

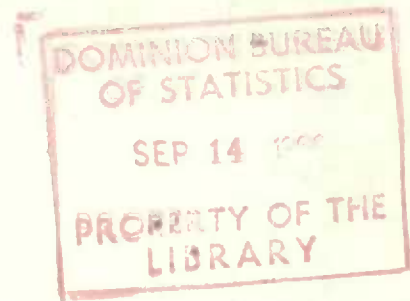
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This bulletin summarizes the statistics published in the monthly series under the same title and contains minor revisions to the monthly data where necessary. It is in two main parts as follows:

1. **New Motor Vehicle Sales** statistics are obtained from Canadian manufacturers who report consolidated totals of their dealers' monthly statements on sales to customers and from direct importers of cars of other than Canadian manufacture. Every effort is made to avoid duplication of sales reported by distributors of European cars.
2. **Financing of Motor Vehicle Sales** shown in this report covers only that financing handled by sales finance and acceptance companies. Financing charges and insurance are added to the instalment paper purchased from dealers.

COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

Commercial Vehicles is a term which is used for convenience in this report and is synonymous with the term "trucks and buses". Passenger models used for commercial purposes, such as taxis, are classified with passenger vehicles.

BRITISH AND EUROPEAN VEHICLES

British and European Vehicles are shown in a special table but are also included in all other tables of new motor vehicle sales and financing.

NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES AND MOTOR VEHICLE FINANCING 1959

A record number of new motor vehicles were sold in Canada during 1959, surpassing the previous high registered in 1956. There were 502,626 new vehicles at a retail value of \$1,540,168,000 sold during 1959, an increase over the previous year of 13.0 per cent in the number of units sold and 12.8 per cent in the dollar volume. Both passenger and commercial vehicles registered substantial gains in number of units sold, 12.8 per cent and 14.0 per cent respectively. The selling value of both passenger and commercial vehicles also showed increases; 11.7 per cent for passenger cars and 17.5 per cent for commercial vehicles.

All provinces experienced increased sales in the number of new motor vehicles, the largest gains being registered in Manitoba, 23.0 per cent; Ontario, 15.5 per cent; and British Columbia, 15.1 per cent.

Ontario continued to obtain the largest share of the sales of new motor vehicles with 41.5 per cent of the total, a slight increase from the 40.6 per cent in 1958. Quebec was second with 21.5 per

cent, a decrease from the 22.9 per cent in 1958. There were only fractional differences in the proportion of sales in the remaining provinces.

The sales of British and European vehicles continued to be an important component of the new motor vehicle market. There were 122,340 new vehicles of this origin sold during 1959 which is an increase of 45.9 per cent from the previous year.

In 1958, the sales of new British and European vehicles accounted for 18.9 per cent of the total new vehicle market; in 1959, their share of the market increased to 24.3 per cent.

The number of buses sold, included in the category "commercial vehicles" decreased in Quebec, while all other provinces showed gains with the exception of the Atlantic provinces where the number of buses sold in 1959 was equal to 1958. In total, 1,066 buses at a retail value of \$19,105,000 were sold as compared with 903 buses at a value of \$19,309,000 sold in 1958.

**New Motor Vehicle Sales showing Percentage Change in Number and Retail Value 1959/1958
also Percentage Distribution for 1958 and 1959, by Type of Vehicles and Provinces**

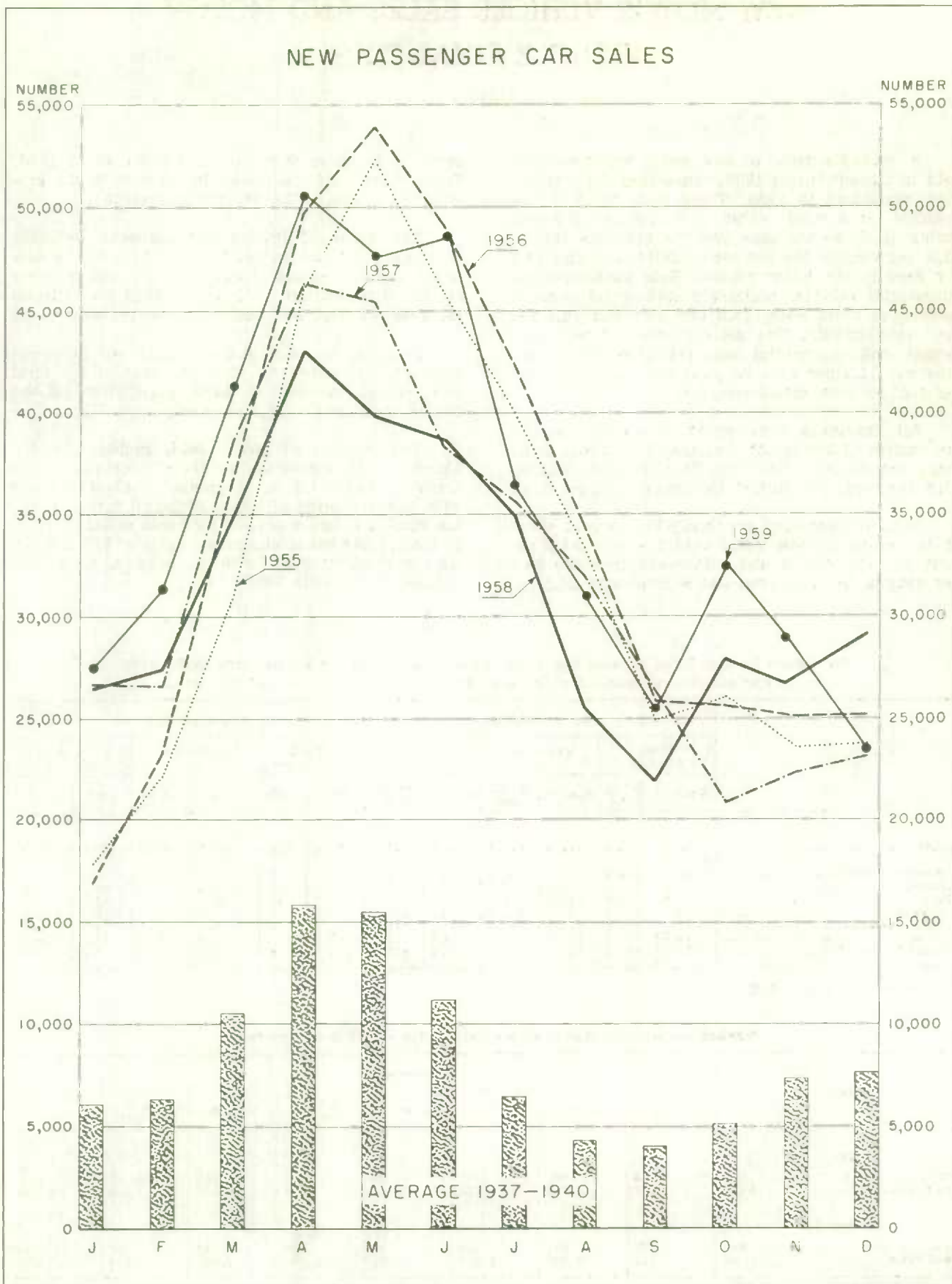
Province	Change 1959/1958						Unit distribution					
	Total vehicles		Passenger cars		Commercial vehicles		Total vehicles		Passenger cars		Commercial vehicles	
	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959
	per cent											
Canada	+13.0	+12.8	+12.8	+11.7	+14.0	+17.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Atlantic Provinces	+14.1	+13.3	+15.7	+14.1	+7.1	+10.4	7.8	7.8	7.4	7.6	9.7	9.1
Quebec	+6.2	+5.0	+5.2	+3.3	+11.7	+12.0	22.9	21.5	23.2	21.6	21.3	20.8
Ontario	+15.5	+15.4	+15.6	+14.9	+14.8	+17.9	40.6	41.5	41.8	42.9	33.9	34.1
Manitoba	+23.0	+24.4	+21.7	+23.0	+30.5	+30.7	5.3	5.8	5.3	5.7	5.1	5.8
Saskatchewan	+11.3	+12.2	+11.8	+11.9	+9.7	+13.3	5.2	5.2	4.8	4.8	7.5	7.3
Alberta	+11.3	+13.5	+11.0	+11.6	+12.3	+18.9	9.2	9.1	8.4	8.2	14.1	13.9
British Columbia ¹	+15.1	+14.5	+14.0	+10.8	+21.8	+31.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.2	8.4	9.0

¹ Includes Yukon and N.W.T.

Number and Retail Value of Buses Sold—1958 and 1959 by Provinces

Item	Provinces							Canada
	Atlantic Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ¹	
1958								
Units..... No.	23	406	133	52	123	146	20	903
Retail value..... \$'000	561	10,932	3,743	1,340	667	1,697	369	19,309
1959								
Units..... No.	23	281	244	86	234	172	26	1,066
Retail value..... \$'000	551	7,699	6,306	1,078	1,331	1,690	450	19,105

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories



NUMBER OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES SOLD IN CANADA

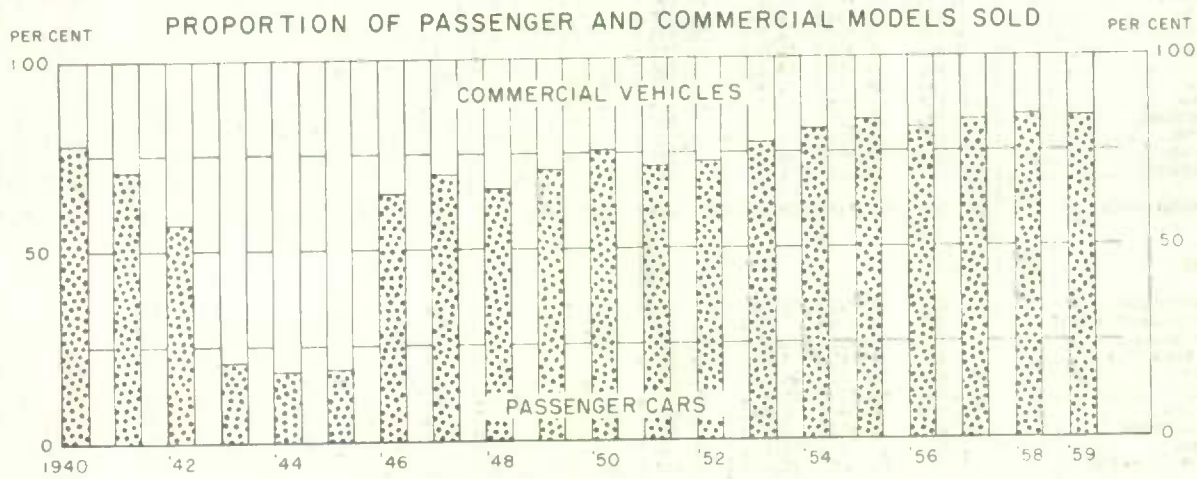
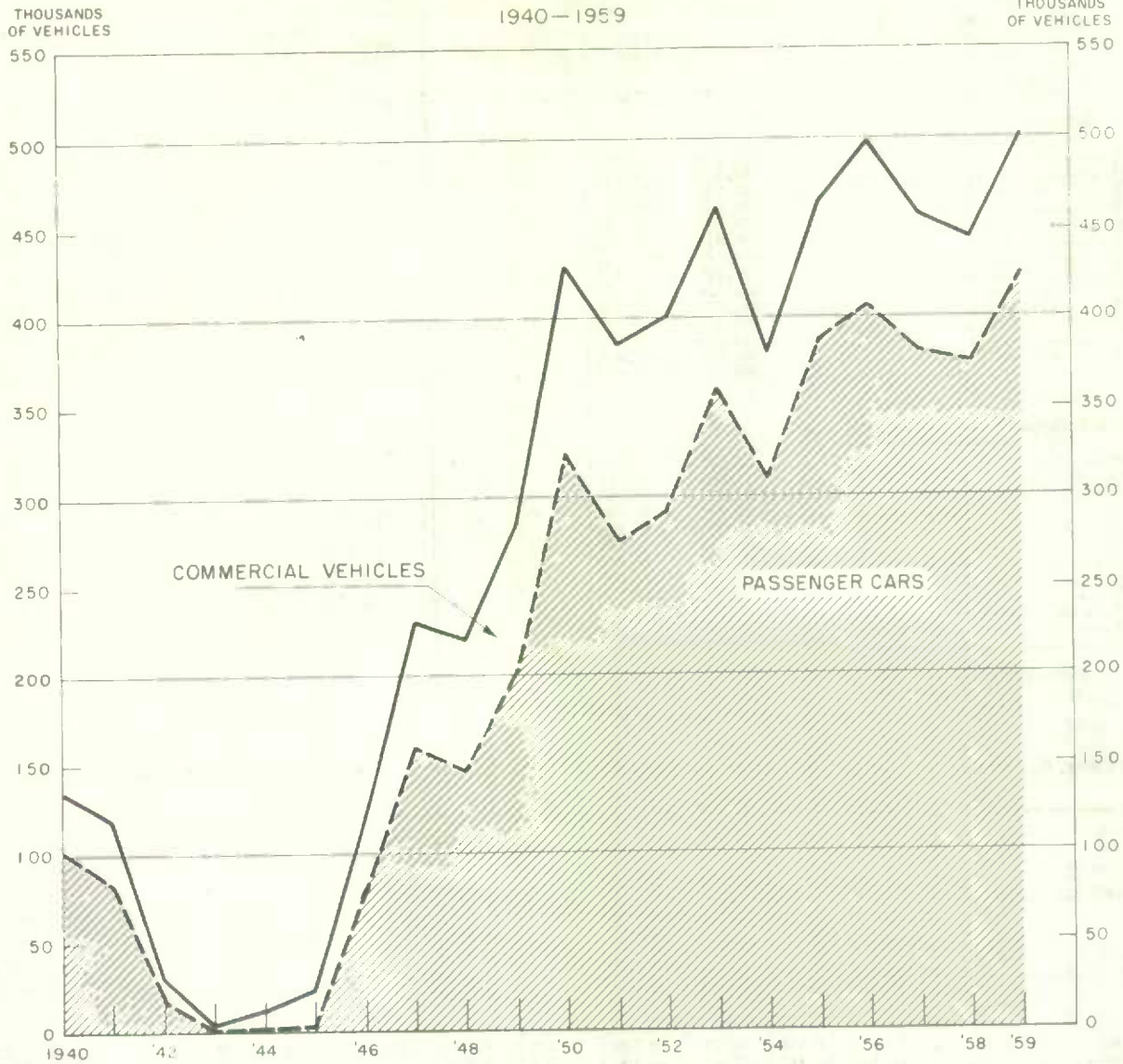


TABLE 1. Annual Sales of New Motor Vehicles in Canada, 1946-59 and Annual Sales of British and European Made Vehicles, 1949-59, by Type of Vehicle

Year	Total vehicles			Passenger cars			Commercial vehicles		
	Number	Retail value	Average per vehicle	Number	Retail value	Average per vehicle	Number	Retail value	Average per vehicle
		\$'000	\$		\$'000	\$		\$'000	\$
Total vehicles:									
1946	120,044	193,328	1,610	77,742	120,325	1,548	42,302	73,003	1,726
1947	230,255	416,237	1,808	159,205	283,190	1,779	71,050	133,047	1,873
1948	221,300	439,217	1,985	145,655	282,904	1,942	75,645	156,313	2,066
1949	286,341	588,725	2,056	202,318	412,298	2,038	84,023	176,427	2,100
1950	429,695	885,669	2,061	324,903	661,674	2,037	104,792	223,995	2,138
1951	385,648	950,160	2,464	275,686	683,183	2,478	109,962	266,977	2,428
1952	400,777	1,003,663	2,504	292,095	725,168	2,483	108,682	278,495	2,562
1953	462,526	1,162,471	2,513	359,172	899,726	2,505	103,354	262,745	2,542
1954	382,628	989,518	2,586	310,546	797,554	2,568	102,082	191,964	2,663
1955	465,678	1,255,890	2,697	388,962	1,023,351	2,645	78,716	232,539	2,954
1956	499,921	1,455,375	2,911	408,233	1,128,640	2,765	91,688	326,735	3,564
1957	458,299	1,368,931	2,987	382,023	1,087,620	2,847	76,276	281,311	3,688
1958	444,769	1,365,466	3,070	376,723	1,110,724	2,948	68,046	254,742	3,744
1959	502,626	1,540,168	3,064	425,038	1,240,961	2,920	77,588	299,207	3,856
British and European vehicles (included above):									
1949	30,101	..	..	28,362	..	..	1,838	..	..
1950	67,506	..	..	62,880	..	..	4,826	..	..
1951	32,162	..	..	29,113	..	..	3,049	..	..
1952	28,886	53,781	1,862	26,655	49,254	1,848	2,231	4,527	2,029
1953	28,025	53,803	1,920	26,378	50,601	1,918	1,847	3,202	1,944
1954	21,858	41,696	1,908	20,248	38,463	1,900	1,610	3,233	2,008
1955	24,631	45,660	1,854	22,165	40,609	1,832	2,466	5,051	2,048
1956	38,014	71,620	1,892	34,169	63,890	1,870	3,845	8,030	2,088
1957	53,800	102,376	1,903	49,433	92,897	1,879	4,367	9,473	2,169
1958	83,863	165,273	1,971	77,166	150,877	1,955	6,697	14,396	2,150
1959	122,340	243,088	1,987	114,118	225,740	1,978	8,222	17,348	2,110

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TABLE 2. Sales of New British and European Made Vehicles in Canada, by Month, Province, and Type of Vehicle 1958 and 1959

Month and province	Total vehicles				Passenger cars				Commercial vehicles			
	1958		1959		1958		1959		1958		1959	
	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value	Number	Retail value
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Month:												
January	3,812	7,410	5,257	10,521	3,492	6,723	4,813	9,594	320	687	444	927
February	5,213	10,147	7,150	14,494	4,869	9,421	6,482	13,092	344	726	668	1,402
March	6,514	12,749	9,903	19,587	6,030	11,699	9,102	17,893	484	1,050	801	1,694
April	8,515	17,048	14,234	28,173	7,754	15,421	13,412	26,440	761	1,627	822	1,733
May	7,953	15,948	13,916	27,778	7,419	14,795	13,011	25,832	534	1,153	905	1,946
June	8,496	16,613	13,418	28,700	7,915	15,375	12,772	25,362	581	1,238	646	1,338
July	9,247	18,096	11,337	22,434	8,520	16,538	10,893	21,527	727	1,558	444	907
August	8,131	12,083	10,642	21,535	5,694	11,159	9,688	19,482	437	924	954	2,053
September	8,170	12,147	9,419	18,579	5,622	10,938	8,693	17,052	548	1,209	726	1,527
October	8,601	16,774	9,470	18,639	7,902	15,257	8,892	17,435	699	1,517	578	1,204
November	7,044	13,962	9,437	18,507	6,476	12,787	8,790	17,138	568	1,175	647	1,369
December	6,167	12,296	8,157	16,141	5,473	10,764	7,570	14,693	694	1,532	587	1,248
Annual totals	83,863	165,273	122,340	243,088	77,166	150,877	114,118	225,740	6,697	14,396	8,222	17,348
Province:												
Newfoundland	1,370	2,683	2,029	3,952	1,258	2,427	1,908	3,679	112	256	121	273
Prince Edward Island	348	605	727	1,311	334	576	707	1,272	14	29	20	39
Nova Scotia	4,490	8,361	6,235	11,810	4,259	7,884	5,966	11,240	231	477	269	570
New Brunswick	2,329	4,347	3,555	6,770	2,163	4,003	3,356	6,324	166	344	199	446
Quebec	17,228	34,530	26,515	53,628	15,564	30,921	24,415	49,204	1,664	3,609	2,100	4,424
Ontario	35,354	89,025	50,572	99,291	32,634	63,173	47,074	91,981	2,720	5,852	3,498	7,330
Manitoba	3,189	8,209	4,503	8,883	2,963	5,720	4,180	8,183	226	489	323	700
Saskatchewan	1,748	3,370	2,942	5,769	1,588	3,028	2,787	5,444	162	342	155	325
Alberta	5,921	11,677	7,589	15,188	5,442	10,660	7,095	14,177	479	1,017	474	1,011
British Columbia ¹	11,886	24,466	17,693	36,486	10,963	22,485	16,630	34,256	923	1,981	1,063	2,230

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 3. Number of New Motor Vehicles Sold in Canada 1959, by Province and Month

Month	Canada	New-found-land	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New-Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ¹
All vehicles:											
January	32,397	230	139	952	719	6,523	14,459	1,763	1,437	3,175	3,000
February	37,129	254	179	1,170	750	8,071	15,254	2,054	1,942	3,649	3,806
March	48,448	504	227	1,800	1,174	10,391	19,443	3,002	2,618	4,889	4,400
April	59,360	806	412	2,208	1,607	14,317	23,044	3,434	3,512	5,751	4,289
May	55,646	952	379	1,876	1,344	12,289	24,229	3,123	2,754	4,261	4,439
June	57,063	842	248	2,174	1,491	12,445	23,294	3,222	3,375	5,105	4,867
July	42,734	729	238	1,526	951	9,366	17,538	2,612	2,024	3,780	3,990
August	38,099	576	200	1,419	1,108	7,810	14,542	2,472	2,194	3,665	4,113
September	31,218	421	139	1,224	706	6,609	12,872	1,716	1,463	3,088	2,980
October	37,072	469	175	1,282	1,000	7,797	16,541	1,668	1,603	2,853	3,484
November	35,300	371	163	1,239	913	7,294	15,424	1,949	1,707	2,980	3,260
December	28,160	319	160	923	752	5,026	12,015	1,668	1,336	2,638	3,303
Total units	502,626	6,473	2,659	17,793	12,515	107,938	208,655	28,903	23,965	45,814	45,911
Passenger cars:											
January	27,546	170	104	787	557	5,420	12,740	1,491	1,150	2,451	2,676
February	31,362	201	143	957	625	6,833	13,126	1,744	1,541	2,875	3,317
March	41,327	423	173	1,547	995	6,971	16,855	2,551	2,109	3,943	3,760
April	50,560	667	318	1,918	1,339	12,457	20,206	2,894	2,732	4,387	3,642
May	47,711	795	287	1,598	1,087	10,569	21,452	2,645	2,216	3,280	3,782
June	48,599	867	195	1,852	1,184	10,783	20,412	2,748	2,733	3,967	4,058
July	36,463	624	186	1,317	798	8,031	15,429	2,254	1,528	2,894	3,402
August	30,967	470	150	1,149	826	6,333	12,305	2,028	1,623	2,626	3,477
September	25,555	284	101	1,026	570	5,404	10,955	1,457	1,157	2,214	2,387
October	32,400	370	146	1,116	795	6,833	14,900	1,627	1,318	2,270	3,025
November	29,010	271	111	995	688	5,978	13,338	1,521	1,254	2,190	2,664
December	23,518	239	119	788	623	4,171	10,465	1,415	986	1,934	2,778
Total units	425,038	5,181	2,033	15,050	10,087	91,783	182,183	24,375	20,347	35,031	38,968
Commercial vehicles:											
January	4,851	60	35	165	162	1,103	1,719	272	287	724	324
February	5,767	53	36	213	125	1,238	2,128	310	401	774	489
March	7,121	81	54	253	179	1,420	2,568	451	509	946	640
April	8,800	139	94	290	268	1,860	2,838	540	780	1,364	627
May	7,935	157	92	278	257	1,720	2,777	478	538	981	657
June	8,464	175	53	322	307	1,662	2,882	474	642	1,138	809
July	6,271	105	52	209	153	1,335	2,109	358	496	666	588
August	7,112	106	50	270	282	1,477	2,237	444	571	1,039	636
September	5,663	137	38	198	136	1,205	1,917	259	306	874	593
October	4,672	99	29	166	205	964	1,641	241	285	563	459
November	6,290	100	52	244	225	1,316	2,086	428	453	790	596
December	4,642	80	41	135	129	855	1,550	273	350	704	525
Total units	77,588	1,292	626	2,743	2,428	16,155	26,472	4,528	5,618	10,783	6,943

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

Note: Includes British and European.

TABLE 4. Retail Value of New Motor Vehicles Sold in Canada, 1959 by Province and Month

Month	Canada	New-found-land	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ¹
	thousands of dollars										
All vehicles:											
January	103,828	659	375	2,672	2,088	22,642	46,426	5,629	4,495	9,794	9,048
February	114,828	693	508	3,295	2,160	25,927	47,059	6,534	6,000	11,405	11,247
March	150,070	1,324	595	4,847	3,525	32,977	60,674	9,574	7,958	15,451	13,145
April	179,815	2,239	1,132	5,960	4,655	44,116	69,422	10,753	10,906	18,168	12,464
May	169,327	2,649	1,079	5,261	3,874	39,886	71,734	9,570	8,482	13,496	13,296
June	173,526	2,533	658	5,846	4,389	38,554	70,739	10,346	10,409	15,997	14,055
July	130,971	1,946	630	4,041	2,699	30,627	53,431	8,256	6,341	11,901	11,099
August	114,541	1,562	530	3,820	3,376	24,049	42,896	7,713	6,943	11,600	12,052
September	94,969	1,136	370	3,101	1,972	20,823	38,540	5,452	4,571	10,076	8,928
October	113,022	1,285	464	3,442	3,110	24,855	49,868	5,936	5,218	9,119	9,725
November	107,519	1,010	475	3,328	2,711	23,258	45,842	6,040	5,404	9,619	9,832
December	87,752	855	426	2,459	2,107	16,775	37,564	5,165	4,196	8,558	9,647
Total value	1,540,168	17,891	7,242	48,072	36,666	344,489	634,195	90,968	80,923	145,184	134,538
Passenger cars:											
January	84,673	466	272	2,164	1,534	17,375	39,717	4,659	3,562	7,120	7,804
February	95,192	540	402	2,680	1,777	21,504	39,955	5,350	4,737	8,768	9,479
March	123,902	1,087	439	4,107	2,895	27,969	50,425	7,805	6,402	11,986	10,787
April	148,035	1,823	856	5,104	3,763	36,814	59,147	3,806	8,429	13,373	9,920
May	138,396	2,182	807	4,440	3,052	31,626	61,370	7,830	6,692	9,990	10,407
June	141,522	1,763	503	4,897	3,287	31,695	59,849	8,262	8,275	11,989	11,092
July	104,017	1,614	469	3,416	2,169	23,283	44,519	6,603	4,633	8,387	8,924
August	88,332	1,253	384	3,042	2,211	18,499	34,915	5,981	4,856	7,726	9,465
September	72,260	745	258	2,511	1,459	15,533	30,912	4,389	3,471	6,602	6,380
October	94,316	998	379	2,953	2,183	20,579	43,601	4,940	3,998	6,778	7,907
November	83,531	717	317	2,583	1,921	17,700	38,007	4,423	3,873	6,717	7,273
December	66,785	601	293	2,047	1,494	12,500	29,979	4,114	2,998	5,592	7,167
Total value	1,240,961	13,789	5,379	39,944	27,745	275,077	532,396	73,162	61,926	105,028	106,515
Commercial vehicles:											
January	19,155	193	103	508	554	5,267	6,709	970	933	2,674	1,244
February	19,636	153	106	615	383	4,423	7,104	1,184	1,263	2,637	1,768
March	26,168	237	158	740	630	5,008	10,249	1,769	1,556	3,465	2,358
April	31,780	416	276	856	892	7,302	10,275	1,947	2,477	4,795	2,544
May	30,931	467	272	821	822	8,260	10,364	1,740	1,790	3,506	2,889
June	32,004	770	155	949	1,102	6,859	10,890	2,084	2,134	4,008	3,053
July	26,954	332	161	625	530	7,344	8,912	1,653	1,708	3,514	2,175
August	26,209	309	146	778	1,165	5,550	7,981	1,732	2,087	3,874	2,587
September	22,709	391	112	590	513	5,290	7,628	1,063	1,100	3,474	2,548
October	18,706	287	85	489	927	4,278	6,267	996	1,220	2,341	1,818
November	23,988	293	158	745	790	5,558	7,835	1,617	1,531	2,902	2,559
December	20,967	254	133	412	613	4,275	7,585	1,051	1,198	2,968	2,480
Total value	299,207	4,162	1,863	8,128	8,921	60,412	101,799	17,806	18,997	40,156	28,023

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

Note: Includes British and European.

Financing of Motor Vehicle Sales

The following four tables cover the financing of sales of new and used motor vehicles, both passenger and commercial. The information represents a revised summary of the twelve monthly reports on motor vehicle financing published during 1959. It should be noted that the following tables refer only to the financing handled by sales finance companies and acceptance corporations. No other institutions engaged in this field of activity are included in this report.

For the year 1959, the number of vehicles financed decreased by 1.6 per cent while the total

amount of financing increased by 7.9 per cent, when compared with 1958.

Substantial increases, in the number and value of new passenger and commercial vehicles financed, were registered in 1959. The number of used vehicles financed decreased from the previous year although the amount of financing for used commercial vehicles showed a large increase (+25.4).

The financing of motor vehicle sales is an activity of various lending institutions. Since the financing covered in this report is an unknown percentage of all vehicles financed, comparisons of such financing to total new vehicle sales are not shown.

TABLE 5. Percentage Change in Number of Vehicles Financed and Amount of Financing by Provinces 1959/1958

Province	Number				Amount			
	New vehicles		Used vehicles		New vehicles		Used vehicles	
	Passenger	Commercial	Passenger	Commercial	Passenger	Commercial	Passenger	Commercial
Canada.....	+ 7.2	+20.5	- 6.9	-1.1	+10.6	+34.8	- 3.1	+25.4
Atlantic provinces	+ 9.8	+15.4	- 6.6	-9.7	+14.6	+27.0	- 4.9	- 1.9
Quebec.....	+ 4.3	+15.5	- 6.1	+0.2	+ 5.9	+29.9	- 5.7	+ 4.6
Ontario.....	+ 7.2	+20.7	-11.8	-7.4	+11.5	+31.1	- 6.3	+10.6
Manitoba.....	+21.6	+26.6	+11.1	+8.2	+26.2	+26.0	+21.2	+44.4
Saskatchewan.....	+ 5.4	+16.7	+ 0.7	+3.2	+ 9.4	+37.3	+ 7.0	+28.4
Alberta.....	+ 3.8	+26.6	- 5.9	+3.7	+ 7.6	+43.4	- 1.1	+52.1
British Columbia ¹	+12.7	+29.6	- 2.0	+7.6	+15.4	+57.1	+ 0.7	+68.4

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 6. Financing of Motor Vehicle Sales in Canada 1946 - 1959

Year	Total new and used vehicles		New vehicles				Used vehicles			
			Passenger		Commercial		Passenger		Commercial	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
		\$'000		\$'000		\$'000		\$'000		\$'000
1946.....	53,393	41,586	11,082	10,589	11,784	17,389	22,415	7,479	8,112	6,129
1947.....	118,867	108,745	27,409	32,419	19,291	33,004	56,024	29,643	16,143	13,679
1948.....	155,634	144,955	29,923	37,680	21,944	36,126	83,323	53,255	20,444	17,894
1949.....	232,988	219,184	53,185	71,044	28,317	44,467	124,595	81,983	26,891	21,690
1950.....	364,681	342,081	97,051	131,003	38,253	60,432	189,635	120,771	39,742	29,875
1951.....	423,830	376,671	81,726	110,146	44,529	81,057	239,140	138,775	58,435	46,693
1952.....	620,354	639,689	124,879	194,422	47,708	98,032	375,825	283,069	71,942	64,166
1953.....	640,512	725,545	146,431	252,160	42,621	90,087	382,106	320,321	69,354	62,977
1954.....	538,728	611,646	126,099	230,900	28,005	61,359	325,953	269,144	58,671	50,243
1955.....	599,330	719,328	156,191	305,069	28,936	70,928	355,638	294,508	58,565	48,823
1956.....	663,749	910,833	190,109	408,993	34,796	111,951	382,026	337,154	56,818	52,735
1957.....	615,251	878,522	171,904	385,043	29,116	95,056	365,883	344,799	48,348	53,624
1958 [*]	550,367	786,550	147,402	335,827	21,119	70,280	339,414	333,011	42,432	47,432
1959.....	541,348	848,302	158,022	371,392	25,453	94,707	315,898	322,746	41,975	59,457

* Revised figures.

TABLE 7. Number of Motor Vehicles Financed by Provinces and by Months, 1959

Month	Canada	Atlantic Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ¹
New passenger cars								
Annual totals	158,022	10,661	39,640	65,915	7,033	6,676	15,163	12,934
January	8,370	442	1,952	3,650	331	301	845	849
February	9,520	534	2,510	4,029	335	366	985	761
March	12,259	728	3,110	5,106	508	594	1,339	874
April	16,025	1,100	4,333	6,383	649	749	1,680	1,131
May	15,823	1,207	4,357	6,442	646	651	1,406	1,114
June	17,225	1,156	4,398	7,115	782	716	1,662	1,396
July	16,289	1,182	4,310	6,676	744	887	1,355	1,335
August	13,490	1,025	3,353	5,301	802	537	1,229	1,243
September	13,139	885	3,170	5,450	701	585	1,271	1,077
October	13,772	873	3,320	6,051	614	604	1,197	1,113
November	11,899	790	2,763	5,255	453	463	1,117	1,058
December	10,211	739	2,064	4,457	468	423	1,077	983
New commercial vehicles								
Annual totals	25,453	2,275	6,203	8,028	1,101	1,463	3,994	2,389
January	1,370	86	366	430	48	81	240	117
February	1,717	111	484	520	82	88	284	148
March	2,009	140	504	654	87	107	362	155
April	2,199	189	522	667	108	149	367	197
May	2,549	243	601	899	114	132	363	197
June	2,630	269	578	891	113	135	388	256
July	2,291	233	553	745	97	119	305	239
August	2,093	226	530	599	88	125	336	189
September	2,455	242	603	759	114	139	387	211
October	2,057	180	457	627	78	140	326	247
November	2,197	186	555	663	84	139	334	236
December	1,886	168	450	574	88	109	300	197
Used passenger cars								
Annual totals	315,898	26,481	74,585	117,927	16,026	16,672	33,729	30,478
January	16,334	1,186	3,134	6,727	774	732	1,956	1,623
February	20,953	1,434	5,139	8,276	872	870	2,206	2,156
March	26,625	1,952	6,117	10,161	1,380	1,482	3,129	2,404
April	32,976	2,839	8,195	11,835	1,612	1,884	3,546	3,065
May	32,414	2,866	8,658	11,507	1,619	1,643	3,224	2,897
June	34,825	2,980	8,512	12,700	1,755	1,947	3,693	3,238
July	32,884	2,764	8,124	12,293	1,610	1,815	3,280	2,998
August	27,812	2,526	6,735	9,898	1,655	1,343	2,868	2,787
September	26,612	2,305	5,726	10,050	1,511	1,424	2,854	2,742
October	23,066	1,779	5,404	8,703	1,193	1,212	2,384	2,391
November	21,621	1,915	4,820	8,457	1,064	1,165	2,219	1,961
December	19,776	1,933	4,021	7,320	981	1,155	2,370	1,996
Used commercial vehicles								
Annual totals	41,975	4,792	9,022	10,570	2,019	2,930	7,106	5,534
January	2,383	224	413	593	81	145	600	327
February	2,770	267	575	718	143	155	482	430
March	3,313	354	661	907	147	212	596	436
April	4,264	439	937	1,076	202	323	721	564
May	3,945	471	978	975	203	282	617	419
June	4,156	509	911	1,074	208	274	828	552
July	3,656	509	798	936	150	259	534	470
August	3,614	408	765	886	204	256	629	466
September	3,941	462	837	994	206	280	643	519
October	3,377	371	716	860	165	268	545	452
November	3,346	388	734	815	166	251	513	479
December	3,210	390	697	734	144	225	600	420

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

TABLE 8. Amount of Motor Vehicle Financing, by Provinces and by Months, 1959

Month	Canada	Atlantic Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia ¹
thousands of dollars								
New passenger cars								
Annual totals	371,392	23,100	95,898	152,192	16,442	15,386	36,656	31,716
January	19,894	892	4,661	8,537	781	735	2,194	2,094
February	22,494	1,182	6,192	9,217	774	846	2,368	1,915
March	29,160	1,560	7,549	12,047	1,202	1,373	3,232	2,197
April	37,705	2,300	10,474	14,804	1,526	1,696	4,104	2,801
May	37,297	2,598	10,476	14,865	1,568	1,543	3,434	2,813
June	40,764	2,532	10,636	16,631	1,741	1,710	4,036	3,478
July	38,826	2,607	10,412	15,764	1,797	1,601	3,307	3,340
August	31,922	2,259	8,241	12,413	1,791	1,255	2,952	3,011
September	30,228	1,975	7,639	12,148	1,637	1,273	2,971	2,585
October	31,877	1,907	7,898	13,756	1,450	1,341	2,642	2,683
November	27,401	1,699	6,653	11,842	1,077	1,062	2,598	2,470
December	23,822	1,589	5,067	10,168	1,096	951	2,618	2,331
New commercial vehicles								
Annual totals	94,707	7,240	22,291	29,485	4,817	5,227	15,845	9,802
January	5,139	267	1,470	1,678	189	221	958	356
February	6,020	288	1,690	1,698	334	317	1,126	567
March	6,624	400	1,608	2,093	270	403	1,292	558
April	7,705	689	1,682	2,182	523	532	1,348	749
May	10,037	803	2,132	3,737	507	521	1,400	937
June	10,214	864	2,078	3,602	526	518	1,566	1,056
July	8,969	890	2,195	2,777	597	433	1,141	936
August	7,681	672	1,891	2,235	424	433	1,457	769
September	9,485	765	2,270	3,017	487	580	1,430	956
October	7,190	512	1,607	2,145	262	443	1,353	868
November	7,879	568	2,037	2,176	321	490	1,358	929
December	7,564	522	1,631	2,145	375	356	1,414	1,121
Used passenger cars								
Annual totals	322,746	23,015	76,363	123,314	16,866	15,517	34,041	33,630
January	17,353	1,021	3,393	7,099	865	649	2,214	2,112
February	21,894	1,258	5,523	8,801	989	820	2,227	2,276
March	27,443	1,689	8,316	10,716	1,428	1,419	3,169	2,706
April	33,405	2,402	8,258	12,342	1,692	1,709	3,621	3,381
May	32,574	2,450	8,653	11,945	1,700	1,577	3,096	3,153
June	35,416	2,557	8,739	13,165	1,843	1,821	3,696	3,595
July	33,578	2,448	8,311	12,841	1,696	1,639	3,349	3,294
August	28,014	2,222	6,785	10,305	1,716	1,202	2,781	3,093
September	26,859	2,017	5,789	10,331	1,520	1,344	2,687	2,971
October	23,386	1,554	5,440	9,014	1,251	1,087	2,384	2,656
November	22,221	1,684	4,929	8,959	1,126	1,099	2,232	2,192
December	20,603	1,713	4,227	7,796	1,040	1,151	2,385	2,291
Used commercial vehicles								
Annual totals	59,457	4,258	11,377	14,690	3,007	3,144	11,951	11,630
January	3,330	189	559	811	87	136	906	642
February	4,395	250	774	1,061	216	167	953	974
March	4,460	294	789	1,240	181	251	908	797
April	6,058	367	1,242	1,478	251	291	1,076	1,353
May	5,295	408	1,182	1,368	350	267	995	725
June	6,497	484	1,098	1,482	452	330	1,367	1,284
July	4,990	499	999	1,275	205	272	912	828
August	4,814	351	925	1,138	322	294	932	852
September	5,458	398	1,018	1,566	280	311	1,081	784
October	4,765	312	874	976	194	335	984	1,090
November	4,682	326	985	1,103	313	240	859	856
December	4,713	380	932	1,172	156	250	978	845

¹ Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

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