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The evolution of the Canadian manufacturing sector

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Industry shares in manufacturing GDP

	1961	1970	1980	1990	2000	2005
			percent			
Food	12.0	10.8	10.1	11.2	8.6	10.5
Beverage and tobacco	4.9	4.6	3.5	3.7	2.9	3.8
Textiles	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.3
Clothing	4.4	4.0	3.5	2.9	2.3	1.5
Leather	1.5	1.1	0.9	0.5	0.3	0.1
Paper	10.7	9.0	10.5	8.2	7.7	5.8
Printing	2.7	2.5	2.7	3.9	3.0	3.2
Petroleum	2.9	1.5	2.1	1.3	1.4	2.5
Chemical	8.2	7.6	7.9	10.3	7.2	7.9
Plastics and rubber	2.2	2.8	3.1	4.1	4.9	5.7
Wood	4.4	4.2	5.8	4.1	6.5	6.7
Non-metallic mineral	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	2.5	3.2
Primary metal	8.9	9.0	8.8	6.3	6.2	6.9
Fabricated metal	6.6	7.7	7.3	6.4	7.4	7.9
Machinery	4.3	5.4	7.1	5.9	6.6	7.1
Computer and electronic	4.5	5.3	4.7	5.0	6.2	3.9
Electrical equipment	4.2	4.3	4.0	3.4	2.4	2.0
Transportation equipment	7.9	10.6	9.2	13.3	17.7	14.3
Furniture	1.7	1.8	1.8	2.7	3.0	3.4
Miscellaneous	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.3
Non- Durables	51.9	46.2	46.2	47.9	39.7	42.3
Durables	48.1	53.8	53.8	52.1	60.3	57.7