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Correct pre-printed information if necessary using the corresponding boxes provided below.

## PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING THE QUESTIONNAIRE

PURPOSE OF THIS SURVEY
This survey collects essential commodity data to supplement retail automotive statistics. The businesscommunty, 4rad associations, government and others use this information in aggregate form, to assist in decision making markexing efforts and to assess business conditions.

## CONFIDENTIALITY

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from publishing any statistics which would divulge information bbtained from this survey that relates to any identifiable business without the previous written consent of that business. The datareserted on this questionnaire will be treated in strict confidence, used for statistical purposes and published in aggregate form only.

## DATA SHARING AGREEMENT

To avoid duplication of enquiry and to provide consistent statistics, an agreement exists unden Section 12 of the Statistics Act, with the Northwest Territories Bureau of Statistics and the Nunavut Bureau of Statistics fer the sharing of information from this survey. Under Section 12, you may refuse to share your information with any of the aggencies listed by notifying the Chief Statistician in writing and returning your letter of objection along with the completed aqxestionvaire in the enclosed return envelope.

## INSTRUCTIONS

Complete and return within 30 days after the end of the reporting period
If exact figures are not available, estimates are acceptable.
Sales and receipts
Exclude federal Goods and Services Tax (GST), Harmonifedsales Tay (HST) and provincial taxes on all sales and receipts.
Vehicles - Report sales of new and used vehicles (include taxis, vehicle rentals and any other fleets), less discounts and over-allowances. Do not deduct trade-ir allowances.
Parts and accessories - Report the sales of parts and accessories, less discounts, adjustments and returns Include parts sold byservice department for repairs. Include tire sales.
Fuel, oils and additives - Report the sales of fuel, oils and additives. Automotive fuels include gasoline, diesel, ethanol blends, natural gas and propane. Automotive oils and additives include engine oils, automotive greases, windsh(eld washer fluids, gas line and fuel injector cleaners, antifreeze, etc.
Service department - Report the value dflabour receipts from automotive repairs, maintenance and service
Exclude-parts sold by service department for repairs.
Body shop - Report the value oflabpur weceipts from dealer operated body shops. Include sublet body shop revenue.
Vehicle rentals - Resprtreyenke fram short-term vehicle rentals. Exclude finance leasing payments.
Other operating revenue - Report any other operating revenue not elsewhere classified on this questionnaire. Exclude non-operating revenues and bad debts recovered.

## Cost of used verbicle sales

Acquisition cost Report the acquisition cost of used motor vehicles sold during the reporting period. Exclude the cost of re-conditioning motor vehicles.
Be-condltioning costs - Report the re-conditioning costs of used motor vehicles sold during the reporting period.
Total - Report the acquisition cost of used motor vehicles sold during the reporting period. Include the cost of re-conditioning motor vehicles.

## Inventory

Exclude federal Goods and Services Tax (GST), Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) and provincial taxes. Include inventory in transit or on consignment to others in Canada but, exclude goods consigned to the dealers by others.
Vehicles - Report the value (at cost price) of the closing inventory of new and used motor vehicles purchased for resale or available for leasing and the appraised value (excluding over-allowances) of trade-ins.
Parts, accessories and other merchandise - Report the value (at cost price) of the closing inventory of other merchandise (i.e. gas, oil, parts, etc.) held for resale.

## Number of dealerships

Report the number of motor vehicle dealerships included in this report.
Report the maximum number of motor vehicle dealerships where business activity was conducted during the reporting period.

## CORRESPONDENCE

If you require assistance in the completion of the questionnaire or have any questions regarding the survey, please address all inquiries to:


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