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REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES : NOVEMBER, 1956

Statistics of registrations of new motor vehicles during each month from November, 1955 to November, 1956, are shown in summary form below.

These include all new motor vehicles (except motor cycles) registered in each State and Territory during the months shown. All Commonwealth-owned vehicles are included except those belonging to the Departments of Army and Air.

"Registered during the month" means "passed through the Central Registration Authority of respective States during the month". At times, in some States, new registrations effected in Branch offices are not "passed" into the statistics until some weeks or months after actual registration.

Registrations of new motor vehicles classified according to make are shown herein for November, 1956 only, separate particulars being presented for (i) Cars and (ii) Commercial Vehicles. Corresponding particulars for each month are shown in previous bulletins.

This abbreviated statement will be followed by the usual Monthly Bulletin which gives information in greater detail.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES

ALL MOTOR VEHICLES (excluding Motor Cycles) - SUMMARY OF MONTHLY REGISTRATIONS

(i) STATES AND TERRITORIES - NUMBER

Month	N.S.W.	VIC. (a)	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A. (a)	TAS.	N.T.	A.C.T.	TOTAL (b)
1955 : November	7,452	5,983	2,884	2,137	1,489	740	45	149	20,879
December	6,995	5,823	2,835	2,239	1,355	721	40	141	20,149
1956 : January	4,913	4,674	1,805	1,262	1,250	398	61	66	14,429
February	6,231	4,541	2,160	1,867	1,260	415	29	114	16,617
March	7,186	5,837	2,539	2,283	1,376	759	37	150	20,167
April	6,008	5,089	2,119	1,567	1,140	598	38	105	16,664
May	6,493	5,616	2,330	1,830	1,003	717	39	116	18,144
June	5,669	5,319	2,191	1,629	916	536	69	87	16,416
July	6,279	4,860	2,539	1,761	921	569	40	112	17,081
August	6,347	5,334	2,726	1,902	1,185	612	65	111	18,282
September	5,514	4,710	2,380	1,749	1,207	652	73	110	16,395
October	6,572	5,202	2,840	1,986	1,171	703	53	145	18,672
November	6,756	5,478	2,760	2,048	1,267	777	73	140	19,299
Metropolitan	3,062	3,036	871	1,045	622	221	-	140	8,997
Extra-metropolitan	3,694	2,442	1,889	1,003	645	556	73	-	10,302

(ii) AUSTRALIA - TYPES (c)

Month	Cars	Util- ities	Panel Vans	Lorr- ies	Omni- buses	Station Wagons	Other Vehicles	Total (c)
1955 : November	14,558	3,408	857	1,678	34	302	42	20,879
December	14,067	3,179	893	1,620	47	313	30	20,149
1956 : January	9,666	2,551	694	1,273	24	204	17	14,429
February	11,296	2,923	784	1,302	29	265	18	16,617
March	14,039	3,245	1,011	1,436	51	364	21	20,167
April	11,216	2,868	896	1,368	37	253	26	16,664
May	12,033	3,207	1,114	1,457	61	241	31	18,144
June	10,930	2,853	952	1,347	52	242	40	16,416
July	11,432	2,683	1,108	1,518	66	231	43	17,081
August	12,948	2,560	1,006	1,399	68	252	49	18,282
September	11,601	2,328	913	1,232	51	212	58	16,395
October	12,965	2,896	1,003	1,472	78	210	48	18,672
November	13,366	3,095	1,032	1,413	100	241	52	19,299
Metropolitan	6,822	879	573	493	69	126	35	8,997
Extra-metropolitan	6,544	2,216	459	920	31	115	17	10,302

(a) Includes extra-metropolitan registrations for the month prior to that indicated.

(b) See note (a). (c) Includes, for Victoria and Western Australia, extra-metropolitan registrations for the month prior to that indicated.

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ALL MOTOR VEHICLES (Excluding Motor Cycles)
CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO MAKE OF VEHICLE
STATES AND TERRITORIES, NOVEMBER, 1956

Make of Vehicle	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	N.T.	A.C.T.	METROP.	EXTRA-METROP.	TOTAL
(1) CARS											
Austin	337	284	138	101	61	46	1	3	487	484	971
Chevrolet	70	51	12	36	12	2	1	3	84	103	187
De Soto	31	14	13	7	5	3	1	-	34	40	74
Dodge	50	32	15	13	6	2	-	2	60	60	120
Fiat	21	29	10	1	3	4	-	-	36	32	68
Ford	811	700	397	253	152	88	4	16	1,096	1,325	2,421
Hillman	199	148	72	61	38	40	1	8	319	248	567
Holden	1,597	1,442	652	515	336	171	11	38	2,556	2,206	4,762
Humber	17	25	11	8	3	7	1	-	28	44	72
Morris	428	300	125	123	55	102	1	6	598	542	1,140
Peugeot	76	52	3	2	4	-	-	-	47	90	137
Plymouth	36	34	13	6	12	4	-	1	37	69	106
Renault	71	33	17	10	12	4	-	-	108	39	147
Rover	23	18	3	5	5	1	1	-	36	20	56
Simca	28	20	8	7	1	2	-	-	34	32	66
Standard	191	182	48	63	35	25	1	6	270	281	551
Vauxhall	212	137	77	71	30	7	1	3	271	267	538
Volkswagen	378	342	132	138	56	40	4	14	534	570	1,104
Other Makes	87	91	26	44	18	4	1	8	187	92	279
Metropolitan	2,334	2,331	616	802	474	157	-	108	6,822	-	6,822
Extra-metrop.	2,329	1,603	1,156	662	370	395	29	-	-	6,544	6,544
TOTAL:	4,663	3,934	1,772	1,464	844	552	29	108	6,822	6,544	13,366

(11) COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

Austin	101	59	36	40	31	12	1	2	122	160	282
Bedford	87	93	29	22	33	13	-	1	118	160	278
Chevrolet	13	20	12	9	11	6	-	-	28	43	71
Commer	37	27	28	22	5	5	1	-	52	73	125
De Soto	27	15	19	8	4	2	1	-	27	49	76
Dodge	55	40	31	36	9	4	7	2	68	116	184
Fargo	30	15	3	6	5	3	-	-	21	41	62
Ford	249	201	149	86	38	26	7	4	260	500	760
Hillman	22	19	15	10	5	3	1	1	35	41	76
Holden	694	528	343	155	171	68	9	10	657	1,321	1,978
International	192	110	87	45	15	32	-	1	163	319	482
Land Rover	97	22	34	25	6	11	5	1	28	173	201
Morris	137	79	78	33	26	20	2	2	139	238	377
Plymouth	28	6	8	9	4	-	2	-	11	46	57
Standard	95	106	39	23	15	9	1	3	138	153	291
Vauxhall	49	28	36	10	7	4	-	2	26	110	136
Volkswagen	106	94	23	23	23	4	3	3	161	118	279
Other Makes	74	82	18	22	15	3	4	-	121	97	218
Metropolitan	728	705	255	243	148	64	-	32	2,175	-	2,175
Extra-metrop.	1,365	839	733	341	275	161	44	-	-	3,758	3,758
TOTAL:	2,093	1,544	988	584	423	225	44	32	2,175	3,758	5,933

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