

**17.—Forms of Capital Employed in the Manufacturing Industries of Canada, by Provinces and by Groups of Industries, 1933, and Totals for Representative Years 1923-33.**

Province or Group.	Estab- lish- ments.	Land, Buildings, Fixtures, Machinery and Tools.	Materials on Hand, Stocks in Process, Fuel and Miscel- laneous Supplies on Hand.	Inventory Value of Finished Products on Hand.	Operating Capital, Cash, Bills and Accounts Receivable, Prepaid Expenses, etc.	Total Capital.
	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Totals, 1923.....	22,642	2,165,497,811	655,775,934	559,049,205	3,380,322,950	
Totals, 1924.....	22,178	2,310,298,012	677,168,191	551,347,257	3,538,813,460	
Totals, 1926.....	22,708	2,628,963,690	722,451,467	632,154,433	3,981,569,599	
Totals, 1927.....	22,936	2,866,366,199	773,824,436	697,440,923	4,337,631,558	
Totals, 1929.....	23,597	3,377,590,099	878,783,691	826,640,964	5,083,014,754	
Totals, 1930.....	24,020	3,584,344,724	848,927,120	770,044,916	5,203,316,760	
Totals, 1931.....	24,501	3,528,611,580	439,152,275	282,385,503	4,961,312,408	
Totals, 1932.....	24,544	3,511,904,606	351,417,810	257,534,107	4,741,255,610	
PROVINCE.						
Prince Edward Island.....	263	2,447,037	318,377	132,182	488,499	3,386,095
Nova Scotia.....	1,378	91,130,612	10,052,793	4,949,137	17,513,419	123,645,961
New Brunswick.....	800	92,754,908	7,606,877	4,434,299	17,334,489	122,130,573
Quebec.....	8,070	1,285,645,282	113,667,568	56,069,964	193,489,573	1,648,872,387
Ontario.....	10,158	1,473,583,649	164,550,544	129,934,204	319,004,016	2,087,072,413
Manitoba.....	1,073	143,737,225	11,851,161	6,999,795	17,131,939	179,720,120
Saskatchewan.....	818	47,811,529	4,986,009	4,266,183	7,886,858	64,950,579
Alberta.....	975	74,475,088	6,731,119	6,433,977	10,705,037	98,345,221
British Columbia and Yukon	1,697	271,090,393	23,748,195	27,158,984	39,252,783	361,250,355
INDUSTRIAL GROUP.						
Vegetable products.....	5,542	273,555,784	78,206,781	56,667,248	101,103,192	509,533,005
Animal products.....	4,496	122,033,089	21,331,952	22,660,121	35,968,480	201,993,642
Textiles and textile products	2,151	190,206,146	42,967,402	22,182,420	66,956,279	322,312,247
Wood and paper products....	7,917	689,554,461	61,416,099	28,360,800	113,978,320	893,309,680
Iron and its products.....	1,291	360,910,671	56,944,260	45,978,794	116,926,654	580,760,379
Non-ferrous metal products.	478	162,416,492	25,539,952	29,861,223	48,448,776	266,266,443
Non-metallic mineral pro- ducts.....	1,144	238,842,147	23,220,441	20,464,156	25,469,530	307,996,274
Chemicals and chemical pro- ducts.....	696	88,892,423	17,120,998	11,859,766	36,027,743	153,900,930
Miscellaneous industries.....	476	45,718,859	6,952,236	2,344,197	11,753,757	66,769,049
Central electric stations.....	1,041	1,310,545,651	9,812,522	-	66,173,882	1,386,532,055
Totals, 1933.....	25,232	3,482,675,723	343,512,643	240,378,725	622,806,613	4,689,373,704

**Subsection 2.—Employment in Manufactures.\***

The total number of persons engaged in those manufacturing industries of Canada for which statistics were obtained in 1933 was in that year 493,903, as compared with 495,398 in the same industries in 1932 and 694,434 in 1929. The 1933 employees included 94,494 salaried employees, this figure being obtained from the manufacturers at the end of the year, and 399,409 wage-earners, the average number employed as derived from the manufacturers' records of the numbers on the pay-rolls on the 15th of each of the twelve months. Prior to 1925, the number of wage-earners was computed as the sum of the number recorded each month divided by 12 whether the establishment was operating the 12 months or not. Beginning with the statistics for 1925, in seasonal industries which are in operation only a limited number of months in each year, such as sawmilling, fruit and vegetable canning, etc., the average was computed by dividing the sum of the wage-earners reported on the 15th of each month by the number of months in operation. This change of method increased the apparent number of employees, not only in seasonal industries but

\* For other employment statistics, see Chapter XIX, Section 9, Subsection 3.