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Credit Extended by Finance Companies
(In millions of dollars)

Type of credit	January 1971	Change from:	
		Month ago	Year ago
Consumer instalment credit	<u>1,961</u>	-834	-218
Retail automotive (passenger cars)	<u>497</u>	<u>43</u>	-109
New	343	56	<u>3/</u>
Used	154	-13	<u>3/</u>
Other consumer goods	334	-165	-51
Home repair and modernization	2	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
Personal loans	1,078	-712	-58
Business credit <u>1/</u>	<u>3,992</u>	-59	Not available
Retail automotive (commercial vehicles)	133	-7	at present
Wholesale automotive paper	2,344	421	due to
Other business credit	1,515	-473	revisions
			in reporting

1/Excludes some credit extended to business, such as that extended by factoring subsidiaries.

2/Less than 0.5 million dollars.

3/Not available due to revisions in reporting.

Number of Motor Vehicles Financed by Finance Companies
(In thousands)

Type of vehicle	January 1971
Total financed at retail	<u>193</u>
New passenger	84
Used passenger	70
New and used commercial	39