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MOTOR VEHICLE SHIPMENTS - CANADA - DECEMBER, 1947

Factory shipments of Canadian-made motor vehicles totalled 20,399 units in December, 1947, compared with 23,267 units in November. For the year 1947, factory shipments amounted to 257,131 units, including 165,448 passenger cars, 90,828 trucks and 855 buses.

Table 1 - Motor Vehicle Shipments - Canada - December, 1947

		Factory Shipments of Made-in-Canada Vehicles			Shipments of vehicles imported from United States
		For sale in Canada	For export	Total	
(Number of Units)					
(a) <u>Passenger Cars -</u>					
Permanent open cars:					
Roadsters .....	...	...	...	...
Touring .....	...	...	...	...
Convertible cars:					
Coupe, roadster .....	...	...	...	45
Sedan, touring .....	...	...	...	1
Permanent closed cars:					
Coupe	1,440	48	1,488	10	
2-door sedan	3,382	...	3,382	8	
4-door sedan	6,363	1,970	8,333	94	
Other closed	76	...	76	44	
Chassis (sold without bodies)	1	1,068	1,069	...	
Total Passenger Cars	11,262	3,086	14,348	202	
(b) <u>Commercial vehicles, including trucks, buses and chassis -</u>					
Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight					
- in pounds -					
5,000 and less	1,674	397	2,071	8	
5,001 - 10,000	695	302	997	3	
10,001 - 14,000	709	145	854	7	
14,001 - 16,000	734	694	1,428	18	
16,001 - 19,500	414	...	414	4	
19,501 - 26,000	193	...	193	15	
Over 26,000	25	...	25	10	
Total Trucks	4,444	1,538	5,982	65	
Total Coaches or Buses ...	69	...	69	15	
Total Commercial Vehicles	4,513	1,538	6,051	80	
TOTAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL	15,775	4,624	20,399	282	

Table 2 - Motor Vehicle Shipments - Canada - Twelve Months Ended December, 1947

	Factory Shipments of Made-in-Canada Vehicles			Shipments of vehicles imported from United States
	For sale in Canada	For export	Total	
	(Number of Units)			
(a) <u>Passenger Cars -</u>				
Permanent open cars:				
Roadsters .....	...	...	...	...
Touring .....	...	...	...	...
Convertible cars:				
Coupe, roadster	199	10	209	625
Sedan, touring .....	...	...	...	1,263
Permanent closed cars:				
Coupe	15,752	1,072	16,824	1,950
2-door sedan	38,797	64	38,861	5,249
4-door sedan	70,519	23,867	94,386	20,726
Other closed	1,067	239	1,306	1,857
Chassis (sold without bodies)	5	13,857	13,862	...
Total Passenger Cars	126,339	39,109	165,448	31,670
(b) <u>Commercial vehicles, including</u> <u>trucks, buses and chassis -</u> <u>Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight</u> <u>- in pounds -</u>				
5,000 and less	19,543	9,907	29,450	5,096
5,001 - 10,000	11,619	2,902	14,521	412
10,001 - 14,000	11,555	12,223	23,778	1,717
14,001 - 16,000	13,485	4,392	17,877	1,148
16,001 - 19,500	2,852	...	2,852	438
19,501 - 26,000	1,843	...	1,843	370
Over 26,000	507	...	507	208
Total Trucks	61,404	29,424	90,828	9,389
Total Coaches or Buses	822	33	855	306
Total Commercial Vehicles ..	62,226	29,457	91,683	9,695
TOTAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL ..	188,565	68,566	257,131	41,365

LIST OF REPORTING COMPANIES, DECEMBER, 1947

xCanadian Car and Foundry Co. Ltd.	Fort William, Ontario
xChrysler Corporation of Canada Ltd.	Windsor, Ontario
Diamond-T Trucks Ltd.	Toronto, Ontario
Weymouth-Bradley, Ltd.	Toronto, Ontario
Federal Motor Truck Co. Ltd.	Detroit, Mich., U.S.A.
xFord Motor Company of Canada Ltd.	Windsor, Ontario
Four Wheel Drive Auto Co. Ltd.	Kitchener, Ontario
xGeneral Motors of Canada Limited	Oshawa, Ontario
xHayes Manufacturing Co. Ltd.	Vancouver, British Columbia
Hudson Motors Ltd.	Tilbury, Ontario
xInternational Harvester Co. of Canada Ltd.	Chatham, Ontario
Kaiser-Fraser Corp. Ltd.	Willow Run, Mich., U.S.A.
Leyland Motors, Limited	Toronto, Ontario
Mack Trucks of Canada Ltd.	Toronto, Ontario
Nash Motors of Canada Ltd.	Toronto, Ontario
Packard Motor Car Co. of Canada Ltd.	Windsor, Ontario
xReo Motor Company of Canada, Ltd.	Leaside, Ontario
Studebaker Corp. of Canada Ltd.	Hamilton, Ontario
xWhite Company Ltd.	Montreal, Quebec
Willys-Overland of Canada Ltd.	Toronto, Ontario

xCanadian producers.

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