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Annual Survey of Manufacturers

1999

The Annual Survey of Manufacturers provides information on more than 250 different industries. Data for the industries listed in the following table are now available for Canada.

Value of shipments

	North American Industry Classification System	1998	1999	1998 to 1999
		\$ mill	ions	% change
Industry Seafood product preparation and packaging Commercial bakeries and frozen bakery product	311710	3,018.2	3,192.6	5.8
manufacturing Sawmills (except shingle and shake mills)	311814 321111	2,135.2 16,019.7	2,236.3 17,202.6	4.7 7.4

Available on CANSIM: table 3010003.

Data for the industries listed in the table will appear in *Manufacturing industries of Canada: National and provincial areas* (31-203-XPB, \$68). Research papers on manufacturing are available on Statistics Canada's Web site (*www.statcan.ca*). From the *Our products and services* page, choose *Research papers (free)*, then *Manufacturing*.

То order data. for general information, or to enquire about the concepts. methods or data quality of this release, contact the dissemination officer (1-866-873-8789; 613-951-9497; manufact@statcan.ca), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division.

Steel wire and specified wire products July 2001

Shipments of steel wire and specified wire products totalled 54 311 metric tonnes in July, down 21.8% from 69 421 tonnes in July 2000. Production and export market data for selected commodities are also available.

Available on CANSIM: table 3030010.

The July 2001 issue of *Steel wire and specified wire products*, Vol. 56, no. 7 (41-006-XIB, \$5/\$47) is now available. See *How to order products*.

For general information or to order data, contact the dissemination officer (1-866-873-8789; 613-951-9497; *manufact@statcan.ca*). To enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact David Routliffe (613-951-4925; *david.routliffe@statcan.ca*), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division.

Air fare statistics

Third quarter 1999 (preliminary)

The average domestic air fare (all types) paid by passengers in the third quarter of 1999 was a record \$214, up 9.0% from the third quarter of 1998 and 2.6% above the previous record of \$208 in the second quarter of 1999. This was the tenth consecutive quarterly increase in average fares in the domestic sector, erasing the effect of seven consecutive quarterly decreases in 1995 and 1996.

The average international air fare was \$387 in the third quarter of 1999, up 2.7% from the third quarter of 1998, but down 7.6% from the record average international fare of \$419 reached in the third quarter of 1994. Fares in the international sector have remained relatively stable for five consecutive quarters.

In the third quarter of 1999, 90.4% of passengers on domestic scheduled services flew on discount fares, up 1.7 percentage points from 88.7% in the third quarter of 1998.

On international scheduled services, 92.2% of passengers travelled on discount fares, up 1.2 percentage points from the third quarter of 1998.

Preliminary estimates are now available for the third quarter of 1999. Information on the types of fares used by passengers is based on data from four Canadian Level I air carriers (AirBC, Air Canada, Canadian Airlines International Ltd. and Canadian Regional Airlines) and from three Level II carriers (Air Nova, Air Ontario and Inter-Canadien). Average domestic air fares for 10 major Canadian cities are available on CANSIM.

Available on CANSIM: table 4010003.

The September 2001 issue of *Aviation service bulletin* (51-004-XIB, \$8/\$82) will be available soon. See *How to order products*. A print-on-demand service is also available.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Bradley Snider (613-951-0071; *bradley.snider@statcan.ca*), Transportation Division.

National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth: Third cycle 1999

Data for the education component of the third cycle of the National Longitudinal Survey of Children and Youth (NLSCY), conducted in 1999, are now available. The NLSCY, developed jointly by Human Resources Development Canada and Statistics Canada, is a comprehensive survey that follows the development of children in Canada, and paints a picture of their lives. Available today are the data from the principal's questionnaire. Data are available for custom tabulations only.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Stephanie Lalonde (613-951-1892; stephanie.lalonde@statcan.ca), Special Surveys Division, Valerie Peters (613-951-9165; or valerie.peters@statcan.ca) Education Centre for Statistics.

NEW PRODUCTS

Steel wire and specified wire products, Vol. 56, no. 7, July 2001 Catalogue number 41-006-XIB (\$5/\$47).

Coal and coke statistics, Vol. 80, no. 7, July 2001 Catalogue number 45-002-XIB (\$9/\$85).

Electric power statistics, Vol. 69, no. 7, July 2001 Catalogue number 57-001-XIB (\$9/\$85).

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