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Output of cars made for sale in Canada declined to 916 in October from 2,452 in the previous month and production of cars for export dropped to 2,766 from 3,356.

The apparent consumption of cars in Canada during the month, as determined by adding the 916 cars made for sale in Canada to the 131 imported, amounted to 1,047 cars. During the first ten months of this year a total of 60,371 cars were made in Canada, 1,508 were imported and 17,457 were exported. In the corresponding period of a year ago the Canadian output totalled 56,473 cars while imports were reported at 1,392 and exports at 10,404.

Table 1 - Number of Automobiles Produced in Canada during September, 1933, and the Ten Months ending October, 1932 and 1933.

	O C T O B E R, 1933			TEN MONTHS ENDING OCTOBER	
	For sale in Canada	For export	TOTAL	1932	1933
Passenger cars:-					
(a) Open - 2 to 3 passenger ...	4	98	102	2,099	679
4 to 5 passenger ...	...	247	247	1,652	1,636
7 passenger .....	...	...	...	2	...
Total Open	4	345	349	3,753	2,315
(b) Closed - 2 to 3 passenger ...	101	89	190	7,701	6,594
4 to 5 passenger ...	522	816	1,338	34,045	35,391
7 passenger	8	9	17	278	380
Total Closed ..	631	914	1,545	42,024	42,365
(c) Chassis (passenger)	829	829	1,724	5,501
TOTAL PASSENGER	635	2,088	2,723	47,501	50,181

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Table 1 - Number of Automobiles Produced in Canada during October, 1933, and the Ten Months ending October, 1932 and 1933 - Concluded

	O C T O B E R, 1933			TEN MONTHS ENDING OCTOBER	
	For sale in Canada	For export	TOTAL	1932	1933
Commercial cars and trucks:- (Including truck chassis, taxicabs and buses)					
(a) Under 1 ton	104	229	333	2,981	3,516
(b) 1 to 1 1/2 tons, inclusive	142	449	591	5,313	4,866
(c) Over 1 1/2 tons to 2 1/2 tons, inclusive.....	33	...	33	548	1,744
(d) Over 2 1/2 tons to under 5 tons.	2	...	2	122	52
(e) 5 tons and over .....	...	...	...	2	4
(f) Bus chassis .....	...	...	...	6	8
Total Trucks and Chassis	281	678	959	8,972	10,190
GRAND TOTAL	916	2,766	3,682	56,473	60,371

Table 2 - Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Automobiles, by Months, 1932 and 1933.

			P R O D U C T I O N			C U S T O M S R E C O R D S	
			For sale in Canada	For export	TOTAL	IMPORTS	EXPORTS
January	1932		3,403	328	3,731	202	582
	1933		3,030	328	3,358	129	504
February	1932		5,303	174	5,477	160	414
	1933		3,130	168	3,298	99	277
March	1932		7,788	530	8,318	295	592
	1933		5,078	1,554	6,632	158	1,637
April	1932		6,641	169	6,810	186	355
	1933		5,643	2,612	8,255	226	1,268
May	1932		7,950	271	8,221	163	374
	1933		7,167	2,229	9,396	159	2,729
June	1932		5,879	1,233	7,112	81	802
	1933		5,522	1,801	7,323	158	2,299
July	1932		4,773	2,699	7,472	114	1,540
	1933		4,562	1,978	6,540	181	1,790
August	1932		2,312	1,755	4,067	86	1,566
	1933		4,160	1,919	6,079	172	1,754
September	1932		1,081	1,261	2,342	56	1,717
	1933		2,452	3,356	5,808	95	2,247
October	1932		691	2,232	2,923	49	2,462
	1933		916	2,766	3,682	131	2,952
TOTAL	1932		45,821	10,652	56,473	1,392	10,404
	1933		41,660	18,711	60,371	1,508	17,457

NOTE - Figures in this report are the latest available at time of printing; where necessary, data for earlier months have been revised.