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REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, AUSTRALIA : APRIL, 1964
PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

This preliminary statement of registrations of new motor vehicles will be followed by a supplementary statement showing registrations according to make of vehicle and at a later date by the monthly bulletin which gives information in greater detail. All government-owned vehicles are included except those belonging to the Defence Services.

Registered during the month means passed through the Central Registration Authority in respective States during the month. Occasionally, in some States, new registrations effected in Branch offices are not "passed" into the statistics until some time after actual registration.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES

TABLE 1. - STATES AND TERRITORIES : ALL MOTOR VEHICLES (excluding Motor Cycles)

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A. (a)	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust. (a)
1963 : March	11,094	8,038	3,907	2,914	2,373	945	75	356	29,702
April	10,339	7,184	3,517	2,551	2,359	837	67	341	27,195
May	11,707	8,362	4,141	2,740	2,443	960	72	357	30,782
June	9,746	7,120	3,810	2,942	2,360	908	108	305	27,299
July	12,938	9,762	5,142	3,554	2,763	1,181	116	442	35,898
August	12,513	8,639	4,819	3,101	2,794	1,009	123	372	33,370
September	12,532	8,859	4,908	3,584	2,845	1,065	144	347	34,284
October	12,687	10,325	5,174	3,408	2,972	1,117	157	351	36,191
November	12,660	8,881	5,043	3,669	2,798	1,080	163	334	34,628
December	11,490	8,588	4,573	3,486	2,744	1,171	143	285	32,480
1964 : January	9,013	6,622	4,728	2,438	2,493	749	104	223	26,370
February	10,880	7,822	3,746	3,106	2,304	958	96	318	29,230
March	11,570	8,967	4,918	3,381	2,484	1,093	160	439	33,012
April (b)	13,360	10,510	5,103	3,497	2,631	1,101	171	401	36,774
Metropolitan (b) (c)	7,138	6,463	2,087	1,937	1,638	360	..	401	20,024
Extra-metropolitan (b)	6,222	4,047	3,016	1,560	993	741	171	..	16,750

TABLE 2. - AUSTRALIA (a) : ALL MOTOR VEHICLES - TYPES

Month	Motor Cars	Station Wagons	Ambulances and Hearse	Utilities	Panel Vans	Trucks	Other Truck-type	Omni-buses	Total	Motor Cycles
1963 : March	17,648	5,916	20	3,259	1,264	1,468	35	92	29,702	588
April	16,193	5,419	25	2,848	1,092	1,513	34	71	27,195	423
May	18,351	5,985	35	3,054	1,292	1,899	45	121	30,782	536
June	16,936	5,051	24	2,559	997	1,582	47	103	27,299	315
July	22,832	6,843	44	2,921	1,113	1,974	66	105	35,898	378
August	21,913	5,945	31	2,478	1,075	1,770	63	95	33,370	385
September	21,829	6,757	28	2,620	1,032	1,840	52	126	34,284	367
October	22,907	7,127	29	2,834	1,153	1,983	66	92	36,191	451
November	21,214	7,257	30	2,769	1,002	2,177	70	109	34,628	432
December	19,833	7,117	37	2,554	867	1,924	55	93	32,480	366
1964 : January	16,329	5,243	28	2,336	773	1,530	36	95	26,370	497
February	18,755	5,662	13	2,121	904	1,615	37	123	29,230	507
March	20,811	6,784	28	2,468	1,043	1,689	45	144	33,012	519
April (b)	22,259	7,597	31	3,266	1,298	2,136	70	117	36,774	541
Metropolitan (b)(c)	12,997	4,076	13	1,006	914	926	47	45	20,024	292
Extra-metropolitan (b)	9,262	3,521	18	2,260	384	1,210	23	72	16,750	249

(a) Includes, for Western Australia, extra-metropolitan registrations for the month prior to that indicated. (b) Preliminary. (c) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, Hobart and A.C.T.

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NOTE: Inquiries concerning these statistics may be made in Canberra by telephoning 90361 Extension 28 or, in each State Capital, by telephoning the office of the Bureau of Census and Statistics.