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MOTOR VEHICLE SHIPMENTS

NOVEMBER - 1949

Factory shipments of Canadian-made vehicles totalled 19,721 units in November 1949 compared with 28,125 units in the previous month and with 26,794 units in November 1948. The shipments for the current month included 13,900 passenger cars, 5,754 trucks and 67 buses.

Table 1 - Motor Vehicle Shipments - Canada - November, 1949

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	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 .....	...	...	...	1
Sedan, touring .....	...	...	...	2
Permanent closed cars:				
Coupe	1,555	32	1,587	7
2-door sedan	2,799	10	2,809	103
4-door sedan	8,228	205	8,433	311
Other closed	116	...	116	22
Chassis (sold without bodies) ..	1	954	955	...
Total Passenger Cars	12,699	1,201	13,900	446
(b) <u>Commercial vehicles, including trucks, buses and chassis -</u>				
<u>Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight</u> <u>- in pounds -</u>				
5,000 and less	2,185	230	2,415	92
5,001 - 10,000	1,182	48	1,230	13
10,001 - 14,000	412	691	1,103	...
14,001 - 16,000	606	117	723	1
16,001 - 19,500	185	6	191	3
19,501 - 26,000	52	...	52	26
Over 26,000	40	...	40	7
Total Trucks	4,662	1,092	5,754	142
Total Coaches or Buses	67	...	67	...
Total Commercial Vehicles	4,729	1,092	5,821	142
TOTAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL	17,428	2,293	19,721	588

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Table 2 - Motor Vehicle Shipments - Canada - Eleven Months Ended November, 1949

	Factory Shipments of Made-in-Canada Vehicles			Shipments of Vehicles
	For sale in Canada	For export	Total	imported from United States
	(Number of Units)			
(a) <u>Passenger Cars -</u>				
Permanent open cars:				
Roadster .....	...	...	...	...
Convertible cars:				
Coupe, roadster .....	...	...	...	68
Sedan, touring .....	...	...	...	110
Permanent closed cars:				
Coupe	20,014	384	20,398	64
2-door sedan	41,694	94	41,788	2,036
4-door sedan	95,366	6,956	102,322	4,197
Other closed	1,411	...	1,411	308
Chassis (sold without bodies) .	2	8,006	8,008	...
Total Passenger Cars	158,487	15,440	173,927	6,783
(b) <u>Commercial vehicles, including trucks, buses and chassis -</u>				
<u>Maximum Gross Vehicle Weight</u>				
<u>- in pounds -</u>				
5,000 and less	36,915	4,377	41,292	1,494
5,001 - 10,000	18,912	1,222	20,134	720
10,001 - 14,000	7,691	5,306	12,997	38
14,001 - 16,000	11,273	1,331	12,604	49
16,001 - 19,500	1,904	17	1,921	85
19,501 - 26,000	814	...	814	131
Over 26,000	547	5	552	90
Total Trucks	78,056	12,258	90,314	2,607
Total Coaches or Buses	472	...	472	14
Total Commercial Vehicles ..	78,528	12,258	90,786	2,621
TOTAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL	237,015	27,698	264,713	9,404

Table 3 - Motor Vehicle Shipments - Canada - by Months, 1947-1949

Month	1 9 4 7	1 9 4 8	1 9 4 9
	(Number of Units)		
January	18,700	16,715	13,863
February	20,331	16,382	17,197
March	22,491	27,112	25,566
April	21,891	24,243	26,685
May	21,665	21,368	26,708
June	21,137	23,362	30,096
July	21,907	15,106	25,383
August	15,659	16,959	20,475
September	24,205	23,775	30,894
October	25,479	25,057	28,125
November	23,240	26,794	19,721
Total - Eleven Months ..	236,705	236,873	264,713
December	21,310	27,305	
TOTAL	258,015	264,178	

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