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Mother Tongue Data

1991 Census

Tomorrow, *The Daily* will release the third of 10 special issues dedicated to highlights from the 1991 Census. *Mother Tongue - The Nation* (93-313, \$40), one of 24 publications from The Nation series, will also be released tomorrow. "Mother tongue" refers to the first language learned in childhood and still understood by a person at the time of the census.

The data in this publication are based on the combined responses (single or multiple) as reported by all respondents, whether on the short form or the long form. Both official and non-official languages are covered, and information on mother tongue is provided by age and sex for selected languages. These data are most suited for purposes of historical comparisons, since they are more similar to data from previous censuses. Two tables present statistics on mother tongue transmission to children; another presents data on families by mother tongue of husband and wife.

In general, the tables in the publication are presented for Canada, the provinces and territories. However, one table gives data for census metropolitan areas.

To obtain a copy of *Mother Tongue - The Nation* (93-313, \$40), see "How to Order Publications."



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MAJOR RELEASE

Travel Between Canada and Other Countries

July 1992

Seasonally Adjusted Data

Seasonally adjusted data, which highlight month-to-month trends in international travel, show that the overall volume of non-resident travel to Canada dropped in July, due to the decreased number of same-day trips to Canada by residents of the United States. Meanwhile, the short-term downtrend in the total number of outbound Canadian travellers continued.

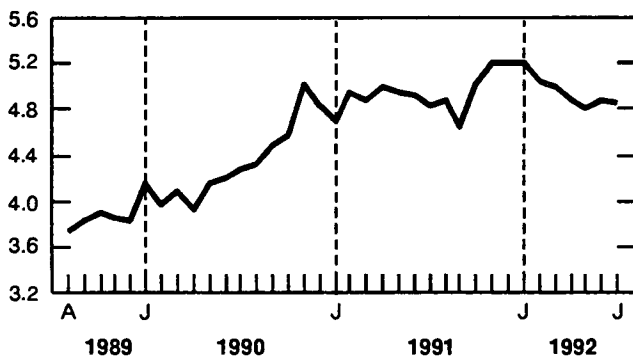
Highlights

- In July, same-day automobile trips by Canadian residents to the United States decreased 0.4% from June, to a seasonally adjusted 4.8 million. A downtrend in same-day cross-border automobile trips by Canadian residents has been evident since January 1992. Automobile trips to the United States of one or more nights also decreased in July, down 3.6% to 1.1 million.

Same-day Trips by Canadian Residents to the United States, by Automobile

Seasonally adjusted

Millions



- Travel of one or more nights to the United States by Canadian residents by all modes of travel decreased 2.6% in July, to a seasonally adjusted 1.5 million trips. However, the number of trips to all other countries increased 0.7% to 262,000 trips, continuing the long-term upward trend.

Note to Users

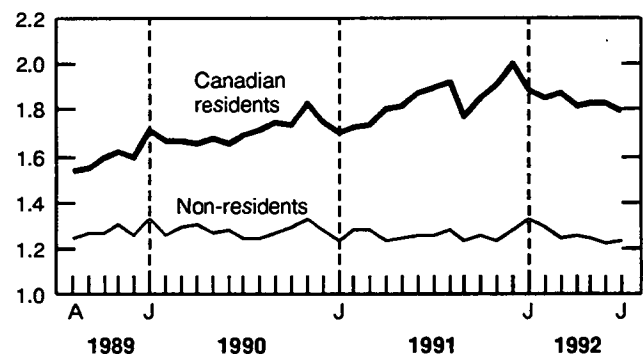
Seasonally adjusted numbers have been revised on CANSIM back to January 1989. Estimates of automobile travel by residents of the United States to Canada are now available, on a seasonally adjusted basis, on CANSIM matrix 2695.

- Trips of one or more nights to Canada by residents of the United States increased 0.2% in July to a seasonally adjusted 975,000. Comparable trips by residents of all other countries also increased, up 1.7% to 246,000.

Trips of One or More Nights between Canada and Other Countries

Seasonally adjusted

Millions



Unadjusted Data

- In terms of actual counts, same-day trips by Canadian residents to the United States by automobile totalled 5.8 million, a 0.4% decrease from July 1991. The number of automobile trips to the United States of one or more nights also decreased, down 9.1% to 2.0 million.
- Trips of one or more nights by Canadian residents to the United States by all modes of travel in July 1992 totalled 2.4 million, down 7.9% from July 1991. At the same time, similar trips to all other countries increased 9.0% to 242,000.

- The number of trips of one or more nights by United States residents to Canada increased from July 1991, up 0.5% to 2.1 million. Meanwhile, comparable trips by residents of all other countries also increased, up 4.0% to 503,000.

The July 1992 issue of *International Travel - Advance Information* (66-001P, \$6.10/\$61) will be available shortly. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information on this release, contact Ruth McMillan (613-951-1791), International Travel Section, Education, Culture and Tourism Division.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 2661-2697.

International Travel Between Canada and Other Countries

July 1992

	April 1992 ^r	May 1992 ^r	June 1992 ^r	July 1992 ^p
	Seasonally Adjusted			
	('000)	('000)	('000)	('000)
One or More Nights Trips¹				
Non-resident Travellers:				
United States	1,002	992	973	975
Other Countries ²	242	244	242	246
Residents of Canada:				
United States	1,555	1,561	1,561	1,521
Other Countries	252	261	260	262
Total Trips				
Non-resident Travellers:				
United States	2,722	2,729	2,704	2,658
Other Countries	265	270	270	274
Residents of Canada:				
United States	6,531	6,385	6,529	6,380
Auto Re-entries				
Same-day	4,864	4,790	4,867	4,847
One or More Nights	1,142	1,142	1,146	1,104
	July 1992 ^p	% Change 1992/1991	Jan.-July 1992 ^p	% Change 1992/1991
	Unadjusted			
	('000)		('000)	
One or More Nights Trips¹				
Non-resident Travellers:				
United States	2,080	0.5	6,681	-0.2
Other Countries ²	503	4.0	1,639	1.0
Residents of Canada:				
United States	2,406	-7.9	10,796	0.2
Other Countries	242	9.0	1,898	11.6
Same-day Trips				
Residents of Canada:				
United States ¹	5,958	-0.4	35,163	1.2
Auto Re-entries	5,849	-0.4	34,463	1.3

¹ Estimates for the United States include counts of auto and bus, and estimated numbers for plane, train, boat and other methods.

² Figures for "Other Countries" exclude same-day entries by land only, via the United States.

^p Preliminary.

^r Revised.

DATA AVAILABILITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Canadian Domestic Travel

First Quarter 1992

Domestic travellers recorded 25.5 million trips in the first quarter of 1992, a 3.4% decrease compared to the same quarter of 1990, but a 20% increase compared to 1982.

This decrease was mostly attributable to a 5.4% drop in the number of overnight trips to 13.2 million. Since 1988, the number of same-day trips has been rather stable – 12.3 million trips in the first quarter of 1992; however, this was almost 50% more trips than in 1982.

As was the case after the 1981-82 recession, interprovincial travel showed a marked decrease (nearly 16% between 1990 and 1992).

Given significant methodological changes in data collection that were introduced in April 1992, the estimates for the first quarter of 1992 will be reviewed and possibly adjusted in light of the results of subsequent quarters. Consequently, today's announcement is based on preliminary data.

The microdata file of the first quarter of 1992 will be available during October. More information on the findings of the Canadian Travel Survey will be published in the Autumn issue of *Travel-log* (87-003, \$10.50/\$42), to be released next month.

For additional information, contact Louis Pierre (613-951-1672), Education, Culture and Tourism Division. ■

Oil Pipeline Transport

June 1992

Highlights

- In June, net receipts of crude oil and refined petroleum products into Canadian pipelines increased 1.9% from the same period last year to 13 976 119 cubic metres (m³). Year-to-date receipts, at 87 586 422 m³, were up 3.0% from 1991.
- Pipeline exports of crude oil increased 0.5% compared to June 1991, while pipeline imports rose 12.9% for the same period. On a cumulative basis, exports in 1992 were up 5.4% from 1991 levels, while imports were up 7.5%.

- Deliveries of crude oil by pipeline to Canadian refineries in June declined 6.5% from 1991 levels, while deliveries of liquid petroleum gases and refined petroleum products decreased 21.2%.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 181.

The June 1992 issue of *Oil Pipeline Transport* (55-001, \$10/\$100) will be available the third week of September. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact G. O'Connor (613-951-3562), Energy Section, Industry Division. ■

Railway Carloadings

10-day Period Ending August 31, 1992

Highlights

- Revenue freight loaded by railways in Canada during the 10-day period totalled 5.1 million tonnes, a decrease of 18.9% from the same period last year.
- Piggyback traffic decreased 11.6% from the same period last year. The number of cars loaded decreased 8.3% during the same period.
- The tonnage of revenue freight loaded to date at August 31, 1992 decreased 3.8% from the previous year.

Note: Piggyback traffic includes trailers and containers on flat cars. Piggyback traffic numbers are included in total carload traffic. All 1991 figures and 1992 cumulative data have been revised.

For more detailed information on this release, contact Angus MacLean (613-951-2484), Surface Transport Unit, Transportation Division. ■

Road Motor Vehicles – Registrations 1991

Highlights

- Total road motor vehicle registrations of 17.2 million for the 1991 licence year were reported by Canada's provincial and territorial governments. This was an increase of 1.4% over the 17.0 million registrations reported for 1990.
- Passenger automobile registrations of 13.1 million were the largest component (75.8%) of the total registrations. Truck and truck tractor registrations totalled 3.7 million, accounting for another 21.4%. The remaining 2.8% consisted of buses, motorcycles, etc.

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

The 1991 issue of *Road Motor Vehicles – Registrations* (53-219, \$17) will be available at the end of September.

For further information on this release, please contact Yasmin Sheikh (613-951-2518), Transportation Division. ■

Electric Lamps

August 1992

Canadian light bulb and tube manufacturers sold 19,324,932 light bulbs and tubes in August 1992, a decrease of 5.1% from the 20,356,519 units sold a year earlier. Year-to-date sales for 1992 amounted to 165,990,541 light bulbs and tubes, down 1.4% from the 168,332,910 sold during the same period in 1991.

The August 1992 issue of *Electric Lamps* (43-009, \$5/\$50) will be available at a later date.

For more detailed information on this release, contact Laurie Vincent (613-951-3523), Industry Division. ■

Particleboard, Waferboard and Fibreboard

July 1992

Canadian firms produced 181 476 cubic metres of waferboard in July 1992, an increase of 29.9% from the 139 734^r (revised) cubic metres produced in July 1991. Particleboard production totalled 80 001 cubic metres, down 4.1% from 83 379^r cubic metres the previous year. Production of fibreboard for July 1992 was 7 604 thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, a decrease of 10.9% from the 8 537^r thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, of fibreboard produced in July 1991.

Cumulative production of waferboard during 1992 totalled 1 144 811^r cubic metres, up 38.0% from the 829 376^r cubic metres produced during the previous year. Particleboard production was 661 593^r cubic metres, up 10.6% from the 597 981^r cubic metres produced from January to July 1991. Year-to-date production of fibreboard was 53 725 thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, down 5.5% from the 56 864^r thousand square metres, basis 3.175mm, for the same period in 1991.

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

The July 1992 issue of *Particleboard, Waferboard and Fibreboard* (36-003, \$5/\$50) will be available at a later date.

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

Dairy Review

July 1992

Creamery butter production in Canada totalled 5 400 tonnes in July, an 18.2% decrease from a year earlier. Production of cheddar cheese amounted to 9 800 tonnes, a decrease of 8.4% from July 1991.

An estimated 588 000 kilolitres of milk were sold off Canadian farms for all purposes in June 1992, a decrease of 7.8% from June 1991. This brought the total estimate of milk sold off farms during the first six months of 1992 to 3 556 000 kilolitres, a decrease of 2.8% from the January to June 1991 period.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 3428, 5632-5638, 5650-5661, 5664-5667 and 5673.

The July 1992 issue of *The Dairy Review* (23-001, \$12.20/\$122) is scheduled for release on September 28. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information, contact Russell Kowaluk (613-951-2511), Agriculture Division. ■

Coal and Coke Statistics

June 1992

Highlights

- Canadian production of coal totalled 4 920 kilotonnes in June 1992, down 14.0% from the year-earlier month. The year-to-date production figure stood at 34 966 kilotonnes, down 1.8% from 1991.
- Exports in June fell 17.2% from June 1991 to 2 301 kilotonnes, but imports increased 15.6% to 1 975 kilotonnes. Cumulative figures for the year showed exports of 16 239 kilotonnes, 5.9% below the 1991 level.
- Coke production increased to 318 kilotonnes, up 1.1% from June 1991.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 9.

The June 1992 issue of *Coal and Coke Statistics* (45-002, \$10/\$100) will be available the third week of September. See "How to Order Publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact Dave Madsen (613-951-9823), Energy Section, Industry Division. ■

Motor Carriers of Freight Annual Survey (For-hire Carriers)

Financial and Operating Statistics 1990

- A total of 314 Level I carriers with annual revenues of more than \$5 million reported \$6.0 billion in operating revenues and \$5.9 billion in operating expenses in 1990.
- General freight carriers largely dominated the type of service performed, with 57% of the total operating revenues at \$3.4 billion.
- More data is available on employment, area of operation and equipment for the Level I carriers.

The Vol. 8, No. 6, September issue of *Surface and Marine Transport Service Bulletin* will be released on September 16.

For more information on this release, contact Andrea Mathieson (613 951-2493) or Gilles Paré (613 951-2517) (fax: 613-951-0579), Surface Transport Unit, Transportation Division. ■



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Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries, July 1992.

Catalogue number 43-005

(Canada: \$5/\$50; United States: US\$6/US\$60;
Other Countries: US\$7/US\$70).

Energy Statistics Handbook, September 1992.

Catalogue number 57-601

(Canada: \$300; United States: US\$360;
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