

Retail Merchandise Trade of Canadian Cities.—The retail merchandise trade in Canadian cities of over 10,000 population is shown in Table 40. The cities are arranged in descending order according to their 1931 census populations. A notable feature of these figures is the wide variation in different cities in the relationship between population and retail sales. In general, per capita sales are high for cities which form distributing centres for large or populous areas, while such sales are lowest in residential or industrial satellite cities adjacent to larger centres, as in the case of St. Boniface, Man., Sandwich, Ont., and Verdun, Outremont, Westmount and Hull, Que.

40.—Retail Merchandise Trade in Cities of 10,000 Population and Over, 1930.

City.	Popula- tion, 1931.	Estab- lish- ments.	Full-Time Employees.			Net Sales.	Stocks on Hand, End of Year (at Cost).
			Male.	Female.	Salaries and Wages.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$
Montreal, Que.....	818,577	11,959	27,144	12,622	40,171,900	369,471,200	52,939,200
Toronto, Ont.....	631,207	8,725	23,601	13,473	44,548,300	372,682,900	46,777,000
Vancouver, B.C.....	246,593	3,845	7,911	4,288	13,516,200	122,830,900	18,660,700
Winnipeg, Man.....	218,785	2,486	8,164	5,513	15,379,600	131,480,200	15,542,700
Hamilton, Ont.....	155,547	2,117	3,831	2,082	6,528,500	68,512,800	9,605,200
Quebec, Que.....	130,594	1,742	3,824	1,437	4,696,900	48,172,200	9,555,600
Ottawa, Ont.....	126,872	1,525	3,896	1,978	6,205,700	59,702,200	10,449,800
Calgary, Alta.....	83,761	1,136	2,686	1,262	4,809,600	43,389,800	7,143,100
Edmonton, Alta.....	79,197	1,054	2,235	1,176	4,011,200	37,555,900	6,202,600
London, Ont.....	71,148	1,074	2,135	985	3,426,300	35,596,000	4,883,600
Windsor, Ont.....	63,108	903	1,938	615	3,300,600	30,122,400	4,539,000
Verdun, Que.....	60,745	588	938	297	1,163,300	12,774,300	1,678,100
Halifax, N.S.....	59,275	900	1,682	1,125	2,709,300	29,843,200	4,190,300
Regina, Sask.....	53,209	569	2,016	951	3,407,200	33,105,600	5,555,800
Saint John, N.B.....	47,514	822	1,465	846	2,160,100	21,435,100	3,233,700
Saskatoon, Sask.....	43,291	546	1,536	760	2,639,500	25,364,200	4,277,200
Victoria, B.C.....	39,082	809	1,790	914	2,944,900	27,108,500	4,998,900
Three Rivers, Que.....	35,450	456	719	312	960,100	10,079,700	1,857,200
Kitchener, Ont.....	30,793	399	725	343	1,211,300	13,770,500	2,005,700
Brantford, Ont.....	30,107	451	809	375	1,230,300	13,966,900	1,937,100
Hull, Que.....	29,433	443	645	133	663,800	7,776,900	1,319,300
Sherbrooke, Que.....	28,933	428	737	258	977,400	10,959,900	2,050,600
Outremont, Que.....	28,641	129	365	45	455,100	4,306,700	487,900
Fort William, Ont.....	26,277	333	544	300	830,300	10,003,300	1,723,000
St. Catharines, Ont.....	24,753	437	802	383	1,328,500	14,664,800	2,340,200
Westmount, Que.....	24,235	128	504	116	727,500	6,330,100	600,500
Kingston, Ont.....	23,439	376	858	328	1,214,500	12,873,200	2,079,000
Oshawa, Ont.....	23,439	278	584	159	802,900	8,498,500	1,192,900
Sydney, N.S.....	23,089	340	445	258	637,100	8,136,700	1,483,900
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.....	23,082	357	436	231	682,400	9,984,500	1,783,400
Peterborough, Ont.....	22,327	383	688	317	969,500	11,132,500	1,706,600
Moose Jaw, Sask.....	21,299	308	611	248	993,100	9,688,400	1,574,600
Guelph, Ont.....	21,075	309	497	241	792,200	9,194,400	1,388,200
Glace Bay, N.S.....	20,706	232	200	156	277,300	4,268,100	680,000
Moncton, N.B.....	20,689	302	920	699	1,621,700	20,751,400	2,290,700
Port Arthur, Ont.....	19,818	247	458	237	764,800	9,006,900	1,858,800
Niagara Falls, Ont.....	19,046	343	593	336	943,100	10,550,400	1,484,500
Lachine, Que.....	18,630	274	360	115	427,200	5,184,900	992,900
Sudbury, Ont.....	18,518	236	505	214	832,800	10,885,400	1,622,400
Sarnia, Ont.....	18,191	262	408	230	612,900	7,969,400	1,168,700
Stratford, Ont.....	17,742	270	447	246	687,000	7,868,700	1,241,300
New Westminster, B.C.....	17,524	288	565	201	893,700	10,084,400	1,317,500
Brandon, Man.....	17,082	229	495	209	722,700	7,322,600	1,379,400
St. Boniface, Man.....	16,305	121	145	28	148,100	2,061,600	194,700
North Bay, Ont.....	15,528	205	465	180	625,800	6,884,400	1,093,500
St. Thomas, Ont.....	15,430	286	480	235	667,900	7,549,500	1,333,200
Shawinigan Falls, Que.....	15,345	187	216	100	262,200	3,538,400	868,100
Chatham, Ont.....	14,569	276	543	231	807,300	8,634,300	1,378,700
East Windsor, Ont.....	14,251	140	149	27	225,700	3,233,700	530,500
Timmins, Ont.....	14,200	159	332	109	511,100	6,270,700	1,274,600
Galt, Ont.....	14,006	225	322	137	446,800	5,406,000	965,500
Belleville, Ont.....	13,790	246	473	205	690,000	7,883,800	1,387,300
Lethbridge, Alta.....	13,489	211	466	215	813,800	8,482,300	1,446,100
St. Hyacinthe, Que.....	13,448	204	285	81	304,300	4,103,700	953,900
Owen Sound, Ont.....	12,839	249	354	170	497,200	5,716,100	1,148,200
Charlottetown, P.E.I.....	12,361	221	384	225	471,500	5,823,500	1,214,900
Chicoutimi, Que.....	11,877	136	180	59	230,600	2,960,000	645,100