

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS
CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

Monthly Bulletin of Registrations of New Motor Vehicles

FEBRUARY, 1953.

CONTENTS.

<u>Number of Table</u>		<u>Page</u>
I	<u>All Motor Vehicles - Summary January, 1952 to February, 1953</u> (i) States: Number (ii) Australia: Types	3
II	<u>Cars - Metropolitan and Total Registrations according to</u> Make and Horse-power, February, 1953. Australia and States	4
III	<u>Motor Vehicles other than Cars -</u> <u>Make, Horse-power and Type, February, 1953</u> Australia 7 New South Wales 10 Victoria 12 Queensland 14 South Australia 15 Western Australia 16 Tasmania 17 Australian Capital Territory 18	
IV	<u>All Motor Vehicles - Country of Origin, February, 1953</u> Australia 18	
V	<u>Lorries and Omnibuses - Type of Fuel Used, February, 1953</u> Australia and States 18	
VI	<u>Motor Cycles - Make, February, 1953</u> Australia and States 19	

PREFACE

This Bulletin contains an analysis of registrations of new motor vehicles (including Commonwealth-owned vehicles) for the month of February, 1953. Except for Motor Cycles, the analysis relates to make, horse-power and type of new motor vehicles registered in each State, the Australian Capital Territory and the Commonwealth including Northern Territory. Motor Cycles are shown according to make of vehicle in each State and the Australian Capital Territory.

Separate particulars are shown for (a) Cars, (b) Motor Cycles and (c) Other Motor Vehicles. Cars are dissected into (i) Metropolitan Registrations and (ii) Total Registrations, whilst "Other Motor Vehicles" are dissected into (i) Utilities, (ii) Panel Vans, (iii) Lorries, (iv) Omnibuses, (v) Station Wagons and (vi) Other Types.

Supplementary tables show comparative figures for the last fourteen months, the country of origin of all new motor vehicles (except Motor Cycles) registered during the current month, and a dissection of lorries and omnibuses according to type of fuel used.

Monthly statistics are available as from July, 1951 and have been compiled in collaboration with Government Statisticians from data made available by the Road Transport Authorities in each State. Particulars for Motor Cycles are not available prior to January, 1953.

DEFINITIONS:

CARS

Coupe	Ambulance
Limousine	Caleche
Saloon	Convertible
Sedan	Hearse
Sedan Coupé	Open Sports
Sports Sedan	Roadster
	Tourer

OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES(a) UTILITY

Coupe Utility
Pickup
Utility

(b) PANEL VAN is defined as a "van body moulded in one unit with the cab integral".

(c) LORRY

Articulated Truck	Lorry Type Tractor	Skeleton Wood Cart
Bolster Truck	Low Loader	Timber Jinker
Cab and Chassis	Meat Wagon	Tipper
Cowl and Chassis	Mobile Winch	Tray
Furniture Van	Platform Truck	Tray Top and Sides
Horse Float	Prime Mover	Truck
Log and Winch Truck	Sanitary Wagon	Wood Chassis
Lorry	Semi Trailer	

(d) OMNIBUS

Coach
Omnibus
Parlour Coach

(e) STATION WAGON

Estate Car
Station Coupe
Station Wagon

(f) OTHER

Concrete Agitator	Straddle Truck
Milk Wagon	Street Flusher
Petrol Wagon	Tanker
Spray Wagon	

MOTOR CYCLES - Included under this heading are:- (a) Motor Cycles (b) Motor Scooters and (c) Pedal Cycles with motors attached.

Vehicles such as the Land Rover and Willys Jeep are included under the heading of the body type constructed on the chassis but in general these vehicles are classified as "utility".

Vehicles which have been excluded from tabulations are as follows:-

Air Compressor	Grader
Bull-Dozer	Industrial Barrow
Concrete Mixer	Mobile Crane
Crawler Tractor	Rotary Hoe
Electric Welding Plant	Street Sweeper
Fork or Air Lift	Tractor
Front End Loader	

Separate registrations of trailers or any other vehicle without an engine are also excluded.

For various reasons the total number of new vehicles shown herein may not agree in all cases with figures compiled by the registration authorities in each State but the difference will be small and of no significance. For all States the tabulations include all registrations of new vehicles which passed through the Central Registration Authority up to and including the last day of the month. In regard to Western Australia all metropolitan (Perth) registrations of new vehicles during the month are included, but the majority of country registrations arrive at the central office too late for inclusion in the tabulations for the month to which they refer and are incorporated in the tabulations for the month following.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

TABLE I. ALL MOTOR VEHICLES (EXCLUDING MOTOR CYCLES) - SUMMARY OF MONTHLY REGISTRATIONS.

(i) STATES - NUMBER

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	N.T.	Total
<u>1952</u>									
January ..	4,643	3,560	1,471	1,230	1,080	571	35	25	12,615
February ..	4,738	4,309	1,688	2,000	1,125	565	60	31	14,516
March ..	5,509	4,885	1,772	2,159	1,337	514	61	26	16,263
April ..	5,001	4,424	1,679	1,808	1,625	620	65	50	15,272
May ..	4,842	4,912	1,652	1,646	1,363	518	64	25	15,022
June ..	3,914	4,153	1,621	1,435	1,078	417	45	16	12,679
July ..	4,093	3,310	1,823	1,357	981	472	60	37	12,133
August ..	3,312	2,798	1,558	1,216	936	428	52	31	10,331
September ..	3,611	2,924	1,633	1,287	951	369	50	29	10,854
October ..	4,519	3,704	1,889	1,391	1,141	481	54	26	13,205
November ..	4,620	3,462	1,874	1,433	1,115	444	55	26	13,029
December ..	4,754	3,585	2,012	1,551	1,060	568	52	34	13,616
<u>1953</u>									
January ..	3,234	2,345	1,324	917	951	257	44	45	9,117
February -									
Metropolitan ..	1,468	1,531	551	504	443	102	-	-	4,599
Extra-Metropolitan	2,376	1,535	1,031	718	434	257	50	26	6,427
Total:	3,844	3,066	1,582	1,222	877	359	50	26	11,026

(ii) AUSTRALIA - TYPES

Month	Cars	Utilities (a)	Panel Vans (b)	Lorries	Omni- buses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	Total
<u>1952</u>								
January ..	8,069	2,074	466	1,731	30	217	28	12,615
February ..	9,203	2,689	437	1,888	39	223	37	14,516
March ..	10,543	3,047	489	1,933	38	178	35	16,263
April ..	9,916	2,819	430	1,825	55	193	34	15,272
May ..	9,411	2,935	478	1,937	46	181	34	15,022
June ..	7,616	2,765	304	1,781	58	130	25	12,679
July ..	7,450	2,656	254	1,565	56	120	32	12,133
August ..	6,375	2,316	243	1,238	33	102	24	10,331
September ..	6,902	2,357	262	1,184	42	82	25	10,854
October ..	8,818	2,719	295	1,241	42	75	15	13,205
November ..	8,708	2,702	312	1,161	36	94	16	13,029
December ..	9,004	2,922	351	1,161	43	107	28	13,616
<u>1953</u>								
January ..	5,968	2,041	248	758	23	66	13	9,117
February -								
Metropolitan ..	3,325	743	195	274	6	43	13	4,599
Extra-Metropolitan	3,770	1,766	101	739	17	32	2	6,427
Total:	7,095	2,509	296	1,013	23	75	15	11,026

(a) Includes Queensland Panel Vans. (b) Excludes Queensland.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

AUSTRALIA (a) Month of FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE II CARS

Make of Car	Horse-Power	New South Wales		Victoria		Queensland		South Australia		Western Australia		Tasmania		Australian Capital Territory		Australia (a)	
		Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop (b)	Total Cars
Armstrong Siddeley	18	1	2	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	6
Austin - A30	8	7	14	24	30	37	47	20	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	83	122
- A40	10	61	131	61	108	15	32	2	9	13	23	5	12	-	3	157	318
- A70	15	11	29	2	12	-	3	11	28	3	10	-	-	-	-	27	82
- A90	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
- A125	28	1	2	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4
Total Austin		80	176	87	150	53	83	34	69	16	33	5	13	-	3	275	527
Bond	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Buick	32	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3
Chevrolet	29	15	41	11	14	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	2	-	3	27	62
Citroen - 4	15	3	8	7	12	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	24
- 6	22	-	-	1	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5
Total Citroen		3	8	8	15	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	29
Daimler	18	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
De Soto	27	2	6	-	3	1	1	2	3	4	7	2	6	-	-	11	26
Dodge	27	34	75	9	33	3	18	4	18	5	10	-	1	-	-	55	155
Fiat - 500C	6	5	6	1	2	1	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	8	12
- 1100E	11	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	4
- 1400	16	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	-	2	4	-	-	-	-	2	9
Total Fiat		6	9	1	2	1	7	1	1	3	5	-	1	-	-	12	25
Ford - Prefect - Anglia	10	24	57	42	74	12	31	22	34	22	34	3	10	-	1	125	241
- Consul	15	60	154	32	112	17	45	11	32	33	59	3	13	-	2	156	417
- Zephyr	23	53	112	117	154	40	86	43	88	2	2	6	25	-	2	261	509
- Custom V8	32	78	198	63	130	31	95	11	39	29	41	4	11	-	3	216	518
Total Ford		215	521	254	510	100	257	87	193	86	136	16	59	-	8	758	1,685

(a) Includes Northern Territory. (b) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Hobart

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

AUSTRALIA (a) Month of FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE II CARS

Make of Car	Horse-Power	New South Wales		Victoria		Queensland		South Australia		Western Australia		Tasmania		Australian Capital Territory		Australia (a)	
		Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop (b)	Total Cars
Hillman	10	17	54	36	56	16	42	15	26	9	26	7	14	-	1	100	219
Holden	21	380	894	413	713	114	286	124	280	97	186	27	96	-	10	1,155	2,435
Hudson	30	5	13	-	2	2	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	26
Humber - Hawk	16	9	28	7	15	1	12	3	5	-	3	-	2	-	-	20	66
- Snipe-Pull man	26	-	2	2	6	-	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	13
Total Humber	26	9	30	9	21	1	14	4	6	-	4	-	2	-	1	23	79
Jaguar	25	2	7	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	6	12
Jovett Javelin/Jupiter	13	-	2	4	9	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	4	14
Lanchester	14	2	3	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7
Mercedes Benz	13	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	2	8
M.G.	10	4	5	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	8
Morris - Minor	8	52	115	95	141	5	19	24	34	21	24	8	23	-	1	208	358
Oxford	13	76	157	70	153	16	49	6	9	10	21	1	2	-	1	179	432
Six	20	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Total Morris		129	313	165	294	21	68	30	43	31	45	9	25	-	2	388	791
Nash	23	2	2	6	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	11
Packard	39	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Peugeot	13	15	32	6	22	1	1	1	3	2	4	-	-	-	1	25	63
Plymouth	27	15	36	21	41	6	13	2	9	3	4	-	1	-	-	47	104
Pontiac	30	-	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	3	6
Renault	7	15	27	15	20	8	13	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	2	41	68
Riley	11	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	16	-	3	6	8	2	3	1	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	10	19
Total Riley		-	4	6	8	2	3	1	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	10	20
Rolls Royce	31	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Rover	15	8	18	19	20	-	2	4	5	2	2	3	5	-	-	36	53
Simca	12	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3

(a) Includes Northern Territory. (b) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Hobart.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES *(Including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)*

AUSTRALIA (a) Month of FEBRUARY, 1952

TABLE II CARS

Make of Car	Horse-Power	New South Wales		Victoria		Queensland		South Australia		Western Australia		Tasmania		Australian Capital Territory		Australia (a)	
		Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop	Total Cars	Metrop (b)	Total Cars
Singer	8	-	8	2	7	2	4	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	6	21
"	13	7	11	5	17	4	9	-	6	1	1	-	2	-	-	17	46
Total Singer		7	19	7	24	6	13	1	7	2	2	-	2	-	-	23	67
Skoda	11	1	4	3	3	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	10
Standard Vanguard	17	21	54	13	45	10	29	27	62	8	21	3	6	-	-	82	217
Studebaker	21	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Sunbeam Talbot	16	12	18	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	14	24
Triumph-May Flower	9	31	46	31	36	5	19	13	25	12	14	-	2	-	-	92	142
Vauxhall-Wyvern	11	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
"	15	8	11	-	7	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	10	23
Velox	17	-	3	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10
"	23	31	61	8	11	9	17	5	7	4	5	-	-	-	1	57	102
Total Vauxhall		39	76	9	28	9	17	7	9	4	6	-	2	-	1	68	139
Wolseley	13	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
"	20	2	10	5	10	3	11	-	3	-	2	-	2	-	-	10	38
Total Wolseley		3	11	5	11	3	11	-	3	-	2	-	2	-	-	11	40
Other British	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
" European	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4
TOTAL February, 1952		1,079	2,477	1,151	2,113	367	915	364	794	291	513	73	244	-	34	3,325	7,095
TOTAL February, 1952		(c)	2,953	(c)	2,882	(c)	968	(c)	1,251	(c)	694	(c)	399	(c)	41	(c)	9,203

(a) Includes Northern Territory. (b) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Hobart. (c) Not available.

7

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

AUSTRALIA (a) Month of FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS, (b)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities (c)	Panel Vans (d)	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
A.E.C.	40	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	53	-	-	2	-	-	1	3
Total A.E.C.		-	-	3	-	-	1	4
Albion	28	-	-	4	-	-	2	6
"	31	-	-	1	-	-	1	2
Total Albion		-	-	5	-	-	3	8
Armstrong Siddeley	18	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Austin	40	229	27	-	-	11	-	267
"	15	16	1	21	-	1	-	39
"	28	-	1	119	-	-	-	120
"	29	-	-	9	1	-	-	10
Total Austin		245	29	149	1	12	-	436
Bedford	11	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
"	27	-	3	184	3	-	1	191
"	36	-	-	31	13	-	1	45
Total Bedford		4	3	215	16	-	2	240
Bradford	7	13	7	-	-	6	-	26
Chevrolet	29	149	-	51	1	-	-	201
"	30	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Total Chevrolet		149	-	55	1	-	-	205
Commer	10	64	21	-	-	6	-	91
"	13	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
"	16	15	1	31	-	-	-	47
"	27	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
"	29	-	-	11	-	-	-	11
"	33	-	-	30	1	-	4	35
Total Commer		80	22	77	1	6	4	190
Dennis	24	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
De Soto	27	15	-	4	-	-	-	16
"	28	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
Total De Soto		16	-	5	-	-	-	21
Diamond T	36	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Dodge	27	47	4	15	-	-	-	66
"	28	14	-	17	-	-	-	31
"	29	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Dodge		61	4	34	-	-	-	99

(a) Includes Northern Territory. (c) Excludes Motor Cycles.

(c) Includes Queensland Panel Vans. (d) Excludes Queensland.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES *(including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)*

AUSTRALIA (a) Month of FEBRUARY 1953

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (b)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities (c)	Panel Vans (d)	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
Fargo	27	39	1	9	-	-	-	49
"	28	15	-	3	-	-	-	18
"	29	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Fargo		54	1	14	-	-	-	69
Fiat	6	3	4	-	-	4	-	11
Ford	10	211	70	-	-	9	-	290
"	30	2	-	60	-	1	-	63
"	32	96	4	119	1	-	-	220
Total Ford		309	74	179	1	10	-	573
G.M.C.	30	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	34	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total G.M.C.		-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Guy	22	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Hillman	10	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Holden	21	757	-	-	-	-	-	757
International	30	114	5	167	-	1	3	290
"	45	6	-	4	-	-	-	10
Total International		120	5	171	-	1	3	300
Karrier	16	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
Land Rover	11	16	-	-	-	-	-	16
"	15	121	-	-	-	2	-	123
Total Land Rover		137	-	-	-	2	-	139
Leyland	34	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
"	37	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	55	-	-	5	1	-	1	7
Total Leyland		-	-	11	1	-	1	13

(a) Includes Northern Territory. (b) Excludes Motor Cycles.

(c) Includes Queensland Panel Vans. (d) Excludes Queensland.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES *(including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)*AUSTRALIA (a) *Month of* FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (b)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities (c)	Panel Vans (d)	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
Mercedes Benz	30	-	-	5	-	-	-	5
"	48	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Mercedes		-	-	7	-	-	-	7
Morris	8	113	3	-	-	2	-	118
"	13	152	20	-	-	1	-	173
"	15	12	22	37	1	-	-	72
"	24	-	-	8	-	-	-	8
"	26	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	28	-	-	7	-	-	-	7
Total Morris		277	45	54	1	3	-	380
Peugeot	13	19	13	-	-	11	-	43
Plymouth	27	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Renault	17	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
Seddon	29	-	-	2	1	-	-	3
Singer	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	13	25	-	-	-	-	-	25
Total Singer		26	-	-	-	-	-	26
Skoda	11	-	1	-	-	5	-	6
Standard	17	159	83	-	-	6	-	248
Studebaker	21	2	-	1	-	-	-	3
Tempo Matador	13	1	3	2	-	-	-	6
Thornycroft	24	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Triumph	9	37	1	-	-	-	-	38
Vauxhall	15	9	-	-	-	-	-	9
"	23	25	-	-	-	-	-	25
Total Vauxhall		34	-	-	-	-	-	34
White	30	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	36	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total White		-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Willys	15	2	-	-	-	5	-	7
Other British	-	-	-	9	-	1	1	11
Metropolitan	(e)	743	195	274	6	43	13	1,274
Extra-Metropolitan		1,766	101	739	17	32	2	2,657
TOTAL February, 1953		2,509	296	1,013	23	75	15	3,931
TOTAL February, 1952		2,689	437	1,888	39	223	37	5,313

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

(b) Excludes Motor Cycles.

(c) Includes Queensland Panel Vans.

(d) Excludes Queensland.

(e) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Hobart.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

NEW SOUTH WALES Month of FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
A.E.C.	53	-	-	1	-	-	1	2
Albion	28	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
"	51	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Albion		-	-	1	-	-	1	2
Armstrong Siddeley	16	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Austin	10	114	8	-	-	4	-	126
"	15	3	1	8	-	-	-	12
"	28	-	-	30	-	-	-	30
"	29	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Total Austin		117	9	41	-	4	-	171
Bedford	11	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	27	-	2	56	-	-	-	58
"	36	-	-	7	1	-	-	8
Total Bedford		1	2	63	1	-	-	67
Bradford	7	9	-	-	-	3	-	12
Chevrolet	29	71	-	31	-	-	-	102
"	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Chevrolet		71	-	32	-	-	-	103
Commer	10	14	6	-	-	-	-	20
"	16	2	-	4	-	-	-	6
"	27	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	29	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Commer		16	6	7	-	-	-	29
De Soto	27	9	-	4	-	-	-	13
"	28	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
Total De Soto		10	-	5	-	-	-	15
Dodge	27	11	2	8	-	-	-	21
"	28	2	-	1	-	-	-	3
Total Dodge		13	2	9	-	-	-	24
Fargo	27	17	1	6	-	-	-	24
"	28	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
"	29	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Fargo		23	1	8	-	-	-	32
Fiat	6	-	2	-	-	1	-	3
Ford	10	63	18	-	-	3	-	84
"	30	2	-	21	-	-	-	23
"	32	19	2	35	-	-	-	56
Total Ford		84	20	56	-	3	-	163

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

NEW SOUTH WALES *Month of* FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
G.M.C.	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Guy	22	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Hillman	10	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Holden	21	289	-	-	-	-	-	289
International	30	37	5	57	-	-	-	99
"	45	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total International		37	5	58	-	-	-	100
Land Rover	11	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
"	15	56	-	-	-	2	-	58
Total Land Rover		59	-	-	-	2	-	61
Leyland	34	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	37	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	55	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Total Leyland		-	-	6	-	-	-	6
Mercedes Benz	30	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	48	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Mercedes		-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Morris	8	20	-	-	-	-	-	20
"	13	55	13	-	-	1	-	69
"	15	3	12	12	-	-	-	27
"	24	-	-	8	-	-	-	8
"	26	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	28	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Total Morris		78	25	25	-	1	-	129
Peugeot	13	6	7	-	-	3	-	16
Plymouth	27	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Renault	17	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Seddon	29	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Singer	13	10	-	-	-	-	-	10
Skoda	11	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Standard	17	46	34	-	-	2	-	82
Studebaker	21	2	-	1	-	-	-	3
Tempo Matador	13	1	3	-	-	-	-	4
Thornycroft	24	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Triumph	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	11
Vauxhall	15	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
"	23	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total Vauxhall		4	-	-	-	-	-	4
White	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	36	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total White		-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Willys	15	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Other British	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	5
Metropolitan		216	78	77	-	16	2	389
Extra-Metropolitan		673	39	251	1	13	1	978
TOTAL February, 1953		889	117	328	1	29	3	1,367
TOTAL February, 1952		837	139	721	11	63	14	1,785

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

VICTORIA Month of FEBRUARY, 1953.

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
A.E.C.	40	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Albion	28	-	-	2	-	-	1	3
"	51	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Total Albion	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	4
Austin	10	27	11	-	-	4	-	42
"	15	3	-	2	-	1	-	6
"	28	-	1	33	-	-	-	31
Total Austin	-	30	12	35	-	5	-	82
Bedford	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
"	27	-	-	45	1	-	1	47
"	36	-	-	5	11	-	1	17
Total Bedford	-	2	-	50	12	-	2	66
Bradford	7	2	5	-	-	2	-	9
Chevrolet	29	34	-	6	-	-	-	40
"	30	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Chevrolet	-	34	-	8	-	-	-	42
Commer	10	10	9	-	-	5	-	24
"	13	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
"	16	6	1	12	-	-	-	19
"	27	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	29	-	-	6	-	-	-	6
"	33	-	-	8	-	-	1	9
Total Commer	-	17	10	28	-	5	1	61
Diamond T	38	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Dodge	27	17	2	4	-	-	-	23
"	28	-	-	8	-	-	-	8
"	29	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Dodge	-	17	2	13	-	-	-	32
Fargo	27	9	-	-	-	-	-	9
Fiat	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	4
Ford	10	29	37	-	-	4	-	70
"	30	-	-	14	-	-	-	14
"	32	45	1	34	1	-	-	81
Total Ford	-	74	38	48	1	4	-	165

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

VICTORIA Month of FEBRUARY, 1953

TABLE III MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
G.M.C.	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Guy	22	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Holden	21	191	-	-	-	-	-	191
International	30	19	-	32	-	1	2	54
Karrier	16	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Land Rover	15	21	-	-	-	-	-	21
Leyland	55	-	-	-	1	-	1	2
Morris	8	1	3	-	-	2	-	6
"	13	45	4	-	-	-	-	49
"	15	2	5	6	-	-	-	13
"	28	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Morris		48	12	7	-	2	-	69
Peugeot	13	8	3	-	-	6	-	17
Renault	17	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Seddon	29	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Singer	13	5	-	-	-	-	-	5
Skoda	11	-	1	-	-	2	-	3
Standard	17	39	39	-	-	3	-	81
Triumph	9	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
Vauxhall	15	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
"	23	16	-	-	-	-	-	16
Total Vauxhall		20	-	-	-	-	-	20
Other British	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Metropolitan		199	85	64	4	21	7	380
Extra-Metropolitan		346	39	166	11	10	1	573
TOTAL February, 1953		545	124	230	15	31	8	953
TOTAL February, 1952		624	194	501	15	76	17	1,427

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

QUEENSLAND Month of FEBRUARY, 1953.

TABLE III. MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
A.E.C.	53	-		1	-	-	-	1
Armstrong Siddeley	18	1		-	-	-	-	1
Austin	10	76		-	-	3	-	79
"	15	9		1	-	-	-	10
"	28	-		14	-	-	-	14
"	29	-		1	-	-	-	1
Total Austin		85		16	-	3	-	104
Bedford	11	1		-	-	-	-	1
"	27	-		20	-	-	-	20
"	36	-		5	-	-	-	5
Total Bedford		1		25	-	-	-	26
Bradford	7	1		-	-	-	-	1
Chevrolet	29	27		9	-	-	-	36
Commer	10	22		-	-	1	-	23
"	16	6		5	-	-	-	11
"	33	-		7	1	-	-	8
Total Commer		28		12	1	1	-	42
De Soto	27	3		-	-	-	-	3
Dodge	27	11		3	-	-	-	14
"	28	-		3	-	-	-	3
"	29	-		1	-	-	-	1
Total Dodge		11		7	-	-	-	18
Fargo	27	5		3	-	-	-	8
"	28	-		2	-	-	-	2
Total Fargo		5		5	-	-	-	10
Ford	10	70		-	-	-	-	70
"	30	-		9	-	1	-	10
"	32	6		12	-	-	-	18
Total Ford		76		21	-	1	-	98
Holden	21	99		-	-	-	-	99
International	30	20		19	-	-	-	39
Karrier	16	-		1	-	-	-	1
Land Rover	15	16		-	-	-	-	16
Leyland	55	-		1	-	-	-	1
Mercedes	30	-		1	-	-	-	1
Morris	8	85		-	-	-	-	85
"	13	19		-	-	-	-	19
"	15	1		3	-	-	-	4
"	28	-		1	-	-	-	1
Total Morris		105		4	-	-	-	109
Peugeot	13	4		-	-	-	-	4
Singer	8	1		-	-	-	-	1
"	13	3		-	-	-	-	3
Total Singer		4		-	-	-	-	4
Standard	17	45		-	-	1	-	46
Triumph	9	5		-	-	-	-	5
Vauxhall	15	1		-	-	-	-	1
Willys	15	1		-	-	-	-	1
Metropolitan		149		33	1	1	-	184
Extra Metropolitan		389		89	-	5	-	483
Total : February, 1953		538		122	1	6	-	667
Total : February, 1952		512		196	3	9	-	720

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA Month of FEBRUARY, 1953.

TABLE III. MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
Austin	10	1	4	-	-	-	-	5
"	15	1	-	3	-	-	-	4
"	28	-	-	17	-	-	-	17
"	29	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
Total Austin		2	4	23	-	-	-	29
Bedford	27	-	1	33	-	-	-	34
"	36	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total Bedford		-	1	35	-	-	-	36
Chevrolet	29	14	-	1	-	-	-	15
Commer	10	7	2	-	-	-	-	9
"	16	1	-	5	-	-	-	6
"	29	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	33	-	-	12	-	-	1	13
Total Commer		8	2	19	-	-	1	30
Dennis	24	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
De Soto	27	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Dodge	27	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
"	28	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Dodge		2	-	1	-	-	-	3
Fargo	27	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
"	28	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Fargo		7	-	-	-	-	-	7
Ford	10	24	3	-	-	2	-	29
"	30	-	-	6	-	-	-	6
"	32	20	1	16	-	-	-	37
Total Ford		44	4	22	-	2	-	72
G.M.C.	34	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Holden	21	84	-	-	-	-	-	84
International	30	16	-	28	-	-	1	45
Karrier	16	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Land Rover	15	21	-	-	-	-	-	21
Mercedes Benz	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Morris	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
"	13	14	2	-	-	-	-	16
"	15	2	4	4	-	-	-	10
"	26	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Morris		20	6	5	-	2	-	31
Peugeot	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Singer	13	5	-	-	-	-	-	5
Skoda	11	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Standard	17	13	7	-	-	-	-	20
Tempo Matador	13	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Triumph	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	11
Vauxhall	23	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
Other British	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Metropolitan		76	18	42	-	2	2	140
Extra Metropolitan		177	6	102	-	3	-	288
Total : February, 1953		253	24	144	-	5	2	428
Total : February, 1952		411	55	234	2	42	5	749

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA Month of FEBRUARY, 1953.

TABLE III. MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
Austin	10	7	3	-	-	-	-	10
"	15	-	-	7	-	-	-	7
"	28	-	-	24	-	-	-	24
"	29	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
Total Austin		7	3	32	1	-	-	43
Bedford	27	-	-	17	2	-	-	19
"	36	-	-	12	1	-	-	13
Total Bedford		-	-	29	3	-	-	32
Bradford	7	1	2	-	-	-	-	3
Chevrolet	29	1	-	3	1	-	-	5
"	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Chevrolet		1	-	4	1	-	-	6
Commer	10	8	1	-	-	-	-	9
"	16	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
"	27	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	33	-	-	3	-	-	2	5
Total Commer		8	1	9	-	-	2	20
Dodge	27	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	28	12	-	4	-	-	-	16
Total Dodge		13	-	4	-	-	-	17
Fargo	28	8	-	1	-	-	-	9
Fiat	6	1	-	-	-	3	-	4
Ford	10	22	3	-	-	-	-	25
"	30	-	-	8	-	-	-	8
"	32	3	-	18	-	-	-	21
Total Ford		25	3	26	-	-	-	54
Guy	22	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Holden	21	63	-	-	-	-	-	63
International	30	10	-	16	-	-	-	26
"	45	6	-	3	-	-	-	9
Total International		16	-	19	-	-	-	35
Land Rover	11	13	-	-	-	-	-	13
Leyland	34	-	-	3	-	-	-	3
"	55	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Leyland		-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Morris	13	16	-	-	-	-	-	16
"	15	3	-	10	1	-	-	14
Total Morris		19	-	10	1	-	-	30
Peugeot	13	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Seddon	29	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Singer	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Standard	17	14	3	-	-	-	-	17
Tempo Matador	13	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Triumph	9	4	1	-	-	-	-	5
White	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Metropolitan		56	10	50	1	3	2	152
Extra Metropolitan		109	5	93	5	-	-	212
Total : February, 1953		195	15	143	6	3	2	364
Total : February, 1952		213	28	161	6	22	1	431

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

TASMANIA Month of FEBRUARY, 1953.

TABLE III. MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
Albion	28	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Austin	10	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
"	28	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Austin		-	1	1	-	-	-	2
Bedford	27	-	-	10	-	-	-	10
Bradford	7	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Chevrolet	29	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
Commer	10	2	3	-	-	-	-	5
"	16	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
"	29	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Total Commer		2	3	2	-	-	-	7
De Soto	27	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Dodge	27	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Fargo	27	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ford	10	3	9	-	-	-	-	12
"	30	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
"	32	3	-	3	-	-	-	6
Total Ford		6	9	5	-	-	-	20
Holden	21	27	-	-	-	-	-	27
International	30	3	-	14	-	-	-	17
Land Rover	15	5	-	-	-	-	-	5
Mercedes Benz	30	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Morris	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	13	3	1	-	-	-	-	4
"	15	1	1	1	-	-	-	3
Total Morris		5	2	1	-	-	-	8
Peugeot	13	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Standard	17	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Vauxhall	15	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	23	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total Vauxhall		3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Willys	15	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other British	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Metropolitan		17	4	8	-	-	-	29
Extra Metropolitan		43	12	30	-	1	-	86
Total : February, 1953		60	16	38	-	1	-	115
Total : February, 1952		72	20	64	1	9	-	166

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY Month of FEBRUARY, 1953.

TABLE III. MOTOR VEHICLES OTHER THAN CARS (a)

Make of Vehicle	Horse-Power	Utilities	Panel Vans	Lorries	Omnibuses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	TOTAL
Austin	10	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
Bedford	27	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Chevrolet	29	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Ford	32	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Holden	21	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
International	30	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Land Rover	15	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Peugeot	13	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Vauxhall	15	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
"	23	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Vauxhall		2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total - February, 1953		14	-	2	-	-	-	16
Total - February, 1952		11	1	4	1	2	-	19

(a) Excludes Motor Cycles.

TABLE IV. ALL MOTOR VEHICLES (EXCLUDING MOTOR CYCLES) - COUNTRY OF ORIGIN : AUSTRALIA
FEBRUARY, 1953.

Type	Australia	America (a)	United Kingdom	Europe	Total
Cars	2,435	385	4,065	210	7,095
Other Motor Vehicles ..	757	929	2,167	78	3,931
Total - February, 1953	3,192	1,314	6,232	288	11,026
Total - February, 1952	2,176	2,429	9,578	333	14,516

(a) Includes Canada.

TABLE V. LORRIES AND OMNIBUSES - TYPE OF FUEL USED, FEBRUARY, 1953.

State	Lorries			Omnibuses		
	Petrol	Diesel	Total	Petrol	Diesel	Total
New South Wales	304	24	320	1	-	1
Victoria	224	6	230	13	2	15
Queensland	117	5	122	1	-	1
South Australia	134	10	144	-	-	-
Western Australia	137	6	143	4	2	6
Tasmania	35	3	38	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory	2	-	2	-	-	-
Northern Territory	5	1	6	-	-	-
Total - February, 1953	958	55	1,013	19	4	23
Total - February, 1952	1,738	150	1,888	24	15	39

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (Including Commonwealth-Owned Vehicles)

AUSTRALIA (a) : Month of February, 1953.

TABLE VI. ALL MOTOR CYCLES

Make of Cycle	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	A.C.T.	AUST (a)	
								Metro-politan	Total
								(b)	
Aberdale	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
A.B.J.	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
A.J.S.	30	12	6	9	-	2	2	15	61
Ambassador	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	2	3
Ariel	14	11	5	5	4	1	-	10	40
Balmoral	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
Berini	2	4	9	2	3	-	-	7	20
B.M.W.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Bown	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
B.S.A.	61	67	18	44	30	14	2	88	236
Cucciolo	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	3
Cyclemaster	9	16	9	9	1	3	-	17	47
C.Z.	10	5	6	5	2	1	-	8	29
Ducatti	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Excelsior	2	-	6	15	5	-	-	14	28
Francis Barnett	5	1	6	1	4	3	-	7	20
Indian	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	6
James	3	1	5	3	2	1	-	7	15
Jawa	3	9	3	3	3	3	-	8	24
Lambretta	2	16	11	3	4	-	-	28	36
Malvern Star	4	-	2	3	2	2	-	9	13
Matchless	18	5	2	5	9	1	-	22	40
Minimotor	-	2	-	-	4	-	-	5	6
Mobylette	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Mosquito	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Motomite	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Moto Guzzi	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
M.V. Augusta	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	3
New Huisson	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Norman	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Norton	9	6	5	7	1	3	-	13	31
O.E.C.	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	4
Panther	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	2	5
Power Pak	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Puch	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	5	7
R.M.	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Romer	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Royal Enfield	8	6	13	2	2	3	-	15	36
Speedwell	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Sun	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
Swallow Gadabout	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	3
Tilbrook	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Triumph	26	27	10	5	7	3	1	27	79
Velocette	11	3	3	3	6	-	-	12	26
Vespa	11	2	6	4	11	1	-	24	35
Villiers	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	2
Vincent	1	-	1	3	-	2	-	2	7
Zundapp	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	2
TOTAL: February, 1953	251	203	135	145	108	43	5	373	890
TOTAL: January, 1953	281	193	146	134	154	39	7	379	954

(a) Excludes Northern Territory.

(b) Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth and Hobart.

K. M. ARCHER

ACTING COMMONWEALTH STATISTICIAN

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS

CANBERRA. A.C.T.

27TH MARCH, 1953.