

## 35.—Total Sales and Indexes of Sales of Retail Merchandise

No.	Province or Kind of Business.	Total Sales.	
		1930.	1931.
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		\$	\$
1	Prince Edward Island.....	13,774	11,538
2	Nova Scotia.....	99,520	89,855
3	New Brunswick.....	84,372	71,691
4	Quebec.....	651,138	562,393
5	Ontario.....	1,099,990	950,891
6	Manitoba.....	189,244	153,978
7	Saskatchewan.....	189,181	134,032
8	Alberta.....	176,537	135,095
9	British Columbia.....	248,598	207,552
10	Yukon and Northwest Territories.....	3,216	2,910
	<b>Canada</b> .....	<b>2,755,570</b>	<b>2,319,935</b>
	<b>Food Group.</b>		
11	Bakery product stores (manufacturing bakeries not included).....	11,028	9,697
12	Candy and confectionery stores.....	54,176	43,933
13	Dairy product dealers (other than manufacturing dairies).....	37,174	33,309
14	Fruit and vegetable stores.....	16,293	14,611
15	Grocery and combination stores.....	405,403	360,873
16	Meat markets (including sea foods).....	83,026	66,035
17	Other food stores.....	8,376	6,721
	<b>Totals, Food Group</b> .....	<b>615,476</b>	<b>535,179</b>
18	<b>Country General Stores</b> .....	<b>228,804</b>	<b>185,399</b>
	<b>General Merchandise Group.</b>		
19	Department stores.....	355,259	312,739
20	Dry goods stores.....	31,706	27,555
21	General merchandise stores.....	20,366	17,073
22	Variety stores.....	44,212	43,564
	<b>Totals, General Merchandise Group</b> .....	<b>451,543</b>	<b>400,931</b>
	<b>Automotive Group.</b>		
23	Motor vehicle dealers.....	253,608	186,876
24	Accessories, tires and batteries.....	10,956	8,918
25	Filling stations.....	66,449	60,465
26	Garages.....	47,560	38,967
27	Other automotive establishments (including motorcycles, bicycles and supplies).....	3,386	2,604
	<b>Totals, Automotive Group</b> .....	<b>381,959</b>	<b>297,830</b>