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Airport activity

2007 (preliminary)

Air passenger traffic at Canadian airports increased 4.4% in 2007, while the total number of enplaned/deplaned passengers stood at 106.1 million. Passenger traffic has shown an increasing trend since 2003.

All sectors (domestic, transborder, and other international) experienced growth in passenger traffic in 2007, with the other international sector (+6.0%) posting the largest increase.

In 2007, 10 of the 13 provinces and territories experienced growth in domestic passenger traffic.

Three provinces accounted for 72.6% of all domestic passenger traffic: Ontario (28.7%), British Columbia (22.2%), and Alberta (21.7%).

Cargo tonnages loaded and unloaded at Canadian airports increased by 12.9% in 2007.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey numbers, including related surveys, 2701, 2704 and 2705.

The *Air Carrier Traffic at Canadian Airports Report*, 2007 (51-203-XWE, free), will soon be available.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Client Services (toll-free 1-866-500-8400; transportationstatistics@statcan.gc.ca), Transportation Division. ■

Domestic and international shipping

2006 (preliminary)

Canadian ports handled 466.3 million metric tonnes of cargo in 2006, down 1.1% from 2005. Both international and domestic sectors were responsible for the decrease.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey numbers, including related surveys, 2751 and 2791.

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Fertilizer Shipments Survey

2008/2009 (first quarter)

Data from the Fertilizer Shipments Survey for the first quarter of the fertilizer year 2008/2009 are now available.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 5148.

Custom tables are subject to confidentiality constraints and are structured on a cost-recovery basis.

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Vocational education expenditures

2004/2005

Data are now available for vocational education expenditures for 2004/2005.

Available on CANSIM: tables 478-0005 and 478-0006.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey numbers, including related surveys, 3140 and 3146.

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The largest export supplier with the rest of the world (on a seasonally adjusted basis) increased sharply to \$5.5 billion in the first quarter of 2008, led by higher prices for several exported commodities combined with a larger export deficit in the financial account. Foreign direct investment flows into Canada slowed significantly from the acquisition-driven pace of the previous quarter, while Canadian direct investment abroad continued to strengthen.	
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2006 Census profiles

Within the inclusion of the income and earnings release components, the complete cumulative profile is now available for census divisions, census subdivisions, dissemination areas, forward sortation areas, designated places, urban areas, and census metropolitan areas and census agglomerations with census subdivisions. To obtain these profiles in electronic format (only vary for different geography levels), contact Statistics Canada's National Contact Centre.



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