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Civil aviation operating statistics September 1995

In September 1995, data for the international scheduled operations of Air Canada and Canadian Airlines International Ltd. (CAIL) showed a 21% increase in passenger-kilometres flown from September 1994. A similar comparison on a January-to-September basis indicated a 12% rise. Some of the 2.5 billion increase in international scheduled passenger-kilometres (year-to-date) resulted from the carriers shifting some flights to the United States from charter to scheduled, under the new bilateral agreement. Charter passenger-kilometres (year-to-date) reported by these carriers dropped 0.7 billion in September 1995.

The seasonally adjusted passenger load factor on scheduled operations increased from 63.7% in August 1995 to 65.7% in September 1995. The passenger load factor measures the average fullness of the aircraft. This fifth monthly increase in the last seven months raises the load factor well above its record low of 60.9%, which occurred in February 1995.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 385.

Preliminary data for September 1995 on civil aviation will be published in the December issue of *Aviation service bulletin* (51-004, \$11/\$105). See "How to order publications".

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

Industrial chemicals and synthetic resins September 1995

Chemical firms produced 176 844 tonnes of polyethylene synthetic resins in September, a 20.4% increase from 146 831 tonnes in September 1994.

For January to September 1995, production totalled 1 571 203 tonnes, up 14.6% from 1 371 064 tonnes a year earlier.

Data for September 1994 and September 1995 on the production of 3 other types of synthetic resins and 24 industrial chemicals are also available.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 951.

The September 1995 issue of *Industrial chemicals* and synthetic resins (46-002, \$6/\$60) will be available shortly. See "How to order publications".

For further information on this release, contact Suzette DesRosiers (613-951-9836), Industry Division.

Steel pipe and tubing

September 1995

Steel pipe and tubing production for September totalled 163 860 tonnes, a 13.1% decrease from 188 489 tonnes a year earlier.

Year-to-date production to the end of September 1995 totalled 1 504 616 tonnes, up 2.6% from 1 466 218 tonnes during the same period in 1994.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 35.

The September 1995 issue of *Steel pipe and tubing* (41-011, \$6/\$60) will be available shortly. See "How to order publications".

For more detailed information on this release, contact Greg Milsom (613-951-9827), Industry Division.

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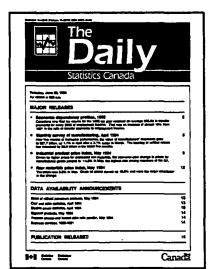
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