{aligned}$ |

Table A-2: Employees in nonagricultural establish ments,
by industry division and group

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## Table A-2: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division and group - Continued

| Industry division and group | 1953 |  |  | 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | November | October | September | November | October |
| transportation and public utilities................ | 4,272 | 4,309 | 4,323 | 4,286 | 4,296 |
| tramsportation. | 2,951 | 2,988 | 2,999 | 2,992 | 2,999 |
| Interstate rallroads............................ | 1,356.1 | 1,383.3 | 1,393.7 | 1,412.5 | 1,423.2 |
| Class I ratlroads.. | 1,188.3 | 1,214.7 | 1,224.3 | 1,238.8 | 1,249.9 |
| Local railways and bus lines. | 127.5 | 128.3 | 128.4 | 132.4 | 132.3 |
| Trucking and warehousing......................... | 766.6 | 772.7 | 767.6 | 750.8 | 745.9 |
| Other transportation and services | 700.9 | 703.4 | 708.8 | 696.0 | 697.1 |
| Bus lines, except local.... | 51.8 | 52.3 | 53.1 | 52.5 | 52.9 |
| air transportation ( common carrier)............. | 104.4 | 104.7 | 104. 8 | 98.8 | 97.8 |
| conmunication.. | 747 | 748 | 746 | 734 | 732 |
| Telephone...................................... | 698.7 | 699.5 | 697.5 | 684.4 | 682.4 |
| тelegraph........................................... | 47.8 | 48.1 | 47.7 | 48.6 | 49.1 |
| other public utilities... | 574 | 573 | 578 | 560 | 565 |
| Gas and electric utilities.. | 551.9 | 550.8 | 555.1 | 538.8 | 543.0 |
| Electric 11ght and power utilities............. | 247.4 | 247.4 | 249.5 | 240.2 | 244.3 |
| Gas utilities................................... | 129.5 | 128.7 | 129.6 | 127.0 | 127.2 |
| Electric light and gas utilities combined. | 175.0 | 174.7 | 176.0 | 171.6 | 171.5 |
| Local utilities, not elsewhere classified....... | 21.9 | 22.0 | 22.5 | 21.4 | 21.7 |
| Wholesale and retall trade. | 10,769 | 10,615 | 10,464 | 10,650 | 10,442 |
| wholesale trade. | 2,791 | 2,767 | 2,736 | 2,780 | 2,752 |
| retail trade.. | 7,978 | 7,848 | 7,728 | 7,870 | 7,690 |
| General mercnandise stores....................... | 1,604.6 | 1,498.9 | 1,421.0 | 1,626.3 | 1,504.8 |
| Food and 11 quor stores............................ | 1,432.7 | 1,423.4 | 1,401. 5 | 1,381.7 | 1,375.8 |
| Automotive and accessories dealer | 857.9 | 853.6 | 849.1 | 80.5 | 785.2 |
| Apparel and accessorles stores. | 618.4 | 607.0 | 586.1 | 617.7 | 601.9 |
| Other retall trade............. | 3,464.7 | 3,464.6 | 3,470.4 | 3,443.5 | 3,422.2 |
| finance, insurance, and real estate. | 2,048 | 2,047 | 2,054 | 1,973 | 1,973 |
| Banks and trust companies. | 512.7 | 511.0 | 512.8 | 486.8 | 484.6 |
| Security dealers and exchanges. | 62.5 | 62.7 | 63.2 | 64.2 | 64.4 |
| Insurance carriers and agents..... | 757.0 | 754.5 | 755.8 | 716.7 | 725.2 |
| Other finance agencles and real estate. | 715.5 | 718.5 | 723.3 | 705.1 | 709.0 |
| Service and miscellameous.. | 5,296 | 5,330 | 5,393 | 5,266 | 5,303 |
| Hotels and lodéting places. | 432.3 | 山43.0 | 485.7 | 446.1 | 456.3 |
| Personal services: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Laundries.............................................. | 185.6 | 185.5 | 180.2 | 342.3 175.3 | 343.7 176.9 |
| Motion plctures.................................... | 228.1 | 230.4 | 234.0 | 232.6 | 237.2 |
| government. | 6,740 | 6,749 | 6,663 | 6,742 | 6,704 |
| federal. | 2,191 | 2,195 | 2,220 | 2,363 | 2,363 |
| state and local. | 4,549 | 4,554 | 4,443 | 4,379 | 4,341 |

Table A-3: All employees and production workers in mining and manufacturing industries

| Industry group and industry | All employees |  |  |  | Production workers |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | Oct. 1953 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Sept. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Sept. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |
| MINING. | 814 | 810 | 826 | 871 | -- | $\cdots$ | -- | -- |
| METAL MINING. | 99.0 | 99.2 | 99.6 | 101.3 | 85.8 | 86.0 | 86.0 | 88.4 |
| Iron mining. | 39.5 | 39.9 | 40.9 | 38.9 | 34.8 | 35.2 | 35.3 | 34.6 |
| Copper mining. | 27.8 | 27.5 | 27.7 | 26.5 | 24.0 | 23.7 | 23.7 | 22.8 |
| Lezd and zinc mining. | 14.7 | 15.0 | 15.3 | 19.5 | 12.3 | 12.6 | 12.3 | 16.9 |
| Anthracite. | 48.9 | 48.5 | 50.2 | 62.3 | 45.0 | L山. 8 | 16.5 | 58.0 |
| BITUMINOUS-COAL. | 285.3 | 283.2 | 291.1 | 330.7 | 263.9 | 260.3 | 269.5 | 306.6 |
| CRUDE-PETROLEUM AND NATURAL-GAS PRODUCTION. | 276.8 | 273.9 | 279.3 | 271.8 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Petroleum and naturai-gas production lexcept contract services). | -- | -- | -- | - | 126.3 | 127.8 | 131.0 | 126.3 |
| NONMETALLIC MINING AND QUARRYING.. | 103.7 | 105.4 | 106.1 | 104. 8 | 89.7 | 91.5 | 91.9 | 90.6 |
| MANUFACTURING. | 16,708 | 17,017 | 17,221 | 16,874 | 13,326 | 13,635 | 13,832 | 13,634 |
| Durable Goods. | 9,700 | 9,878 | 9,955 | 9,750 | 7,767 | 7,945 | 8,016 | 7,916 |
| Nondurable Goods. | 7,008 | 7,139 | 7,266 | 7,124 | 5,559 | 5,690 | 5,816 | 5,718 |
| ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES | 196.6 | 200.5 | 205.1 | 176.6 | 149.8 | 154.8 | 158.6 | 134.0 |
| FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS. | 1,567.2 | 1,637.0 | 1,728.2 | 1,554.8 | 1,140.3 | 1,207.8 | 1,296.6 | 1,142.0 |
| Meat products. | 321.9 | 312.9 | 306.2 | 317.9 | 256.2 | 247.3 | 24.7 | 253.5 |
| Dairy products. | 119.5 | 122.2 | 127.7 | 117.5 | 79.4 | 82.3 | 87.6 | 79.5 |
| Canning and preserving. | 206.0 | 268.8 | 372.2 | 199.7 | 177.1 | 239.1 | 342.1 | 172.4 |
| Grain-mill products. | 123.2 | 126.2 | 127.5 | 123.8 | 89.9 | 92.9 | 93.7 | 92.3 |
| Bakery products. | 289.8 | 291.9 | 290.3 | 290.3 | 180.5 | 183.7 | 182.5 | 186.6 |
| Sugar. | 52.6 | 50.1 | 33.0 | 50.9 | 45.8 | 43.3 | 27.5 | 44.3 |
| Confectionery and related products.................... | 93.7 | 93.5 | 89.6 | 94.4 | 79.7 | 79.1 | 75.3 | 79.1 |
| Beverages.. | 221.4 | 227.5 | 235.9 | 219.6 | 131.7 | 135.1 | 140.2 | 132.2 |
| Miscellaneous food products. | 139.1 | 143.9 | 145.8 | 140.7 | 100.0 | 105.0 | 106.0 | 102.1 |
| TOBACCO MANUFACTURES. | 111.8 | 119.4 | 122.4 | 117.8 | 102.9 | 111.0 | 114.0 | 108.5 |
| Cigarettes. | 32.0 | 31.6 | 31.6 | 31.2 | 28.9 | 28.7 | 28.7 | 28.2 |
| Cigars............................... | 42.8 | 42.4 | 41.6 | 42.8 | 40.9 | 40.5 | 39.6 | 40.6 |
| Tobacco and snuff. | 9.2 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 9.2 | 7.7 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.9 |
| Tobacco stemming and redrying. | 27.8 | 36.6 | 40.4 | 34.6 | 25.4 | 34.3 | 38.2 | 31.8 |
| TEXTILE-MILL PRODUCTS. | 1,153.3 | 1,175.0 | 1,194.6 | 1,242.8 | 1,055.8 | 1,078.0 | 1,097.1 | 1,145.8 |
| Scouring and combing plants...... | 5.6 | 6.3 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 5.1 | 5.8 | 6.4 | 6.2 |
| Yarn and thread mills... | 14.4 | 144.7 | 150.3 | 158.1 | 131.1 | 134.3 | 140.0 | 147.5 |
| Broad-woven fabric mills......... | 495.6 | 503.8 | 512.5 | 535.7 | 466.9 | 475.9 | 484.0 | 506.1 |
| Narrow fabrics and smallwares.... | 34.2 | 34.7 | 35.0 | 35.4 | 30.2 | 30.8 | 31.0 | 31.4 |
| Knitting mills.................... | 241.0 | 247.4 | 251.6 | 260.3 | 218.4 | 225.5 | 228.9 | 238.7 |
| Dyeing and finishing textiles.... | 92.7 | 93.1 | 94.0 | 98.1 | 82.1 | 81.3 | 82.8 | 87.2 |
| Carpets, rugs, other floor coverings.............................. | 53.7 | 54.4 | 55.4 | 58.3 | 44.9 | 45.5 | 46.6 | 50.1 |
| Hats (except cloth and millinery)............................ | 17.2 | 17.5 | 16.9 | 18.0 | 15.4 | 15.8 | 15.2 | 16.1 |
| Miscellaneous textile goods...... | 71.9 | 73.0 | 72.0 | 72.2 | 61.7 | 62.6 | 62.2 | 62.5 |

Table A-3: All employees and production workers in mining and manufacturing industries -Continued
(In thousands)

| Industry group and industry | All employees |  |  |  | Production workers |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | Sept. 1953 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nor . } \\ & 1952 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Sept. 1953 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1952 \end{aligned}$ |
| APPAREL ANE OTHER FINISHED TEXTILE PRODUCTS. | 1,194.8 | 1,211.7 | 1,212.2 | 1,232.1 | 1,069.4 | 1,085.9 | 1,086.7 | 1,104.3 |
| Men's and boys' suits and coats.. Men's and boys' furnishings and | 138.5 | 141.3 | 142.7 | 135.4 | 125.0 | 127.7 | 129.1 | 122.0 |
| work clothing. ................. | 305.9 | 311.3 | 312.0 | 301.8 | 282.4 | 288.5 | 289.5 | 279.9 |
| Women's outerwear................. Women's, children's under | 355.8 | 354.6 | 356.0 | 372.7 | 315.5 | 313.7 | 315.6 | 330.9 |
| garments.... | 109.2 | 110.3 | 108.3 | 114.7 | 97.3 | 98.6 | 96.3 | 102.6 |
| Millinery. | 18.7 | 22.2 | 21.6 | 20.6 | 16.3 | 19.8 | 19.2 | 18.1 |
| Children's outerwear | 62.5 | 64.6 | 64.6 | 65.7 | 56.6 | 58.5 | 58.5 | 59.5 |
| Fur roods. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 9.7 | 8.7 | 9.6 | 14.0 | 7.4 | 6.5 | 7.4 | 11.3 |
| Miscellaneous apparel and accessories......................... Other fabricated textile | 63.9 | 65.8 | 66.0 | 70.5 | 57.1 | 58.7 | 58.9 | 62.8 |
| products.......................... | 130.6 | 132.9 | 131.4 | 136.7 | 111.8 | 113.9 | 112.1 | 117.2 |
| Lumber and wood products (EXCEPT FURN (TURE). | 750.7 | 772.0 | 781.0 | 798.4 | 684.4 | 705.3 | 712.6 | 730.3 |
| Losging camps and contractors.... | 80.7 438.3 | 84.9 450.8 | 86.1 | 88.1 |  | 79.4 | 80.6 | 32.6 |
| Sawnills and planing mills....... Millwork, plywood, and prefabri- | 438.3 | 450.8 | 456.6 | 466.2 | 406.6 | 419.3 | 423.4 | 433.3 |
| cated structural wood products. . | 116.3 | 118.9 | 119.6 | 123.0 | 97.8 | 100.2 | 101.0 | 104.6 |
| Wooden containers................ | 57.5 | 58.6 | 59.1 | 61.0 | 53.4 | 54.3 | 54.8 | 56.4 |
| Miscellaneous wood products...... | 57.9 | 58.8 | 59.6 | 60.1 | 51.2 | 52.1 | 52.8 | 53.4 |
| FURN ITURE AND FIXTURES. . . . . . . . . . | 365.1 | 367.7 | 370.3 | 381.7 | 310.7 | 313.0 | 315.3 | 328.5 |
| Household furniture................ office, public-building, and | 258.1 | 259.4 | 261.3 | 274.3 | 225.2 | 226.4 | 228.1 | 242.1 |
| professional furniture........... Partitions, shelving, lockers. | 38.4 | 38.9 | 39.3 | 40.2 | 31.4 | 31.9 | 32.3 | 33.4 |
| and fixtures. | 36.9 | 37.6 | 36.8 | 35.9 | 28.9 | 29.5 | 28.6 | 28.2 |
| ous furniture and fixtures. | 31.7 | 31.8 | 32.9 | 31.3 | 25.2 | 25.2 | 26.3 | 24.8 |
| PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS. | 538.9 | 541.8 | 543.9 | 520.7 | 449.5 | 452.4 | 453.5 | 434.7 |
| Pulp, paper, and paperboard mills. | 266.0 | 266.6 | 267.8 | 257.4 | 225.8 | 227.4 | 228.2 | 218.8 |
| Paperboard contalners and boxes.. | 148.7 | 149.1 | 147.8 | 140.5 | 123.3 | 123.6 | 121.9 | $117.3$ |
| Other paper and allied products.. | 124.2 | 126.1 | 128.3 | 122.8 | 100.4 | 101.4 | 103.4 | 98.6 |
| PRINTING, PUBLISHING, AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES. | 798.3 | 797.1 | 789.6 | 779.5 | 511.2 | 513.9 | 509.2 | 505.2 |
| Newsp apers. | 297.5 | 296.7 | 294.8 | 290.8 | 149.6 | 150.4 | 149.2 | 146.8 |
| Periodicals. | 69.9 | 68.4 | 67.0 | 67.3 | 28.5 | 28.6 | 28.8 | 28.8 |
| Books. . . . . . . | 47.5 | 48.5 | 48.4 | 45.8 | 27.4 | 28.3 | 28.6 | 27.2 |
| Commercial printing. | 196.2 | 196.6 | 195.3 | 195.3 | 160.5 | 160.8 | 159.0 | 160.7 |
| Lithographing..... | 57.9 | 56.8 | 56.2 | 55.1 | 44.4 | 44.1 | 43.4 | 43.0 |
| Greeting cards.................... | 21.0 | 20.8 | 19.6 | 21.2 | 16.1 | 16.0 | 15.2 | 16.4 |
| Bookbinding and related industries............................. Miscell ${ }^{\text {neneous publishing and }}$ | 45.3 | 46.5 | 46.0 | 44.0 | 35.4 | 36.8 | 36.5 | 34.9 |
| printing services........... | 63.0 | 62.8 | 62.3 | 60.0 | 49.3 | 48.9 | 48.5 | 47.4 |

Industry Data
Table A-3: All employees and production workers in mining and
manufacturing industries - Continued

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Industry Data
Table A-3: All employees and production workers in mining and
manufacturing industries - Continued

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## Table A-3: All employees and production workers in mining and manufacturing industries - Continued

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Table A-4: Production workers and indexes of production-worker employment and weekly payroll in manufacturing industries

| Period | Production-worker employment |  | ```Production-worker payroll index (1947-49 aver- age = 100)``` |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number <br> (In thousands) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Index } \\ (1947-49 \text { aver- } \\ \text { age }=100) \end{gathered}$ |  |
| Annual average: |  |  |  |
| 1939.................... | 8,192 | 66.2 | 29.9 |
| 1940.................... | 8,811 | 71.2 | 34.0 |
| 1947................... | 10,877 | 87.9 | 49.3 |
| 1942.................... | 12,854 | 103.9 | 72.2 |
| 1943.................... | 15,014 | 121.4 | 99.0 |
| 1944.................... | 14,607 | 118.1 | 102.8 |
| 1945.................... | 12,864 | 104.0 | 87.8 |
| 1946.................... | 12,105 | 97.9 | 81.2 |
| 1947.................... | 12,795 | 103.4 | 97.7 |
| 1948.................... | 12,715 | 102.8 | 105.1 |
| 1949..................... | 11,597 | 93.8 | 97.2 |
| 1950..................... | 12,317 | 99.6 | 111.7 |
| 1951.*.................. | 13,135 | 106.2 | 129.6 |
| 1952..................... | 13,044 | 105.5 | 235.3 |
| Monthly data: |  |  |  |
| 1952 |  |  |  |
| September................ | 13,477 | 109.0 | 143.3 |
| October.................. | 13.560 | 109.6 | 145.7 |
| November................ | 13,634 | 110.2 | 146.3 |
| Decembur.................. | 13,699 | 110.8 | 150.9 |
| 1953 |  |  |  |
| January.................. | 13,619 | 110.1 | 148.4 |
| February................ | 13,733 | 111.0 | 149.3 |
| March..................... | 13,831 | 111.8 | 151.9 |
| April.................... | 13,758 | 111.2 | 150.0 |
| May........................ | 13,699 | 110.8 | 149.9 |
| June...................... | 13,787 | 111.5 | 150.8 |
| July...................... | 13,666 | 110.5 | 148.9 |
| August. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 13,851 | 112.0 | 151.6 |
| September................ | 13,832 | 111.8 | 150.9 |
| October.................. | 13,635 | 110.2 | 149.4 |
| November................ | 13,326 | 107.7 | 145.7 |

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Table A-5: Indexes of all employees in selected manufacturing industries

| Industry | 1953 |  |  | 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Septenber | August | July | September | August |
| FOOD AND KIMDRED PRODUCTS: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Meat packing, wholesale....................... | 98.4 | 97.7 | 97.6 | 100.7 | 99.8 |
| Sausages and casings......................... | 110.0 | 109.8 | 108.9 | 105.6 | 104.9 |
| Condensed and evaporated milk................. | 97.5 | 100.2 | 102.5 | 97.8 | 101.2 |
| Ice cream and tces............................. | 103.7 | 109.9 | 113.4 | 103.2 | 112.4 |
| Sea food, canned and cured.................... | 114.2 | 120.1 | 116.5 | 121.7 | 106.7 |
| Canned fruits, vegetables, and soups......... | 170.6 | 161.8 | 120.8 | 174.2 | 160.0 |
| Flour and other arain-mill products.......... | 100.6 | 99.5 | 99.3 | 104.1 | 104.5 |
| Prepared feeds..................................... | 107.2 | 107.4 | 107.7 | 105.1 | 105.7 |
| Bread and other bakery products............... | 103.6 | 103.6 | 104.0 | 102. 4 | 103.5 |
| Blscults, crackers, and pretzels............. | 101.5 | 100.4 | 100.2 | 104. 4 | 102.3 |
| Cane-sugar refining............................. | 102.7 | 102.6 | 104.6 | 103.4 | 105.7 |
| Beet sugar........................................ | 90.8 | 68.7 | 66.8 | 84.1 | 61.3 |
| Confectlonery................................... | 102.5 | 93.5 | 83.9 | 103.8 | 93.8 |
| Bottled soft drinks............................. | 111.6 | 115.5 | 118.9 | 110.0 | 116.4 |
| Malt 11 quors................................... | 111.5 | 114.2 | 107.5 | 104.6 | 111.2 |
| Distilled, rectified, and blended 11 guors... | 87.8 | 80.4 | 84.2 | 84.3 | 82.5 |
| Corn sirup, sugar, oll, and starch........... | 96.7 | 98.8 | 98.8 | 99.4 | 98.4 |
| Manufactured ice................................. | 100.6 | 107.0 | 112.3 | 103.9 | 114.3 |
| TEXTILE-MILL PRODUCTS: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yarn mills.......................................... | 92.8 | 94.9 | 93.4 | 97.3 | 96.6 |
| Thread mills..................................... | 83.9 | 84.2 | 82.9 | 87.1 | 85.9 |
| Cotton, silk, synthetic flber................ | 91.7 | 91.8 | 92.1 | 93.7 | 93.2 |
| Woolen and worsted............................. | 77.0 | 78.8 | 81.5 | 84.8 | 84.5 |
| Full-fashloned hoslery......................... | 88.1 | 88.1 | 85.6 | 92.5 | 92.4 |
| Seamless hoslery................................ | 105.9 | 105.9 | 103.8 | 107.4 | 105.6 |
| Rnit outerwear.................................... | 128.3 | 128.8 | 127.3 | 120.2 | 115.3 |
| Knlt underwear.................................. | 107.5 | 108.7 | 107.1 | 102.5 | 100.1 |
| Dyeing and finishing textiles (except wool). | 99.9 | 100.0 | 97.8 | 101.7 | 100.0 |
| Wool carpets, russ, and carpet yarn......... | 90.9 | 89.7 | 90.3 | 93.4 | 72.5 |
| Felt goods (except woven felts and hats).... | 100.8 | 98.3 | 99.2 | 94.8 | 91.9 |
| Lace goods................................................ | 95.6 | 94.7 | 86.3 | 92.4 | 90.2 |
| Paddings and upholstery flilind............... | 111.0 | 114.1 | 112.2 | 94.8 | 80.1 |
| Processed waste and recovered fibers......... Artiflcial leather, olleloth, and other | 90.9 | 94.5 | 93.2 | 92.0 | 89.7 |
| Artificial leather, ollcloth, and other <br> coated fabrics. <br> Cordage and twine....................................... | 107.7 91.2 | 105.1 88.7 | 104.7 81.6 | 102.4 90.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 101.9 \\ 88.7 \end{array}$ |
| APPAREL AND OTHER FINISHED TEXTILE PRODUCTS: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sh1rts, collars, and nightwear................. | 109.1 | 108.2 | 1040.4 | 100.7 | 98.7 |
| Separate trousers....................................... | 108.2 | 109.0 | 100.6 | 106.0 | 103.5 |
| Work sh1rts.................................................. | 112.8 | 113.0 | 112. 2 | 107.8 | 107.2 |
| Women's dresses. | 93.2 | 96.2 | 86.7 | 101.2 | 98.6 |
| Household apparel................................. | 107.0 | 108.5 | 105.3 | 104.8 | 104.8 |
| Women's suits, coats, and skirts.............. Underwear and nightwear, except corsets..... | 92.6 103.8 | 107.0 102.1 | 103.9 100.6 | 108.5 107.0 | 114.5 102.6 |
| Underwear and nightwear, except corsets..... Corsets and allied garments....................... | 103.8 112.1 | 102.1 11.8 | 100.6 110.0 | 107.0 110.4 | 102.6 108.3 |
| Curtains, draperies, and other housefurnishings. | 102.3 | 100. 4 | 96.0 | 107.5 | 100.9 |
| Textile bags.............................................. | 87.4 93.9 | 85.3 99.8 | 84.9 107.6 | 98.2 92.1 | 96.4 95.4 |
| Canvas products................................... | 93.9 | 99.8 | 107.4 | 92.1 | 95.4 |
| LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS (EXCEPT FURNITURE): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sawnills and planlng mills, general......... | 95.8 | 96.9 | 96.4 | 101.1 | 101.9 |
| Millwork........................................ | 91.8 | 91.2 | 90.4 | 96.2 | 94.8 |
| Plywood. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 91.6 | 94.4 | 96.9 | 97.2 | 95.8 |
| Wooden boxes, other than cisar............... | 93.2 | 96.0 | 98.1 | 94.3 | 94.4 |

Table A-5: Indexes of all employees in selected manufacturing industries - Continued

| Industry | 1953 |  |  | 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | September | August | July | September | August |
| FURMITURE AND FIXTURES: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wood nousehold furniture, except upholstered. $\qquad$ | 100.2 | 101.1 | 101.1 | 101.7 | 99.2 |
| Wood household furniture, upholstered....... | 105.2 | 104.1 | 103.5 | 106.1 | 103.5 |
| Mattresses and bedsprings.............. | 102.0 | 101.4 | 98.1 | 99.9 | 97.4 |
| Wood office furniture. | 79.7 | 79.0 | 79.7 | 84.1 | 83.2 |
| Metai office furniture........................ | 99.4 | 102.2 | 105.4 | 113.5 | 111.3 |
| -APER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Paperboard boxes............................... | 112.1 | 111.1 | 106.9 | 101.3 | 98.5 |
| Fiber cans, tubes, and drums................ | 110.9 | 111.0 | 109.2 | 99.0 | 99.1 |
| CHEMIGALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alxaltes and chlorine........................ | 103.8 | 104. 8 | 105.3 | 102.3 | 101.6 |
| Fisstles, except synthetic rubbe | 105.8 | 106.3 | 105.8 | 98.3 | 98.6 |
| Synthetic rubber.............. | 101.2 | 107.4 | 111.3 | 93.4 | 103.4 |
| Synthetic flbers................................ | 92.1 | 93.3 | 93.6 | 91.5 | 90.6 |
| Explosives............ . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 195.3 | 198.3 | 187.6 | 150.2 | 149.8 |
| Soap and glycerin............................ | 95.2 | 94.8 | 93.9 | 95.9 | 94.8 |
| Paints, varntshes, lacquers, and enamels.... | 102.4 | 103.3 | 104.3 | 99.8 | 99.8 |
| Vegetabie olls................................. | 93.2 | 74.5 | 70.0 | 100.2 | 76.7 |
| Anital oils and fats......................... | 92.4 | 92.6 | 91.5 | 91.1 | 92.1 |
| Essential olls, perfumes, cosmetics......... | 105.9 | 104.7 | 104. 8 | 109.2 | 105.6 |
| Compressed and ilquified gases............... | 100.5 | 102.7 | 103.5 | 101.1 | 100.4 |
| STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS: |  |  |  |  |  |
| G1ass contalners................................ | 109.9 | 112.1 | 112.7 | 103.5 | 105.7 |
| Pressed and blown slass...................... | 103.7 | 98.0 | 91.4 | 101.5 | 89.6 |
| Brick and hollow tile......................... | 92.2 | 94.1 | 95.6 | 97.1 | 98.9 |
| Floor and wall tile.......................... | 90.0 | 88.7 | 87.8 | 88.2 | 89.2 |
| Sewer plpe...................................... | 97.5 | 97.7 | 99.9 | 102.6 | 103.1 |
| Clay refractories............................... | 89.6 | 89.7 | 90.5 | 92.4 | 96.3 |
| Concrete products.............................. | 108.5 | 109.7 | 109.6 | 103.7 | 105.0 |
| Abrasive products.. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 100.2 | 100.8 | 102.0 | 92.9 | 93.4 |
| Asbestos products. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 56.2 | 96.5 | 97.1 | 96.8 | 97.7 |
| Nonclay refractories. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 94.5 | 94.1 | 93.6 | 92.0 | 96.3 |
| Primary metal industries: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Blast furnaces, steel works, and rolling mills, except electrometallurgicai |  |  |  |  |  |
| products. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 101.6 | 103.6 | 103.3 105.9 | 99.8 | 95.7 |
| Electrometallurgical products................ | 102.6 | 104.9 85.7 | 105.9 | 99.6 | 98.0 |
| Gray-1 ron foundrles............................. | 87.2 | 85.7 | 87.5 | 89.3 | 87.5 |
|  | 88.2 93.6 | 90.1 | 90.6 | 88.4 | 84.9 |
| Steel foundries.............................. rrimary smelting and refining of copper, | 93.6 | 96.5 | 100.6 | 108. 4 | 106.8 |
| lead, and zinc................................ | 98.2 | 97.9 | 98.8 | 97.1 | 97.6 |
| Primary refiring of aluminum................. | -29.2 | 129.7 | 129.7 | 110.0 | 116.1 |
| Rolling, orawing, and alloying of copper.... | 102.2 | 103.1 | 103.1 | 97.5 | 95.1 |
| Folling. Hrawing, and alloying of aluminum.. | 123.3 | 124.2 | 121.0 | 107.1 | 104.5 |
|  | 105.2 | 103.5 | 104.4 | 102.6 | 97.1 |
| Wire drawing..................................... | 98.4 | 98.7 | 99.2 | 10 C .0 | 99.2 |
| Welded and heavy-rivetei pipe............... | 114.4 | 114.9 | 115.4 | 100.5 | 87.1 |

Industry Indexes
Table A-5: Indexes of all employees in selected manufacturing industries - Continued

| Industry | 1953 |  |  | 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | September | August | July | September | August |
| FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS (EXCEPT ORDMANCE, MACHINERY, AND TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cutlery and edge tools.......................... | 91.6 | 90.3 | 87.6 | 90.8 | 88.6 |
| Hand tools...................................... | 85.8 | 89.4 | 90.7 | 87.1 | 80.2 |
| Hardware. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 102.2 | 105.8 | 105.5 | 92.2 | 88.3 |
| Santtary ware and plumbers' supplies........ | 89.2 | 91.7 | 90.7 | 91.2 | 86.0 |
| Oil burners, nonelectric heating and cooking apparatus, not elsewhere classified.... | 112.0 | 111.5 | 111.1 | 110.1 | 105.5 |
| Structural steel and ornamental metal work.. Metal doors, sash, frames, molding, and | 121.7 | 121.4 | 118.3 | 109.4 | 107.4 |
| trim.......................................................... | 115.4 | 113.9 | 113.1 | 93.7 | 98.5 |
| Boller-shop products........................... | 118.7 | 118.6 | 115.9 | 108.2 | 107.6 |
| Sheet-metal work................................ | 113.2 | 111.2 | 111.6 | 105.9 | 102.2 |
| Vitreous-enameled products.................... | 102.1 | 96.2 | 95.2 | 93.5 | 90.1 |
| Stamped and pressed metal products........... | 120.0 | 119.6 | 119.8 | 97.2 | 90.7 |
| Metal shipping barrels, drums, kegs, and pails. | 114.1 | 109.8 | 111.4 | 111.7 | 103.5 |
| Steel springs............................................. | 103.7 | 103.2 | 100.8 | 94.8 | 86.6 |
| Bolts, nuts, washers, and rivets............. | 101.1 | 101.5 | 101.3 | 95.7 | $93.5$ |
| Screw-machine products............................... | 113.8 | 114.8 | 114.2 | 104.1 | 102.5 |
| MACHIMERY (EXCEPT ELECTRICAL): |  |  |  |  |  |
| Steam engines, turbines, and water wheels... | 115.9 | 115.4 | 114.3 | 108.6 | 107.5 |
| Diesel and other internal-combustion engines, not elsewhere classified............ | 111.9 | 110.6 | 117.0 | 105.3 | 101.6 |
| Tractors.......................................... | 82.8 | 88.2 | 92.8 | 71.7 | $72.3$ |
| Agricultural machinery(except tractors)..... | 81.0 | 84.8 | 88.2 | 78.4 | 86.2 |
| Construction and mining machinery, except for oll flelds............................................... | 104.0 | 106.7 | 107.7 | 106.9 | 107.1 |
| 011-field machinery and tools................. | 109.9 | 110.2 | 111.1 | 111.0 | 109.7 |
| Machine tools......................................... <br> Metalworking machinery (except machine | 112.4 | 110.9 | 111.8 | 112.7 | 111.5 |
| tools). . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 109.2 | 107.4 | 108.1 | 105.6 | 105.4 |
| Machine-tool accessories...................... | 105.4 | 104.7 | 104.1 | 102.9 | 102.4 |
| Food-products machinery. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 104.5 | 102.7 | 103.9 | 101.4 | 101.9 |
| Textile machinery. . . . ........................... . | 80.7 | 80.8 | 81.3 | 78.7 | 84.8 |
| Paper-industries machlnery.................... | 95.3 | 95.0 | 97.4 | 99.5 | 100.5 |
| Printing-trades machinery and equipment..... | 95.6 | 98.2 | 100.0 | 97.7 | 95.6 |
| Pumps, sir and sas compressors............... | 102.2 | 101.9 | 103.4 | 100.9 | 101.5 |
| Conveyors and conveyins equipment............ | 108.9 | 108.2 | 108.5 | 104.8 | 105.5 |
| Blowers, exhaust and ventilating fans....... | 120.8 | 119.6 | 121.1 | 106.3 | 105.1 |
| Industrial trucks, tractors, etc............. | 103.9 | 103.8 | 103.8 | 90.5 | 101.4 |
| Mechanical power-transission equipment..... | 94.9 | 95.3 | 98.4 | 95.4 | 96.6 |
| and ovens................................................. | 104.8 | 107.9 | 107.0 | 104. 3 | 99.5 |
| Computing machines and cash registers....... | 103.9 | 103.0 | 104.1 | 102.6 | 102.0 |
| Typewriters....................................... | 99.0 | 97.5 | 97.8 | 98.1 | 97.3 |
| Domestic laundry equipment....................... Commercial laundry, dry-cleaning, and | 102.9 | 100.6 | 107.3 | 108.6 | 100.3 |
| pressing machines. | 114.5 | 113.9 | 113.8 | 103.7 | 110.4 |
| Sewing machines................................. | 73.9 | 75.6 | 78.9 | 85.0 | 83.3 |
| Refrigerators and air-conditioning units.... | 112.6 | 114.6 | 120.7 | 104.5 | 99.5 |
| Fabricated pipe, fittings, and valves....... | 100.6 | 100.5 | 102.1 | 102.2 | 100.5 |
| Ball and roller bearings...................... | 103.2 | 101.2 | 106.2 | 99.7 | 82.6 |
| Machine shops (job and repair)............... | 110.9 | 110.5 | 110.1 | 106.6 | 104.4 |

Table A-5: Indexes of all employees in selected manufacturing industries - Continued

| Industry | 1953 |  |  | 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | September | August | July | September | August |
| ELECTRICAL MACHINERY: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wiring devices and supplies.................. | 99.6 | 100.1 | 97.4 | 91.9 | 88.9 |
| Carbon and graphite products (electrical)... | 103.9 | 10364 | 104.1 | 99.5 | 100.3 |
| Electrical indicating, measuring, and recording instruments.............................. | 116.1 | 119.3 | 121.8 | 117.4 | 114.5 |
| Motors, generators, and motor-generator sets...................................................... | 110.3 | 110.5 | 113.0 | 103.6 | 100.1 |
| Power and distribution transformers......... | 107.3 | 108.6 | 109.6 | 97.4 | 94.5 |
| Switchgear, switchboard, and industrial controls............................................. | 114.9 | 113.7 | 112.7 | 104 -7 | 103.4 |
| Electrical welding apparatus................. | 113.2 | 114.0 | 116.7 | 116.1 | 114.9 |
| Radios, phonographs, television sets, and equipment.................................................. | 140.8 125.4 | 139.1 124.1 | 132.4 122.8 | 122.9 110.5 | 115.4 108.2 |
| Radio tubes. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 125.4 | 124.1 | 122.8 | 110.5 | 108.2 |
| Telephone, telegraph, and related equipment..................................................... | 121.7 | 120.6 | 120.5 | 118.4 | 117.8 |
| Storage batteries............................... | 101.2 | 101.8 | 100.9 | 105.9 | 104.2 |
| Primary batteries (dry and wet).............. | 123.2 | 120.9 | 113.1 | 118.1 | 107.7 |
| X-ray and non-radio electronic tubes........ | 99.0 | 97.4 | 98.9 | 118.5 | 117.5 |
| TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Motor vehlcles, bodies, parts, and accessories. | 108.0 | 112.9 | 115.6 | 97.2 | 78.9 |
| Truck and bus bodies.......................... | 90.3 | 90.9 | 88.0 | 94.4 | 85.9 |
| Trallers (truck and automobile).............. | 94.2 | 97.3 | 101.2 | 96.7 | 95.6 |
| Locomotives and parts......................... | 85.7 | 89.2 | 79.1 | 101.0 | 102.7 |
| Railroad and street cars...................... | 119.8 | 118.4 | 121.7 | 99.5 | 100.8 |
| MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jewelry and findings............................ | 109.7 | 106.1 | 100.3 | 101.4 | 93.7 |
| Silverware and plated ware................... | 97.8 | 94.1 | 90.2 | 85.7 | 83.4 |
| Games, toys, dolls, and chlldren's vehicles. | 135.4 | 132.0 | 122.6 | 127.3 | 220.6 |
| Sporting and athletic goods.................. | 110.7 | 109.4 | 111.3 | 97.1 | 93.4 |

Table A-6: Employees in the ship building and repairing industry, by region

| Region 1/ | 1953 |  |  | 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | November | October | September | November | October |
| ALL Regions. ............................. | 236.4 | 236.7 | 241.5 | 266.6 | 267.2 |
| Private rards....................... | 120.9 | 120.7 | 124.0 | 133.5 | 134.3 |
| nayy yards. | 115.5 | 116.0 | 117.5 | 133.1 | 132.9 |
| north atlantic.......................... | 108.4 | 109.3 | 112.4 | 127.1 | 127.4 |
| Private yards...................... | 55.5 | 56.0 | 58.4 | 66.8 | 66.9 |
| Navy yards $\underline{2} / \ldots . .$. | 52.9 | 53.3 | 54.0 | 60.3 | 60.5 |
| SOUTH ATLANTIC.. | 49.3 | 4.9 .6 | 42.7 | 45.8 | 45.0 |
| Frivate yards...................... | 20.5 | 20.7 | 20.7 | 21.4 | 20.6 |
| Navy yards........................... | 21.8 | 21.9 | 22.0 | 24.4 | 24.4 |
| GULF : |  |  |  |  |  |
| Private yards...................... | 18.6 | 18.9 | 20.1 | 20.4 | 21.6 |
| PACIFIC................................. | 55.7 | 54.9 | 55.4 | 61.0 | 61.4 |
| Private yards <br> Navy yards. | $\begin{aligned} & 14.9 \\ & 40.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.1 \\ & 40.8 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.9 \\ & 41.5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12.6 \\ & 48.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.4 \\ & 48.0 \end{aligned}$ |
| great lakes: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Private yards....................... | 6.1 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 7.7 | 7.3 |
| ImLamD: |  |  |  |  |  |
| Private yards........................ | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.4 | 4.6 | 4.5 |

1/ The North Atlantic region includes all yards bordering on the Atlantic in the following States: Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont.

The South Atlantic region includes all yards bordering on the Atlantic in the following States: Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia.

The Gulf region includes all yards bordering on the Gulf of Mexico in the following States: Alabama, Florida, Loulslana, Mississippl, and Teras.

The Pacific region includes all yards in California, Oregon, and Washington.
The Great Lakes region includes all yards bordering on the Great Lakes in the following states: Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin.

The Inland region includes all other yards.
2/ Data include Curtis Bay Coast Guard Yard.

Table A-7: Federal civilian employment

| Branch and agency |
| :---: |

1/ Data refer to continental United States only.
2/ Includes all executive agencies (except the Central Intelligence Agency), and Government corporations. Civilian employment in navy yards, arsenals, hospitals, and on force-account construction is also included.

3/ Includes all Federal civilian employment in Washington Standard Metropolitan Area (District of Columbia and adjacent Maryl and and Virginia counties).

Table A-8: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division and State
(In thousands)

| State | Total |  |  | Mining |  |  | Contract construction |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $19^{5} 3$ |  | 1952 | 1953 |  | $195 ?$ | 1953 |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |
| Alabama | 681.2 | 684.4 | 684.4 | 17.8 | 18.1 | 19.4 | 31.4 | 33.3 | 34.4 |
| Arizona | 202.4 | 201.1 | 200.9 | 13.2 | 13.2 | 12.6 | 18.7 | 18.1 | 16.8 |
| Arkanses. 1 . | 316.3 | 317.5 | 375.9 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 7.2 | 14.2 | 15.8 | 22.1 |
| California | 3,916.3 | 3,980.4 | 3,866.4 | 36.7 | 36.9 | 36.0 | 260.6 | 271.0 | 265.4 |
| Colorado. 1. | 415.0 | 419.4 | 421.3 | 12.6 | 12.1 | 12.9 | 24.8 | 26.6 | 29.3 |
| Connecticut | 879.0 | 878.6 | 866.6 | (2/) | (2/) | (2/) | 40.3 | 41.4 | 41.2 |
| Delaware.. | - | - | - |  |  |  | - | - | - |
| District of Col | 491.9 | 496.4 | 526.6 | (3/) | (3/) | (3/) | 16.4 | 18.1 | 18.3 |
| Florida. ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 854.1 | 828.2 | 816.2 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.0 | 84.1 | 82.4 | 0.2 .1 |
| Georgia.l\%. | 909.5 | 912.6 | 904.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 49.6 | 51.0 | 46.9 |
| Idaho. | 138.5 | 140.9 | 141.5 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 5.4 | 9.7 | 10.2 | 10.6 |
| Illinois | 3,396.1 | 3,422.8 | 3,384.3 | 37.0 | 37.9 | 41.1 | 154.9 | 162.0 | 156.7 |
| Indiana | 1,383.0 | 1, 395.9 | 1,388.4 | 12.6 | 12.9 | 14.4 | 55.9 | 60.9 | 61.8 |
| Iowa | 640.6 | 647.2 | 637.5 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 38.0 | 42.4 | 31.5 |
| Kansas | 543.5 | 547.4 | 550.4 | 18.3 | 18.1 | 18.6 | 33.2 | 36.8 | 36.3 |
| Kentucky. | 704 | - | -7. | (4/) | (4/) | 48.1 | -9 | -0 | - |
| Louisiana | 704.9 | 702.2 | 690.7 | 32.1 | 32.0 | 30.3 | 58.9 | 59.0 | 61.4 |
| Maine | 274.2 | 280.8 | 283.2 | . 5 | . 5 | . 6 | 14.3 | 14.7 | 12.4 |
| Maryland. | 777.4 | 782.7 | 773.3 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 57.2 | 58.1 | 55.7 |
| Messachusetts | 1,786.0 | 1,798.0 | 1,806.1 | (3/) | (3/) | (3/) | 60.5 | 61.8 | 66.7 |
| Michigan. | - | - | - ${ }^{-}$ | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Minnesota | 859.3 | 865.2 | 847.5 | 19.2 | 19.8 | 18.3 | 43.2 | 45.1 | 42.8 |
| Miseiseippi | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | $-$ | - |
| Missouri | 1,276.3 | 1,293.7 | 1,287.9 | 9.4 | 9.3 | 9.8 | 58.5 | 61.2 | 61.7 |
| Montana | 161.0 | 162.9 | 156.6 | 12.0 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 10.7 | 12.1 | 10.2 |
| Nebraska.14 | 354.3 | 357.0 | 347.7 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 21.2 | 23.0 | 19.3 |
| Nevada | 74.0 | 73.6 | 68.1 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 10.0 | 9.5 | 7.3 |
| New Hampshire | 171.6 | 175.7 | 174.2 | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 | 7.2 | 7.6 | 7.2 |
| New Jersey | 1,811.4 | 1, 826.9 | 1,826.7 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 99.3 | 101.3 | 99.3 |
| New Mexico | 175.9 | 176.9 | 175.6 | 14.4 | 14.7 | 15.4 | 13.3 | 13.5 | 13.6 |
| New York. | 6,026.8 | 6,044.0 | 6,000.4 | 12.3 | 12.4 | 12.0 | 240.8 | 245.5 | 230.8 |
| North Carolina | 1,010.8 | 1,014.4 | 1,021.8 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 55.2 | 55.9 | 59.9 |
| North Dakota | 113.8 | 115.4 | 114.5 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 8.7 | 9.8 | 8.9 |
| Ohio. | 3,047.4 | 3,077.4 | 3,047.1 | 22.0 | 22.3 | 23.7 | 149.1 | 151.6 | 143.3 |
| Oklahoma | 540.5 | 541.8 | 541.5 | 46.4 | 45.9 | 47.0 | 34.2 | 36.4 | 34.9 |
| Oregon. | 465.6 | 480.7 | 469.7 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 22.7 | 26.5 | 25.7 |
| Pennsylvania. | 3,723.9 | 3,748.6 | 3,764.8 | 138.7 | 136.6 | 159.4 | 170.0 | 179.2 | 167.8 |
| Rhode Island. | 300.7 | 303.6 | 314.1 | (3/) | (3/) | (3/) | 15.8 | 16.0 | 17.1 |
| South Carolina | 536.5 | 539.9 | 549.5 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 46.7 | 48.3 | 61.5 |
| South Dakota. | 119.2 | 120.6 | 121.9 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 8.6 | 9.8 | 9.3 |
| Tennessee | 831.8 | 836.1 | 823.7 | 9.3 | 9.2 | 9.9 | 54.0 | 54.6 | 50.2 |
| техвв.1/. | 2,250.4 | 2,247.7 | 2,245.7 | 120.8 | 120.7 | 118.0 | 166.8 | 168.1 | 171.8 |
| Utah. | 216.2 | 220.1 | 221.2 | 13.8 | 13.7 | 13.7 | 12.4 | 12.5 | 13.4 |
| Vermont | 103.5 | 205.3 | 101.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 3.9 |
| Virginia. ${ }^{\text {a }}$. | 895.4 | 902.7 | 907.8 | 17.2 | 17.2 | 20.9 | 54.6 | 57.5 | 58.8 |
| Washington. | 743.1 | 758.6 | 742.8 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.0 | 47.6 | 49.9 | 45.5 |
| West Virgini | 505.4 | 508.6 | 516.7 | 98.0 | 99.2 | 109.6 | 15.4 | 16.6 | 15.5 |
| Wisconsin. | 1,080.2 | 1,094.5 | 1,097.7 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 51.1 | 54.3 | 54.0 |
| Wyoming. | 84.9 | 86.2 | 86.6 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 10.0 | 5.4 | 5.6 | 7.5 |

[^0]Table A-8: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division and State - Continued
(In thousands)

| State | Manufacturing |  |  | Transportation and public utilities |  |  | Wholesale and retail trade |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1953 |  | 1952 | 1953 |  | 1952 | 1953 |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Hov. | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |
| Alabama. | 233.7 | 236.9 | 235.7 | 52.9 | 52.6 | 53.3 | 141.8 | 140.3 | 140.7 |
| Arizona | 26.4 | 26.6 | 29.7 | 21.1 | 21.1 | 20.9 | 51.4 | 50.3 | 50.9 |
| Arkanaas. 1 | 82.9 | 83.1 | 84.0 | 31.7 | 31.7 | 31.5 | 78.0 | 77.2 | 79.3 |
| California | 1,050.0 | 1,105.5 | 1,041.7 | 345.3 | 346.5 | 337.1 | 907.1 | 900.5 | 885.7 |
| colorado. 1. | 70.9 | 72.8 | 72.7 | 45.9 | 46.1 | 45.6 | 108.4 | 108.0 | 106.2 |
| Connecticut. | 452.8 | 451.9 | 448.8 | 42.5 | 42.9 | 42.6 | 148.5 | 146.3 | 144.0 |
| Delaware. | 59.3 | 61.5 | 60.8 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| District of Columb | 17.3 | 17.4 | 17.5 | 30.6 | 30.8 | 31.4 | 92.2 | 91.1 | 98.5 |
| Florida. | 124.6 | 117.0 | 117.3 | 75.4 | 75.0 | 73.8 | 262.9 | 251.2 | 248.3 |
| Georgia. 26 | 313.7 | 315.1 | 315.4 | 71.8 | 72.0 | 72.5 | 209.8 | 208.8 | 204.5 |
| Idaho. | 24.5 | 25.9 | 25.0 | 17.0 | 17.1 | 17.5 | 36.6 | 36.8 | 37.6 |
| Illinoie | 1,296.1 | 1315.2 | 1,300.9 | 306.9 | 310.4 | 306.3 | 726.5 | 716.5 | 722.4 |
| Ind iana | 674.2 | 642.6 | 645.4 | 106.8 | 107.5 | 108.5 | 284.5 | 281.8 | 276.9 |
| Iova. | 167.9 | 169.7 | 176.7 | 59.4 | 60.0 | 60.1 | 173.1 | 172.1 | 172.7 |
| Kansas | 132.5 | 135.1 | 142.6 | 69.1 | 69.7 | 68.5 | 132.6 | 131.7 | 131.0 |
| Kentucky. | (4) | (4) | 149.4 | (4/) | (4/) | 60.4 | (4/) | (4/) | 127.3 |
| Louisiens | 167.9 | 167.1 | 159.9 | 82.5 | $8 \overline{2} .9$ | 83.8 | $15 \overline{9} .3$ | 156.0 | 157.1 |
| Maine. | 110.7 | 116.2 | 120.9 | 18.8 | 19.2 | 19.1 | 52.1 | 51.6 | 52.3 |
| Maryland. | 265.8 | 273.7 | 265.6 | 74.0 | 73.2 | 75.1 | 154.8 | 152.8 | 153.4 |
| Massachusetts. | 712.0 | 722.0 | 732.1 | 116.9 | 117.7 | 117.1 | 376.7 | 372.9 | 381.6 |
| Michigen. 1 /. | 1,147.3 | 1,169.8 | 1,184.1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Minnesota. | 219.2 | 221.9 | 215.5 | 91.8 | 94.8 | 94.4 | 214.0 | 211.5 | 214.8 |
| Mississippi | 95.9 | 97.8 | 98.9 | 27.2 | 27.6 | 26.6 | - | - | - |
| Missouri | 403.5 | 413.3 | 404.2 | 133.3 | 135.1 | 133.6 | 316.9 | 317.4 | 327.5 |
| Montana. | 19.6 | 20.4 | 19.7 | 23.3 | 23.8 | 23.3 | 40.8 | 40.3 | 39.8 |
| Nebraska. 16 | 62.2 | 62.4 | 61.0 | 44.1 | 45.1 | 43.1 | 94.6 | 94.3 | 95.9 |
| Mevada. | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 9.4 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 15.0 | 15.0 | 14.0 |
| New Hampshir | 79.9 | 80.7 | 83.4 | 10.6 | 10.8 | 10.7 | 31.0 | 31.1 | 30.8 |
| New Jersey | 818.8 | 829.7 | 847.9 | 156.1 | 156.2 | 153.2 | 301.3 | 300.1 | 302.8 |
| New Mexico. | 15.9 | 16.2 | 16.7 | 20.1 | 20.0 | 19.6 | 41.5 | 41.5 | 40.6 |
| New York. | 1,996.9 | 2,025.4 | 2,013.9 | 515.7 | 518.7 | 519.5 | 1,300.6 | 1,276.7 | 1,302.9 |
| North Caroline | 439.7 | 444.2 | 449.5 | 65.3 | 65.4 | 64.8 | 198.3 | 197.3 | 199.5 |
| North Dakota. | 6.6 | 6.5 | 6.7 | 14.0 | 14.4 | 14.4 | 37.8 | 37.9 | 38.8 |
| Ohio.. | 1,380.9 | 1,412.7 | 1,391.1 | 234.5 | 235.1 | 234.6 | 587.4 | 581.6 | 589.2 |
| Oklahoma | 85.5 | 86.6 | 83.5 | 51.0 | 50.9 | 51.5 | 133.4 | 132.4 | 134.3 |
| Oregon... | 140.5 | 149.1 | 144.1 | 48.1 | 48.3 | 48.7 | 110.6 | 111.1 | 111.3 |
| Pennsylvania | 1,481.5 | 1,505.8 | 1,510.9 | 349.8 | 352.3 | 358.0 | 704.2 | 690.4 | 704.8 |
| Rhode Island. | 139.5 | 143.4 | 151.4 | 16.5 | 16.4 | 16.3 | 54.7 | 53.9 | 55.4 |
| South Carolina | 223.4 | 225.2 | 226.0 | 27.6 | 27.5 | 27.7 | 104.4 | 104.1 | 102.2 |
| South Dakota. | 12.3 | 12.2 | 12.7 | 10.1 | 10.2 | 10.1 | 36.6 | 36.7 | 39.1 |
|  | 284.4 | 289.0 | 285.5 | 62.3 | 62.1 | 61.8 | 184.5 | 182.9 | 184.1 |
| Texas. 1 | 434.3 | 434.0 | 434.6 | 234.0 | 235.1 | 241.9 | 602.6 | 596.9 | 600.9 |
| Utah. | 32.3 | 35.0 | 32.8 | 23.0 | 23.4 | 23.4 | 50.5 | 50.8 | 50.4 |
| Vermont. | 40.1 | 41.2 | 39.4 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 18.4 | 18.4 | 18.0 |
| Virginia. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 253.5 | 259.5 | 259.9 | 85.2 | 85.7 | 85.3 | 205.6 | 201.3 | 203.1 |
| Weshington. | 195.5 | 206.5 | 195.1 | 66.1 | 67.5 | 65.9 | 172.5 | 171.1 | 173.0 |
| West Virginia | 136.1 | 137.4 | 136.2 | 53.1 | 53.0 | 54.0 | 84.7 | 84.1 | 86.9 |
| Wisconein. | 455.0 | 464.3 | 475.8 | 78.6 | 79.6 | 79.7 | 228.0 | 227.9 | 227.1 |
| Hyoming. | 7.1 | 7.4 | 7.0 | 16.0 | 16.2 | 15.9 | 18.9 | 18.9 | 18.4 |

Table A-8: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division and State - Continued
(In thousands)

| State | Finance, insurance, and real estate |  |  | Service and miscellaneous |  |  | Government |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1953 |  | 1952 | 1953 |  | 1952 | 1953 |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Noy. | Noy. | Oct. | Nov. | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |
| Alabama.* | 21.0 | 20.9 | 19.3 | 56.9 | 57.0 | 56.5 | 125.7 | 125.3 | 125.1 |
| Arizona.** | 7.1 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 25.1 | 25.0 | 24.1 | 39.4 | 39.8 | 39.1 |
| Arkansar *. ${ }^{\text {a }}$. | 8.9 | 8.8 | 8.7 | 35.7 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 58.8 | 58.9 | 57.3 |
| Callfornia.** | 171.8 | 172.0 | 166.7 | 500.1 | 499.7 | 482.8 | 644.7 | 648.3 | 651.0 |
| Colorado.*. ${ }^{\text {c }}$ \% | 16.9 | 17.1 | 16.2 | 54.7 | 55.8 | 54.9 | 80.8 | 80.9 | 83.5 |
| Connecticut | 42.2 | 42.1 | 40.9 | 82.1 | 83.3 | 81.5 | 70.6 | 70.7 | 67.6 |
| Delaware.*...................... | - | - | - | - | - | - | 13.0 | 13.1 | 12.5 |
| District of Columbia.*.16.56.. | 22.8 | 22.9 | 22.9 | 64.3 | 65.1 | 63.7 | 248.3 | 251.0 | 274.3 |
| Florida.*...................... | 41.4 | 40.7 | 36.3 | 119.4 | 115.4 | 114.2 | 139.0 | 139.4 | 137.3 |
| Georgia.*.16 | 33.1 | 32.9 | 31.3 | 82.8 | 83.3 | 83.8 | 144.3 | 145.1 | 145.4 |
| Idaho.*. | 4.2 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 15.4 | 15.6 | 15.3 | 26.6 | 26.6 | 26.2 |
| Illinois | 160.8 | 160.6 | 157.5 | 365.1 | 369.6 | 361.4 | 348.6 | 350.6 | 338.1 |
| Indiana | 43.1 | 42.8 | 40.1 | 92.2 | 93.3 | 93.5 | 153.6 | 154.2 | 147.8 |
| Iove.* | 26.9 | 27.2 | 25.6 | 69.7 | 70.3 | 69.6 | 102.3 | 102.2 | 97.8 |
| Kansas.* | 17.1 | 17.1 | 16.9 | 54.7 | 55.0 | 53.5 | 86.0 | 85.9 | 83.0 |
| Kentucky. | (4/) | (4/) | 16.6 | (4/) | (4/) | 63.4 | 92.1 | 92.7 | 90.6 |
| Louisiana | $2 \overline{1} .0$ | $2 \overline{1.0}$ | 20.4 | $7 \overline{1} .6$ | 71.9 | 70.6 | 111.6 | 112.3 | 107.2 |
| Maine.... | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 25.5 | 26.2 | 25.7 | 45.2 | 45.3 | 45.1 |
| Maryland. 5 . | 35.5 | 35.4 | 33.1 | 79.7 | 80.0 | 79.6 | 107.4 | 107.5 | 107.8 |
| Massachusetts | 88.5 | 88.1 | 84.7 | 195.4 | 197.9 | 193.9 | 236.0 | 237.6 | 230.0 |
| Michigan. | - | - | - | - | - | - | 239.4 | 239.9 | 232.1 |
| Minnesota | 38.4 | 38.5 | 37.7 | 101.8 | 101.9 | 100.3 | 131.7 | 131.8 | 123.8 |
| M1seiselppl | 9.0 | 9.0 | 8.6 | - | - | - | 68.9 | 58.9 | 67.9 |
| Miseouri | 60.9 | 61.6 | 57.8 | 143.3 | 144.6 | 144.9 | 150.5 | 151.2 | 148.4 |
| Montana. | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 19.6 | 19.8 | 18.7 | 30.0 | 29.9 | 28.5 |
| Nebraska.*.1/ | 18.5 | 18.6 | 17.7 | 45.1 | 45.1 | 43.3 | 66.8 | 67.0 | 65.7 |
| Nevada.*. | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 16.5 | 16.7 | 14.9 | 12.1 | 12.2 | 12.1 |
| Nev Hampehir | 5.1 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 16.7 | 19.4 | 16.8 | 20.8 | 20.8 | 20.2 |
| Hew Jersey. | 61.1 | 61.1 | 60.4 | 175.8 | 179.1 | 169.4 | 194.6 | 195.8 | 189.1 |
| New Mexico. | 5.1 | 5.0 | 5.2 | 23.6 | 23.7 | 23.3 | 42.0 | 42.3 | 41.2 |
| New York | 410.3 | 407.6 | 406.0 | 794.2 | 797.2 | 785.9 | 756.1 | 760.6 | 729.4 |
| North Carolina | 25.8 | 25.8 | 24.5 | 92.3 | 91.8 | 92.5 | 130.6 | 130.5 | 127.5 |
| North Dakota | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 13.6 | 13.7 | 13.9 | 26.4 | 26.4 | 25.6 |
| Ohio.*. | 89.9 | 89.8 | 89.0 | 264.1 | 263.9 | 259.8 | 319.5 | 320.4 | 316.4 |
| Oklahoma. | 19.1 | 19.1 | 18.8 | 59.4 | 58.8 | 59.2 | 111.5 | 111.7 | 112.3 |
| Oregon. | 17.1 | 17.1 | 16.6 | 54.2 | 55.7 | 52.2 | 71.4 | 71.7 | 69.9 |
| Penneylvania | 128.3 | 128.2 | 124.2 | 354.8 | 357.7 | 352.0 | 396.5 | 398.4 | 387.9 |
| Rhode Island. | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.2 | 27.8 | 27.4 | 28.1 | 35.0 | 35.1 | 34.6 |
| South Carolina. | 15.3 | 15.2 | 13.9 | 39.4 | 39.5 | 39.5 | 78.5 | 78.9 | 77.4 |
| South Dakota.*. | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 14.8 | 14.9 | 14.7 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.2 |
| Tennessee | 25.8 | 25.9 | 25.3 | 84.3 | 84.6 | 83.7 | 127.2 | 127.8 | 123.2 |
| Texas.*.1 | 98.2 | 98.1 | 91.1 | 266.9 | 267.3 | 260.3 | 326.8 | 327.5 | 327.1 |
| Utah... | 7.5 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 20.6 | 21.2 | 20.6 | 55.1 | 55.8 | 59.8 |
| Vermont. | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 11.2 | 11.6 | 11.0 | 16.4 | 16.6 | 15.9 |
| Virginia.*.1/.5l. | 33.4 | 34.1 | 32.6 | 81.4 | 82.4 | 81.9 | 164.5 | 165.0 | 165.3 |
| Washington. ${ }^{*}$. | 28.2 | 28.4 | 27.6 | 82.7 | 83.7 | 81.6 | 147.9 | 148.8 | 151.1 |
| Wert Virginia | 11.0 | 11.0 | 10.7 | 42.3 | 42.5 | 42.9 | 64.8 | 64.8 | 60.9 |
| Wisconsin.* | 35.7 | 35.6 | 34.6 | 102.8 | 103.5 | 101.3 | 125.1 | 125.2 | 121.3 |
| Wyoming. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 8.5 | 9.1 | 9.9 | 16.7 | 16.7 | 16.0 |

*Finance and government conform with definitions used for national series as shown in Glossary. $1 / \mathrm{Revised}$ series; not atrictiy comparable with previously published date. 2/ Mining combined with construction. 37 Mining combined with service. 4/ Iot available. 5/ Federel employment in Maryland and Virginia portions of the Waehington, D.C., metropolitan area included in date for District of Columbia.

Table A-9: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by indusiry division for selected areas
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1953 |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  | $1952$ |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |
| ALABAMA |  |  |  | Los Angeles * - Continued |  |  |  |
| Birmingham |  |  |  | Trade................... | 421.7 | 415.3 | 404.1 |
| Total. | 192.6 | 193.1 | 192.2 | Finance.................. | 81.8 | 81.6 | 78.1 |
| Mining | 12.8 | 13.1 | 14.2 | Service | 250.5 | 250.4 | 241.6 |
| Contract construction. | 10.4 | 10.4 | 10.0 | Government | 203.9 | 202.7 | 199.1 |
| Manufacturing. | 63.8 | 64.4 | 63.4 |  |  |  |  |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 17.8 | 17.8 | 18.0 | Sacramento |  |  |  |
| Trade.................... | 43.4 | 43.0 | 43.4 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 10.2 | 13.1 | 10.1 |
| Finance | 9.6 | 9.5 | 9.1 |  |  |  |  |
| Service................. | 19.0 | 19.1 | 18.9 | San Dlego |  |  |  |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . | 16.0 | 16.0 | 15.2 | Total... | 186.2 | 187.7 | 184.0 |
|  |  |  |  | Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 |
| Mobile |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 12.7 | 13.1 | 14.0 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 15.7 | 16.3 | 17.3 | Menufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 49.1 | 50.0 | 48.5 |
|  |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 10.9 | 10.8 | 10.4 |
| ARIzona |  |  |  | Trade................... | 42.1 | 41.6 | 41.1 |
| Phoenix * |  |  |  | Finance | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.7 |
| Total................... | 96.9 | 95.9 | 93.8 | Service. | 24.6 | 25.0 | 22.5 |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 40.6 | 41.0 | 41.6 |
| Contract construction... | 9.4 | 8.9 | 8.1 |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing. .......... | 15.0 | 15.0 | 15.1 | San Franciaco-Oakland |  |  |  |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 9.2 | 9.1 | 9.2 | Total. | 883.1 | 897.2 | 893.6 |
| Trade. | 28.2 | 27.9 | 27.6 | Mining. | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |
| Finance. | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.5 | Contract construction... | 57.4 | 61.7 | 64.2 |
| Service | 12.4 | 12.2 | 11.9 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . | 184.9 | 195.8 | 182.6 |
| Government............... | 17.7 | 17.9 | 17.2 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 103.1 | 103.2 | 102.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Trade. | 205.7 | 203.1 | 202.8 |
| Tucson * |  |  |  | Finance | 54.8 | 55.0 | 54.3 |
| Total................... | 43.0 | 43.0 | 46.0 | Service. | 108.6 | 109.3 | 107.4 |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.5 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 167.1 | 167.6 | 178.1 |
| Contract construction... | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.9 |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing........... | 5.3 | 5.5 | 8.4 | San Jose |  |  |  |
| Trans, and pub. util.... | 5.1 | 5.3 | 5.2 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . | 25.7 | 31.3 | 24.1 |
| Trade................... | 10.5 | 10.1 | 10.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Finance. | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | Stockton |  |  |  |
| Service. | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.5 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 11.6 | 15.4 | 12.4 |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . | 8.1 | 8.1 | 7.7 |  |  |  |  |
| ARKANSAS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Little.Rock- |  |  |  | COLORADO |  |  |  |
| N. Little Rock * $1 /$ |  |  |  | Denver * 1 |  |  |  |
| Total.................. | 70.5 | 70.1 | 70.2 | Mining. . ${ }^{\text {. . . . . . . . . . . . . . }}$ | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.5 |
| Contract conatruction... | 4.5 | 4.9 | 4.9 | Contract construction... | 17.3 | 18.7 | 18.4 |
| Manufacturing........... | 13.7 | 13.5 | 13.0 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 45.4 | 45.6 | 45.9 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.4 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 27.6 | 27.8 | 27.1 |
| Trade.................... | 18.2 | 17.7 | 18.5 | Trade..................... | 64.8 | 64.4 | 63.1 |
| Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.9 | Finance................. | 12.2 | 12.2 | 11.5 |
|  | 9.6 | 9.6 | 9.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 11.9 | 11.9 | 12.0 |  |  |  |  |
| CALIFORNIA |  |  |  | COnNECTICUT |  |  |  |
| Fresno |  |  |  | Bridgeport * |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 14.7 | 16.2 | 14.9 | - Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 123.7 | 123.0 | 123.9 |
|  |  |  |  | Contract construction $2 /$ | 5.3 | 5.6 | 5.2 |
| Los Angeles * |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 73.4 | 72.9 | 74.1 |
| Total................... | 1,851.8 | 1,865.1 | 1,805.6 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.6 |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 16.0 | 15.9 | 15.5 | Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 19.9 | 19.4 | 19.9 |
| Contract construction... | 122.7 | 123.6 | 115.3 | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.4 |
| Manufacturing. .......... | 630.6 | 650.9 | 630.7 | Service. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 9.9 | 10.0 | 9.7 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 124.6 | 124.7 | 121.2 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.0 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Area Data
Table A-9: Emplovees in nonagricultural establishments.
by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1952 |  | 195 ? |  |  |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |
| CONNECTICUT - Continued |  |  |  | Washington * $1 /$ - Con. |  |  |  |
| Hartiord * |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 42.9 | 43.2 | 43.3 |
| Total.................... | 199.8 | 198.5 | 194.4 | Trade. | 126.8 | 125.6 | 133.5 |
| Contract construction ?/ | 8.6 | 8.9 | 9.6 | Finance | 30.7 | 30.8 | 30.9 |
| Manuracturing........... | 79.7 | 79.4 | 74.9 | Service 2/.............. | 81.1 | 82.4 | 79.9 |
| Trane. and pub. util.... | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | Governmeñt. . . . . . . . . . . . | 263.6 | 266.3 | 287.7 |
| Trade.................... | 41.6 | 40.5 | 40.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Finance. | 25.9 | 25.6 | 25.5 | FIORIDA |  |  |  |
| Service | 20.1 | 20.2 | 20.4 | Jacksonville * 1/ |  |  |  |
| Government | 16.3 | 16.3 | 16.3 | Total........... | 114.1 | 112.2 | 110.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 9.3 | 9.1 | c. $\zeta$ |
| New Britain * |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 18.5 | 17.7 | 17.9 |
| Total................. | 44.4 | 44.0 | 42.3 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 14.3 | 14.4 | 14.9 |
| Contract construction ? ${ }^{\prime}$ | 1.9 | 1.2 | 13 | Trade.... . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 35.4 | 34.6 | 34.2 |
| Manufacturing. .......... | 30.1 | 29.7 | 28.2 | Finance.................. | 7.7 | 7.5 | 6.1 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | Service 2/.............. | 13.3 | 13.3 | 12.7 |
| Trade. | 5.6 | 5.5 | 5.5 | Government............... | 15.7 | 15.6 | 16.1 |
| Finance | . 7 | . 7 | . 6 |  |  |  |  |
| Service. | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | Miami * I/ |  |  |  |
| Government. | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.1 | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 203.6 | 194.9 |  |
|  |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 20.6 | 20.0 | 18.6 |
| New Haven * |  |  |  | Manufacturing. | 23.9 | 22.5 | 21.1 |
| Total................... | 121.4 | 121.5 | 120.2 | Trans. and pub, util... | 26.2 | 25.9 | 25.4 |
| Contract construction 2/ | 5.6 | 5.9 | 6.0 | Trade . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 65.6 | 61.4 | 58.0 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 49.2 | 49.5 | 49.1 | Finance.................. | 11.0 | 10.9 | 9.9 |
| Trans, and pub. util... | 11.7 | 11.7 | 12.0 | Service 2/............. | 37.7 | 35.5 | 35.1 |
| Trade. | 23.3 | 22.7 | 22.6 | Government | 18.7 | 18.8 | 17.7 |
| Finance. | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.4 |  |  |  |  |
| Service | 17.7 | 17.8 | 17.7 | Tsmpe-St. Petersburg * |  |  |  |
| Government. | 8.3 | 8.3 | 7.6 | Total................. | 125.8 | 120.6 | 119.8 |
|  |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 12.8 | 12.8 | 13.4 |
| Stamford * |  |  |  | Manufacturing. | 25.2 | 23.3 | 23.4 |
| Total..................... | 50.6 | 51.0 | 50.3 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 10.3 | 10.2 | 10.2 |
| Contract construction ?/ | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.1 | Trade.................... | 42.1 | 39.8 | 39.4 |
| Manufacturing. | 22.9 | 23.3 | 22.2 | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 6.1 | 5.9 | 5.2 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | Service 2/............... | 15.2 | 14.6 | 14.7 |
| Trade.................... | 9.4 | 9.2 | 9.4 | Governmeñt. | 14.2 | 14.1 | 13.6 |
| Finance | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Service. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 7.4 | 7.5 | 7.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Government............... | 3.4 | 3.5 | 2.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Waterbury * |  |  |  | $\text { Atlanta } \# 1$ |  |  |  |
| Total.................... | 72.1 | 72.6 | 71.2 | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 301.2 | 302.5 | 293.4 |
| Contract construction ?/ | 2.2 | $2 . ?$ | 2.1 | Contract construction... | 15.4 | 15.5 | 13.8 |
| Manufacturing........... | 47.3 | 48.0 | 47.0 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 80.0 | 80.7 | 75.8 |
| Trane. and pub. util.... | 2.8 | 2.8 | 2.7 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 31.7 | 32.1 | 32.2 |
| Trade.. | 9.5 | 9.4 | 9.3 | Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 81.0 | 81.1 | 81.5 |
| Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1.3 4.4 | 1.2 4.4 | 1.2 4.3 | Finance . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 21.4 | 21.4 37.4 | 19.7 36.2 |
| Service. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.4 4.7 | 4.4 4.6 | 4.3 4.6 |  | 37.5 34.2 | 37.4 34.3 | 36.2 |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.6 | Government............... | 34.2 | 34.3 | 34.2 |
| DEIAWARE |  |  |  | Savennah * 1/ |  |  |  |
| Wilmington |  |  |  | Total................... | 50.8 | 50.5 | 50.0 |
| Manufacturing........... | 55.1 | 55.9 | 55.7 | Contract construction... | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.3 |
|  |  |  |  | Manufacturing........... | 14.4 | 14.1 | 14.3 |
| DISTRICT OF COITMPTA |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 6.4 | 6.5 | 6.7 |
| $\text { Washington } 1 /$ |  |  |  | Trade. | 12.7 | 12.5 | 12.1 |
| Total................ | 602.4 | 609.7 | 639.4 | Finance. | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.4 |
| Contract construction... | 31.4 | 34.5 36.9 | 36.6 27.5 | Service 2/............... | 5.4 | 5.5 5.9 | 5.4 |
| Manufacturing........... | 26.9 | 26.9 | 27.5 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . | 5.9 | 5.9 | 5.8 |

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Table A-9: Employees in nonagricultural establishments. by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $19^{5} 2$ |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |  | Nov. | Cct. | Nov. |
| IDAFO |  |  |  | Wichita |  |  |  |
| Boise |  |  |  | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 112.8 | 113.9 | 121.0 |
| Total. | 19.8 | 19.9 | 20.3 | Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.1 |
| Contract construction.. | 1.5 | 1.7 | 2.0 | Contract construction... | 6.3 | 6.6 | 6.2 |
| Manufacturing. | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.6 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 49.7 | 50.2 | 58.7 |
| Trans. and pub. ut:2.... | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.6 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 7.8 | 7.9 | 7.6 |
| Trade................... | 6.0 | 6.0 | 6.4 | Trade.................... | 24.1 | 24.1 | 24.2 |
| Finance | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | Finance | 3.9 | 4.0 | 3.9 |
| Service | 2.0 | 2.9 | 2.8 | Service. | 11.1 | 11.2 | 10.8 |
| Government | 3.9 | 3.9 | 2.7 | Government. | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.6 |
|  |  |  |  | LOUISIANA |  |  |  |
| INDIANA. |  |  |  | Baton Rouge |  |  |  |
| Evansville |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 19.9 | 19.9 | 18.8 |
| Total.... | 68.9 | 70.9 | 73.2 | Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 11.7 | 11.4 | 11.5 |
| Manufacturing. | 37.7 | 39.6 | 41.5 | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 |
| Nonmanufacturins........ | 21.2 | 31.3 | 21.7 | New Orleans * |  |  |  |
| Fort Weyne |  |  |  | Total................. | 265.9 | 265.6 | 264.8 |
| Total... | 79.3 | 79.9 | 80.4 | Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3.9 | 4.0 | 3.7 |
| Manufacturing. | 28.9 | 29.6 | 39.3 | Contract construction... | 16.5 | 17.0 | 19.5 |
| Nonmenufacturing. | 40.4 | 40.7 | 41.0 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . | 56.0 | 56.3 | 53.3 |
|  |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 43.3 | 43.2 | 43.3 |
| Indienapolis |  |  |  | Trade . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 65.6 | 64.6 | 66.9 |
| Total................. | 285.5 | 284.2 | 283.5 | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.1 |
| Contrect construction... | 11.1 | 11.8 | 12.6 | Service.................. | 35.0 | 35.0 | 34.1 |
| Trede................... | 67.8 | 66.6 | 66.7 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . | 34.4 | 34.3 | 33.2 |
| Finance. | 15.1 | 15.2 | 14.5 |  |  |  |  |
| All others. | 191.5 | 190.6 | 189.7 | MA INE |  |  |  |
| South Bend |  |  |  | Total.................. | 27.9 | 28.3 | 28.9 |
| Total. | 90.7 | 89.9 | 95.2 | Contract construction... | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| Manufacturing | 51.3 | 51.1 | 55.4 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 15.4 | 15.6 | 16.2 |
| Trade. | 15.8 | 15.3 | 16.1 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| Other nonmanufacturing.. | 23.6 | 23. 5 | 23.7 | Trade.................... | 5.1 | 5.0 | 5.2 |
|  |  |  |  | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | . 6 | . 6 | . 6 |
|  |  |  |  | Service 2/............... | 3.3 | 3.5 | 3.3 |
| IOWA |  |  |  | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| Des Moines |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total.. | 88.9 |  | 89.3 | Portland |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 4.3 | 4.6 | 4.0 | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 51.3 | 51.7 | 49.8 |
| Manufacturing. | 21.8 | 22.5 | 22.4 | Contract construction... | 3.7 | 3.6 | 2.7 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.7 | Manufacturing........... | 13.2 | 13.6 | 12.5 |
| Trede. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 24.1 | 22.7 | 24.9 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.1 |
| Finance. | 9.0 | 9.0 | 8.8 | Trade.................... | 14.2 | 14.2 | 14.3 |
|  | 11.4 | 11.6 | 11.4 | Finance.................. . | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.9 |
| Governmeñt............... | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.2 | Service 2/............... | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.9 |
|  |  |  |  | Governmeñt. . . . . . . . . . . | 3.3 | 3.3 | 3.4 |
| KANSAS |  |  |  | MARTLAND |  |  |  |
| Topeks |  |  |  | Baltimore |  |  |  |
| Totel. | 44.2 | 44.2 | 45.6 | Total... . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 549.5 | 553.5 | 541.4 |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | .1 | . 1 | . 2 | Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.4 | 1.4 | . 4 |
| Contract construction... | 2.4 | 2.6 | 4.0 | Contract construction... | 41.1 | 41.9 | 38.6 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 5.8 | 5.8 | 5.8 | Manufactur ing. . . . . . . . . | 199.2 | 204.5 | 198.1 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 7.9 | 7.9 | 7.9 | Trane. and pub. util.... | 56.7 | 55.8 | 56.5 |
| Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 9.5 | 9.4 | 9.6 | Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 110.4 | 108.2 | 108.2 |
| Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.0 | Finence. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 27.2 | 27.2 | 25.6 |
| Service.................. | 5.1 | 5.1 | 4.9 | Service. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 56.3 | 57.2 | 55.9 |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 11.4 | 11.3 | 11.3 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 58.2 | 58.3 | 58.1 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Area Data
Table A-9: Employees in nonagricultural establishments. by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of omployees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1953 |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  | $\frac{1952}{\text { Nop. }}$ |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |  | Nov. | Oct. |  |
| MASSACHUSETTS Boston | 977.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 983.9 \\ 46.3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 983.8 \\ 46.7 \end{array}$ | Duluth - Continued |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Serrice 2/.............. | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.7 |
| Total.. |  |  |  | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Contract conetruction... | 44.9 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manuracturing. | 299.1 | 302.7 | 305.4 | Minneapolis |  |  |  |
| Trane. and pub. util.... | 76.4 | 78.5 | 76.2 | Total.................. | 270.2 | 270.0 | 268.0 |
| Trade.................... | 229.1 | 227.3 | 234.2 | Contract construction... | 14.6 | 15.1 | 14.4 |
| Finance. | 62.8 | 63.5 | 61.7 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 79.0 | 79.8 | 78.6 |
| Service ?/. | 127.5 | 128.1 | 126.4 | Trane. and pub. util.... | 26.7 | 27.1 | 26.5 |
| Governmeñt. | 136.8 | 137.5 | 133.2 | Trade.................... | 77.8 | 76.5 | 77.8 |
|  |  |  |  | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 17.6 | 17.6 | 17.2 |
| Fall River |  |  |  | Service 2/............... | 29.8 | 29.6 | 29.1 |
| Total... | 50.3 | 50.2 | 50.5 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 24.7 | 24.4 | 24.3 |
| Manufacturing. .......... | $30 . ?$ | 30.0 | 30.4 |  |  |  |  |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 2.4 | 2.5 | 2.5 | St. Paul |  |  |  |
| Trade.................... | 8.4 | 8.3 | 8.6 | Total... | 148.3 | 148.7 | 147.8 |
| Government. .............. | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.4 | Contract construction... | 6.7 | 7.0 | 7.0 |
| Other nonmanufacturing.. | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.6 | Manufacturing. | 43.0 | 43.5 | 42.2 |
|  |  |  |  | Trans, and pub. util. | 20.8 | 20.8 | 21.0 |
| New Bedford |  |  |  | Trade. | 35.8 | 35.4 | 36.2 |
| Total....... | 53.2 | 53.8 | 53.8 | Finance | 8.9 | 9.0 | 8.9 |
| Contract construction... | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.4 | Service 2/............... | 16.5 | 16.5 | 16.0 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 30.7 | 31.3 | 31.8 | Government | 16.6 | 16.5 | 16.6 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 8.8 | 8.7 | 8.6 | MISS ISSIPPI |  |  |  |
| Government. | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.6 | Jackson |  |  |  |
| Other nonmanufacturing.. | 5.5 | 5.6 | 5.4 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 8.8 | 9.2 | 9.7 |
| Springfield-Holyoke |  |  |  | MISSOURI |  |  |  |
| Total............ | 162.8 | 162.6 | 165.9 | Kansas City * I/ |  |  |  |
| Contract conetruction... | 4.0 | 4.1 | 5.0 | Total.. | 376.2 | 376.3 | 380.0 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . | 74.7 | 75.1 | 76.1 | Mining. . . . . | . 7 | . 7 | . 9 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.2 | Contract construction... | 21.2 | 21.8 | 23.0 |
| Trade.. | 32.3 | 31.3 | 32.7 | Manufacturing........... | 117.5 | 118.3 | 118.7 |
| Finance. | 6.1 | 6.1 | 5.9 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 47.7 | 47.5 | 46.9 |
| Service ?/. | 15.4 | 15.4 | 15.4 | Trade.................... | 98.2 | 96.6 | 99.9 |
| Governmeñt. | 21.2 | 31.5 | 21.6 | Finance | 20.7 | 21.0 | 21.1 |
|  |  |  |  | Service.................. | 40.1 | 40.1 | 39.7 |
| Worcester |  |  |  | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 30.1 | 30.3 | 29.8 |
| Total... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 107.7 | 108.1 | 108.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.1 | St. Louls |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing............ | 52.5 | 53.3 | 54.0 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 287.4 | 297.8 | 292.0 |
| Trans, and pub. util.... | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Trade.. | 21.4 | 21.0 | 21.0 | MONTANA |  |  |  |
| Finance. | 4.1 | 4.0 | 4.0 | Great Falla |  |  |  |
| Service ?............ | 9.7 | 9.6 | 9.6 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 2.8 | 2.8 | 2.9 |
| Governmeñt............... | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.2 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Trade..................... | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.6 |
| MICHIGAN |  |  |  | Service 3/............... | 3.3 | 3.3 | 3.2 |
| Detroit 1/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 676.8 | 686.6 | 700.2 | NEBRASKA |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Omaha |  |  |  |
| MTINESOTA |  |  |  | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 144.2 | 143.3 | 143.4 |
| Duluth |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 7.9 | 8.2 | 8.3 |
| Totai. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 41.9 | 42.4 | 43.5 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 32.7 | 31.7 | 32.4 |
| Contract construction... | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.2 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 25.2 | 25.4 | 24.6 |
| Menufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 10.6 | 10.6 | 21.4 | Trade................... | 35.6 | 35.4 | 36.2 |
| Trane. and pub. util.... | 7.0 | 7.4 | 7.9 | Finance.................... | 10.5 | 10.4 | 10.1 |
| Trade.................... | 10.9 | 10.9 | 10.9 | Service 2/............... | 17.7 | 17.9 14.4 | 17.3 14.6 |
| Finance.................. | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.4 | Governmont............... | 14.7 | 14.4 | 14.6 |

See footnoter at end of table.

Table A-9: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1953 |  | 195? |  | 1953 |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |  | Nov. | Oct. | Hoy. |
| NEVADA |  |  |  | Binghamton |  |  |  |
| Reno |  |  |  | Total................... | 77.5 | 77.5 | 74.7 |
| Contract construction... | 1.7 | 2.0 | 1.6 | Contract construction... | 3.2 | 3.6 | 2.5 |
| Manufacturine ? ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.1 | Manu facturing. . . . . . . . . | 42.6 | 42.3 | 40.7 |
| Trans. end pub. util.... | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.8 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 3.8 | 3.9 | 3.8 |
| Trade.................... | 5.9 | 5.9 | 5.6 | Trade.................... | 13.6 | 13.4 | 13.6 |
| Finance | . 8 | . 8 | . 7 | Other nonmanufacturing.. | 14.2 | 14.2 | 14.1 |
| Service. | 5.1 | 5.2 | 4.8 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Buffalo |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 453.3 | 456.6 | 446.5 |
|  |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 19.7 | 20.3 | 20.4 |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE |  |  |  | Manufacturing. .......... | 215.6 | 218.9 | 210.8 |
| Manchester * |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 41.9 | 42.4 | 39.9 |
| Total................... | 39.5 | 40.1 | 41.0 | Trade................... | 85.6 | 84.4 | 85.1 |
| Contrect construction... | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.3 | Finance.................. | 13.? | 13.2 | 12.7 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . | 19.4 | 20.0 | 21.0 | Service. | 44.6 | 44.6 | 44.5 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.5 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 32.7 | 32.8 | 33.1 |
| Trade................... | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.6 |  |  |  |  |
| Finance.................. | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.7 |  |  |  |  |
| Service.................. | 4.1 | $4 . ?$ | 4.1 | Elmira |  |  |  |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.6 | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 34.2 | 33.4 | 33.1 |
|  |  |  |  | Manufacturing | 17.9 | 17.3 | 17.0 |
|  |  |  |  | Trade. | 6.7 | 6.5 | 6.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Other nonmanufacturing.. | 9.6 | 9.6 | 9.4 |
| NEW JERSEY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nowark-Jersey C ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ty 4/ |  |  |  | Nassau and Suffolk |  |  |  |
| Manupacturing........... | 383.1 | 285.8 | 395.0 | $\frac{\text { Counties }}{\text { Manufacturing. . . . }}$ | 101.4 | 100.4 | 91.5 |
| Paterson 4/ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 180.7 | 184.3 | 187.1 | $\frac{\text { New York-Northeastern }}{\text { New Jersey }}$ |  |  |  |
| Perth Amboy 4/ |  |  |  | Manufacturing | 1,810.9 | 1,837.1 | 1,860.1 |
| Manufacturing. | 8?.6 | 85.1 | 82.4 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | New York City 4/ |  |  |  |
| Trenton |  |  |  | Total. | 3,659.8 | 3,559.4 | 3,675.3 |
| Manufacturing........... | 40.7 | 42.2 | 42.4 | Mining.................. | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 |
|  |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 115.9 | 115.5 | 103.1 |
|  |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 1,004.2 | 1,019.7 | 1,040.6 |
| NEW MEXICO |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 343.6 | 344.8 | 346.2 |
| Albuguerque |  |  |  | Trade.................... | 845.7 | 829.5 | 855.3 |
| Total..... | 52.4 | 53.0 | 52.1 | Finance | 341.0 | 339.2 | 338.1 |
| Contract construction... | 4.3 | 4.0 | 4.4 | Service. | 564.9 | 563.6 | 560.4 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 8.6 | 8.7 | 8.5 | Government | 442.4 | 445.2 | 429.7 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.4 |  |  |  |  |
| Trade... | 12.8 | 14.2 | 13.6 | Rochester |  |  |  |
| Finance. | 2.6 | 2.6 | 3.0 | Total................... . | 219.0 | 218.9 | 211.1 |
| Service 2/............... | 7.0 | 6.9 | 7.0 | Contract construction... | 9.1 | 9.3 | 8.6 |
| Government | 10.8 | 11.3 | 10.2 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 118.7 | 119.0 | 112.5 |
|  |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 11.5 | 11.4 | 11.6 |
|  |  |  |  | Trade.................... | 37.9 | 37.2 | 37.7 |
|  |  |  |  | Finance.................. | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.0 |
| NEW YORK |  |  |  | Other nonmanufacturing.. | 35.5 | 35.7 | 34.7 |
| Albany-Schenectady-Troy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total.................. | $22 ? .5$ | 224.0 | 219.7 | Syracuse |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.2 | Total.................. . . | 148.4 | 148.6 | 145.7 |
| Manufacturing........... | 88.8 | 90.6 | 84.5 | Contract construction... | 6.7 | 7.1 | 6.9 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 17.5 | 17.6 | 18.0 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 64.7 | 65.3 | 63.8 |
| Trade.................... | 41.6 | 40.9 | 41.8 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 12.2 | 12.3 | 12.2 |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 29.0 | 29.2 | 40.6 | Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 31.0 | 30.3 | 29.6 |
| Other nonmanufacturing.. | 27.9 | 27.7 | 27.7 | Other nonmanufacturing.. | 33.7 | 33.7 | 33.1 |

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Table A-9: Emplovees in nonagricultural establishments.
by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 195 ? |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & \hline \text { Nov. } \end{aligned}$ |  | 1953 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & \hline \text { Nov. } \end{aligned}$ |
|  | Nov. | Oct. |  |  | Nov. | Oct. |  |
| NEW YORK - Continued $\frac{\text { Utica-Rome }}{\text { Total.... }}$ |  |  |  | OREGOU |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Portland * |  |  |  |
|  | 99.1 | 99.6 | 95.6 | Contract construction... | 13.0 | 13.8 | 13.2 |
| Contract construction... | 2.0 | 2.1 | 2.8 | Manulacturing. | 50.7 | 64.4 | 60.1 |
| Manufacturina. | 48.0 | 48.7 | 42.9 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 30.2 | 30.5 | 31.3 |
| Trans. and pub. util | 6.7 | 6.8 | 7.1 | Trade................... | 53.0 | 63.2 | 63.5 |
| Trade.. | 15.4 | $15 . ?$ | 15.3 | Finance | 12.0 | 12.5 | 12.2 |
| Finance.................. | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.8 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 31.7 | 32.0 | (5/) |
| Service | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Government............... | 16.5 | 16.5 | 16.? |  |  |  |  |
| Westchester County 4/ |  |  |  | PENASSYLVANTA |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing........... | 47.4 | 51.7 | 52.0 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Allentown-Bethlenem- } \\ & \text { Easton } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| NORTH CAROLINA |  |  |  | Manix.acturing. . . . . . . . . . | 99.3 | 101.6 | 102.9 |
| Charlotte * |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total................... | 85.3 | 85.0 | 86.1 | Erie |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 5.6 | 5.5 | 6.4 | Manuiacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 44.3 | 44.8 | 45.1 |
| Manufacturing. | 21.5 | 21.5 | 21.8 |  |  |  |  |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 10.1 | 10.0 | 10.0 | Harrisburg |  |  |  |
| Trade.. | 25.6 | 26.6 | 26.6 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 35.4 | 36.7 | 36.9 |
| Finance | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.7 |  |  |  |  |
| Gervice. | 10.7 | 10.2 | 10.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Government.............. | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | $\frac{\text { Lancaster }}{\text { Manufacturing........... }}$ | 43.7 | 45.3 | 42.9 |
| Greensboro-righ Point |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing........... | 39.4 | 29.5 | 39.6 | $\frac{\text { Philadelphia }}{\text { Manufacturing. ............. }}$ | 607.3 | 611.3 | 608.4 |
| NORTH DAKOTA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fargo |  |  |  | Pittsburgh |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing. | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.3 | Mining................... | 26.9 | 26.9 | 29.4 |
| Trane. and pub. util.... | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.3 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 368.0 | 376.1 | 380.5 |
| Trade....................... | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.7 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 73.5 | 73.5 | 75.3 |
| Finance. | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 | Finance................... | 27.5 | 27.5 | 28.2 |
| Service | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 |  |  |  |  |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.8 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Reading <br> Menufacturing. $\qquad$ | 51.5 | 51.6 | 53.7 |
| OKLAFOMA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oklahome City * |  |  |  | Scranton |  |  |  |
| Total................... | $136 . ?$ | 137.0 | 140.8 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 31.2 | 31.3 | 30.7 |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 6.6 | 6.6 | 7.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 8.9 | 9.6 | 9.7 | Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing........... | 16.2 | 16.4 | 16.1 | Manusacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 36.8 | 37.4 | 38.9 |
| Trans. end pub. util.... | $11 . ?$ | 11.3 | 11.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Trade..................... | 36.5 | 36.6 | 37.4 | Tork |  |  |  |
| Finance. | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.4 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 47.4 | 47.8 | 45.6 |
| Service | 16.9 | 16.7 | 17.1 |  |  |  |  |
| Government. | 32.4 | 32.4 | 34.8 |  |  |  |  |
| Tulsa * |  |  |  | RHODE ISLAND |  |  |  |
| Total.................... | 117.8 | 117.7 | 112.5 | Providence |  |  |  |
| Mintng. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 11.4 | 11.3 | 11.3 | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 288.4 | 290.6 | 303.8 |
| Contract construction... | $10 . ?$ | 10.1 | 8.2 | Contract construction... | 14.0 | 14.2 | 15.2 |
| Manufacturing............ | 31.7 | 31.8 | 29.1 | Manufacturing........... | 140.0 | 143.2 | 153.9 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.2 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 14.7 | 14.6 | 14.5 |
| Trade..................... | 27.3 | 27.8 | 27.6 | Trade.................... | 52.2 | 51.4 | 52.8 |
| Finance................. | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.7 | Finance.................. | 11.2 | 11.2 | 11.0 |
| Service................. | 13.5 | 13.8 | 13.5 | Service 2/............... | 25.7 | 25.3 | 26.1 |
| Government............... | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6.0 | Govermment............... | 30.5 | 30.7 | 30.3 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A-9: Employees in nonagricultural establishments,
by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1952 |  | 1952 |  | 1953 |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |  | Nov, | Oct. | Nov. |
| SOUTH CAROLINA |  |  |  | Nashville |  |  |  |
| Charleston * 1/ |  |  |  | Total.... . . . . . . . . . . . . | 123.5 | 124.0 | 123.0 |
| Total......... | 50.8 | 50.0 | 51.5 | Contract construction 2/ | 9.7 | 10.3 | 10.5 |
| Contract construction... | 3.7 | 2.3 | 4.2 | Manufacturing........... | 36.3 | 36.8 | 36.5 |
| Manufacturina. | 9.2 | 8.9 | 9.0 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 12.5 | 12.4 | 11.9 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.4 | Trade..................... | 27.0 | 26.5 | 26.8 |
| Trade................... | 11.8 | 11.8 | 11.5 | Finance | 7.0 | 7.0 | 6.5 |
| Finance. | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.4 | Service.................. | 17.1 | 17.2 | 16.8 |
| Service $3 / . . . . . . . . .$. | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.2 | Government | 14.1 | 14.0 | 14.2 |
| Government. . . . . . . ....... | 15.7 | 15.6 | 17.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Columbia |  |  |  | UTAF |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing........... | (5/) | (5/) | 7.9 | Salt Lake City |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total....... | 106.3 | 107.5 | 106.1 |
| Greenville 1/ |  |  |  | Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.5 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . . | 28.6 | 28.8 | 29.9 | Contract construction... | 6.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
|  |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . | 16.8 | 17.2 | 16.4 |
|  |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 12.6 | 12.8 | 12.5 |
| SOUTH DAKOTA |  |  |  | Trade. | 31.2 | 31.3 | 31.1 |
| Sioux Falls |  |  |  | Finance.................. | 5.7 | 5.9 | 5.4 |
| Manufacturing........... | 5.4 | 5.5 | 5.4 | Service................. | 12.5 | 12.7 | 12.3 |
| Trans. and pub, util.... | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.0 | Government............... | 14.5 | 14.5 | 14.5 |
| Trade..................... | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.7 |  |  |  |  |
| Finance. | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Service 6/. | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.7 | VERMONT |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Burlington |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total.... | 17.4 | 17.6 | 16.7 |
| TENNESSEE |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 6.3 | 6.6 | 5.9 |
| Chattanooga |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| Total... | 91.5 | 92.8 | 91.7 | Trade. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.4 |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | Service.................. | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.0 |
| Contract construction... | 4.3.3 | 2.9 | 4.2 | Other nonmenufacturing.. | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.7 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 44.8 | 45.5 | 44.1 |  |  |  |  |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | $5 . ?$ | 5.3 | 5.3 | Springfield |  |  |  |
| Trade. | 17.8 | 17.8 | 18.0 | Total.... | 10.9 | 11.0 | 10.6 |
| Finance | 3.8 | 3.7 | 2.5 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 8.1 | 8.2 | 7.9 |
| Service. | 8.7 | 8.9 | 8.8 | Trans. and pub. util.... | . 3 | - 3 | . 2 |
| Government. | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.9 | Trade..................... | . 9 | . 9 | . 9 |
|  |  |  |  | Service................ | .5 | . 5 | . 5 |
|  |  |  |  | Other nonmanufacturing.. | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| Total..................... | 120.8 | 120.0 | 111.9 |  |  |  |  |
| Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.1 |  |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 14.1 | 13.7 | 7.7 | VIRGINIA |  |  |  |
| Manufecturing. . . . . . . . . | 45.7 | 46.0 | 44.0 | Norfolk-Portsmouth |  |  |  |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.7 | Manufacturing........... | 15.7 | 16.1 | 16.1 |
| Trade................... | 23.4 | 22.7 | 23.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Finence. | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.1 | Richmond |  |  |  |
| Service.................. | 11.2 | 11.4 | 11.2 | Menufacturing............ | 38.0 | 39.0 | 38.2 |
| Government. | 14.5 | 14.6 | 14.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Memphis |  |  |  | WASHINGTON |  |  |  |
| Total. | 170.1 | 171.1 | 173.9 | Seattle * |  |  |  |
| Mining. .................. | . 4 | . 5 | . 4 | Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 281.9 | 284.1 | 277.6 |
| Contract construction... | 10.5 | 10.6 | 12.0 | Contract construction... | 13.1 | 14.0 | 12.5 |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 44.1 | 45.0 | 44.4 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 80.2 | 81.5 | 74.7 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 15.6 | 15.6 | 15.6 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 26.3 | 27.1 | 26.0 |
| Trade..................... | 51.8 | 51.4 | 52.1 | Trade................... | 72.4 | 70.9 | 72.0 |
| Finance . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 7.3 | 7.3 18.3 | 7.5 18.9 | Finance.................. | 15.3 | 15.5 | 15.1 |
| Service. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 18.4 22.3 | 18.3 22.6 | 18.9 23.2 | Service $2 / . . . . . . . . . . . .$. | 34.9 39.7 | 35.4 | 34.6 |
| Government............. | 22.3 | 22.6 | 23.2 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 39.7 | 39.7 | 42.7 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A-9: Employees in nonagricultural establishments, by industry division for selected areas - Continued
(In thousands)

| Area | Number of employees |  |  | Area | Number of employees |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $195 ?$ |  | $\frac{1952}{\text { Nov. }}$ |  |  |  | 1952 |
|  | Nov. | Oct. |  |  | Nov. | Oct. | Nov. |
| WASHINGTON - Continued |  |  |  | Charleston - Continued |  |  |  |
| Spokane * |  |  |  | Contract construction... | 5.6 | 5.9 | 6.0 |
| Total... | 68.6 | 70.7 | 69.5 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 27.9 | 28.1 | 27.0 |
| Contract constr.ction... | 4.7 | 5.4 | 4.5 | Trans. and pub. util.... | 10.5 | 9.8 | 10.3 |
| Manufacturing. .......... | 12.6 | 14.5 | 14.0 | Trade................... . | 18.3 | 17.8 | 18.6 |
| Trane. and pub. util.... | 8.7 | 8.9 | 9.0 | Finance. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 |
| Trade................... | 18.6 | 18.6 | $19 . ?$ | Service.................. | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.5 |
| Finance.................. | 3.6 | 3.2 | 2.1 | Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 8.9 | 8.9 | 9.0 |
| Service p/............... | 10.7 | 10.9 | 10.5 |  |  |  |  |
| Governnent. . . . . . . . . . . . | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.2 | WISCONSIN Milwaukee |  |  |  |
| Tacome * |  |  |  | Manupacturing. .......... | 191.4 | 194.3 | 203.4 |
| Total. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 71.2 | 72.3 | 73.3 |  |  |  |  |
| Contract construction... | 4.4 | 4.9 | 4.3 | Racine |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | $17 . ?$ | 18.0 | 18.2 | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 23.2 | 23.3 | 24.2 |
| Trans. and pub. util.... | 7.0 | 7.0 | 7.0 |  |  |  |  |
| Trade..................... | 15.2 | 14.9 | 15.2 | WYOMING |  |  |  |
| Finance................. | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.5 | Casper |  |  |  |
| Service ?/............... | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.6 | Mining. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.8 |
| Government. . . . . . . . . . . . | 17.3 | 17.2 | 18.4 | Contract construction... | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
|  |  |  |  | Manufacturing. . . . . . . . . | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.7 |
| WEST VIRGINIA |  |  |  | Trans. and pub. util.... | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.9 |
| Charleston |  |  |  | Trade.................... | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.7 |
| Total................... | 98.1 | 97.4 | 99.4 | Finance.................. | . 4 | . 4 | . 5 |
| Mining..... . . . . . . . . . . . | 15.5 | 15.6 | 17.4 | Service.................. | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.7 |

* Finance and government conform with definftions used for national serier shown in Glossary.
${ }^{\prime}$ ' Revised series: not strictly comparable with previously published data.
$\bar{\prime}$ ! Includes mining.
₹/ Includes mining and finance.
4' Subarea of New York-Northeastern New Jersey.
5/ Not available.
5' Includes mining and government.

Table A-10: Women employees in manufacturing industries


Table A-10: Women employees in manufacturing industries - Continued

| Industry group and industry | September 1953 |  | June 1953 |  | September 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number (in thousands) | Percent of total employment | Number (in thousands) | Percent of total employment | Number (in thousands) | Percent of total employment |
| FURNITURE AND FIXTURES. | 69.7 | 19 | 69.5 | 19 | 67.0 | 18 |
| Household furniture.. | 47.0 | 18 | 47.6 | 18 | 46.1 | 18 |
| Office, public-building, and professional furniture............................. | 5.7 | 14 | 5.6 | 14 | 6.0 | 15 |
| Partitions, shelving, lockers, and fixtures. $\qquad$ | 4.3 | 12 | 4.2 | 12 | 3.6 | 10 |
| Screens, blinds, and miscellaneous furniture and fixtures..................... | 12.7 | 39 | 12.1 | 38 | 11.3 | 37 |
| PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 130.4 | 24 | 126.8 | 24 | 121.1 | 24 |
| Pulp, paper, and paperboard mills...... | 30.5 | 11 | 29.9 | 17 | 29.3 | 12 |
| Paperboard containers and boxes......... | 47.0 | 32 | 4.4 | 31 | 43.1 | 32 |
| Other paper and allied products......... | 52.9 | 41 | 52.0 | 41 | 48.7 | 40 |
| PRINTING, PUBLISHING, AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES. | 220.4 | 28 | 215.0 | 28 | 209.6 | 27 |
| Newsp apers................................. | 54.2 | 18 | 54.1 | 18 | 52.4 | 18 |
| Perlodicals................................. | 27.3 | 41 | 25.5 | 39 | 24.9 | 39 |
| Books.. | 22.4 | 46 | 21.6 | 46 | 20.9 | 4.6 |
| Commercial printing. | 51.2 | 26 | 50.5 | 26 | 50.6 | 26 |
| Lithographing. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 17.2 | 31 | 16.0 | 30 | 15.9 | 30 |
| Greeting cards. | 13.4 | 68 | 12.9 | 68 | 12.7 | 67 |
| Bookbinding and related industries...... | 20.4 | $W_{4}$ | 19.8 | 44 | 18.8 | 44 |
| Miscellaneous publishing and printing services. | 14.3 | 23 | 14.6 | 24 | 13.4 | 23 |
| CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS............. | 144.3 | 19 | 147.2 | 20 | 148.5 | 20 |
| Industrial inorganic chemicals.......... | 7.5 | 9 | 7.5 | 9 | 7.4 | 9 |
| Industrial organic chemicals............. | 43.3 | 16 | 44.2 | 16 | 42.8 | 16 |
| Drugs and medicines..................... | 38.6 | 41 | 38.9 | 4 | 4.8 | 43 |
| Soap, cieaning and polishing preparations. $\qquad$ | 10.9 | 22 | 11.3 | 23 | 11.5 | 23 |
| Paints, pigments, and fillers........... | 11.1 | 15 | 11.4 | 15 | 12.0 | 15 |
| Gum and wood chemicals.. | . 4 | 6 | . 5 | 6 | . 4 | 6 |
| Fertilizers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.0 | 6 | 1.9 | 6 | 1.9 | 5 |
| Vegetable and animal oils and fats..... | 3.0 | 7 | 3.1 | 8 | 3.0 | 7 |
| Miscell aneous chemicals... | 27.5 | 30 | 28.4 | 31 | 28.7 | 31 |
| PRODUCTS OF PETROLEUM AND COAL. . . . . . . . . . | 15.9 | 6 | 15.8 | 6 | 15.9 | 6 |
| Petroleum refining........................ | 12.6 | 6 | 12.6 | 6 | 12.5 | 6 |
| Coke and other petroleum and coal products. | 3.3 | 6 | 3.2 | 6 | 3.4 | 6 |
| RUBBER PRODUCTS. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 73.2 | 27 | 75.4 | 27 | 72.3 | 28 |
| Tires and inner tubes. | 19.5 | 17 | 20.1 | 17 | 20.6 | 18 |
| Rubber footwear.. | 15.1 | 51 | 14.6 | 50 | 14.5 | 50 |
| Other rubber products. | 38.6 | 31 | 40.7 | 32 | 37.2 | 32 |
| Leather and leather products. . . . . . . . . . . | 191.5 | 50 | 195.6 | 50 | 196.7 | 50 |
| Leather: tanned, curried, and finlshed.. | 5.9 | 13 | 6.0 | 13 | 6.3 | 13 |
| Industrial leather belting and packing.. | 1.8 | 36 | 1.9 | 36 | 1.7 | 34 |
| Boot and shoe cut stock and findings.... | 6.8 | 42 | 7.4 | 41 | 6.9 | 40 |
| Footwear (except rubber)................. | 135.5 | 55 | 141.8 | 56 | 139.7 | 55 |
| Luģ́aǵe. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 8.9 | 47 | 8.9 | 46 | 8.7 | 47 |
| Handbags and small leather goods........ | 20.5 | 69 | 18.3 | 69 | 20.3 | 69 |
| Gloves and miscellaneous leather goods.. | 12.1 | 61 | 11.3 | 60 | 13.1 | 61 |

Table A-10: Women employees in manufacturing industries - Continued


Table A-10: Women employees in manufacturing industries - Continued

| Industry group and Industry | September 1953 |  | June 1953 |  | September 1952 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number (in thousands) | Percent of total, employment | Number (in thousands) | Percent of total employment | Number (in thousands | Percent of total employment |
| ELECTRICAL MACHINERY-Continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Electrical equipment for vehicles....... | 29.8 | 34 | 30.5 | 34 | 24.2 | 31 |
| Electric lamps............................. | 19.9 | 71 | 19.4 | 71 | 16. 4 | 70 |
| Communication equipment.................. | 274.6 | 50 | 269.9 | 51 | 244.2 | 50 |
| Miscellaneous electrical products....... | 19.3 | 39 | 18.4 | 39 | 18.1 | 36 |
| TRANSPORTATIOH EQUIPMENT. | 252.6 | 13 | 262.5 | 14 | 221.0 | 13 |
| Automobiles.. | 105.8 | 12 | 117.3 | 12 | 90.2 | 11 |
| Alrcraft and parts............ | 133.4 | 18 | 131.3 | 18 | 117.9 | 18 |
| Ship and boat building and repairing.... | 4.7 | 3 | 5.1 | 3 | 5.0 | 3 |
| Railroad equipment........................ | 6.2 | 8 | 6.5 | 8 | 5.7 | 8 |
| Other transportation equipment........... | 2.5 | 17 | 2.3 | 17 | 2.2 | 16 |
| INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS.......... | 124.5 | 37 | 125.1 | 37 | 114.2 | 36 |
| Laboratory, scientific, and engineering instruments. $\qquad$ | 12.7 | 24 | 12.7 | 24 | 11.6 | 23 |
| Mechanical measuring and controlling instruments.................................... | 28.0 | 35 | 28.7 | 35 | 25.4 | 34 |
| Optical instruments and lenses........... | 4.1 | 33 | 4.0 | 33 | 3.8 | 31 |
| Sursical, medical, and dental instruments | 18.0 | 45 | 18.4 | 45 | 16.7 | 42 |
| Ophthalmic goods........................... | 12.4 | 44 | 12.4 | 44 | 11.6 | 43 |
| Photographic apparatus................... | 22.5 | 32 | 21.7 | 31 | 20.9 | 31. |
| Watches and clocks....................... | 26.8 | 57 | 27.2 | 57 | 24.2 | 57 |
| MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES... | 211.8 | 41 | 203.6 | 41 | 194.9 | 42 |
| Jewelry, silverware, and plated ware.... | 24.2 | 42 | 22.9 | 42 | 22.1 | 42 |
| Musical instruments and parts............ | 3.8 | 21 | 3.8 | 21 | 3.4 | 21 |
| Toys and sporting goods.................. | 42.4 | 46 | 40.2 | 46 | 40.1 | 47 |
| Pens, pencils, and other office supplies | 27.1 | 52 | 16.7 | 52 | 16.5 | 52 |
| Costume jewelry, buttons, notions....... | 38.9 | 55 | 36.7 | 54 | 35.4 | 54 |
| Fabricated plastic products.............. | 28.6 | 37 | 27.7 | 37 | 24.8 | 37 |
| Other manufacturing industries........... | 56.8 | 34 | 55.6 | 34 | 52.6 | 34 |

Table B-1: Monthly labor turnover rates in manufacturing industries, by class of turnover

| Year | (Por 100 omployeos) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Mov. | Dec. |
|  | Total eeparation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939. | 3.2 | 2.6 | 3.1 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 3.5 |
| 1947. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 4.9 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 5.9 | 5.0 | 4.0 | 3.7 |
| 1948. ................ | 4.3 | 4.7 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 5.1 | 5.4 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 4.3 |
| 1949.................. | 4.6 | 4.1 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.2 |
| 1950. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3.1 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 4.2 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 3.6 |
| 1951.................. | 4.1 | 3.8 | 4.1 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 5.3 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 3.5 |
| 1952................... | 4.0 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 4.2 | 3.5 | 3.4 |
| 1953................... | 3.8 | 3.6 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 4.5 | 4.4 |  |
|  | Quit |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939.................. | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.7 |
| 1947. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 3.6 | 2.7 | 2.3 |
| 1948. | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 1.7 |
| 1949. | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 1.5 | 1.2 | . 9 |
| 1950.................. | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 2.9 | 3.4 | 2.7 | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 1951. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 1.4 |
| 1952. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 3.0 | 3.5 | 2.8 | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| 1953................... | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 1.5 |  |
|  | Discharge |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939................... | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 1947................... | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | .4 | .4 | .4 | .4 | .4 | .4 | . 4 | . 4 | .4 |
| 1948................... | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 3 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 3 |
| 1949... . . . . . . . . . . . . | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 | . 3 | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 |
| 1950.................. | . 2 | . 2 | . 2 | .2 | . 3 | .3 | . 3 | . 4 | . 4 | .4 | . 3 | - 3 |
| 1951. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | . 3 | - 3 | . 3 | .4. | . 4 | . 4 | . 3 | .4 | . 3 | .4 | . 3 | . 3 |
| 1952................... | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | -3 | $\cdot 3$ | . 3 | - 3 | .4 | .4 | . 4 | . 3 |
|  | Layoff |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939. | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.7 |
| 1947. | . 9 | . 8 | . 9 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.0 | . 8 | . 9 | . 9 | . 8 | . 9 |
| 1948............... . . . . | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 2.2 |
| 1949. | 2.5 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 2.0 |
| 1950.. | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 1.1 | . 9 | .6 | . 6 | . 7 | . 8 | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| 1951. | 1.0 | . 8 | . 8 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 1.5 |
| 1952.................. | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 2.2 | 1.0 | . 7 | . 7 | . 7 | 1.0 |
| 1953................... | . 9 | . 8 | . 8 | . 9 | 1.0 | . 9 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 2.4 |  |
|  | Miacellangous, including military |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1947................... | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| 1948................... | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 |
| 1949................... | .1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | .1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | .1 | . 1 | .1 | . 1 |
| 1950................... | .1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 1 | . 2 | . 3 | . 4 | . 4 | . 3 | . 3 |
| 1951................... | . 7 | . 6 | . 5 | . 5 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 4 | . 3 |
| 1952.................... | . 4 | . 4 | -3 | . 3 | . 3 | - 3 | - 3 | $\cdot 3$ | . 3 | . 3 | - 3 | . 3 |
| 1953................... | . 4 | . 4 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | .3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 |  |
|  | Total accesaion |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1939................... | 4.1 | 3.1 | 3.3 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 3.9 | 4.2 | 5.1 | 6.2 | 5.9 | 4.1 | 2.8 |
| 1947................... | 6.0 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 5.5 | 4.9 | 5.3 | 5.9 | 5.5 | 4.8 | 3.6 |
| 1948................... | 4.6 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 5.7 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 2.7 |
| 1949.................. | 3.2 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 3.2 |
| 1950.................. | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 6.6 | 5.7 | 5.2 | 4.0 | 3.0 |
| 1951.................. | 5.2 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 4.2 | 4.5 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 3.0 |
| 1952.................. | 4.4 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.9 | 4.4 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 5.2 | 4.0 | 3.3 |
| 1953................. | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 4.1 | 5.1 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 2.7 |  |

## Labor Turnover

## Table B-2: Monthly labor turnover rates in selected groups and industries

(Per 100 employees)

| Industry group and industry | Separation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total accession |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total |  | Quit |  | Discharge |  | Layoff |  | Misc., incl. military |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{c\|} \hline \text { Nov. } \\ 1953 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{l\|} \hline \text { Nov. } \\ \text { 1953 } \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ |
| MANUFACTURING. | 4.4 | 4.5 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 2.7 | 3.3 |
| Durable Goods, | 4.5 | 4.5 | 1.4 | 2.0 | . 3 | . 4 | 2.6 | 1.9 | - 3 | . 3 | 2.8 | 3.3 |
| Nondurable Goods | 4.1 | 4.4 | 1.5 | 2.2 | . 3 | . 3 | 2.2 | 1.8 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.6 | 3.3 |
| ordnance and accessories. | 4.4 | 5.5 | 1.5 | 2.5 | . 5 | . 8 | 2.4 | 2.0 | . 1 | . 2 | 1.4 | 3.1 |
| FOOD AND KIMDRED PRODUCTS | 6.6 | 6.6 | 1.9 | 2.7 | . 4 | $\cdot 5$ | 4.2 | 3.2 | . 2 | . 2 | 4.1 | 5.3 |
| Meat products. | 3.8 | 5.0 | 1.3 | 1.8 | . 5 | . 6 | 1.8 | 2.2 | . 2 | . 3 | 6.8 | 7.0 |
| Grain-mill product | 6.7 | 4.4 | 2.2 | 2.5 | . 2 | . 5 | 4.1 | 1.2 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.9 | 3.0 |
| Bakery products......................... | 5.9 | 5.5 | 2.1 | 3.1 | . 4 | . 7 | 3.3 | 2.5 | .1 | . 1 | 2.1 | 3.7 |
| Beverages: <br> Malt liquors.................................. | 9.3 | 10.7 | . 7 | -9 | . 1 | . 2 | 8.4 | 9.4 | . 1 | .1 | 1.7 | 1.5 |
| tobacco manufactures | 2.1 | 2.9 | 1.3 | 2.0 | . 2 | . 3 | . 5 | . 5 | (1/) | . 1 | 1.9 | 3.2 |
| Cigarettes. | 1.0 | 2.6 | . 8 | 1.3 | . 2 | . 2 | (1/) | . 9 | $\underline{1}$ | . 2 | 1.5 | 2.6 |
| Cigars...... | 2.8 | 3.4 | 1.8 | 2.7 | - 3 | - 3 | . 7 | - 3 | (1/) | - 1 | 2.4 | 4.1 |
| Tobacco and snuf | 2.1 | 1.6 | . 5 | 1.0 | . 1 | . 2 | 1.3 | . 2 | . 1 | . 2 | . 5 | 1.2 |
| TEXTILE-MILL Products. | 4.1 | 4.7 | 1.5 | 2.0 | . 2 | - 3 | 2.2 | 2.2 | . 1 | - 3 | 2.6 | 3.0 |
| Yarn and thread mills | 4.2 | 7.5 | 1.4 | 1.9 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.5 | 5.2 | . 1 | . 2 | 3.0 | 2.7 |
| Broad-woven fatric mills | 4.0 | 4.4 | 1.5 | 2.1 | . 3 | . 3 | 2.0 | 1.8 | . 2 | . 3 | 2.6 | 3.4 |
| Cotton, silk, synthetic | 3.4 | 3.7 | 1.6 | 2.1 | - 3 | - 3 | 1.3 | 1.0 | . 3 | . 3 | 2.6 | 3.3 |
| Woolen and worsted. | 0.2 | 21.9 | 1.0 | 1.5 | . 2 | . 2 | 8.9 | 9.9 | $\cdot 1$ | . 2 | 2.3 | 4.3 |
| Kıitting mills. | 4.8 | 4.1 | 1.8 | 2.4 | $\cdot 2$ | . 2 | 2.8 | 1.4 | . 1 | - 1 | 2.2 | 2.8 |
| Full-fashioned ho | 2.8 | 2.5 | 1.5 | 1.9 | . 1 | . 1 | 1.2 | . 4 | (1/) | . 1 | 2.1 | 2.1 |
| Seamless hosiery. | 5.1 | 4.0 | 1.8 | 2.3 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.9 | 1.3 | ${ }^{\text {c }}$ ? | ${ }^{3}$ | 2.6 | 2.7 |
| Knit underwear. | 5.2 | 5.4 | 2.3 | 3.2 | . 2 | . 1 | 2.7 | 2.0 | (1/) |  | 1.4 | 3.1 |
| Dyeing and finishing textiles. | 2.4 | 3.8 | . 9 | 1.7 | $\cdot 2$ | . 3 | 1.0 | 1.5 | . 2 | $\cdot 3$ | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Carpets, rugs, other floor coverings.. | 2.6 | 3.6 | . 8 | 1.1 | . 1 | . 2 | 1.4 | 2.0 | - 3 | - 3 | 1.8 | 1.8 |
| apparel and other finished textile PRODUCTS | 4.7 | 4.8 | 2.4 | 3.5 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.2 | 1.1 | . 1 | . 1 | 3.0 | 4.3 |
| Men's and boys: sults and coats... | 4.1 | 5.4 | 2.1 | 3.1 | . 1 | . 1 | 1.7 | 2.0 | . | . 1 | 2.6 | 4.1 |
| Men's and boys' furnishings and work clothing. | 4.8 | 4.8 | 2.5 | 3.8 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.1 | . 7 | . 1 | .1 | 3.2 | 4.6 |
| LUMBER AND WODD PRODUCTS (EXCEPT FURNITURE). | 5.6 | 5.3 | 2.0 | 2.8 | . 2 | $\cdot 3$ | 3.3 | 2.0 | .1 | . 2 | 2.9 | 3.5 |
| LO¢̧́ing camps and contracto | 16.5 | 7.2 | 3.5 | 4.3 | . 2 | . 7 | 12.7 | 2.1 | . 1 | (1/) | 3.9 | 7.1 |
| Sawnills and planing mills.. | 4.1 | 4.8 | 1.9 | 2.6 | . 2 | . 3 | 1.9 | 1.7 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.5 | 3.0 |
| Mlllwork, plywood, and prefabricated structural wood products.............. | 4.3 | 5.2 | 1.1 | 2.1 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.7 | 2.7 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.6 | 2.9 |
| FURMITURE AND FIXTURES. | 5.1 | 5.2 | 2.1 | 2.8 | . 4 | . 6 | 2.4 | 1.6 | . 2 | . 2 | 4.6 | 4.2 |
| Household furniture.. | 5.9 | 5.7 | 2.1 | 3.0 | . 5 | . 6 | 3.1 | 2.0 | . 2 | . 2 | 5.1 | 4.2 |
| Other furniture and fixtures. | 3.3 | 3.9 | 2.0 | 2.5 | . 2 | . 6 | . 8 | . 6 | . 2 | $\cdot 3$ | 3.3 | 4.2 |
| Paper and allied products. | 2.8 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 2.1 | . 4 | . 5 | 1.1 | . 8 | . 3 | . 2 | 1.8 | 3.0 |
| Pulp, paper, and paperboard mill | 1.7 | 2.3 | . 8 | 1.3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 3 | . 5 | . 3 | . 2 | 1.7 | 2.0 |
| Paperboard containers and boxes. | 3.6 | 4.8 | 1.7 | 3.4 | . 7 | . 8 | 1.2 | . 5 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.0 | 4.5 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table B-2: Monthly labor turnover rates in selected groups and industries - Continued


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and industries - Continued

| Industry group and industry | Separation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total <br> accession |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total |  | Quit |  | Discharge |  | Layoff |  | Misc., incl. military |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{l\|} \hline \text { Nov. } \\ 1953 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ |
| fabricated metal products (except ordnance, machinery, and TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT)-Continued |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Heating apparatus (except electric) and plumbers' supplies.................. | 6.6 | 6.4 | 2.8 | 2.8 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 3.1 | 2.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 3.6 |
| Sanitary ware and plumbers. supplies...................................... | 4.6 | 5.2 | 1.6 | 2.3 | . 4 | . 5 | 2.5 | 2.2 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.2 | 2.9 |
| ollburners, nonelectric heating and cooking apparatus, not elsewhere classified...................... | 8.1 | 7.4 | 3.6 | 3.2 | . 7 | . 7 | 3.6 | 3.3 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.8 | 4.3 |
| Fabricated structural metal <br> products.................................... | 3.1 | 4.6 | 1.2 | 2.0 | . 4 | . 6 | 1.3 | 1.9 | . 3 | . 1 | 2.1 | 3.9 |
| Metal stamping, coating, and engraving. | 4.4 | 6.9 | 1.6 | 2.0 | . 3 | . 4 | 2.1 | 4.1 | . 4 | . 4 | 3.6 | 5.3 |
| MACHINERY (EXCEPT ELECTRICAL). | 3.0 | 3.5 | 1.0 | 1.5 | . 3 | . 3 | 1.4 | 1.5 | . 2 | . 3 | 2.4 | 2.5 |
| Engines and turbines........... | 4.8 | 4.3 | 1.0 | 1.4 | (2) ${ }^{3}$ | . 5 | 3.5 | 2.2 | (2) | . 2 | 2.9 | 2.7 |
| Agricultural machinery and tractors.. | (2/) | 7.0 | (2/) | 1.1 | (2/) | . 2 | (2/) | 5.4 | (2/) | . 3 | (2/) | 1.9 |
| Construction and mining machinery... | 3.4 | 3.5 | . 9 | 1.5 | . 3 | $\cdot 3$ | 2.1 | 1.7 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.1 | 2.0 |
| Metal working machinery................ | 2.1 | 2.8 | 1.1 | 1.6 | . 2 | . 4 | . 7 | . 7 | . 2 | . 1 | 1.9 | 2.1 |
| Machine tools................... | 1.8 | 2.5 | . 8 | 2.3 | . 2 | . 3 | . 7 | .6 | . 1 | .1 | 1.3 | 1.8 |
| Metalworking machinery (except machine tools).................... | 2.3 | 3.2 | 1.4 | 1.7 | . 2 | - 7 | . 4 | . 7 | . 2 | . 1 | 2.4 | 2.4 |
| Machine-tool accessorles............. | 2.7 | 3.4 | 1.3 | 2.0 | . 3 | . 3 | 1.0 | . 9 | . 1 | . 2 | 2.6 | 2.8 |
| Special-industry machinery (except <br> metalworking machinery)............... | 2.2 | 2.8 | 1.0 | 1.5 | - 3 | . 4 | . 7 | . 8 | $\cdot 1$ | . 2 | 2.0 | 2.5 |
| General industrial machinery.......... | 2.6 | 3.0 | 1.1 | 1.5 | .3 | . 4 | . 9 | . 9 | . 2 | . 2 | 1.9 | 2.6 |
| Office and store machines and devices. | 2.0 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 1.7 | . 2 | . 2 | . 5 | . 5 | .1 | $\cdot 3$ | 2.1 | 3.3 |
| Service-industry and household machines. | (2/) | 3.3 | (2/) | 1.4 | (2/) | $\cdot 3$ | (2/) | 1.3 | (2/) | . 4 | (2/) | 3.1 |
| miscellaneous machinery parts.. | 2.5 | 3.4 | . 9 | 1.4 | . 2 | . 3 | 1.1 | 1.5 | - 3 | . 2 | 1.9 | 2.3 |
| ELECTRICAL MACHINERY................... | 5.8 | 4.3 | 1.8 | 2.2 | . 3 | . 4 | 3.5 | 1.5 | . 2 | . 2 | 2.6 | 2.9 |
| Electrical generating, transmis- <br> sion, distribution, and <br> industrial apparatus.................... | 3.1 | 3.1 | 1.1 | 1.3 | ${ }^{2}$ | . 2 | 1.6 | 1.4 | . 2 | $\cdot 3$ | 2.2 | 1.5 |
| Communication equipment.............. | (2/) | 5.0 | (2/) | 2.8 | (2/) | . 4 | (2/) | 1.5 | (2/) | . 2 | (2/) | 3.7 |
| Radios, phonographs, television sets, and equipment.................... | 9.5 | 5.0 | 2.4 | 2.9 |  | . 6 | 6.5 | 1.3 | ${ }^{2}$ | . 2 | 2.8 | 4.5 |
| Telephone, telegraph, and related equipment. | (2/) | 2.1 | (2/) | 1.7 | (2/) | .1 | (2/) | . 1 | (2/) | . 2 | (2/) | 2.7 |
| Electrical appliances, lamps, and miscellaneous products................ | 5.6 | 5.7 | 1.7 | 2.4 | . 4 | . 6 | 3.2 | 2.4 | . 4 | $\cdot 3$ | 2.9 | 3.2 |
| TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT | 5.9 | $5 \cdot 3$ | 1.4 | 2.1 | - 3 | . 4 | 3.7 | 2.5 | $\cdot 4$ | . 4 | 4.0 | 4.7 |
| Automobiles............. | 7.7 | 5.5 | 1.3 | 1.9 | $\cdot 3$ | $\cdot 3$ | 5.5 | 2.8 | . 7 | $\cdot 5$ | 3.8 | 4.8 |
| A1reraft and parts..................... | 2.6 | 3.6 | 1.6 | 2.2 2.4 | $\stackrel{3}{ }$ | . 4 | . 6 | . 7 | . 2 | . 2 | 3.5 3.9 | 3.6 3.7 |
| A1rcraft............................ | 2.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 3.5 \\ & 3.9 \end{aligned}$ | 1.6 1.6 | 2.4 2.0 | . 3 | . 3 | 1.2 | .7 1.2 | . 2 | . 2 | 3.9 2.5 | 3.7 3.7 |
| Alrcraft englnes and parts.......... Aircraft propellers and parts...... | 3.5 2.4 | 3.9 1.9 | 1.6 1.2 | 2.0 1.4 | . 2 | . 2 | 1.2 .9 | 1.2 | . 1 | . 1 | 2.9 | 3.7 2.6 |
| Alrcraft propellers and parts........ | 4.3 | 4.4 | 1.4 | 2.1 | . 5 | . 4 | 2.4 | 1.7 | . 1 | .2 | 2.8 | 2.6 |

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Table B-2: Monthly labor turnover rates in selected groups
and industries - Continued

| Industry sroup and industry | Separation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Total <br> accession |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total |  | Quit |  | Discharge |  | Layoff |  | Mise., incl. military |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Noт. } \\ 1953 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Nov. } \\ 1953 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | Not. 1953 | oct. <br> 1953 | Nov. <br> 1953 | Oct. <br> 1953 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Mov. } \\ & 1953 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1953 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT-Continued <br> Ship and boat building and repairlng. | 9.6 | 11.2 | 2.0 | 3.2 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 6.7 | 7.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 8.3 | 10.1 |
| Railroad equipment................. | 10.6 | 7.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | . 5 | . 3 | 8.1 | 4.8 | . 7 | . 8 | 4.5 | 3.6 |
| Locomotives and parts. | 7.3 | 8.0 | . 6 | . 9 | . 2 | . 1 | 5.3 | 6.0 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 1.7 |
| Railroad and street cars.. | 22.6 | 6.4 | 1.7 | 1.8 | . 6 | . 6 | 9.8 | 3.4 | . 5 | . 5 | 5.9 | 5.7 |
| Other transportation equipment. | 2.8 | 6.1 | 1.1 | 1.3 | . 2 | . 5 | 1.4 | 4.0 | . 1 | . 4 | . 6 | 1.5 |
| instruments and related products...... | 1.8 | 2.5 | . 9 | 1.6 | . 2 | . 2 | .6 | . 5 | . 3 | . 2 | 1.4 | 2.0 |
| Photographic apparatus.. | 1.3 | 3.6 | . 9 | 3.2 | (1/) | (1/) | . 2 | . 2 | 2 | . 2 | 1.0 | 1.5 |
| Watches and clocks.................. | (2/) | 3.5 | (2/) | 2.1 | (2) | . 3 | (2/) | 1.0 | (2/) | . 2 | (2/) | 2.8 |
| Professional and scientific instruments.................................. | 1.6 | 2.0 | . 6 | 1.0 | . 2 | -3 | . 4 | . 5 | . 2 | . 2 | 1.2 | 1.9 |
| miscellaneous manufacturing I NDUSTRIES. | 5.7 | 5.4 | 2.3 | 3.5 | .4 | . 5 | 2.7 | 1.2 | . 3 | . 3 | 3.4 | 4.9 |
| Jewelry, silverware, and flated ware. | 2.9 | 3.5 | 1.3 | 2.6 | . 3 | . 3 | 1.3 | . 6 | (1/) | . 1 | 2.8 | 3.9 |
| honmanufacturing: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| METAL MINING............................ | (2/) | 4.2 | (2/) | 2.3 | (2/) | . 4 | (2/) | 1.3 | (2/) | . 2 | (2) | 4.3 |
| Iron mininğ.......................... | (2/) | 1.9 | ( $\frac{2}{} /$ ) | . 6 | (2/) | . 2 | (2/) | 1.0 | (2/) | . 3 | (2/) | 1.0 |
| Copper minıņ̧.......................... | (2/) | 3.7 | (2/) | 3.1 | (2/) | . 3 | (2/) | (1/) | (2/) | . 3 | (2/) | 5.4 |
| Lead and zinc mining.................. | (2/) | 7.4 | (2) | 1.4 | (2/) | . 1 | (2/) | 5.8 | (2/) | . 1 | (2/) | 1.9 |
| anthracite mining.. | 1.0 | 1.2 | . 5 | . 7 | (1/) | (1/) | . 2 | . 3 | . 2 | . 1 | 1.7 | 3.2 |
| bituminous-coal mining.. | 1.6 | 2.3 | . 6 | . 7 | (1/) | (1/) | . 9 | 1.4 | . 1 | .1 | . 9 | 1.2 |
| COMMUNICATION: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Telephone...... | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.1 | 1.5 |  |  |  | . 2 |  | .1 | 1.3 | 1.9 |
| Telegraph...3/. | (2/) | 2.1 | (2/) | 1.4 | $(2 /)$ | . 1 | (2/) | . 5 | (2/) | . 2 | (2/) | 1.5 |

1/ Less than 0.05 .
2/ Not available.
basis. Data relate to domestic employees except messengers and those compensated entirely an a comission

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## APPENDIX

## Section A - EMPLOYMENT

## Purpose and Scope of the BLS Employment Statistics Frogram

Employment statistics for nonfarm industries presented in this monthly Report are part of the broad program of the Bureau of Labor Statistics to provide timely, comprehensive, accurate, and detailed information for the use of businessmen, goverrment officials, legislators, lebor unions, research workers, and the general public. Current employment statistics furmish a basic indicator of changes in economic activity in various sectors of the economy and are widely used in following business developments and in making decisions in fields of marketing, personnel, plant location, and goverment policy. The BLS employment statistics program, providing data used in making official indexes of production, productivity and national income, forms an important part of the Federal statistical system.

The BLS publishes monthly the national total of employees in nonagricultural establishments, giving totals by eight major industry divisions: manufacturing; mining; contract construction; transportation and public utilities; wholesale and retail trade; finance, insurance, and real estate; service and miscellaneous; and goverment. Series on "all employees" and "production and related workers" are presented for the durable goods and nondurable goods subdivisions of mamfacturing, 21 major industry groups in manufacturing, 131 manufacturing sub-groups and also for selected mining industries. "All employees" only are published for over 40 industry groups among the nonmanufacturing divisions. Statistics on the number and proportion of women employees in manufacturing industries are published quarterly. In addition, the Bureau of Labor Statistics publishes monthly employment data by industry division for State and local areas, compiled by cooperating State agencies.

Current national, State, and area statistics are published monthly in the Fmployment and Fayrolls Report. Employment data for 13 months are presented in the Current Statistics Section of each issue of the Monthly Labor Review: Each of the series, from the earliest available period to date, may be obtained by writing to the BLS Division of Manpower and Employment Statistics. Such requests should specify the industry series desired. Similar information is available for States and areas. A detailed explanation of the technique of preparing employment statistics will be sent upon request.

## Definition of Employment

BLS employment statistics represent the number of persons employed in establishments in nonagricultural industries in the continental United States during a specified payroll period. Employment data for nongovernmental establishments refer to persons who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period ending nearest the 15 th of the month. Current data for Federal Goverrment establishments generally refer to persons who worked on, or received pay for, the last day of the month; for State and local goverment, persons who received pay for any part of the pay period ending on, or immediately prior to, the last day of the month.

Employed persons include those who are working full- or part-time, on a temporary or permanent basis. Persons on an establishment payroll who are on paid sick-leave, paid holiday or paid vacation, or who work during a part of a specified pay period and are unemployed or on strike during the other part of the period are considered employed. Persons on the payroll of more than one establishment during the pay period are counted each time reported. On the other hand, persons who are laid off or are on leave without pay, who are on strike for the entire pay period, or who are hired but do not report to work during the pay period are not considered employed. Since proprietors, self-employed persons, and unpaid family workers do not have the status of "employee," they are not covered by BLS reports. Fersons working as farm workers or as damestic workers in households are not within the scope of data for nonagricultural establishments. Government employment statistics refer to civilian employees only and hence exclude members of the Armed Forces.

Beginning with January 1952, the data for Federal employment are not strictly comparable with those for prior years, primarily as a result of changes in definition. The following changes were made starting with that month: (1) data refer to the last day of the month rather than the first of the month; (2) employment of the Federal Reserve Banks and of the mixed ownership banks of the Farm Credit Administration transferred from the Federal total and the Executive Branch to the "Banks and Trust Companies" group of the "Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate" division; (3) fourth-class postmasters formerly included only in the table showing Federal civilian employment, now included in all tables showing goverrment series except for States and areas; (4) employment in the General Accounting Office and Goverment Printing Office excluded fram the Executive Branch and included in the Legislative Branch; (5) the "Defense agencies" category replaced by one showing employment in the Department of Defense only.

## Collection of Establishment Reports

The BLS, with the cooperation of State agencies, collects current employment information for most industries by means of "shuttle" schedules (BLS 790 Forms) mailed monthly to individual establishments. State agencies mail most of the forms and when returned, examine them for consistency, accuracy, and completeness. States use the information to prepare State and area series and send the schedules to the BLS Division of Manpower and

Employment Statistics for use in preparing the national series. Each questionnaire provides a line for the State agency to enter data for December of the previous year, as well as lines for the cooperating establishment to report for each month of the current calendar year. The December data, copied from the completed previous year's fom, give the reporter a means for comparison when reporting for January as an aid to collection of consistent data. The same form is returned each month to the reporting establishment to be completed. Definitions of terms are described in detail in the instructions on each form. This "shuttle" schedule, which has been used by BLS for more than 20 years, is designed to assist firms to report consistently, accurately, and with a minimum of cost.

An establishment is defined as a single physical location, such as a factory, mine, or store where business is conducted. In the case of a company with several plants or establishments, the BLS endeavors to obtain separate reports from each business unit which maintains separate payroll records, since each may be classified in a different industry.

## Coverage of Establishment Reports

The Bureau of Labor Statistics obtains monthly reports from approximately 155,000 establishments, distributed by industry as shown by the following table. The table also shows the approximate proportion of total employment in each industry division covered by the group of establishments furnishing monthly employment data. The coverage for individual industries within the divisions may vary from the proportions shown.

Approximate size and coverage of monthly sample
used in BLS employment and payroll statistics

| Division or industry | Numberofestablishments | Enployees |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number in } \\ & \text { sample } \end{aligned}$ | Percent of total |
| Mining. | 3,300 | 440,000 | 50 |
| Contract construction................... | 19,700 | 783,000 | 28 |
| Manufacturing............................... | 44,100 | 11,207,000 | 68 |
| Transportation and public utilities: |  |  |  |
| Interstate railroads (ICC)........... | --- | 1,357,000 | 96 |
| Other transportation and public utilities (BLS). | 13,600 | 1,430,000 | 51 |
| Wholesale and retail trade............... | 60,300 | 1,889,000 | 19 |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate.... | 10,600 | 486,000 | 25 |
| Service and miscellaneous: |  |  |  |
| Hotels and lodging places.............. | 1,300 | 145,000 | 31 |
| Personal services: <br> Laundries and cleaning and dyeing <br> plants........................................ | 2,300 | 99,000 | 19 |
| Government: |  |  |  |
| Federal (Civil Service Commission).... | --- | 2,368,000 | 100 |
| State and local (Bureau of the Censusquarterly) | -- | 2,760,000 | 67 |

## Classification of Establishment Reports

To present meaningful tabulations of employment data, establishments are classified into industries on the basis of the principal product or activity determined from information on annual sales volume for a recent year. In the case of an establishment making more than one product, the entire employment of the plant is included under the industry indicated by the most important product. The titles and descriptions of industries presented in the 1945 Standard Industrial Classification Manual, Vol. I (U. S. Bureau of the Budget, Washington, n. C.) are used for classifying reports from manufacturing establishments; the 1942 Industrial Classification Code, (U. S. Social Security Board) for reports from nonmanufacturing establishments.

## Benchmark Data

Basic sources of benchmark information are periodic tabulations of employment data, by industry, compiled by State agencies fram reports of establishments covered uncier State unemployment insurance laws. Supplementary tabulations prepared by the U. S. Aureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance are used for the group of establishments exempt from State unemployment insurance laws because of their small size. For industries not covered by either of the two programs, benchmarks are compiled from special establishment censuses: for example, for interstate railroads, from establishment data reported to the ICC; for State and local government, fron data reported to the Bureau of the Census; for the Federal government, from agency data compiled by the Civil Service Conmission. Establishments are classified into the same industrial groupings for benchmark purposes as they are for monthly reporting.

## Estimating Method

The estimating procedure for industries for which data on both "all employees" and "production and related workers" are published (i.e. manufacturing and selected mining industries) is outlined below; the first step of this method is also used for industries for which only figures on "all employees" are published.

The first step is to compute total employment (all employees) in the industry for the month following the benchmark period. The all-employee total for the benchmark period (March) is multiplied by the percent change over the month of total employment in a group of establishments reporting for both March and April. Thus, if firms in the BLS sample report 30,000 employees in March and 31,200 in April, the percentage increase would be 4 percent ( 1,200 divided by 30,000 ). If the all-employee benchmark in March is 40,000, the all-employee total in April would be 104 percent of 40,000 or 42,600.

The second step is to compute the production-worker total for the industry in the month following the benchnark period. The all-employee total for the month is multiplied by the ratio of production workers to all employees. This ratio is computed fran those establishment reports which

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show data for both items. Thus, if these firms in April report 24,400 production workers and a total of 30,500 employees, the ratio of production workers to all employees would be . 80 (24,400 divided by 30,500). The production-worker total in April would be 33,280 ( 41,600 multiplied by .80 ).

Figures for subsequent months are computed by carrying forward the totals for the previous month according to the method described above. When annual benchmark data become available, the BLS employment figures for the benchmark period are compared with the total count. If differences are found the BLS series are adjusted to agree with the benchmark count.

## Comparability with Other Employment Estimates

Data published by other goverrment and private agencies differ from BLS employment statistics because of differences in definition, sources of information, and methods of collection, classification, and estimation. BLS monthly figures are not comparable, for example, with the estimates of the Bureau of the Census Monthly Report on the Labor Force. Census data are obtained by personal interviews with individual members of a sample of households and are designed to provide information on the work status of the whole population, classified into broad social and economic groups. The BLS, on the other hand, obtains by mail questionnaire data on employees, based on payroll records of business units, and prepares detailed statistics on the industrial and geographic distribution of employment and on hours of work and earnings.

Since BLS employment figures are based on establishment payroll records, persons who worked in more than one establishment during the reporting period will be counted more than once in the BLS series. By definition, proprietors, self-employed persons, domestic servants, and unpaid family workers are excluded from the BLS but not the MRLF series. The two series also differ in date of reference, BLS collecting data for the pay period ending nearest the 15 th of the month (except for govermment), while the MRLF relates to the calendar week containing the 8 th day of the month.

Employment estimates derived by the Bureau of the Census from its quinquennial census and annual sample surveys of manufacturing establishments also differ from BLS employment statistics. Among the important reasons for disagreement are differences in industries covered, in the business units considered parts of an establishment, and in the industrial classification of establishments.

## Employment Statistics for States and Areas

State and area employment statistics are collected and prepared by State agencies in cooperation with the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The names and addresses of these agencies are listed on the last page of the Report. State agencies use the same basic schedule as the Bureau of Labor Statistics in collecting employment statistics. State series are adjusted
to benchmark data from State unemployment insurance agencies and the Bureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance. Because some States have more recent benchmarks than others and use slightly varying methods of computation, the sum of the $S$ t,ate figures differs from the official $U$. S. totals prepared by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. State and area data in greater industry detail and for earlier periods may be secured directly upon request to the appropriate State agency or to the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

## Section B - LABOR TURN-OVER

## Definition of Labor Turnover

"Labor turnover," as used in this series, refers to the gross movement of wage and salary workers into and out of employment status with respect to individual firms. This movement is subdivided into two broad types: accessions (new hires and rehires) and separations (terminations of employment initiated by either the employer or the employee). Each type of action is cumulated for a calendar month and expressed as a rate per 100 employees. Rates of accession and separation are shown separately.

Both the types of movement and the employment used as the base for computing labor turnover rates relate to all employees, including executive, office, sales, and other salaried personnel as well as production workers. All groups of employees - full- and part-time, permanent and temporary - are included. Transfers from one establishment to another within a company are not considered to be turnover items.

A relatively large percent of all personnel turnover is often confined to particular groups of employees, such as new workers, trainees, extra, part-time, and temporary workers. Turnover rates (especially for periode longer than a month) should not be interpreted as the exact proportion of the total number of persons employed at any point in time who change jobs during a subsequent time interval. For example, a quit rate of 25 per 100 for an annual period (computed by adding the 12 monthly rates) does not mean that 25 percent of all the persons employed at the beginning of a year left their jobs by the end of the year.

The terms used in labor turnover statistics are defined below:
Separations are terminations of employment during the calendar month and are classified according to cause: quits, discharges, layoffs, and miscellaneous separations (including military), as defined below.

Quits are termimations of employment during the calendar month initiated by employees for such reasons as: acceptance of a job in another company, dissatisfaction, return to school, marriage, maternity, ill health, or voluntary retirement where no company pension is provided. Pailure to report after being hired and unauthorized absences of more than seven consecutive calendar days are also classified as quits. Prior to 1940, miscellaneous separations vere also included in this category.

Discharges are terminations of employment during the calendar month initiated by the employer for such reasons as employees' incompetence, violation of rules, dishonesty, insubordination, laziness, habitual absenteeism, or inability to meet physical standards.

Layoffs are terminations of employment during the calendar month lasting or expected to last more than seven consecutive calendar days without pay, initiated by the employer without prejudice to the worker, for such
reasons as lack of orders or materials, release of temporary help, conversion of plant, introduction of labor-saving machinery or processes, or suspensions of operations without pay during inventory periods.

Miscellaneous separations (including military) are terpinations of employment during the calemdar month because of permanent disability, death, retirement on company pension, and entrance into the Armed Forces expected to last more than thirty consecutive calendar days. Prior to 1940, miscellameous separations vere included with quits. Beginming September 1940, military separations were included here.

Persons on leave of absence (paid or unpaid) with the approval of the emplojer are not counted as separations until such time as it is defimitely determined that such persons vill not return to work. At that tine, a separation is reported as one of the above types, depending on the circusstances.

Accessions are the total number of permanent and temporary additions to the employment roll during the calendar month, including both new and rehired employees. Persons returing to work after a layoff, military separation, or other absences who have been counted as separations are considered accessions.

## Source of Data and Sample Coverage

Labor turnover data are obtained each month from a sample of establishments by neans of a mail questionnaire. Schedules are received from approximately 7,100 cooperating establishments in the manufacturing, mining, and communication industries (see below). The definition of manufacturing used in the turnover series is more restricted tham in the BLG series on employment, hours, and earnings because of the exclusion of certain manufacturing industries fron the labor turmover sample. The major industries excluded are: printing, publishing, and allied industries (since April 1943); canning and preserving fruits, vegetables, and sea foods; women's and misses' outerwear; and fertilizer.

Approximate coverage of BLS labor turnover sample

| Group and industry | Mumberofestablishments | Employees |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number in } \\ & \text { sample } \end{aligned}$ | Percent of total |
| Manufacturing | 6,600 | 4,800,000 | 34 |
| Durable goods | 4,000 | 3,400,000 | 38 |
| Nondurable goods | 2,600 | 1,400,000 | 27 |
| Metal mining | 130 | 63,000 | 60 |
| Coal mining: |  |  |  |
| Anthracite | 40 | 30,000 | 45 |
| Bituminous ........................ | 275 | 120,000 | 33 |
| Communication: |  |  |  |
| Telephone ......................... | (1/) | 582,000 | 89 |
| Telegraph . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | (1/) | 28,000 | 60 |

1/ Data are not available.
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## Method of Computation

To compute turnover rates for individual industries, the total _umber of each type of action (accessions, quits, etc.) reported for a calendar month by the sample establishments in each industry is divided by the total number of employees (both wage and salary workers) reported by these establishments who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period ending nearest the 15 th of that month. To obtain the rate, the result is multiplied by 100.

For example, in an industry sample, the total number of employees who worked during, or received pay for, the week of January $12-18$ was reported as 25,498. During the period January 1-31 a total of 284 employees in all reporting firms quit. The quit rate for the industry is:

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\frac{284}{25,498} \times 100=1.1
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To compute turnover rates for industry groups, the rates for the component industries are weighted by the estimated employment. Rates for the Jurable and nondurable goods subdivisions and manufacturing division are computed by weighting the rates of major industry groups by the estimated employment.

## Industry Classification

Beginning with final data for December 1949, manufacturing establishments reporting labor turnover are classified in accordance with the Standard Industrial Classification (1945) code structure. Definitions of nonmanufacturing industries are based on the Social Seciricy Board Classification Code (1942).

The durable goods subdivision of manufacturing includes the following major groups: ordnance and accessories; lumber and wood products (except furniture); furniture and fixtures; stone, clay, and glass products; primary metal industries; fabricated metal products (except ordnance, machinery, and transportation equipment); machinery (except electrical); electrical machinery; transportation equipment; instruments and relatcd products; and miscellaneous manufacturing industries. The nondurable goods subdivision includes the following major groups: feod and kindred products; tobacco manufactures; textile-mill products; apparel and other finished textile products; paper and allied products; chemicals and allied products; products of petroleuia and coal; rubber products; and leather and leather products.

## Comparability With Earlier Data

Labor turnover rates are available on a comparable basis from January 1930 for manufacturing as a whole and from 1943 for two coal mining and two communication industries. Because of a major revision, labor turnover rates for many individual industries and induatry groups for the period prior to December 1949 are not comparable with the rates for the subsequent period.

The revision of the turnover series involved (1) the adoption of the Standard Industrial Classification (1945) code structure for the manufacturing industries, providing new industry definitions and groupings (the industry definitions of the Social Security Board Classification Code (1942) were used in the series beginning in 1943 and of the Census of Manufactures in series prior to 1943), and (2) the introduction of veighting (according to employment in the component industries) in the computation of industrygroup rates. In the Bureau's previous series, industry-group rates were computed directly from the sample of reporting establishments without regard to the relative veight of the component industries.

## Comparability With Employment Series

Month-to-month changes in total employment in manufacturing industries reflected by labor turmover rates are not comparable with the changes shown in the Bureau's employment series for the following reasons:
(1) Accessions and separations are computed for the entire calendar-month; the employment reports, for the most part, refer to a l-week pay period ending nearest the 15 th of the month.
(2) The turnover sample is not as large as the employment sample and includes proportionately fever small plants; certain industries are not covered (see paragraph on source of data and sample coverage).
(3) Plants are not included in the turnover computations in months when work stoppages are in progress; the influence of such stoppages is reflected, however, in the employment figures.

## Publications

Additional information on concepts, methodology, etc., is given in a "Technical Note on Neasurement of Labor Turnover," which is available upon request. This note appeared in the Nay 1953 Monthiy Labor Review (pp. 519-522). Summary tables showing monthly labor turnover rates in each of the selected industry groups and industries for earlier years are available upon request. Such requests should specify the industry series desired.

## GLOSSARY

ALL EMPLOYEES - Includes production and related workers as defined below and workers engaged in the following activities: executive, purchasing, finance, accounting, legal, personnel (including cafeterias, medical, etc.), professional and technical activities, sales, sales-delivery, advertising, credit collection, and in installation and servicing of own products, routine office functions, factory supervision (above the working foreman level). Also includes employees on the establishment payroll engaged in new construction and major additions or alterations to the plant who are utilized as a separate work force (force-account construction workers). Proprietors, self-employed persons, domestic servants, unpaid family workers, and members of the Armed Forces are excluded.

CONTRACT CONSTHUCTION - Covers only firms engaged in the construction business on a contract basis for others. Force-account construction workers, i.e., hired directly by and on the payroll of Federal, State, and local government, public utilities, and private establishments, are excluded from contract construction and included in the employment for such establishments.

DURABLE GOODS - The durable goods subdivision includes the following major industry groups: ordnance and accessories; lumber and wood products (except furniture); furniture and fixtures; stone, clay, and glass products; primary metal industries; fabricated metal products (except ordnance, machinery, and transportation equipment); machinery (except electrical); electrical machinery; transportation equipment; instruments and related products; and miscellaneous manufacturing industries.

FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE - Covers establishments operating in the fields of finance, insurance, and real estate, and beginning January 1952, also includes the Federal Reserve Ranks and the mixed-ownership banks of the Farm Credit Administration for national estimates. However, in State and area estimates the latter two agencies will be included under Government until revisions are made in series prepared by cooperating State agencies.

GOVERNMENT - Covers Federal, State, and local goverrment establishments performing legislative, executive, and judicial functions, including Government corporations, Govermment force-account construction, and such units as arsenals, navy yards, and hospitals. Fourth-class postmasters are included in the national series, but will be excluded from State and area estimates pending revisions in series prepared by cooperating State agencies. State and local government employment excludes, as nominal employees, paid volunteer firemen and elected officials of small local units.

MANUFACTURING - Covers only private establishments. Government manufacturing operations such as arsenals and navy yards are excluded from manufacturing and included under Government.

MINING - Covers establishments engaged in the extraction from the earth of organic and inorganic minerals which occur in nature as solids, liquids, or gases; includes various contract services required in mining operations, such as removal of overburden, tunneling and shafting, and the drilling or acidizing of oil wells; also includes ore dressing, beneficiating, and concentration.

NONDURABLE GOODS - The nondurable goods subdivision includes the following major industry groups: food and kindred products; tobacco manufactures; textile-mill products: apperel and other finished textile products; paper and allied products; printing, publishing, and allied industries; chemicals and allied proaucts; products of petroleum and coal; rubber products; and leather and leather products. Labor turnover data exclude printing, publishing, and allied industries.

PAYROLL - Private payroll represent weekly payroll of both full- and parttime production and related workers who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period ending nearest the 15 th of the month, before deduction for old-age and unemployment insurance, group insurance, withholding tax, bonds, and union dues; also, includes pay for sick leave, holidays, and vacations taken. Excludes cash payments for vacations not taken, retroactive pay not earned during period reported, value of payments in kind, and bonuses, unless earned and paid regularly each pay poriod. The index in table A-4 represents production-worker average weekly payroll expressed as a percentage of average weekly payroll for the $1947-49$ period. Aggregate weekly payroll for all manufacturing is derived by multiplying gross average weekly earnings by production-worker employment.

PRODUCTION AND RELATED WORKERS - IncludAs working foremen and all nonsupervisory workers (including lead men and trainees) engaged in fabricating, processing, assembling, inspection, receiving, storage, handling, packing, warehousing, shipping, maintenance, repair, janitorial, watchman services, products development, auxiliary production for plant's own use (e.g., power plant), and record-keeping and other services closely associated with the above production operations. The index in table A-4 represents the number of production and related workers in manufacturing expressed as a percentage of average monthly production-worker employment in the 1947-49 period.

SERVICE AND MISCELLANEOUS - Covers establishments primarily engaged in rendering services to individuals and business firms, including automotive repair services. Excludes domestic service workers. Nongovernment schools, hospitals, museums, etc. are included under service and miscellaneous; similar Government establishments are included under Government.

TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILTTIES - Covers only private establishments engaged in providing all types of transportation and, related services; telephone, telegraph, and other communication services; or providing electricity, gas, steam, water, or sanitary service. Similar Government establishments are included under Government.

WHOIESALE AND RETAIL TRADE - Covers establishments engaged in wholesale trade, i.e., selling merchandise to retailers, and in retail trade, i.e., selling merchandise for personal or household consumption, and rendering services incidental to the sales of goode. Similar Government establishments are included under Government.

## LIST OF COOPERATING STATE AGENCIES

| al abama | - Department of Industrial Relations, Montgomery 5. |
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| ARI ZONA | - Unemployment Compensation Division, Employment Security Commission, Phoenix. |
| ARKAMSAS | - Employment Security Division, Department of Labor, Little Rock. |
| CALIFORMI A | - Division of Labor Statistics and Research, Department of Industrial Relations, San Francisco 1. |
| COLORADO | - U. S. Bureau of Labor statistics, Denver 2. |
| COWHECTI CUT | - Employment Security Division, Department of Labor, Hartford 15. |
| dELAWARE | - Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Philadelphia 1, Pennsylvania. |
| DISTRICT OF |  |
| COLDABIA | - U. S. Employment Service for D. C., Washington 25. |
| FLORIDA | - Industrial Commission, Tallahassee. |
| GEORGIA | - Employment Security Agency, Department of Labor, Atlanta 3. |
| IDAHO | - Employment Security Agency, Boise. |
| ILLIMOIS | - lllinois State Employment Service and Division of Unemployment Compensation, Chicago 54. |
| IMDIAMA | - Employment Security Division, Indianapolis 9. |
| IOWA | - Employment Security Commission. Des Moines 8. |
| KAMSAS | - Employment Security Division. State Labor Department, Topeka. |
| KEMTUCKY | - Bureau of Employment Security, Department of Economic Security, Frankfort. |
| LOUISIAMA | - Division of Employment Security, Departmént of Labor, Baton Rouge 4. |
| MAIME | - Employment Security Commission, Augusta. |
| MARYLAMD | - Department of Employment Security, Baltimore 1. |
| MASSACHUSETTS | - Division of Statistics, Department of Labor and Industries, Boston 8. |
| MICHIGAM | - Employment Security Commission. Detroit?. |
| MIMEESOTA | - Department ot Employment Securioy. St. Paul 1. |
| MISSISSIPPI | - Employment security Commission, Jackson. |
| MISSOURI | - Division of Employment Security, Jefferson City. |
| MONTAMA | - Unemployment Compensation Commission, Helena. |
| mebraska | - Division of Employment Security, Department of Labor, Lincoln 1. |
| nevada | - Employment Security Department, Carson City. |
| MEH HAMPSHIRE | - Division of Employment Security, Department of Labor, Concord. |
| WEW JERSEY | - Department of Labor and Industry, Trenton 8. |
| MEH MEXICO | - Employment Security Commission, Albuquerque. |
| WEW YORK | - Bureau of Research and Statistics, Dlvision of Employment, New York Department of Labor, 1440 Broadway, New York 18. |
| MORTH CAROLIMA | - Department of Labor, Raleigh. |
| MORTH DAKOTA | - Unemployment Compensation Division, Bismarck. |
| OHIO | - Bureau of Unemployment Compensation. Columbus 16. |
| ORLAHOMA | - Employment security Commission, Okl ahoma City 2. |
| OREGOM | - Unemployment Compensation Commission, Salem. |
| PENMSYLYAIIA | - Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelpinia, Philadelphia 1 (mfg.); Bureau of Research and Information. Department of Labor and Industry, Harrisburg (nonmfg.). |
| RHODE ISLAND | - Department of Labor, Providence 3. |
| SOUTH CAROLIMA | - Employment security Commission, columbia 1. |
| SOUTH DAKOTA | - Employment Security Department, Aberdeen. |
| TEMMESSEE | - Department of Employment Security, Nashyille 3. |
| TEXAS | - Employment Commission, Austin 19. |
| UTAH | - Department of Employment Security, Industrial Commission, Salu Lake city 13. |
| VERHOMT | - Unemployment Compensation Commission, Montpelier. |
| VIRGIMIA | - Division of Research and Statistics, Department of Labor and Industry, Richmonc 4. |
| WASH IMGTOM | - Employment Security Department, Dlympia. |
| WEST VIREIMIA | - Department of Employment Security, Charleston 5. |
| WI SCOHSIM | - Industrial Commission, Madison 3. |
| WYOM ING | - Employment Security Commission, Casper. |

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OCCUPATIONAL OUTLOOK BULLETINS: Describe employment outlook in major occupations or industries, and give information on earnings, working conditions, promotional opportunities, and the training required. Most bulletins are illustrated with charts and photographs. Write to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor, Washington 25, D. C., for catalogue.


[^0]:    See footnotes at end of table.

