

BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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May 1, 1958

CONSUMER LOANS MADE UNDER EFFECTIVE STATE SMALL LOAN LAWS\*

Amount outstanding and volume of loans made

March 1958

(Estimates, in millions of dollars)

Item	March 1958	March 1957	March 1956
Amount of loans outstanding, end of month	2,751	2,463	2,161
Change from:			
Month ago	- 5	+ 10	+ 29
Year ago	+ 288	+ 302	+ 297
Volume of loans made during month	338	338	344
Change from:			
Month ago	+ 47	+ 43	+ 66
Year ago	0	- 6	+ 54

\*Data cover all consumer loans made under effective State small loan laws, as defined by the National Consumer Finance Association. Includes such loans made by consumer finance companies, sales finance companies, and other lending institutions.