

33.—Establishments and Employees in Manufactures, classified by Number of Employees per Establishment, 1929, 1939, 1944, and 1950-52

Employee Group	Estab- lishments	Employees	Average per Estab- lishment	Estab- lishments	Employees	Average per Estab- lishment
	1929 ¹			1939 ²		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 5 employees.....	12,273	30,446	2.5	13,002	28,020	2.2
5 to 20 ".....	6,160	62,310	10.1	6,985	68,151	9.8
21 " 50 ".....	2,531	81,846	32.3	2,330	75,324	32.3
51 " 100 ".....	1,262	90,238	71.5	1,158	81,646	70.5
101 " 200 ³ ".....	745	103,944	139.5	695	97,063	139.7
201 " 500 ".....	444	136,397	307.2	458	139,687	305.0
501 or over.....	182	189,253	1,040.0	172	168,168	977.7
Totals and Averages.....	23,597	694,434	29.4	24,800	658,059	26.5
	1944			1950 ³		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 5 employees.....	13,208	29,958	2.3	16,726	34,719	2.1
5 to 14 ".....	7,111	58,404	8.2	9,103	75,149	8.3
15 " 49 ".....	4,615	124,408	27.0	6,022	160,397	26.6
50 " 99 ".....	1,622	113,869	70.2	1,920	133,374	69.5
100 " 199 ".....	900	126,192	140.2	1,121	156,489	139.6
200 " 499 ".....	644	196,707	305.4	709	216,593	305.5
500 " 999 ".....	383	573,344	1,497.0	341	395,304	1,159.2
1,000 or over.....	—	—	—	—	11,272	—
Head offices ⁴	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals and Averages.....	28,483	1,222,882	42.9	35,942	1,183,297	32.9
	1951 ³			1952 ³		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 5 employees.....	17,044	35,441	2.1	16,890	36,754	2.2
5 to 14 ".....	9,591	79,656	8.3	9,688	79,975	8.2
15 " 49 ".....	6,203	165,113	26.6	6,280	167,897	26.7
50 " 99 ".....	1,960	136,274	69.5	1,985	138,080	69.6
100 " 199 ".....	1,107	154,222	139.3	1,122	156,902	139.8
200 " 499 ".....	739	225,036	304.5	719	221,507	308.1
500 " 999 ".....	248	172,347	694.9	241	165,139	685.2
1,000 or over.....	129	277,364	2,150.0	141	308,099	2,185.1
Head offices ⁴	—	12,922	—	—	14,029	—
Totals and Averages.....	37,021	1,258,375	34.0	37,929	1,288,382⁵	34.0

¹ Includes central electric stations and dyeing, cleaning and laundry establishments. ² Excludes the Yukon and Northwest Territories. ³ Includes Newfoundland. ⁴ Includes only those head offices that are not located at a plant. ⁵ Includes 763 employees who are not classifiable.

Size of Establishment in Leading Industries.—Table 34 summarizes the degree of concentration in some of the leading industries of Canada. Concentration is extremely marked in the case of motor-vehicles, non-ferrous metal smelting and refining, railway rolling-stock, cotton yarn and cloth, primary iron and steel, pulp and paper and heavy electrical machinery. On the other hand, the degree of concentration is low in such industries as women's factory clothing, miscellaneous food preparations, furniture, butter and cheese, bread and other bakery products, fruit and vegetable preparations, sawmills and men's factory clothing.