

TABLE B-20.—*Inventories and final sales of domestic business in 1987 dollars, 1959-94*

[Billions of 1987 dollars, except as noted: seasonally adjusted]

Quarter	Inventories ¹							Final sales of domestic business ²	Ratio of inventories to final sales of domestic business	
	Total ²	Farm	Nonfarm						Total	Nonfarm
			Total ²	Manu- facturing	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Other			
Fourth quarter:										
1959	388.6	79.6	308.9	152.4	61.2	67.6	27.8	131.5	2.96	2.35
1960	396.7	80.5	316.2	153.9	62.4	71.4	28.5	134.3	2.95	2.35
1961	403.9	82.1	321.8	157.9	63.7	70.2	30.0	139.9	2.89	2.30
1962	419.5	83.9	335.7	166.1	65.9	73.8	29.9	145.3	2.89	2.31
1963	435.6	85.4	350.2	171.6	69.6	76.9	32.0	153.5	2.84	2.28
1964	451.2	83.4	367.8	179.6	73.4	80.3	34.5	161.1	2.80	2.28
1965	476.4	84.6	391.7	190.2	77.6	86.8	37.2	174.2	2.73	2.25
1966	513.1	83.5	429.6	212.1	86.5	92.5	38.4	177.3	2.42	2.42
1967	540.7	84.5	456.3	227.6	92.0	92.1	44.6	183.8	2.94	2.48
1968	564.3	86.9	477.5	237.4	94.7	99.3	46.1	192.6	2.93	2.48
1969	589.2	86.9	502.3	246.7	100.3	105.9	49.4	195.4	3.01	2.57
1970	595.1	86.3	508.8	246.1	106.9	105.8	50.0	197.6	3.01	2.57
1971	615.8	89.2	526.7	243.9	112.3	117.8	52.6	205.1	3.00	2.57
1972	638.4	90.6	547.7	249.6	116.3	125.3	56.5	220.4	2.90	2.49
1973	676.1	92.9	583.3	264.9	121.1	134.5	62.7	225.9	2.99	2.58
1974	707.0	92.5	614.5	283.7	130.8	133.6	66.4	220.9	3.20	2.78
1975	693.1	92.9	600.2	277.2	127.3	127.6	68.0	229.1	3.03	2.62
1976	718.6	90.8	627.8	289.6	135.3	134.8	68.1	238.3	3.02	2.63
1977	752.9	93.6	659.2	297.1	144.4	144.5	73.3	249.4	3.02	2.64
1978	790.1	93.0	697.1	309.2	155.8	153.7	78.3	264.6	2.99	2.63
1979	803.7	95.7	708.0	320.1	157.3	153.5	77.1	270.2	2.97	2.62
1980	795.4	92.3	703.1	319.9	161.9	146.7	74.6	268.5	2.96	2.62
1981	820.0	98.3	721.7	324.0	164.8	152.9	80.0	266.5	3.08	2.71
1982	802.5	101.4	701.0	311.3	159.9	151.7	78.1	267.6	3.00	2.62
1983	806.9	93.1	713.8	311.9	159.3	162.8	79.8	281.8	2.86	2.53
1984	874.8	94.8	780.0	339.4	174.7	181.4	84.5	294.6	2.97	2.65
1985	896.9	97.2	799.8	335.7	178.7	194.1	91.3	306.3	2.93	2.61
1986	905.5	95.1	810.4	333.6	185.7	196.7	94.4	317.2	2.86	2.55
1987	931.8	88.7	843.1	340.2	192.7	213.6	96.6	325.8	2.86	2.59
1988	951.7	81.7	870.0	355.3	199.1	219.7	95.9	340.3	2.80	2.56
1989	981.5	81.6	899.9	373.9	202.5	231.0	92.5	344.7	2.85	2.61
1990	987.2	84.1	903.1	376.9	208.8	229.0	88.0	347.9	2.84	2.60
1991	986.1	84.3	901.8	370.6	213.1	230.4	88.1	345.9	2.85	2.61
1992	988.5	88.7	899.8	360.4	219.6	233.6	86.2	360.9	2.74	2.49
1993	1,033.8	85.5	918.3	359.7	223.9	242.7	92.1	373.4	2.69	2.46
1994 ^p	1,056.2	92.6	963.6	365.2	237.6	260.3	100.6	385.5	2.74	2.50
1991: I	983.1	84.2	898.9	377.9	209.9	224.6	86.5	345.1	2.85	2.60
II	980.1	85.3	894.8	374.6	207.6	225.0	87.5	346.8	2.83	2.58
III	982.7	84.6	898.1	372.4	209.0	228.2	88.6	346.2	2.84	2.59
IV	986.1	84.3	901.8	370.6	213.1	230.0	88.1	345.9	2.85	2.61
1992: I	984.5	86.3	898.2	367.4	212.5	228.9	89.4	350.5	2.81	2.56
II	985.5	87.8	897.7	364.1	215.6	230.5	87.6	352.0	2.80	2.55
III	986.9	88.7	898.2	364.0	216.7	231.8	85.7	355.4	2.78	2.53
IV	988.5	88.7	899.8	360.4	219.6	233.6	86.2	360.9	2.74	2.49
1993: I	993.1	88.4	904.7	360.0	220.2	239.4	85.1	361.1	2.75	2.51
II	997.9	87.4	910.4	361.0	222.0	239.9	87.6	363.5	2.75	2.50
III	1,001.1	85.5	915.6	361.6	223.7	241.4	88.9	366.7	2.73	2.50
IV	1,003.8	85.5	918.3	359.7	223.9	242.7	92.1	373.4	2.69	2.46
1994: I	1,010.2	86.3	923.8	362.1	223.7	243.2	94.9	375.6	2.69	2.46
II	1,025.0	88.2	936.8	362.3	228.1	248.7	97.7	377.0	2.72	2.48
III	1,039.2	90.6	948.6	363.4	232.3	253.7	99.2	381.5	2.72	2.49
IV ^p	1,056.2	92.6	963.6	365.2	237.6	260.3	100.6	385.5	2.74	2.50

¹Inventories at end of quarter. Quarter-to-quarter changes calculated from this table are at quarterly rates, whereas the constant-dollar change in business inventories component of GDP is stated at annual rates.

²Inventories of construction establishments are included in "other" nonfarm inventories.

³Quarterly totals at monthly rates. Final sales of domestic business equals final sales of domestic product less gross product of households and institutions and general government and includes a small amount of final sales by farms.

Note.—The industry classification of inventories is on an establishment basis and is based on the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) beginning 1987 and on the 1972 SIC for earlier years shown.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.