

16.—Principal Statistics of the Leading Industries of British Columbia and the Yukon Territory, 1934.

Industry.	Estab- lish- ments.	Capital.	Em- ployees.	Salaries and Wages.	Cost of Materials.	Gross Value of Products. ²
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
1 Sawmills.....	273	33,692,880	9,112	8,277,111	15,555,976	29,404,750
2 Fish curing and packing.....	99	11,717,485	1,624	1,533,943	9,587,865	15,078,813
3 Pulp and paper.....	6	50,142,375	2,566	3,538,509	3,925,204	13,278,736
4 Central electric stations.....	83	96,144,878	1,370	1,894,720	Nil	10,715,293
5 Petroleum products.....	6	5,673,903	397	562,431	5,790,434	8,249,971
6 Slaughtering and meat packing...	13	4,443,957	693	784,527	6,215,478	7,521,042
7 Bread and other bakery products..	275	3,048,451	1,489	1,328,293	2,198,984	4,595,181
8 Fruit and vegetable preparations..	40	4,212,846	1,078	765,069	2,918,395	4,471,583
9 Printing and publishing.....	73	4,123,312	1,355	1,936,163	743,004	4,318,524
10 Sheet metal products.....	14	10,469,384	368	435,857	2,608,239	4,108,025
11 Coffee, tea and spices.....	8	1,669,126	143	161,472	2,838,562	3,822,668
12 Butter and cheese.....	36	1,753,372	390	444,940	2,522,376	3,541,497
13 Breweries.....	11	6,225,410	300	423,275	839,292	2,669,423
14 Coke and gas products.....	6	14,793,170	331	382,636	659,499	2,228,386
15 Fertilizers.....	3	10,898,300	362	509,912	1,333,334	1,874,121
16 Dyeing, cleaning and laundry work.....	58	2,026,558	1,195	910,423	148,009	1,782,064
17 Printing and bookbinding.....	96	2,201,278	556	619,808	460,300	1,533,154
18 Boxes, wooden.....	20	1,241,350	621	475,711	681,445	1,477,950
19 Planing mills, sash and door factories.....	49	2,181,882	606	481,233	718,878	1,475,271
20 Castings and forgings.....	34	3,230,791	508	597,084	377,220	1,272,613
21 Furniture.....	49	1,334,502	481	397,191	466,937	1,189,165
22 Biscuits, confectionery, cocoa and chocolate.....	36	931,118	314	272,602	517,008	1,176,250
23 Shipbuilding and repairs.....	15	6,573,541	526	639,372	252,017	1,113,954
24 Acids, alkalies and salts.....	3	1,152,292	55	79,207	26,736	1,061,337
25 All other leading industries ¹	6	55,790,668	3,691	4,812,976	17,055,735	29,226,280
Totals, Leading Industries.....	1,312	335,673,329	30,131	32,263,865	78,440,927	157,186,950
Totals, All Industries.....	1,777	367,320,343	35,065	37,302,741	88,292,928	176,721,398
Percentages of leading industries to totals of all industries in the province.....	73.83	91.38	85.93	86.49	88.84	88.94

¹ Includes: distilleries, sugar refineries and non-ferrous metal smelting and refining. ² The net value is obtained by deducting cost of materials, fuel and electricity from gross value. These calculations are not available for the individual provinces.

Section 4.—Principal Factors in Manufacturing Production.

Subsection 1.—Capital Employed.

In a retrospective study of capital employed in Canadian manufactures since 1900, the remarkable increase denotes rapid growth in industrial operations. From 1900 to 1905 the capital increased from \$446,900,000 to \$833,900,000, and advanced