

other 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, 1963 and 1964

NOTE.—Actual expenditures 1963; preliminary actual 1964.

(Millions of dollars)

Province and Year	Capital			Repair			Capital and Repair		
	Con- struc- tion	Ma- chinery and Equip- ment	Total	Con- struc- tion	Ma- chinery and Equip- ment	Total	Con- struc- tion	Ma- chinery and Equip- ment	Total
Newfoundland.....1963	159	77	236	26	27	53	185	104	289
.....1964	166	69	235	29	34	63	195	103	298
Prince Edward Island.....1963	30	13	43	9	5	14	39	18	57
.....1964	26	15	41	8	5	13	34	20	54
Nova Scotia.....1963	156	78	234	57	42	99	213	120	333
.....1964	162	104	266	56	45	101	218	149	367
New Brunswick.....1963	118	71	189	40	41	81	158	112	270
.....1964	156	101	257	42	44	86	198	145	343
Quebec.....1963	1,581	720	2,301	383	443	826	1,964	1,163	3,127
.....1964	1,941	806	2,747	396	455	851	2,337	1,261	3,598
Ontario.....1963	2,088	1,194	3,282	532	684	1,216	2,620	1,878	4,498
.....1964	2,227	1,447	3,674	589	743	1,332	2,816	2,190	5,006
Manitoba.....1963	321	170	491	82	102	184	403	272	675
.....1964	354	193	547	88	102	190	442	295	737
Saskatchewan.....1963	353	250	603	92	95	187	445	345	790
.....1964	375	280	655	92	99	191	467	379	846
Alberta.....1963	690	305	995	172	143	315	862	448	1,310
.....1964	759	322	1,081	159	146	305	918	468	1,386
British Columbia.....1963	661	358	1,019	166	215	381	827	573	1,400
.....1964	845	479	1,324	180	231	411	1,025	710	1,735
Totals.....1963	6,157	3,236	9,393	1,559	1,797	3,356	7,716	5,033	12,749
.....1964	7,011	3,816	10,827	1,639	1,904	3,543	8,650	5,720	14,370

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 1955-64, and Table 6 shows that contractors account for from 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).