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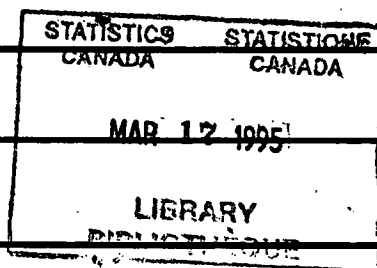
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Department store sales, advance release

February 1995

Consumers spent \$726.5 million in department stores in February, a 3.5% decline from February 1994. The discount stores' sales (\$378.7 million) were down 3.5%. (The discount stores' sales for February 1994 were unusually high.) Spending in the major stores (\$347.8 million) declined 3.4%.

The February 1995 issue of *Department store sales and stocks* (63-002, \$16/\$160) will be available in April.

For further information on this release, contact Tom Newton (613-951-3552), Retail Trade Section, Industry Division. ■

Construction union wage rate index

February 1995

The construction union wage rate index (including supplements) for Canada remained unchanged in February 1995 from January's level of 136.8. On a year-over-year basis, the composite index increased 1.9% to 136.8 in February 1995 from 134.3 in February 1994.

Construction union wage rates and indexes (1986 = 100) comprise union wage rates for 16 trades in 22 metropolitan areas (including the basic rate and rates that include selected supplementary payments) and indexes for those cities where a majority of trades are covered by current collective agreements.

Available on CANSIM: matrices 956, 958 and 2033-2038.

The first quarter 1995 issue of *Construction price statistics* (62-007, \$19/\$76) will be available in June.

For further information on this release, contact Paul-Roméo Danis (613-951-3350, fax: 613-951-2848), Information and Current Analysis Unit, Prices Division. ■

Selected financial indexes

February 1995

Data for February 1995 on selected financial indexes (1986 = 100) are now available.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 2031.

The first quarter 1995 issue of *Construction price statistics* (62-007, \$19/\$76) will be available in June.

For further information on this release, contact Paul-Roméo Danis (613-951-3350, fax: 613-951-2848), Information and Current Analysis Unit, Prices Division. ■

Soft drinks

February 1995

Data for February 1995 on soft drink production are now available.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 196.

Monthly production of soft drinks (32-001, \$3/\$30) will be available shortly. See "How to order publications".

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

Processed fruits and vegetables

January 1995

Data for January 1995 on processed fruits and vegetables are now available.

Canned and frozen fruits and vegetables, monthly (32-011, \$6/\$60) will be available shortly. See "How to order publications".

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

Business services

1992/93, 1991/92 (revised) and 1990/91 (revised)

Data for the 1992/93 fiscal year on revenues and the number of firms in business services (major industry groups 77 and 99) are now available. Revised data for 1990/91 and 1991/92 are also available.

For further information on this release, contact Nancy Preston (613-951-0379), Business Services Section, Services, Science and Technology Division. ■

Fluid milk industry

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the fluid milk industry (SIC 1041) totalled \$3,478.2 million, down 0.6% from \$3,497.5 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5385.

Data for this industry will be released in *Food industries* (32-250, \$38).

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

Women's coat and jacket industry

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the women's coat and jacket industry (SIC 2441) totalled \$211.2 million, down 3.8% from \$219.4 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5445.

Data for this industry will be released in *Clothing industries* (34-252, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Nicole Charron (613-951-3510), Industry Division. ■

Women's clothing contractors industry

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the women's clothing contractors industry (SIC 2445) totalled \$312.8 million, down 6.2% from \$333.4 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5449.

Data for this industry will be released in *Clothing industries* (34-252, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Nicole Charron (613-951-3510), Industry Division. ■

Glove industry

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the glove industry (SIC 2493) totalled \$46.4 million, down 10.5% from \$51.8 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5453.

Data for this industry will be released in *Clothing industries* (34-252, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Nicole Charron (613-951-3510), Industry Division. ■

Non-ferrous metal smelting and refining industries

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the non-ferrous metal smelting and refining industries (SIC 2950) totalled \$5,882.4 million, down 1.3% from \$5,959.3 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5511.

Data for this industry will be released in *Primary metal industries* (41-250, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Roland Joubert (613-951-3527), Industry Division. ■

Other hardware and cutlery industries

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the other hardware and cutlery industries (SIC 3069) totalled \$307.4 million, up 3.3% from \$297.4 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5534.

Data for this industry will be released in *Fabricated metal products industries* (41-251, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Bruno Pépin (613-951-9837), Industry Division. ■

Motor vehicle stampings industry

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the motor vehicle stampings industry (SIC 3253) totalled \$2,823.5 million, up 19.6% from \$2,361.4 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5557.

Data for this industry will be released in *Transportation equipment industries* (42-251, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Andy Shinnan (613-951-3515), Industry Division. ■

Electric lamp and shade industry (except bulb and tube)

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the electric lamp and shade industry (except bulb and tube) (SIC 3332) totalled \$74.0 million, up 1.1% from \$73.2 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5571.

Data for this industry will be released in *Electrical and electronic products industries* (43-250, \$38).

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

Structural concrete products industry

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the structural concrete products industry (SIC 3542) totalled \$226.3 million, up 4.9% from \$215.8 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 6853.

Data for this industry will be released in *Non-metallic mineral products industries* (44-250, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Suzanne Pépin (613-951-3520), Industry Division. ■

Jewellery and precious metal industries

1993 annual survey of manufactures

In 1993, the value of shipments of goods of own manufacture for the jewellery and precious metal industries (SIC 3920) totalled \$450.4 million, down 2.8% from \$463.6 million in 1992.

Available on CANSIM: matrix 5376.

Data for this industry will be released in *Other manufacturing industries* (47-250, \$38).

For further information on this release, contact Suzanne Pépin (613-951-3514), Industry Division. ■

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Primary iron and steel, January 1995
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Imports by country, January-December 1994
Catalogue number 65-006
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other countries: US\$126/US\$504)

Employment, earnings and hours, December 1994
Catalogue number 72-002
(Canada: \$29/\$285; United States: US\$35/US\$342;
other countries: US\$40/US\$399)

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23	Canada's international transactions in securities	January 1995
24	Consumer price index	February 1995

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- Labour Force Survey, August 1995
The unemployment rate for SA is 11.2 in August 1995.
- Retail Prices: Prices Index, July 1995
The Retail Prices Index rose 0.2% in July. The index also reached its highest level since July 1992, the lowest and steepest annual rate increase since then is noted right at the top.
- Advance Statistics of Education, 1992-94
Since 1992, the number of students in higher education has risen from 255.2 million to an estimated 268.6 million in 1992-94. The SAPE index rose 100.00 with the greatest increase in a decade.

DATA AVAILABILITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Department Store Sales by Province and Metropolitan Area, July 1995
- Total Personal Income, Third Quarter 1995
- Retail Commerce, Third Quarter 1995
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