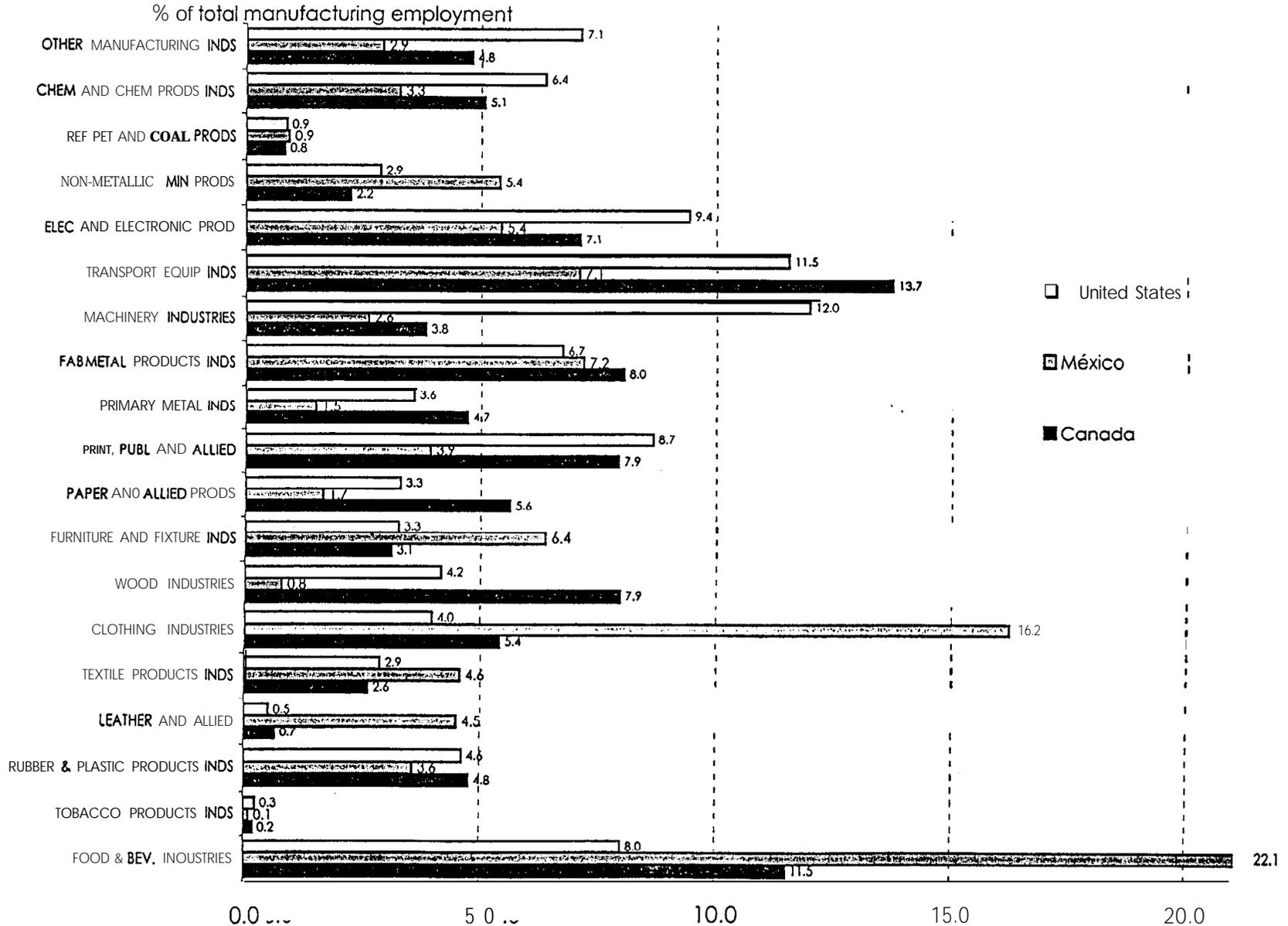


Graph 7A

Distribution of Employment in the Manufacturing Industry in North America, 1998.



Note: information for Mexico 1995-1998 data. Canada and Mexico figures include workers 15 years of age and older; United States figures include workers 16 years of age and older.

Source: Canada, Statistics Canada, Labor Force Survey; Mexico; STPS-INEGI, Encuesta Nacional de Empleo; United States, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population