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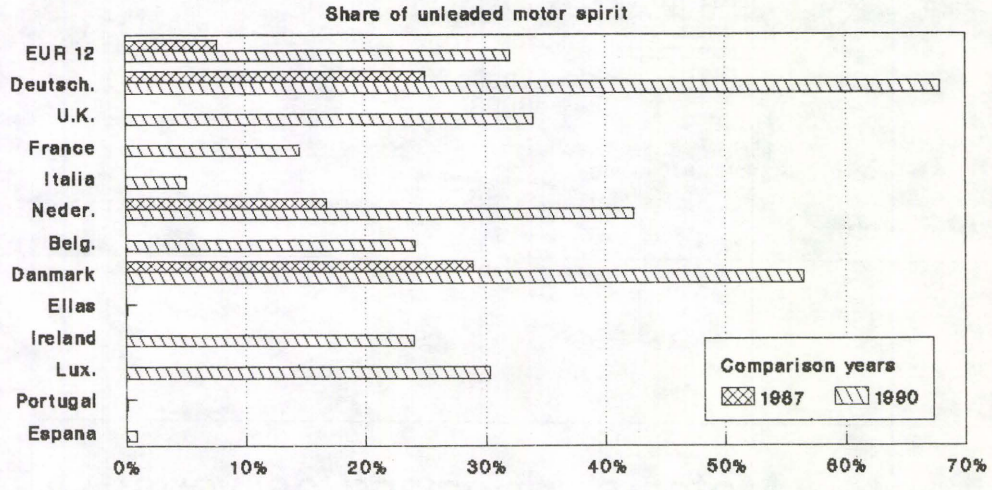
Evolution of inland deliveries of unleaded motor spirit from 1987 to 1990



For EUR 12, the importance of unleaded fuel has risen from 7,7 % in 1987 to more than 32 % in 1990. However, although unleaded in 1990 represented 68 % of the market in West Germany, 56 % in Denmark, 42 % in the Netherlands and 38 % in the United Kingdom, the proportion in some countries is marginal. But the situation can change rapidly, as is the case in the UK. Here in the two years from January 89 to December 90, unleaded rose from just 3 % of the market to more than 38 %. Such rapid growth is generally stimulated by cheaper prices for unleaded and by the disappearance of certain grades of petrol.

As for the whole petrol market, the last four years have seen an annual average increase of 1,7 %, and 45,3 % for unleaded. Also worth comment is the seasonal character of petrol sales, with a peak in July and August.

	Motor fuels (in 1000 t)	among which: unleaded	share of unleaded
1987	97 893	7 543	7,7 %
1988	101 065	13 347	13,2 %
1989	102 619	22 999	22,4 %
1990	104 831	33 648	32,1 %
1988/87	+ 1,0 %	+ 76,9 %	-
1990/89	+ 2,1 %	+ 45,0 %	-

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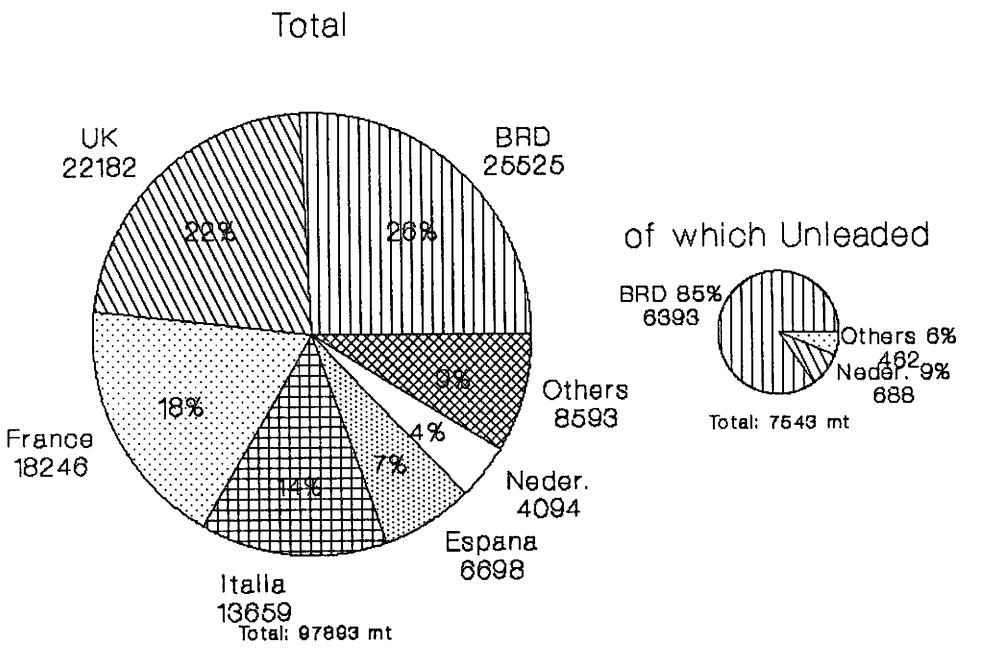

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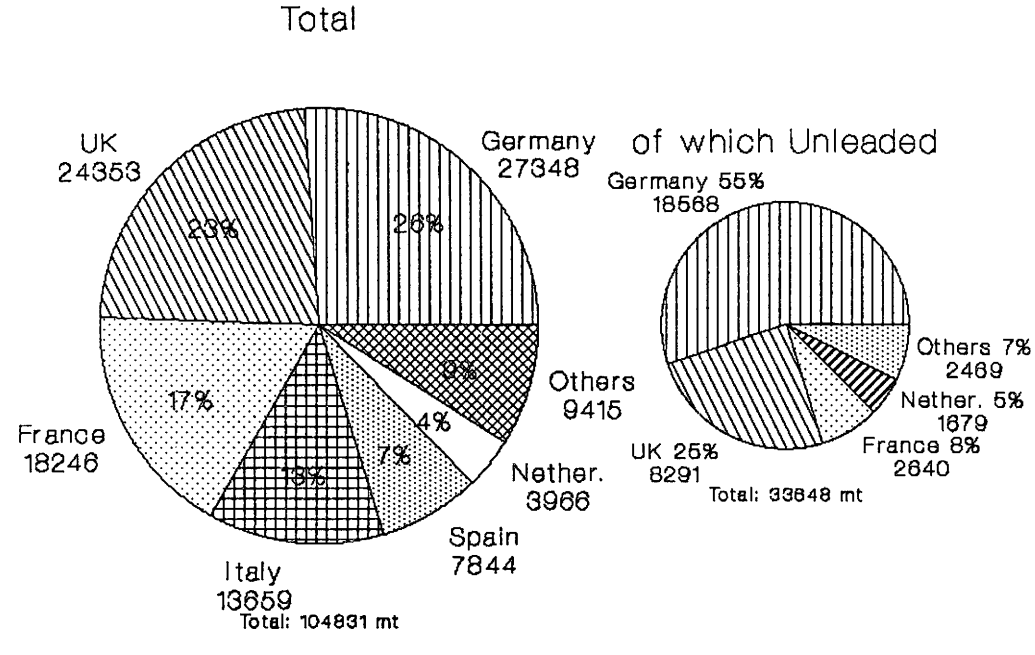

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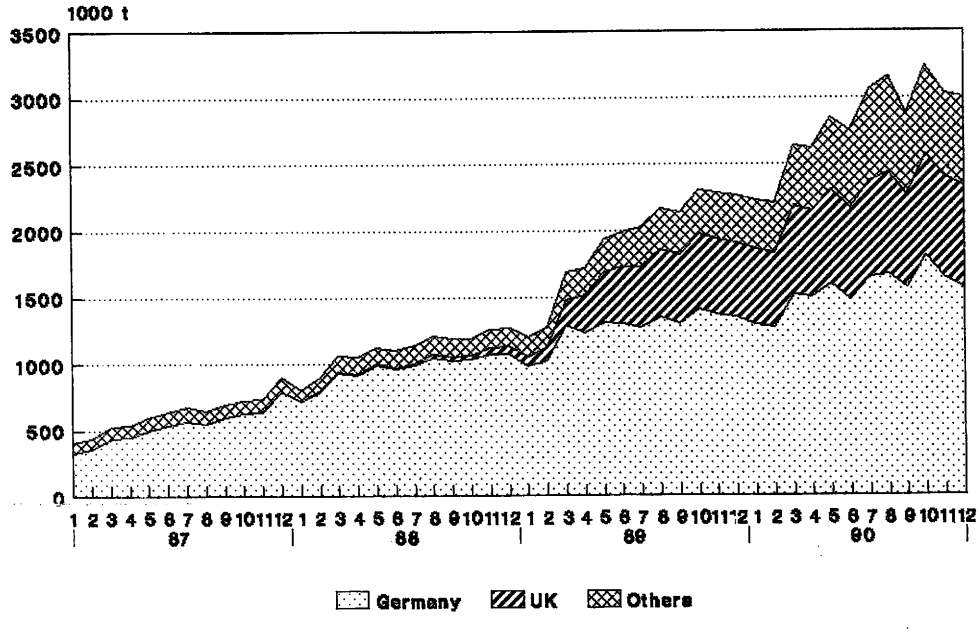

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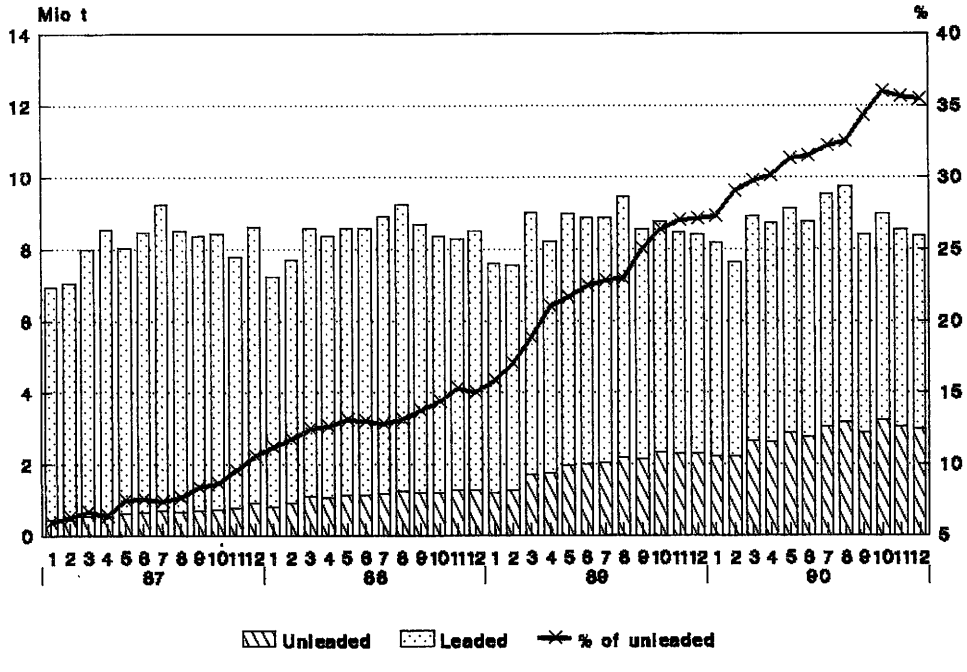

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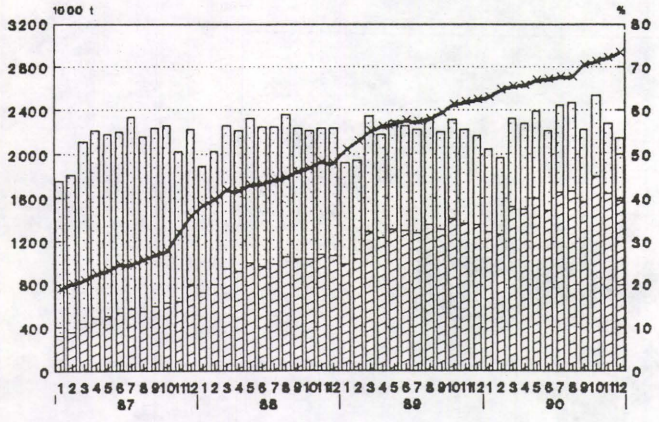

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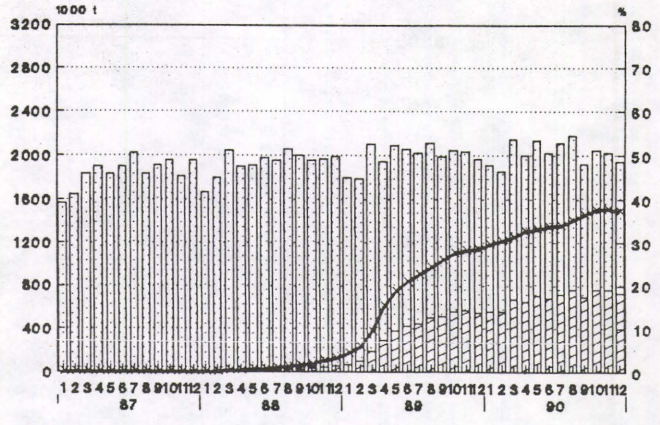

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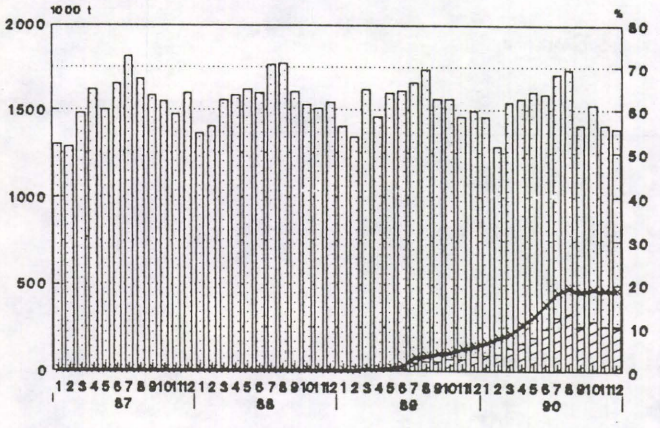

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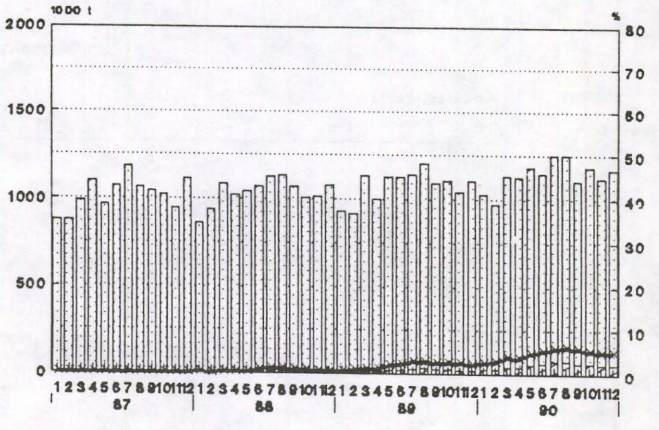

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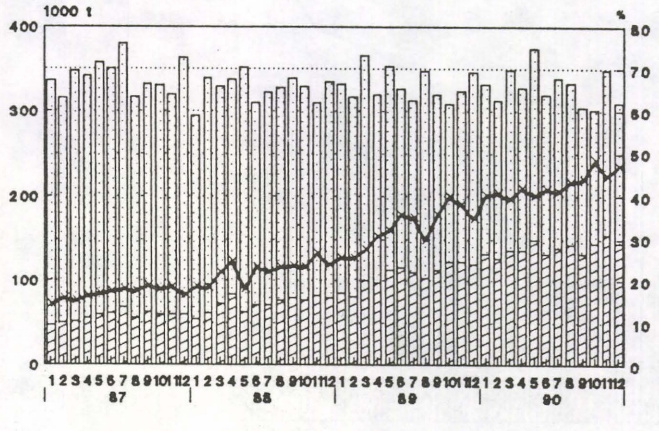

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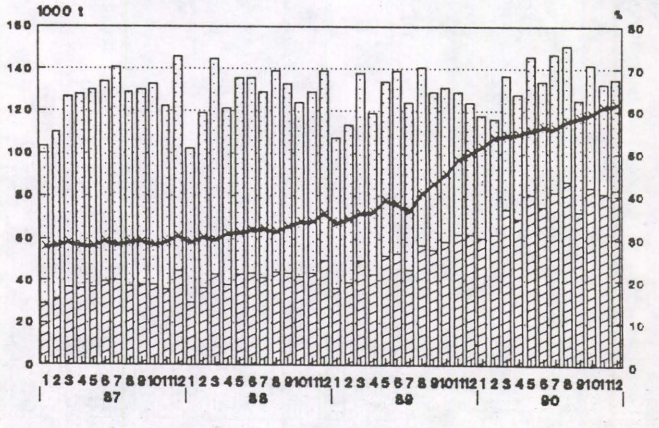

Unleaded Leaded % of unleaded

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