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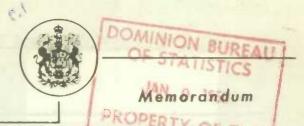
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## MOTOR VEHICLE SHIPMENTS

Factory shipments of Canadian-made vehicles totalled 28,860 units in November, 1955, compared with 26,299 units in the previous month and with 18,176 units in November, 1954. The shipments for the current month included 25,399 passenger cars, 3,450 trucks and 11 buses.

Table 1 - Motor Vehicle Production and Shipments\*, November, 1955

	Production during month	Factory shipments of made-in-Canada vehicles			Shipments of vehicles		
		For sale in Canada	For	Total	imported from United States		
		(Number of units)					
(a) Passenger cars							
Convertible cars	2,539	2,482	6	2,488	972		
Permanent closed cars -							
Coupe	109	97	2	99	•		
2-door sedan	4,644	4,612	3	4,615	59		
4-door sedan	15,915	14,760	532	15,292	1,099		
Station-wagon type	1,939	1,814	123	1,937	131		
Other models	-	8	-	8	400		
Chassis (sold without bodies)	960	-	960	960	-		
Total passenger cars	26,106	23,773	1,626	25,399	2,661		
trucks, buses and chassis  Maximum gross vehicle weight  in pounds -							
5,000 and less	1,630	1,327	252	1,579	132		
5,001 - 10,000	420	523	32	555	125		
10,001 - 14,000	180	129	11	140	24		
14,001 - 16,000	670	455	195	650	25		
16,001 - 19,500	416	425	-	425	19		
19,501 - 26,000	58	75	-	75	34		
Over 26,000	29	26	-	26	32		
Total trucks	3,403	2,960	490	3,450	391		
Total coaches or buses	11	11	-	11	1		
Total commercial vehicles	3,414	8,971	490	3,461	392		
OFAL PASSENCER AND COMMERCIAL	29,520	26,744	2,116	28,860	3,055		

Includes military vehicles.

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5,280

5,423

31,459

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Table 2 - Notor Vehicle Production and Shipments\*, Eleven Months Ended November, 1955 STATISTICS CANADA LIBRARY Factory shipments of Shipments of Production made-in-Canada vehicles vehicles during For sale For imported from Total period in Canada export United States 1010641266 (Number of units) (a) Passenger cars Convertible cars ...... 28,214 28,701 28,778 77 8,463 Permanent closed cars -Coupe ...... 13,338 13,390 65 13,455 151 2-door sedan ..... 64,723 64,805 16 64,821 1,459 4-door sedan ...... 210,797 199,218 10,783 210,001 11,269 15,251 Station-wagon type ..... 14,190 894 15,084 1,840 Other models ...... 6,381 6,355 3 6,358 2,854 Chassis (sold without bodies) . 12,097 12,097 12,097 Total passenger cars ..... 350,801 326,659 23,935 350,594 26,036 (b) Commercial vehicles, including trucks, buses and chassis Maximum gross vehicle weight - in pounds -5.000 and less ...... 37,567 33,888 4,226 38,114 990 5,001 - 10,000 ..... 10,375 10,983 11,214 608 1,741 10,001 - 14,000 ..... 4,342 3,111 682 3,793 309 14,001 - 16,000 ..... 8,090 5,046 3,239 8,285 609 9,776 16,001 - 19,500 ..... 9,755 29 9,784 522 19,501 - 26,000 ...... 3,203 3,110 3,110 571 Over 26,000 ..... 2 600 446 448 538

A Includes military vehicles.

TOTAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL ....

Total trucks .....

Total coaches or buses ...

Total commercial vehicles.

Table 3 - Factory Shipments of Made-in-Canada Vehicles, by Months, 1952-1955 (Including revisions to data)

74,792

75,115

425,916

323

8,786

8,786

32,721

74,517

74,844

425,438

327

65,731

66,058

392,717

327

Month	1952	1 9 5 3	1 9 5 4	1 9 5 5			
	(Number of units)						
January	34,232	35,894	40,310	29,403			
February	32,448	42,904	44,268	31,827			
March	34,209	51,990	45,634	32,380			
April	46,908	52,420	45,622	66,944			
May	42,690	50,590	37,284	60,882			
June	41,110	49,900	30,229	56,685			
July	34,314	48,691	26,128	48,067			
August	22,853	22,640	17,249	25,014			
September	41,065	35,021	13,982	19,077			
October	41,659	35,898	10,624	26,299			
November	31,340	19,931	18,176	28,860			
Total eleven months	402,828	445,879	329,506	425,438			
December	29,868	33,770	26,280				
TOTAL	432,696	479,649	355,786				