

### **China: In the first half of 2012 rubber tire production increased by 4.27%**

In the first half of this year, China's rubber tire production reached 420,427,700, an increase of 8.22% over the same period last year, the growth rate increased by 4.27 percentage points over the same period in 2011. Among them, 207,033,500 of the radial tire production growth of 9.81 percent over the previous year, growth rate increased by 3.93 percentage points over the same period in 2011. June rubber tire production reached 83,149,500, an increase of 18.97% over the same period last year, an increase of 13.57 percentage points higher than the same period in 2011. The radial tire production was 38,500,700, an increase of 16.9 percent over the previous year, increased by 13.19 percentage points higher than the same period in 2011. Shandong Province, from the various provinces of view, the first half of the national rubber tire production in the top five provinces: the current tire production to the country's total share of 40.64 percent of its tires and radial tires, tire production, respectively 170,864,900 66,407,500 ; the current tire production accounted for 13.04% of the proportion of Jiangsu Province, tires and radial tires tire production were 54,821,000, 33,490,700; current tire production accounting for the proportion of 11.82 percent of Zhejiang Province, tires and radial tire production were 49,694,300, 31,102,000; current tire production accounts for 6.83% of the proportion of Guangdong Province rubber tire production ranking fourth in the country is 28,703,900, but its radial tire production of 6,616,640 ranked 9 in the country; current tire production accounts for 4.55% of the national total in Tianjin, tires and radial tires tire production were 19,112,500, 9,800,900. Source: Offers reported net