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MONTHLY REPORT - AUTOMOBILE PRODUCTION, FEBRUARY, 1945

Production of motor vehicles in Canada during February, 1945 totalled 13.090 units compared with 13,745 units made in the previous month and with 13,930 units in February, 1944.

Table 1 - NUMBER OF AUTOMOBILES PRODUCED IN CANADA, FEBRUARY, 1945 AND THE TWO MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 1945

	February 1945	Two Months Ended February, 1945
a) Passenger cars	Nil	Nil
b) Commercial cars, including trucks, buses, chassis, and military vehicles -		
3 ton and less	273	789
1 ton and less than $l_{\overline{z}}$	1,092	1,278
latons and less than 2	1.040	2,086
2 tons and less than 21	1,319	2,946
$2\frac{1}{2}$ tons and less than $3\frac{1}{2}$	2,980	6.817
$3\frac{1}{2}$ tons and $4\frac{1}{2}$ tons, inclusive	-	
5 tons	-	
5½ tons and over	-	1
Special	6.382	12,908
Buses (including truck chassis for bus use)	4	10
TOTAL ASSESSMENT OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER	13,090	26,835

Table 2 - PRODUCTION OF AUTOMOBILES, BY MONTHS, 1941-1945

Month	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
January	23, 195	22,644	16,341	13,702	13,745
February	23,648	20, 181	15,998	13,930	13,090
March	25,945	20, 188	17,687	14,625	
April	27,515	19,549	15,500	11,061	
May	26,554	17,141	15,689	12,303	
June	25,753	21,050	15,164	14,317	
July	24,654	18,672	11,598	12,132	
August	17,192	18,042	15.046	13,729	
September	14,495	18,094	13,122	12,511	
October	19,358	19,477	13.827	13,230	
November	21,545	15,051	14,186	14,047	
December	20,337	18,204	13,906	12,530	
TOTAL	270, 191	228,293	178,064	158,117	

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