

43-005

The flick

D.B.S. MEMORANDUM

Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa, Canada

STATISTICS CANADA / STATISTIQUE CANADA
 ASS 18 1987
 Price \$1.00 per year
 BIBLIOTHÈQUE

Vol.17-No.12

FACTORY SALES OF ELECTRIC STORAGE BATTERIES

DECEMBER - 1952

Sales of electric storage batteries and parts by principal Canadian producers were valued at \$1,866,552 during December, 1952, compared with \$1,849,137 during December, 1951. The sales for December, 1952 included 150,968 batteries at \$1,518,418 for the ignition of internal combustion engines for passenger cars and light trucks; 1,936 cells at \$26,421 for farm lighting plants; 1,527 cells at \$57,264 for railway service; batteries valued at \$217,979 for all other purposes, including telephone switchboards, direct motive power and ignition of internal combustion engines other than passenger cars and light trucks; and miscellaneous parts and supplies at \$46,470.

Table 1 - Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries, December, 1951 and 1952

Type	December - 1951		December - 1952	
	Number	Selling value at works	Number	Selling value at works
		\$		\$
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:				
(a) Automotive type (Passenger cars and light trucks) ...	Batteries 118,854	1,356,679	150,968	1,518,418
(b) Other	Batteries ...	3,462	...	43,448
For farm lighting plants	Cells 1,966	34,343	1,936	26,421
For railway service	Cells 1,378	71,854	1,527	57,264
For all other purposes .....	... ..	239,665	...	174,531
Parts and supplies .....	... ..	143,134	...	46,470
Total .....	... ..	1,849,137	...	1,866,552

Note: Firms which report monthly account for more than 95 per cent of the total Canadian production of storage batteries. For a list of reporting firms, please refer to the report for January, 1952.

Table 2 - Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries, Twelve Months Ended December, 1951 and 1952

Type	Twelve months ended December - 1951		Twelve months ended December - 1952(*)	
	Number	Selling value at works	Number	Selling value at works
		\$		\$
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:				
(a) Automotive type (Passenger cars and light trucks) ..	Batteries 1,534,658	16,044,818	1,666,101	17,158,916
(b) Other	Batteries ...	96,505	...	196,079
For farm lighting plants	Cells 26,332	284,170	23,255	250,628
For railway service	Cells 18,828	835,237	16,555	661,567
For all other purposes .....	... ..	2,460,323	...	2,591,841
Parts and supplies .....	... ..	758,619	...	721,520
Total .....	... ..	20,579,672	...	21,580,551

(*) Revised.
 6502-513 (2-3-53)

1-2-007

STATISTICS CANADA LIBRARY
BIBLIOTHÈQUE STATISTIQUE CANADA



1010691434