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FINANCING OF AUTOMOBILE TRUCK AND BUS SALES IN CANADA IN JANUARY 1934.

The number of sales of new and used automobiles, trucks and buses which were financed in Canada in January, 1934, and the amount involved in financing these sales have been compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

The figures for January show an increase as compared with December, and indicate a drop of 28.7% in numbers and 19.1% in values as compared with January, 1933.

The total number of vehicles financed was 2,148 in January, 1934, 2,008 in December, 1933, and 3,013 in January, 1933; and the amount of financing was \$810,045 in January, 1934, \$738,155 in December, 1933, and \$1,000,753 in January, 1933.

New vehicles financed numbered 508 in January, 1934, 429 in December, 1933, and 868 in January, 1933; while used vehicles numbered 1,640 in January, 1934, 1,579 in December, 1933, and 2,145 in January, 1933.

The amount of financing for new vehicles was \$362,828 in January, 1934, \$308,932 in December, 1933, and \$456,275 in January, 1933; and the total for used vehicles was \$447,217 in January, 1934, \$429,223 in December, 1933, and \$544,478 in January, 1933.

Month	Number of Vehicles			% of Change	Amount of Financing			% of Change
	1932	1933	19314	1933- 1934	1932	1933	1934	1933-
Tanuary Tebruary Tebruary Tarch Tepril Tay Tune Tuly Tugust September Tovember	1,070 1,389 1,631 2,426 3,171 2,920 2,087 1,709 1,499 1,263 1,166 962	868 946 1,659 1,7318 1,775 1,775 1,229 608 429	508	New Ve.	\$632,707 727,705 1,060,440 1,587,293 2,023,586 1,768,206 1,245,578 1,023,137 938,254 722,756 538,264 473,433	\$456,275 532,639 919,287 1,065,995 1,463,407 1,244,699 1,145,803 908,390 836,969 688,736 459,236 308,932	\$362,828	-20.5
January Webruary March April May June July August Ceptember October November	2,982 2,781 3,319 4,419 6,444 6,231 4,545 4,356 3,519 3,120 2,679	2,145 2,323 3,579 3,812 5,141 4,647 4,077 3,022 2,555 2,683 1,579	1,640	Used Ve		\$544,478 638,935 854,917 998,769 1,638,962 1,156,450 991,889 902,444 764,400 663,722 544,231 429,223	477,217	-17.9
January February March April May June July August September October November December	4,052 4,170 4,950 7,345 9,615 6,065 5,018 4,371 4,286 3,641	3,013 3,0269 5,544 7,459 5,785 5,783	2,148	-28.7	\$1,445,208 1,529,368 2,024,636 2,999,562 3,787,512 3,470,610 2,473,597 2,184,701 1,896,507 1,587,385 1,334,307 1,132,255	\$1,000,753 1,171,574 1,774,204 2,064,764 3,102,369 2,401,149 2,137,692 1,810,834 1,601,369 1,352,458 1,003,467 738,155	810,045	-19.1
Total		54,238	-		25,865,648	20,158,788	-	-



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