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Industrial chemicals and synthetic resins December 1997

Chemical firms produced 197 540 tonnes of polyethylene synthetic resins in December, up 7.1% from 184 365 tonnes in December 1996.

For January to December 1997, production totalled 2 189 582 metric tonnes, down 2.4% from 2 194 064 metric tonnes a year earlier.

Data are also available on production of 3 other types of synthetic resins and 24 industrial chemicals.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 951.

The December 1997 issue of *Industrial chemicals* and synthetic resins (46-002-XPB, \$7/62) will be available shortly. See *How to order publications*.

For further information on this release, contact Suzette DesRosiers (613-951-9836; Internet: desrosi@statcan.ca), Manufacturing, Contruction and Energy Division.

National Private Vehicle Use Survey 1994 and 1995

Data are now available from the revised file of the 1994 National Private Vehicle Use Survey as well as the 1995 survey. Information in the 1994 microdata file refers

The survey provides measures of vehicle-fuel use and the determinants of fuel use. The microdata file provides information on the size of the personal-use vehicle fleet, the amount of fuel used, the number of

to personal-use vehicles operated during the fourth

quarter of 1994 and the 1995 file refers to personal-

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For further information on this release, contact Stephen Arrowsmith (613-951-0566), Special Surveys Division.

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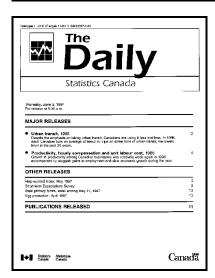
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