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## MONTHLY REPORT

## AUTOMOBILE PRODUCTION - APRIL, 1941

Production of motor vehicles in Canada during April numbered 27,584 units compared with 26,044 units in the previous month and 19,687 units in April of a year ago. This month's total included 12,091 passenger cars and 15,493 commercial vehicles.

During the first four months of 1941 output amounted to 100,533 units against corresponding totals for the same period in other years of 71,705 in 1940; 65,538 in 1939 and 69,311 in 1938.

Table 1. - NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES PRODUCED IN CANADA, APRIL, 1941 and the FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 1941

	APRIL, 1941	FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL 1941	1940
(a) Passenger cars -			
Permanent open cars -			
Roadsters .....	-	-	-
Touring .....	-	-	-
Convertible cars -			
Coupe, roadster .....	158	527	580
Sedan .....	-	-	424
Permanent closed cars -			
Coupe .....	1,888	7,659	6,709
2-Door Sedan .....	3,758	14,116	14,359
4-Door Sedan .....	6,286	24,258	24,668
Other closed .....	-	252	-
Chassis (sold without bodies) .....	1	9	3,631
TOTAL PASSENGER .....	12,091	46,821	50,870
(b) Commercial cars, including trucks, buses and chassis -			
3/4 ton and less .....	2,743	9,043	7,312
1 ton and less than 1 1/2 .....	1,747	4,210	1,839
1 1/2 tons and less than 2 .....	2,106	6,183	1,547
2 tons and less than 2 1/2 .....	1,453	4,438	4,723
2 1/2 tons and less than 3 1/2 .....	829	3,861	2,423
3 1/2 tons and 4 1/2 tons, inclusive .....	1	14	35
5 tons .....	3	3	-
5 1/2 tons and over .....	-	1	4
Special (ambulances, hearses, etc.) .....	6,593	25,856	2,933
Buses (including truck chassis for bus use) ..	18	103	19
TOTAL COMMERCIAL .....	15,493	53,712	20,835
GRAND TOTAL .....	27,584	100,533	71,705



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Table 2 - PRODUCTION OF AUTOMOBILES, BY MONTHS, 1937 - 1941

Month	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941
January .....	19,583	17,624	14,794	17,213	23,195
February .....	19,707	16,066	14,300	18,193	23,710
March .....	24,901	16,802	17,553	16,612	26,044
April .....	17,081	18,819	16,391	19,687	27,584
Total - Four Months ..	81,272	69,311	63,538	71,705	100,533
May .....	23,458	18,115	15,706	21,277	
June .....	23,841	14,732	14,515	17,930	
July .....	17,941	9,007	9,241	14,468	
August .....	10,742	6,452	3,475	13,993	
September .....	4,417	6,089	3,922	15,475	
October .....	18,103	15,774	11,297	21,151	
November .....	16,574	17,992	18,756	23,621	
December .....	21,115	18,614	16,976	23,364	
TOTAL .....	207,463	166,036	155,426	222,984	

LIST OF AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURERS IN CANADA - 1941

<u>Name of Company</u>	<u>Address</u>
White Company, Limited	Montreal, Quebec
Chrysler Corporation of Canada, Limited	Windsor, Ontario
Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited	Windsor, Ontario
General Motors of Canada, Limited	Oshawa, Ontario
Hudson Motors of Canada Limited	Tilbury, Ontario
International Harvester Co. of Canada, Limited	Chatham, Ontario
Hayes Manufacturing Company, Limited	Vancouver, B.C.