## 58 Mining machinery

This Report on the Mining Machinery Industry relates to establishments engaged wholly or mainly in manufacturing mining machinery and parts thereof including boring and cutting machinery, underground conveyors, screening, washing and other machinery for mines.

This industry corresponds to minimum list heading 339(1) in the Standard Industrial Classification (Revised 1968) which has been used for the first time as a basis of classification in the 1968 Census.

The industry formed part of the Miscellaneous (Non-electrical) Machinery Industry (Part 49) in the Reports on the last detailed Census of Production for 1963, but the treatment of parts has been altered considerably for 1968 for this and other mechanical engineering industries. The distinction made in the 1963 reports between parts sold in association with the sale of complete machines, and other parts sold, has been discontinued for 1968 and all parts are now treated in the same way as complete machines for classification, ie, as principal products of their respective mechanical engineering industries and shown in Table 5.

Throughout this Report, the figures given for 1963 have been reclassified, as far as possible, according to the Standard Industrial Classification (Revised 1968) and to take account of the different treatment of parts adopted for 1968 so that data for 1963 and 1968 are on the same industrial basis. However the reclassification of small firms, which provided limited information only, has been arbitrary.

## METHOD OF CLASSIFICATION

In classifying returns to this industry the value of unspecified work done (other than structural and installation work), including repair work, was not taken into account unless it amounted to 80 per cent. or more of the total output of the return in which case the return was classified to General Mechanical Engineering (Part 66). The amount charged for erecting and installing machinery and plant (other than air conditioning, heating and ventilating plant) was treated as part of the selling value of these items in determining the industrial classification of returns. The standard classification procedure as outlined in the notes on page (i) was further modified where a return would have been classified to one of the mechanical engineering industries relating to a specific class of machinery (viz Parts 50 to 66) but where the sales of the principal products of the industry concerned (including parts) accounted for less than 20 per cent. of the total output: in such cases the return was classified to the residual sub-division of the General Mechanical Engineering Industry (Part 66).

In interpreting the data in the tables it is essential to bear in mind the notes and definitions which appear on pages (i) to (iv).

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(c) Including services rendered to other organisations (amounts charged for hiring out plan machinery or other goods, for providing transport, or for technical or other services
rendered). (d) Aminied.
(d) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.
(e) Excluding expenditure for establishments not yet in production
(f) Acquisitions less disposals

Industry summary, 1963 and 1968
United Kingdom (a) (b)


Vehicles (f) (a) For 1968 , estimates for establishments not making satisfactory returns and for small establishments,
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which they were incorporated: of this, unsatisfactory returns accounted for 2 per cent. For 1963 which they were incorporated: of this, unsatisfactort respectively.
the comparable figures were 3 per cent.and 2 per cent.
) The following information relates to small establishments (employing fewer than 25 persons) in this industry. It includes an estimate for small establishments not making satisfactory returns.

Number of establishments
$1963-1968$
$26 \quad 38$
verage number employe
Working proprietors
Other persons employed
14
221
37
421

Footnotes continued on page 58/2.

TABLE 2 Analysis by size of establishment within the industry, 1968 (i) Output and employment

All establishments: United Kingdom

| Number employed on average during the est abli ishment (a) | Est abmen'ts | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Enter- } \\ & \text { prises } \\ & \text { (b) } \end{aligned}$ | Total number employed on average during the year (a) | Gross output | Net output | Net output per head |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Number | Number | $£^{\prime} 000$ | £'000 | £ |
| 1-5 | 7 | 7 | 24 | .. | .. |  |
| 6-10 | 9 | 9 | 72 | . | $\ldots$ |  |
| 11-24 | 22 | 20 | 362 | . | $\ldots$ |  |
| 25-49 | 15 | 13 | 561 | 2,707 | 1,206 | 2,149 |
| 50-99 | 21 | 16 | 1,488 | 6,572 | 2,897 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,149 \\ & 1,947 \end{aligned}$ |
| 100-199 | 20 | 19 | 2,977 | 13,505 | 5,614 | $1,886$ |
| 200-299 | 9 | 9 | 2,276 | 8,561 | 4,228 | 1,857 |
| 300-399 | 5 | 4 | 1,860 | 9,011 | 4,283 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,857 \\ & 2,303 \end{aligned}$ |
| 400-499 | 6 | 6 | 2,688 | 11,731 | 5,112 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,303 \\ & 1,902 \end{aligned}$ |
| $500-749$ | 7 | 6 | 4,221 | 19,809 | 8,373 | 1,984 |
| 750 and over | 5 | 4 | 5,632 | 26,323 | 10,770 | 1,912 |
| Unsatisfactory returns | 2 | 2 | 409 | 26,32 | - . | 1,912 . |
| Total | 128 | 98 | 22,570 | 102,185(c) | 44,203(c) | 1,958(c) |

(ii) Employees, wages and sal aries

All establishments: United Kingdor

| Number employed on average during the est abl i shment (a) | Employees |  | Wages and sal aries |  | Wages and sal aries per head |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Operatives | Others (d) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oper- } \\ & \text { atives } \end{aligned}$ | 0 thers <br> (d) | Operatives | $0 \text { thers }$ (d) |
|  | Number | Number | £ 000 | £'000 | £ | £ |
| 1-5 | . | . | .. |  |  |  |
| 6-10 | .. | . | $\cdots$ |  |  | .. |
| 11-24 |  | . |  | $\ldots$ | . | $\cdots$ |
| 25-49 | 426 | 126 | 452 | 167 | 1,060 | 1,322 |
| $50-99$ $100-199$ | 1,116 | 352 | 1,088 | 470 | 1,060 975 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,322 \\ & 1,334 \end{aligned}$ |
| $100-199$ $200-299$ | 2,032 | 942 | 2,054 | 1,240 | 1,011 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,334 \\ & 1,316 \end{aligned}$ |
| 200-299 $300-399$ | 1,476 | 800 | 1,401 | 998 | 949 | 1,247 |
| $300-399$ $400-499$ | 1,265 | 594 | 1,406 | 785 | 1,111 | 1,322 |
| $400-499$ $500-749$ | 1,785 | 899 | 1,857 | 1,121 | 1,040 | 1,247 |
| $500-749$ 750 and over | 2,489 | 1,732 | 2,509 | 2,080 | 1,008 | 1,201 |
| Unsatisfactory returns | 3,838 | 1,794 | 3,741 | 2,179 | 975 | 1,215 |
| Unsatisfactory returns | .. | . | .. | .. | .. |  |
| Total | 14,985 (c) | 7,510(c) | 15,064(c) | 9,380(c) | 1,005(c) | 1,249(c) |

(a) Including working proprietors
(b) The sum of the figures for the size groups exceeds the total for the industry to
the extent that enterprises made returns for establishments in more than one the extent
size group.
(c) Including estimates for establishments employing fewer than 25 persons and for
(d) Adninistrative, technical and clerical employees.

TABLE 3 Percentage analysis of employees, by age and sex, 1969 (a)

| All establishments: United Kingdom |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ages | Males | Fenales | All employees |
| Under 18 <br> 18 and over | Per cent. | Per cent. | Per cent. |
|  | 3 | 1 | 4 |
|  | 80 | 16 | 96 |

Source: Department of Employment
(a) The percentages relate to the numbers employed (excluding working proprietors) in the 'Other machinery' industries - minimum list heading 339 - at June 1969, the earliest date for which the information is avaitab (Revised 1968).
of the Standard Industrial Classification

Footnotes to Table 4
(a) Some establishments employing fewer than 25 persons were included in returns for larger establ ishments. For
both 1968 and 1963 these amounted to 3 establ ishments.
(b) Including services rendered to other organisations Including services rendered to other organisations
(amounts charged for hiring out plant, machinery or other goods, for providing transport, or for technical or other services rendered).
(c) Direct sales of goods (excluding canteen takings) made to and work done for, the general public by larger establish
ments are included. These amounted to $£ 4,000$ in 1968 . ments are included. These amounted to $£ 4,06$.
(d) This is the ratio of total sales of principal products by the industry to total sales of goods produced and work done.
(e) Progress payments received for work in progress in 1968 Progress pay Kingdom customers were recorded as $£ 5,056,000$ at the beginning of year and $£ 3,091,000$ at the end o year, and from overseas customers $£ 700,000$ at the
beginn ing of year and $£ 642,000$ at end of year. Similar beginning of year and $£ 642,000$ at end
information is not available for 1963 .
(f) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.
(g) Excluding expenditure for establishments not yet in production.

TABLE 4 Analysis of larger establishments, 1963 and 1968
Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received,
United Kingdom (a)

|  |  | Unit | 1963 | 1968 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of enterprises |  | No. | 66 | 63 |
| Number of establishments |  | " | 84 | 91 |
| Gross output |  | $£^{\prime} 000$ | 70,080 | 98,509 |
| Net output |  | " | 31,077 | 42,613 |
| Net output per head |  | £ | 1,576 | 1,958 |
| Sales and work done | \{goods produced and work done (b) (c) | £'000 | 64,201 | 92, 222 |
| Sales and work done | merchanted goods and canteen takings | " | 3,857 | 7,416 |
| Index of specialisation (d) |  | ( $\begin{gathered}\text { Per } \\ \text { cent. }\end{gathered}$ | 85 | 82 |
| Purchases | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { materials for processing and packaging, } \\ \text { and fuel } \end{array}\right.$ | £’000 | 30,208 | 44,054 |
|  |  | " | 3,114 | 6,147 |
|  | $\left[\begin{array}{l}\text { for work done on materials given out } \\ \text { for }\end{array}\right.$ | " | 5,017 | 4,671 |
| Payments to other organisations | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { by road }\end{array}\right.$ | " |  | 646 |
|  | $\left[\begin{array}{l}\text { by rail and other means excluding } \\ \text { postal services }\end{array}\right.$ |  | 544 | 79 |
| Stocks and work in progress |  |  |  |  |
| Goods on hand for sale | \{change during year | " | + 643 | + 513 |
|  | 2at end of year | " | 5,933 | 8,463 |
| Work in progress (e) | $\{$ change during year | " | + 1,379 | - 1,643 |
|  | at end of year |  | 9,956 | 12,738 |
| Materials, stores | \{ change during year | " | - 120 | - 300 |
| and fuel | at end of year | " | 6,212 | 10,523 |
|  | $\int$ total, including working proprietors | No. | 19,719 | 21,758 |
| Number employed on ${ }^{\text {average during the year }}$ | operatives | " | 13,787 | 14,469 |
|  | other employees (f) | " | 5,913 | 7,252 |
| Wages and salaries | \{ of operatives | £'000 | 9,922 | 14,545 |
|  | of other employees (f) |  | 5,622 | 9,058 |
| Wages and salaries per head | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { operatives } \\ \text { other employees (f) }\end{array}\right.$ | £ | 720 | 1,005 |
|  |  |  | 951 | 1,249 |
| Capital expenditure (g) |  |  |  |  |
| New building work | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { acquisitions } \\ \text { disposals } \end{array}\right.$ | £ 000 | 671 | 331 |
| Land and existing buildings |  | " |  | 31 |
|  |  |  | 65 86 | 489 |
| Plant and machinery | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} \text { acquisitions } \\ \text { disposals } \end{array}\right.$ | " | 1,074 | 2,177 |
|  |  |  | 86 | 81 |
| Vehicles | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { acquisitions } \\ \text { disposals }\end{array}\right.$ |  | 267 | 378 |
|  |  |  | 104 | 161 |

Sales of principal products of the industry by larger establishments, including sales by establishments classified to other industries, 1963 and 1968
Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom


For 1963 described as 'Winding machinery, including skip plant'
This figure represents the total number of returns made for larger establishments in this industry which is less than the total number of establishments shown in Table 4 on account of combined returns covering more than one establishment

## TABLE 6 Sales of principal products of the industry by larger establishments Salas of principal products of the industry by classied to other industries, 1963 and 1968 Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

|  | 1963 | 1968 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Value | Value | Entries | Principal <br> industrice <br> in which <br> produced (a) |
| Mining machinery (excluding portable power <br> tools) | $£$ '000 | $£$ '000 | Number |  |
| Coal cutters, power operated, parts | 548 | 313 | 13 | $61,63,66,82$ |
| Conveyors, underground, complete <br> machines and parts | 997 | 1,033 | 25 | $46,55,56,64$ |
| Winding machinery, complete machines <br> and parts | 506 | 417 | 13 | $63,64,71,80$ |
| Coal preparation plant, complete and <br> parts | 2,193 | 2,145 | 34 | $52,56,64,66$ |
| Other and unclassified mining <br> machinery, complete and parts | 4,440 | 3,790 | 85 | (b) |
| Mining machinery erected and <br> installed | 598 | 89 | $*$ |  |

(a) The references given are to the list of industries at the front of this report
(b) Production is widely distributed.

TABLE 7 Sales of other than principal products by larger establishments in the industry, 1963 and 1968

Establishments employing 25 or more persons

|  | 1963 | 1968 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Value | Value |
|  | £'000 | £'000 |
| Castings in the rough or machined | 59 | 132 |
| Agricultural machinery (other than tractors) |  |  |
| Complete | 52 | 30 |
| Parts | 27 | 51 |
| Pumps, valves and compressors |  |  |
| Complete | 721 | 1,446 |
| Parts | 78 | 149 |
| Construction and earth moving equipment |  |  |
| Complete | 443 | 1,011 |
| Parts | 276 | 402 |
| Mechanical handling equipment |  |  |
| Complete | 1,888 | 1,205 |
| Parts |  | 1,024 |
| Space heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment, complete and parts | 10 | 210 |
| Other machinery except electrical machinery |  |  |
| Complete | 1,120 | 525 |
| Parts |  | 169 |
| Industrial (including process) plant and steelwork |  |  |
| Fabricated iron and steelwork | 561 | 1,073 |
| Industrial plant, complete and parts | 592 | 1,535 |
| Other and unclassified engineering products | 423 | 1,343 |
| Metal-working machine tools and engineers' small tools and gauges, complete and parts | 466 | 700 |
| Other products | 222 | 1,805 |
| Work done |  |  |
| Building and civil engineering work carried out in Great Britain including the erection of constructional steelwork and the erection and installation of air-conditioning, heating and ventilating plant, but not of complete process plant | 565 | 125 |
| Research and development work done for customers, including Government Departments, for which payment is receivable | 77 | 49 |
| Repair and jobbing work | 1,848 | 2,627 |
| 0ther work done | 233 | 506 |
| Services rendered to other organisations (a) | 33 | 55 |
| Total value of goods sold without having been subjected to any manufacturing process (merchanted or factored) | 3,739 | 7,256 |
| Canteen takings | 118 | 160 |
| Total | 13,550 | 23,587 |

[^0]TABLE 8 Production of certain principal products of the industry by

This table is not applicable to this industry.

TABLE 9 Purchases by larger establishments of selected principal products of the industry, 1968

This table is not applicable to this industry

TABLE 10 Purchases by larger establishments in the industry, 1963 and 1968 Establishments employing 25 or more persons:

|  | 1963 |  | 1968 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Quantity | Cost | Quantity | Cost |
| Materials for use in production | Th.tons | £'000 | Th.tons | £'000 |
| Iron |  |  |  |  |
| Pig iron, including refined pig iron and other irons for re-melting | .. | 110 | 2.4 | 57 |
| Castings | 9.2 | 1,142 | 9.9 | 1,282 |
| Steel |  |  |  |  |
| Ingots, blooms, billets, slabs (including sheet/plate mill slabs and sheet bars) | 0.2 | 10 | 11.1 | 785 |
| Bars and rods (including wire rods), angles, shapes and sections, girders, beams, joists and pillars rolled (not fabricated), including tube rounds and squares | 58.5 | 2,825 | 74.6 | 4,311 |
| Plates, 3mm.thick and over $\{$ | 26.9 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,341 \\ 169 \end{array}$ | 63.9 | 3,324 |
| Sheets under 3 mm . thick (including electrical sheets) | 6.8 | 328 | 0.4 . | 26 99 |
| Hoop and strip (including tape of all thicknesses) | 2.1 | 100 | 2.2 | 124 |
| Forgings (except drop forgings) | 3.0 | 479 | 4.3 | 689 |
| Castings | 10.4 | 1,856 | 12.2 | 2,255 |
| Drop forgings | 9.5 | 1,362 | 8.4 | 1,560 |
| Iron and steel not elsewhere specified except finished parts, wire and scrap |  |  |  |  |
| Wrought tubes and fittings for wrought tubes (including welded, seamless, conduits, etc) |  | 2,033 | 20.6 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,908 \\ 648 \end{array}$ |
| 0 ther | 6.4 | 609 | . | 805 |
| Precision chain (eg transmission and timing) | .. | 96 | .. | 73 |
| Springs, laminated and other types | .. | 127 | .. | 213 |
| Steel wire and wire manufactures (excluding insulated wires and cables) |  |  |  |  |
| Wire (single wire) | .. | 1 | .. | 401 |
| Wire manufactures (including wire cables and ropes and stranded wire of two or more ply) | .. | 57 | .. | 49 |
| Ferro-alloys | .. | 4 | . | 10 |
| Iron and steel scrap | .. | 33 | .. | 24 |
| Light metals and non-ferrous metals in all forms except finished parts, wire and scrap |  |  |  |  |
| Aluminium and aluminium alloys | 0.5 | 73 | .. | 72 |
| Brass and other copper alloys (including nickel silver and cupro-nickel, but excluding all other nickel alloys and cadmium copper) (a) | 0.9 | 319 | .. | 461 |
| Copper (including cadmium copper) (b) |  |  |  |  |
| Lead and alloys of lead (excluding solder) | .. | 171 | .. | 169 |
| Zinc and alloys of zinc |  |  |  |  |
| General chemicals (c) |  |  |  |  |
| Inorganic (including inorganic gases) |  |  | .. | 47 |
| Organic (including organic gases) | . | 57 | . | 14 |
| 0 ther (eg mixtures of inorganic and organic chemicals) |  |  | . | 13 |

TABLE 10 (cont inued)


TABLE 10 (continued)

|  | 1963 |  | 1968 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Quantity | Cost | Quantity | Cost |
| Materials for use in production (continued) |  | £'000 |  | £'000 |
| Replacement parts for firms' own machinery, plant and vehicles, and accessories and consumable tools bought as replacement |  |  |  |  |
| Tyres and other spare parts for firms' own road goods vehicles |  | 718 | . | 31 |
| 0 ther |  |  |  | 747 |
| All other materials for use in production |  | 3,584 |  | 2,833 |
| Packaging materials |  |  |  |  |
| Paper and board |  |  |  |  |
| Boxes, cartons, drums and canisters (with or without metal ends) of paper, cardboard and fibreboard | .. | 11 | . | 27 |
| Timber |  |  |  |  |
| Containers wholly or mainly of wood (including plywood boxes and drums) baskets and wickerwork crates | .. | 49 | .. | 78 |
|  | Th.cu.ft. |  | Th.cu.ft. |  |
| Timber (sawn or planed) for manufacture into packing cases, etc | 81.7 | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 9 \end{array}$ | \} 103 | 42 |
| All other packaging materials |  | 14 | . | 40 |
| Fuel and electricity (d) | Th.tons |  | Th.tons |  |
| Coal | 13.3 | 74 | 20.5 | 129 |
| Coke (including screenings) and manufactured fuel | 6.7 | 66 | 3.4 | 34 |
|  | Th.gal. |  | Th.gal. |  |
| Derv fuel and motor spirit for use in road vehicles | 404 | $\begin{aligned} & 89 \\ & 14 \end{aligned}$ | \} 995 | 230 |
| Other liquid fuels (including creosotefpitch mixtures, etc and liquefied petroleum gases | 1,295 | $\begin{aligned} & 55 \\ & 11 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 1,526$ | 78 |
|  | Th.therms |  | Th, therms |  |
| Gas | 1,407 | 105 23 | \} 2,544 | 209 |
|  | Th.kWh $61,457$ |  | $\begin{array}{\|c} \text { Th.kWh } \\ 61,240 \end{array}$ |  |
| Electricity |  | 94 |  | 142 |
| All other fuels |  | (e) |  | 20 |
| Total cost of materials and fuel |  | 30,208 |  | 44,054 |
| Goods purchased for merchanting |  | 2,976 |  | 5,968 |
| Canteen purchases |  | 138 |  | 179 |
| Total cost of purchases |  | 33,322 |  | 50,200 |

(a) For 1963 cadmium copper was not specifically excluded
(b) For 1963 cadmium copper was not specifically included but blister was excluded.
(c) For 1963 described as 'Heavy chemicals'
(d) The total quantity of electricity generated in establishments employing 25 or more persons in this
(e) Not recorded separately for 1963.

| TABLE 11 Transport costs and employme 1963 and 1968 | arger | ablishm |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom |  |  |  |
|  | Unit | 1963 | 1968 |
| Average number mainly employed on transport | No. | 226 | 246 |
| Transport costs |  |  |  |
| Wages and salaries | $£^{\prime} 000$ | 175 | 279 |
| Derv fuel and motor spirit | " | 103 | 230 |
| Tyres and other spare parts for road goods vehicles | " |  | 31 |
| Payments to other organisations for transport $\quad\left\{\begin{array}{l}\text { by road } \\ \text { by rail and ot her } \\ \text { means excluding } \\ \text { postal services }\end{array}\right.$ | " | 544 | 646 79 |
| Costs of operating road goods vehicles |  |  |  |
|  | " | 13 | 21 |
| Vehicle licences | " | 11 | 27 |
| Depreciation | " | 68 | 102 |
| Payments to other organisations for repairs and maintenance |  | 47 | 42 |
| Total | " | 961(a) | 1,457 |

(a) Excluding tyres and other spare parts for road goods vehicles, not
collected separately for 1963 ,

> | TABLE $12 \begin{array}{l}\text { Payments for certain services, etc by } \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \text { Estaber establishments employing } 25 \text { or more persons: } \\ \text { Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- |



[^1]TABLE 13 Percentage analysis of twelve-month periods covered by returns from larger establ ishments, 1968
Establishments employing 25 or more persons:
Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

| Year ended | Percentage <br> of <br> total returns <br> received | Percentage <br> of <br> total number <br> employed |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1968 | Per cent. | Per cent. |
| April (a) | 1.4 | 0.2 |
| May | 4.2 | 1.5 |
| June | 5.6 | 1.7 |
| July | 4.2 | 1.7 |
| August | 2.8 | 0.7 |
| September | 15.5 | 17.8 |
| October | 4.2 | 9.3 |
| November | 1.4 | 0.5 |
| December | 31.1 | 21.2 |
| 1969 |  |  |
| January | 5.6 | 4.1 |
| February | 1.4 | 0.2 |
| March | 19.8 | 40.7 |
| April (b) | 2.8 | 0.4 |

(a) From 6 April.
(b) To 5 April.


[^0]:    (a) Amounts charged for hiring out plant, machinery or other goods, for providing transport,

[^1]:    (a) No deduction is made for these payments to arrive at the figures
    of net output given in this report.
    (b) For details given in this report.
    (c) Excluding telex for 1963.

