

TRADE WITH OTHER MAJOR CANADIAN TRADING PARTNERS

(dollar amounts in millions of Canadian dollars)

	1983	1984	1985
Merchandise exports to:			
EEC(10)	6 702	6 971	6 607
Japan	4 647	5 535	5 686
Other OECD	1 654	2 073	2 335
World	90 825	112 118	120 095
Merchandise imports from:			
EEC(10)	5 820	8 148	10 150
Japan	4 351	5 475	6 056
Other OECD	2 098	2 334	2 919
World	73 120	91 450	103 278
Merchandise trade balance with:			
EEC(10)	882	-1 177	-3 543
Japan	296	60	-370
Other OECD	-444	-261	-584
World	17 705	20 668	16 817

Percent share of Canada's total exports, imports			
	1983	1984	1985
Merchandise exports to:			
EEC(10)	7.4	6.2	5.5
Japan	5.1	4.9	4.7
Other OECD	1.8	1.8	1.9
Merchandise imports from:			
EEC(10)	8.0	8.9	9.8
Japan	6.0	6.0	5.9
Other OECD	2.9	2.6	2.8
Percent change in Canada's total exports, imports			
	1984-83	1985-84	1986-85
Merchandise exports to			
EEC(10)	4.0	-5.2	13.4
Japan	19.1	2.7	-13.6
Other OECD	25.3	12.6	-1.6
Merchandise imports from:			
EEC(10)	40.0	24.6	67.0
Japan	25.8	10.6	23.8
Other OECD	11.2	25.1	11.4

CANADA - UNITED STATES STATISTICAL COMPARISON

	Percent change 1983-82	Percent change 1984-83	Percent change 1985-84		
Economic indicators					
Real Gross National Product (GNP)					
Canada (1971 constant dollars)	3.3	5.0	4.5		
United States (1982 constant dollars)	3.5	6.5	2.2		
Real personal disposable income					
Canada (1971 constant dollars)	-0.3	3.3	3.8		
United States (1982 constant dollars)	3.2	5.7	1.6		
Consumer price index					
Canada (1981 = 100)	5.8	4.4	4.0		
United States (1967 = 100)	3.2	4.3	3.6		
Unit labour cost, manufacturing					
Canada (1971 = 100)	0.5	-2.1	1.8		
United States (1977 = 100)	-38.3	1.8	3.9		
Housing starts					
Canada	29.2	-17.0	22.9		
United States	1.0	63.0	-0.4		
Population (in thousands)					
	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Canada	24 221	24 512	24 783	25 023	25 263
United States	230 182	232 549	234 829	237 067	239 317
Employment (percent unemployed)					
Canada	7.5	11.0	11.9	11.3	10.5
United States	7.6	9.7	9.6	7.5	7.2