

16.—Principal Statistics of the Manufacturing Industries classified by Size of Establishment and Type of Ownership, 1958—concluded

Size of Establishment and Type of Ownership	Estab-lish-ments	Em-ployees	Salaries and Wages	Cost of Fuel and Electricity	Cost at Plant of Materials Used	Selling Value of Factory Shipments
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$
\$25,000 to \$99,999	9,948	67,782	173,402,680	12,386,956	253,909,650	533,337,633
Individual ownership.....	4,292	25,447	60,553,864	4,801,476	106,077,641	209,603,351
Partnerships.....	1,551	10,789	27,246,228	1,837,187	37,781,799	81,487,492
Incorporated companies.....	3,583	29,488	80,929,488	5,440,079	89,445,229	213,645,959
Co-operatives.....	265	917	1,673,537	308,214	13,444,691	16,332,031
Not classifiable ¹	257	1,141	2,999,563	—	7,160,290	12,268,800
\$100,000 to \$199,999	8,833	184,460	552,930,180	38,501,822	1,051,894,078	2,023,062,871
Individual ownership.....	990	12,657	32,687,760	3,289,494	112,760,362	168,812,941
Partnerships.....	664	11,417	32,735,307	2,256,057	70,351,644	127,606,198
Incorporated companies.....	6,614	155,282	474,748,207	31,464,343	776,394,755	1,606,982,613
Co-operatives.....	471	3,477	8,082,912	1,391,928	82,667,155	100,305,443
Not classifiable ¹	94	1,627	4,675,994	—	9,720,162	19,355,676
\$500,000 or Over	5,439	1,012,842	4,040,297,181	494,724,396	10,458,142,492	19,482,530,649
Individual ownership.....	36	2,134	5,548,701	331,216	20,593,834	31,353,927
Partnerships.....	54	3,217	9,433,313	521,274	33,795,637	50,790,603
Incorporated companies.....	5,217	998,924	3,994,464,487	490,474,818	10,228,014,434	19,147,520,662
Co-operatives.....	120	6,556	22,650,313	3,397,088	163,673,083	215,818,368
Not classifiable ¹	12	2,011	8,200,367	—	12,065,504	37,047,089
Totals	36,741	1,290,602	4,808,496,160	549,358,532	11,821,567,871	22,163,186,308

¹ See text on p. 654.

Subsection 4.—Leading Manufacturing Industries

The ranks of the ten leading industries in 1959, from the standpoint of selling value of factory shipments, are compared with their respective ranks in significant years since 1929 in the following statement:—

Industry	Rank in—							
	1929	1933	1939	1944	1949	1958	1959	
Pulp and paper.....	1	1	2	5	1	1	1	
Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining.....	9	2	1	2	3	3	2	
Petroleum products.....	10	6	6	14	5	2	3	
Slaughtering and meat packing.....	2	3	3	1	2	4	4	
Motor vehicles.....	4	11	5	7	4	5	5	
Primary iron and steel.....	16	31	11	13	8	6	6	
Sawmills.....	5	14	8	11	6	7	7	
Butter and cheese.....	6	5	4	10	7	8	8	
Miscellaneous electrical apparatus and supplies.....	1	1	1	1	19	10	9	
Sheet metal products.....	2	2	2	2	2	13	10	

¹ Not classified separately but included with electrical apparatus and supplies.

² Did not rank among the forty leading industries.

A prominent feature of Canadian manufacturing development during this period has been the advance of the petroleum products industry to one of the top three places and the advance of primary iron and steel and non-ferrous metal smelting, particularly since the war years. During the past few years there has been little change in the ranking of the major industries. In 1959 compared with 1958, non-ferrous metal smelting and refining moved up to second place and petroleum products dropped from second to third place. Aircraft and parts moved down from ninth place to seventeenth and sheet metal products advanced to take its place as the tenth leading industry.