Integrated Business Statistics Program (IBSP)

Annual Capital and Repair Expenditures Survey: Actual for 2023

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Introduction

Survey purpose

This survey collects data on capital and repair expenditures in Canada. The information is used by Federal and Provincial government departments and agencies, trade associations, universities and international organizations for policy development and as a measure of regional economic activity. Capital expenditures by business and by governments in Canada are one of the most important indicators of Canada's economic situation and are a key element of our National Accounts System.

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Re	porting instructions	
•	Please print in ink. Report dollar amounts in thousands of Canadian dollars. Exclude sales tax. When precise figures are not available, please provide your be Enter '0' if there is no value to report. Consult the reporting guide at www.statcan.gc.ca/CAPEX for	
Bus	siness or organization and contact information	on
1.	Verify or provide the business or organization's legal and op Note: Legal name modifications should only be done to correct a spelling error Legal name	perating name and correct where needed.
2.	Verify or provide the contact information of the designated questionnaire and correct where needed. Note: The designated contact person is the person who should receive this que actually completes the questionnaire. First name Title Mailing address (number and street) City Postal code or ZIP code Example: A9A 9A9 or 12345-1234 Country Email address Example: user@example.gov.ca	
	Telephone number (including area code) Example: 123-123-1234 Fax number (including area code) Example: 123-123-1234	Extension number (if applicable)

3.	Verify or provide the current operational status of the business or organization identified by the legal and operating name above.						
	B00323						
	1	Operational > Go to question 4					
	2	Not currently operational e.g., temporarily or permanently closed, change of ownership					
	Ļ	Why is this business or organization not currently operational?					
		² Seasonal operations > Go to question 3a					
		³ Ceased operations > Go to question 3b					
		Sold operations Sold operation 3c					
		⁵ Amalgamated with other businesses or organizations > Go to question 3d					
		⁶ Temporarily inactive but will re-open ▶ Go to question 3e					
		No longer operating due to other reasons > Go to question 3f					
3a	. Seas	sonal operations					
	Whe	en did this business or organization close for the season?					
	Date	B00217 YYYY MM DD					
	Whe	en does this business or organization expect to resume operations?					
	Date	YYYY MM DD					
3b	. Ceas	sed operations					
		en did this business or organization cease operations? YYYY MM DD B00211					
	Why	did this business or organization cease operations?					
	B00311	Bankruptcy					
	2	Liquidation					
	3	Dissolution Go to question 4					
	4	Other Specify the other reasons why the operations ceased					
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		B00312					

3c.	Sold operations	
	When was this business or organization sold? YYYY MM DD Date	
	What is the legal name of the buyer?	
	B00406	Go to question 4
3d.	Amalgamated with other businesses or organizations	
	When did this business or organization amalgamate? YYYY MM DD Date What is the legal name of the resulting or continuing business or organization?	8
	What are the legal names of the other amalgamated businesses or organizations?	
	B00408	Go to question 4
3e.	Temporarily inactive but will re-open	
	When did this business or organization become temporarily inactive? MM DD Date When does this business or organization expect to resume operations?	
	Date NMM DD	
	Why is this business or organization temporarily inactive?	
	B00313	Go to question 4
3f.	No longer operating due to other reasons	
	When did this business or organization cease operations? YYYY MM DD Date Why did this business or organization cease operations?	
	B00314	

4.	Verify or provide the current main activity of the business or organization identified by the legal and operating name. Note: The described activity was assigned using the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). **B05002** This is the current main activity
	B05003
5.	Was this business or organization's main activity ever classified as: BOSSITI 1 Yes 2 No ▶ Go to next section
6.	When did the main activity change? Date MM DD

Re	eporting period information
1.	What are the start and end dates of this organization's fiscal year for this survey? Note: For this survey, the end date should fall between April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.
	Fiscal Year B00205 Start date YYYY MM DD Fiscal Year B00206 End date YYYY MM DD Fiscal Year B00206 End date
2.	If the reporting period does not cover a full year , please check the reason(s) below (mark all that apply):
	B00301_r1
	Seasonal operations Change of fiscal year B00301_r2 Change of fiscal year
	New business Ceased operations B00301_r3 B00301_r7
	Change of ownership Other reason — please specify:
	Temporarily inactive
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Capital and repair expenditures

1. Please provide information on this organization's gross capital expenditures for the 2023 fiscal year.

ACTUAL 2023						
	New Assets and All Financial Leases (include used fixed assets if imported)	Purchase of Used Canadian Assets	Renovation Retrofit Refurbishing Overhauling Restoration	Total Capital Expenditures (sum of columns 2, 3 and 4)		
Columns (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
		CAN\$	'000			
a) Land	,000,	N/A	N/A	N/A		
b) Residential construction	,000,	,000,	,000,	N/A		
c) Total non- residential construction	BOX A1	,000	BOX A2 ,000	,000		
d) Total machinery and equipment (excluding software)	BOX B1	,000,	BOX B2	,000		

Note: Further detail will be required on page 10.

2. Please provide a breakdown by asset code for the following: (Please refer to the reporting guide for codes)

	NON-RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE ACQUISITIONS TO WORK IN PROGRESS)						
	Asset code	New Assets including financial leases (include used fixed assets if imported)	Purchase of Used Canadian Assets	Renovation, Retrofit, Refurbishing, Overhauling, Restoration	Total Capital Expenditures (sum of columns 2, 3 and 4)	Expected Useful Life of Assets in Column 1	
	Columns (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
			CANS	000		Years	
a)		,000	,000	,000	,000,		
b)		,000	,000	,000	,000,		
c)	1	,000	,000,	,000	,000,		
d)		,000,	,000,	,000	,000,		
e)		,000,	,000,	,000	,000,		
f)		,000,	,000,	,000	,000,		
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l)		,000,	,000,	,000,	,000,		

3. Please provide a breakdown by Asset code for the following: (Please refer to the reporting guide for codes)

	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT (INCLUDE ACQUISITIONS TO WORK IN PROGRESS)						
	Asset code	New Assets including financial leases (include used fixed assets if imported)	Purchase of Used Canadian Assets	Renovation, Retrofit, Refurbishing, Overhauling, Restoration	Total Capital Expenditures (sum of columns 2, 3 and 4)	Expected Useful Life of Assets in Column 1	
	Columns (1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
			CAN	3'000		Years	
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b)		,000,	,000,	,000,	,000,		
c)		,000,	,000,	,000,	,000		
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q)		,000,	,000,	,000,	,000,		

4. What were the organization's gross capital expenditures for the following categories?

	CAN\$'000
a) Non-capitalized repair and maintenance expenditures	,000
b) Of the amount reported for non-capitalized repair and maintenance expenditures, enter an amount representing machinery and equipment (include vehicles and office equipment)	,000
c) Total dollar value of your capital work in progress (buildings, other construction, machinery and equipment, software) at year end?	,000

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ာ.	FOI THE ZUZO HS	scai vear. What were i	nis organization s	expenditures for software;

		New Assets (Include used fixed assets if imported)	Purchase of Used Canadian Assets	Renovation, Retrofit, Refurbishing, Overhauling, Restoration	Total Capital Expenditures	Expected useful life (years)		
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
	Software		CAN\$'000					
a)	Pre-packaged software	,000	,000	,000	,000			
b)	Custom-designed software	,000	,000	,000	,000			

6. For the 2023 fiscal year, what were this organization's expenditures for oil and gas and mineral exploration?

	704	Total Capital Expenditures
	Oil and Gas and Mineral Exploration	(1) CAN\$'000
a)	Exploration drilling for oil and gas	,000
b)	Other oil and gas exploration	,000,
c)	Mineral exploration	,000,
d)	Grand Total (sum of a, b, c)	,000

7. Please provide the source of funding breakdown for gross capital expenditures (excluding land).	CAN\$ '000
a) Municipal or regional government grants, subsidies, and contributions Exclude Internal funds	,000
 b) Provincial and territorial government grants, subsidies, and contributions Exclude Internal funds 	,000
c) Federal government grants, subsidies, and contributions Exclude Internal funds	,000,
d) Private, internal and other source of funding. Include internal funds and funds from sales of goods and services (including user fees), private donations, and developers' contributions.	,000,

Cost component of expenditures (own account work)

8. For the 2023 fiscal year, please provide details on the cost of own account (internal costs) imputed to fixed assets.

	Salaries and Wages	Materials and Supplies	Other charges	Total - Value of Own account work
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
		CAN	000°	
a) Non-residential construction capital expenditures (such as site preparation by own employees, internal pre-construction planning costs)	,000	,000	,000	,000
b) Non-capitalized repair and maintenance construction	,000	,000,	,000	,000,
c) Machinery and equipment capital expenditures (e.g., ship built for own-use, upgrades to vehicles by own employees, capitalized tooling by own employees, etc.)	,000	2 000	,000	,000,
d) Non-capitalized machinery and equipment repair and maintenance expenses	1000	,000	,000	,000
e) Software development capital expenditures (internal development for internal use)	,,000	,000,	,000,	,000

Gross Capital Expenditures - Environmental protection and resources management activities

9. For the **2023** fiscal year, what were this organization's gross capital expenditures for **each environmental protection and resources management activity**?

When precise figures are not available, provide your best estimate.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACTIVITY	
	CAN\$ '000
 a) Solid waste management Capital expenditures related to non-hazardous and hazardous solid waste collection, transport, treatment, storage, disposal, recycling, and composting, and activities related to measurement, control, and laboratories. Exclude capital expenditures on sewage or wastewater management, and treatment of high-level radioactive waste. 	,000
b) Wastewater management Capital expenditures related to prevention of wastewater through in-process modifications, wastewater treatment (including pollution abatement and control (end-of-pipe) processes), management of substances released to surface waters, municipal sewer systems, soil, or underground. Include capital expenditures related to treatment of cooling water for disposal, installation of sewage infrastructure, expenditures related to the use, collection, treatment and disposal of sewage (including septic tanks), and activities related to measurement, control, and laboratories. Exclude expenditures on the protection of groundwater from pollutant infiltration and the cleaning up of soil and water bodies after pollution.	,000
c) Air pollution management Capital expenditures related to air pollution prevention (i.e., the elimination of pollution at the source) and air pollution abatement and control (i.e., end-of-pipe processes), including monitoring. e.g., scrubbers, air and off-gas treatments, low emitting burners, leak detection technologies Exclude heat or energy savings and management, the purchase or lease of fuel efficient vehicles and equipment, the production of renewable or clean energy, the purchase of biofuels, biochemicals or biomaterials, and the purchase of carbon offset credits and carbon taxes.	,000
d) Protection and remediation of soil, groundwater and surface water Capital expenditures for the prevention of pollution infiltration, cleaning up of soil and water bodies, protection of soil from erosion, salinization and physical degradation, monitoring, and site reclamation and decommissioning. Include decommissioning expenditures incurred in the 2023 fiscal year even if the site closed before this period. Exclude capital expenditures on wastewater management.	,000
e) Protection of biodiversity and habitat Capital expenditures related to protecting wildlife and habitat from the effects of economic activity and to restoring wildlife or habitat that has been adversely affected by such activity, including monitoring.	,000
f) Noise and vibration abatement Capital expenditures related to the control, reduction and abatement of industrial and transport noise and vibration related to the activities of this organization. Exclude the abatement of noise and vibration for the purpose of workplace protection.	,000
g) Protection against radiation Capital expenditures for the reduction or elimination of the negative consequences of high-level radiation, including the handling, transportation and treatment of high-level radioactive waste – that is, waste that requires shielding during normal handling and transportation because of its high radionuclide content. Exclude the management of low-level radioactive waste, and the protection against radiation for the purpose of workplace protection.	,000
h) Other environmental protection activities Capital expenditures related to other initiatives not listed above. Report imputed interest on funds held in trust against future environmental liabilities. Exclude capital expenditures related to research and development, to heat or energy savings and management, the purchase or lease of fuel efficient vehicles and transportation goods, the production of renewable or clean energy, and the purchase of biofuels, biochemicals or biomaterials.	,000

Capital e	RESOURCES MANAGEMENT ACTIVITY d energy savings and management	CAN\$ '000
Capital e	d energy savings and management	CANO UUU
energy r	expenditures related to minimizing the intake of energy through in-process modifications as well as misation of heat and energy losses. This includes in-process modifications, insulation activities, ecovery, monitoring related to energy saving, and lighting upgrades.	,0(
Capital e	ruel efficient vehicles and transportation goods or technologies expenditures related to the purchase or the lease of electric and hybrid vehicles, vehicles using ve fuels, alternative fuel retrofits on existing vehicles, and low-rolling resistance tires.	,0
	tion of nuclear energy, whether for sale or own use expenditures related to the production of nuclear power.	.00
Capital 6	tion of energy from renewable sources, whether for sale or own use expenditures related to the production of electricity or heat from renewable sources. Ind., geothermal, hydro, solar, and waste to energy	,00
Drivers	and obstacles - Environmental protection and resources management	activities
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	Specify other drivers:	
-	DR There were no drivers during the 2023 fiscal year 05353_r11	

11.	equip	of the following were obstacles to the adoption of new or significantly improved clean technologies, systems or ment for this organization during the 2023 fiscal year?
		Lack of regulations
		Changing regulations
		Insufficient return on investment i.e., no business case
		Competing capital investments B05353_r29
		Difficulty obtaining financing e.g. , internal, private or government
		Lack of information or knowledge related to systems or equipment (new or significantly improved)
		Lack of available systems or equipment (new or significantly improved)
		Lack of technical skills required to support this type of investment
		Lack of technical support or services e.g., from consultants or vendors
		Regulatory or policy barriers
		Organizational structure too inflexible
		Decisions made by parent, affiliate or subsidiary businesses
		Difficulty in integrating new technologies with existing infrastructure, systems, standards and processes
		Other obstacles B05553_r24 Specify other obstacles:
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		805353_25 OR
		There were no obstacles during the 2023 fiscal year

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Ch	ang	jes or events
13.	the	cate any changes or events that affected the reported values for this business or organization, compared with last reporting period.
		Strike or lock-out
		Exchange rate impact B00302_t2
		Price changes in goods or services sold
		Contracting out B00302_14
		Organizational change B00302_15
		Price changes in labour or raw materials 800302_16
		Natural disaster B00302_17
		Recession B00302_18
		Change in product line
		Sold business or business units B00302_t10
		Expansion B00302_t11
		New or lost contract
		Plant closures B00302_t13 Acquisition of business or business units
		Other changes or events — specify:
		B00302_tt5
		B00302_t16 OR
		No changes or events

Co	ntact person
14.	Statistics Canada may need to contact the person who completed this questionnaire for further information.
	If the contact person is the same as on cover page, please check • Go to "Feedback"
	Otherwise, who is the best person to contact about this questionnaire? First name
	Last name
	Title
	Email address (Example: user@example.gov.ca)
	Telephone number (including area code) Example: 123-123-1234 Extension number (if applicable)
	Fax number (including area code) Example: 123-123-1234
Fe	edback
	Hours Minutes How long did it take to complete this questionnaire?
15.	Hours Minutes
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General information

Confidentiality

Your answers are confidential.

By law, Statistics Canada is prohibited from releasing any information it collects that could identify any person, business, or organization, unless consent has been given by the respondent, or as permitted by the *Statistics Act*. Statistics Canada will use the information from this survey for statistical purposes only.

Data-sharing agreements

To reduce respondent burden, Statistics Canada has entered into data-sharing agreements with provincial and territorial statistical agencies and other government organizations, which have agreed to keep the data confidential and use them only for statistical purposes. Statistics Canada will only share data from this survey with those organizations that have demonstrated a requirement to use the data.

Section 11 of the *Statistics Act* provides for the sharing of information with provincial and territorial statistical agencies that meet certain conditions. These agencies must have the legislative authority to collect the same information, on a mandatory basis, and the legislation must provide substantially the same provisions for confidentiality and penalties for disclosure of confidential information as the *Statistics Act*. Because these agencies have the legal authority to compel businesses to provide the same information, consent is not requested and businesses may not object to the sharing of the data.

For this survey, there are **Section 11** agreements with the provincial and territorial statistical agencies of Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, and the Yukon. The shared data will be limited to information pertaining to business establishments located within the jurisdiction of the respective province or territory.

Approved disclosure

Section 17 of the federal *Statistics Act* allows for the disclosure of certain information relating to an individual, business or organization. Statistics Canada will only disclose information where there is a demonstrated statistical need and for the public good, and when it will not harm individuals, organizations or businesses if data

were disclosed. For the Capital and Repair Expenditures Survey, The Chief Statistician has authorized the release of data relating to carriers, public utilities and non-commercial institutions including, but not limited to, hospitals, libraries, educational institutions, federal government entities and individual provincial, territorial and municipal governments. These include capital and repair expenditure expenditures at the aggregate level.

Section 12 of the *Statistics Act* provides for the sharing of information with federal, provincial or territorial government organizations.

Under **Section 12**, you may refuse to share your information with any of these organizations by writing a letter of objection to the Chief Statistician, specifying the organizations with which you do not want Statistics Canada to share your data and mailing it to the following address:

Chief Statistician of Canada Statistics Canada Attention of Director, Enterprise Statistics Division 150 Tunney's Pasture Driveway Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0T6

You may also contact us by email at <u>statcan.esdhelpdesk-dsebureaudedepannage.statcan@statcan.gc.ca</u> or by fax at 613-951-6583.

For this survey, there are **Section 12** agreements with the statistical agencies of Prince Edward Island, the Northwest Territories and Nunavut as well as Environment and Climate Change Canada, Infrastructure Canada, the Canada Energy Regulator, Natural Resources Canada and Sustainable Development Technology Canada.

For agreements with provincial and territorial government organizations, the shared data will be limited to information pertaining to business establishments located within the jurisdiction of the respective province or territory.

Record linkages

To enhance the data from this survey and to reduce the reporting burden, Statistics Canada may combine the acquired data with information from other surveys or from administrative sources.

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

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