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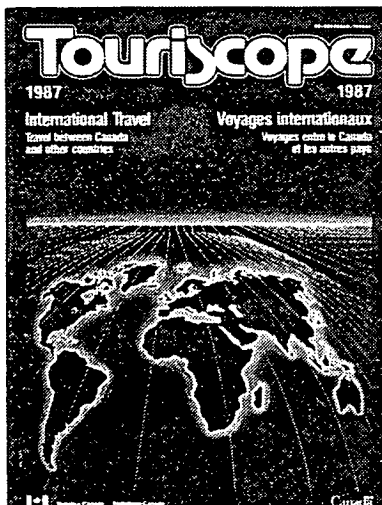
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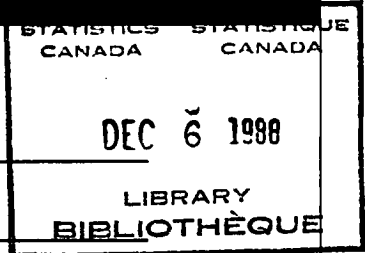


### International Travel 1987

In 1987, the absence of a Canadian attraction such as Expo 86, which drew scores of foreign tourists and enticed Canadians to travel at home, played a part in the escalation of Canada's international travel deficit.

Now available is a publication that will provide essential information to help tourism-related decision-makers analyse the performance of the international travel market and understand its latest developments.

Highlights from the report are on page 3 of today's Daily.



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### International Travel - Travel Between Canada and Other Countries 1987

Canada's international travel account deficit registered a record \$2.5 billion in 1987, double the exceptionally low results of 1986 which had reflected the attraction of Expo 86 in Vancouver.

The 1987 issue of *Travel Between Canada and Other Countries*, a statistical report providing the most complete data series available on travel to and from Canada, is now available.

Some of the publication's highlights include:

- A strong upward trend has been evident since 1983 in the number of overnight trips to Canada by United States residents, despite the 1987 decline from 1986.
- Between 1985 and 1987, Canada experienced an impressive 40% expansion in overnight trips by residents of countries other than the United States.
- Japan is now the second largest overseas tourism market for Canada, after the United Kingdom.
- Overnight visits by Canadian residents to the United States, which had averaged 11.1 million between 1977 and 1986, surged upwards to 12.3 million in 1987, the highest level since 1972.
- The year 1987 marked the first time that Canadian trips to overseas countries lasting three weeks or more were not in first place but rather were tied with trips of two to three weeks, both with 31% of all overseas trips.

This annual report on the travel characteristics of travellers to and from Canada (destination, origin, spending, purpose of trip, length of stay and others), features maps, graphs and an overview text along with 33 informative tables, some of which cover a period of 10 years. The appendix provides a description of the methodology of the survey, as well as definitions of the terms used.

The 1987 edition of *Travel Between Canada and Other Countries* (66-201, \$30/\$31) is now available. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact Paul L. Paradis (613-951-8933), International Travel Section, Education, Culture and Tourism.

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## Data Availability Announcements

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### **Quarterly Demographic Statistics for Canada, the Provinces and Territories** July-September 1988

The estimates of population for Canada, the provinces and territories at October 1, 1988 as well as figures on immigration, interprovincial migration, births, deaths and marriages for the quarter July-September are now available on CANSIM: quarterly population estimates, matrix 1; immigration, matrices 2, 3 and 397; births, deaths and marriages, matrices 4, 5 and 6; interprovincial migration (Family Allowances) matrices 5731 and 6982.

These estimates will appear in *Quarterly Demographic Statistics* (91-002, \$7/\$28) in the next few weeks. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact the nearest regional reference centre, or the relevant division – for vital statistics (births, deaths, marriages), E. Sander (613-951-1746), Health Division; for other demographic estimates, Lise Champagne (613-951-2320), Demography Division.

### **Estimates of Population for Census Divisions and Census Metropolitan Areas**

June 1, 1981 to 1987

The intercensal estimates for 1981 to 1986 and postcensal estimates for 1987 for census divisions and census metropolitan areas are now available.

Please note that the data for the period 1981-86 are estimates based on the 1981 Census boundaries and 1987 estimates are produced according to 1986 geographical boundaries.

These estimates will appear in the following publications: *Intercensal Annual Estimates of Population for Census Divisions and Census Metropolitan Areas, 1981-86* (91-521) and *Postcensal Annual Estimates of Population for Census Divisions and Census Metropolitan Areas, June 1, 1987* (Regression Method, 91-211). See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information, contact Lise Champagne (613-951-2320), Demography Division, or your nearest regional reference centre.

### **Oilseed Crushings** October 1988

Canola crushings for October 1988 amounted to 135 058 tonnes, down 8% from 147 143 tonnes in October 1987. The resulting oil production decreased 10% to 53 380 tonnes from 59 641 tonnes in October 1987. Meal production decreased 8% to 77 527 tonnes from 84 136 tonnes in October 1987.

Soybean crushings for the same month decreased 8% to 83 900 tonnes in 1988 from 90 448 tonnes a year earlier. As a result, oil production decreased 7% to 14 514 tonnes in October 1988 from 15 611 tonnes in October 1987. Meal production also declined, down 8% to 63 912 tonnes from 69 246 tonnes in October 1987.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5687.

The October 1988 issue of *Cereals and Oilseeds Review* (22-007, \$11.50/\$115) is scheduled for release in January 1989. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information on this release, contact A. Dupuis (613-951-3871), Agriculture Division.

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## Footwear Statistics

October 1988

Canadian manufacturers produced 2,781,326 pairs of footwear in October 1988, a decrease of 22.7% from the 3,597,059 pairs (revised figure) produced a year earlier.

Year-to-date production for January to October 1988 totalled 29,299,298 pairs of footwear (revised figure), down 13.1% from 33,725,465 pairs (revised figure) produced during the same period in 1987.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 8.

The October 1988 issue of *Footwear Statistics* (33-002, \$4.50/\$45) will be available at a later date. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact Don Grant (613-951-3510), Industry Division.

## Road Motor Vehicles - Registrations

1987

### Highlights

- Total road motor vehicle registrations, as reported by Canada's provincial and territorial governments for the 1987 licence year, were 15,864,388.
- Passenger automobiles - the largest component of the total registrations - were 11,772,506.
- Truck and truck tractor registrations totalled 3,508,497.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 356, 359, 360, 363, 364, 367, 368, 371, 372, 375, 376, 379 and 380.

The 1987 issue of *Road Motor Vehicles - Registrations* (53-219, \$10/\$11) is scheduled for release towards the end of December. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact Angus McLean (613-951-2484), Transportation Division.

## Processed Peas

1988

Data on processed peas for 1988 are now available.

*Pack of Processed Peas* (32-023, Vol. 17, No. 4, \$7/\$115) will be released at a later date. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information, contact Brian Preston (613-951-3511), Industry Division.

## Tuberculosis

1987

Tuberculosis data for the year 1987 are now available in advance of the publication. For additional information, contact Nelson Nault (613-951-1758), Health Division.

## Imports by Commodity (H.S. Based)

September 1988

Commodity-country import trade statistics based on the Harmonized System (H.S.) for September 1988 are now available on microfiche, computer printouts or magnetic tapes in advance of the monthly publication.

Available on CANSIM (for selected information): matrices 3887-3913 and 3718.

The September 1988 issue of *Imports by Commodity (H.S. Based)* (65-007, \$50/\$500) will be available the last week of December. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact Gordon Blaney (613-951-9647), International Trade Division.

## Publications Released

**Asphalt Roofing**, October 1988.  
Catalogue number 45-001  
(Canada: \$4.50/\$45; Other Countries: \$5.50/\$55).

**Other Manufacturing Industries - Other  
Manufactured Products Industries, n.e.c.,  
1986 Census of Manufactures.**  
Catalogue number 47-250B 3999  
(Canada: \$4; Other Countries: \$5).

**Telephone Statistics**, September 1988.  
Catalogue number 56-002  
(Canada: \$7.50/\$75; Other Countries: \$8.50/\$85).

**Touriscope, International Travel - Travel  
Between Canada and Other Countries, 1987.**  
Catalogue number 66-201  
(Canada: \$30; Other Countries: \$31).

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