

Table 6. Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls, by major industry group

| Major industry group               | Average weekly earnings |           |           | Average weekly hours |           |           | Average hourly earnings |           |           |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|                                    | Apr. 1962               | Mar. 1962 | Apr. 1961 | Apr. 1962            | Mar. 1962 | Apr. 1961 | Apr. 1962               | Mar. 1962 | Apr. 1961 |
| Manufacturing.....                 | \$26.56                 | \$25.91   | \$20.78   | 40.4                 | 40.3      | 39.3      | \$2.39                  | \$2.38    | \$2.31    |
| Durable goods.....                 | \$104.96                | \$104.30  | \$98.31   | 41.0                 | 40.9      | 39.8      | \$2.56                  | \$2.55    | \$2.47    |
| Ordnance and accessories.....      | 117.03                  | 117.03    | 112.06    | 41.5                 | 41.5      | 40.6      | 2.82                    | 2.82      | 2.76      |
| Lumber and wood products.....      | 76.05                   | 75.07     | 74.88     | 39.0                 | 39.1      | 38.8      | 1.95                    | 1.92      | 1.93      |
| Furniture and fixtures.....        | 78.36                   | 78.76     | 73.14     | 40.6                 | 40.6      | 38.7      | 1.93                    | 1.94      | 1.89      |
| Stone, clay, and glass products..  | 97.75                   | 95.68     | 93.03     | 40.9                 | 40.2      | 40.1      | 2.39                    | 2.38      | 2.32      |
| Primary metal industries.....      | 123.41                  | 123.41    | 111.25    | 41.0                 | 41.0      | 38.9      | 3.01                    | 3.01      | 2.86      |
| Fabricated metal products.....     | 104.90                  | 103.48    | 99.45     | 41.3                 | 40.9      | 40.1      | 2.54                    | 2.53      | 2.48      |
| Machinery.....                     | 113.67                  | 112.98    | 106.49    | 42.1                 | 42.0      | 40.8      | 2.70                    | 2.69      | 2.61      |
| Electrical equipment.....          | 96.63                   | 96.39     | 93.13     | 40.6                 | 40.5      | 39.8      | 2.38                    | 2.38      | 2.34      |
| Transportation equipment.....      | 119.39                  | 118.40    | 110.95    | 41.6                 | 41.4      | 40.2      | 2.87                    | 2.86      | 2.76      |
| Instruments and related products.. | 98.90                   | 98.17     | 95.51     | 40.7                 | 40.4      | 40.3      | 2.43                    | 2.43      | 2.37      |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing.....   | 78.60                   | 79.00     | 75.27     | 39.9                 | 40.1      | 39.0      | 1.97                    | 1.97      | 1.93      |
| Nondurable goods.....              | 85.75                   | 85.54     | 81.27     | 39.7                 | 39.6      | 38.7      | 2.16                    | 2.16      | 2.10      |
| Food and kindred products.....     | 91.76                   | 90.68     | 87.20     | 40.6                 | 40.3      | 40.0      | 2.26                    | 2.25      | 2.18      |
| Tobacco manufactures.....          | 74.69                   | 72.20     | 71.05     | 38.3                 | 37.8      | 38.2      | 1.95                    | 1.91      | 1.86      |
| Textile-mill products.....         | 68.54                   | 68.54     | 63.18     | 40.8                 | 40.8      | 39.0      | 1.68                    | 1.68      | 1.62      |
| Apparel and related products.....  | 61.46                   | 61.49     | 56.51     | 36.8                 | 36.6      | 35.1      | 1.67                    | 1.68      | 1.61      |
| Paper and allied products.....     | 100.67                  | 100.91    | 97.90     | 42.3                 | 42.4      | 42.2      | 2.38                    | 2.38      | 2.32      |
| Printing and publishing.....       | 107.52                  | 107.80    | 104.01    | 38.4                 | 38.5      | 38.1      | 2.80                    | 2.80      | 2.73      |
| Chemicals and allied products....  | 109.10                  | 108.05    | 104.24    | 41.8                 | 41.4      | 41.2      | 2.61                    | 2.61      | 2.53      |
| Petroleum and related products...  | 125.14                  | 123.62    | 124.42    | 41.3                 | 40.8      | 41.2      | 3.03                    | 3.03      | 3.02      |
| Rubber and plastic products.....   | 98.90                   | 98.25     | 93.69     | 40.7                 | 40.6      | 39.7      | 2.43                    | 2.42      | 2.36      |
| Leather and leather products.....  | 64.53                   | 65.53     | 59.95     | 37.3                 | 38.1      | 35.9      | 1.73                    | 1.72      | 1.67      |

NOTE: Data for the 2 most recent months are preliminary.

Table 7. Average weekly hours, seasonally adjusted, of production workers on manufacturing payrolls

| Subdivision           | Apr. 1962 | Mar. 1962 | Feb. 1962 | Apr. 1961 |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Manufacturing.....    | 40.8      | 40.5      | 40.3      | 39.7      |
| Durable goods.....    | 41.2      | 41.1      | 40.9      | 40.0      |
| Nondurable goods..... | 40.3      | 40.0      | 39.5      | 39.3      |

NOTE: Data for the 2 most recent months are preliminary.

Table 8. Average weekly overtime hours of production workers on manufacturing payrolls

| Subdivision           | Apr. 1962 | Mar. 1962 | Feb. 1962 | Apr. 1961 |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Manufacturing.....    | 2.7       | 2.6       | 2.5       | 2.1       |
| Durable goods.....    | 2.7       | 2.6       | 2.5       | 2.0       |
| Nondurable goods..... | 2.7       | 2.6       | 2.5       | 2.2       |

NOTE: Data for the 2 most recent months are preliminary.

Table 9. Persons employed part time in nonagricultural industries, by reason for part-time work

| (Thousands of persons 14 years of age and over) |                        |           |           |
|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Usual status and reason working part time       | Apr. 1962 <sup>1</sup> | Mar. 1962 | Apr. 1961 |
| Employed 1-34 hours.....                        | 11,007                 | 11,219    | 11,272    |
| Usually work full time                          |                        |           |           |
| at present job.....                             | 2,821                  | 2,973     | 3,369     |
| Worked part time for:                           |                        |           |           |
| Economic reasons.....                           | 1,050                  | 1,110     | 1,466     |
| Other reasons.....                              | 1,772                  | 1,863     | 1,903     |
| Usually work part time                          |                        |           |           |
| at present job.....                             | 8,184                  | 8,246     | 7,904     |
| Worked part time for:                           |                        |           |           |
| Economic reasons.....                           | 1,171                  | 1,226     | 1,512     |
| Other reasons.....                              | 7,013                  | 7,020     | 6,392     |

<sup>1</sup> Not completely comparable with data for previous periods. (See footnote 1, table 1.)