- Engin&Const&Rental: consists of architectural, engineering and other technical services, and income from renting equipment. (The share of this category dropped from an average of 23.5% in total Canadian exports of commercial services during 1983-88 to 15% during the 1989-94 period. At the same time, the import share also decreased to about 7.5% during 1989-94 from its 10% level during the 1983-88 period.)
- Fin-Insur & Commiss: made up of insurance and other financial services and commissions earned. (The annual average share of this category rose to 32.5% during the 1989-94 period from an average share of 29% in total Canadian exports of commercial services during the 1983-88 period. Nonetheless, the import share remained unchanged at about 26% during the 1983-88 and 1989-94 periods.)
- R&D Royalties & Fees: combines research and development services, royalties and fees on intellectual property, such as patents. (The share of this category increased from an average of 11% in total Canadian exports of commercial services during 1983-88 to 14% during the 1989-94 period. However, the import share declined to about 21% during the years of 1989-94 from its 23% share during the 1983-88 period.)
- Manage & Bus Serv: represents management services and miscellaneous services to business. (The share of this category dropped from an average of 26.5% in total Canadian exports of commercial services during the years of 1983-88 to about 23% during the 1989-94 period. The import share also decreased to about 27% during 1989-94 from its 29.5% share during the 1983-88 period.)
- Ads&Entertain: made up of advertising and related services, audio-visual services, and personal, cultural and recreational services. (The annual average share of this category rose to about 7% during the 1989-94 period from its average share of 5% in total Canadian exports of commercial services during the years of 1983-88. However, the import share increased to 8% during the years of 1989-94 from its 6.5% share during the 1983-88 period.)