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FINANCING OF AUTOMOBILE SALES IN CANADA IN OCTOBER, 1934.

The number of sales of new and used passenger cars, trucks and buses which were financed in Canada in October, 1934, and the amount involved in financing these sales have been compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

The total number of vehicles financed was 5,464 in October, 5,974 in September and 3,507 in October, 1933, and the amount of financing was \$2,005,866 in October, \$2,395,196 in September and \$1,352,458 in October, 1933.

New vehicles financed numbered 1,280 in October, 1,949 in September and 952 in October, 1933, while used vehicles numbered 4,184, 4,025 and 2,555 for the same three months.

The amount of financing for the new vehicles was \$930,492 in October, \$1,352,349 in September and \$688,736 in October, 1933. Corresponding totals for used vehicles were \$1,075,374, \$1,042,847 and \$663,722 respectively.

	Number of Vehicles			% of Change 1933- 1934	Amount of Financing			% of Change 1933- 1934
	1932	1933	1934		1932	1933	1934	
New Vehicles								
January	1,070	868	509	-41.4	\$ 632,707	\$ 456,275	\$ 363,847	-20.3
February	1,389	946	882	- 6.8	727,705	532,639	623,447	✓17.0
March	1,631	1,659	1,775	✓ 7.0	1,060,440	919,287	1,221,058	✓32.8
April	2,426	1,732	3,119	✓80.1	1,587,293	1,065,995	2,109,794	✓97.9
May	3,171	2,318	4,123	✓77.9	2,023,536	1,463,407	2,852,630	✓94.9
June	2,920	1,976	3,469	✓75.6	1,768,026	1,244,699	2,469,198	✓98.4
July	2,087	1,775	2,774	✓56.3	1,245,573	1,145,803	1,910,377	✓66.7
August	1,709	1,388	2,080	✓49.9	1,023,137	908,390	1,480,983	✓63.0
September	1,499	1,229	1,949	✓58.6	938,254	836,969	1,352,349	✓61.6
October	1,263	952 *	1,280	✓34.5	722,756	688,736	* 930,492	✓35.1
November	1,166	608	-	-	533,264	459,236	-	-
December	962	429	-	-	473,433	308,932	-	-
Used Vehicles								
January	2,982	2,145	1,648	-23.2	\$ 812,501	\$ 544,478	\$ 450,126	-17.3
February	2,781	2,323	1,852	-20.3	801,663	638,935	504,955	-21.0
March	3,319	3,579	3,396	- 5.1	964,196	854,917	918,164	✓ 7.4
April	4,919	3,812	5,373	✓40.9	1,412,269	998,769	1,387,137	✓38.9
May	6,444	5,141	7,686	✓49.5	1,763,926	1,638,962	1,953,204	✓19.2
June	6,231	4,647	7,023	✓51.1	1,702,404	1,156,450	1,797,387	✓55.4
July	4,540	4,077	5,602	✓37.4	1,227,424	991,889	1,714,419	✓72.8
August	4,356	3,395	5,422	✓59.7	1,161,564	902,444	1,385,022	✓53.5
September	3,519	3,022	4,025	✓33.2	958,253	764,400	1,042,847	✓36.4
October	3,108	2,555 *	4,184	✓63.8	834,629	663,722	* 1,075,374	✓62.0
November	3,120	2,083	-	-	796,043	544,231	-	-
December	2,679	1,579	-	-	658,822	429,223	-	-
Total								
January	4,052	3,013	2,157	-28.4	\$1,445,208	\$1,000,753	\$ 813,973	-18.7
February	4,170	3,269	2,734	-16.4	1,529,368	1,171,574	1,128,402	- 3.7
March	4,950	5,238	5,171	- 1.3	2,024,636	1,774,204	2,139,222	✓20.6
April	7,345	5,544	8,492	✓53.2	2,999,562	2,064,764	3,496,931	✓69.4
May	9,615	7,459	11,809	✓58.3	3,787,512	3,102,369	4,805,834	✓54.9
June	9,151	6,623	10,492	✓58.4	3,470,430	2,401,149	4,266,585	✓77.7
July	6,627	5,852	8,376	✓43.1	2,473,002	2,137,692	3,624,796	✓69.6
August	6,065	4,783	7,502	✓56.8	2,184,701	1,810,834	2,866,005	✓58.3
September	5,018	4,251	5,974	✓40.5	1,896,507	1,601,369	2,395,196	✓49.6
October	4,371	3,507 *	5,464	✓55.8	1,587,385	1,352,458	* 2,005,866	✓48.3
November	4,286	2,691	-	-	1,334,307	1,003,467	-	-
December	3,641	2,008	-	-	1,132,255	738,155	-	-
Total	69,291	54,238	-	-	25,864,873	20,158,788	-	-

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