

regions. For example, the spending of millions of dollars on oil refineries and pipelines in Western Canada means activity in the steel industries of Ontario as well as construction activity in the western provinces.

4.—Capital and Repair Expenditures, by Province, 1962 and 1963

NOTE.—Actual expenditures 1962; preliminary actual 1963.

(Millions of dollars)

Province and Year	Capital			Repair			Capital and Repair		
	Con- struction	Ma- chinery and Equip- ment	Total	Con- struction	Ma- chinery and Equip- ment	Total	Con- struction	Ma- chinery and Equip- ment	Total
Newfoundland.....1962	177	84	261	23	21	44	200	105	305
.....1963	131	66	227	29	25	54	190	91	281
Prince Edward Island.....1962	30	13	43	8	5	13	38	18	56
.....1963	29	16	45	9	5	14	38	21	59
Nova Scotia.....1962	154	69	223	51	40	91	205	109	314
.....1963	162	84	246	55	42	97	217	126	343
New Brunswick.....1962	117	62	179	38	36	74	155	98	253
.....1963	115	77	192	42	40	82	157	117	274
Quebec.....1962	1,512	642	2,154	379	413	792	1,891	1,055	2,946
.....1963	1,569	712	2,281	386	411	797	1,955	1,123	3,078
Ontario.....1962	1,936	1,118	3,054	512	631	1,143	2,448	1,749	4,197
.....1963	2,045	1,190	3,205	540	657	1,197	2,585	1,817	4,402
Manitoba.....1962	278	146	424	83	89	172	361	235	596
.....1963	348	166	514	82	93	175	430	259	689
Saskatchewan.....1962	332	181	513	85	86	171	417	267	684
.....1963	353	245	598	86	93	179	439	338	777
Alberta.....1962	653	284	937	167	133	300	820	417	1,237
.....1963	694	293	987	159	134	293	853	427	1,280
British Columbia.....1962	598	329	927	162	199	361	760	528	1,288
.....1963	673	344	1,017	158	207	365	831	551	1,382
Totals.....1962	5,787	2,928	8,715	1,508	1,653	3,161	7,295	4,581	11,876
.....1963	6,149	3,163	9,312	1,546	1,707	3,253	7,695	4,870	12,565

Section 2.—Construction Statistics

Subsection 1.—Value of Construction Work Performed

Statistics of the construction industry are based largely on information received at the same time and from the same sources as the data on capital expenditures that appear in Section 1.* The data represent the estimated total value of all new and repair construction performed by contractors; by labour forces of utility, manufacturing, mining and logging firms; and by government departments, home-owner builders and other persons or firms not primarily engaged in the construction industry.

Table 5 shows the value of new and repair construction work performed during the ten-year period 1954-63, and Table 6 shows that contractors account for 75 p.c. to 80 p.c. of the work performed each year.

* An explanation of sources and methods is given in DBS annual report *Construction in Canada* (Catalogue No. 64-201).