

by class of builder are approximations only. All estimates given for cost of materials used are based on ratios of this item to total value of work performed, derived from annual surveys of construction work and applied to the total value-of-work figures. Estimates of labour content are similarly based but, in addition, are adjusted to include working owners and partners and their withdrawals. Although the ratios were calculated in some detail by type of industry, still further refinements are required. There are also some difficulties in obtaining the precise location of projects undertaken or to be undertaken by large companies operating in a number of provinces. However, if used with these qualifications in mind, the table provides useful estimates.

8.—Labour Content, Cost of Materials and Value of Work Performed in Construction, by Province and by Employer, 1962 and 1963 with Totals for 1959-63

NOTE.—Actual expenditures 1959-62; preliminary actual 1963. Comparable figures from 1953 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1957-58 edition.

Province or Employer and Year	Labour Content		Cost of Materials Used	Value of Work Performed	
	Number	Value			
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Province					
Newfoundland.....	1962	14,462	66,792	88,646	199,786
	1963	13,603	63,607	84,606	190,426
Prince Edward Island.....	1962	3,047	11,414	19,166	38,741
	1963	2,953	11,257	18,875	37,735
Nova Scotia.....	1962	17,283	67,817	98,412	205,146
	1963	17,817	71,508	102,679	217,188
New Brunswick.....	1962	13,972	52,142	77,604	155,321
	1963	13,798	52,787	77,112	157,795
Quebec.....	1962	138,031	632,002	948,708	1,890,669
	1963	138,803	645,036	980,696	1,953,502
Ontario.....	1962	176,792	853,319	1,176,478	2,448,295
	1963	181,880	895,492	1,243,519	2,584,968
Manitoba.....	1962	27,098	124,109	174,007	361,112
	1963	30,725	144,877	204,727	430,047
Saskatchewan.....	1962	30,080	140,254	200,247	416,984
	1963	30,950	147,321	211,032	440,190
Alberta.....	1962	55,669	263,049	373,472	820,209
	1963	55,871	272,229	381,229	853,017
British Columbia.....	1962	52,487	264,772	350,998	759,776
	1963	55,786	286,142	384,503	830,494
Totals.....	1959	571,912	2,378,214	3,367,254	7,077,383
	1960	541,191	2,336,891	3,251,622	6,886,255
	1961	530,854	2,349,229	3,273,513	6,974,379
	1962	528,921	2,475,670	3,507,738	7,296,039
	1963	542,186	2,593,256	3,688,978	7,695,362
Employer					
Contractors.....	1962	381,526	1,803,234	2,809,407	5,709,666
	1963	401,479	1,939,273	3,010,085	6,158,122
Utilities.....	1962	64,981	327,132	377,500	763,298
	1963	62,966	322,798	371,943	752,318
Governments.....	1962	53,434	216,760	161,775	492,320
	1963	50,325	208,007	152,582	465,321
Others.....	1962	28,980	128,544	159,056	330,755
	1963	27,416	123,178	154,368	319,601