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Industrial monitor on CD-ROM

April 1997

Industrial monitor on CD-ROM offers data on 165 manufacturing industries and 33 non-manufacturing industries covering construction, wholesale and retail trade. This up-to-date information is offered on 24 sectors, and can be purchased by individual sector or as a complete package.

For each industry, up to 50 variables are organized in the "table viewer" in five table types, including supply, demand, price, labour/employment and investment/ capital stock. The underlying database is also available via the "series browser" for more extensive time series analysis and inter-industry comparisons.

Industrial monitor on CD-ROM is linked to the Standard industrial classification manual, provides "pop-up" textual descriptions for every series and embodies consistent data conventions — all features designed to make analysis easy and accurate. State-of-the-art functions offer searching, graphing, viewing, exporting and transforming capabilities, providing you with the exact information you require quickly and easily.

The April 1997 issue of *Industrial monitor on CD-ROM* is now available. The full package (15F0015XCB) costs \$3,000, a savings of more than 40% over the annual subscription price of \$250 per individual sector. You will receive an updated CD-ROM once each month.

For further information on this release, or to request a demonstration CD-ROM, contact Milt Ingalls (613-951-9060), Industry Measures and Analysis Division, or your nearest Statistics Canada Regional Reference Centre.

Construction type plywood

February 1997

Construction type plywood produced in February 1997 totalled 144 055 cubic metres, a decrease of 5.5% from the 152 482 cubic metres produced in February 1996.

Production in January and February 1997 totalled 293 560 cubic metres, a decrease of 5.3% from the 309 920 cubic metres produced during the same period in 1996.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 122 (level 1).

The February 1997 issue of the *Construction type plywood* (35-001-XPB, \$6/\$60) will be available shortly. For more information on this release, contact Ted Brown (604-666-3694), Pacific Region.

Sawmills and planing mills

January 1997

Sawmills produced 5 141.3 thousand cubic metres of lumber and ties in January 1997, an increase of 3.3% from the 4 974.9 thousand cubic metres (revised) produced in January 1996.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 53, 122 (series 2).

The January 1997 issue of *Sawmills and planing mills* (35-003-XPB, \$11/\$110) will be available shortly.

For more information on this release, contact Gilles Simard (613-951-3516; Internet: *simales@statcan.ca*), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division.

Survey of Canada's Tourist Attractions

Data are now available from the Survey of Canada's Tourist Attractions.

For further information on this release, contact Michel Cormier (613-951-3239), Small Business and Special Surveys Division, or Donna Owens (613-954-3872), Canadian Tourism Commission.

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