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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This bulletin contains detailed information regarding registrations of new motor vehicles and of motor vehicles on register — and includes details of utilities and panel vans classified by tare and rigid and articulated trucks classified by gross vehicle mass/gross combination mass. It is supplementary to the preliminary monthly statement (Reference No. 14.6) issued for the months of January, February and March 1977.

2. From July 1976, the statistics in this bulletin reflect the information as recorded on registration documents. Prior to this date, some adjustment of recorded data was undertaken by the ABS, in particular to maintain a dichotomy between light commercial-type vehicles and trucks, but this became increasingly difficult to maintain. The figures in this bulletin include vehicles with diplomatic and consular plates and Government-owned new vehicles other than those belonging to the defence services.

3. In these statistics, 'registrations' mean registrations processed by the motor vehicle registration authorities in the States and Territories during the period. In New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, and the Northern Territory, advice of some registrations is often not received by the central motor vehicle registration authority until some time after the actual date of registration; for this reason, a considerable number of registrations processed in a month actually relate to vehicles registered prior to that month. In other States and the Australian Capital Territory, the figures depart little from actual registrations during the period. Figures for Queensland from July 1975 have been affected by changes in internal processing arrangements at the registration authority; further changes in processing arrangements occurred in late 1975 and early 1976, and these have also affected processings during that period.

4. The figures in Table 2 show, for Australia, the actual number of new motor vehicles registered, as well as processed registrations in each month from January to December 1976.

Seasonal adjustment

5. Original and seasonally adjusted registrations of new motor vehicles are shown in Table 1. The two component series 'Motor cars and station wagons' and 'Other vehicles' are each adjusted separately, and the adjusted figures for total registrations are obtained by adding together the two component series. In this bulletin the seasonally adjusted series have been revised. The revision is the result of annual re-analysis, details of which, together with information regarding the

methods used in seasonally adjusting the component series will be given in the forthcoming issue of *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators, 1977* (Reference No. 1.10).

Classification of vehicles

6. From July 1976, a revised motor vehicle classification has been used for new motor vehicle registration statistics. This was also used in the 30 September 1976 Motor Vehicle Census. This classification, which replaced that introduced from 1 January 1972, has as its main features:

- (a) adoption of the principle of accepting vehicle-type data as recorded by the registration authority;
- (b) allocation of commercial vehicles to the categories 'utilities', 'panel vans', or 'rigid trucks' solely on the basis of recorded body-type; under the previous classification system, these commercial vehicles were classified as 'light commercial type' (if having less than 1 tonne carrying capacity) or as 'rigid' (if having a carrying capacity of 1 tonne or more), the light commercial type being then further sub-divided into "open" or "closed";
- (c) the inclusion in 'other truck types' of ambulances and hearses (previously classified as 'light commercial, closed') and mobile caravans.

7. During the period January 1972 to October 1976 inclusive the classification of commercial vehicles in Western Australia was based on carrying capacity. From November 1976 these vehicles have been classified according to the 'as recorded' basis which has been the basis for classification in the other States and Territories since July 1976 (see also paragraph 6). Therefore, the Western Australian December quarter 1976 figures for utilities, panel vans and trucks are not directly comparable with those for the other States and Territories.

8. A change in the registration system in Queensland has meant that, from October 1976, all commercial vehicles registered with a gross vehicle mass of 4 tonnes or less are recorded as either utilities or panel vans. Thus from October, figures for utilities, panel vans and trucks are not comparable with those for earlier periods.

9. Legislation to provide for the compulsory registration of recreation vehicles (e.g. trailbikes, minibikes, sand dune buggies) intended for use in public places came into force in Victoria on 17 September 1973 and in Queensland on 1 January 1977. Particulars

of these registrations are regarded as outside the scope of new motor vehicle registration statistics and are accordingly excluded from statistics contained in this statement.

10. Particulars of registrations of new tractors, plant and equipment, and caravans and trailers are shown in Table 22. Many tractors (particularly the agricultural types) and items of plant and equipment are not registered, and therefore are not included in this table. The extent to which they are included varies from State to State.

Classification by area

11. In all States, 'capital city' registrations refer to vehicles for which the address of the registered owner is located within the capital city statistical division. These statistical divisions are re-defined from time to time usually as the result of information available from periodic population and housing censuses. On 1 January 1976 the capital city statistical division in New South Wales was expanded and prior figures for that State are not directly comparable. All registrations in the Australian Capital Territory are included under 'capital cities' while those in the Northern Territory are included under 'other areas'.

Motor vehicles on register

12. While different concepts of what constitutes 'motor vehicles on register' at a particular point of time may be appropriate for different requirements, for the purpose of obtaining uniform statistics for all States and Territories it is necessary to adopt a common concept of what constitutes motor vehicles on register at a particular date. In this series, motor vehicles on register at a particular date are defined as those vehicles in respect of which fees were paid for a period including the specified date, either in advance, or on that date, or retrospectively.

13. Censuses of motor vehicles on register have been conducted in respect of 31 December 1955 and 1962 and 30 September 1971 and 1976. Details of the 1976 census will be released progressively as processing of data for the various States is completed.

14. The figures of motor vehicles on register include vehicles with diplomatic and consular plates and Government-owned new vehicles other than those belonging to the defence services.

Related Publications

- (a) Users may also wish to refer to the following motor vehicle registration publications which are available on request:

Registrations of New Motor Vehicles (Preliminary) — Reference No. 14.6 (monthly)

Motor Vehicle Registrations — Reference No. 14.1 (annual)

- (b) Other ABS publications which may be of interest include:

Production Bulletin No. 7, Motor Vehicles, Parts and Accessories — Reference No. 12.45 (monthly)

Imports of Assembled New Passenger Motor Cars, Australia (Preliminary) — Reference No. 8.8 (monthly)

All publications produced by the ABS are listed in "Publications of the Australian Bureau of Statistics" (Reference No. 1.8) which is available free of charge from any ABS office.

Symbols and other usages

r — revised

... — nil or not applicable

— — break in continuity of series (where drawn across a column between two consecutive figures).

Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in tables are due to rounding.

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TABLE 1. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (a) MONTHLY TOTAL, ORIGINAL AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED : AUSTRALIA

Month	Motor cars and station wagons		Other vehicles (a)		Total (a)	
	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted
1975-76 -						
July	43,333	39,452	11,713	10,370	55,046	49,822
August	39,422	39,558	10,753	10,427	50,175	49,985
September	34,028	34,711	9,940	9,982	43,968	44,693
October	39,613	35,834	11,169	10,035	50,782	45,869
November	31,711	32,889	9,299	9,572	41,010	42,461
December	32,875	34,047	8,441	9,025	41,316	43,072
January	30,132	35,472	8,600	10,445	38,732	45,917
February	33,412	37,874	9,016	10,682	42,428	48,556
March	44,789	40,048	12,843	11,639	57,632	51,687
April	40,365	40,605	11,617	12,031	51,982	52,636
May	42,347	38,324	12,656	11,683	55,003	50,007
June	42,610	43,010	13,679	12,772	56,289	55,782
1976-77 -						
July	38,231	36,261	11,855	10,969	50,086	47,230
August	35,549	34,877	10,097	9,595	45,646	44,472
September	37,837	36,698	11,346	11,044	49,083	47,742
October	36,988	36,639	10,953	10,688	47,941	47,327
November	40,277	40,243	12,421	12,085	52,698	52,328
December	46,165	47,633	12,720	13,677	58,885	61,310
January	31,627	38,709	9,908	12,530	41,535	51,239
February	34,513	39,063	10,532	12,463	45,045	51,526
March	38,453	33,550	11,590	10,483	50,043	44,033

(a) Excludes motor cycles and tractors, plant and equipment, etc.

TABLE 2. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (a) ACTUAL AND PROCESSED REGISTRATIONS : AUSTRALIA

Month	Actual registrations (b)	Processed registrations
1975-76 -	r	
January	38,160	38,732
February	46,490	42,428
March	57,122	57,632
April	49,600	51,982
May	54,494	55,003
June	56,587	56,289
1976-77 -		
July	45,251	50,086
August	45,701	45,646
September	51,131	49,083
October	48,744	47,941
November	52,149	52,698
December	60,843	58,885

(a) Excludes motor cycles and tractors, plant and equipment, etc. (b) Vehicles actually registered in the months shown. Due to processing delays in certain States, monthly statistics of registrations of new motor vehicles include vehicles registered in prior months and exclude current month registrations not yet processed. As advice of these latter transactions are received the figures, particularly those for the more recent months, will be revised.

TABLE 3. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (a)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Year -									
1971-72	188,281	127,321	69,303	44,214	47,093	14,453	3,412	7,664	501,741
1972-73	199,533	132,414	77,927	47,687	48,329	15,783	3,780	8,686	534,139
1973-74	213,252	144,836	80,831	51,580	52,543	16,520	3,666	9,456	572,684
1974-75	228,668	159,236	82,616	62,424	55,167	20,077	4,628	11,371	624,187
1975-76	198,015	147,159	89,740	58,406	56,201	18,381	5,832	10,629	584,363
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	53,466	37,863	20,916	13,275	13,854	4,797	946	2,391	147,508
March 1974	48,271	31,915	18,710	10,352	11,352	3,358	777	2,006	126,741
June 1974	55,224	37,726	19,939	14,051	13,841	4,322	979	2,426	148,508
September 1974	59,928	41,229	21,130	16,591	13,382	5,206	1,315	2,935	161,716
December 1974	56,974	37,362	20,445	14,544	13,120	5,118	1,466	2,524	151,553
March 1975	53,058	34,914	20,815	15,253	13,899	4,557	706	2,621	145,823
June 1975	58,708	45,731	20,226	16,036	14,766	5,196	1,141	3,291	165,095
September 1975	50,236	37,325	25,443	13,465	13,675	4,523	1,888	2,634	149,189
December 1975	46,598	34,158	17,025	13,518	13,421	4,750	1,126	2,512	133,108
March 1976	47,338	32,717	21,488	14,915	14,028	4,207	1,699	2,400	138,792
June 1976	53,843	42,959	25,784	16,508	15,077	4,901	1,119	3,083	163,274
September 1976	47,242	36,401	24,000	14,528	14,646	4,498	1,132	2,368	144,815
December 1976	53,237	39,489	24,020	15,478	17,183	5,698	1,414	3,005	159,524
March 1977	47,638	33,651	20,244	13,155	14,397	4,192	1,022	2,324	136,623

(a) See footnote to Table 1.

TABLE 4. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED AS MOTOR CARS (a)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Year									
1971-72	137,324	94,542	45,596	33,376	31,695	10,702	1,329	5,616	360,180
1972-73	142,158	96,457	49,489	35,235	31,222	11,696	1,388	6,231	373,876
1973-74	154,015	106,514	53,557	38,330	34,827	12,306	1,592	6,842	407,983
1974-75	160,237	115,143	53,035	45,538	35,361	14,074	1,719	8,137	433,244
1975-76	131,352	101,604	53,134	40,490	32,885	12,302	1,967	6,979	380,713
Quarter ended -									
December 1973	38,679	27,723	13,823	9,901	9,211	3,573	408	1,730	105,048
March 1974	34,902	23,842	12,456	7,761	7,469	2,499	373	1,447	90,749
June 1974	39,884	27,812	13,383	10,337	9,415	3,238	402	1,741	106,212
September 1974	41,744	29,564	13,748	12,009	8,425	3,665	478	2,171	111,804
December 1974	39,915	27,208	12,822	10,491	8,467	3,672	532	1,802	104,909
March 1975	37,992	25,508	13,652	11,576	9,197	3,209	275	1,868	103,277
June 1975	40,586	32,863	12,813	11,462	9,272	3,528	434	2,296	113,254
September 1975	33,651	26,042	15,425	9,664	8,365	3,044	696	1,751	98,638
December 1975	30,886	23,760	10,162	9,343	7,921	3,349	339	1,652	87,412
March 1976	31,600	22,552	12,699	10,372	8,123	2,735	555	1,554	90,190
June 1976	35,215	29,250	14,848	11,111	8,476	3,174	377	2,022	104,473
September 1976	29,763	24,268	14,032	9,633	8,678	2,957	339	1,499	91,169
December 1976	33,635	26,848	13,897	10,520	9,977	3,748	410	1,980	101,015
March 1977	29,981	22,466	11,787	8,596	8,277	2,630	314	1,538	85,589

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 5. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES BY TYPE (a) : AUSTRALIA

	Motor cars	Station wagons	Utilities	Panel vans	Trucks		Other truck type vehicles	Buses	Total (excludes motor cycles)	Motor cycles
					rigid	articulated				
Year -										
1971-72	360,180	52,342	35,358	22,979	27,811		823	2,248	501,741	51,478
1972-73	373,876	55,863	41,144	28,136	29,176	3,364	365	2,215	534,139	65,551
1973-74	407,983	57,007	41,848	29,352	29,878	3,753	398	2,465	572,684	85,249
1974-75	433,244	69,476	45,151	36,647	32,675	3,545	409	3,040	624,187	67,563
1975-76	380,713	73,924	43,500	38,296	39,574	4,139	474	3,743	584,363	60,017
Quarter ended -										
December 1973	105,048	14,852	10,487	7,464	7,877	1,043	130	607	147,508	22,416
March 1974	90,749	12,754	9,343	6,049	6,403	801	98	544	126,741	25,087
June 1974	106,212	14,805	10,917	7,762	7,202	858	97	655	148,508	18,922
September 1974	111,804	17,849	12,349	9,931	8,011	960	83	729	161,716	17,910
December 1974	104,909	16,516	11,323	8,517	8,515	854	114	805	151,553	18,619
March 1975	103,277	15,977	9,957	8,269	6,972	675	114	582	145,823	16,838
June 1975	113,254	19,134	11,522	9,930	9,177	1,056	98	924	165,095	14,196
September 1975	98,638	18,145	10,917	9,617	9,772	977	81	1,042	149,189	16,031
December 1975	87,412	16,787	9,233	8,942	8,803	896	128	907	133,108	15,400
March 1976	90,190	18,143	10,522	8,786	9,226	939	123	863	138,792	14,875
June 1976	104,473	20,849	12,828	10,951	11,773	1,327	142	931	163,274	13,711
September 1976	91,169	20,448	10,857	9,519	9,963	1,337	684	838	144,815	13,060
December 1976	101,015	22,416	13,256	10,878	9,069	1,117	853	920	159,524	16,090
March 1977	85,589	19,004	11,902	9,648	8,071	1,056	641	712	136,623	11,779

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 6. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES BY TYPE (a): CAPITAL CITIES AND OTHER AREAS

	March quarter 1976			March quarter 1977		
	Capital cities	Other areas	Total	Capital cities	Other areas	Total
ALL MOTOR VEHICLES (EXCL. MOTOR CYCLES)						
New South Wales	29,047	18,291	47,338	29,065	18,573	47,638
Victoria	23,741	8,976	32,717	23,008	10,643	33,651
Queensland	10,675	10,813	21,488	9,326	10,918	20,244
South Australia	10,557	4,358	14,915	8,130	5,025	13,155
Western Australia	9,640	4,388	14,028	10,269	4,128	14,397
Tasmania	1,886	2,321	4,207	1,698	2,494	4,192
Northern Territory	..	1,699	1,699	..	1,022	1,022
Australian Capital Territory	2,400	..	2,400	2,324	..	2,324
Australia	87,946	50,846	138,792	83,820	52,803	136,623
MOTOR CARS						
New South Wales	20,070	11,530	31,600	19,032	10,949	29,981
Victoria	16,738	5,814	22,552	15,857	6,609	22,466
Queensland	6,784	5,915	12,699	5,917	5,870	11,787
South Australia	7,574	2,798	10,372	5,817	2,779	8,596
Western Australia	5,859	2,264	8,123	6,217	2,060	8,277
Tasmania	1,246	1,489	2,735	1,106	1,524	2,630
Northern Territory	..	555	555	..	314	314
Australian Capital Territory	1,554	..	1,554	1,538	..	1,538
Australia	59,825	30,365	90,190	55,484	30,105	85,589
VEHICLE TYPE						
Motor cars	59,825	30,365	90,190	55,484	30,105	85,589
Station wagons	12,082	6,061	18,143	12,079	6,925	19,004
Utilities	4,794	5,728	10,522	5,179	6,723	11,902
Panel vans	5,777	3,009	8,786	5,776	3,872	9,648
Trucks —						
rigid	4,459	4,767	9,226	4,077	3,994	8,071
articulated	421	518	939	442	614	1,056
Other truck type vehicles	73	50	123	411	230	641
Buses	515	348	863	372	340	712
Total (excl. motor cycles)	87,946	50,846	138,792	83,820	52,803	136,623
Motor cycles	6,418	8,457	14,875	5,194	6,585	11,779

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

NEW MOTOR VEHICLES BY TYPE : AUSTRALIA

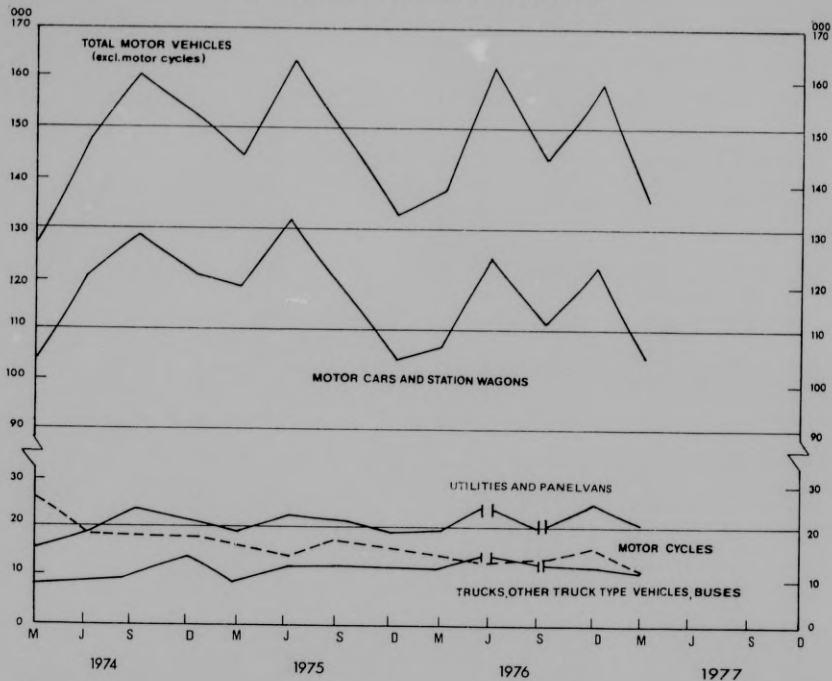


TABLE 7. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS MOTOR CARS
AND STATION WAGONS BY MAKE, AUSTRALIA

Make	Motor cars				Station wagons			
	March quarter 1976		March quarter 1977		March quarter 1976		March quarter 1977	
	Number	Per cent of total	Number	Per cent of total	Number	Per cent of total	Number	Per cent of total
Alfa Romeo	337	0.4	285	0.3	..	..	..	..
Audi	(b)	(b)	85	0.1	..	..	..	..
B.M.W.	281	0.3	280	0.3	..	..	..	..
Buick	4	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Cadillac	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Chevrolet	24	..	4	..	1	..	..	..
Chrysler	8,856	9.8	8,300	9.7	1,658	9.1	2,187	11.5
Citroen	120	0.1	93	0.1	10	0.1	4	..
Daimler	47	0.1	76	0.1	..	..	..	..
Datsun	10,401	11.5	11,284	13.2	1,666	9.2	1,540	8.1
Ferrari	9	..	12	..	..	..	..	..
Fiat	504	0.6	360	0.4	..	..	52	0.3
Ford	18,547	20.6	18,600	21.7	4,320	23.8	4,660	24.5
Holden	24,361	27.0	22,496	26.3	4,674	25.8	4,258	22.4
Honda	1,718	1.9	1,092	1.3	..	..	657	3.5
International	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Jaguar	311	0.3	383	0.4	..	..	..	..
Land Rover	..	..	..	..	26	0.1	63	0.3
Jensen	11	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Lamborghini	5	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Lancia	166	0.2	83	0.1	..	..	..	..
Leyland	1,605	1.8	1,485	1.7	..	..	9	..
Lotus	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Maserati	2	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Mazda	5,405	6.0	4,416	5.2	1,974	10.9	1,676	8.8
Mercedes Benz	679	0.8	879	1.0	..	..	..	..
Morgan	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Nissan	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Peugeot	402	0.4	433	0.5	18	0.1	60	0.3
Pontiac	6	..	5	..	1	..	..	..
Porsche	29	..	67	0.1	..	..	..	..
Purvis	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Rambler	52	0.1	70	0.1	..	..	3	..
Range Rover	..	..	..	..	237	1.3	183	1.0
Renault	899	1.0	719	0.8	359	2.0	272	1.4
Rolls Royce	18	..	13	..	..	..	..	..
Rover	85	..	78	0.1	..	..	..	..
Saab	124	0.1	107	0.1	..	..	10	0.1
Skoda	84	0.1	44	0.1	..	..	..	..
Statesman	1,020	1.1	742	0.9	1	..	..	..
Subaru	516	0.6	368	0.4	635	3.5	607	3.2
Suzuki	..	..	12	..	..	..	5	..
Toyota	10,031	11.1	9,779	11.4	2,058	11.3	2,244	11.8
Triumph	763	0.8	809	0.9	..	..	..	..
Volkswagen	1,781	2.0	1,162	1.4	320	1.8	210	1.1
Volvo	972	1.1	939	1.1	185	1.0	300	1.6
Not stated	5	..	7	..	..	..	2	..
Total	90,190	100.0	85,589	100.0	18,143	100.0	19,004	100.0

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Included with Volkswagen.

TABLE 8. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS UTILITIES, PANEL VANS, TRUCKS, OTHER TRUCK TYPES (b) AND BUSES BY MAKE AND TYPE, AUSTRALIA

Make	March quarter 1977							March quarter 1976	
	Utilities	Panel vans	Trucks		Other truck type vehicles	Buses	Total	Per cent of total	Total
			Rigid	Articulated					
Anors	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Atkinson	..	..	9	63	..	..	72	0.2	..
Bedford	11	260	522	24	90	54	961	3.0	28
Bedford by Isuzu	..	10	238	24	..	1	273	0.9	1,037
Chevrolet	248	3	175	1	3	..	430	1.3	(c)
Chrysler	767	26	117	5	4	..	919	2.9	281
Cushman	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1,682
Daihatsu	317	235	209	..	..	..	761	2.4	..
Datsun	993	274	401	1	18	59	1,746	5.5	548
Denning	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	..	2,454
Dodge	107	22	511	39	8	2	689	2.2	11
Domino	..	..	..	..	..	7	7	..	(d)
Fiat	..	1	23	20	..	..	44	..	..
Fiori	..	..	7	..	..	..	7	0.1	31
Ford	2,422	2,945	715	98	98	40	6,318	19.7	..
Fuso	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	6,125
G.M.C.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	(d)
Hatlinger	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	(d)
Hino	..	..	45	..	..	10	55	0.2	1
Holden	2,668	2,357	1,143	..	31	..	6,199	19.4	25
Honda	39	23	1	..	..	..	63	0.2	6,046
I.B.C.	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	73
International	..	5	867	144	21	1	1,038	3.2	0.2
Isuzu	..	2	8	1	..	..	11	..	924
Jeep	53	1	..	..	..	..	54	0.2	3.0
Kenworth	..	..	11	93	..	..	104	0.3	76
Land Rover	327	70	91	..	..	2	490	1.5	107
Leader	..	..	14	7	..	..	21	0.1	474
Leyland	375	298	219	8	5	40	945	3.0	27
Liner	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	963
Lodel	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	3.2
Mack	..	..	21	78	..	..	99	0.3	..
M.A.N.	..	..	15	25	..	9	49	0.2	99
Mazda	658	541	448	5	12	2	1,666	5.2	58
Mercedes Benz	1	1	26	108	1	6	143	0.4	1,667
Mitsubishi	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	102
Nissan	428	97	287	..	27	61	900	2.8	..
Nissan Diesel	..	..	16	72	..	1	89	0.3	(e)
Oshkosh	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	..	156
R.F.W.	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Scania	..	..	12	33	..	..	45	0.1	1
Silla	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	31
Silver Eagle	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..
Suzuki	491	629	22	..	1	..	1,143	3.6	1
Toyota	1,963	1,405	1,808	5	82	292	5,555	17.3	1,131
Volkswagen	31	442	9	..	240	96	318	2.6	4,627
Volvo	..	1	56	140	..	11	208	0.6	1,377
White	..	..	7	57	..	..	64	0.2	222
Willys	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	66
Winget	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..
Not stated	1	..	4	1	..	1	7	..	..
Total	11,902	9,648	8,071	1,056	641	712	32,030	100.0	30,459
									100.0

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Non-freight carrying vehicles. (c) Included with Bedford. (d) Included with Chrysler. (e) Included with Datsun.

TABLE 9. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS MOTOR CARS,
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make (a)	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Alfa Romeo	124	77	19	24	15	11	1	14	216	285
Audi	44	21	..	16	3	..	..	1	72	85
B.M.W.	100	75	18	26	42	9	..	10	239	280
Buick	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
Cadillac	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Chevrolet	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	2	4
Chrysler	3,210	1,729	1,018	1,190	764	250	9	130	4,677	8,300
Citroen	43	10	23	7	5	3	..	2	65	93
Daimler	24	21	8	15	6	1	..	1	68	76
Datsun	4,186	2,804	1,654	920	1,058	303	73	286	7,380	11,284
Ferrari	2	1	1	5	1	2	..	..	10	12
Fiat	95	110	61	38	27	28	..	1	256	360
Ford	6,055	5,289	2,698	1,842	1,802	563	52	299	11,888	18,600
Holden	7,573	5,568	3,310	2,117	2,631	786	67	344	14,173	22,496
Honda	218	324	184	154	137	49	10	16	787	1,092
Jaguar	136	121	36	37	35	6	1	11	307	383
Jensen	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Lamborghini	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
Lancia	24	24	9	6	10	7	..	3	71	83
Leyland	574	278	171	206	170	5	4	27	1,033	1,485
Lotus	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
Maserati	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5
Mazda	1,461	1,277	774	417	276	125	21	65	3,135	4,416
Mercedes Benz	328	313	62	66	78	6	2	24	661	879
Morgan	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Nissan	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Peugeot	147	191	32	32	15	9	..	7	275	433
Pontiac	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
Porsche	26	29	1	9	2	..	..	..	65	67
Purvis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
Rambler	19	26	6	5	13	..	..	1	46	70
Renault	217	266	79	61	62	18	..	16	484	719
Rolls Royce	3	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	11	13
Rover	20	29	4	2	19	4	..	..	63	78
Saab	38	28	6	12	17	1	..	5	83	107
Skoda	20	12	..	3	4	3	..	2	36	44
Statesman	217	336	72	115	..	..	2	..	445	742
Subaru	154	60	54	42	30	20	4	4	249	368
Suzuki	..	..	8	..	..	..	1	3	4	12
Toyota	3,798	2,634	1,143	892	785	289	62	176	6,436	9,779
Triumph	339	218	61	46	91	33	..	21	644	809
Volkswagen	413	310	155	114	90	32	3	45	890	1,162
Volvo	365	256	119	70	86	17	2	24	683	939
Not stated	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	7
Capital cities	19,032	15,857	5,917	5,817	6,217	1,106	..	1,538	55,484	55,484
Other areas	10,949	6,609	5,870	2,779	2,060	1,524	314	..	..	30,105
Total	29,981	22,466	11,787	8,596	8,277	2,630	314	1,538	55,484	85,589

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 10. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS STATION WAGONS,
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Chrysler	858	382	242	318	250	95	9	33	1,180	2,187
Citroen	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4
Datsun	648	281	122	134	207	73	26	49	1,066	1,540
Fiat	23	8	2	4	7	8	..	..	33	52
Ford	1,698	1,164	782	352	441	114	26	83	3,074	4,660
Holden	1,307	1,172	545	468	547	127	22	70	2,706	4,258
Honda	453	53	19	22	99	7	2	2	496	657
International	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Land Rover	23	11	18	..	8	1	1	1	35	63
Leyland	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	7	9
Mazda	657	461	291	106	102	28	8	23	1,080	1,676
Nissan	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Peugeot	27	18	9	1	2	1	..	2	39	60
Rambler	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	3
Range Rover	74	41	23	12	21	5	1	6	108	183
Renault	129	69	20	14	20	9	2	9	179	272
Saab	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	10
Subaru	196	120	110	51	76	30	12	12	332	607
Suzuki	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Toyota	779	529	333	185	242	74	65	37	1,350	2,244
Volkswagen	96	51	20	17	13	7	1	5	163	210
Volvo	100	89	49	21	25	8	2	6	213	300
Not stated	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	2
Capital cities	4,628	3,126	1,202	1,020	1,521	240	..	342	12,079	12,079
Other areas	2,462	1,324	1,385	686	541	347	180	..	..	6,925
Total	7,090	4,450	2,587	1,706	2,062	587	180	342	12,079	19,004

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 11. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS UTILITIES,
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Bedford	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	5	11
Chevrolet	79	28	59	15	46	15	2	4	57	248
Chrysler	231	88	182	200	45	12	3	6	297	767
Cushman	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Daihatsu	66	39	116	21	47	6	21	1	87	317
Datsun	352	120	335	71	49	34	18	14	415	993
Dodge	18	35	23	1	29	1	..	..	54	107
Ford	832	525	477	192	283	63	21	29	1,203	2,422
Holden	783	497	598	175	391	114	53	57	1,280	2,668
Honda	4	..	32	..	3	..	..	..	21	39
Jeep	18	8	9	5	11	1	1	..	28	53
Land Rover	116	63	80	12	42	9	3	..	126	327
Leyland	161	63	109	5	29	1	5	2	247	375
Mazda	171	147	261	22	27	10	14	6	217	658
Mercedes Benz	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Nissan	26	265	..	34	37	22	30	14	217	428
Suzuki	158	72	126	56	50	9	16	4	182	491
Toyota	454	280	812	68	161	32	134	22	718	1,963
Volkswagen	13	4	4	3	6	..	1	..	24	31
Willys	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Not stated	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Capital cities	1,544	1,260	1,108	271	729	106	..	161	5,179	5,179
Other areas	1,939	975	2,127	609	528	223	322	..	..	6,723
Total	3,483	2,235	3,235	880	1,257	329	322	161	5,179	11,902

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 12. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS UTILITIES
BY MAKE AND TARE, AUSTRALIA, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	Tare (kg)						Total
	900 and under	901 to 1,100	1,101 to 1,300	1,301 to 1,500	Greater than 1,500	Not stated	
Bedford	..	5	..	5	1	..	11
Chevrolet	..	102	116	4	26	..	248
Chrysler	..	..	17	745	5	..	767
Cushman	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Daihatsu	13	300	3	1	..	..	317
Datsun	251	271	61	124	285	1	993
Dodge	..	..	..	67	33	7	107
Ford	3	7	31	1,438	941	2	2,422
Holden	..	16	208	2,368	47	29	2,668
Honda	39	..	..	..	..	..	39
Jeep	..	6	17	30	..	..	53
Land Rover	1	..	2	143	180	1	327
Leyland	368	..	..	4	2	1	375
Mazda	162	255	231	5	5	..	658
Mercedes Benz	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Nissan	..	..	..	3	425	..	428
Suzuki	489	..	1	..	..	1	491
Toyota	100	228	383	92	1,119	41	1,963
Volkswagen	..	..	29	2	..	..	31
Willys	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Not stated	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total	1,427	1,191	1,099	5,031	3,071	83	11,902

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 13. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS PANEL VANS,
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Bedford	115	54	27	19	25	7	5	8	147	260
Bedford by Isuzu	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	8	10
Chevrolet	3	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	3	3
Chrysler	8	4	..	8	..	..	..	1	19	26
Daihatsu	101	29	42	31	25	4	3	..	101	235
Datsun	137	..	76	39	15	4	2	1	158	274
Dodge	19	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	20	22
Fiat	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Ford	996	800	405	212	375	110	12	35	1,718	2,945
Holden	683	558	363	195	429	85	14	30	1,382	2,357
Honda	..	1	16	2	3	..	1	..	8	23
International	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	5
Isuzu	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	2
Jeep	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Land Rover	6	..	11	6	36	..	8	..	27	70
Leyland	169	36	23	23	31	12	..	4	214	298
Mazda	225	143	82	37	33	10	2	9	360	541
Mercedes Benz	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Nissan	29	..	..	11	34	10	8	5	53	97
Suzuki	234	88	121	51	99	20	14	2	319	629
Toyota	541	113	297	93	243	37	52	29	879	1,405
Volkswagen	162	115	59	34	38	13	..	21	350	442
Volvo	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Capital cities	2,123	1,193	680	494	1,015	126	..	145	5,776	5,776
Other areas	1,316	748	842	267	386	192	121	..	..	3,872
Total	3,439	1,941	1,522	761	1,401	318	121	145	5,776	9,648

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 14. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS PANEL VANS
BY MAKE AND TARE, AUSTRALIA, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	Tare (kg)						Total
	900 and under	901 to 1,100	1,101 to 1,300	1,301 to 1,500	Greater than 1,500	Not stated	
Bedford	..	..	52	123	31	54	260
Bedford by Isuzu	..	..	..	..	10	..	10
Chevrolet	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
Chrysler	..	..	..	24	2	..	26
Daihatsu	110	114	5	..	6	..	235
Datsun	52	6	4	122	90	..	274
Dodge	..	..	..	..	22	..	22
Fiat	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Ford	931	83	49	1,097	555	230	2,945
Holden	..	2	18	2,275	61	1	2,357
Honda	23	..	..	..	..	..	23
Inte. national	..	..	..	..	5	..	5
Isuzu	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
Jeep	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Land Rover	..	..	..	22	48	..	70
Leyland	297	1	..	..	1	..	298
Mazda	519	7	..	2	13	..	541
Mercedes Benz	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Nissan	..	..	..	60	37	..	97
Suzuki	628	..	1	..	..	..	629
Toyota	542	14	513	26	306	4	1,405
Volkswagen	6	5	394	27	10	..	442
Volvo	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total	3,108	231	1,037	3,778	1,205	289	9,648

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 15. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS RIGID TRUCKS
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make and type	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Anors	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Atkinson	4	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	9
Bedford	136	152	100	64	31	31	1	7	300	522
Bedford by Isuzu	125	63	..	39	11	..	..	..	115	238
Chevrolet	84	26	10	12	37	5	1	..	56	175
Chrysler	1	25	8	81	..	1	..	1	30	117
Daihatsu	88	28	38	34	11	6	1	3	123	209
Datsun	199	62	12	57	47	12	8	4	121	401
Dodge	188	99	72	21	108	13	1	4	288	511
Fiat	2	9	..	4	8	..	..	..	10	23
Fiori	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	7
Ford	224	193	91	72	97	24	8	6	379	715
Fuso	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Haflinger	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Hino	10	..	23	3	5	..	3	1	25	45
Holden	486	243	2	140	224	32	7	9	659	1,143
Honda	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
International	318	222	139	62	95	22	3	6	428	867
Isuzu	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	1	3	8
Kenworth	5	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	6	11
Land Rover	33	7	2	8	37	3	..	1	26	91
Leader	4	..	6	1	2	1	..	..	6	14
Leyland	77	35	41	28	30	5	2	1	90	219
Liner	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
Lodel	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Mack	12	6	1	..	1	..	1	..	10	21
M.A.N.	9	..	3	..	1	1	..	1	2	15
Mazda	127	127	97	48	25	17	1	6	204	448
Mercedes Benz	15	2	4	1	4	..	..	..	14	26
Mitsubishi	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Nissan	89	124	21	18	15	10	2	8	169	287
Nissan Diesel	1	14	..	..	..	1	..	..	10	16
R.F.W.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Scania	2	3	1	2	1	1	..	2	8	12
Silla	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Suzuki	12	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	11	22
Toyota	643	493	137	146	280	56	30	23	926	1,808
Volkswagen	1	2	..	..	6	..	..	..	7	9
Volvo	23	6	9	3	13	2	..	..	24	56
White	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	7
Winget	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Not stated	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
Open trucks	2,182	932	..	569	916	128	39	42	2,292	4,808
Closed trucks	291	719	52	92	21	1	1	2	897	1,179
Tipper	354	191	..	151	131	21	5	8	422	861
Tankers	34	23	..	6	6	3	..	..	44	72
Cab and chassis	27	25	..	..	..	69	..	..	38	121
Other types	39	32	..	14	16	3	..	2	62	106
Not stated	17	29	766	12	19	26	25	30	322	924
Capital cities	1,402	1,224	319	339	618	91	..	84	4,077	4,077
Other areas	1,542	747	499	505	491	160	70	..	..	3,994
Total	2,944	1,951	818	844	1,109	251	70	84	4,077	8,071

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 16. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS RIGID TRUCKS
BY MAKE AND GROSS VEHICLE MASS - AUSTRALIA, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make and type	Gross vehicle mass (kg)							Not stated	Total
	4,000 and under	4,001 to 8,000	8,001 to 12,000	12,001 to 16,000	16,001 to 20,000	20,001 to 30,000	Greater than 30,000		
Anors	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Atkinson	..	..	..	..	2	2	5	..	9
Bedford	130	138	112	99	9	4	2	28	522
Bedford by Isuzu	3	142	55	3	15	7	..	13	238
Chevrolet	117	39	12	..	..	..	..	7	175
Chrysler	5	31	55	..	1	..	..	25	117
Daihatsu	37	160	..	..	..	..	..	12	209
Datsun	342	29	..	1	2	..	..	27	401
Dodge	57	212	117	82	21	2	..	20	511
Fiat	..	..	6	15	1	..	..	1	23
Fiori	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	7
Ford	169	213	105	100	49	20	4	55	715
Fuso	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Haflinger	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Hino	..	16	22	4	..	..	..	3	45
Holden	1,116	2	..	..	..	..	..	25	1,143
Honda	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
International	5	213	183	167	165	64	8	62	867
Isuzu	3	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	8
Kenworth	..	..	..	..	4	1	5	1	11
Land Rover	83	2	..	..	..	..	..	6	91
Leader	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	2	14
Leyland	9	16	54	99	24	3	..	14	219
Liner	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
Lodel	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Mack	..	..	..	..	3	9	6	3	21
M.A.N.	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	9	15
Mazda	134	287	4	..	..	..	..	23	448
Mercedes Benz	..	1	1	7	4	7	2	4	26
Mitsubishi	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Nissan	171	49	10	4	18	7	2	26	287
Nissan Diesel	1	..	9	1	4	..	..	1	16
R.F.W.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Scania	..	..	..	5	2	2	..	3	12
Silla	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Suzuki	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Toyota	1,167	449	83	23	..	1	..	85	1,808
Volkswagen	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Volvo	2	2	..	6	16	23	3	4	56
White	..	..	..	..	1	..	5	1	7
Winget	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Not stated	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	4
Open trucks	2,867	941	362	274	74	33	3	254	4,808
Closed trucks	593	404	87	53	13	11	2	16	1,179
Tipper	29	200	205	148	118	75	33	53	861
Tankers	1	11	21	15	9	5	3	7	72
Cab and chassis	61	9	3	4	4	2	..	38	121
Other types	14	17	4	7	44	11	..	9	106
Not stated	29	423	151	116	91	22	2	90	924
Total	3,594	2,065	833	617	353	159	43	467	8,071

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 17. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS ARTICULATED TRUCKS
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make and type	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Atkinson	22	14	3	18	2	1	..	3	25	63
Bedford	1	11	7	..	1	4	..	..	12	24
Bedford by Isuzu	7	13	..	4	..	..	..	..	5	24
Chevrolet	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Crysler	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	1	5
Datsun	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Dodge	8	11	5	1	12	2	..	..	24	39
Fiat	5	4	..	8	3	..	..	..	9	20
Ford	30	32	14	17	4	1	..	..	29	98
Fuso	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
International	51	41	19	16	10	4	1	2	48	144
Isuzu	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Kenworth	27	20	10	28	5	..	3	..	39	93
Leader	3	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	1	7
Leyland	..	1	4	..	1	2	..	..	6	8
Mack	13	16	9	19	16	5	..	..	42	78
M.A.N.	1	4	11	4	2	3	..	..	5	25
Mazda	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
Mercedes Benz	30	40	11	15	10	2	..	..	47	108
Nissan Diesel	14	18	9	25	2	..	1	3	26	72
Oshkosh	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3
Scania	4	11	..	9	4	1	..	..	14	33
Toyota	..	..	2	2	..	..	1	..	1	5
Volvo	36	31	26	21	19	3	1	3	73	140
White	11	10	6	19	4	4	1	2	27	57
Not stated	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Open trucks	48	195	..	201	..	..	..	..	187	444
Closed trucks	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
Tipper	..	23	..	1	..	..	..	..	7	24
Tankers	1	37	..	6	..	..	..	..	25	44
Prime movers	217	10	140	5	100	32	9	17	219	530
Other types	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	10
Capital cities	91	123	43	98	57	13	..	17	442	442
Other areas	175	155	97	116	43	19	9	..	..	614
Total	266	278	140	214	100	32	9	17	442	1,056

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 18. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS ARTICULATED TRUCKS
BY MAKE AND GROSS COMBINATION MASS - AUSTRALIA, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make and type	Gross combination mass (kg)									Total
	8,000 and under	8,001 to 12,000	12,001 to 16,000	16,001 to 20,000	20,001 to 24,000	24,001 to 30,000	30,001 to 50,000	Greater than 50,000	Not Stated	
Atkinson	..	..	..	..	3	14	35	1	10	63
Bedford	..	..	..	7	7	2	3	..	5	24
Bedford by Isuzu	..	..	2	..	4	8	7	..	3	24
Chevrolet	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Chrysler	..	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	5
Datsun	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Dodge	..	..	..	7	11	11	7	..	3	39
Fiat	..	..	..	1	9	4	6	..	..	20
Ford	1	..	..	5	12	30	38	1	11	98
Fuso	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
International	..	..	1	15	28	42	30	4	24	144
Isuzu	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Kenworth	..	..	..	5	..	24	56	..	8	93
Leader	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	2	7
Leyland	1	..	..	1	4	1	1	..	..	8
Mack	..	..	..	..	1	21	52	..	4	78
M.A.N.	..	..	..	1	1	6	15	1	1	25
Mazda	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
Mercedes Benz	..	..	1	5	24	41	26	2	9	108
Nissan Diesel	..	..	1	1	13	26	21	..	10	72
Oshkosh	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	3
Scania	..	..	1	..	1	10	16	1	4	33
Toyota	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	1	5
Volvo	..	..	1	..	18	49	56	..	16	140
White	..	..	..	2	3	9	38	1	4	57
Not stated	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Open trucks	1	1	3	15	33	118	256	1	16	444
Closed trucks	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	4
Tipplers	..	..	..	2	11	7	3	..	1	24
Tankers	..	..	..	7	4	1	29	..	3	44
Prime movers	2	1	6	26	92	174	123	10	96	530
Other types	..	..	..	2	2	3	3	..	..	10
Total	3	2	9	53	143	305	414	11	116	1,056

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 19. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS OTHER TRUCK TYPES (b) BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Bedford	21	37	3	14	10	4	..	1	57	90
Chevrolet	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
Chrysler	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	4
Datsun	12	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	12	18
Dodge	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8
Ford	26	28	26	5	10	3	..	..	44	98
Holden	3	4	4	18	2	..	..	..	23	31
International	4	8	4	4	1	..	..	..	13	21
Leyland	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
Mazda	4	..	1	6	1	..	..	..	10	12
Mercedes Benz	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Nissan	4	14	1	1	5	2	..	..	17	27
Suzuki	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Toyota	32	24	3	14	6	3	..	..	62	82
Volkswagen	85	58	2	25	41	20	..	9	157	240
Capital cities	129	131	8	69	52	12	..	10	411	411
Other areas	72	50	40	20	28	20	..	..	..	230
Total	201	181	48	89	80	32	..	10	411	641

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Non-freight carrying vehicles.

TABLE 20. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS BUSES, BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Bedford	26	18	3	1	3	1	2	..	23	54
Bedford by Isuzu	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Datsun	19	6	19	9	3	3	..	..	38	59
Denning	4	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	9
Dodge	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Domino	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	5	7
Ford	22	11	..	2	5	..	..	..	30	40
G.M.C.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hino	5	2	1	..	2	..	..	..	5	10
I.B.C.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
International	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Land Rover	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Leyland	7	..	9	19	5	..	..	..	5	40
M.A.N.	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	8	8	9
Mazda	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
Mercedes Benz	1	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	6
Nissan	15	31	1	2	4	3	..	5	32	61
Nissan Diesel	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Silver Eagle	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	5	5
Toyota	77	59	53	19	69	3	4	8	139	292
Volkswagen	48	12	5	9	14	2	..	6	60	96
Volvo	..	2	7	1	1	..	..	..	10	11
Not stated	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Capital cities	116	94	49	22	60	4	..	27	372	372
Other areas	118	55	58	43	51	9	6	..	..	340
Total	234	149	107	65	111	13	6	27	372	712

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 21. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS MOTOR CYCLES,
BY MAKE, MARCH QUARTER 1977

Make	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia	
									Capital cities	Total
Benelli	1	..	1	1	3	..	..	1	6	7
B.M.W.	55	36	22	11	24	6	2	7	106	163
Bombardier	3	2	..	6	..	2	..	..	8	13
Bronco	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	2
Bultaco	14	12	23	10	..	5	..	..	32	64
Canam	4	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	8
Cooper	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
C.Z.	3	1	2	4	1	..	..	..	11	11
Deckson	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	2
Deltek	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	2
Ducati	131	28	38	15	21	2	1	1	140	237
Eastern Star	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Gemini	4	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	5	9
Harley-Davidson	14	14	9	9	..	3	..	..	34	49
Hofyka	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	1	4	5
Honda	1,264	533	954	486	265	76	65	46	1,526	3,689
Husqvarna	8	1	4	1	..	..	1	..	6	15
Jawa	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
Kawasaki	340	274	318	92	115	40	8	24	553	1,211
K.T.M.	2	9	4	1	..	..	2	..	10	18
Lambretta	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Laverda	7	8	7	..	2	..	..	3	22	27
Maico	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6
Montesa	14	18	11	4	..	4	..	..	17	51
Motobecane	1	1	5	11	5	..	..	..	16	23
Moto-morini	1	2	6	..	2	..	..	1	7	12
Moto Guzzi	13	9	7	2	44	3	..	..	62	78
M.V. Agusta	2	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	8
Norton	10	13	6	4	4	2	..	1	24	40
Ossa	..	7	7	2	1	2	6	..	9	25
Puch	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
Rickman	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	3	3
Series M	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	3
Solo Electra	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Suzuki	859	344	632	261	133	55	42	23	1,009	2,349
Triumph	47	61	24	14	14	2	1	2	97	165
Vespa	1	..	2	2	3	1	..	..	8	9
Yamaha	1,190	564	813	468	227	96	58	38	1,446	3,454
Not stated	3	3	1	..	1	1	..	..	6	9
Capital cities	1,753	1,005	865	771	571	81	..	148	5,194	5,194
Other areas	2,245	951	2,037	647	296	221	188	..	..	6,585
Total	3,998	1,956	2,902	1,418	867	302	188	148	5,194	11,779

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory notes.

TABLE 22. NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (a) AS TRACTORS, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (b),
CARAVANS AND TRAILERS, MARCH QUARTERS 1976 AND 1977

	Tractors			Plant and equipment			Caravans			Trailers		
	Capital cities	Other areas	Total	Capital cities	Other areas	Total	Capital cities	Other areas	Total	Capital cities	Other areas	Total
MARCH QUARTER 1976												
New South Wales	14	25	39	106	95	201	919	806	1,725	3,708	3,249	6,957
Victoria	66	359	425	124	69	193	2,840	1,169	4,009	2,882	2,109	4,991
Queensland	39	381	420	49	51	100	378	419	797	2,394	2,857	5,251
South Australia	41	57	98	97	49	146	1,091	368	1,459	2,328	1,166	3,494
Western Australia	21	265	286	140	55	195	354	215	569	2,245	882	3,127
Tasmania	5	46	51	12	24	36	126	198	324	410	608	1,018
Northern Territory	..	26	26	..	30	30	..	46	46	..	230	230
Australian Capital Territory	20	..	20	18	..	18	123	..	123	451	..	451
Australia	206	1,159	1,365	546	373	919	5,831	3,221	9,052	14,418	11,101	25,519
MARCH QUARTER 1977												
New South Wales	33	30	63	121	82	203	874	876	1,750	3,970	3,436	7,406
Victoria	77	513	590	122	97	219	2,467	1,326	3,793	2,986	2,176	5,162
Queensland	54	358	412	46	72	118	325	336	661	1,876	2,391	4,267
South Australia	21	40	61	30	55	85	937	461	1,398	2,189	1,144	3,333
Western Australia	22	215	237	117	66	183	523	266	789	2,396	788	3,184
Tasmania	15	73	88	8	13	21	91	246	337	486	733	1,219
Northern Territory	..	7	7	..	11	11	..	35	35	..	178	178
Australian Capital Territory	9	..	9	38	..	38	68	..	68	547	..	547
Australia	231	1,236	1,467	482	396	878	5,285	3,546	8,831	14,450	10,846	25,296

(a) See paragraph 2 of Explanatory Notes. (b) Includes graders, excavators, front-end loaders, etc.

NOTE. Many tractors, particularly the agricultural type and items of plant and equipment, are not registered and therefore are not included in this table. The extent to which they are included varies from State to State.

TABLE 23. NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER BY TYPE
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<i>End of month</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld.</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS									
1971 - December	1,424.8	1,143.9	549.7	400.8	336.6	128.0	18.0	55.7	4,057.5
1972 - June	1,449.0	1,168.7	567.8	406.1	346.3	130.7	18.4	60.3	4,147.3
December	1,484.4	1,194.4	588.1	420.4	355.1	133.6	19.4	64.4	4,259.8
1973 - June	1,525.8	1,227.9	604.9	427.5	364.2	136.6	20.5	68.8	4,376.2
December	1,566.4	1,267.9	629.3	445.4	377.0	140.2	20.9	73.1	4,520.2
1974 - June	1,596.8	1,301.9	647.2	449.3	389.1	143.1	22.2	77.5	4,627.2
December	1,644.1	1,342.8	662.1	468.6	399.8	147.0	24.3	81.8	4,770.5
1975 - June	1,686.9	1,375.6	671.2	483.3	414.4	152.8	(a)25.5	86.1	4,895.8
December	1,703.3	1,431.1	688.6	491.5	423.8	158.2	28.7	90.4	5,015.5
1976 - June	1,724.3	1,445.8	728.3	501.1	436.8	160.1	33.0	94.7	5,124.1
OPEN AND CLOSED LIGHT COMMERCIAL TYPE VEHICLES, RIGID AND ARTICULATED TRUCKS, OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES AND BUSES									
1971 - December	326.4	235.0	173.9	91.5	103.7	33.3	11.0	7.6	982.4
1972 - June	331.0	238.8	178.8	90.8	105.5	33.7	11.1	8.3	998.0
December	339.5	242.0	184.4	92.8	107.3	33.9	11.6	9.0	1,020.5
1973 - June	349.4	248.5	190.1	93.8	109.4	34.2	12.4	9.7	1,047.5
December	358.8	254.8	196.5	97.8	113.0	34.4	12.5	10.4	1,078.3
1974 - June	364.3	261.7	201.2	97.6	116.0	34.7	13.0	11.4	1,099.9
December	374.7	269.9	205.1	100.6	118.8	35.1	14.6	12.5	1,131.3
1975 - June	379.4	276.5	206.5	101.5	129.4	35.6	(a)15.6	13.3	1,157.8
December	385.7	285.5	213.0	104.0	141.3	36.0	18.4	14.1	1,198.0
1976 - June	392.6	287.0	233.6	107.3	145.8	37.9	21.4	15.0	1,240.6

For footnotes see end of table.

TABLE 23. NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER BY TYPE - continued
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<i>End of month</i>	<i>N.S.W.</i>	<i>Vic.</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>S.A.</i>	<i>W.A.</i>	<i>Tas.</i>	<i>N.T.</i>	<i>A.C.T.</i>	<i>Aust.</i>
MOTOR CYCLES									
1971 - December	66.2	30.7	28.6	18.1	13.1	3.7	1.8	2.6	164.8
1972 - June	69.9	34.9	32.0	19.6	14.5	3.9	2.3	3.1	180.2
December	70.5	36.7	37.1	22.7	16.2	4.1	2.6	3.5	193.4
1973 - June	72.7	40.3	42.8	25.7	17.4	4.6	3.0	3.9	210.4
December	78.3	44.7	50.5	29.2	20.0	5.3	3.2	4.4	235.5
1974 - June	87.5	45.8	58.1	30.7	22.0	6.3	3.9	4.8	259.1
December	91.3	47.3	62.5	32.0	24.2	7.4	4.5	5.3	274.5
1975 - June	90.3	48.5	63.6	32.5	26.0	7.7	(a)5.0	5.7	279.3
December	88.2	47.4	69.6	33.4	28.7	7.7	5.8	6.2	287.1
1976 - June	86.4	46.9	79.8	32.6	29.3	7.2	6.7	6.7	295.7
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLES (b)									
1971 - December	1,817.5	1,409.7	752.2	510.3	453.5	165.0	30.9	65.8	5,204.9
1972 - June	1,849.8	1,442.3	778.6	516.4	466.2	168.3	31.8	71.7	5,325.1
December	1,894.4	1,473.1	809.6	536.0	478.7	171.6	33.6	77.0	5,474.0
1973 - June	1,947.8	1,516.6	837.8	547.1	491.1	175.4	35.9	82.4	5,634.1
December	2,003.5	1,567.4	876.3	572.4	510.0	180.0	36.7	87.9	5,834.1
1974 - June	2,048.5	1,609.4	906.6	577.6	527.1	184.2	39.2	93.7	5,986.1
December	2,110.2	1,660.0	929.7	601.2	542.8	189.6	43.4	99.6	6,176.5
1975 - June	2,156.6	1,700.6	941.3	617.3	569.8	196.0	(a)46.2	105.2	6,333.0
December	2,177.2	1,764.1	971.2	628.9	593.8	201.9	52.9	110.7	6,500.7
1976 - June	2,203.3	1,779.6	1,041.7	641.0	611.9	205.3	61.1	116.4	6,660.3

(a) See footnote (a) Table 24. (b) Excludes tractors, plant and equipment, etc.

TABLE 24. NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE
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(^{'000})

Type of vehicle	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. (a)	A.C.T.	Australia
Motor cars	1,451.2	1,208.6	589.8	429.3	360.5	137.8	23.7	80.5	4,281.4
Station wagons	273.1	237.2	138.5	71.8	76.3	22.3	9.3	14.2	842.7
Light commercial type vehicles –									
open	146.6	102.7	90.1	38.1	48.9	15.1	7.6	5.5	454.5
closed	62.8	62.9	35.0	14.1	25.7	6.3	2.9	3.5	213.2
Trucks (carrying capacity 1 tonne and over) –									
rigid	156.6	97.4	97.1	43.6	61.0	13.4	9.8	4.8	483.7
articulated	14.2	11.7	6.2	4.7	3.4	1.2	0.6	0.4	42.4
Other truck type vehicles	3.8	5.0	1.5	3.6	3.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	17.7
Buses	8.8	7.3	3.7	3.2	3.3	1.7	0.4	0.8	29.2
Motor cycles	86.4	46.9	79.8	32.6	29.3	7.2	6.7	6.7	295.7
Total	2,203.3	1,779.6	1,041.7	641.0	611.9	205.3	61.1	116.4	6,660.3

(a) As a result of cyclone Tracy in December 1974, a number of motor vehicle cancellation records were not processed. This has affected post-cyclone estimates for the Northern Territory which are expected to fall significantly when results of a motor vehicle census taken in September 1976 become available.