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Predicting Monthly Variations in Canada's Imports

Canada grows many different types of fruits and vegetables. However, because of the climate, these fruits and vegetables cannot be grown during the winter months. This means that Canadians are dependent on imports for food during the winter months.

STEP 1 - Answer these questions using your prior knowledge only.

- 1) Some of the products that Canada imports changes throughout the seasons.
 - (a) For example, in what month do you think we import the most fruits? Why?

 - (b) In what month do you think we import the least fruits? Why?

 - (c) In what month do you think we export the most natural gas to the United States? Why?

 - (d) In what month do you think we export the least amount of natural gas to the United States? Why?

STEP 2 - Answer these questions using the data from estat.statcan.ca.

- 2) In which season does Canada import the most fruit? Why?

- 3) In which season does Canada import the most vegetables? Why?

- 4) In which season does Canada import the least fruit? Why?

- 5) In which season does Canada import the least vegetables? Why?
