

TABLE B-56.—Manufacturers' shipments and inventories, 1954-96

[Millions of dollars; monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Year or month	Shipments ¹			Inventories ²								
	Total	Durable goods industries	Nondurable goods industries	Total	Durable goods industries				Nondurable goods industries			
					Total	Materials and supplies	Work in process	Finished goods	Total	Materials and supplies	Work in process	Finished goods
1954	23,355	11,828	11,527	41,612	23,710	7,894	9,721	6,040	17,902	8,167	2,440	7,415
1955	26,480	14,071	12,409	45,069	26,405	9,194	10,756	6,348	18,664	8,556	2,571	7,666
1956	27,740	14,715	13,025	50,642	30,447	10,417	12,317	7,565	20,195	8,971	2,721	8,622
1957	28,736	15,237	13,499	51,871	31,728	10,608	12,837	8,125	20,143	8,775	2,864	8,624
1958	27,248	13,553	13,695	50,203	30,194	9,970	12,408	7,816	20,009	8,676	2,827	8,506
1959	30,286	15,597	14,689	52,913	32,012	10,709	13,086	8,217	20,901	9,094	2,942	8,865
1960	30,878	15,870	15,008	53,786	32,337	10,306	12,809	9,222	21,449	9,097	2,947	9,405
1961	30,922	15,601	15,321	54,871	32,496	10,246	13,211	9,039	22,375	9,505	3,108	9,762
1962	33,358	17,247	16,111	58,172	34,565	10,794	14,124	9,647	23,607	9,836	3,304	10,467
1963	35,058	18,255	16,803	60,029	35,776	11,053	14,835	9,888	24,253	10,009	3,420	10,824
1964	37,331	19,611	17,720	63,410	38,421	11,946	16,158	10,317	24,989	10,167	3,531	11,291
1965	40,995	22,193	18,802	68,207	42,189	13,298	18,055	10,836	26,018	10,487	3,825	11,706
1966	44,870	24,617	20,253	77,986	49,852	15,464	21,908	12,480	28,134	11,197	4,226	12,711
1967	46,486	25,233	21,253	84,646	54,896	16,423	24,933	13,540	29,750	11,760	4,431	13,559
1968	50,229	27,624	22,605	90,560	58,732	17,344	27,213	14,175	31,828	12,328	4,852	14,648
1969	53,501	29,403	24,098	98,145	64,598	18,636	30,282	15,680	33,547	12,753	5,120	15,674
1970	52,805	28,156	24,649	101,599	66,651	19,149	29,745	17,757	34,948	13,168	5,271	16,509
1971	55,906	29,924	25,982	102,567	66,136	19,679	28,550	17,907	36,431	13,686	5,678	17,067
1972	63,027	33,987	29,400	108,121	70,067	20,807	30,713	18,547	38,054	14,677	5,998	17,379
1973	72,931	39,635	33,296	124,499	81,192	25,944	35,490	19,758	43,307	18,147	6,729	18,431
1974	84,790	44,173	40,617	157,625	101,493	35,070	42,530	23,893	56,132	23,744	8,189	24,199
1975	86,589	43,598	42,991	159,708	102,590	33,903	43,227	25,460	57,118	23,565	8,834	24,719
1976	98,797	50,623	48,174	174,636	111,988	37,457	46,074	28,457	62,648	25,847	9,929	26,872
1977	113,201	59,168	54,033	188,378	120,877	40,186	50,226	30,465	67,501	27,387	10,961	29,153
1978	126,905	67,731	59,174	211,691	138,181	45,198	58,848	34,135	73,510	29,619	12,085	31,806
1979	143,936	75,927	68,009	242,157	160,734	52,670	69,325	38,739	81,423	32,814	13,910	34,699
1980	154,391	77,419	76,972	265,215	174,788	55,173	76,945	42,670	90,427	36,606	15,884	37,937
1981	168,129	83,727	84,402	283,413	186,443	57,998	80,998	47,447	96,970	38,165	16,194	42,611
1982	163,351	79,212	84,139	311,852	200,444	59,136	86,707	54,601	111,408	44,039	18,612	48,757
1983	172,547	85,481	87,066	312,379	199,854	60,325	86,899	52,630	112,525	44,816	18,691	49,018
1984	190,682	97,940	92,742	339,516	221,330	66,031	98,251	57,048	118,186	45,692	19,328	53,166
1985	194,538	101,279	93,259	334,749	218,193	63,904	98,162	56,127	116,556	44,106	19,442	53,008
1986	194,657	103,238	91,419	322,654	211,997	61,331	97,000	53,666	110,657	42,335	18,124	50,198
1987	206,326	108,128	98,198	338,107	220,778	63,546	102,392	54,840	117,329	45,326	19,274	52,729
1988	224,619	118,458	106,161	369,378	242,450	69,590	112,961	59,899	126,928	49,404	20,563	56,961
1989	236,698	123,158	113,540	391,243	257,513	72,418	122,273	62,822	133,730	50,683	21,658	61,389
1990	242,686	123,776	118,910	405,105	263,213	73,541	124,154	65,518	141,892	52,651	22,819	66,422
1991	239,847	121,000	118,847	390,944	250,006	70,811	114,981	64,214	140,938	53,007	22,805	65,126
1992	250,394	128,489	121,905	382,480	238,096	69,383	104,549	64,164	144,384	53,983	23,510	66,891
1993	260,635	135,886	124,749	390,721	243,476	72,872	105,793	64,811	147,245	55,504	23,836	67,905
1994	278,652	148,916	129,736	406,207	254,798	78,278	108,478	68,042	151,409	57,975	24,642	68,792
1995	297,244	159,215	138,029	432,344	270,356	83,251	115,154	71,951	161,988	62,041	25,655	74,292
1995: Jan	294,398	158,022	136,376	410,341	257,042	78,286	110,767	67,989	153,299	58,556	24,816	69,927
Feb	294,205	157,154	137,051	413,574	258,570	79,199	110,927	68,444	155,004	59,222	25,036	70,746
Mar	295,537	158,816	136,721	416,681	260,259	79,455	111,190	69,614	156,422	60,481	25,030	70,911
Apr	293,156	156,190	136,966	419,978	262,231	80,291	112,018	69,922	157,747	60,876	25,084	71,787
May	295,251	157,307	137,944	422,807	263,922	80,776	112,883	70,263	158,885	61,338	25,327	72,220
June	296,877	158,768	138,109	424,293	264,343	81,145	112,254	70,944	159,950	61,918	25,475	72,557
July	293,901	156,108	137,793	426,722	266,482	81,879	113,294	71,309	160,240	61,968	25,594	72,678
Aug	299,808	160,625	139,183	427,245	266,987	82,472	113,345	71,170	160,258	62,057	25,554	72,647
Sept	300,754	162,281	138,473	429,959	268,267	82,546	113,907	71,814	161,692	62,367	25,722	73,603
Oct	299,824	160,706	139,118	431,303	269,971	83,762	114,032	72,177	161,332	62,043	25,623	73,666
Nov	300,755	161,360	139,395	431,652	270,389	83,614	114,820	71,955	161,263	62,285	25,610	73,368
Dec	301,284	161,976	139,308	432,344	270,356	83,251	115,154	71,951	161,988	62,041	25,655	74,292
1996: Jan	298,685	159,125	139,560	434,724	272,657	83,998	115,988	72,671	162,067	62,150	25,899	74,018
Feb	301,763	161,918	139,845	435,615	273,400	84,364	116,269	72,767	162,215	62,116	25,867	74,232
Mar	300,646	160,377	140,269	435,413	273,535	84,272	116,828	72,435	161,878	61,523	25,827	74,528
Apr	308,003	164,615	143,388	435,441	273,870	84,285	117,388	72,197	161,571	61,384	25,909	74,278
May	311,203	167,487	143,716	434,220	273,857	83,810	117,640	72,407	160,363	60,788	25,900	73,675
June	308,851	166,902	141,949	433,868	273,649	82,817	118,206	72,626	160,219	60,372	25,928	73,919
July	312,400	167,774	144,626	434,446	274,807	83,567	118,383	72,857	159,639	60,246	25,814	73,579
Aug	312,847	168,471	144,376	435,687	275,926	83,250	118,867	73,809	159,761	60,128	26,100	73,533
Sept	315,160	170,705	144,455	436,700	276,347	83,373	118,830	74,144	160,353	60,224	25,980	74,149
Oct	315,510	168,824	146,686	438,134	277,328	82,585	120,156	74,587	160,806	60,567	26,097	74,142
Nov	318,280	170,846	147,434	439,889	278,368	82,580	121,285	74,503	161,521	60,493	26,249	74,779

¹ Annual data are averages of monthly not seasonally adjusted figures.

² Seasonally adjusted, end of period. Data beginning 1982 are not comparable with data for prior periods.

Note.—Data beginning 1958 are not strictly comparable with earlier data.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.