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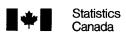
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Domestic sales of refined petroleum products

January 2009 (preliminary)

Sales of refined petroleum products in January totalled 8 336.0 thousand cubic metres, 3.5% lower than the same month a year earlier. (One cubic metre equals a thousand litres.)

Sales fell in five of the seven major petroleum product groups. The decline was led by a 54.2% or 215.5 thousand cubic metre drop in petrochemical feedstocks. Sales rose in heavy fuel oil by 14.1% or 74.1 thousand cubic metres.

Motor gasoline sales were down by 0.2% or 5.9 thousand cubic metres from January 2008. Regular unleaded gasoline, which represented

about 91% of total gasoline sales in January 2009, increased by 0.01%. Sales of premium unleaded increased by 7.6% while mid-grade gasoline fell by 37.2%.

Note: Preliminary domestic sales of refined petroleum products data are not available on CANSIM.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 2150.

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Sales of refined petroleum products

	January 2008 ^r	January 2009 ^p	January 2008 to January 2009
	thousands of cubic metre	s	% change
Total, all products Motor gasoline	8 642.2 3 403.2	8 336.0 3 397.3	-3.5 -0.2
Diesel fuel oil Light fuel oil Heavy fuel oil	2 308.4 530.7 525.3	2 214.4 555.6 599.4	-4.1 4.7 14.1
Aviation turbo fuels Petrochemical feedstocks ¹ All other refined products	551.0 551.0 397.6 926.0	599.4 516.1 182.1 871.0	-6.3 -54.2 -5.9

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Production of eggs and poultry

January 2009 (preliminary)

Egg production totalled 48.9 million dozen in January, down 1.4% from January 2008.

Poultry meat production totalled 98.5 million kilograms, down 2.0% compared with January 2008.

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^{1.} Materials produced by refineries that are used by the petrochemical industry to produce chemicals, synthetic rubber and a variety of plastics.

New products

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