

# JAPAN

|  | 1988   | 1989   | 1990   | 1991    | 1992    |
|--|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Real GDP growth (%)                          | 6.2    | 4.7    | 4.8    | 4.0     | 1.3     |
| GDP per capita PPP\$*                        | 14,801 | 16,130 | 17,645 | 19,107  | 19,664  |
| Unemployment rate (%)                        | 2.5    | 2.3    | 2.1    | 2.1     | 2.2     |
| Inflation rate (%)                           | 0.7    | 2.3    | 3.1    | 3.3     | 1.7     |
| Labour productivity growth (%)               | 4.4    | 2.8    | 2.7    | 2.1     | 0.2     |
|  | 1988   | 1989   | 1990   | 1991    | 1992    |
| Cdn dir. investment in Japan (\$M)           | 354    | 395    | 770    | 1,721   | n/a     |
| Japan dir. investment in Cda (\$M)           | 3,149  | 4,104  | 4,138  | 5,345   | n/a     |
| Immigrants received in Canada (no.)          | 348    | 541    | 369    | 502     | 603     |
| Students in Canada (no.)                     | 2,976  | 4,016  | 4,556  | 4,790   | 7,436   |
| Tourism in Canada (no.)                      |        |        |        | 480,308 | 495,823 |
| Can. export financing (med./long term) (\$M) |        |        |        |         | 55.4    |

\* PPP\$ = Purchasing power parity dollars

## CANADIAN TRADE WITH JAPAN

Millions of dollars

|   | 1988           | 1989           | 1990           | 1991            | 1992            |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Total Exports</b>                      | <b>8,813.2</b> | <b>8,844.2</b> | <b>8,230.3</b> | <b>7,157.2</b>  | <b>7,485.7</b>  |
| <u>Major exports</u>                      |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| Wood and articles of wood                 | 1,180.3        | 1,361.0        | 1,254.9        | 1,286.4         | 1,589.1         |
| Mineral fuels and oils                    | 1,482.5        | 1,495.5        | 1,487.3        | 1,312.1         | 1,094.6         |
| Ores, slag and ash                        | 854.7          | 915.4          | 964.2          | 742.9           | 672.6           |
| Oil seed and oleaginous fruits            | 643.7          | 653.3          | 713.7          | 604.1           | 583.5           |
| Wood pulp                                 | 943.4          | 1,036.1        | 662.7          | 516.3           | 566.8           |
|   | 1988           | 1989           | 1990           | 1991            | 1992            |
| <b>Total Imports</b>                      | <b>9,267.6</b> | <b>9,563.1</b> | <b>9,523.2</b> | <b>10,250.4</b> | <b>10,762.2</b> |
| <u>Major imports</u>                      |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| Motor vehicles and parts                  | 3,252.9        | 3,529.1        | 3,763.9        | 4,152.0         | 4,295.8         |
| Machinery, boilers, engines               | 1,986.5        | 1,954.5        | 2,098.8        | 2,161.9         | 2,418.8         |
| Electrical machinery and equipment        | 1,836.1        | 1,829.4        | 1,576.5        | 1,809.8         | 1,835.3         |
| Optical, photo, cinematographic equipment | 480.0          | 497.6          | 459.7          | 513.2           | 613.1           |
| Rubber and articles of rubber             | 192.8          | 194.1          | 192.9          | 196.1           | 183.0           |