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Light bulbs and tubes

March 2000

Light bulb and tube manufacturers sold 22.2 million light bulbs and tubes in March, a decrease of 14.3% from 25.9 million in March 1999.

Year-to-date sales at the end of March totalled 68.3 million light bulbs and tubes (revised), a decrease of 3.5% from the 70.8 million in the same period of 1999.

The March 2000 issue of *Electric lamps, light bulbs* and tubes (43-009-XIB, \$5/\$47) is now available. See *How to order publications*.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Russell Kowaluk (613-951-0600; *kowarus@statcan.ca*), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division.

Civil aviation operating statistics

February 2000

Air Canada reported a 4% increase in their total passenger-kilometres in February, and Canadian Airlines saw a 3% rise. (All data referred to are seasonally adjusted.)

Available on CANSIM: matrix 385 (series 1 to 6).

The February operational data on civil aviation for Air Canada and Canadian Airlines will appear in the May issue of *Aviation service bulletin* (51-004-XIB, \$8/\$82). A print-on-demand service is also available. See *How to order publications*.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Robert Lund (613-951-0125), Aviation Statistics Centre, Transportation Division.

Electric lamps

First quarter 2000

Data on manufacturers' imports, production and inventories of electric lamps for the first quarter are now available.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Russell Kowaluk (613-951-0600; *kowarus@statcan.ca*), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division.

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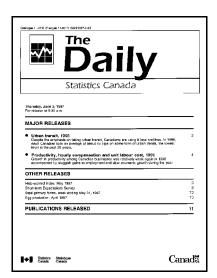
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