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Particleboard, Waferboard and Fibreboard

April 1990

Canadian firms produced 191 165 cubic metres of waferboard in April 1990, an increase of 4.6% over the 182 766 cubic metres produced in April 1989. Particleboard production totalled 86 789 cubic metres, down 12.1% from 98 706r cubic metres the previous year. Production of fibreboard for April 1990 was 8 875 thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, an increase of 3.7% from the 8 561r thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, of fibreboard produced in April 1989.

Cumulative production of waferboard during the year 1990 totalled 740 176 cubic metres, up 10.5% over the 669 966° cubic metres produced during the previous year. Particleboard production was 397 586 cubic metres, down 0.2% from the 398 312° cubic metres in January-to-April 1989. Year-to-date production of fibreboard reached 32 838 thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, up 4.4% over the 31 443° thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, for the same period in 1989.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 31 (series 2, 3 and 4) and 122 (series 8 and 34).

The April 1990 issue of *Particleboard, Waferboard* and *Fibreboard* (36-003, \$5/\$50) will be available at a later date. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information on this release, contact Jacques Lepage (613-951-3516), Industry Division.

Sugar Sales

May 1990

Canadian sugar refiners reported total sales of 85 770 tonnes for all types of sugar in May 1990, comprising 80 856 tonnes in domestic sales and 4 914 tonnes in export sales. The 1990 year-to-date sales reported for all types of sugar totalled 374 242 tonnes: 351 770 tonnes in domestic sales and 22 472 tonnes in export sales.

This compares to total sales of 87 575r tonnes in May 1989, of which 82 325r tonnes were domestic sales and 5 250 tonnes were export sales. The 1989

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year-to-date sales reported for all types of sugar totalled 393 583 tonnes: 365 578 tonnes in domestic sales and 28 005 tonnes in export sales.

The May 1990 issue of *The Sugar Situation* (32-013, \$5/\$50) will be available at a later date. See "How to Order Publications".

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

Steel Pipe and Tubing

April 1990

Steel pipe and tubing production for April 1990 totalled 108 901 tonnes, a decrease of 30.5% from the 156 626 tonnes produced a year earlier.

Year-to-date production totalled 520 220 tonnes, down 5.0% from the 547 354 tonnes produced during the same period in 1989.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 35.

The April 1990 issue of *Steel Pipe and Tubing* (41-011 \$5/\$50) will be available at a later date. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information on this release, contact Gerry Barrett (613-951-3515), Industry Division.

Footwear Statistics

April 1990

Canadian manufacturers produced 2,571,488 pairs of footwear in April 1990, a decrease of 10.8% from the 2.882,232r pairs produced a year earlier.

Year-to-date production for January to April 1990 totalled 10,847,263 pairs of footwear, down 0.7% from 10,928,541r pairs produced during the same period in 1989.

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The April 1990 issue of Footwear Statistics (33-002, \$5/\$50) will be available at a later date. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information on this release, contact Don Grant (613-951-5998), Industry Division.



Horses in Saskatchewan 1989

Agriculture Division of Statistics Canada conducted a survey of horse owners in September 1989 under contract with EXP Consulting in cooperation with the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture.

For further information, contact Llewellyn Matthews (306-787-4689), Saskatchewan Department

of Agriculture and Food or Bernie Rosien (613-951-2511), Livestock and Poultry Unit, Agriculture Division, Statistics Canada.

To obtain the 135-page report entitled, Saskatchewan Horse Industry: An Economic Perspective, write to the Communications Branch, Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture and Food, Room B33, 3085 Albert St., Regina, Sask. S4S OB1 or telephone (306-787-6933).



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