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MOTOR VEHICLE SHIPMENTS

Table 1 - Motor Vehicle Production and Shipments*, June, 1956

The Paris of the	Production during month	Factory shipments of made-in-Canada vehicles			Shipments of (1) vehicles
		For sale in Canada	For export	Total	imported from United States
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(a) Passenger cars Convertible cars Permanent closed cars-	4,382	4,285	14	4,299	368
Coupe	1,468 7,085	1,575	14	1,575 6,868	1 2
4-door sedan Station-wagon type	23,626 2,190	23,161 2,101	1,214	24,375	204 149
Other models	2,352 864	2,249	42 816	2,291 816	337
Total passenger cars	41,967	40,225	2,222	42,447	1,061
(b) Commercial vehicles, including trucks, buses and chassis Maximum gross vehicle weight - in pounds -					
5,000 and less	1,883	4,202 1,574	289 50	4,491	30 231
10,001 - 14,000	647 793	464	97 432	561 855	35 35 72
16,001 - 19,500	1,341 1,629 342	1,069 1,389 268	139	1,208 1,433 269	95 87
Total trucks	10,695	9, 389	1,052	10,441	585
Total coaches or buses	46	46	-	46	37
Total commercial vehicles	10,741	9,435	1,052	10,487	622
TOTAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL	52,708	49,660	3,274	52,934	1,683

^{*} Includes military vehicles.

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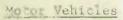




Table 2 - Motor Vehicle Production and Shipments*, Six Months Ended June, 1956

	Production during	Factory shipments of made-in-Canada vehicles			Shipments of (1) vehicles		
	period	For sale in Canada	For export	Total	United States		
	(Number of Units)						
A) Passenger cars Convertible cars Permanent closed cars-	24,337	22,844	80	22,924	7,939		
Coupe	7,830 33,948 125,150 12,627 9,579	7,973 32,990 117,334 11,876 8,840	37 6,530 414 368	7,976 33,027 123,864 12,290 9,208	41 4,082 10,857 2,425 7,009		
Chassis (sold without bodies)	8,116	1	8,352	8,353			
Total passenger cars	221,587	201,858	15,784	217,642	32,353		
Commercial vehicles, including trucks, buses and chassis Maximum gross vehicle weight - in pounds - 5,000 and less	22,582	20, 314	2,207	22,521	357		
5,001 - 10,000	11,145 3,000 4,347 6,310 7,270 1,676	9,538 2,325 2,603 5,731 6,421 1,303	221 168 1,940 148 67	9,759 2,493 4,543 5,879 6,488 1,304	923 205 342 367 750 616		
Total trucks	56,330	48,235	4,752	52,987	3,560		
Total coaches or buses	24)1	193	48	241	95		
Total commercial vehicles.	56,571	48,428	4,800	53,228	3,655		
TAL PASSENGER AND COMMERCIAL	278,158	250,286	20,584	270,870	36,008		

^{*} Includes military vehicles.

Table 3 - Factory Shipments of Made-in-Canada Vehicles, by Months, 1952-1956 (Including

Month	1952	1 9 5 3	1954	1955	1 9 5 6			
(Number of units)								
January	34,232	35,894	40,310	29,403	26,155			
February	32,448	42,904	44,268	31,827	27,625			
March	34,209	51,990	45,634	32,380	46,664			
April	46,908	52,420	45,622	66,944	60,470			
May	42,690	50,590	37,284	60,882	57,022			
June	41,110	49,900	30,229	56,685	52,934			
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				
December	29,868	33,770	26,280	28,185				
TOTAL	432,696	479,649	3 55,786	453,623				

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