

2016 Monthly Oil and Other Liquid Petroleum Products Pipeline Survey

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Legal name	
Operating name	
First name	
Last name	
Title	
Address (number and street)	
City	
Province, territory or state	Postal code or ZIP code
Country	

Business or organization and contact information

Email address	Telephone number (including area code)	Extension number
Preferred language of communication	Fax number (including area code)	
☐ English ☐ French		

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Introduction

Survey purpose

The purpose of this survey is to obtain information on the supply of, and/or demand for, energy in Canada. This information serves as an important indicator of Canadian economic performance, and is used by all levels of government in establishing informed policies in the energy area. The private sector also uses this information in the corporate decision-making process. Your information may also be used by Statistics Canada for other statistical and research purposes.

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Business status

1. Is this business or organization currently in operation?

B00309

- ☐ Yes ► **Go to next section**
- ☐ No, seasonal operations ► **Go to question 2**
- ☐ No, ceased all operations ► **Go to question 4**
- ☐ No, sold all operations ► **Go to question 6**
- ☐ No, amalgamated with (an) other business(es) ► **Go to question 8**
- ☐ No, temporarily inactive but will re-open ► **Go to question 11**
- ☐ No, no longer operating due to other reason(s) ► **Go to question 14**

2. When did this business or organization close for the season?

YYYY MM DD

B00217

Date

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3. When does this business or organization expect to resume operations?

YYYY MM DD

B00218

Date

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► **Go to next section**

4. When did this business or organization cease all operations?

YYYY MM DD

B00211

Date

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5. Why did this business or organization cease all operations?

B00311

- ☐ Bankruptcy
- ☐ Liquidation
- ☐ Dissolution
- ☐ Other reason — please specify:

B00312

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► **Go to next section**

6. When was this business or organization sold?

YYYY MM DD

B00212

Date

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7. What is the legal name of the buyer?

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8. When did this business or organization amalgamate?

Date B00213

YYYY	MM	DD

9. What is the legal name of the resulting or continuing business or organization?

B00407

10. What is (are) the legal name(s) of the other amalgamated business(es) or organization(s)?

B00408

► Go to next section

11. When did this business or organization become temporarily inactive?

Date B00214

YYYY	MM	DD

12. When does this business or organization expect to resume operations?

Date B00215

YYYY	MM	DD

13. Why is this business or organization temporarily inactive?

B00313

► Go to next section

14. When did this business or organization cease operations?

Date B00216

YYYY	MM	DD

15. Why did this business or organization cease operations?

B00314

► Go to next section

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1. Please print in ink.
2. Please report for calendar year.
3. Percentages should be rounded to whole numbers.
4. Do not report in decimals. Round all values to the nearest whole number.
5. Consult the reporting guide at www.statcan.gc.ca/guides-e for further information.
6. When precise figures are not available, please provide your best estimates.

Business activity

1. Statistics Canada uses the **North American Industrial Classification System** to classify the activities of each business or organization. According to our records, this business or organization's **main activity** is classified as:

Is this the **main activity** of this business or organization?

B05002

- ☐ Yes, this is the **main activity** of this business or organization. ► **Go to question 1c**
- ☐ No, this is **not the main activity** of this business or organization. ► **Go to question 1a**

- a. Was this business or organization's main activity, which typically generates the most revenue, **ever** classified as described above?

B05111

- ☐ Yes ► **When did the main activity change?** ► **Date :** B00219 YYYY MM DD
- ☐ No ► **Go to question 1b**

- b. Please provide a **brief but precise description** of this business or organization's **main activity** (e.g., "breakfast cereal manufacturing" or "shoe store" or "software development").

B05003

- c. Approximately what **percentage of this business or organization's revenue** is generated by this **main activity**?

B05004

Estimates are acceptable. %

Are there any other activities that **contribute significantly** (at least 10%) to this **business or organization's revenue**?

B05024

- ☐ Yes ► **Go to question 1d**
- ☐ No ► **Go to next page**
- d. Please provide a **brief but precise description** of this business or organization's **secondary activity**. (e.g., "breakfast cereal manufacturing" or "shoe store" or "software development").

B05005

- e. Approximately what **percentage of this business or organization's revenue** is generated by this **secondary activity**?

B05006

Estimates are acceptable. %

Characteristics

Receipts of crude oil and equivalent products — imports

1. How many cubic metres (m³) of **imported** crude oil and equivalent products were **received via pipeline** into each of the following provinces?

Report the volume in the **province where the crude oil or equivalent product first entered Canada**, even if it is not the final destination.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E43011_g1

E43011_g2

E43011_g3

E43011_g4

E43011_g5

E43011_g6

E43011_g7

E43000

Total imports of crude oil and equivalent products

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Receipts of crude oil and equivalent products — from Canadian sources

2. How many cubic metres (m³) of **crude oil and equivalent products** were received directly from any of the following **Canadian sources** in each of the following provinces?

	From fields	From plants	From other pipelines, internal to the province of operations	From other sources
	Cubic metres (m³)			
	E46015_sr1_g1	E46015_sr2_g1	E46015_sr3_g1	E46015_sr5_g1
a. Quebec				
	E46015_sr1_g2	E46015_sr2_g2	E46015_sr3_g2	E46015_sr5_g2
b. Ontario				
	E46015_sr1_g3	E46015_sr2_g3	E46015_sr3_g3	E46015_sr5_g3
c. Manitoba				
	E46015_sr1_g4	E46015_sr2_g4	E46015_sr3_g4	E46015_sr5_g4
d. Saskatchewan				
	E46015_sr1_g5	E46015_sr2_g5	E46015_sr3_g5	E46015_sr5_g5
e. Alberta				
	E46015_sr1_g6	E46015_sr2_g6	E46015_sr3_g6	E46015_sr5_g6
f. British Columbia				
	E46015_sr1_g7	E46015_sr2_g7	E46015_sr3_g7	E46015_sr5_g7
g. Northwest Territories				
	E46030	E46040	E46050	E46070
Total amount received				

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Receipts of crude oil and equivalent products — opening inventories for the month

3. Our records indicate that last month this business provided the following information as closing inventory for crude oil and equivalent products. It is being used as the opening inventory for the month.

If the opening inventory is blank, please provide the missing values.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories
- h. United States

Held in pipelines	Held in tanks and terminals
Cubic metres (m ³)	
E44015_g1	E44016_g1
E44015_g2	E44016_g2
E44015_g3	E44016_g3
E44015_g4	E44016_g4
E44015_g5	E44016_g5
E44015_g6	E44016_g6
E44015_g7	E44016_g7
E44015_g8	E44016_g8
E44130	E44140
Total opening inventory of crude oil and equivalent products	
Grand total opening inventory of crude oil and equivalent products	

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Disposition of crude oil and equivalent products — exports

4. How many cubic metres (m³) of **crude oil and equivalent products** were exported via pipeline from each of the following provinces?

Report the volume in the **province where the crude oil or equivalent product left Canada**, even if it is not the original source province.

	Cubic metres (m ³)
a. Quebec	E63011_g1
b. Ontario	E63011_g2
c. Manitoba	E63011_g3
d. Saskatchewan	E63011_g4
e. Alberta	E63011_g5
f. British Columbia	E63011_g6
g. Northwest Territories	E63011_g7
Total exports of crude oil and equivalent products	E63000

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Disposition of crude oil and equivalent products — deliveries

5. How many cubic metres (m³) of **crude oil and equivalent products** were delivered directly to any of the following in each of the following provinces?

	To other pipelines, internal to the province of operations	To refineries	To bulk plants, terminals, processing plants or upgraders	To 'other deliveries' (e.g., rail, trucks, or tankers)
	Cubic metres (m ³)			
	E62034_sr1_g1	E62034_sr2_g1	E62034_sr3_g1	E62034_sr5_g1
a. Quebec				
	E62034_sr1_g2	E62034_sr2_g2	E62034_sr3_g2	E62034_sr5_g2
b. Ontario				
	E62034_sr1_g3	E62034_sr2_g3	E62034_sr3_g3	E62034_sr5_g3
c. Manitoba				
	E62034_sr1_g4	E62034_sr2_g4	E62034_sr3_g4	E62034_sr5_g4
d. Saskatchewan				
	E62034_sr1_g5	E62034_sr2_g5	E62034_sr3_g5	E62034_sr5_g5
e. Alberta				
	E62034_sr1_g6	E62034_sr2_g6	E62034_sr3_g6	E62034_sr5_g6
f. British Columbia				
	E62034_sr1_g7	E62034_sr2_g7	E62034_sr3_g7	E62034_sr5_g7
g. Northwest Territories				
	E62150	E62160	E62170	E62190
Total amount delivered				

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Disposition of crude oil and equivalent products — closing inventory for the month

6. What was this business's **closing inventory** in cubic metres (m³) of **crude oil and equivalent products** in each of the following provinces and countries of operation?

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories
- h. United States

Held in pipelines	Held in tanks and terminals
Cubic metres (m ³)	
E44017_g1	E44018_g1
E44017_g2	E44018_g2
E44017_g3	E44018_g3
E44017_g4	E44018_g4
E44017_g5	E44018_g5
E44017_g6	E44018_g6
E44017_g7	E44018_g7
E44017_g8	E44018_g8
E44160	E44170
Total closing inventory of crude oil and equivalent products	
E44180	
Grand total closing inventory of crude oil and equivalent products	

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Disposition of Crude oil and equivalent products — Line losses and adjustments

7. What were the losses or adjustments in each of the following provinces?
Use a “-” to report losses and adjustments, where it applies.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E66004_g1

E66004_g2

E66004_g3

E66004_g4

E66004_g5

E66004_g6

E66004_g7

E66010

Total losses or adjustments of crude oil and equivalent products

Thousands of cubic metre kilometres

8. If you have interprovincial pipeline movements of **crude oil and equivalent products**, please provide the total number of **cubic metre kilometres**, in thousands, for each of the following provinces of operation.

Note: If your pipelines move crude oil and equivalent products **within only one province**, please proceed to the next question.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Thousands cubic metre kilometres (m³ km '000)

E62108_g1

E62108_g2

E62108_g3

E62108_g4

E62108_g5

E62108_g6

E62108_g7

E62270

Total number of cubic metre kilometres of crude oil and equivalent products for this pipeline. ..

Foreign crude oil and equivalent products via Canadian pipelines for destinations in the United States by province of operation — In Transit

9. How many cubic metres (m³) of foreign **crude oil and equivalent products** were received **via Canadian pipelines** for **destinations in the United States** by the following province of operation?
e.g., Report the volumes in the province where the U.S. crude first entered Canada

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E46016_g1

E46016_g2

E46016_g3

E46016_g4

E46016_g5

E46016_g6

E46016_g7

E46090

Total amount of foreign crude oil and equivalent products via Canadian pipelines for destinations in the United States

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Domestic crude oil via United States pipelines for Canadian destinations by province of operation — Ex Transit

10. How many cubic metres (m³) of domestic **crude oil and equivalent products** were received **via United States pipelines** for **destinations in Canada** by the following province of operation?

e.g., Report the volumes in the province where the domestic crude first entered Canada

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E46017_g1

E46017_g2

E46017_g3

E46017_g4

E46017_g5

E46017_g6

E46017_g7

E46100

Total amount of domestic crude oil and equivalent products via United States pipelines for destinations in Canada

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Receipts of propane, butane and other products — imports

11. How many cubic metres (m³) of **imported propane, butane, and other products** were **received via pipeline** into each of the following provinces?

Report the volume in the **province where the propane, butane, or other product first entered Canada**, even if it is not the final destination.

	Cubic metres (m ³)
a. Quebec	E43012_g1
b. Ontario	E43012_g2
c. Manitoba	E43012_g3
d. Saskatchewan	E43012_g4
e. Alberta	E43012_g5
f. British Columbia	E43012_g6
g. Northwest Territories	E43012_g7
Total imports of propane, butane and other products	E43010

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Receipts of propane, butane and other products — from Canadian sources

12. How many cubic metres (m³) of propane, butane, and other products were received directly from any of the following sources in each of the following provinces?

	From fields	From plants	From other pipelines, internal to the province of operations	From other sources
	Cubic metres (m³)			
a. Quebec	E46018_sr1_g1 	E46018_sr2_g1 	E46018_sr3_g1 	E46018_sr5_g1
b. Ontario	E46018_sr1_g2 	E46018_sr2_g2 	E46018_sr3_g2 	E46018_sr5_g2
c. Manitoba	E46018_sr1_g3 	E46018_sr2_g3 	E46018_sr3_g3 	E46018_sr5_g3
d. Saskatchewan	E46018_sr1_g4 	E46018_sr2_g4 	E46018_sr3_g4 	E46018_sr5_g4
e. Alberta	E46018_sr1_g5 	E46018_sr2_g5 	E46018_sr3_g5 	E46018_sr5_g5
f. British Columbia	E46018_sr1_g6 	E46018_sr2_g6 	E46018_sr3_g6 	E46018_sr5_g6
g. Northwest Territories	E46018_sr1_g7 	E46018_sr2_g7 	E46018_sr3_g7 	E46018_sr5_g7
Total amount received	E46110 	E46120 	E46130 	E46150

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Supply of propane, butane and other products — opening inventories

13. Our records indicate that last month this business provided the following information as closing inventory for propane, butane, and other products. It is being used as the opening inventory for the month.

If the opening inventory is blank, please provide the missing values.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories
- h. United States

Held in pipelines	Held in tanks and terminals
Cubic metres (m ³)	
E44021_g1	E44022_g1
E44021_g2	E44022_g2
E44021_g3	E44022_g3
E44021_g4	E44022_g4
E44021_g5	E44022_g5
E44021_g6	E44022_g6
E44021_g7	E44022_g7
E44021_g8	E44022_g8
E44200	E44210
Total opening inventory of propane, butane and other products	
Grand total opening inventory of propane, butane and other products E44220	

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Disposition of propane, butane and other products — exports

14. How many cubic metres (m³) of **propane, butane and other products** were exported **via pipeline** from each of the following provinces?

Report the volume in the **province where the propane, butane, and other products left Canada**, even if it is not the original source province.

Cubic metres (m³)

E63012_g1

a. Quebec

E63012_g2

b. Ontario

E63012_g3

c. Manitoba

E63012_g4

d. Saskatchewan

E63012_g5

e. Alberta

E63012_g6

f. British Columbia

E63012_g7

g. Northwest Territories

E63010

Total amount of exported propane, butane and other products

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Disposition of propane, butane and other products — deliveries

15. How many cubic metres (m³) of **propane, butane, and other products** were delivered to the following in each of the following provinces?

	To other pipelines, internal to the province of operation	To refineries	To bulk plants, terminals, processing plants or upgraders	To 'other deliveries' (e.g., rail, trucks, or tankers)
	Cubic metres (m ³)			
	E62035_sr1_g1	E62035_sr2_g1	E62035_sr3_g1	E62035_sr5_g1
a. Quebec				
	E62035_sr1_g2	E62035_sr2_g2	E62035_sr3_g2	E62035_sr5_g2
b. Ontario				
	E62035_sr1_g3	E62035_sr2_g3	E62035_sr3_g3	E62035_sr5_g3
c. Manitoba				
	E62035_sr1_g4	E62035_sr2_g4	E62035_sr3_g4	E62035_sr5_g4
d. Saskatchewan				
	E62035_sr1_g5	E62035_sr2_g5	E62035_sr3_g5	E62035_sr5_g5
e. Alberta				
	E62035_sr1_g6	E62035_sr2_g6	E62035_sr3_g6	E62035_sr5_g6
f. British Columbia				
	E62035_sr1_g7	E62035_sr2_g7	E62035_sr3_g7	E62035_sr5_g7
g. Northwest Territories				
	E62210	E62220	E62230	E62250
Total amount delivered				

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Disposition of propane, butane and other products — company own use

16. How many cubic metres (m³) of **propane, butane, and other refined petroleum products** were consumed by this business for its own pipeline operation?

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E64018_g1

E64018_g2

E64018_g3

E64018_g4

E64018_g5

E64018_g6

E64018_g7

E64030

Total amount of propane, butane and other products consumed for company's own use . . .

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Disposition of propane, butane and other products — closing inventories

17. What was this business's **closing inventory** in cubic metres (m³) of **propane, butane, and other products** in each of the following provinces and countries of operation?

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories
- h. United States

Held in pipelines	Held in tanks and terminals
Cubic metres (m ³)	
E44023_g1	E44024_g1
E44023_g2	E44024_g2
E44023_g3	E44024_g3
E44023_g4	E44024_g4
E44023_g5	E44024_g5
E44023_g6	E44024_g6
E44023_g7	E44024_g7
E44023_g8	E44024_g8
E44230	E44240
Total closing inventory of propane, butane and other products	
E44250	
Grand total closing inventory of propane, butane and other products	

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Disposition of propane, butane and other products — line losses and adjustments

18. What were the losses or adjustments in each of the following provinces?

Use a “-” to report losses and adjustments, where it applies.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E66005_g1

E66005_g2

E66005_g3

E66005_g4

E66005_g5

E66005_g6

E66005_g7

E66020

Total losses or adjustments of propane, butane, and other products

Thousands of cubic metre kilometres

19. If you have interprovincial pipeline movements of **propane, butane and other products**, please provide the total number of **cubic metre kilometres**, in thousands, for each of the following provinces of operation.

Note: If your pipelines move propane, butane and other products **within only one province**, please proceed to the next question.

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Thousands cubic metres kilometres (m³ km '000)

E62109_g1

E62109_g2

E62109_g3

E62109_g4

E62109_g5

E62109_g6

E62109_g7

E62280

Total number of cubic metre kilometres of propane, butane, and other products for this pipeline

Foreign propane, butane and other products via Canadian pipelines for destinations in the United States by province of operation — In Transit

20. How many cubic metres (m³) of foreign **propane, butane, and other products** were received **via Canadian pipelines** for **destinations in the United States** by the following province of operation?
e.g., Report the volumes in the province where the U.S. propane, butane, and other products first entered Canada

- a. Quebec
- b. Ontario
- c. Manitoba
- d. Saskatchewan
- e. Alberta
- f. British Columbia
- g. Northwest Territories

Cubic metres (m³)

E46019_g1

E46019_g2

E46019_g3

E46019_g4

E46019_g5

E46019_g6

E46019_g7

E46170

Total amount of foreign propane, butane and other products received via Canadian pipelines for destinations in the United States

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Domestic propane, butane and other products via United States pipelines for Canadian destinations by province of operation — Ex Transit

21. How many cubic metres (m³) of domestic **propane, butane, and other products** were received via **United States pipelines** for **destinations in Canada** by the following province of operation?
e.g., Report the volumes in the province where the domestic propane, butane, and other products first entered Canada

	Cubic metres (m³)
a. Quebec	E46021_g1
b. Ontario	E46021_g2
c. Manitoba	E46021_g3
d. Saskatchewan	E46021_g4
e. Alberta	E46021_g5
f. British Columbia	E46021_g6
g. Northwest Territories	E46021_g7
Total amount of domestic propane, butane and other products received via the United States pipelines for destinations in Canada	E46180

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Events

1. Please indicate below, any changes or events that may have affected the reported values for this business or organization compared to the last reporting period (mark all that apply):

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☐ strike or lockout

B00302_t2

☐ exchange rate impact

B00302_t3

☐ price changes in goods or services sold

B00302_t4

☐ contracting out

B00302_t5

☐ organizational change

B00302_t6

☐ price changes in labour or raw materials

B00302_t7

☐ natural disaster

B00302_t8

☐ recession

B00302_t9

☐ change in product line

B00302_t10

☐ sold business units

B00302_t11

☐ expansion

B00302_t12

☐ new/lost contract

B00302_t13

☐ plant closures

B00302_t14

☐ acquisition of business units

B00302_t15

☐ other change or event — please specify:

B00302_t16

B00302_t17

☐ no change or event

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Contact person

Name of person to contact about this questionnaire:

First name

Last name

Title

Email address

Telephone number

Extension number

Fax number

hours

minutes

How long did you spend collecting the data and completing the questionnaire?

Comments

We invite your comments below.

If necessary, please attach a separate sheet.

Please be assured that we review all comments with the intent of improving the survey.

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General information

Confidentiality

Your answers are confidential.

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from releasing any information it collects which 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 information from this survey for statistical purposes.

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.

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 and returning it with the completed questionnaire. Please specify the organizations with which you do not want to share your data.

For this survey, there are **Section 12** agreements with the statistical agencies of Prince Edward Island, the Northwest Territories and Nunavut as well as with the Ontario Ministry of Energy, the Manitoba Department of Mineral Resources, the Saskatchewan Ministry of the Economy, Alberta Energy, Alberta Energy Regulator, the British Columbia Ministry of Energy and Mines, the British Columbia Ministry of Natural Gas Development, National Energy Board, Natural Resources Canada and Environment 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.

Note that there is no right of refusal with respect to sharing the data with the Saskatchewan Ministry of the Economy for businesses also required to report under *The Oil and Gas Conservation Act and Regulations* (Saskatchewan) and *The Mineral Resources Act* (Saskatchewan).

The Saskatchewan Ministry of the Economy will use the information obtained from these businesses in accordance with the provisions of its respective Acts and Regulations.

Record linkages

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

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

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