

# STATISTICAL APPENDIX

## ITALIAN BUDGET SUMMARY (milliards of lire)

Table A

Fiscal year beginning 1st July	Revenue			Expenditure			Deficit			Cash
	Assessed		Collected (a)	Obligated		Paid out (a)	Obligated			
	Current	Movement of capital		Current	Movement of capital		Current	Movement of capital	Total	
1938-39	28	3	...	40	2.8	...	- 12	+ 0.2	- 11.8	..
1946-47	352	335	668	932	303	874	- 580	+ 31	- 549	- 206
1947-48	828	200	822	1,547	262	1,327	- 719	- 66	- 785	- 205
1948-49	1,015	45	1,020	1,519	98	1,440	- 504	- 53	- 557	- 402
1949-50	1,449	344	1,603	1,771	213	1,687	- 322	+ 131	- 191	- 84
1950-51	1,676	247	1,617	1,853	341	1,776	- 177	- 94	- 271	- 159
1951-52	1,720	337	2,088	2,206	274	2,276	- 486	- 63	- 423	- 188
1952-53	1,872	311	2,307	2,340	137	2,541	- 468	+ 174	- 294	- 23
1953-54 (b)	1,789	30.3	—	2,157	81.5	—	- 368	- 51.2	- 419	—

(a) Current revenue and movement of capital; on year account and arrears.

(b) Estimates at December 31, 1953.

Source: *Conto riassuntivo del Tesoro*.

## ITALIAN DOMESTIC PUBLIC DEBT (milliards of lire - Index Numbers, 1938=100)

Table B

End of period	Consolidated debt		Redeemable debt		Floating debt				Treasury notes	Total of domestic public debt		
	A-amount	I. N.	A-amount	I. N.	Treasury bills	Interest bearing current accounts	Advances by the Bank of Italy	Total		Amount	I. N.	
								Amount				I. N.
1938 - June . . . . .	53	100	49	100	9	20	1	30	100	1.5	133.5	100
1949 - June . . . . .	53	100	392	800	744	479	470	1,693	5,643	8.4	2,146.4	1,608
1950 - June . . . . .	53	100	586	1,196	719	628	490	1,837	6,123	9.0	2,486.0	1,862
1951 - June . . . . .	53	100	691	1,410	817	770	471	2,058	6,860	9.0	2,811.0	2,106
1952 - June . . . . .	53	100	829	1,681	920	822	471	2,213	7,376	15.0	3,110.0	2,329
1953 - March . . . . .	53	100	1,025	2,091	896	922	453	2,271	7,570	34.4	3,383.4	2,534
June . . . . .	53	100	1,025	2,091	908	998	449	2,355	7,850	38.2	3,471.5	2,600
Septembre . . . . .	53	100	1,025	2,091	941	1,038	447	2,426	8,086	42.1	3,546.1	2,656
October . . . . .	53	100	1,025	2,091	943	1,108	448	2,499	8,330	42.7	3,618.7	2,710
November . . . . .	53	100	1,025	2,091	952	1,103	448	2,503	8,343	42.7	3,623.3	2,714
December . . . . .	53	100	1,020	2,081	962	1,094	461	2,517	8,390	44.5	3,635.3	2,723

Source: *Conto riassuntivo del Tesoro*.

## FACTORS AFFECTING THE CIRCULATION OF THE BANK OF ITALY

Table C

December 1951 - December 1952		December 1952 - December 1953	
	milliards of lire		milliards of lire
<i>Factors increasing the money circulation</i>		<i>Factors increasing the money circulation</i>	
Increase in: gold and cash in han . . . . .	2.9	Increase in: gold and cash in han . . . . .	5.6
» balances abroad . . . . .	6.1	» balances abroad . . . . .	20.1
» credits to clients . . . . .	57.2	» credits to clients . . . . .	46.4
» credits to Government . . . . .	45.8	» credits to Government . . . . .	47.9
Decrease in: Treasury current account . . . . .	37.6	Decrease in: Treasury current account . . . . .	25.3
» Lira Counterpart Fund . . . . .	24.2	» Lira Counterpart Fund . . . . .	5.9
Total . . . . .	173.4	Total . . . . .	151.2
<i>Factors decreasing the money circulation</i>		<i>Factors decreasing the money circulation</i>	
Decrease in: sundry debtors (*) . . . . .	17.9	Decrease in: sundry debtors (*) . . . . .	44.1
» sundry accounts (assets) . . . . .	3.4	» sundry accounts (assets) . . . . .	3.6
Increase in: free and fixed deposits . . . . .	36.2	Increase in: free and fixed deposits . . . . .	22.4
» sundry accounts (liabilities) . . . . .	21.9	» sundry accounts (liabilities) . . . . .	12.7
Total . . . . .	79.4	Total . . . . .	82.8
Net increase of the circulation . . . . .	94.8	Net increase of the circulation . . . . .	68.4

(\*) Mainly, export credits.

Table D

DEPOSITS AND CURRENT ACCOUNTS IN ITALIAN BANKING SYSTEM AND POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS  
(index numbers, 1938=1)

End of period	Banking System (a)						Postal Savings Banks						Percent ratio to deposits and c/a of banking system
	Deposits		Current Accounts (b)		Total		Deposits		Current Accounts		Total		
	Mil-liards of lire	Index num-bers	Mil-liards of lire	Index num-bers	Mil-liards of lire	Index num-bers	Mil-liards of lire	Index num-bers	Mil-liards of lire	Index num-bers	Mil-liards of lire	Index num-bers	
1949	1,016	27	933	55	1,949	35	522	18	135	122	657	22	33.7
1950	1,172	31	1,063	62	2,235	41	689	24	128	116	816	27	36.5
1951	1,364	36	1,324	78	2,688	49	796	27	160	145	956	32	35.5
1952	1,688	44	1,647	96	3,335	60	963	33	197	179	1,160	38	34.7
1953 March	1,730	45	1,662	98	3,392	62	1,012	35	189	171	1,200	40	35.3
April	1,743	45	1,660	98	3,403	62	1,024	35	202	183	1,226	41	36.0
May	1,759	46	1,681	99	3,440	62	1,036	36	200	182	1,236	41	35.9
June	1,785	47	1,699	100	3,484	63	1,052	36	197	179	1,249	42	35.8
July	1,821	47	1,722	101	3,543	64	1,065	36	281	255	1,346	44	37.9
August	1,855	48	1,740	102	3,595	65	1,076	37	295	268	1,371	45	38.1
September	1,885	49	1,800	105	3,685	67	1,085	37	291	264	1,376	45	37.3
October	1,899	49	1,800	105	3,699	67	1,094	37	276	250	1,370	45	37.0
November	1,928	50	1,836	108	3,764	68	1,097	37	277	251	1,374	45	36.5
December	2,019	53	1,891	111	3,910	71	1,093	37	275	250	1,368	45	34.9
% change Dec. 1952-Dec. 1953	+19.6		+14.8		+17.2		+13.4		+39.5		+17.9		

(a) The data refer to 365 banks (commercial and saving banks) which hold about 99% of the total deposits collected by all Italian banks.

(b) Inter-bank current accounts are excluded.

Source: *Bollettino* of the Bank of Italy.

DEPOSITS, CURRENT ACCOUNTS AND ASSETS OF ITALIAN BANKS (a)  
(millions of lire)

Table E

Items	31.12.51	30.6.52	31.12.52	31.3.53	30.6.53	30.9.53	31.12.53
Amount outstanding							
Deposits and current accounts . . .	2,686,037	2,893,738	3,335,350	3,391,847	3,484,279	3,685,532	3,914,644
Cash and sums available at sight . .	294,938	219,283	345,027	268,243	277,966	278,146	359,076
Fixed deposits with the Treasury and other Institutions . . . . .	342,529	399,324	423,403	423,486	432,139	495,104	466,493
Government Securities (b) . . . . .	610,698	694,284	674,086	718,526	735,383	770,219	764,839
Credits to clients (c) . . . . .	2,135,381	2,230,372	2,649,294	2,696,513	2,793,070	2,945,473	3,206,120
Index Numbers: 31-12-1948=100							
Deposits and current accounts . . .	176.8	191.6	219.3	223.1	229.1	242.4	257.4
Cash and sums available at sight . .	174.5	129.7	204.1	158.6	164.4	164.5	212.4
Fixed deposits with the Treasury and other Institutions . . . . .	192.7	224.6	238.2	238.2	243.1	278.5	262.4
Government Securities (b) . . . . .	153.6	174.6	169.7	180.7	185.-	193.7	184.6
Credits to clients (c) . . . . .	186.3	194.6	231.1	235.3	243.7	257.0	283.9
% of deposits and current a/cs							
Cash and sums available at sight . .	10.9	7.6	10.3	7.9	7.9	7.5	9.2
Fixed deposits with the Treasury and other Institutions . . . . .	12.7	13.8	12.6	12.4	12.4	13.4	11.9
Government Securities (b) . . . . .	22.7	23.9	20.2	21.1	21.1	20.8	19.5
Credits to clients (c) . . . . .	79.4	77.0	79.4	79.4	80.1	79.9	81.9

(a) The data refer to 365 banks (commercial and savings banks) which hold about 99% of the total deposits collected by all Italian banks.

(b) Treasury bills and other Government securities. Nominal value.

(c) Includes: bills on hand, rediscount at the Bank of Italy, contangoes, advances, current accounts, credits abroad, loans recoverable on salaries, credits on note of hand, mortgage loans, current accounts with sections for special credits, non-Government securities, participations.

Source: *Bollettino* of the Bank of Italy.

NOTE CIRCULATION, PRICES, WAGES AND SHARE QUOTATIONS IN ITALY  
(Index Numbers, 1938=100)

Table F

Year or month	Note circulation (a)		Wholesale prices (c)		Cost of Living (e)	Wage rates in industry (c)	Share quotations (b)	Fine gold		
	Amount (b) (milliards of lire)	Index	All commodities	Foodstuffs				Price of one gram (lire) (d)	Index	
1950 - December	1,176.1	5,228	5,406	5,567	5,009	5,962	1,589.1	919	3,535	
1951 - December	1,304.2	5,796	5,454	5,355	5,416	6,685	1,714.9	885	3,403	
1952 - June	1,224.5	5,422	5,133	5,491	5,559	7,055	1,872.3	795	3,058	
December	1,411.1	6,271	5,288	5,624	5,612	7,426	2,316.6	770	2,961	
1953 - March	1,310.3	5,823	5,264	5,656	5,613	7,525	2,344.8	765	2,942	
June	1,288.6	5,727	5,259	5,686	5,718	7,525	2,244.2	755	2,903	
September	1,355.9	6,026	5,249	5,695	5,642	7,573	2,432.9	745	2,865	
October	1,298.0	5,768	5,237	5,638	5,664	7,573	2,399.3	740	2,846	
November	1,411.1	6,271	5,222	5,602	5,691	7,573	2,385.7	725	2,788	
December	1,501.0	6,671	5,259	5,658	5,678	7,573	2,390.9	720	2,709	
% change Dec. '52-Dec. '53	+ 6.3		- 0.5	+ 0.6	+ 1.1	+ 1.9	+ 3.2	- 6.4		

(a) End of year or month. Includes: Bank of Italy notes and Treasury notes; (b) *Bollettino* of the Bank of Italy; (c) *Bollettino Mensile di Statistica* issued by the Central Institute of Statistics; (d) Business Statistics Centre of Florence.

PRICES AND YIELDS OF ITALIAN SECURITIES BY MAIN CATEGORIES  
(annual or monthly averages)

Table G

Year or month	Government Securities								Share Securities	
	Bonds				Treasury Bonds		Average			
	Consolidated		Redeemable		Price (index number '38=100)	Yield (per cent per annum)	Price (index number '38=100)	Yield (per cent per annum)	Price (index number '38=100)	Yield (per cent per annum)
	Price (index number '38=100)	Yield (per cent per annum)	Price (index number '38=100)	Yield (per cent per annum)						
1950 - a. av.	105.4	5.13	93.4	6.06	93.6	5.68	93.6	5.83	1,528.2	5.44
1951 - a. av.	101.9	5.30	88.2	6.42	97.3	6.06	89.1	6.12	1,676.2	6.56
1952 - a. av.	101.5	5.32	87.3	6.48	87.1	6.07	88.6	6.15	1,618.3	7.12
1952 - June	100.9	5.35	90.6	6.25	92.0	5.75	93.3	5.84	1,872.3	6.57
December	102.5	5.27	91.0	6.22	87.9	6.02	90.4	6.03	2,316.6	5.54
1953 - March	100.4	5.38	88.9	6.37	86.3	6.13	88.8	6.14	2,344.8	5.31
June	99.6	5.42	87.5	6.47	86.0	6.15	88.3	6.17	2,244.2	6.37
September	98.9	5.46	88.2	6.42	86.6	6.11	88.8	6.14	2,432.9	5.98
October	98.4	5.49	87.8	6.45	86.3	6.13	88.5	6.16	2,399.3	6.11
November	98.2	5.50	85.8	6.60	85.3	6.20	87.3	6.24	2,385.7	6.17
December	99.1	5.45	85.6	6.61	84.2	6.28	86.4	6.31	2,390.9	6.21

Source: *Bollettino* of the Bank of Italy.

WHOLESALE PRICES BY GROUPS OF COMMODITIES  
(Index Numbers, 1938=100)

Table H

Year or month	All Com- modities	Foodstuffs		Textiles	Hides, Skins and Foot- wear	Raw materi- als, metal and engi- neering products	Fuels and lubri- ficants	Chemical raw materials and products	Lum- ber	Paper goods	Bricks, Lime and Cement	Glass
		Vege- table	Animal									
1950 - a. av.	4,905	4,746	6,401	6,015	4,191	5,228	3,784	5,302	5,677	4,778	6,106	4,928
1951 - a. av.	5,581	4,821	7,289	7,621	5,213	6,689	4,666	6,008	7,250	8,318	6,603	4,878
1952 - a. av.	5,270	4,869	6,696	6,343	4,245	6,767	4,440	5,717	8,344	6,246	7,216	4,707
1952 - June	5,133	4,668	6,295	6,241	3,945	6,777	4,386	5,718	8,419	6,168	7,220	4,707
Dec.	5,288	5,141	6,757	6,014	4,230	6,396	4,310	5,302	8,372	5,320	7,240	4,707
1953 - March	5,264	5,283	6,502	6,030	4,243	5,959	4,154	5,411	8,404	5,302	7,231	4,644
June	5,250	5,489	6,113	6,039	4,025	5,642	4,006	5,286	8,387	5,214	7,163	4,644
Sept.	5,246	5,310	6,575	5,768	3,908	5,642	4,019	5,124	8,376	5,222	7,202	4,604
Oct.	5,237	5,263	6,490	5,766	4,017	5,666	4,024	5,124	8,376	5,292	7,202	4,404
Nov.	5,222	5,182	6,571	5,791	3,997	5,636	4,028	5,118	8,384	5,380	7,199	4,404
Dec.	5,259	5,242	6,616	5,770	4,032	5,632	4,135	5,117	8,410	5,482	7,243	4,404
% change Dec. 1952-'53	- 0.5	+ 1.9	- 2.1	- 4.1	- 4.7	- 22.0	- 4.1	- 7.5	+ 0.4	+ 3.0	+ 0.04	- 6.5

Source: *Bollettino Mensile di Statistica*.

**WAGES AND SALARIES IN ITALY**  
(gross retributions - inclusive of family allowances)  
(Index Numbers, 1938=100)

Table I

Categories	1953 a. av.	1953					% change Dec. '52 Dec. '53
		June	September	October	November	December	
<b>Industry:</b>							
Specialized workers . . . . .	6,553	6,542	6,583	6,583	6,583	6,583	+ 0.4
Skilled workers . . . . .	7,250	7,237	7,282	7,282	7,282	7,282	+ 0.4
Ordinary workers and semi-skilled labourers	7,733	7,718	7,773	7,773	7,773	7,773	+ 0.5
Labourers . . . . .	8,380	8,371	8,422	8,422	8,422	8,422	+ 0.5
<b>General index of Industry . . . . .</b>	<b>7,537</b>	<b>7,525</b>	<b>7,573</b>	<b>7,573</b>	<b>7,573</b>	<b>7,573</b>	<b>+ 0.4</b>
<b>Agriculture . . . . .</b>	<b>8,061</b>	<b>7,999</b>	<b>8,137</b>	<b>8,137</b>	<b>8,137</b>	<b>8,137</b>	<b>+ 0.9</b>
<b>Government Civil Employees:</b>							
Group A (a) . . . . .	4,121	4,121	4,121	4,121	4,121	4,121	—
Group B (b) . . . . .	4,053	4,053	4,053	4,053	4,053	4,053	—
Group C (c) . . . . .	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	4,800	—
Subordinate staff . . . . .	5,385	5,385	5,385	5,385	5,385	5,385	—
<b>General Index of Government Civil Employees</b>	<b>4,545</b>	<b>4,545</b>	<b>4,545</b>	<b>4,545</b>	<b>4,545</b>	<b>4,545</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) Administrative grade; (b) Executive grade; (c) Clerical grade.

Source: Bollettino Mensile di Statistica.

**NATIONAL INDEX OF LIVING COST**  
(1938=100)

Table L

Year or month	All Items	Foodstuffs	Clothing	Heating and lighting	Housing	Miscellaneous
1950 - a. av. . . . .	4,849	5,877	5,742	3,480	730	4,610
1951 - a. av. . . . .	5,320	6,279	6,975	3,746	1,232	5,248
1952 - a. av. . . . .	5,546	6,541	6,415	4,031	1,565	5,501
1953 - a. av. . . . .						
1952 - June . . . . .	5,559	6,566	6,410	3,991	1,576	5,436
December . . . . .	5,612	6,633	5,218	4,100	1,656	5,516
1953 - March . . . . .	5,613	6,619	6,203	4,105	1,705	5,546
June . . . . .	5,718	6,788	6,185	4,077	1,713	5,549
September . . . . .	5,642	6,663	6,247	4,086	1,730	5,539
October . . . . .	5,664	6,689	6,268	4,086	1,730	5,557
November . . . . .	5,691	6,721	6,284	4,080	1,772	5,569
December . . . . .	5,678	6,693	6,291	4,084	1,772	5,585
% change Dec. 1952- Dec. 1953 . . . . .	+ 1.1	+ 0.9	+ 1.1	- 0.4	+ 7.0	+ 1.2

Source: Bollettino Mensile di Statistica.

**UNEMPLOYMENT IN ITALY BY ECONOMIC SECTORS**

Table M

Year or month	Agriculture	Industry	Commerce and services	Transport and communications	Unskilled workers	Employees	Total	I. N. (a. av. 1947=100)
1949 - June . . . . .	239,808	1,034,410	46,352	22,477	378,288	93,775	1,815,768	89.7
December . . . . .	371,214	1,116,297	50,781	21,257	402,391	92,454	2,055,606	101.7
1950 - June . . . . .	251,524	911,241	43,158	17,978	370,790	77,550	1,672,849	82.6
December . . . . .	435,552	1,024,395	47,395	19,499	470,618	71,867	2,069,809	102.2
1951 - June . . . . .	321,985	919,880	55,126	24,667	499,053	83,250	1,903,961	94.0
December . . . . .	400,995	997,191	61,592	25,591	523,797	84,992	2,094,158	103.4
1952 - June . . . . .	414,885	984,341	64,597	27,014	447,800	93,071	2,031,708	100.3
December . . . . .	438,503	912,948	66,838	23,440	657,090	93,206	2,192,025	108.2
1953 - June . . . . .	472,921	827,686	45,264	18,438	670,553	96,717	2,131,579	105.3
September . . . . .	441,190	789,342	43,865	17,511	643,511	94,555	2,048,520	101.1
October . . . . .	450,361	808,712	48,526	17,787	665,500	96,525	2,106,752	104.0
November . . . . .	477,204	828,718	49,573	17,932	699,911	97,135	2,170,473	107.2
December . . . . .	490,927	917,141	50,100	18,740	739,161	96,338	2,312,407	114.2

Source: Ministry of Labour, Statistiche del Lavoro.

ITALIAN INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEXES (a)  
(unadjusted, 1938=100)

Table N

Year or month	General Index	Mining	Manufactures										Electric Power
			Total	Food	Textiles	Lumber	Paper	Metal-lurgy	Engi-neering	Non metallic ores	Chemicals	Rubber	
1951 - a. av. . . . .	138	119	132	139	114	62	114	135	130	128	171	152	183
1952 - " " . . . . .	142	145	136	146	105	62	113	150	142	137	172	142	193
1953 - " " . . . . .	156	175	150	150	113	59	129	149	156	161	212	160	202
1953 - March . . . . .	155	179	149	151	117	61	130	135	164	173	195	161	192
June . . . . .	152	165	146	138	110	56	124	150	153	157	209	148	200
September . . . . .	161	176	156	152	118	62	132	155	163	156	227	173	203
October . . . . .	174	183	169	166	134	60	144	171	178	176	235	180	214
November . . . . .	168	186	162	162	117	61	136	166	165	175	240	180	213
December . . . . .	169	182	162	184	113	61	130	161	156	167	247	163	217
% change 1952-1953	+ 9.8	+ 20.6	+ 10.2	+ 2.7	+ 7.6	- 4.9	+ 14.1	- 0.7	+ 9.8	+ 17.5	+ 23.2	+ 12.6	+ 4.6

(a) On the problem of index numbers on Italian industrial production, see this Review, No. 16, January-March 1951: *A note on the Index Numbers of Italian Industrial Production*, by E. D'Elia, pag. 34; and *National Income, Consumption and Investments in Italy*, *ibid.*, page 3.

Source: *Bollettino Mensile di Statistica*.

SELECTED BUSINESS INDICATORS  
Index Numbers, 1948 (annual average)=100

Table O

Months	Number of rooms planned	Goods loaded and unloaded in Italian ports	Number of telegrams dispatched	Sales in department stores	Iron and steel Industry		Tourist movement	Railways traffic
					Orders	Stoks		
1952 - June . . . . .	483.4	171.0	145.4	278.5	191.1	135.8	443.9	115.3
December . . . . .	322.3	164.7	155.2	583.8	124.6	156.3	209.0	118.0
1953 - January . . . . .	331.6	181.5	141.4	271.5	137.2	159.3	158.9	115.4
February . . . . .	423.5	204.4	146.5	227.0	135.7	156.9	161.1	121.-
March . . . . .	372.8	188.3	151.2	280.7	202.7	153.6	239.9	111.4
April . . . . .	458.2	198.9	154.8	344.7	112.3	153.6	442.4	109.2
May . . . . .	415.7	179.1	142.7	360.1	167.9	148.7	450.3	111.6
June . . . . .	536.9	185.8	145.4	392.2	188.5	138.6	539.1	115.4
July . . . . .	482.2	190.8	153.1	350.6	211.7	133.4	871.1	127.0
August . . . . .	378.2	198.5	144.8	281.8	211.4	141.6	1,263.3	117.4
September . . . . .	423.0	194.9	163.8	371.2	256.7	142.4	778.2	135.7
October . . . . .	403.3	189.7	165.5	448.4	159.6	149.6	406.0	133.9
November . . . . .	348.8	192.3	149.9	416.1	150.6	145.4	229.3	126.5
December . . . . .	594.2	204.3	161.2	706.3	145.4	150.4	244.7	118.2

Source: *Previsioni a breve termine*.

ITALY'S IMPORTS AND EXPORTS, 1952 AND 1953  
(millions of lire)

Table P

Month	1952			1953		
	Imports	Exports	Deficit	Imports	Exports	Deficit
January . . . . .	122,937	84,524	- 38,413	135,374	66,924	- 68,450
February . . . . .	114,231	76,888	- 37,343	122,320	71,433	- 50,887
March . . . . .	131,330	75,520	- 55,810	131,455	76,675	- 54,780
April . . . . .	127,134	69,142	- 57,992	126,799	73,398	- 53,401
May . . . . .	132,085	71,779	- 60,306	127,979	73,982	- 53,997
June . . . . .	120,632	65,680	- 54,952	127,501	73,102	- 54,399
July . . . . .	126,744	68,188	- 58,556	120,463	82,039	- 38,424
August . . . . .	103,717	57,982	- 45,735	103,323	71,287	- 32,036
September . . . . .	120,259	68,487	- 51,772	119,874	75,601	- 44,273
October . . . . .	128,390	77,983	- 50,407	125,342	86,316	- 39,026
November . . . . .	115,763	69,783	- 45,980	126,219	84,497	- 41,722
December . . . . .	116,509	80,579	- 35,930	130,304	94,792	- 35,512
Total . . . . .	1,459,733	866,537	- 593,196	1,496,954	930,046	- 566,908

Source: *Statistica del Commercio con l'Estero*.

## PRODUCTION IN SOME ITALIAN INDUSTRIAL BRANCHES

Table Q

	1938	1950	1951	1952	1953	Index Numbers (1947=100)			
						1950	1951	1952	1953
<i>Metallic minerals</i>									
Iron ores . . . thous. of m. tons	989.8	476.1	552.8	790.2	933.4	42.6	55.8	79.8	94.3
Mercury ores . . . » » » »	156.6	149.9	174.7	184.0	197.5	95.7	111.5	117.4	126.1
Lead ores . . . » » » »	67.5	64.9	64.4	65.4	65.4	93.6	95.4	96.8	96.8
Zinc . . . . . » » » »	154.9	137.2	160.4	179.6	161.8	89.7	103.5	115.9	104.4
<i>Non-metallic minerals</i>									
Sardinian coal . . thous. of m. tons	465.8	950.6	1,071.3	997.0	1,057.5	204.0	229.9	214.0	227.-
Pyrites . . . . . » » » »	930.3	900.9	898.2	1,141.4	1,225.4	96.8	96.5	122.6	131.7
Xiloid lignite . . . » » » »	704.2	558.0	668.1	621.3	573.6	79.8	94.8	88.2	81.4
Raw fused sulphur . . » » » »	380.3	213.1	200.5	236.4	227.7	56.0	52.7	62.1	59.8
Marble in blocks . . » » » »	323.1	323.7	464.9	...	...	100.1	143.8	...	...
Natural gas . . . millions of m <sup>3</sup>	17.1	509.6	976.6	1,442.9	2,297.9	2,948.5	5,711.1	8,438.-	13,438.-
<i>Food industries and drinks</i>									
Sugar . . . . . thous. of quintals	3,698.3	5,548.7	6,550.1	6,690.0	7,463.2	150.0	177.1	180.8	201.8
Beer . . . . . » » hectolitres	671.6	1,375.3	1,167.0	1,484.6	1,388.4	204.7	173.7	221.-	207.7
Tobacco production . thous. of quintals	313.1	400.1	400.0	418.0	434.8	127.7	127.7	133.5	138.8
<i>Textile industry</i>									
Cotton-yarn product thous. of quintals	...	2,164.2	2,310.3	2,031.4	1,922.9	—	—	—	—
fabric » » » »	...	1,572.1	1,681.4	1,460.6	1,462.-	—	—	—	—
Artificial fibres . . » » »	1,253.4	1,073.9	1,353.5	795.8	1,100.9	86.1	107.9	63.4	87.8
<i>Metallurgical industry</i>									
Pig iron . . . . . thous. of m. tons	862.8	503.8	952.6	1,102.3	1,222.3	58.3	110.4	127.7	141.6
Crude steel . . . » » » »	2,322.9	2,362.4	3,062.9	3,535.1	3,488.3	101.7	131.8	152.1	150.6
Hot rolled steel . . » » » »	1,658.3	1,889.8	2,366.6	2,616.0	2,467.9	113.9	142.7	157.7	148.8
<i>Non-ferrous mineral industry</i>									
Mercury . . . . . thous. of m. tons	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	90.0	90.0	95.0	90.0
Aluminium . . . » » » »	25.8	37.1	50.7	52.8	55.5	143.7	196.5	204.2	215.1
Lead . . . . . » » » »	44.0	37.5	36.0	34.3	38.-	85.2	81.8	77.9	86.3
Zinc . . . . . » » » »	33.6	38.1	47.2	54.8	60.0	113.3	140.4	163.0	178.5
<i>Engineering industry</i>									
Typing machines number-thous.	...	119.8	150.8	167.2	183.3	—	—	—	—
Sewing machines . . » » »	...	271.3	325.6	368.1	381.0	—	—	—	—
Electric locomotives » -units	...	90	92.-	39.-	18.-	—	—	—	—
Railway carriages . . » -thous.	...	1.9	0.2	0.05	0.04	—	—	—	—
Automobiles . . . . . » » »	...	115.0	131.6	124.8	150.2	—	—	—	—
<i>Chemical industry</i>									
Sulphuric acid . . . thous. of m. tons	1,721.3	2,041.3	2,291.7	2,320.6	2,478.9	106.9	133.1	134.8	144.-
Caustic soda . . . » » » »	165.0	160.3	263.9	135.5	181.2	91.7	159.9	82.1	109.8
<i>Mineral oil industry</i>									
Gasoline . . . . . thous. of m. tons	415.2	984.1	1,358.7	1,768.1	2,285.2	185.5	327.2	425.8	550.3
Refined oil . . . . . » » » »	150.2	299.1	469.6	616.5	818.8	116.4	312.6	410.4	545.1
Fuel oil . . . . . » » » »	460.2	2,428.3	3,321.0	4,495.8	5,795.4	419.3	721.6	976.9	2,122.7
<i>Cement industry</i>									
Milled cement . . . thous. of m. tons	4,607.6	5,003.5	5,578.3	6,651.9	7,553.6	108.5	121.0	144.3	163.9
<i>Electric industry</i>									
Thermoelectric production . . millions of kwh	620.2	2,947.6	2,748.4	3,605.3	4,647.6	475.2	443.1	581.3	749.3
Hydroelectric prod. » » »	12,522.6	10,972.0	25,750.4	26,532.2	27,260.4	167.4	205.6	211.8	217.6
Total production . . » » »	13,142.8	13,909.6	28,498.8	30,137.6	31,908.-	181.9	216.8	229.3	242.7

Source: Bollettino Mensile of the Central Institute of Statistics.

ITALY'S PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS (\*)

Table R

Products	1952		1953 (prov.)				Index numbers 1936-39=100			
	Surface (thou- sand of hectar.)	Production		Surface (thou- sand of hectar.)	Production		Total Production		Production per ha	
		thousand of q.ls	per ha (q.ls)		thousand of q.ls	per ha (q.ls)	1952	1953	1952	1953
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<i>Cereals:</i>										
Wheat	4,680.6	78,699.8	16.8	4,767.4	88,000.0	18.5	103.3	116.-	112.1	125.-
Rye	94.3	1,266.7	13.4	92.7	1,299.3	14.0	91.3	91.8	99.2	103.7
Barley	253.4	2,654.0	10.5	249.9	3,123.0	12.5	119.7	137.3	91.3	108.6
Oats	464.5	5,081.1	10.9	461.7	6,089.3	13.2	89.3	107.-	83.2	100.7
Rice	174.0	8,633.7	49.6	175.0	9,200.0	52.6	115.1	123.6	78.2	104.9
Maize	1,272.2	23,881.9	18.8	1,268.0	32,000.0	25.2	80.5	106.9	92.6	124.7
<i>Leguminous Plants:</i>										
Broad bean (a)	554.9	3,488.7	6.3	558.4	5,345.1	9.6	54.9	84.1	63.9	98.9
Bean	449.9	1,167.1	2.6	445.7	1,653.0	3.7	71.9	98.8	78.7	112.1
Pea	19.6	119.9	6.1	19.0	128.0	6.7	64.4	70.3	82.8	88.1
Chick-pea	102.1	442.3	4.3	103.9	613.7	5.9	112.5	156.1	110.2	151.2
Lentil	25.9	133.8	5.2	26.1	173.3	6.6	104.5	135.3	88.1	111.8
Others	58.2	417.3	—	56.9	514.1	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Potatoes and Vegetables:</i>										
Potatoes	391.6	27,122.6	69.3	391.4	31,271.0	79.9	99.1	108.-	102.0	117.3
Broad beans	23.5	1,113.9	47.4	24.7	1,157.9	46.8	122.6	129.5	95.4	96.4
Beans	39.4	896.6	22.8	37.2	997.3	26.8	181.2	198.6	166.9	195.6
Peas	33.6	1,275.6	38.0	33.9	1,271.3	37.4	158.3	153.9	115.9	115.-
Tomatoes	81.4	11,000.5	135.2	89.8	13,601.0	151.4	114.3	142.-	80.0	90.9
Asparagus	2.9	143.9	49.0	3.1	154.4	48.9	126.1	133.1	110.1	110.8
Artichokes	20.7	1,434.8	69.4	23.2	1,500.8	64.7	180.7	196.4	107.1	114.6
Thistles, Fennels & Celeries	11.5	1,779.0	154.9	11.5	1,822.0	158.6	139.3	87.6	142.6	89.7
Cabbages	51.4	6,146.9	119.5	51.7	6,320.0	122.3	129.6	108.9	133.3	111.4
Cauliflowers	28.4	4,488.2	158.1	29.5	4,689.0	158.9	166.6	108.-	174.1	108.6
Onions and Garlics	20.3	2,317.9	114.4	21.1	2,730.6	129.3	155.5	182.7	93.1	105.4
Melons and Watermelons	25.0	3,502.5	140.0	24.9	3,806.6	152.7	88.0	95.5	85.6	93.6
<i>Industrial Crops:</i>										
Tobacco	53.0	730.3	13.8	49.8	685.0	13.8	145.0	161.-	..	..
Boet	222.3	59,033.3	265.5	210.4	61,200.0	290.9	177.9	187.-	109.3	119.8
Hemp	56.4	677.4	12.0	54.1	635.1	11.7	64.7	58.8	94.7	92.4
Seed		32.4	0.6		30.6	0.6				
Flax	19.0	34.4	1.8	18.4	35.6	1.9	153.9	167.7	120.-	135.3
Seed		114.9	6.0		127.1	6.9				
Cotton	47.7	68.8	1.4	26.4	77.1	2.9	107.5	130.5	62.5	135.7
Seed		99.6	2.1		125.3	4.7				
<i>Annual Bearing Tree Crops:</i>										
Grapes		68,940.2			73,000.0		112.4	119.-		
Olives		10,180.7			17,500.0		72.7	122.8		
Oranges		5,497.3			5,670.0		172.0	174.1		
Mandarines		903.2			950.0		161.6	177.9		
Lemons		2,886.4			2,750.0		82.5	84.1		
Apples		9,299.7			8,463.0		322.2	289.8		
Pears		3,969.2			4,105.0		200.5	206.2		
Peaches		3,806.0			4,119.0		168.1	177.8		
Apricots		356.3			353.0		142.1	140.6		
Cherries		1,306.7			1,269.1		194.3	181.3		
Piums		1,035.6			1,061.0		193.9	198.6		
Quinces		150.2			176.6		211.3	246.5		
Pomegranates		57.3			85.0		113.6	128.3		
Almonds		2,051.4			2,316.0		103.2	213.9		
Hazel-nuts		225.4			475.0		108.1	95.6		
Walnuts		519.2			461.0		91.6	96.6		
Figs		3,583.6			3,777.0		73.4	79.1		
Carubs		422.2			455.0		98.4	100.1		
Mulberry		9,641.0			9,795.9					

(\*) 1 hectare = 2.4711 acres; 1 quintal = 220.46 lb.

(a) For seeding only.

Source: Central Institute of Statistics and Ministry of Agriculture.

Table 5

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM QUOTATIONS OF SOME ITALIAN COMPANIES QUOTED ON STOCK EXCHANGES  
(Lire)

Companies	1952		1953							
	IV Quarter		I Quarter		II Quarter		III Quarter		IV Quarter	
	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum
<i>Financial ad Insurance</i>										
Strade Ferrate Meridionali (Bastogi) . . . . .	1,920	1,578	2,160	1,785	1,780	1,543	1,425	1,280	1,413	1,320
S.T.E.T. - Soc. Torinese Eserc. Telefonici . . . . .	3,760	2,940	3,270	2,710	2,990	2,650	3,165	2,810	3,220	2,910
La Centrale . . . . .	..	..	11,910	9,850	10,540	9,300	11,920	10,080	12,065	11,050
Pirelli & C. . . . .	10,630	8,025	11,910	9,850	1,510	1,349	1,735	1,475	1,785	1,673
Assicurazioni Generali . . . . .	13,020	9,080	14,950	12,000	12,730	10,500	13,900	11,700	14,075	13,070
Riunione Adriatica di Sicurtà . . . . .	6,300	4,700	6,950	5,250	5,625	4,920	6,050	5,170	6,030	5,430
<i>Textiles</i>										
Snia Viscosa . . . . .	1,752	1,475	1,675	1,400	1,400	1,110	1,550	1,345	1,460	1,342
Chatillon - Soc. Ital. Fibre Tessili Art. . . . .	2,765	2,320	2,620	2,250	2,360	1,725	2,385	2,020	2,390	2,110
Linificio e Canapificio Nazionale . . . . .	1,105	1,298	1,244	927	935	870	1,022	758	788	698
Cotonificio Vittorio Olcese . . . . .	2,790	3,670	3,500	2,405	2,495	2,080	2,815	2,220	2,405	2,005
Cucirini Cantoni Coats . . . . .	9,750	7,000	10,040	8,125	8,890	7,390	8,700	7,500	8,675	8,140
Cotonificio Cantoni . . . . .	13,050	11,600	13,520	11,500	11,400	10,000	12,790	10,090	12,260	11,290
Lanificio Rossi . . . . .	16,590	13,150	16,050	14,250	15,500	14,000	17,100	14,600	17,200	16,025
<i>Minerals, Metals and Engineering</i>										
Monte Amiata . . . . .	3,805	2,850	3,970	3,600	3,800	2,905	3,600	3,200	3,725	3,350
Finsider A e B . . . . .	710	614	724	515	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ilva Altì Forni e Acciaierie d'Italia . . . . .	370	343	371	284	300	238	292	250	292	269
Dalmine . . . . .	2,730	2,420	2,715	2,150	2,055	1,758	2,213	1,870	2,254	2,120
Terni . . . . .	286	259	290	247	257	196	223	202	210	176
F.I.A.T. . . . .	618	522	664	601	617	553	642	568	651	619
Ansaldo . . . . .	..	..	230	145	170	105	150	90	132	35
Bianchi Edoardo . . . . .	..	..	146	132	456	119	483	449	515	460
<i>Public Utilities</i>										
Società Edison . . . . .	2,470	2,107	2,780	2,402	2,508	1,803	1,980	1,848	2,028	1,907
C.I.E.L.I. . . . .	2,465	2,970	3,040	2,720	2,840	2,450	2,295	2,055	2,352	2,145
Soc. Adriatica di Elettricità . . . . .	1,191	1,040	1,385	1,210	1,265	1,150	1,258	940	975	924
S.I.P. - Soc. Idroelettrica Piemonte . . . . .	1,445	1,272	1,623	1,380	1,403	1,097	1,227	1,120	1,253	1,192
Soc. Meridionale di Elettricità . . . . .	1,258	1,057	1,408	1,219	1,234	960	1,021	954	1,006	955
Soc. Elettrica Selt - Valdarno . . . . .	4,425	3,815	4,775	3,850	4,200	3,728	4,460	3,875	3,800	2,870
Soc. Romana di Elettricità . . . . .	..	..	4,710	3,980	4,220	3,800	4,435	3,910	4,474	3,965
Soc. Telefonica Tirrena - Serie A . . . . .	..	..	4,710	3,980	..	..	..	..	..	..
Soc. Telefonica Tirrena - Serie B . . . . .	3,630	2,800	4,255	3,480	3,460	3,050	3,515	3,075	3,570	3,165
Italcable . . . . .	3,960	4,680	4,950	4,150	4,165	3,700	4,620	3,825	4,525	4,250
<i>Foodstuffs</i>										
Eridania - Zuccherifici Nazionali . . . . .	22,870	19,450	25,700	21,450	24,650	15,550	19,260	16,150	19,600	18,600
Soc. Italiana Industria Zuccheri . . . . .	9,400	10,650	11,700	10,175	12,125	9,875	14,525	11,525	14,950	14,150
<i>Chemicals</i>										
Montecatini . . . . .	1,205	1,081	1,353	1,190	1,138	1,080	1,005	944	994	939
A.N.I.C. - Azienda Naz. Idr. Combustibili . . . . .	180	155	166	133	153	119	158	130	1,440	147
Società Italiana per il Gas . . . . .	..	..	..	..	1,288	1,077	1,324	1,182	1,336	1,165
<i>Sundry</i>										
Soc. Gen. Immobiliare . . . . .	550	435	567	458	479	307	416	348	411	393
Istituto Romano dei Beni Stabili . . . . .	8,800	6,980	10,030	7,875	8,890	6,500	8,350	6,750	8,660	8,100
Pirelli Soc. per Azioni . . . . .	1,395	1,205	1,512	1,327	1,425	1,330	1,665	1,414	1,767	1,678
Italcementi . . . . .	10,900	8,970	12,200	10,100	11,525	9,730	13,180	11,525	13,200	12,150
Cartiere Burgo . . . . .	8,970	6,640	10,000	8,530	9,750	8,490	9,950	8,760	10,220	9,500

Source: Bollettino Mensile di Statistica.