

BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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January 3, 1955

CONSUMER FINANCE COMPANIES

LOANS OUTSTANDING AND VOLUME OF LOANS MADE*

NOVEMBER 1954

(Estimates, in millions of dollars)

Item	November 1954	November 1953	November 1952
Amount of loans outstanding, end of month 1/	1,723.6	1,632.1	1,445.6
Change from:			
Month ago	+ 12.0	+ 19.1	+ 8.5
Year ago	+ 91.5	+ 186.5	+ 199.1
Volume of loans made during month 1/	268.4	244.3	222.4
Change from:			
Month ago	+ 43.5	+ 28.0	+ 5.3
Year ago	+ 24.1	+ 21.9	- 1.9

*Data cover loans made under effective and partially effective State small loan laws.

1/ Estimates have been revised for the period January 1952 through September 1954 on the basis of data from State supervisory authorities. A table showing the revised figures is enclosed.

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(Revised Dec. 1954)

Consumer Finance Companies*
(Loans outstanding, in millions of dollars)

End of month	Amount outstanding	End of month	Amount outstanding
1952 - January	1,312.1	1954 - January	1,688.7
February	1,317.2	February	1,681.9
March	1,331.7	March	1,681.7
April	1,351.6	April	1,695.2
May	1,370.5	May	1,694.7
June	1,399.3	June	1,706.6
July	1,421.6	July	1,716.8
August	1,435.8	August	1,715.1
September	1,434.3	September	1,716.8
October	1,437.1	October	1,711.6
November	1,445.6	November	
December	1,513.6	December	
1953 - January	1,529.9	1955 - January	
February	1,515.8	February	
March	1,530.6	March	
April	1,545.6	April	
May	1,551.4	May	
June	1,574.3	June	
July	1,603.9	July	
August	1,614.8	August	
September	1,616.6	September	
October	1,613.0	October	
November	1,632.1	November	
December	1,692.1	December	

*Includes companies operating under effective and partially effective State small loan laws.

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CONSUMER FINANCE COMPANIES
 VOLUME OF LOANS MADE
 (Estimates, in millions of dollars)

Year or month	Volume extended*	Year or month	Volume extended*
1952 - January	187.7	1954 - January	192.4
February	188.3	February	191.3
March	224.0	March	238.3
April	220.1	April	239.9
May	241.4	May	229.0
June	255.3	June	242.9
July	247.0	July	240.8
August	219.6	August	228.7
September	202.7	September	221.6
October	217.1	October	224.9
November	222.4	November	
December	343.4	December	
Total	2,769.0	Total	
1953 - January	196.9	1955 - January	
February	195.4	February	
March	254.3	March	
April	229.4	April	
May	224.6	May	
June	247.2	June	
July	260.6	July	
August	227.1	August	
September	211.7	September	
October	216.3	October	
November	244.3	November	
December	349.4	December	
Total	2,857.2	Total	

*Loans made under effective and partially effective State small loan laws.

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