

12.—Value of Construction Contracts Awarded by Province and Type of Construction 1951-55

(SOURCE: MacLean Building Reports Limited)

Province and Type of Construction	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland.....	10,509,400	21,985,300	8,549,700	12,253,700	39,140,200
Prince Edward Island.....	3,251,000	3,489,000	1,254,300	3,899,500	3,157,600
Nova Scotia.....	67,837,000	78,502,000	54,355,800	71,841,400	55,259,600
New Brunswick.....	20,983,900	25,177,000	28,602,000	46,225,300	100,127,200
Quebec.....	480,106,000	397,931,400	539,818,600	538,079,200	778,843,900
Ontario.....	1,017,426,900	732,768,100	849,812,400	939,746,400	1,300,287,700
Manitoba.....	91,157,700	95,690,300	80,455,700	119,828,600	97,164,600
Saskatchewan.....	39,604,700	59,170,000	75,724,400	76,375,200	63,037,200
Alberta.....	183,075,100	231,191,300	215,010,900	219,205,000	230,309,700
British Columbia.....	381,547,500	166,273,200	163,476,900	127,504,900	516,264,300
Totals.....	2,295,499,200	1,812,177,600	2,017,060,700	2,154,959,200	3,183,592,000
RESIDENTIAL—					
Apartments.....	55,819,900	101,865,300	130,462,400	151,316,400	179,720,400
Residences.....	381,289,800	409,637,400	602,296,900	748,700,400	1,036,704,700
TOTALS, RESIDENTIAL.....	437,109,700	511,502,700	732,759,300	900,016,800	1,216,425,100
BUSINESS—					
Churches.....	25,274,900	26,455,700	32,009,200	44,540,900	37,759,300
Public garages.....	10,838,000	15,958,100	17,298,400	20,798,400	25,748,900
Hospitals.....	85,746,400	56,175,300	69,047,600	62,883,500	77,604,400
Hotels and clubs.....	32,095,700	23,055,600	32,399,800	39,171,000	93,955,400
Office buildings.....	29,108,200	39,640,300	78,035,900	81,715,500	99,842,900
Public buildings.....	150,483,700	149,351,000	111,235,600	120,018,500	102,191,400
Schools.....	139,938,800	130,398,800	119,009,200	169,059,600	174,688,800
Stores.....	33,497,100	41,999,300	81,197,300	76,592,300	93,939,200
Theatres.....	2,713,900	3,116,900	3,075,300	3,069,400	2,221,800
Warehouses.....	37,985,400	40,243,900	70,501,400	77,123,300	53,212,700
TOTALS, BUSINESS.....	547,682,100	526,394,900	613,809,700	694,972,400	761,162,800
INDUSTRIAL.....	451,753,200	245,851,100	230,925,800	169,650,100	386,410,300
ENGINEERING—					
Bridges.....	19,340,400	37,569,700	14,858,700	21,219,300	47,147,300
Dams and wharves.....	32,155,000	59,257,500	63,592,100	30,649,100	106,319,200
Sewers and water mains.....	63,333,300	44,919,300	46,385,500	59,394,600	70,341,900
Roads and streets.....	94,621,900	113,015,000	97,964,200	113,919,500	176,164,600
General engineering.....	649,503,600	273,867,400	216,765,400	165,137,400	419,620,800
TOTALS, ENGINEERING.....	858,954,200	528,628,900	439,565,900	390,319,900	819,593,800

Building Permits.—The estimated value of proposed construction as indicated by building permits issued in 204 municipalities in 1955 amounted to \$1,309,024,449, an increase of 14 p.c. over the 1954 estimate of \$1,151,087,193. The 1954 figure was 6 p.c. above the \$1,088,879,902 reported for 1953.

13.—Estimated Value of Proposed Construction as Indicated by Building Permits Issued in 204 Municipalities 1954 and 1955

Province and Municipality	1954	1955	Province and Municipality	1954	1955
	\$	\$		\$	\$
Prince Edward Island—					
Charlottetown.....	1,542,100	3,818,550	Liverpool.....	114,770	938,750
Nova Scotia—			New Glasgow.....	85,355 ¹	12,450
Amherst.....	369,970	386,765	New Waterford.....	25,000	99,450
Bridgewater.....	208,790	326,450	North Sydney.....	172,950	3,138,370
Dartmouth.....	3,194,575	4,289,155	Sydney.....	983,986	55,100
Glace Bay.....	218,122	184,499	Sydney Mines.....	86,075	1,048,270
Halifax.....	10,045,230	7,590,900	Truro.....	605,710	171,810
			Yarmouth.....	142,020	

¹ January to June only.