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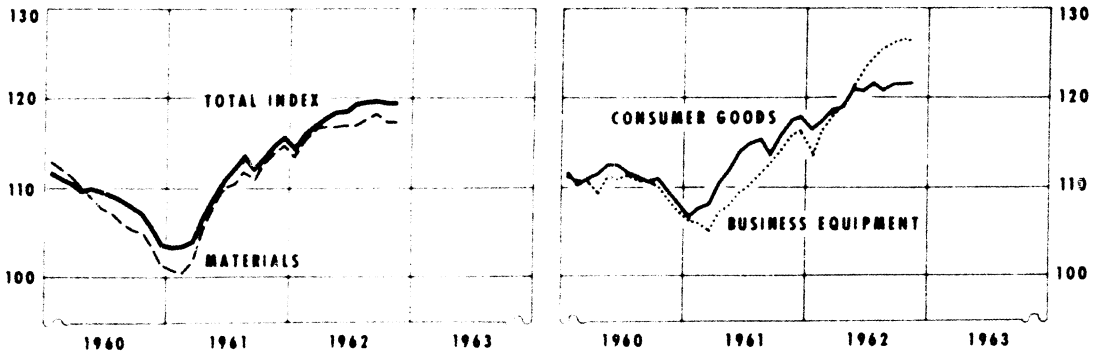
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## BUSINESS INDEXES 1957-59 average = 100

### INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Seasonally adjusted



Series	Seasonally Adjusted				Unadjusted			
	1962			1961	1962			1961
	pNov.	Oct.	Sept.	Nov.	pNov.	Oct.	Sept.	Nov.
Industrial production, total	120	120	120	115	120	123	122	116.
Market groupings:								
Final products	122	122	122	116	122	126	125	117
Consumer goods	122	122	122	118	123	128	126	119
Business equipment	126	127	126	116	123	125	125	114
Materials	117	117	118	114	118	120	120	115
Industry groupings:								
Manufacturing	120	120	121	115	121	124	123	116
Durable goods	119	119	120	113	120	122	121	115
Nondurable goods	121	121	121	118	122	127	126	118
Mining	106	107	106	105	106	108	107	105
Utilities	134	134	132	127	--	--	--	--
Employment and payrolls:								
Nonagricultural, total	105.7	105.8	105.7	103.7	106.9	107.1	107.0	104.9
Manufacturing, prod. workers								
Employment	98.0	98.6	98.8	97.1	99.6	100.6	101.2	98.6
Payrolls*	113.2	113.2	115.2	110.3	115.2	115.7	117.4	112.3
Department store sales*	e116	110	117	112	e139	113	117	134
Freight carloadings	94.1	90.3	90.0	95.3	95.3	101.7	94.1	96.1

\*Value data

p--Preliminary

e--Estimated

## INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	1957-59 = 100													
	MARKET GROUPINGS	1957-59	1961					1962					PROV.	
		PRO- POR- TION	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.		SEPT.
TOTAL INDEX.....	100.00	114.8	115.6	114.3	116.0	117.0	117.7	118.4	118.8	119.3	119.7	119.9	119.5	119.5
FINAL PRODUCTS, TOTAL.....	47.35	116.4	116.9	115.7	116.8	118.2	118.5	120.2	120.6	121.7	121.6	122.0	122.7	122.1
CONSUMER GOODS.....	32.31	117.5	117.9	116.5	117.3	118.8	119.1	121.1	120.9	121.7	120.9	121.6	121.6	121.7
EQUIPMENT, INCL DEFENSE.....	15.04	114.1	114.9	112.7	115.0	116.1	117.0	118.5	120.1	121.8	123.2	123.6	124.2	124.0
MATERIALS.....	52.65	113.9	114.8	113.7	115.5	116.9	117.1	117.0	117.1	117.0	117.7	118.0	117.2	117.2
<u>CONSUMER GOODS</u>														
AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS.....	3.21	127.3	130.8	127.8	123.7	122.6	129.4	132.8	126.8	135.2	134.1	135.2	135.4	136
AUTOS.....	1.82	131.5	136.1	132.8	125.5	123.8	133.9	140.8	129.3	142.4	140.0	141.2	142.1	141
AUTO PARTS & ALLIED PRODUCTS.....	1.39	121.6	123.7	121.1	121.4	121.5	123.5	122.3	123.6	125.7	126.3	127.4	126.6	
HOME GOODS AND APPAREL.....	10.00	115.7	117.2	114.1	116.5	119.0	120.1	121.2	121.7	120.1	118.7	120.0	119.9	120
HOME GOODS.....	4.59	117.9	120.3	115.8	120.4	122.6	124.4	126.0	126.2	122.7	121.2	122.2	121.1	
APPLIANCES, TV & RADIOS.....	1.81	115.7	116.3	115.0	116.0	120.3	123.8	124.2	123.3	118.5	115.2	115.8	116.7	
APPLIANCES.....	1.33	118.4	119.0	115.4	114.9	117.7	120.1	120.7	122.9	120.9	119.3	120.7	125.0	
TV AND HOME RADIOS.....	.47	107.4	108.5	110.1	118.8	127.5	134.2	133.9	124.7	112.0	103.7	102.1	93.3	91
FURNITURE AND RUGS.....	1.26	120.7	120.1	118.5	121.0	121.5	123.8	124.5	124.5	124.3	125.4	127.9	126.2	
MISC. HOME GOODS.....	1.52	118.3	125.2	124.8	125.1	126.3	125.6	129.5	129.3	126.2	123.4	125.2	122.2	
APPAREL, KNIT GOODS & SHOES.....	5.41	113.9	114.6	110.2	113.2	116.0	116.5	117.1	118.0	118.0	116.5	118.1		
CONSUMER STAPLES.....	19.10	116.8	116.1	115.8	116.6	118.0	117.1	118.8	119.2	120.3	119.7	120.2	120.1	120
PROCESSED FOODS.....	8.43	112.7	111.6	111.3	111.5	113.2	113.6	114.3	112.8	115.9	115.6	115.6		
BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO.....	2.43	112.1	110.7	108.4	109.9	113.7	106.9	109.1	109.0	110.9	108.0	110.7		
DRUGS, SOAP, AND TOILETRIES.....	2.97	125.2	125.2	123.6	126.6	127.5	125.8	129.9	131.9	131.5	131.0	132.0	130.9	
NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, BOOKS.....	1.47	115.9	115.2	116.2	116.9	116.6	115.7	117.4	117.7	117.7	117.0	117.0	116.6	
CONSUMER FUEL AND LIGHTING.....	3.67	122.5	122.7	124.2	124.3	124.8	125.1	126.9	130.7	128.3	127.0	128.5		
FUEL OIL AND GASOLINE.....	1.20	110.7	110.0	116.1	111.1	111.3	110.4	112.3	115.0	111.7	108.4	114.0	113.1	
RESIDENTIAL UTILITIES.....	2.46	128.3	128.9	131.1	130.8	131.5	132.3	134.0	134.4	136.4	136.0	135.6		
ELECTRICITY.....	1.72	128.9	129.3	131.7	131.1	131.3	131.6	133.6	139.5	141.4	140.4	139.3		
<u>EQUIPMENT</u>														
BUSINESS EQUIPMENT.....	11.63	115.8	116.4	113.4	116.3	118.0	119.3	121.2	123.1	124.4	125.6	126.2	126.7	126
INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT.....	6.85	111.8	113.4	112.2	113.4	114.2	115.1	116.7	118.5	119.0	119.2	118.9	120.1	
COMMERCIAL EQUIPMENT.....	2.42	133.7	135.2	136.3	139.3	141.7	144.0	144.4	144.8	145.6	144.7	144.9	144.3	
FREIGHT AND PASSENGER EQUIP.....	1.76	113.7	113.8	107.0	109.0	111.6	109.7	111.2	114.9	121.0	124.2	122.6	128.0	
FARM EQUIPMENT.....	.61	91.3	90.3	87.8	94.3	99.9	102.6	103.6	110.4	110.4	110.8	123.4	112.6	
<u>MATERIALS</u>														
DURABLE GOODS MATERIALS.....	26.73	110.9	111.8	110.8	113.1	115.1	116.2	114.6	113.7	113.8	114.8	114.8	114.3	114
CONSUMER DURABLE.....	3.43	114.0	120.3	120.5	117.2	124.1	134.7	134.5	127.0	134.2	130.6	132.4	126.4	
EQUIPMENT.....	7.84	111.7	113.4	115.1	114.5	116.9	120.3	119.5	120.8	119.3	119.2	121.3	121.0	
CONSTRUCTION.....	9.17	107.5	106.5	103.0	107.3	109.9	110.7	111.4	111.8	112.1	112.6	113.2	111.2	
METAL MATERIALS NEC.....	6.29	108.5	114.3	116.9	120.1	118.1	114.6	104.5	99.4	96.4	98.5	99.9	99.2	
NONDURABLE MATERIALS.....	25.92	116.9	118.0	116.6	117.8	118.6	117.9	119.3	120.5	120.3	120.7	121.4	120.2	120
BUSINESS SUPPLIES.....	9.11	114.2	114.9	113.1	115.0	115.8	114.1	116.1	116.9	116.1	116.5	118.1	115.9	
CONTAINERS.....	3.03	117.2	117.1	114.1	116.7	119.7	113.1	115.9	117.5	117.2	116.4	118.6	115.2	
GENERAL BUSINESS SUPPLIES.....	6.07	112.7	113.8	112.6	114.2	113.7	114.6	116.2	116.6	115.5	116.6	117.9	116.3	
NONDURABLE MATERIALS NEC.....	7.40	128.8	132.0	128.8	130.4	132.5	131.3	133.9	135.9	135.3	135.5	136.7	135.5	
BUSINESS FUEL AND POWER.....	9.41	110.1	109.9	110.5	110.5	110.2	110.9	110.9	111.8	112.6	112.0	112.4	112.4	112
MINERAL FUELS.....	6.07	104.1	103.4	103.7	103.2	103.2	104.6	103.6	104.5	106.1	105.5	106.5	106.2	106
NONRESIDENTIAL UTILITIES.....	2.86	125.4	126.0	127.5	128.0	128.0	127.7	130.2	131.4	130.9	129.1	129.5		
ELECTRICITY.....	2.32	126.2	127.0	126.4	128.5	128.2	127.6	130.4	131.9	132.4	130.1	130.4		
GENERAL INDUSTRIAL.....	1.03	118.8	119.9	121.9	122.4	121.3	122.7	121.6	122.6	124.1	122.0	122.7		
COMMERCIAL AND OTHER.....	1.21	134.7	135.2	136.4	136.1	136.4	134.1	140.5	142.4	142.0	139.5	139.5		
<u>SUPPLEMENTARY GROUPS OF CONSUMER GOODS</u>														
AUTOMOTIVE AND HOME GOODS.....	7.80	121.8	124.6	122.6	121.8	122.7	126.5	128.9	126.5	127.9	126.3	127.7	127.1	127
APPAREL AND STAPLES.....	24.51	116.1	115.8	114.6	115.9	117.6	117.0	118.4	118.9	119.8	118.7	119.7	119.9	120



## INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

1957-59 = 100

MARKET GROUPINGS	YEAR	1961			1962				JULY	AUG.	SEPT.	OCT.	pNOV.	
	1961	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	APR.	MAY						JUNE
TOTAL INDEX.....	109.8	115.8	114.0	113.1	116.4	118.1	118.3	118.2	119.9	119.9	117.7	122.2	123.0	120.2
FINAL PRODUCTS, TOTAL.....	111.3	117.0	115.7	113.8	116.7	118.6	118.6	118.5	121.3	117.5	119.4	125.0	126.1	122.4
CONSUMER GOODS.....	112.7	118.9	115.1	114.9	116.9	116.7	118.5	118.2	121.3	116.5	118.8	126.3	127.7	122.9
EQUIPMENT, INCL. DEFENSE.....	108.3	112.9	115.4	113.6	116.1	118.3	118.6	119.1	121.1	119.6	120.6	122.4	122.8	121.6
MATERIALS.....	108.4	114.7	112.9	112.6	116.1	117.8	118.2	118.0	118.7	119.7	116.1	119.6	120.0	118.1
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>														
AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS.....	111.8	136.1	137.6	131.1	130.0	131.3	138.6	138.5	133.1	129.8	79.4	124.9	148.1	145
AUTOS.....	108.6	149.9	152.4	139.4	136.8	139.9	150.0	149.3	137.1	136.7	43.4	120.0	160.6	159
AUTO PARTS & ALLIED PRODUCTS.....	116.0	117.6	118.1	120.2	121.0	120.1	123.6	124.2	127.9	120.7	126.8	131.2	131.6	
HOME GOODS AND APPAREL.....	110.5	117.7	111.9	109.2	119.3	122.7	120.5	117.6	120.8	107.7	119.6	124.2	124.4	122
HOME GOODS.....	112.2	123.6	119.6	112.1	119.9	124.7	122.4	121.0	125.5	110.7	117.0	130.6	131.4	
APPLIANCES, TV, & RADIOS.....	109.9	122.4	113.1	108.2	120.8	127.7	121.3	117.2	124.3	99.6	103.6	127.5	128.8	
APPLIANCES.....	110.7	118.1	115.1	109.5	121.5	132.9	125.8	120.8	129.9	107.1	101.7	127.1	128.4	
TV AND HOME RADIOS.....	107.8	134.7	107.4	104.6	118.9	112.7	109.7	107.1	108.5	78.4	108.9	128.6	129.7	114
FURNITURE AND RUGS.....	112.8	123.1	124.9	113.8	119.8	121.3	121.9	120.1	123.5	116.8	126.7	131.4	132.0	
MISC. HOME GOODS.....	114.5	125.4	122.9	115.2	118.0	123.0	124.1	126.3	128.5	119.0	127.3	133.6	134.0	
APPAREL, KNIT GOODS, & SHOES.....	109.0	112.8	105.4	106.9	118.9	121.8	118.8	114.8	116.8	105.0	121.2	118.7		
CONSUMER STAPLES.....	114.0	116.6	113.0	113.4	113.5	114.4	114.1	115.1	119.7	118.9	125.0	127.6	125.9	120
PROCESSED FOODS.....	110.5	115.9	108.0	104.6	103.9	104.7	106.3	107.4	112.0	116.1	124.2	131.0		
BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO.....	109.5	105.9	95.7	95.5	100.2	109.9	109.7	116.6	125.0	113.6	117.8	115.6		
DRUGS, SOAP, AND TOILETRIES.....	120.7	125.6	121.9	123.6	126.2	126.2	127.7	128.7	133.2	125.3	133.9	132.4	134.2	
NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, BOOKS.....	114.9	115.9	115.7	116.2	116.3	117.8	115.7	116.2	115.9	114.8	117.6	119.9	118.3	
CONSUMER FUEL AND LIGHTING.....	119.2	118.1	126.1	135.7	132.3	128.7	122.8	120.0	124.3	125.7	127.6	124.5		
FUEL OIL AND GASOLINE.....	107.6	110.2	112.8	114.8	113.3	109.5	105.1	108.6	113.4	114.2	112.3	113.5	110.4	
RESIDENTIAL UTILITIES.....	124.9													
ELECTRICITY.....	125.3	119.9	134.5	152.8	146.6	140.8	130.3	121.6	126.9	134.0	139.1	139.7		
<b>EQUIPMENT</b>														
BUSINESS EQUIPMENT.....	110.1	114.1	116.9	114.5	117.5	120.2	121.3	122.0	124.6	122.0	122.6	124.9	125.1	123
INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT.....	107.4	110.2	114.1	111.9	112.8	114.3	115.7	116.8	119.6	117.8	118.8	120.0	119.4	
COMMERCIAL EQUIPMENT.....	127.0	135.3	137.5	135.6	136.3	140.4	141.3	142.7	145.2	142.7	145.0	147.1	144.4	
FREIGHT AND PASSENGER EQUIP.....	103.4	111.4	110.2	104.9	111.4	117.3	116.2	116.1	119.5	117.6	114.6	118.2	124.2	
FARM EQUIPMENT.....	93.4	80.5	85.7	88.7	104.5	114.0	120.2	114.9	115.7	99.6	94.1	111.4	107.9	
<b>MATERIALS</b>														
DURABLE GOODS MATERIALS.....	104.8	112.0	110.8	109.5	113.4	115.3	116.9	116.5	116.1	108.7	111.3	116.7	117.0	115
CONSUMER DURABLE.....	107.9	126.8	129.9	128.1	124.9	128.4	128.4	130.6	123.6	117.4	107.5	130.5	134.1	
EQUIPMENT.....	105.7	112.9	115.7	115.0	116.7	119.0	120.9	119.7	119.8	115.4	116.1	119.4	120.2	
CONSTRUCTION.....	105.2	107.3	106.5	94.8	101.2	103.4	109.6	114.7	118.8	113.8	119.4	119.8	116.6	
METAL MATERIALS NEC.....	101.2	109.4	109.3	113.9	121.2	120.9	116.3	107.1	103.6	88.4	95.7	101.4	104.1	
NONDURABLE MATERIALS.....	112.1	117.5	115.1	115.7	118.8	120.0	119.4	119.7	121.3	112.7	121.1	122.6	123.1	122
BUSINESS SUPPLIES.....	110.5	115.1	109.1	109.5	113.5	116.6	117.2	117.3	118.7	108.7	118.5	121.9	121.3	
CONTAINERS.....	111.3	110.8	101.9	107.3	114.4	119.7	116.5	117.1	123.4	117.5	128.0	126.3	121.0	
GENERAL BUSINESS SUPPLIES.....	110.0	117.2	112.7	110.6	113.1	115.0	117.5	117.4	115.6	106.8	113.7	119.7	121.5	
NONDURABLE MATERIALS NEC.....	120.6	130.1	128.0	128.8	134.3	135.1	133.9	135.9	136.6	124.9	134.8	135.3	138.2	
BUSINESS FUEL AND POWER.....	107.1	109.9	110.8	111.5	113.7	111.4	110.2	109.2	112.3	107.0	112.8	113.4	112.9	112
MINERAL FUELS.....	102.0	104.8	105.7	105.9	106.8	106.2	105.4	102.5	104.8	96.4	103.7	104.7	106.4	107
NONRESIDENTIAL UTILITIES.....	121.0													
ELECTRICITY.....	121.7	123.5	124.0	126.1	123.1	124.6	122.3	126.6	133.6	136.1	140.3	139.3		
GENERAL INDUSTRIAL.....	114.8	119.2	118.7	121.3	119.2	122.0	120.1	121.6	123.7	120.6	125.4	125.2		
COMMERCIAL AND OTHER.....	129.1	129.2	136.5	132.4	128.6	129.0	126.2	133.1	144.7	152.2	156.1	154.3		
<b>SUPPLEMENTARY GROUPS OF CONSUMER GOODS</b>														
AUTOMOTIVE AND HOME GOODS.....	112.0	128.7	127.0	120.1	124.3	127.4	129.3	128.4	128.8	118.8	102.2	128.5	138.5	134
APPAREL AND STAPLES.....	112.9	115.8	111.3	112.1	114.8	118.1	115.3	115.1	119.1	116.0	124.3	125.7	124.4	120







