CANADA'S TOP 20 RANKED EXPORT COMMODITIES IN 1983

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Rank	Commodity Category	1983	% Total 1983 Exports	Cumulative % Share of Total
1	Passenger automobiles and chassis	9,573	10.8	10.8
2	Motor vehicle parts, exc. engines	5,753	6.5	17.3
3	Wheat	4,648	5.3	22.6
4	Trucks, truck tractors and chassis	4,215	4.7	27.3
5	Newsprint paper	4,005	4.5	31.8
6	Natural gas	3,958	4.5	36.3
7	Lumber softwood	3,900	4.4	40.7
8	Crude petroleum	3,457	3.9	44.6
9	Wood pulp and similar pulp	3,058	3.5	48.1
10	Petroleum and coal products	2,816	3.2	51.3
11	Precious metals, including alloys	1,828	2.1	53.4
12	Aluminum, including alloys	1,744	2.0	55.4
13	Motor vehicle engines and parts	1,549	1.8	57.2
14	Other telecommunications and related	·		
	equipment	1,466	1.7	58.9
15	Coal and other crude substances	1,313	1.5	60.4
16	Electricity	1,228	1.4	61.8
17	Organic chemicals	1,201	1.4	63.2
18	Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	1,160	1.3	64.5
19	Office machines and equipment	1,068	1.2	65.7
20	Iron ores and concentrates	972	1.1	66.8

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Source: Statistics Canada

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