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### Steel primary forms

Week ending January 8, 2000 (preliminary)

Steel primary forms production for the week ending January 8, 2000 totalled 312 133 tonnes, up 11.2% from the week-earlier 280 606 tonnes and up 15.2% from the year-earlier 270 809 tonnes. The cumulative total at the end of the week was 352 219 tonnes, up 6.1% compared with 306 563 tonnes for the same period in 1999.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Greg Milsom (613-951-7093; [milsomg@statcan.ca](mailto:milsomg@statcan.ca)), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division. ■

### Oils and fats

November 1999

Production of all types of deodorized oils in November totalled 103 040 tonnes, a 3.6% decrease from 106 873 tonnes in October. Year-to date production for November 1999 was 1 030 807 tonnes, down 9.8% compared with 1 142 520 tonnes for the same period in 1998.

Domestic sales of deodorized margarine oil totalled 10 812 tonnes in November. Sales of deodorized shortening oil reached 29 519 tonnes and deodorized salad oil sales amounted to 32 914 tonnes.

**Available on CANSIM: matrix 185.**

The November 1999 issue of *Oils and fats* (32-006-XIB, \$5/\$47) is now available. See *How to order publications*.

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