BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

December 2, 1955

CONSUMER FINANCE COMPANIES

LOANS OUTSTANDING AND VOLUME OF LOANS MADE*

OCTOBER 1955.

Item	October 1955	October 1954	October 1953
Amount of loans outstanding, end of month Charge from: Month ago Year ago	1,893.8 + 13.2 + 182.2	1,711.6 - 5.2 + 98.6	1,613.0 - 3.6 + 175.9
Volume of loans made during month Change from: Month ago Year ago	269.1 + 12.1 + 44.2	224.9 + 3.3 + 8.6	216.3 + 4.6 - 0.8
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(Estimates, in millions of dollars)

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

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