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FACTORY SALES OF ELECTRIC STORAGE BATTERIES

MARCH, 1961

TABLE 1. Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries

Type	Number	Selling value at plant (1)
		\$
<u>March, 1961</u>		
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:		
(a) Automotive type (all types primarily to fit passenger cars regardless of application)		
(i) For initial installation	Batteries 40,206	448,436
(ii) For replacement purposes	" 91,854	842,368
(b) Heavy-duty transport, motor coach and bus and diesel starting batteries (excluding marine):		
(i) For initial installation	" 1,524	19,329
(ii) For replacement purposes	" 4,623	96,675
(c) Marine	" 526	14,793
For farm lighting	Cells 1,056	23,341
For railway service (excluding railroad) signalling but including diesel start- ing, air conditioning, car lighting ...	" 2,181	101,050
For direct motive power (industrial truck, mine locomotive, etc.)	2,087	160,881
For all other purposes (including air- craft, motorcycle, communication, etc.)	-	126,556
Parts and supplies	-	29,109
TOTAL	-	1,862,538

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

(1) Factory selling value exclusive of sales tax or excise duties.

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TABLE 2. Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries

Type		Number	Selling value at plant
			\$
<u>March, 1960</u>			
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:			
(a) Automotive types (all types primarily to fit passenger cars regardless of application)			
(i) For initial installation	Batteries	49,854	559,550
(ii) For replacement purposes	"	89,661	861,862
(b) Heavy-duty transport, motor coach and bus and diesel starting batteries (excluding marine):			
(i) For initial installation	"	989	23,874
(ii) For replacement purposes	"	2,517	75,502
(c) Marine	"	344	12,558
For farm lighting	Cells	1,103	16,386
For railway service (excluding railroad signalling but including diesel starting, air conditioning, car lighting) ..	"	2,421	87,543
For direct motive power (industrial truck, mine locomotive, etc.)	"	3,333	238,668
For all other purposes (including aircraft, motorcycle, communication, etc.)		-	85,699
Parts and supplies		-	49,621
TOTAL		-	2,011,263

Note: Data on a comparable basis for previous year are not available because of changes in classification introduced as of January 1960.

TABLE 3. Revised Selling Value of Electric Storage Batteries

Type	January 1961	February 1961	Two months ended February 1961
\$			
(ii) For replacement purposes	1,119,813	1,114,469	2,234,282
3. For railway service (excluding railroad) signalling but including diesel starting air conditioning, car lighting	63,708	74,318	138,026
5. For direct motive power (industrial truck, mine locomotive, etc.)	164,570	159,171	323,741
7. Parts and supplies	32,087	33,837	65,924

TABLE 4. Factory Sales of Electric Storage Batteries

Type		Three months ended March, 1960		Three months ended March, 1961	
		Number	Selling value at plant(1)	Number	Selling value at plant(1)
			\$		\$
For starting and/or ignition of internal combustion engines:					
(a) Automotive type (all types primarily to fit passenger cars regardless of application)					
(i) For initial installation	Batteries	132,413	1,592,825	151,313	1,472,923
(ii) For replacement purposes	"	292,676	2,909,468	313,490	3,076,650 ^r
(b) Heavy-duty transport, motor coach and bus and diesel starting batteries (excluding marine):					
(i) For initial installation	"	1,466	33,707	3,526	46,250
(ii) For replacement purposes	"	6,157	179,135	13,382	281,983
(c) Marine	"	708	29,185	1,246	40,747
For farm lighting	Cells	3,439	55,345	1,949	39,910
For railway service (excluding railroad signalling but including diesel starting, air conditioning, car lighting) ..	"	5,182	207,291	5,064	239,076 ^r
For direct motive power (industrial truck, mine locomotive, etc.)		6,776	439,180	7,043	484,622 ^r
For all other purposes (including aircraft, motorcycle, communication, etc.)		-	219,805	-	316,799
Parts and supplies		-	154,741	-	95,033 ^r
TOTALS		-	5,820,682	-	6,093,993

(1) Factory selling value exclusive of sales tax or excise duties.

r Revised. See table 3 for details.

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