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SALES OF LUBRICATING OILS AND GREASES, 1954

Sales of lubricating oils in Canada during 1954 amounted to 79,446,495 gallons, of which 49,144,413 gallons were for motor transport and tractor use, 1,209,972 gallons were for aircraft and 29,092,109 gallons for industrial and other uses.

Sales of lubricating greases in 1954 totalled 78,706,981 pounds, including 24,317,519 pounds for automotive use, 18,240,184 pounds for industrial use and 36,149,278 pounds for use as automotive gear oils.

These figures were compiled from reports submitted by the principal wholesalers of petroleum oils and greases. Amounts imported direct by users or by retail outlets, such as department stores, are not included.

(a) Sales of Lubricating Oils

	Motor transport and tractor crankcase oils	Aircraft crankcase oils	Other oils (industrial, etc.)	TOTAL ALL PURPOSES
	(Imperial gallons)			
Newfoundland	138,085	62,382	25,644	226,111
Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ..	3,628,692	83,573	1,729,766	5,442,031
Quebec	9,526,248	331,505	6,347,097	16,204,850
Ontario	17,243,781	234,826	15,339,298	32,817,905
Manitoba	3,027,363	142,443	1,469,063	4,638,869
Saskatchewan	4,359,662	44,111	370,486	4,774,259
Alberta	6,119,132	139,418	1,411,394	7,669,944
British Columbia	5,101,451	171,714	2,399,361	7,672,526
CANADA	49,144,414	1,209,972	29,092,109	79,446,495

(b) Sales of Lubricating Greases and Automotive Gear Oils

	Lubricating greases			Automotive gear oils
	Automotive	Industrial	TOTAL	
	(pounds)			
Newfoundland	80,007	1,822	81,829	332,517
Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ..	1,690,946	1,359,325	3,050,271	1,865,904
Quebec	4,195,437	4,692,384	8,887,821	6,969,874
Ontario	7,301,582	7,286,232	14,587,814	12,495,337
Manitoba	1,606,689	1,502,422	3,109,111	2,753,352
Saskatchewan	3,899,319	510,856	4,410,175	3,268,604
Alberta	4,045,735	1,500,261	5,545,996	4,717,284
British Columbia	1,497,804	1,386,882	2,884,686	3,746,406
CANADA	24,317,519	18,240,184	42,557,703	36,149,278

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