



MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS, AUSTRALIA DECEMBER 1983

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains detailed information regarding registrations of new motor vehicles and includes particulars of motor cars and station wagons, utilities and panel vans classified by make and tare; rigid and articulated trucks by make and gross vehicle mass/gross combination mass; and other truck type vehicles, buses and motor cycles by make. Registrations of vehicles (including motor cycles) classified by motive power are also included. Details of registrations of new tractors, trailers, caravans and plant and equipment are also included, as are particulars of motor vehicles on register.

Scope and coverage

2. Motor vehicle registration statistics are obtained from data made available by the various State and Territory motor vehicle registration authorities and reflect the information as recorded in registration documents, e.g. from August 1983 in N.S.W. the body type classification applied by the registration authority for small bus type vehicles has changed from panel vans to buses.

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, South Australia, Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory the figures shown depart little from actual registrations during the period. In the other States 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.

4. The amount of data that can be published, particularly at the Australian level, is restricted to what is included in motor registry files. For example, details of cubic capacity are not recorded in all States and, consequently, classification of vehicles according to engine size is not possible.

5. The statistics include vehicles with diplomatic and consular plates and State and Australian Government owned vehicles other than those belonging to the defence services.

6. Recreation vehicles such as trail bikes and sand dune buggies intended for use in public places are required to be registered in Victoria and Queensland. Particulars of these registrations are regarded as outside the scope of new motor vehicle registration statistics.

7. Vehicles such as tractors (particularly the agricultural types), plant and equipment, and motor vehicles used solely on farms, etc., and not used on public roads are not required to be registered and these are also excluded from the statistics.

Seasonal adjustment

8. 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. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting the component series are shown in *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators, Australia* (1308.0).

Classification by area

9. 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. All registrations in the Australian Capital Territory are included under 'Capital cities' while those in the Northern Territory are included under 'Other areas'.

Related publications

10. Users may also wish to refer to the following motor vehicle registration publications which are available on request:

Registrations of New Motor Vehicles, Australia (Preliminary) (9301.0)—issued monthly

Motor Vehicle Registrations, Australia, 1982-83 (9304.0)

11. Other ABS publications which may be of interest include:

Production Bulletin No. 7, Motor Vehicles, Parts and Accessories, Australia (8363.0)—issued quarterly

Imports of Assembled New Passenger Motor Cars, Australia (Preliminary) (5416.0)—issued monthly

12. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The Catalogue and Publications Advice are available from any ABS office.

Symbols and other usages

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13. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

R. J. CAMERON
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TABLE 1. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, ORIGINAL AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED : AUSTRALIA

	MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS		OTHER VEHICLES(A)		TOTAL(A)	
	ORIGINAL	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	ORIGINAL	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	ORIGINAL	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
1982-83 -						
NOVEMBER	36,245	35,981	10,518	11,073	46,763	47,054
DECEMBER	47,713	46,762	9,654	10,616	57,567	57,378
JANUARY	26,219	32,546	8,705	11,035	34,924	43,581
FEBRUARY	29,678	32,165	10,469	11,259	40,147	43,424
MARCH	43,468	40,063	13,498	11,801	56,966	51,864
APRIL	31,394	34,224	10,822	11,479	42,216	45,703
MAY	38,040	36,332	11,863	11,233	49,903	47,565
JUNE	39,290	36,200	11,655	9,933	50,945	46,133
1983-84 -						
JULY	35,103	33,675	10,594	9,921	45,697	43,596
AUGUST	42,581	37,219	11,687	10,795	54,268	48,014
SEPTEMBER	36,449	37,176	10,319	10,648	46,768	47,824
OCTOBER	34,214	36,238	10,070	10,357	44,284	46,595
NOVEMBER	38,865	37,723	11,081	11,393	49,946	49,116
DECEMBER	38,214	38,759	11,326	12,915	49,540	51,674

(A) EXCLUDES MOTOR CYCLES, TRACTORS, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, CARAVANS AND TRAILERS.

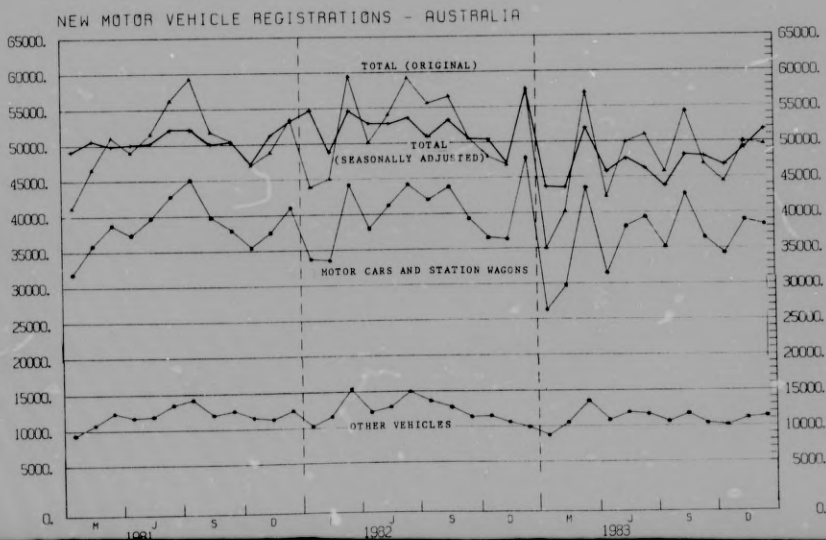


TABLE 2. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, BY TYPE : AUSTRALIA

YEAR -	MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS		UTILITIES	PANEL VANS (A)	TRUCKS		OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES (B)	BUSES (A)	TOTAL (EXCLUDES MOTOR CYCLES)	MOTOR CYCLES
					RIGID	ARTICULATED				
1980-81	462,487	47,474	37,391	36,485	4,269	1,939	4,170	594,215	70,799	
1981-82	471,255	52,035	48,009	40,062	3,665	2,218	4,998	622,242	71,691	
1982-83	453,523	43,682	52,364	31,514	2,426	1,834	4,680	590,023	61,061	
1982-83 -										
NOVEMBER	36,245	3,269	4,151	2,365	183	167	383	46,763	5,435	
DECEMBER	47,713	3,175	3,424	2,440	166	178	471	57,567	5,786	
JANUARY	26,219	2,713	3,618	1,750	132	121	371	34,924	4,395	
FEBRUARY	29,678	3,184	4,503	2,146	146	110	380	40,147	5,280	
MARCH	43,468	4,145	5,834	2,708	168	152	491	56,966	6,746	
APRIL	31,394	3,384	4,324	2,441	171	140	362	42,216	4,423	
MAY	38,040	3,724	4,556	2,824	213	149	397	49,903	4,228	
JUNE	39,290	3,821	4,318	2,852	261	114	289	50,945	4,221	
1983-84 -										
JULY	35,103	3,371	4,013	2,494	245	138	333	45,697	3,636	
AUGUST	42,581	3,475	4,694	2,592	187	144	595	54,268	3,760	
SEPTEMBER	36,449	3,466	3,230	2,344	191	138	950	46,768	4,290	
OCTOBER	34,214	3,152	3,240	2,461	103	149	885	44,284	3,917	
NOVEMBER	35,865	3,676	3,357	2,592	209	173	1,074	49,946	4,380	
DECEMBER	38,214	3,879	3,323	2,497	193	137	1,297	49,540	3,634	

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(B) NON-FREIGHT CARRYING VEHICLES.

TABLE 3. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (A)

YEAR -	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	N.T.	A.C.T.	AUSTRALIA
1980-81	213,071	138,620	107,160	45,690	56,883	17,007	6,225	9,559	594,215
1981-82	222,238	149,477	114,384	46,318	58,408	15,312	6,302	9,403	622,242
1982-83	198,655	150,520	107,665	48,747	53,855	14,488	6,051	10,042	590,023
1982-83 -									
NOVEMBER	15,967	11,765	7,880	4,264	4,533	1,042	549	763	46,763
DECEMBER	18,109	14,820	10,111	5,750	5,151	2,209	399	1,018	57,567
JANUARY	11,411	8,486	6,906	2,750	3,642	780	402	547	34,924
FEBRUARY	13,669	9,698	7,149	3,210	4,279	935	509	698	40,147
MARCH	19,273	13,724	10,698	4,826	5,242	1,364	655	984	56,966
APRIL	14,965	11,426	6,891	3,071	3,692	1,007	475	689	42,216
MAY	17,183	13,088	8,981	3,997	3,929	1,324	562	839	49,903
JUNE	17,646	12,254	9,455	4,004	4,620	1,243	464	1,259	50,945
1983-84 -									
JULY	15,809	11,704	7,624	3,756	4,432	1,089	472	811	45,697
AUGUST	18,835	13,236	10,047	4,723	4,506	1,520	497	904	54,268
SEPTEMBER	15,611	12,301	8,051	4,001	4,257	1,170	469	708	46,768
OCTOBER	14,238	11,903	6,985	3,595	5,148	1,232	432	751	44,284
NOVEMBER	17,157	13,395	8,176	4,461	4,043	1,300	536	878	49,946
DECEMBER	15,167	13,216	9,107	4,171	4,412	2,270	449	748	49,540

(A) EXCLUDES MOTOR CYCLES, TRACTORS, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, CARAVANS AND TRAILERS.

TABLE 4. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES BY TYPE : DECEMBER 1983.

TYPE OF VEHICLE	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	N.T.	A.C.T.	AUSTRALIA	
									CAPITAL CITIES(A)	TOTAL
MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS	11,010	11,096	6,735	3,392	3,17*	1,952	203	648	25,166	38,214
UTILITIES	841	694	1,391	269	332	127	193	32	1,599	3,879
PANEL VANS	(B)1,558	218	612	226	593	72	31	13	2,270	3,323
TRUCKS -										
RIGID	646	1,018	219	223	249	85	11	46	1,417	2,497
ARTICULATED	53	60	28	21	21	8	2	-	82	193
OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES(C)	36	52	12	20	5	8	3	1	92	137
BUSES	(B)1,023	78	110	20	34	18	6	8	829	1,297
CAPITAL CITIES (A)	9,480	9,631	4,526	2,878	3,274	918	-	748	31,455	31,455
OTHER AREAS	5,687	3,585	4,581	1,293	1,138	1,352	449	-	-	18,085
TOTAL (EXCL. MOTOR CYCLES)	15,167	13,216	9,107	4,171	4,412	3,270	449	748	31,455	49,540
MOTOR CYCLES	1,214	792	730	446	273	69	39	51	1,747	3,634

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(C) NON-FREIGHT CARRYING VEHICLES.

TABLE 5. NEW TRACTORS, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, CARAVANS AND TRAILERS : DECEMBER 1983.

TYPE OF VEHICLE	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	N.T.	A.C.T.	AUSTRALIA	
									CAPITAL CITIES(A)	TOTAL
TRACTORS	18	205	68	7	25	27	5	1	67	356
PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	49	110	22	19	32	4	10	-	90	246
CARAVANS	227	334	79	113	60	6	8	16	461	843
TRAILERS	2,518	1,078	1,533	903	796	284	60	185	4,287	7,357
TOTAL	2,812	1,727	1,702	1,042	913	321	83	202	4,905	8,802

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 6. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, BY TYPE : STATE, SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1983-84 AND 1982-83.

TYPE OF VEHICLE	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	N.T.	A.C.T.	AUSTRALIA	
									CAPITAL CITIES(A)	TOTAL
MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS	71,656	63,709	37,716	20,358	19,489	6,868	1,477	4,153	152,854	225,426
UTILITIES	5,233	3,882	6,726	1,367	1,903	682	1,043	183	8,853	21,019
PANEL VANS	(B)11,725	1,104	3,416	1,527	3,298	432	215	140	14,566	21,857
TRUCKS -										
RIGID	4,008	5,977	1,358	1,121	1,769	448	66	233	8,496	14,980
ARTICULATED	403	319	198	135	88	46	18	1	559	1,208
OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES(C)	279	329	69	105	35	49	8	5	626	879
BUSES	(B)3,713	435	507	94	216	56	28	85	3,137	5,134
CAPITAL CITIES (A)	62,001	55,034	25,985	17,797	19,747	3,727	-	4,800	189,091	189,091
OTHER AREAS	35,016	20,721	24,005	6,910	7,051	4,854	2,855	-	-	101,412
TOTAL (EXCL. MOTOR CYCLES)										
1983-84 JULY-DEC.	97,017	75,755	49,990	24,707	26,79*	8,581	2,855	4,800	189,021	290,503
1982-83 JULY-DEC.	104,508	81,844	57,585	26,889	28,451	7,655	2,984	5,026	207,489	314,922
MOTOR CYCLES										
1983-84 JULY-DEC.	8,508	4,960	4,303	2,464	2,097	531	406	348	11,492	23,617
1982-83 JULY-DEC.	11,043	6,832	6,482	3,101	2,883	471	489	467	15,574	31,768

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 7. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: NOVEMBER, 1983 AND DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	DEC. 1983		NOV. 1983	
	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ALFA ROMEO	132	0.3	80	0.2
AUDI	5	0.0	7	0.0
B. M. W.	248	0.6	202	0.5
DAIHATSU	275	0.7	256	0.7
DATSUN	345	0.9	455	1.2
DE TOMASO	1	0.0	1	0.0
FERRARI	1	0.0	3	0.0
FIAT	15	0.0	10	0.0
FORD	10690	28.0	11826	30.4
HOLDEN	8382	21.9	8013	20.6
HONDA	466	1.2	445	1.1
ISUZU	-	-	1	0.0
JACUAR	62	0.2	66	0.2
JEEP	20	0.1	28	0.1
LAMBORGHINI	1	0.0	-	-
LANCIA	1	0.0	5	0.0
LAND ROVER	3	0.0	1	0.0
LEYLAND	8	0.0	7	0.0
MAZDA	1790	4.7	2216	5.7
MERCEDES-BENZ	238	0.6	214	0.6
MITSUBISHI	3246	8.5	3815	9.8
NISSAN	3954	10.3	3607	9.3
PEUGEOT	140	0.4	138	0.4
PONTIAC	2	0.0	1	0.0
PORSCHE	44	0.1	26	0.1
RENAULT	90	0.2	57	0.1
ROLLS ROYCE	-	-	1	0.0
ROVER	121	0.3	119	0.3
RANGE ROVER	47	0.1	59	0.2
SAAB	112	0.3	65	0.2
SUBARU	1172	3.1	878	2.3
SUZUKI	35	0.1	15	0.0
TOYOTA	6102	16.0	5785	14.9
VOLKSWAGEN	1	0.0	3	0.0
VOLVO	450	1.2	436	1.1
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	15	0.0	24	0.1
TOTAL	38214	100.0	38865	100.0

TABLE 8. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS UTILITIES, PANEL VANS, TRUCKS, OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES (A) AND BUSES BY MAKE AND TYPE

AUSTRALIA: NOVEMBER, 1983 AND DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	DEC. 1983								NOV. 1983	
	UTILITIES	PANEL VANS (B)	RIGID TRUCKS	ARTICULATED TRUCKS	OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES (A)	BUSES (B)	TOTAL	PERCENT OF TOTAL	TOTAL	PERCENT OF TOTAL
ATKINSON	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	0.0	1	0.0
BEUFORD	-	1	2	-	-	1	4	0.0	-	-
DAIHATSU	91	268	142	-	2	2	505	4.5	455	4.1
DATSUN	47	16	7	-	-	2	72	0.6	113	1.0
DENNING	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	0.1	6	0.1
DOMINO	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	0.0	2	0.0
FORD	483	394	251	25	38	199	1390	12.3	1414	12.8
HINO	-	3	95	-	-	2	100	0.9	110	1.0
HOLDEN	644	231	202	-	3	66	1148	10.1	1289	11.6
HONDA	-	99	11	-	-	-	110	1.0	38	0.3
INTERNATIONAL	-	3	96	32	17	1	149	1.3	141	1.3
ISUZU	2	16	197	-	6	2	223	2.0	269	2.4
JEEP	14	6	9	-	-	-	29	0.2	29	0.3
KENWORTH	-	-	3	21	-	-	24	0.2	31	0.3
LAND ROVER	-	1	4	-	-	4	9	0.1	3	0.0
LEADER	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	0.0	1	0.0
LEYLAND	1	-	20	3	2	16	42	0.4	36	0.3
MAZDA	-	-	2	23	-	-	25	0.2	19	0.2
MAN	-	-	6	3	-	3	12	0.1	27	0.2
MAZDA	149	300	174	-	7	41	671	5.9	644	5.8
MERCEDES-BENZ	-	2	12	24	4	9	51	0.5	61	0.6
DAIHATSU	186	356	264	4	2	238	1050	9.3	1243	11.2
NISSAN DIESEL	-	-	6	3	-	1	10	0.1	9	0.1
NISSAN	505	221	146	6	9	121	1008	8.9	1102	9.9
R.F.W.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.0
RANGE ROVER	-	23	-	-	-	-	23	0.2	25	0.2
SCANIA	-	-	9	24	-	1	34	0.3	35	0.3
SUBARU	100	97	24	-	-	-	221	2.0	220	2.0
SUZUKI	169	418	120	-	-	-	707	6.2	805	7.3
TOYOTA	1487	862	674	-	32	562	3617	31.9	2852	25.7
VOLKSWAGEN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	0.0
VOLVO	-	-	18	20	3	6	47	0.4	75	0.7
WHITE	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	0.0	-	-
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	4	2	2	11	9	29	0.3	22	0.2
TOTAL	3879	3323	2497	193	137	1297	11326	100.0	11081	100.0

(A) NON-FREIGHT CARRYING VEHICLES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 9. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT		
ALFA ROMEO	67	38	16	1	4	3	-	3	107	132
AUDI	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5
B.M.W.	87	102	119	28	7	4	-	1	227	248
DAIHATSU	109	56	55	24	21	5	3	2	176	275
DATSUN	46	45	94	131	2	19	6	2	264	345
DE TOMASO	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
FERRARI	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
FIAT	7	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	12	15
FORD	3351	3091	1929	793	782	529	33	182	6937	10690
HOLDEN	2180	2523	1331	800	782	639	35	112	5480	8382
HONDA	243	94	71	17	13	16	-	12	338	466
JAGUAR	23	25	5	4	2	2	-	55	62	62
JEEP	-	6	12	-	2	-	-	-	10	20
LAMBORGHINI	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
LANCIA	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
LAND ROVER	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
LEYLAND	-	-	8	-	1	-	-	-	1	3
MAZDA	446	620	370	125	113	75	5	36	1219	1790
MERCEDES-BENZ	95	75	30	15	12	1	1	9	188	238
MITSUBISHI	912	822	477	430	355	189	13	48	2077	3246
NISSAN	1073	1291	685	362	318	128	10	87	2730	3954
PEUGEOT	45	55	19	6	8	8	1	-	96	140
PONTIAC	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
PORSCHE	23	16	3	1	1	-	-	-	42	44
RENAULT	33	25	12	4	10	1	-	5	71	90
ROVER	39	43	14	9	11	2	1	2	100	121
RANGE ROVER	-	25	11	5	6	-	-	-	37	47
SAAB	-	30	10	6	-	-	-	-	46	61
SUBARU	444	261	190	108	84	56	5	24	652	1172
SUZUKI	2	4	22	-	-	1	5	1	17	35
TOYOTA	1548	1716	1276	480	628	268	83	103	3893	6102
VOLKSWAGEN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
VOLVO	185	121	69	37	26	2	-	10	322	450
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	1	7	2	3	-	-	1	7	15
TOTAL	11010	11096	6735	3392	3178	1952	203	648	25166	38214

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 10. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS BY MAKE AND TARE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	TARE WEIGHT (KG)						CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	900 AND UNDER	901 TO 1100	1101 TO 1300	1301 TO 1500	OVER 1500	NOT STATED		
ALFA ROMEO	42	29	58	-	3	-	107	132
AUDI	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	5
B.M.W.	-	85	117	35	6	-	227	248
DAIHATSU	263	-	-	-	12	-	176	275
DATSUN	17	53	227	1	8	39	264	345
DE TOMASO	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
FERRARI	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
FIAT	-	7	8	-	-	-	12	15
FORD	2547	1734	1957	3807	175	470	6937	10690
HOLDEN	5	3792	3163	590	274	458	5480	8382
HONDA	86	364	1	1	1	13	338	466
JAGUAR	-	-	1	3	58	-	55	62
JEEP	-	-	-	2	17	1	10	20
LAMBORGHINI	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
LANCIA	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
LAND ROVER	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	3
LEYLAND	-	-	-	-	5	3	3	8
MAZDA	561	830	310	10	4	75	1219	1790
MERCEDES-BENZ	-	-	-	98	137	3	188	238
MITSUBISHI	515	676	1771	96	13	145	2077	3246
NISSAN	13.3	1558	784	83	110	126	2730	3954
PEUGEOT	-	-	106	29	5	2	96	140
PONTIAC	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	2
PORSCHE	-	6	19	11	8	-	42	44
RENAULT	1	76	6	2	2	3	71	90
ROVER	-	25	-	20	5	4	100	121
RANGE ROVER	-	-	-	45	2	-	37	47
SAAB	-	1	65	35	10	1	91	112
SUBARU	83	969	44	5	32	19	652	1172
SUZUKI	19	-	19	-	15	-	17	35
TOYOTA	826	3219	843	190	565	459	3893	6102
VOLKSWAGEN	-	-	-	172	8	1	1	1
VOLVO	-	-	265	172	8	5	322	450
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	-	12	-	2	-	7	15
TOTAL	6309	13495	9864	5192	1493	1881	25166	38214

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 11. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS UTILITIES BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT		
DAIHATSU	18	8	56	4	3	1	1	-	36	91
DATSUN	3	-	25	1	6	-	7	5	19	47
FORD	138	112	131	31	43	18	6	4	252	483
HOLDEN	135	153	187	50	71	36	5	7	333	644
ISUZU	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
JEEP	1	6	6	1	-	-	-	-	6	14
LEYLAND	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
MAZDA	33	29	67	7	3	4	5	1	55	149
MITSUBISHI	26	42	46	34	12	5	20	1	64	186
NISSAN	107	99	160	47	67	14	9	2	231	505
SUBARU	50	19	17	9	2	3	-	-	24	100
SUZUKI	60	31	49	14	10	3	1	1	79	169
TOYOTA	267	195	647	71	114	43	139	11	570	1487
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
TOTAL	841	694	1391	269	332	127	193	32	1599	3879

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 12. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS UTILITIES BY MAKE AND TARE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	TARE WEIGHT (KG)						CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	900 AND UNDER	901 TO 1100	1101 TO 1300	1301 TO 1500	OVER 1500	NOT STATED		
DAIHATSU	0	-	24	18	28	15	36	91
DATSUN	-	3	22	5	1	16	19	47
FORD	-	22	111	266	60	24	252	483
HOLDEN	9	108	118	353	10	46	333	644
ISUZU	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
JEEP	-	-	2	3	7	2	6	14
LEYLAND	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
MAZDA	-	16	108	6	-	19	55	149
MITSUBISHI	-	32	78	40	1	35	64	186
NISSAN	29	10	236	124	68	38	231	505
SUBARU	22	72	-	-	-	6	24	100
SUZUKI	142	4	1	1	-	21	79	169
TOYOTA	-	68	391	513	184	331	500	1487
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
TOTAL	208	337	1092	1329	360	553	1599	3879

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 13. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS PANEL VANS BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	NSW (B)	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT		
BEDFORD	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
DAIHATSU	132	11	74	18	27	1	3	2	172	268
DATSUN	2	-	2	10	-	-	2	-	10	16
FORD	160	29	113	16	53	10	5	2	322	394
HINO	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
HOLDEN	90	39	26	25	48	5	-	-	174	233
HONDA	22	11	35	4	19	7	1	-	63	99
INTERNATIONAL	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
ISUZU	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	16
JEEP	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
LAND ROVER	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
MAZDA	107	21	55	19	88	8	1	1	225	300
MERCEDES-BENZ	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
DAIHATSU	187	14	42	46	32	3	2	-	266	356
NISSAN	124	3	42	7	39	2	1	1	118	221
RANGE ROVER	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	23
SUBARU	38	9	18	11	8	4	3	5	53	97
SUZUKI	135	39	104	31	90	15	3	1	253	418
TOYOTA	501	12	100	39	182	17	10	1	572	862
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
TOTAL	1558	218	612	226	593	72	31	13	2270	3323

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 14. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS PANEL VANS BY MAKE AND TARE (A)

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	TARE WEIGHT (KG)						CAPITAL CITIES (B)	TOTAL
	900 AND UNDER	901 TO 1100	1101 TO 1300	1301 TO 1500	OVER 1500	NOT STATED		
BEDFORD	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
DAIHATSU	200	3	14	12	24	15	172	268
DATSUN	-	1	6	5	1	3	10	16
FORD	-	12	131	212	27	12	322	394
HINO	2	-	-	-	3	-	3	3
HOLDEN	92	49	53	122	2	5	174	233
HONDA	-	1	-	-	-	6	63	99
INTERNATIONAL	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	3
ISUZU	-	-	-	-	16	-	14	16
JEEP	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
LAND ROVER	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	2
MAZDA	90	29	127	40	6	8	225	300
MERCEDES-BENZ	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DAIHATSU	-	185	96	61	6	8	266	356
NISSAN	16	43	30	19	106	7	118	221
RANGE ROVER	-	-	-	-	23	-	16	23
SUBARU	92	-	-	-	-	5	53	97
SUZUKI	393	-	1	2	-	22	253	418
TOYOTA	44	103	96	219	368	32	572	862
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	4
TOTAL	930	426	557	693	594	123	2270	3323

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 15. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS RIGID TRUCKS BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE									CAPITAL CITIES	TOTAL
	(A)										
	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT			
FEDFORD	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
D. IHATSU	42	78	7	7	7	-	-	-	1	86	142
DATSUN	2	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	2	7	7
FORD	60	99	32	32	22	10	1	5	167	251	251
HINO	14	26	26	12	8	7	2	-	57	95	95
HOLDEN	60	75	18	18	22	7	-	-	218	202	202
HONDA	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	11	11
INTERNATIONAL	26	28	1	9	10	1	-	1	54	96	96
ISUZU	56	72	24	15	22	6	-	2	131	197	197
JEU	1	1	-	1	5	1	-	-	9	1	9
KENWORTH	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	3	3
LAND ROVER	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	4
LEADER	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
LEYLAND	8	1	2	7	1	1	-	-	10	20	20
MACK	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2
MAN	1	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	5	6	6
MAZDA	34	100	16	9	7	6	-	2	102	174	174
MERCEDES-BENZ	2	5	1	6	-	-	-	-	12	12	12
MITSUBISHI	59	93	26	40	35	11	-	-	134	264	264
NISSAN DIESEL	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	6
NISSAN	31	81	8	13	4	3	-	2	77	146	146
SCANIA	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	9	9
SUBARU	-	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	24	24
SUZUKI	26	80	2	8	1	1	-	2	58	120	120
TOYOTA	210	239	29	32	88	31	7	27	351	674	674
VOLVO	4	3	4	2	5	-	-	-	7	18	18
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	2
TOTAL	646	1018	219	223	249	85	11	46	1417	2497	2497

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 16. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS RIGID TRUCKS BY MAKE AND GROSS VEHICLE MASS

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	GROSS VEHICLE MASS (TONNES)								CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	4 AND UNDER	OVER 4 TO 8	OVER 8 TO 12	OVER 12 TO 16	OVER 16 TO 20	OVER 20 TO 30	OVER 30	NOT STATED		
REDFORD	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	2
DAIHATSU	98	41	-	-	-	-	-	3	86	142
DATSUN	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	7	7
FORD	94	98	9	23	3	10	-	9	167	251
HINO	-	4	39	47	1	-	-	4	57	95
HOLDEN	159	23	-	2	-	-	-	18	118	202
HONDA	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	11	11
INTERNATIONAL	-	1	10	26	11	22	1	5	54	96
ISUZU	1	103	51	37	2	-	-	3	131	197
JEOP	9	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	2	3
KENWORTH	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
LAND ROVER	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
LEADER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LEYLAND	1	1	2	7	2	4	-	3	10	20
MACK	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	2
MAN	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	5	6
MAZDA	111	55	-	8	2	1	-	7	102	174
MERCEDES-BENZ	-	-	6	3	2	1	-	-	12	12
MITSUBISHI	100	62	32	53	2	2	-	13	134	264
NISSAN DIESEL	-	2	2	2	2	-	-	2	6	6
NISSAN	112	9	6	4	-	2	-	13	77	146
SCANIA	-	-	-	-	1	7	-	-	3	9
SUBARU	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	24
SUZUKI	110	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	58	120
TOYOTA	510	85	8	1	-	-	-	70	351	674
VOLVO	1	-	-	-	1	13	-	-	7	18
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
TOTAL	1355	482	187	210	32	67	-	163	1417	2497

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 17. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS ARTICULATED TRUCKS BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT		
ATKINSON	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
FORD	8	5	4	8	-	-	-	-	9	25
INTERNATIONAL	9	16	2	2	3	-	-	-	16	32
KENWORTH	8	6	1	-	6	-	-	-	5	21
LEADER	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
LEYLAND	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
MACK	7	7	7	1	-	1	-	-	8	23
HAN	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3
MERCEDES-BENZ	2	12	3	5	2	-	-	-	11	24
MITSUBISHI	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	4
NISSAN DIESEL	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
NISSAN	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	4	6
SCANIA	4	4	6	-	6	3	1	-	14	23
VOLVO	7	5	1	2	2	3	-	-	11	20
WHITE	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	2
TOTAL	53	60	28	21	21	8	2	-	82	193

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 18. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS ARTICULATED TRUCKS BY MAKE AND GROSS COMBINATION MASS

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	GROSS COMBINATION MASS (TONNES)										CAPITAL	TOTAL
	8 AND UNDER	OVER 8 TO 12	OVER 12 TO 16	OVER 16 TO 20	OVER 20 TO 24	OVER 24 TO 30	OVER 30 TO 34	OVER 34 TO 40	40 AND OVER	NOT STATED	CITIES (A)	
ATKINSON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
FORD	-	-	1	-	1	5	1	11	-	4	9	25
INTERNATIONAL	-	1	1	1	3	11	10	4	-	1	16	32
KENWORTH	-	-	-	-	6	7	6	2	-	-	5	21
LEADER	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
LEYLAND	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	3
MACK	-	-	-	-	-	9	5	3	-	-	8	23
HAN	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
MERCEDES-BENZ	-	-	3	-	2	2	3	14	-	-	11	24
MITSUBISHI	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	4
NISSAN DIESEL	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	3	3
NISSAN	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	1	4	6
SCANIA	-	-	1	-	5	4	4	9	-	1	14	24
VOLVO	-	-	-	-	4	6	2	8	-	-	11	20
WHITE	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	2
TOTAL	-	1	6	2	27	48	38	61	-	10	82	193

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 19. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES (A) BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES (B)	TOTAL
	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT		
DAIHATSU	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	2
DOMINO	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
FORD	13	11	1	8	2	-	3	-	17	38
HOLDEN	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	3
INTERNATIONAL	-	15	-	2	-	-	-	-	16	17
ISUZU	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
LEYLAND	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
MAZDA	1	1	-	-	-	5	-	-	7	7
MERCEDES-BENZ	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	2
MITSUBISHI	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NISSAN	4	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	9
TOYOTA	14	8	4	2	2	1	-	1	23	32
VOLVO	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	3
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	-	2	5	4	-	-	-	-	9	11
TOTAL	36	52	12	20	5	8	3	1	92	137

(A) NON-FREIGHT CARRYING VEHICLES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 20. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS BUSES BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES (A)	TOTAL
	NSW (B)	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT		
BEDFORD	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
DAIHATSU	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
DATSUN	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	2
DENNING	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	10	11
FORD	194	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	155	199
MINO	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
HOLDEN	24	15	13	-	9	1	-	4	43	66
INTERNATIONAL	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
ISUZU	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
LAND ROVER	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
LEYLAND	2	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	3	16
MAN	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
MAZDA	20	3	6	2	6	3	1	-	20	41
MERCEDES-BENZ	4	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	9	9
MITSUBISHI	234	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	143	238
NISSAN DIESEL	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
NISSAN	76	-	26	1	6	4	-	2	70	121
SCANIA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOYOTA	455	35	36	14	8	7	5	2	355	562
VOLVO	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	6
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	1	5	1	-	1	-	-	6	9
TOTAL	1023	78	110	20	34	18	6	8	829	1297

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 21. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED AS MOTOR CYCLES BY MAKE

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

MAKE	STATE								CAPITAL CITIES	TOTAL
	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	(A)	
BAJAJ	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
B.M.W.	55	17	22	6	8	2	2	2	71	114
DUCATI	48	9	16	11	6	1	-	1	57	92
HARLEY-DAVIDSON	14	12	7	10	7	-	-	1	31	51
HONDA	434	319	285	132	74	22	5	14	589	1283
HUSQVARNA	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
KAWASAKI	149	97	68	49	20	11	7	7	213	408
K.T.M.	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	4
LAVERDA	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
MAICO	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
MOTECAS	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
MOTOPECAKE	-	-	1	-	26	-	-	-	22	27
MOTO GUZZI	8	3	-	1	1	-	-	1	11	14
SUZUKI	246	141	119	112	60	24	5	5	338	710
TRIUMPH	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
VESPA	1	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	5	6
YAMAHA	250	190	208	119	67	26	21	21	401	902
OTHER AND UNKNOWN	1	1	2	3	1	3	-	-	5	11
TOTAL	1214	792	730	446	273	89	29	51	1747	3634

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

TABLE 22. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES BY TYPE AND MOTIVE POWER

AUSTRALIA: DECEMBER, 1983

TYPE OF VEHICLE	FUEL TYPE					CAPITAL CITIES	TOTAL
	PETROL	DIESEL	ELECTRIC	GAS	OTHER (INCL. DUAL FUEL)	(A)	
MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS	37739	463	-	3	9	25166	38214
UTILITIES	2830	1046	-	2	1	1599	3879
PANEL VANS (B)	2836	486	-	-	1	2270	3323
RIGID TRUCKS	1094	1402	-	1	-	1417	2497
ARTICULATED TRUCKS	2	191	-	-	-	82	193
OTHER TRUCK TYPE VEHICLES (C)	81	56	-	-	-	92	137
BUSES (B)	1098	199	-	-	-	829	1297
TOTAL (EXCL. MOTOR CYCLES)	45680	3843	-	6	11	31455	49540
MOTOR CYCLES	3629	-	5	-	-	1747	3634

(A) SEE PARAGRAPH 9 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(B) SEE PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTES.

(C) NON-FREIGHT CARRYING VEHICLES.

TABLE 23. NUMBER OF MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE,
30 JUNE 1983
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Type of vehicle	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Australia
Motor cars and Station wagons	2,142.6	1,796.5	1,037.5	593.3	570.0	191.0	34.6	97.2	6,462.7
Utilities	165.4	127.0	197.9	44.9	60.0	22.2	16.0	4.9	638.2
Panel vans	184.2	60.1	83.2	30.7	58.4	12.1	4.4	3.8	436.8
Rigid trucks	161.2	157.5	57.5	42.8	54.4	13.0	1.9	4.0	492.3
Articulated trucks	16.7	12.2	8.7	4.5	3.9	1.4	0.6	0.2	48.2
Other truck type vehicles(a)	13.0	12.5	4.6	6.0	6.0	1.7	0.3	0.6	44.9
Buses	17.0	12.2	7.7	3.7	5.1	2.1	0.4	1.0	49.1
Motor cycles	135.6	79.6	99.0	37.8	35.8	5.8	3.8	4.6	401.9
Total motor vehicles(b)	2,835.6	2,257.7	1,464.1	763.7	793.6	249.3	61.9	116.2	8,574.2
Tractors(c)	6.6	48.8	30.1	2.9	18.9	4.3	0.5	0.2	112.4
Plant and equipment(c)	18.1	14.3	9.0	4.2	9.6	2.6	0.8	0.2	58.9
Caravans	70.0	109.8	41.7	30.1	31.7	5.5	(d)	1.7	(e)290.3
Trailers	441.6	230.2	254.3	136.8	154.0	41.0	(f)8.4	14.4	(f)1,282.8
Total other vehicles	536.4	403.1	335.1	176.1	214.2	53.8	9.7	16.5	1,744.4

(a) Non-freight carrying vehicles. (b) Excludes tractors, plant and equipment, caravans and trailers. (c) See paragraph 7 of the Explanatory notes. (d) Not available separately. (e) Excludes Northern Territory vehicles. (f) Includes caravans for the Northern Territory.