

As is to be expected, the smaller establishments, regardless of type of products manufactured, are usually carried on under individual ownership. In that category, industries conducted on a small scale contain a large number of establishments, the percentage decreasing as the scale of operation increases, as the following figures for 1951 and 1952 show:—

Group	1951		1952	
	Average Number of Employees per Establishment	Percentage of Individual Ownership Establishments to the Total	Average Number of Employees per Establishment	Percentage of Individual Ownership Establishments to the Total
Wood products.....	11.0	61.3	10.4	62.0
Printing, publishing and allied trades	16.1	46.5	15.6	46.1
Food and beverages.....	20.6	47.9	21.2	47.7
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries.....	24.5	33.2	22.7	36.5
Non-metallic mineral products.....	30.3	33.2	29.7	33.7
Clothing (textile and fur).....	37.5	27.6	38.7	26.4
Chemicals and allied products.....	44.0	15.8	44.4	16.8
Leather products.....	44.4	31.2	45.8	30.2
Iron and steel products.....	75.3	25.6	72.1	26.2
Textiles (except clothing).....	91.6	27.6	79.2	29.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	93.5	28.4	92.3	27.5
Tobacco and tobacco products.....	158.5	40.3	152.1	37.7
Paper products.....	151.5	10.1	152.8	8.8
Products of petroleum and coal.....	190.2	2.4	167.4	3.0
Electrical apparatus and supplies.....	181.3	12.3	172.6	12.0
Transportation equipment.....	204.5	32.4	237.2	28.4
Rubber products.....	344.1	9.0	308.3	10.0
ALL GROUPS.....	34.0	44.6	34.0	43.2

14.—Percentage Distribution of Establishments in Manufacturing Industries,<sup>1</sup> classified by Type of Ownership, by Province and Industrial Group, 1951 and 1952, with Totals for 1946-52.

Year and Province	Individual Ownership	Partnerships	Incorporated Companies	Co-operatives	Total
	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
1946 (estimated).....	47.3	16.0	33.4	3.3	100.0
1947.....	46.4	16.1	34.3	3.2	100.0
1948.....	46.2	16.4	34.4	3.0	100.0
1949.....	46.0	15.8	35.3	2.9	100.0
1950.....	45.6	15.0	36.3	3.1	100.0
<b>1951</b>					
<b>PROVINCE—</b>					
Newfoundland.....	49.5	34.0	16.3	0.2	100.0
Prince Edward Island.....	47.2	19.6	26.0	7.2	100.0
Nova Scotia.....	51.5	16.5	29.8	2.2	100.0
New Brunswick.....	53.7	12.0	31.0	3.3	100.0
Quebec.....	49.9	11.3	34.5	4.3	100.0
Ontario.....	39.1	16.1	42.5	2.3	100.0
Manitoba.....	40.3	15.8	42.0	1.9	100.0
Saskatchewan.....	57.5	15.8	21.2	5.5	100.0
Alberta.....	52.2	20.4	24.4	3.0	100.0
British Columbia.....	34.7	20.1	43.9	1.3	100.0
Yukon and Northwest Territories.....	61.1	11.1	27.8	—	100.0
<b>Canada, 1951.....</b>	<b>44.6</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>36.9</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<sup>1</sup> Four main categories of ownership only; the non-classifiable group is not included.