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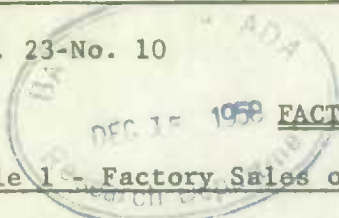
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## FACTORY SALES OF ELECTRIC STORAGE BATTERIES

**Table 1 - Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries, October**

Type	STATISTICS CANADA	STATISTIQUE CANADA	1957	1958
	Number		Selling value at plant \$	Selling value at plant \$
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:				
(a) Automotive type (passenger cars and trucks)				
(1) For initial installation Batteries	20,781	20,781	263,218	24,849
(2) For replacement purposes Batteries	219,738	219,738	2,332,823	209,802
(b) Other .....	-	-	18,464	-
For farm lighting plants .....	Cells	2,831	32,102	1,802
For railway service .....	Cells	2,737	97,001	2,208
For direct motive power .....	Batteries	196	158,579	139
For all other purposes .....	-	-	157,070	-
Parts and supplies .....	-	-	51,503	-
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>xxx</b>	<b>xxx</b>	<b>3,110,760</b>	<b>xxx</b>

**Table 2 - Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries, Ten Months Ended October**

Type	1957		1958	
	Number	Selling value at plant \$	Number	Selling value at plant \$
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:				
(a) Automotive type (passenger cars and trucks)				
(1) For initial installation Batteries	348,959	4,305,760	275,508	3,481,284
(2) For replacement purposes Batteries	1,426,576	15,995,804	1,364,877	14,257,581
(b) Other .....	-	174,333	-	179,452
For farm lighting plants .....	Cells	18,787	227,508	16,965
For railway service .....	Cells	25,293	1,061,772	22,373
For direct motive power .....	Batteries	1,930	1,651,421	2,187
For all other purposes .....	-	-	1,848,470	1,534,399
Parts and supplies .....	-	-	446,631	-
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>xxx</b>	<b>25,711,699</b>	<b>xxx</b>	<b>22,571,489</b>

**NOTE:** Firms which report monthly account for more than 95 per cent of the total Canadian production of storage batteries.

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