

TABLE 5D07 PARTIAL PRICE ELASTICITIES OF DEMAND FOR CANADIAN FREIGHT  
TRANSPORT, 1950-74

	1950	1955	1960	1965	1970	1974
Elasticity of demand for railway freight						
- wrt railway freight rate	-0.093	-0.143	-0.191	-0.228	-0.227	-0.291
- wrt trucking freight rate	-0.102	-0.037	0.018	0.064	0.126	0.144
- wrt waterway freight rate	0.196	0.178	0.173	0.164	0.151	0.147
Elasticity of demand for trucking freight						
- wrt railway freight rate	-0.878	-0.146	0.045	0.111	0.134	0.127
- wrt trucking freight rate	1.112	0.200	-0.045	-0.131	-0.162	-0.155
- wrt waterway freight rate	-0.234	-0.054	0.0	0.019	0.028	0.028
Elasticity of demand for waterway freight						
- wrt railway freight rate	0.858	0.806	0.747	-0.702	0.636	0.611
- wrt trucking freight rate	-0.120	-0.061	0.001	0.048	0.112	0.133
- wrt waterway freight rate	-0.738	-0.745	-0.748	-0.750	-0.748	-0.744

Source Oum (1979, table 5, p. 163).