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DECEMBER 23, 1966.

To the Members of the Joint Economic Committee:

Transmitted herewith for your consideration and use, and for the use of other Members of Congress and other interested parties, is a study entitled "Productivity, Prices, and Incomes," by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

This is a new edition of a study of the same title published in 1957, when I was chairman of the Joint Economic Committee. The first study was initiated, however, 2 years earlier by Senator Paul H. Douglas while he was chairman. Similarly, the present edition was inspired by Senator Douglas, and took even longer to prepare than the first version, for reasons set forth by the executive director in his letter of transmittal. It is our hope that in the future the executive agencies will undertake analytical as well as descriptive statistical studies, providing an integrated view of productivity, price, and income relationships on a periodical basis—a task which this committee is not set up to undertake.

The Nation is crucially interested in maintaining general price stability as one of the important objectives of the Employment Act. It is hoped that these historical data, as well as the brief accompanying text, will provide additional material for your use in evaluating the difficult issues ahead. I wish to stress, however, that this study is a tool for your possible use, and it is not intended to present value judgments or recommendations on the part of the committee, of any member of the committee, or of the staff.

Sincerely,

WRIGHT PATMAN,
Chairman, Joint Economic Committee.

DECEMBER 21, 1966.

HON. WRIGHT PATMAN,
Chairman, Joint Economic Committee,
U.S. Congress, Washington, D.C.

DEAR MR. PATMAN: The staff, with the assistance of the executive agencies, has assembled the attached materials dealing with productivity, prices, and income. These materials are intended to update an earlier study by the same title which was published as a committee print under your chairmanship in 1957.

The purpose of the new study is essentially the same as the original study. First, data from numerous sources are assembled, dealing with productivity, prices, wages, and profits for the economy as a whole and for two selected industrial areas—namely, food products and metals. Second, the characteristics and limitations of data in these fields are

summarized as a guide to their use. Third, some of the significant changes in the economy, as revealed by these data, are indicated.

The text of this study purposely has been made largely descriptive, rather than analytical. It is hoped, however, that the collection of these statistics from varied sources will, nevertheless, be useful in encouraging others to analyze and to draw conclusions. A number of questions and research possibilities occurred to the staff in the course of this study, which could be the source for further more analytical studies.

In some respects, the present study differs from its predecessor. First, the text of the present study does not emphasize the very long run as did its predecessor, but rather concentrates on the post-World War II developments and particularly on the developments since 1960.

Second, it is not quite as detailed as the first study in the coverage of the food industries and of the metal industries.

Third, the first edition of "Productivity, Prices, and Incomes" was a pioneering study. Almost nothing had been available on some of these subjects from 1950 to 1957. In the earlier 1957 collection, many series were prepared by the committee staff because official series were not available as they are now.

The present study reveals that there are still major difficulties in regard to the integration of and availability of statistical data. For example, the industry series on labor compensation, man-hours, corporate profits, capital consumption, and prices are still not strictly comparable. The various statistical series are often revised and improved, as they should be; but the timing of these changes makes it very difficult to analyze several series simultaneously. On the other hand, the advances in statistical methodology and in data processing equipment have made practical enormous advances in the quality, prompt availability, and integration of economic data.

Admittedly, the barriers to an improved statistical system are formidable—but not insuperable. Basically, our statistical system is decentralized and attempts to coordinate the large and diverse operations meet with problems of jurisdiction and conflicts of authority. There are also cost constraints, since a significantly improved system would be expensive to develop and to maintain. Particularly, in connection with proposals for a national data center, the problem of confidentiality of respondents has been raised. Finally, there is the general problem of establishing an appropriate procedure for changing the definitions of statistical series and in changing operating procedures in the collection of data.

Because of the great need for improved statistical series on prices, productivity, and costs, and because there are important issues and obstacles at stake, the chairman of the Subcommittee on Economic Statistics, Senator Proxmire, has suggested to the staff that preparations be made for hearings by the subcommittee on the coordination and integration of the national statistical system. Progress in this direction is vital to future success in finding ways to create the conditions needed for maximum productive employment with reasonable price stability, and within the context of our private enterprise system.

We are grateful to the Federal statistical agencies, particularly the Office of Business Economics of the Department of Commerce, the

Federal Reserve System, and the Bureau of Labor Statistics for their advice and consultation and for supplying data. We also appreciate review comments by the above agencies, as well as those by the Council of Economic Advisers. The suggestions of these agencies made possible improvements in the study and greatly facilitated the committee staff work, which was done by staff economist George Iden under my supervision.

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Executive Director.

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CHAPTER I

PRODUCTIVITY, PRICES, AND INCOMES

INTRODUCTION

A primary objective of national economic policy is to promote conditions whereby the actual growth in output of goods and services will equal the potential growth. In addition, growth in output must take place in a free society and without inflation. The conditions for the effective pursuit of these goals are highly complex and constantly changing. Particularly when the economy is operating near full employment is the task of policymaking difficult. The so-called fine tuning of the economy as well as an effective guidepost policy for prices and wages require extensive information on past and present developments. Economic data and extensive analysis are needed to provide a background to aid public and private decisionmaking.

A competitive market economy is an adaptive and efficient mechanism for pursuing the goals of the Employment Act. The resulting system of market prices conveys information concerning changes in conditions of supply and demand and allows producers and consumers to shift flexibly in accord with the evolving situation. Producers may change the type, quality, and quantities of goods and services produced; and they may change the ingredients used in production. On the other hand, consumers may shift their patronage between products or between alternative suppliers of the same product.

Under conditions of pure competition, which presuppose full employment, the result will be most efficient in terms of the maximum satisfaction of consumers' wants with given resources. No more of any one product can be produced without less being produced of another product; and no consumer can be made better off without making another worse off. Each person engages the resources under his control in the most profitable industry, without artificial barrier. Under these conditions, the longrun price of products will reflect real resource costs; or in other words, the price of a product will be exactly equal to the minimum necessary to attract the labor and capital into that line of production.

At any point in time, some prices (and hence incomes) are higher or lower than called for by longrun cost factors or the longrun demand of consumers. Indeed, as has been painfully learned, the whole structure of prices and costs may diverge from their most efficient and/or longrun relationships.

Such variations stem from a number of causes. For example, a shift in the supply or demand for one product (or factor) may bring about a sharp increase in its price above the longrun level. The higher price attracts additional resources to the industry; and, thus, some deviations from the long run directly bring about an adjustment. Other

types of deviations may result from excessive speculation, market imperfections, and the absence of pure competition. These, also, often tend to be self-correcting in the long run; but in the meantime, much may be lost to particular individuals and to society.

The present study is a compendium of data pertaining to production, prices, incomes, and costs during the period 1929 to 1966. Due to limited resources and the extraordinarily broad scope of the study, there is very little economic analysis. However, the statistical series are briefly discussed. The mere bringing together and arrangement of the data may be helpful to policymakers who do not have time to consult the numerous original sources. These data may also suggest further analysis by others concerned with the many problems of maintaining high levels of employment.

These materials relate to: (a) the economy as a whole; (b) total manufacturing; and two particular industrial areas in which there is particular interest, namely, (c) foods and (d) metals and metal products. In these areas data were sought relating to—

(1) *Productivity and related items.*—This group covers series on production, employment, hours of work, output per man-hour, output per unit of raw material used, and output per unit of capital.

(2) *Prices.*—This includes indexes of prices at the wholesale and retail levels for the economy as a whole as well as separate classes of products and services, indexes of value added per unit and indexes of prices by economic sector.

(3) *Incomes.*—This category includes all forms of income received from current productive activity, such as wages, salaries, interest, profits, or entrepreneurial income. Wherever possible, rates of remuneration (such as average hourly earnings, interest rates, ratios of profits to sales and to net worth or capital investment) were obtained in addition to totals. The Government's income from taxes are shown where appropriate or feasible.

(4) *Measures of cost-price relationships.*—This covers such measures as unit costs (profits per unit, labor costs per unit, or taxes per unit); margins including both ratios of profits to sales and the spread between prices received by farmers and prices paid by consumers.

THE CHARACTERISTICS AND LIMITATIONS OF ECONOMIC DATA

It is essential to recognize the many and various problems of analysis and interpretation which arise because of characteristics of the available data and their limitations. At various points in the text, reference is made to these limitations and the way in which they affect the interpretation of specific data. At this point, however, some broad observations relevant to all or most of the data are set forth to aid in avoiding errors of interpretation when using the numerous tables at the end of the text.

Factors to bear in mind in the use of these data fall under four broad headings: concepts, measurement, analysis, and interpretation.

Concepts

The establishment of a system for the collection of statistical information or data necessarily requires formulation of concepts as to what

is measured and why? Concepts are developed which seem useful in analyzing the range of problems seen at the time a new series of data is set up. If, however, these data are later to be used in connection with other problems, care must be exercised that the data are not assumed to measure concepts needed for the new problems when, in fact, they fit only the different concepts originally developed for analyzing other problems or questions. Furthermore, for some problems, no quantifiable and clearly agreed-to concepts may be known that can establish indisputably the truth or falsity of possible solutions.

Measurement

The problems of measurement have been particularly troublesome in studies of productivity, prices, and incomes. Production or output itself must, of course, be measured in order to compute costs per unit of output. Production usually is measured in terms of units of final product produced by each establishment. A change in the number produced is quite easily viewed as a change in output. But the characteristics of the product change over time so as to affect the measurement of real output in at least three ways: (1) a quality change, such as a change in the characteristics of the metals employed which makes a car more durable; (2) a change in the bundle of services or products which are produced and sold as a package—a familiar example is the case of a pound of bread which is now sliced and wrapped in the factory; and (3) a change in the complexity of a product, such as the addition of automatic transmission to an automobile, which requires more productive effort per car.

Both in business and in government, the basic records from which data must be drawn are usually maintained on an operating unit basis, i.e., a plant, company, department, or region. This makes it difficult, and in some cases impossible, to develop figures covering specific products or services since an individual operating unit may produce more than one product. But discussions of and data on prices, and costs usually involve specific products.

This situation is aggravated where a large part of the total output of a product passes through multiproduct companies. Even where companies maintain records for each product, the data may represent in part arbitrary accounting allocations, particularly of costs. Further, the cost of reporting data for such separate items may be excessive.

Many—indeed most—firms find little or no internal use for certain types of data needed for general economic analysis; hence, they do not incur the expense of keeping such records. This is particularly true of small firms. Comparisons of the operations of small businesses with large ones are limited, accordingly, by the nature, accuracy, and detail of the recordkeeping systems of the various sized units.

The data now available are incomplete in some important respects. For example, there is much interest in the margin between what the farmer receives for his products and what consumers pay. One question raised is: How much of the change in this margin can be accounted for by higher labor costs? To answer this question, a complete set of input-output tables is needed, which shows for each year for the entire economy the quantities and values of productive resources put into or purchased by each industry from all sources, and the output going

from each industry to all other industries as well as to final purchasers. This need arises because only part of the total change in labor costs will show up in the direct operations of food manufacturers and food dealers. The remainder is in other industries from which manufacturers or food dealers buy or which provide other services such as transportation or finance. If analysis is to be centered on individual products rather than industries, an apportionment of costs and revenues between products would be required.

Data on wages, profits, prices, productivity, capital investment, production, employment, sales, taxes, etc., are in many cases collected by different agencies for different purposes. The measures of the separate factors rest on different concepts and methods, so that great caution must be used in interpreting analyses based on different series.

Analysis

How much of the changes shown by data represent cyclical or temporary random influences, and how much more basic shifts? For example, how much of the change in the farmer's share of the consumer food dollar since 1946 (from 52 percent to about 36 to 40 percent) is due to long-term influences, and how much is due to the fact that in 1946 retail prices were still relatively low as an aftermath of wartime price controls while farm prices had been free to rise, especially under influence of temporary "abnormal" war needs and postwar export demand?

Economic data are subject to observational errors, whether derived by the use of sampling or other techniques. This causes two types of difficulty. Sampling or estimating errors in each series may not be excessive for some purposes, but when ratios or other relations between series are important, the same estimating errors can result in large errors in the derived numbers. For example, suppose sales and profits in a manufacturing industry are sampled. Sales in year "1" are \$1 billion \pm \$40 million, and in year "2" are \$2 billion \pm \$80 million (error \pm 4 percent). Profits are found to be respectively: \$40 million \pm \$8 million and \$100 million \pm \$20 million (error \pm 20 percent). The average rate of profit on sales seems to change from 4 to 5 percent, but taking sampling errors into account, the change could be either from 3 to 6.2 percent or from 5 to 3.8 percent, though the best estimate that could be developed from the data would be a change from 4 to 5 percent.

Samples are one of the principal means of estimating the movements of series from the last complete count or benchmark, such as a census figure. There is a possibility that the sample or other estimating procedure may develop a persistent bias. The series may then persistently tend to over- or under-estimate the change from the last benchmark, and the bias may cumulate. This is one of the reasons for recurring censuses on regular schedules every 5 years since they enable technicians to correct such biases by adjusting to new census levels.

It must be recognized, however, that when any single series is used to indicate the broad movements in prices, or production, or income, such a bias creates smaller problems than when two or more series are used together such as wages and prices, or, employment, hours of work, and production. In this latter case, the biases in the separate statistical series may not be consistent or offsetting. This phe-

nomenon is so important that statisticians are justly alarmed at the emphasis placed by many on short-term movements in relationships between series, such as, for example, year-to-year or quarterly changes in output per man-hour.

Of the same character is the problem of separating the influence on costs and prices of: (a) changes which occur because of changes in the legal form of organization of economic activity; (b) changes due to shifts in output between industries with different characteristics; and (c) changes due to the shift in the role of Government; and (d), those changes that represent a shift in the relationship between the price of an unchanged product and the price of the factors of production employed to produce it.

Interpretation

These characteristics and limitations of statistical data all combine to increase the difficulty of interpretation of the analysis. The analysis requires interpretation or evaluation of the difference which may exist between the data ideally required for the problem and that available, especially where the "data ideally required" may not be perfectly realizable. While this is usually a matter of concern solely for technicians, policymakers should be aware that deficiencies of data, which in many uses may be of little practical significance, may in other instances prove to be of crucial importance. Nowhere is this more true than in the realm of cost-price relationships. The problem of interpretation here does not rest on questions of magnitude or direction of each aspect separately, but upon the relationship between the magnitudes and/or directions of the various factors. We are concerned with the relationship between labor cost, capital cost, tax burdens, and prices rather than with changes in each of these. For example, when the Federal Reserve Board's Index of Industrial Production is divided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics index of man-hours in manufacturing to derive an index of output per man-hour in manufacturing, the problems of coverage, consistency, definition, and detailed computing procedures become crucial.

Another important aspect of the problems of interpretation is that statistical data by themselves cannot establish conclusively the existence of cause and effect relationships. This is true even if the data meet all tests as to concepts, coverage, consistency, and accuracy. This applies in the case of data for an individual firm, for an industry, for a broad sector of the economy, or for the economy as a whole. This point is especially important in connection with the tables assembled in these materials since, in most instances, the data were not designed for use in investigating cause and effect relationships.

This is a familiar point for technicians but one which others often fail to recognize. Data can make it possible to refute a proposition tentatively formulated as a possible explanation of the cause of observed events. A proposition can be proved to be inconsistent with observed facts. But we cannot prove that it is the only explanation of a cause and effect relationship consistent with the observed facts. Data make possible the elimination of manifestly untrue propositions and provide raw material for logical analysis of remaining explanations.

The complete interpretation of any such complex phenomena as

relationships among productivity, prices, and incomes necessarily involves value judgments concerning the "desirable" operation of the economic system. However, in this study, the staff's job has been to marshal the data, show their character and limitations, and in a brief, general way to suggest what the data can show as to the functioning of some aspects of the system. Each user will have to reach his own value judgments in interpreting these data. To cite one example, the material collected in this volume provides information concerning changes in the distribution of income between labor and other factors. Each reader must judge for himself whether the changes have been in the direction of more desirable or less desirable relationships according to his value standards.

A final but crucial point—conclusions about the relation between changes in the prices of final products and changes in the prices of productive factors should not be based on price changes alone. For example, without additional information it is not possible to determine the effect of an increase in wages on the cost of producing a particular product. Additional considerations are the changes in labor productivity, or in output per man-hour, as well as changes in nonlabor costs per unit of output. If wages go up 10 percent per hour, but output per man-hour also rises 10 percent, labor costs per unit will remain unchanged, and changes in total unit cost will depend on: (a) the change in output relative to the input of nonlabor factors; and (b) changes in the prices of the nonlabor factors.

CHAPTER II

PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY IN THE NATIONAL ECONOMY

PRODUCTION, PRODUCTIVITY, AND UNEMPLOYMENT

The rate of growth in the economy's output in constant prices is approximately equal to the rate of increase in output per man-hour plus the rate of increase in the number of hours worked.¹ It follows that the rate of growth in the output of goods and services must be at least equal to the sum of the percentage increase in output per man-hour plus the percentage increase in the number of man-hours worked to prevent the unemployment rate from rising. This relationship has recently been stressed by the National Commission on Technology, Automation and Economic Progress:

Changes in the volume of unemployment are governed by three fundamental forces: the growth of the labor force, the increase in output per man-hour, and the growth of total demand for goods and services. Changes in the average hours of work enter in exactly parallel fashion but have been quantitatively less significant. As productivity rises, less labor is required per dollar of national product, or more goods and services can be produced with the same number of man-hours. If output does not grow, employment will certainly fall; if production increases more rapidly than productivity (less any decline in average hours worked), employment must rise.²

It is sometimes useful to speak of the relationship among productivity, production, and unemployment as having a structure in the sense of unique or single-valued relationships. Thus, a given level of economic activity is associated with a certain level of unemployment, which depends on rather stable conditions such as collective bargaining between large firms and large unions and a free labor market where workers freely change jobs and move from place to place. In normal times, jobs are both created and destroyed, as new products and new methods replace old ones.

¹ The percentage increase in output is exactly equal to the percentage increase in output per man-hour plus the output in period two divided by output in period one times the percentage change in man-hours. Stated algebraically:

$$\frac{O_2 M_2 - O_1 M_1}{O_1 M_1} = \frac{O_2 - O_1}{O_1} + \frac{O_2 M_2 - M_1}{O_1 M_1}$$

where: O equals output per man-hour, M equals man-hours, and subscripts stand for periods 1 and 2.

² The National Commission on Technology, Automation, and Economic Progress, Technology and the American Economy, Vol. 1, February 1966, pp. 9, 10.

From 1955 to 1961, real gross national product increased at the rate of 2.1 percent annually. This was a period of relatively slow growth compared to the longer-run rate of increase of 3.8 percent annually from 1947 to 1965. Private output per man-hour rose 2.4 percent annually from 1955 to 1961, compared to 3.4 percent annually from 1947 to 1965.

During this period there was widespread debate concerning the causes of the exceptionally high unemployment. It was widely believed that general monetary and fiscal policies could improve the situation somewhat, but there were differences in opinion as to how much. There were some who believed that general policy could not lower the unemployment rate below 5 percent without an unacceptable rise in prices. The argument was that the rate of worker displacement had increased because of accelerated technological change and because the demands of work had become so elevated that workers had become less able to adjust to the accelerated pace of change in the economy. On the other hand, there were those who believed that the rate could be lowered to approximately 4 percent without an unacceptable rate of increase in prices. The second group believed that the underlying structure of change and adaptation in the economy had not changed appreciably.

Since 1961, there have been very significant developments, not only in the rate of growth in output, but also in the unemployment situation, and in prices. By December 1965, the unemployment rate had fallen to 4.1 percent; and for the year 1966, the unemployment rate was 3.9 percent, which was the lowest yearly average since 1953. However, the rate of price increase also accelerated in 1965 and 1966. The Consumer Price Index rose 2 percent from December 1964 to December 1965, and another 3.3 percent by December 1966.

It is beyond the scope of the present study to evaluate this experience. Evaluation and careful research into the price-output-unemployment relationship deserves high priority among research needs.

GROWTH IN OUTPUT AND THE PRICE MECHANISM

The price mechanism plays an essential role in the process of economic growth. Changes in relative prices serve to stimulate the transfer of resources in accordance with the changing wants of consumers. The interest rate, as the price of money, allocates current output between present consumption and investment which makes possible greater future consumption.

There is a highly complex relationship between the level of total output in the economy and the general price level. Indeed, there are many considerations other than aggregate output which enter into the determination of the general price level. For example, changes in expectations have an extremely important effect on the general price level. The question of course then arises as to what factors influence

the expectations which in turn affect prices. In addition, the rate of increase in aggregate output affects the general price level both because of shortages and because of the effects on expectations. Something of the complexity of the price-output relationship can be gained by considering that a survey of postwar economic writing on inflation included more than 183 items.³ A second indication of the complexity of the price-output relationship is provided by the extensive Study of Employment, Growth, and Price Levels by the Joint Economic Committee during the 86th Congress,⁴ which included 11 volumes of hearings, 23 study papers and both a committee report and a staff report.

At the risk of great oversimplification, the following diagram may be helpful in illustrating a few of the aspects of the price output relationship. On the horizontal axis of the graph is the ratio of actual

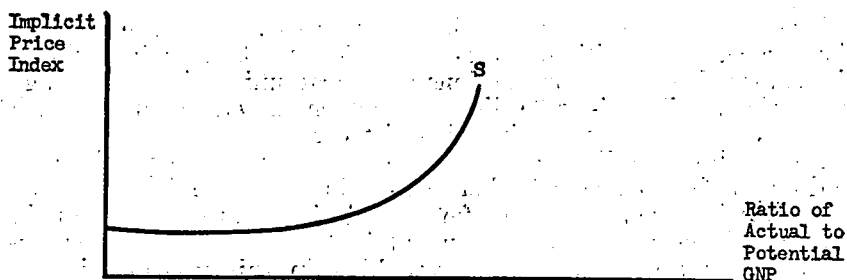


DIAGRAM I.

to potential gross national product; and on the vertical axis is the general price level, say, the Implicit Price Index. The functional relationship represents that level of output relative to the potential of the economy to produce which will result in a particular level of the general price indicator. The diagram indicates that so long as the ratio of actual to potential output is below a certain level, there is little increase in prices. But at some point, as the ratio of actual to potential output increases, the price level begins to rise; and, at some point, attempts to raise output further are entirely dissipated in higher prices.

Considerations which influence the shape of the aggregate supply curve may be studied by beginning with grossly simplified assumptions and then exploring the implications of relaxing the assumptions.

First, if variable factors of production are of homogeneous quality, output may be increased up to some point without raising marginal costs, and the above aggregate supply function would have a flat portion. As capacity of the fixed factors is neared, marginal costs tend to rise as more and more of the variable factors are needed to produce succeeding units of output. The implication of rising marginal costs is that the aggregate supply curve will rise.

³ Martin Bronfenbrenner and Franklyn D. Holzman, "Survey of Inflation Theory," *The American Economic Review*, September 1963, pp. 593-661.

⁴ Study of Employment, Growth, and Price Levels, Joint Economic Committee, U.S. Congress, 86th Session.

Second, variable factors are not of homogeneous quality; and as firms expand production, they must select from a pool of less skilled and less efficient workers and provide costly training. At the same time firms will competitively raise wages in an attempt to hold and increase the number of skilled workers. Thus, the supply curve will tend to rise gradually, but successively more steeply.

Third, wages and prices are somewhat inflexible, and especially money wages seldom fall except under very drastic circumstances. This implies that in periods of recession there are qualified workers who are willing to work at the going rate but who are unable to find employment. As demand is increased, output may also be increased to some extent without raising marginal cost. It also implies that the relation between output and price is asymmetrical; that is, expansions in output trace a lower price path than the path of reduced resource utilization.

There are complex psychological reasons why wages are inflexible downward. In addition, wages and prices tend to be inflexible to the extent that large corporations and large unions influence wages and prices. There is wide disagreement on the extent and form of this power, but few deny entirely its existence.

Reasonable men differ on the shape of the aggregate supply curve and on the importance of other factors in the determination of the general price level. However, few would disagree that at some point increases in aggregate demand result in substantial price increases. Some argue that there is a severe kink in this relationship and that the kink occurs when there is still a substantial proportion (say 5 percent or more) of the labor force unemployed. Others believe that there is a substantial range where a "trade-off" occurs between a particular rate of inflation and a particular level of output and derived unemployment.

From the standpoint of economic policy, it is extremely important to know if there is great danger that a slightly higher level of demand will lead to a substantial increase in the price level.⁵ In addition, the form of this relationship has an important bearing on the types of policy instruments used to reduce unemployment and to promote maximum levels of employment.

If at a given time the economy is operating on a flat part of the curve, unemployment could be reduced by greater aggregate demand. On the other hand, if the economy is operating near a sharp kink, further reductions in the unemployment rate would probably be pursued by relatively greater emphasis on so-called "structural measures," that is, a shift in relative emphasis toward more manpower retraining, education, and other expenditures to raise the employability of workers.

The shape of the aggregate supply curve raises a very basic question as to the compatibility of the goals of price stability and full employment. Complete compatibility would imply the existence of a sharp

⁵ And by implication, a deterioration in the balance of payments.

kink at a level of only fractional unemployment. It would seem useful to examine the conditions which would result in a sharply kinked supply curve.

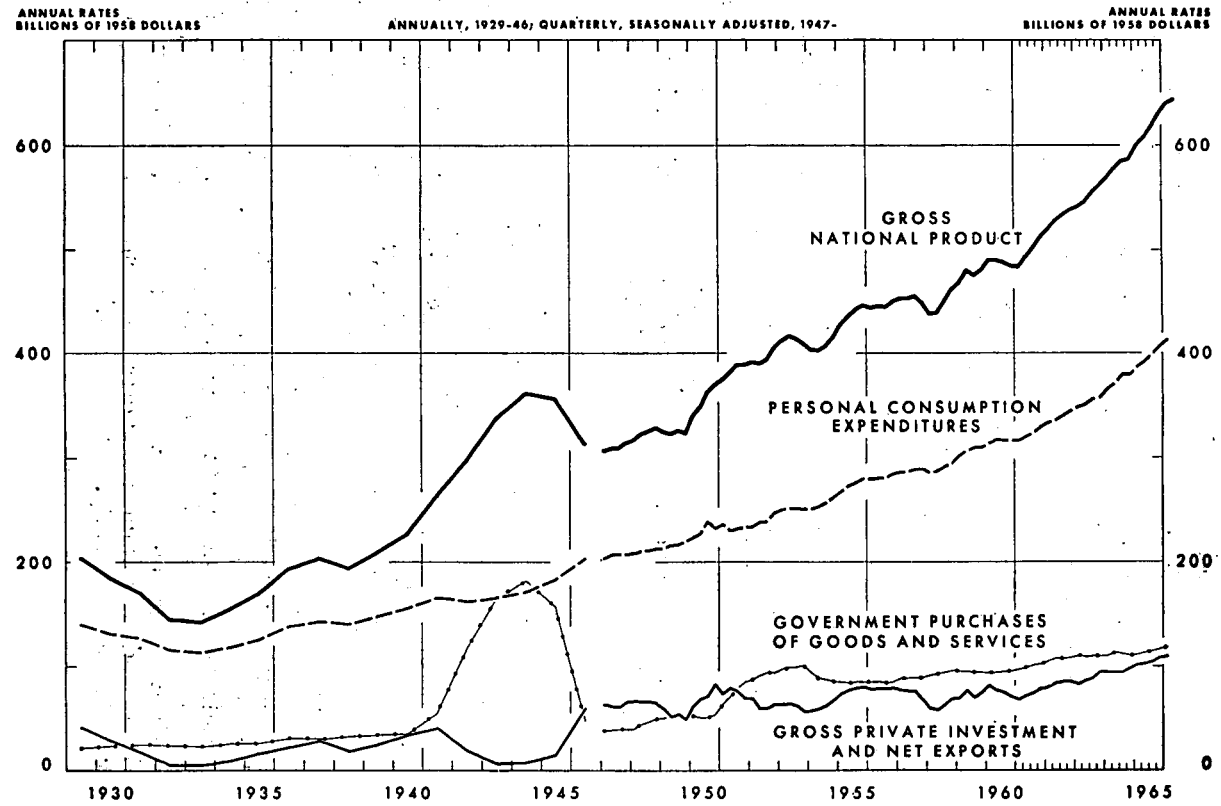
A kinked supply curve would result if there were: (1) wage and price competition, and (2) free mobility of resources so that all sectors of the economy reached their potential output at the same time. Moreover, a kinked supply curve might result if there were sharp changes in expectations and particularly if these changes tended to be exaggerated when there are cumulative errors on the part of businesses and households. In fact, traditional business cycle theory relies heavily on cumulative processes and cumulative errors. In periods of business expansion, investment, and consumer spending rise so that output approaches capacity utilization, and firms find it possible and necessary to invest in more capacity. Commodities and raw materials with inelastic supplies are bid up in price. Firms, in placing orders for new capital equipment, encounter delays in delivery and so they tend to order more than they need in hopes of receiving enough. If the rate of price increase is relatively high, consumers and firms may accelerate their purchases in hopes of beating the price increases.

Sharp price increases may also occur if large corporations and large unions in time of near-full employment push for and receive a larger share of the economic pie. There may be a critical level of output in relation to capacity that permits wages and price demands to be passed on to the consumer without a fall in the level of operations within these particular sectors. Moreover, wage and price increases due to demand-pull in one sector of the economy may be transmitted in the form of cost-push to other sectors of the economy.

GROWTH IN PRODUCTION

Since 1909, the pattern of change in output consists of a period of general expansion to 1918-19, a sharp contraction to 1921, a generally rising trend through the decade of the 1920's, severe contraction to 1933, and then a rising trend to the present; interrupted by brief contractions in 1938, 1949, 1954, and 1958, by a period of relatively slow growth from the end of 1955 to early 1961. The long period, 1909 to 1965, was marked by pronounced variation in the rate of growth in output. In this period, there were two major wars, a great depression, the Korean war period of very rapid defense buildup and the defense buildup of 1965-66 which to date has been large in absolute amount, but relatively small as a proportion of gross national product. The level of output attained in 1929 was not exceeded until 1939, one decade later. During the war years, 1940-44, the level of output rose $11\frac{1}{2}$ percent per year (compounded annually); and it was not until 1951 that output again reached the level attained in 1944. In the period containing the Korean war buildup, 1949-53, production rose 6 percent annually. (See chart 1.)

CHART 1
GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT IN CONSTANT DOLLARS
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



Thus, it is very difficult to compare growth in output during different periods, since growth in production is so affected by exogenous or outside forces. It follows that conclusions about the performance of the economy are also heavily dependent upon the choice of beginning and terminal years.

In the last half century, the total output of goods and services, measured in 1958 prices, has increased by 393 percent; or, in other words, the level of production in 1965 was almost five times the level in 1915. This represented a compound annual rate of increase of 3.2 percent. Because of the unusual occurrences in the last half century, it is difficult to compare recent performance of the economy with previous history. However, growth in output in the last decade amounted to 40 percent compared to the peacetime period 1919-29 when it was 39 percent.

The performance of the U.S. economy in the most recent 5-year period has been remarkable, both from the standpoint of historical experience in this country and from the standpoint of international comparisons. For the United States, economic growth in the post-World War II period may be divided into roughly four general phases: From 1945 to 1950 total production did not increase as the country converted from the great demands of the Second World War to a peacetime economy. From 1950 to 1955, growth was relatively rapid, as production increased 4.3 percent annually, partly in response to the Korean conflict. Production grew relatively slowly, 2.2 percent annually, between 1955 and 1960, and growth was comparatively rapid from 1960 to 1965, when gross national product grew 4.6 percent annually.

In table II.A, growth rates during selected periods are listed for the United States, six countries of Western Europe, Canada, and Japan. The performance of the United States compares most favorably during the early and late periods. The United States had the lowest growth rate from 1955 to 1960 of any of the countries listed. While output growth slowed in most of the other countries from 1964 to 1965, U.S. output grew 5½ percent, or more rapidly than any other country except Canada and the Netherlands.

The data from table II.B make possible comparisons of the rates of expansion among broad sectors of the U.S. economy and for selected time periods. In the 46-year period, 1919-65, total industrial production (mining, manufacturing, and utilities) expanded 3.8 percent annually.⁶ There has been no pronounced retardation in growth. Industrial production increased 4.3 percent annually from 1919 to 1929, 4.3 percent between 1947 and 1965, and 3.9 percent between 1955 and 1965. (See chart 2.) The utility sector has expanded 7.3 percent annually from 1919 to 1965, with little or no retardation. The primary sectors, mining and farm output, have increased production 2.5 and 0.8 percent annually. In the last decade, mining output has risen 1.4 percent annually and farm output 1.1 percent annually.

⁶ The compounded annual geometric mean rate of increase.

CHART 2
Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

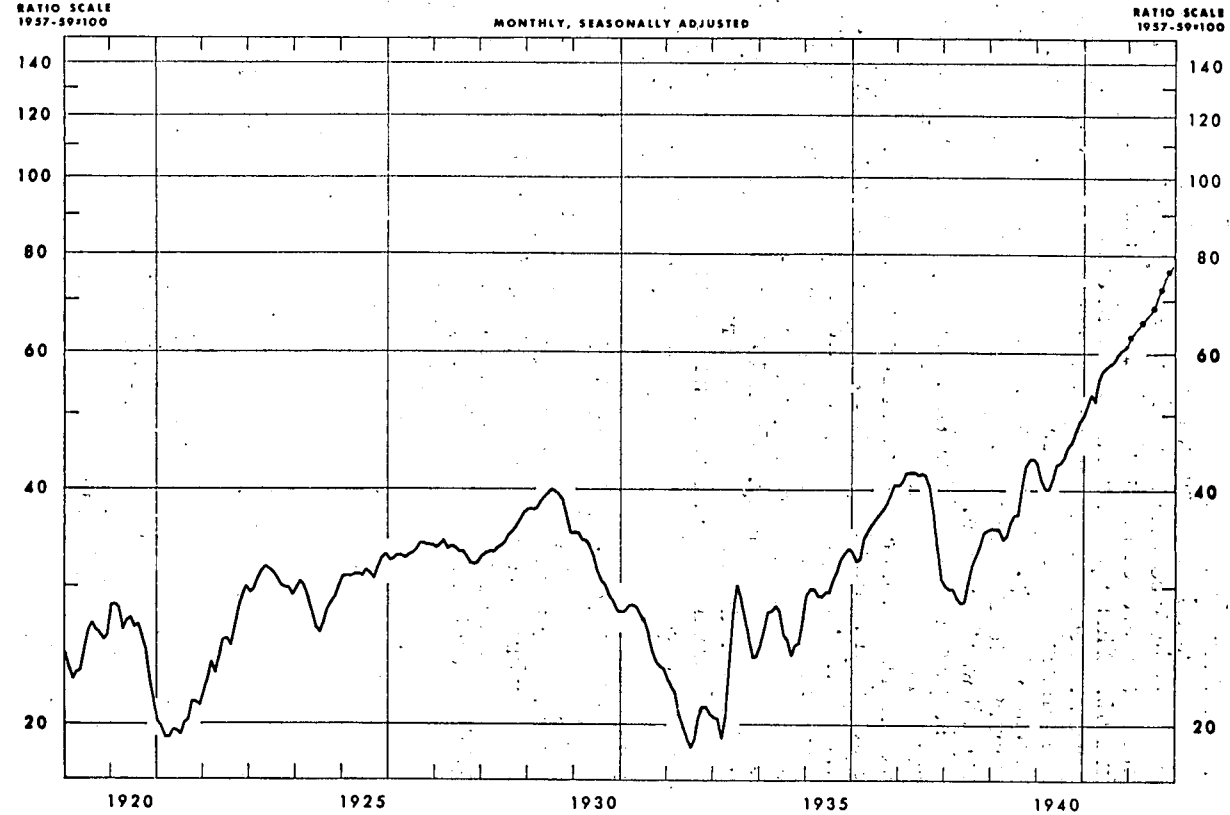


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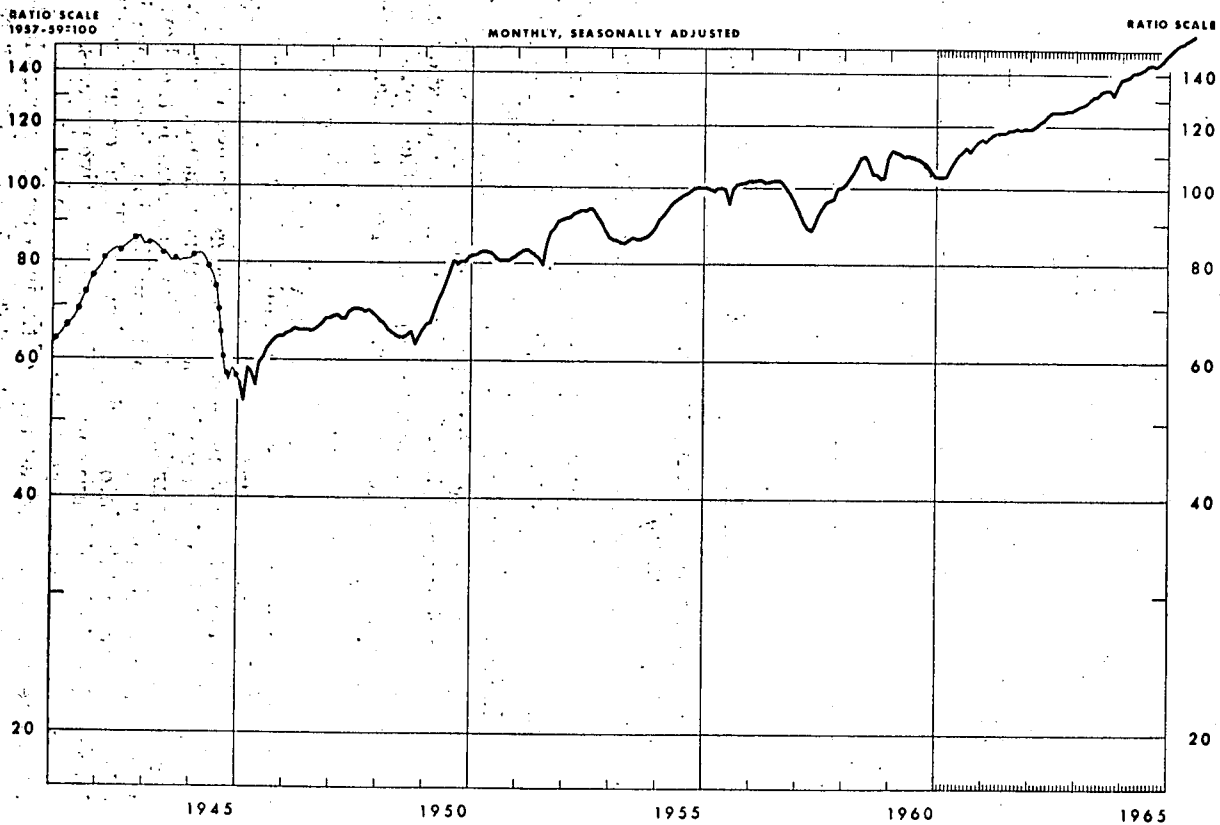


TABLE II.A—*International comparison of growth rates—GNP at constant 1958 prices*

[Compound annual rates of change, in percent]

	1950-55	1955-60	1960-65	1964-65
United States.....	4.3	2.2	4.6	5.5
Belgium.....	NA	2.5	4.6	3.0
Canada.....	4.6	3.4	5.4	6.6
France.....	4.4	5.0	5.0	3.4
Germany.....	9.1	7.6	4.8	4.5
Italy.....	6.0	5.8	5.2	3.4
Japan.....	NA	9.6	9.7	3.0
Netherlands.....	5.7	3.7	8.5	5.5
Switzerland.....	NA	4.0	5.3	4.3
United Kingdom.....	2.7	2.9	3.3	2.3

Source: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis.

TABLE II.B—*Growth of U.S. output by sector for selected periods, 1919-65*

[Annual geometric rates of growth, in percent]

	1919-65	1919-29	1955-65	1947-65	1960-65
Industrial production.....	3.8	4.3	3.9	4.3	5.6
Manufacturing.....	3.8	4.3	4.0	4.3	5.7
Mining.....	2.5	4.1	1.4	2.0	2.4
Utilities.....	7.3	8.2	7.0	8.3	6.7
Farm.....	.8	.7	1.1	1.7	1.2
Gross national product.....	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.8	4.6

Source: Computed from appendix II, table II.1.

Growth in productivity

Prof. John W. Kendrick defines "productivity" and "partial productivity" as follows:

The term "productivity" is generally used rather broadly to denote the ratio of output to any or all associated inputs, in real terms. Ratios of output to particular inputs may be termed "partial productivity" measures, the most common of which is output per man-hour. Partial productivity ratios, while useful for measuring the savings in particular inputs achieved over time, do not measure overall changes in productive efficiency, since they are affected by changes in the composition of input, i.e., by factor substitutions.⁷

By "productivity changes" is meant a change in the ratio of output to input. This may occur due to a change in technology (shift in the production function), because of economies of scale, or because of a shift in industry or product mix. A change in partial productivity, for example, output per man-hour, may change because of factor substitutions, usually an increase in the capital per man-hour ratio. In practice, both total and partial productivity measures, in the short run, reflect changes in the rate of capacity utilization since there is no adequate way to take into consideration unutilized or underutilized labor and capital which are engaged in the productive process.

It would be useful to analyze total productivity and its change; and thereby make a rough estimate of the increase in output which was due to greater output per unit of measured capital. However, revised

⁷ John W. Kendrick, *Productivity Trends in the United States* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1961), p. 6.

estimates of the capital stock (based on the 1965 revision in the national accounts) are not yet available. Even if these estimates were available, there is a danger that the term "total productivity" would be interpreted as exhaustive, when in practice this is not true. For example, there are still the very difficult problems of distinguishing between changes in productivity and improvements in the quality of capital and labor. How does one treat or measure improvements in the skill, motivation, and education of the labor force? There have been attempts to quantify so-called "human capital" and to measure its contribution to output; but these attempts are still experimental.

Limitations of the data on output present serious problems in measuring productivity changes in the service and Government sectors. Since Government production is measured in terms of the cost of employment, by definition there can be no change in productivity. Therefore, most analysis of productivity trends in the Nation has been limited to the private economy.

There has been an experimental attempt by the Bureau of the Budget to measure output and productivity of selected Government agencies. This attempt has shown that for some agencies the necessary measure of output is feasible while for others it is not.⁸

TRENDS IN OUTPUT PER MAN-HOUR

Total private output per man-hour was practically stationary between 1909 and 1921, increased rapidly from 1921 to 1929, slowly from 1929 to 1939, and then again increased rapidly from 1939 to the present. As indicated by Table II.14, output per man-hour in the farm sector did not show a substantial increase until about 1936 after which it increased rather steadily until 1942. Farm output per man-hour showed an even higher rate of increase from 1947 to 1965 than from 1936 to 1942.

Increases in output per man-hour, for selected periods, are presented in table II.C. Since short-run trends in output per man-hour are significantly affected by rates of capacity utilization, the beginning and terminal years have been selected so that they represent approximately the same ratios of actual to potential gross national product.⁹ During the postwar period, 1947-65, total private output per man-hour increased 3.3 percent annually. The rate of advance was more rapid during the first 8 years (3.8 percent), than during the last 10 years (2.9 percent). Nonfarm output per man-hour rose only 2½ percent annually from 1955 to 1965, while farm labor productivity rose 5.6 percent annually.

TABLE II.C—Increases in output per man-hour, 1947-65, and selected periods

[Annual geometric rate of change, in percent]

	1947-65	1947-55	1955-65
Total, private.....	3.3	3.8	2.9
Farm.....	6.1	6.6	5.6
Nonfarm.....	2.8	3.2	2.5

Source: Computed from appendix II, table II.14.

⁸ Measuring Productivity of the Federal Government Organizations, Bureau of the Budget, 1964.

⁹ The estimate of the ratio of actual to potential gross national product was obtained from the following study by James Knowles: The Potential Economic Growth in the United States, Joint Economic Committee Print, 1960, p. 37.

From 1909 to 1947 farm output per man-hour rose 1.2 percent annually; but from 1947 to 1965 it rose 6.1 percent annually—more than double the rate of advance in the nonfarm private economy. One of the peak periods of productivity growth occurred between 1950 and 1955, when output per man-hour rose 6.5 percent annually.

The trends in farm output and output per man-hour have meant that large supplies of farm labor have been released for nonfarm employment. The decline in agricultural man-hours, at the rate of 0.5 percent yearly from 1909-47, greatly accelerated to 4 percent yearly from 1947 to 1965. This decline in man-hours was especially rapid, 4.5 percent annually from 1955 to 1960, and undoubtedly contributed to the high level of national unemployment after 1957.

The estimate of output per man-hour in manufacturing, arrived at by dividing the Index of Industrial Production by an index of total man-hours, indicates that output per man-hour has slightly more than doubled between 1947 and 1965. Since 1960 the year-to-year increase has exceeded 3 percent in each year, and from 1961 to 1964 the gains ranged from 4 to 4.6 percent.

TABLE II.D.—*Change in manufacturing output per man-hour, selected periods, 1950-65*

Years:	Percent change
1950-60	2.9
1960-61	3.4
1961-62	4.0
1962-63	4.2
1963-64	4.6
1964-65	3.9

Source: Federal Reserve Board Index of Industrial Production, divided by an index of total manufacturing man-hours (establishment basis).

SHORTRUN CHANGES IN OUTPUT PER MAN-HOUR

Output per man-hour for the total private economy varies substantially from year to year and from quarter to quarter. For example, in the postwar period (1947-65) output per man-hour in the private economy showed a decrease of 0.1 percent from 1955 to 1956 and an increase of 9.2 percent from 1949 to 1950. Quarter-to-quarter changes ranged from a decrease of 2.4 percent from first to second quarter 1960, to an increase of 5.1 percent from the fourth quarter of 1949 to the first quarter of 1950.

Shortrun changes in farm output per man-hour show even greater variation. As an illustration, farm labor productivity rose 16½ percent from 1947 to 1948; but fell 3½ percent from 1948 to 1949. The most obvious reason for the great size of these variations is the effect of weather on crop yields. A second major factor, and one which is equally difficult to quantify, is the rise accompanying the shift of labor from the farm to the nonfarm sector. This exodus is much more rapid during periods of general prosperity and has the effect of accelerating the rise in farm output per man-hour.

The shortrun trends in nonfarm output per man-hour are dominated by fluctuations in general business conditions.¹⁰ Research on output per man-hour in manufacturing has found rapid increases after

¹⁰ By "general business conditions" is meant the rate of growth in gross national product and the relation of actual to potential gross national product.

the trough¹¹ of the business cycle, a slowing down as the peak is approached, very small increases or declines at the beginning of the downturn, and moderate increases in the middle and late stages of contraction.¹²

Cyclical changes in output per man-hour in the nonfarm private economy may be studied using the data of table II.E. In the period covered by the available quarterly data, 1947-66, there were four periods of expansion, beginning from troughs in October 1949, August 1954, April 1958, and February 1961.¹³

The data of table II.E. are arranged in four columns corresponding to these expansionary periods. From this arrangement of the data, two conclusions seem clear: labor productivity rises rapidly during early quarters of the expansion, and rises slowly during the peak quarter and quarters immediately following the peak quarter. Output per man-hour rose 6.2 percent in the trough quarter and the three following quarters in the 1949 expansion, 5.3 percent in the 1954 expansion, 5.6 percent in the 1958 expansion, and 5.3 percent in the 1961 expansion. On the other hand, output per man-hour increased only 1.3 percent when the last four quarterly changes are summed in the first column, -.1 percent in the second, and .4 percent in the third (the expansion of 1961 has not reached a peak at this time).

TABLE II.E.—Quarterly output per man-hour, private, nonfarm sector.
[Percentage change from previous quarter]

1st period	Per- cent (1)	2d period	Per- cent (2)	3d period	Per- cent (3)	4th period	Per- cent (4)
1949:		1954:		1958:		1961:	
3d quarter ¹	2.3	3d quarter ¹	1.5	2d quarter ¹	2.1	1st quarter ¹.....	.2
4th quarter.....	-1.2	4th quarter.....	.7	3d quarter.....	1.6	2d quarter.....	2.6
1950:		1955:		4th quarter.....	1.2	3d quarter.....	1.6
1st quarter.....	4.3	1st quarter.....	2.2	1959:		4th quarter.....	.9
2d quarter.....	.8	2d quarter.....	.9	1st quarter.....	.7	1962:	
3d quarter.....	-1.7	3d quarter.....	.6	2d quarter.....	1.0	1st quarter.....	.7
4th quarter.....	.6	4th quarter.....	-8	3d quarter.....	-8	2d quarter.....	.4
1951:		1956:		4th quarter.....	.9	3d quarter.....	1.6
1st quarter.....	-1.4	1st quarter.....	1.3	1960:		4th quarter.....	1.8
2d quarter.....	.9	2d quarter.....	.7	1st quarter.....	1.4	1963:	
3d quarter.....	2.6	3d quarter.....	0	2d quarter ²	-8	1st quarter.....	-3
4th quarter.....	.1	4th quarter.....	.7	3d quarter.....	-4	2d quarter.....	.3
1952:		1957:		4th quarter.....	.2	3d quarter.....	1.5
1st quarter.....	-.6	1st quarter.....	.9			4th quarter.....	.9
2d quarter.....	-.6	2d quarter.....	.2			1964:	
3d quarter.....	0	3d quarter ².....	.8			1st quarter.....	1.5
4th quarter.....	1.3	4th quarter.....	.2			2d quarter.....	.3
1953:		1958:				3d quarter.....	.8
1st quarter.....	1.4	1st quarter.....	-.9			4th quarter.....	-.5
2d quarter.....	.8					1965:	
3d quarter ².....	.4					1st quarter.....	.9
4th quarter.....	-3					2d quarter.....	.2
1954:						3d quarter.....	1.2
1st quarter.....	.4					4th quarter.....	1.4
2d quarter.....	.8					1966:	
						1st quarter.....	.7
						2d quarter.....	-.4

¹ Quarter containing trough month.

² Quarter containing peak month.

Source: App. II, table II.16, establishment series.

¹¹ The identification and timing of peaks and troughs in business activity is that developed by the National Bureau of Economic Research and used in the Department of Commerce's publication: *Business Cycle Developments*.

¹² Thor Hultgren, *Costs, Prices, and Profits: Their Cyclical Relations* (New York: National Bureau of Economic Research, Columbia University Press, 1965), pp. 41-42.

Edwin Kuh, "Cyclical and Secular Labor Productivity in U.S. Manufacturing," *The Review of Economic and Statistics*, February 1965, pp. 1-12.

Otto Eckstein and T. Wilson, "Short Run Productivity Behavior in U.S. Manufacturing," *Review of Economics and Statistics*, February 1964, pp. 41-54.

¹³ U.S. Department of Commerce, *Business Cycle Developments*, August 1966, p. 65.

When recessions develop, productivity gains are low or negative. First, employment decreases less than production. An increasing proportion of workers in manufacturing, mining, and transportation are nonproduction as opposed to production workers. The trained salaried workers tend to be kept on as an asset and as a provision for the future growth of the firm. Production workers, and to some extent production man-hours, are cut back less than output since the workweek shortens, and a minimum work force is needed just to keep facilities going. The level of effort of both production and non-production workers may decrease during periods of slowing output. In addition, idle plant capacity develops contributing to the retardation in the growth of output per man-hour.

On the other hand, during periods of expansion, more of the idle plant capacity is used; but this requires a less than proportionate increase in the variable factor, labor. New techniques are also introduced into the production process. As the expansion proceeds, this source of rapid gain is depleted as capacity levels of operation are reached. Additional workers must be hired who, at least in the beginning, have low levels of productivity. These considerations help to explain why output per man-hour rises rapidly at first and then less rapidly during a business expansion.

Because of fluctuations in the rate of increase in gross national product and because of the effects of weather in agriculture, it is difficult to establish precisely the trend in productivity improvement. However, in spite of the high degree of variability in the short-run, the long-run trend rate of increase in private output per man-hour seems clearly to fall within the range of 2 to 4 percent per year, with the most probable rate about 3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$ percent per year.

FACTORS AFFECTING THE RATE OF CHANGE IN PRODUCTIVITY IN THE LONG-RUN

The process of innovation is essential to rising national productivity. Innovation represents a new application of old or new knowledge to productive processes. This may stem from a technological change, the introduction of a new product, a reorganization of the productive process, or the opening up of new domestic or foreign markets.¹⁴

The process of innovation depends heavily on the availability of a store of new technology, meaning new techniques of production. Although new techniques may be known for years, they may not come into practice because they are unknown to entrepreneurs, or because they are not yet profitable. The availability of new techniques of production depends on the flow of scientific discoveries and of inventions. Scientific discovery, or the process of adding to existing knowledge, provides the framework for one type of innovation, that is, the initial and significant application of an invention.

A general understanding of the manner in which a society makes use of new knowledge in the productive process is helpful in understanding variations in the rate of American productivity advances.

¹⁴ Joseph Schumpeter, *The Theory of Economic Development* (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 1951).

First, some types of technological innovations are tied to new capital investment and represent "embodied technological change." An example of embodied technological change would be the introduction of the steam engine or the automobile. When business conditions are good, investment and, therefore, the introduction of embodied technological change proceeds at a rapid rate. Older inefficient capital tends to be replaced by newer and more efficient capital, and the ratio of capital to labor input typically rises.

On the other hand, some changes in the productive process require very little or no further capital investment, which may be called "disembodied technological change." An example of the second type of change would be the introduction of hybrid seed corn, which spread rapidly even during the depressed years of the middle and late 1930's. Moreover, the secular rise in the general level of training and education of the work force proceeds at a rather constant rate, both in prosperity and recession.

It seems reasonable to believe that the relatively higher rate of productivity increase after 1947 will be sustained or increase moderately in the years ahead. First, in recent years public policies have been more successful in maintaining the economy near full employment, so that the climate for investment remains favorable. Second, there has been a basic change in the relative importance of various types of technological change. In recent times, the importance of disembodied technological change has probably increased relative to embodied technological change; and progress in the methods of production are less dependent on new capital.

Perhaps most important, the nature of technological improvement has shifted from a mechanical to a scientific base. Thus, while early improvements stemmed mainly from the discovery of new types of machines, later technological change has stemmed from the test tube and drawing boards of large companies and universities. Research, and to some extent innovation, have become institutionalized, and the flow of new ideas and new processes of production have become more regular thereby.

A very important source of the increase in labor productivity for the national economy has been the tendency for the output of industries with high output per man-hour to expand more rapidly than those with low output per man-hour. Moreover, labor has tended to shift from sectors where productivity is low to sectors of high productivity. One of the most significant of these long-term changes accompanying economic growth has been the shift of workers from agriculture where output per man-hour is relatively low to manufacturing and service industries where output per man-hour is much higher. It has been estimated, by Kendrick, that interindustry shifts have accounted for about one-fourth of the long-term increase in productivity, about equally divided between shifts from farm to nonfarm, and the shifts within the non-farm sector.¹⁵ A study by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee, completed in 1957, pointed out that revisions in the data and, more important, changes in price weights from 1939 to 1947

¹⁵ For a description of concepts and methods used in preparing these estimates, see: John W. Kendrick, "National Productivity and Its Long-Term Projection, in Long-Range Economic Projection," Studies in Income and Wealth, vol. 16, National Bureau of Economic Research, 1954.

had the effect of reducing the influence of these shifts—from about one-fourth of the increase in productivity to about one-eighth.¹⁶

The most recent data in which output is measured in 1958 prices indicate that about 11 percent of the rise in private output per man-hour from 1948 to 1965 was accompanied by a shift from the agricultural sector. This represents a decline in the significance of this source from about 17 percent of the change occurring between 1928 and 1945. It is to be expected that, as the shift from farm to nonfarm employment has proceeded, its future positive effect on national productivity will be less.

Although the migration of the labor force from farm to urban environments has been going on for at least a century, there are other types of structural changes which may be expected to raise productivity. For example, the integration of the rural and the nonwhite labor force is only partially completed. The skills of many of these workers are only partially utilized, although they have moved from the farm to the urban setting.

The actual shift from sectors of low output per man-hour to those of higher output per man-hour is also accompanied by substantial upgrading in workers' skills. It is, therefore, not correct to infer that interindustry shifts "explain" all of the increase in output per man-hour accompanying shifts between sectors. As stated by Denison—

This procedure would be reasonable if, in computing differences between industries in output per unit of input, inputs were measured after full adjustment for quality differences. In practice, such calculations have usually been based simply on employment or man-hours. Unless the reasons for industrial differences in earnings per man-hour are known and isolated, such calculations are meaningless.¹⁷

THE COMPOSITION OF DEMAND

Over the long run (1929-65), there have been marked changes in the composition of demand for the Nation's output of goods and services. Personal consumption as a percent of gross national product has fallen from about 75 percent in 1929 to about 63 percent in 1965. During war years, 1941-45 and 1951-52, consumption fell markedly, and then rose immediately after the wars.

Within the consumer sector, demand has risen more rapidly for services and durable goods than for nondurable goods. After the World War, purchases of durable goods rose from 6.7 percent of total purchases in 1945 to a high of 16 percent in 1950. The relative expansion of the services came later, rising from about 33 percent of total consumption in 1951 to about 41 percent in 1965, and the first two quarters of 1966.

Investment has been a volatile sector, varying from a low of 1.7 percent of gross national product in 1932 to 19 percent in 1950. The proportion of investment in total outlays varies with the business cycle. During one such period of rapid capital expansion, 1954-57,

¹⁶ "Productivity, Prices, and Incomes," materials prepared for the Joint Economic Committee by the committee staff, 1957, p. 19.

¹⁷ Edward F. Denison, "The Sources of Economic Growth in the United States and the Alternatives Before Us," 1962, p. 225.

investment rose from about 14 percent in 1954 to about 17 percent in 1955 and 1956. Business fixed investment (excluding residential structures) has exceeded 10 percent in only four periods between 1929 and the present: in 1929, 1947-48, 1956-57, and in 1965-66. Although business expenditures on new plant and equipment rose at a rather moderate rate in 1962 and 1963 (8½ and 5 percent), the rate of increase accelerated to 15 percent between 1963 and 1964, to 16 percent between 1964 and 1965, and is estimated at 17 percent between 1965 and 1966.¹⁸

Nonresidential fixed investment was 9 percent of gross national product in 1961; by 1965 it had risen to 10.3 percent, and in the first and second quarters of 1966 it reached 10.7 percent. This ratio during 1965 and 1966 has been about the same or slightly greater than it was during the capital boom of 1956 and 1957.

Investment activity in the residential construction sector often does not parallel the pace of activity in nonresidential investment. Residential construction tends to be deferred during wartime or economic boom. The level of residential construction declined to very low levels during the Second World War, recovering to more than 50 percent of total fixed investment in 1948. After 1948, the proportion of residential in total fixed investment fell steadily to 41 percent in 1950, 32 percent in 1960, and to 27 percent in the first half of 1966.

Both residential and nonresidential fixed investment expanded rapidly after the war and during the early phases of the expansions of 1954-57 and 1961-66. However, as different sectors of the economy competed for resources in the later phases of expansion, residential construction lost ground. The level of residential construction fell between 1955 and 1956, and between 1959 and 1960. Again after 1963, the rate of advance in residential construction leveled off and turned down slightly during 1965 and declined markedly during 1966.

Government purchases of goods and services have increased more rapidly than other major demand sectors. In 1929, Government purchases of goods and services accounted for about 8 percent of gross national product, and increased to about 20 percent in 1965. Purchases by the Federal Government have increased from 1.3 percent of GNP in 1929 to 9.8 percent in 1965. Purchases by State and local governments have increased from 7 percent in 1929 to 10.2 percent in 1965, and have risen steadily since World War II, from 4.7 percent in 1946.

In the postwar period, purchases by the Federal Government for defense purposes reached a high of more than 13 percent of gross national product in 1952 and 1953 from only 5 percent in 1950. Spending on defense accounted for about 10 percent of GNP during the rest of the 1950's. From 1960 to 1965, defense spending as a percent of GNP declined because of rapid increases in output. This proportion reached a low of 7.3 percent in the first half of 1965, but then increased to 7.8 percent in the second quarter of 1966.

¹⁸ Economic Indicators, July 1966, p. 9.

CHAPTER III

NATIONAL INCOME, ITS ORIGIN AND DISTRIBUTION

GROWTH IN NATIONAL INCOME

National income is the total earnings of the factors of production, representing the production of the national economy, net of depreciation, and before indirect taxes.

In current dollars, national income has risen 544 percent between 1929 and 1965, or at an annual rate of 5.3 percent. Annual rates of growth in real national income¹ are presented in table III.A. Real national income has tripled from 1929 to 1965 and the annual rate of increase has been 3.1 percent over the entire period, rising by 2.5 percent annually 1929-47 and 3.8 percent annually from 1947 to 1965. In per capita terms, the increase has amounted to 1.5 percent annually, 1929-47, and 2.1 percent annually, 1947-65. The rate of increase per employed worker has been slightly higher or 1.4 percent annually, 1929-47 and 2.6 percent 1947-65.

TABLE III.A—*Growth in real national income, 1929-65*

(Compound rate of increase in percent)

Period	Total	Per person	Per worker
1929-47	2.5	1.5	1.4
1947-65	3.8	2.1	2.6
1929-65	3.1	1.8	2.0

Source: App. III, table III.2.

DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME—TOTAL ECONOMY

National income is composed of employee compensation, proprietors' income, corporate profits plus inventory valuation adjustment, rental income of persons, and net interest. Attention is often focused on the share of employee compensation and the share of corporate profits in national income. Alternatively, the division between labor and property shares may be of interest; in which case, rent, interest and corporate profits are lumped together. The distribution of income among these components affects spending-saving decisions, and has important equity implications.

Over the long run and for the economy as a whole, the share going to employee compensation has risen markedly from 59 percent in 1929 to 70 percent in 1965. Much of this shift occurred in the postwar years: Employee compensation amounted to about 65 percent from 1946 to 1951, from which it has risen to its present share of 70 to 71 percent. For the total economy, there has been little or no shift away from

¹ Current national income deflated by the implicit price deflator for the private economy.

employee compensation during the recent expansion. However, the long-term trend seems to have been arrested (temporarily at least).

Shifts in the origin of income by industry and by legal form of organization account for roughly two-thirds of the increase in the share of employee compensation. The ratio of employee compensation to national income was computed first on the assumption that the relative importance of each industry was the same in all years and second on the assumption that the relative importance of each legal form of organization was the same in all years. The proportions existing in 1947 were used in computing the share in 1929, 1955, and 1965. If the industry-shift-effect is eliminated by holding the proportions constant, the difference between 1929 and 1965 amounting to 11.4 percent is reduced to 4.0 percent. If the effect of shifts in the origin of income by legal form is eliminated, employees' compensation increased 5.2 percentage points. These results are set forth in tabular form as follows:

Compensation of employees as a percent of national income

	1929	1947	1955	1965
Actual.....	58.9	64.8	67.8	70.3
Assuming 1947 proportions of national income for:				
13 major industry groups.....	63.9	64.8	65.7	67.9
Legal form of organization.....	62.4	64.8	66.0	67.6

An analysis of the within industry trends in the share of income going for employees' compensation leads to some interesting conclusions. The share of employee compensation in income originating for major industry divisions is set forth in table III B. From 1929 to 1965, industries' share rose very little (less than 3 percentage points) in the case of agriculture, mining, and manufacturing. However, the share has risen by almost 15 percentage points in contract construction; by 10 percentage points in transportation; and by about 6 percentage points in trade, finance, and other services. The table below indicates the share of employee compensation by major industry for the years 1929, 1947, 1955, and 1965.

TABLE III.B—Employee compensation as a percent of income originating by industry, selected years

	1929	1947	1955	1965
All industries.....	58.9	64.8	67.8	70.3
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.....	16.7	16.0	18.6	16.8
Mining.....	73.3	72.4	70.5	74.9
Contract construction.....	66.2	72.5	78.1	81.1
Manufacturing.....	74.0	74.9	74.1	76.3
Nondurable.....	71.6	69.3	71.0	74.3
Durable.....	76.3	79.8	76.2	77.6
Transportation.....	72.9	83.9	83.7	83.2
Communication.....	67.9	86.5	67.7	58.4
Electric, gas, and sanitary services.....	47.8	56.4	49.0	45.1
Trade.....	69.4	62.9	69.1	75.5
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	23.3	29.3	27.8	30.9
Services.....	62.6	65.2	66.3	69.0
Government and government enterprises.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Rest of world.....	.1	2.1	1.2	.8

Source: Data of app. III.

With respect to the legal form of organization, the employee share of corporate income has increased from 74.6 percent in 1929 to 78.4 percent in 1965, and from 35.0 to 45.5 percent in the case of proprietors and partnerships. According to national accounting practice, employee compensation is considered 100 percent of income originating in government. The share of compensation by legal form is presented below for 4 selected years of relatively full employment.

TABLE III.C—Employee compensation as a percent of income originating by legal form of organization

	1929	1947	1955	1965
Corporate.....	74.6	76.9	76.9	78.4
Proprietors and partnership.....	35.0	38.5	42.7	45.5
Other business.....	3.6	7.1	6.2	5.3
Government and households.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Rest of world.....	.1	2.1	1.2	.8

Source: Data of app. III.

It should be pointed out that these conclusions apply to employee compensation and not to the total share going to labor. Conclusions about the share to labor hinge on the assumptions used in allocating proprietors' joint income between labor and capital. If the entrepreneur's return on capital is treated as the residual while the labor return is valued at hired rates, the increase in the share going to labor is less than if the return to capital is evaluated in terms of capital returns elsewhere and the labor return is considered a residual.² In the present study, no attempt has been made to allocate proprietors' income between labor and capital.³

The share going to proprietors has fallen over the long run reflecting the declining relative importance of agriculture and the shift from small stores to corporate forms of retail trade. Proprietors' share of total income has fallen from a high of 20 percent in 1946 to 10 percent in 1965. During the present expansion, the share of proprietors has fallen from 11.3 percent in 1961 to 9.8 percent in first quarter 1966.

Several explanations have been offered for the rising share going to labor. The share of income originating in government and in other service industries has risen. In addition, theories have been advanced on investment in "human capital," wherein workers are continually more skilled and more highly educated. The explanation offered by classical economics is that the capital stock has increased more rapidly than the labor supply, and labor has become increasingly the scarce

² Irving B. Kravis, "Relative Income Shares in Fact and Theory," *American Economic Review*, December 1959, p. 919.

³ The interested reader may be referred to the following studies:

Robert M. Solow, "The Constancy of Relative Shares," *American Economic Review*, September 1958, pp. 618-30.

Simon Kuznets, "Economic Development and Cultural Change," vol. III, No. 3, pt. 2, April 1959.

Irving B. Kravis, *op. cit.*, pp. 917-947.

factor. According to this theory, the acceleration in the growth of the labor force after 1957 may tend to reverse the trend.⁴

Corporate profits before the corporate income tax and inventory valuation adjustment as a percent of total national income rose from 11.8 percent in 1961 to 13.3 percent in 1965, the highest proportion since 1955 when it was 14.2 percent. Both the 1965 and the 1955 corporate shares were exceeded during World War II and the Korean war.⁵

The other forms of property income—net interest and rent—have shown divergent trends in the last decade. The share of interest reached a low point in 1950 and 1951 of 0.8 percent, from which it has risen steadily to 3.2 percent in 1965. During the present expansion, interest has risen from 2.3 percent of total income in 1961 to 3.2 percent in 1965.⁶ Rental income of persons is largely the imputed value of rent on owner-occupied houses and also covers supplemental income of persons who are not professional realtors. Rental income, like the housing cycle, follows a long-term course that is often independent of the business cycle. Movements in rental income also tend to be sticky, lagging behind other price changes. The rental share rose from the wartime low of 3 percent in 1943–44 to 4.5 percent in 1954 from which it has steadily declined to 3.3 percent in 1965 and 3.1 percent in first quarter 1966.

NATIONAL INCOME BY INDUSTRY

The shares of total national income originating in major industries are presented in table III.D. Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries contributed 9.8 percent of the national income in 1929. Although the share of agriculture changed very little by 1947, it had fallen to 4.7 percent in 1955 and 3.8 percent in 1965. The relative decline in agriculture stems from the low income elasticity of food. As per capita income has increased, expenditures on food have risen less than proportionately.⁷ Moreover, as personal incomes have risen, consumers have demanded an increasing bundle of services attached to the food which they consume. On the supply side of food production technological change has resulted in a greater rate of increase in production than the rate of increase in demand provided by the rise in population and per capita incomes.

⁴John W. Kendrick, "The Wage-Productivity-Price Issue," *California Management Review*, p. 47.

⁵The significance of changes in distribution of national income between labor and capital, or property, should be assessed in the light of two major considerations. How is the distribution affected by the way in which depreciation of fixed assets is computed in determining corporate profits and entrepreneurial income? What is the relative distribution of taxes between the two shares?

In estimating national income, the Department of Commerce must deduct an allowance for depreciation. The depreciation estimate used is that reported for tax purposes by business based upon the original cost of depreciable assets. For some purposes it may be desirable to substitute depreciation based on current year values of assets for the reported values so that all costs as well as receipts are expressed in uniform current values. See pages 64–74 of appendix I for a more detailed discussion of these problems.

⁶Net interest does not include interest on the public debt, or interest paid by consumers.

⁷This general phenomenon accompanying the economic growth of nations was first identified by Ernst Engel in 1847. Engel's law states that "the percentage of income spent on food declines as income increases."

TABLE III.D—National income by industrial origin

[Percent of total]

	1929	1947	1955	1965
Total.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Agriculture, etc.....	9.8	9.5	4.7	3.8
Mining.....	2.4	2.1	1.8	1.2
Contract construction.....	4.4	4.2	5.0	5.1
Manufacturing.....	25.3	29.9	32.6	30.4
Nondurable.....	12.3	14.1	13.3	11.7
Durable.....	13.0	15.8	19.3	18.7
Transportation.....	7.6	5.8	4.8	4.0
Communication.....	1.3	1.2	1.7	2.0
Electric, gas, and sanitary services.....	1.9	1.4	1.9	2.1
Trade.....	15.6	18.9	15.8	15.0
Finance.....	14.8	8.1	10.3	10.8
Services.....	10.2	9.1	9.4	11.3
Government.....	5.8	9.4	11.5	13.5
Rest of world.....	.9	.4	.5	.8

Source: Percentages computed from data supplied by Office of Business Economics, U.S. Department of Commerce. (See app. III, table III.1.)

The share of national income originating in manufacturing increased from 25.3 percent in 1929 to 32.6 percent in 1955 and has fallen slightly to 30.4 percent in 1965. Within manufacturing, the durable goods sector has not only been less stable than the nondurable goods sector, but has expanded more rapidly. Durable goods manufacturing accounted for 13 percent of national income in 1929 and increased to 19 percent in 1965. The share of nondurable goods was approximately the same in 1965 as in 1929, about 12 percent.

The share of income originating in Government has shown the largest increase. The Government sector produced 5.8 percent of total income in 1929, 11.5 percent in 1955, and 13.5 percent in 1965.

The shares of services and trade were about the same in 1965 as in 1929, approximately 10 and 15 percent, respectively.

As indicated in table III.D, the transportation sector's share in national income has fallen from 7.6 percent in 1929 to 4.8 percent in 1955 and 4.0 percent in 1965. This is in contrast to the share originating in communication, which has increased from 1.2 percent in 1947 to 2 percent in 1965.

Growth in income during the last decade has been comparatively rapid in construction, communication, utilities, finance, services, and Government. As a whole, national income increased 68.9 percent from 1955 to 1965. Government increased 97.6 percent, services 102.4 percent, and communication 97.1 percent. Of the total rise in national income, manufacturing accounted for 27 percent of the increase, Government 16 percent, services and trade 14 percent each, and finance 12 percent. In table III.E, more detailed data are presented on industrial growth in the last 10 years, and the contribution of major industries to the growth in total income.

TABLE III.E—*Industrial growth in income and share of increase in total national income, 1955-65*

[In percent]

	Increase	Share of total increase
Total.....	68.9	100.0
Agriculture, etc.....	36.3	2.5
Mining.....	9.4	.2
Contract construction.....	70.2	5.1
Manufacturing.....	58.0	27.3
Nondurable.....	49.1	9.4
Durable.....	64.1	17.9
Transportation.....	43.9	3.1
Communication.....	97.1	2.6
Utilities.....	86.6	2.4
Trade.....	59.9	13.7
Finance.....	78.9	11.8
Services.....	102.4	14.0
Government.....	97.6	16.2
Rest of world.....	137.5	1.1

Source: Computed from data supplied by the Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

INCOME DISTRIBUTION IN THE CORPORATE SECTOR

Further insight into the distribution of national income may be gained if attention is focused on the distribution of income originating in corporate businesses. In this case, the share going for employee compensation is the same as "labor's share." Labor's share of corporate income has risen much less than for the total economy, amounting to 75 percent in 1929 and 78 percent in 1965. By historical standards, labor's share of corporate generated income was relatively high, or about 80 percent, between 1957 and 1963. However, during the present expansion, labor's share has declined from 80.9 percent in 1961 to 78.4 percent in 1965. Corporate profits (before income taxes and after adjustment for inventory valuation) accounted for 22 percent of total income originating in 1929 and 22 percent of income originating in 1965. In the present expansion, the share of profits has risen about 2 percentage points.

Corporate gross product includes income originating, plus capital consumption allowances and indirect taxes. Capital consumption allowances are accounting figures and are not necessarily an economically meaningful measure of the real volume of capital used. Thus, corporate profits after tax plus capital consumption allowances may give a more appropriate indication of the share of capital.

In the data below, corporate profits after tax, plus capital consumption, were 20.4 percent of gross product in 1947 and 19.9 percent in 1965. The accounting figure, capital consumption, rose from 4.7 percent to 9.3 percent during this period, while after-tax profits fell from 15.7 percent to 10.6 percent. The effect of business expansion on the shares of corporate product is indicated by the changes from 1960 to

1965. The share of employee compensation declined from 65.9 to 63.7 percent between 1960 and 1965, while the corporate cash flow (corporate profits after tax plus capital consumption) has risen from 17.4 to 19.9 percent.

Labor and capital shares of corporate gross product

	Employee compensation	Corporate profits after tax plus capital consumption	Corporate profits after tax	Capital consumption allowances
1947	66.2	20.4	15.7	4.7
1955	64.2	19.0	11.3	7.7
1960	65.9	17.4	8.7	8.7
1965	63.7	19.9	10.6	9.3

(Source: App. II, table III.9.)

INCOME DISTRIBUTION IN MANUFACTURING

Although the distribution of income between labor and corporate profits varies markedly with the business cycle, the shares have remained remarkably constant over the long run. Employee compensation accounted for 74 percent of income originating in manufacturing in 1929, 75 percent in 1947, 74 percent in 1955, and 76 percent in 1965 (years of relatively full employment). Corporate profits, before income taxes, amounted to 22.3 percent of income in 1929 and 22.6 percent in 1965. Corporate profits, after income taxes, have declined from 19.5 percent in 1929 to 12.5 percent in 1965. However, these trends in national income data are affected by both accounting practices, and Government tax laws and depreciation policies. Since the early postwar years, capital consumption allowances have been liberalized and reported depreciation has increased more than physical or economic depreciation.

Because of these accounting difficulties, additional insight can be gained by studying the cash flow of manufacturing corporations (capital consumption plus corporate profits after taxes). The cash flow was converted to a percentage of the sum of national income plus capital consumption allowances. In 1929 this percentage was 26.1, in 1955 23.6 percent and in 1965 20.7 percent. Since 1947, the cash flow percentage has been at about the same level during years when the ratio of actual to potential gross national product was near 100. From the available data, the conclusion follows that the shares of after tax corporate profits and the cash flow have declined moderately from the 1929 levels.

As in previous periods of business expansion, the share of corporate profits in income from manufacturing has increased from 18.8 percent in 1961 to 22.6 percent in 1965; and after taxes has risen from 9.6 to 12.5 percent. In this 4-year period, the cash flow, as a percent of national income plus capital consumption, has increased from 17.8 percent to 20.7 percent.

NATIONAL INCOME BY LEGAL FORM OF ORGANIZATION

The relative importance of the Government sector has increased as a share of national income, fallen in the case of the proprietor and partnership sector, and remained about constant for the relatively minor legal forms. The share of income originating in Government, including Government enterprises, has increased from about 6 percent in 1929 to about 12 in 1952, and to about 13½ percent in 1965. In the private economy, income originating in the proprietor and partnership sector amounted to about 27 to 28 percent of total income between 1929 and 1949, but has since fallen steadily to 19 percent in 1965.

The share of national income originating in the corporate sector increased between 1929 and 1965 from 53 percent to 57 percent. The corporate share was relatively low in the 1930's but during the war increased to the level of 1929. During each of the last 15 years (1950-65) the corporate share has been about 56 to 57 percent of total national income, compared to the 53 percent in 1929.

The shares of other forms of private organization have not shown outstanding trends. In 1965, 3.3 percent of income originated in households, 0.8 percent in rest of world, and 6.7 percent in the category "other private business."

SOURCES OF PERSONAL INCOME

Personal income, has increased 518 percent from 1929 to 1965, or at a compound rate of 5.2 percent annually.

In the long run, between 1929 and 1965, there were substantial changes in the distribution of personal income by source. The share of labor income increased from 59.3 percent of the total to 70.7 percent. Proprietors' income fell from 17.6 percent to 10.3 percent. The share going to property owners, other than proprietors' income,¹ amounted to 21½ percent in 1929 and 14.1 percent in 1965. Both rent and dividends fell in relative importance, while the interest share was about the same in 1965 as in 1929. Net transfer payments increased from 2½ percent in 1929 to 7.4 percent in 1965.

More recent trends in the sources of personal income are illustrated in table III.F. In the last decade (1955-65), personal income increased by 72 percent or by almost three-quarters. Comparatively large increases occurred in dividends (83 percent), interest (170 percent), and net transfers (119 percent). The types of income which rose comparatively slowly were farm income (33 percent), and business and professional income (34 percent).

The data of table III.F also illustrate how the shares of personal income are affected by the rate of growth in the economy. From 1955 to 1960, personal income rose 29 percent, compared to a rise of 33 percent from 1960 to 1965, a period of more rapid growth. Farm income increased only 5 percent in the first period, but 26 percent in the second. Dividends rose by 28 percent in the first period and 43 percent in the second. The rise in labor's income was approximately equal to the total increase in each period.

¹ That is, interest, dividends, and rent.

TABLE III.F—Sources of personal income, 1955-65

(Dollar amounts in billions)

	1955	1960	1965	Percent change		
				1955-60	1960-65	1955-65
				Total.....	\$310.9	\$401.0	$535.1	29.0	33.4	72.1
Labor income.....	218.6	282.8	376.9	29.4	33.3	72.4
Proprietors' income:						
Farm.....	11.4	12.0	15.1	5.3	25.8	32.5
Business and professional.....	30.3	34.2	40.7	12.9	19.0	34.3
Rental income.....	13.9	15.8	18.3	13.7	15.8	31.7
Dividends.....	10.5	13.4	19.2	27.6	43.3	82.9
Personal interest.....	14.2	23.4	38.4	64.8	64.1	170.4
Transfers.....	17.3	28.5	39.7	64.7	39.3	129.5
Less contributions for social insurance.....	5.2	9.3	13.2	78.8	41.9	153.8
Net transfer payments.....	12.1	19.2	26.5	58.7	38.0	119.0

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

In general, yearly compensation per full-time employee has risen at about the same rate, regardless of the broad industry classification. As indicated in table III.G, compensation increased $3\frac{1}{2}$ percent annually from 1929 to 1947, and $4\frac{1}{2}$ percent from 1947 to 1965. The compensation of agricultural employees increased rapidly, between 1929 and 1947, 6.6 percent; but the rate of increase lagged to only 2.6 percent annually in the second period.

TABLE III.G—Yearly compensation per full-time employee

	1929	1947	1965	Average annual percent change	
				1929-47	1947-65
				Total.....	\$1,405	$2,589	$5,705	3.5	4.5
Agriculture, etc.....	401	1,276	2,030	6.6	2.6
Mining.....	1,526	3,133	6,783	4.1	4.4
Contract construction.....	1,674	2,829	6,593	3.0	4.8
Manufacturing.....	1,543	2,793	6,386	3.4	4.7
Nondurable.....	1,455	2,684	5,689	3.5	4.3
Durable.....	1,630	2,884	6,848	3.2	4.9
Transportation.....	1,643	3,169	7,473	3.7	4.9
Communication.....	1,394	2,673	6,618	3.7	4.6
Utilities.....	1,562	2,957	7,291	3.6	4.6
Trade.....	1,594	2,632	5,436	2.8	4.1
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	2,062	2,740	6,070	1.6	4.5
Services.....	1,079	1,996	4,292	3.5	4.3
Government.....	1,551	2,575	5,701	2.9	4.5
Rest of world.....	2,000	3,400	9,000	3.0	5.6

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

Typically, compensation per full-time employee in the services and especially in agriculture has lagged far behind the national average. In 1929, compensation for agricultural workers was only 29 percent of the average. By 1947, it increased relatively to 49 percent of the average, but then fell to about 36 percent in 1965. Service workers received about 77 percent of the national average in 1929, and their relative position had changed little in 1965, 75 percent of the average.

Compensation in trade and in finance, insurance, and real estate, in-

creased relatively slowly during the first period, but at about the overall rate during the postwar period.

Manufacturing employees' compensation per man-hour increased at the rate of 5.3 percent compounded annually between 1947 and 1965. After taking into account the rise in the Consumer Price Index, their gain amounted to 3.3 percent annually, which is equal to the rate of increase in output per man-hour in the total private economy.

The rate of increase in manufacturing employees' compensation in the present period of expansion may be compared to the rate of increase in the expansion of 1954-57. The data below show that current compensation rose 5.5 percent annually from 1954 to 1957 and 3.8 percent from 1961 to 1965. The rate of increase in real earnings was also much higher in the former expansion (3.9 percent) compared to the expansionary period 1961-65 (2.5 percent).

TABLE III.H—*Manufacturing employee compensation per man-hour*

[Compound annual rate of increase in percent]

Period	Compensation per man-hour	Real compensation per man-hour
1947-65.....	5.3	3.3
1954-57.....	5.5	3.9
1961-65.....	3.8	2.5

¹ Current earnings deflated by the Consumer Price Index.

Real hourly earnings of production workers (excluding fringe benefits and payroll taxes paid by employers) have lagged behind the rate of increase in output per man-hour in the total private economy. From 1947 to 1965, real hourly earnings increased 2.4 percent annually for production workers in manufacturing, 2.9 percent in building construction, and 2.4 percent in retail trade. From 1960 to 1965, real hourly earnings of production workers in manufacturing increased only 1.7 percent annually. Real earnings per week, however, have increased at a somewhat faster rate, reflecting a longer workweek. Particularly, weekly earnings of construction workers have shown large increases compared to hourly increases.

TABLE III.I—*Real earnings of production workers*¹

[Compound annual rate of increase in percent]

	Real hourly earnings		Real earnings per week	
	1947-65	1960-65	1947-65	1960-65
Manufacturing.....	2.4	1.7	2.4	2.3
Durable.....	2.5	1.5	2.7	2.4
Nondurable.....	2.1	1.5	2.1	2.0
Building construction.....	2.9	2.6	3.7	6.5
Retail trade ²	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.6

¹ The following items are excluded: Irregular bonuses, welfare benefits, and payroll taxes paid by employers.

² Adjusted for change in definition occurring in 1964, which included eating and drinking establishments.

Farm wage rates in 1965 were still less than a dollar an hour. Real farm wage rates have risen very slowly over the long run. From 1910 to 1939, they increased from 35 cents to only 40 cents per hour. During the decade of the 1940's they rose by about 5 percent compounded annually. However, the improvement appears to have been a shortrun, wartime phenomenon. In the last 15 years, real farm wages have increased only about 2 percent annually.

TABLE III.J—*Farm wage rates*

	Current dollars	1957-59 purchasing power
1929	\$0.24	\$0.45
1947 .....	.55	.66
1965 .....	.95	.89

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service.

The average income of farm operators, after deductions for mortgage payments and other expenses of production, amounted to \$4,493 in 1965. Since 1929, farm operators' real income has increased at the rate of 2½ percent compounded annually. As in the case of farm wages, operators did better during the first half of this 36-year period than during the second half (3.3 percent annually, compared to 1.6 percent annually).

TABLE III.K—*Operators' total net income per farm*

	Current dollars	Constant 1957-59 purchasing power
1929	\$945	\$1,750
1947	2,615	3,151
1965	4,493	4,199
Compound annual rates of change (percent):		
1929-47	5.8	3.3
1947-65	3.1	1.6
1929-65	4.5	2.5

Source: Current dollar figures, Farm Income Situation. Col. 2: Computed by deflating by the index of prices paid by farm families for living expenses.

CHAPTER IV

PRICES AND COSTS IN THE NATIONAL ECONOMY

The price of a product, once the product is defined, is a rather clear-cut concept. It represents the rate at which the product may be transformed into dollars and thereby into other products. But typically, we are interested in the prices of a group of products. The price index is a useful tool for tracing price developments for a group of products. The three most widely used price indexes are the Wholesale Price Index, the Consumer Price Index, and the Implicit Price Index.¹

PRICES, COSTS, AND INCOMES

The price of a product is also the income of the factors of production, plus the cost of raw materials, and plus capital consumption allowances and indirect taxes. Under conditions of pure competition, this price in the long run is approximately equal to the cost necessary to attract the needed resources.² However, at any one time, the price is much influenced by the shortrun supply, shifts in demand, and particularly the expectations of buyers and sellers about future supply and demand conditions. Where there are barriers to entry and when there are unforeseen changes in supply and demand, the price of the product will tend to differ from the lowest cost which is necessary to produce the product.

Since prices in the long run are greatly influenced by the costs of production, price developments may be analyzed by computing changes in unit costs. The unit cost of a factor of production is the dollar outlay for the amount of the factor that is used to produce a unit of output (measured in constant prices). As an example, changes in unit-labor costs depend on changes in employee compensation per man-hour and changes in labor productivity, which in turn is due to changes in efficiency, technology change, economies of scale, and changes in the ratio of labor to other inputs. Changes in the unit-labor cost of a product may be expressed algebraically as:

$$C = \frac{M}{O} \div \frac{M}{W}$$

¹ See "Government Price Statistics," hearings of the Subcommittee on Economic Statistics of the Joint Economic Committee, 1966, and Jules Backman and Martin Gainsbrugh, "Inflation and the Price Indexes," Subcommittee on Economic Statistics, Joint Economic Committee, 1966.

² The minimum long-run cost is equal to the resource cost to the community. This is different from the accounting concept of business cost which is the actual cost of the product to the firm.

where C equals change in unit-labor cost, M equals change in man-hours, O equals change in output, and W equals change in employee compensation per man-hour.³ Since man-hours cancel in the above equation, changes in unit-labor costs may be studied by dividing an index of employee compensation by an index of production. It is then possible to determine how much of the total increase in product price is assignable to a particular cost component by multiplying the percentage rise in factor cost by the share of the factor payment in total cost per unit of production. It is also possible to estimate roughly the part of an economy-wide inflation that directly stems from the price increase in a particular industry.⁴

Ideally, it should be possible to trace the anatomy of a general price rise to the industry and to the cost component. Such analysis does not establish causality, however, since there are indirect effects where demand and cost trends in one industry affect costs in other industries. In addition, there is no point in time which represents an equilibrium situation where factor payments are just sufficient to hold the resources within that line of production. At any time, some parts of the economy are in disequilibrium.

LÖNGRÜN PRICE MOVEMENTS

In the past quarter century (1940-65), the Consumer Price Index rose 125 percent, and the Wholesale Price Index rose 138 percent. (See charts 3 and 4.) These increases amounted to 3.2 percent compounded annually and 3.5 percent, respectively. The Implicit Price Index, as might be expected from the manner in which it is constructed, rose somewhat more, or 153 percent, amounting to an annual rate of increase of 3.8 percent. If the prices of Government services are left out of consideration, the Implicit Price Index for the private economy rose 144 percent, or 3.6 percent annually.

³ Changes in unit labor cost can also result from shifts in the industry or product mix within a sector.

⁴ A method of decomposing price changes is described and used by Charles L. Schultze in "Prices, Costs, and Output, 1947-57," Committee for Economic Development, pp. 13-19.

This approach was also used by Schultze in his study for the Joint Economic Committee: "Recent Inflation in the United States," study paper No. 1, "Study of Employment Growth and Price Levels," 1959.

CHART 3 CONSUMER PRICES

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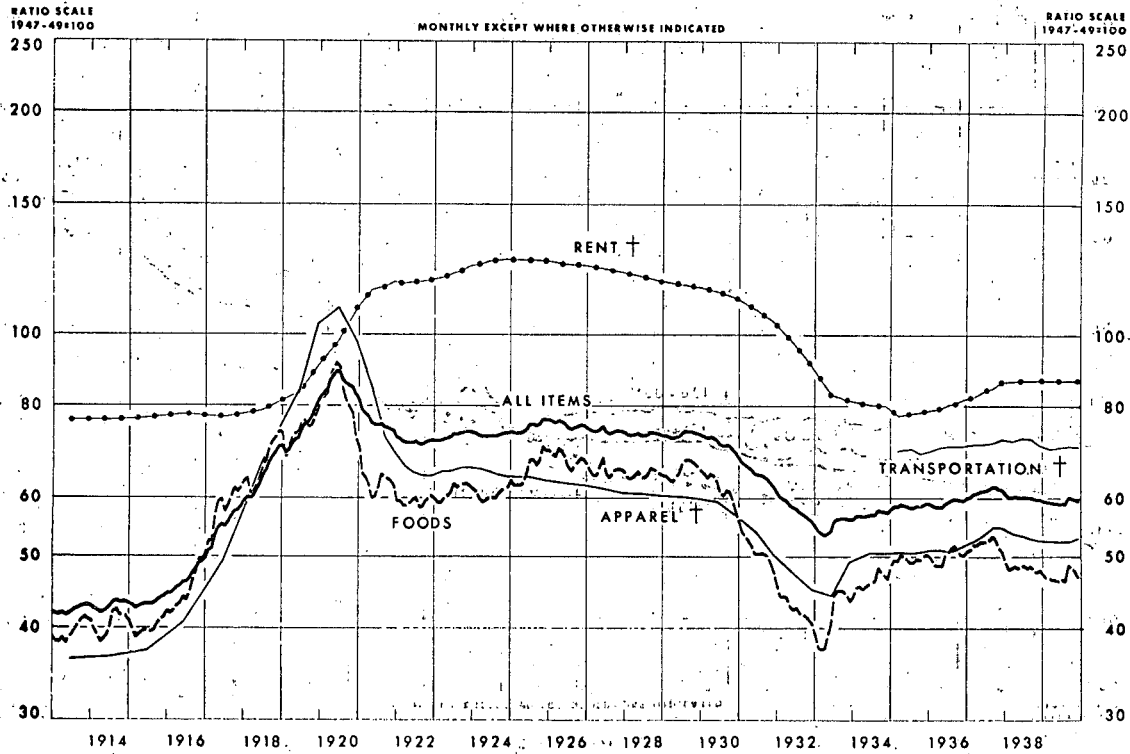
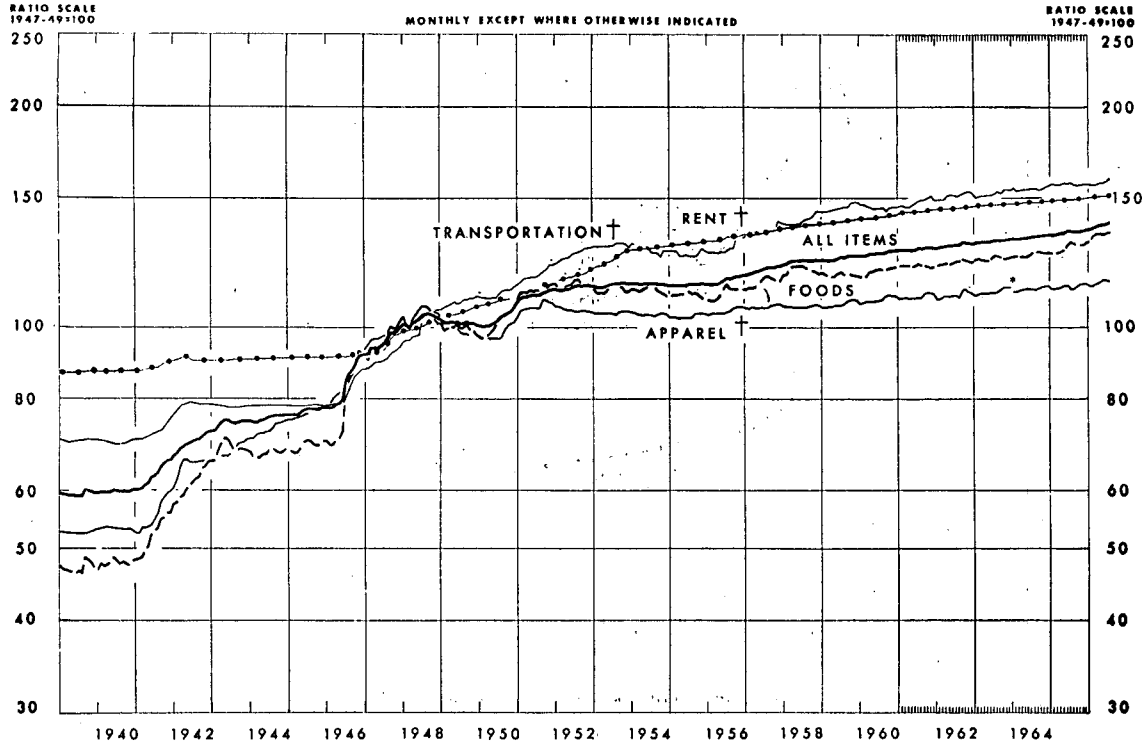
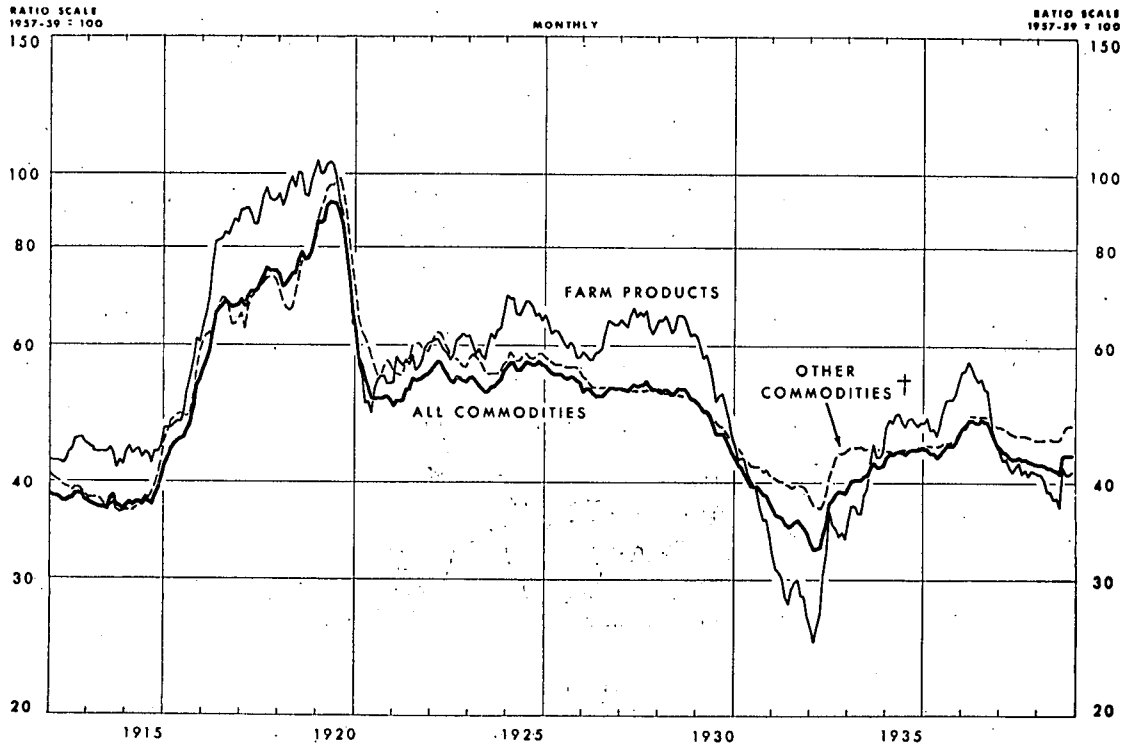


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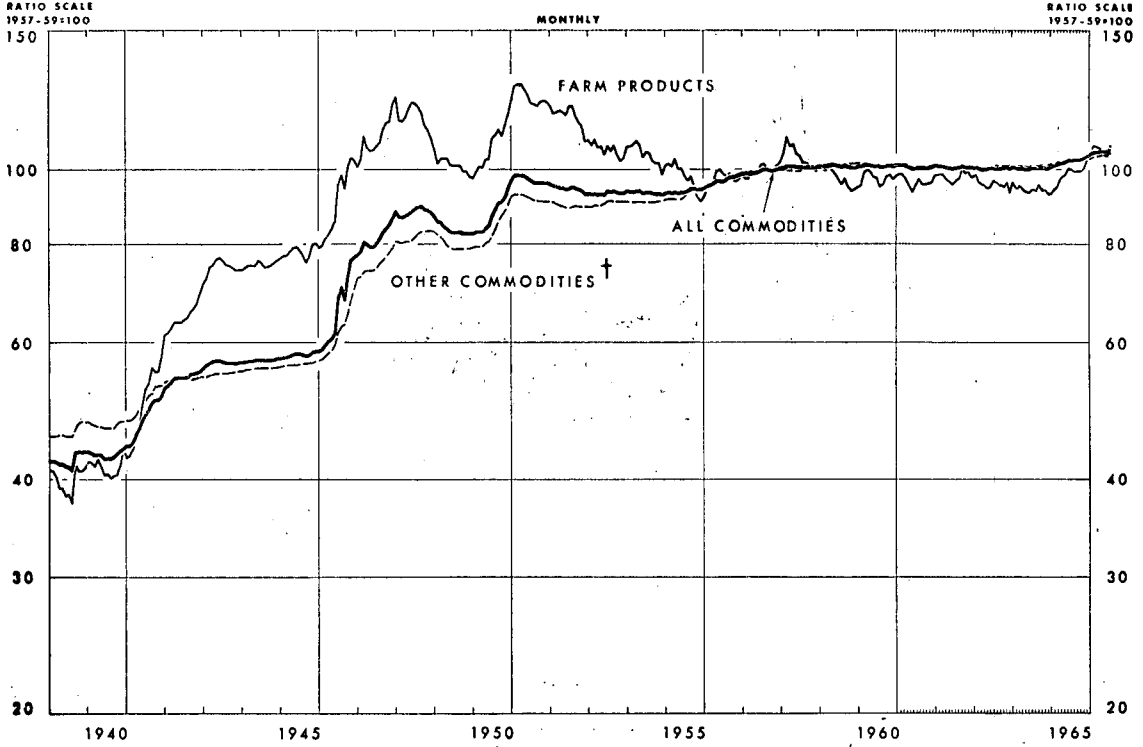
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 † SELECTED DATES: APPAREL AND RENT THROUGH 1940, TRANSPORTATION THROUGH 1940.

CHART 4
WHOLESALE PRICES
 BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS



† OTHER THAN FARM PRODUCTS AND FOODS.

CHART 4—Continued
WHOLESALE PRICES — Cont.
BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS



† OTHER THAN FARM PRODUCTS AND FOODS.

In general, prices have not advanced at a constant pace, but rather in distinct periods of inflation. More than half of the increase in the last 25 years took place during World War II and the following 3 years. There was a second major period of inflation between 1950 and 1951, when consumer prices rose 8 percent, wholesale prices 11.4 percent, and the Implicit Price Index 6.7 percent. The next inflationary period occurred from 1955 to 1957, when wholesale prices rose at an annual rate of 3.1 percent. Consumer prices, lagging behind wholesale prices, increased 3.1 percent annually, between 1956 and 1958. Since many of the products in the Implicit Price Index are also in the WPI and the CPI, it rose 3.2 percent annually from 1955 to 1958. From 1958 to 1964, consumer prices increased slowly and steadily by about 1.2 percent annually, while wholesale prices were unchanged. The Implicit Price Index increased 1.4 percent annually. From mid-1965 to mid-1966, the rate of advance in the price indexes again accelerated.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN CONSUMER PRICES

Prices were relatively stable during the first half of the 1960's. The Wholesale Price Index remained virtually unchanged throughout the 5 years; and the Consumer Price Index edged up an average of 1.3 percent annually, due primarily to a persistent rise in the prices of consumer services.

The Consumer Price Index rose 3.6 percent from November 1965 to November 1966. Although the rate of advance has slowed in recent months, much of the retardation has been due to lower food prices. The yearly and quarterly changes were as follows:

Changes in the Consumer Price Index

[In percent]

Period	All items	All items less food	Food	Services	Durable goods	Non-durable goods excluding food
November 1965–November 1966.....	3.6	3.2	4.6	4.8	1.1	2.8
November–February.....	.9	.1	3.1	.6	-.1	0
February–May.....	.9	1.1	.4	1.5	.7	.9
May–August.....	1.1	.8	2.0	1.2	.5	.3
August–November.....	.7	1.2	-.9	1.4	.5	1.6

The service component of the index increased 4.8 percent in the last year (November 1965–November 1966) and has contributed about 46 percent of the rise in the total index (services have a weight of about 35 percent of the total index). Medical care costs rose 6.4 percent; and their rate of advance has been increasing: 0.9 percent, November–February; 1.5 percent, February–May; 1.7 percent, May–August; and 2.3 percent, August–November.

Food prices rose 4.6 percent from November 1965 to November 1966, and contributed about 30 percent of the rise in the total index. However, the sharpest advances in food prices occurred from November to February; and in the most recent 3-month period (August–November), food prices fell about 1 percent.

Commodity prices (other than food) increased 2.1 percent from November 1965 to November 1966. Durable goods prices rose 1.1

percent for this period, falling slightly from November to February but then advancing by about one-half percent each 3-month period until November 1966. Prices of nondurable goods (other than food) rose 2.8 percent over the last year. From August to November, prices of nondurable goods rose 1.6 percent, or on an annual basis of more than 6 percent.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX

The Wholesale Price Index rose 2.3 percent from November 1965 to November 1966. Prices of farm products are ahead 2.2 percent, while industrial prices rose 2.1 percent.

There is evidence that pressures on wholesale prices have decreased in recent months. The overall index fell 0.9 percent from August to November; and during this period, prices of farm products were off 5.2 percent. After rising sharply from November 1965 to February 1966, crude material prices have since fallen to their level of a year ago.

However, prices of producer finished goods are up 3.5 percent from a year ago, and the rate of advance was greater during the most recent 3-month period than in any of the three preceding 3-month periods. Machinery prices advanced 3.3 percent during the year and 1.2 percent from August to November (at an annual rate of almost 5 percent).

It is also probable that these increases are understated, since in most cases the Wholesale Price Index is constructed using list prices rather than actual transportation prices. The list prices tend to be relatively more stable than actual prices.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE IMPLICIT PRICE INDEX

The Implicit Price Index was 3.3-percent higher in third quarter 1966 compared to a year ago. During that period, the most rapid quarterly advance occurred between the first and second quarters of 1966, when the index rose at an annual rate of 4.3 percent. From the second to the third quarter, the advance slowed to 3.2 percent (annual rate).

INTERNATIONAL COMPARISON OF PRICE MOVEMENTS: 1955-65

In comparison with foreign countries, consumer and wholesale prices rose more slowly in the United States during the 5-year period 1960-65, than during the previous 5-year period, 1955-60. This conclusion is based on a study of table IV.A, which contains data on consumer and wholesale prices for the United States, six countries of Western Europe, Canada, and Japan.

From 1955 to 1960, consumer prices in the United States rose 2 percent annually. This was approximately the rate of advance in the other countries, with the exception of France, which had a much greater increase. Wholesale prices in the United States rose 1.6 percent annually, faster than in any of the other countries except for France and the United Kingdom.

From 1960 to 1965, U.S. prices rose much more slowly than those of other major industrialized countries. The increase in consumer prices of 1.3 percent annually was far below the advance in eight of the nine other countries of table IV.A. In Canada, consumer prices rose only

slightly faster, or 1.6 percent annually. The record for U.S. wholesale prices was also very notable. The increase of 0.4 percent annually was less than one-fourth of the rate in any of the other countries with the exception of Japan which had an equal rate.

TABLE IV.A—*International comparison of price movements*

[Compound annual rates of change in percent]

	Consumer prices			Wholesale prices		
	1955-60	1960-65	1964-65	1955-60	1960-65	1964-65
United States.....	2.0	1.3	1.7	1.6	0.4	2.0
Belgium.....	1.8	2.6	4.0	.3	1.8	1.0
Canada.....	1.9	1.6	2.5	1.1	1.6	2.0
France.....	5.8	3.8	2.5	5.8	2.3	1.5
Germany.....	1.8	2.8	3.4	1.1	1.4	2.5
Italy.....	1.9	4.9	4.5	—	2.7	1.7
Japan.....	1.5	6.2	7.6	.7	.4	.8
Netherlands.....	2.6	3.5	5.3	.3	2.3	2.8
Switzerland.....	1.2	3.2	3.4	—	.04	.5
United Kingdom.....	2.6	3.5	4.8	2.0	2.8	4.6

Source: *Main Economic Indicators* (OECD) for consumer prices; and national statistical publications for wholesale prices.

Prepared by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Office of Foreign Labor and Trade.

It is true, however, that between 1964 and 1965 U.S. prices began to advance more rapidly than in the previous 4 years. Nevertheless, the rise of 1.7 percent in consumer prices was less than in any of the countries listed in table IV.A. Wholesale prices advanced between 1 and 3 percent in each country except Switzerland (0.7 percent) and the United Kingdom (4.3) percent.

STRUCTURAL PRICE CHANGES

In the long run, prices have risen more rapidly in some sectors than in others. The farm products series of the Wholesale Price Index rose 105 percent in the last 20 years, and the industrial series rose 133 percent. Significantly greater increases occurred in the service component of the Consumer Price Index (other than rent) and in Government services, 145 percent and 223 percent, respectively.

Different sets of forces act on prices in the service, industrial, and agricultural sectors; and certain changes in the structure of prices have resulted over extended periods of time. First, as shown in table IV.B, the prices of services have risen faster than either industrial or agricultural prices. This may be explained largely in terms of the much slower gains in labor productivity in service industries and long-term increases in the demand for services. There has been relatively small scope for technological change and economies of scale in the service sectors.

TABLE IV.B—*Price movements by broad sector of the economy: Percentage changes for selected periods*

	1935-65	1935-47	1947-60	1960-65
Farm products ¹	105.0	127.3	—11.2	1.5
Industrials ¹	133.0	71.1	34.5	1.2
Services, less rent ²	144.9	30.4	66.9	11.7
Government ³	222.7	70.0	67.0	13.7

¹ Wholesale Price Index.

² Consumer Price Index.

³ Government purchases of goods and services series of the Implicit Price Deflator.

Second, the data of Table IV.B indicate the relatively independent course of farm prices. Moreover, farm prices fluctuate widely. For example, between 1935 and 1947 they rose 127 percent, more than half again as much as industrial and service prices. However, from 1947 to 1960, farm prices fell 11 percent while industrials rose 35 percent and Government and services each rose 67 percent.

Forces affecting farm prices may be divided into longrun and special developments. In the long run, farm prices have fallen relative to nonfarm prices. On the supply side, this has been due to the exceptional advances in productivity in agriculture. The demand for domestic food consumption has increased steadily but slowly. This has been because of the slow and steady rise in population, and because as incomes rise people have budgeted a smaller proportion of their income to food. In other words, as peoples' income rises, their desire for more and more expensive food does not rise correspondingly. Special developments have resulted in large changes in farm prices. This is first because small shifts in demand or in supply lead to relatively great price responses. This characteristic of inelastic demand and supply curves is combined with the tendency for supply to fluctuate due to such factors as weather conditions, the association of the production cycle with the season or with breeding and growth cycles of livestock. Irregularities in demand tend to come from military needs and especially from international conditions of food supply and demand.

The increases in the industrial series of the Wholesale Price Index have occurred during concentrated periods of time. In broad outline, industrial prices rose 71 percent from 1935 to 1947, another 32 percent from 1947 to 1957, between 1957 and 1965, they increased about 3 percent.

The tendency of industrial prices to be sticky in the downward direction is demonstrated by postwar history. Even during recessions, the price index has not fallen from one year to the next by as much as 2½ percent. However, the prices of fabricated products tended to be much less flexible than the prices of raw materials and of products in early stages of production.

Three important considerations influence industrial prices in addition to competition. First, is the high proportion of value added in manufacturing which is paid in wages and salaries. The employee compensation component of cost is very resistant to downward pressures even in declining industries where widespread unemployment results. Moreover, in rapidly growing industries, wages are often relatively high to attract personnel (the computer and space industries are two examples).

A second major factor which may account for the behavior of industrial prices is the element of administered prices. There has been widespread discussion and disagreement as to the extent and form of administered pricing. Although these issues are complex and empirical work difficult, it seems reasonable to believe that large segments of the economy are characterized by discretionary wage and price

setting. It is also true that longrun competitive forces or disciplines affect these decisions.

A third important aspect influencing industrial prices is that productivity has been rising more rapidly in manufacturing than in the large service and Government sectors. However, the resulting saving, by and large, have not been passed on to the consumer and have resulted in higher profits than would have been the case under more competitive conditions. These profits, in turn, have contributed to longrun dollar wage increases above the trend in national productivity advance. It is true that this type of settlement is noninflationary in the sense that it does not lead directly to higher prices of durable goods. But on the other hand, it also causes wages in the service sector to be bid above the rate of overall productivity advance. In addition, it means that prices do not fall in manufacturing to offset the price increases in services which occur because of the low rates of increase in productivity in services.

The structural factors, which have been merely alluded to in this section, point out an important area of needed research. The following questions need to be investigated: (1) In quantitative terms, how much do these factors influence the major price indexes; and (2) how can structural forces acting on general price indexes be distinguished from those due to aggregate demand forces?

Although data are not at this time available, one small beginning would be to attempt to identify commodity and service groups of the Consumer Price Index with the rates of productivity advance for the respective factors.

PRICES AND UNIT COSTS

Factor costs per unit of output were computed by dividing the respective indexes of factor incomes and of capital depreciation by an index of output. The purpose of these computations is to compare the changes in costs with the changes in prices. Such comparisons in themselves reveal nothing about causation but merely suggest association. Moreover, a rise in unit costs may be due to the use of more of the factor per unit of output and/or to a rise in the price of the factor. Thus, it is extremely difficult, if not impossible, to assign responsibility to a particular factor of production for a price development. However, since living costs and employee costs interact, a rise in unit costs does suggest upward pressure on prices as producers strive to maintain profit margins.

In the long run from 1929 to 1965, employee compensation per unit of manufacturing output has risen about the same extent as the Wholesale Price Index of finished goods. The rise in wholesale finished prices was 93.6 percent during this period and in unit compensation 113.4 percent. In the postwar period, unit employees' costs rose faster than prices during the first part of the period and more slowly during the latter part. (See chart 5.) From 1947 to 1958, unit compensation rose 38 percent, while prices rose 25.8 percent. But from 1958 to 1965, unit compensation fell by 2.9 percent compared to a rise of 2.8 percent in prices.

CHART 5

MANUFACTURING-UNIT LABOR COST AND CAPACITY UTILIZATION RATE

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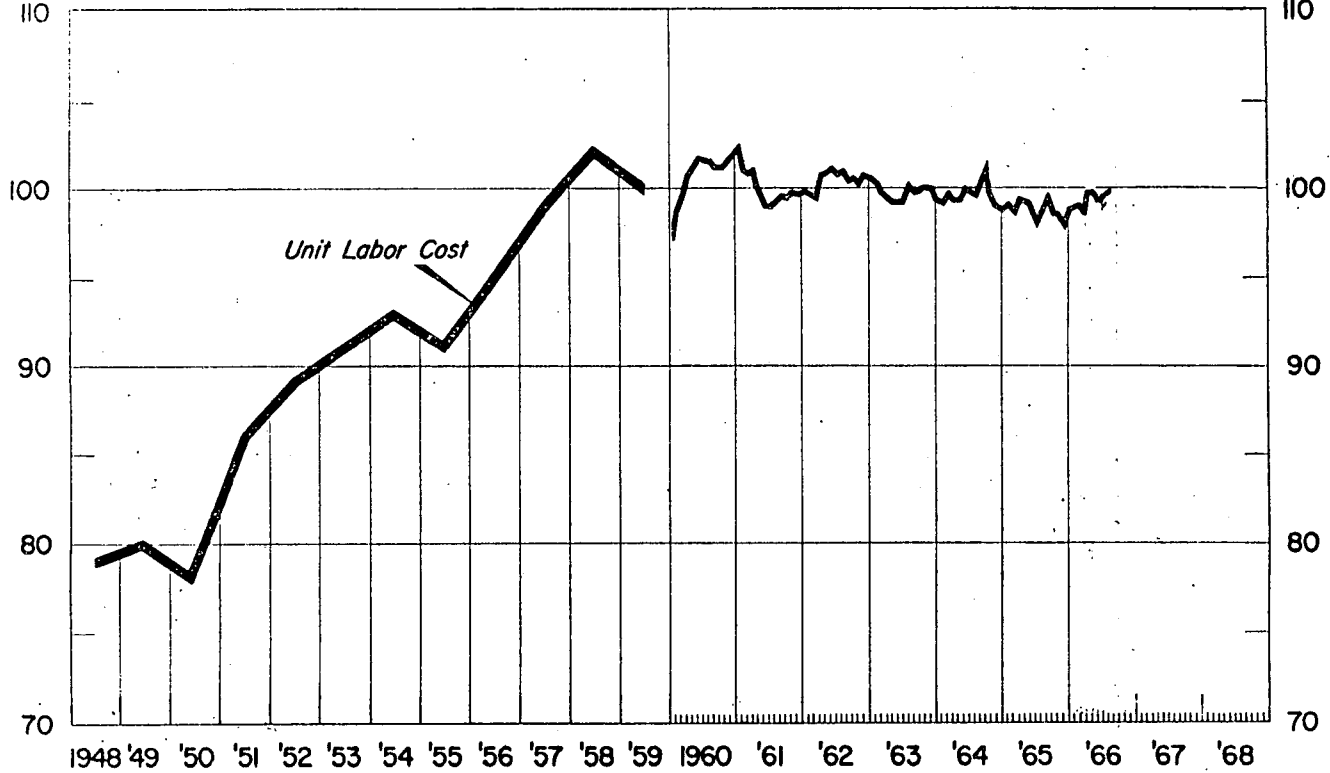
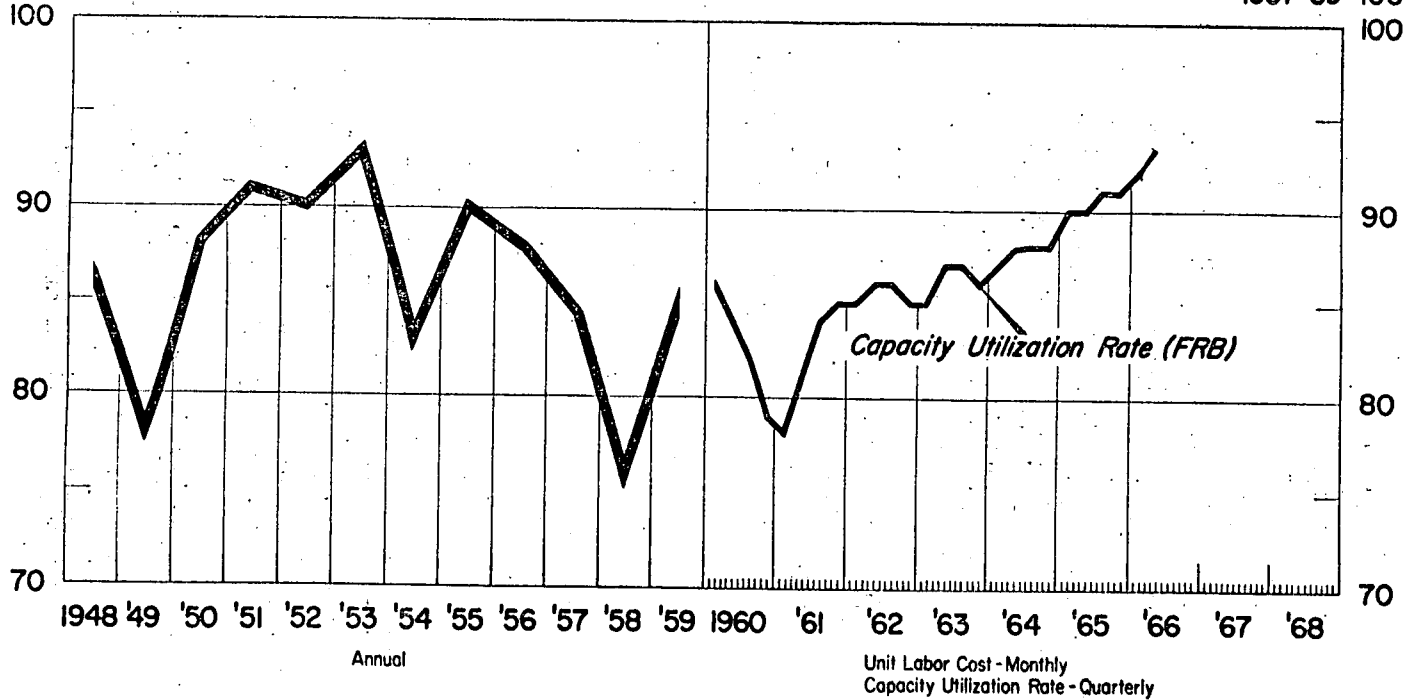


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1957-59=100

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PRODUCTIVITY, PRICES, AND INCOMES

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Production workers' weekly payroll per unit of manufacturing output declined slightly between 1929 and 1940, as did wholesale prices of finished goods. From 1940 to 1953, unit-labor costs of production workers rose 110.4 percent and prices rose 99.4 percent. Production worker costs then stabilized for a few years, and after 1958, declined by 6.6 percent. The parallel movement of production worker costs and prices ceased after 1954, as prices continued to advance rapidly until 1958. From 1958 to 1964, wholesale finished goods prices rose only 1 percent, but rose 1.8 percent between 1964 and 1965.

Since developments in unit-labor costs interact significantly with prices, they therefore have significance for the balance of payments and international competitive position of the United States. The data of table IV.C make possible an international comparison of changes in unit-labor costs for two periods between 1950 and 1964. As shown in the table, unit-labor costs in the United States increased 27 percent between 1950 and 1957. Five of the seven other industrialized countries also experienced major increases in unit-labor cost. Unit-labor costs in Japan and Germany developed more favorably for manufacturers, falling 8 percent in the case of Japan and rising 17 percent in Germany.

However, in the next 7 years, 1957-64, the trends in manufacturers' labor costs in the industrialized countries were very different from the previous 7-year period. The competitive positions of the United States and Canada, from a labor-cost standpoint, were greatly improved in this period, rising by 1 percent in the United States and falling by 3 percent in Canada. At the same time, the increases in European labor costs did not slow to the same extent as they did in the United States and Canada. Labor costs rose 23 percent in Germany, 44 percent in France, and 26 percent in the Netherlands, etc. Labor costs in Japan, although they fell in the first 7 years, increased by 11 percent in the later period.

TABLE IV.C—Percentage change in manufacturing unit-labor costs, United States and 7 industrialized countries, 1950-64

	1950-57	1957-64		1950-57	1957-64
United States.....	27	1	Japan.....	-8	11
Canada.....	24	-3	The Netherlands.....	39	26
France.....	83	44	Sweden.....	67	26
Germany.....	17	23	The United Kingdom.....	45	17

Source: Computed from data in BLS Bulletin No. 1518, *Unit Labor Cost in Manufacturing, Trends in Nine Countries, 1960-65*; and from unpublished BLS data.

Shortrun changes in unit-labor costs have been closely associated with the business cycle. In the early part of expansions, unit labor costs tend to fall, followed by an increase in the late expansion and the early contraction.⁵

Recent developments in unit-labor costs in manufacturing and in wholesale prices of finished goods are presented in table IV.D. During the most recent period of business expansion, the index of

⁵ Glenn H. Miller, Jr., "The Process of Inflation: A Review of the Literature and Some Comparisons of Cyclical Performance, 1953-65," Federal Reserve, 1966, p. 105.

compensation of employees per unit of manufacturing output were approximately unchanged from December 1961 to December 1965. However, in 1966, unit-labor costs began climbing after July. The increase in the 4-month period, July–November (preliminary estimate) amounted to 2.3 percent; and the November level was 2.5 percent above a year ago. From 1963 to mid-1966 wholesale prices of manufacturers' goods increased more rapidly than unit-labor costs. However, after July 1966, unit-labor costs increased more rapidly than wholesale prices.

TABLE IV.D—Unit-labor costs in manufacturing and ratio of wholesale prices to unit-labor costs, 1948–66.

[1957–59=100]

	Unit-labor cost ¹	Ratio: Manufacturers' wholesale prices to unit-labor cost ²
1948—December	80.9	103.1
1949—December	78.3	101.1
1950—December	80.6	112.3
1951—December	88.4	103.8
1952—December	89.6	100.3
1953—December	94.1	96.9
1954—December	92.4	98.9
1955—December	92.0	102.0
1956—December	97.4	100.4
1957—December	102.3	97.6
1958—December	100.4	100.2
1959—December	99.5	101.3
1960—December	101.3	99.8
1961—December	99.6	101.1
1962—December	101.0	99.5
1963—December	100.2	100.7
1964—December	99.3	102.2
1965—November	99.9	103.8
December	99.3	104.8
1966—January	99.6	104.6
February	99.9	105.0
March	99.8	105.4
April	100.3	104.9
May	100.3	105.3
June	100.3	105.4
July	100.1	105.8
August	101.0	105.3
September	101.6	104.7
October	101.9	104.2
November ³	102.4	103.6

¹ Ratio, index of compensation of employees in manufacturing (sum of wages and salaries plus supplements to wages and salaries) to index of industrial production, manufacturing.

² Ratio, index of wholesale prices of manufactured goods to index of labor cost per unit of output.

³ Preliminary.

Source: Col. 1, Bureau of the Census, *Business Cycle Developments*, November and December, 1966.

In addition to unit-labor costs, other data from the national income accounts may be utilized in studying cost developments. For example, corporate income tax liability per unit of output gives an indication of the cost of doing business which is imposed by the Government. This series, constructed for each year between 1929 and 1965, indicates an important feature of the corporate income tax, its countercyclical effect. In the recession of 1937, unit tax costs fell 24.7 percent. In the milder postwar recessions, unit costs fell 14.3 percent in 1949, 14.7 percent in 1954, and 14.5 percent in 1958.

It is difficult to interpret the series on unit-capital consumption because this is an accounting and tax concept as opposed to a physical

or economic concept. However, it does seem feasible to make a few general observations about unit-capital costs from this series. First, unit-capital costs were lower in 1947 compared to 1929. From 1947 to 1955, they doubled, while finished goods prices rose only about 15½ percent. From 1955 to 1965, unit-capital costs again rose much more rapidly than finished goods prices, or 34 percent compared to a rise of 12 percent in prices.

Three factors seem primarily responsible for the great rise in unit-capital consumption costs since 1947. First, the prices of producers' finished goods have risen substantially, 39 percent from 1947 to 1955 and 23 percent from 1955 to 1965. Second, although the revised data are not yet available, there was a shift to more capital intensive methods of production, particularly brought on by capital needs accumulated in the depression and the war and by the relatively slow growth in the labor force until about 1955.⁶ Third, depreciation allowances were liberalized in 1954 and in 1964.

Unit profits before and after corporate income tax were also computed for manufacturing firms. These series represent costs only in a very special sense; namely, the cost to society of entrepreneurship which was necessary to call forth the production. Here again the accounting profits are a poor substitute for the necessary inducement; but perhaps they give some rough indication of the cost to the total economy. The rise in unit corporate profits taken either from 1929 or the period 1957 to 1959 outpaced the rise in the wholesale prices of finished goods. On the other hand, unit-corporate profits after tax increased less than finished goods prices between 1929 and 1965. However, from the base 1957-59 equal 100, unit-profits after tax increased 18 percent by 1965, compared to a price increase of about 4 percent.

The return on net worth of leading manufacturing corporations, which is an alternative way of expressing a cost of production to the total community, was about two percentage points more in 1965 than in 1929, or 13.8 percent compared to 11.6 percent. This series reached postwar lows in 1958 of 9.8 percent and in 1961 of 9.9 percent. From the recession level of 1961, the return on net worth rose each year to almost 14 percent in 1965.

The margin on net sales of leading manufacturing corporations rose more in the present expansion than in either of the two previous expansions. From 1961 to 1965, margins rose from 5.3 percent to 6.6 percent. Increases in the recent past include a change from 5.2 percent in 1958 to 5.8 percent in 1959; and from 5.9 to 6.7 percent between 1954 and 1955.

⁶ From 1947 to 1955, the labor force expanded only about 0.9 percent annually; but from 1955 to 1965 it increased 1.2 percent annually.

CHAPTER V

COSTS AND PRICES IN THE FOOD INDUSTRIES

THE FOOD INDUSTRY

The share of the consumer's dollar spent for food has fallen as his per capita income has risen. But this relative decline has not been as rapid as might be expected from cross section studies of the relationship between income and the proportion spent on food, because rising quantities of services have become associated with food. The percent of personal consumption expenditures going for food has fallen from 36 percent in 1945, to 30 percent in 1950, and to 25 percent in 1965. In addition, the percent going for clothing has fallen from 16 percent in 1945 to 10 percent in 1965. Both housing and medical care expenditures have risen in relative importance. Between 1945 and 1965 housing has risen from 10 percent to 15 percent of consumer expenditures, and medical expenses from 4 to 7 percent.

International influences have become increasingly important to developments in the American food industry. Export shipments have been the fastest growing component in the demand for American food production. The index of farm commodity exports, based on 1957-59 equals 100, rose to 156 in 1964, but fell to 142 in 1965.

Military utilization of farm commodities expanded 27.6 percent from a low point in 1960 to 1965. During this period domestic use rose 8.7 percent.

Much public attention has been directed to advances in the prices of food products which occurred in late 1965 and the first half of 1966. Food price changes attract attention and are a serious matter because (1) the price movements tend to be sharp, and (2) on the average food constitutes a very significant proportion of all personal consumption, about 25 percent, and in the case of poor families the percentage is much greater.

Food products typically travel a long way from farm to home and pass through contrasting market conditions. The farm industry is one of the best examples of pure competition in the economy. Technological change is very rapid and the reduced costs are almost immediately reflected in lower farm prices. As a primary industry, farm prices vary sharply due to unforeseeable variations in supply and due to a relatively constant quantity demanded regardless of the price. Food processors, wholesalers, and retailers, on the other hand, tend to be much larger and fewer in number. Because of market characteristics and because of added services, prices become more stable as food progresses from the farm stage of production to the processor, wholesale, and retail levels.

Market efficiency in food processing, as in farm production, implies furnishing the consumer with a choice of good foods at minimum cost. The minimum cost condition implies that each factor of production at each stage of production receives no higher return than it can receive in alternative employment.

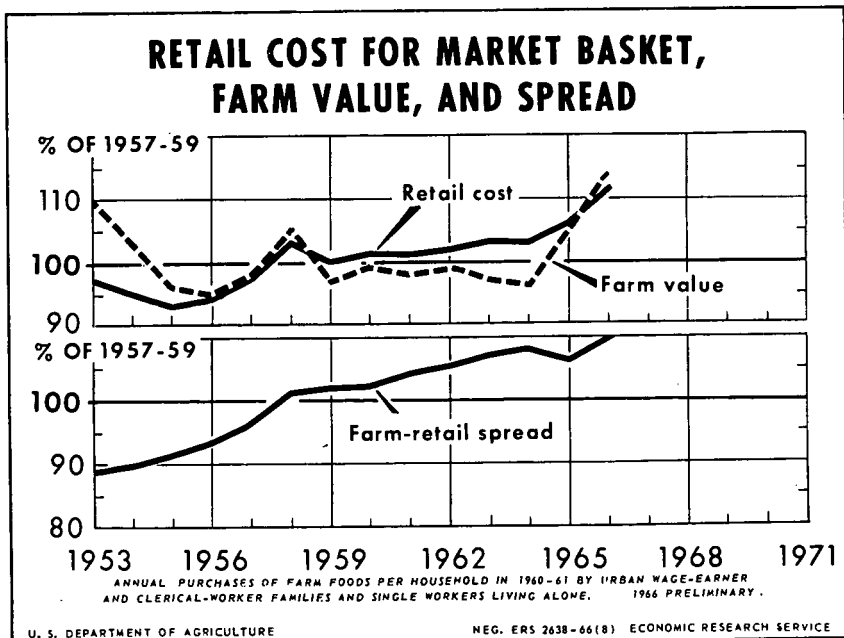
It is probably safe to say that more and better data are available concerning the food industry than for any other major private sector. Nevertheless, there are significant obstacles in analyzing market efficiency and cost-price developments in the food industry. It is very difficult to trace the origins of a rise in consumer food prices back through the stages of production and to discover which factors have experienced a resulting rise in income. The rise in total factor income may be due to factor substitution (the use of relatively more of the factor) or it may represent a monopoly return (short or long run).

THE COST OF FOOD AT DIFFERENT STAGES OF PRODUCTION

The share of the consumer's food dollar going to the farmer has fallen over the long run, but it has shown substantial variation over the years. The farmer has received his highest share during wartime, exceeding 50 percent in 1918 and 1943-48. From a high of 53 percent in 1945, the farmer's share fell to 37 percent in 1963 and 1964. Reflecting the recent expansion in demand and the inelastic short-run response of farm output, the farm share rose to 39 percent in 1965 and 41 percent in the first quarter of 1966.

The Department of Agriculture computes the cost of a "market basket," containing the average quantities of domestic farm-originated food products purchased annually per household in 1960-61 by wage and clerical workers. The farm value or cost component of this basket is the return to farmers for the farm products used in the market basket. The farm-retail spread is the difference between the retail cost and the farm value and is received by "agribusiness" firms for assembling, processing, transporting, and distributing the products in the market basket. The value of the food market basket was quite stable from 1958 to 1964, rising only \$5. From 1964 to 1965 it rose \$27, and from June 1965 to June 1966, it rose \$31. (See chart 6.)

CHART 6



Farm-retail spreads have been increasing over the long run. This trend can be expected, since it reflects consumers' wants for greater convenience and further processing. It can also be expected because productivity has not risen as rapidly in the transportation, marketing and processing sectors as in the farm sector.

The second quarter of 1966 witnessed a sharp rise in the spread between the retail cost and farm value of food products. The spread for the market basket increased about 3 percent from the first to the second quarter of this year, and it was 4 percent wider in April-June than in the same period of 1965. Between the first and second quarters, spreads widened for all major product groups except bakery and cereal products.

FARM PRODUCTIVITY AND FOOD PRICES

In the postwar period there have been very rapid increases in efficiency in the farm sector. Farm output per man-hour (OPM) tripled from 1945 to 1965, and the average annual rate of increase amounted to 5.7 percent. While farm output rose by almost 50 percent, the use of labor inputs declined by more than 50 percent; and the number of persons supplied farm products by one farmworker increased from 14.6 in 1945 to 36.7 in 1965. The rise in total productivity, however, which takes into account the great increase in inputs complementary to labor, has been at a much lower rate. The increase in productivity of all inputs taken together has amounted to about one-third from 1945 to 1965, or an average annual rate of 1.6 percent. The contrast between the gain in OPM and in total productivity is particularly notable between 1960 and 1965, when OPM rose 34.4 percent and the productivity of all inputs rose only 6.7 percent.¹

The huge gains in farm labor productivity of the last 20 years have been due to rapid technological change, increased efficiency from larger production units, and capital substitution. The use of mechanical power and machinery almost doubled during this period. In 1965 farmers used more than 3½ times the amount of fertilizer and lime compared to the level of 1945. In the last 10 years for which estimates have been made (1955-65) the average investment per farmworker increased from \$13,900 to \$30,500, which was more than the increase from \$14,300 to \$26,500 in investment per production worker in manufacturing.²

THE COST OF MARKETING

The total cost of marketing food products amounted to \$51 billion in 1964 and \$52 billion in 1965. About 40 percent of the marketing bill went for labor, including the imputed earnings of proprietors, partners, and family workers, but not including labor employed in hired transportation. About 10 percent of the marketing bill went for rail and truck transportation, and about 6 percent went for corporate profits before tax. Approximately 44 percent went for such expenses as advertising, depreciation, fuel, electric power, containers,

¹ Statistics supplied by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service.

² *Ibid.*

packaging materials, air and water transportation, interest on borrowed capital, taxes other than those on income, and noncorporate profits.

Hourly labor costs for marketing farm food products rose consistently between 1960 and 1965. The most rapid increase, 4.5 percent, occurred from 1961 to 1962. The lowest increase in the 5-year period amounted to 3.2 percent from 1964 to 1965. Unit labor costs increased about 2 percent from 1960 to 1964, and another 3.8 percent in 1965. Since hourly labor costs rose only 3.2 percent, the lowest increase in the 5-year period, gains in productivity slowed between 1964 and 1965. The relatively large increase in unit labor costs in 1965 was caused mainly by the increase in employment in eating places as a result of the sharp increase in the volume of food handled by this part of the marketing system.

Hourly labor cost and unit-labor cost for marketing farm food products

[Year-to-year percent change]

Year	Hourly labor cost	Unit labor cost
1960-61.....	3.7	1.0
1961-62.....	4.5	2.9
1962-63.....	3.4	- .9
1963-64.....	4.1	- .9
1964-65.....	3.2	3.8

Source: Department of Agriculture Economic Research Service, Marketing and Transportation Situation, August 1966.

Because of the rapid advances in the efficiency of the American farmer, the wholesale price of farm products has fallen relative to prices of industrial products. In fact, the 5-year average of the farm product component of the Wholesale Price Index was lower in the last 5 years than in the three previous 5-year periods. The wholesale price of farm products (on an index 1957-59 equal to 100) averaged 96.4 from 1961 to 1965; 98.7 1956-60; 109.8, 1951-55; and 104.9 from 1946 to 1950.

Corporate profits per unit of farm-food products marketed increased less than unit-labor costs from 1947 to 1963. Unit-labor costs increased 43 percent from 1947 to 1963, while corporate profits per unit of output increased 12½ percent before taxes and decreased by 15 percent on an after tax basis.

Corporate profits of manufacturers of food and kindred products were up from 1964 to the present, compared to most of the previous 10-year period, 1954-64, but down from their levels from 1947 to 1950. As a percent of stockholders equity, profits were 19.2 percent in 1965 and 10.6 percent on an after income tax basis. Corporate profit rates for all manufacturing were 21.9 percent before taxes and 13.0 percent after taxes. As a percent of sales, corporate profits of food and kindred products manufacturers before and after taxes were 4.9 and 2.7 percent, respectively.

CHAPTER VI

PRODUCTION, PRICES, AND COSTS IN THE METALS INDUSTRIES

THE METALS INDUSTRIES

The metals industries, as the term is used here, include all durable goods manufacturing with the exception of stone, clay, and glass products; lumber and furniture products; and miscellaneous manufacturing. The two major industry groups included under the term are metals and metal products and machinery and motive products. The metals industries are critical to the stability and growth of our economy, and in the past have sometimes been the bottleneck areas in periods of expansion. Because they are vital to the total economy and because they may be potential trouble spots, this study devotes particular attention to the metals industries.

From mid-1965 to late 1966 there was considerable upward pressure on prices in the metals industries. After remaining stable from 1961 to 1964, the wholesale price index for metals and metal products rose 2.8 percent from 1964 to 1965 and another 1.6 percent from January to June of 1966. Prices of machinery and motive products rose 0.8 percent from 1964 to 1965 and 1.4 percent from January to June 1966.¹

One severe limitation of this chapter should be noted. It proved impossible in the time available to trace in detail for the metalworking industries the interrelationship between costs and prices. In part, this results from unusually great difficulties in handling statistical data relating to these industries because of problems of classification.

In these industries many individual firms produce important secondary products which are the primary products of other industries. The familiar example of General Motors, which produces not only automobiles but also locomotives, construction machinery, and consumer appliances, among other things, illustrates the problem facing the statistician. This problem is particularly crucial in separating price-wage-profit relationships. The employment and payroll data are on an establishment basis which permits assignment to a specific industry with a minimum of confusion because of secondary products. Financial data, including profits and investments, are on a company basis and cover capital and income associated with all operations of the firm, including not only the major products of the company but also all secondary products. Thus, it is difficult to get from available time series consistent and comparable data on all aspects of the price-wage-profit relationships unless one combines industries into an aggregate so huge that the product details are lost.

The metals industries have been characterized by greater than average cyclical variability and by pronounced long-term growth.

¹ It is probable that these measured changes in the indexes understate the actual price increase, since in most cases the index reflects list prices rather than actual prices.

Their cyclical sensitivity is illustrated by an expansion between 1961 and 1965 amounting to 41.4 percent, while total industrial production increased 30.6 percent. Sharp declines in metals production have occurred during recessions, but the extent of the declines appears to be lessening with the passage of time. Production fell by 60 percent from 1929 to 1933, by 15 percent from 1957 to 1958, and by about 2 percent from 1960 to 1961.

The metals industries are also characterized by concentration in large firms, by limited entry, and by high profits as a percent of net worth. In many of these industries, the 20 largest firms sell more than 50 percent of all the industry's shipments. The 4 largest companies account for 99 percent of the value of all shipments in the case of passenger cars, and 72 percent in the case of farm tractors.²

Net income after tax as a percent of net worth has varied markedly both by industry and over time. In general, where the industry produces a complex product and where there are great economies of scale, profit rates have been relatively high. For example in the case of autos and trucks, net income after taxes as a percent of net worth amounted to more than 15 percent throughout most of the postwar period and in some years reached as high as 32 percent.

This combination of high profits (especially in periods of full employment) and of concentration has been a source of instability in the national economy. Relatively high profits during prosperity have contributed to demands for larger wage settlements than would have been the case otherwise. As a result, the wage demands in the capital goods industries have led to wage increases in other industries giving the appearance of "cost push inflation."

Reflecting the pressures of large wage demands as well as technological change, the metals industries have experienced heavy capital intensification. An index of capital consumption allowances (1957-59 equals 100) increased from about 33 in 1950 to 141 in 1963. This is merely an indication, however, since these estimates depend heavily on tax laws and depreciation practices. For example, between 1961 and 1962 the index increased about 20 percent, but much of this sharp increase was due to a change in the tax laws which liberalized depreciation allowances.

THE STEEL INDUSTRY

Steel prices in the United States increased about 48 percent between 1952 and 1959, and then by 1½ percent between 1959 and 1965. During this period, the steel prices of foreign makers rose much less. Japanese steel prices fell 26 percent and those of the United Kingdom fell 9 percent between 1952 and 1965. From 1952 to 1965, steel prices rose 23 percent in Belgium, 22 percent in France, and 17 percent in Germany, compared to a 49-percent increase in the United States.

Thus, it is not surprising that imports have made inroads on the American domestic market. From 1957 to 1965, imports as a percent of the domestic market increased from 1.5 percent to 10.3 percent;

² Bureau of the Census, "Concentration Ratios in Manufacturing Industry, 1963," Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly of the Committee on the Judiciary, U.S. Senate, 1966, table 4.

and the U.S. trade balance in steel mill products declined from a surplus of \$825 million to a deficit of \$669 million in 1965.

Unit labor costs in the steel industry are highly dependent on operating rates. From 1957 to 1961, production fell about 15 percent; and output per man-hour increased only 0.1 percent annually. Between 1961 and 1965, production increased more than 30 percent, and output per man-hour increased 4.4 percent per year. Employment cost per man-hour increased very rapidly, 4.8 percent annually, between 1957 and 1961. From 1961 to 1965, employment cost per man-hour increased about 2.8 percent annually. The rise in man-hour employment costs was only 2 percent from 1964 to 1965, and did not accelerate as it did in many industries. Employment costs per unit of output rose 4.7 percent annually in the period 1957-61, fell 1.6 percent annually 1961-65 and increased 1.5 percent annually during the entire period 1957-65.

The rate of increase in productivity for labor and capital (total productivity as opposed to partial productivity) has undoubtedly been much lower than the increase in output per man-hour. There has been great capital intensification. From 1948 to 1965, \$21.4 billion was invested in plant and equipment in the primary iron and steel industry. In 1965, investment amounted to \$1.9 billion, the highest rate in recent years. Depreciation and depletion allowances have increased by about 5 times between 1947 and 1965, while production has increased about 50 percent. As a percent of total revenue, depreciation and depletion increased from 3.5 percent in 1947 to 6.1 percent in 1965. In this period, long-term debt as a percent of equity has increased from 13 percent in 1947 to 24 percent in 1965.

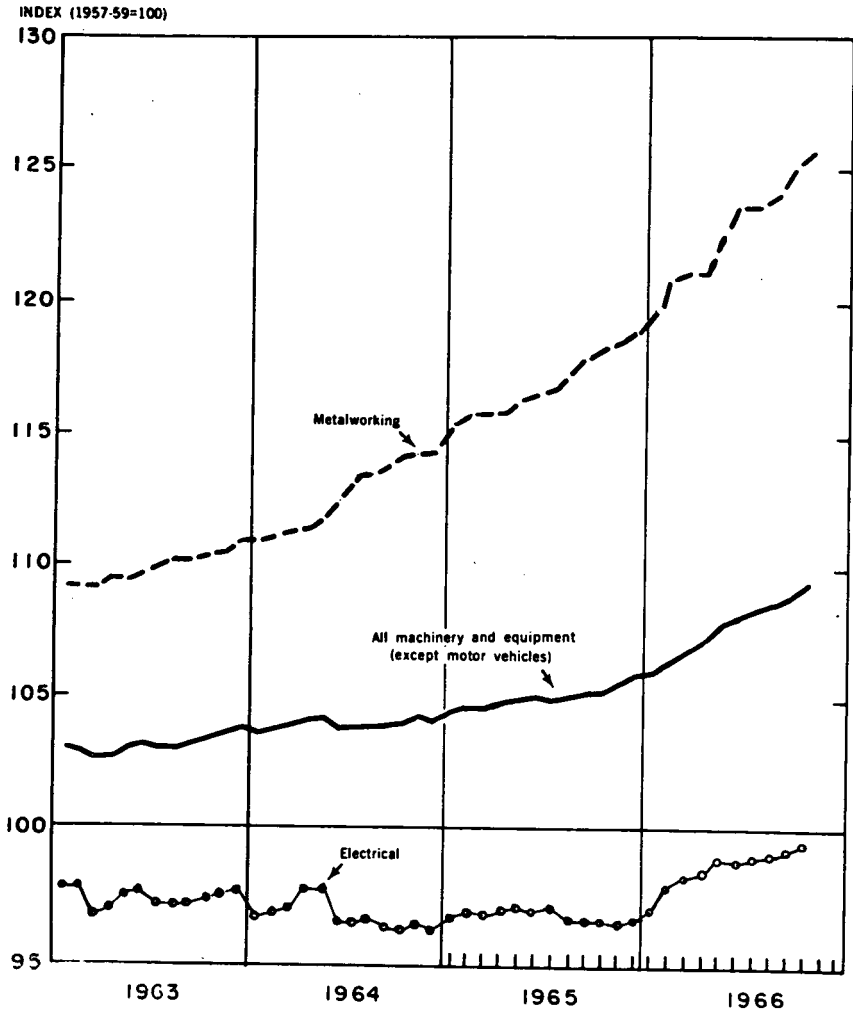
MACHINERY AND TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURING

The Wholesale Price Index for machinery and motive parts has increased about 68 percent between 1947 and 1965. Within this group, relatively large increases of about 113 percent have occurred in the construction and metalworking sectors. In the recent half of this period (1956-65), electrical machinery and motor vehicle prices rose 6.3 percent and 8 percent, respectively. From 1956 to 1965, price increases in metalworking, construction, and agricultural machinery and equipment have ranged from between 25 to 29 percent. Chart 7 illustrates the course of machinery and equipment prices from 1963 through the first 3 quarters of 1966.

Profit rates have recently been higher in the machinery and transportation manufacturing industries than they have been for many years. As a percent of stockholders equity, profits after corporate income taxes for machinery (except electrical) manufacturers rose above 14 percent in 1965 and first quarter 1966, the highest rate since 1948. The profit rate of motor vehicles and equipment manufacturers increased to 19½ percent in 1965 and the before tax profit was about 36½ percent. Although the profit rate is cyclically very sensitive in the motor vehicle industry, it has fallen below 13 percent in only 3 years since 1947.

CHART 7

WPI: MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT PRICES



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Data are presented below on the rate of return after taxes for the three largest companies in the motor vehicle industry. The motor vehicle industry was selected for illustration because of its large size, cyclical sensitivity, and concentration of sales in a few firms. With the exception of the period 1959-61, the profit rate of General Motors has been much higher than that of its two largest competitors. General Motors, which accounts for more than 50 percent of the sales of the industry, has had a profit rate above 20 percent from 1962 through 1965.

TABLE VI.A—Rate of return after taxes—3 largest manufacturers of motor vehicles, 1955–65

[Percent of stockholders' equity]

Year	3 largest companies	General Motors	Ford	Chrysler
1955	27.3	30.5	24.3	16.0
1956	15.6	18.9	12.3	3.1
1957	16.2	17.1	13.7	17.4
1958	8.7	12.6	3.9	-4.8
1959	15.7	16.6	18.3	- .8
1960	15.6	16.9	15.6	4.6
1961	13.5	14.9	13.4	1.6
1962	18.3	21.3	14.6	8.8
1963	19.7	23.0	13.6	18.2
1964	19.9	23.5	12.9	20.4
1965	22.5	26.8	16.4	16.8

Source: 1955–65 data from the Federal Trade Commission; "Rates of Return for Identical Companies in Selected Manufacturing Industries."

The compensation of employees in the machinery and transportation manufacturing industries tends to increase at a rather steady rate; and the share of income tends to shift in favor of corporate profits during periods of rapid expansion. In transportation other than motor vehicles, the share going to labor was 88 percent in 1965, the lowest proportion since 1954. Employee compensation as a share of total income in motor vehicles fell below 62 percent from 1962 to 1965. This was the lowest share since 1955 when it was 58 percent and 1950 when it was 53 percent. Over the long run, there appears to have been a decrease in employees' share of the motor vehicle industry's income. In 1929, the share was 71 percent compared to 61 percent in 1965; and it has been below 70 percent in every year since 1949, with the exception of 1956 and 1958.

Recent increases in real hourly wages of production workers in machinery and transportation manufacturing have not kept pace with the rise in output per man-hour for the total private economy; and in some cases they have barely kept pace with the rise in the Consumer Price Index. As shown in table VI.B, between 1960 and 1964 hourly wages rose 14 percent in motor vehicle manufacturing and 10 percent in electrical equipment. During this time, the Consumer Price Index rose 4.8 percent, cutting the wage gains by about one-third and one-half respectively. From 1964 to 1965, real wage gains amounted to 1.1 percent in machinery industries and 2.3 percent in transportation manufacturing. From June 1965 to June 1966, the money wage rate did not increase as rapidly as the Consumer Price Index for workers in electrical machinery and motor vehicle manufacturing. Wage increases have accelerated in nonelectrical machinery and in aircraft and parts, which may reflect the high operating rates in these sectors due to the high level of investment and military demand.

TABLE VI.B—Percent increase in production worker average hourly earnings¹ for selected machinery and transportation manufacturing industries and in the Consumer Price Index

	1960-64	1964-65	June 1965- June 1966
Machinery, other than electrical.....	12.5	2.8	4.4
Electrical equipment.....	10.1	2.8	1.9
Motor vehicle and equipment.....	14.2	4.0	1.5
Aircraft and parts.....	11.9	4.0	5.4
Consumer Price Index.....	4.8	1.7	2.5

¹ Includes wage and salary earnings but does not include the total labor costs since the following are excluded: Payroll taxes paid by employers, irregular bonuses, overtime premiums, retroactive items, and various types of welfare bonuses.

² May 1965–May 1966.

Source: Computed from Bureau of Labor Statistics data.

The longer trend in employees' earnings may be studied from the data of table VI.C. Annual earnings³ per full-time employee in non-electrical machinery manufacturing rose about 21 percent in real terms from 1950 to 1955, 12 percent 1955–60, and 13 percent from 1960 to 1965. The real compensation of electrical manufacturing workers increased about 21 percent, 16 percent and 11 percent in the corresponding 5-year periods. The earnings of employees in transportation (except motor vehicles) increased 25 percent, 21 percent, and 16 percent in succeeding 5-year periods. For motor vehicle workers, the increases were 25, 10, and 17 percent, respectively. Conclusions from these data are: First, earnings in these industries rose rapidly from 1950 to 1955 relative to the two succeeding periods. Second, earnings in these industries with the exception of those of the motor vehicle industry, increased more from 1955 to 1960 than they did between 1960 and 1965.

TABLE VI.C—Percent change in annual earnings per full-time employee in machinery and transportation manufacturing and in the Consumer Price Index, selected periods, 1950–65.

	1950-55	1955-60	1960-65	1964-65
Machinery, except electrical.....	32.0	22.3	19.7	3.0
Electrical machinery.....	32.0	26.7	17.1	1.8
Transportation, except motor vehicles.....	35.9	31.0	21.1	2.7
Motor vehicles.....	36.4	20.2	23.6	3.6
Consumer Price Index.....	11.3	10.5	6.6	1.7

Source: Percent changes computed from data on earnings per full-time employee, supplied by the Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. (See app. VI, table VI.37.)

³ Including fringe benefits.

APPENDIX I

THE FLOW OF INCOMES

The following analysis of the flow of incomes was reproduced from the original staff study on "Productivity, Prices, and Incomes." It proved impossible, in the time available, to update all of these materials.

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Changes in production, use of productive factors, and productivity have been accompanied by changes in the flow of incomes. The rate of increase in total national income (in current dollars) has averaged more than 5 percent per year over the past half century. The rise has reflected not only the rise in physical output, but also the rise in prices. Among the most significant shifts in the flow of incomes are those relating to industrial origin of income, and the way incomes are distributed. According to studies of the Office of Business Economics, Department of Commerce, the industrial origin of national income changed materially since 1929.¹⁶ (Table 9, p. 95.)

The share of national income originating in agriculture, forestry, and fisheries (almost wholly income from farming) fell from about 9½ percent in 1929 to only about 4.7 percent in 1956, though the decline was somewhat erratic. The decline in agriculture's percentage of national income was less than the decrease in the proportion of the population engaged in farm production. Hence, the net value of output per person engaged in farm production rose about 5 percent per year, as against about 3½ to 4 percent per year in the private nonfarm sector.

The share of national income originating in Government rose from about 6 percent in 1929 to about 10 to 12 percent in recent years. Most of this rise was associated with the increased payroll required by the defense programs.

The remaining total private nonagricultural income was about the same proportion of the total national income in recent years as at the end of the 1920's. Within this segment, the share of manufacturing and distribution went up; that of contract construction, communications, and public utilities was largely unchanged; while

¹⁶ See, for example, *Business Plans, 1956-59*, prepared by McGraw-Hill department of economics, where it is stated:

"If these plans are carried out, manufacturing capacity will increase about 26 percent altogether during 1956-59, compared to the 24-percent increase in total manufacturers' sales anticipated in this survey. In fact, new capacity may exceed new sales by somewhat more over the 4-year period, since plans for additional capacity are still not complete—particularly beyond 1957. However, faster growth in capacity than in sales is needed to bring operating rates down to the preferred level and restore the margin of reserve capacity that companies seem to want."

¹⁷ Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, *Survey of Current Business, National Income Supplement, 1954*. This source also provides a description of the various income and expenditure series utilized in this study, together with definitions of the various items, sources of data, and methods employed in preparing the estimates, and information as to their use and limitations.

the shares of the remaining industries fell (including mining, finance, insurance, real estate, transportation, and services).

The change in the distribution of national income was also striking. (Table 10, p. 96.) Compensation of employees rose from about 58 percent of national income in 1929 to almost 70 percent in 1956. This shift was accompanied by an internal shift toward an increasing proportion of supplements to wages and salaries (fringe benefits) and a smaller proportion of wages and salaries in total compensation of employees. Almost half of the increase of nearly 12 percentage points in the labor share can be accounted for by the shift in the proportions of national income originating in the different legal forms of organization. Between 1929 and 1955 the percentage of national income originating in sole proprietorships and partnerships and other private business (excluding corporate) declined. In these legal forms, the ratio of compensation of employees to income originating is below the national average. On the other hand, corporate business where the ratio is above average, gained an increased share of national income as did Government, where income originating is entirely compensation of employees. Furthermore, the ratio of compensation of employees to national income can be affected by shifts in the relative importance of industries which differ as to the proportion of employee compensation in the total of income originating as will be seen later (pp. 48-50).

The share of corporate profits (before taxes, but adjusted for changes in inventory valuation) rose from 11 percent in 1929 to about 13 percent in 1955. The shares going to unincorporated business (farm and nonfarm), rental income of persons, and net interest declined between 1929 and 1955.

Some changes in the distribution of national income can be highlighted if attention is confined to corporate business (table 11, p. 98). If the distribution of income originating in corporate business in recent years is compared with that in 1929, compensation of employees rose from about 75 to about 77 percent; net interest fell from over 3 to less than 1 percent; profits before tax adjusted for inventory valuation were almost unchanged at about 22 percent; profits before tax rose slightly from about 21 to about 23 percent, profits tax liability rose from 3 percent to about 12 percent; and profits after tax declined from almost 18 percent to about 10 percent.

The significance of changes in distribution of national income between labor and capital, or property, should be assessed in the light of two major considerations. How is the distribution affected by the way in which depreciation of fixed assets is computed in determining corporate profits and entrepreneurial income? What is the relative distribution of taxes between the two shares?

In estimating national income, the Department of Commerce must deduct an allowance for depreciation. The depreciation estimate used is that reported for tax purposes by business based upon the original cost of depreciable assets. For some purposes it may be desirable to substitute depreciation based on current year values of assets for the reported values so that all costs as well as receipts are expressed in uniform current values.

The direction and size over time of the divergence between original cost and current value depreciation is indicated by two recent studies.¹⁷

Data from these two studies are incorporated in tables 12-20 on which charts VIII-XV are based. The Machinery and Allied Products Institute (MAPI) analysis, covering all private business, indicates that in 1955 the ratio of current prices to average prices underlying historical cost depreciation was about 1.31 compared to 1.38 shown by the study of the Department of Commerce. Both studies show data for the period 1929-55. For this period, movements shown by both are similar, as shown by charts VIII and IX.

The MAPI study also shows profits adjusted by reducing them by the amount of the additional depreciation required to shift from historical to current prices; by adding accelerated amortization in excess of depreciation otherwise allowable; and by adjusting for the effect on profits of changes in inventory values as estimated by the Department of Commerce. The effect of these shifts is to reduce profits by less than 1 percent on the average during the period 1925-29 and by about 25 percent for the average of the years 1946-55. If net worth is also corrected for the effects of these adjustments, the corrected profits plus intercorporate dividends amount to about 8 percent of corrected net worth in 1925-29 and about 7½ percent for the average of 1946-55. An adjustment for the effect of the excess profits tax during the recent period raises their estimate for the recent decade to about 8.1 percent.

In a period of rapidly rising prices such as has prevailed in the last 15 years, the use of current replacement cost rather than original or historical cost in calculating depreciation of fixed assets will have the effect of reducing the ratio of corporate profits to sales, to net worth, or to income originating. Similarly, the ratio of total property income to national income will be reduced. Contrariwise, when prices are falling, the use of current price depreciation will result in higher profits than if original cost depreciation were used. Which basis should be used in calculating depreciation has been and still is a matter of widespread debate. Some technicians would argue that original cost depreciation should be used for some purposes and current price depreciation for others.

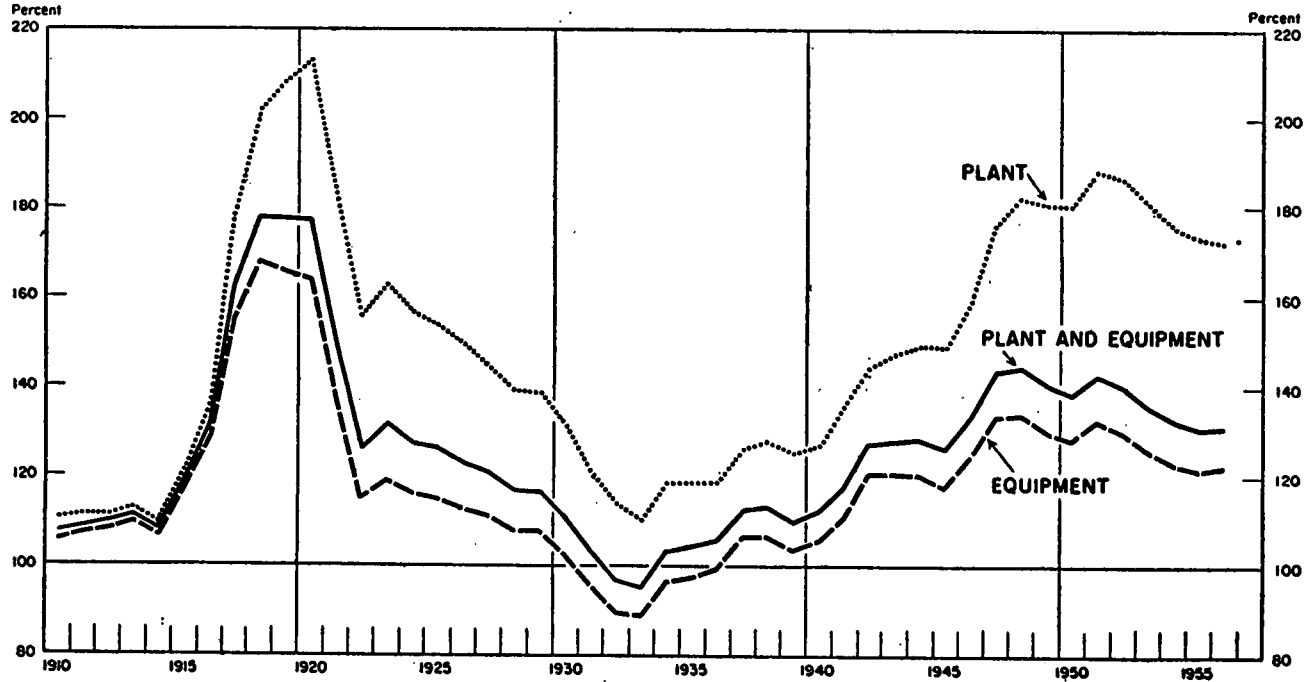
The Commerce study of national income originating in manufacturing shows that the property income share is generally lower when computed using current value depreciation than when computed using book value depreciation. Both methods of calculation, however, show that the property share of income originating in manufacturing has no distinct trend. (Table 19, p. 101, and chart XV.)

So far, the calculations of the shares of income going to employee compensation and to various forms of property income have been on a before-tax basis. Changes in the distribution of income might be affected by differences over time in the impact of increases in Federal, State, and local taxes upon the various shares. Such after-tax incomes are difficult to trace in detail. Some indications can be derived from existing studies. For example, the share of corporate profits before taxes (adjusted for inventory valuation) rose about 10

¹⁷ Wooden, Donald G., and Wasson, Robert C., *Manufacturing Investment Since 1929 in Relation to Employment, Output, and Income*, Survey of Current Business, Department of Commerce, November 1956, p. 8. Also, Machinery and Allied Products Institute, *Capital Goods Review No. 29*.

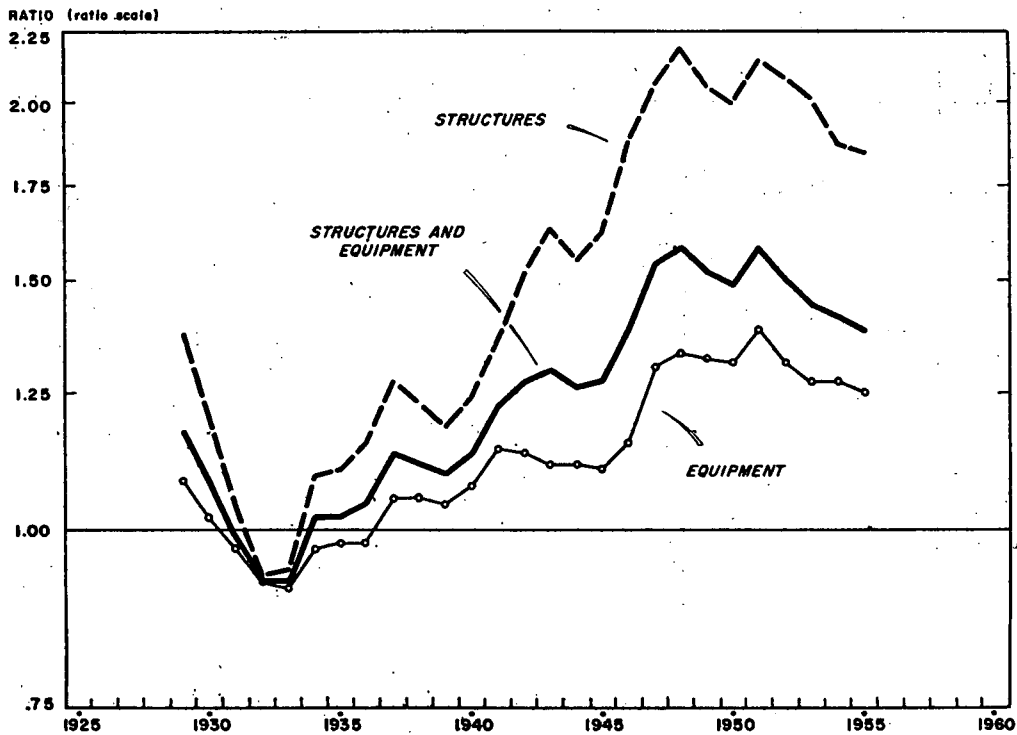
CHART VIII

Ratio of Current Prices to Average Prices Underlying Historical-Cost Depreciation, for All American Business, 1910-1956



Source: Table 12.

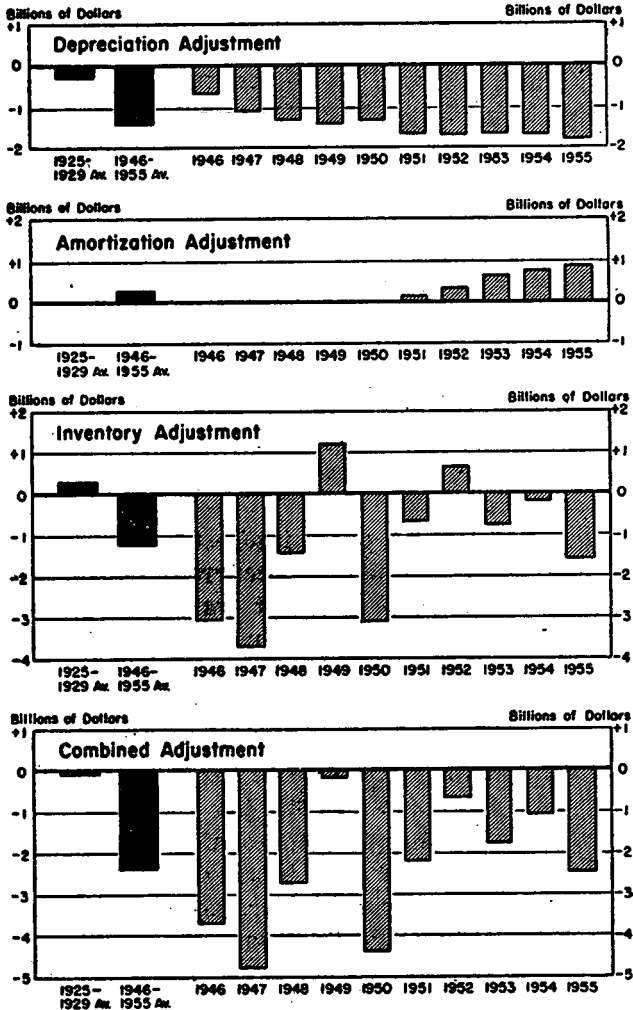
CHART IX
 Manufacturing Depreciation, Ratio of Current Year Cost to Original Cost



Source: Table 13.

CHART X

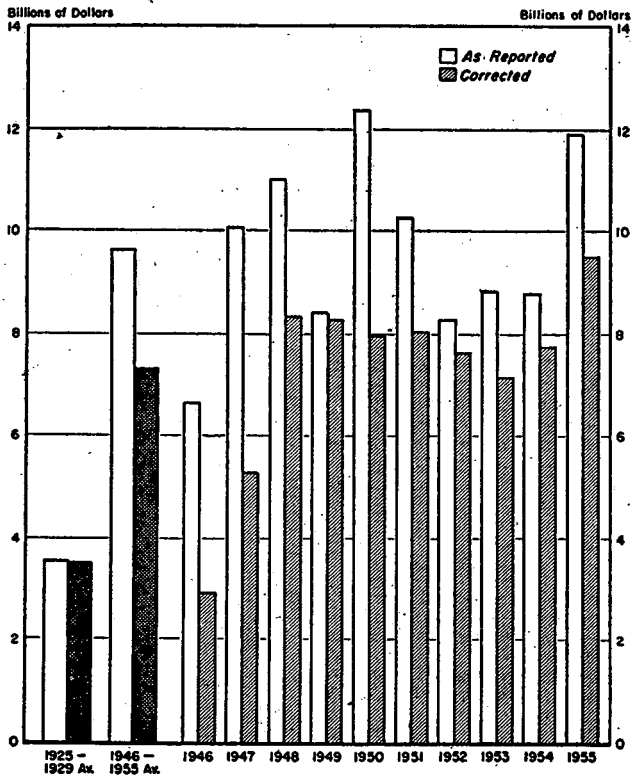
Three Adjustments of Reported Profits of Manufacturing Corporations, and the Combined Adjustment^a



^aThe term "reported profits" refers to those reported by the Department of Commerce. They are generally on an income tax basis, and are exclusive of capital gains and losses and intercorporate dividends. The three adjustments are shown as they affect profits—additions to profits being positive and subtractions negative.

Source: Table 14.

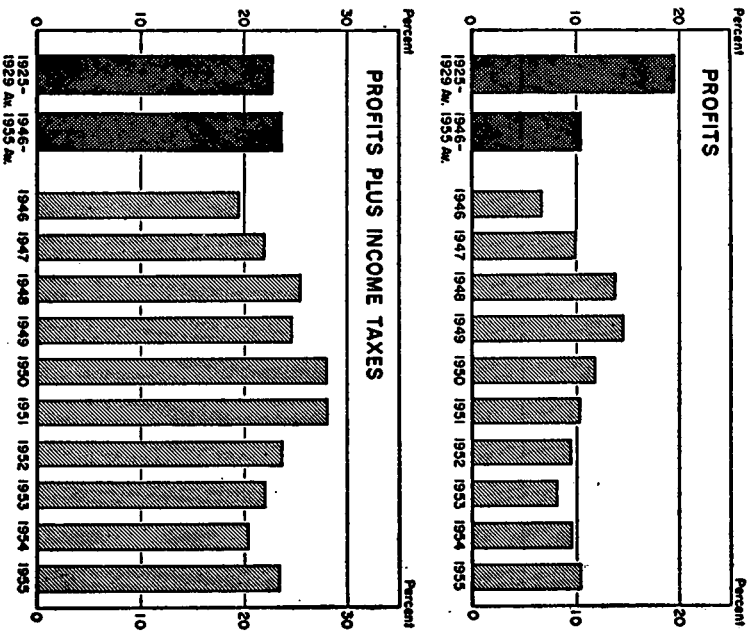
CHART XI
Profits of Manufacturing Corporations as
Reported and as Corrected



Source: Table 15.

CHART XII

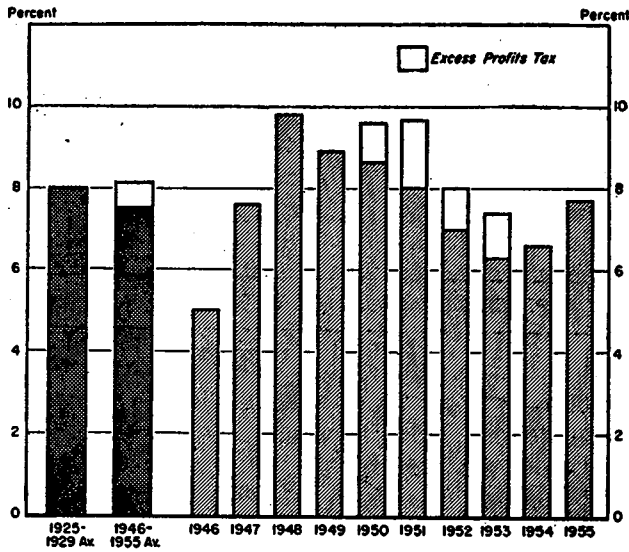
**Corrected Profits of Manufacturing Corporations,
and Corrected Profits Plus Income Taxes Accrued,
as a Percentage of Corrected Income Produced**



Source: Table 16.

CHART XIII

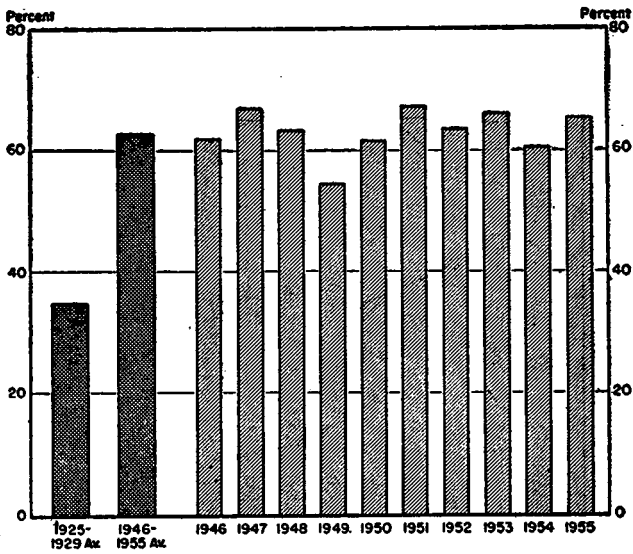
**Corrected Profits of Manufacturing Corporations,
Plus Intercorporate Dividends, as a Percentage of
Corrected Net Worth**



Source: Table 17

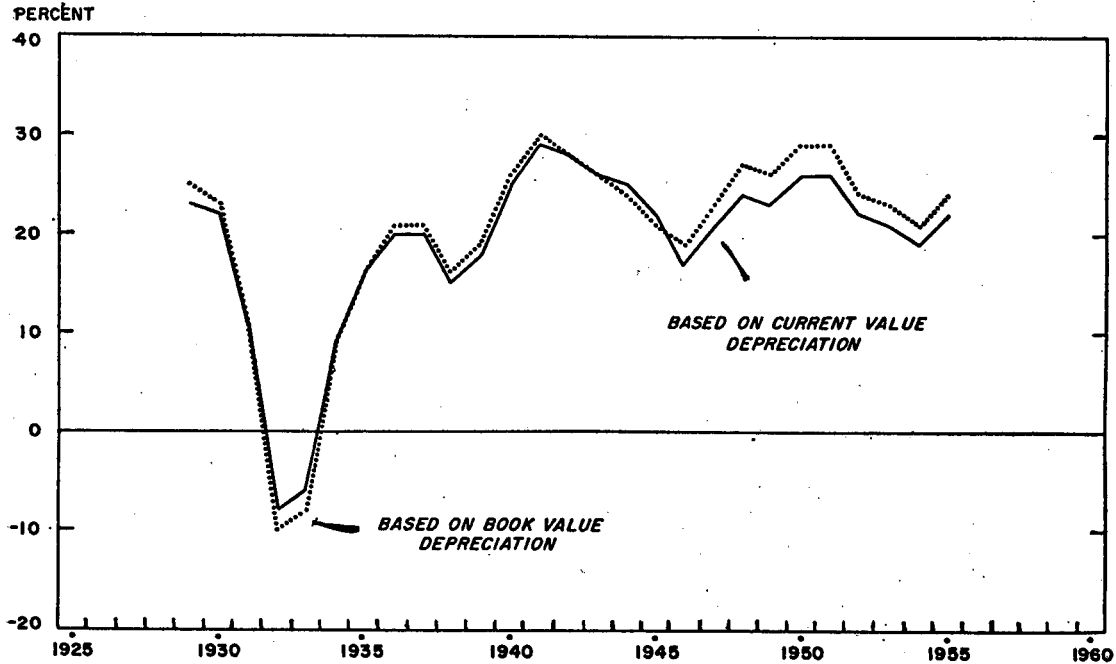
CHART XIV

**Corrected Income Produced by Manufacturing
Corporations as a Percentage of
Their Corrected Net Worth**



Source: Table 18.

CHART XV
Property Income Before Tax as a Percent of
National Income Originating in Manufacturing



Source: Table 19.

percent from 11 percent of national income in 1929 to about 12 percent in 1956, but after taxes declined from about 9 percent in 1929 to about 5½ percent in 1956. The choice of particular years for comparison affects the result but the general character and direction of the change would remain if comparisons are made between years of similar rates of economic activity.

Another illustration makes use of a study by Klein and Faine of disposable personal income by distributive shares. Data and sources are shown in table 37, p. 123. Personal income and personal taxes have been allocated between three categories: wages and salaries, farm income, and all other nonwage nonfarm income. The share of wages and salaries after taxes in total disposable personal income increased over the last 26 years from about 62 percent in 1929 to almost 77 percent in 1956, according to these rough estimates. If somewhat different assumptions were made in distributing the various items of income and taxes between categories the results might be altered. The general impression of a rise in the share of labor income after taxes and a decline in the share of property income after taxes probably would not be altered in the opinion of experts in this type of data.

This conclusion is reenforced by another study on the distribution of national income by Edward F. Denison.¹⁸

Various aspects of the flow of incomes are shown in tables 9 to 37. These cover national income by distributive shares, income originating in corporate business, several measures of corporate profits and related items, relation of corporate profits to sales, sources and uses of corporate funds, and measures of corporate liquidity.

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TABLE 9.—Percentage distribution of national income by industrial origin, 1929–56

Year	[Percent]				
	National income	Government and Government enterprises	Agriculture, forestry and fisheries	Rest of the world	Private non-agricultural industries
1929	100	5.8	9.4	0.9	83.9
1930	100	7.0	8.2	1.0	83.8
1931	100	9.1	8.2	.9	81.8
1932	100	12.1	7.8	.9	79.1
1933	100	13.3	9.2	.8	76.7
1934	100	12.8	7.6	.6	79.0
1935	100	11.8	11.2	.6	76.3
1936	100	12.5	8.3	.5	78.7
1937	100	10.6	9.8	.4	79.3
1938	100	12.6	8.7	.6	78.1
1939	100	11.7	8.2	.4	79.7
1940	100	10.7	7.7	.4	81.2
1941	100	10.0	8.1	.3	81.5
1942	100	11.9	9.0	.3	78.9
1943	100	15.9	8.3	.2	75.6
1944	100	18.5	7.9	.2	73.4
1945	100	20.3	8.2	.2	71.3
1946	100	12.6	9.7	.3	77.4
1947	100	9.4	9.3	.4	80.9
1948	100	8.9	9.4	.5	81.3
1949	100	10.1	7.7	.5	81.7
1950	100	9.8	7.2	.5	82.5
1951	100	10.9	7.3	.6	81.2
1952	100	11.9	6.7	.5	80.9
1953	100	11.7	5.8	.5	82.0
1954	100	12.0	5.6	.6	81.8
1955	100	11.6	4.9	.6	82.9
1956	100	11.6	4.7	.7	83.0

Year	Income originating in—								
	Private non-agricultural industries	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing	Wholesale and retail trade	Finance, insurance and real estate	Transportation	Communications and public utilities	Services
1929	100	2.8	5.2	29.7	18.1	17.2	9.0	3.9	14.0
1930	100	2.6	5.0	28.7	19.3	16.7	8.8	4.4	14.5
1931	100	2.0	4.5	25.4	19.9	17.7	8.9	5.4	16.1
1932	100	2.0	3.1	21.4	18.9	20.1	9.5	6.8	18.2
1933	100	2.1	2.5	24.6	17.8	18.7	9.9	6.5	18.1
1934	100	3.0	2.8	28.2	20.8	14.6	8.8	5.7	16.1
1935	100	2.8	3.0	30.5	21.1	13.6	8.5	5.2	15.3
1936	100	3.0	3.9	31.7	20.7	12.9	8.4	4.9	14.6
1937	100	3.3	3.6	33.1	20.9	12.4	7.9	4.7	14.1
1938	100	2.8	3.8	28.4	22.6	14.5	7.7	5.1	15.0
1939	100	2.7	4.0	30.9	21.5	13.7	8.1	4.9	14.3
1940	100	2.8	3.9	33.7	21.6	12.4	7.6	4.6	13.4
1941	100	2.7	4.9	38.7	20.2	10.7	7.4	3.9	11.5
1942	100	2.4	6.0	41.8	18.7	9.8	7.9	3.4	10.1
1943	100	2.1	4.2	45.2	18.5	9.0	8.4	3.1	9.5
1944	100	2.2	3.1	44.9	19.2	9.1	8.4	3.0	10.2
1945	100	2.1	3.3	40.2	21.7	9.9	8.2	3.3	11.3
1946	100	2.1	4.7	34.9	24.7	10.4	7.4	3.4	12.4
1947	100	2.6	5.3	36.8	23.4	9.6	7.2	3.2	11.9
1948	100	2.9	5.7	37.0	23.1	9.6	7.0	3.3	11.4
1949	100	2.5	5.9	35.5	22.9	10.7	6.8	3.7	12.0
1950	100	2.5	5.8	37.5	21.9	10.4	6.7	3.6	11.5
1951	100	2.5	6.0	39.0	21.3	10.0	6.6	3.7	11.0
1952	100	2.3	6.2	38.0	21.3	10.4	6.6	3.9	11.3
1953	100	2.2	6.1	38.9	20.4	10.6	6.4	4.0	11.5
1954	100	2.1	6.3	36.7	20.8	11.5	6.0	4.4	12.2
1955	100	2.1	6.2	37.9	20.5	11.0	5.9	4.3	12.1
1956	100	2.1	6.5	37.5	20.2	10.9	6.0	4.4	12.3

NOTE.—Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.
 Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, July 1956, February 1957 and 1954 National Income Supplement.

TABLE 10.—National income by distributive shares, 1929–57

[Billions of dollars]

Year	Total national income	Compensation of employees	Proprietors' and rental income ¹	Corporate profits and inventory valuation adjustment					Net interest	Addendum: Gross national product
				Total	Profits before tax		Inventory valuation adjustment			
					Total	Profits tax liability		Profits after tax		
1929	87.8	51.1	20.2	10.1	9.6	1.4	8.3	0.5	6.4	104.4
1930	75.7	46.8	16.3	6.6	3.3	.8	2.5	3.3	6.0	91.1
1931	59.7	39.7	12.5	1.6	—	.5	—1.3	2.4	5.8	76.3
1932	42.5	31.1	8.0	—2.0	—3.0	.4	—3.4	1.0	5.4	58.5
1933	40.2	29.5	7.6	—2.0	.2	.5	—	—2.1	5.0	56.0
1934	49.0	34.3	8.7	1.1	1.7	.7	1.0	—	4.9	65.0
1935	57.1	37.3	12.0	2.9	3.1	1.0	2.2	—	4.8	72.5
1936	64.9	42.9	12.3	5.0	5.7	1.4	4.3	—	4.7	82.7
1937	73.6	47.9	14.8	6.2	6.2	1.5	4.7	(?)	4.7	90.8
1938	67.6	45.0	13.7	4.3	3.3	1.0	2.3	1.0	4.6	85.2
1939	72.8	48.1	14.4	5.7	6.4	1.4	5.0	—	4.6	91.1
1940	81.6	52.1	15.9	9.1	9.3	2.8	6.5	—	4.5	100.6
1941	104.7	64.8	20.9	14.5	17.0	7.6	9.4	—	4.5	125.8
1942	137.7	85.3	28.5	19.7	20.9	11.4	9.5	—	4.3	159.1
1943	170.3	104.6	33.3	23.8	24.6	14.1	10.5	—	3.7	192.5
1944	182.6	121.3	33.0	23.0	23.3	12.9	10.4	—	3.3	211.4
1945	181.2	123.2	35.5	23.0	19.0	10.7	8.3	—	3.2	213.6
1946	179.6	117.7	41.5	17.3	22.6	9.1	13.4	—	3.1	209.2
1947	192.6	128.8	40.9	23.6	20.5	11.3	18.2	—	3.8	232.2
1948	221.6	140.8	45.6	30.6	32.8	12.5	20.3	—	4.5	257.3
1949	216.2	140.9	42.0	28.1	26.2	16.4	15.8	—	5.2	257.3
1950	240.0	154.3	44.6	35.1	40.0	17.8	22.1	—	5.9	285.1
1951	277.0	180.4	48.9	39.9	41.2	22.5	26.5	—	6.8	328.2
1952	280.2	185.1	50.8	36.0	35.9	18.8	18.1	—	7.4	345.4
1953	302.1	208.1	48.3	35.9	37.0	20.3	18.7	—	8.7	363.2
1954	288.3	206.9	48.9	32.9	33.2	18.8	16.4	—	9.7	360.7
1955	324.0	223.2	49.1	40.9	42.7	21.8	21.1	—	10.8	390.9
1956	342.4	239.1	50.5	40.9	43.4	21.9	21.5	—	11.9	412.4
Seasonally adjusted quarterly totals at annual rates										
1953—1st quarter	303.0	205.8	50.0	39.1	39.5	21.7	17.9	—0.5	8.2	361.6
2d quarter	305.8	209.3	49.4	38.7	40.2	22.0	18.2	—1.5	8.5	367.4
3d quarter	304.1	209.7	48.9	36.6	38.8	21.3	17.5	—2.2	8.9	366.3
4th quarter	295.7	207.6	49.1	29.8	29.7	16.3	13.4	—	9.2	357.5
1954—1st quarter	295.8	205.2	48.6	31.7	31.9	18.1	15.8	—	9.3	357.6
2d quarter	296.7	205.9	48.6	32.7	32.9	18.6	16.3	—	9.5	358.5
3d quarter	297.6	206.6	48.7	32.5	32.8	18.6	16.2	—	9.8	359.4
4th quarter	303.1	209.7	48.6	34.7	35.2	17.8	17.4	—	10.1	367.1
1955—1st quarter	311.3	213.9	48.6	38.5	39.7	20.0	19.7	—	10.4	377.3
2d quarter	321.9	221.6	49.5	40.2	41.1	20.7	20.3	—	10.6	387.4
3d quarter	323.3	221.8	49.0	41.6	43.5	22.0	21.5	—	11.0	396.8
4th quarter	334.4	226.3	49.3	43.4	46.4	23.4	23.0	—	11.3	401.9
1956—1st quarter	338.7	233.0	49.5	40.9	43.7	22.1	21.6	—	11.5	403.4
2d quarter	343.5	237.2	49.9	39.8	42.9	21.7	21.3	—	11.7	408.3
3d quarter	343.5	240.4	50.7	40.4	41.2	20.8	20.4	—	12.0	413.8
4th quarter	353.0	245.5	51.7	43.4	46.7	23.6	23.1	—	12.4	423.8
1957—1st quarter ²	356.7	248.7	51.5	43.9	46.5	23.5	23.0	—	12.6	427.1
Percent distribution										
1929	100.0	58.2	23.0	11.5	10.9	1.6	9.5	.6	7.3	-----
1930	100.0	61.8	21.5	8.7	4.4	1.1	3.3	4.0	7.9	-----
1931	100.0	66.5	20.9	2.7	—1.3	.8	—2.2	4.0	9.7	-----
1932	100.0	78.2	18.8	—4.7	—7.1	.9	—8.0	2.4	12.7	-----
1933	100.0	73.4	18.9	—5.0	1.2	1.2	—1.0	—5.2	12.4	-----
1934	100.0	70.0	17.8	—2.2	3.5	1.4	2.0	—1.2	10.0	-----
1935	100.0	65.3	21.0	5.1	5.4	1.8	3.9	—	8.4	-----
1936	100.0	66.1	19.0	7.7	8.8	2.2	6.8	—1.1	7.2	-----
1937	100.0	65.1	20.1	8.4	8.4	2.0	6.4	—	6.4	-----
1938	100.0	66.6	20.3	6.4	4.9	1.5	3.4	—	6.8	-----
1939	100.0	66.1	19.8	7.8	8.8	1.9	6.9	—	6.8	-----
1940	100.0	63.8	19.5	11.2	11.4	3.4	8.0	—	6.5	-----
1941	100.0	61.9	20.0	13.8	16.2	7.3	9.0	—	4.3	-----
1942	100.0	61.9	20.7	14.3	15.2	8.3	6.9	—	3.1	-----
1943	100.0	64.4	19.6	14.0	14.4	8.3	6.2	—	2.2	-----
1944	100.0	66.4	19.2	12.6	12.8	7.1	5.7	—	1.8	-----
1945	100.0	68.0	20.1	10.2	10.5	6.9	4.6	—	1.8	-----

See footnotes at end of table, p. 87.

TABLE 10.—National income by distributive shares, 1929-57—Continued

(Billions of dollars)

Year	Total national income	Compensation of employees	Proprietors' and rental income ¹	Corporate profits and inventory valuation adjustment				Net interest	Addendum: Gross national product
				Total	Profits before tax		Inventory valuation adjustment		
					Total	Profits tax liability				Profits after tax
Percent distribution—Continued									
1946.....	100.0	65.5	23.1	9.6	12.6	5.1	7.5	-3.0	1.7
1947.....	100.0	65.3	20.7	12.0	15.0	5.7	9.2	-3.0	1.9
1948.....	100.0	63.6	20.6	13.8	14.8	5.6	9.2	-1.0	2.0
1949.....	100.0	65.2	19.4	13.0	12.1	4.8	7.3	.9	2.4
1950.....	100.0	64.3	18.6	14.6	16.7	7.4	9.2	-2.0	2.5
1951.....	100.0	65.1	18.0	14.4	14.9	8.1	6.8	-.5	2.5
1952.....	100.0	67.2	17.5	12.7	12.4	6.8	5.5	.3	2.5
1953.....	100.0	68.9	16.3	11.9	12.2	6.7	5.5	-.3	2.9
1954.....	100.0	69.4	16.4	11.0	11.1	5.6	5.5	-.1	3.3
1955.....	100.0	68.9	15.2	12.6	13.2	6.6	6.5	-.5	3.3
1956.....	100.0	69.8	14.7	11.9	12.7	6.4	6.3	-.7	3.5
1953—1st quarter.....	100.0	67.9	16.5	12.9	13.0	7.2	5.9	-.2	2.7
2d quarter.....	100.0	68.4	16.1	12.7	13.1	7.2	6.0	-.5	2.8
3d quarter.....	100.0	69.0	16.1	12.0	12.8	7.0	5.8	-.7	2.9
4th quarter.....	100.0	70.2	16.6	10.1	10.0	5.5	4.5	-.1	3.1
1954—1st quarter.....	100.0	69.4	16.8	10.7	10.8	5.4	5.3	-.1	3.1
2d quarter.....	100.0	69.4	16.4	11.0	11.1	5.6	5.5	-.1	3.2
3d quarter.....	100.0	69.4	16.4	10.9	11.0	5.6	5.4	-.1	3.3
4th quarter.....	100.0	69.2	16.0	11.4	11.6	5.9	5.7	-.2	3.3
1955—1st quarter.....	100.0	68.7	15.6	12.4	12.8	6.4	6.3	-.4	3.3
2d quarter.....	100.0	68.8	15.4	12.5	12.8	6.4	6.3	-.3	3.3
3d quarter.....	100.0	69.1	14.9	12.7	13.3	6.7	6.5	-.6	3.4
4th quarter.....	100.0	68.9	14.7	13.0	13.9	7.0	6.9	-.9	3.4
1956—1st quarter.....	100.0	69.6	14.8	12.2	13.0	6.6	6.4	-.8	3.4
2d quarter.....	100.0	70.0	14.7	11.8	12.7	6.4	6.3	-.9	3.5
3d quarter.....	100.0	70.0	14.8	11.8	12.0	6.1	5.9	-.2	3.5
4th quarter.....	100.0	69.6	14.6	12.3	13.2	6.7	6.5	-.9	3.6
1957—1st quarter ²	100.0	69.7	14.4	12.3	13.0	6.6	6.4	-.7	3.5

NOTE.—Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.

¹ Includes noncorporate inventory valuation adjustment.

² Less than \$50 million.

³ Preliminary.

NOTE.—These estimates are based through 1953 on profits reported on Federal income tax returns (figures for later years are preliminary extrapolations) and conform in most respects to the accounting principles embodied in the tax laws. Certain exceptions to this conformity should be noted, however. The estimates do not reflect capital gains and losses, depletion charges, or dividend income from other United States corporations; and before-tax profits are gross of State as well as Federal income taxes. Mutual life insurance companies and other mutual institutions are excluded. The tax return data are adjusted systematically to exclude from the national totals dividends and branch profits accruing to foreigners from production in the United States, and to include corresponding items accruing to United States residents from production abroad. The former are included in the values shown for individual domestic industries, and are offset in the all-industry total by netting them against the inflows from abroad in deriving the series for the rest-of-the-world industry. All these international flows are measured net of taxes. In measuring total national income, the corporate profits item is further adjusted to exclude inventory gains and losses arising under the business accounting practice of charging inventories at prices other than current replacement cost.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, July 1956 and February 1957.

TABLE 11.—Income originating in United States corporate business, by distributive shares, 1929-55

Year	Total income originating	Compensation of employees	Net interest	Corporate profits and inventory valuation adjustment				
				Total	Profits before tax			Inventory valuation adjustment
					Total	Profits tax liability	Profits after tax	
Billions of dollars								
1929	45.2	33.7	1.6	9.9	9.4	1.4	8.0	0.5
1930	38.5	30.3	1.7	6.4	3.2	.8	2.3	3.3
1931	28.3	24.9	1.8	1.6	-.8	.5	-1.3	2.4
1932	18.4	18.6	1.8	-1.9	-3.0	.4	-3.4	1.0
1933	17.3	17.6	1.7	-2.0	.2	.5	-.4	-2.1
1934	23.4	20.6	1.7	1.0	1.7	.7	.9	-.6
1935	27.0	22.6	1.6	2.8	3.0	1.0	2.0	-.2
1936	32.3	25.8	1.6	4.9	5.6	1.4	4.2	-.7
1937	37.6	30.0	1.5	6.1	6.1	1.5	4.6	(1) 1.0
1938	32.3	26.8	1.5	4.0	3.1	1.0	2.0	-.7
1939	36.2	29.3	1.4	5.5	6.2	1.4	4.8	-.2
1940	42.4	32.3	1.2	8.9	9.1	2.8	6.3	-.2
1941	56.4	41.1	1.1	14.3	16.8	7.6	9.1	-2.5
1942	72.9	52.3	1.2	19.5	20.7	11.4	9.2	-1.2
1943	88.1	63.6	.9	23.5	24.3	14.1	10.2	-.8
1944	90.1	66.5	.8	22.7	23.0	12.9	10.1	-.3
1945	82.4	63.5	.7	18.2	18.7	10.7	8.1	-.6
1946	86.3	69.0	.5	16.9	22.1	9.1	13.0	-5.3
1947	104.7	81.2	.6	22.9	28.8	11.3	17.6	-5.9
1948	120.3	89.9	.6	29.8	31.9	12.5	19.4	-2.2
1949	115.4	87.4	.7	27.3	25.4	10.4	15.0	1.9
1950	131.6	96.9	.6	34.1	39.0	17.8	21.1	-4.9
1951	151.4	111.9	.7	38.7	40.0	22.5	17.5	-1.3
1952	156.4	120.0	.6	35.8	34.8	19.8	15.0	1.0
1953	165.7	130.0	.8	34.9	35.9	20.3	15.6	-1.0
1954	160.0	127.4	1.0	31.5	31.8	16.8	15.0	-.3
1955	178.6	138.2	1.1	39.3	41.0	21.5	19.5	-1.7
Percent distribution								
1929	100.0	74.6	3.6	21.8	20.8	3.0	17.7	1.0
1930	100.0	78.7	4.5	16.7	8.3	2.2	6.1	8.5
1931	100.0	87.9	6.4	5.8	-2.7	1.8	-4.5	8.5
1932	100.0	101.0	9.5	-10.5	-16.2	2.1	-18.3	5.7
1933	100.0	101.6	9.9	-11.5	.9	3.0	-2.1	-12.4
1934	100.0	88.3	7.3	4.4	7.1	3.2	3.9	-2.7
1935	100.0	83.8	6.0	10.2	11.1	3.5	7.5	-.8
1936	100.0	80.0	4.8	15.2	17.5	4.4	13.1	-2.3
1937	100.0	79.9	3.9	16.2	16.3	4.0	12.3	-.1
1938	100.0	83.0	4.6	12.5	9.5	3.2	6.3	3.0
1939	100.0	80.9	3.8	15.2	17.2	4.0	13.2	-2.0
1940	100.0	76.2	2.9	20.9	21.4	6.7	14.7	-.5
1941	100.0	72.7	2.0	25.3	29.7	13.5	16.2	-4.4
1942	100.0	71.7	1.6	26.7	28.3	15.7	12.7	-1.7
1943	100.0	72.2	1.1	26.7	27.6	16.0	11.6	-.9
1944	100.0	73.8	.9	25.2	25.6	14.4	11.2	-.3
1945	100.0	77.0	.9	22.1	22.7	13.0	9.8	-.7
1946	100.0	79.9	.5	19.5	25.6	10.6	15.1	-6.1
1947	100.0	77.5	.6	21.9	27.5	10.8	16.8	-5.6
1948	100.0	74.8	.5	24.8	26.6	10.4	16.2	-1.8
1949	100.0	75.7	.6	23.7	22.0	9.0	13.0	1.7
1950	100.0	73.6	.5	25.9	29.6	13.5	16.1	-3.7
1951	100.0	74.0	.5	25.6	26.4	14.8	11.5	-.8
1952	100.0	76.7	.4	22.9	22.3	12.7	9.6	.6
1953	100.0	78.5	.5	21.1	21.7	12.3	9.4	-.6
1954	100.0	79.6	.6	19.7	19.9	10.5	9.4	-.2
1955	100.0	77.4	.6	22.0	23.0	12.0	10.9	-1.0

NOTE.—Detail may not add to totals because of rounding.
 1 Less than \$50 million.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE 12.—Ratio of current prices to average prices underlying historical-cost depreciation, for all American business, 1910-56

[Percent]

Year	Plant	Equipment	Plant and equipment	Year	Plant	Equipment	Plant and equipment
1910.....	110.6	105.7	107.4	1934.....	118.3	96.2	103.2
1911.....	111.5	107.3	108.8	1935.....	118.6	97.7	104.5
1912.....	111.3	108.3	110.0	1936.....	118.6	99.6	105.7
1913.....	113.0	110.0	111.1	1937.....	126.1	106.8	112.8
1914.....	110.1	106.8	107.9	1938.....	128.0	106.7	113.2
1915.....	122.1	117.9	119.3	1939.....	125.0	103.3	110.0
1916.....	136.2	128.9	131.4	1940.....	126.9	105.7	112.1
1917.....	178.5	155.3	162.6	1941.....	135.3	110.3	117.6
1918.....	202.0	168.1	173.1	1942.....	144.7	120.3	127.5
1919.....	208.8	165.7	177.9	1943.....	147.3	120.2	128.1
1920.....	213.2	163.9	177.4	1944.....	149.6	120.2	128.7
1921.....	183.2	137.0	149.7	1945.....	148.9	117.3	126.1
1922.....	155.9	114.6	126.1	1946.....	159.4	124.5	133.7
1923.....	162.8	119.3	131.6	1947.....	176.3	133.6	143.8
1924.....	156.6	116.0	127.4	1948.....	182.5	133.9	144.6
1925.....	154.0	114.9	126.0	1949.....	180.3	129.8	140.3
1926.....	149.2	112.8	123.0	1950.....	180.1	128.0	138.2
1927.....	144.8	111.0	120.7	1951.....	188.5	132.4	142.9
1928.....	139.0	107.9	116.8	1952.....	186.6	130.0	140.2
1929.....	138.2	107.9	116.5	1953.....	180.7	125.7	135.3
1930.....	131.2	102.1	110.4	1954.....	175.6	123.0	132.3
1931.....	121.2	95.8	103.2	1955.....	173.2	121.7	130.7
1932.....	113.8	89.4	96.7	1956.....	172.6	122.4	131.1
1933.....	110.2	88.5	95.2	End 1956.....	173.2	124.6	133.1

Source: Machinery and Allied Products Institute. Data underlying chart 2 in Capital Goods Review No. 29.

TABLE 13.—Depreciation on privately owned structures and equipment in manufacturing establishments, 1929-55

[Billions of dollars]

Year	Original cost			Constant (1947) cost			Current-year cost ¹			Ratio of current-year cost to original cost ²		
	Structures and equipment	Structures	Equipment	Structures and equipment	Structures	Equipment	Structures and equipment	Structures	Equipment	Structures and equipment	Structures	Equipment
1929.....	1.4	0.5	1.0	2.8	1.3	1.5	1.7	0.6	1.0	1.17	1.37	1.03
1930.....	1.5	.5	1.0	2.9	1.4	1.5	1.6	.6	1.0	1.08	1.20	1.02
1931.....	1.5	.5	1.0	2.9	1.4	1.5	1.5	.5	1.0	.99	1.03	.97
1932.....	1.5	.5	1.0	2.9	1.4	1.5	1.4	.5	.9	.92	.93	.92
1933.....	1.4	.5	.9	2.8	1.4	1.4	1.3	.5	.8	.92	.94	.91
1934.....	1.4	.5	.9	2.8	1.4	1.4	1.4	.5	.9	1.02	1.09	.97
1935.....	1.4	.5	.9	2.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	.6	.9	1.02	1.10	.98
1936.....	1.4	.5	.9	2.7	1.3	1.4	1.5	.6	.9	1.04	1.15	.98
1937.....	1.4	.5	.9	2.8	1.4	1.4	1.6	.7	1.0	1.13	1.27	1.05
1938.....	1.5	.5	.9	2.8	1.4	1.4	1.6	.7	1.0	1.11	1.23	1.05
1939.....	1.5	.5	.9	2.8	1.4	1.4	1.6	.6	1.0	1.09	1.18	1.04
1940.....	1.5	.5	1.0	2.8	1.4	1.4	1.7	.7	1.0	1.13	1.24	1.07
1941.....	1.6	.6	1.0	2.9	1.4	1.5	1.9	.8	1.2	1.22	1.36	1.14
1942.....	1.7	.6	1.1	3.0	1.4	1.6	2.1	.9	1.2	1.27	1.52	1.13
1943.....	1.7	.6	1.1	3.0	1.4	1.6	2.2	1.0	1.2	1.29	1.63	1.11
1944.....	1.8	.6	1.2	3.0	1.4	1.7	2.2	.9	1.3	1.26	1.55	1.11
1945.....	1.9	.6	1.3	3.1	1.4	1.8	2.4	1.0	1.4	1.27	1.62	1.10
1946.....	2.0	.6	1.4	3.3	1.4	1.9	2.8	1.2	1.6	1.38	1.87	1.15
1947.....	2.3	.7	1.6	3.6	1.5	2.1	3.6	1.5	2.1	1.54	2.06	1.30
1948.....	2.7	.8	1.9	3.8	1.5	2.3	4.2	1.7	2.5	1.58	2.18	1.33
1949.....	2.9	.8	2.1	4.0	1.5	2.5	4.5	1.7	2.8	1.52	2.05	1.32
1950.....	3.2	.9	2.3	4.1	1.5	2.6	4.8	1.7	3.0	1.49	1.99	1.31
1951.....	3.5	.9	2.6	4.3	1.5	2.8	5.5	1.9	3.6	1.58	2.14	1.38
1952.....	3.9	1.0	2.9	4.5	1.6	2.9	5.8	2.0	3.8	1.50	2.08	1.31
1953.....	4.2	1.0	3.2	4.6	1.6	3.1	6.1	2.0	4.0	1.44	2.01	1.27
1954.....	4.5	1.1	3.5	4.8	1.6	3.3	6.4	2.0	4.4	1.41	1.87	1.27
1955.....	4.9	1.1	3.7	5.0	1.6	3.4	6.7	2.1	4.6	1.38	1.84	1.25

¹ Cost prevailing in each year of period.

² Computed from unrounded figures.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Survey of Current Business, November 1956, p. 11.

TABLE 14.—Three adjustments of reported profits of manufacturing corporations, and the combined adjustment, 1925-29 average, and 1946-55

[Millions of dollars]

Period	Depreciation adjustment	Amortization adjustment	Inventory adjustment	Combined adjustment
1925-29 average.....	-298		+278	-20
1946-55 average.....	-1,386	+270	-1,266	-2,382
1946.....	-656		-3,041	-3,697
1947.....	-1,041		-3,737	-4,778
1948.....	-1,265		-1,440	-2,705
1949.....	-1,345		+1,194	-151
1950.....	-1,295		-3,082	-4,377
1951.....	-1,623	+106	-662	-2,179
1952.....	-1,645	+347	+640	-658
1953.....	-1,613	+615	-743	-1,741
1954.....	-1,621	+768	-198	-1,051
1955.....	-1,754	+867	-1,592	-2,479

Source: Machinery and Allied Products Institute. Data underlying chart 1 in Capital Goods Review No. 25.

TABLE 15.—Profits of manufacturing corporations as reported and as corrected, 1925-29 average, and 1946-55

[Millions of dollars]

Period	Profits as reported	Profits corrected	Period	Profits as reported	Profits corrected
1925-29 average.....	3,549	3,529	1950.....	12,375	7,998
1946-55 average.....	9,665	7,284	1951.....	10,260	8,081
1946.....	6,658	2,961	1952.....	8,271	7,613
1947.....	10,055	5,277	1953.....	8,847	7,106
1948.....	11,036	8,331	1954.....	8,799	7,748
1949.....	8,411	8,260	1955.....	11,942	9,463

Source: Machinery and Allied Products Institute. Data underlying chart 2 in Capital Goods Review No. 25.

TABLE 16.—Corrected profits of manufacturing corporations, and corrected profits plus income taxes accrued, as a percentage of corrected income produced, 1925-29 average, and 1946-55

[Percent]

Period	Profits	Profits plus income taxes	Period	Profits	Profits plus income taxes
1925-29 average.....	19.4	22.7	1950.....	11.8	27.9
1946-55 average.....	10.3	23.6	1951.....	10.1	27.9
1946.....	6.7	19.4	1952.....	9.3	23.6
1947.....	9.9	21.9	1953.....	8.0	22.1
1948.....	13.7	25.4	1954.....	9.4	20.3
1949.....	14.5	24.5	1955.....	10.2	23.4

Source: Machinery and Allied Products Institute. Data underlying chart 3 in Capital Goods Review No. 25.

TABLE 17.—Corrected profits of manufacturing corporations, plus intercorporate dividends, as a percentage of corrected net worth, 1925-29 average, and 1946-55

[Percent]

Period	Corrected profits plus intercorporate dividends, as a percentage of corrected net worth	Same, adding excess profits tax to corrected profits	Period	Corrected profits plus intercorporate dividends, as a percentage of corrected net worth	Same, adding excess profits tax to corrected profits
1925-29 average.....	8.0	-----	1950.....	8.6	9.6
1946-55 average.....	7.5	8.1	1951.....	8.0	9.7
1946.....	5.0	-----	1952.....	7.0	8.0
1947.....	7.6	-----	1953.....	6.3	7.4
1948.....	9.8	-----	1954.....	6.6	-----
1949.....	8.9	-----	1955.....	7.7	-----

Source: Machinery and Allied Products Institute. Data underlying chart 4 in Capital Goods Review No. 25.

TABLE 18.—Corrected income produced by manufacturing corporations as a percentage of their corrected net worth, 1925-29 average, and 1946-55

Period	Corrected income produced as a percentage of corrected net worth (percent)
1925-29 average.....	34.8
1946-55 average.....	62.8
1946.....	62.1
1947.....	67.2
1948.....	63.6
1949.....	54.8
1950.....	61.8
1951.....	67.5
1952.....	63.8
1953.....	66.3
1954.....	60.4
1955.....	65.6

Source: Machinery and Allied Products Institute. Data underlying chart 5 in Capital Goods Review No. 25.

TABLE 19.—Property income as a percent of national income originating in manufacturing, 1929-55

[Percent]

Year	Based on book value depreciation	Based on current value depreciation	Year	Based on book value depreciation	Based on current value depreciation
1929.....	25	23	1943.....	26	26
1930.....	23	22	1944.....	24	25
1931.....	11	11	1945.....	21	22
1932.....	-10	-8	1946.....	19	17
1933.....	-8	-6	1947.....	23	21
1934.....	9	9	1948.....	27	24
1935.....	16	16	1949.....	26	23
1936.....	21	20	1950.....	29	26
1937.....	21	20	1951.....	29	26
1938.....	16	15	1952.....	24	22
1939.....	19	18	1953.....	23	21
1940.....	26	25	1954.....	21	19
1941.....	30	29	1955.....	24	22
1942.....	28	28			

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, November 1956, p. 20.

APPENDIX II

TABLES: PRODUCTION AND PRODUCTIVITY IN THE NATIONAL ECONOMY

TABLE II.1—*Index output: Gross national product in 1958 dollars, industrial production, manufacturing, and farm output, 1919-65*

	Real gross national product index, 1957-59=100 (1)	Industrial production (1957-59=100)					Farm (8)	
		Total (2)	Manufacturing			Mining (6)		Utilities (7)
			Total (3)	Durable (4)	Non-durable (5)			
1909	25.5						69.1	
1910	26.2						70.5	
1911	26.9						68.6	
1912	28.4						78.3	
1913	28.7						70.0	
1914	27.4						76.3	
1915	27.1						80.7	
1916	29.3						73.9	
1917	29.5						78.7	
1918	33.1						76.3	
1919	31.9	24.9	25.1	24.2	24.5	36.0	76.8	
1920	30.5	26.2	25.9	26.8	24.7	41.8	75.8	
1921	27.9	20.1	19.7	15.3	23.4	33.5	69.1	
1922	32.3	25.6	25.8	23.3	27.6	35.8	74.9	
1923	36.2	30.5	30.2	29.9	29.8	49.4	78.7	
1924	36.1	28.6	28.3	27.4	28.7	45.1	75.4	
1925	39.1	31.5	31.6	30.9	31.6	46.5	80.7	
1926	41.1	33.4	33.3	32.9	32.9	50.4	78.7	
1927	41.4	33.3	33.1	30.9	34.5	50.6	82.1	
1928	41.6	34.6	34.8	33.7	35.3	49.9	79.2	
1929	44.4	38.4	38.6	38.2	38.3	54.2	82.1	
1930	40.0	32.0	31.7	28.4	34.8	47.0	77.8	
1931	36.9	26.5	25.9	19.5	32.8	40.3	89.4	
1932	31.4	20.7	19.9	11.9	28.9	33.6	87.0	
1933	30.9	24.4	23.7	15.5	32.8	38.5	84.5	
1934	33.6	26.6	26.0	18.8	33.8	40.3	70.5	
1935	37.0	30.7	30.6	24.1	37.4	43.7	79.7	
1936	42.1	36.3	36.4	31.2	41.6	50.3	72.0	
1937	44.3	39.7	39.7	35.2	44.1	56.7	86.5	
1938	42.1	31.4	30.5	22.6	39.1	49.0	86.0	
1939	45.7	38.3	37.9	41.4	44.9	53.8	87.9	
1940	49.5	43.9	43.8	40.0	47.3	60.1	84.5	
1941	57.5	56.4	58.3	57.7	57.6	64.8	90.8	
1942	64.9	69.3	73.1	79.9	63.7	67.0	99.5	
1943	73.5	82.3	88.7	102.9	70.7	69.0	94.7	
1944	78.8	81.7	86.3	100.9	68.2	74.2	93.7	
1945	77.5	70.5	73.0	78.2	65.6	73.0	87.4	
1946	68.2	59.5	60.0	54.7	64.8	72.2	89.4	
1947	67.6	65.7	66.4	64.3	67.2	79.9	82.1	
1948	70.6	68.4	68.9	67.0	69.5	84.0	91.8	
1949	70.7	64.7	65.1	60.9	68.3	74.5	88.9	
1950	77.5	74.9	75.8	74.1	76.0	83.2	93.7	
1951	83.6	81.3	81.9	83.5	78.5	91.3	88.9	
1952	86.2	84.3	85.2	88.5	80.0	90.5	91.8	
1953	90.0	91.3	92.7	99.9	83.6	92.9	96.6	
1954	88.8	85.8	86.3	88.4	83.6	90.2	98.6	
1955	95.5	96.6	97.3	101.9	91.6	99.2	101.0	
1956	97.3	99.9	100.2	104.0	95.4	104.8	100.5	
1957	98.7	100.7	100.8	104.0	96.7	104.6	98.1	
1958	97.5	93.7	93.2	90.3	96.8	95.6	100.5	
1959	103.8	105.6	106.0	105.6	106.5	99.7	101.9	
1960	106.4	108.7	108.9	108.5	109.5	101.6	105.8	
1961	108.4	109.7	109.6	107.0	112.9	102.6	107.2	
1962	115.6	118.3	118.7	117.9	119.8	105.0	106.8	
1963	120.2	124.3	124.9	124.5	125.3	107.9	110.1	
1964	126.5	132.3	133.1	133.5	132.6	111.3	106.3	
1965	134.0	143.3	144.9	148.4	140.7	114.4	115.0	

Source: Col. 1, U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; indexed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee; cols. 2-7, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; col. 8, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE II.2—Gross national product, personal consumption expenditures, and gross private domestic investment (1958 dollars), and percentage change from previous year (1929-65)

Year	Billions of dollars in 1958 prices				Percentage change over previous year			
	Gross national product	Personal consumption expenditures	Gross private domestic investment	Government purchases	GNP	Consumption	Investment	Government
1929	203.6	139.6	40.4	22.0				
1930	183.2	130.4	27.3	24.3	-10.1	-6.6	-32.4	10.5
1931	169.2	126.1	16.6	25.4	-7.6	-3.3	-39.2	4.5
1932	144.1	114.8	4.6	24.2	-14.8	-9.0	-72.3	-4.7
1933	141.5	112.8	5.3	23.3	-1.8	-1.7	15.2	-3.7
1934	154.3	118.1	9.4	26.6	9.0	4.7	77.4	14.2
1935	169.6	125.5	18.0	27.0	9.9	6.3	91.5	1.5
1936	193.0	138.4	24.1	31.8	13.8	10.3	33.9	17.8
1937	203.3	143.1	30.0	30.8	5.3	3.4	24.5	-3.1
1938	193.0	140.2	17.0	33.9	-4.9	-2.0	-43.3	10.1
1939	209.4	148.2	24.7	35.2	8.3	5.7	45.3	3.8
1940	227.2	155.7	33.0	36.4	8.5	5.1	33.6	3.4
1941	263.7	165.4	41.6	56.3	16.1	6.2	26.0	54.7
1942	297.8	161.4	21.4	117.1	12.9	-2.4	-48.6	108.0
1943	337.2	165.8	12.8	164.4	13.2	2.7	-40.2	40.4
1944	361.3	171.4	14.0	181.7	7.1	3.4	9.4	10.5
1945	355.4	183.0	19.8	156.4	-1.6	6.8	41.4	-13.9
1946	312.6	203.5	52.3	48.4	-12.0	11.2	164.1	-69.1
1947	309.9	206.3	51.5	39.9	-9	1.5	-1.5	-17.6
1948	323.7	210.8	60.4	46.3	4.5	2.2	17.3	16.0
1949	324.1	216.5	48.0	53.3	1	2.7	-20.5	15.1
1950	355.3	230.5	69.3	52.8	9.6	6.5	44.4	-4
1951	383.4	232.8	70.0	75.4	7.9	1.0	1.0	42.8
1952	395.1	239.4	60.5	92.1	3.1	2.8	-13.6	22.1
1953	412.8	250.8	61.2	99.6	4.5	4.8	1.2	8.4
1954	407.0	255.7	59.4	88.9	-1.4	2.0	-2.9	-10.9
1955	438.0	274.2	75.4	85.2	7.6	7.2	26.9	-4.2
1956	446.1	281.4	74.3	85.3	1.8	2.6	-1.5	1
1957	452.5	288.2	68.8	89.3	1.4	2.4	-7.4	4.7
1958	447.3	290.1	60.9	94.2	-1.1	1.0	-11.5	5.5
1959	475.9	307.3	73.6	94.7	6.4	5.9	20.9	.5
1960	487.8	316.2	72.4	94.9	2.5	2.9	-1.6	.2
1961	497.3	322.6	69.0	100.5	1.9	2.0	-4.7	5.9
1962	530.0	338.6	79.4	107.5	6.6	5.0	15.1	7.0
1963	551.0	353.3	82.5	109.6	4.0	4.3	3.9	2.0
1964	580.0	373.8	86.5	111.3	5.3	5.8	4.8	1.6
1965	614.4	396.2	97.8	114.1	5.9	6.0	13.1	2.5

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Percentage changes computed by staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE II.3—Implicit price deflators—Percent change from year to year

	Gross national product	Personal consumption expenditures	Gross private domestic investment	Government purchases of goods and services
1929				
1930	-2.6	-3.1	-3.3	-1.8
1931	-9.1	-11.6	-6.8	-4.2
1932	-9.0	-11.7	-10.4	-8.0
1933	-2.5	-5.0	-3.5	3.3
1934	7.4	7.1	10.1	6.7
1935	.9	2.1	1.2	1.5
1936	.2	.7	.9	1.6
1937	4.2	4.0	9.3	2.1
1938	-1.4	-2.0	1.1	-3
1939	-1.6	-1.1	-1.3	-1.0
1940	1.6	.9	3.7	1.6
1941	7.5	7.0	7.7	14.3
1942	12.2	12.5	10.7	15.7
1943	7.2	9.3	5.4	5.9
1944	2.5	5.5	4.1	-1.5
1945	2.6	3.5	.8	-1.0
1946	11.7	7.8	13.8	6.1
1947	11.8	10.5	14.0	12.7
1948	6.7	5.6	10.8	8.3
1949	-.6	-.7	1.1	4.3
1950	1.4	1.5	3.7	1.1
1951	6.7	6.9	7.2	9.3
1952	2.2	2.1	2.6	3.2
1953	.9	1.3	1.5	1.0
1954	1.5	.9	.2	2.8
1955	1.5	.3	2.5	3.6
1956	3.4	2.2	5.6	5.7
1957	3.7	3.1	4.8	4.7
1958	2.6	2.4	1.5	3.7
1959	1.6	1.3	2.6	2.4
1960	1.7	1.6	.8	2.5
1961	1.3	1.0	.5	2.0
1962	1.1	.9	1.0	1.8
1963	1.3	1.1	1.0	2.5
1964	1.6	1.2	1.7	3.8
1965	1.8	1.4	1.8	3.1

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, computed to yearly percentage changes by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE II.4—Gross national product by sector, 1929–65

(Billions of dollars)

	Total gross national product	Gross private product ¹						Gross government product ²
		Total	Business			Households	Rest of the world	
			Total	Nonfarm ²	Farm			
1929	103.1	98.8	95.1	85.4	9.7	2.9	0.8	4.3
1930	90.4	85.8	82.4	74.8	7.7	2.7	.7	4.5
1931	75.8	71.2	68.3	62.0	6.3	2.3	.5	4.7
1932	58.0	53.6	51.3	46.8	4.5	1.9	.4	4.4
1933	55.6	50.9	48.9	44.3	4.6	1.7	.3	4.7
1934	65.1	59.5	57.4	52.7	4.7	1.8	.3	5.6
1935	72.2	66.3	64.1	57.1	7.0	1.9	.4	5.9
1936	82.5	75.2	72.9	66.5	6.4	2.0	.3	7.3
1937	90.4	83.5	81.0	72.7	8.3	2.3	.3	6.9
1938	84.7	77.0	74.5	67.9	6.6	2.2	.4	7.6
1939	90.5	82.9	80.3	74.0	6.3	2.3	.3	7.6
1940	99.7	91.9	89.1	82.6	6.5	2.4	.4	7.8
1941	124.5	115.1	112.2	103.3	8.9	2.5	.4	9.4
1942	157.9	142.8	139.5	126.5	13.0	2.9	.4	15.1
1943	191.6	166.0	162.4	147.2	15.3	3.2	.4	25.6
1944	210.1	177.9	173.8	158.5	15.3	3.7	.4	32.2
1945	211.9	176.8	172.3	156.4	15.9	4.1	.4	35.2
1946	208.5	187.7	182.7	163.9	18.8	4.5	.6	20.8
1947	231.3	214.6	208.6	188.5	20.2	5.1	.8	16.7
1948	257.6	240.1	233.5	210.2	23.3	5.6	1.0	17.4
1949	256.5	237.0	230.1	211.4	18.8	5.9	1.0	19.4
1950	284.8	263.9	256.3	236.3	20.0	6.4	1.2	20.9
1951	328.4	301.0	292.8	269.9	22.9	6.9	1.3	27.4
1952	345.5	314.3	305.8	283.7	22.2	7.2	1.3	31.2
1953	364.6	332.7	323.6	303.3	20.3	7.8	1.3	31.9
1954	364.8	332.4	322.7	303.1	19.6	8.1	1.6	32.5
1955	398.0	363.8	352.9	334.1	18.8	9.1	1.8	34.2
1956	419.2	382.6	370.8	352.2	18.6	9.8	2.1	36.6
1957	441.1	402.0	389.3	370.9	18.4	10.5	2.2	39.1
1958	447.3	405.2	391.7	370.9	20.8	11.4	2.0	42.1
1959	483.7	439.4	425.0	405.3	19.6	12.2	2.2	44.3
1960	503.7	456.3	440.7	420.2	20.5	13.2	2.4	47.5
1961	520.1	469.2	452.3	431.4	20.9	14.0	2.9	50.9
1962	560.3	505.7	487.4	466.2	21.2	15.0	3.3	54.7
1963	590.5	532.4	513.0	491.5	21.5	16.0	3.4	58.1
1964	631.7	568.7	547.4	527.0	20.4	17.3	4.0	63.0
1965	681.2	613.4	590.8	567.1	23.8	18.3	4.3	67.8

¹ Gross national product less compensation of general government employees.² Includes compensation of employees in government enterprises. Government enterprises are those agencies of government whose operating costs are at least to a substantial extent covered by the sale of goods and services, in contrast to the general activities of government which are financed mainly by tax revenues and debt creation. Government enterprises, in other words, conduct operations essentially commercial in character, even though they perform them under governmental auspices. The Post Office and public power systems are typical examples of government enterprises. On the other hand, State universities and public parks, where the fees and admissions cover only a nominal part of operating costs, are part of general government activities.³ Compensation of general government employees.

NOTE.—Data for Alaska and Hawaii included beginning 1960.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE II.5—Gross national product by major sector, 1929–65, in constant (1958) dollars

[Billions of 1958 dollars]

Year	Gross national product	Farm	General Government	All others
1929	203.6	17.0	12.7	173.9
1930	183.5	16.1	13.3	154.1
1931	169.2	18.5	13.5	137.2
1932	144.1	18.0	13.2	112.9
1933	141.5	17.5	14.0	110.0
1934	154.3	14.6	16.0	123.7
1935	169.6	16.5	17.1	136.0
1936	193.0	14.9	19.9	158.2
1937	203.3	17.9	18.9	166.5
1938	193.0	17.8	20.4	154.8
1939	209.4	18.2	20.6	170.6
1940	227.2	17.5	21.6	188.1
1941	263.7	18.8	27.2	217.7
1942	297.8	20.6	40.5	236.7
1943	337.2	19.6	64.3	253.3
1944	361.3	19.4	74.4	267.5
1945	355.2	18.1	72.8	264.3
1946	312.6	18.5	37.5	256.6
1947	309.9	17.0	28.6	264.3
1948	323.7	19.0	28.7	276.0
1949	327.1	18.4	30.1	275.6
1950	355.3	19.4	31.1	304.8
1951	383.4	18.4	38.8	326.2
1952	395.1	19.0	41.8	337.3
1953	412.8	20.0	41.7	351.1
1954	407.0	20.4	40.9	375.7
1955	438.0	20.9	40.7	376.7
1956	446.1	20.8	41.3	384.0
1957	452.5	20.3	41.9	390.3
1958	447.3	20.8	42.1	384.9
1959	475.9	21.1	42.5	412.3
1960	487.8	21.9	43.7	422.2
1961	497.3	22.2	44.8	430.3
1962	529.8	22.1	46.9	460.8
1963	551.0	22.9	47.8	480.3
1964	580.0	22.0	49.1	508.9
1965	614.4	23.8	50.9	539.7

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE II.6—Index of gross national production by sector, 1929–65

[1957–59=100]

	Total private production	Farm production	Private nonfarm production	Government
1929	23.8	49.5	22.5	10.3
1930	20.6	39.3	19.8	10.8
1931	17.1	32.1	16.4	11.2
1932	12.9	23.0	12.4	10.5
1933	12.3	23.5	11.7	11.2
1934	14.3	24.0	13.8	13.4
1935	16.0	35.7	15.0	14.1
1936	18.1	32.7	17.4	17.5
1937	20.1	42.3	19.0	16.5
1938	18.5	38.7	17.8	18.2
1939	20.0	32.1	19.3	18.2
1940	22.1	38.2	21.6	18.7
1941	27.7	45.4	26.8	22.5
1942	34.4	66.3	32.8	36.1
1943	40.0	78.1	38.1	61.2
1944	42.8	78.1	41.1	77.0
1945	42.6	81.1	40.6	84.2
1946	45.2	95.9	42.7	49.8
1947	51.6	103.1	49.1	40.0
1948	57.8	118.9	54.8	41.6
1949	57.1	95.9	55.1	46.4
1950	63.5	102.0	61.6	50.0
1951	72.4	116.8	70.2	65.6
1952	75.6	113.3	73.8	74.6
1953	80.1	103.6	78.9	76.3
1954	80.0	100.0	79.0	77.8
1955	87.6	95.9	87.1	81.8
1956	92.1	94.9	91.9	87.6
1957	96.8	93.9	96.9	93.5
1958	97.5	106.1	97.0	100.7
1959	105.8	100.0	106.0	106.0
1960	109.8	104.6	110.1	113.6
1961	112.9	106.6	113.2	121.8
1962	121.7	108.2	122.4	130.9
1963	128.1	114.1	128.8	139.0
1964	136.9	122.3	137.5	150.7
1965	147.6	131.6	148.4	162.2

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economy, Survey of Current Business.

TABLE II.7—Gross national product by expenditure class, 1929–66

[Billions of current dollars]

	Gross national product	Personal consumption expenditures	Investment Total	Government			Net exports
				Total	Federal	State and local	
1929	103.1	77.2	16.2	8.5	1.3	7.2	1.1
1930	90.4	69.9	10.3	9.2	1.4	7.8	1.0
1931	75.8	60.5	5.6	9.2	1.5	7.7	.5
1932	58.0	48.6	1.0	8.1	1.5	6.6	.4
1933	55.6	45.8	1.4	8.0	2.0	6.0	.4
1934	65.1	51.3	3.3	9.8	3.0	6.8	.6
1935	72.2	55.7	6.4	10.0	2.9	7.1	.1
1936	82.5	61.9	8.5	12.0	4.9	7.0	.1
1937	90.4	66.5	11.8	11.9	4.7	7.2	.3
1938	84.7	63.9	6.5	13.0	5.4	7.6	1.3
1939	90.5	66.8	9.3	13.3	5.1	8.2	1.1
1940	99.7	70.8	13.1	14.0	6.0	8.0	1.7
1941	124.5	80.6	17.9	24.8	16.9	7.9	1.3
1942	157.9	88.5	9.8	59.6	51.7	7.7	(1)
1943	191.6	99.3	5.7	88.6	81.1	7.4	-2.0
1944	210.1	108.3	7.1	96.5	89.0	7.5	-1.8
1945	212.0	119.7	10.6	82.3	74.2	8.1	-6
1946	208.5	143.4	30.6	27.0	17.2	9.8	7.5
1947	231.3	160.7	34.0	25.1	12.5	12.6	11.5
1948	257.6	173.6	46.0	31.6	16.5	15.0	6.4
1949	256.5	176.8	35.7	37.8	20.1	17.7	6.1
1950	284.8	191.0	58.1	37.9	18.4	19.5	1.8
1951	328.4	206.3	59.3	59.1	37.7	21.5	3.7
1952	345.5	216.7	51.9	74.7	51.8	22.9	2.2
1953	364.6	230.0	52.6	81.6	57.0	24.6	.4
1954	364.8	236.5	51.7	74.8	47.4	27.4	1.8
1955	398.0	254.4	67.4	74.2	44.1	30.1	2.0

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE II.7—Gross national product by expenditure class, 1929-66—Continued

[Billions of current dollars]

	Gross national product	Personal consumption expenditures	Investment Total	Government			Net exports
				Total	Federal	State and local	
1956.....	419.2	266.7	70.0	78.6	45.6	33.0	4.0
1957.....	441.1	281.4	67.8	86.1	49.5	36.6	5.7
1958.....	447.3	290.1	60.9	94.2	53.6	40.6	2.2
1959.....	483.6	311.2	75.3	97.0	53.7	43.3	.1
1960.....	503.8	325.2	74.8	99.6	53.5	46.1	4.1
1961.....	420.1	335.2	71.7	107.6	57.4	50.2	5.6
1962.....	560.3	355.1	83.0	117.1	63.4	53.7	5.1
1963.....	490.5	375.0	87.1	122.5	64.2	58.2	5.9
1964.....	631.7	401.0	93.0	128.9	65.2	63.7	8.5
1965.....	681.2	431.5	106.6	136.2	66.8	69.9	7.0
1965:							
1st quarter....	660.8	418.9	103.8	131.4	64.4	67.3	6.4
2d quarter....	672.9	426.8	103.7	134.3	65.6	68.7	8.2
3d quarter....	686.5	435.0	106.7	137.7	67.5	70.2	7.1
4th quarter....	704.4	445.2	111.9	141.2	69.8	71.4	6.1
1966:							
1st quarter....	721.2	455.6	114.5	145.0	71.9	73.1	6.0
2d quarter....	732.3	460.1	118.5	149.0	74.0	75.0	4.7
3d quarter ²	744.6	469.9	115.0	155.5	78.3	77.2	4.2

¹ Less than \$50,000,000.² Preliminary.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE II.8—The composition of demand for goods and services as percentages of gross national product, 1929-66

	Consumption	Investment	Total government	Federal	State and local	Federal national defense spending as percent of GNP	Other Federal spending as percent of GNP	Net exports
1929.....	74.9	15.7	8.3	1.3	7.0	1.3		1.1
1930.....	77.3	11.4	10.1	1.5	8.6	1.5		1.1
1931.....	79.8	7.4	12.2	2.0	10.2	2.0		.7
1932.....	83.8	1.7	13.9	2.5	11.4	2.6		.7
1933.....	82.4	2.5	14.4	3.6	10.8	3.6		.7
1934.....	78.8	5.1	15.0	4.6	10.4	4.6		.9
1935.....	77.1	8.9	13.8	4.0	9.8	4.0		.1
1936.....	75.0	10.3	14.4	5.9	8.5	5.9		.1
1937.....	73.6	13.1	13.2	5.2	8.0	5.2		.2
1938.....	75.4	7.7	15.4	6.4	9.0	6.4		1.5
1939.....	73.8	10.3	14.7	5.6	9.1	1.3	4.3	1.2
1940.....	71.0	13.1	14.0	6.0	8.0	2.2	3.8	1.7
1941.....	64.7	14.4	19.9	13.6	6.3	11.1	2.5	1.0
1942.....	56.0	6.2	37.7	32.9	4.8	31.3	1.6	-----
1943.....	51.8	3.0	46.2	42.3	3.9	41.6	.7	-1.0
1944.....	51.5	3.4	46.0	42.4	3.6	41.6	.8	- .9
1945.....	56.5	5.0	38.8	35.0	3.8	34.7	.3	- .3
1946.....	68.8	14.7	12.9	8.2	4.7	7.1	1.2	3.6
1947.....	69.5	14.7	10.8	5.4	5.4	3.9	1.5	5.0
1948.....	67.4	17.9	12.2	6.4	5.8	4.2	2.3	2.5
1949.....	68.9	13.9	14.7	7.8	6.9	5.2	2.7	2.4
1950.....	67.1	19.0	13.3	6.5	6.8	5.0	1.5	.6
1951.....	62.8	18.1	18.0	11.5	6.5	10.2	1.2	1.1
1952.....	62.7	15.0	21.6	15.0	6.6	13.3	1.7	.1
1953.....	63.1	14.4	22.3	15.6	6.7	13.4	2.3	1.0
1954.....	64.8	14.2	20.5	13.0	7.5	11.3	1.7	1.5
1955.....	63.9	16.9	18.7	11.1	7.6	9.7	1.7	.5
1956.....	63.6	16.7	18.8	10.9	7.9	9.6	1.3	1.0
1957.....	63.8	15.4	19.5	11.2	8.3	10.0	1.2	1.3
1958.....	64.0	13.6	21.1	12.0	9.1	10.3	1.7	.5
1959.....	64.4	15.6	20.1	11.1	9.0	9.5	1.6	-----
1960.....	64.5	14.8	19.8	10.6	9.2	8.9	1.7	.8
1961.....	64.4	13.8	20.7	11.0	9.7	9.2	1.8	1.1
1962.....	63.4	14.8	20.9	11.3	9.6	9.2	2.1	.9
1963.....	63.5	14.8	20.8	10.9	9.9	8.6	2.3	1.0
1964.....	63.5	14.7	20.4	10.3	10.1	7.9	2.7	1.3
1965.....	63.3	15.5	20.0	9.8	10.2	7.7	2.5	1.0

TABLE II.8—The composition of demand for goods and services as percentages of gross national product, 1929-66—Continued

	Con- sumption	Invest- ment	Total govern- ment	Federal	State and local	Federal national defense spending as percent of GNP	Other Federal spending as percent of GNP	Net exports
1965:								
1st quarter.....	63.4	15.7	19.9	9.7	10.2	7.3	2.5	1.0
2d quarter.....	63.4	15.4	20.0	9.7	10.2	7.3	2.5	1.2
3d quarter.....	63.4	15.5	20.1	9.8	10.2	7.4	2.5	1.0
4th quarter.....	63.2	15.9	20.0	9.9	10.1	7.5	2.5	.9
1966:								
1st quarter.....	63.2	15.9	20.1	10.0	10.1	7.6	2.4	.8
2d quarter ¹	62.7	16.2	20.4	10.2	10.2	7.8	2.4	.7

¹ Preliminary.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Percentages computed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE II.9—Fixed investment, 1929-66

Year	Fixed investment (current dollars)					Nonresi- dential in- vestment as a per- cent of GNP	Total fixed in- vestment as a per- cent of GNP
	Total	Nonresidential			Residen- tial struc- tures		
		Total	Struc- tures	Producer's durable equipment			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
1929.....	14.5	10.6	5.0	5.6	4.0	10.3	14.1
1930.....	10.6	8.3	4.0	4.3	2.3	9.2	11.7
1931.....	6.8	5.0	2.3	2.7	1.7	6.6	9.0
1932.....	3.4	2.7	1.2	1.5	.7	4.7	5.9
1933.....	3.0	2.4	.9	1.5	.6	4.3	5.4
1934.....	4.1	3.2	1.0	2.2	.9	4.9	6.3
1935.....	5.3	4.1	1.2	2.9	1.2	5.7	7.3
1936.....	7.2	5.6	1.6	4.0	1.6	6.8	8.7
1937.....	9.2	7.3	2.4	4.9	1.9	8.1	10.2
1938.....	7.4	5.4	1.9	3.5	2.0	6.4	8.7
1939.....	8.9	5.9	2.0	4.0	2.9	6.5	9.8
1940.....	11.0	7.5	2.3	5.3	3.4	7.5	11.0
1941.....	13.4	9.5	2.9	6.6	3.9	7.6	10.8
1942.....	8.1	6.0	1.9	4.1	2.1	3.8	5.1
1943.....	6.4	5.0	1.3	3.7	1.4	2.6	3.3
1944.....	8.1	6.8	1.8	5.0	1.3	3.2	3.9
1945.....	11.6	10.1	2.8	7.3	1.5	4.8	5.5
1946.....	24.2	17.0	6.8	10.2	7.2	8.1	11.6
1947.....	34.4	23.4	7.5	15.9	11.1	10.1	14.9
1948.....	41.3	26.9	8.8	18.1	14.4	10.4	16.0
1949.....	38.8	25.1	8.5	16.6	13.7	9.8	15.1
1950.....	47.3	27.9	9.2	18.7	19.4	9.8	16.6
1951.....	49.0	31.8	11.2	20.7	17.2	9.7	14.9
1952.....	48.8	31.6	11.4	20.2	17.2	9.1	14.1
1953.....	52.1	34.2	12.7	21.5	18.0	9.4	14.3
1954.....	53.3	33.6	13.1	20.6	19.7	9.2	14.6
1955.....	61.4	38.1	14.3	23.8	23.3	9.6	15.4
1956.....	65.3	43.7	17.2	26.5	21.6	10.4	15.6
1957.....	66.5	46.4	18.0	28.4	20.2	10.5	15.1
1958.....	62.4	41.6	16.8	25.0	20.8	9.3	14.0
1959.....	70.5	45.1	16.7	28.4	25.5	9.3	14.6
1960.....	71.3	48.4	18.1	30.3	22.8	9.6	14.2
1961.....	69.7	47.0	18.4	28.6	22.6	9.0	13.4
1962.....	77.0	51.7	19.2	32.5	25.3	9.2	13.7
1963.....	81.3	54.3	19.5	34.8	27.0	9.2	13.8
1964.....	88.3	60.7	21.0	39.7	27.6	9.7	14.0
1965.....	97.5	69.7	24.9	44.8	27.8	10.3	14.4
1965:							
1st quarter...	94.4	66.7	23.6	43.1	27.7	10.1	14.3
2d quarter.....	96.0	67.9	24.6	43.3	28.1	10.1	14.3
3d quarter.....	98.0	70.2	24.4	45.8	27.8	10.2	14.3
4th quarter....	101.5	73.9	26.8	47.1	27.6	10.5	14.4
1966:							
1st quarter...	105.6	77.0	28.5	48.5	28.6	10.7	14.6
2d quarter.....	106.2	78.2	27.9	50.3	28.0	10.7	14.5
3d quarter.....	105.1	80.3	27.7	52.6	24.8	10.8	14.1

¹ Preliminary.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Cols. 6 and 7 computed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE II.10—*Personal consumption by type of product, 1925-66*

	Personal consumption (billions current dollars)	Durable goods as a percent of col. 1	Nondurable goods as a percent of col. 1	Services as a percent of col. 1
1929	77.2	11.9	48.8	39.2
1930	69.9	10.3	48.6	41.1
1931	60.5	9.1	47.9	43.0
1932	48.6	7.4	46.7	45.7
1933	45.8	7.6	48.7	43.9
1934	51.3	8.2	52.0	39.8
1935	55.7	9.2	52.6	32.8
1936	61.9	10.2	53.2	36.8
1937	66.5	10.4	52.9	36.7
1938	63.9	8.9	53.2	38.0
1939	66.8	10.0	52.5	37.4
1940	70.8	11.0	52.3	36.7
1941	80.6	11.9	53.2	34.9
1942	88.5	7.8	57.4	34.8
1943	99.3	6.6	59.0	34.4
1944	108.3	6.2	59.4	34.3
1945	119.7	6.7	60.1	33.2
1946	143.4	11.0	57.5	31.6
1947	160.7	12.7	56.3	31.0
1948	173.6	13.1	55.4	31.5
1949	176.8	13.9	53.5	32.6
1950	191.0	16.0	51.4	32.7
1951	206.3	14.3	52.7	32.9
1952	216.7	13.5	52.6	33.9
1953	230.0	14.4	50.8	34.7
1954	236.5	13.9	50.0	36.1
1955	254.4	15.6	48.4	35.9
1956	266.7	14.6	48.5	36.9
1957	281.4	14.5	48.2	37.3
1958	290.1	13.1	48.3	38.6
1959	311.2	14.2	47.1	38.7
1960	325.2	13.9	46.5	39.6
1961	335.2	13.2	46.5	40.3
1962	355.1	13.9	45.8	40.3
1963	375.0	14.4	45.0	40.6
1964	401.4	14.8	44.6	40.6
1965	431.5	15.3	44.2	40.5
1965:				
1Q	418.9	15.5	44.0	40.4
2Q	426.8	15.1	44.4	40.5
3Q	435.0	15.3	44.0	40.7
4Q	445.2	15.3	44.2	40.5
1966:				
1Q	455.6	15.4	44.3	40.3
2Q	458.9	14.5	44.6	40.8

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, cols. 2-4 computed by staff of Joint Economic Committee.

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TABLE II.11—Components of demand, 1929–66

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	Personal consumption	Durable goods	Nondurable goods	Services
1929.....	26.2	22.4	26.8	27.0
1930.....	23.8	17.6	24.1	25.5
1931.....	20.6	13.4	20.6	23.1
1932.....	16.5	8.8	16.1	19.8
1933.....	15.6	8.5	15.8	17.9
1934.....	17.4	10.2	19.0	18.1
1935.....	18.9	12.4	20.8	19.0
1936.....	21.0	15.4	23.4	20.3
1937.....	22.6	16.8	25.0	21.7
1938.....	21.7	13.9	24.1	21.6
1939.....	22.7	16.3	24.9	22.2
1940.....	24.1	19.0	26.3	23.1
1941.....	27.4	23.4	30.5	25.0
1942.....	30.1	16.8	36.1	27.4
1943.....	33.8	16.1	41.6	30.4
1944.....	36.8	16.3	45.7	33.1
1945.....	40.7	19.5	51.1	35.4
1946.....	48.7	38.5	58.5	40.3
1947.....	54.6	49.8	64.3	44.3
1948.....	59.0	55.4	68.3	48.7
1949.....	60.1	60.0	67.1	51.2
1950.....	64.9	74.4	69.7	55.5
1951.....	70.1	72.2	77.3	60.4
1952.....	75.7	71.5	81.0	65.3
1953.....	78.2	81.0	83.0	71.1
1954.....	80.4	80.0	84.0	76.0
1955.....	88.5	96.6	87.6	81.3
1956.....	90.7	94.9	91.8	87.6
1957.....	95.6	99.5	96.3	93.4
1958.....	98.6	92.4	99.6	99.6
1959.....	105.8	108.0	104.1	107.0
1960.....	110.5	110.5	107.5	114.5
1961.....	113.9	107.8	110.7	120.2
1962.....	120.7	120.7	115.5	127.2
1963.....	127.5	131.5	119.7	135.6
1964.....	136.4	144.9	127.1	145.1
1965.....	146.7	161.2	135.4	155.5
Percent change:				
1960-64.....	23.4	31.1	18.2	26.7
1964-65.....	7.6	11.2	6.5	7.2
1960-65.....	32.8	45.9	26.0	35.8
1965:				
1st quarter.....	142.4	158.8	131.0	150.6
2d quarter.....	145.1	157.1	134.5	153.9
3d quarter.....	147.9	162.7	135.9	157.4
4th quarter.....	151.3	165.9	139.9	160.3
1966:				
1st quarter.....	154.9	171.5	143.4	163.2
2d quarter.....	156.0	162.9	145.4	166.7
Percent change:				
1965:				
I-II.....	1.9	-1.1	2.7	2.2
II-III.....	1.9	3.6	1.0	2.3
III-IV.....	2.3	2.0	2.9	1.8
1965 IV-1966 I.....	2.4	3.4	2.5	1.8
1966: I-II.....	.7	-5.0	1.4	2.1

TABLE II.11—Components of demand, 1929-66—Continued

[Index 1957-59=100]

	Non-residential fixed investment	Residential structures	Government	Federal	National defense
1929	23.9	18.1	9.2	2.5	2.9
1930	18.7	10.9	10.0	2.7	3.1
1931	11.3	7.7	10.0	2.9	3.3
1932	6.1	3.2	8.8	2.9	3.3
1933	5.4	2.7	8.7	3.8	4.4
1934	7.2	4.1	10.6	5.7	6.6
1935	9.3	5.4	10.8	5.6	6.4
1936	12.6	7.2	13.0	9.0	10.8
1937	16.5	8.6	12.9	9.0	10.4
1938	12.2	9.0	14.1	10.3	11.9
1939	13.3	13.1	14.4	9.8	2.6
1940	16.9	15.4	15.2	11.5	4.9
1941	21.4	17.6	26.8	32.4	30.5
1942	13.5	9.5	64.5	99.4	109.1
1943	11.3	6.3	95.9	155.4	175.9
1944	15.3	5.9	104.4	170.5	192.9
1945	23.0	6.8	89.1	142.1	162.3
1946	38.4	32.6	29.2	33.0	32.4
1947	52.8	50.2	27.2	23.9	20.1
1948	60.7	65.2	34.2	31.6	23.6
1949	56.7	62.0	70.0	38.5	29.4
1950	63.0	87.8	41.0	35.2	31.1
1951	71.8	77.8	64.0	72.2	74.2
1952	71.3	77.8	80.8	98.2	101.3
1953	77.2	81.4	88.3	108.2	107.5
1954	75.8	89.1	81.0	90.8	90.9
1955	86.0	105.4	80.3	84.5	85.2
1956	98.6	97.7	85.1	87.4	89.0
1957	104.7	91.4	93.2	94.8	97.6
1958	93.9	94.1	101.9	102.7	101.3
1959	101.8	115.4	105.0	102.9	101.5
1960	109.3	103.2	107.8	102.5	99.1
1961	106.1	102.3	116.5	110.0	105.5
1962	116.7	114.5	126.7	121.5	113.9
1963	122.6	122.2	132.6	123.0	112.1
1964	137.0	124.9	139.5	124.9	110.4
1965	157.3	125.8	147.4	126.4	110.6
Percent change:					
1960-64	25.3	21.0	29.9	21.9	11.4
1964-65	14.8	7	5.7	1.2	2.2
1960-65	43.9	21.9	36.7	23.3	11.6
1965:					
I	150.6	125.3	142.4	133.4	106.4
II	153.3	127.1	145.3	125.7	108.4
III	158.5	125.8	149.0	129.3	111.9
IV	166.8	124.9	152.8	133.7	115.9
1966:					
I	173.8	129.4	156.9	137.7	120.5
II	176.7	127.1	161.7	142.9	125.8
Percent change:					
1965:					
I-II	1.8	1.4	2.0	1.9	1.9
II-III	3.4	-1.0	2.5	2.9	3.2
III-IV	5.2	-7	2.6	3.4	3.6
1965 IV-1966 I	4.2	3.6	2.7	3.0	4.0
I-II	1.7	-1.8	3.1	3.8	4.4

TABLE II.11—Components of demand, 1929-66—Continued

[Index 1957-59=100]

	Other Federal	State and local	Net exports		Other Federal	State and local	Net exports
1929	19.1	18.0	42.3	1957	77.9	91.3	219.2
1930	20.6	19.5	38.5	1958	113.2	101.2	84.6
1931	22.1	19.2	19.2	1959	111.8	108.0	3.8
1932	22.1	16.5	15.4	1960	126.5	115.0	157.7
1933	29.4	15.0	15.4	1961	141.2	125.2	215.4
1934	44.1	17.0	23.1	1962	173.5	133.9	196.2
1935	42.6	17.7	3.8	1963	198.5	145.1	226.9
1936	72.1	17.5	3.8	1964	223.5	158.9	326.9
1937	69.1	18.0	11.5	1965	245.6	170.6	269.2
1938	79.4	19.0	50.0	Percent change:			
1939	57.4	20.4	42.3	1960-64	76.7	38.2	107.3
1940	55.9	20.0	65.4	1964-65	9.9	7.4	-17.7
1941	45.6	19.7	50.0	1960-65	94.4	48.3	70.7
1942	36.8	19.2	1.5	1965:			
1943	20.6	18.5	-76.9	1st quarter	238.2	167.8	246.2
1944	23.5	18.7	-69.2	2d quarter	242.6	171.3	315.4
1945	10.3	20.2	-23.1	3d quarter	247.1	175.1	273.1
1946	36.8	24.4	288.5	4th quarter	254.4	178.1	234.6
1947	51.5	31.4	442.3	1966:			
1948	85.2	37.4	246.2	1st quarter	255.9	182.3	230.8
1949	100.0	44.1	234.6	2d quarter	258.8	186.5	203.8
1950	63.2	48.6	69.2	Percent change:			
1951	60.3	53.6	142.3	1965:			
1952	86.8	57.1	84.6	I-II	1.8	2.1	28.1
1953	123.5	61.3	15.4	II-III	1.9	2.2	-13.4
1954	91.2	68.3	69.2	III-IV	3.0	1.7	-14.1
1955	80.9	75.1	76.9	1965 IV-1966 I	.6	2.4	-1.6
1956	77.9	82.3	153.8	1966: I-II	1.1	2.3	-11.7

TABLE II.12—Personal savings and corporate retained earnings 1929-65

	Personal saving (billions)	Personal saving as a percent of DPI ¹	Retained earnings (billions)	Personal savings and corporate retained earnings (billions)	Retained earnings as a percent of col. 4
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1929	4.2	5.0	2.8	7.0	40.0
1930	3.4	4.6	-2.6	.8	-325.0
1931	2.6	4.1	-4.9	-2.3	213.0
1932	-1.6	-1.2	-5.2	-5.8	89.7
1933	-1.9	-2.0	-1.6	-2.5	64.0
1934	.4	.8	-1.0	-.6	166.7
1935	2.1	3.6	-.2	1.9	-10.5
1936	3.6	5.4	.4	4.0	10.0
1937	3.8	5.3	.6	4.4	13.6
1938	.7	1.1	-.2	.5	-40.0
1939	2.6	3.7	1.8	4.4	40.9
1940	3.8	5.0	3.2	7.0	45.7
1941	11.0	11.9	5.7	16.7	34.1
1942	27.6	23.6	5.9	33.5	17.6
1943	33.4	25.0	6.6	40.0	16.5
1944	37.3	25.5	6.5	43.8	14.8
1945	29.6	19.7	4.4	34.0	12.9
1946	15.2	9.5	9.9	25.1	39.4
1947	7.3	4.3	13.9	21.2	65.6
1948	13.4	7.1	15.6	29.0	53.8
1949	9.4	5.0	11.3	20.7	54.6
1950	13.1	6.3	16.0	29.1	55.0
1951	17.3	7.6	13.0	30.3	42.9
1952	18.2	7.6	11.0	29.2	37.7
1953	18.3	7.2	11.5	29.8	38.6
1954	16.4	6.4	11.3	27.7	40.8
1955	15.8	5.7	16.5	32.3	51.1
1956	20.6	7.0	15.9	36.5	43.6
1957	20.8	6.7	14.2	35.0	40.6
1958	22.3	7.0	10.8	33.1	32.6
1959	19.1	5.7	15.9	35.0	45.4
1960	17.0	4.9	13.2	30.2	43.7
1961	21.2	5.8	13.5	34.7	38.9
1962	21.6	5.6	16.0	37.6	42.6
1963	19.9	4.9	16.0	36.5	45.5
1964	24.5	5.6	21.3	45.8	46.5
1965	25.7	5.5	25.3	51.0	49.6

¹ Disposable personal income.

Source: Cols. 1 and 3—Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Cols. 2, 4, and 5 computed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE II.13—*Employment and the labor force, 1929-65*

	Total labor force (millions)	Civilian labor force					Not in labor force (millions)	Total labor force as percent of noninstitutional population age 14 and older	
		Total (millions)	Total employment (millions)			Unemployed			
			Total	Agriculture	Nonagriculture	Number (millions)			Per cent
1929	49.4	49.2	47.6	10.4	37.2	1.6	3.2		
1930	50.1	49.8	45.5	10.3	35.1	4.3	8.7		
1931	50.7	50.4	42.4	10.3	32.1	8.0	15.9		
1932	51.3	51.0	35.9	10.2	28.8	12.1	23.6		
1933	51.8	51.6	38.8	10.1	28.7	12.8	24.9		
1934	52.5	52.2	40.9	9.9	40.0	11.3	21.7		
1935	53.1	52.9	42.3	10.1	32.2	10.6	20.1		
1936	53.7	53.4	44.4	10.0	34.4	9.0	16.9		
1937	54.3	54.0	46.3	9.8	36.5	7.7	14.3		
1938	55.0	54.6	44.2	9.7	34.5	10.4	19.0		
1939	55.6	55.2	45.8	9.6	36.1	9.5	17.2		
1940	56.2	55.0	47.5	9.5	38.0	8.1	14.6	44.2	
1941	57.5	55.9	60.4	9.1	41.2	5.6	9.9	44.0	
1942	60.4	56.4	53.8	9.2	44.5	2.7	4.7	42.2	
1943	64.6	55.5	54.5	9.1	45.4	1.1	1.9	39.1	
1944	66.0	56.4	54.0	9.0	45.0	.7	1.2	38.6	
1945	65.3	53.9	52.8	8.6	44.2	1.0	1.9	40.2	
1946	61.0	57.5	55.2	8.3	46.9	2.3	3.9	45.6	
1947	61.8	60.2	57.8	8.3	49.6	2.4	3.9	45.9	
1948	62.9	61.4	59.1	8.0	51.2	2.3	3.8	45.7	
1949	63.7	62.1	58.4	8.0	50.4	3.7	5.9	46.1	
1950	64.7	63.1	59.7	7.5	52.3	3.4	5.3	46.2	
1951	66.0	62.9	60.8	7.0	53.7	2.1	3.3	46.1	
1952	66.6	63.0	61.0	6.8	54.2	1.9	3.1	46.7	
1953	67.4	63.8	61.9	6.6	55.4	1.9	2.9	47.7	
1954	67.8	64.5	60.9	6.5	54.4	3.6	5.6	48.4	
1955	68.9	65.8	62.9	6.7	56.2	2.9	4.4	48.5	
1956	70.4	67.5	64.7	6.6	58.1	2.8	4.2	48.3	
1957	70.7	67.9	65.0	6.2	58.8	2.9	4.3	50.0	
1958	71.3	68.6	64.0	5.8	58.1	4.7	6.8	50.7	
1959	71.9	69.4	65.6	5.8	59.8	3.8	5.5	51.4	
1960 ¹	73.1	70.6	66.7	5.7	61.0	3.9	5.0	52.2	
1961	74.2	71.6	66.8	5.5	61.3	4.8	6.7	53.7	
1962	74.7	71.9	67.8	5.2	62.6	4.0	5.6	55.4	
1963	75.7	73.0	68.8	4.9	63.9	4.2	5.7	56.4	
1964	76.9	74.2	70.4	4.8	65.6	3.8	5.2	57.2	
1965	78.4	75.6	72.2	4.6	67.6	3.5	4.6	57.5	

Alaska and Hawaii added.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Earnings.

TABLE II.14—*Indexes of output, man-hours, and output per man-hour, 1909-65*
(based primarily on establishment data)

[1957-59=100]

	Output (1958 dol.) GNP			Man-hours			Output per man-hour		
	Total private	Farm	Non-farm	Total private	Farm	Non-farm	Total private	Farm	Non-farm
1909-----	26.6	69.1	24.3	75.7	209.9	59.7	35.1	32.9	40.7
1910-----	27.3	70.5	25.0	77.7	211.4	61.7	35.1	33.3	40.5
1911-----	28.0	68.6	25.9	79.3	215.8	63.0	35.3	31.8	41.1
1912-----	29.6	78.3	27.0	81.6	218.1	65.4	36.3	35.9	41.3
1913-----	29.8	70.0	27.7	82.2	215.8	66.3	36.3	32.4	41.8
1914-----	28.3	76.3	25.8	80.8	222.4	63.9	35.0	34.3	40.4
1915-----	28.0	80.7	25.2	80.1	218.1	63.6	35.0	37.0	39.6
1916-----	30.3	73.9	28.0	85.7	216.5	70.0	35.4	34.1	40.0
1917-----	30.0	78.7	27.4	87.4	222.4	71.3	34.3	35.4	38.4
1918-----	31.5	76.3	29.2	86.8	225.4	70.2	36.3	33.9	41.6
1919-----	31.7	76.8	29.4	84.0	220.9	67.7	37.7	34.8	43.4
1920-----	31.1	75.8	28.7	85.0	224.6	68.5	36.6	33.7	41.9
1921-----	28.1	69.1	26.0	76.7	207.0	61.2	36.6	33.4	42.5
1922-----	33.1	74.9	30.9	82.3	214.4	66.6	40.2	34.9	46.4
1923-----	37.3	78.7	35.2	88.7	215.8	73.6	42.1	36.5	47.8
1924-----	37.1	75.4	35.1	88.7	218.1	71.0	42.8	34.6	49.4
1925-----	40.3	80.7	38.2	89.8	223.2	74.0	44.9	36.2	51.6
1926-----	42.8	78.7	41.0	92.8	223.9	77.3	46.1	35.1	53.0
1927-----	42.7	82.1	40.6	92.2	215.1	77.6	46.3	38.2	52.3
1928-----	42.9	79.2	41.0	93.1	218.8	78.1	46.1	36.2	52.5
1929-----	45.8	82.1	43.9	94.8	216.5	80.3	48.3	37.9	54.7
1930-----	40.8	77.8	38.9	88.5	214.4	73.5	46.1	36.3	52.9
1931-----	37.4	89.7	34.7	81.4	219.5	65.0	45.9	40.7	53.4
1932-----	31.4	87.0	28.5	72.4	211.4	55.7	43.4	41.2	50.6
1933-----	30.6	84.5	27.8	71.7	211.4	54.9	42.7	40.0	50.6
1934-----	33.2	70.5	31.3	70.2	189.3	55.9	47.3	37.2	56.0
1935-----	36.6	79.7	34.4	74.0	197.5	59.3	49.5	40.4	58.0
1936-----	41.6	72.0	40.0	79.3	191.6	65.9	52.5	37.6	60.7
1937-----	44.3	86.5	42.1	84.2	207.0	69.6	52.6	41.8	60.5
1938-----	41.5	86.0	39.1	77.0	193.0	63.2	53.9	44.6	61.9
1939-----	45.3	87.9	43.1	80.9	193.8	67.5	56.0	45.4	63.9
1940-----	49.4	84.5	47.5	84.3	191.6	71.6	58.6	44.1	66.3
1941-----	56.8	90.8	55.0	91.5	187.9	80.1	62.1	48.3	68.7
1942-----	61.8	99.5	59.8	98.5	195.3	87.1	62.7	50.9	68.7
1943-----	65.5	94.7	64.0	102.1	193.8	91.2	64.2	48.9	70.2
1944-----	68.9	93.7	67.6	100.5	191.6	89.8	68.6	48.9	75.3
1945-----	67.9	87.4	66.8	95.2	179.2	85.2	71.3	48.8	78.4
1946-----	66.1	89.4	64.8	95.9	172.5	86.9	68.9	51.8	74.6
1947-----	67.6	82.1	66.8	97.8	164.8	89.9	69.1	49.8	74.3
1948-----	70.8	91.8	69.7	98.2	158.4	91.1	72.1	58.0	76.5
1949-----	70.6	88.9	69.6	94.9	157.3	87.6	74.4	56.5	79.5
1950-----	77.9	93.7	77.0	96.8	145.6	91.0	80.5	64.4	84.6
1951-----	82.8	88.9	82.4	99.9	137.5	95.5	82.9	64.7	86.3
1952-----	84.8	91.8	84.5	100.5	130.6	97.0	84.4	70.3	87.1
1953-----	89.1	96.6	88.7	101.3	121.4	99.0	88.0	79.6	89.6
1954-----	87.9	98.6	87.4	97.7	117.8	95.4	90.0	83.7	91.6
1955-----	95.4	101.0	95.1	101.5	119.6	99.4	94.0	84.4	95.7
1956-----	97.2	100.5	97.0	103.3	114.2	102.0	94.1	88.0	95.1
1957-----	98.6	98.1	98.6	101.8	105.1	101.4	96.9	93.3	97.2
1958-----	97.3	100.5	97.1	97.5	97.6	97.5	99.8	103.0	99.6
1959-----	104.1	101.9	104.2	100.7	97.2	101.1	103.4	104.8	103.1
1960-----	106.7	105.8	106.7	101.5	95.6	102.2	105.1	110.7	104.4
1961-----	108.7	107.2	108.7	100.1	89.8	101.3	108.6	119.4	107.3
1962-----	116.0	106.8	116.5	102.1	87.4	103.8	113.6	122.2	112.2
1963-----	120.8	110.1	121.4	102.7	82.7	105.0	117.6	135.1	115.6
1964-----	127.5	106.3	128.6	104.4	79.5	107.3	122.1	133.7	119.9
1965-----	135.3	115.0	136.4	107.8	77.3	111.4	125.5	148.8	122.4

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE II.15—Indexes of output, man-hours, and output per man-hour, 1909-65
(based primarily on labor force data)

[1957-59=100]

	Output (1958) GNP			Man-hours			Output per man-hour		
	Total private	Farm	Non-farm	Total private	Farm	Non-farm	Total private	Farm	Non-farm
1909	26.6	69.1	24.3	77.4	210.2	60.9	34.4	32.9	39.9
1910	27.3	70.5	25.0	79.3	210.9	62.9	34.4	33.4	39.7
1911	28.0	68.6	25.9	80.9	215.5	64.2	34.6	31.8	40.3
1912	29.6	78.3	27.0	83.5	218.6	66.7	35.4	35.8	40.5
1913	29.8	70.0	27.7	83.9	215.5	67.5	35.5	32.5	41.0
1914	28.3	76.3	25.8	82.6	222.3	65.1	34.3	34.3	39.6
1915	28.0	80.7	25.2	81.8	217.8	64.8	34.2	37.1	38.0
1916	30.3	73.9	28.0	87.4	216.2	71.4	34.7	34.2	39.2
1917	30.0	78.7	27.4	89.3	222.3	72.7	33.6	35.4	37.7
1918	31.5	76.3	29.2	88.7	225.4	71.7	35.5	33.9	40.7
1919	31.7	76.8	29.4	85.8	220.8	69.0	36.9	34.8	42.6
1920	31.1	75.8	28.7	87.0	224.6	69.8	35.7	33.7	41.1
1921	28.1	69.1	26.0	78.4	207.2	62.3	35.8	33.3	41.7
1922	33.1	74.9	30.9	84.2	214.7	67.9	39.3	34.9	45.5
1923	37.3	78.7	35.2	90.6	216.2	75.0	41.2	36.4	46.9
1924	37.1	75.4	35.1	88.6	218.6	72.4	41.0	34.5	48.5
1925	40.3	80.7	38.2	91.8	223.1	75.4	43.9	36.2	50.7
1926	42.8	78.7	41.0	94.8	223.9	78.8	45.1	35.1	52.0
1927	42.7	82.1	40.6	94.2	214.7	79.2	45.3	38.2	51.3
1928	42.9	79.2	41.0	95.0	218.6	79.7	45.2	36.2	51.4
1929	45.8	82.1	43.9	96.8	217.1	81.9	47.3	37.8	53.6
1930	40.8	77.8	38.9	90.4	214.7	75.0	45.1	36.2	51.9
1931	37.4	89.4	34.7	83.1	219.3	66.2	45.0	40.8	52.4
1932	31.4	87.0	28.5	74.1	211.8	56.8	42.4	41.1	50.2
1933	30.6	84.5	27.8	73.4	210.9	56.1	41.7	40.1	49.6
1934	33.2	70.5	31.3	71.8	189.8	57.0	46.2	37.1	54.9
1935	36.6	79.7	34.4	75.6	197.3	60.4	48.4	40.4	57.0
1936	41.6	72.0	40.0	80.9	191.3	67.2	51.4	37.6	59.5
1937	44.3	86.5	42.1	86.0	207.2	71.0	51.5	41.7	59.3
1938	41.5	86.0	39.1	78.7	192.7	64.5	52.7	44.6	60.6
1939	45.3	87.9	43.1	82.6	193.5	68.8	54.8	45.4	62.6
1940	49.4	84.5	47.5	86.0	191.3	72.9	57.4	44.2	65.2
1941	56.8	90.8	55.0	93.3	187.4	81.7	60.9	48.5	67.3
1942	61.8	99.5	59.8	100.5	195.1	88.8	61.5	51.0	67.3
1943	65.5	94.7	64.0	104.0	193.5	93.1	63.0	48.9	68.7
1944	68.9	93.7	67.6	102.6	192.0	91.6	67.2	48.8	73.8
1945	67.9	87.4	66.8	97.0	179.1	86.9	70.0	48.8	76.9
1946	66.1	89.4	64.8	97.7	172.2	88.5	67.7	51.9	73.2
1947	67.6	82.1	66.8	99.6	164.8	91.6	67.9	49.8	72.9
1948	70.8	91.8	69.7	100.8	158.2	93.7	70.2	58.0	74.4
1949	70.6	88.9	69.6	98.2	158.6	90.8	71.9	56.1	76.7
1950	77.9	93.7	77.0	99.2	146.2	93.4	78.5	64.1	82.4
1951	82.8	88.9	82.4	100.9	138.3	96.3	82.1	64.3	85.6
1952	84.8	91.8	84.5	100.4	131.3	96.6	84.5	69.9	87.5
1953	89.1	96.6	88.7	100.8	122.1	98.2	88.4	79.1	90.3
1954	87.9	98.6	87.4	96.8	118.3	94.2	90.8	83.3	92.8
1955	95.4	101.0	95.1	100.7	120.3	98.3	94.7	84.0	96.7
1956	97.2	100.5	97.0	102.7	114.9	101.2	94.6	87.5	95.8
1957	98.6	98.1	98.6	101.4	105.2	100.9	97.2	93.3	97.7
1958	97.3	100.5	97.1	97.9	97.5	98.0	99.4	103.1	99.1
1959	104.1	101.9	104.2	100.7	97.3	101.1	103.4	104.7	103.1
1960	106.7	105.8	106.7	102.0	95.6	102.8	104.6	110.7	103.8
1961	108.7	107.2	108.7	101.2	89.4	102.6	107.4	119.9	105.9
1962	116.0	106.8	116.5	102.7	87.3	104.6	113.0	122.3	111.4
1963	120.8	110.1	121.4	103.5	82.5	106.1	116.7	133.5	114.4
1964	127.5	106.3	128.6	105.6	79.3	108.8	120.7	134.0	118.2
1965	135.3	115.0	136.4	108.9	77.2	112.8	124.2	149.0	120.9

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE II.16—Annual and quarterly output per man-hour indexes and percent change (seasonally adjusted)

Year and quarter	Indexes of output per man-hour				Percent change			
	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm		
1947:								
1st.....	67.4	57.9	71.3					
2d.....	68.3	46.6	73.9	-1.3	-19.5	-3.6		
3d.....	72.6	46.7	72.6	-1.9	.2	-1.8		
4th.....	68.8	48.1	73.9	2.7	3.0	1.8		
Annual.....	67.9	49.8	72.9					
1948:								
1st.....	69.3	52.8	73.7	.7	9.8	-3	-3	
2d.....	70.3	61.7	74.0	1.4	16.9	1.2	-3	
3d.....	70.6	55.1	74.9	.4	-10.7	1.2	1.2	
4th.....	70.9	62.2	74.9	3.4	12.9	0	0	
Annual.....	70.2	58.0	74.4		16.5	2.1	2.1	
1949:								
1st.....	70.7	53.1	75.7	-.3	-14.6	1.1	1.1	
2d.....	70.7	52.6	76.0	0	0	-1.1	.4	
3d.....	73.7	57.2	78.8	4.2	9.0	-3.7	1.7	
4th.....	72.7	63.0	76.4	-1.4	10.1	-3.0	1.1	
Annual.....	71.9	56.1	76.7	2.4	-3.3	-3.1	3.1	
1950:								
1st.....	76.4	67.3	80.1	5.1	6.8	4.8	4.8	
2d.....	77.5	64.1	81.4	1.4	-4.8	1.6	1.6	
3d.....	79.9	62.6	83.9	3.1	-2.3	3.1	3.1	
4th.....	80.0	62.1	84.2	.1	-.8	7.4	7.4	
Annual.....	78.5	64.1	82.4	9.2	14.3	1.6	1.6	
1951:								
1st.....	80.1	59.0	84.1	.1	-5.0	-1	-1	
2d.....	81.2	64.4	84.6	1.4	9.2	.6	.6	
3d.....	82.9	67.8	86.2	2.1	5.3	1.9	1.9	
4th.....	83.8	65.9	87.6	1.1	-2.8	1.6	1.6	
Annual.....	82.1	64.3	85.6	4.6	.3	3.9	3.9	
1952:								
1st.....	82.9	61.0	87.1	-1.1	-7.4	-6	-6	
2d.....	84.4	69.8	87.5	1.8	14.4	-3	-3	
3d.....	85.0	78.0	87.2	7.7	11.7	1.1	1.1	
4th.....	84.5	72.2	88.2	.8	-7.4	2.2	2.2	
Annual.....	85.5	69.9	87.5	2.9	8.7	1.1	1.1	
1953:								
1st.....	87.2	75.2	89.6	1.8	4.2	1.6	1.6	
2d.....	89.2	80.2	90.9	2.3	6.6	1.5	1.5	
3d.....	88.2	77.7	90.3	-1.1	-3.1	-1.7	-1.7	
4th.....	89.1	83.8	90.7	1.0	-7.9	.4	.4	
Annual.....	88.4	79.1	90.3	4.6	13.2	3.2	3.2	
1954:								
1st.....	88.0	78.7	90.5	-1.2	-6.1	-2	-2	
2d.....	89.7	80.7	91.6	1.9	2.5	1.2	1.2	
3d.....	92.7	85.3	94.8	3.3	5.7	3.5	3.5	
4th.....	92.8	90.1	94.2	.1	5.6	-6.6	-6.6	
Annual.....	90.8	83.3	92.8	2.7	5.3	-2.8	-2.8	
1955:								
1st.....	94.3	84.6	96.3	1.6	-6.2	2.2	2.2	
2d.....	95.4	85.1	97.1	1.2	7.7	.8	.8	
3d.....	94.7	81.4	97.0	-1.7	-4.3	-1.1	-1.1	
4th.....	94.6	85.2	96.6	-1.1	4.7	-4.4	-4.4	
Annual.....	94.7	84.0	96.7	4.3	.8	4.2	4.2	
1956:								
1st.....	94.6	80.5	95.8	0	5.0	-8	-8	
2d.....	94.6	82.4	96.3	-1.0	-7.9	.5	.5	
3d.....	93.7	83.9	95.1	1.8	1.8	-1.2	-1.2	
4th.....	95.6	94.8	95.8	-2.1	13.0	1.1	1.1	
Annual.....	94.7	87.5	95.8	-1.1	4.2	-1.9	-1.9	
1957:								
1st.....	96.0	92.5	96.7	.3	-2.4	.6	.6	
2d.....	97.1	94.6	97.4	1.1	2.3	1.0	1.0	
3d.....	97.6	89.1	98.4	.5	-5.8	.7	.7	
4th.....	98.3	96.1	98.6	2.7	7.9	2.2	2.2	
Annual.....	97.2	93.3	97.7	2.7	6.6	2.0	2.0	
1958:								
1st.....	97.6	105.2	97.2	-.7	9.5	-1.4	-1.4	
2d.....	98.3	98.9	98.3	.7	-6.0	1.1	1.1	
3d.....	100.3	104.0	100.0	2.0	5.2	1.7	1.7	
4th.....	101.3	104.8	101.1	1.0	.8	1.1	1.1	
Annual.....	99.4	103.1	99.1	2.3	10.5	1.4	1.4	

[Output in 1958 dollars: 1957-59 = 100]

TABLE II.16—Annual and quarterly output per man-hour indexes and percent change (seasonally adjusted)—Continued

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Year and quarter	Indexes of output per man-hour			Percent change		
	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm
1959:						
1st.....	102.6	106.7	102.2	1.3	1.8	1.1
2d.....	103.6	98.7	103.9	1.0	-7.5	1.7
3d.....	103.1	103.6	102.8	-5	5.0	-1.1
4th.....	104.1	110.5	103.2	1.0	6.7	.4
Annual.....	103.4	104.7	103.1	4.0	1.6	4.0
1960:						
1st.....	106.7	113.7	105.5	2.5	2.9	2.2
2d.....	104.1	110.9	103.3	-2.4	-2.5	-2.1
3d.....	103.6	109.0	103.2	-5	-1.7	-1
4th.....	103.6	110.7	102.9	0	1.6	-3
Annual.....	104.6	110.7	103.8	1.2	5.7	.7
1961:						
1st.....	103.1	111.0	102.3	-5	.3	-6
2d.....	107.4	125.8	105.4	4.2	13.3	3.0
3d.....	108.9	120.4	107.5	1.4	-4.3	2.0
4th.....	110.1	122.9	108.6	1.1	2.1	1.0
Annual.....	107.4	119.9	105.9	2.7	8.3	2.0
1962:						
1st.....	111.3	114.9	110.4	1.1	-6.5	1.7
2d.....	112.1	126.3	110.3	.7	9.9	-1
3d.....	113.3	123.3	111.5	1.1	-2.4	1.1
4th.....	114.9	123.8	113.0	1.4	.4	1.3
Annual.....	113.0	122.3	111.4	5.2	2.0	5.2
1963:						
1st.....	115.5	130.7	113.4	.5	5.6	.4
2d.....	115.8	133.8	113.4	.3	2.4	0
3d.....	117.6	133.5	115.2	1.6	-2	1.6
4th.....	118.3	135.7	115.9	.6	1.6	.6
Annual.....	116.7	133.5	114.4	3.3	9.2	2.7
1964:						
1st.....	120.0	135.9	117.3	1.4	.1	1.2
2d.....	120.2	135.1	117.6	.2	-6	.3
3d.....	121.7	130.3	119.3	1.2	-3.6	1.4
4th.....	121.2	135.2	118.6	-4	3.8	-6
Annual.....	120.7	134.0	118.2	3.4	.4	3.3
1965:						
1st.....	122.7	142.1	119.7	1.2	5.1	.9
2d.....	123.7	145.4	120.7	.8	2.3	.8
3d.....	124.6	154.7	121.1	.7	6.4	.3
4th.....	125.9	152.4	122.3	1.0	-1.5	1.0
Annual.....	124.2	149.0	120.9	2.9	11.2	2.3
1966:						
1st.....	127.7	149.3	124.2	1.4	-2.0	1.6
2d.....	128.8	159.4	124.6	.9	6.8	.3
3d.....						
4th.....						
Annual.....						

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1947:						
1st.....	68.6	58.3	72.6			
2d.....	68.8	46.4	74.5	0.3	-20.4	2.6
3d.....	68.8	46.6	74.6	0	.4	.1
4th.....	70.2	48.0	75.4	2.0	3.0	1.1
Annual.....	69.1	49.8	74.3			
1948:						
1st.....	70.8	52.6	75.4	.9	9.6	0
2d.....	72.3	61.3	76.3	2.1	16.5	1.2
3d.....	72.2	54.9	76.9	-1	-10.4	.8
4th.....	73.2	62.8	77.4	1.4	14.4	.7
Annual.....	72.1	58.0	76.5	4.3	16.5	3.0
1949:						
1st.....	73.0	53.6	78.4	-3	-14.7	1.3
2d.....	73.4	53.0	79.0	.5	-1.1	.8
3d.....	75.6	57.6	80.8	3.0	8.7	2.3
4th.....	75.6	63.4	79.8	0	10.1	-1.2
Annual.....	74.4	56.5	79.5	3.2	-2.6	3.9

TABLE II.16—Annual and quarterly output per man-hour indexes and percent change (seasonally adjusted)—Continued

ESTABLISHMENT SERIES

Year and quarter	Indexes of output per man-hour			Percent change		
	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm
1950:						
1st.....	79.3	68.4	83.2	4.9	7.9	4.3
2d.....	79.7	64.1	83.9	.5	-6.3	.8
3d.....	81.2	62.5	85.3	1.9	-2.5	1.7
4th.....	81.5	62.2	85.8	.4	-5	.6
Annual.....	80.5	64.4	84.6	8.2	14.0	6.4
1951:						
1st.....	80.9	59.4	84.6	-7	-4.5	-1.4
2d.....	82.1	64.5	85.4	1.5	8.6	.9
3d.....	84.2	68.3	87.6	2.6	5.9	2.6
4th.....	84.1	66.4	87.7	-1	-2.8	.1
Annual.....	82.9	64.7	86.3	3.0	.5	2.0
1952:						
1st.....	83.3	61.1	87.2	-1.0	-8.0	-6
2d.....	84.0	70.6	86.7	.8	15.5	-6
3d.....	84.8	78.7	86.7	1.0	11.5	0
4th.....	85.5	72.5	87.8	.8	-7.9	1.3
Annual.....	84.4	70.3	87.1	1.8	8.7	.9
1953:						
1st.....	86.7	74.9	89.0	1.4	3.3	1.4
2d.....	88.2	79.9	89.7	1.7	6.7	.8
3d.....	88.2	78.7	90.1	0	-1.5	.4
4th.....	88.7	85.3	89.8	.6	8.4	-3
Annual.....	88.0	79.6	89.6	4.3	13.2	2.9
1954:						
1st.....	88.1	79.8	90.2	-7	6.4	.4
2d.....	89.2	80.5	90.9	1.2	1.3	.8
3d.....	90.7	85.5	92.3	1.7	6.2	1.5
4th.....	91.9	90.7	92.9	1.3	6.1	.7
Annual.....	90.0	83.7	91.6	2.3	5.2	2.2
1955:						
1st.....	93.6	86.5	94.9	1.8	-4.6	2.2
2d.....	94.3	84.9	95.8	.7	-1.9	.9
3d.....	94.1	81.0	96.4	-2	-4.6	.6
4th.....	93.9	85.7	95.6	-2	5.8	-8
Annual.....	94.0	84.4	95.7	4.4	.8	4.5
1956:						
1st.....	93.5	90.3	94.4	-4	5.4	1.3
2d.....	93.6	82.6	95.1	.1	-8.6	.7
3d.....	93.8	84.4	95.1	.2	2.2	0
4th.....	95.5	95.4	95.8	1.8	13.0	.7
Annual.....	94.1	88.0	95.1	.1	4.3	-6
1957:						
1st.....	96.2	92.9	96.7	.7	-2.6	.9
2d.....	96.7	94.9	96.9	.5	2.2	.2
3d.....	97.1	89.1	97.7	.4	-6.1	.8
4th.....	97.6	95.6	97.9	.5	7.3	.2
Annual.....	96.9	93.3	97.2	3.0	6.0	2.2
1958:						
1st.....	97.5	105.2	97.0	-1	10.0	-9
2d.....	98.8	98.8	99.0	1.3	-6.1	2.1
3d.....	100.8	103.1	100.6	2.0	4.4	1.6
4th.....	102.0	105.1	101.8	1.2	1.9	1
Annual.....	99.8	103.0	99.6	3.0	4.0	2

TABLE II.16—Annual and quarterly output per man-hour indexes and percent change (seasonally adjusted)—Continued

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Year and quarter	Indexes of output per man-hour			Percent change		
	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm	Total private	Farm	Nonfarm
1959:						
1st.....	102.9	107.4	102.5	.9	2.2	.7
2d.....	103.2	98.1	103.5	.3	-8.7	1.0
3d.....	103.0	103.2	102.7	-.2	5.2	-.8
4th.....	104.4	111.1	103.6	1.4	7.7	.9
Annual.....	103.4	104.8	103.1	3.6	1.7	3.5
1960:						
1st.....	106.0	111.9	105.1	1.5	.7	1.4
2d.....	105.0	111.4	104.3	-.9	-.4	-.8
3d.....	104.2	109.5	103.9	-.8	-1.7	-.4
4th.....	104.8	111.1	104.1	.6	1.5	.2
Annual.....	105.1	110.7	104.4	1.6	5.6	1.3
1961:						
1st.....	104.8	111.5	104.3	0	.4	.2
2d.....	108.6	124.7	107.0	3.6	11.8	2.6
3d.....	109.9	119.5	108.7	1.2	-4.2	1.6
4th.....	111.0	122.4	109.7	1.0	2.4	.9
Annual.....	108.6	119.4	107.3	3.3	7.9	2.8
1962:						
1st.....	111.3	114.7	110.5	.3	-6.3	.7
2d.....	112.7	125.8	110.9	1.3	9.7	.4
3d.....	114.4	123.7	112.7	1.5	-1.7	1.6
4th.....	116.4	123.4	114.7	1.7	-.2	1.8
Annual.....	113.6	122.2	112.2	4.6	2.3	4.6
1963:						
1st.....	116.2	131.2	114.3	-.2	6.3	-.3
2d.....	116.7	133.2	114.6	.4	1.5	.3
3d.....	118.5	133.4	116.3	1.5	.2	1.5
4th.....	119.6	134.8	117.4	.9	1.0	.9
Annual.....	117.6	133.1	115.6	3.5	8.9	3.0
1964:						
1st.....	121.6	135.1	119.2	1.7	.2	1.5
2d.....	121.9	134.8	119.6	.2	-.2	.3
3d.....	122.7	130.0	120.6	.7	-3.6	.8
4th.....	122.5	135.8	120.0	-.2	4.5	-.5
Annual.....	122.1	133.7	119.9	3.8	.5	3.7
1965:						
1st.....	123.8	142.8	121.1	1.1	5.1	.9
2d.....	124.2	144.3	121.4	.3	1.1	.2
3d.....	123.2	154.1	122.9	1.6	6.8	1.2
4th.....	127.8	152.6	124.6	1.3	-1.0	1.4
Annual.....	125.5	148.8	122.4	2.8	11.3	2.1
1966:						
1st.....	128.7	148.9	125.5	.7	-2.4	.7
2d.....	128.9	159.4	125.0	.2	7.1	-.4
3d.....						
4th.....						
Annual.....						

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, unpublished estimates.

TABLE II.17.—*Indexes of man-hours and output per man-hour, total economy, 1947-65*
[1957-59=100]

Year	Establishment		Labor Force	
	Man-hours	Output per man-hour	Man-hours	Output per man-hour
1947	93.7	72.1	95.1	71.1
1948	94.0	75.1	96.2	73.4
1949	91.7	77.1	94.4	74.9
1950	93.5	82.9	95.8	80.9
1951	98.8	84.6	99.9	83.7
1952	100.2	86.0	100.6	85.7
1953	100.9	89.2	101.0	89.1
1954	97.6	90.9	97.3	91.2
1955	100.8	94.7	100.6	94.9
1956	102.6	94.8	102.1	95.3
1957	101.5	97.2	101.1	97.6
1958	97.9	99.6	98.2	99.3
1959	100.6	103.2	100.7	103.1
1960	101.7	104.6	102.0	104.3
1961	101.1	107.2	101.8	106.5
1962	103.3	111.9	104.2	110.9
1963	104.1	115.5	105.1	114.4
1964	105.8	119.6	107.2	118.0
1965	109.0	122.9	110.5	121.3

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE II.18.—*Net business capital stock, 1925-65,¹ in constant (1958) prices*
[In billions of dollars]

	Total farm and nonfarm	Farm	Nonfarm	Manufacturing	Nonmanufacturing
1925	\$142.56	\$11.44	\$131.12	\$30.05	\$101.06
1926	148.17	11.56	136.61	31.60	105.02
1927	152.15	11.67	140.48	32.65	107.82
1928	156.48	11.85	144.63	34.27	110.36
1929	162.69	12.06	150.63	36.60	114.04
1930	164.15	11.87	152.28	36.51	115.77
1931	159.03	11.18	147.85	34.65	113.20
1932	149.66	10.23	139.43	31.78	107.65
1933	140.88	9.38	131.50	29.87	101.63
1934	134.38	9.00	125.38	28.37	97.02
1935	130.28	8.98	121.30	27.22	94.09
1936	129.68	9.33	120.35	27.13	93.22
1937	131.56	9.73	121.83	27.98	93.85
1938	128.49	9.64	118.85	27.07	91.78
1939	127.32	9.71	117.61	26.75	90.85
1940	129.13	9.76	119.37	27.64	91.73
1941	133.17	10.37	122.80	29.64	93.27
1942	128.01	10.13	117.88	28.71	89.16
1943	122.06	9.73	112.33	27.34	84.99
1944	119.90	10.06	109.84	26.71	83.13
1945	123.54	10.45	113.09	28.36	84.73
1946	135.01	11.51	123.50	34.46	89.04
1947	149.09	13.50	135.59	39.99	95.60
1948	162.53	15.79	146.74	43.99	102.75
1949	170.40	17.84	152.56	45.25	107.31
1950	179.41	19.51	159.90	45.91	113.99
1951	188.85	20.71	168.14	48.59	119.55
1952	196.14	21.25	174.89	50.75	124.14
1953	204.83	22.00	182.83	52.62	130.21
1954	211.61	22.18	189.43	54.38	135.05
1955	221.45	22.31	199.14	55.86	143.28
1956	232.91	22.05	210.86	59.12	151.74
1957	243.41	21.88	221.53	62.11	159.43
1958	247.93	22.10	225.83	62.16	163.67
1959	254.72	22.19	232.53	61.37	171.17
1960	263.31	21.72	241.59	61.74	179.75
1961	269.61	21.75	247.86	61.70	186.16
1962	278.92	21.82	257.10	62.08	195.02
1963	288.75	22.12	266.63	62.97	203.46
1964	301.77	22.53	279.24	65.25	213.99
1965	317.98	23.02	294.96	68.58	226.38

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE II.18.—*Net business capital stock, 1925-65¹ in constant (1958) prices—Continued*

[Index, 1957-59 = 100]

	Total farm and nonfarm	Farm	Nonfarm	Manufac- turing	Nonmanu- facturing
1925.....	57.3	51.9	57.9	48.6	61.3
1926.....	59.6	52.4	60.3	51.1	63.7
1927.....	61.2	52.9	62.0	52.8	65.4
1928.....	62.9	53.7	63.8	55.4	67.0
1929.....	65.4	54.7	66.5	59.1	69.2
1930.....	66.0	53.8	67.2	59.0	70.3
1931.....	63.9	50.7	65.2	56.0	68.7
1932.....	60.2	46.4	61.5	51.4	65.3
1933.....	56.6	42.5	58.0	48.3	61.7
1934.....	54.0	40.8	55.3	45.8	58.9
1935.....	52.4	40.7	53.5	44.0	57.1
1936.....	52.1	42.3	53.1	43.8	56.6
1937.....	52.9	44.1	53.8	45.2	57.0
1938.....	51.7	43.7	52.4	43.8	55.7
1939.....	51.2	44.0	51.9	43.2	55.1
1940.....	51.9	44.2	52.7	44.7	55.7
1941.....	53.5	47.0	54.2	47.7	56.6
1942.....	51.5	45.9	52.0	46.4	54.1
1943.....	49.1	44.1	49.6	44.2	41.6
1944.....	48.2	45.6	48.5	43.2	50.5
1945.....	49.7	47.4	49.9	45.8	51.4
1946.....	54.3	52.2	54.5	55.7	54.0
1947.....	60.0	61.2	59.8	64.6	58.0
1948.....	65.4	71.6	64.7	71.1	62.4
1949.....	68.5	80.9	67.3	73.1	65.1
1950.....	72.1	88.5	70.6	74.2	69.2
1951.....	75.9	93.9	74.2	78.5	72.6
1952.....	78.9	96.3	77.2	82.0	75.3
1953.....	82.4	99.7	80.7	85.0	79.0
1954.....	85.1	100.6	83.6	87.9	82.0
1955.....	89.0	101.1	87.9	90.3	87.0
1956.....	93.7	100.0	93.0	95.5	92.1
1957.....	97.9	99.2	97.7	100.4	96.8
1958.....	99.7	100.2	99.6	100.5	99.3
1959.....	102.4	100.6	102.6	99.2	103.9
1960.....	105.9	98.5	106.6	99.8	109.1
1961.....	108.4	98.6	109.4	99.8	113.0
1962.....	112.2	98.9	113.4	100.3	118.4
1963.....	116.1	100.3	117.6	101.8	123.6
1964.....	121.3	102.1	123.2	105.4	129.9
1965.....	127.9	104.4	130.2	110.8	137.4

¹ These estimates were made by the Office of Business Economics of the Department of Commerce. The assumptions of this table are as follows: Service lives are based on Bulletin F (1942 edition) of the Internal Revenue Service and for agricultural equipment estimates are based on Department of Agriculture actuarial studies; minus an adjustment factor of 15 percent. Retirement patterns are based on Winfrey S-3 distribution. Depreciation based on double declining balance method. For an elaboration, see Lawrence Grose, Irving Rottenberg, and Robert Wasson, "New Estimates of Fixed Business Capital in the United States, 1925-65," Survey of Current Business, December 1966, pp. 34-40. This article discusses numerous, other, and from many points of view equally plausible assumptions.

TABLE II.19.—*Net business capital stock, 1925-65,¹ in current prices*

[In billions of dollars]

	Total farm and nonfarm	Farm	Nonfarm	Manufac- turing	Nonmanu- facturing
1925	57.95	4.76	53.19	11.85	41.34
1926	60.11	4.83	55.28	12.40	42.88
1927	61.21	4.85	56.36	12.68	43.67
1928	62.70	5.01	57.69	13.25	44.44
1929	63.80	5.16	58.64	13.70	44.94
1930	60.43	4.81	55.62	12.56	43.06
1931	53.42	4.18	49.24	10.71	38.54
1932	47.65	3.65	44.00	9.31	34.70
1933	46.60	3.63	42.97	9.31	33.66
1934	46.17	3.58	42.59	9.36	33.23
1935	45.56	3.37	42.19	9.26	32.92
1936	47.48	3.60	43.88	9.77	34.12
1937	49.46	3.89	45.57	10.34	35.24
1938	47.78	3.83	43.95	9.91	34.04
1939	47.67	3.75	43.92	9.99	33.93
1940	51.14	3.88	47.26	11.16	36.10
1941	58.72	4.62	54.10	13.41	40.70
1942	61.47	4.93	56.54	14.22	42.32
1943	61.21	5.00	56.21	14.08	42.13
1944	61.85	5.40	56.45	14.15	42.30
1945	68.23	5.95	62.28	15.67	46.60
1946	84.98	7.40	77.58	20.91	56.67
1947	103.46	9.75	93.71	26.34	67.37
1948	116.55	12.11	104.44	29.82	74.62
1949	125.32	14.04	111.28	31.90	79.37
1950	140.75	16.17	124.58	35.19	89.39
1951	157.35	18.35	139.00	39.66	99.34
1952	167.52	19.22	148.30	42.39	105.91
1953	182.39	19.65	162.74	44.37	118.37
1954	189.71	19.90	169.81	46.50	123.31
1955	201.52	20.66	180.86	50.38	130.48
1956	224.59	21.30	203.29	56.98	146.31
1957	242.05	21.72	220.33	61.85	158.48
1958	249.72	22.59	227.13	62.50	164.63
1959	258.75	23.27	235.48	62.20	173.29
1960	267.71	23.08	244.63	62.81	181.82
1961	275.58	23.11	252.47	63.39	189.08
1962	287.82	23.33	264.49	64.64	199.85
1963	301.31	23.84	277.47	66.54	210.93
1964	320.33	24.56	295.77	70.31	225.45
1965	342.61	25.44	317.17	75.09	242.07

¹ See note to table II. 18.

TABLE II.20.—*Depreciation on business capital stock, 1925-65,¹ in current prices*

(In millions of dollars)

	Total farm and nonfarm	Farm	Nonfarm	Manufacture	Nonmanu- facture
1925	\$6,775	\$625	\$6,150	\$1,525	\$4,625
1926	7,243	662	6,581	1,613	4,968
1927	7,470	670	6,800	1,671	5,129
1928	7,565	675	6,890	1,710	5,181
1929	8,006	732	7,274	1,828	5,446
1930	7,733	726	7,007	1,751	5,256
1931	6,971	660	6,311	1,547	4,764
1932	5,860	578	5,282	1,295	3,987
1933	5,418	526	4,892	1,204	3,688
1934	5,520	581	4,949	1,278	3,671
1935	5,507	512	4,995	1,251	3,744
1936	5,769	541	5,228	1,311	3,918
1937	6,418	605	5,813	1,448	4,364
1938	6,439	641	5,798	1,453	4,345
1939	6,273	625	5,648	1,421	4,227
1940	6,652	637	6,015	1,530	4,485
1941	7,605	716	6,889	1,786	5,104
1942	8,453	837	7,616	2,032	5,584
1943	7,951	812	7,139	2,010	5,128
1944	7,929	842	7,087	2,025	5,061
1945	8,267	891	7,376	2,164	5,211
1946	10,292	1,009	9,283	2,573	6,710
1947	13,950	1,301	12,649	3,471	9,178
1948	17,098	1,697	15,401	4,224	11,177
1949	19,071	2,061	17,010	4,642	12,368
1950	21,013	2,359	18,654	5,038	13,616
1951	24,081	2,734	21,347	5,803	15,544
1952	25,420	2,965	22,455	6,235	16,219
1953	26,589	3,045	23,544	6,609	16,935
1954	28,767	3,113	25,644	6,873	18,771
1955	29,430	3,194	26,236	7,336	18,900
1956	32,865	3,311	29,554	8,296	21,258
1957	35,887	3,410	32,477	9,306	23,172
1958	37,092	3,506	33,586	9,648	23,937
1959	38,305	3,653	34,652	9,728	24,924
1960	39,863	3,636	36,227	9,834	26,394
1961	40,825	3,614	37,211	9,947	27,264
1962	42,263	3,629	38,634	10,187	28,437
1963	44,232	3,706	40,526	10,522	30,005
1964	46,959	3,811	43,148	11,169	31,979
1965	50,646	3,968	46,678	12,122	34,556

¹ See note to table II.18.

APPENDIX III

NATIONAL INCOME: ITS ORIGIN AND DISTRIBUTION

TABLE III.1—National income by industrial origin, 1929–65

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
Total (in millions of dollars).....	86,795	75,382	59,669	42,785	40,312	49,515	57,208	65,013	73,650	67,372	72,564	81,124
Percent:												
Agriculture.....	9.8	8.5	8.7	8.2	9.6	8.5	11.6	8.8	10.3	8.8	8.3	7.6
Mining.....	2.4	2.2	1.6	1.6	1.6	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.4
Contract construction.....	4.4	4.3	3.7	2.5	2.0	2.2	2.4	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.2
Manufacturing.....	25.3	24.3	20.9	17.2	19.1	22.4	23.4	25.1	26.4	22.5	24.9	27.7
Nondurable.....	12.3	13.0	12.6	12.3	12.3	13.1	12.8	12.7	13.0	12.5	12.5	12.7
Durable.....	13.0	11.3	8.3	4.9	6.8	9.3	10.6	12.4	13.4	10.0	12.4	15.0
Transportation.....	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.5	6.9	6.5	6.6	6.3	6.0	6.4	6.2
Communication.....	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.4
Electric, gas, and sanitary.....	1.9	2.2	2.7	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.4
Trade.....	15.6	16.4	16.6	15.3	14.0	16.8	16.4	16.6	16.8	18.0	17.4	17.8
Finance.....	14.8	14.2	14.7	16.3	14.6	11.4	10.5	10.2	9.9	11.5	11.0	10.2
Service.....	10.2	11.1	12.1	13.2	12.8	11.7	10.8	10.5	10.2	10.7	10.4	9.9
Government.....	5.8	7.1	9.1	12.0	13.2	12.7	11.8	12.5	10.5	12.7	11.8	10.8
Rest of the world.....	.9	1.0	.9	.9	.8	.6	.6	.5	.4	.5	.4	.4

	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	
Total (in millions of dollars).....	104,222	137,065	170,322	182,592	181,485	181,879	199,018	224,178	217,494	241,074	277,978	291,380	
Percent:													
Agriculture.....	8.1	8.9	8.5	7.9	8.4	10.0	9.5	9.6	7.6	7.3	7.2	6.6	
Mining.....	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	2.1	2.4	2.1	2.2	2.1	1.9	
Contract construction.....	4.0	4.7	3.2	2.3	2.4	3.6	4.2	4.7	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.2	
Manufacturing.....	31.9	33.1	34.2	33.1	28.7	27.0	29.9	30.1	29.8	31.6	32.5	31.7	
Nondurable.....	12.4	12.1	11.5	11.5	11.7	13.7	14.1	14.3	14.0	13.8	13.8	13.1	
Durable.....	19.5	21.0	22.7	21.6	17.0	13.3	15.8	15.8	15.8	17.8	18.7	18.6	
Transportation.....	6.0	6.3	6.4	6.2	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.4	5.3	
Communication.....	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	
Electric, gas, and sanitary.....	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	
Trade.....	16.7	14.9	14.0	14.1	15.4	19.0	18.9	18.6	18.0	17.0	16.2	16.0	
Finance.....	8.9	7.8	6.8	6.7	7.1	8.4	8.1	8.2	9.1	9.1	8.6	9.1	
Service.....	8.5	7.5	6.9	7.2	7.8	9.2	9.1	8.7	9.4	9.0	8.5	8.6	
Government.....	10.1	11.9	15.9	18.5	20.3	12.5	9.4	8.8	10.1	9.8	10.9	11.9	
Rest of the world.....	.3	.3	.2	.2	.2	.3	.4	.5	.5	.5	.5	.5	
	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
Total (in millions of dollars).....	304,734	303,138	331,018	350,799	366,096	367,762	400,025	414,522	427,341	457,687	481,927	517,281	559,020
Percent:													
Agriculture.....	5.6	5.4	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.9	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.4	3.8
Mining.....	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
Contract construction.....	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1
Manufacturing.....	32.9	31.2	32.6	32.2	31.8	29.3	31.0	30.3	29.3	29.9	29.8	30.0	30.5
Nondurable.....	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.2	12.7	12.4	12.8	12.6	12.4	12.1	11.9	11.9	11.7
Durable.....	19.7	18.1	19.3	19.0	19.1	16.9	18.2	17.7	16.9	17.8	17.9	18.1	18.7
Transportation.....	5.2	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1
Communication.....	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Electric, gas, and sanitary.....	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
Trade.....	15.5	15.9	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.8	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.3	15.0
Finance.....	9.6	10.6	10.3	10.2	10.3	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.3	11.1	11.1	11.0	10.9
Service.....	9.5	9.2	9.4	9.7	10.0	10.4	10.4	10.7	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.4	11.3
Government.....	11.7	11.9	11.5	11.6	11.9	12.7	12.3	12.8	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.5	13.5
Rest of the world.....	.4	.5	.5	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.7	.7	.7	.8	.8

NOTE.—The industrial classification for 1929-48 is based on the 1942 standard industrial classification system; that for 1949-65 is based on the 1957 standard industrial classification.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, August 1965, and subsequent issues.

TABLE III.2—National income per person and per employed worker, 1929–65

	National income, total (millions)	Population total (thousands)	National income per person	Employed total (thousands)	National income per worker
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1929.....	\$86,795	121,767	\$713	47,630	\$1,822
1930.....	75,382	123,077	612	45,480	1,658
1931.....	59,669	124,040	481	42,400	1,407
1932.....	42,785	124,840	343	38,940	1,099
1933.....	40,512	125,879	320	38,766	1,040
1934.....	49,515	126,374	392	40,890	1,211
1935.....	57,208	127,250	450	42,260	1,354
1936.....	65,013	128,053	508	44,410	1,464
1937.....	73,650	128,825	572	46,300	1,591
1938.....	67,372	129,825	519	44,220	1,524
1939.....	72,564	130,880	554	45,750	1,586
1940.....	81,124	132,122	614	47,520	1,707
1941.....	104,222	133,402	781	50,350	2,070
1942.....	137,065	134,860	1,016	53,750	2,550
1943.....	170,322	136,739	1,246	54,470	3,127
1944.....	182,592	138,397	1,319	53,960	3,384
1945.....	181,485	139,928	1,296	52,820	3,436
1946.....	181,879	141,389	1,286	55,250	3,292
1947.....	199,018	144,126	1,381	58,027	3,430
1948.....	224,178	146,631	1,529	99,117	3,792
1949.....	217,494	149,188	1,458	58,423	3,723
1950.....	241,074	152,271	1,583	59,748	4,035
1951.....	277,978	154,878	1,795	60,784	4,573
1952.....	291,380	157,553	1,849	61,035	4,774
1953.....	304,734	160,184	1,902	61,945	4,919
1954.....	303,138	163,026	1,859	60,890	4,978
1955.....	331,018	165,931	1,995	62,944	5,259
1956.....	350,799	168,903	2,077	64,708	5,421
1957.....	366,096	171,984	2,128	65,011	5,631
1958.....	367,762	174,882	2,103	63,966	5,749
1959.....	400,025	177,830	2,249	65,581	6,100
1960.....	414,522	180,684	2,294	66,681	6,216
1961.....	427,341	183,756	2,326	66,796	6,398
1962.....	457,687	186,656	2,452	67,846	6,731
1963.....	481,927	189,417	2,544	68,809	7,003
1964.....	517,281	192,119	2,693	70,357	7,353
1965.....	559,020	194,583	2,873	72,179	7,745

Source: Col. 1—table III.1. Col. 2—Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census. Col. 3—Computed by dividing col. 1 by col. 2. Col. 4—Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. Col. 5—Computed by dividing col. 1 by col. 4.

TABLE III.3—Per capita personal disposable income (current and 1958 prices), 1929–66

	Per capita			Per capita	
	Current prices	1958 prices		Current prices	1958 prices ¹
1929.....	\$683	\$1,236	1950.....	\$1,364	\$1,646
1930.....	605	1,128	1951.....	1,469	1,657
1931.....	516	1,077	1952.....	1,518	1,678
1932.....	390	921	1953.....	1,583	1,726
1933.....	362	893	1954.....	1,585	1,714
1934.....	414	952	1955.....	1,666	1,795
1935.....	459	1,035	1956.....	1,743	1,839
1936.....	518	1,158	1957.....	1,801	1,844
1937.....	552	1,187	1958.....	1,831	1,831
1938.....	504	1,105	1959.....	1,905	1,881
1939.....	537	1,190	1960.....	1,937	1,883
1940.....	573	1,259	1961.....	1,983	1,909
1941.....	695	1,427	1962.....	2,064	1,968
1942.....	867	1,582	1963.....	2,136	2,013
1943.....	976	1,629	1964.....	2,272	2,116
1944.....	1,057	1,673	1965.....	2,411	2,214
1945.....	1,074	1,642			
1946.....	1,132	1,605	1966:		
1947.....	1,178	1,513	1st quarter.....	2,525	2,287
1948.....	1,290	1,567	2d quarter.....	2,543	2,278
1949.....	1,264	1,547	3d quarter.....	2,576	2,294

¹ Deflated by the consumption component of the Implicit Price Index.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, and Bureau of Census.

TABLE III.4—National income by type of income (percent of total), 1929-66

	Compen- sation of em- ployees	Wages and salaries	Proprie- tors' income	Rents, profits, and in- terest	Rental income of persons	Corpo- rate profits and in- ventory adjust- ment	Corpo- rate profits before tax	Corpo- rate profits after tax	Net inter- est
1929.....	58.9	58.1	17.4	23.8	6.3	12.1	11.5	9.9	5.4
1930.....	62.1	61.2	15.8	22.0	6.3	9.2	4.9	3.8	6.5
1931.....	66.6	65.6	15.4	18.0	6.3	3.4	-6	-1.5	8.3
1932.....	72.6	71.3	13.2	14.2	6.3	-2.9	-5.4	-6.3	10.8
1933.....	73.3	72.0	14.7	12.1	4.9	-2.9	2.4	1.0	10.1
1934.....	69.3	68.1	15.5	15.1	3.4	3.5	4.7	3.2	8.3
1935.....	65.3	64.1	18.8	15.9	2.9	5.9	6.3	4.5	7.1
1936.....	66.0	64.5	16.9	17.1	2.7	8.6	9.8	7.5	5.8
1937.....	65.1	62.6	17.9	17.0	2.8	9.2	9.2	7.2	5.0
1938.....	66.8	63.8	16.8	16.4	3.8	7.3	5.9	4.3	5.3
1939.....	66.3	63.3	16.3	17.4	3.8	8.7	9.7	7.7	4.9
1940.....	64.3	61.4	16.1	19.7	3.6	12.1	12.3	8.9	4.0
1941.....	62.2	59.6	16.8	21.0	3.3	14.6	17.0	9.7	3.1
1942.....	62.2	59.9	17.4	20.9	3.3	14.8	15.7	7.4	2.3
1943.....	64.3	62.1	16.8	18.9	3.0	14.3	14.7	8.1	1.6
1944.....	66.4	63.9	16.3	17.3	3.0	13.0	13.2	6.1	1.3
1945.....	67.8	64.7	17.3	19.9	3.1	10.6	10.9	5.0	1.2
1946.....	64.8	61.6	20.1	15.1	3.6	10.6	13.5	8.5	.9
1947.....	64.8	61.8	17.8	17.4	3.6	12.8	15.8	10.1	1.0
1948.....	63.0	60.4	17.9	19.1	3.6	14.7	14.4	9.3	.8
1949.....	64.8	61.8	16.2	19.0	3.9	14.2	13.3	8.5	.9
1950.....	64.1	60.9	15.5	20.3	3.9	15.6	17.7	10.3	.8
1951.....	65.0	61.5	15.1	19.9	3.7	15.4	15.8	7.8	.8
1952.....	67.0	63.5	14.5	18.5	3.9	13.7	13.4	6.7	.9
1953.....	68.6	65.1	13.3	18.1	4.2	13.0	13.3	6.7	.9
1954.....	68.6	64.8	13.2	18.2	4.5	12.5	12.6	6.8	1.2
1955.....	67.8	63.8	12.6	19.6	4.2	14.2	14.7	8.2	1.2
1956.....	69.3	64.9	12.2	18.6	4.1	13.2	13.9	7.8	1.3
1957.....	69.9	65.2	12.0	18.0	4.0	12.5	12.9	7.1	1.5
1958.....	70.1	65.2	12.7	17.3	4.2	11.2	11.3	6.1	1.9
1959.....	69.8	64.5	11.6	18.6	3.9	12.9	13.0	7.1	1.8
1960.....	71.0	65.3	11.1	17.8	3.8	12.0	12.0	6.4	2.0
1961.....	70.8	65.1	11.3	17.8	3.7	11.8	11.8	6.4	2.3
1962.....	70.7	64.9	10.4	18.3	3.6	12.2	12.1	6.8	2.5
1963.....	70.8	64.6	10.6	18.5	3.5	12.2	12.3	6.9	2.9
1964.....	70.7	64.5	10.0	19.3	3.4	12.9	13.0	7.5	3.0
1965.....	70.3	64.2	10.0	19.8	3.3	13.3	13.5	8.0	3.2
1966: I.....	70.4	63.8	9.8	19.7	3.1	13.4	13.9	8.2	3.2

Sources: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, August 1965, and subsequent issues.

TABLE III.5—Sources of national income, by legal form, 1929–65

	Percent of total national income						Rest of the world
	Corporate business	Proprietors and partnerships	Other private business	Government enterprises	Income from government	Income from households	
1929.....	52.9	28.0	9.0	0.9	5.0	3.3	0.9
1930.....	52.0	27.1	9.4	1.0	6.0	3.5	1.0
1931.....	48.6	27.4	10.2	1.3	7.8	3.8	.9
1932.....	45.0	27.7	11.5	1.6	10.4	4.4	.9
1933.....	44.7	27.0	10.1	1.6	11.6	4.2	.8
1934.....	48.8	26.6	7.6	1.4	11.3	3.6	.6
1935.....	48.5	29.2	6.6	1.4	10.4	3.3	.6
1936.....	50.8	27.1	6.0	1.3	11.1	3.1	.5
1937.....	52.1	28.1	5.7	1.2	9.4	3.1	.4
1938.....	49.1	27.5	6.9	1.3	11.3	3.2	.6
1939.....	51.0	26.9	6.7	1.3	10.5	3.1	.4
1940.....	53.4	26.2	6.2	1.2	9.6	3.0	.4
1941.....	55.1	26.6	5.5	1.0	9.0	2.4	.3
1942.....	53.7	26.9	5.0	.9	11.0	2.1	.3
1943.....	52.1	25.5	4.4	.9	15.0	1.9	.2
1944.....	49.8	25.3	4.2	.8	17.6	2.0	.2
1945.....	45.9	27.1	4.3	.9	19.4	2.3	.2
1946.....	48.5	31.3	5.0	1.1	11.4	2.5	.3
1947.....	53.6	29.1	4.9	1.0	8.4	2.6	.4
1948.....	54.6	28.7	4.9	1.0	7.8	2.5	.4
1949.....	54.1	27.1	5.4	1.2	8.9	2.7	.5
1950.....	55.6	26.0	5.4	1.1	8.7	2.7	.5
1951.....	55.6	25.2	5.3	1.1	9.9	2.5	.5
1952.....	55.0	24.6	5.8	1.2	10.7	2.5	.4
1953.....	56.0	23.5	5.9	1.2	10.5	2.5	.4
1954.....	55.1	23.4	6.4	1.2	10.7	2.7	.5
1955.....	56.8	22.2	6.2	1.2	10.3	2.7	.5
1956.....	57.0	21.8	6.2	1.2	10.4	2.5	.6
1957.....	56.8	21.6	6.3	1.2	10.7	2.9	.6
1958.....	54.8	22.2	6.6	1.3	11.5	3.1	.6
1959.....	56.7	21.0	6.4	1.2	11.1	3.1	.5
1960.....	56.5	20.5	6.5	1.3	11.5	3.2	.6
1961.....	55.5	20.7	6.6	1.3	11.9	3.3	.7
1962.....	56.0	20.1	6.6	1.3	11.9	3.3	.7
1963.....	56.1	19.7	6.7	1.4	12.1	3.3	.7
1964.....	56.5	19.1	6.7	1.3	12.2	3.3	.8
1965.....	56.9	19.0	6.7	1.3	12.1	3.3	.8

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business.

TABLE III.6—Sources of personal income, total and percent distribution, 1929–65

	Personal income [In millions of dollars]	Wage and salary disbursement	Other labor income	Total labor income	Proprietors income	Rental income of persons	Dividends	Personal interest income	Total of cols. 5, 6, 7, and 8	Transfer payments	Personal contribution for social insurance
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	Percent										
1929	85,905	58.6	0.7	59.3	17.6	6.3	6.8	8.4	39.1	1.7	0.
1930	77,015	60.0	.7	60.7	15.4	6.2	7.1	8.8	37.5	2.0	.2
1931	65,896	59.4	.8	60.2	13.9	5.7	6.2	10.2	36.0	4.1	.2
1932	50,150	60.8	.9	61.7	11.3	5.4	5.1	12.5	34.3	4.3	.3
1933	47,004	61.7	.9	62.6	12.6	4.2	4.3	12.1	33.2	4.5	.3
1934	53,966	62.5	.8	63.3	14.2	3.1	4.8	10.8	32.9	4.1	.3
1935	60,405	60.7	.8	61.5	17.8	2.7	4.7	9.5	34.7	4.0	.3
1936	68,602	61.1	.8	61.9	16.0	2.6	6.6	8.0	33.2	5.1	.3
1937	74,118	62.2	.8	63.0	17.8	2.8	6.3	7.6	34.5	3.3	.8
1938	68,346	62.9	.9	63.8	16.5	3.7	4.6	8.0	32.8	4.1	.8
1939	72,769	63.1	.9	64.0	16.3	3.8	5.2	7.5	32.8	4.1	.8
1940	78,285	63.6	.9	64.5	16.7	3.7	5.1	6.9	32.9	4.0	.8
1941	95,972	64.7	.8	65.5	18.2	3.6	4.6	5.7	32.1	3.2	.8
1942	122,901	66.8	.7	67.5	19.4	3.7	3.5	4.3	30.9	2.6	.9
1943	151,297	69.8	.7	70.5	18.9	3.4	2.9	3.5	28.7	2.0	1.2
1944	165,276	70.8	.9	71.7	18.0	3.3	2.8	3.4	27.5	2.2	1.4
1945	171,113	68.7	1.1	69.8	18.4	3.3	2.7	3.7	28.1	3.6	1.4
1946	178,730	62.7	1.1	63.8	20.4	3.7	3.1	3.8	31.0	6.3	1.1
1947	191,266	64.3	1.2	65.5	18.6	3.7	3.3	3.9	29.5	6.1	1.1
1948	210,216	64.4	1.3	65.7	19.1	3.8	3.3	3.8	30.0	5.3	1.0
1949	207,154	65.0	1.5	66.5	17.0	4.1	3.5	4.1	28.7	6.0	1.1
1950	227,619	64.5	1.7	66.2	16.5	4.1	3.9	4.0	28.5	6.6	1.3
1951	255,595	66.9	1.9	68.8	16.9	4.0	3.4	3.9	28.2	4.9	1.3
1952	272,455	67.9	2.0	69.9	15.5	4.2	3.1	3.9	26.7	4.8	1.4
1953	288,163	68.8	2.1	70.9	14.1	4.4	3.1	4.1	25.7	4.8	1.4
1954	290,136	67.7	2.2	69.9	13.8	4.7	3.2	4.5	26.2	5.5	1.6
1955	310,889	68.0	2.4	70.4	13.7	4.5	3.4	4.6	25.9	5.6	1.7
1956	333,006	68.4	2.5	70.9	12.8	4.3	3.4	4.7	25.2	5.6	1.7
1957	351,101	67.5	2.7	70.2	12.5	4.2	3.3	5.0	25.0	6.1	1.9
1958	361,174	66.4	2.7	69.1	12.9	4.3	3.2	5.2	25.6	7.1	1.9
1959	383,528	67.3	2.9	70.2	12.1	4.1	3.3	5.4	24.9	6.9	2.1
1960	400,953	70.6	3.1	73.7	12.0	4.1	3.5	6.1	25.7	7.4	2.4
1961	416,814	66.7	3.1	69.8	11.6	3.8	3.3	6.0	24.7	7.8	2.3
1962	442,617	66.9	3.1	70.0	11.3	3.8	3.4	6.3	24.8	7.5	2.3
1963	465,487	66.8	3.2	70.0	11.0	3.7	3.5	6.8	25.0	7.6	2.5
1964	495,953	67.3	3.3	70.6	10.5	3.6	3.5	7.0	24.6	7.4	2.5
1965	535,083	67.0	3.5	70.5	10.4	3.4	3.6	7.2	24.6	7.4	2.5

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, col. 2-11 computed as percentages of col. 1 by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE III.7.—The distribution of income originating in the corporate sector,¹ 1929-65 (including financial institutions)

	Income from corporate business (millions)	Compensa- tion of employees	Percent of col. 1	Corporate profits and inventory valuation	Percent of col. 1	Profits before taxes	Percent of col. 1	Inventory valuation adjustment	Percent of col. 1	Net interest	Percent of col. 1
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1929.....	\$45,882	\$34,250	74.6	\$10,230	22.3	\$9,758	21.3	\$472	1.0	\$1,402	3.1
1930.....	39,173	30,816	78.7	6,820	17.4	3,560	9.1	3,260	8.3	1,537	3.9
1931.....	28,993	25,376	87.5	2,064	7.1	-368	-1.3	2,414	8.3	1,571	5.6
1932.....	19,248	19,019	98.8	-1,228	-6.4	-2,275	-11.8	1,047	5.4	1,457	7.6
1933.....	18,025	18,008	99.9	-1,185	-6.6	958	5.3	-2,143	-11.9	1,202	6.9
1934.....	24,166	21,051	87.1	1,661	6.9	2,286	9.5	-625	-2.6	1,454	6.0
1935.....	27,761	23,063	83.1	3,212	11.6	3,439	12.4	-227	-0.8	1,486	5.4
1936.....	33,046	26,282	79.5	5,498	16.6	6,236	18.9	-738	-2.2	1,266	3.8
1937.....	38,408	30,557	79.6	6,632	17.3	6,663	17.3	-31	(?)	1,219	3.2
1938.....	33,125	27,275	82.2	4,685	14.1	3,722	11.2	963	2.9	1,165	3.5
1939.....	37,071	29,825	80.5	6,143	16.6	6,857	18.5	-714	-1.9	1,103	3.0
1940.....	43,306	32,866	75.9	9,579	22.1	9,779	22.6	-200	-0.5	861	2.0
1941.....	57,400	41,609	72.5	15,016	26.2	17,487	30.5	-2,471	-4.3	775	1.4
1942.....	73,665	52,862	71.8	20,106	27.3	21,310	28.9	-1,204	-1.6	697	.9
1943.....	88,800	64,158	72.3	24,119	27.2	24,892	28.0	-773	-0.8	523	.6
1944.....	99,954	67,098	73.8	23,527	25.9	23,814	26.2	-287	-0.3	329	.4
1945.....	83,259	64,097	77.0	18,930	22.7	19,494	23.4	-564	-0.7	232	.3
1946.....	88,139	69,707	79.1	18,901	21.4	24,164	27.4	-5,263	-6.0	-469	-.5
1947.....	108,595	82,008	76.9	24,882	23.3	30,781	28.9	-5,899	-5.6	-295	-.3
1948.....	122,480	91,033	74.3	32,200	26.3	34,352	28.0	-2,152	-1.7	-753	-.6
1949.....	117,846	88,785	75.3	29,965	25.4	28,109	23.9	1,856	1.5	-904	-.8
1950.....	134,041	98,606	73.6	36,685	27.4	41,650	31.1	-4,965	-3.7	-1,250	-.9
1951.....	154,003	114,536	74.1	41,569	26.9	42,768	27.7	-1,199	-0.8	-1,502	-1.0
1952.....	160,185	122,973	76.8	38,804	24.2	37,823	23.6	951	0.6	-1,592	-1.0
1953.....	170,057	133,894	78.5	38,495	22.6	39,492	23.1	-997	-0.6	-1,732	-1.0
1954.....	167,134	132,100	79.0	36,541	21.9	36,859	22.1	-318	-0.2	-1,507	-.9
1955.....	185,012	144,576	78.9	45,292	24.1	47,028	25.0	-1,736	-0.9	-1,856	-1.0
1956.....	200,176	158,075	79.0	44,319	22.1	47,012	23.5	-2,693	-1.3	-2,218	-1.1
1957.....	166,398	126,948	80.0	43,752	21.0	45,291	21.8	-1,539	-0.8	-2,102	-1.0
1958.....	201,484	163,876	80.1	39,383	19.3	39,638	19.4	-255	-0.1	-1,775	-.9
1959.....	179,617	149,807	79.2	49,807	22.0	50,332	22.2	-465	-0.2	-2,646	-1.2
1960.....	234,066	188,815	80.7	48,024	20.5	47,832	20.2	192	0.1	-2,773	-1.2
1961.....	237,261	191,834	80.9	47,970	20.2	48,028	20.2	-52	(?)	-2,549	-1.1
1962.....	256,360	205,903	80.3	53,094	20.7	52,842	20.6	252	0.1	-2,637	-1.0
1963 ²	270.4	216.3	80.0	56.4	20.9	56.9	21.0	-.5	-.1	-2.4	-.9
1964 ³	292.3	231.4	79.2	63.6	21.8	64.0	21.9	-.4	-.1	-2.7	-.9
1965 ³	317.5	249.0	78.4	71.0	22.4	72.5	22.8	-1.5	-0.5	-2.5	-.8

¹ Excludes national income earned abroad.² Less than 0.1.³ Absolute figures in billions.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; percentages computed by staff of Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE III.8—Corporate gross product,¹ capital consumption, and income originating, 1946-66

[In billions of dollars]

	Gross corporate product	Capital consumption allowances	Indirect business tax ²	Income originating	Corporate profit and inventory adjustments	Corporate profits after tax	Employee compensation	Wages and salaries	Cash flow
1946.....	103.2	4.7	10.4	88.1	18.9	15.1	69.7	66.5	19.7
1947.....	123.9	5.8	11.5	106.6	24.9	19.5	82.0	78.1	25.3
1948.....	141.9	7.0	12.5	122.5	32.2	21.8	91.0	86.9	28.8
1949.....	138.9	7.9	13.1	117.8	30.0	17.7	88.8	84.4	25.6
1950.....	157.4	8.8	14.5	134.0	36.7	23.9	98.6	92.9	32.7
1951.....	180.6	10.3	15.7	154.6	41.6	20.4	114.5	107.4	30.7
1952.....	189.1	11.5	17.4	160.2	38.8	18.5	123.0	115.4	29.9
1953.....	202.6	13.2	18.8	170.7	38.5	19.2	133.9	125.7	32.4
1954.....	200.1	15.0	18.1	167.1	36.5	19.1	132.1	123.4	34.1
1955.....	225.3	17.4	19.9	188.0	45.3	25.4	144.6	134.7	42.8
1956.....	240.7	18.9	21.6	200.2	44.3	25.3	158.1	146.8	44.2
1957.....	252.1	20.8	23.2	208.0	43.8	24.1	166.4	153.8	44.9
1958.....	247.2	22.0	23.7	201.5	39.4	20.6	163.9	151.1	42.6
1959.....	276.0	23.5	25.6	226.8	49.9	26.7	179.6	164.5	50.2
1960.....	286.6	24.9	27.6	234.1	48.0	24.8	188.8	172.1	49.7
1961.....	292.5	26.2	29.0	237.3	48.0	24.9	191.8	174.3	51.2
1962.....	317.4	30.1	31.0	256.4	53.1	28.7	205.9	186.1	58.7
1963.....	335.0	31.8	32.9	270.4	56.4	30.5	216.3	194.9	62.3
1964.....	360.9	33.9	34.8	292.3	63.6	35.6	231.4	208.5	69.5
1965.....	391.2	36.3	37.4	317.5	71.0	41.3	249.0	224.1	77.6
1966:									
I.....	415.2	37.7	37.3	340.1	76.7	45.4	265.9	237.2	83.1
II ³	422.3	38.5	38.5	345.3	76.7	45.4	271.1	241.8	83.9

¹ Excludes gross product originating in the rest of the world.² Plus transfer payments less subsidies.³ Preliminary.

Source: U.S. Departments of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.9—*Capital consumption and income shares as percentages of gross corporate product, 1946-66*

	Corporate profit plus capital consumption allowances	Capital consumption allowances	Indirect business taxes ¹	Income originating	Corporate profit and inventory adjustment	Corporate profit after tax	Employee compensation	Ways and salaries	Cash flow
1946	22.9	4.6	10.1	85.4	18.3	14.6	67.5	64.4	19.2
1947	24.8	4.7	9.3	86.0	20.1	15.7	66.2	63.0	20.4
1948	27.6	4.9	8.8	86.3	22.7	15.4	64.1	61.2	20.3
1949	27.3	5.7	9.4	84.8	21.6	12.7	63.9	60.8	18.4
1950	28.9	5.6	9.2	85.1	23.3	15.2	62.6	59.0	20.8
1951	28.7	5.7	8.7	85.6	23.0	11.3	63.4	59.5	17.0
1952	26.6	6.1	9.2	84.7	20.5	9.8	65.0	61.0	15.9
1953	25.5	6.5	9.3	84.3	19.0	9.5	66.1	62.0	16.0
1954	25.7	7.5	9.0	83.5	18.2	9.5	66.0	61.7	17.0
1955	27.8	7.7	8.8	83.4	20.1	11.3	64.2	59.8	19.0
1956	26.3	7.9	9.0	83.2	18.4	10.5	65.7	61.0	18.4
1957	25.6	8.3	9.2	82.5	17.4	9.6	66.0	61.0	17.9
1958	24.8	8.9	9.5	81.5	15.9	8.3	66.3	61.1	17.2
1959	26.6	8.5	9.3	82.2	18.1	9.7	65.1	59.6	18.2
1960	25.4	8.7	9.6	81.7	16.7	8.7	65.9	60.0	17.4
1961	25.4	9.0	9.9	81.1	16.4	8.5	65.6	59.6	17.5
1962	26.2	9.5	9.8	80.8	16.7	9.0	64.9	58.6	18.5
1963	26.3	9.5	9.8	80.7	16.8	9.1	64.6	58.2	18.6
1964	27.0	9.4	9.6	81.0	17.6	9.9	64.1	57.8	19.3
1965	27.4	9.3	9.6	81.2	18.1	10.6	63.7	57.3	19.9
1966—I ²	27.6	9.1	9.0	81.9	18.5	10.9	64.0	57.1	20.0
II ²	27.3	9.1	9.1	81.8	18.2	10.8	64.2	57.3	19.9

¹ Plus transfer payments less subsidies.² Preliminary.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.10—*Gross corporate product, nonfinancial institutions, 1946-66*

(In billions of dollars)

	Gross corporate product	Capital consumption allowances	Indirect business taxes ¹	Income originating	Corporate profits and inventory adjustments	Corporate profits after tax	Employee compensation	Wages and salaries	Cash flow
1946	98.7	4.6	10.1	84.0	16.8	13.4	67.0	63.9	18.0
1947	119.5	5.7	11.2	102.7	23.2	18.2	78.9	75.2	24.0
1948	137.0	6.9	12.1	118.1	29.6	19.9	87.6	83.6	26.8
1949	133.3	7.8	12.6	112.9	26.8	15.4	85.1	80.9	23.2
1950	151.7	8.6	14.0	129.0	33.5	21.7	94.6	89.1	30.4
1951	174.3	10.1	15.2	149.1	37.9	18.1	110.0	103.2	28.2
1952	182.0	11.3	16.8	154.0	34.7	16.0	118.0	110.8	27.2
1953	194.7	12.9	18.2	168.6	33.9	16.4	128.4	120.6	29.3
1954	191.6	14.7	17.4	159.5	31.8	16.3	126.2	117.9	31.0
1955	216.3	17.1	19.2	180.1	40.3	22.2	138.2	128.7	39.3
1956	231.2	18.5	20.8	191.9	39.1	22.1	151.0	140.3	40.6
1957	241.9	20.4	22.4	199.2	38.3	20.9	158.7	146.7	41.3
1958	236.0	21.5	22.8	191.7	33.5	17.5	155.6	143.5	39.0
1959	263.7	23.0	24.6	216.1	42.8	22.5	170.6	156.4	45.4
1960	273.1	24.3	26.4	222.4	40.3	20.6	179.0	163.0	44.9
1961	278.4	25.6	27.7	225.0	40.3	20.5	181.3	165.0	46.1
1962	302.8	29.3	29.7	243.8	45.0	23.9	194.7	176.2	53.2
1963	320.0	31.0	31.5	257.6	48.6	26.2	204.4	184.5	57.1
1964	345.3	32.9	33.3	279.0	55.2	31.3	218.7	197.3	64.3
1965	374.6	35.3	35.8	303.5	62.1	36.1	235.5	212.3	71.4
1966:									
I ²	397.7	36.8	35.7	325.2	67.3	39.9	251.6	224.8	76.7
II ²		37.5	36.9				256.6	229.1	

¹ Plus transfer payments less subsidies.² Preliminary.

Source: See table III.11.

TABLE III.11—Capital consumption and income shares as percentage of gross corporate product (nonfinancial institutions) 1946-66

	Capital consumption allowances	Indirect business taxes	Income originating	Corporate profits and inventory adjustment	Corporate profits after tax	Employee compensation	Wages and salaries	Cash flow ¹
1946	4.6	10.2	85.1	17.0	13.6	67.9	64.7	18.2
1947	4.8	9.4	85.9	19.4	15.2	66.0	62.9	20.1
1948	5.0	8.8	86.2	21.6	14.5	63.9	61.0	19.6
1949	5.9	9.5	84.7	20.1	11.6	63.8	60.7	17.4
1950	5.7	9.2	85.0	22.1	14.3	62.4	53.7	20.0
1951	5.8	8.7	85.5	21.7	10.4	63.1	59.2	16.2
1952	6.2	9.2	84.6	19.1	8.8	64.8	60.9	14.9
1953	6.6	9.3	84.0	17.4	8.4	65.9	61.9	15.0
1954	7.7	9.1	83.2	16.6	8.5	65.9	61.5	16.2
1955	7.9	8.9	83.3	18.6	16.3	63.9	59.5	18.2
1956	8.0	9.0	83.0	16.9	9.6	65.3	60.7	17.6
1957	8.4	9.3	82.3	15.8	8.6	65.6	60.6	17.1
1958	9.1	9.7	81.2	14.2	7.4	65.9	60.8	16.5
1959	8.7	9.3	81.9	16.2	8.5	64.7	59.3	17.2
1960	8.9	9.7	81.4	14.8	7.5	65.5	59.8	16.4
1961	9.2	9.9	80.8	14.5	7.4	65.1	59.3	16.6
1962	9.7	9.8	80.5	14.9	7.9	64.3	58.2	17.6
1963	9.7	9.8	80.5	15.2	8.2	63.9	57.7	17.8
1964	9.5	9.6	80.8	16.0	9.1	63.3	57.1	18.6
1965	9.4	9.6	81.0	16.6	9.6	62.9	56.7	19.1
1966:								
I	9.3	9.0	81.8	16.9	10.0	63.3	56.5	19.3
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¹ Col. 1 plus col. 5.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.12—Distribution of income originating in manufacturing, 1929-65

	National income originating (millions)	Compensation of employees (millions)	Percent of total income	Corporate profits before tax (millions)	Percent of total income	Corporate profits after tax (millions)	Percent of total income
1929	\$21,945	\$16,243	74.0	\$4,898	22.3	\$4,280	19.5
1930	18,296	13,991	76.5	-1,692	-9.2	-1,319	-7.2
1931	12,432	10,933	87.6	-252	-2.0	-458	-3.7
1932	7,334	7,783	106.1	-1,180	-16.1	-1,312	-17.9
1933	7,705	7,921	102.8	952	12.4	1,697	21.8
1934	11,100	9,746	87.8	1,531	13.8	1,202	10.0
1935	13,390	10,961	81.9	2,245	16.8	1,761	13.2
1936	16,294	12,672	77.8	3,659	22.5	2,939	18.0
1937	19,450	15,186	78.1	3,789	19.5	3,021	15.5
1938	15,151	12,493	82.5	1,694	11.2	1,247	8.2
1939	18,094	14,321	79.1	3,797	21.0	3,056	16.9
1940	22,481	16,397	72.9	5,645	25.1	3,918	17.4
1941	33,211	22,775	68.6	10,996	33.1	5,752	17.3
1942	45,437	32,248	71.0	12,499	27.5	5,198	11.4
1943	58,253	42,658	73.2	14,331	24.6	5,664	9.7
1944	60,331	44,960	74.5	13,433	22.3	5,657	9.4
1945	52,186	40,182	77.0	10,107	19.4	4,204	8.1
1946	49,134	38,178	77.7	12,043	24.5	7,298	14.9
1947	59,496	44,537	74.9	17,291	29.1	10,821	18.2
1948	68,707	49,367	71.9	19,007	27.7	11,966	17.4
1949	64,767	46,983	72.5	15,084	23.2	9,355	14.4
1950	76,233	53,528	70.2	24,115	31.6	13,290	17.4
1951	90,230	63,572	70.5	25,187	27.9	10,969	12.2
1952	92,490	68,726	74.3	20,995	22.7	9,566	10.3
1953	100,355	76,229	76.0	22,714	22.6	10,392	10.4
1954	94,583	72,743	76.9	20,205	21.4	10,428	11.0
1955	107,868	79,884	74.1	27,378	25.4	14,453	13.4
1956	113,072	86,321	76.3	26,327	23.3	13,986	12.4
1957	116,251	90,089	77.5	24,994	21.5	13,314	11.5
1958	107,741	86,242	80.0	19,542	18.1	10,299	9.6
1959	124,040	95,776	77.2	26,603	21.4	13,986	11.3
1960	125,822	99,424	79.0	24,126	19.2	12,631	10.0
1961	125,051	99,718	79.7	23,448	18.8	12,046	9.6
1962	136,988	108,168	79.0	26,485	19.3	14,246	10.4
1963	143,839	112,888	78.5	29,312	20.4	15,622	10.9
1964	155,078	120,460	77.7	32,737	21.1	18,178	11.7
1965	170,408	130,067	76.3	38,508	22.6	21,381	12.5

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; percentages computed by staff, Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE III.13—Corporate profits before corporate income taxes, by industry division, 1929-65

[Millions of dollars]

	Total	Agriculture	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing			Transportation	Communication	Electric, gas and sanitary	Trade	Finance	Services	Rest of the world
					Total	Non-durable	Durable							
1929	9,990	6	460	134	4,898	2,272	2,626	1,004	303	507	856	1,420	170	232
1930	3,697	-46	115	103	1,692	950	724	420	247	414	58	441	3	137
1931	-372	-73	-143	8	-252	215	-467	-105	228	328	-329	-14	-16	-4
1932	-2,309	-71	-87	-73	-1,180	17	-1,197	-326	153	292	-629	-200	-154	-34
1933	956	-32	-39	-33	952	1,009	-57	-243	122	247	141	-66	-91	-2
1934	2,346	-33	151	5	1,531	1,033	448	-162	153	395	583	-344	-17	60
1935	3,598	6	165	29	2,245	1,257	988	-100	177	347	679	-135	26	159
1936	6,340	16	309	66	3,659	1,870	1,789	83	203	415	1,048	353	54	104
1937	6,785	3	503	58	3,789	1,687	2,102	58	221	542	918	503	68	122
1938	3,969	-12	268	34	1,694	1,105	589	-179	214	490	501	659	-53	247
1939	7,041	3	338	43	3,797	2,053	1,744	157	268	571	929	671	80	184
1940	10,013	15	472	82	5,645	2,469	3,176	333	285	716	1,206	916	109	234
1941	17,718	52	638	199	10,996	4,310	6,686	907	315	843	2,267	1,076	194	231
1942	21,535	73	591	319	12,499	5,193	7,306	2,100	445	919	2,684	1,338	342	225
1943	25,130	104	517	244	14,331	6,221	8,110	2,899	528	994	3,161	1,567	547	238
1944	24,107	96	503	125	13,433	6,039	7,394	2,356	575	945	3,291	1,925	565	293
1945	19,722	93	403	95	10,107	5,440	4,667	1,324	525	922	3,426	2,022	577	238
1946	24,589	145	456	230	12,043	8,377	3,666	1,522	388	1,126	5,714	2,733	777	425
1947	31,470	155	975	396	17,291	9,592	7,789	1,181	273	1,758	6,249	2,510	693	689
1948	35,188	161	1,505	586	19,007	9,852	9,155	1,665	429	1,153	5,854	3,363	629	836
1949	28,941	121	1,031	544	15,054	7,341	7,713	1,132	455	1,309	3,977	3,918	568	832
1950	42,634	175	1,491	574	24,115	10,824	13,291	2,001	725	1,528	6,409	4,070	563	984
1951	43,930	153	1,451	573	25,187	11,282	13,925	1,979	951	1,808	5,512	4,529	625	1,162
1952	38,622	69	1,170	607	20,995	9,147	11,848	1,851	1,054	2,047	4,486	4,929	615	1,099
1953	40,627	42	1,001	523	22,714	10,006	12,708	1,655	1,221	2,162	4,042	5,538	594	1,135
1954	38,281	76	1,117	559	20,205	9,428	10,777	1,868	1,318	2,366	3,534	5,777	619	1,422
1955	48,607	47	1,422	501	27,378	11,806	15,572	1,519	1,706	2,566	5,209	6,006	674	1,579
1956	48,825	52	1,512	740	26,327	12,180	14,147	1,491	1,832	2,700	5,347	6,235	776	1,813
1957	47,177	44	1,279	829	24,994	11,133	13,861	1,177	1,976	2,670	5,011	6,517	794	1,886
1958	41,372	68	991	747	19,542	9,906	9,636	1,878	2,301	2,706	4,666	7,011	722	1,734
1959	52,141	34	818	664	26,603	12,690	13,913	1,162	2,765	3,157	5,900	8,321	908	1,809
1960	49,712	65	983	516	24,126	12,270	11,856	901	2,964	3,624	4,954	8,816	883	1,880
1961	50,349	81	1,099	627	23,448	12,043	11,405	980	3,174	3,760	5,252	8,774	833	2,321
1962	55,408	138	947	813	26,485	12,418	14,067	1,042	3,533	3,885	5,968	9,240	791	2,566
1964	59,401	60	1,199	853	29,312	13,268	16,044	1,399	3,830	4,239	6,169	8,857	936	2,547
1946	67,026	110	1,063	1,175	32,737	14,396	18,341	1,720	4,029	4,651	7,521	9,782	1,251	3,041
1965	75,676	119	1,286	1,268	38,508	15,983	22,525	2,061	4,214	4,848	8,362	10,369	1,439	3,202

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.14—Corporate profits after corporate income taxes, by industry division, 1929-65

[Millions of dollars]

	Total	Agriculture	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing			Transportation	Communication	Electric, gas, and sanitary	Trade	Finance	Services	Rest of the world
					Total	Non-durable	Durable							
1929.....	8,621	0	413	115	4,280	1,982	2,298	869	264	436	732	1,138	142	232
1930.....	2,855	-49	95	85	1,319	745	574	347	212	346	-19	290	92	137
1931.....	-870	-74	-149	-1	-458	73	-513	-139	195	270	-387	-96	-27	-4
1932.....	-2,694	-72	-95	-77	-1,312	-94	-1,218	-353	123	227	-670	-268	-163	-34
1933.....	435	-34	-49	-37	697	820	-123	-270	100	190	63	-123	-100	-2
1934.....	1,602	-37	128	0	1,202	872	330	-211	126	321	463	-441	-9	60
1935.....	2,647	0	142	20	1,761	972	789	-152	147	279	542	-260	0	150
1936.....	4,931	7	269	53	2,939	1,513	1,426	11	163	331	840	187	27	104
1937.....	5,283	-5	441	42	3,021	1,359	1,662	-18	177	438	717	311	37	122
1938.....	2,940	-17	233	21	1,247	845	402	-238	166	389	363	505	24	247
1939.....	5,600	-4	295	29	3,056	1,669	1,387	68	210	457	734	522	49	184
1940.....	7,179	5	398	56	3,918	1,817	2,101	182	209	531	877	704	65	234
1941.....	10,108	29	488	111	5,752	2,590	3,162	577	190	536	1,341	740	113	231
1942.....	10,120	34	392	127	5,198	2,492	2,706	1,112	197	498	1,238	937	162	225
1943.....	11,058	42	358	89	5,664	2,763	2,911	1,214	223	518	1,122	239	238	238
1944.....	11,158	40	375	51	5,657	2,713	2,944	941	228	492	1,349	1,416	262	293
1945.....	9,033	32	295	36	4,204	2,443	1,761	512	195	462	1,466	1,348	255	228
1946.....	15,485	87	338	144	7,298	5,288	2,010	206	228	701	3,596	1,982	480	425
1947.....	20,202	94	707	254	10,821	6,067	4,754	654	164	647	3,950	1,789	433	680
1948.....	22,670	88	1,130	365	11,966	6,378	5,588	980	243	712	3,630	2,348	372	836
1949.....	15,533	59	799	332	9,355	4,736	4,619	657	258	808	2,410	2,690	333	832
1950.....	24,864	87	1,115	325	13,290	6,326	6,964	1,107	406	884	3,743	2,597	326	984
1951.....	21,595	08	1,053	284	10,969	5,313	5,656	951	420	899	2,744	2,735	310	1,162
1952.....	19,556	12	846	305	9,566	4,585	4,981	846	405	999	2,267	2,854	297	1,069
1953.....	20,361	-14	773	253	10,392	5,194	5,198	745	543	1,048	1,962	3,247	277	1,185
1954.....	20,553	25	835	277	10,428	5,322	5,106	387	611	1,175	1,857	3,253	283	1,422
1955.....	26,991	4	1,046	266	14,453	6,766	7,687	704	810	1,280	2,802	3,711	336	1,579
1956.....	27,167	6	1,103	420	13,986	6,991	6,995	673	859	1,332	2,794	3,790	381	1,813
1957.....	25,975	4	964	450	13,314	6,492	6,822	479	908	1,339	2,554	3,704	371	1,886
1958.....	22,327	11	778	395	10,299	5,658	4,641	316	1,073	1,336	2,414	3,653	432	1,734
1959.....	28,462	-10	607	343	13,986	7,167	6,819	452	1,308	1,583	3,160	4,791	405	1,809
1960.....	26,630	12	755	224	12,631	7,077	5,554	295	1,366	1,859	2,531	4,722	453	1,580
1961.....	27,245	15	842	292	12,046	6,763	5,283	314	1,496	1,864	2,832	4,651	322	2,321
1962.....	31,229	66	732	445	14,246	7,218	7,028	481	1,760	1,960	3,382	5,207	387	2,647
1963.....	33,077	-24	910	486	15,622	7,563	8,059	721	1,892	2,249	3,566	4,781	285	2,566
1964.....	38,667	23	732	749	18,178	8,414	9,764	-1,023	2,079	2,564	4,588	4,968	672	3,041
1965.....	44,493	28	918.	842	21,381	9,270	12,111	1,253	2,271	2,780	5,074	5,944	800	3,202

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

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TABLE III.15—*Production or nonsupervisory workers on payroll of selected employment, 1947-65*

	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing			Wholesale and retail trade
			Total	Durable	Nondurable	
1947.....	871	1,759	12,990	7,028	5,962	7,070
1948.....	906	1,924	12,910	6,925	5,986	7,399
1949.....	839	1,919	11,790	6,122	5,669	7,367
1950.....	816	2,069	12,523	6,705	5,817	7,489
1951.....	840	2,308	13,368	7,480	5,888	7,785
1952.....	801	2,324	13,359	7,550	5,810	7,988
1953.....	765	2,305	14,055	8,154	5,901	8,137
1954.....	686	2,281	12,817	7,194	5,623	8,087
1955.....	680	2,440	13,288	7,548	5,740	8,271
1956.....	701	2,613	13,436	7,669	5,767	8,487
1957.....	695	2,537	13,189	7,550	5,638	8,474
1958.....	611	2,384	11,997	6,579	5,419	8,311
1959.....	590	2,538	12,663	7,033	5,570	8,588
1960.....	570	2,459	12,586	7,028	5,559	8,766
1961.....	532	2,390	12,083	6,618	5,465	8,674
1962.....	512	2,462	12,488	6,935	5,553	8,794
1963.....	498	2,523	12,555	7,027	5,527	8,929
1964.....	496	2,662	12,769	7,209	5,560	10,845
1965.....	492	2,730	13,376	7,692	5,684	11,238

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE III.16—*Nonproduction-worker employment as a percent of total employment, 1947-65*

	Manufacturing				Manufacturing		
	Total	Durable	Nondurable		Total	Durable	Nondurable
1947.....	16.4	16.2	16.7	1957.....	23.2	23.4	23.0
1948.....	17.1	16.8	17.5	1958.....	24.8	25.5	23.8
1949.....	18.4	18.3	18.5	1959.....	24.4	25.0	23.7
1950.....	17.8	17.2	18.6	1960.....	25.1	25.7	24.2
1951.....	18.5	17.7	19.4	1961.....	26.0	27.0	24.7
1952.....	19.7	19.2	20.2	1962.....	25.9	26.8	24.7
1953.....	19.9	19.3	20.7	1963.....	26.1	26.9	25.1
1954.....	21.4	21.2	21.7	1964.....	26.0	26.5	25.3
1955.....	21.3	20.9	21.8	1965.....	25.6	25.9	25.2
1956.....	22.1	22.0	22.2				

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics; percentages computed by staff, Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE III.17—*Compensation of employees, by industry division, 1929-65*

[In millions of current dollars]

	Total	Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing			Transportation	Communication	Electric, gas, and sanitary	Trade	Finance	Services	Government	Rest of the world
					Total	Non-curable	Durable								
1929	51,068	1,419	1,539	2,540	16,243	7,623	8,620	4,813	766	783	9,374	2,989	5,538	5,093	1
1930	46,845	1,291	1,349	2,142	13,991	6,980	7,011	4,332	769	893	8,766	2,808	5,277	5,316	1
1931	39,751	1,022	1,011	1,529	10,933	6,008	4,925	3,622	695	748	7,634	2,527	4,609	5,426	1
1932	31,064	757	698	863	7,783	4,667	3,116	4,736	589	628	5,956	2,145	3,758	5,150	1
1933	29,547	695	700	639	7,921	4,734	3,187	2,537	520	570	5,331	1,939	3,688	5,326	1
1934	34,302	755	927	788	9,746	5,498	4,248	2,766	854	616	6,159	2,031	3,688	6,271	1
1935	37,345	864	985	920	10,961	5,918	5,043	2,961	569	662	6,683	2,111	3,904	6,724	1
1936	42,914	954	1,162	1,350	12,672	6,408	6,264	3,357	621	725	7,341	2,313	4,310	8,108	1
1937	47,934	1,105	1,368	1,463	15,186	7,214	7,972	3,762	713	812	8,442	2,524	4,786	7,772	1
1938	44,996	1,085	1,170	1,348	12,493	6,600	5,893	3,380	733	866	8,340	2,460	4,646	8,524	1
1939	48,108	1,097	1,204	1,650	14,321	7,128	7,193	3,644	750	826	8,729	2,522	4,840	8,523	2
1940	52,127	1,139	1,360	1,821	16,397	7,532	8,865	3,866	782	875	9,374	2,599	5,149	8,762	3
1941	64,784	1,370	1,621	3,074	22,775	9,261	13,514	4,520	878	928	10,773	2,752	5,587	10,500	6
1942	85,260	1,786	1,855	4,925	32,248	11,109	21,139	5,596	966	937	11,349	2,864	6,392	16,332	10
1943	109,545	2,164	2,072	4,120	42,658	12,830	29,828	6,956	1,093	931	12,289	3,013	7,198	27,037	14
1944	121,212	2,338	2,285	3,037	44,960	13,857	31,103	7,989	1,188	978	13,426	3,166	8,117	33,716	12
1945	123,097	2,439	2,281	3,107	40,182	14,599	25,583	8,388	1,347	1,061	15,166	3,436	8,933	36,764	11
1946	117,851	2,723	2,470	4,621	38,178	17,050	21,128	9,086	1,762	1,303	20,195	4,307	10,488	22,699	17
1947	128,892	3,022	3,070	6,108	44,537	19,433	25,104	9,733	1,989	1,574	23,622	4,702	11,799	18,699	17
1948	141,131	3,295	3,594	7,439	49,367	21,826	27,541	10,360	2,303	1,814	24,716	5,318	13,137	19,772	16
1949	141,029	3,088	3,181	7,280	46,983	21,514	25,469	9,930	2,423	1,960	25,005	5,573	13,557	22,033	16
1950	154,571	3,136	3,502	8,360	53,528	23,514	30,014	10,481	2,510	2,114	26,748	6,177	14,395	23,602	18
1951	160,687	3,222	3,988	10,353	63,572	25,970	37,602	12,024	2,783	2,338	29,426	6,783	15,730	30,418	20
1952	195,308	3,175	4,054	11,291	68,726	27,258	41,468	12,580	3,087	2,540	30,990	7,346	16,825	34,669	25
1953	209,111	3,063	4,173	11,845	76,229	29,159	47,070	13,147	3,399	2,748	32,929	8,012	18,045	35,509	20
1954	207,956	2,890	3,832	12,076	72,743	29,265	43,478	12,538	3,576	2,904	33,771	8,730	18,772	36,102	22
1955	224,479	2,866	4,149	12,999	79,884	31,266	48,618	13,343	3,829	3,047	36,117	9,498	20,639	38,087	21
1956	243,058	2,887	4,653	14,469	86,321	33,367	52,954	14,432	4,193	3,286	39,087	10,360	22,664	40,685	21
1957	255,996	2,994	4,804	14,905	90,089	34,649	55,440	15,103	4,462	3,486	41,169	11,058	24,460	43,445	21
1958	257,816	3,134	4,297	14,916	86,242	34,665	51,577	14,469	4,463	3,745	41,955	11,833	25,845	44,685	22
1959	279,993	3,174	4,392	16,234	95,776	37,553	58,223	15,517	4,685	3,959	45,178	12,905	27,983	49,266	24
1960	294,226	3,297	4,412	16,793	99,424	38,945	60,479	16,034	4,948	4,166	48,673	13,793	30,329	52,891	26
1961	302,638	3,386	4,333	17,172	99,718	39,897	59,821	15,895	5,127	4,308	49,083	14,833	32,109	56,591	28
1962	323,632	3,467	4,378	18,277	108,158	42,136	66,022	16,556	5,370	4,519	51,995	15,608	34,604	60,670	30
1963	341,004	3,534	4,424	19,466	112,888	43,507	69,381	17,050	5,586	4,719	54,960	16,610	37,053	64,681	32
1964	365,657	3,443	4,591	21,190	120,460	46,003	74,457	17,978	6,091	4,990	58,835	17,740	40,302	70,003	34
1965	392,930	3,533	4,816	22,964	130,067	48,734	81,333	19,064	6,511	5,233	63,101	18,855	43,507	75,243	36

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

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TABLE III.18—Average number of full-time and part-time employees, by industry division, 1948-65

[In thousands]

	Total	Agriculture, etc.	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing			Transportation	Communication	Electric, gas, and sanitary	Trade	Finance, etc.	Services	Government
					Total	Non-durable	Durable							
1948.....	50,865	2,482	998	2,278	15,530	7,183	8,347	2,943	744	529	9,321	1,823	6,784	7,428
1949.....	49,631	2,373	928	2,169	14,438	6,926	7,512	2,744	743	543	9,210	1,849	6,839	7,790
1950.....	51,572	2,461	930	2,388	15,241	7,120	8,121	2,786	728	549	9,374	1,931	7,149	8,030
1951.....	55,834	2,331	942	2,669	16,453	7,309	9,144	2,945	760	559	9,913	2,016	7,377	9,864
1952.....	57,168	2,236	919	2,707	16,752	7,286	9,466	2,922	789	566	10,111	2,088	7,415	10,657
1953.....	58,270	2,167	878	2,682	17,578	7,439	10,139	2,922	821	578	10,261	2,168	7,602	10,608
1954.....	56,619	2,139	801	2,665	16,388	7,198	9,190	2,713	822	581	10,167	2,244	7,614	10,490
1955.....	58,187	2,062	807	2,807	16,959	7,346	9,613	2,754	838	587	10,433	2,353	8,161	10,421
1956.....	59,795	1,965	845	2,951	17,316	7,428	9,888	2,800	888	595	10,805	2,452	8,627	10,547
1957.....	60,148	1,947	842	2,878	17,235	7,346	9,899	2,763	907	600	10,899	2,500	8,846	10,727
1958.....	58,708	1,989	752	2,794	15,908	7,074	8,834	2,532	858	615	10,783	2,552	9,093	10,828
1959.....	60,271	1,948	720	2,902	16,643	7,265	9,378	2,563	834	611	11,079	2,616	8,411	10,940
1960.....	61,330	1,940	701	2,863	16,761	7,315	9,446	2,563	840	616	11,393	2,687	9,686	11,276
1961.....	61,362	1,967	668	2,820	16,310	7,243	9,067	2,470	829	615	11,345	2,749	9,993	11,592
1962.....	63,166	1,947	651	2,881	16,868	7,366	9,502	2,475	825	612	11,591	2,805	10,344	12,163
1963.....	64,176	1,925	634	2,958	16,995	7,375	9,620	2,470	827	614	11,853	2,880	10,609	12,407
1964.....	65,692	1,752	631	3,071	17,297	7,455	9,842	2,494	849	618	12,255	2,955	11,012	12,754
1965.....	68,012	1,679	636	3,201	18,988	7,660	10,428	2,537	881	626	12,729	3,029	11,360	13,242

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.19—Average annual earnings per full-time employec, 1948-65

	Total	Agriculture	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing			Transportation	Communication	Electric, gas, and sanitary	Trade	Finance	Services	Government	Rest of the world
					Total	Non-durable	Durable								
1948.....	2,786	1,340	3,396	3,126	3,038	2,893	3,163	3,468	2,869	3,187	2,824	2,951	2,082	2,755	3,200
1949.....	2,844	1,312	3,216	3,209	3,095	2,943	3,235	3,508	3,015	3,344	2,899	3,038	2,138	2,862	3,200
1950.....	2,992	1,282	3,460	3,333	3,302	3,113	3,469	3,714	3,158	3,534	3,045	3,223	2,138	3,014	3,300
1951.....	3,217	1,387	3,885	3,702	3,608	3,320	3,839	4,044	3,362	3,803	3,178	3,360	2,321	3,113	4,000
1952.....	3,402	1,423	4,062	3,978	3,832	3,492	4,039	4,269	3,599	4,088	3,298	3,539	2,489	3,279	4,167
1953.....	3,581	1,412	4,361	4,207	4,053	3,659	4,342	4,476	3,817	4,356	3,470	3,716	2,623	3,385	4,000
1954.....	3,667	1,346	4,383	4,301	4,123	3,767	4,402	4,603	4,015	4,540	3,595	3,897	2,736	3,499	4,400
1955.....	3,851	1,376	4,689	4,388	4,356	3,941	4,674	4,823	4,237	4,704	3,755	4,051	2,831	3,708	4,200
1956.....	4,055	1,454	5,004	4,645	4,589	4,152	4,917	5,129	4,381	4,971	3,936	4,243	2,963	3,892	5,250
1957.....	4,230	1,518	5,197	4,881	4,786	4,333	5,122	5,432	4,553	5,212	4,109	4,432	3,110	4,045	5,250
1958.....	4,375	1,549	5,203	5,020	4,946	4,475	5,323	5,691	4,795	5,426	4,246	4,628	3,220	4,328	5,500
1959.....	4,594	1,596	5,518	5,213	5,221	4,699	5,626	5,995	5,136	5,753	4,442	4,882	3,364	4,499	6,000
1960.....	4,743	1,668	5,676	5,443	5,352	4,818	5,760	6,185	5,369	5,992	4,597	5,030	3,513	4,676	6,500
1961.....	4,884	1,678	5,828	5,618	5,507	4,967	5,939	6,361	5,619	6,236	4,719	5,260	3,642	4,859	7,000
1962.....	5,065	1,728	6,017	5,846	5,730	5,137	6,191	6,638	5,895	6,493	4,894	5,410	3,793	4,993	7,500
1963.....	5,243	1,771	6,240	6,018	5,920	5,284	6,407	6,852	6,128	6,751	5,071	5,595	3,924	5,205	8,000
1964.....	5,499	1,893	6,521	6,332	6,196	5,526	6,703	7,161	6,435	7,070	5,261	5,851	4,129	5,474	8,500
1965.....	5,705	2,030	6,783	6,593	6,386	5,689	6,898	7,473	6,618	7,291	5,436	6,070	4,292	5,701	9,000

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.20—*Wage and salary disbursements in the United States, by type of economic activity, 1929-65*

	Total wage and salary disbursements (millions of dollars)	Percent of total				
		Commodity producing industries	Manufacturing	Distributive industries	Service industries	Government
1929.....	50,436	42.6	31.9	30.8	16.7	9.8
1930.....	46,188	40.2	30.0	31.4	17.3	11.2
1931.....	39,130	36.5	27.6	32.0	18.0	13.4
1932.....	30,487	32.6	25.2	32.0	19.1	16.3
1933.....	29,005	33.8	27.0	30.4	18.1	17.7
1934.....	33,712	35.8	28.6	29.4	16.8	18.0
1935.....	36,695	36.9	29.5	29.2	16.2	17.7
1936.....	41,924	37.7	29.6	28.1	15.5	19.8
1937.....	46,107	39.8	31.6	28.5	15.4	16.3
1938.....	42,978	35.5	27.5	29.4	15.9	19.1
1939.....	45,941	37.8	29.6	28.9	15.5	17.8
1940.....	49,816	39.6	31.3	28.5	15.0	16.9
1941.....	62,081	44.3	35.0	26.3	13.0	16.4
1942.....	82,098	47.7	37.7	22.9	10.9	19.5
1943.....	105,577	46.4	38.7	19.1	9.4	25.2
1944.....	116,942	43.0	36.7	19.4	9.3	23.2
1945.....	117,479	39.0	32.5	21.1	10.2	29.7
1946.....	112,020	41.0	32.6	27.7	12.8	18.5
1947.....	122,978	44.1	34.6	28.6	13.1	14.2
1948.....	135,341	45.1	34.9	27.8	13.3	13.9
1949.....	134,551	42.9	33.2	28.0	13.8	15.3
1950.....	146,748	44.0	34.3	27.2	13.6	15.3
1951.....	171,019	44.5	34.7	25.9	12.7	16.9
1952.....	185,098	44.2	34.7	25.3	12.6	17.9
1953.....	198,335	45.1	35.9	25.1	12.6	17.2
1954.....	196,474	43.5	34.4	25.5	13.4	17.6
1955.....	211,266	43.9	35.0	25.3	13.7	17.1
1956.....	227,842	44.0	34.9	25.3	13.9	16.8
1957.....	238,695	43.5	34.6	25.4	14.2	16.9
1958.....	239,926	41.5	32.8	25.3	15.0	18.1
1959.....	258,187	42.2	33.7	25.1	15.0	17.7
1960.....	270,844	41.5	33.1	25.2	15.3	18.0
1961.....	278,080	40.6	32.3	24.8	15.8	18.8
1962.....	296,091	40.8	32.6	24.5	15.8	18.9
1963.....	311,095	40.4	32.3	24.4	16.0	19.1
1964.....	333,619	40.2	32.1	24.3	16.2	19.3
1965.....	358,389	40.3	32.2	24.2	16.2	19.3

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE III.21—Average weekly earnings for production workers and nonsupervisory employees, 1909, 1914, 1919-66 (current and constant purchasing power)

	All manufacturing		Durable goods		Nondurable goods		Building construction		Retail trade ¹	
	Current dollar	1957-59 dollar	Current dollar	1957-59 dollar	Current dollar	1957-59 dollar	Current dollar	1957-59 dollar	Current dollar	1957-59 dollar
1909	\$9.74									
1914	10.92	\$31.20								
1919	21.84	36.22								
1920	26.02	37.28								
1921	21.94	35.22								
1922	21.28	36.44								
1923	23.56	39.66	\$25.42	\$42.79	\$21.50	\$36.20				
1924	23.67	39.71	25.48	42.75	21.63	36.29				
1925	24.11	39.46	26.02	42.59	21.99	35.99				
1926	24.38	39.58	26.23	42.58	22.29	36.19				
1927	24.47	40.45	26.28	43.44	22.55	37.27				
1928	24.70	41.37	26.86	44.99	22.42	37.55				
1929	24.76	41.47	26.84	44.96	22.47	37.64				
1930	23.00	39.52	24.42	41.96	21.40	36.77				
1931	20.64	38.94	20.98	39.58	20.09	37.91				
1932	16.89	35.48	15.99	33.59	17.26	36.26				
1933	16.65	36.92	16.20	35.92	16.76	37.16				
1934	18.20	39.06	18.59	39.89	17.13	38.05				
1935	19.91	41.65	21.24	44.44	18.77	39.27				
1936	21.56	44.64	23.72	49.11	19.57	40.52				
1937	23.82	47.64	26.61	53.22	21.17	42.34				
1938	22.07	44.95	23.70	48.27	20.65	42.06				
1939	23.64	48.84	26.19	54.11	21.36	44.13			\$21.01	\$43.41
1940	24.96	51.15	28.07	57.52	21.83	44.73			21.34	43.73
1941	29.48	57.47	33.56	65.42	24.39	47.54			22.17	43.22
1942	36.68	64.58	42.19	74.24	28.57	50.30			23.37	41.14
1943	43.07	71.43	48.73	80.81	33.45	55.47			24.79	41.11
1944	45.70	74.55	51.38	83.82	36.38	59.35			26.77	43.67
1945	44.20	70.49	48.36	77.13	37.48	59.78			28.59	45.60
1946	43.32	63.71	46.22	67.97	40.30	59.26			32.92	48.41
1947	49.17	63.20	51.76	66.53	46.30	59.51	\$55.54	\$71.39	36.94	47.48
1948	53.12	63.39	56.36	67.26	49.50	59.07	61.86	73.82	39.75	47.43
1949	53.88	64.92	57.25	68.98	50.38	60.70	64.17	77.31	41.62	50.14
1950	58.32	69.59	62.43	74.50	53.48	63.82	65.81	78.53	43.16	51.50
1951	63.34	69.99	68.48	75.67	56.88	62.85	71.76	79.29	46.22	51.07
1952	67.16	72.61	72.63	78.52	59.95	64.81	79.34	85.77	47.79	51.66
1953	70.47	75.61	76.63	82.22	62.57	67.14	83.69	89.90	49.75	53.38
1954	70.49	75.31	76.19	81.40	63.18	67.50	85.54	91.39	51.21	54.71
1955	75.70	81.14	82.19	88.09	66.63	71.41	86.40	92.60	53.06	56.87
1956	78.78	83.19	85.28	90.05	70.09	74.01	90.86	95.95	54.74	57.80
1957	81.59	83.26	88.26	90.06	72.52	74.00	94.78	96.71	56.89	58.05
1958	82.71	82.14	89.27	88.65	74.11	73.59	96.92	96.25	58.82	58.41
1959	88.26	86.96	96.05	94.63	78.61	77.45	100.32	98.84	60.76	59.86
1960	89.72	87.02	97.44	94.51	80.36	77.94	103.72	100.60	62.37	60.49
1961	92.34	88.62	100.35	96.30	82.92	79.58	108.83	104.44	64.01	61.43
1962	96.56	91.63	104.70	99.34	85.64	81.16	112.50	106.76	65.95	62.57
1963	99.63	93.37	108.90	101.30	87.91	82.39	117.72	110.32	68.04	63.77
1964	102.97	95.25	112.19	104.45	90.91	84.10	122.79	113.59	64.75	59.90
1965	107.27	97.61	117.18	106.62	94.64	86.11	128.16	116.62	66.61	60.61
1965:										
January	105.52	96.90	115.37	105.94	92.50	84.94	123.19	113.12	65.34	60.00
June	107.79	104.85	117.74	114.53	94.47	91.90	127.78	124.30	67.16	65.33
1966:										
January	110.00	105.16	119.99	114.71	95.52	91.32	129.23	123.55	67.49	64.52
June	112.05	160.01	121.82	115.25	98.58	93.26	131.73	124.63	69.33	65.59

Source: See table III.22.

TABLE III.22—Average hourly earnings for production workers and nonsupervisory employees, 1909-66

	All manufacturing			Durable goods			Nondurable goods			Building construction			Retail trade		
	Current dollars	1957-59 dollars	Percent change	Current dollars	1957-59 dollars	Percent change	Current dollars	1957-59 dollars	Percent change	Current dollars	1957-59 dollars	Percent change	Current dollars	1957-59 dollars	Percent change
1909	0.191														
1914	.221	0.630													
1919	.472	.783	24.3												
1920	.549	.787	.5												
1921	.509	.817	3.8												
1922	.482	.825	1.0												
1923	.516	.869	5.3												
1924	.541	.908	4.5												
1925	.541	.885	-2.5												
1926	.542	.880	-.6												
1927	.544	.899	2.2												
1928	.556	.931	3.6												
1929	.560	.938	.8												
1930	.546	.941	.3												
1931	.509	.960	2.0												
1932	.441	.926	-3.5	0.492	1.034		0.412	0.866							
1933	.437	.969	4.6	.467	1.036	0.2	.419	.929	7.3						
1934	.526	1.134	17.0	.550	1.185	14.4	.505	1.088	17.1						
1935	.544	1.138	.4	.571	1.195	.8	.520	1.088	.0						
1936	.550	1.139	.1	.580	1.201	.5	.519	1.075	-1.2						
1937	.617	1.234	8.3	.667	1.334	11.1	.566	1.132	5.3						
1938	.620	1.263	2.4	.679	1.383	3.7	.572	1.165	2.9						
1939	.625	1.295	2.5	.691	1.428	3.3	.571	1.180	1.3						
1940	.655	1.342	3.6	.716	1.467	2.7	.590	1.209	2.4						
1941	.726	1.415	5.4	.799	1.558	6.2	.627	1.222	1.1			0.484	1.090		
1942	.851	1.498	5.9	.937	1.650	5.9	.709	1.248	2.1			.494	1.012		1.2
1943	.957	1.587	5.9	1.048	1.738	5.3	.787	1.305	4.6			.518	1.010		1.2
1944	1.001	1.649	3.9	1.105	1.803	3.7	.844	1.377	5.5			.559	.984		2.6
												.606	1.005		2.1
												.653	1.065		6.0

1945	1.016	1.620	-1.8	1.099	1.753	-2.8	.886	1.413	2.6				.699	1.115	4.7
1946	1.075	1.581	-2.4	1.144	1.682	1.9	.995	1.463	3.5				.797	1.172	5.1
1947	1,217	1,564	-1.1	1,278	1,643	-2.3	1,145	1,472	.6				.901	1.158	-1.2
1948	1.328	1.585	1.3	1.395	1.665	1.3	1.250	1.492	1.4	1.501	1.929		.972	1.160	-1.2
1949	1.378	1.660	4.7	1.453	1.751	5.2	1.295	1.560	4.6	1.681	2.006	4.0	1.015	1.223	5.4
1950	1.440	1.718	3.5	1.519	1.813	3.5	1.347	1.607	3.0	1.763	2.124	5.9	1.050	1.253	2.5
1951	1.56	1.72	.1	1.65	1.82	.4	1.44	1.59	-1.1	1.823	2.175	2.4	1.13	1.25	-3
1952	1.65	1.78	3.5	1.75	1.89	3.8	1.51	1.63	2.5	1.95	2.16	-1.7	1.13	1.25	-3
1953	1.74	1.87	5.1	1.86	2.00	5.8	1.58	1.70	4.3	2.05	2.22	2.8	1.18	1.20	2.4
1954	1.78	1.90	1.6	1.90	2.03	1.5	1.62	1.73	1.8	2.22	2.38	7.2	1.25	1.34	4.7
1955	1.86	1.99	4.7	1.99	2.13	4.9	1.67	1.79	3.5	2.35	2.51	5.5	1.29	1.39	3.7
1956	1.95	2.06	3.5	2.08	2.20	3.3	1.77	1.87	4.5	2.40	2.57	2.4	1.34	1.44	3.6
1957	2.05	2.09	1.5	2.19	2.23	1.4	1.85	1.89	1.1	2.51	2.65	3.1	1.40	1.48	2.8
1958	2.11	2.10	.5	2.26	2.24	.4	1.91	1.90	1.1	2.64	2.69	1.5	1.47	1.50	1.4
1959	2.19	2.16	2.9	2.36	2.33	4.0	1.98	1.95	2.6	2.73	2.71	.7	1.52	1.51	.7
1960	2.26	2.19	1.4	2.43	2.36	1.3	2.05	1.99	2.1	2.81	2.77	2.2	1.57	1.55	2.6
1961	2.32	2.23	1.8	2.49	2.39	1.3	2.11	2.03	2.0	2.93	2.84	2.5	1.62	1.57	1.3
1962	2.39	2.27	1.8	2.53	2.43	1.7	2.16	2.05	1.0	3.04	2.92	2.8	1.68	1.61	2.5
1963	2.46	2.31	1.8	2.63	2.46	1.2	2.22	2.08	1.5	3.16	3.00	2.7	1.75	1.65	2.5
1964	2.53	2.34	1.3	2.71	2.51	2.0	2.29	2.12	1.9	3.26	3.06	2.0	1.80	1.69	2.4
1965	2.61	2.38	1.7	2.79	2.54	1.2	2.36	2.14	.9	3.43	3.17		1.75	1.62	4.1
										3.55	3.23		1.82	1.66	
1965:															
January	2.58	2.37		2.76	2.53		2.33	2.14			3.19		1.79	1.64	
June	2.61	2.54		2.79	2.71		2.35	2.29		3.47	3.42		1.82	1.77	
1966:															
January	2.67	2.55		2.85	2.72		2.40	2.29		3.63	3.47		1.88	1.79	
June	2.70	2.55		2.88	2.72		2.44	2.31		3.69	3.49		1.91	1.81	

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Earnings Statistics for the United States, 1909-65, and subsequent issues; 1957-59 dollars obtained by dividing current dollars by the Consumer Price Index.

TABLE III.23—Average and real farm wage rates and index numbers, United States, 1910-65

Year	Farm wage rate ¹ (dollars per hour)	Rural living costs ² (1957-59=100)	Real farm wage rate ³ (dollars per hour)	Index of farm wage rate ⁴ (1957-59=100)
1910	0.124	35	0.354	47
1911	.126	35	.360	47
1912	.132	35	.377	50
1913	.134	35	.383	50
1914	.132	36	.367	48
1915	.132	36	.360	48
1916	.144	40	.364	47
1917	.182	50	.386	48
1918	.228	59	.375	51
1919	.266	71	.389	49
1920	.311	80	.358	51
1921	.201	57	.375	46
1922	.199	53	.415	49
1923	.228	55	.424	55
1924	.233	55	.421	56
1925	.236	56	.435	55
1926	.239	55	.443	57
1927	.239	54	.443	58
1928	.239	55	.446	57
1929	.241	54	.452	58
1930	.226	50	.400	59
1931	.172	43	.349	53
1932	.129	37	.303	46
1933	.115	38	.300	40
1934	.129	43	.330	39
1935	.142	43	.359	43
1936	.152	43	.382	46
1937	.172	45	.386	50
1938	.166	43	.395	51
1939	.166	42	.402	52
1940	.169	42	.458	53
1941	.206	45	.515	60
1942	.268	52	.609	68
1943	.353	58	.693	80
1944	.423	61	.738	91
1945	.472	64	.725	97
1946	.515	71	.659	95
1947	.547	83	.658	87
1948	.580	88	.652	87
1949	.559	85	.665	86
1950	.561	86	.652	86
1951	.625	94	.696	87
1952	.661	95	.715	91
1953	.672	94	.703	94
1954	.661	94	.711	92
1955	.675	95	.734	93
1956	.705	96	.735	96
1957	.728	99	.757	97
1958	.757	100	.790	99
1959	.798	101	.802	104
1960	.818	102	.818	105
1961	.834	102	.831	107
1962	.856	103	.846	109
1963	.880	104	.861	111
1964	.904	105	.889	113
1965	.951	107		117

¹ Weighted average of all rates on a per hour basis.

² Index of prices paid by farmers for commodities used in living.

³ Wage rate divided by rural living cost.

⁴ 1957-59 average equals 0.761 cents per hour.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service.

TABLE III.24—Annual income of farm operators from farming, current and constant dollars, total and per-farm average, 1910-14, 1915-19, and 1920-65

	Total annual income (millions of dollars)	Total annual income per farm dollars	Prices paid by farmers, family living items 1957-59=100	Purchasing power; operator's net income from farming, per farm dollars	Index purchasing power; operator's net income from farming per farm 1957-59=100
1910-14.....	3,984	620	35	1,761	61.6
1915-19.....	7,029	1,085	51	2,094	73.3
1920.....	7,795	1,196	80	1,495	52.3
1921.....	3,370	517	57	907	31.7
1922.....	4,343	668	53	1,260	44.1
1923.....	5,068	781	55	1,420	49.7
1924.....	4,855	749	55	1,362	47.7
1925.....	6,734	1,041	56	1,859	65.1
1926.....	5,937	919	55	1,671	58.5
1927.....	5,697	883	54	1,635	57.2
1928.....	5,981	924	55	1,680	58.8
1929.....	6,152	945	54	1,750	61.3
1930.....	4,259	651	50	1,302	45.6
1931.....	3,344	506	43	1,177	41.2
1932.....	2,032	304	37	822	28.8
1933.....	2,555	379	38	997	34.9
1934.....	2,923	431	43	1,002	35.1
1935.....	5,278	775	43	1,802	63.1
1936.....	4,308	639	43	1,486	52.0
1937.....	6,005	905	45	2,011	70.4
1938.....	4,361	668	43	1,553	54.4
1939.....	4,414	685	42	1,631	57.1
1940.....	4,482	706	42	1,681	58.8
1941.....	6,490	1,031	45	2,291	80.2
1942.....	9,853	1,588	52	3,054	106.9
1943.....	11,736	1,927	58	3,322	116.3
1944.....	11,705	1,950	61	3,197	111.9
1945.....	12,312	2,063	64	3,223	112.8
1946.....	15,068	2,543	71	3,582	125.4
1947.....	15,354	2,615	83	3,151	110.3
1948.....	17,664	3,044	88	3,459	121.1
1949.....	12,780	2,233	85	2,627	91.9
1950.....	13,673	2,421	86	2,815	98.5
1951.....	15,987	2,946	94	3,134	109.7
1952.....	15,051	2,896	95	3,048	106.7
1953.....	13,788	2,626	94	2,794	97.8
1954.....	12,503	2,606	94	2,772	97.0
1955.....	11,464	2,463	95	2,593	90.8
1956.....	11,444	2,535	96	2,641	92.4
1957.....	11,325	2,590	99	2,616	91.6
1958.....	13,500	3,189	100	3,189	111.6
1959.....	11,454	2,795	101	2,767	96.8
1960.....	12,015	3,043	102	2,983	104.4
1961.....	12,914	3,389	102	3,323	116.3
1962.....	13,138	3,562	103	3,458	121.0
1963.....	13,115	3,671	104	3,530	123.6
1964.....	12,081	3,479	105	3,313	116.2
1965.....	15,158	4,493	107	4,199	147.0

Source: Farm Income Situation, July 1965, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Index computed by the committee staff.

TABLE III.25—*Indexes of earnings and wage rates in manufacturing, agriculture, and government, 1914-65*¹

[1957-59=100]

	All manufacturing		Agriculture composite wage rate (3)	Government (4)
	Average hourly earnings (1)	Average weekly earnings (2)		
1914	10.4	13.0	17.3	
1919	22.3	25.9	35.0	
1920	25.9	30.9	40.9	
1921	24.0	26.1	26.4	
1922	22.8	25.3	26.1	
1923	24.4	28.0	30.0	
1924	25.6	28.1	30.6	
1925	25.6	28.6	31.0	
1926	25.6	29.0	31.4	
1927	25.7	29.1	31.4	
1928	26.3	29.3	31.4	
1929	26.5	29.4	31.7	38.8
1930	25.8	29.7	29.7	38.1
1931	24.0	24.5	22.6	36.4
1932	20.8	20.1	17.0	33.5
1933	20.6	19.8	15.1	34.6
1934	24.9	21.6	17.0	36.9
1935	25.7	23.7	18.7	37.1
1936	26.0	25.6	20.0	37.8
1937	29.1	28.3	22.6	38.6
1938	29.3	26.2	21.8	38.5
1939	29.6	28.1	21.8	38.1
1940	30.9	29.7	22.2	38.7
1941	34.3	35.0	27.1	44.2
1942	40.2	43.6	35.2	51.1
1943	45.2	51.2	46.4	54.1
1944	47.8	54.3	55.6	53.3
1945	48.0	52.5	62.0	52.8
1946	50.8	51.5	67.7	56.0
1947	57.5	58.4	71.9	63.2
1948	62.7	63.1	76.2	65.4
1949	65.1	64.0	73.5	71.3
1950	68.0	69.3	73.7	72.1
1951	73.7	75.2	82.1	78.8
1952	78.0	79.8	86.9	81.3
1953	82.2	83.7	88.3	82.1
1954	84.1	83.7	86.9	84.4
1955	87.9	89.9	88.7	87.4
1956	92.1	93.6	92.6	92.5
1957	96.9	96.9	95.7	96.8
1958	99.7	98.3	99.5	100.4
1959	103.5	104.9	104.9	102.8
1960	106.8	106.6	107.5	105.4
1961	109.6	109.7	109.6	107.5
1962	112.9	114.7	112.5	109.4
1963	116.2	118.3	115.6	112.1
1964	119.9	122.3	118.7	116.4
1965	123.6	127.4	125.1	121.6

¹ The Implicit Price Index for the Government sector, converted to the base 1957-59 equals 100.

Sources: Col. 1—Computed from col. 1 of table II.8. Col. 2—Computed from col. 1 of table II.9. Col. 3—Col. 1 of table II.10 changed to a 1957-59. Index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE III.26—Money and interest rates, common stock dividend yields and earnings-price ratios, 1919-66

Period	Prime commercial paper (4 to 6 months) (Percent)	Bond yields (110 issues) ¹ (Percent)			Common stocks (174 issues) (Percent)										
		Industrials	Public utilities	Railroads	Dividend yields			Earnings-price ratio							
					Industrials	Public utilities	Railroads	Industrials	Public utilities	Railroads					
1919		6.18	6.21	6.42											
1920	7.50	6.94	7.19	7.12	5.83	7.39	6.92	11.74	9.11	5.65					
1921	6.02	7.04	7.17	6.91	6.13	7.60	7.21	— .59	10.44	9.77					
1922	4.52	6.04	5.93	5.89	5.64	6.99	6.06	7.06	10.50	8.41					
1923	5.07	6.04	5.83	6.24	5.68	6.96	6.39	10.41	9.74	12.35					
1924	3.98	5.90	5.61	5.90	5.52	6.74	6.34	9.11	9.26	11.52					
1925	4.02	5.61	5.29	5.61	5.00	5.62	5.75	10.92	8.20	11.56					
1926	4.34	5.37	5.11	5.13	5.51	5.11	5.61	9.30	8.53	11.83					
1927	4.11	5.10	4.96	4.83	4.95	4.55	4.97	7.01	7.04	8.40					
1928	4.85	5.10	4.87	4.85	4.02	3.75	4.84	6.83	6.11	8.69					
1929	5.85	5.31	5.14	5.18	3.84	2.10	4.36	6.14	3.80	8.54					
1930	3.59	5.25	5.05	4.96	4.93	3.45	5.55	4.53	4.26	6.36					
1931	2.64	6.08	5.27	6.09	6.37	5.20	7.83	2.83	5.44	2.86					
1932	2.73	6.71	6.20	7.61	7.28	7.50	6.15	— .13	6.32	— 5.19					
1933	1.73	5.34	6.25	6.09	— 3.71	5.81	2.68	2.78	4.54	— .49					
1934	1.02	4.52	5.40	4.96	— 3.42	5.86	3.01	3.78	4.38	— .48					
1935	— .75	4.02	4.43	4.95	3.52	5.11	3.97	5.45	5.66	— .08					
1936	— .75	3.50	3.88	4.24	3.36	3.66	2.74	5.87	4.99	4.50					
1937	— .94	3.55	3.93	4.34	4.79	5.40	4.29	6.80	6.23	2.19					
1938	— .81	3.50	3.87	5.21	3.86	6.27	5.29	4.39	5.85	6.54					
1939	— .59	3.30	3.48	4.53	3.85	5.31	3.75	6.36	6.50	4.31					
1940	— .56	3.10	3.25	4.30	5.30	5.99	5.41	8.15	7.06	9.82					
1941	— .53	2.95	3.11	3.95	— 6.33	— 8.02	6.47	10.28	— 8.76	25.11					
1942	— .66	2.96	3.11	3.96	6.44	9.75	7.73	9.18	10.84	52.30					
1943	— .69	2.85	2.99	3.64	4.54	6.84	6.93	7.02	8.21	34.41					
1944	— .73	2.80	2.97	3.39	4.56	6.28	6.75	7.46	8.37	22.30					
1945	— .81	2.68	2.89	3.06	3.99	4.99	5.51	6.19	6.54	10.92					
1946	— .81	2.60	2.71	2.91	3.75	4.22	5.38	7.08	6.43	5.88					
1947	1.03	2.67	2.78	3.11	5.06	5.30	6.16	11.54	7.33	13.52					
1948	1.44	2.87	3.03	3.34	5.87	5.85	6.04	14.80	8.12	18.08					
1949	1.49	2.74	2.90	3.24	6.82	5.86	8.47	14.09	8.32	12.85					
1950	1.45	2.67	2.82	3.10	6.51	5.66	6.50	14.61	8.39	21.90					
1951	2.16	2.89	3.09	3.26	6.29	5.77	6.31	10.42	7.50	16.36					
1952	2.33	3.00	3.20	3.36	5.55	5.39	5.88	9.49	7.38	16.59					
1953	2.53	3.30	3.45	3.55	5.51	5.33	6.48	10.14	7.35	17.02					
1954	1.58	3.09	3.15	3.25	4.70	4.81	6.20	8.75	6.64	11.75					
1955	2.18	3.19	3.22	3.34	3.93	4.50	4.88	8.04	6.52	12.12					
1956	3.31	3.50	3.54	3.65	3.89	4.68	5.61	6.93	6.75	11.64					
1957	3.81	4.12	4.18	4.32	4.11	4.92	6.77	7.15	6.90	11.41					
1958	2.46	3.98	4.10	4.39	3.88	4.33	5.74	5.55	6.26	9.82					
1959	3.97	4.51	4.70	4.73	3.12	3.94	4.63	5.29	5.76	8.11					
1960	3.85	4.59	4.69	4.92	3.48	3.84	5.65	5.55	5.90	7.68					
1961	2.97	4.54	4.57	4.86	3.04	3.10	4.94	4.80	4.78	5.77					
1962	3.26	4.47	4.51	4.86	3.39	3.25	5.30	5.84	7.46						
1963	3.55	4.42	4.41	4.65	3.20	3.12	4.46	5.70	4.85	8.01					
1964	3.97	4.52	4.53	4.67	2.98	3.15	4.05	5.57	4.97	7.41					
1965	4.38	4.61	4.60	4.72	2.98	3.30	4.30	5.80	5.06	8.58					
1964:															
March	4.00	4.49	4.51	4.67	3.02	3.28	4.21	5.24	4.88	7.69					
June	4.00	4.54	4.55	4.70	2.95	3.21	3.78	5.29	4.88	6.99					
September	3.89	4.52	4.53	4.65	2.87	3.09	3.98	5.21	4.67	7.41					
December	4.17	4.54	4.54	4.68	3.00	3.19	4.35	5.32	4.67	7.52					
1965:															
March	4.38	4.52	4.51	4.63	3.00	3.20	4.28	5.43	4.63	7.25					
June	4.38	4.59	4.56	4.66	3.11	3.38	4.69	5.75	4.98	8.00					
September	4.38	4.65	4.64	4.77	2.92	3.33	4.29	5.40	4.98	7.58					
December	4.65	4.79	4.82	4.91	3.02	3.50	4.19	5.49	5.15	7.87					
1966:															
March	5.21	5.06	5.08	5.18	3.20	3.87	4.26	5.81	5.71	8.40					
June	5.51	5.25	5.32	5.26	3.44	4.10	4.74	6.37	6.10	9.17					

¹ The number of issues in the 3 divisions has not been a constant number over time so that the bond yield figures are not strictly comparable between years.

Source: Prime commercial paper, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, Federal Reserve Bulletins. Bond yields—Moody's Investors Service, Inc., bond record. Common stock yields and earnings-price ratio, Moody's Investors Service, Inc. Manuals and weekly stock survey.

TABLE III.27—Per capita personal income, United States and regions, 1929-65

	United States	New England	Midwest	Great Lakes	Plains States	Southeast	Southwest	Rocky Mountain	Far West	Alaska	Hawaii
1929.....	703	876	973	803	572	368	474	596	910		
1930.....	624	806	890	684	510	313	401	538	816		
1931.....	529	718	762	568	419	273	334	422	680		
1932.....	401	572	588	411	315	204	250	331	520		
1933.....	375	535	543	380	279	207	245	314	490		
1934.....	423	583	598	449	306	242	276	362	546		
1935.....	472	616	637	518	401	266	314	435	600		
1936.....	534	691	723	593	411	304	354	500	703		
1937.....	573	715	757	656	474	327	399	499	727		
1938.....	527	656	701	574	439	302	384	487	708		
1939.....	556	704	738	621	455	319	394	500	726		525
1940.....	595	757	790	667	483	343	418	531	785		577
1941.....	719	903	916	817	597	435	506	654	966		749
1942.....	909	1,104	1,099	1,003	805	584	698	899	1,256		1,087
1943.....	1,102	1,276	1,307	1,237	967	719	892	1,072	1,514		1,186
1944.....	1,194	1,313	1,432	1,316	1,046	814	1,010	1,095	1,557		1,239
1945.....	1,234	1,336	1,492	1,346	1,112	856	1,030	1,168	1,535		1,328
1946.....	1,249	1,379	1,507	1,349	1,164	849	1,008	1,195	1,585		1,312
1947.....	1,318	1,438	1,553	1,457	1,244	883	1,100	1,324	1,633		1,384
1948.....	1,430	1,498	1,647	1,603	1,446	986	1,187	1,418	1,710		1,407
1949.....	1,384	1,456	1,617	1,518	1,300	954	1,256	1,359	1,684		1,353
1950.....	1,496	1,605	1,754	1,636	1,430	1,023	1,297	1,456	1,796	2,384	1,386
1951.....	1,652	1,783	1,910	1,864	1,549	1,143	1,431	1,658	1,980	2,836	1,580
1952.....	1,733	1,869	1,984	1,938	1,626	1,214	1,514	1,726	2,097	2,612	1,748
1953.....	1,804	1,924	2,067	2,062	1,644	1,269	1,556	1,698	2,140	2,492	1,795
1954.....	1,785	1,907	2,052	1,983	1,678	1,258	1,570	1,660	2,113	2,300	1,802
1955.....	1,876	2,032	2,152	2,096	1,685	1,345	1,630	1,741	2,235	2,273	1,838
1956.....	1,975	2,154	2,282	2,199	1,751	1,424	1,714	1,820	2,322	2,448	1,890
1957.....	2,045	2,242	2,377	2,249	1,801	1,468	1,784	1,918	2,396	2,323	1,944
1958.....	2,068	2,257	2,380	2,204	1,971	1,508	1,837	1,999	2,431	2,357	1,987
1959.....	2,161	2,338	2,492	2,323	1,991	1,587	1,902	2,063	2,563	2,507	2,172
1960.....	2,215	2,424	2,562	2,385	2,068	1,613	1,924	2,106	2,617	2,821	2,269
1961.....	2,264	2,495	2,609	2,407	2,120	1,666	1,980	2,152	2,689	2,090	2,484
1962.....	2,368	2,616	2,725	2,524	2,242	1,751	2,026	2,282	2,808	2,751	2,537
1963.....	2,451	2,688	2,796	2,620	2,316	1,837	2,097	2,319	2,901	2,897	2,641
1964.....	2,574	2,824	2,936	2,758	2,390	1,952	2,205	2,394	3,023	3,159	2,787
1965.....	2,724	2,979	3,088	2,964	2,587	2,075	2,317	2,514	3,125	3,375	2,966

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, April 1966, table 3.

TABLE III.28—Per capita personal incomes—Regional estimates as percent of U.S. average, 1929-66

	New England	Mideast	Great Lakes	Plains States	Southeast	Southwest	Rocky Mountain	Far West	Alaska	Hawaii
1929	124.6	138.4	114.2	81.4	52.3	67.4	84.8	129.4		
1930	129.2	142.6	109.6	81.7	50.2	64.3	86.2	130.8		
1931	135.7	144.0	107.4	79.2	51.6	63.1	79.8	128.5		
1932	142.6	146.6	102.5	78.6	50.9	62.3	82.5	129.7		
1933	142.7	144.8	101.3	74.4	55.2	65.3	83.7	130.7		
1934	137.8	141.4	106.1	72.3	57.2	65.2	85.6	129.1		
1935	130.5	135.0	109.7	85.0	56.4	66.5	92.2	127.1		
1936	129.4	135.4	111.0	77.0	56.9	66.3	93.6	131.6		
1937	124.8	132.1	114.5	82.7	57.1	69.6	87.1	126.9		
1938	124.5	133.0	108.9	83.3	57.3	72.9	92.4	134.3		
1939	126.6	132.7	111.7	82.0	57.4	70.9	89.9	130.6		94.4
1940	127.2	132.8	112.1	81.2	57.6	70.3	89.2	131.9		97.0
1941	125.6	127.4	113.6	83.0	60.5	70.4	91.0	134.4		104.2
1942	121.5	120.9	110.3	88.6	64.2	76.8	98.9	138.2		119.6
1943	115.8	118.6	112.3	87.7	65.2	80.9	97.3	137.4		107.6
1944	110.0	119.9	110.2	87.6	68.2	84.6	91.7	130.4		103.8
1945	108.3	120.9	109.1	90.1	69.4	83.5	94.7	124.4		107.6
1946	110.4	120.7	108.6	93.2	68.0	80.5	95.7	126.9		105.0
1947	109.3	118.0	110.7	94.5	67.1	83.6	100.6	124.1		105.2
1948	104.8	115.2	112.1	101.1	69.0	83.0	99.2	119.6		98.3
1949	105.2	116.8	109.7	93.9	68.9	90.8	98.2	121.7		97.8
1950	107.3	117.2	111.4	95.6	68.4	86.7	97.3	120.0	159.4	92.6
1951	107.9	115.6	112.8	93.8	69.2	86.6	100.4	119.9	171.7	95.6
1952	107.8	114.5	111.8	93.8	70.1	87.4	99.6	121.0	150.7	100.9
1953	106.7	114.6	114.3	91.1	70.3	86.3	94.1	118.6	138.1	99.5
1954	106.8	115.0	114.3	91.1	70.3	88.0	93.0	118.4	128.9	101.0
1955	108.3	114.7	111.7	94.0	70.5	88.0	93.0	119.1	121.2	98.0
1956	109.1	115.5	111.3	89.7	71.7	86.9	92.8	117.6	123.9	96.2
1957	109.6	116.2	110.0	91.0	72.1	86.8	92.2	117.2	113.6	95.1
1958	109.1	115.4	106.6	95.3	71.8	87.2	93.8	117.6	114.0	96.1
1959	108.2	115.3	107.5	92.1	72.9	88.8	96.7	117.6	116.0	100.5
1960	109.4	115.7	107.7	93.4	73.4	88.0	95.5	118.6	116.0	107.5
1961	110.2	115.2	106.3	93.6	72.8	86.9	95.1	118.1	127.4	107.5
1962	110.5	115.1	106.3	93.6	73.6	87.5	95.1	118.8	118.8	109.1
1963	109.7	114.1	106.9	94.7	73.9	85.6	96.4	118.6	116.2	107.1
1964	109.7	114.1	107.1	94.5	74.9	85.6	94.6	118.4	115.8	107.8
1965	109.4	113.4	108.8	92.9	75.8	85.7	93.0	117.4	122.7	108.5
1966	109.4	113.4	108.8	95.0	76.2	85.1	92.3	114.7	123.9	106.7

Source: Computed from data of preceding table, by the staff, Joint Economic Committee.

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APPENDIX IV

PRICES AND COSTS IN THE NATIONAL ECONOMY

TABLE IV.1—Wholesale price indexes, by major commodity groups, 1929–66

[1957–59=100]

Year or month	All commodities	Farm products	Processed foods	All commodities other than farm products and foods (industrials)				
				Total	Textile products and apparel	Chemicals and allied products	Rubber and rubber products	Lumber and wood products
1929	52.1	63.9	54.3	51.7	67.8	(1)	57.6	26.4
1930	47.3	54.0	49.5	48.1	60.3	(1)	50.4	24.1
1931	39.9	39.6	41.6	42.4	49.8	(1)	42.8	19.6
1932	35.6	29.4	33.9	39.7	41.2	(1)	37.1	16.9
1933	36.1	31.3	33.7	40.2	48.6	46.6	39.0	20.0
1934	41.0	39.9	39.6	44.2	54.7	48.8	45.5	23.5
1935	43.8	48.0	48.3	44.0	53.3	50.9	45.8	22.6
1936	44.2	49.4	46.4	44.9	53.7	51.2	49.4	23.6
1937	47.2	52.7	45.6	48.1	57.3	53.6	58.1	25.4
1938	43.0	41.9	42.3	46.1	50.1	51.0	57.1	27.9
1939	42.2	39.9	40.2	46.0	52.3	50.7	59.3	26.1
1940	43.0	41.3	49.4	46.8	55.4	51.6	55.3	28.9
1941	47.8	50.1	46.7	50.3	63.7	56.1	59.6	34.5
1942	54.0	64.6	54.8	53.9	72.8	62.3	69.4	37.5
1943	56.5	74.8	57.2	54.7	73.1	63.1	71.3	39.7
1944	56.9	75.3	56.0	55.6	73.9	63.8	70.4	42.8
1945	57.9	78.3	56.4	56.3	75.1	64.2	68.3	43.4
1946	66.1	90.6	71.7	61.7	87.3	69.4	68.6	49.7
1947	81.2	109.1	91.1	75.3	105.7	92.2	68.3	77.4
1948	87.9	117.1	98.4	81.7	110.3	94.4	70.5	88.5
1949	83.5	101.3	88.8	80.0	100.9	86.2	68.3	81.9
1950	86.8	106.4	92.6	82.9	104.8	87.5	83.2	94.1
1951	96.7	123.8	103.3	91.5	116.9	100.1	102.1	102.5
1952	94.0	116.8	100.9	89.4	105.5	95.0	92.5	99.5
1953	92.7	105.9	97.0	90.1	102.8	96.1	86.3	99.4
1954	92.9	104.4	97.6	90.4	100.6	97.3	87.6	97.6
1955	93.2	97.9	94.3	92.4	100.7	96.9	99.2	102.3
1956	96.2	96.6	94.3	96.5	100.7	97.5	100.6	103.8
1957	99.0	99.2	97.9	99.2	100.8	99.6	100.2	98.5
1958	100.4	103.6	102.9	99.5	98.9	100.4	100.1	97.4
1959	100.6	97.2	99.2	101.3	100.4	100.0	99.7	104.1
1960	100.7	96.9	100.0	101.3	101.5	100.2	99.9	100.4
1961	100.3	96.0	100.7	100.8	99.7	99.1	96.1	95.9
1962	100.6	97.7	101.2	100.8	100.6	97.5	93.3	96.5
1963	100.3	95.7	101.1	100.7	100.5	96.3	93.8	98.6
1964	100.5	94.3	101.0	101.2	101.2	96.7	92.1	100.6
1965	102.5	98.4	105.1	102.5	101.8	97.4	92.9	101.1
1964—January	101.0	96.3	102.5	101.3	101.2	96.3	93.7	99.0
February	100.5	94.5	100.9	101.2	101.2	96.4	93.6	99.9
March	100.4	95.2	100.5	101.1	101.2	96.5	93.9	101.0
April	100.3	94.4	100.4	101.1	101.1	96.6	93.1	101.8
May	100.1	93.7	99.4	101.1	101.2	96.7	92.6	101.8
June	100.0	93.2	100.2	100.9	101.0	96.5	91.6	101.4
July	100.4	94.1	101.2	101.1	101.1	96.6	91.8	101.2
August	100.3	93.6	101.0	101.1	101.2	96.5	91.8	100.9
September	100.7	95.7	102.2	101.1	101.2	96.6	91.9	103.6
October	100.8	93.8	101.7	101.5	101.4	96.9	92.1	100.3
November	100.7	94.0	100.9	101.6	101.4	97.1	92.2	99.6
December	100.7	92.7	100.8	101.8	101.5	97.2	92.2	99.4

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE IV.1—Wholesale price indexes, by major commodity groups, 1929-66—Con.

Year or month	All commodities	Farm products	Processed foods	All commodities other than farm products and foods (industrials)				
				Total	Textile products and apparel	Chemicals and allied products	Rubber and rubber products	Lumber and wood products
1965—January	101.0	93.0	102.2	101.9	101.5	97.3	92.3	100.8
February	101.2	94.5	102.1	101.9	101.5	97.5	92.2	100.8
March	101.3	95.4	101.8	102.0	101.5	97.5	92.2	100.7
April	101.7	97.6	102.3	102.1	101.5	97.6	92.3	100.5
May	102.1	98.4	103.3	102.3	101.6	97.6	92.9	100.4
June	102.8	100.3	106.1	102.5	101.9	97.4	93.1	100.3
July	102.9	100.0	106.6	102.5	101.9	97.4	93.0	100.5
August	102.9	99.1	106.7	102.7	101.9	97.1	93.2	101.8
September	103.0	99.5	106.7	102.7	102.1	97.2	93.3	102.0
October	103.1	99.4	106.9	102.8	102.0	97.6	93.4	101.6
November	103.5	100.3	107.6	103.2	101.9	97.5	93.5	101.6
December	104.1	103.0	109.4	103.2	102.0	97.6	93.5	101.9
1966—January	104.6	104.5	110.3	103.5	101.9	97.6	93.7	102.8
February	105.4	107.4	111.8	103.8	102.0	97.6	94.1	103.7
March	105.4	106.8	111.5	104.0	102.1	97.6	94.3	105.6
April	105.5	110.6	110.6	104.3	102.2	97.6	95.4	108.4
May	105.6	104.5	110.5	104.7	102.2	97.7	95.4	109.6
June	105.7	104.2	110.6	104.9	102.2	97.7	95.4	107.7
July	106.4	107.8	111.7	105.2	102.4	97.9	95.1	106.6
August	106.8	108.1	113.8	105.2	102.4	97.9	95.1	106.2

Year or month	All commodities other than farm products and foods (industrials)—Continued								
	Hides, skins, leather, and leather products	Fuels and related products and power	Pulp, paper, and allied products	Metals and metal products	Machinery and motive products	Furniture and other household durables	Nonmetallic mineral products	Tobacco products and bottled beverages	Miscellaneous products
1929	56.6	61.5	(1)	44.1	(1)	56.4	53.4	67.4	(1)
1930	52.0	58.2	(1)	39.7	(1)	55.5	53.2	67.8	(1)
1931	44.7	50.0	(1)	35.7	(1)	51.1	49.7	67.2	(1)
1932	38.0	52.1	(1)	32.8	(1)	45.0	46.5	63.3	(1)
1933	42.0	49.3	(1)	33.6	(1)	45.1	49.2	56.6	(1)
1934	44.9	54.3	(1)	37.1	(1)	49.0	52.6	59.2	(1)
1935	46.5	54.5	(1)	37.0	(1)	48.6	52.6	59.1	(1)
1936	49.5	56.5	(1)	37.8	(1)	49.3	52.7	59.0	(1)
1937	54.3	57.5	(1)	43.2	(1)	54.7	53.9	59.5	(1)
1938	48.2	56.6	(1)	41.6	(1)	53.4	52.2	59.4	(1)
1939	49.6	54.2	(1)	41.2	43.7	53.2	51.2	59.4	(1)
1940	52.3	53.2	(1)	41.4	44.2	54.4	51.2	60.1	(1)
1941	56.1	56.6	(1)	42.2	45.8	57.8	52.4	60.8	(1)
1942	61.1	58.2	(1)	42.8	47.7	62.5	54.5	61.5	(1)
1943	61.0	59.9	(1)	42.7	47.4	62.1	54.7	64.6	(1)
1944	60.5	61.6	(1)	42.7	47.4	63.8	55.8	64.9	(1)
1945	61.3	62.3	(1)	43.4	47.8	63.9	58.1	66.7	(1)
1946	70.7	66.7	(1)	48.5	53.6	67.8	61.8	69.8	(1)
1947	96.5	79.7	75.3	60.2	61.8	77.8	69.1	75.6	108.7
1948	97.5	93.8	78.6	68.5	67.5	82.5	74.7	78.2	111.2
1949	92.5	89.3	75.2	69.0	71.2	83.8	76.7	79.6	103.5
1950	99.9	90.2	77.1	72.7	72.6	85.6	78.6	80.5	104.1
1951	114.8	93.5	91.3	80.9	79.5	92.8	83.5	85.1	113.1
1952	92.8	93.3	89.0	81.0	81.2	91.1	83.5	87.0	116.7

See footnote at end of table.

TABLE IV.1—Wholesale price indexes, by major commodity groups, 1929-66—Con.

Year or month	All commodities other than farm products and foods (industrials)—Continued								
	Hides, skins, leather, and leather products	Fuels and related products and power	Pulp, paper, and allied products	Metals and metal products	Machinery and motive products	Furniture and other household durables	Non-metallic mineral products	Tobacco products and bottled beverages	Miscellaneous products
1953.....	94.1	95.9	88.7	83.6	82.2	92.9	86.9	89.8	105.4
1954.....	89.9	94.6	88.8	84.3	83.2	93.9	88.8	93.8	110.5
1955.....	89.5	94.5	91.1	90.0	85.8	94.3	91.3	94.6	99.1
1956.....	94.8	97.4	97.2	97.8	92.1	96.9	95.2	95.1	98.1
1957.....	94.9	102.7	99.0	99.7	97.7	99.4	98.9	98.0	96.6
1958.....	96.0	98.7	100.1	99.1	100.1	100.2	99.9	99.7	101.5
1959.....	109.1	98.7	101.0	101.2	102.2	100.4	101.2	102.2	101.9
1960.....	105.2	99.6	101.8	101.3	102.4	100.1	101.4	102.5	99.3
1961.....	106.2	100.7	98.8	100.7	102.3	99.5	101.8	103.2	103.9
1962.....	107.4	100.2	100.0	100.0	102.3	98.8	101.8	104.1	107.3
1963.....	104.2	99.8	99.2	100.1	102.2	98.1	101.3	106.1	110.4
1964.....	104.6	97.1	99.0	102.8	102.9	98.5	101.5	107.4	109.2
1965.....	109.2	98.9	99.9	105.7	103.7	98.0	93.3	107.7	111.0
1964—January.....	102.7	99.5	99.8	101.7	102.5	98.4	101.1	107.6	112.6
February.....	102.5	99.0	99.9	101.8	102.5	98.5	101.2	107.1	110.9
March.....	102.5	97.0	99.3	102.0	102.7	98.5	101.1	107.1	109.8
April.....	104.5	96.1	99.1	102.2	102.9	98.6	101.3	107.1	109.5
May.....	104.7	96.4	98.7	102.1	103.3	98.6	101.3	107.3	107.2
June.....	104.8	96.3	98.7	102.3	103.0	98.5	101.4	107.4	106.7
July.....	105.4	96.7	98.7	102.5	103.1	98.6	101.5	107.3	107.5
August.....	105.6	96.4	98.7	103.0	102.9	98.6	101.7	107.5	107.3
September.....	105.4	95.2	98.7	103.0	102.9	98.6	101.8	107.5	109.2
October.....	106.0	96.7	99.1	103.8	103.0	98.5	101.8	107.6	110.1
November.....	105.5	97.6	98.9	104.3	103.2	98.5	101.8	107.5	108.5
December.....	105.4	98.1	98.9	104.7	103.1	98.4	101.6	107.5	110.7
1965—January.....	104.9	98.5	99.0	104.5	103.3	98.3	101.7	107.5	110.0
February.....	105.1	97.9	99.0	104.6	103.5	98.2	101.8	107.6	109.6
March.....	105.7	97.9	99.5	104.8	103.5	98.3	101.9	107.5	109.5
April.....	106.3	97.6	99.8	105.2	103.7	98.0	101.9	107.8	110.3
May.....	107.4	98.4	100.0	105.7	103.7	98.0	101.9	108.1	108.9
June.....	107.7	98.7	100.0	105.9	103.8	98.0	102.0	107.6	111.0
July.....	108.8	98.7	99.9	105.8	103.7	97.8	101.7	107.6	112.6
August.....	112.2	99.0	99.9	106.2	103.8	97.7	101.6	107.6	111.5
September.....	111.3	99.2	100.0	106.2	103.8	97.7	101.6	107.7	111.5
October.....	113.3	99.4	100.5	106.3	103.9	97.8	101.6	107.7	111.2
November.....	113.6	100.3	100.8	106.7	104.1	98.0	101.6	107.7	113.2
December.....	114.6	100.6	100.9	106.6	104.2	98.2	101.6	107.9	112.5
1966—January.....	116.0	100.5	101.2	107.0	104.9	98.3	102.0	108.1	114.3
February.....	117.8	100.3	101.3	107.5	104.7	98.4	102.1	108.0	116.0
March.....	118.7	99.9	101.8	108.0	105.0	98.4	102.1	109.2	113.1
April.....	120.8	100.0	102.3	108.2	105.2	98.6	102.3	109.4	113.0
May.....	122.9	100.4	102.7	108.4	105.8	98.9	102.4	109.4	115.1
June.....	123.1	101.5	103.0	108.7	105.9	98.9	102.5	109.8	115.7
July.....	122.7	101.4	103.2	108.8	106.0	99.0	102.7	110.0	120.5
August.....	121.2	101.9	103.2	108.5	106.2	98.9	102.7	110.0	121.2

¹ Not available.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics and Council of Economic Advisers.

TABLE IV.2—Wholesale price indexes, by stage of processing, 1947-66

[1957-59=100]

Year or month	All commodities	Crude materials				Intermediate materials, supplies, and components ¹						
		Total	Foodstuffs and feedstuffs	Non-food materials, except fuel	Fuel	Total	Materials and components for manufacturing				Materials and components for construction	
							Total	Materials for food manufacturing	Materials for non-durable manufacturing	Materials for durable manufacturing		Components for manufacturing
1947	81.2	100.8	113.0	86.5	73.6	76.5	75.5	102.6	94.0	58.8	63.0	69.6
1948	87.9	110.5	122.2	96.2	87.0	82.7	81.5	105.8	99.5	66.4	68.0	77.0
1949	83.5	95.6	101.5	87.5	86.5	79.4	78.0	91.0	90.7	68.2	69.3	77.2
1950	86.8	104.2	108.9	100.0	86.1	83.0	81.8	94.7	95.2	72.1	71.9	81.2
1951	96.7	119.6	126.0	115.3	87.7	93.0	92.7	105.5	110.3	80.1	81.6	88.8
1952	94.0	109.9	118.6	99.9	88.3	90.3	88.8	101.4	99.3	80.3	81.8	88.2
1953	92.7	101.5	106.2	95.6	91.4	90.8	90.2	101.6	98.5	83.9	83.3	89.7
1954	92.9	100.6	106.2	93.8	87.3	91.3	90.4	100.7	96.9	85.7	83.7	90.1
1955	93.2	96.7	96.2	99.1	87.1	93.0	92.6	97.5	97.3	90.0	87.4	93.7
1956	96.2	97.2	94.2	102.8	93.3	97.1	96.9	97.9	98.8	95.7	95.4	98.5
1957	99.0	99.4	98.4	101.4	98.6	99.4	99.3	99.7	100.1	98.8	99.1	99.1
1958	100.4	101.6	104.2	97.6	99.8	99.6	99.7	102.0	99.1	99.5	99.9	99.1
1959	100.6	99.0	97.4	101.0	101.6	101.0	101.0	98.3	100.8	101.8	101.1	101.8
1960	100.7	96.6	96.2	96.8	102.5	101.0	101.0	99.5	100.8	101.9	100.6	101.1
1961	100.3	96.1	94.9	97.9	102.3	100.3	99.8	102.6	98.6	100.5	99.6	99.7
1962	100.6	97.1	96.8	97.4	101.8	100.2	99.2	100.5	98.0	100.4	98.8	99.3
1963	100.3	95.0	94.0	96.2	103.0	100.5	99.4	105.5	97.1	100.5	98.8	99.6
1964	100.5	94.1	91.9	97.8	102.5	100.9	100.4	104.0	97.8	102.5	99.7	100.6
1965	102.5	98.9	98.3	99.8	103.3	102.2	102.0	106.6	98.7	104.6	101.3	101.4
1964:												
January	101.0	95.1	94.0	96.6	104.5	101.3	100.6	109.1	97.6	101.8	99.5	100.1
February	100.5	94.0	92.2	96.6	105.1	101.2	100.4	106.2	97.6	101.9	99.6	100.3
March	100.4	94.3	92.5	97.1	103.2	100.9	100.4	104.4	97.8	102.3	99.7	100.4
April	100.3	94.2	92.1	97.9	101.0	100.9	100.4	104.2	97.8	102.4	99.9	100.7
May	100.1	93.5	91.3	97.3	99.9	100.6	100.2	102.5	97.8	102.3	99.9	100.7
June	100.0	92.4	89.6	97.5	99.8	100.3	100.0	101.7	97.6	102.3	99.4	100.6
July	100.4	93.8	91.5	97.5	101.7	100.5	100.0	102.1	97.6	102.4	99.3	100.6
August	100.3	94.1	91.7	97.9	102.3	100.4	100.1	102.1	97.5	102.5	99.3	100.6
September	100.7	95.7	94.4	97.7	101.9	100.6	100.2	102.8	97.6	102.5	99.4	100.6
October	100.8	94.3	91.8	98.5	102.7	101.1	100.8	103.8	98.0	103.2	100.0	100.7
November	100.7	94.0	91.0	99.1	103.8	101.1	10.40	104.3	98.2	103.3	100.3	100.7
December	100.7	94.0	90.6	99.6	104.2	101.4	101.0	105.0	98.3	103.4	100.3	100.7
1965:												
January	101.0	94.2	91.8	98.3	103.5	101.6	101.5	106.3	98.5	103.7	100.4	100.9
February	101.2	95.5	93.5	98.7	104.3	101.6	101.4	106.3	98.5	103.9	100.5	100.9
March	101.3	95.8	93.9	99.0	103.6	101.6	101.5	105.6	98.5	104.0	100.5	100.9
April	101.7	96.9	95.4	99.7	101.5	101.8	101.6	105.8	98.6	104.2	100.7	101.0
May	102.1	98.3	97.3	100.2	101.5	101.9	101.7	104.9	98.7	104.6	101.2	101.2
June	102.8	100.6	101.0	99.8	101.7	102.2	101.9	105.9	98.7	104.8	101.4	101.3
July	102.9	100.5	100.9	99.6	101.9	102.3	102.0	106.2	98.7	104.8	101.4	101.3
August	102.9	100.8	101.1	100.0	102.7	102.4	102.1	106.5	98.7	105.0	101.6	101.7
September	103.0	100.0	100.0	99.9	103.7	102.5	102.2	106.9	98.7	105.1	101.6	101.7
October	103.1	100.1	100.1	100.1	104.3	102.6	102.4	107.5	98.9	105.1	101.9	101.7
November	103.5	100.8	100.7	100.7	104.8	103.0	102.5	108.1	98.8	105.3	102.2	101.8
December	104.1	103.1	104.1	101.3	105.4	103.0	102.6	108.8	98.9	105.2	102.3	101.9
1966:												
January	104.6	105.2	106.8	102.2	105.5	103.4	102.8	109.7	98.9	105.5	102.5	102.3
February	105.4	107.5	109.6	103.8	105.8	103.8	103.2	111.1	99.0	105.8	102.9	102.7
March	105.4	106.9	108.3	104.6	105.1	103.9	103.4	110.9	99.5	106.1	103.3	103.4
April	105.5	106.9	107.5	104.6	103.7	104.3	103.8	110.1	99.4	106.6	104.0	104.3
May	105.6	105.7	106.5	104.5	105.0	104.8	104.1	109.8	99.7	106.8	104.8	104.8
June ²	105.7	105.5	105.9	105.1	106.0	104.9	104.2	109.9	100.0	106.7	105.0	104.5

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TABLE IV.2—Wholesale price indexes, by stage of processing, 1947-66—Continued
[1957-59=100]

Year or month	Finished goods					Special groups of industrial products				
	Total	Consumer finished goods				Pro- ducer finished goods	Crude mate- rials ¹	Inter- mediate mate- rials, sup- plies, and com- ponents ⁴	Consumer finished goods excluding food	
		Total	Foods	Other non- durable goods	Du- ra- ble goods				Du- ra- ble	Non- durable
1947	80.1	86.1	90.7	86.5	75.9	61.8	79.2	73.4	75.9	86.5
1948	86.4	92.6	99.0	92.0	81.1	67.4	92.5	79.8	81.1	92.0
1949	84.0	88.3	91.0	88.2	83.2	70.7	84.0	77.8	83.2	88.2
1950	85.5	89.8	92.8	89.6	84.1	72.4	93.6	81.4	84.1	89.6
1951	93.6	98.2	104.2	96.5	89.7	79.5	102.9	91.2	89.7	96.5
1952	93.0	97.0	104.3	94.1	90.4	80.8	93.1	88.3	90.4	94.1
1953	92.1	95.4	97.9	95.0	91.1	82.1	92.4	89.4	91.1	95.0
1954	92.3	95.3	97.1	95.3	91.8	83.1	88.0	89.8	91.8	95.3
1955	92.5	94.7	94.7	95.8	92.8	85.6	96.6	92.5	92.5	95.7
1956	95.1	96.1	94.5	97.7	95.9	92.0	102.3	97.0	95.9	97.7
1957	98.6	98.9	97.8	99.9	98.7	97.7	100.9	99.6	98.7	99.9
1958	100.8	101.0	103.5	99.3	100.1	100.2	96.9	99.4	100.1	99.3
1959	100.6	100.1	98.7	100.8	101.3	102.1	102.3	101.0	101.3	100.8
1960	101.4	101.1	100.8	101.5	100.9	102.3	98.3	101.4	100.9	101.5
1961	101.4	100.9	100.4	101.5	100.5	102.5	97.2	100.1	100.5	101.5
1962	101.7	101.2	101.3	101.6	100.0	102.9	95.6	99.9	100.0	101.6
1963	101.4	100.7	100.1	101.9	99.5	103.1	94.3	99.6	99.5	101.9
1964	101.8	100.9	100.6	101.6	99.9	104.1	97.1	100.2	99.9	101.6
1965	103.6	102.8	104.5	102.8	99.6	105.4	100.9	101.5	99.6	102.8
1964—January	102.1	101.5	101.4	102.4	99.5	103.5	94.9	100.1	99.5	102.4
February	101.6	100.8	99.9	102.1	99.6	103.7	94.9	100.2	99.6	100.1
March	101.5	100.7	100.2	101.5	99.6	103.8	95.2	100.2	99.6	101.5
April	101.3	100.3	99.7	101.1	99.7	103.9	96.2	100.2	99.7	101.1
May	101.3	100.2	98.9	101.3	100.1	104.3	95.6	100.1	100.1	101.3
June	101.7	100.8	100.7	101.2	100.0	104.1	95.9	99.9	100.0	101.2
July	102.1	101.2	101.4	101.5	100.1	104.3	96.6	100.0	100.1	101.5
August	101.9	100.9	100.9	101.4	99.9	104.3	98.3	100.0	99.9	101.4
September	102.1	101.3	102.2	101.0	99.9	104.2	98.1	99.9	99.9	101.0
October	102.1	101.2	101.4	101.6	100.0	104.3	99.1	100.4	100.0	101.6
November	102.1	101.1	100.9	101.9	99.9	104.6	99.8	100.5	99.9	101.9
December	101.9	100.8	99.9	102.1	99.9	104.5	100.6	100.6	99.9	102.1
1965—January	102.3	101.2	100.8	102.3	99.8	104.9	99.0	100.8	99.8	102.3
February	102.3	101.2	100.9	102.2	99.7	105.0	99.4	100.8	99.7	102.2
March	102.4	101.4	101.3	102.2	99.7	105.1	99.7	100.9	99.7	102.2
April	102.8	101.9	102.6	102.2	99.7	105.3	100.1	101.1	99.7	102.2
May	103.2	102.3	103.5	102.5	99.6	105.3	101.0	101.4	99.6	102.5
June	103.9	103.2	105.6	102.6	99.7	105.4	100.5	101.5	99.7	102.6
July	104.0	103.4	106.0	102.7	99.6	105.4	100.4	101.5	99.6	102.7
August	103.8	103.1	105.3	102.8	99.5	105.5	101.7	101.7	99.5	102.8
September	104.1	103.5	106.1	103.0	99.5	105.5	101.3	101.8	99.5	103.0
October	104.3	103.7	106.3	103.3	99.5	105.6	102.0	101.9	99.5	103.3
November	104.7	104.2	107.2	103.6	99.5	105.9	102.7	102.1	99.6	103.6
December	105.3	104.9	108.9	103.7	99.6	106.0	102.6	102.2	99.6	103.7
1966—January	105.6	105.2	109.5	103.9	99.7	106.2	104.0	102.4	99.7	103.9
February	106.3	106.0	111.5	104.0	99.7	106.6	105.7	102.6	99.7	104.0
March	106.4	106.1	111.5	104.1	99.7	106.8	105.6	102.9	99.7	104.1
April	106.3	105.9	110.6	104.3	99.8	106.9	106.1	103.4	99.8	104.3
May	106.2	105.6	109.6	104.5	100.2	107.6	105.9	103.8	100.2	104.5
June ²	106.4	105.7	109.5	104.9	100.1	107.9	106.5	103.9	100.1	104.9

¹ Includes, in addition to subgroups shown, processed fuel and lubricants, containers, and suppliers.

² Preliminary.

³ Excludes crude foodstuffs and feedstuffs, plant and animal fibers, oilseeds, and leaf tobacco.

⁴ Excludes intermediate materials from food manufacturing and manufactured animal feeds.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics and Council of Economic Advisers.

TABLE IV-3.—Consumer price indexes, by major commodity and service group, for city wage earners and clerical workers, 1913-66

[1957-69=100]

Year or month	All items	Food	Housing		Ap- parel and keep 1	Trans- porta- tion	Medi- cal care	Per- sonal care	Read- ing recrea- tion	Other foods and services
			Total	Rent						
1913	34.5	33.6	(2)	55.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1914	35.0	34.3	(2)	55.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1915	35.7	33.9	(2)	56.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1916	38.0	38.1	(2)	56.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1917	44.7	49.1	(2)	56.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1918	52.4	56.4	(2)	57.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1919	60.3	62.9	(2)	62.0	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1920	69.8	70.8	(2)	72.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1921	62.3	53.8	(2)	83.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1922	58.0	50.3	(2)	86.2	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1923	50.6	52.0	(2)	88.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1924	59.9	51.5	(2)	91.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1925	61.4	57.6	(2)	91.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1926	60.5	55.5	(2)	89.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1927	59.7	55.5	(2)	87.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1928	59.7	55.6	(2)	86.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1929	59.7	55.6	(2)	85.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1930	58.2	55.0	(2)	83.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1931	53.0	48.8	(2)	78.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1932	47.0	36.3	(2)	70.6	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1933	45.0	35.3	(2)	60.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1934	46.0	39.3	(2)	60.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1935	47.8	42.1	(2)	57.0	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1936	45.3	42.5	(2)	56.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1937	50.0	44.2	(2)	59.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1938	48.1	41.0	(2)	60.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1939	48.4	38.9	(2)	59.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1940	46.8	40.5	(2)	63.2	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1941	51.3	54.2	(2)	64.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1942	56.8	60.3	(2)	64.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1943	61.3	62.7	(2)	67.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1944	68.0	66.9	(2)	69.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1945	77.8	81.2	(2)	74.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1946	83.8	88.3	(2)	79.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1948	83.0	84.7	(2)	81.0	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1949	83.8	85.8	(2)	85.2	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1950	90.5	95.4	(2)	89.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1951	92.3	97.1	(2)	88.2	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1952	95.2	95.5	(2)	89.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1953	93.2	95.4	(2)	92.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1954	93.6	94.0	(2)	93.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1955	93.3	94.7	(2)	94.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1956	95.3	94.1	(2)	96.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1957	98.0	97.8	(2)	98.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1958	100.7	97.8	(2)	99.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1959	100.3	100.3	(2)	100.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1960	101.5	101.4	(2)	101.6	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1961	104.2	102.6	(2)	103.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1962	108.6	103.6	(2)	104.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1963	106.4	105.1	(2)	106.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1964	108.7	106.4	(2)	107.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1965	108.9	108.5	(2)	108.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1966	107.7	105.8	(2)	107.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1967	107.6	106.9	(2)	107.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1968	107.8	105.7	(2)	107.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1969	107.8	105.5	(2)	107.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1970	108.0	106.9	(2)	107.7	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1971	108.2	107.1	(2)	107.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1972	108.4	107.2	(2)	107.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1973	108.4	106.9	(2)	107.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1974	108.4	107.2	(2)	107.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1975	108.4	106.9	(2)	108.2	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1976	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1977	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1978	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1979	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1980	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1981	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1982	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1983	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1984	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1985	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1986	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1987	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1988	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1989	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1990	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1991	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1992	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1993	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1994	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1995	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1996	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1997	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1998	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
1999	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
2000	108.8	106.8	(2)	108.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)

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TABLE IV.3—Consumer price indexes, by major commodity and service group, for city wage earners and clerical workers, 1913-66—Continued

[1957-59=100]

Year or month	All items	Food	Housing		Apparel and upkeep ¹	Transportation	Medical care	Personal care	Reading and recreation	Other goods and services
			Total	Rent						
1965—January	108.9	106.6	108.1	108.4	105.6	111.1	120.6	110.0	115.0	109.3
February	108.9	106.6	108.2	108.5	105.8	110.6	121.0	110.1	115.2	109.4
March	109.0	106.9	108.2	108.7	106.0	110.6	121.4	110.4	115.4	109.5
April	109.3	107.3	108.2	108.8	106.3	111.0	121.6	110.7	115.9	110.3
May	109.6	107.9	108.2	108.8	106.8	111.4	121.8	111.0	115.9	110.6
June	110.1	110.1	108.2	108.8	106.9	111.2	122.2	111.0	115.7	111.0
July	110.2	110.9	108.3	108.9	106.1	111.5	122.7	108.7	114.6	111.5
August	110.0	110.1	108.2	109.0	106.4	111.0	122.8	109.0	114.3	112.6
September	110.2	109.7	108.6	109.1	107.2	111.0	122.8	109.2	114.8	112.7
October	110.4	109.7	109.0	109.2	107.8	111.2	123.0	109.2	115.2	113.3
November	110.6	109.7	109.2	109.3	108.1	111.5	123.4	109.6	115.4	113.3
December	111.0	110.6	109.4	109.5	108.1	111.6	123.7	110.0	115.4	113.4
1966—January	111.0	111.9	109.2	109.7	107.3	111.2	124.2	110.4	115.7	113.4
February	111.6	113.1	109.4	109.8	107.6	111.1	124.5	110.8	115.9	113.6
March	112.0	113.9	109.6	109.9	108.2	111.4	125.3	111.0	116.6	113.8
April	112.5	114.0	110.3	110.1	108.7	112.0	125.8	111.6	116.8	114.3
May	112.6	113.5	110.7	110.2	109.3	112.0	126.3	112.0	116.8	114.7
June	112.9	113.9	111.1	110.2	109.4	112.2	127.0	112.2	117.0	114.9

¹ Not comparable to previous "apparel" series; index revised to include laundry and drycleaning; formerly included in housing group; indexes prior to 1953 estimated.

² Not available.

³ New series, beginning January 1964. For details, see Department of Labor release, Major Changes in the Consumer Price Index, March 3, 1964.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics and Council of Economic Advisers.

TABLE IV.4—Consumer price indexes, by special groups, 1935–66
[1957–59=100]

	All items	All items less food	All items less shelter	Commodities					Services		
				All commodities	Food	Commodities less food			All services	Rent	All services less rent
						All	Durable	Nondurable			
1935	47.8	52.5	46.1	45.0	42.1	50.2	47.1	48.8	52.2	56.9	49.3
1936	48.3	53.0	46.7	45.6	42.5	50.8	47.8	49.2	52.8	58.3	49.0
1937	50.0	54.9	48.2	47.4	44.2	53.0	50.8	51.2	54.4	60.9	49.5
1938	49.1	55.5	46.8	45.6	41.0	53.0	51.7	50.9	55.4	62.9	49.9
1939	48.4	55.1	46.0	44.7	39.9	52.1	50.6	50.1	55.5	63.0	49.9
1940	48.8	55.3	46.3	45.1	40.5	52.4	50.2	50.6	55.7	63.2	50.0
1941	51.3	56.9	49.1	48.2	44.2	55.0	53.7	52.8	56.4	64.3	50.6
1942	56.8	60.9	55.3	55.2	51.9	61.2	60.9	58.4	58.2	65.7	52.8
1943	60.3	62.6	59.5	60.1	57.9	63.8	63.0	60.9	59.3	65.7	55.2
1944	61.3	65.0	60.5	60.8	57.1	67.3	68.7	64.0	60.7	65.9	57.9
1945	62.7	66.5	62.1	62.6	58.4	70.0	73.9	66.3	61.5	66.1	59.1
1946	68.0	69.4	68.4	69.4	66.9	74.4	77.4	71.1	62.7	66.5	61.2
1947	77.8	75.8	79.4	83.4	81.3	83.9	83.8	81.7	65.3	68.7	64.3
1948	89.8	81.3	85.6	89.4	88.2	90.3	90.0	88.0	69.4	73.2	68.0
1949	83.0	82.1	84.1	87.1	84.7	89.0	91.3	86.3	72.6	76.4	71.4
1950	83.8	83.1	84.7	87.6	85.8	88.9	92.3	86.2	75.0	79.1	73.4
1951	90.5	88.4	91.8	95.5	95.4	95.6	96.3	92.7	78.9	82.3	77.8
1952	92.5	90.5	93.6	96.7	97.1	96.4	100.1	93.2	82.4	85.7	81.5
1953	93.2	92.3	93.9	96.4	95.6	96.6	99.5	94.0	86.0	90.3	84.9
1954	93.6	92.8	93.9	95.5	95.4	95.6	97.1	94.4	88.7	93.5	87.4
1955	93.3	93.1	93.4	94.6	94.0	94.9	95.3	94.4	90.5	94.8	89.4
1956	94.7	94.7	94.7	95.5	94.7	95.9	95.4	96.5	92.8	96.5	91.9
1957	98.0	97.9	97.8	98.5	97.8	98.8	98.5	99.1	96.6	98.3	96.1
1958	100.7	100.1	100.7	100.8	101.9	99.9	100.0	99.8	100.3	100.1	100.2
1959	101.5	102.0	101.5	100.9	100.3	101.2	101.5	101.0	103.2	101.6	103.6

TABLE IV.4—Consumer price indexes, by special groups, 1935-66—Continued
[1957-59 = 100]

	All items	All items less food	All items less shelter	Commodities					Services		
				All com- modities	Food	Commodities less food			All services	Rent	All services less rent
						All	Durable	Nondurable			
1960.....	103.1	103.7	103.0	101.7	101.4	101.7	100.9	102.6	106.6	103.1	107.4
1961.....	104.2	104.8	104.2	102.3	102.6	102.0	100.8	103.2	108.8	104.4	110.0
1962.....	105.4	106.1	105.4	103.2	103.6	102.8	101.8	103.8	110.9	105.7	112.1
1963.....	106.7	107.4	106.7	104.1	104.1	103.5	102.1	104.8	113.0	106.8	114.5
1964.....	108.1	108.9	108.0	105.2	106.4	104.4	103.0	105.7	115.2	107.8	117.0
1965.....	109.9	110.4	109.6	106.4	108.8	105.1	102.6	107.2	117.8	108.9	120.0
1965—January.....	108.9	109.8	108.6	105.6	106.6	104.9	103.6	106.1	118.6	108.4	118.6
February.....	108.9	109.8	108.6	105.5	106.6	104.7	103.3	106.1	118.9	108.5	118.9
March.....	109.0	109.9	108.7	105.6	106.9	104.8	103.2	106.2	117.0	108.7	119.1
April.....	109.3	110.1	109.1	105.9	107.3	105.0	103.0	106.8	117.3	108.8	119.3
May.....	109.6	110.3	109.4	106.2	107.9	105.2	102.9	107.2	117.5	108.8	119.5
June.....	110.1	110.3	110.0	106.9	110.1	105.1	102.6	107.3	117.6	108.8	119.7
July.....	110.2	110.2	110.1	106.9	110.9	104.7	102.3	106.9	117.8	108.9	120.0
August.....	110.0	110.2	109.8	106.6	110.1	104.7	101.8	107.1	117.9	109.0	120.0
September.....	110.2	110.6	110.0	106.6	109.7	104.9	101.7	107.7	118.5	109.1	120.7
October.....	110.4	110.9	110.2	106.9	109.7	105.3	102.1	108.0	118.7	109.2	121.0
November.....	110.6	111.2	110.4	107.1	109.7	105.6	102.4	109.3	119.0	109.3	121.3
December.....	111.0	111.3	110.8	107.4	110.6	105.7	102.4	108.4	119.3	109.5	121.6
1966—January.....	111.0	111.1	110.8	107.4	111.4	105.3	101.9	108.0	119.5	109.7	121.8
February.....	111.6	111.4	111.3	108.0	113.1	105.4	101.8	108.3	119.7	109.8	122.0
March.....	112.0	111.9	111.6	108.4	113.9	105.6	102.0	108.6	120.1	109.9	122.5
April.....	112.5	112.9	112.2	108.8	114.0	106.0	102.3	109.0	121.1	110.1	123.6
May.....	112.6	112.4	112.5	108.8	113.5	106.3	102.5	109.3	121.5	110.2	124.1
June.....	112.9	112.8	112.6	109.0	113.9	106.4	102.6	109.5	122.0	110.2	124.8
July.....	113.3	113.2	113.1	109.3	114.3	106.7	103.0	109.7	122.6	110.3	125.5
August.....	113.8	113.4	113.6	109.8	115.8	106.6	103.0	109.6	123.0	110.6	125.9
September.....	114.1	113.8	113.9	110.0	115.6	107.0	102.7	110.5	123.5	110.7	126.5
October.....	114.5	114.4	114.3	110.3	115.6	107.6	103.5	110.9	124.1	111.0	127.1
November.....	114.6	114.8	114.4	110.2	114.8	107.8	103.5	111.3	124.7	111.2	127.7
December.....	114.7	114.9	114.3	110.1	114.8	107.7	103.1	111.4	125.2	111.3	128.8

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, and Council of Economic Advisers.

TABLE IV.5—Implicit price deflators for gross national product, 1929-65

[Index numbers, 1958=100]

	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
Gross national product.....	50.6	49.3	44.8	40.2	39.3	42.2	42.6	42.7	44.5	43.9	43.2	43.9	47.2	53.0	56.8	58.2	59.7	66.7	74.6
Personal consumption expenditures.....	55.3	53.6	47.9	42.3	40.6	43.5	44.4	44.7	46.5	45.6	45.1	45.5	48.7	54.8	59.9	63.2	65.4	70.5	77.9
Durable goods.....	56.4	55.3	49.1	43.2	41.9	44.7	43.7	43.6	45.8	46.7	46.0	46.5	50.4	59.3	64.2	71.5	75.9	76.8	82.7
Nondurable goods.....	54.5	51.6	44.1	37.7	38.0	42.7	44.5	44.8	46.4	44.0	43.2	43.8	47.7	55.6	62.5	66.2	68.7	74.3	83.6
Services.....	56.1	55.7	52.7	48.3	43.6	44.4	44.4	45.0	46.8	47.7	47.7	47.9	49.8	52.7	55.3	57.5	58.7	62.7	67.9
Gross private domestic investment.....																			
Fixed investment.....	39.4	37.9	35.2	31.6	30.6	33.7	34.3	34.6	37.8	38.2	37.7	39.0	42.0	46.5	49.3	41.1	51.5	58.5	66.7
Nonresidential.....	39.9	38.1	35.8	32.9	31.6	34.9	35.0	35.6	38.8	39.3	38.7	40.0	42.7	47.8	49.9	41.0	51.0	56.3	64.5
Structures.....	35.7	34.0	31.1	27.6	27.9	28.9	30.6	30.2	34.4	33.9	33.1	33.9	36.4	41.3	46.8	48.6	49.2	54.4	64.4
Producers' durable equipment.....	44.6	43.0	41.1	39.1	34.5	38.8	38.7	38.5	41.4	43.0	42.2	43.4	46.3	51.5	51.1	51.9	51.7	57.5	64.6
Residential structures.....	38.1	37.1	33.6	27.3	27.1	30.1	29.8	31.3	34.3	35.5	35.7	36.9	40.3	43.3	47.0	51.6	54.9	59.7	71.7
Nonfarm.....	38.0	37.1	33.7	27.4	27.1	30.1	29.7	31.2	34.4	35.7	35.9	37.2	40.6	43.4	46.8	51.1	54.6	59.4	71.3
Farm.....	39.1	38.0	32.1	26.2	26.7	30.8	30.7	32.2	33.3	31.8	32.0	32.3	36.3	42.0	48.8	55.8	58.5	63.6	78.6
Change in business inventories.....																			
Net exports of goods and services.....																			
Exports.....	59.5	52.3	41.0	34.7	33.7	40.6	42.3	43.4	46.5	43.8	44.1	48.6	53.0	61.5	65.2	69.9	71.3	75.4	87.3
Imports.....	57.3	49.0	39.3	31.5	28.8	33.6	36.0	36.7	40.7	37.9	38.6	40.8	43.0	48.3	51.2	53.2	56.4	64.9	79.4
Government purchases of goods and services.....	38.6	37.9	36.3	33.4	34.5	36.8	37.0	37.6	38.4	38.3	37.9	38.5	44.0	50.9	53.9	53.1	52.6	55.8	62.9
Federal.....	36.0	34.1	34.5	31.9	33.1	37.4	37.0	40.5	40.7	40.5	40.8	40.2	46.6	52.5	54.9	53.8	53.1	57.3	65.6
State and local.....	39.1	38.7	36.6	33.8	35.0	36.6	37.0	35.9	37.1	36.8	36.3	37.9	39.2	42.3	44.6	46.1	48.6	53.2	60.4

TABLE IV.5—Implicit price deflators for gross national product, 1929-65—Continued

[Index numbers, 1958=100]

	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
Gross national product.....	79.6	79.1	80.2	85.6	87.5	88.3	89.6	90.9	94.0	97.5	100.0	101.6	103.3	104.6	105.8	107.2	108.9	110.9
Personal consumption expenditure.....	82.3	81.7	82.9	88.6	90.5	91.7	92.5	92.8	94.8	97.7	100.0	101.3	102.9	103.9	104.9	106.1	107.4	108.9
Durable goods.....	86.3	86.8	87.8	94.2	95.4	94.3	92.9	91.9	94.9	98.4	100.0	101.4	100.9	100.6	100.8	100.4	100.4	99.5
Nondurable goods.....	88.5	85.6	86.0	93.3	94.3	93.9	94.2	93.6	94.9	97.7	100.0	99.9	101.2	101.9	102.8	104.0	104.9	107.0
Services.....	72.1	74.3	76.3	80.0	83.6	87.7	90.0	92.0	94.6	97.3	100.0	103.0	105.8	107.6	109.0	110.9	113.2	115.3
Gross private domestic investment.....																		
Fixed investment.....	73.9	74.7	77.5	83.1	85.3	86.6	86.8	89.0	94.0	98.5	100.0	102.6	103.4	103.9	104.9	106.0	107.8	109.6
Nonresidential.....	70.7	72.8	74.4	80.4	82.6	84.0	84.8	86.7	92.4	97.9	100.0	102.2	102.9	103.4	104.1	104.5	105.8	107.4
Structures.....	71.5	71.2	72.9	79.3	83.2	84.9	86.0	88.1	93.4	98.6	100.0	120.7	104.0	105.6	107.1	108.9	111.3	114.4
Producers' durable equipment.....	70.3	73.6	75.2	80.9	82.2	83.5	84.0	85.9	91.8	97.5	100.0	102.0	102.2	102.1	102.3	102.3	103.1	103.8
Residential structures.....	80.8	78.5	82.5	88.6	90.8	91.9	90.4	92.9	97.4	99.8	100.0	103.1	104.5	105.0	106.7	108.9	112.3	115.5
Nonfarm.....	80.5	78.2	82.5	88.4	91.0	91.8	90.3	92.9	97.4	99.8	100.0	103.1	104.4	105.0	106.8	109.9	112.4	115.6
Farm.....	85.7	82.7	82.9	92.2	86.8	93.3	91.9	93.4	97.7	100.5	100.0	103.0	105.0	104.9	104.6	107.2	108.3	108.9
Change in business inventories.....																		
Net exports of goods and services.....																		
Exports.....	92.7	87.0	84.9	97.0	98.8	95.2	94.3	94.9	97.5	101.3	100.0	98.8	99.9	101.9	100.8	100.6	101.5	104.5
Imports.....	86.4	82.2	88.7	107.2	103.6	99.1	100.8	100.6	102.5	104.0	100.0	99.3	101.0	100.1	98.5	99.5	101.9	103.3
Government purchases of goods and services.....	68.1	71.0	71.8	78.5	81.0	81.8	84.1	87.1	92.1	96.4	100.0	102.4	105.0	107.1	109.0	111.8	115.8	119.4
Federal.....	69.8	73.0	72.9	79.4	81.2	81.4	83.5	86.9	91.7	95.8	100.0	102.2	104.2	105.2	105.6	108.0	112.7	115.7
State and local.....	66.4	68.9	70.8	76.9	80.6	82.8	85.3	87.5	92.7	97.3	100.0	102.6	105.9	109.4	113.2	116.3	119.3	123.2

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, "The National Income and Product Accounts of the United States, 1929-65, Statistical Tables: a Supplement to the Survey of Current Business," Table 8.1.

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TABLE IV.6—Price-cost relations as illustrated by national income and product data, 1929-65

[1957-59=100]

	Implicit price index	Employee compensation per unit output	Capital consumption per unit	Corporate profits per unit	Corporate profits after tax per unit	Interest and rent per unit	Net transfer costs (net national product minus national income) per unit
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1929	50.8	43.6	45.3	53.0	76.0	104.7	47.7
1930	49.4	44.3	50.9	39.1	27.9	111.3	43.5
1931	44.9	40.8	54.4	12.4	(9.2)	108.4	55.8
1932	40.4	37.4	60.0	(9.0)	(33.5)	107.3	62.4
1933	39.4	36.2	57.5	(8.6)	5.5	89.6	66.9
1934	42.3	38.6	52.0	11.5	18.7	79.5	64.3
1935	42.7	38.2	47.5	20.5	28.0	71.1	54.7
1936	42.8	38.6	42.7	29.9	45.8	60.6	383.4
1937	44.6	41.0	41.3	34.3	46.7	59.6	412.8
1938	44.0	40.4	44.3	26.4	27.3	67.0	177.4
1939	43.3	39.8	40.6	31.1	48.9	62.4	57.9
1940	44.0	39.9	38.7	44.6	56.8	56.8	55.4
1941	47.3	42.6	36.5	59.7	68.8	53.4	61.6
1942	53.2	49.7	38.6	70.5	61.0	54.1	42.3
1943	57.0	56.4	45.6	74.6	58.9	48.7	37.2
1944	58.4	58.2	35.8	68.0	55.4	45.1	52.0
1945	60.0	60.1	37.1	55.6	45.6	46.3	61.7
1946	66.9	65.4	37.1	63.8	88.9	55.1	60.9
1947	74.8	72.2	46.4	85.1	117.0	61.5	73.6
1948	79.8	75.7	52.7	105.3	125.7	63.7	66.2
1949	79.8	75.5	59.8	98.0	102.6	67.5	78.8
1950	80.4	75.5	60.5	109.3	125.6	67.4	81.2
1951	85.9	81.8	64.8	115.0	101.2	69.3	86.8
1952	87.8	85.7	68.8	104.2	88.8	74.9	89.1
1953	88.6	87.9	72.9	80.3	88.5	79.6	94.3
1954	89.9	88.6	80.8	96.2	90.6	89.1	94.0
1955	91.2	89.0	84.2	110.4	110.6	86.4	92.2
1956	94.3	94.5	89.5	106.7	109.3	89.1	87.7
1957	97.8	98.2	96.0	104.0	103.0	94.9	95.5
1958	100.3	100.1	102.1	94.9	89.6	104.7	103.5
1959	101.9	101.7	101.9	112.0	107.3	100.5	101.1
1960	103.6	104.7	104.3	105.5	98.2	104.4	106.9
1961	104.9	105.7	106.7	104.4	98.4	110.1	108.8
1962	106.0	106.0	110.5	108.3	105.8	112.4	113.2
1963	107.4	107.4	111.9	110.3	107.7	119.0	114.4
1964	109.2	109.4	113.2	118.4	119.7	120.6	114.6
1965	111.2	111.0	113.6	124.6	130.0	123.7	116.0

Source: Col. 1: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; changed to 1957-59 base by staff, Joint Economic Committee. Col. 2: Index of employee compensation divided by index of real gross national product. Basic data supplied by OBE. Cois. 3-7: Constructed similarly. Basic data supplied by OBE.

TABLE IV.7—Price-cost relations in the private economy, as illustrated by national income and product data, 1929-65

[1957-59=100]

	Implicit price index private economy	Employee compensa- tion per unit ¹	Capital consumption per unit ¹	Corporate profits per unit ¹	Corporate profits after top per unit ¹
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1929	51.9	46.1	43.9	49.5	73.7
1930	50.7	46.8	49.9	37.0	27.4
1931	45.8	42.2	53.7	11.8	(9.1)
1932	41.0	37.9	60.0	(8.7)	(33.6)
1933	40.0	36.4	58.1	(8.4)	5.6
1934	43.1	38.8	52.6	11.2	18.9
1935	43.6	33.4	48.0	19.9	28.3
1936	43.5	38.4	43.2	29.2	46.4
1937	45.4	41.6	41.3	33.0	46.7
1938	44.7	40.4	44.9	25.8	27.7
1939	44.0	40.1	41.0	30.3	48.4
1940	44.8	40.3	38.8	43.1	56.9
1941	48.8	43.9	37.0	58.2	69.7
1942	55.7	51.2	40.5	71.4	64.1
1943	61.0	57.9	40.0	80.7	66.1
1944	62.2	58.3	40.9	75.0	63.4
1945	62.8	58.4	42.4	61.2	52.1
1946	68.4	66.1	38.2	63.4	91.7
1947	76.5	74.9	46.4	82.1	117.0
1948	81.6	78.7	52.5	101.3	125.4
1949	80.8	77.4	59.9	94.7	102.8
1950	81.6	77.2	60.2	104.9	124.9
1951	87.7	83.4	65.4	112.0	102.1
1952	89.3	87.0	69.9	102.1	90.3
1953	89.9	89.5	73.6	96.5	89.5
1954	91.1	89.8	81.6	93.7	91.5
1955	91.9	89.7	84.3	106.6	90.2
1956	94.8	95.6	89.6	103.0	109.4
1957	98.2	99.0	96.1	100.5	103.1
1958	100.3	99.6	102.3	91.7	89.8
1959	101.7	101.4	101.6	107.8	107.0
1960	103.0	99.0	104.0	101.5	97.9
1961	104.0	99.6	106.4	100.4	98.1
1962	105.0	101.4	110.1	104.1	105.4
1963	106.0	103.9	111.3	105.9	107.2
1964	107.4	104.0	112.4	113.3	118.7
1965	109.2	104.1	112.6	119.0	128.7

¹ Per unit of private output as measured in 1958 prices.

Source: See table IV.6.

TABLE IV.8—Labor costs per unit output—Ratio of index of private nonfarm average hourly earnings to index of private nonfarm output per man-hour, 1929-65

	Private nonfarm output per man-hour	Private nonfarm average hourly earnings	Cost per unit of output		Private nonfarm output per man-hour	Private nonfarm average hourly earnings	Cost per unit of output
	(1)	(2)	(3)		(1)	(2)	(3)
1910.....	40.5			1938.....	61.9	26.1	42.2
1911.....	41.1			1939.....	63.9	26.6	41.6
1912.....	41.3			1940.....	66.3	27.5	41.5
1913.....	41.8			1941.....	68.7	30.8	44.8
1914.....	40.4			1942.....	68.7	35.9	52.3
1915.....	39.6			1943.....	70.2	41.0	58.4
1916.....	40.0			1944.....	75.3	44.2	58.7
1917.....	38.4			1945.....	78.4	45.9	58.5
1918.....	41.6			1946.....	74.6	49.5	66.4
1919.....	43.4			1947.....	74.3	56.7	76.3
1920.....	41.9			1948.....	76.5	61.4	80.3
1921.....	42.5			1949.....	79.5	63.1	79.4
1922.....	46.4			1950.....	84.6	66.6	78.7
1923.....	47.8			1951.....	86.3	72.5	84.0
1924.....	49.4			1952.....	87.1	76.4	87.7
1925.....	51.6			1953.....	89.6	80.7	90.1
1926.....	53.0			1954.....	91.6	83.2	90.8
1927.....	52.3			1955.....	95.7	86.0	89.9
1928.....	52.5			1956.....	95.1	91.0	95.7
1929.....	54.7	25.9	47.3	1957.....	97.2	96.2	99.0
1930.....	52.9	25.5	48.2	1958.....	99.6	99.7	100.1
1931.....	53.4	23.9	44.7	1959.....	103.1	104.2	101.1
1932.....	51.2	21.0	41.0	1960.....	104.4	108.4	103.8
1933.....	50.6	20.0	39.5	1961.....	107.3	111.9	104.3
1934.....	56.0	22.7	40.5	1962.....	112.2	116.5	103.8
1935.....	58.0	23.4	40.3	1963.....	115.6	121.0	104.7
1936.....	60.7	23.9	39.4	1964.....	119.9	126.8	105.8
1937.....	60.5	26.1	43.1	1965.....	122.4	131.3	107.3

Source: Col. 1: See table II.14. Col. 2: Index of private nonfarm compensation of employees (Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics) divided by index of private nonfarm man-hours (Bureau of Labor Statistics). Col. 3: Ratio of col. 2 to col. 1.

TABLE IV.9—Comparison of indexes of output per man-hour, labor payments, nonlabor payments, and prices, 1947-65
[1957-59=100; indexes]

Item	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
Output per man-hour:																			
Total private:																			
Output per man-hour:																			
All persons.....	69.2	72.1	74.4	80.6	82.9	84.5	88.0	90.0	94.0	94.1	96.9	99.7	103.4	105.1	108.7	113.7	117.7	121.9	125.3
Employees.....	74.8	77.2	80.2	85.3	86.2	87.3	89.9	92.5	95.4	95.0	97.2	100.0	102.9	103.8	107.3	111.5	114.1	117.8	120.3
Private nonfarm:																			
Output per man-hour:																			
All persons.....	74.3	76.5	79.5	84.6	86.3	87.2	89.7	91.7	95.7	95.1	97.2	99.6	103.1	104.4	107.4	112.3	115.4	119.5	122.4
Employees.....	74.9	77.1	80.6	85.5	86.6	87.4	89.6	91.9	95.5	94.9	97.2	99.9	102.8	104.2	107.3	111.9	114.4	118.3	120.4
Compensation per man-hour:																			
Total private:																			
Compensation per man-hour, all persons.....	55.1	59.7	60.5	64.8	71.1	75.4	80.3	82.6	85.2	90.0	95.8	99.7	104.4	108.6	112.6	117.5	122.3	128.6	133.5
Real compensation per man-hour, all persons.....	70.8	71.2	72.9	77.3	78.6	81.5	86.2	88.2	91.3	95.0	97.8	99.0	102.9	105.3	108.1	111.5	114.6	119.0	121.6
Compensation per employee man-hour.....	55.8	60.6	62.2	65.8	71.8	76.0	80.4	83.1	85.5	90.7	96.2	99.7	104.1	107.9	111.7	116.2	120.2	126.3	130.9
Real compensation per employee man-hour.....	71.7	72.3	74.9	78.5	79.3	82.2	86.3	88.8	91.6	95.8	98.2	99.0	102.6	104.7	107.2	110.2	122.7	116.8	119.2
Private nonfarm:																			
Compensation per man-hour, all persons.....	56.7	61.4	63.1	66.6	72.5	76.4	80.7	83.2	86.0	91.0	96.2	99.7	104.2	108.4	111.9	116.3	120.5	126.5	131.0
Real compensation per man-hour, all persons.....	72.9	73.3	76.0	79.5	80.1	82.6	86.6	88.9	92.2	96.1	98.2	99.0	102.7	105.1	107.4	110.3	112.9	117.0	119.3
Compensation per employee man-hour.....	55.8	60.7	62.5	66.0	71.9	75.9	80.2	82.8	85.8	90.8	96.2	99.7	104.1	108.4	111.7	116.2	120.2	126.1	130.3
Real compensation per employee man-hour.....	71.7	72.4	75.3	78.8	79.4	82.1	86.1	88.5	92.0	95.9	98.2	99.0	102.6	105.1	107.2	110.2	112.7	116.7	118.7
Prices and costs:																			
Total private:																			
Implicit prices.....	76.3	81.6	80.7	81.5	87.4	89.3	89.9	91.0	91.7	94.8	98.1	100.2	101.5	102.9	103.9	104.9	106.0	107.3	109.2
Compensation per unit of output:																			
All persons.....	79.6	82.8	81.3	80.4	85.8	89.2	91.3	91.8	90.6	95.6	98.9	100.0	101.0	103.3	104.6	103.3	103.9	105.5	106.5
Employees.....	74.6	78.5	77.5	77.2	83.2	87.0	89.5	89.8	89.6	95.5	98.9	99.7	101.3	103.9	104.1	104.2	105.4	107.2	108.9
Nonlabor payments per unit of output:																			
All persons.....	71.2	79.8	79.9	83.2	90.5	89.2	87.7	89.6	93.6	93.2	96.8	100.5	102.5	102.3	104.4	107.5	109.3	110.3	113.6
Employees.....	78.6	85.2	84.7	86.5	92.4	91.7	90.3	92.5	94.2	93.9	97.3	100.9	101.7	101.7	103.6	105.7	106.6	107.5	109.5
Private nonfarm:																			
Implicit prices.....	73.5	78.6	79.2	80.0	85.3	87.3	89.0	90.4	91.7	94.8	98.3	100.0	101.7	103.2	104.2	105.1	106.3	107.7	109.4
Compensation per unit of output:																			
All persons.....	76.3	80.3	79.4	78.7	84.0	87.6	90.0	90.7	89.9	95.7	99.0	100.1	101.1	103.8	104.2	103.6	104.4	105.9	107.0
Employees.....	74.6	78.8	77.6	77.3	83.0	86.9	89.5	90.0	89.9	95.7	98.9	99.8	101.3	104.0	104.1	103.9	105.1	106.6	108.2
Nonlabor payments per unit of output:																			
All persons.....	68.9	75.8	78.9	82.2	87.5	86.9	87.3	89.8	94.6	93.4	97.3	99.7	103.0	102.1	104.3	107.6	109.4	110.9	113.5
Employees.....	72.3	78.3	81.2	83.4	88.0	87.9	88.3	90.8	93.9	93.7	97.5	100.2	102.3	102.2	104.2	106.4	107.7	109.1	110.8

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, unpublished estimates.

TABLE IV.10—Comparison of indexes of output per man-hour, labor payments, nonlabor payments and prices, 1947-65
[1957-59=100; year-to-year change]

Item	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
Output per man-hour:																			
Total private:																			
All persons.....		4.2	3.2	8.3	2.9	1.9	4.1	2.3	4.4	0.1	3.0	2.9	3.7	1.6	3.4	4.6	3.5	3.6	2.8
Employees.....		3.2	3.9	6.4	1.1	1.3	3.0	2.9	3.1	-4	2.3	2.9	2.8	1.0	3.4	3.9	2.3	3.2	2.1
Private nonfarm:																			
All persons.....		3.0	3.9	6.4	2.0	1.0	2.9	2.2	4.4	-6	2.2	2.5	3.5	1.3	2.9	4.6	2.8	3.6	2.4
Employees.....		2.9	4.5	6.1	1.3	.9	2.5	2.6	3.9	-6	2.4	2.8	2.9	1.4	3.0	4.3	2.2	3.4	1.8
Compensation per man-hour:																			
Total private:																			
Compensation per man-hour, all persons.....		8.3	1.3	7.1	9.7	6.0	6.5	2.9	3.1	5.6	6.4	4.1	4.7	4.0	3.7	4.4	4.1	5.2	3.8
Real compensation per man-hour, all persons.....		.6	2.4	-6.0	1.7	3.7	5.8	2.3	3.5	4.1	2.9	1.2	3.9	2.3	2.7	3.1	2.8	3.8	2.2
Compensation per employee man-hour.....		8.6	2.6	5.8	9.1	5.8	5.8	3.4	2.9	6.1	6.1	3.6	4.4	3.7	3.5	4.0	3.4	5.1	3.6
Real compensation per employee man-hour.....		.8	3.6	4.8	1.0	3.7	5.0	2.9	3.2	4.6	2.5	.8	3.6	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.3	3.6	2.1
Private nonfarm:																			
Compensation per man-hour, all persons.....		8.3	2.8	5.5	8.9	5.4	5.6	3.1	3.4	5.8	5.7	3.6	4.5	4.0	3.2	3.9	3.6	5.0	3.6
Real compensation per man-hour, all persons.....		.5	3.7	4.6	.8	3.1	4.8	2.7	3.7	4.2	2.2	.8	3.7	2.3	2.2	2.7	2.4	3.6	2.0
Compensation per employee man-hour.....		8.8	3.0	5.6	8.9	5.6	5.7	3.2	3.6	5.8	5.9	3.6	4.4	4.1	3.0	4.0	3.4	4.9	3.3
Real compensation per employee man-hour.....		1.0	4.0	4.6	.8	3.4	4.9	2.8	4.0	4.2	2.4	.8	3.6	2.4	2.0	2.8	2.3	3.5	1.7
Prices and costs:																			
Total private:																			
Implicit prices.....		6.9	-1.1	1.0	7.2	2.2	.7	1.2	.8	3.4	3.5	2.1	1.3	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.8
Compensation per unit of output:																			
All persons.....		4.0	-1.8	-1.1	6.7	4.0	2.4	.5	-1.3	5.5	3.5	1.1	1.0	2.3	.3	-3	.6	1.5	.9
Employees.....		5.2	-1.3	-4	7.8	4.6	2.9	.3	-2	6.6	3.6	.8	1.6	2.6	.2	.1	1.2	1.7	1.6
Nonlabor payments per unit of output:																			
All persons.....		12.1	.1	4.1	8.8	-1.4	-1.7	2.2	4.5	-4	3.9	3.8	2.0	-2	2.1	3.0	1.7	.9	3.0
Employees.....		8.4	-6	2.1	6.8	-8	-1.5	2.4	1.8	-3	3.6	3.7	.8	0	1.9	2.0	.9	.8	1.9
Private nonfarm:																			
Implicit prices.....		6.9	.8	1.0	6.6	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.4	3.4	3.7	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.0	.9	1.1	1.3	1.6
Compensation per unit of output:																			
All persons.....		5.2	-1.1	-9	6.7	4.3	2.7	.8	-9	6.5	3.4	1.1	1.0	2.7	.4	-6	.8	1.4	1.0
Employees.....		5.6	-1.5	-4	7.4	4.7	3.0	.6	-1	6.5	3.3	.9	1.5	2.7	.1	-2	1.2	1.4	1.5
Nonlabor payments per unit of output:																			
All persons.....		10.0	4.1	4.2	6.4	-7	.5	2.9	5.3	-1.3	4.2	2.5	3.3	-9	2.2	3.2	1.7	1.4	2.3
Employees.....		8.3	3.7	2.7	5.5	-1	.5	2.8	3.4	-2	4.1	2.8	2.1	-1	2.0	2.1	1.2	1.3	1.6

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, unpublished estimates.

TABLE IV.11—Profit rates of all manufacturing corporations, except newspapers, 1947-66

Year and quarter	Annual rates of profit on stockholders' equity (percent)		Profits per dollar of sales (cents)		Year and quarter	Annual rates of profit on stockholders' equity (percent)		Profits per dollar of sales (cents)	
	Before taxes	After taxes	Before taxes	After taxes		Before taxes	After taxes	Before taxes	After taxes
1947:					1957:				
1st quarter.....	27.9	17.0	12.4	7.5	1st quarter.....	22.5	11.9	9.7	5.1
2d quarter.....	25.3	15.5	11.1	6.8	2d quarter.....	21.6	11.6	9.4	5.0
3d quarter.....	23.9	14.7	10.6	6.5	3d quarter.....	19.1	10.5	8.5	4.7
4th quarter.....	24.9	15.2	10.1	6.2	4th quarter.....	16.8	9.8	7.6	4.4
1948:					1958:				
1st quarter.....	26.7	16.6	11.5	7.2	1st quarter.....	12.9	6.8	6.4	3.4
2d quarter.....	25.2	15.9	11.1	7.0	2d quarter.....	13.9	7.8	6.8	3.8
3d quarter.....	25.1	15.8	11.0	6.9	3d quarter.....	15.9	9.0	7.7	4.4
4th quarter.....	25.0	15.7	10.9	6.8	4th quarter.....	18.8	10.7	8.6	4.9
1949:					1959:				
1st quarter.....	20.6	12.7	9.9	6.1	1st quarter.....	18.7	10.0	8.9	4.7
2d quarter.....	17.0	10.5	8.5	5.2	2d quarter.....	23.1	12.4	10.2	5.5
3d quarter.....	18.9	11.8	9.5	6.0	3d quarter.....	17.1	9.6	8.2	4.6
4th quarter.....	18.0	11.6	9.3	6.0	4th quarter.....	16.8	9.6	7.9	4.5
1950:					1960:				
1st quarter.....	19.4	12.0	10.1	6.2	1st quarter.....	18.4	9.8	8.7	4.7
2d quarter.....	24.8	15.6	11.8	7.4	2d quarter.....	18.0	9.9	8.4	4.6
3d quarter.....	31.0	17.5	13.5	7.6	3d quarter.....	15.4	8.7	7.6	4.3
4th quarter.....	35.5	16.5	14.9	6.9	4th quarter.....	14.8	8.4	7.1	4.0
1951:					1961:				
1st quarter.....	32.0	14.3	12.4	5.6	1st quarter.....	12.6	6.8	6.5	3.5
2d quarter.....	29.7	13.3	11.7	5.2	2d quarter.....	16.8	9.2	8.0	4.4
3d quarter.....	24.9	10.0	10.5	4.2	3d quarter.....	15.8	8.8	7.7	4.3
4th quarter.....	25.3	10.9	10.1	4.4	4th quarter.....	18.5	10.5	8.5	4.8
1952:					1962:				
1st quarter.....	23.6	10.1	9.9	4.2	1st quarter.....	16.7	9.0	8.0	4.3
2d quarter.....	22.0	10.0	9.2	4.2	2d quarter.....	18.9	10.3	8.6	4.7
3d quarter.....	20.7	9.9	8.9	4.3	3d quarter.....	16.6	9.3	7.9	4.4
4th quarter.....	22.2	11.3	8.6	4.4	4th quarter.....	18.1	10.5	8.2	4.8
1953:					1963:				
1st quarter.....	24.9	10.7	10.0	4.3	1st quarter.....	16.0	8.6	7.7	4.2
2d quarter.....	26.4	11.2	10.4	4.4	2d quarter.....	19.9	11.0	9.0	5.0
3d quarter.....	23.3	10.5	9.6	4.3	3d quarter.....	17.8	10.0	8.3	4.6
4th quarter.....	15.8	9.5	6.7	4.0	4th quarter.....	19.9	11.4	8.9	5.1
1954:					1964:				
1st quarter.....	18.5	9.4	8.4	4.3	1st quarter.....	18.5	10.5	8.6	4.9
2d quarter.....	19.8	10.4	8.9	4.7	2d quarter.....	21.4	12.3	9.5	5.5
3d quarter.....	17.5	9.3	8.2	4.4	3d quarter.....	19.0	11.2	8.7	5.1
4th quarter.....	18.3	10.6	8.2	4.7	4th quarter.....	20.2	12.4	8.8	5.4
1955:					1965:				
1st quarter.....	22.3	11.4	9.9	5.1	1st quarter.....	20.8	12.1	9.3	5.4
2d quarter.....	25.0	13.0	10.6	5.5	2d quarter.....	23.4	13.8	9.9	5.8
3d quarter.....	23.3	12.3	10.2	5.4	3d quarter.....	20.6	12.3	9.1	5.4
4th quarter.....	24.6	13.5	10.3	5.6	4th quarter.....	22.9	13.7	9.5	5.7
1956:					1966:				
1st quarter.....	23.8	12.5	10.2	5.3	1st quarter.....	22.2	13.0	9.5	5.6
2d quarter.....	24.2	13.0	10.3	5.5	2d quarter.....	24.5	14.7	9.9	5.9
3d quarter.....	20.2	11.0	9.0	4.9					
4th quarter.....	22.3	12.6	9.3	5.2					

Source: Federal Trade Commission—Securities and Exchange Commission quarterly financial report for manufacturing corporations.

TABLE IV.12—Annual rates of profit on stockholders' equity, by industry, before Federal income taxes, 1947-65

[Each rate is the arithmetic mean of 4 quarterly rates, each on an annual basis; percent]

Industry	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
All manufacturing corporations, except newspapers...	25.5	25.5	18.6	27.7	28.0	22.1	22.6	18.5	23.8	22.6	20.0	15.4	18.9	16.6	15.9	17.6	18.4	19.8	21.9
Durable goods industries	24.4	26.0	20.2	32.1	32.8	26.0	26.8	20.7	28.0	25.4	22.4	15.6	20.3	17.1	16.0	18.8	19.8	21.6	24.9
Metals and metal fabricating industries	23.8	26.2	20.9	32.7	34.0	27.2	28.2	21.2	28.9	25.8	23.2	15.4	20.1	17.1	16.1	19.2	20.3	22.2	25.7
Transportation equipment	21.0	28.4	30.6	44.6	35.9	36.2	38.4	30.6	43.6	28.4	29.2	16.4	25.8	23.7	21.2	30.0	30.8	29.5	34.5
Motor vehicles and equipment	29.2	34.8	37.6	52.9	40.1	37.6	38.7	29.8	47.2	27.4	28.6	14.4	28.9	27.4	22.8	32.6	34.2	31.5	36.4
Aircraft and parts	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	37.3	27.1	17.1	13.2	19.8	24.0	21.5	23.1	28.4
Electrical machinery, equipment, and supplies	31.4	27.7	22.2	41.0	38.8	35.6	33.6	25.0	25.1	23.7	25.6	20.4	24.9	19.2	18.1	20.1	19.9	21.4	24.9
Machinery, except electrical	26.4	27.0	19.3	25.7	32.8	28.0	23.6	18.2	21.3	25.6	21.6	14.6	19.4	15.6	15.8	18.2	19.4	24.0	26.3
Metalworking machinery and equipment	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	23.6	7.0	11.5	11.8	12.5	16.1	16.7	22.3	25.7
Other fabricated metal products	29.0	27.6	17.6	28.8	31.4	21.7	21.6	15.7	20.3	21.0	18.7	15.0	16.2	12.0	13.0	15.7	16.4	18.6	23.2
Primary metal industries	20.0	23.4	15.7	27.2	32.5	19.0	24.4	16.6	27.3	26.5	20.5	12.9	15.1	13.4	11.8	11.0	12.8	15.3	17.7
Blast furnaces, steel works, and foundries	19.8	23.8	17.0	28.0	34.0	17.6	25.6	16.0	27.1	25.1	22.7	14.2	15.9	14.3	12.2	10.3	13.1	15.4	16.8
Nonferrous metals	20.6	22.4	13.0	25.4	29.2	28.0	21.8	17.7	27.8	29.3	16.1	10.4	13.4	11.6	11.2	12.1	12.4	15.2	19.2
Other durable goods industries	26.9	25.1	17.3	29.5	28.2	21.2	21.1	18.7	24.0	23.6	18.8	16.8	21.3	16.8	15.9	17.1	17.4	19.1	21.3
Lumber and wood products, except furniture	36.0	30.4	14.2	29.3	23.6	15.2	12.6	11.5	19.3	15.0	8.8	10.4	16.0	7.2	7.2	9.3	12.9	15.4	15.6
Furniture and fixtures	30.6	26.8	14.6	26.8	25.8	20.0	18.9	13.5	19.1	23.5	18.0	13.6	17.4	13.8	12.0	16.3	17.0	19.1	23.5
Stone, clay, and glass products	23.2	24.3	21.3	32.8	34.6	25.5	26.0	23.6	30.3	28.4	23.1	18.7	23.6	18.6	16.7	16.7	16.3	17.0	17.6
Instruments and related products	23.4	22.6	19.9	30.7	32.2	29.2	28.6	25.3	26.0	25.8	24.2	22.0	26.2	23.1	21.1	23.8	24.0	27.0	31.9
Miscellaneous manufacturing, and ordnance	24.3	20.8	12.4	22.5	22.3	16.3	17.9	15.3	17.6	21.4	16.0	16.8	19.1	19.2	20.4	19.4	17.9	18.4	19.5
Nondurable goods industries	26.5	25.1	17.1	23.6	23.8	18.5	18.7	16.4	19.7	20.0	17.6	15.1	17.6	16.2	15.8	16.4	17.0	18.0	19.0
Chemicals; petroleum; rubber and plastics	22.3	25.8	17.2	24.5	27.0	20.9	20.6	18.2	21.4	21.0	18.5	14.7	17.0	15.6	15.4	15.8	17.0	17.6	18.5
Chemicals and allied products	25.8	25.0	21.2	32.4	31.1	24.8	24.4	22.1	28.0	26.6	25.0	20.8	25.7	22.6	21.8	23.3	24.1	26.0	26.6
Basic chemicals and related products	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	23.9	17.4	23.9	20.0	18.9	21.4	22.4	24.7	24.7
Drugs	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	37.4	34.5	34.1	32.5	32.4	32.5	32.8	34.1
Petroleum refining and related industries	19.7	26.8	15.2	19.2	23.1	17.8	17.7	15.6	17.0	17.3	14.4	10.7	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	12.9	13.9
Petroleum refining	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	23.0	17.7	17.7	15.7	17.0	17.2	14.4	10.7	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.4	12.9	12.8	13.8
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	24.6	21.5	13.6	30.5	37.9	27.8	26.2	20.8	27.2	24.2	21.6	18.5	21.5	17.5	17.6	17.5	17.6	19.1	19.9
Other nondurable goods industries	30.3	24.4	17.1	22.8	16.2	16.7	14.6	17.8	18.8	16.5	15.6	18.4	17.2	16.4	17.2	17.2	18.7	18.8	19.8
Food and kindred products	29.8	21.4	19.5	22.1	17.8	16.8	17.6	16.6	18.0	19.0	17.6	17.4	18.5	17.6	17.8	17.7	18.0	18.8	19.3
Dairy products	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	16.8	17.7
Bakery products	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	19.2	18.8
Alcoholic beverages	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	18.5	19.7	17.3
Tobacco manufactures	16.6	22.0	20.2	21.3	21.7	19.8	22.9	21.4	24.2	24.6	26.0	28.2	27.8	25.0	25.0	15.1	15.9	16.6	17.5
Textile mill products	32.5	30.9	13.0	22.7	21.1	10.2	10.6	5.6	11.7	11.8	9.1	7.4	14.1	12.0	10.5	12.7	12.4	15.8	19.8
Apparel and other fabricated textile products	32.0	20.5	13.3	18.0	9.6	11.0	11.2	9.9	12.6	16.4	13.3	11.6	16.5	15.8	15.0	17.8	16.8	20.3	21.6
Paper and allied products	35.9	29.7	17.3	28.3	35.6	24.0	22.5	20.1	23.0	22.8	17.5	15.8	18.4	16.5	15.1	15.6	15.6	15.8	15.8
Printing and publishing, except newspapers	28.5	24.1	19.0	20.1	21.8	19.2	19.6	17.8	20.3	24.6	22.8	18.2	21.9	21.0	17.8	19.7	18.8	23.1	25.0
Leather and leather products	24.6	17.7	11.0	19.2	11.0	13.0	13.3	13.0	17.2	15.1	14.9	12.7	17.4	12.9	10.2	14.5	14.2	19.4	20.8

¹ Not available.

Source: Federal Trade Commission, Securities and Exchange Commission Quarterly Financial Report for Manufacturing Corporations.

TABLE IV.13—Annual rates of profit on stockholders' equity, by industry, after taxes, 1947-65

[Each rate is the arithmetic mean of 4 quarterly rates, each on an annual basis. In percent]

Industry	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
All manufacturing corporations, except newspapers..	15.6	16.0	11.6	15.4	12.1	10.3	10.5	9.9	12.6	12.3	11.0	8.6	10.4	9.2	8.8	9.8	10.2	11.6	13.0
Durable goods industries.....	14.5	15.7	12.1	16.8	13.0	11.0	11.1	10.3	13.8	12.8	11.3	8.0	10.4	8.6	8.1	9.6	10.1	11.8	13.8
Metals and metal fabricating industries.....	14.0	15.8	12.4	16.9	13.2	11.4	11.4	10.4	14.1	12.9	11.6	7.8	10.2	8.0	8.0	9.8	10.4	12.0	14.2
Transportation equipment.....	11.0	16.2	18.0	21.5	13.2	13.6	13.8	14.6	20.2	13.6	14.4	8.8	12.9	11.7	10.6	15.0	15.2	15.8	18.5
Motor vehicles and equipment.....	16.4	19.8	22.0	25.2	14.4	13.9	13.9	14.1	21.7	13.1	14.2	8.2	14.6	13.5	11.4	16.2	16.7	16.9	19.5
Aircraft and parts.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	17.7	13.1	8.2	7.4	9.8	12.7	11.3	12.2	15.1
Electrical machinery, equipment, and supplies.....	19.0	16.1	13.6	20.8	14.0	13.6	13.1	12.4	12.3	11.4	12.6	10.2	12.4	9.5	8.9	10.0	10.0	11.2	13.5
Machinery, except electrical.....	15.8	16.4	(1)	14.0	13.1	11.3	9.8	8.6	10.3	12.6	10.7	6.8	9.7	7.6	7.8	9.1	9.6	12.4	14.1
Metalworking machinery and equipment.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	11.5	2.0	5.2	5.3	6.0	8.6	8.6	12.4	14.4
Other fabricated metal products.....	17.7	17.0	10.3	15.9	13.4	10.1	9.8	7.6	10.0	10.7	9.3	7.2	8.0	5.6	5.9	7.9	8.3	10.1	13.2
Primary metal industries.....	12.2	14.5	9.3	14.5	12.8	9.5	10.8	8.8	14.1	14.0	10.8	6.8	8.0	7.2	6.4	6.2	7.2	9.2	10.6
Blast furnaces, steelworks, and foundries.....	12.0	14.6	10.0	14.3	12.3	8.5	10.7	8.1	13.5	12.7	11.4	7.2	8.0	7.2	6.2	5.4	7.0	8.8	9.8
Nonferrous metals.....	12.4	14.2	8.1	15.0	13.9	11.6	11.1	10.4	15.4	16.5	9.3	6.0	8.0	7.1	7.1	7.5	7.6	9.8	11.9
Other durable goods industries.....	16.4	15.4	10.5	16.3	12.4	9.7	9.6	9.6	12.3	12.3	9.7	8.6	11.2	8.6	8.0	8.8	9.2	10.6	12.2
Lumber and wood products, except furniture.....	22.9	19.4	9.1	17.4	12.0	8.5	7.1	6.3	11.1	8.7	4.7	5.7	9.3	3.6	4.0	5.6	8.2	10.0	10.0
Furniture and fixtures.....	18.1	16.0	8.2	15.1	11.4	8.6	8.3	6.0	9.2	11.6	8.5	6.2	8.8	6.5	4.9	7.9	8.2	10.1	13.3
Stone, clay, and glass products.....	14.0	15.0	13.1	17.6	14.2	11.6	11.8	12.4	15.6	14.8	12.4	10.1	12.7	9.9	8.8	8.8	8.6	9.6	10.2
Instruments and related products.....	14.4	14.0	12.1	16.7	13.3	11.6	11.4	12.3	12.5	12.4	12.0	10.6	13.0	11.6	10.5	12.0	12.0	14.4	17.5
Miscellaneous manufacturing, and ordnance.....	14.0	12.2	7.1	12.2	9.8	7.0	8.2	7.5	8.6	11.6	7.6	8.0	9.2	9.2	9.8	9.3	8.8	9.5	10.7
Nondurable goods industries.....	16.6	16.2	11.2	14.0	11.3	9.6	9.9	9.6	11.4	11.8	10.6	9.2	10.4	9.8	9.6	9.9	10.4	11.5	12.2
Chemicals, petroleum, rubber and plastics.....	15.0	17.8	12.1	15.4	14.1	12.2	12.3	12.1	13.7	13.8	12.6	10.3	11.2	10.8	10.7	10.8	11.6	12.4	13.0
Chemicals and allied products.....	16.0	15.8	13.2	17.8	12.2	10.9	10.8	11.6	14.7	14.2	13.2	11.4	13.6	12.2	11.8	12.4	12.9	14.4	15.2
Basic chemicals and related products.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	13.0	9.8	12.9	11.1	10.6	11.7	12.3	14.0
Drugs.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	18.6	17.7	17.8	16.8	16.7	16.8	16.8	18.2	20.3
Petroleum refining and related industries.....	14.8	19.8	11.9	13.8	15.2	13.2	13.2	12.5	13.2	13.8	12.4	9.9	9.8	10.1	10.3	10.0	11.2	11.4	11.8
Petroleum refining.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	15.2	13.4	13.4	12.7	13.3	13.9	12.4	10.0	9.8	10.1	10.3	10.1	11.3	11.4	11.8
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products.....	12.4	12.4	8.6	16.7	14.8	11.2	11.3	10.6	13.2	12.2	11.2	9.1	11.0	9.1	9.3	9.6	9.2	10.6	11.7
Other nondurable goods industries.....	18.1	14.8	10.3	12.8	8.6	7.1	7.5	7.0	8.8	9.3	8.1	7.6	9.4	8.5	8.1	8.6	8.5	10.2	11.1
Food and kindred products.....	17.6	12.8	11.8	12.3	8.2	7.6	8.1	8.1	8.9	9.3	8.6	8.7	9.3	8.7	8.9	8.8	9.0	10.0	10.7
Dairy products.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	8.5	9.6	10.6
Bakery products.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	9.4	9.2	9.0	9.3
Alcoholic beverages.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	7.4	7.9	8.8	9.3
Tobacco manufacturers.....	10.1	13.6	12.6	11.5	9.5	8.3	9.3	10.2	11.4	11.7	12.5	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.1	13.4	13.4	13.5
Textile mill products.....	19.5	18.9	7.6	12.6	8.3	4.2	4.6	1.8	5.7	5.8	4.2	3.5	7.6	5.8	5.0	6.2	6.0	8.4	10.8
Apparel and other fabricated textile products.....	18.9	12.1	7.6	10.1	3.0	4.7	5.0	4.5	6.2	8.0	6.3	4.9	8.6	7.7	7.0	9.3	7.7	11.7	12.6
Paper and allied products.....	22.1	16.4	10.7	16.1	14.0	10.4	10.0	9.9	11.5	11.6	8.9	8.0	9.5	8.5	7.8	8.1	8.1	9.1	9.4
Printing and publishing, except newspapers.....	17.2	14.7	11.4	11.5	10.2	9.2	9.5	9.2	10.2	13.1	11.8	9.0	11.4	10.6	8.5	10.2	9.1	12.6	14.1
Leather and leather products.....	14.1	10.4	6.2	10.9	2.1	5.8	6.0	5.9	8.5	7.2	7.0	5.6	8.4	6.3	4.4	6.9	6.9	10.5	11.6

¹ Not available.

Source: Federal Trade Commission, Securities and Exchange Commission Quarterly Financial Report for Manufacturing Corporations.

TABLE IV.14—Leading corporations¹ in all industries and in manufacturing:
Return on net worth and margin on sales, and indexes

Year	Number of firms in survey	All industries				Manufacturing			
		Return on net worth	1957-59=100	Margin on sales	1957-59=100	Return on net worth	1957-59=100	Margin on sales	1957-59=100
1928	1,520	11.7	120.6			11.6	101.8		
1929	1,900	10.6	109.3			12.8	112.3		
1930	1,900	5.7	58.8			6.4	56.1		
1931	1,810	2.4	24.7			2.3	20.2		
1932	1,925	.3	3.1			(2)			
1933	1,935	2.6	26.8			2.5	21.9		
1934	2,010	3.5	36.1			4.3	37.7		
1935	2,140	5.0	51.5			6.7	58.8		
1936	2,280	7.3	75.3			10.4	91.2		
1937	2,435	7.2	74.2			10.8	94.7		
1938	2,480	3.8	39.2			4.6	40.4	4.0	71.4
1939	2,590	6.3	64.9			8.3	72.8	6.5	116.1
1940	2,540	7.8	80.4			10.5	92.1	7.5	133.9
1941	2,560	8.9	91.8			12.3	107.9	6.5	116.1
1942	2,625	8.5	87.6			9.9	86.8	4.3	76.8
1943	2,665	8.6	88.7			9.6	84.2	3.6	64.3
1944	2,806	8.2	84.5			9.6	84.2	3.3	58.9
1945	2,958	7.7	79.4			9.3	81.6	3.9	69.6
1946	3,102	9.5	97.9			12.1	106.1	6.0	107.1
1947	3,262	12.3	126.8	6.8	117.2	17.1	150.0	7.1	126.8
1948	3,322	13.6	140.2	7.3	125.9	18.2	159.6	7.5	133.9
1949	3,304	11.0	113.4	6.6	113.8	13.9	121.9	6.8	121.4
1950	3,409	13.4	138.1	7.7	132.8	17.1	150.0	7.7	137.5
1951	3,440	11.4	117.5	6.2	106.9	14.4	126.3	6.2	110.7
1952	3,444	10.4	107.2	5.6	96.6	12.3	107.9	5.4	96.4
1953	3,442	10.6	109.3	5.6	96.6	12.7	111.4	5.3	94.6
1954	3,400	10.3	106.2	6.1	105.2	12.3	107.9	5.9	105.4
1955	3,485	11.9	122.7	6.8	117.2	14.9	130.7	6.7	119.6
1956	3,521	11.3	116.5	6.3	108.6	13.8	121.1	6.0	107.1
1957	3,574	10.6	109.3	6.1	105.2	12.9	113.2	5.9	105.4
1958	3,331	8.9	91.8	5.5	94.8	9.8	86.0	5.2	92.9
1959	3,433	9.8	101.0	6.0	103.4	11.7	102.6	5.8	103.6
1960	3,557	9.1	93.8	5.7	98.3	10.6	93.0	5.4	96.4
1961	3,831	8.7	89.7	5.6	96.6	9.9	86.8	5.3	94.6
1962	3,934	9.0	92.8	5.7	98.3	10.9	95.6	5.5	98.2
1963	3,945	9.7	100.0	5.9	101.7	11.6	101.8	5.7	101.8
1964	3,862	10.3	106.2	6.2	106.9	12.6	110.5	6.1	108.9
1965	3,862	11.1	114.4	6.7	115.5	13.8	121.1	6.6	117.9

¹ As selected by the First National City Bank.

² Deficit.

Source: First National City Bank of New York Monthly Economic Letter, April issues, 1928-65.

TABLE IV.15—Indexes of consumption of raw materials, 1909-61

[1957-59=100]

	Consumption of raw materials	Raw materials per unit of gross national product		Consumption of raw materials	Raw materials per unit of gross national product
1909.....	43.2	169.4	1936.....	61.8	146.8
1910.....	44.3	169.1	1937.....	64.2	144.9
1911.....	44.8	166.6	1938.....	59.2	140.6
1912.....	46.0	162.0	1939.....	64.1	140.3
1913.....	46.0	160.3	1940.....	68.9	139.2
1914.....	47.7	174.1	1941.....	75.6	131.5
1915.....	45.3	167.2	1942.....	76.3	117.6
1916.....	46.7	159.4	1943.....	77.7	105.7
1917.....	50.2	170.2	1944.....	81.6	103.6
1918.....	50.8	153.5	1945.....	80.7	104.1
1919.....	48.5	152.0	1946.....	80.6	118.2
1920.....	52.1	170.8	1947.....	82.7	122.3
1921.....	44.3	158.8	1948.....	85.0	120.4
1922.....	50.9	167.6	1949.....	81.5	115.3
1923.....	57.2	158.0	1950.....	88.0	113.6
1924.....	55.7	154.3	1951.....	90.1	107.8
1925.....	57.2	146.3	1952.....	91.2	105.8
1926.....	59.3	144.3	1953.....	93.8	104.2
1927.....	59.1	142.8	1954.....	91.6	103.2
1928.....	59.0	141.8	1955.....	97.1	101.7
1929.....	62.1	139.9	1956.....	101.1	103.9
1930.....	58.1	145.3	1957.....	99.7	101.0
1931.....	55.5	150.4	1958.....	97.7	100.2
1932.....	51.0	162.4	1959.....	102.6	98.9
1933.....	53.8	174.1	1960.....	103.0	96.8
1934.....	55.0	163.7	1961.....	104.4	96.3
1935.....	57.0	154.1			

Source: Col. 1: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Raw Materials in the U.S. Economy, 1900-61, working paper No. 6, 1963. Col. 2: Col. 1 divided by col. 1 of table II.1.

TABLE IV.16—*Manufacturing: Indexes of production, value added, and input costs, 1929-65*

[1957-59=100]

	Production	Value added	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Capital consumption allowance	Corporate profits before tax	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after tax	Indirect tax plus business transfers
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1929	38.6	18.8	18.9	17.9	18.1	20.7	5.5	34.1	
1930	31.7	16.0	15.8	15.4	18.8	7.1	3.3	10.5	
1931	25.9	11.4	10.8	12.1	17.9	-1.1	1.8	-3.6	
1932	19.9	7.2	6.3	8.6	16.5	-5.0	1.2	-10.5	
1933	23.7	7.4	6.6	8.7	15.8	4.0	2.3	5.6	
1934	26.0	9.9	9.6	10.7	13.6	6.5	2.9	9.6	
1935	30.6	11.7	11.5	12.1	13.4	9.5	4.3	14.1	
1936	36.4	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.7	15.4	6.4	23.5	
1937	39.7	16.6	16.8	16.7	14.3	16.0	6.9	24.1	
1938	30.5	13.2	13.1	13.8	14.7	7.1	4.0	9.9	
1939	37.9	15.5	15.6	15.8	15.0	16.0	6.6	24.4	
1940	43.8	19.1	19.4	18.1	15.9	23.8	15.4	31.3	
1941	58.3	27.7	28.6	25.1	18.0	46.4	46.9	45.9	
1942	73.1	37.8	29.2	35.6	23.4	52.7	65.3	41.5	
1943	88.7	48.3	50.2	47.0	27.3	60.4	77.5	45.2	
1944	86.3	50.3	52.0	49.6	32.1	56.6	69.6	45.1	
1945	73.0	43.9	45.0	44.3	32.6	42.6	52.8	33.5	
1946	60.0	40.7	42.4	42.1	22.4	50.8	42.4	58.2	
1947	66.4	49.2	51.3	49.1	27.3	72.9	57.9	86.3	56.0
1948	68.9	56.9	59.2	54.4	32.4	80.2	63.0	95.5	56.9
1949	65.1	54.1	55.8	51.8	36.1	63.5	51.0	74.6	58.7
1950	75.8	63.5	65.7	59.0	39.4	101.7	96.8	106.0	65.1
1951	81.9	75.0	77.8	70.1	45.6	106.2	127.2	87.5	68.8
1952	85.2	77.4	79.7	75.8	52.3	88.5	102.2	76.3	78.9
1953	92.7	84.4	86.5	84.0	61.5	95.8	110.2	82.9	84.4
1954	86.3	80.6	81.5	80.2	70.5	85.2	87.5	83.2	79.8
1955	97.3	91.9	93.0	88.1	80.7	115.5	115.6	112.9	89.0
1956	100.2	96.5	97.5	95.2	86.6	111.0	110.4	111.6	92.7
1957	100.8	99.8	100.2	99.3	95.0	105.4	104.5	106.2	98.2
1958	93.2	93.5	92.9	95.1	100.7	82.4	82.7	82.2	97.2
1959	106.0	106.7	106.9	105.6	104.3	112.2	112.9	111.6	105.5
1960	108.9	108.5	108.5	109.6	108.7	101.7	102.8	100.8	113.8
1961	109.6	108.3	107.8	109.9	113.7	98.9	102.0	96.1	114.7
1962	118.7	119.3	118.1	119.2	132.1	111.7	109.5	113.7	123.9
1963	124.9	125.2	124.0	124.5	138.4	123.6	122.5	124.6	130.3
1964	133.1	134.9	133.7	132.8	148.0	138.1	130.2	145.0	135.8
1965	144.9	148.1	146.9	143.4	160.6	162.4	163.2	170.6	

Source: Col. 1—Board of Governors, Federal Reserve Bulletin. Col. 2—Obtained by adding income originating and capital consumption allowances and putting on an index. Cols. 3-9—Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE IV.17—*Manufacturing: Indexes of production, and production workers' inputs, 1909-65*

[1957-59=100]

	Production (1)	Production workers (2)	Production workers average weekly hours (3)	Man-hours of production workers (4)	Production worker output per man-hour (5)	Production worker payrolls (6)	Production worker payrolls per unit (7)
1909.....		49.8	128.3	63.9		5.8	
1914.....		52.6	124.2	65.3		6.8	
1919.....	25.1	68.4	116.4	79.6	31.5	17.8	70.9
1920.....	25.9	68.7	119.2	81.9	31.6	21.2	81.9
1921.....	19.7	52.6	108.4	57.0	34.6	13.7	69.5
1922.....	25.8	58.2	111.2	64.7	39.9	14.7	57.0
1923.....	30.2	66.6	114.7	76.4	39.5	18.6	61.6
1924.....	28.3	61.8	109.9	67.9	41.7	17.4	61.5
1925.....	31.6	64.0	111.9	71.6	44.1	18.3	57.9
1926.....	33.3	65.2	113.2	73.8	45.1	18.9	56.8
1927.....	33.1	63.8	113.2	72.2	45.8	18.5	55.9
1928.....	34.8	63.9	110.6	70.7	49.2	18.8	54.0
1929.....	38.6	68.0	111.2	75.6	50.8	20.0	51.8
1930.....	31.7	59.3	105.9	62.8	51.0	16.2	51.1
1931.....	25.9	50.0	101.8	50.9	52.1	12.3	47.5
1932.....	19.9	42.5	96.3	40.9	50.6	8.5	42.7
1933.....	23.7	47.0	95.8	45.0	54.2	9.3	39.2
1934.....	26.0	54.9	87.0	47.8	55.6	11.9	45.8
1935.....	30.6	58.6	92.0	53.9	57.0	13.8	45.1
1936.....	36.4	63.6	98.6	62.7	57.9	16.3	44.8
1937.....	39.7	69.8	97.1	67.8	58.5	19.8	50.0
1938.....	30.5	59.4	89.5	53.2	59.0	15.6	51.1
1939.....	37.9	66.0	94.8	62.6	61.2	18.5	48.8
1940.....	43.8	71.0	95.8	68.0	64.6	21.0	47.9
1941.....	58.3	87.5	102.1	89.3	63.2	30.6	52.5
1942.....	73.1	103.2	108.4	111.9	61.9	45.0	61.6
1943.....	88.7	120.2	113.2	136.2	60.9	61.5	69.3
1944.....	86.3	117.0	113.7	133.0	61.4	63.5	73.6
1945.....	73.0	103.3	109.4	113.0	62.4	54.2	74.2
1946.....	60.0	97.5	101.3	98.8	60.2	50.2	83.7
1947.....	66.4	103.1	102.5	105.7	62.2	60.2	90.7
1948.....	68.9	102.5	99.0	101.5	67.4	64.7	93.9
1949.....	65.1	93.6	91.2	85.4	75.8	59.9	92.0
1950.....	75.8	99.4	95.2	94.6	79.2	69.8	90.9
1951.....	81.9	106.1	96.5	102.4	79.4	80.2	97.9
1952.....	85.2	106.1	97.0	102.9	81.9	84.5	99.2
1953.....	92.7	111.6	97.5	108.8	83.9	93.6	101.0
1954.....	86.3	101.8	97.0	98.7	86.9	85.4	99.0
1955.....	97.3	105.5	102.3	107.9	89.5	94.8	97.4
1956.....	100.2	106.7	102.5	109.4	91.3	100.2	100.0
1957.....	100.8	104.7	100.8	105.5	95.5	101.4	100.6
1958.....	93.2	95.3	97.7	93.1	100.6	93.5	100.3
1959.....	106.0	100.0	101.8	101.8	103.7	105.1	99.2
1960.....	108.9	99.7	101.5	101.2	107.4	106.7	98.0
1961.....	109.6	95.6	101.8	97.3	112.7	105.4	96.2
1962.....	118.7	98.6	102.8	101.4	116.7	113.8	95.9
1963.....	124.9	99.7	104.5	104.2	119.3	117.9	94.4
1964.....	133.1	101.4	105.3	106.8	123.9	124.2	93.3
1965.....	144.9	106.2	106.1	112.7	127.2	135.9	93.8

Source: Col. 1: Federal Reserve Board, Federal Reserve Bulletin. Cols. 2 and 3: Department of Labor, BLS, Employment and Earnings Statistics. Col. 4: Col. 2 multiplied by col. 3. Col. 5: Col. 1 divided by col. 4. Col. 6: Federal Reserve Board, Federal Reserve Bulletin. Col. 7: Col. 6 divided by col. 1.

TABLE IV.18—Prices and costs in manufacturing, 1929-65

[Cols. 2-11 computed per unit of manufacturing output 1957-59=100]

Year	Whole-sale prices on finished goods	Value added	In-come originating	Compensation of employees	Pro-duction worker weekly payroll	Capital consumption allowance	Corpo-rate profits before tax	Corpo-rate tax liability	Corpo-rate profits after tax	Indirect tax and business transfers
1929	53.5	48.7	49.0	46.4	51.8	46.9	53.6	14.2	88.3	-----
1930	49.8	50.5	49.8	48.6	51.1	59.3	22.4	10.4	33.1	-----
1931	43.6	44.0	41.7	46.7	47.5	69.1	-4.2	6.9	-13.9	-----
1932	39.8	36.2	31.7	43.2	42.7	82.9	-25.1	6.0	-52.7	-----
1933	39.9	31.2	27.8	36.7	39.2	66.7	16.9	9.7	23.6	-----
1934	44.3	38.1	36.9	41.2	45.8	52.3	25.0	11.2	36.9	-----
1935	46.5	38.2	37.6	39.5	45.1	43.8	31.0	14.1	46.1	-----
1936	46.4	38.5	38.5	38.5	44.8	37.6	42.3	17.6	64.6	-----
1937	49.3	41.8	42.3	42.1	50.0	36.0	40.3	17.4	60.7	-----
1938	46.5	43.3	43.0	45.2	51.1	48.2	23.3	13.1	32.5	-----
1939	45.5	40.9	41.2	41.7	48.8	39.6	42.2	17.4	64.4	-----
1940	46.2	43.6	44.3	41.3	47.9	36.3	54.3	35.2	71.5	-----
1941	50.4	47.5	49.1	43.1	52.5	30.9	79.6	80.4	78.7	-----
1942	55.9	51.7	53.6	48.7	61.6	32.0	72.1	89.3	56.8	-----
1943	56.7	54.5	56.6	53.0	69.3	30.8	68.1	87.4	51.0	-----
1944	57.1	58.3	60.3	57.5	73.6	37.2	65.6	80.6	52.3	-----
1945	57.6	60.1	61.6	60.7	74.2	44.7	58.4	72.3	45.9	-----
1946	65.7	67.8	70.7	70.2	83.7	37.3	84.7	70.7	97.0	-----
1947	80.1	74.1	77.3	73.9	90.7	41.1	109.8	87.2	130.0	84.3
1948	86.4	82.6	85.9	79.0	93.9	47.0	116.4	91.4	138.6	82.5
1949	84.0	83.1	85.7	79.6	92.0	55.5	97.5	78.3	114.6	90.2
1950	85.5	83.8	86.7	77.8	90.9	52.0	134.2	127.7	139.8	85.9
1951	93.6	91.6	95.0	85.6	97.6	56.6	129.7	155.3	106.8	84.0
1952	93.0	90.8	93.5	89.0	99.3	61.4	103.9	120.0	89.6	92.6
1953	92.1	91.0	93.3	90.6	100.8	66.3	103.3	118.9	89.4	91.0
1954	92.3	93.4	94.4	92.9	98.7	81.7	98.7	101.4	96.4	92.5
1955	92.5	94.5	95.6	90.5	97.5	82.9	118.7	118.8	116.0	91.5
1956	95.1	96.3	97.3	95.0	99.6	86.4	110.8	110.2	111.4	92.5
1957	98.6	99.0	99.4	98.5	100.7	94.2	104.6	103.7	105.4	97.4
1958	100.8	100.3	99.7	102.0	100.4	108.0	88.4	88.7	88.2	104.3
1959	100.6	100.7	100.8	99.6	99.0	98.4	105.8	106.5	105.3	99.5
1960	101.4	99.6	99.6	100.6	97.8	99.8	93.4	94.4	92.6	104.5
1961	101.4	98.8	98.4	100.3	96.0	103.7	90.2	93.1	87.7	104.7
1962	101.7	100.5	99.5	100.4	95.8	111.3	94.1	92.2	95.8	104.4
1963	101.4	100.2	99.2	99.7	94.5	110.8	99.0	98.1	99.8	104.3
1964	101.8	101.4	100.5	99.8	93.2	111.2	103.8	97.8	108.9	102.0
1965	103.6	102.2	101.4	99.0	93.8	110.8	112.1	105.7	117.7	-----

Sources. Col. 1—Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; cols 2-10—Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business; computed to a per unit of manufacturing output basis by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE IV.19—Indexes of man-hours worked in manufacturing, 1947-65

[1957-59=100]

Year	All workers	All employees	Production employees	Non-production employees
1947	95.8	95.0	104.7	64.3
1948	95.1	94.4	123.2	67.3
1949	86.6	85.9	92.1	66.6
1950	93.8	93.3	101.2	68.3
1951	101.0	100.5	108.5	75.8
1952	102.7	102.1	108.5	82.0
1953	107.7	107.4	113.7	87.5
1954	98.4	98.0	101.4	87.4
1955	103.8	103.6	108.0	89.8
1956	105.3	105.2	108.4	95.1
1957	103.6	103.6	104.8	99.6
1958	95.2	95.1	93.8	98.7
1959	101.2	101.3	101.3	101.8
1960	100.9	101.0	99.7	104.7
1961	98.2	98.2	96.1	105.0
1962	102.2	102.3	100.6	107.2
1963	103.2	103.4	101.4	109.0
1964	105.1	105.4	103.8	110.3
1965	110.2	110.6	109.9	113.4

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, unpublished estimates.

TABLE IV.20—Labor costs per unit of output in manufacturing—Ratio of indexes of output per man-hour and average hourly earnings, 1947-65

Year	Output per man-hour	Employee compensation per man-hour	Implicit index of prices paid by consumers	Employee cost per unit of output	Employee cost in constant prices per unit of output
1947	69.3	51.3	78.2	74.0	94.6
1948	72.5	57.2	82.6	78.9	95.5
1949	75.2	59.8	82.0	79.5	97.0
1950	80.8	62.9	83.2	77.8	93.5
1951	81.1	69.4	89.0	85.6	96.2
1952	83.0	73.8	90.9	88.9	97.8
1953	86.1	78.0	92.1	90.6	98.4
1954	87.7	81.5	92.9	92.9	100.0
1955	93.7	84.9	93.2	90.6	97.2
1956	95.2	90.4	95.2	95.0	99.8
1957	97.3	95.8	98.1	98.5	100.4
1958	97.9	99.9	100.4	102.0	101.6
1959	104.7	104.3	101.7	99.6	97.9
1960	107.9	108.6	103.3	100.6	97.4
1961	111.6	111.9	104.3	100.3	96.2
1962	116.1	116.6	105.2	100.4	95.4
1963	121.0	120.6	106.5	99.7	93.6
1964	126.6	126.4	107.6	99.8	92.8
1965	131.5	130.1	109.1	98.9	90.7

Source: Col. 1—Table IV.17, col. 1 divided by col. 1 of table IV.19. Col. 2—Table IV.16, col. 4 divided by col. 1 of table IV.19. Col. 3—Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Col. 4—Col. 2 divided by col. 1. Col. 5—col. 4 divided by col. 3.

TABLE IV.21—Manufacturing profits, employee compensation, and capital consumption allowances as percentages of income plus capital consumption, 1929-65

[Dollar amounts in millions]

Year	Compensation of employees	Percent	Corporate profits before tax	Percent	Corporate profits after tax	Percent	Capital consumption allowance	Percent	Cash flow, col. 6 plus col. 8 (percent)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1929	\$16,243	68.0	\$4,898	20.5	\$4,280	17.9	\$1,959	8.2	26.1
1930	13,991	68.8	1,692	8.3	1,319	6.5	2,039	10.0	16.5
1931	10,933	75.8	-252	-1.7	-458	-3.2	1,937	13.4	10.2
1932	7,783	85.4	-1,180	-12.9	-1,312	-14.3	1,780	19.5	5.2
1933	7,921	84.1	952	10.1	697	7.4	1,711	18.2	25.6
1934	9,746	77.5	1,531	12.2	1,202	9.6	1,460	11.7	21.3
1935	10,961	73.9	2,245	15.1	1,781	11.9	1,443	9.7	21.6
1936	12,672	71.3	3,659	20.6	2,939	16.6	1,480	8.3	24.8
1937	15,186	72.3	3,789	18.0	3,021	14.4	1,552	7.4	18.0
1938	12,493	74.6	1,694	10.1	1,247	7.4	1,593	9.5	18.9
1939	14,321	72.6	3,797	19.3	3,056	15.5	1,628	7.1	23.8
1940	16,397	67.8	5,645	23.3	3,918	16.2	1,721	8.3	23.3
1941	22,775	64.8	10,996	31.3	5,752	16.3	1,950	5.5	21.8
1942	32,248	67.2	12,499	26.1	5,198	10.8	2,528	5.3	16.1
1943	42,658	69.7	14,331	23.4	5,664	9.3	2,954	4.8	14.1
1944	44,960	70.4	13,433	21.1	5,657	8.9	3,473	5.4	14.3
1945	40,182	72.1	10,107	18.1	4,204	7.5	3,528	6.3	13.8
1946	38,178	74.0	12,043	23.4	7,298	14.2	2,949	4.7	18.9
1947	44,537	71.3	17,291	27.7	10,821	17.3	2,949	4.7	22.0
1948	49,367	68.4	19,007	26.3	11,966	16.6	3,501	4.8	21.4
1949	46,983	68.4	15,054	21.9	9,355	13.6	3,909	5.7	19.3
1950	53,528	66.5	24,115	30.0	13,290	16.5	4,260	5.3	21.8
1951	63,572	66.8	25,167	26.5	10,969	11.5	4,934	5.2	16.7
1952	68,726	70.0	26,995	21.4	9,566	8.7	5,653	5.2	15.5
1953	76,229	71.2	22,714	21.2	10,392	10.2	6,653	6.2	15.9
1954	72,743	71.2	20,205	19.8	10,428	10.2	7,623	7.5	17.7
1955	79,884	68.5	27,378	26.8	14,453	14.1	8,731	8.5	22.6
1956	86,321	70.5	26,327	21.5	13,986	14.1	9,363	7.0	18.6
1957	90,089	71.2	24,994	19.8	13,314	10.5	10,280	8.1	18.6
1958	86,242	72.7	19,542	16.5	10,299	8.7	10,898	9.2	17.9
1959	95,776	70.8	26,603	19.7	13,986	11.1	11,287	8.3	18.6
1960	99,424	72.3	24,126	17.5	12,631	10.2	11,764	8.6	17.8
1961	99,718	72.6	23,448	17.1	12,046	8.8	12,296	9.0	17.8
1962	108,158	71.5	26,485	17.5	14,246	9.4	14,288	9.4	18.8
1963	112,888	71.1	29,312	18.5	15,622	9.8	14,977	9.4	19.2
1964	120,460	70.4	32,737	19.1	18,178	10.6	16,013	9.4	20.0
1965	130,067	69.3	38,508	20.5	21,381	11.4	17,373	9.3	20.7

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Percentages computed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

APPENDIX V

COSTS AND PRICES IN THE FOOD INDUSTRIES

TABLE V.1—*Personal consumption expenditures for food, clothing, housing, and medical care, 1929-65*

	Personal consumption expenditures	Food	Clothing	Housing	Medical expenditures
	<i>Billions</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
1929.....	\$77.2	28	15	15	4
1930.....	69.9	28	14	16	4
1931.....	60.5	27	14	17	4
1932.....	48.6	26	12	19	4
1933.....	45.8	29	12	17	4
1934.....	51.3	30	13	15	4
1935.....	55.7	32	13	14	4
1936.....	61.9	32	12	13	4
1937.....	66.5	32	12	13	4
1938.....	63.9	32	13	14	4
1939.....	66.8	31	13	14	4
1940.....	70.8	31	13	13	4
1941.....	80.6	32	13	13	4
1942.....	88.5	35	15	12	4
1943.....	99.3	36	16	12	4
1944.....	108.3	36	16	11	4
1945.....	119.7	36	16	10	4
1946.....	143.4	35	15	10	4
1947.....	160.7	35	14	10	4
1948.....	173.6	34	14	10	5
1949.....	176.8	32	13	11	5
1950.....	191.0	30	13	11	5
1951.....	206.3	31	12	12	5
1952.....	216.7	32	12	12	5
1953.....	230.0	30	12	13	5
1954.....	236.5	30	11	13	5
1955.....	254.4	28	11	13	5
1956.....	266.7	28	11	14	5
1957.....	281.4	28	10	14	5
1958.....	290.1	28	10	14	6
1959.....	311.2	27	10	14	6
1960.....	352.2	27	10	14	6
1961.....	335.2	27	10	15	6
1962.....	355.1	26	10	15	6
1963.....	375.0	26	10	15	6
1964.....	401.4	25	10	15	6
1965.....	431.5	25	10	15	7

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics, Survey of Current Business, November 1965, pp. 20-21, and subsequent issues; percentages computed by the Staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE V.2—Supply-utilization of farm commodities: Indexes by component, 1924-65¹

[Index: 1957-59=100]

Year	Net production	Net imports ²	Stocks, Jan. 1 ³	Total annual net utilization	Domestic use				Exports and shipments ⁴
					Food		Net non-food ⁴	Total	
					Civilian	Military ⁴			
1924	61.4	62.8	47.4	61.6	62.8		60.8	61.5	65.7
1925	60.8	69.3	48.8	62.6	63.4		68.0	63.0	63.4
1926	63.4	72.9	48.1	63.9	64.7		70.0	64.3	64.7
1927	61.7	71.1	50.7	64.6	64.2		73.6	64.4	69.7
1928	62.9	70.6	48.8	63.9	64.7		70.0	64.3	64.6
1929	62.0	79.3	50.1	64.7	65.9		74.0	65.9	59.9
1930	62.0	70.1	50.1	62.6	66.0		63.3	64.7	50.9
1931	66.1	64.4	52.1	62.8	66.6		62.7	65.1	49.0
1932	62.8	55.7	58.6	61.6	65.6		55.5	63.3	52.2
1933	58.7	62.8	60.6	62.6	66.1		66.9	65.1	47.0
1934	56.5	58.9	56.0	62.4	67.5		65.9	66.2	37.2
1935	61.5	74.2	47.4	60.7	65.1		69.6	64.6	37.4
1936	56.2	78.1	52.7	63.8	67.7		81.7	68.4	32.8
1937	70.7	83.5	44.8	65.3	68.9		83.2	69.6	37.4
1938	66.8	69.1	58.0	64.4	68.4		71.3	67.7	43.5
1939	66.3	74.9	64.6	67.3	71.5		82.7	71.7	38.0
1940	69.8	75.4	65.2	68.6	74.0		86.5	74.4	28.3
1941	72.1	92.0	69.8	72.7	75.0	80.9	108.2	79.2	23.5
1942	80.6	63.8	73.8	76.8	74.2	287.0	114.4	82.6	37.4
1943	77.8	71.0	77.1	82.2	74.8	471.7	114.8	86.1	58.0
1944	86.7	78.7	69.2	86.7	77.2	696.2	113.1	91.5	55.2
1945	83.6	80.1	69.8	86.8	78.2	647.4	110.2	91.3	58.4
1946	85.1	83.7	66.6	87.6	85.6	167.0	111.4	90.1	74.2
1947	83.4	81.0	64.6	86.7	85.4	177.5	105.3	89.3	67.4
1948	89.7	88.2	60.6	84.1	83.3	207.0	108.7	88.4	51.8
1949	86.0	85.1	73.1	85.0	84.4	207.6	95.9	87.8	64.1
1950	84.4	93.0	77.8	87.3	86.4	108.1	113.2	90.1	66.0
1951	84.9	89.8	77.1	89.8	85.9	214.4	109.5	90.9	81.3
1952	90.3	80.2	72.5	89.0	88.9	160.2	102.0	91.6	69.3
1953	92.6	92.8	77.8	90.0	91.3	149.2	104.2	93.8	61.3
1954	94.0	82.7	85.0	90.7	92.7	125.2	96.1	93.6	69.0
1955	97.6	89.5	91.2	94.7	96.3	111.0	102.7	97.3	75.2
1956	99.9	93.1	97.2	100.1	99.3	112.4	105.3	100.3	98.5
1957	97.9	92.7	98.6	100.1	98.9	101.6	97.9	98.8	110.0
1958	101.1	95.7	97.1	97.9	98.8	99.9	96.7	98.5	92.8
1959	101.0	111.6	104.3	102.0	102.3	98.5	105.4	102.7	97.2
1960	105.9	106.3	107.6	105.7	103.5	94.2	102.8	103.3	123.9
1961	104.6	112.6	111.3	107.5	105.6	104.0	103.0	105.3	124.6
1962	107.0	115.3	110.9	108.9	107.2	108.3	106.9	107.2	121.9
1963	111.6	115.8	112.6	112.8	110.1	107.2	104.7	109.4	135.8
1964	112.5	104.9	115.3	117.8	112.7	115.5	108.4	112.2	155.8
1965	117.2	105.3	109.6	116.6	112.7	130.1	114.5	113.2	142.2

¹ Quantities weighted by average farm prices in 1957-59; prior to 1955, quantities are weighted using 1947-49 average farm prices but "linked" to the 1957-59 base period at 1955; imports priced at port of entry. Use of farm products allocated on the basis of value of processed products. See "Measuring the Supply and Utilization of Farm Commodities," Agriculture Handbook No. 91, 1955, for basic methodology. On 50-State basis beginning 1962. Net concept excludes domestic use of feed and seed to avoid double counting.

² Includes inshipments from Alaska and Hawaii prior to 1962 and inshipments from U.S. territories for all years.

³ Includes farm and commercial stocks and holdings under Government programs. Stock coverage throughout the period is comparable to level on Jan. 1, 1961. The index is computed from stock levels derived by applying annual changes to 1961 level to avoid problem of inconsistent stock coverage over time.

⁴ Includes civilian feeding in areas occupied by U.S. Armed Forces.

⁴ Excludes feed and seed; includes some waste and loss at the farm.

⁴ Includes shipments to Alaska and Hawaii prior to 1962 and shipments to U.S. territories for all years.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, National Food Situation, May 1965, table 5 and subsequent issues.

TABLE V.3—Supply-utilization of livestock commodities: Indexes by component, 1924-66¹

[1957-59=100]

Year	Gross production	Imports ²	Stocks Jan. 1 ³	Total annual gross utilization	Domestic use					Exports and shipments ⁷
					Food		Seed ⁵	Feed ⁶	Other nonfood	
					Civilian	Military ⁴				
1924	65.8	45.1	145.6	64.7	61.9	50.9	181.8	79.6	87.9	
1925	63.6	50.8	140.6	63.7	61.2	51.9	183.5	82.5	68.3	
1926	65.1	52.0	126.0	64.7	62.3	55.0	190.7	84.3	60.1	
1927	65.4	54.1	122.8	64.9	62.7	57.1	194.4	82.6	53.5	
1928	65.7	56.4	122.2	64.5	62.4	51.9	191.9	80.0	53.7	
1929	65.6	62.1	137.4	65.4	63.0	55.0	194.9	85.6	56.8	
1930	66.1	37.0	137.1	65.1	63.5	56.1	197.9	73.2	47.9	
1931	67.1	29.7	133.8	65.9	64.2	50.9	209.3	76.1	38.7	
1932	66.7	18.7	129.0	65.5	64.3	50.9	208.8	67.4	32.3	
1933	69.7	34.3	116.6	67.1	75.5	51.9	209.0	80.0	34.4	
1934	71.2	24.0	139.7	68.3	67.3	45.7	199.6	77.3	33.3	
1935	61.1	43.3	160.7	62.1	60.7	46.7	193.2	82.8	19.1	
1936	67.6	51.8	127.9	66.2	65.0	49.8	189.7	90.6	17.7	
1937	64.9	55.0	142.3	65.9	64.9	42.6	185.0	89.3	17.9	
1938	67.8	30.4	114.2	66.4	65.5	46.7	195.6	77.6	22.8	
1939	70.8	49.1	113.2	69.9	68.6	49.8	197.1	91.7	26.5	
1940	75.2	51.2	113.7	73.0	72.1	48.8	198.1	94.2	27.0	
1941	78.1	98.2	137.1	77.4	72.5	74.7	203.3	123.1	72.6	
1942	86.0	94.6	161.6	83.4	73.1	260.4	188.4	127.0	152.3	
1943	92.3	78.0	214.7	90.4	75.1	444.4	88.3	172.3	240.9	
1944	94.0	72.8	237.4	94.5	76.3	633.4	69.6	154.0	232.3	
1945	91.3	77.8	208.2	90.8	76.7	533.3	84.1	147.0	123.4	
1946	87.8	88.4	206.3	89.3	83.5	139.5	66.5	134.9	125.5	
1947	88.7	58.1	175.6	87.2	83.9	105.0	64.4	151.5	118.5	
1948	82.7	88.5	179.8	83.8	81.5	88.3	64.4	142.3	125.4	
1949	86.3	59.9	161.0	84.8	83.0	82.8	73.7	146.3	108.5	
1950	87.9	95.4	168.5	88.2	85.6	85.6	73.7	147.0	126.2	
1951	87.4	86.1	165.1	88.5	84.5	184.6	84.1	142.6	107.4	
1952	90.3	87.3	137.4	89.5	87.7	142.7	80.0	130.7	103.3	
1953	94.5	73.1	148.8	92.9	91.1	135.7	83.1	131.4	105.7	
1954	96.5	59.3	161.2	94.8	93.3	121.8	82.0	151.5	92.4	
1955	99.0	69.7	151.5	98.7	97.0	112.8	83.1	122.7	104.7	
1956	102.8	69.4	127.2	102.1	100.6	111.1	93.5	113.6	108.6	
1957	100.6	70.3	107.5	99.6	99.3	105.0	92.4	104.4	97.0	
1958	98.2	99.7	100.5	98.4	98.5	99.2	104.9	98.4	96.6	
1959	101.2	130.0	92.0	102.0	102.2	95.8	102.8	97.2	106.4	
1960	103.0	105.5	93.6	102.9	103.5	92.6	105.9	92.2	103.2	
1961	105.7	122.0	94.7	104.9	105.4	98.7	113.2	92.5	102.1	
1962	106.2	151.8	125.0	107.2	107.3	106.5	114.2	88.5	111.0	
1963	109.0	165.7	137.5	111.2	110.6	107.1	111.1	88.3	111.3	
1964	114.1	126.6	128.0	115.2	114.2	116.6	114.2	92.2	103.2	
1965	112.5	133.5	106.0	113.6	113.4	130.2	119.4	90.0	110.0	
1966 ⁸	112.8	144.0	85.6	113.6	113.8	130.2	131.9	91.2	112.1	

¹ Quantities weighted by constant farm prices. Domestic use allocated on the basis of value of processed products. On 50-State basis since 1962.

² Includes inshipments from U.S. territories.

³ Farm, commercial, and Government program holdings. Derived by applying annual changes to January 1961 level to avoid inconsistent coverage.

⁴ Includes civilian feeding in occupied areas.

⁵ Hatching eggs.

⁶ Milk fed to calves and, since 1959, tallow.

⁷ Includes shipments to U.S. territories.

⁸ Estimated.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, National Food Situation, August 1965, table 6, and subsequent issues.

TABLE V.4—Average prices received by farmers for corn, all wheat, and soybeans, 1908-66

[In dollars per bushel]

	Corn	All wheat	Soy-beans		Corn	All wheat	Soy-beans
1908.....	0.650	0.967		1947.....	2.160	2.290	32.30
1909.....	.616	.991		1948.....	1.300	1.990	3.130
1910.....	.515	.908		1949.....	1.250	1.880	2.160
1911.....	.678	.869		1950.....	1.330	1.960	2.450
1912.....	.552	.807		1951.....	1.620	2.120	2.890
1913.....	.703	.794		1952.....	1.640	2.120	2.820
1914.....	.708	.975		1953.....	1.440	1.990	2.610
1915.....	.676	.961		1954.....	1.460	2.050	3.040
1916.....	1.140	1.430		1955.....	1.300	2.020	2.290
1917.....	1.460	2.050		1956.....	1.300	1.980	2.400
1918.....	1.520	2.050		1957.....	1.160	1.970	2.190
1919.....	1.510	2.160		1958.....	1.070	1.790	2.050
1920.....	.638	1.830		1959.....	1.070	1.750	2.020
1921.....	.518	1.030		1960.....	1.010	1.760	1.980
1922.....	.732	.966		1961.....	1.000	1.810	2.500
1923.....	.814	.926		1962.....	.998	1.960	2.320
1924.....	1.060	1.250	2.370	1963.....	1.100	1.940	2.500
1925.....	.701	1.440	2.530	1964.....	1.120	1.600	2.500
1926.....	.740	1.220	2.280	1965.....	1.16	1.350	2.620
1927.....	.847	1.190	1.970	1965—January.....	1.150	1.380	2.730
1928.....	.840	.998	1.370	February.....	1.170	1.370	2.810
1929.....	.799	1.040	2.040	March.....	1.180	1.360	2.850
1930.....	.598	.671	1.860	April.....	1.210	1.340	2.850
1931.....	.321	.391	1.060	May.....	1.230	1.330	2.720
1932.....	.316	.382	.480	June.....	1.240	1.280	2.740
1933.....	.520	.744	.728	July.....	1.220	1.310	2.690
1934.....	.815	.848	1.140	August.....	1.180	1.340	2.530
1935.....	.655	.831	.978	September.....	1.180	1.330	2.350
1936.....	1.040	1.020	.967	October.....	1.060	1.350	2.310
1937.....	.518	.962	1.260	November.....	.980	1.380	2.360
1938.....	.486	.562	.794	December.....	1.080	1.400	2.480
1939.....	.568	.691	.772	1966—January.....	1.140	1.410	2.670
1940.....	.618	.682	.847	February.....	1.150	1.430	2.770
1941.....	.751	.944	1.220	March.....	1.120	1.410	2.710
1942.....	.917	1.100	1.660	April.....	1.160	1.390	2.780
1943.....	1.120	1.360	1.700	May.....	1.190	1.440	2.900
1944.....	1.090	1.410	1.930	June.....	1.190	1.590	3.040
1945.....	1.270	1.500	2.110	July.....	1.270	1.740	3.370
1946.....	1.560	1.910	2.310				

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service.

TABLE V.5—The value of food products at different stages of production, 1913-65

[1957-59=100]

	Farm value	Marketing costs	Retail value	Farm-retail spread	Farmer's share
1913	42		36	32	46
1914	42		37	34	45
1915	40		36	34	44
1916	49		44	40	45
1917	70		60	53	47
1918	79		62	51	51
1919	84		70	60	48
1920	83		77	74	43
1921	58		58	59	40
1922	55		56	56	40
1923	56		56	57	40
1924	55		55	55	40
1925	63		60	58	42
1926	63		61	60	42
1927	60		59	59	41
1928	63		59	57	42
1929	62		59	58	42
1930	55		58	59	39
1931	41		46	50	35
1932	31		39	44	32
1933	31		38	42	32
1934	36		43	45	34
1935	46		47	46	39
1936	48		48	48	40
1937	51		50	48	42
1938	43		45	46	39
1939	42		43	45	38
1940	43		44	44	40
1941	52		48	44	44
1942	66		56	49	48
1943	80		63	52	51
1944	79		62	53	52
1945	84		63	53	53
1946	95		72	59	52
1947	114	56	88	71	51
1948	121	62	95	77	51
1949	106	64	89	79	47
1950	105	64	88	78	47
1951	121	71	99	84	49
1952	118	76	100	88	47
1953	109	79	97	89	44
1954	103	81	95	90	43
1955	96	86	93	91	41
1956	95	91	94	93	40
1957	98	95	97	96	40
1958	105	99	103	101	40
1959	97	106	100	102	38
1960	99	111	101	102	39
1961	98	113	101	104	38
1962	99	116	102	105	38
1963	96	122	103	107	37
1964	96	127	103	108	37
1965	105		106	106	39

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.6—*The urban family food basket: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, marketing, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1947-66*¹

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947.....	\$862	\$441	\$421	51
1948.....	929	470	459	51
1949.....	878	411	467	47
1950.....	870	409	461	47
1951.....	969	470	499	49
1952.....	978	455	523	47
1953.....	949	421	528	44
1954.....	933	398	535	43
1955.....	917	373	544	41
1956.....	920	369	551	40
1957.....	953	380	573	40
1958.....	1,009	407	602	40
1959.....	985	377	608	38
1960.....	991	383	608	39
1961.....	997	380	617	38
1962.....	1,006	384	622	38
1963.....	1,013	374	639	37
1964.....	1,014	374	640	37
1965.....	1,041	408	633	39
1963—January to March.....	1,016	379	637	37
April to June.....	1,004	371	633	37
July to September.....	1,021	380	641	37
October to December.....	1,011	368	643	36
1964—January to March.....	1,011	371	640	37
April to June.....	1,004	360	644	36
July to September.....	1,024	384	640	37
October to December.....	1,020	378	640	37
1965—January to March.....	1,015	384	631	38
April to June.....	1,039	409	630	39
July to September.....	1,061	419	642	39
October to December.....	1,053	424	629	40
1966—January to March.....	1,091	451	639	41
April to June.....	1,095	439	656	40

¹ The market basket contains the average quantities of farm originated foods purchased annually per household in 1960-61 by wage-earners' and clerical-workers' families and by single persons.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, "Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products, 1947-64," and subsequent issues of Marketing and Transportation Situation.

TABLE V.7—*Meat products: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1947-66*¹

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947.....	\$254.00	\$175.00	\$80.00	69
1948.....	283.00	189.00	93.00	67
1949.....	257.00	164.00	93.00	64
1950.....	269.00	174.00	95.00	65
1951.....	303.00	202.00	101.00	67
1952.....	292.00	186.00	106.00	64
1953.....	272.00	165.00	107.00	61
1954.....	271.00	162.00	109.00	60
1955.....	246.00	132.00	114.00	54
1956.....	233.49	121.42	112.07	52
1957.....	265.68	141.46	124.22	53
1958.....	299.97	169.78	130.19	57
1959.....	289.49	152.18	137.31	53
1960.....	284.41	148.50	135.91	52
1961.....	285.64	148.50	137.24	52
1962.....	292.44	155.84	136.60	53
1963.....	286.35	143.06	143.29	50
1964.....	280.47	134.71	145.79	48
1965.....	303.66	164.76	138.80	54
1965—January to March.....	282.32	139.99	142.33	50
April to June.....	292.11	161.34	130.77	55
July to September.....	319.99	176.34	143.65	55
October to December.....	318.87	178.31	140.56	56
1966—January to March.....	338.92	194.26	144.66	57
April to June.....	330.90	180.94	149.96	55

¹ See footnote 1, table V.6.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for "Food Products, 1947-64," and subsequent issues of Marketing and Transportation Situation.

TABLE V.8—Poultry and eggs: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1946-66¹

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1946.....	\$101	\$71	\$30	70
1947.....	114	78	36	69
1948.....	122	85	37	70
1949.....	115	78	37	68
1950.....	104	68	36	66
1951.....	118	81	37	63
1952.....	113	76	37	67
1953.....	116	80	36	69
1954.....	101	64	37	63
1955.....	105	69	36	66
1956.....	93	61	36	63
1957.....	95	59	36	62
1958.....	97	60	37	62
1959.....	87	50	37	57
1960.....	91	55	35	61
1961.....	86	56	36	58
1962.....	86	49	37	57
1963.....	86	49	37	57
1964.....	85	47	37	56
1965.....	85	48	37	57
1965—January to March.....	82	46	36	56
April to June.....	83	46	36	56
July to September.....	86	49	37	57
October to December.....	90	53	37	59
1966—January to March.....	94	57	37	60
April to June.....	91	52	39	57

¹ See footnote 1, table V.6.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products, 1947-64, April 1966.

TABLE V.9—Eggs, grade A large: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1953-66

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1953.....	\$68.9	\$49.0	\$19.9	71
1954.....	57.7	37.5	20.2	65
1955.....	59.8	40.1	19.7	67
1956.....	59.4	39.8	19.6	67
1957.....	56.6	37.4	19.2	66
1958.....	59.6	39.5	20.1	66
1959.....	52.3	31.4	20.9	60
1960.....	56.6	37.1	19.5	66
1961.....	56.6	35.9	20.7	63
1962.....	53.3	32.2	21.1	60
1963.....	54.4	33.4	21.0	61
1964.....	53.9	32.9	21.0	61
1965.....	52.7	32.2	20.5	61
1965—January to March.....	49.4	28.5	20.9	58
April to June.....	49.2	28.6	20.6	58
July to September.....	52.3	32.6	19.7	62
October to December.....	59.8	39.2	20.6	66
1966—January to March.....	60.9	40.0	20.9	66
April to June.....	55.5	34.6	20.9	62

¹ See footnote 1, table V.6.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spread for Food Products.

TABLE V.10—*Dairy products: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1946-66*

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1946	\$143.00	\$81.00	\$62.00	57
1947	161.74	90.59	71.15	56
1948	179.29	99.69	79.60	56
1949	166.81	84.71	82.10	51
1950	163.67	82.65	81.02	50
1951	183.55	95.62	87.93	52
1952	191.29	100.93	90.36	53
1953	187.35	92.29	95.06	49
1954	181.59	84.64	96.95	47
1955	181.03	83.67	97.36	46
1956	185.48	86.66	98.82	47
1957	171.41	78.54	92.87	46
1958	173.81	77.34	96.47	44
1959	174.78	77.66	97.12	44
1960	178.40	79.24	99.16	44
1961	180.37	79.90	100.47	44
1962	178.80	77.57	101.23	43
1963	178.14	77.43	100.71	43
1964	178.92	78.64	100.28	44
1965	179.06	79.64	99.42	44
1965—January to March	179.45	79.49	99.96	44
April to June	177.83	77.12	100.71	43
July to September	178.70	79.68	99.02	45
October to December	179.98	82.34	97.64	46
1966—January to March	182.52	84.74	97.78	46
April to June	186.12	85.18	100.94	46

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.11—*Butter: Retail price, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1947-66*

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947	\$78.5	\$66.1	\$12.4	84
1948	84.6	68.8	15.8	81
1949	70.8	54.7	16.1	77
1950	71.0	55.7	15.3	78
1951	79.9	64.7	15.2	81
1952	83.4	66.1	17.3	79
1953	77.5	59.0	18.5	76
1954	71.1	52.2	18.9	73
1955	69.6	50.9	18.7	73
1956	70.8	52.7	18.1	74
1957	72.9	52.7	20.2	72
1958	72.9	52.0	20.9	71
1959	73.9	53.2	20.7	72
1960	73.5	53.4	20.1	73
1961	74.9	54.5	20.4	73
1962	73.8	52.3	21.5	71
1963	73.6	52.2	21.4	71
1964	74.4	53.0	21.4	71
1965	75.4	54.8	20.6	73
1965—January to March	75.1	53.5	21.6	71
April to June	74.9	54.3	20.6	72
July to September	75.2	55.1	20.1	73
October to December	76.6	56.1	20.5	73
1966—January to March	77.8	57.1	20.7	73
April to June	79.0	58.2	20.8	74

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.12—Milk, fresh, home delivered: Retail price, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947	\$38.7	\$21.0	\$17.7	54
1948	43.1	23.0	20.1	53
1949	41.7	21.0	20.7	50
1950	40.7	20.0	20.7	49
1951	45.7	22.8	22.9	50
1952	47.8	24.2	23.6	51
1953	47.2	22.6	24.6	48
1954	46.4	21.0	25.4	45
1955	46.6	20.9	25.7	44
1956	48.9	21.6	27.3	44
1957	50.4	22.1	28.3	44
1958	51.0	21.8	29.2	43
1959	51.1	21.8	29.3	43
1960	52.4	22.1	30.3	42
1961	52.9	22.1	30.8	42
1962	52.6	21.7	30.9	41
1963	52.4	21.5	30.9	41
1964	52.8	21.7	31.1	41
1965	52.6	21.8	30.8	41
1965—January to March	52.8	21.9	30.9	41
April to June	52.1	20.9	31.2	40
July to September	52.6	22.0	30.6	42
October to December	53.1	22.6	30.5	43
1966—January to March	53.6	22.8	30.8	43
April to June	54.5	22.7	31.8	42

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.13—Milk, fresh, sold in stores: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1947-66

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947	\$36.6	\$21.0	\$15.6	57
1948	40.7	23.0	17.7	57
1949	38.8	21.0	17.8	54
1950	37.8	20.0	17.8	53
1951	42.5	22.8	19.7	54
1952	44.7	24.2	20.5	54
1953	43.7	22.6	21.1	52
1954	42.9	21.0	21.9	49
1955	42.9	20.9	22.0	49
1956	44.3	21.6	22.7	49
1957	45.9	22.1	23.8	48
1958	46.7	21.8	24.9	47
1959	47.2	21.8	25.4	46
1960	48.3	22.1	26.2	46
1961	48.2	22.1	26.1	46
1962	47.8	21.7	26.1	45
1963	47.6	21.5	26.1	45
1964	47.7	21.7	26.0	45
1965	47.3	21.8	25.5	46
1965—January to March	47.5	21.9	25.6	46
April to June	46.7	20.9	25.8	45
July to September	47.2	22.0	25.2	47
October to December	47.6	22.6	25.0	47
1966—January to March	48.0	22.8	25.2	48
April to June	48.7	22.7	26.0	47

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.14—*Fruits and vegetables, fresh and processed: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1946-66*

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947	\$180.80	\$61.33	\$119.47	34
1948	185.52	60.50	125.02	33
1949	187.71	60.95	126.76	32
1950	179.96	55.83	124.13	31
1951	193.76	59.06	134.70	30
1952	215.30	70.45	144.85	33
1953	210.56	62.39	148.17	30
1954	209.59	61.55	148.04	29
1955	210.07	61.69	148.38	29
1956	219.80	66.72	153.08	30
1957	194.60	47.36	147.24	24
1958	208.74	51.97	156.77	25
1959	205.53	50.81	154.72	25
1960	208.36	52.41	155.95	25
1961	210.62	50.86	159.76	24
1962	210.76	51.34	159.42	24
1963	222.16	54.62	167.54	25
1964	229.50	61.94	167.56	27
1965	229.37	63.26	166.11	28
1965—January to March	226.39	60.64	165.75	27
April to June	236.09	64.27	171.82	27
July to September	226.80	64.64	162.16	29
October to December	241.04	70.28	170.76	29
1966—January to March	231.53	61.54	169.99	27
April to June	218.07	57.77	160.30	26

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.15—*Fruits and vegetables, fresh: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1947-66*

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947	\$99.09	\$42.35	\$56.74	43
1948	103.60	42.15	61.45	41
1949	109.05	44.24	64.81	41
1950	104.87	40.81	64.06	39
1951	109.23	42.85	66.38	39
1952	129.34	53.32	76.02	41
1953	121.48	44.40	77.08	37
1954	120.59	43.82	76.77	36
1955	121.24	44.26	76.98	37
1956	129.34	48.10	81.24	37
1957	88.47	27.17	61.30	31
1958	94.01	30.36	63.65	32
1959	90.96	28.58	62.38	31
1960	96.90	32.39	64.51	33
1961	94.82	29.20	65.62	31
1962	98.35	31.00	67.35	32
1963	103.19	32.78	70.41	32
1964	109.36	36.17	73.19	33
1965	112.89	37.01	75.88	33
1965—January to March	109.25	37.14	72.11	34
April to June	124.69	44.73	79.96	36
July to September	115.24	35.39	79.85	31
October to December	102.28	31.39	70.89	31
1966—January to March	108.62	35.99	72.63	33
April to June	116.59	40.11	76.48	34

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.16—*Fruits and vegetables, processed: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1946-66*

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1951.....	\$89.00	\$18.00	\$71.00	21
1952.....	85.00	17.00	68.00	20
1953.....	89.09	17.99	71.10	20
1954.....	89.00	17.73	71.27	20
1955.....	88.84	17.43	71.41	20
1956.....	90.47	18.62	71.85	21
1957.....	106.13	20.20	85.93	19
1958.....	114.73	21.61	93.12	19
1959.....	114.56	22.22	92.34	19
1960.....	111.46	20.02	91.44	18
1961.....	115.80	21.67	94.13	19
1962.....	112.40	20.35	92.05	18
1963.....	118.97	21.84	97.13	18
1964.....	120.18	25.04	95.14	21
1965.....	116.48	26.25	90.23	23
1965—January to March.....	117.55	27.50	90.05	23
April to June.....	116.35	25.55	90.80	22
July to September.....	116.29	26.15	90.14	22
October to December.....	115.79	26.38	89.41	23
1966—January to March.....	117.77	24.65	93.12	21
April to June.....	119.50	24.15	95.35	20

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.17—*Bakery and cereal products: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1946-66*

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1946.....	\$91	\$28	\$63	31
1947.....	115	37	78	32
1948.....	126	34	92	27
1949.....	125	28	97	23
1950.....	127	30	97	23
1951.....	138	33	105	24
1952.....	141	32	109	22
1953.....	144	32	112	22
1954.....	148	32	116	22
1955.....	150	31	119	21
1956.....	151	32	119	21
1957.....	146	33	113	22
1958.....	149	30	119	20
1959.....	150	29	121	19
1960.....	152	29	123	19
1961.....	154	31	124	20
1962.....	157	32	125	20
1963.....	159	32	127	20
1964.....	160	32	127	20
1965.....	161	33	128	21
1965—January to March.....	161	33	128	21
April to June.....	161	33	128	20
July to September.....	161	33	127	21
October to December.....	161	33	128	21
1966—January to March.....	163	34	129	21
April to June.....	165	36	129	22

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.18—Fats and oils: Retail cost, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail cost, 1946-66

	Retail cost	Farm value	Farm-retail spread	Farmers' share (percent)
1947.....	\$56.36	\$23.68	\$32.68	42
1948.....	56.52	23.46	33.06	42
1949.....	43.76	12.38	31.38	28
1950.....	42.30	14.97	27.33	35
1951.....	48.99	19.28	29.71	39
1952.....	41.48	13.36	28.12	32
1953.....	41.90	15.01	26.89	36
1954.....	44.27	16.06	28.21	36
1955.....	42.84	13.29	29.55	31
1956.....	43.44	14.51	28.93	33
1957.....	38.73	13.18	25.55	34
1958.....	37.91	10.55	27.36	28
1959.....	36.04	9.84	26.20	27
1960.....	34.27	10.00	24.27	29
1961.....	36.70	12.90	23.80	35
1962.....	36.48	10.38	26.10	28
1963.....	35.14	10.41	24.73	30
1964.....	34.77	10.27	24.50	30
1965.....	37.48	11.48	26.00	31
1965—January to March.....	37.08	12.73	24.35	34
April to June.....	37.73	11.82	25.91	31
July to September.....	37.63	10.66	26.97	28
October to December.....	37.50	10.71	26.79	29
1966—January to March.....	37.96	11.84	26.12	31
April to June.....	38.87	12.15	26.72	31

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.19—Beef, Choice grade: Retail price per pound, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail price, 1919-66

	Retail price per pound (cents)	Gross farm value (cents)	By product allowance (cents)	Net farm value (cents)	Farm-retail spread (cents)	Farmers' share (percent)
1919	33.8	28.9	6.1	22.8	11.0	67
1920	34.1	25.0	4.8	20.2	13.9	59
1921	29.3	16.2	2.2	14.0	15.3	48
1922	27.7	16.4	2.8	13.6	14.1	49
1923	28.8	17.8	2.7	15.1	13.7	52
1924	29.5	19.0	2.9	16.1	13.4	55
1925	30.7	21.1	3.4	17.7	13.0	58
1926	31.4	19.2	3.0	16.2	15.2	52
1927	32.8	22.1	3.7	18.4	14.4	56
1928	37.4	26.4	4.6	21.8	15.6	58
1929	39.2	25.1	3.6	21.5	17.7	55
1930	36.2	21.8	3.3	18.5	17.7	51
1931	30.0	16.0	2.2	13.8	16.2	46
1932	24.9	12.6	1.6	11.0	13.9	44
1933	21.5	10.3	1.9	8.4	13.1	39
1934	23.3	12.8	2.1	10.7	12.6	46
1935	30.5	20.2	3.0	17.2	13.3	56
1936	28.6	17.3	3.0	14.3	14.3	50
1937	32.5	22.8	3.5	19.3	13.2	59
1938	28.7	17.2	2.5	14.7	14.0	51
1939	29.5	18.3	2.6	15.7	13.8	53
1940	29.5	19.6	2.7	16.9	12.6	57
1941	31.5	21.9	3.3	18.6	12.9	59
1942	35.0	26.9	3.9	23.0	12.0	66
1943	36.2	30.0	4.3	25.7	11.7	71
1944	34.2	30.7	4.4	26.3	10.6	77
1945	33.5	30.9	4.5	26.4	11.9	81
1946	42.5	38.2	5.1	33.1	12.6	79
1947	61.8	48.2	6.4	41.8	20.0	68
1948	75.3	56.9	6.7	50.2	25.1	67
1949	68.4	51.2	5.6	45.6	22.8	67
1950	75.4	57.7	6.4	51.3	24.1	68
1951	88.2	70.5	8.2	62.3	25.9	71
1952	86.6	65.5	5.6	59.9	26.7	69
1953	69.1	46.4	4.2	42.2	26.9	61
1954	68.5	46.8	4.1	42.7	25.8	62
1955	67.5	44.9	3.8	41.1	26.4	61
1956	66.0	42.9	3.8	39.1	26.9	59
1957	70.6	46.5	4.0	42.5	28.1	60
1958	81.0	55.7	4.8	50.9	30.1	63
1959	82.8	56.9	5.4	51.5	31.3	62
1960	81.0	52.7	4.5	48.2	32.8	60
1961	79.2	51.2	4.9	46.3	32.9	58
1962	82.4	55.6	4.9	50.7	31.7	62
1963	81.0	51.1	4.5	46.6	34.4	58
1964	77.8	46.6	4.2	42.4	35.4	54
1965	81.7	51.8	4.9	46.9	34.8	57
1966—January—March	84.6	57.5	6.0	51.5	33.1	61
April—June	85.5	57.2	6.3	50.9	34.6	60

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Farm-Retail Spreads for Food Products.

TABLE V.20—Pork: Retail price per pound, farm value, farm-retail spread, and farmers' share of retail price, 1919-66

	Retail price (cents)	Gross farm values (cents)	By product allowance (cents)	Net farm value (cents)	Farm-retail spread (cents)	Farmer's share (percent)
1919	40.9	36.7	9.4	27.3	13.6	67
1920	39.6	28.7	6.1	22.6	17.0	57
1921	31.6	16.8	2.8	14.0	17.6	44
1922	30.0	18.6	3.2	15.4	14.6	51
1923	28.3	15.3	3.2	12.1	16.2	43
1924	28.4	16.3	3.5	12.8	15.6	45
1925	34.8	24.4	5.1	19.3	15.5	55
1926	37.3	26.0	4.6	21.4	15.9	57
1927	34.9	21.1	3.8	17.3	17.6	50
1928	32.9	19.4	3.6	15.0	17.1	48
1929	33.7	21.0	3.9	17.1	16.6	51
1930	32.4	19.5	3.5	16.0	16.4	49
1931	26.6	12.7	2.1	10.6	16.0	40
1932	17.6	7.5	1.2	6.3	11.3	36
1933	15.6	7.7	1.4	6.3	9.3	40
1934	21.0	9.3	1.8	7.5	13.5	36
1935	30.2	19.2	4.0	15.2	15.0	50
1936	29.8	20.5	4.2	16.3	13.5	55
1937	30.6	21.4	4.0	17.4	13.2	57
1938	27.3	17.1	2.9	14.2	13.1	52
1939	24.7	13.8	2.2	11.6	13.1	47
1940	21.6	11.9	1.8	10.1	11.5	61
1941	27.2	20.1	3.6	16.5	10.7	71
1942	32.9	28.8	5.4	23.4	9.5	72
1943	33.9	30.3	6.0	24.3	9.6	71
1944	31.9	28.8	6.0	22.8	9.1	75
1945	32.1	30.9	6.9	24.0	8.1	70
1946	41.3	38.0	9.1	28.9	12.4	69
1947	59.9	49.8	8.4	41.4	18.5	66
1948	60.9	47.9	7.7	40.2	20.7	80
1949	55.1	38.1	4.9	33.2	21.9	60
1950	54.4	37.8	5.1	32.7	21.7	60
1951	58.4	41.5	6.5	35.0	23.4	57
1952	56.7	37.2	4.6	32.6	24.1	63
1953	62.6	44.6	5.3	39.3	23.3	61
1954	64.0	45.4	6.3	39.1	24.9	51
1955	54.1	31.8	4.1	27.7	26.4	50
1956	51.9	29.8	4.1	25.7	26.2	53
1957	60.0	36.5	4.8	31.7	28.3	55
1958	64.5	40.5	5.1	35.4	29.1	45
1959	56.9	29.4	3.6	25.8	31.1	49
1960	56.5	31.8	3.9	27.9	28.6	51
1961	59.0	34.3	4.4	29.9	29.1	50
1962	59.3	33.6	4.1	29.5	29.8	47
1963	57.3	31.0	3.9	27.1	30.2	47
1964	56.4	30.6	4.0	26.6	29.8	58
1965	64.3	42.6	5.5	37.1	27.2	-----
1966—January-March	78.1	53.3	7.1	46.2	31.9	59
April-June	72.4	57.2	6.3	50.9	34.6	60

Source: See table V.19.

TABLE V.21—*Labor, transportation, corporate profits, and other costs for marketing farm food products, United States, 1947-65*¹

[In billions of dollars]

Year	Labor ²	Rail and truck transportation ³	Corporate profits ⁴		Other ⁵	Total marketing bill
			Before income taxes	After income taxes		
1947.....	10.2	2.0	1.5	1.0	8.9	22.6
1948.....	11.2	2.2	1.3	.8	10.2	24.9
1949.....	11.7	2.3	1.3	.7	10.7	26.0
1950.....	12.2	2.7	1.6	.9	9.5	26.0
1951.....	13.0	2.7	1.3	.6	11.7	28.7
1952.....	13.8	3.1	1.4	.6	12.2	30.5
1953.....	14.6	3.3	1.5	.7	12.1	31.5
1954.....	15.3	3.4	1.5	.7	12.1	32.3
1955.....	15.7	3.4	1.8	.9	13.5	34.4
1956.....	16.3	3.8	1.9	.9	14.3	36.3
1957.....	16.8	3.9	1.9	.9	15.3	37.9
1958.....	17.1	4.2	1.9	.9	16.3	39.5
1959.....	17.8	4.5	2.1	1.0	17.8	42.2
1957-59 average.....	17.2	4.2	2.0	.9	16.5	39.9
1960.....	18.7	4.6	2.1	.9	18.8	44.2
1961.....	18.8	4.9	2.2	1.0	19.2	45.1
1962.....	19.7	4.9	2.2	1.0	20.1	46.9
1963.....	20.3	5.0	2.4	1.2	21.2	48.9
1964.....	21.0	5.1	2.7	1.4	22.4	51.2
1965 ⁶	21.9	-----	2.9	1.5	-----	52.1

¹ For domestic farm foods bought by civilian consumers in this country.² Labor cost includes imputed earnings of proprietors, partners, and family workers not receiving stated remuneration. It also includes supplements to wages and salaries such as social security and unemployment insurance taxes and health insurance premiums, but it does not include the cost of labor employed in for-hire transportation.³ Includes charges for the protective services, heating, and refrigeration; does not include local hauling charges for intercity transportation by water and air are a part of the "Other" or residual component of the marketing bill.⁴ Does not include profits of unincorporated firms or transportation firms.⁵ Residual component; includes other costs such as advertising, depreciation, fuel, electric power, containers, packaging materials, air and water transportation, interest on borrowed capital, taxes other than those on income, and noncorporate profits.⁶ Preliminary beginning with 1960, estimates in this table are for 50 States.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Marketing and Transportation Situation, August 1966.

TABLE V.22—Average hourly labor cost and labor cost and profits per unit of product for marketing farm food products, United States, 1947-65¹

[1957-59=100]

Year	Hourly labor cost ²	Unit labor cost ³	Profit per unit of product ⁴	
			Before taxes	After taxes
1947	58	74	96	127
1948	63	84	82	103
1949	67	86	80	100
1950	69	86	99	115
1951	74	92	83	80
1952	77	94	82	75
1953	82	96	86	83
1954	87	97	82	79
1955	89	96	97	99
1956	92	96	99	100
1957	97	98	97	96
1958	100	101	99	99
1959	103	101	104	105
1960	108	103	98	94
1961	112	104	101	100
1962	117	107	101	98
1963	121	106	108	108
1964	126	105		
1965 ⁵	130	109		

¹ For domestic farm-originated foods bought by civilian consumers in this country.² Hourly labor cost derived by dividing total labor cost (table 7) by total man-hours worked.³ Unit labor cost is the quotient of the indexes of total labor cost (table 7) and of volume of farm-food product marketed to civilian consumers. The index of farm-food products marketed was constructed by weighting the quantities sold by 1957-59 average retail prices.⁴ Profit per unit of product is the quotient of the index of total corporate profits from marketing farm foods produced and consumed in the United States (table 7) and the index of the volume of farm-food products marketed.⁵ Preliminary.

Source: Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Marketing and Transportation Situation, August 1966.

TABLE V.23—Manufacturers of food and kindred products, corporate profit ratios, 1947-66

[In percent]

Period	Profits as percent of sales		Profits as percent of stockholders' equity		Period	Profits as percent of sales		Profits as percent of stockholders' equity	
	Before tax	After tax	Before tax	After tax		Before tax	After tax	Before tax	After tax
1947	7.1	4.2	29.5	17.4	1959	4.9	2.4	18.2	9.1
1948	5.6	3.3	20.9	12.5	1960	4.7	2.3	17.4	8.6
1949	5.5	3.3	19.3	11.6	1961	4.7	2.3	17.5	8.7
1950	6.1	3.4	21.7	12.1	1962	4.6	2.3	17.7	8.8
1951	4.9	2.3	18.3	8.7	1963	4.8	2.4	18.0	9.0
1951 ¹	4.3	2.0	17.4	8.0	1964	4.9	2.6	18.8	10.0
1952	4.2	1.9	17.1	7.7	1965	4.9	2.7	19.2	10.6
1953	4.4	2.0	17.5	8.1					
1954	4.3	2.1	16.6	8.0	1965:				
1955	4.6	2.3	17.8	8.8	1st quarter..	4.7	2.5	17.6	9.5
1956 ²	5.0	2.4	18.9	9.3	2d quarter..	5.0	2.7	19.1	10.9
1957	4.5	2.2	17.2	8.5	3d quarter..	5.3	3.0	20.7	11.6
1958	4.5	2.2	17.4	8.7	4th quarter..	4.8	2.8	19.7	11.2
1958 (revised) ³	4.5	2.2	17.3	8.6	1966: 1st quarter..	4.7	2.6	18.3	10.0

¹ New series.² A new sample of smaller companies was introduced with the 3d quarter estimates. Estimates based on the new sample were also prepared for the 2d quarter while 1st-quarter figures were recomputed on the basis of the 2d-quarter relationships providing full-year 1956 estimates. For further details see complete quarterly financial report for 4th quarter 1956, available from Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., 20402.³ In the reports for 1947 to 1958, inclusive, estimates were based on the 1945 edition of the SIC (Standard Industrial Classification).

Source: Federal Trade Commission-Securities and Exchange Commission, Quarterly Financial Report for Manufacturing Corporations.

TABLE V.24—Average annual percentage rate of net income after taxes to net worth of leading food manufacturing corporations for the years 1927-65

Year	Baking	Dairy products	Meat-packing	Sugar	Other food products	Soft drinks	Brewing	Distilling
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1927	14.7	16.3	2.0	4.4	14.6	25.1	(1)	(1)
1928	14.7	20.0	5.9	4.7	16.7	26.0	(1)	(1)
1929	15.5	21.5	5.5	3.2	16.5	27.1	(1)	(1)
1930	13.5	17.8	4.1	.7	11.9	23.6	(1)	(1)
1931	11.0	12.2	-1.2	.1	8.4	18.0	(1)	(1)
1932	7.6	6.2	-3	.5	5.6	10.6	(1)	(1)
1933	7.1	4.2	3.6	4.9	9.4	11.8	(1)	(1)
1934	5.9	4.8	3.8	3.4	11.9	18.7	7.6	21.7
1935	5.5	5.9	4.5	5.2	10.1	20.1	8.6	21.5
1936	8.2	9.8	5.5	7.0	12.0	25.7	15.6	18.1
1937	7.6	7.8	3.2	6.6	9.8	38.5	14.2	17.0
1938	8.8	8.4	-1.0	4	9.8	36.6	14.9	11.8
1939	8.7	9.9	4.9	4.1	10.3	37.5	17.5	10.0
1940	7.6	9.1	5.6	4.8	10.9	33.9	13.7	11.0
1941	7.4	10.2	8.8	5.7	11.9	35.5	14.9	13.5
1942	9.3	10.1	8.3	10.4	10.2	26.5	13.7	13.0
1943	9.9	10.0	7.9	6.2	10.7	23.0	13.4	14.8
1944	9.2	11.0	7.6	10.1	11.1	21.8	14.3	16.6
1945	10.0	11.7	5.4	7.2	11.0	19.6	13.6	19.8
1946	21.8	18.9	10.8	9.5	18.1	19.5	23.4	42.1
1947	20.2	15.4	12.0	18.6	20.9	22.6	25.6	26.6
1948	21.4	14.0	7.2	12.2	17.4	20.4	22.8	25.4
1949	17.8	15.2	3.8	8.3	14.4	15.7	18.8	15.4
1950	16.1	13.9	6.4	10.8	15.5	15.5	14.7	17.9
1951	12.2	10.8	5.5	12.1	11.6	12.7	11.8	12.9
1952	12.2	10.5	3.8	8.4	10.0	12.2	10.4	7.8
1953	12.0	11.2	6.7	4.0	11.1	12.6	10.8	7.3
1954	11.4	12.4	3.3	4.8	11.5	12.4	8.2	6.5
1955	12.0	12.1	6.8	5.5	11.8	14.3	8.7	6.5
1956	12.2	12.4	7.6	6.6	11.7	14.3	7.7	6.9
1957	12.5	11.9	4.2	9.0	11.5	14.5	7.4	7.2
1958	11.7	11.9	4.5	6.1	11.4	14.4	6.8	7.8
1959	11.5	11.8	7.8	6.5	11.8	17.1	7.8	8.0
1960	11.6	11.3	6.4	6.3	11.4	16.8	7.7	7.4
1961	9.7	11.0	4.6	6.6	12.8	15.6	9.5	8.1
1962	9.9	10.5	5.7	7.8	12.5	16.6	8.9	7.8
1963	11.0	10.8	5.9	10.4	12.3	18.3	9.2	8.0
1964	11.3	12.2	8.6	8.1	11.1	20.1	10.0	8.5
1965	11.2	12.5	5.0	9.3	12.2	20.4	10.2	9.5

1 Not available.

Source: First National City Bank of New York, *Monthly Economic Letter*, April issues.

TABLE V.25—*Manufacture of food and kindred products: Production, value added, and costs, 1929-65*

[1957-59=100]

	Production	Per unit of output			
		Value added ¹	Employee compensation	Capital consumption	Corporate profits before tax
1929	51.9	37.0	34.7	44.9	43.4
1930	50.8	35.6	34.4	47.8	35.4
1931	45.8	32.5	33.4	50.2	21.8
1932	39.7	30.2	32.0	55.4	12.3
1933	42.7	34.0	30.4	50.1	41.5
1934	44.7	37.1	34.2	43.2	47.0
1935	45.8	37.1	34.9	40.6	44.1
1936	49.8	38.1	36.9	38.8	52.0
1937	52.9	36.5	37.1	37.8	32.8
1938	51.9	36.0	36.0	40.7	34.7
1939	54.9	38.1	35.3	37.9	49.5
1940	58.0	37.4	35.0	35.9	48.1
1941	65.1	40.6	35.2	32.6	66.5
1942	69.1	47.3	39.2	33.3	87.1
1943	74.2	51.2	42.3	31.0	98.0
1944	78.3	52.4	45.0	30.7	93.1
1945	77.3	53.9	48.0	31.3	88.7
1946	76.3	67.0	55.8	35.9	127.9
1947	80.7	67.7	60.2	41.8	110.5
1948	80.0	77.4	75.8	50.8	95.8
1949	80.8	77.8	76.5	58.2	92.3
1950	83.6	82.2	78.5	60.6	107.1
1951	85.4	84.8	84.9	66.2	92.6
1952	87.3	85.9	87.5	68.4	87.1
1953	88.2	90.5	91.8	69.4	93.9
1954	89.8	91.4	93.4	75.2	90.1
1955	93.1	94.6	94.4	82.1	101.2
1956	96.6	95.2	96.9	81.7	94.4
1957	96.7	97.6	100.0	88.6	91.7
1958	99.4	99.9	99.3	104.3	100.3
1959	103.9	102.3	100.7	106.4	107.5
1960	106.6	103.3	102.8	108.0	103.2
1961	110.2	102.6	102.1	110.9	102.0
1962	113.3	103.7	102.6	125.0	98.8
1963	116.8	106.2	101.9	124.3	112.0
1964	120.8		103.3		
1965	123.1		104.9		

¹ National income originating plus capital consumption allowances per unit of output.

Source: Col. 1, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve; cols. 2-5, basic data from Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; placed on a per unit basis by staff, Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE V.26—*Production worker average weekly earnings in selected industries, 1934-65*

[In dollars]

	Food and kindred products									
	Total	Meat products	Dairy products	Canned and preserved food, except meat	Grain mill products	Bakery products	Sugar	Confectionery and related products	Beverages	Miscellaneous food and kindred products
1934						19.74				
1935				13.28		20.15				
1936				14.06		21.24				
1937				16.91		22.99				
1938				16.52		23.35				
1939				16.97		23.58				
1940				16.77		24.24				
1941				19.21		25.53				
1942				23.55		28.68				
1943				27.72		32.72				
1944				30.55		35.27				
1945				31.91		37.29				
1946				36.52		41.22				
1947	45.92	49.84		40.31		45.16	47.55	39.30	51.07	
1948	48.89	53.29		41.58		49.12	50.80	42.11	54.30	
1949	50.53	52.40		42.70		51.37	54.69	43.21	56.92	
1950	52.88	54.83		45.63		53.25	59.41	44.76	59.66	
1951	56.84	60.03		49.63	63.90	56.30	60.56	47.76	65.25	
1952	60.34	64.12		50.70	66.75	59.63	64.83	50.04	67.57	
1953	63.50	67.97		52.38	69.52	62.67	72.04	51.22	72.45	
1954	65.67	70.24		53.38	72.05	65.60	73.87	53.54	74.61	
1955	68.89	75.76		54.91	75.24	68.06	77.96	55.81	78.20	
1956	72.69	79.87		60.37	78.37	70.82	81.03	59.10	80.99	
1957	75.48	83.03		61.92	82.70	73.12	85.30	61.86	84.53	
1958	79.15	86.24	82.91	64.12	87.60	76.38	91.08	63.90	88.36	78.26
1959	82.82	91.88	86.50	65.28	90.85	80.00	92.01	66.59	93.56	81.79
1960	86.09	94.42	90.10	68.71	93.92	84.00	96.11	69.34	96.72	84.38
1961	88.75	96.52	93.03	70.67	99.01	88.04	99.64	73.42	99.85	87.34
1962	91.84	98.66	96.05	73.72	101.92	91.71	101.67	76.61	103.31	91.38
1963	94.30	101.93	98.75	74.30	105.47	93.90	104.68	78.41	107.59	93.70
1964	97.17	105.98	102.12	75.86	109.07	97.12	106.32	80.38	109.89	96.25
1965	99.87									

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Employment and Earnings Statistics for the United States, 1900-65," Bulletin No. 1312-3.

TABLE V.27—Production worker average hourly earnings in selected industries, 1934-65

[In dollars]

	Food and kindred products									
	Total	Meat products	Dairy products	Canned and preserved food, except meat	Grain mill products	Bakery products	Sugar	Confectionery and related products	Beverages	Miscellaneous food and kindred products
1934						0.510				
1935				0.360		.514				
1936				.374		.518				
1937				.428		.558				
1938				.444		.578				
1939				.460		.588				
1940				.467		.606				
1941				.515		.632				
1942				.607		.691				
1943				.693		.754				
1944				.745		.798				
1945				.782		.836				
1946				.895		.939				
1947	1.063	1.138		1.023		1.060	1.093	0.995	1.196	
1948	1.153	1.245		1.097		1.153	1.198	1.066	1.296	
1949	1.206	1.278		1.109		1.226	1.269	1.094	1.385	
1950	1.262	1.334		1.173		1.277	1.369	1.136	1.455	
1951	1.350	1.450		1.250	1.420	1.350	1.470	1.200	1.580	
1952	1.440	1.560		1.300	1.490	1.430	1.540	1.270	1.640	
1953	1.530	1.670		1.350	1.580	1.510	1.660	1.320	1.780	
1954	1.590	1.730		1.390	1.630	1.600	1.710	1.380	1.870	
1955	1.660	1.830		1.430	1.710	1.660	1.780	1.420	1.950	
1956	1.760	1.920		1.540	1.810	1.740	1.880	1.500	2.040	
1957	1.850	2.050		1.600	1.910	1.810	1.970	1.570	2.140	
1958	1.940	2.140	1.960	1.640	2.000	1.900	2.070	1.630	2.220	1.850
1959	2.020	2.230	2.040	1.700	2.060	1.990	2.120	1.690	2.310	1.920
1960	2.110	2.320	2.130	1.780	2.120	2.100	2.230	1.760	2.400	1.990
1961	2.170	2.360	2.190	1.850	2.210	2.190	2.280	1.840	2.490	2.060
1962	2.240	2.430	2.260	1.900	2.280	2.270	2.370	1.920	2.570	2.140
1963	2.300	2.480	2.340	1.920	2.370	2.330	2.440	1.970	2.650	2.210
1964	2.370	2.560	2.420	1.950	2.440	2.410	2.490	2.040	2.720	2.270
1965	2.43									

Source: See table V.26.

TABLE V.28—Average annual earnings per full-time employee in the food and kindred products industry, 1948-65

	Dollars	Index, 1957-59=100		Dollars	Index, 1957-59=100
	(1)	(2)		(1)	(2)
1948	2,871	62.7	1957	4,389	95.9
1949	2,947	64.3	1958	4,563	99.7
1950	3,089	67.5	1959	4,782	104.5
1951	3,316	72.4	1960	4,930	107.7
1952	3,497	76.4	1961	5,080	111.0
1953	3,701	80.8	1962	5,258	114.9
1954	3,837	83.8	1963	5,415	118.3
1955	4,009	87.6	1964	5,558	123.6
1956	4,217	92.1	1965	5,806	126.8

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; col. 2, index computed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE V.29—Index numbers of farm production per man-hour, by groups of enterprises, United States, selected periods and years, 1910-65¹

[1957-59=100]

Year	Farm output ²	Livestock and livestock products ³				Crops ⁴									
		All	Meat animals	Milk cows	Poultry	All	Feed grains	Hay and forage	Food grains	Vegetables	Fruits and nuts	Sugar crops	Cotton	Tobacco	Oil crops
1910-14	24	45	67	41	30	24	14	31	14	38	43	27	25	68	16
1920-24	26	46	71	43	31	27	16	32	15	40	51	26	23	65	15
1930-34	29	46	73	44	32	28	17	30	21	42	57	30	27	64	14
1939	35	50	75	47	34	34	21	36	24	46	71	35	33	66	22
1940	36	50	76	48	34	37	22	39	27	47	71	38	35	71	23
1941	39	51	77	50	37	39	24	40	30	48	73	37	35	68	26
1942	42	56	80	52	38	43	27	43	35	50	75	36	39	70	25
1943	42	58	83	52	39	41	26	44	33	52	69	33	37	68	27
1944	44	56	81	53	38	44	28	45	36	50	78	34	41	74	27
1945	46	58	80	56	40	46	30	49	38	54	74	36	39	73	30
1946	49	59	80	59	39	50	35	53	41	59	82	40	39	78	32
1947	50	61	80	62	41	50	32	56	46	60	81	43	45	76	34
1948	56	62	81	64	42	57	44	62	48	66	79	43	49	83	44
1949	57	66	82	67	46	57	44	67	45	65	86	49	57	80	51
1950	61	68	84	67	48	63	49	73	53	69	88	55	53	82	61
1951	62	72	86	69	52	61	50	77	50	71	90	56	59	85	61
1952	68	74	86	71	55	67	57	79	61	74	92	63	62	83	65
1953	71	76	89	75	62	69	58	83	57	77	97	70	69	84	66
1954	74	80	91	77	67	73	62	77	61	80	103	75	73	88	71
1955	80	85	94	82	72	77	67	83	67	85	103	77	81	94	76
1956	86	89	96	88	82	83	75	87	72	82	103	85	84	100	86
1957	91	92	96	93	87	90	86	92	82	95	96	96	91	96	90
1958	103	100	99	100	102	105	101	102	113	100	101	97	101	102	106
1959	106	108	105	107	111	105	113	106	105	105	103	107	108	102	104
1960	115	113	106	115	124	114	127	113	128	110	97	112	116	108	109
1961	120	120	109	123	140	110	141	119	120	117	105	113	125	110	117
1962	127	127	114	130	150	124	159	121	124	117	102	114	149	117	118
1963	135	137	120	139	164	132	172	125	124	128	103	138	160	121	121
1964	142	147	127	150	179	133	170	130	131	123	107	130	175	124	114
1965 ⁵	153	154	129	160	197	150	205	137	134	132	112	132	203	122	123

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¹ Annual data for 1910-38 in 1964 issue of this publication.

² Man-hours in ratio includes labor used on crops, livestock, and overhead.

³ For livestock included in each group see table 1, footnotes 3 to 7.

⁴ For crops included in each group see table 1, footnotes 8 to 16.

⁵ Preliminary.

NOTE.—Supplement IV to this publication contains a similar table for each region. See preface.

Source: Changes in Farm Production and Efficiency, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Statistical Bulletin No. 233, June 1966, table 19.

TABLE V.30—*Index numbers of man-hours of farmwork, by regions, 1939-65*¹
[1957-59=100]

Year	North-east	Lake States	Corn Belt	North-ern Plains	Appa-lachian	South-east	Delta States	South-ern Plains	Moun-tain	Pacific	United States
1939.....	197	187	183	176	183	240	260	222	161	146	194
1940.....	198	190	180	180	172	235	245	230	164	146	192
1941.....	194	186	181	189	167	215	239	217	168	145	188
1942.....	197	191	185	202	168	223	251	226	171	143	194
1943.....	192	187	183	200	172	224	238	216	169	144	191
1944.....	192	183	179	199	179	219	235	212	165	144	190
1945.....	182	177	169	184	171	208	209	183	155	140	177
1946.....	174	165	163	168	175	199	195	171	148	140	170
1947.....	159	149	148	156	166	195	196	178	144	134	162
1948.....	151	141	148	150	162	191	219	165	139	127	158
1949.....	147	139	142	136	161	177	198	166	135	125	152
1950.....	144	132	135	134	152	162	170	146	129	120	142
1951.....	137	129	132	134	156	170	174	152	127	123	143
1952.....	131	125	128	128	149	157	168	138	121	118	136
1953.....	128	122	124	125	139	149	167	134	116	111	131
1954.....	124	119	121	125	135	135	141	125	119	106	125
1955.....	118	115	117	118	126	134	137	121	113	104	120
1956.....	113	111	111	109	119	121	123	111	108	104	113
1957.....	105	105	104	107	103	104	105	102	104	101	104
1958.....	101	99	99	101	99	97	96	101	101	100	99
1959.....	94	96	97	92	98	99	99	97	95	99	97
1960.....	91	90	91	89	94	96	94	92	91	97	92
1961.....	87	88	85	84	92	93	92	88	87	95	89
1962.....	82	84	81	83	91	89	82	80	85	95	85
1963.....	78	80	78	80	89	89	83	77	82	94	79
1964.....	74	77	74	77	83	85	79	74	79	93	79
1965 ²	71	73	69	74	76	81	72	72	77	91	75

¹ Man-hours include labor used on crops, livestock, and overhead. For States in each region, see map on cover.

² Preliminary.

NOTE.—Computed from unrounded data.

Source: *Ibid.*, table 18.

TABLE V.31—*Index numbers of farm output per man-hour, by regions, 1939-65*¹
[1957-59=100]

Year	North-east	Lake States	Corn Belt	North-ern Plains	Appa-lachian	South-east	Delta States	South-ern Plains	Moun-tain	Pacific	United States
1939.....	38	37	37	28	46	31	33	32	35	41	35
1940.....	39	39	37	32	48	33	33	36	37	42	36
1941.....	40	39	39	38	49	33	35	36	41	45	39
1942.....	43	42	43	45	54	37	38	39	42	46	42
1943.....	43	42	43	43	51	38	38	38	45	48	42
1944.....	45	42	42	45	54	40	40	44	45	49	44
1945.....	47	46	45	49	55	42	41	42	48	51	46
1946.....	52	49	50	52	58	43	41	46	50	56	49
1947.....	55	52	46	56	59	44	43	52	54	57	50
1948.....	60	59	59	61	64	48	50	51	58	61	56
1949.....	63	60	59	57	61	48	47	65	58	63	57
1950.....	67	63	61	66	64	52	52	58	62	68	61
1951.....	71	67	63	63	68	59	55	56	65	70	62
1952.....	73	72	70	73	69	59	60	63	74	76	68
1953.....	77	75	70	68	73	70	65	67	81	82	71
1954.....	80	78	74	70	76	68	72	72	74	88	74
1955.....	83	83	80	71	84	83	85	76	81	89	80
1956.....	89	88	86	74	93	88	88	78	84	93	86
1957.....	91	91	92	91	86	91	91	88	92	96	91
1958.....	103	101	101	110	103	102	97	104	102	95	103
1959.....	106	107	108	104	106	107	115	108	106	106	106
1960.....	113	113	116	127	114	112	117	122	112	105	115
1961.....	121	122	125	120	118	127	128	128	116	108	120
1962.....	122	123	132	135	124	124	144	132	122	114	127
1963.....	129	135	147	139	130	135	159	142	130	117	135
1964.....	135	136	149	143	140	146	175	149	134	120	142
1965 ²	145	142	167	159	146	158	190	168	145	124	153

¹ Man-hours in ratio include labor on crops, livestock, and overhead. For States in each region, see map on cover.

² Preliminary.

Source: "Changes in Farm Production and Efficiency," *op. cit.*, table 20.

TABLE V.32—Persons supplied farm products by 1 farmworker, United States, 1820-1965

Year	Persons supplied per farmworker ¹			Total farm employment ²	Total U.S. population July 1 ³
	Total	At home	Abroad		
	Number	Number	Number	Millions	Millions
1820.....	4.12	3.84	0.28	2.4	9.6
1830.....	4.00	3.76	.24	3.3	12.9
1840.....	3.95	3.72	.23	4.4	17.1
1850.....	4.18	3.97	.21	5.7	23.3
1860.....	4.53	4.06	.47	7.3	31.5
1870.....	5.14	4.64	.50	8.0	39.9
1880.....	5.57	4.48	1.09	10.1	50.3
1890.....	5.77	4.69	1.08	11.7	63.1
1900.....	6.95	5.23	1.72	12.8	76.1
1910.....	7.07	6.05	1.02	13.6	92.4
1920.....	8.27	6.84	1.43	13.4	106.5
1930.....	9.75	8.77	.98	12.5	123.1
1940.....	10.69	10.33	.36	11.0	132.1
1941.....	11.97	10.97	1.00	10.7	133.4
1942.....	12.97	11.82	1.15	10.5	134.9
1943.....	13.54	12.09	1.45	10.4	136.7
1944.....	13.84	12.48	1.36	10.2	138.4
1945.....	14.55	12.87	1.68	10.0	139.9
1946.....	14.28	12.36	1.92	10.3	141.4
1947.....	14.13	12.61	1.52	10.4	144.1
1948.....	14.52	12.83	1.69	10.4	146.6
1949.....	14.92	13.43	1.49	10.0	149.2
1950.....	15.47	13.79	1.68	9.9	151.7
1951.....	15.76	13.97	1.79	9.5	154.3
1952.....	16.40	15.01	1.39	9.1	157.0
1953.....	17.21	15.77	1.44	8.9	159.6
1954.....	18.10	16.24	1.86	8.7	162.4
1955.....	19.49	17.32	2.17	8.4	165.3
1956.....	21.72	18.53	3.19	7.9	168.2
1957.....	22.76	19.83	2.93	7.6	171.3
1958.....	23.21	20.65	2.56	7.5	174.1
1959.....	24.51	21.36	3.15	7.3	177.1
1960.....	25.85	22.30	3.55	7.1	179.9
1961.....	27.58	23.61	3.97	6.9	183.0
1962.....	28.57	24.69	3.88	6.7	185.8
1963.....	30.75	25.81	4.94	6.5	188.6
1964.....	33.25	27.92	5.33	6.1	191.3
1965 ⁴	37.02	30.79	6.23	5.6	193.7

¹ Persons supplied include the farmworker. Thus in 1820, the average farmworker supplied himself and 3.12 other persons.

² Includes farm operators, unpaid family workers, and hired workers. From Farm Labor, Statistical Reporting Service.

³ Includes persons in our military forces in this country and abroad.

⁴ Preliminary.

Source: Ibid., table 21.

TABLE V.33—Index numbers of farm output, production inputs, and productivity, United States, selected periods and years, 1870-1965

[1957-59=100]

Year	Farm output	Production inputs	Productivity ¹	Year	Farm output	Production inputs	Productivity ¹
1870.....	20	41	49	1949.....	87	101	86
1880.....	31	53	58	1950.....	86	101	85
1890.....	37	63	59	1951.....	89	104	86
1900.....	45	73	66	1952.....	92	103	89
1910-14.....	52	85	61	1953.....	93	103	90
1920-24.....	57	92	62	1954.....	93	102	91
1930-34.....	60	93	65	1955.....	96	102	94
1939.....	68	94	72	1956.....	97	101	96
1940.....	70	97	72	1957.....	95	99	96
1941.....	73	97	75	1958.....	102	99	103
1942.....	82	100	82	1959.....	103	102	101
1943.....	80	101	79	1960.....	106	101	105
1944.....	83	101	82	1961.....	107	101	106
1945.....	81	99	82	1962.....	108	101	107
1946.....	84	99	85	1963.....	112	102	110
1947.....	81	99	82	1964.....	112	103	109
1948.....	88	100	88	1965 ¹	115	103	112

¹ Output per unit of input.

¹ Preliminary.

Source: Ibid., p. 36.

TABLE V.34—Index numbers of total farm inputs, and inputs in major subgroups, United States, 1910–65

(1957–59=100)

Year	Total inputs	Farm labor	Farm real estate	Mechanical power and machinery	Fertilizer and liming materials	Feed, seed, and livestock purchases ¹	Miscellaneous
1910	82	209	88	20	12	16	56
1915	88	215	92	25	12	16	65
1920	93	222	92	32	16	23	67
1925	95	220	89	33	18	27	71
1930	97	212	91	40	21	26	76
1931	96	217	89	38	16	23	78
1932	93	209	86	35	11	24	79
1933	91	209	87	32	12	24	76
1934	86	187	86	32	14	24	69
1935	88	195	88	33	17	23	66
1936	89	189	89	35	20	31	68
1937	94	205	90	38	24	29	68
1938	91	191	91	40	23	30	70
1939	94	191	92	40	24	37	72
1940	97	190	92	42	28	45	73
1941	97	186	92	44	30	46	74
1942	100	191	91	48	34	57	75
1943	101	188	89	50	38	63	76
1944	101	187	88	51	43	64	76
1945	99	174	88	54	45	72	76
1946	99	167	91	58	53	69	77
1947	99	159	92	64	56	73	78
1948	100	156	95	72	57	72	74
1949	101	150	95	80	61	69	82
1950	101	140	97	86	68	72	85
1951	104	141	98	92	73	80	88
1952	103	134	99	96	80	81	88
1953	103	128	99	97	83	80	91
1954	102	123	100	98	88	82	91
1955	102	119	100	99	90	86	94
1956	101	112	99	99	91	91	98
1957	99	103	100	100	94	93	95
1958	99	99	100	99	97	101	100
1959	102	98	100	101	109	106	105
1960	101	92	100	100	110	109	106
1961	101	89	100	97	116	123	109
1962	101	85	101	97	124	121	113
1963	102	83	101	99	141	124	115
1964 ²	103	79	102	101	155	123	120
1965 ²	104	78	100	101	166	124	124

¹ Nonfarm portion of feed, seed, and livestock purchases.² Preliminary.

Source: Ibid., table 3.

APPENDIX VI

PRODUCTION, PRICES, AND COSTS IN THE METALS INDUSTRIES

TABLE VI.1—Metal and metal products industries—Indexes of industrial production (not seasonally adjusted), 1947-66
[1957-59=100]

	Primary and fabricated metals	Primary metals	Iron and steel	Non-ferrous metal products	Fabricated metal products	Structural metal parts	Machinery and related products	Machinery	Nonelectrical machinery	Electrical machinery	Transportation equipment	Motor vehicles and parts	Aircraft and other equipment	Instruments and related products
1947	84.2	90.7		78.1	75.9	66.4	53.6	65.3	78.6	51.1	42.9	69.5	23.6	53.7
1948	86.7	94.3		79.8	77.2	71.7	56.0	66.5	79.0	53.0	46.9	75.4	26.2	55.2
1949	75.3	79.4		64.0	69.8	67.2	52.0	59.0	67.4	49.7	47.1	77.3	26.4	49.2
1950	93.6	99.9		86.2	85.4	77.9	63.2	72.7	75.6	68.1	56.4	99.4	26.8	57.3
1951	101.0	108.7		85.7	91.2	83.4	75.6	83.0	96.1	68.5	62.9	91.1	43.6	65.7
1952	95.0	99.3		88.2	89.0	83.0	86.1	92.1	104.3	78.3	73.1	78.1	69.7	78.1
1953	107.2	112.5		95.8	100.3	93.5	99.0	100.5	107.6	90.9	91.7	99.1	86.6	85.3
1954	93.8	91.3		88.9	90.2	85.9	87.4	87.7	91.8	82.5	83.8	89.4	80.2	82.9
1955	109.7	118.4		107.6	98.3	92.4	99.1	96.5	98.6	93.7	102.0	127.8	80.6	88.7
1956	108.7	116.4		108.5	98.8	95.7	102.7	107.1	110.0	103.3	97.4	102.5	93.6	95.4
1957	107.5	112.2		102.6	101.5	102.5	104.3	104.2	106.4	101.1	106.4	108.3	105.4	98.0
1958	89.8	87.5		89.9	92.9	94.7	89.5	88.8	87.9	90.0	89.5	82.9	95.4	92.1
1959	102.6	100.4		106.6	105.5	102.6	106.1	107.1	105.7	108.8	104.0	108.7	99.1	109.9
1960	104.1	101.3		102.8	107.6	106.1	110.4	110.8	108.8	113.6	108.2	124.3	93.4	116.5
1961	102.2	98.9	96.5	107.5	106.5	105.2	108.8	110.4	106.5	115.7	103.6	111.9	95.7	115.8
1962	110.0	104.6	100.6	119.1	117.1	113.2	122.1	123.5	119.7	128.5	118.3	134.1	103.4	123.0
1963	117.7	113.3	109.6	126.7	123.4	120.2	128.7	129.2	126.9	132.3	127.0	146.1	109.5	130.2
1964	130.7	129.1	126.5	138.3	132.7	130.3	136.4	141.4	142.1	140.6	130.7	150.1	112.4	136.4
1965	142.0	137.5	133.6	152.1	147.8	145.4	164.3	160.4	160.3	160.6	149.2	175.2	125.3	161.4
1966—January	142.2	130.8	122.9	159.1	157.0	154.2	168.2	174.3	171.9	177.6	163.1	176.7	160.1	168.0
February	145.4	133.6	128.7	164.0	160.7	158.9	169.9	176.7	174.4	179.8	163.2	175.5	151.6	169.4
March	150.1	141.4	136.1	168.4	161.4	158.9	170.7	176.0	174.0	178.8	165.8	178.1	154.3	171.9
April	150.6	142.3	137.0	166.9	161.4	159.1	172.3	178.4	174.5	183.6	166.0	176.8	156.4	174.6
May	153.4	146.5	141.1	165.0	162.3	158.4	173.7	180.6	177.7	184.5	165.8	169.9	161.9	176.4
June	154.0	147.6	141.9	164.8	162.3	158.8	175.6	183.0	180.3	186.5	167.1	169.4	164.7	176.5
July	154.9	149.5	144.6	161.8	161.8	157.7	177.0	185.9	184.7	187.6	166.0	161.2	169.6	177.0
August	154.4	148.7	142.4	161.4	161.7	159.3	179.3	189.9	187.6	192.8	166.5	158.5	172.9	176.7

Source: Board of Governors, Federal Reserve.

PRODUCTIVITY, PRICES, AND INCOMES

TABLE VI.2—*Metals manufacturing industries, 1929-65*

[1957-59=100]

	Production	Value added per unit ¹	Capital allowance per unit	Income originating per unit	Employee compensation per unit	Corporate profits before tax per unit	Corporate tax liability per unit	Corporate profits after tax per unit
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1929	48.0		30.2					
1930	35.0		42.9					
1931	23.0		59.1					
1932	14.0		85.7					
1933	19.0		60.5					
1934	24.0		44.2					
1935	30.0		36.0					
1936	39.0		27.9					
1937	44.0		26.4					
1938	27.0		40.4					
1939	39.0		29.5					
1940	52.0		25.4					
1941	76.0		22.1					
1942	111.0		22.3					
1943	147.0		20.7					
1944	144.0		24.2					
1945	110.0		29.7					
1946	71.0		26.1					
1947	63.0	61.3	36.3	68.1	67.0	92.7	69.4	118.3
1948	65.4	73.1	41.9	75.4	72.0	109.9	82.0	140.7
1949	59.1	78.7	50.9	80.7	73.6	105.2	80.9	132.0
1950	72.5	80.1	45.7	82.8	70.8	146.3	134.9	158.9
1951	83.4	86.0	47.5	88.7	79.1	136.3	158.0	112.5
1952	88.8	86.5	55.3	88.9	83.2	111.4	124.5	94.8
1953	101.5	85.4	61.7	87.2	84.0	104.6	120.2	87.4
1954	88.4	89.7	81.9	90.3	88.2	157.0	100.6	95.9
1955	102.3	89.8	80.2	90.6	85.4	123.0	120.6	125.0
1956	104.5	92.5	84.8	93.0	91.6	109.0	107.4	98.8
1957	105.3	97.9	92.9	98.3	96.2	109.0	107.3	110.9
1958	89.6	101.3	111.0	100.6	104.1	83.5	85.6	81.1
1959	105.0	101.0	97.8	101.3	100.4	105.2	105.1	84.4
1960	108.5	99.7	100.7	99.6	101.4	88.7	92.0	85.1
1961	106.5	100.0	107.5	99.4	202.0	85.5	90.2	80.4
1962	118.4	104.3	115.3	102.1	102.2	97.9	95.4	100.7
1963	125.3	103.2	112.5	103.6	101.6	106.1	103.0	109.7
1964	134.7			103.4	101.3			
1965	160.6			104.4	99.5			

¹Capital consumption plus income originating per unit.

Source: Col. 1—Computed by weighting indexes of industrial production for primary and fabricated metals, machinery and related products. Indexes obtained from Board of Governors, Federal Reserve. Cols. 2-8—U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; per unit indexes computed by staff of the Joint Economics Committee.

TABLE VI.3—Income originating in metals manufacturing industries,¹ by distributive shares, 1929-65—Total income in dollars and percent distribution

	Total income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits			Proprietor's income net interest and inventory value
			Total	Tax liability	After tax	
	Millions of dollars	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
1929	8,360	74.3	26.7	3.2	23.4	-1.0
1930	6,289	80.1	11.5	2.2	9.3	8.4
1931	3,509	100.1	-7.4	1.4	-8.7	7.3
1932	1,446	153.4	-60.3	1.0	-61.3	6.9
1933	2,026	112.5	-1.4	2.4	-3.8	-11.1
1934	3,390	93.2	10.8	2.7	8.1	-4.0
1935	4,571	82.5	17.5	3.5	14.0	-1.1
1936	6,131	77.1	23.6	4.8	18.8	-6.6
1937	7,616	80.6	23.0	4.8	18.1	-3.6
1938	4,934	87.5	9.0	2.9	6.1	3.6
1939	6,803	79.2	20.4	4.2	16.2	.4
1940	9,604	71.3	27.9	9.7	18.2	.8
1941	16,648	65.1	34.5	18.7	15.8	.4
1942	24,488	73.2	25.9	16.5	9.4	.9
1943	33,740	77.4	21.3	13.7	7.5	1.3
1944	34,384	79.4	19.0	11.6	7.4	1.6
1945	26,075	83.4	15.2	9.6	5.6	1.4
1946	18,169	90.2	13.3	6.4	6.9	-3.6
1947	24,306	80.0	25.0	9.8	15.2	-5.0
1948	27,965	77.5	26.8	10.5	16.3	-4.3
1949	27,039	74.1	24.0	9.7	14.3	2.0
1950	34,001	69.5	32.5	15.7	16.8	-2.0
1951	41,959	72.4	28.2	17.1	11.1	-7.7
1952	44,715	76.1	22.8	13.5	9.3	1.0
1953	50,147	78.3	22.1	13.3	8.8	-4.4
1954	45,211	79.5	32.0	10.7	9.3	-11.5
1955	52,537	76.6	24.9	12.8	12.1	-1.6
1956	55,124	80.0	21.5	11.1	9.3	-1.5
1957	58,651	79.6	20.4	10.5	9.9	.02
1958	51,089	84.1	15.2	8.2	7.0	.7
1959	60,309	80.5	19.1	10.0	7.3	.4
1960	61,302	82.6	16.4	8.9	7.5	1.0
1961	60,199	83.4	15.8	8.7	7.1	.8
1962	68,535	81.3	17.6	9.0	8.6	1.1
1963	72,813	80.5	19.0	9.7	9.3	.5
1964	78,949	79.6				
1965	89,141	76.7				

¹ Metals manufacturing industries include the following industries: Primary metal, fabricated metal products, machinery, transportation equipment and ordnance, and instruments.

Source: Basic data obtained from the Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Percentages computed by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.4—Indexes of production and national income originating in selected durable goods manufacturing industries, 1947-85

(1957-59=100)

	Primary metals		Fabricated metals		Nonelectrical machinery		Electrical machinery		Transportation equipment		Automobiles	
	Production	Income	Production	Income	Production	Income	Production	Income	Production	Income	Production	Income
1947	90.7	-----	75.9	-----	78.6	-----	51.1	-----	42.9	-----	69.5	-----
1948	94.3	57.2	77.2	56.6	79.0	57.2	53.0	44.3	46.9	24.5	75.4	56.8
1949	79.4	52.4	69.8	51.7	67.4	52.0	49.7	41.7	47.1	24.9	77.3	67.6
1950	99.9	68.9	85.4	65.8	75.6	59.8	68.1	53.0	56.4	26.9	99.4	92.8
1951	108.7	87.2	91.2	78.2	96.1	82.6	68.5	63.2	62.9	45.0	91.1	88.9
1952	99.3	76.8	89.0	77.4	104.3	90.0	78.3	72.3	73.1	69.1	78.1	89.9
1953	112.5	90.4	100.3	85.4	107.6	90.8	90.9	80.5	91.7	82.6	99.1	106.9
1954	91.3	74.6	90.2	81.4	91.8	82.6	82.5	73.5	83.8	79.6	89.4	90.8
1955	118.4	97.8	98.3	90.5	98.6	87.0	93.7	78.3	102.0	78.9	127.8	134.7
1956	116.4	105.2	98.8	96.0	110.0	102.7	103.3	87.6	97.4	87.3	102.5	104.0
1957	112.2	109.8	101.5	101.1	106.4	104.2	101.1	95.9	106.4	101.8	108.3	110.0
1958	87.5	88.7	92.9	93.8	87.9	89.4	90.0	92.4	89.4	87.7	82.9	76.2
1959	100.4	101.5	105.5	105.2	105.7	106.4	108.8	111.6	104.0	100.5	108.7	113.5
1960	101.3	103.4	107.6	105.5	108.8	107.3	113.6	115.0	108.2	98.6	124.3	129.5
1961	98.9	95.4	106.5	105.5	106.5	106.7	115.7	119.6	103.6	102.3	111.9	107.1
1962	104.6	101.9	117.1	114.4	119.7	120.4	128.5	132.8	118.3	117.1	134.1	145.5
1963	113.3	107.4	123.4	119.0	126.9	126.8	132.3	135.4	127.0	124.1	146.1	167.1
1964	129.1	122.3	132.7	131.7	142.1	146.2	140.6	140.5	130.7	128.2	150.1	173.3
1965	137.5	137.4	147.8	147.5	160.3	166.1	160.6	156.2	149.2	137.6	175.2	205.0

Source: Production figures, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve; income figures, Department of Commerce, Survey of Current Business. Income figures put on index by staff of Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.5—Average annual percentage rates of net income after taxes to net worth of leading metal products manufacturing corporations, 1927-65

Year	Iron and steel	Agricultural implements	Building, heating, plumbing equipment	Electrical equipment	Hardware and tools	Household equipment	Machinery	Office equipment	Non-ferrous metals	Other metal products	Autos and trucks	Auto equipment	Railway equipment	Aircraft and parts
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
1927	5.3	10.0	10.7	13.4	14.8	14.0	8.0	14.7	6.8	11.1	24.3	12.0	8.2	
1928	7.0	12.0	12.1	15.8	18.4	14.5	11.0	17.4	10.9	14.6	27.7	23.0	5.9	
1929	11.2	13.4	14.2	17.7	15.7	14.7	14.3	21.1	15.6	17.7	23.5	23.5	8.3	
1930	4.5	8.8	4.8	9.3	4.4	7.7	5.5	12.0	3.6	9.9	8.9	6.7	6.3	10.7
1931	-5	-1.0	-2.2	4.1	-5.6	1.8	-1.6	4.7	.1	4.9	4.0	-1	.1	-5.2
1932	-4.0	-5.2	-5.3	-6.3	-6.3	1.3	-7.3	-1.9	-2.7	.5	-2.9	-4.8	-1.8	-3.2
1933	-1.9	-2.3	-1.5	-1.5	-2	6.1	-4.0	3.6	2.7	6.2	7.4	.1	-1.4	-7.8
1934	-4	.6	1.2	2.2	3.5	7.2	1.1	9.3	7.1	9.1	7.9	6.6	.1	.7
1935	1.3	7.7	3.6	6.5	5.9	8.3	5.4	12.5	4.6	9.5	16.2	16.3	-1	4.1
1936	4.7	12.2	8.8	11.7	11.7	12.9	11.7	16.3	7.4	11.0	24.6	16.6	3.7	7.8
1937	6.9	13.1	10.1	15.2	16.5	14.6	14.5	20.2	10.3	10.7	18.5	17.9	7.6	7.2
1938	-2	6.6	.4	5.7	4.4	5.1	5.2	10.2	4.5	4.9	7.3	1.1	-8	15.5
1939	4.5	5.1	6.6	10.5	-11.1	11.7	8.6	10.4	8.6	9.9	15.9	12.8	2.2	21.0
1940	8.5	8.5	10.4	16.5	16.3	12.3	14.6	10.6	12.4	11.5	16.8	17.2	6.4	33.2
1941	9.6	10.6	11.7	15.6	17.8	16.0	19.7	17.1	10.3	13.7	18.3	19.9	10.5	48.8
1942	6.5	9.1	9.6	11.4	14.5	10.0	15.9	13.8	10.0	10.5	13.5	16.7	11.0	45.0
1943	5.6	8.5	9.4	12.4	13.3	10.5	14.5	11.2	9.9	10.8	12.4	17.6	9.0	36.8
1944	5.2	8.6	9.4	13.1	11.3	11.3	11.8	11.8	7.7	10.8	12.9	15.5	9.3	23.6
1945	5.0	7.1	8.0	11.9	10.2	10.2	9.8	9.6	5.9	9.7	13.6	14.6	8.6	18.4
1946	7.5	5.7	11.4	8.9	14.0	18.4	11.3	18.9	7.1	9.5	-6.9	8.9	9.3	4.9
1947	11.3	11.1	19.0	19.3	18.9	34.3	16.8	27.1	14.0	15.4	20.8	23.5	10.5	-3.7
1948	14.0	14.8	21.0	20.5	17.1	27.8	19.3	25.6	14.9	17.7	26.0	23.5	10.2	3.1
1949	11.5	15.6	12.7	17.2	9.7	13.9	12.7	18.5	8.2	10.0	30.8	18.7	7.2	8.6
1950	15.3	15.6	17.7	23.0	14.7	22.3	14.1	19.0	14.2	16.2	32.3	22.7	7.3	14.1
1951	12.3	11.9	13.7	16.2	14.0	13.0	14.9	16.9	13.5	14.7	17.5	15.6	9.8	8.9
1952	8.8	10.9	10.8	14.8	10.8	12.2	14.1	14.3	11.5	11.4	18.5	13.2	8.9	17.6
1953	11.6	8.1	10.2	14.9	9.7	10.7	12.9	13.2	11.0	12.2	19.4	13.2	9.2	20.1
1954	9.4	6.9	9.8	15.4	8.1	10.3	11.7	14.7	10.8	11.1	18.0	10.4	7.3	27.1
1955	15.2	8.9	11.3	13.1	11.3	12.2	11.6	16.7	16.6	12.8	29.8	15.9	8.5	24.3
1956	13.9	8.3	11.3	12.1	12.1	12.7	15.2	17.5	17.2	12.5	14.6	12.9	9.9	21.4
1957	13.2	6.9	9.4	13.9	10.8	9.6	13.7	18.0	9.7	12.0	16.4	12.1	10.2	20.0
1958	8.2	7.8	8.1	12.4	6.2	7.7	7.0	13.7	6.8	8.9	9.1	7.4	6.1	14.1
1959	8.4	11.2	9.1	14.4	9.3	14.1	9.8	14.4	8.9	11.4	16.9	13.1	8.0	9.0
1960	7.8	5.8	5.3	11.4	12.0	10.0	9.9	14.2	7.2	6.8	16.9	7.3	7.1	6.6
1961	6.4	5.8	4.6	10.0	12.6	9.2	8.9	16.1	6.8	7.3	13.2	6.8	5.1	4.4
1962	5.4	7.9	6.3	11.3	14.2	11.5	9.9	17.2	7.1	9.0	19.4	10.2	6.4	12.9
1963	7.3	9.4	6.4	10.7	14.6	12.8	9.7	18.0	9.3	9.3	19.6	11.4	7.9	11.7
1964	9.0	13.7	8.9	11.1	16.1	14.1	12.3	17.9	9.2	10.4	19.9	12.2	11.2	13.1
1965	9.5	14.3	11.2	14.6	17.6	14.8	14.3	17.7	11.8	12.8	22.8	13.4	12.6	15.5

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Source: First National City Bank of New York, Monthly Economic Letter, April issues.

TABLE VI.6—Value added and income originating in the metals manufacturing industries,¹ 1929-65

[In millions of dollars]

	Value added ²	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after taxes	Other income
1929	8,969	609	8,360	6,213	2,232	272	1,960	-85
1930	6,917	628	6,289	5,038	725	138	587	526
1931	4,079	570	3,509	3,513	-259	48	-307	255
1932	1,951	505	1,446	2,218	-872	14	-886	100
1933	2,507	481	2,026	2,280	-29	49	-25	-225
1934	3,836	446	3,390	3,159	367	90	277	-138
1935	5,022	451	4,571	3,773	801	158	643	-3
1936	6,590	459	6,131	4,725	1,444	292	1,152	-38
1937	8,103	487	7,616	6,142	1,748	368	1,380	-274
1938	5,393	459	4,934	4,315	1,443	145	298	178
1939	7,282	479	6,803	5,388	1,390	287	1,103	25
1940	10,157	553	9,604	8,847	2,678	931	1,747	79
1941	17,353	705	16,648	10,842	5,740	3,106	2,634	66
1942	25,528	1,040	24,488	17,919	6,347	4,049	2,298	222
1943	35,020	1,280	33,740	25,122	7,171	4,636	2,535	447
1944	35,847	1,463	34,384	27,313	6,528	3,977	2,551	543
1945	27,396	1,321	26,075	21,749	3,955	2,512	1,443	371
1946	18,943	774	18,169	16,395	2,422	1,159	1,263	-648
1947	25,267	961	24,306	19,448	6,085	2,385	3,700	-1,224
1948	19,113	1,148	27,965	21,682	7,492	2,925	4,567	-1,209
1949	28,302	1,263	27,039	20,028	6,480	2,609	3,871	531
1950	35,390	1,389	34,001	23,642	11,052	5,334	5,718	693
1951	43,621	1,662	41,959	30,398	11,843	7,185	4,658	282
1952	46,772	2,057	44,715	34,048	10,211	6,029	4,182	456
1953	52,773	2,626	50,147	39,290	11,059	6,655	4,404	202
1954	48,248	3,037	45,211	35,931	14,459	4,848	4,211	5,199
1955	55,973	3,436	52,537	40,256	13,107	6,750	6,348	826
1956	58,838	3,714	55,124	44,088	11,862	6,118	5,123	826
1957	62,751	4,100	58,651	46,678	11,959	6,162	5,797	14
1958	55,290	4,171	51,089	42,962	7,788	4,181	3,607	339
1959	64,616	4,306	60,309	48,551	11,508	6,018	4,399	250
1960	65,883	4,581	61,302	50,658	10,025	5,441	4,584	619
1961	65,013	4,814	60,199	50,192	9,513	5,251	4,262	494
1962	74,256	5,721	68,535	55,740	12,077	6,159	5,918	718
1963	78,455	5,907	72,548	58,623	13,861	7,038	6,823	329
1964			78,949	62,851				
1965			89,141	69,025				

¹ See table VI.3, footnote 1.² Capital consumption allowances plus income originating.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE VI.7—Index of value added and income originating in the metals manufacturing industries, 1929-65

[1957-59=100]

	Value added	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after taxes	Other income
1929.....	14.7	14.5	14.7	13.5	21.4	5.0	42.6	42.3
1930.....	11.4	15.0	11.1	10.9	7.0	2.5	12.8	261.7
1931.....	6.7	13.6	6.2	7.6	2.5	.9	6.8	126.9
1932.....	3.2	12.0	2.5	4.8	8.4	.3	19.3	49.8
1933.....	4.1	11.5	3.6	5.0	.3	.9	1.7	111.9
1934.....	6.3	10.6	6.0	6.9	3.5	1.7	6.0	67.6
1935.....	8.2	10.8	8.1	8.2	7.7	2.9	14.0	1.5
1936.....	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.3	13.9	5.4	25.0	18.9
1937.....	13.3	11.6	13.4	13.3	16.8	6.7	30.0	136.3
1938.....	8.9	10.9	8.7	9.4	4.3	2.7	6.5	87.6
1939.....	12.0	11.4	12.0	11.7	13.3	5.3	24.0	12.4
1940.....	16.7	13.2	16.9	14.9	25.7	17.1	38.0	39.3
1941.....	28.5	16.8	29.4	23.5	55.1	37.0	57.2	32.8
1942.....	41.9	24.8	43.2	38.9	60.9	74.2	50.0	110.4
1943.....	57.5	30.5	59.5	56.7	68.8	85.0	55.1	222.4
1944.....	58.9	34.9	60.7	59.3	62.7	72.9	55.4	270.1
1945.....	45.0	31.5	46.0	47.2	38.0	46.1	31.4	184.6
1946.....	31.1	18.5	32.1	35.6	23.2	21.3	27.5	322.4
1947.....	41.5	22.9	42.9	42.2	58.4	43.7	80.4	609.0
1948.....	31.4	27.4	49.3	47.1	71.9	53.6	99.3	601.5
1949.....	46.5	30.1	47.7	43.5	62.2	47.8	84.1	264.2
1950.....	58.1	33.1	60.0	61.3	106.1	97.8	124.3	-344.8
1951.....	71.7	39.6	74.0	66.0	113.7	131.8	101.2	-140.3
1952.....	76.8	49.1	78.9	73.9	98.0	110.6	90.9	226.9
1953.....	86.7	62.6	88.5	85.3	106.2	122.0	95.7	-100.5
1954.....	79.3	72.4	79.8	78.0	138.8	88.9	91.5	-2,586.5
1955.....	91.9	82.0	92.7	87.4	125.8	124.0	138.0	-410.9
1956.....	96.7	88.6	97.2	95.7	113.9	112.2	111.3	-410.9
1957.....	103.1	97.8	103.5	101.3	114.8	113.0	126.0	69.7
1958.....	90.8	99.5	90.1	93.3	74.8	76.7	78.4	168.7
1959.....	106.1	102.7	106.4	105.4	110.5	110.4	95.6	124.4
1960.....	108.2	109.3	108.1	110.0	96.2	99.8	99.6	308.0
1961.....	106.8	114.8	106.2	109.0	91.3	96.3	92.6	245.8
1962.....	122.0	136.5	120.9	121.0	115.9	112.9	128.6	357.2
1963.....	128.9	140.9	128.5	127.3	133.0	129.1	148.3	163.7
1964.....			139.3	136.4				
1965.....			157.3	149.8				

¹ See table VI.3, footnote 1.² Capital consumption allowances plus income originating.

Source: Ibid.

TABLE VI.8—Annual average wholesale price indexes for metals and metal products, 1947-66

[1957-59=100 unless otherwise indicated]

Code	Title	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
10	Metals and metal products.....	60.2	68.5	69.0	72.7	80.0	81.0	83.6	84.3	90.0	97.8	99.7	99.1	101.2
10-1	Iron and steel.....	53.1	61.7	62.7	66.9	72.9	73.8	77.7	78.7	83.2	91.6	98.4	99.9	101.8
10-11	Iron ore.....	50.3	54.8	65.2	69.9	75.1	78.1	87.3	89.5	91.1	98.2	103.1	100.5	96.4
10-12	Iron and steel scrap.....	99.5	118.1	78.0	101.0	114.7	110.2	99.5	77.0	101.0	127.8	112.9	90.5	96.7
10-13	Semifinished steel products.....	42.4	51.1	50.0	60.7	63.9	65.4	72.6	77.9	81.9	87.7	97.1	100.7	102.2
10-14	Finished steel products.....	48.8	55.5	60.1	63.1	68.2	69.7	75.0	78.2	81.9	88.8	97.2	100.6	102.3
10-15	Foundry and forge shop products.....	55.3	63.9	69.5	67.6	73.9	74.2	78.2	80.0	82.0	90.4	97.4	100.3	102.3
10-16	Pig iron and ferroalloys.....	51.5	61.4	68.2	69.5	76.4	70.0	83.5	83.1	83.7	91.4	99.6	100.1	100.3
10-2	Nonferrous metals.....	71.5	79.1	73.8	77.8	92.8	92.3	93.5	92.9	106.7	116.7	102.8	95.5	101.8
10-22	Primary metal refinery shapes.....	81.7	94.9	87.7	90.1	112.3	107.3	97.0	97.9	111.5	120.9	104.6	95.0	100.3
10-23	Nonferrous scrap.....	80.1	90.7	82.4	89.8	107.9	103.3	100.0	105.5	139.6	143.7	106.7	90.6	102.7
10-24	Secondary metal and alloy basic shapes.....	77.9	94.9	83.8	89.8	110.6	104.6	96.8	95.6	116.9	124.6	104.2	93.8	102.0
10-25	Mill shapes.....	63.1	68.8	68.2	72.4	81.2	83.6	89.4	90.1	99.3	108.0	100.9	97.3	101.8
10-26	Wire and cable.....	76.6	78.9	69.5	72.2	88.7	92.1	98.3	91.4	104.5	120.2	104.2	94.7	101.0
10-3	Metal containers.....	59.0	65.5	70.9	71.2	78.9	79.5	82.9	85.1	86.6	92.2	98.5	101.4	100.2
10-4	Hardware.....	54.8	59.6	62.5	67.4	74.2	73.9	78.2	82.1	86.4	91.9	97.2	100.8	102.0
10-41	Hardware n.e.c.....	61.9	64.3	64.9	70.7	81.4	79.9	83.3	87.3	89.7	94.1	98.2	100.6	101.3
10-42	Hand tools.....	50.3	56.1	60.0	64.3	69.2	69.5	74.2	77.9	83.2	89.8	96.1	100.7	103.2
10-5	Plumbing fixtures and brass fittings.....	74.0	80.2	80.2	84.5	95.7	91.8	90.6	92.5	98.0	104.6	101.7	96.7	101.6
10-51	Enameled iron fixtures.....	73.1	86.2	89.2	95.6	107.7	101.3	104.5	107.0	108.0	105.2	104.4	95.6	100.4
10-52	Vitreous china fixtures.....	74.4	83.3	88.6	94.4	106.2	101.0	88.7	92.5	98.4	102.8	102.8	95.7	101.4
10-53	Enameled steel fixtures.....	91.3	98.5	101.3	106.1	118.9	113.5	110.4	110.4	112.6	112.1	100.9	98.9	100.1
10-54	Brass fittings.....	73.4	74.0	70.2	72.8	83.3	81.3	83.2	84.4	91.7	102.7	99.6	97.3	103.1
10-6	Heating equipment.....	78.7	83.5	85.5	86.7	94.6	93.9	94.8	94.4	95.0	98.2	100.5	99.6	100.0
10-61	Steam and hot water equipment.....	58.6	68.8	71.6	73.5	82.6	82.9	86.8	87.8	89.0	92.6	97.3	100.0	102.7
10-62	Warm air furnaces.....	76.4	81.9	82.0	85.7	95.1	93.8	95.1	96.7	97.2	101.2	102.7	98.4	98.9
10-63	Fuel burning equipment.....	87.3	87.7	86.0	86.4	91.8	92.1	92.4	90.8	91.5	94.7	98.5	100.9	100.6
10-64	Room heaters.....	78.4	79.6	81.0	81.3	86.2	85.5	85.9	85.5	86.9	92.9	98.3	99.5	102.3
10-65	Unit heaters.....	80.1	81.7	86.1	87.5	95.2	95.2	95.9	93.4	92.1	96.2	95.1	102.2	102.6
10-66	Waterheater, domestic.....	90.3	97.5	104.2	102.9	112.0	110.5	108.6	105.5	106.1	105.0	104.0	99.2	96.8
10-7	Fabricated structural metal products.....	72.4	76.6	75.4	77.9	87.9	86.1	86.6	87.6	91.6	99.1	100.1	100.1	99.8
10-71	Metal doors, sash and trim.....	69.3	72.4	73.9	79.0	86.9	84.6	88.1	93.0	100.2	104.6	101.0	101.9	97.1
10-72	Metal tanks.....	74.4	79.5	76.5	77.1	88.5	87.1	85.3	83.6	85.3	95.4	100.0	99.3	100.7
10-73 ¹	Sheet metal products.....													
10-74 ¹	Structural, architectural, and preengineered metal products.....													
10-8	Fabricated nonstructural metal products.....	58.0	71.5	76.8	79.5	86.2	85.9	86.3	86.5	88.1	92.9	99.5	100.2	100.4
10-81	Bolts, nuts, screws, and rivets.....	44.3	50.8	54.7	60.8	69.4	69.8	74.7	77.5	80.1	87.1	98.7	101.4	99.9
10-82	Miscellaneous fabricated metal products.....	64.4	81.4	87.4	88.2	94.0	93.3	91.3	90.4	91.4	95.2	99.8	99.7	100.5
10-83 ¹	Lighting fixtures.....													

January 1961=100.

TABLE VI.8—Annual average wholesale price indexes for metals and metal products, 1947-66—Continued

Code	Title	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966					
								January	February	March	April	May	June
10	Metals and metal products.....	101.3	100.7	100.0	100.1	102.8	105.7	107.0	107.5	108.0	108.2	108.4	108.7
10-1	Iron and steel.....	100.6	100.7	99.3	99.1	100.5	101.4	102.0	102.2	102.3	102.0	101.8	102.0
10-11	Iron ore.....	97.1	98.1	93.9	93.1	90.6	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5
10-12	Iron and steel scrap.....	79.9	84.7	69.0	66.5	79.3	81.6	81.0	81.8	82.0	77.8	75.3	75.7
10-13	Semifinished steel products.....	102.0	101.8	101.8	102.3	103.5	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3
10-14	Finished steel products.....	102.1	101.7	101.4	102.0	102.8	103.3	104.1	104.2	104.4	104.3	104.4	104.5
10-15	Foundry and forge shop products.....	103.1	103.4	103.6	103.6	104.7	106.1	107.1	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.4	107.5
10-16	Pig iron and ferroalloys.....	96.3	94.7	91.1	81.8	77.7	80.2	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.2	80.2	80.2
10-2	Nonferrous metals.....	103.9	100.4	99.2	99.1	105.9	115.2	118.3	119.5	120.8	122.1	122.5	123.2
10-22	Primary metal refinery shapes.....	103.6	100.9	100.7	102.1	111.2	119.6	120.1	120.0	119.7	119.7	118.8	118.2
10-23	Nonferrous scrap.....	100.8	99.9	96.7	100.1	117.3	140.3	155.0	166.5	179.8	182.2	170.3	179.4
10-24	Secondary metal and alloy basic shapes.....	104.6	99.8	96.9	98.9	110.4	123.4	125.9	125.8	128.2	128.6	126.6	125.5
10-25	Mill shapes.....	105.9	101.1	99.5	96.8	99.1	103.9	105.9	106.4	106.9	108.5	111.3	111.6
10-26	Wire and cable.....	101.0	97.7	98.1	97.3	101.7	111.9	115.8	116.3	115.8	118.4	122.4	123.1
10-3	Metal containers.....	100.3	102.0	103.7	104.7	105.5	107.6	109.8	109.8	109.8	110.0	110.1	110.1
10-4	Hardware.....	102.8	103.8	104.0	104.1	104.8	106.0	107.3	107.4	108.3	108.4	109.6	109.8
10-41	Hardware n.e.c.....	101.5	102.3	102.4	102.0	102.1	102.9	104.3	104.3	105.5	105.5	106.5	106.5
10-42	Hand tools.....	105.1	106.9	107.4	108.8	110.9	113.1	114.3	114.3	114.5	115.0	116.8	117.1
10-5	Plumbing fixtures and brass fittings.....	103.1	103.2	100.1	100.5	101.8	104.7	106.6	106.7	107.5	107.1	107.9	108.5
10-51	Enameled iron fixtures.....	104.8	104.9	97.7	94.2	94.2	94.9	95.8	95.8	95.8	95.8	95.8	95.8
10-52	Vitreous china fixtures.....	102.5	100.5	91.0	88.0	89.5	93.0	95.1	95.1	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.4
10-53	Enameled steel fixtures.....	98.6	97.2	94.5	92.0	90.2	89.0	89.1	89.1	89.1	74.3	74.3	74.3
10-54	Brass fittings.....	103.6	105.2	106.9	111.5	114.2	118.7	121.6	121.7	123.4	126.4	128.2	129.4
10-6	Heating equipment.....	98.1	94.4	93.2	92.9	92.0	91.7	91.5	91.7	91.8	92.1	92.1	92.5
10-61	Steam and hot water equipment.....	102.9	102.2	102.5	101.5	102.8	102.5	102.0	102.3	102.6	103.0	103.0	103.6
10-62	Warm air furnaces.....	97.2	91.0	87.8	86.5	85.6	84.6	84.0	84.2	84.4	84.2	84.4	84.7
10-63	Fuel burning equipment.....	100.6	100.9	101.7	102.1	101.9	101.4	101.4	101.3	101.3	101.3	100.7	100.7
10-64	Room heaters.....	103.9	103.7	102.9	103.0	103.8	106.7	105.5	106.1	106.5	106.7	106.8	108.6
10-65	Unit heaters.....	103.0	102.5	100.0	95.3	93.3	91.8	89.7	89.7	89.9	92.1	92.2	92.9
10-66	Water heater, domestic.....	89.2	81.7	80.6	82.8	79.9	80.2	81.5	81.5	81.5	81.5	81.5	81.5
10-7	Fabricated structural metal products.....	100.8	99.0	98.2	98.2	99.3	101.2	102.3	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.8	103.9
10-71	Metal doors, sash, and trim.....	95.3	94.9	94.4	92.1	92.5	92.0	92.2	92.1	92.1	92.4	94.4	94.6
10-72	Metal tanks.....	102.7	102.2	103.0	104.0	104.8	106.1	106.4	107.0	107.5	107.5	107.5	107.7
10-73	Sheet metal products.....		99.3	98.0	97.6	98.4	100.1	100.4	100.1	101.0	101.8	101.8	102.2
10-74	Structural, architectural, and preengineered metal products.....		98.1	96.4	96.9	98.5	102.0	103.8	104.3	104.9	105.2	105.3	105.3
10-8	Fabricated nonstructural metal products.....	100.6	103.1	103.9	105.1	108.5	109.4	110.0	110.5	110.9	110.9	110.9	111.2
10-81	Bolts, nuts, screws, and rivets.....	99.7	106.8	115.5	119.6	119.2	122.5	123.8	125.5	127.2	127.2	127.2	127.2
10-82	Miscellaneous fabricated metal products.....	100.9	102.4	101.6	102.4	107.5	107.9	108.6	108.8	108.9	108.9	109.0	109.0
10-83	Lighting fixtures.....		98.6	90.5	95.7	96.0	95.6	95.9	95.8	96.1	96.0	96.0	97.3

1 January 1961=100.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE VI.9—Steel prices, United States and selected foreign countries, 1951–65

[1952=100]¹

Year	United States ²	Belgium ³	France ⁴	Germany ⁵	Japan ⁶	United Kingdom ⁷
1951	97.9	95.5	81.4	72.7		74.6
1952	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1953	107.9	100.8	103.7	104.2	90.9	99.8
1954	112.8	98.0	102.0	100.5	82.5	77.4
1955	118.2	114.2	102.3	101.8	99.3	86.1
1956	128.0	125.9	110.9	104.4	132.2	109.5
1957	140.3	133.2	98.6	109.4	133.6	121.9
1958	145.2	123.5	93.0	113.8	81.1	101.1
1959	147.6	121.8	104.6	113.8	83.2	88.9
1960	147.4	126.6	111.1	113.8	86.7	88.0
1961	146.8	126.8	113.5	118.3	83.9	87.8
1962	146.4	124.3	119.0	119.5	80.4	87.8
1963	147.2	123.1	122.3	119.5	79.0	87.8
1964	148.3	123.1	122.3	119.5	79.0	90.5
1965	149.1	123.1	122.3	116.9	74.1	91.1

¹ Based on price indexes converted to U.S. dollars. Reflects French devaluation of 1958 and German revaluation of 1961.

² Steel mill products.

³ Bessemer billets, domestic/export price, f.o.r. border.

⁴ Heavy sections, domestic/export price, I.P.N. (80–260 millimeters).

⁵ Bessemer bars, domestic/export price.

⁶ Mild steel plates, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch by 4 feet by 8 feet, export price, f.o.b.

⁷ Plates $\frac{3}{16}$ inch and over, export price, f.o.b.

Sources: Department of Labor, Department of Commerce, and United Nations.

TABLE VI.10—Production of ingots and shipments of finished steel products, 1947–66

[Millions of net tons]

Year	Production	Shipments	Year		Production	Shipments
1947	84.9	63.1	1958	85.2	59.9	
1948	88.6	66.0	1959	93.4	69.4	
1949	78.0	58.1	1960	99.3	71.1	
1950	96.8	72.2	1961	98.0	66.1	
1951	105.2	78.9	1962	98.3	70.6	
1952	93.2	68.0	1963	109.3	75.6	
1953	111.6	80.2	1964	127.1	84.9	
1954	88.3	63.2	1965	131.2	92.7	
1955	117.0	84.7	1966 (3 months)	32.9	21.6	
1956	115.2	83.3	1966 (4 months)	44.5	(1)	
1957	112.7	79.9				

¹ Not available.

Source: Department of Commerce, American Iron and Steel Institute.

TABLE VI.11—Exports and imports of steel mill products, 1955–66

[Percent]¹

Steel mill product	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
Semifinished products	1.9	7.9	16.0	15.1	21.1	24.8	27.4	28.2	29.0
Shapes and plates	1.8	1.8	7.4	4.6	3.1	4.7	6.4	7.2	9.5
Rails and accessories	.2	.6	.9	.9	3.1	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.6
Bars and tool steel	2.3	7.0	11.3	7.4	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.3	10.3
Pipe and tubing	1.9	3.2	6.4	6.5	7.1	8.7	10.3	9.1	9.9
Wire and wire products	8.3	12.5	17.4	15.7	15.7	17.6	19.9	21.0	20.1
Tin mill products			1.2	.7	.3	1.0	1.7	1.5	2.2
Sheets and strip	.2	.2	1.4	1.6	.7	1.4	2.6	3.4	5.9
Total	1.5	2.9	6.1	4.7	4.7	5.6	6.9	7.3	10.3

¹ Based on data in tons.

Source: Department of Commerce.

TABLE VI.12—Exports and imports of steel mill products, 1955-66

Year	Millions of dollars			Thousands of tons			Imports as percent of U.S. market ¹	Exports as percent of industry shipments
	Exports	Imports	Trade balance	Exports	Imports	Trade balance		
1955.....	633	107	526	4,061	973	3,088	1.2	4.8
1956.....	759	174	585	4,348	1,341	3,007	1.7	5.2
1957.....	997	171	825	5,348	1,155	4,193	1.5	6.7
1958.....	564	192	372	2,823	1,707	1,116	2.9	4.7
1959.....	363	516	-154	1,677	4,396	-2,719	6.1	2.4
1960.....	601	449	152	2,977	3,359	-382	4.7	4.2
1961.....	423	382	41	1,990	3,163	-1,173	4.7	3.0
1962.....	424	484	-60	2,013	4,100	-2,087	5.6	2.9
1963.....	465	636	-168	2,180	5,452	-3,272	6.9	2.9
1964.....	622	749	-127	3,435	6,440	-3,005	7.3	4.0
1965.....	508	1,177	-669	2,496	10,383	-7,887	10.3	2.7
1966 (4 months).....	145	314	-169	634	2,696	-2,062	28.5	2.2

¹ Based on data in tons. U.S. market is industry shipments, plus imports, minus exports:

² Based on 1st quarter data.

NOTE.—Export value is value at U.S. port. Import value is value at foreign port and excludes freight, insurance, and duty. The data in millions of dollars have been matched with the data in thousands of tons which are as published by the American Iron & Steel Institute and may differ slightly from data subsequently revised by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

Source: Department of Commerce.

TABLE VI.13—Costs, taxes, and profits as a percent of the total revenue, steel industry, 1947-65

[In percent]

Period	Operating cost			Fixed cost			Tax			Profits after tax	Cash flow ¹
	Total	Em- ploy- ment cost	Matе- rial cost	Total	Depre- ciation and de- pletion	Inter- est	Total	Federal	State and local		
1947.....	84.4	36.7	47.7	3.8	3.5	0.3	5.6	4.2	1.4	6.1	9.6
1948.....	83.3	34.9	48.4	3.9	3.7	.2	6.1	4.8	1.3	6.7	10.4
1949.....	82.3	35.0	47.3	4.0	3.7	.3	6.6	5.1	1.5	7.1	10.8
1950.....	78.8	33.1	45.7	3.7	3.4	.3	9.5	8.1	1.4	8.0	11.4
1951.....	78.6	32.3	46.3	3.4	3.2	.2	12.2	10.8	1.4	5.8	9.0
1952.....	84.6	34.9	49.7	4.5	4.1	.4	5.8	4.4	1.4	5.0	9.1
1953.....	80.3	34.0	46.3	5.1	4.7	.4	9.1	7.6	1.5	5.6	10.3
1954.....	79.9	36.7	43.2	6.8	6.3	.5	7.2	5.6	1.6	6.0	12.3
1955.....	77.1	33.5	43.6	5.6	5.2	.4	9.4	7.9	1.5	7.8	13.0
1956.....	79.1	33.3	45.8	5.3	4.9	.4	8.3	6.8	1.5	7.3	12.2
1957.....	78.6	35.4	43.2	5.3	4.9	.4	8.7	6.9	1.8	7.3	12.2
1958.....	80.0	38.2	41.8	6.0	5.4	.6	7.8	5.9	1.9	6.3	11.7
1959.....	81.3	36.1	45.2	5.4	4.7	.7	7.5	5.7	1.8	5.8	10.5
1960.....	81.2	38.9	42.3	5.6	4.9	.7	7.5	5.4	2.1	5.7	10.6
1961.....	81.9	40.3	41.6	6.5	5.6	.9	6.5	4.5	2.0	5.2	10.8
1962.....	83.0	39.2	43.8	7.5	6.6	.9	5.3	3.4	1.9	4.0	10.6
1963.....	80.7	38.4	42.3	7.7	6.8	.9	6.3	4.4	1.9	5.4	12.2
1964.....	80.5	37.5	43.0	7.3	6.5	.8	6.2	4.3	1.9	6.1	12.6
1965.....	81.2	36.3	44.9	6.9	6.1	.8	5.9	4.1	1.8	5.9	12.0

¹ Profits after tax plus depreciation and depletion.

Source: Department of Commerce, and American Iron and Steel Institute.

TABLE VI.14—*Employment and weekly hours of work in blast furnaces and basic steel products industries, 1947-66*

Year	All employees	Production workers	Average weekly hours ¹	
			Total	Overtime
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>		
1947.....	655.8	575.0	39.0	(?)
1948.....	678.6	593.9	39.5	(?)
1949 ²	610.1	526.8	38.2	(?)
1950.....	674.4	586.8	39.9	(?)
1951.....	714.4	620.2	40.9	(?)
1952.....	638.0	541.5	40.0	(?)
1953.....	726.1	620.4	40.5	(?)
1954.....	645.5	546.1	38.7	(?)
1955.....	706.9	604.5	40.5	(?)
1956 ³	706.6	595.4	40.5	(?)
1957.....	719.9	600.1	39.1	(?)
1958.....	601.1	486.5	37.5	0.9
1959 ³	587.3	470.9	40.1	2.2
1960.....	651.4	528.4	38.2	1.3
1961.....	595.5	478.4	38.9	1.3
1962.....	592.8	476.3	39.2	1.4
1963.....	589.9	479.1	40.2	1.9
1964.....	529.4	515.8	41.2	2.4
1965.....	660.4	541.1	41.1	2.7
1966:				
January.....	618.9	501.3	40.3	1.8
February.....	626.8	509.6	40.6	2.3
March.....	638.3	520.8	40.8	2.5
April.....	645.2	526.5	40.9	(?)

¹ Hours paid; for production workers on nonsupervisory employees.

² Not available.

³ Any year with a steel strike will have an unusually low level of employment since the annual figures are averages of the monthly figures.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE VI.15—*Output per man-hour and employment cost per man-hour and per unit of output, all employees in the steel industry, 1957-65*

[1957-59=100]

Year	Output per man-hour	Employment cost per man-hour	Employment cost per unit of output
Indexes:			
1957.....	101.1	93.5	92.5
1958.....	93.5	100.5	107.6
1959.....	105.0	107.4	102.3
1960.....	98.6	108.7	110.3
1961.....	101.7	113.0	111.1
1962.....	106.9	117.1	109.5
1963.....	111.8	120.0	107.3
1964.....	116.5	123.5	106.0
1965.....	120.8	126.0	104.3
		Percent	
Average annual change:			
1957-61.....	0.1	4.8	4.7
1961-65.....	4.4	2.8	-1.6
1957-65.....	2.2	3.8	1.5

Source: Department of Commerce and Department of Labor.

TABLE VI.16—Total employment cost and employment cost per man-hour worked for wage employees in the iron and steel industry, 1957-65

Year	Total employment cost per hour	Average hourly earnings ¹
1957.....	\$3.22	\$2.73
1958.....	3.51	2.83
1959.....	3.80	3.14
1960.....	3.82	3.09
1961.....	3.99	3.24
1962.....	4.16	3.33
1963.....	4.25	3.39
1964.....	4.36	3.43
1965.....	4.48	3.54

¹ Includes premium pay but excludes other fringe benefits.

NOTE.—The figures in this table differ slightly from Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, data since they are based on a different sample of the industry and are for hours worked while BLS data refer to hours paid.

Source: American Iron and Steel Institute.

TABLE VI.17—Productivity and operating rate, steel industry, 1957-65

Year	Output index ¹	All employees man-hours index	Output per man-hour, all employees		Operating rate (percent) ²
			Index	Annual percentage change	
	1957-59=100				
1957.....	114.8	113.6	101.1	-----	84.5
1958.....	85.8	91.8	93.5	-7.5	60.6
1959.....	99.3	94.6	105.0	12.3	63.3
1960.....	99.5	100.9	98.6	-6.1	66.8
1961.....	95.2	93.6	101.7	3.1	³ 64.7
1962.....	100.2	93.7	106.9	5.1	³ 63.6
1963.....	106.3	95.1	111.8	4.6	³ 69.3
1964.....	120.7	103.6	116.5	4.2	³ 78.9
1965.....	131.2	108.6	120.8	3.7	³ 79.9

¹ Based on physical output of pig iron, ferroalloys, ingots and steel for castings and coke, and shipments of semifinished and finished steel products.

² Production of ingots and steel for casting as percent of capacity.

³ Estimate based on a 2 percent per year increase in capacity.

Sources: Department of Labor, American Iron and Steel Institute, and Council of Economic Advisers.

TABLE VI.18—Profits, depreciation, and cash flow, steel industry, 1947-65

[Dollar amounts in millions]

Year	Profits after tax	Depreciation and depletion	Cash flow ¹	Percent of equity		Percent of sales	
				Profits after tax	Cash flow	Profits after tax	Cash flow
1947	\$412	\$239	\$651	10.5	16.6	6.1	9.7
1948	541	302	843	11.8	18.4	6.7	10.4
1949	529	278	807	10.8	16.5	7.1	10.9
1950	767	327	1,094	14.0	20.0	8.0	11.5
1951	682	374	1,056	11.3	17.5	5.8	8.9
1952	541	450	991	8.5	15.6	5.0	9.1
1953	735	614	1,349	10.8	19.9	5.6	10.3
1954	637	670	1,307	8.9	18.3	6.0	12.3
1955	1,090	737	1,836	13.9	23.2	7.8	13.1
1956	1,113	748	1,861	12.9	21.5	7.3	12.2
1957	1,132	766	1,898	12.0	20.0	7.3	12.2
1958	783	673	1,461	8.0	14.8	6.3	11.6
1959	831	665	1,496	8.1	14.6	5.8	10.5
1960	811	698	1,509	7.7	14.3	5.7	10.6
1961	690	739	1,429	6.5	13.4	5.2	10.7
1962	566	929	1,495	5.3	14.0	4.0	10.7
1963	782	996	1,778	7.1	16.1	5.4	12.2
1964	992	1,061	2,053	8.7	18.0	6.1	12.7
1965	1,066	1,100	2,166	8.9	18.0	5.9	12.0

¹ Profits after tax plus depreciation and depletion.

Source: American Iron and Steel Institute.

TABLE VI.19—Sources and uses of funds, primary iron and steel industry, 1948-65

[In millions of dollars]

Year	Sources of funds			Uses of funds					Investment in plant and equipment
	Internal funds ¹	Debt		Current assets					
		Long term	Short term	Cash	U.S. Government securities	Receivables	Inventories	Other current assets	
Total, 1948-64	20,699	2,508	1,027	503	556	1,545	2,638	368	19,480
1948	894	16	97	29	-276	151	281	1	770
1949	694	24	-147	54	319	-207	-122	0	600
1950	985	77	229	139	351	397	245	6	600
1951	1,036	365	216	63	497	41	246	15	1,200
1952	823	460	252	-55	-931	152	337	19	1,510
1953	1,227	-67	-119	-9	352	-180	150	-14	1,210
1954	1,104	183	-273	26	56	-25	-128	35	760
1955	1,636	51	236	118	919	444	183	-12	860
1956	1,610	44	260	-91	-407	183	528	223	1,270
1957	1,559	127	-184	75	-236	-285	265	-8	1,720
1958	1,082	366	-76	-25	-172	92	106	-71	1,190
1959	1,202	201	344	67	418	340	-66	163	1,040
1960	1,122	157	-293	-102	-565	-416	323	-17	1,600
1961	1,039	520	103	-39	-80	279	236	20	1,130
1962	1,216	-106	-145	14	105	-88	-302	80	1,100
1963	1,568	-151	167	18	281	214	-14	254	1,240
1964	1,903	241	360	221	-75	453	370	-326	1,690
1965	2,091	305	-61	679	-486	-84	231	254	1,930

¹ Internal funds are defined as profits after tax plus depreciation and depletion minus dividends.

Source: Federal Trade Commission, Securities and Exchange Commission, and Department of Commerce.

TABLE VI.20—Long-term debt as percent of equity, primary iron and steel industry, 1947-65

Year	Percent	Year	Percent
1947	12.9	1957	16.7
1948	11.7	1958	19.1
1949	11.4	1959	19.7
1950	11.4	1960	20.9
1951	15.5	1961	24.7
1952	20.0	1962	23.7
1953	18.3	1963	41.9
1954	18.2	1964	22.9
1955	18.3	1965	24.1
1956	17.1		

Source: Federal Trade Commission and Securities and Exchange Commission.

TABLE VI.21—Production worker average weekly earnings in selected industries, in dollars, 1932-65

	Primary metal industries					Fabricated metal products		
	Total	Blast furnaces and basic steel products	Iron and steel foundries	Non-ferrous smelting and refining	Non-ferrous rolling, drawing, and extruding	Non-ferrous foundries	Total	Fabricated structural metal products
1932		13.96						
1933		17.00						
1934		19.75						
1935		23.53						
1936		27.57						
1937		31.46						
1938		24.05						
1939		30.00						
1940		31.54						
1941		37.68						
1942		42.13						
1943		50.92						
1944		55.22						
1945		53.62						
1946		48.53						
1947	55.38	56.51	55.73			53.96	51.74	53.19
1948	61.18	62.84	59.45			58.92	56.33	57.79
1949	60.94	63.34	55.98			59.87	57.45	59.51
1950	67.36	67.95	66.26			66.44	63.04	62.85
1951	75.30	77.71	72.84			72.49	68.55	70.90
1952	77.52	80.00	73.28			76.54	71.72	74.27
1953	84.46	88.29	77.64			79.73	76.49	79.71
1954	81.48	83.92	75.45			79.40	76.70	78.91
1955	92.51	96.80	86.48			84.25	81.73	82.40
1956	96.76	102.87	88.83			87.31	84.67	87.35
1957	99.00	105.57	88.98			89.60	88.34	92.35
1958	101.11	108.00	86.86	99.88	98.01	90.85	89.78	92.63
1959	112.19	122.71	97.04	104.81	105.59	96.87	96.12	95.68
1960	109.59	116.13	96.61	108.09	105.01	97.11	98.42	99.47
1961	114.84	122.92	98.81	110.16	111.76	100.75	100.85	102.06
1962	119.80	127.40	106.52	114.95	116.05	104.55	104.81	104.60
1963	124.64	133.06	113.28	118.14	118.72	107.12	108.05	107.27
1964	130.00	138.43	119.41	120.22	122.26	110.12	111.34	110.27
1965								

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Earnings Statistics.

TABLE VI.22—Production worker average hourly earnings in selected industries

	Primary metal industries					Fabricated metal products		
	Total	Blast furnaces and basic steel products	Iron and steel foundries	Non-ferrous smelting and refining	Non-ferrous rolling, drawing, and extruding	Non-ferrous foundries	Total	Fabricated structural metal products
1932		\$0.519						
1933		.520						
1934		.635						
1935		.659						
1936		.666						
1937		.815						
1938		.835						
1939		.845						
1940		.850						
1941		.949						
1942		1.025						
1943		1.124						
1944		1.165						
1945		1.189						
1946		1.294						
1947	\$1.388	1.449	\$1.330			\$1.349	\$1.265	\$1.291
1948	1.522	1.591	1.436			1.473	1.384	1.406
1949	1.587	1.658	1.481			1.535	1.447	1.473
1950	1.647	1.703	1.559			1.601	1.519	1.533
1951	1.810	1.900	1.690			1.730	1.640	1.680
1952	1.900	2.000	1.770			1.840	1.720	1.760
1953	2.060	2.180	1.880			1.940	1.830	1.880
1954	2.100	2.220	1.910			1.990	1.880	1.920
1955	2.240	2.390	2.030			2.060	1.960	2.000
1956	2.360	2.540	2.120			2.140	2.050	2.110
1957	2.500	2.700	2.230			2.240	2.160	2.220
1958	2.640	2.880	2.310	\$2.460	\$2.420	2.300	2.250	2.310
1959	2.770	3.060	2.420	2.550	2.520	2.390	2.350	2.380
1960	2.810	3.040	2.490	2.630	2.580	2.440	2.430	2.450
1961	2.900	3.160	2.540	2.700	2.680	2.500	2.490	2.520
1962	2.980	3.250	2.630	2.790	2.750	2.550	2.550	2.570
1963	3.040	3.310	2.710	2.840	2.800	2.600	2.610	2.610
1964	3.110	3.360	2.790	2.890	2.870	2.660	2.670	2.670
1965								

Source: Department of Labor, BLS, Employment and Earnings Statistics.

TABLE VI.23—Average annual earnings per full-time employee, primary and fabricated metal manufacturing, 1948-65

	Amount		Index (57-59=100)	
	Primary metal industries	Fabricated metal industries	Primary metals industries	Fabricated metals industries
1948	\$3,419	\$3,257	57.4	61.1
1949	3,426	3,339	57.5	62.6
1950	3,716	3,561	62.4	66.8
1951	4,158	3,914	69.8	73.4
1952	4,403	4,183	73.9	78.4
1953	4,709	4,415	79.1	82.8
1954	4,634	4,497	77.8	84.3
1955	5,156	4,689	86.6	87.9
1956	5,451	4,931	91.5	92.4
1957	5,686	5,149	95.5	96.5
1958	5,854	5,288	98.3	99.1
1959	6,323	5,565	106.2	104.3
1960	6,341	5,697	106.5	106.8
1961	6,551	5,810	110.0	108.9
1962	6,824	6,014	114.6	112.7
1963	7,008	6,190	117.7	116.0
1964	7,317	6,488	122.9	121.6
1965	7,556	6,681	126.9	125.3

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Cols. 1 and 2 put on index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee forming cols. 3 and 4.

TABLE VI.24—Wholesale price indexes for machinery and motive products, 1947-66

[1957-59=100 unless otherwise indicated]

Code	Title	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
11	Machinery and motive products.....	61.8	67.5	71.2	72.6	79.5	81.2	82.2	83.2	85.8	92.1	97.7	100.1	102.2	102.4	102.3	102.3
11-1	Agricultural machinery and equipment.....	65.2	73.1	78.1	79.8	86.6	87.7	88.3	88.1	88.9	92.0	96.3	100.3	103.4	105.4	107.4	109.5
11-11	Farm and garden tractors.....	68.8	76.2	80.5	81.5	86.8	88.5	89.0	87.8	87.3	90.6	95.9	100.1	104.0	105.6	108.0	110.0
11-12	Agricultural machinery excluding tractors.....	61.7	70.7	76.2	78.1	85.4	86.3	86.8	87.2	88.9	92.0	96.0	100.2	103.8	106.4	108.4	110.7
11-13	Agricultural equipment.....	72.2	78.8	80.6	84.2	94.3	94.2	94.9	96.0	95.8	98.7	99.7	100.9	99.4	99.5	100.1	100.8
11-2	Construction machinery and equipment.....	54.2	61.3	65.3	67.2	74.5	75.6	77.9	79.3	82.6	89.5	96.3	100.1	103.6	105.8	107.5	107.8
11-21	Power cranes, draglines, shovels, etc.....	55.3	61.7	65.3	67.4	75.0	75.3	77.7	79.5	83.9	90.6	97.2	99.9	102.9	105.1	105.4	106.1
11-22	Construction machinery for mounting.....	53.7	63.1	67.2	69.0	75.4	79.7	81.2	82.1	83.9	89.5	96.7	99.8	103.5	105.7	109.2	108.9
11-23	Specialized construction machinery.....	61.8	69.5	71.5	74.4	80.8	80.7	83.0	83.4	84.5	90.2	96.2	100.0	103.7	106.9	107.8	107.4
11-24	Portable air compressors.....	58.9	63.6	66.3	69.0	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.7	83.8	85.4	95.3	100.2	104.6	105.4	114.1	113.7
11-25	Scrapers and graders.....	56.0	64.3	68.5	70.4	80.6	81.1	81.2	81.4	83.8	89.9	96.3	99.6	104.0	104.7	104.4	105.3
11-26	Contractors' air tools, hand held.....	55.4	60.1	63.1	64.2	71.3	71.3	73.6	75.0	76.2	86.0	93.0	98.9	108.2	108.2	113.5	113.5
11-27	Mixers, pavers, spreaders, etc.....	61.9	66.7	71.8	72.4	78.8	78.8	81.0	81.4	85.3	90.3	95.7	99.9	104.4	106.7	108.4	110.3
11-28	Tractors, other than farm.....	48.5	56.4	61.0	62.9	69.2	71.2	75.3	77.6	80.6	88.8	95.8	100.4	103.9	106.4	108.0	108.5
11-29	Off highway vehicles.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	100.1	101.1	102.1	102.4	102.3
11-3	Metalworking machinery and equipment.....	54.9	59.1	61.9	65.7	73.8	75.3	76.9	78.1	83.6	91.7	97.9	99.8	102.3	105.5	107.0	109.3
11-33	Metalworking presses.....	51.4	56.2	58.3	64.3	73.2	76.3	78.3	78.8	85.1	96.0	100.6	98.6	100.9	104.1	104.6	106.0
11-34	Power driven handtools.....	69.1	72.7	74.7	76.2	82.0	81.7	84.1	85.9	88.5	93.0	97.1	99.3	103.6	104.0	107.1	109.0
11-35	Other metalworking machinery.....	51.9	56.5	60.9	63.3	70.7	74.1	75.4	77.8	81.9	90.9	98.7	100.7	100.6	102.9	103.1	106.4
11-36	Small cutting tools.....	59.6	62.0	65.8	69.4	77.0	74.5	74.9	78.8	84.9	91.4	96.7	99.1	104.3	110.8	110.2	112.7
11-37	Precision measuring tools.....	65.2	71.5	72.1	75.3	81.3	81.0	82.7	82.9	89.1	92.9	97.9	99.9	102.2	103.2	106.8	109.4
11-38	Other metalworking accessories.....	57.2	58.8	58.8	61.4	66.3	66.9	73.7	75.2	82.2	89.0	99.1	99.6	101.2	101.7	111.4	115.3
11-4	General purpose machinery and equipment.....	57.6	62.7	66.2	68.6	76.7	76.1	77.9	79.0	85.2	91.7	97.9	99.4	102.7	103.6	102.8	103.3
11-41	Pumps, compressors, and equipment.....	53.9	58.8	62.9	64.0	72.2	72.1	75.5	77.2	79.9	89.0	95.5	99.6	104.9	104.8	103.8	103.2
11-42	Elevators and escalators.....	68.0	72.2	75.6	75.6	81.6	82.1	83.2	84.7	86.9	92.3	99.4	100.2	100.3	100.8	101.4	100.4
11-43	Industrial process furnaces and ovens.....	61.1	66.0	71.3	74.8	85.1	85.5	86.4	89.9	85.2	83.3	94.5	99.9	105.7	108.6	108.8	108.8
11-44	Industrial material handling equipment.....	55.2	60.4	63.7	67.1	76.1	76.0	77.6	80.1	83.2	91.7	98.2	100.0	101.8	103.3	105.0	106.9

January 1958=100.

TABLE VI.24—Wholesale price indexes for machinery and motive products, 1947-66—Continued

[1957-59=100 unless otherwise indicated]

Code	Title	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
11-45	Mechanical power transmission equipment.....	52.5	59.1	62.3	64.2	73.0	72.3	74.6	77.2	81.8	90.6	98.0	99.9	102.1	106.0	107.8	109.0
11-46	Industrial scales.....	56.6	59.2	59.4	61.0	68.3	69.4	75.3	78.8	80.7	89.2	96.7	98.8	104.5	109.1	109.6	111.1
11-47	Fans and blowers, except portable.....	49.3	54.5	63.2	67.6	78.9	76.3	77.0	80.0	82.9	92.4	98.1	100.4	101.5	102.1	98.4	96.9
11-5	Miscellaneous machinery.....	63.6	68.5	71.2	72.8	80.9	81.0	83.0	85.1	87.5	92.8	98.4	100.4	101.2	101.8	102.7	103.2
11-51	Oil field machinery and tools.....	60.4	65.5	69.2	70.7	77.9	78.0	81.3	84.2	87.7	93.2	99.6	100.1	100.2	100.3	101.8	103.2
11-52	Mining machinery and equipment.....	45.9	50.5	53.9	58.4	66.1	66.1	69.8	74.2	77.9	86.7	94.9	100.2	104.9	106.4	107.8	108.4
11-53	Office and store machines and equipment.....	77.5	79.8	79.9	80.9	86.1	85.9	87.7	88.9	91.3	94.5	98.6	100.2	101.3	102.0	102.5	102.7
11-54	Internal combustion engines.....	58.5	66.0	70.4	71.2	82.6	82.8	83.8	85.1	86.6	92.7	98.4	100.8	100.8	101.2	102.3	103.1
11-6 ²	Special industry machinery and equipment.....														100.4	101.9	
11-61 ²	Food products machinery.....														100.5	102.0	
11-62 ²	Textile machinery and equipment.....														100.5	101.7	
11-63 ²	Woodworking machinery and equipment.....														100.0	100.2	
11-65 ²	Printing trades machinery and equipment.....														101.7	105.0	
11-66 ²	Other special industry machinery.....														100.0	101.2	
11-7	Electrical machinery and equipment.....	63.3	66.3	68.0	70.1	80.3	79.2	81.4	83.1	84.4	91.1	98.1	100.2	101.7	101.3	100.0	98.4
11-71 ²	Wiring devices.....															99.5	99.7
11-72	Integrating and measuring instruments.....	61.4	64.3	64.9	67.4	76.6	75.0	78.0	81.8	82.4	86.6	94.7	100.8	104.5	108.0	109.5	110.9
11-73	Motors, generators, and motor generator sets.....	68.6	69.7	69.8	73.2	84.5	83.9	85.2	85.5	85.1	92.2	98.4	101.0	100.6	99.0	93.3	89.8
11-74	Transformers and power regulators.....	65.4	67.5	68.9	69.9	78.5	78.7	83.5	86.1	86.2	93.6	100.1	99.7	100.3	93.9	88.8	85.1
11-75	Switchgear, switchboard, etc., equipment.....	55.2	58.2	60.7	65.4	76.3	74.0	75.6	78.4	80.9	89.4	97.3	100.3	102.4	101.8	101.2	101.8
11-76	Electric welding machines and equipment.....	64.0	66.9	68.5	71.5	79.2	79.3	81.1	83.1	86.0	94.5	97.9	101.2	100.9	104.7	101.7	100.0
11-77	Electric lamps/bulbs.....	58.2	60.4	63.5	66.1	73.4	71.6	80.2	84.2	89.4	88.9	96.7	97.1	106.2	115.4	115.2	110.8
11-78	Batteries.....	68.7	77.7	80.9	74.8	84.2	84.4	84.1	83.8	85.5	90.8	99.1	99.7	101.2	103.0	102.5	99.5
11-79 ²	Miscellaneous electrical machinery and equipment.....															99.9	99.2
11-8	Motor vehicles.....	65.5	62.4	77.4	77.0	81.1	85.8	85.4	85.6	88.2	93.2	97.2	100.3	102.5	101.0	100.8	100.8
11-81	Passenger cars.....	64.2	71.5	77.3	76.9	80.3	86.1	85.8	86.4	89.1	93.6	97.4	100.2	102.4	101.2	100.7	99.8
11-82	Motor trucks.....	67.0	73.2	76.1	75.4	81.5	83.8	82.9	82.0	85.1	91.7	96.6	100.8	102.8	100.3	100.3	99.6
11-83	Motor coaches.....	70.5	72.5	77.9	78.6	81.2	82.2	83.9	84.3	85.0	89.6	96.7	100.4	102.9	102.7	103.6	103.6
11-84 ²	Motor vehicle parts and accessories.....															100.6	103.5
11-97 ²	Transportation equipment, R.R. rolling stock.....															100.2	100.5

² January 1961=100.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

TABLE IV.24—Wholesale price indexes, machinery and motive products, 1957-65 and 1966—Continued

[1957-59=100]

Code	1963	1964	1965	1966					
				January	February	March	April	May	June
11.....	102.2	102.9	103.7	104.4	104.7	105.0	105.2	105.8	105.9
11-1.....	111.1	112.9	115.1	117.3	117.8	118.0	118.1	118.2	118.3
11-11.....	111.6	113.9	115.7	118.2	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.8	118.8
11-12.....	112.6	114.6	117.3	119.6	120.3	120.7	120.8	120.7	120.8
11-13.....	101.5	101.5	102.0	102.9	103.0	103.3	103.5	104.1	104.3
11-2.....	109.6	112.4	115.3	116.5	117.5	117.9	118.5	118.9	118.9
11-21.....	108.8	111.8	113.7	116.1	116.4	116.4	118.1	118.1	118.7
11-22.....	109.3	111.0	113.7	115.2	115.2	115.2	116.3	116.3	116.3
11-23.....	108.1	108.5	110.3	111.8	113.2	114.1	114.3	114.5	114.5
11.24.....	115.1	117.6	128.7	129.5	132.9	132.9	134.2	134.8	134.8
11-25.....	108.5	110.8	114.2	115.9	115.9	116.0	116.0	117.2	117.2
11-26.....									
11-27.....	112.1	116.3	119.8	120.9	122.4	122.9	123.6	123.6	123.6
11-28.....	110.8	114.7	117.6	119.2	119.5	119.9	119.9	120.5	120.4
11-29.....	102.7	103.5	105.0	106.1	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.7	107.7
11-3.....	109.8	112.6	116.9	119.8	120.7	121.1	121.2	122.5	123.5
11-33.....	107.3	110.7	119.0	122.0	123.4	123.4	123.4	124.7	130.2
11-34.....	109.6	109.6	109.8	110.0	110.0	110.0	110.0	112.4	112.5
11-35.....	106.4	109.5	111.5	113.5	114.2	114.2	114.2	115.2	115.8
11-36.....	112.9	114.5	117.2	121.0	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.5	121.9
11-37.....	109.5	111.7	115.5	117.7	120.6	127.0	127.1	127.5	127.5
11-38.....									
11-4.....	103.8	104.5	105.2	106.8	106.8	107.3	108.4	109.3	109.8
11-41.....	104.0	107.2	113.9	117.1	117.5	117.9	120.8	121.2	121.2
11-42.....	101.5	103.0	103.3	103.7	103.7	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3
11-43.....	110.8	112.5	115.7	118.9	119.0	119.4	119.9	120.3	120.4
11-44.....	107.4	108.5	109.9	111.3	111.6	111.9	112.2	114.0	114.1
11-45.....	112.0	114.9	118.3	120.2	120.3	120.1	120.6	121.0	121.9
11-46.....	111.8	112.0	113.2	114.9	113.5	113.5	113.5	116.5	118.3
11-47.....	92.6	91.0	92.0	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	93.2	93.5
11-5.....	103.5	104.5	105.2	105.4	105.6	105.8	105.7	105.9	106.0
11-51.....	102.6	104.3	104.7	105.0	105.0	104.8	104.4	105.1	105.3
11-52.....	109.1	110.5	113.3	113.6	114.8	115.4	115.5	115.8	116.1
11-53.....	103.6	103.7	104.0	104.0	104.1	104.0	104.1	104.2	104.3
11-54.....	102.6	104.6	105.5	105.8	106.0	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7
11-6.....	104.0	105.9	108.0	109.1	109.4	109.9	110.9	110.8	111.7
11-61.....	104.1	105.9	107.2	107.9	107.9	107.9	108.0	108.0	108.7
11-62.....	102.7	103.5	104.8	105.5	105.5	105.7	105.9	106.2	106.2
11-63.....	101.9	103.9	104.3	103.1	104.1	104.0	104.0	104.0	105.0
11-65.....	106.7	109.1	112.2	113.4	113.6	116.6	116.6	116.8	116.8
11-66.....	104.2	106.5	109.7	112.1	112.4	112.7	112.7	115.0	116.8
11-7.....	97.4	96.8	96.8	97.0	97.8	98.2	98.3	98.7	98.7
11-71.....	98.9	100.7	103.1	104.4	106.8	109.0	109.0	109.8	109.8
11-72.....	110.8	111.0	111.3	113.9	117.9	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6
11-73.....	89.8	88.1	86.7	87.0	87.7	87.9	88.0	88.1	88.2
11-74.....	79.6	78.7	77.6	76.7	77.8	78.0	78.7	79.6	79.9
11-75.....	101.7	105.3	106.8	106.8	106.3	107.3	107.6	108.6	108.6
11-76.....	97.7	97.1	95.2	95.5	95.5	94.3	94.3	94.8	94.8
11-77.....	109.6	108.4	109.0	110.0	110.0	109.7	109.7	109.7	109.7
11-78.....	97.7	98.8	102.7	103.7	103.7	103.6	103.6	103.7	103.7
11-79.....	98.5	94.5	93.4	92.9	93.2	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5
11-8.....	100.0	100.5	100.7	100.5	100.4	100.3	100.3	100.9	100.7
11-81.....	99.0	98.8	98.1	97.7	97.5	97.4	97.5	97.0	96.7
11-82.....	98.8	98.6	99.6	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.9
11-83.....	103.7	103.8	103.8	103.9	103.9	103.9	103.9	104.0	104.0
11-84.....	102.7	105.9	108.2	108.3	108.3	108.3	108.3	112.2	112.2
11-97.....	100.5	100.5	100.9	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0	101.0

TABLE VI.25—Value added and income originating in machinery, except electrical, 1929–65

[In millions of dollars]

	Value added ¹	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after tax	Other income
1929	2,001	110	1,891	1,408	495	63	432	-12
1930	1,597	114	1,483	1,185	180	36	144	118
1931	861	104	757	783	-65	13	-78	39
1932	396	92	304	497	-204	5	-209	11
1933	514	88	426	500	-34	10	-44	-40
1934	824	85	739	685	114	26	88	-60
1935	1,099	83	1,016	832	193	38	155	-9
1936	1,485	86	1,399	1,050	353	73	280	-4
1937	1,853	92	1,761	1,391	451	101	350	-81
1938	1,349	98	1,251	1,009	200	45	155	42
1939	1,596	100	1,496	1,167	326	66	260	3
1940	2,285	105	2,180	1,505	673	235	438	2
1941	3,983	136	3,847	2,435	1,395	744	651	17
1942	5,578	182	5,396	3,712	1,597	1,038	559	87
1943	6,133	206	5,927	4,319	1,473	972	501	135
1944	6,036	217	5,819	4,356	1,287	808	479	176
1945	5,304	217	5,087	4,069	852	543	309	166
1946	4,927	160	4,767	4,142	716	338	378	-91
1947	6,424	207	6,217	5,041	1,477	593	884	-301
1948	6,562	240	6,322	4,973	1,654	659	995	-305
1949	6,022	273	5,749	4,345	1,270	528	742	134
1950	6,916	302	6,614	4,847	1,886	881	1,005	-119
1951	9,487	354	9,133	6,658	2,516	1,517	999	-41
1952	10,370	417	9,953	7,428	2,314	1,390	924	211
1953	10,510	472	10,038	7,939	2,065	1,235	830	34
1954	9,678	547	9,131	7,250	1,723	929	794	158
1955	10,249	628	9,621	7,768	1,973	1,035	938	-120
1956	12,045	689	11,356	9,005	2,447	1,285	1,162	-96
1957	12,273	755	11,518	9,322	2,206	1,178	1,028	-10
1958	10,651	774	9,877	8,246	1,489	857	632	192
1959	12,634	869	11,765	9,475	2,189	1,171	1,018	101
1960	12,763	902	11,861	9,832	1,814	1,023	791	215
1961	12,763	964	11,799	9,728	1,852	1,041	811	219
1962	14,423	1,116	13,307	10,763	2,297	1,178	1,119	247
1963	15,106	1,090	14,016	11,383	2,424	1,273	1,151	209
1964	-----	-----	16,158	12,684	-----	-----	-----	-----
1965	-----	-----	18,362	14,177	-----	-----	-----	-----

¹ Capital consumption allowances plus income originating.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE VI.26—Value added and income originating in machinery, except electrical, 1929-65, as an index

[1957-59=100]

	Value added	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after taxes	Other income
1929	16.9	13.8	17.1	15.6	25.2	5.9	48.4	-15.6
1930	13.5	14.3	13.4	13.1	9.2	3.4	16.1	153.2
1931	7.3	13.0	6.8	8.7	-3.3	1.2	-8.7	50.6
1932	3.3	11.5	2.8	5.5	-10.4	.5	-23.4	14.3
1933	4.3	11.0	3.9	5.5	-1.7	.9	-4.9	-51.9
1934	7.0	10.6	6.7	7.6	5.8	2.4	9.9	-77.9
1935	9.3	10.4	9.2	9.2	9.8	3.5	17.4	-11.7
1936	12.5	10.8	12.7	11.6	18.0	6.8	31.4	-5.2
1937	15.6	11.5	15.9	15.4	23.0	9.5	39.2	-105.2
1938	11.4	12.3	11.3	11.2	10.2	4.2	17.4	54.5
1939	13.5	12.5	13.5	12.9	16.6	6.2	29.1	3.9
1940	19.3	13.1	19.7	16.7	39.3	22.0	49.1	2.6
1941	33.6	17.0	34.8	27.0	71.1	69.7	73.0	22.1
1942	47.1	22.8	48.8	41.2	81.7	97.2	62.7	113.0
1943	51.7	25.8	53.6	47.9	75.1	91.0	56.2	175.3
1944	50.9	27.2	52.6	48.3	65.6	75.7	53.7	228.6
1945	44.8	27.2	46.0	45.1	43.4	50.8	34.6	215.6
1946	41.6	20.0	43.1	46.0	36.5	31.6	42.4	118.2
1947	54.2	25.9	56.2	55.9	75.3	55.5	99.1	390.9
1948	55.4	30.0	57.2	55.2	84.3	61.7	111.5	396.1
1949	50.8	34.2	52.0	48.2	64.6	49.4	83.2	174.0
1950	58.4	37.8	59.8	53.8	96.3	82.5	112.7	154.5
1951	80.0	44.3	82.6	73.9	128.3	142.0	112.0	53.2
1952	87.5	52.2	90.0	82.4	118.0	130.1	103.6	274.0
1953	88.7	59.1	90.8	88.1	105.3	115.6	93.0	44.2
1954	81.7	68.5	82.6	80.4	87.9	87.0	89.0	205.2
1955	86.5	78.6	87.0	86.2	100.6	96.9	105.2	155.8
1956	101.6	86.2	102.7	99.9	124.8	120.3	130.3	124.7
1957	103.6	94.5	104.2	103.4	112.5	110.3	115.2	13.0
1958	89.9	96.9	89.4	91.5	75.9	80.2	70.9	184.4
1959	106.6	108.8	106.4	105.1	111.6	109.6	114.1	131.2
1960	107.7	112.9	107.3	109.1	92.5	95.8	88.7	279.2
1961	107.7	120.7	106.7	107.9	94.4	97.5	90.9	284.4
1962	121.7	139.7	120.4	119.4	117.1	110.3	125.4	320.8
1963	127.5	136.4	126.8	126.3	123.6	119.2	129.0	271.4
1964			146.2	140.7				
1965			166.1	157.3				

Source: Table VI. 26 computed to a 1957-59 index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.27—Value added and income originating in electrical machinery, 1929-65

[In millions of dollars]

	Value added	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after taxes	Other income
1929.....	1,090	43	1,047	868	205	29	176	-26
1930.....	870	44	826	720	90	16	74	16
1931.....	546	38	508	491	20	3	17	-3
1932.....	287	37	250	290	-35	1	-36	-5
1933.....	311	32	279	306	-12	2	-14	-15
1934.....	426	42	383	413	-9	4	-13	-21
1935.....	556	37	529	466	66	12	54	-3
1936.....	751	39	712	582	137	27	110	-7
1937.....	956	42	914	778	172	34	138	-36
1938.....	715	50	665	569	85	18	67	11
1939.....	906	48	858	673	189	36	153	-4
1940.....	1,188	52	1,136	808	338	116	222	-10
1941.....	1,963	66	1,897	1,224	701	392	309	-28
1942.....	2,566	91	2,475	1,805	692	450	242	-22
1943.....	3,462	105	3,357	2,479	850	560	290	28
1944.....	3,854	134	3,720	2,834	856	526	330	30
1945.....	3,170	114	3,056	2,544	522	353	169	-10
1946.....	2,462	77	2,385	2,352	164	117	47	-131
1947.....	3,563	100	3,463	2,859	839	319	520	-235
1948.....	4,152	122	4,030	3,342	864	333	531	-178
1949.....	3,925	132	3,793	2,998	690	278	412	105
1950.....	4,972	150	4,822	3,580	1,413	691	722	-171
1951.....	5,935	179	5,756	4,450	1,402	872	530	-98
1952.....	6,798	217	6,581	5,072	1,458	911	575	23
1953.....	7,589	263	7,326	5,931	1,472	917	555	-77
1954.....	6,987	301	6,686	5,444	1,248	658	590	-6
1955.....	7,476	352	7,124	5,996	1,268	666	602	-140
1956.....	8,364	392	7,972	6,725	1,307	686	621	-60
1957.....	9,167	435	8,732	7,153	1,516	806	710	63
1958.....	8,887	476	8,411	7,063	1,308	679	629	40
1959.....	10,638	478	10,160	8,415	1,765	913	852	-20
1960.....	10,982	513	10,469	9,097	1,299	742	557	73
1961.....	11,458	571	10,887	9,498	1,331	733	548	58
1962.....	12,736	650	12,086	10,521	1,479	823	656	86
1963.....	13,041	715	12,326	10,717	1,581	863	718	28
1964.....	-----	-----	12,786	11,083	-----	-----	-----	-----
1965.....	-----	-----	14,215	12,110	-----	-----	-----	-----

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE VI.28—Indexes of value added and income originating in electrical machinery, 1929-65

[1957-59=100]

	Value added	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before tax	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after tax	Other income
1929	11.4	9.3	11.5	11.5	13.4	3.6	24.1	-96.3
1930	9.1	9.5	9.1	9.5	5.9	2.0	10.1	59.3
1931	5.7	8.2	5.6	6.5	1.3	.4	2.3	-11.1
1932	3.0	8.0	2.7	3.8	-2.3	.1	-4.9	-18.5
1933	3.3	6.9	3.1	4.1	- .8	.3	-1.9	-55.6
1934	4.5	9.3	4.2	5.5	- .6	.5	-1.8	-77.8
1935	5.8	8.0	5.8	6.2	4.3	1.5	7.4	-11.1
1936	7.9	-8.4	-7.8	7.7	9.0	3.4	15.1	-25.9
1937	10.0	9.1	10.0	10.3	11.2	4.3	18.9	-133.3
1938	7.5	10.8	7.3	7.5	5.6	2.3	9.2	40.7
1939	9.5	10.4	9.4	8.9	12.4	4.5	21.0	-14.8
1940	12.4	11.2	12.5	10.7	22.1	14.5	30.4	-37.0
1941	20.5	14.3	20.8	16.2	45.8	49.1	42.3	-103.7
1942	26.8	19.7	27.2	23.9	45.3	56.3	33.2	81.5
1943	36.2	22.7	36.9	32.9	55.6	70.1	39.7	103.7
1944	40.3	28.9	40.9	37.6	56.0	65.8	45.2	111.1
1945	33.1	24.6	33.6	33.7	34.1	44.2	23.2	-37.0
1946	25.7	16.6	26.2	31.2	10.7	14.6	6.4	-485.2
1947	37.3	21.6	38.1	37.9	54.9	39.9	71.2	-671.4
1948	43.4	26.3	44.3	44.3	56.5	41.7	72.7	-651.9
1949	41.0	28.5	41.7	39.7	45.1	34.8	56.4	388.9
1950	52.0	32.4	53.0	47.5	92.4	86.5	98.9	-633.3
1951	62.1	38.7	63.2	59.0	91.7	109.1	72.6	355.6
1952	71.1	46.9	72.3	67.2	97.2	114.0	78.8	85.2
1953	79.3	56.8	80.5	78.6	96.3	114.8	76.0	-285.2
1954	73.0	65.0	73.5	72.2	81.6	82.4	80.8	-22.2
1955	78.2	76.0	78.3	79.5	82.9	83.4	82.5	-518.5
1956	87.4	84.7	87.6	89.2	85.5	85.9	85.1	222.2
1957	95.8	94.0	95.9	94.8	99.1	100.9	97.3	333.3
1958	92.9	102.8	92.4	93.6	85.5	85.0	86.2	148.1
1959	111.2	103.2	111.6	111.6	115.4	114.3	116.7	-74.1
1960	114.8	110.8	115.0	120.6	85.0	92.9	76.3	270.4
1961	119.8	12.33	119.6	125.9	87.1	98.0	75.1	214.8
1962	133.2	140.4	132.8	139.5	96.7	103.0	89.9	318.5
1963	136.4	154.4	135.4	142.1	103.4	108.1	98.4	103.7
1964			140.5	146.9				
1965			156.2	160.5				

Source: From table VI.27, computed to a 1957-59 index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.29—Value added and income originating in transportation equipment, except automobiles, 1929-65

[In millions of dollars]

	Value added ¹	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes ²	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after taxes ²	Other income
1929	340	20	320	264	65	9	56	-9
1930	322	29	293	256	27	6	21	10
1931	178	27	151	168	-22	1	-23	9
1932	124	25	99	118	-20	1	-21	1
1933	104	24	80	94	-11	1	-12	-3
1934	150	19	131	134	4	2	2	-7
1935	166	23	143	146	-3	2	-5	0
1936	261	25	236	209	27	7	20	0
1937	366	29	337	286	67	14	53	-16
1938	292	24	268	235	25	10	15	8
1939	430	31	399	324	78	20	58	-3
1940	853	37	816	555	273	104	169	-12
1941	2,327	60	2,267	1,518	766	452	314	-17
1942	6,342	125	6,217	4,899	1,310	833	477	8
1943	12,257	150	12,107	10,146	1,907	1,274	633	54
1944	12,628	163	12,465	10,545	1,856	1,135	721	64
1945	7,911	169	7,742	6,797	961	607	354	-16
1946	1,739	39	1,700	1,846	-30	63	-93	-116
1947	1,575	47	1,528	1,674	7	64	-57	-153
1948	2,108	56	2,052	1,904	271	115	156	-123
1949	2,152	64	2,088	1,860	228	95	133	0
1950	2,321	62	2,259	1,913	419	190	229	-73
1951	3,862	88	3,774	3,391	458	270	188	-75
1952	5,914	120	5,794	5,145	636	410	226	13
1953	7,081	148	6,933	6,240	840	553	287	-147
1954	6,845	167	6,678	5,813	886	466	420	-21
1955	6,801	184	6,617	5,935	869	459	410	-187
1956	7,524	202	7,322	6,827	914	472	442	-419
1957	8,780	238	8,542	7,671	1,028	522	506	-157
1958	8,479	278	8,201	7,440	770	400	307	-9
1959	8,740	310	8,430	7,926	528	341	187	-24
1960	8,614	344	8,270	7,768	409	295	114	93
1961	8,944	358	8,586	7,994	539	328	211	43
1962	10,225	397	9,828	8,866	894	422	472	68
1963	10,840	429	10,411	9,445	939	470	469	27
1964			10,757	9,614				
1965			11,549	10,123				

¹ Capital consumption plus income originating.² Corporate income taxes.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE VI.30—Value added and income originating in transportation equipment, except automobiles, as an index, 1929-65

[1957-1959=100]

	Value added	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before taxes	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after taxes	Other income
1929	3.9	7.2	3.8	3.4	8.4	2.1	16.8	14.3
1930	3.7	10.5	3.5	3.3	3.5	1.4	6.3	-15.9
1931	2.1	9.8	1.8	2.2	-2.8	.2	-6.9	-14.3
1932	1.4	9.1	1.2	1.5	-2.6	.2	-6.3	-1.6
1933	1.2	8.7	1.0	1.2	-1.4	.2	-3.6	4.8
1934	1.7	6.9	1.6	1.7	-1.5	.5	-1.5	11.1
1935	1.9	8.4	1.7	1.9	-	.5	-1.5	0
1936	3.0	9.1	2.8	2.7	3.5	1.7	6.0	0
1937	4.2	10.5	4.0	3.7	8.6	3.3	15.9	25.4
1938	3.4	8.7	3.2	3.1	3.2	2.4	4.5	-12.7
1939	5.0	11.3	4.8	4.2	10.1	4.8	17.4	4.8
1940	9.8	13.5	9.7	7.2	35.2	24.7	50.8	19.0
1941	26.9	21.8	27.0	19.8	98.8	107.4	94.3	27.0
1942	73.2	45.5	74.1	63.8	169.0	197.9	143.2	-12.7
1943	141.4	54.5	144.3	132.1	246.1	302.6	190.1	-55.7
1944	145.7	59.3	148.6	137.3	239.5	269.6	216.5	-101.6
1945	91.3	61.5	92.3	88.5	124.0	144.2	106.3	25.4
1946	20.1	14.2	20.3	24.0	-3.9	15.0	-27.9	184.1
1947	18.2	17.1	18.2	21.8	9	15.2	-17.1	242.8
1948	24.3	20.4	24.5	24.8	35.0	27.3	46.8	195.2
1949	24.8	23.3	24.9	24.2	29.4	22.6	39.9	0
1950	26.8	22.5	26.9	24.9	54.1	45.1	68.8	115.9
1951	44.6	32.0	45.0	44.2	59.1	64.1	56.5	119.0
1952	68.2	43.6	69.1	67.0	82.1	97.4	67.9	-20.6
1953	81.7	53.8	82.6	81.3	108.4	131.4	86.2	33.3
1954	79.0	60.7	79.6	75.7	114.3	110.7	126.1	296.8
1955	78.5	66.9	78.9	77.3	112.1	109.0	123.1	665.1
1956	86.8	73.5	87.3	88.9	117.9	112.1	132.7	249.2
1957	101.3	86.5	101.8	99.9	132.6	124.0	152.0	14.3
1958	97.8	101.1	97.7	96.9	99.4	95.0	92.2	38.1
1959	100.9	112.7	100.5	103.2	68.1	81.0	56.2	-147.6
1960	99.4	125.1	98.6	101.2	62.8	70.1	34.4	-68.3
1961	103.2	130.2	102.3	104.1	69.5	77.9	63.4	-107.9
1962	118.0	144.4	117.1	115.5	115.4	100.2	141.7	-42.9
1963	125.1	156.0	124.1	123.0	121.2	111.6	140.8	
1964			128.2	125.2				
1965			137.6	131.8				

Source: From table VI.29, computed to a 1957-59 index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.31—Value added and income originating in motor vehicles and motor vehicle equipment, 1929-65

	Value added ¹	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before tax	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after tax	Other income
1929	1,518	134	1,384	982	462	49	413	-60
1930	977	136	841	636	161	29	132	49
1931	683	122	561	515	41	20	21	5
1932	273	105	168	370	192	-1	-191	-10
1933	473	91	382	352	62	19	43	-32
1934	732	83	649	571	99	21	78	-21
1935	1,018	89	929	694	249	48	201	-14
1936	1,218	64	1,154	798	338	76	312	-32
1937	1,363	64	1,299	1,007	372	74	298	-30
1938	765	66	699	631	63	32	31	5
1939	1,242	59	1,183	864	324	68	256	-5
1940	1,692	93	1,599	1,098	529	196	333	-28
1941	2,455	106	2,349	1,538	866	468	398	-55
1942	2,117	108	2,009	1,713	336	204	132	-40
1943	1,471	138	1,333	1,001	328	195	133	4
1944	1,543	142	1,401	1,096	298	169	129	7
1945	1,257	141	1,116	945	163	121	42	8
1946	2,087	123	1,964	1,939	121	74	47	-96
1947	3,719	158	3,561	2,438	1,236	469	767	-113
1948	4,211	185	4,026	2,660	1,635	649	986	-269
1949	4,998	202	4,796	2,763	2,028	823	1,205	5
1950	6,810	228	6,582	3,507	3,272	1,666	1,606	-197
1951	6,551	249	6,302	3,933	2,512	1,564	948	-143
1952	6,669	294	6,375	4,027	2,413	1,482	931	-65
1953	7,964	382	7,582	5,007	2,676	1,729	947	-101
1954	6,897	456	6,441	4,411	2,094	1,196	898	-64
1955	10,079	526	9,553	5,549	4,222	2,240	1,982	-218
1956	7,990	613	7,377	5,203	2,416	1,306	1,110	-242
1957	8,532	730	7,802	5,296	2,647	1,416	1,231	-141
1958	6,142	741	5,401	4,535	934	567	367	-68
1959	8,799	730	8,069	5,210	2,913	1,522	1,391	-54
1960	9,274	742	8,532	5,657	2,987	1,604	1,333	-112
1961	8,343	748	7,595	5,137	2,526	1,356	1,170	-68
1962	11,209	895	10,314	6,369	4,029	2,122	1,907	-34
1963	12,779	931	11,848	7,095	4,913	2,569	2,344	-160
1964			12,287	7,706				
1965			14,537	8,809				

¹ Col. 2 plus col. 3.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

TABLE VI.32—Value added and income originating in motor vehicles and motor vehicle equipment as an index, 1929-65

[1957-59=100]

	Value added	Capital consumption	Income originating	Compensation of employees	Corporate profits before tax	Corporate tax liability	Corporate profits after tax	Other income
1929	19.4	18.3	19.5	19.6	21.3	4.2	41.5	68.9
1930	12.5	18.6	11.9	12.7	7.4	2.5	13.3	-50.6
1931	8.7	16.6	7.9	10.3	1.9	1.7	2.1	-5.7
1932	3.5	14.3	2.4	7.4	-8.9	-9	-19.2	11.5
1933	6.0	12.4	5.4	7.0	2.9	1.6	4.3	36.8
1934	9.4	11.3	9.2	11.4	4.6	1.8	7.8	24.1
1935	13.0	12.1	13.1	13.8	11.5	4.1	20.2	16.1
1936	15.6	8.7	16.3	15.9	17.9	6.5	31.3	36.8
1937	17.4	8.7	18.3	20.1	17.2	6.3	29.9	92.0
1938	9.8	9.0	9.9	12.6	2.9	2.7	3.1	-5.7
1939	15.9	8.0	16.7	17.2	15.0	5.8	25.7	5.7
1940	21.6	12.7	22.6	21.9	24.4	16.8	33.4	32.2
1941	31.4	14.5	33.1	30.7	40.0	40.1	40.0	63.2
1942	27.1	14.7	28.3	34.2	15.5	17.5	13.3	46.0
1943	18.8	18.8	18.8	20.0	15.2	16.7	13.4	-4.6
1944	19.7	19.4	19.8	21.9	13.8	14.5	13.0	-8.0
1945	16.1	19.2	15.7	18.9	7.5	10.4	4.2	-9.2
1946	26.7	16.8	27.7	38.7	5.6	6.3	4.7	110.3
1947	47.5	21.6	50.2	48.6	57.1	40.1	77.0	129.9
1948	53.8	25.2	56.8	53.1	75.6	55.6	99.0	309.2
1949	63.9	27.6	67.6	55.1	93.7	70.5	121.0	-5.7
1950	87.0	31.1	92.8	70.0	151.2	142.6	161.2	226.4
1951	83.7	34.0	88.8	78.5	116.1	133.9	95.2	164.4
1952	85.2	40.1	89.9	80.3	111.5	126.9	93.5	74.7
1953	101.8	52.1	106.9	99.9	123.7	148.0	95.1	116.1
1954	88.2	62.2	90.8	88.0	96.8	102.4	90.2	73.5
1955	129.1	71.8	134.7	110.7	195.1	191.8	199.0	250.6
1956	102.1	83.6	104.0	103.8	111.6	111.8	111.4	278.2
1957	109.0	99.6	110.0	105.6	122.3	121.2	123.6	162.1
1958	78.6	101.1	76.2	90.5	43.2	48.5	36.8	78.2
1959	112.5	99.6	113.8	103.9	134.6	130.3	139.7	62.1
1960	118.6	101.2	120.3	112.8	138.0	137.3	138.9	128.7
1961	106.6	102.0	107.1	102.5	116.7	116.1	117.5	78.2
1962	141.0	122.1	145.5	127.0	186.2	181.7	191.5	96.6
1963	163.3	127.0	167.1	141.5	227.0	219.9	235.3	183.9
1964			173.3	153.7				
1965			205.0	175.7				

Source: From table VI.31, computed to a 1957-59 index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.33—The shares of income originating in the motor vehicle and motor vehicle equipment industry, 1929–65

	Income originating	Compensa- tion of employees	Corporate profits be- fore taxes	Corporate profits after taxes
	<i>Millions of dollars</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
1929	\$1,384	71.0	33.3	29.8
1930	841	75.6	19.1	15.7
1931	561	91.8	7.3	3.7
1932	168	220.2	-114.3	-113.7
1933	382	92.1	16.2	11.3
1934	649	88.0	15.3	12.0
1935	929	74.7	26.8	21.6
1936	1,154	69.2	33.6	27.0
1937	1,299	77.5	28.6	22.9
1938	699	90.3	4.8	2.3
1939	1,183	73.0	27.4	21.6
1940	1,599	68.7	33.1	20.8
1941	2,349	65.5	36.9	16.9
1942	2,009	85.3	16.7	6.6
1943	1,333	75.1	24.6	10.0
1944	1,401	78.1	21.3	9.2
1945	1,116	84.7	14.6	3.8
1946	1,964	98.7	6.2	2.4
1947	3,561	68.5	34.7	21.5
1948	4,026	66.1	40.6	24.5
1949	4,796	57.6	42.3	25.1
1950	6,582	53.3	49.7	24.4
1951	6,302	62.4	39.9	15.0
1952	6,375	63.2	37.9	14.6
1953	7,582	66.0	42.0	14.9
1954	6,441	68.5	32.5	13.9
1955	9,553	58.1	44.2	20.7
1956	7,377	70.5	32.8	15.0
1957	7,802	67.9	33.9	15.8
1958	5,401	84.0	17.3	6.8
1959	8,069	64.5	36.1	17.2
1960	8,532	66.3	35.0	16.2
1961	7,595	67.6	33.3	15.4
1962	10,314	61.8	39.1	18.5
1963	11,848	59.9	41.5	19.8
1964	12,287	62.7		
1965	14,537	60.6		

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Cols. 2, 3, 4, computed as percents of col. 1 by the Staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

TABLE VI.34.—*Production workers average weekly earnings in selected industries*

	Machinery							Electrical equipment and supplies	Transportation equipment			Instruments and related parts
	Total	Farm machinery and equipment	Construction and related equipment	Metal-working machinery and equipment	Special industry machinery	General industry machinery	Office, computing, and accounting machines		Total	Motor vehicles and equipment	Aircraft and parts	
1934										23.80		
1935										27.29		
1936										30.13		
1937										32.06		
1938										30.59		
1939										33.58		
1940										36.69		
1941										42.68		
1942										54.16		
1943										59.13		
1944										60.12		
1945										55.28		
1946										52.28		
1947	55.78			58.69	54.61			50.25	57.01	58.63	54.74	48.36
1948	60.38			63.13	59.22			54.54	61.74	63.15	60.97	52.58
1949	60.31			61.33	59.20			55.77	65.10	67.33	63.34	54.39
1950	67.08			71.73	64.27			59.35	71.29	74.85	68.10	59.80
1951	76.13			86.01	72.98			64.27	75.81	77.16	77.96	67.10
1952	79.55			92.20	75.68			67.98	81.51	84.87	81.27	70.98
1953	82.68			96.81	79.61			70.99	85.28	89.88	83.38	72.63
1954	81.40			93.09	77.90			71.24	86.30	91.30	84.66	72.06
1955	87.36			98.34	81.29			74.89	93.43	99.84	89.21	76.48
1956	93.06			108.96	87.74			79.56	94.81	96.82	95.57	80.77
1957	94.12			106.89	87.77			81.80	97.51	100.61	96.35	83.22
1958	94.33	93.50	92.07	102.00	87.56	91.57	96.00	83.95	100.40	101.24	101.25	85.57
1959	102.92	99.47	103.66	113.74	96.37	102.01	101.91	89.10	107.45	111.38	106.63	91.39
1960	104.55	99.05	102.66	117.27	99.72	101.71	106.23	90.74	111.52	115.21	110.43	93.32
1961	107.42	102.66	106.52	117.04	101.43	105.04	111.24	94.47	113.40	114.69	114.08	96.87
1962	113.01	107.59	112.34	125.57	106.77	110.83	113.15	97.44	122.22	127.67	119.97	99.80
1963	116.20	112.33	115.79	128.90	109.72	114.12	116.97	99.14	126.72	132.68	122.43	101.59
1964	121.69	118.82	120.25	137.60	114.86	120.83	120.60	101.66	130.09	138.03	125.03	103.63
1965	127.65							105.78	137.71			108.05

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Earnings Statistics.

TABLE VI.35.—Production worker average hourly earnings in selected industries, in dollars

	Machinery (other than electrical)						Electrical equipment and supplies	Transportation equipment			Instruments and related parts
	Total	Farm machinery and equipment	Construction and related equipment	Metal-working machinery and equipment	Special industry machinery	General industry machinery		Office, computing, and accounting machines	Total	Motor vehicles and equipment		Aircraft and parts
1934											
1935									0.686		
1936									.720		
1937									.757		
1938									.878		
1939									.913		
1940									.915		
1941									.936		
1942									1.036		
1943									1.172		
1944									1.237		
1945									1.271		
1946									1.205		
1947									1.351		
1948	1.344			1.381	1.279		1.247	1.436	1.473	1.372	1.197
1949	1.462			1.489	1.400		1.360	1.567	1.611	1.487	1.308
1950	1.523			1.541	1.469		1.412	1.644	1.696	1.560	1.370
1951	1.601			1.649	1.534		1.444	1.722	1.778	1.637	1.448
1952	1.750			1.830	1.670		1.560	1.840	1.910	1.780	1.590
1953	1.850			1.970	1.760		1.650	1.950	2.050	1.890	1.690
1954	1.950			2.100	1.860		1.740	2.050	2.140	1.990	1.750
1955	2.000			2.170	1.900		1.790	2.110	2.200	2.070	1.800
1956	2.080			2.240	1.940		1.840	2.210	2.290	2.160	1.870
1957	2.200			2.400	2.050		1.950	2.290	2.350	2.270	1.970
1958	2.290			2.480	2.120		2.040	2.390	2.460	2.350	2.060
1959	2.370	2.320	2.370	2.550	2.200	2.330	2.120	2.510	2.560	2.500	2.150
1960	2.480	2.450	2.510	2.670	2.300	2.470	2.200	2.640	2.710	2.620	2.240
1961	2.550	2.470	2.560	2.740	2.380	2.530	2.280	2.740	2.810	2.700	2.310
1962	2.620	2.560	2.630	2.800	2.450	2.600	2.350	2.800	2.860	2.770	2.380
1963	2.710	2.650	2.720	2.900	2.530	2.690	2.400	2.910	2.990	2.870	2.440
1964	2.780	2.760	2.790	2.970	2.600	2.770	2.460	3.010	3.100	2.950	2.490
1965	2.870	2.870	2.870	3.080	2.690	2.870	2.510	3.090	3.210	3.020	2.540
1965	2.950						2.580	3.210	3.340	3.140	2.610

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Employment and Earnings Statistics.

TABLE VI.36.—*Employee compensations as a percent of income originating in machinery and transportation manufacturers, 1929-65*

	Electrical machinery ¹	Machinery except electrical ²	Motor vehicle ³	Transportation, except motor vehicles ⁴
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
1929	82.9	74.5	71.0	82.5
1930	87.2	79.9	75.6	87.4
1931	96.7	103.4	91.8	111.3
1932	116.0	163.5	220.2	119.2
1933	109.7	117.4	92.1	117.5
1934	107.8	92.7	88.0	102.3
1935	88.1	81.9	74.7	102.1
1936	81.7	75.1	69.2	88.6
1937	85.1	79.0	77.5	84.9
1938	85.6	80.7	90.3	87.7
1939	78.4	78.0	73.0	81.2
1940	71.1	69.0	68.7	68.0
1941	64.5	63.3	65.5	66.7
1942	72.9	68.8	85.3	78.8
1943	73.8	72.9	75.1	83.8
1944	76.2	74.9	78.1	84.6
1945	83.2	80.0	84.7	87.8
1946	98.6	86.9	93.7	108.6
1947	82.6	81.0	68.5	109.6
1948	82.9	78.7	66.1	92.8
1949	79.0	75.6	57.6	89.0
1950	74.2	73.3	53.3	84.7
1951	77.3	72.9	62.4	89.9
1952	77.1	74.6	63.2	88.8
1953	81.0	79.1	66.0	90.0
1954	81.4	79.4	68.5	87.0
1955	84.2	80.7	58.1	89.7
1956	84.4	79.3	70.5	93.2
1957	81.9	80.9	67.9	89.8
1958	84.0	83.5	84.0	90.7
1959	82.8	80.5	64.5	94.2
1960	86.9	82.9	66.3	93.9
1961	87.2	82.4	67.6	93.1
1962	87.1	80.9	61.8	90.2
1963	86.9	81.2	59.9	90.7
1964	86.7	78.5	62.7	89.4
1965	85.2	77.2	60.6	87.7

Source: Preceding tables of sec. VI.

¹ Table VI.27: Col. 4 ÷ col. 3.² Table VI.25: Col. 4 ÷ col. 3.³ Table VI.31: Col. 4 ÷ col. 3.⁴ Table VI.29: Col. 4 ÷ col. 3.

TABLE VI.37—Average annual earnings per full-time employee—Machinery and transportation manufacturing, 1948–65

Year	Dollars				Index (1957-59=100)			
	Machin- ery except elec- trical	Elec- trical machin- ery	Trans- portation equip- ment except motor vehicles	Motor vehicles and equip- ment	Machin- ery except elec- trical	Elec- trical machin- ery	Trans- portation equip- ment except motor vehicles	Motor vehicles and equip- ment
1948	3,447	3,161	3,567	3,382	60.9	60.5	59.5	55.4
1949	3,484	3,266	3,579	3,614	61.6	62.5	59.7	59.2
1950	3,769	3,391	3,733	4,021	66.6	64.9	62.2	65.9
1951	4,246	3,724	4,221	4,237	75.1	71.3	70.4	69.4
1952	4,485	3,934	4,423	4,639	79.3	75.7	73.7	76.6
1953	4,722	4,145	4,676	4,979	83.5	79.3	78.0	81.6
1954	4,757	4,255	4,803	5,107	84.1	81.5	80.1	83.7
1955	4,971	4,477	5,066	5,484	87.9	85.7	84.5	89.9
1956	5,310	4,710	5,414	5,492	93.9	90.2	90.3	90.0
1957	5,456	4,928	5,613	5,749	96.4	94.3	93.6	94.2
1958	5,577	5,240	6,037	6,146	98.6	100.3	100.7	100.7
1959	5,939	5,505	6,345	6,412	105.0	105.4	105.8	105.1
1960	6,079	5,674	6,641	6,597	107.5	108.6	110.7	108.1
1961	6,243	5,899	6,943	6,638	110.4	112.9	115.8	108.8
1962	6,515	6,083	7,204	7,144	115.2	116.4	120.1	117.1
1963	6,703	6,257	7,521	7,528	118.5	119.8	125.4	123.4
1964	7,069	6,528	7,831	7,866	125.0	125.0	130.6	128.9
1965	7,280	6,643	8,045	8,152	128.7	127.2	134.1	133.6

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics. Cols. 1-4 put on index by the staff of the Joint Economic Committee.

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