

BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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September 4, 1956

CONSUMER FINANCE COMPANIES

LOANS OUTSTANDING AND VOLUME OF LOANS MADE*

July 1956

(Estimates, in millions of dollars)

Item	July 1956	July 1955	July 1954
Amount of loans outstanding, end of month	2,198.4	1,898.6	1,758.6
Change from:			
Month ago	+ 23.9	+ 13.2	+ 16.2
Year ago	+ 299.8	+ 140.0	+ 154.7
Volume of loans made during month	338.8	267.0	250.3
Change from:			
Month ago	+ 16.6	- 18.8	- 9.3
Year ago	+ 71.8	+ 16.7	- 10.3

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