

industries in the lead in 1948 remained in the first ten places in 1949, although the order was changed slightly. The electrical apparatus and supplies industry, which for many years ranked among the first ten, dropped out of this class in 1949. This was not due to a change in its importance as a producer of manufactured goods, but to a change in its composition introduced by the Standard Classification which groups this industry, formerly classified as one, into five subdivisions: batteries; heavy electrical machinery; radios and radio parts; refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and appliances; and miscellaneous electrical products.

14.—Principal Statistics of the Forty Leading Industries, ranked according to Gross Value of Products, 1949

Industry	Estab-lish-ments	Em-ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Materials	Net Value of Products	Gross Value of Products
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$
1 Pulp and paper	123	52,050	157,703,868	348,662,719	423,375,527	836,148,393
2 Slaughtering and meat packing	157	20,586	52,136,180	586,241,637	108,059,068	697,950,039
3 Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining	16	19,150	55,133,065	380,275,977	181,907,847	599,188,135
4 Motor-vehicles	15	27,022	76,684,328	300,705,398	182,055,285	485,756,877
5 Petroleum products	47	9,413	26,142,276	336,973,056	82,971,097	436,796,213
6 Sawmills	7,460	55,032	97,449,091	205,935,217	186,120,981	396,415,201
7 Butter and cheese	1,862	22,479	41,612,537	274,298,757	74,705,184	355,004,031
8 Primary iron and steel	55	29,097	82,958,229	147,229,391	136,152,628	305,734,984
9 Railway rolling-stock	39	32,410	82,135,159	133,053,860	109,228,718	246,754,026
10 Flour mills ¹	133	5,033	11,965,400	215,404,869	28,342,755	245,274,202
11 Clothing, men's factory	565	33,298	57,343,483	121,485,389	98,546,341	220,701,259
12 Cotton yarn and cloth	53	25,178	49,363,696	124,685,279	83,073,026	211,384,517
13 Bread and other bakery products	2,730	31,763	57,552,745	102,555,311	94,717,220	203,720,116
14 Clothing, women's factory ¹	890	29,129	55,424,392	105,156,893	96,791,010	202,412,558
15 Rubber goods incl. footwear	62	20,729	48,172,207	73,895,718	101,705,513	178,503,559
16 Agricultural implements and machinery	79	16,588	44,219,589	95,685,026	79,192,612	176,970,283
17 Motor-vehicle parts	150	17,898	45,662,602	88,040,691	81,194,554	171,590,042
18 Printing and publishing	784	26,272	63,550,242	48,877,899	118,825,355	169,268,479
19 Electrical apparatus and supplies, n.e.s. ¹	145	19,596	46,967,735	65,469,109	93,945,513	161,008,162
20 Foods, miscellaneous	297	6,978	13,319,291	114,717,702	43,386,636	158,974,544
21 Machinery, heavy electrical ¹	46	19,490	51,522,690	63,755,040	92,767,507	158,150,426
22 Furniture	1,187	26,931	53,591,185	70,147,728	85,289,672	157,122,632
23 Sheet metal products	275	16,414	39,304,865	84,810,689	70,093,369	156,717,444
24 Feeds, stock and poultry, prepared	485	5,356	10,889,537	125,645,640	24,361,413	151,470,360
25 Fruit and vegetable preparations	473	14,992	23,863,821	89,502,037	57,106,291	148,762,324
26 Machinery, industrial ¹	296	19,479	48,248,262	48,389,379	97,927,235	148,156,612
27 Breweries	64	8,652	23,461,437	37,939,869	102,125,599	142,399,729
28 Planing mills, sash and door factories	1,501	18,171	33,872,726	80,408,276	55,498,422	137,717,568
29 Castings, iron	231	18,339	46,165,355	55,315,454	74,880,824	133,313,505
30 Synthetic textiles and silk	48	16,828	36,121,584	45,217,912	75,578,244	124,125,414
31 Printing and bookbinding	1,530	22,029	47,147,222	42,773,222	76,974,961	120,822,790
32 Boxes and bags, paper	174	12,763	25,513,079	72,113,972	47,333,714	120,321,918
33 Sugar refining	11	3,587	8,842,783	90,172,181	23,703,295	116,767,430
34 Boots and shoes, leather	284	22,290	36,733,243	61,023,445	54,956,420	116,514,620
35 Brass and copper products	162	9,389	22,943,888	73,045,193	40,700,161	115,407,796
36 Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	57	9,029	19,028,381	59,319,660	53,641,340	113,334,066
37 Fish processing ²	599	11,856	16,969,825	69,090,041	41,140,022	111,961,148
38 Miscellaneous paper goods	204	9,181	19,476,921	56,444,549	42,868,657	100,230,130
39 Confectionery, cocoa, etc.	206	10,317	17,107,649	51,001,165	47,401,925	99,424,355
40 Coke and gas products	30	5,139	13,641,224	54,063,072	34,847,993	96,934,506
Totals, Leading Industries²	23,525	779,933	1,759,941,792	5,199,528,422	3,603,498,934	9,029,210,393
Totals, All Industries²	35,792	1,171,207	2,591,890,657	6,843,231,064	5,330,566,434	12,479,593,300
Percentages of leading industries to all industries	65.7	66.5	67.8	76.0	67.6	72.3

¹ Not comparable with previous years.

² Exclusive of fish processing in Newfoundland.