

construction was 20.9 p.c. higher, with new construction up 21.5 p.c. and repairs up 11.5 p.c. Non-residential construction increased 4.1 p.c., industrial construction showing a gain of 28.8 p.c. and commercial construction a decline of 2.0 p.c. No change was recorded in institutional and government construction. All provinces except Alberta recorded gains in 1963, the largest percentage increases being shown by the Atlantic Provinces. Table 11 shows the value of building permits issued in each of 50 municipalities for 1962 and 1963.

11.—Estimated Value of Proposed Construction as Indicated by Building Permits Issued in 50 Municipalities, 1962 and 1963

NOTE.—Comparable figures for 1956-60 are given in the 1962 Year Book, p. 684, and for 1961 in the 1963-64 Year Book, p. 692.

Province and Municipality	1962	1963	Province and Municipality	1962	1963
	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000	\$'000
Newfoundland—			Ontario—concluded		
St. John's.....	12,521	17,765	Port Arthur.....	11,178	9,146
Prince Edward Island—			Scarborough Township.....	53,189	52,411
Charlottetown.....	2,724	7,320	Toronto.....	107,346	121,774
Nova Scotia—			Toronto Township.....	26,096	31,329
Halifax.....	15,835	14,574	Windsor.....	9,844	17,199
New Brunswick—			York North Township.....	124,050	131,720
Fredericton.....	5,386	3,632	York Township.....	9,006	17,153
Moncton.....	7,644	10,381	Manitoba—		
Saint John.....	4,474	6,753	Fort Garry.....		
Quebec—			St. Boniface.....	82,847 ¹	100,404
LaSalle.....	7,976	11,066	St. James.....		
Montreal.....	170,715	185,023	Winnipeg.....		
Quebec.....	34,557	17,551	Saskatchewan—		
St. Laurent.....	10,811	18,205	Moose Jaw.....	4,129	3,392
Ste. Foy.....	18,007	21,891	Prince Albert.....	5,573	806
Sept Îles.....	5,802	1,793	Regina.....	29,902	35,918
Sherbrooke.....	13,337	20,727	Saskatoon.....	24,093	24,163
Trois Rivières.....	9,424	10,003	Alberta—		
Ontario—			Calgary.....	87,918	90,977
Brampton.....	13,483	21,427	Edmonton.....	90,250	75,774
Burlington.....	12,602	17,084	Jasper Place.....	11,327	12,724
Etobicoke Township.....	67,050	88,669	Lethbridge.....	9,243	6,888
Hamilton.....	42,781	50,951	Medicine Hat.....	5,607	4,533
Kitchener.....	16,262	23,451	Red Deer.....	10,326	11,029
London.....	47,976	48,904	British Columbia—		
London Township.....	448	660	Burnaby District.....	20,840	17,114
Nepean Township.....	20,293	18,854	Richmond Township.....	5,416	8,966
Oshawa.....	9,660	21,296	Surrey District.....	8,162	9,100
Ottawa.....	66,163	105,218	Vancouver.....	44,397	55,828
			Victoria.....	12,608	10,088

¹ Metropolitan Corporation of Greater Winnipeg.

Table 12 shows the value of building permits issued in 17 metropolitan areas across Canada. In 1963 the permits issued in these areas made up 68.6 p.c. of the total for Canada.

12.—Estimated Value of Building Permits Issued in Metropolitan Areas, 1962 and 1963

Metropolitan Area	1962	1963	Metropolitan Area	1962	1963
	\$'000	\$'000		\$'000	\$'000
St. John's ¹	12,521	17,765	Sudbury.....	21,695	15,969
Halifax.....	30,523	30,127	London.....	51,578	52,087
Saint John.....	4,936	15,413	Windsor.....	21,811	30,682
Quebec.....	76,926	71,182	Winnipeg.....	82,847	100,494
Montreal.....	404,777	470,301	Calgary.....	89,579	93,945
Ottawa-Hull.....	109,746	141,305	Edmonton.....	113,073	98,871
Toronto.....	441,739	499,738	Vancouver.....	119,174	138,794
Hamilton.....	63,234	76,991	Victoria.....	30,924	31,651
Kitchener.....	36,059	52,489			

¹ Although this is a metropolitan area, only St. John's proper is included in the building permits survey.