



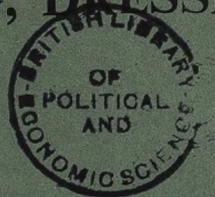
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## TAILORING, DRESSMAKING, ETC. TRADE

THIS REPORT on the Tailoring, Dressmaking, etc. Trade relates to establishments engaged wholly or mainly in the manufacture of made-up clothing, including corsets, handkerchiefs, scarves, ties, belts and braces, suspenders, wigs, artificial flowers, feather ornaments, etc. Establishments that make up garments from knitted fabric, but do not operate knitting machines are included.

Government establishments are included in 1951, 1950, 1949 and 1948. Particulars of production by Government establishments are not available for other years (see also footnote (b) to Table I).

Establishments in Great Britain mainly engaged in retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking, and the workrooms of retail shops, engaged in altering garments for sale, were covered by the Census of Distribution for 1950 and were not required to make returns in the Census of Production. Returns were not obtained from similar establishments in the United Kingdom for 1937. Tables 1 and 2 give, as well as the full totals for 1951 and 1935, figures for those years relating to the sections of the trade included in 1950 and 1937.

This trade corresponds to minimum list headings 140, 141, 142, 147(1), 147(3) and 147(5) in the Standard Industrial Classification.

IMPORTANT NOTES and definitions appear on the inside of the back cover of this report. In interpreting the data in the following tables, it is essential to bear these in mind.

Summary  
Larger establishments (a)(b)

TABLE 1

	United Kingdom			Great Britain			United Kingdom			
	All sections of the trade	Sections of the trade covered by the 1950 Census of Production		All sections of the trade			Sections of the trade covered by the 1937 Inquiry		All sections of the trade	
	1951	1951	1950	1949	1949	1948	1946	1937	1935	1935
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Gross output (production) (c)	454,689	442,372	381,286	359,372	343,942	282,892	223,664	112,183	103,991	114,655
Cost of materials and fuel used (d)	276,313	271,613	221,769	200,369	190,758	144,399	106,092	62,339	57,209	60,759
Payment for work done on materials given out	16,970	16,356	15,404	15,238	15,119	12,586	10,078	3,015	2,750	3,089
Transport payments (e)	1,987	1,960	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Net output	159,419	152,443	144,112	143,765	138,065	125,906	107,494	46,829	44,032	50,807
Wages and salaries of persons employed	103,346	98,469	90,564	89,920	86,805	76,603	60,260	..	..	..
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Average number of persons employed (f)	410,334	390,840	375,884	385,213	365,211	336,625	329,020	329,190	317,919	355,747
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Net output per person employed (f)	389	390	383	373	378	374	327	142	138	143
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Stocks at end of year										
Products on hand for sale and work in progress	33,734	33,207	26,283	22,654	21,282	17,279	11,955	..	..	..
Materials and fuel	76,953	74,804	62,116	55,572	53,326	42,951	23,490	..	..	..
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Number of establishments	5,983	5,285	4,883	5,639	5,449	5,116	..	..	3,668	4,828

The values of gross output and of materials and fuel used are derived in the following way:-

	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Output of firms in this trade (g)										
Principal products (h)	445,012	436,307	377,536	356,088	340,938	277,828	221,624	110,396	103,991	112,570
Other output (i)	3,555									
Changes in stocks and work in progress (j)	+ 6,122	+ 6,065	+ 4,641	+ 4,089	+ 3,764	+ 3,032	+ 2,040			
Less payment for transport outwards (e)	454,689	442,372	382,177	360,177	344,702	283,386	223,664	112,183	103,991	114,655
	..	..	891	805	760	494				
Gross output (production)	454,689	442,372	381,286	359,372	343,942	282,892	223,664	112,183	103,991	114,655
Materials and fuel used by firms in this trade										
Purchases	287,820	282,879	230,853	210,643	200,541	157,078	108,974	62,339	57,209	60,759
Changes in stocks (j)	- 11,507	- 11,266	- 9,084	- 10,274	- 9,783	- 12,678	- 2,882			
Materials and fuel used	276,313	271,613	221,769	200,369	190,758	144,399	106,092	62,339	57,209	60,759

(a) For small firms' summary see Table 2.

(b) H.M. Prisons and Broadmoor Asylum are excluded from this report. The following information relating to these institutions was recorded:-

	1951	1950	1949	1948
Gross output (£'000)	160	105	134	109
Cost of materials and fuel used (£'000)	153	102	123	108

Similar information is not available for other years.

(c) Gross output for 1951 includes payments to other firms and undertakings and to firms' own separate transport organisations for transport services. For other years payments for transport services outwards on finished goods sold are excluded.

(d) Amounts paid for delivery services are excluded for 1951 but included for other years.

(e) Payments to other firms and undertakings and to firms' own separate transport organisations. For 1951 they cover payments for transport of both goods sold and materials and fuel purchased. For other years payments cover only transport outwards of finished goods sold.

(f) Excluding outworkers but including working proprietors. For an estimate of the total number of persons employed in this trade see Table 3.

(g) Total value of sales (1951, 1950, 1949, 1948 and 1946) or production for sale (1937 and 1935).

(h) For details for 1951 and 1948 see Table 8(i).

(i) For details for 1951 and 1948 see Table 10.

(j) For details for 1951 see Table 21.

Summary  
Small firms (a)

TABLE 2

	Great Britain			United Kingdom	Great Britain	
	All sections of the trade	Sections of the trade covered by the 1950 Census of Production		All sections of the trade	All sections of the trade	
	1951	1951	1950 (b)	1949	1949	1948
Gross output (sales)	£'000 25,064	£'000 14,183	£'000 ..	£'000 ..	£'000 ..	£'000 24,033
Cost of materials and fuel purchased during the year	10,792	6,227	..	..	..	8,972
Payment for work done on materials given out	2,719	1,582	..	..	..	3,352
Net output (c)	11,554	6,374	..	..	..	11,709
Average number of persons employed (d)	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Males	9,286	4,194	6,369	13,379	13,019	10,901
Females	20,987	10,315	13,947	27,117	26,780	22,641
Total	30,273	14,509	20,316	40,496	39,799	33,542
Net output per person employed	£ 382	£ 439	£ ..	£ ..	£ ..	£ 349
Number of returns	No. 7,191	No. 2,927	No. 4,106	No. 9,021	No. 8,816	No. 7,244

- (a) Small firms (employing on the average ten or fewer persons) that made satisfactory returns.  
 (b) Believed to include a number of retail bespoke tailors and dressmakers, nominally outside the scope of the 1950 Census of Production.  
 (c) The value of net output is the difference between the value of gross output (sales) and cost of materials and fuel purchased during the year less payment for work done on materials given out.  
 (d) Including working proprietors.

Estimated average employment (a)  
All firms

	United Kingdom			Great Britain		
	All sections of the trade	Sections of the trade covered by the 1950 Census of Production		All sections of the trade	All sections of the trade	
	1951	1951	1950	1949	1949	1948
As returned by firms						
Employing on the average more than ten persons (b)	410,334	390,840	375,884	385,213	365,211	336,625
Employing on the average ten or fewer persons (c) (d)	30,273(e)	14,509(e)	20,316(e)	40,496	39,799	33,542
	440,607	405,349	396,200	425,709	405,010	370,167
Estimated average employment in firms not making satisfactory returns	8,369	4,011	3,397	5,624	5,624	13,900
Estimated average employment in all firms (d)	448,976(e)	409,360(e)	399,597(e)	431,333	410,634	384,067

- (a) Including working proprietors.  
 (b) See Tables 13(iv) and 14.  
 (c) See Tables 2 and 23(ii).  
 (d) The figures for 1950 are believed to include a number of retail bespoke tailors and dressmakers nominally outside the scope of the 1950 Census of Production.  
 (e) Excluding any small firms in Northern Ireland.

Analysis by size, 1951  
Larger establishments in the United Kingdom

TABLE 4

Average number employed	Establishments	Gross output	Net output	Persons employed	Remuneration			Net output per person employed
					Operatives	Other employees (a)	Total	
	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000	£'000	£
11 - 24	2,207	34,065	15,327	37,514	8,113	1,885	9,997	409
25 - 49	1,737	63,760	24,916	60,728	13,107	3,490	16,597	410
50 - 99	1,095	85,104	29,942	75,876	15,377	4,145	19,522	395
100 - 199	561	91,191	30,829	77,700	15,355	4,191	19,546	397
200 - 299	190	51,509	17,148	45,661	8,589	2,092	10,681	376
300 - 399	70	29,771	9,538	24,270	4,777	1,210	5,987	393
400 - 499	38	18,804	6,422	16,881	3,296	751	4,046	380
500 - 749	53	37,317	11,884	31,524	5,860	1,408	7,269	377
750 - 999	13	13,576	4,361	11,404	2,197	633	2,830	382
1,000 - 1,499	14	18,329	5,563	16,956	3,247	724	3,971	328
1,500 and over	5	11,261	3,488	11,820	2,466	432	2,899	295
Total	5,983	454,689	159,419	410,334	82,386	20,960	103,346	389

(a) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.

Analysis by standard region, 1951

Larger establishments in the United Kingdom

TABLE 5

Region	Establishments	Gross output	Net output		Persons employed	Remuneration			Net output per person employed
			Value	Percentage of total		Operatives	Other employees (a)	Total	
England	No.	£'000	£'000		No.	£'000	£'000	£'000	£
Northern	164	23,151	7,771	4.9	24,780	4,225	979	5,204	314
East and West Ridings	573	63,632	21,104	13.2	57,594	11,220	2,801	14,021	366
North Midland	421	30,965	10,924	6.9	29,260	5,181	1,486	6,667	373
Eastern	180	16,626	5,911	3.7	16,026	2,923	893	3,815	369
London and South Eastern	2,367	138,022	52,394	32.9	107,145	26,695	7,484	34,179	489
Southern	114	7,018	2,895	1.8	7,333	1,317	417	1,735	395
South Western	131	10,596	4,027	2.5	11,531	1,969	559	2,529	349
Midland	221	15,736	5,810	3.6	15,043	2,658	702	3,361	386
North Western	1,121	95,671	30,183	18.9	80,718	15,999	3,814	19,813	374
Total England	5,292	401,416	141,022	88.5	349,430	72,186	19,137	91,323	404
Wales	88	9,193	3,296	2.1	11,103	1,844	361	2,206	297
Scotland	395	23,399	8,508	5.3	26,818	4,802	1,033	5,835	317
Great Britain	5,775	434,008	152,826	95.9	387,351	78,832	20,531	99,363	395
Northern Ireland	208	20,680	6,593	4.1	22,983	3,553	429	3,983	287
United Kingdom	5,983	454,689	159,419	100.0	410,334	82,386	20,960	103,346	389

(a) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.

Analysis according to specialisation within the trade, 1951

Larger establishments in the United Kingdom

TABLE 6

	Establishments	Gross output	Sales of characteristic products	Net output	Persons employed	Remuneration			Net output per person employed
						Operatives	Other employees (a)	Total	
	No.	£'000	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000	£'000	£
Specialist producers of									
Retail bespoke tailored and dress-made garments	522	11,263	10,028	5,993	13,848	2,832	944	3,776	432
Wholesale tailored garments									
Men's, youths' and boys'	598	109,920	92,061	34,960	95,842	18,832	4,459	23,291	365
Women's, maids' and girls'	544	67,709	60,222	21,587	41,375	10,268	3,413	13,681	522
Battledress, service and other uniforms, including liveries, for men and women	51	11,016	7,664	3,379	8,826	1,719	454	2,173	383
Wholesale dressmade garments	806	48,361	44,274	17,929	45,650	8,543	2,947	11,490	393
Proofed, etc. garments	292	39,569	34,892	11,335	26,210	5,624	1,367	6,991	432
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear	317	43,298	37,600	11,550	33,985	5,880	1,280	7,159	340
Lingerie and infants' wear									
Women's and girls' nightwear and underwear	239	19,612	15,617	5,544	14,775	2,594	737	3,331	375
Infants' wear	177	10,096	8,036	3,931	10,255	1,877	522	2,399	383
Corsets and brassieres	116	15,491	13,973	6,377	13,748	2,310	853	3,163	464
Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber	141	15,137	12,693	4,126	11,256	2,042	576	2,618	367
Household and other light overalls, pinarettes, aprons and smocks	22	1,121	971	321	830	142	45	186	387
Neckties, scarves, head squares and handkerchiefs	47	6,265	5,356	1,722	3,338	570	283	853	516
Specialists in									
Alteration, etc. of goods (in workrooms of drapers, dress-makers, tailors and milliners for their selling departments)	193	1,254	1,001(b)	1,088	6,027	1,069	105	1,173	181
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods									
Specialists in									
Making-up of									
Tailored garments	734	13,627	12,670(c)	10,745	29,334	7,648	752	8,400	366
Dressmade garments	378	4,725	4,556(c)	3,835	11,194	2,468	290	2,758	343
Other work	394	5,392		4,113	14,072	2,589	370	2,959	292
Remainder of the trade	412	30,832		10,880	29,769	5,379	1,566	6,945	372
Total	5,983	454,689		159,419	410,334	82,386	20,960	103,346	389

(a) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.

(b) Value of work done.

(c) Amount charged.

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Total make of certain principal products

Larger establishments

TABLE 7

	Returned in this trade (a)		
	United Kingdom 1951		Great Britain 1948
	Quantity	Entries	Quantity
Retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking	Th. suits	No.	Th. suits
Men's, youths' and boys' clothing, other than uniforms			
Suits, complete	254	441	291
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, for sale separately	171	400	295
Overcoats	30	400	46
Women's and girls' clothing, other than uniforms			
Costumes, skirts, slacks, jackets and the like	146	480	129
Overcoats	66	394	74
Dresses, blouses and other outer garments	174	235	594
Unclassified	3	5	5
Service and other uniforms, including liveries	110	123	93
Wholesale tailoring (other than proofed garments)			
Men's and youths' clothing	Th. suits		Th. suits
Suits, complete	6,044	518	4,957
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, for sale separately	19,302	725	16,654
Overcoats	1,821	507	1,873
Boys' clothing	Th. suits		Th. suits
Suits, complete	1,427	175	1,891
Coats, blazers, lumber jackets, trousers, shorts and the like	9,062	346	4,924
Overcoats	532	157	568
Men's, youths' and boys' dressing gowns	466	69	239
Men's, youths' and boys' outer garments, not elsewhere specified	1,521	92	1,143
Women's and maids' outer garments			
Overcoats, cloaks and the like	8,099	810	6,821
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks and the like	10,296	847	6,307
Dresses (tailored)	750	77	271
Other tailored outer garments	210	48	45
Unclassified	554	18	881
Young girls' outer garments			
Overcoats, of length 24 in. to 39 in.	1,515	196	1,734
Gym tunics, blazers and other school uniforms (all sizes)	1,351	127	1,287
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks, shorts and the like	1,288	153	1,024
Battledress for men or women (blouses, trousers or skirts)	2,818	117	1,278
Service and other uniforms (except battledress), including liveries, for men or women	Th. suits		Th. suits
Suits, complete	314	77	240
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and skirts, for sale separately	3,721	132	3,389
Overcoats	694	92	391

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TABLE 7 (contd.)

	Returned in this trade (a)		
	United Kingdom 1951		Great Britain 1948
	Quantity	Entries	Quantity
	Th.garments	No.	Th.garments
Wholesale dressmaking			
Made from woven fabric			
Dresses			
Of wool, or of which the chief value is wool	3,077	605	2,513(b)
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	16,282	915	11,290
Of other textile materials	4,492	380	2,578
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like			
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	9,600	519	7,021
Of other textile materials	1,958	226	1,592
Dressing gowns (dressmade) and housecoats for women and girls	824	109	329
Other dressmade outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares	225	32	234
Unclassified	2,282	62	2,417
Made from knitted fabric			
Dresses	457	105	294
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like	1,793	113	460
Women's and girls' other outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares	175	6	
Proofed, etc. garments			
For men and women, youths and maids			
Rubber proofed	3,562	151	2,359
Chemically proofed	5,473	258	3,362
Other proofings	1,936	106	1,029
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	1,129	51	910
For boys and young girls			
Rubber proofed	922	92	824
Chemically proofed	798	152	757
Other proofings	184	40	100
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	332	23	494
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear			
Shirts (including collars and cuffs supplied therewith)	Th.doz.		Th.doz.
Of woven fabric			
Of wool, or of which the chief value is wool	285	174	283
Of cotton, or of which the chief value is cotton	3,854	473	1,964
Of other materials	236	121	88
Of knitted fabric	208	42	66
Collars and cuffs, for sale separately	1,821	94	921
Pyjamas and other nightwear	747	330	508
Underwear			
Of woven fabric	314	70	173
Of knitted fabric	454	59	233
Women's and girls' nightwear and underwear (other than corsets and brassieres)			
Of woven fabric	2,015	452	1,139
Of knitted fabric	3,504	224	2,085

TABLE 7 (contd.)

	Returned in this trade (a)		
	United Kingdom 1951		Great Britain 1948
	Quantity	Entries	Quantity
	Th.doz.	No.	Th.doz.
Infants' wear			
Pram coats, overcoats (under 24 ins. in length), leggings, breechettes, gaiters and the like	888	157	448
Siren suits, dressing gowns, baby bags with sleeves, and the like	60	72	38
Dresses, buster suits, crawlers, trouser/bib and brace overalls, and the like	1,159	308	1,075
Nightgowns, daygowns and robes	259	91	237
Other nightwear and underwear	546	111	460
Hoods, tams, berets, caps, paddy hats and bonnets	154	76	173
Corsets and brassieres			
Corselettes	65	53	71
Corsets			
Laced	320	47	316
Wrap-round	381	57	341
Maternity and surgical	52	39	50
Suspender belts	208	67	140
Roll-ons, step-ins and pantees	344	60	248
Brassieres	1,649	101	926

(a) So far as recorded. In view of the high proportion of work given out in this trade it has not been possible to make estimates of the quantities made in cases where sales only were recorded. No figures of quantities made were recorded in other trades.

(b) Described as 'Of wool or wool mixed with other materials'.

Sales of the principal products of the trade, including sales of these products by establishments classified to other trades

Larger establishments (a)

TABLE 8 (i)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
Retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking					
Men's, youths' and boys' clothing, other than uniforms					
Suits, complete	241	4,625	428	256	4,224
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, sold separately	151	1,061	396	228	1,219
Overcoats	27	494	394	54	679
Unclassified	..	403	42	..	353
Women's and girls' clothing, other than uniforms					
Costumes, skirts, slacks, jackets and the like	70	1,233	460	77	1,066
Overcoats	39	554	379	29	478
Dresses, blouses and other outer garments	119	1,135	199	128	853
Unclassified	..	256	44	5	157
Service and other uniforms, including liveries	125	952	127	94	73
Total retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking		10,713	..		9,858

TABLE 8 (i) (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
	Th.suits	£'000	No.	Th.suits	£'000
Wholesale tailoring (other than proofed garments)					
Men's and youths' clothing					
Suits, complete	5,570	39,477	442	4,418	23,903
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, sold separately	17,284	37,347	584	14,846	23,259
Overcoats	1,645	11,252	417	1,700	8,109
Boys' clothing					
Suits, complete	1,380	2,510	175	1,830	2,466
Coats, blazers, lumber jackets, trousers, shorts and the like	8,771	6,071	328	5,316	2,669
Overcoats	493	1,130	150	549	874
Men's, youths' and boys' suits, coats, waist- coats, trousers, etc. and overcoats, unclassified	..	610	18	..	1,326
Men's, youths' and boys' dressing gowns	437	1,159	65	213	532
Men's, youths' and boys' outer garments, not elsewhere specified	1,396	1,240	99	1,516	856
Women's and maids' outer garments					
Overcoats, cloaks and the like	6,483	37,047	539	5,483	24,818
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks and the like	8,164	22,207	610	5,630	12,402
Dresses (tailored)	651	1,677	61	146	528
Other tailored outer garments	141	347	39	27	63
Unclassified	417	1,688	24	899	4,455
..	..	378	..	..	..
Young girls' outer garments					
Overcoats; of length 24 in. to 39 in.	1,324	3,908	187	1,611	3,776
Gym tunics, blazers and other school uniforms (all sizes)	1,349	1,541	126	1,317	1,064
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks, shorts and the like	1,313	1,361	152	1,045	850
Battledress for men or women (blouses, trousers or skirts)	2,412	3,662	106	1,170	975
Service and other uniforms (except battledress), including liveries, for men or women					
Th.suits				Th.suits	
Suits, complete	198	1,179	70	235	828
Th.garments				Th.garments	
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and skirts, sold separately	3,352	4,972	120	3,185	3,162
Overcoats	562	2,711	84	357	1,012
Battledress and other uniforms, unclassified	-	-	-	..	482
Wholesale dressmaking					
Made from woven fabric					
Dresses					
Of wool, or of which the chief value is wool	2,501	7,483	475	2,368	6,622(b)
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	14,331	24,523	734	10,731	17,725
Of other textile materials	3,962	4,105	300	2,418	1,990
Unclassified	489	331	20	150	129
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like					
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	8,691	7,954	484	6,972	5,608

TABLE 8 (i) (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
	Th.garments	£'000	No.	Th.garments	£'000
Wholesale dressmaking (contd.)					
Made from woven fabric (contd.)					
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like (contd.)					
Of other textile materials	1,958	1,870	213	1,565	1,562
Unclassified	191	90	14	252	215
Dressing gowns (dressmade) and housecoats for women and girls	770	1,816	110	264	664
Other dressmade outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares	268	190	40	242	259
Unclassified	1,685	2,781	51	1,896	3,195
..	..	714	..	..	488
Made from knitted fabric (c)					
Dresses	442	1,496	102	263	828
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like	1,704	1,745	104	490	954
Women's and girls' other outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares	172	132	6	..	..
Total wholesale tailoring and dress- making (other than proofed garments)		238,703	..		158,650
Proofed, etc. garments					
For men and women, youths and maids					
Rubber proofed	3,333	7,462	150	2,424	4,314
Chemically proofed	5,290	26,373	253	3,431	10,034
Other proofings	1,805	4,533	102	1,026	1,363
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	1,064	593	48	1,116	804
..	..	..	..	..	102
Proofed garments, other than rubber proofed, unclassified	508	511	6	-	-
For boys and young girls					
Rubber proofed	878	1,086	87	790	781
Chemically proofed	799	2,378	152	779	1,474
Other proofings	173	519	39	113	211
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	303	60	22	567	274
Unclassified	51	41	6	-	-
Total proofed, etc. garments		43,556	..		19,357
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear (c)	Th.do.			Th.do.	
Shirts (including collars and cuffs supplied therewith)					
Of woven fabric					
Of wool, or of which the chief value is wool	260	2,664	156	201	1,361
Of cotton, or of which the chief value is cotton	3,192	28,373	407	1,962	11,316
Of other materials	174	1,449	100	80	584
Of knitted fabric	160	705	37	75	271
Collars and cuffs, sold separately	1,686	1,360	89	967	590
Pyjamas and other nightwear	622	6,044	298	486	3,284
Underwear					
Of woven fabric	317	1,592	68	144	377
Of knitted fabric	408	1,100	55	250	496

TABLE 8(i) (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear (c) (contd.)	Th.doz.	£'000	No.	Th.doz.	£'000
Unclassified shirts, nightwear and underwear made up from warp loom fabric of silk or rayon, nylon, etc. (d)	132	377	31	-	-
Total mens' and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear		43,664	..		18,279
Lingerie - Women's and girls' nightwear and underwear, other than corsets and brassieres					
Of woven fabric	1,890	11,249	444	1,279	6,685
Of knitted fabric (c)	4,058	11,200	275	2,601	5,744
Total lingerie		22,449	..		12,429
Infants' wear (c)					
Pram coats, overcoats (under 24 ins. in length), leggings, breechettes, gaiters and the like	768	3,887	152	401	3,465
Siren suits, dressing gowns, baby bags with sleeves, and the like	69	659	73	32	449
Dresses, buster suits, crawlers, trouser/bib and brace overalls, and the like	1,139	5,487	309	1,021	4,265
Nightgowns, daygowns and robes	242	807	93	290	677
Other nightwear and underwear	508	1,037	125	522	702
Hoods, tams, berets, caps, paddy hats and bonnets	163	322	84	293	436
Other infants' wear (e.g., baby feeders, binders, booties)	..	580	55	..	548
Unclassified	14	81	8	38	125
	..	27			
Total infants' wear		12,888	..		10,669
Corsets and brassieres					
Corselettes	62	805	51	70	608
Corsets					
Laced	301	2,907	47	334	1,962
Wrap-round	367	2,484	58	347	1,785
Maternity and surgical	51	1,239	39	54	927
Suspender belts	199	544	65	148	328
Roll-ons, step-ins and pantees	330	2,134	61	264	1,167
Unclassified	36	170	..	-	-
Brassieres	1,550	4,627	98	987	2,090
Total corsets and brassieres		14,909	..		8,867
Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber	1,293	15,036	295	1,066	7,460
Household and other light overalls, pinarettes and aprons	1,376	3,774	272	1,054	2,076
Smocks	75	468	111	65	317
	Doz.			Doz.	
Academic, legal and ecclesiastical robes, gowns, cassocks and surplices	4,245	191	11	3,944	152
Leather clothing	Th.garments			Th.garments	
	59	296	35	161	350
	..	84			
Bathing costumes and slippers	Th.doz.			Th.doz.	
	102	812	29	57	398

TABLE 8(i) (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
Wigs and similar manufactures of hair, and parts thereof	Thous.	£'000	No.		£'000
	11.3	70	..	..	35
Artificial flowers, foliage, etc. (sold separately)					
For millinery	..	169	20	..	203
For other purposes	..	404	22	..	286
Ornamental feathers, dressed, dyed, etc. (sold separately)	..	179	18	..	142
Neckties, other than knitted	Th.doz.			Th.doz.	
	2,321	3,934	81	1,927	3,450
Scarves and head squares, other than knitted	441	1,302	99	365	1,143
				..	206
Braces, suspenders, belts (other than corset belts), etc., except of leather	2,031	1,987	63	1,950	1,740
				..	310
Handkerchiefs					
Of cotton or linen	18,169	8,443	159	5,817	1,889 (e)
				..	7
Of other materials	462	293	35	397	286
Theatrical costumes (f)	..	241	12	..	100
Reconditioned second-hand clothing (f)	..	1,149	6	..	923
Ladies' fancy neckwear, collars and cuffs, etc. (f)	..	208	19	..	153
Clothing pads (f)	2,016	332	25	..	881
	..	831			
Dress shields (f)	122	75	7	..	142
	..	51			
Embroidered badges, sold as such (f)	..	260	11	-	-
Cotton and linen material, cut, machined and traced (f)	..	108	..	..	110
Cloth cuttings	..	1,038	1,433	..	408
Other waste products	..	85	259	..	87
Other principal products	..	17	..	..	87
Goods altered, etc. in the workrooms of drapers, dressmakers, tailors and milliners for their selling departments (g)					
Men's, youths' and boys' clothing		276	197		213
Women's and girls' clothing		1,343	378		1,354
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods (h)					
Making-up of clothing					
Tailored garments		15,673	1,317		11,628
Dressmade garments		5,147	615		4,322
Proofed garments		1,363	136		663
Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber		416	87		97
Lingerie and infants' wear		627	152		477 (i)
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear		2,364	..		1,282
Other made-up clothing		658	158		
Unclassified		66	5		419



TABLE 8 (i) (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods (h) (contd.)		£'000	No.		£'000
Repairing		567	381		513
Other work		1,247	258		617
Total work done		29,748	..		21,584
Total		458,468	..		282,948
Sales in other trades (see Table 9)		13,456	..		5,119
Principal products of this trade sold by establishments in the trade		445,012	5,428		277,828

(a) For output of small firms see Table 8(ii).

(b) Described as 'Of wool or wool mixed with other materials'.

(c) Excluding garments cut from knitted fabric (other than underwear, shirts and nightwear made up from warp loom fabric of silk or rayon, nylon, etc.) returned by establishments classified to the Hosiery and Other Knitted Goods Trade. These are included in the following figures which also include garments knitted to shape:-

	1951		1948	
	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000
Underwear, shirts and nightwear				
Men's	3,846	14,439	{ 3,426 ..	8,578 81
Women's	5,213	13,837	{ 4,726 ..	8,988 250
Children's and infants'	2,605	4,921	{ 2,833 ..	4,062 331
Outer garments				
Women's and girls'				
Dresses and skirts	69	2,529	54	1,436
Costumes and two- or three-piece suits	17	810	34	1,020
Women's jumpers, pullovers, cardigans, etc.	2,166	23,616	1,087	8,233
Infants' pram sets, buster suits, matinee coats, jumpers, etc., excluding booties and infantees	604	3,515	997	4,150

(d) Output returned by establishments classified to the Hosiery and Other Knitted Goods Trade.

(e) These figures are known to be seriously deficient.

(f) So far as recorded separately.

(g) Value of work done.

(h) Amount charged.

(i) Described as 'Lingerie and baby linen'.

Total sales by small firms in Great Britain (a)

TABLE 8(ii)

	1951		1948
	Value	Entries	Value
	£'000	No.	£'000
Retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking			
Men's, youths' and boys' garments	6,190	2,173	5,985
Women's and girls' garments	2,892	1,928	2,546
Other outer garments			
Tailored	4,004	373	6,674
Dressmade	2,220	295	
Proofed	247	50	433
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear	575	152	608 (b)
Lingerie and infants' wear	750	172	464 (c)
Wigs and similar manufactures of hair, and parts thereof	22	7	7
Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber	258	71	1,277
Other goods made	2,039	313	
Goods altered, etc. in the workrooms of drapers, dressmakers and milliners for their selling departments (d)	1,097	2,275	992
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods (e)			
Making-up of clothing	4,006	3,067	4,572
Repairing	325	1,348	252
Other work	438	447	222
Total	25,064	7,191	24,033

(a) Small firms (employing on the average ten or fewer persons) that made satisfactory returns.

(b) Men's only.

(c) Described as 'Lingerie and baby linen'.

(d) Value of work done.

(e) Amount charged.

Sales of principal products of the trade by establishments classified to other trades

Larger establishments

TABLE 9

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
	Th.garments	£'000	No.	Th.garments	£'000
Wholesale tailoring (other than proofed garments)					
Men's and youths' clothing					
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, sold separately	-	-	-	4	3
Men's, youths' and boys' clothing, unclassified	-	-	-	..	92
Men's, youths' and boys' dressing gowns	-	-	-	-	1
Men's, youths' and boys' outer garments, not elsewhere specified	38	43	5	83	36
Womens' and maids' outer garments					
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks and the like	-	-	-	..	26
Service and other uniforms (except battledress), including liveries, for men or women					
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and skirts, sold separately	32	51	..	7	4

TABLE 9 (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
Wholesale dressmaking	Th.garments	£'000	No.	Th.garments	£'000
Made from woven fabric					
Dresses					
Other than those of wool, silk, or rayon, nylon, etc. or of which the chief value is wool, silk, or rayon, nylon, etc.	95	53	..	152	129
Unclassified	489	331	20		
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like					
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	25	18	..	309	296
Of other textile materials	6	9	..		
Unclassified	191	90	14		
Dressing gowns (dressmade) and housecoats for women and girls	43	75	..	26	33
Other dressmade outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares	61	54	6		
Unclassified	4	25	..	..	8
Made from knitted fabric					
Women's and girls' outerwear, other than dresses, scarves, and head squares	-	-	-	16	25
Total wholesale tailoring and dress- making (other than proofed garments)		748	..		652
Proofed, etc. garments					
For men and women, youths and maids					
Rubber proofed	179	375	10	128	226
Chemically proofed	-	-	-	29	41(a)
Other proofings	16	8	..		
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	88	110	..	250	112(a) 97
Proofed garments, other than rubber proofed, unclassified	508	511	6		
For boys and young girls					
Rubber proofed	-	-	-	8	15
Unclassified	51	41	6	-	-
Total proofed, etc. garments		1,045	..		491
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear	Th.do.			Th.do.	
Shirts (including collars and cuffs supplied therewith)					
Of woven fabric					
Of cotton, or of which the chief value is cotton	20	129	7	7	36
Of knitted fabric	-	-	-	10	31
Underwear					
Of woven fabric	12	35	..	14	49
Of knitted fabric	-	-	-	38	83
Unclassified shirts, nightwear and underwear, made up from warp loom fabric of silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	132	377	31	-	-
Total mens' and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear		541	..		199

TABLE 9 (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
Lingerie - Women's and girls' nightwear and underwear, other than corsets and brassieres	Th.do.	£'000	No.	Th.do.	£'000
Of woven fabric	34	184	13	48	279
Of knitted fabric	690	2,321	55	332	795
Total lingerie		2,505	..		1,074
Infants' wear					
Pram coats, overcoats (under 24 ins. in length), leggings, breechettes, gaiters and the like	-	2	..	7	16
Dresses, buster suits, crawlers, trouser/bib and brace overalls, and the like	8	40	..	3	6
Nightwear and underwear, other than nightgowns, daygowns and robes	16	25	14	1	2
Other infants' wear (e.g., baby feeders, binders, booties)	..	127	9	..	57
Unclassified	14	81	8	38	125
	..	27			
Total infants' wear		302			207
Corsets and brassieres					
Corsets					
Suspender belts	-	-	-	3	11
Roll-ons, step-ins and pantees	-	-	-	5	40
Unclassified	36	170	..	-	-
Brassieres	2	3	..	3	4
Total corsets and brassieres		173			55
Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber	2	30	..	8	29
Household and other light overalls, pinarettes and aprons	46	109	11	4	11
Smocks	-	-	-	1	4
Doz.				Doz.	
Academic, legal and ecclesiastical robes, gowns, cassocks and surplices	180	8	..	110	6
Th.garments	2	20	12	26	43
Leather clothing	..	56			
Th.do.	6	68	..	1	12
Bathing costumes and slippers					
Artificial flowers, foliage, etc. (sold separately), other than for millinery purposes	-	-	-	..	1
Ornamental feathers, dressed and dyed, etc. (sold separately)	-	-	-	..	13
Neckties, other than knitted	25	36	..	35	62
Scarves and head squares, other than knitted	84	261	28	111	448
Braces, suspenders, belts (other than corset belts), etc., except of leather	371	207	6	..	124
Handkerchiefs				518	248
Of cotton or linen	15,453	6,883	147	..	10
Of other materials	310	163	17	3,420	1,066
Reconditioned second-hand clothing	-	-	-	..	7
Ladies' fancy neckwear, collars and cuffs, etc.	-	-	-	..	80
Clothing pads	210	69	..	..	
Dress shields	-	-	-	..	

TABLE 9 (contd.)

	United Kingdom 1951			Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
		£'000	No.		£'000
Embroidered badges, sold as such	..	139	..	-	-
Other principal products	-	-	-	..	84
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods (b)					
Making-up of clothing					
Dressmade garments		3	..	}	9
Proofed garments		-	-		
Lingerie and infants' wear		4	..		
Mens' and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear		4	..		
Other made-up clothing, except tailored garments and heavy overalls and aprons		4	..		15
Unclassified		47	..		152
Repairing		12	..		14
Other work		19	..		3
Total work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods		92	..		193
Total		13,456	..		5,119

(a) Including boys' and young girls'.  
(b) Amount charged.

## Sales in the trade of other than principal products

## Larger establishments (a)

TABLE 10

	United Kingdom 1951		Great Britain 1948	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000
Hats and millinery (trimmed), caps and helmets (except infants')				
Cloth caps	138	347	155	294
Uniform caps of all descriptions; and helmets	14	65	8	45
Other	5	45	8	12
Unclassified	13	75	28	149
Other hatters' and milliners' wares (except hatters' fur, artificial flowers and ornamental feathers)	..	27	..	101
Clothing wholly or mainly of fur	..	192	..	182
Made-up household textiles	..	365	..	119
Textile smallwares	..	183	..	193
Made-up goods of canvas, including sacks and bags	..	125	..	47
Finished cloth of cotton, rayon, nylon, etc., and silk	Th.sq.yds. 877	271	..	101
Gloves and mittens (except rubber)	..	37	..	1,172
Rubber goods of all descriptions	..	953	..	1,172
Plastic goods and fancy articles	..	81	..	..
Other goods	..	527	..	..
Work done				
Making-up or alteration of millinery in the work-rooms of drapers, dressmakers, tailors and milliners for their selling departments (b)		87		100
Other (c)		143		90
Total		3,555		2,526

(a) For output of small firms see Table 8(ii).  
(b) Value of work done.  
(c) Amount charged.

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## Production, exports and imports of certain principal products (a)

TABLE 11

	Production (b)(c)	Exports (d)	Retained imports (e)
	Th.suits	Th.suits	Th.suits
Men's, youths' and boys' clothing (other than battledress, service and other uniforms including liveries; and proofed garments) (f)			
Suits, complete (g)	{ 1951 6,950 1948 6,248 1937 12,839(h)	110 224 167	1 2 10
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, sold or consigned separately	{ 1951 £'000 43,418 1948 25,928 1937 7,027	£'000 2,432 2,135 549	£'000 207 33 58
Overcoats (i)	{ 1951 Th.garments 2,138 1948 2,249 1937 4,078	Th.garments 568 444 402	Th.garments - 6 (j)
Women's, maids' and young girls' outer garments (other than battledress, service and other uniforms including liveries; and proofed garments), made from woven fabric(f)(k)			
Overcoats, cloaks and the like	{ 1951 7,807 1948 7,095 1937 8,717	859 281 684	5 7 60
Dresses (l)			
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	{ 1951 14,331 1948 10,731	104 67	52 33
Of wool or of which the chief value is wool	{ 1951 2,501 1948 2,368	57 128	14 74
Of other textile materials	{ 1951 3,962 1948 2,418	406 110	77 36
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like			
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	{ 1951 8,691 1948 6,972	36 41	14 39
Of other textile materials	{ 1951 1,958 1948 1,565	115 47	23 30
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks, shorts and the like	{ 1951 £'000 23,568 1948 13,252	£'000 1,221 867	£'000 57 53
Other descriptions, including dressing gowns, but excluding scarves and head squares	{ 1951 3,893 1948 2,050	174 137	36 49
Proofed, etc. garments (f)			
For men and women, youths and maids			
Rubber proofed	{ 1951 3,333 1948 2,424	270 240	.. ..
Chemically proofed	{ 1951 5,290 1948 3,431	750 382	.. ..
Other proofings	{ 1951 1,805 1948 1,026	366 1,221	.. ..
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	{ 1951 1,064 1948 1,257(h)	180 22	.. ..
For boys and young girls			
Rubber proofed	{ 1951 878 1948 790	14 19	.. ..
Chemically proofed	{ 1951 799 1948 779	22 18	.. ..
Other proofings	{ 1951 173 1948 113	2 12	.. ..
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	{ 1951 303 1948 567	25 5	.. ..
Total proofed garments	{ 1951 13,645 1948 10,385	1,628 1,921	8 25

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TABLE 13 (contd.)

(iii) Total employees

Number

	United Kingdom			Great Britain		United Kingdom	
	1951	1950	1949	1949	1948	1937	1935
<b>Males</b>							
Under 18	5,890	5,170	5,395	5,193	4,385	8,252	8,370
All ages	74,471	67,183	72,232	70,529	64,895	57,587	65,462
<b>Females</b>							
Under 18	62,510	57,581	63,710	59,359	57,523	75,144	71,337
All ages	335,708	306,586	314,464	296,283	269,802	271,603	290,285
<b>Total</b>							
Under 18	68,400	62,751	69,105	64,552	61,908	83,396	79,707
All ages	410,179(f)	373,769(f)	386,696(f)	366,812(f)	334,697(f)	329,190	355,747

(a) Excluded employees. The following persons were employed at the larger establishments in this trade in 1951 but are not included in the above tables or in any other Census of Production report (employees in Great Britain engaged, for example, in merchandising and in Northern Ireland canteen and welfare workers):-

Canteen workers 99 Males 3,656 Females  
Other workers 6,642 Males 16,606 Females

(b) In week ended September 22, 1951, September 30, 1950, and September 24, 1949.

(c) See Introductory note.

(d) Average for the year.

(e) In week ended September 22, 1951, September 30, 1950, September 24, 1949, September 25, 1948, October 16, 1937, and October 12, 1935.

(f) Working proprietors. In addition working proprietors, shown in Table 13(iv) below, were engaged in this trade in larger establishments. The 1937 and 1935 figures include working proprietors.

(iv) Working proprietors

Number

	United Kingdom			Great Britain	
	1951	1950(c)	1949	1949	1948
<b>Males</b>	2,123	1,802	2,038	1,761	1,621
<b>Females</b>	371	334	395	355	307
<b>Total</b>	2,494	2,136	2,433	2,116	1,928

Average employment

Larger establishments (a)

TABLE 14

Number

	United Kingdom			Great Britain		United Kingdom	
	1951	1950(b)	1949	1949	1948	1937(b)	1935
<b>Operatives</b>	368,826	339,681	346,183	327,621	301,598	299,873	317,922
<b>Administrative, technical and clerical employees</b>	39,014	34,067	36,597	35,474	33,099(c)	29,317(c)	37,825(c)
<b>Total</b>	407,840	373,748	382,780	363,095	334,697	329,190	355,747

(a) For employment in small firms (employing on the average ten or fewer persons) that made satisfactory returns see Table 2.

(b) See Introductory note.

(c) In week ended September 25, 1948, October 16, 1937, and October 12, 1935. The 1937 and 1935 figures include working proprietors.

Outworkers. In addition to the employees shown above the firms in this trade employed outworkers whose numbers are shown below.

	United Kingdom			Great Britain		United Kingdom	
	1951	1950(b)	1949	1949	1948	1937(b)	1935
<b>Males</b>	1,267	415	1,158	1,153	1,025	1,045	4,042
<b>Females</b>	16,658	17,467	18,618	18,544	13,770	5,263	6,380
<b>Total</b>	17,925	17,882	19,776	19,697	14,795	6,308	10,422

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TABLE 15 - Shift working, 1951: Larger establishments in Great Britain

Owing to the risk of disclosure of information relating to individual firms, it is not possible to give details of the very small amount of shift working during the week ended September 22, 1951, which was confined to part-time evening shift work.

Wages and salaries and employers' National Insurance contributions paid during the year

Larger establishments

TABLE 16

£'000

	United Kingdom			Great Britain	
	1951	1950(a)	1949	1949	1948
<b>Wages and salaries (b) of</b>					
Operatives	82,386	71,833	71,371	68,625	60,522
Administrative, technical and clerical employees	20,960	18,731	18,549	18,180	16,081
<b>Total</b>	103,346	90,564	89,920	86,805	76,603
<b>Employers' contributions to all National Insurance Schemes</b>	3,336	2,966	3,034	2,881	2,205

(a) See Introductory note.

(b) Including bonus and commission payments, but excluding payments to outworkers shown below.

£'000

	United Kingdom			Great Britain	
	1951	1950(a)	1949	1949	1948
<b>Total</b>	2,236	1,881	2,268	2,264	1,748

Plant, machinery and vehicles - acquisitions and disposals, and capital expenditure on new building work

Larger establishments

TABLE 17

£'000

	United Kingdom		Great Britain	
	1951	1949	1949	1948
<b>Plant, machinery and vehicles</b>				
Acquisitions				
Plant and machinery				
New	2,492	2,699	2,550	2,346
Second-hand	205	196	191	148
Vehicles				
New	1,049	908	888	626
Second-hand	428	305	298	249
<b>Total acquisitions</b>	4,175	4,108	3,927	3,369
Disposals				
Plant and machinery				
Vehicles	168	186	179	321
	492	340	332	217
<b>Total disposals</b>	659	526	511	538
<b>New building work</b>				
Capital expenditure on new building and other constructional work of a capital nature (excluding site values and development charges)	891	712	673	552

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1951

Summary: Larger establishments

TABLE 18

	England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Gross output (production)	401,416	9,193	23,399	434,008	20,680	454,689
Cost of materials and fuel used	242,379	5,727	14,419	262,524	13,789	276,313
Payment for work done on materials given out	16,306	121	358	16,785	186	16,970
Transport payments	1,709	50	115	1,874	112	1,987
Net output	141,022	3,296	8,508	152,826	6,593	159,419
Wages and salaries of persons employed	91,323	2,206	5,835	99,363	3,983	103,346
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Average number of persons employed (a)	349,430	11,103	26,818	387,351	22,983	410,334
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Net output per person employed (a)	404	297	317	395	287	389
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Stocks at end of year						
Products on hand for sale and work in progress	29,671	711	1,284	31,666	2,068	33,734
Materials and fuel	68,845	1,155	3,679	73,679	3,274	76,953
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Number of establishments	5,292	88	395	5,775	208	5,983

The values of gross output and of materials and fuel used are derived in the following way:-

	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Output of firms in this trade						
Total value of sales (see Table 20(i))	396,285	8,944	23,197	428,427	20,140	448,567
Changes in stocks and work in progress (see Table 21)	+ 5,131	+ 249	+ 202	+ 5,582	+ 540	+ 6,122
Gross output (production)	401,416	9,193	23,399	434,008	20,680	454,689
Materials and fuel used by firms in this trade						
Purchases	252,948	5,917	14,874	273,738	14,082	287,820
Changes in stocks (see Table 21)	- 10,569	- 190	- 455	- 11,215	- 293	- 11,507
Materials and fuel used	242,379	5,727	14,419	262,524	13,789	276,313

(a) Excluding outworkers but including working proprietors.

## Summary

## Small firms in Great Britain (a)

TABLE 19

	England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Gross output (sales)	23,291	341	1,433	25,064
Cost of materials and fuel purchased during the year	10,106	141	545	10,792
Payment for work done on materials given out	2,573	10	135	2,719
Net output (b)	10,611	190	752	11,554
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Average number of persons employed (c)	26,753	693	2,827	30,273
	£	£	£	£
Net output per person employed	397	274	266	382
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Number of returns	6,203	235	753	7,191

(a) Small firms in Great Britain (employing on the average ten or fewer persons) that made satisfactory returns.

(b) The value of net output is the difference between the value of gross output (sales) and cost of materials and fuel purchased during the year less payment for work done on materials given out.

(c) Including working proprietors. For details of employment see Table 23(ii).

Sales in the trade  
Larger establishments (a)

TABLE 20(i)

	England and Wales		Scotland		Great Britain		Northern Ireland		United Kingdom	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Principal products	Th. suits	£'000	Th. suits	£'000	Th. suits	£'000	Th. suits	£'000	Th. suits	£'000
Retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking										
Men's, youths' and boys clothing, other than uniforms										
Suits, complete	205	4,073	21	405	227	4,479	14	147	241	4,625
	Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments	
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, sold separately	135	963	9	80	145	1,043	6	17	151	1,061
Overcoats	24	444	2	42	26	486	1	7	27	494
Unclassified	..	378	..	25	..	403	-	-	..	403
Women's and girls' clothing, other than uniforms										
Costumes, skirts, slacks, jackets and the like	60	1,069	10	159	70	1,228	-	5	70	1,233
Overcoats	36	508	3	43	38	551	-	3	39	554
Dresses, blouses and other outer garments	113	1,103	6	32	119	1,135	-	-	119	1,135
Unclassified	..	248	..	8	..	256	-	-	..	256
Service and other uniforms, including liveries	123	909	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	125	952
Total retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking		9,696		(b)		..		(b)		10,713
Wholesale tailoring (other than proofed garments)	Th. suits		Th. suits		Th. suits		Th. suits		Th. suits	
Men's and youths' clothing										
Suits, complete	5,274	37,969	182	1,127	5,456	39,096	114	381	5,570	39,477
	Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments	
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and the like, sold separately	15,684	35,153	896	1,221	16,581	36,375	704	972	17,284	37,347
Overcoats	1,570	10,859	38	278	1,608	11,136	36	116	1,645	11,252
Boys' clothing	Th. suits		Th. suits		Th. suits		Th. suits		Th. suits	
Suits, complete	992	1,967	160	230	1,153	2,197	228	313	1,380	2,510
	Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments	
Coats, blazers, lumber jackets, trousers, shorts and the like	5,623	4,477	1,484	839	7,107	5,316	1,664	755	8,771	6,071
Overcoats	401	956	38	92	439	1,048	54	81	493	1,130

TABLE 20(i) (contd.)

	England and Wales		Scotland		Great Britain		Northern Ireland		United Kingdom	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Th. garments	£'000	Th. garments	£'000	Th. garments	£'000	Th. garments	£'000	Th. garments	£'000
Principal products (contd.)										
Wholesale tailoring (other than proofed garments) (contd.)										
Men's, youths' and boys' suits, coats, waistcoats, trousers, etc. and overcoats, unclassified	..	607	..	3	..	610	-	-	..	610
Men's, youths' and boys' dressing gowns	432	1,149	6	9	437	1,159	-	-	437	1,159
Men's, youths' and boys' outer garments, not elsewhere specified	1,254	1,059	90	132	1,344	1,190	13	7	1,357	1,197
Women's and maids' outer garments										
Overcoats, cloaks and the like	5,890	34,205	563	2,667	6,454	36,872	29	175	6,483	37,047
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks and the like	7,561	20,823	577	1,350	8,773	23,818	42	66	8,164	22,207
Dresses (tailored)	635	1,645							651	1,677
Other tailored outer garments	140	343							1	3
Unclassified	417	1,688	..	2	417	1,688	-	-	417	1,688
	..	377			..	378			..	378
Young girls' outer garments										
Overcoats, of length 24 in. to 39 in.	1,142	3,359	978	1,361	3,871	6,731	116	78	1,324	3,908
Gym tunics, blazers and other school uniforms (all sizes)	966	1,167							1,349	1,541
Costumes, skirts, jackets, slacks, shorts and the like	786	845							1,313	1,361
Battledress for men or women (blouses, trousers or skirts)	1,910	2,849	150	182	2,059	3,031	353	631	2,412	3,662
Service and other uniforms (except battledress), including liveries, for men or women										
Suits, complete	Th. suits 184	1,105	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	Th. suits 198	1,179
Coats, waistcoats, trousers and skirts, sold separately	Th. garments 3,044	4,526							Th. garments 3,319	4,921
Overcoats	466	2,450							562	2,711
Wholesale dressmaking										
Made from woven fabric										
Dresses										
Of wool, or of which the chief value is wool	2,408	7,277	62	127	2,470	7,404	31	80	2,501	7,483
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	12,907	23,070	574	649	13,481	23,718	850	804	14,331	24,523
Of other textile materials	3,483	3,730	203	207	3,686	3,937	180	115	3,867	4,052

Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like										
Of silk or rayon, nylon, etc., or of which the chief value is silk or rayon, nylon, etc.	7,976	7,296	181	119	8,157	7,414	509	522	8,666	7,936
Of other textile materials	1,776	1,664	53	34	1,829	1,698	124	163	1,953	1,861
Dressing gowns (dressmade) and housecoats for women and girls	920	1,858	14	19	727	1,741	-	-	727	1,741
Other dressmade outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares					207	136	1	-	207	137
Unclassified	1,670	2,742	12	15	1,682	2,757	-	-	1,682	2,757
	..	714			..	714			..	714
Made from knitted fabric										
Dresses										
Blouses, jumpers, suits, dress skirts, jackets and the like	1,466	1,601	191	128	2,069	3,118	78	122	1,704	1,745
Women's and girls' other outerwear, excluding scarves and head squares	172	132	-	-	172	132	-	-	172	132
Total wholesale tailoring and dressmaking (other than proofed garments)		221,050		(b)		..		(b)		237,954
Proofed, etc. garments										
For men and women, youths and maids										
Rubber proofed	2,964	6,667	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	3,154	7,087
Chemically proofed	5,100	25,663	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	5,290	26,373
Other proofings	1,462	4,127	327	398	1,789	4,525	-	-	1,789	4,525
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	768	346	208	138	976	483	-	-	976	483
For boys and young girls										
Rubber proofed	797	958	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	878	1,086
Chemically proofed	764	2,274	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	799	2,378
Other proofings	168	509	4	10	173	519	-	-	173	519
Of plastic materials, whether or not on a fabric base	292	54	11	6	303	60	-	-	303	60
Total proofed, etc. garments		40,598		(b)		..		(b)		42,511
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear										
Shirts (including collars and cuffs supplied therewith)										
Of woven fabric										
Of wool, or of which the chief value is wool	165	1,798	39	317	204	2,114	56	550	260	2,664
Of cotton, or of which the chief value is cotton	2,073	18,622	245	1,889	2,318	20,511	854	7,733	3,172	28,245
Of other materials	98	931	16	90	114	1,021	60	428	174	1,449
Of knitted fabric	158	700	-	1	159	701	1	3	160	705
Collars and cuffs, sold separately	1,246	1,067	10	5	1,256	1,073	430	287	1,686	1,360
Pyjamas and other nightwear	493	4,808	71	639	564	5,446	59	598	622	6,044



TABLE 20 (i) (contd.)

	England and Wales		Scotland		Great Britain		Northern Ireland		United Kingdom	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000
Principal products (contd.)										
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear (contd.)										
Underwear										
Of woven fabric	287	1,467	8	64	295	1,530	11	27	305	1,557
Of knitted fabric	407	1,095	1	4	408	1,100	-	-	408	1,100
Total men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear		30,488		3,009		33,497		9,627		43,124
Lingerie - Women's and girls' nightwear and underwear, other than corsets and brassieres										
Of woven fabric	1,618	9,970	59	374	1,676	10,345	180	720	1,856	11,065
Of knitted fabric	3,205	8,383	65	211	3,270	8,593	98	287	3,368	8,880
Total lingerie		18,354		585		18,938		1,007		19,945
Infants' wear										
Siren suits, dressing gowns, baby bags with sleeves, and the like	65	601	4	57	69	659	-	-	69	659
Pram coats, overcoats (under 24 ins. in length), leggings, breechettes, gaiters and the like	716	3,611							767	3,885
Dresses, buster suits, crawlers, trouser/bib and brace overalls, and the like	917	4,572	83	469	1,716	8,652	183	680	1,131	5,447
Nightgowns, daygowns and robes	235	787							242	807
Other nightwear and underwear	470	918	12	37	717	1,743	17	77	493	1,012
Hoods, tams, berets, caps, paddy hats and bonnets	160	314	3	8	163	322	-	-	163	322
Other infants' wear (e.g., baby feeders, binders, booties)	..	442	..	12	..	453	-	-	..	453
Total infants' wear		11,245		583		11,829		757		12,586
Corsets and brassieres										
Corselettes	..	(b)	-	-	..	..	..	(b)	62	805
Corsets										
Laced	301	2,907	-	-	301	2,907	-	-	301	2,907
Wrap-round	..	(b)	..	(b)	367	2,484	-	-	367	2,484
Maternity and surgical	51	1,239	-	-	51	1,239	-	-	51	1,239
Suspender belts	177	472	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	199	544
Roll-ons, step-ins and pantees	312	2,003	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	330	2,134
Brassieres	1,444	4,338	..	(b)	..	..	..	(b)	1,548	4,624
Total corsets and brassieres		14,223		(b)		..		(b)		14,736

Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber	1,118	13,041	121	1,414	1,239	14,455	52	551	1,291	15,006
Household and other light overalls, pinalettes and aprons	1,166	3,199	83	225	1,249	3,424	81	240	1,330	3,665
Smocks	54	343	15	91	70	434	5	35	75	468
	Doz.		Doz.		Doz.		Doz.		Doz.	
Academic, legal and ecclesiastical robes, gowns, cassocks and surplices	4,036	180	29	3	4,065	183	-	-	4,065	183
	Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments		Th. garments	
Leather clothing	57	276	-	-	57	276	-	-	57	276
	..	28	-	-	..	28	-	-	..	28
	Th.doz.		Th.doz.		Th.doz.		Th.doz.		Th.doz.	
Bathing costumes and slips	96	741	-	3	96	744	-	-	96	744
	Thous.		Thous.		Thous.		Thous.		Thous.	
Wigs and similar manufactures of hair, and parts thereof	11.3	70	-	-	11.3	70	-	-	11.3	70
Artificial flowers, foliage, etc. (sold separately)	..	166	..	304	..	7,296	..	175	..	169
For millinery	..	371	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	404
For other purposes	..	171	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	179
Ornamental feathers, dressed, dyed, etc. (sold separately)	..	171	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	179
	Th.doz.		Th.doz.		Th.doz.		Th.doz.		Th.doz.	
Neckties, other than knitted	2,171	3,625	..	..	..	7,296	..	175	..	3,898
Scarves and head squares, other than knitted	341	992	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,040
Braces, suspenders, belts (other than corset belts), etc., except of leather	1,606	1,667	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,779
Handkerchiefs						Th.doz.		Th.doz.		
Of cotton or linen	2,475	1,438	-	-	2,475	1,438	241	122	2,716	1,560
Of other materials	..	(b)	..	(b)	151	130	-	-	151	130
Theatrical costumes (c)	..	241	-	-	..	241	-	-	..	241
Reconditioned second-hand clothing (c)	..	(b)	..	(b)	..	1,149	-	-	..	1,149
Ladies' fancy neckwear, collars and cuffs, etc. (c)	..	208	-	-	..	208	-	-	..	208
Clothing pads (c)	..	(b)	..	(b)	1,806	263	-	-	1,806	263
	..	75	-	-	..	831	-	-	..	831
Dress shields (c)	122	51	-	-	122	75	-	-	122	75
	..	51	-	-	..	51	-	-	..	51
Embroidered badges, sold as such (c)	..	120	-	-	..	120	-	-	..	120
Cotton and linen material, cut, machined and traced (c)	..	(b)	..	(b)	..	108	-	-	..	108
Cloth cuttings	..	926	..	53	..	979	..	58	..	1,038
Other waste products	..	76	..	4	..	80	..	5	..	85
Other principal products	..	15	-	-	..	15	..	2	..	17

TABLE 20(i) (contd.)

	England and Wales		Scotland		Great Britain		Northern Ireland		United Kingdom	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000	Th.doz.	£'000		£'000	Th.doz.	£'000
Principal products (contd.)										
Goods altered, etc. in the workrooms of drapers, dressmakers, tailors and milliners for their selling departments (d)										
Men's, youths' and boys' clothing		241		35		276		1		276
Women's and girls' clothing		1,096		228		1,324		19		1,343
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods (e)										
Making-up of clothing										
Tailored garments		14,291		1,315		15,606		67		15,673
Dressmade garments		4,989		136		5,124		20		5,144
Proofed garments		1,296		(b)		..		(b)		1,363
Heavy overalls and aprons, of other than rubber		374		26		399		16		416
Lingerie and infants' wear		622		(b)		..		(b)		624
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear		1,231		91		1,322		1,038		2,360
Other made-up clothing		548		85		633		22		655
Unclassified		19		-		19		-		19
Repairing		511		43		554		1		555
Other work		1,170		40		1,211		17		1,227
Total work done		26,387		(b)		..		(b)		29,656
Total principal products		402,294		22,723		425,016		19,996		445,012
Other output										
Hats and millinery (trimmed), caps and helmets (except infants')										
Cloth caps	64	181	74	166	138	347	-	-	138	347
Uniform caps of all descriptions, and helmets	13	64	-	1	14	65	-	-	14	65
	..	9	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	9

CLOTHING COUNTRY TABLES

Other	5	43	-	1	5	45	-	-	5	45
Unclassified	12	73	-	2	13	75	-	-	13	75
	..	19	..	4	..	23	..	..	..	23
Other hatters' and milliners' wares (except hatters' fur, artificial flowers and ornamental feathers)	..	27	-	-	..	27	-	-	..	27
Clothing wholly or mainly of fur	..	192	-	-	..	192	-	-	..	192
Made-up household textiles	..	197	..	39	..	235	..	129	..	365
Textile smallwares	..	183	-	-	..	183	-	-	..	183
Made-up goods of canvas, including sacks and bags	..	71	..	55	..	125	-	-	..	125
	Th.sq.yds.		Th.sq.yds.		Th.sq.yds.				Th.sq.yds.	
Finished cloth of cotton, rayon, nylon, etc. and silk	269	145	608	126	877	271	-	-	877	271
Gloves and mittens (except rubber)	..	37	-	-	..	37	-	-	..	37
Rubber goods of all descriptions	..	938	..	15	..	953	-	-	..	953
Plastic goods and fancy articles	..	65	..	15	..	80	-	-	..	81
Other goods	..	484	..	39	..	523	..	4	..	527
Work done										
Making-up or alteration of millinery in the workrooms of drapers, dressmakers, tailors and milliners for their selling departments (d)		76		10		86		2		87
Other (e)		133		1		134		9		143
Total		405,229		23,197		428,427		20,140		448,567

(a) For output of small firms see Table 20(ii).

(b) Owing to the risk of disclosure of information relating to individual firms separate particulars cannot be given.

(c) So far as recorded separately.

(d) Value of work done.

(e) Amount charged.

TAILORING, DRESSMAKING, ETC. COUNTRY TABLES

Sales in the trade  
Small firms (a)

TABLE 20(ii)

	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
	Value	Value	Value
	£'000	£'000	£'000
Retail bespoke tailoring and dressmaking			
Men's, youths' and boys' garments	5,736	454	6,190
Women's and girls' garments	2,665	226	2,892
Other outer garments			
Tailored	3,957	47	4,004
Dressmade	2,193	27	2,220
Proofed	(b)	(b)	247
Men's and boys' shirts, underwear and nightwear	519	56	575
Lingerie and infants' wear	746	5	750
Wigs and similar manufactures of hair, and parts thereof	22	-	22
Heavy overalls and aprons, other than of rubber	(b)	(b)	258
Other goods made	1,825	215	2,039
Goods altered, etc. in the workrooms of drapers, dressmakers and milliners for their selling departments (c)	928	169	1,097
Work done for the trade or on private customers' materials or goods (d)			
Making-up of clothing	3,840	166	4,006
Repairing	294	31	325
Other work	423	15	438
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,632</b>	<b>1,433</b>	<b>25,064</b>

- (a) Small firms (employing on the average ten or fewer persons) that made satisfactory returns.  
 (b) Owing to the risk of disclosure of information relating to individual firms, separate particulars cannot be given.  
 (c) Value of work done.  
 (d) Amount charged.

Stocks of products on hand for sale and work in progress,  
and stocks of materials and fuel

## Larger establishments

TABLE 21

£'000

		England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Products on hand for sale	{ at beginning of year	12,446	491	12,936	693	13,629
	{ at end of year	17,523	692	18,215	1,185	19,400
Work in progress	{ at beginning of year	12,555	591	13,147	835	13,983
	{ at end of year	12,858	592	13,451	883	14,334
Total products on hand for sale and work in progress	{ at beginning of year	25,002	1,082	26,084	1,529	27,612
	{ at end of year	30,381	1,284	31,666	2,068	33,734
Materials and fuel	{ at beginning of year	59,241	3,224	62,465	2,981	65,446
	{ at end of year	70,000	3,679	73,679	3,274	76,953

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## Employment in September

## Larger establishments (a)(b)(c)

TABLE 22

## (i) Operatives

	Number				
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Males					
Under 18	4,597	597	5,194	289	5,483
All ages	51,471	2,974	54,445	1,541	55,986
Females					
Under 18	49,782	5,417	55,199	4,892	60,091
All ages	273,076	21,635	294,711	20,102	314,813
<b>Total</b>					
Under 18	54,379	6,014	60,393	5,181	65,574
All ages	324,547	24,609	349,156	21,643	370,799

## (ii) Administrative, technical and clerical employees

	Number				
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Males					
Under 18	354	30	384	23	407
All ages	17,162	891	18,053	432	18,485
Females					
Under 18	2,143	161	2,304	115	2,419
All ages	18,888	1,232	20,120	775	20,895
<b>Total</b>					
Under 18	2,497	191	2,688	138	2,826
All ages (d)	36,050	2,123	38,173	1,207	39,380

## (iii) Total employees

	Number				
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Males					
Under 18	4,951	627	5,578	312	5,890
All ages	68,633	3,865	72,498	1,973	74,471
Females					
Under 18	51,925	5,578	57,503	5,007	62,510
All ages	291,964	22,867	314,831	20,877	335,708
<b>Total</b>					
Under 18	56,876	6,205	63,081	5,319	68,400
All ages (d)	360,597	26,732	387,329	22,850	410,179

- (a) Excluded employees. The number of persons employed at the larger establishments in this trade but not included in the above tables or in any other Census of Production report (employees in Great Britain engaged, for example, in merchandising and in Northern Ireland canteen and welfare workers) are shown in Table 22(v) below.  
 (b) For average employment in small firms see Table 23(ii).  
 (c) Number employed in the week ended September 22, 1951.  
 (d) Working proprietors. In addition the following number of working proprietors, shown in Table 22(iv) below, were engaged in this trade in larger establishments.

## (iv) Working proprietors

	Number				
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Males	1,696	136	1,832	291	2,123
Females	308	26	334	37	371
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,004</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>2,166</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>2,494</b>

## (v) Excluded employees

	Number				
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Canteen workers					
Males	98	-	98	1	99
Females	3,461	132	3,593	63	3,656
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,559</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>3,691</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>3,755</b>
Other workers					
Males	5,818	824	6,642	-	6,642
Females	14,016	2,586	16,602	4	16,606
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,834</b>	<b>3,410</b>	<b>23,244</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>23,248</b>
<b>Total excluded employees</b>	<b>23,393</b>	<b>3,542</b>	<b>26,935</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>27,003</b>

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Average employment  
Larger establishments

					Number
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Operatives	322,851	24,524	347,375	21,451	368,826
Administrative, technical and clerical employees	35,678	2,132	37,810	1,204	39,014
Total	358,529	26,656	385,185	22,655	407,840

Outworkers. In addition to the employees shown above the firms in this trade employed outworkers whose numbers are shown below.

	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Males	1,256	9	1,265	2	1,267
Females	16,349	137	16,486	172	16,658
Total	17,605	146	17,751	174	17,925

Average employment  
Small firms (a)

			Number
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
Males (b)			
Under 18	336	15	351
All ages	8,527	759	9,286
Females (b)			
Under 18	2,164	239	2,403
All ages	18,919	2,068	20,987
Total (b)			
Under 18	2,500	254	2,754
All ages	27,446	2,827	30,273

(a) Small firms (employing on the average ten or fewer persons) that made satisfactory returns.

(b) Including working proprietors.

Wages and salaries and employers' National Insurance  
contributions paid during the year  
Larger establishments

					£'000
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Wages and salaries (a) of					
Operatives	74,031	4,802	78,832	3,553	82,386
Administrative, technical and clerical employees	19,498	1,033	20,531	429	20,960
Total	93,529	5,835	99,363	3,983	103,346
Employers' contributions to all National Insurance Schemes	2,946	210	3,156	179	3,336

(a) Including bonus and commission payments but excluding payments to outworkers shown below.

£'000				
England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
2,209	14	2,223	13	2,236

Plant, machinery and vehicles - acquisitions and disposals,  
and capital expenditure on new building work

					£'000
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Plant, machinery and vehicles					
Acquisitions					
Plant and machinery					
New	2,216	104	2,320	172	2,492
Second-hand	172	9	181	24	205
Vehicles					
New	982	46	1,028	21	1,049
Second-hand	384	32	416	12	428
Total acquisitions	3,754	192	3,946	229	4,175
Disposals					
Plant and machinery	144	7	151	16	168
Vehicles	448	35	483	8	492
Total disposals	592	42	635	24	659
New building work					
Capital expenditure on new building and other constructional work of a capital nature (excluding site values and development charges)	746	26	772	119	891

Payments for transport services for finished goods  
sold and materials and fuel purchased

## Larger establishments

	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
Amounts paid to other firms and undertakings	1,644	110	1,754	112	1,866
Amount paid or credited to firms' own separate transport organisations	115	6	121	-	121
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,759</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>1,874</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>1,987</b>

£'000

## GENERAL NOTES

The following brief notes refer to Great Britain and, unless otherwise stated, to the census of production for 1951. Reference should be made to the separate booklet in this series entitled 'The Report on the Census of Production for 1951: Introductory Notes' (price 1s.6d. net) for particulars of the minor differences in the Northern Ireland censuses and other details about the census of production.

**Trade classification:** Establishments are classified to trades according to the nature of their output. Certain products, called principal products, are identified as characteristic of the production of individual trades, the principal products for a given trade being of a similar nature or commonly associated in production. An establishment is classified to a trade if its output of principal products of that trade accounted for a greater proportion of the value of its output than did its output of principal products of any other trade.

**The establishment:** The basic unit for the collection of information is generally the establishment which in most cases comprises the whole of the premises under the same ownership or management at a particular address (e.g., a factory). Offices, warehouses and other ancillary places of business situated apart from the producing works are included in the return for the works.

**Larger establishments and small firms:** Larger establishments are those which employed more than 10 persons on the average during the year; small firms are those employing on the average 10 or fewer persons.

**Working proprietors** are proprietors of businesses other than limited companies, and include members of their families who work in the business without receiving fixed wages or salaries. Any persons working less than half the normal hours are excluded.

**Persons employed:** Administrative employees include directors other than those paid by fee only, managers, superintendents and works foremen; research, experimental, development, technical and design employees (other than operatives); draughtsmen and tracers; and travellers and office (including works office) employees. Operatives include all other classes of employees, that is, broadly speaking, all manual workers.

All these figures exclude canteen employees and persons engaged in merchanting or any other activity not covered by a firm's return who are shown separately as excluded employees.

Figures for employees include only persons on the pay-roll (that is whose National Insurance cards were held by the firm), whether full-time or part-time employees.

**Outworkers,** who are shown separately, are persons employed by the firm who work on materials supplied by the firm, but do not work on the premises; operatives directly employed who work out of doors (e.g., maintenance workers) and sub-contractors are not included as outworkers.

**Wages and salaries** include all overtime payments, bonuses, and commissions, without any deduction for income tax, insurance, contributory pensions, etc. They exclude payments to working proprietors.

**Capital expenditure:** Expenditure on plant, machinery and vehicles relates to expenditure charged to capital account during the year of return, including transport and installation costs involved. Expenditure on new building work is similarly that charged to capital account during the year.

**Materials and fuel:** The cost of materials and fuel purchased includes all purchases during the year of materials for use in production and of fuel (including oil, gas, and electricity for all purposes, including heating and lighting); all packing materials, including the full cost of returnable containers when first purchased; workshop materials; office materials; water charges; materials for repairs to firms' own buildings, plant and vehicles when carried out by

their own work people included in the return; and consumable tools and parts for machinery purchased as replacement. Materials, components, etc. which were purchased and re-sold in the same state (that is, merchanted or factored goods) were excluded. For 1951 firms in many trades were required to state the quantities of certain purchased materials used.

**Stocks and work in progress:** Firms were instructed to give these at income tax value.

**Output:** Sales means sales during the year of goods made in the establishment covered by the return or made on commission for it, whether produced in the year or not. For all post-war censuses the value of sales was the net selling value, that is, the amount charged to customers, whether on an ex-works or delivered basis, and net of any trade discounts, agents' commissions, allowances for returnable cases, purchase tax, etc. For goods charged on a delivered basis to customers overseas, firms were required to give the f.o.b. value.

**Gross output** of a trade is the total value of goods made and other work done during the year; this means the value of sales and work done during the year adjusted for changes in the values of stocks.

**Net output** is the amount left after deducting from the value of gross output the aggregate of the cost of materials and fuel used and the amount paid for work given out and, for 1951, any transport payments included in firms' returns. This represents the value added to materials by the process of production, and constitutes the fund from which wages, salaries, rents, rates and taxes, advertising and other selling expenses and all other similar charges have to be met as well as depreciation and profits.

**Customs and Excise Duty** paid on materials purchased is included in the cost of materials, but where it is especially important separate figures are shown.

**Later reports:** Reports will be published later summarising the main census results and giving information about power equipment and fuel consumption.

**Disclosure of information:** The report has been prepared in conformity with the disclosure provisions of the Statistics of Trade Act, 1947. Figures have been combined with others of a similar nature in certain cases where publication of separate details might disclose the operations of an individual firm.

**Symbols used:** '...' for 'Not available', '-' for 'Nil or negligible (less than half the final digit shown)'

The figures in the tables have been rounded off to the nearest final digit, and there may be an apparent slight discrepancy between the sums of the constituent items and the totals shown.

Tables 1 to 17 show figures for the United Kingdom (or Great Britain).

Tables 18 to 26 are country tables and give, where practicable, separate details for England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

Table 6: Specialist producers refer to those establishments 50 per cent. or more of whose total output by value is accounted for by the groups of products specified.

Table 8 (or 8(i)) shows the total sales of principal products of the trade, and includes therefore the sales of these products returned by establishments whether classified to the trade or to other trades. Those produced by establishments in other trades are shown in Table 9.

Table 10 shows the sales by establishments in the trade of products other than those regarded as principal products of the trade.

Table 20 (or 20(i)) shows sales by establishments in the trade of products, whether principal products or not, and broadly the aggregates here are equal to the corresponding figures in Table 8 (or 8(i)) less those in Table 9, plus those in Table 10.

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