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NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES IN CANADA IN FEBRUARY, 1935.

Retail sales of new passenger cars, trucks and buses in Canada in February, 1935, show an increase of 69.1 per cent in number and 71.5 per cent in value as compared with February, 1934. There were 7,202 new vehicles sold for \$7,234,126 in February, 3,463 for \$3,543,152 in January, and 4,258 for \$4,219,063 in February, 1934.

New passenger cars numbered 5,968 in February, 2,850 in January and 3,642 in February last year, with corresponding retail values of \$5,992,255, \$2,863,881 and \$3,607,242, respectively. There were 1,234 trucks and buses sold for \$1,241,871 in February, 613 for \$679,271 in January and 616 for \$611,821 in February, 1934.

These figures are compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from returns submitted by nineteen companies in 1933, twenty-two companies in 1934 and twenty-three companies in 1935.

	Number				Retail Value			
	1933	1934	*1935	Per Cent of Increase 1934-1935	1933	1934	*1935	Per Cent of Increase 1934-1935

## New Passenger Cars

Jan.	1,624	1,875	2,850	+ 52.0	\$ 1,691,428	\$ 1,815,612	\$ 2,863,881	+ 57.7
Feb.	2,158	3,642	5,968	+ 63.9	2,281,811	3,607,242	5,992,255	+ 66.1
Mar.	3,747	7,580			3,756,899	7,616,926		
Apr.	5,495	10,643			5,426,224	11,129,256		
May	6,693	11,868			6,541,590	12,366,175		
June	5,805	8,486			5,906,012	8,811,743		
July	4,574	5,506			4,497,985	5,774,999		
Aug.	3,355	4,042			3,327,396	4,188,057		
Sept.	2,722	3,059			2,788,022	3,194,129		
Oct.	1,606	1,992			1,640,543	2,153,202		
Nov.	989	1,155			1,039,020	1,247,798		
Dec.	800	1,649			805,520	1,745,000		
12 Mos.	39,568	61,497			39,702,450	63,650,139		

## New Trucks and Buses

Jan.	178	256	613	+ 139.5	\$ 152,309	\$ 300,483	\$ 679,271	+ 126.1
Feb.	242	616	1,234	+ 100.3	240,398	611,821	1,241,871	+ 103.0
Mar.	375	871			379,598	891,412		
Apr.	583	1,478			577,696	1,541,841		
May	846	1,899			831,924	1,946,587		
June	707	1,639			727,306	1,641,102		
July	572	1,126			553,526	1,133,567		
Aug.	553	1,221			516,067	1,234,266		
Sept.	719	951			673,469	976,785		
Oct.	496	710			494,945	741,507		
Nov.	326	556			364,782	587,612		
Dec.	167	533			245,580	612,674		
12 Mos.	5,764	11,856			5,757,600	12,222,657		

## Total Cars, Trucks and Buses

Jan.	1,802	2,131	3,463	+ 62.5	\$ 1,843,737	\$ 2,116,095	\$ 3,543,152	+ 67.4
Feb.	2,400	4,258	7,202	+ 69.1	2,522,209	4,219,063	7,234,126	+ 71.5
Mar.	4,122	8,451			4,136,497	8,508,338		
Apr.	6,078	12,121			6,003,920	12,674,097		
May	7,539	13,767			7,373,514	14,312,762		
June	6,512	10,125			6,633,318	10,452,845		
July	5,146	6,632			5,051,511	6,908,566		
Aug.	3,908	5,263			3,843,463	5,422,323		
Sept.	3,441	4,010			3,461,491	4,170,914		
Oct.	2,102	2,702			2,135,488	2,894,709		
Nov.	1,315	1,711			1,403,302	1,835,410		
Dec.	967	2,182			1,051,100	2,357,674		
12 Mos.	45,332	73,353			45,460,050	75,872,796		

\* Revised.

NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES BY PROVINCES - FEBRUARY

The provincial figures for sales of motor vehicles show marked advances in each province over the figures for the same month in 1934. The value of motor vehicles sold in February was 119.0 per cent greater in Manitoba and 104.6 per cent greater in Quebec than in February, 1934. The increase was 80.5 per cent in the Maritime Provinces, 65.5 per cent in Ontario, 62.2 per cent in Alberta, 56.8 per cent in British Columbia, and 47.3 per cent in Saskatchewan. The relatively greater number of vehicles sold in some provinces than in others must, of course, be borne in mind when the provincial figures are compared.

Province	Number			Retail Value		
	Feb. 1934	Feb. 1935	Per cent of change	Feb. 1934	Feb. 1935	Per cent of Change
New Passenger Cars						
Maritimes .....	143	269	+ 88.1	\$ 139,636	\$ 269,172	+ 92.8
Quebec .....	492	894	+ 81.7	498,783	943,628	+ 89.2
Ontario .....	2,199	3,509	+ 59.6	2,168,984	3,511,552	+ 61.9
Manitoba .....	109	223	+104.6	111,058	220,395	+ 98.5
Saskatchewan .....	92	128	+ 39.1	89,520	122,685	+ 37.0
Alberta .....	255	414	+ 62.4	250,384	401,016	+ 60.2
British Columbia .	352	531	+ 50.9	348,877	523,807	+ 50.1
CANADA .....	3,642	5,968	+ 63.9	3,607,242	5,992,255	+ 66.1
New Trucks and Buses						
Maritimes .....	52	75	+ 44.2	\$ 49,042	\$ 71,457	+ 45.7
Quebec .....	55	192	+249.1	59,090	198,012	+235.1
Ontario .....	333	613	+ 84.1	336,770	635,219	+ 88.6
Manitoba .....	25	74	+196.0	20,385	67,486	+231.1
Saskatchewan .....	5	17	+240.0	5,030	16,566	+229.3
Alberta .....	59	101	+ 71.2	51,553	88,701	+ 72.1
British Columbia .	87	162	+ 86.2	89,951	164,430	+ 82.8
CANADA .....	616	1,234	+100.3	611,821	1,241,871	+103.0
Total Cars, Trucks and Buses						
Maritimes .....	195	344	+ 76.4	\$ 188,678	\$ 340,629	+ 80.5
Quebec .....	547	1,086	+ 98.5	557,873	1,141,640	+104.6
Ontario .....	2,532	4,122	+ 62.8	2,505,754	4,146,771	+ 65.5
Manitoba .....	134	297	+121.6	131,443	287,881	+119.0
Saskatchewan .....	97	145	+ 49.5	94,550	139,251	+ 47.3
Alberta .....	314	515	+ 64.0	301,937	489,717	+ 62.2
British Columbia .	439	693	+ 57.9	438,828	688,237	+ 56.8
CANADA .....	4,258	7,202	+ 69.1	4,219,063	7,234,126	+ 71.5

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