

20.—Summary of Working Conditions of Plant Employees in Manufacturing Industries, as at Oct. 1, 1949-51, and Apr. 1, 1953—concluded

Item	Percentage of Plant Employees			
	Apr. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1951	Oct. 1, 1950	Oct. 1, 1949
Vacations with Pay—concluded				
Shut-down for Vacation—				
Employees in establishments reporting a shut-down period	61.5	56.0	58.0	56.0
Employees in establishments reporting a shut-down period of 2 weeks.....	47.6	41.0	39.0	33.4
Minimum Call Pay—				
Employees in establishments reporting minimum call pay				
During regular hours.....	—	51.8	—	—
Outside regular hours.....	—	53.5	—	—
Rest Periods—				
Employees in establishments reporting rest periods.....	—	—	60.7	—
Employees in establishments receiving 2 periods of 10 minutes each.....	—	—	38.9	—
Wash-up Periods—				
Employees in establishments reporting wash-up periods.....	—	—	45.2	—
Employees in establishments receiving 2 periods of 5 minutes each.....	—	—	19.8	—
Sick Leave—				
Employees in establishments reporting a provision for sick leave.....	12.7	—	17.5	—
Group Sickness or Accident Insurance Plan—				
Employees in establishments reporting a sickness or accident insurance plan.....	—	—	71.2	—

21.—Summary of Working Conditions of Office Employees in Manufacturing Industries, as at Oct. 1, 1949-51, and Apr. 1, 1953

Source: Annual Survey of Working Conditions, Economics and Research Branch, Department of Labour.

Item	Percentage of Office Employees			
	Apr. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1951	Oct. 1, 1950	Oct. 1, 1949
Plant Coverage..... No.	183,000	160,000	138,000	133,000
Standard Weekly Hours—				
Under 37½.....	19.4	20.9	20.3	16.8
37½.....	30.1	28.5	26.5	29.0
Over 37½ and under 40.....	19.1	17.3	15.0	17.0
40.....	21.2	20.5	21.7	19.1
Over 40.....	10.2	12.8	16.5	18.1
Employees on a 5-day week.....	84.1	75.9	69.7	67.5
Compensation for Overtime Work—				
Employees in establishments reporting—				
Compensating time off.....	11.8	—	—	—
Remuneration at straight-time rates.....	21.4	14.6	12.0	—
Remuneration at higher than straight-time rates.....	21.1	14.7	11.2	—
Meal allowance ¹	41.4	—	47.9	—
Other provisions.....	2.1	—	—	—

For footnote, see end of table.