

# Canada

#### Location and main indicators

Capital Otawa Language **English** Area 9 984 670 km<sup>2</sup> **Population** 34 million

**GDP 2011** 1 737 billion USD GDP per capita 50 436 USD

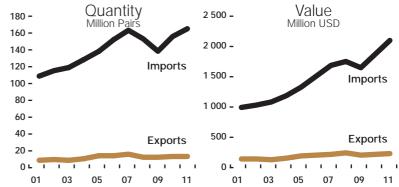
Δ GDP 2011 +2.5% Δ GDP last 5 years +5.8% Currency

Dollar (CAD)



### Footwear industry

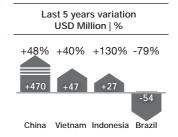
	Value		Quantity		Prices
2011	Million USD	World Rank	Million Pairs	World Rank	USD
Exports	224	37	12	42	18.00
Imports	2 089	12	164	14	12.72
Production			8	71	
Consumption			160	20	



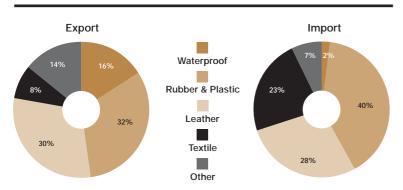
#### Main trading partners 2011

Export Markets	Million USD	Value Share	Million Pairs	Quantity Share	Last 5 years variation USD Million   %			
USA	203	90%	12	94%	+11%	+94%	-64%	-989
Russian Fed	I. 4	2%	0.1	1%				
Germany	2	1%	0.1	1%	+20	+2		
Japan	2	1%	0.0	0%			-1	-4
Chile	1	1%	0.1	1%	USA	Russian	UK	Israe

Import Origins	Million USD	Value Share	Million Pairs	Quantity Share
China	1 450	69%	137	83%
Vietnam	165	8%	10	6%
Italy	109	5%	2	1%
Indonesia	49	2%	3	2%
USA	36	2%	2	1%



# Types of footwear traded 2011 (quantity)



## **Recent developments**

Canada has a small footwear industry, located mostly in Montreal and the Quebec province, composed of some 30 companies employing over 3 thousand workers. Local production has been redirected from fashion related footwear to work type footwear, waterproof footwear and winter footwear. Last year, both the country's small exports and it's much more significant imports increased.

### Sectorial organizations

SMAC - Shoe Manufacturers' Association of Canada | www.shoecanada.com Western Canadian Shoe Association | www.wcsa.ca

#### **Fairs & Events**

Toronto Shoe Show, Toronto (Fev; Aug) | www.torontoshoeshow.com