

21.—Male Wage-Earners in the Forty Leading Industries Working Specified Weekly Hours¹ in Month of Highest Employment, 1942

Note.—Industries ranked according to the annual number of male wage-earners employed.

Industry	Hours Worked per Week										Total Wage-Earners	Average Hours Worked per Week
	30 or Less	31-43	44	45-47	48	49-50	51-54	55	56-64	65 or Over		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		
1 Shipbuilding and repairs.....	2,460	6,075	8,617	4,021	10,131	4,275	6,863	1,303	7,255	7,239	58,239	50.2
2 Sawmills.....	1,163	1,346	1,137	1,298	15,594	2,132	7,401	2,366	35,182	1,639	69,255	54.7
3 Miscellaneous chemical products.....	1,634	2,722	979	1,249	13,974	1,144	12,012	352	3,687	1,636	39,439	49.6
4 Pulp and paper.....	1,137	1,798	437	1,101	12,778	1,731	3,774	798	7,943	4,077	35,574	52.2
5 Aircraft.....	1,083	1,773	619	828	7,783	2,927	4,122	4,623	5,509	7,556	36,823	54.5
6 Primary iron and steel.....	1,239	3,860	1,835	1,266	8,706	1,645	3,265	906	7,972	2,572	33,267	50.9
7 Railway rolling-stock.....	282	2,563	5,564	1,607	15,110	1,574	1,849	482	1,227	634	30,892	47.4
8 Iron and steel products, miscellaneous.....	563	1,146	665	821	8,508	1,127	1,997	1,459	8,179	2,090	26,555	53.1
9 Automobiles.....	904	3,565	4,121	2,161	7,194	1,392	1,158	82	1,515	565	22,657	46.1
10 Machinery.....	610	1,068	1,078	728	1,148	1,773	2,970	2,024	6,952	4,744	23,095	56.1
11 Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	589	928	671	1,220	1,650	1,763	4,230	4,949	4,600	2,170	22,770	53.7
12 Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining.....	408	421	178	945	17,058	193	699	63	1,638	279	21,882	48.6
13 Bread and other bakery products.....	601	338	262	298	2,651	1,443	4,681	1,191	5,069	769	17,303	53.2
14 Automobile supplies.....	599	1,149	377	1,063	1,326	2,043	2,838	1,066	4,251	2,293	17,005	53.6
15 Castings, iron.....	299	857	640	1,171	1,250	2,249	2,659	1,082	4,482	1,442	16,131	53.4
16 Cotton yarn and cloth.....	78	154	66	82	3,353	8,643	375	1,143	936	388	15,218	50.5
17 Brass and copper products.....	423	970	617	823	2,802	1,363	1,507	587	4,188	1,008	14,288	52.2
18 Sheet metal products.....	574	874	1,162	862	1,602	1,030	1,359	1,289	3,402	946	13,100	51.7
19 Slaughtering and meat packing.....	685	888	169	887	1,378	1,306	2,534	705	3,350	1,010	12,912	52.1
20 Hardware and tools.....	396	521	499	561	1,032	1,097	1,077	1,577	4,270	1,826	12,378	55.3
21 Furniture.....	393	555	1,033	2,695	741	1,106	1,074	2,674	1,138	232	11,641	49.7
22 Planing mills, sash and door factories.....	460	758	924	903	874	1,152	2,105	1,206	3,184	789	12,355	52.1
23 Agricultural implements.....	242	711	259	2,214	4,859	341	580	347	1,178	196	10,927	48.5
24 Boots and shoes, leather.....	396	650	501	1,230	665	2,355	1,967	784	892	184	9,624	49.2
25 Rubber goods, including footwear.....	385	1,248	228	819	2,043	1,240	1,592	506	1,326	283	9,670	49.0
26 Clothing, men's factory.....	156	730	3,963	918	1,563	438	472	96	240	52	8,628	45.4
27 Printing and publishing.....	617	2,009	1,411	1,187	1,829	466	411	52	262	103	8,347	43.7
28 Bridge and structural steel.....	461	666	471	282	1,238	1,689	443	398	2,030	1,434	9,112	52.7
29 Printing and bookbinding.....	357	717	2,945	871	1,331	320	488	177	536	248	7,990	46.3
30 Hosiery and knitted goods.....	205	388	173	563	1,444	1,185	1,043	1,163	789	205	7,158	50.4
31 Acids, alkalis and salts.....	119	486	444	252	3,454	135	636	14	1,089	103	6,732	49.2
32 Silk and artificial silk.....	191	466	111	347	893	1,651	645	412	1,022	333	6,071	50.9
33 Fruit and vegetable preparations.....	3,095	1,155	177	455	276	446	923	354	2,776	4,823	14,480	52.2
34 Clothing, women's factory.....	199	1,304	1,359	561	1,129	263	450	77	293	21	5,656	44.7
35 Breweries.....	230	242	676	239	367	317	478	188	1,631	1,174	5,542	54.9
36 Wire and wire goods.....	191	436	199	422	517	559	432	1,047	1,051	372	5,184	51.9
37 Boxes, wooden.....	283	238	99	211	501	399	855	1,064	1,514	328	5,792	53.3
38 Petroleum products.....	67	2,284	1,386	53	772	92	185	37	215	118	5,209	43.0
39 Woolen cloth.....	105	226	80	184	339	565	1,027	732	1,083	407	4,748	53.6
40 Flour and feed mills.....	269	133	73	63	1,333	165	712	152	1,503	440	4,843	52.9
Totals, Forty Leading Industries².....	24,148	48,418	46,163	37,461	160,763	55,669	83,909	39,527	145,659	56,778	698,495	49.9
Totals, All Industries².....	30,166	59,146	58,342	47,403	182,783	70,870	106,657	48,996	171,775	67,776	843,914	51.3

¹ Including overtime. ² Figures are exclusive of those for "butter and cheese" and "fish-curing and -packing"; these are among the leading industries, but figures are not available.