

Minister of foreign economic relations	Petr Aven
GDP (1992 estimated)	Rr9 trillion
GDP per capita (1992 estimated)	Rr61,224
GDP growth rate (1991 estimated)	- 11%
(1992 projected)	- 19%
Budget deficit share of GDP (first quarter, 1992)	14%
Unemployment rate (first quarter, 1992)	0.1%
Inflation rate (1992 projected)	> 1000%
Exchange rate (June 1992)	\$1 = Rr75
Former Soviet Union debt held by Western creditors	\$82 billion
Portion of the debt of the former U.S.S.R.	61%
Imports (Jan.-Sept. 1991)	\$20.9 billion
Exports (Jan.-Sept. 1991)	\$32.9 billion
Canadian direct investment in Russia (1992 estimated)	over \$300 million

#### Diplomatic Representation

Canadian ambassador in Moscow	Michael Bell
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