

Domestic Radio Program Service.—During the year ended Mar. 31, 1958, about 1,617 programs representing 497.5 hours of broadcasting were presented each week over the CBC Trans-Canada, Dominion and French radio networks. Of the total broadcasting hours in 1957-58, 71 p.c. was scheduled on the Trans-Canada network; the Dominion network released 6 p.c. and the remainder was released on the French network.

The CBC originated and produced 94 p.c. of its network broadcasts. Of the remainder, 1 p.c. came from private stations and 5 p.c. were exchange programs from the United States and the British Broadcasting Corporation. An analysis of network programs by categories for 1957-58 shows that a large proportion of CBC radio network time was devoted to music—an estimated 44 p.c.; 61 p.c. of programs broadcast were predominantly entertainment programs (music, drama, sports, creative arts, etc.); 25 p.c. were predominantly information programs (news and weather, farm and fisheries, science, nature, etc.); and 14 p.c. were predominantly idea or opinion programs. Table 11 presents an estimate of the hours of radio programs by category. The figures are based on programs on all three CBC radio networks, 'live', recorded, or recorded for later presentation. They do not include the 'delayed' presentation of programs that are transmitted at different times by different sections of the network to meet the convenience of listeners in the various time zones. However, they do include regional programming presented on sections of the network exclusively for listeners in the areas served by such regional breakdowns of the network. The classifications in this table are based on the predominant function of each program although many programs serve more than one interest at the same time.

11.—Classification of CBC Radio Programs, Year Ended Mar. 31, 1958

Class of Program	Hours per Week	Distribution of Hours	Class of Program	Hours per Week	Distribution of Hours
	No.	p.c.		No.	p.c.
Music, light.....	154	31	School and youth education.....	15	3
Music, serious.....	59	12	Political and controversial.....	8	2
News and weather.....	59	12	Miscellaneous information.....	14	3
Miscellaneous entertainment.....	41	8	Other countries.....	7	2
Drama.....	35	7	Social and human relations.....	3	--
Farm and fisheries.....	26	5	Science and nature.....	1	--
Canadian ideas and heritage.....	20	4	Other.....	3	--
Religious.....	20	4			
Home and hobby.....	15	3			
Sports.....	18	4			
			Totals..	498	100

Domestic Television Program Service.—During the year ended Mar. 31, 1958, the CBC English-language television network presented 54.25 hours of programming a week. Of this, 57 p.c. was produced by CBC, 39 p.c. was drawn from sources in the United States, 2 p.c. from non-CBC sources in Canada, and 2 p.c. from the United Kingdom and other countries. Of the 65.2 hours presented by the CBC French-language television network each week, 72 p.c. originated with the CBC, 3 p.c. with other Canadian sources, and 15 p.c. with sources in France. The remaining 10 p.c. was procured in the United States, the United Kingdom and other countries.