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## Employment Estimates from the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment, Payrolls and Hours

The Labour Force Survey (LFS) and the Survey of Employment, Payrolls and Hours (SEPH) are Canada's two sources of monthly employment data. These two surveys produce employment estimates that differ in level and occasionally in trend.

The feature article in the June issue of *The Labour Force* (71-001) looks at the reasons behind the difference. Concepts, coverage, methodology and other aspects of the two surveys are examined to show why the LFS comes up with higher employment estimates than SEPH.

Some factors are: SEPH surveys employers in both the private and public sectors while the LFS interviews Canadians at their dwellings. The LFS includes industries not covered by SEPH (agriculture, fishing and trapping, religious organizations and private household services). But SEPH covers the Yukon and Northwest Territories, and the LFS does not. Also, multiple jobholders and employees absent without pay are treated differently in the two surveys.

Order the June 1987 issue of *The Labour Force* (71-001, \$20/\$200), now available. Contact Henry Pold (613-991-4608), Labour and Household Surveys Analysis Division.

#### **Data Availability Announcements**

## **Telecommunications Statistics**First Quarter 1987

Teleglobe Canada and CNCP Telecommunications reported quarterly revenues totalling \$154.5 million in the first quarter of 1987, up 4.1% from the first quarter of 1986. Operating expenses were \$105.2 million, an increase of 1.3% over the same period in 1986. Net operating revenue was \$49.3 million, up 10.6% from \$44.6 million in the first quarter of 1986.

Order the Communications Service Bulletin, Telecommunications Statistics, First Quarter 1987 (56-001, \$6.50/\$39), scheduled for release the week of August 10. Contact J.R. Slattery (613-991-2205), Services Division.

### Telephone Statistics May 1987

Canada's 13 major telephone systems reported monthly revenues of \$893.2 million in May 1987, up 2.5% from May 1986.

Operating expenses were \$612.8 million, an increase of 3.8% over May 1986. Net operating revenue totalled \$280.4 million, a decrease of 0.1% from May 1986.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 355.

Order the May 1987 issue of *Telephone Statistics* (56-002, \$7.50/\$75), scheduled for release the week of August 3. Contact J.R. Slattery (613-991-2205), Services Division.

#### Imports by Commodity May 1987

Commodity-country import trade statistics for May 1987 are now available on microfiche, computer printouts or magnetic tapes in advance of the monthly publication.

Available on CANSIM (for selected information): matrices 3652-3678 and 3718.

Order the May 1987 issue of *Imports by Commodity* (65-007, \$50/\$500), available the second week of August. Contact Gordon Blaney (613-990-9647), International Trade Division.

#### Local Government Finance, Revenue and Expenditure 1984/1987

Actual data for 1984 and forecast data for 1987 are available at 10:00 today from matrices 2764-2776 of the CANSIM network.

Contact G. Huneault (613-991-1812), Public Institutions Division.

## Canned and Preserved Fruit and Vegetable Industry

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the canned and preserved fruit and vegetable industry (SIC 1031) totalled \$1,770.5 million, up 5.3% from \$1,681.9 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5383 and to be released shortly in catalogue 32-250B 1031. Commodity data for this industry will become available in September.

Contact Brian Preston (613-991-3511), Industry Division.

#### Feed Industry

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the feed industry (SIC 1053) totalled \$2,623.7 million, down 1.4% from \$2,660.2 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5389 and to be released shortly in catalogue 32-250B 1053. Commodity data for this industry will become available in September.

Contact Brian Preston (613-991-3511), Industry Division.

#### Footwear Industry

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the footwear industry (SIC 1712) totalled \$855.0 million, down 0.2% from \$856.5 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5421 and to be released shortly in catalogue 33-251B 1712. Commodity data for this industry will become available in August.

Contact Carla Mouradian (613-991-3510), Industry Division.

## Other Commercial Printing Industry

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the other commercial printing industry (SIC 2819) totalled \$3,751.3 million, up 11.2% from \$3,372.9 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5498 and to be released shortly in catalogue 36-251B 2819. Commodity data for this industry will become available in September.

Contact R. Wright (613-991-3514), Industry Division.

## Non-ferrous Metal Smelting and Refining Industries

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the non-ferrous metal smelting and refining industries (SIC 2950) totalled \$4,595.6 million, up 4.7% from \$4,382.7 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5511 and to be released shortly in catalogue 41-250B 2950. Commodity data for this industry will become available in August.

Contact Sharon M. Boyer (613-991-3520), Industry Division.

## Metal Dies, Moulds and Patterns Industry

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the metal dies, moulds and patterns industry (SIC 3062) totalled \$623.4 million, up 31.3% from \$474.9 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5532 and to be released shortly in catalogue 41-251B 3062. Commodity data for this industry will become available in August.

Contact Michel J. Cormier (613-991-3522), Industry Division.

## Other Manufactured Products Industry, n.e.c.

1985 Census of Manufactures

In 1985, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the other manufactured products industry, n.e.c. (SIC 3999) totalled \$832.2 million, up 16.3% from \$715.8 million in 1984.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 6897 and to be released shortly in catalogue 47-250B 3999. Commodity data for this industry will become available in September.

Contact R. Wright (613-991-3514), Industry Division.

#### **Publications Released**

Current Economic Indicators, Vol. 3, No. 6, April 1987. Catalogue number 13-005 (Canada: \$10/\$100; Other Countries: \$11/\$110).

Food Industries - Other Dairy Products Industries, 1985 Census of Manufactures. Catalogue number 32-250B 1049 (Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5).

Food Industries – Tea and Coffee Industry, 1985 Census of Manufactures.

Catalogue number 32-250B 1091 (Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5).

Rubber and Plastic Products Industries – Plastic Pipe and Pipe Fittings Industry, 1985 Census of Manufactures.

Catalogue number 33-250B 1621 (Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5).

Wood Industries - Prefabricated Wooden Buildings Industry, 1985 Census of Manufactures. Catalogue number 35-250B 2541 (Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5). Wood Industries - Wooden Door and Window Industry, 1985 Census of Manufactures. Catalogue number 35-250B 2543 (Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5).

Electrical and Electronic Products
Industries – Other Communication and
Electronic Equipment Industries,
1985 Census of Manufactures.
Catalogue number 43-250B 3359
(Canada: \$4, Other Countries: \$5).

Electrical and Electronic Products
Industries – Communications and Energy
Wire and Cable Industry,
1985 Census of Manufactures.
Catalogue number 43-250B 3381
(Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5).

Aviation Statistics Centre Service Bulletin, Vol. 19, No. 7, April 1987. Catalogue number 51-004 (Canada: \$8.50/\$85; Other Countries: \$9.50/\$95).

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