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Crushing statistics

February 2000

Canadian oilseed processors crushed 231 914 metric tonnes of canola in February, according to the monthly survey of crushing plants. Oil production totalled 97 409 tonnes, and meal production amounted to 144 052 tonnes.

In the first seven months of the 1999/2000 crop year, 1 763 342 tonnes of canola were crushed, an 11% decline from the 1 976 463 tonnes crushed in the same seven months of 1998/99.

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The February issue of *Cereals and oilseeds review* (22-007-XPB, \$15/\$149) will be released in May. See *How to order publications*.

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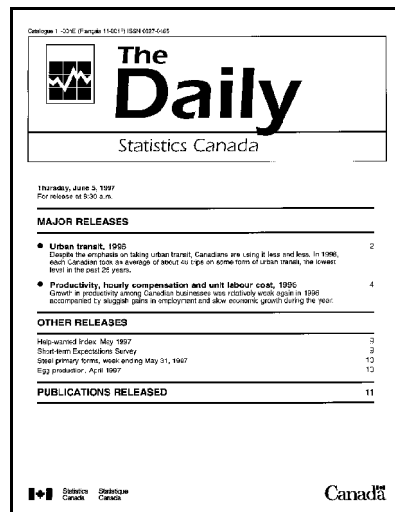
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