

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 33 : MOTOR VEHICLES

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These statistics include production of vehicles from both Australian and imported components. The statistics of finished motor vehicles exclude vehicles finished by specialist body building works. The statistics of partly finished motor vehicles represent the production of vehicles to which some additional body work (except painting) is to be done by specialist body building works.

The figures for 1965-66 and 1966-67 are those recorded in the Annual Factory Census. All subsequent figures are derived from the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision.

TABLE 1. - FINISHED MOTOR VEHICLES

(Number)

Period	Code no.	FINISHED CARS					FINISHED STATION WAGONS		
		Under 1,400 cc	1,400 cc and under 2,200 cc	2,200 cc and under 4,400 cc	4,400 cc and over	Total	Under 4,000 cc	4,000 cc and over	Total
		581.02	581.04	581.06	581.08		581.10, 12, 14	581.16	
1965-66		59,041	39,918	128,351	8,016	235,326	(a)		58,334
1966-67		48,786	39,632	133,522	16,780	238,720	54,961	2,573	57,534
1967-68		53,073	51,094	140,543	26,372	271,082	54,369	4,678	59,047
Months : 1967 November		4,726	4,684	13,659	2,110	25,179	5,398	351	5,749
December		2,933	3,095	8,519	1,921	16,468	2,572	203	2,775
1968 January		2,079	2,238	5,645	1,380	11,342	1,926	173	2,099
February		6,021	5,002	12,956	3,273	27,252	5,286	697	5,983
March		5,862	5,271	13,790	3,999	28,922	5,748	791	6,539
April		4,758	4,496	12,611	3,293	25,158	4,609	547	5,156
May		4,488	5,368	14,825	1,938	26,619	5,113	474	5,587
June		3,770	4,546	10,741	1,967	21,024	4,277	668	4,945
July		4,194	5,317	13,667	3,122	26,300	4,441	421	4,862
August		4,912	5,304	12,695	2,946	25,857	4,281	305	4,586
September		4,578	4,800	13,206	2,566	25,150	4,401	349	4,750
October		5,054	5,942	13,392	3,062	27,450	4,563	377	4,940
November		4,747	5,448	11,873	2,384	24,452	4,594	228	4,822
December		3,640	3,764	8,671	1,918	17,993	2,951	211	3,162
6 months ended December 1968		27,125	30,575	73,504	15,998	147,202	25,231	1,891	27,122
6 months ended December 1967		26,095	24,173	69,975	10,522	130,765	27,410	1,328	28,738

(a) Not available for publication.

TABLE 1. - FINISHED MOTOR VEHICLES - continued
(Number)

Period	Finished -				
	Utilities (a)	Panel vans (a)	Truck and truck type vehicles (b)	Omnibuses and ambulances	Total finished vehicles - All types
Code No.	582.04	582.06	582.08-24	582.26,28	
1965-66	33,038	14,427	766	413	342,304
1966-67	33,909	14,013	768	440	345,384
1967-68	31,191	14,603	659	322	376,904
Months: 1967 November	2,996	1,786	27	32	35,769
December	2,216	1,111	44	23	22,637
1968 January	793	386	16	35	14,671
February	1,043	874	35	30	35,217
March	1,535	915	57	21	37,989
April	3,162	1,310	83	9	34,878
May	4,062	1,446	34	7	37,755
June	3,515	1,114	75	25	30,698
July	3,928	1,627	66	43	36,826
August	3,082	1,913	71	62	35,571
September	3,670	1,363	78	80	35,091
October	3,421	1,551	151	89	37,602
November	3,177	1,260	111	51	33,873
December	2,163	971	104	90	24,483
6 months ended December 1968	19,441	8,685	581	415	203,446
6 months ended December 1967	17,081	8,558	359	195	185,696

(a) Vehicles up to and including 115" wheelbase. (b) Vehicles over 115" wheelbase.

TABLE 2. - PARTLY FINISHED MOTOR VEHICLES

(Number)

(number)

Period		Partly finished -							
		Cars, station wagons, panel vans (a) utilities (a)	Trucks and truck type vehicles (b)						
			Rigid-gross vehicle weight						
			Under 75 cwt	75 cwt and under 100 cwt	100 cwt and under 125 cwt	125 cwt and under 145 cwt	145 cwt and under 175 cwt	175 cwt and under 205 cwt	205 cwt and under 235 cwt
Code No.	581.22,28 582.31,32	582.33 34	582.35	582.36	582.37	582.38	582.39	582.40	
1965-66	1,666	2,097	2,025	2,609	1,413	1,606	2,482	3,276	
1966-67	1,381	1,625	2,165	2,369	1,315	2,243	2,982	3,232	
1967-68	1,435	1,568	1,994	1,794	1,465	2,060	2,675	3,415	
Months:									
1967	November	227	85	151	164	153	138	318	384
	December	149	114	215	143	79	109	163	216
1968	January	56	25	88	74	38	108	96	76
	February	47	184	196	171	46	207	207	276
	March	62	184	152	189	90	184	213	264
	April	78	100	144	119	92	257	187	292
	May	55	71	132	164	353	261	185	352
	June	114	213	166	98	167	187	277	272
	July	189	133	139	137	116	183	303	242
	August	58	164	277	148	98	243	209	237
	September	90	137	199	170	95	261	241	272
	October	202	128	269	155	142	205	219	255
	November	212	182	197	142	90	237	235	321
	December	243	101	196	211	69	142	138	308
6 months ended									
December 1968		994	845	1,277	963	610	1,271	1,345	1,635
6 months ended									
December 1967		1,023	791	1,116	979	679	856	1,510	1,883

(b) Vehicles over 115" wheelbase.

(a) Up to and including 115" wheelbase. (b) Vehicles over 115" wheelbase.

TABLE 2.-PARTLY FINISHED VEHICLES - continued, and TOTALS.

(Number)

Period		Partly finished - continued							TOTAL FINISHED AND PARTLY FINISHED VEHICLES
		Trucks and truck type vehicles (a) - continued					Total partly finished vehicles- all types		
		Rigid-gross vehicle weight-continued				Articulated gross combination weight			
		235 cwt and under 270 cwt	270 cwt and under 360 cwt	360 cwt and over	Total			Total partly finished trucks and truck type vehicles	
Code No.	582.41	582.42	582.43		582.44-46				
1965-66	1,741	837	568	18,654	2,202	20,856	22,522	364,826	
1966-67	2,434	487	537	19,389	2,357	21,746	23,127	368,511	
1967-68	2,905	1,275	458	19,609	1,913	21,522	22,957	399,061	
Months: 1967									
November	337	108	43	1,881	202	2,083	2,310	38,079	
December	245	70	32	1,386	133	1,519	1,672	24,305	
1968									
January	230	59	44	838	85	923	979	15,650	
February	341	125	40	1,793	189	1,982	2,029	37,246	
March	292	96	26	1,690	226	1,916	1,978	39,967	
April	186	101	26	1,504	122	1,626	1,704	36,582	
May	207	188	42	1,855	105	1,960	2,015	39,770	
June	258	150	40	1,828	136	1,964	2,078	32,776	
July	380	114	38	1,785	238	2,023	2,212	39,038	
August	247	164	78	1,865	234	2,099	2,157	37,728	
September	350	130	70	1,925	204	2,129	2,219	37,310	
October	285	117	37	1,812	196	2,008	2,210	39,812	
November	249	116	50	1,819	144	1,963	2,175	36,048	
December	180	113	35	1,493	158	1,651	1,894	26,377	
6 months ended									
December 1968	1,691	754	308	10,699	1,174	11,873	12,867	216,313	
6 months ended									
December 1967	1,391	656	240	10,101	1,050	11,151	12,174	197,870	

(a) Vehicles over 115" wheelbase.

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