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## OTHER RELEASES

### Domestic sales of refined petroleum products

June 2001 (preliminary)

Sales of refined petroleum products totalled 7 656 400 cubic metres in June, down 2.1% from June 2000. Sales decreased for five of the seven major product groups. The largest drop was in the all other refined products category (-139 300 cubic metres or -16.1%). Diesel fuel oil sales fell (-66 800 cubic metres or -3.4%), light fuel oil sales dropped (-28 000 cubic metres or -14.6%), but heavy fuel oil sales rose (+58 000 cubic metres or +9.7%) compared with June 2000.

### Sales of refined petroleum products

	June 2000 <sup>r</sup>	June 2001 <sup>p</sup>	June 2000 to June 2001 % change
	thousands of cubic metres		
<b>Total, all products</b>	<b>7 819.4</b>	<b>7 656.4</b>	<b>-2.1</b>
Motor gasoline	3 296.2	3 340.4	1.3
Diesel fuel oil	1 953.0	1 886.2	-3.4
Light fuel oil	192.2	164.2	-14.6
Heavy fuel oil	598.0	656.0	9.7
Aviation turbo fuels	527.0	503.3	-4.5
Petrochemical feedstocks <sup>1</sup>	387.5	380.1	-1.9
All other refined products	865.5	726.2	-16.1

	Jan. to June 2000 <sup>r</sup>	Jan. to June 2001 <sup>p</sup>	Jan.-June 2000 to Jan.-June 2001 % change
<b>Total, all products</b>	<b>45 140.3</b>	<b>46 516.4</b>	<b>3.0</b>
Motor gasoline	18 499.5	18 770.1	1.5
Diesel fuel oil	11 282.0	11 090.6	-1.7
Light fuel oil	2 775.1	2 991.0	7.8
Heavy fuel oil	3 186.8	4 335.7	36.0
Aviation turbo fuels	2 891.4	2 855.1	-1.3
Petrochemical feedstocks <sup>1</sup>	2 207.7	2 267.9	2.7
All other refined products	4 297.8	4 206.0	-2.1

<sup>r</sup> Revised data.

<sup>p</sup> Preliminary data.

<sup>1</sup> Materials produced by refineries that are used by the petrochemical industry to produce chemicals, synthetic rubber and a variety of plastics.

Motor gasoline sales were up 44 200 cubic metres, or 1.3%, from June 2000. Sales of premium motor gasoline rose 2.0%, and sales of regular non-leaded motor gasoline grew 1.7%.

Year-to-date sales of refined petroleum products to the end of June were up 1 376 100 cubic metres, or 3.0%, over the same period in 2000. Sales increased in four of the seven major product groups; the largest advances were in heavy fuel oil (+1 148 900 cubic metres or +36.0%), motor gasoline (+270 600 cubic metres or +1.5%) and light fuel oil (+215 900 cubic metres or +7.8%),

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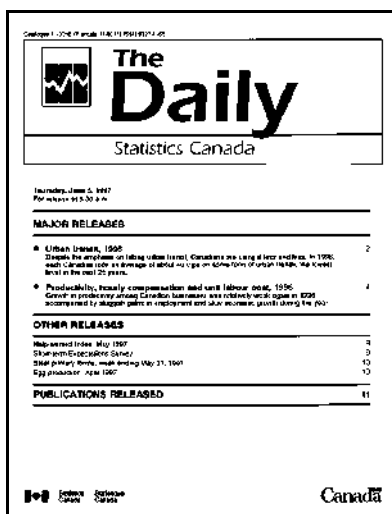
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