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### 1. Summary of Imports, June 1970 - Advance information

During June, Canada's imports increased to a value of \$1,302,280,000 from \$1,264,882,000 in the same month of 1969 and \$984,349,000 in 1968. January-June imports increased to \$7,208,503,000 in 1970, from \$7,068,801,000 in 1969 and \$6,010,904,000 in 1968.

	J	une	January-June	
	1969	1970	1969	1970
		(\$ th	ousands)	
SELECTED COUNTRIES				
United States	905,989	941,052	5,248,961	5,288,656
United Kingdom	87,022	66,922	405,404	371,565
Japan	38,076	47,989	219,748	273,535
Germany, West	35,589	29,052	163,132	168,588
Venezuela	28,036	29,429	168,817	166,067
Australia	7,514	27,207	38,968	73,014
France	13,762	12,690	71,023	71,884
Italy	12,239	10,472	66,173	71,403
Sweden	6,479	7,882	43,629	46,391
Netherlands	6,467	6,567	37,106	40,087
Switzerland	6,386	8,515	38,938	39,828
Hong Kong	6,378	7,112	33,391	38,636
Mexico	6,284	4,296	39,509	32,636
ALL COUNTRIES	1,264,882	1,302,280	7,068,801	7,208,503
SELECTED COMMODITIES				
Food, feed, beverages and				
tobacco	97,403	103,567	460,493	506,538
Coffee	7,229	6,597	37,231	44,180
Sugar, raw	5,066	10,937	22,606	27,511
Crude materials, inedible	92,233	116,701	507,070	562,267
Crude petroleum	28,267	33,403	195,620	205,439
Coal	11,898	17,442	30,321	39,038
Aluminum ores, concentrates				
and scrap	10,138	11,753	47,857	52,713
Fabricated materials, inedible	257,714	267,354	1,403,660	1,445,565
Fuel oil	13,293	11,547	54,068	47,882
Organic chemicals	11,235	11,852	66,924	66,330
Plate, sheet and strip, steel.	9,932	12,951	61,689	71,621
Plastics materials, not shaped	10,004	9,885	57,455	56,911
End products, inedible	799,491	798,617	4,587,026	4,606,326
Motor vehicle parts, except				
engines	151,412	156,817	907,613	896,686
Sedans, new	88,966	103,597	508,428	434,698
Aircraft, complete with engines	3,631	15,183	144,312	183,448
Motor vehicle engines	32,419	29,843	160,869	147,194
Trucks, truck tractors and				
chassis	23,165	25,060	129,322	133,175
Electronic computers	13,274	13,330	76,331	97,218

Further information will be contained in the DBS publication Summary of Imports (65-004, 20¢/\$2.00).

Travel Between Canada, the United States and Other Countries, May 1970 (66-001, 20c/\$ 2.00)

In May, 2,996,300 visitors entered Canada from the United States, up 2.1% from May 1969. A total of 3,137,900 Canadian residents returned from the United States, representing an increase of 1.9%.

A total of 2,270,300 vehicles crossed between Canada and the United States, 1.5% more than in the same month last year. Of this number, 1,108,500 were non-resident vehicles entering Canada and 1,161,700 were Canadian vehicles returning from trips to the United States, increases of 1.7% and 1.3% respectively.

3. Non-Resident Vehicles Entering Canada, July 1970 (66-002, 10¢/\$1.00)

A total of 2,043,461 vehicles registered in other countries entered
Canada in July 1970, an increase 4.3% over the 1969 total of 1,958,571.
Vehicles remaining one or more nights increased by 11.5% to 902,166, from
808,824 in June 1969. During the seven-month period, total entries rose
by 4.4% to 7,122,741 from 6,822,839 and vehicles staying one night or more
climbed by 8.8% to 2,133,553 from 1,960,283.

#### AIR CHARTER

4. International Air Charter Statistics, January-March 1970 (51-003, 50c/\$2.00)

This quarterly publication contains a review of air charter operations between Canada and other countries by 10 Canadian carriers and about 100 foreign carriers.

The publication has been designed to meet a wide range of information needs arising out of dynamic developments in this field - it is estimated, for example, that some 40% of North Atlantic passenger air traffic in 1969 was carried by charter carriers.

Main features are:

Four double-scale charts summarizing important current factors in international air charter activity.

Statistical information hitherto unknown or not readily available, but of significant analytical value to an air carrier or regulatory agency. Cross-reference tables designed for easy reference and proper identification and interpretation of the data.

5. Weekly Railway Carloadings, Week ended August 21, 1970 - Published only in DBS Daily and Weekly

Revenue freight carloadings during the week ended August 21 totalled 74,575, up 11.8% from 66,708 in the comparable week of 1969. Loadings in Eastern Canada were up 11.1% to 45,855 cars while loadings west of the Lakehead climbed 12.9% to 28,720.

Year-to-date carloadings were up 5.5% to 2,427,219 from 2,300,781 in the 1969 period. Eastern loadings rose 4.5% to 1,488,614 cars, while western loadings climbed 7.0% to 938,605.

#### Railway Carloadings of Revenue Freight in Canada

			Year	East	West	Canada
7-day Period						
ending August 21						
All traffic	-	cars	1970	45,855	28,720	74,575
All traffic	-	cars	1969	41,263	25,445	66,708
All traffic	-	tons	1970	2,512,311	1,475,126	3,987,437
Piggyback traffic	-	cars	1970	2,799	1,338	4,137
Piggyback traffic	-	tons	1970	55,331	30,970	86,301
Year-to-date						
All traffic	-	cars	1970	1,488,614	938,605	2,427,219
All traffic	-	cars	1969	1,423,973	876,808	2,300,781*
All traffic	-	tons	1970	80,082,997	48,923,024	129,006,021
Piggyback traffic	-	cars	1970	88,931	45,597	134,528
Piggyback traffic	-	tons	1970	1,648,795	932,305	2,581,100

<sup>\*</sup> Revised

Further information will be released in the monthly publication Carloadings (52-001, 20c/\$2.00).

#### CANADIAN CITIZENSHIP

### 6. Canadian Citizenship Statistics, 1969 (91-205, 50c)

In 1969, certificates of Canadian citizenship were granted to 59,900 persons. This was slightly less than the 60,055 certificates granted in 1968, and just short of the 59,968 certificates granted in 1967.

Over 49% of the persons naturalized in 1969 resided in Ontario, slightly less than the 51% in 1968. Quebec's representation rose to 21.7% in 1969 from 20.6% in 1968 and British Columbia increased to 15.4% from 12.4% in 1968. The Prairies decreased to 11.6% in 1969 from 13.4% in 1968. The Atlantic Provinces dropped very slightly from 1.8% to 1.6% and the Territories remained the same at 0.2%. Almost 71% of persons naturalized in 1969 had arrived in Canada in the years 1956-1965 and the provincial distribution of 1,282,000 immigrants arriving in that period was 53% to Ontario, 22% to Quebec,12% to the Prairies, 11% to British

### CANADIAN CITIZENSHIP (concluded)

Columbia and 2% to the Atlantic Provinces. The distribution of these immigrants now applying for citizenship is fairly similar.

Only 11% of the persons granted Canadian citizenship in 1969 lived in rural areas. Of the 30,486 males naturalized in 1969, 18,565 or 61% were married. The wives of 3,183 or 17% were Canadian citizens by birth and the wives of 1,405 or 7% had been naturalized previously.

In 1969, the largest percentage (29%) or 17,240 of the 59,900 persons naturalized had been citizens of British Commonwealth countries. Former citizens of Italy were the next largest group at 8,241, a 14% drop from the 9,301 naturalized in 1968.

#### EDUCATION

#### 7. Advance Statistics of Education, 1970-71 (81-220, 50c)

Canada will pay about 14% more for education in 1970-71 than in the past school year, an estimated \$7.6 billion versus \$6.7 billion. With an expected enrollment of approximately 6.3 million full-time students (an increase of less than 2%), the average cost per student would rise about 12% to more than \$1,200.

Part of the rise in cost per student is caused by faster growth, at higher, more expensive levels of education. Enrollment in elementary schools is expected to increase by only 0.1% to 4,062,120 pupils; in secondary schools by 4.0% to 1,706,620 students; and in post-secondary institutions by 10.1% to 528,510 students.

The growth in secondary and post-secondary enrollment is larger than would be expected from population age-group statistics, suggesting that the drop-out rate is lower than in the past few years.)

A degree of relief from the pressure of constantly increasing student enrollment is indicated by a drop of nearly 1% in the number of children expected to enter kindergarten - 355,800 this year versus 358,950 last year. While this decrease is small, it is a significant change from the 11% to 14% increases experienced in each of the past five years. It reflects a sharp drop in birth rate which started in 1965, and will affect school enrollment throughout the predictable future.

At the beginning of the school year, 16,294 educational institutions are expected to be in operation (up 3.7% from last year), staffed by 310,715 full-time instructors (a 4.3% increase).

#### SERVICES

8. Restaurant Statistics, July 1970 (63-011, 10c/\$1.00)

July restaurant receipts increased by 3.3% over July 1969 to \$112,209,000. Chain restaurants received \$13,523,000 while independent establishments received \$98,686,000. The highest rise was in Manitoba (8.5%).

9. Statistical Report on the Operation of the Unemployment Insurance Act, June 1970 (73-001, 20c/\$2.00)

The 138,205 unemployment insurance claims filed in Canada during June, was 51% more than were filed in June 1969. Alberta showed an increase of 122%, and British Columbia 109%.

The average weekly estimate of beneficiaries in June was 22% greater than in June 1969 (254,300 compared to 208,100). The June 1970 figure however, was 51% less than the May 1970 estimate of 529,600. The May-June decrease resulted from the cessation of seasonal benefit in mid-May as well as from the usual summer trend toward a decrease in regular beneficiaries. Benefit payments totalled \$40.5 million in June 1970, \$74.4 million in May 1970, and \$26.5 million in June 1969. Average benefit payments for these three months were \$35.40, \$35.12 and \$31.83 respectively.

#### COMMUNITY ANTENNA TELEVISION

Total operating revenue in the community antenna television industry rose by 19.5% in 1969 to \$37.4 million from \$31.3 million. Monthly service charges accounted for \$33.4 million or 89.3% of the total operating revenue. Total operating expenses increased by \$4.9 million to \$31.3 million from \$26.4 million. This rise was mainly caused by an increase of \$2.2 million for salaries, wages and bonuses. However, total operating revenue exceeded these expenses, resulting in a net operating profit of \$6.1 million for 1969, an increase of \$1.2 million from the net operating profit earned in 1968.

Further information will be reported in the DBS publication Community Antenna Television, 1969 (56-205, 50¢).

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### ENERGY

- Refined Petroleum Products, June 1970 Advance information

  Canadian refineries produced 36,759,025 barrels of refined petroleum products in June 1970, an increase of 8.4% over June 1969. Further information will be contained in the DBS publication Refined Petroleum Products (45-004, 30c/\$3.00).
- Coal and Coke Statistics, June 1970 Advance information

  Coal production in June 1970 increased by 78.8% to 1,238,452 tons, from 692,782 tons in June 1969. Landed imports decreased to 2,245,119 tons compared with 2,249,558 tons in June 1969. Consumption by the industry increased by 87,159 tons of coal (to 1,112,331 tons) and by 693 tons of coke (to 535,012 tons).

Further information will be contained in the DBS publication Coal and Coke Statistics (45-002, 20¢/\$2.00).

#### 13. New Motor Vehicle Sales, July 1970 - Advance information

Passenger cars from overseas captured another 4.8% of the Canadian new car market in July. Almost a quarter (24.7%) of all new cars sold in July were overseas imports, up from about one-fifth (19.9%) in June. Their share of the dollar volume was 18.8% up from 14.7% a month earlier.

Purchasers paid an average of \$2,540 for imported cars in July (up from \$2,518 in June) while purchasers of Canadian and U.S. cars paid \$3,598 (down from \$3,629 in the previous month). These figures do not include trade-in allowances.

July 1970 sales of overseas cars reached 13,055 units -- 19.2% more than in July 1969 -- with sales of Canadian and U.S. cars dropping 12.1% to 30,838. Dollar value, excluding trade-in allowances, of overseas car sales jumped 24.9% above July 1969 to \$33,165,000, while that of Canadian and U.S. cars declined 11.4% to \$143,348,000.

January-through-July sales of overseas cars reached 81,489, valued at \$203,751,000. These figures are higher than the comparable figures for 1969 by 20.4% and 24.0% respectively. Year-to-date total for North American cars was 312,814, valued at \$1,134,698,000 representing drops of 21.1% and 20.7% compared with the first seven months of 1969.

In total, 64,957 new motor vehicles of all types and makes were sold in July, valued at \$234.8 million. Compared with July 1969 sales, the number of units sold decreased 6.5% and the value 6.1%.

Further information will be contained in the DBS publication New Motor Vehicle Sales, July 1970 (63-007, 20¢/\$2.00).

#### ALCOHOL.

## 14. Distilled Beverage Spirits and Industrial Ethyl Alcohol, June 1970 (32-021, 10c/\$1.00)

The June opening inventory of beverage spirits and ethyl alcohol in process was 189,744,263 proof gallons, and of finished goods of own manufacture, was 27,685,025 proof gallons. The closing inventory of goods in process was 190,715,147 proof gallons and of finished goods, 28,468,728 proof gallons.

#### MANUFACTURING

# 15. Production of Steel Ingots, Week ended September 5, 1970 - Advance information

Steel ingot production for the week ended September 5, totalled 217,366 tons, a decrease of 0.8% from the preceding week's total of 219,191 tons. The comparable week's total in 1969 was 81,437 tons. The index of production based on the average weekly output during 1957-1959 of 96,108 tons equalling 100 was 226 in the current week, 228 a week earlier and 85 one year ago.

- 16. Soaps and Synthetic Detergents, June 1970 (46-003, 10¢/\$1.00)

  Canadian manufacturers sold 4,627,721 pounds of toilet soap bars on the domestic market in June 1970, compared to 4,298,408 pounds in June 1969. Excluding automatic dishwasher products, 17,614,294 pounds of granular synthetic detergents and 7,634,579 pounds of light duty liquid detergents were sold through direct retail sales,compared with 18,125,730 pounds of granular and 6,718,451 pounds of liquid in June 1969.
- Asphalt and Vinyl-Asbestos Floor Tile, July 1970 (47-001, 10¢/\$1.00)
  The 2,679 tons or 6,071,559 square feet of vinyl-asbestos floor tile produced in July was a sharp decrease from the 5,242 tons or 10,943,865 square feet produced in July 1969. For the January-July period, production dropped to 40,770 tons or 87,863,919 square feet compared to 55,194 tons or 119,835,409 square feet in 1969.

18. Consumption, Production and Inventories of Rubber, July 1970 - Advance information

July production of rubber decreased by 5.6% to 34,915,000 pounds from 36,990,000 pounds in July 1969. For the January-July period, production increased by 1.9% to 287,041,000 pounds from 281,578,000 in 1969. July 1970 consumption of rubber was 34,000,000 pounds was 9.3% more than the 31,106,000 pounds consumed a year earlier. For the year to date, consumption increased by 5.7% to 263,834,000 pounds from 249,527,000 in 1969.

Further information will be contained in the DBS publication Consumption, Production and Inventories of Rubber (33-003, 20¢/\$2.00).

- Hardboard, July 1970 (36-001, 10c/\$1.00)

  Canadian manufacturers shipped 52,260,270 square feet of hardboard (1/8 inch basis) compared to 52,222,562 square feet in July 1969.

  January-July shipments totalled 327,923,489 square feet (357,932,735 square feet in 1969).
- Radio and Television Receiving Sets, June 1970 (43-004, 20¢/\$2.00)

  Domestic sales of radio receiving sets decreased to 82,412 units in June 1970 from 84,950 units in June 1969. For the first half of 1970, they dropped to 387,420 from 552,877. June sales of television receiving sets, fell to 40,113 units from 42,279 in June 1969 and during the half-year, to 220,275 units from 256,590.

Out of the total of 40,113 sets sold in June, 13,600 were color sets and during the year to date, 78,062 color sets were sold.

21. Stoves and Furnaces, June 1970 (41-005, 20¢/\$2.00)

Shipments of 30,255 electric cooking stoves or ranges with ovens were made in June 1970, while the January-to-June shipments totalled 180,864 units.

Canadian manufacturers shipped 10,631 warm air furnaces (gravity or forced air) in June 1970 bringing the year-to-date total to 52,585 units.

22. Mineral Wool, June 1970 (44-003, 10c/\$1.00)

Canadian factories shipped 606,205 cubic feet of granulated and bulk or loose wool in July 1970 and produced 487,656 cubic feet. For the January-to-July period of 1970, shipments totalled 3,714,678 cubic feet and the production was 4,133,228 cubic feet.

#### AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

23. Jams, Jellies and Marmalades, Second Quarter 1970 - Advance information Canadian factories sold 7,945,029 pounds of pure jams, 7,787,479 pounds of pectin jams, 2,023,180 pounds of compound jams, 2,428,154 pounds of jellies and 4,297,000 pounds of marmalade on the domestic market in the second quarter of 1970.

This information will be contained in the DBS publication Fruit and Vegetable Preparations (32-017, 25¢/\$1.00).

24. Oils and Fats, July 1970 - Advance information

During July, 13,120,000 pounds of margarine were sold in retail sales of 20 pounds and less (12,974,000 pounds in July 1969); 2,231,000 pounds of shortening, baking and frying oils and fats (2,336,000 pounds) and 3,685,000 pounds of salad oil (3,308,000). In commercial sales, 406,000 pounds of margarine were sold (544,000 pounds in July 1969); 12,889,000 pounds of shortening, baking and frying oils and fats (12,582,000 pounds) and 1,434,000 pounds of salad oil (1,166,000 pounds).

Further information will be contained in the DBS publication Oils and Fats (32-006, 20c/\$2.00).

25. Production of Eggs, July 1970 (23-003, 10c/\$1.00)

Canadian egg production rose by 3.7% to 40,835,000 dozen in July 1970 from 39,380,000 in July 1969. The average number of layers was up 3.0% to 27,153,000 from 26,358,000 and the number of eggs per 100 layers increased 0.7% to 1,805 from 1,793. The farm price of eggs sold for market was down 13.7% to 32.7 cents per dozen from 37.9 cents per dozen in July 1969.

#### SERVICE BULLETINS

#### 26. Service Bulletins

Energy Statistics, Vol. 5, No. 68: Principal Statistics for the Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas Industry (S.I.C. 064), 1967, by Provinces; Oil Pipe Line Transport, June 1970

Vol. 5, No. 69: Refined Petroleum Products, June 1970; Coal and Coke Statistics, June 1970

Vol. 5, No. 70: Preliminary Propane Statistics, March 1969 and March 1970 (57-002, \$5.00 a year)

Fish Freezings and Stocks, British Columbia, Ontario and Prairies, July

Advance Release of Fish Landings, British Columbia, July 1970 Leaf Tobacco Acreage, Production and Value, 1969 Production and Disposition of Tobacco Products, July 1970

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#### 27. Summarized before in the Weekly

Fish Freezings and Stocks, June 1970 (24-001, 20¢/\$2.00)
Monthly Review of Canadian Fisheries Statistics, June 1970 (24-002, 30¢/\$3.00)

Foundation Garment Industry, 1968 (34-212, 25¢) Sporting Goods and Toy Industry, 1968 (47-204, 50¢)

The Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas Industry, 1967 (26-213, 50c)

Narrow Fabric Mills, 1968 (34-207, 25c)

Miscellaneous Metal Fabricating Industries, 1968 (41-228, 50c)

Communications Equipment Manufacturers, 1968 (43-206, 50c)

Provincial Government Finance, Revenue and Expenditure, 1967 (Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1968) (68-207, \$1.00)

Quarterly Shipments of Selected Furniture Products, Quarter ended March 31, 1970 (35-005, 25c/\$1.00)

Trade of Canada - Summary of Foreign Trade, June 1970 (65-001, 10c/\$1.00)

Building Permits, May 1970 (64-001, 30¢/\$3.00)

Shipping Statistics, June 1970 (54-002, 20¢/\$2.00)

Airport Activity Statistics, 1969 (51-203, 75¢)

Trade of Canada - Imports by Commodities, June 1970 (65-007, 75¢/\$7.50)

Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas Production, December 1969 (26-006, 20c/\$2.00)

Footwear Statistics, June 1970 (33-002, 20¢/\$2.00)

Credit Statistics, June 1970 (61-004, 20c/\$2.00)

Estimates of Labour Income, April and May 1970 (72-005, 20c/\$2.00)

Specified Domestic Electrical Appliances, June 1970 (43-003, 10c/\$1.00)

Motor Carriers - Freight Quarterly, January to March 1970 (35-005, 25c/\$1.00)

New Motor Vehicle Sales, 1969 (63-208, 50c)

Manufacturers of Household Radio and Television Receivers, 1968 (43-205, 50c)

Veneers and Plywood Mills, 1968 (35-206, 50c)

Oils and Fats, June 1970 (32-006, 20¢/\$2.00)

Ornamental and Architectural Metal Industry, 1968 (41-221, 50c)

Preliminary Bulletins: 1969 Annual Census of Manufactures: Vegetable Oil Mills (32-223-P);

1968 Annual Census of Manufactures: Miscellaneous Textiles Industry, N.E.S. (34-210-P); Cotton Yarn and Cloth Mills (34-205-P), \$3.50 for annual series on manufacturing industries.

Field Crop Reporting Series, No. 17: August Forecast of Production of Principal Field Crops

