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Also included in this issue is information on **federal expenditures in support of education and training** and the **short-term expectations survey**.

Demand for Workers Recovering

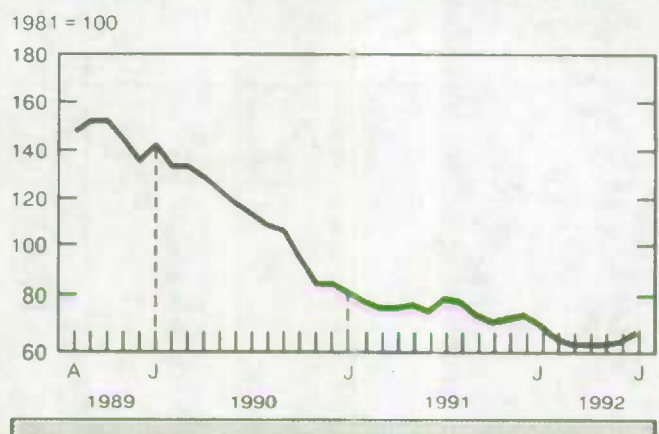
The Help-wanted Index (1981 = 100) advanced four points in July to 67. The index serves as an early indicator of demand for workers by monitoring changes in the number of help-wanted advertisements published in 20 major metropolitan areas. The index is recovering from an eight-year low recorded from March to May 1992.

From June to July, small decreases occurred in the Atlantic provinces (down from 92 to 90) and in the Prairie provinces (down from 43 to 42). Increases were recorded in Québec (up 14% to 80), Ontario (up 9% to 64) and British Columbia (up 1% to 70).

Year-to-year in July, demand for workers was down in all regions, falling 19% in the Prairie provinces, 17% in the Atlantic provinces and British Columbia, 14% in Ontario, and 7% in Québec. Nationally, the index was 14% lower than it was a year earlier.

For further information, contact Labour Division at (613) 951-4045.

Help-wanted Index, Canada



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Slow But Steady Growth for Leading Indicator

In May, the composite leading indicator rose 0.1% for the fifth consecutive month. Housing and exports continued to account for most of the growth, while demand for durable goods and services weakened. Of the 10 leading indicators, four were up and four declined.

The housing index, which gained 1.3% for a third consecutive monthly increase, propelled growth in household demand and led to increases in furniture and appliance sales (0.4%). However, sales of other durable goods recorded an eighth straight drop, down 0.3% in May, as auto sales remained weak.

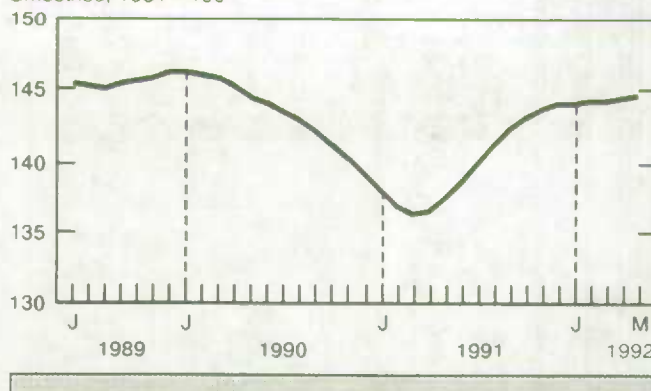
Demand for business and personal services continued to slide at an average rate of 0.7% in each of the past three months.

In manufacturing, new orders for durable goods fell 0.7% in May, the largest drop since February, with only three of the nine components recording increases. The ratio of shipments to inventories was unchanged: manufacturing shipments fell at the same rate as inventories.

In the financial markets, the TSE300 stock price index fell for the third straight month. The money supply grew 0.1%, after posting 0.4% and 0.5% growth in the two previous months.

Composite Leading Indicator

Smoothed, 1981 = 100



The U.S. leading indicator continued to pick up in May, confirming the steady gains in Canadian exports.

For further information, order *Canadian Economic Observer* (catalogue number 11-010) or contact Current Economic Analysis Division at (613)951-3627. (See also "Current Trends" chart on page 9.)

Wages and Salaries Show Gain

Following a 0.3% increase in April, seasonally adjusted aggregate wages and salaries in May were \$28.9 billion, up 0.6% from the revised April figure of \$28.7 billion. May's level represented an increase of 2.4% from that of the same period last year.

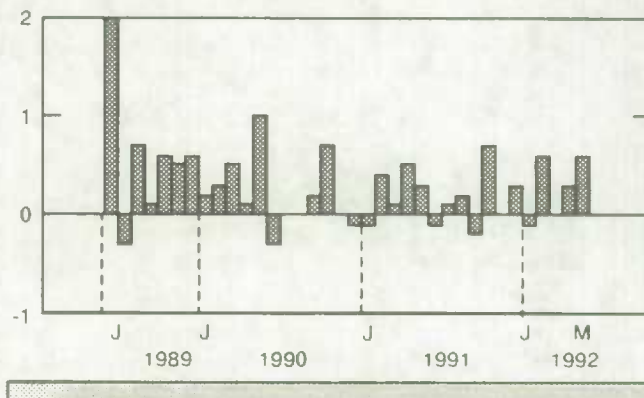
Wages and Salaries, May 1992

Seasonally Adjusted

Province	Wages and Salaries (millions of \$)	% change, previous month	% change, previous year
Canada	28,892	0.6	2.4
Newfoundland	376	-2.8	-2.1
Prince Edward Island	91	1.0	3.1
Nova Scotia	723	-0.2	1.3
New Brunswick	579	-0.4	2.6
Quebec	6,537	0.5	1.7
Ontario	12,145	0.6	1.3
Manitoba	939	-0.3	2.4
Saskatchewan	729	-0.4	3.4
Alberta	2,916	0.7	3.2
British Columbia	3,656	1.3	4.2

Wages and Salaries

% change, previous month



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... Wages and Salaries Show Gain

Of the 14 industry groups, 11 registered increased aggregate wages and salaries in May. Among them were construction (2.8%), health and welfare services (1.1%), finance, insurance and real estate (0.8%) and education and related services (0.6%). Wages and salaries rose for the second consecutive month in manufacturing (0.7%), mines, quarries and oil wells (0.6%), trade (0.9%), commercial and personal services (0.8%) and forestry (1.0%).

Real Gross Domestic Product Takes a Step Down

Real gross domestic product at factor cost declined 0.1% in May following four consecutive monthly gains. Goods production dropped 0.5% following a marginal gain in April, but services output gained 0.1%, its fifth consecutive monthly increase.

Manufacturing, mining and utilities accounted for most of the downturn in goods-producing industries. Increased output in agriculture and logging industries partly offset these decreases.

Within manufacturing, refined petroleum and coal products dropped 6.1%, wood products fell 2.2% and output of transportation equipment fell 1.8%. For the petroleum and coal products industry, the latest monthly drop was the largest since May 1989. Declines in exports and lower sales by service stations accompanied shutdowns for maintenance work to produce the slump. Transportation output fell as motor vehicle assemblers slashed output by 8.5%, in response to weak North American sales. Higher output of aircraft and railroad rolling stock partly offset these losses. In the wood products industry, despite May's drop, production was still 6.3% above its recent trough in January 1991.

Mining output fell 1.1%, mainly because of curtailed coal production resulting from labour disputes in British Columbia. Gold production was also down as prices for gold remained weak.

In contrast to gains in the previous four months, utility output fell 0.6%, led by a drop of 2.9% in gas distribution. Lower output of electric power also contributed to the loss.

The downturn in the goods-producing industries was offset by a 0.1% gain in service industries. This gain followed advances of 0.3% in March and 0.2% in April. In the business services sector, finance, insurance and real estate advanced 0.4% as activity by investment companies and stock exchanges

The federal administration and other government grouping continued to see declining wages and salaries, down 2.1% in May following a 1.5% drop in April.

Wages and salaries rose in five of the 10 provinces, and fell in five others.

For further information, order *Estimates of Labour Income* (catalogue number 72-005) or contact Labour Division at (613) 951-4051.

Gross Domestic Product Output by Sector

Index (January 1990 = 100)



picked up. Community, business and personal services rose 0.5%. Wholesale trade advanced 0.7%, following a marginal increase in April, as five of 11 trade groups recorded higher sales.

The gains in business services were mitigated by declines within other parts of the sector. Transportation and storage dropped 1.3%; retailers suffered a 0.8% drop following a comparable increase in April, with 13 out of 18 store types recording lower sales; and reversing the previous month's result, communications output fell 0.8%. Canada Post accounted for most of the loss, followed by telecommunications carriers, whose output fell due to a drop in long-distance calling.

For further information, order *Gross Domestic Product by Industry* (catalogue number 15-001) or contact Industry Measures and Analysis Division at (613)951-9164. (See also "Current Trends" chart on page 9.)

PROVINCIAL PERSPECTIVES: BUILDING PERMITS

Building Permits, May 1992

Unadjusted Data

Province/Territory	Total		Residential		Non-residential	
	(\$ millions)	% change, previous year	(\$ millions)	% change, previous year	(\$ millions)	% change, previous year
Canada	2,857.4	-5.5	1,879.5	-3.1	977.8	-9.7
Newfoundland	34.4	-12.4	24.2	-20.4	10.2	14.8
Prince Edward Island	11.8	-34.6	9.9	20.6	1.9	-81.0
Nova Scotia	64.8	9.7	49.3	2.2	15.6	43.3
New Brunswick	70.7	23.0	45.9	21.7	24.8	25.5
Quebec	625.1	-7.5	434.6	-1.8	190.5	-18.4
Ontario	964.1	-20.3	660.9	-16.9	303.2	-26.8
Manitoba	65.6	49.0	43.5	34.1	22.1	91.0
Saskatchewan	30.7	14.3	16.8	55.0	13.9	-13.3
Alberta	272.9	2.9	191.2	22.9	81.7	-25.4
British Columbia	699.2	13.4	395.2	5.7	304.0	25.3
Yukon	6.5	17.7	5.1	62.5	1.4	-41.4
Northwest Territories	11.5	88.0	2.8	8.9	8.7	146.9

All Regions Intend Increased Construction Activity

Following a 13.7% downturn in April, the seasonally adjusted value of building permits issued across Canada in May increased to \$2,429 million, up 19.4%. Compared to the same period last year, building permits issued in May were 3.8% higher. The total for the period January-May 1992 was 8.3% higher than the total recorded between January-May 1991.

The value of residential building permits was up 12.3% in May. Growth in the multi-family dwelling sector was strong at 23.2%. The balance, taken up by the single-family dwelling sector, was achieved at a rate of increase of 8.0%.

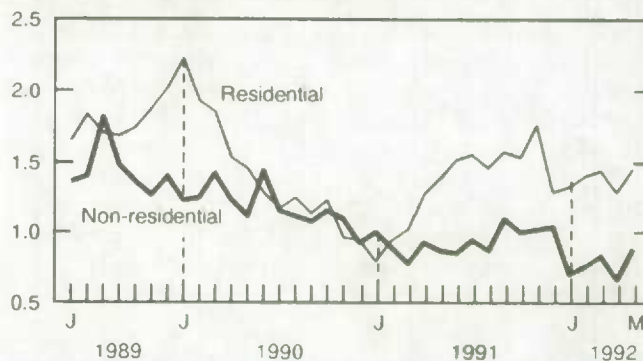
All regions reported increases of at least 9.4% in the value of residential building permits issued in May. For the second consecutive month, the Atlantic region reported a monthly increase in excess of 25% (26.4% in April and 25.5% in May).

Advance estimates for June indicate that the value of residential building permits issued in Canada declined to \$1,449 million, down 1.8% from the revised value for May of \$1,475 million. The revision to May's seasonally adjusted figure is due to the inclusion of additional data for June's advance estimate.

The value of non-residential building permits issued in May jumped 32.9%. This rate of increase in the value of non-residential building permits

Building Permits

Billions of dollars, seasonally adjusted



represented a four-year high. All three components of the non-residential sector were on the rise: commercial projects jumped 38.1%, institutional projects increased 33.2%, and industrial projects were up by 14.2%.

In the non-residential sector as well, all regions reported increases, ranging from 22.7% in the Prairies to 44.1% in Québec.

For further information, order *Building Permits* (catalogue number 64-001) or contact Investment and Capital Stock Division at (613)951-2025.

Mixed Optimism Among Canadian Manufacturers

According to a survey conducted in July, the seasonally adjusted balance of Canadian manufacturers' opinions on their expected volumes of production for the third quarter, new orders, and finished products inventories improved relative to the situation in April. However, concern remained high for levels of unfilled orders. In all four areas, outlooks were improved from where they stood in July 1991.

After three quarters with negative balances, the balance of opinion about the expected volume of production over the next three months climbed 10 points and reached +8. This balance was made up by 32% of manufacturers responding that they expected higher volumes of production, minus 24% who indicated that they expected lower volumes of production.

Canadian manufacturers' balance of opinion regarding new orders improved slightly compared to the last survey in April, but remained negative, as it has done since the second quarter of 1989. The proportion who reported that orders received were about the same fell 18 percentage points, to 47%. Those who stated that orders received were on the rise made up 22% (an increase of 11 points). However, another 31% (up seven points from April's figure) noted that new orders were declining. The improvement in manufacturers' opinion on new orders was mainly due to increased orders received in the paper and allied products industries and in the wood industries.

Business Conditions Survey

July 1992

	1991		1992		
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
Balance of opinion* on:					
Production	3	-1	-12	-2	8
New orders	-14	-8	-20	-13	-9
Unfilled orders	-50	-30	-51	-27	-30
Inventories	-25	-18	-31	-30	-17

* The balance between the proportion of positive responses, such as higher volumes of production and negative responses, such as lower volumes of production.

The balance of opinion concerning the backlog of unfilled orders took a downward step of three points in July after a significant improvement in April. Of those surveyed, the percentage reporting lower than normal backlogs remained just about constant at 40%, but only 10% had higher than normal backlogs, a four-point drop. The transportation equipment industry accounted for most of the decrease.

The percentage of manufacturers who thought their level of finished products inventories was about right rose five points to 69%. The proportion of manufacturers who thought their finished product inventories were too high was 24% and only 7% thought they were too low. Although the balance remained negative, it was the highest it has been since it posted an equivalent -17 in the last quarter of 1989.

For further information, contact Industry Division at (613)951-3507.

Education and Training Spending Increases in 1991-92

Federal spending in support of education and training reached an estimated \$7.7 billion in 1991-92. This was an increase of 8.3% over the previous year, compared to the 6.1% increase in overall government spending (excluding debt charges).

During the period 1982-83 to 1991-92, federal government spending in support of education and training increased by an average annual rate of 6.7%, while total spending increased by 5.2%.

After reaching a high of 7.3% in 1985-86, the proportion of the federal budget dedicated to education and training declined to 6.7% in 1991-92 (6.6% in 1990-91).

For further information, contact Education, Culture and Tourism Division at (613) 951-1668.

June Exports Forecast to Remain Unchanged

First conducted in April 1990, the short-term expectations survey canvasses a group of about 23 economists every month for their forecasts of key economic indicators. This month the participants provided their forecasts for four indicators.

The yearly increase in the Consumer Price Index for July was forecast at a mean of 1.2% (minimum 0.9%, maximum 1.7%). In June, the mean forecast overestimated the outcome of 1.1% by 0.2 percentage points.

The mean forecast for the unemployment rate for July was 11.5% (minimum 11.0%, maximum 11.7%). The survey respondents underestimated the

unemployment rate for June by 0.5 percentage points.

June merchandise exports were forecast to be \$12.9 billion (minimum \$12.6 billion, maximum \$13.2 billion). Merchandise imports were forecast at \$11.9 billion (minimum \$11.5 billion, maximum \$12.2 billion). The mean forecast for May exports matched the outcome (also matched for April exports), while imports were overestimated by \$0.5 billion.

Gross Domestic Product was forecast to have increased 0.2% in May. Statistics Canada announced on July 31 that the preliminary estimate for May's change in GDP was -0.1%.

For further information, contact Diane Lachapelle at (613)951-0568.

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Agricultural Profile of British Columbia – Part 1 (Electronic Product)	1991	95-393D	78	103	128
Agricultural Profile of Canada – Part 1 (Electronic Product)	1991	95-350D	68	93	118
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Agricultural Profile of Prince Edward Island – Part 1 (Electronic Product)	1991	95-310D	60	85	110
Agricultural Profile of Québec – Part 1	1991	95-335	47	56	66
Agricultural Profile of Québec – Part 1 (Electronic Product)	1991	95-335D	94	119	144
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INDUSTRY					
Asphalt Roofing	June 1992	45-001	5/50	6/60	7/70
Consumption of Containers and Other Packaging Supplies by the Manufacturing Industries	1989	31-212	26	31	36
Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas	April 1992	26-006	10/100	12/120	14/140
Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries	June 1992	43-005	5/50	6/60	7/70
Gas Utilities	February 1992	55-002	12.70/127	15.20/152	17.80/178
Production and Inventories of Process Cheese and Instant Skim Milk Powders	June 1992	32-024	5/50	6/60	7/70
Production of Selected Biscuits	January-June 1992	32-026	6.75/13.50	8.10/16.20	9.45/18.90
Wholesale Trade	May 1992	63-008	14.40/144	17.30/173	20.20/202
INTERNATIONAL TRADE					
Exports by Commodity	May 1992	65-004	55.10/551	66.10/661	77.10/771
Imports by Commodity	May 1992	65-007	55.10/551	66.10/661	77.10/771
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To order, contact any Statistics Canada Regional Reference Centre. For further information, contact Lynda Kemp, Census of Agriculture (613) 951-8711 or toll-free 1-800-465-1991.

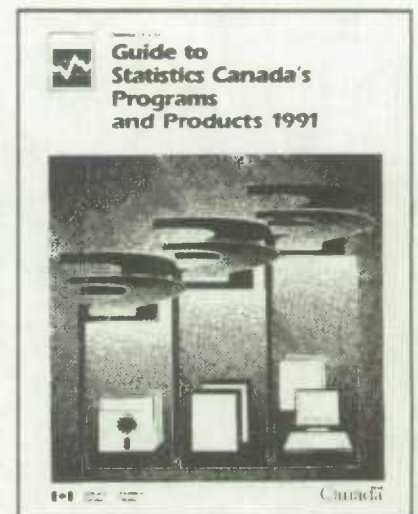


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The new *Guide to Statistics Canada's Programs and Products 1991*, describes the Agency's survey activities and statistical programs and their products, drawing upon information that is maintained in a data base described as the Statistical Data Documentation System.

The information provided in this publication gives an indication of the nature and content of the different surveys and statistical programs, including their frequency and coverage, the main topics covered and the availability of the data produced. An alphabetical index allows users to acquaint themselves with the range of information available and to identify the survey or statistical program through which it is collected or compiled.

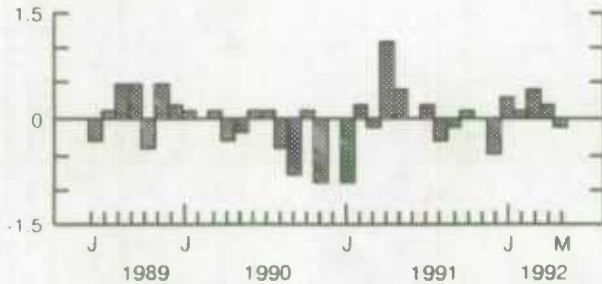
The Guide to Statistics Canada's Programs and Products, 1991 (catalogue number 12-575E) is now available. For further information, contact Lyn Wilson, Standards Division (613) 951-3449.



CURRENT TRENDS

Gross Domestic Product

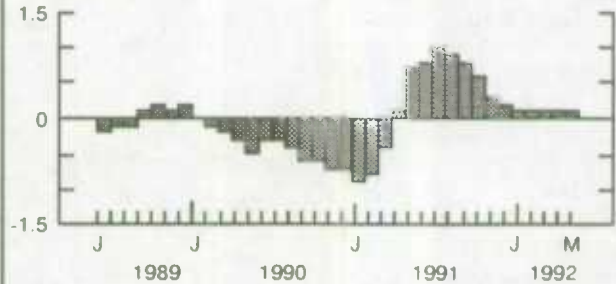
% change,
previous month



Real gross domestic product at factor declined 0.1% in May after four consecutive monthly gains.

Composite Leading Indicator

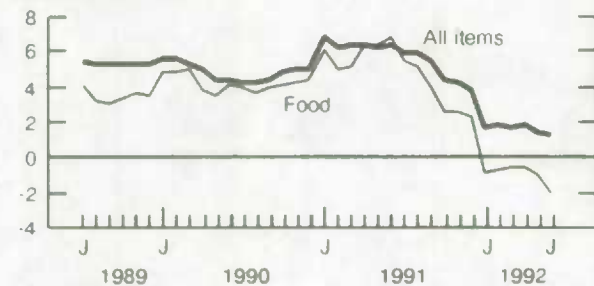
% change,
previous month



The composite leading indicator posted a fifth straight increase of 0.1% in May.

Consumer Price Index

% change,
previous year



In June, the year-over-year increase in the all-items CPI stood at 1.1%, while the food index declined by 2.2%.

Unemployment Rate

%



The unemployment rate rose 0.4 percentage points in June to 11.6, nearly an eight-year high.

Manufacturing

Billions
of dollars



Canadian manufacturers' shipments dropped 0.5% in May to \$23.0 billion. Unfilled orders fell by 2.3% to \$21.7 billion.

Merchandise Trade

Billions
of dollars



In May, the seasonally adjusted value of imports decreased by \$440 million while that of exports rose by \$100 million.

Note: All series are seasonally adjusted except the consumer price index.

LATEST MONTHLY STATISTICS

	Period	Level	Change Previous Period	Change Previous Year
GENERAL				
Gross Domestic Product (\$ billion, 1986)	May*	505.6	-0.1%	0.2%
Composite Leading Indicator (1981 = 100)	May*	144.5	0.1%	5.2%
Operating Profits of Enterprises (\$ billion)	1st Quarter	10.4	5.1%	-11.9%
DOMESTIC DEMAND				
Retail Trade (\$ billion)	May	15.1	-0.7%	-1.1%
New Motor Vehicle Sales ('000 units)	May	98.3	-1.1%	-11.4%
LABOUR				
Employment (millions)	June	12.2	0.2%	-0.9%
Unemployment Rate (%)	June	11.6	0.4	1.1
Participation Rate (%)	June	65.8	0.4	-0.7
Labour Income (\$ billion)	May*	32.4	0.4%	2.9%
Average Weekly Earnings (\$)	April	545.85	0.4%	3.2%
INTERNATIONAL TRADE				
Merchandise Exports (\$ billion)	May	12.9	0.8%	10.1%
Merchandise Imports (\$ billion)	May	11.7	-3.6%	6.4%
Merchandise Trade Balance (\$ billion)	May	1.2	0.54	0.49
MANUFACTURING				
Shipments (\$ billion)	May	23.0	-0.5%	-1.6%
New Orders (\$ billion)	May	22.5	-2.4%	-2.3%
Unfilled Orders (\$ billion)	May	21.7	-2.3%	-11.4%
Inventory/ Shipments Ratio	May	1.49	0.01	-0.07
Capacity Utilization (%)	1st Quarter	69.8	-0.5	-0.4
PRICES				
Consumer Price Index (1986 = 100)	June	128.1	0.2%	1.1%
Industrial Product Price Index (1986 = 100)	June	108.7	0.0%	0.2%
Raw Materials Price Index (1986 = 100)	June	108.5	2.2%	5.1%
New Housing Price Index (1986 = 100)	May	134.2	0.1%	-0.1%

Note: All series are seasonally adjusted with the exception of average weekly earnings and the price indexes.

* New this week.

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