

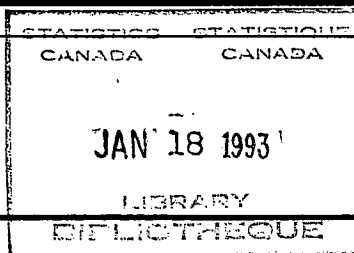


The Daily

Statistics Canada

Monday, January 18, 1993

For release at 8:30 a.m.



MAJOR RELEASE

• Corporations and Labour Unions Returns Act, Part II: Labour Unions, 1990

2

The excess of income over expenditures reported by labour unions soared to \$44.9 million in 1990, attributable primarily to increased revenues from dues in national and government unions.

DATA AVAILABILITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Department Store Sales, December 1992 (Advance Release)	3
Canadian Civil Aviation, 1991	3
Stocks of Frozen Poultry Products, January 1, 1993	3
Processed Fruits and Vegetables, November 1992	3

PUBLICATIONS RELEASED

4



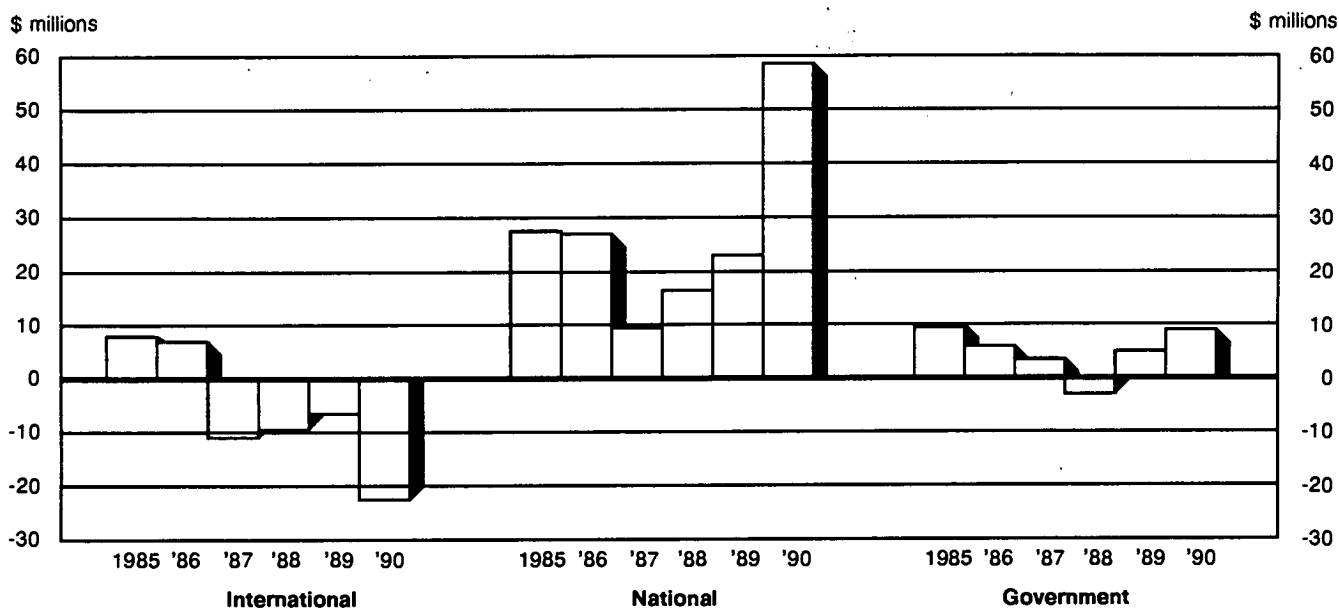
Statistics
Canada

Statistique
Canada

Canada

MAJOR RELEASE

Excess (Deficiency) of Income over Expenditures, International, National and Government Unions, 1985-1990



Corporations and Labour Unions Returns Act, Part II: Labour Unions 1990

Highlights

- The excess of income over expenditures reported by labour unions soared to \$44.9 million in 1990, attributable primarily to increased revenues from dues in national and government unions.
- In contrast, international unions experienced the largest-ever excess of expenditures over income on their Canadian operations, due in large part to strike payments.
- In 1990, total income from union operations in Canada amounted to \$912.3 million, up 13.3% from 1989. Union dues collected increased 12.1% compared to a marginal membership increase of 0.4%.
- For all unions, 9.0% of dues was used to support strikes in 1990 compared to 8.0% in 1989. International unions spent 32.4% of members' dues on strike payments in 1990, up significantly

from 10.2% in 1989. National and government unions together spent 5.0% of dues on strikes, down from 7.5% in 1989.

- More than 905,000 or 58.3% of unionized women were employed in the services industries, especially concentrated in education and health services (53.6%). In contrast, services industries employed only one in five unionized men.
- The overall rate of unionization of Canadian industry reached 34.7% in 1990, up from 34.1% in 1989.
- The provincial rate of unionization for Newfoundland increased from 52.0% in 1989 to 55.1% in 1990. Newfoundland continued to be the only province with more unionized than non-unionized workers. The least unionized province was Alberta at 26.6%.

Corporations and Labour Unions Returns Act, Part II: Labour Unions, 1990 (71-202, \$34) is now available. See "How to Order Publications".

For further information, contact Stuart McLeod (613-951-9862), Industrial Organization and Finance Division. ■

DATA AVAILABILITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Department Store Sales

December 1992 (Advance Release)

Department stores sales including concessions for December totalled \$2,083 million, up 3.4% from December 1991. Sales for the major department stores were \$1,156 million and sales for the junior category were \$927 million.

Total sales for 1992 were estimated at \$13,014 million, a marginal increase of 0.8% over the previous year's sales.

For further information on this release, contact Diane Lake (613-951-9824), Retail Trade Section, Industry Division. ■

Canadian Civil Aviation

1991

- For the fourth consecutive year, Canadian Level I-IV air carriers reported a deterioration in both operating income and net income in 1991, marking the worst financial performance in the industry's history. The balance sheets of Canadian air carriers have steadily deteriorated from a net income of \$169 million in 1987 to a net loss of \$427 million in 1991. In addition, the 1991 net loss was only the second time in recent history that Canadian air carriers reported an operating loss. The only other recent operating loss amounted to \$13 million in 1982, compared to a \$253 million operating loss in 1991.
- Air Canada and Canadian Airlines International Ltd. together accounted for 97% of the net loss reported by Canadian air carriers in 1991. Air Canada reported a net loss of \$218 million and a 15% drop in revenue, while CAIL reported a net loss of \$196 million and a 4% drop in revenue. The rest of the industry reported a net loss of \$13 million in 1991, following a net income of \$8 million in 1990. Operating revenues for the rest of the industry were down by 2% in 1991. Both Air Canada and CAIL cited the worldwide economic recession and the Persian Gulf War as contributors to the first decline in worldwide air traffic and to the declines in their own operations.
- Passenger revenues from scheduled services dropped for the first time in recent history in 1991, decreasing 8% to \$5.3 billion. Passenger revenues on charter services also declined, dropping

6% to \$1.2 billion. Both figures represent declines to pre-1989 levels and, in constant dollars, both represent declines to pre-1988 levels. Total revenues in 1991 were down 8% to \$7.6 billion, only slightly above the 1987 constant dollar figure.

- In 1991, 66% of domestic scheduled passengers travelled on discount fares, up from 64% in 1990. For the international markets, over three of every four (76%) scheduled passengers flew on discount fares.
- In 1991 in Canada, 69% of passengers on duopolistic routes (routes served by two carriers) travelled on a discounted ticket, compared to 59% on oligopolistic routes (routes served by three or more carriers) and 57% on monopolistic routes.

The 1991 issue of *Canadian Civil Aviation* (51-206, \$36) will be released shortly.

For more information on this release, contact Robert Lund (819-997-6188), Aviation Statistics Centre, Transportation Division. ■

Stocks of Frozen Poultry Products

January 1, 1993

Preliminary data on the cold storage of frozen poultry products as of January 1, 1993 and revised figures for December 1, 1992 are now available.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 5675-5677.

To order *Production and Stocks of Eggs and Poultry* (\$115), contact Guy Gervais (613-951-2453).

For more detailed information on this release, contact Jean-Pierre Séguin (613-951-2550), Livestock and Animal Products Section, Agriculture Division. ■

Processed Fruits And Vegetables

November 1992

Data on processed fruits and vegetables for November 1992 are now available.

Canned and Frozen Fruits and Vegetables - Monthly (32-011, \$5/\$50) will be released at a later date.

For further information, contact Peter Zylstra (613-951-3511), Industry Division. ■



PUBLICATIONS RELEASED

Production and Inventories of Process Cheese and Instant Skim Milk Powder, November 1992.

Catalogue number 32-024

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

Footwear Statistics, November 1992.

Catalogue number 33-002

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

Steel Wire and Specified Wire Products,

November 1992.

Catalogue number 41-006

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

Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries,
November 1992.

Catalogue number 43-005

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

Industrial Chemicals and Synthetic Resins,
November 1992.

Catalogue number 46-002

(Canada: \$5.60/\$56; United States: US\$6.70/US\$67;
Other Countries: US\$7.80/US\$78).

Quarterly Report on Energy Supply-Demand in Canada, 1992-II.

Catalogue number 57-003

(Canada: \$31.75/\$127;
United States: US\$38/US\$152;
Other Countries: US\$44.50/US\$178).

Imports by Commodity, October 1992.

Catalogue number 65-007

(Canada: \$55.10/\$551;
United States: US\$66.10/US\$661;
Other Countries: US\$77.10/US\$771).

Touriscope - International Travel,
July-September 1992.

Catalogue number 66-001

(Canada: \$38.50/\$154;
United States: US\$46.25/US\$185;
Other Countries: US\$54/US\$216).

Corporations and Labour Unions Returns Act,
Part II: Labour Unions, 1990.

Catalogue number 71-202

(Canada: \$34; United States: US\$41;
Other Countries: US\$48).

Science Statistics Service Bulletin: Research and Development (R&D) Expenditures of Private Non-profit (PNP) Organizations, 1991. Vol. 17, No. 1.

Catalogue number 88-001

(Canada: \$7.10/\$71; United States: US\$8.50/US\$85;
Other Countries: US\$9.90/US\$99).

The paper used in this publication meets the minimum requirements of American National Standard for Information Sciences - Permanence of Paper for Printed Library Materials, ANSI Z39.48 - 1984.



How to Order Publications

Simplify your search for data with the Statistics Canada Catalogue 1992. Using the keyword index, you'll find sources for statistics on all areas of Canadian social and economic activity. For easy access to over 800 Statistics Canada products and services, order the Statistics Canada Catalogue 1992 (11-204E, \$13.95; United States: US\$17; Other Countries: US\$20).

You may order Statistics Canada products and services by telephone. From Canada and the United States, call toll-free 1-800-267-6677. From all other locations, call 613-951-7277 (not toll-free).

You may purchase Statistics Canada publications by writing to Publication Sales, Room 1710, Main Building, Statistics Canada, Ottawa K1A 0T6.

Please enclose a cheque or money order payable to the Receiver General for Canada/Publications. Provide full information on each publication order (catalogue number, title, issue). Canadian customers, please add 7% GST.

Publications may also be ordered from Statistics Canada's Regional Reference Centres in St. John's, Halifax, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Edmonton, Calgary and Vancouver, or from authorized bookstore agents or other booksellers.