

European Community – Fact Sheet

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| Member states: | Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, United Kingdom |
| Seat: | Brussels |
| Land area: | 2,361,680 km ² |
| Population: | 341 million |
| GDP: | \$5,878 billion (1989 est.) |
| Growth rate: | 3.5% (1989), 2.7% (1990 est.) |
| Unemployment rate: | 10.5% (1989), 9.4% (1990 est.) |
| Inflation rate: | 5.4% (1989), 4.7% (1990 est.) |
| Exchange rate: | ECU 1.00 = C\$1.54 |
| EC world imports: | \$640 billion (1989 est.) |
| Canadian imports from the EC: | \$14.9 billion (1989) |
| EC world exports: | \$610 billion (1989 est.) |
| Canadian exports to the EC: | \$11.3 billion (1989) Wood pulp (15% of total exports), softwood lumber (7%), computers and components (5%), iron ores and concentrates (4%), fish and seafood (3%), newsprint (3%), nickel (2%), aircraft and parts (2%) |
| Tourists to Canada from EC: | 1.5 million (1989 est.) |
| Tourism revenue from EC: | \$1.65 billion (1989 est.) |

Note: These unofficial estimated figures take into account the October 3, 1990 unification of East and West Germany.