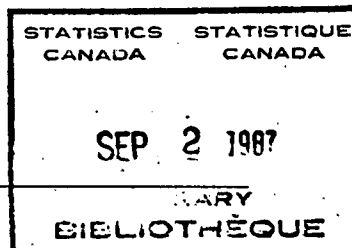


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## Major Releases

### Construction Union Wage Rate Index

July 1987

The Canada total Union Wage Rate Index (including supplements) for construction trades (1981 = 100) for July 1987 remained unchanged from the June 1987 level of 140.7. On a year-over-year basis, the 18-city Canada composite index increased by 4.1%.

In Saint John (New Brunswick) four trades received pay increases - carpenters, electricians, labourers and plumbers. These increments resulted in an increase of 1.9% from the previous month in the Saint John component although they were not sufficient to move the Canada total index.

The accompanying table presents indexes for 18 cities across Canada. Cities in Saskatchewan and Alberta are excluded from this table as no collective agreements have been signed for the majority of construction trades in these two provinces.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 400-405, 956 and 958.

Order the third quarter 1987 issue of *Construction Price Statistics* (62-007, \$15/\$60), available in December. Contact the Information and Current Analysis Unit (613-990-9607), Prices Division.

### Construction Union Wage Rate Indexes, Basic Rate plus Supplements

July 1987  
(1981 = 100)

	July 1987	June 1987	July 1986	% change	
				July 1987/ June 1987	July 1987/ July 1986
Canada	140.7	140.7	135.2	-	4.1
St. John's	142.7	142.7	134.2	-	6.3
Halifax	165.0	165.0	160.7	-	2.7
Saint John	144.0	141.3	134.7	1.9	6.9
Quebec City	142.5	142.5	131.5	-	8.4
Chicoutimi	141.8	141.8	131.0	-	8.2
Montreal	142.2	142.2	131.2	-	8.4
Ottawa	146.8	146.8	141.3	-	3.9
Toronto	142.3	142.3	137.4	-	3.6
Hamilton	142.8	142.8	137.7	-	3.7
St. Catharines	143.1	143.1	138.5	-	3.3
Kitchener	146.3	146.3	141.5	-	3.4
London	145.5	145.5	141.1	-	3.1
Windsor	142.4	142.4	138.1	-	3.1
Sudbury	144.2	144.2	139.7	-	3.2
Thunder Bay	143.2	143.2	138.7	-	3.2
Winnipeg	136.1	136.1	132.9	-	2.4
Vancouver	132.1	132.1	132.1	-	-
Victoria	132.1	132.1	132.1	-	-

- Nil or zero.

# **Real Gross Domestic Product at Factor Cost, by Industry**

June 1987 (Errata)

Please note the following changes to the above release published in the *DAILY* of Monday, August 31.

There is no change in the overall level and growth rates of total Real Gross Domestic Product at Factor Cost. These revised data have already been incorporated in the CANSIM data base and the printouts released on August 31.

## **Real Gross Domestic Product at Factor Cost by Industry, in 1981 Prices**

Seasonally Adjusted at Annual Rates

	1987					
	January	February	March	April	May	June
	(\$ millions)					
<b>Business Sector:</b>						
Mining, quarrying and oil well industries	20,996.0	20,844.8	20,962.4	20,814.8	20,990.0	21,591.2
Manufacturing industry	71,996.8	73,074.4	73,579.6	73,366.0	73,669.6	74,237.2
Community, business and personal services	37,763.4	37,997.2	38,043.8	38,018.6	38,110.7	38,254.7
<b>Special Aggregations:</b>						
Business sector:						
- goods	145,321.2	146,748.0	147,939.6	147,768.0	148,226.4	150,279.6
- services	160,768.2	163,170.4	164,077.4	165,338.6	165,250.7	165,848.3
Goods-producing industries	145,959.6	147,396.0	148,590.0	148,413.6	148,861.2	150,926.4
Services-producing industries	222,947.4	225,371.2	226,388.6	227,682.2	227,684.3	228,353.9
Industrial production	104,557.2	105,723.6	106,322.4	106,158.0	106,551.6	107,991.6
Non-durable manufacturing industries	32,338.0	32,710.0	33,006.4	32,836.0	32,866.0	32,933.2
Durable manufacturing industries	39,658.8	40,364.4	40,573.2	40,530.0	40,803.6	41,304.0

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## Data Availability Announcements

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### Government Revenue and Expenditure

Second Quarter 1987

Government revenue and expenditure detail by level of government on a national accounts basis for the quarter ended June 30, 1987 is now available.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 2711-2713.

Contact Dan Finnerty (613-991-1820), Public Institutions Division.

### Selected Financial Indexes

July 1987

July 1987 figures are now available for the selected financial indexes.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 412.

Order the third quarter 1987 issue of *Construction Price Statistics* (62-007, \$15/\$60), available in December. Contact the Information and Current Analysis Unit (613-990-9607), Prices Division.

### Footwear Statistics

July 1987

Canadian manufacturers produced 2,400,940 pairs of footwear in July 1987, a decrease of 15.5% from the 2,842,725<sup>r</sup> pairs produced a year earlier.

Year-to-date production for January to July 1987 totalled 22,891,969 pairs of footwear, down 10.8% from 25,671,999<sup>r</sup> pairs produced during the same period in 1986.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 8.

Order the July issue of *Footwear Statistics* (33-002, \$4/\$40), to be released the week of September 21. Contact Carla Mouradian (613-990-9834), Industry Division.

### Gypsum Products

July 1987

Manufacturers shipped 29 769 284 square metres of plain gypsum wallboard in July 1987, up 25.4% from the 23 731 371 square metres shipped in July 1986 but down 5.6% from the 31 519 483<sup>r</sup> (revised figure) square metres shipped in June 1987. Year-to-date shipments were 196 236 030 square metres, an increase of 19.5% over the January to July 1986 period.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 39 and 122 (series 11 and 12).

Order the July 1987 issue of *Gypsum Products* (44-003, \$4/\$40), to be released the week of September 14. Contact Sharon M. Boyer (613-991-3520), Industry Division.

### Cement

July 1987

Manufacturers shipped 1 347 995 tonnes of cement in July 1987, an increase of 20.4% from the 1 119 360 tonnes shipped a year earlier but a decrease of 1.0% from the 1 361 598 tonnes shipped in June 1987.

January to July 1987 shipments reached 6 461 659 tonnes, up 20.0% from the 5 383 642 tonnes shipped during the first seven months of 1986.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 92 and 122 (series 13).

Order the July 1987 issue of *Cement* (44-001, \$4/\$40), available the week of September 14. Contact Sharon M. Boyer (613-991-3520), Industry Division.

## Process Cheese and Instant Skim Milk Powder

July 1987

Production of process cheese in July 1987 totalled 6 642 091 kilograms, a decrease of 0.05% from June 1987 but an increase of 12.7% from July 1986. The 1987 year-to-date production totalled 44 082 244 kilograms, compared to the corresponding 1986 amount of 39 703 425 kilograms.

Total production of instant skim milk powder during the month was 198 442 kilograms, a decrease of 72.0% from June 1987 and

down 30.2% from July 1986. The 1987 year-to-date production totalled 3 000 220 kilograms, down from the 3 563 590 kilograms reported for the corresponding period in 1986.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 188 (series 1.10).

Order the July 1987 issue of *Production and Inventories of Process Cheese and Instant Skim Milk Powder* (32-024, \$4/\$40), to be released the week of September 7. Contact Brian Preston (613-991-3511), Industry Division.

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**Field Crop Reporting Series, No. 6,**  
**August Estimate of Production of**  
**Principal Field Crops, Canada.**

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**Greenhouse Industry, 1985 and 1986.**

**Catalogue number 22-202**

(Canada: \$20; Other Countries: \$21).

**Primary Iron and Steel, June 1987.**

**Catalogue number 41-001**

(Canada: \$4/\$40; Other Countries: \$5/\$50).

**Passenger Bus and Urban**  
**Transit Statistics, June 1987.**

**Catalogue number 53-003**

(Canada: \$6.50/\$65; Other Countries:  
\$7.50/\$75).

**New Motor Vehicle Sales, April 1987.**

**Catalogue number 63-007**

(Canada: \$8/\$80; Other Countries: \$9/\$90).

**Population and Dwelling Counts -**  
**Canada: Federal Electoral Districts,**  
**1986 Census.**

**Catalogue number 92-102**

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