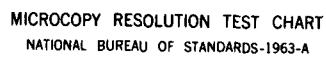


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EXPLANATORY NOTES

1.

1. The figures detailed in this bulletin supersede any previous information supplied on these matters.
2. The last three month's figures or the last quarter's figures for any table should be regarded as preliminary and subject to revision.
3. Tables in the section comparing various countries should be regarded as rough comparisons only due to different techniques in constructing the indexes in different countries. Figures for various states or areas within a country should also be regarded as rough comparisons only as different state awards may include different components.
4. Certain indexes have been constructed on classifications which have been revised during the period covered by the indexes. These indexes have been linked on a reasonably comparable basis wherever possible. Any exceptions have been noted in footnotes to the relevant tables.
5. In some cases indexes of specific components of an industry group are shown as well as that of the industry as a whole. This latter index may contain additional components not shown and the components shown contribute varying weights. Therefore it is not possible to make a strict comparison between an industry index and components of that industry index.
6. In cases where wage rates are expressed in currencies other than that of the country to which the rate is applicable these have been converted using the exchange rate current at the time the data was obtained. For this reason variations in the figures may be expected as the result of recent major currency re-alignments.
7. Although later data appears in some of the tables, escalation rates have been calculated to alleviate the possibility of seasonal fluctuations.
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AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF ALL MALE EMPLOYEES - AUSTRALIA

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6302.0)

QUARTER	Survey Reference Date	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	AUSTRALIA
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1981- September December	14 August 23 October	- 308.60	- 285.90	- 290.00	- 276.10	- 291.90	- 275.80	- -	- -	383.30 (a) 296.00 (b)
1982- March June September December	19 February 21 May 20 August 19 November	323.20 334.50 338.80 345.30	303.60 309.80 324.50 332.60	306.30 315.90 320.10 328.10	293.80 294.70 306.40 316.20	313.90 330.40 338.00 343.80	295.60 312.00 314.10 321.10	342.80 369.60 378.60 376.80	354.50 383.00 380.90 397.00	312.40 322.30 329.90 (c) 337.60
1983- March June September December	18 February 20 May 19 August 18 November	348.10 352.30 361.20 372.00	334.70 338.90 344.70 358.80	333.70 333.00 337.20 348.40	321.10 319.80 328.50 342.00	351.80 345.30 351.60 366.70	333.00 337.10 329.30 347.00	379.90 385.00 393.20 402.00	401.90 398.40 393.90 399.10	341.00 343.30 349.70 362.00
1984- March June September	17 February 18 May 17 August	379.80 390.70 396.40	367.60 380.60 387.10	353.60 372.70 366.50	351.90 364.00 364.50	378.90 391.20 390.00	358.10 371.40 365.30	411.60 428.50 426.00	411.10 436.60 433.90	370.60 383.80 386.20

(a) Individual State details are not available. (b) Includes ACT and NT.

Note: (1) As from September Quarter 1981, average weekly earnings estimates are compiled from a survey of employers. The former series based on payroll tax and other returns are no longer compiled.

(2) It should be emphasised that figures of average weekly earnings are derived by dividing estimates of gross earnings by estimates of employment. The averages may be affected not only by changes in the level of earnings by employees but also by changes to the overall composition of the labour force such as variations in employment levels, occupation distribution and proportions of part-time, casual and junior employees.

TABLE 2

3.

INDEXES OF WEEKLY AWARD RATES OF PAY - ADULT MALES - AUSTRALIA

JUNE 1976 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics - (Cat. No. 6312.0)

End of	Federal Award	State Awards
June -		
1976	100.0	100.0
1977	110.1	110.7
1978	117.4	118.2
1979	128.1	127.5
1980	138.9	136.3
1981	156.8	155.1
1982	181.1	175.7
1983	187.6	184.2
1984	204.0	201.2
1982 -		
October	186.0	181.3
November	186.9	182.1
December	187.1	183.3
1983 -		
January	187.2	183.5
February	187.2	183.6
March	187.3	183.8
April	187.4	184.0
May	187.6	184.0
June	187.6	184.2
July	187.6	184.2
August	187.6	184.3
September	187.6	184.5
October	195.9	192.6
November	195.9	192.6
December	195.9	192.7
1984 -		
January	195.9	192.7
February	195.9	193.0
March	195.9	193.0
April	203.9	201.1
May	204.0	201.2
June	204.0	201.2
July	204.1	201.2
August	204.1	201.3
September	204.1	201.3
October	204.1	201.3
Annual Change (%)	4.2	4.5

Note: The Australian Bureau of Statistics has replaced the previous series: INDEX OF AND WEEKLY WAGE RATES - ADULT MALES - AUSTRALIA, with the above series. The indexes shown above have a wider coverage of award designations and are based on a more up-to-date occupation structure than the previous series.

TABLE 3

4.

INDEX OF AND AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATES - WAGES EMPLOYEES

GARDEN ISLAND AND WILLIAMSTOWN DOCKYARDS

1980-81 = 100

Source: Garden Island and Williamstown Dockyards

Period	Garden Island		Williamstown	
	Wages \$	Index	Wages \$	Index
1973-74	2.52	45.1	2.66	45.9
1974-75	3.21	57.4	3.39	58.4
1975-76	3.56	63.7	3.73	64.3
1976-77	3.96	70.8	4.17	71.9
1977-78	4.33	77.5	4.58	79.0
1978-79	4.62	82.6	4.72	81.4
1979-80	4.97	88.9	5.09	87.8
1980-81	5.59	100.0	5.80	100.0
1981-82	6.57	117.5	6.78	116.9
1982-83	7.65	136.9	8.20	141.4
1983-84	7.97	142.6	8.81	151.9
1981-82				
October	6.22	111.3	6.50	112.1
November	6.25	111.8	6.54	112.8
December	6.70	119.9	6.75	116.4
January	6.89	123.3	7.03	121.2
February	6.78	121.3	7.01	120.9
March	6.79	121.5	7.09	122.2
April	6.83	122.2	7.08	122.1
May	6.79	121.5	7.10	122.4
June	7.15	127.9	7.07	121.9
1982-83				
July	7.42	132.7	7.53	129.8
August	7.40	132.4	7.77	134.0
September	7.39	132.2	7.61	131.2
October	7.46	133.5	8.02	138.3
November	7.70	137.7	8.10	139.7
December	7.62	136.3	8.24	142.1
January	7.76	138.8	8.40	144.8
February	7.75	138.6	8.55	147.4
March	7.78	139.2	8.45	145.7
April	7.87	140.8	8.45	145.7
May	7.83	140.1	8.64	149.0
June	7.85	140.4	8.61	148.4
1983-84				
July	7.73	138.3	8.60	148.3
August	7.67	137.2	8.50	146.6
September	7.71	137.9	8.43	145.4
October	7.68	137.4	8.52	146.9
November	7.72	138.1	8.51	146.8
December	8.00	143.1	8.86	152.8
January	8.12	145.2	8.87	153.0
February	8.08	144.5	8.98	154.9
March	8.15	145.8	9.00	155.3
April	8.07	144.3	8.92	153.9
May	8.36	149.5	9.22	159.0
June	8.40	150.2	9.30	160.4
1984-85				
July	8.60	153.8	9.28 (p)	160.0
August	8.75	156.5	9.27 (p)	159.9
September	8.85	158.2	9.25	159.5
October	8.68	155.2	-	-
November	8.84	158.1	-	-

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TABLE 4

5.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION MATERIALS

AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Conductors	Conduit and	Switchboards	All	All
Value	Weight(a)	Accessories	and	Electrical	Electrical
	20.96%	9.87%	Switch Gear	Materials	Materials
			28.92%	Excluding	100%
				Lamps	
				and Light	
				Fittings	
1980-81	105.2	112.5	111.9	109.7	109.7
1981-82	115.7	119.9	126.1	121.4	122.0
1982-83	135.4	130.9	142.9	138.3	138.4
1983-84	150.8	143.7	151.7	150.1	149.0
1981-82					
July	105.5	117.6	120.3	114.6	115.1
August	110.0	117.6	120.7	116.4	116.2
September	110.8	117.8	121.0	116.9	117.9
October	112.3	118.6	121.3	117.7	118.5
November	114.3	118.9	122.0	118.8	119.1
December	116.2	118.8	123.3	120.1	120.0
January	116.0	119.1	125.3	121.0	122.4
February	116.6	120.0	126.5	121.9	123.6
March	118.2	121.1	132.2	125.5	125.8
April	121.5	121.4	131.9	126.5	127.5
May	123.9	123.2	132.8	128.1	128.7
June	122.7	124.3	135.6	129.2	129.1
1982-83					
July	123.0	125.1	135.7	129.5	130.6
August	126.7	126.0	136.3	131.2	132.2
September	127.8	129.6	139.5	133.8	134.7
October	131.1	129.9	140.4	135.4	136.3
November	132.8	130.5	140.6	136.2	136.8
December	138.1	132.8	145.1	140.6	139.7
January	139.0	132.7	145.3	141.0	140.3
February	138.4	132.3	145.4	140.8	140.2
March	138.7	132.7	145.9	141.2	140.9
April	139.9	132.7	146.0	141.7	141.7
May	142.7	132.8	146.5	142.9	143.0
June	146.8	133.9	148.0	145.3	144.3
1983-84					
July	146.3	137.1	148.4	145.8	144.8
August	144.6	140.9	148.3	145.8	145.1
September	152.1	140.6	148.0	148.2	147.2
October	148.7	140.9	148.7	147.4	146.9
November	147.0	139.9	148.8	146.7	146.6
December	149.1	140.1	151.6	148.8	147.8
January	149.1	142.6	151.8	149.3	148.8
February	147.8	144.2	152.1	149.3	149.0
March	155.1	149.3	154.3	153.8	151.9
April	157.6	149.7	156.1	155.5	153.4
May	156.0	149.7	156.1	155.0	153.0
June	156.0	149.7	156.3	155.1	153.2
1984-85					
July	159.3	150.1	156.7	156.5	154.1
August	161.1	149.6	156.6	157.0	154.4
September	161.1	150.0	155.4	156.5	155.0

(a) Composition and weighting pattern as at reference base year.

TABLE 5

6.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - METALLIC MATERIALS USED IN THE
MANUFACTURE OF FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS

Australia 1968-69 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6410.0)

Period	Iron and Steel	Aluminium	Copper and Brass	All Groups (a)
1974-75	161.1	141.9	131.1	158.4
1975-76	200.2	158.0	137.5	193.1
1976-77	227.8	176.9	158.1	219.4
1977-78	248.9	193.7	153.9	238.5
1978-79	264.9	208.9	179.2	256.2
1979-80	294.4	251.5	216.6	297.6
1980-81	336.0	281.5	209.9	330.4
1981-82	370.2	291.2	210.0	354.7
1982-83	407.7	312.2	231.1	392.8
1983-84	437.9	360.4	239.9	422.9
1981-82				
September	361.3	288.9	209.0	348.4
October	364.1	286.5	206.5	349.7
November	365.0	282.7	208.9	349.7
December	365.1	282.9	209.8	349.8
January	366.0	282.9	210.4	350.3
February	379.3	290.8	212.1	362.7
March	379.9	300.6	211.1	363.3
April	380.9	300.4	210.5	364.1
May	381.1	300.2	216.4	364.0
June	392.9	301.5	210.0	372.7
1982-83				
July	394.6	301.3	209.0	374.9
August	395.6	301.3	219.2	377.2
September	395.6	301.2	219.2	379.0
October	396.9	313.2	218.6	381.9
November	407.7	313.2	227.0	391.9
December	411.3	313.2	223.8	395.2
January	411.9	313.2	225.7	397.2
February	411.9	313.0	230.8	399.5
March	412.3	313.0	239.0	398.0
April	412.3	315.9	246.6	400.0
May	419.9	317.7	257.6	408.3
June	422.6	330.0	256.4	410.5
1983-84				
July	423.3	334.3	256.8	411.8
August	430.4	335.3	255.4	417.7
September	432.7	348.3	248.2	420.3
October	435.6	360.5	235.7	420.6
November	435.8	362.3	229.8	419.4
December	438.1	361.0	233.4	422.1
January	439.9	362.2	234.2	422.7
February	439.9	362.7	232.1	423.2
March	441.4	374.5	232.8	426.0
April	446.1	374.5	242.0	430.4
May	446.0	374.8	239.6	430.1
June	446.0	374.9	238.9	430.2
1984-85				
July	449.0	375.0	238.1	431.7
August	449.9	374.9	240.6	432.7
September	450.2	373.8	240.6	432.5
October	451.1	373.7	238.6	433.2
November	451.1	372.6	239.3	433.1
December	453.7	372.4	238.5	434.5

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 6

7.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - COPPER MATERIALS USED

IN THE MANUFACTURE OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

AUSTRALIA

1983-84 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6410.0)

Copper Materials used in the Manufacture of			
Period	Industrial	Distribution Transformers	Power Transformers
	Electric Motors		
1981-82	NA	88.3	87.1
1982-83	NA	98.0	97.0
1983-84	100.0	100.0	100.0
1983-84			
July	107.1	107.7	107.4
August	106.1	106.7	106.4
September	104.3	104.5	103.7
October	98.4	98.7	97.8
November	94.9	95.1	94.3
December	98.2	97.3	97.7
January	98.2	97.3	97.3
February	96.6	96.2	95.9
March	97.1	97.2	96.6
April	100.6	100.5	101.8
May	98.6	99.3	100.4
June	99.6	99.5	100.6
1984-85			
July	99.1	99.0	100.4
August	100.2	100.1	101.7
September	100.2	100.1	101.4
October	98.6	98.4	99.7
November	99.6	99.5	100.6
December	99.1	99.8	100.5

TABLE 7

8.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING

OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING

AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

	Wood and and Wood Products	Joinery Products(a)	Basic Iron and Steel	Structural Metal Products	Other Fabricated Metal Products
0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1	114.3	114.7	113.2	113.9	112.9
2	126.5	127.7	126.6	126.4	126.2
3	140.0	141.8	138.9	138.0	141.9
4	150.2	151.9	146.0	144.1	154.8
2					
ber	120.4	120.9	121.2	120.3	119.7
r	120.8	121.4	121.4	121.6	121.0
er	122.8	124.0	123.2	122.7	121.7
er	124.0	125.2	123.8	123.4	123.3
y	124.2	125.4	124.0	123.6	124.2
ry	125.5	126.5	126.4	126.3	125.7
	129.8	131.6	129.9	129.3	129.3
	130.9	132.0	130.6	130.9	131.7
	132.3	133.6	131.0	131.7	132.7
	132.7	134.1	133.6	132.4	133.3
	134.7	136.6	134.0	134.8	133.7
13					
	136.1	138.1	136.0	135.7	137.1
	137.4	139.3	137.2	136.6	137.6
ber	138.9	141.0	136.5	136.4	137.8
r	138.9	141.0	137.3	136.7	138.3
er	139.2	141.4	138.7	138.0	139.1
er	139.2	141.3	138.8	138.7	140.5
y	140.2	142.3	138.9	139.1	142.2
ry	140.4	142.3	139.7	139.1	143.5
	141.4	143.1	140.9	139.3	144.4
	142.2	143.7	141.3	139.1	146.5
	142	144.3	141.5	140.4	147.4
	143.2	144.5	141.6	141.4	147.9
14					
	143.6	144.7	141.6	140.8	151.1
	145.2	146.6	142.5	141.4	152.4
ber	145.7	147.5	142.6	142.1	153.2
r	146.6	148.4	143.1	143.4	153.5
er	148.3	150.5	145.6	144.2	154.2
er	149.1	151.0	146.8	144.4	154.5
y	149.4	151.2	147.4	144.4	155.0
ry	152.3	154.3	147.5	144.8	156.0
	153.5	155.0	147.3	145.3	156.2
	154.4	155.9	148.2	145.7	156.7
	156.3	158.1	149.8	146.4	157.1
	157.5	159.2	149.9	146.8	157.2
15					
	158.4	160.1	149.9	145.9	159.0
	159.8	161.7	150.7	146.7	159.0
ber	160.7	162.6	150.7	146.9	159.3

includes built-in furniture, partitions, ready-made windows and doors, and other joinery.

**AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS FOR SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
USA (\$US)**

Source: (1) Monthly Labour Review (USA)
(2) Shipbuilders Council of America

	Contract Construction	Durable Goods	Shipbuilding and Repair
	249.08	190.88	201.60
	265.35	205.09	218.80
	283.36	226.55	237.01
	295.29	248.46	250.19
	318.69	270.44	271.52
	342.99	290.90	302.97
	367.78	310.78	349.25
	399.26	343.31	382.58
	426.82	355.27	408.31
	443.42	381.77	429.65
	388.56	343.07	373.01
	395.81	346.72	366.68
	407.86	342.80	375.87
	408.41	345.32	383.66
ber	396.31	346.26	381.35
r	419.62	350.07	409.78
er	414.78	351.68	407.06
er	417.75	356.73	409.03
	385.95	336.28	350.65
y	406.39	352.93	390.66
ry	419.21	352.84	397.20
	415.44	350.45	400.79
	431.63	356.29	407.64
	430.13	360.99	401.60
	440.42	357.50	404.54
	438.42	356.33	413.60
ber	433.21	357.63	418.08
r	440.75	357.90	421.30
er	423.09	363.13	446.37
er	440.13	371.45	447.26
	440.96	367.62	440.91
y	424.80	366.81	404.62
ry	434.98	372.53	435.23
	436.73	375.19	419.89
	442.88	376.12	416.33
	446.08	381.07	422.54
	450.76	378.95	426.37
	450.68	378.39	410.55
ber	456.32	390.70	423.96
r	449.84	391.11	428.53
er	432.33	395.50	467.32
er	442.34	403.20	459.50
	438.50	398.13	-
y	443.63	398.68	-
ry	439.30	399.92	-
	448.13	402.27	-
	458.02	399.92	-
	460.88	402.14	-
	462.04	396.73	-
	462.00	395.91	-
ber	469.04	404.48	-

TABLE 18

21.

**INDEX OF AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS FOR
SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
USA**

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Labour Review - USA

	Chemicals and Allied Products	Fabricated Metal Products	Machinery Except Electrical	Instruments and Related Products	Electrical & Electronic Equipment
	58.6	63.0	63.1	61.7	59.7
	63.8	67.8	66.3	65.8	65.1
	71.1	74.3	71.6	71.9	70.7
	77.9	80.6	78.6	78.2	78.4
	85.4	86.5	86.0	84.9	84.5
	92.5	92.5	92.2	91.5	91.7
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	110.1	109.8	109.9	109.0	109.9
	118.2	114.4	112.1	116.4	116.3
	127.8	123.1	117.9	124.0	126.3
	108.0	107.5	107.8	105.0	108.1
	108.6	110.5	109.9	107.0	109.5
	109.5	111.6	110.5	107.7	110.5
	110.4	109.0	109.0	107.8	110.4
	110.5	110.7	109.7	110.8	111.8
per	114.9	109.9	110.4	111.3	111.2
:	112.9	112.1	112.2	111.5	111.5
er	113.8	112.2	113.5	113.8	112.7
er	115.6	114.8	116.4	115.4	115.4
	114.7	107.4	109.8	111.1	109.9
ty	115.5	112.2	114.2	115.3	114.5
	114.7	113.7	113.1	116.5	114.4
	115.9	112.6	112.1	115.7	113.2
	116.4	115.1	112.1	118.8	114.1
	118.0	116.0	112.2	120.1	115.5
	117.9	114.4	111.4	119.2	115.6
	118.3	115.0	111.1	121.7	116.5
per	121.9	114.7	112.2	122.0	116.6
r	121.1	115.0	111.6	121.6	117.9
er	122.1	116.5	113.2	123.9	120.0
er	124.0	119.4	116.1	127.0	122.8
	122.5	117.9	113.5	122.6	122.4
ty	123.6	117.7	113.4	122.0	121.6
	124.3	120.0	115.1	123.6	124.4
	125.7	121.1	115.6	123.2	124.7
	126.2	122.0	116.5	123.6	124.8
	127.5	123.2	118.2	123.3	126.5
	127.5	121.7	117.8	124.6	126.4
	127.2	123.8	117.9	124.3	126.3
per	129.7	126.9	121.5	127.6	129.5
r	130.2	126.7	121.9	126.6	129.5
er	132.4	128.3	124.2	127.8	131.2
er	133.7	132.0	128.5	130.2	133.7
	132.6	128.6	126.4	130.0	132.1
ty	132.4	128.9	126.9	130.0	131.8
	132.7	128.3	127.6	130.8	131.7
	133.3	129.4	128.1	130.8	131.9
	133.3	128.9	127.0	129.2	131.6
	134.0	129.5	128.0	132.2	132.2
	134.1	127.0	126.3	131.6	130.9
	134.1	127.6	125.9	132.2	132.6
per	135.3	129.5	128.3	134.1	135.4

**COST INDICES FOR THE AEROSPACE AND RADIO, RADAR
AND ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES - UNITED KINGDOM**

1975=100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) UK

Aerospace Industry (a)						
			Aero-engine and Aero-engine Parts Sector	Aero-engine Parts Sector	Aircraft Component Sector	Radio, Radar and Electronic Capital Goods Industry
Code	Aerospace Industry	Airframe Sector				
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	127.6	126.6	128.4	128.3	128.3	126.4
	140.8	140.3	141.7	141.3	140.1	141.6
	150.4	149.8	151.6	151.1	149.1	151.9
	176.6	175.1	178.7	177.5	174.7	175.7
	215.1	214.1	216.5	215.2	213.6	207.5
	236.5	236.1	237.3	236.1	235.7	231.8
	254.5	254.4	255.0	253.5	251.7	254.1
	267.4	267.8	267.3	266.7	265.9	269.3
-						
January	227.3	227.0	228.2	227.5	226.0	218.9
February	229.8	229.5	230.5	229.9	228.7	221.3
March	231.1	230.6	232.2	231.3	239.8	223.8
April	232.7	232.2	233.7	232.7	231.2	225.8
	233.7	233.2	234.5	233.6	232.2	227.9
	236.0	235.6	236.7	235.6	234.5	231.5
	237.6	237.2	238.2	237.1	236.0	234.7
September	239.8	239.4	240.6	239.1	238.3	236.3
October	240.8	240.1	241.9	240.2	238.9	237.2
November	242.5	241.9	243.3	241.6	240.5	240.2
December	243.2	242.9	243.8	242.3	241.1	241.2
	243.6	243.5	244.1	242.7	241.5	242.2
-						
January	247.5	247.3	248.1	247.4	245.5	245.5
February	249.3	249.1	249.8	249.1	247.4	247.3
March	251.3	250.9	252.1	251.2	249.3	250.2
April	253.1	252.9	253.9	253.0	251.3	252.1
	253.7	253.5	254.3	253.4	251.8	253.3
	255.5	255.4	255.9	255.0	253.8	255.5
	256.6	256.6	256.9	256.0	255.0	257.0
September	256.3	256.2	256.9	251.8	248.3	254.9
October	256.0	256.0	256.4	251.8	248.8	255.4
November	257.5	257.5	257.8	256.9	255.3	258.2
December	258.0	258.1	258.2	257.4	255.9	259.0
	259.5	259.6	259.7	259.3	257.5	260.8
-						
January	252.9	253.4	252.9	253.1	250.5	252.8
February	261.3	261.3	261.5	261.1	259.3	262.2
March	262.6	262.6	262.7	262.3	260.7	264.4
April	265.8	265.6	266.3	265.5	263.6	267.0
	267.1	266.9	267.7	266.8	265.2	268.3
	267.6	267.5	268.0	267.2	265.8	269.8
	269.0	269.2	269.1	268.3	267.6	271.4
September	268.4	269.0	268.1	267.4	267.0	270.6
October	270.0	270.8	269.3	268.7	268.9	272.4
November	272.5	273.3	271.9	271.0	271.5	276.1
December	275.0	275.8	274.4	273.5	274.1	276.9
	276.8	277.7	276.1	275.1	276.2	279.5
-						
January	278.2	279.2	277.5	276.7	277.6	279.2
February	280.6	281.6	280.0	279.1	281.7	282.8
March	282.1	283.1	281.4	280.5	280.1	285.0
April	282.8	283.8	282.1	281.0	282.1	287.8
	284.4	285.2	283.8	282.7	283.9	287.4
	287.1	287.6	286.9	285.4	286.6	289.6
	288.7	289.3	288.3	286.8	288.5	291.7
September	289.3	289.7	289.0	287.3	288.8	291.5

Includes all goods purchased, salaries and general expenses.

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER PRICES - SELECTED COMMODITIES

UNITED KINGDOM - continued

1980 = 100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) - U.K.

SIC 1980

	Semis	Steel Tubes	Drawing and Manufacture of Steel Wire and Steel Wire Products	Aluminium Plate, Sheet, Strip Circles and Blanks	Aluminium Extrusions and Tubes (Bars, Rods, Sections etc)	Copper Tubes
0	92.6	95.2	93.0	87.2	86.4	89.7
1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2	99.5	103.8	96.3	92.5	98.2	99.1
3	93.7	118.9	105.5	95.0	98.9	106.1
4	94.4	108.5	107.6	100.5	106.0	119.7
5-						
5	94.4	119.4	105.3	95.2	102.9	102.6
ust	94.4	119.4	106.0	94.3	98.9	107.3
tember	94.4	119.5	106.0	95.7	96.4	106.6
ober	94.4	119.4	105.1	91.7	96.6	106.1
ember	94.4	119.5	105.1	95.5	99.8	109.4
ember	94.4	119.5	105.1	98.6	100.8	109.8
6-						
6	94.4	106.0	105.8	95.2	101.1	110.0
uary	94.4	108.5	104.7	92.9	95.8	114.3
ch	94.4	108.6	105.3	90.9	99.2	117.3
il	94.4	108.6	106.6	96.5	100.3	122.3
	94.4	108.5	106.6	93.0	100.8	122.7
e	94.4	108.9	106.6	94.1	104.0	121.6
y	94.4	108.9	106.6	102.1	105.2	123.8
ust	94.4	108.9	106.6	104.9	106.5	126.0
tember	94.4	108.9	110.4	109.6	108.4	122.5
ober	94.4	108.9	110.8	109.8	120.5	119.8
ember	94.4	109.0	110.8	109.8	115.4	116.5
ember	94.4	109.1	110.8	113.7	115.2	119.9
7-						
7	98.8	109.1	111.7	116.0	117.3	118.8
uary	98.8	109.7	112.0	118.6	119.2	117.9
ch	98.8	111.1	112.0	121.3	118.4	118.9
il	101.4	112.4	114.3	121.5	118.5	123.2
	101.4	112.8	115.2	124.1	119.9	123.4
e	101.4	112.8	115.2	126.8	122.6	123.7
y	101.4	115.1	116.5	128.6	123.4	122.6
ust	101.4	115.5	116.5	128.6	123.4	123.2

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCER PRICES - SELECTED COMMODITIES

UNITED KINGDOM

1980 = 100

Source: British Business (Weekly Edition) - U.K.

Year	SIC 1980					
	Ordinary Steel	Sheet Piling	Beams and Sections	Hot rolled Coil plate and Sheet	Zinc coated lead coated and other coated sheet	Plate 3 mm and over
1979	94.8	98.7	95.0	96.1	97.6	95.0
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	101.0	106.2	100.6	100.1	100.0	95.1
1982	110.6	116.6	109.0	112.5	109.7	99.2
1983	110.9	121.5	103.8	115.4	118.5	100.2
1982-ly	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.5	99.3
1982-just	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1982-ptember	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1982-tober	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1982-vember	110.8	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1982-cember	111.2	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1983-nuary	111.3	116.8	107.8	112.6	110.7	99.3
1983-bruary	111.4	116.8	107.8	112.6	111.6	99.3
1983-rch	111.4	116.8	107.8	112.6	111.6	99.3
1983-ril	110.2	116.8	106.9	113.6	120.4	99.3
1983-y	110.4	116.8	106.5	116.2	121.0	100.3
1983-ne	113.0	123.9	103.9	118.2	121.0	101.1
1983-ly	110.6	125.0	102.5	118.2	121.0	101.1
1983-gust	110.5	125.0	99.6	118.2	121.0	101.1
1983-ptember	110.7	125.0	101.0	118.2	121.0	101.1
1983-tober	111.6	125.0	101.0	117.9	121.0	100.6
1983-vember	111.2	125.0	101.0	113.0	121.0	100.3
1983-cember	111.1	125.0	99.6	113.0	121.0	100.3
1984-nuary	112.0	125.0	99.6	113.0	121.0	100.3
1984-bruary	112.3	125.0	99.6	113.0	121.0	100.3
1984-rch	112.5	125.0	100.9	113.0	121.0	100.3
1984-ril	113.7	125.0	101.5	118.1	121.0	102.5
1984-y	114.2	125.0	104.4	118.1	121.0	102.5
1984-ne	114.6	125.0	104.4	118.1	121.0	102.5
1984-ly	115.5	125.0	104.4	121.3	121.0	102.5
1984-gust	115.5	125.0	104.4	121.3	121.0	102.5

TABLE 15

17.

INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES
OUTPUT OF SECTORS OF INDUSTRY
UNITED KINGDOM

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Digest of Statistics - U.K.

SIC 1980

Period	Chemical Industry	Metal Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Electrical and Elec- tronic Engineering	Instrument Engineering	Total Manufac- turing (a)
1978	76.3	83.4	77.9	77.4	79.7	79.1
1979	86.5	93.8	87.1	86.9	88.5	87.7
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	106.4	100.4	108.2	106.4	110.2	109.5
1982	113.5	108.0	117.2	111.1	120.2	118.0
1983	119.1	111.0	124.6	116.6	125.5	124.4
1981 -						
March	104.7	98.6	106.2	104.5	107.8	107.2
April	105.4	98.7	106.9	105.4	109.8	108.6
May	105.8	99.0	107.3	105.7	110.2	109.2
June	105.2	99.5	107.7	106.4	110.8	109.7
July	105.8	100.2	108.5	107.0	111.3	110.0
August	106.4	101.4	109.1	107.1	110.9	110.4
September	107.2	101.5	109.6	107.4	110.9	111.2
October	108.6	101.9	110.4	108.3	111.8	112.1
November	109.3	102.9	110.6	108.6	112.5	112.8
December	110.3	104.2	111.2	108.4	112.6	113.5
1982 -						
January	111.5	106.4	113.4	108.3	116.9	114.8
February	111.8	107.9	114.5	109.7	118.1	115.7
March	112.5	108.3	115.1	109.6	118.5	116.5
April	113.0	108.2	115.9	110.7	119.0	117.3
May	113.2	108.3	116.4	111.1	119.4	117.7
June	112.8	107.6	117.0	110.9	119.6	117.6
July	113.2	108.0	117.7	111.0	120.6	118.3
August	113.8	108.2	118.2	111.5	120.9	118.6
September	114.4	108.3	118.9	112.2	121.3	119.3
October	114.9	108.0	119.3	113.0	122.0	119.7
November	115.2	108.5	119.5	113.2	122.3	120.0
December	115.5	108.7	120.1	113.5	123.8	120.6
1983 -						
January	116.1	108.0	121.3	113.9	123.8	121.2
February	117.0	109.0	121.7	114.2	124.1	121.7
March	117.7	109.8	122.1	114.4	124.4	122.4
April	118.4	110.1	124.0	114.7	124.5	123.6
May	118.7	110.2	124.7	115.9	124.7	124.3
June	118.5	110.8	124.9	116.2	124.3	124.6
July	119.1	111.0	125.3	117.0	126.1	124.7
August	119.3	111.4	125.6	117.6	126.1	124.9
September	119.7	112.2	126.0	118.2	126.3	125.7
October	120.8	113.7	126.3	119.1	127.0	126.2
November	121.5	112.6	126.5	118.8	127.1	126.8
December	121.9	113.4	127.1	119.2	127.3	127.3
1984 -						
January	123.0	114.5	128.0	120.1	129.4	128.0
February	123.2	115.1	128.6	120.5	130.3	128.8
March	123.3	115.4	129.3	121.2	130.3	130.3
April	124.3	117.2	129.8	121.8	131.0	131.7
May	125.5	117.3	129.7	122.4	131.3	132.1
June	124.6	118.0	129.8	122.8	131.5	132.2
July	125.0	118.6	130.3	123.7	132.1	132.5
August	125.3	118.9	131.0	123.8	132.4	132.8

a) Includes components other than those shown.

TABLE 14

16.

INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES

MATERIALS AND FUEL PURCHASED BY SELECTED BROAD SECTORS OF INDUSTRY

UNITED KINGDOM

1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Digest of Statistics - U.K.

Period						SIC 1980
	Chemical Industry	Metal Manufacturing	Mechanical Engineering	Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Instrument Engineering	Total Manufacturing (a)
1978	73.2	78.9	79.6	76.7	77.9	81.6
1979	88.6	91.0	89.4	89.1	88.5	92.2
1980	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1981	108.7	105.2	105.4	103.3	104.3	109.2
1982	116.0	112.1	113.4	109.9	110.8	117.2
1983	123.4	122.3	117.4	117.2	116.6	125.3
1981-						
January	101.9	102.1	102.4	100.0	101.6	103.3
February	103.7	102.3	102.7	99.9	101.9	104.4
March	103.8	101.7	102.8	100.2	102.1	105.0
April	105.1	102.6	103.4	100.9	102.7	106.2
May	106.3	103.8	104.0	101.3	103.1	107.6
June	108.8	105.0	104.7	102.2	103.7	109.4
July	110.0	105.0	105.3	103.2	104.3	109.3
August	111.6	105.8	106.1	105.1	105.1	109.9
September	112.2	106.6	106.6	105.6	105.6	111.2
October	113.0	107.0	107.3	106.1	106.3	112.5
November	113.7	109.3	109.1	107.0	107.4	114.9
December	114.7	111.3	109.9	108.3	108.1	117.1
1982-						
January	115.4	111.9	111.7	109.4	109.3	118.0
February	115.4	114.1	112.6	110.0	110.1	118.6
March	113.9	112.2	112.9	109.2	109.9	117.4
April	114.0	110.6	112.8	108.8	109.8	116.2
May	113.1	110.0	112.8	108.8	110.1	115.9
June	114.0	108.8	112.8	108.1	110.0	115.6
July	114.7	110.0	113.3	109.1	110.6	115.8
August	115.8	110.0	113.6	109.6	111.1	115.0
September	116.3	110.2	113.7	110.3	111.4	115.4
October	117.2	113.3	113.9	110.7	111.6	116.5
November	119.1	115.7	114.6	112.0	112.3	119.0
December	122.0	119.0	115.5	113.5	113.2	122.8
1983-						
January	123.1	121.7	116.2	115.1	114.4	124.1
February	124.1	124.4	117.1	116.5	115.3	125.4
March	122.8	122.7	116.8	115.7	115.2	124.2
April	122.1	119.4	116.6	116.2	115.6	123.1
May	121.4	119.5	117.0	116.8	116.1	123.8
June	122.0	119.7	116.9	116.8	116.1	124.0
July	121.8	120.5	117.1	117.4	116.4	123.2
August	123.8	122.8	117.5	117.9	116.7	124.6
September	124.9	123.3	117.9	118.1	117.4	126.5
October	124.5	122.2	118.1	118.2	117.8	126.2
November	123.8	123.7	118.3	118.0	118.2	127.4
December	126.0	128.1	119.9	120.0	119.6	131.6
1984-						
January	128.2	130.2	121.8	121.8	121.4	133.5
February	128.8	131.4	122.8	123.0	122.5	134.2
March	127.4	129.2	122.8	122.7	122.5	132.9
April	128.6	129.0	123.8	123.9	123.2	133.8
May	129.7	129.7	124.5	123.9	123.6	134.3
June	129.9	130.2	124.9	124.4	123.8	134.1
July	130.2	130.9	125.6	124.5	124.5	133.5
August	129.7	131.1	125.9	125.1	124.9	132.6

TABLE 13

15.

AVERAGE EARNINGS INDEX FOR SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

UK

January 1980 = 100

Source: Department of Employment Gazette - UK.

Period						SIC 1980
	Chemicals and Man-made Fibres	Metal Processing and Manu- facturing	Mech- anical Engin- eering	Metal Goods and Instruments	Electrical and Elec- tronic En- gineering	All Manufac Indus.(a)
1980	109.8	..	106.9	103.7	109.0	109.1
1981	124.8	124.9	117.3	116.8	123.4	123.6
1982	138.9	137.3	130.6	129.3	139.2	137.4
1983	152.0	150.7	142.3	140.3	152.9	149.7
1981-						
January	114.8	110.1	111.3	109.7	115.8	115.7
February	115.8	116.6	112.3	110.8	116.6	117.3
March	119.2	118.4	114.0	113.3	119.6	118.9
April	117.4	118.3	113.7	111.1	118.9	118.4
May	120.9	121.6	115.7	114.4	121.7	121.0
June	124.3	123.0	117.0	116.3	123.9	124.5
July	123.7	131.8	117.0	116.7	126.5	125.4
August	134.4	128.4	117.7	117.7	124.5	126.0
September	126.9	131.3	119.9	119.7	125.3	126.2
October	131.0	133.8	122.0	121.1	127.8	128.6
November	133.2	133.9	122.9	126.4	129.3	130.8
December	135.6	132.2	123.8	124.8	131.3	130.8
1982-						
January	132.5	136.4	123.9	123.2	131.8	131.1
February	131.1	134.3	125.7	125.2	132.5	131.8
March	133.0	134.6	128.0	128.6	136.7	134.4
April	134.4	137.4	127.7	127.3	136.9	134.8
May	135.0	136.9	130.1	131.0	137.6	137.5
June	140.8	135.7	131.6	129.5	140.5	138.8
July	140.9	145.9	132.9	129.8	140.7	139.2
August	139.0	136.3	130.8	128.7	139.6	137.6
September	139.0	135.0	131.1	130.0	140.2	137.9
October	140.8	140.8	133.2	131.0	143.2	140.0
November	149.5	136.1	135.5	133.9	144.1	142.5
December	150.9	138.1	136.5	132.9	146.3	143.2
1983-						
January	143.7	140.9	135.1	133.5	147.0	142.9
February	145.0	140.4	136.0	134.1	147.1	143.7
March	143.3	141.8	138.1	137.3	150.1	145.1
April	146.2	146.2	138.8	136.4	150.6	146.7
May	149.4	147.4	141.7	141.0	152.2	149.2
June	150.3	147.6	143.2	139.2	154.0	150.2
July	151.9	166.3	143.4	140.3	154.8	151.2
August	157.1	151.7	141.8	140.7	152.8	149.9
September	152.9	152.1	143.2	142.1	153.3	150.9
October	153.1	163.8	145.3	144.1	157.5	153.3
November	164.7	154.3	148.6	147.9	156.8	156.5
December	166.1	155.8	152.8	146.6	158.7	157.0
1984-						
January	155.8	167.3	148.8	145.2	158.3	155.9
February	158.1	159.3	151.3	149.0	160.0	157.5
March	158.2	162.6	153.7	151.2	163.4	159.3
April	157.6	171.2	150.5	147.9	166.9	158.0
May	159.9	161.4	153.6	151.4	165.1	160.6
June	164.8	162.6	157.0	151.7	167.5	163.8
July	164.2	181.6	158.8	153.0	169.6	164.6
August	172.1	164.6	155.7	151.2	166.4	163.3

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

STATISTICS OF SHIP AND BOAT BUILDING AND REPAIRING AUSTRALIA

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 8203.0)

Period	Establishments	No of Persons Employed	Wages and Salaries		Turnover	Value Added		As Percentage of Turnover
			Total	Per Employee		Total	Wages & Salaries	
	No	No	\$ '000	\$	\$ '000	\$ '000	\$	%
Ship and Boat Building and Repairing								
1968-69	454	21,507	75,726	3,521	174,536	103,880	1.37	59.52
1969-70	459	20,244	78,422	3,874	183,040	99,473	1.27	54.34
1970-71	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1971-72	451	20,586	93,522	4,543	217,084	102,509	1.10	47.22
1972-73	473	21,454	104,031	4,849	231,414	124,807	1.20	53.93
1973-74	493	19,497	112,253	5,757	244,129	143,739	1.28	58.88
1974-75	318	18,994	137,549	7,242	299,120	180,942	1.32	60.49
1975-76	339	18,357	152,539	8,309	353,787	220,413	1.44	62.30
1976-77	330	16,840	159,789	9,489	333,427	213,355	1.34	63.99
1977-78	332	15,683	162,544	10,364	365,517	220,587	1.36	60.35
1978-79	325	14,328	144,117	10,058	357,815	203,920	1.41	56.99
1979-80	340	14,459	164,214	11,357	418,854	240,628	1.47	57.45
1980-81	335	14,672	179,025	12,202	455,354	258,210	1.44	56.71
1981-82	319	14,792	210,101	14,204	527,236	301,586	1.44	57.20
1982-83	308	14,025	225,341	16,067	553,488	311,990	1.38	56.37
Ship Building and Repair								
1968-69	86	17,901	63,927	3,571	139,226	84,992	1.33	61.05
1969-70	90	16,547	65,909	3,983	146,204	80,118	1.22	54.80
1970-71	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1971-72	99	17,245	81,189	4,708	177,991	93,102	1.15	52.31
1972-73	102	17,927	89,876	5,013	185,770	103,655	1.15	55.80
1973-74	105	15,973	96,224	6,024	187,105	115,893	1.20	61.94
1974-75	90	16,018	120,309	7,511	243,584	154,579	1.28	63.46
1975-76	87	15,209	131,645	8,656	280,296	185,073	1.41	66.03
1976-77	81	13,520	134,206	9,926	239,309	169,674	1.26	70.90
1977-78	82	12,410	136,133	10,970	265,338	174,164	1.40	65.64
1978-79	78	10,950	113,202	10,338	235,407	151,602	1.34	64.40
1979-80	81	11,286	134,619	11,928	298,689	190,855	1.42	63.90
1980-81	74	11,644	147,636	12,679	324,880	207,341	1.40	63.82
1981-82	78	11,777	175,230	14,879	387,213	244,676	1.40	63.19
1982-83	77	11,590	193,434	16,690	424,816	263,359	1.36	61.99

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INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - SELECTED ITEMS - AUSTRALIA 1980-81 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 6401.0)

Period	Housing Group			Transportation Group							Alcoholic Beverages				Postal	
	Private Houses	Gov't Houses	Total	Public		Private Transport			Total	Beer	Spirits	Wine and	Total	Telephone Services	Fuel and Light	
				Fares	Purchase	Fuel	Other Costs	(b)								
																(a)
1980-81	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1981-82	109.5	111.8	109.8	113.9	110.3	107.9	110.7	110.3	110.5	107.3	107.3	109.5	107.2	115.8	115.8	
1982-83	121.1	132.9	122.5	128.4	119.6	125.0	125.0	124.2	125.9	116.6	116.6	123.0	117.8	141.4	141.4	
1983-84	129.8	142.3	131.2	143.8	128.1	137.7	134.2	134.8	137.9	125.3	125.3	133.9	127.6	152.8	152.8	
1981-82																
September	105.3	107.3	105.5	105.6	105.6	104.7	104.5	105.3	106.8	103.6	103.6	105.8	101.4	108.4	108.4	
December	108.0	109.8	108.3	115.4	109.9	109.4	108.6	110.0	108.6	105.0	105.0	107.5	106.4	111.8	111.8	
March	110.4	113.5	110.8	117.2	112.2	107.2	111.8	111.3	112.0	109.0	109.0	111.0	109.5	119.2	119.2	
June	114.2	116.7	114.5	117.2	113.3	110.4	117.8	114.7	114.4	111.5	111.5	113.5	111.3	123.9	123.9	
1982-83																
September	117.5	129.4	115.0	123.5	116.2	123.9	121.1	121.1	119.6	113.9	113.9	117.8	114.4	133.7	133.7	
December	120.0	133.8	121.6	129.4	116.8	124.1	123.3	122.7	126.1	116.1	116.1	123.0	118.9	143.1	143.1	
March	122.3	133.9	123.7	130.2	120.6	129.0	126.8	126.4	127.9	117.3	117.3	124.6	119.0	144.4	144.4	
June	124.6	134.4	125.8	130.3	124.7	123.0	128.6	126.4	129.9	119.0	119.0	126.5	118.9	144.4	144.4	
1983-84																
September	126.6	137.9	127.9	134.1	126.3	132.1	131.7	130.9	131.0	120.0	120.0	127.5	118.9	148.5	148.5	
December	128.5	141.2	130.0	145.9	127.3	138.4	133.1	134.5	136.5	125.3	125.3	132.9	130.4	155.3	155.3	
March	130.7	142.9	132.1	147.6	128.5	137.7	135.1	135.5	140.0	126.9	126.9	135.8	130.6	154.7	154.7	
June	133.2	147.0	134.9	147.5	130.3	142.7	136.9	138.1	144.1	129.1	129.1	139.4	130.6	152.6	152.6	
1984-85																
September	135.5	151.5	137.4	151.1	131.7	144.0	138.6	139.7	145.7	130.7	130.7	141.0	130.6	156.7	156.7	

(a) Includes components other than those shown (b) All components shown

INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - TENTH SERIES - AUSTRALIA

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat No 6401.0) 1980-81=100

Period	Food	Clothing	Housing	Household			Tobacco and Alcohol	Health & Personal Care	Recreation & Education	All Groups
				Equipment and	Transportation	Operation				
1980-81	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	-	100.0
1981-82	108.6	107.1	111.1	110.6	110.3	109.2	109.2	124.2	100.6	110.4
1982-83	118.5	114.2	122.8	123.8	124.2	124.1	124.1	153.2	107.7	123.1
1983-84	127.7	120.9	131.5	132.6	134.8	139.6	139.6	146.5	114.5	131.6
1980-81	96.6	97.1	96.4	96.7	95.9	97.8	97.8	98.1	-	96.8
September	99.3	99.3	98.9	98.7	97.7	98.8	98.8	99.2	-	98.8
December	101.3	100.3	101.0	101.5	101.2	100.9	100.9	100.8	-	101.1
March	102.8	103.3	103.8	103.1	105.2	102.5	102.5	101.8	-	103.4
June										
1981-82	106.4	104.1	106.4	105.5	105.3	105.7	105.7	102.9	-	105.5
September	108.1	106.9	109.7	109.2	110.0	107.6	107.6	128.2	-	109.9
December	109.1	107.4	112.2	112.0	111.3	110.4	110.4	131.2	100.0	111.8
March	110.7	110.0	115.9	115.6	114.7	112.9	112.9	134.5	101.2	114.5
June										
1982-83	114.0	111.2	118.9	119.1	121.1	118.0	118.0	143.1	103.3	118.5
September	116.8	113.7	122.3	123.6	122.7	124.0	124.0	151.2	105.7	121.9
December	118.9	113.9	124.1	125.5	126.4	125.8	125.8	157.4	109.8	124.7
March	124.2	117.8	126.0	127.1	126.4	128.5	128.5	161.1	112.0	127.3
June										
1983-84	125.6	117.8	127.4	129.1	130.9	131.2	131.2	164.5	113.2	129.4
September	127.2	120.4	130.5	132.8	134.5	139.5	139.5	167.9	113.5	132.5
December	129.2	120.9	132.6	133.7	135.5	142.0	142.0	135.5	115.9	132.0
March	128.8	124.4	135.5	134.8	138.1	145.5	145.5	118.2	115.4	132.3
June										
1984-85	131.6	124.9	137.9	136.2	139.7	147.5	147.5	118.2	116.7	134.0
September										

(a) March Quarter 1982 = 100

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TABLE 9

11.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN
MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

1968-69 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No 6411.0)

Period	Home Produced and Imported Materials			Imported Manufactured Materials			
	Food, Live Animals and Tobacco	Crude Materials (excl. Fuels)	Electricity Gas and Fuels	Chemicals	Metal Manufactures Components for Transport Equipment & Machinery	Other Manufactured Materials	All Groups (a)
1973-74	145.9	140.7	126.2	96.3	118.6	106.1	134.7
1974-75	132.4	149.3	179.5	141.9	148.7	137.4	145.1
1975-76	132.5	163.0	229.0	149.4	179.6	148.4	158.6
1976-77	154.9	191.7	254.8	160.3	211.6	164.5	182.2
1977-78	166.6	199.2	291.0	170.7	246.6	185.1	198.5
1978-79	232.5	227.4	362.4	180.9	271.6	201.3	248.5
1979-80	285.1	288.8	554.6	225.1	294.2	230.3	321.8
1980-81	299.5	286.9	695.5	244.7	310.3	242.9	353.2
1981-82	283.9	281.4	771.8	252.8	320.7	257.3	358.6
1982-83	291.2	303.9	880.7	271.0	343.9	280.8	388.0
1983-84	315.2	319.2	868.7	282.8	358.0	288.0	402.1
1982-83							
July	275.7	286.6	844.7	264.9	334.5	269.4	370.0
August	270.5	291.3	867.1	268.1	334.5	272.2	372.6
September	269.5	297.2	876.7	270.3	335.7	275.2	375.3
October	272.4	297.9	885.8	271.2	336.9	279.0	378.5
November	266.5	298.3	885.6	270.5	337.3	279.6	375.9
December	266.3	297.2	880.9	270.8	338.6	280.0	374.9
January	281.5	300.8	902.8	265.7	338.2	279.6	385.7
February	282.2	307.9	900.9	268.5	341.5	278.3	387.5
March	301.8	311.0	895.6	270.7	352.2	285.6	397.4
April	326.0	317.6	874.9	274.7	360.8	288.8	407.4
May	339.9	319.8	877.2	278.0	359.2	290.9	414.8
June	341.6	321.0	876.2	278.8	357.7	291.0	415.7
1983-84							
July	324.2	324.3	876.3	279.1	358.7	288.5	408.4
August	312.6	324.1	876.3	280.9	358.7	288.0	403.1
September	311.8	323.8	877.8	283.3	358.3	288.4	403.0
October	302.7	317.0	878.4	284.0	356.9	289.3	397.6
November	300.6	314.2	876.8	284.0	355.3	288.2	395.6
December	308.3	314.4	876.7	284.3	356.0	288.7	399.3
January	314.4	312.9	861.5	283.9	355.8	287.0	399.2
February	321.1	316.5	858.8	282.9	354.9	286.4	402.5
March	323.7	316.6	859.4	282.9	356.6	287.5	403.9
April	322.4	319.4	859.9	282.5	359.3	288.6	404.2
May	320.8	321.8	859.7	282.0	361.2	285.9	403.8
June	319.5	325.4	862.4	284.3	364.3	289.3	404.9
1984-85							
July	319.7	329.7	874.6	286.2	369.1	294.0	408.5
August	329.1	328.8	875.2	288.9	372.7	298.8	413.3
September	325.6	325.1	879.6	291.7	374.9	301.2	412.1
October	318.4	323.5	880.1	293.0	373.4	303.3	408.7

(a) All components shown.

TABLE 8

10.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS

USED IN HOUSE BUILDING AUSTRALIA

1966-67 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6408.0)

Period	Timber, Board and Joinery	Steel Products	Other Metal Products	Electrical Installation Materials	All Groups (a)
1973-74	169.1	153.8	146.3	146.4	151.3
1974-75	203.5	192.1	170.3	168.3	183.4
1975-76	226.2	229.3	187.1	183.5	208.1
1976-77	254.1	263.2	207.9	201.8	232.9
1977-78	275.0	287.7	220.1	215.5	252.0
1978-79	290.8	307.6	239.7	240.0	268.1
1979-80	331.5	341.0	281.7	282.1	302.9
1980-81	377.8	389.4	314.7	316.0	344.0
1981-82	406.8	434.9	343.1	345.9	377.7
1982-83	434.5	485.5	372.3	395.8	413.7
1983-84	474.1	519.9	405.7	443.6	446.1
1981-82					
January	404.7	431.0	341.8	341.7	376.2
February	412.0	444.6	352.4	343.2	382.7
March	417.1	450.1	356.8	359.4	389.3
April	418.9	453.6	357.5	363.7	392.5
May	422.8	456.8	359.3	367.0	395.1
June	425.0	462.6	358.7	364.2	397.7
1982-83					
July	426.6	468.4	360.8	364.9	401.8
August	428.1	471.3	364.6	369.8	404.4
September	429.0	472.6	363.1	382.0	406.9
October	429.0	475.4	363.7	385.7	408.1
November	429.1	479.7	366.8	387.6	408.9
December	429.0	484.3	369.8	398.9	410.3
January	432.0	487.4	370.2	400.2	413.5
February	433.4	491.3	375.0	403.0	416.8
March	438.7	495.0	377.6	405.3	420.1
April	444.0	497.0	382.1	408.9	422.8
May	445.8	498.7	387.2	413.3	424.4
June	448.8	504.5	387.9	430.0	426.5
1983-84					
July	450.5	507.6	396.0	433.7	428.8
August	453.5	509.4	399.3	432.4	431.8
September	454.0	513.0	399.6	438.8	433.3
October	459.5	514.7	399.8	432.2	436.4
November	464.0	518.9	398.8	433.1	439.9
December	468.3	522.0	401.6	436.3	442.6
January	472.2	522.2	402.8	436.6	445.6
February	481.0	522.5	407.7	435.2	450.9
March	489.5	522.9	414.3	460.7	457.0
April	493.4	524.5	413.0	463.3	458.8
May	498.8	528.1	416.7	460.4	462.6
June	504.1	529.1	418.1	460.0	465.6
1984-85					
July	506.6	529.3	421.3	464.0	467.8
August	509.7	532.8	421.7	466.6	469.8
September	511.4	533.1	422.8	468.4	471.5

(a) Includes components other than those shown

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INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES - MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING

OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING - Continued

AUSTRALIA

1979-80 = 100

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (Cat. No. 6407.0)

Period	Aluminium Fabricated Products	All Mechanical Services	Cement and Concrete Products	Industrial Machinery and Equipment	All Groups (a)
1979-80	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1980-81	115.9	111.0	113.0	111.2	112.9
1981-82	128.4	123.5	125.1	124.2	125.4
1982-83	141.1	138.5	143.0	139.9	139.8
1983-84	151.2	147.6	149.8	146.8	148.0
1981-82					
August	122.4	117.1	120.7	117.1	119.7
September	123.9	118.3	120.5	118.8	120.6
October	123.9	118.7	120.1	118.9	121.3
November	124.1	119.1	121.1	119.3	122.2
December	124.4	120.1	121.9	120.6	122.8
January	126.1	124.1	123.2	124.4	125.0
February	130.7	126.7	125.7	127.9	127.6
March	134.0	128.9	130.1	130.4	129.8
April	135.1	129.5	131.3	130.5	131.0
May	136.2	130.7	132.3	131.9	131.9
June	137.0	132.8	134.6	134.2	133.6
1982-83					
July	138.3	133.7	139.2	134.7	135.4
August	138.3	134.6	141.8	135.0	136.7
September	138.6	136.2	142.2	137.3	137.8
October	140.6	137.5	141.2	139.3	138.3
November	141.4	138.1	139.8	139.7	138.8
December	141.5	138.2	141.9	139.4	139.7
January	141.8	138.3	145.4	139.6	140.6
February	142.1	138.6	145.7	139.8	141.0
March	141.9	140.0	145.5	141.4	141.6
April	141.9	142.0	144.8	144.4	142.1
May	143.0	142.4	144.3	144.3	142.7
June	144.2	142.6	144.5	144.2	143.3
1983-84					
July	145.5	142.3	144.2	143.5	143.5
August	146.2	143.0	144.1	144.4	144.1
September	147.1	146.4	143.9	145.2	145.1
October	150.1	146.4	146.9	145.5	146.1
November	150.4	147.1	149.2	146.2	147.2
December	150.8	147.8	149.3	146.5	147.7
January	150.9	147.7	150.9	146.0	148.2
February	152.5	147.9	152.3	146.5	149.1
March	154.5	148.6	153.5	147.2	150.0
April	154.4	151.0	153.8	150.1	150.9
May	154.8	151.4	154.4	150.3	151.6
June	156.9	151.3	155.6	150.1	152.1
1984-85					
July	157.2	151.8	157.4	150.8	152.5
August	157.5	152.0	156.8	150.7	153.0
September	157.8	152.6	157.9	151.7	153.5

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

INDEX OF STRAIGHT-TIME AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS
FOR SELECTED SHIPYARDS, ALL REGIONS
USA

September 1980 = 100

Source: Shipbuilders Council of America

Year	Average
1978	80.5
1979	88.7
1980	97.9
1981	106.8
1982	116.5
1983	123.0

Month	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
January	75.5	85.6	92.6	102.0	113.6	121.3	127.6
February	78.7	86.9	93.5	103.0	114.4	121.8	127.0
March	79.0	87.0	95.8	103.3	114.5	121.9	126.9
April	79.3	86.6	96.0	103.5	114.6	121.8	126.6
May	79.6	87.0	96.4	104.1	114.3	121.9	126.0
June	79.5	86.9	96.9	104.8	114.1	121.3	125.7
July	80.3	88.4	98.7	106.4	116.4	122.6	126.4
August	81.2	89.9	100.0	109.0	117.4	122.7	126.7
September	81.6	90.6	100.0	110.0	118.1	123.2	126.8
October	82.6	91.2	101.5	110.7	120.0	124.2	
November	83.3	91.7	101.7	111.8	120.0	126.3	
December	84.5	92.0	101.1	112.4	120.6	127.0	

INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES
USA

1967 = 100

Source: Monthly Labour Review (USA)

Period	Chemicals and Allied Products	Metals and Metal Products	Iron and Steel	Non- Ferrous Metals	Plumbing Fixtures and Brass Fittings	Machinery and Equipment	Electrical Machinery and Equipment
1975	181.3	185.6	200.9	171.6	162.3	161.4	140.7
1976	187.0	195.8	215.8	181.5	174.1	170.9	146.6
1977	192.7	209.0	230.3	195.4	186.6	181.7	154.1
1978	198.8	227.1	253.6	207.8	199.1	196.1	164.9
1979	222.3	259.3	283.5	261.7	217.1	213.9	178.9
1980	260.3	286.2	305.1	305.0	246.7	239.8	201.7
1981	287.6	300.4	333.8	285.8	267.5	263.3	220.2
1982	292.3	301.6	339.1	263.6	278.7	278.8	231.6
1983	293.0	307.2	343.4	276.1	289.3	286.4	240.1
1981 -							
April	286.0	298.8	331.0	288.4	265.3	259.6	217.4
May	288.2	299.1	330.4	287.8	265.6	260.6	218.0
June	290.3	298.4	330.1	284.9	268.2	261.9	219.0
July	291.4	302.0	338.8	283.3	270.3	264.5	221.0
August	293.3	304.1	339.9	287.3	271.2	266.2	222.8
September	293.3	305.9	339.8	289.4	271.6	268.1	224.2
October	292.4	305.3	341.3	285.4	272.9	269.3	225.3
November	292.0	304.2	340.0	281.1	273.1	270.4	226.0
December	291.8	303.3	339.9	277.1	274.0	272.0	227.0
1982 -							
January	292.9	304.7	343.1	274.4	274.6	274.1	228.7
February	293.6	304.2	342.9	273.6	276.4	275.4	229.5
March	294.6	302.9	342.5	267.2	279.1	276.2	230.3
April	294.3	303.1	342.8	266.1	280.3	277.6	231.7
May	295.0	302.8	341.3	263.6	281.0	278.2	231.3
June	293.3	299.3	338.3	253.4	282.6	278.6	231.5
July	291.6	299.5	337.5	256.4	283.3	279.6	231.6
August	291.6	299.2	337.1	255.7	274.6	279.9	231.8
September	290.7	301.8	336.5	265.1	277.1	281.2	231.7
October	289.9	301.6	337.6	262.9	277.8	281.1	232.6
November	290.5	300.5	335.9	261.7	278.3	281.8	233.7
December	289.6	299.9	332.8	263.2	279.2	282.4	234.2
1983 -							
January	289.3	300.3	333.3	267.0	280.6	283.3	235.2
February	290.5	304.7	339.9	275.8	283.5	284.3	237.2
March	289.8	304.4	341.6	270.6	285.6	284.7	237.5
April	291.3	304.6	341.5	271.8	287.7	285.4	238.4
May	291.1	306.1	340.9	277.7	289.1	286.0	238.5
June	290.8	306.3	341.3	275.7	290.8	286.2	238.8
July	293.7	307.3	342.1	278.4	290.4	287.4	241.7
August	294.4	308.2	343.2	279.8	290.2	287.4	241.7
September	295.9	310.7	348.1	282.0	292.4	287.9	242.9
October	295.5	310.9	348.5	279.3	292.7	287.6	242.6
November	296.4	310.9	349.5	276.6	294.1	288.0	242.8
December	297.7	311.9	350.9	278.2	294.0	288.8	243.8
1984 -							
January	298.1	312.9	353.8	276.8	293.9	289.7	244.7
February	296.5	314.8	356.2	280.2	296.4	290.2	245.7
March	300.1	316.8	356.5	286.1	299.9	291.0	246.7
April	302.0	317.9	356.5	289.1	301.5	292.2	247.7
May	302.7	317.4	357.3	284.1	301.6	292.6	248.1
June	302.5	317.2	356.8	282.9	302.0	293.1	248.4
July	302.6	315.9	357.2	276.8	302.5	293.7	248.5
August	301.4	315.8	357.1	274.6	303.3	294.2	248.7
September	301.4	315.3	357.6	271.3	299.0	294.5	249.3

INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES FOR THE OUTPUT OF SELECTED COMMODITIES UNITED STATES

JUNE 1982 = 100

Source: Monthly Producer Prices and Price Indexes (USA)

Year	Steel Ingot and Semifinished Shapes and Forms	Hot Rolled Sheet and Strip	Hot Rolled Bars and Bar Shapes, Plates Structural Shapes	Steel Pipe and Tube	Cold Rolled Steel Sheet and Strip	Cold Finished Steel Bars
1982 -						
June	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
July	100.0	99.8	99.4	100.0	99.8	101.7
August	99.9	99.8	99.0	100.0	99.8	101.7
September	100.0	99.7	98.9	100.0	99.8	101.7
October	99.6	101.4	99.0	100.0	99.8	101.2
November	99.5	101.6	98.6	100.0	99.7	101.2
December	99.4	101.2	95.9	94.0	99.7	97.9
1983 -						
January	99.4	100.9	95.9	93.1	99.6	97.9
February	100.4	104.9	98.0	93.1	104.7	97.9
March	100.2	104.7	97.6	89.6	104.5	97.9
April	99.8	104.4	97.3	89.4	104.5	97.9
May	99.7	104.4	97.5	89.4	104.5	97.4
June	99.7	104.3	97.6	89.4	104.6	97.4
July	100.5	104.2	97.6	89.4	104.8	97.4
August	100.3	104.4	98.5	89.4	104.8	97.4
September	100.1	107.9	98.8	89.4	104.9	100.8
October	99.8	108.1	99.0	89.4	110.8	100.8
November	99.9	108.5	99.2	88.5	111.2	100.8
December	99.9	108.4	99.0	89.2	111.3	100.8
1984 -						
January	100.3	109.6	99.2	89.1	112.9	104.9
February	98.6	109.9	99.8	89.1	113.0	104.9
March	98.6	109.9	99.8	89.1	113.0	104.9
April	100.6	110.0	99.6	89.1	113.0	104.5
May	100.5	110.2	99.6	89.8	113.0	104.5
June	100.3	110.4	100.2	89.8	113.0	104.5

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INDEX OF PRODUCER PRICES FOR THE OUTPUT OF SELECTED COMMODITIES
UNITED STATES - continued
JUNE 1980 = 100

Source: Monthly Producer Prices and Price Indexes (USA)

Year	Refined Copper	Aluminum Ingot	Copper and Copper-base Alloy Sheet, Strip and Plate		Aluminum Plate (b)	Aluminum Sheet (b)	Aluminum Extruded and Drawn Tube (c)	Extruded Aluminum Rod, Bar and Other (c)
			(a)	(b)				
1982								
January	85.7	77.7	101.3	104.6	103.5	101.8	99.4	
February	86.4	76.5	101.8	103.7	103.8	101.8	99.3	
March	82.3	76.0	100.4	103.7	103.5	101.8	99.1	
April	82.9	74.1	99.6	103.0	103.1	101.9	98.9	
May	85.4	72.3	101.0	103.0	102.5	101.7	98.9	
June	79.1	71.5	97.1	103.0	102.4	101.7	98.8	
July	76.3	70.6	96.6	102.2	102.3	101.7	98.4	
August	76.5	70.1	96.9	102.2	102.1	100.2	98.2	
September	77.3	70.0	97.4	102.2	101.7	100.2	97.5	
October	76.3	69.8	96.7	102.2	101.7	100.0	97.4	
November	79.3	67.7	98.6	102.2	101.7	100.2	96.6	
December	78.3	68.3	98.8	102.2	101.6	100.2	96.5	
1983 -								
January	84.1	(d)	102.9	102.2	101.6	100.0	96.5	
February	89.4	(d)	105.0	101.5	100.7	99.6	94.4	
March	87.4	(d)	103.8	101.5	100.7	99.6	95.6	
April	88.2	(d)	104.1	99.5	100.4	99.8	96.0	
May	91.7	(d)	106.1	100.5	102.7	100.4	97.5	
June	88.2	93.2	105.9	101.9	103.0	100.7	98.0	
July	88.7	92.8	105.7	105.2	104.6	100.3	101.5	
August	88.7	97.7	105.8	106.6	105.6	103.8	102.7	
September	85.5	108.3	105.2	108.7	106.3	107.3	106.1	
October	82.2	108.4	103.9	108.4	107.5	107.7	107.3	
November	75.1	104.5	102.8	111.2	109.8	107.5	108.4	
December	75.3	105.5	105.1	111.2	111.5	109.2	108.6	
1984 -								
January	74.0	106.9	105.0	113.0	112.2	110.4	109.1	
February	75.1	109.6	104.9	113.0	113.5	112.1	109.4	
March	79.9	107.9	105.9	114.3	116.2	112.1	109.4	
April	82.4	108.0	108.4	117.2	117.6	111.8	109.2	
May	77.0	105.0	106.1	117.2	117.9	110.6	109.2	
June	77.0	98.9	106.3	117.2	117.8	110.9	108.7	

(a) New series from December 1980. (b) New series from June 1981. (c) New series from December 1981. (d) Not available.

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TABLE 23

27.

**MATERIAL INDEX FOR NAVSHIPS STEEL VESSEL CONTRACTS
USA**

1967 = 100

Source: Shipbuilders Council of America

Year	Average
1963	93.9
1964	94.7
1965	95.2
1966	97.7
1967	100.0
1968	102.1
1969	106.4
1970	113.3
1971	118.9
1972	123.3
1973	128.9
1974	159.6
1975	182.9
1976	195.0
1977	207.5
1978	225.5
1979	249.0
1980	273.4
1981	298.7
1982	308.9
1983	313.8

Month	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
January	214.6	238.8	262.8	288.5	308.7	308.2	320.2
February	218.3	240.7	265.6	289.6	309.3	311.7	321.5
March	220.2	244.2	268.0	293.0	309.5	312.5	322.1
April	222.8	245.4	272.5	295.3	310.1	312.7	322.8
May	223.7	245.9	272.3	295.7	309.8	312.6	323.3
June	224.7	248.1	272.7	296.2	308.4	312.8	323.6
July	226.0	250.9	272.3	301.9	308.5	313.6	324.0
August	228.6	251.2	273.8	303.3	308.4	313.8	324.2
September	229.2	251.9	275.9	304.1	308.2	316.3	324.6
October	230.7	254.9	279.8	305.4	309.2	316.3	325.5
November	232.7	256.8	281.6	305.4	308.8	317.1	
December	234.1	258.8	284.0	306.2	307.7	318.4	

TABLE 24

28.

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING
NEW ZEALAND

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earnings \$NZ	Index 1980 = 100
1973	1.92	36.5
1974	2.22	42.2
1975	2.54	48.3
1976	2.91	55.3
1977	3.34	63.5
1978	3.83	72.8
1979	4.42	84.0
1980	5.26	100.0
1981	6.29	119.6
1982	7.18	136.5
1977-		
April	3.32	63.0
October	3.36	63.8
1978-		
April	3.74	71.0
October	3.92	74.4
1979-		
April	4.35	82.6
October	4.49	85.3
1980-		
May	4.91	93.3
August	5.16	98.1
1981-		
February	5.99	113.9
May	6.29	119.6
August	6.32	120.2
November	6.55	124.6
1982-		
February	7.00	133.2
May	7.36	140.1
August	6.95	132.2
November	6.99	133.0
1983-		
May	7.08	134.7
August	7.11	135.3
November	7.18	136.6

TABLE 25

29.

**INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING
CANADA**

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earning \$	Index 1980 = 100
1974	4.37	53.5
1975	5.06	61.9
1976	5.76	70.5
1977	6.38	78.1
1978	6.84	83.7
1979	7.44	91.0
1980	8.19	100.0
1981	9.17	112.0
1982	10.25	125.2
1983	10.59	129.3
1982 -		
January	9.86	120.2
February	9.91	120.8
March	10.02	122.1
April	10.12	123.3
May	10.16	123.8
June	10.22	124.5
July	10.28	125.2
August	10.30	125.4
September	10.40	127.0
October	10.50	128.2
November	10.55	128.8
December	10.62	129.7
1983 -		
January	10.71	130.8
February	10.70	130.7
March	10.41	127.1
April	10.46	127.7
May	10.49	128.1
June	10.52	128.5
July	10.52	128.5
August	10.53	128.6
September	10.63	129.8
October	10.69	130.6
November	10.78	131.7
December	10.87	132.8
1984 -		
January	11.03	134.7
February	10.95	133.7
March	11.05	135.0
April	11.14	136.1
May	11.05	135.0

TABLE 26

30.

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES
CANADA

RAW MATERIALS 1977 = 100

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS 1975 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Raw Materials	Industrial Products
1979	135	142
1980	155	161
1981	185	177
1982	200	188
1983	210	194
1982 -		
June	200	189
July	205	189
August	202	189
September	203	190
October	201	190
November	201	190
December	202	190
1983 -		
January	207	190
February	209	191
March	208	192
April	211	193
May	211	189
June	211	195
July	210	195
August	212	196
September	211	196
October	211	196
November	211	196
December	212	197
1984 -		
January	214	198
February	216	199
March	218	201
April	218	202
May	218	202
June	218	202
July	217	203

CANADA

1971 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Industry Price Indexes - Canada

Commodities Produced in Iron and Steel Mills						
Year	Steel Castings	Pig Iron	Structural Steel Shapes		Hot Rolled Sheets and Strips	Total(a)
			Heavy	Light		
1977	204.2	244.6	177.7	185.1	186.4	187.9
1978	215.9	260.4	199.6	198.2	203.1	203.9
1979	255.6	297.7	236.2	270.9	225.1	233.7
1980	292.6	324.7	266.9	289.3	249.3	261.7
1981	320.0	343.8	290.9	297.4	281.6	290.3
1982	344.8	355.9	302.9	298.5	306.5	314.2
1983	365.3	363.3	301.3	301.3	316.2	319.2
1982 -						
April	334.9	349.8	302.9	297.5	305.7	313.2
May	334.9	349.8	302.9	297.5	305.8	313.2
June	334.9	349.8	302.9	297.5	305.8	313.2
July	343.5	349.8	302.9	297.5	305.8	313.5
August	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2	316.2
September	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2	316.6
October	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2	317.0
November	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2	317.0
December	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2	316.7
1983 -						
January	358.5	364.4	302.9	299.8	307.2	316.7
February	358.5	364.4	302.7	299.8	307.2	316.5
March	358.5	364.4	302.7	299.8	307.2	316.0
April	358.5	364.4	303.2	299.8	307.2	316.0
May	358.5	364.4	303.5	299.8	307.2	317.0
June	370.2	364.4	303.6	299.8	322.1	321.5
July	370.2	366.4	303.5	299.8	322.1	321.6
August	370.2	361.3	303.5	299.8	322.1	321.5
September	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	322.1	320.4
October	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	321.3	321.1
November	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	323.4	321.1
December	370.2	361.3	303.5	304.2	323.4	321.1
1984 -						
January	380.3	361.3	303.5	315.5	323.4	322.7
February	380.3	361.3	303.5	315.5	323.4	322.9
March	380.3	361.3	303.5	315.5	323.4	322.9
April	380.3	361.3	305.1	315.5	323.1	324.1
May	380.3	361.3	305.1	315.5	323.1	324.9
June	385.6	361.3	305.1	315.5	324.0	325.3
July	385.6	361.3	304.6	312.1	337.8	328.3

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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1971 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Industry Price Indexes - Canada

Year	Steel Pipe and Tube Mills Products	Iron Foundry Products	ALUMINIUM		Copper and Copper Alloy Rolling, Casting and Extruding
			Smelting and Refining Products	Casting and Extruding Products	
			Total(a)		
1978	218.0	200.1	147.1	220.6	191.5
1979	248.1	223.3	215.7	303.9	234.0
1980	276.9	243.2	238.7	397.8	271.0
1981	322.1	261.8	203.7	365.5	292.6
1982	362.6	268.9	180.7	327.9	290.7
1983	359.7	272.4	189.5	347.6	291.7
1982 -					
April	362.5	266.7	188.8	337.3	295.9
May	362.7	267.8	194.2	325.7	295.8
June	362.7	267.8	174.5	321.9	292.8
July	363.0	268.3	179.5	321.1	293.1
August	363.3	273.7	174.9	314.5	289.0
September	362.9	271.3	176.3	332.8	289.0
October	362.9	270.8	168.0	325.2	286.0
November	362.9	269.9	176.8	319.3	279.4
December	363.3	270.2	176.8	326.9	279.1
1983 -					
January	363.3	271.1	195.9	339.7	276.6
February	359.1	271.0	200.5	347.0	270.7
March	358.0	273.0	192.8	334.9	270.7
April	358.8	272.9	200.9	352.4	275.1
May	358.8	273.0	208.2	355.8	279.5
June	360.0	273.3	197.3	330.2	279.5
July	360.0	274.6	196.8	345.7	289.9
August	360.2	274.6	193.1	353.4	293.7
September	360.2	275.2	185.3	350.0	298.4
October	359.8	270.9	172.8	350.3	315.7
November	359.8	269.0	162.9	353.0	320.9
December	358.0	269.8	167.5	358.8	330.2
1984 -					
January	360.1	271.4	162.0	348.3	331.9
February	360.1	272.5	170.0	355.4	331.9
March	360.1	272.8	182.2	369.4	332.2
April	360.1	273.0	186.1	365.2	339.7
May	360.1	272.7	173.4	360.7	339.6
June	360.1	273.9	170.2	356.7	340.4
July	365.9	273.8	164.1	344.8	340.3

(a) Includes components other than those shown.

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TABLE 28

33.

INDEX OF AND MONTHLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING JAPAN

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Monthly Earnings '000 Yen	Index 1980 = 100
1975	163.7	66.9
1976	183.6	75.1
1977	200.8	82.1
1978	214.6	87.7
1979	227.8	93.1
1980	244.6	100.0
1981	259.7	106.2
1982	269.6	110.2
1983	278.9	114.1
1982 -		
January	206.0	84.2
February	199.7	81.6
March	201.8	82.5
April	201.2	82.3
May	208.8	85.4
June	318.8	130.3
July	422.9	172.9
August	246.0	100.6
September	206.3	84.3
October	206.5	84.4
November	214.6	87.7
December	599.0	244.9
1983-		
January	211.6	86.5
February	205.6	84.1
March	209.6	85.7
April	211.8	86.6
May	213.3	87.2
June	337.2	137.9
July	443.1	181.2
August	240.9	98.5
September	215.1	88.0
October	215.4	88.1
November	227.5	93.0
December	615.6	251.7
1984 -		
January	221.3	90.5
February	216.6	88.6
March	221.3	90.5
April	222.8	91.1
May	224.6	91.8
June	353.9	144.7
July	468.1	191.4

TABLE 29

34.

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES
JAPAN

1975 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (UN)

Year	Raw Materials	Producers' Materials	Consumers' Goods
1980	158	167	121
1981	163	168	124
1982	175	171	125
1983	161	166	125
1982 -			
June	167	170	125
July	170	171	125
August	171	172	125
September	173	173	126
October	183	173	126
November	182	173	126
December	172	171	126
1983 -			
January	167	169	125
February	168	169	125
March	164	168	125
April	163	166	124
May	158	165	125
June	158	166	125
July	158	166	125
August	161	166	125
September	161	166	125
October	157	164	125
November	157	165	126
December	157	165	126
1984 -			
January	157	165	126
February	157	165	126
March	155	165	126
April	155	164	126
May	156	165	126
June	155	164	126
July	157	165	126

TABLE 30

35.

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

JAPAN

1980 = 100

Source: Price Indexes Annual - Bank of Japan

	Electrical Machinery	Iron and Steel	Pig Iron	Steel Sections	Steel Plates	Hot Rolled Steel Sheets, Hoops and Strips
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	100.6	99.2	101.7	94.1	101.8	102.3
	99.5	99.4	101.1	93.0	102.8	104.2
	97.9	99.5	98.5	91.5	105.8	107.3
	100.5	99.3	101.7	94.0	101.8	102.3
	100.6	99.7	101.7	94.1	101.8	102.3
	100.6	99.7	101.7	94.4	101.8	102.3
	100.5	99.4	101.7	94.3	101.7	102.3
er	100.5	99.0	101.7	93.8	101.6	102.2
	100.2	98.6	101.7	93.1	101.6	102.2
r	100.2	98.6	101.7	93.4	101.6	102.2
r	100.2	98.6	101.7	93.5	101.5	102.2
	100.2	98.2	101.7	92.9	101.4	102.2
y	100.1	98.5	101.7	92.3	101.4	102.2
	100.0	98.7	101.0	92.7	101.5	102.2
	99.7	98.9	101.0	92.9	101.6	102.3
	99.6	98.8	101.0	92.8	101.6	102.3
	99.4	98.6	101.0	92.4	101.6	102.2
	99.5	98.6	101.0	92.1	101.6	102.2
	99.5	100.0	101.0	93.4	101.7	105.2
er	99.2	100.4	101.0	94.6	103.9	107.4
	99.1	100.7	101.0	94.5	106.1	107.3
r	99.0	100.8	101.0	93.7	105.9	107.3
r	98.8	100.4	101.0	91.5	105.7	107.2
	98.8	100.0	101.0	89.7	105.7	107.2
y	98.6	99.4	101.0	88.9	105.8	107.3
	98.4	99.1	101.0	89.3	105.8	107.3
	98.2	99.2	97.7	90.0	105.7	107.3
	97.9	99.3	97.7	90.2	105.6	107.3
	97.8	99.3	97.7	89.9	105.6	107.3
	97.7	99.4	97.7	90.1	105.7	107.3
	97.6	99.3	97.7	90.5	105.7	107.3
er	97.6	99.5	97.7	93.2	105.7	107.3
	97.6	99.7	97.7	95.1	105.8	107.3
r	97.2	99.7	97.7	95.7	106.2	107.4
r	97.0	99.6	97.7	95.2	106.3	107.4

INDEX OF WHOLESALE PRICES FOR SELECTED COMMODITIES

JAPAN - continued

1980 = 100

Source: Price Indexes Annual - Bank of Japan

	Steel Tubes and Pipes	Structural Steel	Copper Ingot	Aluminium Ingot	Copper and Brass Products	Aluminium and Aluminium Alloy Rolled Products
	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	101.5	99.9	79.4	99.5	85.5	97.9
	102.5	97.3	76.3	99.5	82.1	96.0
	102.7	93.1	77.7	99.5	81.2	97.6
	101.2	99.4	79.0	99.5	84.4	98.2
	101.2	99.4	79.5	99.5	84.8	98.1
	101.2	99.4	79.0	99.5	86.3	97.9
	101.1	99.3	87.1	99.5	89.5	97.3
r	101.1	99.3	82.4	99.5	88.2	97.1
	101.3	99.0	79.0	99.5	86.5	96.8
	101.9	99.0	77.7	99.5	85.5	96.0
	102.0	99.0	75.2	99.5	83.0	96.1
	101.9	98.9	75.2	99.5	83.0	95.8
	102.1	97.4	77.9	99.5	83.1	95.7
	102.1	97.3	76.2	99.5	82.7	95.5
	102.0	97.3	76.3	99.5	82.6	95.5
	101.7	97.3	75.9	99.5	82.3	95.5
	101.4	97.3	69.3	99.5	79.2	95.5
	101.1	97.3	75.1	99.5	80.8	96.1
	102.3	97.2	77.7	99.5	82.2	96.1
r	103.7	96.9	77.1	99.5	82.7	96.1
	104.4	96.8	80.0	99.5	82.8	96.5
	104.0	96.7	79.7	99.5	82.9	96.5
	103.5	96.6	74.7	99.5	80.7	96.5
	103.2	96.5	74.2	99.5	80.4	96.6
	102.8	92.6	79.0	99.5	81.2	95.7
	102.7	92.6	77.8	99.5	80.6	95.7
	102.5	92.6	79.6	99.5	80.5	95.7
	102.4	92.8	83.7	99.5	81.7	95.7
	102.3	92.8	83.1	99.5	82.0	96.5
	102.3	92.8	82.8	99.5	81.8	96.5
	102.3	92.8	81.5	99.5	81.5	96.9
r	102.4	92.9	78.4	99.5	81.3	97.8
	102.6	93.0	71.5	99.5	81.0	101.0
	103.0	93.0	69.6	99.5	80.7	101.5
	103.3	93.2	71.5	99.5	81.4	101.5

Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark	Guilders	Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	4.47	4.64	2.42	31.25	31.25	130.42	116.67
1965	-	4.72	5.08	2.55	32.70	32.90	132.08	120.00
1966	-	4.97	5.31	2.97	34.80	35.40	143.92	127.19
1967	4.75	5.22	5.31	3.14	36.65	37.30	144.36	132.88
1968	5.15	5.57	5.33	3.37	38.55	39.15	159.37	156.03
1969	5.90	6.07	5.98	3.59	39.60	40.20	171.70	156.03
1970	6.08	6.57	7.20	3.93	43.95	44.60	186.00	170.00
1971	6.96	6.57	8.21	4.96	50.00	50.50	198.00	200.00
1972	7.21	7.77	8.92	5.52	65.00	65.50	231.00	205.00
1973	7.86	7.77	9.81	6.27	80.50	81.00	254.00	235.00
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.20	87.50	88.00	369.00	338.00
1975	(c)	10.15	10.87	8.17	93.00	93.00	415.93	413.75
1976	9.76	10.97	11.54	8.71	130.00	130.50	461.25	461.25
1977	10.06	10.97	12.21	9.36	136.50	137.03	504.75	504.75
1978	(c)	(c)	13.08	10.18	150.50	151.00	540.03	540.03
1979	(c)	(c)	14.13	11.11	167.50	168.00	593.75	593.75
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.55	201.00	201.50	593.00	593.00
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	15.00	215.50	216.00	662.00	662.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	15.92	237.00	238.00	807.10	807.15
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	16.25	254.00	250.50	-	839.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) See Note (c) Page 47.

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Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark	Guilders	Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	4.33	4.64	2.42	31.25	31.25	132.08	122.50
1965	-	4.58	5.08	2.55	32.70	32.90	133.96	125.83
1966	-	4.88	5.31	2.97	34.80	35.40	146.08	131.22
1967	5.15	5.21	5.31	3.14	36.65	37.30	146.52	136.98
1968	5.55	5.71	5.53	3.37	38.55	39.15	161.53	160.43
1969	6.15	6.21	5.98	3.59	39.60	40.20	179.43	160.43
1970	6.65	6.88	7.20	3.93	43.95	44.60	190.00	175.00
1971	7.65	6.88	8.21	4.96	50.00	50.50	219.00	205.00
1972	8.20	6.88	8.92	5.52	65.00	65.50	235.00	210.00
1973	8.35	8.10	9.81	6.27	80.50	81.00	258.00	242.00
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.13	87.50	88.00	375.00	345.00
1975	(c)	10.70	10.87	8.10	93.00	93.00	420.75	418.50
1976	10.20	10.50	11.54	8.64	130.00	130.50	461.25	461.25
1977	10.40	11.65	12.21	9.27	136.50	137.03	504.75	304.75
1978	(c)	(c)	13.08	10.06	150.50	151.00	540.03	540.03
1979	(c)	(c)	14.13	11.02	167.50	168.00	603.75	603.75
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.45	201.00	201.50	606.00	606.00
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	15.00	215.50	216.00	674.00	674.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	15.92	237.00	238.00	822.10	822.10
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	16.25	250.00	250.50	-	863.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) See Note (c) Page 47.

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MANUFACTURE OF MACHINERY - FITTERS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	France (a)		Germany (a)	Netherlands (b)	United Kingdom (b)		Australia (b)	
	Paris Region	France	Mark	Guilders	Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
					Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	4.51		4.51	2.34	25.20	25.75	103.25	105.25
1965	4.80		4.83	2.68	27.95	28.30	104.75	106.75
1966	5.10		5.11	3.02	30.10	30.20	109.75	111.75
1967	5.43		5.28	3.30	32.20	32.20	115.00	117.00
1968	6.09		5.62	3.48	32.20	32.20	136.88	138.88
1969	6.71		6.05	3.75	37.50	37.50	136.88	138.88
1970	7.49		6.82	4.14	40.65	40.65	141.00	143.00
1971	8.55		7.75	4.51	43.75	43.75	164.50	166.50
1972	9.75		8.41	5.10	55.00	55.00	177.00	179.00
1973	11.12		9.46	5.82	62.50	62.50	194.25	196.25
1974	13.21		10.52	6.86	71.25	71.25	265.25	267.25
1975	13.12		-	7.73	90.00	90.00	284.25	286.50
1976	-		10.35	8.25	105.00	105.00	317.75	320.25
1977	-		-	8.84	105.00	105.00	352.25	355.00
1978	-		-	9.16	150.00	150.00	367.75	370.50
1979	-		-	10.39	150.00	150.00	421.50	424.50
1980	-		-	10.81	182.50	182.50	484.28	487.66
1981	-		-	11.39	197.50	197.50	520.25	523.90
1982	-		-	11.99	212.82	212.82	678.70	674.74
1983	-		-	11.99	223.00	223.00	-	705.00

(a) Average Earnings.

(b) Minimum Rates.

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CONSTRUCTION - STRUCTURAL STEEL ERECTORS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark	Guilders	Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	5.00	4.64	2.37	30.00	30.40	117.50	103.75
1965	-	5.07	5.08	2.50	34.30	34.50	119.39	105.83
1966	-	5.41	5.31	2.91	36.40	36.40	131.19	113.89
1967	5.64	5.71	5.31	3.08	38.55	38.55	131.52	118.22
1968	5.94	6.23	5.53	3.31	38.55	38.55	141.08	127.16
1969	6.94	6.23	5.98	3.52	47.50	47.50	147.45	126.69
1970	7.64	6.48	7.20	3.86	53.75	53.75	169.00	153.70
1971	7.64	8.03	8.21	4.87	53.75	53.75	180.00	177.78
1972	7.89	8.38	8.92	5.42	65.00	65.00	211.00	183.40
1973	8.29	8.78	9.81	6.16	71.00	71.00	234.00	208.50
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.01	79.00	79.00	347.00	307.78
1975	(c)	10.23	10.87	7.96	108.00	108.00	390.03	403.25
1976	(c)	(c)	11.54	8.49	134.90	135.40	426.25	448.00
1977	(c)	(c)	12.21	9.11	142.28	142.28	467.50	490.75
1978	(c)	(c)	13.08	9.88	151.00	151.00	503.33	527.58
1979	(c)	(c)	14.13	10.83	167.50	168.00	535.58	561.63
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.26	201.00	201.50	584.00	584.00
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	14.13	215.50	216.00	652.48	652.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	14.99	237.00	238.00	796.00	796.00
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	15.30	250.00	250.50	-	828.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) New country only series for 'average earnings' commenced in 1974 with limited current information.

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AT CONSTANT AND CURRENT PRICES

Source: Main Economic Indicators (O.E.C.D.)

	at 1975 prices and 1975 exchange rates					at current prices and exchange rates					
	1970	1975	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1980	1981	1982	1983
	'000 Million Dollars U.S.										
Canada	128.64	163.97	191.15	193.03	200.71	192.29	198.1	259.12	290.74	298.05	326.9
United States	1360.90	1538.80	1819.87	1815.82	1870.39	1826.31	1890.2	2598.59	2923.77	3041.36	3281.6
Japan	397.64	498.77	610.43	640.62	666.41	689.68	708.3	1040.45	1141.77	1061.92	1157.0
Australia	73.01	87.95	98.16	99.74	103.82	102.99	101.7	140.53	160.91	157.41	150.5
New Zealand	10.26	13.79	13.32	13.75	14.14	14.20	14.1	23.50	24.81	23.83	22.2
Austria	31.06	37.67	43.27	44.58	44.51	45.01	45.5	77.06	66.48	66.89	67.4
Belgium	52.69	61.75	69.31	71.54	70.72	71.52	71.5	117.16	95.86	84.29	81.5
Denmark	34.14	37.63	43.28	43.09	42.79	44.31	45.1	66.32	57.64	56.39	56.0
Finland	22.87	27.70	30.67	32.52	33.02	33.85	34.8	50.09	49.12	49.10	47.8
France	278.53	338.82	393.72	397.97	399.13	405.42	407.4	654.34	571.54	540.09	514.9
Germany	376.02	417.23	487.10	496.07	495.68	490.52	496.7	814.98	682.56	658.99	657.7
Greece	16.28	20.82	25.34	25.75	25.65	25.65	25.7	40.13	36.88	38.36	36.4
Iceland	0.96	1.29	1.53	1.59	1.62	1.60	1.5	2.88	2.95	2.64	2.3
Ireland	6.73	8.25	9.85	10.21	10.38	10.50	10.6	18.22	17.02	17.63	17.7
Italy	170.45	192.05	223.18	231.91	232.24	231.43	228.0	395.52	353.02	347.35	355.1
Luxembourg	1.97	2.36	2.63	2.67	2.62	2.59	2.5	4.62	3.86	3.34	3.2
Netherlands	74.56	87.09	98.49	99.33	98.51	96.97	98.2	169.38	141.58	137.59	133.3
Norway	22.67	28.45	34.57	36.07	36.17	35.96	36.5	57.71	57.24	56.18	55.0
Portugal	11.91	14.76	18.36	19.11	19.21	19.88	19.9	24.60	23.81	23.38	20.5
Spain	80.13	104.84	113.77	115.53	115.81	117.22	119.6	211.78	187.65	181.25	159.4
Sweden	63.76	72.44	76.11	77.38	76.96	77.29	78.6	124.15	112.85	99.16	91.6
Switzerland	52.15	54.30	56.43	59.03	59.89	59.15	59.2	101.65	94.06	96.54	98.2
Turkey	22.48	35.96	42.47	42.32	44.22	46.72	48.1	56.98	57.70	52.98	53.3
United Kingdom	210.12	232.54	257.76	251.01	247.82	253.54	259.9	525.78	500.83	477.38	449.2

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VARIOUS COUNTRIES

Source: Main Economic Indicators (O.E.C.D.)

Period	Aust (\$A) Million	U.K. (Ster) Million	U.S. (\$US) '000 Million	Canada (\$C) '000 Million	Germany (D.M.) '000 Million	Japan (Yen) '000 Million	Sweden (Krona) (a) '000 Million	Italy (Lira) '000 Million
1975	65631	92507	1528.8	165.43	1032.9	148825	287.1	115072
1976	78252	110087	1702.2	191.03	1125.1	167295	291.3	156657
1977	86582	126943	1918.0	208.87	1200.5	184368	297.3	190083
1978	95819	145304	2156.1	230.35	1290.7	202708	301.3	222254
1979	108098	167937	2417.8	261.58	1395.3	218894	516.5	269198
1980	123969	230197	2631.7	297.56	1485.8	235834	525.1	338744
1981	140515	254203	2957.8	339.80	1545.1	252000	522.2	401579
1982	157575	277334	3069.2	358.30	1599.1	264775	524.6	471390
1983	172071	301298	3304.8	390.34	1671.6	274639	536.8	535904
Quarter								
1980 -								
March	116280	184280	2571.1	280.22	1472.4	226642	527.8	326136
June	120244	189532	2564.8	284.37	1484.8	232104	516.6	334732
September	124348	199176	2643.7	294.24	1496.8	239066	528.8	335632
December	129232	203540	2739.4	305.39	1496.8	243029	530.4	359772
1981 -								
March	132440	207772	2864.9	318.70	1508.4	246627	524.0	381580
June	137428	209600	2901.8	328.70	1527.2	249547	524.2	391788
September	143132	211712	2980.9	335.32	1561.6	253521	522.8	394084
December	146484	260060	3032.2	350.66	1572.8	255899	522.0	430932
1982 -								
March	151068	266492	3026.0	352.22	1575.6	259287	519.4	460004
June	156876	274344	3061.2	354.74	1594.4	264491	526.7	458924
September	159976	278040	3080.1	360.68	1604.4	267526	524.6	479824
December	162604	286912	3109.6	365.57	1619.6	267743	527.9	486808
1983 -								
March	165048	296212	3173.8	374.27	1637.2	270144	527.6	511880
June	166140	294456	3267.0	385.25	1659.2	273190	535.0	518592
September	175784	304268	3346.6	398.70	1674.8	276421	539.1	545668
December	181312	310256	3431.7	403.14	1715.2	279029	545.3	567476
1984 -								
March	188648	314440	3553.3	410.81	1735.6	284759	550.1	586780
June	196132	312856	3644.7	418.87	1700.8	290410	549.9	600360
September	-	-	3695.2	-	-	-	-	-

(a) 1980 Kronor market prices. Prior to 1980 at 1975 know market prices

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TABLE 37

44.

INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ALL ITEMS

VARIOUS COUNTRIES - continued

1970 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (United Nations)

Year	France	Netherlands	Germany F.R.	Japan	Sweden	Italy
1975	152.8	151.3	134.7	172.4	146.6	171.1
1976	166.9	164.6	140.4	188.4	161.7	199.8
1977	183.2	175.6	145.6	203.6	180.1	236.6
1978	199.8	182.7	149.6	211.3	198.1	265.3
1979	221.2	190.5	155.8	218.9	212.4	304.5
1980	251.3	203.1	163.9	236.4	241.5	369.1
1981	285.0	216.7	174.3	248.0	270.8	441.1
1982	318.7	229.6	183.4	254.6	294.0	513.7
1983	349.3	235.9	189.5	259.3	320.1	588.9
1977- March	177.1	172.2	145.2	200.0	173.0	288.5
June	182.5	176.4	147.2	204.1	181.2	235.8
September	186.7	177.8	146.7	207.2	185.2	242.5
December	189.4	178.9	147.5	205.3	189.0	249.3
1978- March	193.4	180.6	149.7	209.0	195.2	257.2
June	198.9	181.9	150.8	211.2	197.7	264.3
September	203.8	185.5	150.0	214.8	199.8	271.6
December	207.8	185.8	151.1	212.6	202.9	278.2
1979- March	213.0	188.3	153.5	213.8	207.0	291.0
June	219.2	189.5	155.6	219.1	210.3	300.3
September	226.3	192.7	157.2	221.6	215.7	314.5
December	233.3	194.7	158.8	224.8	222.7	330.6
1980- March	242.1	199.5	162.4	230.9	234.8	350.6
June	248.7	201.9	164.9	237.6	237.8	363.2
September	257.1	206.2	165.3	241.4	248.0	381.6
December	264.0	207.8	167.6	240.7	254.2	401.0
1981- March	272.3	212.7	171.3	245.2	265.3	422.3
June	281.2	215.3	174.0	248.9	269.5	439.6
September	292.9	220.2	176.1	250.8	276.0	452.7
December	301.0	222.6	178.1	251.8	277.4	473.6
1982- March	310.8	227.3	180.3	251.7	288.2	491.6
June	319.2	229.3	184.1	254.4	292.4	506.6
September	322.5	232.2	184.8	258.9	296.8	530.2
December	330.1	232.2	186.2	256.3	304.2	550.0
1983- March	338.7	233.3	187.8	257.4	312.9	571.0
June	347.3	234.7	189.2	259.3	318.3	585.2
September	355.1	237.8	191.0	260.8	324.8	600.9
December	360.6	239.4	191.8	260.8	332.1	619.3
1984 - March	367.9	242.4	193.6	263.8	340.2	638.7
June	373.9	243.3	194.4	264.3	344.0	651.5
September	-	-	194.2	-	349.7	-

INDEX OF CONSUMER PRICES - ALL ITEMS

VARIOUS COUNTRIES

1970 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (United Nations)

Year	Australia	United Kingdom	United States	Canada	New Zealand
1974	141.5	148.4	127.0	128.6	142.1
1975	162.8	184.4	138.6	142.5	162.8
1976	184.9	214.9	146.6	153.2	190.4
1977	207.6	249.0	156.1	165.4	217.8
1978	224.0	269.6	167.9	180.2	243.8
1979	244.3	305.8	187.2	196.7	277.1
1980	269.2	360.8	212.2	216.7	324.7
1981	295.3	403.6	234.2	243.9	374.7
1982	328.1	438.3	248.6	270.2	434.9
1983	361.3	458.4	256.6	285.9	467.1
1977- March	200.7	240.5	153.2	161.5	204.3
June	205.5	251.2	156.3	164.9	214.1
September	209.5	254.0	158.2	168.1	221.7
December	214.5	255.7	160.0	172.0	229.6
1978- March	217.2	262.4	163.1	175.7	234.5
June	221.7	269.8	167.9	180.1	240.7
September	226.0	273.9	171.2	182.6	246.7
December	231.1	279.4	174.5	186.5	253.1
1979- March	235.0	288.1	180.0	192.0	258.9
June	241.3	300.4	186.5	196.1	270.6
September	246.8	319.0	192.3	200.1	289.1
December	254.2	327.5	197.8	204.7	294.9
1980- March	259.8	345.0	206.3	209.9	297.2
June	267.2	363.5	213.1	215.9	319.1
September	227.1	369.6	216.6	221.6	330.6
December	277.8	377.0	222.4	227.7	342.5
1981- March	284.4	388.5	228.4	236.0	353.1
June	290.7	404.7	233.4	243.6	367.1
September	296.8	411.8	240.0	249.4	381.5
December	309.1	422.5	241.7	255.1	396.2
1982- March	314.3	428.7	242.9	263.3	408.9
June	321.9	441.7	249.4	271.0	429.5
September	333.2	441.7	251.8	275.2	444.9
December	342.9	445.3	251.1	278.9	456.8
1983- March	350.4	448.6	252.3	282.3	460.6
June	358.0	457.9	256.3	286.3	465.1
September	364.0	464.5	259.5	289.0	468.8
December	372.6	469.0	261.0	291.7	473.3
1984 - March	371.0	472.1	264.2	295.6	476.6
June	371.8	481.4	267.2	298.0	487.0
September	-	-	270.4	-	-

TABLE 36

42.

INDEX OF SELECTED HOME MARKET
PRODUCER PRICES

SWEDEN

1980 = 100

Source: Main Economic Indicators (OECD)

Year	Manufactured Goods	Chemicals	Basic Metals	Metal Products
1980	100	100	100	100
1981	110	117	102	107
1982	125	134	116	120
1983	139	150	129	135
1981 -				
September	112	118	102	108
December	116	125	106	111
1982 -				
March	120	129	113	115
June	122	127	116	118
September	124	132	116	119
December	132	147	118	127
1983 -				
January	135	149	121	130
February	135	145	122	132
March	135	143	124	133
April	136	145	126	134
May	137	146	128	134
June	138	148	129	135
July	140	149	131	136
August	141	152	133	136
September	141	153	133	137
October	142	154	133	137
November	143	155	133	138
December	144	156	133	138
1984				
January	146	158	135	139
February	147	159	136	141
March	148	158	136	141
April	148	157	138	142
May	149	157	138	142
June	149	158	140	142
July	150	158	140	143
August	151	159	140	143
September	152	162	140	144

TABLE 35

41.

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING
SWEDEN

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - UN

Year	Hourly Earnings (Krona)	Index 1980 = 100
1974	20.30	62.1
1975	23.79	72.8
1976	24.09	73.7
1977	25.70	78.7
1978	27.94	85.5
1979	30.11	92.2
1980	32.67	100.0
1981	36.24	110.9
1982	39.08	119.6
1983	41.53	127.1
1982-		
January	37.76	115.6
February	37.81	115.7
March	38.22	117.0
April	39.31	120.3
May	39.84	121.9
June	39.14	119.8
July	39.90	122.1
August	39.01	119.4
September	39.24	120.1
October	39.44	120.7
November	39.36	120.5
December	39.88	122.1
1983-		
January	40.02	122.5
February	39.84	121.9
March	39.65	121.4
April	40.79	124.9
May	41.86	128.1
June	41.89	128.2
July	42.87	131.2
August	41.49	127.0
September	42.08	128.8
October	42.43	129.9
November	42.46	130.0
December	43.00	131.6
1984 -		
January	42.91	131.3
February	42.84	131.1
March	43.06	131.8
April	44.03	134.7
May	45.03	137.8
June	45.97	140.7

TABLE 34

40.

INDEX OF AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS OF MALE EMPLOYEES
 NETHERLANDS
 1972 = 100

Source: Maandschrift

Period	Employees Employed in -	
	Private Enterprise	Government
1974	131	128
1975	151	147
1976	165	160
1977	177	171
1978	189	181
1979	200	187
1980	209	192
1981	217	190
1982	233	195
1983	238	188
1982-		
January	230	195
February	230	195
March	230	195
April	230	195
May	230	195
June	230	195
July	235	195
August	235	195
September	235	195
October	235	195
November	235	195
December	235	195
1983-		
January	238	188
February	238	188
March	238	188
April	238	188
May	238	188
June	238	188
July	239	187
August	239	187
September	239	187
October	239	187
November	239	187
December	239	187
1984-		
January	239	185
February	239	185
March	239	185
April	239	185
May	239	185

TABLE 33

39.

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES

NETHERLANDS

1975 = 100

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Producers' Materials	Industrial Products	Capital Goods
1979	119	121	118
1980	142	136	123
1981	171	155	130
1982	176	165	136
1983	175	166	139
1982-			
June	178	166	136
July	179	166	136
August	178	166	136
September	178	166	137
October	180	166	137
November	180	166	137
December	177	165	137
1983-			
January	176	165	139
February	174	164	139
March	170	164	139
April	173	164	138
May	173	164	139
June	174	165	138
July	173	165	139
August	174	166	139
September	176	167	139
October	178	169	139
November	179	169	139
December	179	170	139
1984-			
January	187	173	141
February	186	174	141
March	184	174	141
April	186	175	141
May	188	175	141
June	187	-	141

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

GERMANY F.R.

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Hourly Earnings (D'Marks)	Index 1980 = 100
1973	8.03	60.9
1974	8.94	67.8
1975	9.69	73.5
1976	10.35	78.5
1977	11.14	84.5
1978	11.73	89.0
1979	12.36	93.8
1980	13.18	100.0
1981	13.92	105.6
1982	14.64	111.1
1983	15.14	114.9
1977-		
January	10.71	81.3
April	11.10	84.2
July	11.27	85.5
October	11.26	85.4
1978-		
January	11.27	85.5
April	11.65	88.4
July	11.89	90.2
October	11.85	89.9
1979-		
January	12.01	91.1
April	12.36	93.8
July	12.46	94.5
October	12.44	94.4
1980-		
January	12.54	95.1
April	13.17	99.9
July	13.34	101.2
October	13.34	101.2
1981-		
January	13.45	102.0
April	13.70	103.9
July	14.06	106.7
October	14.13	107.2
1982-		
January	14.24	108.0
April	14.61	110.8
July	14.74	111.8
October	14.74	111.8
1983-		
January	14.78	112.1
April	15.13	114.8
July	15.23	115.5
October	15.24	115.6
1984-		
January	15.22	115.4
April	15.32	116.2

INDEX OF AND HOURLY EARNINGS IN MANUFACTURING

FRANCE

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Statistics - U.N.

Year	Hourly Earnings (Francs)	Index
		1980 = 100
1973	7.05	38.2
1974	8.39	45.5
1975	9.82	53.2
1976	10.94	61.2
1977	12.40	68.4
1978	13.98	77.1
1979	15.78	87.0
1980	18.14	100.0
1981	20.72	114.2
1982	23.97	132.1
1983	26.70	147.2
1978-		
March	13.67	75.4
June	14.25	78.6
September	14.67	80.9
December	15.60	86.0
1979-		
March	15.49	85.4
June	16.00	88.2
September	16.58	91.4
December	17.14	94.5
1980-		
March	17.79	98.1
June	18.50	102.0
September	19.12	105.4
December	19.68	108.5
1981 -		
March	20.21	111.4
June	21.07	116.2
September	21.92	120.8
December	22.80	125.7
1982 -		
March	23.86	131.5
June	24.59	135.6
September	24.62	135.7
December	25.63	141.3
1983 -		
January	25.63	141.3
April	26.43	145.7
July	27.10	149.4
October	27.64	152.4
1984 -		
January	28.19	155.4
April	28.61	157.7
July	29.14	160.7

HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued

CONSTRUCTION - PLUMBERS

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)		Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
	Dollars	Dollars	Mark	Guilders	Pence	Pence	Cents	Cents
1964	-	5.42	4.64	2.29	31.25	31.25	135.42	121.46
1965	-	6.20	5.08	2.41	32.70	32.90	137.08	126.67
1966	-	6.56	5.31	3.04	34.80	35.40	149.53	132.27
1967	5.60	6.86	5.31	3.33	36.65	37.30	149.97	138.08
1968	6.00	7.16	5.53	3.53	38.55	39.15	175.54	162.27
1969	6.30	7.30	5.98	3.78	39.60	40.20	184.35	162.27
1970	6.70	7.52	7.20	4.18	43.95	44.60	205.33	177.00
1971	8.20	8.03	8.21	4.81	50.00	50.50	233.75	207.00
1972	9.05	8.03	8.92	5.77	65.00	65.00	250.03	228.00
1973	9.35	8.23	9.81	6.36	71.50	71.50	273.03	252.00
1974	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.49	81.50	81.50	415.17	350.00
1975	(c)	11.02	10.87	8.56	101.50	101.50	430.00	415.35
1976	10.40	11.75	11.54	9.13	121.75	121.75	487.96	438.25
1977	10.80	12.60	12.21	9.87	133.00	133.00	533.14	480.25
1978	-	-	13.08	10.22	160.00	160.00	602.73	592.00
1979	-	-	14.13	11.11	186.00	186.00	627.25	649.08
1980	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.54	204.00	233.00	658.00	655.50
1981	(c)	(c)	15.90	12.15	233.00	233.00	727.25	728.00
1982	(c)	(c)	16.35	12.99	250.00	254.00	853.00	848.50
1983	(c)	(c)	16.95	12.99	269.00	279.00	-	857.00

(a) Minimum rates.

(b) Average earnings.

(c) See Note (c) Page 47.

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HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued
CONSTRUCTION - ELECT. FITTERS (INSIDE WIREMEN)

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States (a)			Germany (b)	Netherlands (a)	United Kingdom (a)		Australia (a)	
	Boston Dollars	Francisco Dollars	San Dollars			Glasgow Pence	London Pence	Melbourne Cents	Sydney Cents
1964	-	5.12	5.12	4.64	2.41	35.40	38.55	103.25	106.75
1965	-	5.41	5.41	5.08	2.58	37.50	39.60	104.75	108.25
1966	-	5.80	5.80	5.31	3.08	37.50	43.35	109.75	118.88
1967	5.45	6.17	6.17	5.31	3.38	42.50	48.35	115.00	124.13
1968	5.90	6.59	6.59	5.53	3.58	43.75	50.85	136.88	146.50
1969	6.20	6.77	6.77	5.98	3.83	46.25	52.50	136.88	146.50
1970	7.05	7.12	7.12	7.20	4.23	51.25	58.35	141.00	165.63
1971	7.85	8.63	8.63	8.21	4.69	53.00	60.00	164.50	182.63
1972	8.60	8.63	8.63	8.92	5.77	59.50	67.50	177.00	193.13
1973	9.10	-	-	9.81	6.36	66.50	75.50	194.25	236.63
1974	(c)	(c)	(c)	10.36	7.49	89.00	98.00	265.25	324.88
1975	(c)	10.22	10.22	10.87	8.56	110.00	119.00	284.25	411.50
1976	10.25	12.18	12.18	11.54	9.13	125.00	134.00	317.75	455.75
1977	10.25	13.29	13.29	12.21	9.87	132.37	141.53	352.25	499.00
1978	(c)	(c)	(c)	13.08	10.22	160.00	169.00	367.53	444.50
1979	(c)	(c)	(c)	14.13	11.11	177.00	185.95	394.75	535.50
1980	(c)	(c)	(c)	15.26	11.54	248.00	262.00	455.00	606.25
1981	(c)	(c)	(c)	15.90	12.15	252.00	266.00	488.75	654.75
1982	(c)	(c)	(c)	16.35	12.99	277.00	291.00	674.74	812.10
1983	(c)	(c)	(c)	16.95	12.99	300.00	318.00	-	841.00

(a) Minimum rates

(b) Average earnings

(c) See note (c) Page 47.

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS
CONSTRUCTION - STRUCTURAL STEEL ERECTORS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	Francisco	San			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	87.6	-	87.4	76.9	77.8	78.9	89.3	87.8
1965	-	88.8	-	95.7	81.2	89.0	89.5	90.8	89.5
1966	-	94.7	-	100.0	94.5	94.4	94.4	99.7(a)	96.3(a)
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	105.3	109.1	-	104.1	107.5	100.0	100.0	107.3	107.6
1969	123.0	109.1	-	112.6	114.3	123.2	123.2	112.1	107.2
1970	135.5	113.5	-	135.6	125.3	139.4	139.4	128.5	130.0
1971	135.5	140.6	-	154.6	158.1	139.4	139.4	136.9	150.4
1972	139.9	146.8	-	168.0	176.0	168.6	168.6	160.4	155.1
1973	147.0	153.8	-	184.7	200.0	184.2	184.2	177.9	176.4
1974	-	-	-	195.1	227.6	204.9	204.9	263.8	260.3
1975	-	179.2	-	204.7	258.4	280.2	280.2	296.2	341.1
1976	-	-	-	217.3	275.6	350.0	351.3	323.7	379.0
1977	-	-	-	229.9	295.8	369.1	369.1	355.5	415.1
1978	-	-	-	246.3	320.8	391.7	391.7	382.7	446.3
1979	-	-	-	266.1	351.7	434.5	435.8	407.3	475.1
1980	-	-	-	287.4	365.6	521.4	522.7	444.0	494.0
1981	-	-	-	299.4	458.8	559.0	560.3	496.1	551.5
1982	-	-	-	307.9	486.7	614.8	617.4	605.2	673.3
1983	-	-	-	319.2	496.8	648.5	649.8	-	700.4

(a) Series changed to include miscellaneous allowances (Tool, Disability, Public Holidays, etc)

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued
MANUFACTURE OF MACHINERY - FITTERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	Region	Paris	Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
					Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	83.1		85.4	70.9	78.3	80.0	89.8	90.0
1965	88.4		91.5	81.2	86.8	87.9	91.1	91.2
1966	93.9		96.8	91.5	93.5	93.8	95.4	95.5
1967	100.0		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	112.2		106.4	105.5	100.0	100.0	119.0	118.7
1969	123.6		114.6	113.6	116.5	116.5	199.0	118.7
1970	137.9		129.2	125.5	126.2	126.2	122.6	122.2
1971	157.5		146.8	136.7	135.9	135.9	143.0	142.3
1972	179.6		159.3	154.5	170.8	170.8	153.9	153.0
1973	204.8		179.2	176.4	194.1	194.1	168.9	167.7
1974	243.3		199.2	207.9	221.3	221.3	270.7	228.4
1975	241.6		-	234.2	279.5	279.5	247.2	244.9
1976	-		196.0	250.0	326.1	326.1	276.3	273.7
1977	-		-	267.9	326.1	326.1	306.3	303.4
1978	-		-	277.6	465.8	465.8	319.8	316.9
1979	-		-	314.9	465.8	465.8	366.5	363.1
1980	-		-	327.6	566.8	566.8	421.1	416.8
1981	-		-	345.2	613.4	613.4	452.4	447.8
1982	-		-	360.6	661.0	661.0	590.2	576.7
1983	-		-	360.6	692.6	692.6	-	602.6

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued
CONSTRUCTION - CARPENTERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States		Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	83.1	87.4	77.1	85.3	83.8	90.1	89.4
1965	-	87.9	95.7	81.2	89.2	88.2	91.4	91.9
1966	-	93.7	100.0	94.6	95.0	94.9	99.7	95.8
1967	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	107.8	109.6	104.1	107.3	105.2	105.0	110.2	117.1
1969	119.4	119.2	112.6	114.3	108.0	107.8	122.5	117.1
1970	129.1	132.1	135.6	125.2	119.9	119.6	129.7	127.8
1971	148.5	132.1	154.6	158.0	136.4	135.4	149.5	149.7
1972	159.2	132.1	168.0	175.8	177.4	175.6	160.4	153.3
1973	162.1	155.5	184.7	199.7	219.6	217.2	176.1	176.7
1974	-	-	195.1	227.1	238.7	235.9	255.9	251.9
1975	-	205.4	204.7	258.0	253.8	249.3	287.2	305.5
1976	198.1	201.6	217.3	275.2	354.8	349.8	314.8	336.7
1977	209.9	223.6	229.9	295.2	372.4	367.4	344.5	368.5
1978	-	-	246.3	320.4	410.6	404.8	368.6	394.2
1979	-	-	266.1	351.0	457.0	450.4	412.1	440.7
1980	-	-	287.4	364.6	548.4	540.2	413.6	442.4
1981	-	-	299.5	477.6	588.0	579.1	460.0	492.0
1982	-	-	307.9	506.9	646.6	638.1	561.1	600.2
1983	-	-	319.2	517.4	682.1	671.6	-	630.0

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued
CONSTRUCTION - PAINTERS

1967 = 100

Sources: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States		Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	San Francisco			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	85.6	87.4	77.1	85.3	83.8	90.3	87.8
1965	-	90.4	95.7	81.2	89.2	88.2	91.5	90.3
1966	-	95.2	100.0	94.6	95.0	94.9	99.7	95.7
1967	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	108.4	106.7	104.1	107.3	105.2	105.0	110.4	117.4
1969	124.2	116.3	112.6	114.3	108.0	107.8	118.9	117.4
1970	128.0	125.9	135.6	125.2	119.9	119.6	128.8	127.9
1971	146.5	125.9	154.6	158.0	136.4	135.4	137.2	150.5
1972	151.8	148.9	168.0	175.8	177.4	175.6	160.0	154.3
1973	165.5	148.9	184.7	199.7	219.6	217.2	175.9	176.9
1974	-	-	195.1	229.3	238.7	235.9	255.6	254.4
1975	-	194.4	204.7	260.2	253.8	249.3	288.1	311.4
1976	205.5	210.1	217.3	277.4	354.8	349.8	319.5	347.1
1977	211.8	210.2	229.9	298.1	372.4	367.4	349.6	379.9
1978	-	-	246.3	324.2	410.6	404.8	374.1	406.4
1979	-	-	266.1	353.8	457.0	450.4	411.3	446.8
1980	-	-	287.4	367.8	548.4	540.2	410.8	446.2
1981	-	-	299.4	477.7	587.9	579.1	458.6	498.2
1982	-	-	307.9	507.0	646.6	638.1	559.1	607.4
1983	-	-	319.2	517.5	693.0	671.6	-	631.4

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INDEX OF HOURLY WAGES OF ADULT WAGE EARNERS - continued
CONSTRUCTION - PLUMBERS

1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	San Francisco				Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	79.0	87.4	68.8	85.3	83.8	90.3	88.0	
1965	-	90.4	95.7	72.4	89.2	88.2	91.4	91.7	
1966	-	95.6	100.0	91.3	95.0	94.9	99.7	95.8	
1967	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1968	107.1	104.4	104.1	106.0	105.2	105.0	117.1	117.5	
1969	112.5	106.4	112.6	113.5	108.0	107.8	122.9	117.5	
1970	119.6	109.6	135.6	125.5	119.9	119.6	136.9	128.2	
1971	146.4	117.1	154.6	144.4	136.4	135.4	155.9	149.9	
1972	161.6	117.1	168.0	173.3	177.4	174.3	166.7	165.1	
1973	167.0	120.0	184.7	191.0	195.1	191.7	182.1	182.5	
1974	-	-	195.1	224.9	222.4	218.5	276.8	253.5	
1975	-	160.6	204.7	257.1	276.9	272.1	286.7	300.8	
1976	185.7	171.2	217.3	274.2	332.1	326.4	325.3	317.4	
1977	192.9	183.7	229.9	296.4	362.9	356.6	355.5	347.8	
1978	-	-	246.3	306.9	436.6	428.9	401.9	428.7	
1979	-	-	266.1	333.6	507.5	498.7	418.3	470.1	
1980	-	-	287.4	346.5	556.6	624.7	438.8	474.7	
1981	-	-	299.4	364.9	635.7	624.7	484.9	527.2	
1982	-	-	307.9	390.1	682.1	681.0	568.8	614.5	
1983	-	-	319.2	390.1	733.9	748.0	-	620.6	

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1967 = 100

Source: Bulletin of Labour Statistics (2nd Quarter) International Labour Office

Year	United States			Germany	Netherlands	United Kingdom		Australia	
	Boston	Francisco	San			Glasgow	London	Melbourne	Sydney
1964	-	83.0	-	87.4	71.3	83.3	79.7	89.8	86.0
1965	-	87.7	-	95.7	76.3	88.2	81.9	91.1	87.2
1966	-	94.0	-	100.0	91.1	88.2	89.7	95.4	95.8
1967	100.0	100.0	-	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	108.3	106.8	-	104.1	105.9	102.9	105.2	119.0	118.0
1969	113.8	109.7	-	112.6	113.3	108.8	108.6	119.0	118.0
1970	129.4	115.4	-	135.6	125.1	120.6	120.7	122.6	133.4
1971	144.0	139.9	-	154.6	138.8	124.7	124.1	143.0	147.1
1972	157.8	139.9	-	168.0	170.7	140.0	139.6	153.9	155.6
1973	167.0	-	-	184.7	188.2	156.5	156.2	168.9	190.6
1974	-	-	-	195.1	221.6	209.4	202.7	230.7	261.7
1975	-	165.6	-	204.7	253.3	258.8	246.1	247.2	331.5
1976	188.1	197.4	-	217.3	270.2	294.1	277.1	276.3	367.1
1977	188.1	215.4	-	229.9	292.0	311.5	292.7	306.3	402.0
1978	-	-	-	246.3	302.4	376.5	349.5	319.6	358.1
1979	-	-	-	266.1	328.7	416.5	384.6	343.3	431.4
1980	-	-	-	287.4	341.4	583.5	541.9	395.7	488.4
1981	-	-	-	299.4	359.3	592.9	550.2	425.0	527.5
1982	-	-	-	307.9	384.3	651.7	601.9	586.7	654.2
1983	-	-	-	319.2	384.3	705.8	657.7	-	677.5

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ESCALATION RATE PER ANNUM OF EARNINGS

		Table Number	Escalation Rates		
Country	Index	Reference	From	To	% Rate
Australia	Average Weekly	1	1972	1980	12.9
	Earnings of all		1976	1980	9.9
	Male Employees (a)		Sep 1983	Sep 1984	10.4
	Hourly Wage Rates	3	1976	1984	10.6
	Garden Island		1980	1984	12.5
	Dockyards		Nov 1983	Nov 1984	14.5
	Hourly Wage Rates	3	1976	1984	11.3
	Williamstown		1980	1984	14.7
	Dockyard		Sep 1983	Sep 1984	9.7
United States	Average Weekly Earnings -	18	1975	1983	7.7
	Fabricated Metal Products		1979	1983	7.4
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	2.0
	Machinery Manufacture	18	1975	1983	7.5
	excl. Electrical		1979	1983	6.3
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	5.6
	Ship Building Repair	19	1975	1983	8.8
			1979	1983	9.1
			Dec 1982	Dec 1983	2.7
Netherlands	Average Hourly				
	Earnings of Male				
	Employees				
	Employees Employed	34	1975	1983	5.9
	in Private Enterprise		1979	1983	4.4
			May 1983	May 1984	0.4
	Employees Employed	34	1975	1983	3.1
	in Government		1979	1983	0.1
			May 1983	May 1984	-1.6
Canada	Hourly Earnings	25	1975	1983	9.6
	in Manufacturing		1979	1983	9.2
			May 1983	May 1984	5.4

As from September 1981, the method of compiling average weekly earnings estimates has changed. See Note (1) page 2. Long term escalation rates are based on the old series.

ESCALATION RATE PER ANNUM OF EARNINGS - continued

Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates		
		From	To	% Rate
Monthly Earnings in Manufacturing	28	1975	1983	6.9
		1979	1983	5.2
		Jul 1983	Jul 1984	5.2
Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	31	1975	1983	13.3
		1979	1983	14.1
		Jul 1983	Jul 1984	7.6
Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	32	1975	1983	5.7
		1979	1983	5.2
		Apr 1983	Apr 1984	1.2
Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	24	1974	1982	15.8
		1978	1982	17.0
		Nov 1982	Nov 1983	2.7
Hourly Earnings in Manufacturing	35	1975	1983	7.2
		1979	1983	8.4
		Jun 1983	Jun 1984	9.8

The yearly figures shown are averages for that year whereas the monthly figures shown relate to the index point for that month only.

TABLE 43

61.

ESCALATION RATES PER ANNUM OF PRODUCERS PRICE AND WHOLESALE PRICES

Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates			
		From	To	% Rate	
Lia	Materials used in House Building -				
	Steel	8	1976	1984	10.8
	Products		1980	1984	11.1
		Sep 1983	Sep 1984		3.9
	Electrical	8	1976	1984	11.7
	Installation		1980	1984	12.0
	Materials	Sep 1983	Sep 1984		6.7
	All Groups		1976	1984	10.0
			1980	1984	10.2
		Sep 1983	Sep 1984		8.8
Kingdom	Output -	15	1978	1983	5.9
	Metal		1979	1983	4.3
	Manufacturing		Aug 1983	Aug 1984	6.7
	Electrical and Electronic	15	1978	1983	8.5
	Engineering		1979	1983	7.6
			Aug 1983	Aug 1984	5.3
	Instrument	15	1978	1983	9.5
	Engineering		1979	1983	9.1
			Aug 1983	Aug 1984	5.0
	Total	15	1978	1983	9.5
	Manufacturing		1979	1983	9.1
	Sales		Aug 1983	Aug 1984	6.3
States	Output	21	1975	1983	6.9
	Iron and Steel		1979	1983	4.9
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	2.7
	Machinery and	21	1975	1983	7.4
	Equipment		1979	1983	7.6
			Sep 1983	Sep 1984	2.3
	Electrical	21	1975	1983	6.9
	Machinery and		1979	1983	7.6
	Equipment		Sep 1983	Sep 1984	2.6

TABLE 43

62.

INFLATION RATES PER ANNUM OF PRODUCERS PRICES AND WHOLESALE PRICES - continued

Index	Table Number Reference	Escalation Rates					
		From	To	% Rate			
nds	Producers' Materials	33	1975	1983	(a)		
			1979	1983	10.1		
			Jun 1983	Jun 1984	7.5		
	Industrial Products	33	1975	1983	(a)		
			1979	1983	8.2		
			May 1983	May 1984	6.7		
	Capital Goods	33	1975	1983	(a)		
			1979	1983	4.2		
			Jun 1983	Jun 1984	2.2		
		Raw Materials	26	1975	1983	(a)	
				1979	1983	11.7	
				Jul 1983	Jul 1984	3.3	
		Industrial Products	26	1975	1983	(a)	
				1979	1983	8.1	
				Jul 1983	Jul 1984	4.1	
		Raw Materials	29	1975	1983	(a)	
				1980	1983	0.6	
				Jul 1983	Jul 1984	-0.6	
		Producers' Materials	29	1975	1983	(a)	
				1980	1983	-0.2	
				Jul 1983	Jul 1984	-0.6	
			Manufactured Goods	36	1975	1983	(a)
					1980	1983	11.6
					Sep 1983	Sep 1984	7.8
	Basic Metals		36	1975	1983	(a)	
				1980	1983	8.9	
				Sep 1983	Sep 1984	5.3	
	Metal Products		36	1975	1983	(a)	
				1980	1983	10.5	
				Sep 1983	Sep 1984	5.1	

The yearly figures shown are averages for that year whereas monthly figures shown relate to the index points for that month only.

* series. Long term escalation rates are not available.

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