

**FACT SHEET - INDONESIA**

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**Area:** 1.9 million km<sup>2</sup>**Population:** 180 million (1989) - 5th most populous country**Capital:** Jakarta**System of Government:** Unitary Republic**Head of State:** (President) Soeharto**Minister of Trade:** Dr. Arifin Siregar**Language:** Bahasa Indonesia **Ethnic Background:** Indo-Malay 90%; Melanesian 5%; Other 5%**Religion:** Moslem 80%; Christian, Hindu & Others 20%**GDP:**(1990f)US \$94.78 B **Per Capita Income:** US \$506 (1990) **Currency:**New Rupiah Cdn \$=1,450 Rp  
**Inflation Rate:** 6.3% (1990f) **Debt Service Ratio:** 36.7% **Unemployment Rate:** 18% (unofficial 1989)**Major Trading Partners (1988):**Exports Total: US \$22.3 billion (est.)

1. Japan
2. USA
3. Singapore
4. Korea
5. Hong Kong

Imports US \$15.3 billion (est.)

1. Japan
2. USA
3. W. Germany
4. United Kingdom
5. Singapore

**Canadian Trade Statistics:** (Cdn \$ millions)

	<u>1986</u>	<u>1987</u>	<u>1988</u>	<u>1989</u>
Exports	240.9	305.1	298.7	311.3
Imports	142.5	193.1	179.5	192.1
Balance	98.4	112.0	119.0	119.2

**Major Canadian Exports 1989** (Cdn \$'000)

Wheat	65,254
Pulp of Wood	55,234
Plastics	50,332
Sulphur	37,841
Railway Locomotives	16,057
Fertilizers	15,108

**Major Canadian Imports 1989** (Cdn \$'000)

Rubber	49,808
Wood	39,902
Apparel, not knitted or crocheted	23,230
Apparel, knitted or crocheted	13,337
Coffee, tea & spices	10,993
Man-made staple fibres	7,232

**Main Sectors of Opportunity for Canadian Business:**

1. Education and training services
2. Chemical products & petroleum equipment
3. Mining equipment & services
4. Advanced technology

**EDC Status:** On cover**CIDA Status:** CORE country (Category I)**Resident Canadian Bank:** Hong Kong Bank of Canada**Canadian Reps in Indonesia:** Ambassador - Ms. Ingrid Hall; Commercial Counsellor - Doug Campbell;  
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