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## PREFACE

The *Statistical Abstract of the United States*, published annually since 1878, is the standard summary of statistics on the social, political, and economic organization of the United States. It is designed to serve as a convenient volume for statistical reference and as a guide to other statistical publications and sources. The latter function is served by the introductory text to each section, the source notes appearing below each table, and Appendix IV, which comprises Guide to Sources of Statistics, Publications of Recent Censuses, and Guide to State Statistical Abstracts.

This volume includes a selection of data from many statistical publications, both governmental and private. Publications cited as sources usually contain additional statistical detail and more comprehensive discussions of definitions and concepts than can be presented here. Data not available in publications issued by the contributing agency but obtained from the agency's unpublished tabulations and records are identified in the source notes as "unpublished data." More information on the subjects covered in tables so noted may generally be obtained from the source.

Except as otherwise indicated, figures are for the United States as presently constituted. Although emphasis in the *Statistical Abstract* is given primarily to national data, many tables present data for regions and individual States and a smaller number for metropolitan areas and cities. A new appendix, Appendix I, Metropolitan Area Concepts and Components, presents explanatory text and a complete current listing of official standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) and their components. These were formerly a part of section 34 now omitted (see below). Statistics for the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and for outlying areas of the United States are included in many State tables and are supplemented by information in section 31. Additional information for cities, counties, metropolitan areas, congressional districts, and other small units, as well as more historical data, are available in various supplements to the *Abstract*. (See inside back cover.)

The "Recent Trends" section beginning on p. xiii is also available separately in a reprint, *Recent Social and Economic Trends*, which can be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D.C. 20402. The price per copy is \$1.05; a 25-percent discount is allowed on orders of 100 copies or more sent to the same address. Copies can also be purchased at any U.S. Department of Commerce district office located in certain large cities.

*USA Statistics in Brief, 1976*, the pocket-size loose insert in front of the book, is also available separately for 35 cents per copy at the above addresses.

**Changes in the 1976 edition.**—A new feature this year is Appendix III, Statistical Methodology and Reliability. This appendix attempts, briefly and in relatively nontechnical language, to provide the user of the statistics in this book with a general appreciation of some of the hazards which ought to be kept in mind when putting the data to work and, in a number of specific cases, with a better understanding of how the data were collected, a measure of their validity, and references to further readings. Plans are to expand this appendix in future editions.

Former sections 33 and 34, presenting statistics for Federal administrative regions and for metropolitan areas, respectively, are omitted from the *Abstract* beginning with this edition. They are to be replaced by a new, biennial *State and Metropolitan Area Data Book* which will be an expanded version of those sections. The first edition of the new *Data Book* is scheduled for issuance in 1978.

Statistics in this edition, the 97th, are for the most recent year or period available by July 1976. Each year the more than 1,400 tables and charts are reviewed and evaluated; new tables and charts of current interest are added, continuing series are brought up to date, and less timely data are condensed or eliminated. Text notes and appendixes are revised as appropriate.

There are a total of 118 new tables introduced in 29 of the 32 sections of this edition. Of special interest, perhaps, are tables devoted specifically to women and to the financial problems of large cities. The former include data on characteristics of female family heads (table 57), contraceptive status of married women (table 80), women in the Armed Forces (table 534), income and earnings of women (table 669), women below the poverty level (table 671), and

women-owned firms (table 832). The latter include finances of city governments by population size and, for selected large cities: Finances per capita, taxes paid by families, residential property tax rates, and city government employment and payrolls.

Among other subjects represented by new tables are the following:

\*Vital statistics and health: Six new tables in section 2 on average lifetime, percent of ever-married persons who divorced or separated, malpractice insurance for physicians and surgeons, persons with visual impairments, and sales of drugs and drug products;

\*Environment: Three new tables in section 6 on national expenditures for pollution control, national air quality stations, and production and sales of synthetic pesticides;

\*Government: Thirteen new tables in sections 8 and 9 on Federal outlays in constant dollars, revenue losses due to Federal tax laws, Federal participation in credit markets, fixed capital formation of State and local governments, and county and city finances, including four tables relating to city finances noted above;

\*Defense: Five new tables in section 11 on military sales and assistance to foreign governments, personnel and payroll of military agencies, and veterans benefits;

\*Income: Five new tables in section 13 on money earnings and income of various groups of workers, households owning motor vehicles, and sources of personal income;

\*Energy: Five new tables in section 19 on world energy consumption, fuels and electricity, the gas utility industry, and commercial nuclear power generation;

\*International: Six new tables in section 32 on world population, rates of growth, projections, and characteristics.

Miscellaneous:

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In addition, graphic charts have been revised or updated and the number of tables showing both customary and metric units has been slightly increased. Many sections have undergone tabular rearrangement and format changes designed to improve the organization of subject matter. Of the tables included in the 1975 edition, 61 were omitted from this issue. The omissions represent primarily tables for which comparable details appear in other tables or for which no recent data are available.

**Historical statistics.**—The most recent historical supplement to the *Statistical Abstract* is the bicentennial edition, *Historical Statistics of the United States, Colonial Times to 1970* (see inside back cover). Many tables in this *Abstract* are directly linked to earlier data shown there by specific headnote references. (See Appendix II, pp. 910-912.)

**Statistical reliability and responsibility.**—The contents of this volume were taken from many sources. All data from either censuses and surveys or from administrative records are subject to error arising from a number of factors: Sampling variability (for statistics based on samples), reporting errors in the data for individual units, incomplete coverage, nonresponse, imputations, and processing error. (See also Appendix III, pp. 913-918.) The Bureau of the Census cannot accept the responsibility for the accuracy or limitations of the data presented here, other than for those which it collects. The responsibility for selection of the material and for proper presentation, however, rests with the Bureau.

**For additional information on data presented.**—Please consult the source publications available in local libraries or write to the agencies indicated in the source notes. Write to the Bureau of the Census only if it is cited as the source.

**Suggestions and comments.**—Many persons have offered suggestions for improving the presentation of data in the *Statistical Abstract* and its supplements. Their comments have been most helpful. Users of these publications are urged to continue to make their needs known for consideration in planning future editions. Suggestions and comments should be sent to the Director, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

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# X CUSTOMARY AND METRIC WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

[For information regarding conversion call or write the Metric Information Office, National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C. 20234 (301-921-2658)]

## APPROXIMATE CONVERSIONS

Customary	to	Metric	Metric	to	Customary
Inches (in)	X	25.4 = millimeters	Millimeters (mm)	X	.04 = inches
Feet (ft)	X	.3 = meters	Meters (m)	X	3.3 = feet
Yards (yd)	X	.9 = meters	Meters (m)	X	1.1 = yards
Miles (mi)	X	1.6 = kilometers	Kilometers (km)	X	.6 = miles
Square inches (in <sup>2</sup> )	X	6.5 = sq centimeters	Sq centimeters (cm <sup>2</sup> )	X	.2 = sq inches
Square feet (ft <sup>2</sup> )	X	.1 = sq meters	Square meters (m <sup>2</sup> )	X	10.8 = sq feet
Square yards (yd <sup>2</sup> )	X	.8 = sq meters	Square meters (m <sup>2</sup> )	X	1.2 = sq yards
Acres	X	.4 = hectares	Hectares (ha)	X	2.5 = acres
Cubic inches (in <sup>3</sup> )	X	16.4 = cu centimeters	Cu centimeters (cm <sup>3</sup> )	X	.1 = cu inches
Cubic feet (ft <sup>3</sup> )	X	.03 = cu meters	Cu meters (m <sup>3</sup> )	X	35.3 = cu feet
Cubic yards (yd <sup>3</sup> )	X	.8 = cu meters	Cu meters (m <sup>3</sup> )	X	1.3 = cu yards
Quarts (lq) (qt)	X	.9 = liters	Liters (l)	X	1.1 = quarts (lq)
Gallons (gal)	X	.004 = cu meters	Cu meters (m <sup>3</sup> )	X	264.2 = gallons
Ounces (avdp) (oz)	X	28.4 = grams	Grams (g)	X	.04 = ounces (avdp)
Pounds (avdp) (lb)	X	.5 = kilograms	Kilograms (kg)	X	2.2 = pounds (avdp)
Horsepower (hp)	X	.7 = kilowatts	Kilowatts (kW)	X	1.3 = horsepower
Degrees Fahrenheit (-32)	X	5/9 = degrees Celsius	Degrees Celsius	X	9/5+32 = degrees Fahrenheit

## UNITS OF LENGTH

Customary	Metric	Metric	Customary
Inch (in)	= 25.4 millimeters	Millimeter (mm)	= .001 meter = 0.039 inch
Foot (ft)	= 12 in = 0.305 meter	Centimeter (cm)	= .01 meter = 0.394 inch
Yard (yd)	= 36 in = 0.914 meter	Decimeter (dm)	= .1 meter = 3.937 inches
Rod (rd)	= 16 1/2 ft = 5.029 meters	Meter (m)	= 3.281 feet
Furlong (fur)	= 660 ft = 201.168 meters	Dekameter (dam)	= 10 meters = 32.808 feet
	or 220 yd	Hectometer (hm)	= 100 meters = 328.083 feet
	or 40 rd	Kilometer (km)	= 1,000 meters = 0.621 mile
Mile (mi)	= 5,280 ft = 1.609 kilometers		
	or 1,760 yd		
	or 320 rd		

## UNITS OF AREA

Customary	Metric	Metric	Customary
In <sup>2</sup> (sq in)	= 6.452 cm <sup>2</sup>	Sq millimeter (mm <sup>2</sup> )	= .00001 m <sup>2</sup> = 0.002 sq in
Ft <sup>2</sup> (sq ft)	= 144 sq in = 0.093 m <sup>2</sup>	Sq centimeter (cm <sup>2</sup> )	= .0001 m <sup>2</sup> = 0.155 sq in
Yd <sup>2</sup> (sq yd)	= 1,296 sq in = 0.836 m <sup>2</sup>	Sq decimeter (dm <sup>2</sup> )	= .01 m <sup>2</sup> = 15.5 sq in
Rod <sup>2</sup> (sq rd)	= 272 1/4 sq ft = 25.293 m <sup>2</sup>	Sq meter (m <sup>2</sup> )	
	or 30 1/4 sq yd	or centare (ca)	= 10.764 sq ft
Acre	= 43,560 sq ft = 0.405 ha	Sq dekameter (dam <sup>2</sup> )	
	or 4,840 sq yd	or acre (a)	= 100 m <sup>2</sup> = 3.954 sq rd
	or 160 sq rd	Sq hectometer (hm <sup>2</sup> )	
Mile <sup>2</sup> (sq mi)	= 27,878,400 sq ft = 2.59 km <sup>2</sup>	or hectare (ha)	= 10,000 m <sup>2</sup> = 2.471 acres
	or 3,097,600 sq yd	Sq kilometer (km <sup>2</sup> )	= 1,000,000 m <sup>2</sup> = 0.386 sq mi
	or 102,400 sq rd		
	or 640 acres		

UNITS OF VOLUME

Customary	Metric	Metric	Customary
In <sup>3</sup> (cu in)	16.387 cm <sup>3</sup>	Cu millimeter (mm <sup>3</sup> ) = .000000001 m <sup>3</sup>	= 0.00006 cu in
Ft <sup>3</sup> (cu ft) = 1,728 cu in	= 0.028 m <sup>3</sup>	Cu centimeter (cm <sup>3</sup> ) = .000001 m <sup>3</sup>	= 0.061 cu in
Yd <sup>3</sup> (cu yd) = 46,656 cu in	= 0.765 m <sup>3</sup>	Cu decimeter (dm <sup>3</sup> ) = .001 m <sup>3</sup>	= 61.023 cu in
	or 27 cu ft		
Cord (cd) = 128 cu ft	= 3.625 m <sup>3</sup>	Cu meter (m <sup>3</sup> )	
		or stero (s)	= 35.315 cu ft

UNITS OF WEIGHT (OR MASS)

Customary	Metric	Metric	Customary
<b>Avairdupois Weight<sup>1</sup></b>			
Grain	= 0.065 gram	Milligram (mg) = .001 g	= 0.015 grain, avdp/t
Dram (dr avdp) = 27.343 grains	= 1.772 grams	Centigram (cg) = .01 g	= 0.154 grain, avdp/t
Ounce (oz avdp) = 16 drams	= 28.350 grams	Decigram (dgr) = .1 g	= 1.543 grains, avdp/t
	or 437.5 grains		0.035 oz avdp
Pound (lb avdp) = 7,000 grains	= 0.454 kilogram	Gram (g)	= 0.353 oz avdp
	or 256 drams	Dekagram (dag) = 10 g	or 0.322 oz troy
	or 16 ounces	Hectogram (hg) = 100 g	= 3.527 oz avdp
Hundredweight (cwt) = 100 pounds	= 45.359 kg		or 3.215 oz troy
Ton, short (tn) = 2,000 pounds	= 0.907 metric ton	Kitogram (kg) = 1,000 g	= 2.205 lb avdp
Ton, long = 2,240 pounds	= 1.016 metric tons		or 2.679 lb troy
		Metric ton = 1,000 kg	= 1.102 short tons or 0.984 long ton
<b>Troy Weight<sup>2</sup></b>			
Grain	= 0.065 gram		
Pennyweight (dwt) = 24 grains	= 1.555 grams		
Ounce (oz t) <sup>3</sup> = 480 grains	= 31.104 grams		
	or 20 dwt		
Pound (lb t) = 5,760 grains	= 0.373 kilogram		
	or 12 ounces		

<sup>1</sup> Used for weighing ordinary commodities.

<sup>2</sup> Used for weighing precious metals, jewels, etc.

<sup>3</sup> Also known as fine ounces.

UNITS OF CAPACITY

Liquid		Dry	
Customary	Metric	Customary	Metric
Minim (min)	= 0.062 ml	Pint (pt)	= .551 dm <sup>3</sup>
Fluid dram (fl dr) = 60 min	= 3.697 ml	Quart (qt) = 2 pints	= 1.101 dm <sup>3</sup>
Fluid ounce (fl oz) = 8 fl dr	= 29.573 ml	Peck (pk) = 16 pints	= 8.810 dm <sup>3</sup>
Gill (gi) = 32 fl dr	= 118.292 ml		or 8 quarts
	or 4 fl oz	Bushel (bu) = 64 pints	= 35.238 dm <sup>3</sup>
Pint (pt) = 16 fl oz	= 0.473 liter		or 32 quarts
	or 4 gi		or 4 pecks
Quart (qt) = 32 fl oz	= 0.946 liter		
	or 2 pt		
Gallon (gal) = 8 pt	= 3.785 liters		
	or 4 qt		

Metric	Customary
Milliliter (ml) = .001 liter	= 0.034 fl oz (liquid) = 0.002 pt (dry)
Centiliter (cl) = .01 liter	= 0.338 fl oz (liquid) = 0.018 pt (dry)
Deciliter (dl) = .1 liter	= 3.382 fl oz (liquid) = 0.182 pt (dry)
Liter (l) <sup>1</sup>	= 1.057 qt (liquid) = 0.908 qt (dry)
Dekaliter (dal) = 10 liters	= 2.642 gal (liquid) = 1.135 pk (dry)
Hectoliter (hl) = 100 liters	= 26.418 gal (liquid) = 2.838 bu (dry)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 1.000028 cubic decimeters.

The following symbols, used in the tables throughout this book, are explained in condensed form in footnotes to the tables where they appear:

- Represents zero or rounds to less than half the unit of measurement shown.
- B Base figure too small to meet statistical standards for reliability of derived figure.
- D Figure withheld to avoid disclosure of information pertaining to a specific organization or individual.
- NA Data not enumerated, tabulated, or otherwise available separately.
- NS Percent change irrelevant or insignificant.
- S Figure does not meet publication standards for reasons other than that covered by symbol B, above.
- X Figure not applicable because column heading and stub line make an entry impossible, absurd, or meaningless.
- Z Entry would amount to less than half the unit of measure shown.

**Example of table structure:**

Table number and title: **No. 173. ENROLLMENT IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS: 1960 TO 1973**

Unit indicator: **In millions of persons 3 to 34 years of age, except as noted. As of October. Elementary includes grades 1-8; high school, grades 9-12 and postgraduates**

Footnote indicator: **Footnote**

LEVEL	1960 <sup>1</sup>			1970			1973		
	Total	Public	Private	Total	Public	Private	Total	Public	Private
Total	46.3	39.0	7.2	60.4	52.2	8.1	59.4	51.6	7.8
Nursery	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.1	.3	.8	1.3	.4	.9
Kindergarten	2.1	1.7	.4	3.2	2.6	.5	3.1	2.6	.5
Elementary	30.3	25.8	4.5	34.0	30.0	3.9	31.5	28.2	3.3
High school	10.2	9.2	1.0	14.7	13.5	1.2	15.3	14.2	1.2
College	3.6	2.3	1.3	7.4	5.7	1.7	8.2	6.2	2.0

Footnotes: NA Not available. <sup>1</sup> Data are for persons 5 to 34 years of age.

Parallel rule: Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, *Current Population Reports*, series P-20.

Headnotes immediately below table titles provide information important for correct interpretation or evaluation of the table as a whole or for a major segment of it.

Footnotes below the bottom rule of tables give information relating to specific items or figures within the table.

Unit indicators ("In thousands," "In millions of dollars," etc.) are usually given in boldface type as the first element of the headnote. In tables where several units are used, the unit indicators are generally given in the stub or in the column headings.

Parallel vertical rules are used to the right of a total column to indicate—

- (1) that the components which follow add to the total (e.g., tables 1, 3, 28, etc.);
- (2) in the case of derived figures, that the underlying data are additive to their total (e.g., table 25 for ratios, table 32 for percentages, table 71 for rates, and table 85 for averages).

Heavy vertical rules are used—

- (1) in tables where the stub is continued into one or more additional columns across the table to separate each segment of stub and its accompanying data columns from the continued segments (e.g., tables 2, 5, 34, etc.);
- (2) to set off independent sections of a table (e.g., tables 1, 4, 8, etc.).

Median: The value which divides the distribution into two equal parts—one-half the cases falling below this value and one-half exceeding it.

In many tables, details will not add to the totals shown because of rounding.

# RECENT TRENDS

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year		
									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>POPULATION<sup>2</sup></b>											
2	Total, incl. Armed Forces abroad	Millions	180.7	194.3	204.9	210.4	211.9	213.6	1.3	0.8	0.8
	Net annual increase over previous year	Millions	2.84	2.41	2.20	1.56	1.48	1.74	-2.5	-9.4	17.0
3	Under 5 years	Millions	20	20	17	17	16	16	-1.7	-1.3	-2.4
3	5-17 years old	Millions	44	50	53	51	51	50	1.7	-0.8	-1.1
3	18-24 years old	Millions	16	20	25	26	27	28	4.3	2.2	2.6
3	18 years old and over	Millions	116	125	135	142	145	147	1.5	1.7	1.9
3	21 years old and over	Millions	109	115	124	130	132	135	1.3	1.6	1.8
3	65 years old and over	Millions	17	18	20	21	22	22	1.9	2.1	2.6
3	Male	Millions	89.3	95.6	100.3	102.8	103.4	104.2	1.2	0.8	0.8
3	Female	Millions	91.4	98.7	104.6	107.6	108.4	109.4	1.4	0.9	0.9
26	White	Millions	160.0	171.2	179.5	183.5	184.5	185.6	1.2	0.7	0.6
26	Negro and other	Millions	20.6	23.1	25.4	26.9	27.4	28.0	2.1	1.9	2.3
	Negro	Millions	19.0	21.1	22.8	23.9	24.2	24.5	1.8	1.5	1.4
31	Percent of total population	Percent	11	11	11	11	11	11	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
31	Percent in the South	Percent	60	54	53	52	53	52	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
41	Persons of Spanish origin <sup>3</sup>	Millions	(na)	(na)	(na)	10.8	10.8	11.2	(na)	(na)	3.8
40	Foreign born	Millions	9.7	(na)	9.6	(na)	(na)	(na)	-0.1	(na)	(na)
44	Native of foreign or mixed parentage	Millions	24.3	(na)	24.0	(na)	(na)	(na)	-0.1	(na)	(na)
10	Resident population	Millions	180.0	193.5	203.8	209.9	211.4	213.1	1.3	0.9	0.8
	Per square mile	Rate	51	55	57	59	60	60	1.1	1.3	-
10	Northeast	Millions	44.8	47.5	49.2	49.5	49.4	49.5	0.9	0.1	0.1
10	North Central	Millions	51.7	54.2	56.7	57.5	57.6	57.7	0.9	0.4	0.2
10	South	Millions	55.2	58.6	63.0	66.2	67.1	68.1	1.3	1.6	1.4
10	West	Millions	28.3	32.2	34.9	36.7	37.3	37.9	2.1	1.6	1.7
15	Metropolitan area population <sup>4</sup>	Millions	126.7	(na)	148.3	152.5	(na)	(na)	1.6	0.9	(na)
15	Nonmetropolitan area population	Millions	53.3	(na)	55.5	57.4	(na)	(na)	0.4	1.1	(na)
45	Male, 18 years old and over <sup>5,6</sup>	Millions	60.6	58.0	62.5	65.2	66.6	67.9	0.3	1.6	1.9
	Single	Percent	25.3	17.7	18.9	19.5	20.1	20.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Married	Percent	69.0	76.2	75.3	74.5	73.7	72.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Divorced	Percent	1.9	2.5	2.5	3.0	3.5	3.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
45	Female, 18 years old and over <sup>5,6</sup>	Millions	64.9	63.8	70.0	72.8	74.0	75.3	0.8	1.4	1.8
	Single	Percent	19.0	12.4	13.7	13.9	14.3	14.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Married	Percent	65.6	70.5	68.5	68.1	67.6	66.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Divorced	Percent	2.6	3.3	3.9	4.5	4.9	5.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
50	Households <sup>6</sup>	Millions	52.8	57.4	63.4	68.3	69.9	71.1	1.8	2.5	1.8
	Average size of households	Persons	3.33	3.29	3.14	3.01	2.97	2.94	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
51	One-person households	Millions	6.9	8.6	10.9	12.6	13.4	13.9	4.6	5.4	4.3
50	Families <sup>6</sup>	Millions	45.1	<sup>7</sup> 48.0	<sup>7</sup> 51.6	54.4	55.1	55.7	1.4	1.6	1.2
	Female head	Millions	4.5	5.0	5.6	6.6	6.8	7.2	2.2	5.0	6.4
53	White	Millions	40.9	<sup>7</sup> 43.1	<sup>7</sup> 46.0	48.5	48.9	49.5	1.2	1.5	1.1
	Female head	Percent	8.7	9.0	9.1	9.6	9.9	10.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Average size	Persons	3.61	3.64	3.54	3.42	3.38	3.36	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
53	Negro and other	Millions	4.2	<sup>7</sup> 4.8	<sup>7</sup> 5.2	5.9	6.1	6.3	2.1	4.1	2.1
	Female head	Percent	22.4	23.7	26.7	32.8	31.8	32.4	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Average size	Persons	4.39	4.37	4.32	4.01	3.90	3.89	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
68	Births, live	Millions	4.26	3.76	3.73	3.14	3.16	3.15	-1.3	-4.1	-0.3
69	Negro and other	Percent	15.4	16.9	17.2	18.7	18.5	19.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
68	Rate, all races, per 1,000 population	Rate	23.7	19.4	18.4	14.9	14.9	14.8	-2.5	-5.1	-0.7
69	White	Rate	22.7	18.3	17.4	13.9	14.0	(na)	-2.6	-5.3	(na)
69	Negro and other	Rate	32.1	27.6	25.1	21.9	21.4	(na)	-2.4	-3.9	(na)
81	Illegitimate births, live	1,000	224	291	399	407	418	(na)	5.9	1.2	(na)
68	Deaths	Millions	1.71	1.83	1.92	1.97	1.93	1.91	1.2	0.2	-1.2
	Rate, all races, per 1,000 population	Rate	9.5	9.4	9.5	9.4	9.2	9.0	-	-0.8	-2.2
91	Infant death rate, per 1,000 live births	Rate	26.0	24.7	20.0	17.7	16.7	16.1	-2.6	-4.4	-3.6
	White	Rate	22.9	21.5	17.8	15.8	14.8	14.4	-2.5	-4.5	-2.7
	Negro and other	Rate	43.2	40.3	30.9	26.2	24.9	22.9	-3.3	-5.3	-8.0
93	Deaths per 100,000 population	Rate	952	943	945	940	915	896	-0.1	-0.8	-2.1
	Diseases of heart	Rate	369	367	362	361	349	339	-0.2	-0.9	-2.9
	Malignancies	Rate	149	154	163	167	171	174	0.9	1.2	1.8
	Cerebrovascular diseases	Rate	108	104	102	102	98	92	-0.6	-0.9	-6.1
	Accidents	Rate	52	56	56	55	50	48	0.8	-3.2	-4.0

See notes on p. xxiv.

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year		
									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>POPULATION<sup>2</sup>—Con.</b>											
97	Marriages	Millions	1.52	1.80	2.16	2.28	2.23	2.13	3.6	0.8	-4.7
	Per 1,000 population	Rate	8.5	9.3	10.6	10.9	10.5	10.0	2.2	-0.2	-4.8
	Per 1,000 unmarried women, 15 yr. and over	Rate	74	75	77	76	72	(na)	0.4	-1.5	(na)
97	Divorces	1,000	393	479	708	915	977	1,026	6.1	8.4	5.0
	Per 1,000 population	Rate	2.2	2.5	3.5	4.4	4.6	4.8	4.8	7.1	4.3
	Per 1,000 married women, 15 yr. and over	Rate	9	11	15	18	19	(na)	4.9	6.7	(na)
162	Immigrants, total	1,000	265	297	373	400	395	386	3.5	1.4	-2.3
<b>HEALTH</b>											
85	Life expectancy at birth, male	Years	66.6	68.8	67.1	67.6	68.2	(na)	0.1	0.4	(na)
85	Life expectancy at birth, female	Years	73.1	73.7	74.8	75.3	75.9	(na)	0.2	0.2	(na)
104	National health expenditures, total	Bil. dol.	25.9	38.9	68.2	95.4	104.0	118.5	10.3	10.7	13.9
107	Expenditures per capita	Dollars	137	188	325	438	485	(na)	9.0	10.5	(na)
104	Public	Percent	24.7	24.5	36.5	38.1	39.3	42.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
109	Private consumer expenditures for health care	Bil. dol.	18.0	26.8	40.9	53.8	58.4	(na)	8.6	9.3	(na)
	Met by private insurance benefits	Percent	27.8	32.6	38.5	41.6	44.2	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
105	Indexes of medical care prices, total	1967 = 100	79.1	89.5	120.6	137.7	150.5	168.6	4.3	5.7	12.0
	Physicians' fees		77.0	88.3	121.4	138.2	150.9	169.4	4.7	5.6	12.3
	Semiprivate room rates		57.3	75.9	145.4	182.1	201.5	236.1	9.8	8.5	17.2
117	Physicians, total number, M.D.'s	1,000	261	292	334	366	380	(na)	2.5	3.3	(na)
	Patient care, general practice	1,000	(na)	66	53	50	50	(na)	-4.3	-1.5	(na)
119	Newly-licensed physicians	1,000	8	9	11	17	(na)	(na)	3.2	14.8	(na)
116	Dentists, number	1,000	103	109	116	122	(na)	(na)	1.2	1.7	(na)
115	Nurses, registered, number	1,000	504	613	700	815	857	(na)	3.3	5.2	(na)
125	Hospitals	1,000	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	(na)	0.4	0.2	(na)
	Beds	Millions	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	(na)	-0.3	-1.6	(na)
	Beds per 1,000 population	Rate	9.3	8.9	8.0	7.3	7.2	(na)	-1.5	-2.6	(na)
129	Average in-patients treated daily	Millions	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	(na)	-0.8	-2.6	(na)
129	Occupancy rate <sup>9</sup>	Rate	84.0	82.3	80.3	77.5	77.2	(na)	-0.4	-1.0	(na)
129	Short-term hospitals <sup>10</sup>	1,000	5.4	5.7	5.9	5.9	6.0	(na)	0.8	0.5	(na)
	Beds	Millions	.6	.7	.8	.9	.9	(na)	2.9	2.4	(na)
	Beds per 1,000 population	Rate	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.3	4.4	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Average in-patients treated daily	Millions	.5	.6	.7	.7	.7	(na)	3.3	1.5	(na)
	Occupancy rate <sup>9</sup>	Rate	74.7	76.0	78.0	75.4	75.3	(na)	0.4	-0.9	(na)
128	Expense per patient day	Dollars	32	44	81	115	128	(na)	9.6	12.1	(na)
135	Patient-care episodes in mental health facilities	1,000	(na)	2,637	(na)	5,249	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)	(na)
138	Bed disability, days per male	Days	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.8	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Days per female	Days	6.7	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.5	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
<b>Federal food programs:</b>											
159	Food stamps issued, value	Mil. dol.	(x)	85	1,090	3,884	4,727	7,259	<sup>8</sup> 66.3	44.3	53.6
	Paid for by participants	Percent	(x)	62.4	49.5	45.1	42.5	39.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Food stamps—monthly participation	Millions	(x)	4	4.3	12.2	12.9	17.1	<sup>8</sup> 59.1	31.2	32.7
	Federal Govt. cost per participant	Dollars	(x)	77	127	175	211	257	<sup>8</sup> 10.8	13.5	21.8
157	Recipients, needy families program	Millions	4.3	5.8	4.1	2.8	2.4	.8	-0.4	-12.7	-66.9
	Cost to government	Mil. dol.	59	227	289	241	189	39	17.2	-10.1	-79.4
<b>EDUCATION</b>											
183	School expenditures, total	Bil. dol.	24.7	40.2	70.2	89.2	98.3	108.7	11.0	8.8	10.6
	Elementary and secondary	Bil. dol.	18.0	27.3	45.5	57.8	63.3	68.5	9.7	8.6	8.2
	Expenditures per student	Dollars	423	568	877	1,158	1,271	1,381	7.6	9.7	8.7
	Per student, public school	Dollars	433	576	889	1,158	1,269	1,386	7.5	9.3	9.2
	Higher education	Bil. dol.	6.7	13.1	24.7	31.4	35.0	40.2	13.9	9.1	14.9
	Public	Bil. dol.	19.7	31.4	56.8	72.8	80.3	88.6	11.2	9.0	10.3
	Nonpublic	Bil. dol.	5.0	9.0	13.4	16.4	18.0	20.1	10.4	7.7	11.7
185	School enrollment, total	Millions	46.3	53.8	60.4	59.4	60.3	61.0	2.7	(-z)	1.2
	Nursery	Millions	(na)	(na)	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.7	(na)	9.8	6.2
	Elementary (kinderg. and grades 1-8)	Millions	32.4	35.1	37.2	34.6	34.4	33.9	1.4	-1.9	-1.5
	High school (grades 9-12)	Millions	10.2	13.0	14.7	15.3	15.4	15.7	3.7	1.2	1.9
	Nonpublic elementary and secondary	Percent	14.0	14.2	10.8	10.0	9.8	10.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Higher education	Millions	3.6	5.7	7.4	8.2	8.8	9.7	7.5	4.4	10.2

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									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>EDUCATION—Con.</b>											
185	Enrollment in public schools . . . . .	Millions	39.0	45.1	52.2	51.6	52.3	52.8	3.0	(z)	1.0
	Elementary and secondary . . . . .	Millions	36.7	41.3	46.1	45.0	45.0	44.6	2.3	-0.6	-0.9
185	Enrollment in nonpublic schools . . . . .	Millions	7.2	8.7	8.1	7.8	8.0	8.2	-1.2	-0.3	2.5
193	Enrollment, by race:										
	White, total . . . . .	Millions	40.3	46.7	51.7	50.6	51.0	51.4	2.5	-0.4	0.9
	Elementary and secondary . . . . .	Millions	37.0	41.4	45.0	43.3	43.2	42.9	2.0	-1.0	-0.7
	Higher education . . . . .	Millions	3.3	5.3	6.8	7.3	7.8	8.5	7.3	3.6	9.4
	Negro and other . . . . .	Millions	5.9	7.1	8.6	8.8	9.3	9.5	3.9	1.8	2.9
	Elementary and secondary . . . . .	Millions	5.7	6.7	8.0	7.9	8.2	8.4	3.5	0.7	1.7
	Higher education . . . . .	Millions	.2	.4	.7	.9	1.0	1.2	11.2	12.5	13.0
198	Years of school completed, persons 25 years old and over:										
	Median for all persons . . . . .	Years	10.6	11.8	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Median for Negroes . . . . .	Years	8.0	9.0	9.9	10.6	10.7	10.9	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
219	Public school teachers, elem. and sec . . . . .	1,000	1,408	1,710	2,055	2,138	2,159	2,168	3.9	1.2	0.4
219	Pupil-teacher ratio, public elementary . . . . .	Ratio	28.4	27.6	24.3	22.9	22.7	22.4	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Public secondary . . . . .	Ratio	21.7	20.8	19.8	19.3	18.7	18.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
220	Public school teachers, avg. annual salary . . . . .	\$1,000	5.0	6.2	6.6	10.2	10.8	11.7	5.6	5.9	8.3
231	High school graduates . . . . .	Millions	1.9	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	4.5	1.7	1.4
231	College graduates . . . . .	Millions	.4	.5	.8	.9	.9	.9	7.3	4.5	-0.2
240	College (public) costs, total per full-time resident . . . . .	Dollars	820	950	1,205	1,428	1,492	1,708	3.9	5.5	14.5
<b>LAW ENFORCEMENT</b>											
252	Number of crimes, total . . . . .	1,000	3,384	4,739	8,098	8,718	10,253	11,257	9.1	6.1	9.8
	Against persons . . . . .	1,000	288	387	739	876	975	1,026	9.9	7.2	5.2
	Robbery . . . . .	1,000	108	139	350	384	442	465	12.5	6.0	5.2
	Against property . . . . .	1,000	3,096	4,352	7,359	7,842	9,279	10,230	9.0	6.0	10.2
252	Crimes per 100,000 inhabitants . . . . .	Rate	1,887	2,449	3,985	4,159	4,850	5,282	7.8	5.0	8.9
	Against persons . . . . .	Rate	161	200	364	417	461	482	8.5	6.1	4.6
	Against property . . . . .	Rate	1,726	2,249	3,621	3,737	4,389	4,800	7.7	4.9	9.4
260	Homicide victims . . . . .	1,000	8.5	10.7	16.8	20.5	21.5	(na)	7.1	6.2	(na)
265	Law enforcement officers killed by felons, total . . . . .	Number	(na)	53	100	134	132	129	<sup>8</sup> 13.5	7.2	-2.3
266	Firearms, domestic production . . . . .	1,000	1,508	2,355 <sup>11</sup>	5,290	4,844	5,639	5,768	<sup>11</sup> 15.0	<sup>11</sup> 1.3	2.3
	Imports . . . . .	1,000	655	766	826	914	903	1,084	2.3	2.3	20.0
275	Public expenditures for law enforcement . . . . .	Bil. dol.	3.3	4.6	8.6	13.1	15.0	(na)	9.9	14.9	(na)
	Police protection . . . . .	Bil. dol.	2.0	2.8	5.1	7.6	8.5	(na)	9.6	13.8	(na)
	Judicial . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.6	.7	1.2	1.6	1.8	(na)	7.1	10.9	(na)
	Corrections . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.7	1.0	1.7	2.7	3.2	(na)	9.0	17.4	(na)
	Federal . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.3	.4	1.0	1.7	2.0	(na)	12.9	19.0	(na)
	State . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.8	1.1	2.1	3.3	3.9	(na)	10.7	16.3	(na)
	Local . . . . .	Bil. dol.	2.3	3.1	5.5	8.1	9.1	(na)	9.1	13.6	(na)
276	Federal outlays for crime reduction . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.5	.6	.9	2.3	2.4	2.8	6.0	29.8	16.0
277	Police employees:										
	State and local government . . . . .	1,000	303.8	348.6	449.7	511.1	539.4	(na)	4.0	4.7	(na)
	Local government . . . . .	1,000	271.6	308.5	393.8	429.5	449.6	(na)	3.8	3.4	(na)
277	Corrections employees:										
	State and local government . . . . .	1,000	(na)	110.7	142.3	187.3	203.2	(na)	<sup>8</sup> 5.2	9.3	(na)
	Local government . . . . .	1,000	(na)	41.2	52.0	75.1	82.1	(na)	<sup>8</sup> 4.8	12.1	(na)
<b>ENVIRONMENT</b>											
308	Water use, daily average . . . . .	Bil. gal.	323	270	378	(na)	(na)	<sup>12</sup> 371	1.6	(na)	(na)
313	Capital expenditures for abatement of air and water pollution, total . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	(na)	(na)	4.9	5.2	6.2	(na)	(na)	17.9
	Air . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	(na)	(na)	3.2	3.3	3.8	(na)	(na)	13.4
	Water . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	(na)	(na)	1.8	1.9	2.4	(na)	(na)	25.9
311	Federal obligations for pollution control . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	(na)	(na)	1.1	4.7	6.1	(na)	41.8	40.8
	Water . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	(na)	.7	3.7	3.5	5.2	(na)	50.4	49.5
	Air . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	(na)	.2	.5	.5	.3	(na)	26.9	-29.0
314	State government expenditures:										
	Water quality control . . . . .	Mil. dol.	(na)	(na)	157.1	608.1	636.0	(na)	(na)	41.8	(na)
	Air quality control . . . . .	Mil. dol.	(na)	(na)	22.8	58.7	71.6	(na)	(na)	33.1	(na)

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									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>ENVIRONMENT—Continued</b>											
318	Air pollutants emitted:										
	Carbon monoxides	Mil. tons (na)	(na)	(na)	107.3	(na)	94.6	(na)	(na)	-3.1	(na)
	Sulfur oxides	Mil. tons (na)	(na)	(na)	34.3	(na)	31.4	(na)	(na)	-2.2	(na)
	Hydrocarbons	Mil. tons (na)	(na)	(na)	32.1	(na)	30.4	(na)	(na)	-1.4	(na)
	Particulates <sup>13</sup>	Mil. tons (na)	(na)	(na)	27.5	(na)	19.5	(na)	(na)	-8.2	(na)
	Nitrogen oxides	Mil. tons (na)	(na)	(na)	20.4	(na)	22.5	(na)	(na)	2.5	(na)
320	Synthetic organic pesticides:										
	Production	Mil. lb.	648	877	1,034	1,289	(na)	(na)	4.8	7.6	(na)
	Value	Mil. dol.	307	577	1,058	1,493	(na)	(na)	13.2	12.2	(na)
<b>FEDERAL GOVERNMENT</b>											
373	Budget receipts	Bil. dol.	93	117	184	232	265	281	7.7	8.1	6.1
376	Individual income tax receipts	Bil. dol.	41	49	90	103	119	122	8.3	7.1	2.9
	Percent of total	Percent	44.0	41.8	46.7	44.4	44.9	43.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
389	Income tax per capita	Dollars	219	256	413	515	585	(na)	6.5	9.1	(na)
376	Social insurance taxes <sup>14</sup>	Bil. dol.	15	22	45	65	77	87	11.9	14.1	12.6
	Percent of total	Percent	15.9	19.1	23.4	27.8	28.9	30.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
376	Corporation income tax receipts	Bil. dol.	22	26	33	36	39	41	4.3	4.2	5.2
	Percent of total	Percent	23.2	21.8	16.9	15.6	14.6	14.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
373	Budget outlays	Bil. dol.	92	118	197	247	268	325	7.9	8.1	20.9
375	In constant (1969) dollars	Bil. dol.	120	139	181	192	190	212	4.2	1.2	11.5
377	National defense	Bil. dol.	45	49	79	75	79	87	5.8	-0.2	10.2
	Percent of total	Percent	49.0	41.0	40.3	30.5	29.3	26.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
377	Income security	Bil. dol.	18	26	43	73	84	109	8.9	18.3	28.7
	Percent of total	Percent	19.8	21.7	21.9	29.6	31.4	33.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
377	Education, manpower, social services	Bil. dol.	1	2	8	12	12	15	23.0	10.1	31.0
377	Interest	Bil. dol.	8	10	18	23	28	31	8.2	11.3	10.3
373	Surplus (+) or deficit (-)	Bil. dol.	+3	-1.6	-2.8	-14.3	-3.5	-43.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
373	Gross public debt outstanding	Bil. dol.	291	323	383	468	486	544	2.8	6.2	11.9
401	Gross public debt per capita	Dollars	1,572	1,613	1,807	2,174	2,238	2,496	1.4	5.5	11.5
409	Federal civilian employment	Millions	2.4	2.5	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.0	-0.2	0.1
	Department of Defense	Percent	43.7	40.9	40.9	37.3	37.0	36.0	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
406	Percent of total employment	Percent	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.1	3.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
406	Federal civilian payrolls, total annual	Bil. dol.	13.2	18.0	28.6	34.5	37.6	40.7	8.0	7.1	8.3
	Percent of total Federal outlays	Percent	14.4	15.2	14.5	14.0	14.0	12.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
<b>STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS</b>											
418	Revenue, all governments, incl. Federal	Bil. dol.	163	203	334	434	485	(na)	8.1	9.8	(na)
	State	Bil. dol.	26	39	69	97	108	(na)	10.3	11.9	(na)
	Local	Bil. dol.	27	38	60	81	88	(na)	8.3	10.0	(na)
418	Expenditures, all govts., incl. Federal	Bil. dol.	151	206	333	437	480	(na)	8.2	9.6	(na)
	State	Bil. dol.	22	31	56	78	86	(na)	9.8	11.3	(na)
	Local	Bil. dol.	39	55	92	127	139	(na)	9.0	10.9	(na)
418	Debt outstanding, all governments, including Federal	Bil. dol.	356	417	514	657	693	(na)	3.7	7.8	(na)
	State	Bil. dol.	19	27	42	59	65	(na)	8.3	11.5	(na)
	Local	Bil. dol.	51	72	102	129	141	(na)	7.2	8.4	(na)
426	Aid from Federal Government	Bil. dol.	7.2	10.9	24.0	41.8	43.3	49.7	12.8	15.9	14.8
429	General revenue, total, State and local	Bil. dol.	51	74	131	190	208	(na)	10.0	12.3	(na)
	From Federal Government	Percent	13.8	14.9	16.7	20.6	20.1	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	From own taxes	Percent	71.5	69.2	66.4	63.7	62.9	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Taxes per capita	Dollars	201	264	427	577	618	(na)	7.8	9.7	(na)
428	Direct expenditures, State and local	Bil. dol.	61	87	148	205	226	(na)	9.3	11.1	(na)
	Education	Percent	30.7	33.0	35.6	34.0	33.6	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Highways	Percent	15.5	14.1	11.1	9.1	8.8	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Public welfare	Percent	7.2	7.3	9.9	11.5	11.0	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
430	Direct general expenditures per capita <sup>15</sup>	Dollars	288	385	646	864	940	(na)	8.4	9.8	(na)
452	State and local govt. employment, Oct	Millions	6.4	8.0	10.1	11.4	11.8	12.1	4.7	3.8	2.6
	Education	Millions	2.9	4.0	5.3	5.9	6.2	6.3	6.1	4.0	1.1
	State	Millions	.5	.7	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	9.6	3.5	3.2
	Local	Millions	2.4	3.2	4.1	4.6	4.8	4.9	5.3	4.2	0.6
452	State and local govt. payroll, October	Bil. dol.	2.2	3.4	5.9	8.0	8.8	9.7	10.3	10.6	9.4



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<b>STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS—Con.</b>											
446	City government finances, all cities:										
	Revenue .....	Bil. dol.	14.9	20.3	32.7	48.5	52.8	(na)	8.2	12.7	(na)
	From Federal and State govts .....	Bil. dol.	2.3	3.5	7.9	14.7	16.6	(na)	13.0	20.4	(na)
	Property taxes .....	Bil. dol.	5.2	6.5	9.1	11.9	12.2	(na)	5.8	7.6	(na)
446	General expenditure .....	Bil. dol.	11.8	16.0	27.7	39.0	42.5	(na)	8.9	11.3	(na)
	Per capita .....	Dollars	102	138	210	295	322	(na)	7.5	11.3	(na)
446	Gross debt outstanding .....	Bil. dol.	23.2	31.9	43.8	56.0	61.2	(na)	6.6	8.7	(na)
	Per capita .....	Dollars	200	274	332	425	464	(na)	5.2	8.7	(na)
<b>WELFARE</b>											
459	Public social welfare expenditures, total ..	Bil. dol.	52.3	77.2	145.8	214.4	239.3	286.5	10.8	13.2	19.7
	Percent of total govt. expenditures .....	Percent	38.0	42.4	47.8	55.3	55.9	58.4	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Federal .....	Bil. dol.	25.0	37.7	77.3	122.6	137.7	165.9	12.0	15.6	20.6
	State and local .....	Bil. dol.	27.3	39.5	68.4	91.8	101.6	120.6	9.8	10.4	18.6
461	Per capita, current dollars .....	Dollars	285	391	701	1,003	1,111	1,319	9.4	12.2	18.7
	1975 dollars .....	Dollars	475	615	941	1,209	1,232	1,319	7.1	7.0	7.1
459	Social insurance .....	Bil. dol.	19.3	28.1	54.7	86.2	99.0	123.4	11.0	16.0	24.8
460	OASDHI <sup>16</sup> (Social Security) .....	Bil. dol.	11.0	17.0	36.8	57.8	66.3	78.5	12.8	15.8	18.4
	Medicare .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	(x)	7.1	9.5	11.3	14.8	(x)	12.2	30.3
460	Unemployment insurance .....	Bil. dol.	2.8	3.0	3.8	6.1	6.7	14.4	3.0	14.9	116.1
460	Education .....	Bil. dol.	17.6	28.1	50.9	65.4	70.2	78.4	11.2	8.3	11.8
460	Public aid .....	Bil. dol.	4.1	6.3	16.5	28.7	32.0	40.5	14.9	18.0	26.7
460	Health and medical <sup>17</sup> .....	Bil. dol.	4.5	6.2	9.8	13.2	14.4	16.6	8.1	10.2	15.8
460	Veterans .....	Bil. dol.	5.5	6.0	9.1	13.0	14.1	16.7	5.2	11.7	18.1
460	Housing .....	Bil. dol.	.2	.3	.7	2.2	2.6	3.0	14.8	38.2	15.7
462	Federal grants to State and local govts ..	Bil. dol.	6.8	10.6	23.6	41.0	42.2	48.5	13.2	15.7	15.0
	Social welfare .....	Percent	52.8	53.3	70.2	59.6	60.3	62.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
471	OASDHI beneficiaries, end of year .....	Millions	14.8	20.9	26.2	29.9	30.9	32.1	5.9	4.1	4.0
	Retired workers .....	Millions	8.1	11.1	13.3	15.4	16.0	16.6	5.2	4.6	3.9
	Monthly benefits in current-payment status .....	Bil. dol.	11.1	18.1	31.6	51.1	58.2	66.6	11.0	16.5	14.4
	Average monthly benefits paid to retired workers, 1975 dollars .....	Dollars	138	146	165	200	201	207	1.8	5.1	3.0
470	Social Security (old-age and survivors) trust fund assets, end of year .....	Bil. dol.	20.3	18.2	32.5	36.5	37.8	37.0	4.8	3.9	-2.1
489	Hospital insurance enrollment (Medicare) ..	Millions	(x)	<sup>18</sup> 19.1	20.4	23.3	23.9	(na)	<sup>18</sup> 2.1	4.1	(na)
	Benefit payments .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	<sup>18</sup> 2.5	5.1	7.0	9.1	(na)	<sup>18</sup> 26.6	15.3	(na)
489	Medical insurance enrollment (Medicare) ..	Millions	(x)	<sup>18</sup> 17.7	19.6	22.5	23.2	(na)	<sup>18</sup> 3.4	4.3	(na)
	Benefit payments .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	<sup>18</sup> 7	2.0	2.5	3.4	(na)	<sup>18</sup> 43.4	14.2	(na)
<b>Public aid:</b>											
498	Supplemental Security Income: <sup>19</sup>										
	Recipients, total .....	Millions	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	4.0	4.3	(x)	(x)	8.0
	Aged .....	Millions	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	2.3	2.3	(x)	(x)	0.9
	Disabled .....	Millions	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	1.6	1.9	(x)	(x)	18.2
499	Payments, total .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	5.1	5.7	(x)	(x)	12.1
	Aged .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	2.4	2.5	(x)	(x)	4.2
	Disabled .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	2.6	3.1	(x)	(x)	20.2
<b>Public assistance recipients:</b>											
496	Families with dependent children ..	Millions	.8	1.1	2.6	3.2	3.3	3.6	12.3	6.7	7.3
	Individual recipients .....	Millions	3.1	4.4	9.7	10.8	11.0	11.4	12.1	3.3	3.5
497	Old-age <sup>20</sup> .....	Millions	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.8	(x)	(x)	-1.0	-4.4	(x)
497	Permanently, totally disabled <sup>20</sup> .....	Millions	.4	.6	.9	1.3	(x)	(x)	9.7	10.9	(x)
496	Public assistance payments, total .....	Bil. dol.	3.8	5.5	14.5	21.4	20.7	23.0	14.3	9.3	11.4
	Families with dependent children .....	Bil. dol.	1.1	1.8	4.9	7.3	8.0	8.6	16.5	13.3	8.1
	Medical assistance .....	Bil. dol.	(x)	(x)	5.9	9.8	11.5	13.0	(x)	18.0	12.9
	Old-age <sup>20</sup> .....	Bil. dol.	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	(x)	(x)	-0.3	-2.1	(x)
	Permanently, totally disabled <sup>20</sup> .....	Bil. dol.	.3	.6	1.0	1.6	(x)	(x)	13.0	17.1	(x)
<b>NATIONAL DEFENSE</b>											
513	Federal outlays for national defense .....	Bil. dol.	45.2	48.6	79.3	75.1	78.6	86.6	5.8	-0.2	10.2
	In constant 1976 dollars .....	Bil. dol.	104.2	100.1	128.4	98.9	96.1	93.9	2.1	-7.0	-2.3
	Percent of total Federal outlays .....	Percent	49.0	41.0	40.3	30.5	29.3	26.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Percent of gross national product .....	Percent	9.1	7.4	8.3	6.1	5.8	6.0	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
517	Worldwide military expenditures .....	Bil. dol.	<sup>21</sup> 122	160	235	280	315	(na)	<sup>21</sup> 6.6	7.8	(na)
	U.S. as percent of world total .....	Percent	<sup>21</sup> 39	32	33	28	27	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year				
									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75		
<b>NATIONAL DEFENSE—Con.</b>													
520	Foreign military assistance grants	Bil. dol.	1.7	2.0	.5	.5	.7	.8	-11.1	7.6	9.5		
520	Foreign military sales deliveries	Bil. dol.	(na)	.9	1.8	1.8	3.4	4.0	16.0	17.4	17.5		
526	Defense-related Federal employment <sup>2,2</sup>	Millions	3.6	3.8	4.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	2.1	-7.0	-2.1		
532	Military personnel on active duty	Millions	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.2	-8.4	-1.6		
531	U.S. military in foreign countries	1,000	633	853	888	493	480	454	3.4	-14.3	-5.4		
550	Military reserves not on active duty	Millions	4.1	2.6	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.7	-1.3	-4.2	-13.3		
513	Federal outlays for veterans benefits	Bil. dol.	5.5	5.7	8.7	12.0	13.4	16.6	4.7	11.4	23.9		
553	Veterans, total	Millions	23.8	25.3	27.6	29.1	29.3	29.5	1.5	1.4	0.7		
560	Veterans on compensation and benefit rolls <sup>2,3</sup>	Millions	4.0	4.5	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.9	1.8	0.8	-0.3		
<b>EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS</b>													
571	Labor force, total	Millions	72.1	77.2	85.9	91.0	93.2	94.8	1.8	2.1	1.7		
	Civilian labor force	Millions	69.6	74.5	82.7	88.7	91.0	92.6	1.7	2.4	1.8		
	Employed	Millions	65.8	71.1	78.6	84.4	85.9	84.8	1.8	2.2	-1.3		
	Unemployed, total	Millions	3.9	3.4	4.1	4.3	5.1	7.8	0.6	5.6	54.3		
582	16-24 years old	Millions	1.3	1.4	2.0	2.2	2.6	3.6	4.3	7.1	38.1		
582	Unemployment rate, total	Percent	5.5	4.5	4.9	4.9	5.6	8.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	White	Percent	4.9	4.1	4.5	4.3	5.0	7.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Male	Percent	4.8	3.6	4.0	3.7	4.3	7.2	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Female	Percent	5.3	5.0	5.4	5.3	6.1	8.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Negro and other	Percent	10.2	8.1	8.2	8.9	9.9	13.9	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Male	Percent	10.7	7.4	7.3	7.6	9.1	13.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Female	Percent	9.4	9.2	9.3	10.5	10.7	14.0	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Persons 16-24 years old	Percent	11.2	10.1	11.0	10.5	11.8	16.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
	Married men, wife present	Percent	3.7	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.7	5.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
582	Insured unemployed, average weekly	Millions	1.9	1.3	1.8	1.6	2.3	4.0	-0.6	5.8	76.6		
584	Nonfarm employment, total	Millions	54.2	60.8	70.9	76.8	78.4	77.0	2.7	2.5	-1.8		
	Goods-related industries, total	Millions	20.4	21.9	23.5	24.7	24.7	22.5	1.4	1.2	-8.6		
	Manufacturing	Millions	16.8	18.1	19.3	20.1	20.0	18.3	1.4	0.9	-8.3		
	Service-related industries, total	Millions	33.8	38.9	47.4	52.1	53.7	54.4	3.4	3.1	1.4		
	Wholesale and retail trade	Millions	11.4	12.7	15.0	16.7	17.0	16.9	2.8	3.1	-0.4		
	Government	Millions	8.4	10.1	12.6	13.7	14.2	14.8	4.2	3.1	4.2		
574	Female labor force, total	Millions	22.5	26.0	31.2	33.9	35.3	36.5	3.3	3.1	3.4		
	Median age	Years	40.3	40.4	38.7	36.6	35.9	35.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
571	Proportion of total labor force	Percent	32.3	34.0	36.7	38.0	38.5	39.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
574	Married, husband present	Percent	54.4	56.7	58.8	58.5	57.7	57.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
576	Working women, husband present, with children under 18 years	Millions	6.6	8.0	10.2	10.7	11.0	11.4	4.5	1.9	3.7		
	Labor force participation rate	Percent	27.6	32.2	39.7	41.7	43.1	44.9	(ns)	(ns)	(na)		
598	Output per man-hour, private economy, index			79	95	104	114	111	112	2.8	1.6	1.3	
	Manufacturing			79	98	105	118	113	112	2.9	2.0	-0.6	
	Compensation per man-hour, private economy, index			100	72	89	124	151	166	181	5.6	7.6	9.1
	Manufacturing			100	77	91	122	147	161	178	4.7	7.3	10.4
607	Average weekly earnings (current dollars)	Dollars	81	95	119	145	154	164	3.9	6.7	6.5		
	Manufacturing	Dollars	90	108	134	166	176	190	4.1	7.1	8.0		
	Contract construction	Dollars	113	138	195	236	249	265	5.5	6.3	6.4		
	Retail trade	Dollars	58	67	82	96	101	108	3.5	5.3	6.9		
607	Average weekly earnings (1975 dollars)	Dollars	147	162	166	176	169	164	1.2	0.4	-3.0		
	Manufacturing	Dollars	163	184	185	201	193	190	1.3	1.1	-1.6		
	Contract construction	Dollars	206	236	271	285	272	265	2.8	0.1	-2.6		
	Retail trade	Dollars	105	114	114	116	110	108	0.8	-0.9	-1.8		
618	Labor union membership	Millions	18.1	<sup>24</sup> 18.5	20.8	(na)	21.6	(na)	1.4	1.1	(na)		
	Percent of nonfarm employment	Percent	31.4	28.4	27.5	(na)	25.8	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(na)		
623	Work stoppages	1,000	3.3	4.0	5.7	5.4	6.1	(na)	5.5	1.5	(na)		
	Workers involved	Millions	1.3	1.6	3.3	2.3	2.8	(na)	9.6	-4.2	(na)		
<b>INCOME AND PRICES</b>													
628	Gross national product, current dollars	Bil. dol.	506	688	982	1,307	1,413	1,516	6.9	9.5	7.3		
634	Per capita	Dollars	2,801	3,541	4,795	6,209	6,640	7,016	5.5	8.5	5.7		
628	Personal consumption expenditures	Bil. dol.	325	430	619	810	888	973	6.7	9.4	9.7		
628	Gross private domestic investment	Bil. dol.	76	112	141	220	215	184	6.3	11.2	-14.6		
628	Net exports of goods and services	Bil. dol.	4	8	4	7	8	21	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)		
628	Govt. purchases of goods and services	Bil. dol.	100	138	219	270	303	339	8.1	8.5	11.8		

See notes on p. xxiv.

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year		
									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>INCOME AND PRICES—Con.</b>											
630	Gross national product, 1972 dollars	Bil. dol.	737	926	1,075	1,235	1,214	1,192	3.9	3.1	-1.8
634	Per capita	Dollars	4,078	4,765	5,248	5,862	5,714	5,552	2.6	2.1	-2.8
638	National income	Bil. dol.	412	566	798	1,065	1,136	1,208	6.8	9.2	6.3
638	Personal income	Bil. dol.	400	537	801	1,052	1,153	1,250	7.2	9.5	8.4
638	Disposable personal income	Bil. dol.	349	472	686	902	983	1,081	7.0	9.4	10.0
634	Per capita, current dollars	Dollars	1,934	2,430	3,348	4,292	4,642	5,040	5.6	8.5	8.6
638	Personal saving	Bil. dol.	17	30	51	70	72	84	11.5	9.3	16.3
647	Median money income of all families, current dollars	\$1,000	5.6	7.0	9.9	12.1	<sup>25</sup> 12.9	<sup>25</sup> 13.7	5.8	6.9	6.3
	White families	\$1,000	5.8	7.3	10.2	12.6	<sup>25</sup> 13.4	<sup>25</sup> 14.3	5.8	7.0	6.4
	Black and other families	\$1,000	3.2	4.0	6.5	7.6	<sup>25</sup> 8.6	<sup>25</sup> 9.3	7.3	7.1	8.7
650	Median money income of all families, 1975 dollars	\$1,000	10.2	11.9	13.7	14.6	<sup>25</sup> 14.1	<sup>25</sup> 13.7	3.0	0.7	-2.6
666	Median money income of persons:										
	Male	\$1,000	4.1	5.0	6.7	8.1	<sup>25</sup> 8.5	<sup>25</sup> 8.9	5.0	6.1	4.7
	Female	\$1,000	1.3	1.5	2.2	2.8	<sup>25</sup> 3.1	<sup>25</sup> 3.4	6.9	8.3	9.8
673	Families below poverty level	Millions	8.2	6.7	5.3	4.8	<sup>25</sup> 5.9	<sup>25</sup> 5.5	-4.3	-1.9	12.2
	Percent of all families	Percent	18.1	13.9	10.1	8.8	<sup>25</sup> 8.8	<sup>25</sup> 9.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
673	Persons below poverty level, total	Millions	39.9	33.2	25.4	23.0	<sup>25</sup> 23.4	<sup>25</sup> 25.9	-4.4	-2.0	10.7
	White	Millions	28.3	22.5	17.5	15.1	<sup>25</sup> 15.7	<sup>25</sup> 17.8	-4.7	-2.7	13.4
	Black and other	Millions	11.5	10.7	7.9	7.8	<sup>25</sup> 7.6	<sup>25</sup> 8.1	-3.7	-1.0	6.6
	Percent white of total white	Percent	17.8	13.3	9.9	8.4	<sup>25</sup> 8.6	<sup>25</sup> 9.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Percent Black of total Black	Percent	(na)	(na)	33.5	31.4	<sup>25</sup> 30.3	<sup>25</sup> 31.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
675	Persons between 100% and 125% of poverty level:										
	Number	Millions	14.8	13.0	10.2	9.9	10.4	(na)	-3.7	0.5	0.5
	Percent of total population	Percent	8.3	6.8	5.0	4.7	4.9	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
699	Purchasing power of the dollar:										
	Wholesale prices (1967=\$1.00)	Dollars	1.05	1.04	.91	.74	.63	.57	-1.5	-8.9	-8.5
	Consumer prices (1967=\$1.00)	Dollars	1.13	1.06	.86	.75	.68	.62	-2.7	-5.8	-8.4
705	Wholesale price index, all commodities	1967 = 100	94.9	96.6	110.4	134.7	160.1	174.9	1.5	9.7	9.2
	Industrial commodities		95.3	96.4	110.0	125.9	153.8	171.5	1.4	8.7	11.5
	Farm products and food		93.7	97.1	111.7	159.1	177.4	184.2	1.8	12.3	3.8
	Fuels, related products, and power		95.1	95.5	106.2	134.3	208.3	245.1	1.0	18.3	17.7
709	Consumer price index, all items	1967 = 100	88.7	94.5	116.3	133.1	147.7	161.2	2.7	6.2	9.1
	Food		88.0	94.4	114.9	141.4	161.7	175.4	2.7	8.9	8.5
	Rent		91.7	96.9	110.1	124.3	130.6	137.3	1.8	4.4	5.1
	Fuel and utilities		85.9	98.3	107.6	126.9	150.2	167.8	1.2	8.7	11.7
	Transportation		89.6	95.9	112.7	123.8	137.7	150.6	2.3	5.1	9.4
	Medical care		79.1	89.5	120.6	137.7	150.5	168.6	4.3	5.7	12.0
	All services		83.5	92.2	121.6	139.1	152.1	166.6	3.8	5.8	9.5
720	Average retail prices:										
	Bread, white, per lb	Cents	20.3	20.9	24.3	27.6	34.5	36.0	1.8	9.2	4.3
	Hamburger, per lb	Cents	52.4	50.8	66.2	95.7	97.2	87.8	2.4	10.1	-9.7
	Steak, sirloin, per lb	Cents	109	114	135	175	180	199	2.2	7.5	10.4
	Milk, fresh (grocery, 1/2 gal.)	Cents	(na)	47.3	57.4	65.4	78.4	78.5	<sup>8</sup> 3.9	8.1	0.1
	Potatoes, per lb	Cents	7.2	9.4	9.0	13.7	16.6	13.4	2.3	16.5	-19.3
<b>BANKING AND FINANCE</b>											
770	Number of banks	1,000	14.0	14.3	14.2	14.7	15.0	15.1	0.1	1.3	1.1
	Number of branches	1,000	11.1	16.6	23.0	28.2	30.3	32.1	7.5	7.2	5.8
777	Commercial banks, total assets	Bil. dol.	261	383	582	843	928	975	8.4	12.4	5.1
	Loans and securities	Bil. dol.	203	312	465	689	750	783	8.7	12.7	4.3
	Commercial and industrial loans	Bil. dol.	43	72	113	161	189	181	10.1	13.6	-4.0
	Investment securities	Bil. dol.	82	105	143	181	189	226	5.7	7.1	20.0
777	Commercial banks, deposits	Bil. dol.	231	334	486	688	754	793	7.7	11.6	5.2
780	Savings and loan associations:										
	Total assets	Bil. dol.	72	130	176	272	296	338	9.4	13.8	14.5
	Mortgage loans outstanding	Bil. dol.	60	110	150	232	249	279	9.6	13.5	11.8
	Savings capital	Bil. dol.	62	110	146	227	243	286	9.0	13.5	17.7
	Mortgage loans made	Bil. dol.	14	24	21	49	39	55	4.1	16.1	41.4
784	Mortgage debt outstanding	Bil. dol.	207	326	452	635	689	741	8.1	11.1	7.5
	Residential nonfarm	Percent	78.7	76.7	74.8	74.3	73.0	73.0	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
787	Net public and private debt	Bil. dol.	874	1,245	1,870	2,532	2,769	2,997	7.9	10.3	8.2
	Public debt	Bil. dol.	308	374	485	598	644	741	4.6	7.3	15.1
	Private debt	Bil. dol.	566	871	1,385	1,934	2,125	2,256	9.4	11.3	6.2

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									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>BANKING AND FINANCE—Con.</b>											
791	Private liquid assets held by the public . . . . .	Bil. dol.	388	563	785	1,092	1,183	1,300	7.3	10.8	9.9
	Demand deposits and currency . . . . .	Bil. dol.	133	155	200	243	250	263	4.2	5.7	5.2
	Time deposits . . . . .	Bil. dol.	171	295	432	643	691	789	9.7	12.5	14.2
	U.S. savings bonds and short-term securities . . . . .	Bil. dol.	80	89	105	110	121	135	2.8	3.6	11.6
799	Money market rates per year:										
	Federal Reserve discount rate (high) . . . . .	Rate	4.00	4.50	6.00	7.50	8.00	7.25	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Prime commercial paper (4-6 mo.) . . . . .	Rate	3.9	4.4	7.7	8.2	9.9	5.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Home mortgages, conventional, new . . . . .	Rate	2 <sup>1</sup> 6.0	5.8	8.5	8.3	9.2	9.1	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Corporate bonds, Aaa . . . . .	Rate	4.4	4.5	8.0	7.4	8.6	8.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Short-term bank business loans . . . . .	Rate	5.2	5.1	8.5	8.3	11.3	8.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
793	Consumer credit outstanding . . . . .	Bil. dol.	56	90	127	181	192	197	8.5	10.8	2.7
	Installment . . . . .	Percent	76.6	78.9	80.3	82.0	82.6	82.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
804	N.Y. Stock Exch. common stock index, monthly avg. (Dec. 31, 1985 = 50) . . . . .	Dol. per share	30	47	46	57	44	46	4.3	-1.0	4.3
804	Dow-Jones industrial (30 stocks) mo. avg . . . . .	Bil. dol.	618	911	753	924	759	803	2.0	0.2	5.8
805	Sales of stocks and bonds . . . . .	Bil. dol.	47	93	136	187	125	167	11.2	-2.1	33.6
	Stocks . . . . .	Bil. dol.	45	89	131	179	118	157	11.3	-2.6	33.1
	Bonds . . . . .	Bil. dol.	2	4	5	8	6	9	11.5	7.9	44.7
808	Mutual funds . . . . .	Number	161	170	356	421	431	423	8.3	4.9	-1.9
	Assets . . . . .	Bil. dol.	17.0	35.2	47.6	53.2	40.3	41.7	10.8	-4.1	3.5
	Sales . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.5	1.2	1.2	4.4	5.6	10.1	9.8	45.8	81.0
811	Life insurance:										
	Value of policies in force . . . . .	Bil. dol.	586	901	1,402	1,778	1,985	2,140	9.1	9.1	7.8
812	Sales . . . . .	Bil. dol.	78	150	214	247	319	320	10.6	10.5	0.2
812	Income . . . . .	Bil. dol.	23	33	49	65	70	78	7.9	9.3	11.4
812	Payments to policy holders . . . . .	Bil. dol.	11	17	26	32	35	39	8.4	7.9	11.0
814	Life insurance companies, assets . . . . .	Bil. dol.	120	159	207	252	263	289	5.7	6.2	9.9
	Net interest earned on assets . . . . .	Rate	4.1	4.6	5.3	5.9	6.3	6.4	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
816	Health insurance: Premiums written . . . . .	Bil. dol.	4.7	7.4	11.5	16.6	18.5	(na)	9.5	12.4	(na)
	Benefit payments . . . . .	Bil. dol.	3.0	5.1	9.1	11.9	13.6	(na)	11.6	10.7	(na)
<b>BUSINESS ENTERPRISE</b>											
823	Proprietorships and partnerships:										
	Number . . . . .	Millions	10.0	10.0	10.3	11.7	(na)	(na)	0.3	4.2	(na)
	Receipts . . . . .	Bil. dol.	245	274	331	435	(na)	(na)	3.1	9.5	(na)
823	Corporations, number . . . . .	Millions	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.9	(na)	(na)	3.9	4.6	(na)
	Receipts . . . . .	Tril. dol.	.8	1.2	1.8	2.6	(na)	(na)	7.5	13.5	(na)
825	New business incorporations . . . . .	1,000	183	204	264	329	319	328	3.7	4.8	2.8
837	Business expenditures for new plant and equipment . . . . .	Bil. dol.	36.8	54.4	79.7	99.7	112.4	112.8	8.1	9.0	0.3
	Manufacturing . . . . .	Bil. dol.	15.1	23.4	32.0	38.0	46.0	48.0	7.8	9.5	4.2
	Public utilities . . . . .	Bil. dol.	5.2	6.1	13.1	18.7	20.6	20.1	9.6	11.8	-2.0
	Communications . . . . .	Bil. dol.	3.2	5.3	10.1	12.9	14.0	12.7	12.0	8.4	-8.7
842	Active corporations, number . . . . .	1,000	1,141	1,424	1,666	1,905	(na)	(na)	3.9	4.6	(na)
	With assets of \$100 million or more . . . . .	1,000	1.4	1.9	2.6	3.5	(na)	(na)	6.4	10.4	(na)
	Percent of total . . . . .	Percent	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	(na)	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
842	Active corporations, assets . . . . .	Bil. dol.	1,207	1,724	2,835	3,649	(na)	(na)	8.1	11.5	(na)
	With assets of \$100 million or more . . . . .	Bil. dol.	671	1,027	1,752	2,565	(na)	(na)	10.1	13.5	(na)
	Percent of total . . . . .	Percent	55.6	59.6	66.5	70.3	(na)	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
851	Share of assets held by 200 largest manufacturing corporations . . . . .	Percent	56.3	56.7	60.4	56.9	56.7	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
855	Corporate profits after taxes . . . . .	Bil. dol.	25.8	44.3	37.0	68.8	79.5	72.5	3.7	21.1	-8.8
855	Capital consumption allowances . . . . .	Bil. dol.	25.3	37.4	56.6	73.5	79.7	87.8	8.4	8.9	10.2
859	Profit rates after taxes on stockholders' equity in manufacturing corporations . . . . .	Rate	9.2	13.0	9.3	12.8	14.9	11.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
860	Mergers of mfg. and mining concerns . . . . .	1,000	.8	1.0	1.4	.9	.6	(na)	4.8	-18.3	(na)
863	Industrial and commercial failures . . . . .	1,000	15.4	13.5	10.7	9.3	9.9	11.4	-3.6	-2.0	15.3
	Per 10,000 concerns in business . . . . .	Rate	57	53	44	36	38	43	-2.6	-3.6	13.2
	Current liabilities . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.9	1.3	1.9	2.3	3.1	4.4	7.2	12.8	43.5
<b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>											
868	Postal service revenues . . . . .	Bil. dol.	3.3	4.5	7.7	9.9	10.9	11.6	8.9	9.0	6.7
	Surplus (+) or deficit (-) . . . . .	Mn. dol.	-597	-793	-165	-13	-438	-989	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
873	Pieces of domestic mail . . . . .	Billions	63.1	71.3	84.0	88.8	89.2	88.3	2.9	1.5	-1.0
	Per capita . . . . .	Number	352	369	411	423	424	415	1.6	0.8	-2.1

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year		
									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>COMMUNICATIONS—Con.</b>											
875	Telephone systems, operating revenues . . .	Bil. dol.	8.4	11.8	18.2	25.5	28.3	(na)	8.1	11.7	(na)
	Net income . . . . .	Bil. dol.	1.3	1.9	2.3	3.2	3.5	(na)	6.1	11.4	(na)
874	Bell system, operating revenues . . . . .	Bil. dol.	8.1	11.3	17.4	24.1	26.8	29.6	7.9	11.4	10.6
	Net income . . . . .	Bil. dol.	1.3	1.9	2.3	3.1	3.3	3.3	6.1	9.5	-0.4
877	Households with telephones . . . . .	Percent	79	85	91	94	94	95	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
882	Commercial broadcast stations, total . . . .	Number	4,218	4,867	5,584	5,936	6,130	(na)	2.8	2.4	(na)
882	Commercial broadcast revenues, total . . . .	Bil. dol.	1.9	2.8	3.9	5.0	5.4	(na)	7.8	8.1	(na)
889	Households with TV sets . . . . .	Percent	88	92	96	96	97	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
895	Daily newspapers . . . . .	Number	1,763	1,751	1,748	1,774	1,768	1,756	-0.1	0.3	-0.7
	Net paid circulation . . . . .	Millions	58.9	60.4	62.1	63.1	61.9	60.7	0.5	-0.1	-2.0
<b>ENERGY AND SCIENCE</b>											
902	Horsepower of all prime movers . . . . .	Billions	11	15	20	24	25	25	6.4	4.7	2.4
903	Production of energy (Btu) . . . . .	Quadril.	41.6	49.1	62.5	62.4	61.3	60.1	4.2	-0.5	-1.9
906	Consumption of energy (Btu) . . . . .	Quadril.	44.6	53.3	67.1	74.8	72.9	71.1	4.2	2.1	-2.5
	Per capita (Btu) . . . . .	Millions	247	274	328	356	344	333	2.9	1.2	-3.2
903	By source: Coal . . . . .	Percent	23	22	19	18	18	19	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Natural gas . . . . .	Percent	32	34	37	34	33	32	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Crude petroleum . . . . .	Percent	42	40	40	43	42	43	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
912	Industrial . . . . .	Percent	33	32	30	29	28	27	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
912	Household and commercial . . . . .	Percent	23	22	21	19	19	19	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
909	Crude oil imports . . . . .	Mill. bbl.	372	452	483	1,184	1,269	1,498	2.6	27.3	18.0
909	Petroleum products imports . . . . .	Mill. bbl.	293	449	765	1,099	962	701	10.1	5.9	-27.1
909	Petroleum products exports . . . . .	Mill. bbl.	71	87	90	84	79	74	2.4	-3.2	-6.3
915	Electric energy production (kWh) . . . . .	Billions	842	1,158	1,602	1,965	1,969	2,000	6.6	5.3	1.6
	Installed capacity . . . . .	Mill. kW	186	265	361	460	495	525	6.9	8.2	6.1
	Per kW of installed capacity . . . . .	kWh	4,529	4,548	4,438	4,272	3,978	3,810	-0.2	-2.7	-4.2
924	Electric utilities operating revenues . . . .	Bil. dol.	10	13	20	29	37	(na)	6.9	17.1	(na)
	Net income . . . . .	Bil. dol.	1.8	2.6	3.4	5.0	5.3	(na)	6.7	11.7	(na)
929	Gas utility and pipeline industry revenues. Bil. dol.	Bil. dol.	8.7	11.5	16.4	20.6	24.2	30.6	6.5	10.2	26.3
	Net income . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.8	1.1	1.4	2.0	2.3	2.5	5.6	12.7	8.6
934	Nuclear capacity, year-end (net MW) . . . .	1,000	.4	1.0	7.5	20.1	30.4	39.6	34.7	41.9	30.1
	Percent of total electric utility capacity	Percent	0.2	0.4	2.2	4.6	6.4	8.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
949	Scientists and engineers employed <sup>26</sup> . . . .	1,000	<sup>22</sup> 426	494	550	523	528	531	<sup>21</sup> 2.9	-1.0	0.5
	Industry <sup>27</sup> . . . . .	1,000	<sup>22</sup> 312	348	375	359	360	358	<sup>21</sup> 2.1	-1.1	-0.4
958	Science doctorates conferred . . . . .	1,000	6.3	10.5	17.8	18.9	18.3	18.4	11.0	0.8	0.2
963	Federal space program outlays . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.9	6.9	5.5	4.7	4.9	4.9	19.9	-2.8	0.8
	NASA outlays . . . . .	Bil. dol.	.3	5.0	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.0	26.9	-4.5	-0.2
939	Research and development (R&D) funds . .	Bil. dol.	13.6	20.1	26.0	30.4	32.3	35.2	6.8	5.5	8.9
	Basic research funds . . . . .	Percent	8.7	12.8	13.5	12.5	12.6	12.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Federal Government funds . . . . .	Percent	64.6	64.9	56.7	54.0	52.3	52.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Industry funds . . . . .	Percent	33.3	32.5	40.1	42.4	44.1	43.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
938	Defense-related outlays . . . . .	Percent	52.2	32.9	32.8	32.0	27.1	28.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
938	Space-related outlays . . . . .	Percent	3.2	20.7	10.3	6.7	9.0	8.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
941	Federal obligations for R&D . . . . .	Bil. dol.	7.6	14.6	15.3	16.8	17.4	19.0	7.3	3.3	9.2
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>											
970	Intercity freight traffic, ton-miles . . . . .	Billions	1,330	1,651	1,936	2,232	2,213	(na)	3.8	3.4	(na)
	Moved by railroad . . . . .	Percent	44.7	43.7	39.8	38.5	38.9	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
971	Intercity passenger traffic, passenger-miles	Billions	784	920	1,185	1,357	(na)	(na)	4.2	4.6	(na)
	Moved by private automobile . . . . .	Percent	90.1	88.9	86.6	86.5	(na)	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
976	Total highway mileage . . . . .	Billions	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	(na)	0.5	0.6	(na)
983	State and local highway long-term debt	Bil. dol.	13.2	15.3	19.1	22.9	23.1	23.6	3.8	4.8	2.2
	outstanding . . . . .	Bil. dol.	13.2	15.3	19.1	22.9	23.1	23.6	3.8	4.8	2.2
986	Motor vehicle travel, vehicle-miles . . . . .	Billions	719	888	1,121	1,209	1,290	(na)	4.5	3.6	(na)
988	Motor vehicle registrations . . . . .	Millions	74	90	108	126	130	134	3.9	4.6	3.0
989	New passenger car sales . . . . .	Millions	6.6	9.9	8.6	12.2	9.4	9.1	2.7	2.2	-3.2
	Domestic production . . . . .	Millions	6.1	9.3	6.5	9.7	7.3	6.7	0.6	2.9	-8.2
	Imports . . . . .	Millions	.4	.6	2.0	2.5	2.1	2.4	17.5	1.2	14.3
	Percent of total . . . . .	Percent	6	6	24	21	23	26	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
995	Motor fuel consumption . . . . .	Bil. gal.	64	71	92	110	106	(na)	3.8	3.6	(na)
1007	Revenue passengers carried, local transit companies . . . . .	Billions	7.5	6.8	5.9	5.3	5.6	5.6	-2.3	-1.4	0.2
1003	Deaths, motor vehicle accidents . . . . .	1,000	38	49	55	56	46	46	3.7	-4.1	-1.3

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									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>TRANSPORTATION—Con.</b>											
969	Operating revenues:										
	Motor carriers of property	Bil. dol.	7.2	10.1	14.6	20.8	22.7	(na)	7.3	11.7	(na)
	Railroads	Bil. dol.	10.0	10.7	12.5	15.6	17.8	(na)	2.3	9.2	(na)
1012	Railroad freight revenue—tons originated	Billions	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	(na)	1.9	0.7	(na)
1012	Railroad passenger-miles	Billions	21.3	17.5	10.8	9.3	10.3	(na)	-6.6	-1.0	(na)
1013	Railroad operating revenues (Class I)	Bil. dol.	9.5	10.2	12.0	15.0	17.2	16.7	2.3	9.5	-3.0
	Net operating income	Mil. dol.	584	962	486	698	514	22	-1.8	1.4	-95.7
1027	Scheduled air carriers, domestic revenue	Bil. dol.	2.1	3.6	7.1	9.6	11.4	11.9	12.8	12.6	4.2
1031	Revenue passengers carried	Millions	56	92	153	183	190	189	10.6	5.6	-0.5
1031	Express and freight ton-miles flown	Billions	.4	.9	2.0	2.5	2.4	2.3	17.6	5.3	-3.7
1040	Waterborne commerce, total cargo, short tons	Billions	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.7	(na)	3.4	3.3	(na)
<b>AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, FISHERIES</b>											
1063	Farm population	Millions	15.6	12.4	9.7	9.5	9.3	8.9	-4.6	-1.2	-4.3
1065	Farms	Millions	4.0	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	-2.9	-1.1	-0.8
	Average land per farm	Acres	297	340	373	383	384	387	2.3	9.7	0.8
1108	Farm employment <sup>28</sup>	Millions	7.1	5.6	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.4	-4.4	-0.7	-C.7
1085	Agricultural assets, total	Bil. dol.	204	238	306	388	476	520	4.2	11.7	9.2
1090	Farm income, gross	Bil. dol.	38	46	59	96	100	98	4.3	14.4	-2.0
	Cash marketing receipts	Percent	89.0	86.5	86.3	91.2	92.5	91.2	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Government payments	Percent	1.8	5.4	6.3	2.7	0.5	0.8	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1090	Average income per farm	\$1,000	2.9	3.8	4.8	11.7	9.4	9.1	5.1	18.3	-2.9
1092	Personal income, farm population	Bil. dol.	18.4	22.6	27.4	48.6	45.1	45.6	4.1	13.3	0.8
	Per capita	Dollars	1,174	1,825	2,819	5,128	4,866	5,128	9.2	14.6	5.4
1088	Value of farm products:										
	Current dollars	Bil. dol.	38	44	55	96	99	102	3.7	15.9	2.6
	Constant (1972) dollars	Bil. dol.	52	57	63	69	65	68	1.9	0.9	4.1
1105	Farm output index		91	98	101	112	108	111	1.0	1.7	2.8
1106	Farm output per man-hour, index		65	89	112	133	132	141	5.6	4.2	6.8
	Livestock and products		62	86	121	144	156	160	6.9	6.6	2.6
	Crops		66	90	110	128	118	131	5.2	1.8	11.0
1110	Agricultural exports	Bil. dol.	4.5	6.1	6.7	12.9	21.3	21.6	4.0	33.4	1.4
	Percent of all exports	Percent	24	23	16	22	25	21	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1116	Harvested crops, total	Mil. acres	324	298	293	321	330	336	-1.0	3.0	1.8
1112	Wheat production	Mil. bu.	1,355	1,316	1,352	1,705	1,796	2,134	(-)	7.4	18.8
1112	Corn for grain, production	Mil. bu.	3,907	4,103	4,152	5,647	4,664	5,767	0.6	2.9	23.6
1112	Wheat exports	Mil. bu.	661	867	732	1,372	923	1,138	1.0	6.0	23.3
1112	Corn for grain, exports	Mil. bu.	292	687	506	1,306	1,175	1,318	5.7	23.4	12.2
1157	Lumber production, board feet	Billions	33	37	35	39	35	(na)	0.5	(-)	(na)
1163	Pulpwood production, total, cords	Millions	40	52	68	73	(na)	(na)	5.4	2.6	(na)
1164	Woodpulp production, total, short tons	Millions	25	34	44	48	48	41	5.6	2.7	-16.1
1172	Fisheries, catch	Bil. lb.	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	-0.1	0.1	-2.0
	Value	Mil. dol.	354	446	613	937	898	971	5.6	10.0	8.1
1181	Canned fishery products, value	Mil. dol.	388	495	742	1,167	1,306	1,035	6.7	15.2	-20.8
1185	Imports of fishery products, value <sup>29</sup>	Mil. dol.	363	601	1,037	1,583	1,711	1,637	11.1	13.3	-4.3
<b>MINERAL PRODUCTION</b>											
1191	Mineral production:										
	Current dollars	Bil. dol.	18	22	30	37	55	(na)	5.2	16.7	(na)
	Fuels	Bil. dol.	12	14	20	25	41	(na)	5.3	19.3	(na)
	Nonmetals	Bil. dol.	4	5	6	7	9	(na)	3.9	11.2	(na)
	Metals	Bil. dol.	2	3	4	4	6	(na)	6.9	9.5	(na)
	Constant (1967) dollars	Bil. dol.	19	22	27	27	26	(na)	3.6	-0.4	(na)
1191	Mineral imports	Bil. dol.	3	3	3	7	19	(na)	0.3	54.6	(na)
1191	Mineral exports	Bil. dol.	2	1	2	2	4	(na)	-1.7	21.6	(na)
1192	Mining production, index		83	94	110	110	109	107	2.9	-0.2	-1.8
	Coal, oil, and gas		81	92	109	108	107	106	3.0	-0.5	-0.9
1204	U.S. direct investment abroad in mining and petroleum	Bil. dol.	14	19	25	33	36	41	6.2	9.4	15.0
	Petroleum	Bil. dol.	11	15	20	27	30	35	6.2	11.3	15.2
1207	Coal production, short tons	Millions	434	527	613	599	610	646	3.5	-0.1	5.9
	Value	Bil. dol.	2.1	2.4	3.9	5.1	9.6	12.3	6.3	25.5	27.6
	Average employment	1,000	169	134	140	148	167	195	-1.9	4.5	16.8
1211	Crude petroleum production, domestic	Bil. bbl.	2.6	2.8	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.2	-2.3	-4.6
	Value (at wells)	Bil. dol.	7.4	8.2	11.2	13.1	21.6	24.4	4.2	17.9	13.1

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year		
									1960-70	1970-74 <sup>1</sup>	1974-75
<b>MINERAL PRODUCTION—Con.</b>											
1211	Crude petroleum, proved reserves . . . . .	Bil. bbl.	31.6	31.4	39.0	35.3	34.3	32.7	2.1	-3.2	-4.6
1211	Refined petroleum products at refineries . . . . .	Bil. bbl.	3.0	3.3	4.0	4.5	4.4	3.0	3.0	2.8	-31.3
1211	Crude petroleum production, world . . . . .	Bil. bbl.	7.7	11.1	16.7	20.6	20.5	19.7	8.1	5.3	-4.2
1217	Natural gas, marketed production, cu. ft. . . . .	Trillions	13	16	22	23	22	20	5.6	-0.4	-6.9
	Value . . . . .	Bil. dol.	1.8	2.5	3.7	4.9	6.6	8.9	7.7	15.1	36.1
1217	Natural gas, proved reserves, cu. ft. . . . .	Trillions	264	286	291	250	237	228	1.0	-6.0	-3.8
1230	Iron ore production, long tons . . . . .	Millions	89	87	90	88	84	79	0.1	-1.5	-6.5
	Value of shipments . . . . .	Mil. dol.	724	801	942	1,166	1,391	1,619	2.7	10.2	16.4
1229	Copper ore production, short tons . . . . .	Millions	135	173	258	290	293	(na)	6.7	3.2	(na)
<b>CONSTRUCTION AND HOUSING</b>											
1244	Value of new construction . . . . .	Bil. dol.	55	74	95	138	139	132	5.7	9.9	4.7
	Private . . . . .	Bil. dol.	39	52	67	105	100	93	5.6	10.7	-7.1
	Residential (including farm) . . . . .	Bil. dol.	23	28	32	60	50	46	3.3	12.1	-7.7
	Public . . . . .	Bil. dol.	16	22	28	33	38	39	5.9	8.1	1.7
1245	Value of new construction, 1967 dollars . . . . .	Bil. dol.	63	80	79	93	80	70	2.3	0.4	-13.0
1253	Composite construction cost index . . . . .		83	93	122	152	173	190	3.9	9.1	9.6
1253	New one-family homes, price index . . . . .		(na)	93	117	145	158	174	4.7	7.7	10.2
1253	Wholesale prices of construction materials . . . . .		100	96	96	113	139	161	1.7	9.4	8.1
1253	Union hourly wages, building trades . . . . .		75	91	129	161	173	188	5.5	7.7	8.6
1273	Year-round housing units . . . . .	Millions	56.6	(na)	67.7	75.3	75.9	(na)	1.8	2.9	(na)
	Occupied units . . . . .	Millions	53.0	(na)	63.5	69.3	70.8	(na)	1.8	2.8	(na)
	Owner-occupied . . . . .	Millions	32.8	(na)	39.9	44.7	45.8	(na)	2.0	3.5	(na)
	Renter-occupied . . . . .	Millions	20.2	(na)	23.6	24.7	25.0	(na)	1.5	1.5	(na)
	Vacant units . . . . .	Millions	3.6	(na)	4.2	6.0	5.1	(na)	1.7	4.7	(na)
1259	New housing units started . . . . .	Millions	1.3	1.5	1.5	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.3	-2.1	-13.4
	Structures with two or more units . . . . .	Percent	22	36	45	45	34	24	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1260	Price index, 1967=100 . . . . .	Index	(na)	93	117	145	158	174	(na)	7.7	10.2
1264	Median sale price . . . . .	\$1,000	(na)	20.0	23.4	32.5	35.9	39.3	(na)	11.3	9.5
1268	Rental vacancy rate . . . . .	Percent	8.1	8.3	5.3	5.8	6.2	6.0	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1270	Low rent public housing units . . . . .	1,000	593	736	1,155	1,324	1,314	1,317	6.9	3.3	0.2
	For the elderly . . . . .	1,000	19	98	249	334	327	336	29.4	7.0	2.7
1275	Year-round housing units lacking some or all plumbing—										
	Owner-occupied units . . . . .	Percent	11	(na)	5	2	2	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Renter-occupied units . . . . .	Percent	21	(na)	8	6	5	(na)	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1290	First mortgage loans, conventional type, single family homes:										
	New homes, contract interest rate . . . . .	Percent	(na)	5.7	8.2	7.5	8.5	8.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Existing homes, contract interest rate . . . . .	Percent	(na)	5.9	8.2	7.6	8.4	8.9	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
<b>MANUFACTURES</b>											
1295	Industrial production, index . . . . .		100	89	107	126	125	114	5.0	4.0	-8.8
	Manufacturing . . . . .		100	65	89	105	125	112	4.9	4.2	-9.7
1298	Manufacturing: Relation of output to capacity . . . . .	Percent	80	89	78	83	79	69	(ns)	(ns)	(na)
1294	Value added by manufacture . . . . .	Bil. dol.	164	225	300	404	(na)	(na)	6.2	10.4	(na)
1294	Employment in manufactures, annual average . . . . .	Millions	17	18	19	20	(na)	(na)	1.3	1.2	(na)
1300	Manufacturers' shipments . . . . .	Bil. dol.	370	492	634	858	983	994	5.5	11.6	1.1
1300	Manufacturers' inventories . . . . .	Bil. dol.	54	68	101	121	150	147	6.6	10.4	-2.5
1300	Manufacturers' new orders . . . . .	Bil. dol.	361	502	625	888	1,003	977	5.6	12.5	-2.6
1304	Capital expenditures . . . . .	Bil. dol.	10	17	22	27	(na)	(na)	8.2	6.8	(na)
1339	Raw steel production, short tons . . . . .	Millions	99	131	132	151	146	117	2.9	2.6	-20.0
1336	Steel mill products, net shipments, short tons . . . . .	Millions	71	93	91	111	109	80	2.5	4.8	-27.0
<b>DOMESTIC TRADE AND SERVICES</b>											
1357	Retail store sales, all stores . . . . .	Bil. dol.	220	284	376	503	538	584	5.5	9.4	8.6
	Constant (1967) dollars . . . . .	Bil. dol.	239	296	337	402	382	(na)	3.5	3.2	(na)
	Multinuit firms <sup>20</sup> . . . . .	Bil. dol.	(na)	73	117	155	169	183	9.9	9.6	8.1
1361	Department store sales . . . . .	Bil. dol.	14	23	37	52	56	61	10.4	10.6	8.7
839	Retail trade inventories . . . . .	Bil. dol.	27	34	47	65	74	73	5.7	12.0	-1.4
	Inventory-sales ratio . . . . .	Ratio	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)

Reference table	Subject	Unit of measure	1960	1965	1970	1973	1974	1975	Percent change, average per year		
									1960	1970	1974
									-70	-74 <sup>1</sup>	-75
<b>DOMESTIC TRADE AND SERVICES—Con.</b>											
1372	Merchant wholesaler sales	Bil. dol.	140	187	247	365	448	439	5.8	16.1	-2.0
1373	Inventories	Bil. dol.	14	18	27	38	47	45	6.8	14.3	-3.1
1373	Inventory-sales ratio	Percent	122	113	130	113	124	121	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1382	Advertising expenditures	Bil. dol.	12	15	20	25	27	28	5.0	8.2	5.8
	National	Percent	61	61	58	55	55	54	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	Local	Percent	39	39	42	45	45	46	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
<b>FOREIGN COMMERCE</b>											
1391	Balance on current account	Bil. dol.	1.7	4.3	-4	(z)	-3.6	11.7	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1391	Exports of goods and services	Bil. dol.	28	40	62	102	145	148	8.5	23.4	2.5
1391	Imports of goods and services	Bil. dol.	24	32	60	98	141	132	9.7	24.1	-6.4
1393	U.S. net international investment position	Bil. dol.	44.7	61.6	67.8	61.9	77.6	(na)	4.3	3.4	(na)
	U.S. assets and investments abroad	Bil. dol.	86	120	165	225	265	(na)	6.8	12.5	(na)
	Foreign assets and investments in U.S.	Bil. dol.	41	59	98	164	187	(na)	9.1	17.6	(na)
1394	U.S. reserve assets	Bil. dol.	19.4	15.5	14.5	14.4	15.9	16.2	-2.9	2.3	2.2
1394	Gold stock, U.S.	Bil. dol.	18	14	11	12	12	12	-4.6	1.3	-0.5
1401	U.S. foreign grants and credits	Bil. dol.	4.6	5.0	5.9	6.8	7.3	8.7	2.5	5.6	18.7
	Military grants	Bil. dol.	1.8	1.7	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.9	4.3	0.8	2.6
	Other grants, credits, and other aid	Bil. dol.	2.6	3.4	2.9	3.6	3.9	5.1	1.0	7.9	29.9
1414	Exports of merchandise	Bil. dol.	20.6	27.5	43.2	71.3	98.5	107.7	7.7	22.9	9.3
	To developed countries	Percent	64.4	66.7	69.1	66.2	64.0	60.2	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	To developing countries	Percent	34.7	32.8	30.1	29.4	33.2	36.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1414	General imports of merchandise	Bil. dol.	14.7	21.4	40.0	69.5	101.0	96.9	10.6	26.1	-4.0
	From developed countries	Percent	58.7	65.8	73.2	68.9	59.9	58.5	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
	From developing countries	Percent	40.7	33.5	26.1	29.2	39.1	40.6	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)
1406	Merchandise trade balance	Bil. dol.	5.0	5.3	2.7	1.3	-3.1	10.3	(ns)	(ns)	(ns)

Note: Average annual percent changes were computed using the compound interest rate formula. Whenever possible, absolute values or values with less rounding than appear here were used in the computations.

The reference table cited for each item generally provides more complete information and notations concerning the item. In a number of instances, figures represent revisions and supersede figures shown elsewhere in this volume.

Symbols: — Represents zero. na Not available. ns Percent change not relevant or significant. x Not applicable. z Less than 0.05 percent or \$50 million.

<sup>1</sup> Where na occurs in 1974 column, percent change calculated refers to 1970-1973 period.

<sup>2</sup> These data are as of different dates in the years shown. See reference tables for further information.

<sup>3</sup> Data not strictly comparable year to year because of changes in definition.

<sup>4</sup> Based on 266 standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's).

<sup>5</sup> For 1960, 14 years old and over.

<sup>6</sup> Excludes Armed Forces living in barracks in U.S.

<sup>7</sup> Will not add to total families; estimates derived using different controls.

<sup>8</sup> 1965-1970.

<sup>9</sup> Average daily census per 100 beds.

<sup>10</sup> Average patient stay of 30 days or less.

<sup>11</sup> 1969 data. Percent changes are calculated as 1960-1969 and 1969-1974.

<sup>12</sup> Decline in water use in 1975 reflects the increasing use of recycled water.

<sup>13</sup> Particles of smoke, dust, fumes, droplets of viscous liquid, etc.

<sup>14</sup> Comprises employment taxes and contributions, unemployment insurance taxes, and other contributions.

<sup>15</sup> Excludes utilities, insurance trusts, and government liquor stores.

<sup>16</sup> Old-age, survivors, disability, and health insurance.

<sup>17</sup> Excludes care covered by social welfare programs; e.g. medical assistance under public aid, Medicare under social insurance, etc.

<sup>18</sup> 1967 data. Percent change is calculated 1967-1970.

<sup>19</sup> Federally-administered. Program initiated January 1, 1974.

<sup>20</sup> Beginning 1974, replaced by federally-financed Supplemental Security Income.

<sup>21</sup> 1961 data. Percent change is 1961-1970.

<sup>22</sup> Includes Armed Forces.

<sup>23</sup> Includes deceased veterans whose dependents were receiving pensions and compensation benefits.

<sup>24</sup> 1966 data.

<sup>25</sup> Not strictly comparable with earlier years due to revised procedures.

<sup>26</sup> Full-time equivalent employees; excludes State and local government agencies.

<sup>27</sup> Excludes social scientists.

<sup>28</sup> Includes farm operators doing one or more hours of farm work and unpaid family members doing 15 or more hours of farm work in survey week.

<sup>29</sup> Includes Puerto Rico.

<sup>30</sup> Firms with 11 or more stores.

<sup>31</sup> Not strictly comparable with later years.