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## ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS

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Foreign vehicles entering Canada on traveller's vehicle permits in April totalled 118,800, an increase of 119,800 vehicles over the corresponding month of last year. The volume of this type of traffic was 11 per cent higher than the previous record for the month established in 1954. Cumulative entries for the first four months are nearly 5 per cent greater than last year with comparative data varying from a 25 per cent decline in Saskatchewan to a 7 per cent increase in Ontario.

## NUMBER OF VEHICLES ENTERING CANADA ON TRAVELLER'S VEHICLE PERMITS IN APRIL 1955 AND IN FIRST FOUR MONTHS WITH COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PRECEDING YEARS

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Province of Entry into Canada	1953 1954 1955			Change in 1955		% Change in 1955	
Newfoundland Nova Scotia	( 61	( 52	( 53	(+	1	(+	1.9
New Brunswick	7,492	7,334	8,598	+	1,264	+	17.2
Quebec	19,972	19,289	20,418	+	1,129	+	5.9
Ontario	60,528	61,290	69,745	(in	8,455	+	13.8
Manitoba	1,437	1,706	1,876	+	170	+	10.0
Saskatchewan	877	891	724	-	167	-	18.7
Alberta	1,453	1,206	1,272	+	66	+	5.5
British Columbia	14,622	14,956	15,885	+	929	+	6.2
Yukon Territory	267	298	215	-	83	GE -	27.9
Total	106,709	107,022	118,786	+	11,764	+	11.0

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Province of Entry				Change in	% Change in 1955	
into Canada	1953	1954	1955	1955		
Newfoundland Nova Scotia	( 286	( 181	( 211	(+ 30	(+	16.6
New Brunswick	19,612	19,659	20,782	+ 1,123	+	5.7
Quebec	53,627	51,430	53,005	+ 1,575	+	3.1
Ontario	149,482	151,054	161,155	+ 10,101	+	6.7
Manitoba	4,039	7,023	7,014	- 9	-	0.1
Saskatchewan	2,109	2,373	1,773	- 600	~	25.3
Alberta	3,860	3,301	3,468	+ 167	+	5.1
British Columbia	49,367	46,536	47,363	+ 827	+	1.8
Yukon Territory	7 84	1,036	869	- 167	_	16.1
Total	283,166	282,593	295,640	+ 13,047	+	4.6

NOTE: Traveller's vehicle permits are issued to foreign vehicles which remain in Canada longer than 48 hours or which travel beyond the jurisdicton of the port of entry. (Thus a motorist who intends to leave the country at a point other than that of entry must apply for a traveller's vehicle permit). Figures shown above refer almost exclusively to automobiles. They include a small number of taxis, motorcycles and bicycles, but exclude buses, trucks and other commercial vehicles. Data for current month are subject to revision. Entries into Canada via Newfoundland and Nova Scotia are by ship.

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