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### Production and disposition of tobacco products

March 2001

Both sales and production of cigarettes by tobacco product manufacturers advanced in March; sales showed stronger growth than did production. Inventories rose slightly.

During March, 4.1 billion cigarettes were sold, an increase of 14% over February and of 22% over March 2000. Year-to-date sales, at 10.9 billion cigarettes, were up 5% compared with the first three months of 2000.

March production expanded to 4.0 billion cigarettes from February's 3.7 billion, an 8% increase and the same production level seen in March 2000. For the first three months of 2001, total production was 10.6 billion cigarettes, or 7% behind that of the first three months in 2000.

Inventories gained 4% to close at 4.2 billion cigarettes at the end of March. This was 16% below closing inventories at the end of March 2000.

**Available on CANSIM: table 3030007 and matrix 46.**

With the release of CANSIM II, users can now obtain the same data as in CANSIM, but in a table format that is easier to use and more clearly presented.

The March 2001 issue of *Production and disposition of tobacco products* (32-022-XIB, \$5/\$47) will be available shortly. See *How to order products*.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Peter Zylstra (613-951-3511; [zylspet@statcan.ca](mailto:zylspet@statcan.ca)), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division. ■

### Pulpwood and wood residue statistics

February 2001

Pulpwood receipts in February totalled 4 243 901 cubic metres, up 0.5% from 4 224 339 cubic metres

in February 2000. Wood residue receipts were 7 075 529 cubic metres in February, down 1.6% from 7 191 329 cubic metres in February 2000. Consumption of pulpwood and wood residue totalled 9 486 779 cubic metres, down 1.2% from 9 604 339 cubic metres in February 2000.

The closing inventory of pulpwood and wood residue was 15 619 570 cubic metres, up 1.1% from 15 455 254 cubic metres in February 2000.

Data for 2000 were revised.

**Available on CANSIM: table 3030008 and matrix 54.**

With the release of CANSIM II, users can now obtain the same data as in CANSIM, but in a table format that is easier to use and more clearly presented.

The February 2001 issue of *Pulpwood and wood residue statistics* (25-001-XIB, \$6/\$55) is now available. See *How to order products*.

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### Aircraft movement statistics

November 2000

Aircraft movement statistics are now available. The number of take-offs and landings at the 100 Canadian airports with Nav Canada air traffic control towers and flight service stations totalled 486,655 in November 2000, down 6.5% from November 1999.

Statistics for the 110 Canadian airports without air traffic control towers are also available.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Jim Hines (613-951-0134; fax: 613-951-0010; [aviationstatistics@statcan.ca](mailto:aviationstatistics@statcan.ca)), Transportation Division. ■

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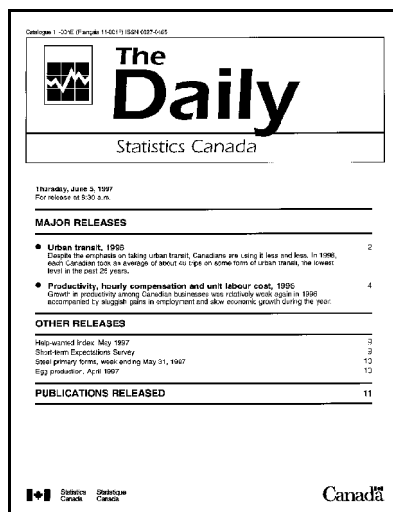
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