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Foreign vehicles entering Canada on travellers' vehicle permits during the month of April 1961 numbered 406,726, which represents an increase of 10,458 entries or 2.6 per cent more than in April 1960. Cumulative data on travellers' vehicle permits during the first four months of 1961 show 1,212,789 entries, an increase over the corresponding period in 1960 of 126,629 or 11.7 per cent.

Province of Entry into Canada	% one day in 1960	Permits Issued (1)		Change in 1961	% Change in 1961		
		1960	1961				
Newfoundland)	nil	158	146	-	12	-	7.6
Nova Scotia)							
New Brunswick	68.8	24,915	24,181	-	734	-	2.9
Quebec	54.9	39,354	38,824	-	530	-	1.3
Ontario	69.6	301,569	309,421	+	7,852	+	2.6
Manitoba	57.6	4,167	4,820	+	653	+	15.7
Saskatchewan	62.3	2,194	2,463	+	269	+	12.3
Alberta	30.3	1,664	1,650	-	14	-	0.8
British Columbia	46.0	21,929	24,773	+	2,844	+	13.0
Yukon Territory	1.6	318	448	+	130	+	40.9
Canada	66.4	396,268	406,726	+	10,458	+	2.6

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Newfoundland)	nil	334	301	-	33	- 9.9
Nova Scotia)						
New Brunswick	68.9	69,045	69,456	+	411	+ 0.6
Quebec	59.1	109,934	120,797	+	10,863	+ 9.9
Ontario	67.8	807,923	908,531	+	100,608	+ 12.5
Manitoba	69.5	15,771	19,446	+	3,675	+ 23.4
Saskatchewan	65.9	6,300	8,163	+	1,863	+ 29.6
Alberta	37.4	4,989	5,311	+	322	+ 6.5
British Columbia	49.2	70,760	79,273	+	8,513	+ 12.0
Yukon Territory	1.0	1,104	1,511	+	407	+ 36.9
Canada	65.6	1,086,160	1,212,789	+	126,629	+ 11.7

(1) Includes permits issued to all foreign vehicles regardless of length of stay in Canada. Not comparable with data for 1959 or earlier years.

A further breakdown showing the number of vehicles in Canada for 24 hours or less will appear in the regular monthly publication - Travel Between Canada and the United States (Catalogue No. 66-001). In the meantime, data in column 1 of the above table may give some indication of the proportion of short-term traffic that may be expected.

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