

investment, all construction cost items are included and the only exceptions are construction costs of such items and structures as would be properly considered to be a part of major flood control facilities. Therefore, dams, floodwalls, and similar construction are excluded.

TABLE I.—*Capital investment in urban drainage improvements in the United States, by region and State, 1965*

Region and State	1960 urban population (thousands)	Estimated value of improvements ¹		Square miles of improvements
		Per State (dollars in millions)	Dollars per capita ² (urban)	
New England:				
Maine.....	497	40	80	30
New Hampshire.....	354	45	130	40
Vermont.....	150	15	100	20
Massachusetts.....	4,303	380	90	320
Rhode Island.....	743	150	200	100
Connecticut.....	1,986	190	100	190
Middle Atlantic:				
New York.....	14,332	3,480	240	1,800
New Jersey.....	5,374	1,760	330	1,000
Pennsylvania.....	8,102	1,500	185	850
East-North Central:				
Ohio.....	7,123	1,300	180	770
Indiana.....	2,910	400	140	370
Illinois.....	8,140	1,450	180	850
Michigan.....	5,739	1,100	190	550
Wisconsin.....	2,522	390	155	330
West-North Central:				
Minnesota.....	2,123	230	110	190
Iowa.....	1,463	170	120	140
Missouri.....	2,877	1,000	350	500
North Dakota.....	223	50	225	45
South Dakota.....	267	30	110	30
Nebraska.....	766	50	65	60
Kansas.....	1,329	200	150	170
South Atlantic:				
Delaware.....	293	75	255	25
Maryland.....	2,254	300	135	200
District of Columbia.....	764	150	195	60
Virginia.....	2,205	700	320	500
West Virginia.....	711	200	280	100
North Carolina.....	1,802	140	80	140
South Carolina.....	981	30	30	30
Georgia.....	2,180	90	40	90
Florida.....	3,661	1,700	465	800
East-South Central:				
Kentucky.....	1,353	250	185	250
Tennessee.....	1,865	200	110	200
Alabama.....	1,792	80	45	80
Mississippi.....	821	40	50	40
West-South Central:				
Arkansas.....	765	300	390	200
Louisiana.....	2,060	200	100	200
Oklahoma.....	1,465	150	100	130
Texas.....	7,187	700	100	500
Mountain:				
Montana.....	338	35	105	45
Idaho.....	317	20	65	30
Wyoming.....	188	20	105	25
Colorado.....	1,293	260	200	260
New Mexico.....	626	40	65	50
Arizona.....	971	200	205	200
Utah.....	667	15	20	20
Nevada.....	201	5	25	10
Pacific:				
Washington.....	1,943	90	45	60
Oregon.....	1,100	400	365	270
California.....	13,573	1,430	105	1,000
Alaska.....	86	10	115	10
Hawaii.....	485	200	410	150
Total, United States.....	125,120	21,960	³ 160	14,160

¹ Replacement value as of mid-1965.

² Based on estimated 1965 population.

³ Average.

Source: Questionnaire survey by the American Public Works Association, 1965.