## Subsection 2.—Manufactures Classified by the Purpose of the Products

Significant changes have occurred since 1922 in the importance of the various groups shown in the purpose classification. On the basis of percentage to gross value of production, the most striking change is in the food group which showed a substantial decline from 28·2 p.c. of the total in 1922 to 22·6 p.c. in 1939 and 18·8 p.c. in 1944. The producers materials group, which took the lead from the food group in 1923, showed a steady increase up to 1939, since when it has remained at about 30 p.c. of the total. Due to the production of war equipment, vehicles and vessels increased from 7·7 p.c. in 1939 to 15·7 p.c. in 1944 and industrial equipment from 15·2 p.c. to 16·7 p.c. The other groups, with the exception of "miscellaneous", showed slight declines during the war years.

10.—Principal Statistics of the Manufacturing Industries of Canada, Classified According to the Purpose of the Principal Product, by Main Groups, Significant Years 1922-44 and in Detail for 1944.

Year and Purpose Heading	Estab- lish- ments	Capital	Em- ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials	Gross Value of Products
1922	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
Food	8,256 496 659 936 600 1,557 1,154 5,588 1,740	343,867,673 104,047,461 166,336,319 56,060,262 75,168,053 82,240,691 191,257,804 1,086,692,015 556,862,578 4,960,434	75, 269 869	67, 738, 707 13, 777, 986 59, 056, 687 17, 080, 049 19, 861, 883 36, 920, 804 37, 237, 412 147, 581, 011 89, 081, 303 1, 061, 388	490,731,438 33,027,203 117,015,780 21,879,031 24,956,960 27,190,071 87,840,814 316,400,400 160,035,399 2,964,354	673,794,031 99,529,819 221,903,467 57,258,476 62,961,050 99,118,969 160,624,079 338,882,958 4,916,418
Totals, 1922	21,016	2,667,493,290	456,256	489,397,230	1,282,041,4501	2,383,430,338
1929						
Food. Drink and tobacco. Clothing. Personal utilities. House furnishings Books and stationery. Vehicles and vessels. Producers materials Industrial equipment. Miscellaneous.	8,351 599 1,680 380 600 1,917 781 6,227 1,576	463, 984, 558 201, 365, 785 223, 376, 104 56, 155, 234 76, 185, 921 144, 222, 275 310, 942, 038 1, 776, 758, 115 719, 112, 914 32, 789, 065	18,976 93,935 11,148 20,857 38,141 61,835 223,071 99,922	87,960,036 21,670,376 88,914,849 13,595,331 23,248,775 56,003,183 91,239,185 258,255,079 131,820,142 4,584,261	597, 396, 238 65, 440, 053 172, 726, 557 29, 389, 246 34, 293, 465 45, 384, 362 243, 258, 350 524, 193, 104 304, 581, 449 13, 007, 989	837, 986, 384 208, 968, 998 336, 452, 685 61, 191, 750 77, 811, 331 155, 947, 960 407, 947, 648 1, 154, 908, 260 614, 827, 756 27, 403, 344
Totals, 1929	22,216	4,004,892,009	666,531	777,291,217	2,029,670,813	3,883,446,116
1933	8,759	408, 995, 499	75,434	68, 652, 798	313,760,942	492,729,174
Food. Drink and tobacco Clothing Personal utilities House furnishings Books and stationery. Vehicles and vessels. Producers materials. Industrial equipment. Miscellaneous.	8,759 670 1,922 601 654 2,170 479 6,564 1,819	185, 612, 678 143, 382, 092 39, 681, 900 66, 047, 002 132, 507, 101 232, 153, 543 1, 459, 569, 284 588, 147, 285 23, 163, 454	18, 289 75, 363 8, 938 15, 587 34, 300 37, 618 139, 734 60, 061	17, 626, 141 56, 001, 234 8, 616, 372 12, 887, 200 42, 830, 661 35, 725, 625 126, 208, 238 64, 155, 426 3, 544, 129	40, 454, 300 103, 209, 050 15, 323, 848 16, 022, 584 28, 818, 380 56, 917, 292 252, 383, 314 133, 382, 392 7, 516, 826	98, 409, 638 194, 627, 734 35, 589, 961 38, 684, 649 103, 477, 707 120, 992, 781 573, 991, 467 277, 075, 032 18, 497, 642
Totals, 1933	23,780	3,279,259,838	468,658	436,247,824	967,788,928	1,954,075,785

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the year 1922 the figures for "Cost of Materials" and "Gross Value of Products" include the value placed on intermediate products used in further processes in the chemical group of industries. For this reason these figures differ slightly from those contained in the other tables of this Chapter.