

industry continued its growth at a somewhat lesser rate than in 1940. This progress was made mainly on the basis of increased production, since prices of gold and base metals were stabilized for the war period.

Secondary Production.—Net production in the secondary industries showed a gain of 33·2 p.c. in 1941 over 1940. Manufactures, which accounted for 87·4 p.c. of all secondary production, showed an increase of 34 p.c. Expansion of production planned immediately after the outbreak of war began to show results in 1940 and by 1941 had reached substantial proportions.

1.—Gross and Net Values of Production in Canada, by Industries, 1940 and 1941

NOTE.—Net production represents total value under a particular heading, less the cost of materials, fuel, purchased electricity and process supplies consumed in the production process.

Industry	1940		1941		Percentage Change in Net Value, 1941 from 1940	Percentage of Net Value to Total Net Production 1941
	Gross	Net	Gross	Net		
	\$	\$	\$	\$	p c.	p c.
Agriculture	1,265,112,000	885,115,000	1,431,770,000	951,025,000	+7·45	20·14
Forestry	627,365,611	370,121,275	711,004,556	421,419,139	+13·86	8·93
Fisheries	60,053,631	38,106,690	82,522,675	51,769,638	+35·85	1·10
Trapping	11,207,930	11,207,930	15,138,040	15,138,040	+35·06	0·32
Mining	748,344,045 ¹	446,080,721	866,293,332 ²	497,904,632	+11·62	10·55
Electric power	166,223,773	163,780,757	186,089,354	183,146,426	+11·82	3·88
Totals, Primary Production	2,878,311,990	1,914,412,381	3,292,808,957	2,120,402,875	+10·76	44·92
Construction	474,122,778	206,893,992	639,750,624	269,561,885	+30·29	5·71
Custom and repair	180,126,000	110,745,000	199,377,000	135,287,000	+22·16	2·87
Manufactures ²	4,529,173,316	1,942,471,238	6,076,308,124	2,605,119,788	+34·11	55·19
Totals, Secondary Production³	5,183,422,094	2,260,110,230	6,915,435,748	3,009,968,673	+33·18	63·77
Grand Totals	7,260,597,365	3,823,676,973	9,250,795,729	4,720,073,033	+23·44	100·00

¹ Comprises fuel, electricity, etc., and net sales shown in Table 7 of Chapter XII. ² Includes sawmills, pulp and paper mills, fish-processing, and certain mineral industries, which are also included in other headings above. This duplication, amounting in 1940 to a gross of \$801,136,719 and a net of \$350,845,638 and in 1941 to a gross of \$957,448,976 and a net of \$410,298,515, is eliminated from the grand total. ³ Includes duplication mentioned in footnote 2. The percentage of the net manufactures, *n.e.s.*, to the total net production in 1940 was 41·63 and in 1941 was 46·50.

Following Table 1 in previous editions of the Year Book, a statement has appeared showing the net values of production by individual sub-groups for the primary and secondary industries. These data were repeated from the respective chapters and the only new information added was the costs of supplies including fuel and electricity which were subtracted in certain cases from the gross figures to give the net values. Such information as is necessary to the interpretation of the production figures is now given in the text above and as footnotes to the tables, and this year the detail has been omitted in order to conserve space. The reader will find these detailed statistics in the respective chapters dealing with primary and secondary production or in the Annual Report of the Survey of Production.